

# GloMax® Discover – Ideal Partnership of Assays and Reagents

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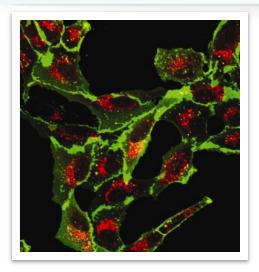


# **Outline**

- Overview of GloMax® Discover
- Assay Performance
- Automation Integration



# Promega capabilities



Cellular & Biochemical Technologies

- Assay Design
- Integrated Cellular Biology
- Macromolecular Design
- Protein Analysis
- Organic Chemistry



#### Nucleic Acid Technologies

- Purification
- Amplification
- Detection



# Instrument & Reagent Technologies

- Instrumentation
- Reagents
- Software
- Services



# Introducing ...

- Integrated with Promega assays
- Multi-mode detection (Luminescence, Fluorescence, UV-Vis Absorbance, BRET, FRET, filtered luminescence)
- Easy to use: Plug-n-play setup
- Superior sensitivity, dynamic range, and cross-talk performance
- Integrated filter paddles for assay multiplexing
- 6 to 384-well plate formats
- Automation-friendly
- Tablet PC touchscreen control and wireless connectivity to network and Promega.com
- Electronic signature control for 21CFR Part 11
- IQ / OQ Service







# Integrated with Promega Assays



# The Perfect Partner for Promega Assays

Preloaded Promega protocols or customize your own

# Cell Signaling & Metabolism Assays:

#### Including:

- ADP-Glo™
- Kinase-Glo®
- P450-Glo™
- cAMP-Glo™

#### **Cell Health Assays:**

Including:

- CellTiter-Glo®
- CellTox™ Green
- Caspase-Glo<sup>®</sup>
- BacTiter-Glo®

#### **Luciferase Reporter**

**Assays:** Including:

- Nano-Glo®
- ONE-Glo™
- Dual-Glo® & DLR
- Bright-Glo™

#### **BRET and FRET**

**Assays:** Including:

- NanoBRET™
- Renilla/YFP
- Commercial and Homebrew assays

...plus many, many more

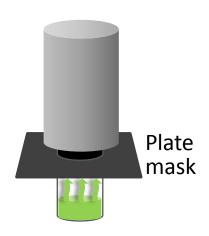






# **Built-In Detectors for each Module** -behaves like three separate instruments

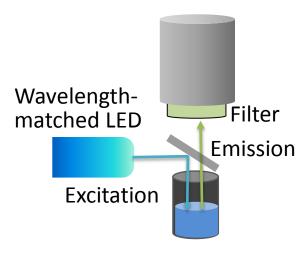
Head-on PMT for photon counting



Luminometer

Plate mask switching for 96/384well measurements

PiN-Photodiode



Filter slides for automatic filter switching

#### **Fluorometer**

Abs filters

- 3x10<sup>-21</sup> moles Luciferase sensitivity
- 9 logs dynamic range

- 2fmol/200ul fluorescein sensitivity
- 6 logs dynamic range

**Light Source** 

Filter

Xenon

**PMT** 

#### **Photometer**

Filter Wheel with UV-Vis

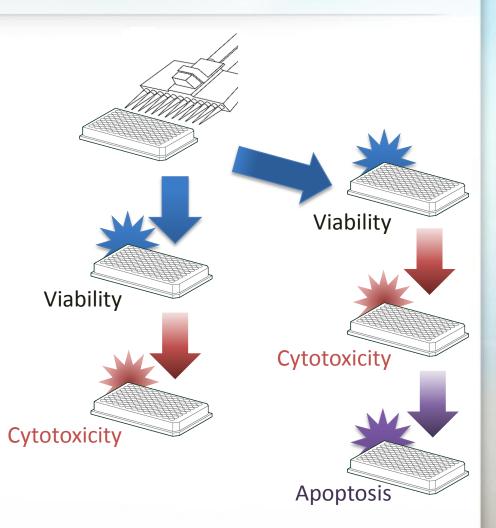
- 0.01 OD sensitivity
- 0-4 OD range



# Multiplex Assays for a More Complete Picture

- Automatic filter slides enable multiple reads without user intervention
- Intuitive software provides flexible and easy protocol design
- Easily perform BRET and FRET studies
- Customize filters for your needs







