



## THERAPEUTIC DRUG MONITORING IN RHEUMATIC DISEASES

MEASUREMENT OF **BIOLOGICAL  
DRUG AND FREE ANTI-DRUG  
ANTIBODIES**

**EXTEND TREATMENT RESPONSE  
WHILE MINIMIZING COSTS  
AND SIDE EFFECTS**







is your clinical  
decision-making  
tool for Rheumatic  
Diseases

## CLINICALLY RELEVANT

- Numerous publications in peer-reviewed journals
- International decision algorithms validated with Tracker kits

## COST-EFFECTIVE<sup>1,2</sup>

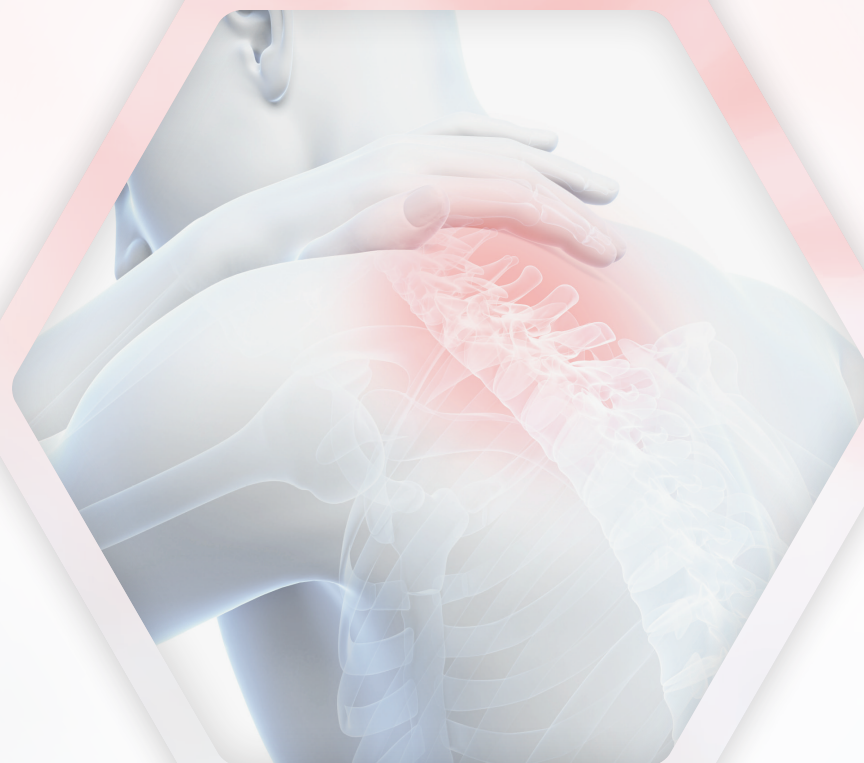
TDM strategy leads to major cost savings (28 to 50%) related to a biologic treatment

- Rheumatoid arthritis
- Psoriatic
- Juvenile arthritis

## ACCURATE

- Accurate quantitative measurement of drugs and anti-drug antibodies
- Detection of free anti-drug antibodies as recommended by international guidelines to fit patient's status
- Performance validated with both Originators and Biosimilars

Therapeutic  
Drug Monitoring  
(TDM) strategy  
leads to major cost  
savings in Rheumatic  
Diseases patients while  
maintaining appropriate  
efficacy<sup>1,2</sup>



## UNIQUE TDM MENU

- Comprehensive menu in inflammatory diseases and oncology
- CE-IVD validation on serum and plasma samples
- Validation in accordance with the 1<sup>st</sup> WHO international standards (Infliximab and Adalimumab)
- Validation with Princeps and Biosimilars
- Continuous development on new parameters

## EASY-TO-USE

- Ready-to-use reagents
- Standardized protocols from sample collection to results interpretation
- ELISA format validated on automated platforms (DS2, DSX, Evolis, etc.)
- CLIA format compatible with i-Track<sup>10</sup>, IDS-iSYS and IDS-i10 random access instruments
- Point of Care format for near patient testing
- Validated with **IMMUNO-TROL**  
INTERNAL CONTROL

Therapeutic Drug  
Monitoring (TDM)  
is a safe method  
to early measure drug  
level and detect anti-drug  
antibodies, guide the  
therapeutic procedure  
and optimize  
treatment efficacy

## CLINICALLY VALIDATED

- Routine use tailored to your clinical practice
- Measurement ranges tailored to induction and maintenance treatment phases



is a solution  
validated and  
supported by  
pharmaceutical  
companies to adapt  
patient treatment

