



SARS-CoV-2 & Influenza A+B Antigen Combo Rapid Test Cassette Package Insert



COIF-522

Specimens: Nasal Swab

Version: Z

Effective Date: 2021.09

For self-testing.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- When I am ready to start the test, what preparations do I need to do?
Regardless of whether you have symptoms or not, when you are ready to use this reagent, please do isolation and protection. Wear a face mask or cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you are coughing and keep distance with other people.
- When can I test myself?
You can always test yourself whether you have symptoms or not. Please note that the test result is a snapshot that is valid for this point in time. Tests should therefore be repeated according to the regulations of the responsible authorities.

- What should I pay attention to obtain the most exact test result possible?
Always follow the instructions of use exactly. Perform the test immediately after collecting the sample. Dispense the drops from the test tube only into the designated well of the test cassette. Dispense two drops from the sample tube. Too many or too few drops can lead to an incorrect or invalid test result.

- The test strip is very discolored. What is the reason or what am I doing wrong?
The reason for a clearly visible discoloration of the test strip is that too large a quantity of drops has been dispensed from the sample tube into the test cassette well. The indicator strip can only hold a limited amount of liquid. If the control line does not appear or the test strip is very discolored, please repeat the test with a new test kit according to the instructions for use.

- What should I do if I took the test but didn't see a control line?
In this case, the test result is to be considered invalid. Please repeat the test with a new test kit according to the instructions for use.

- I am unsure of the interpretation of the results. What should I do?
If you cannot clearly determine the result of the test, contact the nearest medical facility applying the regulations of your local authority.

- My result is positive. What should I do?
If a horizontal-colored line is visible in the control area (C) as well as in the test area (T), your result is positive, and you should immediately contact the medical facility in accordance with the requirements of your local authorities. Your test result may be checked, and the next steps will be explained to you.

- My result is negative. What should I do?
If only a horizontal-colored line is visible in the control area (C), this may mean that you are negative or that the viral load is too low to be recognized by the test. If you experience symptoms such as headaches, migraines, fever, loss of sense of smell and taste, contact the nearest medical facility applying the regulations of your local authority. In addition, you can repeat the test with a new test kit.

- Can this test cassette be reused or used by multiple people?
This test cassette is for one-time use and cannot be reused or used by multiple people.

- Why do I swab both nostrils?
Swabbing both nostrils give you the best chance of collecting sufficient sample to generate an accurate result. It has been observed in some cases that only one nostril has detectable virus, so it is important to collect from both nostrils. Correct swabbing is important to obtain a correct result.

PACKAGE SPECIFICATIONS

1 test/pack, 5 tests/pack, 25 tests/pack, 50 tests/pack, 100 tests/pack

INTENDED USE

This kit is used for in vitro qualitative determination of SARS-CoV-2, influenza A and influenza B viral nucleoprotein antigens in human anterior nasal swab samples. It can be used for rapid investigation of suspected COVID-19, Influenza A+B cases and can be used as a reconfirmation method for nucleic acid detection in discharged cases.

Positive results do not rule out bacterial infection or co-infection with other viruses. Negative results do not rule out SARS-CoV-2, influenza A or influenza B Infection

This kit is for home use by laymen in a non-laboratory setting (such as person's home or certain non-traditional sites such as offices, sporting events, airports, schools etc.). The test results of this kit are for clinical reference only. It is recommended to conduct a comprehensive analysis of the condition based on the patient's clinical manifestations and other laboratory tests.

Antigen testing is typically used in the acute phase of infection, when samples are tested within seven days of the onset of symptoms in a suspected population.

PRECAUTIONS

Please read all the information in this package insert before performing the test.

- The kit is in vitro diagnostic use only. Do not use after the expiration date.
- The test should remain in the sealed pouch until ready to use.
- All specimens should be considered potentially hazardous and handled in the same manner as an infection agent.
- The used test should be discarded according to local regulations.
- Avoid using bloody samples.

- Avoid touching the reagent membrane and sample well.
- Test for children and young people should be used with an adult.

KIT COMPONENTS

Materials Required and Provided

- SARS-CoV-2 & Influenza A+B Antigen Combo Rapid Test Cassette
- Extraction Reagent
- Extraction tubes
- Sterile Swabs
- Package Insert
- Workstation

Note: Components of different batches cannot be mixed.

