

## Your personal microarray dispenser

**iFOUR** instrument, a new "state of the art" dispensing system for R&D applications from M2-Instruments. **iFOUR** instrument allows anybody to get access to own microarray printer or microfluidic filling system with optional features for quality control of the dispensed solutions. NEXT GENERATION DISPENSING TECHNOLOGY



The **iFOUR** instrument is a ready to go instrument, made from sustainable materials with very handy dimensions. The cube of 50 cm is fitting to any workbench. Built in operational software InDot, head camera, pressure & vacuum units, temperature/ humidity sensor, liquid path AIR free and monitor/ mouse/ keyboard is a matter of course.

**iFOUR** instrument is equipped with the dispensers for dispensing in 30+pL, 20+nL to mL volume ranges and printing on different targets under controlled conditions.

> Configure your own iFOUR

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## INTUITIVE USER INTERFACE

The **iFOUR** instrumens is equipped with the InDot operative software. The software is image based, self-explanatory, reflects the deck layout and enables user friendly operations. Key features such as target lay-outs, array formatting, reagent and volume setting are, of course, included.

. Status of the system reflected in one screen;

. Target and substrate designer within a few clicks;

. Drag & drop programming of the wash designer;





- DNA / protein / cell microarrays
- Multiplex ELISA
- Lateral Flow applications
- Cell transfection arrays
- Diagnostic biochips, Lab-on-a-Chip
- Diagnostic biomarker and microbiology assays on multiple substrate (slide, MTP, NC membrane)
- Drug discovery: small volume GPCR assays, immunoassays
- Compound library screening
- Biological screening
- Spotting to custom-specific substrates and formats
- Biosensors

# **TECHNICAL DATA**

### Capacity:

**iFOUR™** - 16 slides / 2 MTPs with 3x8 well strip source holder. Alternative 1x planar target holder for wafer, membranes up to 175x200mm.

### Source formats:

96-, 384-MTPs or 24 wells from 3x8 holder or PDMD cartridge (dispensing from 2-20 mL vial) or M2MD BD Bulk (dispensing from 2-20 mL vial).

## Microdispensers:

**Piezo Driven Micro-Dispenser (PDMD)** 30 pL to 300 pL per droplet; c.v. < 2 %; max. frequency 1000 Hz, additional pump needed;

#### M2-Micro-Dispenser (M2MD)

10 nL to mL; c.v. < 2 %; max. frequency 10-250 Hz, the pressure / vacuum unit is included in the MDC, additional pump can be added;

## **Dispense modes:**

aspirate; dispense; dispense out of large volume source vials; re-suspend samples

**Resolution** <= 1 µm

**Repeated Positioning accuracy** in XY directions <= 10 μm

Position per second: 3-5

Spottable area:

with source 3x8: X175, Y200 with source MTP: X130, Y200

## **Dimensions:**

**weight:** 50 kg **W** 50 cm, **D** 50 cm, **H** 50 cm (bench top model)\*

## Available options:

- Humidity control
- Syringe Pump for Aspirate/Dispense mode
- Wide dispense range
- Vacuum table
- Planar Target holder

\*the sizes are approximate