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### **BUSINESS OVERVIEW**

PRESIDENT AND CEO **Chuck Kummeth** 

HEADQUARTERS Minneapolis, MN

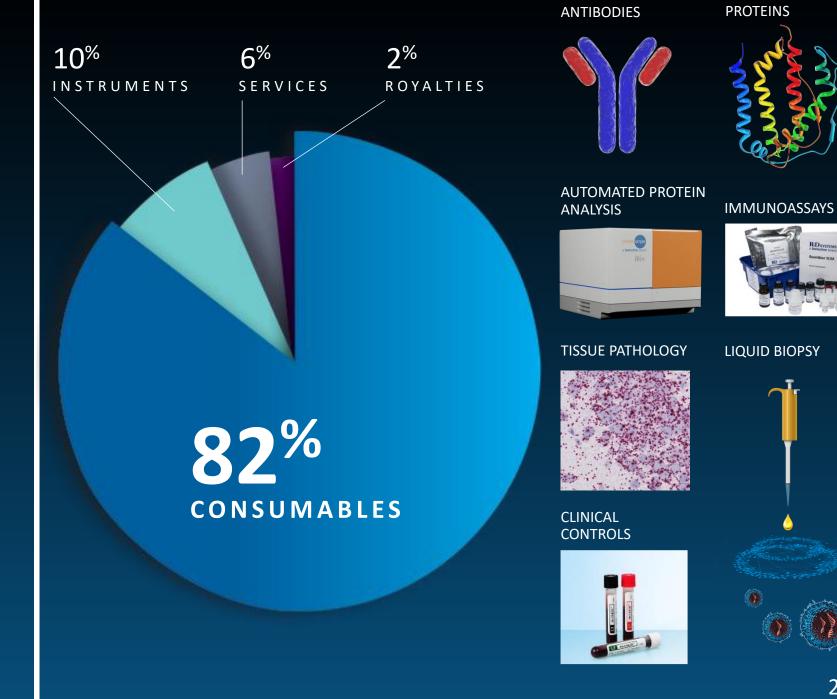
NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES ~2,300

WORLDWIDE PRESENCE 35 Locations

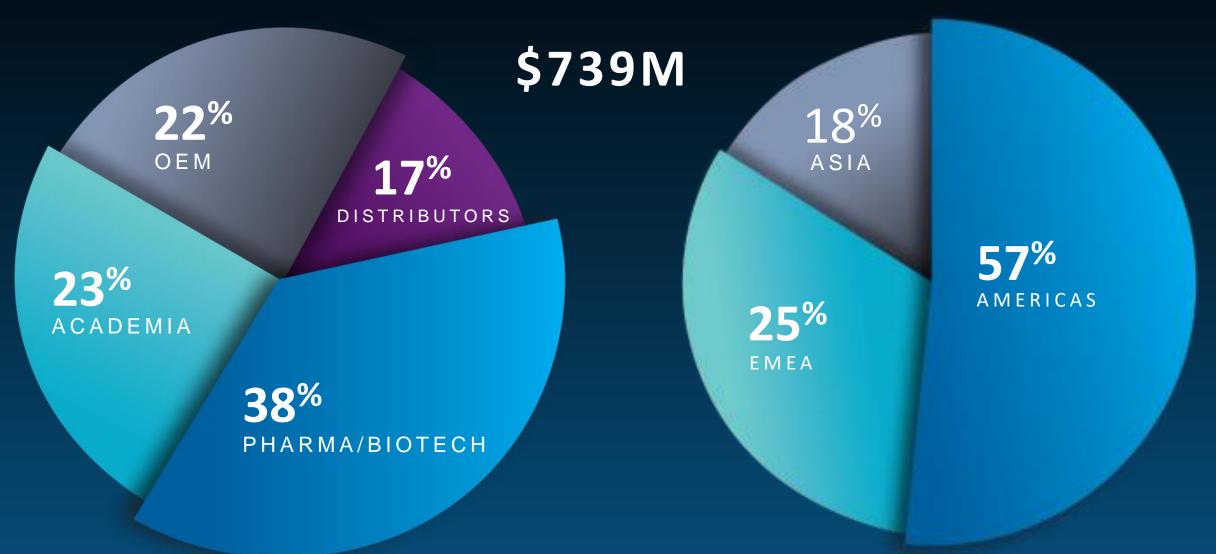
FY2020 REVENUES \$739M

NASDAQ TECH

MARKET CAP ~\$13B



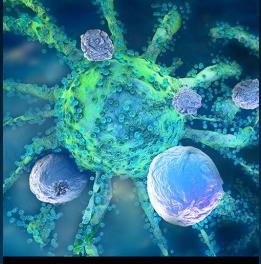
# FY20 REVENUE BY CUSTOMER TYPE & GEOGRAPHY



