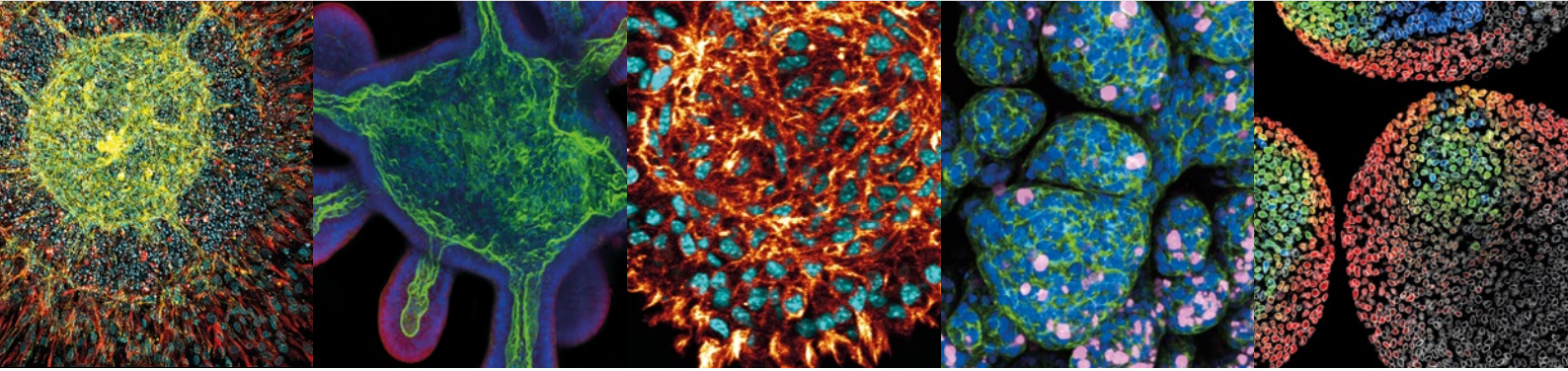


# Advanced 3D Cell Culture Solutions

Easy-to-Use and Microscopy-Optimized



High-Content Imaging

Matrix

Organoids

Spheroids

Invasion

Scaffolds

## 3D Culture

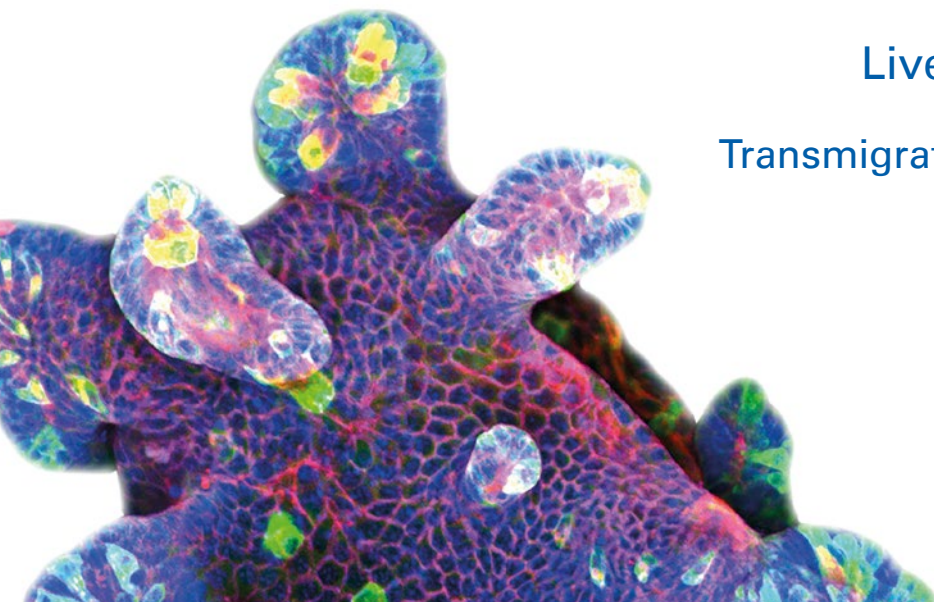
Static and Dynamic  
Cell Culture

Tumor Models

Hydrogel

Live Cell Imaging

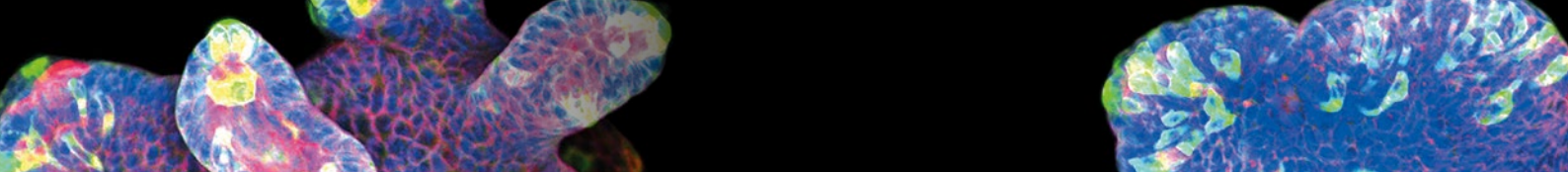
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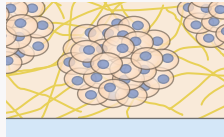
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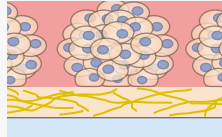


## Scaffold-Based

Hydrogel- or scaffold-based systems provide a 3D microenvironment that closely mimics *in vivo* tissue conditions by structural and biochemical support.



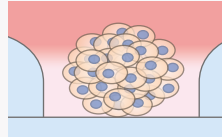
3D gel matrix or scaffold



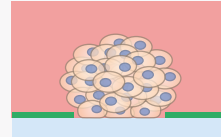
3D gel surface

## Scaffold-Free

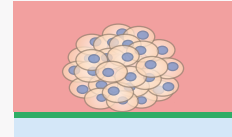
Cells self-assemble into 3D structures without the need for external scaffolds or hydrogels—simple to use, highly reproducible, and ideal for imaging and assay-based analysis.



