

# Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test

For *In Vitro* diagnostic use For Prescription Use For Use with Kit Provided Swabs

# 1. INTENDED USE

The Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test is a lateral flow immunochromatographic assay for the rapid, qualitative detection of SARS-CoV-2 nucleoprotein protein antigens directly in anterior nasal swab specimens from individuals with signs and symptoms of upper respiratory infection (i.e., symptomatic) when testing is started within 4 days of symptom onset. The test is intended for use as an aid in the diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infections (COVID-19) in symptomatic individuals when either: tested at least twice over three days with at least 48 hours between tests; or when tested once, and negative by the Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test and followed up with a molecular test.

The test does not differentiate between SARS-CoV or SARS-CoV-2.

A negative test result is presumptive, and it is recommended these results be confirmed by a molecular SARS-CoV-2 assay. Positive results do not rule out co-infection with other bacteria or viruses and should not be used as the sole basis for diagnosis, treatment, or other patient management decisions.

Performance characteristics for SARS-CoV-2 were established during the 2022-2023 SARS-CoV-2 pandemic when SARS-CoV-2 Omicron was the predominant SARS-CoV-2 variant in circulation. When other SARS-CoV-2 virus variants are emerging, performance characteristics may vary.

# 2. SUMMARY AND EXPLANATION OF THE TEST

The first case of the coronavirus disease 19 (COVID-19) was reported when an outbreak of unknown respiratory illnesses occurred in Wuhan, China on December 31, 2019. COVID-19 Caused by Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) is a respiratory illness, like influenza, with symptoms such as a cough, fever, fatigue, and in more severe cases, difficulty breathing or shortness of breath. The WHO officially declared COVID-19 a pandemic on March 11, 2020.

Nano-Check<sup>TM</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test is a lateral flow immuno chromatographic assay intended for the direct detection of the presence or absence SARS-CoV-2 antigen in 15 min using respiratory specimens collected from individuals suspected of COVID-19 by their healthcare provider within four days of symptom onset.

# 3. PRINCIPLE

The Nano-Check<sup>TM</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test is designed to detect the extracted nucleocapsid protein antigen specific to SARS-CoV-2 in anterior nasal swab specimens directly collected from individuals who are suspected of COVID-19 by their healthcare provider within the first four days of symptom onset.

When specimens are extracted and added to the sample well of test device, SARS-CoV-2 viral antigens present in the specimen bind to antibodies against SARS-CoV-2 nucleocapsid conjugated to gold colloidal particles and biotin in the test strip. The antigen-conjugate immunocomplexes migrate across the test strip and are captured at the test line of nitrocellulose membrane.

Test results are interpreted at 15-20 minutes visually. The presence of two pinkish-red colored lines in the control line "C" and test line "Ag" indicates COVID-19 positive. The presence of one colored line in the control line "C" indicates COVID-19 negative. The control line (C) must be present in the

# 4. REAGENTS and MATERIALS

# Provided

- 20 Test devices in sealed aluminum foil pouch with desiccant
- 20 Reagent tubes with extraction buffer (0.3 mL) for Test Format A or
- 20 Empty reagent tubes and ampules containing extraction buffer (0.3 mL) for Test Format B
- 20 Sample collection swabs
- 1 Positive control swab
- 1 Negative control swab
- 1 Instructions for Use/Quick Reference Instruction

# Required but not provided

- Timer
- Tube rack for specimens
- Any necessary personal protective equipment

# 5. STORAGE AND STABILITY

- The test kit should be stored at 2°C 30°C in the original sealed pouch. Do not freeze and bring to room temperature at least 30 minutes prior to use.
- The freshly collected anterior nasal swab specimen is recommended to be processed no later than one hour after specimen collection at room temperature (15°C 30°C) or before 48 hours when stored at 2°C to 8°C.
- The test is stable until the expiration date printed on the outside of the box. Do not use after the expiration date.

