



See the evolution

The ECLIPSE Ni series, the ultimate in upright biological microscope evolution, supports bioscience studies with enhanced basic performance and flexible system expandability.

The CFI Plan Apochromat Lambda series objectives are the key to the series' optical performance. Nano Crystal Coat, with its ultra low refractive index, is employed for the first time in microscope objectives, providing brighter, high-resolution and high-contrast microscopy images.

Nikon's proprietary stratum structure allows various combinations of additional components to be installed. Applications using laser and fluorescent proteins, such as Kaede and PA-GFP, are possible with the addition of a two-tiered fluorescent unit and a photoactivation unit.

The Ni series transcends the concept of conventional upright microscopes and expands the possibilities of advanced research in fields such as bioscience and medicine.

The ECLIPSE Ci series is a compact research microscope which has highly functional and user-friendly features. Nikon provides a wide variety of research microscopes, including for shared use at research facilities and for personal use at laboratories.



System expandability

- Nikon's proprietary stratum structure enables efficient system construction.
- The numerous accessories can be custom combined depending upon application.

Optical performance

- CFI Plan Apochromat Lambda objectives with chromatic aberration correction and high transmission throughout a broad range of wavelengths
- Objectives with improved transmission in near IR wavelength range for multiphoton excitation imaging

Design

• 3D ergo design combines functionality with sophistication.

Operability

- Ni-E: Motorized model with automatic change of observation conditions and adjustment of microscope accessories.
- Ni-U: Manual model with some motorized options.
- Most microscope controls can be operated with easy-to-reach buttons on the front of the Ni-E.

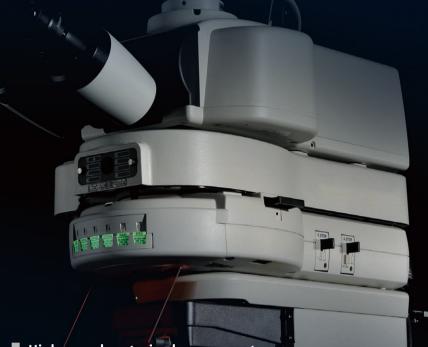




Expandable system broadens application possibilities

Multi-color fluorescent imaging (Ni-E)

Demand for multi-color fluorescent imaging that uses newly developed fluorescent proteins and fluorescent reagents is constantly increasing. Nikon meets such needs with diverse functions and optical technologies.



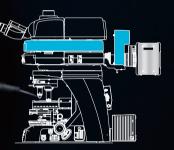
High-speed motorized components

The higher speeds of the motorized excitation and barrier filter wheel and the motorized shutter enable quick wavelength changes, reducing photobleaching of the specimen. It can be operated via easily accessible control buttons, increasing operation efficiency.

■ CFI Plan Apochromat Lambda series objectives

Transmission and chromatic aberration correction have been improved throughout the wide range of visible to near IR wavelengths, allowing use of various fluorescent reagents. They provide bright, high-contrast, high S/N (signal-to-noise) ratio multi-color fluorescence images with almost no focus shift when used with any wavelength.





Mounted motorized excitation/barrier filter wheel

Ni-E

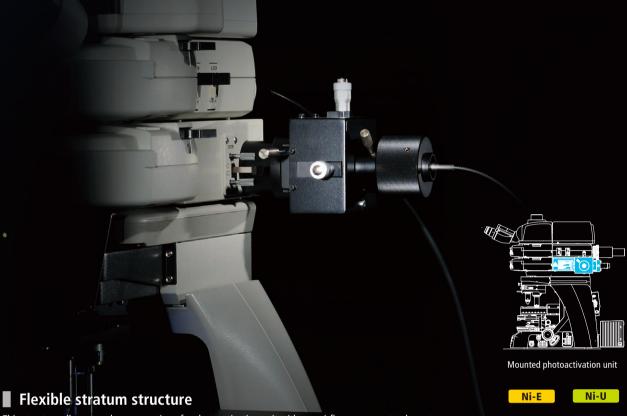
Multi-color fluorescent observation

FISH

Signal conversion

Photoactivation imaging (Ni-E/Ni-U)

Research into the reactions and changes of stimulated cells has become popular in recent years. Nikon has developed a photoactivation unit for upright microscopes, a first in microscopy.



This structure allows two-layer mounting of a photoactivation unit with an epi-fluorescence attachment.

Objectives for long-wavelength laser

With CFI Plan Apochromat Lambda objectives, chromatic aberration has been corrected up to 850 nm and transmission improved in the long wavelength range, increasing accuracy and efficiency of laser excitation at target



Photo-

Simultaneous multichannel imaging (Ni-E/Ni-U)

The Ni's back port and the quadrocular tilting tube allow the user to acquire simultaneous, two-channel images on separate cameras. This feature is invaluable for applications such as FRET.



Multiphoton imaging (Ni-E)

Multiphoton microscopy in which long excitation wavelengths are used to allow less-invasive imaging of ever deeper areas of cells is gaining popularity. The design of the Ni-E model is optimized for multiphoton imaging in both optical and mechanical systems to meet the demands of today.



■ Objective dedicated to multiphoton imaging

CFI75 Apochromat 25XC W objective features chromatic aberration correction over a broad wavelength range from 405 to 950 nm, high NA (numerical aperture) (1.10) and longer working distance (2.0 mm), and compatibility with water immersion and water dipping.

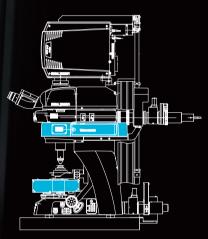
High-sensitivity multiphoton detector (NDD)

This episcopic NDD (non-descanned detector) unit incorporates a detector that efficiently senses weak signals from deep areas of live specimens. In combination with a diascopic NDD unit, transmitted signals can be also detected.

Retrofittable focusing nosepiece mechanism

Microscopes can be modified by switching the focusing stage and focusing nosepiece, enabling fixed-stage configuration to meet demands of experiments such as *in vivo* imaging.





Mounted episcopic NDD unit and diascopic NDD unit

Ni-E

In vivo imaging

Two-photon imaging

Photo activation

Versatile microscopes meet all demands



To meet diverse user demands for operability, system expandability and motorized control, Nikon provides two Ni series models. The Ni-U, which has compatibility with some motorized accessories, is the manual model suitable for high-quality image observation and digital imaging. The Ni-E is a fully motorized model that is efficient for experiments requiring comprehensive control of various devices, such as photoactivation units and confocal systems.

Ni-U (manual model)

- Ergonomic tube and stage handle height adjustment mechanism allow comfortable viewing positions.
- Stratum structure and sturdy design improve expandability.
- Motorized nosepiece, motorized epi-fluorescence cube turret, motorized shutter can be utilized.



Ni-U configured with an ergonomic binocular tube





The dedicated, simple remote control pad allows motorized changing of objectives and filter cubes, and shutter operation

Ni-E (motorized model)

- High-precision motorized focusing
- Broad range of motorized accessories that can be used in combination.
- Observation conditions can be changed at a simple push of a button.
- Stratum structure and sturdy design improve expandability.
- 3D ergo design buttons with improved operability are located close together for speedy operations.
- Microscope settings in use can be verified on the display.
- Optimized for multiphoton excitation imaging
- Two focusing mechanism options: focusing stage and focusing nosepiece

Automatic adjustment with objective changeover

Condenser, aperture and field diaphragm, and ND filter are automatically set to the optimal position during objective changeover. In addition, stage XYZ travel amount per handle rotation and parfocal distance deviation correction are automatically adjusted.

Microscope settings can also be manually adjusted.

Change of observation conditions

Selected observation conditions can be designated to individual buttons, enabling changes to be made at the push of a button. This is particularly convenient when reproducing specific observation conditions.

High-precision motorized focusing

High-precision Z-focus incorporated by the Ni-E provides accurate Z-position information required for use with confocal laser microscopes. Individual coarse and fine focus knobs provide enhanced ease of operation.









Ni-E configured with a motorized epi-fluorescence cube turret and motorized universal condenser

Technologies supporting the Ni series

Supreme optical performance

As a light microscope manufacturer, Nikon has cultivated high technical capabilities and confidence. With its advanced technologies extending from optical glass production to lens design, fabrication, coating and processing, Nikon provides unsurpassed optical performance.

High-performance objective lens

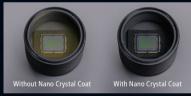
CFI Plan Apochromat Lambda series

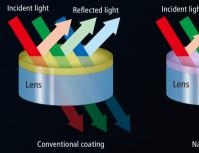
With remarkably high NA, greatly improved transmission in the long wavelength range thanks to Nikon proprietary Nano Crystal Coat, and chromatic aberration correction over 435 to 850 nm, these objectives are ideally suited not only for brightfield and DIC observations but also for fluorescent observations. These lenses allow acquisition of bright and clear images at any wavelength for near-IR imaging and multi-color fluorescence imaging. Because bright images can be captured even with a weak excitation light, damage to a specimen is minimized.

