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## **Eagle Pharmaceuticals Inc. (EGRX)**

### Overweight

### Fiscal 2Q Update: Key Milestones For Bendamustine And Ryanodex On The Horizon

### CONCLUSION

Eagle reported a fiscal 2Q14 net loss per share of (\$0.36) on revenues of \$5.0M. Revenues doubled compared to fiscal 2Q13 due to greater market penetration and higher royalty income from the argatroban generic (recall that this is a partnered product). We should see FDA approval decisions in July for EGRX's liquid form of bendamustine (\$700M + brand seller Treanda) and for its enhanced form of dantrolene (aka Ryanodex) for malignant hypothermia (MH). Further, a pilot study testing Ryanodex in exertional heat stroke (EHS) is set to begin later this year. With multiple shots-on-goal in the injectibles arena that are potential improvements over predecessor products (i.e., hence the 505(b) (2) pathway to market for EGRX's generics), pointing to cash generation starting in as early as FY 2016, EGRX is valued attractively in the context of a market cap of under \$150M. We reiterate our Overweight rating and \$22 PT.

- FDA action for ready-to-dilute (RTD) form of bendamustine on the horizon. The action date for EGRX's RTD form of bendamustine for chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) and indolent B-cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL) is set for 7/6/14. That said, recall that litigation with Teva is ongoing and that one of the gating factors to a potential launch is a favorable lower court decision (or even better, the court granting EGRX's motion for summary judgment). EGRX noted that enrollment for a pivotal study testing its low-volume form of bendamustine (this would result in shorter infusion times) is ongoing with 40 patients already dosed and no adverse outcomes seen to date. EGRX is planning to file for approval of this product in 2015.
- An approval decision for Ryanodex in MH is also looming. Recall that the filing in MH has priority review status with an action date of 7/22/14. Given that this is a lower volume formulation that can be reconstituted far more rapidly than the predecessor form of dantrolene, and given that all U.S. hospitals are required to stock dantrolene (this is now a roughly \$20M market annually), we would not be surprised to see some pricing power over time for EGRX's product (and management has hinted that it will initially price its product at a slight premium to the predecessor). As such, we believe that longer-term, the peak sales opportunity in MH could be meaningfully higher than the current \$20M market would suggest.
- Pilot study in EHS set to begin later this year. EGRX expects to begin dosing EHS patients later this year in a pilot study to be conducted in Saudi Arabia. The study will compare standard-of-care (SOC) EHS treatment (i.e., rapid cooling of the patient along with IV fluids) versus SOC plus Ryanodex. Recall that as is the case with Ryanodex in MH, the product also has orphan status in EHS (in addition to issued patents on the formulation that expire as late as 2023).

### RISKS TO ACHIEVEMENT OF PRICE TARGET

Pipeline setbacks and risks related to patent litigation.

#### **COMPANY DESCRIPTION**

Eagle is focused on optimized generic injectibles.

VEAD				REVENUE	(US\$ m)				EARNINGS PER SHARE (US\$)							
YEAR	Dec	Mar	Jun	Sep	FY	CY	FY RM	CY RM	Dec	Mar	Jun	Sep	FY	CY	FY P/E	CY P/E
2014E	5.5A	5.0A	3.8E	3.3E	17.5E	_	7.6x	NA	(0.31)A	(o.30)A	(o.34) E	(o.39)E	(1.36)E	_	NM	NA
2015E	2.8E	3.9E	4.0E	4.2E	14.8E	_	9.ox	NA	(0.47)E	(o.43)E	(o.45)E	(o.44) E	(1.79)E	_	NM	NA
2016E	_	_	_	_	143.9E	_	0.9x	NA	_	_	_	_	2.48E	_	3.9x	NA

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### PRICE: US\$9.56 TARGET: US\$22.00

17x 2018E non-GAAP EPS of \$2.20, disc.

