

# Certificate

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Product Classification:  
Produktklassifizierung

**In Vitro Diagnostic Medical Devices**

In-vitro-Diagnostikum (IVD) Medizinprodukte

Category:  
Kategorie

**Common/ Other IVD**

Sonstige IVD-Produkte

Conformity assessment procedure:  
Konformitätsbewertungsverfahren:

**EC DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY  
(Annex III, except point 6, Directive 98/79/EC)  
in connection with article 110(3) IVDR**

**EU- KONFORMITÄTserklärung**

(Anhang III, außer Nummer 6, Richtlinie 98/79 / EG)  
in Verbindung mit Artikel 110 (3) IVDR

State Competent Authority:  
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DMIDS (German Medical Device Information and Database System)

**BfArM** Das Bundesinstitut für Arzneimittel und Medizinprodukte DMIDS  
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#	Nomenclature term Nomenklaturbezeichnung	Catalog No. Katalog-Nr.	Name of device Produktbezeichnung	DMIDS Registration number Registriernummer
1.	ASPERGILLUS	K021	GalMAg EIA	DE/CA64/00115824
2.	HSV IgG	K104	HSV 1/2 IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115826
3.	HSV IgM	K104M	HSV 1, 2 IgM EIA	DE/CA64/00115833
4.	HSV 2 IgG	K104B	HSV 2 IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115836
5.	MYCOPLASMA ANTIBODY ASSAYS	K106	Mycoplasma IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115837
6.	SYPHILIS ANTIBODY ASSAYS TOTAL	K111	anti-Treponema pallidum EIA	DE/CA64/00115839
7.	SYPHILIS ANTIBODY IGG	K111G	Treponema pallidum IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115840
8.	H. PYLORI ANTIBODY ASSAYS	K119G	Helicobacter pylori IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115850
9.	OTHER OTHER BACTERIOLOGY IMMUNOASSAY	K126	Ureaplasma IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115851
10.	THYROID PEROXIDASE (INCL. MICROSOMAL) ANTIBODIES	K131	aTPO EIA	DE/CA64/00115852
11.	THYROGLOBULIN AUTOANTIBODIES	K132	aTG EIA	DE/CA64/00115853
12.	MPO ANCA	K133	aMPO EIA	DE/CA64/00115854
13.	TISSUE TRANSGLUTAMINASE ANTIBODIES	K160 K161	anti-TGlu IgG EIA anti-TGlu IgA EIA	DE/CA64/00115855
14.	GIARDIA LAMBLIA	K171	anti-Giardia lamblia EIA	DE/CA64/00115856
15.	OTHER PARASITOLOGY	K174	Ascaris IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115857
16.	ECHINOCOCCUS	K175	Echinococcus IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115858
17.	DISTOMATOSIS	K176	Opisthorchis IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115859
18.	GLIADIN ANTIBODIES	K180 K181	Gliadin IgG EIA Gliadin IgA EIA	DE/CA64/00115860
19.	IMMUNOGLOBULIN E - TOTAL	K200	Total IgE EIA	DE/CA64/00115861
20.	THYROID STIMULATING HORMONE	K201	TSH EIA	DE/CA64/00115863
21.	LUTEINISING HORMONE	K202	LH EIA	DE/CA64/00115864
22.	FOLLICLE STIMULATING HORMONE	K203	FSH EIA	DE/CA64/00115865
23.	HUMAN GROWTH HORMONE	K204	GH EIA	DE/CA64/00115866
24.	HUMAN CHORIONIC GONADOTROPIN TOTAL	K205	hCG EIA	DE/CA64/00115867
25.	PROLACTIN	K206	Prolactin EIA	DE/CA64/00115868

