

## Protein microarray

Prolinx Inc., the United States, has introduced its latest protein microarray product line. Versalinx Protein Microarray technology is an open platform array system that utilizes a synthetic chemical affinity surface chemistry based on the reversible complexation of phenylboronic acid with salicylhydroxamic acid. Prolinx has developed and holds 26 issued and additional pending patents on the Versalinx chemistry.

The protein microarray system includes a high-capacity, stable, optimized array substrate ( $3 \times 1$  inch glass slides), pre-formulated buffers and wash solutions. Prolinx is expanding its Versalinx tools line by offering Versalinx Proteomics Grade Protein Conjugation Reagents. These new products are compatible with common laboratory spotting and detection instrumentation to allow rapid and efficient implementation into basic research, proteomics and drug discovery applications. (Genetic Engineering News, 15 November 2001)