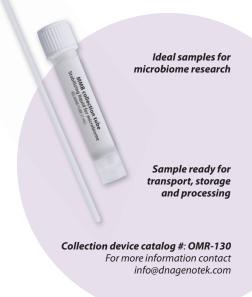




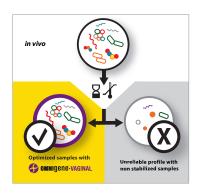
Optimized solution for sample collection, nucleic acid stabilization and microbial profile snapshot

The OMNIgene®•VAGINAL device is validated for the collection and stabilization of microbial DNA and RNA for molecular microbiology and microbiome research.

- Easy self-collection of high quality nucleic acids from vaginal samples
- Ensure the microbial profile accurately represents the *in vivo* profile
- Stabilize DNA and RNA at room temperature for up to 4 weeks no cold chain transportation required
- High quality nucleic acids suitable for molecular downstream applications (i.e., PCR, RT-qPCR, microarray, NGS)







Benefits of snapshotting a sample for quantitative analysis

Stabilization of the sample at point of collection ensures:

- Neutrality
- Richness
- Abundance
- Reproducibility
- Stability

Benefits

- Collect microbial nucleic acids from a single vaginal sample
- Minimize bias introduced by microbial growth and nucleic acid degradation
- Maintain DNA and RNA integrity in typical ambient temperature fluctuations (e.g., -20°C to 30°C)
- Eliminate the costs associated with temperature controlled shipping
- Minimize noise in your data analysis with reliable microbiota profile

Performance characteristics

Attribute	OMNIgene•VAGINAL (OMR-130)
High quality microbial nucleic acids	DNA & RNA
Microbiome profile stability at room temperature	4 weeks
Eliminate cold chain shipping	✓
Standardized format for high throughput processing	✓
Number of extractions per kit	2
Suitable for NGS downstream applications	✓

Kit contents



Product specifications
Pre-use:

Shelf-life: 12 months

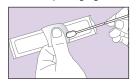
Post sample collection Storage conditions: 15°C to 25°C

Sample stability: 30 days

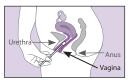
Easy collection



Remove the tube from the packaging.



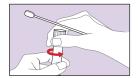
Remove the swab from the packaging using the handle only.



Gently insert the swab 3 to 5 cm into the vagina.



Move the swab in several full circles along the vaginal walls for 20 seconds.



While holding the swab in one hand, carefully unscrew the cap from the collection tube.





Insert the swab into the bottom of the tube and snap the shaft off at the break point.



Tightly screw the cap back onto the tube.

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