

SJMC HEME UA REAGENT STORAGE AND EXPIRATIONS

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Note: Manufacturer’s expiration dates for unopened products are listed on the reagent. Open expiration dates cannot exceed this date. Open expiration date and tech ID must be on all reagents. For reagents that do not have an expiration date provided by the manufacturer, an expiration date of one year is assigned. Notify the MT-Coordinator if data needs to be updated due to a change or revision of the package insert or product label. Coagulation reagents are listed on a separate document.

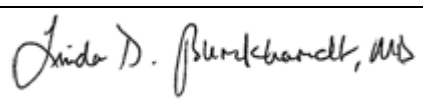
Hematology Instrument Reagents	Use	Unopened Storage	Opened Storage	Open Expiration	Notes
COULTER® 6C Cell Control	DXH	2-8°C	2-8°C	16 days	Bring to RT prior to use. Return opened vials to 2-8°C within 30 minutes of use.
COULTER® LATRON CP-X	DXH	2-30°C	2-30°C	30 days	If refrigerated, bring to RT prior to use.
COULTER® Retic-X Cell Control	DXH	2-8°C	2-8°C	16 days	Bring to RT prior to use. Return opened vials to 2-8°C within 30 minutes of use.
COULTER®SCAL Calibrator Kit	DXH	2-8°C	RT	1 Hour	
COULTER® DxH Cell Lyse	DXH	2-40°C	RT	60 days	If refrigerated, bring to RT prior to use. Mix well before loading.
COULTER® DxH Cleaner	DXH & SMS	2-25°C	RT	90 days	If refrigerated, bring to RT prior to use.
COULTER® DxH Diff Pack	DXH	2-25°C	RT	60 days	If refrigerated, bring to RT prior to use.
COULTER® DxH Diluent	DXH & SMS	2-40°C	RT	60 days	If refrigerated, bring to RT prior to use. Mix well before loading.
COULTER® DxH Retic Pack	DXH	2-30°C	RT	60 days	If refrigerated, bring to RT prior to use. Mix well before loading.
COULTER TruColor Wright Stain	SMS	15-30°C	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	
COULTER TruColor Wright Buffer	SMS	15-30°C	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	
Methyl Alcohol 99.8% Anhydrous	SMS & MIDAS	2-30°C Flammables cabinet	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	

Sigma Aldrich Wright-Giemsa, Modified	MIDAS	18-26°C Flammables cabinet	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	
COULTERTruColor Wright-Giemsa Buffer	MIDAS	15-30°C	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	
Harleco Giesma with Methanol	MIDAS	15-30°C Flammables cabinet	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	Stain changed daily.
TraK 300 Immersion Oil	CellaVision	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	
COULTER®diff AcT Tainer Kit	AcT2	RT	RT	Manufacturer's Expiration	
COULTER®4C-ES Cell Control	AcT2	2-8°C	2-8°C	35 days	Bring to RT prior to use. Return opened vials to 2-8°C within 30 minutes of use.
COULTER®SCAL Calibrator	AcT2	2-8°C	2-8°C	1Hour	
Urinalysis Instrument Reagents	Use	Unopened Storage	Opened Storage	Open Expiration	Notes
Iris Diluent	iQ Sprint	20°C - 28°C	20°C - 28°C	Manufacturer Dating	
Iris iQ® Lamina	iQ Sprint	20°C - 28°C	20°C - 28°C	Manufacturer Dating	
Iris iQ® Control/Focus	iQ Sprint	2-8°C	2-8°C	30 days	
Iris iQ® Calibrator	iQ Sprint	2-8°C	2-8°C	24 hours	
iChem®Velocity™ strips	Velocity	RT	RT	5 days inside instrument.	Store unopened vial horizontally after receiving to prevent strips from bending.
iChem®Velocity Wash Solution	Velocity	20°C - 28°C	20°C - 28°C	90 days	
IRISpec™ CA/CB/CC	Velocity	2-8°C	2-8°C	15 days	
iChem®Velocity CalCheck Kit	Velocity	RT	RT	Solution vials: 8 hours Cal Strips: 30 minutes after opening sleeve.	
iChem®10 SG Strips	iChem100 Visual Read	2°C - 30°C	RT	Manufacturer's dating, if stored in original capped container.	Protect from light, moisture. Remove only enough strips for testing and immediately reseal the container.