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26.	PROGESTERONE	K207	Progesterone EIA	DE/CA64/00115869
27.	ESTRADIOL	K208	Estradiol EIA	DE/CA64/00115870
28.	TESTOSTERONE (WITH DEHYDRO AND FREE TESTOSTERONE)	K209	Testosterone EIA	DE/CA64/00115871
29.	CORTISOL	K210	Cortisol EIA	DE/CA64/00115872
30.	TRIIODOTHYRONINE	K211	T3 EIA	DE/CA64/00115873
31.	THYROXINE	K212	T4 EIA	DE/CA64/00115874
32.	FREE TRIIODOTHYRONINE	K213	ft3 EIA	DE/CA64/00115875
33.	FREE THYROXINE	K214	ft4 EIA	DE/CA64/00115876
34.	DEHYDRO-EPIANDROSTERONE SULPHATE (INCL. DHEA)	K215	DHEAS EIA	DE/CA64/00115877
35.	17 OH PROGESTERONE	K217	17-OH-progesterone EIA	DE/CA64/00115878
36.	ESTRIOL	K218	free Estriol EIA	DE/CA64/00115880
37.	TESTOSTERONE (WITH DEHYDRO AND FREE TESTOSTERONE)	K219	free Testosterone EIA	DE/CA64/00115881
38.	CANCER ANTIGEN 125	K222	CA 125 EIA	DE/CA64/00115882
39.	CANCER ANTIGEN 19-9	K223	CA 19-9 EIA	DE/CA64/00115883
40.	CARCINOEMBRYONIC ANTIGEN	K224	CEA EIA	DE/CA64/00115884
41.	ALPHAFETOPROTEIN	K225	AFP EIA	DE/CA64/00115885
42.	CANCER ANTIGEN 15-3	K226	CA 15-3 (M12) EIA	DE/CA64/00115886
43.	OTHER OTHER TUMOUR MARKERS	K232	Thyroglobulin EIA	DE/CA64/00115887
44.	β HUMAN CHORIONIC GONADOTROPIN (INCL. SUBUNIT)	K235	free β-HCG EIA	DE/CA64/00115888
45.	CYFRA 21-1	K236	CYFRA 21-1 EIA	DE/CA64/00115889
46.	SQUAMOUS CELL CARCINOMA ANTIGEN	K237	SCC (A) EIA	DE/CA64/00115890
47.	PREGNANCY ASSOCIATED PLASMA PROTEIN - A (DOWNS)	K238	PAPP-A EIA	DE/CA64/00115892
48.	OTHER OTHER TUMOUR MARKERS	K239	HE4 EIA	DE/CA64/00115893
49.	CANCER ANTIGEN 242	K243	CA242 EIA	DE/CA64/00115894
50.	OTHER PREGNANCY TESTING HORMONES	K245	AMH EIA	DE/CA64/00115896

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51.	HUMAN PLACENTAL LACTOGEN HPL	K246	Placental lactogen EIA	DE/CA64/00115897
52.	C-REACTIVE PROTEIN	K250	CRP EIA	DE/CA64/00115898
53.	C-PEPTIDE	K267C	C-peptide EIA	DE/CA64/00115900
54.	INSULIN	K267N	Insulin EIA	DE/CA64/00115901
55.	SEX HORMONE BINDING GLOBULIN	K268	SHBG EIA	DE/CA64/00115902
56.	TROPONIN (T + I)	K291	Troponin I EIA	DE/CA64/00115903
57.	LYME ANTIBODY IGG	K118G	Borelia burgdorferi IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115904
58.	LYME ANTIBODY IGM	K118M	Borelia burgdorferi IgM EIA	DE/CA64/00115905
59.	EBV ANTIBODIES	K108V K108VM K108N	Epstein-Barr virus VCA IgG EIA Epstein-Barr virus VCA IgM EIA Epstein-Barr virus EBNA IgG EIA	DE/CA64/00115906

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**THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT  
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**The Design and Development, Manufacture, Storage and Distribution  
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**Instruction for use**  
**A solid-phase enzyme immunoassay kit**  
**for the qualitative detection of**  
**total antibodies (IgG, IgA, IgM) to**  
***Giardia lamblia***  
**in human serum or plasma**

