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# Heat Biologics, Inc. (HTBX-\$7.42)

**Rating: BUY** 

Target Price: \$18.00

# Worth the Wait; Outlining Phase II NSCLC Trial; Maintaining BUY

<u>EPS</u>	<u>1Q</u>	<u>2Q</u>	<u>3Q</u>	<u>4Q</u>
2012A	(0.47)A	(0.06)A	(0.51)A	(0.39)A
2013E	(1.66)A	(0.92)A	(0.48)A	(0.36)E
2014E	(0.51)E	(0.48)E	(0.51)E	(0.52)E
REV	10	20	<b>3Q</b>	<b>4Q</b>
2012A	0.0A	0.0A	0.0A	0.0A
2013E	0.0A	0.0A	0.0A	0.0E
2014E	0.0E	0.0E	0.0E	0.0E
<u>FY</u>	<u>2012A</u>	2013	E 20	14 <u>E</u>
EPS	(3.03)A	(2.59	)E (2	.02)E
REV	0.0A	0.0E	0.	0E

- Outlining Clinical Strategy. Heat Biologics ("Heat") outlined its Phase II trial design for HS-110, an immunotherapeutic treatment for non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC), following the decision to delay initiation of the trial to incorporate protocol amendments. The revised design is in response to the potential for changes in clinical practice, namely the availability of checkpoint inhibitors.
- Maintaining Flexibility. A key rationale for altering the trial is to have the flexibility to explore HS-110 in novel combinations in later clinical studies. The addition of low-dose cyclophosphamide to HS-110 is designed to provide a window into HS-110's activity when combined with an agent that inhibits regulatory T cells (Tregs) at low doses, a similar effect of checkpoint inhibitors. Low dose cyclophosphamide is considered to be highly tolerable, and thus it is a reasonable regimen for both the active and control arms.
- Enroll in 2014, Initial Data in 2017. Based on company guidelines, the HS-110 trial should begin enrolling patients in 3Q:14 (n=123) and initial data -- antigen expression -- is expected in late 2016, with top-line efficacy data, including overall survival (OS) anticipated in 3Q:17. The study is well thought out and the hurdles for efficacy are high, but we believe that the endpoints are appropriate and that a positive Phase II trial would be particularly meaningful given hurdles for efficacy.
- Looking for Partners. Heat announced that the company is actively seeking partners to assist in development and/or commercialization of lead candidates, HS-110 and HS-410 (bladder cancer). The company is also looking for partnerships to explore its IMPACT technology with checkpoint inhibitors, as well as opportunities for out-licensing. Since we have little visibility as to the timing and structure of such events, we have not included any of these options in our financial model.
- Clinical Trial Progress Drives Value. We believe shares of HTBX will benefit as both the HS-110 and HS-410 clinical trials advance and provide updates. Our price target is \$18, which reflects a substantial rise in enterprise value (EV), based on the growth and advancement of the clinical trial programs.

#### **Current Statistics**

Market Cap (\$Mil)	<b>\$47.2</b>
Avg. Daily Trading Volume (3 mo.):	20,710
Shares Out (Mil):	6.366
52 Wk. Range	\$15.29-\$5.95



## **Summary**

Heat Biologics is a development-stage company with a proof-of-concept study in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) about to get underway. The company is working in the evolving field of therapeutic cancer vaccines with a unique approach that seeks to harness the immune-provoking activity of the gp96 heat shock protein (HSP). This approach could offer broad cancer antigen coverage in a cost-effective manner relative to other approaches in the field today. While the company is at an earlier stage of development versus others in the field, and this is reflected in the current valuation, we see opportunity for expansion based on clinical progress, which we think is likely. The company's technology is unique and has broad potential, in our opinion, and there is an actionable milestone catalyst calendar. We like Heat for its:

- Broad Antigen Coverage Technology Heat Biologics' vaccines utilize Immune Pan
   <u>Antigen Cytotoxic Therapy (ImPACT)</u> technology, which is a method of engineering
   allogeneic (not originating from the patient) "off the shelf" tumor cells to secrete antigens that
   stimulate the immune system. The technology allows the immune system to identify a variety
   of tumor-specific antigens, increasing the likelihood that tumor cells will be recognized and
   killed.
- Continued News Flow Anticipated Heat Biologics has initiated the Phase I study of HS-410 in bladder cancer and will soon begin enrolling for the Phase II for HS-110 for NSCLC by 3Q:14. While Heat anticipates the Phase II trial for HS-110 to read out in 3Q:2017, antigen response data could be available in 2016. Similarly, we expect news flow from HS-410 including an enrollment update in 2014. Management has also indicated intent to announce a third product potentially in the near term. These studies could therefore provide multiple catalysts for valuation expansion.
- Targeting Areas of Unmet Need Heat Biologics will focus development on NSCLC and bladder cancer in the near term. We believe that the field of immunotherapy in cancer has evolved, learning from prior clinical failures that trials in the sickest of patients, with the highest of disease burdens, may be the least likely to derive benefit from treatment. Hence, in both NSCLC and bladder cancer, Heat Biologics is evaluating HS-110 and HS-410 in patients that have finished systemic treatment and presumably have a lower burden of disease.
- Applications Outside of Cancer Heat's ImPACT technology stimulates a cytotoxic T-cell
  response, and this suggests potential utility in infectious diseases such as HIV. Early
  feasibility studies have been conducted, though this is not a focus for the company at this
  time.

## Valuation

In valuing Heat, we looked at a comparative analysis of enterprise value versus several peer groups (recent IPOs, similar stage of development, cancer vaccine developers, and recent IPOs). Heat is currently valued at a steep discount to peers: cancer immunotherapy companies, companies with Phase II assets, and recent IPOs. This discount could be a function of dependence on a single technology (*ImPACT*) or earlier stage of development versus immunotherapy peers. But we also believe that as Heat's candidates advance into clinical trials, greater value will accrue to the shares. Typical biotech valuations for Phase II candidates are in the \$150-250 million range and \$100 million for Phase I assets. Based on Heat's pipeline, we believe that the advancing clinical program could expand the company's EV. Based on enterprise value expansion observed for peer companies of upwards of 50%, we think the same can be experienced by Heat Biologics. On that basis, we believe Heat shares could experience valuation expansion to \$18 based on the advancement of candidates in clinical trials.



**Exhibit 1: Peer Valuation Analysis** 

Sub Sector	Company	Ticker	Price	S/O	Mkt Cap	Pfd Shares	Min Int.	Debt	Cash	EV	HTBX Premium
					<b></b>						(Discount)
Cancer Vaccine											
Developers	Advaxis	ADXSD	\$4.90	14.02	\$68.68	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.23	\$20.55	48.35	(80.7%)
	Agenus	AGEN	4.30	62.17	267.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	27.35	239.99	(96.1%)
	Celldex Therapeutics	CLDX	24.6	89.25	2,191.1	0.00	0.00	0.00	302.98	1,888.15	(99.5%)
	Galena Biopharma	GALE	3.08	117.88	363.07	0.00	0.00	9.92	47.99	325.00	(97.1%)
	Immunocellular	IMUC	1.36	57.57	78.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	27.65	50.64	(81.6%)
	Inovio	INO	3.82	239.61	915.31	0.00	0.45	0.00	52.63	863.13	(98.9%)
	Newlink Genetics	NLNK	29.54	27.86	823.01	0.00	0.00	7.03	61.54	768.51	(98.8%)
	Oncothyreon	ONTY	3.60	70.73	254.63	0.03	0.00	0.00	60.03	194.63	(95.2%)
	Average										
Phase II Developm	nent										
Stage	Clovis	CLVS	\$86.76	33.9	\$2,941.16	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$323.23	2,617.94	(99.6%)
	Cytrx	CYTR	4.05	55.56	225.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	38.57	186.47	(95.0%)
	Epizyme	EPZM	27.40	32.75	897.4	0.00	0.00	0.00	123.56	773.79	(98.8%)
	Infinity Pharma	INFI	13.93	48.28	672.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	214.47	458.09	(98.0%)
	Oncomed	OMED	36.02	29.48	1,061.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	128.65	933.22	(99.0%)
	Oncosec	ONCS	0.81	212.21	171.89	0.00	0.00	0.99	15.19	157.68	(94.1%)
	Verastem	VSTM	12.59	25.82	325.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	99.93	225.18	(95.9%)
	Coronado Biosciences	CNDO	2.12	44.09	93.46	0.00	0.00	14.87	106.27	2.06	351.2%
	Progenics	PGNX	4.56	69.58	317.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	65.86	251.40	(96.3%)
	Average							622.87	(98.5%)		
Recent IPOs	Tesaro Inc.	TSRO	\$37.15	35.97	1,336.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	130.31	1,205.76	(99.2%)
	Epizyme	EPZM	27.40	32.75	897.4	0.00	0.00	0.00	123.56	773.79	(98.8%)
	BlueBird Bio	BLUE	27.30	24.17	659.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	206.28	453.56	(97.9%)
	Merrimack Pharmaceuticals	MACK	5.61	103.04	578.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	155.20	422.84	(97.8%)
	Intercept Pharmaceuticals	ICPT	438.96	19.52	8,568.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	144.91	8,423.59	(99.9%)
	ChemoCentryx	CCXI	8.22	43.15	354.68	0.00	0.00	0.02	149.87	204.82	(95.5%)
	Regulus Therapeutics	RGLS	10.48	43.17	452.40	0.00	0.00	11.28	114.01	349.67	(97.3%)
	Receptos	RCPT	52.80	22.17	1,170.47	0.00	0.00	4.92	69.49	1,105.90	(99.2%)
	Stemline Therapeutics	STML	24.76	12.91	319.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	87.67	231.89	(96.0%)
	Enanta Pharmaceuticals	ENTA	39.72	18.36	729.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	91.90	637.48	(98.5%)
	Average \$1,380.93										(99.3%)
	Heat Biologics*	нтвх	\$6.84	4.84	33.11	0.00	(0.22)	0.00	23.58	9.31	(98.7%)

