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Cytokine Detected (40)	EGF, EGF R, Eotaxin, G-CSF, GRO, HB-EGF, ICAM-1, IFNγ, IL-1α, IL-1β, IL-1ra, IL-2, IL-4, IL-5, IL-6, IL-6R, IL-7, IL-8, IL-10, IL-11, IL-12p40, IL-12p70, IL-13, IL-15, IL-16, IL-17, IP-10, Lipocalin-2, MCP-1, MIG, MIP-1α, MIP-1β, MIP-1δ, MMP-9, RANTES, TGFβ1, TIMP-1, TIMP-2, TNFα, VEGF
Format	One standard glass slide is spotted with 16 wells of identical cytokine antibody arrays. Each antibody is arrayed in quadruplicate.
Detection Method	Fluorescence with laser scanner: Cy3 equivalent dye
Sample Volume	50 – 100 μl per array
Reproducibility	CV <20%
Assay duration	6 hrs

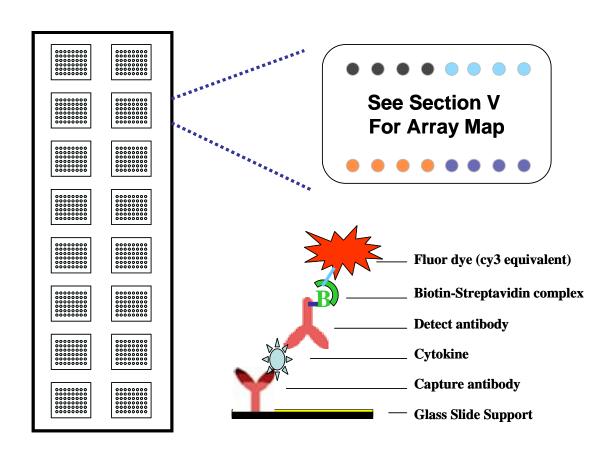


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I. Introduction

Dry eye disease (DED) is a multifactorial chronic disorder of the ocular surface that affects up to 100 million people worldwide. As is typical of multifactorial diseases, symptoms of DED are often nonspecific ranging from simple ocular irritation to functional blindness. DED can be broadly classified as either aqueous-deficient dry eye (due to failure of tear secretion) or evaporative dry eye (due to excessive tear evaporation rate). Because evaporative and aqueous-deficient DED have different pathogenetic mechanisms, different biomarkers are necessary to identify the specific disease type.

Although DED can be diagnosed through functional tests (such as evaporimetry, Schirmer test, optical scattering, TBUT, interferometry, and Blink Rate), they all have limitations with respect to their selectivity and specificity. Moreover, they give little indication of patients' disease severity and tend to reflect only late changes induced by the disease. For these reasons, the identification of dry eye biomarkers could be potentially useful in clinical practice for diagnosis, prognosis, and monitoring the effectiveness of treatment of DED patients. The tear hyperosmolarity triggers an inflammatory cytokines cascade. Many inflammatory cytokines including IL-1, IL-4, IL-5, IL-6, IL-8, IL-10, IL-12, IL-13, IL-17, TNFα, and IFNγ, have been identified in DED biomarker research. Other potential tear biomarkers in DED include EGF, VEGF, MMP-9, S100A8, S100A9, lactoferrin, lipocalin, lipophilin, cystatin, and proline-rich protein.

The traditional method for cytokine detection and quantification is through the use of an enzyme-linked immunosorbent array (ELISA). While the traditional method works well for a single protein, the overall procedure is time consuming and requires a lot of sample. Take the advantage of advancement in microarray technology over the last decade; Raybiotech, has pioneered the development of cytokine antibody arrays, which has now been widely applied in the research community with hundreds of peer reviewed publications such as in Cell and Nature.

