

#### NASDAQ: CEMI



### Rapid Tests for Earlier Treatment<sup>™</sup>



Investor Presentation – March 2015

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### **Our Vision & Mission**

We enable longer and healthier living through detection and monitoring of serious diseases.

Our mission is to be a leader in the development and commercialization of diagnostic solutions. We are dedicated to delivering high-quality products that provide ease of use, and rapid and accurate results at the point-of-care (POC). As a global company, we are committed to innovation and the highest quality standards.





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## **Global POC Diagnostics Company**

#### U.S.

- Revenue (FY '14): \$7.2MM or 28%
- Established U.S. Sales & Marketing (June '14)
- DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2 FDA-Approved, CLIA-Waived
- Funded Research: CDC, DOD, NIH (2013)

#### EUROPE

- Achieved CE mark for SURE-CHECK<sup>®</sup> HIV (July '13)
- Achieved CE mark for HIV STAT-PAK<sup>®</sup> (March '14)
- Pending CE mark for DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV and DPP<sup>®</sup>
  HIV/Syphilis Assays

#### ASIA

Established License, Technical
 Transfer, Contract Manufacturing,
 Distribution Agreement (Feb. '14)

#### LATIN AMERICA

- Revenue (FY '14): \$16.4MM or 63%
- Strong OEM Partnerships (e.g., FIOCRUZ, Labtest)
- Branded products sold to NGOs, private distributors

#### MERA (Middle East, Russia, Africa)

- Revenue (FY '14): \$2.1MM or 8%
- Sales channel: NGO-direct & through distributors
- Procurements primarily funded by PEPFAR, Global Fund, and WHO



## POC In-Vitro Diagnostics (IVD) Total Global Market

#### **Professional POC Market (\$ million)**

	2011 Sales	2016 Sales	CAGR
Glucose	1,530	1,640	1%
Infectious Disease	810	950	3%
Critical Care	725	875	4%
Cardiac Markers	500	650	5%
Hematology	430	500	3%
Coagulation/PT, ACT	400	450	2%
Fecal Occult Blood	295	450	9%
Cholesterol/Lipids	275	355	5%
Drugs of Abuse	265	270	0%
HbA1c	150	300	15%
Other	150	190	n/a
Pregnancy	130	135	1%

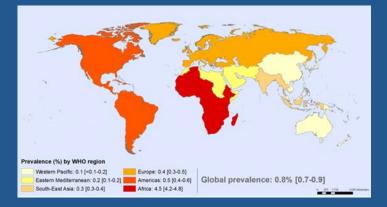


### **Current Market Opportunities**

#### **HIV Market**

- 35.2 million people were living with HIV/AIDS worldwide in 2012
- 1.6 million people died of AIDSrelated illnesses in 2012
- In total, ~75 million people have been infected with the HIV virus and ~36 million have died of HIV

HIV Prevalence (15-49 years), by WHO Region



#### **Syphilis Market**

- Approx. 12 million people globally become ill with syphilis annually
- From 2005-2013, syphilis cases in the U.S. nearly doubled, from 8,724 to 16,663
- Syphilis in pregnancy leads to ~305,000 fetal & neonatal deaths annually

New Cases of STIs, by WHO Region





### HIV In The U.S. - The Importance Of Testing

- More than 1.1 million people in the United States are living with HIV infection, and almost 1 in 6 of them (15.8%) are unaware of their infection
- There are ~50,000 new infections per year in the U.S.
- For every HIV infection that is prevented, an estimated \$355,000 is saved in the cost of providing lifetime HIV treatment



### **Chembio "Lateral Flow" POC Tests**

#### Two Lateral Flow POC HIV Tests

- Chembio HIV 1/2 STAT-PAK®
- Chembio SURE CHECK<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2<sup>1</sup>
- Key Product Features
  - FDA (PMA)-Approved, CLIA-Waived
  - Sensitivity: 99%
  - CE Marked, WHO Approved
- Lateral flow patent expired in February 2015
  - Chembio's royalty payments for lateral flow technology ended Feb 2015



Chembio HIV 1/2 STAT-PAK ®

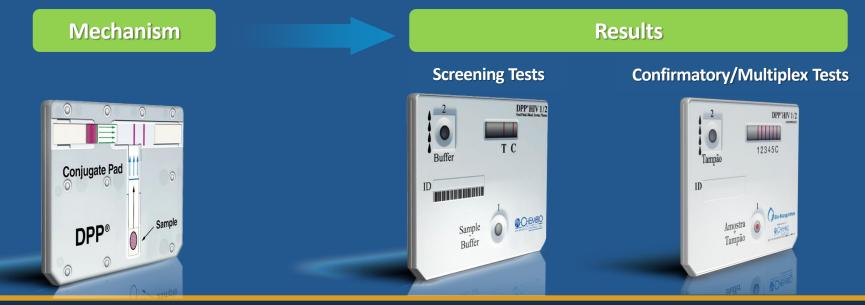


Chembio SURE CHECK<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2\*



## Chembio's "Dual Path Platform" (DPP<sup>®</sup>) Technology

- Patented technology
- Allows improved sensitivity and specificity compared to lateral flow technology
- Enables multiple test results via a single blood sample (e.g., HIV-Syphilis Combo Assay)
- Offers application within infectious disease and potential for a number of other indications