## **anti-*Giardia lamblia* EIA**

Catalogue number **REF** **K171**



For 96 determinations



*In vitro* diagnostic medical device

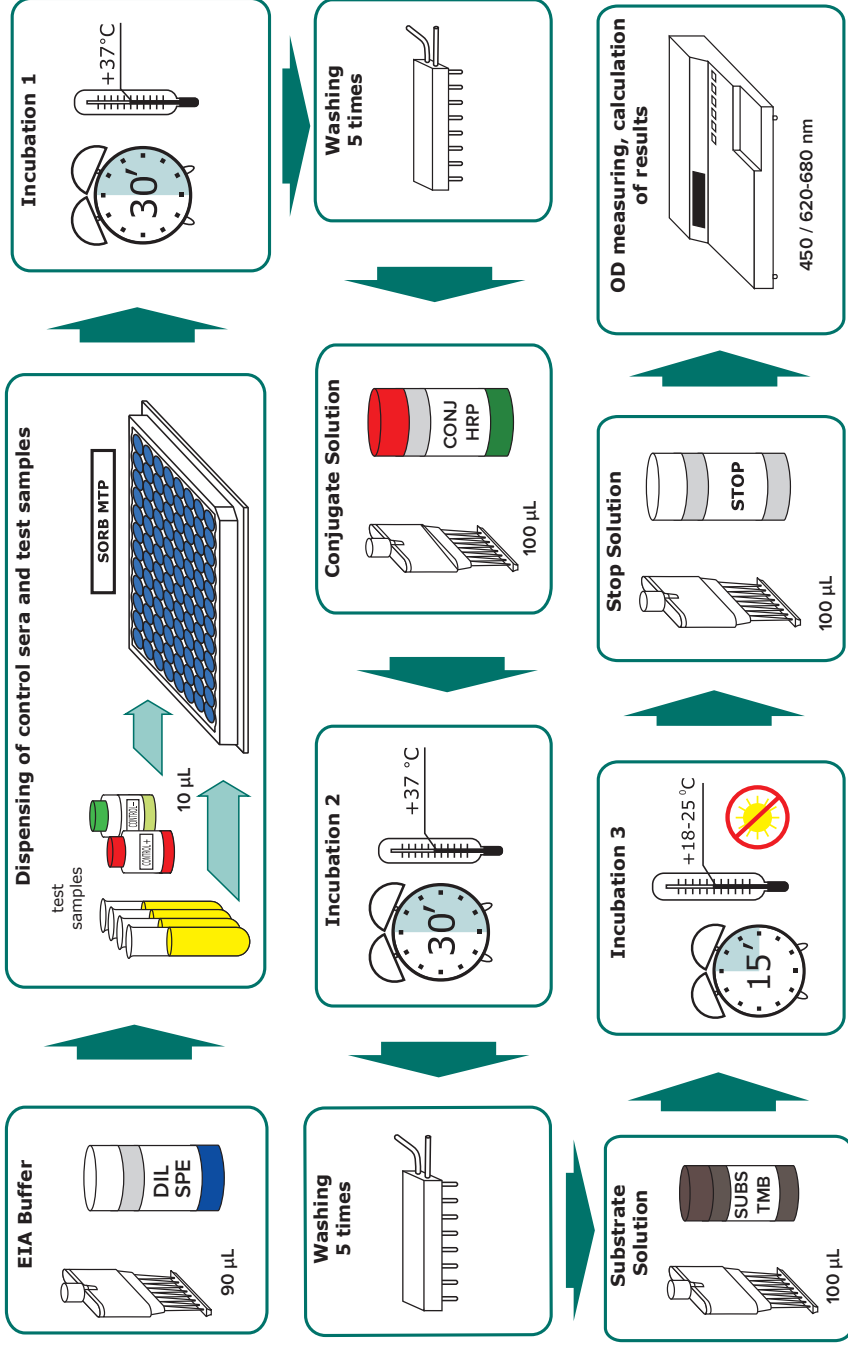


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# ASSAY PROCEDURE



During performing several independent series of tests, Positive and Negative Control Serum should be used **each time**.

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**antibodies (IgG, IgA, IgM) to *Giardia lamblia***  
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**anti-*Giardia lamblia* EIA**

**1. INTENDED USE**

The anti-*Giardia lamblia* EIA kit is an enzyme immunoassay, intended for the qualitative detection of total antibodies (IgG, IgA, IgM) to *Giardia lamblia* in human serum or plasma.

