COMPARISON OF CELLSORTER TECHNOLOGY WITH COMPETING METHODS

CellSorter	CELLSORTER		OTHER METHODS			
	VALVE CONTROL	PIEZO HEAD	OTHER ROBOTS USING MICRO- PIPETTES	FACS	DROPLET BASED DEVICES	MANUAL PIPETTING
Imaging Based Cell Selection	1	4	5	×	×	4
Fluorescent Markers Correlated to the DNA/RNA Sequence	1	1	1	1	×	1
Appropriate for Sensitive Cells	 Image: A second s	 Image: A second s	√	X	 Image: A second s	√
Appropriate for Cell Suspension	X	√	×	√	√	
Isolation of Rare Cells		√		×	×	
Installation on Various Microscopes	1	√	X	N/A	N/A	
Low Operation Cost	1	√		×	×	×
Low Device Cost	\	√	X	×	√	1
Reduced Hands-On Time	/	√		\	√	×
Compact Device	×	-	×	1	1	N/A