



GDP-Fucose (GDP-Fuc) Kit

Notes:

- · All reagents and kit components should be stored at -20 °C until use
- This kit is intended for:
- GDP-Fuc kit containing substrates (ATP, GTP, Fuc) and enzyme (FKP, PPA) is mini test kit in situ which is necessary step for large scale glycosylation.
- · lower cost, continuous generation of up to 18 μmoles of nucleotide sugar *in situ* for use with sugar transferases (not included)
- · conversion of sugar derivatives (not included) to the corresponding nucleotide sugar
- adding more ATP, GTP and Fuc to the reaction will continually generate large quantity of GDP-Fuc (not guaranteed) while FKP and PPA are still active

Quick start protocol

Step 1: Inspect kit contents.

-Substrate Tube A: ATP (powder; qty 1)

-Substrate Tube B: GTP (powder; qty 1)

-Substrate Tube C: Fucose sugar (powder; qty 1)

-Enzyme Tube D: FKP (powder; qty 1)

-Enzyme Tube E: EcPPA (powder; qty 1)

-Reaction Tube F: Sterile empty tube (qty 1)

-Centrifuge all tubes briefly to pellet any material from walls of tube before opening tubes

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Step 2: Assemble additional components (not included).

-Create a 20X Buffer Solution (1M Tris pH 8.0) Add 300 µL to Reaction Tube F.

-Create a 10X Salt Solution (200mM MgCl₂) Add 100 µL to Reaction Tube F.

-Obtain sterile distilled water (dH₂O) Add 100 μL to Reaction Tube F.

Step 3: Prepare reagents.

- -Add 100 μL of dH₂O from Step 2 to Substrate Tube A. Tap gently to mix. Centrifuge briefly to pellet any insoluble material. Transfer all 100 uL to Reaction Tube F
- -Repeat with Substrate Tube B
- -Repeat with Substrate Tube C. [Note: If using a Fucose derivative instead of Fucose as the sugar substrate, skip this step. Fucose derivative not included]
- -Repeat with Enzyme Tube D [Note: Enzymes should always be added to Reaction Tube F last]
- -Repeat with Enzyme Tube E

Step 4: Initiate nucleotide sugar reaction.

- -Ensure that Reaction Tube F contain all reagents. Final reaction volume is 1000 μL
- -Incubate Reaction Tube F for 3 h in 37 °C water bath
- -After 3 h, centrifuge briefly to pellet condensation and any insoluble material
- -Reaction Tube F now contains GDP-Fucose for glycosylation reactions

Step 5: Glycosyltransferase reaction.

- -Reaction Tube F can still actively produce GDP-Fucose *in situ*
- -Add a Fucose transferase (such as α 1,3FucT ; Chemily product EN01020) and target substrate (such as Gal β 4GlcNAc) to Reaction Tube F
- -Incubate Reaction Tube F in 37 °C water bath for 24 hr to initiate glycosylation of the target substrate

[Note: Glycosylation rate may vary by transferase and target substrate]

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