# THERAPEUTIC DRUG MONITORING TO IMPROVE CLINICAL OUTCOME AND SUPPORT THE PROPER USE OF DRUGS



NEARLY 30-40%

of patients do not respond to an anti-TNF $\alpha$  treatment<sup>3,4,5</sup>



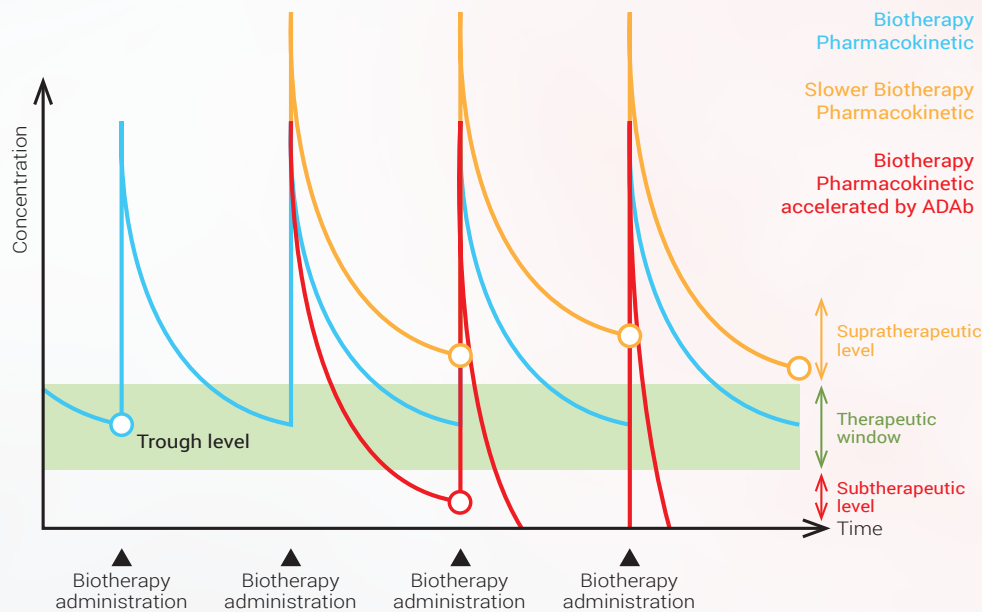
UP TO 40% OF RHEUMATIC DISEASES PATIENTS

experience relapse in disease activity during maintenance therapy<sup>6</sup>

**Pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics of biological therapies are highly variable among patients.**

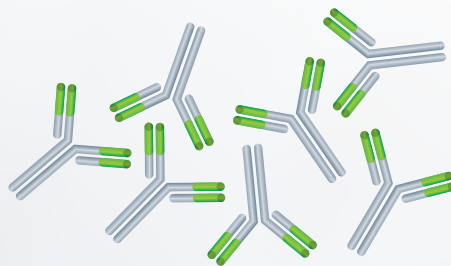
Patients with higher dose of drug or slower pharmacokinetics may have drug trough level above the therapeutic window (supratherapeutic). Higher trough levels may increase side effects.

Patients with lower dose due to the presence of anti-drug antibodies or with low serum albumin concentration or high baseline CRP concentration may have drug trough levels below the therapeutic window (subtherapeutic), leading to reduced drug efficacy.



Therapeutic Drug Monitoring helps physicians to make rational treatment decisions during the course of Rheumatic Diseases

