## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 13, 2020

#### NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

333 Oyster Point Boulevard South San Francisco, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices) 001-38853

(Commission File Number)

26-1679911 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

> 94080 (Zip Code)

(650) 243-5555 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instructions A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

 Title of each class
 Trading Symbol(s)
 Name of each exchange on which registered

 Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share
 NGM
 The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company") will be conducting meetings with securities analysts, investors and others in connection with the 38th Annual J.P. Morgan Healthcare Conference in San Francisco beginning on January 13, 2020. As part of these meetings, the Company intends to utilize the corporate slide presentation furnished with this report as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. Corporate Presentation, dated January 13, 2020.

The information in this report, including the exhibit hereto, shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section 11 and 12(a) (2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The information contained herein and in the accompanying exhibit shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission made by NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc., whether made before or after the date hereof, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc.

Dated: January 13, 2020

By: /s/ Aetna Wun Trombley
Aetna Wun Trombley
President and Chief Operating Officer

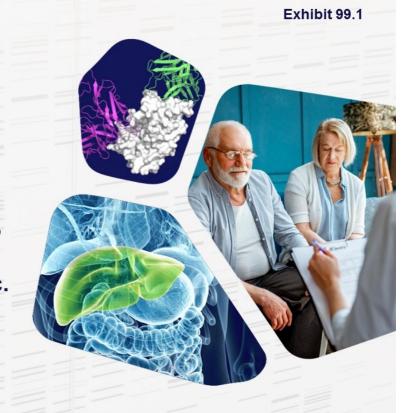


# Novel Biology. Powerful Medicines. Transformative Impact.

NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc.

CORPORATE OVERVIEW

NASDAQ: NGM



### Safe Harbor Statement

This presentation contains forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, statements regarding potential indications for, and planned development of, product candidates in NGM's pipeline; the planned timing of initiation, enrollment and results of NGM's clinical trials, including the announcement of topline data from Cohort 4 of the Phase 2 clinical study of aldafermin (NGM282); NGM's option to participate in the economic return of any programs licensed by Merck; the potential activity, complementarity, safety, tolerability and efficacy of NGM's product candidates; NGM's expectation of potential value-driving catalysts; and any other statements other than statements of historical facts. Because such statements deal with future events and are based on NGM's current plans, objectives, estimates and expectations, they are subject to significant risks and uncertainties and actual results and achievements and the timing of events could differ materially from those described in or implied by the statements in this presentation. Such risks and uncertainties include, without limitation, those associated with costly and time-consuming pharmaceutical product development; the uncertainty of clinical success; failures or delays in initiating, enrolling or completing clinical trials; seeking and maintaining protection of intellectual property; and delays or problems in the manufacture of product candidates; as well as other risks and uncertainties affecting NGM, including those discussed in the section titled "Risk Factors" and elsewhere in NGM's quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2019 and future filings and reports of NGM with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Other risks and uncertainties of which NGM is not currently aware may also affect the forward-looking statements and may cause actual results and the timing of events to differ materially from those anticipated. The forwardlooking statements contained herein are made only as of the date hereof or as of the dates indicated in the forward-looking statements, even if they are subsequently made available by NGM on its website or otherwise. NGM undertakes no obligation to update or supplement any forward-looking statements after the date of this presentation, or to update the reasons why actual results may differ or differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements.

## **Company Highlights**





#### Aldafermin (NGM282)

Wholly-owned, Phase 2b product candidate for treatment of **NASH** (non-alcoholic steatohepatitis)

#### NGM313 (MK-3655)

Insulin sensitizer for treatment of NASH and T2D; Licensed by Merck



#### Pipeline of four additional product candidates in

candidates in
cardio-metabolic,
oncologic and
ophthalmic diseases and



Strategic collaboration with Merck –

up to \$75M/yr. R&D support<sup>1</sup> and NGM option on future Merck late-stage programs



Experienced team with highly productive R&D engine generating on average

~1 development candidate/year



Multiple key
milestones and
potential value
driving catalysts
expected in the next

12-18 months

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Merck has committed to provide R&D reimbursement of up to \$50 million per year. If our R&D expenses exceed \$50 million in a given year, Merck can either reimburse up to an additional \$25 million for use in funding IND-enabling or later-staged activities or provide us with the equivalent value in in-kind services for such activities.
T2D: type 2 diabetes



