



Corporate Overview

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Advancing a Potential Best-/First-In-Class Antibody Product for Early Alzheimer's disease (Early AD)



Alzheimer's Represents an Enormous Market Driven by High Unmet Need and Recent Scientific and Regulatory Momentum



Scientific Consensus Supports Amyloid-Beta Oligomers (A β O_s) as the Most toxic form of A β and a Novel Target for Effective AD Treatment



ACU193: First, Clinical-Stage Monoclonal Antibody (mAb) to Selectively Target A β O_s and has Promising Pre-Clinical Evidence Supporting its Differentiation



Experienced Leadership
Comprised of Industry Leaders with AD Drug Discovery, Development, and Regulatory Expertise from **Eli Lilly & Co.**



Strong Balance Sheet:
~\$225M in cash at 12/31/21
July 2021 IPO
~\$184M Gross
RA Capital
Deep Track
Sands Capital
PBM Capital
BlackRock



Phase 1 Clinical Trial in Early AD Patients Ongoing
Proof of Mechanism / Target Engagement / Safety Data
Topline Results Expected 1H 2023

We believe Acumen has the organizational expertise and fiscal resources to advance ACU193 through multiple anticipated clinical development milestones during 2022 through 2025

AD is One of the World's Largest Unmet Medical Needs

DISEASE OVERVIEW

- AD is a progressive, uniformly fatal neurodegenerative disorder and is the most common form of dementia
- Memory loss is a significant symptom of early AD
- In advanced stages of the disease, complications from severe loss of brain function — such as dehydration, malnutrition or infection — result in death

DISEASE BURDEN

- AD affects >6M people in the United States and >32M people worldwide
- AD is the sixth leading cause of death in the US
- Patients suffering in the later stages of AD require nearly full-time care, resulting in a significant societal and economic burden.
- The direct cost of caring for individuals with AD and other dementias in the United States were expected to total \$355 billion in 2021

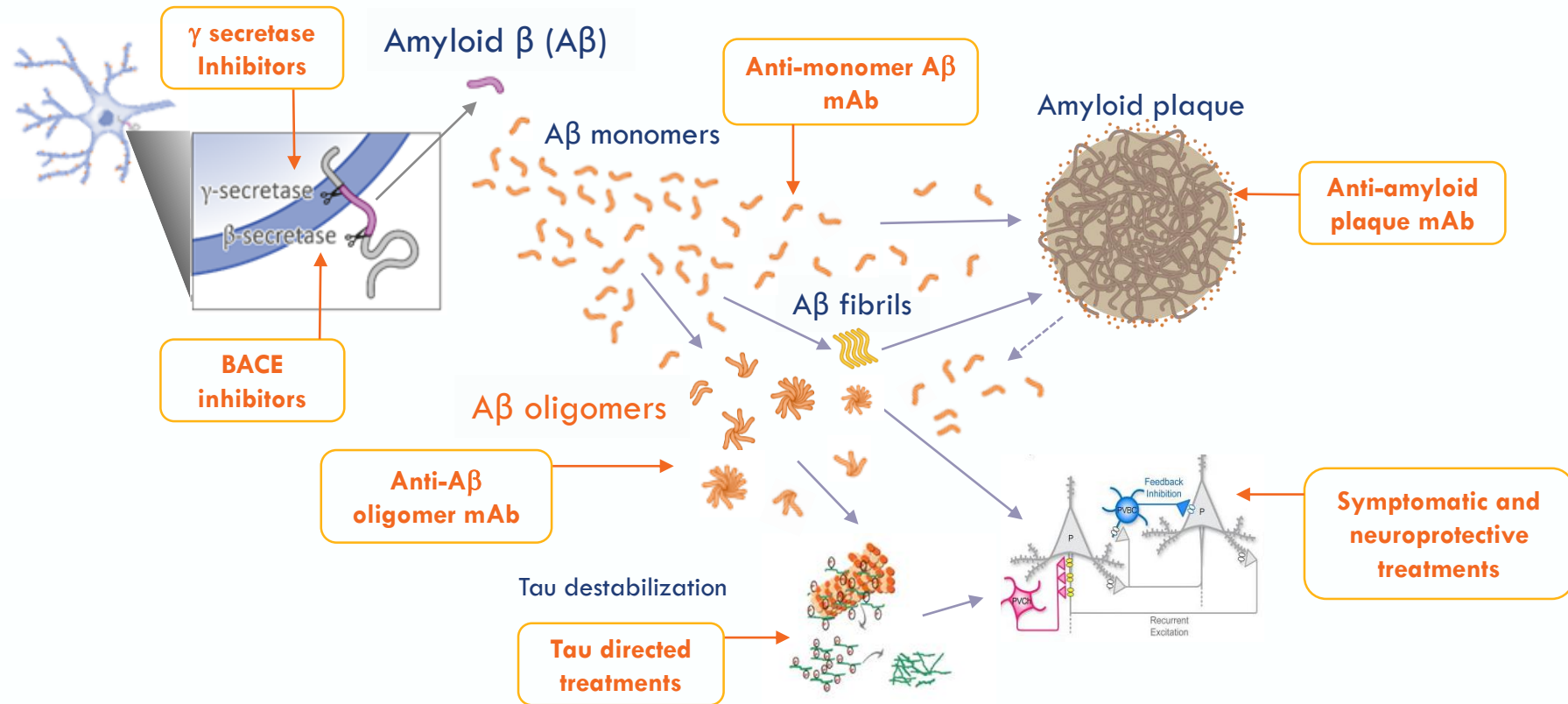
UNMET NEEDS

- Treatment options include cholinesterase inhibitors and an NMDA receptor antagonist, aimed to reduce symptomatic burden, which have modest benefit along with supportive care
- FDA approved Aduhelm™ using the accelerated access pathway based on a surrogate endpoint; Controversy over risk-benefit and CMS' CED reimbursement decision led to challenges culminating in Biogen's recent decision to terminate commercial support for the drug.

