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Full-Year 2020 results

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Forward-looking statements, continued

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2020: a remarkable year in AstraZeneca's history

- 1 Resilient business performance
- 2 COVID-19 response
- 3 Proposed Alexion acquisition
- 4 Ambition Zero Carbon



Second consecutive year of double-digit growth in 2020



New medicines drive growth



Oncology
24% growth to \$11.5bn



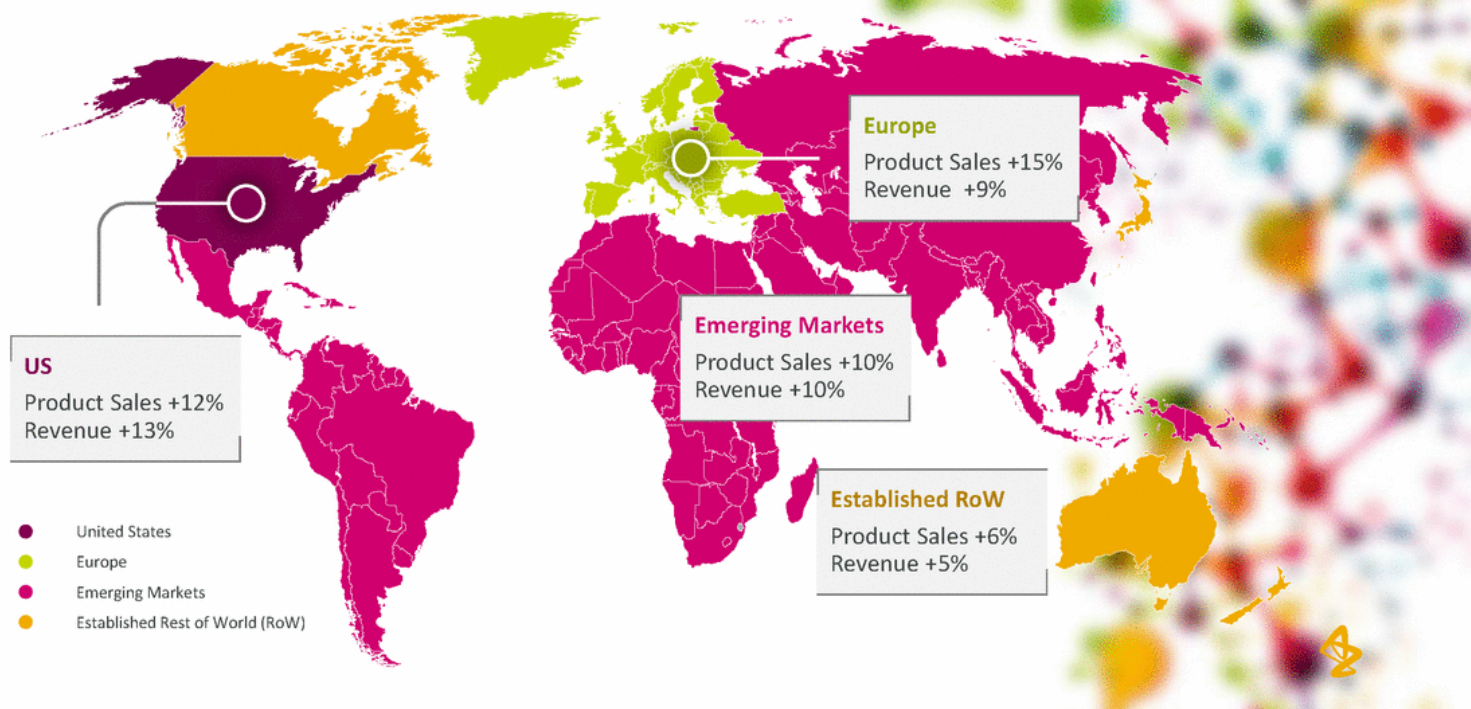
New CVRM
9% growth to \$4.7bn



Respiratory & Immunology
stable at \$5.4bn



Strong and diversified growth



Oncology pipeline and sales



- 36% product sales growth to \$4.3bn
- ADAURA trial unblinded two years early in April; ASCO results showed *Tagrisso* reduced the risk of disease recurrence or death by 80%; approved in the US by EOY



