
LumiCell CDr17 M1 Macrophage Stain

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CDr17 is a selective small-molecule fluorescent probe designed for the identification and tracking of M1 macrophages. The labeling method is based on the higher expression of the GLUT1 transporter in M1 (pro-inflammatory) macrophages compared to M0 (resting) and M2 (anti-inflammatory) macrophages. CDr17 probe is composed of a glucose scaffold and a 2-position Cyanine5 fluorophore, and due to this, it is taken up into cells specifically through the GLUT1 transporter. The CDr17 accumulation is directly proportional to GLUT1 expression levels.

CDr17 has been demonstrated to track M1 macrophages *in vivo* in a rheumatoid arthritis animal model ^[1].

Excitation maximum is at 649 nm; emission maximum is at 672 nm.

[1] Cho H. et al. Visualizing inflammation with an M1 macrophage selective probe via GLUT1 as the gating target. Nat. Commun. 2022. 13. 5974.

General properties

Appearance: blue powder

Molecular weight: 745.66

Molecular formula: $C_{39}H_{52}BF_4N_3O_6$

Solubility: soluble in organic solvents (DMF, DMSO, dichloromethane), very poorly soluble in water

Quality control: NMR 1H and HPLC-MS (95+%)

Storage conditions: 24 months after receipt at -20°C in the dark. Transportation: at room temperature for up to 3 weeks. Desiccate.

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