Microwells with a Bioinert (ULA) surface



Micropatterns: confined adhesive spots

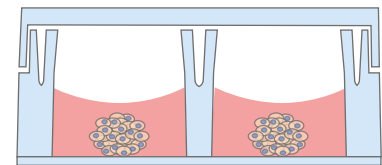


Bioinert (ULA) surface

## Static 3D Cell Culture

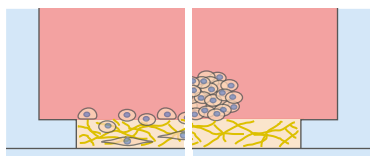
Moving beyond traditional 2D culture, 3D aggregates create more realistic *in vitro* models that closely mimic *in vivo* conditions. They enable the study of complex cell–cell and cell–matrix interactions in a physiologically relevant 3D environment. ibidi offers a range of specialized 3D cell culture labware, optimized for creating 3D models across a wide variety of research applications.

## Open Well Formats



### Flat Gel Surfaces for 3D and Angiogenesis

- Well-in-a-well technology creates flat, meniscus-free gels; cells are positioned within a narrow focal plane
- Cost-effective minimal gel usage (only 10  $\mu$ l per well)
- Multiwell labware formats ideal for high throughput and standardized workflows

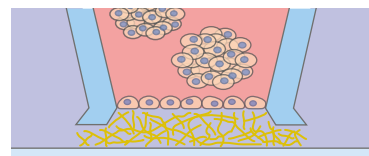


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### 3D Gel Interface Optimized for Microscopy

