

NOTA the revolution in detection dog training



Novel Odor Training Aid

What is NOTA?

This innovation was introduced by Tetracore Inc. (USA), a leading biotechnology research and development company specializing in advanced detection kits and laboratory instruments.

Under the name Novel Odor Training Aid (NOTA), they have made this groundbreaking training and test scent available to detection dog trainers worldwide. NOTA is produced according to the highest laboratory standards, ensuring consistency and reliability.

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Advantages of NOTA

◆ R&D

NOTA offers tremendous research and development opportunities. It is a unique target odor designed by olfactory scientists for K9 detection specialists.

◆ TRAINING

Imprinting, training, calibrating, examining, researching. NOTA offers unprecedented possibilities and is a tremendous asset to the K9 detection world in every discipline.

◆ UNIQUE ODOR

This unique target odor was developed in a laboratory and does not occur in everyday practice. NOTA is offered at seven different levels, allowing dogs to be trained broadly and optimally for operational practice.

NOTA – The versatile
training odor for every
detection discipline!

The start

Two years ago, during my work in the United States, I was introduced to NOTA Novel Odor Training Aid. From the very first moment, I was fascinated by the science behind it, the possibilities it offers, and its potential to transform the detection dog world.

After my visit to Tetracore, the company behind NOTA, I had the opportunity to introduce this groundbreaking product to Europe. I look forward to seeing how this innovation can enhance detection training and elevate the performance of detection dogs worldwide.

Our vision

The use of Novel Odor Training Aids (NOTA) is becoming the new standard in detection training. It provides an objective and reliable method to train, test, and optimally prepare K9 teams for their exams, competitions, and operational practice.

Our goal

An objective, scientifically validated training odor specifically developed for testing and training detection dogs. This odor can also be used to evaluate operational deployment and calibrate dogs to optimize their detection performance.

The NOTA system

NOTA is available in multiple concentrations and is delivered in TADDs. There are a total of seven levels: 100x, 10x, 1x, 0.1x, 0.01x, 0.001x, 0.0001x, along with a blank TADD and a control TADD.

This enables trainers to:

- Determine a dog's sensitivity
- Gradually increase the difficulty of detection training
- Refine training based on objective data
- Use NOTA in all (public) places
- No safety or legal issues

Game changer

NOTA is more than just a training tool; it represents a paradigm shift in how we train, test, and deploy detection dogs. If you are serious about the future of detection dog training, NOTA is the way forward.

Train realistic

One of the biggest challenges in detection dog training is ensuring that the training environment closely resembles realistic operational conditions. Many traditional training odors have limitations due to safety, legal, or societal concerns. NOTA has no such restrictions!

NOTA

◆ Public spaces

Now you can train in public spaces such as airports, train stations, shopping malls, and other high-traffic locations without legal or safety issues.

◆ Reliability

Allowing dogs to become accustomed to real-world distractions, increasing their reliability in operational situations.

◆ Generalization

Training dogs to recognize and respond to target odors across different environments, conditions, and distractions, ensuring consistent performance in real-world scenarios.

Train with NOTA – the new standard in detection, for fair, reliable, and future-proof K9 performance!

Novel Odor Training Aid





Imprinting
Testing
Calibrating
Maintenance

NOTA

◆ Imprint odor

Imprint young and inexperienced dogs without limiting their future career choices. Objectively test and calibrate to ensure their reliability.

◆ Validation

Standardizing ORTs and eliminating variability in training aids. Providing legally reliable validation of a dog's detection capabilities.

◆ Users

Providing government agencies, vendors, and private trainers with a uniform test and training system. Ensuring transparency for trainers, vendors, and buyers.

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What Does NOTA Bring?

- **Imprinting** – Train dogs without immediately defining their specialization.
- **Testing Dogs** – Assess whether a dog has detection skills.
- **Testing Trainers** – Measure the effectiveness of training.
- **Buying & Selling** – Provides an objective evaluation for vendors and government agencies.
- **Calibrating** – Verify a dog's performance before operations.
- **Health Monitoring** – Detect odor-related issues early.
- **Maintenance Training** – Keep detection skills sharp.
- **Research & Development** – A stable odor source for scientific studies.
- **Objective Examinations** – Supports standardized certification processes.
- **Legal Reliability** – Prevent legal disputes over K9 evidence.
- **Transparency for Suppliers** – Ensures quality assurance before purchase.
- **Improved Training Methods** – Train more efficiently and effectively.
- **Operational Testing** – Ensure dogs are mission-ready.
- **Standardized Competitions** – Enable fair and measurable detection challenges.
- **Diverse R&D Applications** – Supports innovative detection research.
- **Ideal for Training Schools** – Perfect for education and skill-building.
- **Pre-Training & Career Development** – Train detection dogs first, then determine their career path.