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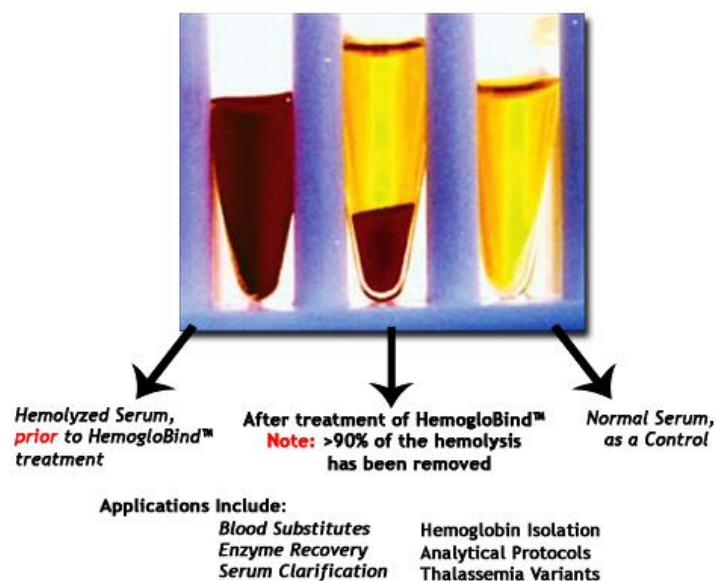
HemogloBind™

Hemoglobin Removal and Capture

- Has a high degree of specificity for hemoglobin, without cross-reacting with other analytes
- Suitable for
 - Hemolyzed serum/plasma
 - Whole Blood or Red Cell lysates
 - Tissue Homogenates
- Applications in analytical interferences, enzyme monitoring, blood substitutes

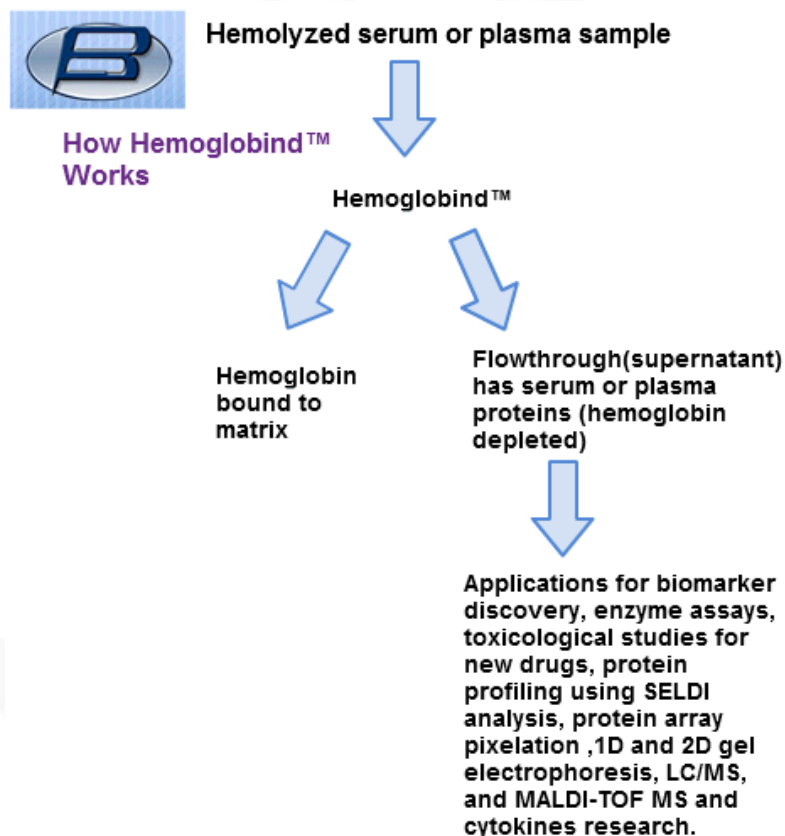
Poly-electrolytes are polymers with repeating units of stationary charges. HemogloBind™ comes from a class of solid-phase, or surface-based, elastomeric poly-electrolytic surfaces that bind proteins through an empirically derived chemistry combining elements of polymer composition, cross-linking architecture and charge properties. As with bio-polymers like DNA and Heparin, governing their reactivity is the spatial presentation of the electrostatic groups along a flexible polymer chain.

