Live-Cell Kinetic Assays

Transform Your Time-Course into a One-Plate Experiment

Live-cell kinetic assays are detection reagents that allow the same sample well to be repeatedly measured over multiple time points. This saves you time and effort, enabling you to collect more informative data in real time.

We provide a broad portfolio of individual live-cell kinetic assay kits. All of these assays allow you to read the same sample plate over multiple time points. The workflow varies based on the different reagent chemistries.



More Data Per Well

Just one sample well can generate data for as many time points as you need.

Easily Analyze Data

The assay readout is unambiguous, straightforward signal values. Easy to analyze and graph.

Less Variability

Well-to-well variability won't be an issue since you're measuring the same well repeatedly over time.

Save Precious Cells

No more wasting primary cells on duplicate plate setups.

Save on Long-Term Budget

Less duplication means reduced costs on reagents, plasticware, cells, treatment drugs and labor.

No Expensive Instrument Required

Our kinetic assays work with any multimode plate reader.

Example Data: Monitoring Cell Viability in Real Time



Data was obtained using the RealTime-Glo[™] MT Cell Viability Assay. Five hundred A549 cells/well were plated in a 384-well plate in 40µl of cell culture medium containing 2X RealTime-Glo[™] reagent. An equal volume of 2X bortezomib was added to achieve the indicated concentrations. Luminescence was monitored every hour for 72 hours.

Find a live-cell kinetic assay kit for your needs:

What You Can Measure	Molecular Readout	Kinetic Assay Kit
Apoptosis and Necrosis	Annexin V binding to phosphatidylserine	RealTime-Glo [™] Annexin V Apoptosis and Necrosis Assay
Cell Viability	Reducing potential of cells	RealTime-Glo [™] MT Cell Viability Assay
Cytotoxicity	Membrane impermeable DNA dye	CellTox [™] Green Cytotoxicity Assay
	LDH Release	LDH-Glo [™] Cytotoxicity Assay
Metabolic Phenotype (e.g., glycolysis and glutaminolysis)	Glucose	Glucose-Glo [™] Assay
	Glutamine/Glutamate	Glutamine/Glutamate-Glo [™] Assay
	Glutamate	Glutamate-Glo [™] Assay
	Lactate	Lactate-Glo [™] Assay
Protein:Protein Interaction	Various	NanoBiT [®] PPI Starter Systems
Reporter Expression	Various	Nano-Glo [™] Live Cell Assay System
Target Engagement	Various (e.g., epigenetic and kinase targets)	NanoBRET [™] Target Engagement Assays

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