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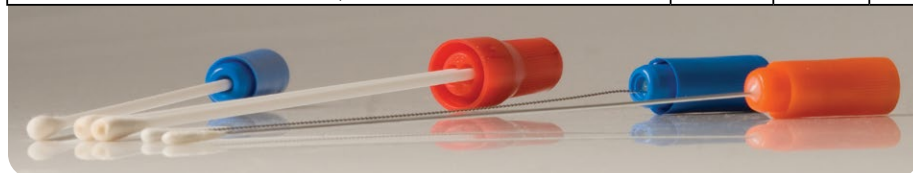
Advanced Swab Transport System

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Product Quick Reference

LIQUID AIMES	CAT. NO.	SIZE	PG
Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip, white cap	4140BX	50/bx	3
Single plastic shaft, Polyester tip, white cap	4140CQBX	50/bx	3
Double plastic shaft, Rayon tip, red cap	4138BX	50/bx	3
Double plastic shaft, Dacron tip, red cap	4138CQBX	50/bx	3
Regular aluminum wire shaft, Dacron tip, orange cap, mini tip	4142BX	50/bx	3
LIQUID STUARTS			
Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip, white cap	4432BX	50/bx	3
Double plastic shaft, Rayon tip, red cap	4019BX	50/bx	3
Regular aluminum wire shaft, Rayon tip, orange cap, mini tip	4143BX	50/bx	3
Soft aluminum wire shaft, Rayon tip, green cap, mini tip	4029BX	50/bx	3
AIMES AGAR GEL			
with Charcoal - Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip, black cap	4114BX	50/bx	4
without Charcoal - Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip, blue cap	4108BX	50/bx	4
with Charcoal - Double plastic shaft, Rayon tip, white cap	4136BX	50/bx	4
without Charcoal - Double plastic shaft, Rayon tip, blue cap	4134BX	50/bx	4
with Charcoal - Regular aluminum wire shaft, Rayon tip, orange cap, mini tip	4116BX	50/bx	4
without Charcoal - Regular aluminum wire shaft, Rayon tip, orange cap, mini tip	4110BX	50/bx	4
with Charcoal - Soft aluminum wire shaft, Rayon tip, green cap, mini tip	4125BX	50/bx	4
without Charcoal - Soft aluminum wire shaft, Rayon tip, green cap, mini tip	4124BX	50/bx	4
with Charcoal - Flexible twisted wire shaft, Rayon tip, blue cap, mini tip	4192BX	50/bx	4
without Charcoal - Flexible twisted wire shaft, Rayon tip, blue cap, mini tip	4190BX	50/bx	4
STUARTS AGAR GEL			
Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip, blue cap	4111BX	50/bx	5
CARY-BLAIR AGAR GEL			
Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip, red cap	4132BX	50/bx	5
NO MEDIA			
Single plastic shaft, Rayon tip	4155CS	1,000/cs	3
Single plastic shaft, Dacron tip	4159BX	100/bx	3
Aluminum shaft, Rayon tip	4160CS	1,000/cs	3
Aluminum shaft, Dacron tip	4162CS	1,000/cs	3
Twisted wire shaft, Rayon tip	4168CS	1,000/cs	3
Twisted wire shaft, Rayon tip	4168BX	100/bx	3
Sterile Swab, aluminum wire, Dacron tip, without tube	4175BX	100/bx	3



ADVANCED PRODUCT DESIGN

Extra Long 5 1/4" Swab Shafts

Enable easier access to difficult sampling sites without contaminating the swab handle or the user.

Soft Rayon Swab Tips

Inert and non-toxic to micro-organisms and patients.

Tamper Evident Tube Seal

Maintains product integrity and ensures first time use.

Extra Large Polyurethane Foam Sponge

Soaked with liquid transport medium, stays anchored in place, providing a reservoir of moisture for the swab sample.

Smooth Bottomed Round Tubes

Avoid jagged or sharp edges associated with crimped end tubes. No risk of puncturing specimen transport bags. Tubes conveniently fit regular test tube racks facilitating safer transport and easy storage.

