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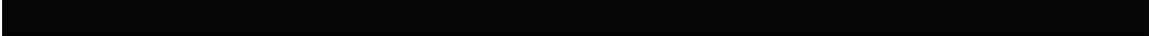
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**Agency:** Sourcewell  
**Division:** Procurement Department  
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**Contract Term:** 4 years, with potential 1 year extension  
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**Opportunity Type:** General  
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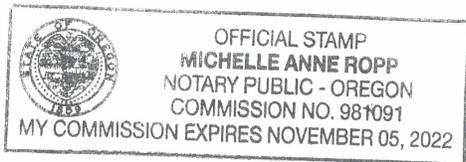
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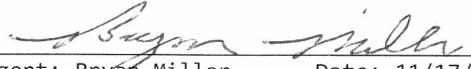
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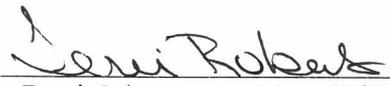
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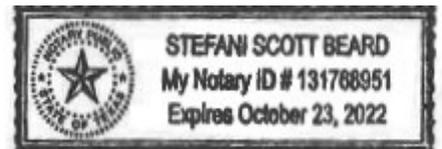
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# Steelers reach halfway point still in hunt in AFC

Will Graves

The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Pat Freiermuth was talking about the entirety of the Steelers roster. The rookie tight end might as well have been talking about himself.

“We’re relentless,” Freiermuth said after a taut 29-27 home win over the Bears on Monday night boosted Pittsburgh to 5-3 as the season reaches its midway point. “We can play. We can feed off each other.”

Perhaps just as important, they can rely on each other.

Pittsburgh has ripped off four consecutive victories after a 1-3 start and finds itself closer to the top of the topsy-turvy AFC than the bottom, heady territory considering how bleak things looked a month ago.

Yet rather than panic — which coach Mike Tomlin said repeatedly was never an option — the Steelers dug in. The offense stopped turning the ball over. The running game developed traction behind rookie Najee Harris. Freiermuth supplanted Eric Ebron as the starting tight end and immediately became one of Ben Roethlisberger’s favorite targets.

The 6-foot-5, 23-year-old hauled in two touchdowns against the Bears, the team’s first multiple-score game by a first-year tight end since Heath Miller did it in 2005.

Freiermuth’s production is emblematic of a rookie class tasked with keeping the Steelers competitive as the sunset draws near on Roethlisberger’s remarkable career.

It’s a lot of pressure, though Freiermuth and Harris hardly seemed bothered. They scored all three Pittsburgh

touchdowns on Monday night and have become two of the most vital components of a unit that may be slowly but surely finding its way.

Whether the Steelers are legitimate contenders or simply the byproduct of a soft portion of their schedule — only one of the victories during their current run came against a team with a winning record — remains to be seen. Yet they are definitely in the mix. For now, they’ll take it.

“I don’t even know records of (other) teams,” Roethlisberger said. “I don’t have time to focus on anybody else but us. We talk about it every week, we dug ourselves a little hole. So we’re just trying to get out of it. So, obviously, that’s all I’m focused on is us.”

While Pittsburgh’s surge has helped take a bit of the pressure off the shoulders of its 39-year-old quarterback, plenty of work remains to be done. The line took a step back against the Bears, allowing three sacks and letting Roethlisberger get drilled a handful of other times. The defense looked a step behind Chicago rookie quarterback Justin Fields late. The special teams — outside of rock-solid kicker Chris Boswell — are a mixed bag at best.

“I often say that good coaching is eliminating problems before they happen,” Tomlin said. “Adequate coaching is eliminating problems quickly after they show themselves.”

At the moment, Tomlin’s staff and his team are both somewhere between “good” and “adequate.” Considering what the alternative looked like five weeks ago, they’ll take it.

“We’re finding ways to win the game,” Roethlisberger said. “Playing well enough. You know, not great.”

