

# Development of vaccines for global use: The role of the Vaccine Industry

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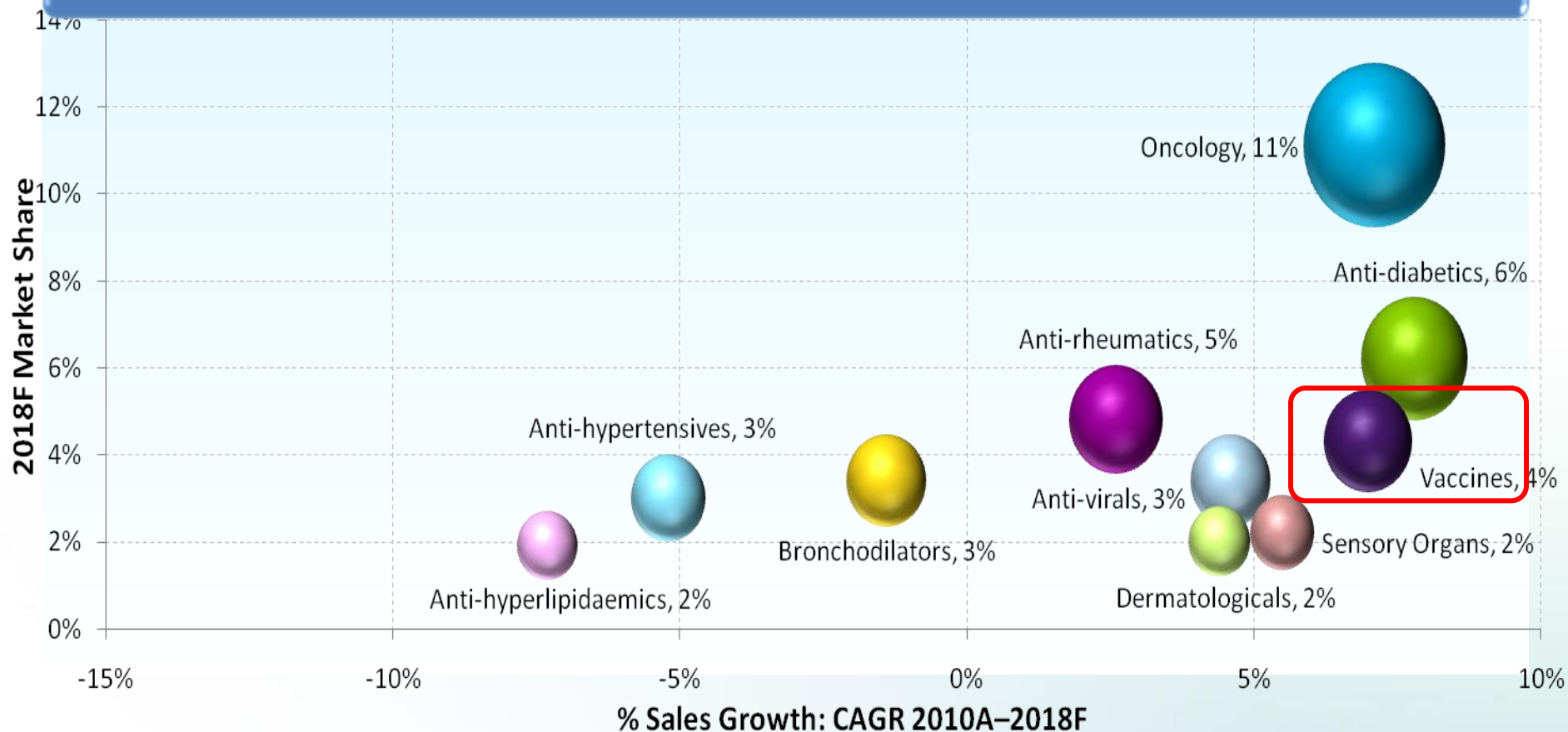


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# Vaccines Is an Attractive Business Segment

Advantaged economics (global vaccines market is projected to grow from \$24B to ~\$39B by 2017\*)

Top 10 Therapy Areas in 2018 – Market Share & Sales Growth (2011–2018)



•Indicates 2018F worldwide \$ sales depicted by size of bubble.

•Vaccines include infectious disease vaccines only

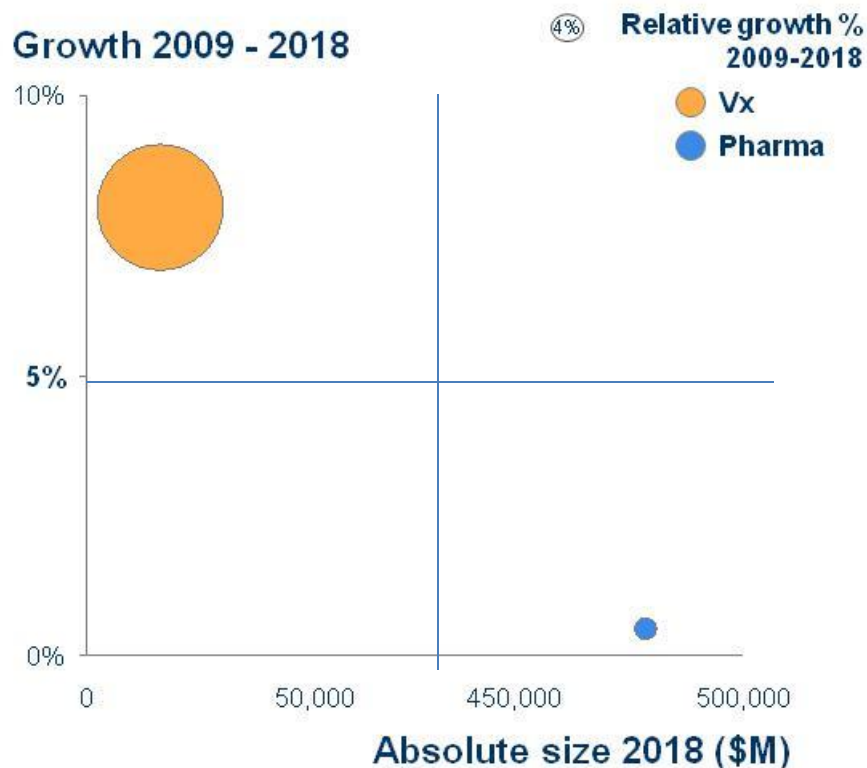
Source: EvaluatePharma world Preview 2018 Embracing the Patent Cliff, June 2012.

# Vaccines are growing 5X than Pharma Annually

Vaccines expected to exceed current market value by ~80% by 2018

Vaccines growth driven by changing industry trends

Growth 2009 - 2018



## Vaccines developing a "Pharma – Like" business model

- Vaccines now developed / marketed like traditional pharmaceuticals
- Focus on proprietary technologies, specific at-risk demographics

