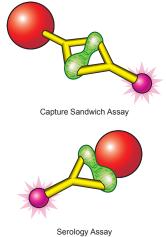


# xMAP<sup>®</sup> Reagents: Protein Assays the xMAP Way Fitting Your Every Research Lab Need with Customizable and **Flexible Multiplexing Solutions**

xMAP Technology is an open platform that allows you to perform all your protein and genomic assays on the FLEXMAP 3D<sup>®</sup> or Luminex<sup>®</sup> 100/200<sup>™</sup>.

xMAP Technology provides the tools to answer the questions you have. Luminex partners have over 500 pre-built assay kits to fit your needs. Luminex also provides you the same xMAP reagents to build your own multiplex assay.

xMAP Reagents all begin with the same microspheres, which are then dyed with a combination of dyes at different concentrations that the FLEXMAP 3D and Luminex 100/200 can detect and decipher giving you the power to multiplex up to 500 analytes with only one sample.



## xMAP Reagents: Your Multiplexing Solution

- Saves precious samples
- Saves time
- Saves on expensive reagents
- Gets results quicker

The Old Way vs. The xMAP Way			
Western Blot	xMAP Assay	ELISA	xMAP Assay
~10 samples/ gel 🛛 —>	96 or 384 samples/ plate	1 protein/ plate	up to 500 proteins/ plate
1 protein/ gel 🛛 🔶	up to 500 proteins/ plate	96 samples/ plate 🛛 🛶	96 or 384 samples/ plate
~10 results/ gel	up to 192,000 results/ plate	96 results/ plate 🛛 🛶	up to 192,000 results/ plate

### **Capture Sandwich Assay**

- Use MagPlex<sup>®</sup> or MicroPlex<sup>®</sup> Microspheres
- · Couple small amount of antibodies to different bead regions
- Multiplex assay with 1 sample per well

### Serology Assay

- Use MagPlex, MicroPlex or SeroMAP™ **Microspheres**
- · Couple small amount of antigens to different bead regions
- Multiplex assay with 1 sample per well

### **Competitive Assay**

- Use MagPlex or MicroPlex microspheres
- Couple antigens or antibodies to different bead regions
- · Good for small proteins & proteins with few epitopes

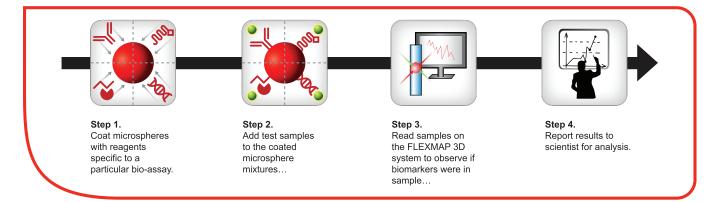
### Peptide Assay

- Use MagPlex or MicroPlex microspheres with carrier protein
- Use LumAvidin<sup>®</sup> microspheres with biotin labeled molecules

### Solutions you can rely on

Since its incorporation in 1995, Luminex has become a global leader in multiplexing solutions. Only Luminex offers the peace of mind that comes from:

- Over 6,250 instruments placed worldwide
- Over 2,900 peer reviewed articles
- 56 510(k) clearances using xMAP technology
- Over 50 strategic partners worldwide with thousands of assay applications
- 79 patents issued and 206 pending as of June 2009



To start your custom assay development today go to our website at www.luminexcorp.com. At Support / FAQ you will find:

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  Reagents
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