

# LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup>

## LowCross-HRP® is a dilution buffer and storage solution for peroxidase-conjugates!

Product description

pH-value:	$7.2 \pm 0.2$
Preservative:	contains 0.045% ProClin <sup>®</sup> 300 (v/v)
Storage:	shelf life (when stored unopened at 2 - 8 °C): 2 years - Does not tolerate freezing!

### For research use only, not for diagnostic use

Available		
Package sizes:	50 mL	order number 200 050
	125 mL	order number 200 125
	500 mL	order number 200 500

#### Instructions for use

*LowCross-HRP*<sup>®</sup> is a dilution buffer for long-term storage of peroxidase-conjugates. This can be antibodyperoxidase-conjugates as well as Neutravidin- or Streptavidin-peroxidase-conjugates. Conjugates can be diluted directly in *LowCross-HRP*<sup>®</sup> in end-user concentrations.

Typical concentrations of conjugates are in between 40 and 500 ng/ml.

Immediately before use the buffer should be mixed thoroughly.

*LowCross-HRP*<sup>®</sup> is a combination of *LowCross-Buffer*<sup>®</sup> and a modern stabilizer for stabilizing antibodies and peroxidase. Therefore you get long-term stabilization as well as the *LowCross-Buffer*<sup>®</sup> effect in one solution.

#### The LowCross-Buffer® effect:

*LowCross-Buffer<sup>®</sup>* was specially developed to minimise cross reactivities, nonspecific binding and matrix effects in immunoassays. Interference derived from HAMA (human anti-mouse antibodies) rheumatoid factors or other endogenous interfering factors can be reduced significantly.

#### Appearance of signal reduction:

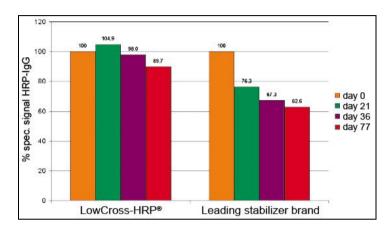
In some cases a smooth reduction of the wanted signal can be observed. *LowCross-Buffer®* reduces lowand medium-affinity binding. That means that by using low- and medium-affinity detector-antibodies or polyclonal detector-antibodies a smooth reduction of signals can appear. Polyclonal antibodies normally contain low- and medium-affinity binding components. In the case of polyclonal antibodies a moderate increase of the concentration of the antibody can lead to the previously seen signals.

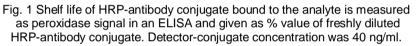


HRP - long-term stabilization of peroxidase:

*LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup>* contains stabilizing components for antibodies and for peroxidase. This makes *LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup>* the ideal solution, if you want to store peroxidase-conjugates for a long period in a ready-to-use solution. Dilute the conjugates directly in *LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup>*.

Stabilization of a HRP-antibody conjugate by a leading enzyme stabilizer product was compared to stabilization by *LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup>* (see fig. 1). *LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup>* provides the best long-term stabilization of the HRP-antibody conjugate.





Testing LowCross-HRP<sup>®</sup> with any new assay is recommended.

Stability data of one peroxidase-conjugate cannot be transferred to other conjugates. Therefore every conjugate has to be tested for its shelf life in *LowCross-HRP*<sup>®</sup>. If *LowCross-HRP*<sup>®</sup> is used for immunodiagnostic kits, the shelf life has to be tested according to the current European directive for invitro-diagnostics or according to corresponding rules, which apply.

Please note that high protein concentration and/or microbial contamination may lead to reduced effectivity of the preservative. The concentration of the preservative  $ProClin^{\ensuremath{\oplus}}$  300 in this stabilizer is 0.045% (v/v) (450 µl per Liter of Stabilizer).

If you add your conjugate / antibody for storage and you are not sure about the potential microbial contamination, it may be beneficial to add additional preservatives or antibiotics.

For further information please visit <u>www.candor-bioscience.com</u>.

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