Cereno Scientific

Pioneering Treatments to Enhance and Extend Life for People with Rare Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Diseases

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Cereno Scientific in brief



Cereno Scientific is pioneering treatments to enhance and extend life. Our innovative pipeline offers disease-modifying drug candidates to empower people suffering from rare cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases to live life to the full.

At Cereno Scientific, we are advancing a pipeline of drug candidates that includes an HDACi (histone deacytelase inhibitor) portfolio, untapping the potential of epigenetic modulation in rare cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases. We are also pursuing a preclinical program with CS585, an oral, highly potent and selective prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist that has demonstrated the potential to significantly improve disease mechanisms relevant to cardiovascular diseases.

Cereno's pipeline comprises:

- HDACi CS1 in Phase II development as a treatment for rare disease Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH).
- HDACi CS014 in Phase I development as a treatment for rare disease Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF).
- Novel IP Receptor Agonist CS585 in preclinical phase under evaluation as a treatment for cardiovascular diseases; including rare diseases.



Q3 summary

Financial overview

	Group		Parent company	
(SEK)	Juli-Sept 2024	July-Sept 2023	July-Sept 2024	July-Sept 2023
Net sales		-	-	-
Result after financial items	-22 718 087	-11 076 974	-22 718 087	-11 076 973
Earnings per share before dilution	-0,08	-0,05	-0,08	-0,05
Earnings per share after dilution*	-0,07	-0,05	-0,07	-0,05
Equity/assets ratio	66,8%	95,4%	66,8%	95,4%
Cash and bank balances	73 841 665	68 455 542	73 791 605	68 381 544

	Group		Parent company	
(SEK)	Jan-Sept 2024	Jan-Sept 2023	Jan-Sept 2024	Jan-Sept 2023
Net sales	-	-	-	-
Result after financial items	-59 185 411	-26 172 614	-59 180 398	-26 244 811
Earnings per share before dilution	-0,21	-0,11	-0,21	-0,11
Earnings per share after dilution*	-0,19	-0,11	-0,19	-0,11
Equity/assets ratio	66,8%	95,4%	66,8%	95,4%
Cash and bank balances	73 841 665	68 455 542	73 791 605	68 381 544

Earnings per share: Profit/loss for the period divided by 281,701,842 shares as of 30 September, 2024 and 233,775,234 shares as of 30 September, 2023.

* Earnings per share after dilution: Earnings for the period divided by the number of outstanding shares and the number of shares that can be subscribed for with outstanding warrants as of the balance sheet date 09/30/2024 and 09/30/2023, respectively.

Significant events during the third quarter

- On July 2, Cereno Scientific's Board of Directors and Executive Management entered into a voluntary lock-up agreement for their shares and/or other securities in the Company until topline results for the Phase IIa trial of the Company's lead asset CS1 in the rare disease Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH) was presented in Q3, 2024.
- On July 5, the Company announced a final milestone payment to Emeriti Bio for CS014, which Cereno acquired from Emeriti in 2019.
- On July 9, Cereno Scientific announced expanded patent protection for CS1's second and third patent families in New Zealand and the US, respectively.

- On July 10, Cereno Scientific reported acquired warrants by members of the Company's management within the framework of the incentive program resolved at the Annual General Meeting.
- On July 10, the Company announced an extended loan maturity date for the loan of up to 90 MSEK issued by Fenja Capital II A/S (formerly Formue Nord Fokus A/S), from May 14, 2025, until March 31, 2026.
- On August 16, Cereno Scientific reported expanded patent protection for CS1's third patent family in Brazil.
- On August 30, the first patient was dosed in Cereno Scientific's Expanded Access Program (EAP) with CS1 in PAH.

- August 30–September 2, Cereno Scientific participated at ESC Congress 2024, to continue building presence in the global cardiovascular community.
- On August 31, Cereno Scientific's Director of Translational Research, Prof. Michael Holinstat, presented new preclinical data at the ESC, indicating that drug candidate CS585, a novel prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist, inhibits platelet activation and clot formation up to 24 hours post-administration.
- On September 3, Cereno Scientific announced that CS1 had been granted Orphan Medicinal Product Designation (OMPD) in the EU for the treatment of PAH.
- On September 5, the Company announced expanded patent protection for novel IP Receptor Agonist CS585 through issued patent in China.

- On September 18, Cereno Scientific's nomination committee composition for the Annual General Meeting 2025 was changed, with Andreas Ejlegård as new member of the nomination committee, representing the Company's largest group of shareholders.
- On September 25, Cereno Scientific communicated new preclinical data demonstrating dose dependent positive impact on reversal of pulmonary vascular remodeling by novel HDACi CS014.
- On September 27, Cereno Scientific shared positive topline results of Phase IIa trial with lead candidate CS1 in PAH.
- On September 30, the Company announced a collaboration agreement with Fluidda, to evaluate the impact of HDAC inhibitor CS1 on reverse remodeling of pulmonary vessels in patients with PAH.

Significant events after the period

- On October 2, Edison Investment Research increased their valuation of Cereno Scientific to 3.9 BSEK or SEK 13.9 SEK/ share after positive topline data.
- On October 17, the Company announced a pivot to rare disease Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF) as the initial target indication for novel HDAC inhibitor CS014, and a strengthening of the Company's focus on rare diseases.
- On October 17, Cereno Scientific hosted a Capital Markets Day in Stockholm, presenting the Company's strategic focus and pipeline to investors and shareholders.
- On October 25, Edison Investment Research increased their valuation of Cereno Scientific to 4.05 BSEK or SEK 14.3 SEK/share after IPF selected as initial target indication for CS014.
- On November 4-6 Cereno Scientific attended BioEurope, in Stockholm, the largest partnering event in Europe with over 5000 attendees.

- On November 11, Cereno Scientific secured minimum 250 MSEK loan financing to reach set milestones into 2026.
- On November 14 the Phase I trial of CS014 entered the Multiple Ascending Dose (MAD) part of the trial.
- On November 16, new preclinical data for CS585 was presented at the Americah Heart Association (AHA) Scientific Sessions 2024, indicating that drug candidate, a novel prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist, inhibits platelet activation and clot formation up to 24 hours post-administration.
- On November 20, CEO Sten R. Sörensen presented the Company to investors and potential partners at BioStock Life Science Summit 2024, in Lund, Sweden.

Letter from the CEO

The third quarter of 2024 has been a defining period for Cereno Scientific, as we continue our commitment to enhancing and extending life for people with high unmet medical needs. Our dedication has translated into meaningful progress, most notably with our CS1 program, which targets Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH), a rare and debilitating disease. We reported positive results from the Phase IIa trial of CS1 demonstrating that CS1 was safe, well-tolerated and showed a positive impact on exploratory clinical efficacy parameters. This quarter, our momentum was further strengthened by the European Union granting Orphan Medicinal Product Designation (OMPD) for CS1, a significant milestone that adds further value and recognition to the CS1 PAH program. We also dosed the first patient under the FDA approved Expanded Access Program (EAP) for CS1 in PAH. Since the end of Q3, we have made significant progress with CS014, our novel histone deacetylase inhibitor (HDACi) progressing well in its clinical Phase I trial. In addition, on the heels of reporting impactful preclinical data, we selected the rare disease Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF) as the initial target indication for CS014. This selection further strengthens Cereno's focus on rare diseases. Our third development program, the preclinical program with the potent and selective IP receptor agonist CS585 is also advancing well with reported new data that the drug candidate inhibits platelet activation and clot formation up to 24 hours post-administration. In early November, we announced a new financing agreement with our long-term partner, Fenja Capital, and a new US investor, Arena Investors. This agreement secures a minimum of 250 MSEK loan financing to reach set milestones into 2026. With these recent advancements across our development programs and a strengthened financial foundation, we are well positioned to work towards key program milestones and to progress to explore optimal strategic financial and pharma partnerships for the Company.



In Q3, we reported positive results from the Phase Ila trial of CS1 demonstrating that CS1 was safe, well-tolerated and showed a positive impact on exploratory clinical efficacy parameters

- Sten R. Sörensen, CEO

CS1 – Positive Phase IIa trial results – preparations for Phase IIb or pivotal Phase IIb/III trial are ongoing

Cereno Scientific's lead drug candidate CS1 is an HDACi that works through epigenetic modulation, being developed as a safe, effective and disease modifying treatment for PAH.

