



# HEART SCAN<sup>TM</sup>

## One Step Troponin I Card Test

*A rapid test for the qualitative detection of human cardiac Troponin I in serum or plasma.*

For Professional Use Only



READ THIS PACK INSERT CAREFULLY BEFORE PERFORMING THE TEST

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**INTENDED USE :** The Heart Scan One Step Troponin I Card Test is a rapid chromatographic immunoassay for the qualitative detection of human cardiac Troponin I in serum or plasma as an aid in the diagnosis of myocardial infarction (MI).

**SUMMARY :** Cardiac Troponin I is a protein found in cardiac muscle with a molecular weight of 22.5 kDa. Troponin I is part of a three subunit complex, comprising of Troponin T and Troponin C. Along with Tropomyosin, this structural protein forms the main component that regulates the calcium sensitive ATPase activity of actomyosin in striated skeletal and cardiac muscle. After cardiac injury occurs Troponin I is released into the blood 4-6 hours after the onset of pain. The release pattern of cardiac Troponin I 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 Troponin I measurements for the identification of myocardial damage has been demonstrated in conditions such as the preoperative period, after marathon runs, and blunt chest trauma. Troponin I 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. Because of its high specificity and sensitivity in the myocardial tissue, Troponin I has recently become the most preferred biomarker for myocardial infarction.

The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test is a simple test that utilizes a combination of anti-Troponin I antibody particles and capture reagent to detect Troponin I in serum or plasma. The minimum detection level is 0.5 ng/mL.

**PRINCIPLE :** The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test (Serum/Plasma) is a qualitative, membrane based immunoassay for the detection of Troponin I in serum or plasma. The membrane is pre-coated with capture reagent on the test line region of the test. During testing, the serum or plasma specimen reacts with the particle coated with anti-Troponin I antibodies. The mixture migrates upward on the membrane chromatographically by capillary action to react with capture reagent on the membrane and generates a colored line. The presence of this colored line in the test line region indicates a positive result, while its absence indicates a negative 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.

**STORAGE AND STABILITY :** Store as packaged in the sealed pouch either at room temperature or refrigerated (2-30°C). The test device is stable through the expiration date printed on the sealed pouch. The test device must remain in the sealed pouch until use. **DO NOT FREEZE.** Do not use beyond the expiration date.

**PACK SIZE :** Available in pack of 5 & 10 Test.

**KIT CONTENTS :**

Pack Size	5 Test	10 Test
Troponin I Test Device	5 Nos.	10 Nos.
2ml Dropper	5 Nos.	10 Nos.
1g Silicagel	5 Nos.	10 Nos.
Pack Insert	1 No.	1 No.

**MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED :**

1. Sterilised Vial
2. Disposable Gloves
3. Pre-session Pipette
4. Sodium hypochlorite Solution (Free available chlorine 50-500 mg/L)

**PRECAUTIONS:**

1. For professional *in vitro* diagnostic use only. Do not use after expiration date.
2. The test device must remain in the sealed pouch until use.
3. Do not eat, drink or smoke in the area where the specimens or kits are handled.
4. Do not use if pouch is damaged.
5. Handle all specimens as if they contain infectious agents. Observe established precautions against microbiological hazards throughout the procedure and follow the standard procedures for proper disposal of specimens.

6. Wear protective clothing such as laboratory coats, disposable gloves or eye protection when specimens are being tested.
7. Humidity and temperature can adversely affect results.
8. The used test should be discarded according to local regulations.

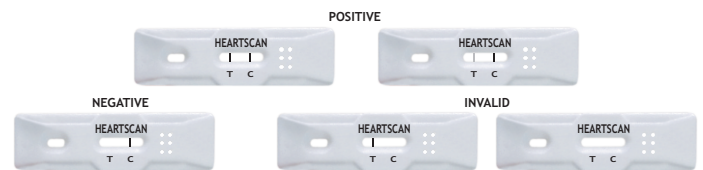
**SPECIMEN :** Fresh serum or plasma.

**SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND PREPARATION :**

1. The Heart Scan One Step Troponin I Card Test (Serum/Plasma) can be performed using serum or plasma.
2. Separate serum or plasma from blood as soon as possible to avoid hemolysis. Use only clear, non-hemolyzed specimens.
3. 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. For long-term storage, specimens should be kept below -20°C.
4. If specimens are to be shipped, they should be packed in compliance with local regulations covering the transportation of etiologic agents.