Alzheimer's Pathophysiology

Build-up of amyloid-beta ($A\beta$) is believed to lead to neurodegeneration and dementia

Previous and current anti-amyloid and related drug targets have attempted to intervene

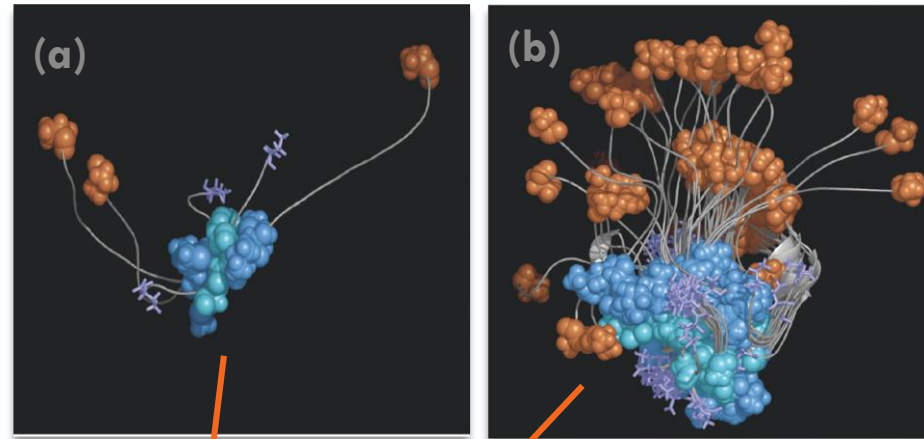


Emerging data indicate that soluble amyloid β oligomers ($A\beta$ Os) are the most toxic species and should be preferentially targeted for removal

What is an A β Oligomer?

A β O may consist of 2 to >200 A β peptides.

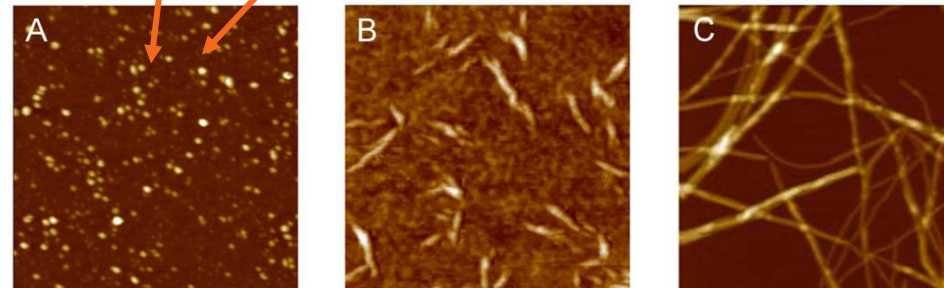
Figure 1. A β O composed of 3 (a) and 18 (b) A β peptides are depicted below.



Sources: Kelley et al. J Chem Physics 2008.

Quaternary structures of A β oligomers, protofibrils and fibrils

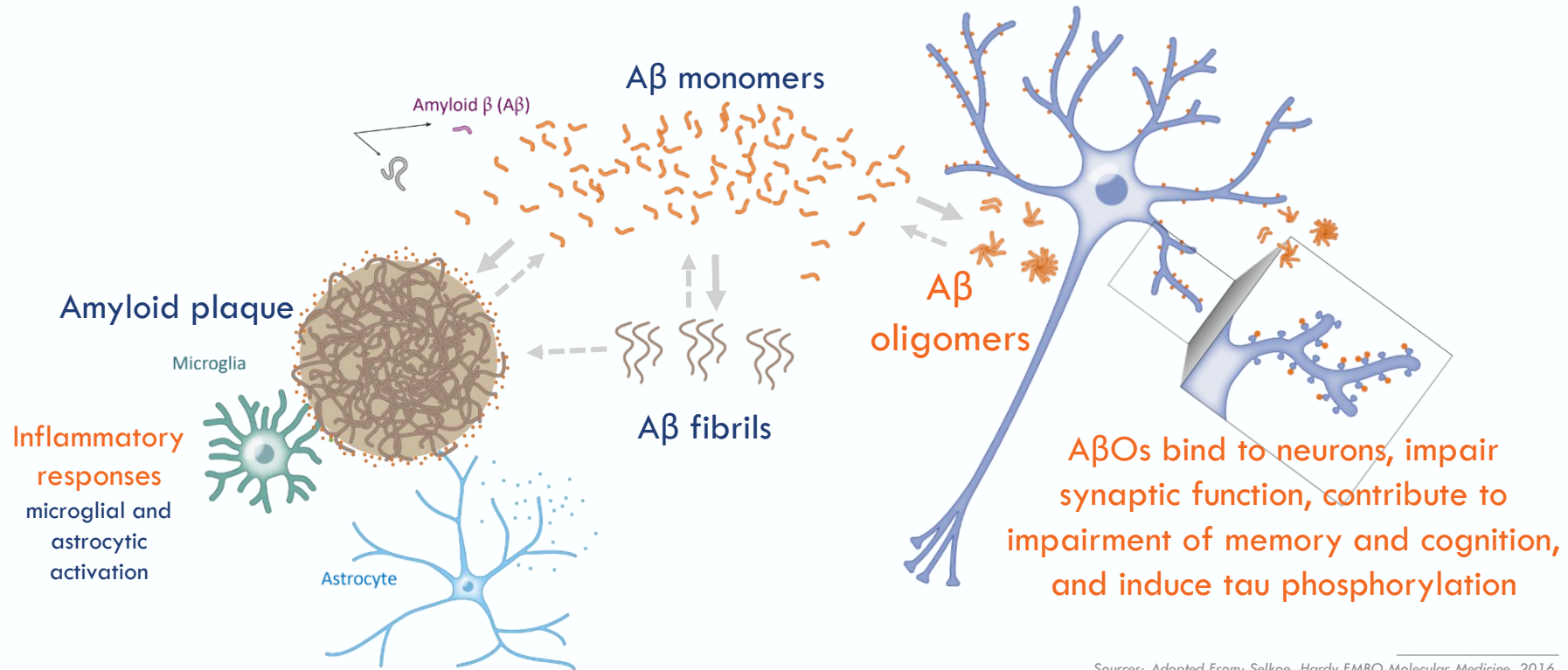
Figure 2. Atomic force microscopy images of representative steps of amyloid aggregation: (A) oligomers; (B) protofibrils; (C) mature fibrils. Scan size 1.0 μ m. Z range (A) 8.0 nm; (B) 15 nm; (C) 20 nm.



