

Abbisko Therapeutics Announces an Exclusive Licensing-out Agreement for Pimicotinib (ABSK021)

Conference Call

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# **Agenda**

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## **Pimicotinib(ABSK021) Transaction Summary**

#### **Transaction Logics**

- Maximize the value and impact of Pimicotinib (ABSK021) through partnership with global leading company for unmet medical needs of potential patients in China and globally
- Increase cash balance and decrease expenditures to mitigate market uncertainty risks

#### **Transaction Structure**

- Granted Merck an exclusive license agreement to commercialize Pimicotinib in China(included HK, Macao and Taiwan) with an option for rest of the world and subsequent development rights upon the achievement of certain conditions
- Upon exercise of the commercialization option for the rest of the world, Merck also has the option to co-develop Pimicotinib in additional indications

#### Transaction Financial Terms

- Pimicotinib(ABSK021) entered an exclusive agreement in China, included upfront payment, milestones and global option fee and double-digit% tiered royalties
  - Upfront payment of \$70m and total amount of \$605.5m
  - When Merck exercises the global commercialization option, we will receive an additional option exercise fee
  - We will receive additional payments for the achievement of certain development and commercial milestones and double-digit tiered royalties on net sales by Merck

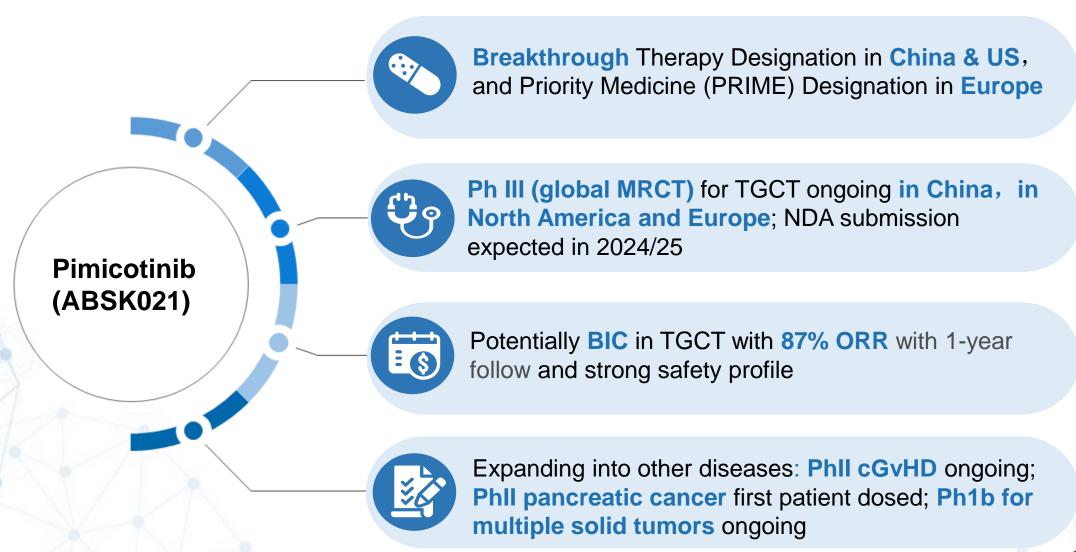
#### Post-transaction Strategy

- Strengthen late stage R&D, clinical development, CMC, NDA submission and commercialization to maximize the valued of Pimicotinib and expand geographic coverage from China to global through partnership
  - We continued to progress Pimicotinib to a global Phase III study in TGCT and other indications. Merck will advance commercialization in China





## **Summary of Pimicotinib (ABSK021)**



# We Aim to Expand Pimicotinib (ABSK021) into Multiple CSF-1R-Dependent Therapeutic Areas with Multi-Billion Dollars Market Potential

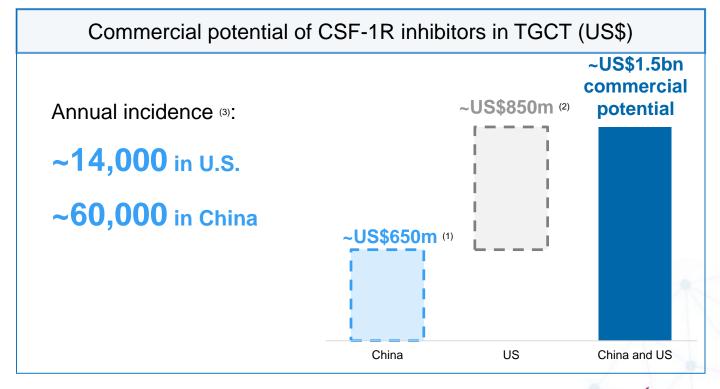




# TGCT Is A Disease with Large Patient Population and Significant Unmet Medical Needs Globally



- Surgical resection is the standard treatment but with high recurrence rate.
- The only approved CSF-1R inhibitor, pexidartinib, has severe hepatotoxicity and was approved with black-box warning.



