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In connection with the proposed transaction between Gemini and Disc, Gemini intends to file relevant materials with the SEC, including a registration statement on Form S-4 that will contain a proxy statement/prospectus of Gemini and information statement of Disc. GEMINI URGES INVESTORS AND STOCKHOLDERS TO READ THESE MATERIALS CAREFULLY AND IN THEIR ENTIRETY WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT GEMINI, DISC, THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION AND RELATED MATTERS. Investors and shareholders will be able to obtain free copies of the proxy statement/prospectus/information statement and other documents filed by Gemini with the SEC (when they become available) through the website maintained by the SEC at www.sec.gov. In addition, investors and shareholders should note that Gemini communicates with investors and the public using its website (www.geminitherapeutics.com/) where anyone will be able to obtain free copies of the proxy statement/prospectus/information statement and other documents filed by Gemini with the SEC and stockholders are urged to read the proxy statement/prospectus/information statement and other documents filed by Gemini with the SEC and stockholders are urged to read the proxy statement/prospectus/information statement and the proposed transaction.

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Merger with Disc to be Transformative

Transition into a clinical-stage company with multiple programs focused on hematology





- **Disc Medicine opportunity:** Provides Gemini shareholders with opportunity to participate in the Disc Medicine growth story, at a pivotal time for Disc Medicine
- **Diversified and clinical-stage portfolio:** Two programs currently in clinical trials (DISC-0974 and bitopertin); provides multiple shots on goal
- Near-term clinical catalysts: Steady stream of clinical data read-outs, including interim data from patient studies in the next 6-12 months
- **Combined financial strength financing into 2025:** Combined company expected to have approximately \$175 million in cash and cash equivalents upon closing; resources expected to fund operations into 2025

Merger of Gemini and Disc

Overview	 Merger with Disc Medicine, a privately-held company focused on hematology
	 Strong balance sheet of approximately \$175 MM expected to provide funding for operations into 2025
	 Upon close, company expected to be renamed "Disc Medicine" trading as NASDAQ: IRON
Transaction Summary	 Expected ownership approximately 72% Disc, 28% Gemini, in each case before giving effect to the concurrent financing, subject to adjustment based on Gemini's net cash at closing
	 Projected \$92 million net cash from Gemini + additional \$53.5 million concurrent financing
	 CVR agreement to provide additional consideration to Gemini stockholders if legacy Gemini programs GEM103 and GEM307 are monetized
	 Expected close Q4'2022 subject to approval of stockholders
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Management	Existing Disc Medicine management to lead the merged company
and Programs	 New Board of Directors will include 9 members (8 existing Disc, 1 Gemini)
	 Combined company will focus on advancing development of Disc programs

Disc is Building a Leading Company Dedicated to Treating Hematologic Diseases



Our Executive Team

Deep experience building companies and bringing therapies to patients

John Quisel, JD, PhD I CEO & President

acquisition and positioning of sotatercept for PAH

Former EVP & Chief Business Officer at Acceleron Pharma; 14 years through

transformative Celgene partnerships, IPO and launch of Reblozvl®; led re-

Brian MacDonald, MB, ChB, PhD | Chief Innovation Officer

Founder and former Board Member of Disc Medicine; founder and CEO of Merganser Biotech: Previously at Zelos Therapeutics, 3-Dimensional Pharmaceuticals, GlaxoSmithKline

Jonathan Yu, MBA | Chief Business Officer



Qpex Biopharma (Co-founder), The Medicines Company, Acceleron Pharma, and Johnson & Johnson, Leadership roles in corporate strategy, finance and operations licensing, M&A, and commercial planning

Srikanth Venkatraman. PhD I SVP Chemistry

Merck and Schering-Plough, leadership roles in discovery, manufacturing and formulation, including for Victrelis® (boceprevir), first approved HCV protease inhibitor

Hua Yang, PhD | VP Nonclinical R&D

Agios, Millennium / Takeda, BMS, Leadership positions in DMPK and Clinical Pharmacology, including for approved therapies IDHIFA® (enasidinib), TIBSOVO® (ivosidenib) and PYRUKIND® (mitapivat)





Joanne Brvce. CPA I Chief Financial Officer

Former CFO of Arkuda Therapeutics, Dyne Therapeutics, and Quartet Medicine: previously at WiTricity, Speedy Packets, Narrative Communications: Arthur Andersen

