



A Soft-Tissue Preservation and Restoration Company

# INVESTOR PRESENTATION

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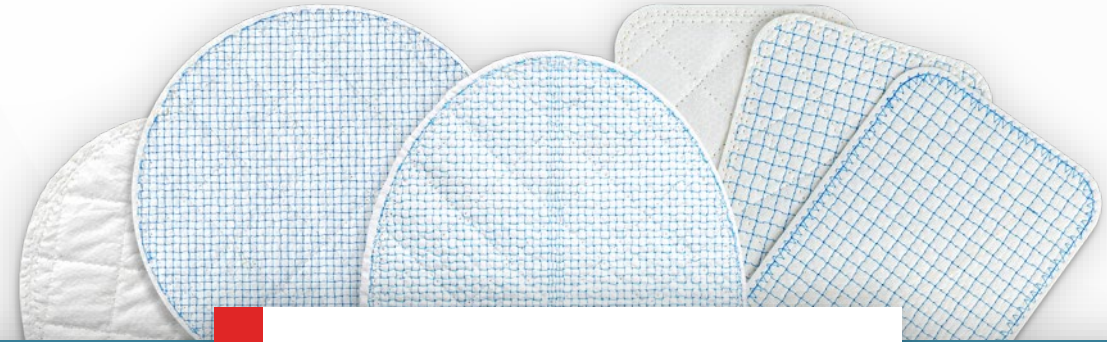
## Our Mission

We provide innovative soft-tissue reconstruction solutions that optimize clinical outcomes by prioritizing the **Preservation** and **Restoration** of the patient's own anatomy.

# TELA Bio, Inc.

- ▶ Advanced reinforced tissue matrix portfolio supported by compelling clinical evidence
- ▶ \$2.6B US market opportunity<sup>1</sup> – still in early stages of growth
- ▶ Driving commercial adoption with targeted direct-sales approach
- ▶ Recent product launches in growing markets: robotic hernia surgery, plastic and reconstructive surgery
- ▶ Broad intellectual property portfolio
- ▶ Established DRG-based reimbursement pathway for hernia repair and robust GPO access
- ▶ Highly accomplished executive team with proven track record

1. Management estimate. \$2.6B total includes \$1.8B hernia & abdominal wall reconstruction, \$0.8B plastic reconstructive surgery.

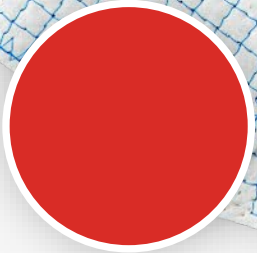
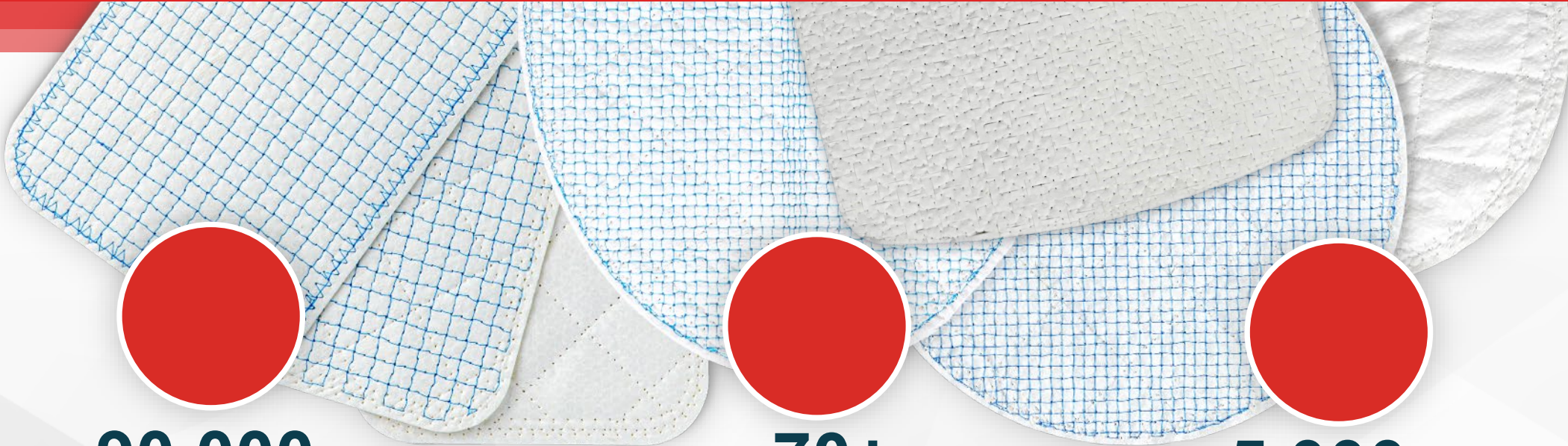