# Intuitive Software Makes it Easy

#### **Simple GUI Interface**

- Quick Start reads
- Select / Create Protocols
- View / Export Results
- User Settings

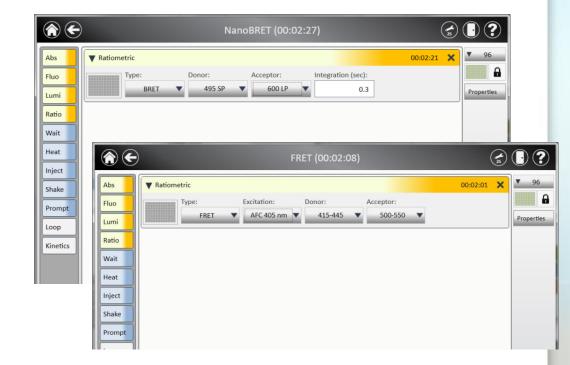




# Intuitive Software Makes it Easy

#### Flexible protocol-builder

- User customizable
- State-of-the-art touchscreen response
- Drag and drop navigation





# Intuitive Software Makes it Easy

#### **Data Portability**

- Network-ready
- Heat-map display
- Multi-touch pinch/zoom gestures
- Export to USB, microSD, network, LIMS, Cloud





# An Extensive List of Applications on Promega.com

# Application Notes: GloMax® Discover System



GloMax® Discover System

#### Bioassays

Measuring the ADCC Reporter Bioassay Complete Kit (WIL2-S) Signal on the GloMax® Discover System

#### Cell Health and Metabolism

Measuring the Output of the CytoTox-Fluor™
Cytotoxicity Assay on the GloMax® Discover System

Measuring the ONE-Glo + Tox Luciferase Reporter and Cell Viability Assay on the GloMax® Discover System

Measuring Cell Viability Using the CellTiter-Glo® Cell Viability Assay and GloMax® Discover System

Measuring P450-Glo™ Assays on the GloMax® Discover System

Measuring Bacterial Cell Viability Using the BacTiter-Glo™ Assay and GloMax® Discover System

Measuring Fluorescence Using the Apo-ONE® Homogeneous Caspase-3/7 Assay with the GloMax® Discover System

Measuring Fluorescence Using the CellTiter-Blue® Cell Viability Assay with the GloMax® Discover System

Measuring Fluorescence Using the ApoTox-Glo™

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# Using GloMax® Discover is Simple

1) Open door



4) Select wells



2) Add plate (note: A1)



5) Start read



3) Select protocol



6) Export results





#### To access the interior of the instrument:

- 1) Hold the door open
- 2) Use the Phillips screwdriver to unscrew the 2 screws (one at the left side, and one at the right side).

Note: Only a ¼ turn is necessary

3) Pull the front access panel off





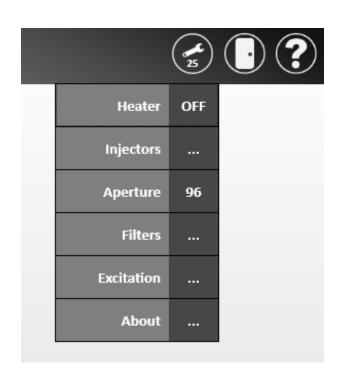




#### To change excitation filters, emission filters, or apertures:

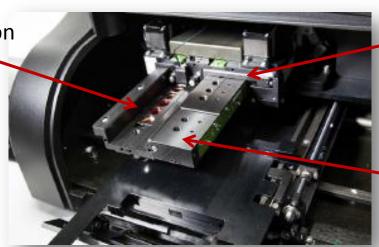
Touch the Tools icon at the top of the window and then the desired function

Follow the on-screen instructions





Luminescence Emission filters



Fluorescence Emission filters

Fluorescence Excitation modules

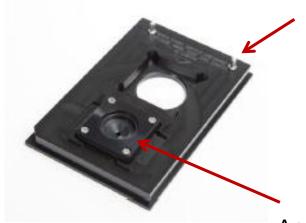




#### Semi-automated method for changing the internal aperture.

- 1. Follow the on-screen guide to change the aperture
- 2. Make sure to load the Aperture Plate correctly





Pins toward the back

Aperture screws facing upward



## Fluorescence Filters

5 Standard Excitation filters and 2 custom positions.

Empty Emission filter paddles for 6 customized positions are available as accessory

