**Blocking Buffer**

- 0.01 M phosphate buffer:
  - KH$_2$PO$_4$ (monobasic stock, 0.4M) 1.75 ml
  - K$_2$HPO$_4$ (dibasic stock, 0.4M) 4.5 ml
- 5.0% Goat Serum (or secondary host serum) 12.5 ml
- 5.0% Glycerol (Sigma) 12.5 ml
- 1.0% cold water fish gelatin (Sigma) 2.5 ml
- 0.04% Sodium Azide (10% stock) 1.0 ml
- Q.S. with nH$_2$O pH 7.2 250.0 ml