AffiCHECK® Aspergillus fumigatus DNA PCR Qualitative Positive Control

AFG-CHK-0446

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

AffiCHECK® *Aspergillus fumigatus* **DNA - PCR Qualitative Control** is a high-quality, reliable standard containing known quantities of *Aspergillus fumigatus* DNA. It's designed using modified and non-infectious fungus to ensure stability, thereby contributing to accurate and reliable results in PCR applications.

INTENDED USE:

AffiCHECK® Aspergillus fumigatus DNA - PCR Qualitative Control serves as a comprehensive process control for the evaluation of the performance of nucleic acid tests for determination of the presence of Aspergillus fumigatus nucleic acid. It's essential in validating the performance of PCR assays in clinical, research, and diagnostic settings.

PRODUCT FEATURES:

Specificity: Tailored for Aspergillus fumigatus DNA detection.

<u>Formulation:</u> Lyophilized for enhanced stability. <u>Convenience:</u> Ready-to-use upon reconstitution.

Compatibility: Suitable for a wide range of PCR assays.

CHARACTERISTICS:

<u>Cultivation & Extraction:</u> Cultivated in SC culture medium and extracted using a reliable genomic DNA method. <u>Quality Control:</u> Subjected to rigorous testing to ensure batch consistency and reliability.

Packaging: Provided in a protective, heat-sealed foil pouch with silica gel.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS:

<u>Sensitivity:</u> Optimized for high sensitivity in PCR detection. Specificity: Exclusively detects *Aspergillus fumigatus* DNA.

Reproducibility: Consistent results across different test runs and batches.

PACK CONTENT:		
Components	Pack Size	Note
DNA Control Lyophilized (1x10 ⁴ to 2x10 ⁴ Copies/μL)	1 Vial	Quantified by Real-Time PCR.
Buffer	500 μL	Water, DNase, RNase Free.

PRECAUTIONS:

- For research use or diagnostic control purposes only.
- Follow standard laboratory practices and use PPE.
- Use Sterile Filter Tips to prevent contamination.
- Handle infectious specimens with precautions.
- Disinfect work surfaces.
- Maintain separate working areas for testing.
- Dispose of unused reagents and waste as per regulations.
- May contain genetic material, handle with care.
- No method ensures total absence of infectious agents.
- Follow local waste disposal rules.
- Dilute below 10³ copies/μL immediately before use.
- Avoid freezing for low-copy dilutions to prevent DNA degradation.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:

- Open the foil pouch of AffiCHECK® Aspergillus fumigatus DNA.
- Centrifuge AffiCHECK® Aspergillus fumigatus DNA Lyophilized Powder at 1000 g for 1 minute.
- Add 100 µL of AffiCHECK® *Aspergillus fumigatus* Buffer and thoroughly mix until fully reconstituted.
- The concentration will be $1x10^4$ to $2x10^4$ Copies/ μ L once reconstituted.
- Vortex for 1 min for complete dissolution and homogenization.

RECOMMENDED STORAGE:

- Before Reconstitution: Store at 2-8°C.
- After Reconstitution: Store at -20°C.
- Shipping: No special instructions
- Shelf Life: 12 months from production date.

ORDERING INFORM	ATION:	
Catalog Number	Description	Size
AFG-CHK-0446	AffiCHECK® Aspergillus fumigatus DNA PCR Qualitative Positive Control	1 vial + 500 μL Buffer