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DATASHEET

MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium (hardset)

Product overview

Name Cat No **Biological description** MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium (hardset) HB6966

Overview

MightyMount[™] Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium (hardset) is an ideal formulation for prevention of photobleaching of fluorescent proteins and dyes during fluorescent imaging. It is easy to use with an ideal refractive index and provides effective prevention of photobleaching.

Applications: IHC(IF), ICC, Cellular imaging, Super-resolution microscopy Mounting: Aqueous (hardset) - cures in approximately 1 hour at room temperature

Antifade: Yes Counterstain: None

Refractive index: ≈1.45 (initial) which then increases to ≈1.518 once cured

Other Mounting Media Products

We supply a full range of mounting media for a range of experimental needs:

Hardset:

- HB8459 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium with DAPI (hardset)
- HB7033 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium with Propidium Iodide (hardset)
- HB7508 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium with Phalloidin-TRITC (hardset)

Aqueous:

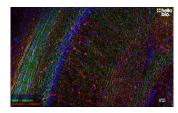
- HB9854 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium (aqueous)
 HB7618 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium with DAPI (aqueous)
- HB8761 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium with Propidium Iodide
- HB9417 MightyMountTM Antifade Fluorescence Mounting Medium with Phalloidin-TRITC (aqueous)

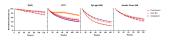
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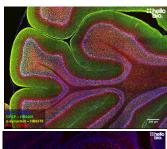
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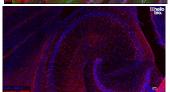
Antifade fluorescence hard-set mounting medium for use in IHC(IF) and ICC.

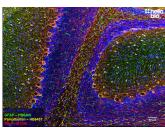
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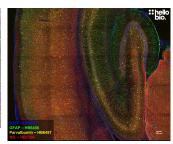


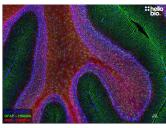


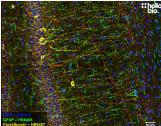


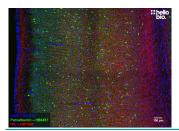












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Application notes

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IHC(IF)

- Mount sections onto subbed or charged microscope slides and air dry (in the dark) until sections are moist but all excess liquid has evaporated
- 2. Add a few drops of mounting media around the sections (around 50µl but this will depend on the number and thickness of sections) and slowly lower the coverslip from one end of the slide to the other being careful to avoid creating any bubbles.
- 3. Wrap slides in foil to prevent light exposure then allow the media to cure at 4°C overnight before imaging. If more rapid imaging is needed it is possible to accelerate the curing process by incubating slides at either room temperature or 37°C for ≈1 hour.

For more information on IHC(IF) including tips on how to mount sections, please see our IHC(IF) protocol

ICC

- 1. Add a drop of mounting medium (Around $5\mu l$ for a 10mm and $15\mu l$ for a 22mm coverslip) to a standard microscope slide.
- 2. Briefly rinse the coverslip in dH_2O before placing face down into the drop of mounting medium being careful not to introduce bubbles.
- 3. Wrap slides in foil to prevent light exposure then allow the media to cure at 4°C overnight before imaging. If more rapid imaging is needed it is possible to accelerate the curing process by incubating slides at either room temperature or 37°C for ≈1 hour.

For more information on ICC please see our ICC protocol

Solubility & Handling

Storage instructions Storage buffer Important +4°C. Protect from light. Contains 0.05% sodium azide

This product is for RESEARCH USE ONLY and is not intended for therapeutic or diagnostic use. Not for human or veterinary use.