- Based on internal analysis
- 2. Based on estimates from Deciphera Pharmaceuticals
- 3. Based on annual incidence rate of 43 cases per million people

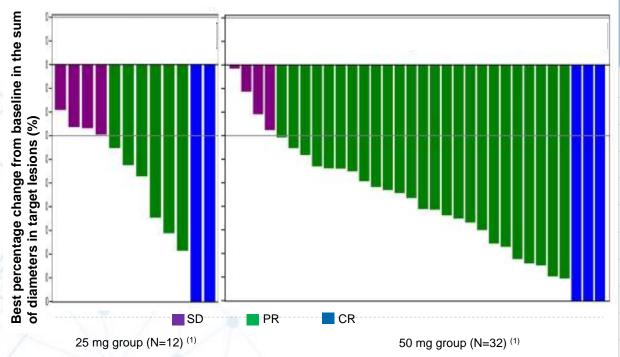
# Pimicotinib (ABSK021) showed improved ORR at 87.5% and a clean safety profile during one-year follow up

#### **Efficacy**

- The preliminary ORR: 87.5% (28/32, QD 50 mg) (by IRC, including 3 CR), 100% DCR
- Dose dependency: ORR 66.7% (by IRC, including 2 CR), compared with 87.5%

#### Safety

- Favorable safety profile at both cohorts with **no apparent hepatotoxicity**
- 83.9% of patients remained on treatment, and median treatment duration were 13.6 months in 50 mg QD; the longest treatment duration was 17.5 months



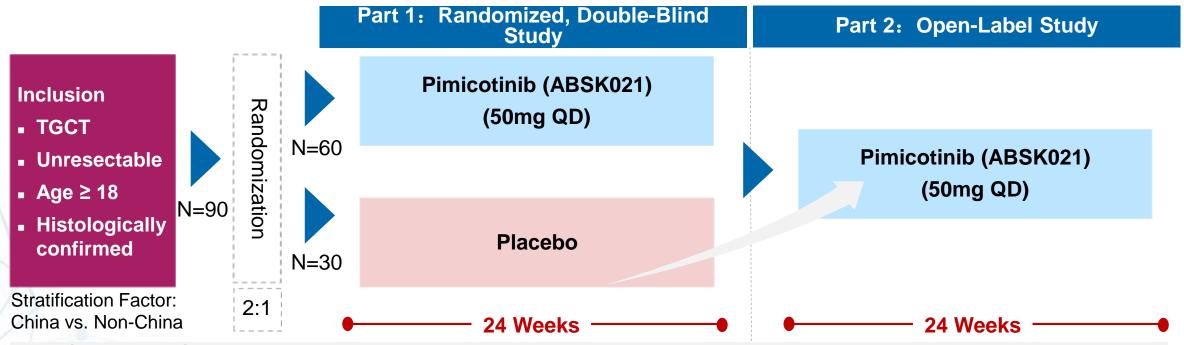
TEAE Rate ≥15% Preferred Term <sup>(2)</sup> , n (%)	Grade 3/4		
	25 mg QD (N=12)	50 mg QD (N=44)	
LDH increased	0	0	
Blood CPK increased	0	1 (2.3)*	
α-HBDH increased	0	0	
AST increased	0	0	
Amylase increased	0	0	
ALT increased	0	0	
Rash	0	0	
Pruritis	0	0	
Face edema	0	0	
Dizziness	0	0	
Somnolence	0	0	

All 12 TGCT patients in 25 mg cohort have completed at least one post-dose tumor response assessment by IRC. And 32 out of 44 TGCT patients in 50mg cohort have completed at least one post-dose tumor response assessment by IRC. Cut-off date: May2023.

<sup>2.</sup> Cut-off date: May2023. \* This patient experienced extensive work-out.