# 6. WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- For *in-vitro* diagnostic use.
- For prescription use only.
- Read all instructions carefully before performing the test. This test comes in two test formats; ensure that you follow the correct procedure in step 1 of the testing procedure. Failure to follow the instructions may result in inaccurate test results.
- Serial testing should be performed in symptomatic individuals with negative results at least twice over three days (with 48 hours between tests). You may need to purchase additional tests to perform this serial (repeat) testing or follow up testing with a molecular test.
- For use with kit provided swabs. Use only swabs provided with the kit.
- If patient has symptoms longer than 4 days, they should consider testing at least three times over five days with at least 48 hours between tests.
- Do not use if any of the test kit contents or packaging is damaged.
- Do not use any test component after the expiration date which is printed on the outer packaging.
- Do not interchange kit contents from different lots.
- Test components are single-use. Do not re-use.
- Do not touch the swab tip.
- Once opened, the test card should be used within 90 minutes.
- Do not read test results before 15 minutes or after 20 minutes. Results read before 15 minutes or after 20 minutes may lead to a false positive, false negative, or invalid result.
- Ensure that there is sufficient lighting for testing and interpretation.
- Do not eat, drink, or smoke in the area where the specimens and kit contents are handled.
- Do not use the kit to evaluate patient specimens if either the positive control swab or negative control swab fails to give the expected results.

- As with all diagnostic tests, all results must be interpreted together with other clinical information available to the physician.
- Use appropriate precautions in the collection, handling, storage, and disposal of patient samples and used kit contents.
- Nitrile or latex gloves should be worn when performing this test.
- Dispose of used contents as biohazardous wastes in accordance with federal, state, and local requirements.
- Handle all specimens as though they contain infectious agents.
- Observe established precautions against microbiological hazards throughout the procedure and follow the standard procedures for proper disposal of specimens.
- The Extraction Reagent contains potentially harmful chemicals (see table below). If the test solution contacts the skin or eye, flush with copious amounts of water. If irritation persists, seek medical advice: visit https://www.poison.org/contact-us Or call 1-800-222-1222.

Chemical Name	Harms (GHS Code) for each ingredient	Concentration
Sodium Azide	Acute Tox 2 (Oral) H300	
Gentamicin	Skin sensitization (H317)	0.004%

#### SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND PREPARATION 7.

Acceptable specimen type for testing with the Nano-Check™ COVID-19 Antigen Test is direct anterior nasal swab specimen. It is essential that correct specimen collection and preparation methods be followed. Inadequate specimen collection, improper specimen handling and/or transport may yield false results; therefore, specimen collection requires specific training and guidance due to the importance of specimen quality to obtain accurate test results.

Freshly collected specimens should be processed as soon as possible, but no later than one hour at room temperature or up to 48 hours at 2-8°C after specimen collection. Specimens in extraction buffer can be processed up to thirty minutes after collection when kept at room temperature.

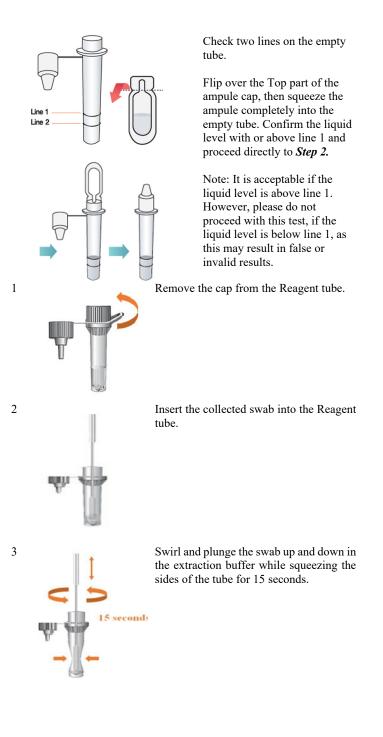
To collect the anterior nasal swab sample, tilt the patient's head back 70 degrees and insert the soft end of the swab into patient's nostril no more than <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of an inch into the nose. Slowly rotate the swab, gently pressing against the inside of patient's nostril at least 5 times for a total of 15 seconds. Get as much nasal discharge as possible on the soft end of the swab. Gently remove the swab. Use the same end of the swab and repeat the same steps on the other nostril. Refer to: Interim Guidelines for Collecting, Handling and Testing Clinical Specimens from persons for COVID-19 at https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/lab/guidelines-clinicalspecimens.html.



#### **TEST PROCEDURE AND PROTOCOL** 8.

Collect specimens according to instructions in "Specimen Collection and Preparation". Test device and sample should be brought to room temperature (15°C-30°C) prior to testing. The kit box may contain either 'Test Format A' or 'Test Format B'. Please ensure that you follow the appropriate steps depending on which specific test format is included in the kit box. Conduct all testing on a level surface.