Source: FactSet, Company data, Cantor Fitzgerald research



#### **Risks**

Heat Biologics is a development-stage company and investment is subject to risk. These risks include but are not limited to:

- HS-110 could fail to show an efficacy improvement in its Phase II study in NSCLC. The company uses an off-the-shelf supply of tumor cells, and it is unclear whether or not these cells can stimulate an immune response against the patient's own tumor.
- HS-110 could also demonstrate a poor safety profile. HS-110 may secrete antigens that stimulate an immune response against normal cells.
- Heat may be unable to secure additional financing. We believe that the company has sufficient
  cash to fund development of HS-110 and HS-410 through initial stages of development, and
  additional fund raising may be dependent upon a positive clinical outcome from clinical trials.
- The clinical landscape is crowded with hundreds of oncology clinical trials, especially in NSCLC. It is possible that other technologies show greater benefit to patients than Heat's product candidates, thus rendering potential products obsolete or non-competitive.
- Heat will be switching the manufacturing process from the University of Miami to Lonza between
  the second and third portions of the Phase II trial evaluating HS-110 in NSCL. However, we
  cannot exclude the possibility that the switch may not be seamless.



**Exhibit 2: Annual Sales and Earnings** 

# **Heat Biologics**

Exhibit 3: Pipeline and Milestones	2018E	2017E	2016E	2015E	2014E	2013E
Revenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Product Sales	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Grants	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cost of Goods Sold	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gross Profit	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Gross Profit Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Operating Expenses						
G&A	7.11	6.87	6.29	5.52	4.97	2.12
R&D	14.18	12.23	9.94	7.65	6.32	4.21
Total Operating Expenses	21.29	19.10	16.23	13.16	11.29	6.34
Profit (Loss) from Operations	(\$21.29)	(\$19.10)	(\$16.23)	(\$13.16)	(\$11.29)	(\$6.34)
Operating Profit Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Interest Income (Expense)	(\$0.08)	(\$0.06)	(0.13)	(0.12)	(0.06)	(0.15)
Other Income (Expense)	0.03	0.07	0.11	0.10	(0.12)	(0.04)
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(\$21.34)	(\$19.09)	(\$16.25)	(\$13.18)	(\$11.47)	(\$6.53)
Pretax Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Income Tax Paid (Benefit)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Net Income (Loss)	(\$21.34)	(\$19.09)	(\$16.25)	(\$13.18)	(\$11.47)	(\$6.53)
Non-controlling Interest	(\$1.60)	(\$1.43)	(\$1.22)	(\$0.99)	(\$0.68)	(\$0.29)
Net Income to Heat Biologics	(\$19.74)	(\$17.66)	(\$15.03)	(\$12.19)	(\$10.79)	(\$6.23)
Beneficial Conversion Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	(\$2.66)
Net Attributable to Common Shareholders	(\$19.74)	(\$17.66)	(\$15.03)	(\$12.19)	(\$10.79)	(\$8.90)
Net Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Diluted Earnings (Net Loss) Per Share	(\$1.86)	(\$2.06)	(\$1.83)	(\$2.20)	(\$2.02)	(\$2.59)
Shares Outstanding	10.64	8.56	8.23	5.55	5.34	3.43

