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## It Was Dark Over Westphalia

### Quick Take – Who’s Grossly Overexaggerating Cytodyn’s TAM Now? (CYDY)

Another day, another relentlessly “optimistic” piece of promotional garbage touting everyone’s favorite Pink Sheet Reverse Merger coronacraper, Cytodyn (CYDY). Today it is this swill (<https://seekingalpha.com/article/4356732-cytodyns-rude-interruption>) which trumpeted an outlandish TAM (Total Addressable Market) figure that whipped up retail investors on both sides of the Atlantic this morning, before reality began to seep back in. How outlandish? See for yourselves:

Cytodyn has identified possible revenues:

- Coronavirus of \$9 billion
- HIV of up to \$12 billion
- Breast Cancer of \$60 billion

But this does not include other cancers, NASH, Multiple Sclerosis, and GvH (and Alzheimer’s if it proves out). The numbers cited above come to \$81 billion, if the company continues to operate on its own for five years, it may very well generate revenues of \$100 billion, and multiplying it out,

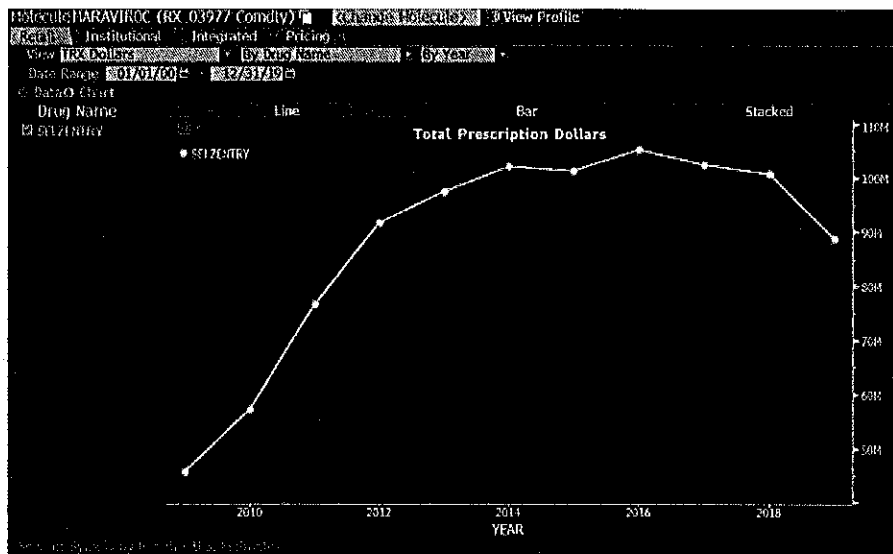
Yes, \$81bn, but that’s not all, maybe even \$100bn!

Now for the sobering reality. Cytodyn has exactly zero approved drugs to sell. Zero. After much difficulty they have submitted a BLA to the FDA, to hopefully get their wonder drug, leronlimab, approved in early 2021. Guess that \$81bn won’t come this year, if at all.

But even if they get their drug approved, the actual TAM is far far smaller. For you see, dear reader, leronlimab is what is known as a “CCR5 Entry Inhibitor”, and one that must be delivered by IV or injection. There already is another CCR5 entry inhibitor on the market, known generically as maraviroc, or by its brand name, Selzentry. Unlike the hyped unapproved bullshit from Cytodyn, maraviroc is a convenient pill, available today.

Contrary to anything the long list of promoters, or even The Nadir, might claim, leronlimab is not a new class of medication, it is not a breakthrough, it is just another entry in an existing segment.

And how large is the Total Addressable Market for CCR5 Entry Inhibitors? Currently maraviroc has 100% of that market, and it was, for 2019 a paltry \$88mm USD and SHRINKING.



Even if **Ieronlinab** magically captured 100% market share, **\$88mm** is still only about 7/10ths of a percent of the supposed \$12bn HIV TAM. Good luck with that **\$81bn!**

Oh, and coronavirus? If CCR5 entry inhibition had anything to do with Coronavirus, Doctors world-wide would already be using maraviroc. Surprise! **They aren't.**

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[July 2, 2020 at 9:43 pm](#)

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2. **Dr. Zaius** says:

[July 6, 2020 at 10:53 pm](#)

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[Background? Minister of Science and Chief Defender of the Faith, of course. All one needs to know is [here](#). – Editor]

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