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Abbott for SARS-CoV-2 serology

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Serology tests across the spectrum of testing needs

SEROLOGY TESTS

- Blood tests
- Determine if someone was infected and developed antibodies
- Detect antibodies (e.g., IgM and IgG) found in blood days to weeks after symptoms appear
- Help better understand the virus and support development of treatments and vaccines



RAPID TESTS

- Easy to use at point of care
- 20 µl fingerstick blood sample, venous whole blood, plasma or serum
- • Results: 10–20 minutes



Alinity® i



ARCHITECT®
i2000SR



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LAB TESTS

- Used on instruments in hospitals and labs
- Throughput up to 100–200 tests per hour
- Time to first result 29 minutes

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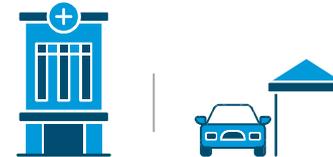
NOTE: Test availability varies by country.

Molecular and serology tests expand access to testing across decentralized and centralized settings

DECENTRALIZED TESTING



CENTRALIZED TESTING



Turnaround time and testing volume

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Our solutions have potential to span multiple care settings



	Abbott RealTime <i>m2000</i>	Alinity i	ARCHITECT <i>i1000SR</i>	ARCHITECT <i>i2000SR</i>	Panbio
LOCATION					
Reference Lab	●	●	●	●	
Referral Hospital	●	●	●	●	
Regional Hospital	●	●	●	●	●
District Hospital/Health Post (PCP office)	●	●	●	●	●
First Responders					●
CHANNEL					
Governments, Ministries of Health	●	●	●	●	●
Global Funders, NGOs	●	●	●	●	●
Distributors	●	●	●	●	●
Direct Sales Hospitals and Labs	●	●	●	●	●
Reference Labs	●	●	●	●	●
Pharmacies, Web Sales		●	●	●	●
Employers, Borders		●	●	●	●

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WHO case definitions

Suspect case

A. A patient with acute respiratory illness (fever and at least one sign/symptom of respiratory disease, e.g., cough, shortness of breath), AND a history of travel to or residence in a location reporting community transmission of COVID-19 disease during the 14 days prior to symptom onset;

OR

B. A patient with any acute respiratory illness AND having been in contact with a confirmed or probable COVID-19 case (see definition of contact) in the last 14 days prior to symptom onset;

OR

C. A patient with severe acute respiratory illness (fever and at least one sign/symptom of respiratory disease, e.g., cough, shortness of breath; AND requiring hospitalization) AND in the absence of an alternative diagnosis that fully explains the clinical presentation.

Probable case

A. A suspect case for whom testing for the COVID-19 virus is inconclusive.

OR

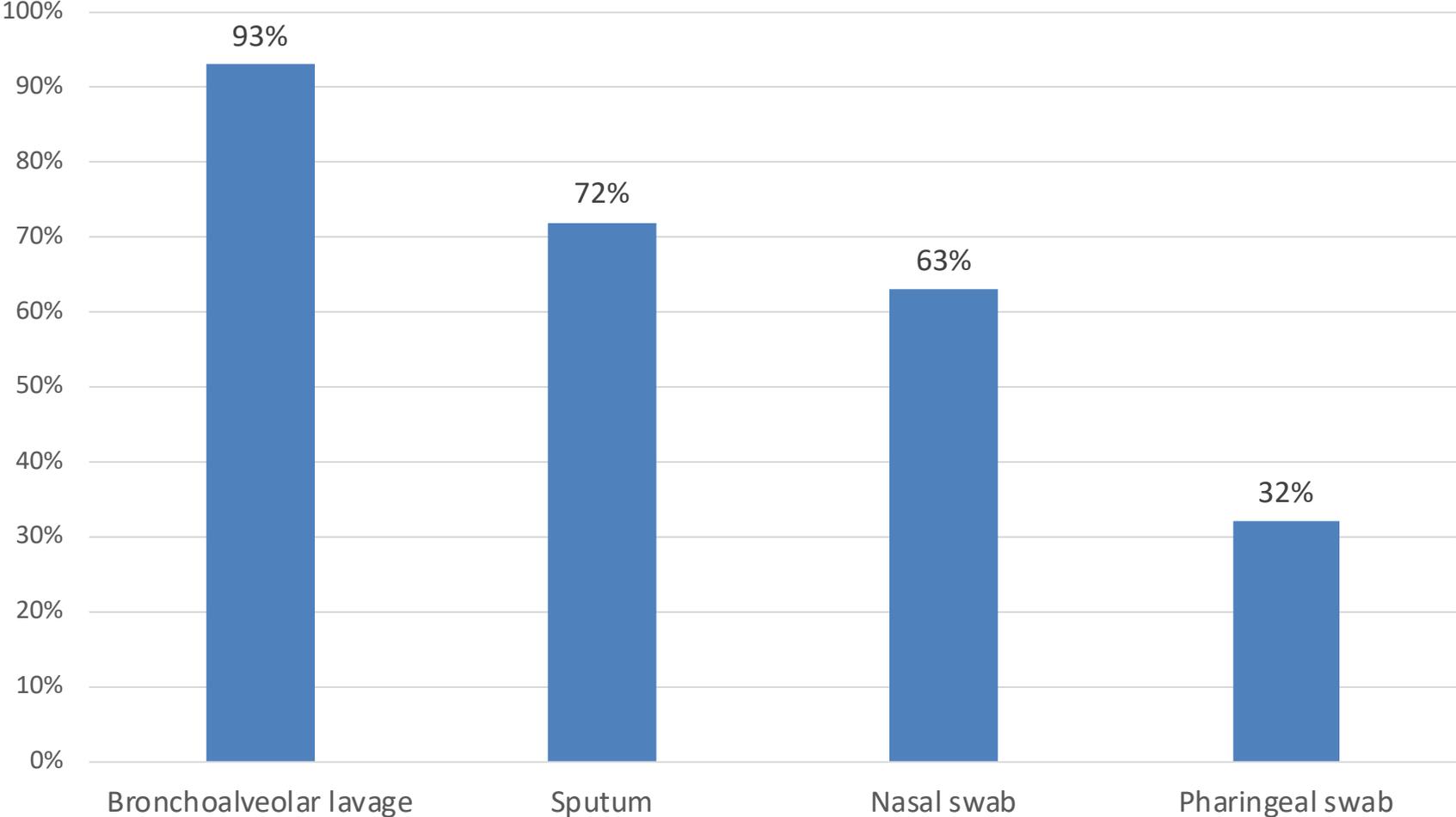
B. A suspect case for whom testing could not be performed for any reason.

Confirmed case

A person with laboratory confirmation of COVID-19 infection, irrespective of clinical signs and symptoms.

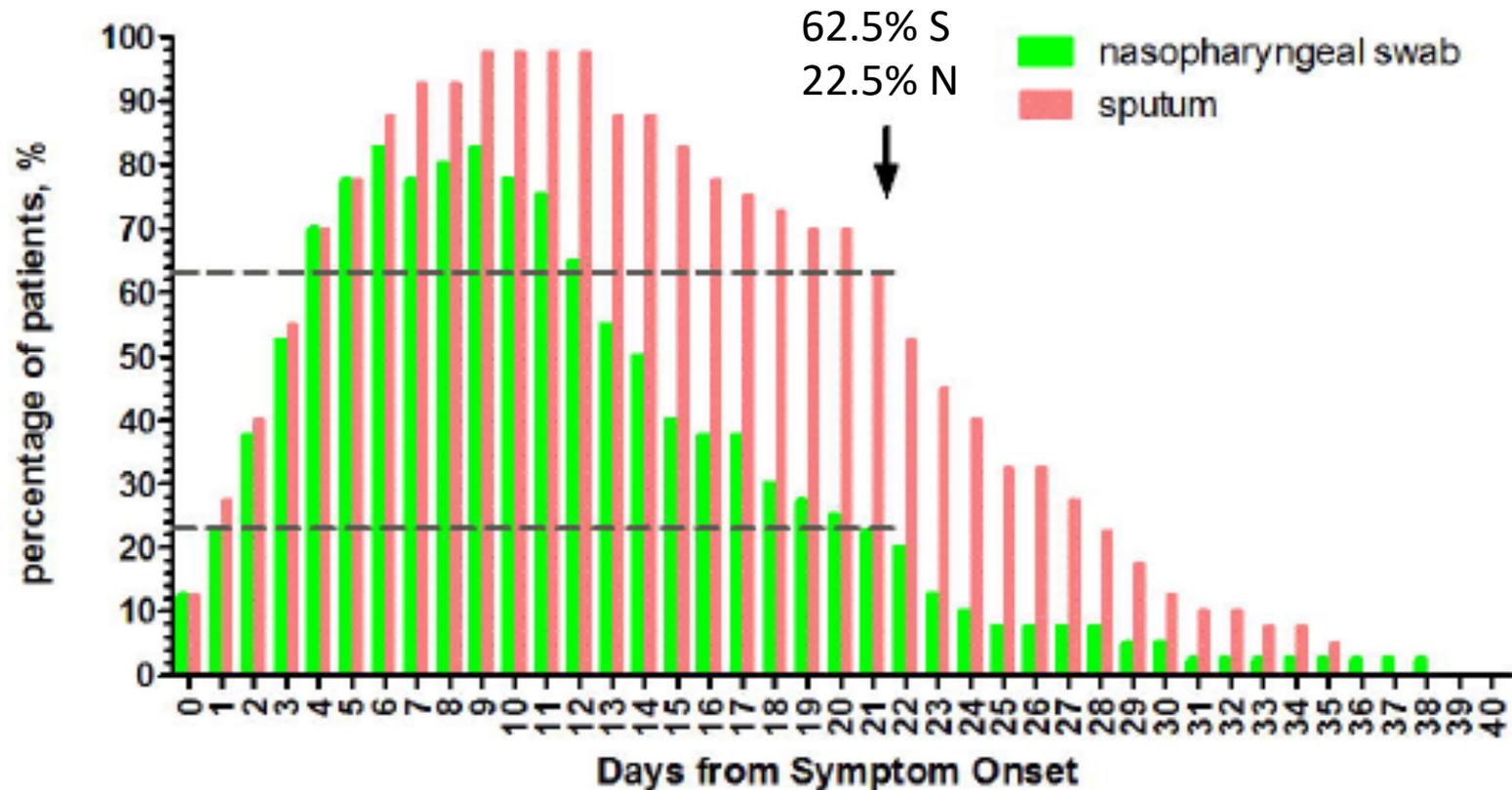
See laboratory guidance for details: <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/technicalguidance/laboratory-guidance>

