

Urgent Field Safety Notice

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Tina-quant IgG Gen.2 on cobas c 503: missing extra wash cycle (EWC) for CSF application

Product Name	IGG-2, Tina-quant IgG Gen.2
GMMI / Part No	08057915190
Instrument/System Affected	cobas c 503 analyzer
SW Version	Not applicable
Type of Action	Field Safety Corrective Action (FSCA)

Dear Valued Customer,

Description of Situation

With this notification we would like to inform you that we have discovered internally that an extra wash cycle (EWC) for patient's samples is missing in the carry-over evasion list for the application of IGG-2 CSF on **cobas c 503** analyzers.

As CSF samples have lower concentrations than serum samples, due to carry over, a CSF sample might yield discrepant higher results if a serum sample or control is analyzed right before it. In addition, the customer cannot determine if the result is wrong.

Root Cause

Known Sample carryover effect. The corresponding Sample probe EWC is missing due to human error.

Actions to be taken by Roche Diagnostics

The carry-over evasion list and the corresponding sample probe carry-over evasion file will be updated and will be available to customers on 1st of October 2019.

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Actions to be taken by the customer/user

Until the carry-over evasion list and the corresponding sample probe carry-over evasion file is updated and published, customers need to add an EWC to the respective application manually (please find instructions attached to this FSN-CPS-2019-019).

Communication of this Field Safety Notice (if appropriate)

This notice must be passed on to all those who need to be aware within your organization or to any organization/individual where the potentially affected lots have been distributed/supplied.

Please transfer this notice to other organizations/individuals on which this action has an impact.

Please maintain awareness of this notice and resulting action for an appropriate period to ensure the effectiveness of the corrective action.

The following statement is mandatory in FSNs for EEA countries but is not required for the rest of the World:

Include if applicable: The undersigned confirms that this notice has been notified to the appropriate Regulatory Agency.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and hope for your understanding and your support.

Best regards,

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