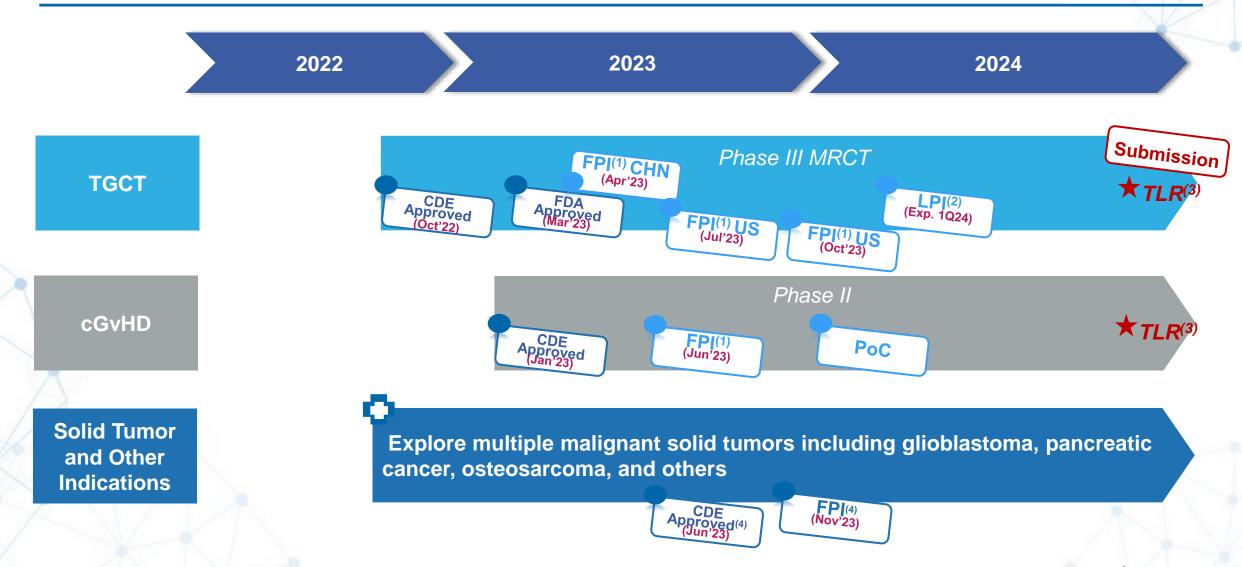
# The Global Multicenter Phase III Trial for TGCT Is Approved by the FDA, CDE&EMA and Patient Enrollment Has Started in US, China and Europe

A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled Phase III clinical study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of Pimicotinib
(ABSK021) at the dose of 50mg QD in patients with Tenosynovial Giant Cell Tumor



- Primary Endpoint:
  - 25-Week ORR by Blinded Independent Review Committee (BIRC) based on RECIST 1.1
- Secondary Endpoints:
  - 25-Week ORR by BIRC based on Tumor Volume Score (TVS)
  - Mean change from baseline in Range of Motion (ROM) of the affected joint at Week 25

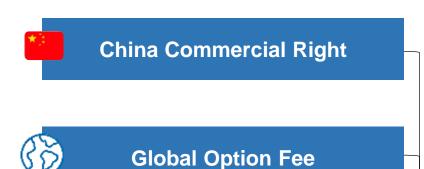
# Pimicotinib (ABSK021) Clinical Progress and Future Development Plan



# Pimicotinib (ABSK021) Transaction Details



# Pimicotinib's Financial Terms Summary



**Milestones** 

**Total Deal Size** 

Royalty

### \$70 million

Mainland China, Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan

## **Additional Option Exercise Fee**

When Merck exercises the Global Commercialization Option

# **Development & Commercialization Milestones**

Available, details not disclosed

## Up to \$605.5 million

Aggregated upfront, exercising payment, and development & commercialization milestones

## **Double-digit percentage (%)**

# Company Strategy & Core Pipeline



# Abbisko: Transitioning from Late Clinical Stage to Commercial Stage



#### **Early Research Stage**

- In-house discovered 16 PCCs with bestin-class potential, delivering 2~4 PCCs per year:
  - R&D focus, R&D personnel >150;
  - Founded by top-notch industry veterans from Hansoh, Novartis etc., with discovery track record of blockbusters such as Almonertinib



#### Mid & Late Clinical Stage

- Entered into mid & late clinical stage:
  - Pimicotinib (ABSK021) TGCT NDA submission expected in 2024;
  - At least 2 proof-of-concept assets into critical clinical stage (Irpagratinib (ABSK011), Fexagratinib (ABSK091) from FGFR franchise; oral PD-L1);
- Built a clinical team of  $\sim$ **100** personnel; and a CMC laboratory fully operational with GLP certification:
- License-out of assets with cash inflow (1-2 deals per year)



