



LSD1 Inhibitor

# REC-4539

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# LSD1 Inhibitor: REC-4539

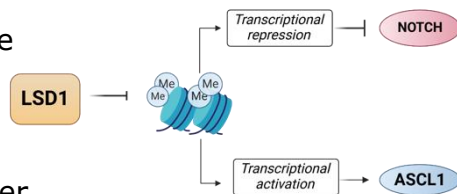
## Unmet Need

Potential in solid tumors (e.g. SCLC) hematology oncology (e.g. AML)

>45,000  
Treatable US + EU5<sup>1</sup>

## Mechanism of Action

- **Reversible** LSD1 inhibitor that can selectively upregulate NOTCH signaling
- **Promotes differentiation** of neuroendocrine cancer cells



## Development Strategy

H1 2026

**Phase 1**  
Monotherapy  
Dose Escalation

EXPECTED STAGES

**Phase 1**  
Combination  
Dose Escalation

**Phase 1**  
Combination  
Dose Expansion

## Differentiation

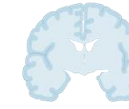
- Potential **best-in-class** LSD1 Inhibitor
- **Shorter-predicted half-life** plus **reversible MOA** to manage **on-target AEs**



Lower Predicted  
Thrombocytopenia



Shorter  
Half-Life

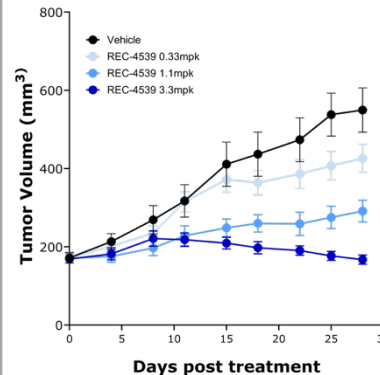


Optimal  
CNS Exposures

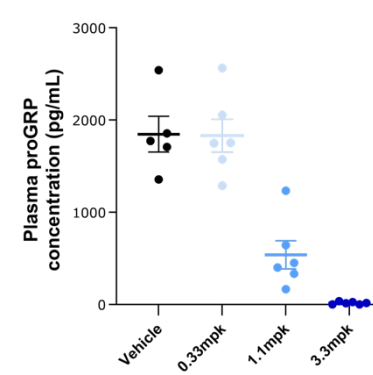
## Key Preclinical Data

- **Dose-dependent** efficacy in SCLC human xenograft model
- Well tolerated with limited impact on platelet levels

CDX Model: H1417<sup>3</sup>



Plasma ProGRP<sup>4</sup>



## Recursion Approach

- Precision design using **active learning**, combining reversibility with **CNS penetration**

414

Novel compounds  
synthesized to candidate ID

## What's Next

- Early safety and PK from monotherapy trial **2H 2027**

# REC-4539: LSD1 inhibitor

A precision designed unique LSD1 inhibitor with CNS penetrance

## Program Status

- Potential **best-in-class** LSD1 inhibitor

## Mechanism of Action

- **Reversible LSD1 inhibitor** that can selectively upregulate NOTCH signaling
- Promotes **differentiation of neuroendocrine cancer cells**
- **Impairs DNA repair pathways** sensitizing SCLC cells to immune checkpoint inhibitors

## Thesis & Differentiation

- LSD1 inhibitor designed to be **reversible** and **brain penetrant**
- **Shorter-predicted half life** versus competitors to manage **on-target toxicity**
- **Highly selective** to reduce **off-target toxicity**
- Preclinical data shows therapeutic exposures have minimal effects on platelets, suggesting potential **reduced risk of thrombocytopenia**

