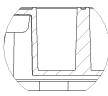
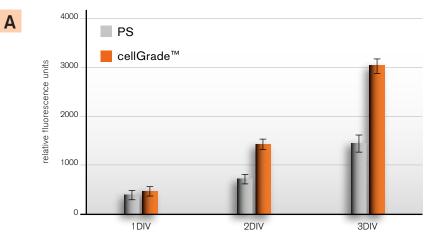
## Proliferation of HEK293 cells on BRAND plates® cellGrade™ plus surface

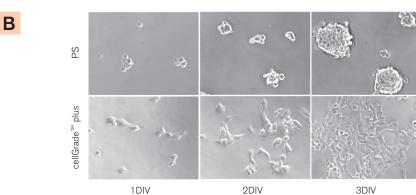
## Culture conditions

For each experiment HEK293 cells were seeded at a density of 6000 cells/cm<sup>2</sup> in wells of transparent 96-well F-bottom

BRAND plates and cultivated in DMEM medium containing 7 % FCS at  $37^{\circ}$  C, 95% relative humidity and 5 % CO $_2$ .







A Metabolic activity measured by resazurin-resafurin turn over is used for relative quantification of cell numbers after 1, 2 and 3 days post seeding. HEK293 cells were incubated in presence of 50 μM resazurin for 3 hours prior to fluorescence measurement (Ex 506 nm/Em 635 nm) in a plate reader (GeminiEM Molecular Devices). HEK293 cells cultivated on BRAND*plates*® cellGrade™ plus show higher fluorescence signals indicating higher cell numbers after 2 and 3 days in vitro (DIV) when compared to non-treated microplates (PS). Resafurin fluorescence measured in cell-free wells was used for background correction. Data represent mean with standard deviation of 8 measurements.

**B** Representative images of HEK293 cells cultivated on non treated (PS) and cellGrade<sup>™</sup> plus treated microplates at corresponding time points (200 x magnification).

## Conclusion

BRAND *plates*<sup>®</sup> with cellGrade<sup>™</sup> plus surface perfectly support attachment and proliferation of HEK293 cells.