**TEST PROCEDURE :**

1. Bring the pouch to room temperature before opening it. Remove the test device from the sealed pouch and use it as soon as possible. Best results will be obtained if the test is performed immediately after opening the foil pouch.
2. Add 2 drops of serum or plasma in to the sample window.
3. Wait for the colored line(s) to appear. **Read results at 10 minutes.** Do not interpret results after 20 minutes.



**INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS :**

(Please refer to the illustration above)

**POSITIVE :** Two distinct colored 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).

**NOTE :** The intensity of the color in the test line region (T) will vary depending on the concentration of cardiac Troponin I present in the specimen. Therefore, any shade of color in the test line region (T) should be considered positive.

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

**INVALID :** Control line (C) 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 device. If the problem persists, discontinue using the test kit immediately and contact your local distributor.

**LIMITATIONS :**

1. The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test (Serum/Plasma) is for *in vitro* diagnostic use only. This test should be used for the detection of Troponin I in serum or plasma specimens only. Neither the quantitative value nor the rate of increase in Troponin I can be determined by this qualitative test.
2. The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test (Serum/Plasma) will only indicate the qualitative level of

Cardiac Troponin I in the specimen and should not be used as the sole criteria for the diagnosis of myocardial infarction.

3. The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test (Serum/Plasma) cannot detect less than 0.5 ng/mL of Cardiac Troponin I in specimens. A negative result at any time does not preclude the possibility of myocardial infarction.

4. As with all diagnostic tests, all results must be interpreted together with other clinical information available to the physician.

5. 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.

**EXPECTED VALUES :** The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test has been compared with a leading commercial Cardiac Troponin I EIA test, demonstrating an overall accuracy of 98.5%.

**PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS :** The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test has been evaluated with a leading commercial Cardiac Troponin I EIA test using clinical specimens. The results show that the sensitivity of the HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test is 98.5% and the specificity is 98.4% relative to the leading EIA test.

### HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test VS EIA.

Method		EIA		Total Results
HearScan One Step Troponin I Card Test	Results	Positive	Negative	
	Positive	197	8	205
	Negative	3	505	508
<b>Total Results</b>		200	513	713

Relative Sensitivity : 98.5% (95.7% - 99.7%) Relative Specificity : 98.4% (97.0%-99.3%) Accuracy : 98.5% (97.3%-99.2%)

**INTERFERING SUBSTANCES :** The HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test has been tested and no interference was observed in specimens containing 110 mg/mL human albumin, 6 mg/mL bilirubin, 10 mg/mL hemoglobin, 5 mg/mL cholesterol and 15 mg/mL triglycerides. The following compounds have also been tested using the HeartScan One Step Troponin I Card Test and no interference was observed at a concentration of 50 µg/mL.

Acetaminophen	Felodipine
Acetylsalicylic acid	Flunarizine Hydrochloride
Anisodamine	Furosemide
Ascorbic Acid	Hydrochlorothiazide
Atenolol	Isosorbide Mononitrate
Atorvastatin Calcium	Labetalol
Bisoprolol Fumarate	Metoprolol Tartrate
Caffeine	Moracizine Hydrochloride
Captopril	Nifedipine
Chloramphenicol	Oxazepam
Chloridizepoxide	Pentoxifyline
Cilazapril	Phenobarbital
Diclofenac	Quinine
Digoxin	Remipril
DL-Tyrosine	Trimethoprim
Erythromycin	Verapamil

### TROUBLE SHOOTING

FLOODING OF SAMPLE	
Cause/Error	Remedy
Addition of more than 2 drops of Serum / Plasma	Add only 2 drops of Serum / Plasma

WEAK INTENSITY OF CONTROL LINE	
Cause/Error	Remedy
Very cold reagent	Bring the sample to room temperature before testing (25° 5°C) if stored at lower temperature

POOR SENSITIVITY OR WEAK INTENSITY OF TEST AND CONTROL LINES	
Cause/Error	Remedy
Frozen sample not mixed properly after thawing Hooks Effect, due to too high concentration of the antibodies	Mix the sample well and centrifuge to remove particulate matter before pipetting. Dilute the serum 10 times with negative serum and test again.

GHOST LINE APPEARANCE	
Cause/Error	Remedy
Backflow	Read the result within the prescribed time.

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### EN 980:2008 (E) MEDICAL DEVICES SYMBOL

	Temperature Limitation		Date of Manufacture		In vitro Diagnostic Device		Batch Code
	Company name & address		Refer Operating Instructions		Use by		Company Name
	Authorised Representative in European Community		Do Not Reuse		Sufficient for		KEEP AWAY FROM SUNLIGHT
	KEEP DRY		NON-STERILE		NEGATIVE CONTROL		POSITIVE CONTROL

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