

# NeoStain ABC Kit, HRP, Pig, with DAB

Horseradish peroxidase labeled-streptavidin-biotin detection system for Guinea Pig antibody with DAB chromogen

NB-23-00021-1 (60mL)

NB-23-00021-2 (18mL)

NB-23-00021-3 (6mL)





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Storage: 2-8ºC

### **INTENDED USE:**

The NeoStain ABC, HRP, Pig, with DAB Kit is intended for use with Guinea Pig primary antibodies (user-supplied) to detect the presence of antigens in human tissue or cell preparations under light microscopy. Most commonly used specimens for this system are: frozen and paraffin-embedded tissue, freshly prepared lymphocytes and fixed culture cells. The Horseradish peroxidase (HRP) labeled-streptavidin and biotinylated secondary antibody amplification system has become a standard technique in immunochemical staining.

NeoStain ABC, HRP, Pig, with DAB Kit uses human-adsorbed, biotinylated, affinity-purified secondary antibody to detect the user supplied primary antibody bound to specific antigen epitopes in tissue or cell preparations. Horseradish peroxidase (HRP) labeled streptavidin then reacts with biotinylated secondary antibody to form an HRP-streptavidin-biotin complex. The HRP enzyme of the streptavidin complex catalyzes the substrate/chromogen, 3, 3' diaminobenzidine (DAB substrate) to form a brown colored deposit at the antigen site. The antigen can then be visualized under a microscope. When compared to the traditional ABC method which uses avidin, NeoStain ABC, HRP, Pig, with DAB Kit demonstrates stronger binding strength to biotin with less non-specific background staining. Higher sensitivity and lower background give our NeoStain ABC, HRP, and Pig, with DAB Kit a higher signal-noise ratio. More than sufficient volume of DAB chromogen is provided in the kit so that customers may use 2 drops of DAB chromogen per mL to obtain higher sensitivity and contrast.

### **KIT COMPONENTS:**

| Component No. | Content                           | 6mL Kit | 18mL<br>Kit | 60mL Kit |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|----------|
| Reagent 1     | Pre-Blocking Solution(RTU)        | 6mL     | 18mL        | 60mL     |
| Reagent 2     | Biotinylated anti-Sheep IgG (RTU) | 6mL     | 18mL        | 60mL     |
| Reagent 3     | Streptavidin-HRP (RTU)            | 6mL     | 18mL        | 60mL     |
| Reagent 4A    | DAB Substrate (RTU)               | 12mL    | 15mLx2      | 60mL     |
| Reagent 4B    | DAB chromogen (20x)               | 1.5mL   | 2mL         | 3mL      |



# **RECOMMENDED PROTOCOL:**

- 1. Fixation: To ensure the quality of the staining and obtain reproducible performance, user needs to supply appropriately fixed tissue and well prepared slides.
- 2. Tissue needs to be adhered to the slide tightly to avoid falling off.
- 3. Paraffin embedded sections must be deparaffinized with xylene and rehydrated with a graded series of ethanol before staining.
- 4. Cell smear samples should be made up to as much of a monolayer as possible to obtain satisfactory results.
- 5. Three control slides will aid the interpretation of the result: positive tissue control, reagent control (slide treated with Isotype control reagent), and negative control.
- 6. Start staining procedures: DO NOT let specimen or tissue dry from this point on.

| Step/Reagent                     | Staining Procedure   | Incubation<br>Time<br>(Min.) |
|----------------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1. Peroxidase blocking reagent:  | a. Apply 2 drops (100 μL) or enough volume of                              | 10 min.                      |
|                                  | Peroxidase blocking reagent (Ready-to-use 3% H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> |                              |
| Supplied by user.                | solution) to cover the tissue section and incubate.                        |                              |
|                                  | b. Rinse with distilled water.   |                              |
| 2. HIER Pretreatment:            | a. Heat Induced Epitope Retrieval (HIER) may be                            |                              |
|                                  | required for primary antibody.   |                              |
| refer to antibody spec. sheet    | b. Wash with PBS/ 0.05% Tween20 for 2 min., 3 times                        |                              |
| 3. Reagent 1:                    | This step is optional. Recommend to use rabbit serum as                    | 10 min.                      |
|                                  | needed.  |                              |
| Pre-blocking Solution (optional) | a. Apply 2 drops or enough volume of <b>Reagent 1</b> to                   |                              |
|                                  | cover the tissue section completely. Incubate in moist                     |                              |
|                                  | chamber for 10 min.  |                              |
|                                  | b. Blot off solution. <b>DO NOT RINSE.</b>                                 |                              |
| 4. Primary antibody:             | a. Apply 2 drops or enough volume of Primary antibody                      | 30-60                        |
|                                  | to cover the tissue section completely. Incubate in                        | min                          |
| Supplied by user.                | moist chamber for 30-60 min.   |                              |
|                                  | b. Rinse with PBS/ 0.05% Tween20 for 2 min., 3 times.                      |                              |
| Investigator needs to optimize   |  |                              |
| dilution and incubation time     |  |                              |
| 5. Reagent 2:                    | a. Apply 2 drops or enough volume of <b>Reagent 2</b> to                   | 10 min.                      |
|                                  | cover the tissue section completely. Incubate in moist                     |                              |
| Biotinylated anti-Guinea Pig IgG | chamber for 10 min.  |                              |
| (RTU)                            | b. Rinse with PBS/ 0.05% Tween20 for 2 min., 3 times.                      |                              |



