



Strategic Partnering Opportunity

*Advancing High-value Cardiac Acute Critical Care
& Orphan Disease Drug Assets*

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Orphan Drug
Designations
(FDA)

>\$3B

Total Peak
Annual Revenue
Potential

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Company Overview & Strategy

Advancing late-stage portfolio with peak annual revenue potential in excess of \$3 billion while pursuing partnering opportunities for cardiac acute critical care franchise

Pillars of Cardiac Acute Critical Care Franchise

1 Pre-Operative Safety

Frunexian (IV)

Phase 2-ready

Factor XIa inhibitor for coronary artery bypass graft (CABG) surgery patients for whom heparin is contraindicated

Intended to replace volatile alternative anticoagulation protocols

Potential for Heparin-induced thrombocytopenia (HIT)-susceptible patients (orphan population)

2 Orphan Regulatory Acceleration

CAD-1005 (IV)

Phase 3-ready in HIT

12-LOX inhibitor with FDA Orphan Drug Designation (ODD) and EMA orphan status designed to target platelet hyperactivation and thrombotic risk in patients with post-operative HIT

Intended to support 7 years of post-approval market exclusivity, fee waivers & targeted tax credits

3 Post-Operative Shield

CAD-1005 (IV)

Indication expansion

CAD-1005 MOA potential secondary benefits include blocking the inflammatory 12-HETE cascade to reduce cardiac surgery-associated acute kidney injury (CSA-AKI)

As supported by clinical data presented at the 2026 ISTH congress regarding renal-protective profile

Program Advancement Priorities

- **CSA-AKI:** Execute Phase 2a planning and IND preparatory activities for CAD-1005 in CSA-AKI
- **Frunexian:** Application prepared for orphan drug designation
- **HIT:** Capitalize on ISTH 2026 data presentation on CAD-1005 Phase 2 study in HIT
- Fund ongoing patent prosecution and regulatory maintenance

Partnering Structure Opportunities

Co-Development
leveraging partner
R&D infrastructure

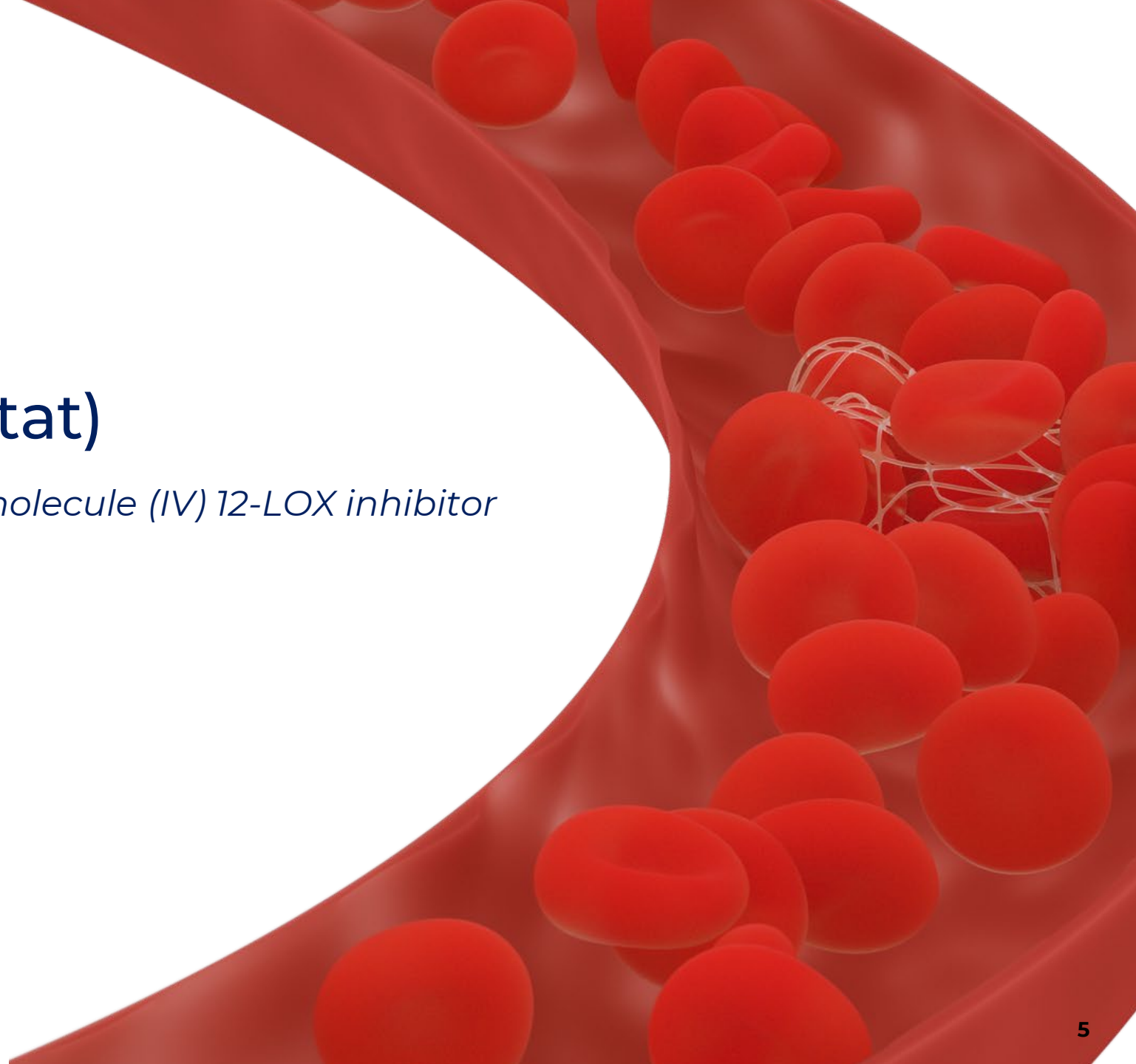
Commercial
for rare disease or
acute care ICU focus

