## **Tiny Isothermal Nucleic acid quantification sYstem for wastewater (TINY)**

#### Tiny Isothermal Nucleic acid quantification sYstem

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Size – 12.4 cm (h x w x l), 6 sample capacity Maintains a temperature for ~65 minutes

TINY is composed of two units:

- 1. measure unit
- 2. temperature regulation unit
  - a. composed of
    - i. phase change material (PCM) PureTemp 68 (Entropy Solutions) has melting Tm of 68C
    - ii. concentric aluminum cylinder with PCM in between each layer
  - b. can be heated by
    - *i.* top sunlight through Fresnel lens
    - ii. bottom Bunsen burner
    - iii. electrical outlet (12V 5A)

Excitation – 3 led (Evagreen/blue, ROX/yellow, Turbidity/red) Detection – photodiodes with 2 band-pass filters (green/530 center, red/660 center



# A portable device for nucleic acid quantification powered by sunlight, a flame or electricity

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### NEB SARS-CoV-2 Rapid Colorimetric LAMP Assay Kit

- Isothermal LAMP assay 30-minute reaction 65C
- Colorimetric assay, pink to yellow color change
- UDG and dUTP master mix to reduce carry over
- Combined N and E region targets
- 2 ul input volume









## Nanotrap<sup>®</sup> Technology

### A proven technology...

### Histology

High affinity dyes clearly define cellular components



**Papanicolau stain:** multichromatic staining technique, widely used to aid pathologists in making a cancer diagnosis.

## redeployed in <u>engineered hydrogel particles</u>

#### Nanotrap<sup>®</sup> Technology

- Affinity dye captures low abundance analytes
- Hydrogel particle structure enables size exclusion and rapid analyte binding

#### Core Highly porous hydrogel facilitates rapid analyte exchange and is functionalized with affinity bait to capture analytes of interest

#### Affinity Bait Selected to have very high affinity for a specific class of analyte, such as proteins, peptides, nucleic acids, exosomes, viral particles, or bacteria

Shell (Optional) Second layer of hydrogel performs size exclusion and can be chemically modified for additional functionalization

> Molecular Functionalization (Optional) Selected to provide additional functionality, such as to repel charged analytes

Technology supported by over 40 publications and 14 patents issued in the United States, European Union, Japan, and Canada.

~500 nm

## **Basic Workflow**





DynaMag 50 ml

## End to end comparisons

- 1. UMiami Zymo to V2G
- 2. Umiami Thermo MagMax to PE EUA rt-qPCR
- 3. Commercial qPCR
- 4. Umiami Ceres + Roche to PE EUA rt-qPCR



#### Thermo/ PE vs Ceres/PE



#### Log2 normalized



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