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MATERIALS TEXT

- Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid disodium salt dihydrate: Sigma AldrichCatalog #ED2SS
- Ficoll Paque PLUS: Ge HealthcareCatalog #17144003-500 ml
- Fetal Bovine Serum (FBS): EuroCloneCatalog #ECS0180L-500 ml
- RPMI 1640: EuroCloneCatalog #ECM 0495L- 500 ml
- NaCl: Sigma AldrichCatalog #S9625
- NH4Cl: Merck Serono GmbHCatalog #1.01145.1000
- KHCO3: Merck Serono GmbHCatalog #1.04854.500
- Acetic Acid 100%: Sigma AldrichCatalog #A6283
- Genitain violet 1%: Marco VitiCatalog #not available

Optical Microscope

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BEFORE STARTING

All reagents used in this protocol must be at room temperature

- 1 Place  **5 mL** of venus blood from BUFFY COAT into 10 ml volume centrifuge tube.
- 2 Add  **2 mL** of **SOLUTION- 03** and mix well drawing in and out of a pipette.



SOLUTION- 03 - Dextran solution 5%
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- 3 Incubate in the **DARK** for  **00:45:00** at  **37 °C**

45m

4 Place **3 mL** of Fycoll-HyPaque media solution into a 10 ml volume centrifuge tube.

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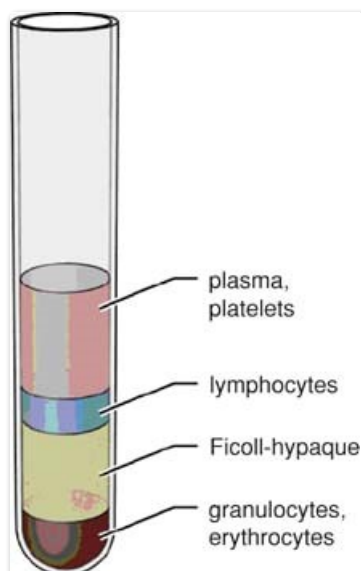
Slowly and carefully layer the supernatant from blood/dextran mixture onto the Fycoll-HyPaque media solution.

Important: when layering the sample, do not mix the Fycoll-HyPaque media solution and supernatant

6 Centrifuge at **400 x g, Room temperature , 00:30:00** , no break

Allegra AVANTI 30
Centrifuge
Beckman Coulter Beckman Italy

7 Draw off the mononuclear cell layer at the Ficoll/plasma interface along with plasma and Ficoll media, leaving the white cell layer of granulocytes above the red blood cell layer undisturbed.



8 Resuspend the remaining cell layer in **5 mL** of NaCl 0.15 Molarity (M) (**SOLUTION- 01**) and centrifuge at

⌚ 400 x g, Room temperature , 00:05:00



SOLUTION- 01 - Sodium Chloride (NaCl) solution
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Centrifuge
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9 Aspirate the supernatant with a plastic Pasteur pipette.

10 Lyse remaining red blood cells in 5 mL of hypotonic Lysis Buffer (**SOLUTION- 06**) for ⌚ 00:05:00

5m



SOLUTION- 06 - Lysis Buffer
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11 Centrifuge at ⌚ 400 x g, Room temperature , 00:05:00

Allegra AVANTI 30
Centrifuge
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12 Aspirate the supernatant with a plastic Pasteur pipette.

13 Resuspend the pellet in 5 mL NaCl 0.15 Molarity (M) (**SOLUTION- 01**)




SOLUTION- 01 - Sodium Chloride (NaCl) solution
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14 Centrifuge at  **400 x g, Room temperature , 00:05:00**

Allegra AVANTI 30
Centrifuge
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15 Aspirate the supernatant with a plastic Pasteur pipette.

16 Resuspend the cell pellet in  **5 mL** NaCl 0.15 Molarity (M) (**SOLUTION- 01**) for manual cell counting with Türk solution (follow protocol CELL COUNT- 02).



SOLUTION- 01 - Sodium Chloride (NaCl) solution
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SOLUTION- 08 - Türk solution
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OPTIONAL STEP

Cell viability can be checked using protocol CELL COUNT- 03 in the automated cell counter with Trypan Blue solution.



SOLUTION- 09 - Trypan Blue solution
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Cellometer Auto T4
Automated Cell Counter
Nexcelom Bioscience Euroclone

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OPTIONAL STEP

If needed, check the purity of PMN suspension by using morphological parameters of the flow cytometer.

For this test $0,5 \times 10^6$ PMN in  **500 μ l** of **PBS (SOLUTION- 02)** are enough.



SOLUTION- 02 - Phosphate Buffered Saline (PBS)
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BD FACS Celesta
Flow Cytometer
Becton Dickinson Milan Italy BD

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VIABILITY: the expected viability by Tripan Blue should be $\geq 90\%$

CELL YIELD: $\pm 6 \times 10^6$ cells starting from 1 mL of Buffy Coat