



# **Peroxidase Activity Fluorometric Microplate Assay Kit User Manual**

**Catalog # CAK8017**

(Version 1.1A)

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

**For research use only. Not for diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| I. INTRODUCTION.....                          | 2 |
| II. KIT COMPONENTS.....                       | 3 |
| III. MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED..... | 3 |
| IV. SAMPLE PREPARATION.....                   | 4 |
| V. ASSAY PROCEDURE.....                       | 5 |
| VI. CALCULATION.....                          | 6 |
| VII. TYPICAL DATA.....                        | 7 |
| VIII. TECHNICAL SUPPORT.....                  | 7 |
| IX. NOTES.....                                | 7 |

## I. INTRODUCTION

Peroxidase (EC 1.11.1.7) is an enzyme found broadly in biological systems that utilizes hydrogen peroxide in the oxidation of various substrates. Peroxidases catalyze oxidation-reduction reactions and play an important role in protecting cell from oxidative injury.

Peroxidase Activity Fluorometric Microplate Assay Kit provides a simple and direct procedure for measuring peroxidase activity in a variety of samples. The assay is initiated with the enzymatic hydrolysis of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  by peroxidase. The reaction product can react with the probe, which can be detected fluorometrically (Ex/Em 535/587).

## II. KIT COMPONENTS

| Component          | Volume     | Storage              |
|--------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 96-Well Microplate | 1 plate    |                      |
| Assay Buffer       | 30 ml x 4  | 4 °C                 |
| Reaction Buffer    | 20 ml x 1  | 4 °C                 |
| Substrate          | 1 ml x 1   | 4 °C, keep in dark   |
| Diluent            | 12 ml x 1  | RT                   |
| Probe              | Powder x 1 | -20 °C, keep in dark |
| Standard           | Powder x 1 | 4 °C, keep in dark   |
| Positive Control   | Powder x 1 | -20 °C               |
| Technical Manual   | 1 Manual   |                      |

### Note:

**Dye Reagent:** Warm the Diluent to RT, then add 1 ml Diluent to dissolve. Store at -20 °C, protect from light and moisture. Used within 1 month.

**Standard:** Warm the Diluent to RT, add 10 ml Diluent to dissolve, mix for half an hour; then add 20 µl into 980 µl distilled water, mix. The concentration will be 20 µmol/L. Store at -20°C for 1 month.

**Positive Control:** add 1 ml Reaction Buffer to dissolve before use; then add 2 µl into 998 µl Reaction Buffer. Store at -80 °C for 1 month after reconstitution.

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

1. Fluorescence microplate reader to read fluorescence at Ex/Em = 535/587
2. Distilled water
3. Pipettor, multi-channel 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%, sonicate 3s, interval 10s, repeat 30 times); centrifuged at 8000g 4 °C for 20 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 8000g 4 °C for 20 minutes, take the supernatant into a new centrifuge tube and keep it on ice for detection.

3. For liquid samples

Detect directly.

## V. ASSAY PROCEDURE

Warm all reagent to room temperature before use.

Add following reagents into the microplate.

| Reagent   | Sample      | Control     | Standard    | Blank       | Positive Control |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|
| Reaction Buffer   | 170 $\mu$ l | 170 $\mu$ l | --          | --          | 170 $\mu$ l      |
| Sample  | 10 $\mu$ l  |             | --          | --          | --               |
| Positive Control  | --          | --          | --          | --          | 10 $\mu$ l       |
| Distilled water   | --          | 10 $\mu$ l  | --          | 200 $\mu$ l | --               |
| Standard  | --          |             | 200 $\mu$ l | --          | --               |
| Dye Reagent   | 10 $\mu$ l  | 10 $\mu$ l  | --          | --          | 10 $\mu$ l       |
| Mix.  |             |             |             |             |                  |
| Substrate   | 10 $\mu$ l  | 10 $\mu$ l  | --          | --          | 10 $\mu$ l       |
| Mix, put it in the oven, 37 °C for 2 minutes, protected from light, record fluorescence measured at Ex/Em = 535/587 nm. |             |             |             |             |                  |

### 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 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.
- 3) Reagents must be added step by step, can not be mixed and added together.

