

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Takeda Ventures, Inc.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 435 TASSO STREET, SUITE 300 (Street) PALO ALTO CA 94301 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/08/2019	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Cortexyme, Inc. [CRTX]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	0	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Series A Redeemable Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	2,360,071	(1)	D ⁽²⁾	
Series B Redeemable Convertible Preferred Stock	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	319,731	(3)	D ⁽²⁾	

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Takeda Ventures, Inc.
 (Last) (First) (Middle)
 435 TASSO STREET, SUITE 300
 (Street)
 PALO ALTO CA 94301
 (City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*
TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICAL CO LTD
 (Last) (First) (Middle)
 1-1, NIHONBASHI-HONCHO 2-CHOME
 CHUO-KU
 (Street)
 TOKYO MO 103-8668
 (City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*
Takeda Pharmaceuticals International AG
 (Last) (First) (Middle)
 THURGAUERSTRASSE 130
 8152 GLATTPARK-OPFIKON
 (Street)
 (City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)		
ZURICH	2M	

(City)	(State)	(Zip)
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		
Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc.		

(Last)	(First)	(Middle)
ONE TAKEDA PARKWAY		

(Street)		
DEERFIELD	IL	60015

(City)	(State)	(Zip)

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Series A Redeemable Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into the issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis and has no expiration date. It will automatically convert into common stock upon the closing of the issuer's initial public offering.
2. These shares are owned directly by Takeda Ventures, Inc. Takeda Ventures, Inc. is a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc. ("Takeda USA"). Takeda Pharmaceuticals International AG owns 41.91% of Takeda USA, and Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited owns 58.09% of Takeda USA. Takeda Pharmaceuticals International AG is a wholly-owned direct subsidiary of Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited.
3. The Series B Redeemable Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible into the issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis and has no expiration date. It will automatically convert into common stock upon the closing of the issuer's initial public offering.

Remarks:

Exhibit 24.1: Power of Attorney - Takeda Ventures, Inc. Exhibit 24.2: Power of Attorney - Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited Exhibit 24.3: Power of Attorney - Takeda Pharmaceuticals International AG Exhibit 24.4: Power of Attorney - Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc.

<u>/s/ Christopher Lowe, as Attorney-in-Fact for Takeda Ventures, Inc.</u>	<u>05/08/2019</u>
<u>/s/ Christopher Lowe, as Attorney-in-Fact for Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited</u>	<u>05/08/2019</u>
<u>/s/ Christopher Lowe, as Attorney-in-Fact for Takeda Pharmaceuticals International AG</u>	<u>05/08/2019</u>
<u>/s/ Christopher Lowe, as Attorney-in-Fact for Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc.</u>	<u>05/08/2019</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned as a Section 16 reporting person of Cortexyme, Inc. (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints Chris Lowe, Kristen Gafric and Casey Lynch, and each of them, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney in fact to:

- (1) execute, deliver and file for and on behalf of the undersigned, Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the SEC and any stock exchange or similar authority;
- (3) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release any such information to the undersigned and approves and ratifies any such release of information; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney in fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney in fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney in fact may approve in such attorney in fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney in fact, or such attorney in fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys in fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act. The undersigned further acknowledges and agrees that the attorney-in-fact and the Company are relying on written and oral information provided by the undersigned to complete such forms and the undersigned is responsible for reviewing the completed forms prior to their filing. The attorney-in-fact and the Company are not responsible for any errors or omissions in such filings. The attorney-in-fact and the Company are not responsible for determining whether or not the transactions reported could be matched with any other transactions for the purpose of determining liability for short-swing profits under Section 16(b).

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the Company and the foregoing attorneys in fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 25th day of April, 2019.

Takeda Ventures, Inc.

By: /s/ Michael Martin
Signature

Name: Michael Martin
Title: President

POWER OF ATTORNEY

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(3) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release any such information to the undersigned and approves and ratifies any such release of information; and

(4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to
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executed as of this 8th day of May, 2019.

TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY LIMITED

By: /s/ Yoshihiro Nakagawa

Signature

Name: Yoshihiro Nakagawa

Title: Corporate Officer, Global General Counsel

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Takeda Pharmaceuticals International AG

By: /s/ Andrea Ferrari

Signature

Name: Andrea Ferrari

Title: VP, Regional General Counsel Europe and Canada

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Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc.

By: /s/ Paul Sundberg

Signature

Name: Paul Sundberg

Title: Assistant Secretary, Head Counsel, U.S. Corporate