## Significant Milestones Achieved in 2019

$\checkmark$	IPO	Raised \$174M in net cash proceeds from IPO and concurrent private placement with Merck
✓	MERCK	Extended research collaboration to March 2022 <sup>1</sup>
$\checkmark$	ALDAFERMIN	Positive interim Phase 2 NASH data (non-invasive measures) from Cohort 4
✓	ALDAFERMIN	Initiated Phase 2b NASH (F2/F3) trial – ALPINE 2/3
$\checkmark$	ALDAFERMIN	Published Phase 2 Cohorts 2 and 3 biopsy data in Hepatology
$\checkmark$	NGM120	Completed Phase 1 study for first cancer program
<b>✓</b>	NGM621	Advanced first ophthalmology program into Phase 1 (dry AMD/geographic atrophy)

Dry AMD: dry age-related macular degeneration

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## Our Expansive Pipeline

	PRODUCT CANDIDATE	PRODUCT DESCRIPTION (DOSING FREQUENCY)	POTENTIAL INDICATIONS	STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT	WORLDWIDE COMMERCIAL RIGHTS
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GF19: fibroblast growth factor 19; FGFR1c/KLB: fibroblast growth factor receptor 1c/beta-klotho; GFRAL: glial-cell-derived neurotrophic factor receptor alpha-like; GDF15: growth differentiation factor 15

## Key Targeted Pipeline Milestones for 2020

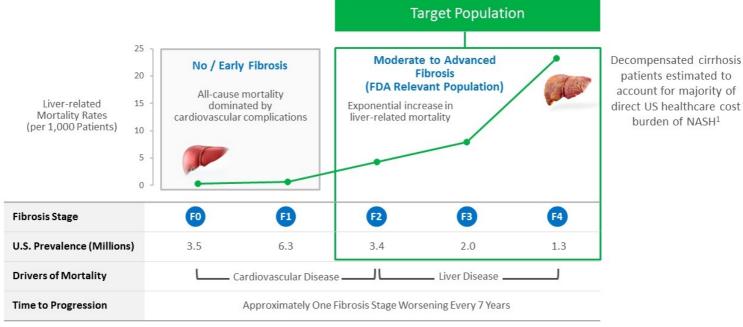




FGF19: fibroblast growth factor 19; FGFR1c/KLB: fibroblast growth factor receptor 1c/beta-klotho; GDF15: growth differentiation factor 15; GFRAL: glial-cell-derived neurotrophic factor receptor alpha-like PC = Preclinical; FPI: first patient in

## NGMBio

## Improving Fibrosis Leads to Better Outcomes for NASH Patients

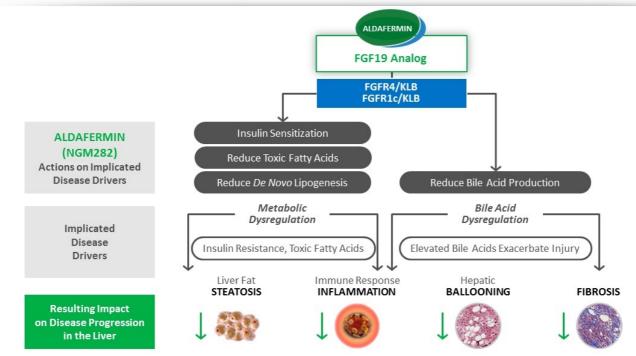


Sources: Dulai et al, Hepatology 2017, 65(5):1557-1565; Singh et al, Clin Gastroenterol Hepatol. 2015, 13(4): 643-654; Estes et al, Hepatology 2018, 67(1): 123-133. 

<sup>1</sup> H Razavi, Paris NASH meeting July 5, 2018 presentation "The value proposition of NASH therapy on the burden of disease related to obesity"

## NGMBio

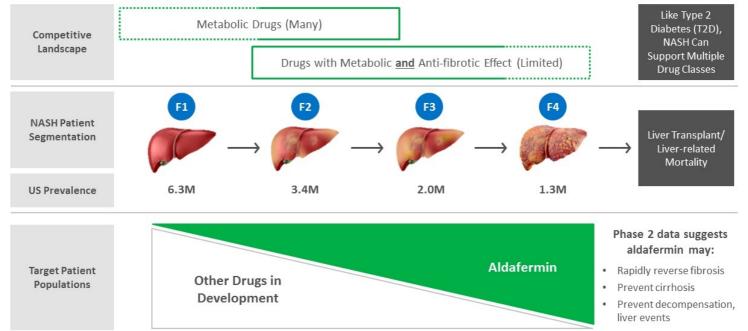
## Aldafermin Impacts the Key Drivers of NASH Pathogenesis



