

Game changing for innovative medicine

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The EU Lead Factory Team





### **Innovative Medicines Initiative**

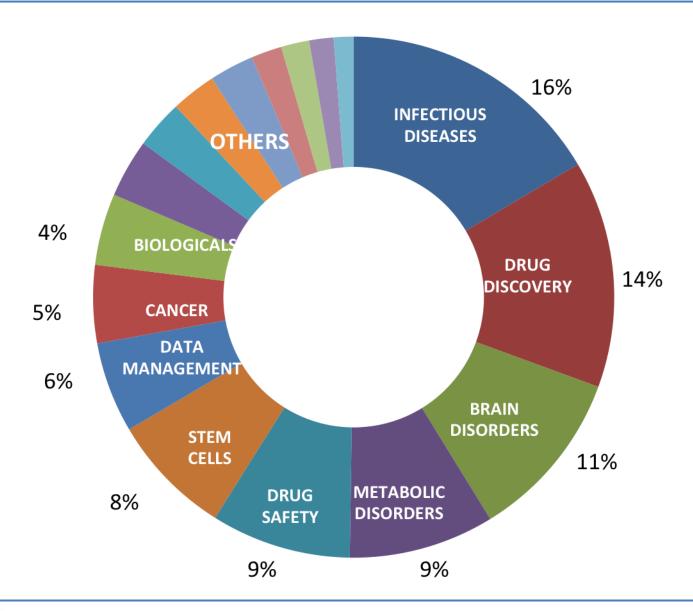








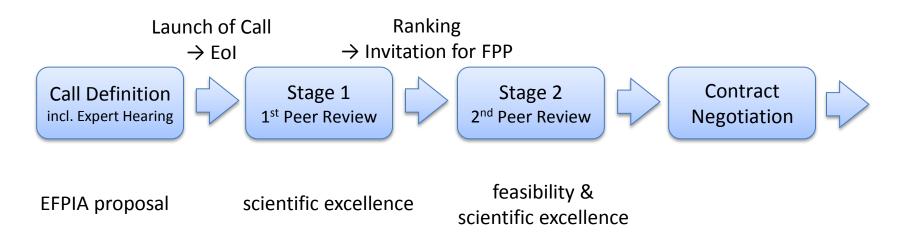
# IMI portfolio – budget breakdown







# IMI Consortium formed through a Multi-Step Process



- rigorous expert review at multiple steps
- selection of public partners via independent expert panel
- IMI Grant Agreement sets general framework for Intellectual Property Regulations
- IMI supervision ensures highest ethical standards and fair treatment of all partners





# The IMI Family



















































































# The EU Lead Factory Ambition

## Use the IMI funding to become:

- The Open Innovation model of choice for Lead Discovery for EFPIA members
- A flagship facility for IMI / EU with a world class cluster of discovery businesses around it
- The preferred partner for Lead Discovery for public partners (Academia, Patient Organizations, NGOs etc.)

#### **AND**

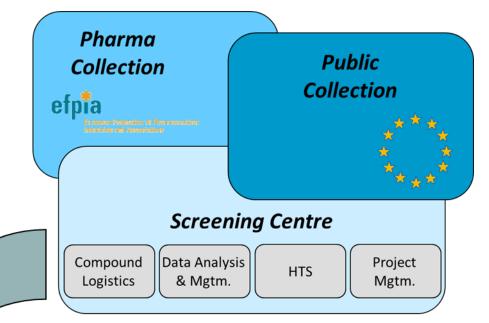
Maintain and further enhance that position after the IMI funding period





#### Architecture of the EUROPEAN LEAD FACTORY

- building a comprehensive Joint
   European Compound Library (JECL)
   accessible for private and public
   lead discovery programmes
- JECL is comprised of a Pharma Consortium Collection (≥ 300.000 compounds) and a Public Collection (up to 200.000 cpds.) generated in the context of this project
- the Screening Centre takes responsibility for cpd. logistics, HTS, data analysis & handling, and programme mgtm.
- Screening Centre functions as a market place to broker public-private discovery programmes with the Pharma Consortium



- Lead Structures for drug discovery programs
- "Tool Compounds" for target/mechanism validation





# The Objectives

#### Strong output of innovative leads through:

- Unique & top quality compound library composition
- Highly innovative screening programmes
- Professional project execution

#### **Consortium excellence through:**

- In depth scientific interaction with all partners
- Honest brokerage (IP, Publications etc)
- Communication and Education





#### Consortium with 30 Public and Private Partners

150 employees combining agility of SME's, experience of Pharma and **innovation** of Academia



