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Cytosolic Isocitrate Dehydrogenase (ICDHc) Assay Kit

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

Operation Equipment: Spectrophotometer

Cat No: AK0550 **Size:**50T/48S

Components:

Extract solution: Liquid 100 mL×1. Storage at 4°C.

Reagent I: Powder×1. Storage at 4°C. Dissolve it thoroughly with 50 mL of Extract solution before use.

Reagent II: Powder×2. Storage at 4°C. Dissolve it thoroughly with 275 µL of distilled water before use.

Reagent III: Powder×2. Storage at 4°C . Dissolve it thoroughly with 275 μL of distilled water before use.

Working solution: Mix the Reagent I, Reagent II and Reagent III as a ratio of 85:1:1.

Product Description:

ICDHc widely exist in animals, plants, microorganisms and cultured cells, which catalyzes isocitric acid dehydrogenize and decarboxylate to form α-ketoglutaric acid, reduce NADP+ to form NADPH. ICDHc is a source of NADPH except pentose phosphate pathway, the enzyme activity will change significantly in adversity.

ICDHc catalyzes NADP+ to form NADPH, the activity of ICDHc can be detected by the increase of NADPH concentration at 340 nm.

Reagents and Equipment Required but Not Provided:

Ultraviolet Spectrophotometer, constant temperature water bath, desk centrifuge, adjustable pipette, 1 mL quartz cuvette, mortar/homogenizer, ice and distilled water.

Sample preparation:

- Cells or bacteria: Collect bacteria or cells into centrifuge tube, after centrifugation discard supernatant. Suggest 2 million of bacteria or cells with 0.4 mL of Extract solution, splitting with ultrasonic (ice bath, power 20%, work time 3s, interval 10s, for 30 times). Centrifuge at 8000 ×g for 10 minutes at 4°C to remove insoluble materials and take the supernatant on ice before test.
- Tissue: Add 1 mL of Extract solution into 0.1 g of tissue, fully grinding on ice. Centrifuge at 8000 ×g for 10 minutes at 4°C to remove insoluble materials and take the supernatant on ice before test.
- Serum (plasma): Detect directly.

Procedure:

- Preheat spectrophotometer for 30 minutes, set the counter to zero with distilled water.
- 2. Add the following reagents to 1 mL glass cuvette:

Reagent	Test tube (T)
Working solution (μL)	950



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Sample (μL)	50

Add working solution and sample to 1 mL quartz cuvette. Mix thoroughly and timing, measure the absorption at 340 nm at 20s recorded as A1, then put the cuvette and react solution to 37°C water bath for 2 minutes. Take out and dry it quickly, detect the absorbance at 340 nm at 2 min 20 s, recorded as A2, calculate $\Delta A = \Delta A_2 - \Delta A_1$.

Calculation:

1) Serum (plasma)

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzyme catalyzes the production of 1 nmol of NADPH per min in react system every milliliter of serum (plasma).

ICDHc (U/mL)=
$$(\Delta A \div d \div \epsilon \times Vrv \times 10^9) \div Vs \div T = 1608 \times \Delta A$$

2) Tissue:

A. Protein concentration:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzyme catalyzes the production of 1 nmol of NADPH per min in react system every milligram of tissue protein.

ICDHc (U/mg prot)=
$$(\Delta A \div d \div \epsilon \times Vrv \times 10^9) \div (Cpr \times Vs) \div T = 1608 \times \Delta A \div Cpr$$

B. Sample weight

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzyme catalyzes the production of 1 nmol of NADPH per min in react system every gram of tissue.

ICDHc (U/g weight)=
$$(\Delta A \div d \div \epsilon \times Vrv \times 10^9) \div (W \div Ve \times Vs) \div T = 1608 \times \Delta A \div W$$

3) Bacteria or cells:

A. Protein concentration:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzyme catalyzes the production of 1 nmol of NADPH per min in react system every milligram of tissue protein.

ICDHc (U/mg prot)=
$$(\Delta A \div d \div \epsilon \times Vrv \times 10^9) \div (Cpr \times Vs) \div T = 1608 \times \Delta A \div Cpr$$

B. Density of bacteria or cell:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzyme catalyzes the production of 1 nmol of NADPH per min in react system every 10000 bacteria or cells.

ICDHc (U/10⁴ cell)=
$$(\Delta A \div d \div \epsilon \times Vrv \times 10^9) \div (500 \times Vs) \div T = 3.2 \times \Delta A$$

Cpr: Sample concentration (mg/mL);

W: Sample weight(g);

Vs: Enzyme solution volume (mL), 0.05 mL;

Ve: Extract solution added volume(mL), 1 mL;

Vrv: Total reaction volume, 1 mL;

T: Reaction time (min), 2 minutes;

500: Cells or bacteria amount, 5 million/mL;

d: Light path, 1 cm;

ε: ICDHc extinction coefficient, 6.22×10³ L/mol/cm.



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Note:

- Dilute enzyme with extract solution if A2-A1>0.5 or A1>0.5 to make it less than 0.5, which can 1. improve detect sensitivity.
- 2. Put reagent II and III on the ice to avoid denaturation and inactivation, put working solution in 37°C water bath.
- Keep 37°C of the react solution in cuvette, add 37°C water to a beaker, put this beaker in 37°C water 3 bath and put the cuvette in this beaker.
- It is better for two people to do this experiment at the same time, one for colorimetric and the other for timing to ensure the accuracy of the experimental results.

Experimental Examples:

1. Take 0. 1g of Echinochloa crusgalli, add 1 mL of extract, homogenize in ice bath, then centrifuge at 8000g and 4°C for 10 min, take the supernatant, then operate according to the determination steps, measure and calculate $\Delta A = A2-A1 = 0.240-0.224=0.016$ with micro quartz cuvette, and calculate the enzyme activity according to the sample mass

Icdhc (U/g mass) = $1608 \times \Delta A \div W = 257.28 \text{ U/g mass}$.

2. Take 0. 1g of mouse kidney tissue, add 1 mL of extract, homogenize it in ice bath, then centrifuge at 8000g and 4°C for 10min, take the supernatant and dilute it 10 times, then operate according to the determination steps, measure and calculate $\Delta A = A2-A1 = 0.253-0.141=0.112$ with micro quartz plate, and calculate the enzyme activity according to the sample mass

Icdhc (U/g mass) = $1608 \times \Delta A \div W \times 10 = 9004.8 \text{ U/g mass}$.

3. Take the mouse serum samples for direct detection, and calculate $\Delta A = A2 - A1 = 0.225 - 0.2 = 0.025$ ICDHc(U/mL) = $1608 \times \Delta A = 40.2 \text{ U/mL}$.

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