	Excitation Peak Wave length	Emission wave length	Assays
UV	365	415-445	Hoechst dye, 4-MU
Blue	475	500-550	EGFP, or hMGFP, DNA, RNA or protein quantitation dyes, QuantiFluor™, Fluorescein, Rhodamine-110
Green	525	580-640	Rhodamine, Cy®3, resorufin
Red	605	660-720	Cy®5, RNA quantitation dyes
AFC	405	495-505	Aminofluorocoumarin



#### **Absorbance Filters**

9 UV-Vis Absorbance filters are provided with the instrument

The wavelength just needs to be close, not exact. A 450nm filter is actually 445-455nm

**i.e.** Pierce 660 Reagent calls for a 660nm filter, but 600nm works great, that's 30nm off-peak

Filters (10nm bandpass)	Assays
230nm	Contaminants (Guanidine, Phenol, carbohydrates)
260nm	Nucleic Acid Quantitation
280nm	Protein Quantitation (Nucleic Acid Purity)
320nm	Background subtraction for Nucleic Acid/Protein Quantitation
405nm	Colorimetric Promega Assays (CaspACE)
450nm	ELISA Assays
490nm	Colorimetric Promega Assays (CellTiter 96/Aqueous/Aqueous ONE / CellTiter Blue)
560nm	BCA Protein Assays
600nm	Bradford Protein Assays Coomassie® Blue Protein Assays



## **Luminescence Filters**

# Luminescence Filters (standard)



Position	Filter wavelength	Assay
5	Empty (user configurab	ole)
4	530nm LP	Click Beetle Luciferase; BRET1
3	540nm SP	Firefly Luciferase; ChromaGlo
2	600nm LP	HaloTag
1	495nm SP	NanoLuc (NanoBRET), Renilla Luciferase

- All of the filters needed for NanoBRET™ are included
- No additional custom filters are needed for NanoBRET™

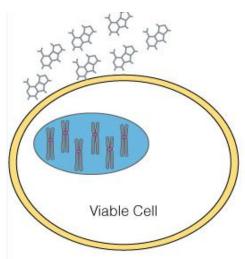


# Assay performance



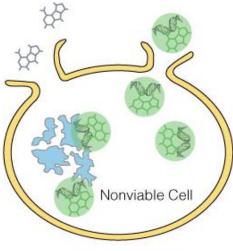
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- Measures changes in membrane integrity as a result of cell death
- Dye preferentially stains dead cell DNA
- Seamless multiplex with viability assay to provide mechanistic information related to cytotoxicity



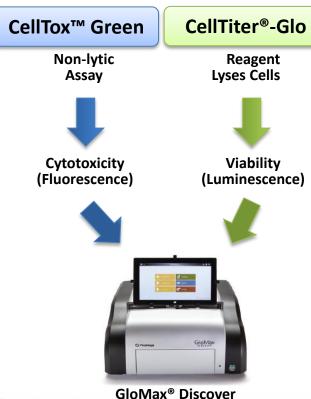
Low Fluorescence

Excluded dye yields <u>no increase</u> in fluorescence with viable cells



**High Fluorescence** 

Non-excluded dye yields <u>increase</u> in Fluorescence with compromised cells



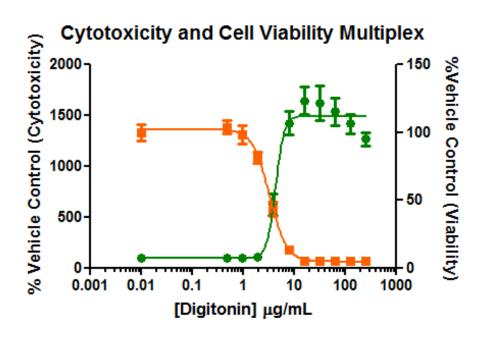
**Detection System** 



# CellTox™ Green for Real-Time Cytotoxicity

#### **Expected Results:**

- A dose-dependent effect on K562 cell viability. As digitonin concentration increase, so does cytotoxicity
- Luminescent ATP detection decreases due to decreased cell viability
- GloMax® Discover provides easy setup to multiplex Promega assays
- GloMax® Discover results provide expected biology