The field of application is clinical laboratory diagnostics.

**2. GENERAL INFORMATION**

*Giardia lamblia* (intestinalis) causes giardiasis (giardiasis), a parasitic infection that occurs in the form of latent parasitism and manifest forms (intestinal dysfunction). The causative agent of giardiasis is widespread, especially in regions with bad sanitary culture. The main mechanism of *Giardia lamblia* infection is faecal-oral. The disease is common among all age groups, however, the main contingent is preschool children. Vegetative forms of the parasite exist only on the surface of the mucous membrane of the upper small intestine. This leads to the fact that *Giardia* mechanically blocks the mucous membrane and disrupts parietal digestion and motor activity of the small intestine. *Giardia* causes impaired absorption of fats, carbohydrates, vitamins C and B12. It is worth noting that due to its susceptibility to bile acids, *Giardia lamblia* cannot directly cause liver disease and cholecystocholangitis, but it causes secondary bacterial infection (due to reflex biliary dyskinesia). Symptoms of giardiasis may include diarrhoea, fatigue, swelling, apathy, weight loss, decreased appetite, pallor, and muscle cramps. In the gastrointestinal tract, giardiasis manifests itself mainly in the form of enterocolitis with catarrhal manifestations. The diagnosis of infection caused by *Giardia lamblia* is carried out by microscopic or culture methods, as well as by determining specific antibodies in the blood serum.

**3. TEST PRINCIPLE**

The determination of total antibodies (IgG, IgA, IgM) to *Giardia lamblia* is based on the indirect enzyme immunoassay principle. On the inner surface of the microplate wells are immobilized antigens *Giardia lamblia*. Second antibodies – a blend of anti-species (specific to IgG, IgM, IgA) monoclonal antibodies conjugated to the horseradish peroxidase is used as enzyme conjugate. The analysis procedure includes three stages of incubation:

- during the first stage specific to *Giardia lamblia* antibodies from the specimen are bound by antigens coated onto the microwell surface;
- during the second stage horseradish peroxidase-conjugated anti-species monoclonal antibodies bind to the antigen-antibody complexes, fixed in the formed at the previous stage complexes;
- during the third stage, the complexes formed due to the reaction with the chromogen 3,3',5,5'-tetramethylbenzidine are visualized.

After stopping the reaction with a stop solution, the intensity of the color of the microwells is measured. The optical density in the microwell is directly related to the quantity of the measured specific antibodies to *Giardia lamblia* in test specimen.

## 4. KIT COMPONENTS

Code of component	Symbol	Name	Volume	Qty, pcs.	Description
P171Z	SORB MTP	<b>Microplate</b>	-	1	96-well polystyrene strip microplate coated with recombinant antigen <i>Giardia lamblia</i> , ready to use
CN171Z	CONTROL -	<b>Negative Control Serum K-</b>	0.5 mL	1	Solution based on human serum, free of specific antibodies to <i>Giardia lamblia</i> , with preservative, ready to use (yellow liquid)
CPI171Z	CONTROL +	<b>Positive Control Serum K+</b>	0.2 mL	1	Solution based on human serum pool with a high content of specific antibodies to <i>Giardia lamblia</i> , with preservative, ready to use (red liquid)
TI171Z	CONJ HRP	<b>Conjugate Solution</b>	12 mL	1	Solution of a blend of anti-species (specific to IgG, IgM, IgA) monoclonal antibodies conjugated with horseradish peroxidase, ready to use (green liquid)
SP171Z	DIL SPE	<b>EIA Buffer</b>	12 mL	1	Buffer solution with detergent and preservative, ready to use (purple liquid)
R055Z	SUBS TMB	<b>Substrate Solution</b>	12 mL	1	Tetramethylbenzidine (TMB) substrate solution, ready to use (colourless liquid)
S008Z	BUF WASH 26X	<b>26x Concentrate Washing Solution</b>	30 mL	1	Buffer solution with detergent, 26x concentrate (colourless liquid)
R050Z	STOP	<b>Stop Solution</b>	12 mL	1	5.0% solution of sulphuric acid, ready to use (colourless liquid)

The kit also includes instruction for use, quality control data sheet and plate sealing tape (2 pcs.).

