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#### **KEZAR SPEAKERS**



John Fowler, MBA Chief Executive Officer



Noreen R. Henig, MD Chief Medical Officer

#### 4:30 PM – 4:35 PM

Welcome, Introductions and Opening Remarks | John Fowler, MBA

4:35 PM – 5:05 PM MISSION Phase 2 Clinical Update | Noreen R. Henig, MD

5:05 PM – 5:10 PM Zetomipzomib Clinical Development Next Steps | *Noreen R. Henig, MD* 

**5:10 PM – 5:15 PM** Summary and Closing Remarks | *John Fowler, MBA* 

**5:15 PM – 5:30 PM** Question and Answer (sell side only)



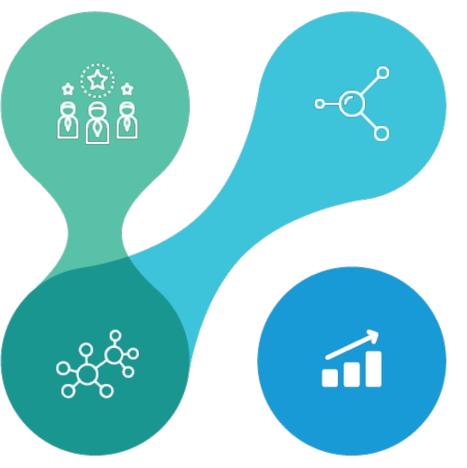
### The Kezar Opportunity: First-in-Class, Small Molecule Therapies That Tackle Immune-Mediated Diseases and Cancer

#### Deep Expertise in Immunology and Oncology

Builds on 10+ years of R&D work in proteasome biology and protein secretion led by Kezar's scientific cofounders, Chris Kirk & Jack Taunton

#### KZR-261: First Clinical Candidate from Protein Secretion Platform

First-in-class inhibitor of Sec61 translocon. Impacts tumor proliferation, metastasis and immune invasion. Currently being evaluated in a Phase 1 study in solid tumors



#### Zetomipzomib (KZR-616): First-in-Class Immunoproteasome Inhibitor

A novel approach to harmonizing the immune system via immunomodulation. Potential to be a pipeline in a drug

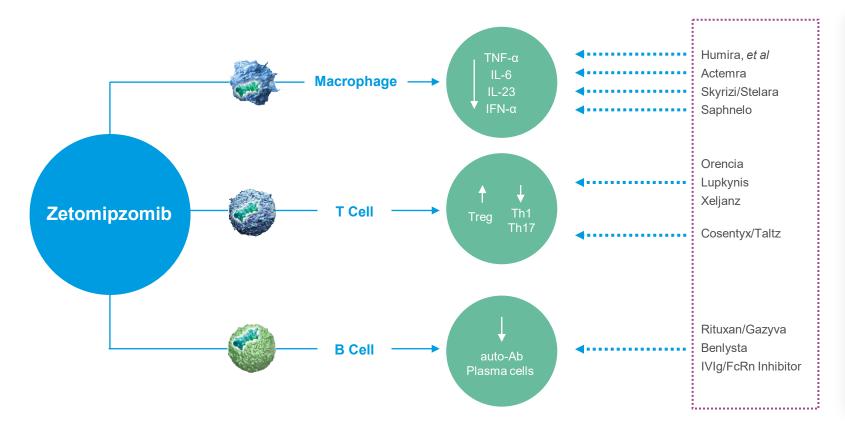
#### Strong Financial Position (as of 4/30/2022)

\$253M cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities; 60.4M common shares outstanding

# Zetomipzomib, a First-in-Class Inhibitor of the Immunoproteasome, Acts Across the Innate and Acquired Immune System

#### Immunoproteasome Inhibition with Zetomipzomib\*

Decreases pro-inflammatory cytokine production, plasma cell activity and autoantibody production, while increasing regulatory T cells activity



### Zetomipzomib Advantage

Inflammatory disorders are currently treated by targeting a single immune signal but zetomipzomib affects a broad spectrum of immune regulators





### MISSION:

Topline Data MISSION Phase 2 Study Evaluating Zetomipzomib 60 mg SC QW for 24 Weeks in Lupus Nephritis



