



Chloral Microplate Assay Kit

User Manual

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Detection and Quantification of Chloral Content in Water and Other biological fluids Samples.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Chloral, also known as trichloroacetaldehyde or trichloroethanal, is the organic compound with the formula Cl_3CHO . This aldehyde is a colourless oily liquid that is soluble in a wide range of solvents. It reacts with water to form chloral hydrate, a once widely used sedative and hypnotic substance.

Chloral Microplate Assay Kit provides a convenient tool for sensitive detection of Chloral concentration in a variety of samples. The intensity of the product color, measured at 480 nm, is proportional to the Chloral concentration in the sample.

II. KIT COMPONENTS

Component	Volume	Storage
96-Well Microplate	1 plate	
Reaction Buffer	5 ml x 1	4 °C
Dye Reagent	Powder x 1	4 °C
Dye Reagent Diluent	5 ml x 1	4 °C
Standard	Powder x 1	4 °C
Plate Adhesive Strips	3 Strips	
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Note:

Dye Reagent: add 5 ml Dye Reagent Diluent, mix before use.

Standard: add 1 ml distilled water to dissolve before use; then add 50 µl into 950 µl distilled water, mix, the concentration will be 1 mmol/L.

III. MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT PROVIDED

1. Microplate reader to read absorbance at 480 nm
2. Distilled water
3. Pipettor, multi-channel pipettor
4. Pipette tips
5. Centrifuge
6. Timer
7. Convection oven

IV. SAMPLE PREPARATION

1. For liquid samples

Detect directly, or dilute with distilled water.

V. ASSAY PROCEDURE

Add following reagents into the microplate:

Reagent	Sample	Standard	Blank
Sample	100 μ l	--	--
Standard	--	100 μ l	--
Distilled water	--	--	100 μ l
Reaction Buffer	50 μ l	50 μ l	50 μ l
Dye Reagent	50 μ l	50 μ l	50 μ l
Mix, cover the plate adhesive strip, incubate at 90 °C for 15 minutes, record absorbance measured at 480 nm.			

Note:

- 1) Perform 2-fold serial dilutions of the top standards to make the standard curve.
- 2) The concentrations can vary over a wide range depending on the different samples.
For unknown samples, we recommend doing a pilot experiment & testing several doses to ensure the readings are within the standard curve range.
- 3) Reagents must be added step by step, can not be mixed and added together.

VI. CALCULATION

1. According to the volume of sample

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Chloral } (\mu\text{mol/ml}) &= (C_{\text{Standard}} \times V_{\text{Standard}}) \times (OD_{\text{Sample}} - OD_{\text{Blank}}) / (OD_{\text{Standard}} - OD_{\text{Blank}}) / \\ &\quad V_{\text{Sample}} \\ &= (OD_{\text{Sample}} - OD_{\text{Blank}}) / (OD_{\text{Standard}} - OD_{\text{Blank}})\end{aligned}$$

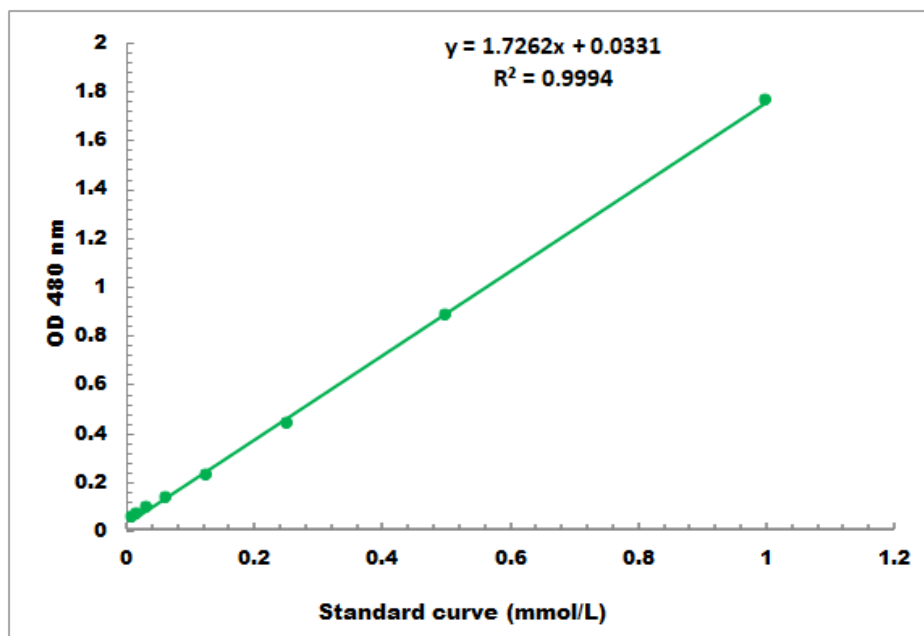
C_{Standard} : the concentration of standard, 1 mmol/L = 1 $\mu\text{mol/ml}$;

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

V_{Sample} : the volume of sample, 0.1 ml.

VII. TYPICAL DATA

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



Detection Range: 0.01 mmol/L - 1 mmol/L

VIII. TECHNICAL SUPPORT

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

IX. NOTES