SARS-CoV-2 RNA positivity rates by sample type



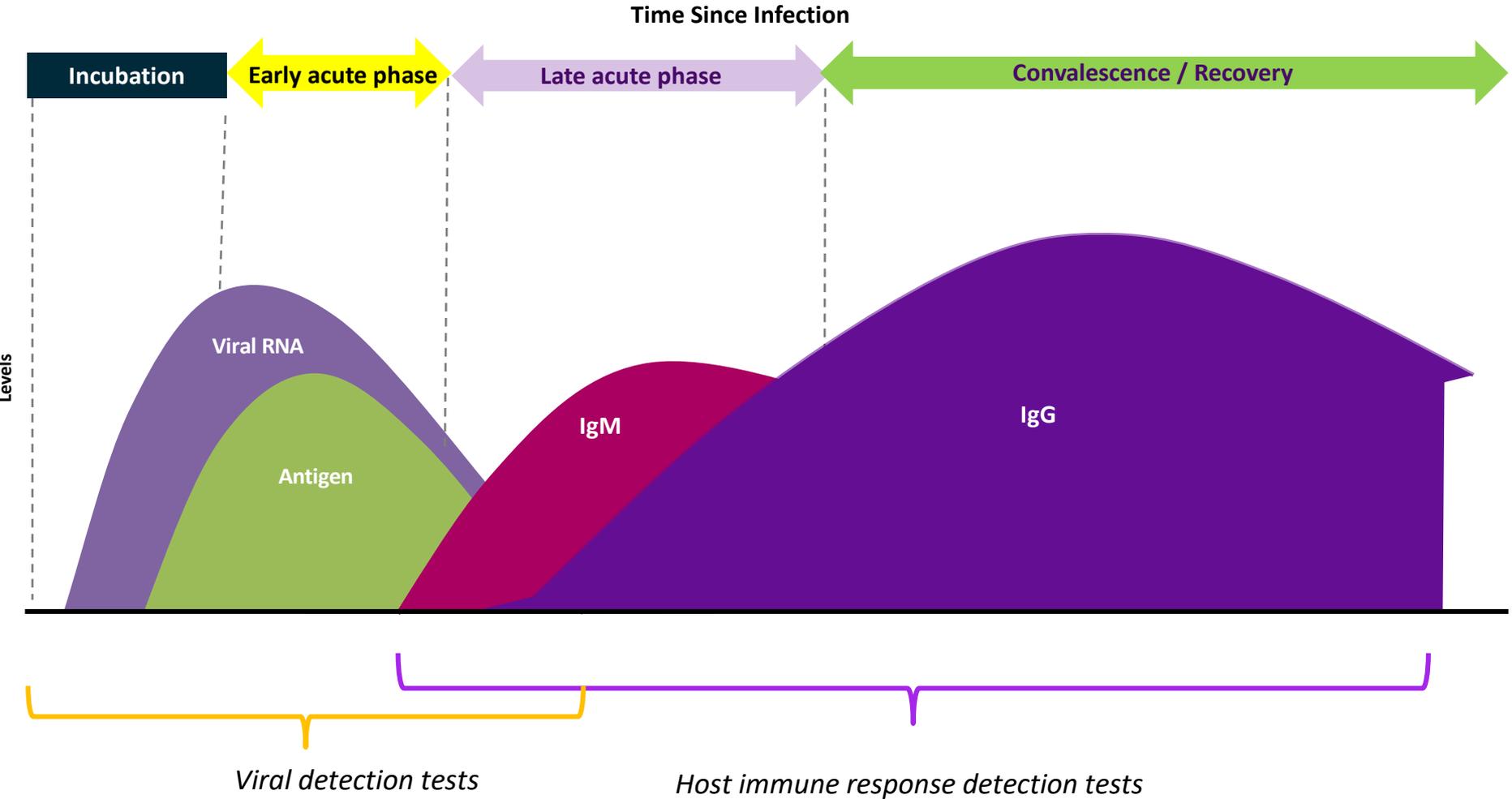
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From: W. Tan et al, medRxiv preprint doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.03.24.20042382>

Viral and host biomarkers in SARS-CoV-2 infection



WHO diagnostic criteria for COVID-19

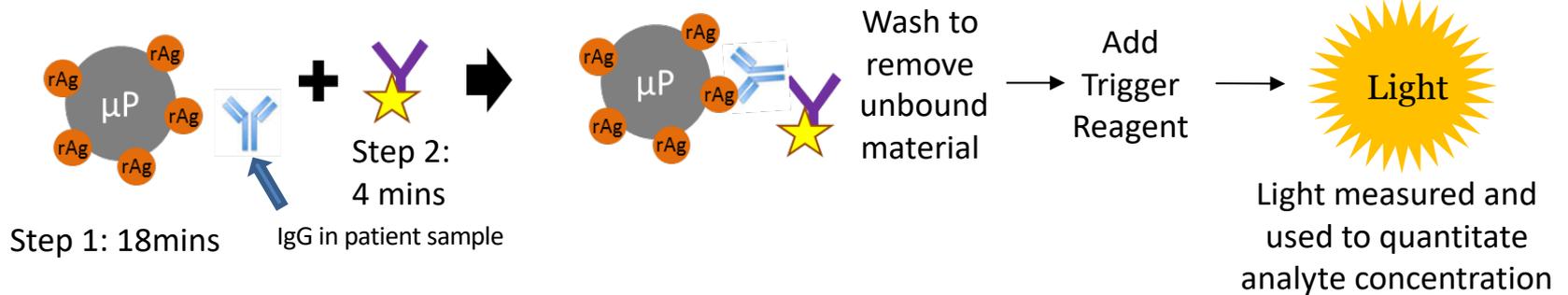
- Serological surveys can aid investigation of an ongoing outbreak and retrospective assessment of the attack rate or extent of an outbreak.
- In cases where NAAT assays are negative and there is a strong epidemiological link to COVID-19 infection, paired serum samples (in the acute and convalescent phase) could support diagnosis once validated serology tests are available. Serum samples can be stored for these purposes.

WHO: Laboratory testing for coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in suspected human cases – Interim guideline. March 19th, 2020

Abbott ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG

- The SARS-CoV-2 IgG assay is a chemiluminescent microparticle immunoassay (CMIA) used for the qualitative detection of IgG antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 in human serum and plasma on the ARCHITECT i System.¹