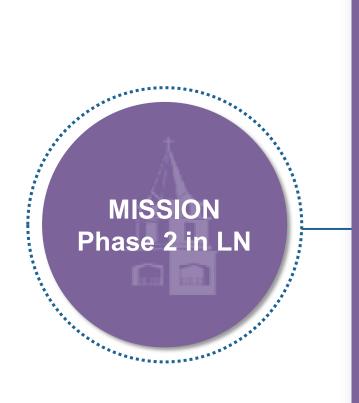
### MISSION Phase 1b (Complete): Zetomipzomib Demonstrated Safety, Tolerability and Preliminary Efficacy in Patients with SLE with and without LN



- Treatment with zetomipzomib demonstrated improvements in multiple exploratory measures of disease activity across organ systems including SLEDAI-2K
- 2 of 2 subjects with active LN showed >50% reduction in UPCR and decreases in uCD163, a marker for inflammatory activity in LN
- Anti-dsDNA antibody titers improved over time in 8 of 8 patients with elevated levels at baseline
- Sustained or deepened improvement (tail-effect) in disease activity measures and key biomarkers in the post-treatment follow-up period observed
- The most common treatment-emergent adverse event was injection site erythema
- Favorable safety profile, with hematologic analysis showing no suppression of leukocytes through the duration of the study



### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Highlights Zetomipzomib Achieves Clinically Meaningful Overall Renal Response (ORR) in Refractory or Hard-to-Treat LN Patients without Standard Induction Therapy

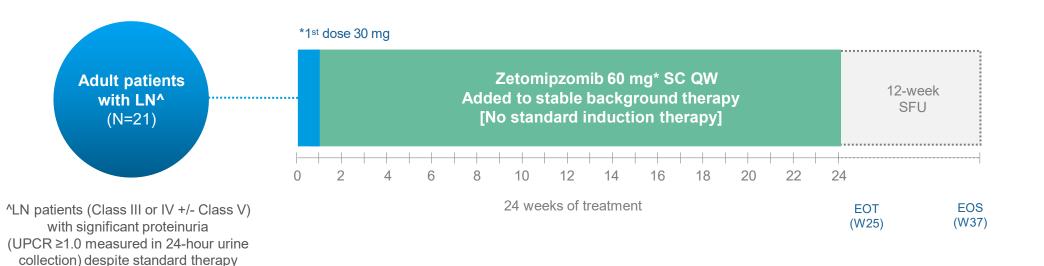


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Abbreviations: LN, lupus nephritis; CRR, complete renal response; UPCR, urine protein to creatinine ratio, eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; SLE, systemic lupus erythematosus.

### MISSION Phase 2: Study Design Open-Label Clinical Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Zetomipzomib in Patients with Active Proliferative Lupus Nephritis



Patients in MISSION Phase 2 did not receive standard induction therapy or protocol-mandated steroid taper

Lack of induction therapy is a significant difference compared to recently published trials in LN

https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT03393013. \*Patients received 24 weeks of zetomipzomib; End-of-treatment assessments performed at Week 25. Abbreviations: UPCR, urine protein to creatinine ratio; LN, lupus nephritis, SC, subcutaneous; SFU, safety follow-up; QW, every week; W, week; EOT, end of treatment; EOS, end of study.



#### Primary Endpoint: Overall Renal Response (ORR)

• Number of patients with ≥50% reduction in UPCR compared to baseline after 24 weeks of treatment with zetomipzomib

#### **Key Secondary Endpoints**

- Safety and tolerability of zetomipzomib
- The number of patients with a complete renal response (CRR) and partial renal response (PRR) after 24 weeks of treatment as defined by:

#### CRR:

- UPCR ≤0.5
- eGFR  $\geq$ 60 mL/min/1.73m<sup>2</sup> or no worsening of eGFR from baseline of  $\geq$ 25%
- Prednisone (or equivalent) ≤10 mg
- No use of prohibited medication

#### PRR:

- 50% reduction in UPCR and/or UPCR <1 (if baseline UPCR <3) and/or UPCR</li>
   3 (if baseline UPCR >3)
- eGFR  $\geq$ 60 mL/min/1.73m<sup>2</sup> or no worsening of eGFR from baseline of  $\geq$ 25%
- No use of prohibited medication
- Global SLE disease monitoring and key biomarkers