Will Savage, MD, PhD | Chief Medical Officer



Rahul Khara, PharmD, JD | General Counsel

Former VP Legal and Chief Compliance Officer at Acceleron Pharma, supported commercial launch of Reblozyl® and eventual acquisition by Merck; Arnold & Porter, LLP; Sidley Austin LLP

Min Wu. PhD I VP Biology

Proteostasis, FORMA, Agios, AVEO Oncology. Discovery and development across range of therapeutic areas including oncology and orphan disease including AATD, CF, lysosomal storage disease and others

Jeremy Brinkerhoff, CPA | VP Finance

Former Partner at CFGI, a portfolio company of The Carlyle Group and largest non-audit accounting advisory firm in US and focused on life science companies: Covidien: PwC











Our Investors & Advisors

Investors



Targeting Fundamental Pathways that Impact the Biology of Red Blood Cells



Wide Spectrum of Hematologic Diseases Addressable by Disc Portfolio

Severe Rare (000s)			Moderate Prevalence (100K+)				Widely Prevalent (MMs)		
Diamond-Blackfan	Erythropoietic	Beta-	Anemia of	Myelodysplastic	Sickle Cell	Polycythemia	Hereditary	IBD	CKD
Anemia	Porphyrias	Thalassemia	Myelofibrosis	Syndromes	Disease	Vera	Hemochromatosis	Anemia	Anemia

Our Hematology-Focused Pipeline

Multiple programs in development, each with pipeline-in-a-product potential

	Portfolio	Program	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Near-Term Milestones
	Heme Biosynthesis Modulator	Bitopertin [†] GlyT1 Inhibitor Oral, once-daily	Erythropoietic Porphyrias (EPP and Diamond-Blackfan Anemia (planned	I XLP) – <i>Initiated July</i> '22 d) and other indications		 EPP / XLP Phase 2 BEACON Trial in EPP / XLP (open-label, initiated July '22) Phase 2 AURORA Trial in EPP (placebo- controlled, expected to initiate 2H '22) Interim open-label data expected by 1H'23
Hepcidin Suppression Release Iron	Hepcidin	DISC-0974 [‡] Anti-HJV monoclonal antibody Subcutaneous, once-monthly	Anemia of Myelofibrosis (MF) – Init Anemia of Chronic Kidney Disease	iated June '22 (CKD) – Initiation expected by YE '	22	 Proof-of-Mechanism Phase 1 SAD data presented June '22 Myelofibrosis Anemia Initiated Phase 1b / 2 trial in 1H'22
	DISC-0998 [‡] Anti-HJV monoclonal antibody Extended half-life	Anemia Associated with Inflammato	ory Diseases		 Interim open-label data expected in '23 CKD Anemia Expect to initiate Phase 1b / 2 trial by YE'22 Interim data expected in '23 	
	Hepcidin Induction Reduce Iron	Mat-2 Inhibitor Oral small molecule	Polycythemia Vera and Diseases o	f Iron Overload		Lead candidate optimization

Strong Growth Trajectory Towards Building a Leading Hematology Company

Build Portfolio of Clinical Programs

2021

DISC-0974 enters the clinic, licensed

bitopertin, Series B financing

2020 Series A and founding technology

Establish

Company

Demonstrate Phase 2 POC in Multiple Programs

2023 and Beyond Positioned to enter potentially pivotal trials; expand range of indications and pipeline

Initiate Phase 3 Studies and

Expand Portfolio

2022-2023 DISC-0974 data read-out; expect to initiate and complete several Phase 1b or 2 patient studies with DISC-0974 and bitopertin

Bitopertin GlyT1 Inhibitor Heme Biosynthesis Modulation

Bitopertin: Oral, Selective GlyT1 Inhibitor

In multiple clinical trials by Roche, bitopertin was observed to modulate heme biosynthesis by blocking uptake of glycine in erythrocytes



Dysregulated Hemoglobin Synthesis Drives Disease Inhibiting heme synthesis with bitopertin has potential to address a wide range of hematologic diseases



bold (trial ongoing) / bold (trial planned)

Erythropoietic Protoporphyria (EPP) Rare, debilitating and lifelong condition characterized by extreme pain and damage to skin caused by light

