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# Data Sheet IDO2 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit Catalog # 72022

**DESCRIPTION:** The *IDO2 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit* is designed to measure IDO2 enzyme inhibition. The kit comes in a convenient format with enough reaction solution and enzyme to perform a total of 100 reactions. The *IDO2 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit* is simple to use. Inhibitor and enzyme are added to a sample containing L-Trp substrate. After a room temperature incubation, activity is determined by measuring the absorption of reaction product at  $\lambda=320-325$  nm.

**BACKGROUND:** L-tryptophan (L-Trp) is an essential amino acid necessary for protein synthesis in mammalian cells and the L-Trp to kynurenine (Kyn) pathway is firmly established as a key regulator of innate and adaptive immunity. Catabolism of L-Trp to Kyn maintains an immunosuppressive microenvironment by starving immune cells of L-Trp and releasing degradation products of L-Trp that have immunosuppressive functions. Indoleamine 2,3-dioxygenases (IDO1 & IDO2), two of the rate limiting enzymes in this pathway, are upregulated in many tumors, providing cancer cells with an avenue for immune evasion.

## **COMPONENTS:**

| Catalog # | Component                    | Amount    | Storage       |                                       |
|-----------|------------------------------|-----------|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| 71194     | IDO2 His-Tag                 | 400 µg    | -80°C         | Avoid                                 |
| 73003     | IDO2 Reaction Solution       | 2 x 10 ml | -80°C         | (Avoid<br>freeze/<br>thaw<br>cycles!) |
| 73004     | 1x IDO2 Assay Buffer         | 1 ml      | -80°C         |                                       |
|           | UV transparent 96-well plate | 1         | Room<br>Temp. |                                       |

### MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT SUPPLIED:

Spectrophotometer capable of measuring absorbance at  $\lambda$ =320 – 325 nm. Adjustable micropipettor and sterile tips

**APPLICATIONS:** Useful for the study of IDO2 enzymology, screening inhibitors, and selectivity profiling.

## **CONTRAINDICATIONS:**

DMSO >0.5%, strong acids or bases, ionic detergents, high salt

**STABILITY:** At least 6 months from date of receipt when stored as directed.

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# REFERENCE(S):

- 1. Liu, X., et al., Blood. 2010; 115(17): 3520-3530.
- 2. Seegers, N., et al. J. Biomol. Screen. 2014; 19(9): 1266-74.

## **ASSAY PROTOCOL:**

All samples and controls should be tested in duplicate. Use slow shaking for all incubations.

# Step 1:

- 1) Thaw **IDO2 Reaction Solution** and aliquot 180 µl into each well.
- 2) Add 10 µl of inhibitor solution (containing no more than 10% DMSO) to each well designated "Test Inhibitor." For the wells labeled "Positive Control" and "Blank," add 10 µl of the same solution without inhibitor (inhibitor buffer). Note: Keep the final DMSO concentration below 0.5%.
- 3) Thaw **IDO2 His-Tag** on ice. Upon first thaw, briefly spin tube containing enzyme to recover full contents of the tube. Aliquot **IDO2 His-Tag** into single use aliquots. Store remaining undiluted enzyme in aliquots at -80°C. Note: **IDO2 His-Tag** is very sensitive to freeze/thaw cycles. Do not re-use thawed aliquots or diluted enzyme.
- 4) Dilute **IDO2 His-Tag** in **1x IDO2 Assay Buffer** at 400 ng/μl. Keep diluted protein on ice until use. Discard any unused diluted protein after use.

|                                 | Blank  | Positive Control | Test<br>Inhibitor |
|---------------------------------|--------|------------------|-------------------|
| IDO2 Reaction Solution          | 180 µl | 180 µl           | 180 µl            |
| Test Inhibitor                  | _      | _                | 10 µl             |
| Inhibitor buffer (no inhibitor) | 10 µl  | 10 µl            | _                 |
| 1x IDO2 Buffer                  | 10 µl  | _                | _                 |
| IDO2 (400 ng/µl)                | -      | 10 µl            | 10 µl             |
| Total                           | 200 µl | 200 µl           | 200 µl            |

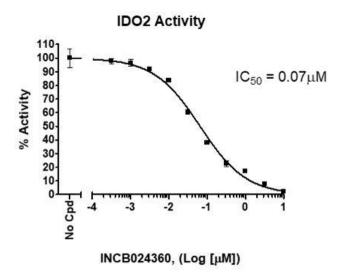
- 5) Add 10 μl of **1x IDO2 Assay Buffer** to the well designated "Blank".
- 6) Initiate reaction by adding 10 μl of diluted **IDO2 His-Tag** prepared as described above to the wells labeled "Positive Control," and "Test Inhibitor," Incubate at room temperature for 3 hours.
- 7) Measure absorption at  $\lambda$ =320 325 nm. OUR PRODUCTS ARE FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. NOT FOR DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

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# **EXAMPLE OF ASSAY RESULTS:**



IDO2 activity (right) and measured using the IDO2 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit, BPS Bioscience, Catalog #72022. Data shown is lot-specific. For lot-specific information, please contact BPS Bioscience, Inc. at info@bpsbioscience.com.



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# **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

| <u>Product</u>  | Catalog # | <u>Size</u> |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| IDO1, His-tag   | 71182     | 50 µg       |
| IDO2, His-tag   | 71194     | 200 µg      |
| TDO, His-tag  | 71195     | 50 µg       |
| IDO1 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit                                  | 72021     | 96 rxns     |
| TDO Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit                                   | 72023     | 96 rxns     |
| IDO1 Cell-Based Assay Kit   | 72031     | 100 rxns    |
| TDO Cell-Based Assay Kit  | 72033     | 100 rxns    |
| PD-1[Biotinylated]:PD-L2 Inhibitor Screening Colorimetric Assay Kit | 72019     | 96 rxns     |
| PD-1:PD-L1[Biotinylated] Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit              | 72003     | 96 rxns     |
| PD-1:PD-L2[Biotinylated] Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit              | 72004     | 96 rxns     |
| PD-1[Biotinylated]:PD-L1 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit              | 72005     | 96 rxns     |
| PD-1[Biotinylated]:PD-L2 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit              | 72006     | 96 rxns     |
| CD28:B7-1[Biotinylated] Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit               | 72007     | 96 rxns     |
| BTLA:HVEM[Biotinylated] Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit               | 72008     | 96 rxns     |
| CTLA4:B7-1[Biotinylated] Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit              | 72009     | 96 rxns     |
| NLG919  | 27337-1   | 10 mg       |
| NLG919  | 27337-2   | 50 mg       |
| INCB024360  | 27338-1   | 10 mg       |