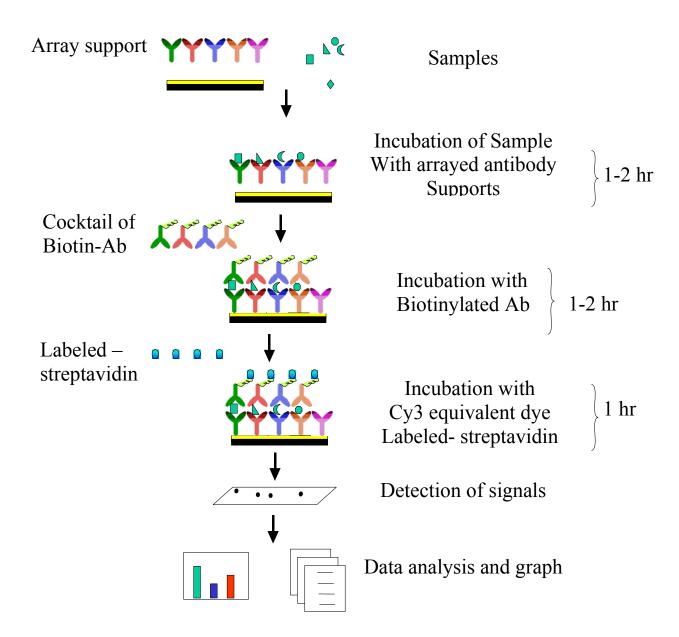
Quantibody® array, our quantitative array platform, uses the multiplexed sandwich ELISA-based technology and enables researchers to accurately

determine the concentration of multiple cytokines simultaneously. It combines the advantages of the high detection sensitivity / specificity of ELISA and the high throughput of the arrays. Like a traditional sandwich-based ELISA, it uses a pair of cytokine specific antibodies for detection. A capture antibody is first bound to the glass surface. After incubation with the sample, the target cytokine is trapped on the solid surface. A second biotin-labeled detection antibody is then added, which can recognize a different isotope of the target cytokine. The cytokine-antibody-biotin complex can then be visualized through the addition of the streptavidin-labeled Cy3 equivalent dye using a laser scanner. Unlike the traditional ELISA, Quantibody products use array format. By arraying multiple cytokine specific capture antibodies onto a glass support, multiplex detection of cytokines in one experiment is made possible.

In detail, one standard glass slide is spotted with 16 wells of identical cytokine antibody arrays. Each antibody, together with the positive controls is arrayed in quadruplicate. The slide comes with a 16-well removable gasket which allows for the process of 16 samples in one slide. Four slide chips can be nested into a tray, which matches a standard microplate and allows for automated robotic high throughput process of 64 arrays simultaneously. For cytokine quantification, the array specific cytokine standards, whose concentration has been predetermined, are provided to generate a standard curve for each cytokine. In a real experiment, standard cytokines and samples will be assayed in each array simultaneously through a sandwich ELISA procedure. By comparing signals from unknown samples to the standard curve, the cytokine concentration in the samples will be determined.

Quantibody® array kits have been confirmed to have similar detection sensitivity as traditional ELISA. Our current high density Quantibody kits allow scientists to quantitatively determine the concentration of 320 human or 160 mouse cytokines in a single experiment. This is not only one of the most efficient products on the market for cytokine quantification, but makes it more affordable for quantification of large number of proteins. Simultaneous detection of multiple cytokines undoubtedly provides a powerful tool for drug and biomarker discovery.

How It Works



II. Materials Provided

Upon receipt, all components of the Quantibody® Array kit should be stored at -20°C. At -20°C the kit will retain complete activity for up to 6 months. Once thawed, the glass chip, cytokine standard mix, detection antibody cocktail and Cy3 equivalent dye-conjugated Streptavidin should be kept at −20°C and all other components may be stored at 4°C. The entire kit should be used within 6 months of purchase.

Components

Item	Description	1-Slide kit	2-Slide kit
1	Quantibody® Array Glass Chip	1	2
2	Sample Diluent	1	1
3	20X Wash Buffer I	2	3
4	20X Wash Buffer II	1	1
5	Lyophilized cytokine standard mix *	1	1
6	Detection antibody cocktail	1	2
7	Cy3 equivalent dye-conjugated Streptavidin	1	2
8	Slide Washer/Dryer	1	1
9	Adhesive device sealer	5	10
10	Manual	1	1

^{*} See Section VI for detailed cytokine concentrations after reconstitution.

Additional Materials Required

- Orbital shaker
- Laser scanner for fluorescence detection
- Aluminum foil
- Distilled water
- 1.5ml Polypropylene microcentrifuge tubes

III. General Considerations

A. Preparation of Samples

- Use serum-free conditioned media if possible.
- If serum-containing conditioned media is required, it is highly recommended that complete medium be used as a control since many types of sera contains cytokines.
- We recommend the following parameters for other samples: 50 to 100 μl of original or diluted serum, plasma, cell culture media, or other body fluid, or 50-500 μg/ml of protein for cell and tissue lysates.

