

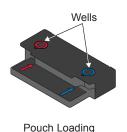
#### Not For Diagnostic Use.

NOTE: Components from the Food & Water Panel kit should not be stored or used with any other kit.

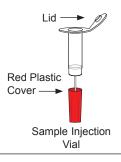




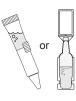












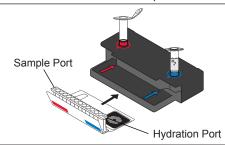
Sample Buffer Ampoule

To avoid contamination, always wear clean gloves and work behind a protective shield.

Station

## Step 1: Prepare Pouch

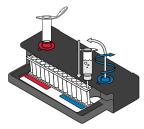
- a. Insert pouch into Pouch Loading Station.
- b. Place the Sample Injection Vial into red well.
- c. Place Hydration Injection Vial into blue well.



# Step 2: Hydrate Pouch

- a. Unscrew Hydration Injection Vial from cover.
- b. Remove Hydration Injection Vial, leaving blue plastic cover in Pouch Loading Station.
- c. Insert Hydration Injection Vial into Hydration Port.
- **d.** Push down to puncture seal and wait as Hydration Solution is drawn into the pouch.

NOTE: Verify the pouch has been hydrated.



## Step 3: Prepare Sample Mix

NOTE: Gently invert sample container until thoroughly mixed.

- a. Stomacher preparation should be completed before preceding.
- **b.** Use the Transfer Pipette to draw sample to the **2**<sup>nd</sup> line. Add the sample to Sample Injection Vial.

**Add Sample Buffer (NOTE:** There are 2 possible designs of the Sample Buffer Ampoule)

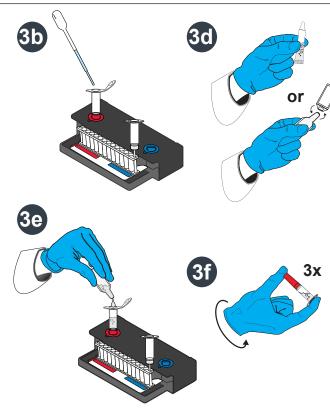
- **c.** Hold the Sample Buffer Ampoule with the tip facing up.
  - **NOTE:** Do not touch the tip of the ampoule.
- d. Firmly pinch textured plastic tab on the side of the ampoule until the seal snaps or if there is no textured tab on the side, gently twist off the plastic tab on the tip.
- **e.** Dispense Sample Buffer into Sample Injection Vial using a slow, forceful squeeze, followed by a **2**<sup>nd</sup> squeeze.

NOTE: Avoid generating excessive foaming.

- f. Tightly close lid and invert the Sample Injection Vial 3 times.
- **g.** Return Sample Injection Vial to red well of Pouch Loading Station.

**WARNING:** Contact with sample buffer can cause serious eye damage and skin irritation and is harmful if swallowed.







## Step 4: Load Sample Mix

- a. Unscrew Sample Injection Vial from red plastic cover.
- b. Wait for 5 seconds, then remove Sample Injection Vial, leaving red plastic cover in Pouch Loading Station.

NOTE: Waiting five seconds decreases the contamination risk.

- c. Insert Sample Injection Vial into Sample Port.
- **d.** Push down to puncture seal, then wait as sample mix is drawn into

## Step 5: Run Pouch

a. Follow instructions on computer for starting a test.

Run Summary - Displays information about the sample and a summary of the controls and test results.

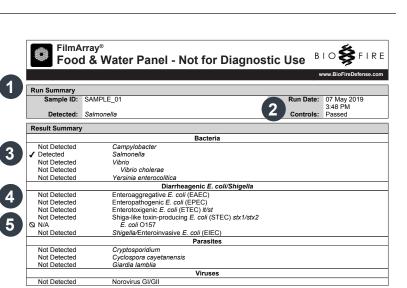
- 1. Run Status:
  - If 'Completed', run is complete.
  - If 'Incomplete', 'Aborted', or any other error message, RETEST SAMPLE.
- 2. Internal Controls:
  - · If 'Passed', results are valid.
  - If 'Failed' or 'Invalid', RETEST SAMPLE.

**Result Summary** - Displays the test results for each organism.

- 'Detected': Lists names of any detected organisms.
- 4. 'Not Detected': Lists names of organisms that were not detected.
- 5. 'ø N/A', pathogen was not reported. Refer to Instruction Booklet for more information.

Run Details - Displays information about the pouch, protocol, run status, operator, instrument, serial number, and lot number.

NOTE: If repeated 'Error' or 'Invalid' messages are obtained, contact BioFire Defense Technical Support.



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**Run Details** 

Pouch: F&W Pans.
Run Status: Completed
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