

STANDARD F

Chikungunya IgM/IgG FIA

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PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE YOU PERFORM THE TEST



EXPLANATION AND SUMMARY

[Introduction]

Chikungunya is the arboviral disease caused by Chikungunya virus. Chikungunya virus is a genus of alpha virus and is transmitted by Aedes mosquitoes especially Aedes albopictus and Aedes aegypti are the presumed vector. Chikungunya disease does not often result in death, but the symptoms can be severe and disabling. The common symptoms of Chikungunya are fever, rash, arthralgia, and joint pain. Since some of these clinical symptoms are similar to symptoms of Dengue, Chikungunya can be misdiagnosed as Dengue in the common Dengue outbreak areas. In this state, STANDARD F Chikungunya IgM/IgG FIA provides significantly fast and easy system to identify Chikungunya infection and enables supportive definite diagnosis of Chikungunya.

[Intended use]

STANDARD F Chikungunya IgM/IgG FIA is a fluorescence immunoassay for the detection of IgM/IgG antibodies against Chikungunya virus in human serum, plasma, or whole blood samples. This test kit is for *in vitro* use only. This is intended for professional use only for an initial screening test. Test results of this kit have to analyze with appropriate analyzer, STANDARD F Analyzer, manufactured by SD BIOSENSOR.

[Test principle]

STANDARD F Chikungunya IgM/IgG FIA has "M", "G" test lines and "C" control line. Monoclonal anti-human IgM and monoclonal anti-human IgG are immobilized at two individual test lines respectively (M, G line) on the nitrocellulose membrane. Inactivated Chikungunya virus in the antigen pad and europium conjugated monoclonal anti-Chikungunya Env in the conjugation pad release by adding assay diluents and react with anti-Chikungunya IgM or IgG in patient sample. If human anti-Chikungunya IgM or IgG exist in patient serum, complexes with anti-human IgM/IgG on the test lines, human IgM/IgG in patient sample, inactivated Chikungunya virus, and anti-Chikungunya Env-Ep make fluorescence signal. The intensity of the fluorescence light generated on the membrane is scanned by the STANDARD F Analyzer manufactured by SD BIOSENSOR. STANDARD F Analyzer can analyze the presence of the analyte in the clinical specimen by processing the results using pre-programmed algorithms and display the test result on the screen.

[Kit contents]

- ① Test Device ② Assay diluent ③ STANDARD™ Ezi tube+ (10µl) ④ Instructions for use

[Materials required but not provided]

- STANDARD F Analyzer

KIT STORAGE AND STABILITY

Store the kit at 2-30°C/36-86°F, out of direct sunlight. Kit materials are stable until expiration date printed on the outer box. Do not freeze the kit.

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- Do not re-use the test kit.
- Use the STANDARD F Chikungunya IgM/IgG FIA at 15-32°C / 59-90°F and 10-90%RH.
- Do not use the kit if the pouch is damaged or the seal is broken.
- Do not smoke, drink or eat while handling specimen.
- Wear personal protective equipment, such as gloves and lab coats when handling kit reagents. Wash hands thoroughly after you experiment.
- Clean up spills thoroughly using an appropriate disinfectant.
- Handle all specimens as if they contain infectious agents.
- Observe established precautions against microbiological hazards throughout testing procedures.
- Dispose of all specimens and materials used to perform the test as bio-hazard waste. Laboratory chemical and biohazard wastes must be handled and discarded in accordance with all local, state, and national regulations.
- The bar code of the test device is used by analyzer to identify the type of test being run and to identify the individual test device so as to prevent to a second read of the test device by the same analyzer.
- Immediately use the test device after taking out of a foil pouch.
- As the detection reagent is a fluorescent compound, no visible results will form on the test device. The STANDARD F Analyzers authorized by SD BIOSENSOR must be used for result interpretation.
- Improper specimen collection, handling or transport may yield inaccurate results.
- Do not write on the bar code or damage the bar code of the test device.