**In context of large wave of patent expiry, Vaccines is a growing segment with limited generic competition**

**High barriers to entry given scientific and technical regulatory requirements**

**Ability to win share with strong Government/VTC recommendations**

**Future growth driven by specialty and therapeutic segments**

# Eight Distinct Vaccine Market Segments

Segment		Description	Example Diseases/Vaccines
Pediatric <6 yrs	Traditional Pediatric	Commodity-based vaccines based on older technologies with strongly regulated pricing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DTP, HepB/Hib, Polio (Pediarix, PentAct-HIB)</li> <li>• MMR (Proquad, MMR II)</li> </ul>
	Specialty pediatric	Newly targeted pediatric diseases based on more innovative technologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pneumococcal (Prevnar13, Synflorix)</li> <li>• Rotavirus (RotaTeq, Rotarix)</li> <li>• Mening C (Menactra, Menjugate, Menomune)</li> </ul>
Adult	Adult Booster	Vaccines targeting adolescents and adults to refresh and strengthen protection by primary childhood vaccination Immunocompromised individuals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DTP (Repevax, Decavac, Boostrix, Adacel)</li> <li>• Tdap</li> <li>• PPV23</li> </ul>
	Specialty adolescent/adult	Newly targeted infectious diseases with high unmet need	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HPV (Cervarix, Gardasil)</li> <li>• Pneumococcal (PPV23, Prevnar 13)</li> <li>• Herpes zoster (Zostavax)</li> </ul>
Across Ages	Travelers / Endemic	Infectious diseases with low/no prevalence in mature countries, but needed by military, travelers, etc. Disease prevalent exclusively in the developing world	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HepB (Recombivax, HB-Vax, Hepavax)</li> <li>• MenigA (MenfriVac)</li> <li>• Yellow fever (Flavimun, Arilvax)</li> </ul>
	Seasonal / Pandemic	Vaccines requiring fast scale-up due to cyclical or urgent demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Influenza (Fluzone, Fluvirin, FluLaval, Fluvax)</li> <li>• Anthrax (BioThrax)</li> <li>• Smallpox (ACAM2000, Lancy-Vaxina)</li> </ul>
	Therapeutic	Vaccine technology leveraged to treat diseases, such as cancer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oncology (lung, breast, prostate)</li> <li>• CNS (Alzheimer's, drug addiction)</li> <li>• Allergy (pollen, dust)</li> </ul>
	Special populations	Vaccines for surgical populations , long-term care facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Staph aureus</i></li> <li>• <i>C.difficile</i></li> </ul>

# Welcome to the vaccine Company “Vacurion”

## You are now a senior executive in industry

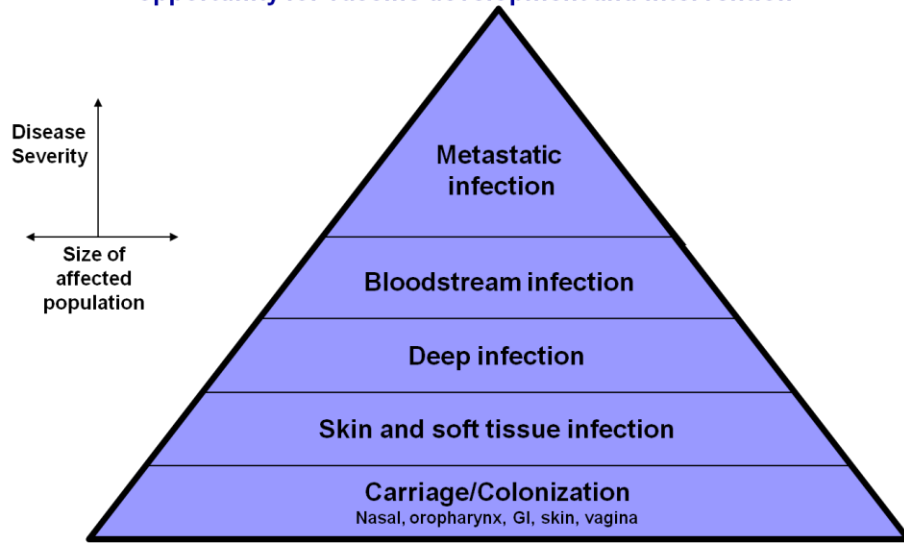
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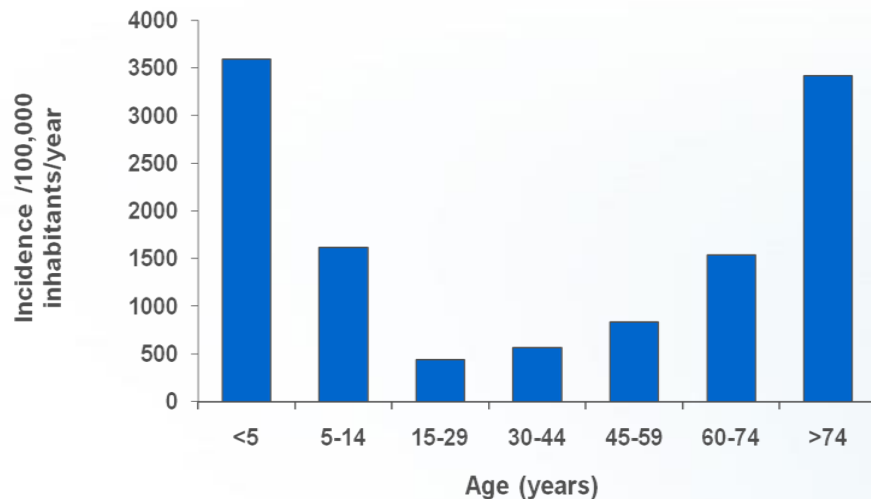
**New Vaccine against  
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# Microbium terribilis: the unmet medical need

The broad spectrum of *Pathogen A* disease presents many levels of opportunity for vaccine development and intervention



Disease burden caused by *Pathogen A* is greatest at the extremes of age and in at risk and immunocompromised individuals



- A range of populations are at-risk for infection, both in community and healthcare settings both in industrialized and the developing world
- The number of multi drug resistant strains is increasing rendering treatment more difficult and associated costs to increase
- There is a need for a vaccine able to confer broad protection against the most virulent strains of *M.terribilis*

