



STATEMENT

We, ACON Laboratories, Inc., having a registered office at *5850 Oberlin Drive #340, San Diego, CA 92121* authorize SRL Sanmedico having a registered office at *A. Corobceanu street 7A, apt. 9, Chisinău, MD-2012, Moldova*

to register, notify, renew or modify the registration of medical devices on the territory of the Republic of Moldova.

Date: March 18, 2024

Signature:

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Qiyi Xie, Md, MPH
V.P. of Regulatory & Clinical Affairs
ACON Laboratories, Inc.



Certificate

No. Q5 104507 0001 Rev. 03

Holder of Certificate: **ACON Laboratories, Inc.**
5850 Oberlin Drive, #340
San Diego CA 92121
USA

Certification Mark:



Scope of Certificate: **Design and Development, Manufacture and distribution of In Vitro Diagnostic Test Kits and Reagents for the Determination of Infectious Diseases, Clinical Chemistry, Drugs of Abuse, Tumor/Cardiac Marker, Fertility/Pregnancy and Blood Glucose Monitoring System, Lancing Devices and Lancets**

The Certification Body of TÜV SÜD Product Service GmbH certifies that the company mentioned above has established and is maintaining a quality management system, which meets the requirements of the listed standard(s). All applicable requirements of the testing and certification regulation of TÜV SÜD Group have to be complied with. For details and certificate validity see: [www.tuvsud.com/ps-cert?q=cert:Q5 104507 0001 Rev. 03](http://www.tuvsud.com/ps-cert?q=cert:Q5_104507_0001_Rev._03)

Report No.: SH22743A01

Valid from: 2022-09-15
Valid until: 2025-09-06

Date, 2022-09-15



Christoph Dicks
Head of Certification/Notified Body

Certificate

No. Q5 104507 0001 Rev. 03

Applied Standard(s):

EN ISO 13485:2016
Medical devices - Quality management systems -
Requirements for regulatory purposes
(ISO 13485:2016)
DIN EN ISO 13485:2016

Facility(ies):

ACON Laboratories, Inc.
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Address holder for registration only

ACON Laboratories, Inc.
10125 Mesa Rim Road, San Diego CA 92121, USA

Manufacture and distribution of
In Vitro Diagnostic Test Kits and Reagents for the Determination of
Infectious Diseases, Clinical Chemistry, Drugs of Abuse,
Tumor/Cardiac Marker, Fertility/Pregnancy and Blood Glucose
Monitoring System, Lancing Devices and Lancets

ACON Laboratories, Inc.
6865 Flanders Dr., Suite B, San Diego CA 92121, USA

Storage of
In Vitro Diagnostic Test Kits and Reagents for the Determination of
Infectious Diseases, Clinical Chemistry, Drugs of Abuse,
Tumor/Cardiac Marker, Fertility/Pregnancy and Blood Glucose
Monitoring System, Lancing Devices and Lancets

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Tumor/Cardiac Marker, Fertility/Pregnancy and Blood Glucose
Monitoring System, Lancing Devices and Lancets

Acon Laboratories Inc.
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Manufacture of
blood glucose test strips, antigen rapid test and IgG/IgM antibody
rapid test for infectious disease.



EC Certificate

Full Quality Assurance System

Directive 98/79/EC on In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices (IVDD), Annex IV excluding (4, 6)
(List A and B and devices for self-testing)

No. V1 104507 0003 Rev. 06

Manufacturer: **ACON Laboratories, Inc.**
5850 Oberlin Drive, #340
San Diego CA 92121
USA

Product Category(ies): **Blood glucose measuring systems for self testing
and self-testing devices for clinical chemistry,
hematology and pregnancy and ovulation**

The Certification Body of TÜV SÜD Product Service GmbH declares that the aforementioned manufacturer has implemented a quality assurance system for design, manufacture and final inspection of the respective devices / device families in accordance with IVDD Annex IV. This quality assurance system conforms to the requirements of this Directive and is subject to periodical surveillance. For marketing of List A devices an additional Annex IV (4) certificate is mandatory. All applicable requirements of the testing and certification regulation of TÜV SÜD Group have to be complied with. For details and certificate validity see: www.tuvsud.com/ps-cert?q=cert:V1_104507_0003_Rev.06

Report no.: SH22743EXT01

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EC Certificate

Full Quality Assurance System

Directive 98/79/EC on In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices (IVDD), Annex IV excluding (4, 6)
(List A and B and devices for self-testing)

No. V1 104507 0003 Rev. 06

Model(s):

On Call Plus Blood Glucose Monitoring System,
On Call Plus Blood Glucose Test Strips,
On Call EZ II Blood Glucose Monitoring System,
On Call Advanced Blood Glucose Monitoring System,
On Call Advanced Blood Glucose Test Strips,
On Call Chosen Blood Glucose Test Strips,
On Call Vivid Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-101),
On Call Vivid Blood Glucose Test Strips (OGS-101),
On Call Sharp Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-121),
On Call Sharp Blood Glucose Test Strips (OGS-121)
On Call Plus II Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-171),
On Call Plus II Blood Glucose Test Strips (OGS-171),
On Call Extra Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-191),
On Call Extra Blood Glucose Test Strips (OGS-191),
On Call GK Dual Blood Glucose & Ketone Monitoring System (OGM-161),
On Call Blood Ketone Test Strips (OGS-161),
Urinalysis Reagent Strips (Urine),
UTI Urinary Tract Infection Test Strips,
Cholesterol Monitoring System (CCM-111),
CHOL Total Cholesterol Test Devices (CCS-111),
TRIG Triglycerides Test Devices (CCS-112),
HDL High Density Lipoprotein Test Devices (CCS-113),
3-1 Lipid Panel Test Devices (CCS-114),
Cholesterol CTRL Control Devices,
Cholesterol Monitoring System (CCM-101),
CHOL Total Cholesterol Test Strips (CCS-101),
PT/INR Monitoring System (CCM-151),
PT/INR Test Strips (CCS-151),
Hemoglobin Testing System (CCM-141),
Hemoglobin Test Strips (CCS-141),
hCG Pregnancy Rapid Test Cassette (Urine),
Pregnancy Rapid Test Midstream,
On Call Extra Mobile Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-281),
On Call Sure Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-211),
On Call Sure Sync Blood Glucose Monitoring System (OGM-212),
On Call Sure Blood Glucose Test Strips (OGS-211),
GIMA Blood Glucose Monitoring System,
GIMA Bluetooth Blood Glucose Monitoring System,
GIMA Blood Glucose Test Strips,
On Call GU Dual Blood Glucose & Uric Acid Monitoring



EC Certificate

Full Quality Assurance System

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(List A and B and devices for self-testing)

No. V1 104507 0003 Rev. 06

System (OGM-201),
On Call Blood Uric Acid Test Strips (OGS-201),
LH Ovulation Rapid Test Cassette (Urine),
Ovulation Rapid Test Midstream,
Ovulation & Pregnancy Test Combo Pack,
On Call Extra Voice Blood Glucose Monitoring System
(OGM-291),
Early Detection Pregnancy Test,
Digital Pregnancy Test,
Go-Keto Blood Glucose & Ketone Monitoring System (OGM-
161),
Go-Keto Blood Ketone Test Strips (OGS-161),
Go-Keto Blood Glucose Test Strips,
On Call Extra GM Blood Glucose Monitoring System(OGM-
191),
On Call Extra GM Blood Glucose Test Strips (OGS-191),
On Call Plus GM Blood Glucose Monitoring System,
On Call Plus GM Blood Glucose Test Strips,
Go-Keto Urinalysis Reagent Strips

Facility(ies):

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B.C. CP, MEXICO

Declaration of Conformity

ACON Laboratories, Incorporated
5850 Oberlin Drive #340
San Diego, CA 92121, USA

**We, the manufacturer, declare under our sole responsibility that the
in vitro diagnostic device:**

Mission[®] Urinalysis Reagent Strips (U031-XX1)

classified as Others in the directive 98/79/EC,

**meets all the provisions of the directive 98/79/EC on *in vitro* diagnostic
medical devices which apply to it**

**The self-declaration is according to Annex III
(excluding Section 6) of the Directive.**

Authorized Representative:
Medical Device Safety Service GmbH
Schiffgraben 41
30175 Hannover, Germany

Signed this 11 day of February, 2020
in San Diego, CA USA



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November 11th 2016

CERTIFICATION LETTER

This letter is to certify that, Vitalie Goreacii, employed by Sanmedico SRL located at: Republic of Moldova, city Chisinau, str. Petricani 88/1 of. 10, MD-2059, have received all required training and is enabled and authorized to provide services with installation, commissioning, and maintenance to the products listed below:

Mission® U120 Urine Analyzer
Mission® U120 Ultra Urine Analyzer
Mission® U500 Urine Analyzer
Mission® PT/INR Coagulation Monitoring System
Mission® Cholesterol Monitoring System
Mission® Ultra Cholesterol Monitoring System
Mission® HB Hemoglobin Testing System
Mission® Plus HB Hemoglobin Testing System
OnCall® Glucose Meter

For further questions or inquiries regarding this matter, please refer to the contact information below.

Sincerely

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Mission® Urinalysis Reagent Strips and Urine Analyzers

Obtain reliable and cost-effective results with *Mission®* Urinalysis Reagent Strips and Urine Analyzers!

- *Accurate*
- *Reliable*
- *Convenient*



ACON®

Global Diagnostics for Local Markets™

Urinalysis Reagent Strips

Simple and Accurate

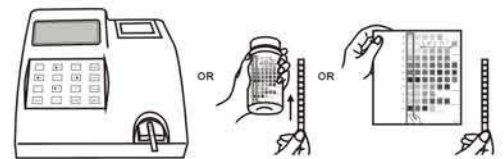
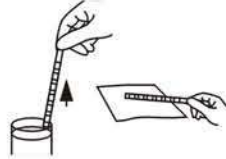
- Analytical sensitivity better than or comparable to market leaders
- High quality color chart ensures accurate visual reading

Flexible

- Compatible for visual and analyzer reading
- More than 30 different combinations available

Multiple Packaging Options and Long Shelf Life

- Canister Packaging
 - Available in 25, 50, 100 and 150 strips per kit
 - 2 year shelf life for unopened canisters which offers cost savings and convenience for high volume testing
 - 3 month shelf life for strips in opened canisters
- Pouch Packaging *New!*
 - Single-strip Pouch
 - Individually packaged strips with 1, 3, 6 and 20 strips and 1 color chart per kit for OTC or low volume testing
 - Unique packaging maintains 2 year shelf life for all strips in the kit compared to 3 months for remaining strips in an opened canister
 - Multi-strip Pouch
 - Canister Refill Kits with 25 strips/pouch uniquely packaged to save cost for low volume testing and extended shelf life by using the canister for refills



Step 1: Immerse strip into urine

Step 2: Remove excess urine

Step 3: Obtain results by analyzer or visual reading

Catalog No.	No. of Parameters	Type of Strip [♦]		Strips per Canister [◇]	Pouch Packaging [▲]	Reading Method			Analyzer-Read Strips: Standard (S) or Additional (A)	Parameters																	
		For Visual Reading	For Analyzer Reading (U120/U500)			Visual	U120	U500		ASC	GLU	BIL	KET	SG	BLO	pH	PRO	URO	NIT	LEU	ALB	CRE					
U031-131	13	13C	NA	100*	✓	✓	NA	NA	A	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	
U031-111	11		11A	100	✓	✓	✓	✓	S	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	
U031-101	10		10U	100	✓	✓	✓	✓	S		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	
			10A			✓	✓	✓	A	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	
			10C			✓	✓	✓	S		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
U031-091	9		9U	100	✓	✓	✓	✓	S		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
U031-081	8		8U	100	✓	✓	✓	✓	A		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	
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U031-071	7		7N	100	✓	✓	✓	✓	A		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
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♦ Type of Strip:
 Visual Strip Size
 1-6 Parameters: 5 mm x 80 mm; 7-11 Parameters: 5 mm x 108 mm;
 12-13 Parameters: 5 mm x 121 mm
 U120/U500 Strip Size
 1-11 Parameters: 5 mm x 108 mm;
 "E" means extended strip length for 1-6 Parameters

◇ Also available in canisters of 25, 50 and 150 strips.
 * Not available in canisters of 150 strips
 ▲ Single-strip Pouch available in 1, 3, 6 and 20 strip kit
 Canister Refill Kit, with 25 strips per pouch or canister, available in 3-pouch and 1- canister kit, or 4-pouch kit



U120 Urine Analyzer



Accurate

- Up to 120 tests/hour in Continuous Test Option
- Capable of reading 1 strip at a time in Single Test Option
- Test modes include Routine, STAT and QC
- Automatic calibration for accurate results and easy operation

Reliable

- Can read up to 4 Strip combinations with 8, 9, 10, 11 parameters, additional strips with 1-11 parameters available upon request
- Minimal training required

Convenient Operation

- Saves and recalls the last 2,000 results automatically
- Audible beep signals operator to dip strips in urine
- Can print up to 3 copies per test for convenient reviewing and easy record keeping
- Option to print results on sticker paper for quick and simple record management

Easy Data Management

- Includes RS232C port for easy data transfer to an external computer or LIS
- Optional Barcode Reader to record patient ID

Unique Lockout Functions *new!*

- Strip Lockout
 - Prevents using strips of another brand on the U120 Urine Analyzer
 - Requires barcode reader scan or manual entry of the canister code
- User Lockout
 - Eliminates unapproved users from testing
 - Up to 10 lab operators can perform testing, but only the lab administrator can change analyzer settings
- QC Lockout
 - Prevents testing without passing QC
 - QC tests can be performed once every 8 hours, day, week or month
 - Analyzer will alert when to run QC test
 - If QC tests fail, analyzer will switch to STAT mode and list "E" at the end of each test number

