# Pioneering Life Changing Treatments for Diabetic Retinal Disease

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#### Oxurion At-a-Glance

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Near-term value drivers | Phase 2 topline data in Q4 2023



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Accomplished senior leadership | R&D team with deep ophthalmic expertise



**Long-term IP protection** | Composition of matter protection (2034-39)



## **Experienced Management Team**

Seasoned leadership with deep biotech expertise

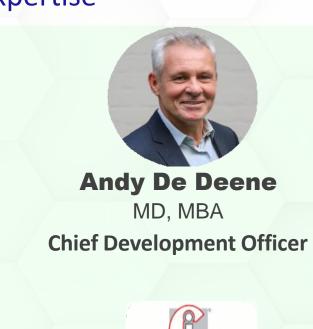


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# Differentiated Molecules, in Validated Pathways, with Novel Mechanisms of Action and First-in-Class Potential



Plasma kallikrein inhibitor **THR-149** 

**Potential** to be new **standard of care** for the **40-50% of DME patients** who respond **suboptimally to anti-VEGFs** 

**First-in-Class Potential** 



Pan-RGD integrin antagonist **THR-687** 

Potential to disrupt the entire anti-VEGF market

Currently paused

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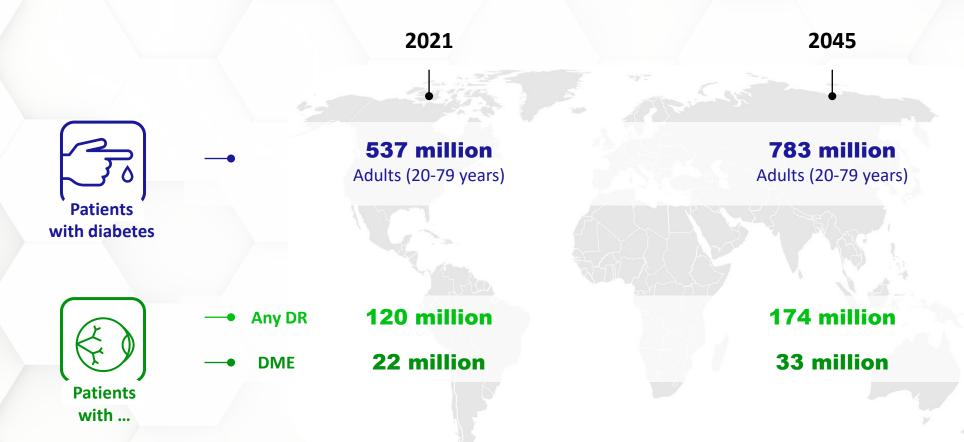
### **THR-149**

Highly potent plasma kallikrein (PKal) inhibitor targeting a VEGF-independent pathway



## DME is a Large and Growing Public Health Concern

DME is the leading cause of blindness in working-age adults





Abbreviation(s): DME, diabetic macular edema; DR, diabetic retinopathy

Source(s): International Diabetes Federation. IDF Diabetes Atlas, 10th edn. Brussels, Belgium: 2021. Available at: https://www.diabetesatlas.org; Teo et al. Ophthalmology 2021



## DME: Serious Sight-Threatening, Life-Altering Disease

Significant patient and caregiver burden • Compelling health economic story





<sup>\*</sup> Scotoma is a partial loss of vision or blind spot within the visual field

Abbreviation(s): DME, diabetic macular edema; QoL, quality of life

Source(s): pictures from The Angiogenesis Foundation. Advocating for improved treatment and outcomes for DME. 2014

## SOC Therapy is Suboptimal for up to 50% DME Patients

Anti-VEGF treatment is the mainstay but...



