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Re: K223481

Trade/Device Name: VITEK 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline (≤ 0.25 - ≥ 16 $\mu\text{g/mL}$)

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 866.1645

Regulation Name: Fully Automated Short-Term Incubation Cycle Antimicrobial Susceptibility System

Regulatory Class: Class II

Product Code: LON

Dated: November 17, 2022

Received: November 18, 2022

Dear Jared Bronson:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. Although this letter refers to your product as a device, please be aware that some cleared products may instead be combination products. The 510(k) Premarket Notification Database located at <https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfpmn/pmn.cfm> identifies combination product submissions. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you, however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801 and Part 809); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR

803) for devices or postmarketing safety reporting (21 CFR 4, Subpart B) for combination products (see <https://www.fda.gov/combination-products/guidance-regulatory-information/postmarketing-safety-reporting-combination-products>); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) for devices or current good manufacturing practices (21 CFR 4, Subpart A) for combination products; and, if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/medical-device-safety/medical-device-reporting-mdr-how-report-medical-device-problems>.

For comprehensive regulatory information about medical devices and radiation-emitting products, including information about labeling regulations, please see Device Advice (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance>) and CDRH Learn (<https://www.fda.gov/training-and-continuing-education/cdrh-learn>). Additionally, you may contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education (DICE) to ask a question about a specific regulatory topic. See the DICE website (<https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/device-advice-comprehensive-regulatory-assistance/contact-us-division-industry-and-consumer-education-dice>) for more information or contact DICE by email (DICE@fda.hhs.gov) or phone (1-800-638-2041 or 301-796-7100).

Sincerely,


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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K223481

Device Name

VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline (≤ 0.25 - ≥ 16 $\mu\text{g/mL}$)

Indications for Use (Describe)

VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline is designed for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *Streptococcus* species and is intended for use with the VITEK® 2 and VITEK® 2 COMPACT Systems as a laboratory aid in the determination of *in vitro* susceptibility to antimicrobial agents. VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline is a quantitative test. Tetracycline has been shown to be active against the microorganisms listed below, according to the FDA label for this antimicrobial.

Active *in vitro* and in clinical infections:

Streptococcus pneumoniae

*Streptococcus pyogenes**

*The VITEK® 2 *Streptococcus* Susceptibility Card also reports the susceptibility of the following additional organisms as listed on the FDA Susceptibility Test Interpretative Criteria website (STIC): *Streptococcus* spp. β -Hemolytic Group (other than *S. pyogenes*).

The VITEK® 2 *Streptococcus* Susceptibility Card is intended for use with the VITEK® 2 Systems in clinical laboratories as an *in vitro* test to determine the susceptibility of *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, beta-hemolytic *Streptococcus*, and Viridans *Streptococcus* to antimicrobial agents when used as instructed.

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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510(k) SUMMARY

VITEK[®] 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline ($\leq 0.25 - \geq 16 \mu\text{g/mL}$)

510(k) Submission Information:

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B. Device Name:

Formal/Trade Name:	VITEK [®] 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline ($\leq 0.25 - \geq 16 \mu\text{g/mL}$)
Classification Name:	21 CFR 866.1645 Fully Automated Short-Term Incubation Cycle Antimicrobial Susceptibility System Product Code: LON

Common Name:	VITEK [®] 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline
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C. Predicate Device:	VITEK [®] 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline ($\leq 0.25 - \geq 16 \mu\text{g/mL}$) (K111893)
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D. Device Description:

The principle of the VITEK[®] 2 AST cards is based on the microdilution minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) technique reported by MacLowry and Marsh⁽¹⁾ and Gerlach⁽²⁾. The VITEK[®] 2 AST card is essentially a miniaturized, abbreviated and automated version of the doubling dilution technique⁽³⁾.



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Each VITEK® 2 AST card contains 64 wells. A control well which only contains microbiological culture media is resident on all cards. The remaining wells contain premeasured portions of a specific antibiotic combined with culture media. The bacterial or yeast isolate to be tested is diluted to a standardized concentration with 0.45 – 0.5% saline before being used to rehydrate the antimicrobial medium within the card. The VITEK® 2 System automatically fills, seals and places the card into the incubator/reader. The VITEK® 2 Compact has a manual filling, sealing and loading operation. The VITEK® 2 Systems monitor the growth of each well in the card over a defined period of time. At the completion of the incubation cycle, a report is generated that contains the MIC value along with the interpretive category result for each antibiotic contained on the card.

VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline has the following concentrations in the card: 0.125, 0.5, 1, and 4 µg/mL (equivalent standard method concentration by efficacy in µg/mL).

E. Substantial Equivalence Information:

The similarities and differences of the VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline when compared to the predicate device, VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline (K111893), are described in the following table. The differences between both devices include the addition of *Streptococcus pneumoniae* and Beta hemolytic *streptococcus* spp. breakpoints and removal of *Streptococcus* spp. breakpoint, as well as narrowing the indications for use to *Streptococcus pneumoniae* and *Streptococcus pyogenes*.

