

## HIS Lite™ iFluor™ 647 Tris NTA Chelator

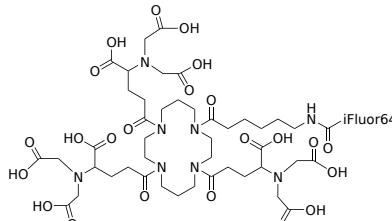
Catalog Number: 12658

Unit Size: 100 ug

### Product Details

Storage Conditions	Freeze (< -15 °C), Minimize light exposure
Expiration Date	24 months upon receiving

### Chemical Properties

Appearance	Solid blue
Molecular Weight	2006.23
Soluble In	DMSO
Chemical Structure	 The chemical structure shows a complex polyhistidine chain with three imidazole rings. Each ring is substituted with a carboxylic acid group (-COOH) and a hydroxyl group (-OH). A fourth carboxylic acid group is located on the side chain of one of the histidine residues. The label "iFluor647" is placed near the rightmost imidazole ring.

### Spectral Properties

Excitation Wavelength	656 nm
Emission Wavelength	670 nm

### Applications

iFluor® 647 Tris-NTA Chelator is used as a sensitive red fluorescent probe for detecting polyhistidine-labeled proteins in combination with the addition of a heavy metal ion such as Ni<sup>2+</sup> in cells, solution and solid surfaces. Fluorescent tris-NTA compounds provide an efficient method for site-specific and stable noncovalent fluorescence labeling of polyhistidine-tagged proteins. In contrast to the transient binding of conventional mono-NTA, the multivalent interaction of tris-NTA conjugated fluorophores form a much more stable complex with polyhistidine-tagged proteins. The high selectivity of tris-NTA compounds toward cumulated histidines enables the selective labeling of proteins in cell lysates and on the surface of live cells. Fluorescent tris-NTA conjugates can be applied for the analysis of a ternary protein complex in solution and on surfaces. In combination with OG488-tris-NTA compound iFluor® 647 Tris-NTA can be used for multicolor analysis of polyhistidine-tagged proteins. AAT Bioquest also offers HIS Lite™ iFluor™ 647 Tris NTA-Ni Complex that can be directly used for the specific and highly sensitive detection of His-tagged fusion proteins without the addition of a heavy metal ion. The transition metal ions (e.g., Ni ion)-mediated complexation of polyhistidine-labeled proteins with fluorescent tris-NTA conjugates provides a sensitive reporter for detecting and monitoring protein-protein interactions in real time.