

[ABSTRACT]

METHOD FOR DETERMINING A PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTION

5 A method for determining an interaction between a
first protein and a second protein comprises the steps of:
 expressing in a cell or introducing into a cell
 a first fusion protein comprising the first
protein, a multimerizable protein, and a fluorescent
10 protein, and
 a second fusion protein comprising the second
protein and a multimerizable protein;
 detecting a fluorescent focus formed by an
association between the first fusion protein and the second
15 fusion protein in the cell; and
 determining an interaction between the first protein
and the second protein according to the detection of the
fluorescent focus.

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Figure 1