- Now reaching 1 of every 3 newly BTKi-treated patients in first-line CLL in the US
- Met primary efficacy endpoint in head-to-head trial against ibrutinib in chronic lymphocytic leukaemia



A year after launch, the number one prescribed therapy in 3L HER2+ mBC



49% product sales growth to \$1.8bn. Class leading PARP inhibitor overall and within all key tumour types



US and EU regulatory approvals for less-frequent, fixed-dose use. CASPIAN indication now approved in over 50 countries



BioPharma pipeline and sales



- 30% Total Revenue growth in 2020
- Approved for HFREF in EU, US, Japan and China; anticipate data on HfpEF
- In DAPA-CKD trial, first SGLT2 inhibitor to significantly prolong survival and protect organs; regulatory decision in chronic kidney disease anticipated in US, EU, Japan, China



- 34% product sales growth in the year - remains leading novel biologic for severe asthma in majority of markets
- Clinical programme covers nine diseases where eosinophils play an important role, in addition to severe asthma.

Tezepelumab

- Statistically significant reduction in exacerbations (NAVIGATOR)
- Potential to transform care for broad population of patients

Anifrolumab

- US, EU and Japan regulatory decision anticipated for systemic lupus erythematosus



- Launched in China, Japan, US
- EU regulatory approval (*Trixeo Aerosphere*)



2020 Full-Year Core profit and loss

	FY 2020 \$m	change %	% total revenue	Q4 2020 \$m	change %	% total revenue
Total revenue	26,617	10	100	7,410	10	100
- product sales	25,890	11	97	7,011	11	95
- collaboration revenue	727	(11)	3	399	(4)	5
Gross margin	80.0%	0.3 pp		78.6%	2.0 pp	
Operating expenses	15,633	6	59	4,654	8	63
- R&D expenses	5,872	10	22	1,707	12	23
- SG&A expenses	9,362	4	35	2,838	6	38
Other operating income	1,531	(2)	6	642	29	9
Operating profit	7,340	17	28	1,899	28	26
Tax rate	20.1%			17.6%		
EPS	\$4.02	18		\$1.07	24	

Absolute values at actual exchange rates; changes at CER. Gross margin excludes the impact of collaboration revenue and any associated costs, thereby reflecting the underlying performance of product sales.



Met 2020 guidance despite disruption to global economy



Total Revenue

Increase by a high single-digit to a low double-digit percentage

Total Revenue FY 2020

10%



Core EPS

Increase by a mid- to high-teens percentage

Core EPS FY 2020

18%

- Guidance is at CER.
- AstraZeneca recognises the heightened risks and uncertainties from the impact of COVID-19 referred to in the results announcement.



2021 guidance shows confidence in the future



Total Revenue

Increase by a low-teens percentage



Core EPS

Increase to
\$4.75/\$5.00

- The guidance **does not incorporate any revenue or profit impact from sales of *COVID-19 Vaccine AstraZeneca*** or the proposed **acquisition by the Company of Alexion Pharmaceuticals, Inc.** (Alexion), anticipated to close in Q3 2021.
- Guidance is at CER.
- AstraZeneca recognises the heightened risks and uncertainties from the impact of COVID-19. Variations in performance between quarters can be expected to continue in FY 2021.



Strategic rationale for proposed acquisition

- 1 Complementary science and opportunity for synergy
- 2 Immunology and rare disease complementarity
- 3 Sustained, industry leading double-digit revenue growth
- 4 Improved profitability and strengthened cash flow

