

Product Information

Phaseolus Vulgaris Leucoagglutinin (PHA-L)

See [product page](#) for a full list of product names, unit sizes, and catalog numbers.

Storage and Handling

Store at 4°C, protected from light. Product is stable for at least 12 months from date of receipt when stored as recommended.

Conjugate Composition

Supplied at 1 mg/mL in 10 mM HEPES pH 7.5, 0.15 M NaCl, 0.08% sodium azide, 0.1 mM CaCl₂.

Product Technical Information

See [product page](#) for spectral properties and other dye-specific technical information. See our [Spectra Viewer](#) to view and download the dye excitation and emission spectra.

Product Description

Phaseolus vulgaris (red kidney bean) agglutinin (phytohemagglutinin; PHA) is a family of lectins, each consisting of four subunits. There are two different types of subunits. The “E” (erythroagglutinin) subunit causes red cell agglutination, and the “L” (lymphocyte) subunit can trigger lymphocyte agglutination and mitogenic activity. These subunits combine to produce five isolectins. *Phaseolus vulgaris* Leucoagglutinin (PHA-L) has four “L” type subunits and does not agglutinate red blood cells but is a potent mitogen and triggers lymphocyte agglutination. Note that CF® Dye PHA-L conjugates are formulated with sodium azide and are not suitable for use *in vivo* or in live cell culture.

Biotium’s next-generation fluorescent CF® Dyes offer advantages in brightness and photostability compared to other fluorescent dyes. We also offer a variety of lectin conjugates, including *Lycopersicon esculentum* (Tomato) Lectin (LEL, TL), *Datura stramonium* Lectin (DSL), *Ulex europaeus* Agglutinin I (UEA I), *Sambucus nigra* Lectin (SNA, EBL), and PNA Lectin (*Arachis hypogaea*) CF® Dye conjugates.

Experimental Protocols

PHA-L conjugate applications are reported in published literature. We recommend consulting the literature to find a protocol that will be suitable for your application. For immunofluorescence of tissue sections, we recommend staining with 5 µg/mL lectin conjugate in PBS for 15 minutes, followed by washing in PBS as a starting point for optimization.

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29108... 29133	<i>Ulex Europaeus</i> Agglutinin I (UEA I) Conjugates
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22016	Permeabilization Buffer
22023	Paraformaldehyde, 4% in PBS, Ready-to-Use Fixative

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