

Sample  
Collector

# INSTRUCTION MANUAL

## TypiFix™-System

Sample Collector



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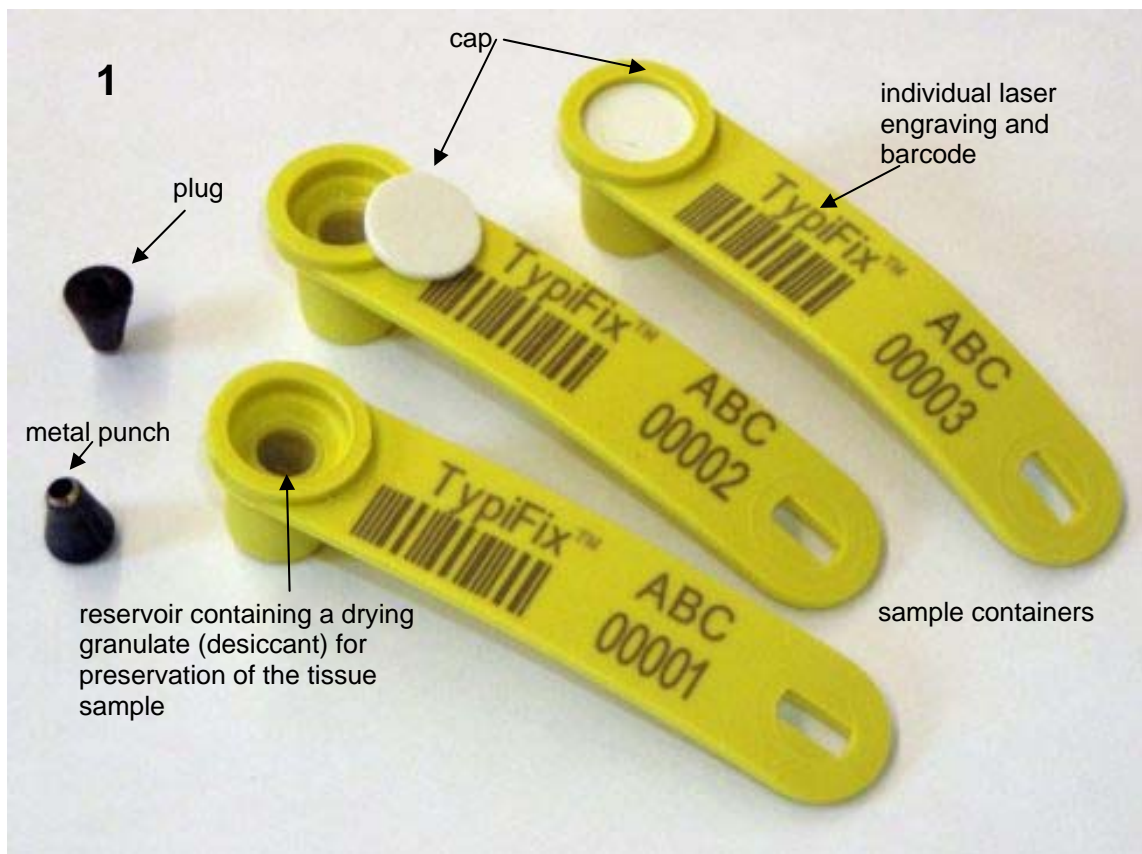
**Keep out of the reach of children!**

### Description of the TypiFix™ sample collector

Collection of tissue samples with the TypiFix™ sample collector is reliable and easy.

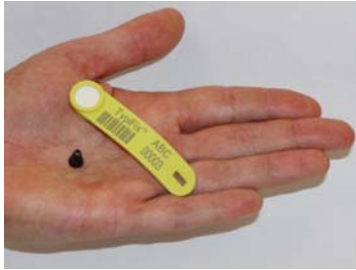
In contrast to other methods no cooling of the sample is required. The sample is pressed into an sample reservoir containing a drying granulate (desiccant) where the conservation process of the tissue samples immediately begins.

Tissue samples collected with the TypiFix™ sample collectors can be stored at room temperature for years. (no cooling required)



# Sample Collector

### Correct loading of the pliers



Take one TypiFix™ sample collector (closed with the cap) and one plug.



Slide the plug onto the pin of the pliers as far as it will go. Only use the special pliers for TypiFix™ sample collectors.



The plug should reside on the tip of the pliers.



Insert the sample container deep into the cavity under the retainer clip.

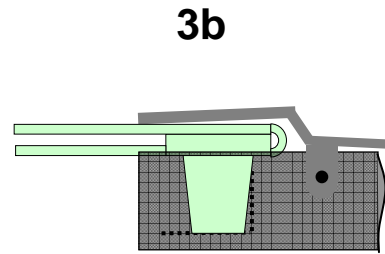
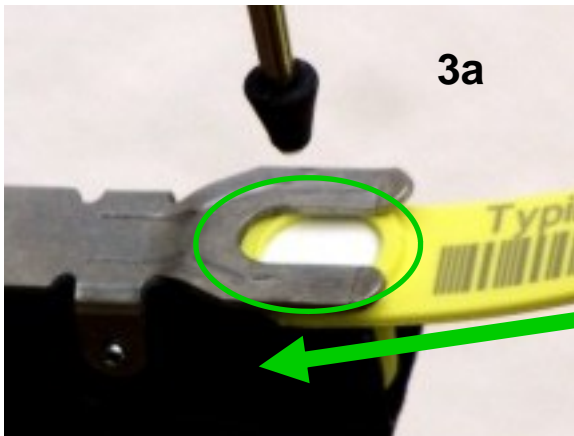


Ready for use.

