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# **Product Information**

## Duolink® In Situ Detection Reagents Red

Catalog Number **DUO92008** Storage Temperature –20 °C

### **Product Description**

Duolink<sup>®</sup> In Situ Detection Reagents Red contains all the necessary Duolink In Situ reagents to perform the amplification and detection of bound PLA<sup>®</sup> probes. The detection probes contain a fluorophore ( $\lambda_{ex} = 594$  nm and  $\lambda_{em} = 624$  nm), which may be visualized using the same filter as Texas Red<sup>®</sup>.

Experiments conducted using Duolink In Situ reagents can detect and visualize protein interactions, protein expression levels, and post translational modifications at the single molecule level in fixed cells and tissue samples.

To perform a complete Duolink In Situ experiment, one will need two primary antibodies (IHC or ICC/IF validated) that recognize two target epitopes. Additional reagents required include a pair of PLA probes (one PLUS and one MINUS) and detection reagents of choice. Recommended reagents include Wash Buffers and Mounting Medium.

## Components

Sufficient components are provided for the indicated number of reactions (30 or 100 RXN), based on 40  $\mu$ L of the total reaction mixture covering 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.

- 5× Ligation Contains oligonucleotides that hybridize to the PLA probes and all components needed for ligation except the Ligase.
   30 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82009
   100 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82009
- 1× Ligase (1 unit/μL) 30 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82029 100 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82027
- 1× Polymerase (10 units/μL) 30 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82030 100 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82028

5× Amplification Red – Contains all components needed for Rolling Circle Amplification (RCA) except the Polymerase. It also contains oligonucleotide probes labeled with a fluorophore that hybridize to the RCA product. 30 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82011 100 RXN – Catalog Number DUO82011

#### **Precautions and Disclaimer**

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

#### **Preparation Instructions**

Thaw the 5× Ligation and 5× Amplification Red components at room temperature and vortex before use. Dilute the required volumes of each 5× solution 5-fold with high purity water **immediately before use**. **Do not store diluted reagents**.

<u>Note</u>: The  $5 \times$  Ligation component contains DTT that may precipitate at -20 °C. The DTT doesn't need to be completely dissolved, but ensure the tube is thoroughly vortexed before use.

The Ligase and Polymerase enzyme solutions should be kept cold (–20 °C) at all times, use a freezing block when removing them from the freezer. Quick spin the vial before pipetting. Add the enzyme to the appropriate reaction mix **immediately before use**. Vortex the mix after addition of enzyme. **Do not store diluted reagents**.

## Storage/Stability

Store the components at -20 °C. The enzymes should be kept cold (-20 °C) at all times, use a freezing block when removing them from the freezer. Specificity

#### **Procedure**

The experimental procedures for Duolink In Situ fluorescence applications can be found at sigma.com/duolink.

This product is covered by several patents and patent applications including US 6,511,809, US 6,558,928, US 6,878,515, US 7,074,564, US 5,665,539, and related US and foreign patents, including Japanese Patent No. 5653964.

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