

**DESCRIPTION**

Our Marking Dyes for Tissue are designed to perfect orientation of excised surgical specimens, which is highly beneficial to surgeons and pathologists testing for skin cancer. This method of marking multiple margins of specimens was originally documented by Dr. Frederic Mohs. Tissue marking dyes also provides a mode of identification, enabling more than one specimen to be processed in a single cassette, saving the lab technologist both time and materials.

**ADVANTAGES**

- Use tissue marking dye on specimens where the chance of malignancy is very small.
- Use to mark area of interest for microscopic analysis
- Use to orient tissue for ease of identifying target surface for embedding
- Appropriate for fresh and formalin fixed tissue
- No interference with analysis of routine or special staining procedures

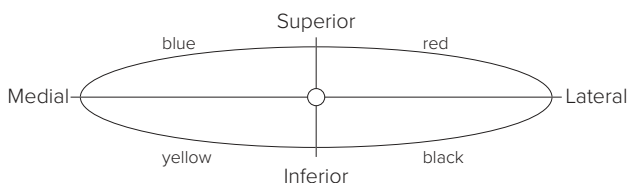


**NOTE**

- Dyes will bind permanently to the tissue surface within 1 to 2 minutes when allowed to air dry. (APPLY TO EXCISED SKIN/TISSUE ONLY; DYES ARE PERMANENT AND WILL CREATE A PERMANENT MARK ON SKIN IF APPLIED)
- Dyes tend to settle over time. For best results, shake dyes prior to use.
- Re-cap bottles after use to prevent evaporation.

**PROCEDURE**

1. Select tissue marking dye color. Shake before use.
2. Obtain tissue specimen.
3. Trim specimen into desired sections, if applicable.
4. Gently dry specimen by blotting or wiping any fluid from surface.
5. Apply small amount of marking dye to surface of excised specimen according to your specimen legend using the enclosed wooden sticks.



6. Allowed to air dry.
7. Proceed with processing procedure for fresh or frozen tissue.
8. Re-cap tissue marking dye bottle after use to prevent evaporation.

**ORDERING INFORMATION**

| Cat. # | Description                        | Sizes |
|--------|------------------------------------|-------|
| 7562   | Tissue Marking Dye - Jet Black     | 2oz   |
| 7563   | Tissue Marking Dye - Royal Blue    | 2oz   |
| 7564   | Tissue Marking Dye - Real Red      | 2oz   |
| 7565   | Tissue Marking Dye - Emerald Green | 2oz   |
| 7566   | Tissue Marking Dye - Golden Yellow | 2oz   |

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