Streck launches sed-rate analyzer

July 2018—Streck and Diesse Diagnostica Senese have introduced the Cube 30 Touch, an automated instrument for high-volume erythrocyte sedimentation rate testing in EDTA tubes. The analyzer produces ESR results directly from EDTA tubes without consuming the patient sample and is compatible with standard 4.0 mL K2EDTA tubes. Its internal mixing function prepares up to 30 samples per batch, with random access capability to add samples as space allows. Results are available in 20 minutes and automatically print and transmit to an LIS. The instrument has a greater than 94 percent correlation to the modified Westergren method. A barcode scanner ensures positive patient identification. Streck is the exclusive distributor of the Cube 30 Touch in the U.S. and Canada.

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