SP5: Leica TCS SP5 II laser scanning confocal microscope on an inverted stand, PAA A033



Confocal system

- scanner
 - with 4 spectral detectors for fluorescence and 1 detector for transmitted light, 12-bit output
 - mostly software driven (LAS AF 2.7)
 - o conventional scanner: 5 fps at 512×512 pixels, max at 8192×8192 pixels
 - resonant scanner: 28 fps at 512×512 pixels, max at 1024×1024 pixels
 - o can do 4 simultaneous confocal scans and up to 16 between line or 32 between frame sequential scans
 - laser power can be modulated continuously
 - ROI scan, Mark & Find, tiling, FRAP & FRET Wizards
- lasers (wavelength in nm)
 - diode: 405
 - o Ar: 458, 476, 488, 514
 - DPSS: 561HeNe: 633
- beamsplitters (wavelength in nm)
 - RT 30/70: for reflective mode
 - substrate: plain glass
 - TD 488/561/633: 505–540, 570–615, 655–720 triple band pass
 - DD 458/514: 470–505, 530–570 double band pass
 - RSP 500: reflection shortpass 500
 - DD 488/561: 505–545, 580–740 double band pass
- analyser/blocking filters (wavelength in nm)
 - 488/561/633
 - o 458/514
 - polarizer

Microscope

Leica DMI6000: inverted, motorized XYZ stage with galvo insert (500 µm travel), infinity optics with epifluorescence (120 W mercury short-arc reflector lamp) and DIC, motorized objective and condenser turrets

- objectives
 - PL S-APO 5×, NA 0.15, WD 12.1 mm (can be installed on demand, DIC not available)
 - HC plan apo CS 10×, NA 0.4, WD 2.2 mm (DIC not installed but available on demand)
 - HC plan apo CS 20×, NA 0.7, WD 0.59 mm
 - HC plan apo CS 20× multi IMMersion, NA 0.7, WD 0.26 mm, correction collar for oil, glycerol, water, with or without coverglass
 - HC plan apo CS 40× oil, NA 1.25, WD 0.10 mm, aperture collar
 - HC plan apo CS 63× oil, NA 1.40, WD 0.10 mm, aperture collar
 - HC plan apo CS 63× water, NA 1.2, WD 0.22 mm, correction collar for cover glass thickness (0.14 mm to 0.18 mm)
- filter cubes for epifluorescent attachment
 - A: EX 340–380, DM 400, BA LP485
 - GFP ET: EX 450–490, DM 495, BA 500–550
 - DsR: EX 541–552, DM 560, BA 568–640
 - I3 (not installed): EX 450–490, DM 510, BA LP515
 - N21 (not installed): EX 515–560, DM 580, BA LP590