# Hydrocortisone

#### Cell culture supplement

Catalog # 07904 100 mg



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### **Product Description**

Hydrocortisone is required for supplementation of the following media to give a final concentration of 10^-6 M:

- MyeloCult™ H5100 (Human, Catalog #05100) or MyeloCult™ M5300 (Mouse, Catalog #05300), for long-term cultures and the long-term culture-initiating cell assay
- EpiCult<sup>TM</sup>-B Human Medium Kit (Catalog #05601), for culture of human mammary luminal and myoepithelial cells
- MammoCult<sup>™</sup> Human Medium Kit (Catalog #05620), for culture of mammospheres and tumorspheres

#### **Properties**

Storage: Store at -20°C.

Shelf Life: Store powder with a dessicant at -20°C.

## Handling / Directions For Use

- To prepare a 10<sup>-3</sup> M solution of hydrocortisone, accurately weigh out 2.42 mg and dilute to 5 mL in an appropriate medium (e.g. Alpha MEM with Nucleosides [Catalog #36450]). Alternatively, weigh out a small amount of powder and dissolve at a ratio of 1 mg of powder to 2 mL of medium.
- 2. Filter sterilize using a using a 0.2 0.22 μm low protein binding polyethersulfone (PES) filter unit (e.g. Fisher 09-741-04 [0.2 μm, 250 mL]; Fisher SCGP00525 [0.22 μm, 50 mL]).
- 3. Perform a further 1 in 10 dilution of this stock in medium to obtain a working stock solution of 10^-4 M. NOTE: If not used immediately, store the working stock solution at 2 8°C for up to 1 week.
- 4. Add 1 mL of 10^-4 M hydrocortisone to 100 mL of medium to achieve a final concentration of 10^-6 M hydrocortisone.

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