

# Sobi's Acquisition of ArthroSi Therapeutics

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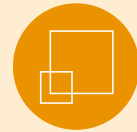
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# Acquiring ArthroSi Therapeutics marks a major milestone for Sobi

## Deal Rationale



**Unlock a major commercial opportunity** – more than 200,000 patients with uncontrolled gout in the US alone



**Complementing our registrational asset NASP** for severe uncontrolled gout and scaling in an area of significant unmet need



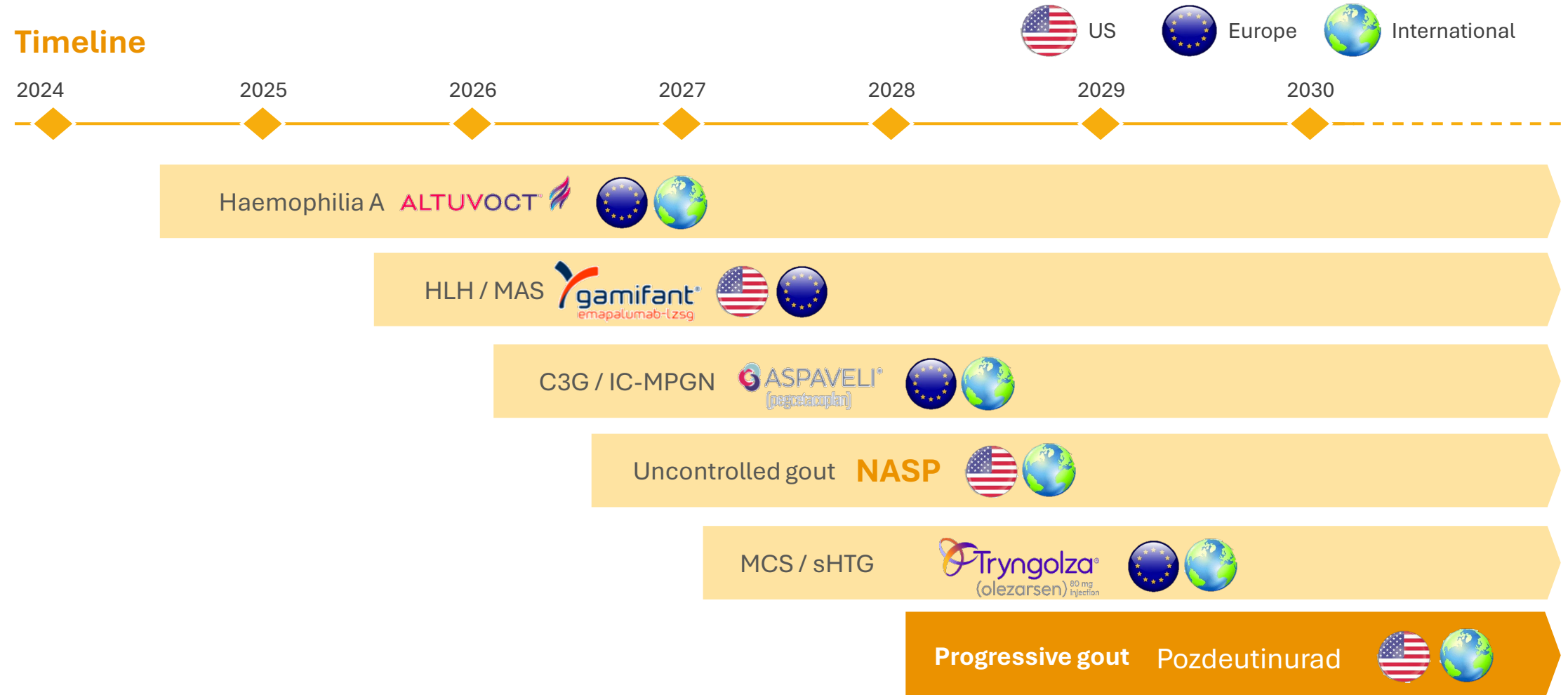
**Expanding Sobi's pipeline with a late-stage, derisked program** and elevating capabilities through a highly experienced team



Accretive to Net Sales and Earnings in the mid-term and **driving sustained growth into the early 2040s**

