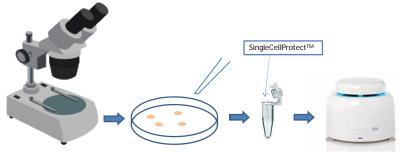
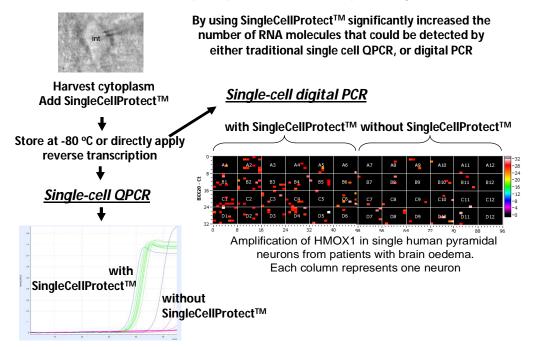


## SingleCellProtect<sup>TM</sup> Single Cell Stabilizing Solution

SingleCellProtect<sup>™</sup> (Cat# SCP-50, SCP-250) solution is an aqueous, nontoxic reagent that induces cell lysis, stabilizes and protects cellular RNA and DNA. It is compatible with reverse transcription, ligation, DNA polymerase reactions, therefore the application of SingleCellProtect<sup>™</sup> is highly recommended for single cell genomics technologies (single cell PCR, next generation sequencing, library preparation, multiplex PCR analysis, etc.).



Protocol for single cell QPCR from cell culture: Centrifuge 100-2,000 cells in 1 ml PBS for 5 min with 3 000 rpm. Discard supernatant and resuspend pellet in 0.2-1 ml FBS free culture medium. Place some drops on a Petri dish cover and gather individual cells under a microscope and transfer each to a PCR tube in 2  $\mu$ l volume. Add 0.2  $\mu$ l 10x **SingleCellProtect**<sup>TM</sup> to the tube. Keep samples on ice for further processing or store individual cells at -80 °C.



**Protocol for patch-clamped cells:** at the end of the recording, aspirate the intracellular content into the recording pipette by application of a gentle negative pressure while maintaining the tight seal. Delicately remove the pipette to allow outside-out patch formation. Expell the content of the pipette (2  $\mu$ l artificial cerebrospinal fluid containing 1x **SingleCellProtect**<sup>TM</sup>) into a low-adsorbtion test tube. Snap-froze the sample in liquid nitrogen and store at -80 °C or immediately use for reverse transcription.