

Assays Using Rat Prostate or Epididymal Cytosol

Reference	Danzo (1997)	Kelce et al. (1994)	Kelce et al. (1995)
Preparation of receptor			
<i>Source of receptor</i>	Rat (otherwise unspecified)	Sprague Dawley rat	Rat (otherwise unspecified)
<i>Tissue</i>	prostate	epididymis	ventral prostate
<i>Age of animals</i>	n.p.	120 -150 days	n.p.
<i>When castrated</i>	n.p.	24 hours before sacrifice	24 hours before sacrifice
<i>Diet of animals</i>	n.p.	Purina Lab Chow - 5001	n.p.
<i>Environment</i>	n.p.	22° C, 40-50% humidity	n.p.
<i>Lighting</i>	n.p.	14 hours light:10 hours dark	n.p.
<i>Buffer for preparation of cytosol</i>	n.p.	TEDG, pH 7.4	n.p.
<i>Dilution of tissue with buffer</i>	n.p.	5 ml/gm	n.p.
<i>Homogenization</i>	n.p.	Polytron	n.p.
<i>Centrifugation</i>	n.p.	30000xg, 4° C, 10 min	n.p.
<i>Protein concentration of cytosol</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Competitive binding assay			
<i>Reference ligand</i>	5 -Dihydrotestosterone	R1881	R1881
<i>Volume and concentration of reference ligand</i>	n.p.	volume n.p.; 0.5 to 20.0 nM	volume n.p.; 3 nM
<i>Specific activity of labelled reference ligand</i>	n.p.	86 Ci/mmol	n.p.
<i>Volume and concentration of cold ligand</i>	n.p.	volume n.p.; .01 - 1000 nM or .01 - 400 nM	volume n.p.; 100 nM
<i>Final concentration of reference ligand</i>	n.p.	n.p.	103 nM
<i>Concentration range of competing ligand</i>	n.p.	n.p.	0-100; 0-50; 0-1.2 µM
<i>Volume of cytosol</i>	n.p.	300 µl	n.p.
<i>Volume of buffer</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Type of buffer used</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Replicates</i>	2	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Time of incubation</i>	n.p.	20 hours	20 hours
<i>Temperature of incubation</i>	n.p.	4° C	4° C

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Separation of ligand			
Type of slurry	dextran-charcoal	hydroxylapatite	n.p.
Buffer for slurry	n.p.	Tris, pH 7.4	n.p.
Incubation time and temperature	n.p.	20 min, temp. n.p.	n.p.
Centrifugation speed	n.p.	600xg	n.p.
Centrifugation time and temperature	n.p.	2 min; 4° C	n.p.
Resuspension volume and buffer for pellet	n.p.	Tris, pH 7.4	n.p.
No. of washes	n.p.	3	n.p.
Extraction of label	n.p.	2 ml ethanol	n.p.
Incubation time and temperature	n.p.	10 min	n.p.
Vortexing during incubation time	n.p.	yes	n.p.
Centrifugation time and temperature	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Measurement of Binding			
Volume added for reading	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Volume of fluor	n.p.	15 ml scintillation fluid	n.p.
Type of fluor	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Instrumentation	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Measurement	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Blank without competitor	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Reading of blank	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Blank subtracted?	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Range of standard curve of reference ligand	n.p.	.01-1000 nM; .01-400 nM	n.p.
Nonspecific binding measured?	n.p.	yes	n.p.
Subtraction of nonspecific binding	n.p.	yes	n.p.
Data calculations			
Data plotted as	% Inhibition	Scatchard plots	Scatchard plots
Data calculated	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Calculation of RBA	from bar graph	n.p.	n.p.
Test substances			
Solvent used	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
No. of samples/ dose	n.p.	2	n.p.
No. of times assay repeated	varies from 3 to 8 depending on substance	n.p.	n.p.

