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High levels of biotin in tissues such as kidney, liver, and mammary tissue can lead to high background in avidin-biotin-based immunostaining.

This product can be used to suppress non-specific staining caused by endogenous biotin.

Kit Components

- 1x Avidin Solution
- 1x Biotin Solution

15 mL 15 mL

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Application: Immunostaining Using Frozen Human Tissue Sections



- 1. Following treatment with 0.3% H₂O₂ in methanol, block frozen human liver sections using 1% BSA in PBS.
- 2. Incubate sections with 1x Avidin Solution at room temperature for 15 minutes.
- 3. Wash twice with PBS(-).
- 4. Incubate sections with 1x Biotin Solution at room temperature for 15 minutes.
- Wash twice with PBS(-).
- 6. Incubate sections with mouse anti-Vimentin antibody at room temperature for 1 hour.
- 7. Wash four times with PBS(-).
- 8. Incubate sections with biotin-conjugated anti-mouse IgG antibody at room temperature for 1 hour.
- 9. Wash four times with PBS(-).
- 10. Incubate sections with HRP-conjugated streptavidin at room temperature for 1 hour.
- 11. Wash four times with PBS(-).
- 12. Stain sections with DAB and wash with running water.
- 13. Stain sections with hematoxylin and wash with running water.
- 14. After dehydration, seal sections with a mounting agent and observe via a microscope.



- A: Endogenous biotin blocked with A3665
- B: Endogenous biotin not treated

By inactivating endogenous biotin, a reduction in background staining was achieved.

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