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SkyePharma in brief

- UK-domiciled speciality pharmaceutical company
- technology focus: drug delivery
- originally founded 1983, IPO 1996
- listed London (SKP), New York (ADR, SKYE)
- 2005 revenues £61 mn (\$115 mn)
- market capitalisation £234 / \$435 mn
 - 19 Jun: 31p/share, \$5.80/ADR, 754 mn shares in issue
- largest investors HBM (11%), Insight (10%)

12 approved products

— SkyePharma-funded — Client-funded

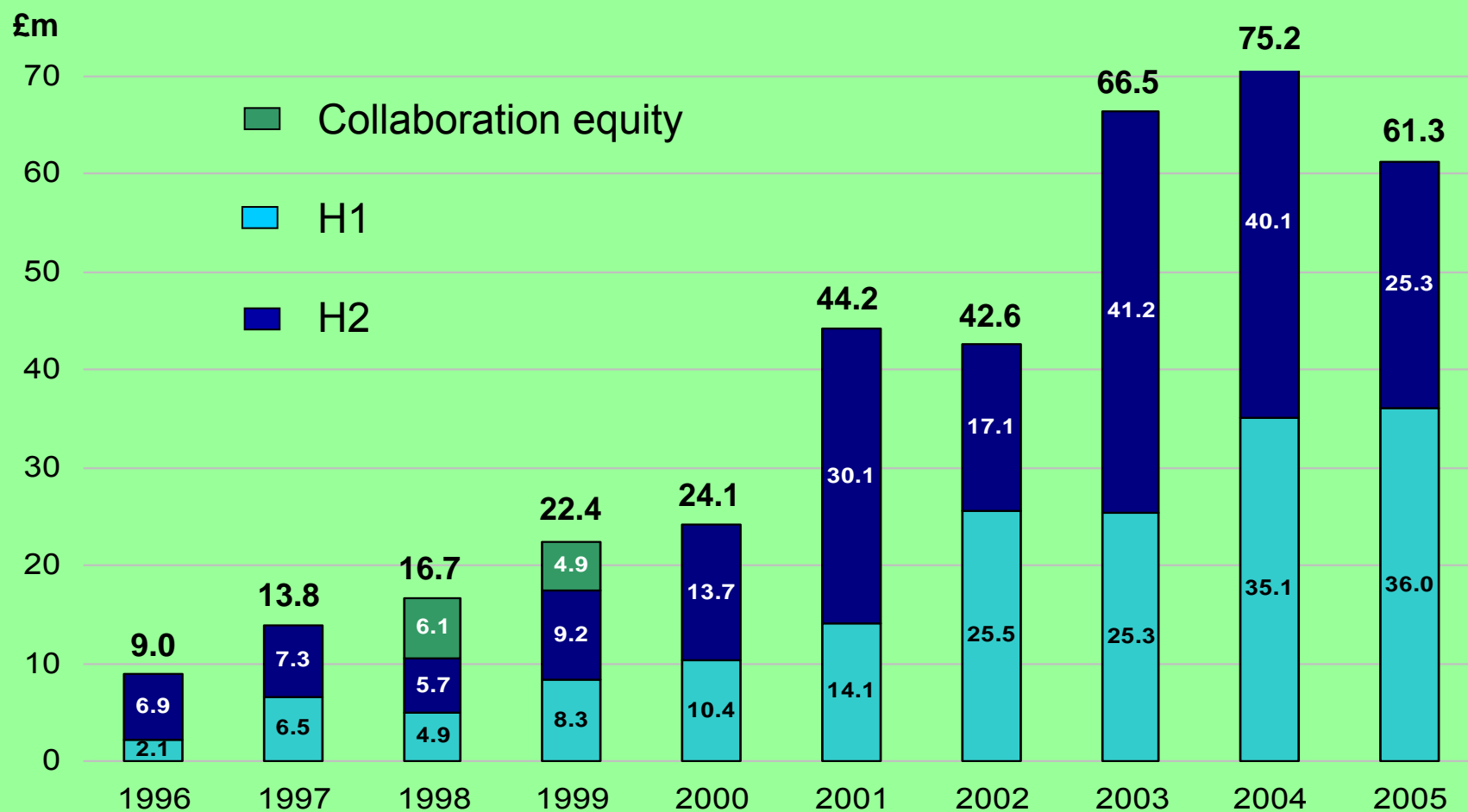
Licensee / partner	product	feasibility	Ph.I	Ph.II	Ph.III	filed	approved	launched
ORAL								
GlaxoSmithKline	Paxil CR							
Sanofi-Aventis	Xatral OD/Uroxatral							
Roche	Madopar DR							
Therabel	Coruno							
Mundipharma	Cordicant-Uno							
Ratiopharm	diclofenac							
GlaxoSmithKline	Requip Once-a-day							
Critical Therapeutics	zileuton CR							
Nitec	Undisclosed							
Undisclosed	Undisclosed							
Sciele	nisoldipine CR							
INHALATION								
Novartis	Foradil Certihaler							
AstraZeneca	Pulmicort HFA							
	formoterol HFA							
Novartis	QAB 149							
Kos	Flutiform							
INJECTABLE								
Enzon/Mundipharma/Nippon S'yaku	DepoCyt							
Endo	DepoDur							
Astralis *	Psoraxine *							
Mundipharma/Maruho	DepoBupivacaine							
	HGH							
	Interferon alpha-2b							
	GCSF							
TOPICAL								
Bradley/Shire	Solaraze							
Dr Reddy's	Multiple							
SOLUBILISATION								
Sciele	Triglide							
Baxter	Multiple							