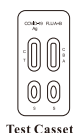
Materials Required but not Provided

The timer and Disinfection products, such as hand sanitizer, rubbing alcohol, soap, etc.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

1. Preparation before the beginning

- Choose a location to do this test where it can sit UNDISTURBED for 15-30 minutes. Place the test cassette, sample extraction reagent and test components at room temperature for 15-30 minutes, and equilibrate to room temperature {15~30°C (59°F-86°F)}
- Wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds before testing. If soap and water are not available, use hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- It is not recommended to clean the nasal cavity before the test to prevent the virus content from being too low. Unless the nasal cavity is too wet or dry, after cleaning the nasal cavity, take a sample at least 30 minutes later.
- Open your test kit, and you should have:



Test Cassette



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Work Station



Extraction Reagent



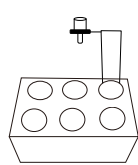
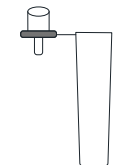
Sterile Swabs



Extraction tube

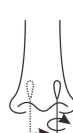
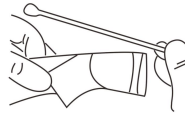
2. Sample collection

- Take out the Extraction Tube, unscrew the lid and place the tube in the workstation (see below).



place the tube
in the workstation

- Remove the swab from the container, being careful NOT to touch the soft end, which is the absorbent tip.
- Gently insert the swab into one nostril for 2-4cm (1-2cm for children) until you feel a bit of resistance.
- Using medium pressure, rub the swab slowly in a circular motion around the inside wall of your nostril 5 times within 7-10 seconds.
- Repeat the same process with the same swab in the other nostril.

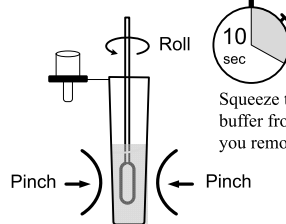


CAUTION: If the swab stick breaks during specimen collection, repeat specimen collection with a new swab. When using swab, users should pay attention to the safety of sampling. Avoid inserting too deep into the nasal cavity, causing pain and bleeding.

3. Sample treatment

- Insert the swab into the Extraction tube and immerse the entire tip of swab into the extraction buffer.
- Soak the sampling swab below the liquid level of the extraction reagent. Rotate the swab and press for about 10 seconds.
- Squeeze the swab head against the inside of the extraction tube, then take out the swab and tighten the sampling tube.

Mix swab in extraction buffer



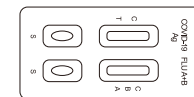
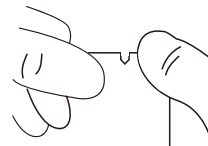
Squeeze the extraction
buffer from the swab tip as
you remove the swab stick.

Insert the swab into the extraction
tube. Roll and press the swab head
against the edge of the tube 3 to 5
times within the extraction buffer.

- Sample preservation:** The sample can be stored at room temperature {15~30°C (59°F-86°F)} for one hour.

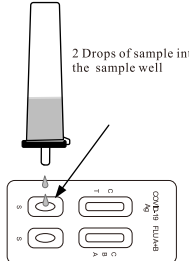
TEST PROCEDURE

- Open the aluminum foil pouch of the test cassette, place the test cassette on a flat surface.



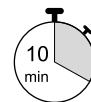
- Unscrew the small cap at the top of the extraction buffer tube. Lay the cassette flat and add 2 drops of the treated sample into the 2 sample well of the test cassette. Read the test result after adding the sample for 10 minutes.

Perform the test



2 Drops of sample into
the sample well

Start Timer (10min)



Positive



Negative



Invalid



Positive



Negative



Invalid

THE RESULTS FOR SARS-CoV-2 in the left window. THE RESULTS FOR Influenza A+B in the right window.

DISPOSAL THE SAMPLE AND CLEAN-UP

- The test cassette, sample extraction reagent and disposable virus sampling swab are collected into the biohazard waste bag and dispose it according to local regulations.
- Re-apply hand sanitizer.

INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

THE RESULTS FOR SARS-CoV-2 in the left window.

NEGATIVE RESULT:



One colored line appears in the control line region (C). No line appears in the test region (T). A negative result indicates that SARS-CoV-2 antigen is not present in the specimen or is present below the detectable level of the test.

POSITIVE RESULT:



Two lines appear. One colored line should be in the control region (C) and another apparent colored line should be in the test region (T). A positive result indicates that SARS-CoV-2 was detected in the specimen.

INVALID RESULT:



Control line fails to appear. Insufficient specimen volume or incorrect procedural techniques are most likely reasons for control line failure. Review the procedure and repeat the test with a new test. If the problem persists, discontinue using the test kit immediately and contact your local distributor.