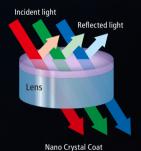


Nano Crystal Coat

This anti-reflective coating that consists of nanometer-size particles is based on semiconductor manufacturing technology and is also used for Nikon camera lenses. The coarse structure with particles arranged in a spongy construction with uniform spaces between them enables extremely low refractive indices.







Water dipping objective lenses

With a long working distance and high NA, these objectives provide excellent transmission in near IR wavelength range. The axial chromatic aberration of 40X and 60X objectives has been corrected to up to 850 nm, allowing high-resolution images of minute structures in thick specimens during IR-DIC observation.

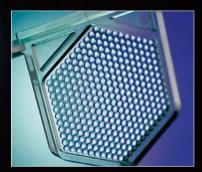
The 25XC W and 100X objectives feature high NA (1.1) and a long working distance (2.0 mm). With chromatic aberration corrected in the IR region, these objectives are ideal for multiphoton excitation observation. In addition, by employing a mechanism to compensate for the changes in spherical aberration that occur at different temperatures and depths of observation points, clear images of areas deep within a thick specimen can be captured.





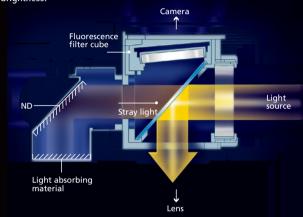


The "fly-eye" lens is ideally suited to diascopic illumination optical systems. Uniform and bright illumination up to the viewfield periphery is provided at any magnification.

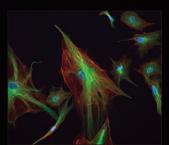


Fluorescence noise elimination

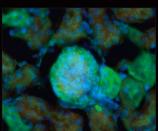
Nikon's proprietary noise terminator mechanism is employed in the epifluorescence cube turret and filter cubes. The S/N ratio has been dramatically improved by thoroughly eliminating stray light in the filter cubes, allowing images of weak fluorescent signals to be captured with high contrast and brightness.

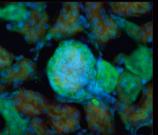


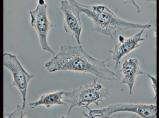
Excellent image acquisition with all observation methods

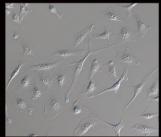


Epi-fluorescence observation

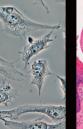


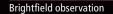


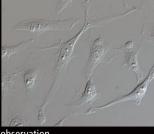


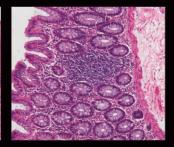


DIC (Differential Interference Contrast) observation









Ultimate ease, speed and clarity in imaging

Digital imaging

The Ni series can be controlled in conjunction with a Digital Sight series digital camera, facilitating effortless digital imaging. Images can be captured with a dedicated button on the microscope body. Camera control from the software GUI on a PC and the touch panel on the camera control unit is also possible.

Image capture button

Images can be acquired by simply pressing the image capture button located on the microscope base.

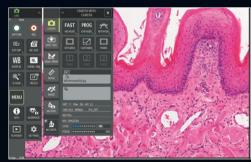


DS-L4 Microscope Camera Control Unit

The DS-L4 tablet-style camera control unit eliminates the need and space requirements of a desktop PC to control DS-Ri2 and DS-Fi3 cameras.

- Microscope status data, such as relating to the objective lens, fluorescent filter cube and condenser information, is automatically saved along with the captured image when a motorized or intelligent unit is attached.
- The touch panel allows the simple setting and operation of cameras by simply choosing the observation technique using scene mode icons.
- Simple measurement functions, such as distance measurement between two points, are available.





Camera setting



Microscope control



Simple measurement

Digital cameras for microscopes

The optimal camera for your specific imaging needs can be selected from the Digital Sight series of cameras, which offers various features such as high sensitivity, high resolution, high speed image acquisition, color reproducibility and a cooling system.

F-mount cameras

Microscope Camera DS-Ri2

This 16.25-megapixel, high-definition camera is equipped with a Nikon FX-format CMOS sensor. The high frame rate of up to 45 fps (1636 x 1088 pixels) enables fast focusing. The image processing engine allows accurate color reproduction of microscopy images. Color fluorescent images can be clearly captured with its low-noise design.



Monochrome Microscope Camera DS-Qi2

Equipped with monochrome CMOS sensor (16.25-megapixel). High-speed image capture of up to 45 fps (1636 x 1088 pixels). High sensitivity and superb S/N ratio design. Moreover, mounting a Peltier cooling device provides bright fluorescent images. Reliable quantitative analysis with excellent linearity.



C-mount camera

Microscope Camera DS-Fi3

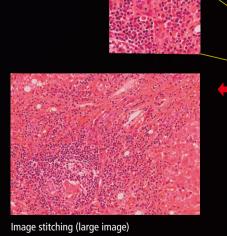
Equipped with a 5.9 megapixel CMOS image sensor. It provides high-definition imaging up to 2880 x 2048 pixels and up to 30 fps of fast imaging. With superior color reproduction and high sensitivity, images that are faithful to samples can be acquired during various observation methods, such as brightfield, DIC, phase contrast and epifluorescence.



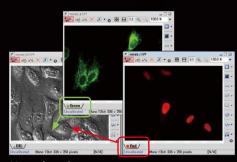
Imaging Software NIS-Elements

NIS-Elements seamlessly integrates cameras, peripheral devices, and the Ni, serving as a powerful yet easy-to-use interface for complex imaging experiments. Powerful tools for quick processing, measurement and acquired data management provide a one-step solution for acquisition and analysis.

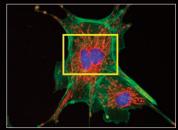


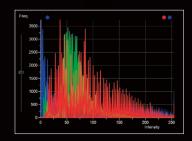






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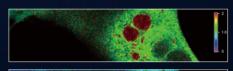
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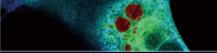
High-resolution confocal imaging systems

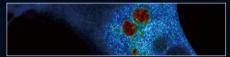
Combining the Ni-E's high-precision Z-focus mechanism with a confocal scanner allows high-resolution, high-S/N-ratio imaging of 3D structures of organs and cells. The Ni-E can be configured with either a focusing stage or a focusing nosepiece, catering to specific imaging requirements. Nikon offers a wide range of confocal systems that can accommodate various needs.

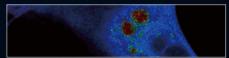
Confocal microscope A1⁺/A1R⁺

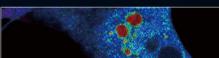
A1+ incorporates a high-definition (up to 4096 x 4096 pixels) non-resonant scanner. A1R+ also incorporates a high-speed (up to 420 fps) resonant scanner, in addition to the non-resonant scanner, enabling true simultaneous photoactivation and imaging.

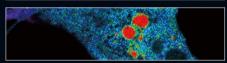












RK13 rabbit kidney epithelial cell stably transfected with the calcium biosensor Yellow Cameleon 3.6.

The cell was exposed to ionomycin to raise intracellular calcium and induce FRET.

The color change indicates changes in the level of FRET.
Time-lapse images were taken with the A1R (resonant scanner).
Sample courtesy of: Dr. Mike Davidson, National High Magnetic Field
Laboratory, Florida State University

Multiphoton confocal microscope A1 MP⁺/A1R MP⁺

High-sensitive deep imaging of living specimens is possible with A1 MP+'s high-resolution (up to 4096 x 4096 pixels) and A1R MP+'s high-speed (up to 420 fps) imaging capability. A combination of episcopic and diascopic GaAsP NDDs allow more efficient acquisition of emission signals. Simultaneous excitation imaging using dual beam 1300nm-compatible IR lasers is possible.

Confocal microscope C2⁺

C2+ features a compact design and high functionality. The C2+ allows users to acquire simultaneous 3-channel and diascopic DIC images and provides powerful imaging modalities, such as large-image stitching.



Laser units with great flexibility and efficiency

LU-NV series

- Supports up to eight wavelengths and switching between seven fiber outputs.
- Lasers available for this series are: 405 nm, 445 nm, 458 nm, 488 nm, 514 nm, 532 nm, 561 nm, 594 nm, 640 nm and 647 nm.



LU-N4/N4S 4-laser unit/ LU-N3 3-laser unit

The LU-N4/LU-N4S is equipped with four lasers (405 nm, 488 nm, 561 nm, and 640 nm), while the LU-N3 has three lasers (405 nm, 488 nm, and 561 nm).
The LU-N4S is compatible with spectral imaging.