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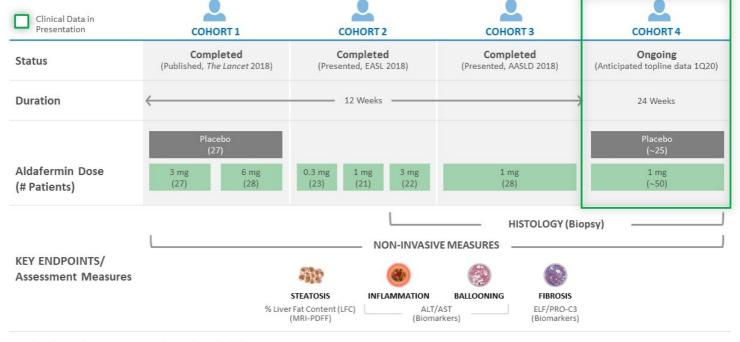
### Unlike Many Other Drugs in Development, Aldafermin Targets Fibrosis Reversal and Cirrhosis Prevention in Advanced NASH Patients





## NASH Phase 2 Program Provides Foundation for Late-Stage Development of Aldafermin

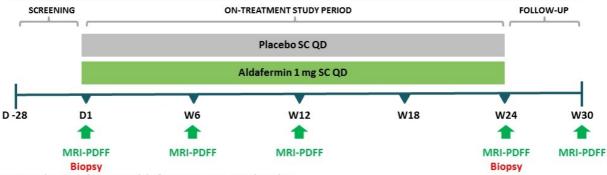




ELF: Enhanced Liver Fibrosis score; PRO-C3: exploratory biomarker of fibrogenesis

### Cohort 4: A 24-Week, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Multi-Center Ph2 Study of Aldafermin in Patients with Biopsy-Proven NASH

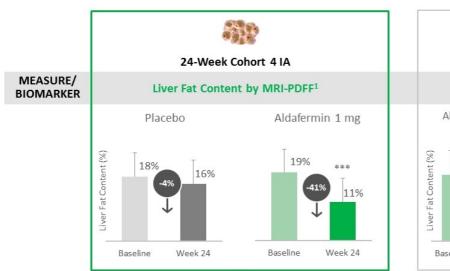


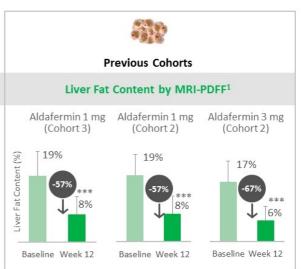


- 78 subjects randomized 2:1 to aldafermin 1 mg or placebo
- · Key inclusion criteria include:
  - o Biopsy confirmed NASH with NAS≥4 (1 point in each component); stage 2 or 3 liver fibrosis (F2 or F3 by NASH CRN criteria);
  - o Absolute liver fat content (LFC) ≥8% by MRI-PDFF;
  - o ALT ≥ 19 IU/L in females, ALT ≥ 30 IU/L in males
- Primary endpoint: change from baseline in absolute LFC (as measured by MRI-PDFF) in subjects with histologically confirmed NASH after 24 weeks of treatment
- Exploratory endpoints include: effect on histology at W24 (not powered for statistical significance)
- A pre-specified interim analysis on MRI-PDFF and select biomarkers was conducted when 38 subjects completed W24
- Rosuvastatin (ROS 20 mg) started at W2 if LDL-C rise of 10 mg/dL observed
  - o ROS dose titrated up to 40 mg at W4 to W8 if LDL-C remains above baseline

## Summary of Phase 2 Data: Liver Fat Content







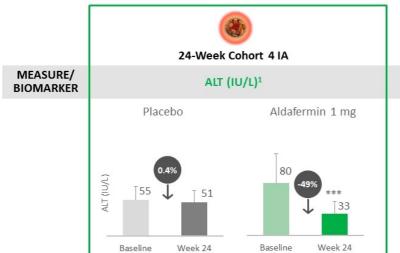
\*\*\*P<0.001, \*\*P<0.01, \*P<0.05 vs baseline