* SkyePharma has a right of first negotiation to acquire world rights for Psoraxine™

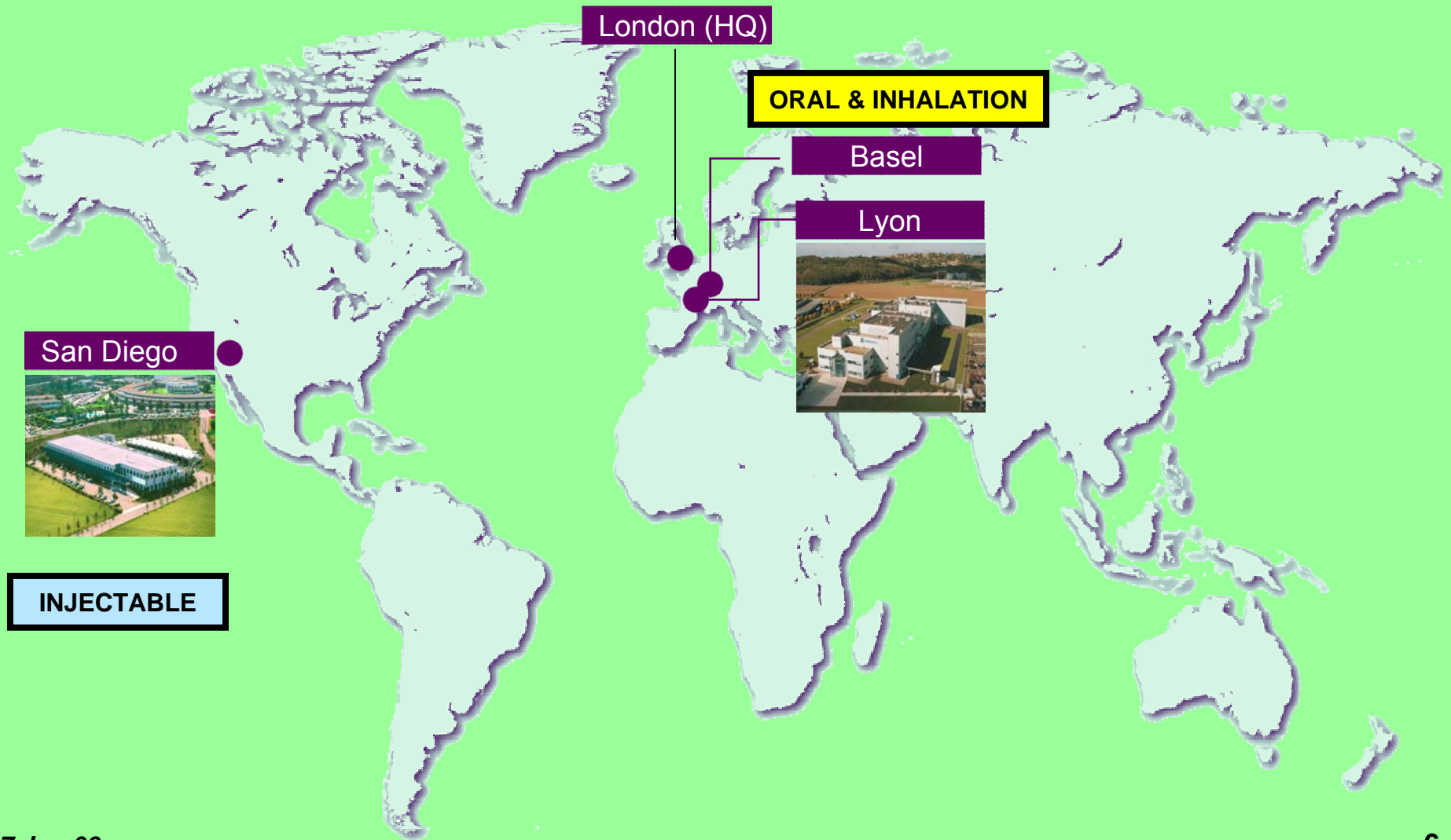
Status is most advanced project

Turnover record

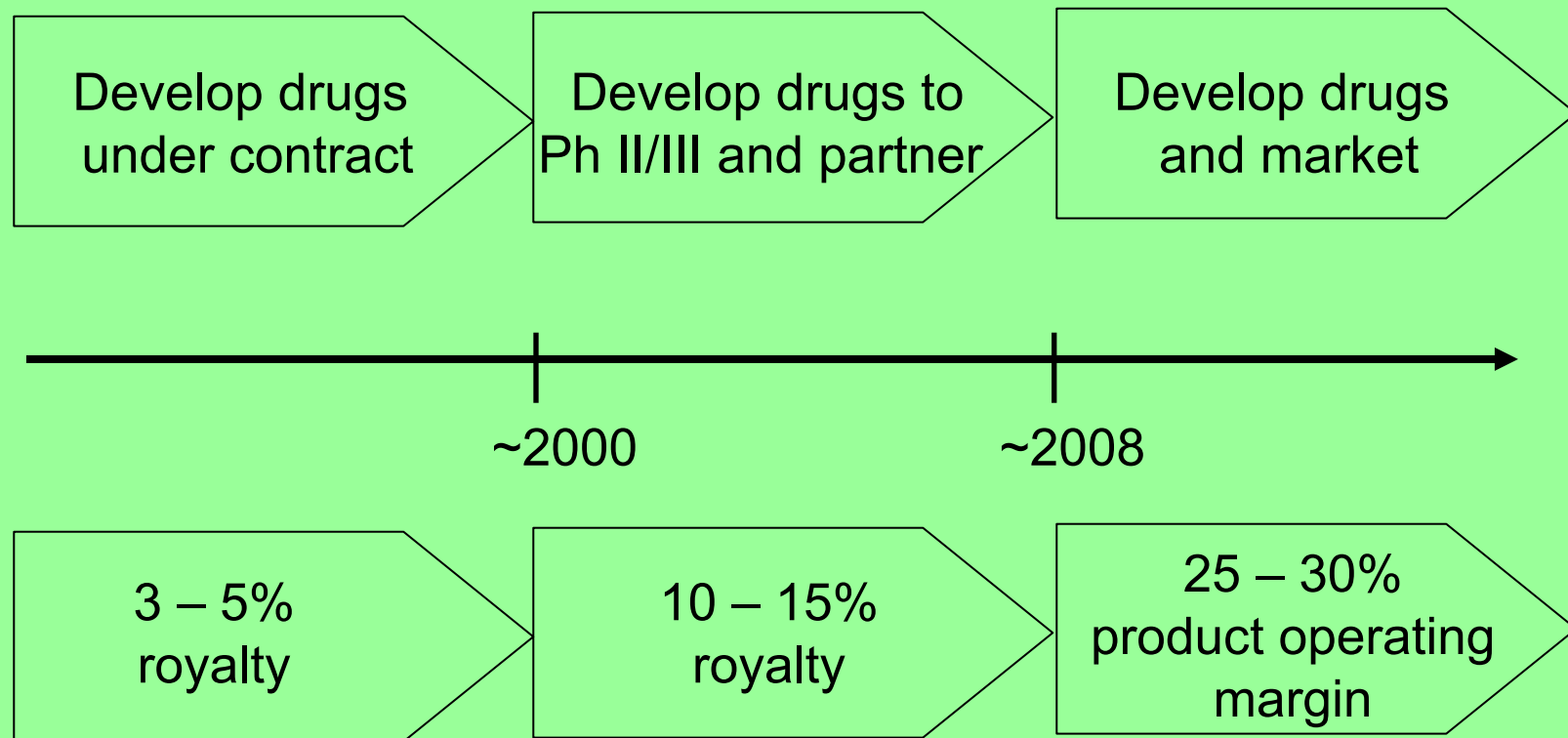
➤ Compound annual growth rate 1996-2005: 24%



Two main business units



Strategy evolution



Strategic plan 2006

- new leadership
- divest injectables unit
- continue Phase III for Flutiform[™] and outlicense this year
- focus on core oral/inhalation unit and expand pipeline
- improve operational efficiency
- longer term aim to market own products in selected therapeutic area

