

## **Theravance Biopharma and Mylan Present Additional YUPELRI<sup>®</sup> (revefenacin) Phase 3 Data Analysis at the 2019 ATS International Conference**

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### **Post-Hoc Analysis Highlights the Potential Role of YUPELRI in the COPD Treatment Paradigm Additional Analyses Demonstrate Commitment to Further Scientific Understanding of COPD**

DUBLIN and HERTFORDSHIRE, England and PITTSBURGH, May 20, 2019 /PRNewswire/ -- Theravance Biopharma, Inc. (NASDAQ: TBPH) ("Theravance Biopharma") and [Mylan N.V.](#) (NASDAQ: MYL) ("Mylan") today announced the presentation of data from its pivotal Phase 3 efficacy studies and a 52-week safety study at the 2019 American Thoracic Society (ATS) International Conference in Dallas, Texas.



YUPELRI<sup>®</sup> (revefenacin) inhalation solution, a long-acting muscarinic antagonist (LAMA), is the first and only once-daily, nebulized bronchodilator approved for the maintenance treatment of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) in the U.S.

#### Safety and Efficacy in Concomitant LABA or ICS/LABA Treatment COPD Patient Subgroup

Researchers presented a subgroup analysis of data from the revefenacin Phase 3 program of patients treated concurrently with long-acting beta agonists (LABA) either with or without inhaled corticosteroids (ICS). A prespecified subgroup analysis was conducted on pooled data from two 12-week replicate placebo-controlled trials (n=812). Separately, exploratory endpoint data from a 52-week randomized, tiotropium-controlled safety trial were analyzed (n=670). Overall, an average of 43% of patients across the three studies were using concurrent LABA or LABA/ICS combination therapy. This subgroup had more severe disease at baseline. The results suggest the use of YUPELRI with LABA or ICS/LABA may provide additional COPD symptom control particularly in patients with more severe disease, though additional studies are needed to confirm any such benefit. In the analysis of the pooled data (studies 126 and 127), the once daily nebulized treatment with revefenacin produced greater improvements from baseline compared with placebo (p <0.0001) in day 85 trough FEV<sub>1</sub> among the non-LABA and LABA subgroups. Additionally, a clinically significant improvement of an approximately 100-mL increase in trough FEV<sub>1</sub> was sustained for 12 weeks for those treated with revefenacin in both the LABA and non-LABA subgroups.

YUPELRI is a long-term maintenance therapy and should not be initiated in patients during acutely deteriorating or potentially life-threatening episodes of COPD, use with caution in patients with narrow-angle glaucoma, and worsening of urinary retention may occur. The most common adverse events in clinical trials included cough, nasopharyngitis, upper respiratory infection, headache and back pain.

"These findings add to the growing body of evidence that YUPELRI may offer meaningful benefits to a broad range of COPD patients, including those with more severe disease," said Sanjay Sethi, M.D., professor and chief of pulmonary, critical care and sleep medicine at the University of Buffalo's Jacobs School of Medicine & Biomedical Sciences and lead author of the study. "As these COPD patients often require combination treatment with both a LAMA and a LABA to manage their disease, these data provide additional information for healthcare providers to consider when treating their COPD patients."

Brett Haumann, M.D., chief medical officer at Theravance Biopharma commented, "These analyses provide further information regarding YUPELRI, which may be relevant to the treatment of patients with COPD, including those on the severe end of the disease spectrum. We believe this provides additional valuable information on the benefits that YUPELRI can offer to patients, particularly for those battling more severe COPD."

Walt Owens, Mylan's head of global biologics and respiratory science and operations, commented, "These data demonstrate our ongoing commitment to address important unmet needs for patients living with COPD through scientific advancement following FDA approval of YUPELRI. We are very pleased with the continued YUPELRI clinical development program and are excited to have the opportunity to highlight these findings at ATS."

