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Product datasheet

Histone H3 (di-methyl K9) Quantification Kit (Colorimetric) abl 15062

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Overview

Product name Histone H3 (di-methyl K9) Quantification Kit (Colorimetric)

Detection method Colorimetric

Sample type Tissue, Adherent cells, Suspension cells

Assay type Quantitative
Assay time 2h 30m

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Human

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Predicted to work with: Mammals

Product overview Methylation of histone H3 at lysine 9 by ESET, G9a among other methyl transferases is involved in

euchromatin gene silencing as well as in heterochromatin formation. Specifically, H3 (di-methyl

K9) mediates heterochromatin formation by forming a binding site for HP1.

Histone H3 (di-methyl K9) Quantification Kit (Colorimetric) (ab115062) allows the user to specifically measure global di-methylation of histone H3K9 colorimetrically using a variety of mammalian cells (human, mouse, etc.) including fresh and frozen tissues, cultured adherent and

suspension cells.

Platform Microplate reader

Properties

Storage instructions Please refer to protocols.

Components	Identifier	48 tests	96 tests
10X Wash Buffer		1 x 10ml	1 x 20ml
8-Well Sample Strips (with frame)		4 units	9 units
8-Well Standard Control Strips	Green Ringed	2 units	3 units
Antibody Buffer		1 x 6ml	1 x 2ml
Color Developer		1 x 5ml	1 x 10ml

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Components	Identifier	48 tests	96 tests
Detection Antibody, 1 mg/mL		1 x 5µl	1 x 10µl
Standard Control (100 μg/mL)		1 x 10µl	1 x 20µl
Stop Solution		1 x 3ml	1 x 6ml

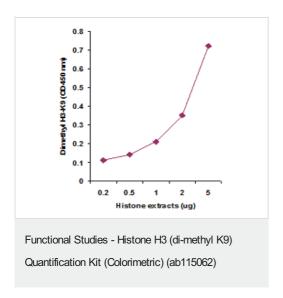
Relevance

Core component of nucleosome. Nucleosomes wrap and compact DNA into chromatin, limiting DNA accessibility to the cellular machineries which require DNA as a template. Histones thereby play a central role in transcription regulation, DNA repair, DNA replication and chromosomal stability. DNA accessibility is regulated via a complex set of post-translational modifications of histones, also called histone code, and nucleosome remodeling.

Cellular localization

Nucleus. Chromosome.

Images



Histone extracts were prepared from MDA-MB-231 cells using the Histone Extraction Kit (<u>ab113476</u>) and the amount of dimethyl-H3-K9 was measured using ab115062.

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