Source: Heat Biologics, Cantor Fitzgerald research



# **Exhibit 3: Pipeline and Milestones**

# **Heat Biologics**

				Phase of D	evelopment			
Candidate	Indication	Description	PreClinical	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III	Next Event	Timeframe
HS-110	NSCLC	Allogenic vaccine consisting of a lung cancer cell line genetically modified to "pump-out" cancer antigens bound to gp96, a heat shock protein			<b>&gt;</b>		Initiate Phase II study	3Q:14
HS-410	Bladder Cancer Adjuvant	Allogenic vaccine consisting of a bladder cancer cell line genetically modified to "pump-out" cancer antigens bound to gp96, a heat shock protein					Completion of enrollment	2H:14/1H:15
HS-310	Ovarian Cancer	Allogenic vaccine consisting of an ovarian cancer cell line genetically modified to "pump-out" cancer antigens bound to gp96, a heat shock protein					Initiate Phase I/II study	2014
HS-510	Triple Negative Breast Cancer	Allogenic vaccine consisting of a breast cancer cell line genetically modified to "pump-out" cancer antigens bound to gp96, a heat shock protein					Initiate Phase I/II study	2014
HS-210	Pancreatic						Initiate Phase I/II study	NA

Source: Heat Biologics, Cantor Fitzgerald research



Exhibit 4: Comparative Valuations

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Mkt Cap				Price	Market	52-W	Veek	Pe	erformance (	b)	Earni	ngs Per Sha	re (c)	R	evenue Per Sha	ıre (c)	Per Share	EV	Short
Range	Company (a)	Ticker	Rating	3/20/14	Cap. (mil)	High	Low	YTD	QTD	1-Year	2012A	2013A	2014E	2012A	2013A	2014E	Cash	(mil)	Interest
	Agenus	AGEN	NC	\$4.30	\$267.3	\$5.40	\$2.40	54.7%	54.7%	3.4%	(\$0.51)	(\$1.12)	(\$0.47)	\$0.26	\$0.05	\$0.03	\$0.44	\$249.3	3,185,877
	Ambit	AMBI	NC	10.36	185.2	21.44	6.22	4.8%	4.8%	NA	(16.59)	(1.25)	(1.96)	1.00	1.45	0.42	4.41	106.3	94,249
	Cleveland BioLabs	CBLI	HOLD	0.72	36.7	2.28	0.63	-39.0%	-39.0%	-59.1%	(0.70)	(0.44)	(0.16)	0.07	0.17	0.23	0.29	40.7	780,373
	Curis	CRIS	NC	3.20	275.0	4.74	2.44	11.5%	11.5%	-2.1%	(0.21)	(0.15)	(0.24)	0.20	0.17	0.15	0.80	236.5	5,405,116
	Cyclacel	CYCC	NC	3.84	71.8	5.88	2.75	-7.9%	-7.9%	-33.2%	(1.68)	(1.47)	(1.12)	0.00	0.05	0.00	1.85	37.3	1,846,236
	Dendreon	DNDN	HOLD	2.98	473.7	5.38	2.23	-2.0%	-2.0%	-43.5%	(2.65)	(1.95)	(0.93)	2.05	1.78	1.88	1.05	910.7	44,138,633
	Endocyte	ECYT	NC	14.25	515.6	19.00	8.18	32.2%	32.2%	50.8%	(0.48)	(0.50)	(0.36)	0.96	1.79	2.07	-	515.6	4,992,974
륬	Galena Biopharma	GALE	SELL	3.08	363.1	7.77	1.65	-39.4%	-39.4%	57.5%	(0.53)	(0.85)	(0.40)	0.00	0.02	0.11	0.40	323.3	22,580,154
Small Cap	Heat Biologics	HTBX	BUY	6.84	43.6	15.29	5.95	-6.3%	-6.3%	NA	NA	(2.37)	(1.62)	0.00	0.00	NA	3.70	19.8	149,648
,	ImmunoCellular	IMUC	NC	1.36	78.3	4.00	0.65	38.8%	38.8%	-49.1%	(0.35)	(0.16)	(0.25)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.51	48.9	4,789,434
•	Merrimack Pharm.	MACK	NC	5.61	578.0	7.09	2.05	0.4%	0.4%	-8.8%	(1.28)	(1.32)	(1.19)	0.47	0.46	0.52	1.51	422.8	20,467,088
