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ADVISORY NOTICE

Erba MDx SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR Kit (Cat. No.: PCR00001)

Dear customers,

We would like to inform you, that based on acknowledged stability and post market surveillance studies data, we:

- 1) extend the expiration date for Erba MDx SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR Kit from 12 months to 24 months,
- 2) provide you with additional information regarding Erba MDx SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR Kit reagent preparation and storage:

“Following rehydration, the kit should preferably be used immediately, or aliquoted and frozen at -20°C for up to 1 month.

Rehydrated kit components may be stored at 2–8°C for a maximum of 6 hours prior to use but must then be frozen or discarded. Sensitivity of the test will decline if stored for longer periods.

Suggested frozen aliquot sizes are: $\geq 100\mu\text{l}$ SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR Master mix, $\geq 20\mu\text{l}$ Positive Control.

Once thawed, aliquots should be used immediately and not refrozen. Sensitivity of the test will decline if subjected to multiple freeze-thaw cycles.”

- 3) provide you with additional information regarding Erba MDx SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR Kit compatibility with following PCR instruments:

Product	Product Code	Manufacturer
QuantStudio™ Real-Time PCR systems: 1, 3, 5, 6 pro, 7 pro	A40426 A28567 A28139 A44288 A43162	ThermoFisher Scientific
LightCycler® 480 Instrument 96-well LightCycler® 480 Instrument II 96-well	04 640 268 001 05 015 278 001	Roche

For additional info regarding LightCycler® 480 Instrument settings, please refer to online version of IFU on our website: <https://www.eralachema.com/en/product-support/instructions/pcr-instructions/>

In case of any questions, please contact your local ERBA team.

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