

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
For the Quarterly Period Ended March 31, 1996  
OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Transition Period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Commission File Number 0-21990

OXIGENE, INC.  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)  
DELAWARE 13-3679168  
(State or other jurisdiction of (IRS Employer  
incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

110 East 59th Street  
New York, NY 10022  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(212) 421-0001  
(Telephone number, including area code)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:  
None

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

Title of Class  
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share  
Warrant to Purchase One Share of Common Stock

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes /x/ No

As of March 31, 1996, there were 6,973,300 shares of the Registrant's Common Stock issued and outstanding.

OXIGENE, INC.

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q contains historical information and forward-looking statements. Statements looking forward in time are included in this Form 10-Q pursuant to the "safe harbor" provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. They involve known and unknown risks and uncertainties that may cause the Company's actual results in future periods to be materially different from any future performance suggested herein. In the context of forward-looking information provided in this Form 10-Q and in other reports, please refer to the discussion of risk factors detailed in, as well as the other information contained in, the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission during the past 12 months.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared by OXiGENE, Inc. (the "Company"), without audit, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. In the Company's opinion, these financial statements contain all adjustments necessary to present fairly the financial position of OXiGENE, Inc. as of March 31, 1996 and December 31, 1995, the results of operations for the three months ended March 31, 1996 and March 31, 1995, and the cash flows for the three month periods ended March 31, 1996 and March 31, 1995. For further information, refer to the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995. The results of operations for the period ended March 31, 1996 are not necessarily indicative of the results of operations and cash flows for any subsequent interim period or for the full year.

OXIGENE, INC.  
(A development stage company)

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
(All amounts in Thousands)

	March 31, 1996 (Unaudited)	December 31, 1995
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$10,529	\$10,407
Securities available-for-sale	--	502
Prepaid expenses	99	50
Interest receivable	120	202
Other	12	19
	--	--
Total current assets	10,760	11,180
Furniture, fixtures and equipment, at cost	66	62
Accumulated depreciation	(28)	(25)
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Net property and equipment	38	37
Deposits	10	10
Total assets	\$10,808	\$11,227
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses:		
Due to Cato Research, Ltd.	\$ 158	\$ 134
Accrued expenses	458	259
Accrued stock appreciation rights	814	223
Other payables	54	54
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Total current liabilities	1,484	670
Stockholders' equity Common stock \$0.01 par value:		
Authorized shares - 15,000,000 shares		
Issued and outstanding		
6,973,300 at March 31, 1996		
6,823,300 at December 31, 1995	70	68
Additional paid-in capital	22,146	21,864
Deficit accumulated during the development stage	(12,913)	(11,400)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	21	25
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Total stockholders' equity	9,324	10,557
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$10,808	\$11,227

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS  
(All amounts in Thousands, except per share data)  
(Unaudited)

	Three months ended 1996	March 31, 1995
Revenue		
Interest income	\$ 129	\$ 53
Operating expenses		
Research and development:		
Cato Research, Ltd.	228	148
Other	786	513
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Total research and development	1,014	661
General and administrative	628	413
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Total operating expenses	1,642	1,074
Net loss	(1,513)	(1,021)
Net loss per common share	(0.22)	(0.20)
Weighted average number of shares of Common Stock outstanding	6,881	5,058

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
(All amounts in Thousands)  
(Unaudited)

	Three months ended March 31,	
	1996	1995
Operating activities		
Net loss	\$(1,513)	\$(1,021)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation	3	2
Amortization of debt securities	--	4
Compensation related to issuance of warrants, options and stock appreciation rights	591	--
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	40	152
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	223	139
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Net cash used by operating activities	(656)	(724)
Financing activities		
Proceeds from issuance of common stock, net	283	--
Net cash provided by financing activities	283	--
Investing activities		
Proceeds from sale of securities available-for-sale	502	--
Purchase of furniture, fixture and equipment	(4)	(11)
Net cash used in investing activities	498	(11)
Effect of exchange rate on changes in cash	(3)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	122	(735)
	10,407	1,194
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$10,529	\$ 459

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
MARCH 31, 1996

1. Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying unaudited condensed financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for interim financial information and with the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by generally accepted accounting principles for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included. Operating results for the three month period ended March 31, 1996 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending December 31, 1996. For further information, refer to the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all highly liquid financial instruments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

Net Loss Per Share

Net loss per share is based upon the Company's aggregate net loss divided by the weighted average number of shares of Common Stock outstanding during the respective periods. All options and warrants were antidilutive and, accordingly, excluded from the calculation of weighted average shares.