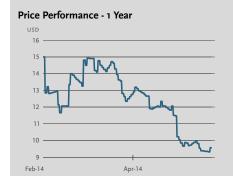
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Changes	Previous	Current
Rating	_	Overweight
Price Tgt	_	US\$22.00
FY15E Rev (mil)	US\$9.0	US\$14.8
FY16E Rev (mil)	_	US\$143.9
FY15E EPS	US\$(1.84)	US\$(1.79)
FY16E EPS	US\$2.49	US\$2.48
52-Week High / Low	US\$1	6.44 / US\$9.16
Shares Out (mil)		13.9
Market Cap. (mil)		US\$132.9
Avg Daily Vol (000)		245
Book Value/Share		US\$3.21
Net Cash Per Share		US\$3.95
Debt to Total Capital		0%
Yield		0.00%
Fiscal Year End		Sep



Source: Bloomberg

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Exhibit 1

### FISCAL 2Q14: ACTUAL VS. PJC ESTIMATES

\$ in millions, except per share	Actual	PJC Estimates
Revenue		
Bendamustine 505(b)(2) generic	\$0.0	\$0.0
Ryanodex - MH & EHS	\$0.0	\$0.0
Argatroban revenues	\$4.7	\$2.0
Other revenues	\$0.3	\$0.0
Total Revenues	\$5.0	\$2.0
Expenses		
cogs	\$3.4	\$1.0
R&D	\$3.8	\$3.6
SG&A	\$1.5	\$1.7
Operating Income	(\$3.6)	(\$4.3)
non-GAAP Net Income	(\$2.7)	(\$4.5)
non-GAAP EPS, diluted	(\$0.30)	(\$0.64)
Shares outstanding, diluted	8.9	7.0

Source: Company reports, ThomsonOne, and PJC estimates

### Exhibit 2

### EGRX CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Product/		Expected
Program	Event	Date
Bendamustine	PDUFA date for ready-to-dilute (RTD) product (EP-3101)	July 6, 2014
Dantrolene	PDUFA date in MH	July 22, 2014
Bendamustine	Potential summary judgement in litigation versus Teva	Mid-2014
Dantrolene	Potential initiation of pilot study for heat stroke	Late 2014
Bendamustine	Submit sNDA for RTD, shorter infusion time formulation (EP-3102)	1H15
Bivalirudin	Possible NDA submission	mid-2015
Dantrolene	Potential initiation of pivotal trial for heat stroke	2015

Note: Expected dates relate to calendar dates

Source: Company reports and PJC estimates

Exhibit 3

### SUMMARY OF CURRENT AND PRIOR EGRX ESTIMATES

	FY 20	014E	FY 20	015E	FY 20	)16E	FY 20	)17E	FY 20	)18E	FY 20	)19E
\$ in millions, except per share	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior	Current	Prior
Revenues												
Bendamustine 505(b)(2) generic sales	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$131	\$131	\$83	\$83	\$64	\$64	\$56	\$56
Ryanodex (dantrolene) - MH	\$0	\$0	\$6	\$6	\$10	\$10	\$17	\$17	\$22	\$22	\$25	\$25
Ryanodex (dantrolene) - EHS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$48	\$48	\$81	\$81	\$100	\$100
Argatroban revenues	\$17	\$7	\$9	\$3	\$3	\$3	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2	\$2
Other revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total Revenues	\$17	\$7	\$15	\$9	\$144	\$144	\$151	\$151	\$170	\$170	\$183	\$183
Expenses												
cogs	\$13	\$3	\$7	\$3	\$50	\$50	\$47	\$47	\$53	\$53	\$55	\$55
Research & development	\$14	\$15	\$17	\$16	\$17	\$17	\$17	\$17	\$18	\$18	\$18	\$18
Selling, general and administrative	\$7	\$9	\$17	\$17	\$20	\$20	\$25	\$25	\$32	\$32	\$38	\$38
Other income (expense), net	(\$1)	(\$1)	(\$1)	(\$1)	(\$0)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Operating Income	(\$17)	(\$20)	(\$26)	(\$27)	\$57	\$58	\$62	\$62	\$68	\$68	\$73	\$74
non-GAAP Net Income	(\$16)	(\$21)	(\$27)	(\$28)	\$57	\$58	\$59	\$59	\$54	\$54	\$52	\$52
Shares outstanding (diluted)	12	14	15	15	23	23	24	24	25	25	25	25
non-GAAP EPS, diluted	(\$1.36)	(\$1.53)	(\$1.79)	(\$1.84)	\$2.48	\$2.49	\$2.48	\$2.48	\$2.20	\$2.20	\$2.03	\$2.03

