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## ABBREVIATIONS

%	Percent
μg	Microgram
μΙ	Microliter
μМ	Micromolar
bp	Base pair
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
cDNA	Complementary deoxyribonucleic acid
DEPC	Diethyl pyrocarbonate
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
dNTP	Deoxyribonucleotide triphosphate
EDTA	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid
EIA	Enzyme immunoassay
ELISA	Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay
EM	Electron microscopy
G	Genogroup
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HAstV	Human astrovirus e s e r v e c
Hu	Human
IEM	Immune electron microscopy
kb	Kilobase

Μ	Molar
mg	Milligram
min	Minute
ml	Milliliter
nm	Nanometer
NSTDA	National Science and Technology Development Agency
nt	Nucleotide
NV	Norovirus
NVGI	Norovirus genogroup I
NVGII	Norovirus genogroup II
°C	Degree Celsius
ORF	Open reading frame
PBS	Phosphate buffered saline
PCR	Polymerase chain reaction
pmol	Picomolar
RNA	Ribonucleic acid
RNase	Ribonuclease
<b>A</b> <i>orpm</i> <b>I S U</b>	Revolutions per minute
RT RT-PCR	Reverse transcriptase Reverse transcription-polymerase chain reaction
rVLPs	Recombinant virus-like particles
sec	Second
SV	Sapovirus
Taq	Thermus aquaticus



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