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GLPG	\$96.02
12 month target	\$118.00
BUY	
52 week range	\$57.96 - \$104.02
Market Cap (m)	\$4,884
Price Performance	
GLPG	114.42
— SPX	101.97
M	89.52

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Source: IDC

Biotechnology

Galapagos N.V.

Pipeline Update Supports Positive 2018 Outlook

On Friday before mkt open, Galapagos hosted their 3Q17 investor call, and provided key clinical catalysts expected for their lead programs in Cystic Fibrosis, Rheumatoid Arthritis, Ulcerative Colitis and Crohn's, as well as their earlier stage pipeline. Accordingly, we have updated our model to include the earlier stage programs for Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis, Osteoarthritis, and Atopic Dermatitis, which are all moving forward into more advanced studies. Although heavily risk adjusted, and more impactful to our out-year model (2022+), the additions support raising our PT to \$118, versus \$98 previously. We reiterate our Buy rating.

- Cystic fibrosis '2451 triple combo study to begin enrolling during 4Q17: Mgmt highlighted that the UK scientific advisory committee had provided approval to start the trial, and expect finalization of the clinical trial application by November. Management mentioned that there had not been a concern raised regarding the long-acting metabolite of '2451. The study will have both homozygous F508del and Minimal function cohorts, measuring FEV1 and Sweat Chloride at week 4. Near term, we think that data from the ALBATROSS (dual-combo) study expected within the next several weeks (NACFC meeting in November) could provide more tangible validation for the GLPG CF platform.
- Presentation of the 84-week data for DARWIN 3 at ACR (Nov. 6th) could help differentiate filgotinib's safety profile: Mgmt noted that thromboembolic events (DV/PE) for filgotinib (Jak 1) have only occurred at a rate of 0.16 (n=3) per 100 PT years across studies, with only 1 incident to date in DARWIN 3, which is a meaningful improvement relative to the first-gen Jak inhibitors, and could also potentially have a reduced risk profile relative to upadacitinib.
- Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis placebo-controlled study with GLPG1690 is expected to begin enrolling during 1H18: Tox studies for chronic dosing of GLPG1690 have been completed, and have not shown signs of CNS tox. The primary endpoint for the study will be FVC following 1 year of dosing. Mgmt plans to discuss additional studies with the EMA, and with the FDA to complete the registrational packet. The program currently remains unpartnered.
- ► Valuation: Our \$118PT values GLPG at ~4x EV/ 2022E Sales.

Estimates

	1Q16 A	2Q16 A	3Q16 A	4Q16 A	FY16 A	1Q17 A	2Q17 E	3Q17 E	4Q17 E	FY17 E	FY18 E
Sales	15	34	16	87	152	40	0	0	0	0	0
EBITDA (Adj.)	0	0	0	0	0	(7)	(21)	(29)	(25)	(82)	(107)
Diluted EPS (Adj.)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.28)	(0.71)	(0.78)	(0.56)	(2.34)	(2.34)

Source: BTIG Estimates and Company Documents (\$ in millions, except per share amount)

77.06

64.61

52.16



Galapagos, in collaboration with MorphoSys, is developing MOR106 (IL-17c antibody), a clinical candidate for moderate to severe Atopic Dermatitis.

The mechanism of action of MOR106 is highly validated, as the IL-class makes up a huge percent of marketed drugs for inflammatory conditions, but IL-17C is expected to be more selective for the epithelia cells and thus associated with lesser side effects. The drug is also expected to have broad applications.

A phase 1 tox study with the subcutaneous formulation is expected to begin during 2018 to allow for a bridge into a Phase 3 subcu study, following completion of the Phase 2 intravenous study, which is also expected to begin during 2018.

Figure 1. We forecast MOR106 revenues for Galapagos reaching ~ \$579m during 2023E

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Atopic Dermatitis_	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E
Galapagos/Morphosys MOR106 Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$109	\$347	\$579	\$840	\$1,131	\$1,454
US Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$109	\$252	\$408	\$579	\$764	\$965
EU Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$95	\$170	\$261	\$367	\$489
GLPG Net Revenue	<i>\$0</i>	\$0	\$0	\$55	\$174	\$289	\$420	<i>\$566</i>	\$727
Atopic Dermatitis	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E
MOR106	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$109	\$252	\$408	\$579	\$764	\$965
Market Share of Systemic Drugs (%)									
MOR106	0%	0%	0%	3%	6%	9%	12%	15%	18%
# of Moderate to Severe Adult Patients with Uncontrolled AD	397,170	401,142	405,153	409,205	413,297	417,430	421,604	425,820	430,078
Cost of Therapy Per Patient	\$29,600	\$29,896	\$30,195	\$30,497	\$30,802	\$31,110	\$31,421	\$31,735	\$32,053
Price Inflation %	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
MOR106	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$95	\$170	\$261	\$367	\$489
Market Share of Systemic Drugs (%)									
MOR106	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	8%	11%	14%	17%
# of Moderate to Severe Adult Patients with Uncontrolled AD	948,065	957,545	967,121	976,792	986,560	996,426	1,006,390	1,016,454	1,026,618
Cost of Therapy Per Patient	\$18,500	\$18,685	\$18,872	\$19,061	\$19,251	\$19,444	\$19,638	\$19,835	\$20,033
Price Inflation %	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Source: Company Reports, ClinicalTrials.gov, FactSet, Bloomberg, BTIG Research Estimates, October 2017