Abbreviations: n.a. = not applicable; No. = number; n.p. = not provided; RBA = relative binding affinity

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Reference	Lambright et al. (2000)	Schilling and Liao (1984)	Teutsch et al. (1994)
Preparation of receptor			
<i>Source of receptor</i>	Sprague Dawley rat	Sprague Dawley rat	Sprague Dawley rat
<i>Tissue</i>	ventral prostate	ventral prostate	prostate
<i>Age of animals</i>	90 days	n.p.	n.p.
<i>When castrated</i>	24 hours before sacrifice	18 hours before sacrifice	24 hours before sacrifice
<i>Diet of animals</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Environment</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Lighting</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Buffer for preparation of cytosol</i>	TEDG	Dulbecco's MEM, Hepes, pH 7.5	Tris, DTT, phenylmethylsulfonyl fluoride, molybdate, pH 7.4
<i>Dilution of tissue with buffer</i>	10 ml/gm	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Homogenization</i>	Polytron	Potter-Elvehjem	n.p.
<i>Centrifugation</i>	30000xg	220,000xg, 45 min	209,000xg, 30 min, 0-4° C
<i>Protein concentration of cytosol</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Competitive binding assay			
<i>Reference ligand</i>	R1881	Mibolerone	Testosterone
<i>Volume and concentration of reference ligand</i>	volume n.p.; 5 nM	volume n.p.; 10 - 30 nM	volume n.p.; 2.5 or 5 mM
<i>Specific activity of labelled reference ligand</i>	n.p.	80.9 Ci/mmol	54 Ci/mM
<i>Volume and concentration of cold ligand</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Final concentration of reference ligand</i>	n.p.	10 nM	0.1 - 20 nM
<i>Concentration range of competing ligand</i>	n.p.	50, 100, 300 nM	n.p.
<i>Volume of cytosol</i>	n.p.	n.p.	0.1 ml
<i>Volume of buffer</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Type of buffer used</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Replicates</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Time of incubation</i>	2 hours	n.p.	24 hours
<i>Temperature of incubation</i>	37° C	n.p.	0° C

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Reference	Lambright et al. (2000)	Schilling and Liao (1984)	Teutsch et al. (1994)
Separation of ligand			
Type of slurry	n.p.	hydroxyapatite	dextran-charcoal
Buffer for slurry	n.p.	Tris, PO ₄ , pH 7.2	Tris, DTT, phenylmethylsulfonyl fluoride, molybdate, pH 7.4
Incubation time and temperature	n.p.	10 min, 0° C	10 min, 0-4° C
Centrifugation speed	n.p.	filtered	800xg
Centrifugation time and temperature	n.p.	n.a.	10 min, 0-4° C
Resuspension volume and buffer for pellet	n.p.	scintillation fluid	n.p.
No. of washes	n.p.	5	n.p.
Extraction of label	n.p.	scintillation fluid	n.p.
Incubation time and temperature	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Vortexing during incubation time	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Centrifugation time and temperature	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Measurement of Binding			
Volume added for reading	n.p.	n.p.	0.1 ml
Volume of fluor	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Type of fluor	n.p.	toluene, Triton-X100	n.p.
Instrumentation	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Measurement	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Blank without competitor	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Reading of blank	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Blank subtracted?	n.p.	no	n.p.
Range of standard curve of reference ligand	n.p.	10 nM	n.p.
Nonspecific binding measured?	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Subtraction of nonspecific binding	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Data calculations			
Data plotted as	n.p.	n.p.	Scatchard analysis
Data calculated	n.p.	% binding	n.p.
Calculation of RBA	n.p.	calculated from % binding	yes
Test substances			
Solvent used	n.p.	ethanol	n.p.
No. of samples/ dose	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
No. of times assay repeated	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.