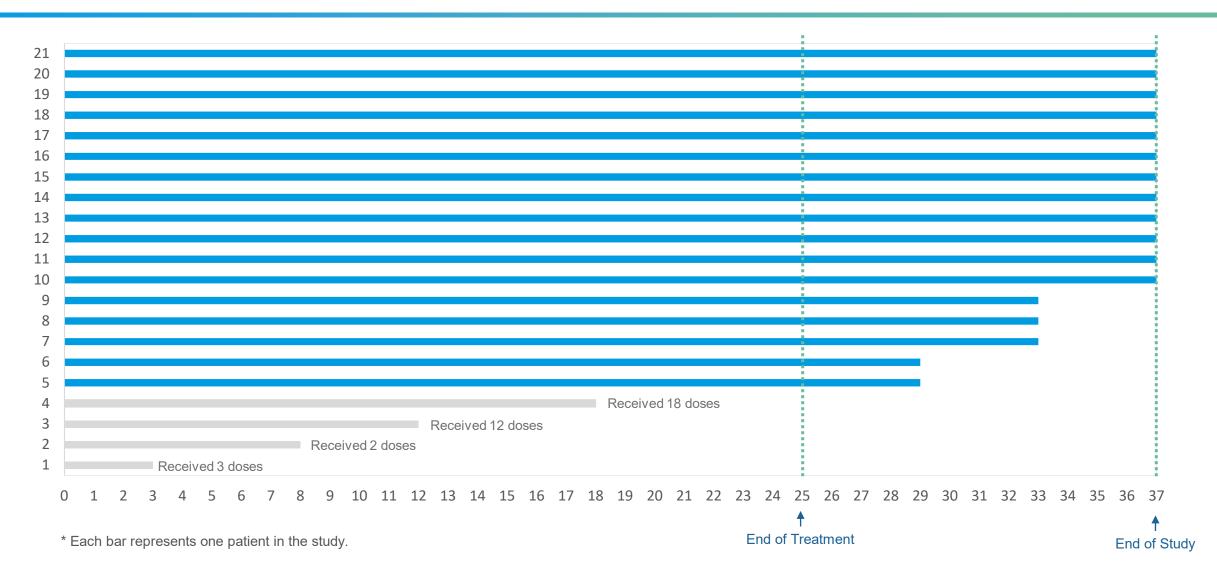
	Safety Population (N=21)		Safety Population (N=21)
Age, mean (years), range	35.3 (19 - 69)	SLE duration (years), median (min, max), N=20	8.7 (0.7, 26.4)
Female, n (%)	19 (90.5)	LN duration (years), median (min, max)	3.1 (-0.06*, 16.1)
	(	LN class type, n	
Race, n (%)	7 (00 0)	Class III only	6
White Black or African American	7 (33.3)	Class IV only	11
Black or African American Asian	1 (4.8)	Class III + V	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	1 (4.8)	Class IV + V	1
Other	4 (19.0) 7 (33.3)	24-hour UPCR (mg/mg)	
Unknown	1 (4.8)	Mean (SD)	2.6 (2.6)
UNKNOWN	1 (4.0)	Median (Min, Max)	1.9 (0.93, 13.4)
<b>Ethnicity, n (%)</b> Hispanic or Latino	11 (52.4)	eGFR (mL/min/1.73 m2)	
		Mean (SD)	104.7 (32.8)
		Median (Min, Max)	115.0 (36.5, 150)
		Disease Activity Parameter, mean (SD)	
		SLEDAI-2K	11.0 (4.7)
Country, n (%)		Corticosteroid (prednisone or equivalent)	18.0 (5.50)
Australia	3 (14.3)	dose (mg), mean (min, max)	18.9 (5, 50)
Colombia	4 (19.0)	Concomitant medications, n	
Peru	6 (28.6) 4 (19.0)	MMF/MPA	20
Russia		Prednisone (or equivalent)	21
Ukraine	1 (4.8)	Hydroxychloroquine	14
USA	3 (14.3)	Azathioprine	2

\*LN biopsy confirming diagnosis was performed during screen period.

Abbreviation: SLE, systemic lupus erythematosus; LN, lupus nephritis; UPCR, urine protein to creatinine ratio; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; SLEDAI, Systemic Lupus Erythematosus Disease Activity index-2000; MMF, mycophenolate mofetil; MPA, mycophenolic acid.

