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# Thermo Scientific UltraVision Hydrogen Peroxide Block

## **INTENDED USE**

For In Vitro Diagnostic Use. The Thermo Scientific UltraVision™ Hydrogen Peroxide Block is intended to quench endogenous peroxide activity that may interfere with the signal generated in an immunohistochemical assay.

<u>Catalog # Volume</u> TA-999-H2O2Q 1 liter

## **DESCRIPTION**

The UltraVision Hydrogen Peroxide Block has been formulated for use in immunohistochemical assays. The ready-to-use block is designed to quench endogenous peroxidase activity that can cause nonspecific background staining when using a horseradish peroxidase label. The product is ideal for use with UltraVision LP and Quanto polymer based visualization kits.

#### **WARNINGS & PRECAUTIONS**

Refer to MSDS.

#### **STORAGE & SHELF LIFE**

Store at 2-8°C. Refer to product label for expiration date. The product performance should be verified prior to use if the product was stored outside of the manufacturer's recommendations.

#### **MICROBIOLOGICAL STATE**

Product(s) not sterile.

#### **SPECIMEN & REAGENT PREPARATION**

Refer to the immunohistochemistry procedures on any of the Thermo Scientific detection system datasheets.

## **IMMUNOHISTOCHEMSTRY PROCEDURE**

- 1. Dewax (deparaffinize) and rehydrate tissue section.
- 2. Rinse with buffer.
- 3. If required, incubate tissue in appropriate pretreatment or digestive enzyme.
- 4. Rinse with buffer.
- To reduce nonspecific background staining due to endogenous peroxidase, incubate slide in Thermo Scientific UltraVision Hydrogen Peroxide Block for 10 minutes.
- 6. Rinse with buffer.
- Apply UltraVision Protein Block (TA-xxx-PBQ) and incubate for 5 minutes to block nonspecific background staining.
  NOTE: Do not exceed 10 minutes or there may be a reduction in desired stain. (May be omitted if primary antibodies are diluted in buffers containing blocking reagents.)
- 8. Blow step is recommended in protocols set up on Thermo Scientific Autostainer.
- 9. Continue executing remaining steps of the Immunohistochemistry protocol.

## **REFERENCES**

N/A

#### **TROUBLESHOOTING**

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