

# Glucose Oxidase Activity Assay Kit (Colorimetric)

Glucose Oxidase Activity Assay Kit (Colorimetric) can be used to measure Glucose Oxidase activity in cell / tissue lysate and cell culture supernatants.

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For research use only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

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#### INTRODUCTION

The glucose oxidase enzyme (GOx or GOD) also known as notatin (EC number 1.1.3.4) is an oxidoreductase that catalyses the oxidation of glucose to hydrogen peroxide and D-glucono- $\delta$ -lactone. This enzyme is produced by certain species of fungi and insects and displays antibacterial activity when oxygen and glucose are present.

Glucose oxidase is widely used for the determination of free glucose in body fluids (medical testing), in vegetal raw material, and in the food industry. It also has many applications in biotechnologies, typically enzyme assays for biochemistry including biosensors in nanotechnologies. It was first isolated by Detlev Müller in 1928 from Aspergillus niger. [Provide by Wikipedia: Glucose oxidase]

#### **PRINCIPLE OF THE ASSAY**

This Glucose oxidase Activity Assay Kit (Colorimetric) is a simple assay that measures the amount of glucose oxidase present in biological samples. This assay kit uses a single Working Reagent that combines the glucose oxidase reaction and color reaction in one step. The change in color intensity of the reaction product at 570 nm or fluorescence intensity at  $\lambda$ ex/em = 530/585 nm is directly proportional to glucose oxidase activity in the sample.

#### **MATERIALS PROVIDED & STORAGE INFORMATION**

The kit is shipped on ice. Store all components at -20°C upon receiving. Shelf life: 6 months after receipt.

Component	Quantity	Storage information
Assay Buffer	10 mL	-20°C
HRP Enzyme	120 μL	-20°C
Glucose (2 M)	1.5 mL	-20°C
Dye Reagent	120 μL	-20°C
Standard (3% H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> )	100 μL	-20°C

#### MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- Microplate reader capable of reading at O.D. 570 nm
- Fluorescence microplate reader capable of reading excitation at 530 nm and emission at 585 nm
- Centrifuge and centrifuge tube
- Clear or black flat-bottom 96 well microplate
- Deionized or distilled water
- Pipettes, pipette tips and multichannel micropipette reservoir

## **TECHNICAL NOTES AND PRECAUTIONS**

- Wear protective gloves, clothing, eye, and face protection especially while handling blood or body fluid samples.
- Reagents are for research use only. Normal precautions for laboratory reagents should be exercised while using the reagents. Please refer to Material Safety Data Sheet for detailed information.
- All reagents should be mixed by gentle inversion or swirling prior to use. Do not induce foaming.
- Before using the kit, spin tubes and bring down all components to the bottom of tubes.
- It is highly recommended assaying the Standards and samples in duplicates.
- Change pipette tips between the addition of different reagent or samples.

#### SAMPLE COLLECTION & STORAGE INFORMATION

The sample collection and storage conditions listed below are intended as general guidelines. Sample stability has not been evaluated.

**Cell or tissue lysate:** Collect cell or tissue into centrifuge tube, discard the supernatant after centrifugation, add 1 mL of 1X PBS for  $5 \times 10^6$  cell or 0.1 g tissue, sonicate (with power 20%, sonication 3s, intervation 10s, repeat 30 times); centrifuged at 10,000 x g for 20 minutes at 4°C, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

**Cell culture supernatant:** To remove insoluble particles, centrifuge at 10,000 x g for 20 minutes at 4°C. The supernatant should be assayed directly.

Note:

• Samples can be analyzed immediately after collection, or stored in aliquots at-20°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

### **REAGENT PREPARATION**

- Working Reagent: for each reaction, mixing 75 μL of Assay Buffer, 10 μL of 2 M Glucose, 1 μL of HRP Enzyme (votex briefly before pipetting) and 1 μL of Dye Reagent. Prepare immediately before assay.
- Standards: Mix 5 μL of 3% H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> and 914 μL of distilled water (final 4.8 mM) then mix 20 μL of the 4.8 mM H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> with 460 μL of distilled water to yield 200 μM H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. Prepare standards as shown in the Table below.

