

# Instructions For Use KT004-IFU

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### Combined Eosinophil-Mast Cell Stain Kit

Description: The Combined Eosinophil-Mast Cell Stain Kit is intended for simultaneous

visualization of eosinophils and mast cells.

Mast Cells: Bright Blue
Eosinophils: Bright Red
Nuclei: Blue

Uses/Limitations: For In-Vitro Diagnostic use only.

Histological applications. Do not use past expiration date.

Use caution when handling these reagents.

Control Tissue: Any well fixed section cut 3-5 microns or any air dried smear on clean slide.

### Availability/Contents:

Kit Contents	Volume	Storage
Astra Blue Solution	125 ml	15-30°C
Vital New Red Solution	125 ml	15-30°C
Hematoxylin, Mayer's (Lillie's Mod.) 125 ml		15-30°C

Precautions: This product is a single-use, non-sterile, in vitro diagnostic device.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Harmful if swallowed.

Follow all Federal, State, and local regulations regarding disposal.

Use in chemical fume hood whenever possible.

#### Procedure (Standard):

Note: Performing stain on a 37°C slide warmer intensifies colors.

- 1. Deparaffinize sections if necessary and hydrate to distilled water.
- 2. Stain tissue section with Vital New Red Solution for 30 minutes with frequent agitation.
- 3. Rinse quickly in 2 changes of distilled water.
- 4. Stain tissue section with Astra Blue Solution for 1-3 minutes with frequent agitation.
- 5. Rinse quickly in 2 changes of distilled water.

Optional:

5a. Counterstain in Hematoxylin, Mayer's (Lillie's Modification) for 5-10 seconds.





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- 5b. Rinse slide in running tap water for 2 minutes followed by one dip in distilled water.
- 6. Blot dry.
- 7. Dehydrate quickly through 3 changes of absolute alcohol (about 20 seconds each).
- 8. Shake off excess and blot dry.
- 9. Air dry for about 1 minute.
- 10. Clear, and mount in synthetic resin.

