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## **Product Information**

## **CK-MB ELISA kit**

Catalog Number: EA100892 Storage Temperature: 2 – 8°C

# Instruction for Use

#### **Intended Use**

The CK-MB ELISA Kit is intended for the quantitative determination of CK-MB concentration in human serum.

## **Background**

Creatine Kinase (CK-MB) is the enzyme being used as the definitive serum marker for the diagnosis or exclusion of acute myocardial infarction (AMI). The determination of CK-MB mass has proven to be more specific for myocardial necrosis than the long-standing CK-MB activity and CK-MB inhibition assays. CK- MB, released after AMI, is detectable in blood as early as 3-4 hours after the onset of symptoms, and remains elevated for approximately 65 hours post infarct 8-9. CK-MB mass levels are reportedly 50% diagnostic for AMI after 3 hours and > 90% diagnostic at 6 hours 10. Such accuracy makes CK-MB mass determinations useful in confirming AMI in patients presenting to the ER with non-diagnostic ECGs > 6 hours after the onset of symptoms.

## **Principle of the Test**

The CK-MB ELISA test is based on the principle of a solid phase enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay. The assay system utilizes a monoclonal antibody directed against a distinct antigenic determinant on the CK-MB molecule is used for solid phase immobilization (on the microtiter wells). A goat anti-CK-MM antibody conjugated to horseradish peroxidase (HRP) is in the antibody-enzyme conjugate solution. The test sample is allowed to react simultaneously with the two antibodies, resulting in the CK-MB molecules being sandwiched between the solid phase and enzyme-linked antibodies. After a 1 hour incubation at room temperature, the wells are washed with water to remove unbound labeled antibodies. A solution of TMB Reagent is added and incubated at room temperature for 20 minutes, resulting in the development of a blue color. The color development is stopped with the addition of Stop Solution changing the color to yellow. The concentration of CK-MB is directly proportional to the color intensity of the test sample. Absorbance is measured spectrophotometrically at 450 nm.

## Components

MATERIALS PROVIDED	96 Tests
Antibody-Coated Microtiter Plate	12x8x1
2. Liquid CK-MB Standards containing:0,7.5,15,50,100, & 200 ng/ml CK-MB. 1.0 ml for each standard dose. Store at -20°	1 ml



3.	Enzyme Conjugate Reagent, (Ready to Use)	22 ml
4.	TMB Reagent (one-step)	11 ml
5.	Stop Solution	11 ml
6.	Wash Concentrate 20x: 1 Bottle	25 ml

## Materials and Equipment Required but Not Provided

- 1. Distilled or deionized water
- 2. Precision pipettes
- 3. Disposable pipette tips
- 4. ELISA reader capable of reading absorbance at 450nm
- 5. Absorbance paper or paper towel
- 6. Graph paper

#### **Disclaimer**

This product is for research use only and not intended for diagnostic procedures.

## **Specimen Collection Handling**

Serum should be prepared from a whole blood specimen obtained by acceptable medical techniques. This kit is for use with serum samples without additives only.

## **Reagent Preparation**

Prepare 1X Wash buffer by adding the Wash Concentrate (25 ml, 20X) to 475 ml of distilled or deionized water. Store at room temperature (18-26°C).

### **Assay Procedure**

- Before proceeding with the assay, bring all reagents, serum references and controls to room temperature (18-26°C). Gently mix all reagents before use
- The components in this kit are intended for use as an integral unit. The components of different lots should not be mixed
- It is recommended that standards, control and serum samples be run in duplicate
- Do not use sodium azide as preservative. Sodium azide inhibits HRP enzyme activities
- 1. Secure the desired number of coated wells in the holder.
- 2. Dispense 20 µl of standard, specimens, and controls into appropriate wells.
- 3. Dispense 200 µl of Enzyme Conjugate Reagent to each well.
- 4. Thoroughly mix for 30 seconds. It is very important to have a complete mixing in this setup.
- 5. Incubate at room temperature (18-25°C) for 60 minutes.
- 6. Remove liquid from all wells. Wash wells three times with 300 μl of 1X Wash buffer. Blot on absorbance paper or paper towel.
- 7. Strike the wells sharply onto absorbent paper or paper towels to remove all residual water droplets.
- 8. Dispense 100 µl of TMB Reagent into each well. Gently mix for 5 seconds.
- 9. Incubate at room temperature for 20 minutes.
- 10. Stop the reaction by adding 100 µl of Stop Solution to each well.
- 11. Gently mix for 30 seconds. It is important to make sure that all the blue color changes to yellow color completely.
- 12. Read the optical density at 450 nm with a microtiter plate reader within 15 minutes.

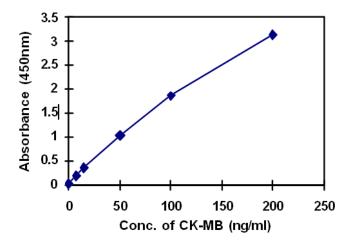


#### Calculation of Results

- 1. Calculate the average absorbance values (A450) for each set of reference standards, control, and samples.
- 2. Construct a standard curve by plotting the mean absorbance obtained for each reference standard against its concentration in ng/ml on linear graph paper, with absorbance on the vertical (y) axis and concentration on the horizontal (x) axis.
- 3. Using the mean absorbance value for each sample, determine the corresponding concentration of CK-MB in ng/ml from the standard curve.
- 4. Any values obtained for diluted samples must be further converted by applying the appropriate dilution factor in the calculation.

## **Example of a Standard Curve**

Results of a typical standard run with optical density readings at 450 nm shown in the Y axis against CK- MB concentrations shown in the X axis. This standard curve is for the purpose of illustration only, and should not be used to calculate unknowns. Each user should obtain his or her own data and standard curve.



## **Expected Values and Sensitivity**

Normal range for CK-MB reported by various literatures is between 0-9.0 ng/ml. It is recommended that each laboratory establish its own normal range. The minimum detectable concentration of CK-MB by this assay is estimated to be 2.5 ng/ml.

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