Source: Relini et al. Biomolecules 2014

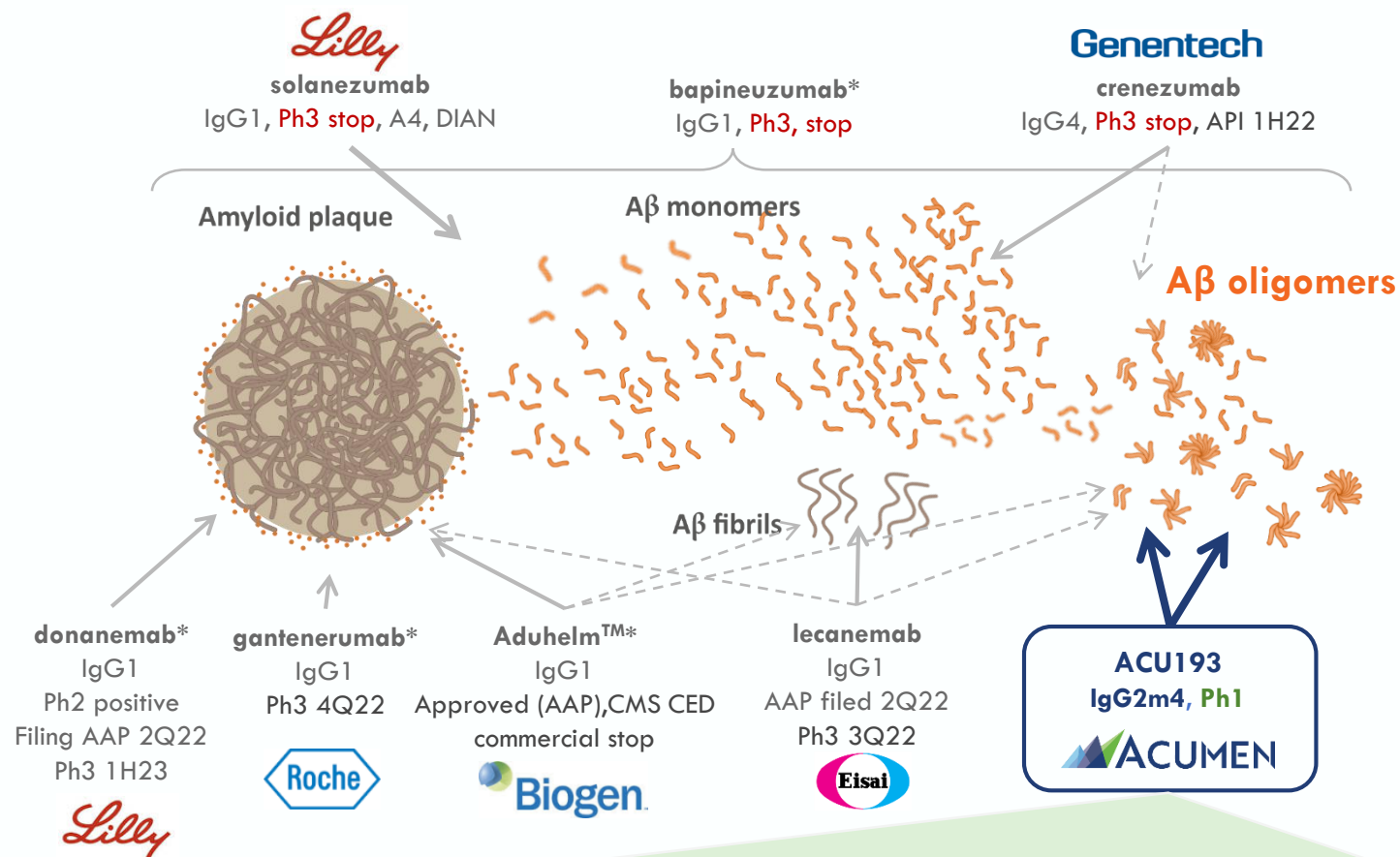
Scientific Consensus Supports Anti-A β O Hypothesis

Growing understanding of disease mechanisms indicate that A β O_s are the most toxic A β species and have the potential to be an ideal target for effective AD therapy



The only approved antibody product for AD preferentially targets amyloid plaques with only limited effects on A β O_s.
Acumen's drug candidate ACU193 targets A β O_s.

ACU193 Positioning Relative to Late-stage and Approved Anti-A β /plaque mAbs



ACU193's high selectivity for A β O_s combined with an expected lack of ARIA-related safety concerns is anticipated to provide superior cognitive efficacy compared to anti-plaque mAbs

* IgG1 monoclonal antibodies that bind amyloid plaque are associated with high rates of ARIA-E

ACU193's High Selectivity for toxic A β O₂s, Combined with its Expected Lack of ARIA-related Safety Concerns, Is Anticipated to Provide Superior Efficacy Compared to Peers

Company	Asset	TARGET SELECTIVITY ⁺				SAFETY PROFILE
		Amyloid plaque	A β fibrils	A β monomers	A β oligomers	Lack of ARIA
 ACUMEN	ACU193	✗	untested	✗	✓	✓
 Biogen	Aduhelm™	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗
 Eisai	Iecanemab	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗
 Roche	gantenerumab	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗
 Lilly	donanemab	✓	untested	✗	✗	✗
 Lilly	solanezumab*	✗	✗	✓	✗	✓
Genentech	crenezumab*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
 Pfizer Janssen	bapineuzumab*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗

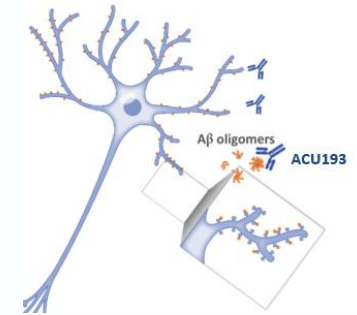
+ There have been no head-to-head trials between any of the product candidates listed above. Study designs and protocols for each product candidate were different, and results may not be comparable between product candidates.