Test Format B: After opening the package, retrieve the COVID-19 Test Device in the foil pouch, the Empty tube, and the Ampule containing the extraction buffer. Remove the test device from the sealed pouch immediately before use. Label the device with patient or control identification.



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Remove the swab while squeezing the sides of the tube to the swab head for extracting the maximum amount of liquid from the swab. Properly discard the swab.

Firmly close the dropper tip onto the Reagent tube containing the sample.

With the processed Reagent Tube hold

vertically, squeeze gently to dispense 2

drops of the sample into the sample well

Note: Too few drops can result in

invalid results, and too many drops

Read the results at 15 minutes visually. Do

not read result more than 20 minutes after

Note: False negative or false positive

results can occur if read before or after

could produce incorrect results.

of the test device.

the sample application.

15-20 minutes.

#### Invalid

If a control (C) line is not visible, the test is not valid. Re-test with a new swab and a new test cassette. If the problem persists, please call at +1- 855-297-7877.



#### **10. QUALITY CONTROL**

Internal Quality Control: The presence of a pinkish red colored band in the Control area of the window acts as an internal control to ensure adequate migration has occurred, but does not determine if an adequate sample has been added. In the absence of this Control line, the test is invalid and must be repeated. If the control line does not develop in 15 minutes, the test result is considered invalid and retesting with a new device is recommended. If the internal procedural control line is still absent in the retest, please contact the Technical Support at +1- 855-297-7877 or info@nanoditech.com.

External Control: Positive and negative control swabs are supplied with each kit. These controls provide additional quality control material to assess that the test kit reagents perform as expected. Process the controls in the same manner as clinical sample swab, and conduct the assay as described in Test Procedure section. Controls should minimally be run before using each new lot or shipment of Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test, at regular intervals afterwards or any time when the validity of the test results are questioned. All users should follow local, state and federal regulations regarding quality control procedures. If the controls do not perform as expected, do not report patient results. Contact please the Technical Support at +1- 855-297-7877 or info@nanoditech.com.

## **11. LIMITATIONS:**

- There is a higher chance of false negative results with antigen tests than with laboratory-based molecular tests due to the sensitivity of the test technology. This means that there is a higher chance this test will give a false negative result in an individual with COVID-19 as compared to a molecular test, especially in samples with low viral load.
- This test is not for use in at-home testing settings.
- Viral transport media (VTM) should not be used with this test.
- Negative test results are not intended to rule out other non-SARS viral or bacterial infections.
- Positive test results do not rule out co-infections with other bacterial or viral pathogens.
- Positive test results do not differentiate between SARS-CoV and SARS-CoV-2.
- All COVID-19 antigen test negative results are presumptive and confirmation with a molecular assay may be necessary.
- This test is read visually and has not been validated for use by those with impaired vision or color-impaired vision.
- Incorrect test results may occur if a specimen is incorrectly collected or handled.
- Results from antigen testing should not be used as the sole basis to diagnose or exclude SARS-CoV-2 infection or to determine infection status.
- This test detects both viable (live) and non-viable SARS-CoV-2 virus. Test performance depends on the amount of virus (antigens) in the sample and may or may not correlate with viral culture results performed on the same sample. A false-negative test result may occur if the level of viral antigen in a sample is below the detection limit of the test or if the sample was collected or transported improperly.
- Results from the device should be correlated with the clinical history, epidemiological data, and other data available to the clinician evaluating the patient.

#### **RESULTS INTERPRETATION** 9

#### Positive

If the Control (C) line and the Test (T) line are visible, the test is positive. Any visible faint red or pink test (T) line with a visible control (C) line should be read as positive. Repeat testing is not needed for individuals with a positive result.

#### Negative

If the Control (C) line is visible, but the Test (T) line is not visible, the test is negative. A negative test result indicates that the virus that causes COVID-19 was not detected in the sample.

Note: Negative results are presumptive and may be confirmed with a molecular assay, if necessary, for patient management. Individuals with symptoms of COVID-19 and initial negative results should be tested again after 48 hours or followed up with a molecular test





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- This device is a qualitative test and does not provide information on the viral concentration present in the specimen.
- There is a risk of erroneous results (i.e., false negatives) due to the presence of novel, emerging respiratory viral variants (e.g., specific strains or isolates). The performance of this test was established based on the evaluation of a limited number of clinical specimens collected between January 2022 and December 2023. The clinical performance has not been established in all circulating variants but is anticipated to be reflective of the prevalent variants in circulation at the time and location of the clinical evaluation. Performance at the time of testing may vary depending on the variants circulating, including newly emerging strains of SARS-CoV-2 and their prevalence, which change over time.