**OVITEXX**<sup>®</sup>  
Reinforced Tissue Matrix

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Reinforced Tissue Matrix

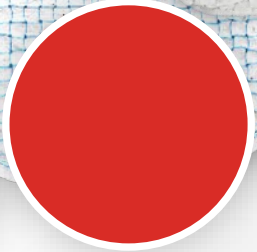
*Redefining soft tissue preservation and restoration with a differentiated category of tissue reinforcement materials and supportive products*

# Product Adoption Since Launch



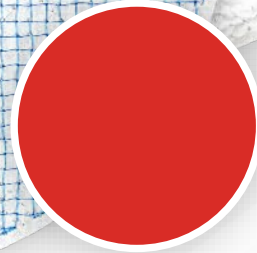
**~90,000**

OviTex Reinforced Tissue Matrix (RTM) Implantations Globally



**70+**

Published or Presented Works (OviTex + OviTex PRS)



**5,000+**

Hospitals Covered by GPO Access

**~20,000**

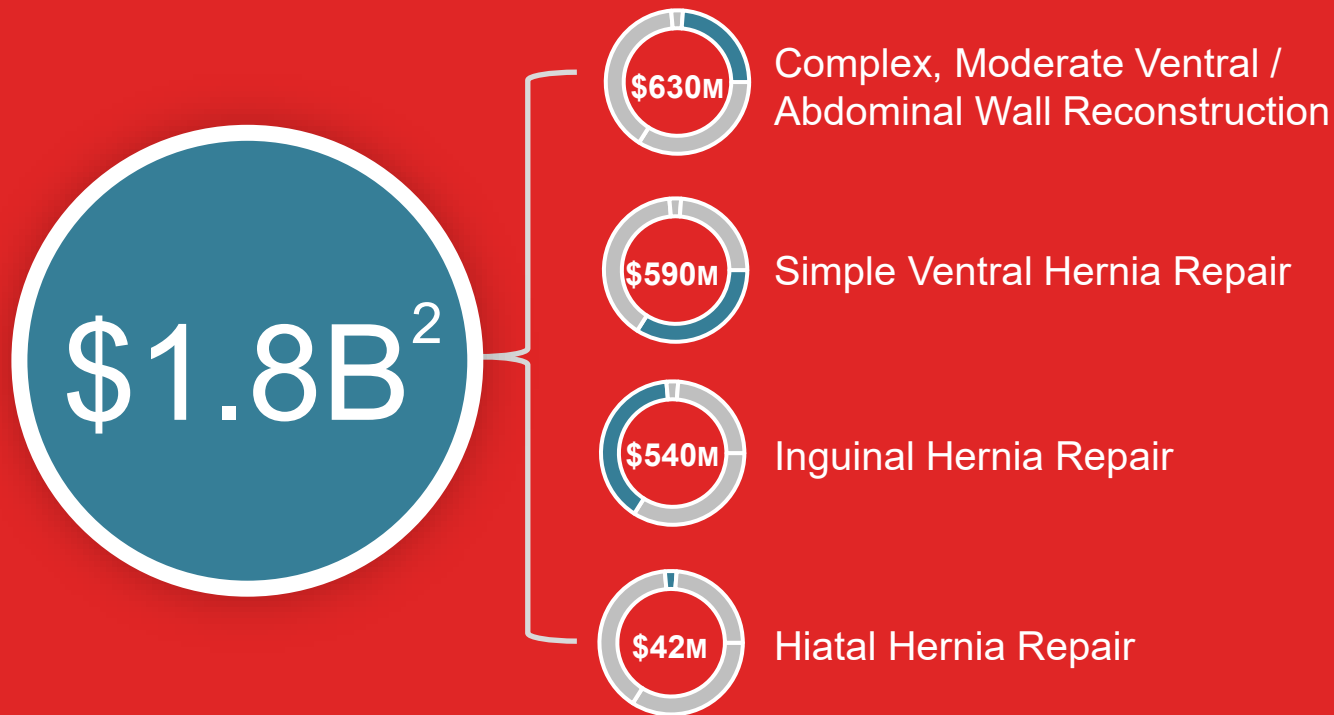
OviTex PRS Implantations (U.S.)

