


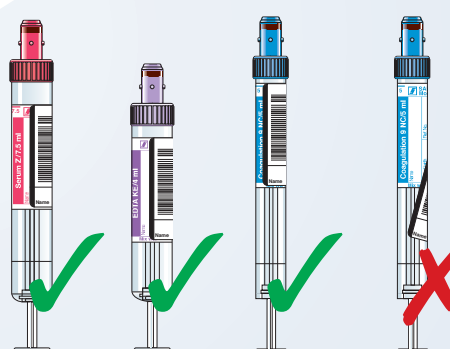
# Blood Collection with the S-Monovette®

## The ideal solution for perfect results

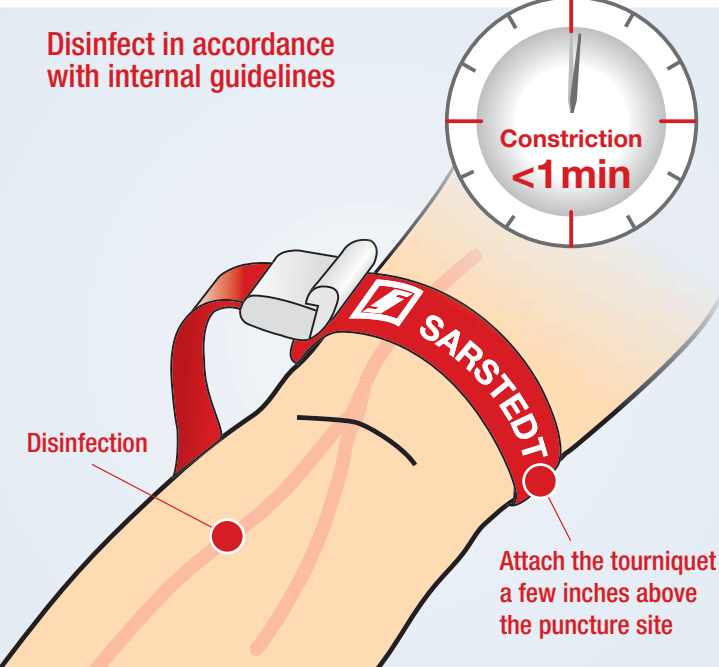
### 1 Preparation



Attach the barcode label



Disinfect in accordance with internal guidelines



Disinfection

Attach the tourniquet a few inches above the puncture site

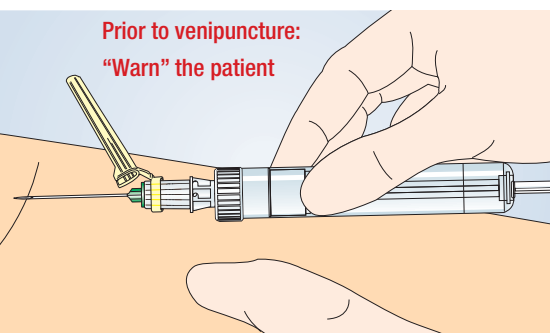
Observe order of draw<sup>2</sup> (US colour code)

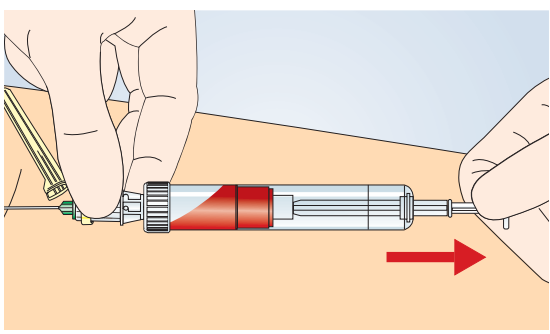
- Blood culture
- Citrate blood<sup>1</sup>
- Serum-/ Serum-Gel blood
- Heparin-/ Heparin-Gel blood
- EDTA blood
- Fluoride-/ Citrate-Fluoride blood

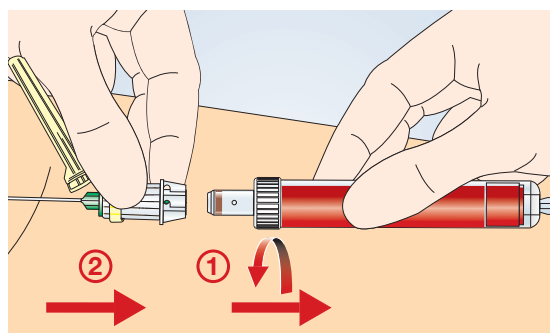
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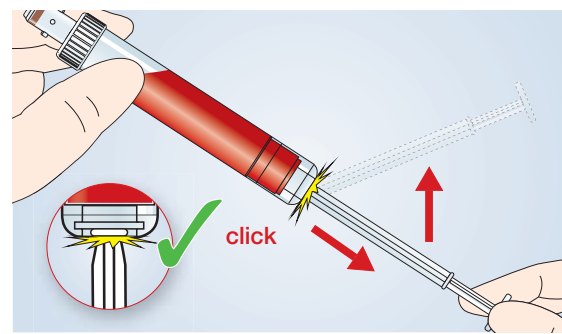
#### Aspiration method – The gentle method for increased patient comfort

