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# Product datasheet

# Mouse Relaxin 1 ELISA Kit ab213885

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Overview

Product name Mouse Relaxin 1 ELISA Kit

**Detection method**Colorimetric

Precision Intra-assay

| Sample | n  | Mean      | SD     | CV%    |
|--------|----|-----------|--------|--------|
| 1      | 16 | 104pg/ml  | 4.16   | = 4%   |
| 2      | 16 | 612pg/ml  | 47.12  | = 7.7% |
| 3      | 16 | 2407pg/ml | 154.04 | = 6.4% |

Inter-assay

| Sample | n  | Mean      | SD     | CV%    |
|--------|----|-----------|--------|--------|
| 1      | 24 | 108pg/ml  | 7.71   | = 5.2% |
| 2      | 24 | 616pg/ml  | 59.13  | = 9.6% |
| 3      | 24 | 2227pg/ml | 144.75 | = 6.5% |

Sample type Cell culture supernatant, Serum, Hep Plasma, EDTA Plasma

Assay type Sandwich (quantitative)

**Sensitivity** < 10 pg/ml

**Range** 78 pg/ml - 5000 pg/ml

Assay time 3h 30m

Assay duration Multiple steps standard assay

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse

Product overview The Mouse Relaxin 1 Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA) kit (ab213885) is designed

for the quantitative measurement of Mouse Relaxin 1 in cell culture supernatants, serum and

plasma (heparin or EDTA).

The ELISA kit is based on standard sandwich enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay technology. A

monoclonal antibody from rat specific for Relaxin 1 has been pre-coated onto 96-well plates. Standards (Expression system for standard: E.coli; Immunogen sequence: R23-R54 (B) & E161-C185 (A)) and test samples are added to the wells, a biotinylated detection polyclonal antibody from goat specific for Relaxin 1 is added subsequently and then followed by washing with PBS or TBS buffer. Avidin-Biotin-Peroxidase Complex was added and unbound conjugates were washed away with PBS or TBS buffer. HRP substrate TMB was used to visualize HRP enzymatic reaction. TMB was catalyzed by HRP to produce a blue color product that changed into yellow after adding acidic stop solution. The density of yellow is proportional to the Mouse Relaxin 1 amount of sample captured in plate.

**Notes** 

Relaxin 1 is a member of relaxin-like peptide family. Relaxin gene maps to mouse chromosome 19 near D19Mit23. Relaxin is a peptide hormone produced by the corpora lutea of ovaries during pregnancy in many mammalian species, including man. Relaxin widens the pubic bone and facilitates labor, it also softens the cervix (cervical ripening), and relaxes the uterine musculature. However, its significance may reach much further. Relaxin affects collagen metabolism, inhibiting collagen synthesis and enhancing its breakdown by increasing matrix metalloproteinases. It also enhances angiogenesis and is a potent renal vasodilator.

**Platform** 

Pre-coated microplate (12 x 8 well strips)

#### **Properties**

#### Storage instructions

Store at -20°C. Please refer to protocols.

| Components  | Identifier | 1 x 96 tests |
|---|------------|--------------|
| ABC Diluent Buffer                                    | Blue Cap   | 1 x 12ml     |
| Adhesive Plate Seal                                   |            | 4 units      |
| Antibody Diluent Buffer                               | Green Cap  | 1 x 12ml     |
| Anti-Mouse Relaxin 1 coated Microplate (12 x 8 wells) |            | 1 unit       |
| Avidin-Biotin-Peroxidase Complex (ABC)                |            | 1 x 100µl    |
| Biotinylated anti- Mouse Relaxin 1 antibody           |            | 1 x 100µl    |
| Lyophilized recombinant Mouse Relaxin 1 standard      |            | 2 vials      |
| Sample Diluent Buffer                                 | Green Cap  | 1 x 30ml     |
| TMB Color Developing Agent                            | Black Cap  | 1 x 10ml     |
| TMB Stop Solution                                     | Yellow Cap | 1 x 10ml     |
| Wash Buffer (25X)                                     |            | 1 x 20ml     |

#### **Function**

Relaxin is an ovarian hormone that acts with estrogen to produce dilatation of the birth canal in many mammals. May be involved in remodeling of connective tissues during pregnancy, promoting growth of pubic ligaments and ripening of the cervix.

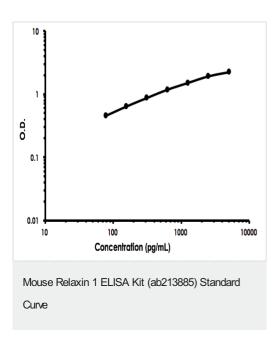
# Tissue specificity

Prostate. Not expressed in placenta, decidua or ovary.

**Cellular localization** 

Secreted.

#### **Images**



Mouse Relaxin 1 ELISA Kit (ab213885) Standard Curve.

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