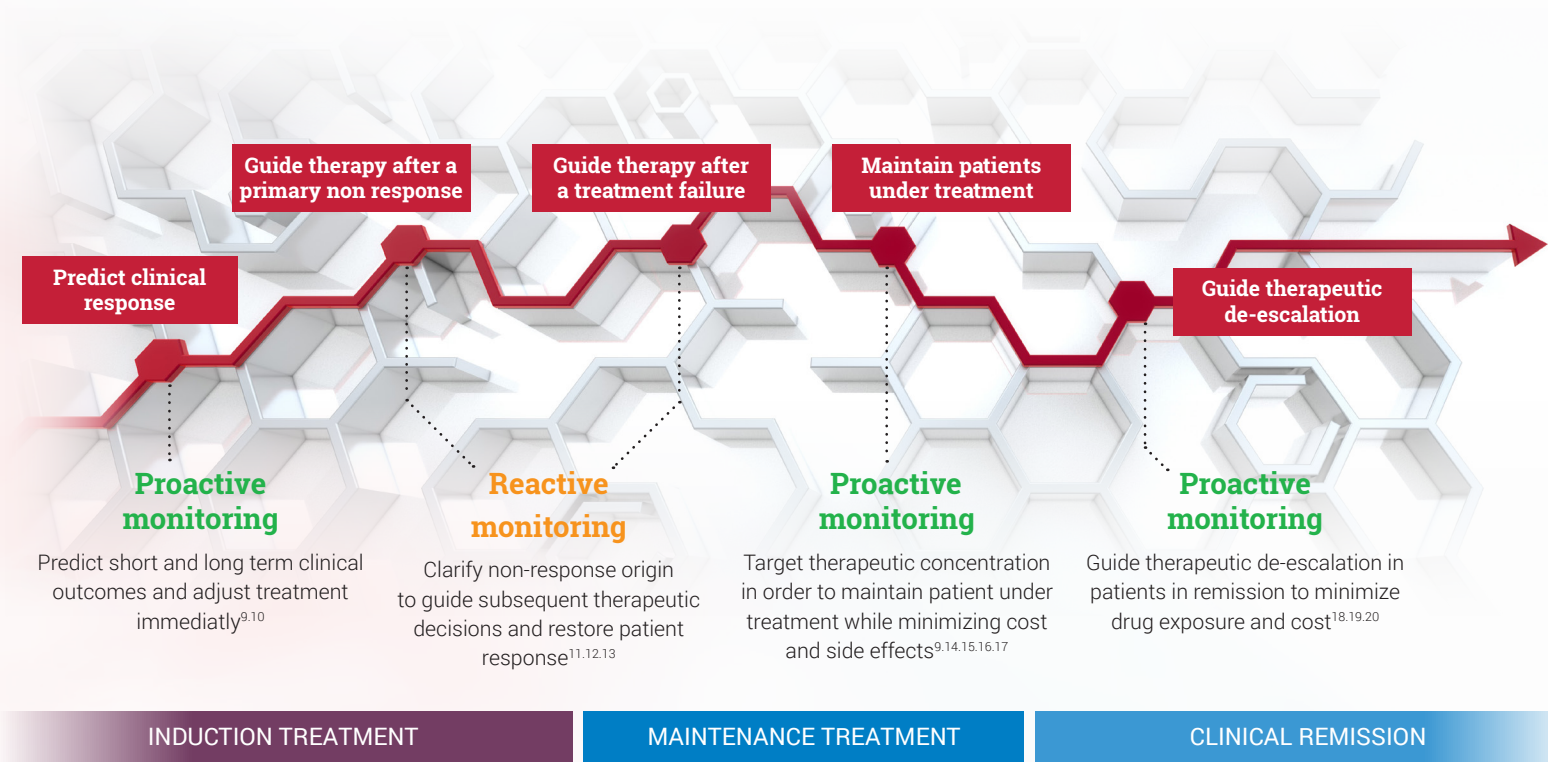
Immunogenicity of Biologics <sup>7</sup>	Rheumatoid arthritis	Psoriatic arthritis	Juvenile idiopathic arthritis	Ankylosing Spondylitis
Infliximab	up to 62%	up to 33%	up to 42%	up to 69%
Adalimumab	up to 51%	up to 54%	up to 33%	up to 39%
Certolizumab Pegol	up to 37%	NA	NA	NA
Golimumab	up to 10%	NA	up to 6%	up to 6.47%
Rituximab	up to 21%	NA	NA	NA
Etanercept	up to 13%	NA	up to 6%	NA
Tocilizumab	up to 16%	NA	up to 8%	NA
Secukinumab <sup>8</sup>	NA	< 1%	NA	< 1%



**Anti-drug antibodies rates** vary widely among biologics regardless of the disease.

Assessment of the immunogenicity of these agents is an important consideration in the treatment decision making process.

# WHEN TO PERFORM TDM?



# THERAPEUTIC THRESHOLDS

	Rheumatoid arthritis	Axial spondyloarthritis	Psoriatic arthritis
<b>Infliximab</b> <sup>21</sup>	5 - 10 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	NA	NA
<b>Adalimumab</b> <sup>22</sup>	2 - 8 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	2,5 - 8 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	1 - 8 $\mu\text{g/mL}$
<b>Golimumab</b> <sup>23</sup>	> 4 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	> 4 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	> 4 $\mu\text{g/mL}$
<b>Certolizumab Pegol</b> <sup>22</sup>	20 - 39,9 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	20 - 39,9 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	20 - 39,9 $\mu\text{g/mL}$
<b>Tocilizumab</b> <sup>22</sup>	> 1 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	NA	NA
<b>Etanercept</b> <sup>24</sup>	> 3,1 $\mu\text{g/mL}$	NA	NA
<b>Rituximab</b>	NA	NA	NA
<b>Secukinumab</b>	NA	NA	NA

NA, not applicable.



