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Acyltransferase (AAT) Activity Assay Kit

Note: The reagents have changed, please operate in strict accordance with the instructions.

Operation Equipment: Spectrophotometer/ microplate reader

Catalog Number: BC2355

Size: 100T/96S

Components:

Extraction Reagent: 110 mL×1. Storage at 2-8℃. Contains insoluble reagent, shake well before use.

Reagent I: Liquid 15 mL×1. Storage at 2-8℃.

Reagent II: Powder×2. Storage at -20℃. Before use, add 1 mL of distilled water to fully dissolve it. Unused reagents can be stored at 2-8℃ for 2 weeks.

Reagent III: Liquid 3 mL×1. Storage at 2-8℃.

Reagent IV: Liquid 1.5 mL×1. Storage at 2-8℃.

Product Description

Acyltransferases are a large family of multifunctional proteins, which are mainly responsible for catalyzing various acylation and deacylation reactions in the body, playing an important role in gene expression, metabolism and signaling.

Acyltransferase catalyzes acetyl CoA to transfer acetyl to butanol, and at the same time reduces DTNB to generate TNB; TNB has an absorption peak at 412 nm, and the rate of increase in absorbance at 412 nm is measured to calculate Acyltransferase activity.

Reagents and Equipment Required but Not Provided.

Spectrophotometer/ microplate reader, analytical balance, micro quartz cuvette/ 96-well plate (UV), distilled water, centrifuge, water bath / constant temperature incubator, adjustable pipette, mortar/homogenizer, ice and distilled water

Sample pre-treatment:

Tissue sample:

According to the ratio of tissue mass (g): extraction reagent volume (mL) to 1:5~10 (it is recommended to weigh about 0.1g of tissue, add 1mL of extraction reagent), and perform ice bath homogenization. 4℃, 15000g centrifugation for 20min, take the supernatant for testing.

2) Serum sample:

Detect sample directly. (If the liquid is turbid, measure after centrifugation)

Procedure and Sample list

1. Preheat the spectrophotometer/microplate reader for more than 30 min, adjust the wavelength to 412 nm, and set zero with distilled water.

2. Reagent I is incubated in a water bath at 37℃ for more than 20 minutes.

3. Operation

Reagent name (µL)	Blank Tube (A_B)	Test Tube (A_T)
Distilled water	20	-
Sample	-	20
Reagent I	140	140
Reagent II	10	10
Reagent III	20	20
Reagent IV	10	10

Add the above reagents to a micro quartz cuvette/ 96-well plate in order, start counting while adding Reagent IV, record the initial absorbance A1 at 10s at 412 nm and absorbance A2 after 130s, and calculate $\Delta A_B= A_B2-A_B1$; $\Delta A_T= A_T2 -A_T1$, $\Delta A = \Delta A_T-\Delta A_B$. The blank tube only needs to be done 1-2 times.

Calculation

1. Micro quartz cuvette

(1) Protein concentration:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzymes catalyzes the absorbance changing of 0.001 in 1 mL reaction system per minute at 37℃ every mg protein.

Acyltransferases activity (U/mg prot) $=\Delta A \div 0.001 \div (Vs\times Cpr) \div T\times(Vr\div1)=5000\times\Delta A\div Cpr$.

(2) Sample weight:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzymes catalyzes the absorbance changing of 0.001 in 1 mL reaction system per minute at 37℃ every g sample.

Acyltransferases activity (U/g weight) $=\Delta A \div 0.001 \div (Vs\div Ve\times W) \div T\times(Vr\div1)=5000\times\Delta A\div W$.

(3) serum:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzymes catalyzes the absorbance changing of 0.001 in 1 mL reaction system per minute at 37℃ every mL serum.

Acyltransferases activity (U/mL) $=\Delta A \div 0.001\div Vs \div T\times(Vr\div1)=5000\times\Delta A$.

Cpr: Supernatant protein concentration, mg/mL;

Vs: Sample volume, 0.02 mL;

T: Reaction time, 2 min;

Ve: Extraction reagent volume, 1 mL;

Vr: Reaction volume, 0.2 mL;

W: Sample weight, g.

2. 96 well plate :

(1) Protein concentration:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzymes catalyzes the absorbance changing of 0.0005 in 1 mL reaction system per minute at 37℃ every mg protein.

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Acyltransferases activity (U/mg) =$\Delta A \div 0.0005 \div (V_s \times C_{pr}) \div T \times (V_r \div 1) = 10000 \times \Delta A \div C_{pr}$.

(2) Sample weight:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzymes catalyzes the absorbance changing of 0.0005 in 1 mL reaction system per minute at 37°C every g sample.

Acyltransferases activity (U/g) =$\Delta A \div 0.0005 \div (V_s \div V_e \times W) \div T \times (V_r \div 1) = 10000 \times \Delta A \div W$.

(3) serum:

Unit definition: One unit of enzyme activity is defined as the amount of enzymes catalyzes the absorbance changing of 0.0005 in 1 mL reaction system per minute at 37°C every mL serum.

Acyltransferases activity (U/mL) =$\Delta A \div 0.0005 \div V_s \div T \times (V_r \div 1) = 10000 \times \Delta A$.

C_{pr}: Supernatant protein concentration, mg/mL;

T: Reaction time, 2 min;

V_s: Sample volume, 0.02 mL;

V_e: Extraction reagent volume, 1 mL;

V_r: Reaction volume, 0.2 mL;

W: Sample weight, g.

Notes:

1. The protein content of supernatant should be determined separately.

2. When the absorbance value is greater than 1, it is recommended to measure after dilution.

3. It is suggested that one sample be determined, one person be colorimetric and one person be chronographic.

4. If ΔA is low, the reaction time can be prolonged, such as the absorbance of 10s and 310s, and the reaction time in the calculation formula can be modified accordingly.

Experimental Example:

1. Take 0.1g kidney and add 1mL extract for sample processing. After the supernatant was diluted 4 times, the operation is carried out according to the determination steps. Using micro quartz cuvette, the results showed that $\Delta A_B = A2_B - A1_B = 0.0849 - 0.08 = 0.0049$, $\Delta A_T = A2_T - A1_T = 0.69 - 0.4929 = 0.1971$, $\Delta A = \Delta A_T - \Delta A_B = 0.1971 - 0.0049 = 0.1922$

   AAT (U/g mass) = $5000 \times \Delta A \div W \times 4$ (dilution ratio) = 38440 U/g mass.

2. Take the rabbit serum and directly follow the determination steps The results showed that $\Delta A_B = A2_B - A1_B = 0.0849 - 0.08 = 0.0049$, $\Delta A_T = A2_T - A1_T = 0.629 - 0.5342 = 0.0948$, $\Delta A = \Delta A_T - \Delta A_B = 0.0948 - 0.0049 = 0.0899$

   AAT (U/mL serum) = $5000 \times \Delta A = 5000 \times 0.0899 = 449.5$ U/mL serum.

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