#### **Commercial Stage**

- Commercialization: enter overseas markets through partnership, develop domestic market through collaborations/self-built team;
- Focus on cancer, with potential expansion into other major disease areas;
- Become a fully-fledged commercial stage biopharmaceutical driven by product sales and BD out-licensing

2016-2022 2022-2025 2025 and beyond



# Our Oncology-Focused Pipeline Consists of BIC & FIC Assets, CSF-1R Exclusively Licensed-out to Merck, FGFR Franchise in POC, and Early-Stage **Assets for BD and Clinics**

#### CSF-1R (ABSK021)

#### **Near Commercialization**

#### 1. First TGCT indication in Phase III:

- ORR: 87% with 1-year follow, BTD in US/CHN/Europe, potential BIC:
- Phase III in MRCT, for NMPA & FDA approval;
- Expected completion in early 2024, commercialization in 25/26, large patient population and potential

#### 2. Expansion into other disease areas:

- cGvHD Phase II in progress, data expected by 2024;
- 3. Active exploration in solid tumor areas:
- Trials planned in pancreatic cancer, osteosarcoma. glioblastoma

#### 4. License-out agreement with Merck

- Upfront \$70M and total amount of \$605.5m
- Possibly receive an additional option exercise fee
- Receive additional payments for the achievement of certain development and commercial milestones and double-digit tiered royalties on net sales by Merck

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CSF-1R: CNS + Solid Tumor

Clinical

Pre-Clinical BD

#### **FGFR Franchise In POC**

#### 1. Huge unmet medical need of FGFR:

- ~1.9 million cases per year of FGFR aberrations globally, mainly in lung cancer, breast cancer, urothelial cancer, bile duct cancer, etc.;
- FGFR4 mutation in ~30% HCC patients (>350,000 worldwide)

#### 2. Strong efficacy data:

Irpagratinib (ABSK011) demonstrated strong efficacy in 2L HCC patients with high expression of FGF19, ORR~40.7%

#### 3. High effectiveness against FGFR3:

Fexagratinib (ABSK091) presented ORR of 31%-44% in 2L UC in FGFR3 mutants

FGFR4: 1L/2L HCC

**FGFR 2/3: Multiple Solid Tumors** 

#### **Early-Stage Assets** For BD and Clinics

#### 1. Collaboration with global pharmaceutical:

Partner with Eli Lilly in early stage development in non-oncology chronic disease areas

#### 2. Advancing early-stage targets into clinics:

Explore BD deals for early-stage assets, such as KRAS, oral PD-L1, 4th-gen EGFR, 2nd-gen Exon20, CD73. **FGFR** 

#### 3. BD deals for pre-clinical assets to generate early cash inflow:

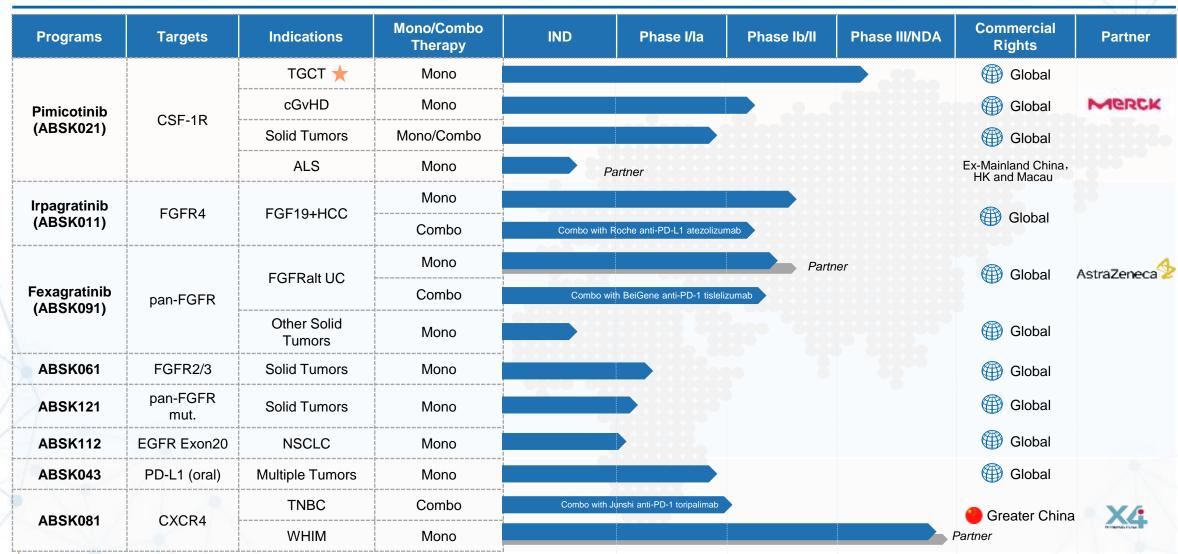
2~4 PCCs per year, along with continuous BD deals to generate early cash flow, to expand indications and regions