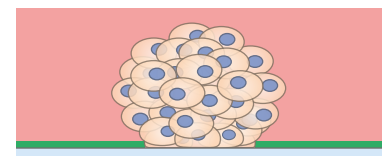
- Silicone insert with fluidic access to the basal and apical side of the gel
- Supports 3D invasion and transmigration assays
- Membrane-free design for unrestricted microscopy access



micro-Insert 3D in  $\mu$ -Dish<sup>35 mm, high</sup>

### Micropatterning for Pre-defined 3D Cell Adhesion

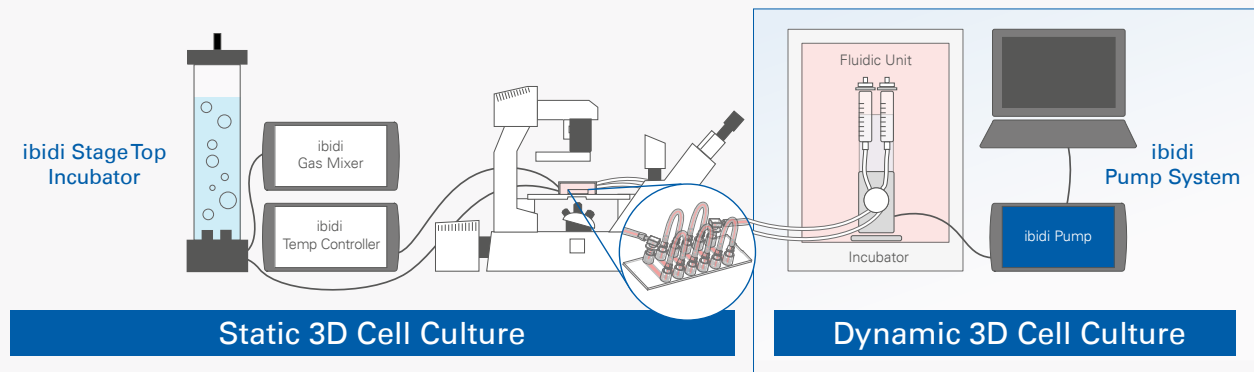
- Confined adhesive spots (ibiTreat) integrated in the non-adhesive Bioinert (ULA) surface
- Ready-to-use labware to create spheroids and organoids from a cell suspension
- Consistent and reproducible 3D cell culture, optimized for microscopy



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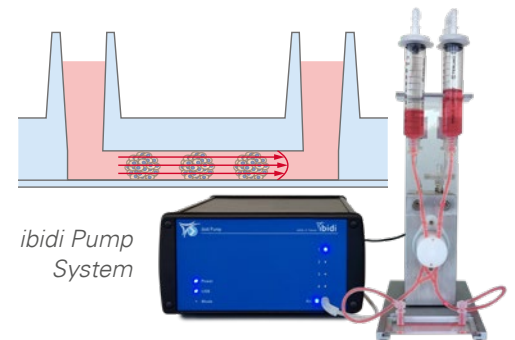
## ibidi Setup Overview for Imaging 3D Static and Dynamic 3D Cell Cultures



## Dynamic 3D Cell Culture

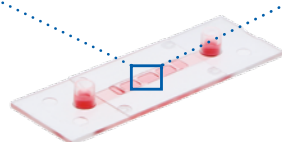
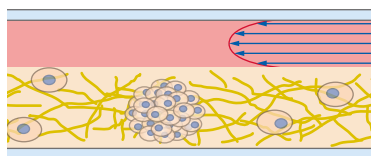
Elevate your 3D cell culture experiments with the advanced ibidi labware and perfusion systems. Designed for seamless integration, they support long-term cultivation of spheroids, organoids, and other 3D models. Air pressure-driven fluid flow enables continuous media recirculation, maintaining precise flow rates or shear stress for days, weeks, or even months.

### Channel Slides



### Dynamic Flow of 2D/3D Cell Culture in a Matrix

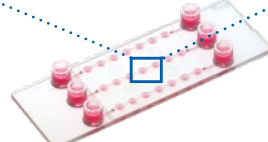
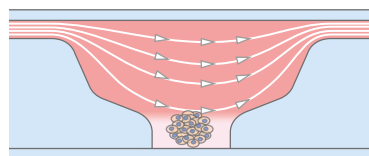
- Wells for gel casting connected by channels; controlled flow over a customizable 3D microenvironment
- Optimized for 2D and 3D co-culture to study drug transmigration across a cell barrier into a gel matrix
- Combines accessibility with perfusion compatibility



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### Long-Term 3D Cell Culture in Microwells

