IndiMag Pathogen Kit Quick Start Protocol

For use with the IndiMag[®] 48

The IndiMag Pathogen Kit (cat. no. SP947457) and the IndiMag Pathogen Kit w/o plastics (cat. no. SP947257) can be stored at room temperature (15-25°C). For expiry date information, read the label on the kit box.

Further information and support

- IndiMag Pathogen Kit or IndiMag Pathogen Kit w/o plastics Handbook:
 www.indical.com/handbooks
- Technical assistance: support@indical.com

Important notes before starting

- Read the safety information in the instrument user manual before use.
- Dissolve carrier RNA in Buffer AVE as indicated on the tube.
- Add isopropanol (100%) to Buffer ACB and ethanol (96-100%) to Buffers AW1 and AW2 before use. See the respective bottle labels for volumes.
- Vortex MagAttract Suspension G for 3 minutes and ensure that it is fully resuspended.
- Equilibrate buffers to room temperature (15-25°C).

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Procedure

1. Label and prepare 4/32/96 well plates (columns 2-4) according to Table 1.

Column		Item to add	Volume per well	
1	Lysate	Lysate*	720 µl	
2	Wash 1	Buffer AW1	700 µl	
3	Wash 2	Buffer AW2	700 µl	
4	Elution	Buffer AVE	100 µl	

Table 1: Instrument setup and reagent volumes





96 well plate (24 samples)

32 well plate (8 samples)



2. Prepare Buffer VXL mixture according to Table 2.

Table 2: Buffer VXL	mixture prepara	tion
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Reagent	1 reaction	8 reactions	24 reactions	48 reactions
Buffer VXL	100 µl	800 µl	2.4 ml	4.8 ml
Buffer ACB	400 µl	3.2 ml	9.6 ml	19.2 ml
MagAttract Suspension G	25 µl	200 µl	0.6 ml	1.2 ml
Carrier RNA (1 µg/µl)	1 µl	8 µl	24 µl	48 µl

* Prepared volumes are 105% of required volumes to compensate for pipetting errors and possible evaporation. Excess buffer should be discarded.

3. Pipet 20 µl Proteinase K into the bottom of the first column and add 200 µl sample according to Table 1.

Note: If your sample volume is less than 200 µl, bring it to 200 µl by adding PBS.

- 4. Mix Buffer VXL mixture thoroughly for 30 s and add 500 μl Buffer VXL mixture to each sample in deep well plate.
- 5. Immediately load prepared plates onto the IndiMag 48, load magnet rod cover strips on correct position and start the appropriate protocol.