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Pathology Probes for Breast Cancer



Features

- Improve confidence in result interpretation with high intensity signals and minimal background
- Maximise signal quality when probes are used in conjunction with our Tissue Pretreatment Kit
- Enhance detection and scoring accuracy with robust, easy-to-analyse probes
- Save time and minimise mixing errors with easy-to-use, pre-mixed probes
- Optimise stock levels and minimise wastage with flexible pack sizes to meet your needs

Breast Cancer

Breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer in women and comprises 25% of all reported cancer cases. Worldwide, there were 2.09 million new cases, with an estimated 627,000 deaths in 2018¹.

FISH testing on breast cancer samples can give important information about the patient's disease, and in some cases may help direct patient management decisions².

The OGT Partnership

Behind every sample is a life that can be improved through the right care decisions. The OGT partnership approach is key to providing the highest level of service, working closely with you to understand your unique challenges, customising our approach to meet your exact needs. Choose CytoCell® probes for your FISH analysis; our effective, accurate and simple to use products help clinical decision makers to reach the right decisions for each patient.

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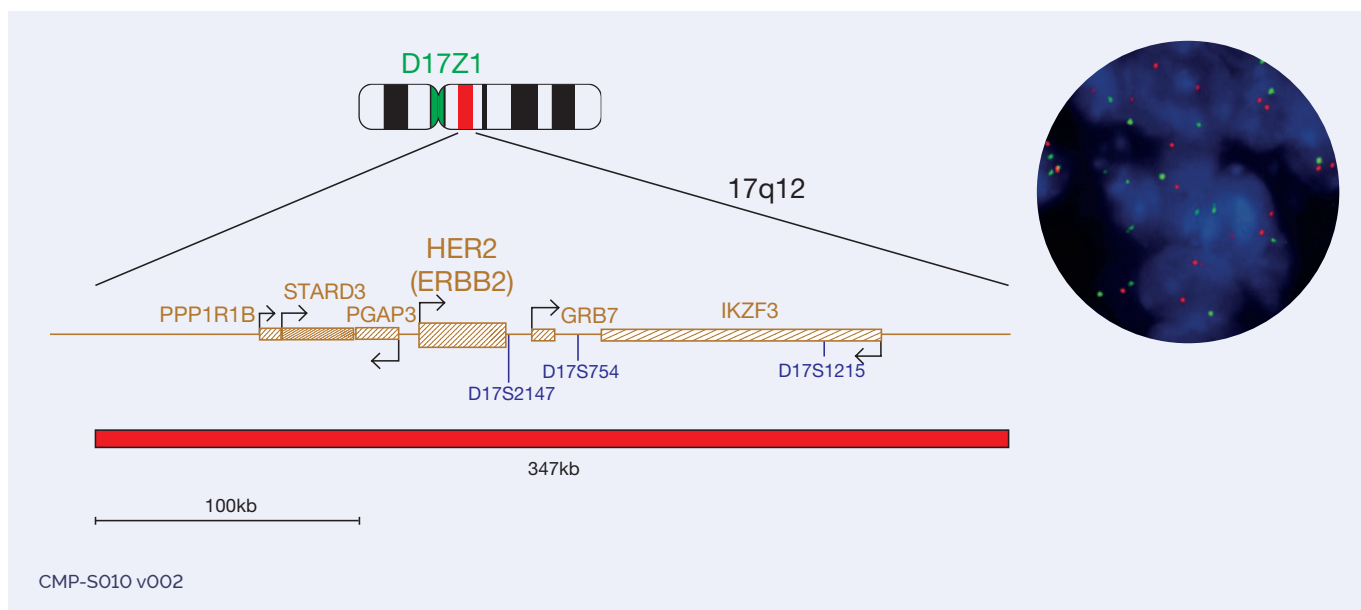
HER2 (ERBB2) Amplification

Cat. No. **LPS 001-S** (5 tests) | Cat. No. **LPS 001** (10 tests)

The ERBB2 (*erb-b2 receptor tyrosine kinase 2*) gene, located at 17q12, is a member of the epidermal growth factor (EGF) receptor family¹.

ERBB2 amplification is seen in approximately 15% of breast cancers² and, in the absence of therapy, is associated with a poor prognosis for the patient³. Treatment of patients with ERBB2 amplification using the monoclonal antibody trastuzumab has been shown to be effective in the treatment of breast cancer, increasing overall survival time by suppressing ERBB2 activity and leading to cell death^{4,5}.

Similar results have been obtained for a variety of other malignant neoplasms overexpressing ERBB2, including some ovarian⁶, stomach^{7,8}, salivary gland⁹ and lung cancers¹⁰.