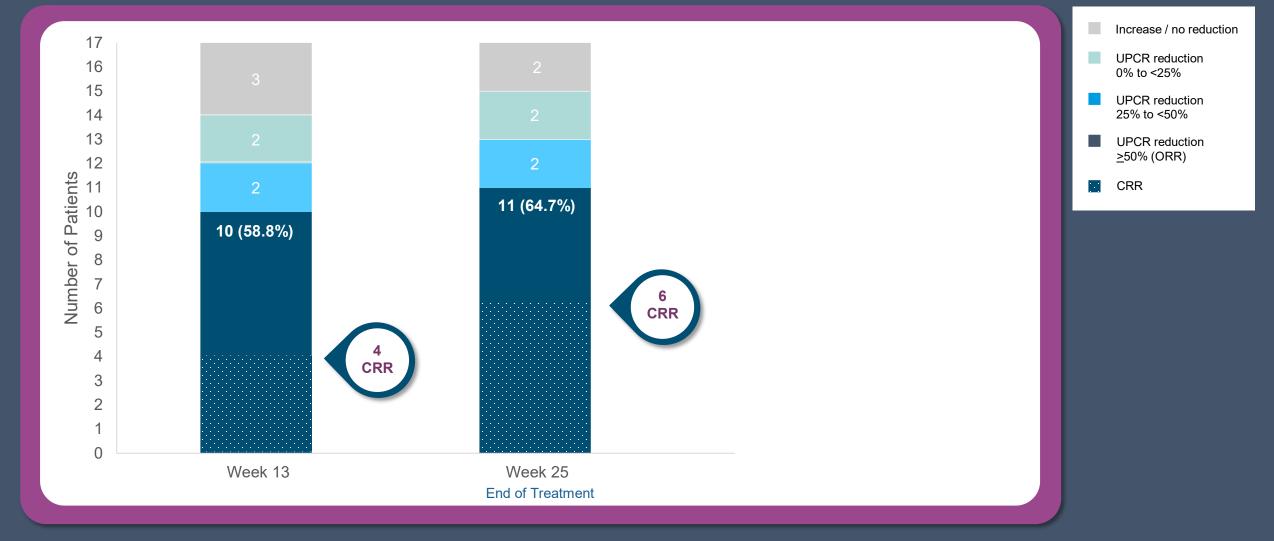


### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Patient Disposition\*



### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Evaluable Population Zetomipzomib Without Standard Induction Therapy Achieves ORR in 65% and CRR in 35% of Patients at Week 25

