

# SteriKit™

For sterile manufacturing areas

**SteriKit™ is a swab based system for the detection of microbial contamination in sterile production facilities.**

Samples are collected using Steriswab™ premoistened swabs, and inserted into the SteriKit™ tubes containing an enriched semi-solid medium with colour change growth indicator. Upon incubation any bacteria will grow and cause the colour of the medium to change from purple to yellow within 48 hours.

The time taken will depend on the number of organisms, but in the event of any colour development, the swab and medium can be used for further investigation by conventional or molecular microbiological techniques.

- The product is triple wrapped to allow sterile handling in controlled areas, and sterilised by irradiation.
- Colour-change indication of microbial growth
- Enriched growth medium for enhanced detection for low numbers
- Premoistened swab for effective sampling
- Formulated and tested in accordance with UK, European & US Pharmacopoeias
- Ambient temperature storage



Pre-moistened



# Steriswab™

Sampling for critical surfaces

**Steriswabs™ are designed for sampling of critical surfaces including nozzles and equipment in sterile production units in hospitals and in the pharmaceutical industries. They are also particularly useful for surveillance of clean and food contact surfaces in the food manufacturing industry.**

Steriswabs™ have a rayon bud on a blue plastic shaft, and are premoistened with a sterile phosphate buffer. The moistened bud improves the recovery of any microorganisms from the test surface, even if present in low numbers. The swabs have a 45mm breakpoint allowing them to be readily transferred into other test systems.

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# Flexiswab™

Longer flexible-shafted swab

**Flexiswab™ is ideal for taps, pipes, vents, valves, vats, machinery, crevices, and other hard-to-reach areas**

- Strong flexible longer 8 inch/ 205mm shaft for extra reach around bends without breaking.
- High visibility blue shaft
- Larger rayon bud for effective sampling with good absorption and release.
- Tamper evident seal ensures sterility prior to sampling
- Labelled tube for transport of sample, and recording site details



Effective sampling of critical surfaces in sterile production