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Data sheet AEC coloring system

Cat. No CT392

Format 10-plate

Specificity AEC coloring system used in ELISPOT assay consists of two components: a

concentrated AEC (3-amino-9-ethylcarbazole) stock solution and a concentrated

Substrate buffer.

Application For 1 ELISPOT plate: mix 1 ml Substrate buffer (10x) thoroughly with 4.2 ml 70%

ethanol and 4.8 ml demineralized water to achieve a final concentration of substrate buffer (1x) in 30% ethanol. Add 660 μ l of AEC stock solution* (toxic: use a fume hood)

and mix thoroughly. After mixing, the solution should be clear.

This AEC solution should be used within 30 min after preparation.

* Do not bring AEC stock solution into contact with polystyrene pipettes and vials.

Add 100 μ l/well. Cover the plate and incubate for 30 min at room temperature (RT:

20-26 °C) protected from light.

Stop the reaction by emptying the plate and thoroughly rinse both sides of the PVDF

membrane with demineralized water.

Allow the plate to air dry the plate at RT (protected from light).

To prevent the red spots from fading, store the plate in a dry place protected from

light.

The product should be used in combination with:

• Streptavidin-HRP conjugate (U-CyTech cat. no. CT353)

• 96-well PVDF membrane-bottomed plates (Millipore cat. no. MSIP \$4510).

Contents 7 ml AEC stock solution

10 ml Substrate buffer

Sterility -

Packaging Opaque amber polypropylene bottle with amber cap (AEC stock solution)

Opaque amber polypropylene bottle with blue cap (Substrate buffer)

Storage AEC stock solution:

The AEC stock solution should be stored at -32 to -18 °C and is stable until the expiry date (printed on the vial)*. It is recommended to divide the solution into small aliquots for single use in polypropylene vials. These aliquots should be stored

protected from light at -32 to -18 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ (stable for at least one year).

* Avoid exposure to light and air: close the vial tightly after use.

Avoid contact with polystyrene pipettes and vials.

Substrate buffer:

The substrate buffer is stable until the expiry date (printed on the vial) when stored

at 4 °C. Tightly close the vial after use.

General Do not bring AEC stock solution into contact with polystyrene pipettes, vials, etc.

AEC stock solution: ochre-colored solution.

Substrate buffer: colorless solution.

Safety AEC coloring system is for professional use only. Follow general safety rules for

laboratories.

AEC stock Warning:

solution AEC (3-Amino-9-ethylcarbazole) stock solution is classified as hazardous according to

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 and its amendments.

Flammable liquid (Category 3), H226
Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302
Carcinogenicity (Category 1B), H350
Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eve irritation (Category 2), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), H335

Hazard statements:

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H302: Harmful if swallowed

H315: Causes skin irritation

H319: Causes serious eye irritation

H335: May cause respiratory irritation

H350: May cause cancer

Precaution statements:

P201: Refer to special instructions before use.

P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P261: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapor/sprays.

P280: Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P301 + P312 + P330: If SWALLOWED: call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

P332 + P313: If skin irritation occurs: get medical advice/attention.

P305 + P351 + P338: If in EYES: rinse continuously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P313: If exposed or concerned: get medical advice/attention.

Product consists of 1% (w/v) 3-amino-9-ethylcarbazole in N,N-diethylformamide.

The AEC stock solution should be processed in a chemical fume hood. Use spark-free tools and keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and electrostatic discharges. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Do not let product enter drains.

Substrate buffer

Danger:

Substrate buffer is classified as hazardous according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 and its amendments.

Eye irritation (Category 1), H218

Precautionary statements:

H280: Wear eye protection/ face protection

P305 + P351 + P338: If in EYES: rinse continuously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Product contains >= 3 - < 10% Sodium hydrogen di(acetate).

First aid

In case of skin contact, remove contaminated clothing/shoes and wash contaminated area with water (or shower). In swallowed or contact with eyes, rinse mouth (if person is conscious) or eyes with plenty of water for several minutes. Ensure adequate flushing by spreading eyelids. In case of inhalation, provide fresh air. If skin or eye irritation occurs, if breathing becomes difficult or feeling unwell or concerned, consult physician and show SDS.

If AEC stock solution is swallowed: do NOT induce vomiting. Consult physician immediately.

If Substrate buffer is swallowed: immediately make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult physician.

Refer to safety data sheet (SDS) for further information on hazards and safe handling practices. The SDS can be found at www.ucytech.com/products/additional.



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