HemogloBind™ does not cross react with most common serum components, making it an excellent tool in numerous applications. These include analytical protocols where optical interference is problematic, such as bilirubin analysis and bulk serum clarification. Hemoglobin variants, as in thalassemia, bind with differential affinity towards HemogloBind™. For purification and/or analysis of hemoglobin, a modest elevation in pH will facilitate desorption of hemoglobin bound to HemogloBind™.





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Product	Size	Item No.
HemogloBind™	5ml	HO145-05
HemogloBind™	15ml	HO145-15
HemogloBind™	50ml	HO145-50

Specification

HemogloBind™ is supplied as an aqueous suspension of a synthetic polymer, pH 6.5. After centrifugation, the ratio of liquid to gel pellet is 2 parts liquid, to 1 part solid.

Storage

Supplied as an aqueous suspension of synthetic polymer, pH 6.5. The reagent when not used must be kept sealed and stored at 4°C. Do not freeze. HemogloBind™ retains full activity when stored at 4°C for 6 months. Expiration date is shown on packing slip.



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PROTOCOL – To Treat 250 μ l of Hemolyzed serum in SPIN-X Tube

1. Shake the HemogloBind™ suspension.
2. Using wide-bore pipette tips, pipette 250 μ l or 500ul of the HemogloBind™ suspension into the filter of the SPIN-X set.
3. Add 250 μ l of the hemolyzed serum to the small tub. (~10 mg/mL Hb)
4. Vortex for 20 seconds.
5. Mix by inversion for 10 minutes.
6. Centrifuge for 1-2 minutes at 9000 RPMs.

Filtrate contains hemoglobin depleted sample, while the solid contains the hemoglobin removed.

PROTOCOL – To Treat 250 μ l of Hemolyzed serum using microfuge tubes

1. Shake the HemogloBind™ suspension.
2. Using wide-bore pipette tips, pipette 250 μ l or 500ul of the HemogloBind™ suspension.
3. Add 250 μ l of the hemolyzed serum. (~10 mg/mL Hb)
4. Vortex for 30 seconds.
5. Mix by inversion for 10 minutes.
6. Centrifuge for 1-2 minutes at 9000 RPMs.

Supernatant contains hemoglobin depleted sample, while the solid contains the hemoglobin removed.

PROTOCOL – To Treat Blood Sample Using Microfuge Tube

1. Shake the HemogloBind™ suspension.
2. In a separate microfuge tube, to 10-20 μ l of blood sample, add 100-200 μ l 0.02M Potassium Phosphate pH 6.5. Vortex for 5 minutes.
3. Add 100-200 μ l of HemogloBind™ suspension to the sample from step 2.
4. Vortex or mix well for 10 minutes at room temperature followed by centrifugation for 4 minutes at 10,000 rpm.
5. Collect the filtrate or supernatant which contains hemoglobin depleted sample, while the matrix contains the hemoglobin.

Supernatant contains hemoglobin depleted sample, while the solid contains the hemoglobin removed.

PROTOCOL – To Treat Blood Sample Using SPIN-X Tube

1. Shake the HemogloBind™ suspension.
2. Using the filter of the SPIN-X set, to 10-20 μ l of blood sample, add 100-200 μ l 0.02M Potassium Phosphate pH 6.5. Vortex for 5 minutes.



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3. Using wide-bore pipette tips, pipette 100-200 μ l of the HemogloBind™ suspension into the same sample SPIN-X filter.
4. Vortex for 20 seconds.
5. Mix by inversion for 10 minutes.
6. Centrifuge for 1-2 minutes at 9000 RPMs.

Filtrate contains hemoglobin depleted sample, while the solid contains the hemoglobin removed.