Wide array of accessories finely segmented by function



Motorized quadrocular tilting tube (Ni-E)

Motorized changeover of optical paths is possible. Eyepiece inclination can be adjusted from 15° to 35°.



Motorized DSC zooming port (Ni-E)

A digital camera can be mounted on the camera port. A motorized 0.6X - 2.0X zoom optical system is incorporated.



Motorized ND filter (Ni-E)

Brightness is automatically optimized with the changeover of the motorized nosepiece. Motorized adjustment of desired brightness is also possible.



Motorized XY stage (Ni-E)

Effective for applications that require highly accurate positioning, such as photoactivation imaging and FISH.



Joystick for motorized stage (Ni-E)

Makes control of motorized XY stage possible.



Ergo controller (Ni-E)

In addition to motorized microscope operation, XYZ control of stage is possible with similar operational ease as that of an actual microscope.



Motorized universal condenser Dry (Ni-E)

High-speed motorized changeover of condenser modules for brightfield, phase contrast, DIC and simple darkfield observations is possible.



Motorized barrier filter wheel (Ni-E)

Barrier filter positions (7 positions—using 25 mm filters) can be changed at a high speed of 0.2 sec. between adjacent positions.



Motorized excitation filter wheel (Ni-E)

Excitation filter positions (8 positions—using 25mm filters) can be changed at a high speed of 0.15 sec. between adjacent positions.



Photoactivation unit (Ni-E, Ni-U)

Laser light photoactivation and episcopic illumination are possible. Both the photoactivation unit and the confocal system can be used with a single laser source.



Back port unit (Ni-E, Ni-U)

Enables simultaneous acquisition of images with two different wavelengths using two cameras. Dedicated cubes are optional.



Motorized DIC sextuple nosepiece (Ni-E, Ni-U)

Objective magnification is automatically saved along with the captured image. Built-in prism/analyzer plate slot.



Motorized epi-fluorescence cube turret (Ni-E, Ni-U)

Noise terminator provides high S/N ratio. Six filter cubes can be installed. Either an epi-fluorescence attachment or a photoactivation unit can be attached.



Motorized shutter (Ni-E, Ni-U)

High-speed shutter control is possible. The shutter can be attached to diascopic and episcopic illumination systems.



Simple remote control pad (Ni-U)

Motorized operation of nosepiece, epi-fluorescence cube turret and shutter is possible.

Feel the evolution

Nikon has drawn on its proven optics and mechanical design technologies to develop the compact and high-performance ECLIPSE Ci series research microscope.

Ci-E/Ci-L adopts Nikon's unique, high-intensity LED as the light source for diascopic observation. High-quality objective lenses and a dedicated epi-fluorescence attachment provide bright and high contrast fluorescence images. Image capture of specimens is easy and efficient when the microscope is configured with Nikon Digital Sight series cameras. With its high-optical performance and advanced easy control, the ECLIPSE Ci series supports research using a broad range of illumination techniques including phase contrast, darkfield and simple polarizing.



• High-intensity, uniform LED illumination (Eco-illumination)

Compact dedicated fluorescence unit

• Reliable high-performance objective lens

• Observation and image capture with comfortable posture

 Motorized magnification switching by the push of a button (Ci-E)

• Simple image capturing by the push of a button on the microscope

• Enables a wide variety of observations



Configuration of Ci-L with epi-fluorescence attachment and DS-Fi3 camera

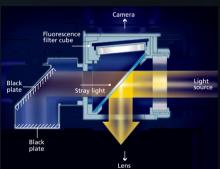
High quality images powered by Nikon's reputed optical technologies

Nikon's well-reputed optical technologies enable the capture of sharp and high quality images in a wide variety of techniques, including brightfield and epi-fluorescence observations. The epi-fluorescence attachment of the ECLIPSE Ci series allows weakly fluorescent specimens to be captured with great clarity and brightness.

Epi-fluorescence attachment

The dedicated noise terminator for the Ci series is utilized in the compact epi-fluorescence attachment and this allows bright, high-contrast and high signal to noise (S/N) ratio fluorescence image capturing. Two epi-fluorescence attachments are available, CI-FL (four filter cubes mountable) and D-FL (six filter cubes mountable). The name and position of the filter cubes are displayed in front of the attachment with phosphorescent labels for easy identification in darkened rooms. The filters or dichroic mirrors in the filter cubes can be easily replaced to create a more specific combination





Noise terminator mechanis

High-optical performance objective lenses

CFI Plan Apochromat Lambda series

With remarkably high NA, greatly improved transmission in the long wavelength range thanks to Nikon proprietary Nano Crystal Coat*, and chromatic aberration correction over wide wavelength range, these objectives are ideally suited not only to brightfield observations but also to fluorescence observations. Bright images can be captured even with a weak excitation light, thereby reducing damage to the specimen.

* See page 10.



CFI Plan Fluor series

Featuring an extra-high transmission rate, especially in the ultraviolet wavelength, combined with flatness of field, this series is perfect for

fluorescence observation and imaging. These objectives can function as multi-purpose objectives for brightfield, fluorescence and simple/sensitive color polarizing observations.

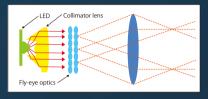




Unparalleled basic performance

Eco-illumination

By combining a collimator lens, fly-eye optics and LED illumination, bright and uniform images up to the periphery can be obtained. The LED is a low power consumption unit that reduces lamp replacement frequency thanks to its long-life, and provides the same color temperature in every magnification.







rewed with Eco-illumination

Viewed without Eco-illumination

Image capture button

Imaging with the Digital Sight series cameras is possible with the one touch button located on the microscope base.



Motorized model Ci-E

Nosepiece rotating buttons

The nosepiece can be rotated with one-touch button control. In addition, your two favorite magnifications can be registered*, and one press of the button alternates between these two objective lenses.

* Using the remote control pad.



Remote control pad

By programming specific buttons to correspond to specific objective lenses, magnification can be easily changed with a one touch button.





Auto light intensity reproduction

The user-defined light intensity for each objective lens is automatically memorized and replicated when the objective is used again, eliminating the manual re-adjustment.

Versatile diascopic observation techniques

Phase contrast

Eco-illumination has sufficient light intensity for phase contrast microscopy that is used in a wide range of applications including dermatological examinations.



Darkfield

Enables clear observation of blood or the minute structure of flagella. Dry- and oil-type condensers are available. The expander lens is used to obtain illumination with greater brightness.





Left: C-DD Dark Field Condenser Dry Right: C-DO Dark Field Condenser Oil

Simple polarizing

This is ideal for observing bi-refringent samples such as collagen, amyloids and crystals.

*Two types of analyzer are available: intermediate tube type and nosepiece slider type.







^{*}These images are captured without using the shading compensation to emphasize the vignetting.

Objectives for Ni/Ci

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	Brightfield	20XC MI	Oil, water, glycerin	0.75	0.51-0.35 0.51-0.34 0.49-0.33	0-0.17	1	1	0	0	0		0	0	0	
	(CFI Plan Fluor)	40X		0.75	0.66	0.17		1	0	0	0		0	0	0	
		40X Oil	Oil	1.30	0.24	0.17		√w/stopper	0		0		0	0	0	
rian riuor		60XC		0.85	0.40-0.31	0.11-0.23	1	1	0	•	0		0	0	0	
Ē		60XS Oil	Oil	0.50-1.25	0.22	0.17		/	0	00	0		0	0	0	
Ξ		100X Oil	Oil	1.30	0.16	0.17		√w/stopper	0		0		0	0	0	
		100XS Oil	Oil	0.50-1.30	0.16	0.17		1	0	0	0		0	0	0	
		DLL 10X		0.30	16.00	0.17			0	Δ		© PH1		0	0	
	Phase contrast (CFI Plan Fluor)	DLL 20X		0.50	2.10	0.17			0	0		© PH1		0	0	
		DLL 40X		0.75	0.66	0.17		/	0	0		© PH2		0	0	_
		DLL 100X Oil	Oil	1.30	0.16	0.17		√w/stopper	0			© PH3		0		
	Apodized phase contrast (CFI Plan Fluor)	ADH 100X Oil	Oil	1.30	0.16	0.17		√w/stopper	0			© PH3		0	0	
		Lambda 2X		0.10	8.50	_			0				0	0		0
		Lambda 4X		0.20	20.00	_			0				0	0		(
		Lambda 10X		0.45	4.00	0.17		1	0	Δ	0		0	0	Δ	(
		Lambda 20X		0.75	1.00	0.17		1	0	0	0		0	0		(
		VC 20X		0.75	1.00	0.17		1	0	0	0		0	0	0	
	D : 1 . C . I .	Lambda 40XC		0.95	0.25-0.16	0.11-0.23	1	/	0	•	0		0	0	Δ	(
	Brightfield (CFI Plan Apo)	Lambda 60XC		0.95	0.21-0.11	0.11-0.23	/	/	0	•	0		0	0	Δ	(
ma	(CITTIUII/Apo)	Lambda 60X Oil	0il	1.40	0.13	0.17		1	0		0		0	0	Δ	(
5		VC 60XC WI	Water	1.20	0.31-0.28	0.15-0.18	1	1	0		0		0	0	0	
Pian Apocinomat		Lambda 100X Oil	Oil	1.45	0.13	0.17		1	0		0		0	0	Δ	(
_		VC 100X Oil	Oil	1.40	0.13	0.17		1	0		0		0	0	Δ	
		NCG 100X Oil	Oil	1.40	0.16	0		1	0		0		0	0	Δ	
		DM Lambda 20X		0.75	1.00	0.17		1	0	0		© PH2		0	Δ	(
		DM Lambda 40XC		0.95	0.25-0.16	0.11-0.23	1	1	0	•		© PH2		0	Δ	
	Phase contrast (CFI Plan Apo)	DM Lambda 60XC		0.95	0.21-0.11	0.11-0.23	1	1	0	•		© PH2		0	Δ	(
(CI	(CITTIAII Apo)	DM Lambda 60X Oil	Oil	1.40	0.13	0.17		1	0	•		© PH3		0	Δ	(
		DM Lambda 100X Oil	Oil	1.45	0.13	0.17		1	0			© PH3		0	Δ	(
pocilionar	Confocal (CFI Apo)	Lambda S 60X Oil	Oil	1.40	0.14	0.17		1	0		0		0	0	0	
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	Use: Clearing *3	Model	Immersion	NA	W.D. (mm)	Cover glass thickness	Correction ring	Spring loaded	Brightfield	Darkfield	DIC	Phase contrast	Polarizing	Flui Visible light	orescenc	e NI

