

A short guide for sample collection and shipping of cell samples sent to [Idexx Bioanalytics](#) for PCR-based pathogen testing

All collection of material should be performed aseptically to prevent contamination of samples.

Idexx Bioanalytics	General information	Sample (Idexx guidelines)	Submission form and test profile	Shipping	Shipping address and e-mail
	https://www.idexxbioanalytics.eu/impact/	<p>Submit one cryovial (or other screw cap tube) of each sample with a minimum of 1×10^6 cells/vial.</p> <p>The cells may be in the form of a pellet or in growth media, freeze media or phosphate-buffered saline.</p>	<p>Online submission</p> <p><u>Test profiles</u></p> <p>-Cell lines to be used in mice: <i>IMPACT Mouse I + C. bovis</i></p> <p>-Cell lines to be used in rats: <i>IMPACT Rat V + C. bovis</i></p> <p>-Cell lines to be used in both mice and rats: <i>IMPACT Comprehensive Murine profile + C. bovis</i></p>	<p>Contact Idexx for assistance to order the courier collection, or use a transport courier of your choice (e.g. DHL or FedEx).</p> <p>The documents necessary for transport and labeling will be provided by Idexx and the transport courier.</p> <p>A copy of the transport form is to be placed inside the transport box.</p> <p>Ship samples overnight with sufficient ice packs or dry ice so that samples remain frozen during shipment.</p> <p>Avoid shipment on Fridays.</p> <p>Contact Idexx for a free sample collection kit.</p>	<p>IDEXX BioAnalytics Vet Med Labor GmbH Moerikestrasse 28/1 71636 Ludwigsburg Germany</p> <p>Phone: +49 (0) 7141 64 83 585</p> <p>Email: idxxbioresearch-europe@idexx.com</p>

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