Iris System Cleanser	iQ Sprint & iChem100	RT	RT	Manufacturer Dating	
Siemen SPG Calibrator	TS Meter	2-8°C	2-8°C	Manufacturer Dating	
Rapid FFN Cassette Kit	FFN	15-30°C	RT for opened box.	Use cassette immediately after opening pouch.	
Rapid FFN Control Kit	FFN	2-8°C	2-8°C	6 months after opening	
Verify Now PRU Test	VERIFY NOW	2-25°C	18-25°C	Use test device immediately after opening pouch.	
Verify Now Aspirin Test	VERIFY NOW	2-25°C	18-25°C	Use test device immediately after opening pouch.	
Verify Now Assay WQC	VERIFY NOW	15-30°C	15-30°C	Manufacturer's Expiration	Use within 15 minutes of reconstitution.
Variant II Turbo 2.0 Reagents	Use	Unopened Storage	Opened Storage	Open Expiration	Notes
Variant II Turbo 2.0 Analytical Cartridge	VARIANT	2-8°C	2-8°C	2500 tests or 90 days	Store cartridge at 2-8°C with end caps if storing for later use.
Variant II Turbo 2.0 Calibrators	VARIANT	2-8°C	2-8°C	24 Hours	
Elution Buffer A	VARIANT	15-30°C	15-30°C	30 days	
Elution Buffer B	VARIANT	15-30°C	15-30°C	90 days	
BioRad Liquichek Controls	VARIANT	2-8°C	2-8°C	14 days	
Whole Bood Primer	VARIANT	2-8°C	2-8°C	1 day	
Wash/Diluent Solution	VARIANT	15-30°C	15-30°C	60 days	
Lyphocheck HbA1c Linearity Set	VARIANT	2-8°C	2-8°C	7 days	
Manual Hematology Reagents	Use	Unopened Storage	Opened Storage	Open Expiration	Notes
Streck Cell-Chek Control	Body Fluid	2-8°C	2-8°C	30 days	

Streck Retic Chek QC	Man Retic	2-8°C	2-8°C	14 days	
Ricca New Methylene Blue	Man Retic	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	
Polymedco Sed-Chek 2 Controls	SED	18°C -30°C	18°C -30°C	Manufacturer's dating	Do not refrigerate.
Sediplast Westergren ESR Kit	SED	2°C -37°C	2°C -37°C	Manufacturer's dating	
Sigma Aldrich Giemsa Stain	Malaria	18°C -26°C	18°C -26°C	Manufacturer's dating	
Harleco Buffer, Phosphate pH 7.0	Malaria	15°C -30°C	15°C -30°C	Manufacturer's dating	
Binax Now Malaria Kit	Malaria	2°C -37°C	2°C -37°C	Manufacturer's dating	If stored refrigerated, return to RT prior to testing.
Eng CSF Diluting Fluid	Body Fluids	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	Discard if precipitate develops
Ricca Turk's Diluting Fluid	Body Fluids	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	
Hyaluronidase	Body Fluids	<0°C	<0°C	1 year	Per manufacturer, stability is based on performance.
Hydrion pH paper 3.5 – 9.0	Body Fluids	RT	RT	Check performance yearly.	
EDTA Sigma Aldrich	Bone Marrow	2-8°C	2-8°C	Manufacturer's dating	
Resolve Low Viscosity Imm Oil	Microscope	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	
Spectrum Sodium Hypochlorite	Bleaching	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	
Albumin 22%	Cytospin	2-8°C	2-8°C	Manufacturer's dating	
Manual Urinalysis Reagents	Use	Unopened Storage	Opened Storage	Open Expiration	Notes
Amnisure ROM Test	ROM	4-24°C	4-24°C	6 hours after opening pouch.	
PAMG-1 Control	ROM	-18°C to -70°C	-18°C to -70°C	Manufacturer's dating	QC is diluted with solvent for each patient test. One time use.
HCG Combo Rapid Test	HCG	2°C -30°C	15°C -30°C	Manufacturer's dating	Bring to room temp prior to testing.

SureVue Serum Control Set	HCG	2-8°C	2-8°C	Manufacturer's dating	Bring to room temperature before use.
Quantimetrix Dipper Urine Control	HCGU	2-8°C	2-8°C	3 months after opening. Pour fresh aliquot from vial with each use.	To be used for HCGU procedure only. Do not use for UA dipstick testing.
Clinitest	RED SUBST	15-30°C	15-30°C	1 year	Avoid moisture, sunlight. Discard if discolored or if QC is inconsistent.
Ictotest	UA	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	Monitor with QC and tablet appearance
Sulfosalicylic Acid	UA	RT	RT	Manufacturer's dating	Monitor with QC.
Siemen's Hemastix	UA	15-30°C	15-30°C	Manufacturer's dating	Avoid moisture and light.
Bayer Acetest	KETONE KET UR	15-30°C	15-30°C	Manufacturer's dating	Avoid moisture and light.
Ammonium Sulfate	UR MYO	RT	RT	Check performance yearly.	Monitor stability with QC performance

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