# **BD Horizon Brilliant™ Violet 421 Analyte Specific Reagents** Violet Laser Reagents

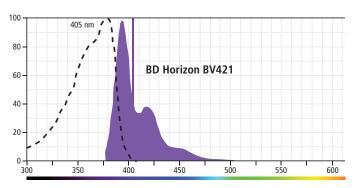
#### **Features**

Expands panel design options with PE-level brightness from a violet laser

Enables excellent resolution of dim populations

Supports multiplexing with other BD analyte specific reagents (ASRs)

Developed using Nobel Prize winning chemistry



Wavelength (nm)

Figure 1. Absorption and emission spectra
Excitation maximum: 405 nm. emission maximum: 421 nm. Filter: 450/50-nm.

Resolut	BD Horizon BV421 Brightness Relative to				
Specificity (Clone)	BD Horizon BV421	PE	BD Horizon V450	PE	BD Horizon V450
CD3 (SK7)	801	376	84	2.13	9.55
CD4 (SK3)	402	312	82	1.29	4.92
CD5 (L17F12)	213	207	72	1.03	2.95
CD19 (SJ25C1)	227	124	46	1.84	4.91
CD38 (HB7)	38	30	12	1.26	3.17
Average	336	210	59	1.51	5.10

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Table 1.} & BD & Horizon BV421 & exhibits a stain index similar to or larger than PE and significantly larger than BD & Horizon V450 \\ \end{tabular}$ 

Stain Index comparison. Lysed whole blood stained with BD Horizon BV421, PE, and BD Horizon V450. All conjugates were run at optimal concentrations on a BD FACSCanto™ system, 10-color configuration. For illustrative purposes. Performance may vary based on instrument and other factors.

### BD Horizon Brilliant Violet 421 maximizes choice and flexibility for multicolor panel design

One of the brightest dyes offered by BD Biosciences, BD Horizon Brilliant<sup>TM</sup> Violet 421 (BV421), is particularly useful in multicolor applications where it can be used to better resolve dim populations. Now available as ASRs, the dye offers new options for multicolor panel design through the use of a violet laser. Additionally, the dye's spillover properties, stability under light and in standard buffers, and compatibility with blood collection tubes offer ease-of-use for a range of applications.

#### Very bright dye for a violet laser

BD Horizon BV421 is a polymer-based dye developed using Nobel Prize winning chemistry that provides a strong fluorescence signal needed to resolve dim populations. This polymer technology combines the ease-of-use of a traditional organic dye with the brightness of phycoerythrin (PE) for a violet laser. With a maximum excitation of 405 nm and an emission peak at 421 nm (Figure 1), BD Horizon BV421 can be used on flow cytometers equipped with a violet laser and appropriate filters, such as the 8-color (4-2-2 configuration) or 10-color BD FACSCanto<sup>TM</sup> System\*. A brighter alternative to BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 (Table 1), the dye enables improved resolution (Figure 2), helpful for dim population identification.

#### Compatible with multiplexing for multicolor flexibility

BD Horizon BV421 ASRs exhibit low spillover into the primary adjacent channel, making it easier to incorporate them into multicolor experiments (Table 2). Additionally, they are compatible in combination with ASRs offered on BD's other dyes, supporting multicolor experiments\*\*.

#### Stable for a range of workflows

BD Horizon BV421 ASRs are stable in ambient light for at least 24 hours and also stable at room temperature for at least 24 hours following whole blood staining and fixation with 1% paraformaldehyde. Additionally, they are able to be used with common buffers and other fixatives for cell surface staining, expanding options for staining protocols. This, combined with their compatibility with both EDTA and heparin blood collection tubes, offers ease-of-use for a range of laboratory protocols.



<sup>\*</sup> Seven- to ten-color assays are for Research Use Only.

<sup>\*\*</sup> If two or more BD Horizon Brilliant dyes are combined in the same multicolor staining cocktail, the dyes may interact with each other without the use of a buffering solution, such as the BD Horizon™ Brilliant Stain Buffer.

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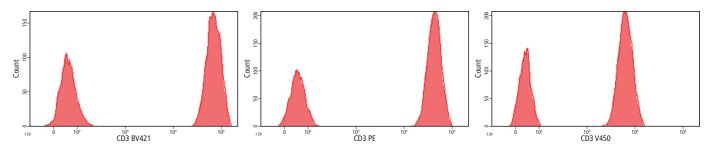


Figure 2. BD Horizon BV421 stained cells demonstrate similar resolution to the positive population compared to cells stained with PE, and better resolution compared to cells stained with BD Horizon V450

Lysed whole blood stained with BD Horizon BV421, PE, and BD Horizon V450 conjugated to CD3 (SK7) gated on lymphocytes on a BD FACSCanto™ system, 10-color configuration.

Specificity (Clone)	Spillover (% spillover into BD Horizon V500-C)
CD3 (SK7)	6.3
CD4 (SK3)	6.2
CD5 (L17F12)	6.2
CD19 (SJ25C1)	6.0
CD38 (HB7)	6.2
Average	6.2

**Table 2.** Across specificities, BD Horizon BV421 spillover values are low into the primary adjacent channel

Percent spillover into the BD Horizon V500-C channel of lysed whole blood stained with CD3, CD4, CD5, CD19, and CD38 BD Horizon BV421 on a BD FACSCanto™ system, 10-color configuration.

#### **BD Horizon Brilliant Violet 421 Analyte Specific Reagents**

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Description	React.	Clone	Isotype	Size	Cat.No.					
CD3	Hu	SK7	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659448					
CD4	Hu	SK3	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659476					
CD5	Hu	L17F12	Ms IgG <sub>2a</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659479					
CD10	Hu	HI10a	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659449					
CD14	Hu	МФР9	Ms IgG <sub>2b</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659450					
CD19	Hu	SJ25C1	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659477					
CD20	Hu	L27	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659451					
CD38	Hu	HB7	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659478					
CD56	Hu	NCAM16.2	Ms IgG <sub>2b</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659452					
Mouse IgG1 Isotype Reagent	Hu	X40	Ms IgG <sub>1</sub> , κ	100 Tests	659453					

