QuickFISH® Fixation Kit - BC

QuickFISH Fixation Kit for Blood Cultures

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Contents

The reagents and slides included in the QuickFISH BC Fixation Kit are for use with the QuickFISH BC culture identification kits according to the instructions outlined in the respective package inserts.

Reagents

QuickFISH BC Fixation Kit
Each kit contains sufficient material for 50 tests. Reagents are supplied ready for use. The expiration date of the kit is as indicated on the outer box label.

QuickFISH Slide
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50 QuickFISH slides with controls.

QuickFix-1
QuickFix-1
Primary fixation solution.

QuickFix-2
QuickFix-2
Secondary fixation solution.

Warnings and Precautions

Safety Precautions

QuickFix-1
Contains 24% ethanol
Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Safety Data Sheet is available upon request. Available in the QuickFISH Fixation Kit.

QuickFix-2
Danger
Contains 97% methanol
Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Toxic if swallowed. Tonic in contact with skin. Toxic if inhaled. Causes damage to the central nervous system. Safety Data Sheet is available upon request. Available in the QuickFISH Fixation Kit.

Do not eat, drink, smoke, apply cosmetics, store or prepare foods within the designated work area.

Dispose of reagents in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

Technical Precautions

Reagents must not be used after the expiration dates printed on the labels.

Reagents are provided at fixed concentrations. Assay performance may be affected if the reagents are modified in any way or are not stored under the recommended conditions as detailed in “Storage of Kit Components”.

Avoid microbial contamination of reagents.

Avoid any cross-contamination of samples and reagents, as this may give rise to erroneous results.

Do not allow dropper bottle tip to touch the smear as this may cause cross contamination of material between slides, or cause contamination of the reagent.

Storage and Preparation of Kit Components

To ensure optimal kit performance, it is important that kit components are stored according to the following instructions:

Store kit components at 2-8°C. Store bottles upright and tighten caps after use. Place kit components at room temperature prior to use and return the kit components to 2-8°C after use.

QuickFISH slides are provided in individually sealed pouches with nitrogen and a desiccant. Store slides at 2-8°C. Slides must be used immediately after breaking pouch seal. Do not use slides after the expiration date.

Definitions

Technical Advice and Customer Service

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