Use: Clearing *3	Model	Immersion	NA	W.D.	Cover glass	Correction	Spring	Drightfield	Brightfield Darkfield	DIC	Phase contrast	Polarizing	Fluorescence		
ose. Clearing "5	Model	Illilliersion	IVA	(mm)	thickness	ring	loaded	Drightheid		Dic			Visible light	UV	NIR
Multiphoton Confocal (CFI Plan Apo)	10XC Glyc	Water, Oil, Glycerin	0.50	5.50	0-0.17	√ *1		0	0				0		0
Multiphoton (CFI 90)	20XC Glyc	Glycerin	1.00	8.20	_	√ *2		△*4							0

		l		W.D.	Cover glass	Correction	Spring				Phase		Fluoresce	ence	Near-
Use: Water dipping *3	Model	Immersion	NA	(mm)	thickness	ring	loaded	Brightfield	Darkfield	DIC	contrast	Polarizing	Visible light	UV	infrared DIC
Multiphoton Confocal (CFI75	25XC W	Water	1.10	2.00	0	1		0	•	0		0	0	0	0
Apo)	25XC W 1300	Water	1.10	2.00	0	1		0	•	0		0	0	0	0
DIC (CFI Plan Fluor)	10X W	Water	0.30	3.50	0			0	Δ	0		0	0	0	0
IR-DIC (CFI Apo)	NIR 40X W	Water	0.80	3.50	0			0	•	0		0	0	Δ	0
IR-DIC (CFI Apo)	NIR 60X W	Water	1.00	2.80	0			0	•	0		0	0		0
DIC (CFI Plan)	100XC W	Water	1.10	2.50	0	1		0	•	0		0	0		0
Phase contrast (CFI Fluor)	DLL 40X W	Water	0.80	2.00	0			0	•		© PH2		0	0	0
DIC (CFI75)	LWD 16X W	Water	0.80	3.00	0			0	•	0		0	0	0	0

Note 1. Model name
The below letters, when included in the model names, indicate the respective features.
C: with correction ring
NCG: for use without cover glass
S: with iris
WI: water immersion type
WI: water immersion (oil, water, glycerin) type
Note 2. Cover class thickness

Note 2. Cover glass thickness
— : can be used without cover glass
0: use without cover glass

Note 3. Darkfield microscopy

Note 4. Phase rings are classified by objective NA PHL, PH1, PH2, PH3: condenser cassette modules.

Note 5. Fluorescence microscopy (UV)

\(\times : \text{possible with visible light that has a longer wavelength than the excitation light used for DAP!} \(\times : \text{suitable} \)

\(\times : \text{recommended for best results} \)

340: high transmittance with an ultraviolet wavelength range of up to 340nm

Note 7. Polarizing

△: possible but not recommended

○: suitable

©: retardation measurement is possible with a polarizing microscope

Note 8. Ti2-E PFS

: compatible with PFS

*1 With correction for refractive index of immersion medium (1.33-1.51)
*2 With correction for refractive index of immersion medium (1.44-1.50)
*3 For Ni-E focusing nosepiece type
*4 Correction wavelength range: from 587nm, can be used as a finder

Epi-fluorescence light sources for Ni/Ci

Epi-Fl LED illuminator

The LED illuminator ensures stable and quantitative brightness of illumination and operational simplicity. It is particularly suited to long periods of fluorescence time-lapse imaging.

C-LEDFI Epi-FI LED Illuminator



- 1 Epi-FL LED Illuminator main unit
- 2 Simple remote control pad
- 3 LED unit
- 4 Dichroic mirror unit
- 5 Epi-Fl Filter Cube
- 6 HG100W Adapter R
- 7 Fiber (1.5 m/3.0 m)

Stable light intensity

Stable illumination brightness ensures quantitative and reliable fluorescence intensity measurement.

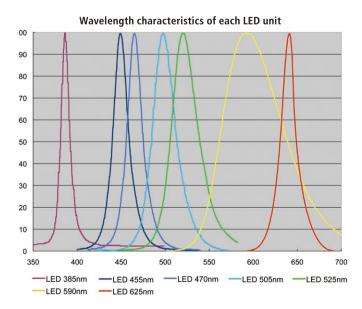
The LED illuminator ensures minimal output fluctuation of less than 0.1% in 100 Hz (10 ms.). In addition, it maintains output fluctuation at below 3% even when the illuminator is switched on and off intermittently over 72 hours of time-lapse observation.

Zero warm-up time

The illuminator requires zero warm-up time and enables observation immediately after it is switched on. Thus it can even be employed only when capturing images during time-lapse imaging, thereby eliminating the need for fluorescence shutters.

Wavelength intensity control

The illuminator allows for a flexible combination of LED units, enabling simultaneous lighting with multiple wavelengths for multi-color observation. The intensity of the excitation LED light for each wavelength can be consecutively controlled, thereby eliminating the need for ND filters.



Control with NIS-Elements software

Turning the illuminator on and off and changing wavelengths in synchronization with image acquisition is possible with NIS-Elements imaging software.

Maintenance free

An LED has a minimum lifespan of 10,000 hours, eliminating the need for frequent lamp replacement.

Alignment free

The LED and dichroic units do not need to be aligned each time they are changed over. Furthermore, the Epi-FI LED Illuminator is connected to the microscope fluorescent attachment using a dedicated optical fiber cable, eliminating the need to center the light source.

Specifications

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LED unit		7 types; up to 4 units can be assembled 385/455/470/505/525/590/625 nm					
Dichroic m	irror unit	5 types, up to 3 units can be assembled 425/455/470/565/610 nm					
Fiber		Two types (1.5 m or 3.0 m)					
	Simple remote control pad	Selection and ON/OFF of LED unit is possible. (Simultaneous lighting of multiple LEDs and light intensity control for each LED unit is possible.) Light intensity control step: 7 steps (0, 10, 20, 40, 60, 80, 100%)					
LED control	NIS-Elements software	Selection and ON/OFF of LED unit is possible. (Simultaneous lighting of multiple LEDs is possible.) Light intensity control step: Minimum 0.5% linear control Intensity control of multiple LED units while retaining intensity ratios is possible. LED excitation in synchronization with image acquisition using CCD camera (time-lapse imaging) Trigger Acquisition function available					
ON/OFF switching speed		Less than 100 μs					
LED auto detection		Automatic detection and display of LED unit (using NIS-Elements)					
LED lifetime		Over 10,000 hours					
External d	imensions	135 (W) x 227 (H) x 303 (D) mm					
Weight		Approx. 5.4 kg					

HG Precentered Fiber Illuminator Intensilight

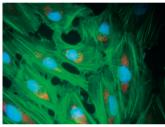
The Intensilight high-intensity mercury-fiber illuminator employs a precentered, long-life lamp that requires no centering while allowing users to capture high-quality fluorescence images with uniform brightness.

