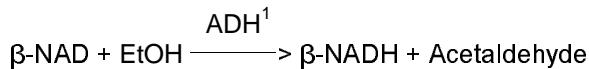


SIGMA QUALITY CONTROL TEST PROCEDURE

Product Information

**Enzymatic Assay of NADase
(EC 3.2.2.5)****PRINCIPLE:**

Abbreviations used:

β -NAD = β -Nicotinamide Adenine Dinucleotide, Oxidized Form

ADP-ribose = Adenosine 5'-Diphosphate-Ribose

ADH = Alcohol Dehydrogenase

β -NADH = β -Nicotinamide Adenine Dinucleotide, Reduced Form

CONDITIONS: T = 37°C, pH = 7.3, A_{340nm}, Light path = 1 cm

METHOD: Spectrophotometric Determination

REAGENTS:

- A. 100 mM Potassium Phosphate Buffer, pH 7.3 at 37°C
(Prepare 100 ml in deionized water using Potassium Phosphate, Monobasic, Anhydrous, Sigma Prod. No. P-5379. Adjust to pH 7.3 at 37°C with 1 M NaOH.)
- B. 7.5 mM β -Nicotinamide Adenine Dinucleotide, Oxidized Form Solution (β -NAD)
(Prepare 5 ml in deionized water using β -Nicotinamide Adenine Dinucleotide, Sigma Prod. No. N-7004.)
- C. 3 M Trichloroacetic Acid Solution (TCA)
(Prepare 10 ml in deionized water using Trichloroacetic Acid, 6.1 N Solution, approximately 100% (w/v), Sigma Stock No. 490-10.)
- D. 453 mM Glycine Buffer, pH 9.8 at 25°C
(Prepare 100 ml in deionized water using Glycine, Free Base, Sigma Prod. No. G-7126. Adjust to pH 9.8 at 25°C with 1 M NaOH.)

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REAGENTS: (continued)

- E. 74 mM Pyrophosphate, 75 mM Semicarbazide and 1% (v/v) Ethanol (ADH React. Cocktail)
(Prepare 100 ml in Reagent D using Pyrophosphate, Tetrasodium, Decahydrate, Sigma Prod. No. P-9146, Semicarbazide Hydrochloride, Sigma Prod. No. S-4125, and 200 Proof USP Ethyl Alcohol, available from Quantum Chemical Company.)
- F. Alcohol Dehydrogenase Enzyme Solution (ADH)
(Immediately before use, prepare a solution containing approximately 5000 units/ml of Alcohol Dehydrogenase, Sigma Prod. Nos. A-7011 or A-3263 in cold Reagent A.)
- G. NADase Enzyme Solution (NADase)
(Immediately before use, prepare a solution containing 0.1 - 0.2 unit/ml of NADase in cold Reagent A.)

PROCEDURE:

Step 1

Pipette (in milliliters) the following reagents into suitable centrifuge tubes:

	<u>Test</u>	<u>Blank</u>
Reagent A (Buffer)	0.80	0.80
Reagent B (β -NAD)	0.20	0.20
Reagent C (TCA)	-----	0.30

Mix by inversion and equilibrate to 37°C. Then add:

Reagent G (NADase) 0.20 0.20

mix by inversion and incubate for exactly 20 minutes at 37°C. Then add:

Reagent C (TCA)

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PROCEDURE: (continued)

Step 2

Pipette (in milliliters) the following reagents into suitable cuvettes:

	<u>Test</u>	<u>Blank</u>
Test Supernatant	0.40	-----
Blank Supernatant	-----	0.40
Reagent E (ADH React. Cocktail)	2.60	2.60

Mix by inversion and equilibrate to 25°C using a suitably thermostatted spectrophotometer. Record the initial $A_{340\text{nm}}$ for both the Test and Blank. Then add:

	<u>Test</u>	<u>Blank</u>
Reagent F (ADH)	0.01	0.01

Immediately mix by inversion and monitor the increase in $A_{340\text{nm}}$ until constant. The maximum increase in $A_{340\text{nm}}$ should be obtained after 5 - 10 minutes at 25°C. Record the final $A_{340\text{nm}}$ for both the Test and Blank.

CALCULATIONS:

$$\Delta A_{340\text{nm}} = \text{Final } A_{340\text{nm}} - \text{Initial } A_{340\text{nm}}$$

$$\text{Units/ml enzyme} = \frac{(\Delta A_{340\text{nm}} \text{ Blank} - \Delta A_{340\text{nm}} \text{ Test})(1.5)(3.01)(df)}{(20)(6.22)(0.2)(0.4)}$$

1.5 = Total volume (in milliliters) of Step 1

3.01 = Total volume (in milliliters) of Step 2

df = Dilution factor

20 = Time (in minutes) of Step 1 assay as per the Unit Definition

6.22 = Millimolar extinction coefficient of β-NADH at 340nm

0.2 = Volume (in milliliter) of enzyme used

0.4 = Volume (in milliliter) of Step 1 used in Step 2

$$\text{Units/mg solid} = \frac{\text{units/ml enzyme}}{\text{mg solid/ml enzyme}}$$

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CALCULATIONS: (continued)

$$\text{Units/mg protein} = \frac{\text{units/ml enzyme}}{\text{mg protein/ml enzyme}}$$

UNIT DEFINITION:

One unit will hydrolyze 1.0 μ mole of β -NAD to nicotinamide and ADP-ribose per minute at pH 7.3 at 37°C.

FINAL ASSAY CONCENTRATIONS:

In a 1.20 ml reaction mix, the final concentrations are 83 mM potassium phosphate, 1.3 mM β -nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide and 0.02 - 0.04 unit NADase.

REFERENCE:

Kaplan, N. O. (1955) *Methods in Enzymology*, Vol II, 660-663

NOTES:

1. The amount of β -NAD consumed in the first reaction catalyzed by NADase is determined by measuring the residual β -NAD using this reaction.
2. This assay is based on the cited reference.
3. Where Sigma Product or Stock numbers are specified, equivalent reagents may be substituted.

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