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### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Belgium
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2022-04-01
Borrower	EXEVIR BIO BV
Sectors	Education and Health, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 26.31 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 107.34 million

### **Project Description**

According to the bank website, the Promoter is a Belgium-based clinical stage company that develops single-domain antibody-based therapies (VHH or nanobodies). The project supports the development of the company's lead product, XVR011 in COVID-19, including inter alia clinical and regulatory approvals in the EU and the US, scale-up of manufacturing operations and the research and development (R&D) activities for a sub-cutaneous formulation.

The EIB financing will support the R&D activities of the Promoter to further develop its lead candidate, XVR011, a COVID-19 therapeutic product derived from llama-derived nanobodies. The eligible investment plan incorporates R&D activities, including, inter alia, clinical trials, chemistry manufacturing activities, regulatory, and related expenses to finance the development of the product; whilst also progressing the development of an additional dosage form, a sub-cutaneous formulation, allowing for earlier intervention and thus addressing not only severe but also milder forms of the disease.

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Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	EXEVIR BIO BV	Client	-

#### **Contact Information**

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