SPECIMEN COLLECTION AND PREPARATION

[Serum]

- Collect the whole blood into the commercially available plain tube, NOT containing anti-coagulants such as heparin, EDTA or sodium citrate, by venipuncture and leave to settle for 30 minutes for blood coagulation and then centrifuge blood to get serum specimen of supernatant.
- If serum in the plain tube is stored in a refrigerator at 2-8°C/36-46°F, the specimen can be used for testing within 1 week after collection. Using the specimen in the long-term keeping more than 1 week can cause non-specific reaction. For prolonged storage, it should be at below -40°C/-40°F.
- They should be brought to room temperature prior to use.

[Plasma]

- Collect the venous blood into the commercially available anti-coagulant tube such as heparin, EDTA or sodium citrate by venipuncture and centrifuge blood to get plasma specimen of supernatant.
- If plasma in an anti-coagulant tube is stored in a refrigerator at 2-8°C/36-46°F, the specimen can be used for testing within 1 week after collection. Using the specimen in the long-term keeping more than 1 week can cause non-specific reaction. For prolonged storage, it should be at below -40°C/-40°F.
- They should be brought to room temperature prior to use.

[Whole blood]

• Capillary whole blood

- Capillary whole blood should be collected aseptically by fingertip.
- Clean the area to be lanced with an alcohol swab.
- Squeeze the end of the fingertip and pierce with a sterile lancet.
- Collect the capillary whole blood to the black line of the STANDARD Ezi tube+ for the testing.
- The capillary whole blood must be tested immediately after collection.

• Venous Whole blood

- Collect the venous whole blood into the commercially available anti-coagulant tube such as heparin, EDTA or sodium citrate by venipuncture.
- If venous whole blood in an anti-coagulant tube is stored in a refrigerator at 2-8°C/36-46°F, the specimen can be used for testing within 1-2 days after collection.
- Do not use hemolyzed blood samples.

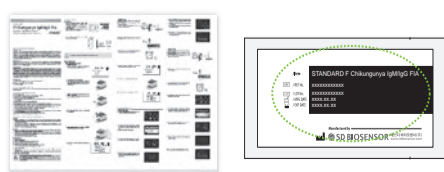
CAUTION

- Anticoagulants such as heparin, EDTA or sodim citrate do not affect the test result.
- As known relevant interference, hemolytic sample, rheumatoid factors-contained sample and lipaemic, icteric sample can lead to impair the test results.
- Use separate disposable materials for each sample in order to avoid cross-contamination which can cause erroneous results.

TEST PROCEDURE

[Preparation]

- Allow kit components and collected sample to room temperature (15-30°C/59-86°F) a minimum of 30 minutes prior to testing.
- Carefully read instructions for using the STANDARD F Chikungunya IgM/IgG FIA.
- Check the expiry date at the back of the foil pouch. Use another lot, if expiry date has passed.



- Open the foil pouch, and check the test device and the silica gel pack in the foil pouch.



CAUTION

If there is no violet colored Check Band on membrane of test device, do not use it.

CAUTION

- Do not write on the bar code or damage the bar code of the test device.

[Analysis of sample]

• Using a 'STANDARD TEST' mode

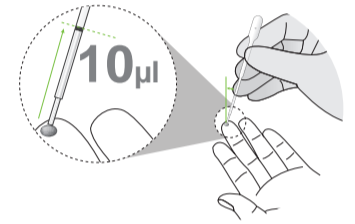
- Applied STANDARD F100, F200 and F2400 analyzer

- Prepare a STANDARD F Analyzer and select the 'Standard Test' mode according to the analyzer's manual. In case of STANDARD F2400 analyzer, go to the 'Workplace' in the main screen. And select the 'Run Test'
- In case of STANDARD F200 and F2400 analyzer, input patient ID and/or operator ID on the analyzer.
- Take the test device out of the foil pouch.

