LIQUID HANDLING

MultiFlo™ FX Multi-Mode Dispenser

MultiFlo[™] FX Multi-Mode Dispenser is a versatile tool for liquid handling workflows. MultiFlo FX automates fast dispensing and washing, gentle media exchange for nonor loosely-adherent cell based assays, and dispensing into individual wells. Its unique Parallel Dispense[™] design allows up to four independent reagents to be dispensed in parallel without cross-contamination.

MultiFlo FX can incorporate one or two peristaltic dispense pumps, two syringe dispense pumps, plus an available microplate wash module. The unique RAD™ (Random Access Dispense) module can automatically dispense varying volumes into discrete wells of a 96- or 384-well plate for normalization protocols. The new patent-pending AMX[™] (Automated Media Exchange) module gently automates critical steps in spheroid and non-adherent cell based assays – all one on compact platform.

MultiFlo FX, when integrated to the BioSpa 8 Automated Incubator with a BioTek imager or multi-mode reader provides complete walkaway workflow automation for many biochemical and cellular assays.



Wash 6- to 384-well plates with the wash module.



Dispense to custom-mapped wells with RAD.

AMX module enables gentle media exchange for 3D cell cultures.



Features:

- Multi-mode dispensing replaces up to four dispensers and a washer
- AMX[™] Automated Media Exchange module protects 3D cell structures (e.g. spheroids, tumoroids), and suspension cells
- RAD™ Random Access Dispense enables mapped dispensing to individual wells for normalization applications
- Wash module for 6- to 384-well plates combines dispensing and washing automated on one platform
- Parallel Dispense technology: peristaltic or syringe dispensing of up to four reagents with no cross-contamination
- Cell-friendly angled dispense and wash tubes, adjustable flow rates using lidded plates
- BioSpa™ 8 Automated Incubator compatible for live and fixed cell assay automation
- Compatible with Agilent BenchCel™ Microplate Handler to automate many workflows



Typical Applications:

- Primary/secondary screening assays
- Compound storage
- Genomics and proteomics research
- ELISA
- Cell-based washing, fixing and staining
- Volume or concentration normalization

Configurations:

 MFXP1:
 MultiFlo FX with 1 module arm, 1 peristaltic dispense pump

 MFXP2:
 MultiFlo FX with 2 module arms, 1 peristaltic dispense pump

 MFXP2R:
 MultiFlo FX with 2 module arms and RAD module

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See website or price list for complete listing.

Optional Modules:

- Wash module
- AMX module
- RAD module
- Dual syringe pump module
- Secondary peri-pump module



AMX enables gentle media exchange for 3D cell structures.

Optional Accessories:

- BioStack 4 Microplate Stacker
- BioSpa[™] 8 Automated Incubator
- Liquid Handling Control™ Software
- Product Qualification Package
- Agilent BenchCel[™] Microplate Handler



MultiFlo™ FX integrates with BioStack™ Microplate Stacker for automated processing of up to 50 plates.



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Technical Details:

General

Microplate types:

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User Interface: Software:

Shaking and soaking: Automation: Dispense, wash, RAD: 6- to 384-well, AMX: 96- and 384-well (manifold dependent) Color touchscreen. Create, edit or run multiple protocols onboard. LHC2 Software LHC2 Secure for 21 CFR Part 11 compliance (option) SiLA Compliant driver (option)

Programmable up to 60 minutes BioStack and 3rd party automation compatible BioSpa 8 Automated Incubator compatible

Dispensing: Peristaltic Pump (Multi-Channel)

Fluid delivery:
Dispense speed:

Dispense volume

Dispense performance:

range:

Flow rates:

1 or 2 peristaltic pumps 96 wells, 5 μL cassette, 10 $\mu L/$ well: 3 seconds 384 wells, 1 μL cassette, 1 $\mu L/$ well: 6 seconds 1536 wells, 1 μL cassette, 1 $\mu L/$ well: 21 seconds

