

# BTastat

Detecting Bladder Cancer



Cleared  
The  
**original**  
by FDA

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Non-invasive and quick



## Screening and monitoring

Bladder cancer is relatively common around the world. Yet because it often grows undetected, discovering it early is vital for a good chance of recovery. As is the case with most cancers, the probability of curing urinary bladder carcinoma is highest if the tumour is detected relatively early on, and if the carcinoma is local and superficial. But even about 70% of these low-staged tumours are recurrent, so patients need to be monitored closely.

## How BTAsat can help

The BTAsat test helps to detect bladder tumours, taking just five minutes to deliver a qualitative result. It even works early on in a cancer's development, using an immunochromatographic method with monoclonal antibodies against bladder tumour antigen (hCFHrp: human complement factor H-related protein). The BTAsat test has been shown to have equal or superior sensitivity to voided urine cytology in detecting primary and recurrent bladder tumours.

For more information on the BTAsat test, please contact your local Sysmex representative.

## Facts that make a difference

- non-invasive, comfortable for the patient
- takes just
  - 3 drops of urine, without any sample preparation
  - 4 simple steps to perform
  - 5 minutes to deliver a qualitative result – really quick
- approx. 24 months shelf life
- cost-efficient

## Easy on sample material

You can use urine that was

- voided spontaneously
- stored for 48 hours at room temperature
- previously frozen and defrosted

## Proven quality, established use

- one of the first tumour marker tests cleared by the FDA
- CE mark for screening and monitoring
- wide range of peer-reviewed publications available

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