If you experience high background or the readings exceed the detection range, further dilution of your sample is recommended.

B. Handling glass chips

- Do not touch the surface of the slides, as the microarray slides are very sensitive. Hold the slides by the edges only.
- Handle all buffers and slides with latex free gloves.
- Handle glass chip in clean environment.
- Because there is no barcode on the slide, transcribe the slide serial number from the slide bag to the back of the slide with a permanent marker before discarding the slide bag. Once the slide is disassembled, you might not have enough info to distinguish one slide from the other.

C. Incubation

- Completely cover array area with sample or buffer during incubation.
- Avoid foaming during incubation steps.
- Perform all incubation and wash steps under gentle rotation.
- Cover the incubation chamber with adhesive film during incubation, particularly when incubation is more than 2 hours or <70 µl of sample or reagent is used.
- Several incubation steps such as step 6 (blocking), step 7 (sample incubation), step 10 (detection antibody incubation), or step 13 (Cy3 equivalent dye-streptavidin incubation) may be done overnight at 4°C. Please make sure to cover the incubation chamber tightly to prevent evaporation.

IV. Protocol

A. Completely air dry the glass chip

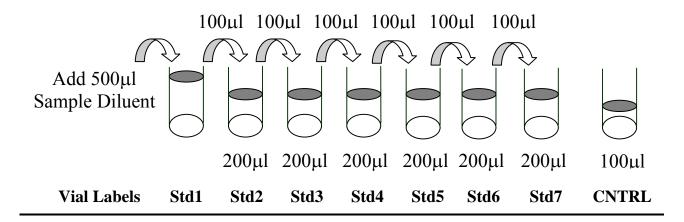
1. Take out the glass chip from the box, and let it equilibrate to room temperature inside the sealed plastic bag for 20-30 minutes. Remove slide from the plastic bag; peel off the cover film, and let it air dry at room temperature for another 1-2 hours.

Note: Incomplete drying of slides before use may cause the formation of "comet tails".

B. Prepare Cytokine Standard Dilutions

Note: There is only one vial of standard provided in the two-slide kit, which is enough for making two standard curves. Reconstitute the lyophilized standard within one hour of usage. If you must use the standard for two different days, store only the Std1 dilution at -80 $^{\circ}$ C.

Prepare serial dilution of cytokine standards



2. Reconstitute the Cytokine Standard Mix (lyophilized) by adding 500µl Sample Diluent to the tube. For best recovery, always quick-spin vial prior to opening. Dissolve the powder thoroughly by a gentle mix. Labeled the tube as Std1.

- 3. Label 6 clean microcentrifuge tubes as Std2 to Std7. Add 200µl Sample Diluent to each of the tubes.
- 4. Pipette 100µl Std1 into tube Std2 and mix gently. Perform 5 more serial dilutions by adding 100ul Std2 to tube Std3 and so on.
- 5. Add 100µl Sample Diluent to another tube labeled as CNTRL. Do not add standard cytokines or samples to the CNTRL tube, which will be used as negative control. For best results, include a set of standards in each slide.

Note: Since the starting concentration of each cytokine is different, the serial concentrations from Std1 to Std7 for each cytokine are varied which can be found in section VI.

C. Blocking and Incubation

- 6. Add 100µl Sample Diluent into each well and incubate at room temperature for 30 min to block slides.
- 7. Decant buffer from each well. Add 100µl standard cytokines or samples to each well. Incubate arrays at room temperature for 1-2 hour. (*Longer incubation time is preferable for higher signals*)

Note: We recommend using 50 to 100 μ l of original or diluted serum, plasma, conditioned media, or other body fluid, or 50-500 μ g/ml of protein for cell and tissue lysates. Cover the incubation chamber with adhesive film during incubation if less than 70 μ l of sample or reagent is used.

Note: This step may be done overnight at 4^{0} *C for best results.*

8. Wash:

• Decant the samples from each well, and wash 5 times (5 min each) with 150 µl of 1x Wash Buffer I at room temperature with gentle

- shaking. Completely remove wash buffer in each wash step. Dilute 20x Wash Buffer I with H₂O.
- (Optional for Cell and Tissue Lysates) Put the glass chip with frame into a box with 1x Wash Buffer I (cover the whole glass slide and frame with Wash Buffer I), and wash at room temperature with gentle shaking for 20 min.
- Decant the 1x Wash Buffer I from each well, wash 2 times (5 min each) with 150 μl of 1x Wash Buffer II at room temperature with gentle shaking. Completely remove wash buffer in each wash step. Dilute 20x Wash Buffer II with H₂O.

