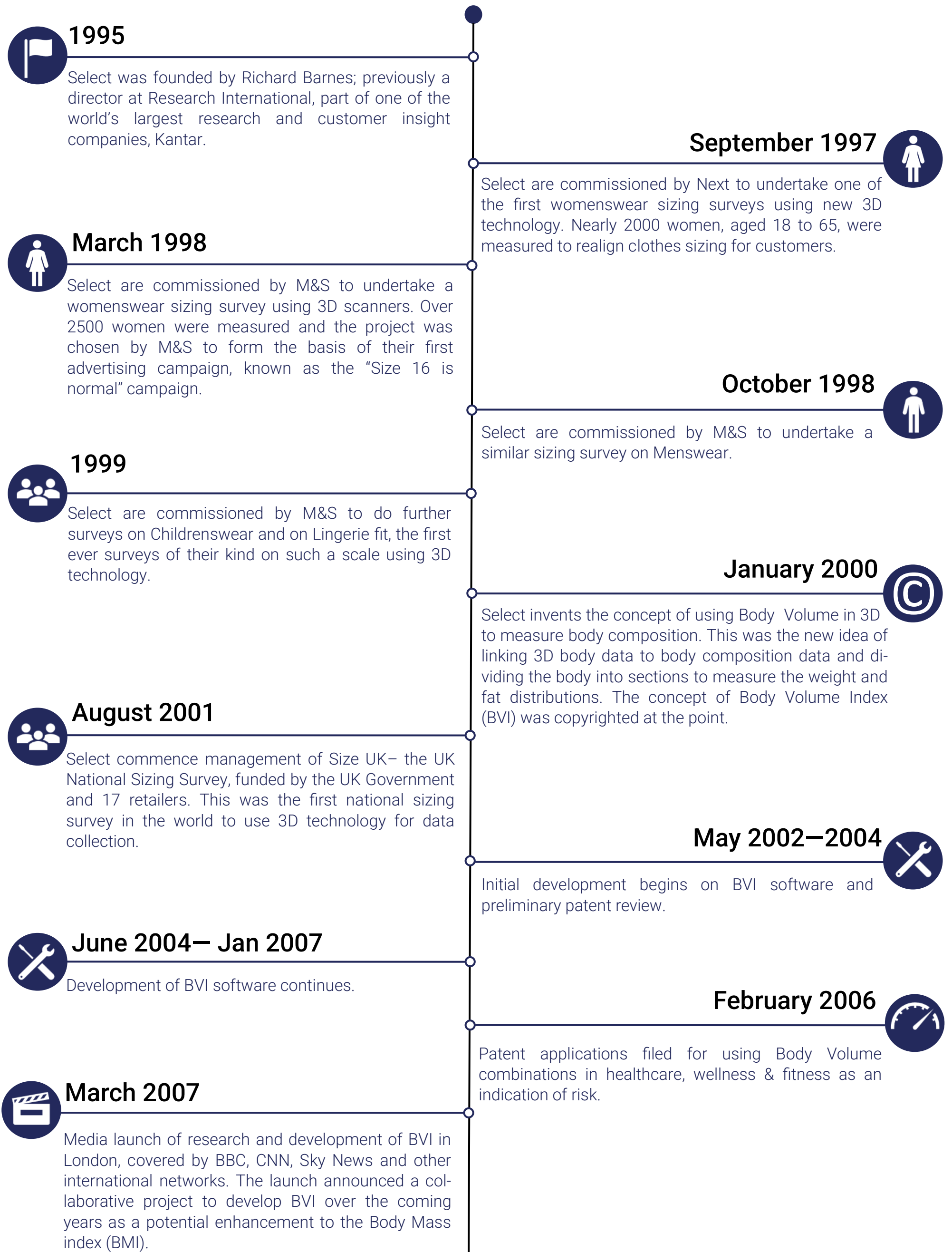


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August 2007

International worldwide patent published.

October 2007



European trademark granted.



March 2008

Heartlands NHS Hospital undertake first trials of BVI on the ability of the software to motivate individuals to lose weight.

July 2008



National Childrenswear sizing survey undertaken, the first ever using 3D technology. Over 2500 children between the ages of 4 and 17 were measured. This was sponsored by 7 major retailers.



December 2008

The Medical Research Council (MRC) and Mayo Clinic commit to long-term contracts with Select to validate and develop BVI for the assessment of risk to health.

April 2009



BVI trademark granted by US Patent Office.



November 2009

Measurement of babies and toddlers for ShapeGB National Childrenswear Survey provides new data for sizing standards, the first data available since 1990.

March 2010



ShapeGB trade mannequins released for retail industry use, to standardize sizing for children.



November 2010

BVI is reviewed by the UK Government, who subsequently requested that Select develop a low cost mobile application version of BVI for the NHS.

January 2011



Prototype development of new mobile based BVI system commences.



October 2011

Initial development of 3D data capture using the Body Volume system is undertaken.

November 2012



New iOS based application for the Body Volume technology, developed and tested by the MRC and Mayo Clinic.



