

**COMPANY** 

Rating: BUY

Target: \$35.00

**ALZN** 

\$1.49

(from \$50)

Ticker:

Price:

**UPDATE** 

## Alzamend Neuro, Inc.

Reports Q1. Expect positive clinical trials progress in FY25/26 for AL001 and AL002 for Alzheimer's to drive stock. Lowering P/T to \$35.

Q1 about inline: Alzamend recently (on September 11) reported its fiscal Q1 2025 (ending July) results. Net loss was \$1.0 million or EPS of \$(1.25), which compared with our estimates of \$(2.38). There was no Q1 guidance or consensus estimates. Alzamend is an early/clinical stage drug development company so it generates no revenue.

**Operating expenses:** Operating expenses were \$1.0 million, vs. \$0.9 million in O4 FY24.

**No guidance:** Management did not provide forward guidance, but we believe ~\$2-3 million to be a reasonable near term quarterly cash burn rate.

**Adjusting estimates:** We are adjusting our FY25 EPS estimate to \$(2.88) from \$(14.27).

**Focus on Alzheimer's:** Alzamend has two novel therapeutic drug candidates for Alzheimer's disease. Alzheimer's disease is a progressive neurologic disease that causes brain cells to die and memory or other cognitive impairments. Alzheimer's is the leading cause of dementia, a decline in mental functions that negatively affects a person's ability to function independently. Of the ten most fatal diseases in the U.S., Alzheimer's is the only one with no known cure, ability to slow progression, or means of prevention.

**AL001:** AL001 is a patented ionic cocrystal technology delivering a therapeutic combination of lithium, proline, and salicylate to help combat Alzheimer's by preventing cognitive deficits, depression, irritability, and improving associative learning and memory.

**AL002:** AL002 is a patented method using a mutant peptide sensitized cell as a cell-based therapeutic vaccine that seeks to restore the ability of a patient's immunological system to combat Alzheimer's.

Positive Top-line data for Phase 2 clinical trial for AL001: In May 2022, the company initiated a Phase 2 study for AL001 involving Alzheimer's patients. In June 2023, the company reported positive Top-line results from this study. The company has two more Phase II clinical studies for AL001 for Alzheimer's patients expected to start in 2025.

**BD, MDD, and PTSD trials:** The company has filed an IND for the treatment of Bipolar Disorder (BD), Major Depressive Disorder (MDD), and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PSTD). It has received "study may proceed" for each of them and expect to start clinical trials in 2025 with Massachusetts General Hospital leading the studies.

**AL002 trial started:** The company has started its clinical trials for AL002 (in April 2023) to treat mild to moderate dementia of the Alzheimer's type. After a pause in February 2024, the trial is expected to resume in Q4 2024.

**Clinical trials can be catalyst:** Alzamend anticipates starting/finishing its various clinical trials over the next year (in FY25/26). We believe achieving key milestones and positive data will likely be catalysts for the stock.

**Balance sheet:** In Q1, the company had \$1 million in cash and no debt. In the current Q2, the company raised \$4.5 million. We expect the company will need to raise cash soon (by Q3) as it has several financing deals already in place.

**Reverse stock split:** The company effected a 1-for-10 reverse stock split in July 2024

**Current valuation attractive:** We are maintaining our BUY rating, but lowering our 12-month price target to \$35 from \$50, based on a NPV analysis, representing significant upside from the current share price. We believe this valuation fairly balances out the high risks with large upside opportunities.

#### **Company Description**

Based in Atlanta, GA, Alzamend Neuro is a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on novel medicines to prevent, treat, and cure Alzheimer's.

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#### Stock Data

Exchange: NasdagCM \$1.40 - 19.20 52-week Range: Shares Outstanding (million): Market cap (\$million): \$6 \$5 EV (\$million): Debt (\$million): \$0 Cash (\$million): \$1 Avg. Daily Trading Vol. (\$million): \$3 Float (million shares): Short Interest (million shares): 0.2 Dividend, annual (yield): \$0 (NA%)

#### Revenues (US\$ million)

	2025E	2025E	2026E	2026E
	(Cur.)	(Old)	(Cur.)	(Old)
Q1 Jul	0A	0E	0E	
Q2 Oct	0E		0E	
Q3 Jan	0E		0E	
Q4 Apr	<u>0E</u>		<u>0E</u>	
Total	0E		0E	
EV/Revs	N/A		N/A	

#### Earnings per Share (pro forma)

	<u>2025E</u> (Cur.)	2025E (Old)	<u>2026E</u> (Cur.)	2026E (Old)
Q1 Jul	(1.25)A	(2.38)E	(0.88)E	(4.25)E
Q2 Oct	(0.38)E	(2.38)E	(0.88)E	(4.25)E
Q3 Jan	(0.77)E	(4.76)E	(0.88)E	(4.25)E
Q4 Apr	(0.90)E	(4.76)E	(0.88)E	(4.25)E
Total	(2.88)E	(14.27)E	(3.50)E	(17.00)E
P/E	N/A		N/A	

<sup>\*</sup>Reflects a 1:10 reverse stock split in July 2024.

