

Table 2.1 Interpretation of Likelihood Ratios

Positive likelihood	Negative likelihood	Interpretation
10.0	< 0.1	Large and conclusive
5.0 to 10.0	0.1 to 0.2	Moderate and important
2.0 to 5.0	0.2 to 0.5	Small and sometimes important
1.0 to 2.0	0.5 to 1.0	Very small and unimportant

Based on J. Jaeschke et al., 1994, "Users' guides to the medical literature, III: how to use an article about a diagnostic test, B: What are the results and will they help me in caring for my patients?" *JAMA* 271: 703-707.

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