

## Polycaspase Live!, Green and Red-Catalog#s: KF17303 and KF17304 Protocol

- 1. Expose your animals to your experimental condition, and create positive and negative controls if possible.
- 2. Reconstitute the reagent with 50uL DMSO to form the stock concentrate (which can be frozen for future use).
- Dilute the injection buffer 1:10 with diH<sub>2</sub>O and sterilize by filtration.
   Add 200uL 1X injection buffer to the reagent.
- 4. Inject ~40uL of diluted reagent into each mouse.
- 5. Let circulate 30-45 minutes.
- Examine tissues under a fluorescent microscope, or sacrifice and excise cells.
- 7. If desired, label cells with an additional stain, like red fluorescent vital stain or labeled antibody.
- 8. If desired, fix, embed, or freeze cells.
- 9. Analyze cells with a fluorescent microscope, plate reader or flow cytometer.

Note: This protocol may be adjusted depending on your animal and target tissues. For example, to increase the dose of Polycaspase Live! given to each animal, change steps 4 and 5. In step 4, add 550uL injection buffer to the reagent (creating 600 uL of injection solution), then in step 5, inject 100uL into each animal.

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