#### **Important Disclosures**

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#### **Exhibit 1: Alzamend Neuro Overview**

## Company Overview

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### Company History

# Clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company dedicated to:

Researching, developing and commercializing preventions, treatments and cures for Alzheimer's Disease, Bipolar Disorder, Major Depressive Disorder, and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder via the two therapeutics licensed from the University of South Florida Research Foundation, Inc., one of the top 20 institutions in the nation for patented research and their portfolio of proprietary solutions.

## **Current Pipeline**

### AL001 (aka LISPRO):

 a patented ionic cocrystal technology delivering a therapeutic combination of lithium, salicylate and proline for the treatment of Alzheimer's' Disease, BD, MDD and PTSD

### ALZN002 (aka E22W):

 a cell-based therapeutic vaccine that seeks to restore the ability of the patients' immunological system to combat Alzheimer's Disease.

Source: Company reports.

#### Exhibit 2: Alzheimer's Disease

OVERVIEW OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

Alzheimer's Disease





## **Key Statistics:**

7th leading cause of death in the United States

Between 2000 and 2019, deaths from heart disease have decreased 7.3% while deaths from Alzheimer's Disease have increased 145%

**13 million** Americans are projected to be living with Alzheimer's Disease by 2050

**1-in-9** Americans over the age of 65 are estimated to be afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease



## Alzheimer's Disease:

Alzheimer's Disease is an irreversible, progressive brain disorder that slowly destroys memory and cognitive skills, and eventually the ability to carry out the simplest tasks.

In most people with Alzheimer's Disease, symptoms first appear in their early to mid-60's. Estimates vary, but experts suggest that more than **6.5** million Americans may have Alzheimer's Disease, considered by many as "the most feared" disease.

Alzheimer's Disease has **no current cure**, but five treatments for symptoms are available today while research continues.



Exhibit 3: Alzamend Neuro Product Pipeline (as of October 2024)

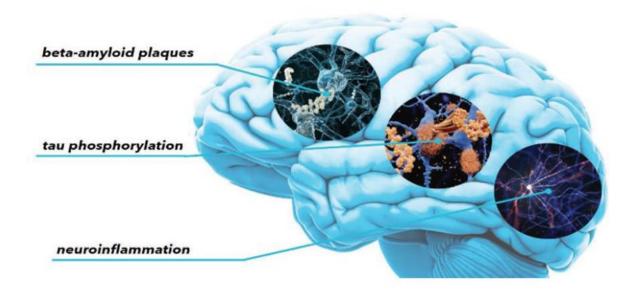
Product Candidate	Indication	Pre-Clinical	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III	FDA Approval				
	Alzheimer's Disease			study i	the Phase IIA MAD					
A1 001	Bipolar Disorder			in September 2  • Anticipate initi	<ul> <li>Received "Study May Proceed" notification from the in September 2023 to Initiate a Phase II Clinical Tri</li> <li>Anticipate initiating a Phase II clinical studies patients in 2025</li> </ul>					
AL001	Major Depressive     Disorder			in November 2  • Anticipate initiation	Received "Study May Proceed" notific in November 2023 to Initiate a Phase     Anticipate initiating a Phase II clinic patients in 2025					
	Post -Traumatic Stress     Disorder			in December 2	023 to Initiate a Phas ating a Phase II clin	ication from the FDA e II Clinical Trial ical studies in PTSD				
ALZN002	Alzheimer's Disease			pause		Trial in March 2023, 4 and expected to				



#### **Exhibit 4: Biomarkers of Alzheimer's Disease**

## **Alzamend Neuro, Inc.**

#### **Biomarkers of Alzheimer's Disease**



Our lead product candidate that we have licensed and will first move to clinical development in humans is an ionic cocrystal of lithium for the treatment of Alzheimer's and other neurodegenerative diseases and psychiatric disorders.



#### Exhibit 5: What is Alzheimer's Disease?



# Alzheimer's is a brain disease that causes problems with memory, thinking and behavior.

## The brain has three main parts:



The **cerebrum** fills up most of your skull. It is involved in remembering, problem solving, thinking, and feeling. It also controls movement.



The **cerebellum** sits at the back of your head, under the cerebrum. It controls coordination and balance.



The **brain stem** sits beneath your cerebrum in front of your cerebellum. It connects the brain to the spinal cord and controls automatic functions such as breathing, digestion, heart rate and blood pressure.