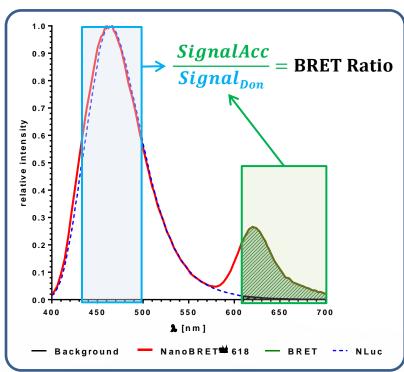
Cytotoxicity (CellTox<sup>™</sup> Green)
 Viability (CellTiter-Glo®)



# NanoBRET™ Technology for Protein Interactions

- BRET provides real time measurement in living cells
- Superior luminescent Donor signal from NanoLuc™
- Flexible choice of Donor/Acceptor Separation
- Low Donor/Acceptor ratios provides best dynamic range

# 450 nm BRET 450 nm 610 nm



#### NanoBRET™

**Express Donor and Acceptor protein fusions** 



Label Cells with HaloTag (Acceptor fusion)



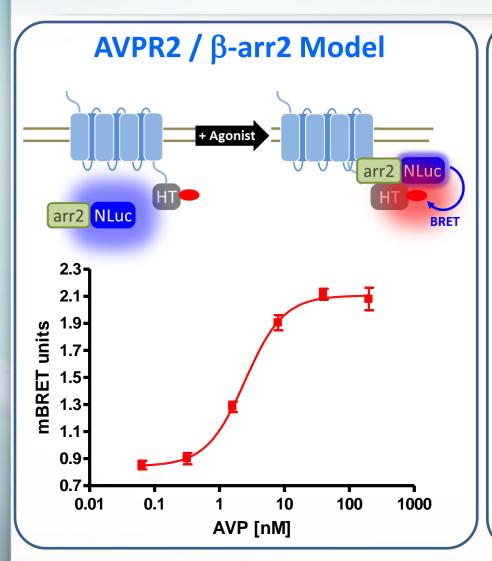
Induce interaction

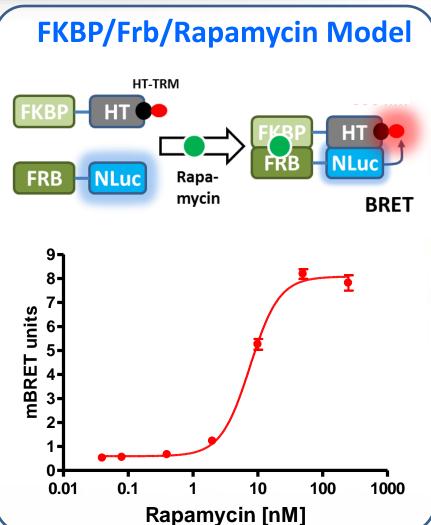


GloMax® Discover Detection System



# NanoBRET™ Application Examples

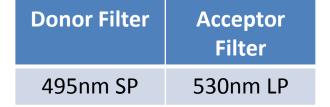


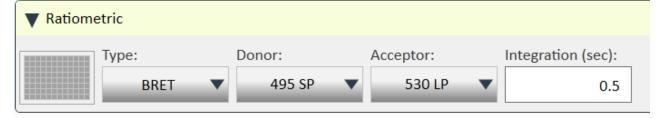




# Other BRET and Filtered Luminescence Assays

## Renilla / YFP





#### **Chroma-Glo**

1 <sup>st</sup> reading	2 <sup>nd</sup> reading	
600nm LP	540nm SP	

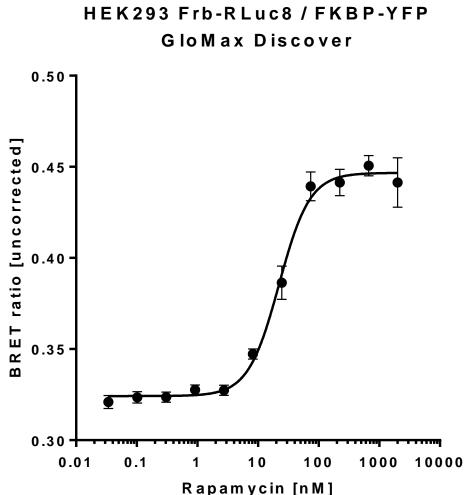




# BRET1: Frb-RLuc8 / FKBP-YFP

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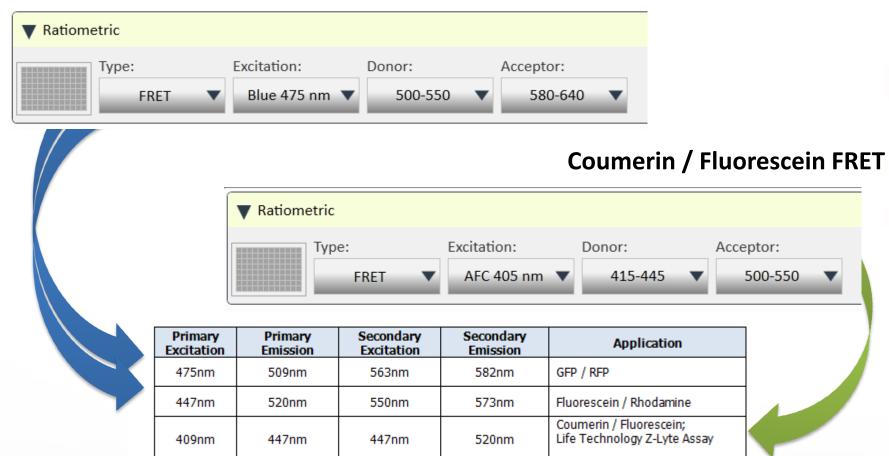
