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IISc-incubated startup Azooka develops India's first indigenous bio-sample collection kit

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Azooka Labs was incubated by the Society for Innovation and Development at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc.) in Bengaluru.

Azooka Labs, a startup incubated by the Society for Innovation and Development at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc.), has launched mWRAPR, a biological transport and storage medium for genomic sequencing labs, biobanks, and research labs handling biological samples for molecular analysis.

The company claims that mWRAPR is India's first indigenous bio-sample kit, a biological transport and storage medium that would help in preserving genetic content in all types of biological samples, including microbiomes, saliva, cells, tissues, blood, body fluids, and fecal tubes.