POINT OF CONTACT METERS

Validations of 3 Point-of-Service Meters

- CardioChek compared to venous blood
 - Total Cholesterol
 - HDL
 - 90 people age 50+
- Cholestech compared to venous
 - Lipid panel (Total cholesterol, HDL, LDL, Triglycerides)
 - CRP
 - 50 people age 45-85
- Hemocue compared to DBS
 - Hemoglobin
 - 90 people age 50+

Cardiochek-PA - Total and HDL Cholesterol

CHARLS pilot

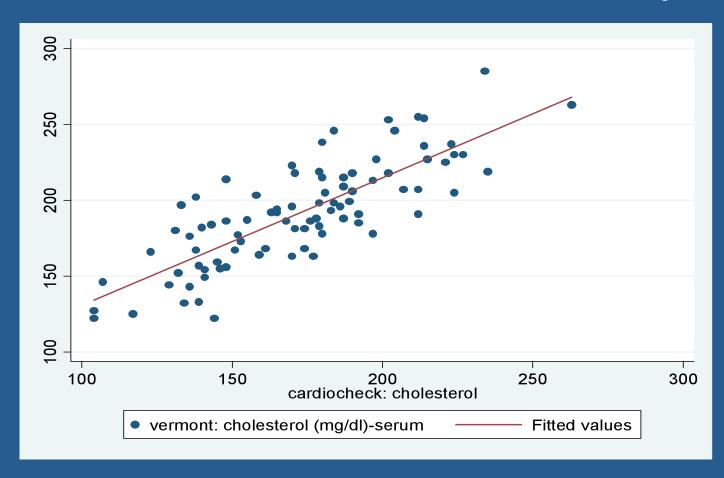
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CardioChek - Total Cholesterol

N=88 R²=0.65 CardioChek mean=172.5, range 104-263

Venous mean=191.7, range 122-285



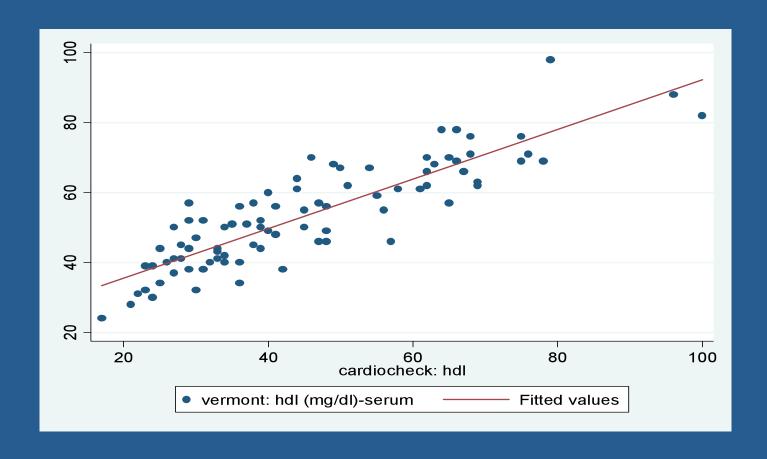
CardioChek - HDL

N=89

 $R^2 = 0.76$

CardioChek mean=44.8, range 17-100

Venous mean=53.1, range 24-98



CardioChek

- Comparability with venous is reasonable
- Portability excellent
 - Battery power possible
 - Unit and test cartridges lightweight
- Pipette collection system takes practice
- Cautions???? Josh Snodgras recommends replacing after 150 -200 uses

