

# 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent

Stem Cell Reagent

Cat. # SCM300

pack size: 50 ml

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NOT FOR HUMAN OR ANIMAL CONSUMPTION.

Store at room temp



Data Sheet

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## Background

Organoids are *in-vitro* derived 3D cell aggregates derived from primary tissue or stem cells that are capable of self-renewal, self-organization and exhibit organ functionality. Organoids address the limitations of existing 2D model systems by providing:

- **Similar composition and architecture to primary tissue:** Organoids harbor small population of self-renewing stem cells (such as intestinal crypt stem cells) that can differentiate into cells of all major cell lineages, with similar frequency as in physiological condition.
- **Relevant models of *in-vivo* conditions:** Organoids are more biologically relevant to any model system and are amenable to manipulate niche components and gene sequence.
- **Stable system for extended cultivation:** Organoids can be cryopreserved as biobanks and expanded indefinitely by leveraging self-renewal, differentiation capability of stem cell and intrinsic ability to self-organize.

The 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent is a proprietary chemically defined enzyme-free dissociation solution used to passage multiple organoids cell types. Due to its chemically defined nature, the reagent produces consistent organoid passaging results.

3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent can be used in combination with the 3dGRO™ R-Spondin-1 Conditioned Media Supplement (SCM104) to isolate and passage primary intestinal organoids from mice or in combination with the 3dGRO™ Human iPSC Derived Colon Organoid Expansion Medium (SCM304) to expand human iPSC derived colon organoids (SCC300).

## Storage

Store the 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent at room temperature. Aliquot into smaller working aliquots before use to avoid reagent contamination issues.

## Quality Control

Appearance: Clear, Liquid

Osmolality: 340-370 mOsm

Sterility Tested: No Growth/Pass

Endotoxin; <2 EU/ml

pH: 7.2-7.4

## Organoid Passaging Protocol

The following protocol may be used as a general guideline. Different organoid systems may require optimization of the incubation times.

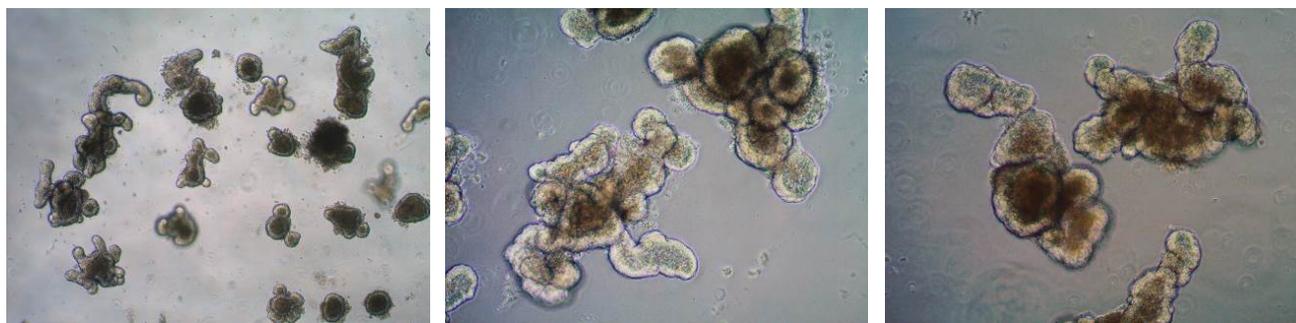
1. Count the number of organoids that are present in a dome. Based on the number of organoids counted, passage such that each new dome(s) will contain at least 50-100 organoids. Thus for example, if the total number of organoids counted is 100, then plan to passage into 2 new domes.
2. Aspirate the culture medium. Add 1 mL of 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent per well of a 24 well plate containing organoid dome(s). Using a p1000 pipet, pipet up and down 10 times to break up the organoid dome into smaller pieces. Transfer the dissociated organoid mixture to a 50 mL conical tube.
3. Rinse each well with 0.5 mL 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent. Combine the supernatant to the conical tube.
4. Gently rotate the conical tube for 10 min at room temperature. Add 20-30 mL DMEM/F12 or DMEM to dilute the 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent. Centrifuge at 500-650 $\times$ g for 5 min at 4°C.
5. Carefully aspirate the supernatant and leave around 100  $\mu$ L medium. **Note:** Do not aspirate all the way down to the pellet as you may inadvertently aspirate the smaller organoids.
6. Add 10 mL DMEM/F12 or DMEM and centrifuge at 700 $\times$ g for 5 min at 4°C.
7. Carefully aspirate the supernatant and leave around 50-100  $\mu$ L medium. Using a 20  $\mu$ L pipette tip, carefully remove the remaining supernatant.
8. Based on the number of organoids counted in step 1, resuspend the organoid pellet with a suitable amount of ice-cold growth factor reduced Matrigel (50  $\mu$ L/dome). **Note:** Each new dome should contain at least 50-100 organoids.
9. Gently pipet up and down 10-20 times. Avoid generating bubbles. Quickly aliquot 50  $\mu$ L of the organoid mixture to the center of a well in a new 24-well plate. Avoid bubbles.
7. Incubate the plate at 37°C for 10 min. Gently add 750  $\mu$ L of organoid medium to each well; avoid adding directly to the dome. 10  $\mu$ M ROCK inhibitor should be added to the culture medium for the first 2-3 days after each passage to enhance viability.
8. Change the medium every other day.
9. Passage every 7 days for mouse and 10-12 days for human intestinal and colon organoids. Initially, seed each dome to have 50-100 organoids. The split ratio may be adjusted at later passages based on the organoid system.