- HEK293 cells reverse transfected with expression constructs for Frb-RLuc8 and FKBP-YFP (ratio 1:4) using Fugene HD
- Cells were plated in white 96-well plates in DMEM.
- After 24 h medium was replaced with Optimem.
- Cells were treated with a serial dilution of Rapamycin for 15 minutes at 37C before Coelenterazine h was added to a final concentration of 20 uM.
- Plate was read in GloMax Discover using the following settings
- Donor filter 495 shortpass filter
- Acceptor filter 530 nm longpass filter
- 0.5 seconds integration time





# FRET Assays

# **GFP / RFP FRET Fluorescein / Rhodamine FRET**



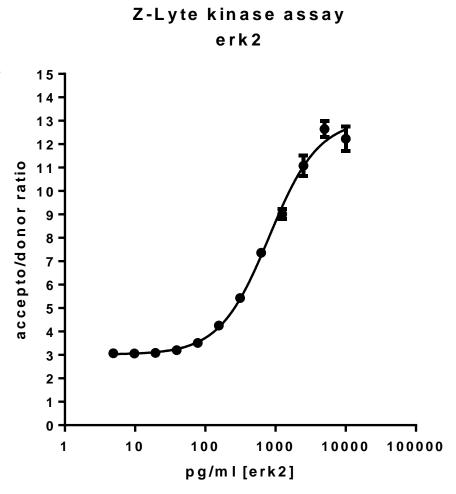


# FRET: Z-Lyte kinase assay for erk2 activity

#### **Experiment**

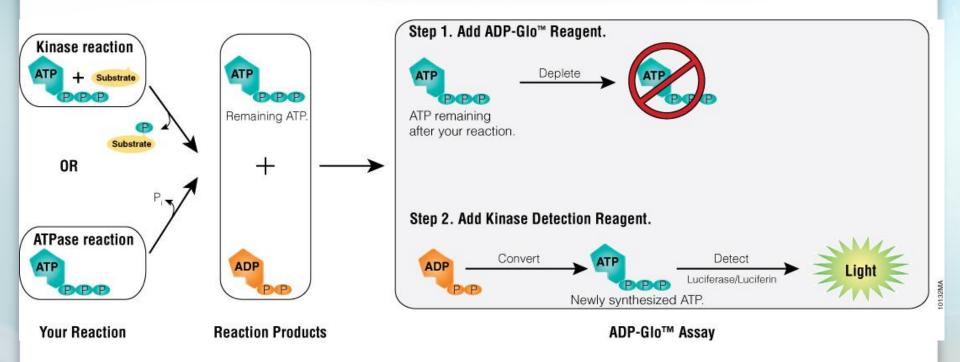
- Erk2 kinase activity was determined using the Z-Lyte Kinase assay (Life Technologies) according to manufacturers instructions
- ATP = 0.5 mM
- Activity measurement was taken in a GloMax Discover using the following filter settings

