



# SYSTEM OF NARCOTICS IDENTIFICATION

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE


### TEST P

**FOR:** Propoxyphene

#### Test Function

1. This reagent system presumptively identifies Propoxyphene.

#### How to Use Test P

1. Remove clip and insert into the test pack an amount of powdered suspect material that would fit inside this circle.  Reseal with clip and tap gently to assure material falls to bottom of pack.
2. With the printed side of the test pack facing you, break the ampules from left to right. Break by squeezing the center of the ampule with the tips of the thumb and forefinger.
3. Break the left ampule. Agitate gently for one minute. A pink solution will result.
4. Break the middle ampule. Agitate gently for one minute. A blue color will develop in the presence of propoxyphene. If a blue color does not occur, stop testing. No drug can be presumed present.
5. Break right ampule and agitate gently. If a blue color remains, presume propoxyphene is present.

#### Interpretation of Resulting Colors

1. A blue color is a presumed positive for propoxyphene at the completion of this test.
2. Methadone is a false positive in this test.
3. It is advisable that this test be used in conjunction with others in the Polytesting System. Test H will screen Propoxyphene.

#### CAUTION

- A. Since these tests contain strong acids, it is suggested that Test F - Acid Neutralizer be used after testing and before disposal.
- B. Before discarding used test packs, remove clip and add one measure of acid neutralizer from Test F.
- C. Add slowly to prevent bubbling over.
- D. DO NOT reseal the test pouch until effervescence has completely stopped.
- E. Reseal pouch with clip and discard in a tamper-free disposal unit.
- F. No attempt should be made to crush the glass particles after the ampoules are broken.
- G. **Antidote:** In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. If swallowed, do not give emetics. Contact a physician.

#### WARNING

These tests are NOT designed for use with liquid samples.



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