PRMT5\*MTA

Oral PD-L1

**CD73** 

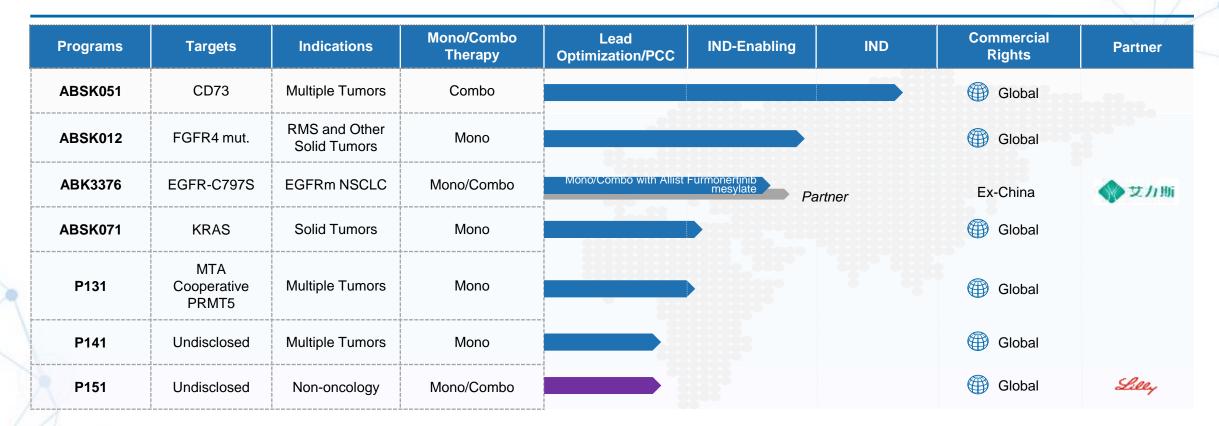
# Our 10 Clinical Pipeline and 6 Preclinical Pipeline



Breakthrough Therapy Designation (BTD/PRIME)

Abbreviations: ALS = amyotrophic lateral scierosis; cGvHD = chronic graft-versus-host disease; FGFRalt = FGFR altered; HCC = hepatocellular carcinoma; NSCLC = non-small cell lung cancer; RMS = rhabdomyosarcoma; TGCT = tenosynovial giant cell tumor; TNBC = triple-negative breast cancer; UC = urothelial cancer; WHIM = warts, hypogammaglobulinemia, infections and myelokathexis

