

**Test Name**

WBC DIFFERENTIAL

**Synonyms**

WBC AUTO-DIFF

**Test Code**

324

**Specimen Type**

Whole Blood

**Preferred Container**

Lavender (K2 or K3-EDTA)

**Alternate Container****Minimum Volume****Temperature/Stability**

Room temperature: 24 hours or Refrigerated: 48 hours

**Handling**

Invert tube 8-10 times immediately after tube is filled

**Reject**

Frozen, hemolyzed, clotted, anticoagulants other than EDTA, tube less than half full; samples with plasma removed (for other tests)

**Panel Includes**

WBC, DIFF, NUCLEATED RBC