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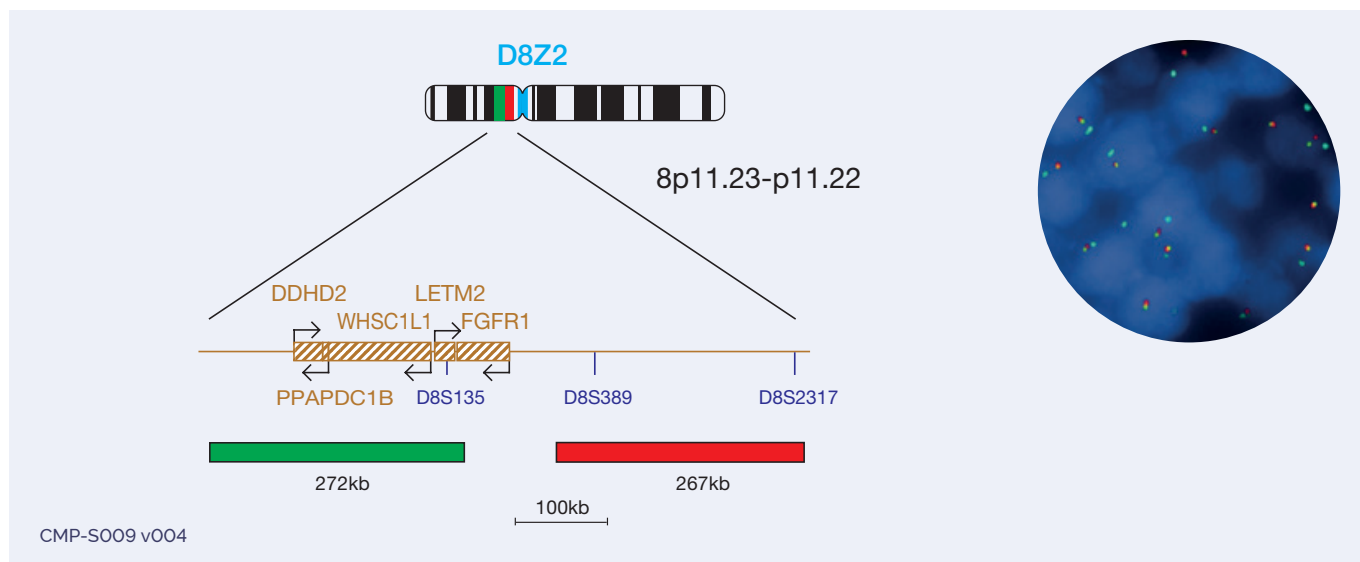
FGFR1 Breakapart/Amplification

Cat. No. **LPS 018-S** (5 tests) | Cat. No. **LPS 018** (10 tests)

The *FGFR1* (*fibroblast growth factor receptor 1*) gene, at 8p11.2, has been shown to be amplified in approximately 10% of breast cancers^{1,2}, in approximately 20% of squamous cell carcinomas of the lung (SCCL)³ and in approximately 9% of non-small-cell lung cancers (NSCLC)⁴. The *FGFR1* gene is also involved in translocations in patients with 8p11 myeloproliferative syndrome⁵.

Amplification of *FGFR1* has been shown to be associated with a poor outcome in breast cancer, as over-expression of the gene product has been implicated in early relapse⁶. Amplification of *FGFR1* has also been associated with a poor prognosis in both squamous cell carcinoma of the lung (SCCL) and non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC)^{7,8}.

FGFR1 is a receptor tyrosine kinase for fibroblast growth factors⁹. *FGFR1* rearrangements are associated with 8p11 myeloproliferative syndrome (EMS)/stem cell leukaemia-lymphoma syndrome. A number of gene fusions that have constitutive tyrosine kinase activity have been described in EMS, including: *FGFR1-ZNF198* (*ZMYM2*), the most common, via a t(8;13)(p11;q12) translocation; *FGFR1-CEP110* (*CNTRL*) via a t(8;9)(p11;q33) translocation, *FGFR1-FOP* (*FGFR10P*) via a t(6;8)(q27;p11) translocation and *FGFR1-BCR* via a t(8;22)(p11;q11.2) translocation^{10,11}.