Geographic
(global & regional)
licensing

Late-Stage Pipeline with Defined Regulatory Pathways

For strategic partners with acute care/ICU franchises or rare immunothrombotic conditions

Franchise	Candidate	MOA	Indication	Regulatory	Preclinical	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III
Acute Critical Care / ICU (IV admin.)	CAD-1005 (onvoloxastat)	12-LOX Inhibitor	HIT	- FDA Orphan Drug Designation (ODD) - EMA Orphan Drug Designation - FDA Fast Track Designation				
			CSA-AKI	Phase 2a Ready				
	Frunexian	Factor XIa Inhibitor	CABG	- Phase 2 ready - Orphan drug designation application ready				
Chronic Rare / Orphan Disease (Oral admin.)	Tecarfarin	Vitamin K Antagonist	ESKD+AFib	- FDA Orphan Drug Designation - FDA Fast Track Designation				
			LVAD	FDA Orphan Drug Designation				



CAD-1005 (onvoloxastat)

Highly-selective first-in-class, small-molecule (IV) 12-LOX inhibitor

CAD-1005 Overview

The only selective 12-LOX inhibitor in clinical trials with CSA-AKI and HIT as lead indications

What is 12-LOX and why is it important in HIT ?

- **12-LOX is an enzyme** primarily expressed in platelets that amplifies FcγRIIa-mediated platelet activation
- **In HIT, 12-LOX is a critical link** between platelet activation by heparin antibodies and clot formation
- **Inhibiting 12-LOX directly targets** the immune-driven platelet activation

CAD-1005 is a selective 12-LOX inhibitor developed with rigorous optimization and profiling.

Differentiation

CAD-1005 addresses the primary pathophysiology of HIT, unlike current drugs directed at preventing thrombotic complications in HIT.

Clinical Experience

Phase 1 (96 subjects)

- Well-tolerated in 96 subjects
- No signal for increased bleeding

Phase 2 (24 suspected HIT patients)

- >25% absolute reduction in thrombotic events vs placebo (although not powered for significance)
- Rate of platelet count recovery (primary endpoint) was not different between CAD-1005 and placebo