	NewLink Genetics	NLNK	BUY	29.54	823.0	53.48	11.19	38.2%	38.2%	139.4%	(1.12)	(1.23)	(1.75)	0.06	0.04	0.05	1.87	778.1	3,884,390
	Oncomed	OMED	NC	36.02	1,061.9	42.34	12.07	22.9%	22.9%	NA	(21.06)	(1.93)	0.01	0.84	1.28	2.84	1.92	1005.4	2,048,802
	Oncothyreon	ONTY	HOLD	3.60	254.6	4.08	1.55	97.8%	97.8%	63.6%	(0.06)	(0.62)	(0.52)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.87	193.3	6,127,628
	Stemline	STML	NC	24.76	319.6	47.25	11.00	21.7%	21.7%	113.3%	(1.82)	(2.00)	(2.17)	0.00	0.00	0.00	7.18	226.9	672,992
	Sunesis Pharma	SNSS	BUY	7.21	433.3	7.49	3.84	54.7%	54.7%	35.8%	(0.91)	(0.66)	(0.62)	0.06	0.13	0.13	1.33	362.8	6,965,921
	Synta	SNTA	NC	4.75	405.8	10.74	3.70	-9.7%	-9.7%	-45.3%	(1.06)	(1.27)	(1.18)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.62	352.4	14,570,786
	Verastem	VSTM	BUY	12.59	325.1	18.82	8.27	0.9%	0.9%	41.3%	(1.70)	(1.82)	(1.79)	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.22	267.7	1,419,075
	Average	ACIC	NG	644.10	\$361.8	640.70	615.77	15.2%	15.2%	17.6%	(\$3.10)	(\$1.17)	(\$0.93)	\$0.33	\$0.41	\$0.50	\$1.72	\$338.8	8,006,632
	Agios Pharmaceuticals	AGIO	NC	\$44.10	\$1,393.12	\$49.79	\$15.77	83.6%	83.6%	NA co.eec	(\$1.11)	(\$2.83)	(\$1.32)	\$0.79	\$0.81	\$1.21	\$6.14	\$1,199.2	2,174,447
	Ariad	ARIA	NC	8.19	1,526.0	23.00	2.15	12.8%	12.8%	-60.8%	(1.34)	(1.49)	(1.08)	0.00	0.24	0.48	1.27	1297.9	40,167,501
	Array Biopharma	ARRY	NC	5.28	662.4	7.10	4.03	7.1%	7.1%	29.4%	(0.33)	(0.57)	(0.69)	0.68	0.55	0.40	0.95	644.2	13,330,515
	Celldex	CLDX CLVS	BUY	24.55	2,191.1	38.84	10.70	-0.2%	-0.2%	107.7%	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.10)	0.13	0.05	0.01	1.53	2054.5	10,559,870 1,323,463
_	Clovis Oncology	EPZM	NC NC	86.76 27.40	2,941.2 897.4	93.33 45.72	27.15	46.6% 35.2%	46.6% 35.2%	214.1%		(2.95)	(3.92)	0.00 1.38	2.09	1.29	9.53 3.77	2617.9 773.8	2,185,492
25	Epizyme Exelixis	EXEL	NC NC	6.40	1,245.5	8.41	18.10 4.33	35.2%	35.2%	NA 37.9%	(0.72)	(0.22)	(1.48) (1.50)	0.24	0.16	0.13	3.77	1245.5	2,185,492 48,778,974
Mid Cap	Immunogen (d)	IMGN	HOLD	16.52	1,415.3	20.25	12.55	10.3%	10.3%	2.9%	(0.92)	(0.87)	(0.72)	0.24	0.16	0.13	2.04	1243.3	8,921,461
2	Incyte	INCY	NC	64.84	10,733.4	70.86	18.23	26.6%	26.6%	187.8%	(0.34)	(0.56)	(0.72)	1.79	2.14	2.88	3.08	10885.5	6,270,549
	Infinity Pharm	INFI	NC	13.93	672.6	50.40	11.30	3.6%	3.6%	-70.2%	(1.70)	(2.64)	(3.41)	0.98	0.00	0.01	4.44	458.1	3,816,129
	Medivation	MDVN	NC	69.84	5,331.2	88.20	41.89	10.1%	10.1%	54.0%	(0.56)	(0.57)	0.80	2.38	3.58	7.10	3.00	5310.8	3,471,810
	Pharmacyclics	PCYC	NC	122.61	9,169.8	154.89	71.85	13.1%	13.1%	41.5%	0.17	0.87	0.16	1.10	3.48	5.63	8.50	8534.1	1,479,588
	Seattle Genetics	SGEN	SELL	53.57	6,588.2	55.99	28.15	33.3%	33.3%	61.9%	(0.46)	(0.51)	(0.96)	1.71	2.19	1.88	3.04	6214.4	16,682,794
	Average				\$3,443.6			22.0%	22.0%	55.1%	(\$0.94)	(\$1.13)	(\$1.21)	\$0.88	\$1.21	\$1.68	\$3.64	\$3,267.4	12,243,276