## **Our Pipeline (Preclinical)**

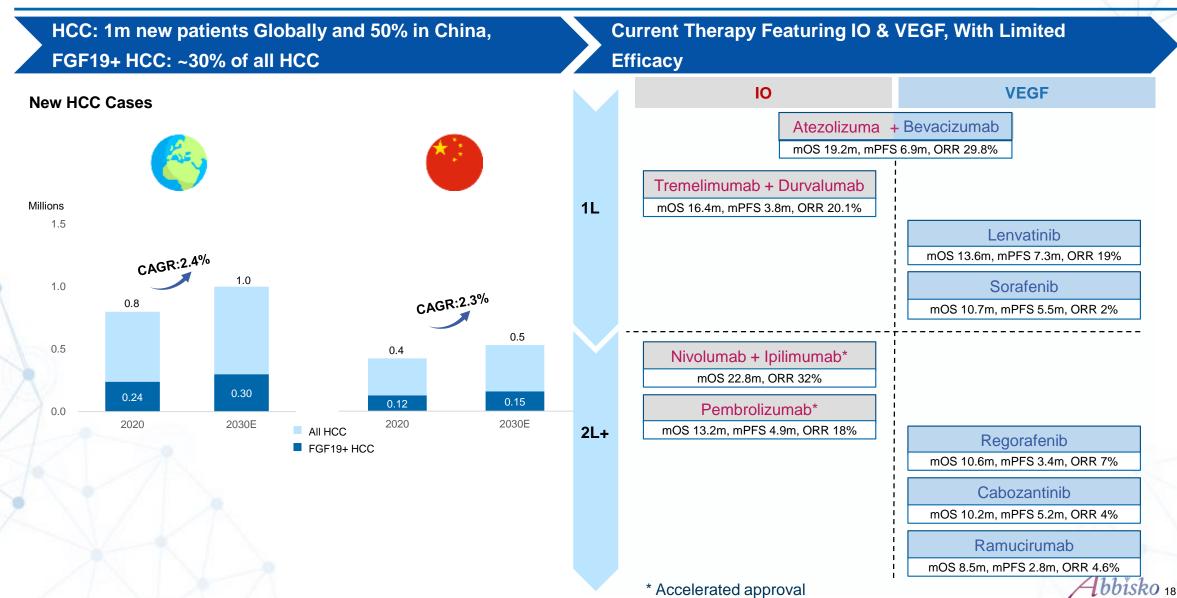


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# **Other Core Assets**



# HCC: High Unmet Medical Needs from High Incidence Rate and Limited Treatment Options



## Irpagratinib(ABSK011) Promising Efficacy Profile in Phase Ib Trial

# Tumor Response in Prior Treated FGF19+ HCC Pts by Investigator Assessment (RECIST V1.1)

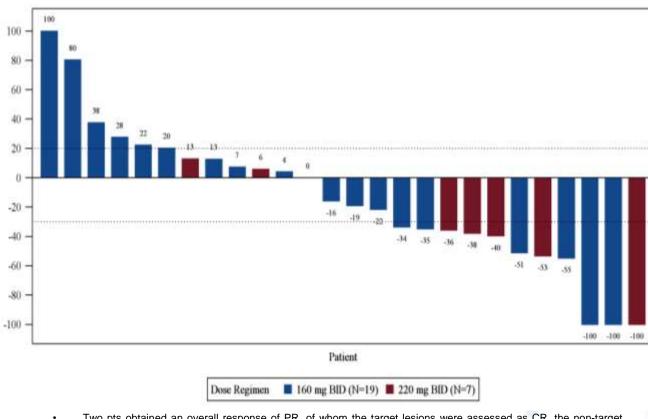
	QD	BID		
Response	180 mg QD (N=15)	160 mg BID (N=20)	220 mg BID (N=7)	Total (N=27)
BOR, n (%)				
CR	0	1(5)	0	1(3.7)
PR*	2 (13.3)	5 (25)	5 (71.4)	10 (37.0)
SD	10 (66.7)	6 (30.0)	2 (28.6)	8 (29.6)
Overall response rate*, n (%)	2 (13.3)	6 (30.0)	5 (71.4)	11 (40.7)
Disease control rate, n (%)	12 (80.0)	12 (60.0)	7 (100.0)	19 (70.4)

<sup>\*</sup>including unconfirmed PR

The preliminary efficacy in FGF19+ HCC pts with prior therapies in BID cohorts:

- The ORR was 40.7%. In 26 evaluated patients, 14 observed with tumor shrinkage, including 3 complete response
- Median follow-up was 3.7 m, and mPFS was 3.9 m
  - mPFS in 220 mg BID was not yet mature
- The longest duration of response (DoR) was 9.6 m and mDoR was not yet mature, with 5 of 11 responses ongoing

Best Percentage Change in Sum of Diameters of Target Lesions in Prior Treated FGF19+ HCC Pts of BID Cohorts



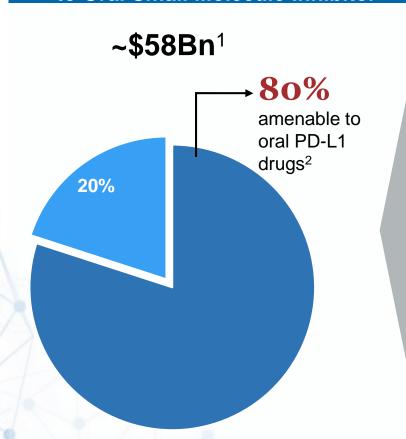
Two pts obtained an overall response of PR, of whom the target lesions were assessed as CR, the non-target lesions were non-CR/non-PD, and no new lesions were observed.



