

79249 Alkyne MegaStokes dye 608, for copper free click labeling

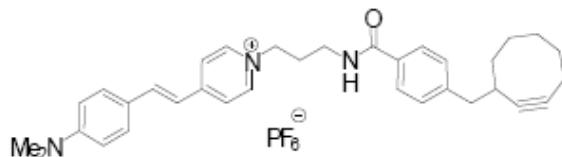
MegaStokes dyes for “click” biological labelling

The MegaStokes dyes for „click” biological labelling, licensed by LuminoChem are virtually covering the whole visible spectrum reaching the infra-red regime. Besides dyes that are being capable of participating in classical copper catalyzed 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition reaction with the counterpartnering function, we also provide dyes containing cyclooctyne moiety an alkyne derivative that enables copper free clicking to azides.

These dyes are noteworthy for their large Stokes-shift (120 or 125 nm). Dyes for this kind are exceptionally useful in fluorescence resonance electron transfer (FRET) applications as they do not interfere with the spectral bands of the second fluorophore a common problem in FRET technology. Azido sugars have been used for click-labeling of surface glycoproteines, recently. We have adapted this system to demonstrate⁴ the ability of our dyes to undergo bioorthogonal labeling reaction, efficiently. Prior to labeling, Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells were incubated with MegaStockes dyes to test the possible cytostatic effects of these dyes. Experimental results have shown that neither dye is toxic up to 50 μ M concentration.¹⁾

Properties :

- Clickable cyclooctyne moiety
- **Doesn't require copper** for labeling
- Soluble in water, ethanol, DMF, DMSO, CHCl_3
- Excellent photostability
- Positively charged
- Exceptional in FRET applications
- NIR emission



Ex / em = 480 / 600 nm (in ethanol)

Molar absorbance = 47 000 $\text{M}^{-1}\text{cm}^{-1}$

Storage :

Store at -20°C

Literature :

- 1) P. Kele, X. Li, M. Link, K. Nagy, A. Herner, K. Lörincz, Sz. Béni, O. S. Wolfbeis. *Org. Biomol. Chem.* **2009**, 7, 3486

Precautions and Disclaimer

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