The Dako FLEX RTU solution

Ensures optimal staining results, slide after slide

Using validated protocols and optimized reagents reduces the risk of false negative or false positive results. A robust, specific and sensitive IHC assay is critical for providing staining results that support an accurate patient diagnosis. Dako FLEX RTU is developed in collaboration with pathology experts to ensure optimal staining results.

The solution consists of:
- Pre-diluted antibody — FLEX RTU antibody
- Visualization system — EnVision™ FLEX/FLEX+
- Optimized and validated protocol — the recipe for consistent high-quality results

Plug and play on Dako advanced staining platforms

FLEX RTU antibodies
- Pre-diluted and carefully selected for specificity and sensitivity
- Proven concept since 2007
- Excellent antibody quality - confirmed by various EQA schemes
- Broad portfolio of IVD antibodies

EnVision™ FLEX visualization system
- Proven visualization with low complexity and very high sensitivity (Skaland et al. 2009)
- Visibility of antigen in high and low expressing tissue
- Kit configuration provides:
  - Flexibility
  - Consistency
  - Simplicity

Validated protocols
- Automated protocols developed for Dako solutions
- Optimized, validated protocols developed in cooperation with leading pathologists
- Robust protocols compensate for pre-analytical variations
Dako protocols provide consistent high-quality results

The most important element in the qualification of the staining results of clinical samples is accurate selection and staining of control tissue.

Dako protocols are the result of a comprehensive study of numerous different tissue types, tissue thicknesses, protocol-step durations, target-retrieval methods, antibody dilutions, and pre-analytical variations.

The Dako optimized protocol ensures that every test performance is highly robust, accurate and consistent, compensating for variations in pre-analytical parameters to provide diagnostic certainty slide after slide.

Dako recommended protocols ensure optimal incubations to maximize signal transfer (right). This minimizes the total output variation in the IHC test.

Find the most up-to-date range of FLEX RTU antibodies for all of our advanced staining platforms at www.dako.com/products