| 6. Reagent 3:          | a. Apply 2 drops or enough volume of <b>Reagent 3</b> to              | 10 min.    |
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| o. magant J.           | cover the tissue section completely. Incubate in moist                | 10 111111. |
| Streptavidin-HRP (RTU) | chamber for 10 min.   |            |
| Sueptaviam Tha (KTO)   | b. Rinse with PBS/ 0.05% Tween20 for 2 min., 3 times.                 |            |
| 7. Reagent 4A, 4B:     | a. Add 1 drop or 2 drops (for higher sensitivity and                  | 5 min      |
| 7. Keagent 4A, 4D.     | contrast) of <b>Reagent 4B</b> to 1mL of <b>Reagent 4A</b> . Mix      | 3 111111   |
| 4A:                    | well. Protect from light and use within 7 hours.                      |            |
| DAB Substrate (RTU)    | <ul> <li>b. Apply 2 drops (100μL) or enough volume of pre-</li> </ul> |            |
| DAD Substrate (KTO)    | mixed DAB. Chromogen to completely cover tissue                       |            |
| 4B:                    | and Incubate for 5 min.   |            |
|                        | c. Rinse with distilled water for 2 min.                              |            |
| DAB Chromogen (20x)    |   |            |
| 8. Hematoxylin:        | a. Counterstain with 2 or more drops to cover tissue                  |            |
|                        | completely and incubate for 10-20 seconds.                            |            |
| Supplied by user       | b. Rinse thoroughly under tap water for 1-2 min.                      |            |
|                        | c. Put slides in PBS until show blue color (about 30-60               |            |
|                        | seconds).   |            |
|                        | d. Rinse well in distilled water.                                     |            |
| 9. Mounting media:     | Follow the manufacture data sheet procedure for                       |            |
|                        | mounting. Recommended product:  |            |
| Supplied by user       | <b>NeoMount Perm</b> : Cat. No. <b>NB-23-00156</b> (18ml)             |            |
|                        | NeoMount Universal: Cat. No. NB-23-00157-2 (18ml)                     |            |
|                        | or <b>NB-23-00157-1</b> (100ml)                                       |            |

### **PROTOCOL NOTES:**

- 1. The fixation, tissue slide thickness, antigen retrieval and primary antibody dilution and incubation time effect results significantly. Investigator needs to consider all factors and determine optimal conditions when interpret the result.
- 2. Tissue staining is dependent upon the proper handling and processing of tissues prior to staining. Improper tissue preparation may lead to false negative results or inconsistent results.
- 3. Do not mix reagents from different lot.
- 4. Do not allow the slides to dry at any time during staining



# **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

| Product   | Catalog No    | Size   | Product   | Catalog No    | Size  |
|---|---------------|--------|---|---------------|-------|
| NeoStain ABC Kit,                                 | NB-23-00001-3 | 110 ml | NeoStain ABC Kit,   | NB-23-00007-1 | 18ml  |
| HRP, Mouse & Rabbit, no chromogen                 |               |        | HRP, Mouse & Rabbit, with AEC                                       | NB-23-00007-2 | 6ml   |
| NeoStain ABC Kit,                                 | NB-23-00001-5 | 18 ml  | NeoStain ABC Kit,   | NB-23-00008-1 | 18ml  |
| HRP, Mouse & Rabbit, with DAB                     | NB-23-00001-6 | 6ml    | HRP, Mouse, with AEC  | NB-23-00008-2 | 6ml   |
| NeoStain ABC Kit,                                 | NB-23-00003-2 | 110ml  | NeoStain ABC Kit,   | NB-23-00009-1 | 18ml  |
| HRP, Mouse, no chromogen                          |               |        | HRP, Rabbit, with AEC   | NB-23-00009-2 | 6ml   |
| NeoStain ABC Kit,<br>HRP, Rabbit, with DAB        | NB-23-00003-3 | 18ml   | Streptavidin-HRP  | NB-23-00026-2 | 110ml |
|   | NB-23-00003-4 | 6ml    | (RTU)   | NB-23-00026-3 | 18ml  |
| NeoStain ABC Kit,<br>HRP, Rabbit, no<br>chromogen | NB-23-00005-2 | 110ml  | Simplified HRP Rabbit<br>Kit (Concentrated,<br>suggested 1:100-200) | NB-23-00010   | 1ml   |
| NeoStain ABC Kit,<br>HRP, Rabbit, with DAB        | NB-23-00005-3 | 18ml   | Simplified HRP Mouse  | NB-23-00011   | 1ml   |
|   | NB-23-00005-4 | 6ml    | Kit (Concentrated, suggested 1:100-200)                             |               |       |
| NeoStain ABC Kit,                                 | NB-23-00012-1 | 110ml  | NeoStain ABC Kit,   | NB-23-00012-2 | 18ml  |
| HRP, Goat, no chromogen                           |               |        | HRP, Goat, with DAB   | NB-23-00012-3 | 6ml   |

# **PRECAUTIONS:**

Handle all specimens as potentially infectious materials, wear gloves and appropriate personal protection equipment.

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