Regulatory Status

CSA-AKI

- Phase 2a ready

HIT

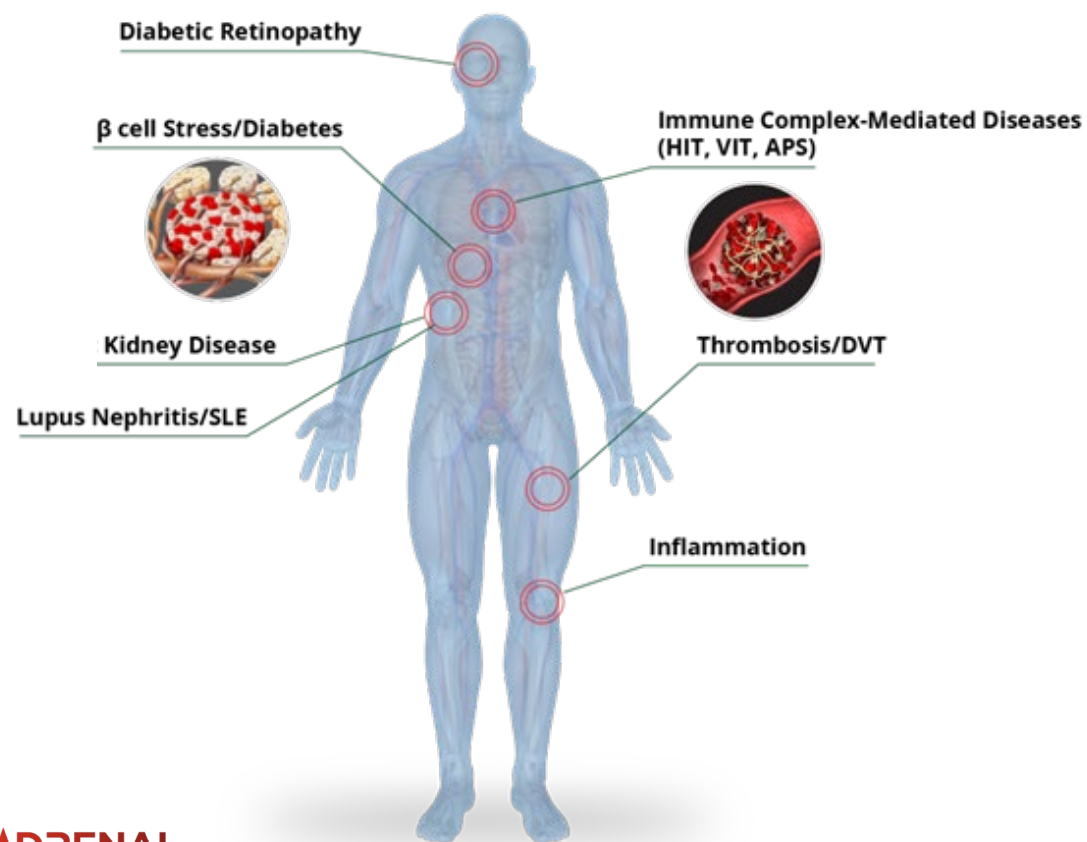
- Phase 3 ready
- Orphan Drug + Fast Track (FDA)
- Orphan status (EMA)

The 12-LOX Platform Opportunity

Potential for a robust pipeline that targets an immuno-inflammatory driver of life-threatening conditions and represents several billion-dollar markets

12-Lipoxygenase (12-LOX):

Key Enzyme in Immuno-Inflammatory Signaling



12-LOX is a key enzyme in immuno-inflammatory signaling that is predominantly expressed in platelets and becomes overexpressed in diseased tissue

Derived from the ALOX12 gene in humans, 12-LOX metabolizes arachidonic acid into pro-inflammatory lipid signaling molecules like 12-HpETE and 12-HETE

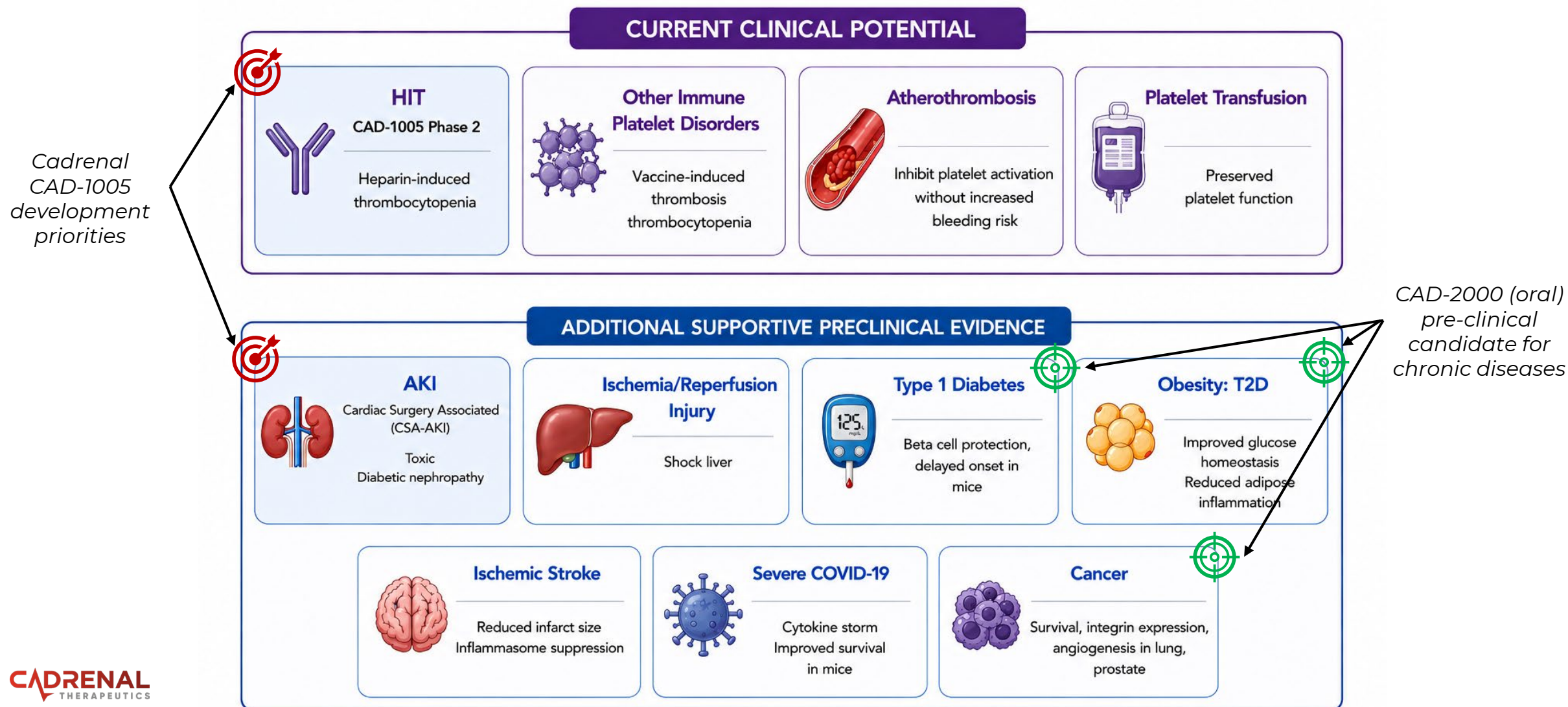
When overproduced, these molecules cause **excessive cellular stress, tissue inflammation, and cell death**

