

## Can I use a laser to make a detection window for the Controlled Flow and Zero Flow capillaries – FAQ

No, these capillaries have a special, covalently bonded coating on the inside capillary wall (linear polyacrylamide) that may be damaged using a laser or heat.

The outer polyimide coating can be removed by a *specific protocol for this purpose*. This procedure uses fuming sulfuric acid to chemically remove the outer polyimide coating.



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