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Streck introduces first nucleated red blood cell control for ADVIA[®] 2120

Omaha, NE — Streck, a developer and manufacturer of hematology controls for the clinical laboratory, introduces nRBC-Chex for ADVIA[®].

nRBC-Chex for ADVIA is the first nucleated red blood cell control designed to verify the accuracy and precision of nRBC enumeration of the Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics' ADVIA 2120.

It provides the confidence that instrument-reported nRBC values are accurate without manual verification of a stained patient smear.

Packaged in plastic, 4.0ml cap-pierceable vials, nRBC-Chex for ADVIA offers a closed-vial stability of 105 days and an open-vial stability of 14 days.

STATS[®], a free interlaboratory quality control program, is offered to nRBC-Chex for ADVIA 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.

About Streck, Inc.

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