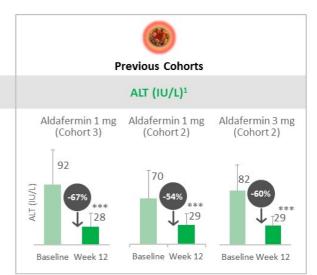
17% (Placebo) and 72% (aldafermin 1 mg) of Subjects Achieved  $\geq$  30% Relative LFC Reduction at Week 24

<sup>1</sup> Relative values are calculated as mean change from baseline Cohort 4 interim analysis - Preliminary data; Cohorts 2-3 preliminary data

## Summary of Phase 2 Data: ALT







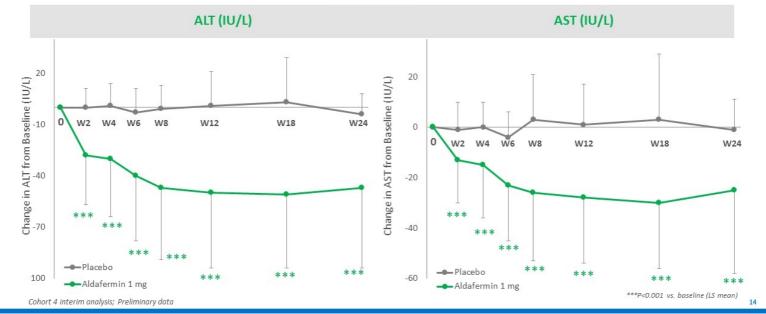
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## Cohort 4 Interim Analysis: Rapid and Sustained Decreases in ALT and AST with Aldafermin

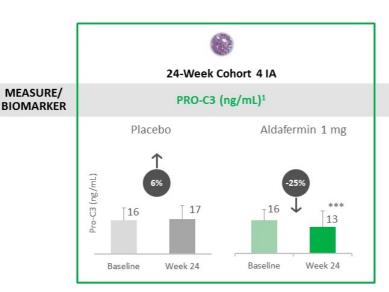


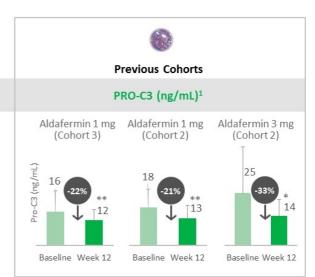






## Summary of Phase 2 Data: PRO-C3



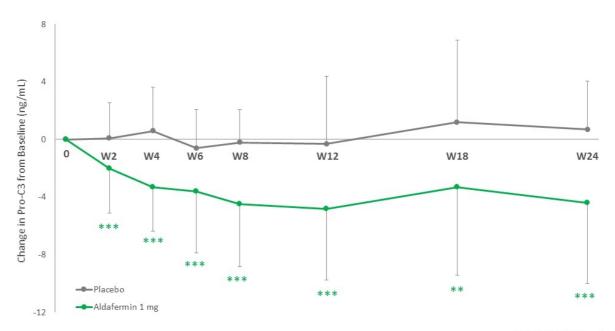


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## Cohort 4 Interim Analysis: Rapid and Sustained Statistically Significant Reduction in PRO-C3 as Early as Week 2



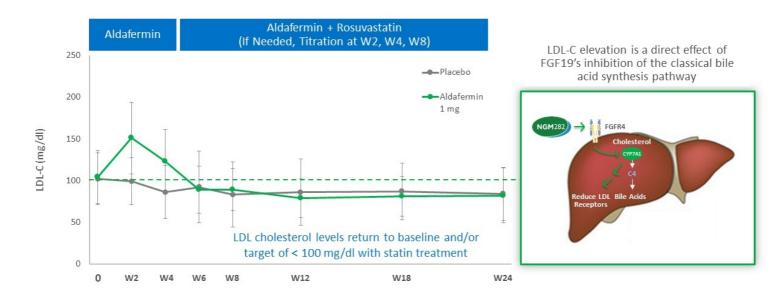


\*\*\*P<0.001, \*\*P<0.01 vs. baseline (LS mean)

