

XFD594 PEG4 DBCO

Catalog Number: 1731 Unit Size: 1 mg

Product Details

Storage Conditions Freeze (< -15 °C), Minimize light exposure

Expiration Date 12 months upon receiving

Chemical Properties

Appearance Solid

Molecular Weight 1228.40

Soluble In DMSO

Chemical Structure

032 SO3. 3 (CH3CH2)3NH+

Spectral Properties

Excitation Wavelength 590 nm

Emission Wavelength 618 nm

Applications

XFD594, manufactured by AAT Bioquest, is structurally similar to Alexa Fluor™ 594 (Thermo Fisher). This bright red-fluorescent dye is efficiently excited by the 561 nm or 594 nm laser lines and is compatible with RFP filters like Texas Red. It demonstrates excellent solubility in aqueous solutions and is pH-insensitive across a broad range (pH 4–10), ensuring reliable and stable signal generation under diverse experimental conditions. XFD594 is particularly well-suited for multicolor fluorescence microscopy, flow cytometry, and advanced SRM imaging techniques like dSTORM, SIM, STED and TPE. It can be conjugated to proteins at high molar ratios with minimal self-quenching, resulting in brighter conjugates. Moreover, the superior fluorescence quantum yield and photostability of XFD594 make it ideal for detecting low-abundance biological targets, enabling greater precision and sensitivity in quantitative fluorescence assays.

The DBCO derivative of XFD594 is a highly reactive cycloalkyne optimized for copper-free click chemistry (SPAAC, strain-promoted azide-alkyne cycloaddition). This derivative exhibits a significantly higher reaction rate with azides compared to other cyclooctynes and copper-catalyzed click reactions (CuAAC). Uniquely, DBCO does not react with tetrazines, allowing for its use in bioorthogonal reactions alongside trans-cyclooctenes and tetrazines. For applications where the presence of copper is problematic, XFD594 DBCO serves as an effective alternative to copper-dependent fluorescent alkynes.