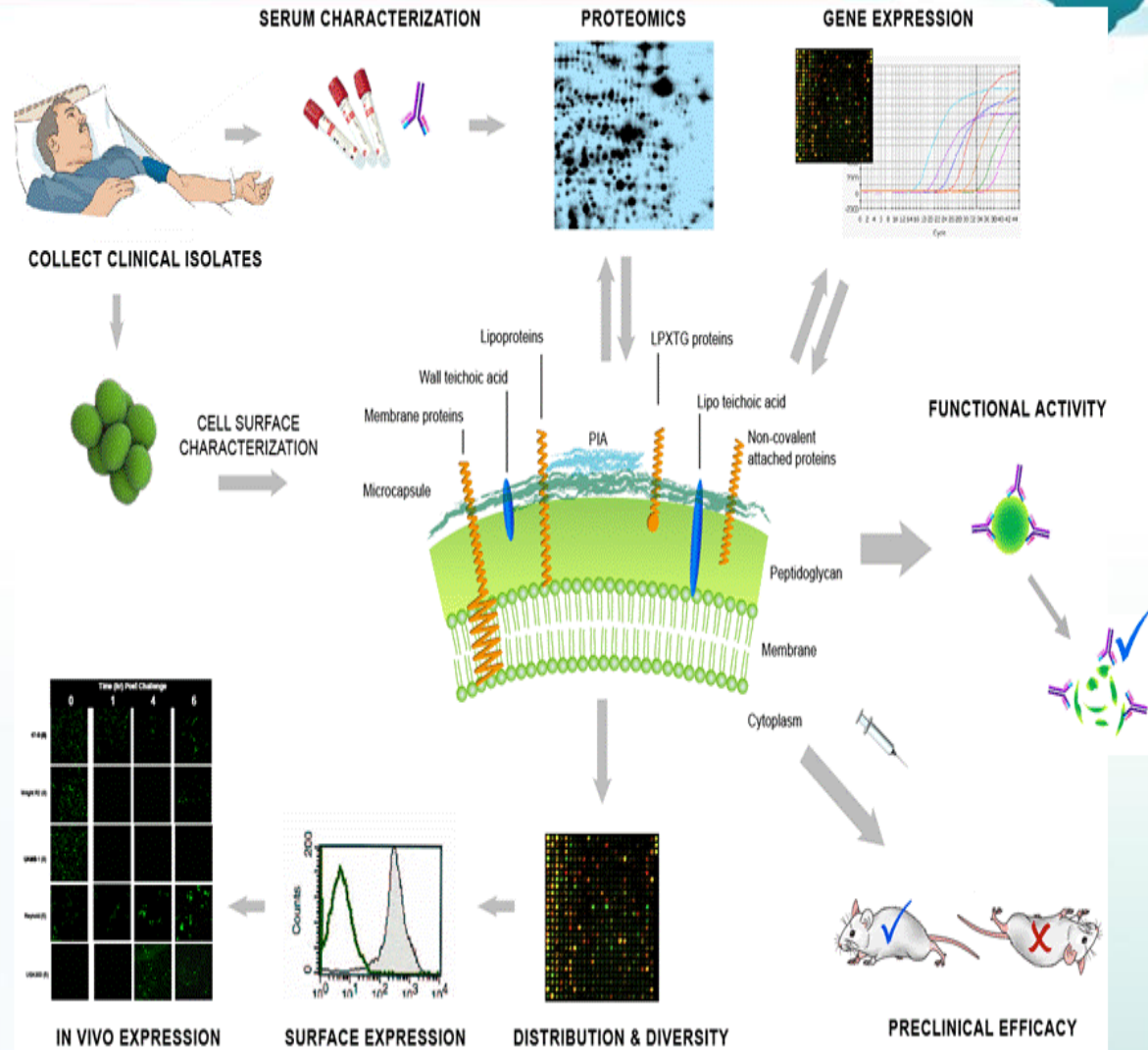
# *M. tuberculosis* : Vaccine Discovery

Antigens are:

- Surface expressed by majority of *M. tuberculosis* disease causing isolates
- Conserved
- Important in pathogenesis mechanisms
- Effective in pre-clinical animal models
- Capable of generating antibodies with specific functional activity

Vaccine should be

- Capable of providing coverage for multiple strains
- Be effective for different disease states
- Effective in diverse geographies



# *M. terribilis*

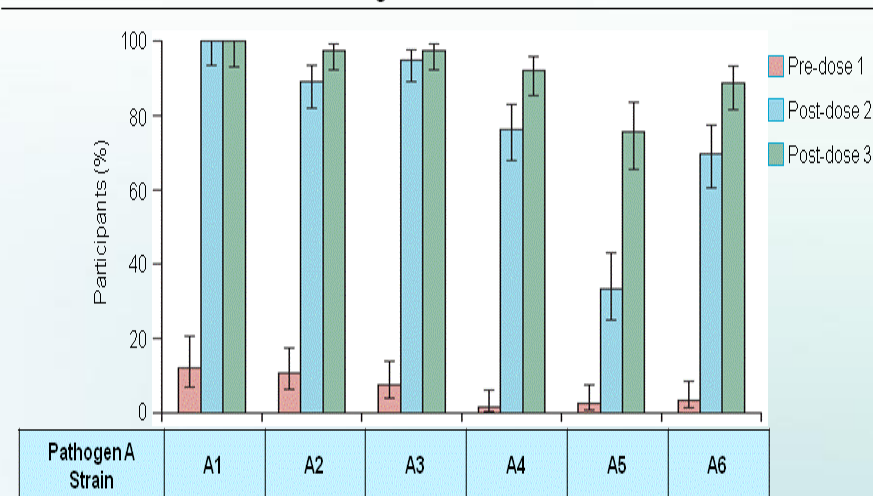
## Vaccine development and Proof of Concept

Antigen	Virulence Factor	Functional Immunoassay
Capsular PS (X and Y)	Phagocytic activity	OPA
Protein A	Mediates adhesion and invasion of host cells	Luminex competitive Immunoassay (CLIA)
Protein B	Participates in transport into and out of the cell membrane	CLIA, OPA

### • Phase II clinical results

- Acceptable safety and tolerability after a three dose regimen
- Substantial increases in CLIA and OPA titers post 2 and 3 doses and each antigen
- Antibody responses maintained over 12 months

Proportion of Infants with OPA Titres Equal or Greater than 1:8 in the Vaccine A 50 µg Dose Group against Protein B





