Corning[®] Epic[®] System

Commercial Specifications

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Overview

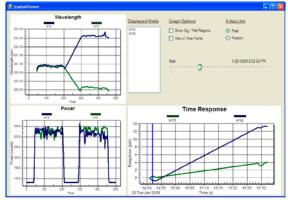
- The Epic System combines proven label-free optical technology with the benefits of high-throughput screening for real-time biochemical and cell-based analysis.
- The fully-integratable Epic reader and disposable ANSI/SBS-standard 384 well microplates enable throughputs up to 100,000 compounds in 8 hours.
- Our unique data analysis software grants total control over how data is collected and analyzed well by well and down to 12 μm at a time.

Corning® Epic® System Product Information and Specifications¹

Epic System Reader

| Detection method | Optical biosensor (waveguide resonant grating) | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
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| System variability | 850 fm | | | | |
| Certification | CE certified | | | | |
| Size (width x length x height) | 0.83 m x 1.15 m x 1.98 m | | | | |
| Time to initial read | 36 seconds from plate insertion | | | | |
| Single point read time | 15 seconds/microplate | | | | |
| Power | 115VAC/230VAC, 15A/7.5A | | | | |
| Air supply required | 170 CFH at 90 psi, 0°C dewpoint | | | | |
| Operating system | Microsoft® Windows | | | | |
| Operating environment of system | 23°C ±3°C, <70% non-condensing relative humidity | | | | |





View one well or multiple wells at once with easy-tounderstand overview page.

Epic Data Analysis Software

Epic's free software package provides control over data collection and interpretation enabling users to customize scan itineraries, interrogate individual well responses, and optimize plate performance by fine-tuning assay development. No other label-free screening platform provides such specificity and flexibility in performing real-time biochemical and cell-based assays.

- Adjustable scan itineraries
- Assay effects detection in 1D and 2D
- In-depth views of each well
- Post-assay data correction



Corning Epic Liquid Handling Accessory

The Corning Epic Liquid Handling Accessory (LHA) is an automated 384 channel pipettor that integrates with the Epic System. This fully programmable aspirator/dispenser has a working volume of 0.1μ μL to 25 $\mu\mu L$ per well and fills and transports a 384 well microplate in 30 seconds. The LHA's plate stacker can accommodate 20 lidded 384 well standard Epic microplates or source plates, making it ideal for assay development and screening. The LHA maintains thermal stability and includes an automated tip wash station. The LHA also allows for the addition of customized HTS equipment to achieve higher throughputs.

Corning® Epic® Microplates for Cell-Based Label-Free Assays

384 Well Format

| Microplate | Cat. No. | Tissue culture compatible | Assay volume (μL) | Typical seeding density (cells/well) | Storage Conditions | Qty/ Case |
|---|----------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Epic Cell Assay 384 Well Microplate 10 | 5040 | Yes | 25-50 | 5,000 - 20,000 | 20-25°C | |
| Epic Fibronectin-Coated Cell Assay 384 Well Microplate 10 | 5042 | Yes | 25-50 | 5,000 - 20,000 | 2-8°C | |

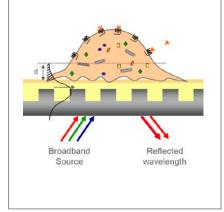
Corning Epic Microplates for Biochemical Label-Free Assays

| Microplate | Cat. No. | Surface | Assay volume (μL) | DMSO Tolerance | Working pH Range | Soak Time Prior to Assay | Storage Conditions | Qty/ Case |
|--|----------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Epic Biochemical Assay 384 Well Microplate | 5041 | Amine coupling | ~15-30 | Up to 5% | 4-10 | ~4 hrs | 20-25°C | 10 |
| Epic Streptavidin-Coated Biochemical Assay 384 Well Microplate | 5047 | Streptavidin | ~15-30 | Up to 5% | 4-10 | ~4 hrs | 20-25°C | 10 |
| Epic 384 Well High Sensitivity User-Activated Biochemical Assay Microplate | 5046 | Amine coupling | ~15-30 | Up to 5% | 4-10 | ~4 hrs | 20-25°C | 10 |

Epic microplates are compatible with most aqueous buffers (pH 5.5 - 9.0) and DMSO concentrations ≤5% for at least 24 hours.

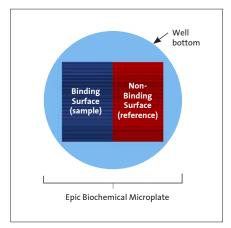


Epic 384 well microplates



Epic detection principle for cell-based assays

The Epic System measures Dynamic Mass Redistribution (DMR) to monitor real-time changes within 150 to 200 nm of the sensor's surface. The Epic System's ability to provide integrated, pathway unbiased data make it an ideal approach to study a wide range of therapeutic targets in nonengineered cell lines.



Dual-Sensor Self-Reference Technology

Each well of the Epic microplate also incorporates a patented dual-sensor self-referencing technology that creates a reference area where the target proteins do not attach. This in-well reference enables the Epic System to report a result that represents only the effects of analyte binding.

Epic® Application Center Support

Two fully integrated application centers are available to help your label-free research be successful. Our labs have performed hundreds of label-free assays and can help your lab with anything from assay development to high-throughput screening and compound profiling.

- Facilities in both the U.S. and Europe
- Experience in hundreds of label-free assays
- Equipment includes microplate hotels, pipetting systems, incubators, washers, and cell-culture materials
- Fee-for-service available



Epic Applications Centers are available for fee-for-service assay development, screening and compound profiling.

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