SARS-CoV-2 IgG: 2-step indirect assay²

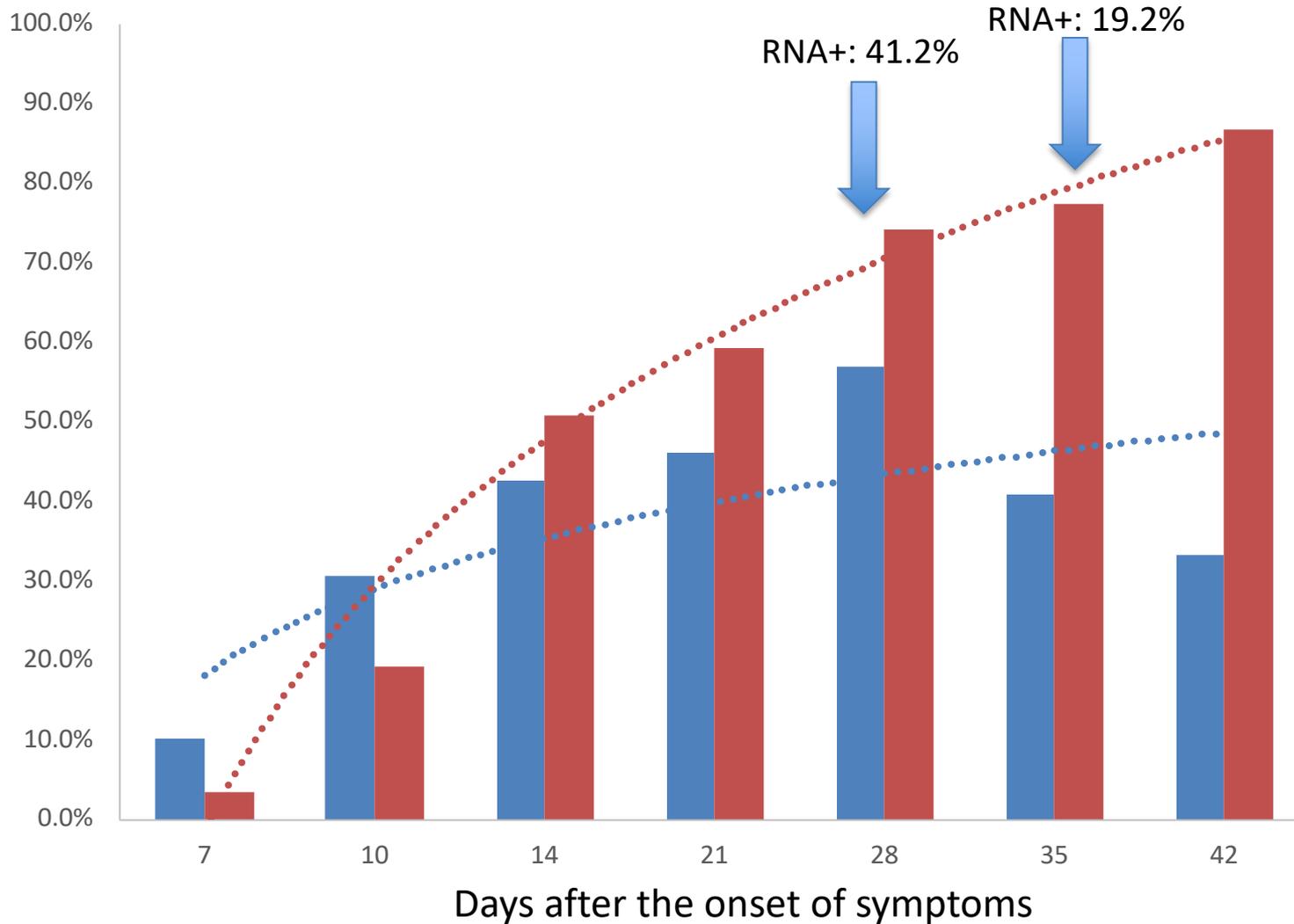


Assay components

Magnetic microparticles coated with recombinant SARS-CoV-2 nucleocapsid antigen
Acridinium labeled human anti-IgG

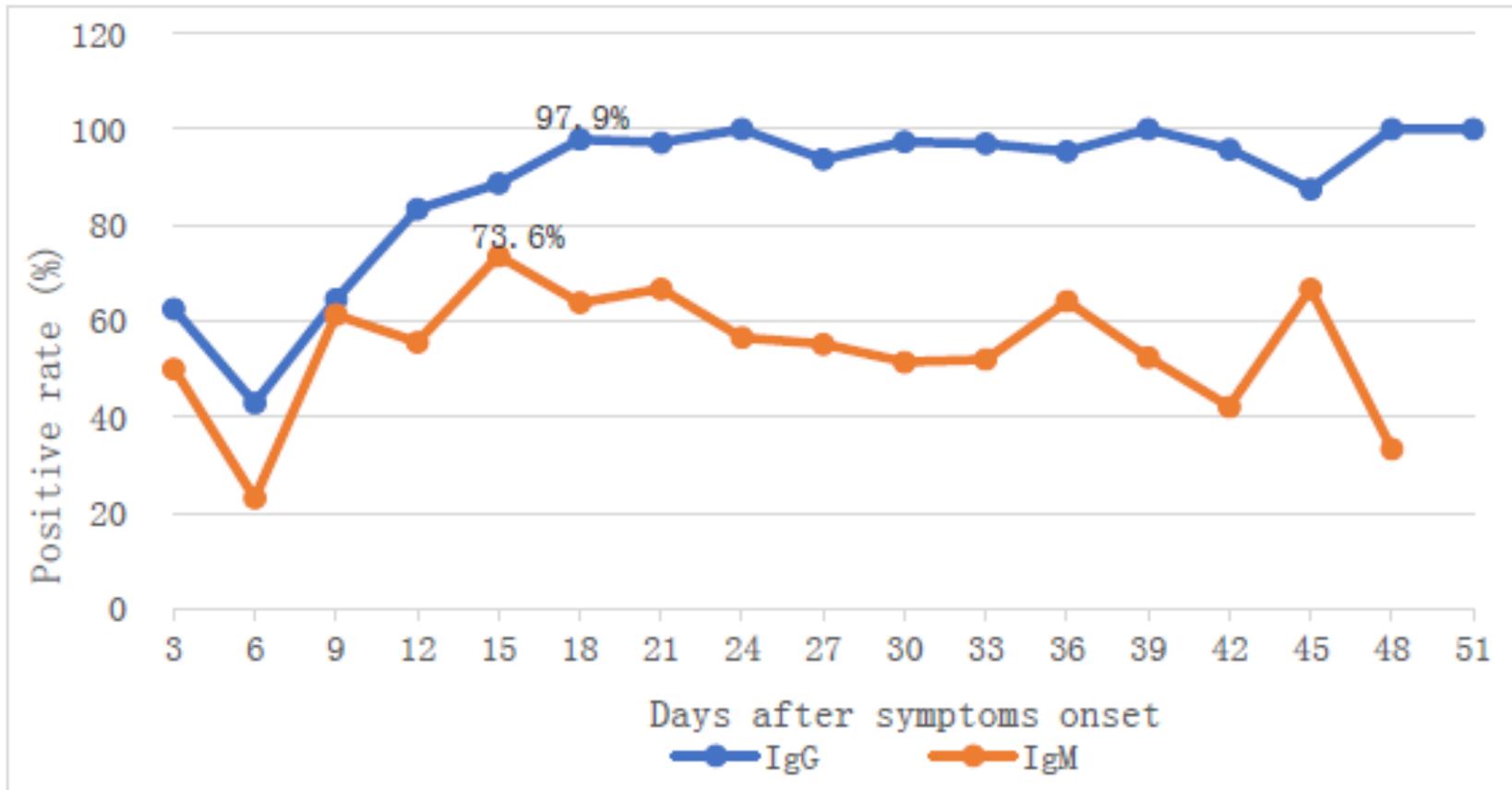
- Abbott ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG Instructions for Use.
- Data on file at Abbott Diagnostics

Positivity for IgM and IgG antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 in 67 patients



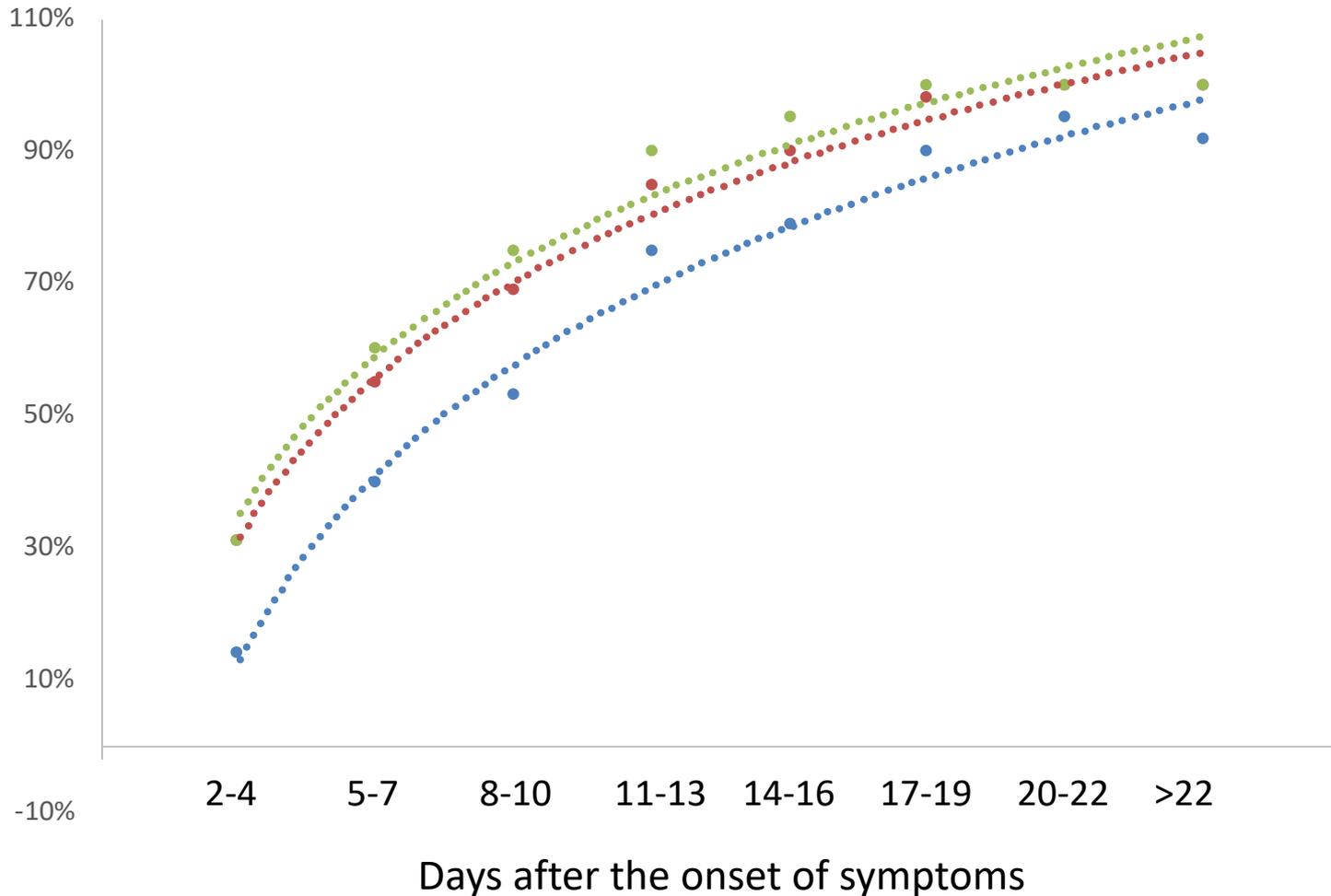
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Trends in the detection of SARS-CoV-2 IgM & IgG