With **strong literature validation**, multiple disorders are driven or worsened by the overactivation of 12-LOX

12-LOX Pipeline: Development of proprietary IV and oral formulations provides opportunities in multiple billion-dollar indications

Potential Clinical Applications for Targeted 12-LOX Inhibition

Based on current 12-LOX clinical data and supportive preclinical evidence in the literature

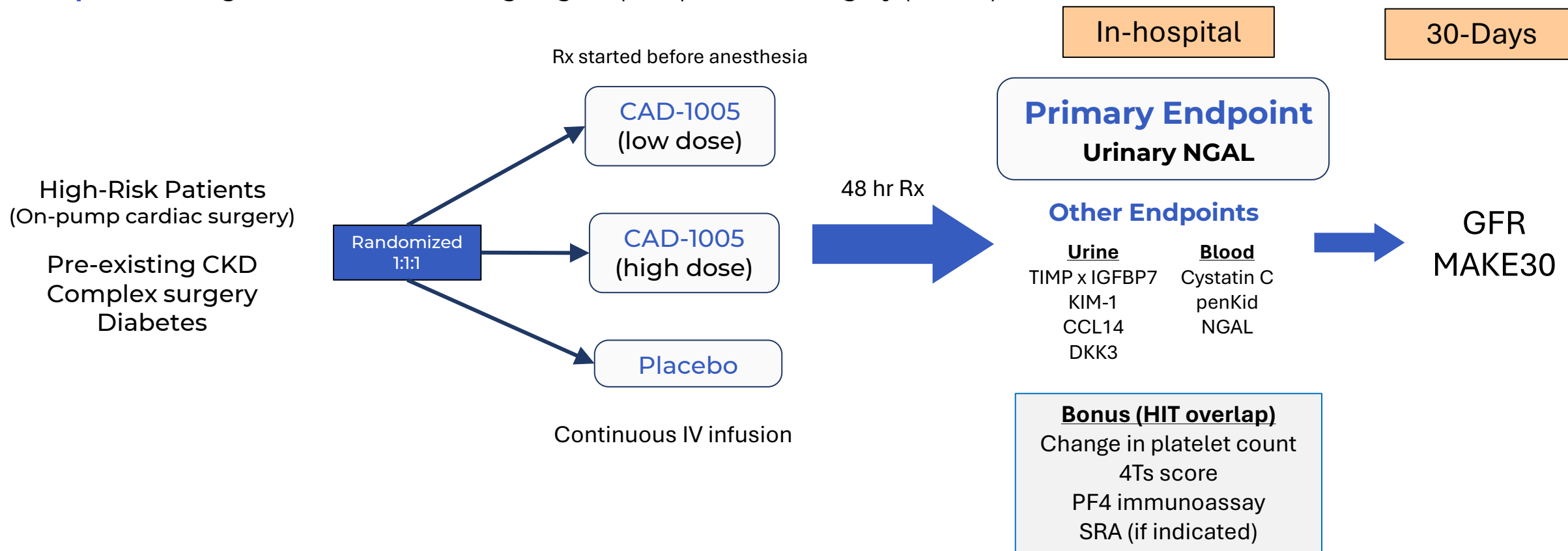


Phase 2 Proof-of-Concept Study

CAD-1005 in CSA-AKI (Cardiac Surgery-Associated Acute Kidney Injury)
PLUS additional data supporting validation of HIT indication