## 5. EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- microplate photometer with 450/620-680 nm wavelength;
- dry thermostat for  $+37^{\circ}\text{C}\pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}$ ;
- automatic plate washer (optional);
- micropipettes with variable volume, range volume 5-1000  $\mu\text{L}$ ;
- graduated cylinder of 1000 mL capacity;
- distilled or deionized water;
- timer;
- vortex mixer;
- disposable gloves;
- absorbent paper.

## 6. WARNING AND PRECAUTIONS

*In order to prevent incorrect results, strictly follow the recommended order and duration of the analysis procedure.*

6.1. The kit is for *in vitro* diagnostic use only. For professional laboratory use.

6.2. Follow the rules mentioned below during the kit using:

- do not use kit beyond expire date;
- do not use the kit if its packaging is damaged;
- in order to avoid contamination, use new tips to pipette samples and reagents;
- use only verified equipment;
- close each vial with its own cap, after using the reagent;
- do not use components of other kits or reagents of other manufacturers;
- do not let wells dry after completing the rinsing step; immediately proceed to the next stage;
- avoid bubbles when adding reagents.

**ATTENTION! The TMB substrate solution is light sensitive. Avoid prolonged exposure of the component to light.**

6.3. Some kit components, such as stop solution, substrate solution, and washing solution, may cause toxic or irritant effects. If they get on the skin or mucosa, the affected area should be washed with plenty of running water.

6.4. All human products, including patient samples, should be considered potentially infectious. Handling and disposal should be in accordance with the procedures defined by an appropriate national biohazard safety guidelines or regulations.

6.5. The Control Serum included in the kit are negative for antibodies to HIV 1,2, hepatitis C virus and HBsAg, but the reagents should be considered as potentially infectious material and handled carefully.

6.6. Specimens must not contain any azide compounds, as they inhibit activity of peroxidase.

6.7. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

6.8. Do not smoke, eat, drink or apply cosmetics in areas where specimens or kit reagents are handled.

6.9. Safety Data Sheet for this product is available upon request directly from XEMA LLC.

6.10. Serious incidents related to the kit must be reported to the manufacturer, Authorized Representative, and to the Competent Authority of the EU member state(s) where the incident has occurred.

## 7. SPECIMEN COLLECTION, TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE OF SAMPLES

7.1. Blood sampling should be carried out from the cubital vein with a disposable needle using a vacuum blood sampling system. Serum or plasma specimens should be clearly labeled and identified. Serum must be separated from the clot as early as possible to avoid hemolysis of red blood cells. If there are any visible particles in the sample, they should be removed by centrifugation at 3000-5000 rpm for 20 minutes at room temperature or by filtration.

Don't use samples with high lipidemia, hemolysis as they may give false test results.

7.2. Specimen should be stored at +2...+8°C up to 3 days. Specimen held for a longer time, should be placed in a freezer at -15°C or below, do not refreeze/thaw samples.

7.3. For the transportation of samples, it is recommended to use triple packaging. The primary package is the labeled tube containing the sample. Secondary packaging is a polyethylene bag that is hermetically closed with a zip-lock. The outer packaging is a heat-insulating container, while the secondary packaging is placed in the outer packaging for transportation in the center of the thermal container. Frozen refrigerants are placed on the bottom, along the side walls of the thermal container, and cover the samples with them.

## 8. TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE TERMS OF KIT, WASTE DISPOSAL

Information about the singularity storage conditions, transportation of the kit, and disposal of waste should be taken into account by all persons who participate in these processes.

### 8.1. Transportation

The anti-Giardia lamblia EIA kit should be transported in the manufacturer's packaging at +2...+8°C. Single transportation at the temperature up to 25°C for 5 days is acceptable.

### 8.2. Storage

The anti-Giardia lamblia EIA kit should be stored in the manufacturer's packaging at +2...+8°C. Do not freeze.