Then again, who is?

## NFL playoff picture: Cardinals and Titans make statements

Jeremy Cluff

The Arizona Republic

USA TODAY Network

The Cardinals and Titans made big statements in Week 9 of the NFL season.

The Cardinals defeated the 49ers 31-17 despite missing Kyler Murray, DeAndre Hopkins and several other key players.

The Titans defeated the Rams without Derrick Henry and others, 28-16.

Arizona vaulted back into the No. 1 seed in the NFC playoffs with their big win.

Tennessee held on to the top spot in the AFC.

The top seed in each conference gets a bye in the playoffs, and the other division winners get the No. 2 through No. 4 seeds.

The No. 5, No. 6 and No. 7 seeds go to the non-division winners with the best records.

### NFC playoff picture after Week 9:

- No. 1 Cardinals (8-1)
- No. 2 Packers (7-2)
- No. 3 Buccaneers (6-2)
- No. 4 Cowboys (6-2)
- No. 5 Rams (7-2)
- No. 6 Saints (5-3)
- No. 7 Falcons (4-4)

### In the hunt:

- Panthers (4-5)
- Vikings (3-5)
- Seattle Seahawks (3-5)
- 49ers (3-5)
- (3-5)

### NFC playoff matchups right now:

- No. 2 Packers vs. No. 7 Falcons
- No. 3 Buccaneers vs. No. 6 Saints
- No. 4 Cowboys vs. No. 5 Rams

**Notes:** The Buccaneers win a tiebreaker over the Cowboys on head-to-head win percentage.

### AFC playoff picture after Week 9:

- No. 1 Titans (7-2)
- No. 2 Ravens (6-2)
- No. 3 Chargers (5-3)
- No. 4 Bills (5-3)
- No. 5 Raiders (5-3)
- No. 6 Steelers (5-3)
- No. 7 Patriots (5-4)

### In the hunt:

- Chiefs (5-4)
- Browns (5-4)
- Bengals (5-4)
- Broncos (5-4)
- Colts (4-5)

### AFC playoff matchups right now:

- No. 2 Ravens vs. No. 7 Patriots
- No. 3 Chargers vs. No. 6 Steelers
- No. 4 Bills vs. No. 5 Raiders

**Notes:** The Chargers take a tiebreaker over the Bills on best winning percentage in conference games. The Raiders win a tiebreaker over the Steelers on head-to-head winning percentage. The Patriots take a tiebreaker over the Browns and Chiefs on winning percentage in conference games after a division tiebreaker eliminated the Broncos and Bengals.

## NFL POWER RANKINGS



The Titans booted running back Darrell Henderson and the Rams out of the power rankings' No. 1 perch. GEORGE WALKER IV/THE (NASHVILLE) TENNESSEAN