## Alzheimer's Changes the Whole Brain

Alzheimer's disease leads to nerve cell death and tissue loss throughout the brain. Over time, the brain shrinks dramatically, affecting nearly all its functions.

#### These images show:



A brain without the disease.



A brain with advanced Alzheimer's.



How the two brains compare.

Source: Alzheimer's Association

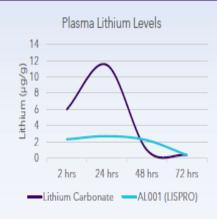


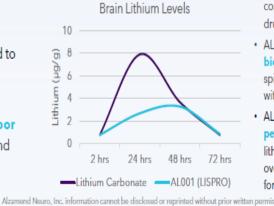
## Exhibit 6: AL001 (LISPRO)

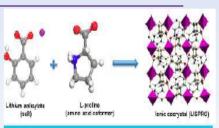
## AL001 (aka LISPRO)



- Narrow therapeutic window that requires regular blood monitoring of plasma lithium levels and blood chemistry by a clinician to mitigate adverse events
- Multiple administrations
   throughout the day are required to safely reach therapeutic plasma concentrations
- Suffer from chronic toxicity, poor physicochemical properties and poor brain bioavailability







- AL001 is a patented ionic cocrystal technology delivering a therapeutic combination of lithium, salicylate, and proline.
- AL001 exhibits improved non-clinical pharmacokinetics and bioavailability compared to the currently FDA approved lithium drugs on the market
- AL001 exhibits improved non-clinical brain bioavailability, without demonstrating an initial spike in lithium concentration that is associated with negative side effects of treatment
- AL001 nonclinical brain penetration/
  persistence may translate to patients resulting in
  lithium dose sparing properties with enhanced
  overall safety and reduced or eliminated need
  for therapeutic drug monitoring.

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#### Exhibit 7: AL001 (LISPRO) Preclinical Studies

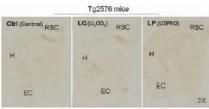
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## AL001 (aka LISPRO)



The results of our preclinical studies, conducted from May 2016 to June 2017, are summarized below:

- AL001 had no effect on renal COX2 activity (Tg-Ctrl vs. AL001: p > 0.05), a biomarker of renal toxicity, while markedly reducing abnormal biomarkers associated with Alzheimer's Disease by 50%; beta-amyloid pathology, tau phosphorylation and neuro-inflammation (Tg-Ctrl vs. AL001: p < 0.01)(FIGS. 14A/B-15A/B).</li>
- AL001 treatment did not induce tissue pathological damage in the heart, kidneys, liver or lungs by a general autopsy (Tg-Ctrl vs. AL001: p > 0.05). In contrast, equimolar doses (using a similar structure of moles but different active pharmaceutical ingredient) of lithium carbonate enhanced renal COX2 expression while having little or no impact on Alzheimer's Disease pathology (Tg-Ctrl vs. LC: p < 0.01).</li>
- AL001, at the effective dose, yielded 50% higher lithium levels (LC vs. AL001; p <0.01) in the brain compared with equimolar doses of lithium carbonate (AL001 vs. LC; p <0.05), while producing low nontoxic steady state levels in the body.



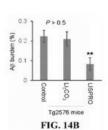
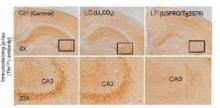


FIG. 14A FIG. 14A & 14B: Beta Amyloid Burden



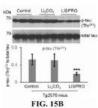


FIG. 15A FIG. 15A & 15B: Tau Phosphorylation Burden

Source: Company reports.

#### Exhibit 8: AL001 (LISPRO) Update

Study No.	Study Title	Description	Status
AL001-ALZ02 (US)	A Multiple-dose, Steady-state, Double- blind, Ascending Dose Safety, Tolerability, Pharmacokinetic Study of AL001 in Patients with Mild to Moderate Alzheimer's Disease and Healthy Adult Subjects	Primary: To evaluate the safety and tolerability of AL001 under multiple-dose, steady-state conditions in Alzheimer's subjects and healthy adult subjects  Secondary: To characterize the maximum tolerated dose (MTD) of AL001 in subjects with mild to moderate Alzheimer's Disease and healthy adult subjects  Exploratory: To explore the difference in pharmacokinetic profile between the non-elderly vs. elderly subjects (healthy subjects only). For Alzheimer's Disease subject cohorts (Cohorts 1,2b, 3b, 4b, and 5b), determination of qualitative and quantitative evaluations of Alzheimer's Disease subject desirable characteristics for future Phase II and III clinical studies to:  Facilitate recruitment into subsequent AL001 clinical trials  Facilitate trial-adherence to completion of study requirements including treatment adherence	Reported Topline data of Phase IIA Multiple Ascending Dose Clinical Trial in June 2023. (www.clinicaltrials.gov, identifier: NCT05363293)



