Product Data Sheet

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Fluo-ST1

Hydrophobic Surface Treatment

OVERVIEW

Fluo-ST1 is a hydrophobic surface treatment reagent from Emulseo. It is a fluorophilic surface coating agent for enhanced performance and stability of aqueous droplets in fluorinated oils. Fluo-ST1 is composed of fluoroalkylsilanes that are chemically reactive to plasma etched glass and polydimethylsiloxane (PDMS) surfaces. After treatment, a uniform fluorophilic layer is covalently attached to surfaces of the microfluidic devices (Contact angle $\approx 105^{\circ}$). This allows a better performance and stability of aqueous droplets formed in fluorinated oils. Fluo-ST1 is especially adapted for use with Emulseo's surfactants and oils.

BENEFITS





Droplet performance and stability improvement

Easy-to-use surface treatment

Reproducibility of microfluidic experiments

RECOMMENDATION

For best results:

- Fill the microfluidic channels with Fluo-ST2 and flush the excess
- Place the microfluidic chip in an oven at 65°C overnight

STORAGE

The surface treatment from Emulseo can be stored at room temperature in the supplied vial or in a glass syringe purged with argon for six months without deterioration in performance. Change the needle before each manipulation.

SAFETY NOTES





Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Avoid breathing mist or vapour.

For additional information, see the Material Safety Data Sheet

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