*Phase 3 discontinued for primary AD indication

ACU193: Our differentiated approach

Target Product Profile: ACU193 Best-in-Class, 1st line, anti-A β O, Disease-modifying Immunotherapy for Early AD

DRUG:	<p>ACU193 is a humanized, affinity-matured, mAb with high selectivity for toxic AβO vs. Aβ monomers (>500x) and amyloid plaques.</p> <p>ACU193 is an IgG2m4 subclass mAb which lacks inflammatory effector functions of other IgG subclasses.</p>
POPULATION:	Early AD - Mild Cognitive Impairment and Mild Dementia due to AD (amyloid positive by PET)
DOSING:	IV infusion every 4 weeks
DURATION:	Chronic therapy for duration of Early AD
VALUE PROPOSITION:	<p>Selectivity for toxic AβO is expected to provide superior cognitive efficacy and improved safety and tolerability relative to non-selective anti-Aβ/plaque mAbs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Slow decline of memory and cognition in Early AD• Decrease AβO induced synaptic and neuronal network toxicity• Slow disease progression and downstream effects on tau, neurodegeneration, and neuro-inflammation• Low rate of ARIA expected• Effective as stand-alone therapy or potentially in combination with other symptomatic, anti-inflammatory, and/or tau directed therapies



ACU193: Extensive Data Package Supporting Development

SELECTIVITY

- Nanomolar affinity for A β O $_2$ s, >500-fold greater selectivity for A β O $_2$ s over A β monomer, with limited or no discernable binding to vascular amyloid or dense core amyloid plaques
- Binds broad range of endogenous A β O $_2$ s present in transgenic mice and human AD samples (binds dimers to mid-sized molecular weight A β O $_2$ s)

PHARMACOLOGY

- Dose-dependent effects in multiple in vitro neuroprotection assays
- Positive memory and behavioral effects in multiple in vivo transgenic mouse models for AD

PK/PD

- Brain penetration and biodistribution demonstrated in multiple species
- Performs like other peripherally administered CNS mAbs

SAFETY

- IgG2m4 subclass lacks inflammatory effector function signaling (C1q, Fc γ R1, Fc γ RIII)
- Microhemorrhage studies show no increased risk of microhemorrhage
- GLP studies demonstrated acceptable safety margin for clinical dosing plans

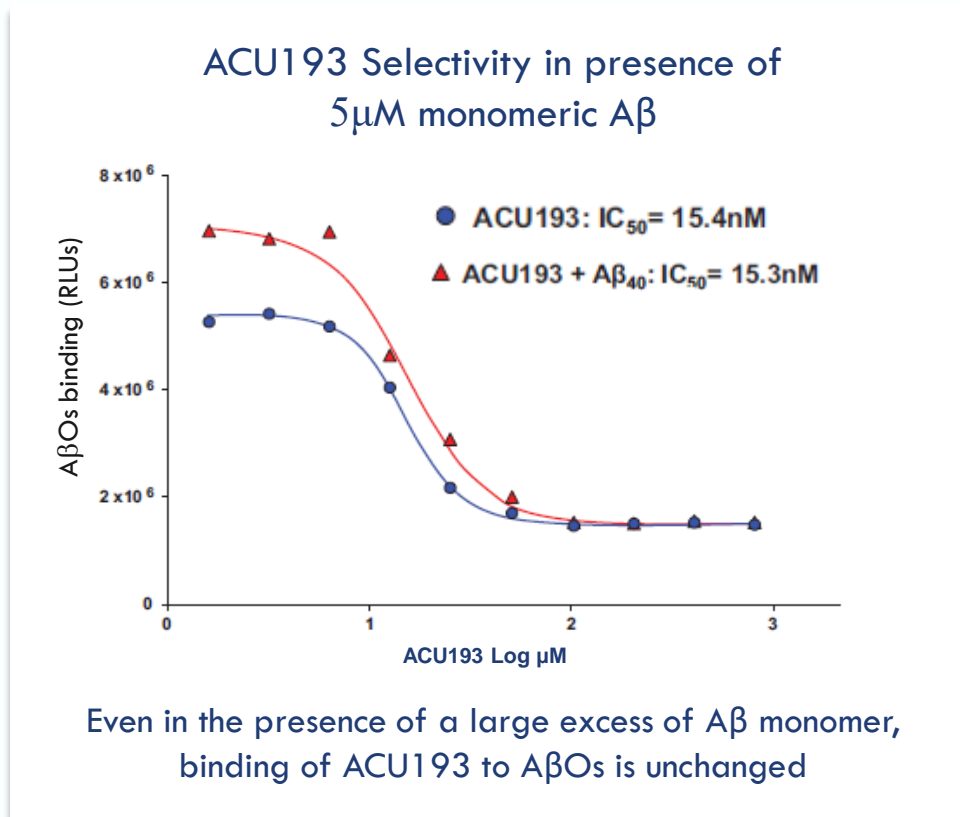
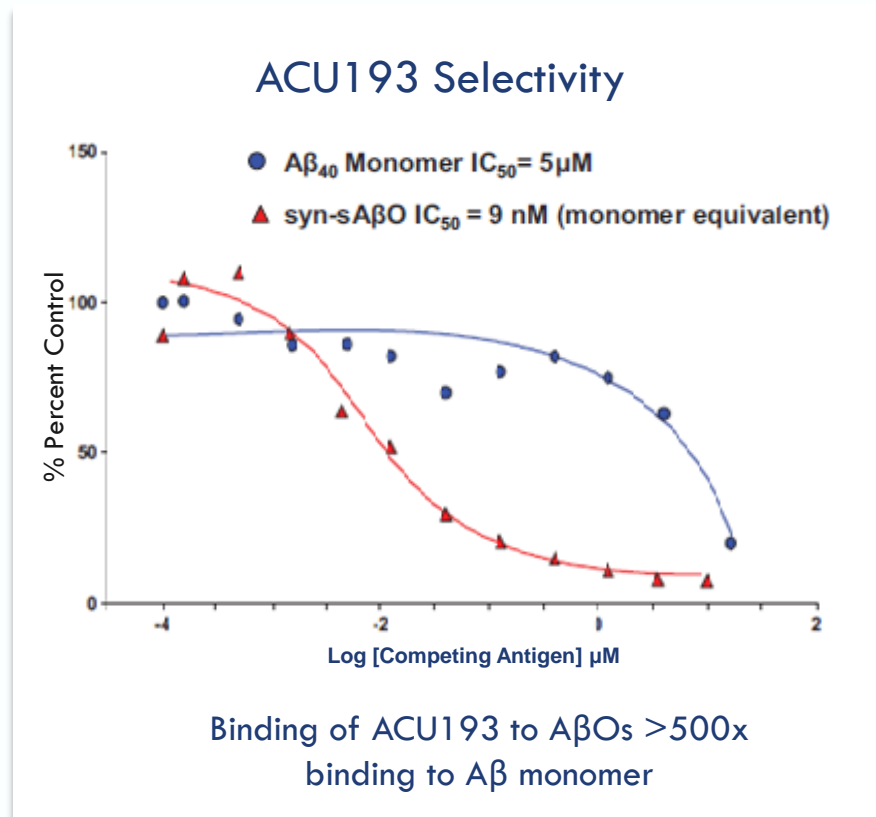
REGULATORY