# First Decision that you have to make is: Should we invest to launch a vaccine against *M.terribilis*?

Vacurion vaccine portfolio

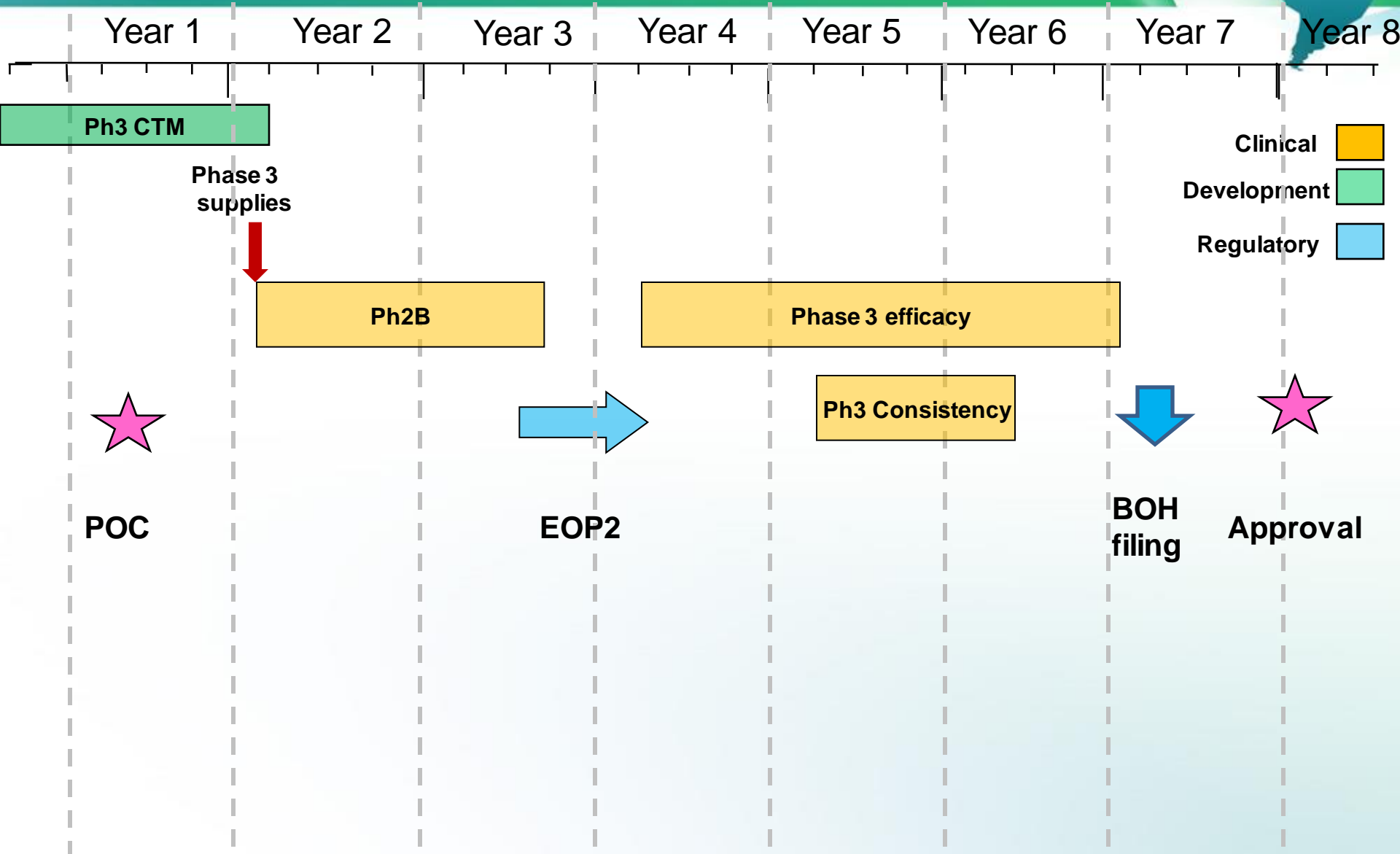
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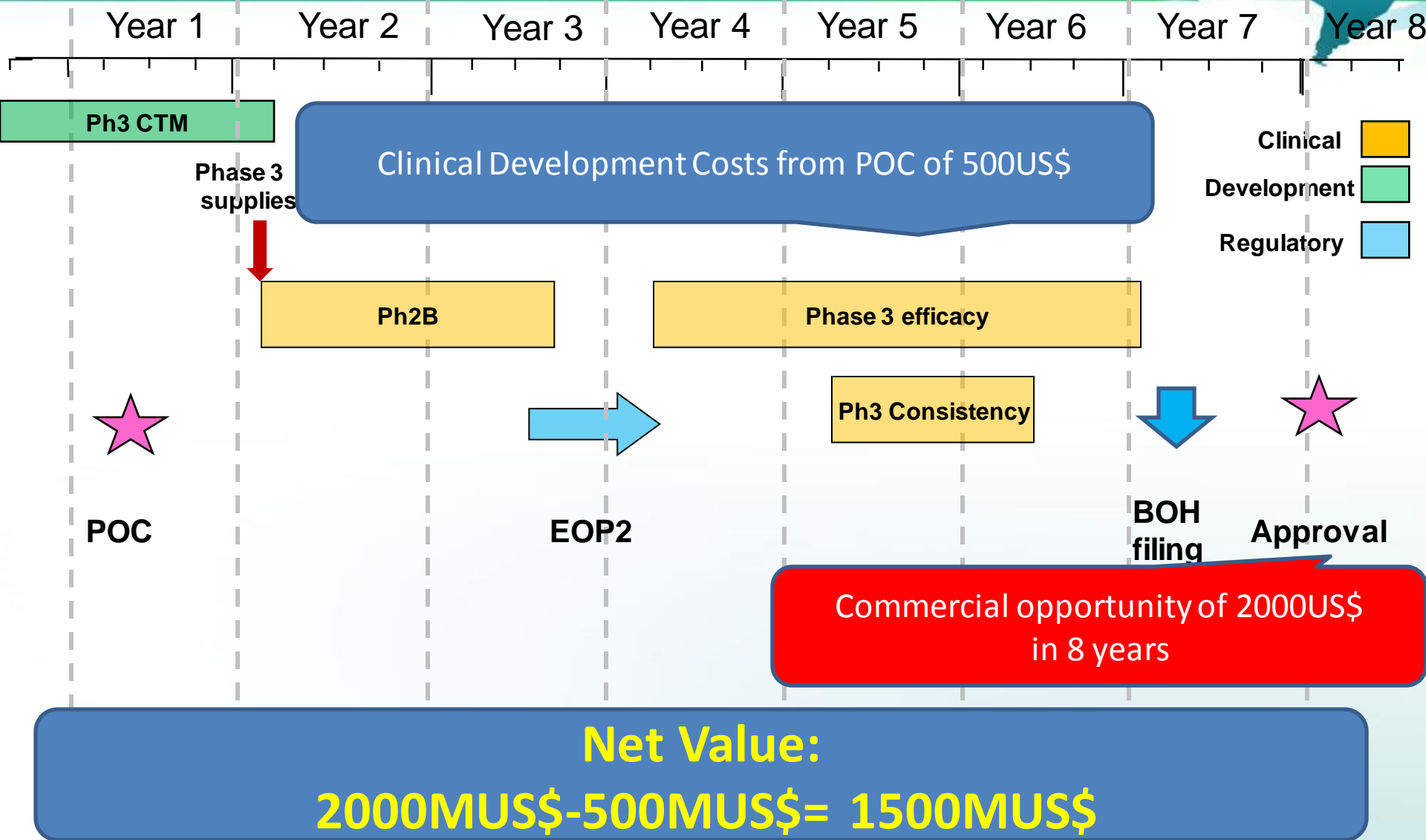


*What is the expected Net Present Value of Vaccine against *M.terribilis*?*

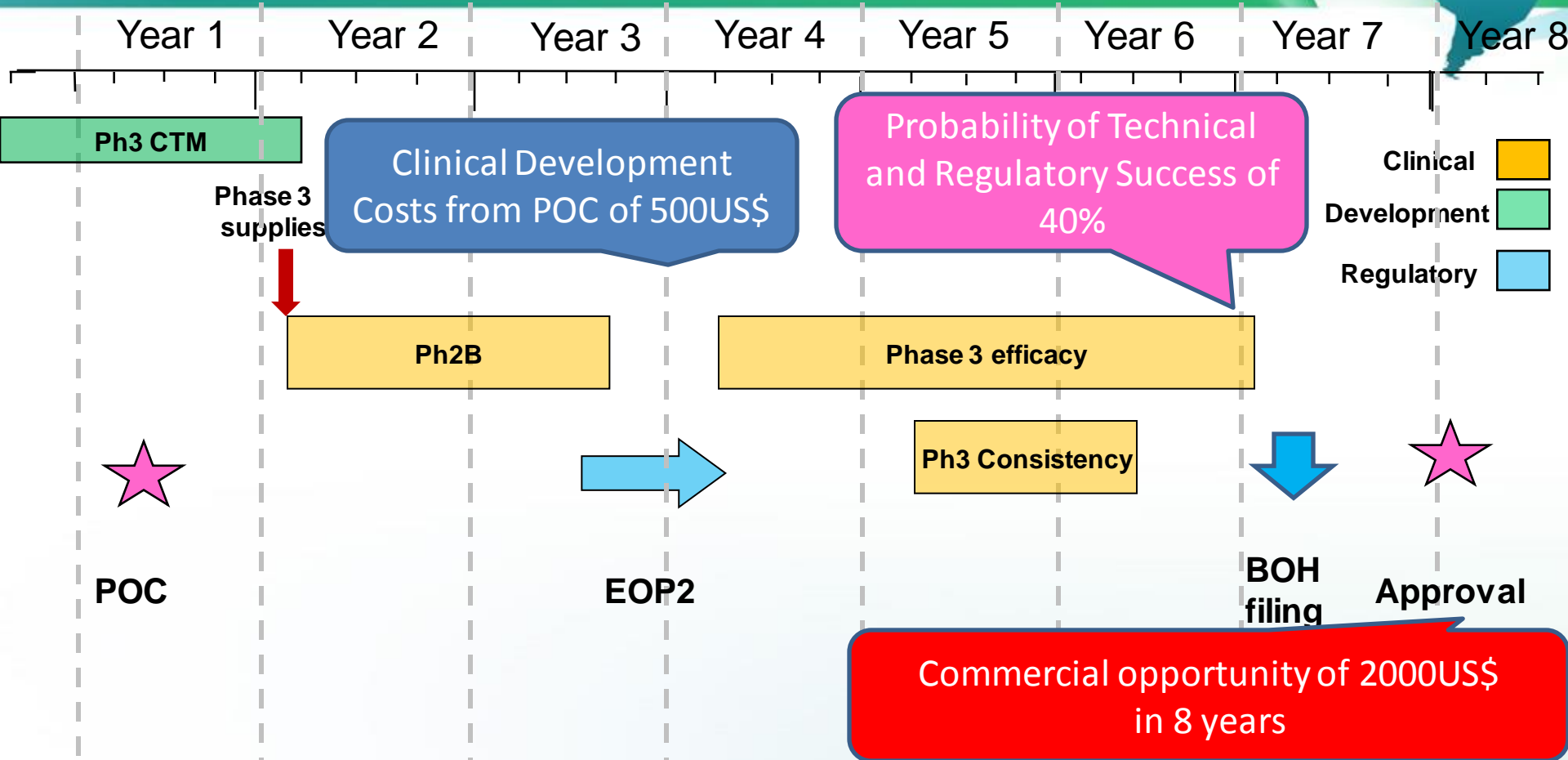
# *M.terribilis* Vaccine Clinical Development Program



