

# **Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins**

## Description

Affinity isolated anti-fluorescein isothiocyanate (FITC) antibody produced in sheep and covalently coupled to gold nanourchins. FITC is a fluorochrome dye that absorbs ultraviolet light and emits a yellow-green light when excited. This antibody can be used to detect FITC-labelled antibodies and proteins.

Abvigen anti-FITC conjugated gold NanoUrchins are suitable for use in applications such as lateral flow, immunoblotting, light microscopy, and electron microscopy.

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#### **Product List**

Cat No	Product Name	Concentration	Size
ABAFGNU-50	Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins, 50 nm	OD 3	0.5 mL
ABAFGNU-60	Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins, 60 nm	OD 3	0.5 mL
ABAFGNU-70	Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins, 70 nm	OD 3	0.5 mL
ABAFGNU-80	Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins, 80 nm	OD 3	0.5 mL
ABAFGNU-90	Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins, 90 nm	OD 3	0.5 mL
ABAFGNU-100	Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchins, 100 nm	OD 3	0.5 mL

#### Characteristics

Core diameter: 50 ~ 100 nm

Concentration: 0.15 mg/ml (@ OD=3) Conjugated Protein: Sheep Anti-FITC

Clonality: Polyclonal

Storage Buffer: 10 mM PBS (pH 7.4), 20% glycerol (v/v), 1% BSA

Working Dilution: 1:10 – 1:100 (application dependent, optimization might be required)

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## **Applications**

Anti-FITC Gold NanoUrchin conjugates are suitable for detection of FITC-labelled moieties in lateral flow, immunoblotting, light microscopy, and electron microscopy applications.

#### Storage

Store undiluted in storage buffer at 2-8°C. Stable for 4 months if stored as specified.

#### DO NOT FREEZE.

## **Standard Immunogold Dot-Blot Protocol**

(Adapted from Moeremans et al.)

- 1. Spot one microlitre drops of a serial dilution of your protein (1 ug-1 ng) in PBS supplemented with 0.5 ug/ml of BSA on nitrocellulose or PVDF membrane.
- 2. Let protein drops dry into the membrane.
- 3. Block Membrane for 30 min using 1% (w/v) dry milk in 1X PBS at room temperature.
- 4. Incubate with primary antibody for 2 h at room temperature.
- 5. Wash membrane 3x5 min with blocking solution prepared as above.
- 6. Incubate for 2 h (or longer for increased sensitivity) with secondary gold conjugate diluted 1:10 (OD=0.3) times with blocking solution (0.2% Blocking Solution).
- 7. Wash 3x5 min as above.
- 8. Dry membrane and record data.
- 9. (OPTIONAL) Proceed with silver enhancement to improve sensitivity.

#### **Notes**

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses.

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