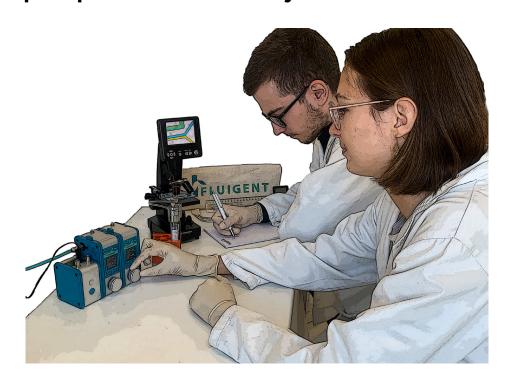


# EDUCATIONAL PACKAGES

The Fluigent **Educational Packages** provide a **broad introduction to microfluidics** and its applications by familiarizing the user with general **microfluidic principles** and **microfluidic systems**.



## DESIGNED TO OFFER A PERFECT LEARNING EXPERIENCE

- •Complete microfluidic setup for starting experiments
- •Flexible offer with 4 packages available
- Up to 4 hours practical work with solutions
- •A handbook for an overview on microfluidics

These **ready-to-teach packages** are specifically handy for professors and teachers.

### DESCRIPTION

4 Educational Packages are available depending on the type of learning:

#### **Educational Package - First level - Co-flow**

A beginner package to discover microfluidics by experimenting visually a pillar concept of microfluidics: laminar flows.

Suited for: biologists, (bio)engineers, chemists, but also for high schools with scientific program.

1 hour guided experiments.

#### **Educational Package - First level - Resistance**

Master and take advantage of one powerful tool for optimizing your microfluidic experiments: the hydrodynamic resistance. Suited for: physicists, (bio)engineer and fresh microfluidic users 1 hour guided experiments.

### **Educational Package - Second level - Co-flow & Resistance**

Co-flow and resistance in a all in one package for a first overview on microfluidics.

Suited for: (bio)engineers, physicists, chemists

2 hours guided experiments.

### Educational Package - Full course - Co-flow, Resistance, Droplets

Get the most complete overview, with experiments pushed to real-world applications: droplet generation.

Suited for: (bio)engineers, chemical engineering, physicists, biologists and researchers

4 hours guided experiments

Content from the Co Flow & Resistance Package.

Each package comes with a **specific and complete microfluidic setup**, a **theoretical handbook** on microfluidics, **practical works** with solutions, and **accessories**.

#### The theoretical handbook

The handbook is a **4 hours theory manual** that allows to give **an overview of microfluidic principles**, and introduces the **main concepts of microfluidics**. It is common to all Educational Packages.

Introduction to microfluidics: History - applications

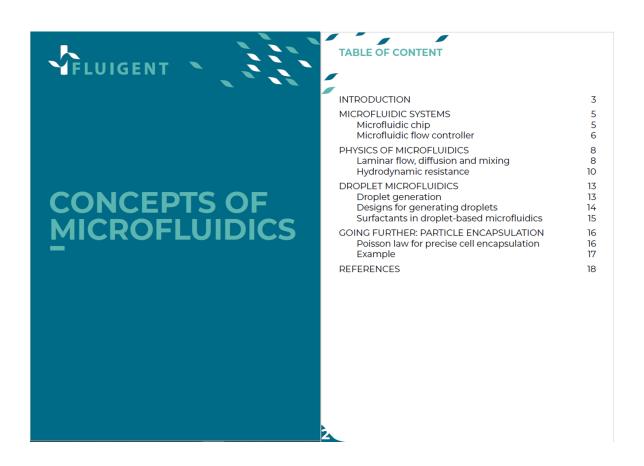
Microfluidic systems: Microfluidic chips - Flow controllers

Laminar flow: Laminar flow and diffusion definitions & theory - Mixing in microfluidics

**Hydrodynamic resistance:** Definition & Theory - Hydraulic-electric analogy

**Droplet microfluidics:** Droplet generation physics - Designs for generating droplets - Surfactants - Particle(s) encapsulation

**Going further: particle encapsulation:** Poisson law for precise cell encapsulation - Example



### PACKAGES CONTENT

	First level - Co-flow	First level - Resistance	Second level - Co-flow & Resistance	Full course - Co-flow, Resistance, Droplets
Theoretical Handbook	<b>✓</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>&gt;</b>
Accessories	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
A-I-O Control software	_	-	_	<b>✓</b>
Digital microscope	~	_	~	<b>~</b>
Co-flow microfluidic setup	<b>✓</b>	-	~	<b>✓</b>
Resistance microfluidic setup	_	<b>~</b>	~	<b>~</b>
Droplet microfluidic setup	_	-	_	<b>~</b>
Experiments duration	1 hour	1 hour	2 hours	4 hours

### DETAILED CONTENTS

#### **Educational Package - First level - Co-flow**

ref: SEDUC-COFLOW

#### Content

1\* LineUP SUPPLY KIT

2\* Flow EZ 1000 mbar

2\* PCAP 15 mL

3\*Co-flow chip

1\* tubing & fitting kit

1\* Microscope with SD memory card

1\* dye solutions

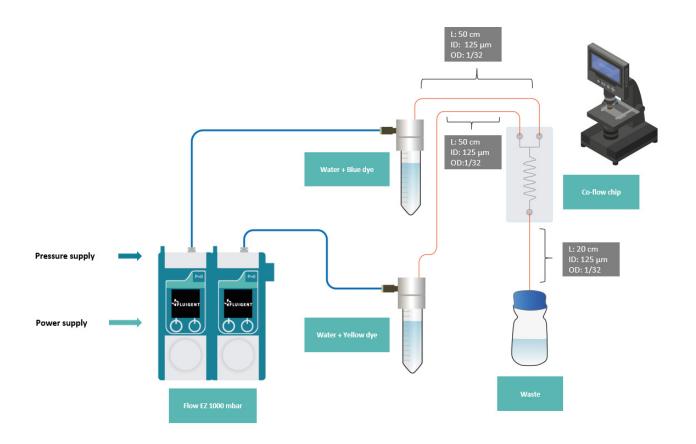
1\* Printed Handbook

1\*Exp. Leaflet Co-flow

1\*Accessories (tubing cutter, pen, notebook, counter, ruler ...)



