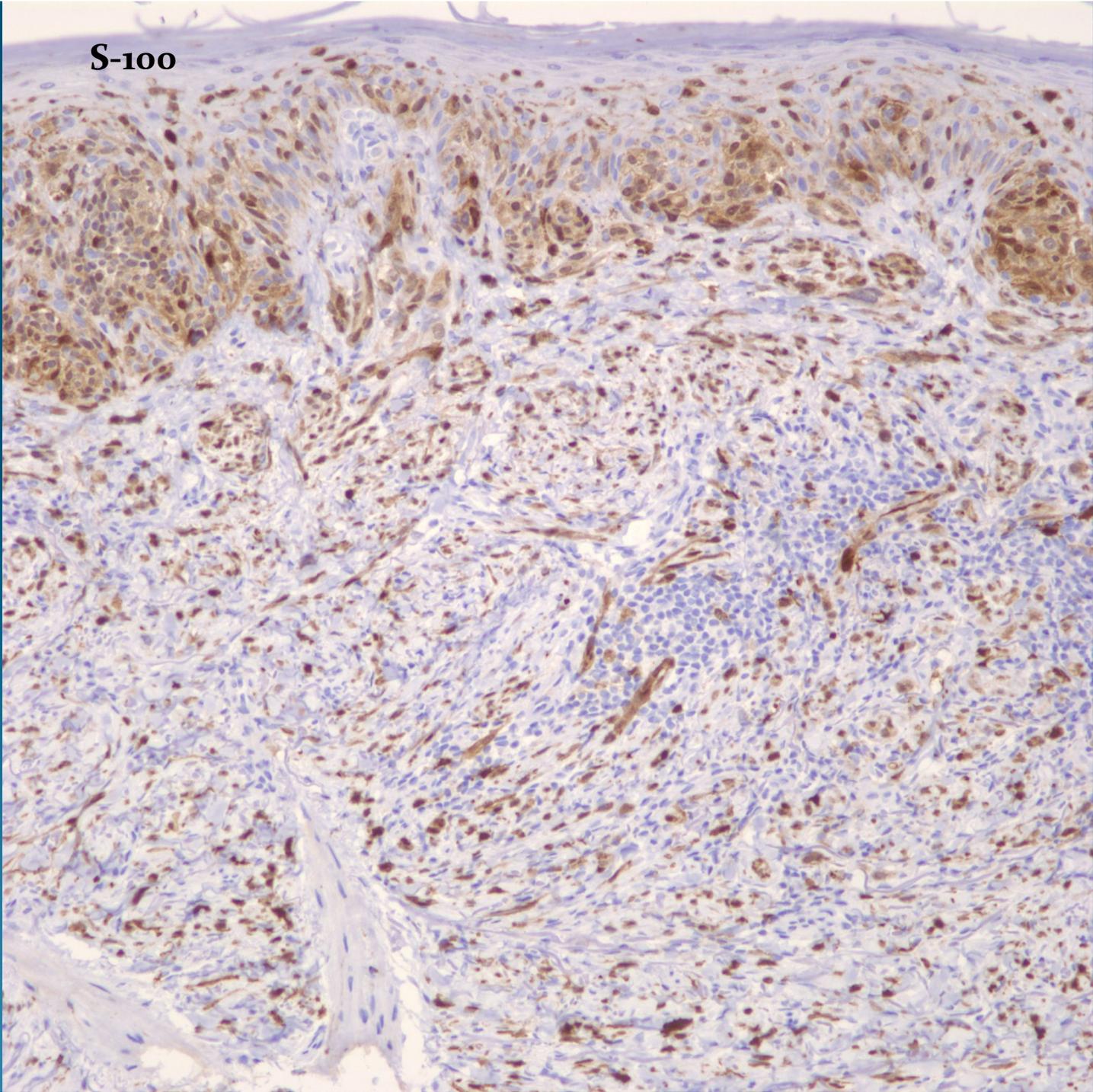


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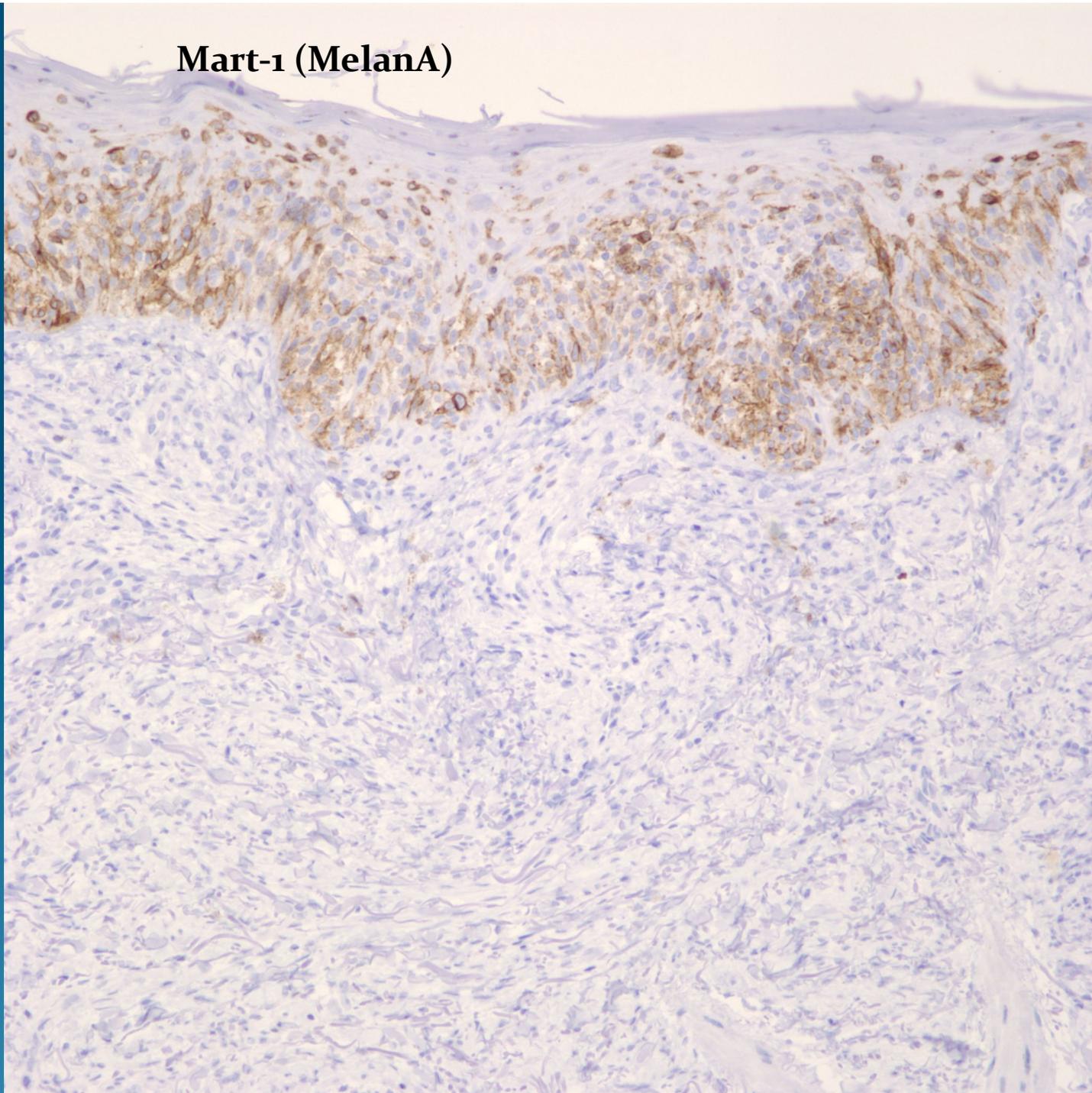
- A. Cellular Neurothekeoma
- B. Desmoplastic Spitz Nevus
- C. Desmoplastic Melanoma
- D. Morpheaform Basal Cell Carcinoma
- E. Atypical Fibroxanthoma

Desmoplastic Malignant Melanoma