From: Q. Hu et al, medRxiv preprint doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.04.20.20065953>

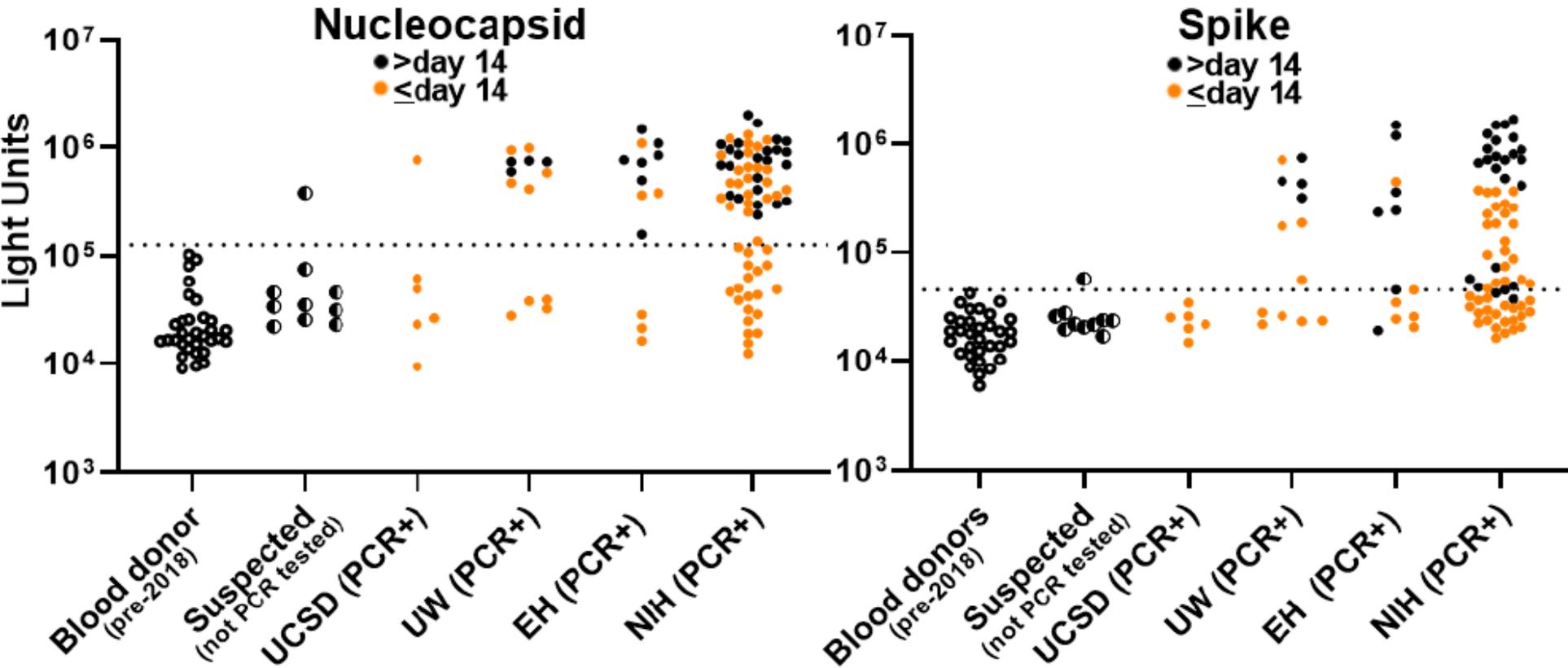
Positivity rates for IgM and IgG antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 in 285 patients with COVID-19 Blue=IgM; Red=IgG; Green= IgM and/or IgG



Modified from: Q-X. Long et al, Nat Medicine 2020; <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41591-020-0897-1>

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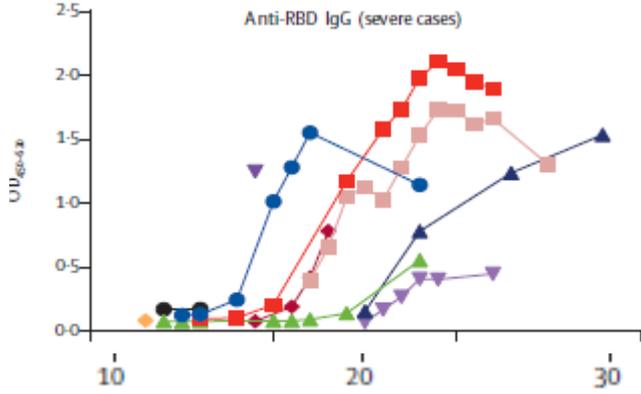
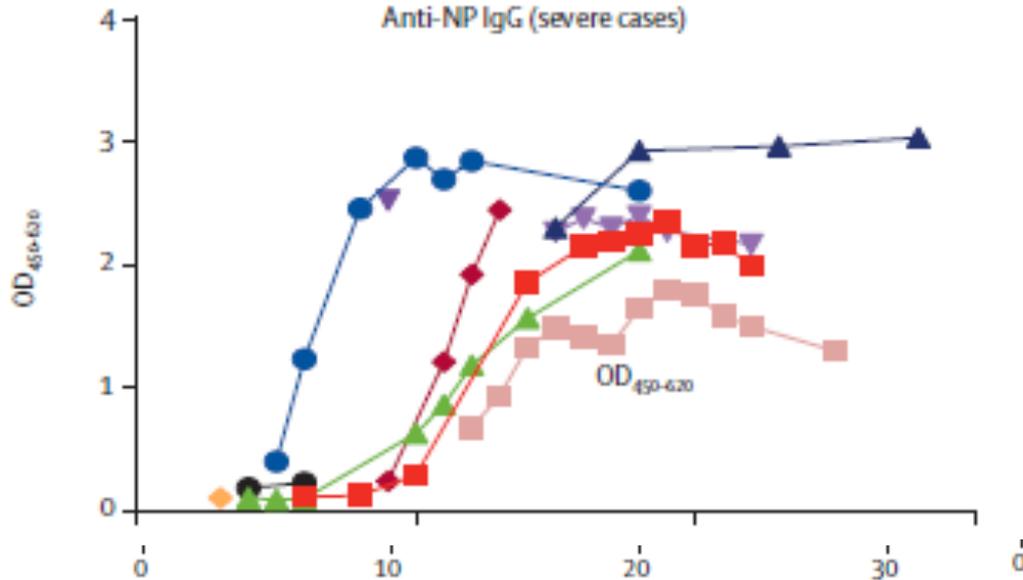
Detection of SARS-CoV-2 antibodies to N or S antigens



From: F. Burbelo et al, medRxiv 2020. doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.04.20.20071423>

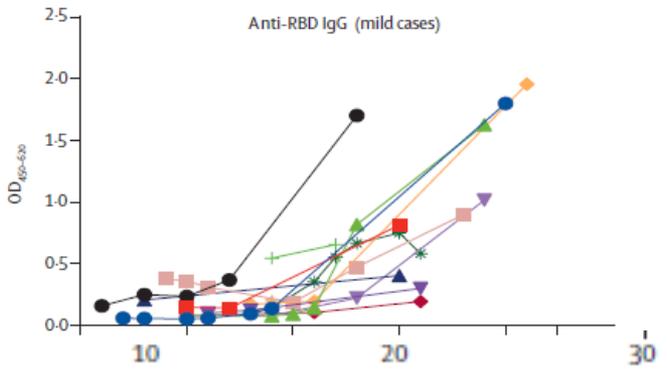
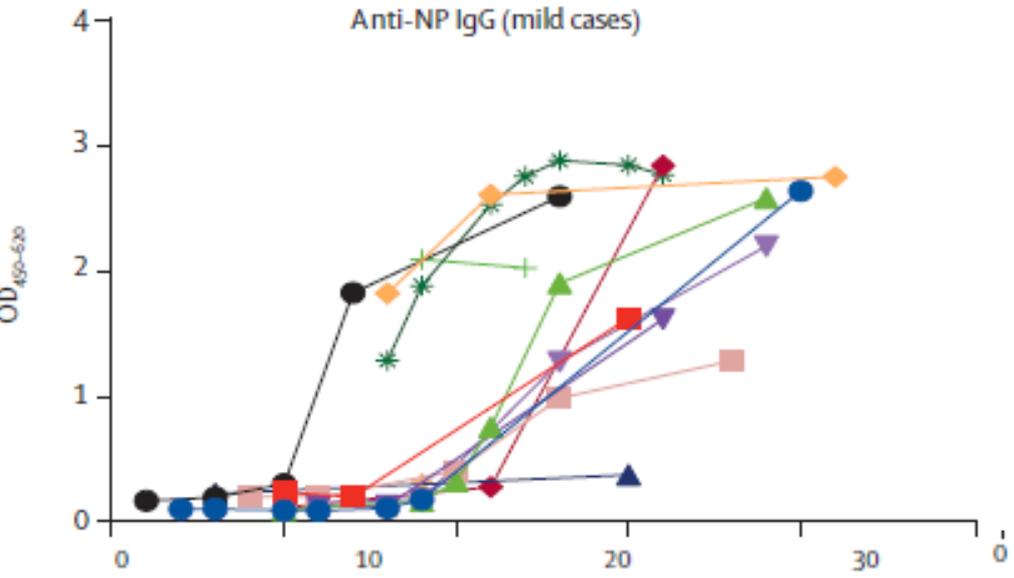
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SARS-CoV-2 IgG positivity – NP vs. RBD



