Native Tomato Lycopersicon esculentum Lectin (LEL/LEA), Texas Red-Conjugated

Cat. No. LEL/LEA-549T **Lot. No.** (See product label)

SPECIFICATION

Product Overview	Native Tomato Lycopersicon esculentum Lectin (LEL/LEA) - Texas Red Blood Group Specificity: Non-specific Preferred Sugar Specificity: (N-Acetylglucosamine)2-4 Inhibiting or Eluting Sugar: Chitin Hydrolysate Divalent Ions: None Required Excitation: 595 nm Emission: 615 nm Mitogenic Activity: No Hazardous Shipping: Non-hazardous Fluorescence: Red
Species	Tomato
Source	Tomato
Description	Isolated from tomatoes, affinity-purified Lycopersicon esculentum lectin (LEL/LEA) has a carbohydrate specificity toward GlcNac. Composed of a single stable subunit, LEL is a useful marker of tracking vasculature in rodents and in neuroscience research. This lectin has an unusually high carbohydrate content of about 50 percent arabinose and galactose. LEL is non-specific agglutinates human erythrocytes A, B, O, or AB blood types. Protease-treated erythrocytes are slightly more sensitive to agglutination by this lectin. Texas Red is a red-fluorescent dye and when bound to Lycopersicon esculentum Lectin (LEL/LEA) can show the binding pattern of this lectin

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	in cellular imaging applications. There is very little overlap between the emission spectra of Texas Red and FITC making this combination ideal for dual-labeling experiments. Rhodamine dyes, such as Texas Red, are more photostable and less sensitive to pH change when compared to other dyes such as fluorescein.
Form	Liquid
Purity	High Purity Grade
Stability	Shelf Life: 1 year
Storage	At -20 centigrade.
Concentration	5 mg/mL

GENE INFORMATION

Official Symbol	LEL/LEA
Synonyms	Lycopersicon esculentum Lectin; LEL/LEA

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