



## **DERMAPURE® SIGNALS A NEW DIRECTION IN SOFT TISSUE REGENERATION**

A next-generation decellularized dermal allograft



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# NOT ALL SURGICAL GRAFTS ARE CREATED EQUAL

All soft tissue surgical grafts have a purpose and function for surgeons, but not every graft can deliver on multiple procedural needs.

## SURGICAL GRAFT GOALS

**Repair & Replace**

OR

**Reconstruct & Structurally Support**

What if there was a graft that could meet multiple needs of the surgeon, regardless of procedure?



**GRAFT TAKE**



**GRAFT INTEGRATION**



**GRAFT HANDLING**

**Choose DermaPure® for a surgical graft without compromise.**

Add the allograft designed to meet your needs and signal a confident outcome.



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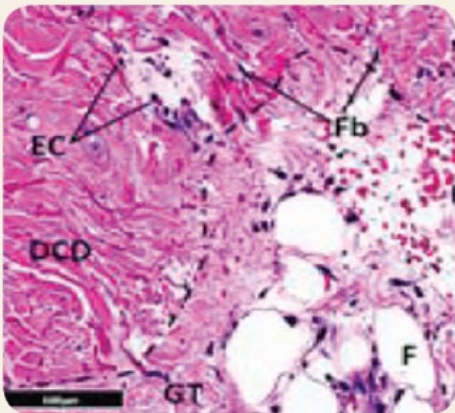
## DERMAPURE® ENABLES GRAFT TAKE

After application, DermaPure® impacts soft tissue revascularization at the surgical site by signaling cellular migration and proliferation.



DermaPure® is an intact extracellular matrix with vascular-like channels necessary for revascularization.

DermaPure® retains collagens, proteoglycans, glycosaminoglycans, and other extracellular matrix proteins.



DermaPure® provides an access point for proliferation of native cells, including endothelial cells and fibroblasts.

### x20 magnification

- **DCD** - DermaPure®
- **EC** - Endothelial Cells
- **Fb** - Fibroblast
- **F** - Subcutaneous fat
- **GT** - Cranulation Tissue
- **Black dotted line** - border between DermaPure® and host tissue

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DermaPure® facilitates the re-establishment of vascular channels, providing an access point to signal cellular activity enabling successful graft take in just seven days.<sup>1</sup>

# DERMAPURE<sup>®</sup> PROMOTES GRAFT INTEGRATION

Skin substitutes differ in many ways: tissue source, processing methodologies, patient response — and surgeon use.

## Xenografts

- Enhanced biomechanical strength, but less organized. Non-human matrix provides less infiltration for vascular integration
- Cross-linking of xenograft tissue can inhibit cell migration and proliferation
- Disorganized granulation tissue vessels are rapidly replaced by fibrotic tissue<sup>1</sup>

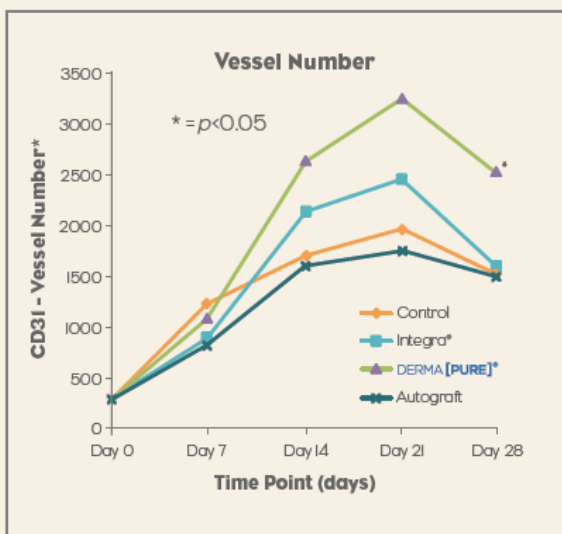
## Autografts

- Prolonged operating room time with tissue harvesting and implantation
- Native tissue procured for target procedure may be insufficient and require follow-up procedure
- Patient comorbidities can affect the quality of tissue harvested and associated integration

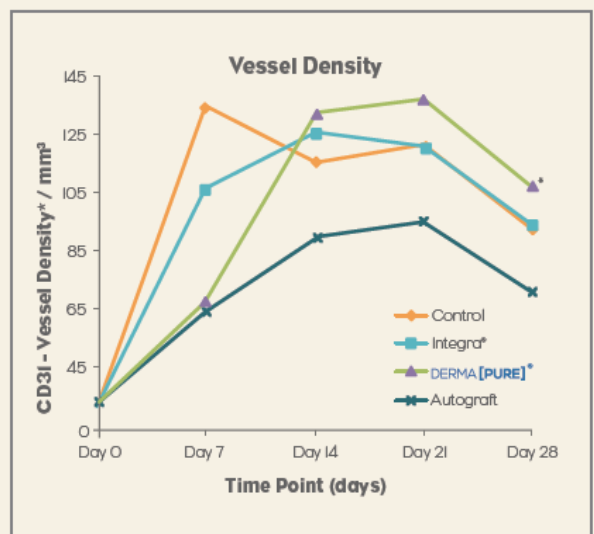
DermaPure<sup>®</sup> is a human-derived acellular matrix that has been demonstrated to provide **higher pro-angiogenic response during integration** with reduced fibrosis compared to Integra<sup>™</sup> (xenograft) and control (secondary intention).<sup>1</sup>