Galapagos has an ongoing study with GLPG1690 (autotaxin inhibitor) for Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF). Orphan designation has been granted to GLPG1690 in IPF by the European Commission, and the program currently remains unpartnered.

The hallmark of IPF is scarring, but currently approved drugs are unable to reverse the scarring which characterizes disease. Thus, Galapagos has chosen to focus on inhibiting, lysophosphatidic acid (LPA), since LPA can promote fibrosis and scarring.

Tox studies for chronic dosing of GLPG1690 have been completed, and have not shown signs of CNS tox. The primary endpoint for the pivotal study will be FVC following 1 year of dosing. Mgmt plans to discuss additional studies with the EMA, and with the FDA to complete the registrational packet.

Figure 2. We forecast GLPG1690 revenues reaching ~ \$315m during 2023E

Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF)	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E
Galapagos GLPG1690 Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$37	\$315	\$876	\$1,612	\$2,588
US Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$37	\$228	\$583	\$1,109	\$1,819
EU Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$86	\$293	\$503	\$770
Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF)	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E
GLPG1690	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$37	\$228	\$583	\$1,109	\$1,819
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Market Share (%)									
GLPG1690	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	15%	25%	35%	45%
# of Moderate to Severe IPF Patients	140,693	142,100	143,521	144,956	146,406	147,870	149,349	150,842	152,351
Cost of Therapy Per Patient	\$98,000	\$98,980	\$99.970	\$100,969	\$101,979	\$102.999	\$104,029	\$105,069	\$106,120
Price Inflation %	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
GLPG1690	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$86	\$293	\$503	\$770
Market Share (%)									
GLPG1690	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	15%	25%	35%	45%
# of Moderate to Severe IPF Patients	151,870	153,388	154,922	156,471	158,036	159,616	161,213	162,825	164,453
Cost of Therapy Per Patient	\$68,600	\$69,286	\$69,979	\$70,679	\$71,385	\$72,099	\$72,820	\$73,548	\$74,284
Price Inflation %	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Source: Company Reports, ClinicalTrials.gov, FactSet, Bloomberg, BTIG Research Estimates, October 2017



Galapagos is also developing GLPG1972 (ADAMTS-5), a first-in-class clinical drug candidate for Osteoarthritis, in collaboration with Servier.

GLPG1972 is a potent and selective small inhibitor of the enzyme ADAMTS-5, with the potential to address the underlying cause of the disease, as ADAMTS-5 can protect the cartilage from degradation.

Management is currently awaiting data from the phase 1b study, which is fully recruited, and is expected to read out next year. The phase 2 POC global study is expected to also begin early next year.

Figure 3. We forecast GLPG1972 revenues for Galapagos reaching ~ \$188m during 2023E

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Osteoarthritis (OA)	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E
Galapagos/Servier GLPG1972 Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$188	\$384	\$588	\$800
US Sales	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$188	\$384	\$588	\$800
Osteoarthritis (OA)	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E	2024E	2025E	2026E
GLPG1972	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$188	\$384	\$588	\$800
Market Share (%)									
GLPG1972	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Total US Sales (\$m)	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$00	\$188	\$384	\$588	\$800
# of Symptomatic Hand OA Patients	1,478,761	1,493,549	1,508,485	1,523,569	1,538,805	1,554,193	1,569,735	1,585,432	1,601,287
% Patients Treated	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
# of Severe Knee OA Patients	2,131,156	2,152,468	2,173,992	2,195,732	2,217,690	2,239,867	2,262,265	2,284,888	2,307,737
% Patients Treated	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	3%	4%
# of Severe Hip OA Patients	1,957,184	1,976,756	1,996,524	2,016,489	2,036,654	2,057,020	2,077,591	2,098,366	2,119,350
% Patients Treated	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Patients Treated	-	-	-	-	-	22,399	45,245	68,547	92,309
Cost of Therapy Per Patient	\$8,000	\$8,080	\$8,161	\$8,242	\$8,325	\$8,408	\$8,492	\$8,577	\$8,663
Price Inflation %	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Source: Company Reports, ClinicalTrials.gov, FactSet, Bloomberg, BTIG Research Estimates, October 2017



