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Streck's Cell-Chex Auto is first automated body fluid control for Abbott, Coulter and Sysmex instruments

Omaha, NE — Streck, a developer and manufacturer of hematology controls for the clinical laboratory, introduces Cell-Chex Auto, the first body fluid control for automated body fluid analysis on the Abbott CELL-DYN® 3200, 4000 and Sapphire™, Coulter® LH 750/LH 755 and Sysmex XE-2100™.

Cell-Chex Auto verifies the accuracy at the lower limits of the instrument's RBC and WBC reportable range. All three levels of Cell-Chex Auto are lower than the low abnormal level of daily hematology controls and calibration material. Cell-Chex Auto provides confidence that instrument counts are accurate for patient samples.

Cell-Chex Auto is available in 3.0mL plastic cap-pierceable vials. Each level is packaged separately. This product offers a closed-vial stability of 75 days and an open-vial stability of 30 days.

STATS®, a free interlaboratory quality control program, is offered to qualifying Cell-Chex Auto customers. STATS produces relevant peer group comparison reports and graphs with a quick turnaround time. Data can be submitted by mail, fax or e-mail. The reports include customer data, peer group averages and computer generated Levey-Jennings graphs.

Over the past 30 years, Streck has developed a reputation for excellence that includes consistent, high quality controls, responsive customer service and technical service teams. For more information, call 800-843-0912 or consult Streck online at www.streck.com.