

# ULTRA

# COVID-19 Ag

## ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test

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ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test is a rapid immunochromatographic assay for the qualitative detection of specific antigens to SARS-CoV-2 present in human nasopharynx.

## Benefits

- SARS-CoV-2 nucleocapsid protein detection
- Testing time 15 – 30 minutes
- 93.47% sensitivity, 100% specificity
- 25 tests per kits
- 24 months shelf-life
- 2-30°C storage temperature

Test date: 2022.01.19

## ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test can detect SARS-CoV-2 variants

ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test is not affected by

Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta, Kappa, Epsilon, Iota, Lambda, Zeta, Mu, Omicron, SARS-CoV-2 variants

There was no effect on sensitivity as a result of evaluation for 42 strains of SARS-CoV-2 variants.

### 1. In-silico analysis of 42 variants result (experimentation performed by computer)

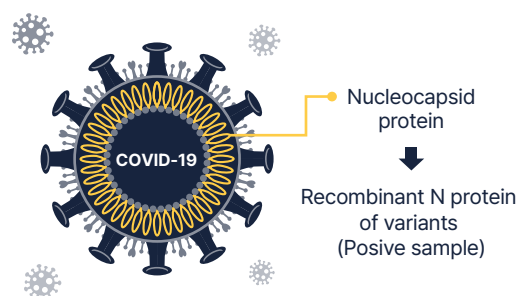
#	Pango lineage	GenBank Accession ID	Dominant Mutation site (amino acid number)	Result (P or N)	#	Pango lineage	GenBank Accession ID	Dominant Mutation site (amino acid number)	Result (P or N)
2-1	B	402125	N/A (as standard)	N	2-23	P.3	1213573	203, 204	N
2-2	A.23.1	925892	202	N	2-24	B.1.617.1	1789542	203, 377, 385	N
2-3	AT.1	2385327	67, 203, 204	N			1620161	3, 203, 377	N
2-4	AT.1	1259283	203, 204	N			1545312	203, 204	N
2-5	B.1.1.7	835226	3, 203, 204, 235	N			1823120	203, 236, 377	N
2-6	B.1.351	660190	203	N			1904467	3, 13, 203, 243, 377	N
2-7	B.1.427	1060793	203	N			1660436	3, 63, 203, 377	N
2-8	B.1.429	1771435	205, 206	N			1913208	30, 203, 377	N
2-9	B.1.429	1184304	203	N			1969991	203, 310, 377	P
2-10	B.1.525	2432918	2, 12, 203	N			1970310	63, 203, 377, 385	N
2-11	B.1.526.1	2204920	205, 206	N			1660458	63, 203, 377	N
2-12	B.1.526.2	1080752	13, 203	N			1807318	63, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 377, 385	N
2-13	B.1.526	1227165	199, 234	N			1913205	63, 203, 215, 377	N
2-14	B.1.616	1239370	325	P			3244751	63, 203, 215, 377	N
2-15	B.1.617.1	1360308	203, 204	N			3244751	63, 203, 215, 377	N
2-16	B.1.617.2	1508996	63, 203	N			3244751	63, 203, 377	N
2-17	B.1.617.3	1704494	67	N			3244751	63, 203, 215, 377	N
2-18	B.1.621	1582980	203, 204, 212	N			3477571	205	N
2-19	C.37	1938140	203, 204, 212	N			2695610	13, 204, 384, 203	N
2-20	C.37	1111296	13, 203, 204, 214, 366	N			6640917	13, 31(deletion), 32(deletion), 33(deletion), 203, 204	N
2-21	P.1	792680	80, 203, 204	N					
2-22	P.2	1182578	119, 203, 204, 234	N					

\* N: A change in performance is unlikely (Result of in-silico analysis-Mutation site is not located in the epitope region.)  
P: There is a possibility of a change in performance (Result of in-silico analysis-Mutation site is located in the epitope region.)

Result: 2 out of 42 variants were "P", affecting performance

### 2. Recombinant protein spiked specimen

Since ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test targets nucleocapsid protein(N protein), recombinant N protein of variants were synthesized and used as positive specimen.

