## **Information Sheet**



# **Product Information**

- LCGreen PLUS is specifically designed for Hi-Res Melting curve analysis to detect DNA sequence variants (mutations, polymorphisms, etc).
- LCGreen PLUS has superb fluorescence intensity, and can be used with other fluorescence based PCR detection systems such as the Roche LightCycler<sup>®</sup>. For optimal performance, the use of a high-resolution melting instrument is required.
- Optimum excitation: 440 470 nm. Optimum emission: 470 520 nm. Spectral characteristics depend on buffer composition, pH, ionic strength, and nucleic acid content of the solution.
- Addition of LCGreen PLUS increases the melting temperature (Tm) of DNA by about 1 – 3 °C, and may require adjustment of cycling parameters.
- LCGreen PLUS is manufactured exclusively by BioFire Diagnostics, and the chemical structures are unique among the scientific and patent literature.

#### **Directions for Use:**

- LCGreen PLUS dye is supplied as a 10X solution in 10mM Tris-HCI, pH 7.4, 0.1 mM EDTA.
- LCGreen PLUS should be used at 1X for PCR. Add one volume of 10X solution to nine volumes of the PCR mixture.
- If you are using glass capillary tubes for PCR and/or for melting analysis, make sure your reaction mixture contains bovine serum albumin (BSA) at 250 - 500 µg/ mL. BSA helps avoid enzyme, DNA and dye adhesion to the glass surface.



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### Shipping & Storage

- Product is shipped at ambient temperature.
- Store at –20 °C upon receipt. Store at 4 °C after first use.
- Product is stable for one year at –20 °C, and up to 6 months at 4 °C.

### **Related Products**

- LightScanner<sup>®</sup> System (96 or 384 plate, highresolution melter)
- LightScanner 32 System (32 capillary tube, high-resolution melter and Real-time PCR)
- HR-1<sup>™</sup> Instrument (single sample, high-resolution melter)
- LightScanner Master Mix
- LightScanner High Sensitivity Genotyping Master Mix
- 10X BSA

#### Conventional dsDNA dyes cannot be used at high concentrations due to dye redistribution during melting curve analysis.



#### Saturation of dsDNA binding sites eliminates potential for dye redistribution during melting curve acquisition.

Package Sizes			
No. of Reactions*	1,000	10,000	
LCGreen PLUS (10X solution)	1 mL	10 X 1 mL	Larger sizes Inquire
Catalog No.	BCHM- ASY-0005	BCHM- ASY-0006	

\* based on 10 µl reaction volume

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DNA visualized with LCGreen PLUS dye in a 96-well plate with BioFire Diagnostics' LightScanner instrument.