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**0030192****APC Resistance Profile with Reflex to Factor V Leiden****APC R**

**Specimen Required:** Collect: Light Blue (Sodium Citrate) **AND** Lavender (EDTA), Pink (K<sub>2</sub>EDTA), or Yellow (ACD Solution A or B). Refer to Specimen Handling at aruplab.com for hemostasis/thrombosis specimen handling guidelines.

Specimen Preparation: Transport 1.5 mL platelet-poor plasma **AND** 3 mL whole blood. (Min: 1 mL/each)

Storage/Transport Temperature: **Plasma:** CRITICAL FROZEN. **Separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.**

**Whole Blood:** **Frozen.**

Unacceptable Conditions: Serum, clotted or hemolyzed specimens. Frozen specimens in glass collection tubes.

Stability (collection to initiation of testing): **Plasma:** Ambient: 4 hours; Refrigerated: Unacceptable; Frozen at -20°C: 3 months;

Frozen at -70°C: 6 months

**Whole Blood:** Ambient: 72 hours; Refrigerated: 1 week; Frozen: 1 month