## Industry: Biotechnology

- Target Markets: Bioprocessing, Biomanufacturing, Biomarker Detection
- Target Customers: Biotech, Biopharma, CMOs, CROs, and Research Institutions

#### Management

- Lori Yang, Ph.D.
  Co-Founder, CEO, and CSO
- Sean Wu, Ph.D.
  Director of Operations, Athens

## **Board of Directors**

- Lori Yang, Ph.D.
  Co-Founder, CEO, and CSO
- Robert Woods, Ph.D.
  Co-Founder, President, and
  Scientific Advisory Board chair
- Kausar Samli, Ph.D.
  Associate Founder

# **Scientific Advisory Board**

- Gerald Hart, Ph.D.
  Professor and GRA Eminent Scholar, CCRC at UGA
- John Nolan, Ph.D.
  Professor, Scintillon Institute for Biomedical and Bioenergy Research
- Michael Pierce, Ph.D.
  Director of the UGA Cancer Center and Distinguished Research Professor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, CCRC at UGA

#### Non-Dilutive Funding to Date

\$9M in seed funding and NIH grants and contracts

## **Intellectual Property**

- Glycan-Specific Analytical Tools: U.S. Patent No. 9,926,612
   Japanese Patent No. 6360462
   European Patent No. 2367562
   Israeli Patent No. 230066
- Catalytically inactive carbohydrate processing enzyme, methods and uses thereof: Israeli Patent No. 212806
- Carbohydrate-binding polypeptide: U.S. Patent No. 10,358,637
   European Patent (intent to grant)
- Glycomimetics to Inhibit Pathogen-Host Interactions: U.S. Patent No. 9,605,014

## **Executive Summary:**

 Lectenz Bio seeks to enhance and simplify the glycan biomarker discovery process, increasing research and production efficiency in the glycoscience and therapeutic biologics industries

Lectenz Bio

- The company has developed the Lectenz<sup>®</sup> and GlycoSense<sup>™</sup> platforms as part of its extensive IP portfolio
- These platforms enhance disease biomarker detection and the development and production of therapeutic biologics and biosimilars

#### **Key Value Drivers:**

- The Lectenz<sup>®</sup> and GlycoSense<sup>™</sup> platforms simplify glycan identification and analysis for applications in disease biomarker detection and bioprocessing of biologics and biosimilars
- Lectenz Bio products offer robust and cost-effective solutions to current bottlenecks in glycan analysis and will simplify the workflow associated with glycoprofiling, biologics development, biomanufacturing, diagnostics, and R&D
- Additional kits and reagents are being developed and beta tested in both academic and commercial environments

# **Market Opportunity:**

- Lectenz Bio is targeting several overlapping biotechnology and biopharma market segments, including proteomics, glycomics, diagnostics, and biotherapeutics, for both research and clinical applications
- The steady growth of therapeutic biologics and biosimilars creates a market need for glycan detection technologies and products that enable near real-time screening and batch monitoring during biomanufacturing
- By offering simplified methods for glycan detection and analysis, Lectenz Bio products are positioned for rapid customer adoption alongside the increasing growth of the biologics and biosimilars market

# **Lectenz Bio Revenue Pipeline:**

#### **Product Pipeline:**

- Sialic Acid Lectenz<sup>®</sup> kits for the detection of terminal sialic acid relevant to manufacturing biologics and analysis of markers relevant to cancer and other diseases (2018)
- Glyco Enzyme suite (2019)
- *N*-Glycan Lectenz<sup>®</sup> reagents for the detection and enrichment of *N*-glycoproteins relevant to glycomics and manufacturing biologics such as mAbs (2020)
- GlycoSense<sup>™</sup> kits for monitoring *in vitro* glycoengineering (2020)
- GlycoSense<sup>™</sup> kits for near real-time qualitative glycan analysis of biologics and biosimilars (2021)

## Additional Revenue Sources:

- Service for custom designed Lectenz<sup>®</sup> reagents and GlycoSense<sup>™</sup> kits
- Joint product development partnerships

## Advantages of Lectenz Bio Products:

## Lectenz<sup>®</sup> Kits:

- Engineered from carbohydrate-processing enzymes as a new class of glycomics reagents that have well defined specificities and tunable properties
- · Recombinant, ensuring minimum lot to lot variability

#### GlycoSense<sup>™</sup> Kits:

- Quick, robust, and reliable method to determine relative amounts of key glycosylation features at a fraction of the time and cost of current industry approaches
- · Complementary to current MS or HPLC based glycoprofiling

# Glyco Enzymes:

- · Recombinant, ensuring minimum lot to lot variability
- · Free of protease and glycosidase contaminants
- · Higher activity relative to competitors