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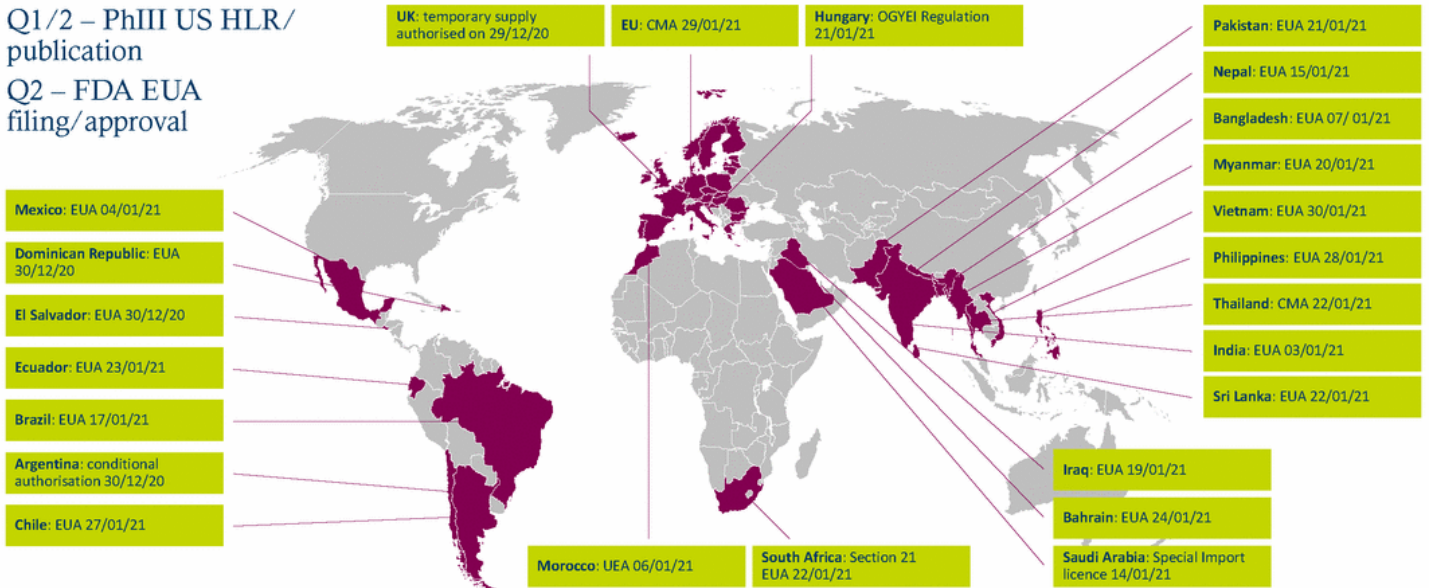
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COVID-19 Vaccine approved in more than 50 countries

Q1/2 – PhIII US HLR/
publication

Q2 – FDA EUA
filing/approval



CMA, conditional marketing authorisation; EMA, European Medicine Agency; EU; European Union, emergency use authorisation, OGYEI, National Institute of Pharmacy and Nutrition (Hungary)



COVID-19 Vaccine: Supply and Roll Out

8 Months for commercial supply availability

25+ sites in global manufacturing network

100 million doses per month produced globally

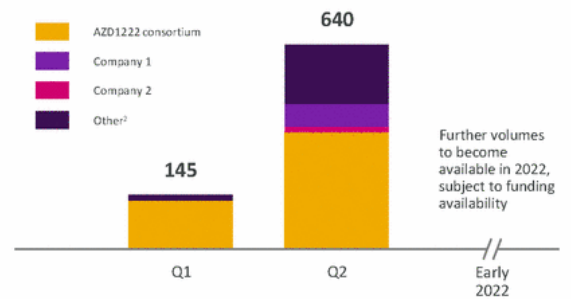
200 million doses per month globally by April

336 million doses forecast to COVAX in H1*

*Subject to regulatory authorisation, manufacturing and operational constraints, and other factors.

COVAX FACILITY GLOBAL SUPPLY FORECAST BY CANDIDATE

COVAX Available Supply, Cumulative, Mn doses, 2021¹



¹Supply refers to volumes of vaccine available from the manufacturer. Timing of forecasts is based on anticipated release of doses from manufacturers. Volumes for expected single-dose regimen vaccine candidates doubled to ensure comparability across vaccine candidates. Volumes have been rounded to the nearest 5M (except for those smaller than 5M).

²Other² candidates include all those currently under active negotiation.

Source: COVAX

COVID-19 LAAB: Long-acting antibody AZD7442



Therapy for the prevention and treatment of COVID-19



AstraZeneca's proprietary half-life extension technology triples durability



Five Phase II/III trials; first data in H1 2021



Evaluated for intra-muscular administration in both prevention and treatment late-stage trials.



High level of neutralizing activity against emerging variants

Summary

- 1 Second straight year of double-digit growth
- 2 New medicines drive growth across all regions
- 3 Oncology total revenue increased 24% in the year
- 4 Upgraded guidance shows confidence in future
- 5 Vaccine and Alexion bid cap a remarkable year



Questions & answers



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