THE RESULTS FOR Influenza A+B in the right window.

NEGATIVE RESULT:



One colored line appears in the control line region (C). No line appears in the test region (B/A). A negative result indicates that Influenza A&B antigen is not present in the specimen, or is present below the detectable level of the test.

Two distinct colored lines appear. One colored line should be in the Influenza A region (A) and another colored line should be in the Influenza B region (B). A positive result in the Influenza A region indicates that Influenza A antigen was detected in the sample.

Two distinct colored lines appear. One colored line should be in the control region (C) and another colored line should be in the Influenza B region (B). A positive result in the Influenza B region indicates that Influenza B antigen was detected in the sample.

Three distinct colored lines appear. One colored line should be in the control region (C) and two-colored line should be in the Influenza A region (A) and Influenza B region (B). A positive result in the Influenza A region and Influenza B region indicates that Influenza A antigen and Influenza B antigen were detected in the sample.

Control line fails to appear. Insufficient specimen volume or incorrect procedural techniques are most likely reasons for control line failure. Review the procedure and repeat the test with a new test. If the problem persists, discontinue using the test kit immediately and contact your local distributor.

NOTE:

The intensity of the color in test line region (T/A/B) will respectively vary depending on the concentration of SARS-CoV-2 & Influenza A+B Antigen present in the specimen. Therefore, any shade of color in the test line region(T/A/B) should be considered positive. And the positive results in the left window showed that SARS-CoV-2 is positive; the positive results in the right window showed that Influenza A and/or Influenza B is positive.

PRINCIPLE OF THE ASSAY

The SARS-CoV-2 & Influenza A+B Antigen Combo Rapid Test Cassette is a qualitative, lateral flow immunoassay for the detection of the N protein of SARS- CoV-2, Influenza A, and Influenza B nucleoproteins in Nasal Swab. In this test, antibody specific to the N protein of SARS-CoV-2, Influenza A and Influenza B nucleoproteins is separately coated on the test line regions of the test cassette. During testing, the extracted specimen reacts with the antibody to N protein of SARS-CoV-2, Influenza A and/or Influenza B that are coated onto particles. The mixture migrates up the membrane to react with the antibody to N protein of SARS-CoV-2, Influenza A and/or Influenza B on the membrane and generate one colored line in the test regions. The presence of this colored line of the test regions indicates a positive result. To serve as a procedural control, a colored line will always appear in the control region if the test has performed properly.

STORAGE AND STABILITY

The validity period is 18 months if this product is stored in an environment of 2-30°C. The test is stable through the expiration date printed on the sealed pouch. The test must remain in the sealed pouch until use.

DO NOT FREEZE.

The manufacture date and expiration date are labelled in the sealed pouch. Do not use beyond the expiration date.

LIMITATIONS OF THE TEST

- The test result of this kit is not the only confirmation indicator of clinical indication. The infection should be confirmed by a specialist along with other laboratory results, clinical symptoms epidemiology, and additional clinical data.
- The test results are related to the quality of sample collection, processing, transportation, and storage. Any errors may lead to inaccurate results. If cross-contamination is not controlled during the sample processing, false positive results may occur.
- In the early stages of infection, low levels of antigen expression can result in negative results.
- A negative result obtained from this kit should be confirmed by PCR.A negative result may be obtained if the concentration of the SARS-CoV-2 and/or Influenza A&B present in the swab is not adequate or is below the detectable level of the test.
- The negative results are not intended to exclude other non 2019-nCov virus infections.
- A negative test result does not rule out a coronavirus infection and does not exempt you from the applicable rules for spread control (e.g., contact restrictions and protective measures).
- Excess blood or mucus on the swab specimen may interfere with performance and may yield a false positive result.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Study on Interfering Substances

Test results will not be interfered by following substances at certain concentrations:

Interfering substance	Conc.
Whole Blood	4%
Ibuprofen	1mg/ml
tetracycline	3ug/ml
Mucin	0.5%
Erythromycin	3ug/ml
Tobramycin	5%
menthol	15%
Afrin	15%
Influenza B Victoria STRAIN	105TCID50 /ml
Influenza B YSTRAIN	105TCID50 /ml
Influenza A H1N1 2009	105TCID50 /ml
Influenza A H3N2	105TCID50 /ml
H7N9	105TCID50 /ml
H5N1	105TCID50 /ml
Compound Benzoin Gel	1.5mg/ml
Cromolyn glycate	15%
chloramphenicol	3ug/ml
Mupirocin	10mg/ml
Oseltamivir	5mg/ml
Naphazoline Hydrochlo-ride Nasal Drops	15%
Fluticasone propionate spray	15%
Deoxyepinephrine hydrochloride	15%
Respiratory syncytial virus	105TCID50 /ml
Protein A-positive	/
Staphylococcus aureus in nasal swabs as sample matrix	106TCID50 /ml

Cross-Reactivity

Test results will not be affected by other respiratory viruses and commonly encountered microbial flora and low pathogenic coronaviruses listed in table below at certain concentrations.