- Active IND
- Phase 1 ongoing

ACU193 is a promising immunotherapy for Early AD expected to provide meaningful cognitive and functional benefits, slow disease progression, and offer an attractive safety profile

ACU193 is the First mAb Developed to Selectively Target A β O_s

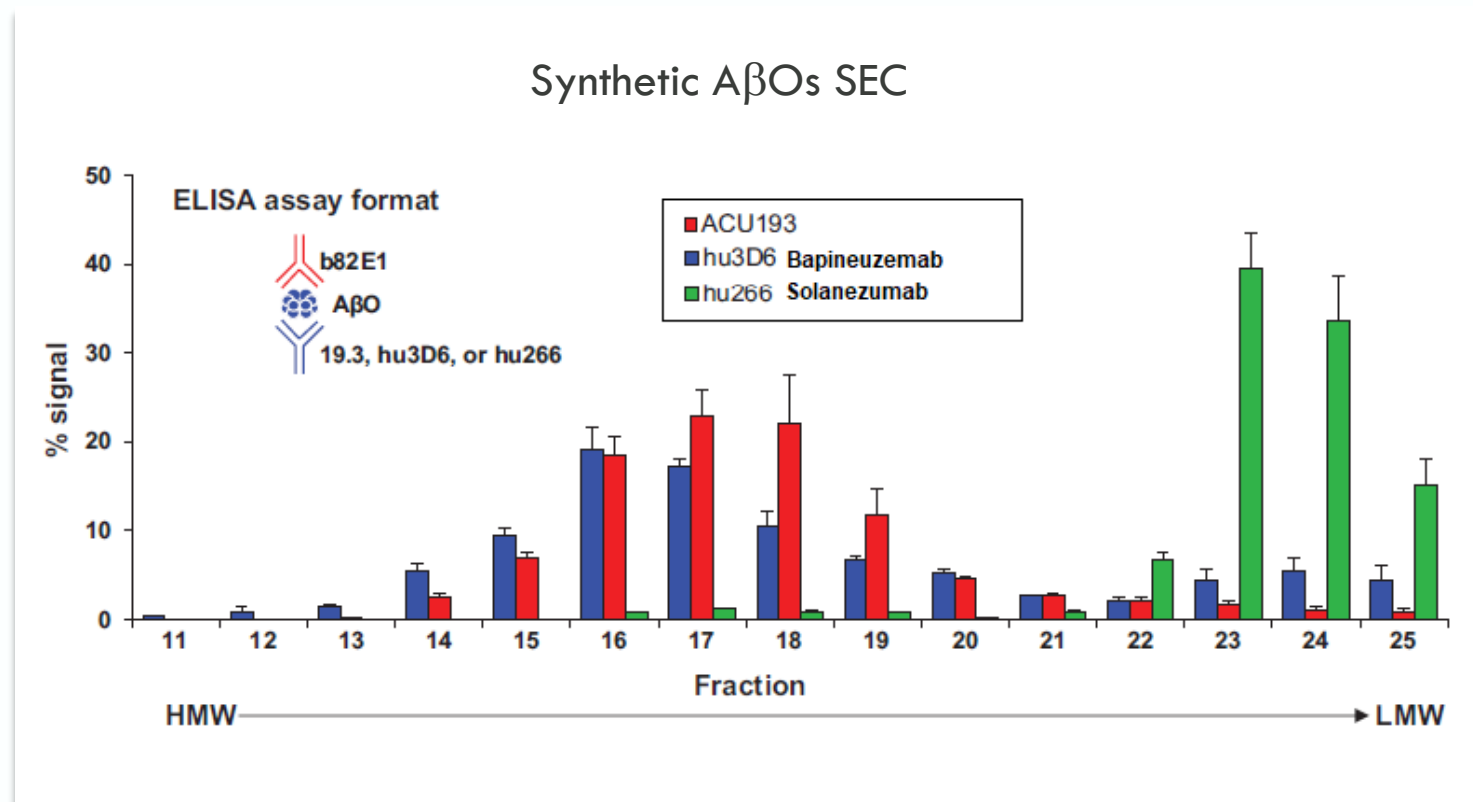
Highly selective for A β oligomers versus A β monomers



ACU193 selective binding to A β O_s is preserved even in the presence of a large excess of A β monomer which is present in brain – limited target distraction

ACU193 has a greater preference for A β O than other mAbs

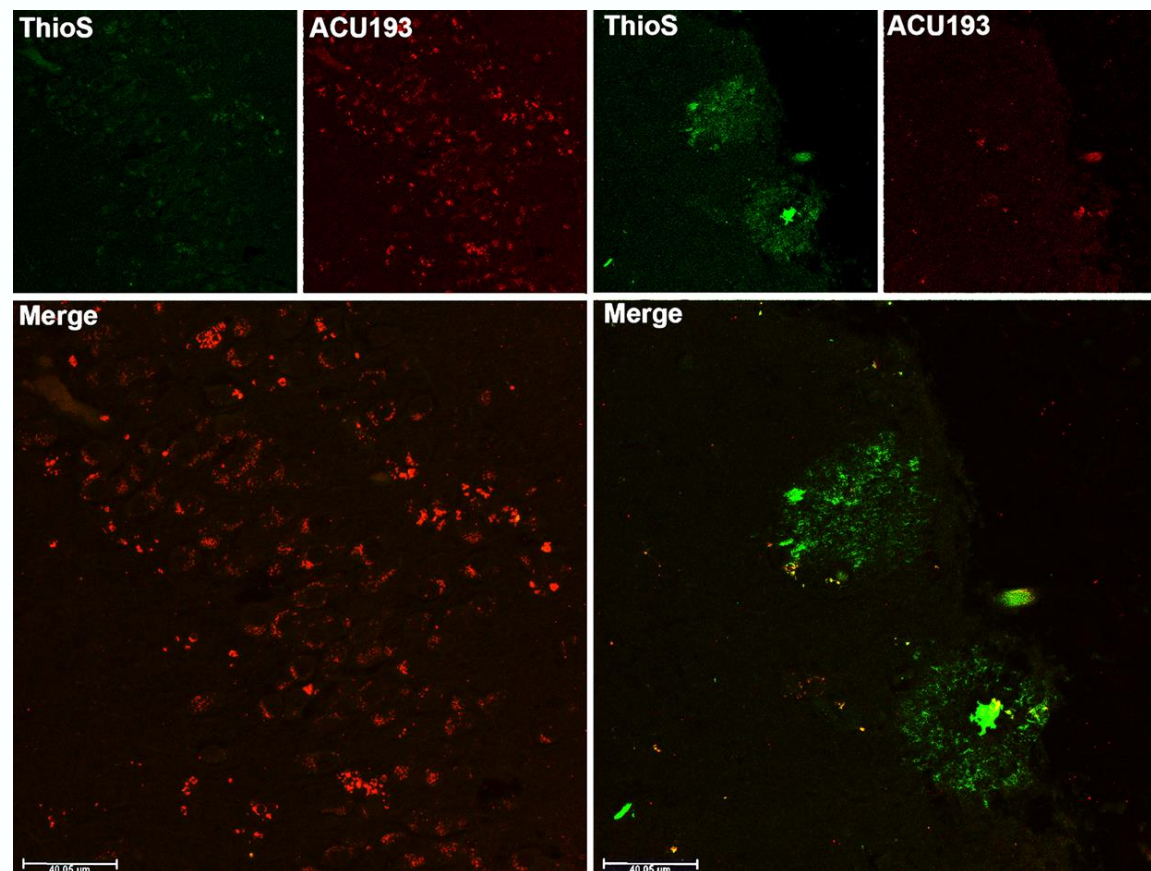
Comparison of A β species-mAb complex signals across SEC fractions