### Exhibit 9: AL002 (E22W)

### AL002 (CAO22W)



A cell-based therapeutic vaccine which seeks to restore the ability of the patient's immunological system to combat Alzheimer's Disease



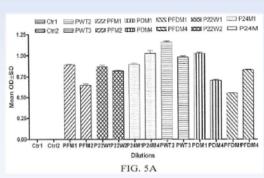
#### Hypothesis:

- AL002 is intended to elicit an immune response to produce anti-amyloid antibodies, which can then neutralize circulated beta-amyloids and prevent additional plaque build-up.
- AL002 is a patient-specific therapy where the patient undergoes leukapheresis, a nonsurgical treatment used to reduce the quantity of white blood cells in the bloodstream, to isolate peripheral blood monocytes that are subsequently matured into dendritic cells ("DCs") using an IL4+ GM-CSF cocktail
- The DCs are incubated with a modified amyloid beta (Aβ) peptide ("AL002 peptide") to sensitize them, and then administered to the same patient.

Source: Company reports.

#### Exhibit 10: Overview of AL002 (E22W)

## Overview of ALZN002 (aka E22W)



- Our goal is to develop an Alzheimer's Aß vaccine candidate that will be devoid of the problems associated with current vaccine therapies. Our studies concluded the successful vaccination of mice with adjuvant-free mutated beta amyloid peptides have significant advantages over both native beta amyloid and the use of adjuvant.
- 10 weeks old female BALB/c mice were housed in Varian standard cages including amber igloos and vaccinated when 14 weeks old.
- Differently mutated Aß 1-42 peptides were used for each group and a 1times.PBS (also containing 10% DMSO) as a control group.

#### The Results

- Mice vaccinated with various mutated Aß 1-42 peptides induce antibody responses after two inoculations, while no antibody can be detected in the control group (FIG. 5A).
- All antibodies induced by the peptide injection bind to the same epitope. There is no difference in recognition between the various anti-sera and peptides such that all anti-sera recognize the 1-16 epitope on all peptides.
- Demonstrate definite advantages over previous vaccination protocols, which strongly support our Adjuvant-Free Vaccine Hypothesis.
- The data clearly show that wild type and mutated Aß peptide administrated without adjuvant induce a strong and long-lasting antibody response.
- The first use of adjuvant-free AB as Alzheimer's vaccine and demonstration that T-cell epitope mutation will contribute to either Th1 or Th2 response. Those peptides will have outstanding promise for the treatment of Alzheimer's Disease.



#### Exhibit 11: ALZN002 Phase I/IIA Trial

Study No.	Study Title	Description	Status
ALZN002-01(US)	A Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo- controlled, Parallel group, Phase I/IIA Study to Assess the Safety, Tolerability, and Efficacy of Autologous Amyloid Beta Mutant Peptide-Pulsed Dendritic Cells (ALZN002) in Subjects with Mild-to- Moderate Dementia of the Alzheimer's Type	<ul> <li>Primary:         <ul> <li>To assess the safety and tolerability of ALZN002 compared with placebo when administered as IV infusion and ID injection in subjects with mild to moderate AD</li> </ul> </li> <li>Secondary:         <ul> <li>To evaluate the immunogenicity of ALZN002 specific to generation of anti-Aβ antibodies</li> <li>To determine the effect of ALZN002 on Amyloid-Related Imaging Abnormalities (ARIA) as a putative biomarker of treatment safety</li> </ul> </li> <li>Exploratory:         <ul> <li>To assess the utility of multiple immune biomarkers as surrogates for safety and efficacy of ALZN002.</li> <li>To assess the preliminary efficacy of ALZN002 treatment on amyloid markers as observed by amyloid positron emission tomography (PET).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Phase I/IIA Clinical Trial Initiated in March 2023 (www.clinicaltrials.gov, identifier: NCT05834296), paused in February 2024 and expected to resume in 2H 2024

Source: Company reports.