# **12. CLINICAL PERFORMANCE**

The clinical performance of the Nano-Check™ COVID-19 Antigen Test was established with 670 anterior nasal samples prospectively collected from subjects between January 2022 and December 2023 at four clinical point-of-care sites in the U.S. Samples were collected by untrained nonlaboratory personal from sequentially enrolled subjects who presented with symptoms of COVID-19 and within 4 days of onset of symptoms. Samples were tested with Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test. All subjects were confirmed as positive or negative by the FDA Cleared RT-PCR method, used as the comparator method for the study. Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test was performed by operators who had no prior experience in the laboratory and were representative of the intended users. Operators used only the QRI to conduct without comprehensive training provided. All testing was conducted by operators in a blinded fashion.

Out of the 147 samples that tested positive with the comparator RT-PCR test, 123 were also positive and 24 were negative using Nano-Check™ COVID-19 Antigen Test. Additionally, 521 out of 523 samples that were negative on RT-PCR were also negative on Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test. The agreement between the Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test and RT-PCR are presented below.

Nano-Check <sup>TM</sup>	Comparator RT-PCR		Total	
COVID-19 Antigen Test	Positive	Negative	Total	
Positive	123	2	125	
Negative	24	521	545	
Total	147	523	670	
Positive Percent Agreement (PPA) = (123/147) x 100% = 83.67% (95% CI: 76.86% - 88.78%)				
Negative Percent Agreement (N 98.62% - 99.90%)	(PA) = (521/523)	) x 100% = 99.6	52% (95% CI:	

Table 1. Comparison Result with Comparator RT-PCR method

# Table 2. Positive Results by Age Group

	Comparator RT-PCR method		
Age Group	# of Specimen Tested	# of Positive Specimen	Prevalence (%)
$\leq$ 5 years	23	3	13.04
6 to 21 years	144	12	8.33
22 to 60 years	400	100	25.00
≥61 years	103	32	31.07
Total	670	147*	21.94
*: Nano-Check™ COVID-19 Antigen Test yielded positive results for 3 samples in the age group below 5 years old, 8 samples in the age group of 6 to 21 years, 85			

samples in the age group of 22 to 60 years, and 27 samples in the age group over 61 years.

# Table 3. Positive Results Stratified by Days Post-Symptom Onset

Days Post Onset	RT-PCR Positive	Nano-Check <sup>TM</sup> COVID- 19 Antigen Test Positive	Positive Rate (%)
0-1	23	17	73.91
0-2	69	54	78.26
0-3	113	91	80.53
0-4	147	123	83.67

## 13. ASSAY SENSITIVITY: LIMIT OF DETECTION (LOD)

To verify analytical sensitivity of Nano-Check™ COVID-19 Antigen Test, Limit of Detection (LoD) was established using serial dilutions of Gammairradiated SARS-CoV-2 Virus, isolate 2019-nCoV/USA-WA1/2020 was selected as a wild-type strain and heat-inactivated SARS-CoV-2 Omicron variant strain, isolate hCoV-19/USA/MD-HP20874/2021 (Lineage B.1.1.529) and UV inactivated SARS-CoV-2 Delta variant strain, isolate USA/PHC658/2021 (Lineage B.1.617.2) were selected as the current dominant variant strain in circulation. Contrived samples were prepared by spiking the strain into the pooled negative nasal wash solution collected before November 2019 and confirmed negative for SARS-CoV-2. A preliminary LoD was determined by spiking 50 µL of serially diluted sample onto swab heads and tested using the Nano-Check™ COVID-19 Antigen Test. A preliminary LoD test was performed by spiking 50 µL of each diluted sample onto the sample collection swab head. The confirmatory LoD test was performed at the selected preliminary LoD concentration and at concentrations above and below the preliminary LoD with an additional 20 replicates. Based on the testing procedure for this study, the results of LoD are presented below table.