Genetic condition caused by defective heme biosynthesis – deficient enzyme ferrochelatase

- Lifelong and presents in early childhood
- Caused by accumulation of toxic metabolite PPIX
- XLP, mechanistically similar disease, also PPIX-related

Debilitating and potentially life-threatening

- Skin: severe, disabling pain attacks (days), edema, burning
- Hepatobiliary disease: gallstones, liver dysfunction or failure
- Psychosocial well-being (fear, anxiety) and development

No cure or disease-modifying treatment

- Avoid sun / light, protective clothing, window tinting, Zn/Ti Oxide
- One FDA-approved agent, afamelanotide, a surgically-implanted tanning agent

EPP and XLP Prevalence:

Approximately 7-8k+ addressable patients in US and Europe; recent genetic studies suggest number may be higher



Image sources: Daily Mail Australia (2019); FDA Scientific Workshop on EPP (2016); Buonuomo et al. (2014) Arch Dis Child

EPP Impacts Multiple Aspects of Patients' Lives Attacks are easily triggered and result in excruciating pain that has neuropathic qualities and can last for days



"I can only tolerate about 10 minutes of direct sunlight before I get a reaction.

These reactions can last up to five days. When I have a reaction, I can't sleep because the pain is so strong. It hurts so much."



"It's like a chemical burn. It's like a burn from the inside out as opposed to the surface."

"If you've ever worked with jalapenos or habanero peppers, you know. That burning gets on your hands, and there's nothing you can do. It takes about five to seven days for it to wear off."



"I'm deeply concerned about what this is doing to his mind. I see his personality changing before my eyes.

The anxiety, the isolation, the loneliness, how people treat him, how he's treating the world around him, it's changing. I can see it - that's really hard to manage as a parent."



"My life and that of my family's is completely different than it would if I were able to be in the sun.

The curtains in our home are always closed. There are no outside activities during the day -- no beach, no picnics, no washing the car or cutting the lawn, no camping, no theme parks."

Sources: FDA Scientific Workshop on EPF

PPIX is a Driver of Disease in EPP / XLP Patients Toxic and photo-active metabolite accumulates in RBCs and is transported to skin and other organs, causing damage

Skin

- Porphyrin ring absorbs light and **emits** energy and heat
- Oxidative damage to endothelial capillaries and surrounding tissue, perivascular edema, complement activation
- Pain, burning sensation, swelling, inflammation, chronic skin lesions

Psychosocial

- Issues with focus and concentration
- Lack of sleep, physical and social isolation
- Significant lifestyle modification, fear and anxiety



Protoporphyrin IX

Hepatobiliary

- PPIX accumulation in bile canaliculae, causing oxidative damage
- Cholelithiasis requiring surgery or impaired liver function (~25%) and end-stage liver disease requiring transplant (2-5%)
- Clinical and biochemical surveillance

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Other Complications

Nutritional deficiency resulting in osteoporosis and propensity for fractures, chronic alterations to skin (e.g. fragile), mild anemia

Bitopertin: Potential Disease-Modifying Treatment Designed to reduce disease-causing PPIX by limiting uptake of glycine into developing erythrocytes



Figures adapted from Halloy et al. (2021) Cell Chem Biol

Bitopertin Reduced PPIX in Models of EPP / XLP Effects on PPIX have the potential to be disease-modifying



Bitopertin reduces PPIX, the driver of disease pathophysiology, and is expected to be disease-modifying

- Reductions in PPIX levels of ≥30% reported in literature to have a major impact on photosensitivity in patients[†]:
- Bitopertin has been shown in animal model of EPP (not shown) to reduce liver fibrosis

Data presented at the 63rd ASH Annual Meeting (December 2021); Studies performed in collaboration with Boston Children's Hospital (PI: Paul Schmidt, Advisor: Mark Fleming) Sources: [†] Heerfordt et al. (2016) Br J. Dermatol.; Wulf et al. (2019) Photodiagn and Photodyn Ther; Poh-Fitzpatrick (1997) J Am Acad Derm

