



# **Lipase Activity Colorimetric Microplate Assay Kit User Manual**

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Detection and Quantification of Lipase (LPS) Activity in Urine, Serum, Plasma, Tissue extracts, Cell lysate, Cell culture media and Other biological fluids Samples.

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## I. INTRODUCTION

Lipases perform essential roles in the digestion, transport and processing of dietary lipids (e.g. fats and oils) in living organisms. In humans, pancreatic lipase is the key enzyme responsible for breaking down fats in the digestive system by converting triglyceride to monoglyceride and free fatty acid. Pancreatic lipase monitoring is also used to help diagnose Crohn's disease, cystic fibrosis and celiac disease. Damage to the pancreas can exhibit a 5-10 fold increase of serum lipase levels within 24 to 48 hours.

Lipase Activity Colorimetric Microplate Assay Kit provides a simple and direct procedure for measuring lipase activity in a variety of samples. The assay is initiated with the enzymatic catalysis of grease by LPS. The enzyme catalysed reaction products can be measured at a colorimetric readout at 710 nm.

## II.KIT COMPONENTS

| Component             | Volume    | Storage            |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| 96-Well Microplate    | 1 plate   |                    |
| Assay Buffer          | 30mlx 4   | 4 °C               |
| Substrate             | 10 mlx 1  | 4 °C               |
| Reaction Buffer       | 10 ml x 1 | 4 °C               |
| Extracting Solution   | 30 mlx 1  | 4 °C               |
| Dye Reagent           | 10 ml x 1 | 4 °C, keep in dark |
| Standard (500 mmol/L) | 1 ml x 1  | 4 °C               |
| Technical Manual      | 1 Manual  |                    |

### **III. MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED**

1. Microplate reader to read absorbance at 710 nm
2. Distilled water
3. Pipettor, multi-channel pipettor
4. Pipette tips
5. Mortar
6. Centrifuge
7. Timer
8. Vortex mixer

#### IV. REAGENT PREPARATION

**Standard:** Briefly centrifuge prior to opening. Perform 2-fold serial dilutions of the top standard solution using distilled water to make the standard curve. The concentration of standard curve could be 500/250/125/62.5/31.25 mmol/L.

**Substrate:** Please mix and shake the substrate before use.

#### **IV. SAMPLE PREPARATION**

##### **1. For cell and bacteria samples**

Collect cell or bacteria into centrifuge tube, discard the supernatant after centrifugation, add 1 ml Assay Buffer for  $5 \times 10^6$  cell or bacteria, sonicate (with power 20%, sonicate 3s, interval 10s, repeat 30 times); centrifuged at 16,000g 4°C for 40 minutes, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

##### **2. For tissue samples**

Weigh out 0.1 g tissue, homogenize with 1 ml Assay Buffer on ice, centrifuged at 16,000g 4°C for 40 minutes, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

##### **3. For serum or plasma samples**

Detect directly.

## VI. ASSAY PROCEDURE

Warm all reagents to room temperature before use.

Add following reagents in the microcentrifuge tube:

| Reagent*                                                                                                        | Sample** | Standard | Blank  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|--------|
| Substrate                                                                                                       | 100 µl   | --       | 100 µl |
| Reaction Buffer                                                                                                 | 100 µl   | 200 µl   | 100 µl |
| Mix and shake, vortex for 2 minutes.                                                                            |          |          |        |
| Sample                                                                                                          | 20 µl    | --       | --     |
| Standard                                                                                                        | --       | 20 µl    | --     |
| Distilled water                                                                                                 | --       | --       | 20 µl  |
| Mix and shake, vortex for 2 minutes, put it in the oven, 40 °C for 30 minutes.                                  |          |          |        |
| Extracting Solution                                                                                             | 300 µl   | 300 µl   | 300 µl |
| Mix and shake, vortex for 2 minutes, stay for 10 minutes, take the supernatant into a new microcentrifuge tube. |          |          |        |
| The supernatant                                                                                                 | 200 µl   | 200 µl   | 200 µl |
| Dye Reagent                                                                                                     | 100 µl   | 100 µl   | 100 µl |
| Mix and shake, vortex for 2 minutes, stay for 5 minutes, take the supernatant into the microplate.              |          |          |        |
| The supernatant                                                                                                 | 100 µl   | 100 µl   | 100 µl |
| Record absorbance measured at 710 nm.                                                                           |          |          |        |

Note:

\*Reagents must be added sequentially and should not be premixed prior to addition.