SARS-CoV- 2 Variant	Strain	LoD	% Positive
Wild	2019-nCoV/USA- WA1/2020, Gamma- irradiated	$7.0 \times 10^{2} \text{ TCID}_{50}/\text{mL}$ (3.5×10 <sup>1</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /swab)	95%
Omicron	hCoV-19/USA/MD- HP20874/2021, Heat Inactivated	1.95×10 <sup>2</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL (9.8×10 <sup>1</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /swab)	95%
Delta	USA/PHC658/2021, UV Inactivated	$5.21 \times 10^{2} \text{ TCID}_{50}/\text{mL}$ (2.6×10 <sup>1</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /swab)	95%

Furthermore, the LoD was established using the 1st WHO International Standard for SARS-CoV-2 Antigen (NIBSC 21/368) in real clinical matrix of nasal fluid. Initially, a preliminary LoD test was performed by spiking 50 µL of each diluted sample onto the sample collection swab head in three replicates. Following this, a confirmatory LoD test with 17 additional replicates was conducted at the preliminary LoD concentration, a total of 20 replications. To determine LoD concentration, additional dilutions were investigated bracketing the confirmed LoD concentration, with each dilution level undergoing 20 replications. It was determined that the LoD of the 1st WHO International Standard for SARS-CoV-2 Antigen (NIBSC 21/368) in nasal matrix was confirmed to be 889 IU/mL (44 IU/swab).

# 14. ANALYTICAL REACTIVITY (INCLUSIVITY)

The analytical reactivity test was conducted with the currently available 15 clinical isolates and/or inactivated viral stock strains of SARS-CoV-2 which included most representing variants of Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta, Kappa, and Omicron (See table below).

Lineage/ Variant	Strain	Concentration
Wild	USA-WA1/2020	$4.79\times 10^4 \ TCID_{50}/mL$
B.1.1.7	USA/CA_CDC_5574/2020	$6.77 \times 10^{6}$ genome equivalency/mL
(Alpha)	England/204820464/2020	7.19 × 10 <sup>3</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL
· • /	USA/CA_CDC_5574/2020	$2.39 \times 10^4 \text{ TCID}_{50}/\text{mL}$





	hCoV-19/USA/MD- HP01542/2021	$7.20 \times 10^4$ genome equivalency/mL	
B.1.351 (Beta)	USA/MD-HP01542/2021	$3.80 \times 10^6$ genome equivalency/mL	
	South Africa/KRISP- K005325/2020	$1.90\times 10^4 \ TCID_{50}/mL$	
P.1	Japan/TY7-503/2021	$1.58\times 10^4 \ TCID_{50}/mL$	
(Gamma)	USA/NY-Wadsworth-21033899- 01/2021	$7.85\times 10^3 \ TCID_{50}/mL$	
B.1.617.2	hCoV-19/USA/MD- HP05285/2021	$7.20 \times 10^7$ genome equivalency/mL	
(Delta)	USA/PHC658/2021	$5.21\times 10^2 \ TCID_{50}/mL$	
	USA/MD-HP05285/2021	$5.00 \times 10^3$ genome copies/mL	
B.1.617.1 (Kappa)	USA/CA-Stanford15_S02 /2021	$8.48\times 10^4 \ TCID_{50}/mL$	
B.1.1.529	hCoV-19/USA/MD- HP20874/2021	$1.95\times 10^2 \ TCID_{50}/mL$	
(Omicron)	USA/GA-EHC-2811C/2021	$2.11 \times 10^4$ genome copies/mL	

# 15. ASSAY CROSS-REACTIVITY AND MICROBIAL INTERFERENCE

Cross-reactivity of the Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test was evaluated by 43 potential pathogens of bacteria (10), fungi (1), virus (31), and negative matrix (1) that could potentially cross-react with the Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test. The final concentration of each organism is described in the table below. The microbial interference was also performed with the same panel of microorganisms at the same concentrations in the samples that were spiked with SARS-CoV-2 at 3X LoD. The samples were tested in triplicates for both cross-reactivity and interference studies. No cross-reactivity and no microbial interference were observed. The results for cross-reactivity and microbial interference are presented in the table below.