40-50% of patients treated with anti-VEGF therapies do not achieve clinically meaningful vision gain

Current & upcoming anti-VEGF therapies have reached a plateau in terms of efficacy

Durability is currently targeted by upcoming anti-VEGF therapies, addressing only treatment burden & convenience



Usually second-line therapy (after anti-VEGF treatment)

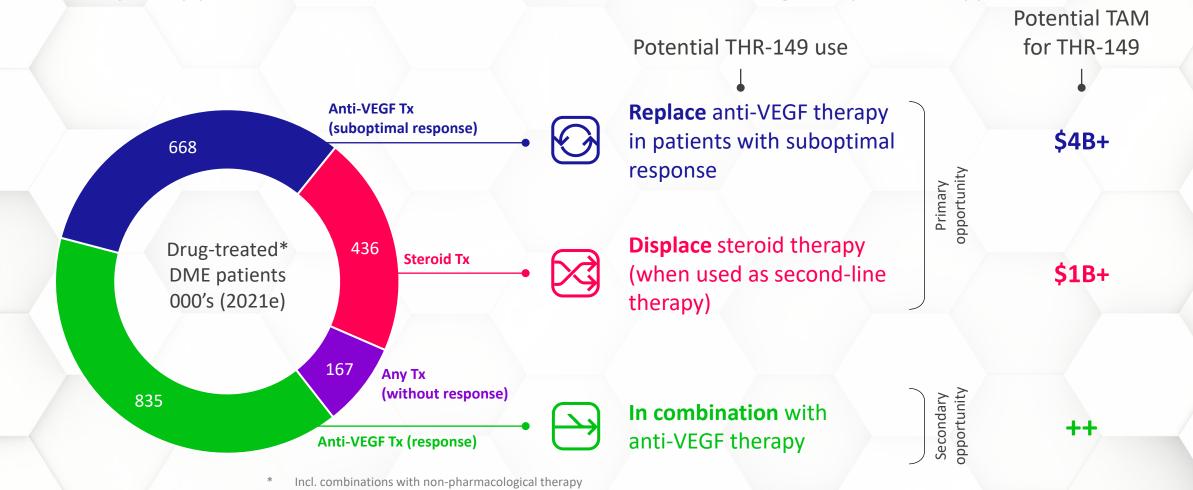
Mainly based on IVT sustained-release corticosteroids

Well-known side-effect profile incl. cataract formation and progression and/or risk of intraocular pressure increase



## Disruptive Growth Driven by Better Treatment

Multiple opportunities for THR-149 in DME in a wide range of patient types





Note(s): market includes 7 major markets (US, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, United Kingdom & Japan)

Abbreviation(s): DME, diabetic macular edema; e, estimates; TAM, total addressable market; Tx, therapy; US, United States; VEGF, vascular endothelial growth factor Source(s): Datamonitor Healthcare, 2017-2020; Decision Resources Group, 2019, GlobalData, 2021

## THR-149: Highly Potent PKal Inhibitor for DME

#### Selective and stable peptide

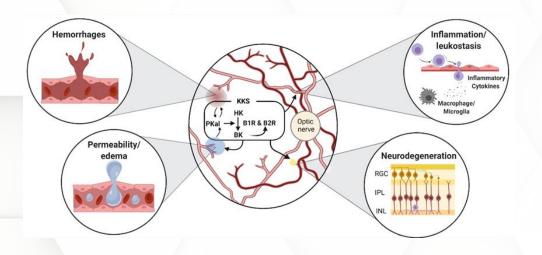


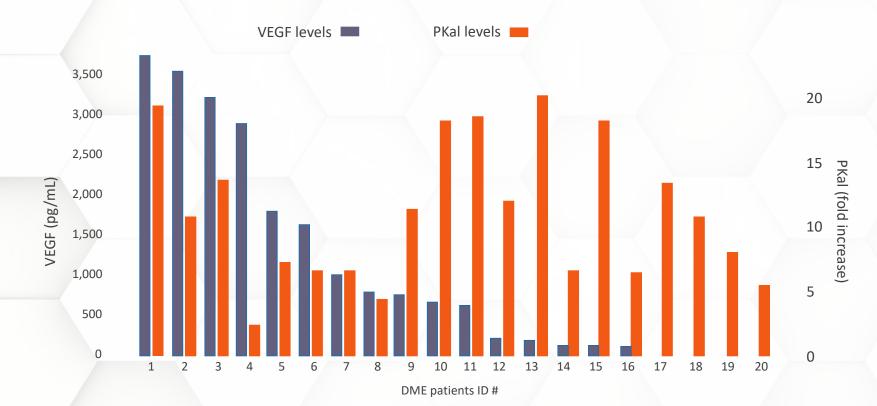
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- PKal is a mediator of vascular leakage, inflammation, micro-hemorrhages and neurodegeneration.
- Human vitreous shows elevated PKal levels in DME patients.
- THR-149, a potent and selective PKal inhibitor<sup>1</sup>, has the potential to reduce the hallmarks of DME.