Specifications

Feature	Specifications
Analyzer Type	Manual
Methodology	Reflectance Photometry
Detection	Photosensitive Diode
Throughput	Single Test Option: 60 tests/hour Continuous Test Option: 120 tests/hour
Test Modes	Routine, STAT and QC
Lockout Functions	Strip Lockout: Available Upon Request; User/QC Lockout: Included with option to turn ON/OFF
Memory	Last 2,000 results
Strip Incubation Time	1 Minute
Wavelength of Monochromatic LED	525 nm and 635 nm
Standard Strips	8, 9, 10, 11 Parameters (5 mm x 108 mm)
Additional Strips Available	1-11 Parameters (5 mm x 108 mm); see URS Parameters
Total Combinations Per Analyzer	4 Combinations
Analyzer Ports	Standard RS232C Port for Barcode Reader or Data Transfer USB Port for Data Transfer 25 Pin Parallel Port for External Printer
Capabilities	Internal Thermal Printer (included) RS232C Barcode Reader (optional) Optional External Printer (not included) USB or RS232C Data Transfer Cable (optional)
Major Readable Barcodes	Code 128, Code 39, Codabar (NW-7), Interleaved 25, UPC-A, UPC-E, EAN 8, EAN 13
Calibration	Automatic
Available Languages on the Screen	English and additional language(s)
Operating Conditions	0-40°C (32-104°F); ≤ 85% RH
Storage Conditions	-5-50°C (23-122°F); ≤ 90% RH
Power Source	100-240 VAC, 50-60 Hz
Dimensions (L x W x H)	27.2 cm x 26.9 cm x 14.6 cm (10.7" x 10.6" x 5.7")
Display Dimensions (L x W)	10.8 cm x 5.7 cm (4.2" x 2.2")
Weight	2.6 kg (5.7 lbs)

Ordering Information

Product Name	Catalog No.	Components	Kit Box Dimensions (L x W x H) & Weight	Carton Dimensions (L x W x H) & Weight	Number of Kits/Carton
U120 Urine Analyzer	U111-101†	1 Urine Analyzer 2 Strip holder 2 Printer Paper Rolls	2 Fuses (2.0A) 1 Power Cord 1 Quick Start Guide 1 Instruction Manual	42.0 cm x 41.5 cm x 31 cm; 5.0 kg 16.4" x 16.2" x 12.1"; 176.4 oz	1
U120 Urine Analyzer with Barcode Reader	U111-111†	1 Urine Analyzer 1 Strip holder 2 Printer Paper Rolls 1 Barcode Reader (RS232C)	2 Fuses (2.0A) 1 Power Cord 1 Serial Splitter Cable (RS232C) 1 Quick Start Guide 1 Instruction Manual	44.5 cm x 44.5 cm x 40.0 cm; 5.5 kg 17.5" x 17.5" x 15.7"; 194 oz	1
Barcode Reader	U221-111†	1 Barcode Reader (RS232C)	1 Serial Splitter Cable (RS232C)	23.6 cm x 10.8 cm x 7.8 cm; 0.482 kg 9.3" x 4.3" x 3.1"; 17.0 oz 63.0 cm x 37.0 cm x 30.0 cm; 12.0 kg 24.8" x 14.6" x 11.8"; 423.3 oz	22
Printer Paper Rolls	U121-101	4 Printer Paper Rolls	Thermal Paper (0.06 m x 20 m): 200 results/roll Sticker Paper (0.06 m x 9 m): 100 results/roll	12.0 cm x 12.0 cm x 6.5 cm; 0.36 kg 4.7" x 4.7" x 2.6"; 12.7 oz 63.0 cm x 37.0 cm x 30.0 cm; 21.4 kg 24.8" x 14.6" x 11.8"; 684.3 oz 12.0 cm x 12.0 cm x 6.5 cm; 0.4 kg 4.7" x 4.7" x 2.6"; 14.1 oz 24.8" x 14.6" x 11.8"; 684.3 oz; 754.9 oz	50
U120 Data Transfer Kit	U221-131†	1 Data Transfer Cable (RS232C)	1 Package Insert	16.0 cm x 13.0 cm x 3.5 cm; 0.147 kg 6.3" x 5.1" x 1.4"; 5.2 oz 25.0 cm x 21.0 cm x 15.0 cm; 1.36 kg 9.8" x 8.3" x 5.9"; 48.0 oz	8

✓ CE Marked for sale in the European Community **CE**
† Cleared for US 510(k)

U500 Urine Analyzer



Accurate and Efficient

- Up to 500 tests/hour for medium/large volume sample testing
- Professional accuracy equivalent to market leader
- Automatic strip detection and alignment for better efficiency
- Test modes include Routine, STAT and QC

Easy to Operate

- Large touch screen LCD offers simple menu navigation
- Uniquely designed strip platform/waste tray unit for easy one-step cleaning

Convenient

- Automatic calibration and waste disposal reduce hands-on time
- Can read strips with 8, 9, 10, 11 parameters, additional strips with 1-11 parameters available upon request
- Strip selection of up to 4 combinations for analyzer reading
- Stores up to 2,000 records and automatically flags abnormal results
- Capable of printing results on sticker paper for quick and easy record management

Data Management Capability

- Includes RS232C port for easy data transfer to an external computer or LIS
- Optional Barcode Reader to record patient ID

Unique Lockout Functions Coming Soon!

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 - QC tests can be performed once every 8 hours, day, week or month
 - Analyzer will alert when to run QC test
 - If QC tests fail, analyzer will switch to STAT mode and list "E" at the end of each test number

Specifications

Feature	Specifications
Analyzer Type	Semi-Automatic
Methodology	Reflectance Photometry
Detection	Photosensitive Diode
Throughput	500 tests/hour (Measuring cycle: 7 seconds/test)
Test Modes	Routine, STAT and QC
Lockout Functions	Strip Lockout: Available Upon Request; User/QC Lockout: Included with option to turn ON/OFF
Memory	Last 2,000 Records
Strip Incubation Time	1 Minute
Wavelength	525 and 635 nm
Standard Strips	8, 9, 10, 11 Parameters (5 mm x 108 mm)
Additional Strips Available	1-11 Parameters (5 mm x 108 mm); see URS Parameters
Total Combinations Per Analyzer	4 Combinations
Waste Disposal Capacity	Up to 150 Strips
Analyzer Ports	Standard RS232C Port for Barcode Reader or Data Transfer 25 Pin Parallel Port for External Printer
Capabilities	Internal Thermal Printer (included) RS232C Barcode Reader (optional) Optional External Printer (not included) RS232C Data Transfer Cable (optional)
Major Readable Barcodes	Code 128, Code 39, Codabar (NW-7), Interleaved 25, UPC-A, UPC-E, EAN 8, EAN 13
Calibration	Automatic
Available Languages on the Screen	English and additional language(s)
Operating Conditions	0-40°C (32-104°F); ≤85% RH
Storage Conditions	-5-50°C (23-122°F); ≤90% RH
Power Source	100-240 VAC, 50-60 Hz
Dimensions (L x W x H)	36.6 cm x 28.3 cm x 19.5cm (14.4" x 11.1" x 7.7")
Display Dimensions (L x W)	11.5 cm x 9.0 cm (4.5" x 3.5")
Weight	4.0 kg (8.8 lbs)

Ordering Information

Product Name	Catalog No.	Components	Kit Box Dimensions (L x W x H) & Weight	Carton Dimensions (L x W x H) & Weight	Number of Kits/Carton
U500 Urine Analyzer	U211-101 [✓]	1 Urine Analyzer 1 Strip Platform/Waste Tray 2 Printer Paper Rolls	2 Fuses (2.0A) 1 Power Cord 1 Instruction Manual	51.0 cm x 42.0 cm x 38.5 cm; 7 kg 20.1" x 16.5" x 15.2"; 246.9 oz	1
U500 Urine Analyzer with Barcode Reader	U211-111 [✓]	1 Urine Analyzer 1 Strip Platform/Waste Tray 2 Printer Paper Rolls 1 Barcode Reader (RS232C)	2 Fuses (2.0A) 1 Power Cord 1 Serial Splitter Cable (RS232C) 1 Instruction Manual	55.0 cm x 55.0 cm x 55.0cm; 9.2 kg 21.7" x 21.7" x 21.7"; 324.5 oz	1
Barcode Reader	U221-111 ^{✓†}	1 Barcode Reader (RS232C)	1 Serial Splitter Cable (RS232C)	23.6 cm x 10.8 cm x 7.8 cm; 0.482 kg 9.3" x 4.3" x 3.1"; 17.0 oz	22
Printer Paper Rolls	U121-101	4 Printer Paper Rolls	Thermal Paper (0.06 m x 20 m): 200 results/roll Sticker Paper (0.06 m x 9 m): 100 results/roll	12.0 cm x 12.0 cm x 6.5 cm; 0.360 kg 4.7" x 4.7" x 2.6"; 12.7oz 12.0 cm x 12.0 cm x 6.5 cm; 0.40 kg 4.7" x 4.7" x 2.6"; 14.1oz	50
U500 Data Transfer Kit	U221-131 [✓]	1 Data Transfer Cable (RS232C)	1 Package Insert	16.0 cm x 13.0 cm x 3.5 cm; 0.147kg 6.3" x 5.1" x 1.4"; 5.2 oz	8

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Mission® Urinalysis Reagent Strips (Urine)

Package Insert

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REF U031-031	REF U031-071	REF U031-111	
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For rapid detection of multiple analytes in human urine.
For *in vitro* diagnostic use only.

INTENDED USE

The Urinalysis Reagent Strips (Urine) are firm plastic strips onto which several separate reagent areas are affixed. The test is for the qualitative and semi-quantitative detection of one or more of the following analytes in urine: Ascorbic acid, Glucose, Bilirubin, Ketone (Acetoacetic acid), Specific Gravity, Blood, pH, Protein, Urobilinogen, Nitrite and Leukocytes.

SUMMARY

Urine undergoes many changes during states of disease or body dysfunction before blood composition is altered to a significant extent. Urinalysis is a useful procedure as an indicator of health or disease, and as such, is a part of routine health screening. The Urinalysis Reagent Strips (Urine) can be used in general evaluation of health, and aids in the diagnosis and monitoring of metabolic or systemic diseases that affect kidney function, endocrine disorders and diseases or disorders of the urinary tract.^{1,2}

PRINCIPLE AND EXPECTED VALUES

Ascorbic acid: This test involves decolorization of Tillmann's reagent. The presence of ascorbic acid causes the color of the test field to change from blue-green to orange. Patients with adequate diet may excrete 2-10 mg/dL daily. After ingesting large amounts of ascorbic acid, levels can be around 200 mg/dL.

Glucose: This test is based on the enzymatic reaction that occurs between glucose oxidase, peroxidase and chromogen. Glucose is first oxidized to produce gluconic acid and hydrogen peroxide in the presence of glucose oxidase. The hydrogen peroxide reacts with potassium iodide chromogen in the presence of peroxidase. The extent to which the chromogen is oxidized determines the color which is produced, ranging from green to brown. Glucose should not be detected in normal urine. Small amounts of glucose may be excreted by the kidney.³ Glucose concentrations as low as 100 mg/dL may be considered abnormal if results are consistent.

Bilirubin: This test is based on azo-coupling reaction of bilirubin with diazotized dichloroaniline in a strongly acidic medium. Varying bilirubin levels will produce a pinkish-tan color proportional to its concentration in urine. In normal urine, no bilirubin is detectable by even the most sensitive methods. Even trace amounts of bilirubin require further investigation. Atypical results (colors different from the negative or positive color blocks shown on the color chart) may indicate that bilirubin-derived bile pigments are present in the urine specimen, and are possibly masking the bilirubin reaction.

Ketone: This test is based on ketones reacting with nitroprusside and acetoacetic acid to produce a color change ranging from light pink for negative results to a darker pink or purple color for positive results. Ketones are normally not present in urine. Detectable ketone levels may occur in urine during physiological stress conditions such as fasting, pregnancy and frequent strenuous exercise.⁴⁻⁶ In starvation diets, or in other abnormal carbohydrate metabolism situations, ketones appear in the urine in excessively high concentration before serum ketones are elevated.⁷

Specific Gravity: This test is based on the apparent pKa change of certain pretreated polyelectrolytes in relation to ionic concentration. In the presence of an indicator, colors range from deep blue-green in urine of low ionic concentration to green and yellow-green in urine of increasing ionic concentration. Randomly collected urine may vary in specific gravity from 1.003-1.035.⁸ Twenty-four hour urine from healthy adults with normal diets and fluid intake will have a specific gravity of 1.016-1.022.³ In cases of severe renal damage, the specific gravity is fixed at 1.010, the value of the glomerular filtrate.

Blood: This test is based on the peroxidase-like activity of hemoglobin which catalyzes the reaction of diisopropylbenzene dihydroperoxide and 3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine. The resulting color ranges from orange to green to dark blue. Any green spots or green color development on the reagent area within 60 seconds is significant and the urine specimen should be examined further. Blood is often, but not invariably, found in the urine of menstruating females. The significance of a trace reading varies among patients and clinical judgment is required in these specimens.

pH: This test is based on a double indicator system which gives a broad range of colors covering the entire urinary pH range. Colors range from orange to yellow and green to blue. The expected range for normal urine specimens from newborns is pH 5-7.⁹ The expected range for other normal urine specimens is pH 4.5-8, with an average result of pH 6.⁹

Protein: This reaction is based on the phenomenon known as the "protein error" of pH indicators where an indicator that is highly buffered will change color in the presence of proteins (anions) as the indicator releases hydrogen ions to the protein. At a constant pH, the development of any green color is due to the presence of protein. Colors range from yellow to yellow-green for negative results and green to green-blue for positive results. 1-14 mg/dL of protein may be excreted by a normal kidney.¹⁰ A color matching any block greater than trace indicates significant proteinuria. Clinical judgment is required to evaluate the significance of trace results.

Urobilinogen: This test is based on a modified Ehrlich reaction between p-diethylaminobenzaldehyde and urobilinogen in strongly acidic medium to produce a pink color. Urobilinogen is one of the major compounds produced in heme synthesis and is a normal substance in urine. The expected range for normal urine with this test is 0.2-1.0 mg/dL (3.5-17 µmol/L).⁸ A result of 2.0 mg/dL (35 µmol/L) may be of clinical significance, and the patient specimen should be further evaluated.