## Exhibit 12: Market Opportunity for AL001 and AL002

#### COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE

Overview of Market Opportunity for AL001 and AL002



Patient Population	United States	Global (Including US)
MDD	21 Million <sup>1</sup>	280 Million <sup>2</sup>
PTSD	9 Million <sup>1</sup>	284 Million²
Alzheimer's Disease	6.5 Million <sup>1</sup>	55 Million²
BD	7 Million <sup>1</sup>	45 Million²
Total Patient Population	43.5 Million	664 Million



#### Exhibit 13: Market Opportunities for BD, MDD, PTSD

#### Bipolar Disorder



### **Key Statistics:**

An estimated **7 Million** adults in the US and over **45 Million** globally experience **Bipolar Disorder** each year

Of adults who live with **Bipolar Disorder**, almost **83%** experience significant disruption in their physical or mental abilities

The average age of onset is 25 years old. People ages 18 to 29 years old had the highest rates of bipolar disorder (4.7%) followed by 30- to 44-year-olds (3.5%)

The risk of **suicide** is extremely high in people with bipolar disorder with **15% to 17% committing suicide** 

## Bipolar Disorder:

Bipolar Disorder is a mental illness that causes unusual shifts in a person's mood, energy, activity levels, and concentration.

The **three primary types** of bipolar disorders are bipolar I disorder, bipolar II disorder, and cyclothymic disorder.

- Bipolar I: Characterized by episodes of mania that last at least seven days and may require hospitalization.
- Bipolar II: Defined by a pattern of depressive and hypomanic episodes. Hypomania is a mood elevation that increases energy, agitation, and pressured speech.
- Cyclothymic disorder: More frequent shifts between mood swings, which is called rapid cycling. The highs are consistent with hypomania symptoms and the lows are mild to moderate depression.

#### Major Depressive Disorder



## **Key Statistics:**

An estimated **21 Million** adults in U.S. had at least one **major depressive** episode in 2021. This number represented **8.3%** of all U.S. adults

Women are almost twice as likely as men to have had depression and women who have MDD can have an increased risk of Low Bone Mass which can lead to fractures and can contribute to their risk for osteoporosis

An estimated 5.0 million adolescents aged 12 to 17 in the United States had at least one major depressive episode. This number represented 20.1% of the U.S. population aged 12 to 17

Adults with a **depressive disorder** or symptoms have a **64% greater risk** of developing **coronary artery disease** 

## **Major Depressive Disorder:**

Major Depressive Disorder (MDD), commonly known as clinical depression, is one of the most common mental disorders worldwide. Many different factors can contribute to a person's depressive state and depression is often an overlapping diagnosis along with other medical conditions and/or mental disorders.

The most prominent symptoms of major depression are a severe and persistent low mood, profound sadness, or a sense of despair. A major depressive episode (MDE) is a time-period characterized by symptoms of major depression.

Depression is the cause of over two-thirds of the 30,000 reported suicides in the U.S. each year.

https://www.dbsalliance.org/education/depression/statistics/ https://www.single.care.com/blog/news/depression-statistics/

#### Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder



## **Key Statistics:**

About **5 out of every 100 adults** (or 5%) in the U.S. has PTSD in **any given year**. In 2020, about **13 million** Americans had PTSD.

Women are more likely to develop PTSD than men. About 8 of every 100 women (or 8%) and 4 of every 100 men (or 4%) will have PTSD at some point in their life. This is in part due to the types of traumatic events that women are more likely to experience—such as sexual assault—compared to men.

Veterans are more likely to have PTSD than civilians. Veterans who deployed to a war zone are also more likely to have PTSD than those who did not deploy.

## **Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder:**

PTSD is a mental and behavioral disorder that can develop because of exposure to a traumatic event, such as sexual assault, warfare, traffic collisions, child abuse, domestic violence, or other threats on a person's life.

Symptoms may include disturbing thoughts, feelings, or dreams related to the events, mental or physical distress in response to trauma-related cues, attempts to avoid trauma related cues, alterations in the way a person thinks and feels, and an increase in the fight-or-flight response.

These symptoms last for more than a month after the event. A person with **PTSD** is at a **higher risk of suicide** and intentional self-harm.



Exhibit 14: Alzamend Neuro Issues Letter to Stockholders (August 26, 2024)

August 26, 2024

# Alzamend.

# Alzamend Neuro Issues Letter to Stockholders

- Alzamend recently announced partnership with Massachusetts General Hospital for five phase II clinical trials of AL001, involving healthy human subjects and patients with Alzheimer's, BD, MDD and PTSD
- Alzamend has executed an agreement to provide sufficient capital over the next 18 months to finance the initiation and progression of AL001 and ALZN002 clinical trials

ATLANTA--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- <u>Alzamend Neuro</u>, <u>Inc.</u> (Nasdaq: ALZN) ("**Alzamend**"), a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on developing novel products for the treatment of Alzheimer's disease ("**Alzheimer's**"), bipolar disorder ("**BD**"), major depressive disorder ("**MDD**") and post-traumatic stress disorder ("**PTSD**"), today shared a letter from its Chief Executive Officer, Stephan Jackman.

Dear Stockholders.

