



EASY ASSURANCE OF EFFICACY: CIDEX® Test Strips



1 **Completely submerge** the indicating pad of the strip into CIDEX® Solution for the specified time and remove. Do not shake strip.



2 **Remove excess** solution by standing strip upright on a paper towel.



3 **Read results** at specified time. Do not read past specified time.

WHY SHOULD YOU TEST YOUR CIDEX® SOLUTION?

To ensure each CIDEX® Solution efficiently destroys microorganisms, the minimum effective concentration (MEC) required for high-level disinfection should be tested with the appropriate CIDEX® Test Strip prior to each usage.

DISCARD ANY UNUSED TEST STRIPS 90 DAYS AFTER BOTTLE IS ORIGINALLY OPENED.



CIDEX® OPA Test Strips

CIDEX® OPA *ortho*-Phthalaldehyde SOLUTION CAN BE USED OR REUSED FOR A MAXIMUM OF 14 DAYS.*

How to test: Completely submerge indicating pad of the strip into solution. Hold for 1 second and remove. Do not shake strip.

Remove excess solution by standing the strip upright on a paper towel.

Read results at 90 seconds. Do not read past 90 seconds. Pad will be completely PURPLE to indicate effective solution. IF ANY BLUE remains on the pad apart from the top line, solution is ineffective and must be discarded.

*CIDEX® OPA Solution may be used or reused for up to a maximum of 14 days provided the required condition of *ortho*-phthalaldehyde concentration and temperature exist based upon monitoring described in the Instructions for Use. Do not rely solely on days in use.

PASS



FAIL



FAIL



Reorder #	Product description	Case contents
20392	CIDEX® OPA Test Strips	2 bottles – 60 strips per bottle
20393	CIDEX® OPA Test Strips	2 bottles – 15 strips per bottle



CIDEX® Activated Dialdehyde Test Strips

CIDEX® ACTIVATED DIALDEHYDE SOLUTION CAN BE USED OR REUSED FOR A MAXIMUM OF 14 DAYS.†

How to test: Completely submerge indicating pad of the strip into solution. Hold for 3 seconds and remove. Do not shake strip.

Remove excess solution by standing the strip upright on a paper towel.

Read results at 75 seconds. Do not read past 75 seconds. Pad will be completely PURPLE to indicate effective solution. IF ANY ORANGE remains on the pad apart from the top line, solution is ineffective and must be discarded.

†CIDEX® Activated Dialdehyde Solution may be used or reused for up to a maximum of 14 days provided the required condition of activated dialdehyde concentration and temperature exist based upon monitoring described in the Instructions for Use. Do not rely solely on days in use.

PASS



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Reorder #	Product description	Case contents
2920	CIDEX® Activated Dialdehyde Test Strips	2 bottles – 60 strips per bottle
2927	CIDEX® Activated Dialdehyde Test Strips	2 bottles – 15 strips per bottle



CIDEXPLUS® Test Strips

CIDEXPLUS® 28-DAY SOLUTION CAN BE USED OR REUSED FOR A MAXIMUM OF 28 DAYS.‡

How to test: Completely submerge indicating pad of the strip into solution. Hold for 1 second and remove. Do not shake strip.

Remove excess solution by standing the strip upright on a paper towel.

Read results at 90 seconds. Do not read past 90 seconds. Pad will be completely RED to indicate effective solution. IF ANY YELLOW remains on the pad apart from the top line, solution is ineffective and must be discarded.

‡CIDEXPLUS® 28-Day Solution may be used or reused for up to a maximum of 28 days provided the required condition of glutaraldehyde concentration and temperature exist based upon monitoring described in the Instructions for Use. Do not rely solely on days in use.

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Reorder #	Product description	Case contents
2924	CIDEXPLUS® Test Strips	2 bottles – 60 strips per bottle
2926	CIDEXPLUS® Test Strips	2 bottles – 15 strips per bottle

Please read and follow the Instructions for Use prior to using CIDEX® Solutions for important information, including contraindications, warnings and proper directions for use.

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