# FOUR KEY STRATEGIES FOR SUSTAINED GROWTH



GEOGRAPHIC EXPANSION



CORE PRODUCT INNOVATION



GAP FILLING M&A AND MARKET EXPANSION



CULTURE CREATION AND TALENT

## LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE







#### ENVIRONMENTAL

- Continual progress toward sustainability at largest global manufacturing site:
  - ISO 14001 Certification
  - Energy management
  - Water management:
    - Reduced wastewater by 4M gallons/year
  - Waste management:
    - Eliminated use of radioactive materials

#### SOCIAL

- Diverse and inclusive workplace:
  - 50% of global workforce are female
  - 52% of scientists are female
  - Over 30% of workforce are minorities
- Employees encouraged to volunteer and do charitable work in their communities
- Partner and sponsor of the Science Museum of Minnesota

#### GOVERNANCE

- Board membership includes:
  - Diverse membership
  - Deep scientific expertise and relevant life sciences business experience
  - Led by independent Chair

### **OUR SEGMENT STRUCTURE**

#### PROTEIN SCIENCES

#### REAGENT SOLUTIONS

Develop and manufactures biological reagents used in all aspects of life science research



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### ANALYICAL SOLUTIONS

Manual and automated protein analysis solutions that improve the efficiency of process work streams

& quantitate secreted proteins





#### DIAGNOSTICS & GENOMICS

#### DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS

Develops and manufactures controls, calibrators and diagnostic assays for the regulated diagnostic market





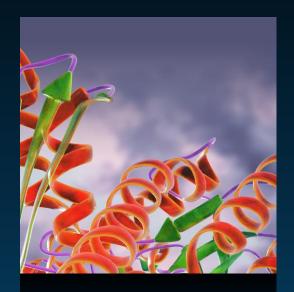
#### **GENOMICS**

Advanced, tissue morphology friendly RNA *IN SITU* hybridization (ISH) assay for transcriptome analysis & prostate cancer molecular diagnostic



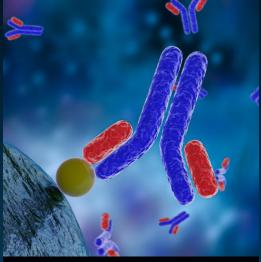


### PROTEIN SCIENCES



PROTEINS

**R**SD SYSTEMS



ANTIBODIES

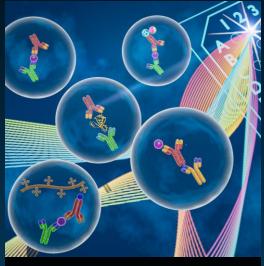






INSTRUMENTS

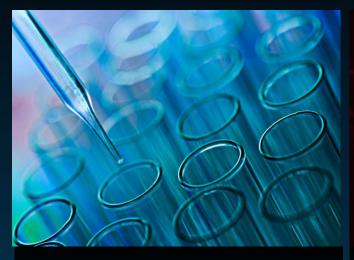




**IMMUNOASSAYS** 

**R**SD SYSTEMS

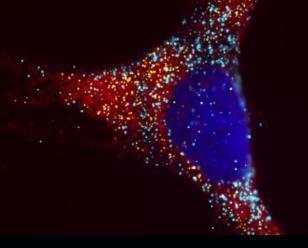
### **DIAGNOSTICS & GENOMICS**



DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS

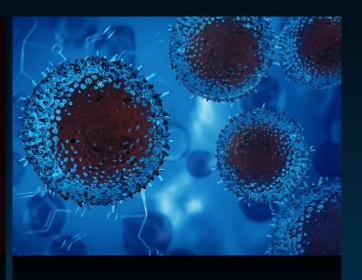






TISSUE BIOPSY AND SPATIAL ANALYSIS





LIQUID BIOPSY TEST & DISCOVERY PLATFORM



### **BIO-TECHNE COVID-19 PRODUCT INITIATIVES**



#### SEROLOGY/ DIAGNOSTICS

- Kantaro COVID-SeroKlir semiquantitative antibody test kit
  - 98.8% sensitivity/99.6% specificity
  - Detects IgG antibodies against 2 viral epitopes
     EUA & CE mark
- ExoCOVID-19 RT-PCR for SARS-CoV-2 detection





### PROTEINS AND ANTIBODIES

- Virus spike proteins (S1, S2 & RBD)
- Nucléocapsid proteins
- Antibodies to virus S1, S2 & N proteins
- Key reagents enabling other Covid-19 diagnostic assays



