CHECKLIST

Checklist for the RNAscope® Automated Assay on Leica Biosystems' BOND RX System RNAscope®2.5 LS Duplex Assay

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Reagents/Materials required from Leica Biosystems

☐ BOND Polymer Refine Detection Kits (DAB kit, Cat. No. DS9800; Red kit, Cat. No. DS9390). These kits contain prefilled DAB, Red, and Hematoxylin reagents.

☐ BOND Open Containers (Cat. No. Op309700). Fill these containers with reagents from the RNAscope LS Duplex Reagent Kit.


☐ BOND Dewax Solution (Cat. No. AR9222). Place solution in one of the large containers located in the bottom of the instrument.

☐ BOND Epitope Retrieval Solution 1 and 2 (Cat. Nos. AR9961 and AR9640).

☐ BOND Wash Solution 10X (Cat. No. AR9590). Dilute solution 1:10 with DI or MilliQ water and place in one of the large containers located in the bottom of the instrument.


☐ BOND DAB Enhancer 30ml (Cat. No. AR9432).

☐ BOND Aspirating Probe Cleaning System (Cat. No. CS9100).

☐ BDZ 11.0 software.

Reagents/Materials required from ACD for RNAscope®

☐ RNAscope® 2.5 LS Duplex Reagent Kit (Cat. No. 322440). The kit contains all the detection and pretreatment reagents needed to run the RNAscope assay on the Leica BOND RX, except for the RNA-specific probes.

☐ RNAscope® 2.5 LS Duplex Positive Control Probe (Cat. No. 320748 for Human PPIB-C1/Polr2A-C2; Cat No. 320768 for Mouse PPIB-C1/POLR2A-C2). Probes target common housekeeping genes to help qualify your samples and interpret your results.

☐ RNAscope® 2.5 LS Duplex Negative Control Probe (Cat. No. 312758). The probe targets the bacterial dapB gene in two channels to control for background noise, and to help interpret assay results (dapB C1/dapB-C2).
☐ RNAscope® 2.5 LS Target Probes target specific RNAs of interest in Channel C1 and Channel C2.

☐ RNAscope® Control Slides (Cat. No. 310045 for Human Cell Pellet; Cat. No. 310023 for Mouse 3T3 Cell Pellet).

☐ Software protocols created for each probe (workaround solution).

Reagents/Materials provided by Researcher

☐ Superfrost® Plus slides (Fisher Scientific): Superfrost Plus slides are required. Other slide types may result in tissue detachment.

☐ Fresh reagents (e.g. ethanol and xylene).

☐ Fresh 10% NBF (neutral-buffered formalin).

☐ Tissue-Tek® slide rack and staining dishes.

☐ EcoMount or PERTEX®.

☐ Hotplate, drying oven, water bath, thermometer, and microscope.

☐ Paraffin wax, microtome, and fume hood.

Note: Always refer to the latest version of the user manuals for the complete set of materials required to run the RNAscope assay, available at http://www.acdbio.com/technical-support/user-manuals.