•• TIPharma







# **EU Lead Factory invites Public Contributors**

fusion of 2 largely independent consortia:
 Screening Centre and Chemistry (Compound Collection)



not a ,closed-shop' setup:
 "Contributing Third Parties" from
 Public Domain – Target Programme
 and Library Proposals

- handling of confidential information and know-how from Participants
  - covers also competitive research aspects and aims for value generation
- strives for sustainability

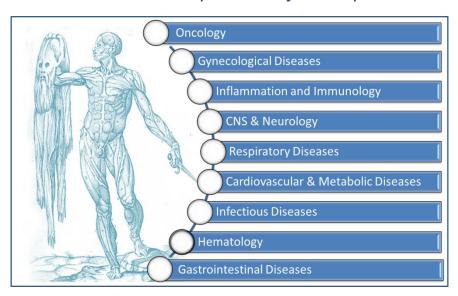




# Target Owners: EU Lead Factory invites Public Contributors

#### What are we looking for:

- novelty (target or assay approach)
- highest scientific quality
- molecular target programmes only
- HTS compatible assay available
- within indication spectrum of EFPIA partners



... or beyond!

#### **Target Proposal**



## **Programme Office**

- TI Pharma -

- Eligibilty
- Differentiation from Past Selected Prgms.
- Differentiation from FFPIA

#### **Screening Review Board**

Head PO, CSO PPSC, CSO Dundee + 2 EFPIA

· (Assay) Technical Assessment Dialogue

#### **Screening Selection Committee**

Head PO, CSO PPSC, CSO Dundee + 7 EFPIA + 4 Ext. Advisors

• Quality of Science • Novelty • Portfolio Balance







## Target Owners: The Consortium Offer

- Unique, high quality library with 2 sets of compounds:
  - 300.000 EFPIA compounds not commercially available
  - 200.000 innovative compounds from chemistry consortium
- State of the art compound logistics and screening facilities
  - Compound logisitics and hit picking at Biocity Scotland
  - uHTS screening at Pivot Park Screening Centre in The Netherlands
- Assay Development
  - Protein production, functional testing and crystallography at Oxford University
  - HTS conversion of existing assays at Pivot Park Screening Centre
- Hit follow-up and Cheminformatics
  - Hit characterization and initial SAR development at University of Dundee

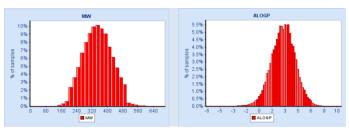




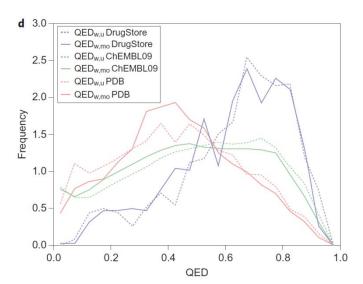
# Target Owners: EFPIA Library Characteristics (1)

### **Quantitative Estimate of Drug-Likeness (QED)**

Bickerton et al., Nature Chemistry 4 (2012), 90-98

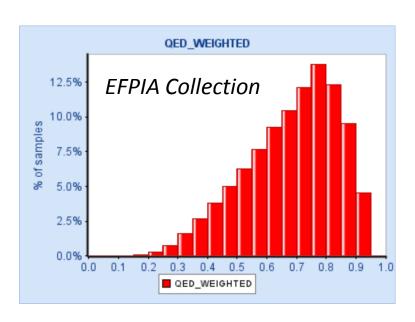


- MW
- octanol—water partition coefficient (ALOGP)
- # hydrogen bond donors(HBDs)
- # hydrogen bond acceptors (HBAs)
- molecular polar surface area (PSA)
- # rotatable bonds (ROTBs)
- # aromatic rings (AROMs)
- # structural alerts (ALERTS)





Weighted Composit of Desireability Functions (d) derived from Drug Reference Set (CHEMBL Drug Store)



## → EFPIA Collection ideally reflects current view on Drug-Likeness

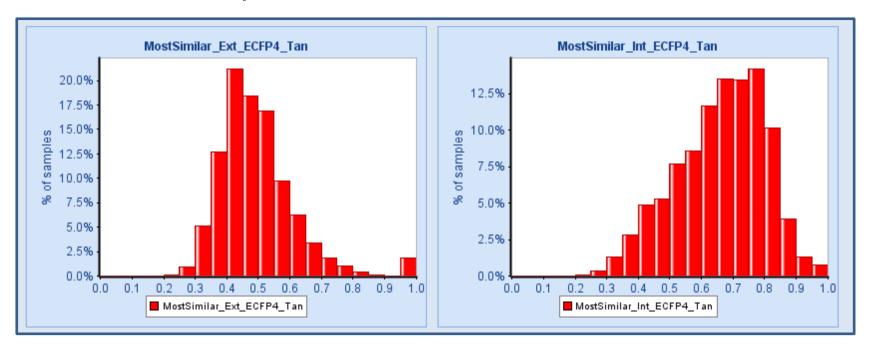
data kindly provided from Prof. Andrew Hopkins, University of Dundee