## Rationale for Targeting PKal in DME

Two distinct pathways linked to DME: not all patients have elevated VEGF levels

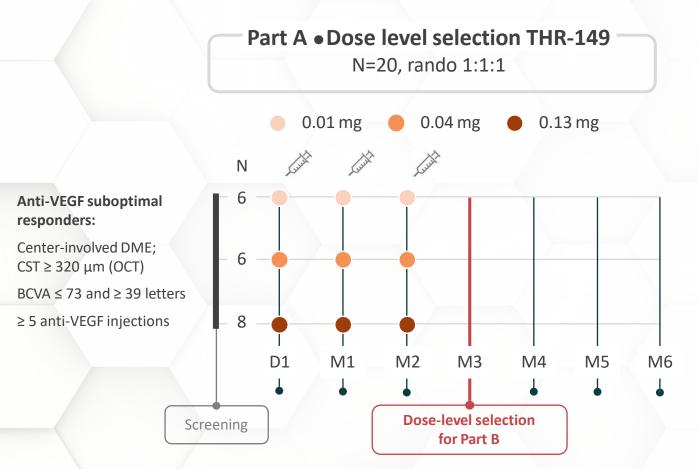


- PKal is a key driver in the pathogenesis of DME
- PKal inhibitors have potential to address suboptimal responders to anti-VEGF



# KALAHARI Phase 2 Part A: Dose Selection Suboptimal Responders to anti-VEGF

Primary endpoint BCVA, secondary endpoints CST, AEs



#### Phase 2 • Part A

- First time multiple IVT of THR-149 in DME patients who respond suboptimally to anti-VEGF (per inclusion criteria)
- Confirmation of safety & efficacy for the highest dose
- Confirming proof of concept



Per protocol set

### KAHALARI Phase 2 Part A Clinical Trial

High dose (0.13 mg) selected for Part B, based on safety and efficacy at Month 3

**Treatment safety** 



- Favorable safety profile with no serious ocular AEs at any dose
- No inflammation in the study eye of any patient at any dose

**High dose outcome** 



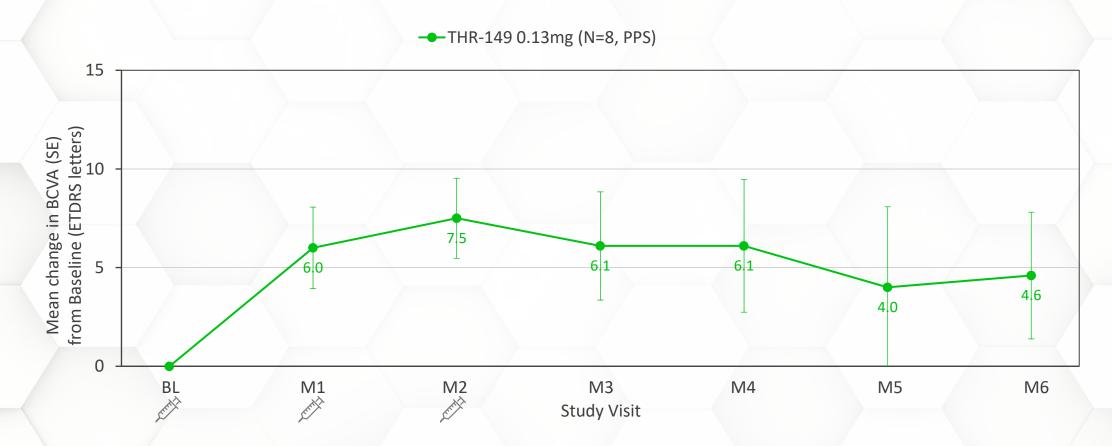
- No rescue medication need
- 6.1 letter improvement in mean BCVA at Month 3
- Stable CST



Note(s): safety data set, N=23 patients; efficacy data set, N=20 patients; high-dose efficacy data set, N=8 patients Abbreviations: AE, adverse event; BCVA, best-corrected visual acuity; CST, central subfield thickness Source(s): data on file