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Reference	Van Dort et al. (2000)	Waller et al. (1996)	Wilson and French (1976)
Preparation of receptor			
<i>Source of receptor</i>	Wistar rat	Sprague Dawley rat	Sprague Dawley or Osborne-Mendel rat
<i>Tissue</i>	ventral prostate	epididymis	prostate
<i>Age of animals</i>	n.p.	120 -150 days	n.p.
<i>When castrated</i>	n.p.	24 hours before sacrifice	24 hours before sacrifice
<i>Diet of animals</i>	n.p.	Purina Lab chow - 5001	n.p.
<i>Environment</i>	n.p.	22° C, 40-50% humidity	n.p.
<i>Lighting</i>	n.p.	14 hours light:10 hours dark	n.p.
<i>Buffer for preparation of cytosol</i>	PO ₄ with protease inhibitor and triamcinolone acetate, pH 7.2	TEDG, pH 7.4	Tris-EDTA-glycerol, pH 7.5
<i>Dilution of tissue with buffer</i>	n.p.	5 ml/gm	n.p.
<i>Homogenization</i>	n.p.	Polytron	Ultra turrax, set at 7
<i>Centrifugation</i>	n.p.	30000xg, 4° C, 10 min	105000xg, 75 min
<i>Protein concentration of cytosol</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Competitive binding assay			
<i>Reference ligand</i>	Mibolerone	R1881	5 -Dihydrotestosterone
<i>Volume and concentration of reference ligand</i>	volume n.p.; 2 nM	n.p.	volume n.p.; 15-20 nM
<i>Specific activity of labelled reference ligand</i>	n.p.	n.p.	80 Ci/mmol
<i>Volume and concentration of cold ligand</i>	volume n.p.; 0.3 - 100 nM	n.p.	volume n.p.; 2000 nM
<i>Final concentration of reference ligand</i>	2 nM	n.p.	2020 nM
<i>Concentration range of competing ligand</i>	0.3 - 100 nM	n.p.	20 - 2000 nM
<i>Volume of cytosol</i>	n.p.	300 µl	n.p.
<i>Volume of buffer</i>	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Type of buffer used</i>	PO ₄ with protease inhibitor and triamcinolone acetate, pH 7.2	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Replicates</i>	duplicate	n.p.	n.p.
<i>Time of incubation</i>	18 hours	20 hours	18 - 20 hours
<i>Temperature of incubation</i>	4° C	4° C	0° C

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Reference	Van Dort et al. (2000)	Waller et al. (1996)	Wilson and French (1976)
Separation of ligand			
Type of slurry	hydroxyapatite	hydroxylapatite	charcoal-dextran
Buffer for slurry	n.p.	Tris, pH 7.4	Tris-EDTA, pH 7.5
Incubation time and temperature	15 min, temp. n.p.	20 min, temp. n.p.	20 min, 0° C
Centrifugation speed	n.p.	600xg	2000xg
Centrifugation time and temperature	n.p.	2 min; 4 C	15 min
Resuspension volume and buffer for pellet	n.p.	Tris, pH 7.4	n.p.
No. of washes	n.p.	3	n.p.
Extraction of label	centrifugation	2 ml ethanol	n.p.
Incubation time and temperature	n.p.	10 min	n.p.
Vortexing during incubation time	n.p.	yes	n.p.
Centrifugation time and temperature	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Measurement of Binding			
Volume added for reading	n.p.	n.p.	0.5 ml
Volume of fluor	n.p.	15 ml scintillation fluid	5 ml
Type of fluor	n.p.	n.p.	Aquasol/toluene, 1:1
Instrumentation	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Measurement	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Blank without competitor	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Reading of blank	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Blank subtracted?	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
Range of standard curve of reference ligand	n.p.	.01-1000 nM; .01-400 nM	n.p.
Nonspecific binding measured?	n.p.	yes	n.p.
Subtraction of nonspecific binding	n.p.	yes	n.p.
Data calculations			
Data plotted as	n.p.	Scatchard plots	n.p.
Data calculated	Ki	n.p.	from binding graph
Calculation of RBA	n.p.	n.p.	from binding graph
Test substances			
Solvent used	n.p.	n.p.	n.p.
No. of samples/ dose	2	2	n.p.
No. of times assay repeated	3	n.p.	n.p.

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