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# **Product Information**

CF™633, Hydrazide

Catalog Number **SCJ4600037** Storage Temperature –20 °C

# **TECHNICAL BULLETIN**

### **Product Description**

CF™633, hydrazide can be used as a fixable polar tracer for visualizing cell morphology, or for labeling biomolecules with an aldehyde or ketone group (such as carbohydrate molecules after peroxidation with periodate).

CF633 dye is brighter and far more photostable than Alexa Fluor® 647 and other spectrally similar dyes when excited by the 633 or 635 nm laser (see CF633 Datasheet for more information). This makes CF633 the best far-red fluorescent dye for confocal imaging, single molecule-based detections, and other demanding applications.

#### CF633 dye properties:

Abs/Em Maxima: 630/650 nm (See Figure 1)

Extinction coefficient: 100,000 Molecular weight: ~820

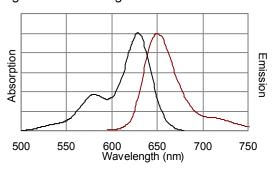
A<sub>280</sub>/A<sub>max</sub> or CF (correction factor for estimating degree

of protein labeling):0.48

Flow cytometry laser line: 633 or 635 nm Microscopy laser line: 633 or 635 nm Direct replacement for: Alexa Fluor 633 and

DyLight® 633

**Figure 1.**Absorption and emission spectra of CF633 conjugated to goat anti-mouse IgG in PBS.



#### **Precautions and Disclaimer**

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

## **Preparation Instructions**

Stock solutions may be prepared in water or PBS. Stock solutions may be stored at –20 °C for at least 6 months.

#### Storage/Stability

Store the dye desiccated at  $-20~^{\circ}$ C. When stored as directed, the dye should remain active for at least 6 months.

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