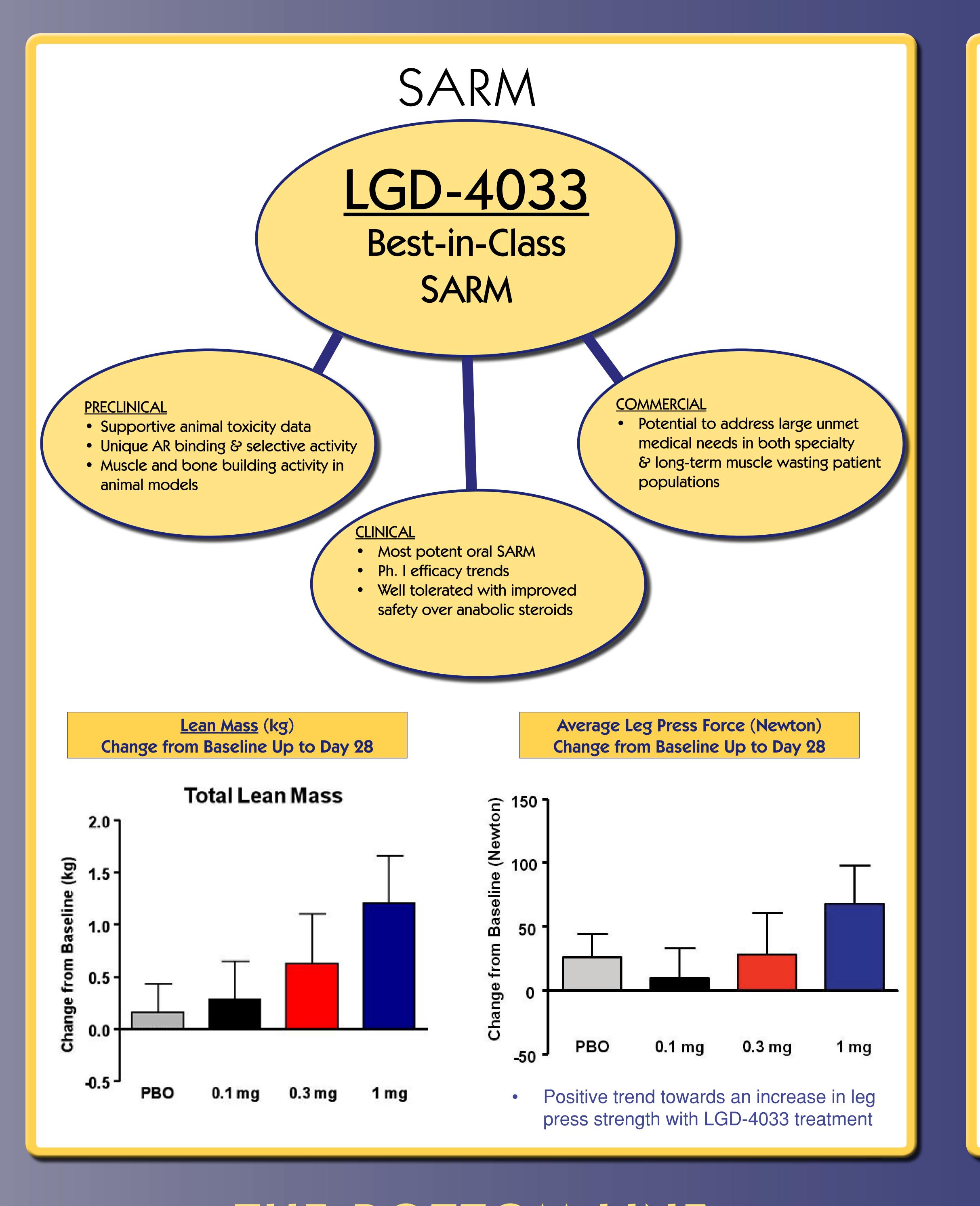


# PROPRIETARY ASSET PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS

# PIMOTAL

### CAPTISOL-ENABLED, PG FREE, MELPHALAN >50,000 PATIENTS IN THE U.S. SUFFER FROM MULTIPLE MARKET MELPHALAN (ALKERAN) EXISTING INJECTABLE THERAPY ALKERAN IS CURRENTLY PACKAGED AS TWO SEPARATE VIALS THAT MUST BE COMBINED PRIOR TO USE AND THEN USED WITHIN 60 MIN OF RECONSTITUTION PRODUCT ADVANTAGES PROPYLENE GLYCOL-FREE MELPHALAN FOR INJECTION WILL BE A ONE-VIAL FORMULATION PROJECTED TO HAVE 24 HR USE TIME AFTER MIXING WITH SALINE ORPHAN DRUG DESIGNATION RECEIVED DEVELOPMENT PATENT APPLICATION FILED MAY 2009 IND FILED, CLINICAL STUDIES INITIATED IN 2010 STATUS PROJECTED 505(B)(2) NDA FILING MID 2013 ADDRESSES \$80+ MM MARKET FINANCIAL MARKETING EXCLUSIVITY FOR 7 YEARS POST APPROVAL OPPORTUNITY PDUFA FEE WAIVER (ORPHAN DESIGNATION) Phase II Filing Mid-2013 Initiation of Pivotal