D. Incubation with detection antibody cocktail and wash.

- 9. Reconstitute the detection antibody by adding 1.4 ml of Sample Diluent to the tube. Spin briefly.
- 10. Add 80 µl of the detection antibody cocktail to each well. Incubate at room temperature for 1-2 hour. (*Longer incubation time is preferable for higher signals and backgrounds*)
- 11. Decant the samples from each well, and wash 5 times with 150 μl of 1x Wash Buffer I and then 2 times with 150 μl of 1x Wash Buffer II at room temperature with gentle shaking. Completely remove wash buffer in each wash step.

E. Incubation with Cy3 equivalent dye -Streptavidin and wash

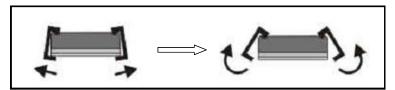
- 12. After briefly spinning down, add 1.4 ml of Sample Diluent to Cy3 equivalent dye-conjugated streptavidin tube. Mix gently.
- 13. Add 80 µl of Cy3 equivalent dye-conjugated streptavidin to each well. Cover the device with aluminum foil to avoid exposure to light or incubate in dark room. Incubate at room temperature for 1 hour.

14. Decant the samples from each well, and wash 5 times with 150 μl of 1x Wash Buffer I at room temperature with gentle shaking. Completely remove wash buffer in each wash step.

F. Fluorescence Detection

15. Disassemble the device by pushing clips outward from the slide side. Carefully remove the slide from the gasket.

(Be careful not to touch the surface of the array side)

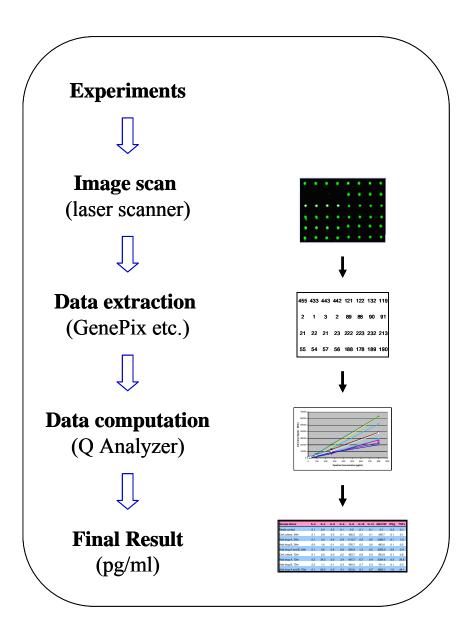


- 16. Place the slide in the slide Washer/Dryer (a 4-slide holder/centrifuge tube), add enough 1x Wash Buffer I (about 30 ml) to cover the whole slide, and then gently shake at room temperature for 15 minutes. Decant Wash Buffer I. Wash with 1x Wash Buffer II (about 30 ml) with gentle, and gently shake at room temperature for 5 minutes.
- 17. Remove water droplets completely by one of the following ways:
 - Put the glass chip into the Slide Washer/Dryer, and dry the glass chip by centrifuge at 1,000 rpm for 3 minutes without cap.
 - Or, dry the glass chip by a compressed N₂ stream.
 - Or gently apply suction with a pipette to remove water droplets. Do not touch the array, only the sides.
- 18. Imaging: The signals can be visualized through use of a laser scanner equipped with a Cy3 wavelength such as Axon GenePix. Make sure that the signal from the well containing the highest standard concentration (Std1) receives the highest possible reading, yet remains unsaturated.

Note: In case the signal intensity for different cytokine varies greatly in the same array, we recommend using multiple scans, with a higher PMT for low signal cytokines, and a low PMT for high signal cytokines.