SARS-CoV-2 Test:

Description	Concentration
HCOV-HKU1	105TCID50 /ml
Group A streptococci	106TCID50 /ml
Measles virus	105TCID50 /ml
Mumps virus	105TCID50 /ml
Adenovirus type 3	105TCID50 /ml
Mycoplasma pneumonia	106TCID50 /ml
Human coronavirus NL63	105TCID50 /ml
MERS coronavirus	105TCID50 /ml
Parainfluenza virus, type2	105TCID50 /ml
Human metapneumovirus	105TCID50 /ml
Human coronavirus OC43	105TCID50 /ml
Human coronavirus 229E	105TCID50 /ml
Bordetella parapertusis	106TCID50 /ml
Epstein-Barr virus	105TCID50 /ml
Enterovirus CA16	105TCID50 /ml
Rhinovirus	105TCID50 /ml
Streptococcus pneumoni-ae	106TCID50 /ml
Candida albicans	106TCID50 /ml
Chlamydia pneumoniae	106TCID50 /ml
Bordetella pertussis	106TCID50 /ml
Pneumocystis jiroveci	106TCID50 /ml
Mycobacterium tubercu- losis	106TCID50 /ml
Legionella pneumophila	106TCID50 /ml

Influenza A+B Test:

Description	Cross reaction
Human adenovirus 3	N/A
Human adenovirus 7	N/A
Human coronavirus OC43	N/A
Parainfluenza virus 1	N/A
Parainfluenza virus 2	N/A
Human coronavirus NL63	105TCID50 /ml
MERS coronavirus	105TCID50 /ml
Human coronavirus 229E	105TCID50 /ml
Parainfluenza virus 3	N/A
Measles	N/A
Mumps	N/A
Human respiratory syncytial virus	N/A

Human Rhinovirus 1A	N/A
Human herpesvirus 5	N/A
Herpes simplex virus 1	N/A
Human herpesvirus 2	N/A
Rubella	N/A
Varicella-Zoster	N/A

Clinical Performance

The SARS-CoV-2 & Influenza A+B Antigen Combo Rapid Test Cassette has been evaluated with Nasal Swab specimens obtained from the patients'-PCR is used as the reference method for the SARS-CoV-2 & Influenza A+B Antigen Combo Rapid Test Cassette. Nasal Swab Specimens were considered positive if RT-PCR indicated a positive result. Nasal Swab Specimens were considered negative if RT- PCR indicated a negative result.

SARS-CoV-2 Test:

SARS-CoV-2 Antigen Rapid Test		RT-PCR		Total Results
		Positive	Negative	
SARS-CoV-2 Antigen	Positive	113	2	115
	Negative	3	212	215
Total		116	214	330
Relative Sensitivity		97.4%(95%CI*:90.39%-98.61%)		
Relative Specificity		99.1%(95%CI*:98.20%-99.87%)		
Accuracy		98.5% (95%CI*: 94.9%-99.1%)		

Influenza A+B Test:

		Type A			Type B		
		RT-PCR		Total	RT-PCR		Total
		Positive	Negative		Positive	Negative	
Flu A+B Rapid	Positive	105	2	107	85	2	87
	Negative	1	181	182	2	200	202
Total		106	183	289	87	202	289
Relative Sensitivity		99.06% (95%CI*: 94.33%-99.99%)			97.70% (95%CI*: 91.51%-99.86%)		
Relative Specificity		98.91% (95%CI*: 95.85%-99.96%)			99.01% (95%CI*: 96.23%-99.96%)		
Accuracy		98.96% (95%CI*: 96.85%-99.79%)			98.62% (95%CI*: 96.37%-99.59%)		

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Index of Symbols			
	Consult instructions for use		Tests per kit
	For <i>in vitro</i> diagnostic use only		Use by date
	Temperature limitation		Lot Number
	Manufacturer		Catalogue number
			Do not reuse
			Catalogue number
			Manufacturing date

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