Azure[™] c150 and c200

Gel Imaging Workstations

Gel Documentation Made Simple



Smart Imaging Technology

No Focusing

Regardless of the size of your gel, all images are in focus without adjusting the focus.

No Positioning

Perfect images no matter where you place the sample in the imager.

Automatic Imaging

Select the application, and the instrument will choose the light sources and filters for you.

Fully Upgradeable

The c200 can be easily upgraded at a later time to accommodate additional applications, including chemiluminescence.



Tools for...

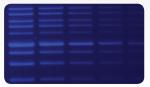
- ✓ Automatic Lane and Band Detection
- ✓ Molecular Weight Analysis
- ✓ Quantity Calibration

Application Flexibility

"Safe" Dye Detection

An alternative to ethidium bromide, less-harmful 'Safe' dyes can be imaged with the EPI Blue LEDs standard in the system.

Blue Light Imaging

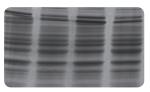


SYBR® Safe, SYBR® Gold, SYBR® Green

Protein Analysis

Protein gels stained with Coomassie blue or silver stain can easily be imaged using the visible light application.

White Light Imaging



Coomassie Blue, Silver Stain

DNA Detection with Ethidium Bromide

With the a dual-wavelength 302 nm and 365 nm UV transilluminator, images of ethidium bromide-stained DNA gels can be captured

UV Imaging



Ethidium Bromide

in a fraction of a second. An interlock switch prevents accidental exposure to UV. For band excision, the switch can be overridden with the press of a button, and the UV transilluminator can be pulled out.

AzureSpot Analysis

With the c200, AzureSpot software provides tools for the analysis of gels and blots, AzureSpot makes complex analysis a simple process. Designed to be either fully automated or manually configured, AzureSpot provides flexibility and accuracy for your data analysis.

- ✓ 2D Densitometry
- ✓ Annotation
- ✓ Multiplex Analysis

AzureSpot comes standard with the Azure family of imaging systems as a stand alone license or network license. **AzureSpot includes:** Automatic PDF report generator, Lane creation, Background subtraction, Band detection,

Molecular size/pl calibration, Quantity calibration toolbox, Module for easy shape selection/deselection, Wide range of data fields to display in measurements, Annotation tools for comments and highlighting of image.

Remarkable Design



Texas Red®, SYPRO Red.

High Resolution Camera

Capture the finest details of your sample with 5.4 MP high resolution imaging.

Tablet

10.1" tablet controls the system with the touch of a finger. Networking is easy, with WiFi or Bluetooth.

Dual-Focus Technology

Image samples in perfect focus, and with optimal lens settings, without having to touch the camera.

Multiple Filter Positions

The c200 comes standard with a 7 position motorized filter wheel. The c150 has a 3 position manual filter slider.

Lens

Computer controlled, hands-free lens optics

Light Tight Darkroom

Darkroom with automated software controls.

EPI White Lights

Provide overhead illumination for white light imaging.

EPI Blue LED at 470 nm for Blue-Excited DNA Dyes

All systems come standard with excitation for dyes like SYBR® Safe, enabling the user to use dyes that are less harmful to the DNA sample, and to the environment.

3 USB Ports

Connect to a drive or network, or attach a thermal printer.

Safety Lock

Safety interlock to prevent accidental UV exposure.





Simple Imaging Workflow

- 1. Select Light Source
- 2. Set Exposure Time or Autoexpose
- 3. Capture

Band Excision Mode

Easily excise your DNA bands from an agarose gel with our Band Excision mode. Designed to allow the user to cut bands out of their gel with the system door open, it also turns off the UV light after 5 minutes, ensuring the light is not accidentally left on.

| Specifications | c150 | c200 |
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| Image Resolution | 5.4 MP | 5.4 MP |
| Image Bit Depth | 16 bit | 16 bit |
| Trans White Light | Yes | Yes |
| UV 302 nm & 365 nm | Yes | Yes |
| EPI Blue | Yes | Yes |
| EPI White | Yes | Yes |
| Standard Filter | Compatible with: Ethidium Bromide, SYBR® Safe, Coomassie Blue, Stain-Free™ and others | Compatible with: Ethidium Bromide, SYBR® Safe, Coomassie Blue, Stain-Free™ and others |
| Filter Wheel | 3 position filter slider | 7 position motorized filter wheel |
| Computer | Tablet computer; Option to control system through external PC | Tablet computer; Option to control system through external PC |
| External USB Ports | 3 | 3 |
| Direct Connectivity to Thermal Printer | Yes | Yes |
| Upgradeability | No | Yes |
| Analysis Software | Optional | Yes |