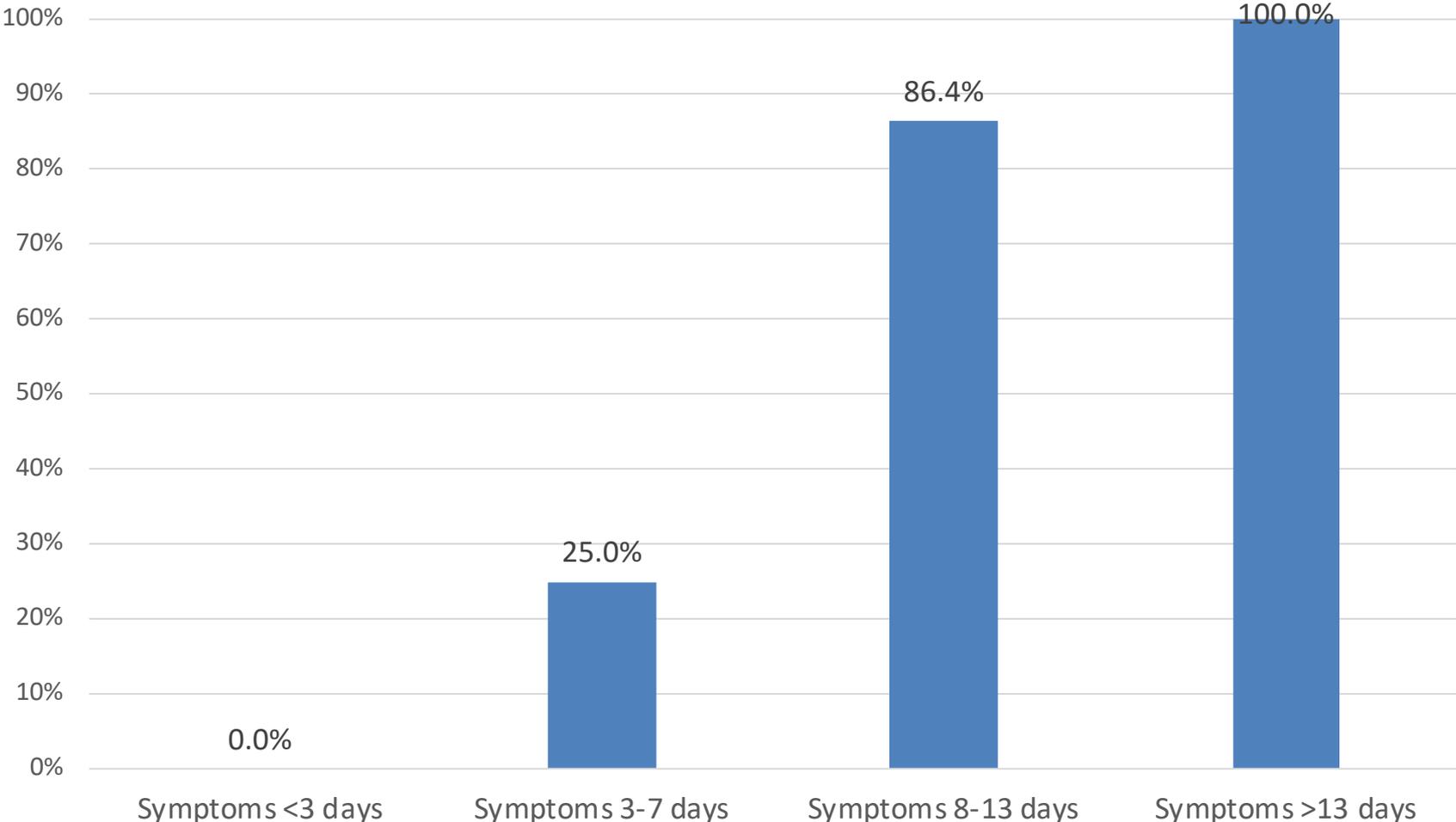
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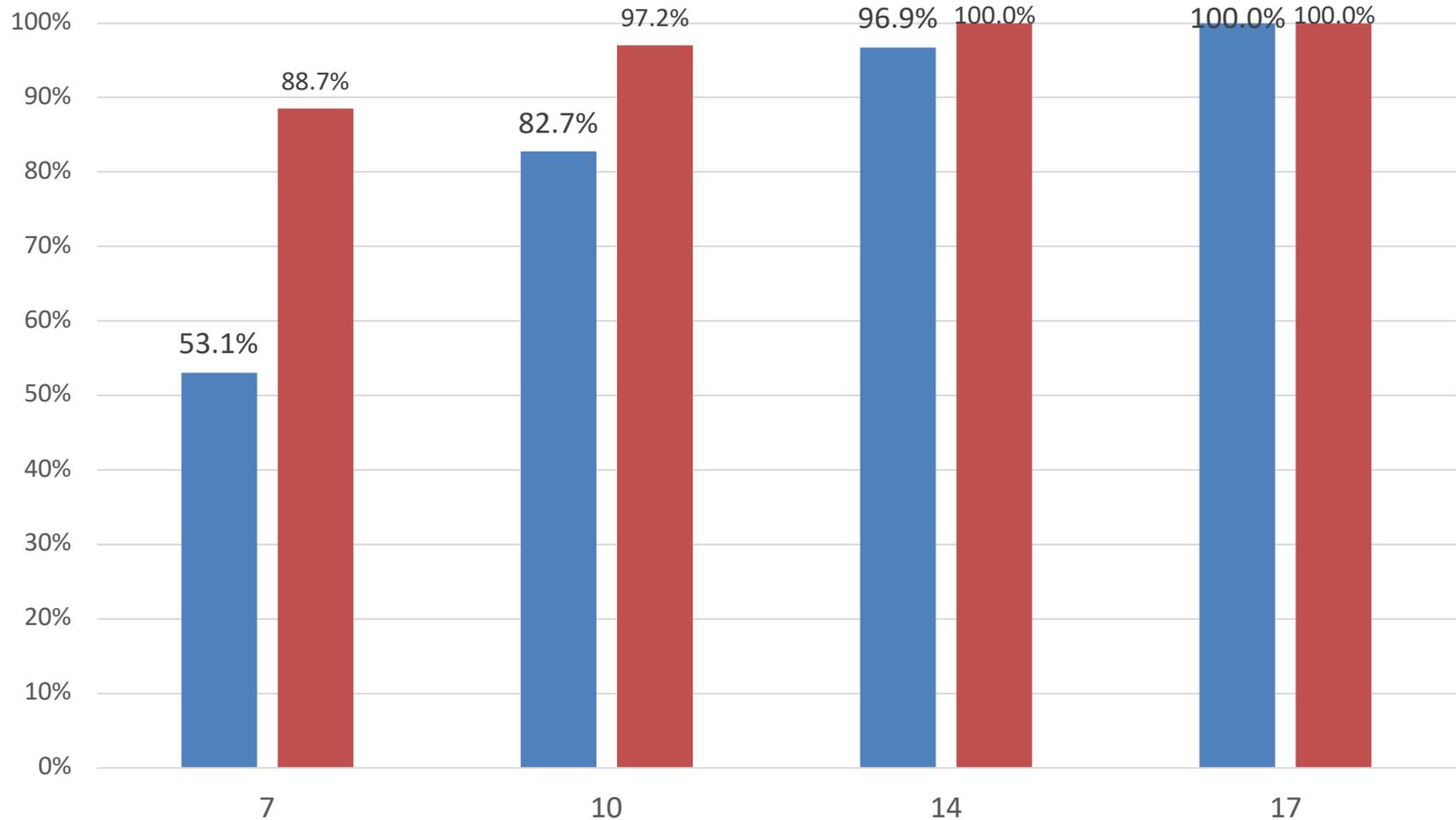
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ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG – positive agreement