## Mean Change in BCVA from Baseline in High Dose Group a

#### Clinically meaningful improvement with impressive durability



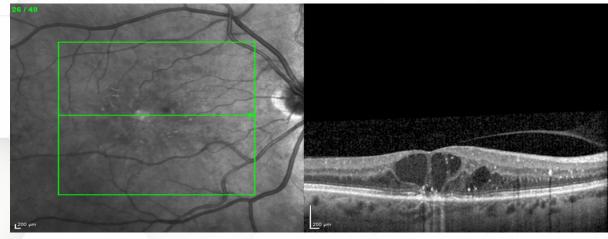


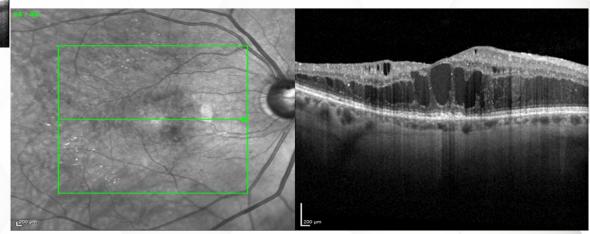
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> No rescue treatment was given in the high dose group

# CRC, masked to clinical data including BCVA, identified 2 subjects with abnormalities on OCT

Subfoveal atrophy (EZ or ELM disruption), and severe cysts in the central 1mm occupying and disrupting all the retinal layers

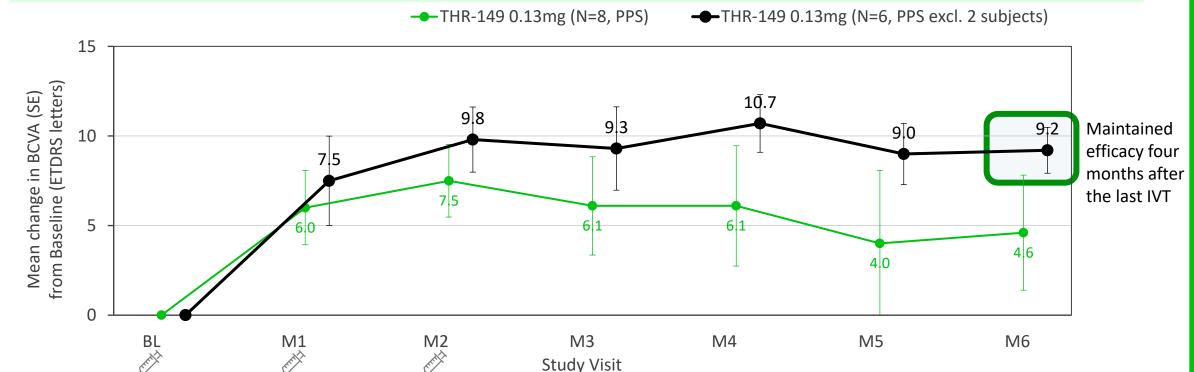




## Mean Change in BCVA from Baseline in High Dose Group a

(post hoc analysis Feb. 2022)

- CRC, masked to clinical data including BCVA, identified 2 subjects with abnormalities on OCT
- Post-hoc analysis excluding these 2 subjects showed a mean gain in BCVA of > 9 letters up to Month 6
- Part B protocol amended to refine the target population and exclude subjects with these abnormalities on OCT