Prior to venipuncture: "Warn" the patient

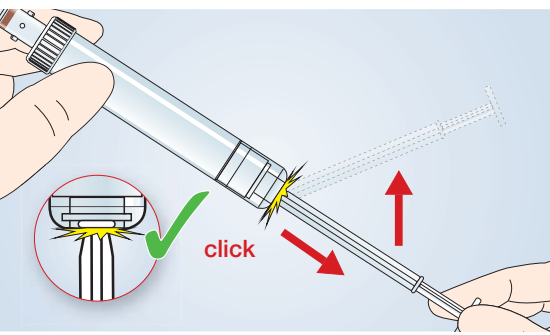




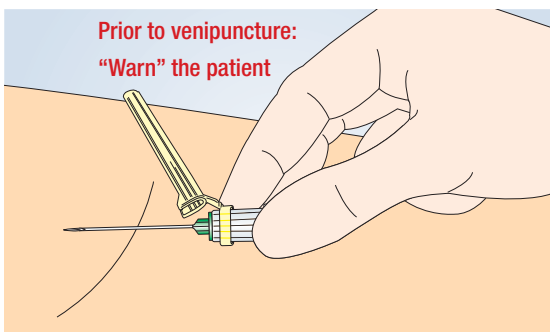


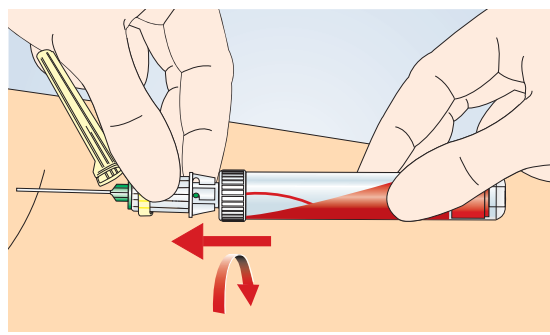


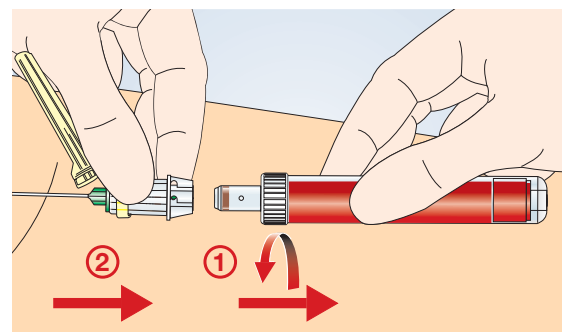
#### Vacuum method<sup>3</sup> – Always a *fresh* vacuum



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### 3 Sample Handling & Disposal

Ensure CORRECT filling for correct results

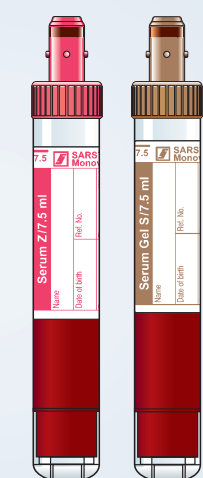
- Citrate
- ESR
- EDTA
- Citrate Fluoride

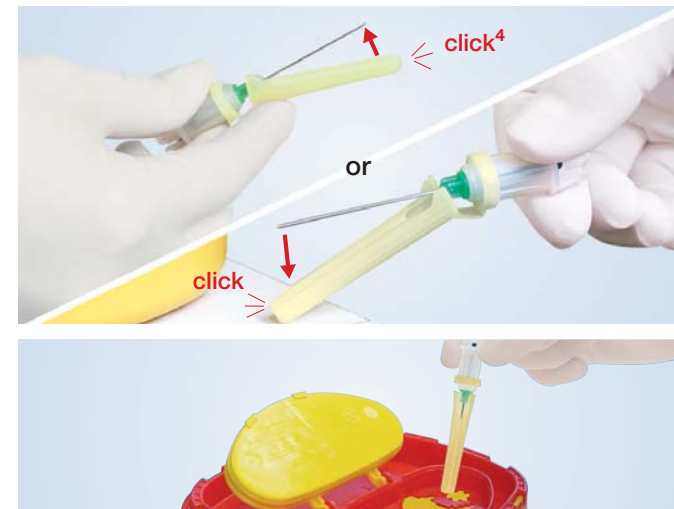
Mix samples thoroughly 8 - 10 x by gently inverting the S-Monovette®



Ensure correct storage

After blood collection, store the S-Monovette® Serum/Serum gel in a vertical position for 30 min.





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<sup>1</sup> It is recommended to draw a discard tube first when a citrate tube is the first tube needed.  
<sup>2</sup> Recommendation in accordance with CLSI standard H3-A6: „Procedures for the Collection of Diagnostic Blood Specimens by Venipuncture; Approved Standard – Sixth Edition“  
<sup>3</sup> To begin blood collection gently, we generally recommend using the first S-Monovette® with the aspiration method. Then continue with the vacuum method.  
<sup>4</sup> You can also activate the needle protector using your index finger. For safe operation, make sure to press against the lower end of the protection device.

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