**1,500+**

Patients in Peer-Reviewed Publications

# US Hernia Surgery Market

~\$1.8 Billion Annual Opportunity



## Annual Procedures<sup>1</sup>

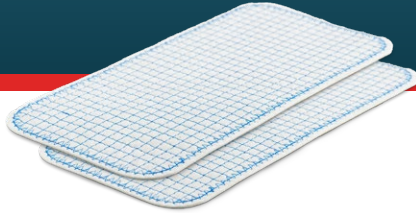


**Robotic / Minimally Invasive Surgery (MIS) Opportunity within the Hernia Market**

*Robotic / MIS compatible procedures total over **1M annually** and have a potential market opportunity of up to **\$1.2B<sup>2</sup>***

1. Sources: Millennium Research Group Reports, IMS Health Data; iData Research MedSKU.  
2. Management estimate. Market size based on volume and weighted average selling price for OviTex.

# One Comprehensive Portfolio



## OviTex Core

4-layer device  
*No smooth sides*

OviTex Core is designed to reinforce primary hernia repairs where the device will not come into contact with viscera .



## OviTex 1S

6-layer device  
*1 smooth side*

OviTex 1S incorporates a smooth side that is designed to minimize tissue attachment and to reinforce primary hernia repairs where the device may come into contact with viscera (e.g. intraperitoneal).



## OviTex 2S

8-layer device  
*2 smooth sides*

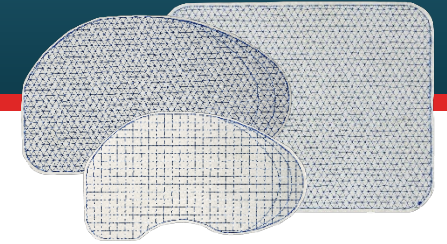
OviTex 2S incorporates eight layers of tissue for added strength. The two smooth sides make it suitable for intraperitoneal placement.



## OviTex Low Profile

4-layer device  
*1 smooth side*

OviTex LPR is designed specifically for use in minimally invasive procedures. The design also incorporates a smooth side making it suitable for intraperitoneal placement.



## OviTex Inguinal

4-layer and 3-layer device  
*No smooth sides*

OviTex IHR is designed specifically for use in inguinal hernia repair procedures. The design also incorporates an anatomical and rectangular shape to suit surgeon preference.

# Need for Alternative to Permanent Synthetic Mesh

59%

Of surgeons agree that use of permanent synthetic mesh puts patients at long-term risk of complications<sup>1</sup>

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Hernia patients want proactive control in their care<sup>2</sup>

~15,000

Product liability lawsuits relating to permanent synthetic hernia repair (as of November 2024)<sup>3</sup>  
Not inclusive of ~40,000 or more cases settled or dismissed within the past three years<sup>4</sup>

2019

FDA issued multiple 522 orders to manufacturers requiring pre-market approval prior to sale and distribution of transvaginal mesh for pelvic organ prolapse repair<sup>5</sup>

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Steps surgeons must take in the U.K. as part of the Royal College of Surgeons guidance for Patient Consent Supported Decision Making following the 2015 Montgomery Ruling<sup>6</sup>

1. Hernia and Abdominal Surgeries Survey (Oct 2020). A group of 71 surgeons were surveyed regarding use of mesh in various hernia repair surgeries.

2. Figures derived from Company-sponsored online poll of approximately 1,100 potential patients for hernia procedures.

3. See Medtronic plc Form 10-Q, filed with the SEC on Aug. 27, 2024; Atrium Medical Corp. C-Qur Mesh Products Liability Litigation (Case No: 16-md-2753 LM); In RE: Ethicon Physiomesb Flexible Composite Hernia Mesh Products Liability Litigation (Case No: 1:17-md-02782-RWS).

4. Reuters, "Becton Dickinson agrees to settle about 38,000 hernia mesh suits" (retrieved from <https://www.reuters.com/legal/litigation/becton-dickinson-agrees-settle-about-38000-hernia-mesh-suits-2024-10-03/>); Getinge Press Release, dated December 8, 2021; Johnson & Johnson Form 10-K, filed with the SEC on February 16, 2024 regarding settlement of Ehticon Physiomesb Flexible Composite Mesh claims).

5. U.S. Food and Drug Administration. (n.d.). FDA's activities: Urogynecologic surgical mesh implants. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Retrieved from <https://www.fda.gov/news-events/press-announcements/fda-takes-action-protect-womens-health-orders-manufacturers-surgical-mesh-intended-transvaginal>