At the end of Q3, we were delighted to share the topline data from the Phase IIa trial of CS1 in PAH. Key results from the study demonstrate both that the primary endpoint was met with good safety and tolerability of CS1 in patients with PAH, and, in addition, we also showed a positive impact already after 12 weeks on clinical parameters meaningful to patients and regulatory authorities. These results, together with our foundation of preclinical data, strengthen our conviction that CS1 is a disease-modifying therapy for PAH.

In early September, we received the excellent news that CS1 had received Orphan Medicinal Product Designation (OMPD) in the EU, granting significant advantages such as a 10-year market exclusivity period post-authorization and various benefits during the development process. This milestone facilitates our efforts to bring CS1 to the patients with PAH in Europe. The EU OMPD complements the Orphan Drug Designation (ODD) granted by the US FDA in 2020, enhancing the protection and value of CS1 in these major markets. These market exclusivities, alongside our robust patent portfolio, are integral to our commercial strategy for CS1.

We are also investing further in understanding the long-term effects of CS1 use as well as gaining more insights into CS1's

disease modifying properties and impact on pathological vascular remodeling of small pulmonary arteries. We will achieve this via the EAP, where we recently dosed the first patient, and a planned Investigator Initiated Trial (IIT). The IIT will employ innovative, non-invasive technology developed by our collaborator Fluidda to visualize how long-term use of CS1 influences structural changes in pulmonary arteries. This work will give us a deeper understanding of our lead candidate CS1 and further support us in optimizing the road to approval of CS1, and subsequently into the clinic, for the benefit of patients suffering from PAH.

Further strengthening our commercial strategy, the patent protection for CS1 has been significantly expanded during Q3, with new patents issued in, the US (third family), Brazil (third family) and New Zealand (second family).

We are excited to now be able to move forward with the next development phase with CS1. Preparations for a Phase IIb or pivotal Phase IIb/III trial are ongoing, with the aim to initiate a trial in 2026.

CS014 – Initial target indication IPF selected

HDACi CS014 is a new chemical entity with diseasemodifying potential. CS014 employs a multi-modal mechanism of action as an epigenetic modulator, targeting key unmet needs in patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF).

We started Q3 with announcing the final milestone payment to Emeriti Bio, from whom we acquired CS014 in March 2019, concluding all remuneration under the agreement. We are very pleased with the fruitful collaboration with Emeriti.

In late Q3, we presented new preclinical data that demonstrates dose dependent reversal of pulmonary vascular remodeling by CS014. Overall, these preclinical data provide the most compelling evidence to date that CS014 offers a disease modifying approach to PAH and related pulmonary vascular diseases by robustly reversing pulmonary pathological vascular remodeling and fibrosis. This data is significant not only for CS014, but also for the HDACi program comprising both CS1 and CS014.

Driven by our ambition to enhance patient outcomes we, shortly after the end of Q3, announced the selection of IPF as the initial target indication for CS014. Our goal is to provide a disease-modifying treatment for patients suffering from this rare and progressive disease, which currently has no cure. The scientific rationale for evaluating CS014 in IPF is supported by several preclinical studies, which have demonstrated that HDACi can effectively reverse fibrosis in models of IPF. The rationale is further strengthened by our recently published preclinical data of CS014 mentioned above, showing that CS014 has an effect on reversal of fibrosis and a dose-dependent beneficial effect on pathological vascular remodeling. Together, these findings indicate that CS014 has the potential to address the underlying pathophysiology behind the development of IPF and can address unmet needs experienced by IPF patients.

After end of Q3, the CS014 first-in-man Phase I trial in healthy volunteers proceeded into a Multiple Ascending Dose (MAD) phase. We are excited to continue the development of CS014, towards the rare indication IPF. The trial is progressing according to plan and our aim is to conclude the Phase I trial by mid-2025, and advance CS014 into Phase II during 2026.

CS585 – a promising antithrombotic strategy

Preclinical candidate CS585 is an oral, highly potent and selective prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist that has demonstrated the potential to significantly improve disease mechanisms relevant to cardiovascular disease. Cereno Scientific pursues its preclinical research for this drug candidate in collaboration with University of Michigan. During Q3, we have presented new preclinical data at the European Society of Cardiology (ESC) indicating that CS585 inhibits platelet activation and clot formation up to 24 hours post-administration. This new data adds to the growing body of evidence supporting CS585 as a viable option for targeting the IP-receptor on platelets for inhibition of thrombosis with a reduced risk of bleeding. A target indication for CS585 is currently being evaluated and rare diseases with high unmet medical needs are being considered.

During Q3, we were also delighted to have obtained further patent protection covering CS585 in China, one of the largest pharmaceutical markets, globally. Cereno has now secured immaterial rights for CS585 on three continents. This expanded IP protection complements the growing preclinical evidence supporting the potential of CS585.

After the end of Q3, additional data was presented at American Heart Association (AHA) Scientific Sessions 2024 of CS585 decreasing platelet adhesion and blood clot formation under arterial shear conditions up to 24 hours post administration.

Strengthened focus on rare diseases

With IPF now as the chosen initial target indication for CS014, we have further strengthened our focus on rare diseases, and reinforced our commitment to addressing the significant unmet needs of patients affected by these conditions. Cereno has the potential to deliver high treatment value to patients leveraging our pioneering portfolio and disease-modifying approach to address the root mechansim of rare and fatal diseases. The strategic focus on rare diseases also provides an attractive business model for biotech companies due to relatively shorter development timelines and less capital needed to reach market authorization as well as attractive incentives offered to companies developing orphan drugs. These include the possibility to obtain market exclusivity for 7 and 10 years in US and EU, respectively, through orphan drug status.

Cereno actively participating in medical and investor events, and expanding collaborations

During the eventful past months, we have been participating and presented preclinical data for CS585 at European Society of Cardiology Congress (ESC) and American Heart Association (AHA) Scientific Sessions as well as engaged in networking and discussions with investors and potential partners at BIO Europe in Stockholm and at Biostock Life Science Summit in Lund.

We have also hosted two well-attended company events; a <u>Cereno webinar presenting the topline data</u> and a <u>Cereno</u> <u>Capital Markets Day</u> where we shared current company strategy and upcoming milestones. We are always happy to have the opportunity to meet and engage with our shareholders and other stakeholders, and were delighted to see a good turnout at our online webinar and our Capital Markets Day, both in Stockholm and online. The video of the CMD event has this far reached over ten thousand views on YouTube.

Secured financial runway into 2026

Early November, we were pleased to share news on a new financing agreement with our long-term partner Fenja Capital, and our new US partner Arena Investors. With the new financing agreement, Cereno Scientific secures minimum 250 MSEK loan financing to reach set milestones into 2026. The Financing Agreement is divided into three components: a cash loan in two tranches totaling 175 MSEK (Tranche 2 consists of a cash loan of 50 MSEK and is conditional upon the approval by the FDA for a Phase IIb trial or a pivotal trial for Phase III of CS1 as well as certain additional financial conditions being fulfilled), the issue of convertible loans of 75 MSEK to the Financiers and the issue without consideration of warrants to the Financiers. Parts of the loan will be used to repay the outstanding loan to Fenja of approximately 91 MSEK and the total net cash proceeds from the loan (Tranche 1) and the Convertibles to Cereno Scientific will amount to approximately 99 MSEK. This strengthened capital foundation provides us with ample time to establish optimal strategic partnerships for the company and our current shareholders. For our shareholders, this development reinforces our financial stability and positions us to pursue key milestones with full momentum ahead and minimal dilution.

Future outlook

The third quarter of this year and the following post period months have indeed been pivotal for Cereno Scientific. We have reported positive topline data for our Phase IIa trial of lead program CS1 in PAH. We also have reported new key preclinical data and a selection of the target indication IPF for CS014. Further we have sealed a financing agreement extending the Company's financial runway into 2026 providing a good foundation to reach key milestones and in parallel our ability to explore optimal strategic financial and pharma partnerships for the Company.

We look forward to advancing all our innovative programs towards new milestones. We will prepare for regulatory discussions regarding the next trial in the CS1 program as well as enable recruitment of additional patients into the EAP for CS1. We will continue to progress the Phase I trial of CS014 towards the readout during mid-2025. Business development activities, aiming to secure partners for our development programs, propelled by active discussions at recent conferences, will be intensified.