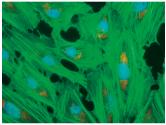




Precentered lamp requires no alignment

The use of a precentered lamp and dedicated optical fibers eliminates the need for cumbersome centering and focusing operations, even after the lamp is replaced. Uniform brightness is always assured.





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2000-hour long-life lamp

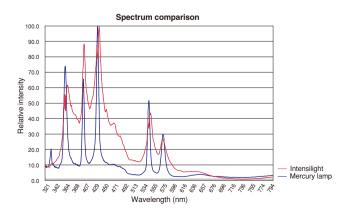
The lamp lasts an average of 2000 hours, or 10 times longer than conventional mercury lamps. Therefore, replacement costs and microscope downtime are greatly reduced.

Reduced heat and electrical noise

Dedicated optical fibers (1.5 m, 3 m) allow the light source to be placed away from the microscope, reducing heat and electrical noise on the microscope body. This is particularly suited to long-time fluorescence observation (timelapse observation) of live cells.

Greatly increased brightness for green spectrum

At wavelengths of around 450 nm to 500 nm, brightness is much higher than that of a conventional mercury lamp, making the lamp ideally suited to observation of green fluorescence such as FITC and GFP.



Shutter and light intensity control

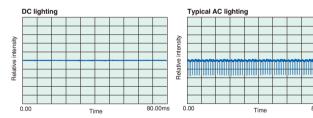
There are six levels of light intensity to choose from depending on the specimen. The shutter allows light to the specimen to be easily shut off without the power being turned off. Therefore, photobleaching can be reduced to a minimum when observing multi-stained specimens.

Safety measures

When the lamp replacement cover is open or the optical fibers are not attached, the interlock automatically shuts the light off to protect the user from possible light exposure. Furthermore, when the lamp temperature sensor detects abnormally high temperatures, power is cut to protect the lamp.

DC lighting for constant light intensity

As DC (direct current) lighting is less influenced by frequency than AC (alternating current) lighting, DC provides constant, nonfluctuating light.



Motorized model C-HGFIE availabley

The light intensity and shutter can be controlled from an optional dedicated remote controller or a PC that incorporates Nikon's NIS-Elements imaging software. The light intensity and shutter can be programmed for each application and controlled in conjunction with the microscope and peripheral equipment. This enables automatic control during excitation light changeover and observation of multi-stained specimens.

Specifications

Lamp	Ultrahigh pressure 130 W mercury lamp
Lamp life	Average 2000 hours
ND (light intensity)	1 (100%), 2 (50%), 4 (25%), 8 (12%), 16 (6%), 32 (3%)
Shutter response	(Motorized) 100 msec
Power supply	100-240 VAC 50/60 Hz
Dimensions (including protrusions)	(Manual) 110 (W) x 307 (D) x 278.5 (H) mm (Motorized) 110 (W) x 296 (D) x 278.5 (H) mm
Weight	Approx. 6 kg
Optical fiber length	1.5 m/3.0 m

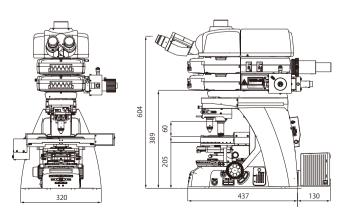
Ni Specifications

		Ni-	E	No. 11					
		Focusing stage type	Focusing nosepiece type	Ni-U					
	Optical system	CFI60 infinity optical system	CFI60 and CFI75 infinity optical systems	CFI60 infinity optical system					
	Focusing	Via motorized stage Up/Down movement (Up 2 mm/Down 13 mm)	Via motorized nosepiece Up/Down movement (Up 13 mm/Down 2 mm)	Via manual stage Up/Down movement					
	(stroke from focus point)	Built-in linear encoder, Resolution: 0.025 µm Motorized escape and refocus mechanism		(Up 3 mm/Down 26 mm)					
		Coaxial Coarse/Fine focusing		I					
	Illumination	Halogen lamp (12V100W) • NI-ND-E Motorized ND Filter (option)		Halogen lamp (12V100W)					
Main body	mammaton	Built-in fly-eye lens Built-in NCB11, ND8, ND32 filters (detachable, one ad ND2 filter (option)		able)					
		Transmitted light On/Off switch, Intensity control dia Image capture button	with preset function						
	Controls	Built-in motorized control switches		_					
		DS-L4 Microscope Camera Control Unit NI-ERG NI Ergo Controller (option)	DS-L4 Microscope Camera Control Unit (option) NI-SRCP Simple Remote Control Pad (option)						
	Power supply unit	External power supply NI-CTLA Control Box A for all	Built-in for halogen lamp NI-CTLB Control Box B is necessary when Motorized/Intelligent options are combined.						
Eyepieces (F.0	D.V. mm)	· CFI 10X (22) · CFI 12.5X (16) · CFI 15X (14.5) · CFI UW10X (25)							
	F.O.V. 22 mm (Eyepiece/Port)		· C-TE2 Ergonomic Binocular Tube (100/0, 50/50 with C-TEP2 DSC Port or C-TEP3 DSC Port C-0.55X) Inclination angle: 10-30 degree, Extension up to 40 mm						
Tubes F.O.V. 25 mm*1 (Eyepiece/Port)		C-TF Trinocular Tube F (100/0, 0/100) C-TT Trinocular Tube T (100/0, 20/80, 0/100) C-TT-C Trinocular Tube (100/0, 0/100, for confocal)* LV-TI3 Trinocular ESD Tube T (100/0, 0/100) NI-TT Quadrocular Tilting Tube (Eyepiece/Upper por Inclination angle: 15-35 degree							
		NI-TT-E Motorized Quadrocular Tilting Tube (Eyepiece/Upper port/Rear port: 100/0/0, 0/100/0, Inclination angle: 15-35 degree	_						
Ports (F.O.V. 11 mm	n)	C-TEP2 DSC Port for Ergonomic Binocular Tube (with C-mount adapter, 0.7X) C-TEP3 DSC Port C-0.55X for Ergonomic Binocular Tube (with C-mount adapter, 0.55X) C-TEP72.5 DSC Port F2.5X for Ergonomic Binocular Tube (with F-mount adapter, 2.5X) NI-BPU Back Port Unit (with C-mount adapter, 1.0X) NI-RPZ DSC Zooming Port for Quadrocular Tube (with C-mount adapter, manual zoom, 0.6X - 2.0X) NI-BPU Back Port Unit (with C-mount adapter, 1X)							
		• NI-RPZ-E Motorized DSC Zooming Port for Quadrocu (with C-mount adapter, motorized zoom, 0.6X - 2.0X	_						
		· NI-SAM Standard Arm							
Arms		· NIE-CAM Contact Arm (for Motorized/Intelligent op	NIU-CAM Contact Arm (for Motorized/Intelligent options)						
	Motorized	NI-N7-E Motorized Septuple Nosepiece NI-ND6-E Motorized DIC Sextuple Nosepiece	_	NI-N7-E Motorized Septuple Nosepiece NI-ND6-E Motorized DIC Sextuple Nosepiece					
	Intelligent	NI-N7-I Intelligent Septuple Nosepiece NI-ND6-I Intelligent DIC Sextuple Nosepiece	_	NI-N7-I Intelligent Septuple Nosepiece NI-ND6-I Intelligent DIC Sextuple Nosepiece					
Nosepieces	Manual	D-ND6 DIC Sextuple Nosepiece C-N6 ESD Sextuple Nosepiece ESD C-N6A Sextuple Nosepiece with Analyzer Slot LV-NU5 Universal Quintuple Nosepiece ESD LV-NBD5 BD Quintuple Nosepiece ESD	FN-S2N 2 Place Sliding Nosepiece (for CFI60 objectives) Changeover 2 objectives, DIC slider insertable FN-MN-H CFI 75 Holder (for CFI75 objective) DIC slider insertable FN-MN-H2 CFI 90 Holder (for CFI90 objective)	D-ND6 DIC Sextuple Nosepiece C-N6 ESD Sextuple Nosepiece ESD C-N6A Sextuple Nosepiece with Analyzer Slot LV-NU5 Universal Quintuple Nosepiece ESD LV-NBD5 BD Quintuple Nosepiece ESD					

Ni Dimensional diagram

Ni-E (for use with focusing nosepiece)

Configured with an Ni photoactivation unit, two-tiered motorized epi-fluorescence cube turret and motorized quadrocular tilting tube