New leadership

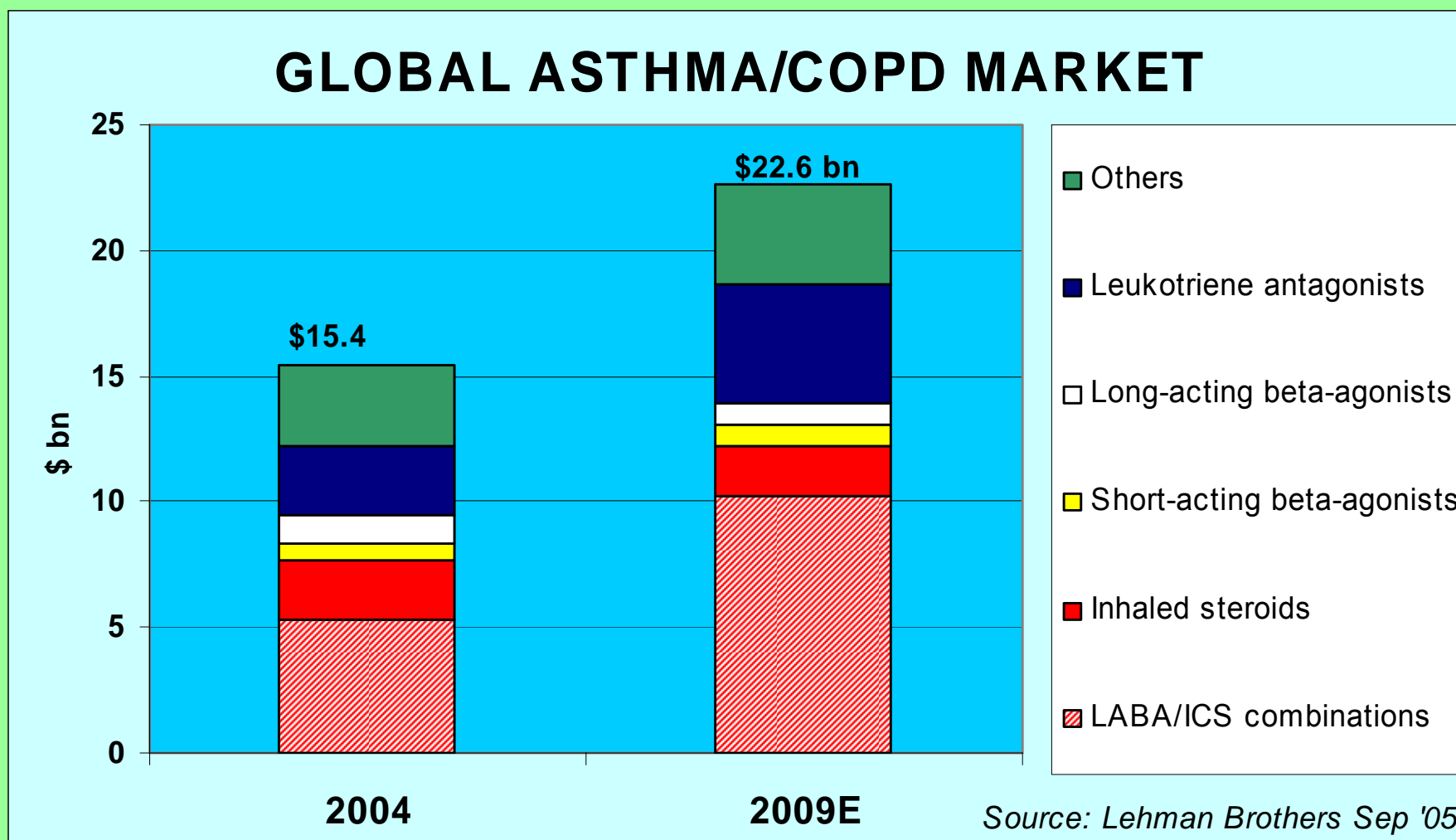
Dr Jerry Karabelas	Non-executive Chairman	Novartis; SmithKline Beecham
Frank Condella	Chief Executive	IVAX; Faulding; Roche
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FlutiformTM

SkyePharma's major pipeline project



FlutiformTM - market opportunity



FlutiformTM - product details

- formoterol (LABA) and fluticasone (ICS) in a fixed-dose combination
 - formoterol 5 µg with fluticasone 50 µg or 125 µg per actuation (“puff”)
 - two actuations per dose
 - dosed twice a day (morning and night)
- proprietary HFA-powered MDI with dose counter
- covered by SkyeDryTM patent (2019 expiration)
 - unique proprietary formulation technology
 - uses DSCG (cromolyn sodium, *Intal*) at sub-therapeutic dose as excipient to stabilize formoterol
 - maintains dose-to-dose consistency
- target indication: asthma in adults and adolescents ≥ 12
 - COPD and paediatric asthma to follow



FlutiformTM - product profile



- **formoterol** LABA (long-acting beta-2 agonist)
- 12 hours bronchodilation = twice-daily dosing
- faster onset of action (1-3 mins) than salmeterol (30-45 mins)
 - gives rapid relief from common symptom of wheeziness on waking
 - patient confidence that medication is working
 - enhances compliance
 - less risk of over-dosage
- **fluticasone** ICS (inhaled corticosteroid)
- low level of systemic uptake
- physician-preferred ICS in the US
 - US physicians in particular are concerned by the risk of systemic uptake of inhaled steroids

Source: TVG market research 2004 (commissioned by SkyePharma)

FlutiFormTM - Phase III trials

- trial design approved by FDA
- 3 double-blind pivotal trials
 - primary end-point : FEV₁
 - patient population: mild-moderate asthmatics age >12
- one open-label 12-month safety study
 - conducted in parallel with pivotal trials
- total number of patients N = 1700
- started as planned in Feb '06
- target filing: **H2 '07**

