

Automatic colony counters & inhibition zone readers



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Our quality for your lab

- Designer and manufacturer for microbiological analyses
- Made in France
- Colony counting specialist
- Worldwide distribution network



High quality analyses, full traceability

Scan® 300, Scan® 500 & Scan® 1200

High technology automatic colony counters

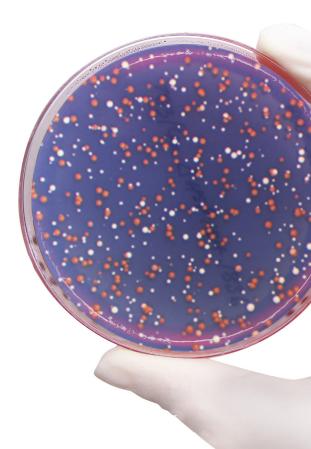
With a digital camera and high technology software, they can be linked to a PC via a USB connection. They count all colonies on a Petri dish in less than 1 second and provide a complete, fast, accurate and traceable reading of the result.

■ Bacterial enumeration

- Food analyses
- Total flora analyses
- Aerobic & anaerobic bacterial enumeration, yeasts, lactobacillus...
- Pathogenic bacteria research
- Environmental research
- Pharmaceutical analyses
- Medical analyses
- Cosmetics analyses

Inhibition zones

- Pharmaceutical industry, medical research & hospitals (antibiograms, resistance tests to pathogenic microbes, medical diagnoses...)
- Food industry
 (Tests on lactic ferments & for dairy ingredients industry...)



Scan®

- Automatic colony counters: No settings
- Inhibition zone readers*
- Data traceability and full report



High performance

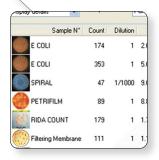
- > Count colonies of numerous media
- > Reading of chromogenic media⁽¹⁾: Colored differentiation of colonies (up to 7 different colors on the same dish)
- > Inhibition zone measurement



Live image

- > Fits any type of dish: automatic adjustment of contrast and lighting
- > High-definition color image
- > Each colony is marked with a cross
- > Powerful zoom: up to x28





Instant results

- > Up to 1000 colonies detected in 1 second
- > Counts 30 dishes in 5 minutes (in real condition with presetting)
- > Reproducible and standardized results
- > Scan® results: instant and automatic













Easy-to-use

Counting in 1 click <
 All functions in 1 single window <
Custom parameters: day, users, project... <

COUNT





- Display of every colony <
- Optimized lighting & contrast <
 - Long lasting LED lighting <
 - 6 lighting combinations <





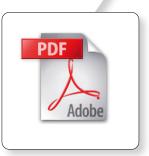
Traceability & reporting

Automatic archiving and printing of data: < pictures, comments & results

Export to EXCEL™, PDF, JPEG, PNG, BMP <

Barcode reader <

Connection to LIMS network <















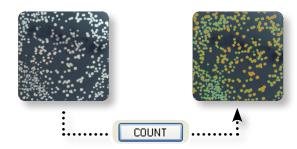




Efficiency & time saving

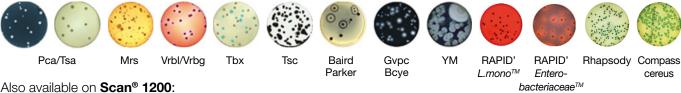
Instant results

Thanks to the live image display of the Petri dish on your computer, count more than 1000 CFU/s on all media. Each counted colony is marked with a cross and the result is automatically saved.



No settings

Choose your pre-set parameters for Petri dishes:



Also available on Scan® 1200:

- MC-Media Pads™: AC, CC, EC/CC, SA
- Petrifilm™: AC, ETB, CC, EC/CC, EC
- Compact Dry™: TC, CF, EC, ETB
- Easy Plate™
- Filtration membranes

High-performance colony counters

Scan® works for every kind of colony. The minimum size is 0.05 mm for Scan® 1200 and 0.1 mm for Scan® 300 and Scan® 500. Scan® colony counter automatically separates confluent colonies, allows you to create polygonal exclusion areas and ignores agar flaws and air bubbles. You can also add or remove colonies manually. Every change is automatically saved in your report.