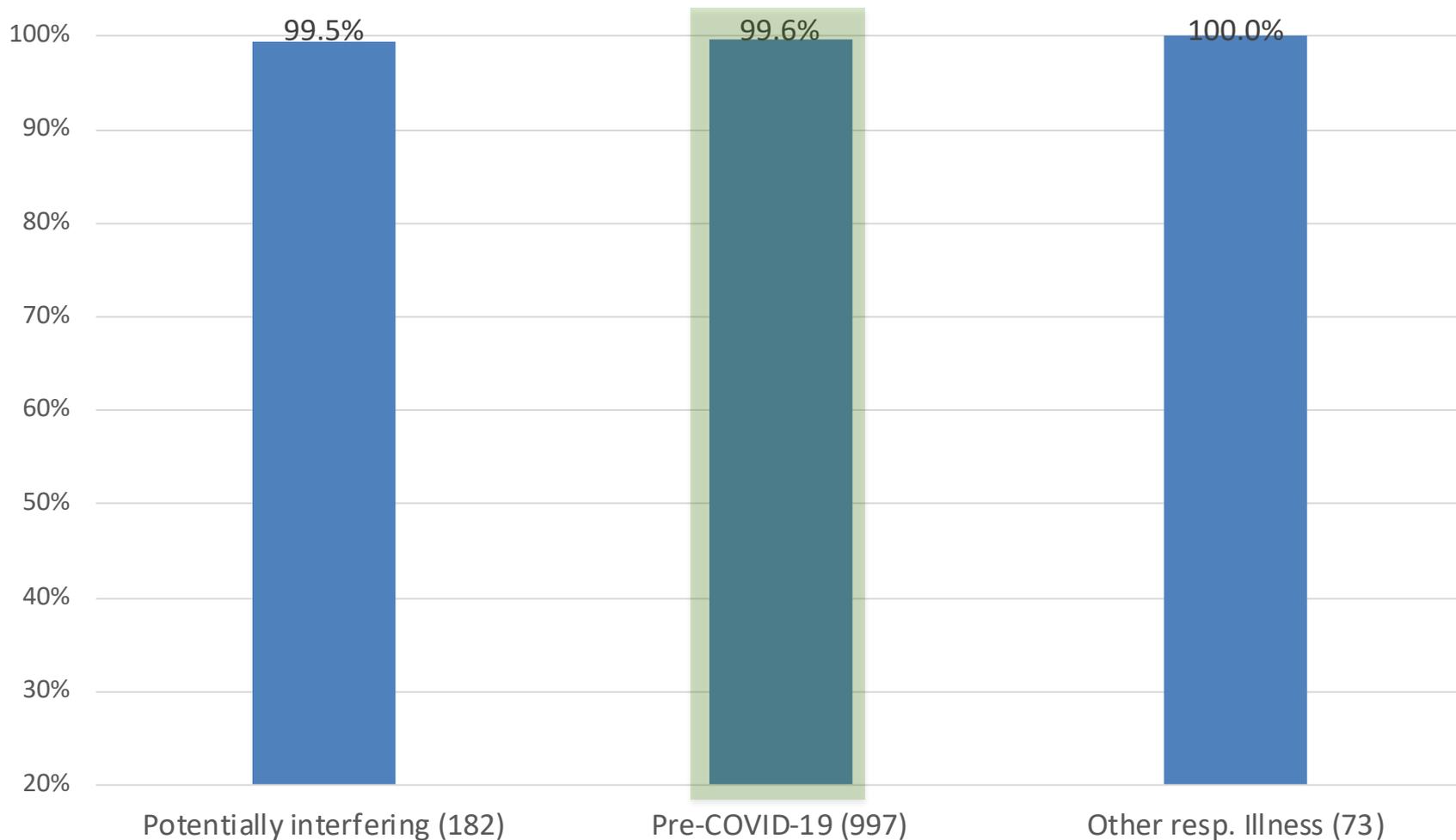
Data from ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG package insert

ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG positivity compared to PCR positivity (blue) and days after onset (red)



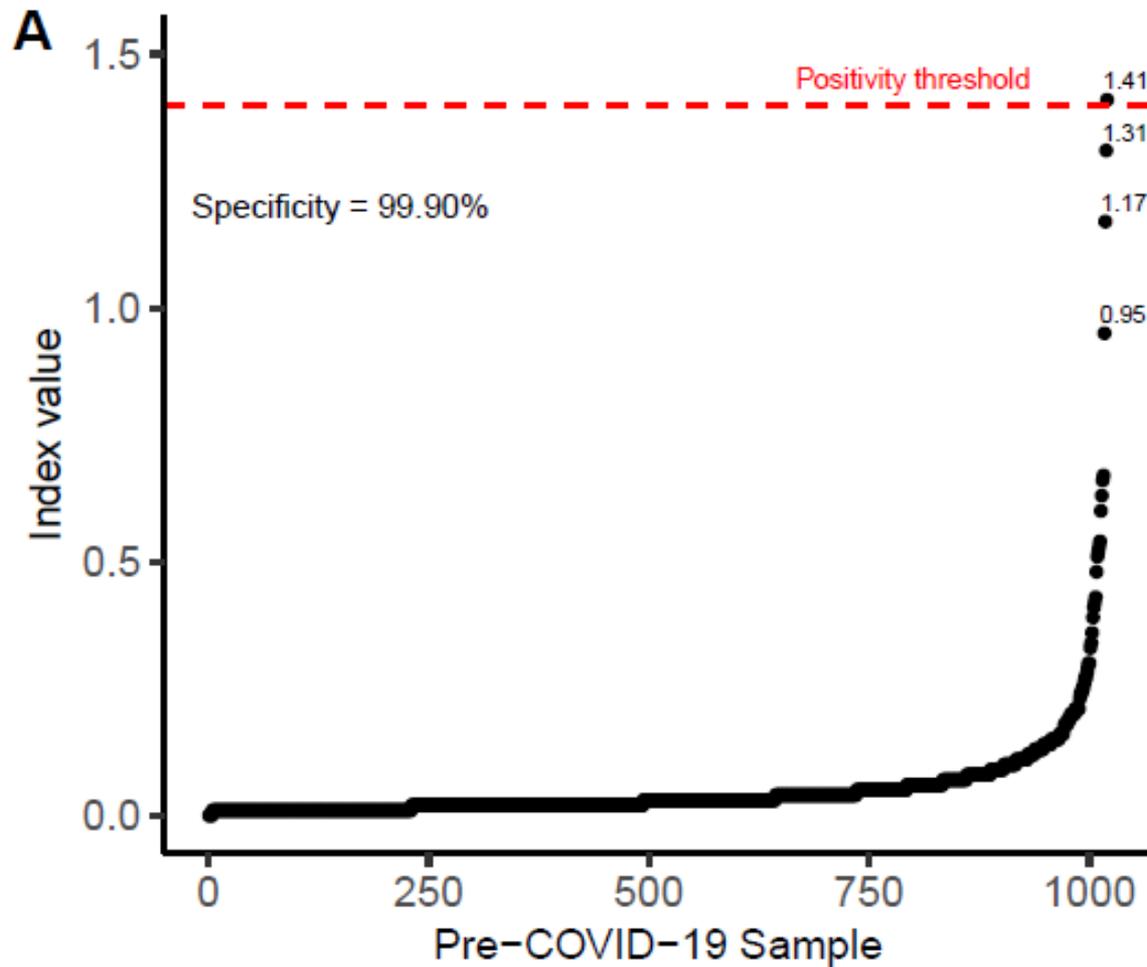
From: A. Bryan et al, medRxiv preprint doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.04.27.20082362>

ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG – specificity and negative agreement



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Specificity on 1,020 pre-COVID specimens



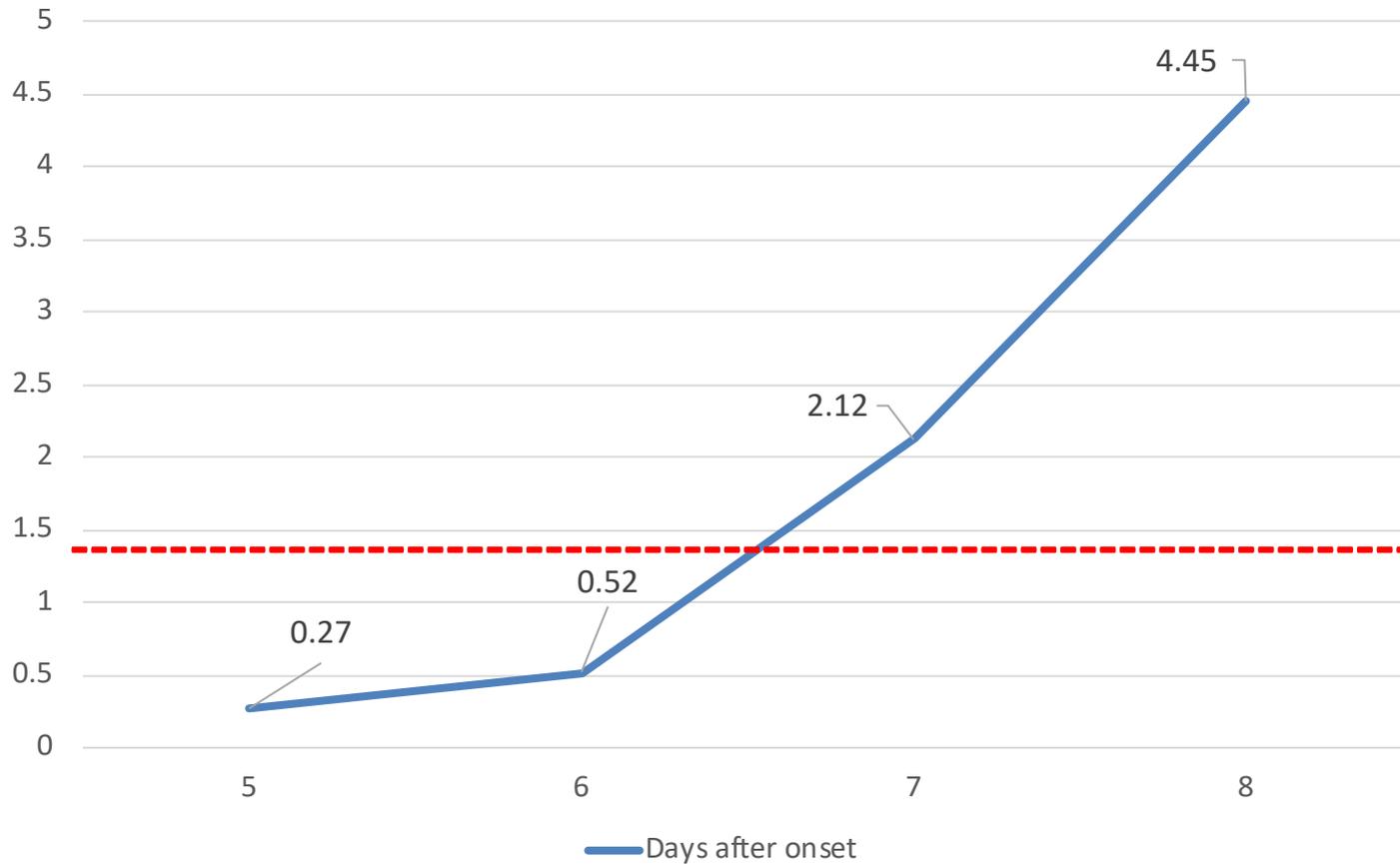
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The importance of being specific

