# RapidVet<sup>®</sup>-H

**Blood Typing Kits - Canine and Feline** 





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## **Blood Typing Kits - Canine and Feline**

In-practice tests for rapid determination of Canine DEA 1.1 and Feline A, B or AB blood types. These fast in-house blood typing card kits for Dogs and Cats are essential for transfusion and breeding decisions. They are fast, easy to use, economical and can be stored at

### **RAPIDVET-H CANINE**

- For Canine DEA 1.1
- Fast, easy to use, economical & VITAL
- Results in 2 minutes
- Auto-agglutination screen
- Requires 3 drops of whole blood
- Available in kits of 5

"Every dog in need of a transfusion should be blood typed" Dr. Urs Giger, Dr.med.vet., Dip ACVIM, ECVIM

#### room temperature.



## **RAPIDVET-H FELINE**

- For Feline A, B & AB
- Fast, easy, economical & VITAL
- Results in 2 minutes
- Auto-agglutination screen
- Requires 3 drops of whole blood
- Available in kits of 5

#### "Every cat used for breeding or receiving a transfusion should be blood typed"

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## USE IN CONJUNCTION WITH RAPIDVET-H CROSSMATCH KITS

### **RAPIDVET-H DAL**

Canine blood types other than DEA 1 can also be important in transfusion decisions. RapidVet-H Canine DAL is intended for use to classify dogs as DAL positive or negative.

This information can be essential in donor selection, especially in the Dalmatian, Doberman, Shih Tzu and Lhasa Apso breeds, which reportedly have a higher percentage of DAL-negative blood types. It is also useful in determining the cause of an incompatible crossmatch between DEA 1 compatible dogs.

As many as 98% of canines, including blood donors, carry the DAL antigen. This antigen elicits strong immunogenicity. Sensitisation through transfusion can occur in dogs that lack it.

DAL-negative blood types are more common in certain breeds and they are more at risk of delayed and acute haemolytic transfusion reactions if transfused with DAL-positive blood. Doberman Pinschers are especially at risk since the prevalence of both DAL-negative blood and von Willebrand disease is relatively high.



- Enable more complete, in-clinic, pre-transfusion work-up and donor selection
- Useful in determining possible cause of an incompatible crossmatch between DEA 1 compatible dogs
- Clear, easy-to-follow instructions
- Visible result within 1-2 minutes
- 2 or 5 card kits available

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