Scan® read all the colonies, even the smallest



Automatic separation of confluent colonies



Automatic elimination of counting grids



Cross on each counted colony



Polygonal exclusion areas



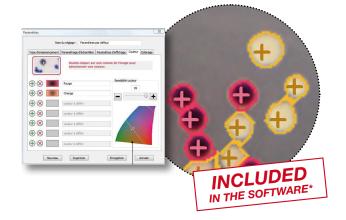
Automated software with manual control

Color detection & chromogenic media

Scan® 500 and Scan® 1200 can read chromogenic agar and differentiate colonies by color: up to 7 different colors on the same Petri dish. Color selection can be made directly from the color of the bacteria and a cursor allows you to set the sensitivity.

Chromogenic media reading allows the detection of Salmonella on XLD media and E.Coli on TBX media, for example.





Scan®: 3 models adapted to your needs



Scan® 300

Essential

Ref 436 300

- 6 combinations of lighting and backgrounds
- Motorized background color
- Brightness, contrast and sensitivity are automatically optimized by the software
- · Long lasting LED lighting
- CMOS color camera. zoom x28, M12 lens
- Minimum size of detected colony: 0.1 mm

Scan® 500

Efficient

Ref 436 000

- 6 combinations of lighting and backgrounds
- Motorized background color
- Brightness, contrast and sensitivity are automatically optimized by the software
- · Long lasting LED lighting
- CMOS color camera. zoom x28, M12 lens
- Minimum size of detected colony:
- Detects and counts up to 7 colors on the same dish
- . Inhibition zone reading with EUCAST, CA-SFM, CLSI and editable database

Scan® 1200

High-Resolution

Ref 437 000

- 6 combinations of lighting and backgrounds
- Motorized background color
- Brightness, contrast and sensitivity are automatically optimized by the software
- · Long lasting LED lighting
- · Color HD CCD camera, zoom x28, HD japanese lens
- Minimum size of detected colony: 0.05
- Detects and counts up to 7 colors on the same dish
- . Inhibition zone reading with EUCAST, CA-SFM, CLSI and editable database
- Petrifilm™, Compact Dry™, MC-Media Pads™, Easy Plate ™ and filtration membrane reading

Count these supports





Surface/pour Spiral® plating plating

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Surface/pour Spiral® plating plating





Chromogenic Antibiogramm Petri dishes

Count these supports





Surface/pour Spiral® plating





Petri dishes

Compact Drv™

MC-Media Pads™ Easy Plate™

Chromogenic Antibiogramm





membranes





Inhibition zone from paper discs, agar wells & peni cylinders

Performance and flexibility

Scan® 500 and **Scan® 1200** allow efficient work flow because you can create and edit a list of antibiotics, useful for routine analysis.

Measured by **Scan®**, inhibition zones guarantee repeatability and reproducibility of analysis and diagnosis reliability.

- Rapid detection: up to 8 antibiotic sensitivities in 1 click.
- Paper discs, agar wells and peni cylinders may be manually added or deleted. Inhibition zones may be manually resized.

INCLUDED IN THE SOFTWARE* MOX 0.0 mpr STR 31.3 mm PIP 17.5 mm 17.5 mm

The result of sensitivity in contact with the antibiotic is fast and visualization of results is clear:

- > Red (resistant)
- > Yellow (intermediate)
- > Green (susceptible)

Medical analysis

Inhibition zone measurement allows you to test the efficiency of antibiotics on micro-organisms to accelerate the diagnosis in order to choose precisely an appropriate antibiotic treatment for a patient. Scan® has a built-in antibiotic database from the French Society of Microbiology (CA-SFM), the European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing (EUCAST) and the Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute (CLSI) which determines the sensitivity of the bacteria to the antibiotic. This database is fully editable.