2. Principles of Consolidation

At the end of 1994, the Company established a wholly-owned operating subsidiary in Sweden, OXIGENE (Europe) AB. This subsidiary manages and controls the Company's research and development work, and monitors the European clinical trials. The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and OXIGENE Europe AB, effective January 1, 1995.

Intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated.

3. Stockholder's Equity

During the three-month period ended March 31, 1996, the Company issued 150,000 shares of Common Stock upon exercise of previously granted warrants.

Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis  
of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Description of Business

OXIGENE is a development stage pharmaceutical company engaged primarily in developing products designed to enhance traditional treatments for cancer, aging, and autoimmune diseases. Currently under development are (1) therapeutics that inhibit the ability of cancer cells to repair their DNA structure after damage produced by radiation or chemotherapy; (2) chemopreventive agents that stimulate DNA repair to strengthen the body's immune system; and (3) diagnostics that measure DNA activity to determine immune function and status. Since its inception in February, 1988, the Company has devoted substantially all of its efforts and resources to research and development conducted on its own behalf and through collaborations with clinical institutions, primarily the University of Lund, Sweden. The Company has generated a cumulative net loss of \$12,913,000 for the period from its inception through March 31, 1996. The Company expects to incur additional operating losses in the year ending December 31, 1996, and for several years thereafter, principally as a result of its continuing anticipated research and development and clinical trials expenditures. The major source of the Company's working capital has been the proceeds of private and public equity financing. Most recently, in the summer of 1995, the Company completed a private placement of approximately \$10,000,000, before expenses. As of March 31, 1996, the Company had no long-term debt or loans payable. Since its inception, the Company has had no licensing or other fee income, and does not anticipate any such income for the foreseeable future. The Company had interest income of \$129,000 for the three months period ended March 31, 1996.

Results of Operations - Three Months Ended March 31, 1996 and 1995

During the three months ended March 31, 1996 and 1995, the Company had no income, except for \$129,000 of interest income for the three months ended March 31, 1996 and \$53,000 of interest income for the three month period ended March 31, 1995. The operating expenses for those periods were \$1,642,000 and \$1,074,000, respectively. The research and development expenses for the same periods were \$1,014,000 and \$661,000, respectively, and the general and administrative expenses were \$628,000 and \$413,000, respectively. The increase in reported research and development expenses was attributable to a charge for financial reporting purposes of \$591,000. This charge was recorded because the market value per share of Common Stock on March 31, 1996 (\$19.25) exceeded the exercise price of stock appreciation rights previously granted by the Company to certain clinical investigators and consultants. Without giving effect to such charge, research and development expenses declined by approximately \$238,000, compared to the comparable 1995 period, as a result of the timing of the Company's payments to clinical investigators. Generally, the Company makes payments to clinical investigators if and when certain predetermined milestones in its clinical trials are reached, rather than on a fixed quarterly or monthly basis. As a result of the foregoing and the existence of outstanding stock appreciation rights, research and development expenses have fluctuated, and are expected to continue to fluctuate, from quarter to quarter. General and administrative expenses increased primarily as a result of an increase in the Company's activities, mostly in Sweden.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

The company has experienced net losses and negative cash flow from operations each year since its inception and, as of March 31, 1996, the Company had a cumulative deficit of \$12,913,000. To date, the Company has financed its operations primarily through the proceeds of private and public equity financing. The Company has attempted

to contain costs and reduce cash outflow by maintaining low overhead costs, using consultants as required and utilizing facilities available at the University of Lund, Sweden for research and development.

At December 31, 1995, the Company had \$10,909,000 in cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities available for sale. In the first quarter of 1996, the Company disposed of its marketable securities. The proceeds from this disposition were mostly used to finance operations during the three months ended March 31, 1996. At March 31, 1996, the Company had \$10,529,000 in cash and cash equivalents.

The Company expects to incur additional expenses which will probably result in significant losses over the next several years as it continues to expand its research and development activities and undertakes the clinical trials required to bring its products to the marketplace.

The Company's policy is to maintain a relatively small number of executives and to rely as much as possible on outside services for its clinical research, clinical trials and administration. The Company maintains small executive offices in New York and in Lund, Sweden, both of which are subleased. The Company no longer considers closing its New York executive office and consolidating its administrative and financial functions in the Lund facility. Further, the Company contemplates subleasing new laboratory space in the New York metropolitan area that will complement research activities with those at the Lund facility. The Company contracts with Cato Research, Ltd., Durham, North Carolina, for the coordination of the Company's clinical trials and retention of its clinical files. The Company pays the University of Lund, Sweden and other hospitals, where applicable, on a per patient basis for conducting its clinical trials.