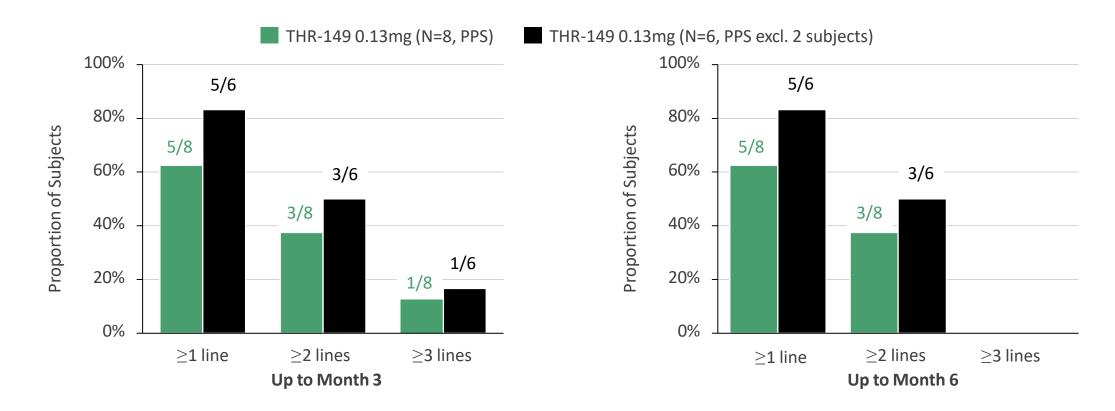
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## Categorical Gain in BCVA from BL in the High Dose Group a

(post hoc analysis Feb. 2022)

• 3/6 (50%) subjects had at least a 2-line improvement up to Month 6, without the need for rescue treatment, 4 months after their last THR-149 injection





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> No rescue treatment was given in the high dose group Abbreviations: BCVA, best-corrected visual acuity; BL, baseline; N, number of subjects in the analysis set; PPS, per protocol set

### KAHALARI Phase 2 Part B Clinical Trial

#### **Phase 2 Part B multiple injections**



Multicenter, randomized, 2-part study



128 targeted patients (Part A, 20; Part B, 108)



**81** targeted sites (US & EU)



Part A High dose selected for Part B

Part B Compare THR-149 to aflibercept



Topline Part B data Q4 2023



#### KALAHARI Phase 2 Part B

#### Evaluate THR-149 against anti-VEGF market leader aflibercept for DME

Part B of the KALAHARI trial building on Part A in/exclusion criteria learnings:

- Primary endpoint BCVA
- Secondary endpoint CST
- 80% powered for superiority vs. aflibercept
- Interim analysis December 2022;
   IDMC recommends continuation
- Enrollment completed May 2023
- Topline results expected Q4 2023

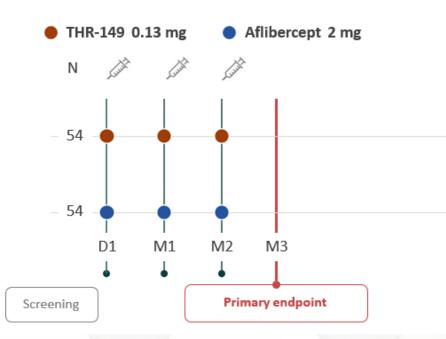
Part B • Topline Data N=108, rando 1:1 4Q 2023

### Anti-VEGF suboptimal responders:

Center-involved DME; CST ≥ 320 µm (OCT)

BCVA ≤ 73 and ≥ 24 letters

≥ 5 anti-VEGF injections





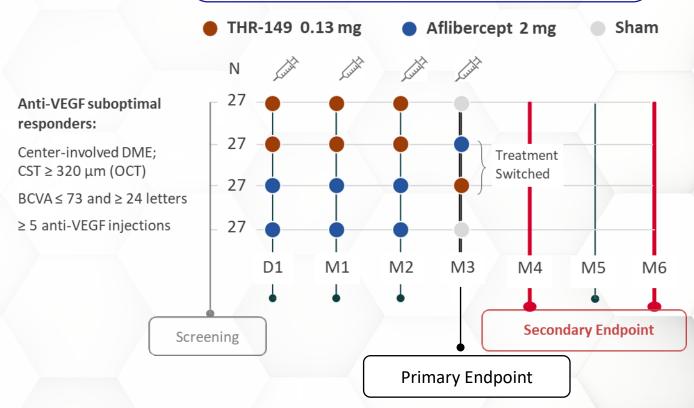
#### KALAHARI Phase 2 Trial: Part B

#### Evaluate THR-149 in combination with anti-VEGF therapy

Optimizing trial design protocol to evaluate THR-149 in combination with anti-VEGF market leader aflibercept:

- Primary endpoint BCVA at Month 3
- 80% powered for superiority vs. aflibercept
- Secondary endpoint CST
- Interim analysis December 2022;
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Provide preliminary data on use of THR-149 in combination with anti-VEGF therapy through a flip-over injection at Month 3