# Favorable Results of OviTex in Ventral Hernia Repair

Comparisons to synthetic mesh and leading first generation biologics

	Parker et al. <sup>3</sup>		Sivaraj et al. <sup>2</sup>			
Total enrolled patients	<b>50 OviTex</b>	50 Polypropylene	<b>36 OviTex</b>	51 STRATTICE™	17 Permacol™	37 SurgiMend®
Length of follow-up	<b>12 months</b>	12 months	<b>28.6 months (median)</b>	34.6 months (median)	58.4 months (median)	37.5 months (median)
mVHWG	<b>32% grade 2 68% grade 3<sup>a</sup></b>	94% grade 2 6% grade 3	<b>33% grade 1 58% grade 2 8% grade 3</b>	17% grade 1 79% grade 2 4% grade 3	18% grade 1 71% grade 2 12% grade 3	40% grade 1 51% grade 2 9% grade 3
CDC wound class	<b>70% CDC class II+<sup>a</sup></b>	94% CDC class I	<b>89% class I-II</b>	86% class I-II	94% class I-II	91% class I-II
Incidence of SSO	<b>36%*</b>	22%*	<b>16.7%*</b>	47.1%*	52.9%*	43.2%*
Incidence of SSI	-	-	<b>2.8%<sup>b</sup></b>	12.5%	11.8%	5.4%
Recurrence rate	<b>6%</b>	12%	<b>2.8%<sup>c</sup></b>	13.7% <sup>c</sup>	29.4%	24.3%

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\*Overall complications including surgical site occurrences (SSOs) and surgical site infections (SSIs)

a – OviTex patients were more complicated with a significantly higher mVHWG distribution and CDC wound classification compared to polypropylene patients.

b – OviTex patients experienced significantly less complications than patients receiving the other three biologics.

c – OviTex and Strattice patients had a statistically lower recurrence rate than patients receiving the other two biologics.

Source: Refer to “Clinical References” in this presentation.

# Positive 24-month BRAVO Results In Ventral Hernia

OviTex performance contextualized alongside contemporaneous publications for leading competitive products

	DeNoto et al. (BRAVO) <sup>4</sup>	Harris et al. (PRICE) <sup>11</sup>		Roth et al. <sup>12</sup>	Hope et al. (ATLAS) <sup>13</sup>
<b>Total enrolled patients</b>	92 <b>OviTex</b>	82 STRATTICE™	83 Ventralight™ ST or Bard Soft Mesh	121 Phasix™	120 Phasix™ ST
<b>Length of follow-up</b>	24 months	26 months		36 months	24 months
<b>mVHWG</b>	78% grade 2-3	-		-	-
<b>CDC wound class</b>	95% class I-II	90% class I-II	93% class I-II	100% class I	100% class I
<b>Surgical technique</b>	Open (65%) Laparoscopic (13%) Robotic (22%)	Open	Open	Open	Laparoscopic (55.8%) Robotic (44.2%)
<b>Incidence of SSO</b>	38% (includes SSI)	21% (excludes SSI)	22% (excludes SSI)	-	0.8% (includes SSI)
<b>Incidence of SSI</b>	20.7%	39%	34%	9%*	0%
<b>Recurrence rate</b>	<b>2.6%*</b>	40% (overall) 34% (class I wounds)	22% (overall) 28% (class I wounds)	17.9%*	31.7%* (overall) 18.6%* (defects < 7cm <sup>2</sup> )

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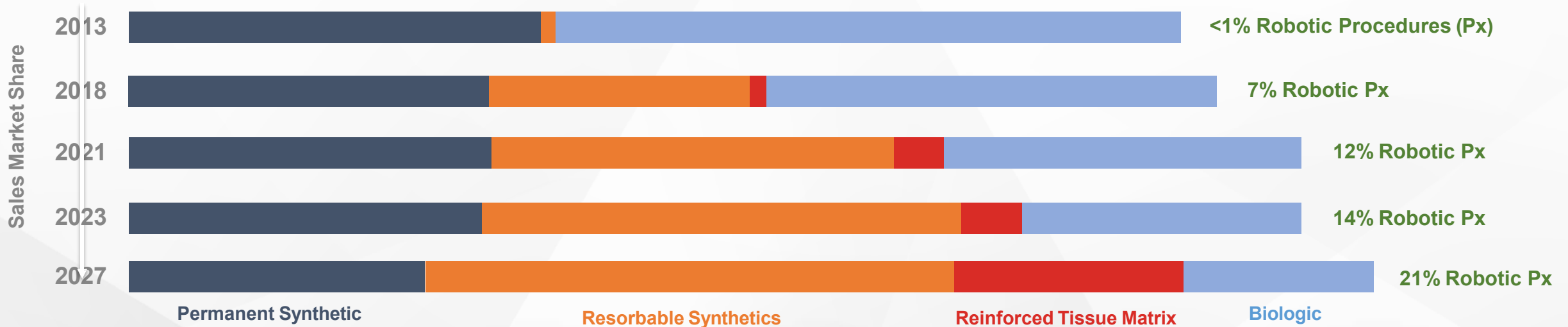
\* Kaplan-Meier survival estimate

\*\*No head-to-head clinical studies have been conducted. Due to differences in patient population, surgeons, surgical technique, and other variables, no direct comparisons of results can be made. For a comparative discussion of these studies, please see G. DeNoto, E.P. Ceppa, S.J. Pacella, M. Sawyer, G. Slayden, M. Takata, G. Tuma, J. Yunis, 24-Month results of the BRAVO study: A prospective, multi-center study evaluating the clinical outcomes of a ventral hernia cohort treated with OviTex® 1S permanent reinforced tissue matrix, Ann Medicine Surg 2022, 83, 104745.