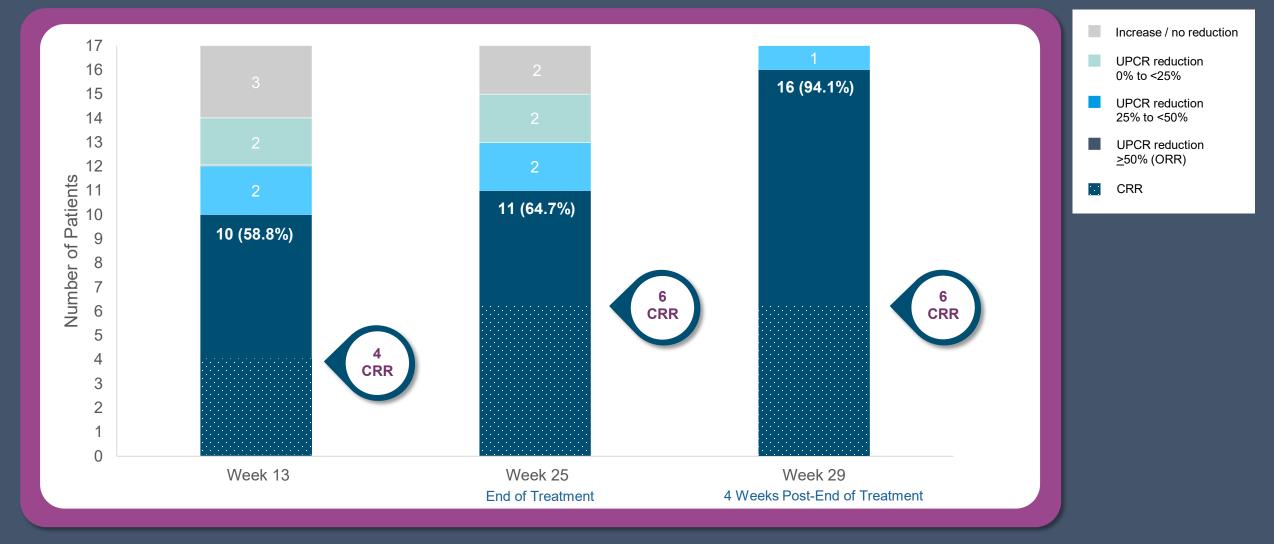




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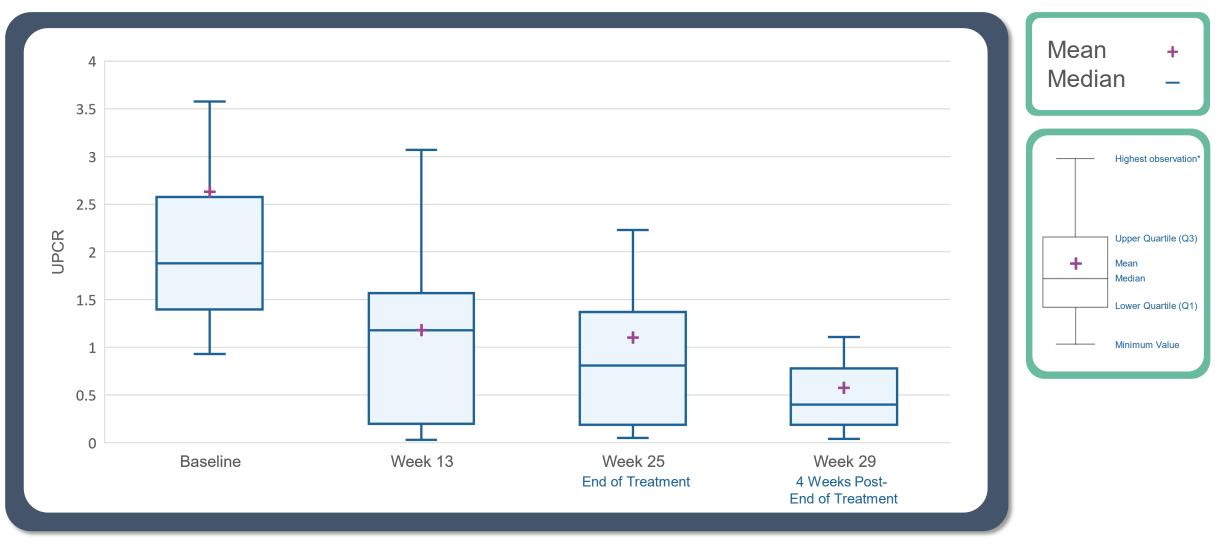
### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Evaluable Population CRRs Are Maintained and Additional ORRs are Observed at Week 29, Post-Treatment with Zetomipzomib





