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Data Sheet LCK Assay Kit Catalog #79794 96 Reactions

BACKGROUND: LCK is a tyrosine kinase that phosphorylates the CD3 receptor and is essential for T cell development and activation. LCK also associates with the cytoplasmic domains of the CD4 and CD8 glycoproteins and interacts with the beta-chain of the interleukin-2 receptor. LCK inhibitors are being investigated as a promising therapeutic approach to autoimmune disease and other inflammatory disorders.

DESCRIPTION: The *LCK Assay Kit* is designed to measure LCK activity for screening and profiling applications using Kinase-Glo[®] MAX as a detection reagent. The *LCK Assay Kit* comes in a convenient 96-well format, with enough purified recombinant LCK, Protein Tyrosine Kinase Substrate (Poly-Glu,Tyr 4:1), ATP, and kinase assay buffer for 96 enzyme reactions.

COMPONENTS:

Catalog #	Reagent	Amount	Storag	ge
40470	LCK, GST-Tag	5 µg	-80°C	Avoid
79793	5x Kinase Buffer 2	1.5 ml	-20°C	multiple
79686	ATP (500 μM)	100 µl	-20°C	freeze/
40217	Protein Tyrosine Kinase Substrate (Poly-Glu,Tyr 4:1) (10 mg/ml)	100 µl	-20°C	thaw cycles!
79696	96-well plate, white	1	RT	

MATERIALS OR INSTRUMENTS REQUIRED BUT NOT SUPPLIED:

Kinase-Glo MAX (Promega #V6071)
Dithiothreitol (DTT, 0.5 M; optional)
Microplate reader capable of reading luminescence
Adjustable micropipettor and sterile tips
30°C incubator

APPLICATIONS: Useful for studying enzyme kinetics and screening small molecular inhibitors for drug discovery and HTS applications.

STABILITY: Up to 6 months when stored as recommended.

REFERENCES:

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2. Veillette, A., *et al.* 1989. "Signal transduction through the CD4 receptor involves the activation of the internal membrane tyrosine-protein kinase p56LCK." *Nature* **338(6212):** 257-259.

ASSAY PROTOCOL:

All samples and controls should be tested in duplicate.

1) Thaw 5x Kinase assay buffer, ATP (500 µM), and Protein Tyrosine Kinase Substrate (Poly-Glu,Tyr 4:1).

(Optional: If desired, add 30 µl of 0.5 M DTT to **5x Kinase assay buffer**).

2) Prepare the master mixture (25 μl per well): N wells x (10 μl **5x Kinase assay buffer** + 1 μl **ATP (500 μM)** + 1 μl **Protein Tyrosine Kinase Substrate (Poly-Glu,Tyr 4:1)** + 13 μl distilled water). Add 25 μl to every well.

	Positive Control	Test Inhibitor	Blank
5x Kinase assay buffer	10 µl	10 µl	10 µl
ATP (500 μM)	1 µl	1 µl	1 µl
Poly-Glu,Tyr(10 mg/ml)	1 µl	1 µl	1 µl
Water	13 µl	13 µl	13 µl
Test Inhibitor	_	5 µl	_
Inhibitor buffer	5 µl	_	5 µl
1x Kinase buffer	_	_	20 µl
LCK, GST-tag (1ng/µl)	20 µl	20 μΙ	_
Total	50 µl	50 µl	50 µl

- 3) Add 5 µl of Inhibitor solution of each well labeled as "Test Inhibitor." For the "Positive Control" and "Blank," add 5 µl of the same solution without inhibitor (Inhibitor buffer). Note: Final DMSO concentration must be ≤1%. Higher DMSO levels can significantly decrease the enzyme activity. For example, to test an inhibitor dissolved in 100% DMSO at 10 µM, dilute 1 mM inhibitor with water to make a 100 µM inhibitor in 10% DMSO(aq). Then, add 5 µl of the 100 µM solution into the 50 µl assay to make a 1% DMSO concentration in the final reaction mixture. In this example, the inhibitor buffer for the "Positive Control" and "Blank wells" would be 10% DMSO in water.
- 4) Prepare 3 ml of 1x Kinase assay buffer by mixing 600 µl of 5x Kinase assay buffer with 2400 µl water. 3 ml of 1x Kinase assay buffer is sufficient for 100 reactions.
- 5) To the wells designated as "Blank," add 20 µl of 1x Kinase assay buffer.

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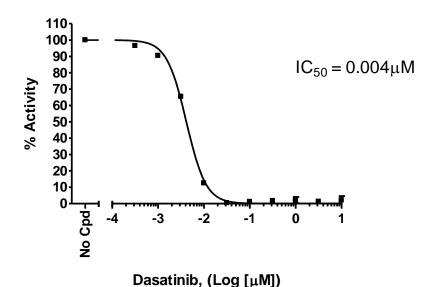
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- 6) Thaw **LCK**, **GST-Tag** on ice. Upon first thaw, briefly spin tube containing enzyme to recover full content of the tube. Calculate the amount of **LCK**, **GST-Tag** required for the assay and dilute enzyme to 1 ng/µl with 1x **Kinase assay buffer**. Store remaining undiluted enzyme in aliquots at -80°C. <u>Note</u>: LCK, GST-Tag is sensitive to freeze/thaw cycles. Avoid multiple freeze/thaw cycles. Do not re-use thawed aliquots or diluted enzyme.
- Initiate reaction by adding 20 μl of diluted LCK, GST-Tag to the wells designated "Positive Control" and "Test Inhibitor." Incubate at 30°C for 45 minutes.
- 8) Thaw Kinase-Glo Max reagent.
- 9) After the 45 minute reaction, add 50 µl of Kinase-Glo Max reagent to each well. Cover plate with aluminum foil and incubate the plate at room temperature for 15 minutes.
- 10) Measure luminescence using the microplate reader. "Blank" value should be subtracted from all wells.

Example of Assay Results:

Lck Activity



Inhibition of LCK, GST-Tag by Dasatinib, measured using the LCK assay kit (BPS Bioscience #79794). Data shown is lot-specific. For lot-specific information, please contact BPS Bioscience, Inc. at support@bpsbioscience.com

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RELATED PRODUCTS:

Product Name	Catalog #	<u>Size</u>
LCK, GST-tag	40470	<u>10 μ</u> g
Kinase Buffer 1	79334	10 ml
Protein Tyrosine Kinase Substrate		
(poly-Glu, Tyr 4:1)	40217	1 mg
SRC Assay Kit	79680	96 rxns.
YES Assay Kit	79681	96 rxns.
SYK Assay Kit	79671	96 rxns.