Other Analytes

HemogloBind™ cannot reduce interference caused by substances released from erythrocyte hemolysis other than that caused by hemoglobin. It is compatible with Bilirubin, Total Protein, Immunoglobulin, Albumin, Creatinine, ALT, AST, GGT, Creatine Kinase, LDH, BUN, Amylase, Cholinesterase. It is marginally compatible with Alkaline Phosphatase. It is not compatible with Calcium, Magnesium. Suspension buffer contains trace amounts of Potassium Phosphate, which can be removed, please inquire.

Haptoglobin (HAP) Influence

The extent of hemoglobin removal may be influenced by the presence of elevated haptoglobin concentrations and sialo-glycoprotein which may be present in some acute-phase adult serum samples.

Myoglobin Binding

HemogloBind will not bind to Myoglobin, a protein that is structurally similar to hemoglobin but of lower molecular mass.

Hemoglobin Variants

Hemoglobin variants, as in thalassemia, and glycosylated hemoglobin bind with differential affinity towards HemogloBind™. This has not been fully characterized.

Desorption of Bound Hemoglobin

For purification and/or analysis of hemoglobin, 100 mM Tris-Borate, pH 9, will facilitate desorption of hemoglobin bound to HemogloBind™.

Featured Applications –

Hemolyzed Serum Exosome Analyses

Nishida-Aoki, Nao, et al. "Disruption of Circulating Extracellular Vesicles as a Novel Therapeutic Strategy against Cancer Metastasis." *Molecular Therapy* 25.1 (2017): 181-191.

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.ymthe.2016.10.009>

This study considers that therapeutic strategies targeting cancer-derived extracellular vesicles (EVs) hold great promise because of the possibility they reposition microenvironments to accommodate metastasis. The researchers report on a novel strategy of therapeutic antibody treatment to target cancer-derived EVs and inhibit the metastasis of breast cancer in a mouse model. The article states



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"Hemoglobin was accumulated with HemogloBind beads (Biotech support group, Monmouth Junction NJ, USA) followed by 0.22 μ m filtration. Then, the EVs in the sera were concentrated by ultracentrifugation...". The authors conclude that therapeutic antibody administration effectively suppresses EV-triggered metastasis and that the elimination of cancer-exosome derived EVs could be a novel strategy for therapy.

Hemolyzed Serum Bilirubin Analyses

Parvathi S. Kumar, Haree K. Pallera, Pamela S. Hair, Magdielis Gregory Rivera, Tushar A. Shah, Alice L. Werner, Frank A. Lattanzio, Kenji M. Cunnion, and Neel K. Krishna. [Peptide inhibitor of complement C1 modulates acute intravascular hemolysis of mismatched red blood cells in rats](#). TRANSFUSION Volume 00, May 2016. doi:10.1111/trf.13674.

In brief, the study evaluated the role of the a peptide inhibitor of complement C1 (PIC1) in an animal model of acute intravascular hemolysis in both prevention and rescue scenarios. The authors state "To remove free Hb that may cause optical interference in bilirubin analysis, we treated all the samples with Hb depletion from hemolyzed serum/plasma (HemogloBind, Biotech Support Group). Bilirubin concentration was then measured with a Bilirubin Assay Kit (Sigma-Aldrich, St. Louis, MO)."

Macromolecular Complexes

C Wan, B Borgeson, S Phanse, F Tu, K Drew, G Clark, et al. [Panorama of ancient metazoan macromolecular complexes](#). Nature Volume:525, Pages:339–344 Date published:(17 September 2015). doi:10.1038/nature14877

Two of BSG products, **NRicher™ 6** and **HemogloBind™**, were able to contribute to this rigorous examination of protein complexes. When our products were used as a pretreatment step in the overall workflow, about twice the number of observations and annotations became possible. This further validates that the sub-proteome bias characteristics of **NRicher™ 6** can simplify complex proteomes into less complex sub-proteomes with efficiencies suitable for deep functional proteome characterization. Furthermore, this study demonstrated the importance of a key feature implicit to all of our products; that is the maintenance of functional and structural integrity after separations. Without that particular feature, these additional observations would not have been possible.