Flutiform™ - competitive landscape

Company	Product	Current phase	Estimated FDA approval date	Likelihood of FDA approval
GlaxoSmithKline	<i>Advair</i> fluticasone + salmeterol	Marketed as DPI in US and EU	n/a	n/a
AstraZeneca	<i>Symbicort</i> budesonide + formoterol	Marketed EU as DPI MDI filed with FDA Sep 05	2008	High <i>FDA known to have issues with AZN's MDI - may require additional clinical data</i>
SkyePharma	<i>Flutiform</i> fluticasone + formoterol MDI	Ph III Feb 06	2009	High
Altana with Sanofi-Aventis	ciclesonide + formoterol DPI	Ph II	2012	Moderate <i>ciclesonide once-daily formoterol twice-daily</i>
Novartis (with/without Schering-Plough?)	once-daily ICS + QAB149 DPI mometasone + formoterol MDI	Preclinical "Ph III to start in '06"	2012 ?	Moderate <i>NCE development</i> Unknown <i>mometasone once-daily formoterol twice-daily</i>
GlaxoSmithKline	once-daily ICS + once-daily LABA DPI <i>both are NCEs</i>	Early Ph II	2011/12	Moderate <i>NCE development</i>

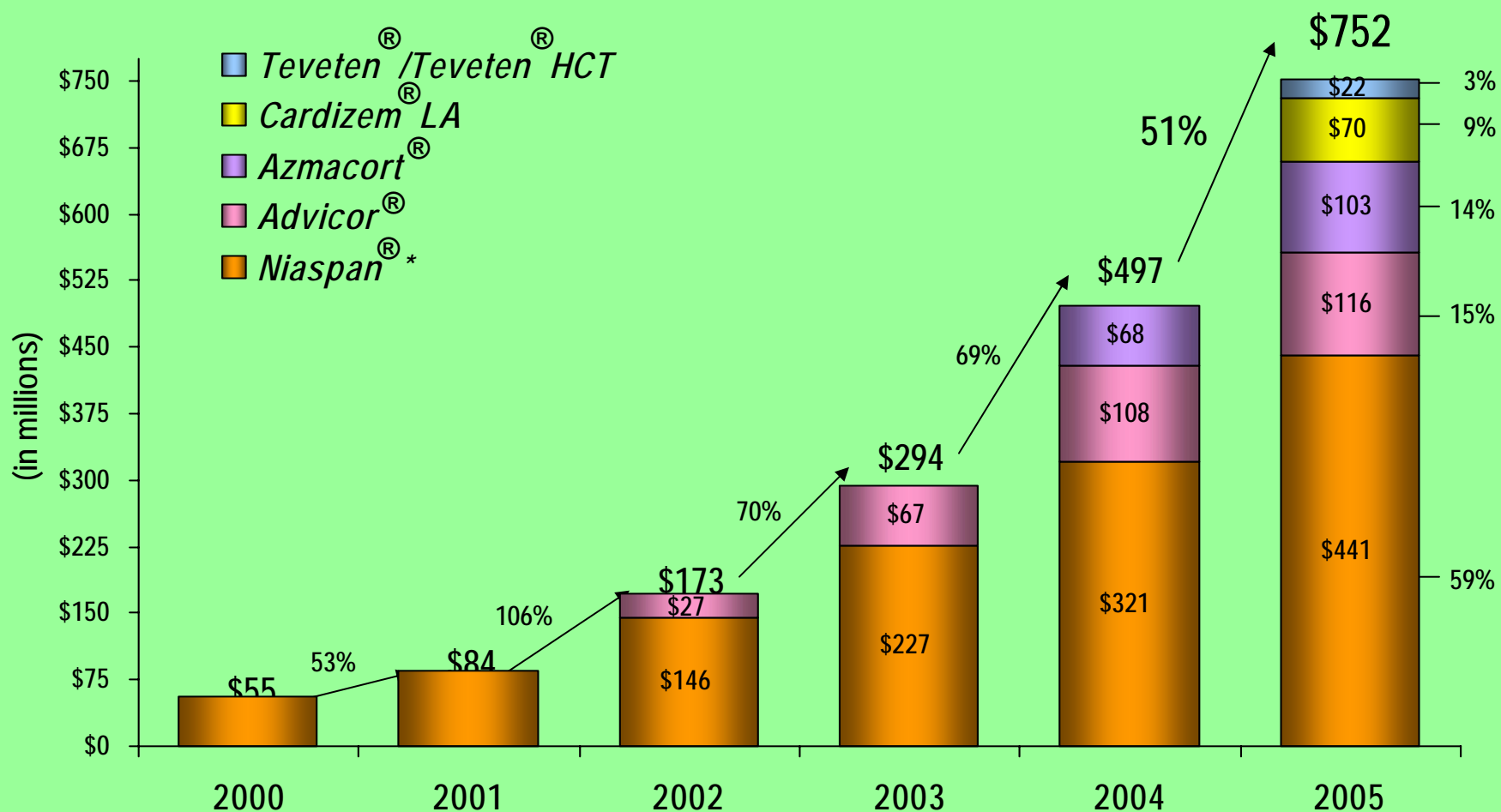
FlutiformTM US licence – Kos (May 2006)

- Kos has exclusive marketing rights for FlutiformTM in US
 - right of first negotiation for Canada
- SkyePharma receives up to \$165 mn in milestone payments on regulatory & sales targets
 - includes \$25 mn upfront
- SkyePharma royalty rate starts in mid-teens
 - rate escalates on sales targets
- SkyePharma and Kos share development of FlutiformTM for asthma and COPD
 - SkyePharma funds trials needed for approval in adult asthma
 - Kos funds trials for all other indications and marketing/post-approval studies
- SkyePharma supplies product to Kos

US partner for FlutiformTM – why Kos?