Nitrite: This test depends upon the conversion of nitrate to nitrite by the action of Gram negative bacteria in the urine. In an acidic medium, nitrite in the urine reacts with p-arsanilic acid to form a diazonium compound. The diazonium compound in turn couples with 1 N-(1-naphthyl) ethylenediamine to produce a pink color. Nitrite is not detectable in normal urine.⁹ The nitrite area will be positive in some cases of infection, depending on how long the urine specimens were retained in the bladder prior to collection. Retrieval of positive cases with the nitrite test ranges from as low as 40% in cases where little bladder incubation occurred, to as high as approximately 80% in cases where bladder incubation took place for at least 4 hours.

Leukocytes: This test reveals the presence of granulocyte esterases. The esterases cleave a derivatized pyrazole amino acid ester to liberate derivatized hydroxy pyrazole. This pyrazole then reacts with a diazonium salt to produce a beige-pink to purple color. Normal urine specimens generally yield negative results. Trace results may be of questionable clinical significance. When trace results occur, it is recommended to retest using a fresh specimen from the same patient. Repeated trace and positive results are of clinical significance.

REAGENTS AND PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Based on the dry weight at the time of impregnation, the concentrations given may vary within manufacturing tolerances. The following table below indicates read times and performance characteristics for each parameter.

Reagent	Read Time	Composition	Description
Ascorbic Acid (ASC)	30 seconds	2,6-dichlorophenolindophenol; buffer and non-reactive ingredients	Detects ascorbic acid as low as 5-10 mg/dL (0.28-0.56 mmol/L).
Glucose (GLU)	30 seconds	glucose oxidase; peroxidase; potassium iodide; buffer; non-reactive ingredients	Detects glucose as low as 50-100 mg/dL (2.5-5 mmol/L).
Bilirubin (BIL)	30 seconds	2,4-dichloroaniline diazonium salt; buffer and non-reactive ingredients	Detects bilirubin as low as 0.4-1.0 mg/dL (6.8-17 µmol/L).
Ketone (KET)	40 seconds	sodium nitroprusside; buffer	Detects acetoacetic acid as low as 2.5-5 mg/dL (0.25-0.5 mmol/L).
Specific Gravity (SG)	45 seconds	bromthymol blue indicator; buffer and non-reactive ingredients; poly (methyl vinyl ether/maleic anhydride); sodium hydroxide	Determines urine specific gravity between 1.000 and 1.030. Results correlate with values obtained by refractive index method within ± 0.005.
Blood (BLO)	60 seconds	3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine (TMB); diisopropylbenzene dihydroperoxide; buffer and non-reactive ingredients	Detects free hemoglobin as low as 0.018-0.060 mg/dL or 5-10 Ery/µL in urine specimens with ascorbic acid content of < 50 mg/dL.
pH	60 seconds	methyl red sodium salt; bromthymol blue; non-reactive ingredients	Permits the quantitative differentiation of pH values within the range of 5-9.
Protein (PRO)	60 seconds	tetrabromophenol blue; buffer and non-reactive ingredients	Detects albumin as low as 7.5-15 mg/dL (0.075-0.15 g/L).
Urobilinogen (URO)	60 seconds	p-diethylaminobenzaldehyde; buffer and non-reactive ingredients	Detects urobilinogen as low as 0.2-1.0 mg/dL (3.5-17 µmol/L).
Nitrite (NIT)	60 seconds	p-arsanilic acid; N-(1-naphthyl) ethylenediamine; non-reactive ingredients	Detects sodium nitrite as low as 0.05-0.1 mg/dL in urine with a low specific gravity and less than 30 mg/dL ascorbic acid.
Leukocytes (LEU)	120 seconds	derivatized pyrrole amino acid ester; diazonium salt; buffer; non-reactive ingredients	Detects leukocytes as low as 9-15 white blood cells Leu/µL in clinical urine.

The performance characteristics of the Urinalysis Reagent Strips (Urine) have been determined in both laboratory and clinical tests. Parameters of importance to the user are sensitivity, specificity, accuracy and precision. Generally, this test has been developed to be specific for the parameters to be measured with the exceptions of the interferences listed. Please refer to the Limitations section in this package insert.

Interpretation of visual results is dependent on several factors: the variability of color perception, the presence or absence of inhibitory factors, and the lighting conditions when the strip is read. Each color block on the chart corresponds to a range of analyte concentrations.

PRECAUTIONS

- For *in vitro* diagnostic use only. Do not use after the expiration date.
- The strip should remain in the closed canister until use.
- Do not touch the reagent areas of the strip.
- Discard any discolored strips that may have deteriorated.
- All specimens should be considered potentially hazardous and handled in the same manner as an infectious agent.
- The used strip should be discarded according to local regulations after testing.

STORAGE AND STABILITY

Store as packaged in the closed canister either at room temperature or refrigerated (2-30°C). Keep out of direct sunlight. The strip is stable through the expiration date printed on the canister label. Do not remove the desiccant. Remove only enough strips for immediate use. Replace cap immediately and tightly. **DO NOT FREEZE.** Do not use beyond the expiration date.

Note: Once the canister has been opened, the remaining strips are stable for up to 3 months. Stability may be reduced in high humidity conditions.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND PREPARATION

A urine specimen must be collected in a clean and dry container and tested as soon as possible. Do not centrifuge. The use of urine preservatives is not recommended. If testing cannot be done within an hour after voiding, refrigerate the specimen immediately and let it return to room temperature before testing.

Prolonged storage of unpreserved urine at room temperature may result in microbial proliferation with resultant changes in pH. A shift to alkaline pH may cause false positive results with the protein test area. Urine containing glucose may decrease in pH as organisms metabolize the glucose.

Contamination of the urine specimen with skin cleansers containing chlorhexidine may affect protein (and to a lesser extent, specific gravity and bilirubin) test results.

MATERIALS

Materials Provided

- Strips
- Package insert

Materials Required But Not Provided

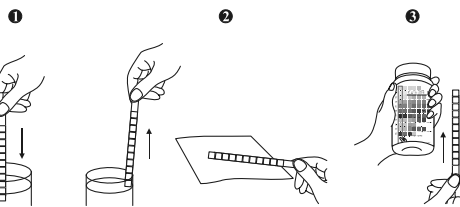
- Specimen collection container
- Timer

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Allow the strip, urine specimen, and/or controls to reach room temperature (15-30°C) prior to testing.

- Remove the strip from the closed canister and use it as soon as possible. Immediately close the canister tightly after removing the required number of strip(s). Completely immerse the reagent areas of the strip in fresh, well-mixed urine and immediately remove the strip to avoid dissolving the reagents. See illustration 1 below.
- While removing the strip from the urine, run the edge of the strip against the rim of the urine container to remove excess urine. Hold the strip in a horizontal position and bring the edge of the strip into contact with an absorbent material (e.g. a paper towel) to avoid mixing chemicals from adjacent reagent areas and/or soiling hands with urine. See illustration 2 below.
- Compare the reagent areas to the corresponding color blocks on the canister label at the specified times. Hold the strip close to the color blocks and match carefully. See illustration 3 below.

Note: Results may be read up to 2 minutes after the specified times.



INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

Results are obtained by direct comparison of the color blocks printed on the canister label. The color blocks represent nominal values; actual values will vary close to the nominal values. In the event of unexpected or questionable results, the following steps are recommended: confirm that the strips have been tested within the expiration date printed on the canister label, compare results with known positive and negative controls and repeat the test using a new strip. If the problem persists, discontinue using the strip immediately and contact your local distributor.

QUALITY CONTROL

For best results, performance of reagent strips should be confirmed by testing known positive and negative specimens/controls whenever a new test is performed, or whenever a new canister is first opened. Each laboratory should establish its own goals for adequate standards of performance.

LIMITATIONS

Note: The Urinalysis Reagent Strips (Urine) may be affected by substances that cause abnormal urine color such as drugs containing azo dyes (e.g. Pyridium®. Azo Gantrisin®, Azo Gantanol®), nitrofurantoin (Microdantin®, Furadantin®), and riboflavin.⁸ The color development on the test pad may be masked or a color reaction may be produced that could be interpreted as false results.

Ascorbic acid: No interference is known.
Glucose: The reagent area does not react with lactose, galactose, fructose or other metabolic substances, nor with reducing metabolites of drugs (e.g. salicylates and nalidixic acid). Sensitivity may be decreased in specimens with high specific gravity (>1.025) and with ascorbic acid concentrations of ≥ 25 mg/dL. High ketone levels ≥ 100 mg/dL may cause false negative results for specimens containing a small amount of glucose (50-100 mg/dL).

Bilirubin: Bilirubin is absent in normal urine, so any positive result, including a trace positive, indicates an underlying pathological condition and requires further investigation. Reactions may occur with urine containing large doses of chlorpromazine or rifampin that might be mistaken for positive bilirubin.⁹ The presence of bilirubin-derived bile pigments may mask the bilirubin reaction. This phenomenon is characterized by color development on the test patch that does not correlate with the colors on the color chart. Large concentrations of ascorbic acid may decrease sensitivity.

Ketone: The test does not react with acetone or β-hydroxybutyrate.⁸ Urine specimens of high pigment, and other substances containing sulfhydryl groups may occasionally give reactions up to and including trace (±).⁹

Specific Gravity: Ketoacidosis or protein higher than 300 mg/dL may cause elevated results. Results are not affected by non-ionic urine components such as glucose. If the urine has a pH of 7 or greater, add 0.005 to the specific gravity reading indicated on the color chart.

Blood: A uniform blue color indicates the presence of myoglobin, hemoglobin or hemolyzed erythrocytes.⁸ Scattered or compacted blue spots indicate intact erythrocytes. To enhance accuracy, separate color scales are provided for hemoglobin and for erythrocytes. Positive results with this test are often seen with urine from menstruating females. It has been reported that urine of high pH reduces sensitivity, while moderate to

high concentration of ascorbic acid may inhibit color formation. Microbial peroxidase, associated with urinary tract infection, may cause a false positive reaction. The test is slightly more sensitive to free hemoglobin and myoglobin than to intact erythrocytes.

pH: If the procedure is not followed and excess urine remains on the strip, a phenomenon known as "runover" may occur, in which the acid buffer from the protein reagent will run onto the pH area, causing the pH result to appear artificially low. pH readings are not affected by variations in urinary buffer concentration.

Protein: Any green color indicates the presence of protein in the urine. This test is highly sensitive for albumin, and less sensitive to hemoglobin, globulin and mucoprotein.⁸ A negative result does not rule out the presence of these other proteins. False positive results may be obtained with highly buffered or alkaline urine. Contamination of urine specimens with quaternary ammonium compounds or skin cleansers containing chlorhexidine may produce false positive results.⁸ The urine specimens with high specific gravity may give false negative results.

Urobilinogen: All results lower than 1 mg/dL urobilinogen should be interpreted as normal. A negative result does not at any time preclude the absence of urobilinogen. The reagent area may react with interfering substances known to react with Ehrlich's reagent, such as p-aminosalicylic acid and sulfonamides.⁹ False negative results may be obtained if formalin is present. The test cannot be used to detect porphobilinogen.

Nitrite: The test is specific for nitrite and will not react with any other substance normally excreted in urine. Any degree of uniform pink to red color should be interpreted as a positive result, suggesting the presence of nitrite. Color intensity is not proportional to the number of bacteria present in the urine specimen. Pink spots or pink edges should not be interpreted as a positive result. Comparing the reacted reagent area on a white background may aid in the detection of low nitrite levels, which might otherwise be missed. Ascorbic acid above 30 mg/dL may cause false negatives in urine containing less than 0.05 mg/dL nitrite ions. The sensitivity of this test is reduced for urine specimens with highly buffered alkaline urine or with high specific gravity. A negative result does not at any time preclude the possibility of bacteruria. Negative results may occur in urinary tract infections from organisms that do not contain reductase to convert nitrate to nitrite; when urine has not been retained in the bladder for a sufficient length of time (at least 4 hours) for reduction of nitrate to nitrite to occur; when receiving antibiotic therapy or when dietary nitrate is absent.