Source: Refer to "Clinical References" in this presentation.

# Hernia Market Evolution

TELA Bio positioned to grow from a market shift towards resorbable and more “natural repair” solutions as an alternative to traditional permanent synthetics or biologics



*Resorbable Synthetics and Reinforced Tissue Matrix strengths:*



Clinical Evidence



Robot Compatibility



Cost-effectiveness



Patient Choice & Shared Decision-making

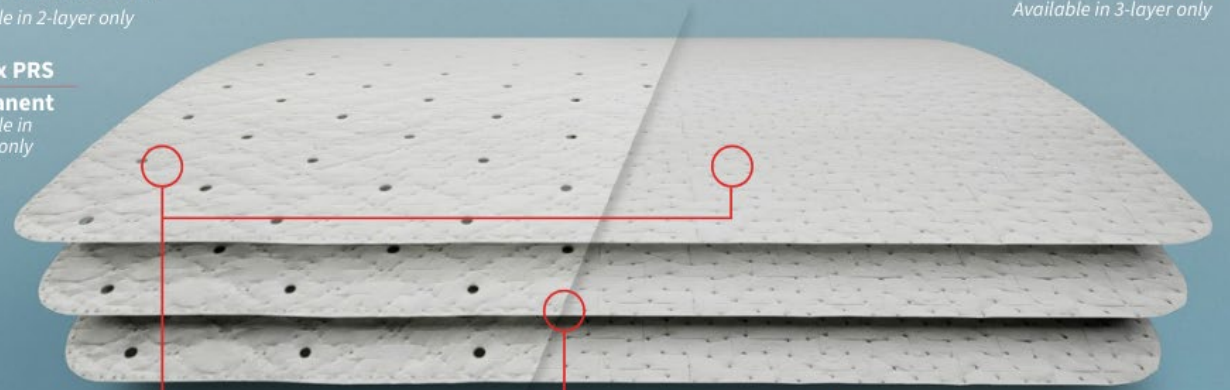
Sources for Sales Market Share (%): 2009 - 2013 = IMS Hospital Supply Index; 2018 - 2023 = iData Research MedSKU  
 Sources for Total U.S. Market Size: 2021 - 2027 = DRG Hernia Repair Devices Report – 2021; 2013 - 2018 = Management Estimate.  
 Sources for % Robotic Procedures: 2018 - 2027 = DRG Hernia Repair Devices Report – 2021; 2013 = Management Estimate.



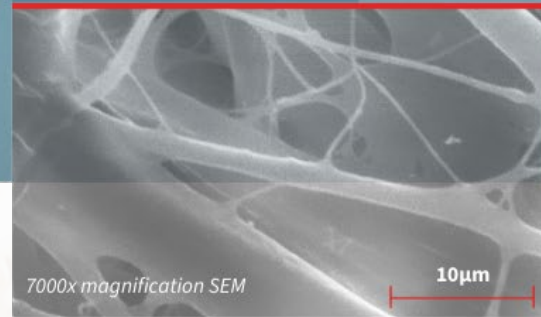
**OviTex PRS**  
**Short-Term Resorbable**  
*Available in 2-layer only*

**OviTex PRS**  
**Long-Term Resorbable**  
*Available in 3-layer only*

**OviTex PRS**  
**Permanent**  
*Available in 3-layer only*



**~95% Biologic Building Block**



7000x magnification SEM

10µm

**Multiple Layers of Ovine Rumen**

**~5% Synthetic Reinforcement**



*Blue and red polymer shown for illustrative purposes. The actual polymer is clear.*

**Three Polymer Options**

**OVITEX<sup>®</sup> PRS**  
Reinforced Tissue Matrix

# US Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery Market

~\$800 Million Annual Opportunity

\$700M<sup>2</sup>

Surgeons use products to reinforce soft tissue during various reconstructive surgeries<sup>1</sup>, including:

- ▶ Head and neck surgery
- ▶ Chest wall reconstruction
- ▶ Pelvic reconstruction
- ▶ Extremities reconstruction
- ▶ Breast reconstruction

Market dominated by human acellular dermal matrices (HADMs):

- ▶ Prone to high degree of stretch
- ▶ Expensive, putting pressure on hospital systems
- ▶ Can experience supply shortages, particularly when large pieces of material are required