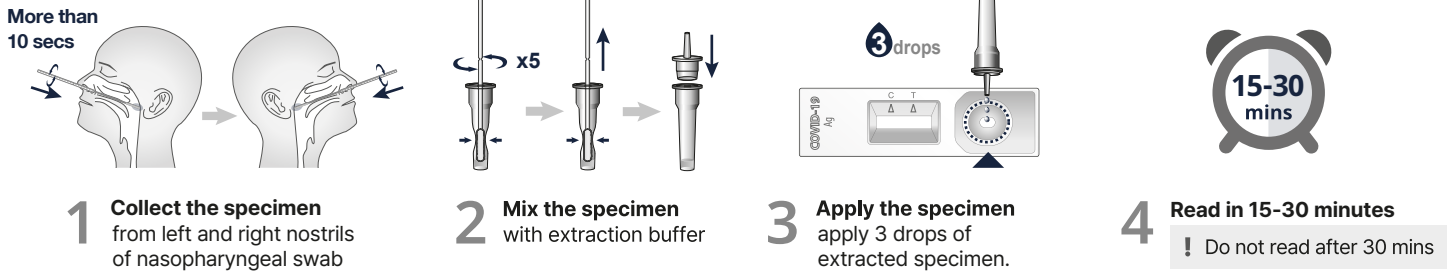


Result: No performance affect for the ALL variants

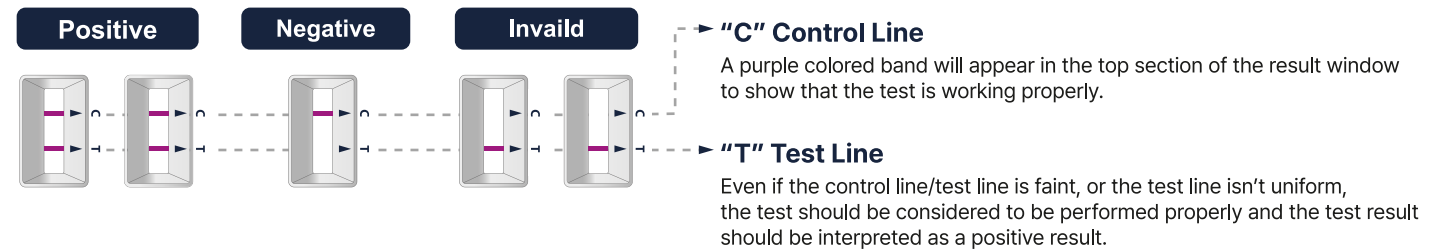
As a result of in-silico analysis of 42 variants, the mutation sites of 2 variants corresponded to the epitope region. However, it was confirmed that the 2 variants did not affect the sensitivity of ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test through the test for analytical sensitivity. (Recombinant protein spiked specimen test)

source: Internal evaluation

## Test Procedure



## Interpretation of Test Results



- Positive results should be considered in conjunction with the clinical history and other data available.
- Symptomatic individuals who test negative with this test kit should be definitely tested sequentially by RT-PCR to rule out COVID-19 infection.

## Performance Characteristics

### Limit of Detection (LoD)

- ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test uses new raw materials to improve performance
- ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test outperforms other COVID-19 antigen rapid tests at least **8x better**
- The LoD of ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test is **6.17x10 TCID<sub>50</sub>/ml (RNA Copies 3,604)**

SARS-CoV-2 variant	LoD Titer (TCID <sub>50</sub> /ml)	RNA copies/reaction
Cultured virus SARS-CoV-2 (2019-nCoV) NCCP 43326/2020/Korea	6.17x10	3,604

### Clinical evaluation

- Single site, prospective, randomized, single blinded study conducted in India
- Total 540 nasopharyngeal swab specimen were tested
- ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test shows **93.47% sensitivity** and **100% specificity**

Sensitivity & Specificity of the ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test compared to RT-PCR

Reference Test		RT-PCR		
		Positive	Negative	Total
ULTRA COVID-19 Ag Test	Positive	43	0	43
	Negative	3	494	497
	Total	46	494	540
Sensitivity		93.47% (43/46) [95% CI: 82.10% - 98.63%]		
Specificity		100% (494/494) [95% CI: 99.26% - 100%]		

Performance according to days of symptom onset

Based on days of symptom onset	Sensitivity	Specificity
0-3 days	100% (19/19) [95% CI: 82.35%-100%]	100% (17/17) [95% CI: 80.49%-100%]
4-7 days	100% (14/14) [95% CI: 76.84%-100%]	100% (31/31) [95% CI: 76.84%-100%]
> 7 days	81.8% (9/11) [95% CI: 48.22%-97.72%]	83.33% (10/12) [95% CI: 51.59%-97.91%]
Asymptomatic	100% (1/1) [95% CI: 2.50%-100%]	99.77% (434/435) [95% CI: 98.73%-99.99%]

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