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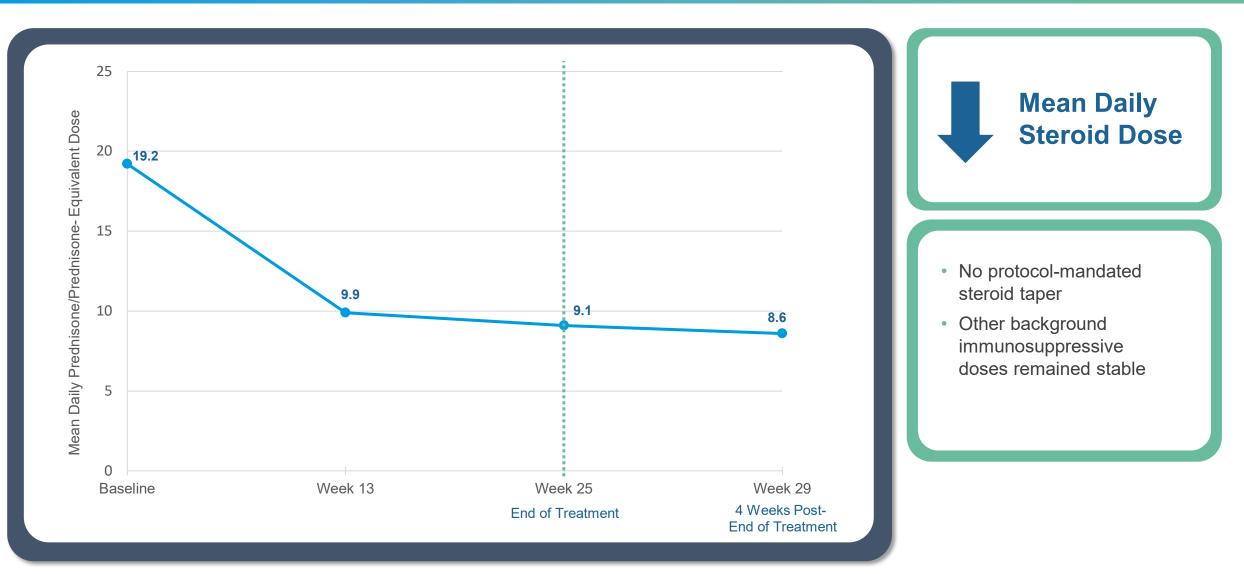
### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Evaluable Population Mean UPCR Decreases with 24 Weeks of Zetomipzomib Treatment



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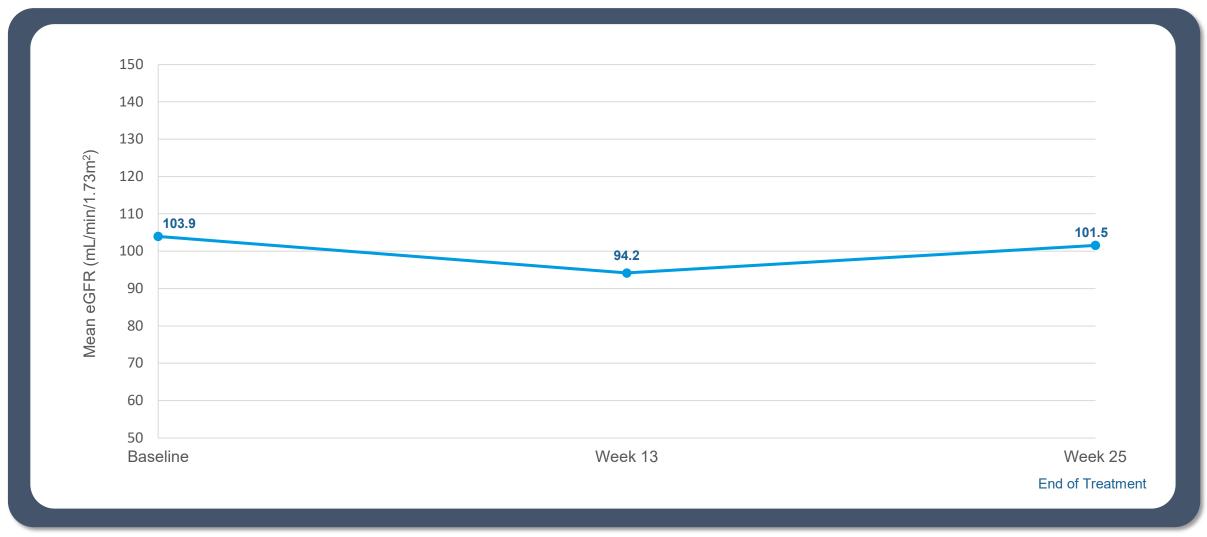
### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: With Zetomipzomib, Reductions in Proteinuria Achieved with 53% Less Corticosteroids



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### **MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Evaluable Population Mean eGFR Remains Stable**



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Abbreviations: eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate.

ΤοοΙ	Baseline Mean (SD)	EOT (Week 25) Mean (SD)
SLEDAI-2K	11.1 (4.7)	6.5 (3.1)
Physician Global Assessment Score	57.2 (21.7)	23.9 (19.2)
Patient Global Assessment Score	23.6 (21.1)	10.7 (12.2)
HAQ-pain	20.8 (18.2)	12.1 (18.1)
CLASI-A	3.7 (7.3)	1.9 (4.1)
Tender Joint Count	1.3 (2.6)	0.1 (0.5)
Swollen Joint Count	0.1 (0.5)	0.1 (0.2)

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Abbreviations: CLASI-A, Cutaneous Lupus Erythematosus Severity Index-Activity; EOT, end of treatment; HAQ, Health Assessment Questionnaire; SD, standard deviation; SLEDAI-2K, Systemic Lupus Erythematosus Disease Activity Index 2000.