ACU193 binds to a wide range of oligomeric species of A β that are differentiated from those bound by hu266 (solanezumab) or hu3D6 (bapineuzumab)

ACU193 is highly selective for A β O_s versus A β plaques

ACU193 staining in human AD brain slices ACU193 (red) binds non-Thioflavin S positive A β (green)

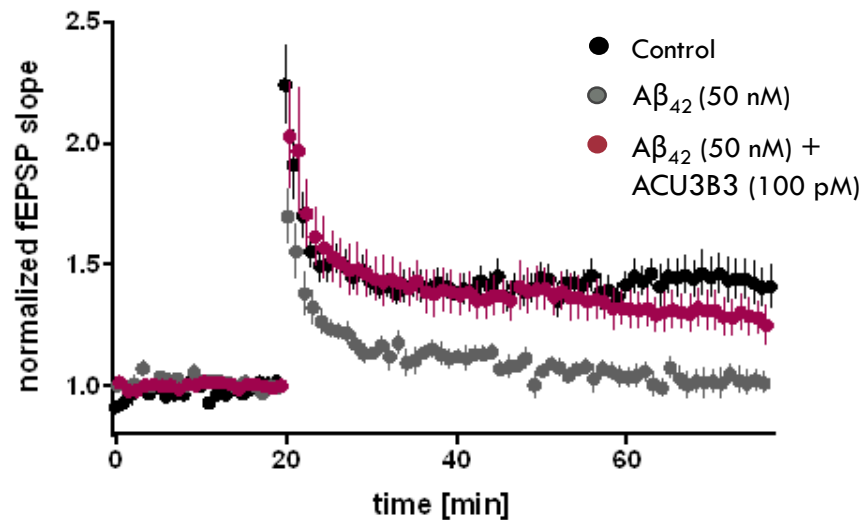


ACU193 has little or no binding to thioflavin S positive fibrillar A β plaque in human AD brain tissue

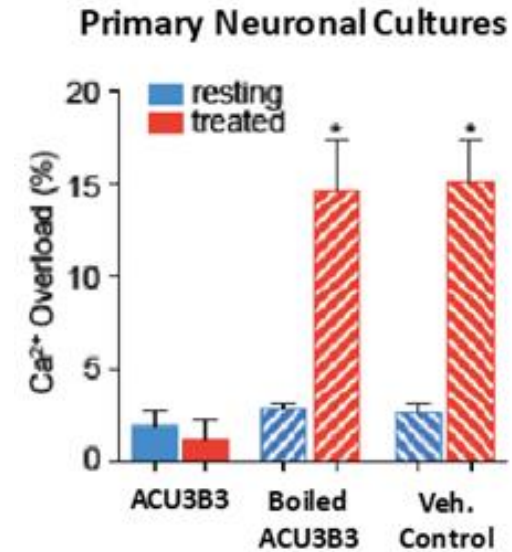
A β O_s Bind to Neurons and are Toxic; mouse analogue of ACU193 prevents toxicity

After binding to neurons, A β O_s disrupt Long Term Potentiation (LTP) and cause pathologic increases in intracellular calcium that is destructive to cells.

ACU3B3 prevents A β O inhibition of hippocampal LTP ex vivo



ACU3B3 prevents A β O mediated Ca²⁺ elevation in cell cultures

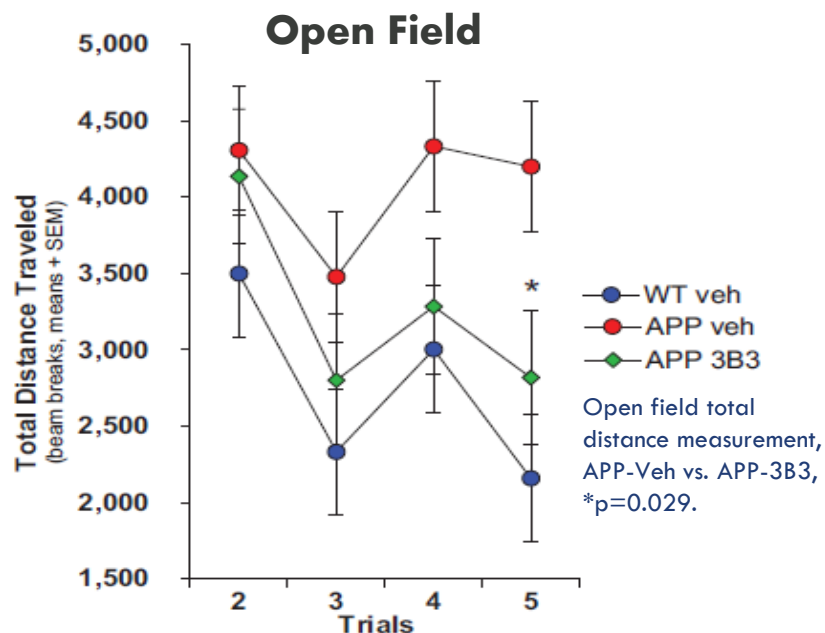


Note: (1) ACU3B3 is the mouse monoclonal antibody precursor to and equivalent of humanized ACU193