# A strong wave of high-value launches through 2028 driving long-term growth into the 2030s

## Timeline

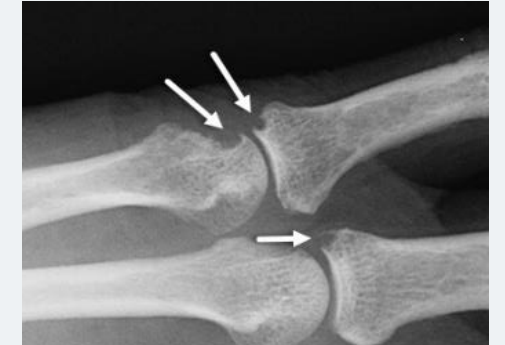


# Gout: the most common inflammatory arthritis with persistent, significant unmet need

- Gout is a **serious, progressive disease** with irreversible consequences
- Progression drives **tophi, joint destruction, bone erosion, and deformity**
- Uncontrolled disease brings **profound disability**, impaired mobility, and marked loss of **quality of life**
- Compounding this burden, gout clusters with **hypertension, obesity, cardiovascular disease, diabetes, and CKD**—contributing to excess morbidity and premature mortality



*Joint deformities*



*Bone erosion*



*Tophi formation*

# Sobi is building an innovative portfolio that addresses the high unmet medical need in gout



There is a significant unmet medical need for patients who have an inadequate response to XOIs and are not eligible for uricase therapy

*Gout treatment paradigm*

**Early gout<sup>1,2</sup>**

Xanthine Oxidase inhibitors

*First line therapies*

**Progressive gout<sup>3,4</sup>**

Uricosurics

*Second line therapies*

**Pozdeutinurad<sup>6</sup>**

Arthro's first-in-class and best-in-class next-generation oral URAT1 inhibitor in progressive gout



**Uncontrolled gout<sup>3,4</sup>**

Uricases

*Third line therapies*

**NASP<sup>6</sup>**

A novel, monthly, two-component uricase therapy that avoids the need for systemic oral immunosuppression



*Pozdeutinurad and NASP would mark the first meaningful innovations in chronic gout in over 15 years<sup>5</sup>*

Progressive gout: persistent sUA above target levels and / or unresolved tophi / flares

1. Arthritis Foundation. Treatments for gout. Updated June 10, 2022. Accessed August 2025. [www.arthritis.org/health-wellness/treatment/treatment-plan/disease-management/treatments-for-gout](http://www.arthritis.org/health-wellness/treatment/treatment-plan/disease-management/treatments-for-gout) 2. Kumar M, et al. Drugs Aging. 2021;38(7):545-557.

3. Richette P, et al. Ann Rheum Dis. 2017;76(1):29-42. 4. Fitzgerald JD, et al. Arthritis Rheumatol. 2020;72(6):879-895. 5. Timing related to US FDA approvals, excl. lesinurad first approved in 2015, since marketing was discontinued as of 2019 in the US.

Canakinumab was approved in 2023 as 3rd line treatment of gout flares, but not for treatment of chronic gout / hyperuricemia. 6 Subject to regulatory review and approval

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# A robust scientific rationale and extensive preclinical and clinical data materially de-risks the late-stage asset



## Scientific Rationale



A rationally engineered next-gen **URAT1 inhibitor** leveraging a well-validated, **highly efficacious mechanism** in gout



A significantly improved **PK/PD profile** over predecessors, translating into durable efficacy and a more favorable safety profile



Several sizeable, well-designed **Phase 2** studies demonstrating robust **sUA lowering, tophi resolution**, and meaningful reductions in flares



Two robust, **fully enrolled Phase 3** studies poised to deliver first results in **2026**

# Pozdeutinurad: A highly selective, once-daily oral URAT1 inhibitor sobi inhibitor designed to deliver improved safety and efficacy



## Mechanism of Action

- A potent and **highly selective URAT1 inhibitor** (modeled on a Benzbromarone scaffold) that increases renal urate excretion—the key driver of gout
- It rapidly and sustainably lowers serum uric acid (sUA), preventing further urate crystal deposition