#### MULTIPLEXING

- Cytokine and pro-inflammatory biomarker immunoassays
- Data available in 75 minutes
- Provides insights into COVID-19 patient management



#### R N A s c o p e TM P R O B E S

- Direct visualization of the virus and estimates of the viral load in any tissue
- Retain tissue morphological context
- RNAscope can be combined with IHC on the same slide for simultaneous RNA and protein detection

### RESEARCH PRODUCTIVITY TOOLS

#### SIMPLE WESTERN



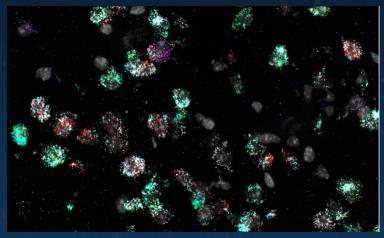
- Hands-free, fully automated western...no gels, no film, no manual analysis
- Protein identification and quantification
- 3 Hours from sample to answer vs. manual process that can take up to 2 days

BIOMARKER DISCOVERY TISSUE PATHOLOGY WORKFLOW



- Transcriptomics:
  - Gene expression tools for tissue, exosomes and/or cfDNA
  - ACD, ExosomeDx
- Proteomics:
  - Protein expression as diagnostic signatures
  - Single/Multiplex immunoassays, automated multiplex (Ella)

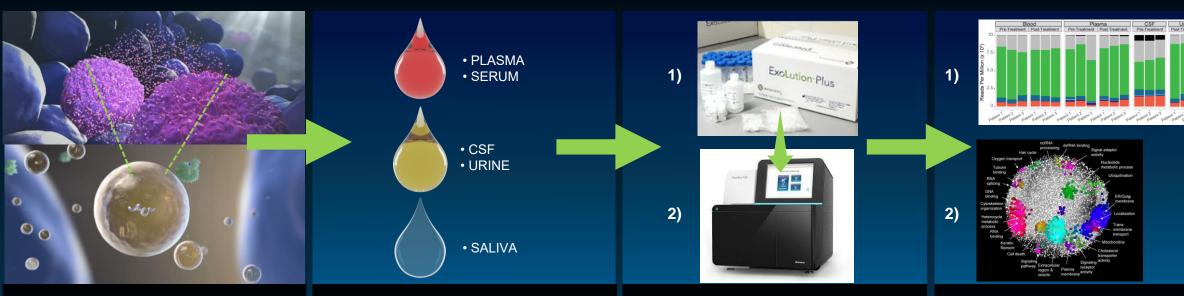
(ACD)



- Spatial analysis with single cell resolution
- Highly sensitive and specific
- Multiplexing capabilities
- Get the answer the first time with ACD probes

### **EXOSOME BASED LIQUID BIOPSY**

COMPLETE PROFILING OF exoRNA



#### EXOSOME RELEASE

- Active process from living cells, part of intercellular communication
- Exosomes contain the entire RNA transcriptome from the donor cells, along with proteins, glycans & metabolites

#### BIOFLUID

- Multiple Biofluids
- From as little as 0.5 mL up to 2.0 mL

#### **EXOSOME ISOLATION**

- 1) Clinical grade ( ExoLution\*)
  \*Highly reproducible
- 2) RNAseq Whole Transcriptome Sequencing

### BIOMARKER PATHWAY ANALYSIS

Exosome RNA analysis enables real-time longitudinal monitoring of cellular processes

- 1) Biofluid content
- 2) Pathway mapping

INDICATIONS TIMELINE: 2017	2021	2023
PHARMA CDx : Biomarker Discovery, Clinical Trials, Companion Diagnostics, EGFR, BRAF, ARV7	TRANSPLANT REJECTION: Kidney	NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASE: Alzheimer's, Parkinson's Disease
UROLOGY: EPI	EPI Repeat Biopsy and TERT	EPI Active Surveillance

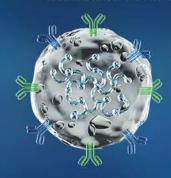
### **CELL & GENE THERAPY WORKFLOW SOLUTION**



RX

Leukapheresis White blood cells obtained from patient through leukapheresis

Cloudz™ Antibody-coated beads used to activate the T cells

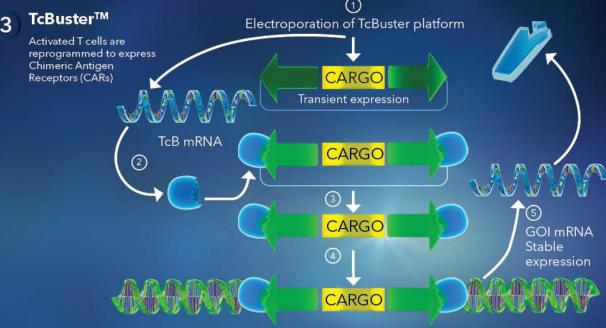


Simple Plex™ Assays

> Patient receives lymphodepleting chemotherapy prior to T cell treatment

Ella™

CART cells are transfused back into the patient and Ella is used to monitor Cytokine Release Syndrome (CRS)

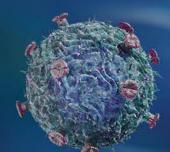


Schematic overview of TcBuster mechanism of transposition.

