

## Notice of ViewRNA® Tissue Assay Kit configuration change

Dear customer,

We recently reconfigured our ViewRNA® Tissue Assay kits in order to make ordering easier and reduce the number of component boxes being shipped. Instead of providing two separate 1-plex and 2-plex assay kits with separate protocols, we combined everything into a single modular format comprised of two parts: the Core Kit and the Blue Module. The Core Kit contains all generic reagents needed to run a 1-plex assay. The Core Kit and Blue Module together contain all generic reagents needed to run a 2-plex assay. This change does not affect the 2-plex protocol; however, there are some slight updates to the 1-plex protocol (described below).

### New catalog numbers:

This table shows the new catalog numbers and the corresponding parts they are replacing. Please note that in order to run the 2-plex assay, customers will need both the Core Kit and the Blue Module:

	1-plex (Fast Red)	2-plex (Fast Red + Fast Blue)
<b>24 assays</b>	19931 Core Kit (replaces QVT0050 & QVT0200 together)	19931 Core Kit 19932 Blue Module (replaces QVT0012)
<b>96 assays</b>	19942 Core Kit, 96 assays (replaces QVT0051 & QVT0201 together)	19942 Core Kit, 96 assays 19943 Blue Module, 96 assays (replaces QVT0013)

### Discontinuations and next steps:

2-plex: the 2-plex catalog numbers QVT0012 and QVT0013 are now discontinued, replaced by the catalog numbers above. All 2-plex orders moving forward will ship with the new configuration.

1-plex: QVT0050, QVT0051, QVT0200, and QVT0201 will be discontinued when current inventory is depleted, likely around the end of March. We encourage users to transition to the new configuration as soon as possible. When using the new configuration, please note the changes to the protocol (below).

### 1-plex protocol changes:

There are two small improvements to the 1-plex protocol:

- 1) The target probe set is diluted into a different buffer at slightly higher concentration, decreasing the probe set hybridization time by 50 minutes. This diluent is now interchangeable between 1-plex and 2-plex assays.
- 2) Pre-mixed bDNA reagents are used, eliminating some dilution steps.

The 2-plex protocol does not change with the new configuration.

Finally, please note the AP Stop reagent is now shipped at 4°C instead of RT. The change in shipping temperature for AP Stop has no effect on performance, and it can be stored either at 4°C or at RT.

Sincerely,



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