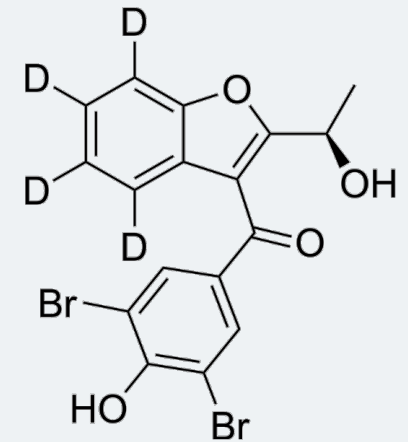
## Safety and Efficacy

- Favorable **PK/PD profile** with low peak exposure and minimal off-target transporter inhibition, supporting a **superior safety** profile
- Robust Ph. 2 data demonstrate good **tolerability** and predominantly mild-to-moderate AEs



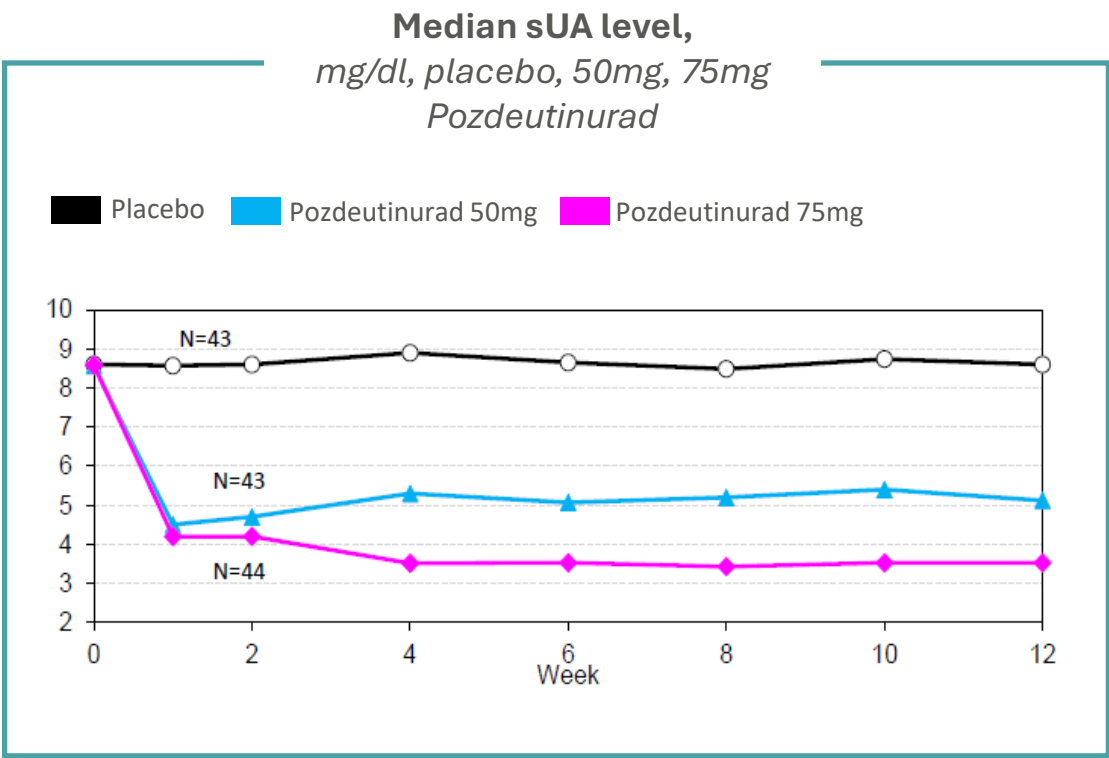
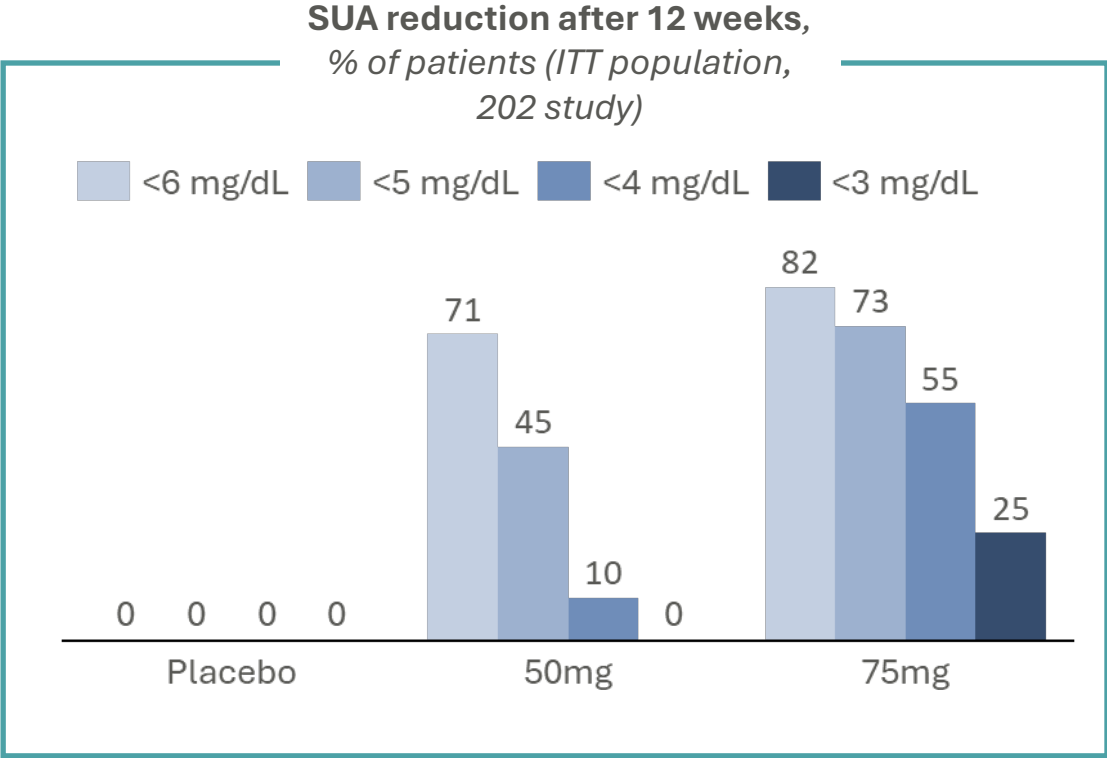
## Clinical Development