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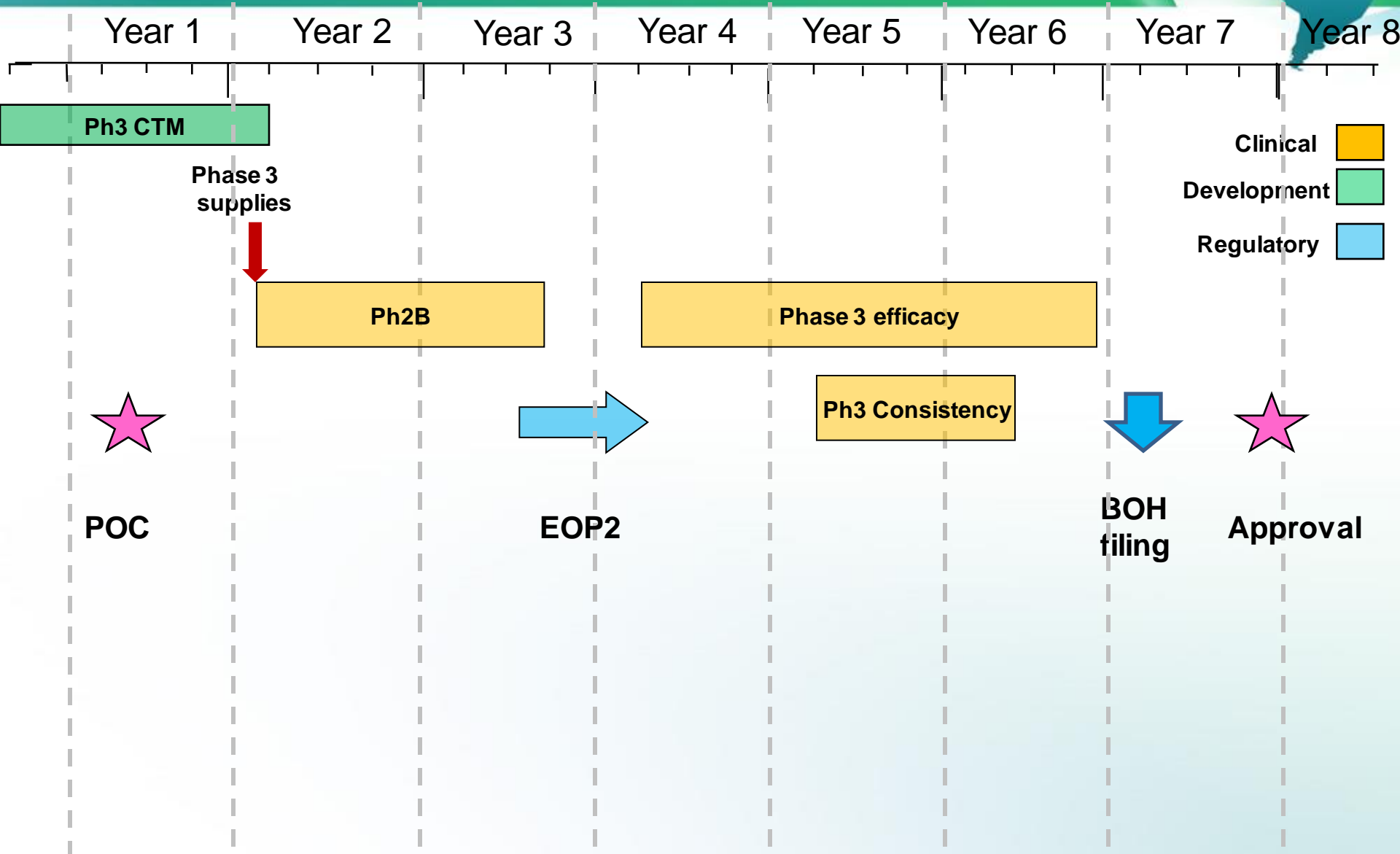


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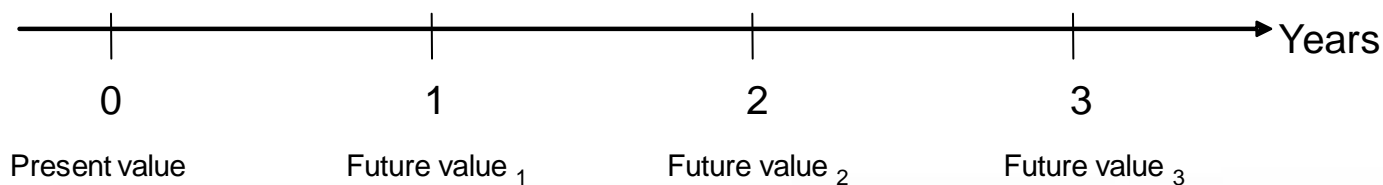
**Expected Net Value:**  
 $2000MUS\$ * 0.40 - 500MUS\$ = 300MUS\$$

# What is the expected net **present** value of the program?



# Time is money: a dollar today is worth more than a dollar in the future

- Because Vacurion can deposit money in savings account, earn interests and end up with more \$ in the future
- For example:
  - Deposit \$100 today in savings account
  - Interest rate = 5%
  - Have \$105 in Year 1, \$110 in Year 2, \$116 in Year 3 ...



\$100 @5%      \$100 → \$105 → \$110 → \$116

What is \$100 in one year worth today?

? = \$95 ← \$100

What is \$100 in two year worth today?