G. Data Analysis

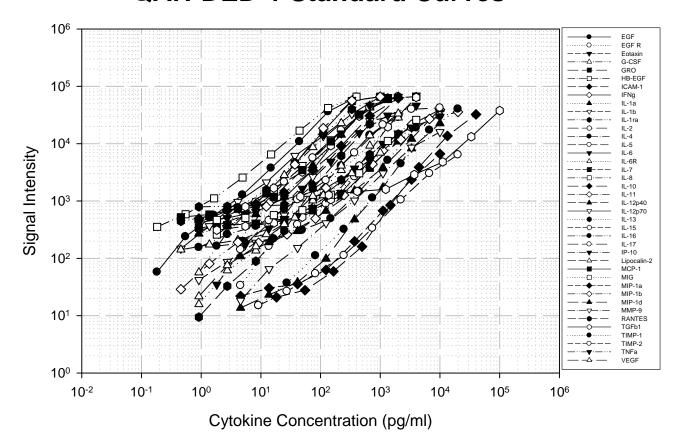
19. Data extraction can be done with most of the microarray analysis software (GenePix, ScanArray Express, ArrayVision, or MicroVigene). For quantitative data analysis, our Quantibody® Q-Analyzer software is available. It gives visual output as well as digital values. More information can be found in section VIII.



V. Cytokine Array Map & Standard Curves

POS1	POS2	EGF
EGF R	Eotaxin	G-CSF
GRO	HB-EGF	ICAM-1
IFNγ	IL-1α	IL-1β
IL-1ra	IL-2	IL-4
IL-5	IL-6	IL-6R
IL-7	IL-8	IL-10
IL-11	IL-12p40	IL-12p70
IL-13	IL-15	IL-16
IL-17	IP-10	Lipocalin-2
MCP-1	MIG	MIP-1α
MIP-1β	MIP-1δ	MMP-9
RANTES	TGFβ1	TIMP-1
TIMP-2	TNFα	VEGF

QAH-DED-1 Standard Curves



VI. 8-Point Standards

After reconstitution of the lyophilized cytokine standard mix, the 8-point cytokine concentration used for generating the standard curve of a given antigen is listed below. The detection sensitivity of each protein in one experiment is user dependent. Try our array specific Quantibody Q-Analyzer to see your Limit of Detection (LOD). (Section VIII).

Serial standard concentration (pg/ml)

(pg/ml)	Control	Std7	Std6	Std5	Std4	Std3	Std2	Std1
EGF	0	1	2	5	15	44	133	400
EGF R	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
Eotaxin	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
G-CSF	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
GRO	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
HB-EGF	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
ICAM-1	0	55	165	494	1,481	4,444	13,333	40,000
IFNγ	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
IL-1α	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-1β	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-1ra	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-2	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
IL-4	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-5	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-6	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-6R	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-7	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
IL-8	0	1	2	5	15	44	133	400
IL-10	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
IL-11	0	27	82	247	741	2,222	6,667	20,000
IL-12p40	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
IL-12p70	0	1	4	12	37	111	333	1,000
IL-13	0	1	4	12	37	111	333	1,000
IL-15	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
IL-16	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
IL-17	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
IP-10	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
Lipocalin-2	0	1	4	12	37	111	333	1,000
MCP-1	0	1	4	12	37	111	333	1,000
MIG	0	5	16	49	148	444	1,333	4,000
MIP-1α	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
MIP-1β	0	1	4	12	37	111	333	1,000
MIP-1δ	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
MMP-9	0	14	41	123	370	1,111	3,333	10,000
RANTES	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
TGFβ1	0	137	412	1,235	3,704	11,111	33,333	100,000
TIMP-1	0	27	82	247	741	2,222	6,667	20,000
TIMP-2	0	27	82	247	741	2,222	6,667	20,000
TNFα	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000
VEGF	0	3	8	25	74	222	667	2,000

VII. System Recovery

The antibody pairs used in the kit have been tested to recognize their specific antigen. The spiking recovery rate of the cytokines by the kit in 2x diluted Human serum (SR) and 2x diluted Human cell culture media (CM) is listed in the following table.