Cohort 4 interim analysis - Preliminary data

## Cohort 4 Interim Analysis: LDL-C Changes Effectively Managed with Statin Therapy





Cohort 4 interim analysis - Preliminary data;  $C4 = 7\alpha$ -hydroxyl-4-cholesten-3-one; CYP7A1: cholesterol 7 alpha-hydroxylase

## Cohort 4 Interim Analysis: No Serious Adverse Events or Drug Withdrawals with Aldafermin Treatment



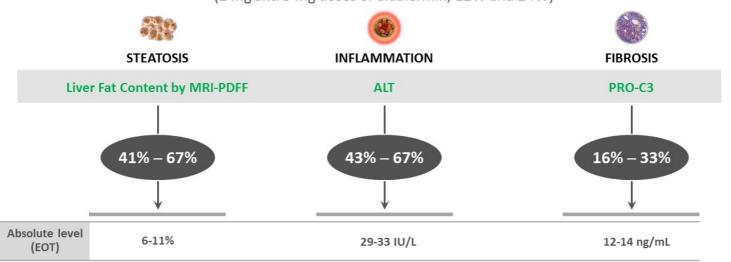
TEAE Classification	Placebo (N=13)	Aldafermin 1.0 mg (N=25)
Any TEAE	11 (84.6%)	22 (88.0%)
TEAE Leading to Drug Withdrawal	1 (7.7%)	0 (0%)
Serious TEAE	2 (15.4%)	0 (0%)
Drug-Related TEAE	8 (61.5%)	13 (52.0%)
TEAE Leading to Death	0 (0 %)	0 (0%)
MedDRA Preferred Term	Placebo (N=13)	Aldafermin 1.0 mg (N=25)
Diarrhea	1 (7.7%)	7 (28%)
Headache	5 (38.5%)	3 (12%)
Nausea	4 (30.8%)	3 (12%)
Arthralgia	0 (0%)	3 (12%)
Diabetes Mellitus	2 (15.4%)	2 (8%)
Influenza like Illness	2 (15.4%)	1 (4%)
Loose stools	2 (15.4%)	1 (4%)
Pruritus	2 (15.4%)	1 (4%)
Hypertension	2 (15.4%)	1 (4%)
Frequent bowel movements	0 (0%)	1 (4%)
Increased frequency of defecation	0 (0%)	1 (4%)
Peripheral Edema	2 (15.4%)	0 (0%)
Fatigue	2 (15.4%)	0 (0%)

ohort 4 interim analysis - Preliminary data

### Consistent Robust Reduction to Near Normal Levels Across Key Biomarkers of Disease



Mean relative reduction across Cohorts 1-4<sup>1</sup> (1 mg and 3 mg doses of aldafermin, 12W and 24W)



#### **NEAR NORMAL LEVELS ACHIEVED WITH ALDAFERMIN TREATMENT**

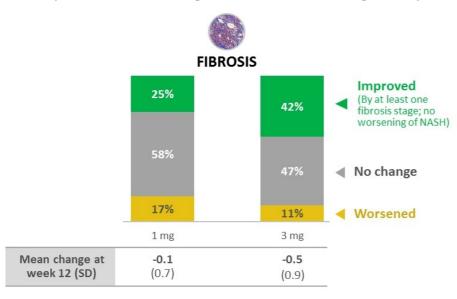
<sup>1</sup>Relative changes are calculated as mean change from baseline at end of treatment (EOT) Cohorts 1-3 and Cohort 4 interim analysis - Preliminary data



## Rapid Regression of Fibrosis at Week 12 (Cohorts 2 and 3)

#### Fibrosis Histological Response at Week 121

(% of Patients; n=19 in 3 mg dose of Cohort 2, n=24 in 1 mg Cohort 3)



#### Improvements

- All of the patients experiencing improvements were F2 or worse at baseline
- Across the two cohorts, four subjects had a two-stage fibrosis improvement

#### **Patient Population**

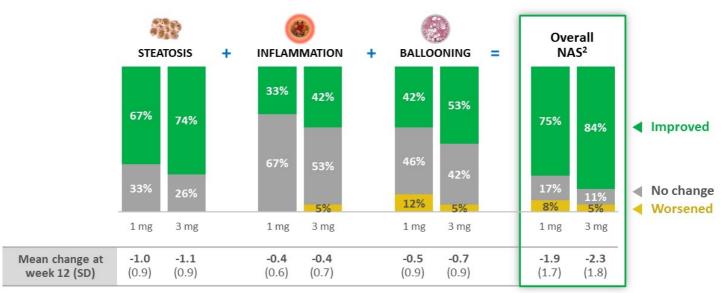
 Over 80% of patients in 3 mg Cohort 2 and 1 mg Cohort 3 had F2/F3 fibrosis at baseline