		Ni-	E	NI: II		
		Focusing stage type	Focusing nosepiece type	Ni-U		
Stages		NIE-CSRR2 Right Handle Rotatable Ceramic- coated Stage with 2S Holder Cross travel 78(X) x 54(Y) mm Handle height and torque adjustable	· FN-3PS2 FN1 Standard Stage Cross travel 30(X) x 30(Y) mm	C-SR2S Right Handle Stage with 2S Holder C-CSR1S Right Handle Ceramic-coated Stage with 1S Holder C-CSR Right Handle Ceramic-coated		
		· NI-S-E Motorized XY Stage Resolution: 0.1 µm · NI-SH-D Dish Holder (option)	Stage NIU-CSRR2 Right Handle Rotatable Ceramic-coated Stage with 25 Holder Cross travel 78(X) x 54(Y) mm Handle height and torque adjustable			
Substages		NI-SSR Substage (for Motorized Universal Condenser and Rotatable/Motorized stages)	NI-SSF Substage for Focusing Nosepiece (for LWD condenser and FN1 Standard/ Motorized stages)	NI-SSR Substage (for Rotatable stage) NI-SS Substage (for Non-rotatable stages)		
	Motorized	NI-CUD-E Motorized Universal Condenser Dry (0.88) For DIC, phase contrast, darkfield observations Attached on NI-SSR Substage	_	_		
Condensers (NA)	Manual	NI-CUD Universal Condenser Dry (0.88) C-AB Abbe Condenser (0.90) C-AR Achromat Condenser (0.80) C-DO Darkfield Condenser Oil (1.20-1.43) C-DD Darkfield Condenser Dry (0.80-0.95) C-AA Achromat Aplanatic Condenser (1.40) C-SA Slide Achromat Condenser 2-100X (0.90) C-SW Swing-out Achromat Condenser 1-100X (0.90/0.11) C-SWA Swing-out Achromat Condenser 2-100X (0.90/0.22) C-LAR LWD Achromat Condenser (0.65) D-CUO DIC Condenser Oil (1.40)	· FN-C LWD Condenser (0.78) (for DIC and oblique light illumination)	NI-CUD Universal Condenser Dry (0.88) C-AB Abbe Condenser (0.90) C-AR Achromat Condenser (0.80) C-DD Darkfield Condenser Oil (1.20-1.43) C-DD Darkfield Condenser Dry (0.80-0.95) C-AA Achromat Aplanatic Condenser (1.40) C-SA Slide Achromat Condenser 2-100X (0.90 C-SW Swing-out Achromat Condenser 1-100X (0.90/0.11) C-PH Phase Contrast Turret Condenser (0.90)* C-SWA Swing-out Achromat Condenser 2-100X (0.90/0.22) C-LAR LWD Achromat Condenser (0.65) D-CUD DIC Condenser Oil (1.40)		
Fu:	Filter cube turret	6 filter cubes mountable, High S/N noise terminator m · NI-FLT6-E Motorized Epi-fluorescence Cube Turret Motorized shutter, Status check function ⁴ · NI-FLT6-I Intelligent Epi-fluorescence Cube Turret Manual shutter, Status check function ⁴ · NI-FLT6 Epi-fluorescence Cube Turret Manual shutter	echanism for all turrets			
Epi- fluorescence illuminator	Light distribution device	NI-FLEI Epi-fluorescence Attachment Aperture diaphragm and field diaphragm (Centerable NI-PAU NI Photoactivation Unit (405 nm to 650 nm least).				
Option		NI-BAW-E Motorized Barrier Filter Wheel filters mountable, 0.2 sec between adjacent positi NI-EXW-E Motorized Excitation Filter Wheel 8 filters mountable, 0.15 sec between adjacent position. NI-SH-E Motorized Shutter 0.012 sec between open and close state	NI-SH-E Motorized Shutter 0.012 sec between open and close state			
Epi-illuminatio	n light source	- C-LEDFI Epi-FI LED Illuminator - C-HGFI/HGFIE HG Precentered Fiber Illuminator Inter - Hg Lamphouse and Power Supply (100W)*2 - Halogen Lamphouse and Transformer (100W)*2	nsilight (130W)			
Power consumption		211W (with max. halogen lamp intensity and full motorized options)	96W (with max. halogen lamp intensity and full motorized options)	Main body: 133W (with max. halogen lamp intensity) Control Box B: 29W (with full motorized options)		
Weight (approx.)		29 kg (Epi-fluorescent configuration with motorized quadrocular tilting tube)	42 kg (Photoactivation configuration with motorized quadrocular tilting tube)	20 kg (Brightfield configuration with ergonomic binocular tube)		

*1 When used with a double layer, such as with layered epi-fluorescence cube turrets, F.O.V. is 22.

*2 Cannot be used with the focusing nosepiece type.

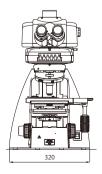
*3 Can only be mounted on the NI-SS Substage.

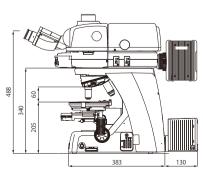
*4 Status check function: Status of Filter/Nosepiece etc. can be recorded with captured images and/or displayed on the controller monitor.

Unit: mm

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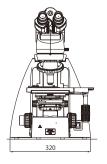
Configured with an epi-fluorescence cube turret and quadrocular tilting tube

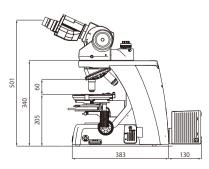




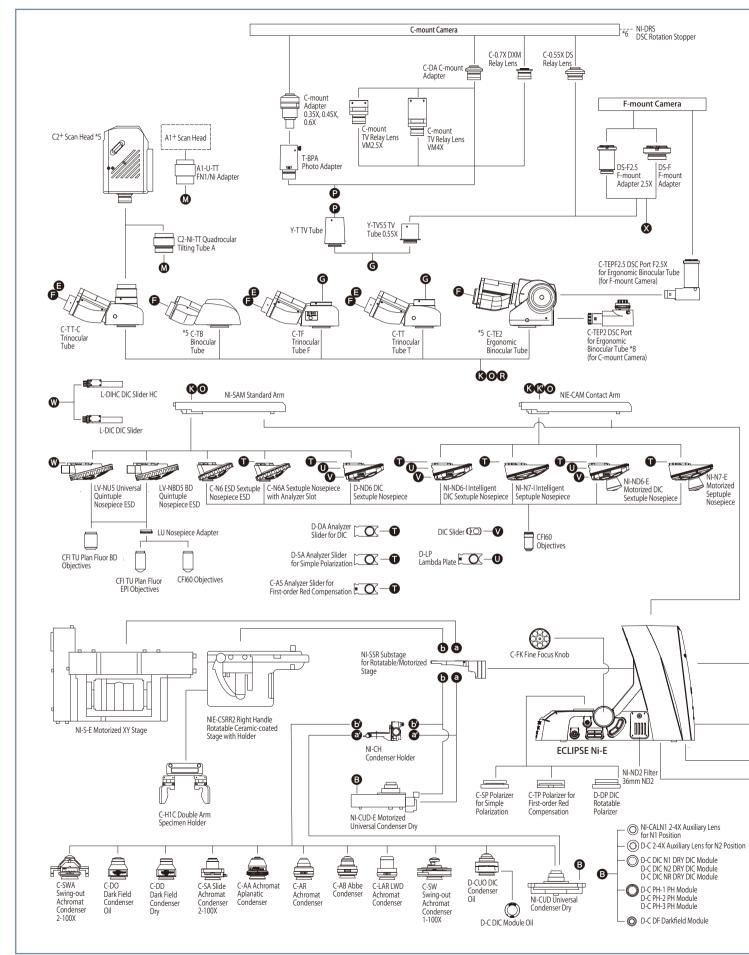
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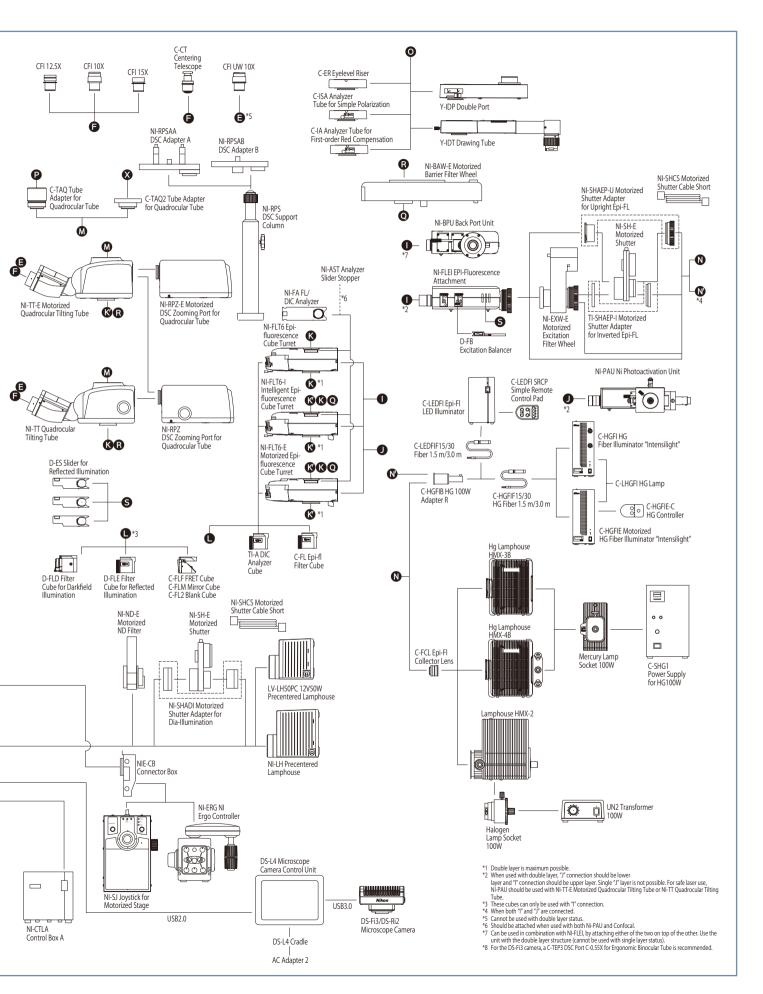
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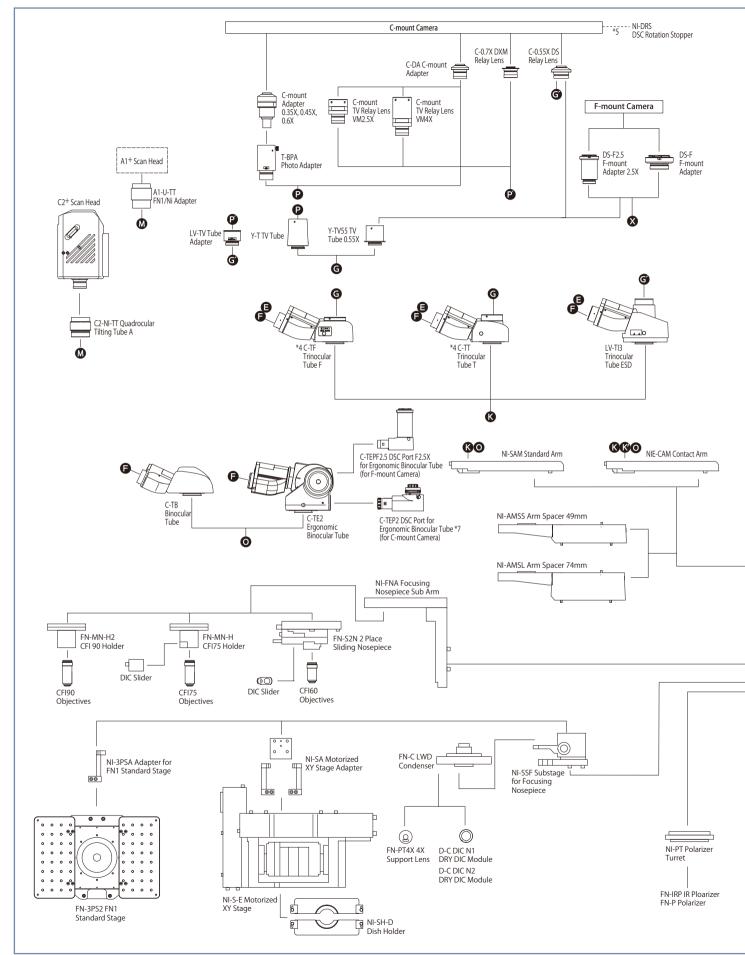