The Company's working capital and capital requirements may, however, vary materially from those now planned due to numerous factors including, but not limited to, the progress of the Company's research and development programs, the results of preclinical testing and clinical trials, the timing and costs involved in obtaining regulatory approvals, the level of resources that the Company will devote to the development of its manufacturing, marketing and sales capabilities, technological advances, the approval of pending patent applications and the status of collaborative agreements with other companies to provide funding and services to the Company to support or defray some of or all of the costs associated with any of or all these activities. The Company anticipates that its current assets will be sufficient to complete the requisite clinical trials prior to regulatory approval for its current compounds, Sensamide(TM) and Neu-Sensamide(TM). A collaborative agreement with a third party to complete development of these or other products or bring products to market will be sought during 1996 and thereafter. There can be no assurance that the Company's current assets will be sufficient to attain clinical trials milestones or that a third party collaboration can be realized or that additional financing, if required, will be available on acceptable terms, if at all. The Company had no material commitments for capital expenditures as of March 31, 1996 out of the normal course of business, including expenditures associated with its clinical trials.

## Tax Matters

As of December 31, 1995, the Company had, for Federal income tax purposes, net operating loss carryforwards of approximately \$10,672,000. Pursuant to the Tax Reform Act of 1986, annual utilization of the Company's net operating loss carryforwards may be limited if a cumulative change in ownership of the Company's stock of more than 50% (within the meaning of the Internal Revenue Code) occurs within any three-year period. The Company has made no determination concerning whether there has been such a cumulative change in ownership and it is possible that such a change in ownership may be deemed to have occurred following the Company's initial public offering, which was completed in October, 1993, and/or the private placement of 1,666,700 shares of Common Stock, which was completed in July 1995.

PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

There are no legal proceedings pending or, to the Company's best knowledge, threatened against the Company.

Item 2. Changes in Securities

None.

Item 3. Defaults upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

None.

Item 5. Other Information

On April 15, 1996, the Company announced that it had received a notice of allowance from the United States Patent and Trademark Office with respect to Neu-Sensamide(TM). A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 6. Exhibits and Reports on Form 8-K

(a) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed as part of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q:

27.1 Financial Data Schedule

99.1 Press Release, dated April 15, 1996, with respect to notice of allowance for patent covering Neu-Sensamide(TM).

(b) Reports on Form 8-K.

No reports on Form 8-K were filed during the first quarter of 1996.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

OXIGENE, INC.

Date: May 14, 1996  
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/s/ Bjorn Nordenvall  
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Bjorn Nordenvall  
President and Chief Executive Officer

OXIGENE, INC.

Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q  
for the Fiscal Quarter Ended March 31, 1996

Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
27.1	Financial data schedule.
99.1	Press release dated April 15, 1996.

THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION  
 EXTRACTED FROM THE UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL  
 STATEMENT OF OXIGENE, INC. FOR THE QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31,  
 1996 AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO SUCH  
 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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## PRESS RELEASE

OXIGENE GRANTED U.S. PATENT  
ON NEU-SENSAMIDE(TM)  
Lund and New York - April 15, 1996

OXiGENE, Inc. (NASDAQ:OXGN) today announced that the Company will be granted (notice of allowance) a U.S. patent covering its product Neu-Sensamide(TM). The patent includes both proprietary formulation and route of administration claims.

Dr. Bjorn Nordenvall, CEO of OXiGENE comments: "-This is a breakthrough for the Company as we have hereby obtained a strong and complete patent protection for Neu- Sensamide(TM). Of particular importance is that the patent has been allowed without restrictions in accordance with our application. This information means that we will accelerate our clinical trial program with Neu-Sensamide(TM) and will initiate a phase III trial in lung cancer and a phase I/II trial in brain cancer during 1996".

Neu-Sensamide(TM) is already protected by OXiGENE's patent (U.S. patent No. 5,340,565) regarding the use of so called sensitizers to enhance the effect of radiation and chemotherapy in the treatment of cancer. Neu-Sensamide(TM), a second generation radiosensitizer, is believed by the Company to be of great commercial potential, as the product can be given intramuscularly and it also has significantly reduced side effects in comparison to Sensamide(TM), as shown in a recent phase I trial.

OXiGENE, Inc. is focusing on the development of drugs within the Company's core technology area, the cellular DNA repair mechanism and in particular the enhancement of clinical efficacy of radiation and chemotherapy in cancer treatment. The Company is currently conducting a clinical phase II/III trial with Sensamide(TM) its first generation product as a drug for enhancing the effect of radiation treatment in lung cancer. Today 145 patients out of 226 have been included in the trial which is being conducted in Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Great Britain and Germany. The OXiGENE share is traded on NASDAQ in the U.S. since 1993. D. Carnegie AB is conducting an unofficial trading of the OXiGENE shares in Sweden.

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