## REVASCULARIZATION:

### Higher Quantity with DermaPure<sup>®</sup>



### Higher Quality with DermaPure<sup>®</sup>

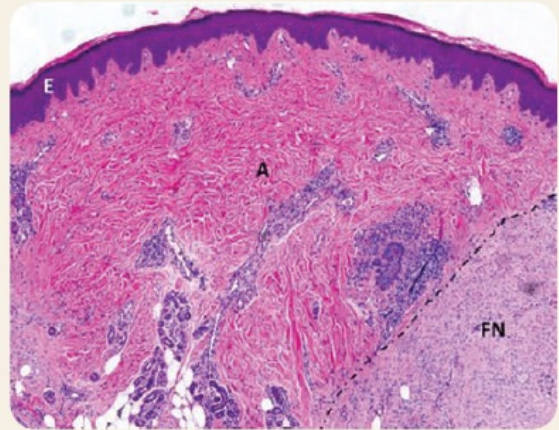


## DermaPure<sup>®</sup> integrates with and closely approximates the structure and function of native tissue.<sup>2</sup>

### Autograft

Displays retention of normal ECM architecture and minimal fibrosis

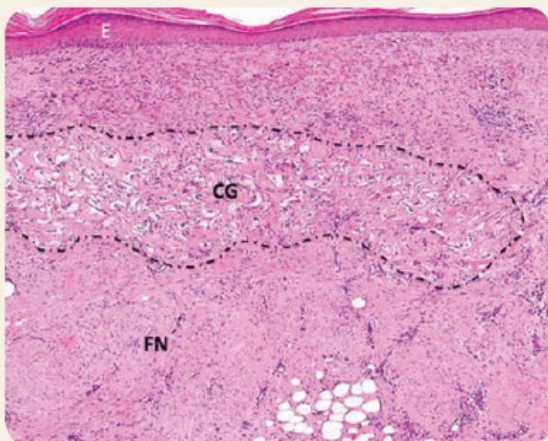
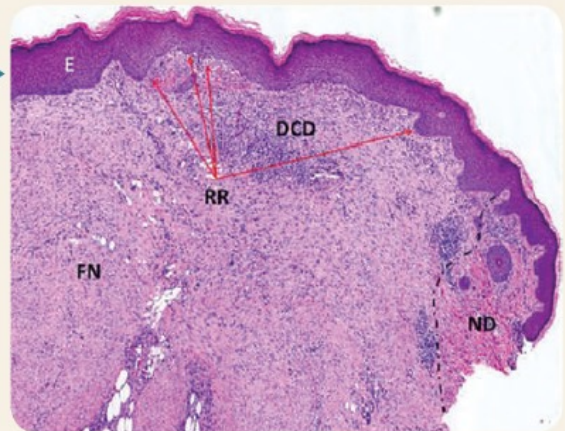
- **A** - Autograft
- **FN** - Fibrotic Neodermis.
- **E** - Epidermis



### DermaPure<sup>®</sup>

Illustrates dense cellular infiltration, partial rete ridge reformation, uniform fibrosis, and **could not be distinguished from native dermis** once infiltrated by host cells.

- **DCD** - DermaPure<sup>®</sup>
- **ND** - Native Dermis
- **RR** - Rete Ridges
- **FN** - Fibrotic Neodermis
- **E** - Epidermis



### Integra (Xenograft)

- Displays a dense, thick band of fibrosis and remains visibly present.
- Structural differences with xenograft group influences the distribution and organization of the vascular network required for integration.

- **CG** - Integra
- **FN** - Fibrotic Neodermis
- **E** - Epidermis

# DERMAPURE® OPTIMIZES CRAFT HANDLING

DermaPure® is a thin, decellularized dermal allograft with enhanced handling and suturability that doesn't trade off strong biomechanical properties.

