

PRODUCT LIST BACMED® 6iG2



Automated AST reader and analyser

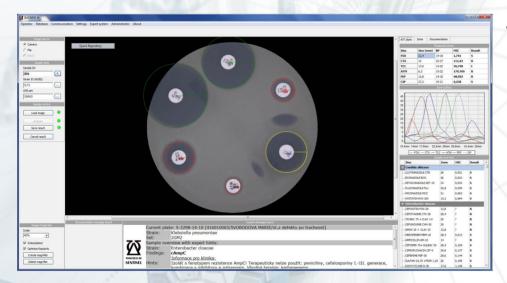
- Quick and precise measuring of inhibitive zones

Integrated 18 Megapixel APS-C CMOS sensor, 2D barcode reader (Data Matrix), LED - field illumination, 0.05 mm precision vector analyse in below 50 milliseconds.



Interpretation based on EUCAST,CLSI or any other custom breakpoint set

System supports definition of multiple breakpoint sets with assigned priority. Local science advisor can create own breakpoint library with data specific for a laboratory, missing breakpoints will be taken from library with lower priority, e.g. CLSI standard.



One-click control

Entire measuring procedure is reduced to loading sample and "read" button click.
Barcode assigned to AST test will manage data required for rest of the analysis; Usual length of this procedure is 6-8 seconds.

- Orientational MIC calculation

Automatic calculation of MIC value offers additional resources for further therapy decision. Used calculation method was approved by US-FDA 510(k) and British BSAC control procedures.

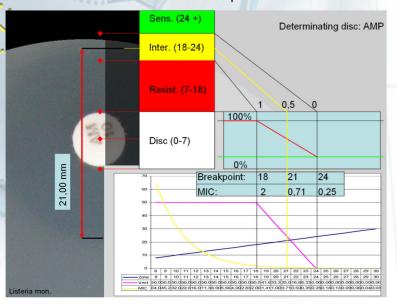


Image documentation for scientific and forensic purposes

All tests are now stored both in PACS system and database, offering fast and easy to use review of past samples.

Documentation doesn't extend time required for analysis.

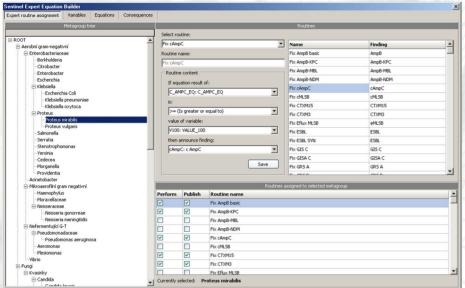
Besides automated measuring mode, system also offers possibility of manual "any sample" documentation.



Equation builder based expert system

- Solid tool for phenotypes detection, allowing to perform "on the fly" analysis.

Already during BACMED® 6i measuring and data-gathering procedure, expert system can evaluate circumstances referring to specific phenotypes (such as zone synergies or specific SIR combinations).



Advance in technology.

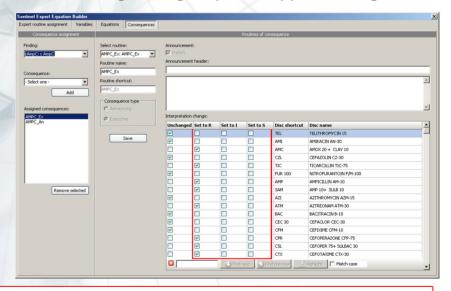
There are many findings, however some of them require further confirmation, are very valuable for treatment decision.

Sentinel Expert System performs thousands of calculations in no time, far away from what any human can do.

- Re-interpretation: Fixing irrelevant results regarding to phenotype findings.

Optional functionality, which may change interpretation of test results. Once set, in a full-automatic mode the system can prevent potential treatment failure.

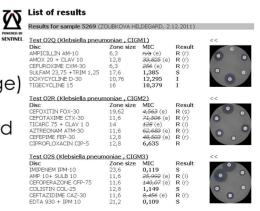
Entire system can be customized to fulfill any local directives and recommendations.



- Example: Result list corrected by expert system.

Phenotype-based interpretation "cutback" for sample with cAmpC CTXM15 ESBL Qnr SHV 1-10 and TEM-1. (Just part of result is showed on image)

In this particular example, few discs were marked as resistant by expert system, in order to avoid using them in treatment (in our case Cefoxitin, Cefoperazon - Sulbactam and few others).





Epidemiology expert system

- Unique tool for samples match marking, based on AST susceptibility fingerprints.

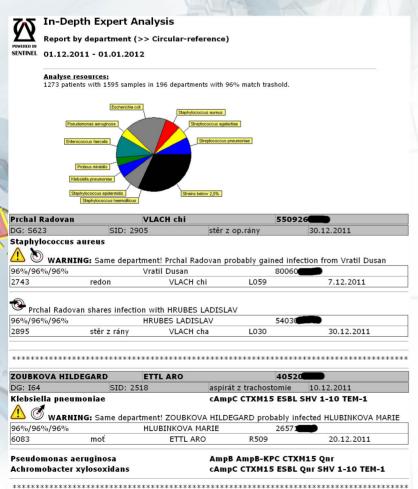
Using basic assumption, that each strain, in certain amount of generations, keeps same or very similar characteristics in AST discs interactions, allows system to create fingerprints for each strain – and so enables its tracking across various samples, patients or even departments.



We can never be 100% sure of a transfer, as mutations may occur randomly and anytime. But even after considering such an option, this tool gives lots of points for further investigation...

- Tracking incidence of similar strains, warning in case of possible transfer between patients.

Let the numbers talk first. Even after we admit that part of th conclusion is a dead end, recent studies confirm over 85% patient-to-patient transfers on over 3.000 samples. Considering massive amount of data to be analyzed, yet again, system was designed to create reports "on the fly". In numbers – match marking of 1.000 samples requires below 1 minute of analisis, including side statistics.



System also creates strains and Phenotypes overview report for departments – stand alone or grouped by any custom key.

In-Depth Expert Analysis (IDEA) is meant to be an additional service that laboratories offer primarily to hospitals, or any other bigger health care facilities. As it doesn't require additional expensive tests and related expenses, it's also considered as very effective competitive advantage among microbiology laboratories.

Of course other common statistics, such as antibacterial resistance reports and trend analysis are included as part of the system.