Cereno Scientific is a company with a vision to provide valuable new drug therapies to patients with high unmet needs. The Company has a strong and growing base of shareholders who have chosen to be part of our dedicated journey to serving patients. Your engagement and confidence in our work is invaluable. Thank you for your continued support and for joining us on our path to aid and empower people suffering from rare cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases to live life to the full.

November 2024

Sten R. Sörensen Chief Executive Officer Cereno Scientific

Pipeline

Cereno Scientific is pioneering treatments to enhance and extend life. We are advancing a pipeline of drug candidates that includes an HDACi portfolio, untapping the potential of epigenetic modulation in rare cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases. We are also running a preclinical program with CS585, an oral, highly potent and selective prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist that has demonstrated the potential to significantly improve disease mechanisms relevant to cardiovascular diseases.

Clinical phase

Tolerability, safety and efficacy studies

CS1 in Phase II for the treatment of PAH

Lead candidate CS1 is an HDACi that works through epigenetic modulation, being developed as a safe, effective and disease modifying treatment for Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH). CS1 targets the root mechanism of the disease, aiming to reverse the pathological vascular remodeling of the small lung arteries. The ultimate goal of CS1's development is to enhance and extend life for patients with PAH.

CS014 in Phase I for the treatment of IPF

HDACi CS014 is a new chemical entity with disease-modifying potential. CS014 employs a multi-modal mechanism of action as an epigenetic modulator, targeting key unmet needs in patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF).

Preclinical phase

Studies in the laboratory to fulfill requirements to start clinical studies.

CS585

Drug candidate CS585 is an oral, highly potent and selective prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist that has demonstrated the potential to significantly improve disease mechanisms relevant to cardiovascular disease. While CS585 has not yet been assigned a specific indication for clinical development, preclinical data indicates that it could potentially be used in indications like Thrombosis prevention without increased risk of bleeding and Pulmonary Hypertension. A target indication for CS585 is currently being evaluated; rare diseases with high unmet medical needs are being considered.

Drug candidates in the pipeline



Pioneering HDAC inhibition

HDAC inhibitors are epigenetic modulators (changing gene expression without actually changing the genetic code) which have been shown to have a wide spectrum of potentially disease-modifying effects in cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases.

Research has indicated that HDACi can mitigate elevated blood pressure, inflammation, fibrosis, prevent and reverse pathological remodeling of pulmonary vessels as well as prevent thrombosis without increased risk of bleeding, all of which are hallmark features of severe cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases with high unmet medical needs.

Cereno Scientific's HDACi portfolio comprises drug candidates CS1 and CS014 aiming to untap the potential of epigenetic modulation to develop disease-modifying treatments for patients with PAH and IPF.

HDAC inhibitor CS1 –Disease Modifying for PAH

Phase II drug candidate CS1 is an HDACi that works through epigenetic modulation, being developed as a safe, effective and disease modifying treatment for rare disease Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH). CS1 targets the root mechanism of the disease, aiming to reverse the pathological vascular remodeling of the small lung arteries. The goal of CS1's development is to enhance and extend life for patients with PAH. A Phase IIa trial evaluating CS1's safety, tolerability, and exploratory efficacy in patients with PAH demonstrated that CS1 was safe, well-tolerated and showed a positive impact on exploratory clinical efficacy parameters. CS1 trial data, together with preclinical information, is consistent with reversing pathological remodeling.

CS1's unique efficacy profile addresses the underlying pathophysiology of PAH.

CS1 is an innovative formulation of valproic acid (VPA), which holds the potential to be an effective, safe and disease-modifying drug, targeting the root mechanism of PAH by reverse remodeling.

In preclinical cardiovascular disease models, HDACi have shown disease-modifying potential through reverse pathological remodeling, as well as anti-fibrotic, anti-inflammatory, pulmonary pressure-reducing, and anti-thrombotic effects. CS1's unique efficacy profile aligns well with the underlying mechanisms of disease that drives the progression of PAH, positioning it to address the critical unmet need for more effective treatment options. The goal of CS1's development is to enhance and extend life for patients with PAH.







PAH is a debilitating and fatal disease with no spontaneous improvement. Epigenetic mechanisms through histone deacetylase (HDAC)

About PAH

Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH) is a rare disease and diagnosed with high blood pressure in the pulmonary circulation. The disease is characterized by an increase in the pulmonary pressure secondary to a thickening of the walls (pathological vascular remodeling) of the pulmonary arteries, i.e. the blood vessels that lead from the right side of the heart to the lungs. This impedes blood flow and causes high blood pressure in the lungs, at later stages local blood clots (so-called thromboses) are also formed.

PAH has a major impact on quality of life and causes shortness of breath, fatigue, chest pains, reduced ability to work, unnatural swelling, fainting and heart palpitations. This has significant implications for a patient's physical, mental, and social well-being.

Globally, the disease affects approximately 10 in 100,000 people. It is a severe, debilitating disease with no sponta-

CS1 – Supported by Orphan Designations

neous improvement. Life expectancy is 2.5 years without therapy and 7.5 years on current standard of care.

The goal of PAH treatment is to improve risk score status (measured by amongst others REVEAL risk score), symptoms and physical capacity (measured by functional class) and hemodynamics (measured by mean Pulmonary Arterial Pressure, mPAP and Pulmonary Vascular Resistance, PVR), to ultimately improve both patients' quality of life and extend survival.

There is currently no cure available for PAH with the exception of lung transplantation, which patients are often too seriously ill to undergo. The current standard of care, includes drug treatment with mainly vasodilators, improves the patient's symptoms and involves, at best, a moderate slowing of the disease progression. There is therefore a great need for safer therapies with disease-modifying capacity that address the root mechanism of PAH and that can give patients an increased opportunity for an enhanced and extended life.

The development program for CS1 in PAH is further supported by the Orphan Drug Designation (ODD) granted by the US FDA in March 2020, and the Orphan Medicinal Product Designation (OMPD) granted by the European Commission (by recommendation of the European Medicines Agency, EMA) in August 2024. Through the granted ODD/OMPD, the FDA and EMA acknowledge that CS1 is intended for the treatment of a rare condition, such as PAH, and has shown potential therapeutic benefit based on preliminary evidence.

The FDA and The European Commission grants orphan drug status to encourage the development of drugs intended for the treatment of rare diseases in the US and EU, respectively.

FDA grants Orphan Drug Designation (ODD) - several incentives are associated with ODD to facilitate drug development including, among other things, seven years of market exclusivity in the US from approval, assistance from the FDA in the design of further clinical studies, and tax credits for qualified study costs.

The European Commission grants Orphan Medicinal Products Designation (OMPD) - companies that obtain OMPD benefit from protocol assistance, a type of scientific advice specific for designated orphan drugs, and ten years of market exclusivity in the EU once the drug is on the market. Fee reductions are also available depending on the status of the sponsor and the type of service required.

CS1 Phase IIa trial in PAH

CS1-003 was a Phase IIa trial evaluating the safety, tolerability, pharmacokinetics, and exploratory efficacy of CS1 on top of standard-of-care in patients with PAH. The study, which was performed at 10 clinical sites in the US, randomized 25 patients to CS1 treatment, out of which 21 patients completed the treatment without protocol deviations. Topline results were presented in Q3 2024.

CS1 Phase IIa safety data - Primary endpoint of safety and tolerability met successfully

- No CS1-related serious adverse events, including hospitalizations/mortality
- No changes in liver lab values or clinically significant drug-related platelets decrease or bleedings, were seen in the study
- CS1 was well tolerated.

CS1 Phase IIa exploratory efficacy data - Compelling positive impact on exploratory clinical efficacy parameters

Efficacy data from the three doses were pooled together due to therapeutic drug exposure (i.e. plasma concentration) also in the low dose group.

CS1 showed compelling positive impact on exploratory clinical parameters already over a 12-week treatment period:



- 43% (9/21) of the patients improved risk score
- 71% 15/21) of the patients improved or had a stable risk score





- 33% (7/21) of the patients improved functional class
- 86% (18/21) of the patients improved or had a stable functional class



Changes in mPAP from CardioMEMS (AUC) Day 1-85) - 21 patients

• 67% (14/21) of the patients had sustained pressure reduction

CS1 phase II a study clinical data, together with preclinical information, is consistent with reversing pathological remodeling

An in-depth analysis made on a subgroup of patients with a remarkable response in Pulmonary Vascular Resistance (PVR) showed:

- 25% (5/21) of patients responded to CS1 with remarkably large reductions in PVR (reduced by >30%, range 35–51%, mean 45%) consistent with the proposed reverse vascular-remodeling mechanism of action.
- These large reductions in PVR were strongly associated with robust increases in right ventricular stroke volume.
- Findings suggest the lower dose range in the trial (480-960mg) as optimal.