	Alexion	ALXN	NC	\$175.92	\$34,802.25	\$185.43	\$87.01	31.8%	31.8%	89.7%	\$2.13	\$3.08	\$4.51	\$5.73	\$7.84	\$10.78	\$7.66	\$33,400.4	3,313,164
	Amgen	AMGN	NC	126.58	95,568.8	127.99	92.88	9.3%	9.3%	37.0%	6.51	7.60	8.15	22.87	24.74	25.99	25.70	108,295.8	10,152,742
Cap	Biogen Idec	BIIB	NC	350.01	82,740.3	358.89	175.63	24.9%	24.9%	99.3%	6.53	8.96	11.33	23.34	29.32	36.39	5.17	82,114.1	2,981,895
86	Celgene	CELG	BUY	150.84	61,244.1	174.66	110.53	-12.3%	-12.3%	35.8%	4.91	5.96	7.28	13.56	15.99	18.71	14.40	60,138.1	4,575,942
Large	Gilead	GILD	NC	76.54	117,736.1	84.88	44.26	1.8%	1.8%	72.5%	1.95	2.04	3.79	6.31	7.28	10.68	1.39	122,679.6	87,601,619
_	Regeneron	REGN	NC	329.33	32,244.0	352.49	168.20	19.9%	19.9%	87.9%	6.75	8.17	9.83	14.08	21.50	27.23	7.09	32,055.6	3,864,178
	Vertex	VRTX	NC	77.80	18,343.1	89.96	51.28	5.4%	5.4%	49.9%	(0.50)	(1.98)	(2.37)	6.48	5.14	2.52	6.21	17,384.6	5,221,248
	Average				\$63,239.8			11.5%	11.5%	67.4%	\$4.04	\$4.83	\$6.07	\$13.19	\$15.97	\$18.90	\$9.66	\$39,987.7	16,815,827
	S&P 500	SP50	NA	1,860.8		1,883.57	1,536.03	1.6%	1.6%	20.2%	103.3	NA	119.1	NA	NA	1,176.5			
Indices	Dow Jones Ind	DJII	NA	16,222.2		16,588.25	14,363.94	-1.3%	-1.3%	12.2%	1,042.2	NA	1,118.4	NA	NA	9,874.1			
fndi	NASDAQ Comp	COMP	NA	4,307.6		4,371.71	3,154.96	4.0%	4.0%	33.4%	179.7	NA	208.2	NA	NA	2,116.1			
	Amex Biotech Index	BTK	NA	2,806.6		2,963.54	1,763.02	19.8%	19.8%	58.1%	72.5	NA	103.5	NA	NA	352.1			
	NASDAQ Biotech	NBI	NA	2,711.9		2,872.29	1,611.11	14.3%	14.3%	67.9%	47.7	NA	75.4	NA	NA	356.7		L	L
Mkt Cap	C	mi	D-C	Price Char	_	2012	P/E	201.47	20124	Price/Sales	20145	G	Price/	D.Y.	EDITE	N Y	EV/	g.,	pv.
Range Mid	Company Medivation	Ticker MDVN	Rating NC	High -20.8%	Low 66.7%	2012A	2013E NA	2014E 86.8	2012A 29.34	2013E 19.53	2014E 9.84	Cash 23,30	25.58	BV 68.80	EBITDA (282.6)	Net Inc. (122.1)	FCF NA	Sales 29.2	BV 68.5
	Alexion	ALXN	NC NC	-20.8% -5.1%	102.2%	NA 82.6	57.1	39.0	30.69	22.43	16.32	23.30	25.58 307.98	0.31	(282.6)	54.8	NA 85.9	29.2	0.3
Large Large	Amgen	AMGN	NC NC	-3.1%	36.3%	19.4	16.7	15.5	5.54	5.12	4.87	4.93	2.97	4.32	192.1	18.9	25.9	6.3	4.9
Large	Biogen Idec	BIIB	NC	-2.5%	99.3%	53.6	39.1	30.9	15.00	11.94	9.62	67.67	138.84	NA	27.1	38.8	50.5	14.9	NA
Large	Celgene	CELG	BUY	-13.6%	36.5%	30.7	25.3	20.7	11.12	9.43	8.06	10.47	12.92	11.06	25.7	24.9	31.5	10.9	10.9
Large	Gilead	GILD	NC	-9.8%	72.9%	39.3	37.5	20.7	12.13	10.51	7.17	55.23	NM	10.33	24.8	39.1	43.9	12.6	10.8
Large	Regeneron	REGN	NC	-6.6%	95.8%	48.8	40.3	33.5	23.39	15.32	12.09	46.46	63.78	25.73	40.0	40.1	NA	23.3	25.6
Large	Vertex	VRTX	NC	-13.5%	51.7%	NA	NA	NA	12.01	15.13	30.89	12.52	36.21	16.92	(115.1)	(37.2)	88.4	11.4	NA NA
	Large Cap Only			/0		45.7	36.0	22.8	15.7	12.8	12.7	\$31.47	\$50.95	20.09	10.2	25.6	54.3	15.5	20.2
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<sup>(</sup>a) All companies listed on NASDAQ

