

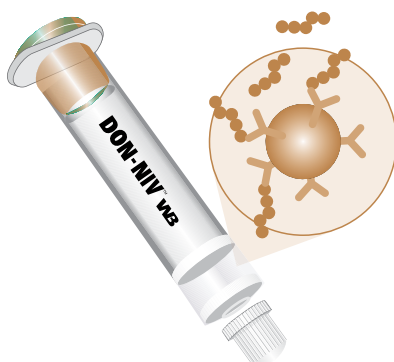


Precise Numerical Results

Deoxynivalenol (DON) and nivalenol (NIV) are trichothecene mycotoxins produced by fusarium molds. Animal feeds which are contaminated with fusarium toxins cause feed refusal, weight loss, vomiting and diarrhea — resulting in significant health, production, and economic risks. NIV has also been linked to lung and brain hemorrhage and bone marrow injury through disruption of DNA and protein synthesis. The EU has instituted regulatory limits for DON in food and feeds as low as 0.2 ppm for infant foods, 0.5 ppm for breads, pastries, biscuits and cereals, and 1.75 ppm for unprocessed wheat, oats, and maize. US FDA advises no more than 1 ppm DON in wheat products intended for human consumption and specific levels for feeding of livestock animals.

Monoclonal antibodies enable the DON-NIV™ WB immunoaffinity column to isolate DON and NIV simultaneously in a single sample extract. Its 3 mL, wide-bore construction delivers flow-through speed to this powerful sample preparation column. Coupled with LC for detection, DON-NIV WB doubles the productivity of traditional laboratory analysis for DON and NIV.

VICAM offers a complete line of single and multiple mycotoxin detection solutions designed to improve field and laboratory productivity, reduce costs, and ensure the safety and security of our global food supply.



BENEFITS

High Recovery – Over 90% for deoxynivalenol and nivalenol*

Exclusive – Primarily for HPLC or UPLC® use

Convenient – Total readings for deoxynivalenol and nivalenol

Durable – Long shelf life

Versatility – For use with wheat and other commodities

Quick – 15 minutes to isolate toxins**

Simple – Easy-to-use procedure

HERE'S HOW SIMPLE VICAM TESTS ARE TO USE:

EXTRACT SAMPLE

- Grind and weigh sample
- Add water and vortex
- Filter

DILUTE AND FILTER

- Dilute extract
- Filter

ABSORB AND ELUTE

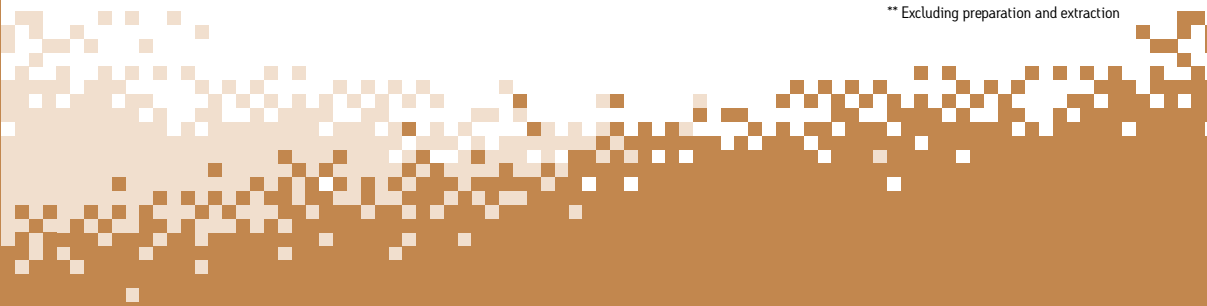
- Pass filtrate over DON-NIV WB affinity column
- Wash column
- Elute with methanol/acetonitrile and collect in curvette

MEASURE

- Dry/redissolve and inject eluate into LC
- Determine deoxynivalenol and nivalenol concentration

* Using the procedure developed by VICAM

** Excluding preparation and extraction



ORDERING INFORMATION

Cat. No.	Description
176002933	DON-NIV WB Columns (25/box)
715003600	DON-NIV WB Instruction Manual
31240	Fluted Filters
600001106	Strip Test Filter (25/pk)
34000	Disposable Curvettes (250/box)
23040	Vortex Mixer
20250	Graduated Cylinder, 250 mL
21020	Single Position Pump Stand [†]
35016	Methanol, HPLC Grade (4 x 4 L)
G1118	WB Column Coupling (6)

[†]Multiple position pump stands available

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