Note: Our prior estimates were based on a fiscal year ending December 31; our current estimates reflect a fiscal year ending September 30

Source: Company reports, ThomsonOne, and PJC estimates

### **Eagle Pharmaceuticals - Quarterly and Annual Income Statement**

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Fiscal Year Ends September 30 (\$ In millions, except for EPS)	FY 2013A	1QA	2QA	3QE	4QE	FY 2014E	1QE	2QE	3QE	4QE	FY 2015E	FY 2016E	FY 2017E	FY 2018E
Revenues														
Bendamustine 505(b)(2) generic sales											\$0.0	\$131.2	\$83.3	\$64.4
Ryanodex (dantrolene) - exertional heat stroke (EHS)											\$0.0	\$0.0	\$48.2	\$81.1
Ryanodex (dantrolene) - malignant hyperthermia (MH)								<u>\$1.5</u>	\$2.0	\$2.5	<u>\$6.0</u>	\$10.2	<u>\$17.3</u>	<u>\$22.4</u>
Ryanodex (dantrolene) franchise sales								\$1.5	\$2.0	\$2.5	\$6.0	\$10.2	\$65.5	\$103.4
Bivalirudin 505(b)(2) generic sales														
Pemetrexed 505(b)(2) generic sales	1													
Argatroban revenues (1)	\$13.7	\$5.5	\$4.7	\$3.8	\$3.3	\$17.2	\$2.8	\$2.4	\$2.0	\$1.8	\$8.9	\$2.5	\$2.0	\$2.0
Other revenues	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.3	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.3	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Total revenue	\$13.7	\$5.5	\$5.0	\$3.8	\$3.3	\$17.5	\$2.8	\$3.9	\$4.0	\$4.2	\$14.8	\$143.9	\$150.8	\$169.8
Cost of sales	7.4	4.6	3.4	2.5	2.2	12.7	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.8	7.5	49.7	46.7	52.8
Gross Profit	\$6.3	\$0.9	\$1.6	\$1.2	\$1.1	\$4.8	\$0.9	\$1.9	\$2.2	\$2.4	\$7.3	\$94.3	\$104.1	\$117.0
Research & development	9.8	2.6	3.8	3.9	4.0	14.3	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	16.6	16.8	17.0	17.5
Selling, general, and administrative	5.0	1.3	1.5	1.9	2.5	7.2	3.4	4.0	4.5	5.3	17.2	20.0	25.0	32.0
Total expenses (2)	\$22.1	\$8.6	\$8.6	\$8.3	\$8.7	\$34.2	\$9.4	\$10.1	\$10.6	\$11.3	\$41.3	\$86.5	\$88.7	\$102.3
Operating Income	(\$8.5)	(\$3.1)	(\$3.6)	(\$4.6)	(\$5.4)	(\$16.7)	(\$6.6)	(\$6.2)	(\$6.6)	(\$7.1)	(\$26.5)	\$57.5	\$62.1	\$67.5