Design: Randomized, blinded, placebo-controlled, parallel group; 1:1:1 CAD-1005 (low-dose, high dose) vs. Placebo

Population: High-Risk Patients undergoing on-pump Cardiac Surgery (n ~ 90)

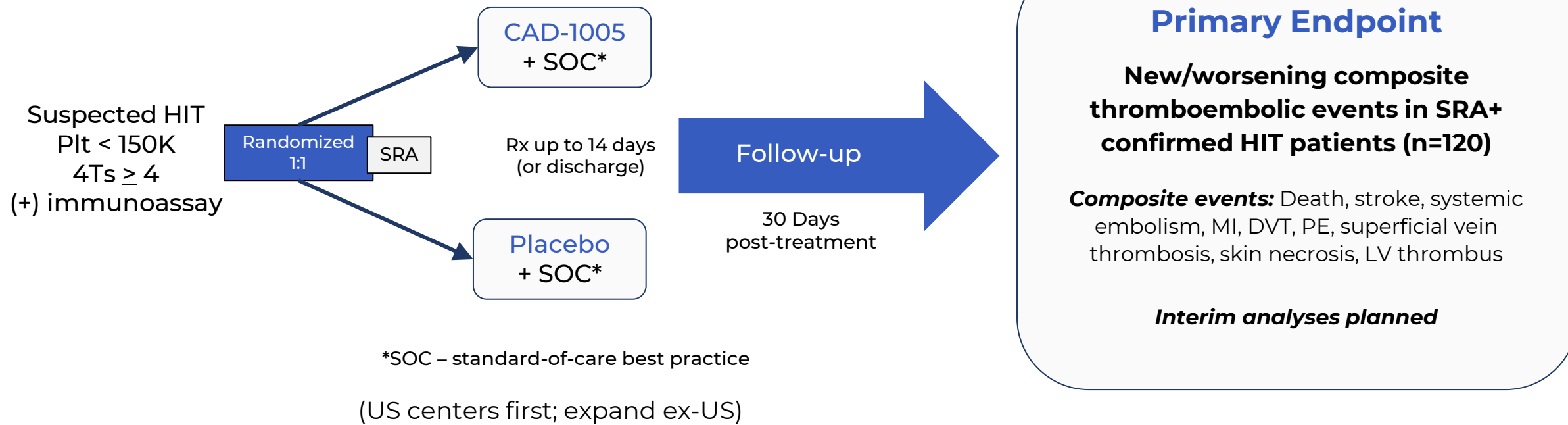


Planned Phase 3 Pivotal Study – CAD-1005 in HIT

Focus on clinically meaningful thrombotic events

Design: Randomized, blinded, placebo-controlled, parallel group; 1:1 CAD-1005 vs. Placebo: background SOC

Population: suspected HIT; enroll ~180 to yield ~120 Serotonin Release Assay (SRA+) for primary analysis