**Controlling of the correct positioning of the sample collector in the pliers**

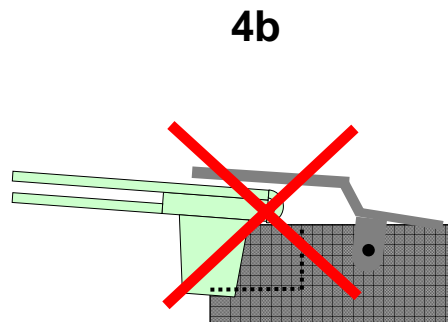
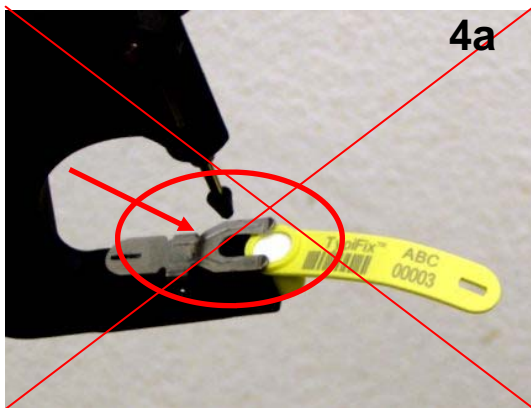
The tip of the conical punch must align within the center of the marked circle on the female tag part. Control the proper alignment by lightly squeezing the pliers until the two ear tag parts slightly touch each other. If necessary, adjust the sample container and control the proper alignment once more.

**Correct**



The sample container must be seated under the retainer clip (refer to images 3a and 3b). An incorrect alignment of the tag parts is depicted in images 4a and 4b.

**Incorrect**



### Collection of tissue samples



Put the animal's tissue between the two parts of the loaded pliers.

Ensure that the part of the ear/carcass that is to be penetrated is dry and free of dirt.

Squeeze quickly and firmly!



The back plug penetrates the cap and resides in the reservoir of the sample container.

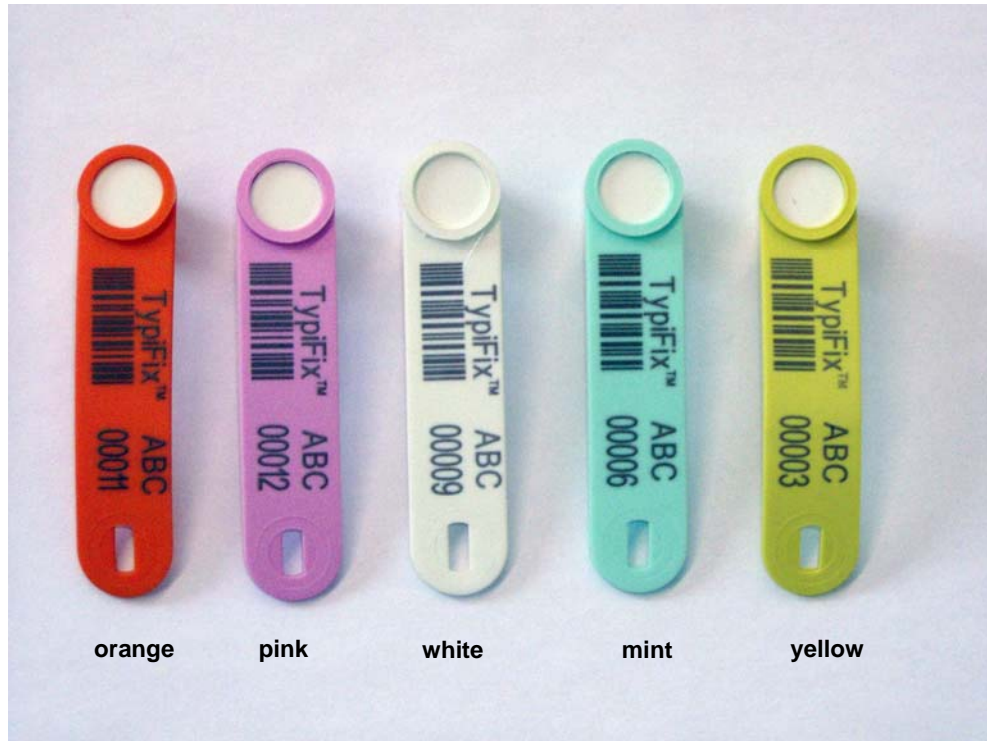


The white cap has no function anymore. It can be removed without effect on the preservation process, however, this step is not mandatory.



Send the loaded sample containers together with a sample identification form to your laboratory of choice.

## Colors



orange

pink

white

mint

yellow

TypiFix™ sample collectors are available in the following colors:

- orange
- pink
- white
- mint
- yellow

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