The kit contains reagents sufficient for 96 determinations including Control Serum.

Once opened test-kit is stable for 2 months when stored properly as intended by manufacturer at 2-8°C.

In case of partial use of the kit, the components should be stored in the following way:

- the remaining strips should be immediately resealed in the bag along with the silica gel, closed with the zip-lock, and stored at +2...+8°C within 2 months;
- Substrate Solution, Stop Solution, EIA Buffer and Washing Solution concentrate after opening the vial, can be stored tightly closed at +2...+8°C until the kit's shelf life;
- Conjugate Solution and Control Serums after opening the vial, can be stored tightly closed at +2...+8°C within 2 months;
- diluted Washing Solution can be stored at room temperature (+18...+25°C) for up to 5 days or at +2...+8°C for up to 14 days.

Kits that were stored in violation of the storage condition cannot be used.

### 8.3. Disposal

Expired kit components, used reagents and materials, as well as residual samples must be inactivated and disposed of in accordance with legal requirements.

## 9. REAGENTS PREPARATION

9.1. All reagents (including microstrips) and test samples should be allowed to reach room temperature (+18...+25 °C) for at least 30 minutes before use.

### 9.2. Microplate preparation

Open the package with the microplate and install the required number of strips into the frame. The remaining strips should be immediately resealed in the bag along with the silica gel and closed with the zip-lock to prevent moisture from affecting the plate's strips.

### 9.3. Washing Solution preparation

Add the contents of the 30 mL Washing Solution concentrate vial to 750 mL of distilled or deionized water and mix thoroughly. In case of partial use of the kit, take the necessary amount of Washing Solution concentrate and dilute it 26 times with distilled or deionized water.

The spending of the components in case of partial use of the kit is given in the table:

Quantity of strips	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Volume of the Washing Solution concentrate, mL	2.5	5	7.5	10	12.5	15	17.5	20	22.5	25	27.5	30
Volume of water, mL	62.5	125	187.5	250	312.5	375	437.5	500	562.5	625	687.5	750

## 10. ASSAY PROCEDURE

- 10.1. Put the desired number of strips into the frame based on the number of test samples and 4 wells for Positive and Negative Control Serum (1 well for Positive Control (CP) and 3 wells for Negative Control Serum (CN)).
- 10.2. Dispense **90 µL of EIA Buffer** to all wells.
- 10.3. Dispense **10 µL of Positive and Negative Control Serum as well as 10 µL of test serum/plasma samples (SAMP)** to the wells of the microplate according to the scheme below. The introduction of Positive and Negative Control Serum and test samples should be carried out within 5 minutes to ensure equal incubation time for the first and last samples.

Attention! When adding blood serum (plasma) samples, the colour of the solution changes.

***During performing several independent series of tests, Positive and Negative Control Serum should be used each time.***

### ***Scheme of introduction of samples***

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	CP	SAMP5	SAMP13	SAMP21								
B	CN	SAMP6	SAMP14	SAMP22								
C	CN	SAMP7	SAMP15	SAMP23								
D	CN	SAMP8	SAMP16									
E	SAMP1	SAMP9	SAMP17									
F	SAMP2	SAMP10	SAMP18									
G	SAMP3	SAMP11	SAMP19									
H	SAMP4	SAMP12	SAMP20									

- 10.4. Carefully mix the contents of the microplate in a circular motion on a horizontal surface, cover strips with a plate sealing tape and incubate for **30 minutes at +37°C**.