## Unmet Need<sup>1</sup>

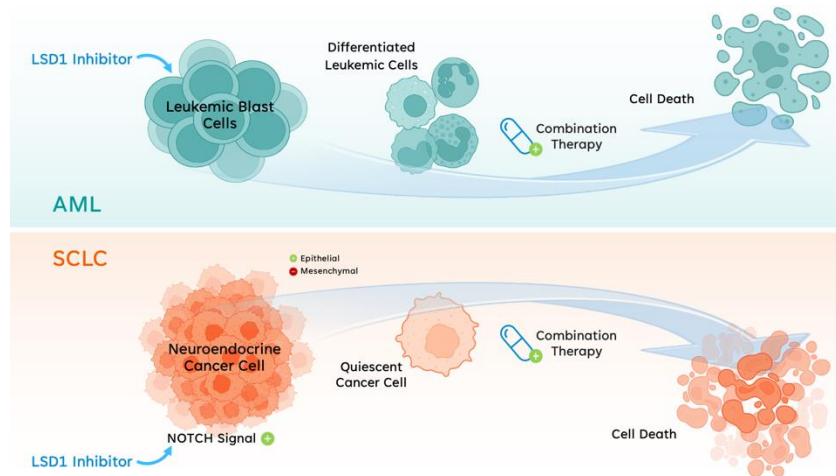
- **>45,000 patients** with treatable extensive stage SCLC
- Limited treatment options post progression on frontline therapies

## Recursion Approach

- **Precision design** using **active learning to select most information rich compounds**
- 414 novel compounds synthesized to candidate ID
- Used multiparameter optimization to design a unique candidate combining reversibility with CNS penetration

# LSD1i: Promising oncology target historically blocked by class-limiting on-target toxicity and poor CNS exposure

- Overexpression of LSD1, a pivotal epigenetic master regulator, promotes **tumor progression and immune evasion**
- Potential to **address high-impact indications** by targeting LSD1, where current therapies often fall short
  - E.g., small cell lung cancer (SCLC) and acute myeloid leukemia (AML)
- Opportunity to address **~45,000 patients** with treatable ES-SCLC in US+EU5 currently with **limited treatment options** post-progression



## Challenges

### Prior LSD1 inhibitors have had safety liabilities and limited CNS penetrance:

- On-target, dose-limiting thrombocytopenia linked to irreversible MOAs and long half lives
- Limited brain penetrance impacting >50% of SCLC patients who develop brain metastases

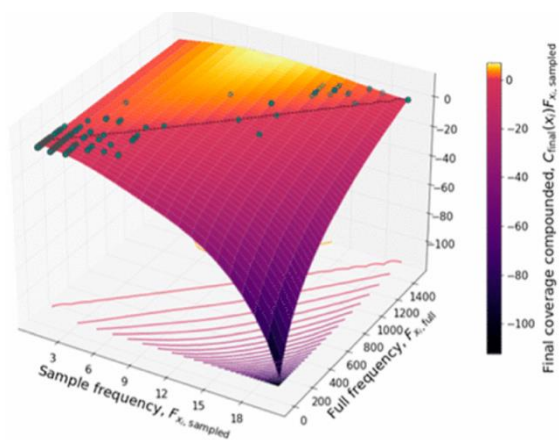
## Opportunity

### Overcome the treatment-limiting clinical toxicity observed with prior LSD1 inhibitors, improving safety & maximizing efficacy:

- By combining **reversibility** and **short half-life**
- With **CNS penetrance** to combat metastasis

# REC-4539: AI-enabled precision design to overcome class-limiting toxicity issues

## Recursion OS Insight



414 novel compounds to candidate ID

## Precision designed to combine improved safety with CNS penetrance

- Leveraged AL-methods like Coverage Score<sup>1</sup> to select unbiased, information rich hits suitable for rapid multi-parameter optimization to design a unique candidate

## Preclinical Insight

Assay	DC Criteria	Competitor 1	Competitor 2	REC-4539
Brain : Plasma Ratio	>0.5	Red	Red	Green
MDCK-MDR1 Efflux Ratio (Pgp)	<2	Yellow	Yellow	Green
Predicted Human Half-life	QD dosing	Yellow	Yellow	Green