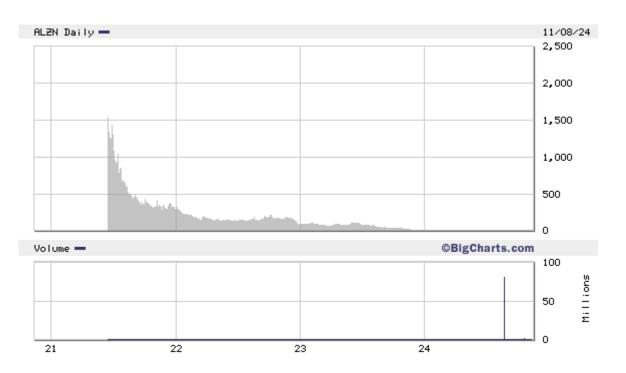
I am reaching out to share an update about our clinical programs and the outlook for the future.

#### **Planned Clinical Trials**

The heart of Alzamend's mission lies in pioneering breakthroughs that have the potential to transform lives. I am thrilled to share that our planned clinical trials are currently on pace to make significant progress over the next year. The dedication of our research and development partners, in collaboration with experts in the field, has propelled us closer to potentially achieving significant milestones.



Exhibit 15: Alzamend Neuro, Inc. Stock Price (3-years since IPO in June 2021)



<sup>\*</sup>Reflects a 1:15 reverse stock split in October 2023

Source: https://bigcharts.marketwatch.com/

<sup>\*</sup>Reflects a 1:10 reverse stock split in July 2024



## **FINANCIAL MODEL**

Alzamend Neuro. Inc.

Fiscal Year End: April 30  Total Revenue	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E
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Cost of Revenues	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Gross Profit	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0001.000	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Research and development	1.4	1.5	2.9	1.6	7.4	2.4	2.0	1.9	0.2	6.5	0.2	0.5	1.0	1.5	3.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	6.0
General and administrative	1.7	1.6	2.5	1.7	7.4	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.7	3.5	0.8	1.0	2.0	2.0	5.8	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	8.0
Restructuring and other	ĺ				0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Total operating expenses	3.0	3.1	5.4	3.3	14.9	3.5	2.9	2.7	0.9	9.9	1.0	1.5	3.0	3.5	9.0	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	14.0
Operating income (loss)	(3.0)	(3.1)	(5.4)	(3.3)	(14.9)	(3.5)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(0.9)	(9.9)	(1.0)	(1.5)	(3.0)	(3.5)	(9.0)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(14.0)
Interest income (expense)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other income (expense)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.0	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	0.0	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income before income taxes	(3.0)	(3.1)	(5.4)	(3.3)	(14.9)	(3.5)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(0.9)	(9.9)	(1.0)	(1.5)	(3.0)	(3.5)	(9.0)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(14.0)
Income taxes					0.0					0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income (loss)	(3.0)	(3.1)	(5.4)	(3.3)	(14.9)	(3.5)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(0.9)	(9.9)	(1.0)	(1.5)	(3.0)	(3.5)	(9.0)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(14.0)
Nonrecurring/noncash adjustme	i ents				0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Net income (pro forma)	(3.0)	(3.1)	(5.4)	(3.3)	(14.9)	(3.5)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(0.9)	(9.9)	(1.0)	(1.5)	(3.0)	(3.5)	(9.0)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(14.0)
EBITDA	(2.2)	(2.4)	(3.9)	(2.8)	(11.3)	(3.1)	(2.6)	(2.5)	(8.0)	(8.9)	(0.9)	(1.4)	(2.9)	(3.4)	(8.6)	(3.4)	(3.4)	(3.4)	(3.4)	(13.6)
Shares, Basic	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Shares, Diluted	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
EPS Basic (pro forma)	(\$4.67)	(\$4.79)	(\$8.28)	(\$5.11)	(\$22.89)	(\$5.38)	(\$4.43)	(\$3.77)	(\$1.21)	(\$14.70)	(\$1,25)	(\$0.38)	(\$0.77)	(\$0.90)	(\$2.88)	(\$0.88)	(\$0.88)	(\$0.88)	(\$0.88)	(\$3.50)
EPS Diluted (pro forma)		* *			(\$22.89)					(\$14.70)	* * *		(\$0.77)		(\$2.88)	**	(\$0.88)			(\$3.50)
Margins																				
Gross margin	ĺ																			ĺ
Research and development	ĺ																			ĺ
General and administrative	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Operating margin Tax rate, GAAP	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Net margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
<u> </u>	1 4101	14141	14141	14101	144	1401	140	14141	14141	144	14141	14141	14101		140	140	14141	14101	14141	
Y/Y % change	ĺ																			ĺ
Total Revenue	ĺ																			ĺ
Gross margin Research and development	50%	-12%	231%	-1%	43%	72%	30%	-34%	-89%	-13%	-91%	-75%	-48%	718%	-50%	626%	200%	50%	0%	87%
General and administrative	19%	-14%	51%	-25%	43%	-30%	-42%	-70%	-60%	-53%	-35%	11%	166%	200%	65%	165%	100%	0%	0%	39%
	32%	-13%	112%	-15%	21%	16%	-7%	-51%	-74%	-33%	-73%	-48%	13%	312%	-10%	264%	133%	17%	0%	56%
Operating income (loss)																				
Operating income (loss) Net income (loss)	31%	-14%	111%	-15%	20%	16%	-7%	-51%	-74%	-33%	-72%	-48%	13%	311%	-10%	259%	133%	17%	0%	56%

