





NT-proBNP: For the ACCURATE DIAGNOSIS of HEART FAILURE

Why measure NT-proBNP?

NT-proBNP is the N-terminal 76 amino-acid cleavage product of proBNP that is released from cardiac ventricles in response to increased wall stress and volume overload.

NT-proBNP has a longer half life in the circulation (120 minutes) compared with the C-terminal BNP peptide (20 minutes). Therefore, the measurement of NT-proBNP offers **excellent stability** in serum/plasma **for reliable results.**

Features and Benefits

- COST EFFECTIVE TOOL low price / analysis
- INDEPENDENT can be run in every lab manually or on open systems
- CE MARKED for IVD use
- EASY conventional 96 well format
- WIDE DYNAMIC RANGE enables accurate detection of early stages of heart failure

Assay Characteristics

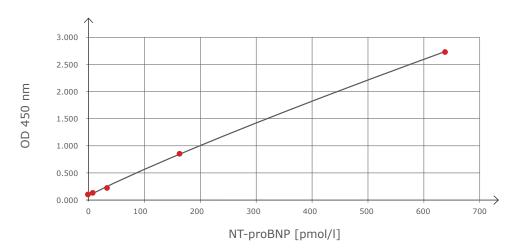
• Method: Sandwich ELISA, HRP/TMB, 12x8-well strips

• Sample type: Serum, EDTA plasma

Sample size: 50 µl/test
Standard range: 0-640 pmol/l
Detection limit: 3 pmol/l
Incubation time: 3 h / 30 min

• Unit conversion: 1 pmol/l = 8.475 pg/ml

Typical Standard Curve of NT-proBNP ELISA



Performance Characteristics

PRECISION Intra-assay (n=6) < 4% Inter-assay (n=8) < 7%
RECOVERY Serum (n=4): 93-113% EDTA-Plasma (n=4): 80-102%
LINEARITY Serum (n=4): 112-120% EDTA-Plasma (n=4): 89-98%