No Activation Step Necessary

No glass ampoules to break or seals to puncture in order to release transport media. Swabs are automatically moistened.

Double Action Security Cap

Cap slides over the neck of the swab tube and tightly grips the inside and outside of the tube

Large Pre-attached Label

For writing sample information and patient data. Printed in 3 languages, English, Spanish, and French.

Large 5ml Depth of Agar Gel

Swab is always deeply submerged. Gives maximum protection to fastidious bacteria in the sample

Tube Made from Non-breakable Polypropylene

To protect both the specimen and medical and technical staff handling samples.

Venturi Hour Glass Tube Design

Enhances performance, eliminates undesirable bubbles, and breaks in the deep agar gel column. As the swab is inserted into the tube, air bubbles and breaks in the agar gel are squeezed out.

COMPLETE RANGE OF LIQUID & AGAR GEL SWABS

Quality Control

Each lot is stringently tested against a diverse selection of ATCC and NCTC control organisms. Certificates of Analysis and data available on request.



Mini Tip Swabs

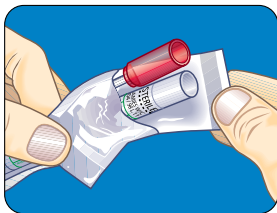
Nasopharyngeal, ENT, and Urethral swabs with your choice of medium.



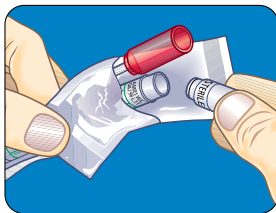
LIQUID MEDIA TRANSPORT SWABS

- No glass ampoules to break, no seals or barriers to puncture
- Swab immediately comes in direct contact with fluid filled sponge
- No “dry swab” samples!
- Choice of liquid Stuart or liquid Amies medium
- Extra large polyurethane sponge reservoir, inert and non-toxic, stays anchored in place
- Ideal for preparing slides for Gram stain

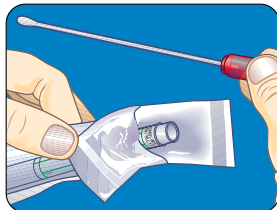
EASY TO USE



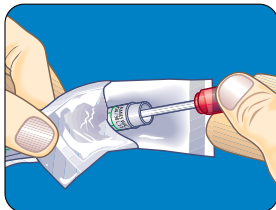
1. Peel apart the plastic film layers



2. Remove plug from transport tube

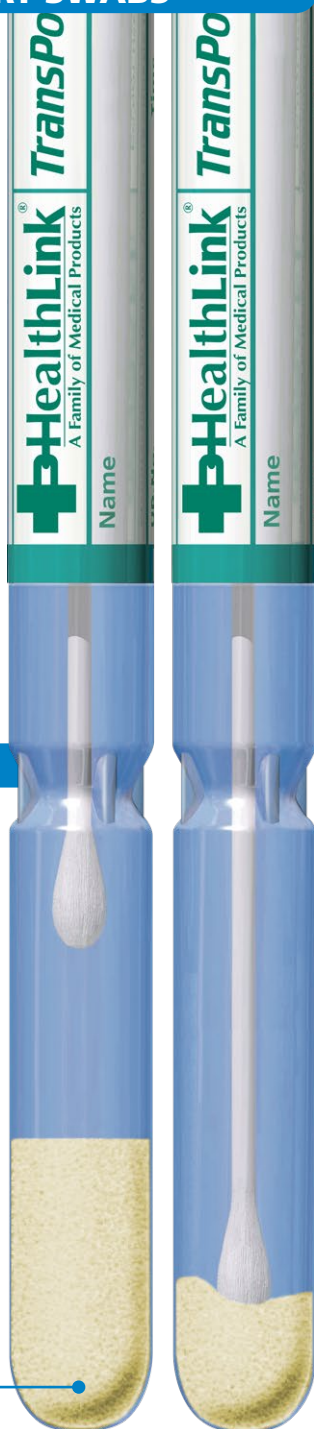


3. Remove swab and collect specimen



4. Insert swab in tube and close cap

Sponge soaked with Transport Media



LIQUID AMIES



Single Plastic Shaft, White Cap

Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.