Pathogen	Concentration Tested	Cross-Reactivity /Microbial Interference
Human Coronavirus, 229E	1.0×105 TCID50/mL	No
Human Coronavirus, OC43	4.5×104 TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Coronavirus, NL63	1.0×105 TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
MERS-CoV, EMC/2012,	1.0×105 TCID50/mL	No
SARS-CoV, Urbani	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> PFU/mL	No
Adenovirus Type 2, C	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID/mL	No
Human Adenovirus 1	1.0×105 TCID50/mL	No
Human Mastadenovirus B, Type 7	1.0×105 TCID50/mL	No
Human Metapneumovirus, TN/83- 1211	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Human Parainfluenza Virus 1, HPIV1/FRA/29221106/2009	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Human Parainfluenza Virus 2, Greer	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID50/mL	No
Human Parainfluenza Virus 3, NIH 47885	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Human Parainfluenza Virus 4B, 19503	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Influenza A Virus/A/New Caledonia/20/1999 (H1N1)	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> CEID50/mL	No
Influenza A Virus/A/San Diego/1/ 2009 (H1N1) pdm09	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID50/mL	No
Influenza A Virus/A/Victoria/361/ 2011 (H3N2)	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> CEID50/mL	No

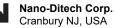
Influenza A Virus/A/Wisconsin/67/ 2005 (H3N2)	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> CEID50/mL	No
Influenza B Virus/B/Brisbane/60/ 2008 (Victoria Lineage)	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> CEID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Influenza B Virus/B/Texas/06/2011 (Yamagata Lineage)	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> CEID50/mL	No
Influenza B Virus/B/GL/1739/54	1.0×105 CEID50/mL	No
Enterovirus 71 (EV-71), MP4	1.0×105 TCID50/mL	No
Enterovirus Species D Type 68, USA/2018-23087	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Human Respiratory Syncytial Virus A/Long	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> PFU/mL	No
Human Respiratory Syncytial Virus A/2001/2-20	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Human Respiratory Syncytial Virus B/PR-348-00 MISC082	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Human Respiratory Syncytial Virus A/1998/12-21	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Rhinovirus 20, 15-CV19	1.0×105 TCID50/mL	No
Measles Virus, Edmonston	1.7×104 TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Mumps Virus, MuV/Iowa.US/2006,	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> /mL	No
Coxsackie Virus B4	1×105 U/mL TCID50	No
Epstein-Barr (Strain: B95-8)	1.0×10 <sup>5</sup> cp/mL	No
Haemophilus influenzae, (Type b; Eagan)	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU/mL	No
Streptococcus pneumoniae, (Strain Z022, 19F)	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU/mL	No
Streptococcus pyogenes Strain Bruno	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU/mL	No
Streptococcus salivarius	1.0×106 CFU/mL	No
Candida albiccans, Z006	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU /mL	No
Bordetella pertussis	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU /mL	No
Mycoplasma pneumoniae	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU /mL	No
Chlamydophila pneumoniae	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> IFU/mL	No
Legionella pneumophila subsp. pneumophila	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU /mL	No
Staphylococcus aureus, (Strain MRSA; COL)	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU/mL	No
Staphylococcus epidermidis, (Strain MRSE; RP62A)	1.0×10 <sup>6</sup> CFU/mL	No
Pooled human nasal wash	N/A	No

availability. 20 specimens containing Coronavirus HKU1 were tested and all resulted as negative, additional cross-reactivity wet testing was not required.

# **16. ENDOGENOUS INTERFERENCE**

To assess endogenous interference with the performance of the Nano-Check<sup>TM</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test, positive and negative samples were tested with potentially interfering substances that may be found in the upper respiratory tract. This study was performed to demonstrate that sixteen (30) potentially interfering substances do not cross-react nor interfere with the detection of SARS-CoV-2 in Nano-Check<sup>TM</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test.

Interfering Substances	Active ingredients	Concentration tested	Interference (Yes/No)
Beclomethasone dipropionate	Beclomethasone dipropionate	$5.04{ imes}10^{0}\mu\text{g/mL}$	No
Budesonide Nasal Spray	Budesonide	15% v/v	No
Dexamethasone	Dexamethasone	$1.20 \times 10^1  \mu g/mL$	No