The data from the CS1-003 trial, together with recently announced preclinical data from our HDAC inhibitor program, directly demonstrating our HDAC-inhibitor program's dose-dependent positive impact on reverse vascular remodeling in small lung arteries, provide a basis for assuming that CS1 may act with a disease-modifying capacity in PAH.

Current status of CS1 program

Expanded Access Program for CS1 in PAH

CS1 has been approved by the FDA for an Expanded Access Program (EAP) as an extension of the Phase IIa trial in PAH. This program allows patients who have completed the Phase IIa trial to continue CS1 treatment if deemed suitable by investigators and when no comparable or satisfactory alternative therapies are available. Under an FDA-approved protocol, the EAP enables Cereno to collect long-term safety and efficacy data on CS1 use in PAH patients. This initiative supports ongoing treatment while providing valuable data for regulatory discussions and planning future Phase IIb or pivotal Phase III trials. A collaboration with the global healthcare company Abbott allowed Cereno to use Abbotts pioneering implantable technology CardioMEMS HF System in the Phase IIa trial with CS1 in PAH.

The technology was used to monitor pulmonary arterial pressure and other cardiopulmonary hemodynamic variables daily during the trial. Continuous monitoring allowed for a smaller patient population improving resource efficiency an essential aspect of Cereno's innovative clinical development approach.

CardioMEMS, already approved for heart failure monitoring, was also tested for a new disease indication in the Phase IIa trial with Abbott and Cereno. The trial has been recognized for its innovative study design.

Trial with Fluidda technology to visualize long-term effects of CS1 on structural changes

To deepen the exploration of CS1's impact on pathological vascular remodeling of small pulmonary arteries, Cereno is actively engaging with a leading PAH specialist to launch an investigator-initiated trial (IIT). This trial aims to harness Fluidda's innovative, non-invasive imaging technology to visualize how long-term use of CS1 influences structural changes in pulmonary arteries. Fluidda's CT-based Functional Respiratory Imaging (FRI) enables the visualization and quantification of regional lung structures. The trial seeks to provide valuable insights into CS1's potential to transform PAH treatment. Some patients enrolled in the Expanded Access Program are planned to be included in this IIT.



Novel HDAC inhibitor CS014 –Disease Modifying for IPF

HDACi CS014 is a new chemical entity with disease-modifying potential. CS014 employs a multi-modal mechanism of action as an epigenetic modulator, targeting key unmet needs in patients with rare disease Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF). CS014 is currently evaluated in a Phase I, first-in-human trial.

HDAC inhibitor CS014 is a new chemical entity with a multi-modal mechanism of action as an epigenetic modulator, under development for IPF.

Preclinical studies of HDAC inhibitors show that these drugs can reverse fibrosis in models of IPF. Studies also show that these drugs prevent the pathological remodeling of pulmonary vessels that ultimately leads to pulmonary hypertension in many IPF patients. Preclinical studies of CS014 have demonstrated an effect on reversal of fibrosis and a dose-dependent beneficial effect on pathological vascular remodeling in an established model of PAH. Together, these findings indicate that CS014 has the potential to address the underlying pathophysiology behind the development of IPF.

CS014 has demonstrated, in preclinical studies, the ability to regulate platelet activity, local fibrinolysis, and clot stability, helping to prevent thrombosis without increasing the risk of bleeding.¹ This supports CS014's potential to address key unmet needs in IPF patients since IPF is also associated with increased risk of venous thrombo-embolism. In March 2019, CS014 was acquired from Emeriti Bio and is being developed in a collaboration between Cereno, Emeriti Bio and University of Michigan.

Plexiform Lesions

Reduced incidence of plexiform lesions in small pulmonary arteries (<100µm) (%)



Cross sections of arteries (<100 µm)

Healthy

CS014 induced a robust, dose dependent reversal of the pulmonary vascular remodeling in this preclinical PAH model. This included statistically significant reductions in small artery vessel occlusion, plexiform lesions, (a pathophysiological hallmark feature of PAH), and small vessel related fibrosis.²

¹ Stanger L, Holinstat M, Lambert S, Yalavarthi P, Bergh N, Dahlof B. HDAC Inhibitor CS014 Attenuates Thrombosis Alone and in Combination with Rivaroxaban without Increased Risk of Bleeding. Poster presented at: 65th ASH Annual Meeting & Exposition; December 9, 2023; San Diego, USA. <u>https://ash.confex.com/ash/2023/webprogram/Paper186602.html</u> ² Cereno Scientific Data on File



Current status of CS014 development

In the second quarter of 2024, CS014 entered Phase I development, with a first-in-human trial to evaluate the safety and tolerability of CS014 in healthy volunteers, at Clinical Trial Consultants (CTC) in Uppsala.

The Phase I trial is progressing according to plan and entered the Multiple Ascending Dose (MAD) part in November.

Phase I trial of CS014

The Phase I trial CS014-001 is titled "A First-in-human, Open-label Trial to Investigate Safety, Tolerability, Pharmacokinetics, and Pharmacodynamics of CS014 in Healthy Volunteers After Single and Multiple Administration".

The trial is a Phase I, open-label, FIH trial designed to evaluate safety, tolerability, pharmacokinetics (PK), and pharmacodynamics (PD) of single and multiple ascending oral doses of CS014 in healthy volunteers. The trial will be conducted in two parts:

- A single ascending dose (SAD) part (Part I) will explore safety, tolerability and PK of single ascending oral doses of CS014.
- A multiple ascending dose (MAD) part (Part II) will explore safety, tolerability, PK, and PD following multiple ascending doses of CS014, dosed for seven days.

The Phase I trial of CS014 will involve approximately 48 subjects and is expected to conclude by mid-2025.

About IPF

Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF) is a rare, progressive, and fatal disease characterized by irreversible scarring (fibrosis) of the lungs. Patients experience significant symptoms, including a persistent dry cough, fatigue, and exertional dyspnea. Over time, this fibrosis leads to a gradual loss of lung function, ultimately resulting in respiratory failure. Mortality rates in IPF are comparable to those of severe cancers. There is currently no cure for IPF, and current treatments have severe tolerability issues. There is an outspoken need for new therapies that can halt and reverse disease progression, extend lifespan and improve quality of life of patients suffering from this disease.



+CS014

Novel IP Receptor Agonist CS585



Drug candidate CS585 is a highly potent, oral and selective prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist that has demonstrated the potential to significantly improve disease mechanisms relevant to cardiovascular disease. While CS585 has not yet been assigned a specific indication for clinical development, preclinical data indicates that it could potentially be used in indications like Pulmonary Hypertension and Thrombosis prevention without increased risk of bleeding. A target indication for CS585 is currently being evaluated; rare diseases with high unmet medical needs are being considered.

Preclinical data suggest that CS585 provides a new option of activating the IP receptor to decrease platelet reactivity and could represent the first viable option for targeting the IP-receptor on platelets for inhibition of thrombosis with a reduced risk of bleeding. The preclinical results with CS585, including a head-to-head comparison of CS585 and the FDA-approved IP receptor agonists selexipag and iloprost, indicate a favorable profile for inhibiting platelet activation and clot formation. CS585 was shown to have a higher selectivity and more sustained efficacy than the currently available IP receptor agonists.³ CS585 demonstrated a sustained duration of action in mice in the ability to inhibit platelet activation through several routes of administration, including oral.