### Oral PD-L1 Small-molecule Has a Blockbuster Market Potential

#### 80% of PD-(L)1 Market Can be Amenable to Oral Small Molecule Inhibitor

#### Significant Advantage of Oral PD-L1 Small Molecule Inhibitor



Oral formulation/ adjustable dosing schemes

**Improved** 

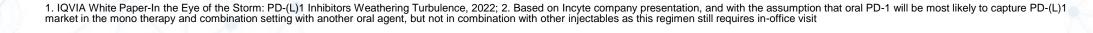
tissue penetration

Nonimmunogenicity

- Ease of use, no intravascular (IV) costs
- Oral-oral combo

Potential of better efficacy

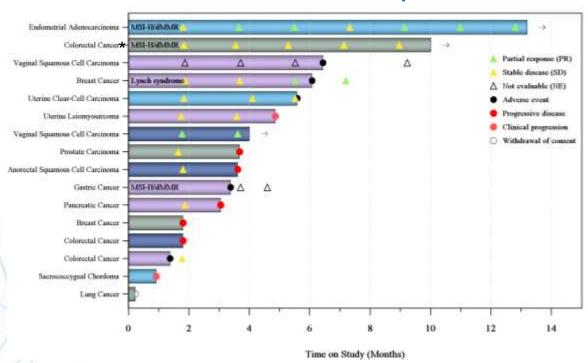
- Rapid titration
  - irAE management



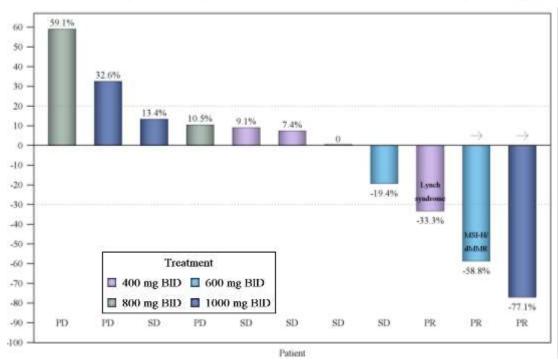


# ABSK043 Promising Efficacy Profile in Preliminary Clinical Trial

#### **Time on Treatment and Response**



#### **Best Percentage Change in Sum of Diameters of Target Lesions**



Among 16 patients from BID dosing cohorts, **ORR ~27%** (11 tumor responses could be evaluated and 3 IO-naïve patients reached objective response)

- One endometrial carcinoma patient with MSI-H/dMMR (600mg BID) achieved confirmed partial response (PR) and has been on treatment for over 1 year
- Another breast cancer patient with Lynch syndrome (400mg BID) confirmed PR although discontinued due to Gr2 rash
- The third patient with vaginal squamous cell carcinoma treated 1000mg BID obtained confirmed PR (-77%) and is still on treatment

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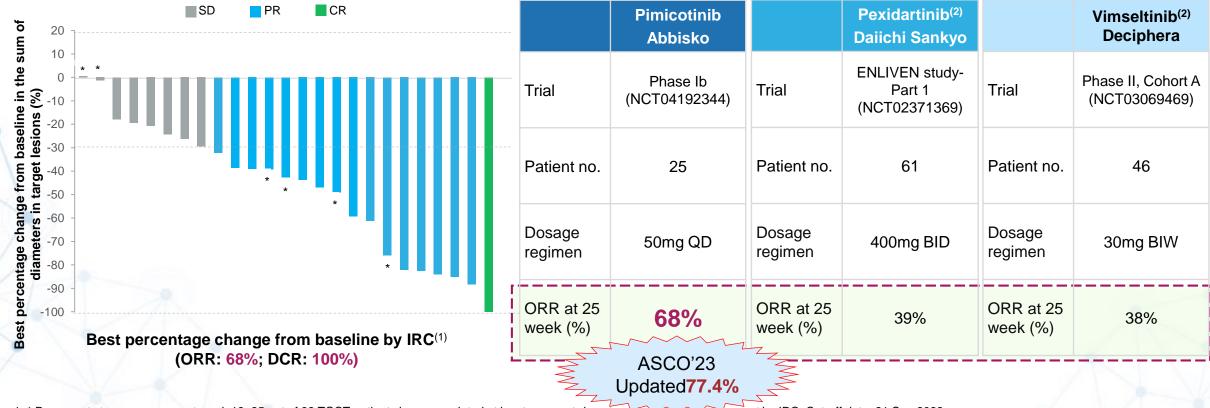
# Pimicotinib(ABSK021) BD done, as we continue to advance our planned milestones