- **Two replicate pivotal Phase 3 studies** (REDUCE 1 and REDUCE 2) already fully enrolled, with first top-line data expected in **Q2 2026**
- Received **FDA Fast Track designation** in 2024



# Pozdeutinurad showed clinically meaningful reduction in sUA in a large Phase 2 study

Study 202 (phase 2, n=140)<sup>1</sup>



**Pozdeutinurad delivered rapid, sustained sUA reductions—with 82% on 75 mg reaching <6 mg/dL—and showed a consistent, safe, and efficacious 12-week profile across diverse patients**

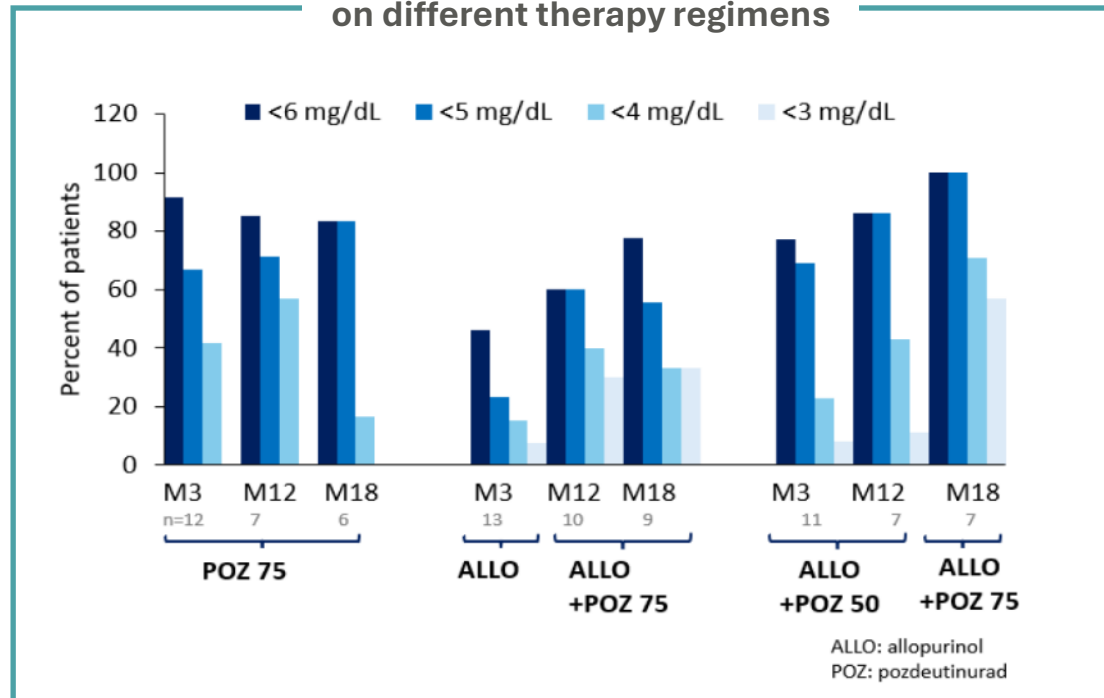
1: ACR Convergence 2023 abstract 0244; Cheng-Chung Wei et al

