

Cryopreservable Tissue Models for in vitro Applications

Time- and cost-efficient method for the generation of cryopreservable tissue models in standardized multiwell and microtiter plates

Your products & applications

- ▶ Gel embedded cells
- ▶ 3D tissue models
- ▶ *In vitro* assays with tissue/cells
- ▶ Metabolic & functional models
- ▶ Tumor models
- ▶ Drug screening
- ▶ Biological safety assessment
- ...and more

Your objectives as manufacturer & user

- ▶ Storekeeping of cell-based products
- ▶ Unlimited shipment of cell-based products
- ▶ Flexible usage of cell cultures & tissue models
- ▶ Low planning effort for in vitro tests
- ▶ No need for special qualifications and equipment
- ▶ Time and cost saving application

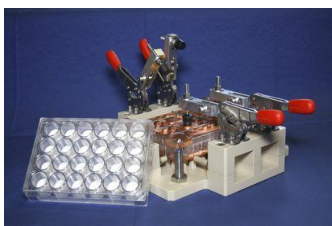
Your Benefits With Our Technology

😊 Modular and automatable technology for the efficient production of 3-dimensional tissue models and *in vitro* Assays

- ▶ Time and cost-saving manufacturing - no tissue culturing needed
- ▶ Production time per assay with 60 human tissue models <5 minutes
- ▶ Nutrient depot for up to 72 hours of assay cultivation after thawing
- ▶ Short product development cycles due to free combination of compatible modules (package, matrix, cell carrier gel, cryoprotocol & application protocol)

😊 Unlimited transport and storage (*Frozen Transport & Storage strategy*)

- ▶ Total replacement of toxic cryoprotectants by natural tissue components
- ▶ Efficient cryopreservation with our sophisticated *multiwell*RACK
- ▶ Unlimited transportation boxed on dry ice or in dry shippers
- ▶ At least 12 month of shelf life in standard ULT-lab freezers
- ▶ Proven 100% cell survival in solid tissue after thawing
- ▶ Highly resistant against transport damages and adverse storage conditions



ILK *multiwell*RACK for vital cryopreservation of multiwell and microtiter plates in standard LN₂ convection freezers

Application example - *in vitro* cytotoxicity assessment

Multiwell Assay for the Biological Safety Assessment of Solutes and Extracts with 60 Human 3D Gingiva Models

☺ Very simple application (RTU – Ready to Use strategy)

- ▶ 48 hours of revitalization without medium exchange & cell culture equipment
- ▶ Simple testing procedure - just add & measure directly on the assay plate
- ▶ No sterility needed during the whole application process
- ▶ Extremely robust against any kind of application errors



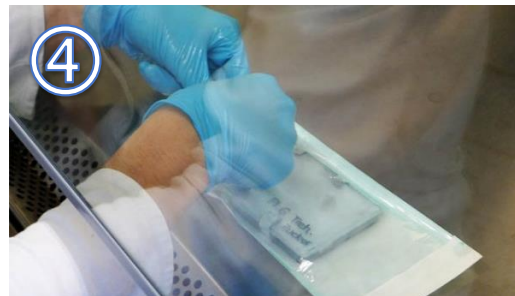
Automated manufacturing: combination of tailored components to the cryopreservable 3D tissue assay



Vital cryopreservation of the multiwell assay in a LN₂ convection freezer by use of our *multiwell*RACK



View to the cryopreserved assay with 60 humane 3D gingiva constructs at -55°C



Sterile packaging of the frozen assay plate for subsequent transport or storage



Thawing of the free floating assay for only 1 min in the water bath



Automated application and photometric evaluation of the *in vitro* toxicity test for 4 different drug concentrations by use of a plate reader with reagent injector (pipette - incubate - read)