

CAT. & Size    A1020042S (1,000 tests)  
                  A1020042L (10,000 tests)

Storage at    -60°C or below

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## KeyTec® TR-FRET

### Protein A-LA

#### Instruction Manual

#### 1. Introduction

KeyTec® TR-FRET Protein A-LA is designed for developing the TR-FRET Assay. Protein A exhibits high affinity towards various species of Ig, particularly IgG. In the Antigen-Antibody Interaction assay, the IgG antibody binds to the acceptor (KeyTec® TR-FRET Protein A-LA<sup>\*1</sup>), and the antigen is labeled (directly or indirectly) with the donor (KeyTec® TR-FRET Eu/Tb<sup>\*2</sup>). When the Antigen-Antibody interact, the donor molecule is brought into proximity with the acceptor molecule. Excitation of the donor will result in the generation of the TR-FRET signal at 665 nm, proportional to the extent of antigen-antibody interaction.

\*1 KeyTec® TR-FRET LA: TR-FRET Acceptor Molecule

\*2 KeyTec® TR-FRET Solar Eu/Tb: TR-FRET Donor Molecule

#### 2. Components

| Components          | A1020042S<br>(1,000 tests) | A1020042L<br>(10,000 tests) |
|---------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| KeyTec® TR-FRET     | 1 vial                     | 1 vial                      |
| Protein A-LA (100X) | 50 µL/vial                 | 500 µL/vial                 |

| KeyTec® Materials Required But Not Supplied   | CAT. & Size                |
|---|----------------------------|
| KeyTec® TR-FRET Binding Assay Diluent Buffer  | A1010001L<br>(200 mL)      |
| KeyTec® TR-FRET Solar Eu Detection Buffer   | A1010002L<br>(120 mL)      |
| KeyTec® TR-FRET Solar Tb Detection Buffer   | A1010003L<br>(120 mL)      |
| KeyTec® 384-Well White Flat Low-Volume Microplates,<br>PS, Solid, Non-treated, No lid | M2000102N<br>(40 Pcs/Box)  |
| KeyTec® Fluorescent High-Transparency Microplate Top Seals                            | M1000102N<br>(100 Pcs/Box) |

### 3. Storage Conditions

- Upon receipt, store the reagent below -60 °C.
- Up to 1 years from date of receipt, when stored and handled as recommended.
- When first thaw, aliquot the reagents as needed to avoid multiple freeze-thaw cycles.

### 4. Assay Procedure

#### 1.1 Assay Format

| Assay Format  | Total Volume (20 $\mu\text{L}^3$ ) |
|---|------------------------------------|
| Other assay components                                    | 10 $\mu\text{L}$                   |
| KeyTec® TR-FRET Donor (Solar Eu/Tb) working solution (1X) | 5 $\mu\text{L}$                    |
| KeyTec® TR-FRET Acceptor (LA/HX) working solution (1X)    | 5 $\mu\text{L}$                    |

\*<sup>3</sup> The system accommodates 384-well microplates, and assay volumes can be adjusted proportionally to perform in 96-or 1536-well microplates.

## 1.2 Reagents Handling

### 1) Buffers

- ◆ KeyTec® TR-FRET Solar Eu/Tb Detection Buffer (A1010002L/A1010003L) has been optimized for maximum performance.
- ◆ Use the same buffer to prepare both the donor (Eu/Tb) and the acceptor conjugates.
- ◆ KeyTec® TR-FRET Binding Assay Diluent Buffer (A1010001L) is recommended for dilution and preparation of other assay components.
- ◆ If using a homemade buffer solution, avoid SDS addition.

### 2) Conjugates

- ◆ Thaw reagents on ice and equilibrate to room temperature before use.
- ◆ Prepare working solutions as per the purchased product instructions. The storage solution for KeyTec® TR-FRET Protein A-LA is 100X; dilute 100 times for a 1X working solution. For example, mix 50 µL of the storage solution with 4950 µL of KeyTec® TR-FRET Solar Eu/Tb Detection Buffer for a 1X working solution.
- ◆ Optimal amounts per well can be further optimized based on different assay format and conditions.

## 1.3 Data Calculating

- ◆ Calculate the ratio of 665 nm/615 nm (TR-FRET Ratio) and the CV for each individual well.

$$\text{TR-FRET Ratio} = \frac{\text{Signal 665 nm}}{\text{Signal 615 nm}} \times 10,000$$