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# **Companies Mentioned:**

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Cyclacel Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (CYCC - NASDAQ): NC

CytRx Corporation (CYTR - NASDAQ): NC

Dendreon Corporation (DNDN - NASDAQ): HOLD

Enanta Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (ENTA - NASDAO): NC

Endocyte Inc. (ECYT - NASDAQ): NC

Epizyme, Inc. (EPZM - NASDAO): NC

Exelixis Inc. (EXEL - NASDAQ): NC

Galena Biopharma (GALE - NASDAQ): SELL

Gilead Sciences Inc. (GILD - NASDAQ): NC

Heat Biologics, Inc. (HTBX - NASDAQ): BUY

ImmunoCellular Therapeutics Ltd. (IMUC - NASDAQ): NC

ImmunoGen, Inc. (IMGN - NASDAQ): HOLD

Incyte Corporation (INCY - NASDAQ): NC

Infinity Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (INFI - NASDAQ): NC

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Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (ICPT - NASDAQ): NC

Medivation Inc. (MDVN - NASDAQ): NC

Merrimack Pharmaceuticals Inc. (MACK - NASDAQ): NC

NewLink Genetics Corporation (NLNK - NASDAQ): BUY

OncoMed Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (OMED - NASDAQ): NC

OncoSec Medical Inc. (ONCS - NASDAQ): NC

Oncothyreon Inc. (ONTY - NASDAQ): HOLD

Pharmacyclics Inc. (PCYC - NASDAQ): NC

Progenics Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (PGNX - NASDAQ): NC

Receptos, Inc. (RCPT - NASDAQ): NC

Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc. (REGN - NASDAO): NC

Regulus Therapeutics Inc. (RGLS - NASDAQ): NC

Seattle Genetics, Inc. (SGEN - NASDAQ): SELL Stemline Therapeutics, Inc. (STML - NASDAQ): NC

Sunesis Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (SNSS - NASDAQ): BUY

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