Description

Informant is a single-use, Hand-Held Assay (HHA) used for the rapid, qualitative detection of specific toxigenic molds. Aspergillus, Penicillium and Stachybotrys,

Important Information

Please review complete instructions prior to use. Use only the materials supplied in this kit.

FOR ENVIRONMENTAL TESTING ONLY

NOT FOR HUMAN TESTING.

Store device at room temperature.

Always use proper Personal Protection Equipment (PPE). Treat all samples as potentially infectious.

Humidity levels above 80% can slow results. Do not allow test windows to get wet prior to running the evaluation. Do not use in direct rain.

Do not eat or smoke while handling the test. Always wash hands when test is finished.

Do not use the product after the expiration date.

DO NOT open the inner white pouch until you are ready to perform the evaluation.

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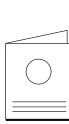
Test Kit Equipment

Dropper/Swab

Buffer bottle



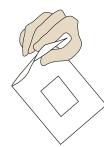




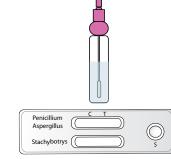
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Collection of a solid sample



Tear open the inner white pouch to remove the test device. Place the device and the buffer bottle onto a flat, horizontal surface.



The test device should be placed in front

of you with the "C" and "T" towards the

top and the small round sample-well to

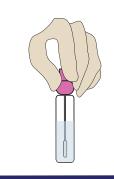
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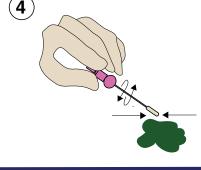


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Unscrew the cap from the buffer bottle. Swab the suspect While removing the swab, rub the tip contaminated area carefully. Collect as against the inside walls to extract excess much material as possible onto the tip by swirling the swab slowly in the sample. liquid then remove the swab completely.

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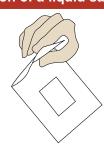
Return the swab and collected sample back to the buffer bottle. Tighten the cap and gently shake the tube for approximately 5 seconds. Move to step 6.

Collection of a liquid sample

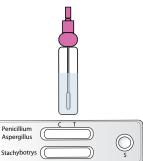


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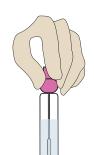
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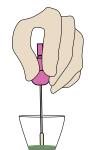
Tear open the inner white pouch to remove the test device. Place the device and the buffer bottle onto a flat, horizontal surface.



The test device should be placed in front of you with the "C" and "T" towards the top and the small round sample-well to your right as shown above.

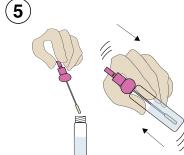


Unscrew the cap from the buffer bottle While removing the swab, rub the tip against the inside walls to extract excess liquid then remove the swab completely.



sample or

Place the absorbent end of the swab into the suspect liquid and swirl for 5 seconds.



Return the swab and collected sample back to the buffer bottle. Tighten the cap and gently shake the tube for approximately 5 seconds. Move to step 6.





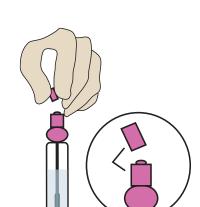


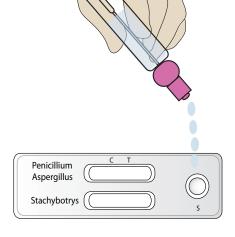


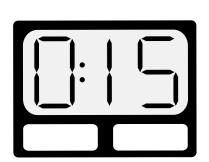
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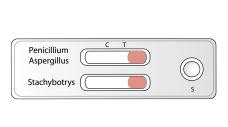


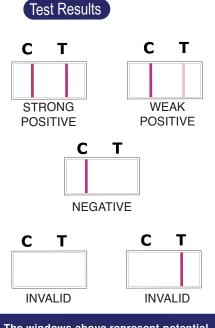


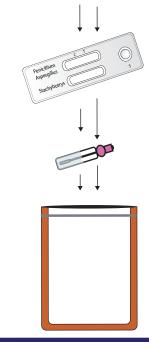














Stachybotrys Penicillium Aspergillus

Remove the clear cap from the tip of the buffer bottle. Break off the tip and discard. The bottle now becomes a dropper for dispensing the sample onto the test device.

Invert the bottle to a 45 degree angle and SLOWLY add 5 to 6 drops to the sample well. DO NOT add more than 6 drops. Return the clear cap back onto the buffer bottle and set it to the side.

Set a timer and allow a maximum of 15 minutes before interpreting the results. You may see results in as little as 3 minutes. DO NOT interpret results after 30 minutes

As the test begins to work, a reddish color will begin moving across the result window. A line should always appear at the control line (C). This is an indication that the test is working correctly.

The windows above represent potential results. A weak positive, regardless of it's intensity, should be considered positive. Invalids are rare but occur when tests are out-dated or exposed to extreme weather and should be re-run using a new device.

With testing complete, recap the buffer bottle and return all parts to the original resealable pouch. Zip-lock the pouch and dispose of properly into a trash container.



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