L-Galactose-1,4-Lactone Dehydrogenase (Gal LDH) Assay Kit

Note: Take two or three different samples for prediction before test.

Operation Equipment: Spectrophotometer

Cat No: BC1250

Size:50T/48S

Product Composition: Before use, please carefully check whether the volume of the reagent is consistent with the volume in the bottle. If you have any questions, please contact Solarbio staff in time.

Reagent name	Size	Preservation Condition
Extract solution	Liquid 60 mL×1	2-8℃
Reagent I	Powder×1	-20℃
Reagent II	Powder×1	2-8℃

Solution Preparation:

1. Reagent I: Dissolve thoroughly with 40 mL distilled water before use.
2. Reagent II: Dissolve thoroughly with 5 mL distilled water before use.

Product Description:

L-galactose way is the key for the synthesis of AsA. Gal LDH is located in the mitochondrial inner membrane and is responsible for the final step of catalyzing the biosynthesis of AsA in plants. Gal LDH is one of the key enzymes in this pathway. It plays an important role in the accumulation of AsA in plants. Gal LDH catalyzes the reduction of L-galactonolactone to oxidized cytochrome c (Cyt c). Reduced Cyt c has an absorption peak at 550 nm. Measure the increasing rate of reduced Cyt c can calculate the activity of Gal LDH.

Reagents and Equipment Required but Not Provided:

Spectrophotometer, desk centrifuge, adjustable pipette, 1 mL glass cuvette, mortar/homogenizer, ice and distilled water.

Procedure:

I. Sample extraction

Add 1 mL of Extract solution into 0.1 g of sample, fully grind on ice. Centrifuge at 13000 g and 4℃ for 10 min. Supernatant on ice is ready for test.

II. Determination procedure

1. Preheat spectrophotometer for 30 min, adjust the wavelength to 550 nm, set zero with distilled water.
2. According to the sample amount, take Reagent I at 25℃ in water bath for 30 min. The rest store at -20℃.
3. Blank tube: Add 100 μL of distilled water, 800 μL of Reagent I and 100 μL of Reagent II in 1 mL glass cuvette, mix thoroughly, detect absorbance for 10s and 130s at 550 nm, record the absorbance A1 at 10s and A2 at 130s. ΔA(B)= A2-A1.
4. Test tube: Add 100 μL of supernatant, 800 μL of Reagent I and 100 μL of Reagent II in 1 mL glass

cuvette, mix thoroughly and quicky, detect absorbance for 10s and 130s at 550 nm, record the absorbance A3 at 10s and A4 at 130s. ΔA(T)= A4-A3.

III. Calculation:

1. Protein concentration:

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Gal LDH (U/mg prot) = [ΔA(T)-ΔA(B)] ÷(ε×d) ×Vrv×10^6÷(Vs×Cpr) ÷T

=0.289×[ΔA(T)-ΔA(B)] ÷Cpr

2. Sample weight:

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Gal LDH(U/g) =[ΔA(T)-ΔA(B)] ÷(ε×d) ×Vrv×106÷(Vs÷Vsv×W) ÷T

=0.289×[ΔA(T)-ΔA(B)] ÷W

ε: Reduced Cyt c molar extinction coefficient, 17.3×10^6 L/mol/cm;

d: Light path of cuvette, 1 cm;

Vrv: Total reaction volume,1 mL=0.001 L;

10^6:1 mol=1×10^6 μmol;

Vs: Supernate volume, 100 μl=0.1 mL;

Vsv: Extraction volume, 1 mL;

Cpr: Supernatant protein concentration (mg/mL); need to detect separately, suggest use PC0020, BCA Protein Assay Kit;

T: Reaction time, 2 min;

W: Sample weight, g;

Note:

1. Note the temperature when detecting enzyme activity suggest that take a beaker with 37℃ distilled water, put the cuvette and react solution in 37℃ beaker.
2. Advice that two person conduct the experiment, One person measures absorbance and the other one record data time to make accuracy of the experimental results.
3. After adding the last reagent, mix thoroughly and quickly and detect the OD value.

Examples:

1. Add 0.1g kiwi fruit to 1mL extract solution and grind thoroughly on ice, centrifuge with 13000g at 4℃ for 10min, take supernatant on ice, follow the determination procedure to operate, and calculate ΔA (T)=A4-A3=0.881-0.784=0.097, ΔA(B)=A2-A1=0, according with mass of sample to calculate enzyme activity: Gal LDH（U/g weight）=0.289×(ΔA (T)-ΔA (B))÷W=0.2803 U/g weight.

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BC1240/BC1245	Dehydroascorbic Acid (DHA) Assay Kit
BC0650/BC0655	Monodehydroascorbate Reductase(MDHAR) Activity Assay Kit