

The Quick-MAG system consists of a low-cost rugged magneto-optical sensing subsystem to detect and quantify the presence of hemozoin in plasma samples. Blood samples are collected by a simple venipuncture and prepared for the reader using a disposable reagent and pipette pack. One pack used per sample. Quick-MAG is a highly-sensitive malaria screening tool for low-resource settings. It is based on the detection of hemozoin, produced by all malaria parasites and present in infected blood. Quick-MAG uses a phone-based application to process the test and provide high-confidence malaria parasitemia diagnosis.







Quick-MAG Field Unit Specs

Mechanical

Dimensions $43 \times 36 \times 24 \text{ cm}^3$ Weight 11.8 kg (26 lbs)

Additional Features Waterproof, crushproof, dustproof, Lockable, Carry-on for air travel

Power Specifications

Power Supply Rechargable battery pack (24V)

Operation Time 80 Tests on one charge Charging Power 120 - 240 V 40 - 60 Hz

Power 15 W/hr

Additional Features Interchangeable battery packs

Testing Specications

Sample Required 100 µL of patient blood Sample Collection Lancet ventipuncture

Prep Time: 15 minutes

Measurement Time: 3 minutes

Sample Processing Time 10 minutes

Data Collection Time 1 minute

Test Kits: 10 Disposable test kits/Box

Sensitivity 0.002% parasitemia (40 parasites/ μ L)

Limit of Detection 40 parasites/L (0.002% parasitemia for ring stage P. Vivax

Sample Volume 0.3 ml