\*\*For unknown samples, we recommend doing a pilot experiment & testing several doses to ensure the readings are within the standard curve range. If the enzyme activity is lower, please add more samples into the reaction system; or increase the reaction time; if the enzyme activity is higher, please dilute the sample, or decrease the reaction time.

**\*\***For colored samples, we recommend setting a parallel sample background control well with same volume of sample only. Other reagents were replaced by distilled water to the same total volume. Subtract the OD value of the sample background control from the OD value of the sample to correct for interference from the sample's own color.

## VII. CALCULATION

**Unit Definition:** One unit of LPS activity is the enzyme that generates 1 μmol of Fatty acid per minute.

1. According to the slope of the standard curve

$$\text{Activity} = \frac{(\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) - \text{Intercept}}{\text{Slope} \times T} \times n (\text{U/mL})$$

2. According to one point of the standard OD value and concentration

2.1 According to the protein concentration of sample

$$\text{Activity} = \frac{(C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}})}{(\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) \times V_{\text{Sample}} \times C_{\text{Protein}} \times T} (\text{U/mg})$$

2.2 According to the quantity of cells or bacteria

$$\text{Activity} = \frac{(C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}})}{(\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) \times N \times (V_{\text{Sample}} / V_{\text{Assay}}) \times T} (\text{U}/10^4)$$

2.3 According to the weight of sample

$$\text{Activity} = \frac{(C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}})}{(\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) \times W \times (V_{\text{Sample}} / V_{\text{Assay}}) \times T} (\text{U/g})$$

2.4 According to the volume of sample

$$\text{Activity} = \frac{(C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}})}{(\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) \times V_{\text{Sample}} \times T} (\text{U/mL})$$

Slope: the absorbance slope of standard curve

n: the dilution factor

C<sub>Protein</sub>: the protein concentration of sample, mg/mL

W: the weight of total sample, g

N: the quantity of total cell or bacteria sample, 10<sup>4</sup>

C<sub>Standard</sub>: the concentration of standard, mmol/L = μmol/mL

V<sub>Standard</sub>: the volume of standard in assay procedure, mL

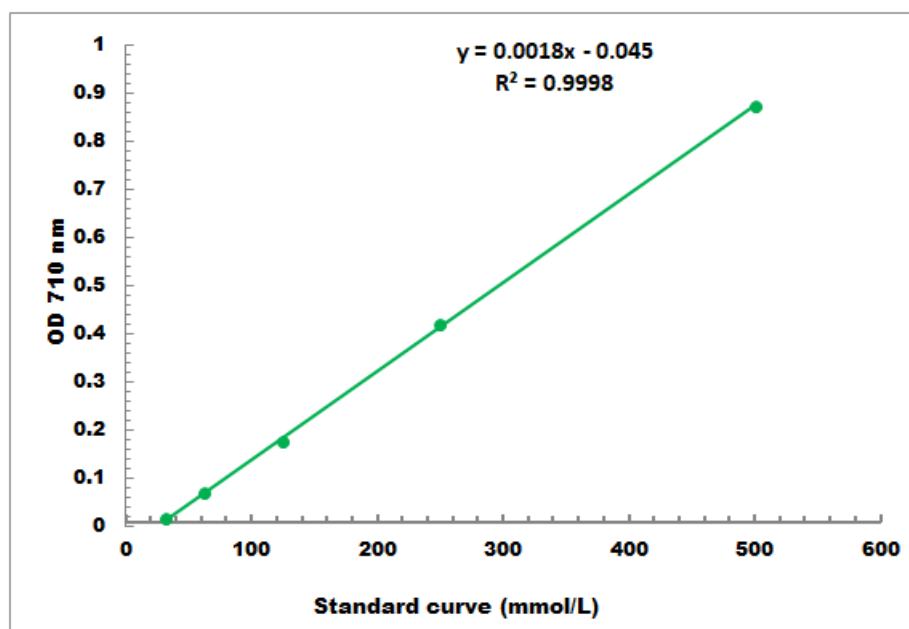
V<sub>Sample</sub>: the volume of sample in assay procedure, mL

$V_{\text{Assay}}$ : the volume of Assay Buffer in sample preparation, mL

T: the reaction time, minute

## VIII. TYPICAL DATA

The standard curve is for demonstration only. A standard curve must be run with each assay.



Detection Range: 50 mmol/L - 500 mmol/L