

CRYOTOP

New
Generation
Synthetic
Media



Safety Vitrification Kit
for Oocytes and Embryos

KITAZATO

About Us

Kitazato is a Group of Companies founded in Japan in 1996 involved in the manufacture of reproduction biotechnologies products and recognized as a leader in research and development of new devices in Assisted Reproduction Techniques.

Kitazato products are single-use, disposable and packaged sterile. Each component comes from highest quality raw materials and has passed through rigorous quality controls for acceptance.

Kitazato started its international business in 2003 and has obtained the CE mark Medical Device complying with Directive 93/42/EEC. After many years of success producing and selling these products in the most appreciated and awarded IVF clinics in Japan, now they are available worldwide.

Kitazato complete product line for IVF includes:

- Oocyte Retrieval Needles
- Embryo Transfer Catheters
- Intra Uterin Insemination Catheters
- Micropipettes ICSI, Holding, Biopsy
- Warming-Cooling Plates for Microscopes
- Vitrification and Thawing Solutions
- Cryotop

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The Cryotop Method

Cryotop is the special vitrification container consisting of a fine, thin film strip attached to a hard plastic handle for the minimum volume cooling to realize highest cooling & warming rates resulted in 99% post-thaw survival. The hard plastic cover is attached to protect the oocytes and embryos on strip from not only physical damage but also virus contamination during storage in LN2. The Cryotop method is simple, reliable, universal, safe and easy for anyone. The Cryotop method has applied to more than 1.000.000 clinical cases for oocytes/embryos were cryopreservation method for these 12 years with unbelievable excellent results in more than 60 countries (1.600 ivf centers). The Cryotop method is the most trustworthy cryopreservation method for oocytes and embryos proved by the best survival rates, and created huge number of safety birth results.

Vitrification Solutions have been improved with new components as HPC (Hidroxypropyl Cellulose) and Threalose, obtainig synthetic media absolutely free from animal derived protein. This new media shelf life is 6 months from the date of manufacture.

Ultra-rapid Cooling "Vitrification"

Ultra rapid Cooling Vitrification is revolutionary cryopreservation technique and it makes solidification of cells without ice crystal formation by using safety concentrations of cryoprotectans and extremely high cooling and warming rates. Ultra-rapid Cooling Vitrification brings sensitive oocytes and any stages of embryos the chances for dramatically higher survival, development rates, and healthy birth than the conventional slow-freezing and other vitrification method.

Cryotop Clinical Documentation

		n	% survival	% pregnancy
Zhu 2011	Blastocysts	442	86	55
Cobo 2010	Oocytes	3286	93	55
Rienzi 2010	Oocytes	124	97	39
Tseng-KaiLin 2010	Embryos D2-D3	298	96	36
Nagy 2009	Oocytes	153	89	75
Cobo 2008	Oocytes	797	96	63
Al-Hasani 2007	PN Embryos D1	339	89	37
Kuwayama 2005	Blastocysts	6328	90	53
Kuwayama 2005	PN Embryos D1	5881	100	---
Teramoto 2004	Blatocysts	197	100	58

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NEW COMPOSITION
WITH HPC AND THREALOSE
IMPROVED EFFICIENCY
SYNTHETIC MEDIA

Vitrification Kit

VT601-TOP - Kitazato Vitrification Kit



- 1 Vial 1.5 ml of BS (Basic Solution)
- 1 Vial 1.5 ml of ES (Equilibration Solution)
- 2 Vial 1.5 ml of VS (Vitrification Solution)
- 4 Cryotop
- 2 Repro Plate

The solutions are provided in vials intended for single use.
One kit vitrifies up to 16 oocytes or embryos.

Thawing Kit

VT602-KIT - Kitazato Thawing Kit



- 2 Vial 4.0ml of TS (Thawing Solution)
- 1 Vial 4.0ml of DS (Diluent Solution)
- 1 Vial 4.0ml of WS (Washing Solution)
- 2 Petri Dish
- 1 Repro Plate

The solutions are provided in vials intended for single use.
One kit warms up to 16 oocytes or embryos.



VT601-0

Kitazato Vitrification Solutions Only



VT602-0

Kitazato Thawing Solutions Only



CRYOTOP

Kitazato Cryotop, pack of 10 pieces



REPROPLATE K-1

Reproplate, pack of 10 pieces



COOLING RACK

Polystyrene container for Vitrification

Quality Control

- MEA \geq 80%
- Endotoxin $<$ 0,25 EU/ml
- pH 7.2 - 7.6
- Osmolarity
- Sterility
- Certificate of Analysis available on website

Storage
4-8°C

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