Income Statement

Galapagos, Inc. Income Statement		Mar-17	Jun-17	Sep-17	Dec-17		Mar-18	Jun-18	Sep-18	Dec-18						
EUR € mm	2016E	1Q17E	2Q17	3Q17	4Q17E	2017E	1Q18E	2Q18E	3Q18E	4Q18E	2018E	2019E	2020E	2021E	2022E	2023E
Total Revenue	152	40	33	33	39	145	39	39	39	39	154	154	194	457	886	2003
Product Revenues	152	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	303	732	1849
Reimbursement Revenues	130	34	27	27	33	120	33	33	33	33	130	130	130	130	130	130
Other Income	22	6	6	6	6	24	6	6	6	6	24	24	24	24	24	24
Cost of Goods Sold	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-2.00	-15.16	-36.59	-92.45
Gross Profit	151.612	40	33	33	39	144.854	39	39	39	39	154.000	154.000	192.020	442.071	849.256	1910.537
Gross Margin %							100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	97%	96%	95%
Operating Expenses	-163.1	-51	-55	-63	-65	-234	-65	-66	-66	-67	-264	-269	-536	-815	-723	-1230
Research and Development	-139.57	-45	-48	-56	-57	-207	-58	-58	-58	-58	-232	-232	-410	-485	-512	-832
Research and Development % of Sales	138%	1.127	145%	169%	149%	144%	151%	151%	151%	151%	151%	151%	1025%	160%	70%	45%
General and administrative expenses	-22	-6	-6	-6	-7	-24	-6	-6	-6	-7	-25	-26	-26	-27	-28	-28
G & A % of Sales	22%	0.141	19%	18%	17%	17%	15%	17%	16%	17%	16%	17%	14%	6%	3%	1%
Sales and marketing expenses	-2	-1	-1	-1	-1	-3	-2	-2	-2	-2	-7	-11	-100	-303	-183	-370
Sales and marketing % of Sales	2%	0.014	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	7%	250%	100%	25%	20%
Operating Profit	-11	-11	-22	-30	-26	-89	-27	-28	-27	-28	-110	-115	-344	-373	126	680
Operating Profit Margin %	-8%	-28%	-65%	-89%	-69%	-61%	-70%	-72%	-71%	-73%	-71%	-74%	-178%	-82%	14%	34%
Fair value re-measurement of Share Sub Agreement	57	0	0	0												
Other financial income	10	1	1	1												
Other financial expenses	-2	-3	-15	-8		-26.80					0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pretax Income	54	-14	-36	-37	-26	-112	-27	-28	-27	-28	-110	-115	-344	-373	126	680
Income Tax Provision	0	0	-0.1	-0.06												
Tax Rate	1%	0%	0%	-0.2%												
Net Income	54	-14	-36	-37	-26	-112	-27	-28	-27	-28	-110	-115	-344	-373	126	680
Basic Shares Outstanding	45.06	46.26	48.04	45.53	47.05	46.72	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05
Diluted Shares Outstanding	46.43	48.33	49.99	47.05	47.05	48.11	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05	47.05
Basic EPS		-0.29	-0.74	-0.80	-0.56	-2.40	-0.57	-0.59	-0.58	-0.60	-2.34	-2.43	-7.32	-7.93	2.69	14.46
Diluted EPS		-0.28	-0.71	-0.78	-0.56	-2.34	-0.57	-0.59	-0.58	-0.60	-2.34	-2.43	-7.32	-7.93	2.69	14.46
Diluted EPS Growth % YoY																
Non-Gaap Adjustments GAAP EPS																
Share Price		\$83.46	\$84.29	\$76.52	\$77.29	\$77.29	\$78.06	\$78.84	\$79.63	\$80.42	\$80.42	\$83.69	\$87.09	\$90.62	\$94.30	\$98.13
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Source: Company Reports, Bloomberg, BTIG Research Estimates, October 2017



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GALAPAGOS N.V. (GLPG, Buy, \$118.00 PT; Current Price: \$96.02; Analyst: Dane.Leone)



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Galapagos N.V. (GLPG, Buy, \$118.00 PT)

Valuation: Our \$118PT values GLPG at ~4.x EV/ 2022E Sales.

Risks: Our Buy rating and \$118 price target may prove inaccurate due to a number of risks related to Galapagos (GLPG) being an unprofitable early stage company with limited clinical data across the Cystic Fibrosis, Rheumatoid Arthritis, and Inflammatory Bowel Disease Portfolios.

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