

Fast. Accurate. Exceptional.

Get to know the **cobas**[®] **Synergy** Solution



Enhance workflow and improve productivity

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cobas® Synergy Solution automates pooling of blood donations and provides archiving for long-term storage. A complement to the **cobas**® 5800/6800/8800 Systems, it offers an end-to-end NAT solution for plasma donor screening centers and blood screening laboratories.

The system has a capacity per run to:

required, eliminating an unnecessary processing step and allowing for increased productivity and quicker release of results.

Pools of pools are not



load up to 768 samples



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128 pools

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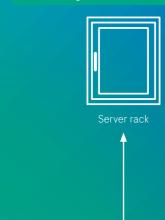


Link your lab

cobas[®] Synergy Solution seamlessly connects the Pooling Information Manager (which directs the Hamilton STAR pipettor for pooling and archiving) with the cobas[®] 5800, cobas[®] 6800 and cobas[®] 8800 Systems. LIS or Middleware • **cobas[®] pro** integrated solutions



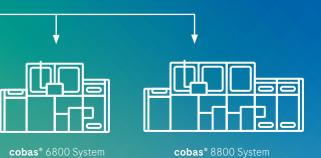
Pooling Information Manager





cobas[®] 5800 System

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The **cobas**[®] **Synergy** Solution eliminates manual handling steps – the primary risk for cross-contamination events.

Unlike other systems, the **cobas® Synergy** Solution requires just two touchpoints when loading the ready-to-use reagents and controls on the **cobas**® 5800/6800/8800 Systems

Achieve optimal throughput

With a high capacity pooling solution, you can create more pools with fewer instruments. That translates to higher throughput and faster release of results.

- Allows for direct loading of primary plasma blood samples and lysed whole blood samples.
- Laboratories processing tests from whole blood samples (e.g., Babesia) can load the primary sample tube directly onto the pooler without any sample preparation.

Depending on your laboratory's needs, the solution can be used to process Individual Donor Testing (IDT) or Primary Pool (PP) sizes:

- PP1 (1ml) plasma and lysed whole blood
- PP6 plasma and lysed whole blood
- PP24 or PP96 plasma

Experience enhanced safety

Since 1998, our pooling solutions have accurately and safely streamlined the workflow in labs of all sizes. cobas® Synergy Solution includes built-in safety measures that track each donor sample through every step of the process-from pooling through NAT testing through release of results.

- Manages orders and results
- Supports aliquoting including aliquot plate data

• Provides an easy-to-use interface that guides through pooling and aliquot plate runs

- Keeps track of donor sample IDs within each pool enabling easy and reliable pool deconstruction
- Validates and transmits results
- Manages exclusion lists

With a comprehensive approach to pooling, you can be confident in the results and certain that each result aligns accurately to an initial donation tube.



You asked, we delivered We asked laboratory professionals

how Roche could improve the lab experience and were told:

- Create larger pool sizes
- Get more tests from a single pool
- Provide direct pooling
- Enhance turnaround times
- Reduce touchpoints to reduce risk for error

cobas® Synergy Solution delivers on each of these requests.

Realize greater efficiency

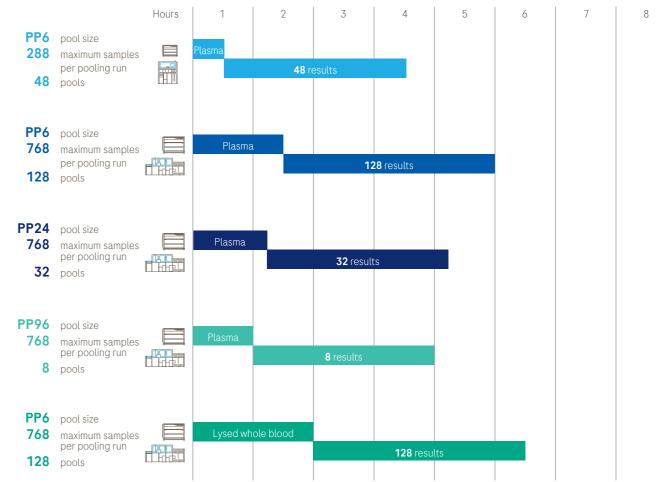
Roche Healthcare Consultants will design a customized solution to help your laboratory meet its unique goals. cobas® Synergy Solution brings greater efficiency to your lab by:

- Eliminating many touchpoints for pooling donor samples, thereby reducing labor requirements, process variability and opportunities for error
- Demanding less reloading of donor samples due to a large deck capacity
- Supporting up to 24 poolers and up to 3 data managers **cobas**[®] 5800 System or up to 5 IG servers **cobas**[®] 6800/8800 Systems. Combinations are also possible.
- Generating a variety of reports so you can manage and analyze results and performance

When paired with the **cobas**[®] 5800, cobas[®] 6800 or cobas[®] 8800 Systems, the system:

- Uses ready-to-use reagents
- Offers onboard refrigeration
- Leverages high throughput automation with maximum walk-away time so you can focus on more value-added work

Workflow examples





Proven service and support today and tomorrow

Roche introduced the world to PCR and we're committed to supporting you as we move into the future. With more than 2,000 technical and field experts serving customers in more than 70 countries, no other company offers a stronger, more dedicated team to support you. One call gives you access to a world-class support organization, and our technical hotlines connect you immediately to local support teams backed by global experts.

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