- No 'confirmation' available for any SARS-CoV-2 serological assay
- The positive predictive value (PPV) depends on the *specificity* and the *prevalence*; the lower the latter, the lower the PPV
- Example: 100,000 individuals, 3% prevalence
 - Assay with 95% specificity: 3,000 true positives, 4,850 false positives **PPV= 38.2% (2 FP for each TP)**
 - Assay with 99% specificity: 3,000 true positives, 970 false positives, **PPV= 75.6% (1 FP for each 3 TP)**
 - Assay with 99.5% specificity: 3,000 true positives, 485 false positives, **PPV= 86.1% (1 FP for each 6 TP)**
- ***Population prevalence 1.79%, specificity 99.9%¹, PPV 94.7%***

1- Data from: A. Bryan et al, J Clin Microbiol 2020 aop ; PPV extrapolated from the prevalence and specificity data

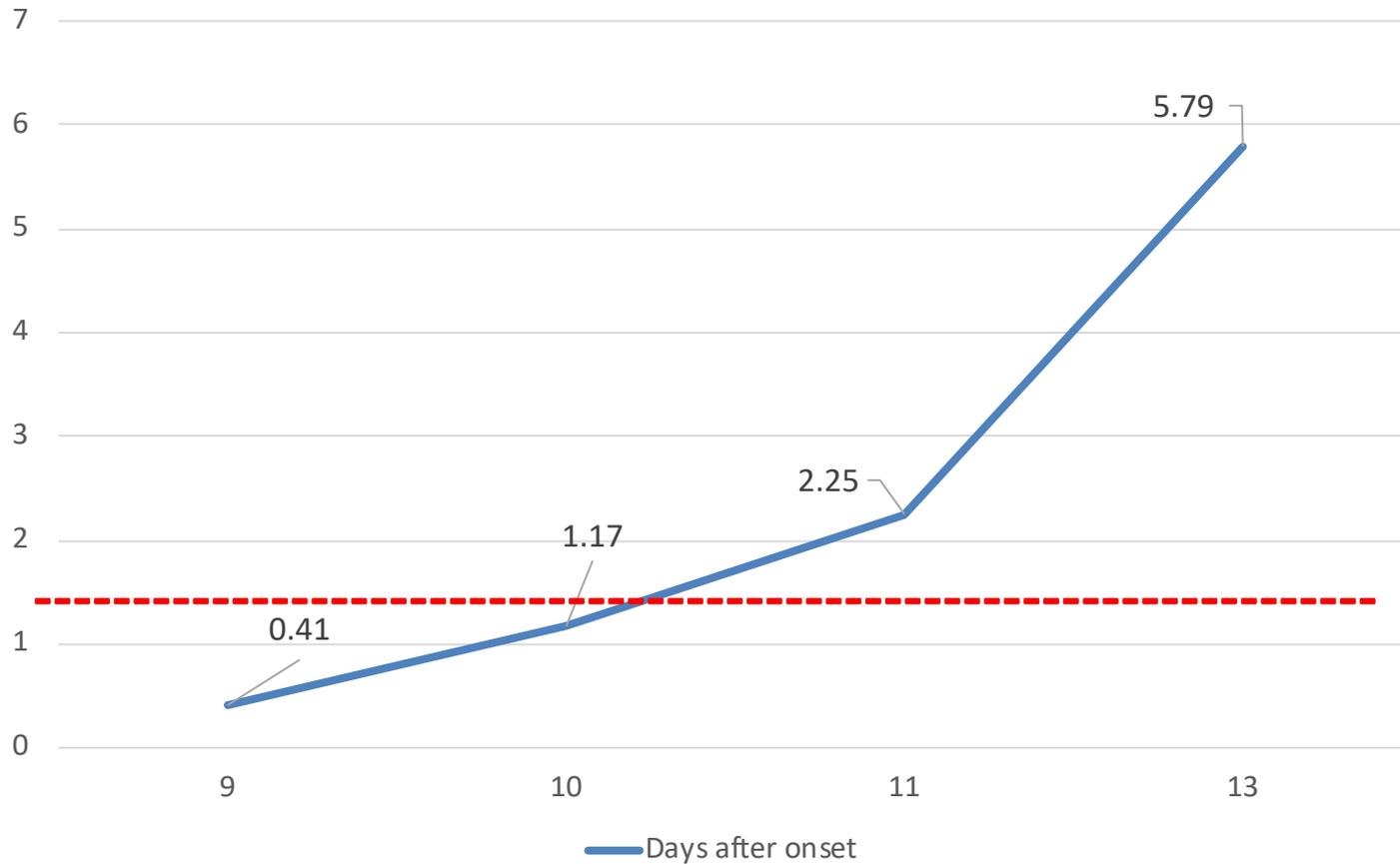
ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG – serial bleeds



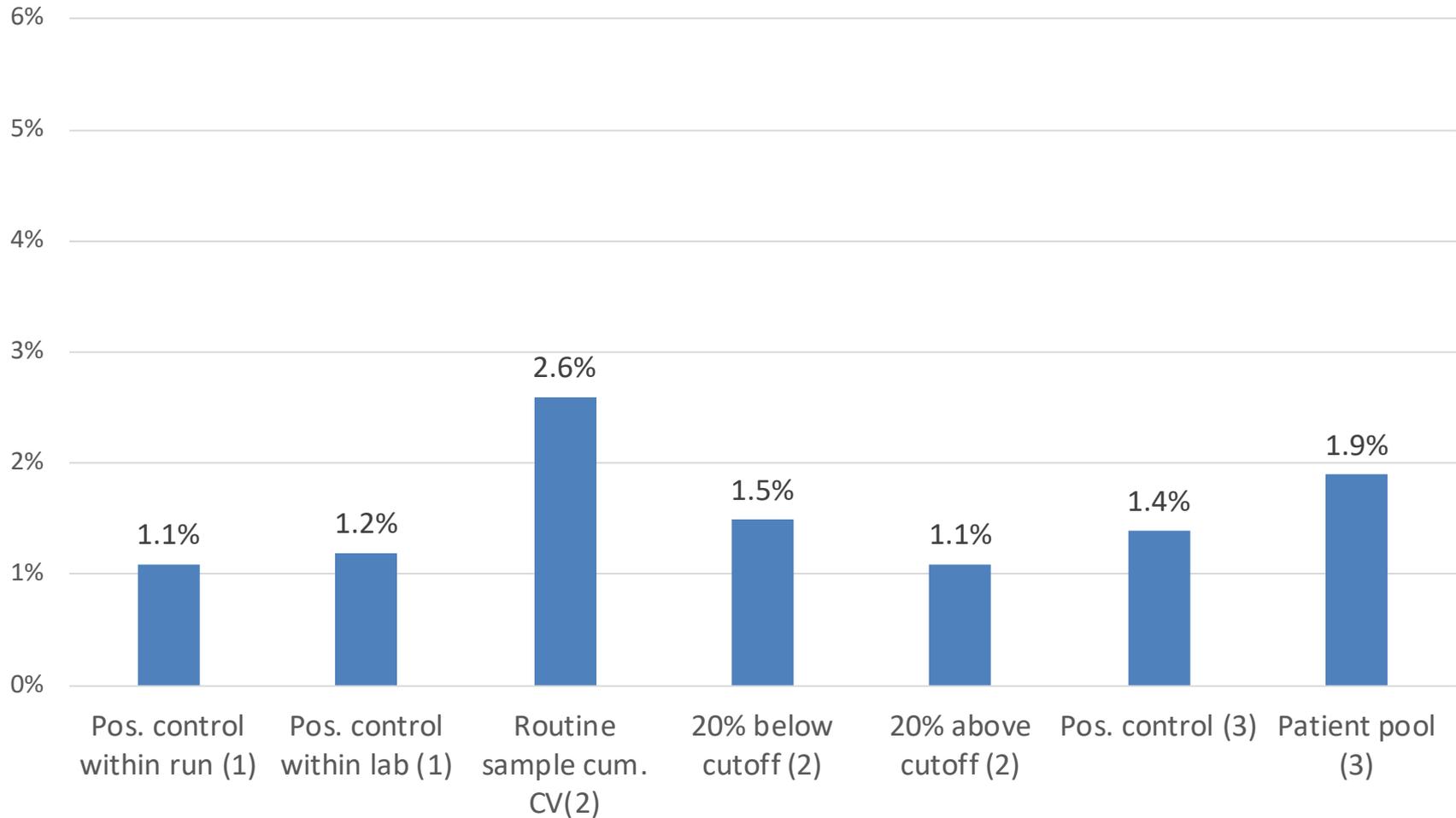
Data from ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 Instruction for use

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ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG – serial bleeds



ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-2 IgG - precision



From: (1) -ARCHITECT SARS-CoV-IgG Instruction for use, (2) modified from A. Bryan et al, J Clin Microbiol 2020 aop; (3)-M.S. Tang et al, Clin Chem 2020 aop

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Key statements from a recent paper

- Both serial viral load monitoring and antibody response should be considered when making decisions about infection control measures, because viral load seemed to be related inversely to serum antibody response in this study
- Serological diagnosis is important for patients who present late with a very low viral load, below the detection limit of RT-PCR assays
- Serum IgG amounts can rise at the same time or earlier than those of IgM against SARS-CoV-2.
- The correlation between microneutralization assay titres and anti-NP IgG ($R^2=0.99$) or anti-RBD IgG ($R^2=0.96$) was better than those between microneutralization assay titres and anti-NP IgM ($R^2=0.88$) or anti-RBD IgM ($R^2=0.87$)