Leukocytes: The result should be read between 60-120 seconds to allow for complete color development. The intensity of the color that develops is proportional to the number of leukocytes present in the urine specimen. High specific gravity or elevated glucose concentrations (≥ 2,000 mg/dL) may cause test results to be artificially low. The presence of cephalixin, cephalothin, or high concentrations of oxalic acid may also cause test results to be artificially low. Tetracycline may cause decreased reactivity, and high levels of the drug may cause a false negative reaction. High urinary protein may diminish the intensity of the reaction color. This test will not react with erythrocytes or bacteria common in urine.⁸

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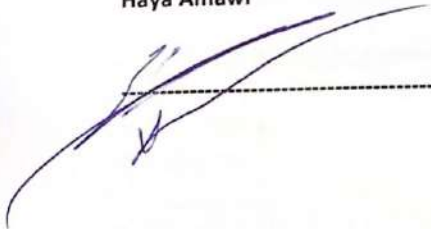
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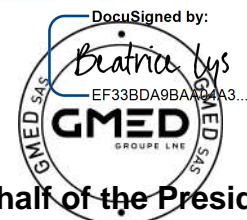


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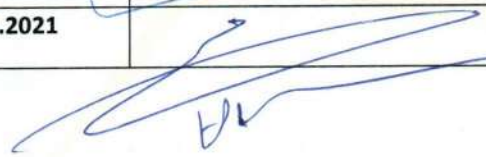
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Item code	Product Description
8.00.01.0.0100	Atlas CRP Latex Kit with Buffer (100 Tests)
8.00.05.0.0100	Atlas RF Latex kit with Buffer(100 Tests)
8.00.11.0.0050	Atlas SLE Latex kit (50 Tests)
8.00.11.0.0100	Atlas SLE Latex kit (100 Tests)
8.00.12.0.0100	Atlas Staphylococcus Latex Kit (100 Tests)
8.00.17.0.0050	Atlas D-Dimer Latex Kit (50 Tests)
8.00.19.3.0100	Atlas TPHA Kit (100 Tests)
8.00.19.3.0200	Atlas TPHA Kit (200 Tests)
8.00.20.3.2500	Atlas VDRL Kit, 5ml+55ml buffer
8.04.38.0.0020	Atlas Fecal Occult Blood Test (FOB) Test Cassette , 20 Tests/Box
8.04.85.0.0050	Atlas Fecal Occult Blood Test (FOB) Test Strip, 50 Tests/Box
8.04.109.0.0020	Atlas Procalcitonin test (PCT) , 20 Tests/Box
8.16.78.0.0025	Atlas Calprotectin Test Cassette , 25 Tests/Box
8.04.45.0.0001	Atlas Troponin I Test Cassette, Bulk
8.04.45.0.0020	Atlas Troponin I Test Cassette , 20 Tests/Box.
8.04.45.0.0030	Atlas Troponin I Test Cassette , 30 Tests/Box.
8.04.46.0.0001	Atlas Myoglobin Test Cassette, Bulk
8.04.46.0.0020	Atlas Myoglobin Test Cassette , 20 Tests/Box.
8.04.46.0.0030	Atlas Myoglobin Test Cassette , 30 Tests/Box.
8.04.47.0.0001	Atlas CK-MB Test Cassette , Bulk.
8.04.47.0.0020	Atlas CK-MB Test Cassette , 20 Tests/Box.
8.04.47.0.0030	Atlas CK-MB Test Cassette , 30 Tests/Box.
8.04.48.0.0001	Atlas Cardiac Triple Tests Cassette (Troponin I, CK-MB, Myoglobin), Bulk.
8.04.48.0.0020	Atlas Cardiac Triple Tests Cassette (Troponin I, CK-MB, Myoglobin), 20 Tests/Box.
8.04.48.0.0030	Atlas Cardiac Triple Tests Cassette (Troponin I, CK-MB, Myoglobin), 30 Tests/Box.
8.14.19.1.0096	Helicobacter pylori Antigen ELISA, 96 Tests.
8.51.00.0.0096	25-OH VITAMIN D Elisa Kit, 96 Tests.
8.57.00.0.0096	Vitamin B12 Elisa Kit, 96 Tests

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RF LATEX KIT

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For In-Vitro diagnostic and professional use only

2°C 8°C
Store at 2-8°C



INTENDED USE

Atlas RF latex test for the qualitative and semi-quantitative measurement of RF in human serum.

INTRODUCTION

Rheumatoid factors (RF) are antibodies directed against antigenic sites in the Fc fragment of human and animal IgG. Their frequent occurrence in rheumatoid arthritis makes them useful for diagnosis and monitoring of the disease.

One method used for rheumatoid factor detection is based on the ability of rheumatoid arthritis sera to agglutinate sensitized sheep red cells, as observed by Waaler and Rose. A more sensitive reagent consisting of biologically inert latex beads coated with human gamma globulin was later described by Singer and Plotz. The RF kit is based on the principle of the latex agglutination assay of Singer and Plotz. The major advantage of this method is rapid performance (2-minutes reaction time) and lack of heterophile antibody interference.

PRINCIPLE

The RF reagent is based on an immunological reaction between human IgG bound to biologically inert latex particles and rheumatoid factors in the test specimen. When serum containing rheumatoid factors is mixed with the latex reagent, visible agglutination occurs.

MATERIALS

MATERIALS PROVIDED

- RF Latex Reagent: Latex particles coated with human gamma-globulin, pH, 8.2. Preservative.
- RF Positive Control Serum (Red Cap): Human serum with a RF concentration > 30 IU/ML. Preservative.
- *RF Negative Control (Blue Cap): Non-reactive buffer containing BSA and 0.1% sodium azide.
- *Glycine Buffer 20X (1000 mmol/L) (Optional): add one part to nineteen parts of distilled water before use.
- *Black glass Slide
- Stirring sticks

NOTE: This package insert is also used for individually packed reagent.

MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- Mechanical rotator with adjustable speed at 80-100 r.p.m.
- Pipettes 50 µL
- *9 g/L saline.

Packaging contents

REF 8.00.04.0.0100 (1x4ml Latex Reagent, 1x1ml positive control, 1x1ml negative control)

PRECAUTIONS

- *For in vitro diagnostic and professional use only. The test is not for near-patient or self-testing.
- All reagents contain 0.1 % (w/v) sodium azide as a preservative.
- Protective clothing should be worn when handling the reagents.
- Wash hands and the test table top with water and soap once the testing is done.
- Reagents containing sodium azide may be combined with copper and lead plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides. Dispose of reagents by flushing with large amounts of water to prevent azide buildup.
- Components prepared using human serum found negative for hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg), HCV and antibody to HIV (1/2) by FDA required test. However, handle controls as if potentially infectious.
- Accuracy of the test depends on the drop size of the latex reagent *(35µL ±5µL). Use only the dropper supplied with latex and hold it perpendicularly when dispensing.
- Use a clean pipette tip and stirring stick for each specimen, and glass slides should be thoroughly rinsed with water and wiped with lint-free tissue after each use.
- Check reactivity of the reagent using the controls provided.
- Do not use these reagents if the label is not available or damaged.
- Do not use the kit if damaged or the glass vials are broken or leaking and discard the contents immediately.
- Test materials and samples should be discarded properly in a biohazard container.
- *Components from human origin have been tested and found to be negative for the presence of HBsAg, HCV, and antibody to HIV (1/2). However, handle cautiously as potentially infectious.
- *Wash the area of contact with water immediately if contact occurs.
- *Do not drink or ingest the reagent.
- *Do not use the reagent if the label is missing, damaged, or unclear.
- *Do not use white or transparent glass slides during testing.
- *Perform the test in a well-lit area with good visibility.
- *Close the vial after each test.
- *Failure in following the instructions may give incorrect results or face safety hazards.
- *Handle the used disinfectant with care.
- *Any serious incident that occur in relation to the device shall be reported to the manufacturer and the competent authority. (Feedback@atlas-medical.com)

REAGENT PREPARATION:

- The RF Latex reagent is ready to use. No preparation is required. Mix gently before use to ensure a uniform suspension of particles.

STORAGE AND STABILITY

- Reagents are stable until specified expiry date on bottle label when stored refrigerated (2-8°C).
- Do not freeze.

- Always keep vials in vertical position. If the position is changed, gently mix to dissolve aggregates that may be present.
- The RF latex reagent, once shaken must be uniform without visible clumping. When stored refrigerated, a slight sedimentation may occur and should be considered normal.
- Do not use the latex reagent or controls if they become contaminated.
- Reagents deterioration: Presence of particles and turbidity.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND STORAGE

- Use fresh serum collected by centrifuging clotted blood.
- If the test cannot be carried out on the same day, store the specimen for 7 days at 2-8°C and for 3 months at -20°C.
- Samples with presence of fibrin should be centrifuged before testing. Do not use highly hemolyzed or lipemic samples.
- Do not use PLASMA.

PROCEDURE

Qualitative method

1. Allow the reagents and samples to reach room temperature. The sensitivity of the test may be reduced at low temperatures.
2. Place (40 µL) of the sample and one drop of each Positive and Negative controls into separate circles on the slide test.
3. *Swirl the reagent gently before use and add one drop (35 µL ±5µL) next to the sample to be tested.
4. *Close the vial tightly after use.
5. Mix the drops with a stirrer, spreading them over the entire surface of the circle. Use different stirrers for each sample.
6. Place the slide on a mechanical rotator at 80-100 r.p.m. for 2 minutes. False positive results could appear if the test is read later than two minutes.

*Semi-quantitative method

Prepare serial two-fold dilutions of the sample in 9 g/L saline/glycine buffer (1X):

1. Allow the reagents and samples to reach room temperature.
2. Add (40 µL) of 9 g/L saline/glycine buffer (1X) into 6 circles of the black glass slide.
3. Add (40 µL) of the serum sample to the first circle.
4. Mix well using the pipette and then transfer (40 µL) from the first circle to the second circle, repeat until finishing the six circles.
5. Swirl the reagent vial.
6. Add one drop of RF reagent (35µL ±5µL) next to the samples in each circle.
7. Close the reagent vial.
8. Mix the drops with a stirrer, spreading them over the entire surface of the circle.
9. Place the slide on a mechanical rotator at 80-100 r.p.m. for 2 minutes.

READING AND INTERPRETATION

Examine macroscopically the presence or absence of visible agglutination immediately after removing the slide from the rotator. The presence of agglutination indicates a RF concentration equal or greater than 8 IU/mL (Note 1).

The titer, in the semi-quantitative method, is defined as the highest dilution showing a positive result.

CALCULATIONS

The approximate RF concentration in the patient sample is calculated as follows:

$$8 \times \text{RF Titer} = \text{IU/mL}$$

QUALITY CONTROL

- Positive and Negative controls are recommended to monitor the performance of the procedure, as well as a comparative pattern for a better result interpretation.
- All result different from the negative control result, will be considered as a positive.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Analytical sensitivity

8 (6-16) IU/ml, under the described assay conditions.

PROZONE EFFECT

No prozone effect was detected up to 1500 IU/ml.

DIAGNOSTIC SENSITIVITY

100%.

DIAGNOSTIC SPECIFICITY

100%.

The diagnostic sensitivity and specificity have been obtained using 139 samples compared with the same method of a competitor.

*PRECISION

100%.

INTERFERENCES

NON-INTERFERING SUBSTANCES:

- Hemoglobin (10g/L)
- Bilirubin (20mg/dl)
- Lipids (10g/L)

Other substances may interfere.

LIMITATIONS

- Reaction time is critical. If reaction time exceeds 2 minutes, drying of the reaction mixture may cause false positive result.
- Freezing the RF Latex Reagent will result in spontaneous agglutination.
- Intensity of agglutination is not necessarily indicative of relative RF concentration; therefore, screening reactions should not be graded.
- Increased levels of RF may be found in some diseases other than rheumatoid arthritis such as infectious mononucleosis, sarcoidosis, lupus erythematosus, Sjogren's syndrome.
- Certain patients with rheumatoid arthritis will not have the RF present in their serum.

- The incidence of false positive results is about 3-5 %. Individuals suffering from infectious mononucleosis, hepatitis, syphilis as well as elderly people may give positive results.
- Diagnosis should not be solely based on the results of latex method but also should be complemented with a Waaler Rose test along with the clinical examination.

REFERENCE VALUES

Up to 8 IU/mL. Each laboratory should establish its own reference range.

NOTES

1. Results obtained with a latex method do not compare with those obtained with Waaler Rose test. Differences in the results between methods do not reflect differences in the ability to detect rheumatoid factors.

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	Manufacturer telephone number		Date of Manufacture
	Keep away from sunlight		Keep dry
	Positive control		Negative control

***: Indication of the introduced modifications.**

ASO LATEX KIT

IVD For in *-vitro* diagnostic and professional use only

Store at 2-8°C.



INTENDED USE

ATLAS ASO latex Test is used for the qualitative and semi-quantitative measurement of antibodies to Antistreptolysin-O in human serum.

INTRODUCTION

The group A β -hemolytic streptococci produce various toxins that can act as antigens. One of these exotoxins streptolysin-O, was discovered by Todd in 1932.

A person infected with group A hemolytic streptococci produces specific antibodies against these exotoxins, one of which is antistreptolysin-O. The quantity of this antibody in a patient's serum will establish the degree of infection due to the hemolytic streptococcal.

The usual procedure for the determination of the antistreptolysin titer is based on the inhibitory effect that the patient's serum produces on the hemolytic power of a pre-titrated and reduced streptolysin-O. However, the antigen-antibody reaction occurs independently of the hemolytic activity of streptolysin-O. This property enables the establishment of a qualitative and quantitative test for the determination of the antistreptolysin-O by agglutination of latex particles on slide.

PRINCIPLE

ASO test method is based on an immunologic reaction between streptococcal exotoxins bound to biologically inert latex particles and streptococcal antibodies in the test sample. Visible agglutination occurs when increased antibody level is present in the test specimen.

MATERIALS

MATERIALS PROVIDED

- ASO Latex Reagent: Latex particles coated with streptolysin O, pH, 8,2. Preservative.
- ASO Positive Control (Red cap): Human serum with an ASO concentration > 200 IU/mL.Preservative.
- ASO Negative Control (Blue cap) Animal serum. Preservative
- Glass Slide.
- Stirring Sticks.

Note: This package insert is also used for individually packed reagent.

MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- Mechanical rotator with adjustable speed at 80-100 r.p.m.
- Vortex mixer.
- Pippetes 50 μ L.
- Glycine Buffer 20x (1000 mmol/l): add one part to nineteen parts of distilled water before use.

Packaging contents

REF 8.00.02.0.0100 (1x4ml Latex Reagent, 1x1ml positive control, 1x1ml negative control)

PRECAUTIONS

- All reagents contain 0.1 %(w/v) sodium azide as a preservative.
- Protective clothing should be worn when handling the reagents.
- Wash hands and the test table top with water and soap once the testing is done.
- Reagents containing sodium azide may be combined with copper and lead plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides. Dispose of reagents by flushing with large amounts of water to prevent azide buildup.
- For In Vitro diagnostic use.
- Components prepared using human serum found negative for hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg), HCV and antibody to HIV (1/2) by FDA required test. However, handle controls as if potentially infectious.
- Accuracy of the test depends on the drop size of the latex reagent (40 μ l). Use only the dropper supplied with latex and hold it perpendicularly when dispensing.
- Use a clean pipette tip and stirring stick for each specimen, and glass slides should be thoroughly rinsed with water and wiped with lint-free tissue after each use.
- Check reactivity of the reagent using the controls provided.
- Do not use these reagents if the label is not available or damaged.
- Do not use the kit if damaged or the glass vials are broken or leaking and discard the contents immediately.
- Test materials and samples should be discarded properly in a biohazard container.

REAGENT PREPARATION:

The ASO Latex reagent is ready to use. No preparation is required. Mix gently before use to ensure a uniform suspension of particles.