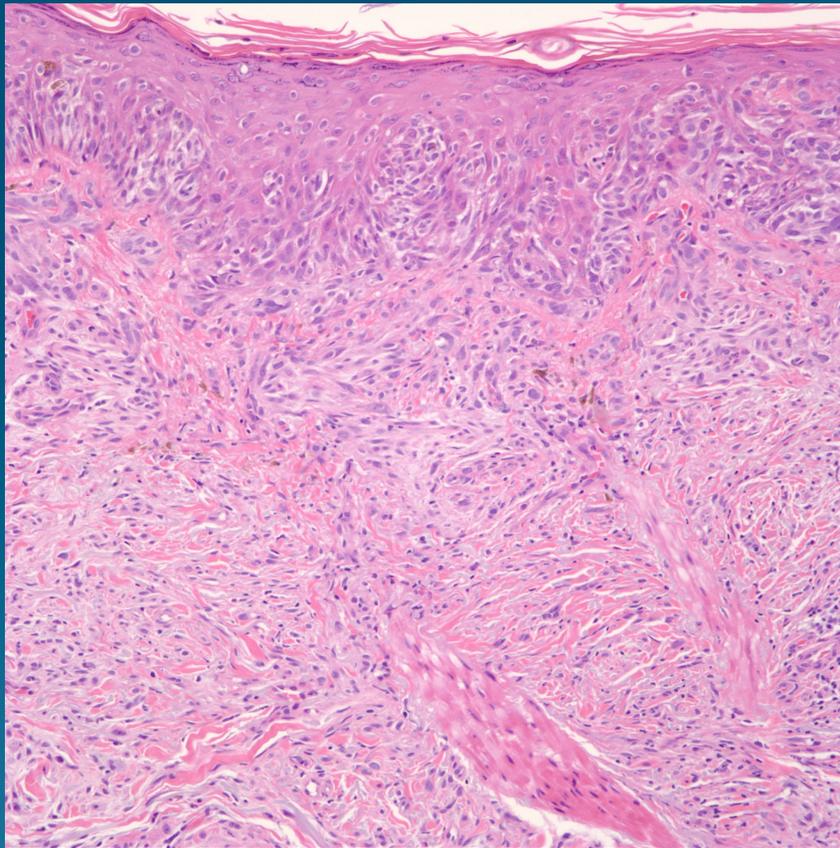
S-100



Mart-1 (MelanA)



Pearls



- Cytologically atypical spindle cells in dermis with solar elastosis
- Usually amelanotic
- Patchy chronic inflammatory cell infiltrate
- DE junction may contain proliferation of atypical melanocytes
- S100 + but typically negative for melanoma specific markers (HMB-45 and Mart-1)