Cholestech

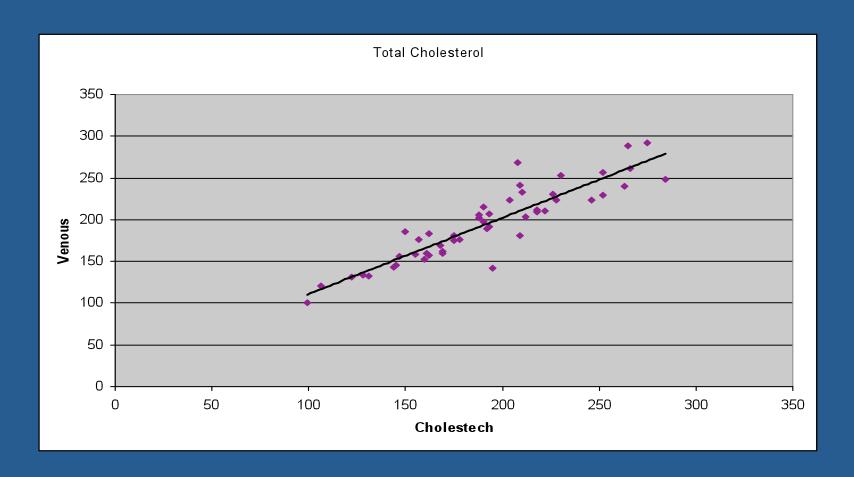




Total Cholesterol - Cholestech

R²=0.82

Cholestech mean=191.6, range 99-284 Venous mean=194.7, range 101-292



Cholestech Summary

Measure	Cholestech	Venous	
	Mean (Range)	Mean (Range)	R^2
Total Cholesterol	191.6	194.7	0.82
	(99-284)	(101-292)	
HDL	46.5	50.6	0.72
	(22-77)	(31-79)	
LDL	103.2	109.7	0.88
	(35-187)	(31-196)	
Triglycerides	191.1	197.0	0.87
	(60-487)	(55-551)	
C-reactive	1.7	1.3	0.92
Protein*	(0.3-5.1)	(0.2-3.9)	

^{*} Smaller sample due to change in lab assay

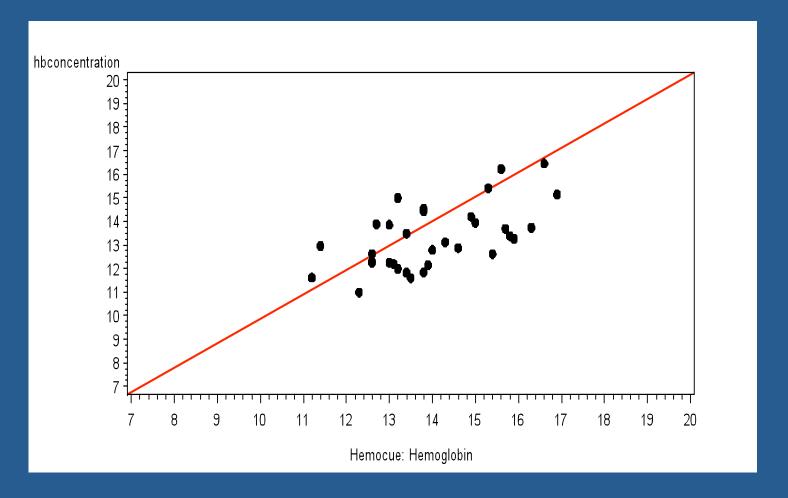
Cholestech

- Comparability with venous quite good
- Validation test occurred within community research clinic under ideal conditions
 - Air conditioning
 - Refrigeration available for test cassettes
- Field use less practical
 - Requires DC power (no battery pack)
 - Test cassettes can be costly
 - Control samples must be run each day of use (requiring test cassettes & control liquid)
 - Pipette collection system takes practice

Hemocue - Hemoglobin Analyzer



Hemocue Meter versus CHARLS DBS



Equation: Hemocue value = $5.4 + 0.7 \times CHARLS$ value R^2 for regression equation: 0.36

Hemoglobin - CHARLS DBS vs. HemoCue meter

	Average (SD) (mg/dL)	Range (mg/dL)
CHARLS DBS	13.3 (1.4)	11.0 - 16.5
HemoCue	14.0 (1.5)	11.2 – 16.9