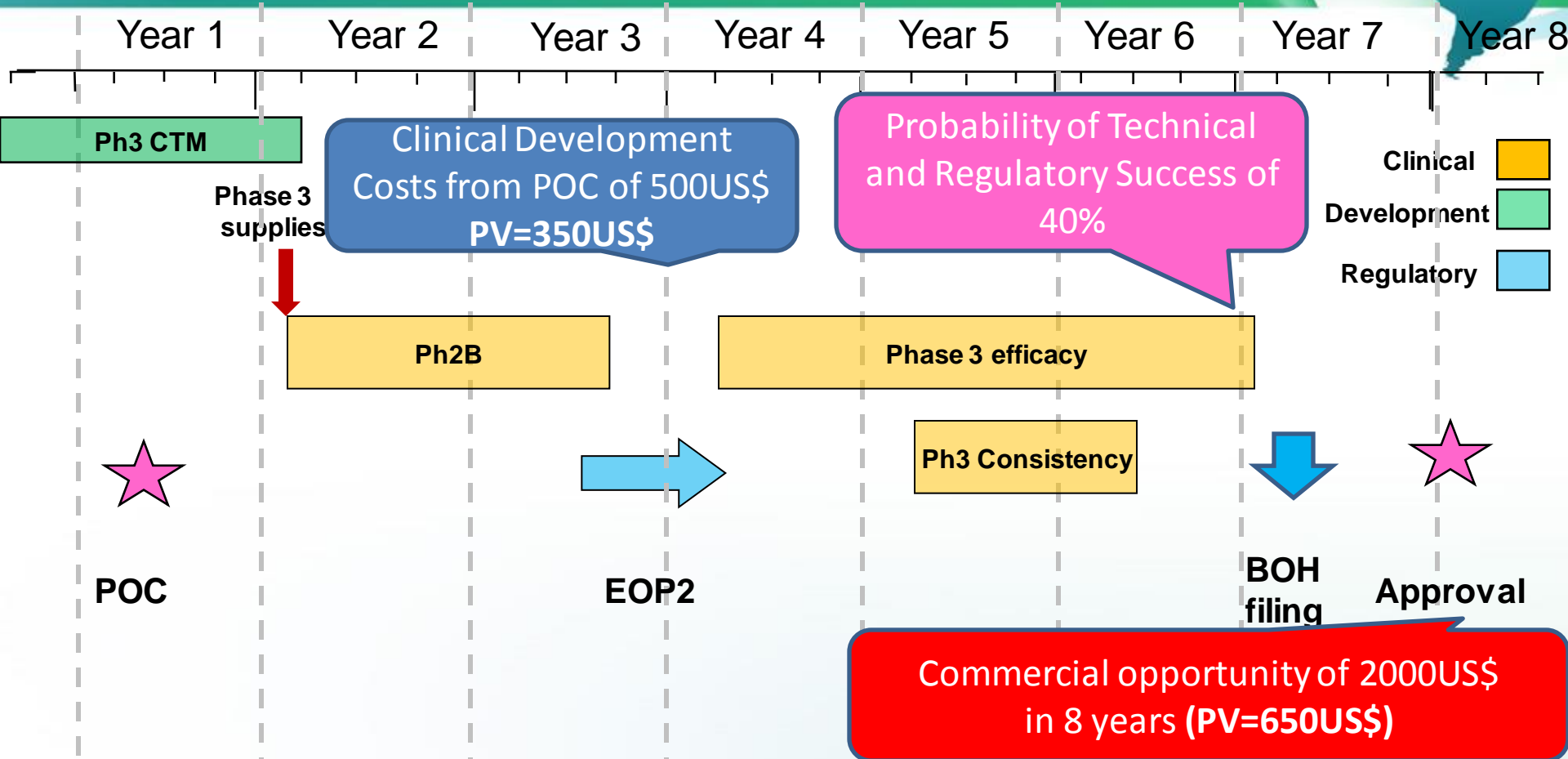
? = \$91 ← ? = \$95 ← \$100

What is \$100 in three year worth today?

? = \$86 ← ? = \$91 ← ? = \$95 ← \$100

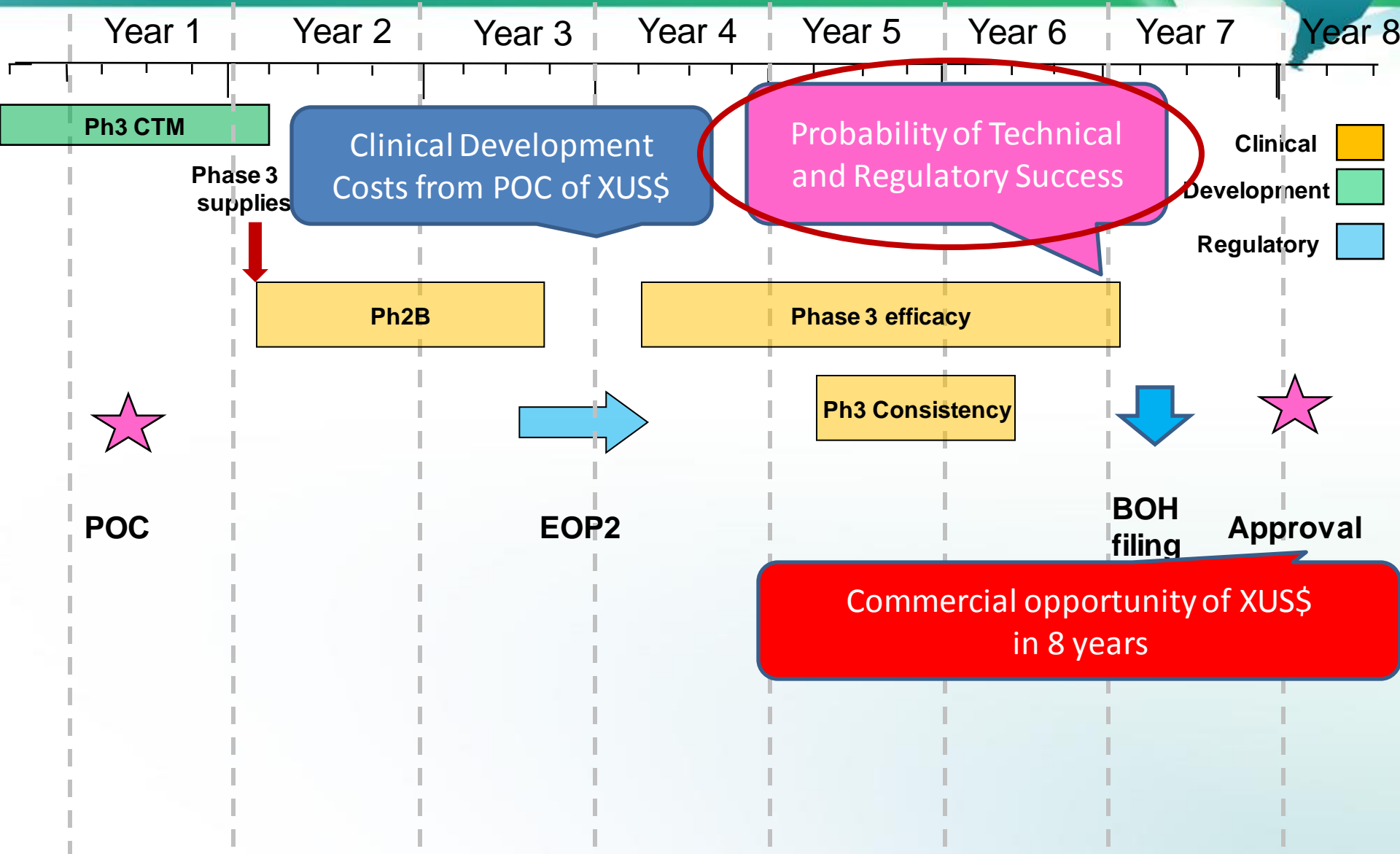
**Present value** = future cash flow stream expressed in today's terms

# What is the expected net **present** value of the program?



**Estimated Net Present Value:**  
 $650\text{MUS\$} * 0.40 - 350\text{MUS\$} = -90\text{MUS\$}$

# How each of these elements affect the eNPV of the program?





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72%

Immune responses in previous trials have elicited several fold higher titers than existing vaccine

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85%	85%	72%	90%	65%

Immunogenicity accepted as endpoint for licensure and non-inferiority criteria agreed with regulators

**Expected Net Present Value:**  
**650MUS\$\*0.65-350MUS\$= 72MUS\$**

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50%

42%

Immune responses shown in earlier trials may not predict efficacy in humans and heterogeneity of at risk sub-groups may render different efficacy