Timing: FPI in 2H27, 18-24 months duration

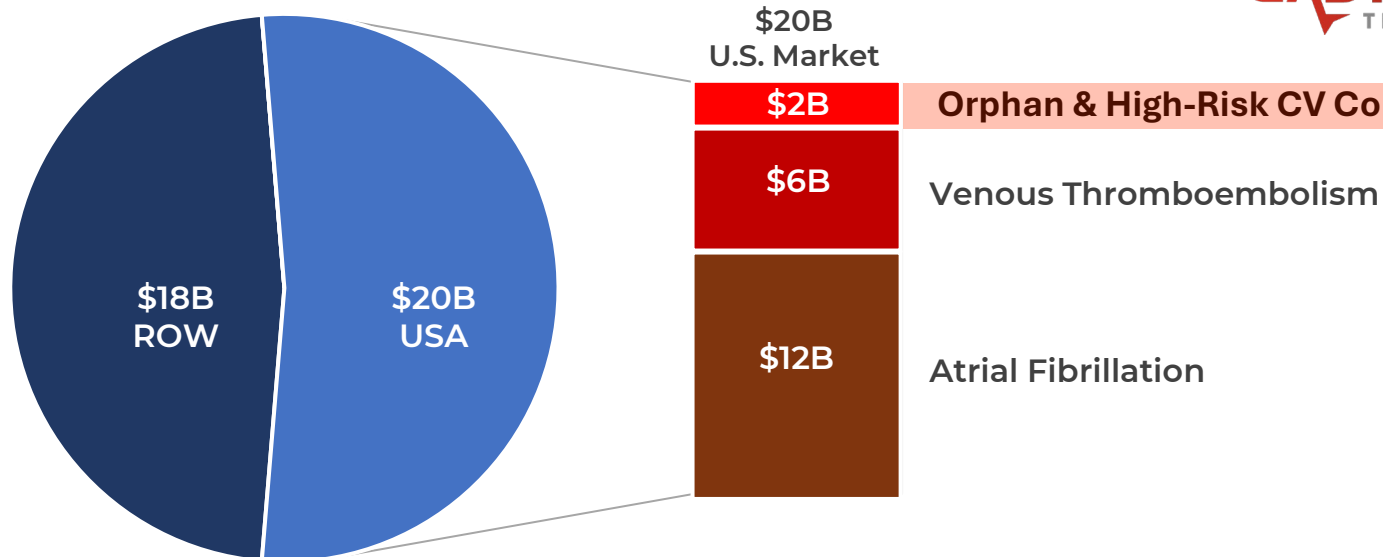
Tecarfarin

*“Next-Gen” VKA for difficult-to-manage patients
requiring chronic anticoagulation*

A Multi-Billion-Dollar U.S. Opportunity

Addressing gaps in the \$2B orphan and high-risk “No-DOAC” Zones

\$38B Global Oral Anticoagulant (OAC) Market



CADRENAL
THERAPEUTICS



- **145K** ESKD+AFib patients → No clinically proven OAC
- **15K** LVAD patients → No FDA-approved OAC
- **500K** MHV patients → DOACs contra-indicated
- Acute care in complex clinical settings

