Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine)

1. Contents

	Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine)		
REF	740399.12	740399.50	740399.250
Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine)	12 mL	50 mL	250 mL
RNase-free H ₂ O	13 mL	30 mL	60 mL

2. Product description

Exosomes are small vesicles (30–150 nm) secreted by various cell types and are found in many body fluids, such as blood, cerebrospinal fluid, urine, saliva, and breast milk. Their RNA and protein content can be a valuable source of biomarkers.

By precipitating the exosomes from large sample volumes, those biomarkers can be enriched and the background of free circulating nucleic acids is significantly reduced.

3. Storage conditions

Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine) can be stored at room temperature (15-25 °C) until: see package label.

4. Safety instructions

The Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine) does not contain hazardous contents.

5. Protocol

Check precipitation solution

If Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine) shows white precipitate, heat to 45 °C and mix well until all precipitate is redissolved. Let the solution cool down to room temperature before use.

Remove intact cells

Centrifuge body fluid, such as urine, CSF, or saliva for **15 min** at $> 4,000 \times g$.

Intact cells and cellular debris are pelleted. Exosomes remain in the supernatant.

Transfer **up to 10 mL** of the supernatant to a new tube. Avoid disturbing the pellet.

5 mL of urine, CSF, or saliva typically contains enough exosomes for standard analysis.

Precipitate exosomes

Add 0.4 volumes of Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine).

E. g., add 2 mL Exosome Precipitation Solution (Urine) to 5 mL supernatant.

Vortex for 10 s to mix sample thoroughly.

Incubate for **30 min** at **2–8 °C**.

Separate exosomes

Centrifuge for **15 min** at $> 4,000 \times g$.

Discard supernatant carefully and completely.

Isolation of total RNA:

Resuspend exosomes in 300 μL RNase-free H_2O and use the $NucleoSpin^{\circledcirc}$ miRNA Plasma kit (REF 740981) to purify miRNA and larger RNA.

Caution: The pellet may be transparent and difficult to see.

6. Product use restriction / warranty

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