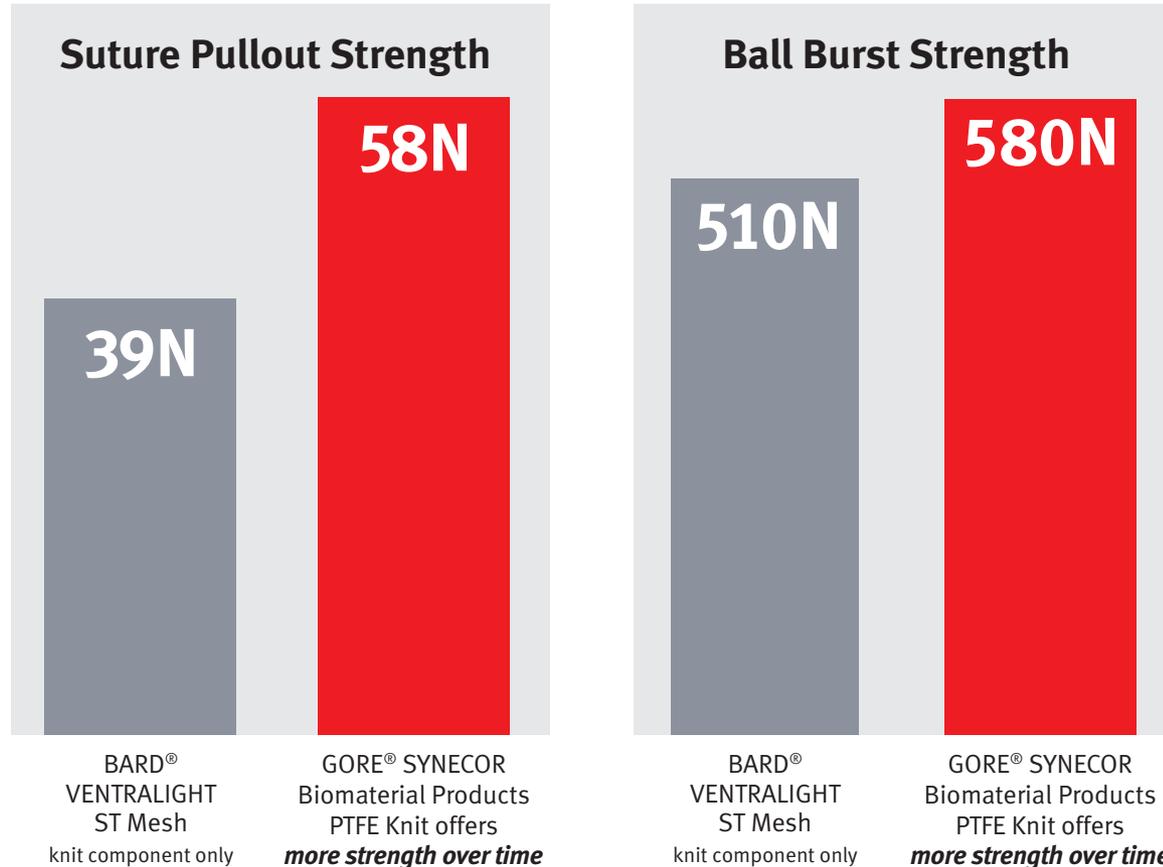


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GORE® SYNECOR Biomaterial PTFE Knit provides greater strength for the duration of hernia repair.*,¹



Address high BMIs / Comorbidities / Complex repairs

Strength has become critical in hernia repair as body mass indices (BMI) continue to increase. To support a single-stage repair, a biomaterial must be able to maintain its strength over the life of the patient.²

Unlike polypropylene knits, Gore's dense, macroporous PTFE knit can maintain the surface area desired in lightweight materials without sacrificing strength, promoting a durable, single-stage repair.

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NOTE: The strength for measurement for GORE® SYNECOR Biomaterial is for the knit component only.¹ For the other product, measurement was conducted for the full construct after 28 days degradation of absorbable components.¹ For the composite mesh products, the strength measurement may be lower than out of the box strength once the respective bioabsorbable components are degraded.

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