

HTScan™ PRK1 Kinase Assay Kit

100 assays
 (96 Well Format)

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Products Included	Products #	Kit Quantity
Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb	9624	30 µl
Kinase Buffer (10X)	9802	15 ml
ATP (10 mM)	9804	1 ml
CREB (Ser133) Biotinylated Peptide	1331	1.25 ml
PRK1 Kinase	7614	5 µg

Description: The kit provides a means of performing kinase activity assays with recombinant human PRK1 kinase. It includes active PRK1 kinase (supplied as a GST fusion protein), a biotinylated peptide substrate and a phospho-serine/threonine antibody for detection of the phosphorylated form of the substrate peptide.

Peptide Core Sequence: RRPS*YRK

Molecular Weights: Peptide substrate, Biotin-CREB (Ser133): 2,326 Daltons. GST-PRK1 Kinase: 137 kDa.

Background: The protein kinase C-related kinases (PRKs) are a subfamily of Ser/Thr-specific kinases with a catalytic domain highly homologous to the PKC family (1-3). They are effectors of Rho family GTPases (4-6) and are activated by fatty acids and phospholipids *in vitro* (7,8). Activation *in vitro* and *in vivo* involves the activation loop phosphorylation of PRK1 (Thr774)/PRK2 (Thr816) by PDK1 (9,10).

Source/Purification: The GST-Kinase fusion protein was produced using a baculovirus expression system with a construct expressing full length human PRK1 (Met1-Cys942) (GenBank Accession No. NM_002741) with an amino-terminal GST tag. The protein was purified by one-step affinity chromatography using glutathione-agarose.

Quality Control: The substrate peptide was selected using our Serine/Threonine Kinase Substrate Screening Kit #7400. Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb #9624 was used for detection. The quality of the biotinylated peptide was evaluated by reverse-phase HPLC and by mass spectrometry.

Purified PRK1 kinase was quality controlled for purity by SDS-PAGE followed by Coomassie stain and Western blot. PRK1 kinase activity was determined using a radiometric assay [Fig.1]. Time course [Fig.2], kinase dose-dependency [Fig.3] and substrate dose-dependency [Fig.4] assays were performed to verify PRK1 activity using the PRK1 substrate peptide provided in this kit. PRK1 sensitivity to the inhibitor staurosporine was measured using the PRK1 substrate peptide provided in this kit [Fig.5].

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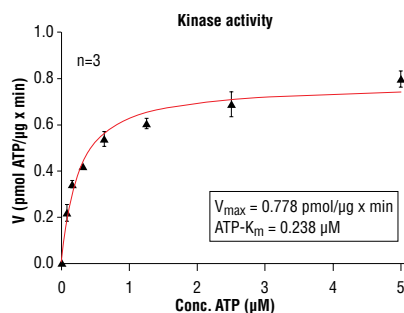


Figure 1. PRK1 kinase activity was measured in a radiometric assay using the following reaction conditions: 60 mM HEPES-NaOH, pH 7.5, 3 mM MgCl₂, 3 mM MnCl₂, 3 µM Na-orthovanadate, 1.2 mM DTT, ATP, variable, 2.5 µg/50 µl PEG20,000, Substrate: Histone H2B, 1.5 µg/50 µl and Recombinant PRK1: 200 ng/50 µl.

Storage: Antibodies are supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 µg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol. Do not aliquot the antibodies. Peptides are supplied at 6 µM in 0.001% DMSO. Enzymes are supplied in 50 mM Tris-HCL (pH 8.0), 100 mM NaCl, 5 mM DTT, 15 mM reduced glutathione and 20% glycerol. Store at -80°C.

Keep enzymes on ice during use.

Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Companion Products:

Serine/Threonine Kinase Substrate Screening Kit #7400

PRK1 Kinase #7614

Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb #9624

CREB (Ser133) Biotinylated Peptide #1331

Staurosporine #9953

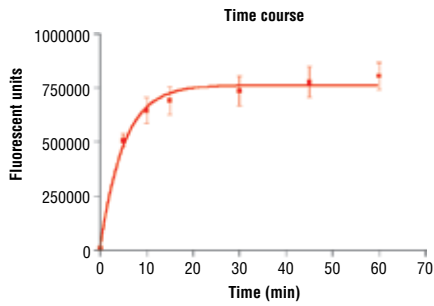


Figure 2. Time course of PRK1 kinase activity: DELFIA® data generated using Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb #9624 to detect phosphorylation of PRK1 substrate peptide (#1331) by PRK1 kinase. In a 50 µl reaction, 50 ng PRK1 and 1.5 µM substrate peptide were used per reaction. (DELFLIA® is a registered trademark of PerkinElmer, Inc.)