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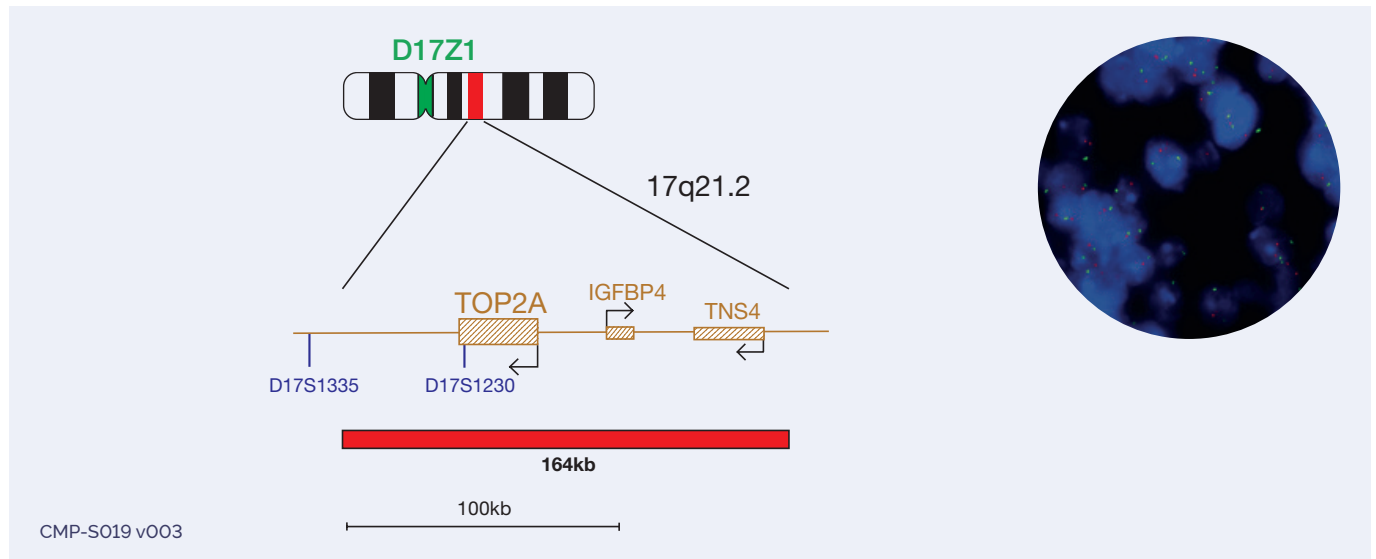
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TOP2A Amplification/Deletion

Cat. No. **LPS 002-S** (5 tests) | Cat. No. **LPS 002** (10 tests)

The TOP2A (*DNA topoisomerase II alpha*) gene at 17q21.2, is located near the ERBB2 oncogene. The TOP2A encoded protein has a function in DNA replication and the transcription of mRNA^{1,2}. Amplification of TOP2A gene is seen in breast cancer, frequently with co-amplification of ERBB2^{3,4}.

In breast cancer, TOP2A gene aberrations are a marker of response to anthracycline-based chemotherapy⁵, whilst in epithelial ovarian cancers, TOP2A gain is reported to predict response to pegylated liposomal doxorubicin⁶.



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Tissue Pretreatment Kit

Cat. No. **LPS 100***

Our tissue pretreatment kit is designed to prepare slides for FISH analysis on formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tissue.

Our extensive Pathology FISH range has been optimised to produce excellent visual results with our ready-to-use Tissue Pretreatment Kit.

With ease-of-use and convenience in mind, our simple two stage FFPE slide preparation protocol employs ready-to-use reagents, which have been optimised to increase the permeabilisation of cell membranes and facilitate penetration of the desired FISH DNA probe.

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Also of interest

Probe Name	Chromosome Region	Probe Type	Cat. No.†
CCND1	11q13.3	Breakapart	LPS 030
C-MET (MET)	7q31.2	Amplification	LPS 004
EGFR	7p11.2	Amplification	LPS 003
RB1	13q14.2	Deletion	LPS 011
SRD (CHD5)	1p36.31	Deletion	LPS 010
ZNF217	20q13.2	Amplification	LPS 005

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Probe Name	Chromosome Region	Probe Type	Cat. No.†
BCL2 Breakapart	18q21.33-q22.1	Breakapart	LPS 028
BCL6 Breakapart	3q27.3-q28	Breakapart	LPS 029
FGFR1	8p11.23-p11.22	Breakapart/Amplification	LPS 018
N-MYC (MYCN)	2p24.3	Amplification	LPS 009
P53 (TP53) Deletion	17p13.1	Deletion	LPS 037
TOP2A	17q21.2	Amplification/Deletion	LPS 002

†For 5 test kit add -S to catalogue number, e.g: LPS ###-S.

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