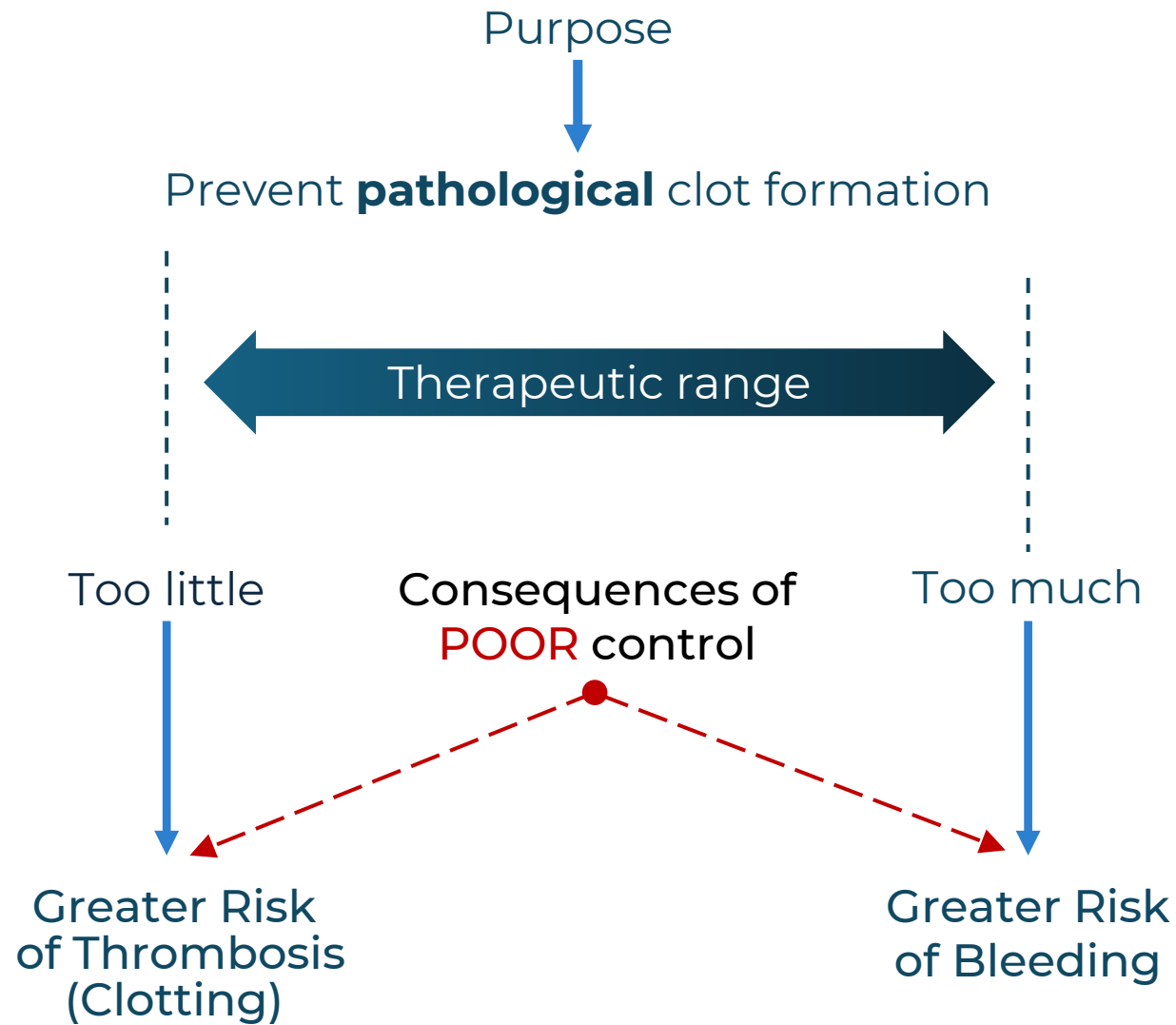


Tecarfarin has Orphan Drug and Fast-Track Designations

- **ESKD+AFib:** ODD and Fast-Track Designations
- **LVAD:** ODD

Launched over 70 years ago, warfarin is the only available VKA today and still accounts for nearly 5M prescriptions annually in the U.S. and 100M worldwide

Poorly Controlled Anticoagulation – A Two-Edged Sword



Tecarfarin - Addressing Treatment Gaps with Warfarin



Warfarin



Tecarfarin

MoA	• VKA; Hepatic CYP450 metabolism	• VKA; Esterase metabolism
Target Considerations	• Genetic variability in enzyme levels	• Widely distributed, not restricted to the liver • No variability due to CYP2C9 polymorphisms
DDIs	• Frequent drug interactions	• Avoids common drug interactions
Safety	• Frequent monitoring and adjustment • Poor hepatic and renal function	• Fewer dose adjustments • Levels not affected by renal impairment • Potential for less bleeding

**More reliable anticoagulation
addressing specific issues
in key at-risk populations stuck on
warfarin**



- End-stage Kidney Disease + Atrial Fibrillation
- Advanced heart failure and an implanted LVAD
- Mechanical Heart Valves

EMBRACE-AC Phase 2/3 Study

Tecarfarin vs. Warfarin in Patients Requiring Chronic Anticoagulation

Trial Design

- Multi-center, randomized, double-blind - Tecarfarin vs. warfarin
- 607 patients with indications for chronic anticoagulation.
- Dosing of all study drugs centrally managed.
 - **Primary endpoint** - % time INR in the therapeutic range - TTR (interpolated)
 - **Secondary Endpoint** – % observed INR measurements in the therapeutic range

Efficacy

- A stable tecarfarin dose attained in 94.5 % of tecarfarin patients
- The mean % TTR with tecarfarin numerically, but not significantly, higher than with optimally managed warfarin
 - 72.3% tecarfarin vs 71.5% warfarin
- Nearly all subgroups favored tecarfarin for both % TTR and % observed INR values
- Additional impact of concomitant CYP2C9 inducers/inhibitors and CYP2C9 genotype

Safety

- Tecarfarin well tolerated
 - Only 1.6% of the tecarfarin subjects had major bleeding
 - **No** thrombotic events.

