

Oxazole Yellow (YO-PRO®-1), 1 mM in DMSO

Oxazole Yellow, also known as YO-PRO®-1, is a green-fluorescent, cell-impermeant nucleic acid stain that can be used as a early marker of apoptosis.



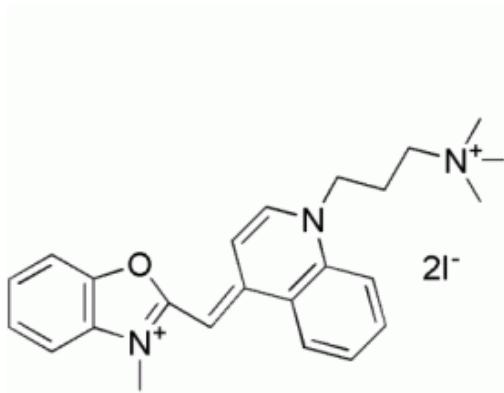
Product attributes

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| Apoptosis/viability marker | Dead cell stain |
| For live or fixed cells | For fixed cells, For live/intact cells |
| Detection method/readout | Fluorescence microscopy, Flow cytometry |
| Probe cellular localization | Nucleus & cytoplasm |
| Assay type/options | No-wash staining, Real-time imaging |
| Cell permeability | Membrane impermeant |
| Colors | Green |
| CAS number | 152068-09-2 |
| Excitation/Emission | 491/506 nm (with DNA) |

Product Description

Oxazole Yellow, also known as YO-PRO®-1, is a green-fluorescent, cell-impermeant, high-affinity carbocyanine monomeric nucleic acid stain. It is essentially non-fluorescent in the absence of nucleic acids but exhibits excitation/emission maxima 491/506 nm when bound to nucleic acids. Oxazole Yellow is also used to identify apoptotic cells. Early apoptotic cells become permeant to Oxazole Yellow, but remain impermeant to propidium iodide (cat. no. 40016), a dead cell stain.

- Monomeric nucleic acid stain
- Cell-impermeant
- Early marker of apoptosis
- $\lambda_{Ex}/\lambda_{Em}$ (with DNA) = 491/506 nm
- Supplied at 1 mM in DMSO
- $C_{24}H_{29}I_2N_3O$
- MW: 629



See the table below for other chemical equivalents of Thermo Fisher Scientific's branded dead-cell selective nucleic acid dyes.

Biotium also offers unique [NucSpot® Nuclear Stains](#) for bright and specific nuclear staining in dead or fixed cells. The stains are available in a wide range of colors from green to near-IR. See our [Cellular Stains Selection Guide](#) and [Cellular Stains Table](#) for more information on other nuclear stains we offer.

| Product | Equivalent to | Color (Ex/Em) | Catalog No. |
|---|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Oxazole Blue, 1 mM in DMSO | PO-PRO™-1 | Blue (434/457 nm) | 40091 |
| Oxazole Blue Homodimer, 1 mM in DMSO | POPO™-1 | Blue (433/457 nm) | 40093 |
| Oxazole Yellow, 1 mM in DMSO | YO-PRO®-1 | Green (491/506 nm) | 40089 |
| Oxazole Yellow Homodimer, 1 mM in DMSO | YOYO®-1 | Green (491/508 nm) | 40090 |
| TO Iodide, 1 mM in DMSO | TO-PRO®-1 | Green (515/531 nm) | 40088 |
| Thiazole Orange Homodimer, 1 mM in DMSO | TOTO®-1 | Green (514/531 nm) | 40079 |
| Oxazole Red, 1 mM in DMSO | YO-PRO®-3 | Far-red (613/629 nm) | 40105 |
| Oxazole Red Homodimer, 1 mM in DMSO | YOYO®-3 | Far-red (612/631 nm) | 40106 |
| Thiazole Red, 1 mM in DMSO | TO-PRO®-3 | Far-red (642/657 nm) | 40087 |
| Thiazole Red Homodimer, 1 mM in DMSO | TOTO®-3 | Far-red (642/661 nm) | 40080 |

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