## VI. CALCULATION

**Unit Definition:** one unit is defined as the enzyme will catalyze the formation of 1  $\mu$ mole resorufin per min.

1. According to the protein concentration of sample

$$\begin{aligned} \text{POD (U/mg)} &= (C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / \\ &\quad (V_{\text{Sample}} \times C_{\text{Protein}}) / T \\ &= 0.2 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / C_{\text{Protein}} \end{aligned}$$

2. According to the volume of sample

$$\begin{aligned} \text{POD (U/ml)} &= (C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / V_{\text{Sample}} \\ &\quad / T \\ &= 0.2 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) \end{aligned}$$

3. According to the weight of sample

$$\begin{aligned} \text{POD (U/g)} &= (C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / (V_{\text{Sample}} \times \\ &\quad W / V_{\text{Assay}}) / T \\ &= 0.2 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / W \end{aligned}$$

4. According to the quantity of cells or bacteria

$$\begin{aligned} \text{POD (U/10}^4\text{)} &= (C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Sample}}) \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / (V_{\text{Sample}} \\ &\quad \times N / V_{\text{Assay}}) / T \\ &= 0.2 \times (\text{OD}_{\text{Sample}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Control}}) / (\text{OD}_{\text{Standard}} - \text{OD}_{\text{Blank}}) / N \end{aligned}$$

$C_{\text{Standard}}$ : the Standard concentration, 20  $\mu$ mol/L = 0.02  $\mu$ mol/ml

$C_{\text{Protein}}$ : the protein concentration, mg/ml

W: the weight of sample, g

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

$V_{\text{Sample}}$ : the volume of sample, 0.01 ml

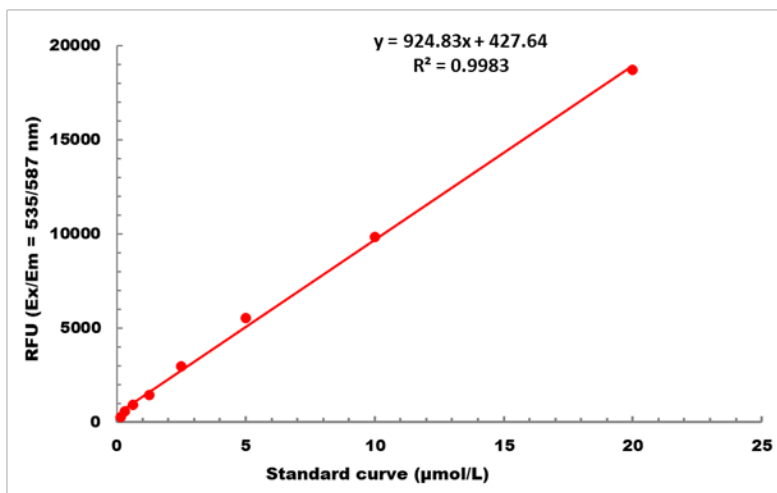
$V_{\text{Standard}}$ : the volume of standard, 0.2 ml

$V_{\text{Assay}}$ : the volume of Assay buffer in sample preparation, 1 ml

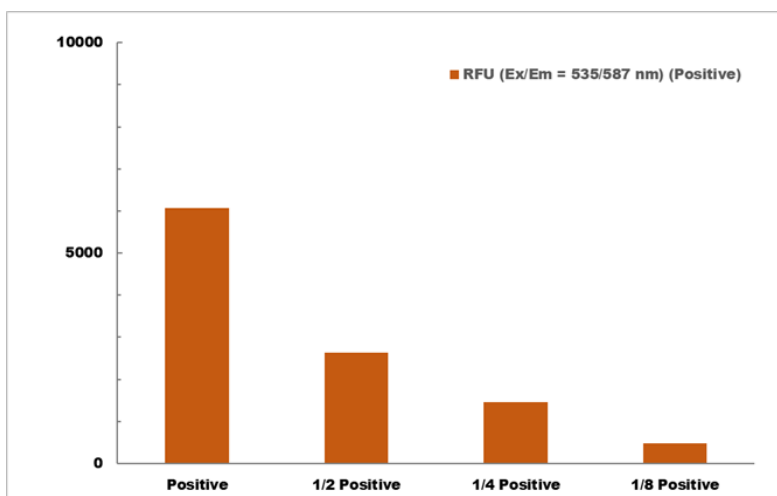
T: the reaction time, 2 minutes

## VII. TYPICAL DATA

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



Detection Range: 0.2 μmol/L - 20 μmol/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](http://www.cohesionbio.com) or contact us at [techsupport@cohesionbio.com](mailto:techsupport@cohesionbio.com)

## IX. NOTES