<sup>1</sup> Preliminary data, Cohorts 2-3

## Exploratory Endpoints Achieved (Cohorts 2 and 3): All NASH Histological Parameters Improved at Week 12



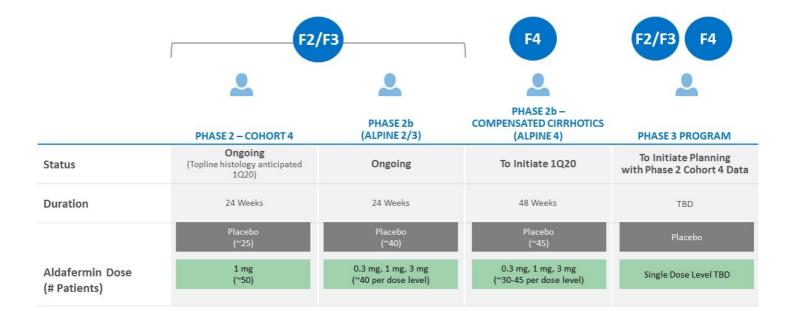
NAS Histological Response at Week 121,2 (% of Patients; n=19 in 3 mg dose of Cohort 2, n=24 in 1 mg Cohort 3)



Preliminary data, Cohorts 2-3
 NAS: NAFLD Activity Score

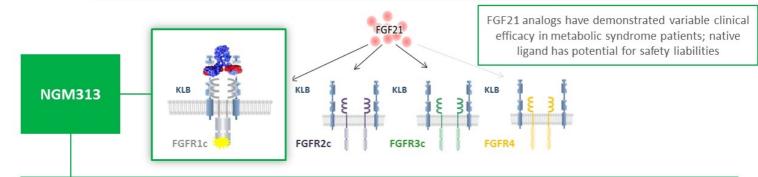


## Aldafermin Development Plan



## NGM313 (MK-3655) for the Treatment of NASH and Type 2 Diabetes



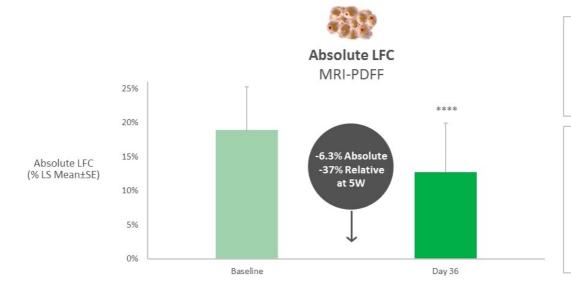


- Agonistic antibody that selectively activates FGFR1c / KLB to regulate energy metabolism
- · Potential to be once-monthly injectable insulin sensitizer for treatment of NASH and T2D
- · Completed Phase 1 SAD/MAD study in obese, insulin resistant subjects and Phase 1b study in subjects with NAFLD
- Single dose of NGM313 resulted in significant reductions in liver fat content and improvement in metabolic markers based on preliminary data from a Phase 1b study in obese, insulin resistant subjects with NAFLD after five weeks
- · Well-tolerated across Phase 1 and Phase 1b studies
- Merck exercised its option and licensed NGM313 and other FGFR1c/KLB agonists in 4Q18

## Significant Reduction in LFC After 5 Weeks Following Single Dose of NGM313 (MK-3655)



Phase 1b Study in Obese, Insulin Resistant Subjects with NAFLD



#### Pioglitazone 45 mg

#### (Positive Control)

 4.0% absolute (25% relative) LFC reduction at 5W

#### **NGM313**

Statistically Significant Improvements In:

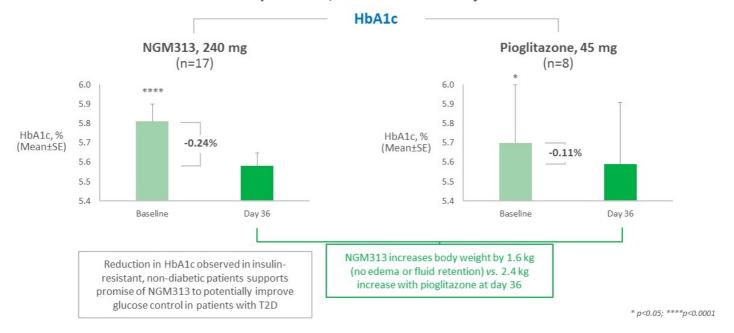
- ALT and AST
- Triglycerides
- HDL-C, LDL-C
- PRO-C3

\*\*\*\*p<0.0001

## Rapid Reduction in HbA1c Without Hypoglycemia After Single Dose of NGM313 (MK-3655)

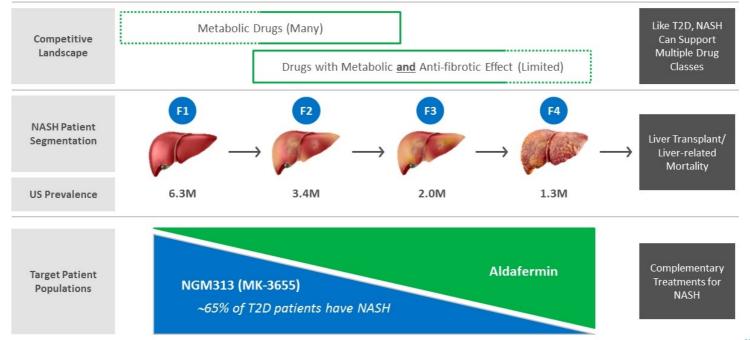


#### Phase 1b Study in Obese, Insulin Resistant Subjects with NAFLD



## NGM313 (MK-3655) has Potential to Complement Aldafermin by Targeting NASH Population with T2D





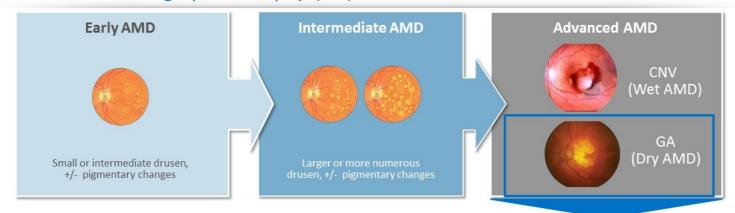


## Beyond NASH, an Expansive Pipeline in Other Indications

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### Geographic Atrophy (GA) is an Advanced Form of AMD



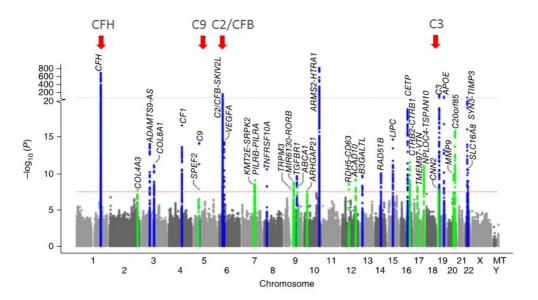
- Geographic atrophy (GA) is the dry form of advanced AMD, characterized by progressive and irreversible loss of photoreceptors, retinal pigment epithelium (RPE) and choriocapillaris
- GA is typically bilateral and lesion enlargement results into irreversible blindness
- GA affects ~5 million people globally and ~ 1 million people in the US
- · Currently no approved treatment for GA

CNV = choroidal neovascularization

Fleckenstein et al, Ophthalmology 2018, 125(3): 369-390; Friedman et al, Arch Ophthalmol. 2004, 122: 564-572

## Complement Activation is Associated with Development of Advanced AMD



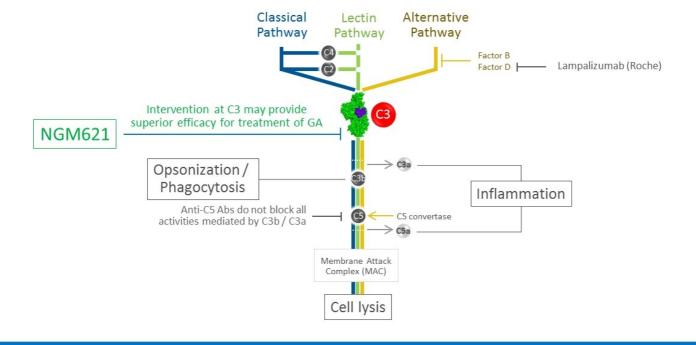


Variants in the complement pathway account for the majority of the known genetic risk for AMD

