Virus Specimen Transport and Storage Monitoring

Time and Temperature Indicators Ensure Confidence in Test Results

The PDC Timestrip® Virus Specimen (VST) series provides a quality control resolution for proper transport and storage of clinical virus specimens to comply with required FDA and WHO monitoring guidelines.

These compact indicators provide a simple and reliable way to follow a virology testing kit's environmental conditions to provide a distinct indication if regulated limitations are breached.

Together, these products are an essential tool for hospitals and medical laboratories to correctly store and transport virus specimens to preserve their integrity and ensure meaningful test results.



Simple to use: Activate, Peel, Adhere



What makes Timestrip® VST unique?

- Allows everyone along the cold chain to quickly check the status of the shipment
- Created to adhere to WHO guidance on specimen transport
- Cost effective, irreversible single use indicator
- Unique serial number for optimal tracing





timestrip 000000000000000000000000000000000000	0°C/32°F	©timestrip' 000000000000000000000000000000000000	Timestrip 000000000000000000000000000000000000
TIMESTRIP® VST TTI	TIMESTRIP® VST 0°C	TIMESTRIP® VST 53°C	TIMESTRIP® VST FRIDGE COMBO
Item Number VST-TTI Integrates the time and temperature history of a virus specimen to indicate its accumulated effect on a virus specimen during transport and storage.	Detect thawing events during the shipment and storage of frozen virus specimens.	Monitor the exposure of virology specimens to extreme heat in transport and storage.	A combined indicator of time since collection and temperature breach during virus specimen transport and storage.
Integrates thermal response.	0°C / 32°F	53°C / 127°F	Temperature breach 8°C / 46°F and 72 hours.
This unique, visual indicator offers a clear indication of temperature abuse, as well as the cumulative time of abuse that affects the virus in the specimen. The VST TTI provides a visual indication that the specimen stability may be impacted.	Global regulations require the transport of specimens to the lab soon after collection or within 72 hours if placed in chilled conditions. Where there is likely to be a delay, it is advised to freeze specimens. This smart label records if frozen virology specimens have been thawed during or after transportation.	Although viruses are highly stable at chilled temperatures, it was reported that when exposed to temperatures above 50-55°C Coronavirus specimens become non-infectious within hours. Timestrip VST 53°C monitors the required extreme hot temperature limitations.	Global regulations require use of a temperature-controlled transport system to maintain sample viability for testing. This exclusive combined solution has a unique indicator to measure the lapse of time since virus samples were collected, as well as a temperature breach element to indicate if samples are no longer in fridge conditions.

Contact us today for information and **FREE** samples.

Call **800-435-4242** | **pdchealthcare**.com