

Validation of enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay for measurement of faecal cortisol in fish

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Abstract

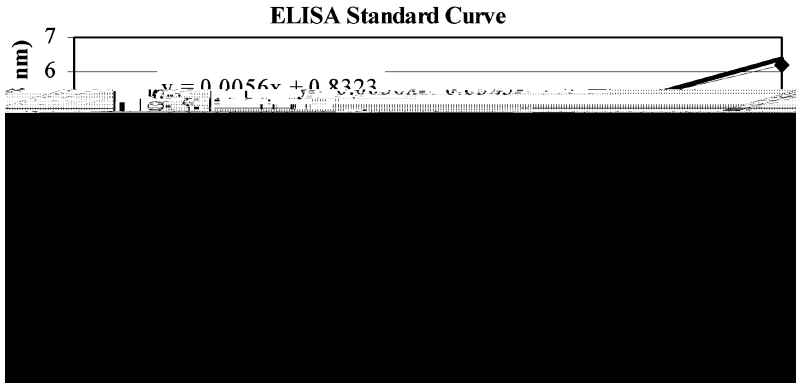
The objective of this study was to validate an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) for the measurement of faecal cortisol in fish. The assay was developed using a cortisol-specific antibody and a cortisol-conjugated enzyme. The assay was validated using a series of experiments. The first experiment was to determine the sensitivity of the assay. The second experiment was to determine the specificity of the assay. The third experiment was to determine the stability of the assay. The fourth experiment was to determine the accuracy of the assay. The fifth experiment was to determine the precision of the assay. The sixth experiment was to determine the reliability of the assay. The seventh experiment was to determine the validity of the assay. The eighth experiment was to determine the utility of the assay. The ninth experiment was to determine the feasibility of the assay. The tenth experiment was to determine the acceptability of the assay. The eleventh experiment was to determine the desirability of the assay. The twelfth experiment was to determine the suitability of the assay. The thirteenth experiment was to determine the appropriateness of the assay. The fourteenth experiment was to determine the reasonableness of the assay. The fifteenth experiment was to determine the practicality of the assay. The sixteenth experiment was to determine the applicability of the assay. The seventeenth experiment was to determine the effectiveness of the assay. The eighteenth experiment was to determine the efficiency of the assay. The nineteenth experiment was to determine the economy of the assay. The twentieth experiment was to determine the safety of the assay. The twenty-first experiment was to determine the healthiness of the assay. The twenty-second experiment was to determine the soundness of the assay. The twenty-third experiment was to determine the solidity of the assay. The twenty-fourth experiment was to determine the sturdiness of the assay. The twenty-fifth experiment was to determine the strength of the assay. The twenty-sixth experiment was to determine the stability of the assay. The twenty-seventh experiment was to determine the steadfastness of the assay. The twenty-eighth experiment was to determine the stoniness of the assay. The twenty-ninth experiment was to determine the stubbornness of the assay. The thirtieth experiment was to determine the stoutheadedness of the assay. The thirty-first experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-second experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-third experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-fourth experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-fifth experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-sixth experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-seventh experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-eighth experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The thirty-ninth experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay. The fortieth experiment was to determine the stoutheartedness of the assay.

Keywords: cortisol, fish, faecal, ELISA, validation

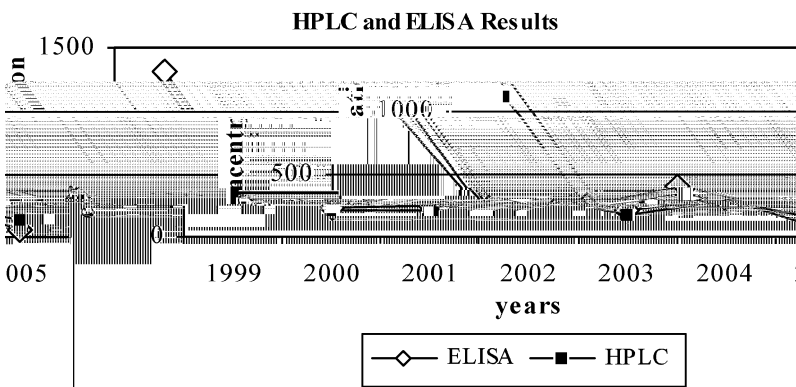
Introduction

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