STORAGE AND STABILITY

- Reagents are stable until specified expiry date on bottle label when stored refrigerated (2-8°C).
- **DO NOT FREEZE.**
- The ASO Latex Reagent, once shaken must be uniform without visible clumping. When stored refrigerated, a slight sedimentation may occur and should be considered normal.
- Do not use the latex reagent or controls if they become contaminated.
- Always keep vials in vertical position. If the position is changed, gently mix to dissolve aggregates that may be present.
- Reagents deterioration: Presence of particles and turbidity.

SAMPLES

- Use fresh serum collected by centrifuging clotted blood.
- If the test cannot be carried out on the same day, store the specimen for 7 days at 2-8°C and for 3 months at -20°C.
- Samples with presence of fibrin should be centrifuged before testing. Do not use highly hemolyzed or lipemic samples.
- **DO NOT USE PLASMA.**

PROCEDURE

Qualitative method

1. Allow the reagents and samples to reach room temperature. The sensitivity of the test may be reduced at low temperatures.
2. Place (40 μ L) of the sample and one drop of each Positive and Negative controls into separate circles on the slide test.
3. Mix the ASO-latex reagent vigorously or on a vortex mixer before using and add one drop (40 μ L) next to the sample to be tested.
4. Mix the drops with a stirrer, spreading them over the entire surface of the circle. Use different stirrers for each sample.
5. Place the slide on a mechanical rotator at 80-100 r.p.m. for 2 minutes. False positive results could appear if the test is read later than two minutes.

Semi-quantitative method

1. Make serial two-fold dilutions of the sample in 9 g/L saline solution.

2. Proceed for each dilution as in the qualitative method.

QUALITY CONTROL

- Positive and Negative Controls should be included in each test batch.
- Acceptable performance is indicated when a uniform milky suspension with no agglutination is observed with the ASO Negative Control and agglutination with large aggregates is observed with the ASO Positive Control.

CALCULATIONS

The approximate ASO concentration in the patient sample is calculated as follows:

$$200 \times \text{ASO Titer} = \text{IU/mL}$$

READING AND INTERPRETATION

Examine macroscopically the presence or absence of visible agglutination immediately after removing the slide from the rotator. The presence of agglutination indicates an ASO concentration equal or greater than 200 IU/mL. The titer, in the semi-quantitative method, is defined as the highest dilution showing a positive result.

REFERENCE VALUES

Up to 200 IU/mL(adults) and 100 IU/mL (children < 5 years old). Each laboratory should establish its own reference range.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Analytical sensitivity:

200 (±50) IU/ml.

PROZONE EFFECT

No prozone effect was detected up to 1500 IU/ml.

SENSITIVITY

98%.

SPECIFICITY

97%.

INTERFERENCES

NON-INTERFERING SUBSTANCES:

- Hemoglobin (10 g/L)
- Bilirubin(20 mg/dL)
- Lipids (10 g/L)
- Rheumatoid factors (300 IU/mL)
- Other substances may interfere.

LIMITATIONS

- Reaction time is critical. If reaction time exceeds 2 minutes, drying of the reaction mixture may cause false positive result.
- Freezing the ASO Latex Reagent will result in spontaneous agglutination.



















- Intensity of agglutination is not necessarily indicative of relative ASO concentration; therefore, screening reactions should not be graded.
- False positive results may be obtained in conditions such as, rheumatoid arthritis, scarlet fever, tonsillitis, several streptococcal infections and healthy carriers.
- Early infections and children from 6 months to 2 years may cause false negative results. A single ASO determination does not produce much information about the actual state of the disease.
- Titrations at biweekly intervals during 4 or 6 weeks are advisable to follow the disease evolution.
- Clinical diagnosis should not be made on findings of a single test result, but should integrate both clinical and laboratory data.

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	In Vitro diagnostic medical device		Caution
	Contains sufficient for <n> tests and Relative size		Consult instructions for use (IFU)
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	Fragile, handle with care		Use-by date
	Manufacturer fax number		Do not use if package is damaged
	Manufacturer telephone number		Date of Manufacture
	Keep away from sunlight		Keep dry
	Positive control		Negative control

CRP LATEX KIT

IVD For *in vitro* diagnostic and professional use only

2°C  8°C
Store at 2-8°C. 

INTENDED USE

Atlas CRP Latex kit is a manual slide latex agglutination test for the qualitative and semi-quantitative detection of C-reactive protein (CRP) in human serum to aid in the diagnosis of individuals with suspected inflammation.

INTRODUCTION

C-reactive protein (CRP) is an evolutionarily conserved constitutive protein produced primarily by hepatocytes in minute amounts. At baseline levels, CRP mediates important biological functions. Its clinical significance as a component of the acute phase response emerged upon linking elevated blood levels of CRP to trauma, infection and inflammatory non-infectious disorders including autoimmune diseases. Its concentration can increase up to 1000-fold in severe inflammatory insults. CRP quickly rises in blood upon the onset of an acute stimulus (within 6 hours), and may double every 8 hours reaching a peak at 50 hours. Likewise, blood CRP rapidly drops upon cessation of the stimulus in an exponential manner. Although non-discriminatory of the root cause, elevated serum CRP has been established as an important marker of inflammation.

PRINCIPLE

The C-Reactive Protein test is based on the principle of the latex agglutination. When latex particles complexed with human anti-CRP are mixed with a patient's serum containing C-reactive protein, a visible agglutination reaction will take place within 2 minutes.

KIT COMPONENTS

Materials Provided

- **CRP Latex Reagent:** Latex particles coated with goat IgG anti-human CRP (approximately 1%), pH 7.4. **MIX WELL BEFORE USE.**
- **CRP Positive Control (Red Cap):** Diluted human serum with CRP concentration > 20mg/L.
- **CRP Negative Control (Blue Cap):** Non-reactive buffer containing BSA and 0.1% sodium azide.
- **Glycine Buffer 20X (1000 mmol/L) (Optional):** add one part to nineteen parts of distilled water before use.
- **Black Glass Slide.**
- **Stirring Sticks.**

- **Package insert.**

NOTE: This package insert is also used for individually packed reagent.

Materials Required But Not Provided

- Mechanical rotator with adjustable speed at 80-100 r.p.m.
- Calibrated 50 µL micro-pipette.
- 9 g/L saline.

Packaging Contents

REF 8.00.00.0.0100 (1x4ml Latex Reagent, 1x1ml positive control, 1x1ml negative control)

REAGENT STORAGE AND STABILITY

- Reagents are stable until specified expiry date on vial label when stored refrigerated (2 - 8°C).
- **DO NOT FREEZE.**
- The CRP latex reagent, once shaken must be uniform without visible clumping. When stored refrigerated, a slight sedimentation may occur and should be considered normal.
- Do not use the latex reagent or controls if they become contaminated.
- Always keep vials in a vertical position. If the position is changed, gently mix to dissolve aggregates that may be present.
- Reagent deterioration: Presence of particles and turbidity.

PRECAUTIONS AND WARNINGS

- For *in vitro* diagnostic and professional use only. The test is not for near-patient or self-testing.
- All reagents contain 0.1% (w/v) Sodium azide as a preservative.
- Protective clothing should be worn when handling the reagents.
- Wash hands and the test table top with water and soap once the testing is done.
- This kit is NOT to be used in CRP-guided therapy.
- Components containing human serum were tested for hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg), HCV and antibody to HIV (1/2) as required by FDA; and found to be negative. However, handle controls as if potentially infectious.
- Accuracy of the test depends on the drop size of the latex reagent (35 µL ±5µL). Use only the dropper supplied with latex and hold it perpendicularly when dispensing.
- Use a clean pipette tip and stirring stick for each specimen, and glass slides should be thoroughly rinsed with water and wiped with lint-free tissue after each use.
- Check reactivity of the reagent using the controls provided.
- Do not use these reagents if the label is not available or damaged.
- Do not use the kit if damaged or the glass vials are broken or leaking and discard contents immediately.

- Test materials and samples should be discarded properly in a biohazard container.
- Use forceps, scoops, or other mechanical devices for removing broken glass from the working area. A dustpan and brush should be used to clean up shards/small pieces of broken glass. Broken glass must be disposed of in a sharps container
- Wash the area of contact with water immediately if contact occurs.
- failure in following the instructions may give incorrect results or incur safety hazards
- Handle the used disinfectant with care.
- Close the vial after each test.
- Perform the test in a well-lit area with good visibility.
- Do not use white or transparent glass slides during testing.
- Do not touch, drink, or ingest the reagent.
- Certain nutritional supplements may effect on CRP levels.
- Any serious incident that occur in relation to the device shall be reported to the manufacturer and the competent authority. (Feedback@atlas-medical.com)

COLLECTION, HANDLING AND PREPARATION OF SPECIMEN

- Use fresh serum collected by centrifuging clotted blood.
- Samples with presence of fibrin should be centrifuged before testing. Do not use highly hemolyzed or lipemic samples.
- **Do not use plasma.**

SPECIMEN STORAGE AND STABILITY

If the test cannot be carried out on the same day, store the specimen for 7 days at 2-8°C and for 3 months at -20°C. Frozen samples should be completely thawed and brought to room temperature before testing. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing of the samples.

REAGENT PREPARATION

The CRP Latex reagent is ready to use. No preparation is required. Mix gently before use to ensure a uniform suspension of particles.

PROCEDURE

NOTE: The latex and sample volumes are very critical for correct test performance. Please adhere to the volumes stipulated in this package insert.

QUALITATIVE TEST:

1. Allow the reagents and samples to reach room temperature. The sensitivity of the test may be reduced at low temperatures.
2. Place (40 µL) of the sample and one drop (40 µL ±5µL) of each Positive and Negative controls into separate circles on the slide test.
3. Swirl the CRP latex reagent gently and add one drop (35 µL

±5µL) next to the samples and controls to be tested.

4. Close the reagent vial tightly.
5. Mix the drops with a stirrer, spreading them over the entire surface of the circle. Use different stirrers for each sample and each control.
6. Place the slide on a mechanical rotator at 80-100 r.p.m. for **2 minutes**. False positive results could be obtained if the test is read later than two minutes.

B. SEMI-QUANTITATIVE TEST:

Prepare serial two-fold dilutions of the sample in 9 g/L saline/glycine buffer (1X):

1. Allow the reagents and samples to reach room temperature.
2. Add (40 µL) of 9 g/L saline/glycine buffer (1X) into 6 circles of the black glass slide.
3. Add (40 µL) of the serum sample to the first circle.
4. Mix well using the pipette and then transfer (40 µL) from the first circle to the second circle, repeat until finishing the six circles.
5. Swirl the reagent vial.
6. Add one drop of CRP reagent (35µL ±5µL) next to the samples in each circle.
7. Close the reagent vial.
8. Mix the drops with a stirrer, spreading them over the entire surface of the circle.
9. Place the slide on a mechanical rotator at 80-100 r.p.m. for 2 minutes.

CALCULATIONS

The approximate CRP concentration in the patient sample is calculated as follows:

$$\text{Sensitivity} \times \text{CRP Titer} = \text{mg/L}$$

(Sensitivity indicated on the label of the latex vial)

INTERPRETATION OF THE RESULT

Examine macroscopically the presence or absence of visible agglutination immediately after stopping the rotator.

The presence of agglutination indicates a CRP concentration equal or greater than the reagent sensitivity (mg/L CRP) (indicated on the label of the latex vial).

The titer, in the semi-quantitative method, is defined as the highest dilution showing a positive result.

REFERENCE VALUES

Each laboratory should establish its own reference range.

QUALITY CONTROL

- Positive and Negative controls are recommended to monitor the performance of the kit, as well as providing a comparative pattern for better result interpretation.
- Any result that differs from the negative control result is considered positive.

LIMITATIONS OF THE TEST

- Reaction time is critical. If reaction time exceeds two (2) minutes, the reaction mixture may dry causing particles, which can be mistaken for false positive results.
- Freezing the CRP Latex Reagent will result in spontaneous agglutination.
- Intensity of agglutination is not necessarily indicative of relative CRP concentration; therefore, reactions should not be graded.
- A false negative can be attributed to a prozone phenomenon (antigen excess). It is recommended, therefore, to check all suspected negative sera by retesting with a 1:10 dilution in 9 g/L saline/glycine buffer (1X).

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

- **Sensitivity:** 6 mg/L.
- **Prozone effect:** No prozone effect was detected up to 1600 mg/L.
- **Diagnostic sensitivity:** 100 % in comparison with a commercial latex kit.
- **Diagnostic specificity:** 100 % in comparison with a commercial latex kit.
- **Precision : 100%**
- **Interferences:**
No interference was observed with the following substances at the concentrations indicated:
 - Hemoglobin (<15 g/dl)
 - Bilirubin (<20 mg/dl)
 - Lipids (<13 g/dL)
 - Other substances interfere, such as RF (>75IU/ml).

NOTES

- Clinical diagnosis should not be made on findings of a single test result, but should integrate both clinical and laboratory data.

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
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	Fragile, handle with care		Use-by date
	Manufacturer fax number		Do not use if package is damaged
	Manufacturer telephone number		Date of Manufacture
	Keep away from sunlight		Keep dry
	Positive control		Negative control

ATLAS SLE SLIDE TEST

IVD For *in vitro* diagnostic and professional use only

2°C  8°C
Store at 2°-8°C

INTENDED USE

Atlas SLE Slide Test is a slide agglutination assay for the qualitative and semi quantitative detection of anti-deoxyribonucleoprotein (anti-DNP) in human serum. No initial dilution of patient samples is required for this test. These materials are intended to be acquired, possessed and used only by health professionals.

INTRODUCTION

The detection of antinuclear antibodies, by such laboratory methods as immunofluorescence, LE cell test, and agglutination of coated particles, can aid in the diagnosis of such autoimmune diseases as systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE). The antibodies most associated with SLE are those directed against DNP. These antibodies are believed to cause the formation of the LE cell *in vitro*, occurring in 75-80% of patients diagnosed as having SLE. Given that 20-25% of SLE patients do not exhibit the formation of LE cells, other methods can be used to detect antinuclear antibodies.