Precision of inhibition zone radius measurement from paper discs: 0.3 mm

Pharmaceutical analysis

In the pharmaceutical industry, **Scan®** allows you to test the quality of an antibiotic during its manufacturing process by measuring the inhibition zones. To evaluate the action of an antibiotic, antibiotic diffusion from paper disc, agar well or peni cylinder is supported.



Precision of inhibition zone radius measurement from agar wells : 0.3 mm



* on Scan® 500 & Scan® 1200

Comfort of use

> High definition live image

This feature enables total control of colony counting.

Optimum visualization

Enjoy comfortable viewing of the colonies with the unequalled **Dark Field technology**, high definition live image and with the automatic optimization of the image (lighting, contrast and sensitivity). You can also check key areas thanks to the digital zoom.



Dark Field: LED are disposed in a circle for optimal contrast



Scan® automatically optimizes contrast, luminosity and sensitivity



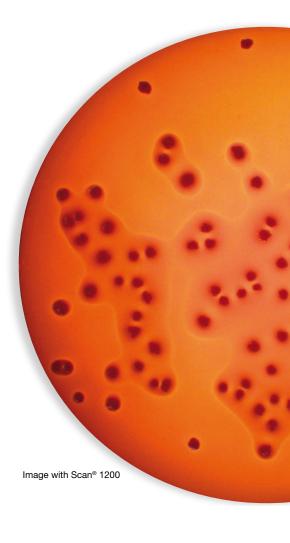
Digital zoom with the mouse wheel (up to x28)

Easy-to-use

All **Scan**® functions are in **one single window** and colonies are counted in one click.

The **Scan**® easy commands (visualization, settings and results) allow quick access to both ongoing and archived work sessions.







Fast communication, total traceability

Results harmonization

Using the **Scan**® allows more reliable analyses and harmonizes the results within a team.

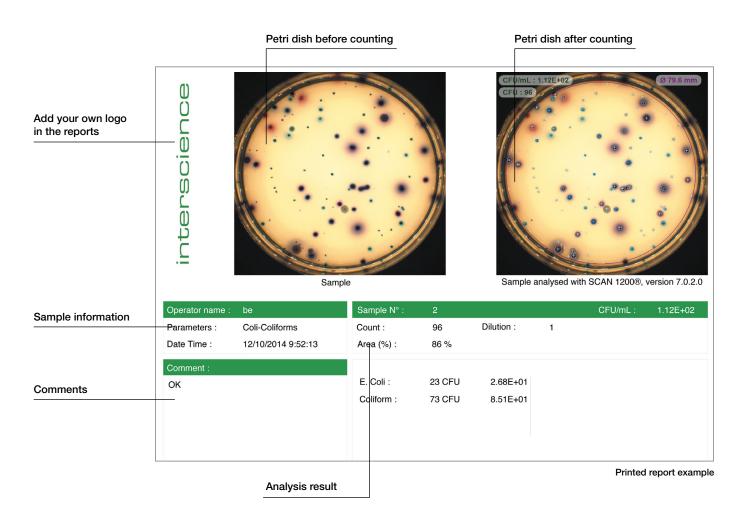
You can save as many settings as you wish and customize the settings according to the type of dishes and agar you use.

The automatic archiving of data, photos, comments and results ensures total traceability.

Print your results

You can export your results to your PC, archive it in Excel™, PDF, SCA or BIO format. You can also export pictures from the camera in JPEG, PNG and BMP format.

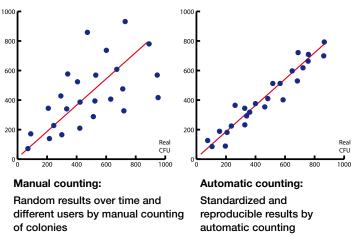




Reproducibility of results

Automatic counting is a guarantee of **regularity and standardization** of analyses, which is the key to ensure accurate and reliable results. **Reproducibility** of results is guaranteed whatever the day, conditions and user.