# Target Owners: EFPIA Library Characteristics (2)

## Structural Diversity in Pharma Consortium Collection



Ext = 1 company vs all the others (most similar compound from the other sets) Int = 1 company vs itself (most similar compound within the same set)

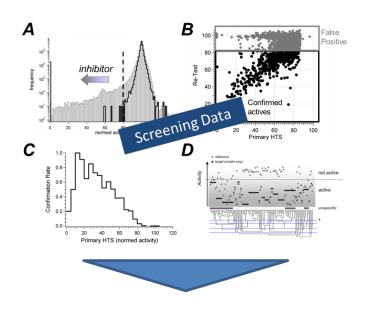
→ Complementary EFPIA subsets add to uniqueness and quality of the European Compound Collection

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# Target Owners: The ,Qualified Hit List' is Main Deliverable



Data	\\.
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QHL,	<del>\</del>

Structure	Identifier	Cpd. Owner	Assay 1	Assay 2	
S.F.S.	ELF 001785	SME1 Part. 07	0.5E-06	>20E-06	
\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	ELF 031586	SME1 Part. 11	3.0E-06	>20E-06	
	ELF 789116	SME4 Part. 01	0.3E-06	>20E-06	
	ELF 000346	EFPIA 01	1.3E-06	>20E-06	
	ELF 243561	EFPIA 03	1.1E-06	>20E-06	

- limit information drain from proprietary compound collection to only relevant results
- assay statistics and screening data w/o explicit chemical structure information
- list per Target Programme containing up to 50 chem. structures of compounds
- cleared by Compound Owner
- Programme Owner has sole discretion to decide on future exploitation of QHL results
- Programme Owner will be granted
  - → Access Rights for Direct Explotation
  - → 3-year exclusivity period





# Target Owners: The Partnership Case

## Target Programme Owner's...

#### Rights

Exploitation of unique
Compound Library and
Screening Facility

Access Rights and 3 Year
Exclusivity to Exploit
Qualified Hit List Results

**Control** of Target Programme Progression: Research or Direct Exploitation

#### **Obligations**

Access Rights and Dissemination (IMI's IP Policy)

#### **Compensation**

to EU Lead Factory
- for Direct Exploitation only -

#### **Option for EFPIA**

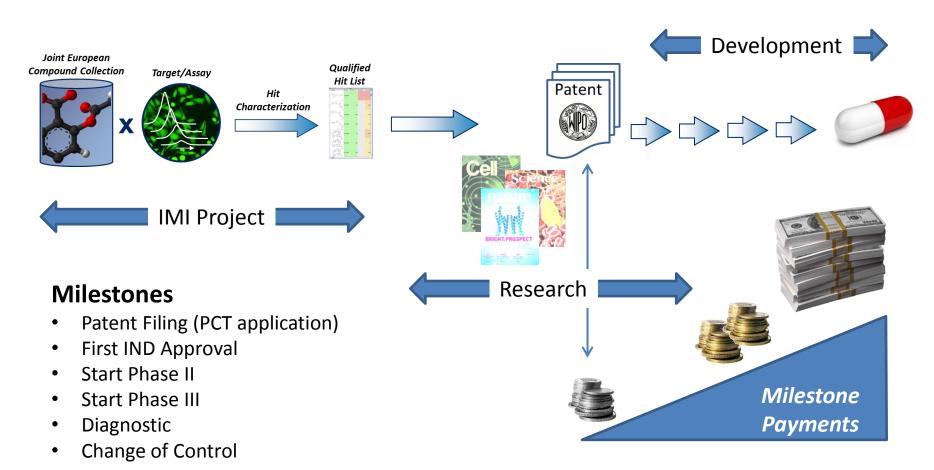
to license Target Programme for Direct Exploitation





# Target Owners: The Partnership Case

# **Financial Compensations**, i.e Milestone Payments, to EU Lead Factory Consortium (EUC<sup>2</sup>LID) **for Direct Exploitation only**







# Target Owners: EFPIA Partnership Option

Programme Owner grants to EFPIA
 Participants the right to submit first
 bid for Direct Exploitation



- at any time during the 3-year exclusivity period
- obligatory step preceeding publication or partnering to Third Party
- balances EFPIA's investments and partnering interests
- ensures value generation from EU Lead Factory results
- provides Programme Owners with access to potential partners for Direct Exploitation