Bitopertin Robust Data Package

Extensive non-clinical, CMC and clinical development has already been completed

Non-Clinical	СМС	Clinical		
 ✓ Genetic toxicity and Safety pharmacology ✓ Long-term GLP toxicology ✓ Juvenile GLP toxicology studies supporting patients ≥2 y/o ✓ Carcinogenicity studies ✓ Full reproductive GLP toxicology ✓ Metabolites fully qualified 	 Commercial-scale production Optimized oral formulation (tablet and capsule) Highly stable molecule (at least 5 years) Available commercial-grade drug substance (metric tons) 	 Healthy volunteer studies Drug-drug interaction studies Hepatic impairment Renal impairment TQT (heart rhythm) study Pharmacokinetics in patients of Asian descent 30+ Other clinical trials 		

BEACON Trial: Open-Label Ph 2 Trial in EPP / XLP Open-label, parallel-dose trial to establish POC and assess efficacy, safety in patients (N~20)



Study measures: Changes in blood PPIX levels, light tolerance, time to prodromal symptom (TTPS), hepatobiliary markers, QOL, safety / PK

Data availability: Interim, open-label, PPIX data expected by 1H 2023

AURORA Trial: Ph 2 Trial in EPP

Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo Controlled trial to assess efficacy, safety in patients (N~75)



Study measures: Changes in blood PPIX levels, time in daylight without pain, light tolerance, time to prodromal symptom (TTPS), hepatobiliary markers, QOL, safety / PK Data availability: Data expected by 2H 2023

Development Status and Upcoming Milestones Phase 2 BEACON trial initiated, data expected by 1H'23

Operational activities to enable initiation of patient studies completed

- Roche license signed May 2021
- GMP clinical supply completed June 2022
- BEACON trial Open-label, parallel-dose trial in EPP and XLP patients in AU *initiated July 2022*

Next milestones

- AURORA trial Randomized, placebo-controlled trial in EPP patients in US *IND open Aug 2022*
- Interim open label data from the BEACON trial *expected* by 1H 2023
- Phase 2 IIT in Diamond-Blackfan Anemia *site contracting in process, startup expected 1H 2023*
- AURORA trial data *expected 2H 2023*
- Planning underway for studies in additional indications

Hepcidin Modulation Iron Homeostasis

Iron is Fundamental to RBC Biology

Hepcidin is a regulatory hormone that plays a central role in iron metabolism and homeostasis



Induced by Inflammation

Hepcidin

Gatekeeper Function: Blocks iron absorption and recycling



GI Tract Iron Intake **Spleen** Iron Storage



RBC Production in Bone Marrow



Hepcidin is a Therapeutic Target for Diseases Dysregulated hepcidin drives a wide range of hematologic diseases



DISC-0974 Anti-HJV mAb

Hepcidin Suppression



DISC-0974: Novel Anti-HJV mAb to Suppress Hepcidin Designed to enhance iron availability to address a wide range of hematologic disorders



Anemia of Inflammation or Chronic Disease Inflammation caused by a wide range of conditions results in anemia due to elevated hepcidin

Anemia Types	Est. % Anemic
Myelofibrosis (MF)	87%
Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)	17-50%
Inflammatory Bowel Disease	25-35%
Anemia of Cancer	35-80%
Systemic Lupus Erythematosus	50%

- Anemia of inflammation (also called Anemia of Chronic Disease or ACD) is the 2nd most common form of anemia
- Estimated 40% of all anemias are driven by or have an inflammatory component
- **Hepcidin is up-regulated** and correlates with anemia, driven by inflammation

Targeting Hemojuvelin (HJV) to Suppress Hepcidin Critical and specific target for hepcidin expression



Inhibiting Hemojuvelin (HJV) Prevents Hepcidin Expression and Increases Iron

- **Genetic validation** in patients with Juvenile Hemochromatosis (lower hepcidin and elevated iron levels)
 - Loss-of-function mutations in HJV are phenotypically indistinguishable from mutations in *HAMP* (hepcidin) gene
- Functionally specific to hepcidin / iron
- **Tissue specific** expression primarily in the liver

DISC-0974 Mechanism of Action Designed to reduce hepcidin and increase serum iron levels

DISC-0974 mAb binds to and prevents signaling through hemojuvelin (HJV) co-receptor

Potent and rapid effects on hepcidin and iron with single 5 mg / kg dose (NHP)





Phase 1 SAD Trial in Healthy Volunteers Establish proof-of-mechanism based on hepcidin and iron parameters (dosing completed)