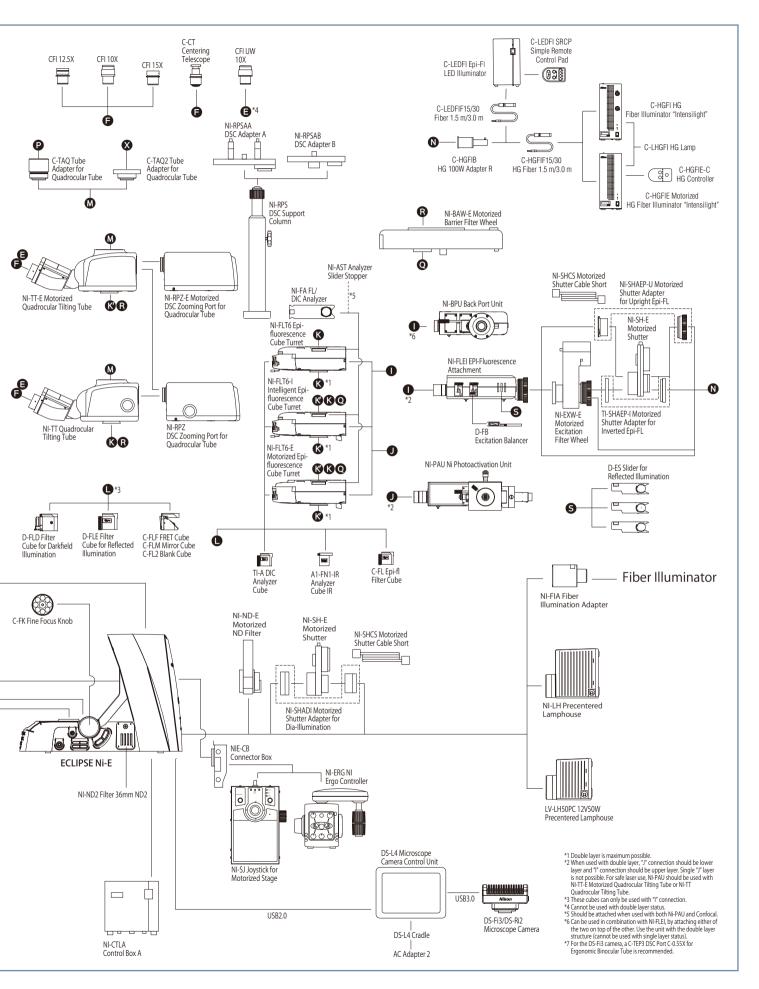
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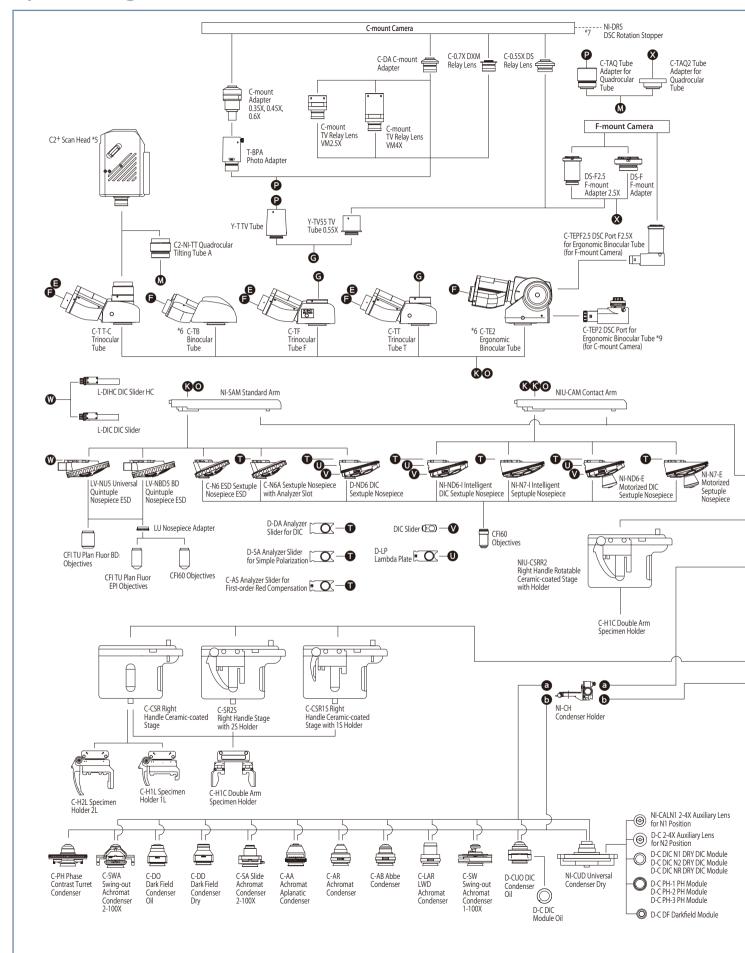


