

# Tissue Marking Dyes

Applications involve the permanent marking and orientation of surgical and MOHs procedure tissue margins. Other uses include identification of multiple tissues in a cassette.

## Instructions For Use:

1. Shake the bottle of Tissue Marking Dye before use.
2. For fresh, unfixed tissue, apply the dye directly to the desired position on the tissue with an applicator stick.
3. For fixed tissue, gently blot or wipe fluids from the tissue surface and apply the dye to the desired position on the tissue with an applicator stick.
4. Allow 30 seconds to 1 minute for dyes to permanently bind to the tissue surface.
5. Recap the bottle after use to prevent evaporation.
6. Proceed with intended fixation and tissue processing procedures.

## Note:

- No post-fixation is required.
- Dyes will maintain brilliant color and identification throughout entire tissue processing sequence and freezing in a cryostat.
- Tissue Marking Dyes are fast drying and completely adhere to tissue surfaces.
- Only small amounts of dye are necessary for effective marking.
- Never apply the dyes to a living patient.
- The Tissue Marking Dyes are ready to use and no dilution is necessary.

## Available colors:

Black (ESTMD-2BK for 2 oz., ESTMD-8BK for 8 oz.)

Blue (ESTMD-2B for 2 oz., ESTMD-8B for 8 oz.)

Green (ESTMD-2GN for 2 oz., ESTMD-8GN for 8 oz.)

Orange (ESTMD-2O for 2 oz., ESTMD-8O for 8 oz.)

Red (ESTMD-2R for 2 oz., ESTMD-8R for 8 oz.)

Yellow (ESTMD-2Y for 2 oz., ESTMD-8Y for 8 oz.)

Violet (ESTMD-2V for 2 oz., ESTMD-8V for 8 oz.)

Kit: one of each color of 2 oz. dyes, applicator sticks, and one base