³ Stanger L, Yalavarthi P, Lambert S, Rickenberg A, Goerger K, Gilmore D, Dahlof B, Bergh N, Holinstat M. CS585 Demonstrates Favorable Selectivity and Sustained In Vivo Action in Preventing Platelet Activation and Thrombosis Compared to Existing IP Receptor Agonists. Poster presented at: 65th ASH Annual Meeting & Exposition; December 9, 2023; San Diego, USA. https://ash.confex.com/ash/2023/webprogram/Paper186300.html



Data on Novel IP-receptor agonist CS585 shows that it can prevent blood clots by keeping platelets inactive for up to 24 hours in the laser-induced cremaster arteriole thrombosis assay, making it more effective and longer-lasting than similar treatments like iloprost or selexipag. This could help treat conditions like thrombosis, heart attack, stroke, and pulmonary hypertension.4

New preclinical data for Cereno Scientific's novel IP Receptor Agonist CS585 was presented at ESC Congress 2024, indicating that CS585 inhibits platelet activation and clot formation up to 24 hours post-administration.⁴

The growing body of evidence around drug candidate CS585 supports favorable tolerability and efficacy in preclinical studies. Data published in the top-tier journal Blood⁵ show that CS585 is a highly potent and selective compound, effective both orally and intravenously, preventing thrombosis for up to 48 hours in preclinical models. Following the publication, a commentary article⁶ and podcast⁷ highlighted that these new findings could represent a significant milestone in improving anti-thrombotic treatment strategies without increasing the risk of bleeding.

A license agreement for drug candidate CS585 with the University of Michigan provides Cereno exclusive rights to further development and commercialization of CS585.

⁴ European Heart Journal, Volume 45, Issue Supplement_1, October 2024, ehae666.3341, https://doi.org/10.1093/eurheartj/ehae666.3341

⁶ Stanger L, Yamaguchi A, Yalavarthi P, Lambert S, Gilmore D, Rickenberg A, Luke C, Kumar K, Obl AT, White A, Bergh N, Dahlöf B, Holinstat M. The oxylipin analog CS585 prevents platelet activation and thrombosis through activation of the prostacyclin receptor Blood (2023) 42(18):1556–1569. https://doi.org/10.1182/blood.2023020622. ⁶ Rondina MT. Targeting prostacyclin: all gain with no pain? Blood (2023) 142(18):1506–1507. https://doi.org/10.1182/blood.2023022227.

⁷ Blood Podcast. (2023, November 2) Targeting prostacyclin to inhibit platelet activation; MRD-tailored myeloma maintenance; AREG and HSC function in DNA damage repair eficiency and aging. (Audio podcast). Retrieved from https://ashpublications.org/blood/pages/blood_podcast_s6_ep18.

Research collaboration with the University of Michigan

The University of Michigan, located in Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA, is a leading public research institution renowned for its successful collaborations with the pharmaceutical industry. Prof. Michael Holinstat, an esteemed pharmacologist with a PhD from the University of Illinois in Chicago, heads Cereno's preclinical work at the University. He also serves as a Professor in the Department of Pharmacology, the Department of Internal Medicine (Division of Cardiovascular Medicine), and the Department of Vascular Surgery at the University of Michigan, leading translational programs in drug development for hemostasis and thrombosis. Prof. Holinstat's extensive research spans thrombosis, pharmacology, and hematology, and he has established a cutting-edge laboratory for studying pharmacological effects on platelets and coagulation, both in vitro and in vivo.





The Group's Performance, January–September 2024

Financial performance

During the first three quarters of 2024, the Company has mainly invested in the implementation of the Phase II clinical trial with CS1 in PAH, in preparing for and initiating the Phase I clinical trial of CS014, in the development of the patent portfolio and in preclinical studies of CS585..

Risk factors

A number of risk factors can have a negative impact on Cereno Scientific's operations. It is therefore of great importance to take into account relevant risks in addition to the Company's growth opportunities. These risks are described without mutual arrangement and without claims to be comprehensive in the Company's prospectus issued in connection with the latest rights issue in May 2023 and which can be read on the Company's website.

Company structure and shareholding

Cereno Scientific Group comprises parent company Cereno Scientific AB and its US subsidiary Cereno Scientific Inc. The US subsidiary was formed on 20 December 2019, and is wholly owned by Cereno Scientific AB.

Company share

Cereno Scientific's B shares were listed on Spotlight Stock Market on 22 June 2016. Since 1 July 2023, the share is traded on Nasdaq First North Growth Markets as "CRNO B" ISIN-code SE0008241558.

Certified Adviser

Certified Adviser is Carnegie Investment Bank AB, Regeringsgatan 56, 103 38 Stockholm, who are responsible for the Company's compliance to the regulations of Nasdaq First North Growth Market.

Share capital

Cereno Scientific's share capital was, as of the balance sheet date 30 September2024, divided into 281,701,542 shares. The Company has two classes of shares, of which 722,248 are A shares. The A share gives ten (10) votes per share. Each B share gives one (1) vote per share. Each share carries an equal right to a share in the company's assets and results. The share's quota value (share capital divided by the number of shares) amounts to SEK 0.10.

Warrants of convertible loans

The financing agreement concluded with the European High Growth Opportunities Securitization Fund on 1 March 2019 and consisted of convertible loans and associated warrants. The Company no longer has any outstanding convertible loans. During December 2021 Cereno Scientific repurchased 1,105,262 warrants. There are no warrants that remain outstanding after 31 March 2024.

Long-term employee stock option program (qualified employee stock options) for employees

The Extraordinary General Meeting on 28 February 2022 resolved to implement a long-term incentive program for

employees of the Company, through the issue of not more than 3,000,000 gualified employee stock options, which will be granted to the participants without consideration. Each stock option entitles the participant to acquire one new share of series B in the Company at an exercise price amounting to SEK 0.10, equivalent of the share's quota value. Allocation of stock options to the participants shall be made no later than 31 December 2022. The allocated stock options vest for 36 months and may only be utilized to acquire new shares if the participant still is an employee of the Company and all other requirements for qualified employee stock options under the Swedish Income Tax Act are fulfilled. The participant may utilize allocated and vested stock options from the end of the vesting period up to and during the entire tenth year calculated from the date of allocation. The Meeting also resolved to issue not more than 3,000,000 warrants to enable delivery of new shares to the participants of the program. A total of 2,444,442 warrants were allocated to employees up to December 31, 2022. Taking into account employees who have left their positions, the remaining allocated warrants amount to 1,666,665. After the completed share issue in May 2023, the restated number of Class B shares that the warrants give entitlement to is 1,806,953.

Long-term employee stock option program (qualified employee stock options) for board members

The Extraordinary General Meeting on 28 February 2022 resolved to implement a long-term incentive program for board members of the Company, through the issue of not more than 1,111,111 qualified employee stock options, which will be granted to the participants without consideration. Each stock option entitles the participant to acquire one new share of series B in the Company at an exercise price amounting to SEK 0.10, equivalent of the share's quota value. Allocation of stock options to the participants shall be made no later than 31 December 2022. The allocated stock options vest for 36 months and may only be utilized to acquire new shares if the participant still is a board member or otherwise remain engaged in the Company and all other requirements for qualified employee stock options under the Swedish Income Tax Act are fulfilled. The participant may utilize allocated and vested stock options from the end of the vesting period up to and during the entire tenth year calculated from the date of allocation. The Meeting also resolved to issue not more than 1,111,111 warrants to enable delivery of new shares to the participants of the program. Taking into account Board Members who have left their positions, the remaining allocated warrants amount to 111,111. After the completed share issue in May 2023, the restated number of Class B shares that the warrants give entitlement to is 120,464.

Implementation of a long-term incentive program (warrants)

The Extraordinary General Meeting on 28 February 2022 resolved to implement a long-term incentive program for certain key individuals in the Company that cannot be allocated qualified employee stock options, through the issue of not more than 3,333,333 warrants. After the completed share issue in May 2023, the restated number of Class B shares that the warrants give entitlement to is 3,509,440. Of these, 831,199 had been allocated as of 31 December 2023. The warrants shall be issued the Company and then be transferred to participants in the program at a price corresponding to the warrants' market price at the time of the transfer, calculated pursuant to the Black-Scholes model. Each warrant entitles to subscription for one new share of series B in the Company at a subscription price corresponding to 150 percent of the volume-weighted average share price during the fifteen-day period which immediately precedes allocation. Subscription for new shares by virtue of the warrants shall be made during a one-year period starting three years from allocation. It was further resolved that board members and deputies shall be entitled to participate in the program.

Warrants of series 2023/2026:1 and series 2023/2026:2

The Extraordinary General Meeting on September 14 2023 resolved to issue 13,000,000 warrants of series 2023/2026:1 to be transferred to employees at market price, calculated pursuant to the Black-Scholes model. Each warrant entitles to subscription for one new share of series B in the Company at a subscription price of 2 SEK. The subscription time is set to November 16-November 30, 2026. The Extraordinary General Meeting resolved to issue 7,000,000 warrants to some Members of the Board. The warrants of series 2023/2026:2 are transferred to the Board Members at market price, calculated pursuant to the Black-Scholes model. Each warrant entitles to subscription for one new share of series B in the Company at a subscription price of 2 SEK. The subscription time is set to November 16-November 30, 2026. The subscription price shall not be lower than the share's quota value. The portion of the subscription price that exceeds the share's quota value shall be transferred to the unrestricted share premium reserve.