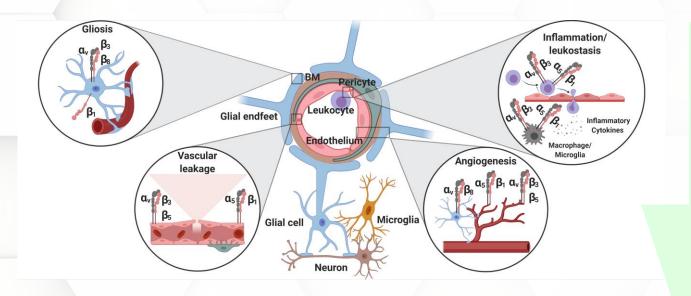
### **THR-687**

Pan-RGD integrin antagonist with the potential to disrupt the entire anti-VEGF market



## THR-687: Selective RGD Integrin Antagonist

Small molecule targeting a broad spectrum of disease hallmarks of DR/DME, nAMD and ME-RVO



- In the eye, integrins have been shown to play an important role in neovascularization, vascular permeability, inflammation, and gliosis
- By selectively antagonizing disease-related integrin receptors, THR-687 is expected to inhibit pathological processes at multiple points<sup>1</sup>



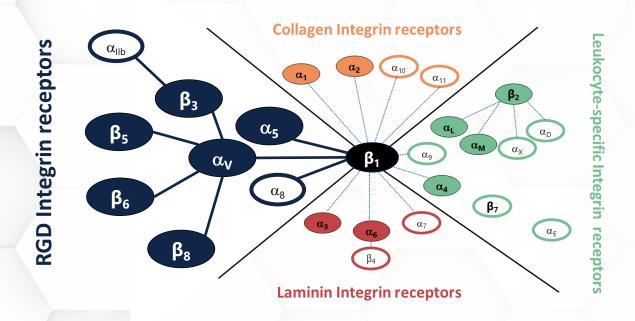
<sup>1</sup>Van Hove I et al. Targeting RGD-binding integrins as an integrative therapy for diabetic retinopathy and neovascular age-related macular degeneration. Prog Retin Eye Res 2021, 85: 100966.

Abbreviations: BCVA, best-corrected visual acuity; DME, diabetic macular edema; DR, diabetic retinopathy; ETDRS, Early Treatment of Diabetic Retinopathy Study; ME-RVO, macular edema following retinal vein occlusion; RGD, arginine-glycine-aspartate; VEGF, vascular endothelial growth factor; nAMD, neovascular age-related macular degeneration

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## THR-687: Highly Selective & Potent RGD-Integrin Antagonist

Strong binding to "efficacy" receptors and weak binding to potential "side effect" receptors



Integrin	Integrin Receptor Class	THR-687
		IC <sub>50</sub> ± SD (nM)
$\alpha_{v}\beta_{3}$	RGD binding	4.4 ± 2.7
$\alpha_{v}\beta_{5}$		1.3 ± 0.5
$\alpha_5 \beta_1$		6.8 ± 3.2
$\alpha_{v}\beta_{6}$		9.0 ± 5.3
$\alpha_{v}\beta_{8}$		1.5 ± 0.7
$\alpha_{v}\beta_{1}$		3.2 ± 1.3
$\alpha_{IIb}\beta_3^*$		2,000 ± 1,500*
$\alpha_4\beta_1$	Leukocyte-specific	3,800 ± 1,700
$\alpha_2^{\beta_1}$	Collagen binding	121,000 ± 25,000
$\alpha_3\beta_1$	Laminin binding	> 5,000,000