The spiking recovery rate for culture media and serum

(pg/ml)	Spiking	СМ	CM+AG	CM%	SR	SR+AG	SR%
EGF	200	0	221	111%	76	289	107%
EGF R	5,000	63	3,853	76%	5,934	9,053	62%
Eotaxin	2,000	0	1,174	59%	13	1,186	59%
G-CSF	500	401	896	99%	0	268	54%
GRO	1,000	4,982	7,709	Over	472	1,200	73%
HB-EGF	2,000	0	1,272	64%	0	1,668	83%
ICAM-1	20,000	1,088	16,657	78%	46,906	46,533	Over
IFNγ	5,000	0	6,251	125%	110	3,892	76%
IL-10	1,000	0	781	78%	24	995	97%
IL-11	10,000	0	5,774	58%	21	8,540	85%
IL-12p40	5,000	18	3,539	70%	29	3,775	75%
IL-12p70	500	0	566	113%	0	581	116%
IL-13	500	0	474	95%	15	495	96%
IL-15	2,000	0	1,634	82%	70	2,102	102%
IL-16	2,000	0	564	28%	12	1,443	72%
IL-17	5,000	0	3,224	64%	0	3,578	72%
IL-1α	1,000	0	639	64%	0	252	25%
IL-1β	1,000	0	734	73%	2	762	76%
IL-1ra	1,000	0	958	96%	56	809	75%
IL-2	2,000	0	1,463	73%	11	1,788	89%
IL-4	2,000	0	2,488	124%	3	2,149	107%
IL-5	1,000	0	1,023	102%	18	1,230	121%
IL-6	1,000	1,238	1,019	Over	26	1,122	110%
IL-6R	1,000	0	144	14%	1,279	1,923	64%
IL-7	2,000	0	1,310	66%	30	1,573	77%
IL-8	200	256	200	Over	20	243	112%
IP-10	5,000	0	3,055	61%	41	2,628	52%
Lipocalin-2	500	20	218	39%	15,274	14,169	Over
MCP-1	500	531	441	Over	90	502	82%
MIG	2,000	1	2,362	118%	689	5,666	249%
MIP-1α	10,000	90	14,261	142%	12	11,001	110%
MIP-1β	500	0	418	84%	57	483	85%
MIP-1δ	5,000	0	2,696	54%	1,728	6,169	89%
MMP-9	5,000	0	334	7%	5,014	5,805	Over
RANTES	1,000	207	1,418	121%	1,675	1,716	Over
TGFβ1	100,000	0	109,267	109%	1,237	96,970	96%
TIMP-1	10,000	10,172	15,048	49%	22,170	23,387	Over
TIMP-2	10,000	30,474	36,224	57%	24,081	32,332	83%
TNFα	1,000	7	1,029	102%	55	652	60%
VEGF	1,000	903	1,486	58%	6	943	94%

VIII. Quantibody® Q-Analyzer

Quantibody Q-Analyzer is an array specific, Excel-based program. However, it is not a simple calculation macro as it contains sophisticated data analysis.

Key features:

- <u>Simplicity:</u> Easy to operate and requires no professional training. With a simple copy and paste process, the cytokine concentration is determined.
- <u>Outlier Marking & Removing:</u> The software can automatically mark and remove the outlier spots for more accurate data analysis
- *Normalization:* The program allows for intra- and inter-slide normalization for large number of samples.
- <u>Two Positive Controls</u>: The program takes the two positive controls in each array for normalization.
- <u>Two Analytical Algorithms</u>: Users can choose either linear regression or log-log algorithms to meet their analytical needs.
- <u>Two Data Outputs</u>: standard curves and digital concentration.
- <u>User Intervention:</u> The program allows for user manual handling of those outliers and other analytical data.
- <u>Lower and Upper Limits Determination:</u> The program automatically marks out the values below or above the detection range.
- <u>Standard Deviation:</u> The program outputs the standard deviations of the quadruplicate spots for data accuracy.
- <u>Analytical Tips:</u> Q-Analyzer analysis tips are included in the program.

