

# For Screening of Thyroid Diseases in Canines and Felines

An in vitro diagnostic test kit for the in-clinic, quantitative measurement of T4 (thyroxine) concentration in canine serum or feline serum, Vcheck's T4 test allows for the identification of this hormone biomarker. Canine hypothyroidism is a common disease related to thyroid function in dogs, and feline hyperthyroidism is the most common endocrine disease affecting geriatric cats. Vcheck's T4 test measures the concentration level of this hormone and can be used to screen for these diseases. The prognosis of hyperthyroidism and hypothyroidism is excellent when canines and felines are diagnosed at an early stage and appropriately treated and managed.

## **Clinical Applications**

Screening of hypothyroidism/hyperthyroidism and treatment monitoring

# **Specifications**

 $\begin{array}{lll} \textbf{Species} & \textbf{Canine, Feline} \\ \textbf{Sample Type} & \textbf{Serum 50 } \mu \textbf{I} \\ \textbf{Measurement} & \textbf{Quantitative} \\ \textbf{Range} & \textbf{0.5 - 8 } \mu \textbf{g/dL} \\ \textbf{Testing Time} & \textbf{20 minutes} \\ \textbf{Storage Condition} & \textbf{2 - 8}^{\circ} \textbf{C} \\ \end{array}$ 

# **Simple Testing Procedure**



#### **Dilute Sample**

Use a 50  $\mu$ l pipette to draw 50  $\mu$ l of serum and add to the assay diluent tube.



#### Mix & Incubate

Use a tablet pipette to mix until the tablet is completely dissolved (8 times or more). Incubate the mixture at room temperature for 10 min.



#### Measure

Add 100 µl of incubated sample to the sample well of the test device and press [START].

Product Name	Product Number	Product Type	Packing Unit
Vcheck T4	VCF106DD	Device	10 Tests/Kit



#### A Closer Look: T4

The Vcheck T4 test kit screens for T4, a major thyroid hormone that is important for normal regulation of metabolic rates and activity in various organs. When T4 concentration level is measured, it can detect hypothyroidism/hyperthyroidism in canines and felines.

#### **Clinical Signs of Thyroid Diseases**

# Canine Hypothyroidism Lethargy Mental dullness Weight gain Inactivity Weakness

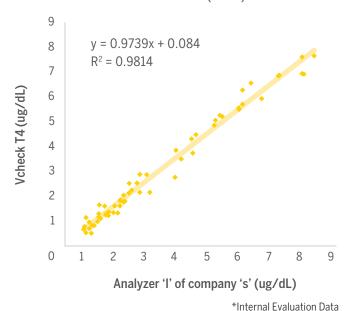
Feline Hyperthyroidism		
Weight loss		
Polyphagia		
Polyuria/polydipsia		
Hyperactivity		

\*Internal Evaluation Data

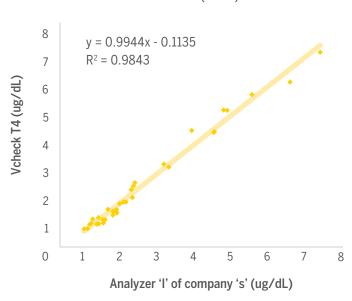
## **Specific Clinical Application**

The Vcheck T4 test kit is based on the competitive immunoassay method for the quantitative measurement of T4 concentration. T4 is one of the hormones secreted by the thyroid gland and is responsible for the regulation of metabolism. The Vcheck T4 can be used to assist in the monitoring of structural or functional abnormalities of the thyroid gland.

# Correlation with analyzer 'l' of company 'S' Canine (n=58)



# Correlation with analyzer 'l' of company 'S' Feline (n=34)



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