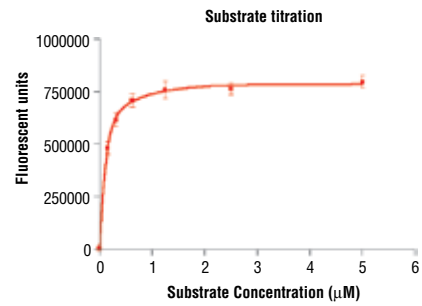


Figure 4. Peptide concentration dependence of PRK1 kinase activity: DELFIA® data generated using Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb #9624 to detect phosphorylation of substrate peptide (#1331) by PRK1 kinase. In a 50 µl reaction, 50 ng of PRK1 and increasing concentrations of substrate peptide were used per reaction at room temperature for 30 minutes. (DELFLIA® is a registered trademark of PerkinElmer, Inc.)

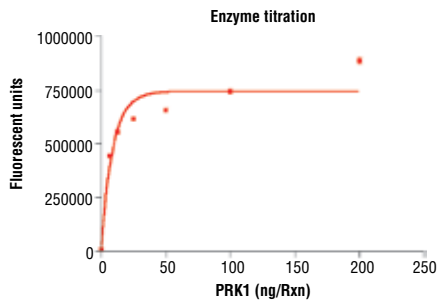


Figure 3. Dose dependence curve of PRK1 kinase activity: DELFIA® data generated using Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb #9624 to detect phosphorylation of substrate peptide (#1331) by PRK1 kinase. In a 50 µl reaction, increasing amounts of PRK1 and 1.5 µM substrate peptide were used per reaction at room temperature for 30 minutes. (DELFLIA® is a registered trademark of PerkinElmer, Inc.)

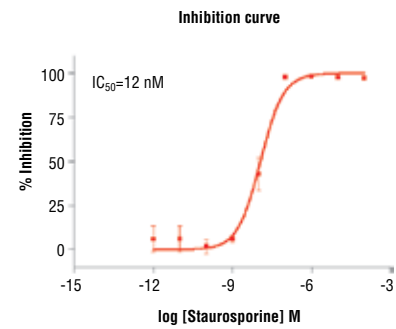


Figure 5. Staurosporine inhibition of PRK1 kinase activity: DELFIA® data generated using Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb #9624 to detect phosphorylation of PRK1 substrate peptide (#1331) by PRK1 kinase. In a 50 µl reaction, 50 ng PRK1, 1.5 µM substrate peptide, 20 µM ATP and increasing amounts of staurosporine were used per reaction at room temperature for 30 minutes. (DELFLIA® is a registered trademark of PerkinElmer, Inc.)

Protocol for HTScan® PRK1 Kinase Assay Kit

Kinase

Note: Lot-specific information for this kinase is provided on the enzyme vial. Optimal assay incubation times and enzyme concentrations must be determined empirically for each lot of kinase under specified conditions.

A Additional Solutions and Reagents (Not included)

1. **Wash Buffer:** 1X PBS, 0.05% Tween-20 (PBS/T)
2. Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA)
3. **Stop Buffer:** 50 mM EDTA pH 8

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B Suggested Protocol for 100 Assays

