

# Background information

## Application of light-up aptamers in imaging & analysis of coding and non-coding RNA

RNA target	Application	Aptamer/Dye combination	Ref.
<b>mRNA</b>	Live cell imaging ( <i>E. coli</i> ) of specific endogenous mRNA	Spinach derivative / DFHBI	[1]
	Live cell imaging (mammalian cells) of specific endogenous mRNA	Broccoli & Spinach derivatives / DFHBI-1T	[2]
<b>lncRNA</b>	Live cell imaging (mammalian cells) of aptamer-tagged lncRNA	Broccoli derivative/DFHBI-1T	[3]
<b>miRNA</b>	miRNA detection <i>in vitro</i>	Spinach derivative/DHFBI	[4]
		Spinach derivatives/DHFBI-1T	[5]
<b>snoRNA</b>	Live cell imaging (yeast) of aptamer-tagged snoRNA	Broccoli derivative/DHFBI-1T	[6]
<b>tRNA</b>	Live cell imaging ( <i>E.coli</i> ) of ribosome activity	Spinach derivative/DFHBI	[7]
<b>snoRNA/tRNA/ 5S RNA</b>	Live cell imaging (mammalian cells) and quantification of transcription	Corn/DFHO	[8]

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