From: K.K-W. To et al, *Lancet Infect Dis* 2020; [https://doi.org/10.1016/S1473-3099\(20\)30196-1](https://doi.org/10.1016/S1473-3099(20)30196-1)

Correlation between Elisa ratios and PRNT

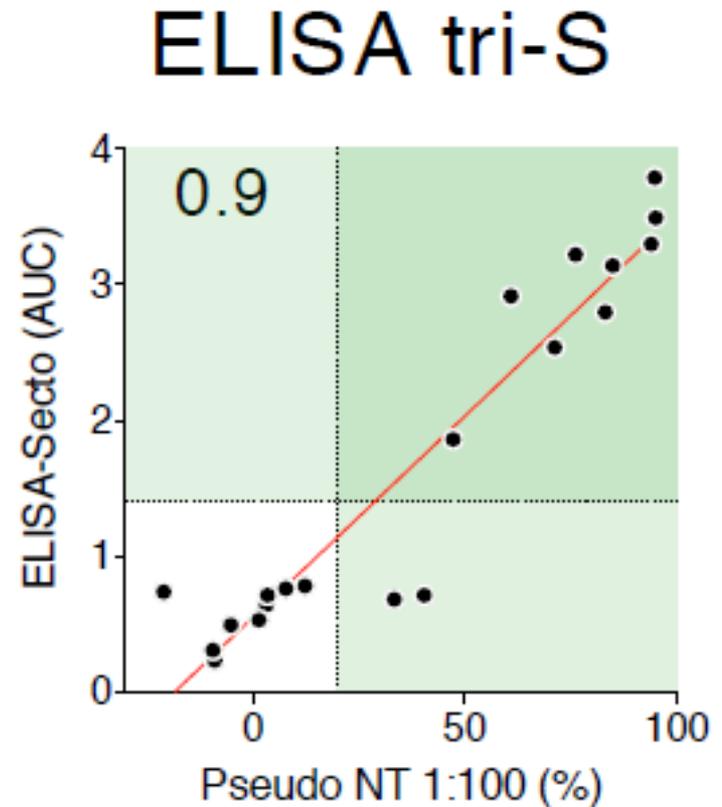
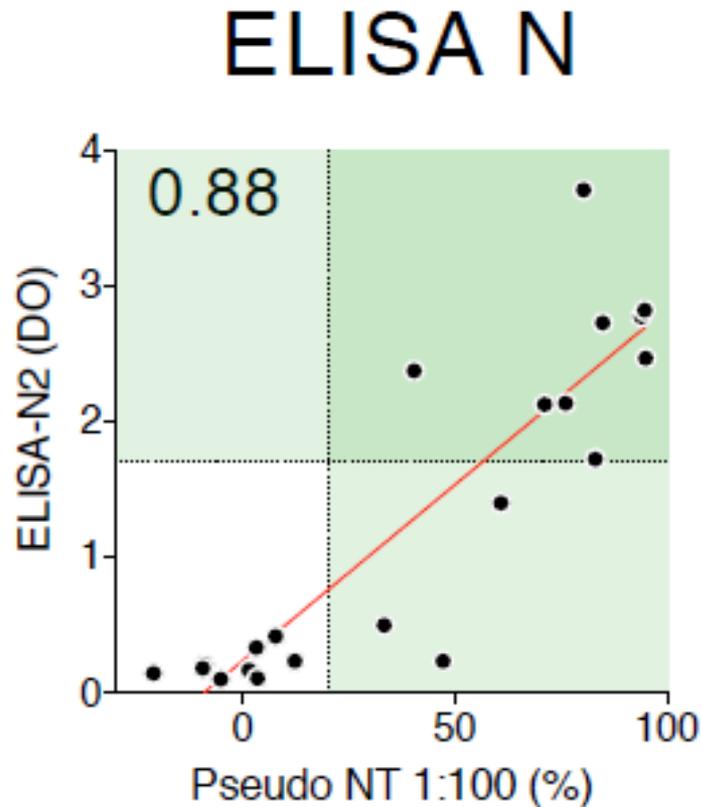
In-house ELISAs

Test, virus	Correlations	S1	N	RBD	S	S1A
PRNT ₅₀ , SARS-CoV-2	Spearman ρ value	0.87	0.94	0.92	0.94	0.93
	2-tailed p value	0.0021	0.0002	0.0005	0.0002	0.0003
	p value summary	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.001	≤ 0.001	≤ 0.001	≤ 0.001
PRNT ₉₀ , SARS-CoV-2	Spearman ρ value	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88
	2-tailed p value	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024	0.0024
	p value summary	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.01

From: N.M.A. Okba et al, EmergInfDis2020 aop

Antibody levels & neutralizing activity

Pseudo NT



Combination of SARS-CoV-2 diagnostic results

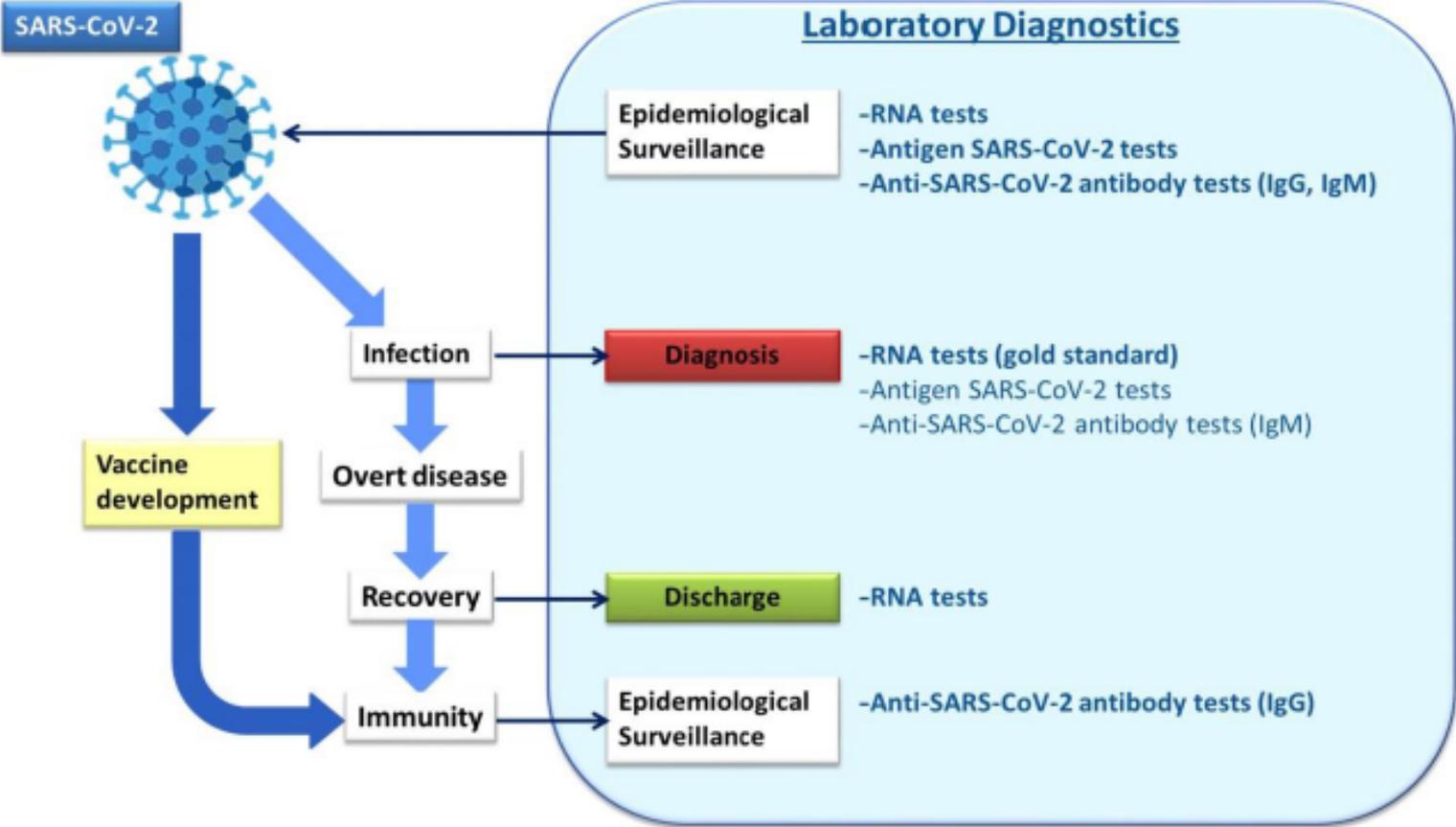


TEST RESULTS*			GENERAL INTERPRETATION**
PCR	IgM	IgG	
+	-	-	Patient may be in the initial period of infection when antibodies are not yet produced or are under the limit of detection
+	+	-	Patient is in the active phase of infection has started to develop an immune response with antibody production
-	+	-	Patient may be in the early stage of infection. PCR result may be false-negative or IgM false positive.
+	+	+	Patient is still in the active phase of the infection, immune response has progressed.
+	-	+	Patient may be in the late stage of infection or has developed a recurrent infection.
-	+	+	Patient may be in the late or recovery stages of infection or PCR false negative
-	-	+	Patient may have recovered or has been infected in the past.

*General representation, not based on actual kit performance.

**Test results must be considered with other clinical data available to the clinician.

Testing in the context of COVID-19 disease



European Commission. Current performance of COVID-19 test methods and devices and proposed performance criteria. April 16th, 2020



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