

# **Fiscal 2019 1Q Financial Results**

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# **Quarterly Highlights**











#### Significant Revenue Growth

• Significant revenue growth, \$11.5M, an increase of 166% over 1Q FY18 and 37% sequentially

#### Synthetic Biology

- Shipped approximately 71,250 genes in 1Q FY18 compared to approximately 44,800 in 1Q FY18
- Non-Ginkgo revenue growth of 92% over 1Q FY18
- · Continued to improve turnaround time
- Launched 5kb genes
- Introduced Twist API (TAPI)

#### NGS

- Shipped to 115 customers in the 1Q FY19 with 18 customers now in production mode
- Received ISO 9001:2015 and 13485:2016 certification for its NGS quality management systems
- Increased quarterly fixed costs of \$0.6M to scale NGS infrastructure to meet demand

#### Biopharma

• Generated early proof-of-concept data from the GPCR library and antibody optimization platform

#### **Data Storage**

• Continued progress toward developing platform for DNA synthesis of terabytes of data daily

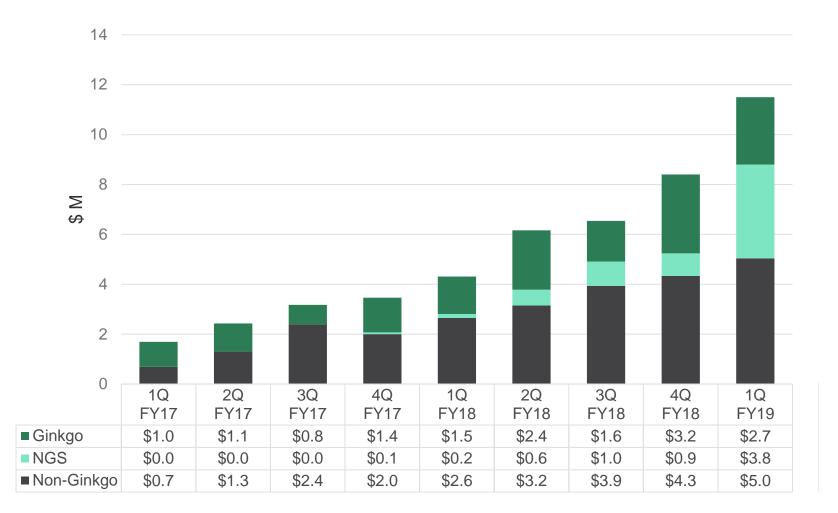
**Booking Trend \$M** 





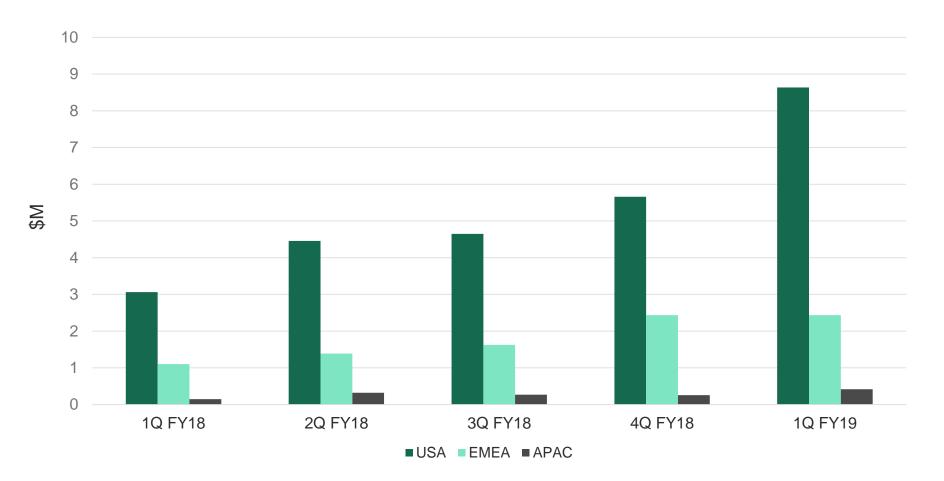
**Revenue Trend \$M** 







## NGS contributing to strong sequential growth in Americas





## **1Q FY19 Quarterly Results**



Total Loss from Operations: \$22.9M Gross Margin: -3% margin or loss of \$0.4M Operating Expenses: \$22.5M R&D: \$7.3M, as compared to \$6.1M in 4Q SG&A: \$15.3M, as compared to \$13.0M in 4Q Accounts Receivable: \$7.0M, compared to \$5.4M in 4Q Cash Balance as of December 31, 2018: \$130.2M

### **Financial Guidance**



Projecting increased revenue in the range of \$47 to \$49 million and increasing our net loss guidance to \$92 to \$94M, up from \$80 to \$82 million for fiscal 2019

- Increased stock-based compensation costs of approximately \$7.0 million, a non-cash item
- \$1.4 million associated with one-time public company readiness and NGS ramp costs incurred in the first quarter of fiscal 2019
- Increased investment in NGS operations of approximately \$0.6 million per quarter driven by staffing increases associated with the increased NGS market opportunity
- \$1.5 million investment in biopharma as we increase our projected investment from \$5.0 million

# **Twist Bioscience Pipeline & Milestones**



MARKET OPPORTUNITIES	EXPLORATION	PROOF OF CONCEPT	BETA	COMMERCIAL	NEXT STEPS
<b>Synthetic Biology:</b> Synthetic Genes, DNA Libraries and Oligo Pools <sup>1</sup>					<ul> <li>Continue to drive growth, add market share</li> <li>NPI roadmap</li> </ul>
Genomics: Targeted NGS <sup>2</sup>					<ul> <li>Convert NGS pilot accounts to production</li> <li>Launch NGS e-commerce platform</li> </ul>
Biological Drug Discovery and Development <sup>3</sup>					<ul> <li>Expand proof-of- concept data package</li> <li>Longer-term: Establish partnerships</li> </ul>
Digital Data Storage in DNA					Continue to develop partnerships to explore digital data storage in DNA

<sup>1</sup> Products addressing this market include clonal, non-clonal genes (gene fragments), oligo pools and DNA libraries

<sup>2</sup> Products addressing this market include NGS exome capture and NGS custom capture

<sup>3</sup> Products addressing this market include custom DNA libraries, our proprietary GPCR-targeting antibody library and our antibody optimization solution

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