Cosmetic Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery

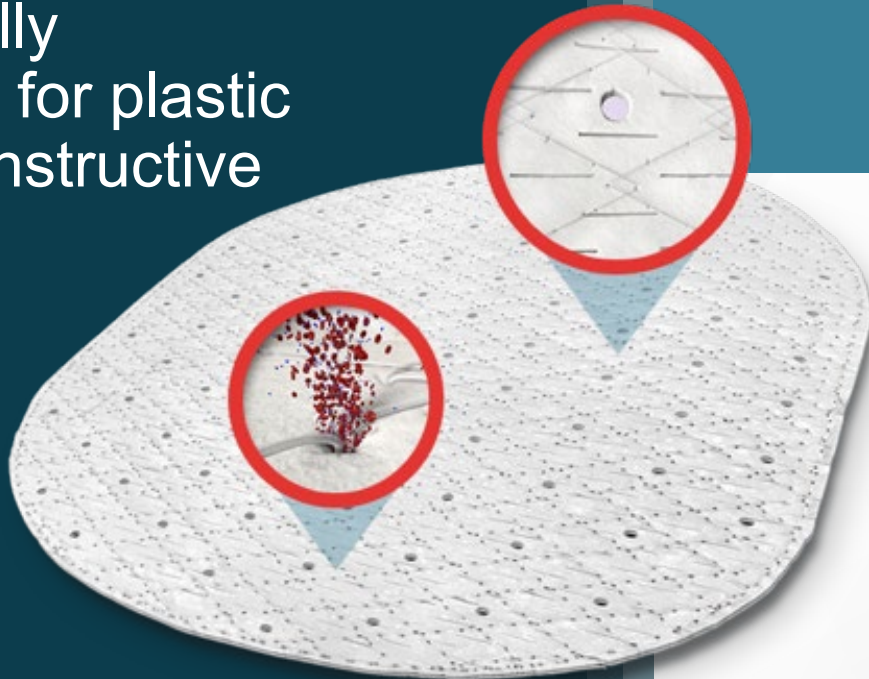
\$100M<sup>2</sup>

1. OviTex PRS is for implantation to reinforce soft tissue where weakness exists in patients requiring soft tissue repair or reinforcement in plastic and reconstructive surgery. The device is supplied sterile and is intended for one-time use. OviTex PRS has not been tested in breast surgical procedures.

2. Management estimate. Source: iData Research MedSKU, Q1 2024. Market size based on sales of current biologics.

# OviTex PRS

Specifically designed for plastic and reconstructive surgery



Available in  
**2-layer resorbable (polyglycolic acid) polymer,**  
**3-layer permanent (polypropylene) polymer,** or **3-layer resorbable (polylactic-co-glycolic acid) polymer** reinforcing the same biologic material

An innovative reinforced tissue matrix designed to improve outcomes by facilitating fluid management and controlling degree and direction of stretch

## Product Features:


- ▶ Layers composed of biologic building block retain biologically significant macromolecules for tissue regeneration<sup>1,2</sup>
- ▶ Diamond embroidery pattern and stents allow for directional flexibility; sawtooth embroidery pattern and slits allow for bi-directional stretch while providing stretch resistance
- ▶ Distinct permeability elements in various configurations – e.g., micropores, macropores, and stents/slits – designed to facilitate fluid management

## OviTex PRS compared to market leading human ADM<sup>3</sup>

- ▶ Exhibited earlier host cell proliferation, collagen deposition and neovascularization
- ▶ Demonstrated tissue remodeling into mature, functional and organized collagen

1. Certain configurations available in two or three layers, see product catalog more information. 2. Lun S, Irvine S.M., Johnson K.D., Fisher N.J., Floden E. W., Negron L., Dempsey S.G., McLaughlin R.J., Vasudevamurthy M., Ward B.R., May B.C., A functional extracellular matrix biomaterial derived from ovine forestomach, *Biomaterials* 31(16) (2010) 4517-29.

3. ADM: Acellular Dermal Matrix. Overbeck N, Beierschmitt A, May BC, Qi S, Koch J. In-Vivo Evaluation of a Reinforced Ovine Biologic for Plastic and Reconstructive Procedures in a Non-human Primate Model of Soft Tissue Repair. *Eplasty*. 2022 Sep 14;22:e43. PMID: 36160663; PMCID: PMC9490877. Animal testing results may not be indicative of clinical performance.