# PHASE II READY



# PRECLINICAL

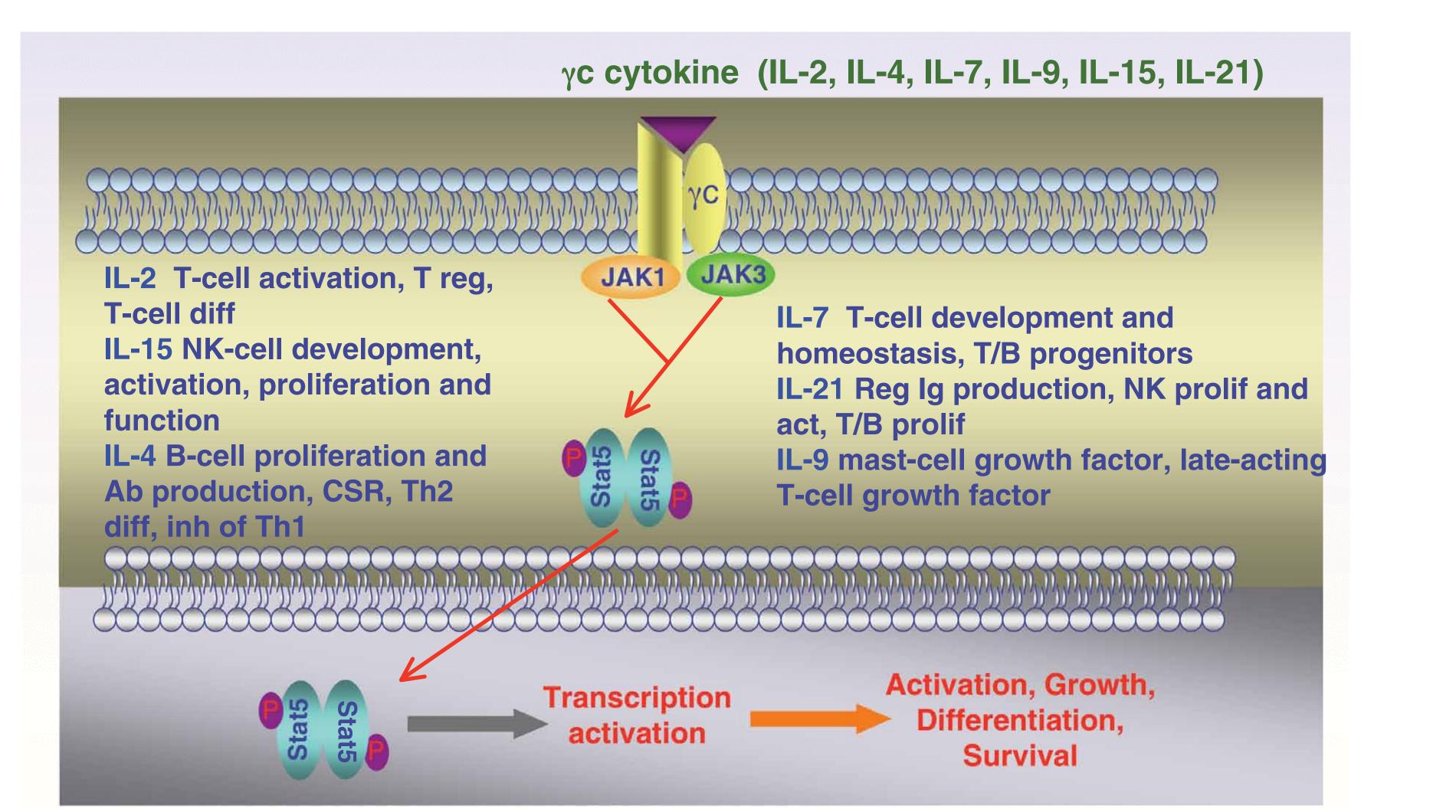
## TOPICAL JAK3

#### TARGET PROFILE

- Small-molecule inhibitors of Janus kinase 3 (JAK3) for the topical or ocular treatment or prevention of skin and eye diseases
- Specific inhibition of JAK3, which is selectively expressed in immune cells, should provide a lower potential for dose-limiting toxicity than currently available immunosuppressive drugs

#### JAK3 PROGRAM STATUS

- Ligand retains rights to certain JAK3 compounds developed during an alliance with Wyeth/Pfizer for use in the treatment or prevention of skin and eye diseases
- Multiple compounds that are potent JAK3 inhibitors (IC50 range: 0.1 8 nM)
   Many with >10-fold selectivity vs JAK2 and other related kinases
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     Active in cell-based functional assays
  - Compounds identified that are effective systemically or topically in mouse models of JAK3 inhibition
  - No safety issues observed in preliminary studies (i.e. genotoxicity, CYP inhibition, hERG, photocytotoxicity, skin irritation)



