

INTENDED USE

PRO·Mcomplete™ External Positive Control is intended to provide an external quality control reagent for use with the PRO·Mcomplete™ kit (PL.950-1, PL.950-5, PL.950-10).

PRINCIPLES OF THE TEST

The positive control contains Alpha-FetoProtein (AFP) and Insulin-like Growth Factor-Binding Protein-1 (IGFBP-1) which, when dispensed into the PRO·Mcomplete™ Test Cassette, produces positive A (AFP), B (IGFBP-1) and C (control) lines in properly functioning tests.

REAGENTS/MATERIALS PROVIDED

One dropper bottle containing 0.5 ml of positive control sufficient for 1 test.

AFP in the positive control is obtained from human origin and IGFBP-1 is a recombinant protein. Both proteins are dissolved in a buffer with preservative.

MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- PRO·Mcomplete[™] Test Cassette (PL.951)
- · A standard laboratory timer

STORAGE AND STABILITY

The positive control is stable until the expiry date indicated on the bottle when stored at 2-8°C.

PRECAUTIONS AND WARNINGS

- For in vitro diagnostic use.
- · Do not use the reagent beyond the expiry date.
- · The positive control contains material of human origin and may transmit infectious agents and should be handled with extreme caution. No known test method can offer complete assurance that products derived from human sources will not transmit infectious agents.
- · After use dispose of the test cassette according to procedures for potentially infectious waste.

OUALITY CONTROL TEST PROCEDURE

- 1. The positive control and cassette should be at room temperature prior to testing.
- 2. Hold the positive control dropper bottle vertically above the sample well (S) on the cassette and dispense three drops by applying gentle pressure on the walls of the bottle. Avoid air bubbles in the sample well or splashes of

liquid into the results window.

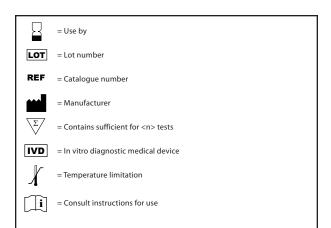
- 3. Start the timer. As the test begins to work, you will see a reddish coloured liquid moving across the membrane.
- 4. The results should be read after 10 minutes.

INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

The test is working properly if a band is visible at A, B, and C when using the positive control. Even a faint band should be considered as a positive result.

LIMITATIONS OF THE PROCEDURE

The test procedure must be followed to obtain accurate results.



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