Table 1: Substantial Equivalence

Device and Predicate Device(s):	Device:	Predicate Device: K111893
Device Trade Name	VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline (≤ 0.25 – ≥ 16 µg/mL)	VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline
General Device Characteristic Similarities		
Intended Use	VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline is designed for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of <i>Streptococcus</i> species and is intended for use with the VITEK® 2 and VITEK® 2 Compact Systems as a laboratory aid in the determination of <i>in vitro</i> susceptibility to antimicrobial agents. VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline is a quantitative test. Tetracycline has been shown to be active against most strains of the microorganisms listed below, according to the FDA label for this antimicrobial.	VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline is designed for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of <i>Streptococcus</i> species. VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline is a quantitative test intended for use with the VITEK® 2 and the VITEK® 2 Compact Systems as a laboratory aid in the determination of <i>in vitro</i> susceptibility to antimicrobial agents. Tetracycline has an antimicrobial activity against the microorganisms listed below, according to the FDA label for this antimicrobial.



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	The VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Susceptibility Card is intended for use with the VITEK® 2 Systems in clinical laboratories as an <i>in vitro</i> test to determine the susceptibility of <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , beta-hemolytic <i>Streptococcus</i> , and Viridans <i>Streptococcus</i> to antimicrobial agents when used as instructed.	The VITEK® 2 Antimicrobial Susceptibility Test (AST) is intended to be used with the VITEK® 2 System for the automated quantitative or qualitative susceptibility testing of isolated colonies for the most clinically significant aerobic gram-negative bacilli, Staphylococcus spp., Enterococcus spp., Streptococcus spp. and clinically significant yeast.
Test Methodology	Automated quantitative antimicrobial susceptibility test for use with the VITEK® 2 and VITEK® 2 Compact Systems to determine the <i>in vitro</i> susceptibility of microorganisms	Same
Antimicrobial Agent	Tetracycline	Same
Inoculum	Saline suspension of organism	Same
Test Card	Streptococcus (AST-ST) Susceptibility Card	Same
Analysis Algorithms	Discriminant Analysis	Same
Instrument	VITEK® 2 and VITEK® 2 Compact Systems	Same
Concentrations	0.125, 0.5, 1, 4	Same
General Device Characteristic Differences		
Breakpoints	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> S ≤ 1, I 2, R ≥ 4 Beta hemolytic <i>Streptococcus</i> species (including <i>S. pyogenes</i>) S ≤ 2, I 4, R ≥ 8	<i>Streptococcus</i> spp. S ≤ 4, I 8, R ≥ 16
Indications for Use	<u>Active <i>in vitro</i> and in clinical infections:</u> <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> <i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i> * *The VITEK® 2 <i>Streptococcus</i> Susceptibility Card also reports the susceptibility of the following additional organisms as listed on the FDA Susceptibility Test Interpretative Criteria website	<u>Active <i>in vitro</i> and in clinical infections:</u> <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> <i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i> Viridans group streptococci



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	(STIC): <i>Streptococcus</i> spp. β -Hemolytic Group (other than <i>S. pyogenes</i>).	
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F. Intended Use:

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G. Performance Overview and Conclusion:

VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline demonstrated substantially equivalent performance when compared with the Broth Microdilution reference method, as defined in the FDA Class II Special Controls Guidance Document: Antimicrobial Susceptibility Test (AST) Systems; Guidance for Industry and FDA (Issued August 28, 2009).

The Premarket Notification (510[k]) presents data in support of VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline. An external evaluation was conducted with fresh and stock clinical isolates, as well as a set of challenge strains. The external evaluations were designed to confirm the acceptability of VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline by comparing its performance with the CLSI broth



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microdilution reference method incubated at 16-24 hrs. The data is representative of performance on both the VITEK® 2 and VITEK® 2 Compact instrument platforms.

VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline ($\leq 0.25 - \geq 16 \mu\text{g/mL}$) demonstrated acceptable performance of 98.3% overall Essential Agreement and 97.9% overall Category Agreement with the reference method as presented in Table 2 below:

Table 2: VITEK® 2 Streptococcus Tetracycline Performance

Antimicrobial	Comment	Essential Agreement Category				Category Agreement			
		% Error				% Error			
		%EA	VME	ME	mE	%CA	VME	ME	mE
Tetracycline	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> .	(284/289) 98.3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	(288/289) 99.7%	(0/83) 0.0%	(0/206) 0.0%	(1/289) 0.3%
	<i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i> .	(307/308) 99.7%	N/A	N/A	N/A	(308/308) 100.0%	(0/28) 0.0%	(0/280) 0.0%	(0/308) 0.0%
	Beta-hemolytic <i>Streptococcus</i> (Other than <i>Streptococcus pyogenes</i>).	(518/530) 97.7%	N/A	N/A	N/A	(509/530) 96.0%	(2/348) 0.6%	(1/166) 0.6%	(18/530) 3.4%

Reproducibility and Quality Control demonstrated acceptable results.

H. The performance data presented in the submission support a substantial equivalence decision. VITEK® 2 AST-Streptococcus Tetracycline ($\leq 0.25 - \geq 16 \mu\text{g/mL}$) is substantially equivalent to VITEK® 2 AST Streptococcus Tetracycline (K111893).

G. References:

1. MacLowry, J.D. and Marsh, H.H., Semi-automatic Microtechnique for Serial Dilution Antibiotic Sensitivity Testing in the Clinical laboratory, Journal of Laboratory Clinical Medicine, 72:685-687, 1968.



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2. Gerlach, E.H., Microdilution 1: A Comparative Study, p. 63-76. Current Techniques for Antibiotic Susceptibility Testing. A. Balows (ed.), Charles C. Thomas, Springfield, IL, 1974.
3. Barry, A.L., The Antimicrobial Susceptibility Test, Principles and Practices, Lea and Febiger, Philadelphia, PA, 1976.