#### MISSION Phase 2 Topline: Evaluable Population Improvement in Key Serologic Biomarkers Observed at Week 25 (EOT) in Patients with Abnormal Levels at Baseline

Biomarker	Patients with Abnormal Levels at Baseline	Patients with Improvement at W25 (EOT)	Patients with Normalization at Week 25 (EOT)
Anti-dsDNA	12	10	5
C3	5	4	2
C4	4	2	2

Cell counts remained stable in patients on study

Evaluable population (n=17) are patients that did not withdraw before Week 25. Reference ranges: dsDNA <20 IU/mL; C3 90 - 180 mg/dL; C4 10 - 40 mg/dL. **Abbreviations:** EOT, end of treatment. *Topline data is subject to audit and verification procedures that could result in material changes in the final data.* 

Treatment-Emergent Adverse	Serious Adverse Events:	Early Terminations:
Events	2 Patients	4 Patients
<ul> <li>TEAEs were generally mild to moderate (≤Grade 2) consistent with previous reports</li> <li>Most Common TEAEs occurring in &gt;25% of patients:</li> <li>Injection site reaction, pyrexia (fever), headache, or nausea with or without vomiting</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Acute protracted migraine (related)</li> <li>Worsening pulmonary arterial hypertension, AKI and UTI (unrelated)</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Injection site infiltration (related)</li> <li>Asthenia (related)</li> <li>Reticulocytes increase (related)</li> <li>Worsening pulmonary arterial hypertension (unrelated)</li> </ol>

#### No opportunistic or Grade 3 infections reported

Safety population (N=21) are patients that received at least one dose of study drug. Abbreviations: TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event; UTI, urinary tract infection; AKI, acute kidney injury. Topline data is subject to audit and verification procedures that could result in material changes in the final data.

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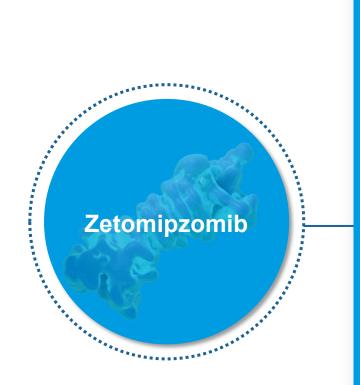


## ZETOMIPZOMIB:

**Clinical Development Next Steps** 



### Zetomipzomib, A First-in-Class Inhibitor of the Immunoproteasome: Key Attributes



- Modulates innate and acquired immune responses without signs of immunosuppression to date
- Once weekly subcutaneous administration leads to intermittent inhibition of the immunoproteasome with no accumulation observed with repeat dosing
  - Consistent exposure and clearance ( $T_{1/2}$  <5 hours)
- Not predicted to result in clinically significant drug-drug interactions
- No teratogenicity observed at any dose tested in animal models
- No monitoring required
- No immediate rebound of signs and symptoms of disease activity upon discontinuation of zetomipzomib in Mission Ph1b safety follow-up period

### Zetomipzomib for the Treatment of Lupus Nephritis: Next Steps



#### Zetomipzomib is Well Positioned for Use as a Chronic Therapy for the Treatment of LN

- Potential to be used without induction therapy
- Potential to be steroidsparing
- Potential treatment for renal and extra-renal manifestations of SLE

#### Late Phase LN Trial

- Following the November 2021 interim data release, Kezar initiated preparations for registrational studies in LN
- Design will be informed by completion of the MISSION Phase 2 trial (EOS, July 2022) and discussions with regulatory authorities

#### Patient-Based Education Initiatives

In recognition of the significant unmet need in reaching patients with LN, Kezar will commence patient-based education initiatives

#### Additional Indication Exploration

- Given the extra-renal findings in the MISSION Phase 1b and Phase 2 studies, we are considering opportunities in SLE
- Further guidance will be available later this year



# Summary and Closing Remarks



Q&A

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## **THANK YOU**