- successful, fully integrated US Specialty Pharmaceutical company
 - strong financial position, no debt, excellent long-term outlook
- strong commercial capabilities, proven track record
 - 750 person sales force (>1000 by FlutiformTM launch), broad managed care, medical affairs and customer services functions
 - established presence in cardiovascular & asthma areas
 - track record of respiratory market performance with Azmacort
 - proven success in creating and building markets supported by quality medical and patient education
- excellent, therapeutically aligned R&D capabilities
 - clinical, regulatory, safety and surveillance strengths in CV, metabolic and respiratory disease areas
- **both partners see high potential in the product**
 - superior product concept
 - differentiated from competing combinations
 - clear window of opportunity

Kos revenue growth record



*Includes international sales royalty (licensing revenue)

Major objectives 2006

- divest injectable unit
- outlicense FlutiformTM
 - negotiations for non-US territories ongoing
- complete modifications to CertihalerTM and relaunch in EU
- expand oral / inhalation pipeline
- work with licensing partners to drive revenues of marketed products



The new SkyePharma

- new leadership
- drive for sustainable profitability
 - accelerated by sale of injectables unit
- core business is oral and inhalation
- potential blockbuster in FlutiformTM
- strong cashflow from existing royalties



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Appendix

Core Oral / Inhalation Business

Major marketed products

Oral/inhalation:

Paxil CR[™] (GlaxoSmithKline)

Triglide (Sciele)

Xatral[®] OD / Uroxatral[®] (Sanofi-Aventis)

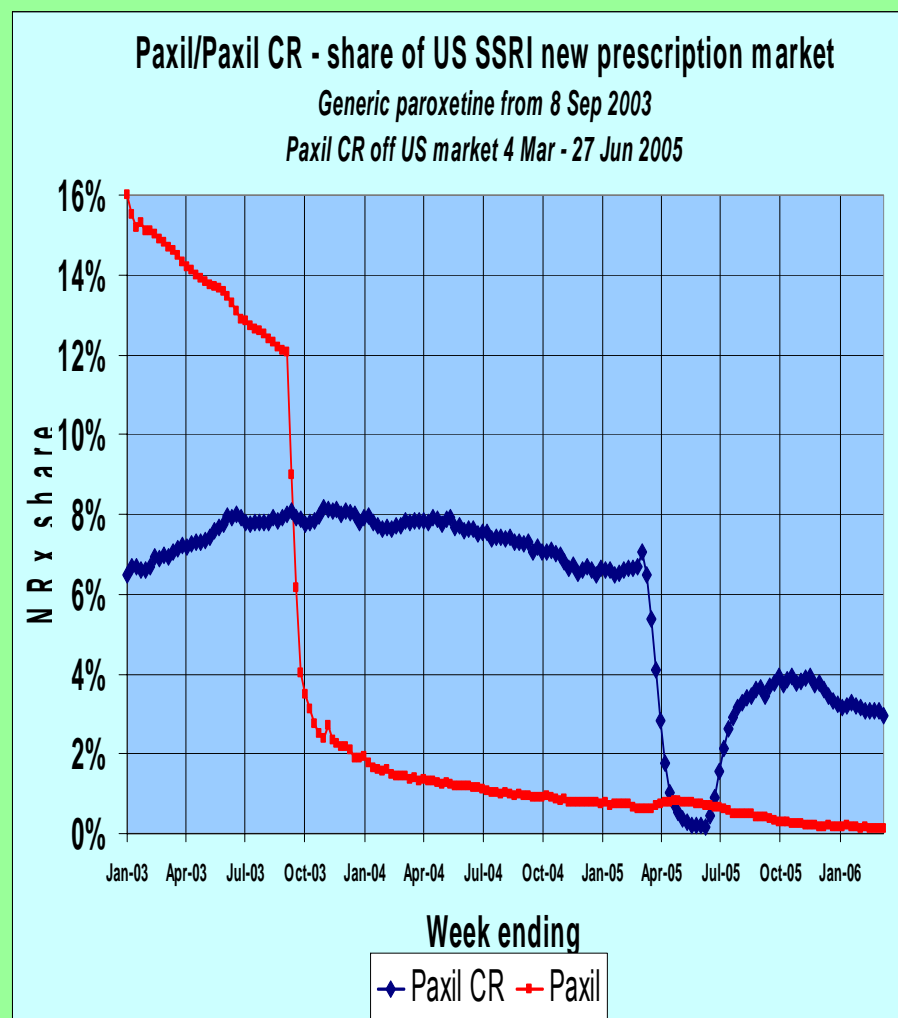
Solaraze[®] (Bradley; Shire)