The companies also presented the following two posters at ATS that add to the scientific understanding and potential clinical significance of peak inspiratory flow rate (PIFR) measurements in patients with COPD:

#### Technical Peak Inspiratory Flow Rate (PIFR) Measurement

PIFR may be an important measurement in deciding whether COPD patients are able to gain full benefit from their handheld inhalers or whether they would be better suited to treatment with a nebulized product. Researchers proposed a method for measuring PIFR in clinical trials that optimizes the repeatability of the measurements and also defines a model to characterize the relationship between PIFR measured using different resistances – the resistance in the DISKUS<sup>®</sup> device compared with the resistance in the HandiHaler<sup>®</sup> device. Based on an analysis of data from COPD patients with suboptimal PIFR, researchers suggest that at least three measures of PIFR using the In-Check DIAL device are taken until the two highest measurements meet the repeatability limit for the resistance used (10 L/min against PIFR<sub>D</sub> and 5 L/min against PIFR<sub>HH</sub>). Researchers propose using the resistance of the dry powder inhaler (DPI) that the patient is using for treatment at the time when measuring PIFR.

## Suboptimal PIFR Associated with Greater Dyspnea

Baseline PIFR to DISKUS<sup>®</sup> resistance (PIFR<sub>D</sub>) and severity of dyspnea – the medical term for shortness of breath – were analyzed from two clinical studies. Researchers found that patients with suboptimal PIFR<sub>D</sub> (<60 L/min) had more severe dyspnea than patients with similar obstruction and optimal PIFR<sub>D</sub> (≥60 L/min). According to the researchers, the differences in dyspnea observed may represent the effect of inspiratory limitation seen in those with suboptimal PIFR<sub>D</sub> on their respiratory muscle function, lung hyperinflation or air trapping.

YUPELRI was approved in November 2018 based on data from two replicate pivotal Phase 3 efficacy studies which demonstrated statistically significant and clinically meaningful improvements as compared to placebo in trough FEV<sub>1</sub> and in overall treatment effect on trough FEV<sub>1</sub> (OTE FEV<sub>1</sub>) after 12 weeks of dosing.<sup>1</sup> YUPELRI had comparable rates of AEs to placebo, low rates of serious adverse events (SAEs), and no clinically meaningful differences in blood parameters or electrocardiogram (ECG) data, across all treatment groups (active and placebo). YUPELRI should not be used in acutely deteriorating COPD or to treat acute symptoms. YUPELRI use should be discontinued if paradoxical bronchospasm occurs. As previously reported, the most commonly reported adverse events, across both trials and across all treatment groups, were cough, nasopharyngitis, upper respiratory tract infection, headache, and back pain. Additionally, the companies completed a 12-month Phase 3 open-label safety study versus tiotropium in which no new safety issues were identified. Rates of AEs and SAEs in the study were low and comparable to those seen in the tiotropium treatment arm.

Theravance Biopharma and its affiliates have partnered with Mylan and its affiliates on the development and commercialization of nebulized revefenacin products for COPD and other respiratory diseases. YUPELRI is a once-daily, nebulized bronchodilator for the treatment of patients with COPD and is compatible with any standard jet nebulizer.

### ***About Theravance Biopharma and Mylan Strategic Collaboration***

Theravance Biopharma and Mylan N.V. and their respective affiliates have established a strategic collaboration to develop and commercialize nebulized revefenacin products for COPD and other respiratory diseases. Under the terms of the agreement, Theravance Biopharma is leading the U.S. development program for the revefenacin inhalation solution product, with all costs related to the registrational program reimbursed by Mylan up until the approval of the first new drug application, after which costs will be shared. Mylan is responsible for ex-U.S. development and commercialization. Theravance Biopharma is eligible to receive up to \$220 million in development and sales milestone payments, as well as a profit-sharing arrangement with Mylan on U.S. sales and double-digit royalties on ex-U.S. sales. Additionally, Theravance Biopharma retains worldwide rights to revefenacin delivered through other dosage forms, such as a metered dose inhaler or dry powder inhaler (MDI/DPI), and the rights to nebulized revefenacin in China.