<b>Excitation:</b>	AFC 405 nm
Donor:	415-445
Acceptor:	500-550





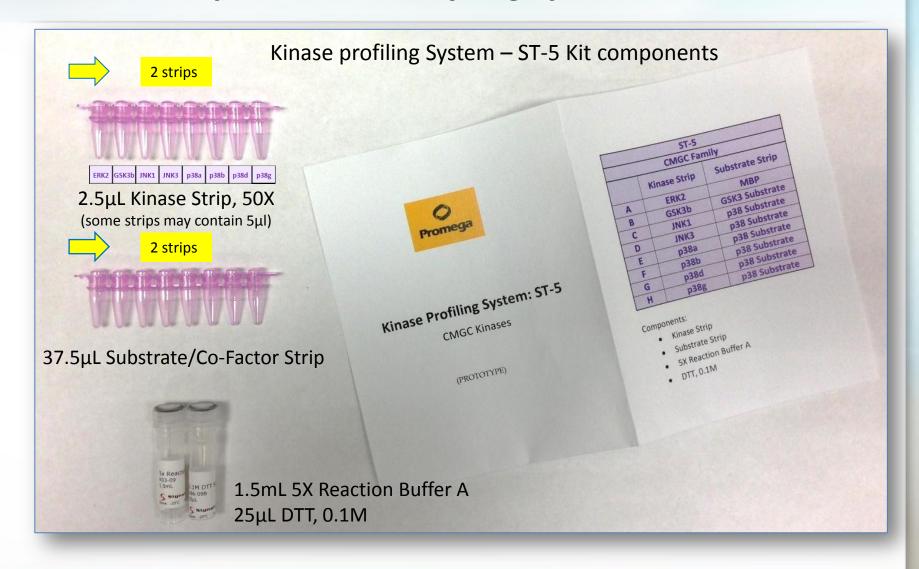
# ADP-Glo™ Assay and Kinase Profiling Systems



- Measures kinase activity in any purified kinase enzyme
- Direct correlation of kinase activity to luminescence output
- Sensitive and suitable for studying kinases in physiological conditions



# ADP-Glo™ Assay and Kinase Profiling Systems





# Kinase Selectivity Profiling

# 384-well plate

**5μl kinase reaction** 

+

**5μl ADP-Glo™ Reagent** 

40 min. Incubation

+

10µl Kinase Detection Reagent

30-60 min. Incubation

Log<sub>10</sub> [Gefitinib] nM

**Receptor Tyrosine Kinases** 

**Record Luminescence** 



# **Automation Integration**

#### **Demonstrated Integration with:**

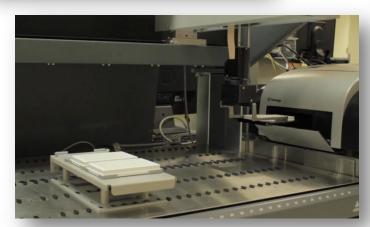
- Tecan Freedom EVO® liquid handler
- Hudson Robotics Solo™ liquid handler and PlateCraneEX™ robotic arm
- Additional platforms planned

3<sup>rd</sup> party software control of Discover

Data CSV format for **LIMS data** integration

**Integrator's Kit** (PDF command-line instructions)







# GloMax® Discover is Designed to be SiLA Compliant

# What is SiLA? (Standards in Laboratory Automation)

- A new industry standard to standardize
  - Device Control and Interfaces
  - Data Capture, Labware, etc.
- Avoids the need for custom software drivers when integrating devices





## GloMax® Discover SiLA Driver Available in 2014

#### **Demonstrated with Tecan EVOWare® 2.6**



Promega's SiLA Driver will be available in 2014

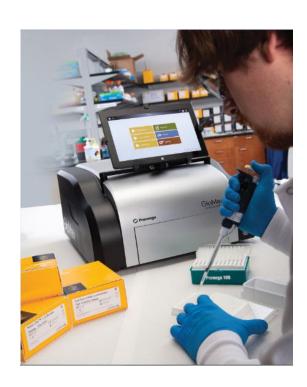


# GloMax® Discover

Integrated	Seamless workflow with Promega Cell and Reporter assays.
Performance	Broad dynamic range, high sensitivity, and low well-to-well cross-talk for more usable data from your experiment.
Easy-to-use	Simple Tablet PC touchscreen navigation with full PC capabilities and a state-of-the-art Graphical User Interface makes the workflow simple, smooth, yet flexibly. Auto-gain adjustment so end-users don't have to worry about it.
Connected to your Workflow	Stand-alone instrument or integrate with automation. Export data to your laboratory network, LIMS, or Cloud. 21CFR Part 11 electronic signature compliant as standard.



# **Additional information**



Request a free demo at www.promega.com/discover