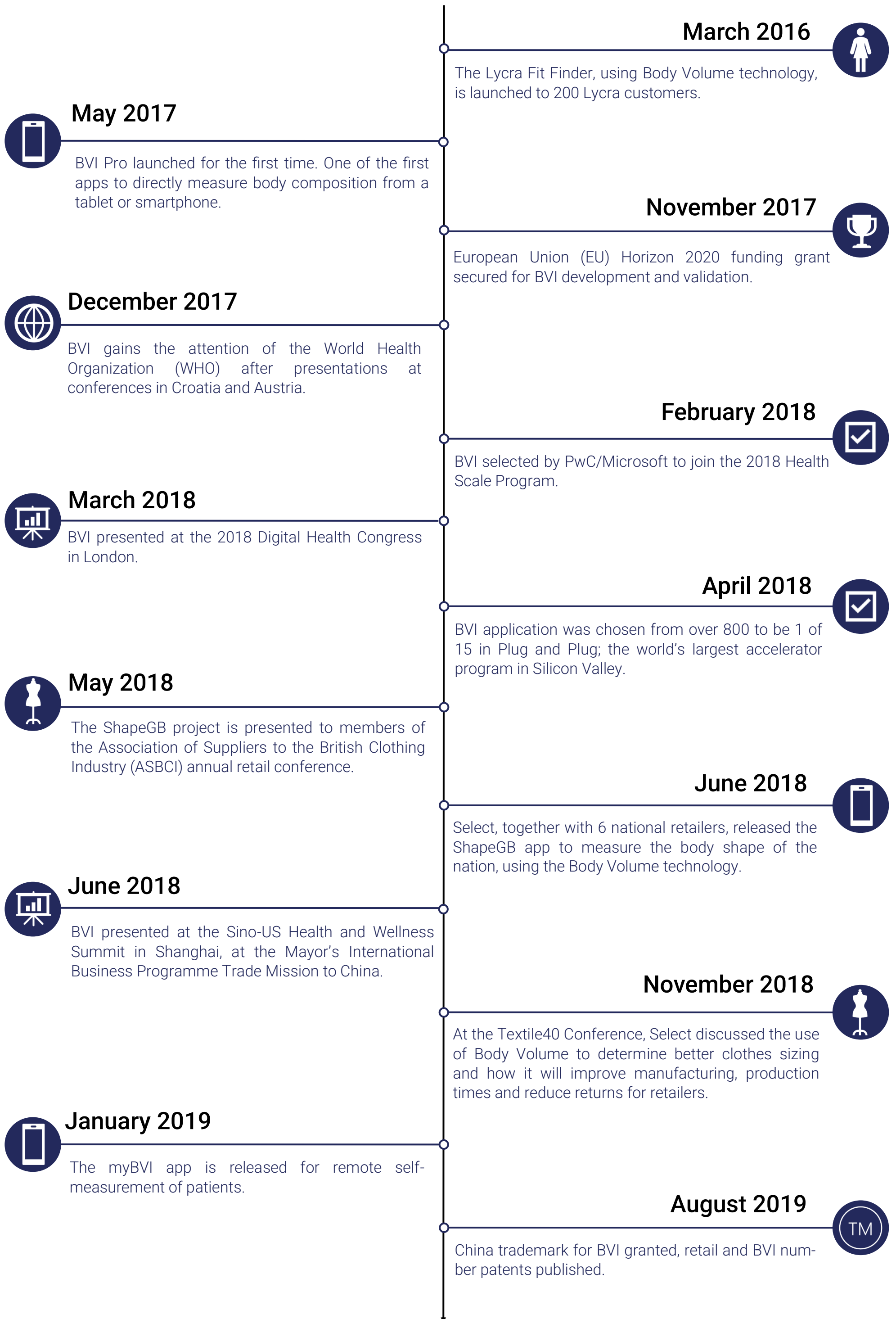
2014 – 2015

Technical research, validation and development of the Body Volume system continues.

January 2016



BVI undergoes trials in the NHS, supported by 7 of the Health Innovation Networks (formerly AHSNs) across the UK.





January 2020

R&D project to apply BVI for insurance risk and underwriting purposes commences.



June 2020

Initial WHO supported trials of BVI in Malawi, India and Zimbabwe completed, with further trials planned until 2023.



April 2021

Development of the BVI API commences to integrate algorithms into a platform solution.



September 2022

Select receive funding from Innovate UK to assist deployment of BVI into the NHS.



March 2023

US Patent for BVI Pro and other applications granted for the prediction of body composition from tablet or smartphone images .

March 2020



UK trademark granted for "Body Volume Index".

August 2020



Research paper validating BVI against DEXA is accepted for publication.

April 2022



Mayo Clinic publish an interim paper comparing BVI to BMI as a predictor of the metabolic syndrome. The conclude BVI is 19% better than BMI at predicting risk.

November 2022



The BVI API and documentation are released on the website.

November 2023



Re-release of the new and improved BVI Pro, aimed for use in Primary care settings by a Healthcare Professional.