Fluo-4 AM

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Cat. No.:	HY-101896	
CAS No.:	273221-67-3	°
Molecular Formula:	$C_{51}H_{50}F_2N_2O_{23}$	
Molecular Weight:	1096.94	
Target:	Fluorescent Dye	
Pathway:	Others	
Storage:	-20°C, sealed storage, away from moisture and light * The compound is unstable in solutions, freshly prepared is recommended.	0~

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Description	Fluo-4 AM is a cell-permeable Ca ²⁺ indicator ^[1] .	
In Vitro	 Fluo-4 AM is a fluorescent dye (λ_{ex}=494 nm, λ_{em}=516 nm). Preloaded with Fuo-4 AM, a very bright fluorescence image is observed. In a parallel experiment with fluo-3 AM-loaded cells, the resulting fluorescence image, although clearly discernable in this case, is less bright^[1].?Guidelines (Following is our recommended protocol. This protocol only provides a guideline, and should be modified according to your specific needs). ?1.?Count the cells and take 106 cells from each sample (control and experiment/s). ?2.?Collect the cells (5 min, 3000×g, 4 °C) and wash once in PBS. ?3.?Resuspend the cells in 0.5-ml PBS and add 0.5 µl of Fluo-4-AM (1 mM stock) to a final concentration of 1 µM. Incubate at 37 °C for 1 h. ?4.?Wash the cells three times (2 min, 3000×g) with PBS and finally resuspend in 1-ml PBS. Separate into 2 flow cytometry tubes—0.5 ml in each. ?5.?Evaluate the staining by flow cytometry and analyze the data by a software such as CellQuest software. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only. 	

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Cell Assay ^[1]	For measuring fluorescence from cells in suspensio

For measuring fluorescence from cells in suspension, dilutions to 2 to 3×10⁶ cells are made, from cultures of rat basophilic leukemia (RBL) cells. Cells are incubated in suspension in 1 µM dye (including Fluo-4 AM) for 30 min at 37°C. Cell suspensions are then transferred to cuvets for measurements of fluorescence emission intensity by spectrofluorometer^[1]. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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