Paxil CRTM GlaxoSmithKline



➤ GeomatrixTM version of GSK's SSRI Paxil[®] (paroxetine) for **depression**

- targets release to lower intestine
- reduces nausea (issue with all SSRIs)
- improves compliance
- manufacture problems at GSK led to product being taken off US market for 4 months in 2005
 - supply restrictions since re-introduction
- Mylan filed Para IV certification 2005
 - GSK has not challenged, so no 30 month stay of approval
 - generic expected after Jun 2007
- SkyePharma royalty: 4% since April '05
 - previously 3%

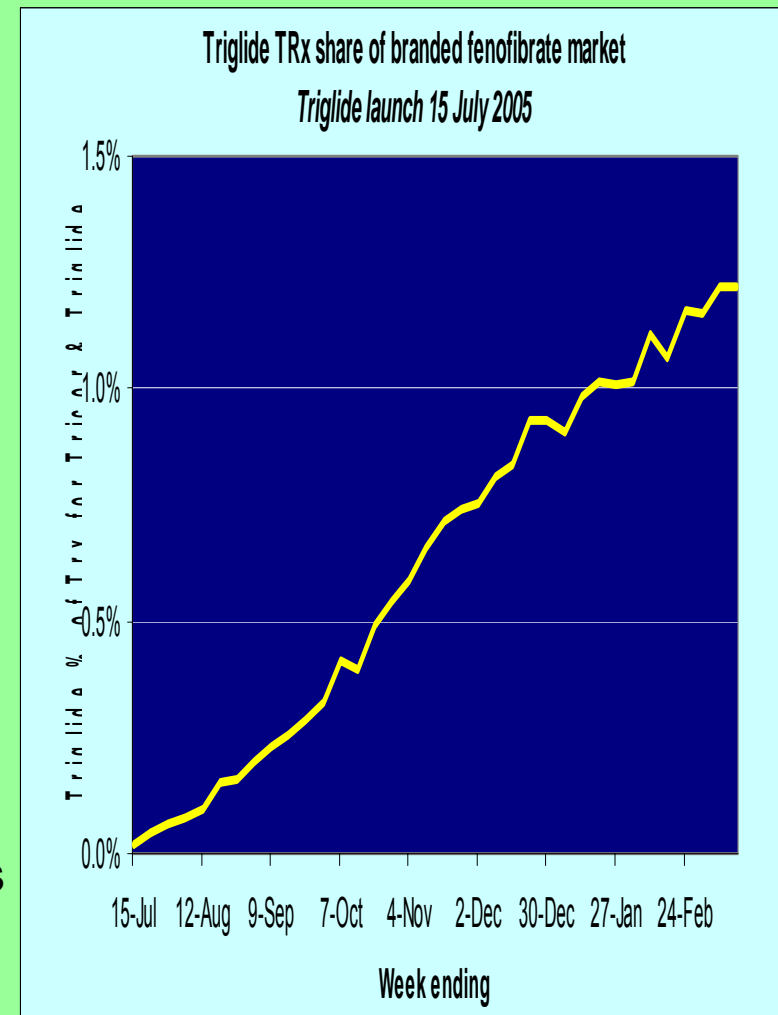




Triglide™ Sciele



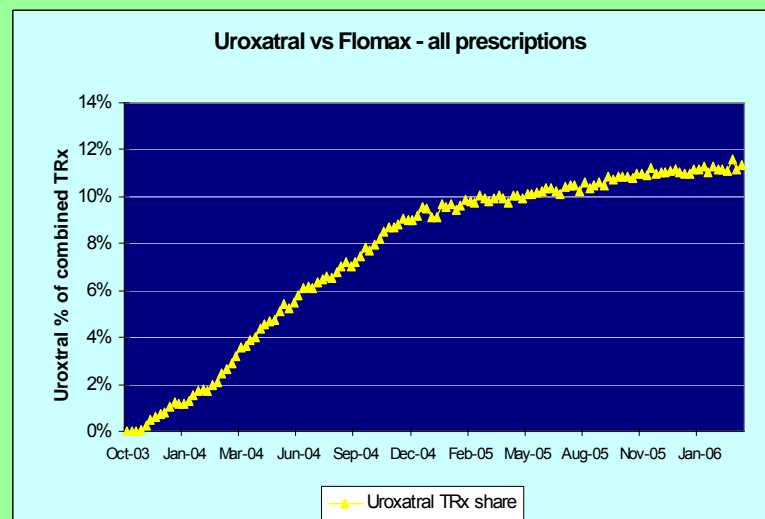
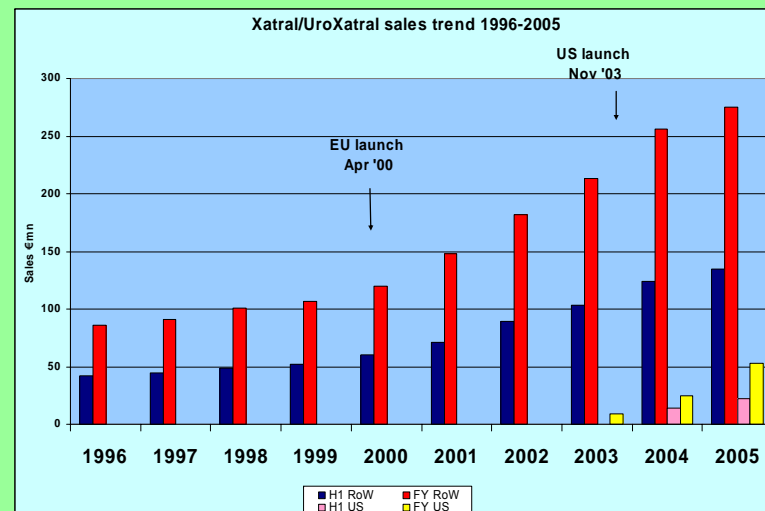
- SkyePharma oral formulation of fenofibrate – avoids food interaction problems
- fenofibrate a key treatment for **lipid disorders**
- beneficial **dual** lipid-modulating effects – TG & LDL-C ↓ but HDL-C ↑
 - highly unsatisfied market – most patients with elevated lipids are either untreated or under-treated
- launched in US July '05 by Sciele (successful specialty pharma company)
- Triglide™ 2005 sales \$5m (5 months only)
 - now holds ~2% NRx share
- SkyePharma receives up to \$50m in milestones and 25% share of sales



Xatral[®] OD/Uroxatral[®] Sanofi-Aventis



- once-daily Geomatrix[™] formulation of alfuzosin for **BPH**
- marketed in Europe & ROW since 2000 and in US since 2003
- main competitor Flomax (tamsulosin)
 - in US, Uroxatral[®] now holds >11% of combined NRx for Flomax and Uroxatral[®]
- 2005 sales of Xatral (all versions) €328m +18% CER
 - US sales €53m (\$66m) +121% CER
 - Xatral[®] OD/Uroxatral[®] now >90% of Xatral[®] sales reported by Sanofi-Aventis
- SkyePharma return on sales: mid-single digits



Solaraze®

Bradley / Shire



- topical gel formulation of diclofenac for **actinic keratosis**
 - AK is early form of squamous cell carcinoma
 - alternative treatments for AK are painful and disfiguring
 - SkyePharma HA formulation retains high concentration of active in upper skin layers
- marketed by **Bradley** in North America, **Shire** in Europe / Australasia
