SARS-CoV-2 Ag Test Specifications

For Emergency Use Authorization Only (EUA). For in vitro Diagnostic Use. Rx Only.

Intended use*

The LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test is a rapid microfluidic immunofluorescence assay for use with the LumiraDx Platform intended for the qualitative detection of the nucleocapsid protein antigens from SARS-CoV-2 in direct anterior nasal swab and nasopharyngeal swab specimens collected by a healthcare provider from individuals who are suspected of COVID-19 within the first twelve (12) days of symptom onset when tested at least twice over three days with at least 48 hours between tests and from individuals without symptoms or other epidemiological reasons to suspect COVID-19 when tested at least three times over five days with at least 48 hours between tests.

Testing is limited to laboratories certified under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 (CLIA), 42 U.S.C 263a, that meet the requirements to perform moderate, high or waived complexity tests. This test is authorized for use at the Point of Care (POC), i.e., in patient care settings operating under a CLIA Certificate of Waiver, Certificate of Compliance, or Certificate of Accreditation.

Test description

The LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test uses SARS-CoV/SARS-CoV-2 specific antibodies in a particle-particle sandwich immunoassay to determine the presence of SARS-CoV-2 Nucleocapsid Protein (NP) antigen present in the test sample.

Built-in quality controls

The LumiraDx Platform Instrument and Test Strip are integrated with several control checks to ensure the Instrument and Test are functioning correctly for every test run. These checks include:

- Electrical component operation, heater operation, battery charge state, mechanical actuators and sensors and optical system performance
- Test Strip positioning, optics, and Test Strip expiry
- Monitoring of Test Strip performance and controls during test runtime
- The LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test contains an Onboard Quality Control (OBC) assay

SARS-CoV-2 Ag external quality controls

Positive and Negative Quality Controls are available from LumiraDx to complete Quality Control assessment of the Instrument and LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag Test Strips.

*See LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test Product Insert for full Intended Use statement.

Clinical performance up to 12 days post symptom onset

Direct anterior nasal swabs (257) and nasopharyngeal swabs (255) were prospectively collected from symptomatic patients suspected of COVID-19 from six sites across the United States and United Kingdom. The performance of the LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test was compared to an EUA authorized PCR method.

	Reference PCR results					
	Anterior nasal swabs			Nasopharyngeal swab		
LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag results	POS	NEG	Total	POS	NEG	Total
POS	81	6	87	39	5	44
NEG	2	168	170	1	210	211
Total	83	174	257	40	215	255
	PPA	NPA		PPA	NPA	
	97.6% (CI 91.6%- 99.3%)	96.6% (CI 92.7%- 98.4%)		97.5% (CI 87.1%- 99.6%)	97.7% (CI 94.7%- 99.0%)	

PPA- Positive Percent Agreement; NPA - Negative Percent Agreement

Analytical performance

Limit of Detection (LoD)

Starting material concentration	Estimated LoD	No. positive/total	% positive	
2.8 x 10 ⁵ TCID ₅₀ /mL	32 TCID ₅₀ /mL	20/20	100	

Cross reactivity

The LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test was found not to cross-react with a panel of organisms and viruses including several human coronaviruses. See LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test Product Insert for full details.

Specifications

Sample type	Nasal and nasopharyngeal swabs		
Time to result	12 minutes		
Result display	Qualitative - Positive or Negative		
Storage temperature	2-30 °C (36-86 °F)		
Operating temperature	15-30 °C (59-86 °F)		
Interferences	See LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test Product Insert for details		
Onboard control	Onboard Quality Control (OBC) assay and sample processing control		
Quality control material	Positive and Negative external liquid controls		
Nasal collection swabs	Validated Nasal Collection Swabs (Available with product codes L016000609024, L016000609048)		

Swabs

Individually packaged sterile nasal collection swabs are included in certain kits and should be used where provided.

For information on swabs that have been validated for use with the LumiraDx SARS-CoV-2 Ag test please visit lumiradx.com and consult the technical bulletin.

Commercial availability of swabs may vary by country.

Please be aware that the CDC does not recommend use of calcium alginate swabs or swabs with wooden shafts, as they may contain substances that inactivate some viruses and inhibit PCR testing¹.

For more information visit lumiradx.com or contact the LumiraDx Customer Services by email: CustomerServices.US@lumiradx.com or Tel: 1-888-586-4721

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1. see https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/lab/guidelines-clinical-specimens.html

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