PRINCIPLE

Atlas SLE Slide Test provides a means of detecting anti-DNP in human serum. SLE Slide reagent is a stabilized buffered suspension of polystyrene latex particles that have been coated with DNP. When the latex reagent is mixed with the serum containing antibodies to DNP, agglutination occurs. Using dilutions of a reactive patient sample, the anti-DNP titer can be determined.

MATERIALS

MATERIALS PROVIDED

- SLE Latex Reagent: Suspended inert latex particles coated with DNP, with 0.1% sodium azide as preservative.
- SLE Positive Human serum or defibrinated plasma (liquid), with 0.1% sodium azide as preservative.

- SLE Negative Control: Non-reactive buffer containing BSA and 0.1% sodium azide.
- Stirring sticks.
- Glass slide.
- Package insert.

MATERIALS NEEDED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- Timing device.
- 13 x 75 mm test tubes
- Volumetric pipet to deliver 0.25 ml
- Saline (0.9% NaCl solution)
- Mechanical rotator (optional)

PACKAGING CONTENTS

REF 8.00.11.0.0025 (1x1 mL Latex, 1x0.5 mL Positive Control, 1x0.5 mL Negative Control)

REF 8.00.11.0.0050 (1x2 mL Latex, 1x0.5 mL Positive Control, 1x0.5 mL Negative Control)

REF 8.00.11.0.0100 (1x4 mL Latex, 1x1 mL Positive Control, 1x1 mL Negative Control)

PRECAUTIONS

- For *in vitro* diagnostic use.
- Latex reagent and controls contain sodium azide. Azides in contact with lead and copper plumbing may react to form highly explosive metal azides. When disposing of reagents containing azide, flush down the drain with large quantities of water to prevent azide build-up.
- The controls contain human serum or plasma which has been tested at the donor level for HBsAg and for HIV-1, HIV-2 and HCV antibodies and found to be nonreactive. As no known test offers complete assurance that infectious agents are absent, the controls should be considered potentially infectious and universal precautions should be used.
- Do not pipet by mouth.
- Do not smoke, eat, drink or apply cosmetics in areas where plasma/serum samples are handled.
- Any cuts, abrasions or other skin lesions should be suitably protected.
- In order to obtain reliable and consistent results, the instructions in the package insert must be strictly followed.
- Do not use past the expiration date indicated on the kit.
- Do not interchange components of one kit with those of another kit.

- Turbidity or precipitation in controls is indicative of deterioration and the component should not be used.
- Bacterial contamination of reagents or specimens may cause false positive results.

STORAGE & STABILITY

- Store all reagents at 2-8°C in an upright position when not in use.
- Do not freeze reagents.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION and STORAGE

- Use only serum that is free from contamination. Test samples should not be heat-inactivated.
- It is preferable to test samples on the day of their collection. If samples cannot be tested immediately, maintain them in their original tubes at 2-8°C and test within 48 hours.
- Serum samples stored longer than 48 hours should be stored at -20°C or below until testing. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing of specimens.
- If necessary before testing, centrifuge the specimens at a force sufficient to sediment cellular components.
- Samples to be sent out for testing should be placed on ice packs and packaged like any other biohazardous material that could potentially transmit infection.

REAGENT PREPARATION

- Allow all reagents and samples to warm to room temperature (20-30°C) before use. Do not heat reagents in a water bath.
- All reagents are ready for use as supplied. Gently mix the reagents before use; avoid foaming.
- Gently mix the latex reagent before each use to ensure homogeneity.

PROCEDURES

A. Method I (Qualitative)

1. Dispense (35 µL) of each serum sample onto a separate circle on the test slide. Add one drop of Positive and negative controls from the dropper vials supplied onto a separate circle on the test slide.
2. Dispense one drop of latex reagent (35 µL) to each serum specimen and to each control.
3. Using the flat end of the stirring sticks, mix each specimen and control serum with the latex reagent, in a circular manner, over the entire area in the circles of the card.

- Gently tilt and rotate the card for one (1) minute and observe for agglutination. All test results should be compared to both positive and negative controls.

INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS (QUALITATIVE)

Agglutination indicates a reactive SLE sample. Sera that elicit a reactive result should be retested and tittered using the "Semi quantitative Assay Protocol".

B. Method II (Semi-Quantitative)

- Prepare serial dilutions of patient serum, in saline, in test tubes as follows:

Tube	Dilution	Composition
1	1:2	0.25 ml of serum + 0.25 ml saline.
2	1:4	0.25 ml from tube 1 + 0.25 ml saline.
3	1:8	0.25 ml from tube 2 + 0.25 ml saline.
4	1:16	0.25 ml from tube 3 + 0.25 ml saline.
5	1:32	0.25 ml from tube 4 + 0.25 ml saline.
6	1:64	0.25 ml from tube 5 + 0.25 ml saline.

Note: Testing on additional dilutions should be performed as needed.

- Using each dilution as a separate test specimen, apply the samples to the slide as described in Step 1 of the "Qualitative method" and proceed with Steps 2 through 4 of the "Qualitative method". Include undiluted sample if not tested previously on that day with the same lot of latex reagent.

INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS (SEMI-QUANTITATIVE)

The highest dilution in which visible agglutination occurs is considered the endpoint titer.

QUALITY CONTROL

Quality Control requirements must be performed in accordance with applicable local, state and/or federal regulations or accreditation requirements and your laboratory's standard Quality Control Procedures. Controls with graded reactivity should be included. If control samples do not yield the expected response, the assay should be considered invalid and the assay repeated. If the repeat assay does not elicit the expected results for the control samples, discontinue use of the kit and contact your local distributor.

EXPECTED VALUES

Serum samples from 155 individuals were tested using the **SLE Slide Test**. Of the 155 individuals, 29 had active SLE, 23 had clinically inactive SLE, 8 had connective tissue diseases and the remaining 95 were either clinically normal or had some nonrelated disease (including anemia, infectious mononucleosis and rheumatic heart disease) and were used

as controls. Results from testing with the **SLE Slide Test** were compared with the results from testing of the samples using a standard LE cell preparation assay and a fluorescent ANA assay.

Of the 29 active SLE patients, 82% were positive using the SLE Slide Test, 86% were positive by the LE cell prep, and 82% positive by the ANA test. For the 23 clinically inactive SLE patients, 19% were positive by both the SLE Slide Test and the LE cell prep; and 71% were positive by the ANA test. None of the 8 patients having connective tissue disease tested positive with the SLE Latex Test, whereas 17% and 50% tested positive by the LE cell prep and the ANA procedures, respectively. Of the controls, 1% tested positive by both the SLE Latex Test and the LE cell prep, while 6% tested positive by the ANA assay.

LIMITATION

- Serum from patients with scleroderma, rheumatoid arthritis, dermatomyositis, and a variety of connective tissue diseases may elicit agglutination in the SLE slide test.
- Because extremely high levels of antibodies might affect the degree of agglutination, positive samples should be reassayed using the semi quantitative procedure.
- Contaminated, lipemic, or grossly hemolyzed sera should not be used because of the possibility of nonspecific results.
- Plasma samples should not be used because of the possibility of nonspecific results.
- Samples yielding indeterminate results may be resolved by repeating the test utilizing a two (2) minute slide rotation period. Reaction times longer than two minutes might cause false positive results due to a drying effect.
- Drugs such as hydralazine, isoniazid, procainamide and a number of anticonvulsant drugs can induce an SLE syndrome.
- In accord with all diagnostic methods, a final diagnosis should not be made on the result of a single test, but should be based on a correlation of test results with other clinical findings.

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












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STATEMENT

We, Zhejiang Orient Gene Biotech Co., Ltd , having a registered office at 3787#, East Yangguang Avenue, Dipu Street Anji 313300, Huzhou, Zhejiang, China assign SRL SANMEDICO having a registered office at A. Corobceanu street 7A, apt. 9, Chişinău MD-2012, Moldova, as non-exclusive authorized representative for Orient Gene Brand product in correspondence with the conditions of directive 98/79/EEC.

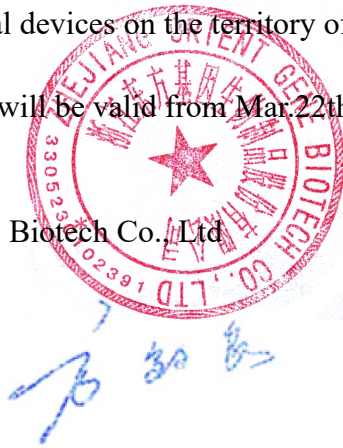
We declare that the company mentioned above is authorized to register, notify, renew or modify the registration of medical devices on the territory of the Republic of Moldova.

This Statement letter will be valid from Mar.22th,2024 to Mar.21th, 2025.

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Product Name and Model(s)

Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma)	GDTRO-402a
Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma)	GDTRO-402b

Classification: *Other*
Conformity assessment route: *Annex III (EC DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY)*

We, the Manufacturer, herewith declare with sole responsibility that our product/s mentioned above meet/s the provisions of the Directive 98/79/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on In-Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices.

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I, the undersigned, hereby declare that the medical devices specified above conform with the directive 98/79/EC on in vitro diagnostic medical devices and pertinent essential requirements

Date Signed: August 11, 2020

Name of authorized signatory: *Joyce Pang*
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H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Strip (Feces)	GCHP-601a
H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces)	GCHP-602a

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Orient Gene HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Serum/Plasma) (Cassette)	GCHCV-302a
Orient Gene HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette)	GCHCV-402a

EDMA Code: 15 70 02 02

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Conformity assessment route: Annex IV (Full Quality Assurance)

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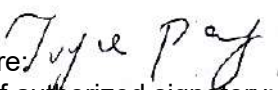
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H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces)



INTENDED USE

H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces) is a sandwich lateral flow chromatographic immunoassay for the qualitative detection of H. Pylori antigen in feces. It is for professional *in vitro* diagnostic use only.

INTRODUCTION

H. Pylori is associated with a variety of gastrointestinal diseases included non-ulcer dyspepsia, duodenal and gastric ulcer and active, chronic gastritis.^{1,2} The prevalence of H. pylori infection could exceed 90% in patients with signs and symptoms of gastrointestinal diseases. Recent studies indicate an association of H. Pylori infection with stomach cancer.³ H. Pylori colonizing in the gastrointestinal system elicits specific antibody responses^{4,5,6} which aids in the diagnosis of H. Pylori infection and in monitoring the prognosis of the treatment of H. Pylori related diseases. Antibiotics in combination with bismuth compounds have been shown to be effective in treating active H. Pylori infection. Successful eradication of H. pylori is associated with clinical improvement in patients with gastrointestinal diseases providing a further evidence.⁷

PRINCIPLE

H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces) is a lateral flow chromatographic immunoassay based on the principle of the double antibody–sandwich technique. The test cassette consists of: 1) a burgundy colored conjugate pad containing H. Pylori antibodies conjugated with color particles (H. Pylori conjugates). 2) a nitrocellulose membrane strip containing a test band (T band) and a control band (C band). The T band is pre-coated with non-conjugated H. Pylori antibodies.

When an adequate volume of test specimen is dispensed into the sample well of the cassette, the specimen migrates by capillary action across the cassette. The antigen of H. Pylori if present in the specimen will bind to the H. Pylori antibodies conjugates. The immunocomplex is then captured on the membrane by the pre-coated H. Pylori antibodies, forming a burgundy colored T band, indicating a H. Pylori antigen positive test result. To serve as a procedural control, a colored line will always appear in the control line region indicating that proper volume of specimen has been added and membrane wicking has occurred. Otherwise, the test result is invalid and the specimen must be retested with another device.

PRODUCT CONTENTS

H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces) containing anti- H. pylori antibodies particles and anti-H. pylori antibodies coated on the membrane.

MATERIALS SUPPLIED

- 20 Sealed pouches each containing a test cassette and a desiccant
- 20 Specimen collection tubes with extraction buffer, 2.0 mL
- 1 Package insert

MATERIAL REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

1. Clock or timer
2. Specimen collection containers.

STORAGE AND STABILITY

All reagents are ready to use as supplied. Store unused test device unopened at 2°C-30°C. If stored at 2°C-8°C, ensure that the test device is brought to room temperature before opening. The test is not stable out off the expiration date printed on the sealed pouch. Do not freeze the kit or expose the kit over 30°C.

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

1. For professional *in vitro* diagnostic use only.
2. Do not use it if the tube/pouch is damaged or broken.
3. Test is for single use only. Do not re- use under any circumstances.
4. Handle all specimens as if they contain infectious agents. Observe established standard procedure for proper disposal of specimens
5. Wear protective clothing such as laboratory coats, disposable gloves and eye protection when specimens are assay.
6. Humidity and temperature can adversely affect results

SPECIMEN COLLECTION

Collect sufficient quantity of feces (1-2 mL or 1-2 g) in a clean, dry specimen collection container to obtain maximum antigens (if present). Best results will be obtained if the assay is performed within 6 hours after collection. Specimen collected may be stored for 3 days at 2-8°C if not tested within 6 hours. For long term storage, specimens should be kept below -20°C.

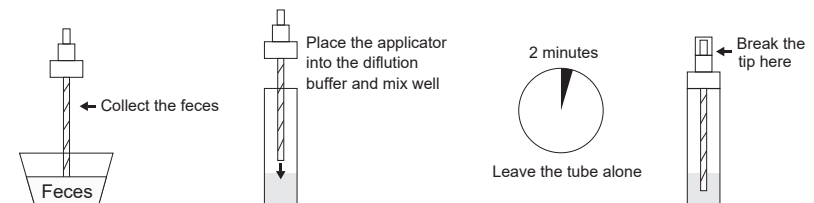
To process fecal specimens:

• For Solid Specimens:

Unscrew the cap of the specimen collection tube, then randomly stab the specimen collection applicator into the fecal specimen in at least 3 different sites to collect approximately 50 mg of feces (equivalent to 1/4 of a pea). Do not scoop the fecal specimen.

