Anigen Rapid CPV/CCV Ag Test Kit

**Principles**

The Anigen Rapid CPV/CCV Ag Test Kit is a chromatographic immunoassay for the qualitative detection of Canine Parvovirus antigen and Coronavirus antigen in canine feces. The Anigen Rapid Canine Parvovirus Ag and Coronavirus Ag Test Kit has the letters “T” and “C” as the Test line and Control line on the surface of the device. Both the test line and control line in the result window are not visible before applying any samples. The control line is used for procedural control, and should always appear if the test procedure is performed properly and the test reagents of the control line are working. A purple test line will be visible in the result window if there is enough Canine Parvovirus antigen and/or Canine Coronavirus antigen in the specimen. The specially selected Canine Parvovirus antibodies and Canine Coronavirus antibodies are used in the test band as both capture and detector materials. These enable the Anigen Rapid CPV/CCV Ag Test Kit to identify Canine Parvovirus antigen and Canine Coronavirus antigen in canine feces with a high degree of accuracy.

**Materials provided (10 tests/kit)**

1) Ten (10) Anigen Rapid CPV/CCV Ag Test Kits
2) Ten (10) Specimen tubes containing assay diluent buffer
3) Ten (10) Sample collection swabs
4) Ten (10) Disposable droppers
5) One (1) Instructions for use

**Precautions**

1) For veterinary diagnostic use only.
2) For best results, strict adherence to the instructions is required.
3) All specimens should be handled as being potentially infectious.
4) Do not open or remove test kits from their individually sealed pouches until immediately before their use.
5) Do not use the test kit if the pouch is damaged or the seal is broken.
6) Do not reuse test kits.
7) All reagents must be at room temperature before running the assay.
8) Do not use reagents beyond the stated expiration date marked on the label.
9) The components in this kit have been quality control tested as a standard batch unit. Do not mix components from different lot numbers.

**Storage and Stability**

The kit can be stored at room temperature (2–30°C) or refrigerated. The test kit is stable through the expiration date marked on the package label. **DO NOT FREEZE.** Do not store the test kit in direct sunlight.

**Specimen Collection and Preparation**

1) Samples from canine feces should be used for this test.
2) The specimens should be tested immediately after collection.

**Procedure of the test**

1) Collect a sample from canine feces using a swab.
2) Insert the swab into a specimen tube containing 1ml of assay diluent.
3) Mix the swab sample with the assay diluent vigorously to extract the viruses.
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**Interpretation of the test**

A color band will appear in the left section of the result window to show that the test is working properly. This band is the control band. The right section of the result window indicates the test results. If another color band appears in the right section of the result window, this band is the test band.

1) **Negative result**

The presence of only one band within the result window on both of the CPV Ag and CCV Ag test areas indicates a negative result.

![Negative result](figure1.png)

2) **Simultaneous CPV and CCV Positive result**

The presence of two color bands (“T” and “C”) within the result window on both of the CPV Ag and CCV Ag test areas respectively, no matter which band appears first, indicates a positive result of Canine Parvovirus and Canine Coronavirus simultaneously.

![Simultaneous positive result](figure2.png)

3) **CPV Positive result**

The presence of two color bands (“T” and “C”) within the result window on the CPV Ag test area, and the presence of only one band (“C”) within the result window on the CCV Ag test area, no matter which band appears first, indicates a positive result of Canine Parvovirus.

![CPV positive result](figure3.png)

4) **CCV Positive result**

The presence of two color bands (“T” and “C”) within the result window on the CCV Ag test area, and the presence of only one band (“C”) within the result window on the CPV Ag test area, no matter which band appears first, indicates a positive result of Canine Coronavirus.

![CCV positive result](figure4.png)

3) **Invalid Result**

If the purple color band is not visible within the result window after performing the test, the result is considered invalid. The directions may not have been followed correctly or the test may have deteriorated. It is recommended that the specimen be re-tested.

![Invalid result](figure5.png)

**Limitations of the test**

Although the Anigen Rapid CPV/CCV Ag test kit is very accurate in detecting Canine Parvovirus antigen, a low incidence of false results can occur. Other clinically available tests are required if questionable results are obtained. As with all diagnostic tests, a definitive clinical diagnosis should not be based on the results of a single test, but should only be made by the veterinarian after all clinical and laboratory findings have been evaluated. The limit of Canine Parvovirus antigen detection of this kit is approximately 3.13x10⁴ TCID₅₀/ml. The limit of Canine Coronavirus antigen detection is approximately 1.97x10⁴ TCID₅₀/ml.