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# **Hydroxyl Radical Scavenging Capacity Assay Kit**

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

**Operation Equipment:** Spectrophotometer

Catalog Number: AK0454

**Size:**50T/48S

#### **Components:**

Extract solution: Liquid 55 mL×1. Storage at 4°C.

Reagent I: Liquid 10 mL×1. Storage at 4°C, avoid light.

Reagent II: Liquid 20 mL×1. Storage at 4°C. Reagent III: Liquid 20 mL×1. Storage at 4°C.

Reagent IV: Liquid 0.1 mL×1 Storage at 4°C, avoid light. Add 9.84 mL of distilled water before use, mix

thoroughly. You also can prepare in proportion when the Reagent will be used. Store at 4°C for one week.

# **Product Description**

Hydroxyl radical is a kind of free radical produced by human body in the course of metabolism, which is highly toxic and harmful to organisms. It can cause oxidative damage to carbohydrates, amino acids, proteins and nucleic acids in tissues, leading to cell necrosis or mutation. Hydroxyl radical scavenging capacity is one of the important indicators of antioxidant capacity of samples. It has been widely used in the research of antioxidant health products and medicines.

 $H_2O_2/Fe^{2+}$  generates hydroxyl radicals through Fenton reaction, and oxidizes  $Fe^{2+}$  into  $Fe^{3+}$  in the aqueous reagent of phenanthroline- $Fe^{2+}$ , resulting in the decreased absorbance of 536 nm, and the inhibition of the decreased rate of absorbance of 536 nm, reflecting the ability of scavenging hydroxyl radicals of samples.

## Reagents and Equipment Required but Not Provided.

Spectrophotometer, constant temperature water bath, centrifuge, 1 mL glass cuvette, mortar/homogenizer and distilled water.

## **Procedure**

## I. Sample preparation

- 1. Tissue samples: Add 0.1 g of tissue to 1 mL of Extract solution on ice bath for homogenate; centrifuge at 10000 g and 4°C for 10 min. Take supernatant on ice for test.
- 2. Serum, juice or other liquid samples can be measured directly.
- 3. Extract (or drug) can be prepared in a certain concentration, such as 5 mg/mL.

# II. Determination procedure

1. Preheat spectrophotometer for 30 min, adjust the wavelength to 536 nm, set the counter to zero with distilled water.



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2. Sample list: add the following reagents to 1.5 mL EP tube.

	Blank Tube (A <sub>B</sub> )	Control Tube (A <sub>C</sub> )	Test Tube (A <sub>T</sub> )
Reagent I (mL)	0.15	0.15	0.15
Reagent II (mL)	0.3	0.3	0.3
Reagent III (mL)	0.3	0.3	0.3
Mix thoroughly to prevent excessive color.			
Sample (mL)			0.15
Reagent IV (mL)		0.15	0.15
H <sub>2</sub> O (mL)	0.75	0.60	0.45

Mix thoroughly, place at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 60 min. Centrifuge at 10000 rpm for 10 min. Take the supernatant for test. Measure the absorbance at 536 nm. Denote the absorbance values of blank tube, control tube and test tube record as  $A_B$ ,  $A_C$  and  $A_T$ . Test the control tube and blank tube only once or twice.

### III. Calculations

Hydroxyl Radical Scavenging rate  $D\% = (A_T - A_C) \div (A_B - A_C) \times 100\%$ 

#### Note:

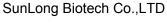
- 1. In order to compare the hydroxyl radical scavenging capacity of different samples, it is necessary that adding the same amount of samples to the same batch of samples. Add the same volume of liquid samples to serum, tissue homogenate, juice and so on, and prepare the extract (or drug) to the same concentration.
- 2. When there are too many samples, the working solution can be prepared according to the ratio of Reagent II: Reagent III = 0.15:0.3:0.3. Prepare when the solution will be used.

#### **Examples:**

- 1. Add 0. 1g liver to 1mL extract solution and grind thoroughly, take supernatant, follow the determination procedure to operate, and calculate: Hydroxyl Radical Scavenging Rate D% = $(A_T-A_C) \div (A_B -A_C) \times 100\% = (0.889-0.209) \div (0.959-0.209) \times 100\% = 90.67\%$ .
- Add 0. 1g barnyardgrass (Echinochloa crus-galli (L.) Beauv.) to 1mL extract solution and grind thoroughly, take supernatant, follow the determination procedure to operate, and calculate: Hydroxyl Radical Scavenging Rate D% = $(A_T-A_C) \div (A_B-A_C) \times 100\% = (0.796-0.209) \div (0.959-0.209) \times 100\% = 78.27\%$ .
- 3. Take 0. 1g rabbit serum, follow the determination procedure to operate, and calculate: Hydroxyl Radical Scavenging Rate D% = $(A_T-A_C) \div (A_B-A_C) \times 100\% = (0.629-0.209) \div (0.959-0.209) \times 100\% = 56\%$ .

#### **Recent Product citations:**

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