

Product number: K9-3152
Product name: SeTau-488-NHS

General Data

Molecular Mass: 1642.73
1384.24 (protonated form)
Solubility: Water, Alcohol, DMF, DMSO, Acetonitrile
Insoluble: Hexane
Storage: Store in absence of light, desiccate and refrigerate

Description

- **Large Stokes shift**, highly stable and bright, water-soluble, **amine-reactive label** containing one NHS-ester group.
- Ideal for labeling **antibodies**, **proteins**, and other **amino-modified biomolecules**, including oligonucleotides.
- **Brighter** and **more photostable replacement** for **Cy3** and fluorescein-type labels such as **Alexa 488** and **Alexa 555**.
- Perfectly suited for **excitation with 480–490-nm** light sources.

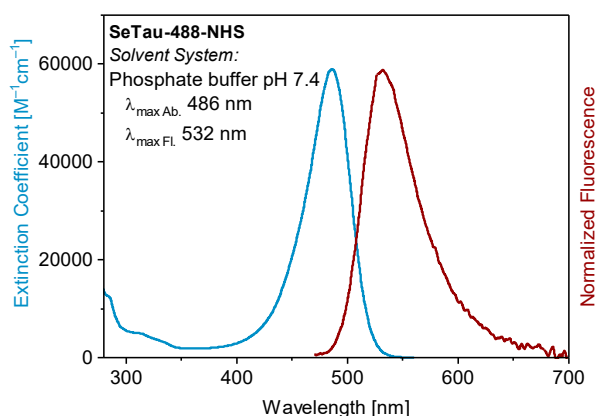
Advantages

- **Excellent chemical stability** against oxidation by peroxides and other reactive oxygen species (ROS).
- Significantly **higher photostability** compared to fluorescein-based dyes such as **FITC** (see below).
- **Large Stokes shift** of **~47 nm**, larger than **FITC** (30 nm, ex/em: 490/520) or **Alexa 488** (23 nm, ex/em: 494/517).

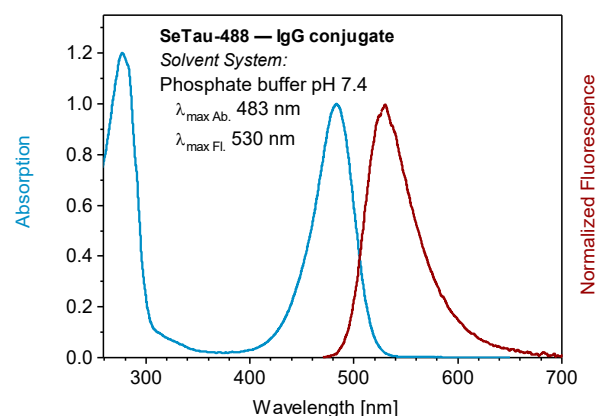
Spectral Data

Sample	Solvent System	Dye-to-protein Ratio	Absorption max. [nm]	Extinction Coefficient [M ⁻¹ cm ⁻¹]	Fluorescence max. [nm]	Quantum Yield* [%]	Fluorescence Lifetime at 25 °C [ns]
Free dye	PBS (pH 7.4)	—	486	59,000	532	27	1.2
IgG conjugate 1		1.0	484		529	66	2.4
IgG conjugate 2		2.0	484		530	61	2.3
IgG conjugate 3		5.0	483		530	52	2.2
IgG conjugate 4		10.0	483		530	46	1.8
BSA conjugate 1		1.0	480		526	45	
BSA conjugate 2		2.0	481		527	43	

* **Fluorescein** in 0.1N NaOH (QY = 92%) was used as the reference. $\lambda_{\text{Ex.}} = 450$ nm.



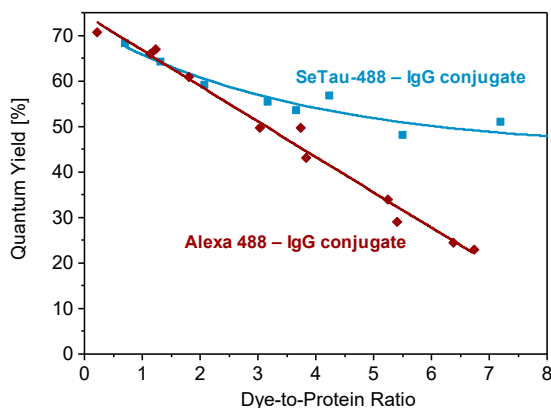
Absorption and emission spectrum of **SeTau-488-NHS** in PBS (pH 7.4)