Reflects a 1:15 reverse stock split in October 2023 Reflects a 1:10 reverse stock split in July 2024



#### Alzamend Neuro, Inc.

Balance Sheet (\$ mils)				•				Apr-24	Jul-24	Oct-24	Jan-25	Apr-25	Jul-25	Oct-25	Jan-26	Apr-26
iscal Year End: April 30	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E
Assets																
Cash and cash equivalents	11.5	9.2	7.4	5.1	1.7	0.2	0.3	0.4	1.2	4.3	1.2	(2.3)	(5.8)	(9.3)	(13.0)	(16.6
Short term investments	11.5	9.2	7.4	5.1	1.7	0.2	0.3	0.4	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	(5.6)	0.0	(13.0)	0.0
Deferred income taxes										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	0.0	10	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0							
Prepaid expenses and other	0.6	1.2	1.0 8.4	0.7	0.7 2.4	0.6	0.3 0.6	0.1 0.5	0.2 1.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	<u>0.:</u>
Total current assets	12.1	10.3	8.4	5.8	2.4	8.0	0.6	0.5	1.4	4.5	1.5	(2.0)	(5.6)	(9.1)	(12.8)	(16.4
Property and equipment, net	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.
Intangibles, net										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Deferred income tax										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Other										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Total assets	12.2	10.4	8.5	5.9	2.6	1.0	0.8	0.6	1.7	4.8	1.8	(1.6)	(5.0)	(8.4)	(11.8)	(15.
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Liabilities and stockholders' equity																
Accounts payable	1.0	0.6	2.6	2.9	2.7	3.7	3.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.
Accrued expenses										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Deferred income tax										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Other		1.0								0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Short term debt								0.3		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Total current liabilities	1.0	1.6	2.6	2.9	2.7	3.7	3.8	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.
Deferred income taxes										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Warrant liabilities							0.7			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Other long term liabilities							0.,			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Long term debt										0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Total other liabilities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.
Preferred stock							0.5			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Common stock	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0
Additional paid-in capital	58.3	59.0	61.5	62.0	62.4	62.7	49.0	51.4	53.8	53.8	53.8	53.8	53.8	53.8	53.8	53
Retained earnings	(32.2)	(35.3)	(40.8)	(44.1)	(47.6)	(50.5)	(53.2)	(54.0)	(55.0)	(56.5)	(59.5)	(63.0)	(66.5)	(70.0)	(73.5)	(77
Accumulated other comprehensive in	come									0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Other	(14.9)	(14.9)	(14.9)	(14.9)	(14.9)	(14.9)				4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4
Total stockholders' equity	11.2	8.8	5.9	3.0	(0.1)	(2.7)	(3.8)	(2.6)	(1.2)	1.9	(1.0)	(4.5)	(7.9)	(11.3)	(14.7)	(18.
Total stockholders' equity and liabil	12.2	10.4	8.5	5.9	2.6	1.0	0.8	0.6	1.7	4.8	1.8	(1.6)	(5.0)	(8.4)	(11.8)	(15

### Balance Sheet Drivers

	Jul-22	Oct-22	Jan-23	Apr-23	Jul-23	Oct-23	Jan-24	Apr-24	Jul-24	Oct-24	Jan-25	Apr-25	Jul-25	Oct-25	Jan-26	Apr-26
	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	Q1A	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E
Book & Cash Value (per share)																
Book Value per Share (diluted)	17.21	13.52	8.94	4.71	(0.17)	(4.09)	(5.37)	(3.68)	(1.56)	0.48	(0.27)	(1.15)	(1.97)	(2.83)	(3.68)	(4.54)
Cash per Share (diluted)	17.74	14.13	11.25	7.95	2.58	0.30	0.40	0.53	1.53	1.10	0.32	(0.58)	(1.45)	(2.33)	(3.26)	(4.15)
Net cash per Share (diluted)	17.74	14.13	11.25	7.95	2.58	0.30	0.40	0.11	1.53	1.10	0.32	(0.58)	(1.45)	(2.33)	(3.26)	(4.15)