Abbreviations: sUA: serum uric acid

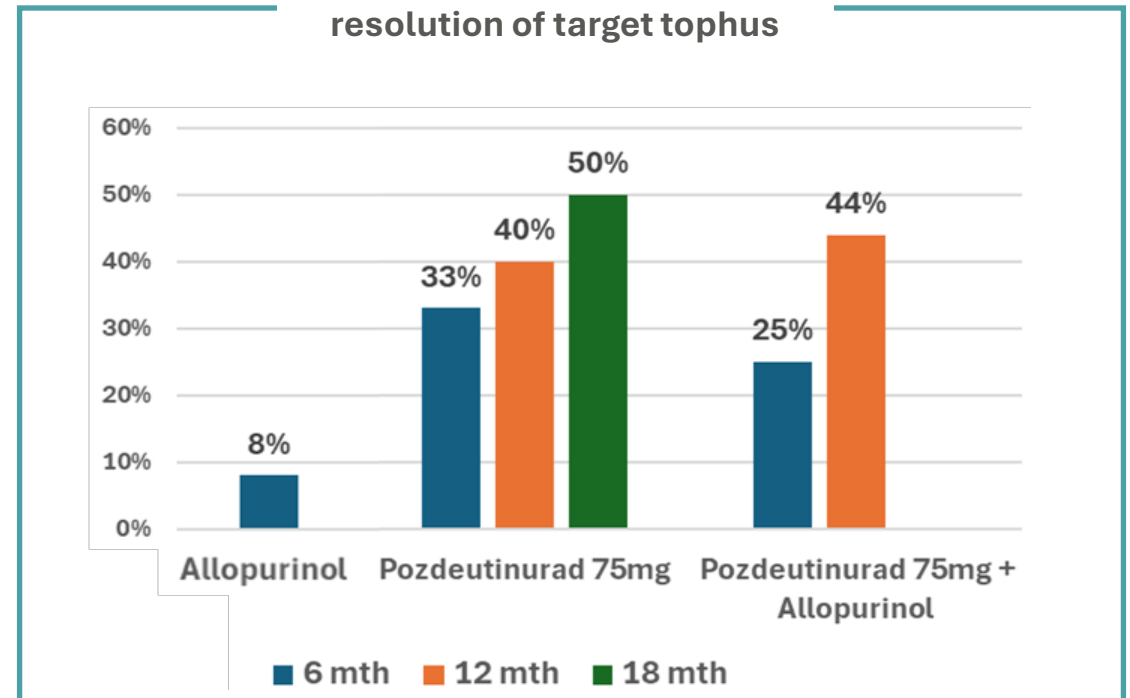
# Pozdeutinurad achieved durable 18-month sUA reductions and marked tophi resolution

Study 203 (phase 2, n=42)<sup>1</sup>

Patients achieving sUA levels on different therapy regimens



Patients achieving complete resolution of target tophus



Pozdeutinurad maintained high sUA response rates up to 18 months<sup>1</sup> and showed significant tophi resolution, alone and in combination with allopurinol<sup>2</sup>