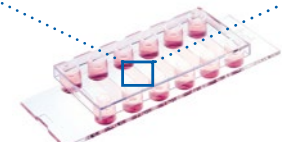
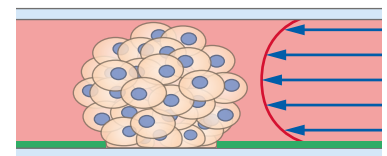
- Perfusion-based 3D bio-reactor; formation and cultivation of spheroids/organoids
- Optimized for high-resolution microscopy
- Controlled perfusion without direct flow exposure to minimize movement and washout



*μ-Slide Spheroid Perfusion*

### Perfusion of Micro-patterned 3D Cell Culture

- Perfusable channels with ibiTreat micropattern for defined cell adhesion
- Ready-to-use labware to create spheroids and organoids from a cell suspension
- Precise positioning of cells on the coverslip allows easy imaging

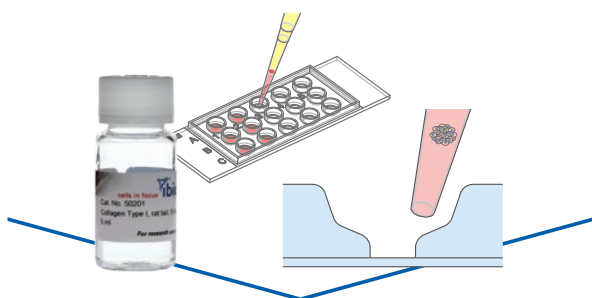


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# ibidi Solutions for Your 3D Cell Culture Assay

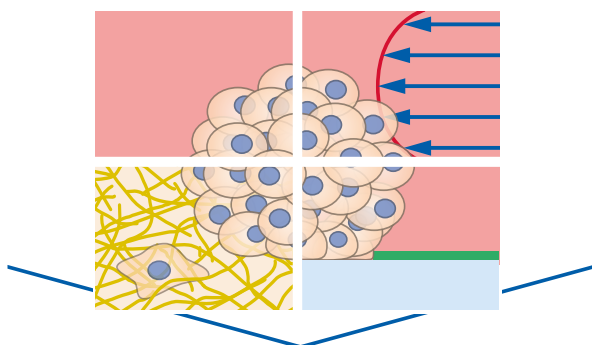
## Sample Preparation

Choose from a broad portfolio of labware optimized for 3D cell culture and microscopy.



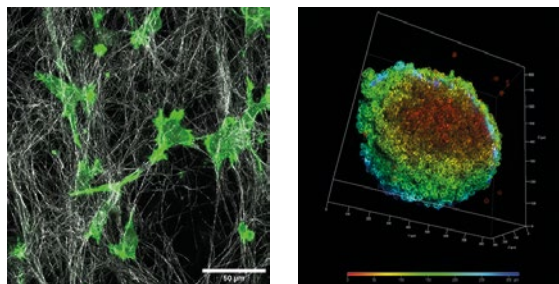
## 3D Cell Cultivation

Perform your 3D assay of choice using tailored ibidi solutions.



## Imaging and Analysis

Easily analyze your assays using live cell imaging, immunofluorescence stainings, and more methods.



### ibidi Collagen Type I

Enhance your research with our high-quality Collagen, providing a natural extracellular matrix for superior cell attachment, proliferation, and differentiation



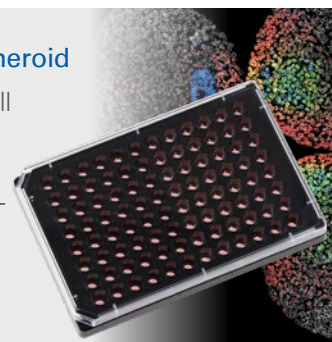
### ibidi Stage Top Incubators

Maintain stable physiological conditions during live cell experiments on inverted microscopes



### $\mu$ -Plate 96 Well Spheroid

Upscale your 3D cell culture experiments with our 96-well format, offering high-throughput 3D cell growth



### Order Your Free Samples

Test the ibidi solutions for your 3D cell culture experiments and choose up to 3 free samples:



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