

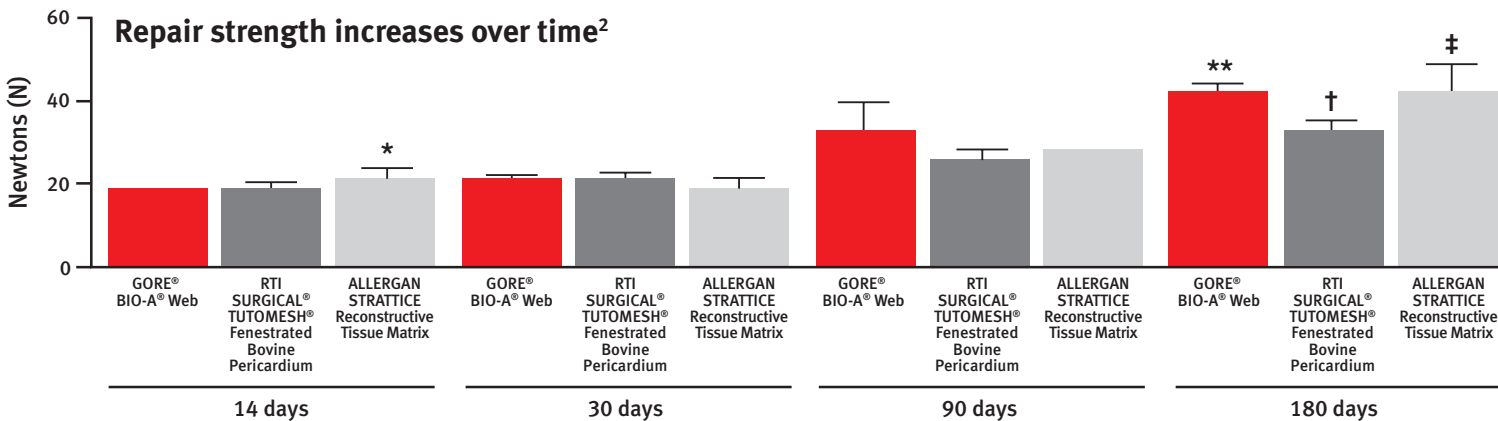
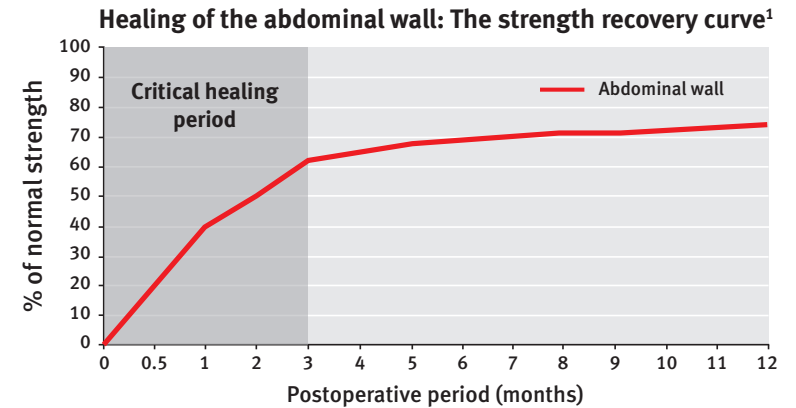
Better AWR Outcomes. Reinforced by Data.



What is truly “Stronger, Longer”?

Repair strength achieved through rapid vascularity to build quality tissue fast, and reinforced by the 3D scaffold that gradually absorbs during the critical healing period

GORE® BIO-A® Tissue Reinforcement provides a unique 3D tissue-building scaffold that elicits a specific tissue response during the critical wound healing period. With a targeted absorption period of six to seven months to facilitate a positive physiological response during the wound healing cycle and avoid the risk for long-term mesh-related complications.



GORE® BIO-A® Tissue Reinforcement is fully absorbed and replaced by a robust layer of organized collagen, leaving behind only a strong repair.²

The results (Newtons) were expressed as the mean ± SEM at 14, 30, 90 and 180 days post-implantation. GORE® BIO-A® Web: **, vs. 14 days and 30 days (P < 0.01). RTI SURGICAL® TUTOMESH® Fenestrated Bovine Pericardium: *, vs. 90 days (P < 0.01); †, vs. 14 days and 90 days (P < 0.05) and 30 days (P < 0.01). ST (ALLERGAN STRATTICE Reconstructive Tissue Matrix): ‡, vs. 14 days and 30 days (P < 0.05).



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10 YEARS EFFECTIVE CLINICAL USE

Complex and high-risk AWR cases
Hiatal / Paraesophageal hernia repair
Demonstrated economic value

- **MORE** than 150 publications
- **LOW** recurrence rates in hiatal hernias
- **LOW** recurrence rates in complex ventral hernias
- **OVER 1700** patients in the clinical literature
- **TARGETED** absorption period avoids the risk for long-term mesh-related complications
- **LOWER** cost alternative to other non-permanent products



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