A scientific study has proven that **Scan®** colony counters can achieve an accuracy of up to 98%.



Study made on Bacillus cereus, Escherichia coli and Lactobacillus casei

Internal traceability

Thanks to the **LIMS** connection and the barcode reader, photos of counted plates are **saved and traceable**. The images are accessible and recountable at any time.









Barcode

Archiving

LIMS connection

dataLinkTM

Secure your sessions

Sessions are secured with a **security code** (one per operator) and the impossibility to alter each saved counting. **Scan®** use allows the compliance with **21 CFR part 11**: system securization, operational controls and documentation management.

> External traceability

Scan® software provides numerous possibilities to easily and quickly export your results.



Work sessions saving



PDF export



JPEG, PNG & BMP formats export



Export results to Excel™ to ensure traceability



Print report from Scan®

Plate & Count System[®] with dataLink[™]



Plate & Count System[®] with dataLink[™] enables automatic plating and colony counting with full traceability!

- **INCREDIBLE SAVINGS:** Save up to 75% in time, consumables and bench space
- **FAST:** Full plating cycle in 25 seconds and counting in 1 click. No manual data input.
- **RELIABLE:** 98% repeatable and reproducible results
- TOTAL TRACEABILITY WITH dataLink™: Automatic data saving and reporting

Plate & Count System® with dataLink™ includes:

- easySpiral®: Automatic Spiral® platers
- Scan®: Automatic colony counters
- dataLink™: Petri dish labeling solution

HOW DOES IT WORK?

STEP 1



Plating with easy **Spiral Pro®** or easy **Spiral** Dilute®. The supervision software collects data from the plater.

STEP 2



Label printing with the Datamatrix code. Stick the label on the plated Petri dish before incubation.

STEP 3



* Please check LIMS compatibility

... Incubation 24-72 h

After incubation, scan the Datamatrix code. The **Scan®** colony counter is parametered automatically with the Datamatrix data. Click on "VALIDATE". Export the data.

PLATE AND COUNT YOUR PETRI DISHES

From 30 to 1x10¹² cfu/mL on one single petri dish

easy**Spiral**® automatically plates a sample in **8 seconds**: from 30 to 1x10¹² CFU/mL on a **single Petri dish** without prior sample dilution. Once the sample is plated and incubated, it is ready to be counted by **Scan**® automatic colony counters. Results are immediately displayed and saved.

Up to 75% savings

easySpiral® and Scan® guarantee the regularity and standardization of the analyses, save time, consumables and bench space of up to 75 %.







