

# **Ultra-thin section staining**

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## **Abstract**

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#### **Protocol**

#### Step 1.

Place the grid on drops of uranyl acetate and incubate for 15 minutes.

## Step 2.

Rinse the grind in water several times.

### Step 3.

Place the grid on drops of lead citrate and incubate for 4 minutes. In order to avoid precipitation of lead citrate by exposure to carbon dioxide, add pellets of sodium hydroxide in the dish where incubation takes place.

#### Step 4.

Rinse the grind in water several times.