Other income (expense), net	1.5	(0.2)	(0.4)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.9)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.2)	(0.6)	(0.1)	0.2	0.2
Income (loss) before taxes	(\$6.9)	(\$3.3)	(\$4.0)	(\$4.7)	(\$5.6)	(\$17.6)	(\$6.8)	(\$6.4)	(\$6.7)	(\$7.2)	(\$27.1)	\$57.4	\$62.3	\$67.7
Income tax provision	0.9	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	(3.1)	(13.5)
Dividends paid related to convertible pfd stock (3)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
non-GAAP Net income (loss)	(\$6.0)	(\$3.3)	(\$2.7)	(\$4.7)	(\$5.6)	· · ·	(\$6.8)	(\$6.4)	(\$6.7)	(\$7.2)	(\$27.1)	\$57.4	\$59.2	\$54.2
non-GAAP EPS, basic (3)	(\$0.63)	(\$0.31)	(\$0.30)	(\$0.34)	(\$0.39)	(\$1.36)	(\$0.47)	(\$0.43)	(\$0.45)	(\$0.44)	(\$1.79)	\$3.35	\$3.31	\$2.91
non-GAAP EPS, diluted (3)	(\$0.63)	(\$0.31)	(\$0.30)	(\$0.34)	(\$0.39)	(\$1.36)	(\$0.47)	(\$0.43)	(\$0.45)	(\$0.44)	(\$1.79)	\$2.48	\$2.48	\$2.20
Shares outstanding, basic <sup>(4)</sup> Shares outstanding, diluted <sup>(4)</sup>	9.6	10.6	8.9	14.0	14.3	11.9	14.5	14.7	14.9	16.4	15.1	17.1	17.9	18.6
<u>.</u>	9.6	10.6	8.9	14.0	14.3	11.9	14.5	14.7	14.9	16.4	15.1	23.1	23.9	24.6
Expenses as % of sales:	54.00/	0.4.00/	07.40/	07.50/	07.50/	70.00/	07.50/	<b>50.00</b> /	40.00/	40.70/	50.40/	0.4.50/	04.00/	04.40/
COGS R&D	54.0%	84.2%	67.1%	67.5%	67.5%	72.6%	67.5%	50.9%	46.3%	42.7%	50.4%	34.5% 11.7%	31.0% 11.3%	31.1% 10.3%
SG&A	1											13.9%	16.6%	18.8%
Margins:	1											13.370	10.076	10.076
Gross margin	46.0%	15.8%	32.9%	32.5%	32.5%	27.4%	32.5%	49.1%	53.8%	57.3%	49.6%	65.5%	69.0%	68.9%
Operating margin												39.9%	41.2%	39.8%
Net income	1											39.9%	39.2%	31.9%
Income Tax	1											0.0%	5.0%	20.0%
Y-O-Y Growth rates:	1													
Total revenue	1										-15.4%	872.0%	4.8%	12.6%
R&D											16.2%	1.2%	1.2%	2.9%
Selling, general, and administrative											138.9%	16.3%	25.0%	28.0%
Operating profit														8.7%
Net income EPS														-8.5%
EPS														

