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Product datasheet

Phalloidin-iFluor 514 Reagent ab176754

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Product name Phalloidin-iFluor 514 Reagent

Sample type Adherent cells, Suspension cells

Assay type Cell-based (qualitative)

Product overview Phalloidin-iFluor 514 Reagent (ab176754) is one of a series of phalloidin conjugates that bind to

actin filaments, also known as F-actin. Phalloidin-iFluor 514 can be easily detected with a

fluorescent microscope at Ex/Em = 520/547 nm.

Phalloidin conjugates are convenient probes for labeling, identifying and quantifying animal or plant actin filaments in formaldehyde-fixed and permeabilized tissue sections, cell cultures or cell-free experiments. They can also be used in paraffin-embedded samples that have been de-

paraffinized.

Phalloidin binds to actin filaments much more tightly than to actin monomers, leading to a decrease in the dissociation rate of actin subunits from filaments ends, essentially stabilizing actin

filaments through the prevention of filament depolymerization.

NotesActin is a globular, roughly 42-kDa protein found in almost all eukaryotic cells. It is also one of the

most highly conserved proteins, differing by no more than 20% in species as diverse as algae and humans. Actin is the monomeric subunit of two types of filaments in cells: microfilaments, one of the three major components of the cytoskeleton, and thin filaments, part of the contractile apparatus in muscle cells. Thus, actin participates in many important cellular processes including muscle contraction, cell motility, cell division and cytokinesis, vesicle and organelle movement, cell signaling, as well as the establishment and maintenance of cell junctions and cell shape.

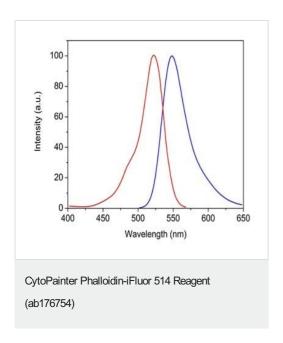
Platform Fluorescence microscope

Properties

Storage instructions Store at -20°C. Please refer to protocols.

Components	300 tests
Phalloidin-iFluor 514 Conjugate	1 x 300 tests

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Excitation and emission spectra of phalloidin-iFluor 514 reagent.

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