Warrants of series 2023/2026:3 and series 2023/2026:4

The Extraordinary General Meeting on November 7 2023, resolved to issue a maximum of 250,000 warrants of series 2023/2026:4 to be transferred to employees at market price, calculated pursuant to the Black-Scholes model. One (1) warrant of series 2023/2026:3 provides the right during the period from 30 November 2026 up to and including 14 December 2026 subscribe to one share at a subscription price amounting to 200 percent of the volume-weighted average price of the Company's share of series B on Nasdaq First North Growth Market during the period from and including 24 October 2023 until and including 6 November 2023, however, never lower than the shares' quota value. The Extraordinary General Meeting resolved to issue 1,000,000 warrants to a new Member of the Board. The warrants of series 2023/2026:4 are transferred to the Board Member at market price, calculated pursuant to the Black-Scholes model. One (1) warrant of series 2023/2026:3 provides the right during the period from 30 November 2026 up to and including 14 December 2026 subscribe to one share at a subscription price amounting to 200 percent of the volume-weighted average price of the Company's share of series B on Nasdaq First North Growth Market during the period from and including 24 October 2023 until and including 6 November 2023, however, never lower than the shares' quota value.

The Extraordinary General Meeting on December 12 2023 resolved, in accordance with the Board of Director's proposal, to adjust the terms and conditions for the warrants of series 2023/2026:1 and 2023/2026:4, respectively, and necessary adjustments of the agreements between the holders of the warrants and the Company related to the respective incentive program.

The Extraordinary General Meeting also resolved, in accordance with a shareholder groups' proposal, to adjust the terms and conditions for the warrants of series 2023/2026:2 and 2023/2026:3, respectively, and necessary adjustments of the agreements between the holders of the warrants and the Company related to the respective incentive program.

Warrants of series 2024/2027:1

The Annual General Meeting of the Company held on April 16, 2024, resolved on an issue of a maximum of 4,000,000 warrants of series 2024/2027:1 to the Company, to be transferred to employees within the framework of an incentive program. The warrants shall be transferred at market price, calculated pursuant to the Black-Scholes model. Each warrant entitles to subscription for one new share of series B in the Company during the period from 30 April 2027 to 14 May 2027.

The AGM also resolved in accordance with a shareholder group's proposal to issue 1,000,000 warrants of series 2024/2027:2 to a key person in the company.

Audit

The company's auditor has not audited the Interim Report.

Principles of preparation for the Interim Report

The accounts in this Interim Report have been prepared in accordance with the Annual Accounts Act and the Swedish Accounting Standards Board BFNAR 2012:1 Annual Report and Consolidated Accounts (K3).

Upcoming financial reports

Year End Report, Q4 2024	25 February 2025
Annual report 2024	Week 20, 2025
Interim report, Q1 2025	22 May 2025
Interim report, Q2 2025	27 August 2025
Interim Report, Q3 2025	27 November, 2025
End-Of-Year Report, Q4 2025	27 February, 2026

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting is planned to be held on June 17, 2025, in Gothenburg. The location of the AGM will be announced at the latest in conjunction with the notice of the AGM.

The Board and the CEO hereby certify that the interim report provides a fair overview of the parent company and the group's operations.

Share capital development

Year	Event	Ratio value (SEK)	Difference shares	Change (SEK)	Total number shares	Total share capital (SEK)
2012	Rights issue	1	50 000	50 000	50 000	50 000
2012	Directed issue	1	10 605	10 605	60 605	60 605
2016	Stock dividend issue	1	1 200	1 200	61 805	61 805
2016	Share split 100:1	10		556 245	61 805	618 050
2016	Subdivision A-/B- shares	0.10	6 118 695		6 180 500	618 050
2016	Directed issue	0.10			6 180 500	
2016	Directed issue	0.10	1 420 000	1 420 000	7 600 500	760 050
2016	IPO	0.10	450 000	45 000	8 050 500	805 050
2016	Conversion	0.10	2 940 000	294 000	10 990 500	1 099 050
2018	Conversion	0.10	188 679	18 868	11 179 179	1 117 918
2018	Conversion	0.10	444 444	44 444	11 623 623	1 162 362
2018	Conversion	0.10	540 540	54 054	12 164 163	1 216 416
2018	Conversion	0.10	483 870	4 838 700	12 648 033	1 264 803
2018	Conversion	0.10	419 354	41 935	13 067 387	1 306 739
2018	Conversion	0.10	384 614	38 461	13 452 001	1 345 200
2018	Conversion	0.10	269 230	26 923	13 721 231	1 372 123
2018	Conversion	0.10	307 692	30 769	14 028 923	1 402 892
2018	Conversion	0.10	333 333	33 333	14 362 256	1 436 226
2018	Conversion	0.10	285 714	28 571	14 647 970	1 464 797
2019	Conversion	0.10	533 333	53 333	15 181 303	1 518 130
2019	Conversion	0.10	666 666	66 667	15 847 969	1 584 797
2019	Conversion	0.10	3 333 333	333 333	19 181 302	1 918 130
2019	Rights issue	0.10	19 181 302	1 918 130	38 362 604	3 836 260
2019	Overallotment issue	0.10	1 724 137	172 414	40 086 741	4 008 674
2019	Remuneration issue	0.10	132 571	13 257	40 219 312	4 021 931
2020	Directed issue	0.10	31 600 000	3 160 000	71 819 312	7 181 931
2021	Share issue TO1	0.10	33 442 470	3 344 247	105 261 782	10 526 178
2022	Share issue TO2	0.10	32 253 062	3 225 306	137 514 844	13 751 484
2023	Rights issue	0.10	96 260 390	9 626 039	233 775 234	23 377 523
2024	Share issue TO3	0.10	47 926 608	4 792 661	281 701 842	28 170 184
At end	l of period	0.10			281 701 842	

Number of average shares*

	July-Sept 2024	July-Sept 2023	Jan–Dec 2023
Before dilution	281 701 842	185 645 039	185 645 039
After dilution	309 158 926	195 496 122	228 455 687

* Number of outstanding shares including shares that can be subscribed for with outstanding warrants as of the balance sheet date.

Share and owners

The largest shareholders by 30 Sept 2024.

Owners	Capital	Votes
Avanza Pension	17.12 %	16.73 %
Pareto Securities AS	5.84 %	5.70 %
Nordnet Pensionsförsäkring AB	1.49 %	1.46 %
Gevrie, Dory	1.45 %	1.42 %
Jern, Claes Sverker	0.64 %	1.35 %
Ejlegard, Andreas	1.36 %	1.33 %
Butt, Jan	1.24 %	1.21 %
Frank, Fredrik	1.03 %	1.01 %
Bergh, Olof Niklas	0.13 %	0.84 %
Borgquist, Niklas	0.81 %	0.79 %
Total ten largest owners	31.10 %	31.84 %
Other shareholders	68.90 %	68.16 %
Total (9 463 shareholders)	100 %	100 %

Share ownership by the Executive Management and Board of Directors

Stocks and other securities, owned privately and/or through companies, by 30 Sept 2024.