### Rk., team LW Comment by Nate Davis

1. Cardinals	3	Are they unequivocally the best team in the league? Hard to say, but it's not like anyone else has an airtight claim. What Arizona does have is the NFL's best record (8-1) and a proclivity for overcoming adversity. Yep, let's call the Cards the best ... at least for now.
2. Bucs	4	What did they do after last season's bye? Simply went 8-0, including their Super Bowl 55 rout of Kansas City. So yeah ... look out, everyone.
3. Packers	2	Takeaways from the last week? AFC games are the least important on their schedule, at least in terms of tiebreakers. QB2 Jordan Love isn't ready to win NFL games. And Aaron Rodgers should say less about COVID-19. Otherwise, steady as she goes.
4. Titans	13	Minus RB Derrick Henry, they go into LA and KO the Rams (last week's No. 1 team in this space), solidifying themselves atop the AFC standings. Oh, and any idea who has the easiest remaining schedule (.343 opponents winning percentage) in the league? Yep, you guessed it.
5. Rams	1	Highly irregular performance Sunday night with 12 penalties, five sacks allowed and two ugly Matthew Stafford interceptions. Let's not overanalyze it ... unless y'all want to bring back Jared Goff?
6. Cowboys	5	Highly irregular Week 9 performance with zero points through three quarters, a -2 turnover ratio, almost no run game to speak of, and QB Dak Prescott completing fewer than half his passes. Let's not overanalyze it ... unless y'all want to bring back Cooper Rush?
7. Ravens	7	Already the only quarterback to rush for 1,000 yards and pass for 3,000 in the same season, Lamar Jackson is well on his way to a 1,000-4,000 campaign.
8. Bills	6	Shades of 2020 with the offense so heavily reliant on QB Josh Allen, which is especially concerning for a run game that's averaged 85.3 yards while Buffalo has gone 1-2 over its past three games. Yet also mystifying that Allen couldn't torch a defense like Jacksonville's through the air.
9. Patriots	9	Elsewhere in the AFC East, New England has averaged 147 rushing yards during its three-game winning streak while enjoying a plus-5 turnover differential. Seems like Pats want that divisional throne back, folks.
10. Chargers	10	You want to like them, but Bolts D allowing most rushing yards in NFL and league-worst 5.0 yards per carry makes it tough.
11. Chiefs	14	The good news? They notched the franchise's 500th win by improving to 4-0 this season against NFC teams. The bad news? KC is 1-4 against the AFC, which will serve up seven of their final eight regular-season opponents.
12. Steelers	15	Their 19-game home winning streak on "Monday Night Football" is a record. They'll get a chance to extend it in Week 17 against Cleveland.
13. Browns	16	It had been 54 years since a team recorded a rushing, passing and defensive TD of at least 60 yards in the same game. Cleveland did it Sunday ... and didn't need departing WR Odell Beckham Jr. to score any of them. Sometimes, less is more.
14. Saints	12	Given they're 1-2 at the Superdome this year, should be a plus New Orleans will play four of the next six ... away from New Orleans.
15. Raiders	11	In the span of a week, they had to cut both of their 2020 first-round picks, WR Henry Ruggs III and CB Damon Arnette, for reasons that had nothing to do with football. Have to wonder how much more this team can endure ... and how many more mistakes GM Mike Mayock can weather.
16. Bengals	8	Two weeks ago, they projected as the AFC's No. 1 seed. Now they project as a non-playoff team. Massive game at Las Vegas on other side of Cincinnati's bye.
17. Broncos	22	Though 5-4, Denver's rout of Dallas on Sunday was its first victory this season over a varsity opponent. A win over Eagles on Sunday will give Broncos season sweep of NFC East.
18. Vikings	17	How good was Minnesota's defense Sunday? It gave up 500 yards, 36 first downs, was on the field for more than 46 minutes and had to make 89 tackles in the overtime loss to Baltimore. So basically, not good.
19. Seahawks	18	Despite QB Russell Wilson's three-game absence, they find themselves one game back for the NFC's final wild card, with Wilson set to return Sunday. Nice work, Geno.
20. Colts	19	The last time they had at least 250 yards on the ground and through the air in the same game was 1956, when the franchise was still based in Baltimore. The last time they had a four-game streak of games with at least 30 points was 2010, when QB Peyton Manning was in charge. Now, time for this group to make its own history as it attempts to leapfrog five clubs to get back into the AFC playoff field.
21. 49ers	20	TE George Kittle is fumbling? RT Mike McGlinchey is out for the year? They can't compete with a severely depleted Arizona squad? Put a fork in the Niners.
22. Eagles	23	They're the only team with a 3-6 record or worse that's outscored its opposition (by nine points) overall this season.
23. Falcons	27	The best thing about this team has to be QB Matt Ryan's kids, the "Ice Cubes." How else to explain how Atlanta (4-4) is presently a playoff team?
24. Giants	24	Nice to see S Xavier McKinney's emergence, including two INTs and a TD in Week 9, after a rookie season largely lost to injury in 2020.
25. Bears	21	They largely outplayed Pittsburgh on Monday night, QB Justin Fields finally striking downfield effectively. Shame about those dozen flags against Chicago.
26. Panthers	25	So after all the optimism surrounding QB Sam Darnold's fresh start and early season performance, he's now tied for the league lead with 11 INTs while sporting a career-worst 71.3 passer rating ... which is saying something.
27. Jaguars	29	The upset of the season in hand, what do they do for an encore given they won't face another team with a winning record until December?
28. WFT	26	A loss to the Bucs on Sunday will drop the Washington Football Team to 2-7 ... exactly where they were a year ago before sprinting to the NFC East crown. Just sayin'.
29. Jets	28	Backup QBs Mike White and Josh Johnson have combined to throw eight TDs in 133 attempts. Four of rookie Zach Wilson's 181 throws have produced points.
30. Dolphins	30	How bad are they at running the ball and/or blocking for their backs? Myles Gaskin carried 20 times Sunday ... for 34 yards. Needless to say, Miami ranks last in the league rushing the ball.
31. Texans	31	QB Tyrod Taylor can be forgiven for being rusty, but throwing multiple (bad) INTs for just the second time in his career? Yikes.
32. Lions	32	It would have been more fun if they'd actually decided to claim OBJ.

