

## **BUFFERS and MEDIAS**

### **Coomassie Blue Staining Solution**

2 g Coomassie Blue

2 L Methanol or Ethanol \*

1.6 L dH<sub>2</sub>O

400 mL Glacial acetic acid

*\*If you will be microwaving the gel in staining solution for rapid staining use ethanol. Use methanol for staining at room temperature. Methanol stains quicker, but is unhealthy to breath in fumes during microwaving.*

### **Coomassie blue Destaining Solution**

100 mL Methanol or Ethanol \*

850 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O

50 mL Glacial acetic acid

*\*If you will be microwaving the gel in destaining solution for rapid destaining use ethanol. Use methanol for destaining at room temperature. Methanol destains quicker, but is unhealthy to breath in fumes during microwaving.*

### **DMEM Normal Cell Culture Media**

DMEM 500 mL

FBS 55 mL (10 % final)

Antibiotic-Antimycotic 5.5 mL (1 X final)

L-glutamine 5.5 mL (1 X final)

Store at +4 °C

### **DNA Loading Buffer/Dye (6 X)**

100 mg Bromophenol Blue

100 mg Xylene Cyanol FF

6 g Ficoll

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 40 mL

### **Energy Mix (20 X)**

3.827 g Phosphocreatine (150 mM final)

1.102 g ATP (20 mM final)

0.4 mL 0.5 M EGTA pH 7.7 (2 mM final)

2 mL 1 M MgCl<sub>2</sub> (20 mM final)

pH to 7.7 with 1N NaOH

Aliquot and store at -20 °C

### **FACS Buffer**

1X PBS

2% FBS

1 mM EDTA

0.1 % Sodium Azide

Sterilize through 0.22 um filter. Store at +4 °C.

### **GST Protein Purification Lysis and Wash Buffer**

50 mM Tris pH 7.7

150 mM KCl

0.1 % Triton X-100

Store at +4 °C

Add fresh at time of use 1 mM DTT

### GST Protein Purification Elution Buffer

50 mM Tris pH 7.7

100 mM KCl

Store at +4 °C

Add fresh at time of use 1 mM DTT

Add fresh at time of use 10 mM Glutathione

*pH back to 7.7 after glutathione addition*

### HCEC Cell Culture Media

		[Final]	[Stock]
DMEM	363 mL	3 parts	-
M199	121 mL	1 part	-
Antibiotic	5 mL	1X	100X
FBS	10 mL	2%	100%
Insulin	0.5 mL	10 ug/mL	10 mg/mL (1,000X)
Transferrin	0.5 mL	2 ug/mL	2 mg/mL (1,000X)
EGF	0.1 mL	20 ng/mL	100 ug/mL (5,000X)
Sodium Selenite	0.05 mL	5 nM	50 uM (10,000X)
Hydrocortisone	<u>0.1 mL</u>	1 ug/mL	5 mg/mL (5,000X)
	~500 mL		

Filter sterilize with 0.22 um membrane. Store at +4 °C

- To make hydrocortisone use water soluble version not Sigma H0888.
- Insulin needs to be made up in acidic water (pH 2.5).
- Everything else made in water, filtered 0.22  $\mu$ M, and stored at -20 °C.

### **His-Tag Protein Purification Lysis Buffer**

6.9 g  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$  (50 mM final)

17.54 g NaCl (300 mM final)

0.68 g Imidazole (10 mM final)

*Adjust pH to 8.0 with NaOH*

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

Store at +4 °C

### **His-Tag Protein Purification Wash Buffer**

6.9 g  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$  (50 mM final)

17.54 g NaCl (300 mM final)

1.36 g Imidazole (20 mM final)

*Adjust pH to 8.0 with NaOH*

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

Store at +4 °C

### **His-Tag Protein Purification Elution Buffer**

6.9 g  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$  (50 mM final)

17.54 g NaCl (300 mM final)

17 g Imidazole (250 mM final)

*Adjust pH to 8.0 with NaOH*

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

Store at +4 °C

### **NP-40 Cell Lysis Buffer**

50 mM Tris pH 7.7

150 mM NaCl

0.5 % NP-40

Store at +4 °C

Add fresh at time of use 1 mM DTT

Add fresh at time of use 1X PIC (protease inhibitor cocktail)

### **Phosphate Buffered Saline (PBS) (10 X)**

1.44 g  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$

90 g NaCl

7.95 g  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (or 4.21 g  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4$ )

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

*Do not adjust pH. 10X should be approx. pH 6.5. Diluting to 1X pH will be 7.4.*

### **Protein Storage Buffer**

50 mM Tris pH 7.7

100 mM KCl

10 % Glycerol

Store at +4 °C

Add fresh at time of use 1 mM DTT

## RIPA Cell Lysis Buffer

50 mM Tris pH 7.8  
150 mM NaCl  
1 % NP-40  
0.5 % Sodium deoxycholate  
0.1 % SDS

Store at +4 °C

Add fresh at time of use 1 mM DTT

Add fresh at time of use 1X PIC (protease inhibitor cocktail)

## SDS Sample Buffer (4 X)

5.8 g SDS  
0.8 g Tris base  
24 mL Glycerol  
80 mg Bromophenol blue  
1.24 g DTT  
dH<sub>2</sub>O to 40 mL total volume