# DIABETES PORTFOLIO

DISCOVERY



- NOVEL DIABETES MECHANISM OF ACTION
- CLINICAL POC DATA IN HAND



- NOVEL DIABETES MECHANISM OF ACTION
- HEP-DIRECT DRIVEN LIVER TARGETING
  MINIMIZES SIDE-EFFECTS



- NOVEL DIABETES MECHANISM OF ACTION
- POTENTIAL FOR DUAL DIABETES/OBESITY ACTIVITY



- NOVEL DIABETES MECHANISM OF ACTION
- LIGAND TISSUE TARGETING TECHNOLOGY

### THE BOTTOM LINE

LIGAND'S MELPHALAN IV PROGRAM GIVES LIGAND
THE ABILITY TO OWN A PROGRAM THROUGH FDA
APPROVAL AND BEYOND WITH MODEST INVESTMENT

### THE BOTTOM LINE

LIGAND'S SARM PROGRAM OFFERS OPPORTUNITIES
FOR NEW REVENUE THROUGH POTENTIAL LICENSING

### THE BOTTOM LINE

THE TOPICAL JAK3 PROGRAM AT LIGAND OFFERS AN OPPORTUNITY TO ENTER THE EMERGING JAK INHIBITION MARKET THROUGH A PARTNERSHIP AND WITH A VERY SELECTIVE MOLECULE

### THE BOTTOM LINE

LIGAND'S PORTFOLIO OF DIABETES ASSETS GIVES US
THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENGAGE IN A BROAD
METABOLIC DISEASE COLLABORATION