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**Bid RFP #011222 - Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies**

**Bid Type** RFP  
**Bid Number** 011222  
**Title** Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies  
**Expected Start Date** Nov 10, 2021 12:00:00 AM CST  
**Expected End Date** Jan 12, 2022 4:30:00 PM CST  
**Agency** Sourcewell  
**Bid Contact** Chris Robinson  
 (218) 895-4168  
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 Staples, MN 56479-0219

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 0 Questions  
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**Description**  
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**Pre-Bid Conference**  
  
**Date** Dec 2, 2021 10:00:00 AM CST  
**Location** Online Conference  
**Notes** Login information will be emailed two business days prior to the event.

**Documents**  
 No Documents for this bid

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**Bid Details**

<p><b>Bid Classification:</b></p> <p><b>Bid Type:</b></p> <p><b>Bid Number:</b></p> <p><b>Bid Name:</b></p> <p><b>Bid Status:</b></p> <p><b>Bid Closing Date:</b></p> <p><b>Question Deadline:</b></p> <p><b>Time-frame for delivery or the duration of the contract:</b></p> <p><b>Negotiation Type:</b></p> <p><b>Condition for Participation:</b></p> <p><b>Electronic Auctions:</b></p> <p><b>Language for Bid Submissions:</b></p> <p><b>Submission Type:</b></p> <p><b>Submission Address:</b></p> <p><b>Public Opening:</b></p> <p><b>Description:</b></p>	<p>Goods</p> <p>RFP - General</p> <p>RFP 011222</p> <p>Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies</p> <p><b>Open</b></p> <p>Wed Jan 12, 2022 4:30:00 PM (CST)</p> <p>Tue Jan 4, 2022 4:30:00 PM (CST)</p> <p>Refer to project document</p> <p>Refer to project document</p> <p>Refer to project document</p> <p>Not Applicable</p> <p>English unless specified in the bid document</p> <p>Online Submissions Only</p> <p>Online Submissions Only</p> <p>No</p> <p>Sourcewell, a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative, is requesting proposals for <b>Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies</b> to result in a contracting solution for use by its Participating Entities. Sourcewell Participating Entities include thousands of governmental, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public agencies located in the United States and Canada. A full copy of the Request for Proposals can be found on the Sourcewell Procurement Portal [<a href="https://proportal.sourcewell-mn.gov">https://proportal.sourcewell-mn.gov</a>]. Only proposals submitted through the Sourcewell Procurement Portal will be considered. Proposals are due no later than <b>January 12, 2022, at 4:30 p.m. Central Time</b>, and late proposals will not be considered.</p>
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## Meeting Locations