- 10.5. At the end of the incubation period, remove and discard the plate cover. Aspirate and wash each well **5 times** using an automatic washer or an 8-channel dispenser. For each washing, add 300  $\mu\text{L}$  of Washing Solution (see 9.3) to all wells, then remove the liquid by aspiration or decantation. The residual volume of the Washing Solution in the wells after each aspiration or decantation should be no more than 5  $\mu\text{L}$ . After washing, carefully remove the remaining liquid from the wells on the absorbent paper. For the automatic washer/analyzer, the Washing Solution volume can be increased to 350  $\mu\text{L}$ .
- 10.6. Add **100  $\mu\text{L}$  of Conjugate Solution** to all wells.
- 10.7. Cover strips with a plate sealing tape and incubate for **30 minutes at +37°C**.
- 10.8. At the end of the incubation period, aspirate and wash each well **5 times** as described in 10.5.
- 10.9. Add **100  $\mu\text{L}$  of Substrate Solution** to all wells. The introduction of the Substrate Solution into the wells must be carried out within 2-3 minutes. Incubate the microplate in the dark **at room temperature (+18...+25°C) for 15 minutes**.
- 10.10. Add **100  $\mu\text{L}$  of Stop Solution** to all wells in the same order as the Substrate Solution. After adding the Stop Solution, the contents of the wells turn yellow.
- 10.11. Read the optical density (OD) of the wells at 450 nm and reference light filters 620–680 nm using a microplate photometer within 5 minutes of adding the stop solution.

## 11. TEST VALIDITY AND CALCULATION OF RESULTS

11.1. The test results are valid only if Positive and Negative Control Serum are within the specified ranges and if all other test parameters are also within the given assay specifications, namely:

- OD of Negative Control Serum < 0.15;
- OD of Positive Control Serum > 0.30.

11.2. Calculate the mean OD value of the Negative Control Serum:

$$\text{meanOD(CN)} = (\text{OD1(CN)} + \text{OD2(CN)} + \text{OD3(CN)})/3$$

If one of the OD values of the Negative Control Serum differs significantly, it should be discarded and the meanOD(CN) should be calculated using the remaining OD values of the Negative Control Serum.

11.3. Calculate the Cut off value by adding to the mean OD value of the Negative Control Serum the coefficient 0.2.

$$\text{Cut off} = \text{meanOD(CN)} + 0.2$$

11.4. Calculate Positivity Index (PI) for each sample by dividing the OD of the sample by Cut off value:

$$\text{PI} = \text{ODsample/Cut off}$$

## 12. INTERPRETATION OF THE RESULTS

If PI value > 1.1 the result is **POSITIVE**,

If PI value is between 0.9 and 1.1 the result is **EQUIVOCAL**,

If PI value < 0.9 the result is **NEGATIVE**.

If equivocal results are obtained, it is recommended to retest the sample in several replicates. If the result is equivocal again, a new sample should be obtained within 5-7 days and retested.

If the result remains equivocal, the sample should be considered negative.

### 13. PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

#### 13.1. Analytical performance characteristics

##### 13.1.1. Precision of Measurement

*Repeatability (Intra assay repeatability)* was determined by evaluation the coefficient of variation (CV) for 2 different samples during 1 day in 24 replicates on one series of ELISA kit.

No. sample	mean PI	CV, %
1	3.4	2.9
2	9.1	4.8

*Reproducibility (Inter assay reproducibility)* was determined by evaluating the coefficients of variation for 2 samples during 5 days in 8-replicate determinations.

No. sample	mean PI	CV, %
1	3.36	2.8
2	9.07	5.0

##### 13.1.2. Analytical specificity

For the analysis result is not affected by the presence in the sample of bilirubin in a concentration of up to 0.21 mg/mL and hemoglobin in a concentration of up to 10 mg/mL.

#### 13.2. Diagnostic performance characteristics

The clinical sensitivity and specificity of the assay were evaluated on a sample of 89 positive and 39 negative clinical serum samples and are 97.8% and 97.4%, respectively. The positive predictive value (PPV) of the reagent kit is 98.9% and the negative predictive value (NPV) is 95%. The relative specificity of the assay was studied in a sample of 92 donor sera characterised for the absence of antibodies to *Giardia lamblia* in commercial kits and was 98.9%.

### 14. LIMITATIONS

A positive test result indicates that the patient has antibodies specific to *Giardia lamblia* antigens. The diagnosis cannot be made on the basis of presense antibodies to *Giardia lamblia* alone and requires confirmation, including assessment of the patient's clinical presentation and history.

A negative result indicates the absence of antibodies to *Giardia lamblia* or antibody levels below the limit of sensitivity of the kit.

The results of serum tests in patients with immunosuppression and immunological disorders should be interpreted with caution.

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