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes EGRX product sales and royalties from partners

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<sup>(2)</sup> Total expenses include COGS

<sup>(3)</sup> Excludes dividends paid to convertible preferred stock holders

<sup>(4)</sup> Reflects convertion of preferred shares to common equity shares as a result of February 2014 IPO; also reflects a modest equity capital raise in FY 2015

Eagle Pharmaceuticals - Annual Cash Flow Statement

(\$ in millions)

	FY 2012A	FY 2013A	FY 2014E	FY 2015E	FY 2016E	FY 2017E	FY 2018E
Beginning Cash & Equivalents	\$8.1	\$5.1	\$10.5	\$44.9	\$36.1	\$99.9	\$165.1
Operating Activities							
Net Income (Loss)	(\$19.4)	(\$6.0)	(\$16.3)	(\$27.1)	\$57.4	\$59.2	\$54.2
Depreciation & Amortization	\$0.2	\$0.1	\$1.0	\$1.0	\$1.0	\$1.0	\$1.0
Other	\$0.4	\$2.8	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Stock-based Compensation	\$0.4	\$0.1	\$2.0	\$2.0	\$2.0	\$2.0	\$2.0
Net Change in Assets and Liabilities	\$2.8	(\$2.8)	\$2.0	(\$8.7)	(\$0.5)	(\$1.0)	(\$0.2)
Cash From Operations	(\$15.5)	(\$5.9)	(\$11.3)	(\$32.8)	\$59.8	\$61.2	\$57.0
Investing Activities							
Capital Expenditures	(\$0.0)	(\$0.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)
Short-Term Investments	\$3.0	\$1.5	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Acquisition of Tangible Assets	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Acquisition of Intangibles	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Other Investment	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Cash From Investing Activities	\$3.0	\$1.5	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)	(\$1.0)
Financing Activities							
Debt Issuance	\$9.7	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Debt Repayments	\$0.0	\$9.8	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Dividends	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Share Repurchases	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Stock and Option Issuances	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$50.3	\$25.0	\$5.0	\$5.0	\$5.0
Other, Net	(\$0.1)	(\$0.0)	(\$3.5)	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Cash From Financing Activities	\$9.5	\$9.8	\$46.7	\$25.0	\$5.0	\$5.0	\$5.0
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Currency Translation Differences	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Net Change In Cash Year End Cash & Equivalents	(\$3.0) <b>\$5.1</b>	\$5.4 <b>\$10.5</b>	\$34.4 <b>\$44.9</b>	(\$8.8) <b>\$36.1</b>	\$63.8 <b>\$99.9</b>	\$65.2 <b>\$165.1</b>	\$61.0 <b>\$226.1</b>
rear End Cash & Equivalents	<b>30.</b> 1	\$10.5	<b>\$44.9</b>	<b>\$30.1</b>	<b>рээ.</b> 9	\$100.T	\$220.1

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Eagle Pharmaceuticals - Annual Balance Sheet

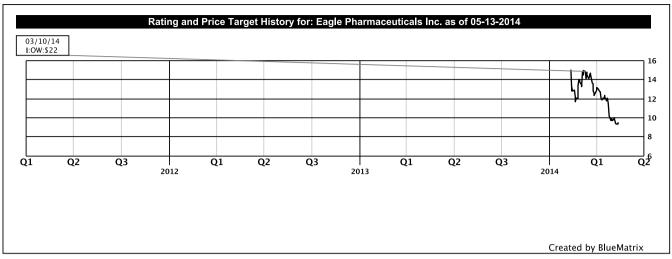
(\$ in millions)

	FY 2012A	FY 2013A	FY 2014E	FY 2015E	FY 2016E	FY 2017E	FY 2018E
Current Assets							
Cash & Equivalents	\$5.1	\$10.5	\$44.9	\$36.1	\$99.9	\$165.1	\$226.1
Marketable Securities	\$1.5	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Accounts Receivable, net	\$1.6	\$5.1	\$1.0	\$7.9	\$8.3	\$9.3	\$10.0
Inventories	\$0.1	\$0.0	\$2.9	\$5.4	\$6.4	\$7.2	\$7.5
Other Current Assets	\$0.6	\$1.9	\$0.5	\$0.5	\$0.6	\$0.7	\$0.8
Total Current Assets	\$8.9	\$17.5	\$49.2	\$50.0	\$115.2	\$182.4	\$244.5
Property, Plant & Equipment, Net	\$0.5	\$0.4	\$0.4	\$0.4	\$0.4	\$0.4	\$0.4
Restricted Cash	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Other Assets	\$0.1	\$0.2	\$0.2	\$0.2	\$0.2	\$0.2	\$0.2
Total Assets	\$9.4	\$18.1	\$49.9	\$50.6	\$115.8	\$183.0	\$245.1
Liabilities & Equity							
Current Liabilities	\$12.3	\$14.3	\$15.1	\$15.8	\$16.6	\$17.4	\$18.3
Total Debt	\$8.6	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Other Liabilities	\$82.0	\$91.7	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
Equity	(\$93.4)	(\$87.9)	\$34.8	\$34.8	\$99.2	\$165.5	\$226.8
Total Liabilities & Equity	\$9.4	\$18.1	\$49.9	\$50.6	\$115.8	\$183.0	\$245.1

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