## **Product Data Sheet**

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Product number Revision number	<b>T114</b> RN2.0
Product Name	Blood Coagulation Factor XIII-Microassay Kit, colorimetric (450 nm)
	Kit produced and Developed by CovalAb, France
Synonym	FXIII-CovTest
Background	The Blood Coagulation Factor XIII-Microassay Kit uses biotinylated F11 peptide (Biotin- pepF11) as the first substrate (amine-acceptor/acyl-donor) and spermine as second substrate (amine-donor/acyl-acceptor).
	Usually samples contain the pro-enzyme (FXIII) and a pre-treatment with thrombin (T056) to obtain activated FXIII (FXIIIa) could be necessary to measure the activity using Blood Coagulation Factor XIII-Microassay Kit. After this activation step, samples suspected of containing activated FXIIIa are incubated with calcium, dithiothreitol (DTT), and Biotin-pepF11 in the wells of microtiter plates to which spermine had been covalently coupled, previously. In the presence of FXIII spermine is incorporated into the gamma-carboxamide of the glutaminyl residue of the biotin-pepF11 to form a biotin-pepF11-gamma-glutamyl spermine.
	The system is coupled to Streptavidin labelled peroxidase (SAv-HRP). SAv-HRP is revealed using $H_2O_2$ as HRP substrate and tetramethyl benzidine as electron acceptor (chromogen).
Application	Colorimetric measurement of transglutaminase activity, optimized for Factor XIII
Reagents in the kit	Microtiter strips with covalently bound spermine DTT EDTA (Negative Control) Reaction Buffer (Biotin-pepF11/CaCl <sub>2</sub> ) Enzyme Tracer (SAv-HRP) Wash Buffer 10X Diluent Buffer 10X HRP Substrate Blocking Reagent
Equipment	Microplate reader capable of measuring absorbance at 450 nm. Pipettes, multi-channel pipette, and pipette tips. Ultra-pure or deionized water. Squirt bottle, manifold dispenser, or automated microplate washer.
Storage	The kit is shipped on ice. Upon arrival, the Reaction Buffer (R3) and Enzyme Tracer (R4) should be stored at -20°C. All the other components of the kit should be kept at +4°C.
	When stored properly, these stock solutions are stable for at least 24 months.
Related products	<ul> <li>T056 Human alpha thrombin, highly active</li> <li>F001 FXIII-Assay Kit</li> <li>A101 FXIII-Assay Substance, Abz-NE(CAD-DNP)EQVSPLTLLK-OH</li> <li>T027 Human blood coagulation Factor XIII</li> <li>B010 Blood coagulation FXIII-substrate-peptide F11KA</li> </ul>
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NOTE	INTENDED FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY, NOT FOR USE IN HUMAN, THERAPEUTIC OR DIAGNOSTIC APPLICATIONS.