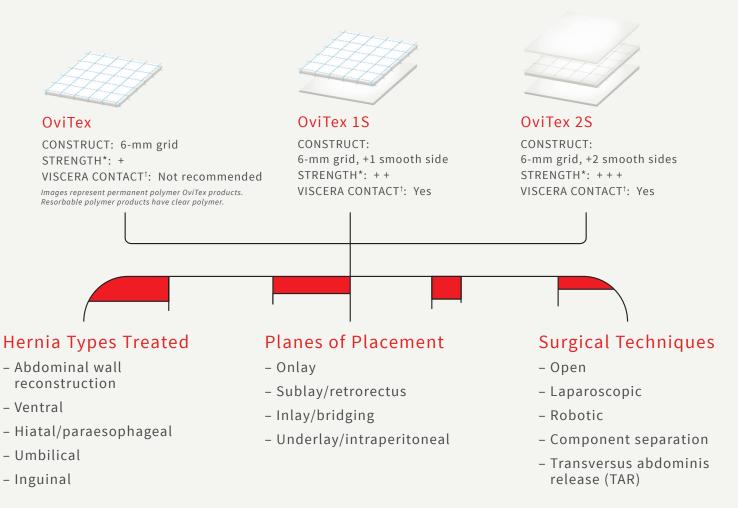


# Purposefully Designed Products with Broad Clinical Application

in Hernia Repair and Abdominal Wall Reconstruction

The portfolio consists of 3 configurations, each available with either **permanent** (polypropylene) polymer or **resorbable** (polyglycolic acid) polymer, reinforcing the same biologic building block (ovine rumen).

The innovative and versatile product line is a solution for a wide range of hernia patients and surgical techniques.



<sup>\*</sup>Biomechanical data on file.

The strength of a synthetic and the flexibility of a biologic are an ideal reinforcement. I have used OviTex in several challenging hernia patients and have been very impressed by its ease of incorporation and the patient outcomes.

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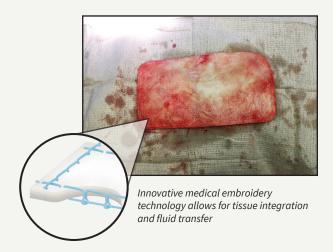
#### **Important Safety Information**

OviTex Reinforced BioScaffolds are intended for use as a surgical mesh to reinforce and/or repair soft tissue where weakness exists. Indications for use include the repair of hernias and/or abdominal wall defects that require the use of reinforcing or bridging material to obtain the desired surgical outcome.

Caution: Federal law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician. Do not use OviTex in patients known to be sensitive to materials of ovine (sheep) origin. For additional important safety information, please see the OviTex Reinforced BioScaffold Instructions for Use.

OviTex 1S and OviTex 2S were shown to not adhere in an animal model. Rabbit data on file. Correlation to results in humans has not been established.

## Surgeons Report Ease of Placement and Handling Properties as Key Benefits





Absorbs blood and fluids in the wound; appears like fascia by the time fixation is complete

### Ease of handling

- Trimmable—Easy to cut and shape
- Pliable and flexible—Easy to place, tack, and suture; conforms well to the contours of the surgical site
- □ Versatile—Handles well in minimally invasive surgeries (laparoscopic and robotic)

### Clinical observations

- Reduction in drainage—Drainage appears to be less in volume and duration when compared to similar procedures using traditional synthetic or biologic implants
- **Absorbent**—Absorbs wound fluids and blood at the time of implant, giving the device a fascia-like appearance by the time fixation is complete

## OviTex Reinforced BioScaffolds Portfolio—Tissue and Polymer Working Together

Providing clinical benefits and improved handling properties for a wide range of hernia patients and surgical techniques, at a compelling value.

#### Important Safety Information (continued)

A surgeon must use his or her own clinical judgment when deciding which products are appropriate for treatment of a particular patient. Always refer to the package insert, product label, and/or instructions for use before using any TELA Bio product. Products may not be available in all markets because product availability is subject to the regulatory and/or medical practices in individual markets. Please contact your TELA Bio representative if you have questions about TELA Bio products.

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