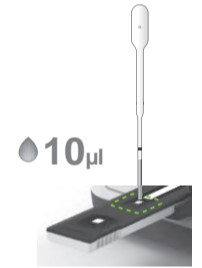
- Insert the test device to the test slot of the analyzer. When inserting the test device to the analyzer, the analyzer will read the barcode data, and check the test device is valid.



- Collect the 10µl of serum/plasma/whole blood to the black line of the STANDARD Ezi Tube+.



- Add the collected serum/plasma/whole blood to the sample well of the test device.



- Add 3 drops of assay diluent into the assay diluent well of the test device.



- After applying the sample, immediately press the 'TEST START' button.



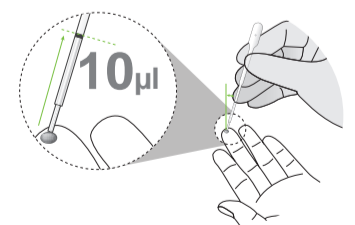
- The analyzer will automatically display the test result within 15 minutes.



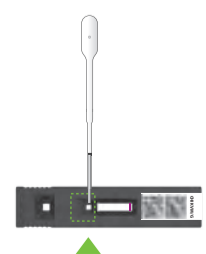
• Using a 'READ ONLY' mode

- Applied STANDARD F100 and F200 analyzer

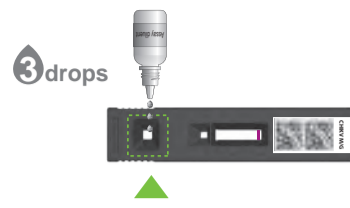
- Take the test device out of the foil pouch and place it on a flat and dry surface. Write a sample information on the label of test device.
- Collect the 10µl of serum/plasma/whole blood to the black line of an STANDARD Ezi Tube+.



- Add the collected serum/plasma/whole blood to the sample well of the test device.



- Add 3 drops of assay diluent into the assay diluent well of the test device.



- Incubate the test device for 15 minutes outside of the analyzer. Incubation must not be more than 20 minutes.



- Prepare the STANDARD F analyzer and set the 'READ ONLY' mode following the instructions in the manual.

- Insert the test device to the test slot of the analyzer. When inserting the test device to the analyzer, the analyzer will automatically scan and display the test results.



INTERPRETATION OF TEST RESULTS

Result	COI (Cutoff index) value	Interpretation
Positive	COI ≥ 1.0	Positive for Chikungunya IgM/IgG antibody
Negative	COI < 1.0	Negative for Chikungunya IgM/IgG antibody
Invalid	Not show the COI value	Retest should be performed

CAUTION Results should be considered in conjunction with the clinical history and other data available to the physician.

NOTE The analyzer's test result of a sample is given either as Positive(+)/Pos(+) or Negative(-)/Neg(-) with a COI (cutoff index) value. Cut-off index (COI) is based on the ratio of assay signal to cut-off value.

QUALITY CONTROL

[Internal procedural control]

- The internal procedural control zone is on the membrane of the test device. STANDARD F Analyzers read the fluorescence signal of the internal procedural control zone and decide whether the result is valid or invalid.
- The invalid result denotes that the fluorescence signal is not within the pre-set range. If the screen of STANDARD F Analyzer shows 'Invalid Device', turn off and turn on of the analyzer again and re-test with a new test device.

LIMITATION OF TEST

- The contents of this kit are to be used the qualitative detection of anti-Chikungunya IgM/IgG from blood specimens of the symptomatic patients.
- Failure to follow the test procedure or improper sample collection may adversely affect test performance or invalidate the test result.
- For more accuracy of immune status, additional follow-up testing using other laboratory methods is recommended.
- A negative test result may occur if the level of antigen in a sample is below the detection limit of the test or if the sample was collected, transported, or stored improperly.
- Negative test results do not rule out possible other infections.
- Positive test results do not rule out co-infection with other pathogens.

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