WHEN TO COLLECT BLOOD ON PATIENTS?

- Timing of samples collection is key to interpret the result as the drug concentration varies during the interval between two injections
- Drug and anti-drug measurement is recommended to be performed at Trough Concentration (TC), just before the next dose, both during induction and maintenance:
  - Target ranges are defined using TC
  - Free anti-drug antibodies are mostly detectable at TC

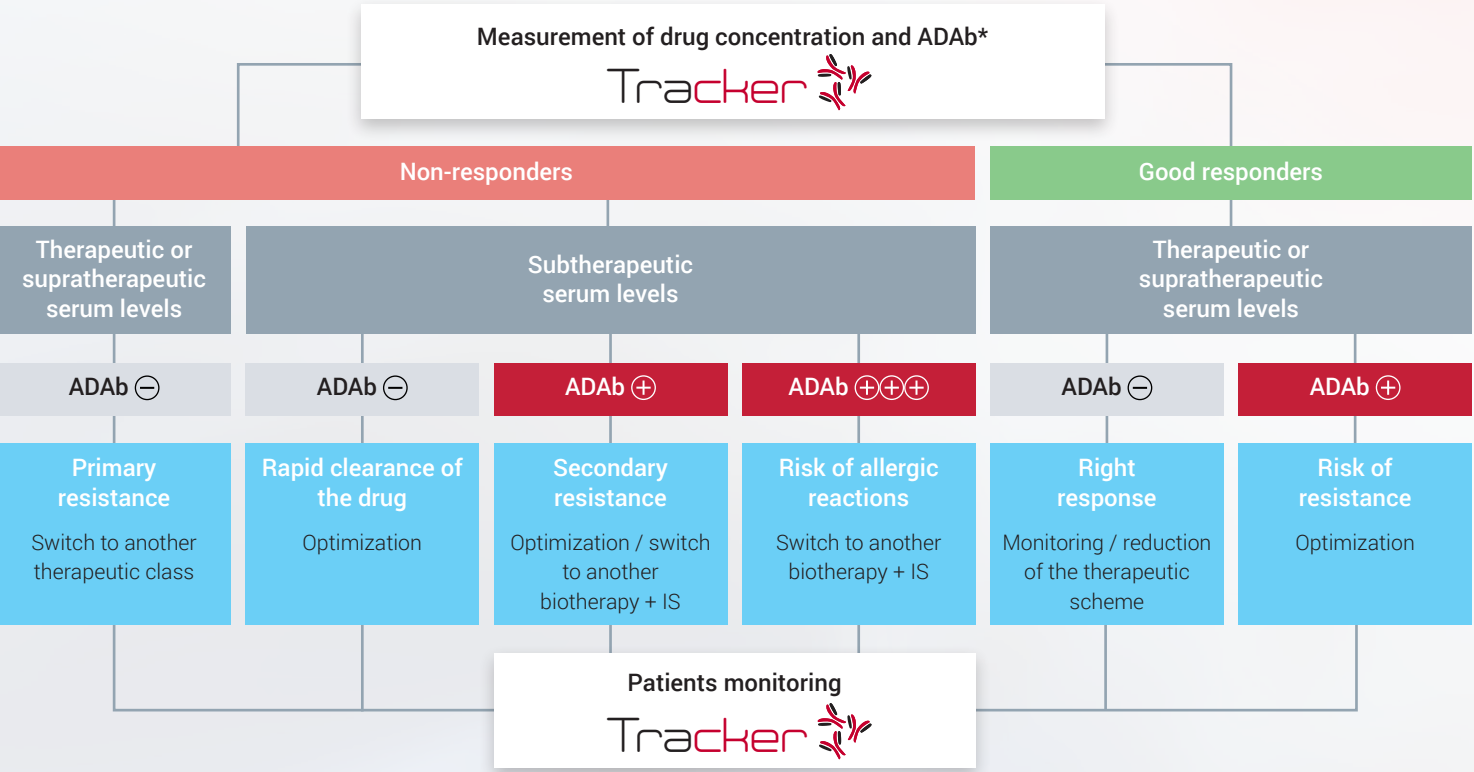


INTERPRET DOSING INFORMATION

- Drug levels required to improve clinical outcomes may vary between patients and depend on the desired therapeutic endpoint
- In patients with undetectable drug levels, anti-drug antibody (ADAb) quantification helps to identify how to improve patient response
- In patients with high anti-drug antibodies levels, a switch in-class may be necessary
- In patients with low anti-drug antibodies levels, the addition of an immunosuppressive drug may improve clinical outcomes
- If your patients are good responders with higher drug trough levels, dose decrease may be possible without affecting clinical outcomes

Example of therapeutic decision algorithm in patient with loss of response

	Negative Anti-drug Antibodies	Positive Anti-drug Antibodies
Therapeutic level of Drug	Switch out of therapeutic class	Retest
Subtherapeutic level of Drug	Treatment Optimization	Switch in-class



IS = immunosuppressant

\* These findings do not constitute a diagnosis in any case. They reflect information available in published peer-reviewed literature and guidelines and should be independently evaluated by the treating clinician and used to complete other clinical and biological information in accordance with clinician's independent medical judgment.