# Target Owners: Dissemination & Publication Approval

#### **Publication Approval Committee**

Proposed publication in relation to Foreground owned by proposing Participant

Instruct author to delay, or rewrite & resubmit



submit 45 days before

planned dissemination



1 EFPIA Representative (or Delegate) Head of EU Screening Centre (TI Pharma) Head of Chemistry (Taros) 1 Academic Member of IP Committee

15 day review period (protection value generation)

No unanimous

unanimous objection

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Circulation to all Participants

**30 day Objection Period** 

- Protection of objecting Participants FOREGROUND: 90 d
- Removal of Confidential Information:
- 3. Interest in subject matter: 180 d
  negotiate license/collaboration agreement

Publication

when all Objections addressed



Science





asap

# Target Owners: The European Lead Factory invites ...





... public institutions and small/medium enterprises to submit innovative target programme proposals aiming at the discovery of small molecule hits for drug development or research.

#### Please submit at

targetproposals@europeanleadfactory.eu





# Chemistry: Partnership Case

A Unique Opportunity for Translating Early Ideas into novel Chemical Libraries for screening

#### Compensation

- fixed Monetary Rewards -

## **Ownership**

- ownership retained on idea -

# Access Rights to Consortium Participants

- Exclusive & Royalty Free -





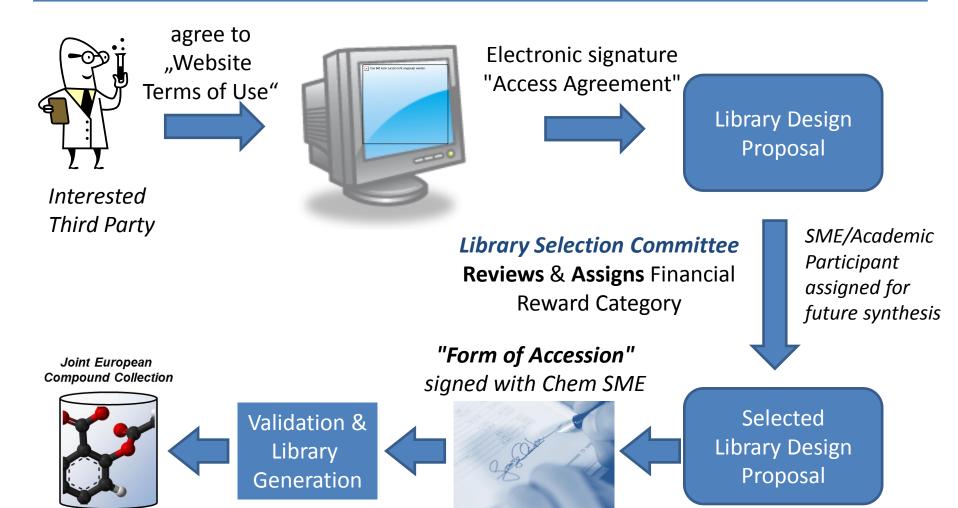
# Chemistry: Criteria for the Review of Library Proposals

- Proposals are scored against six criteria
  - Molecular properties
     (scored for drug-likeness with preferred clogP < 4)</p>
  - Structural features
  - Novelty
  - Diversity potential (ideally, proposals can yield >500 final compounds)
  - Synthetic tractability
  - Innovation





# Chemistry: Crowd Sourcing of Library Design Proposals



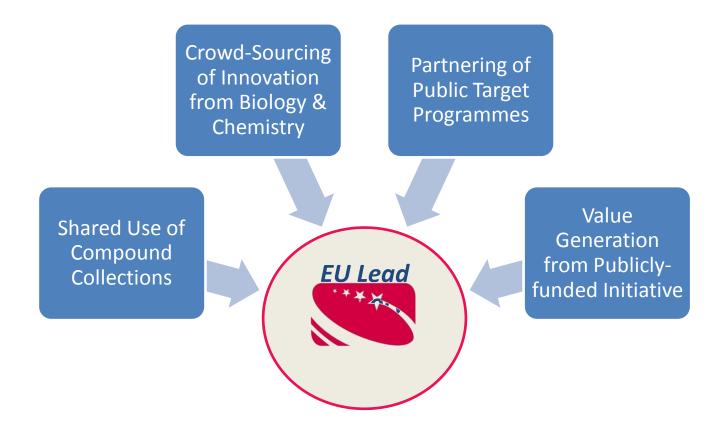
Cpds added to JECL
Financial Reward Paid out to Third Party





# The European Lead Factory

... a large-scale controlled experiment:









Game changing for innovative medicine



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