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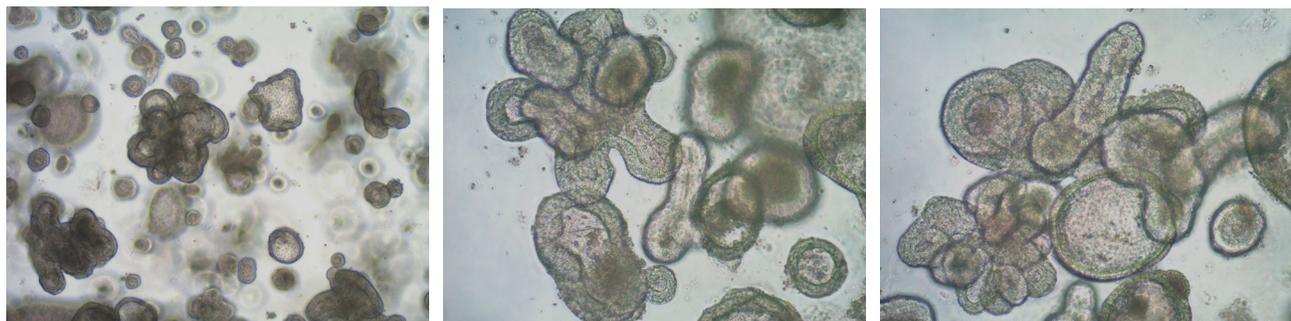
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**Figure 1.** The 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent allows for the efficient passaging of primary mouse intestinal organoids at high cell viabilities. Images represent day 10 post passaging in optimized organoid expansion media.



**Figure 2.** The 3dGRO™ Organoid Dissociation Reagent allows for the efficient passaging of human iPS derived colon organoids at high cell viabilities. Images represent day 10 post passaging in optimized organoid expansion media.

## Related Products

Product Description	Catalog Number
3dGRO™ Human iPSC Derived Colon Organoids	SCC300
3dGRO™ Human Colon Organoid Expansion Medium	SCM304
3dGRO™ R-Spondin-1 Conditioned Media Supplement, 10 mL	SCM104
3dGRO™ Organoid Freeze Medium	SCM301
Definitive Endoderm Induction Medium	SCM302
Hindgut Endoderm Induction Medium	SCM303
DMEM/F-12 PLUS Basal Medium, 500 ml	SCM162

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