Owners	A-shares	B-shares	Warrants
Sten R. Sörensen, CEO and Board Member	-	1,098,514	5,666,666
Dr. Rahul Agrawal, CMO and Head of R&D	-	-	2,000,000
Dr. Björn Dahlöf, CSO	123,920	1,439,076	2,833,333
Julia Fransson, Director of Business Development	-	-	200,000
Eva Jagenheim, CFO	-	275,000	1,000,000
Nicholas Oakes, Head of Preclinical Development	-	-	583,333
Joakim Söderström, Chairman of the Board	-	1,540,000	3,000,000
Dr. Gunnar Olsson, Board Member	-	-	600,000
Dr. Anders Svensson, Board Member	-	488,200	1,100,000
Jeppe Øvlesen, Board Member	-	55,000	1,000,000

Group – Income statement

(SEK)	1 July 2024 30 Sept 2024 3 months	1 July 2023 30 Sept 2023 3 months	1 Jan 2024 30 Sept 2024 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Sept 2023 9 months	1 Jan 2023 31 Dec 2023 12 months
Net sales	-	-	·		-
Capitalised work for own account	23 821 316	5 798 696	69 325 553	31 855 497	49 276 646
	23 821 316	5 798 696	69 325 553	31 855 497	49 276 646
Operating expenses					
Other external costs	-33 683 670	-14 305 631	-98 525 461	-48 140 100	-71 152 162
Personnel costs	-5 147 637	-2 446 782	-17 989 361	-9 428 704	-18 748 415
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	-63 989	-3 577	-91 657	-10 731	-14 308
Other operating cost	-182 217	-120 370	-1 234 264	-440 902	-4 011 820
Operating loss	-15 256 196	-11 077 665	-48 515 190	-26 164 941	-44 650 060
Loss from financial items					
Interest income and similar income	2 450	691	4 734	1 541	1 840 942
Interest expenses and similar expenses	-7 464 341	-	-10 674 955	-9 214	-5 297 093
Loss after financial items	-22 718 087	-11 076 974	-59 185 411	-26 172 614	-48 106 210
Loss before tax		·			
Income taxes	-	-	-	-	
Loss for the period	-22 718 087	-11 076 974	-59 185 411	-26 172 614	-48 106 210

Group – Balance sheet

(SEK)	30 Sept 2024	30 Sept 2023	31 Dec 2023
ASSETS			
Fixed assets			
Intangible assets			
Capitalised expenditures for development activities	251 808 848	165 298 158	182 483 295
Patents, trademarks, licenses and similar rights	13 780 255	13 544 242	13 780 255
	265 589 102	178 842 400	196 263 550
Tangible assets			
Fixtures, tools and installations	1 196 339	17 892	14 315
	1 196 339	17 892	14 315
Financial assets			
Other long-term receivables	9 688	10 199	9 264
	9 688	10 199	9 264
Total fixed assets	266 795 130	178 870 491	196 287 129
Current assets			
Current receivables			
Other receivables	2 611 184	868 215	1 123 911
Prepaid expenses and accrued income	2 030 798	321 524	406 641
	4 641 982	1 189 739	1 530 552
Cash and bank balance	73 841 665	68 455 542	87 168 535
Total current assets	78 483 647	69 645 281	88 699 087
TOTAL ASSETS	345 278 777	248 515 772	284 986 216

Group – Balance sheet cont.

(SEK)	30 Sept 2024	30 Sept 2023	31 Dec 2023
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Share capital	28 170 184	23 377 523	23 377 523
Other contributed capital	260 267 302	297 413 530	299 084 217
Other capital including loss for the year	-57 711 678	-84 332 962	-106 037 304
Equity attributed to the Parent Company's shareholders	230 725 808	236 458 091	216 424 436
 Total equity	230 725 808	236 458 091	216 424 436
Long-term liabilities			
Other liabilities to credit institutions	90 400 000	400 000	45 400 000
	90 400 000	400 000	45 400 000
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	6 561 720	6 989 558	6 930 366
Tax liabilities	0	344 150	0
Bridge loan	0	0	0
Other liabilities	1 526 680	643 849	1 231 118
Accrued expenses and deferred income	16 064 569	3 680 124	15 000 296
	24 152 969	11 657 681	23 161 780
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	345 278 777	248 515 772	284 986 216

Group – Change in equity

1 Jan-30 Sept 2024	Share capital	Other contributed capital	Other capital including profit/ loss for the year
At start of period	23 377 523	297 413 530	-104 366 617
Disposal according to AGM		-48 181 632	48 181 632
Warrant issue			
Exchange rate differences when translating foreign subsidiaries	-	-	-118 283
New share issue	4 792 661	71 889 912	0
Issue expenses		-3 077 507	0
Redistribution in equty		-57 777 001	57 777 001
Loss for the period	-	-	-59 185 411
At the end of the period	28 170 184	260 267 302	-57 711 678

1 Jan–30 Sept 2023	Share capital	Other contributed capital	Other capital including profit/ loss for the year
At start of period	13 751 484	245 725 032	-57 965 096
Exchange rate differences when translating foreign subsidiaries	-	-	-195 251
New share issue	9 626 039	67 382 273	-
Issue expenses	-	-15 693 775	-
Loss for the period	-	-	-26 172 615
At the end of the period	23 377 523	297 413 530	-84 332 962

1 Jan–31 Dec 2023	Share capital	Other contributed capital	Other capital including profit/ loss for the year
At start of period	13 751 484	245 725 032	-57 965 096
Warrant issue	-		1 670 687
Exchange rate differences when translating foreign subsidiaries	-	-	34 002
New share issue	9 626 039	67 382 273	-
Issue expenses	-	-15 693 775	-
Loss for the period	-	-	-48 106 210
At the end of the period	23 377 523	297 413 530	-104 366 617

Group - Cash flow statement

(SEK)	1 July 2024 30 Sept 2024 3 months	1 July 2023 30 Sept 2023 3 months	1 Jan 2024 30 Sept 2024 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Sept 2023 9 months	1 Jan 2023 31 Dec 2023 12 months
OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Loss after financial items	-22 718 087	-11 076 974	-59 180 398	-26 172 615	-48 106 210
Adjustments for items not included in the cash flow					
Depreciations	63 989	3 577	91 657	10 731	14 308
Translation differences	-2 560	-1 760	-118 283	-195 251	34 002
Accrued interest cost	569 732		1 388 036		777 040
Income taxes	-				1 670 687
	-22 086 926	-11 075 157	-57 818 988	-26 357 135	-45 610 173
Cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital	-22 086 926	-11 075 157	-57 818 988	-26 357 135	-45 610 173
Cash flow from changes in working capital					
Increase (-)/Decrease (+) in operating receivables	-419 341	250 887	-2 866 109	429 539	192 492
Increase (+)/Decrease (-) in operating liabilities	-10 071 678	-112 542	-647 605	-2 121 581	8 502 648
Cash flow from operating activities	-32 577 945	-10 936 812	-61 332 702	-28 049 177	-36 915 033
Investing activities					
Acquisition of intangible assets	-23 821 316	-5 798 696	-69 325 553	-31 855 497	-49 276 646
Acquisition of tangible assets	-355 567		-1 273 681		
Cash flow from investing activities	-24 176 884	-5 798 696	-70 599 234	-31 855 497	-49 276 646
Financing activities					
New share issue	0	0	76 682 573	77 008 312	77 008 311
Issue expenses	0	0	-3 077 507	-15 693 775	-15 693 775
Warrants issued					77 008 311
New loan	45 000 000		45 000 000	-	45 000 000
Cash flow from financing activities	45 000 000	0	118 605 066	61 314 537	106 314 536
Cash flow for the period	-11 754 829	-16 735 508	-13 326 870	1 409 863	20 122 856
Cash and cash equivalents at start of period	85 596 493	85 191 050	87 168 535	67 045 679	67 045 679
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	73 841 665	68 455 542	73 841 665	68 455 542	87 168 535

Parent company – Income statement

(SEK)	1 July 2024 30 Sept 2024 3 months	1 July 2023 30 Sept 2023 3 months	1 Jan 2024 30 Sept 2024 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Sept 2023 9 months	1 Jan 2023 31 Dec 2023 12 months
Net sales	-	-	-	-	-
Capitalised work for own account	23 821 316	5 798 696	69 325 553	31 855 497	49 276 646
	23 821 316	5 798 696	69 325 553	31 855 497	49 276 646
Operating expenses					
Other external costs	-33 683 670	-14 305 630	-98 520 447	-48 212 300	-71 227 587
Personnel costs	-5 147 637	-2 446 782	-17 989 361	-9 428 704	-18 748 415
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	-63 989	-3 577	-91 657	-10 731	-14 308
Other operating cost	-182 217	-120 370	-1 234 265	-440 899	-4 011 817
Operating loss	-15 256 196	-11 077 664	-48 510 177	-26 237 138	-44 725 481
Loss from financial items					
Interest income and similar income	2 450	691	4 734	1 541	1 840 942
Interest expenses and similar expenses	-7 464 341	-	-10 674 955	-9 214	-5 297 093
Loss after financial items	-22 718 087	-11 076 973	-59 180 398	-26 244 811	-48 181 632
Loss before tax	-22 718 087	-11 076 973	-59 180 398	-26 244 811	-48 181 632
Loss for the period	-22 718 087	-11 076 973	-59 180 398	-26 244 811	-48 181 632

