



## Product Information

### LIPOPROTEIN, HIGH DENSITY

HDL;  $\alpha$ -lipoprotein  
from Human Plasma

Product No. **L 2014**

#### Product Description

HDL, LDL and VLDL are isolated sequentially from plasma by using the modified methods of Rudel, L.L.<sup>3</sup> and Burstein, M.<sup>4</sup>. Each lipoprotein is then concentrated and dialyzed extensively against 0.15 M NaCl, 0.01% EDTA, pH 7.4-7.5.

HDL and LDL are then filtered through a 0.2  $\mu$  membrane and VLDL is filtered through a 0.45  $\mu$  membrane.

Each lipoprotein class has a characteristic electrophoretic mobility and chemical composition. Each class is essentially free from contamination by other lipoprotein as determined by agarose electrophoresis using sudan black B staining for lipid. However, it is common for some serum proteins, foreign to the lipoprotein itself, to be present.

#### Storage

All lipoproteins should be stored at 2-8 °C. Freezing may cause structural or composition changes.

#### Product Profile

Protein concentration: 10-13 mg/ml assayed by modified Lowry method using BSA as standard (see vial label for lot specific number).

Buffer: 0.15 M NaCl, 0.01% EDTA, pH 7.4-7.5

Source: Fresh, non-frozen plasma

Size: M.W.  $1.75-5 \times 10^5$ ; diameter 6-12.5 nm<sup>1</sup>

Chemical composition: Approx. 45% lipid and 55% protein<sup>2</sup>

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