

Avian Influenza Virus H5 Antibodies Lateral Flow Assay Kit

Catalog No: E-AD-C021

40T

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This manual must be read attentively and completely before using this product.

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Please kindly provide us the lot number (on the outside of the box) of the kit for more efficient service.

Test principle

The reagent is made based on the principle of colloidal gold immunochromatography (GICA). After the sample is added to the sample hole, it moves along the chromatographic membrane together with colloidal gold marker. If there is H5 subtype avian influenza antibody in the sample, it will bind to the colloidal gold marker and the antigen on the detection line and show purple red; if there is no H5 subtype avian influenza antibody in the sample, no color reaction will be generated.

Kit components

Item	Specification
Detection Card (with disposable dropper)	40T
Sample diluent	40 bottles
Pipette	40
Manual	1 copy

Note: All reagent bottle caps must be tightened to prevent evaporation and microbial pollution.

Notes

1. FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. Please read the manual carefully before use, changes of operation may result in unreliable results.
2. Do not use product out of date or in a broken aluminum foil, it is disposable and cannot be used repeatedly.
3. The detection card should be brought to room temperature before opening after take it out from the refrigerator. The opening detection card should be used as soon as possible.
4. Please do not use but not limited to the following liquids for negative control: Water, PBS.
5. The tested sample should be fresh and clear. Avoid of using samples of turbidity, polluted, high hemolysis or abnormal viscous.
6. Avoid of touching the chromatography membrane of the sample well and test well.
7. The waste of experiment should be considered as contaminant, and must be properly handled according to the local regulations.
8. Each reagent is optimized for use in the E-AD-C021. Do not substitute reagents from any other manufacturer into the test kit. Do not combine reagents from other E-AD-C021 with different lot numbers.

Storage and expiry date

Storage: Store at 2-30°C. With cool and dry environment, avoid freeze.

Expiry date: expiration date is on the packing box.

Sample preparation

1. **Serum/plasma:** Use the conventional method to prepare serum/plasma, the serum/plasma must be clear, no hemolysis and no pollution. Samples can be conserved at 2~8°C in 1 weeks, and it should be stored at - 20°C for a long term storage.
2. **Whole blood:** Collect the anticoagulated whole blood into the tube. If anticoagulated whole blood is not immediately tested, they should be refrigerated at 2~8 °C and used within 24 hours.
3. Samples should be brought to room temperature (15~30 °C) before to use.
4. The use of hemolytic, lipaemic, icteric or bacterially contaminated samples should be avoided. Erroneous result may occur.

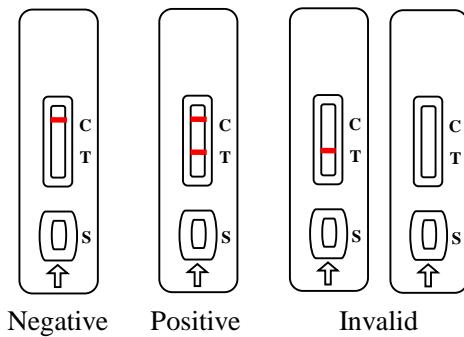
Assay procedure

Allow all kit components and sample to reach room temperature (25°C) prior to testing.

1. Tear the aluminum foil bag of the detection card and take out the detection card, and put it on a smooth, clean table.
2. Take the sample with the disposable dropper, add 1 drop of **Serum** supernatant or 2 drops of **Whole blood** to the sample well vertically and slowly ((Avoid foaming). Then add 2 drops of **Sample diluent** to the sample well.
3. Incubate for 10 to 15 minutes and then judge the results immediately.

Judgment of result

1. **Negative:** Only the control line region (C) shows a line in the observation well.
2. **Positive:** Both the test line region (T) and the control line region (C) show a line in the observation well.
3. **Invalid:** No line shows in the observation well of the control line region (C).



Interpretation of the results

1. The negative result reveals that the level of AIV-H5 antibody in the sample is < HI titer 1:16.
2. The positive result reveals that the level of AIV-H5 antibody in the sample is \geq HI titer 1:32.
3. For the samples immunized with AIV-H5 vaccine, the level of antibody reflects the immune effect. For the samples that are not immunized with AIV-H5 vaccine, the positive result suggests that it might be infected with AIV-H5, and the result should be combined with other methods to analyze.

Limitations

1. This kit can only be used for qualitative detection of AIV-H5 antibodies in poultry.
2. The detection results of this kit are only for reference. For confirmation of the result, please combine the symptoms and other methods of detection, this detection cannot be used as the only criteria for result.