Whole Blood

Lahut, Suna, et al. "Blood RNA biomarkers in prodromal PARK4 and REM sleep behavior disorder show role of complexin-1 loss for risk of Parkinson's disease." *Disease Models & Mechanisms* (2017): dmm-028035. <http://dmm.biologists.org/lookup/doi/10.1242/dmm.028035>

In this study, Parkinson's disease progression is investigated through the accumulation and aggregation of the lipid-binding SNARE complex component alpha-synuclein (SNCA) which underlies vulnerability and defines its stages. The authors studied blood samples from a new large pedigree with SNCA gene duplication (PARK4 mutation), to identify effects of SNCA gain-of-function as potential disease biomarkers. The article states "For protein extraction from the EDTA tubes, 300 μ l blood were lysed with equal amount of 1% SDS-RIPA buffer [50 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.0), 150 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA, 1 mM EGTA, 1% Igepal CA-630 (Sigma), 0.5% sodium deoxycholate, 0.1% SDS, 1 mM PMSF and one tablet Complete Protease Inhibitor Cocktail (Roche)] and sonicated for 10 sec. The blood lysates were rotated at 4 °C for 30 min and centrifuged at 4 °C for 30 min. The supernatants were depleted in hemoglobin content using a commercial kit (HemogloBind, Biotech) following the



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manufacturer's instructions". After hemoglobin depletion, immunoblot analysis identified that PARK4 blood showed upregulation of alpha-synuclein monomer, with no high molecular weight aggregates.

Snider, Thomas H., Christina M. Wilhelm, Michael C. Babin, Gennady E. Platoff Jr, and David T. Yeung. "[Assessing the therapeutic efficacy of oxime therapies against percutaneous organophosphorus pesticide and nerve agent challenges in the Hartley guinea pig.](#)" *The Journal of Toxicological Sciences* 40, no. 6 (2015): 759-775.

Acetylcholine is an essential neurotransmitter, and inhibitors of cholinesterases (ChEs) are potent toxins. A primary component of anti-organophosphorus therapy is an oxime reactivator to rescue inhibited acetylcholinesterases. For this, clinical signs of toxicity can be measured from blood cholinesterase [Acetylcholinesterase (AChE) and butyrylcholinesterase (BChE)] activity utilizing a modified Ellman's method. Biotech Support Group's unique solid-phase polymer for hemoglobin depletion, was used for pretreatment. The article states "Briefly, whole blood samples were treated with HemogloBind™ which interferes with the ChE activity assay due to spectral overlap."

Brittain, Matthew K., Kevin G. McGarry, Robert A. Moyer, Michael C. Babin, David A. Jett, Gennady E. Platoff, and David T. Yeung. "[Efficacy of Recommended Prehospital Human Equivalent Doses of Atropine and Pralidoxime Against the Toxic Effects of Carbamate Poisoning in the Hartley Guinea Pig.](#)" *International journal of toxicology* (2016): 1091581816638086.

The article states "Whole blood samples were processed and analyzed as described by McGarry et al.¹⁰ Briefly, whole blood samples were treated with HemogloBind to remove hemoglobin, which interferes with the ChE activity assay due to spectral overlap. To prepare the HemogloBind treated blood samples for ChE activity analysis, samples were diluted 2-fold in assay buffer (1 PBS). Subsequently, samples were diluted an additional 2-fold into the test plate by adding 100 mL of sample to a total volume of 200 mL in each well of a 96-well plate. Cholinesterase activity was assessed using a spectrophotometric assay conducted in a manner similar to Ellman et al,¹¹ as described in the in vitro reactivation section above. The relative AChE activity level for each animal (RAAChE) was defined as the ATC turnover rate in the terminal blood sample divided by that in the same animal's baseline blood sample. A similar calculation was performed using butyrylthiocholine (BTC) turnover rates to determine RABChE."

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