### ***About COPD***

COPD is a growing and devastating disease that is the third leading cause of death in the U.S.<sup>2</sup> Nearly 15.7 million Americans (6.4%) report that they have been diagnosed with COPD and more are believed to be undiagnosed.<sup>3</sup> There were more than 700,000 hospital discharges related to COPD in the U.S. reported in 2010. The costs of managing COPD in the U.S. were estimated to be nearly \$50 billion in 2010, including \$29.5 billion in direct healthcare expenditures, \$8 billion in indirect morbidity costs and \$12.4 billion in indirect mortality costs.<sup>3</sup>

### ***About YUPELRI***

YUPELRI<sup>®</sup> (revefenacin) inhalation solution is a once-daily nebulized LAMA approved for the maintenance treatment of COPD in the U.S. Market research by Theravance Biopharma indicates approximately 9% of the treated COPD patients in the U.S. use nebulizers for ongoing maintenance therapy.<sup>4</sup> LAMAs are a cornerstone of maintenance therapy for COPD and YUPELRI is positioned as a first-in-class once-daily single-agent bronchodilator product for COPD patients who require, or prefer, nebulized therapy. YUPELRI's stability in both metered dose inhaler and dry powder device formulations suggest that this LAMA could also serve as a foundation for novel handheld combination products.

### **Important Safety Information**

YUPELRI is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to revefenacin or any component of this product.

YUPELRI should not be initiated in patients during acutely deteriorating or potentially life-threatening episodes of COPD, or for the relief of acute symptoms, i.e., as rescue therapy for the treatment of acute episodes of bronchospasm. Acute symptoms should be treated with an inhaled short-acting beta<sub>2</sub>-agonist.

As with other inhaled medicines, YUPELRI can produce paradoxical bronchospasm that may be life-threatening. If paradoxical bronchospasm occurs following dosing with YUPELRI, it should be treated immediately with an inhaled, short-acting bronchodilator. YUPELRI should be discontinued immediately and alternative therapy should be instituted.

YUPELRI should be used with caution in patients with narrow-angle glaucoma. Patients should be instructed to immediately consult their healthcare provider if they develop any signs and symptoms of acute narrow-angle glaucoma, including eye pain or discomfort, blurred vision, visual halos or colored images in association with red eyes from conjunctival congestion and corneal edema.

Worsening of urinary retention may occur. Use with caution in patients with prostatic hyperplasia or bladder-neck obstruction and instruct patients to contact a healthcare provider immediately if symptoms occur.

Immediate hypersensitivity reactions may occur after administration of YUPELRI. If a reaction occurs, YUPELRI should be stopped at once and alternative treatments considered.

The most common adverse reactions occurring in clinical trials at an incidence greater than or equal to 2% in the YUPELRI group, and higher than placebo, included cough, nasopharyngitis, upper respiratory infection, headache and back pain.

Coadministration of anticholinergic medicines or OATP1B1 and OATP1B3 inhibitors with YUPELRI is not recommended.

YUPELRI is not recommended in patients with any degree of hepatic impairment.

**Please see the [full Prescribing Information](#).**

For additional information please contact us at [800-395-3376](tel:800-395-3376).

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### **About Theravance Biopharma**

Theravance Biopharma, Inc. ("Theravance Biopharma") is a diversified biopharmaceutical company primarily focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of organ-selective medicines. Our purpose is to create transformational medicines to improve the lives of patients suffering from serious illnesses. Our research is focused in the areas of inflammation and immunology.

In pursuit of our purpose, we apply insights and innovation at each stage of our business and utilize our internal capabilities and those of partners around the world. We apply organ-selective expertise to biologically compelling targets to discover and develop medicines designed to treat underserved localized diseases and to limit systemic exposure, in order to maximize patient benefit and minimize risk. These efforts leverage years of experience in developing lung-selective medicines to treat respiratory disease, including FDA-approved YUPELRITM (revedfenacin) inhalation solution indicated for the maintenance treatment of patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). Our pipeline of internally discovered programs is targeted to address significant patient needs.

We have an economic interest in potential future payments from Glaxo Group or one of its affiliates (GSK) pursuant to its agreements with Innoviva, Inc. relating to certain programs, including TRELEGY ELLIPTA.

For more information, please visit [www.theravance.com](http://www.theravance.com).

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