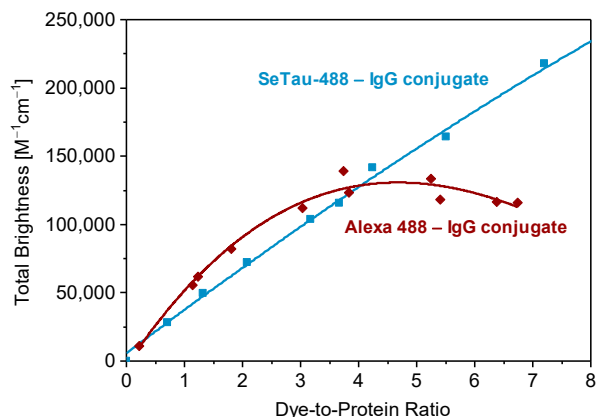
Absorption and emission spectrum of a **SeTau-488 — IgG conjugate** in PBS (pH 7.4) (Dye-to-protein ratio 3.7)

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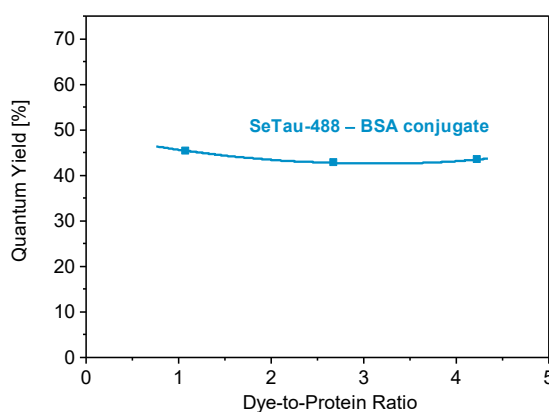
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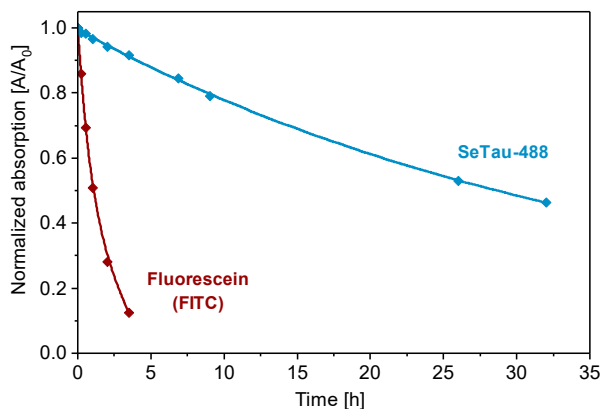
Fluorescence quantum yield vs. dye-to-protein ratio of **SeTau-488-IgG conjugates** in PBS (pH 7.4) as compared to **Alexa 488-IgG conjugates**



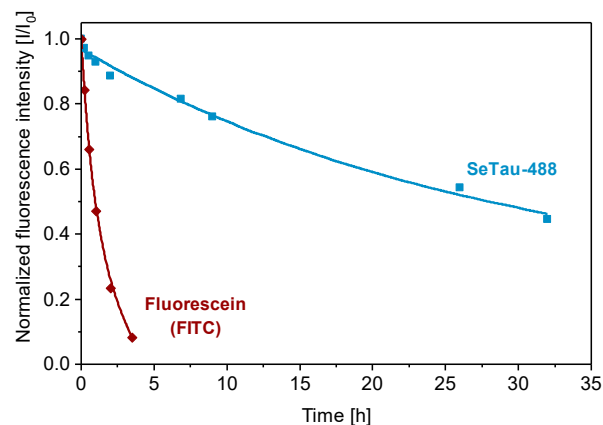
Total brightness ($QY \times \epsilon \times D/P$) vs. dye-to-protein ratio (D/P) of **SeTau-488-IgG conjugates** in PBS (pH 7.4) as compared to **Alexa 488-IgG conjugates**



Fluorescence quantum yield vs. dye-to-protein ratio of **SeTau-488-BSA conjugates** in PBS (pH 7.4)



Photostability. Decrease of the long-wavelength absorption of **SeTau-488-COOH** compared to **fluorescein** upon irradiation with a warm light LED (illuminance ~ 4,000 Lux)



Photostability. Decrease of fluorescence intensity of **SeTau-488-COOH** compared to **fluorescein** upon irradiation with a warm light LED (illuminance ~ 4,000 Lux)