



# **PRESS RELEASE**

# **ERYTECH provides financial update for Q1 2014**

Lyon (France), January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014 – ERYTECH Pharma (Euronext Paris: FR0011471135 - ERYP), the French biopharmaceutical company that develops innovative 'tumor starvation' treatments for acute leukemia and other oncology indications with unmet medical needs, provides a financial update for the first quarter of 2014.

On March 31 2014, ERYTECH's cash and cash equivalents amounted to € 12.7 million. This compares to a cash position of € 15.1 million at the end of 2013.

During the first quarter of fiscal year 2014, ERYTECH did not report any income from activities.

These results are in line with the expectations and the strategy of the company which in 2014 remains totally focused on the clinical development of its innovative treatments for acute leukemia and other oncology indications in Europe and in the United States.

As a reminder, GRASPA®, ERYTECH's lead product is currently in the final phase of clinical development for Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML) in Europe. ERYTECH is launching a Phase II study in pancreas cancer in Europe and a Phase I/II in ALL in the USA. The results of the ongoing Phase III study are expected at the end of Q3 of this year.

# **Next scheduled financial updates:**

Publication of financial highlights for Q2 2014: July 16, 2014 (after market)

### In the coming months, ERYTECH will participate at the following investor events:

- BioEquity Europe, May 21-22 in Amsterdam
- Jefferies Global Healthcare Conference, June 2-5 in New York
- Village des Actionnaires, June 12 in Lyon
- French Life Science Days, June 25-26 in New York

## About ERYTECH and ERY-ASP/GRASPA®: www.erytech.com

Created in Lyon in 2004, ERYTECH is a French biopharmaceutical company providing new prospects for cancer patients, particularly those with acute leukemia and selected solid tumors.

Every year about 50,000 patients are diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) or Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML), the two forms of acute leukemia. Today, for about 80% of these patients, mainly adults and relapsing patients, there is no adequate solution due to the toxicity of existing treatments. By encapsulating the asparaginase enzyme in red blood cells, ERYTECH has developed ERY-ASP/GRASPA®, an original and effective treatment that targets leukemia cells through "starvation" while significantly reducing the side effects for patients, and allowing all patients to be treated, even the most fragile ones, representing a market opportunity of more than EUR 1 billion. ERY-ASP/GRASPA® is currently completing Phase III clinical development in Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and is in Phase IIb clinical trial in Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML). The product also received FDA clearance to start clinical development in ALL in the USA. ERYTECH has concluded distribution partnership agreements for Europe with Orphan Europe (Recordati Group), and with TEVA for Israel.

The company is also developing other indications in solid tumors and certain orphan indications outside oncology. ERYTECH has its own GMP-approved and operational manufacturing site.

ERYTECH is listed on Euronext regulated market in Paris. (ISIN code: FR0011471135, ticker: ERYP) and is part of the CAC Healthcare, CAC Pharm. & Bio and Next Biotech indexes.

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