

# MAGPIX<sup>®</sup> Customer Fact Sheet

# Welcome!

Thank you for your continued investment in Luminex. To aid your efforts, below are some tips and information that may help with successful operation of the product. For complete MAGPIX<sup>®</sup> information, please refer to the MAGPIX System User Manual.

## **Commonly Ordered Parts and Accessories**

#### Accessories

Description	Part Number
Heater Block for 96-Well Microtiter Plates	CN-0224-01
Sample Probe Height Adjustment Kit	CN-0263-01

#### **RUO**\*

Description	Part Number
MAGPIX <sup>®</sup> Drive Fluid (Qty 4)	MPXDF-4PK
MAGPIX® Drive Fluid PLUS (Qty 4)	40-50030
MAGPIX <sup>®</sup> Calibrator Kit	MPX-CAL-K25
MAGPIX® Performance Verification Kit	MPX-PVER-K25

#### IVD\*\*

Description	Part Number
MAGPIX <sup>®</sup> Drive Fluid (Qty 4)	MPXDF-4PK-1
MAGPIX® Drive Fluid PLUS (Qty 4)	Coming Soon
MAGPIX <sup>®</sup> Calibrator Kit	MPXIVD-CAL-K25
MAGPIX <sup>®</sup> Performance Verification Kit	MPXIVD-PVER-K25

#### **Spare Parts**

Description	Part Number
Twelve Month Preventative Maintenance Kit	CN-0287-01
Syringe, 500 μl Ball End	CN-0262-01
Air Filter, 4.5 x 4.5	CN-0257-01
Drive Fluid Filter	CN-0258-01
Sample to Valve Tubing Assembly	CN-0259-01
Sample Probe Needle	CN-0221-01
Waste Bottle Assembly	CN-0261-01



**Contact Luminex for pricing information.** 

# **Calibration and Verification Failure Causes**

### MPXCAL

- Incorrect target values
- Not enough drops were dispensed
- Incorrect wells selected
- Expired or improperly stored drive fluid or reagents
- Clogged probe or dirty chamber
- Use of other reagent in place of drive fluid
- Instrument idle for long period of time without proper cleaning

#### **MPXVER**

- Incorrect target values
- Not enough drops were dispensed
- Incorrect wells selected
- Expired or improperly stored drive fluid or reagents
- Clogged probe or dirty chamber
- Failing percent classification efficiency or percent total misclassification could indicate instrument needs cleaning



## MAGPIX<sup>®</sup> Calibration Kit



MAGPIX<sup>®</sup> Performance Verification Kit

### FL1 and FL2

- Not enough drops were dispensed
- Incorrect wells selected
- Probe height adjusted incorrectly
- Clogged probe or dirty chamber
- Internal component could be malfunctioning

## **Stringent Cleaning**

If you are experiencing the following issues, please reference the Enhanced Startup Routine.

- Low or no bead counts
- Calibration failure
- Dripping probe
- Bead shift
- Sample empty error
- Air in the syringe
- Clog

#### **Enhanced Startup Routine**

- 1. Open the Maintenance page, then open the Cmds & Routines tab.
- 2. Select Enhanced Startup Routine to run from the Routine Name list.
- 3. Click Eject on the system monitor.
- 4. Add the appropriate reagents to the plate, reservoirs, and well strips as indicated in the plate image and set the plate on the plate holder.
- 5. Click Retract.
- 6. Click Run. The Routine Message dialog box opens when the routine is complete.
- 7. Click OK.

The training video for this procedure is available by clicking on the link: MAGPIX

## Adjust the Sample Probe Height

Adjust the sample probe height to ensure that the probe drops far enough into the well to acquire sample.

#### Procedure

- 1. On the Home page, click **Probe and Heater** under **Daily Activities**. The Probe & Heater tab opens.
- 2. Use well **D6** (this is the center of a standard 96-well plate).
- 3. Ensure that the well location is selected on the plate image. A green pin marks the selected well.
- 4. Based on the type of plate you are using, place alignment disks or an alignment sphere in the well.
  - a. For a standard 96-well plate none
  - b. For a Filter-bottom plate two 5.08 mm disks
  - c. For a Mylar-bottom plate two 5.08 mm disks
  - d. For a conical (v-shaped) plate one sphere
- 5. Click **Eject** to eject the plate carrier.
- 6. Place the off-plate reagent block on the plate carrier. Make sure it is well-seated so that it clips into place.
- 7. Place a strip well (provided with the Calibration and the Performance Verification kit) in the off-plate reagent block.
- 8. In the **Strip Wells** section, click **SD1**.
- 9. Verify that the reservoir is empty.
- 10. In the Reservoir section, click well RB1.
- 11. Verify that the plate is not warped. Warped plates can lead to incorrect probe height adjustment.
- 12. Place the plate on the plate carrier with well A1 positioned as indicated on the plate carrier.
- 13. Click **Retract** to retract the plate carrier.
- 14. Type a name for the plate in the **Plate Name** box.
- 15. Click **Auto Adjust Height**. The probe automatically adjusts itself to the locations you selected. NOTE: The probe height is automatically set to 0.98 mm. The probe automatically adjusts this distance from the bottom of the plate, or calibration disks or spheres.
- 16. Click **Eject** to eject the plate holder. If you used alignment disks or spheres, remove them from the plate. *NOTE:* When you adjust and save the probe height settings for all three areas under a plate name, all areas retain the adjustment.

# **Obtaining Your License Key**

 Find the serial number located on the back of your instrument. To locate through your software, click on Maintenance > System Info.

**NOTE**: If the serial number is not listed, verify that the instrument is powered on and showing as connected in the xPONENT<sup>®</sup> software.

2. Locate the expired trial license key. (Example: ABC12-DEF34-GHJ56-KLM78-NPQ91-RST01-UVW23) NOTE: The license key will not include the letter I or the letter O.

Contact Luminex Support with both serial number and key at **support@luminexcorp.com** or by calling (877) 785-2323.

#### **Applying Your New License Key**

- 1. Access the Admin page, then the Licensing tab,
- 2. Click Licensing (bottom right corner of window).
- 3. Copy and paste the new key into the License Code field. The License File field remains blank.
- 4. Click **OK**. This closes xPONENT, applies the license, and restarts xPONENT.

If you have any issues with the new license, please contact Luminex Support at **support@luminexcorp.com** or by calling (877) 785-2323.

#### Don't forget to visit the Luminex Customer Center online at www.luminexcorp.com.

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- Knowledge articles
- Viewing order history
- Creating a case
- Checking order status
- Viewing videos for troubleshooting
- Registering and completing training

#### Visit our website and follow the steps below to get started:

- Hover over the Customer Center tab
- Click on Self-help Center
- Click Register



## Please print out a copy and keep next to your instrument for quick reference.



## For additional support, please visit: www.luminexcorp.com

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