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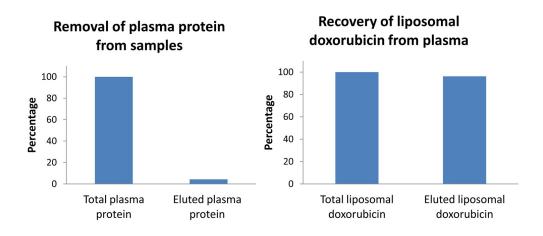


ProFoldin Liposome Plasma Stability Test Kit

CATALOG NUMBER SPS20

INTRODUCTION

The Liposome Human Plasma Stability Test Kit (Catalog number SPS20) is designed for study stability of liposomal drugs in human or animal plasma or serum. Ready-to-use spin columns are employed for separation of liposomal drugs from non-encapsulated drugs and drugs that binds plasma proteins. After a quick spin-column process, more than 95 % of plasma proteins together with the free drugs stay on the column. The intact liposomal drugs are in the elute. For example, the recovery yield of the intact liposomal doxorubicin was 96 % after incubation of the liposomal drug with human plasma at 37°C for 2 hours.



The Liposome Human Plasma Stability Test Kit (Catalog number SPS20) includes 20 prepacked spin columns for analysis of 20 samples.

PROTOCOL

1. Column preparation

- (1) Remove the caps of 1.5-ml Eppendorf tubes and use them as receiver tubes. Remove the bottom tip and the cap of each spin column and insert the column into a receiving tube.
- (2) Spin the columns at 1000 rpm using a benchtop Eppendorf centrifuge for 1 min and discard the elute.



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(3) Spin the columns at 1000 rpm for 4 min and change to a clean receiving tube.

2. Sample preparation

- (1) Filtrate human plasma through a 0.22 μm syringe filter (low protein binding filter, Pall Scientific, PN 4902).
- (2) Mix 100 µl of liposome and 100 µl of plasma and incubate at 37 °C for 2 to 24 hr.
- (3) Mix 100 µl of liposome and 100 µl of buffer and keep it on ice as a control.

3. Separation of the intact liposomal drug from the free and protein-bound drugs

- (1) Load 75 µl of the plasma-treated liposome sample or control onto each column.
- (2) Spin the column at 1000 rpm for 4 min. Collect the elute. Discard the column.

4. Analysis of Liposome stability in plasma

- (1) Use a proper method to measure the drug concentrations in the elute of the plasma-treated liposome sample (Cp) and the elute of the control (Cc).
- (2) Analyze the stability of the liposome in plasma:

 Recovery yield of intact liposome in plasma (%) = Cp x 100 % / Cc

Related products:

| SLP20 | Spin-columns for Liposome Purification |
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| LDE10 | Liposome Drug Encapsulation Assay Kit |
| LDD05 | Liposome Drug Dissolution Assay Kit |
| LIP1000 | MicroGram Lipid Assay Kit |
| PHPC200AS | Ready-to-load PEGylated HSPC Liposomes with Ammonium Sulfate |
| DPC200AT | Ready-to-load DPPC Liposomes with Ammonium Tartrate |
| DPC001AO | Liposomal Acridine Orange Dye |
| DPC001RG | Liposomal Rhodamine G Dye |
| DPC001RG | Liposomal Fluorescein Dye |
| DPC001FL | PEGylated Liposomal Acridine Orange Dye |
| PHC001RB | PEGylated Liposomal Rhodamine B Dye |
| PHC001AO | PEGylated Liposomal Rhodamine B Dye |
| DPC002MG | Liposomal Magnesium |
| DPC002CA | Liposomal Calcium |
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