## Industry-DEC collaborations Highland Biosciences Ltd.

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### **Summary**



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## **Company**



- Designs, manufactures and sells laboratory equipment
- Focus on point of use technologies
- Strategy to enter the in-vitro diagnostics market



#### The LC-01 research viscometer

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### **Technology**



## The technology delivers viscoelastomeric assay results (TEG/ROTEM) at the point of care





# HBL-DEC collaborative SBRI project



### Key activities:

- Gathering information from stakeholders
  - health care professionals, NICE, Buyers / Commissioners, Regulators
- Proof of concept pilot study with code red patients
- Clinical pathway research and economic modelling
- Testing instrumentation concepts and quantifying the human factors



### **Planned Outcomes**



- A route to adoption
  - Clear and tested proposition
  - De-risked technical performance with a first clinical evaluation
  - A vision that all the stakeholders buy into
  - A clear and investable commercial plan for further investment by InnovateUK and private equity
- A new instrument perfectly tailored to the needs of the NHS delivered by 2018.

### Conclusion



- This project embraces the best industry innovation practises: lean start-up methodology.
  - We are going to fully quantify the market "pull" before we start the development "push"
- The DEC multi-disciplinary team are powerful partners to any new product development or start-up company
  - The DEC are an efficient portal to the complex NHS system