The following are the meeting times and locations for the opportunity:

Meeting Location	Description	Date / Time	Mandatory Me...	Meeting Document
Online Pre-Proposal Conference	Login instructions will be posted to the "Documents" section and available to registered suppliers two business days prior to the web conference.	Thursday December 2, 2021 10:00 AM (CST)	No	

**Documents**

File Name	Pages	
<b>RFP_011222_Lab_Services_Testing</b> Friday November 5, 2021 12:33 PM	12	Download
<b>RFP_011222_Lab_Services_Testing_Contract_Template</b> Friday November 5, 2021 12:33 PM	18	Download
<b>RFP_011222_Lab_Services_Testing_Pre-Proposal_Login_Instructions</b> Tuesday November 30, 2021 08:32 AM	1	Download
<b>RFP_011222_Lab_Services_Testing_Pre_Proposal_Login_Instructions_Updated_120721</b> Tuesday December 7, 2021 10:04 AM	--	Download



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#### Important Dates

Pre-Proposal Conference:  
December 2, 2021 at 10:00 am CST

Proposals Due:  
January 12, 2022 at 4:30 pm CST

To obtain a copy of the complete RFP, ask questions related to the RFP, or submit a proposal, please use the link below.

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Solicitation Setting

- ✓ Invite Bidders No
- ✓ Evaluate Response online No
- ✓ Internal Approval No
- ✓ Enable Collaboration with other Users No

Solicitation Details

Mandatory Information

Solicitation Type	RFP	Solicitation Number	011222
Solicitation Name	Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies	Procurement Type	Goods , Services
Country & Province/State	Canada / Ontario	Published By	Sourcewell
Accept Questions	Not Applicable		

Internal Information (For Internal Use Only)

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Basic Settings

Solicitation Type	Open to all suppliers	Estimated Contract Amount	\$40,000,000.00
Publish Date	11/10/2021	Closing Date & Time	01/12/2022 16:30:00 CT
Publish Option		Value Range for this Solicitation	10,000,001 over

Selected Categories

- Educational/ Recreational
- Science Equipment/ Supplies and Laboratory Services  
Microscopes, Stereolithography, Rapid Prototyper, Capillary Electrophoresis, Femtosecond Fiber Laser, Radio synthesis Module, Laboratory Apparatus/Equipment, Laboratory Glassware, Sample Testing, R&D, Dry Ice, etc.



Solicitation Overview



Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies

011222

Closing Date: 01/12/2022 04:30:00 PM CT

Detail:

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## Notice

### Basic Information

**Estimated Contract Value (CAD)** \$40,000,000.00 (Not shown to suppliers)  
**Reference Number** 0000211967  
**Issuing Organization** Sourcewell  
**Owner Organization**  
**Solicitation Type** RFP - Request for Proposal (Formal)  
**Solicitation Number** 011222  
**Title** Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies  
**Source ID** PP.CO.USA.868485.C88455

### Details

**Location** All of Canada, All of Canada  
**Purchase Type** Duration:4 years  
**Description** Sourcewell, a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative, is requesting proposals for Lab Services and Testing with Related Products and Supplies to result in a contracting solution for use by its Participating Entities. Sourcewell Participating Entities include thousands of governmental, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public agencies located in the United States and Canada. A full copy of the Request for Proposals can be found on the Sourcewell Procurement Portal [<https://proportal.sourcewell-mn.gov>]. Only proposals submitted through the Sourcewell Procurement Portal will be considered. Proposals are due no later than January 12, 2022, at 4:30 p.m. Central Time, and late proposals will not be considered.

