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| DAB | : | 3,3’-diaminobenzidine |
| HRP | : | Horseradish peroxidase |
| MS222 | : | Tricaine methanesulfonate |
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