1. Add 100 µl 10 mM ATP to 1.25 ml 6 µM substrate peptide. Dilute the mixture with dH₂O to 2.5 ml to make 2X ATP/substrate cocktail ([ATP]=400 µM, [substrate] = 3 µM).
2. Transfer enzyme from -80°C to ice. Allow enzyme to thaw on ice.
3. **Microcentrifuge briefly at 4°C to bring liquid to the bottom of the vial. Return immediately to ice.**
4. Add 1 ml 10X kinase buffer [1 ml 10X Kinase Buffer 250 mM Tris-HCl pH 7.5, 100 mM MgCl₂, 1 mM Na₃VO₄, 50 mM β-glycerophosphate, 20 mM dithiothreitol (DTT)] to 1.5 ml dH₂O to make 2.5 ml 4X reaction buffer.
5. Transfer 0.6 ml of 4X Reaction buffer to each enzyme tube to make 4X reaction cocktail ([enzyme] = 8 ng/µl in 4X reaction cocktail).
6. Add 12.5 µl of the 4X reaction cocktail to 12.5 µl/well of prediluted compound of interest (usually around 10 µM) and incubate for 5 minutes at room temperature.
7. Add 25 µl of 2X ATP/substrate cocktail to 25 µl/well preincubated reaction cocktail/compound.

Final Assay Conditions for a 50 µl Reaction

25 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5)
 10 mM MgCl₂
 5 mM β-glycerophosphate
 0.1 mM Na₃VO₄
 2 mM DTT
 200 µM ATP
 1.5 µM peptide
 50 ng PRK1 Kinase

8. Incubate reaction plate at room temperature for 30 minutes.
9. Add 50 µl/well Stop Buffer (50 mM EDTA, pH 8) to stop the reaction.
10. Transfer 25 µl of each reaction to a 96-well streptavidin-coated plate containing 75 µl dH₂O/well and incubate at room temperature for 60 minutes.
11. *Wash three times with 200 µl/well PBS/T.
12. Dilute primary antibody, Phospho-PKA Substrate (RRXS/T) (100G7) Rabbit mAb, 1:1000 in PBS/T with 1% BSA. Add 100 µl/well primary antibody.
13. Incubate at room temperature for 120 minutes.
14. *Wash three times with 200 µl/well PBS/T.
15. For DELFLIA® or Colorimetric ELISA detection methods please use the following protocols.

DELFLIA® Assay

1. Prepare appropriate dilution of Europium labeled secondary antibody in PBS/T with 1% BSA (1:500 dilution for anti-mouse IgG or 1:1000 for anti-rabbit IgG).
2. Add 100 µl/well secondary antibody solution.
3. Incubate at room temperature for 30 minutes.
4. *Wash five times with 200 µl/well PBS/T.
5. Add 100 µl/well DELFLIA® Enhancement Solution.
6. Incubate at room temperature for 5 minutes.
7. Read plate using a Time Resolved Fluorescent plate reader using the following settings;
 - a. Excitation Filter: 340 nm
 - b. Emission Filter: 615 nm
 - c. Delay**: 400 µs
 ** Delay time is the delay from the excitation pulse to the beginning of the measurement.

Companion Products for DELFLIA®

DELFLIA® Europium-labeled Anti-mouse IgG (PerkinElmer Life Sciences #AD0124)
 DELFLIA® Europium-labeled Anti-rabbit IgG (PerkinElmer Life Sciences #AD0105)
 DELFLIA® Enhancement Solution (PerkinElmer Life Sciences #1244-105)
 DELFLIA® Streptavidin coated, 96-well, yellow plate (PerkinElmer Life Sciences AAAND-0005)

Colorimetric ELISA Assay

1. Prepare appropriate dilution of HRP labeled secondary antibody in PBS/T with 1% BSA (1:500 dilution for anti-mouse IgG or 1:1000 for anti-rabbit IgG).
2. Add 100 µl/well secondary antibody solution.
3. Incubate at room temperature for 30 minutes.
4. *Wash five times with 200 µl/well PBS/T.
5. Add 100 µl/well TMB substrate.
6. Incubate at room temperature for 15 minutes.
7. Add 100 µl/well of stop solution.
8. Mix well.
9. Read the absorbance at 450 nm with a microtiter plate reader.

Companion Products For Colorimetric ELISA Assay

Anti-mouse IgG, HRP Linked Antibody #7076
 Anti-rabbit IgG, HRP Linked Antibody #7074
 TMB Solution #7004
 Stop Solution #7002

***NOTE:** Use of an automated microplate washer as well as centrifugation of plates when appropriate, greatly improves reproducibility.

Please contact Cell Signaling Technology for HTS-ready antibodies (PBS formulated and carrier-free), and detailed peptide substrate sequence information.
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