### Dates

**Publication** 2021/11/10 10:12:20 AM EST  
**Question Acceptance Deadline** 2022/01/04 05:30:00 PM EST  
**Questions are submitted online** No  
**Bid Intent** Not Available  
**Closing Date** 2022/01/12 05:30:00 PM EST

**Prebid Conference** 2021/12/02 11:00:00 AM EST

### Contact Information

Procurement Department  
 218-894-1930  
[rfp@sourcewell-mn.gov](mailto:rfp@sourcewell-mn.gov)

### Pre-Bidding Events

**Event Type** Prebid Conference  
**Attendance** Recommended  
**Event date** 2021/12/02 11:00:00 AM EST  
**Location** Online Conference  
**Event Note** Login information will be emailed two business days prior to the event.

### Bid Submission Process

**Bid Submission Type** Electronic Bid Submission  
**Pricing** In attached document  
**Pricing** In attached document  
**Bid Documents List**

Item Name	Description	Mandatory
Bid Documents	Documents defining the proposal	Yes

## Categories

### Selected Categories

GSIN Categories (2)	
G	<b>Goods</b> Goods
N65	<b>Medical, Dental, And Veterinary Equipment And Supplies</b> Medical, Dental, And Veterinary Equipment And Supplies
N6550FR	<b>TEST KITS</b> TEST KITS
N6550FRJ	<b>TEST KITS, DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS</b> TEST KITS, DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS
MERX Category (1)	
G	<b>Goods</b> Goods
G21	<b>Medical Equipment, Supplies and Pharmaceuticals</b> Medical Equipment, Supplies and Pharmaceuticals
UNSPSC Categories (107)	
85000000	<b>Healthcare Services</b>
85120000	<b>Medical practice</b>
85122200	<b>Individual health screening and assessment services</b>
41000000	<b>Laboratory and Measuring and Observing and Testing Equipment</b>
41100000	<b>Laboratory and scientific equipment</b>
41101500	<b>Laboratory blending and dispersing and homogenizing equipment and supplies</b>
41101700	<b>Laboratory boring and grinding and cutting and crushing and pressing equipment</b>
41101800	<b>Laboratory electron and solid state physics equipment</b>
41101900	<b>Laboratory ionic equipment</b>
41102400	<b>Laboratory heating and drying equipment</b>
41102500	<b>Laboratory entomological equipment and accessories</b>
41102600	<b>Animal laboratory equipment and accessories</b>
41102700	<b>Crystallography equipment</b>
41102900	<b>Histology equipment</b>
41103000	<b>Laboratory cooling equipment</b>
41103200	<b>Laboratory washing and cleaning equipment</b>
41103300	<b>Fluid mechanics equipment</b>
41103400	<b>Laboratory environmental conditioning equipment</b>
41103500	<b>Laboratory enclosures and accessories</b>
41103700	<b>Laboratory baths</b>
41103800	<b>Laboratory mixing and stirring and shaking equipment and supplies</b>
41103900	<b>Laboratory centrifuges and accessories</b>
41104000	<b>Sampling equipment</b>
41104100	<b>Specimen collection and transport containers and supplies</b>
41104200	<b>Laboratory water purification equipment and supplies</b>
41104300	<b>Fermentation equipment</b>

UNSPSC Categories (107)	
41104400	Laboratory incubating equipment
41104500	Laboratory ovens and accessories
41104600	Laboratory furnaces and accessories
41104700	Laboratory freeze dryers and lyophilizers and accessories
41104800	Laboratory decanting and distilling and evaporating and extracting equipment and supplies
41104900	Laboratory filtering equipment and supplies
41105000	Laboratory sieves and sifting equipment and supplies
41105100	Laboratory pumps and tubing
41105200	Laboratory slide stainer equipment and accessories
41105300	Laboratory electrophoresis and blotting system and supplies
41105500	Nucleic acid extraction and purification and quantitation kits and components
41105600	Deoxyribonucleic acid DNA sequencing products
41105700	Gene arrays
41105800	In vitro transcription and translation products
41105900	Libraries and related materials
41106000	Nucleic acid labeling and detection systems
41106100	Deoxyribonucleic acid DNA analysis kits
41106200	Microorganism propagation and transformation media and kits and equipment
41106300	Polymerase chain reaction PCR and reverse transcriptase polymerase chain reaction RT PCR products
41106400	Primers and linkers and adaptors
41106500	Protein expression products
41106600	Vectors
41110000	Measuring and observing and testing instruments
41111500	Weight measuring instruments
41111600	Length and thickness and distance measuring instruments
41111700	Viewing and observing instruments and accessories
41111800	Non destructive examination equipment
41111900	Indicating and recording instruments
41112100	Transducers
41112200	Temperature and heat measuring instruments
41112300	Humidity and moisture measuring instruments
41112400	Pressure measuring and control instruments
41112500	Liquid and gas flow measuring and observing instruments
41112600	Hygiene monitoring and testing equipment
41112700	Seed and feed equipment
41112800	Transportation related equipment and instruments
41112900	Navigational equipment and instruments
41113000	Chemical evaluation instruments and supplies