1: Percent of individuals reaching serum urate levels at various time points

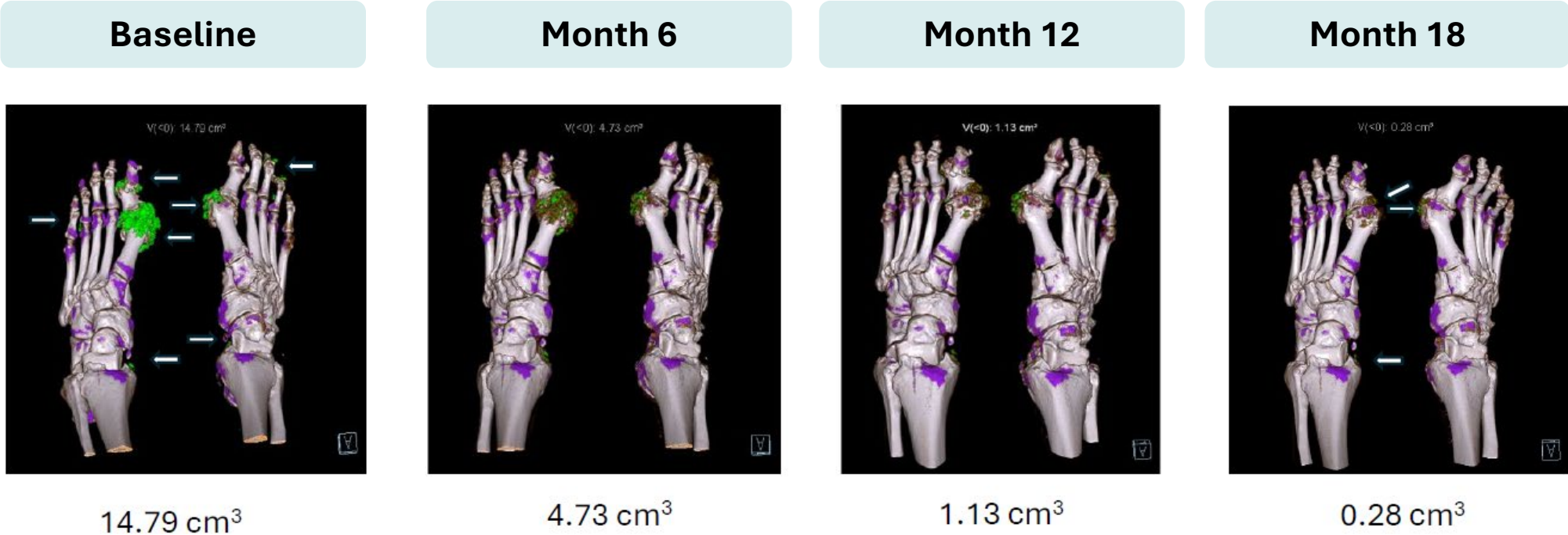
2: Percent of individuals with complete resolution of at least on target tophus at each time point

ALLO = allopurinol; POZ = pozdeutinurad, sUA: serum urate; Note: data from Study 203 (phase 2, n=42); Source: "Safety and Tolerability of Pozdeutinurad (AR882) Treatment following Long-term Dosing in Patients with Chronic Gouty Arthritis and Subcutaneous Tophi" EULAR 2025 Abstract OP0300; tophi figure adapted from presentation