### **DPP® Assays - Commercial Products**

### DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2 Assay

- U.S. FDA (PMA) approved, CLIA-Waived for use with blood and oral fluid samples
- U.S. Launch Q4 2014
- Entering the ~\$35MM oral fluid assay market
- Superior performance (sensitivity) vs. competitors
- Patented SampleTainer<sup>®</sup>
  Sample Collection System

### **DPP HIV-Syphilis Combo Assay**

- First to market with POC HIV-Syphilis combo assay
- First HIV-Syphilis assay to be USAID approved
- First to receive ANVISA approval (Brazil)
- Successfully launched in Mexico
- Global screening opportunity:
  - Pregnant Women (Incidence 1.9MM)<sup>1</sup>
  - MSM (up to 70% HIV-Syphilis coinfection)<sup>2</sup>



## **DPP<sup>®</sup> Internal Development Pipeline**

### DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV-Syphilis Assay (U.S. market)

 Next Generation DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV-Syphilis "Combo" Assay for detection of HIV and Syphilis Antibodies

### DPP<sup>®</sup> HCV Assay

- Next Generation DPP<sup>®</sup> HCV Assay for the detection of Hepatitis C Antibody

### • DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV Ab/Ag Assay

- Next Generation DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV for the detection of HIV Antibody and Antigen
- DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2 Oral Fluid Assay Enhancements
  - Next Generation DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2 Assay for the enhanced detection of HIV Antibodies in oral fluid



### **DPP®** Research Collaborations

- DPP<sup>®</sup> Malaria (Multiplex Assay)
  - Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- DPP<sup>®</sup> Dengue Fever (Multiplex Assay)
  - Undisclosed Partner
- DPP<sup>®</sup> Ebola and Febrile Illness (Multiplex Assay)
  - Integrated BioTherapeutics, Inc.
- DPP<sup>®</sup> Flu Immunostatus (Multiplex Assay)
  - Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) Contractor
- DPP<sup>®</sup> Traumatic Brain Injury (Multiplex Assay)
  - Perseus Science Group, LLC
- DPP<sup>®</sup> Cancer (Specific Form) Assay
  - Undisclosed Partner



### **DPP®** Technology Collaborations

- Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. (NYSE: BIO)
  - DPP<sup>®</sup> Technology Used for Bio-Rad Geenius<sup>™</sup> HIV 1/2 Confirmatory Assay
- Oswaldo Cruz Foundation (Brazil)
  - Five DPP<sup>®</sup> Products Currently Being Sold to NGO's and Private Distributors
- Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)
  - Research Collaboration Agreement: DPP<sup>®</sup> Ebola and DPP<sup>®</sup> Febrile Illness
- LabTest (Brazil)
  - Assembly, Distribution DPP<sup>®</sup> Co-branded (2015 Product Registration)
- RVR (Malaysia)
  - License, Technical Transfer, Contract Manufacturing, Distribution
- Other
  - Additional Opportunities in Discussion/Development

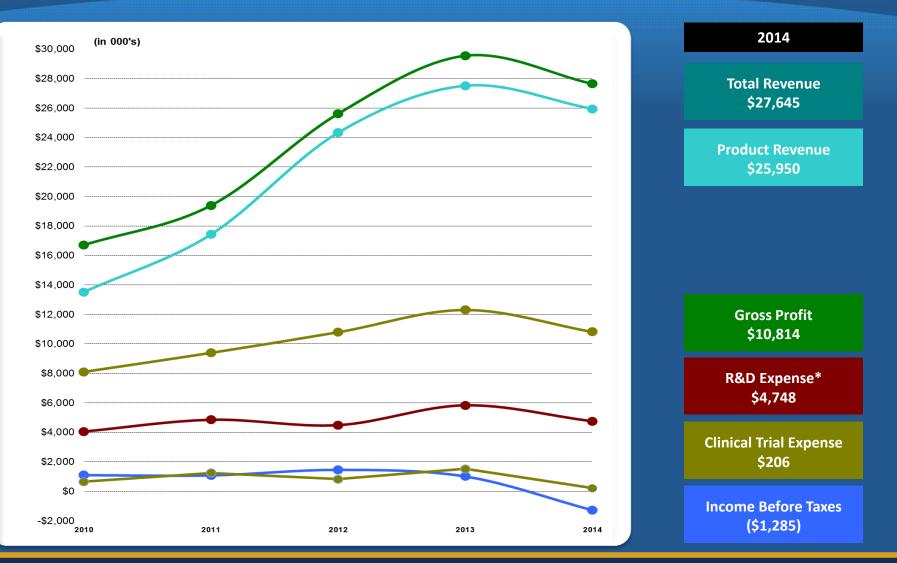


## **Chembio Manufacturing Capabilities**

- Leased facilities (~60,000 sq. ft.) in Medford and Holbrook, NY
- High Volume Manufacturing Capabilities (>15MM tests annually)
- Robust Quality Management System
  - POC tests serve diverse, regulated market
  - Audited routinely by FDA CDRH/CBER, WHO, USDA, ISO (LNE), and our partners
  - Expertise in manufacturing scale up, process validation and cGMP
- Approximately 162 employees



