## Cell Invasion: Simplified Protocol

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| Coat plate with collagen-1 (or other ECM) and incubate overnight. | Plate cells on top of thin-layer matrix, and allow them to adhere for several hours. | Create wound area using Essen® 96-Well WoundMaker™ in just seconds. | Layer collagen gel on top of cells to create 3D matrix. | Use the Essen® IncuCyte™ to:  
- automatically collect time-lapse images,  
- observe cell morphology,  
- quantify cell invasion. |

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