# Pozdeutinurad demonstrated rapid and durable urate crystal volume reduction in Phase 2

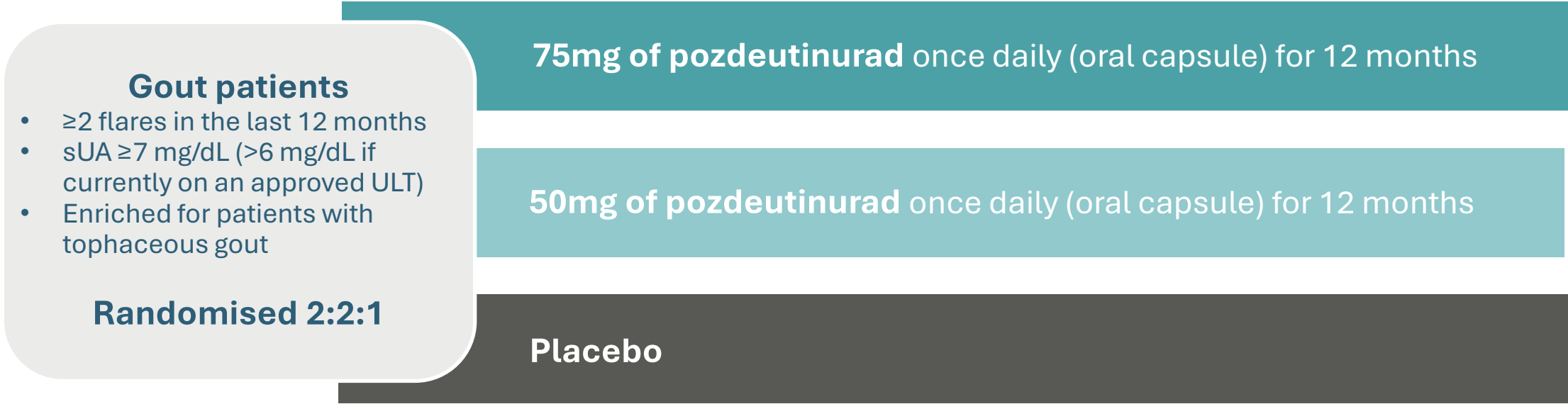


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**Crystal volume reduction by 98% in 18 months**

# Phase 3 studies REDUCE 1 & 2 fully enrolled ahead of schedule and expected to read out in 2026



**Primary endpoint:** Treatment response defined as sUA < 6 mg/dL at month 6

REDUCE 1 (n=750) - US study sites - **fully enrolled** in August 2025  
REDUCE 2 ( n= 750) - Global study sites - **fully enrolled** in March 2025  
**Topline data expected in 2026**

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# Summary of the transaction terms



## Financial Highlights



### Consideration & Funding

- Sobi agreed to pay USD 950 million upfront (~ SEK 9.1 billion) to acquire ArthroSi, together with up to USD 550m (~ SEK 5.3 billion) in clinical, regulatory and sales milestones
- The transaction upfront payment will be funded through available liquidity and a new credit facility



### Financial benefit

- Highly accretive to Sobi's mid- to long-term growth and margin trajectory



### Timing

- The transaction is expected to close in H1 2026, subject to customary closing conditions

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# Arthrosi continues Sobi's trajectory of sourcing first- and best-in-class therapies that set the standard of care



**Best-in-class factor VIII replacement with sustained effectiveness in non-haemophilia range**



**First TPO-RA without BBW, and which can be taken independently of meals**



**First and only C3 inhibitor approved for first-line treatment of PNH**



**Only FDA-approved IFN $\gamma$  blocking antibody and only FDA-approved treatment for pHLH/MAS**



**Only JAK-1 sparing JAK-2 inhibitor, and only approved JAK inhibitor for thrombocytopenic MF**



**Best-in-class for APOC3-targeting antisense oligonucleotide therapy for FCS**



**Novel, monthly, uricase therapy without oral systemic immunosuppression for uncontrolled gout**

**NASP**

**Potential first and best-in-class next-generation URAT1 inhibitor in progressive gout**

**Pozdeutinurad**

# Summary



Sobi is acquiring a **highly selective**, next-generation **URAT1 inhibitor** with best-in-class potential in serum urate lowering, flares, and tophi



A **robust scientific rationale** and extensive data package—reinforced by large Phase 2 program completed and 2 **fully enrolled Ph. 3** studies



It addresses a **growing, underserved population** with progressive gout inadequately treated by existing options



Expected to be **highly accretive** to Net Sales and Earnings beyond the mid 2030s

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Q&A



A photograph of a family of four (a man, a woman, and two young children) sitting on a paved surface outdoors, drawing with colorful chalk. The man is in the foreground, focused on drawing. The woman is behind him, also drawing. Two young children are sitting nearby, one of whom is also drawing. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting a sunny day. The background shows a grassy area and some trees.

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