DISC-0974 Phase 1 SAD Preliminary Data Dosing of DISC-0974 resulted in reduction of hepcidin and iron mobilization



DISC-0974 Increased TSAT



DISC-0974 Phase 1 SAD Preliminary Data (cont.) Top dose (56 mg) pharmacodynamic activity improves key clinical parameters (> 1g/dL Hgb)





DISC-0974 Phase 1 SAD Preliminary Safety Safety profile is consistent with selective target biology and preclinical studies; no serious or AEs > Grade 1

	Total n=42	Pooled Placebo n=10	7 mg IV n=8	14 mg SC n=6	28 mg SC n=6	28 mg IV n=6	56 mg SC n=6
Diarrhea	1 (2.4)	1 (10.0)	0	0	0	0	0
Dizziness	2 (4.8)	0	0	0	0	1 (16.7)	1 (16.7)
Dyspepsia	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	0	0	1 (16.7)
Eye pruritis	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	1 (16.7)	0	0
Hand swelling	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	0	1 (16.7)	0
Headache	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	1 (16.7)	0	0
Myalgia	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	0	0	1 (16.7)
Nasal congestion	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	0	0	1 (16.7)
Pain in extremity	1 (2.4)	1 (10.0)	0	0	0	0	0
Seasonal allergy	1 (2.4)	0	0	0	1 (16.7)	0	0
Vessel puncture site bruise	1 (2.4)	1 (10.0)	0	0	0	0	0
Vomiting	1 (2.4)	1 (10.0)	0	0	0	0	0

DISC-0974 Development Strategy Demonstrate POC in anemia of MF and CKD



DISC-0974: Anemia of Inflammation Initiate development in parallel in anemias of MF and CKD





Anemia of CKD (NDD and DD)

5 to 6 million patients	(US alone)
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Anemia of Myelofibrosis (MF)

Est. # Patients	16,000 to 18,500 patients (US alone)	5 to 6 million patients (US alo
Etiology of Anemia	High hepcidin from inflammation JAKi's worsen anemia; Loss of marrow function	High hepcidin from inflammation & poor Compromised erythropoietin pro
Unmet Medical Needs	Severe and difficult to treat; high transfusion burden No approved or effective anemia therapy Anemia limits optimal JAKi treatment	Majority patients untreated or unde ESAs restricted due to safety and Mean Hb 9.3 g/dL in patients initiati

Hepcidin is a Key Driver of MF Anemia Clinical POC that inhibiting hepcidin axis can impact Hb Levels

 Hepcidin Levels are Elevated in MF
 ~ 12x higher than control and associated with severity of anemia and transfusion burden Clinical Proof-of-Principle Hepcidin suppression increased Hb and reduced transfusion burden (41% TI and 85% transfusion reduction)





Source: Pardanani et al (2013) Am. J. Hematol; Oh et al., (2020) Blood Adv: TI-R: Transfusion-Independent for > 12 weeks by week 24; TI-NR: Transfusion Independent Non-Response

DISC-0974 Lowered Hepcidin in Inflammation Model NHP: IL6-induced hepcidin and hypoferremia





↑ DISC-0974 Increased Serum Iron Levels



Phase 1b / 2 Study in MF Anemia Evaluate efficacy and safety and position program for pivotal study; Ph 1b data expected 2023



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[†]Note: In Part 1, expect one patient per cohort until iron mechanism is engaged

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Hepcidin is a Key Driver of CKD Anemia Clinical POC that inhibiting hepcidin axis can impact Hb Levels

Hepcidin Levels Elevated in CKD Patients ~ 20x higher than healthy subjects and increases with disease severity **Clinical Proof-of-Principle** Hepcidin inhibition via single dose of mechanistically similar BMP-6 mAb increases Hb in dialysis patients





DISC-0974 Improved Anemia in Model of CKD Rat Model of Adenine Diet-Induced CKD



Phase 1b / 2a POC Study in CKD Anemia Evaluate efficacy and safety in non-dialysis dependent patients



Key Endpoints / Measures: Change in hemoglobin; iron, hepcidin, and other hematologic parameters, safety / PK **Data availability:** Interim data expected in 2023

Development Status and Upcoming Milestones Ongoing phase 1b/2 study in MF and plans to initiate phase 1b/2 study in NDD-CKD by year-end 2022

