



endo-beta-Mannanase Microplate Assay Kit User Manual

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Detection and Quantification of endo-beta-Mannanase Activity in
Tissue extracts, Cell lysate, Other biological fluids Samples.

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I. INTRODUCTION

endo-beta-Mannanase (EC 3.2.1.78), also known as Mannan endo-1,4-beta-mannosidase, is an enzyme with systematic name 4-beta-D-mannan mannanohydrolase. This enzyme catalyses the following chemical reaction: Hydrolysis of (1->4)-beta-D-mannosidic linkages in mannans, galactomannans and glucomannans. This cleavage occurs at random internal sites within the chain. endo-beta-Mannanase Microplate Assay Kit is a sensitive assay for determining endo-beta-Mannanase activity in various samples. endo-beta-Mannanase hydrolyzes the mannan to generate mannose. Mannose react with 3,5-dinitrosalicylic acid to generate red-brown substance. The color intensity, measured at 540 nm, is proportionate to the enzyme activity in the sample.

II. KIT COMPONENTS

Component	Volume	Storage
96-Well Microplate	1 plate	
Assay Buffer	30 ml x 4	4 °C
Substrate	Powder x 1	4 °C
Dye Reagent	10 ml x 1	4 °C
Standard	Powder x 1	4 °C
Positive Control	Powder x 1	-20 °C
Plate Adhesive Strips	3 Strips	
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Note:

Substrate: add 8 ml Assay Buffer to dissolve before use.

Standard: add 1 ml distilled water to dissolve before use, the concentration will be 10 mmol/L.

Positive Control: add 0.1 ml assay buffer to dissolve before use, mix.

III. MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

1. Microplate reader to read absorbance at 540 nm
2. Distilled water
3. Pipettor, multi-channel pipettor
4. Pipette tips
5. Mortar
6. Ice
7. Centrifuge
8. Timer
9. Convection oven

IV. SAMPLE PREPARATION

1. For tissue samples

Weigh out 0.1 g tissue, homogenize with 1 ml Assay buffer on ice, centrifuged at 8000g 4 °C for 10 minutes, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

2. For cell and bacteria samples

Collect cell or bacteria into centrifuge tube, discard the supernatant after centrifugation, add 1 ml Assay buffer for 5×10^6 cell or bacteria, sonicate (with power 20%, sonicate 3s, interval 10s, repeat 30 times); centrifuged at 8000g 4 °C for 10 minutes, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

V. ASSAY PROCEDURE

Add following reagents into the microplate:

Reagent	Sample	Control	Standard	Blank	Positive Control
Sample	20 µl	--	--	--	--
Assay Buffer	--	20 µl	--	--	--
Positive Control	--	--	--	--	20 µl
Substrate	80 µl	80 µl	--	--	80 µl
Mix, put it into the oven, 37 °C for 10 minutes.					
Standard	--	--	100 µl	--	--
Distilled water	--	--	--	100 µl	--
Dye Reagent	100 µl	100 µl	100 µl	100 µl	100 µl
Mix, put the microplate into the convection oven, 90 °C for 10 minutes, record absorbance measured at 540nm.					

Note:

- 1) Perform 2-fold serial dilutions of the top standards to make the standard curve.
- 2) 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 sample into the reaction system; or increase the reaction time; if the enzyme activity is higher, please dilute the sample, or decrease the reaction time.
- 3) Reagents must be added step by step, can not be mixed and added together.

VI. CALCULATION

Unit Definition: One unit of endo-beta-Mannanase activity is the enzyme generates 1 μmol of mannose per minute.

1. According to the protein concentration of sample

$$\begin{aligned}\text{endo-beta-Mannanase (U/mg)} &= C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}} \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / (V_{\text{Sample}} \times C_{\text{Protein}}) / T \\ &= 5 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / C_{\text{Protein}}\end{aligned}$$

2. According to the weight of sample

$$\begin{aligned}\text{endo-beta-Mannanase (U/g)} &= C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}} \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / (W \times V_{\text{Sample}} / V_{\text{Assay}}) / T \\ &= 5 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / W\end{aligned}$$

3. According to the quantity of cell or bacteria

$$\begin{aligned}\text{endo-beta-Mannanase (U/10}^4\text{)} &= C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}} \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / (N \times V_{\text{Sample}} / V_{\text{Assay}}) / T \\ &= 5 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / N\end{aligned}$$

C_{Standard} : the concentration of standard, 10 mmol/L = 10 $\mu\text{mol/ml}$;

C_{Protein} : the protein concentration, mg/ml;

W: the weight of sample, g;

V_{Standard} : the volume of standard, 0.1 ml;

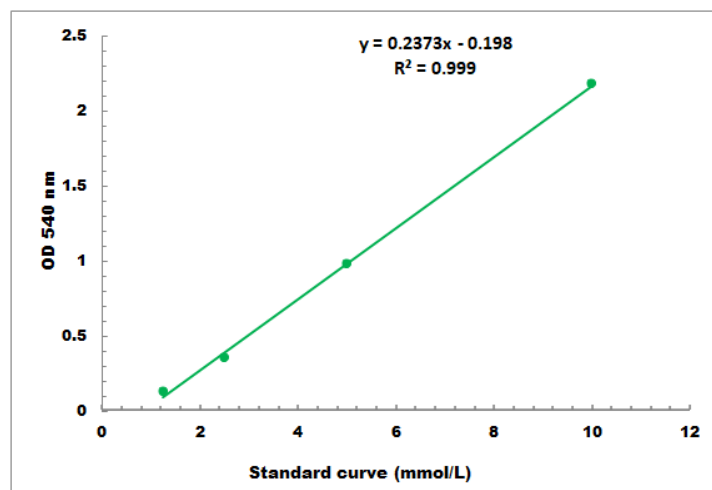
V_{Sample} : the volume of sample, 0.02 ml;

V_{Assay} : the volume of Assay buffer, 1 ml;

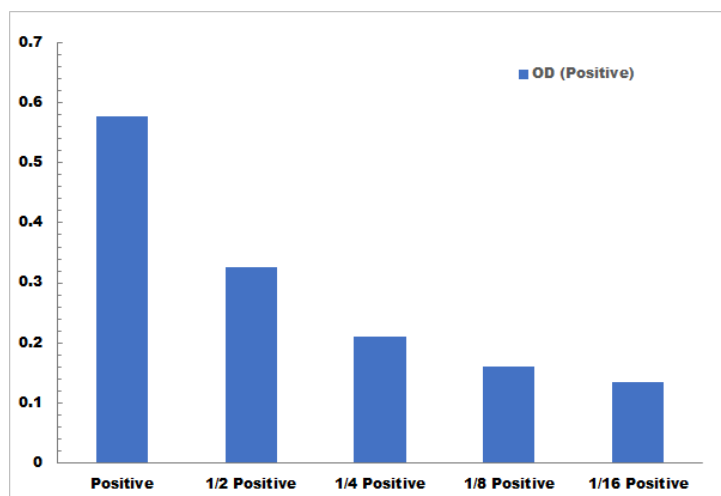
T: the reaction time, 10 minutes.

VII. TYPICAL DATA

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



Detection Range: 1 mmol/L - 10 mmol/L



Positive Control reaction in 96-well plate assay with decreasing the concentration

VIII. TECHNICAL SUPPORT

For troubleshooting, information or assistance, please go online to www.cohesionbio.com or contact us at techsupport@cohesionbio.com

IX. NOTES