Flunisolide	Flunisolide	8.70×10 <sup>1</sup> μg/mL	No
			No
Hand Santizer Gel Hand Soap Fresh	Ethyl alcohol 70%	1% v/v	
Breeze Scent	N/A	10% v/v	No
Histaminum 30C	Histaminum hydrochloricum, HPUS	5% w/v	No
Homeopathic Allergy Nasal Spray	N/A	15% v/v	No
Molnupiravir	Molnupiravir	$4.20{\times}10^4\mu\text{g/mL}$	No
Mucin (Bovine submaxillary Glands, Type I-S)	Mucin protein	2.5 mg/mL	No
Mupirocin	Mupirocin	$1.50{ imes}10^{0}\mu\text{g/mL}$	No
Nasacort Allergy 24HR	Triamcinolone acetonide	15% v/v	No
Nasal Allergy Relief	Cardiospermun Galphimia glauca Luffa operculate Sabadilla	15% v/v	No
Nasal Drops	Xylometazoline	15% v/v	No
Nasal Spray 1	Oxymetazoline	15% v/v	No
Nasal Spray 2	Cromolyn sodium	15% v/v	No
Nasal Spray 3	Fluticasone propionate	15% v/v	No
Nasal Spray 4	Phenylephrine HCl	15% v/v	No
NasoGEL (Gel Spray)	Sodium Hyaluronate, Allantoin, Sodium chloride, Methylparaben, Propylparaben	15% v/v	No
Nasonex 24 hr Allergy	Mometasone furoate monohydrate	15% v/v	No
Oseltamivir Phosphate	Oseltamivir Phosphate	$3.99 \times 10^{-1}  \mu g/mL$	No
Human Neutrophils	N/A	5×10 <sup>6</sup> cells/mL	No
Remdesivir	Remdesivir	2.40×10 <sup>3</sup> µg/mL	No
Sore Throat (Oral Pain Reliever spay)	Phenol, Menthol	15% v/v	No
Sore throat Lozenges	Benzocaine, Menthol	15% w/v	No
Tobramycin	Tobramycin	$3.30 \times 10^1  \mu g/mL$	No
Whole Blood	N/A	2.5%	No
ZICAM <sup>®</sup> Oral mist	Zincum aceticum, Zincum gluconicum	15% v/v	No
Zinc Lozenges	Zincum gluconicum	5% w/v	No
Biotin	N/A	3500 ng/mL	No

# 17. HIGH-DOSE HOOK EFFECT

The Nano-Check<sup>TM</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test was tested up to 2.8 x 106 TCID<sub>50</sub>/mL of gamma-irradiated SARS-CoV-2 and no high-dose hook effect was observed.

# **18. REPRODUCIBILITY**

A Reproducibility study was conducted to determine the performance of the Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test using a contrived sample panel consisting of a true negative (TN), a high negative sample (HN, 0.1x LoD), a low positive (LP, 1.0 x LoD) and a medium positive (MP, 3.0x LoD), tested over 5 non-consecutive days, by untrained operators, in intended use settings. Contrived samples were prepared using negative clinical matrix pooled nasal wash solution, confirmed COVID-19 negative by a SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR system, by spiking with gamma irradiation inactivated SARS-CoV-2 whole virus (isolate 2019-nCoV/USA-WA1/2020). The

inactivated SARV-CoV-2 was diluted to  $3.0 \times \text{LoD}$ ,  $1.0 \times \text{LoD}$  or  $0.1 \times \text{LoD}$  concentrations, and 50 uL of each diluted test sample was applied directly onto sample collection swab head. True negative swab samples were prepared by applying 50 uL of negative pooled nasal wash directly to sample collection swab head.

The prepared contrived swabs were randomized and blindly distributed to each operator at 3 discrete Point-of-Care sites (POC) and an internal site, and then tested with 3 lots of Nano-Check<sup>™</sup> COVID-19 Antigen Test per operator. A total of 7 assigned operators at 3 POC sites and 3 operators in the internal site each tested using 60 coded samples (TN: 15, HN: 15, LP: 15, and MP: 15 samples, respectively). The results of this study showed that percent agreement from all 10 operators was 100 % for True Negative, High Negative, and Medium Positive samples, and 98% for Low Positive samples.

	No of	Positive Resu	llt/No of Tota	l Tested (% F	Positive Ra	te)
Sample	Site 1 (3	Site 2	Site 3	Site 4	Total	95% CI
	operators)	(2 operators)	(2 operators)	(3 operators)	Totai	95% CI
True	0/45	0/30	0/30	0/45	0/150	0.0-2.5
Negative	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	0.0-2.5
High	0/45	0/30	0/30	0/45	0/150	0.0-2.5
Negative	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	(0%)	0.0-2.3
Low	42/45	30/30	30/30	45/45	147/150	94.3-
Positive	(93.3%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(98%)	99.3
Medium	45/45	30/30	30/30	45/45	150/150	97.5-
Positive	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	(100%)	100.0

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