Standard tube	H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> (μM)	Distilled water (µL)	Premix 200 μM H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> (μL)
S1	200	0	100
S2	120	40	60
S3	60	70	30
S4	0	100	0

#### ASSAY PROCEDURE

Equilibrate reagents to room temperature. Briefly centrifuge tubes before use.

#### COLORIMETRIC PROCEDURE

	Standard wells	Sample wells
Standard	20 μL	
Sample		20 µL
Working Reagent	80 µL	80 µL
Tap plate to mix well. Read the absorbance immediately $(OD_0)$ at O.D. 570		
nm (550-585 nm). Incubate for 20 minutes at room temperature, and then		
read the absorbance again ( $OD_{20}$ ).		

#### FLUORIMETRIC PROCEDURE

For fluorimetric assays, the linear detection range is 0.002 to 1.5 U/L glucose oxidase. Dilute the standards from Colorimetric Procedure 10X with distilled water to obtain standards at 20, 12, 6 and 0  $\mu$ M H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

	Standard wells	Sample wells
Standard	20 μL	
Sample		20 µL
Working Reagent	80 µL	80 µL
Tap plate to mix well. Read fluorescence immediately (F <sub>0</sub> ) at $\lambda$ ex/em =		
530/585 nm. Incubate 20 minutes at room temperature, and then read		
fluorescence again (F <sub>20</sub> ).		

# **CALCULATION OF RESULTS**

1. Subtract blank OD<sub>20</sub> or F<sub>20</sub> (distilled water, S4) from all standard OD<sub>20</sub> or F<sub>20</sub> values and plot the  $\Delta$ OD or  $\Delta$ F against standard concentrations. Determine the slope using linear regression. Calculate the  $\Delta$ OD<sub>Sample</sub> or  $\Delta$ F<sub>Sample</sub> of all samples by subtracting OD<sub>0</sub> or F<sub>0</sub> from OD<sub>20</sub> or F<sub>20</sub> for each sample. Do the same for the blank (distilled water, S4) to get  $\Delta$ OD<sub>Blank</sub> or  $\Delta$ F<sub>Blank</sub>. Calculate the activity using the equation below:

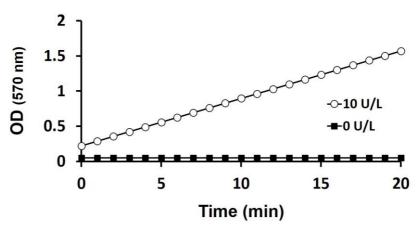
GO Activity (U/L) =  $[(\Delta R_{Sampe} - \Delta R_{Blank}) / (Slope, \mu M^{-1} x t)] x n$ 

Note:

- >  $\Delta R_{Sampe}$  and  $\Delta R_{Blank}$ : the change in optical density or fluorescent values of the sample and blank, respectively.
- Slope is the slope of the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> standard curve, t is the incubation time (20 minutes), and n is the dilution factor.
- If the calculated sample glucose concentration is higher than 10 U/L in colorimetric assay or 1.5 U/L in fluorimetric assay, dilute sample in distilled water and repeat the assay. Multiply result by the dilution factor (n). For samples with low Glucose Oxidase activity, the incubation time can be increased.
- 3. Unit definition: 1 U/L of Glucose Oxidase catalyzes 1  $\mu mole$  of  $H_2O_2$  per minute at pH 7.0 and room temperature.

#### **EXAMPLE OF TYPICAL STANDARD CURVE**

The following figures demonstrate typical results with the Glucose Oxidase Activity Assay Kit (Colorimetric). One should use the data below for reference only. This data should not be used to interpret actual results.



# **Glucose Oxidase**

# **QUALITY ASSURANCE**

#### Sensitivity

OD: 0.02 U/L; FL: 0.002 U/L