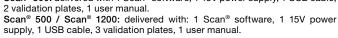




Technical specifications

		Scan® 300	Scan® 500	Scan® 1200
	Référence	436 300	436 000	437 000
OVERVIEW	Stainless steel body	✓	✓	✓
	LIMS/SIL connection	✓	✓	✓
	USB connection	✓	✓	✓
	Counting on pour, surface, Spiral and circle plated Petri dishes	✓	✓	✓
	Counting on chromogenic dishes	-	✓	✓
	Counting on Petrifilm [™] , Compact Dry [™] , MC-Media Pads [™] , easyPlate [™] , filtration membranes	-	-	✓
	Inhibition zone reader	-	✓	✓
	Minimal size of colony: 0.05 mm	-	-	✓
5	Counting	Automatic with manual control		
	Automatic separation of clustered colonies	✓	✓	✓
Ē	Creation of polygonal exclusion zones	✓	✓	✓
COUNTING	Manual control to add or substract colonies	✓	✓	✓
	Counting time	Up to 1000 colonies per second		
	Minimal size of colony	0.1 mm 0.05 mm		
INHIBITION ZONE READING	Antibiotic disc detection	-	Automatic with possibility to ad	d or remove manually antibiotics
	Automatic detection of antibiogram support	-	Disks (several brands simultaneousl	y), wells, peni-cylinder (steel, plastic)
	Display resolution	-	± 0.1 mm	
	Inhibition zone measurement accuracy	-	± 0.3 mm	
	Number of antibiotic paper disks	-	Up to 7 antibiotics on a Ø 90 mm Petri dish	
	Reading time	-	7 inhibition zone reading between 1 to 3 seconds	
	Interpretation system	CA-SFM Human health / EUCAST / CA-SFM Veterinary / CLSI (Clinical, Laboratory Standards Institute) / Customizable list		
SPECIFICATIONS	Color camera	CMOS HD CCD		HD CCD
	Lens	M12 Lens HD japanese lens		
	Zoom	x 28		
	Resolution (megapixels)	1 1.2		
	White LED Lighting technology	Dark Field		
	LED Lighting system	Automatic with 6 combinations, top and/or bottom light, white or black background		
	Petri dish dimensions	Ø 55 mm - Ø 90 mm		
	Color detection	- 7 colors on the same dish + 1 color to exclude		
	USB Data export	to LIMS, PDF report, jpg, png and bmp images, Excel™ recountable session		
	Data security	Modified data traceability in conformity with 21 CFR part 11		
	Results/traceability	Image / sample number / comments / date / time	Image / sample number / comments / date / time / antibiotic name / bacterial name / diameter read / SIR categorized result with color code / minimum and maximum critical diameter	
	Languages	English, French, Japanese, Chinese, Russian, Spanish, German		
	Warrantie	3-year (after recording the warranty card)		
	Spare parts availability	10 years		
	In compliance with	21 CFR Part 11, ISO 7218 and AOAC 977.27		
PC MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS	Operating sytem	Windows™ 10 or 11 (or higher)		
	Processor	Intel i5 2.8 GHz Quad-Core or higher		
	RAM	4 GB for use of the Scan		
	Equipments	1 USB port free		
	Screen	1280 X 1024 pixels or superior higher		
	Software updates after recording the warranty			
Ш	card	3-year		

Scan® 300: delivered with 1 Scan® software, 1 15V power supply, 1 USB cable,











Scan® accessories













data**Link™** Ref. : 410 100

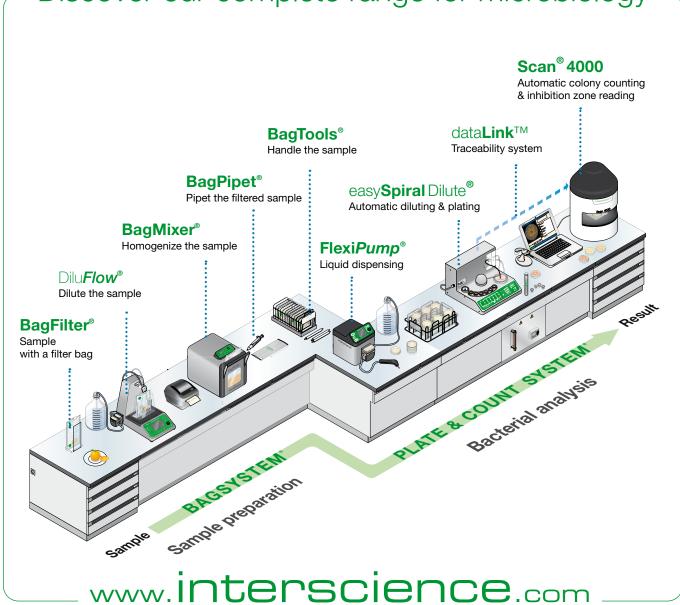
* Only on Scan® 1200

Barcode reader Ref.: 522 000 Adaptor for Petrifilm^{TM*} Ref.: 437 002

Adaptor for MC-Media Pads™*
Ref.: 437 001

Adaptor for Compact Dry™* Ref.: 437 004 Adaptor for Petri dish (55 mm) Bef.: 436 005

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