Tecarfarin more effective than optimally managed warfarin in certain subgroups

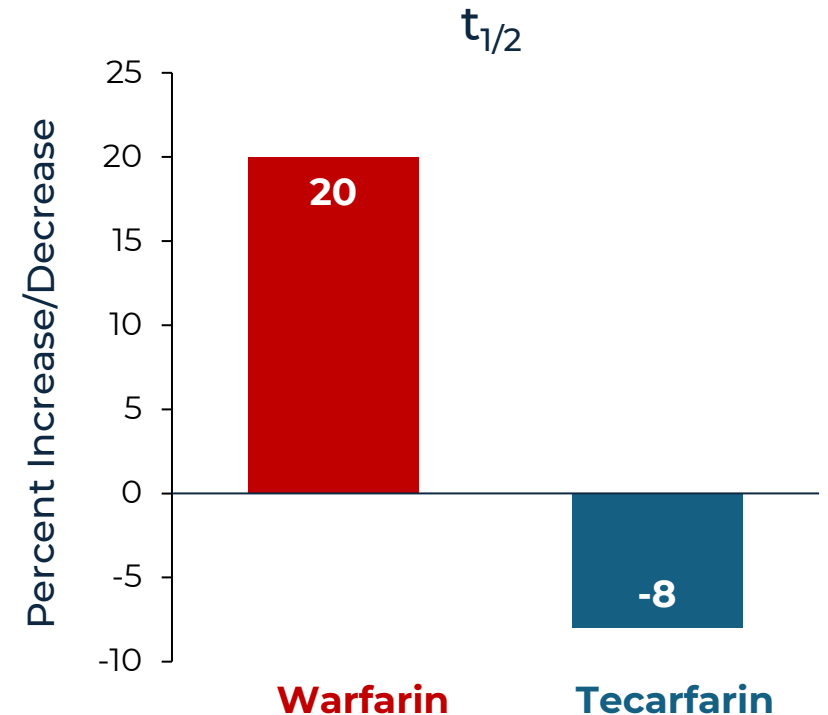
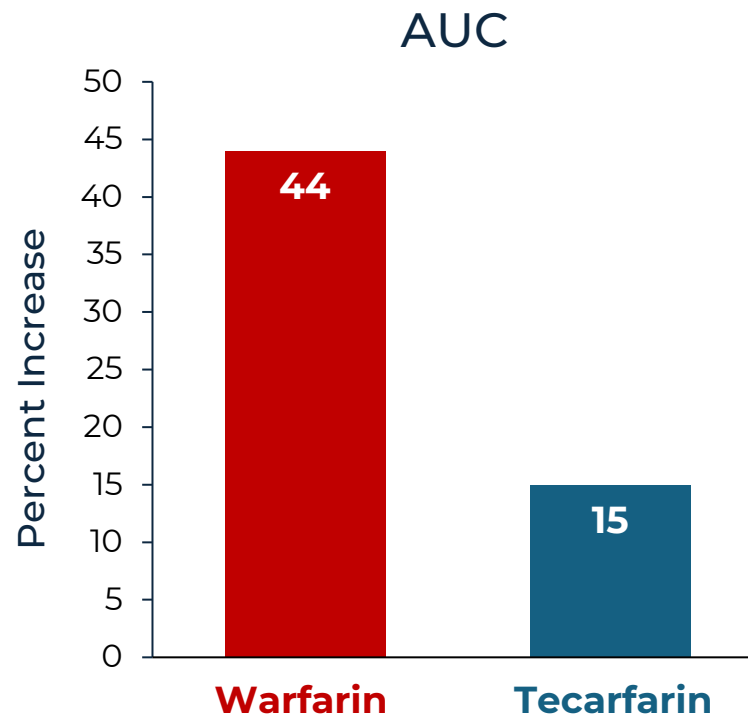
- Well-tolerated
- Low incidence of major bleeding
- No thrombotic events

Opportunity to **improve** reliability in situations requiring tighter control

Tecarfarin Maintains Consistent Exposure in Stage 4 CKD Trial

Tecarfarin exposure remains stable while **warfarin** levels significantly increase;
Higher levels + longer half life = Higher **bleeding** risk

Percent Increase in
Drug Exposure for
CKD Subjects vs Healthy
Subjects
Warfarin vs **Tecarfarin**
(n =23)



Albrecht D et al. **Thromb Haemost.** 2017;117(11):2026-2033.

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Frunexian

Parenteral (intravenous) Factor Xla inhibitor with a fast-on / fast-off profile for acute care use

Frunexian: First & Only IV for Acute Care Periprocedural Usage



Frunexian **Acute parenteral FXIa inhibitor**

- Potent (> 95%) XIa inhibition
- Effective blockade of contact activation
- Predictable PK/PD
- Parenteral administration
- Rapid onset, short half-life
- Phase 2 ready



Frunexian Path Forward:

- Regulatory: ODD application prepared
- Clinical: Phase 2 planning
- CMC: New clinical material campaign

Experienced Leadership

From securing undervalued assets to advancing orphan drug development



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Executive Summary – Strategic Value Proposition

Flexible partnering structures to differentiated late-stage platforms with high critical care & rare disease commercial potential, defined regulatory pathways, and near-term value creation



Aligned Portfolio: Late-stage, de-risked portfolio supporting cardiac acute critical care and orphan disease franchises; over \$200M total invested in programs to date



Differentiated Science: First-in class highly selective 12-LOX inhibitor addresses the upstream thrombo-inflammatory mechanisms involved in both HIT and CSA-AKI patients, and novel next-generation anticoagulants designed for patients not served by existing therapies



Unmet Need in Cardiac Acute Critical Care: Serious thrombo-inflammatory conditions arise during well-defined acute inpatient settings, representing major therapeutic whitespaces



Large Economic Opportunity: \$3 billion total peak annual revenue potential for a unified critical care development and commercialization strategy



Compelling Clinical Position & Regulatory Pathways: Human safety and efficacy data generated for drug candidates with multiple FDA regulatory designations including: Orphan Drug + Fast Track



Platform Value Beyond Initial Indications: CAD-1005 provides expansion opportunities across thrombo-inflammatory diseases where 12-LOX biology is implicated; tecarfarin and frunexian offer differentiated approaches to chronic and acute anticoagulation, respectively, for orphan and high-risk patients



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