#### **Set-up overview**



#### **Educational Package - First level - Resistance**

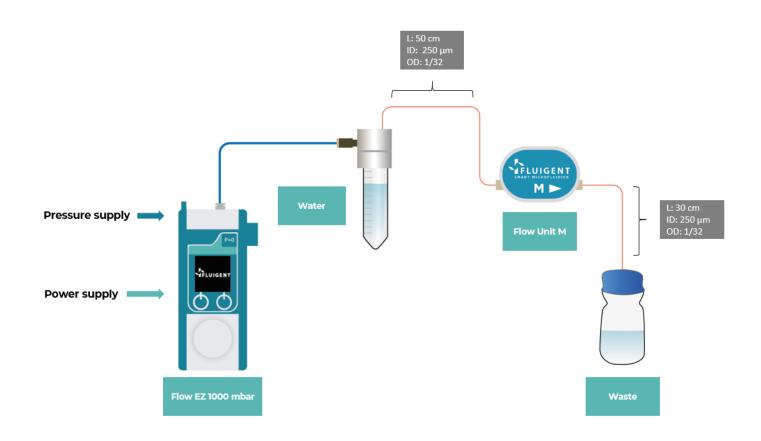
ref: SEDUC-RESIST

#### Content

- 1\* LineUP SUPPLY KIT
- 1\* Flow EZ 1000 mbar
- 1\* PCAP 15 mL
- 1\* Flow unit M
- 1\* tubing & fitting kit
- 1\* Printed handbook
- 1\* dye solutions
- 1\*Exp. Leaflet Resistance
- 1\*Accessories (tubing cutter, pen, notebook, counter, ruler ...)



#### **Set-up overview**



### **Educational Package - Second level - Co-flow & Resistance**

ref: SEDUC-RESITCOFL

#### Content

1\* LineUP SUPPLY KIT

2\* Flow EZ 1000 mbar

1\* Flow unit M

2\* PCAP 15 mL

3\*Co-flow chip

1\* tubing & fitting kit

1\*Microscope with SD memory card

1\*dye solution

1\* Printed handbook

1\*Exp. Leaflet Resistance

1\*Exp. Leaflet Co-flow

1\*Accessories (tubing cutter, pen, notebook, counter, ruler ...)



Please refer to the Co-flow and Resistance Packages for the setup overviews.

### **Educational Package - Full course - Co-flow, Resistance, Droplets**

refW: SEDUC-DROPLET

#### Content

1\*LineUP SUPPLY KIT

1\*LINK

2\*Flow EZ 1000 mbar

2\*Flow unit M

2\* PCAP 15 mL

3\*Co-flow chip

3\*EZ Drop chip

1\* tubing & fitting kit

1\*Microscope with SD memory card

1\*dye solutions

1\*dSurf 2% 12 mL

1\*d0il 120 mL

1\*microbeads bottle

1\*A-I-O Software - PC connection

1\* Printed handbook

1\*Exp. Leaflet Co-flow

1\*Exp. Leaflet Resistance

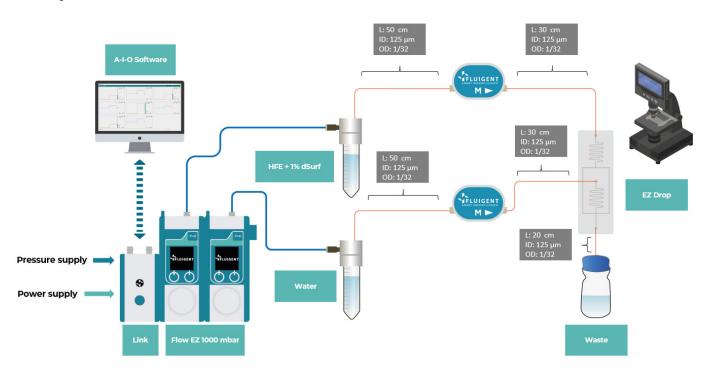
1\*Exp. Leaflet Droplet

Accessories (tubing cutter, pen, notebook,

counter, ruler ...)



#### **Set-up overview**



### SETTING-UP

Please refer to the Experimental leaflet specific to each package.

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Flow control	
Pressure controllers*	Fluigent Flow EZ™ (1000 mbar)
Flow sensors*	Fluigent FLOW UNIT M

<sup>\*</sup>Please visit www.fluigent.com for additional information

Droplet production**		
Dispersed phase	Distilled water	
Continuous phase	<b>dSurf</b> (2% in 3M™ Novec™ 7500 fluorinated oil)	
Droplet size range	15 μm to 100 μm diameter	
Generation rate (frequency)	Up to 1 200 Hz	
Coefficient of variation (CV)	2%	

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please visit www.fluigent.com for additional information

Fluid mixing	
Solution 1	Blue dye
Solution 2	Yellow dye

Imaging	
Microscope	BRESSER LCD Student Microscope 8.9cm (3.5")

Software	
Live control	Fluigent A-i-O