1. TcB transposase pastes the transposon cargo into the genomic DNA. 5. Cargo mRNA is stably expressed into the cell. 2. Protein from TcB mRNA is produced. 3. TcB transposase cuts the cargo from the transposon plasmid.

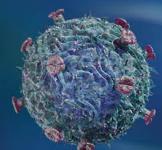


Reprogrammed T cells are screened for CAR gene expression



 GMP Proteins • ProDots™

CARs expressing T cells are expanded ex vivo



- Immunocytochemistry
- Flow Cytometry Antibodies

Expanded T cells are tested for CAR expression

### END MARKET BREAKDOWN

END MARKETS	MARKET SIZE	MARKET GROWTH RATE	BIO-TECHNE GROWTH RATE	BIO-TECHNE MARKET PENETRATION
PROTEOMIC RESEARCH REAGENTS	\$3B	MID-SINGLE DIGIT	8%-10%	10%
PROTEIN ANALYTICAL TOOLS	\$2B-\$3B	MID-SINGLE DIGIT	15%-20%	10%
CELL CULTURE & GENE THERAPY	\$3B-\$5B	>20%	$\infty$	1%
DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS	\$1B-\$2B	MID-SINGLE DIGIT	4%-6%	10%
TISSUE PATHOLOGY	\$1B-\$2B	MID-SINGLE DIGIT	20%-30%	5%
LIQUID BIOPSY	\$3B-\$4B	>20%	$\infty$	1%

### FINANCIAL RESULTS UNDER CURRENT LEADERSHIP





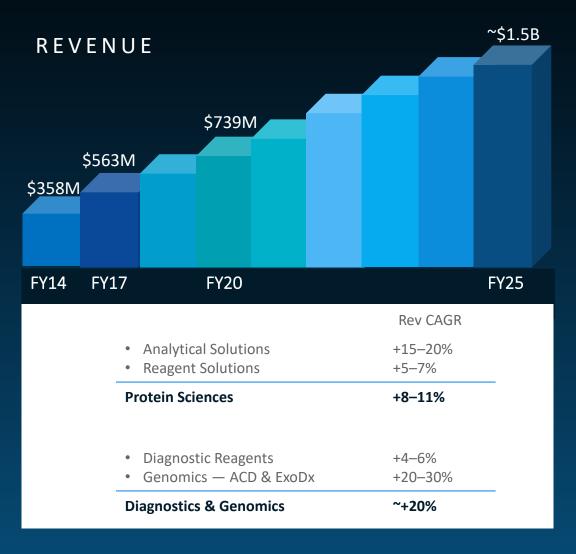
## ADJUSTED OPERATING INCOME(\$M)

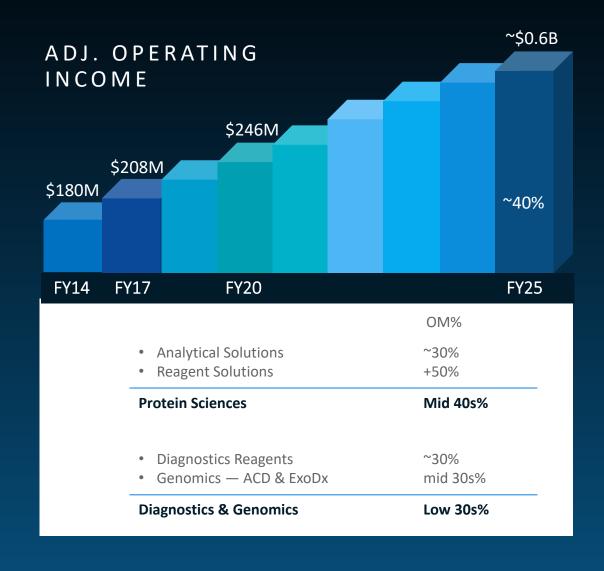


## CASH FROM OPERATIONS (\$M)



### POSITIONED FOR STRONG FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE





<sup>\*</sup> All figures are expressed in millions (\$M) or billions (\$B)

<sup>\*\*</sup> Assumes no further unannounced acquisitions

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