IX. Troubleshooting guide

Problem	Cause	Recommendation
	Inadequate detection	Increase laser power and PMT parameters
	Inadequate reagent volumes or	Check pipettes and ensure correct
	improper dilution	preparation
	Short incubation time	Ensure sufficient incubation time and
Weak Signal		change sample incubation step to overnight
	Too low protein concentration in	Don't make too low dilution or concentrate
	sample	sample
	Improper storage of kit	Store kit as suggested temperature. Don't freeze/thaw the slide.
	Bubble formed during incubation	Avoid bubble formation during incubation
Uneven signal	Arrays are not completed covered by reagent	Completely cover arrays with solution
	Reagent evaporation	Cover the incubation chamber with adhesive
		film during incubation
	Cross-contamination from	Avoid overflowing wash buffer
	neighboring wells	
	Comet tail formation	Air dry the slide for at least 1 hour before
		usage
	Inadequate standard reconstitution or	Reconstitute the lyophilized standard well at
D	Improper dilution	the room temperature before making serial
Poor standard curve		dilutions. Check pipettes and ensure proper serial dilutions.
	Inadequate detection	Increase laser power that the highest
		standard concentration for each cytokine
		receives the highest possible reading yet
		remains unsaturated.
	Use freeze-thawed cytokine standards	Always use new cytokine standard vial for
	Overavnogura	new set of experiment. Discard any leftover. Lower the laser power
	Overexposure Dark spots	Completely remove wash buffer in each
	Dark spots	wash step.
High	Insufficient wash	Increase wash time and use more wash
background		buffer
	Dust	Work in clean environment
	Slide is allowed to dry out	Don't dry out slides during experiment.

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XI. Experiment Record Form

Date:	
File Name:	
Laser Power:	
PMT:	

Well No.	Sample Name	Dilution factor
1	CNTRL	
2	Std7	
3	Std6	
4	Std5	
5	Std4	
6	Std3	
7	Std2	
8	Std1	
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3	4
5	6
7	8
	

XII. How to Choose Quantibody® Products?

Species-based selection:

- <u>**Human**:</u> (QAH-)
- Mouse: (QAM-)
- Rat: QAR-CYT-1, QAR-CYT-2, QAR-CYT-3, QAR-INF-1
- **Porcine**: QAP-CYT-1
- Non-Human Primates (NHP): QAN-CYT-1
- <u>Canine</u>: QAC-CYT-1
- **Feline**: QAF-CYT-1
- **Equine**: QAE-CYT-1

Function-based selection:

- **TH1/TH2/TH17 Array:** QAH-TH-1, QAH-TH17, QAM-TH17
- Inflammation Arrays: OAH-INF-1, OAH-INF-2, OAH-INF-3; OAM-INF-1; OAR-INF-1
- Angiogenesis Arrays: QAH-ANG-1, QAH-ANG-2, QAH-ANG-3, QAH-ANG-1000
- Chemokine Arrays: QAH-CHE-1, QAM-CHE-1
- **MMP Array:** QAH-MMP-1
- Immunoglobin Isotype Array: QAH-ISO-1; AAM-ISO-G1

Cytokine Number-based selection:

- **320 cytokines:** QAH-CAA-7000
- **280 cytokines:** OAH-CAA-6000
- **240 cytokines:** QAH-CAA-5000
- **200 cytokines:** QAH-CAA-4000
- **160 cytokines:** QAH-CAA-3000, QAM-CAA-3000
- **120 cvtokines:** OAH-CAA-2000; OAM-CAA-2000
- **80 cvtokines:** OAH-CAA-1000; OAM-CAA-1000
- **60 cytokines:** QAH-ANG-1000; QAM-CYT-Q2000
- <u>40 cytokines:</u> QAH-INF-3, QAH-CHE-1, QAH-GF-1, QAH-REC-1, QAH-CYT-4, QAH-CYT-5, QAH-CYT-6, QAH-CYT-7, QAM-INF-1, QAM-CYT-4, QAM-CYT-5, QAM-CYT-6
- 30 cytokines: QAH-ANG-2, QAH-ANG-3, QAM-INT-1000, QAR-CYT-3, QAM-CHE-1
- <u>20 cytokines:</u> QAH-CYT-1, QAH-CYT-2, QAM-CYT-1, QAM-CYT-2, QAM-CYT-3, QAM-INT-1, QAH-TH17-1
- <u>10 cytokines:</u> QAH-TH-1, QAH-INF-1, QAH-INF-2, QAH-ANG-1, QAH-MMP-1, QAH-ADI-1, QAM-INT-2, QAR-CYT-1, QAR-CYT-2, QAR-INF-1, QAN-CYT-1, QAP-CYT-1, OAH-IGF-1
- less than 10 cytokines: QAH-ISO-1, QAH-ADI-2, QAP-CYT-1, QAM-ISO-G1

Purpose-based selection --- Custom Arrays

- Choose from over 500 cytokine pool; Any kind; Any number
- Order slide only or full service in house
- Desired marker not in our pool? No problem! For certain developmental fee, we may be able to add the marker to your panel if the paired antibodies are available on the market.

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