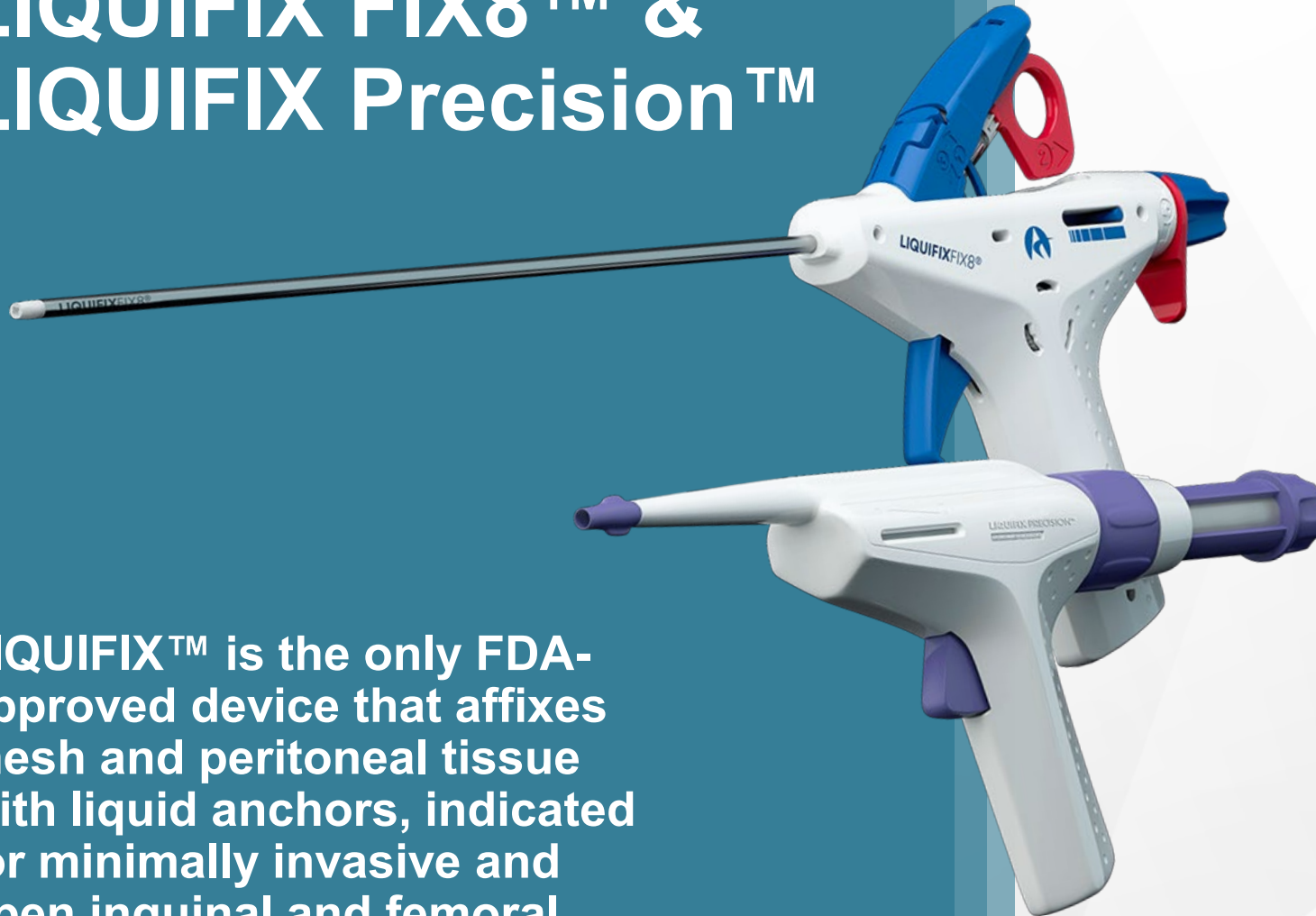
# **LIQUIFIX™**

## **INTERNAL ADHESIVES**

Leading-edge atraumatic hernia mesh fixation devices  
Designed to minimize complications for patient safety and comfort



# LIQUIFIX FIX8™ & LIQUIFIX Precision™



**LIQUIFIX™ is the only FDA-approved device that affixes mesh and peritoneal tissue with liquid anchors, indicated for minimally invasive and open inguinal and femoral hernia repairs.**

