# Microplate Assay Kit User Manual Catalog # U " o L-galactono-1,4-lactone Dehydrogenase

Detection and Quantification of L-galactono-1,4-lactone Dehydrogenase (GalLDH) Activity in Tissue extracts, Cell lysate Samples.

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## I. INTRODUCTION

L-galactono-1,4-lactone Dehydrogenase (EC 1.3.2.3) catalyzes the last step in the main pathway of vitamin C (L-ascorbic acid) biosynthesis in higher plants.

The enzyme catalysed reaction products reduced Cyt c can be measured at a colorimetric readout at 550 nm.

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# **II. KIT COMPONENTS**

Component	Volume	Storage
96-Well Microplate	1 plate	
Assay Buffer	30 ml x 4	4 °C
Substrate I	Powder x 1	4 °C, keep in dark
Substrate II	Powder x 1	4 °C
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# Note:

Substrate I: add 17 ml distilled water to dissolve before use.

Substrate II: add 1 ml distilled water to dissolve before use.

# III. MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

- 1. Microplate reader to read absorbance at 550 nm
- 2. Distilled water
- 3. Pipettor
- 4. Pipette tips
- 5. Mortar
- 6. Centrifuge
- 7. Timer
- 8. Ice

### 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%, sonication 3s, intervation 10s, repeat 30 times); centrifuged at 13000g 4 °C for 10 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 13000g 4 °C for 10 minutes, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

## V. ASSAY PROCEDURE

Warm the Substrate I and Substrate II to room temperature before use.

Add following reagents in the microplate:

Reagent	Sample	Blank
Sample	20 μΙ	
Distilled water		20 μΙ
Substrate I	170 μΙ	170 μΙ
Substrate II	10 μΙ	10 μΙ

Mix, measured at 550 nm and record the absorbance of 10th second and 130th second.

### VI. CALCULATION

Unit Definition: One unit of GalLDH is the amount of enzyme that will reduce 1  $\mu$ mol Cyt c per minute.

## 1. According to the protein concentration of sample

# 2. According to the weight of sample

3. According to the quantity of cells or bacteria

$$\begin{split} \text{GalLDH (U/10}^4) &= [(\text{OD}_{\text{Sample(130S)}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Sample(10S)}}) - (\text{OD}_{\text{Blank(130S)}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank (10S)}})] \, / \, (\epsilon \times d) \times \\ & V_{\text{Total}} \times 10^6 \, / \, (\text{N} \times V_{\text{Sample}} \, / \, V_{\text{Assay}}) \, / \, T \\ &= 481.7 \times [(\text{OD}_{\text{Sample(130S)}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Sample(10S)}}) \, / \, (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard(130S)}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Standard (10S)}})] \\ & / \, \text{N} \end{split}$$

 $\varepsilon$ : molar extinction coefficient,  $17.3 \times 10^3$  L/mol/cm;

d: the optical path of 96-Well microplate, 0.6 cm;

C<sub>Protein</sub>: the protein concentration, mg/ml;

W: the weight of sample, g;

N: the quantity of cell or bacteria,  $N \times 10^4$ ;

V<sub>Total</sub>: the total volume of the enzymatic reaction, 0.2 ml;

V<sub>Sample</sub>: the volume of sample, 0.02 ml;

V<sub>Assay</sub>: the volume of Assay buffer, 1 ml;

T: the reaction time, 2 minutes.