### Selected Financial Data (FY 2010 – 2014)





# **Selected Financial Highlights**

Years Ended (In 000's)	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2013
NET PRODUCT REVENUES	\$25,950	\$27,516
TOTAL REVENUES	\$27,645	\$29550
GROSS MARGIN	\$10,814	\$12,300
INCOME FROM OPERATIONS	(\$1,285)	\$1,005
NET INCOME	(\$937)	\$531
CASH (as of end of period)	\$4,615	\$9,650



### 2014 Milestones - Achieved

- Product Development/Regulatory
  - Achieved CE Mark for HIV 1/2 STAT-PAK<sup>®</sup>: Mar 2014
  - Received CLIA Waiver for DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2 CLIA: Oct 2014
  - Entered development agreements for Dengue Fever and specific Cancer assay: Oct 2014
  - Signed Agreement with CDC Contractor to Develop POC Influenza Immunity: Nov 2014

### Corporate/Operations

- Finalized Agreement with RVR (Malaysia) to Build Position in Asia: February 2014
- Established U.S. Distribution/Warehouse Facility in Holbrook, NY: May 2014
- Obtained Exclusive POC License for Certain IBT Ebola Reagents: Oct 2014
- Increased Manufacturing Footprint and Capacity in Medford, NY: Dec 2014

### Commercial / Sales & Marketing

- Terminated STAT-PAK<sup>®</sup> Distribution Agreement with U.S. Distributor: Jun 2014
- Established U.S. Sales & Marketing team (DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2, HIV 1/2 STAT-PAK<sup>®</sup>): Jun 2014
- Signed DPP<sup>®</sup> and STAT-PAK<sup>®</sup> agreements with 3 leading U.S. distributors: Sep-Oct 2014



### 2015 Milestones – Achieved & Anticipated

#### Product Development/Regulatory

- Entered into Agreement with Perseus to Develop DPP<sup>®</sup> Brain Injury Assay: January 2015
- Grant from Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to Develop DPP<sup>®</sup> Malaria: January 2015
- Achieved ANVISA Approval for DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV-Syphilis Assay in Brazil: February 2015
- Provide DPP Malaria-Ebola Assay to CDC for Field Testing in West Africa
- Initiate Clinical Trial for DPP HIV-Syphilis Assay (U.S.)

#### Corporate/Operations

- Hired Paul Lambotte Ph.D. (VP, Product Development): December 2014
- Commercial / Sales & Marketing
  - Acquired Full Rights to SURE CHECK<sup>®</sup> HIV 1/2 Assay, Effective June 1, 2016: January 2015
  - Expand Chembio U.S. Commercialization Team
  - Enter into Additional Distribution Agreements in the U.S. Market
  - Launch DPP<sup>®</sup> HIV-Syphilis Assay in Brazil



## **Executive Leadership Team**

Executive	Previous Experience	Joined
John J. Sperzel III President & CEO	2011-2013, President and CEO of ITC.; 1987-2011 Axis- Shield, Bayer Diagnostics, Instrumentation Laboratory and Boehringer Mannheim	2014
Richard Larkin, CPA Chief Financial Officer	2000-2003, CFO of Visual Technology Group; 1987-2000 CFO of Protex International Corp.	2003
Sharon Klugewicz, M.S. Chief Operating Officer	2009-2012, Sr. VP Scientific & Laboratory Services of Pall Corporation; 1991-2009 Pall Corporation	2012
Javan Esfandiari, M.S. Chief Science & Technology Officer	1997-2000, Co-Founder of Sinovus Biotech AB (Sweden), acquired by Chembio in 2000; 1993-1997 R&D Director On- Site Biotech	2000
Thomas Ippolito VP Regulatory & Clinical Affairs	2000-2005, VP Quality & Regulatory of Biospecific Technologies Corp.; 1984-2000 United Biomedical Inc., Analytab Products Inc. and Eastern Long Island Hospital	2005
Michael Steele VP Sales Marketing & Bus. Dev.	2008-2011, VP Business Development of SeraCare Life Sciences; 1992-2008 Corautus Genetics, Life Therapeutics and Serologicals, Inc.	2012
Paul Lambotte VP Product Development	2009-2014, President of PLC Inc.; 2009-2012, Chief Science Officer Axxin Pty Ltd.; 2000-2009, VP of R&D and Business Development	2014



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