## Atraumatic liquid fixation devices

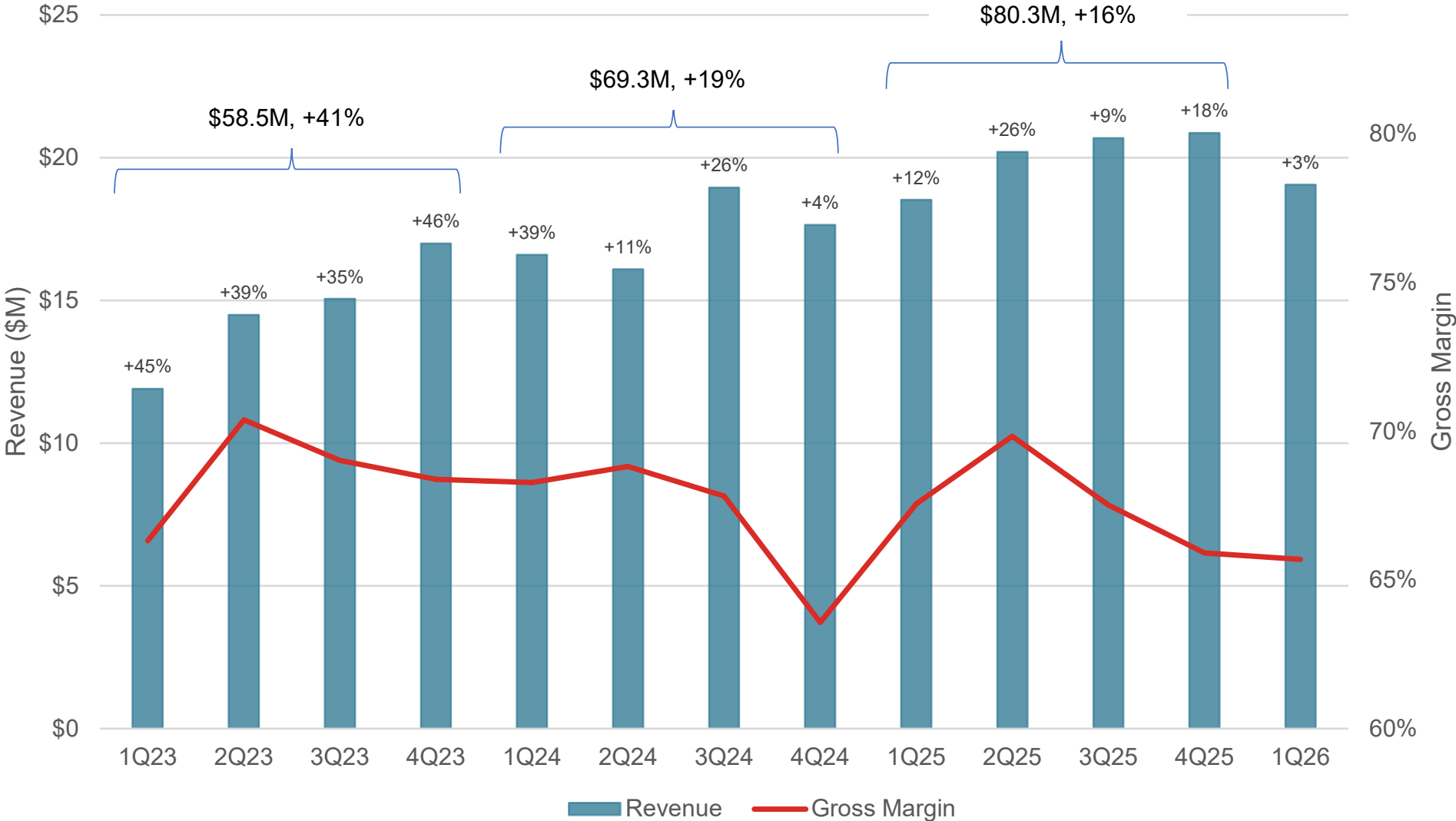
- ▶ Reduce the need for penetrating mechanical fixation for inguinal and femoral hernia repair
- ▶ Provide precise, controlled adhesive application

## Addresses an unmet need in the market, less damage to tissue

- ▶ Designed to minimize the risk of mechanical tissue trauma<sup>2</sup>
- ▶ Strong and secure mesh fixation<sup>2</sup>
- ▶ Pre-assembled device
- ▶ Adhesives polymerize in ~10 seconds
- ▶ Provides versatile liquid anchors at multiple angles

1. The LIQUIFIX FIX8 device is intended for use in minimally invasive surgical repair of groin (inguinal and femoral) hernias (including both laparoscopic and robotic-assisted techniques), achieved through the fixation of prosthetic polypropylene or polyester mesh to the abdominal wall and the approximation of the peritoneum. The LIQUIFIX Precision device is intended for use in open surgical repair of groin (inguinal and femoral) hernias, achieved through the fixation of prosthetic polypropylene or polyester mesh to the abdominal wall.

# Quarterly Revenue and Gross Margin



# Delivering Revenue Growth and Strong Margin with Continuing Improvement Potential

**66%**

Gross Margin

**\$39.5M**

Cash and Cash  
Equivalents at  
March 31, 2026

**\$19M**

Quarterly revenue of \$19.1M,  
growing 3% over corresponding  
period of 2025