

TAMRA-2,4-dinitroaniline (TMR-DN)

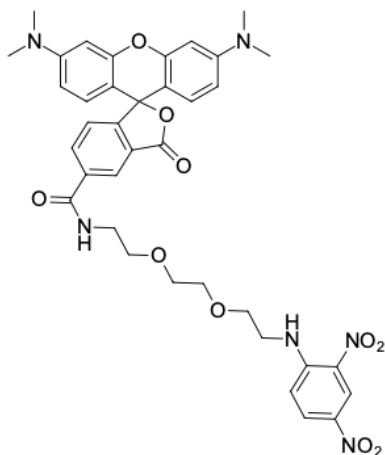
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TMR DN is a probe, the 5-carboxy tetramethylrhodamine (TMR) linked with a quencher moiety, dinitroaniline (DN), enabling contact quenching, non-toxic for cells, and capable of cell membrane penetration.

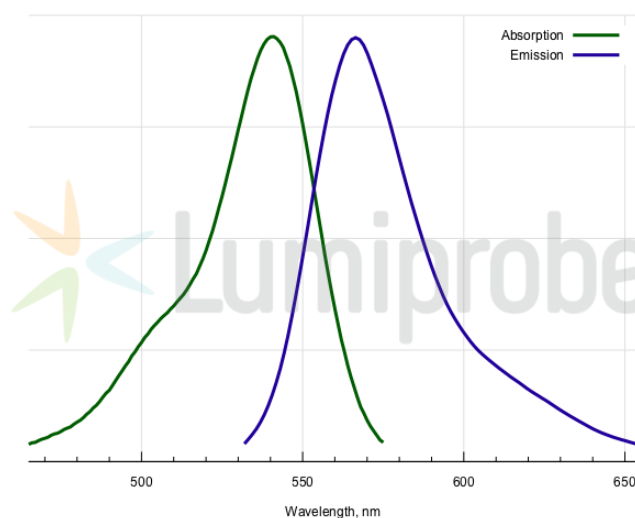
The core of the molecule is represented by an aromatic fragment bearing a negatively charged carboxylic group, it possesses bright fluorescence properties, and at the same time, it reduces nonspecific binding to genomic DNA or RNA.

RNA-based sensors and TMR DN are used for intracellular visualization of mRNA and rRNA in live prokaryotic or eukaryotic cells. Tandem repeat aptamers (e.g., the sulforhodamine-binding RNA aptamer (SRB-2)) may provide an advantage for visualizing less stable RNA and low-abundance RNA in cells. The advantage of the SRB-2/TMR DN system is its high brightness, comparable to GFP (green fluorescent protein), showing a smaller complex size. SRB-2 is also orthogonal to Spinach/Broccoli aptamers, and no crossreactivity between aptamers and ligands (TMR DN and DFHBI ((3,5-difluoro-4-hydroxybenzylidene)) occurs, thus TMR DN and SRB-2 can be used along with the other probe/aptamer pairs for visualization and dynamic imaging in parallel for several RNA^[1,2]. The excitation and emission maxima of the complex SRB-2/TMR DN are 541 and 567 nm, respectively, lying in the orange region of the spectrum where the cellular auto-fluorescence is low.

[1] ACS Applied Bio Materials. 2020, 3, 5, 2633–2642. [2] Nucleic acids research. 2018, 46, 18.



Structure of TAMRA-2,4-dinitroaniline (TMR-DN)



Absorption and emission spectra of 5-TAMRA

General properties

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| Appearance: | red crystals |
| Molecular weight: | 726.73 |
| Molecular formula: | C ₃₇ H ₃₈ N ₆ O ₁₀ |
| IUPAC name: | 3',6'-bis(dimethylamino)-N-(2-(2-((2,4-dinitrophenyl)amino)ethoxy)ethoxy)ethyl)-3-oxo-3',9a'-dihydro-3H-spiro[isobenzofuran-1,9'-xanthen]-5-carboxamide |
| Solubility: | soluble in DMSO |
| Quality control: | NMR ¹ H, HPLC-MS (95%) |
| Storage conditions: | Storage: 24 months after receipt at -20°C in the dark. Transportation: at room temperature for up to 3 weeks. Desiccate. |
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Spectral properties

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| Excitation/absorption maximum, nm: | 541 |
| ε, L·mol ⁻¹ ·cm ⁻¹ : | 84000 |
| Emission maximum, nm: | 567 |
| Fluorescence quantum yield: | 0.1 |
| CF ₂₆₀ : | 0.32 |