Pipeline	Target	<b>Clinical Trial</b>	Stage	Event		2023
Clinical cand	lidates				Target	Action
				✓ US Pivotal Trial Design Approval	1H	Mar'23
Pimicotinib (ABSK021) CSF-1R	TGCT	Phase III	✓ Global MRCT Pivotal Trial to Start	1H	Apr'23 CHN FF Jul'23 US FPI	
(ABSINDET)				✓ Extended Phase Ib Efficacy/Safety Resul	ts 1H	May'23 ASCO
		cGvHD	Phase II	<ul> <li>Preliminary Data Readout</li> </ul>	2H	Jun'23 FPI
Irpagratinib (ABSK011)	FGFR4	2L HCC, mono	Phase Ib	<ul> <li>Extended Efficacy/Safety Results Including</li> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> Dose Expansion</li> </ul>	ng 2H	Oct'23 ESMO
(ABSKUTT)		1L/2L HCC, combo	Phase II	<ul> <li>Preliminary Data Readout</li> </ul>	2H	2H
Fexagratinib (ABSK091)	Pan-FGFR	2L UC, mono	Phase II	<ul> <li>Extended Efficacy/Safety Results</li> </ul>	2H	2H
ABSK043	PD-L1	Solid tumors	Phase I	<ul> <li>Preliminary Efficacy/Safety Results Readout</li> </ul>	2H	Oct'23 ESMO
ABSK061	FGFR2/3	Solid tumors	Phase I	<ul> <li>Preliminary Phase la Data</li> </ul>	2H	2H
ABSK121 FGFR mut. Solid tumors	Solid tumors	Phase I	✓ IND Approval in China	1H	Feb'23	
	i ilase i	✓ FPI	2H	2H		
IND-enabling	candidates					
ABSK051	CD73	Multiple tumors	IND-enabling	✓ IND Filing	2H	Nov'23
ABSK012	FGFR4 mut.	RMS and/or HCC	IND-enabling	<ul> <li>IND Filing</li> </ul>	1H	2H
ABSK112	EGFR Exon20	NSCLC	Phase I	✓ IND Approval from FDA in US	2H	Jul'23
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# Appedix1:Pimicotinib (ABSK021) Has Demonstrated Potentially Best-in-Class Efficacy

- The preliminary ORR: **68.0%** (17/25, 95%CI: 46.50%-85.05%) (by IRC based on RECIST1.1)
- 1 CR and 16 PR within 6 months in patients receiving 50mg QD treatment (out of 25 patients)
- 100% preliminary disease control rate ("DCR")



<sup>1. \*</sup> Represents tumor response at week 13. 25 out of 32 TGCT patients have completed at least one post-dose tumor response assessment by IRC. Cut-off date: 21 Sep 2022. 2. Data of pexidartinib comes from Tap WD et al (Lancet. 2019;394(10197):478-487); Data of Vimseltinib comes from Blay JY et al (1509P, ESMO. 2022; 33: S1236-1237).



# Appedix2:Pmicotinib (ABSK021) Has Also Demonstrated Potentially Best-in-Class Safety Profile

	Pimicotinib Abbisko
Trial	Phase lb (NCT04192344)
Patient no.	32
Dosage regimen	50mg QD

	Pexidartinib <sup>(1)</sup> Daiichi Sankyo
Trial	ENLIVEN study-Part 1 (NCT02371369)
Patient no.	61
Dosage regimen	400mg BID

	Vimseltinib <sup>(1)</sup> Deciphera
Trial	Phase II, Cohort A (NCT03069469)
Patient no.	46
Dosage regimen	30mg BIW

#### Any G3/4 TEAEs [n (%)]

CPK increased	1 (3%)
Pyrexia	1 (3%)
Rash	1 (3%)

#### Any G3/4 TEAEs [n (%)]

AST increased	6 (10%)
ALT increased	6 (10%)
ALP increased	4 (7%)
Hypertension	3 (5%)
Arthralgia	2 (3%)
Vomiting	1 (2%)
Rash	1 (2%)
Dizziness	1 (2%)
Periorbital edema	1 (2%)
Lactate dehydrogenase increase	1 (2%)

#### Any G3/4 TEAEs [n (%)]

CPK increased	20 (44%)
Asthenia	1 (2%)
Rash maculopapular	1 (2%)

<sup>1.</sup> Data of Pexidartinib comes from Tap WD et al (Lancet. 2019;394(10197):478-487); Data of Vimseltinib comes from Blay JY et al (1509P, ESMO. 2022; 33: S1236-1237).