■ Meets or exceeds criteria   
 ■ Minor deviation   
 ■ Major deviation

### Development Candidate (DC) Criteria:

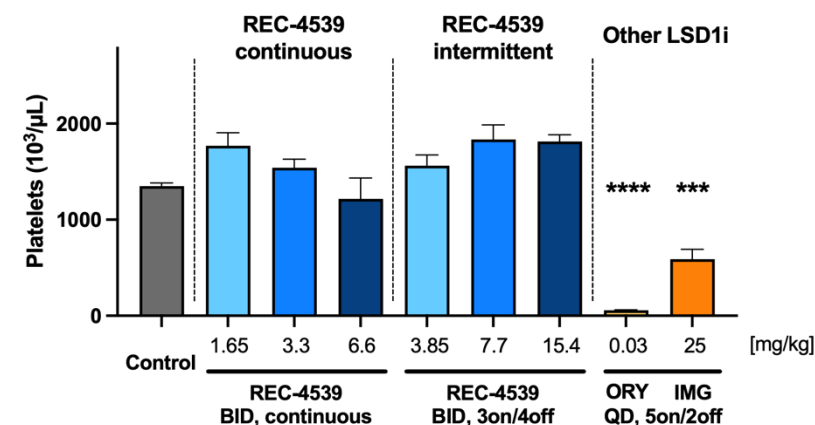
- Brain:plasma ratio:** green >0.5; red <0.5
- MDCK-MDR1 efflux ratio (Pgp):** green <2; yellow >2-<10; red >10
- Predicted half-life:** green <24 hours; yellow 24-48h hours; red >48 hours

## Potential best-in-class LSD1i, with reduced risk of on-target toxicity

- Shorter-predicted human half-life vs competitors plus reversible MOA to manage on-target AEs (e.g. thrombocytopenia)
- Sufficient CNS exposures vs competitors

## Preclinical Data

### SCLC CDX Model: H1417



## REC-4539 has minimal impact on platelets in an SCLC CDX

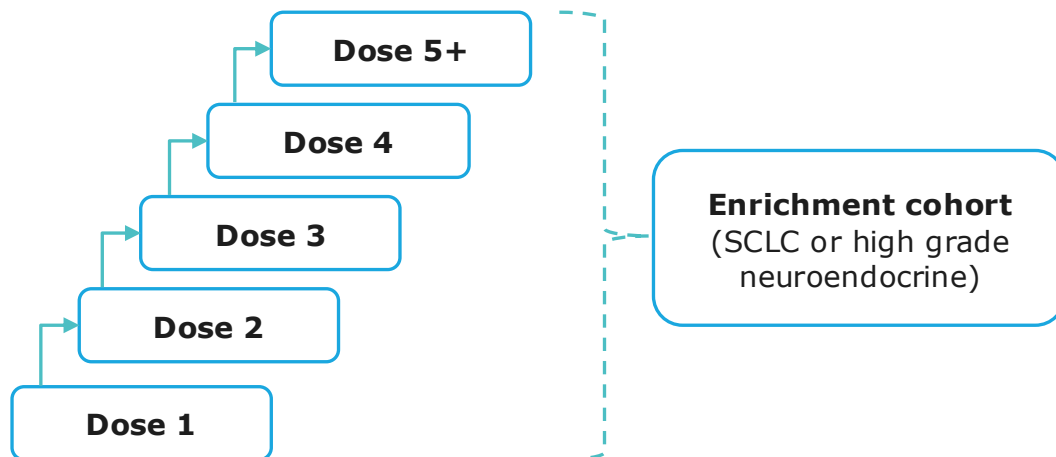
- Well-tolerated, with similar preclinical efficacy to competitors<sup>2</sup>

# FPD in Phase 1 Dose Escalation: ENLYGHT Phase 1 trial in patients with select solid tumors including SCLC

## Phase 1 Dose Escalation

### ENLYGHT patient population; N = ~25

- Patients with solid tumors including SCLC and high grade neuroendocrine or small cell carcinomas non-lung origin<sup>1</sup>



- **Rapid data-driven program go/no-go** based on clinical safety profile observed in solid tumors
- REC-4539 **precision designed to avoid on-target thrombocytopenia** observed with competitor LSD1 inhibitors

## Next steps

- Early safety and PK from monotherapy trial in 2H27

# REC-4539 (LSD1): What's next