Source: Company reports and Ascendiant Capital Markets estimates



#### Alzamend Neuro, Inc.

Cash Flow Statement (\$ mils)	Jul-22	Oct-22	Jan-23		2023	Jul-23	Oct-23	Jan-24	Apr-24	2024	Jul-24	Oct-24	Jan-25		2025	Jul-25		Jan-26	Apr-26	2026
Fiscal Year End: April 30	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2A	Q3A	Q4A	FY-A	Q1A	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E	Q1E	Q2E	Q3E	Q4E	FY-E
O-t floor from a section and the																				
Cash flow from operating activity		(0.4)	(= A)	(0.0)		(0.5)	(0.0)	(0.7)	(0.0)	(0.0)			(0.0)	(0.5)	(0.0)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)	(0.5)	
Net income	(3.0)	(3.1)	(5.4)	(3.3)	(14.9)	(3.5)	(2.9)	(2.7)	(0.9)	(9.9)	(1.0)	(1.5)	(3.0)	(3.5)	(9.0)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(3.5)	(14.0
Depreciation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Amortization					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Debt related amortization expen					0.0				0.0	0.0	0.0				0.0					0.0
Stock comp	0.9	0.7	1.5	0.5	3.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
Deferred income taxes					0.0					0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Change in fair value of warrant li	iability				0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Writedowns and impairments					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Other gains/losses					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Other					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Changes in operating assets and I	iabilities	s:																		
Prepaid expenses & other curre	(0.2)	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.6	(0.3)	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.6	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other assets					0.0	0.2			(0.2)	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accounts payable	(0.1)	(0.4)	2.0	0.2	1.7	(0.1)	0.9	0.2	(0.9)	0.1	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.0)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accrued expenses					0.0					0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other liabilities					0.0					0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net cash (used in) provided by	(2.5)	(2.3)	(1.8)	(2.2)	(8.9)	(3.3)	(1.5)	(2.0)	(1.4)	(8.3)	(1.1)	(1.4)	(2.9)	(3.4)	(8.8)	(3.4)	(3.4)	(3.4)	(3.4)	(13.6
Cash flow from investing activit	ies																			
Purchases of property and equip					0.0	(0.1)				(0.1)	(0.1)	0.0	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.7
Purchases of short-term investm					0.0	( ,				0.0	(- /		(- /	(- /	0.0	( ,	(- )	(/	,	0.0
Acquisitions					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Other					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Net cash used in investing activ	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	(0.1)	(0.1)	0.0	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.7
Cash flow from financing activit	ioc																			
Issuance of debt	ies				0.0				0.3	0.3		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Repayment of debt					0.0				0.3	0.3		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
							0.0	2.1	1.2		2.0	0.0		0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0
Issuance of stock				0.0	0.0		0.0	2.1	1.2	3.4 0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Proceeds from stock option exe	rcises			0.0								4.5								
Other					0.0					0.0		4.5			4.5					0.0
Dividends and distributions					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Cash provided by (used in) fina	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	1.5	3.7	2.0	4.5	0.0	0.0	6.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Effect of exchange rate on cash					0.0					0.0					0.0					0.0
Net increase (decrease) in cash	(2.5)	(2.3)	(1.8)	(2.2)	(8.9)	(3.4)	(1.5)	0.1	0.1	(4.8)	0.8	3.1	(3.1)	(3.5)	(2.6)	(3.6)	(3.5)	(3.7)	(3.6)	(14.3
Beginning cash and equivalents	14.1	11.5	9.2	7.4	14.1	5.1	1.7	0.2	0.3	5.1	0.4	1.2	4.3	1.2	0.4	(2.3)	(5.8)	(9.3)	(13.0)	(2.3
	11.5	9.2	7.4	5.1	5.1	1.7	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	1.2	4.3	1.2	(2.3)	(2.3)	(5.8)	(9.3)	(13.0)	(16.6)	(16.6

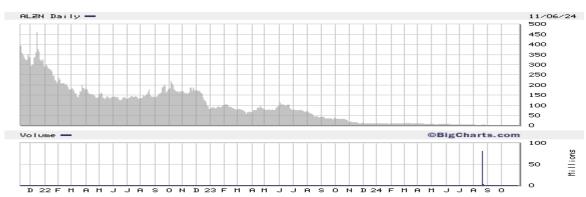
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## Alzamend Neuro, Inc.



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	Report Date		Price
Report	Date	Rating	Target
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2	12/23/2021	Buy	1,237.50
3	3/16/2022	Buy	1,125.00
4	9/18/2022	Buy	1,087.50
5	12/14/2022	Buy	1,050.00
6	4/3/2023	Buy	1,012.50
7	8/9/2023	Buy	937.50
8	9/15/2023	Buy	975.00
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