

Instructions For Use SMG-IFU

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Mucicarmine Solution (Southgate's)

Description: Mucicarmine Solution (Southgate's) is a component of the Mucicarmine Stain Kit (Catalog#

SMS-1) and is intended for use in the histological visualization of acid mucopolysacharides in tissue sections. Mucicarmine Solution is the component responsible for staining Mucin red. This product is useful in distinguishing mucin negative undifferentiated squamous cell lesions

from mucin positive adenocarcinomas. In addition, this product will stain the

mucopolysaccharide capsule of Cryptococcus neoformans.

Mucin: Pink/Red Capsule of Cryptococcus: Red

Nuclei: Blue to Green

Other tissue components: Yellow

Uses/Limitations: For In-Vitro Diagnostic use only.

Histological applications.

Do not use past expiration date.

Use caution when handling these reagents.

Control Tissue: Colon

Intestine

Bronchi Epithelial cells

Availability/Contents:

 Item #
 Contents
 Volume

 SGM125
 Mucicarmine Solution
 125 ml

 SGM500
 500 ml

 SGM999
 1000 ml

Storage Conditions

2-8° Centigrade

Required But Not Included:

HMM125 Hematoxylin, Mayer's (125 ml) Room Temperature
BRT125 Bluing Reagent (125ml) Room Temperature
TZQ125 Tartrazine Solution (125 ml) Room Temperature

Precautions: Keep away from open flame.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Harmful if swallowed.

Follow all Federal, State, and local regulations regarding disposal.

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Procedure:

- 1. Deparaffinize sections if necessary and hydrate to distilled water.
- 2. If sections are Zenker-fixed, remove mercuric chloride crystals using iodine and clear with sodium thiosulfate. Rinse in running tap water.
- 3. Stain slide in Hematoxylin for 2-3 minutes.
- 4. Rinse for 2 minutes in running tap water.
- 5. Dip slide in Bluing Reagent for 30 seconds.
- 6. Rinse slide in distilled water.
- 7. Stain slide in Mucicarmine Solution for 10 minutes.
- 8. Rinse quickly in tap water followed by a quick rinse in distilled water.
- 9. Stain slide in Tartrazine Solution for 1 minute.
- 10. Rinse slide 1 time in absolute alcohol.
- 11. Dehydrate slide quickly in 3 changes of absolute alcohol.
- 12. Clear in 2 changes of xylene or xylene substitute, and mount in synthetic resin.

References:

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