*Start with 13 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O. Add SDS, Tris, Bromophenol blue, and DTT. Heat at 90 °C until in solution. Add 24 mL glycerol. Confirm approx. 40 mL. Make 1 mL aliquots and store at -20 °C.*

## SDS-PAGE Running Buffer

### 10 X Base (without SDS\*):

120 g Tris base  
288 g Glycine  
dH<sub>2</sub>O to 2 L

**For 1X Running buffer:**

0.4 L 10 X Base Buffer

40 mL 10% SDS (or 4 g)

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 4 L

*\*10X SDS-PAGE Running buffer can't be stored long-term in SDS. Therefore we make 10X solution containing Tris and Glycine then dilute this 10X solution in SDS and dH<sub>2</sub>O to make final 1X running buffer.*

**SSC (20 X)**

175.3 g NaCl (3 M final)

88.2 g Sodium citrate (0.3 M final)

800 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O

Adjust pH to 7.0 with few drops of 14 N HCl.

Then adjust volume to 1 L with dH<sub>2</sub>O.

*Aliquot and sterilize by autoclaving.*

**TAE Buffer (50 X)**

242 g Tris base

57.1 mL Glacial acetic acid

100 mL 0.5 M EDTA pH 8.0

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

**TBS (20 X)**

160 g NaCl

4 g KCl

60g Tris base

*pH to 8.0 with HCl*

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

### **TBS-T (1 X)**

200 mL 20 X TBS

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 4 L

2 mL Tween-20

### **TE Buffer**

10 mM Tris pH 7.4

1 mM EDTA

### **Western Transfer Buffer**

#### **10X Base:**

29.3 g Glycine (39 mM final)

58.1 g Tris-base (48 mM final)

3.75 g SDS

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 1 L

#### **For 1 X Transfer buffer\*:**

100 mL 10 X Base Transfer Buffer

700 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O

200 mL Methanol

Store at +4 °C



*\*Add the solutions in the order shown above. Do not add the methanol directly to the 10X Base Transfer Buffer.*

### **XB Buffer**

10 mM        HEPES pH 7.7

1 mM         MgCl<sub>2</sub>

0.1 mM       CaCl<sub>2</sub>

100 mM       KCl

50 mM        Sucrose

Store at -80 °C

### **REAGENTS**

#### **Ampicillin (100 mg/mL; 1000 X)**

1 g        Ampicillin (powder at -20 °C)

dH<sub>2</sub>O    to 10 mL

*Sterilize through 0.22 um filter, aliquot, and store at -20 °C.*

#### **Bluo-Gal**

20 mg/mL stock in DMSO is 200 X (100 ug/mL final)

#### **BrdU**

2 mM stock in dH<sub>2</sub>O is 200 X (10 uM final)

### **Camptothecin**

5  $\mu$ M stock in DMSO is 1000 X (5 nM final)

### **Colcemid**

2 mg/mL stock in Ethanol is 13,333X for final 150 ng/mL

### **DAPI**

5 mg/mL stock in dH<sub>2</sub>O is 5000 X (1 $\mu$ g/mL final). Stain cells for 1-2 min in DAPI-PBS. Wash once in PBS.

### **DTT (Dithiothreitol)**

1 M stock in dH<sub>2</sub>O is 1000 X (1 mM final)

### **Hygromycin B**

50 mg/mL stock is 125 X (0.4 mg/mL final)

### **IPTG (1 M; 1000 X)**

2.382 g IPTG (powder at +4 °C)

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 10 mL

*Sterilize through 0.22  $\mu$ m filter, aliquot, and store at -20 °C.*

### **Kanamycin (30 mg/mL; 1000 X)**

300 mg Kanamycin (powder at room temp.)

dH<sub>2</sub>O to 10 mL

*Sterilize through 0.22 um filter, aliquot, and store at -20 °C.*

### **NEM (N-Ethylmaleimide)**

800 mM stock in ethanol is 20 X (40 mM final). 100 mg in 1 mL ethanol gives 20 X solution.

*Make solution fresh at each time of use.*

### **Neomycin (G418)**

100 mg/mL stock in dH<sub>2</sub>O. Sterilize through 0.22 um filter and store aliquots at -20 °C. Most cells sensitive to 0.5 - 1 mg/mL (100-200 X), but optimal concentrations should be determine by performing a kill curve on your specific cell line.

### **Nocadazole**

10 mg/mL stock. Dilute 1000X into media then 100X into media for final 0.1 ug/mL (100,000 dilution of stock in the end for 100 ng/mL final)

### **PMSF**

100 mM stock in Ethanol is 100 X (1 mM final). Stock good for month in -20 °C, longer in -80 °C.

### **Protease Inhibitor Cocktail (PIC)**

Resuspend one Sigma complete protease inhibitor cocktail tablet (S-8820) in 1 mL dH<sub>2</sub>O by vigorous vortexing. This yields a 100 X solution. Aliquot and store at -20 °C. Only add PIC to buffers at time of use.

### **Puromycin**

1 mg/mL stock in dH<sub>2</sub>O. Sterilize through 0.22 um filter and store aliquots at -20 °C. Most cells sensitive to 1 ug/mL (1000 X), but optimal concentrations should be determine by performing a kill curve on your specific cell line.

### **Tetracycline (or Doxycycline)**

1 mg/mL stock in 50% ethanol is 1000 X (1 ug/mL final)

### **Thymidine**

200 mM stock in dH<sub>2</sub>O is 100 X (2 mM final)