Parent company – Balance sheet

(SEK)	30 Sept 2024	30 Sept 2023	31 Dec 2023
ASSETS			
Subscribed unpaid capital		-	-
Fixed assets			
Intangible assets			
Capitalised expenditures for development activities	251 808 848	165 298 158	182 483 295
Patents, trademarks, licenses and similar rights	13 780 255	13 544 242	13 780 255
	265 589 102	178 842 400	196 263 550
Tangible assets			
Fixtures, tools and installations	1 196 339	17 892	14 315
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Financial assets			
Shares in group company	941	941	941
	941	941	941
Total fixed assets	266 786 383	178 861 233	196 278 806
Current assets			
Current receivables			
Receivables from group companies	111 009	69 873	107 154
Other receivables	2 611 184	820 875	1 023 629
Tax receivables	168 824	-	38 352
Prepaid expenses and accrued income	1 783 673	321 524	406 640
	4 674 690	1 212 272	1 575 775
Cash and bank balance	73 791 605	68 381 544	87 102 526
Total current assets	78 466 295	69 593 816	88 678 301
TOTAL ASSETS	345 252 678	248 455 049	284 957 107

Parent company – Balance sheet cont.

(SEK)	30 Sept 2024	30 Sept 2023	31 Dec 2023
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Restricted equity			
Share capital	28 170 184	23 377 523	23 377 523
Ongoing share issue	-	-	-
Fund for development expenses	260 267 302	173 520 600	190 941 749
	288 437 486	196 898 123	214 319 273
Unrestricted equity			
Share premium reserve	68 812 405	51 688 498	51 688 498
Retained earnings	-67 338 278	14 230 872	-1 519 591
Profit/loss for the period	-59 180 398	-26 244 811	-48 181 632
	-57 706 272	39 674 558	1 987 274
Total equity	230 731 215	236 572 681	216 306 547
Long-term liabilities			
Other liabilities to credit institutions	400 000	400 000	400 000
Other long-term liabilities	90 000 000	-	45 000 000
	90 400 000	400 000	45 400 000
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	6 530 214	7 319 869	6 930 366
Tax liabilities	-	407 504	-
Liabilities to group companies	-	-	-
Other liabilities	1 526 680	426 014	1 231 117
Accrued expenses and deferred income	16 064 569	3 328 981	15 089 077
	24 121 463	11 482 368	23 250 560
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	345 252 678	248 455 049	284 957 107

Parent company – Change in equity

1 Jan–30 Sept 2024	Share capital	Fund for development expenses	Share premium reserve	Retained earnings	Net loss for the period	
At start of period	23 377 523	190 941 749	51 688 498	-1 519 591	-48 181 632	
Disposal according to AGM resolution	-	_	-51 688 498	3 506 866	48 181 632	
Warrant issued	-	-			-	
New share issue	4 792 661	-	71 889 912	-	-	
lssue expenses	-	-	-3 077 507	-	-	
Redistribution in equity	-	69 325 553	-	-69 325 553	-	
Loss for the period	-	-		-	-59 180 398	
At the end of the period	28 170 184	260 267 302	68 812 406	-67 338 278	-59 180 398	

Share capital	Fund for development expenses	Share premium reserve	Retained earnings	Net loss for the period
13 751 484	141 665 103	55 565 518	18 268 153	-27 747 301
-		-55 565 518	27 818 216	27 747 301
	-		-	-
9 626 039	-	67 382 273		-
-	-	-15 693 775		-
-	31 855 497	-	-31 855 497	-
-	-	-	-	-15 233 285
23 377 523	173 520 600	51 688 498	14 230 872	-15 233 285
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1 Jan–31 Dec 2023	Share capital	Fund for development expenses	Share premium reserve	Retained earnings	Net loss for the period
At start of period	13 751 484	141 665 103	55 565 518	18 268 153	-27 747 301
Disposal according to 'AGM resolution	-	-	-55 565 518	27 818 216	27 747 301
Warrant issued		-	-	1 670 687	-
New share issue	9 626 039	-	67 382 273	-	-
lssue expenses	-	-	-15 693 775	-	-
Redistribution in equity	-	49 276 646	-	-49 276 646	-
Loss for the period	-	-	-	-	-48 181 632
At the end of the period	23 377 523	190 941 749	51 688 498	-1 519 591	-48 181 632

Parent company – Cash flow statement

(SEK)	1 July 2024 30 Sept 2024 3 months	1 July 2023 30 Sept 2023 3 months	1 Jan 2024 30 Sept 2024 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Sept 2023 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Dec 2023 12 months
OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Loss after financial items	-22 718 087	-11 076 973	-59 180 398	-26 244 811	-48 181 632
Adjustments for items not included in the cash flow					
Depreciations	63 989	3 577	91 657	10 731	14 308
Accrued interest cost	569 732	-	1 388 036	-	777 040
Qualified stock warrants		-	-	-	1 670 687
	-22 084 366	-11 073 396	-57 700 705	-26 234 080	-45 719 597
Cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital	-22 084 366	-11 073 396	-57 700 705	-26 234 080	-45 719 597
Cash flow from changes in working capital					
Increase (-)/Decrease (+) in operating receivables	-23 841	196 453	-2 968 443	365 664	40 512
Increase (+)/Decrease (-) in operating liabilities	-10 395 789	-162 542	-647 605	-2 221 581	8 731 217
Cash flow from operating activities	-32 503 996	-11 039 485	-61 316 753	-28 089 998	-36 947 867
Investing activities					
Acquisition of intangible assets	-23 821 316	-5 798 696	-69 325 553	-31 855 497	-49 276 646
Acquisition of tangible assets	-355 567	-	-1 273 681	-	-
Cash flow from investing activities	-24 176 884	-5 798 696	-70 599 234	-31 855 497	-49 276 646

Parent company - cont.

(SEK)	1 July 2024 30 Sept 2024 3 months	1 July 2023 30 Sept 2023 3 months	1 Jan 2024 30 Sept 2024 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Sept 2023 9 months	1 Jan 2023 30 Dec 2023 12 months
Financing activities					
New share issue	-	-	76 682 573	77 008 311	77 008 311
Issue expenses	-	-	-3 077 507	-15 693 775	-15 693 775
Proceeds from borrowings	45 000 000	-	45 000 000	-	45 000 000
Paid interest costs	-	-	-	-	-
Cash flow from financing activities	45 000 000	-	118 605 066	61 314 536	106 314 536
Cash flow for the period	-11 680 880	-16 838 181	-13 310 921	1 369 041	20 090 022
Cash and cash equivalents at start of period	85 472 485	85 219 725	87 102 526	67 012 503	67 012 503
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	73 791 605	68 381 544	73 791 605	68 381 544	87 102 526

The Board and the CEO hereby certify that the interim report provides a fair overview of the parent company and the group's operations.

Gothenburg, November 21, 2024,

Joakim Söderström Chair of the Board Sten R. Sörensen Chief Executive Officer and Board member

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Cereno Scientific

Cereno Scientific is pioneering treatments to enhance and extend life. Our innovative pipeline offers disease-modifying drug candidates to empower people suffering from rare cardiovascular and pulmonary diseases to live life to the full.

Lead candidate CS1 is an HDACi that works through epigenetic modulation, being developed as a safe, effective and disease modifying treatment for rare disease Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH). A Phase IIa trial evaluating CS1's safety, tolerability, and exploratory efficacy in patients with PAH demonstrated that CS1 was safe, well-tolerated and showed a positive impact on exploratory clinical efficacy parameters. An Expanded Access Program enables patients that have completed the Phase IIa trial to gain access to CS1. HDACi CS014, in Phase I development, is a new chemical entity with disease-modifying potential. CS014 employs a multi-modal mechanism of action as an epigenetic modulator, targeting key unmet needs in patients with rare disease Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF). Cereno Scientific is also pursuing a preclinical program with CS585, an oral, highly potent and selective prostacyclin (IP) receptor agonist that has demonstrated the potential to significantly improve disease mechanisms relevant to cardiovascular diseases. While CS585 has not yet been assigned a specific indication for clinical development, preclinical data indicates that it could potentially be used in indications like thrombosis prevention without increased risk of bleeding and Pulmonary Hypertension.

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