• For Liquid Specimens:

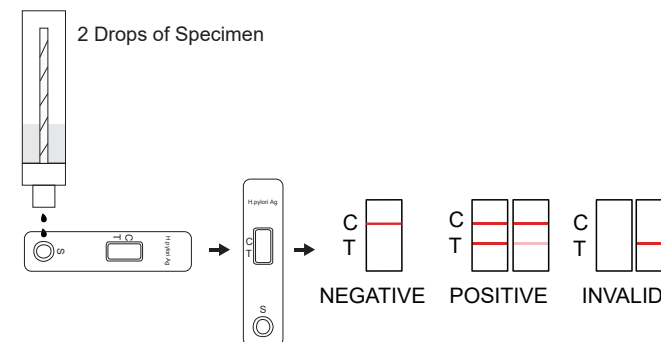
Hold the dropper vertically, aspirate fecal specimens, and then transfer 2 drops (approximately 80 µL) into the specimen collection tube containing the dilution buffer. Screw on and tighten the cap onto the specimen collection tube, then shake the specimen collection tube vigorously to mix the specimen and the dilution buffer. Leave the tube alone for 2 minutes.



TEST PROCEDURE

1. Remove the test device from its foil pouch by tearing along the notch and use it as soon as possible.
2. Specimen collection. See also specimen collection.
3. Holding the sample collection device upright, carefully break off the tip of collection device.
4. Squeeze 2 drops (~80 µL) of the sample solution in the sample well of the cassette, as in the illustration.
5. Read the test results in 10 minutes. It is important that the background is clear before the result is read. Do not read results after 10 minutes. To avoid confusion, discard the test device after interpreting the result.

INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS



H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces)

Positive: Two lines appear. One colored line should be in the control line region (C) and another apparent colored line should be in the test line region (T).

Negative: One colored line appears in the control line region(C). No line appears in the test line region (T).

Invalid: Control line fails to appear.

QUALITY CONTROL

A procedural control is included in the test. A colored line appearing in the control line region (C) is an internal procedural control. It confirms sufficient specimen volume, adequate membrane wicking and correct procedural technique.

Control standards are not supplied with this kit; however, it is recommended that positive and negative controls be tested as a good laboratory practice to confirm the test procedure and to verify proper test performance.

LIMITATIONS

1. The Assay Procedure and the Assay Result Interpretation must be followed closely when testing the presence of H. Pylori antigen in feces from individual subjects. Failure to follow the procedure may give inaccurate results.

2. H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces) is limited to the qualitative detection of H. Pylori antigen in feces. The intensity of the test band does not have linear correlation with the antigen titer in the specimen.

3. A negative result for an individual subject indicates absence of detectable H. Pylori antigen. However, a negative test result does not preclude the possibility of exposure to or infection with H. Pylori.

4. A negative result can occur if the quantity of the H. Pylori antigen present in the specimen is below the detection limits of the assay, or the antigen that are detected are not present during the stage of disease in which a sample is collected.

5. The results obtained with this test should only be interpreted in conjunction with other diagnostic procedures and clinical findings.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

A study was performed with 165 patient feces samples including both symptomatic gastrointestinal disorders and samples from non-symptomatic patients and 100 normal feces samples. Comparison for all subjects with H. pylori Ag Rapid Test Cassette (Feces) and reference ELISA kit is showed in the following table:

Method		EIA		Total Results
H.P Test Cassette	Results	Positive	Negative	
	Positive	163	0	163
	Negative	2	100	102
Total Results		165	100	265

Relative sensitivity: 99%

Relative specificity: 100%

Accuracy:98.9%

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HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette)

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INTENDED USE

The HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) is a sandwich lateral flow chromatographic immunoassay for the qualitative detection of antibodies (IgG, IgM, and IgA) to Hepatitis C virus (HCV) in human whole blood, serum or plasma. It is intended to be used as a screening test and as an aid in the diagnosis of infection with HCV. Any reactive specimen with the HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test Cassette must be confirmed with alternative testing method(s) and clinical findings.

INTRODUCTION

Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) is a small, enveloped, positive-sense, single-stranded RNA virus. Antibody to HCV is found in over 80% of patients with well-documented non-A, non-B hepatitis. Conventional methods fail to isolate the virus in cell culture or visualize it by electron microscope. Cloning the viral genome has made it possible to develop serologic assays that use recombinant antigens (1, 2). Compared to the first generation HCV EIAs using single recombinant antigen, multiple antigens using recombinant protein and/or synthetic peptides have been added in new serologic tests to avoid nonspecific cross-reactivity and to increase the sensitivity of the HCV antibody tests (3, 4). HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) is a rapid test to qualitatively detect the presence of antibody to HCV in a whole blood, serum or plasma specimen. The test utilizes a combination of recombinant antigen to selectively detect elevated levels of HCV antibodies in whole blood, serum or plasma.

PRINCIPLE

The HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test Cassette is a lateral flow chromatographic immunoassay based on the principle of the double antigen-sandwich technique. The test Cassette consists of: 1) a burgundy colored conjugate pad containing HCV antigens conjugated with colloidal gold (HCV Ag conjugates) and rabbit IgG-gold conjugates, 2) a nitrocellulose membrane Cassette containing a test band (T band) and a control band (C band). The T band is pre-coated with non-conjugated HCV antigens, and the C band is pre-coated with goat anti-rabbit IgG. When an adequate volume of test specimen is dispensed into the sample well of the Cassette, the specimen migrates by capillary action across the Cassette. The antibodies: either the IgG, the IgM, or the IgA, to HCV if present in the specimen will bind to the HCV Ag conjugates. The immunocomplex is then captured on the membrane by the precoated HCV antigens, forming a burgundy colored T band, indicating a HCV Ab positive test result. Absence of the T band suggests a negative result. The test contains an internal control (C band) which should exhibit a burgundy colored band of the immunocomplex of goat anti-rabbit IgG and rabbit IgG-gold conjugate regardless the presence of any antibodies to HCV. Otherwise, the test result is invalid and the specimen must be retested with another Cassette.

PRODUCT CONTENTS

HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) containing HCV antigen (HCV antigen includes core, NS3, NS4 and NS5 segment) coated particles and HCV antigen (HCV recombinant antigen includes core, NS3, NS4 and NS5 segment) coated on the membrane.

MATERIALS SUPPLIED

- 25 sealed pouches each containing a test cassette, a pipette dropper and a desiccant (Test Cassette T band is pre-coated with non-conjugated HCV antigens, and the C band is pre-coated with goat anti-rabbit IgG on the nitrocellulose and coupled to colloidal gold on label pad)
- 1 Package insert

- 1 Buffer (4 mL) (Casein-salt: 1%, NaCl: 0.9%, Na₂HPO₄: 0.286%, NaN₃: 0.5%)



Warning

Warning: 0.5% NaN₃
Harmful if swallowed; Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects
Prevention
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Avoid release to the environment.
Response
IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
Get medical attention/advice if you feel unwell

MATERIAL REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- Specimen collection containers
- Sterile lancets (for fingerstick whole blood only)
- Centrifuge (for plasma only)
- Timer
- Heparinized capillary tubes and dispensing bulb (for fingerstick whole blood only)

STORAGE AND STABILITY

The kit can be stored at room temperature or refrigerated (2-30°C). The test Cassette is stable through the expiration date printed on the sealed pouch. The test Cassette must remain in the sealed pouch until use. DO NOT FREEZE. Do not use beyond the expiration date.

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- For professional *in vitro* diagnostic use only. Do not use after expiration date.
- Warning: the reagents in this kit contain sodium azide which may react with lead or copper plumbing to form potentially explosive metal azides. When disposing of such reagents, always flush with large volumes of water to prevent azide build-up.
- Do not use it if the tube/pouch is damaged or broken.
- Test is for single use only. Do not re-use under any circumstances.
- Handle all specimens as if they contain infectious agents. Observe established precautions against microbiological hazards throughout testing and follow the standard procedures for proper disposal of specimens.
- Wear protective clothing such as laboratory coats, disposable gloves and eye protection when specimens are assayed.
- Humidity and temperature can adversely affect results.
- Do not perform the test in a room with strong air flow, ie. an electric fan or strong air conditioning.

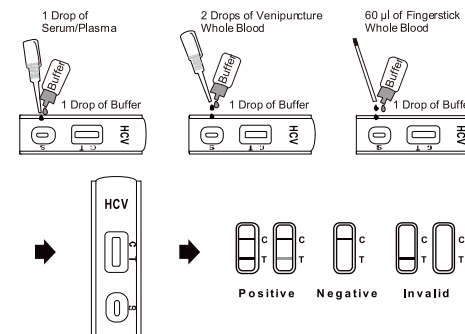
SPECIMEN COLLECTION

- The HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) (Cassette) can be performed using whole blood (from venipuncture and fingerstick), serum or plasma.
- For venipuncture whole blood and plasma: K-EDTA, Sodium Heparin, Sodium citrate Sterile, and Lithium heparin should be used as the anticoagulant. Other anticoagulants have not been tested and may give incorrect results.
- To collect Fingerstick Whole Blood specimens:
 - Wash the patient's hand with soap and warm water or clean with an alcohol wipe. Allow to dry.
 - Massage the hand without touching the puncture site by rubbing down the hand towards the fingertip of the middle or ring finger.
 - Puncture the skin with a new sterile lancet for each person. Wipe away the first sign of blood.
 - Gently rub the hand from wrist to palm to finger to form a rounded drop of blood over the puncture site.
 - Add the Fingerstick Whole Blood specimen to the test device by using a capillary tube:
 - Touch the end of the capillary tube to the blood until filled to approximately 60 µL. Avoid air bubbles.
 - Place the bulb onto the top end of the capillary tube, then squeeze the bulb to dispense the whole blood into the specimen well (S) of the test device.
 - Separate serum or plasma from blood as soon as possible to avoid hemolysis. Use only clear, nonhemolyzed specimens.
- Testing should be performed immediately after specimen collection. Do not leave the specimens at room temperature for prolonged periods. Serum and plasma specimens may be stored at 2-8°C for up to 3 days and may be stored at -20°C for 6 months. Whole blood collected by venipuncture should be stored at 2-8°C if the test is to be run within 2 days of collection. Do not freeze whole blood specimens. Whole blood collected by fingerstick should be tested immediately.
- Bring specimens to room temperature prior to testing. Frozen specimens must be completely thawed and mixed well prior to testing. Specimens should not be frozen and thawed repeatedly.
- If specimens are to be shipped, they should be packed in compliance with usual regulations for transportation of etiological agents.

TEST PROCEDURE

Allow test cassette, specimen, buffer and/or controls to equilibrate to room temperature (15-30°C) prior to testing.

- Remove the test Cassette from the foil pouch and use it as soon as possible. Best results will be obtained if the assay is performed within one hour.
- Place the test Cassette on a clean and level surface.
 - For Serum or Plasma Specimens:** Hold the dropper vertically and transfer 1 drop of serum or plasma (approximately 30 µL) to the specimen well (S) of the test Cassette, then add 1 drop of buffer (approximately 40 µL) and start the timer. See illustration below.
 - For Venipuncture Whole Blood Specimens:** Hold the dropper vertically and transfer 2 drops of venipuncture whole blood (approximately 60 µL) to the specimen well (S) of the test Cassette, then add 1 drop of buffer (approximately 40 µL) and start the timer. See illustration below.
 - For Fingerstick Whole Blood specimens:** To use a capillary tube: Fill the capillary tube and transfer approximately 60 µL of fingerstick whole blood specimen to the specimen well (S) of the test device, then add 1 drops of buffer (approximately 40 µL) and start the timer. See illustration below.
- Wait for the red line(s) to appear. The result should be read at 15 minutes. Do not interpret the result after 30 minutes.



INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

(Please refer to the illustration above)

Positive: Two lines appear. One colored line should be in the control line region (C) and another apparent colored line should be in the test line region (T).

Negative: One colored line appears in the control line region (C). No line appears in the test line region (T).

Invalid: Control line fails to appear. Insufficient specimen volume or incorrect procedural techniques are the most likely reasons for control line failure. Review the procedure and repeat the test with a new test Cassette. If the problem persists, discontinue using the test kit immediately and contact your local distributor.

QUALITY CONTROL

A procedural control is included in the test. A red line appearing in the control region (C) is the internal procedural control. It confirms sufficient specimen volume and correct procedural technique. Control standards are not supplied with this test. However, it is recommended that positive and negative controls are sourced from a local competent authority and tested as a good laboratory practice, to confirm the test procedure and verify the test performance.

LIMITATIONS

1. The HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) is for *in vitro* diagnostic use only. This test should be used for the detection of antibodies to HCV in whole blood, serum or plasma specimen.
2. The HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) will only indicate the presence of antibodies to HCV in the specimen and should not be used as the sole criteria for the diagnosis of Hepatitis C viral infection.
3. As with all diagnostic tests, all results must be considered with other clinical information available to the physician.
4. If the test result is negative and clinical symptoms persist, additional follow-up testing using other clinical methods is recommended. A negative result at any time does not preclude the possibility of Hepatitis C Virus infection.
5. A negative result can occur if the quantity of the antibodies to HCV present in the specimen is below the detection limits of the assay, or the antibodies that are detected are not present during the stage of disease in which a sample is collected.
6. Some specimens containing unusually high titer of heterophile antibodies or rheumatoid factor may affect expected results.
7. As with all diagnostic tests, a definitive clinical diagnosis should not be based on the results of a single test, but should only be made by the physician after all clinical and laboratory findings have been evaluated.
8. Results should not be used to determine the genotype of HCV infections.
9. Due to possible cross reactivity, the appearance of lines in T line does not necessarily indicate co-infection from IgG, IgM or IgA, nor can it identify the serotype.
10. The recommended anticoagulants are K₂EDTA, Sodium Heparin, Sodium citrate Sterile and Lithium heparin for venous whole blood. Other anticoagulants have not been evaluated with this test.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Relative Sensitivity

A total of 506 HCV positive specimens were tested using the HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) and a commercially available test (Table 1). The relative sensitivity of the test is >99.9% (95% confidence interval: 99.27% – 100%).