500 nL - 3,000 $\mu L/well,$ selectable in 1 μL increments User programmable rates from high to low

 $\label{eq:constant} \begin{array}{l} \underline{1\ \mu L\ cassette}:\ recommended\ range:\ 1\ -\ 50\ \mu L \\ Accuracy:\ +\ 5\%\ at\ 1\ \mu L,\ Precision:\ <\ 5\%\ CV\ at\ 1\ \mu L \\ \underline{5\ \mu L\ cassette}:\ recommended\ range:\ 5\ -\ 2,500\ \mu L \\ Accuracy:\ +\ 2.0\%\ at\ 5\ \mu L,\ Precision:\ <\ 2.5\%\ CV\ at\ 5\ \mu L \\ \underline{10\ \mu L\ cassette}:\ recommended\ range:\ 10\ -\ 3,000\ \mu L \\ Accuracy:\ +\ 2.0\%\ at\ 10\ \mu L,\ Precision:\ <\ 2.0\%\ CV\ at\ 10\ \mu L \\ \end{array}$

Dispensing: Syringe Pump (Multi-Channel)

20 - 30,000 µL/well

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Dispense speed:		
Volume range:		
Dispense accuracy:		
Dispense precision:		

20 μL /well, 1 x16 tubes, 96/384: 5 s/14 s 3 μL /well, 1536 wells, 2 x 32 tubes: 7 seconds 3 - 3,000 μL/well selectable in 1 μL increments ±1 μL at 5 μL and 20 μL; ±1 % at 100 μL <2.5% CV at 20 μL; <1% CV at 100 μL

Washing

Wash volume range: Wash cycles: Wash speed: Dispense accuracy: Dispense precision:

96 wells, 8-tube manifold, 3 cycles, 300 µL/well: <130 seconds $\pm 3\%$ 96-/384-well plates, 300 µL/well: <3% CV 6-well plates, 5560 µL/well: <5% CV 96-well plate, 300 µL/well: <2 µL/well 140 - 422 µL/well 2 L, waste bottle level detection

Residual volume: Flow rates: Supply/waste bottles:

Media Exchange: AMX (Automated Media Echange Module)

Manifold types: Cassettes: Performance: Aspiration uniformity: Two 8-channel autoclavable manifolds Autoclavable cassettes with 5 µL tubing Precision: ≤5% CV, Accuracy: ≤5% <5%

Dispensing: RAD (Random Access Module)

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Other labware:	96-well cluster tubes (minitubes) up to 50 mm height (requires custom carrier)
Manifold types:	RAD single, with plastic or steel tip with 1, 5 or 10 μ L tubing, 7° angle RAD 8-to-1 plastic tip, with 5 μ L tubing, angled bulk dispense chute
Volume range:	500 nL - 30,000 μL
Minimum prime volume:	1 μL cass, 18": 90 μL ; 1 μL cass, 30": 150 μL 5 μL cass, 18": 320 μL; 1 μL cass, 30": 530 μL 10 μL cass, 18": 555 μL; 10 μL cass, 30": 920 μL
Dispense speed (high flow rate):	1 μL cass, 1 μL/well: 19s (96 wells) 55s (384 wells) 5 μL cass, 5 μL/well: 19s (96 wells), 58s (384 wells) 10 μL cass, 10 μL/well: 21s (96 wells), 66s (384 wells)
Physical Charac	teristics
Dimensions:	Base instrument: 17 19"W x 11 75" D x 8" H (43 51 x 29 21 x 20 32 c

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ight:	Base instrument: 19.5 lbs (8.8 Kg)
wer:	100 - 240 Volts AC. 50/60 Hz, 90 W max consumption
nnectivity:	Two USB ports: Protocol storage/transfer and for optional external mouse or keyboard

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CE and TUV marked. RoHS compliant. IVD configurations are available.

Technical details are subject to change.