Fritsche et al. Nat Genet 2016

## NGM621 Targets Complement C3, Blocking All Three Pathways of Complement Activation



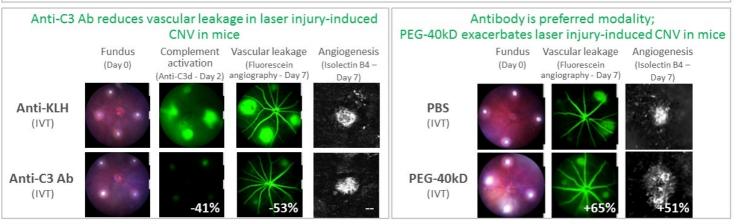


## NGMBio

### NGM621: A Potent Anti-Complement C3 Antibody



- Antibody that has high binding affinity for human C3 ( $K_D < 1$  nM)
- Potent inhibition of both classical and alternative pathways of complement activation ( $IC_{50} \sim 5-6$  nM)
- · Potential for QM (monthly) or Q2M (EOM) intravitreal dosing



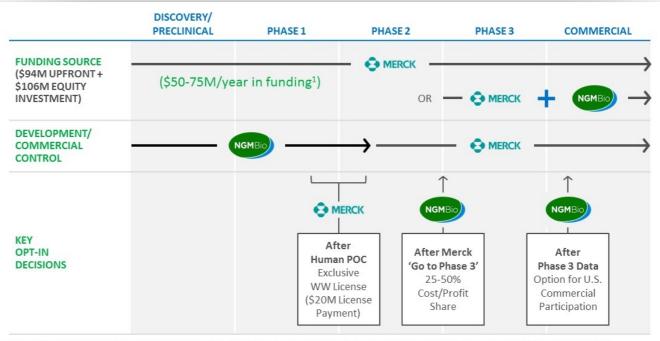
## NGM621 Development



- · Initiated Phase 1 open-label single dose and multiple dose study in patients with GA
- Primary objective to evaluate the safety, tolerability and pharmacokinetics of intravitreal injection(s) of single and multiple doses of NGM621
  - Estimated enrollment of ~24 patients with GA secondary to AMD
- · Study enables a potential Phase 2 POC study in GA
- Favorable tolerability profile observed from 5W GLP toxicology study in monkey
- Program is subject to Merck option to license the program

## Our Merck Collaboration: Growth-Accelerating Partnership





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## 3Q19 Financial Results<sup>1</sup>

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (In thousands, unaudited)	THREE MONTHS ENDED SEP 30, 2019	NINE MONTHS ENDED SEP 30, 2019
RELATED PARTY REVENUE	\$21,568	\$72,461
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES	\$28,953	\$87,299
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	\$5,612	\$17,208
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$34,565	\$104,507
LOSS FROM OPERATIONS	(\$10,917)	(\$26,854)

BALANCE SHEET	SEP 30, 2019 (unaudited)	DEC 31, 2018 (audited)
CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND SHORT-TERM MARKETABLE SECURITIES	\$356.6M	\$206.6M

 $<sup>^{1} \ \</sup>textit{See the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2019 for more complete financial information}$ 



## Multiple Potential Value-Driving Catalysts in 2020

Product Candidate	Potential Indications	Targeted 2020 Milestones	Targeted Timing
ALDAFERMIN	NASH F2/F3	Phase 2 Cohort 4 biopsy data	1Q20
ALDAFERMIN	NASH F4	ALPINE 4 FPI	1Q20
ALDAFERMIN	NASH F2/F3	ALPINE 2/3 topline data	YE20
NGM313 (MK-3655)	NASH F2/F3	Phase 2b FPI (Merck)	2H20
NGM120	Cancer/CACS	Phase 1a/1b FPI	1Q20
NGM217	Diabetes	Phase 1b/2a FPI	2H2O
NGM621	Dry AMD/GA	Phase 1 safety & tolerability data	2H2O
NGM621	Dry AMD/GA	Phase 2 FPI	2H2O
NGM395	Metabolic	Phase 1 FPI	1H2O

= first patient in; GA = geographic atrophy