Table 1: Sensitivity of HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette)

Population	Specimen Type	Number of Specimens Tested	Positive by HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test	Positive by Commercially Available Test
Anti-HCV (any genotype)	plasma	329	329/329 (100%)	329/329 (100%)
Anti-HCV (any genotype)	Serum	26	26/26 (100%)	26/26 (100%)
Anti-HCV (genotype 1, 2, 3, 4 (non-subtype A), 4, 5, 6)	Serum/Plasma	151	151/151 (100%)	151/151 (100%)
Total		506	506/506 (100%)	506/506 (100%)

30 Serocoverison panels have been done and details of the 30 seroconversion are in the table below.

No.	Panel	Specimens No.	Results
1	PHV907	7	Positive from 0 days since first bleed
2	PHV908	13	Positive from 3 days since first bleed
3	PHV206(M)	25	/
4	PHV911(M)	5	Positive from 3 days since first bleed
5	PHV919	7	Positive from 28 days since first bleed
6	PHV920	10, No. 2 can't be got because of out of stock from the vendor	Positive from 16 days since first bleed
7	HCV9047	10	Positive from 28 days since first bleed

8	HCV9046	5	Positive from 69 days since first bleed
9	HCV6229	8	Positive from 17 days since first bleed
10	HCV10041	3	Positive from 6 days since first bleed
11	HCV9041	8	Positive from 62 days since first bleed
12	HCV9045	8	Positive from 37 days since first bleed
13	HCV6222	3	Positive from 40 days since first bleed
14	HCV6224	8	Positive from 19 days since first bleed
15	HCV6227	7	Positive from 75 days since first bleed
16	HCV6228	12	Positive from 31 days since first bleed
17	HCV10071	7	Positive from 84 days since first bleed
18	HCV6220	6	Positive from 18 days since first bleed
19	HCV10185	5	Positive from 130 days since first bleed
20	HCV10235	5	Positive from 96 days since first bleed
21	HCV6215	4	Positive from 20 days since first bleed
22	HCV9042	6	Positive from 8 days since first bleed
23	HCV9058	5	Positive from 10 days since first bleed
24	HCV9094	5	Positive from 9 days since first bleed
25	HCV9095	5	Positive from 10 days since first bleed
26	HCV9055	11	Positive from 65 days since first bleed
27	HCV9054	10	Positive from 72 days since first bleed
28	HCV9044	6	Positive from 21 days since first bleed
29	HCV10165	9	Positive from 19 days since first bleed
30	HCV6226	12	Positive from 39 days since first bleed

Relative Specificity

A total of HCV 1259 negative specimens were tested using the HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) and a commercially available test (Table 2). The relative specificity of the test is >99.9% (95% confidence interval: 99.71% – 100%).

Table 2: Specificity of the HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette)

Population	Specimens Tested	Number of Specimens Tested	Negative by HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test	Negative by Commercially Available Test
Clinical Negative	Serum/plasma	202	202/202 (100%)	202/202 (100%)
Potentially cross-reacting	Serum/Plasma	30	30/30 (100%)	30/30 (100%)
Unselected Donors	Serum	1000	1000/1000 (100%)	1000/1000 (100%)
Inhibition Panel	Serum	27	27/27 (100%)	27/27 (100%)
Total		1259	1259/1259 (100%)	1259/1259 (100%)

Whole Blood vs. Serum vs. Plasma

Total 25 clinical negative samples (whole blood, serum, plasma) have been collected from patients in local hospital. The whole blood collected and separated into three tubes. One was stored as whole blood. One was collected into tube for plasma, one was collected into tube for serum (Table 3). There is a very good correlation of results between whole blood, serum, and plasma with HCV negative samples.

Table 3: A Comparison of HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) Specificity in negative Whole Blood and Paired Serum and Plasma Specimens

Specimen Type	Number of Specimens Tested	Negative by HCV Ab
Serum	25	25/25 (100%)
Plasma	25	25/25 (100%)
Whole blood	25	25/25 (100%)

A total of 25 positive specimens (whole blood, serum, plasma) were tested using the HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) (Table 4). There is a very good correlation of results between whole blood and paired plasma with HCV positive samples.

Table 4: A Comparison of HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) Specificity in positive Whole Blood and Paired Serum and Plasma Specimens.

Specimen Type	Number of Specimens Tested	Positive by HCV Ab
Serum	25	25/25 (100%)
Plasma	25	25/25 (100%)
Whole blood	25	25/25 (100%)

Precision

Intra Assay

Within-run precision has been determined by using 20 replicates of four specimens: a negative, a low positive, medium positive and a high positive. The negative, low positive, medium positive and high positive values were correctly identified >99% of the time.

Inter-Assay

Between-run precision has been determined by 5 independent assays on the same four specimens: a negative, a low positive, medium positive and a high positive. Three different lots of the HCV Hepatitis C Virus Rapid Test (Whole blood/Serum/Plasma)(Cassette) have been tested using negative, low positive, medium positive and high positive specimens. The specimens were correctly identified >99% of the time.

Cross Reactivity

No cross-reactivity was observed when samples positive for other diseases such as HIV, Syphilis, Infectious Mononucleosis, HBV, Rheumatoid Factor, HAMA, Hyper IgG, Hyper IgM, anti-HAV, anti-HSV2, anti-HEV, anti-EBV and anti-CMV were tested.

Interfering Substances

No interference was observed in samples with high concentrations of Uric acid, Ascorbic Acid, Hemoglobin, Gentistic Acid, Acetaminophen, Oxalic Acid, Albumin, Caffeine, Bilirubin, EDTA, Aspirin and Methanol.

Analytes	Conc	Analytes	Conc
Control	0	Control	0
Uric acid	0.15 mg/mL	Albumin	20 mg/mL
Ascorbic Acid	0.2 mg/mL	Caffeine	0.2 mg/mL
Hemoglobin	5.0 mg/mL	Bilirubin	0.3 mg/mL
Gentistic Acid	0.2 mg/mL	EDTA	0.2 mg/mL
Acetaminophen	1.0 mg/mL	Aspirin	0.2 mg/mL
Oxalic Acid	0.2 mg/mL	Methanol	1.0%

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Troponin I

Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) Package Insert

A rapid visual immunoassay for the qualitative presumptive detection of cardiac Troponin I in human whole blood, serum, or plasma specimens.
For professional *in vitro* diagnostic use only.

INTENDED USE

The Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) is a rapid visual immunoassay for the qualitative presumptive detection of cardiac Troponin I in human whole blood, serum, or plasma specimens. This kit is intended to be used as an aid in the diagnosis of myocardial infarction (MI).

SUMMARY

Cardiac Troponin I (cTnI) is a protein found in cardiac muscle with a molecular weight of 22.5 kDa.¹ Troponin I is part of a three subunit complex comprising of Troponin T and Troponin C. Along with tropomyosin, this structural complex forms the main component that regulates the calcium sensitive ATPase activity of actomyosin in striated skeletal and cardiac muscle.² After cardiac injury occurs, Troponin I is released into the blood 4-6 hours after the onset of pain. The release pattern of cTnI is similar to CK-MB, but while CK-MB levels return to normal after 72 hours, Troponin I remains elevated for 6-10 days, thus providing for a longer window of detection for cardiac injury. The high specificity of cTnI measurements for the identification of myocardial damage has been demonstrated in conditions such as the perioperative period, after marathon runs, and blunt chest trauma.³ cTnI release has also been documented in cardiac conditions other than acute myocardial infarction (AMI) such as unstable angina, congestive heart failure, and ischemic damage due to coronary artery bypass surgery.⁴ Because of its high specificity and sensitivity in the myocardial tissue, Troponin I has recently become the most preferred biomarker for myocardial infarction.⁵

PRINCIPLE

The Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) has been designed to detect cardiac Troponin I through visual interpretation of color development in the strip. The membrane was immobilized with anti-cTnI antibodies on the test region. During the test, the specimen is allowed to react with colored anti-cTnI antibodies colloidal gold conjugates, which were precoated on the sample pad of the test. The mixture then moves on the membrane by a capillary action, and interact with reagents on the membrane. If there were enough cTnI in specimens, a colored band will form at the test region of the membrane.

Presence of this colored band indicates a positive result, while its absence indicates a negative result. Appearance of a colored band at the control region serves as a procedural control. This indicates that proper volume of specimen has been added and membrane wicking has occurred.

PRECAUTIONS

- For professional *in vitro* diagnostic use only.
- Warning: the reagents in this kit contain sodium azide which may react with lead or copper plumbing to form potentially explosive metal azides. When disposing of such reagents, always flush with large volumes of water to prevent azide build-up.
- Do not use it if the tube/pouch is damaged or broken.
- Test is for single use only. Do not re-use under any circumstances.
- Handle all specimens as if they contain infectious agents. Observe established standard procedure for proper disposal of specimens
- Wear protective clothing such as laboratory coats, disposable gloves and eye protection when specimens are assayed.
- Humidity and temperature can adversely affect results.

STORAGE AND STABILITY

All reagents are ready to use as supplied. Store unused test device unopened at 2°C-30°C. If stored at 2°C-8°C, ensure that the test device is brought to room temperature before opening. The test is not stable out off the expiration date printed on the sealed pouch. Do not freeze the kit or expose the kit over 30°C.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND PREPARATION

- The Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) is intended only for use with human whole blood, serum, or plasma specimens.
- Only clear, non-hemolyzed specimens are recommended for use with this test.
- Serum or plasma should be separated with soonest possible opportunity to avoid hemolysis.
- Perform the testing immediately after the specimen collection. Do not leave the specimens at room temperature for prolonged periods. Specimens may be stored at 2-8°C for up to 3 days. For long term storage, specimens should be kept below -20°C.
- Bring specimens to room temperature prior to testing. Frozen specimens must be completely thawed and mixed well prior to testing. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing of specimens.
- Pack the specimens in compliance with applicable regulations for transportation of etiological agents, in case they need to be shipped.
- Icteric, lipemic, hemolyzed, heat treated and contaminated sera may cause erroneous results.
- There is a slight possibility that some whole blood specimens with very high viscosity or which have been stored for more than 2 days may not run properly on the test device. Repeat the test with a serum or plasma specimen from the same patient using a new test device.

Materials Provided

- Test cassettes
- Disposable Droppers
- Package insert

Materials Required But Not Provided

- Specimen collection containers
- Centrifuge (for plasma only)
- Clock or Timer

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Allow test device, specimen, buffer and/or controls to equilibrate to room temperature (15-30°C) prior to testing.

1. Remove the test from its sealed pouch, and place it on a clean, level surface. Label the device with patient or control identification. To obtain a best result, the assay should be performed within one hour.

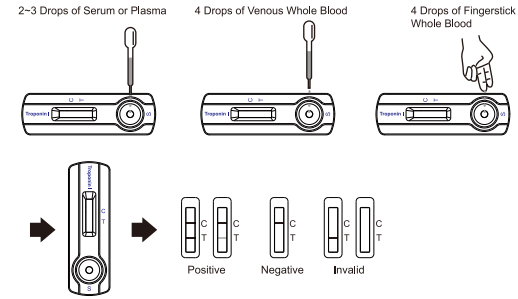
2. Transfer **2-3 drops of serum or plasma** to the specimen well(S) of the device with a disposable pipette provided in the kit, and then start the timer.

OR
Transfer **4 drops of whole blood** specimen to the specimen well(S) of the device with a disposable pipette provided in the kit, and then start the timer.

OR

Allow **4 hanging drops of fingerstick whole blood** specimen to fall into the center of the specimen well (S) of the device, and then start the timer. Avoid trapping air bubbles in the specimen well (S), and do not drop any solution in observation window. As the test begins to work, you will see color move across the membrane.

2. Wait for the colored band(s) to appear. The result should be read at 15 minutes. Do not interpret the result after 20 minutes.



INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

(Please refer to the illustration above)

POSITIVE: Two colored bands appear on the membrane. One band appears in the control region (C) and another band appears in the test region (T).

NEGATIVE: Only one colored band appears in the control region (C). No apparent colored band appears in the test region (T).

INVALID: Control band fails to appear. Results from any test which has not produced a control band at the specified reading time must be discarded.

Please review the procedure and repeat with a new test. If the problem persists, discontinue using the kit immediately and contact your local distributor.

NOTE: Insufficient specimen volume, incorrect operation procedure, or performing expired tests are the most likely reasons for control band failure.

QUALITY CONTROL

Internal procedural controls are included in the test. A colored band appearing in the control region (C) is considered an internal positive procedural control. It confirms sufficient specimen volume and correct procedural technique.

External controls are not supplied with this kit. It is recommended that positive and negative controls be tested as a good laboratory practice to confirm the test procedure and to verify proper test performance.

LIMITATIONS

- The Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) is for professional *in vitro* diagnostic use, and should be used for the qualitative detection of cardiac Troponin I only. There is no meaning attributed to linen color intensity or width.
- The Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette (Whole Blood/Serum/Plasma) will only indicate the presence of Troponin I in the specimen and should not be used as the sole criteria for the diagnosis of tuberculosis.
- If the test result is negative and clinical symptoms persist, additional testing using other clinical methods is recommended. The test cannot detect less than 0.5 ng/mL of cTnI in specimens. Thus, a negative result does not at anytime rule out the existence of Troponin I in blood, because the antibodies may be absent or below the minimum detection level of the test.
- Like with all diagnostic tests, a confirmed diagnosis should only be made by a physician after all clinical and laboratory findings have been evaluated.
- Some specimens containing unusually high titers of heterophile antibodies or rheumatoid factor (RF) may affect expected results. Even if the test results are positive, further clinical evaluation should be considered with other clinical information available to the physician.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Table: Troponin I Rapid Test vs. EIA

Method		Troponin I Rapid Test Cassette		Total Results
		Positive	Negative	
EIA	Positive	138	2	140
	Negative	1	315	316
Total Results		139	317	456

Relative Sensitivity: 98.6% (94.9%-99.8%)*

Relative Specificity: 99.7% (98.3%-99.9%)*

Overall Agreement: 99.3% (98.1%-99.9%)*

*95% Confidence Interval

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