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## NucSpot® 470 Nuclear Stain

Cell membrane-impermeant, nuclear-specific green counterstain. Suitable for fixed cells or staining dead cells in live cultures.



## **Product Description**

NucSpot® 470 Nuclear Stain is a green cell membrane-impermeant, nuclear-specific counterstain for the FITC channel.

- Nuclear-specific counterstain for fixed cells
- Selectively stains dead cells in live culture
- No wash required
- Suitable for cell cycle profiling by flow cytometry in fixed/permeabilized cells

**Note:** NucSpot® 470 has limited use for cell viability tracking due to its instability in culture medium during long incubation periods. NucSpot® 500/515 was designed as an improved alternative for NucSpot® 470, offering better stability in culture medium.

Biotium also offers <u>NucSpot® Nuclear Stains</u> in a wide range of other colors from orange to near-IR. The stains also offer nuclear-specific counterstaining for fixed cells, as well as selective staining of dead cells in live cultures, while avoiding the issue of <u>photoconversion induced background by DAPI and Hoechst</u>.

Learn more about our full selection of <u>nuclear stains</u> and our stains for <u>other organelles, viability analysis, membrane staining, and more.</u>

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## **Product attributes**

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| Probe cellular localization | Nucleus  |
|-----------------------------|--|
| For live or fixed cells     | For fixed cells  |
| Assay type/options          | DNA content/cell cycle profiling by flow cytometry, Live/dead discrimination, No-wash staining, Real-time imaging, Tissue staining |
| Detection method/readout    | Fluorescence microscopy, Flow cytometry  |
| Cell permeability           | Membrane impermeant  |
| Apoptosis/viability marker  | Dead cell stain  |
| Fixation options            | Fix before staining (formaldehyde), Fix before staining (methanol), Permeabilize before staining                                   |
| Colors                      | Green  |
| Storage Conditions          | Store at 2 to 8 °C   |

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