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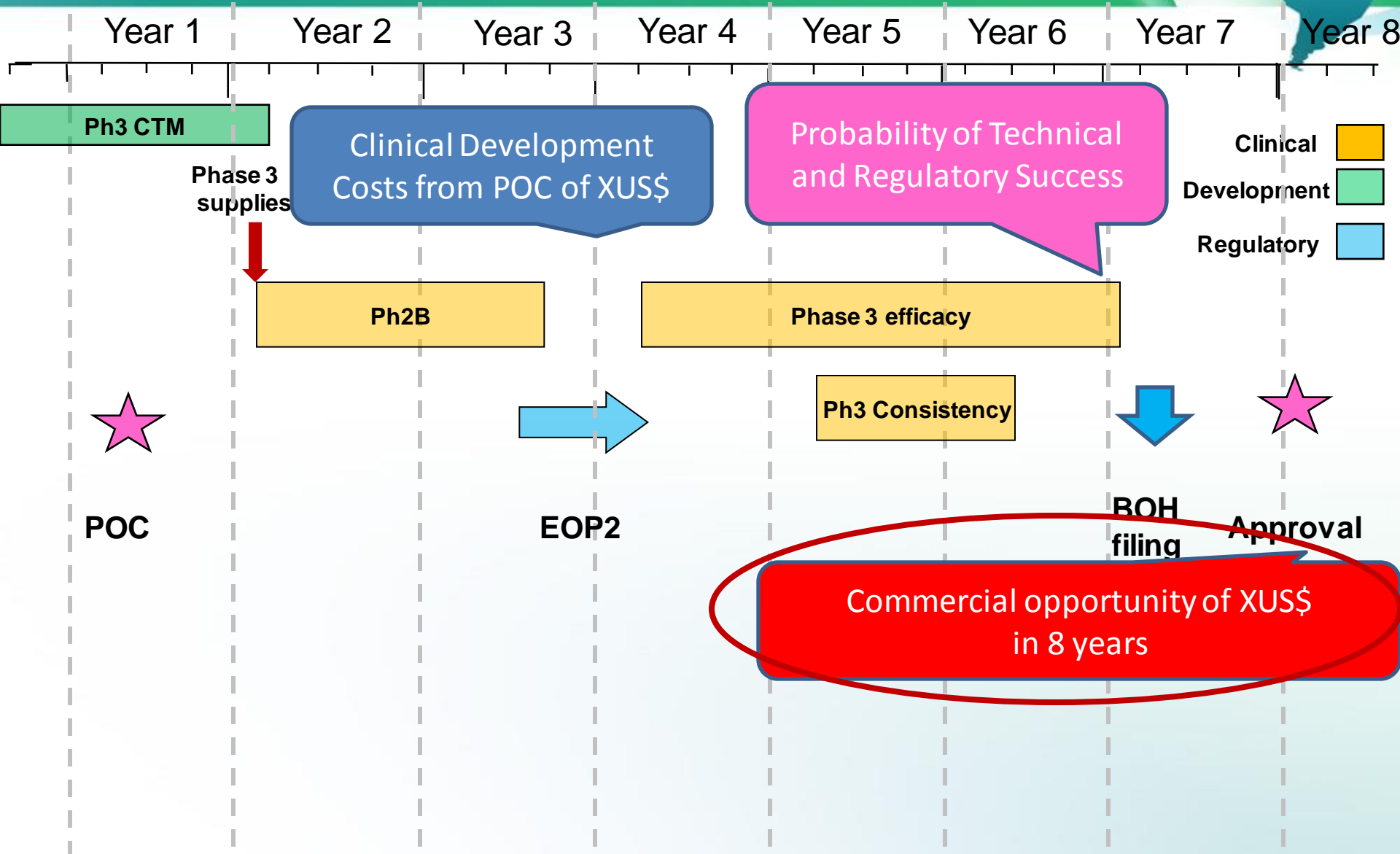
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Regulators may challenge the concept of a single trial for all at risk populations and request different trials

**Expected Net Present Value:**

$$650\text{MUS\$} * 0.23 - 350\text{MUS\$} = -200\text{ MUS\$}$$

# How each of these elements affect the eNPV of the program?



*If the vaccine against M.terribilis is licensed is it likely that will be recommended for inclusion into a National Immunization Program?*

**Disease Burden considerations**

- Epidemiological data at a global or local level (e.g.US) is well known (morbidity, mortality, sequelae, serotype/strain distribution)
- Disease awareness (e.g. epidem
- Availab
- Vaccine effectiveness

**Program & economic considerations**

- Existence of an established program for vaccination (e.g adolescents, surgical populations) and No. doses
- Price/dose and Budgetary implications for the Government
- most of illness
- SS
- Vaccination (permissive, compulsory)

**The Answer is YES**  
**Commercial opportunity of 1 Billion/year or 8 Billion US\$ in 8 years**

**Expected Net Present Value:**  
 **$3400\text{MUS\$} * 0.40 - 350\text{MUS\$} = 1010\text{MUS\$}$**



# *But what about if the vaccine against M. terribilis is targeted to specific at-risk rather than age-based populations and competition is looming?*

## Disease Burden/SOC considerations

- Epidemiological data is confusing gathered only in some at-risk populations and difficult to extrapolate
- Incidence of disease is higher in some at risk groups vs others
- Perception of the disease burden is mixed and the unmet medical need is not well recognized
- A competitive vaccine threatens to launch 2 vaccine and according appears to be well di

## Program & economic considerations

- No distribution channels available and the treatment paradigm for physicians has to change – high educational demand
- Health Outcomes argument is increasingly difficult with a perceived low unmet need and missing epidemiological data as well as competing interests
- Recommending Bodies will review the vaccine but for a certain seemed at a an overall candidate

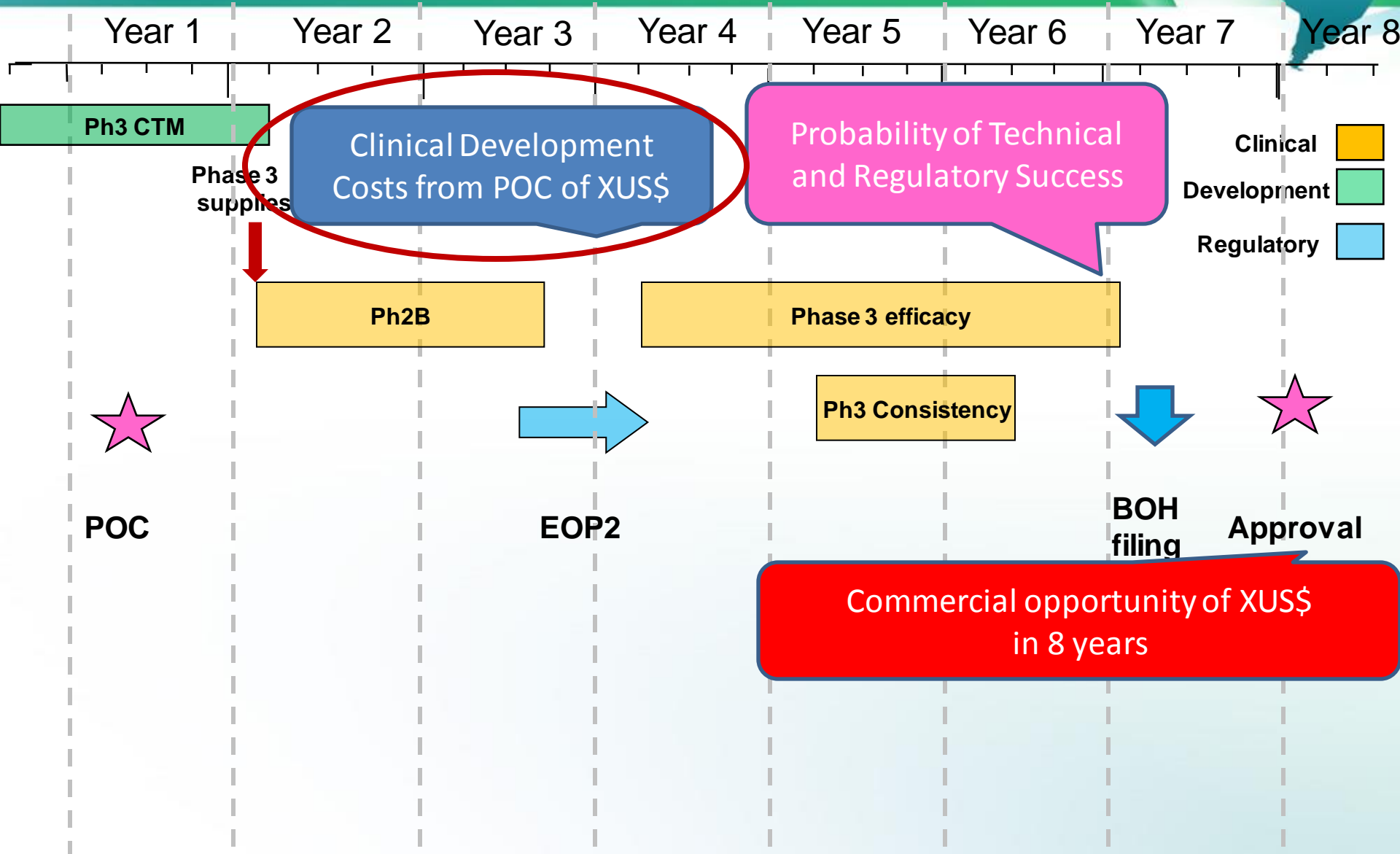
**Commercial opportunity is of 1 billion US\$ in 8 years**