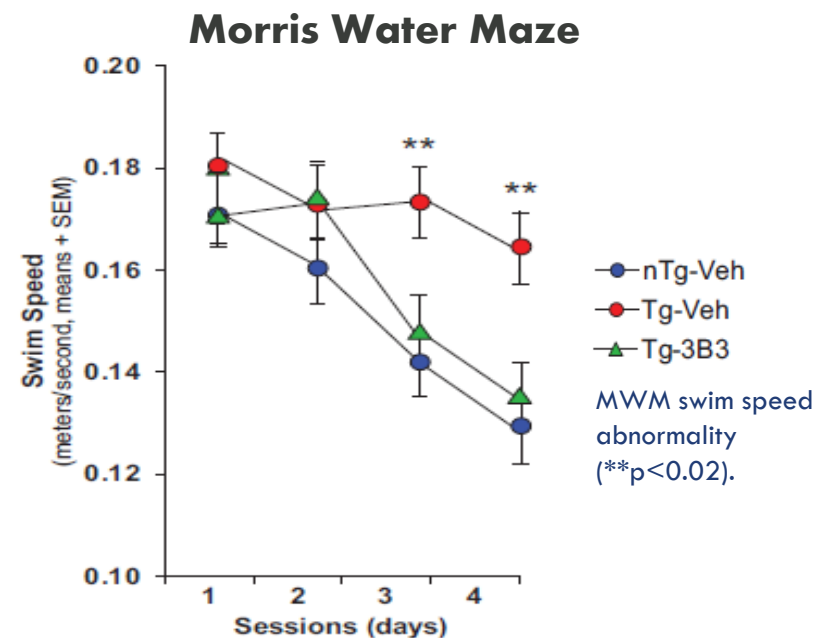
ACU3B3 prevents changes in aberrant neuronal activity underlying memory loss in AD and prevents A β O mediated disruption of calcium homeostasis in neuronal cultures

Treatment of a Transgenic Mouse Model of AD results in Behavioral Improvements

Murine parent version of ACU193 (ACU3B3) was used to treat younger mice with depositing plaque or older mice with abundant plaque

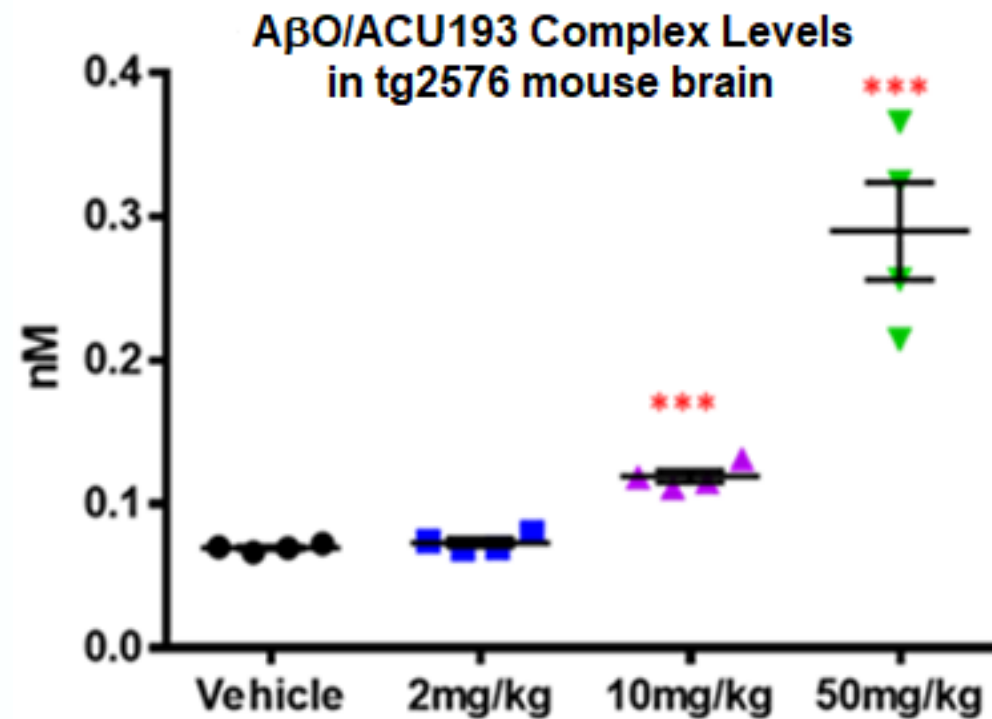


Deficits in younger (5-7 months) transgenic mice are markedly reduced with treatment



Deficits in older (9-10 months) transgenic mice are markedly reduced with treatment

ACU193 Enters the CNS and Binds to A β O in Transgenic Mice in Dose Dependent Manner



ACU193 engages target A β O in transgenic mouse brain (tg2576) in dose dependent manner. Ability to push doses higher in patient clinical trials may provide increased target coverage.

Clinical Development Plans

(ACU-001) INTERCEPT-AD trial: Phase 1 Overview

TRIAL DESIGN:

Randomized Placebo Controlled Phase 1

- Part A : Single-Ascending Doses
 - Part B : Multiple-Ascending Doses
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ENROLLMENT CRITERIA:

Early AD

- Mild Cognitive Impairment and Mild Dementia due to AD (amyloid positive by PET)
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TRIAL OBJECTIVES:

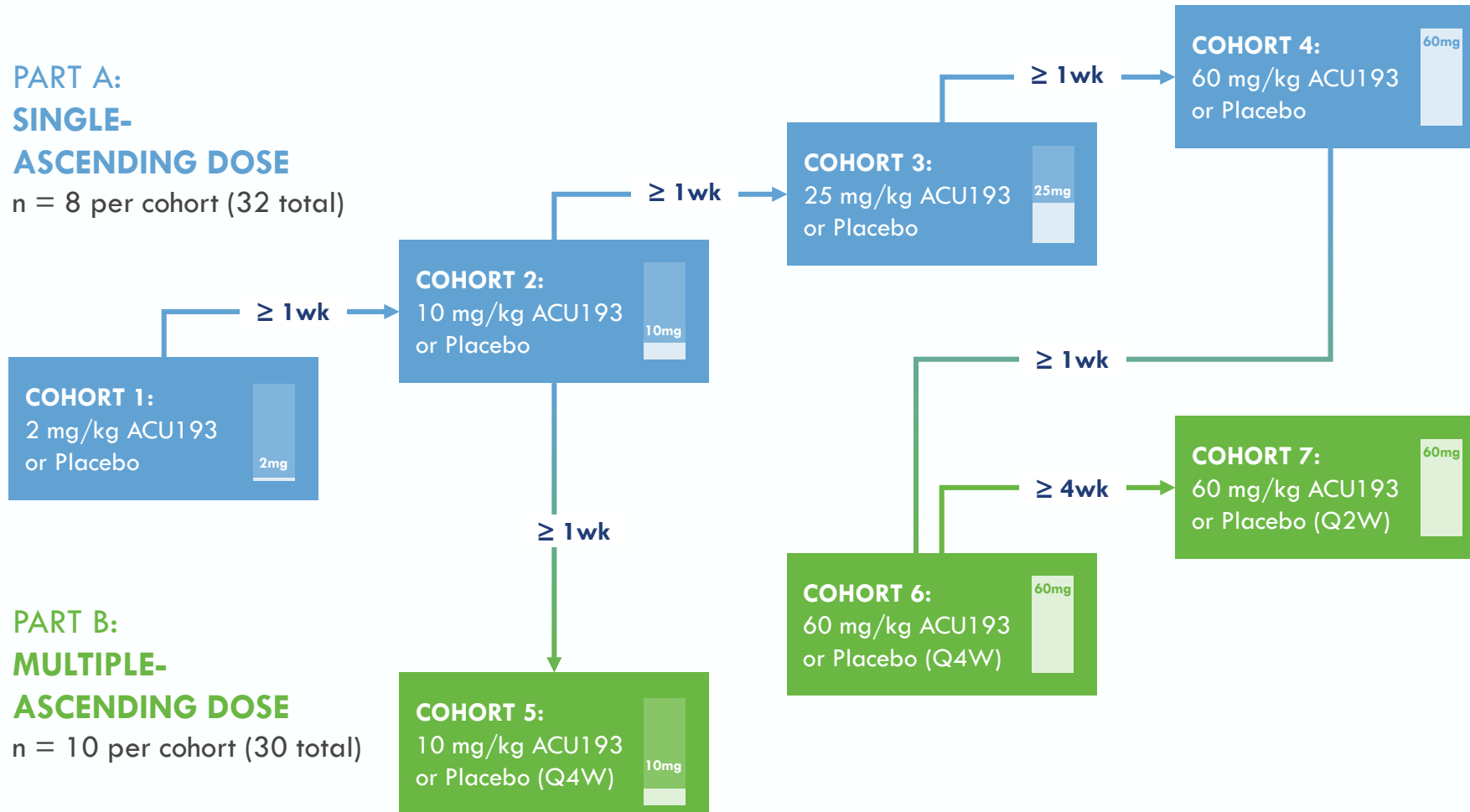
Proof of Mechanism (PoM)

- Safety and tolerability
 - Pharmacokinetics
 - Target Engagement
 - Biomarkers; cognition
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INTERCEPT-AD a Randomized Placebo Controlled Phase 1 in Early AD patients

PART A: SINGLE- ASCENDING DOSE

n = 8 per cohort (32 total)



PART B: MULTIPLE- ASCENDING DOSE

n = 10 per cohort (30 total)

Phase 1 Objectives: Proof of Mechanism –Ability to move to Phase 2/3

1. SAFETY AND TOLERABILITY

- Assessment of ARIA-E
- Absence of problematic immunogenicity

2. PHARMACOKINETICS

- Peripheral and Central

3. EVIDENCE OF TARGET ENGAGEMENT

- CSF level of ACU193:A β O complexes (bound)

4. FLUID BIOMARKER EFFECTS

- Phospho-tau, Neurofilament light, et. al.

5. CLINICAL MEASURES

- Assessment of clinical cognitive measures, computerized tests (Cogstate Ltd.)

6. MRI EFFECTS

- Potential improvements in cerebral blood flow shown with MRI ASL pulse sequence



PROOF OF MECHANISM

Requirements for Phase 2/3

- ✓ Acceptable safety and tolerability
- ✓ Show ACU193 gets into central compartment
- ✓ Target engagement
- ✓ Other indicators of target mechanism of action

Topline Results anticipated in 1H 2023: primary outcomes Safety / ARIA-E, PK and Target Engagement. Detailed study results anticipated to be presented at major Alzheimer's meeting

Business Considerations

Experienced in AD/neuro drug development

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Acumen team has decades of experience in Alzheimer's drug discovery and development

Experienced in AD Drug Development

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ACU193 IP & Market Exclusivity

- Exclusive, perpetual, worldwide, royalty-free license from Merck to all Merck Amyloid Derived Diffusible Ligand (ADDL) IP including, issued ACU193 patents
- ACU193 Global IP estate:
 - ✓ Issued patents in 19 countries
 - ✓ Composition of matter patents and methods of use run into July 2031
 - ✓ Patent term extensions available, 3-5 years depending on jurisdiction
- Biologics market exclusivity is expected for ACU193 as a novel biologic drug
 - ✓ FDA currently provides 12 years market exclusivity for novel biologics
 - ✓ EMEA provides 10 years of market exclusivity for novel biologics

Acumen is Well Capitalized, with Expected Cash Runway through 2025 to Achieve Multiple Anticipated Clinical Milestones

MILESTONES	STATUS/EXPECTED TIMING
Initiated Ph1 clinical trial INTERCEPT-AD	✓
INTERCEPT-AD Trial updates	2022
Proof of Mechanism Topline Results	1H 2023

~\$225M

Cash and marketable securities as of
December 31, 2021

We believe Acumen has the organizational expertise and cash and marketable securities on hand to advance ACU193 through multiple anticipated clinical milestones 2022 through 2025

ABOS: Key Take aways



Massive unmet need in AD



Upcoming sector catalysts 2H22



Differentiated Product Candidate



Experienced team



Blue chip investors, Very strong balance sheet and cash runway



Value-inflection clinical data 1H2023

Thank you!