



***2008 consolidated turnover: +134%***  
***Strong sales growth***  
***A pro-active partnering strategy***

Paris, February 10, 2009 – BioAlliance Pharma SA (Euronext Paris: BIO), the specialty pharmaceutical company focused on the treatment of opportunistic infections in cancer and AIDS, today announced a 2008 turnover of €8.2 million, strongly increased from €3.5 million in 2007.

(amounts in millions of euros)	<b>2008</b>	2007	change in %
Consolidated turnover	<b>8.2</b>	3.5	+134%
Revenue from collaborations and licensing	<b>7.0</b>	2.9	+141%
Total number of patients treated with Loramyc® in France	<b>19,000</b>	3,000	+533%

Over the course of 2008, the company pro-actively pursued its international licensing and partnering strategy, notably via the signature of two agreements with companies in south-east Asia. BioAlliance Pharma has now signed Loramyc® licensing agreements for a total of up to €90 million, with €25 million in cash already received over the period 2007-2008. Licensing and partnering revenues for 2008 amounted to €7 million and can be broken down as follows:

- a licensing agreement in the United States (with Par Pharmaceutical): €4.1 million.
- licensing agreements in Europe (with SpePharm) and south-east Asia (with Handok and NovaMed): €2.9 million.

Loramyc® sales continue to grow strongly and are in line with forecasts, with a consolidated turnover of €1 million for the product's first full year commercialization, 96% of which generated in France.

Since Loramyc®'s launch in September 2007, almost 19,000 patients have been treated with the compound in France - well over the target of 16,000 set in August 2008. This result has been achieved thanks to support from opinion leaders, coherence with official guidelines and the work performed by BioAlliance Pharma in the field of oropharyngeal candidiasis.

Available cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2008, amounted to €31.7 million. The company expects early reimbursement of its research tax credit estimated at over €4 million. Furthermore, without taking into account any future agreement, BioAlliance Pharma forecasts to receive US\$ 21.5 million in milestone payments in 2009-2010 from existing partners.

*"We are delighted with Loramyc®'s success among the medical community in the oncology supportive care segment, in which we are becoming a partner of choice. We are confident that sales will continue to grow",* stated Dominique Costantini, BioAlliance Pharma's President and CEO. *"Our solid cash*

*position means we can plan to pursue our commercial development with confidence, while forging additional industrial alliances on portfolio products".*

BioAlliance Pharma COO Pierre Morgon added: *"Following the successful launch of Loramyc® in France, BioAlliance Pharma is positioning itself as a key partner for hospital-based specialist physicians treating opportunistic infections in cancer and AIDS patients. We are going to reinforce our portfolio of marketed products, thanks to the two novel formulations of ondansetron (used in post-chemo/radiotherapy supportive care) that we have in-licensed for Europe in 2008".*

**Conference call on Tuesday February 10, 2009**

**From 6:45 pm to 7:30 pm (CET / Paris time) in English**

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The conference call replay will be available to listen after 7.30 pm today  
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**About BioAlliance Pharma**

As a preferred partner for hospital-based specialists, BioAlliance Pharma is a specialty biopharmaceutical company which develops and markets innovative products, especially in the fields of opportunistic infections and chemotherapy complications. In areas where medical needs are insufficiently met, our targeted approaches help overcome drug resistance and improve patient health and quality of life. BioAlliance Pharma's ambition is to become a leading European player in these fields by coupling innovation to patient needs.

For more information, visit the BioAlliance Pharma web site at <http://www.bioalliancepharma.com>

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