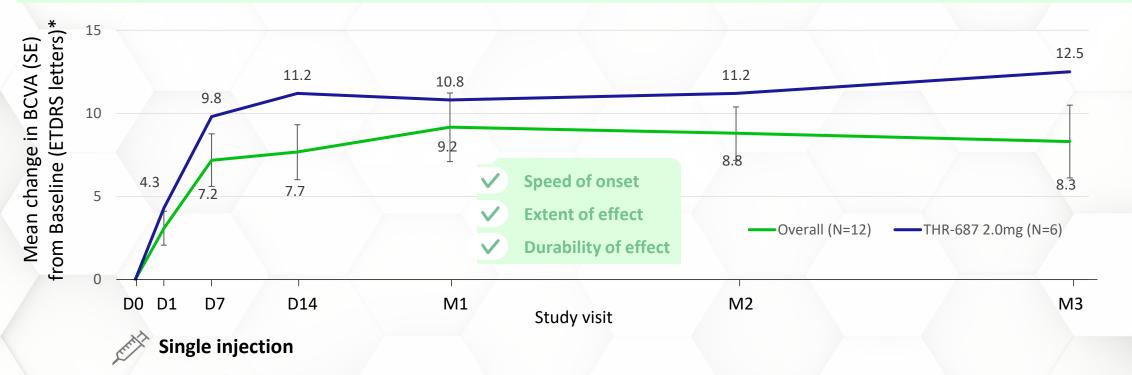


<sup>\*</sup> THR-687 did not affect platelet aggregation up to 100 μM (fibrinogen as inducer)
Abbreviation(s): IC50, half maximal inhibitory concentration; RGD, arginylglycylaspartic acid; SD, standard deviation Source(s): Hu TT et al. *Exp Eye Res* 2019;180:43-52

## THR-687 Phase 1 • Clinical Evidence (treatment experienced)

#### Safety and efficacy after a single injection of THR-687

- THR-687 was safe and well-tolerated | No dose limiting toxicities, no serious adverse events occurred in the study
- All treatment-related adverse events were unrelated to THR-687
- Three subjects received rescue medication; 1 in the middle dose group at M2 and 2 in the high dose group (one at M1 and one at M2)

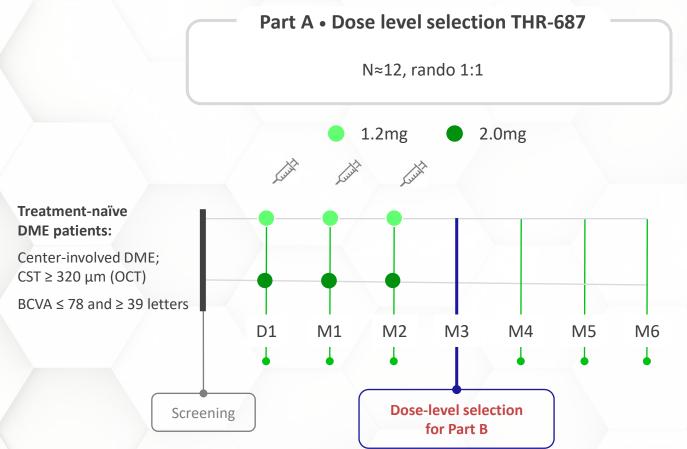


<sup>\*</sup>Accounted for rescue: value before rescue carried forward. Baseline defined as the day of the injection. SE is only presented for overall data (across dose levels)



## THR-687 Phase 2 Part A Clinical Trial in DME (treatment naïve)

Primary Endpoint was BCVA • Secondary Endpoints include CST, AEs



#### Phase 2 • Part A

- Dose selection for Part B
- First time multiple IVT of THR-687 in treatment naïve DME patients
- Confirmation of safety multiple IVT THR-687: safe & well-tolerated
- Stacking of efficacy signal (early onset, high effect, durability of effect)
- Confirming proof of concept



## Mean Change in BCVA from Baseline<sup>a</sup>

### Per protocol set



Program is currently paused due to a lack of capital; the next line of investigation would be multiple IVTs in pre-treated or treatment experienced patients



## **The Oxurion Opportunity**

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### **Oxurion Investment Thesis**

#### An attractive business model, relatively de-risked

#### **Attractive value creation opportunity**

- Limited competition in THR-149 MoA (first-in-class potential)
- Large addressable market
- THR-149 only novel 2<sup>nd</sup>-line DME therapy
- Already developed market
- Chronic disease high value per patient
- Market trends (diabetes & ageing)
- High net margin business
- Capital efficient outsourced supply chain

#### Relatively de-risked

- Validated MoA
- Regulatory endpoints well established
- No safety signals in any clinical study
- Manufacturing; numerous quality CDMOs
- Modality (peptide)
- Payor friendly therapeutic area



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