



# **CITRATE BUFFER CONCENTRATE (20X)**

(0.2 M Citrate Acid Buffer)

Storage: 2-8°C

Catalog No: B05C-100A 100ml B05C-100B 100ml B05C-100B 100ml B05C-100C 100ml

## Kit Format:

100 ml liquid form.

Catalog Number	Description	Size	рН
B05C-100A	0.2 M Citrate Acid Buffer	100ml	4.0
B05C-100B	0.2 M Citrate Acid Buffer	100ml	6.0
B05C-100C	0.2 M Citrate Acid Buffer	100ml	7.0

## **Recommended Protocol:**

Dilute 0.2 M Citrate solution 1:20 with deionized or distilled water before using. This will give a 0.01M ready-to-use citrate buffer. Refer to HIER Procedure for details.

## Precaution:

Wear gloves and take other necessary laboratory safety procedure.

#### Storage:

Store at 2-8°C. Do not freeze.

#### Remarks:

For research use only.

## HIER Procedure for FFPE Tissue Sections:

- 1. Deparaffinize in xylene and rehydrate tissue in graded alcohols.
- 2. Block endogenous peroxidase with hydrogen peroxide solution for 10 minutes.
- 3. Rinse with distilled water.
- 4. Rinse with PBS.
- 5. Heat ready-to-use citrate buffer in a beaker on a hot plate until the temperature of the buffer reaches 93°C-95°C. Place slides in heated buffer for 10-15 minutes.
- 6. Remove beaker with slides from the hot plate and allow it cool for 25-30 minutes.
- 7. Rinse slides with PBS 3 times, 2 minutes each time.
- 8. Apply avidin/biotin blocking or general blocking if required
- 9. Start immunostaining procedure.