A COMPLETE SOLUTION ADAPTED TO YOUR MONITORING NEEDS



ez-Tracker: Rapid Immunofluorescence Test

- Samples: whole blood, serum, plasma
- Result in 10 to 12 minutes depending on the parameter
- Excellent performance thanks to Time Resolved Fluorescence technology



LISA TRACKER: Automatable ELISA range

- Samples: serum, plasma
- Duo sets (drug and anti-drug)
- Ready-to-use reagents and standardized protocols
- Flexible test formats to adapt to the volume of activity



i-Tracker: Random Access CLIA solution

- Continuous loading of samples and reagents
- Samples: serum, plasma
- Result < 40 min
- System managed test protocol
- Ready-to-use reagents with system-managed sample dilutions
- High throughput analysis: 60 tests/hour
- STAT function
- Connectable to sample conveyors



Assay of drugs and of free and total anti-drug antibodies



Calibration on NIBSC / WHO international standards



Validated on originator and biosimilars



Validated through more than 100 clinical studies

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# ORDERING INFORMATION



Reference	Designation	Packaging
CTx 002-50/100	i-Tracker Drug	50 / 100 tests
CTx 003-50/100	i-Tracker Anti-Drug	50 / 100 tests

x = Infliximab 100 tests / Adalimumab 100 tests / Vedolizumab 50 tests / Ustekinumab 50 tests / Golimumab 50 tests / Rituximab 50 tests / Certolizumab Pegol 50 tests (Etanercept 50 tests, Tocilizumab 50 tests, Risankizumab 50 tests, Natalizumab 50 tests and Ocrelizumab 50 tests: in development)



Reference	Designation	Packaging
LTx 005	LISA TRACKER Duo Drug + ADAb	2 x 48 tests
LTx 002-48	LISA TRACKER Drug	48 tests
LTx 003-48	LISA TRACKER Anti-Drug	48 tests
LTT 004-96	LISA TRACKER TNF	96 tests

x = Infliximab / Adalimumab / Etanercept / Certolizumab Pegol / Golimumab / Rituximab / Secukinumab / Tocilizumab / Bevacizumab / TRastuzumab / Ustekinumab / Vedolizumab



Reference	Designation	Packaging
ETx 002-24	ez-Tracker Drug	24 tests
ETx 003-24	ez-Tracker Anti-Drug Antibodies	24 tests
ETI 003T-24	ez-Tracker Infliximab Total Ab	24 tests

x = Infliximab / Adalimumab / Golimumab / Vedolizumab / Ustekinumab (Etanercept : in development)

All Tracker products are validated on princeps molecules and associated biosimilars (when available).



Internal Quality Control

A range of ready-to-use, internal Quality Control sera, CE marked, dedicated to the pharmacological dosage of biotherapies



Reference	Designation	Packaging
CTx 002-PC	Immuno-Trol Drug: Positive control two levels	2 x 500 µl
CTx 003-PC	Immuno-Trol anti-Drug: Positive control two levels	2 x 1,5 ml

x = Infliximab / Adalimumab / Vedolizumab / Ustekinumab / Golimumab / Rituximab / Certolizumab Pegol (Etanercept, Tocilizumab, Risankizumab, Natalizumab and Ocrelizumab: in development)



Reference	Designation	Packaging
LTx 002-PC	Immuno-Trol Drug: Positive control two levels	2 x 250 µl
LTx 003-PC	Immuno-Trol anti-Drug: Positive control two levels	2 x 1 ml

x = Infliximab / Adalimumab / Etanercept / Certolizumab Pegol / Golimumab / Rituximab / Secukinumab / Tocilizumab / Bevacizumab / TRastuzumab / Ustekinumab / Vedolizumab



Reference	Designation	Packaging
ETx 002-C / ETx 003-C	ez-Tracker Drug / ADAs Controls	2 x 1 mL
ETx 002-CAL / ETx 003-CAL	ez-Tracker Drug / ADAs Calibrators	2 x 1 mL

x = Infliximab / Adalimumab / Golimumab / Vedolizumab / Ustekinumab (Etanercept : in development)



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