Operational activities to enable initiation of patient studies completed

- Ph 1 SAD study completed; excellent safety profile and proof of mechanism for hepcidin and iron modulation; data presented at EHA, June 2022
- Obtained pre-IND feedback from hematology division of FDA for next studies in MF and CKD
- GMP clinical supply completed
- Initiated Ph 1b/2 study in MF anemia *study active and recruiting (NCT05320198)*

Next milestones

- Ph 1b/2 study in NDD-CKD anemia: planning to file IND and initiate study *expected by YE 2022*
- Interim open label data from Ph 1b/2 study in MF anemia *expected 2023*
- Interim data from Ph 1b cohorts NDD-CKD anemia *expected 2023*
- Planning underway for studies in additional indications

Matriptase-2 Inhibitor

Hepcidin Induction



Mat-2 Inhibitor to Induce Hepcidin Production Designed to modulate RBC development by limiting iron availability to address a wide range of hematologic disorders



Targeting Matriptase-2 to Increase Hepcidin Potent and specific target normally limits endogenous hepcidin



Inhibiting Matriptase-2 Promotes Hepcidin Expression through HJV

- Genetic validation in patients with IRIDA (Iron-Refractory Iron Deficiency Anemia)
 - LOF mutation increases hepcidin levels
 - Reduces iron availability
- Functionally specific to hepcidin / iron
- Tissue specific expression primarily in the liver

Mat-2 Inhibition Has Potent Effects on Hepcidin Effects with a single dose in non-human primates



Mat-2 Inhibitor Planned Development Strategy

Erythrocytosis and Disorders of Iron Overload / Ineffective Erythropoiesis



Disc is Building a Leading Company Dedicated to Treating Hematologic Diseases

Clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company developing therapies for hematologic diseases

· Focused on fundamental and well-validated pathways that affect heme biosynthesis and iron homeostasis

Portfolio of 3 distinct "pipeline-in-a-product" programs with broad applications and opportunity for growth

- Bitopertin (Phase 2): Potential 1st disease-modifying treatment for debilitating, orphan diseases EPP / XLP
- DISC-0974 (Phase 1b/2): Targeting anemia of inflammation opportunity with non-ESA mechanism
- Mat-2 Inhibitor (Research): Optimizing leads to identify an oral agent against an important therapeutic target

Entering catalyst-rich period with multiple data read-outs anticipated across portfolio in next 6-12 months

- Interim data DISC-0974 Phase 1b/2 trials in anemias of <u>CKD</u> and <u>MF</u>; interim data bitopertin Phase 2 trial in <u>EPP / XLP</u>
- Strong foundation positions us to build Disc into a leading hematology company
 - Leadership with deep experience developing and commercializing therapies; strong balance sheet with support from top-tier healthcare investors

Risk Factors

The list below of risk factors has been prepared solely for purposes of the proposed private placement transaction (the "Private Placement") as part of the proposed merger transaction (the "Merger") between Gemini Therapeutics, Inc. ("Gem"), Gemstone Merger Sub, Inc. ("Merger Sub") and Disc Medicine, Inc. ("Disc"), and solely for potential investors in the Private Placement, and not for any other purpose. The risks presented below are certain of the general risks related to the businesses of Disc, the Private Placement and the Merger, and such list is not exhaustive. The list below is qualified in its entirety by disclosures contained in future documents filed or furnished by Gem with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), including the documents filed or furnished in connection with the proposed transactions between Disc and Gem. The risks presented in such filings will be consistent with those that would be required for a public company in its SEC filings, including with respect to the business and securities of Disc and Gem and the proposed transactions between Disc and Gem, and may differ significantly from and be more extensive than those presented below. Investing in securities (the "Securities") to be issued in connection with the Merger involves a high degree of risk. Investors should carefully consider the risks and uncertainties inherent in an investment in Disc and in the Securities, including those described below, before subscribing for the Securities. If either Disc cannot address any of the following risks and uncertainties effectively, or any other risks and altificulties that may arise in the future, Disc's business, financial condition or results of operations. You should review the investors' presentation and perform your own due diligence, prior to making an investment in Gem or Disc.