## DERMAPURE® BIOMECHANICAL PERFORMANCE<sup>3</sup>

Biomechanical Test*	Thickness**	Ultimate Tensile Strength	Tensile Maximum Load	Tensile Elastic Modulus	Tensile Stiffness	Burst Maximum Load	Burst Maximum Pressure	Suture Peak Load
Metric	mm	MPa	N	MPa	N/mm	N	N/cm <sup>2</sup>	N
<b>DermaPure®</b>	<b>1.06 - 1.16</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>364.3</b>	<b>1,022.4</b>	<b>50.0</b>
Market Leader 1.0 mm	1.00 - 1.18	16.4	81.3	52.8	10.8	368.4	1,033.8	47.7
Market Leader 1.5 mm	1.34 - 1.76	12.3	89.4	40.7	12.8	361.7	1,015.2	47.7
Market Leader 2.0 mm	1.80 - 2.00	22.6	214.6	62.5	24.6	682.5	1,915.6	84.5

- Values statistically significantly lower than DermaPure®
- No statistically significant difference from DermaPure®
- Competitor values statistically significantly higher than DermaPure®

\*Tissue Regenix data on file; all results are mean values

\*\*Mean thickness range of samples measured prior to biomechanical testing

### Biomechanical Test Definitions

**Ultimate Tensile Strength (UTS)** – Maximum resistance to failure and load carried by one square unit area (stress).

**Tensile Maximum Load** – Maximum load used to calculate UTS; this result is dependent on the size & thickness of test specimen.

**Tensile Elastic Modulus** – The measure of a material's resistance to being deformed elastically (i.e. non-permanently) when a stress is applied to it.

**Tensile Stiffness** – The measure of a material's resistance to being deformed when a load is applied to it.

**Burst Maximum Load & Pressure** – Measure of force and pressure required to rupture or puncture specimen.

**Suture Peak Load** – Maximum force that can be applied before a suture pulls through the specimen.



# dCELL® TECHNOLOGY IS THE DIFFERENCE

**Not all tissue processing is the same: each process utilizes different methods.**

Unlike alternative tissue processes, dCELL® Technology is a unique, proprietary, and patented process that produces high-quality, decellularized donor tissue with nearly no structural disruption and promotes regeneration.

	dCELL® Technology	Alternative Processes*
<b>Remove Donor Cells and Cellular Debris</b>	Uses extremely low concentration of single anionic detergent (SDS-0.01%) to remove donor cells and cellular debris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Anionic detergents (NLS, SDS) can damage structural and mechanical properties of tissue<sup>4</sup></li><li>● Tissue integrity can be affected by number of anionic detergents used, concentration, and duration used during processing</li><li>● Intact cells still present in donor tissue<sup>5</sup></li></ul>
<b>Remove DNA</b>	Utilizes a nuclease treatment that results in >99% DNA removal <sup>3</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Lack of nuclease treatment results in incomplete DNA removal</li><li>● Residual DNA may trigger immunogenic response that could lead to failure or complications</li></ul>
<b>Preserve Tissue Structure</b>	Use of protease inhibitors helps preserve native tissue structure and biomechanical properties <sup>6</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Tissue structure and biomechanical properties may be altered when protease inhibitors are not utilized</li><li>● Limits potential to promote regeneration</li></ul>
<b>Neutralize Pathogens and Microbial Sterility</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Terminally irradiated to provide a sterility assurance level (SAL) of <math>10^{-6}</math> for neutralization, essentially eliminating all pathogens</li><li>● Reduces risk of further contamination and disease transmission<sup>7</sup></li><li>● Provides microbial sterility</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Aseptically processed tissue yields an SAL of <math>10^{-3}</math></li><li>● May not eliminate the inherent microbial bioburden in tissue<sup>7</sup></li></ul>

\*Based on review of patents and scientific literature



**dCELL® Technology delivers on each of the fundamentals of Tissue Decellularization that sets it apart from other biologic options.**

- **Low concentration of SDS** to remove donor cells and cellular debris, while preserving tissue integrity
- **Nuclease treatment** for near complete DNA removal
- **Protease inhibitors** to preserve tissue structure, tissue integrity, and biomechanical properties
- **Terminally irradiated** to neutralize and eliminate pathogens to provide microbial sterility

# DERMAPURE® SIGNALS A NEW DIRECTION IN SOFT TISSUE REGENERATION

- Minimally manipulated to preserve tissue structure
- Signals cell migration and proliferation
- Increases angiogenesis and reduces fibrosis
- Optimal handling and biomechanical strength in a thin profile biologic

Reference Number	Thickness (mm)	Product Description
010200HD	0.3 - 0.9	1 cm x 2 cm DermaPure Decellularized Dermal Allograft
020200HD	0.3 - 0.9	2 cm x 2 cm DermaPure Decellularized Dermal Allograft
020300HD	0.3 - 0.9	2 cm x 3 cm DermaPure Decellularized Dermal Allograft
030400HD	0.3 - 0.9	3 cm x 4 cm DermaPure Decellularized Dermal Allograft
040600HD	0.3 - 0.9	4 cm x 6 cm DermaPure Decellularized Dermal Allograft
071000HD	0.3 - 0.9	7 cm x 10 cm DermaPure Decellularized Dermal Allograft

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