

## Supporting information

### Feasibility of Non-Invasive Measurement of Cardiac Biomarkers Using Mid-Infrared Spectroscopy: Finite Element Analysis and Experimental Validation

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**Table S1.** Spectral characteristics of common interfering molecules in the mid-infrared region

<b>Interfering Molecule</b>	<b>Amide I Band (~1650 cm<sup>-1</sup>)</b>	<b>Amide II Band (~1550 cm<sup>-1</sup>)</b>	<b>Other Characteristic Absorptions</b>	<b>Dominant Secondary Structure</b>
Human Serum Albumin	1652 cm <sup>-1</sup> ( $\alpha$ -helix)	1545 cm <sup>-1</sup> (N-H bending and C-N stretch)	1235 cm <sup>-1</sup> (Amide III) and ~3300 cm <sup>-1</sup> (N-H stretching)	Predominantly $\alpha$ -helix
Immunoglobulin G	1640 cm <sup>-1</sup> ( $\beta$ -sheet dominant)	1538 cm <sup>-1</sup> (strong $\beta$ -sheet feature)	1230-1240 cm <sup>-1</sup> (Amide III) and ~3070 cm <sup>-1</sup> (aromatic C-H)	Predominantly $\beta$ -sheet
Cathepsins (e.g., Cathepsin D)	1635-1650 cm <sup>-1</sup> (mixed $\alpha/\beta$ )	1520-1550 cm <sup>-1</sup>	1210 cm <sup>-1</sup> (proline C-N vibration) and 1315 cm <sup>-1</sup> (tyrosine)	Mixed $\alpha/\beta$ with notable tertiary structure

**Table S2** Comparison of MIR spectral features of cTnI, NT-proBNP, and CRP

<b>Biomarker</b>	<b>Main Absorption Peaks (cm<sup>-1</sup>)</b>	<b>Origin of Peaks</b>
cTnI	1650 (Amide I)	$\beta$ -sheet structure
	1545 (Amide II)	Proline side chain vibration
	1210 (Proline vibration)	
NT-proBNP	1650 (Amide I)	Dominantly $\alpha$ -helical structure
	1550 (Amide II)	Protein backbone modes
	1450 (CH <sub>2</sub> bending)	
CRP	1645 (Amide I)	Rich in $\beta$ -sheets and $\beta$ -turns
	1538 (Amide II)	Carboxylic acid side chains
	1390 (COO <sup>-</sup> symmetric stretch)	