 - 2005 global in-market sales \$27.5 mn (+78%)
 - US \$10m in 9M '05 (*latest data reported by Bradley*) – FY '05 est \$15m
 - vs \$6m in 2004 (for 4 months)
 - Europe/RoW \$12.5m (+32%)
- progress towards Australian marketing authorisation
 - Australia is major market for skin cancer products
- SkyePharma royalty: double digit

Key near-term pipeline products

Oral/inhalation:

Foradil[®] Certihaler[®]

Pulmicort[®] HFA

Requip Once-a-day

Flutiform[™]



Foradil[®] Certihaler[™]

Novartis / Schering-Plough

- long-acting bronchodilator formoterol in multi-dose dry-powder inhaler
- Foradil[®] Certihaler[™] now approved in 24 markets (Europe, Mid-East, S America...)
- launched in Germany Sep '05 and Switzerland Oct '05 but recalled by Novartis from both markets Jan '06
 - a few patients misused device and experienced accidental incorrect dose
 - SkyePharma working with Novartis to investigate cause and correct
- FDA “approvable” letter Apr '06 – device modifications will be required for final approval
- SkyePharma return on sales: ~10% (royalty + manufacturing return)

Pulmicort[®] HFA-MDI AstraZeneca (for Europe)



- Pulmicort[®] (budesonide) in CFC-free MDI
 - inhaled steroid for asthma
- will allow AZN to withdraw CFC-MDI version (Montreal protocol requirement)
- SkyePharma developed formulation and conducted clinical development for AZN
- filed on country-by-country basis in Europe mid '05
- first European approval (Finland) Feb '06
- double digit royalty

Requip Once-a-day GlaxoSmithKline

- once-daily oral dosage formulation of ropinirole (dopamine agonist) for Parkinson's disease
- dopamine agonists increasingly recommended as first-line therapy
- once-daily version should deliver efficacy and provide convenience
- filed by GSK Dec '05
 - national applications filed in Europe and New Zealand
 - US filing had to be withdrawn for technical reasons – should be resubmitted H2 '06
- GSK's 2005 sales of Requip[®] \$284m (+34%)
 - majority of sales currently for RLS indication
- mid-single digit royalty rate