UNSPSC Categories (107)	
41113100	<b>Gas analyzers and monitors</b>
41113300	<b>Liquid and solid and elemental analyzers</b>
41113400	<b>Nuclear evaluation instruments</b>
41113600	<b>Electrical measuring and testing equipment</b>
41113700	<b>Electronic and communication measuring and testing instruments</b>
41113800	<b>Geophysical and geotechnical instruments</b>
41113900	<b>Soil measuring equipment</b>
41114000	<b>Rock and strata measuring equipment</b>
41114100	<b>Seismological instruments</b>
41114200	<b>Land surveying instruments</b>
41114300	<b>Hydrological instruments</b>
41114400	<b>Meteorological instruments</b>
41114500	<b>Mechanical instruments</b>
41114600	<b>Metals and metallurgy and structural materials testing instruments</b>
41114700	<b>Paper and wood and textile testing instruments</b>
41114800	<b>Ceramics and glass testing instruments</b>
41115100	<b>Coal and ore testing instruments</b>
41115200	<b>Radar and sonar systems and components</b>
41115300	<b>Light and wave generating and measuring equipment</b>
41115400	<b>Spectroscopic equipment</b>
41115500	<b>Sound generating and measuring equipment</b>
41115600	<b>Electrochemical measuring instruments and accessories</b>
41115700	<b>Chromatographic measuring instruments and accessories</b>
41115800	<b>Clinical and diagnostic analyzers and accessories and supplies</b>
41116000	<b>Clinical and diagnostic analyzer reagents</b>
41116100	<b>Manual test kits and quality controls and calibrators and standards</b>
41116200	<b>Patient point of care testing supplies and equipment</b>
41116300	<b>Laboratory flash point testers</b>
41116400	<b>Acceleration and vibration measuring instruments</b>
41116500	<b>Instrument parts and accessories</b>
41120000	<b>Laboratory supplies and fixtures</b>
41121500	<b>Pipettes and liquid handling equipment and supplies</b>
41121600	<b>Pipette tips</b>
41121700	<b>Test Tubes</b>
41121800	<b>General laboratory glassware and plasticware and supplies</b>
41122000	<b>Laboratory or sampling syringes</b>
41122100	<b>Tissue culture and high throughput screening supplies</b>
41122200	<b>Crucibles</b>
41122300	<b>Laboratory bench protectors and liners</b>

UNSPSC Categories (107)	
41122400	<b>Laboratory implements</b>
41122500	<b>Laboratory corks and stoppers and accessories</b>
41122600	<b>Laboratory microscope slides and supplies</b>
41122700	<b>Laboratory tapes and labels</b>
41122800	<b>Laboratory stands and racks and trays</b>
41123000	<b>Laboratory desiccators and desiccants</b>
41123100	<b>Laboratory dialysis supplies</b>
41123200	<b>Preserved specimens and supplies</b>
41123300	<b>General laboratory storage containers and cabinets</b>
41123400	<b>Dosing devices</b>