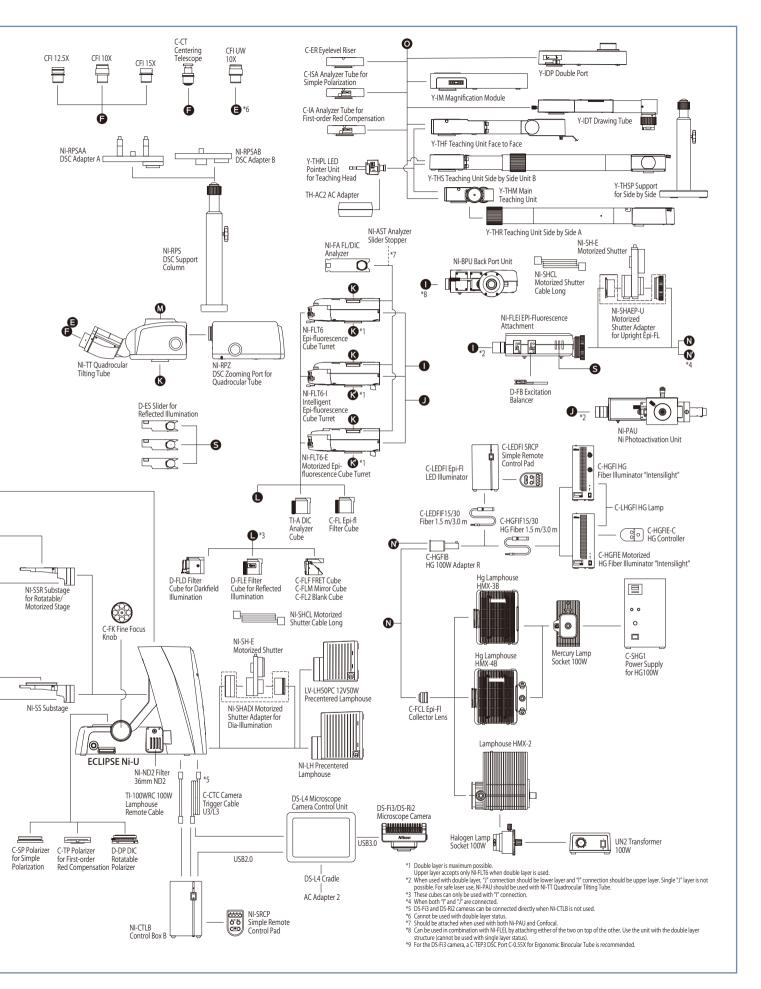
System diagram: Ni-E focusing nosepiece type





System diagram: Ni-U



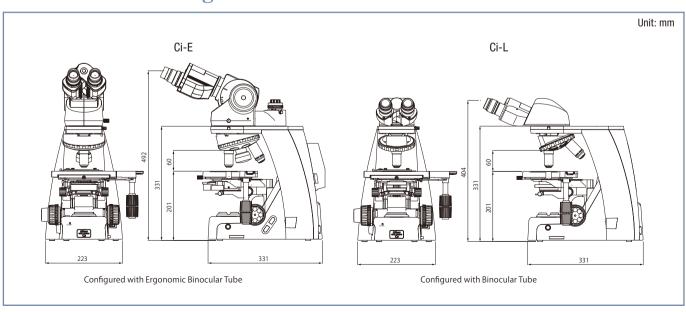


Ci Specifications

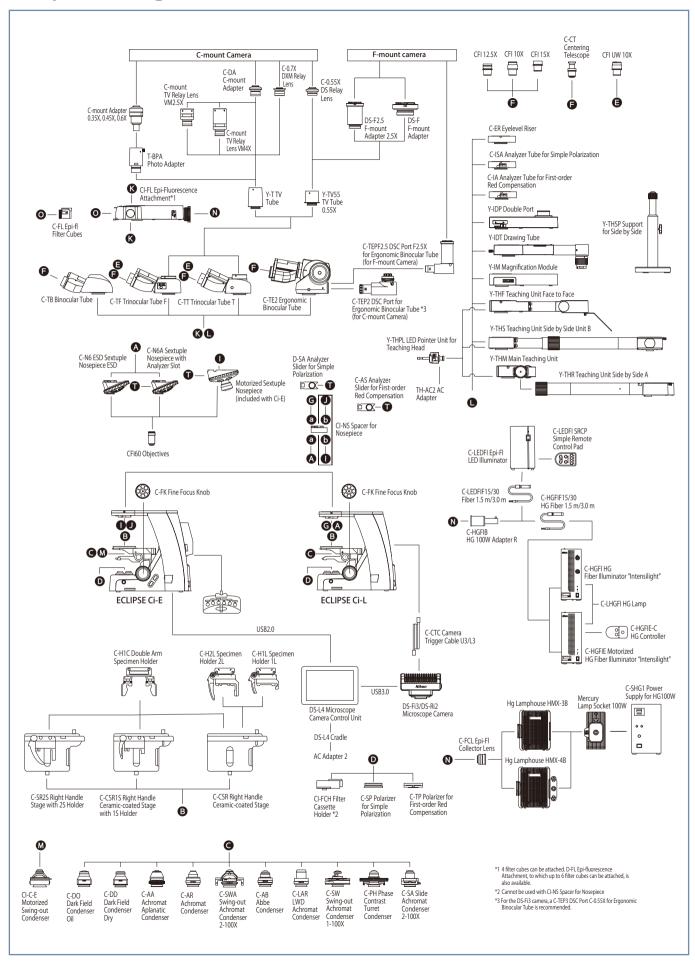
		Ci-E	Ci-L						
	Optical system	CFI60 Infinity Optical System							
	111	High luminescent White LED Illuminator (Eco-illumination)							
	Illumination	Automatic intensity reproduction function —							
		Image capture button							
Main body	Controls	Nosepiece rotating buttons Remote control pad	_						
	Eyepieces (F.O.V. mm)	· CFI 10X (22) · CFI 12.5X (16) · CFI 15X (14.5) · CFI UW 10X (25)							
	Focusing	Coaxial Coarse/Fine focusing, Focusing stroke: 30 mm, Coarse: 9.33 mm/rotation, Fine: 0.1 mm/rotation Coarse motion torque adjustable, Refocusing function							
F.O.V. 22 mm (Eyepiece/Port)		- C-TB Binocular Tube - C-TE2 Ergonomic Binocular Tube (100/0, 50/50 via optional C-TEP2 DSC Port or C-TEPF2.5 DSC Port F2.5X) Inclination angle: 10-30 degree, Extension: up to 40 mm							
F.O.V. 25 mm (Eyepiece/Port)		· C-TF Trinocular Tube F (100/0, 0/100) · C-TT Trinocular Tube T (100/0, 20/80, 0/100)							
Nosepieces		Motorized Sextuple Nosepiece with Analyzer Slot (Within main body) Switching between two objectives function	· C-N6 ESD Sextuple Nosepiece ESD · C-N6A Sextuple Nosepiece with Analyzer Slot						
Stages		Cross travel 78 (X) × 54 (Y) mm, with vernier calibrations, stage handle height and torque adjustable for all stages C-H1C Double Arm Specimen Holder is available as an option for the below three stages. - C-SR2S Right Handle Stage with 2S Holder - C-CSR1S Right Handle Ceramic-coated Stage with 1S Holder - C-CSR Right Handle Ceramic-coated Stage (C-H2L Specimen Holder 2L and C-H1L Specimen Holder 1L can be attached)							
Condensers (NA)	Motorized	· CI-C-E Motorized Swing-out Condenser (0.90/0.22) Focusing stroke: 27 mm	_						
Manual		Focusing stroke: 27 mm · C-AB Abbe Condenser (0.90) · C-AR Achromat Condenser (0.80) · C-DO Darkfield Condenser Oil (1.20-1.43) · C-DD Darkfield Condenser Dry (0.80-0.95) · C-PH Phase Contrast Turret Condenser (0.90) · C-AA Achromat/ Aplanat Condenser (1.40) · C-SA Slide Achromat Condenser 2-100X (0.90) · C-SW Swing-out Achromat Condenser 1-100X (0.90/0.11) · C-SWA Swing-out Achromat Condenser 2-100X (0.90/0.22) · C-LAR LWD Achromat Condenser (0.65)							
Observation methods*		Brightfield, Epi-fluorescence, Darkfield, Phase contrast, Simple polarizing, Sensitive color polarizing							
Epi-fluorescence attachment		CI-FL Epi-fluorescence Attachment (4 filter cubes mountable) D-FL Epi-fluorescence Attachmennt (6 filter cubes mountable) ND4/ND8/ND16 filters, Noise Terminator mechanism							
Epi-fluorescence light source		C-LEDFI Epi-FI LED Illuminator C-HGFI/HGFIE HG Precentered Fiber Illuminator Intensilight (130W) Hg Lamphouse and Power Supply (100W)							
Power consum	nption	13W (Brightfield configuration)	6W (Brightfield configuration)						
Weight (appro	ox.)	15.4 kg (Binocular standard set)	13.4 kg (Binocular standard set)						

 $[\]hbox{*} Observations \ except \ Bright field \ require \ optional \ accessories.}$

Ci Dimensional Diagram



Ci System Diagram





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