Risks Related to the Disc

- · We are a biopharmaceutical company with a limited operating history and have not generated any revenue to date from drug sales, and may never become profitable.
- · We have incurred significant operating losses in recent periods and anticipate that we will incur continued losses for the foreseeable future.
- We have no products approved for commercial sale and have not generated any revenue from product sales.
- We will need to raise substantial additional funding. If we are unable to raise capital when needed or on attractive terms, we would be forced to delay, scale back or discontinue some of our product candidate development programs or future commercialization efforts.
- Our programs are focused on the development of therapeutics for patients with hematologic diseases, which is a rapidly evolving area of science, and the approach we are taking to discover and develop product candidates is novel and may never lead to approved or marketable products.
- We have never successfully completed any clinical trials, and we may be unable to do so for any product candidates we develop. Certain of our programs are still in preclinical development and may never
 advance to clinical development.
- Because we are developing some of our product candidates for the treatment of diseases in which there is little clinical experience and, in some cases, using new endpoints or methodologies, the FDA or other regulatory authorities may not consider the endpoints of our clinical trials to predict or provide clinically meaningful results.
- Business interruptions resulting from the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak or similar public health crises could cause a disruption of the development of our product candidates and adversely impact our business.
- We may not be successful in our efforts to identify or discover additional product candidates or we may expend our limited resources to pursue a particular product candidate or indication and fail to capitalize on product candidates or indications that may be more profitable or for which there is a greater likelihood of success.
- If we experience delays or difficulties in the initiation or enrollment of patients in clinical trials, our receipt of necessary regulatory approvals could be delayed or prevented.
- Our current or future product candidates may cause adverse or other undesirable side effects that could delay or prevent their regulatory approval, limit the commercial profile of an approved label, or result in significant negative consequences following marketing approval, if any.
- Even if we receive regulatory approval for any of our current or future product candidates, we will be subject to ongoing obligations and continued regulatory review, which may result in significant additional expense.
- We rely, and expect to continue to rely, on third parties to conduct our ongoing and planned clinical trials for our current and future product candidates. If these third parties do not successfully carry out their contractual duties, comply with regulatory requirements or meet expected deadlines, we may not be able to obtain marketing approval for or commercialize our current and potential future product candidates and our business could be substantially harmed.
- If we are unable to obtain and maintain patent and other intellectual property protection for our technology and product candidates or if the scope of the intellectual property protection obtained is not sufficiently broad, our competitors could develop and commercialize technology and drugs similar or identical to ours, and our ability to successfully commercialize our technology and drugs may be impaired.
- If the market opportunities for our programs and product candidates are smaller than we estimate, if any regulatory approval that we obtain is based on a narrower definition of the patient population, or our
 current product candidates or any future product candidates do not achieve broad market acceptance, our revenue and ability to achieve profitability will be materially adversely affected.



Risk Factors

Risks Related to the Private Placement

- Disc may be unable to raise sufficient capital in the Private Placement or otherwise obtain additional financing to fund the operations and growth of the combined company (the "Combined Company") following the Merger.
- The issuance of shares in connection with the Private Placement and Merger will dilute substantially the voting power of Combined Company's stockholders.

Risks Related to the Transactions

- The consummation of the Merger is subject to a number of conditions and if those conditions are not satisfied or waived, the merger agreement may be terminated in accordance with its terms and the Merger may not be completed.
- The ability to successfully effect the Merger and the Combined Company's ability to successfully operate the business thereafter will be largely dependent upon the efforts of certain key personnel. The loss of such key personnel could negatively impact the operations and financial results of the combined business.
- If the Merger's benefits do not meet the expectations of investors or securities analysts, the market price of Gem's securities or, following the consummation of the Merger, the Combined Company's securities, may decline.
- · A market for the Combined Company's securities may not develop, which would adversely affect the liquidity and price of such securities.
- There can be no assurance that the Combined Company's securities will be approved for listing on the Nasdaq Global Market ("Nasdaq") or that the Combined Company will be able to comply with the continued listing standards of Nasdaq.
- Directors of each of Gem and Disc may have potential conflicts of interest in recommending that their respective company's stockholders vote in favor of the adoption of the Merger.
- Legal proceedings in connection with the Merger, the outcomes of which are uncertain, could delay or prevent the completion of the Merger.
- Changes in laws or regulations, or a failure to comply with any laws and regulations, may adversely affect Disc's and the Combined Company's business, including Disc's and the Combined Company's ability to consummate the Merger, and results of operations.





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