Haemochrom Diagnostica

Competence in Haemostasis Diagnostics



UNITEST Heparin Cofactor II

A chromogenic method for the determination of heparin cofactor II activity in plasma, based on the inhibition of thrombin.

Test principle

 $HC II + Dermatan sulphate \rightarrow [HC II \bullet Dermatan sulphate]$

[HC II \bullet Dermatan sulphate] + Thrombin (excess) \rightarrow

[HC II•Dermatan sulphate•Thrombin] + Thrombin (residual)

Substrate — Thrombin (residual) → Peptide + pNA

Reagents and stability (after opening)

Thrombin (human)	1 vial	8 hours at 4°C
		6 months at -20°C
Dermatan sulphate	1 vial	8 hours at 4°C
		6 months at -20°C
Thrombin-substrate	1 vial	6 months at 4°C
Buffer-concentrate	1 vial	see expiry date
Standard plasma	1 vial	8 hours at 4°C

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