Rayon Tip, 50/box 4140BX

Polyester Tip, 50/box 4140CQBX



Double Plastic Shaft, Red Cap

Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.

Rayon Tip, 50/box 4140CQBX

Dacron Tip, 50/box 4138CQBX

MINI TIP LQ AMIES

Suitable for ear, nose, throat, eye and male urethral swab sampling. The narrow dimension of the swab shafts and small tip provides a more practical device for some pediatric swab sampling.



Regular Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon Tip, Orange Cap

Firm wire ideal design for male urethral sampling.

50/box 4142BX

NO MEDIA



Single Plastic Shaft

Rayon Tip, 1,000/case 4155CS

Dacron Tip, 100/box 4159BX

Single Aluminum Shaft

Rayon Tip, 1,000/case 4160CS

Dacron Tip, 1,000/case 4162CS

Single Twisted Wire Shaft

Rayon Tip, 1,000/case 4168CS

Rayon Tip, 100/box 4168BX

Sterile Swab, Aluminum Wire Shaft, without Tube

Dacron Tip, 100/box 4175BX

LIQUID STUART



Single Plastic Shaft, Dacron Tip, White Cap

Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.

50/box 4432BX



Double Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip, Red Cap

Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.

50/box 4019BX

MINI TIP LQ STUART

Suitable for ear, nose, throat, eye and male urethral swab sampling. The narrow dimension of the swab shafts and small tip provides a more practical device for some pediatric swab sampling.



Regular Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon Tip, Orange Cap

Firm wire ideal design for male urethral sampling.

50/box 4143BX



Soft Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon Tip, Green Cap

Soft wire that can be easily bent and pre-shaped.

50/box 4029BX

AMIES AGAR GEL WITH CHARCOAL

Presence of charcoal in medium neutralizes bacterial toxins and inhibitory substances. Amies formula with charcoal shown to increase the recovery of *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*.



**Single Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip,
Black Cap**
Throat, wound and urogenital specimens.
50/box 4114BX



**Double Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip,
White Cap**
Throat, wound and urogenital specimens
50/box 4136BX

MINI TIP AMIES CHARCOAL

Suitable for ear, nose, throat and eye cultures. Also male urethral samples for *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*. The narrow dimension of the swab shafts and small tip provides a more practical device for pediatric swab sampling



**Regular Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon
Tip, Orange Cap**
Firm wire ideal design for male urethral
sampling.
50/box 4116BX



**Soft Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon Tip,
Green Cap**
Soft wire that can be easily bent and
pre-shaped.
50/box 4125BX



**Flexible Twisted Wire Shaft, Rayon
Tip, Blue Cap**
Designed specifically for nasopharyngeal
sampling. Recommended for *Bordetella
pertussis* investigations. Very flexible, will
bend and yield when in contact with posterior
nasopharyngeal wall.
50/box 4192BX

AMIES AGAR GEL NO CHARCOAL



**Single Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip,
Blue Cap**
Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.
50/box 4108BX



**Double Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip,
Blue Cap**
Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.
50/box 4134BX

MINI TIP AMIES

Suitable for ear, nose, throat, eye and male urethral swab sampling. The narrow dimension of the swab shafts and small tip provides a more practical device for some pediatric swab sampling.



**Regular Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon
Tip, Orange Cap**
Firm wire ideal design for male urethral
sampling.
50/box 4110BX



**Soft Aluminum Wire Shaft, Rayon Tip,
Green Cap**
Soft wire that can be easily bent and
pre-shaped.
50/box 4124BX



**Flexible Twisted Wire Shaft, Rayon
Tip, Blue Cap**
Designed specifically for nasopharyngeal
sampling. Very flexible, will bend and yield
when in contact with posterior nasopharyn-
geal wall. Features a safe loop shaped
wire tip
50/box 4190BX

STUART AGAR GEL



Single Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip, Blue Cap

Throat, vaginal, wound and skin swabs.

50/box

4111BX

CARY-BLAIR AGAR GEL



Single Plastic Shaft, Rayon Tip, Red Cap

Rectal or fecal swab samples for enteric pathogens.

50/box

4132BX





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