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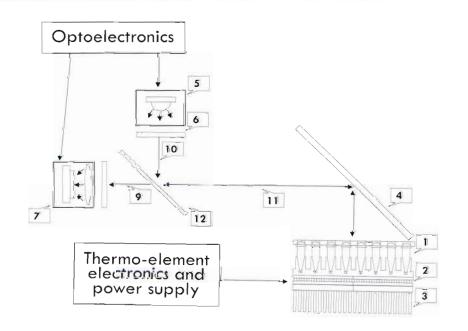
## **Features**

- 4 or 5 channels multiplexing for discrimination of up to five targets in a single reaction well\*
- Strong flexibility thanks to the 96-well format suited for standard PCR microplates, test tubes and strips
- State of the art optics for the highest sensitivity
- Optimal signal/noise ratio and absence of crosstalk ensured by the unique design of the optical track including a separate light source for each channel and a matrix CCD camera
- Light emitting diodes (LED) as a light source with a lifetime of about 100,000 hours that does not require maintenance or constant monitoring
- Wide dynamic range of detection using multiple exposure method, which leads the optimization of signal registration conditions to a whole new level, greatly simplifying or even eliminating the need for fluorescence settings
- Main applications are Real-Time quantitation, single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) genotyping, melting curve and gene expression analysis

\* the standard device has four channels. The fifth channel is optional and must be requested by the customer.

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# Optical scheme



- 1. tubes/plate
- 2. Peltier elements
- 3. cooling element
- 4. optical mirror
- 5. LED light source
- 6. excitation filter
- 7. fluorescence detector
- 8. emission filter
- 9. emitted light
- 10. excited light
- 11. total light
- 12. spectral separator.

# **Technical characteristics**

Thermal block format	96 test tubes of 0.2 ml (12 x 8)
Test tube type	0.2-ml test tubes for PCR (individual, in strips, 8 pieces each or a holder 12 x 8)
Range of thermal block temperature control	0 C100°C
Resolution of temperature setting	0.1℃
Absolute accuracy of temperature maintenance	±0.2℃
Uniformity of thermal block temperature	±0.15 °C
Average heating rate of the thermal block within temperature range of 499 °C	3.3 °C /s
Maximum heating rate of the thermal block within temperature range of 4…99 °C	3.5 °C/s
Average cooling rate of the thermal block within temperature range of 9955 °C	2.1 °C /s
Maximum cooling rate of the thermal block within temperature range of 9955 °C	2.5 °C /s
"Hot cover" temperature	105°C ±1°C
Actuating device of the thermal block	Peltier elements
Excitation source	Light-emitting diode (LED)
Detector	CCD (charge coupled device) -matrix
Number of the fluorescence measurement channels	4 or 5*
Excitation/detection wave length	470/525, 532/570, 585/633, 633/670, 690/750 **
Threshold sensitivity of each of the channels for solutions of standard fluorophores	0.05x10E-12M
Computer interface	USB 2.0 High-speed
Power consumption	Not over 550 W
Overall dimensions, WxDxH	210x540x540 mm
Preparation time after switching-on	Not over 5 minutes
Weight	27 kg

<sup>\*</sup> The 5th channel is optional and available only after customer's specific request.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The excitation/detection 690/750 wavelengths are for the 5th optional channel

# Software

- User friendly software can be used either in a simplified for beginning users or in a full-featured mode for expert users
- Possibility for the user to view data previously analysed while another amplification program is in process
- Resume program execution in case of a power failure or an unexpected computer shutdown
- Ease of integration with any laboratory information management system (LIMS) as the software can save all data in standard graphic or text formats ready to be loaded into databases.

### **Expanding your throughput**

- Compact case design allows to use several devices together to increase throughput with minimal space requirements
- Multiple devices (up to 8) can be simultaneously controlled by the same computer