Market share post launch erode over time

Early pricing & access negotiations in key markets difficult

**Expected Net Present Value:  
325MUS\$\*0.40-350MUS\$= -220MUS\$**

# How each of these elements affect the eNPV of the program?



# *Please welcome:*

## *The Productivity Index Measure*

- Let's take into consideration making an eNPV = \$150m from one of either projects:
  - Vaccine A against *M. terribilis* Costs \$200m in today's dollars (Present Value)
  - Vaccine B costs \$40m in today's dollars (Present Value)
- Both would seem equal using eNPV, but we would rather make \$150m with a lower investment so we can have money
- We divide the eNPV by the investment cost to get the Productivity Index (PI):
  - Vaccine A:  $PI = 150 / 200 = \$0.75$  of eNPV / dollar of investment
  - Vaccine B:  $PI = 150 / 40 = \$3.75$  of eNPV / dollar of investment

**Vaccine B uses money more efficiently !!!**

# The Good News: You have been promoted CEO of Vacurion You have a wonderful portfolio across all Vaccine segments

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- Vaccine against *M.terribilis*
- Vaccine against Pathogen B
- Vaccine against Pathogen C
- Vaccine against Pathogen D

Vaccine against Pathogen E

- Vaccine against Pathogen F
- Vaccine against Pathogen G
- Vaccine against Pathogen F

# The Bad News: You ONLY have 200USM\$ to invest



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Vaccine	Cost	NPV	PI	Cumulative Cost
M				\$68m
				\$78m
				\$124m
				\$216m
				\$238m
				\$250m
				\$343m
H	\$37m	\$203m	5.5	\$380m

Every team wishes its vaccine to be funded - often there are many years of R&D efforts

# The solution: Order vaccine candidates by decreasing PI

## Vacurion vaccine portfolio

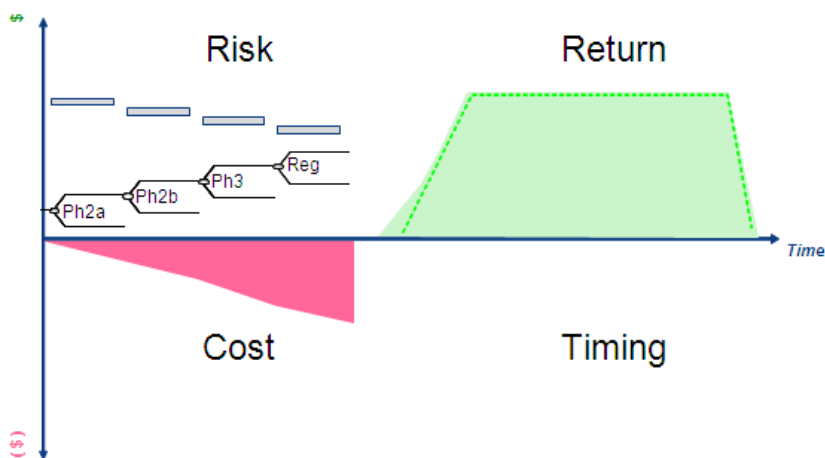
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	Specialty pediatric						
Adult	Adult Booster	F	\$12m	\$108m	8.7	\$12m	\$108m
	Specialty adolescent/adult						
Across Ages	Travelers / Endemic						
	Seasonal / Pandemic	H	\$37m	\$203m	5.5	\$173m	\$1,189m
	Therapeutic	G	\$93m	\$388m	4.2	\$266m	\$1,577m
	Special populations	<i>M.terribilis</i>	\$68m	\$253m	3.7	\$334m	\$1,830m
		C	\$46m	\$134m	2.9	\$380m	\$1,964m

Cut off according to my cumulative cost- Vaccines G, *M.terribilis*, C are unaffordable

# Nevertheless...This is not the end of the story

Key inputs are gathered to construct a set of valuation metrics for each potential Vaccine candidate

Management judgment is also incorporated into the strategic analysis



**Vaccine candidate-specific analysis are incorporated into a portfolio level view to determine which candidates to fund**

- **Maximize Value**  
Shareholder value: eNPV
- **Maintain Portfolio Balance**  
Cash flow timing, risk, diseases, technologies, targets, geographic areas, etc.
- **Maintain Alignment with Corporate Strategy**  
R&D investments are aligned with the stated business strategy
- **Support the Right Number of Projects**  
R&D investments are capable of being operationalized by resources available to avoid pipeline gridlock and omission of key project activities.

# In summary...

- **Vaccines are growing at a faster pace than small molecules and their business model represents an attractive area for investment in the Pharmaceutical industry**
- **There are multiple vaccine candidates targeting a variety of population and geographies that have potentially a great value**
- **Because of high development costs and financial constraints, industry is forced to assign a value to each candidate in development**
- **For an organization that wants to grow in value, expected Net Present Value (eNPV) is the measure to use**
- **Expected Productivity Index (ePI) is the measure to use to help prioritize projects when we have more projects than capital**
- **Whereas value analysis are important for prioritization and sound investment, management judgment is ultimately essential**





**Thank you for your attention  
Questions?**



**BACK UP**

# Vaccines versus Small Molecules

Development/ clinical

Manufacturing

Distribution and sales

Expensive late stage development

- Zero tolerance for side-effects
- Very large clinical trials (tens of thousands of people) required to prove adequate safety

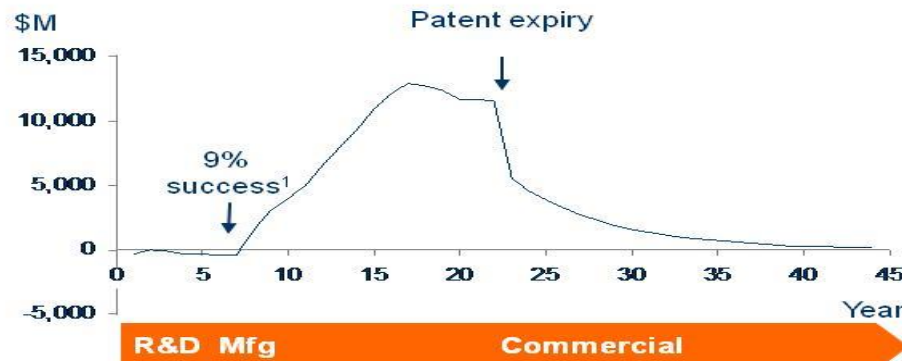
Complex biologic manufacturing process, making operational excellence critical

Long lead times in capacity building and production

Pediatric Vx sold through national immunization programs (NIPs)

Adult Vx sold through PCPs, and require DTC marketing

## Small molecule sales dependent on exclusivity



- Shorter development cycle (7-9 years), but lower probability of success
- Subscription model with high lifetime value
- Loss of revenue due to patent expiry and follow-on generic competition

## Specialty Prophylactic vaccine sales dependent on population coverage



- Longer development cycle (9-14 years) but higher probability of success
- Single purchase model with some potential for booster market
- Step-changes possible from new gov't recommendations (e.g. increase age group)