

# Ivermectin in Honey Sample Preparation

#### 1. Intended Use

For the detection of Ivermectin in honey

## 2. Materials and Reagents Required

Deionized or distilled water
Acetonitrile
50 mL Centrifuge tube
Centrifuge
Methanol
Micropipettes with disposable plastic tipsSerological pipettes
Vortex mixer
ABRAXIS® Ivermectin Plate ELISA Kit (PN 5142B)

## 3. Sample Preparation Procedure

- 3.1 Heat up honey sample to make it homogenous.
- 3.2 Weigh 5 g of honey in 50 mL centrifuge tube.
- 3.3 Add 10 mL of 80% Acetonitrile/Water in the tube.
- 3.4 Vortex for 2 minutes.
- 3.5 Shake for 3 minutes by hand for complete extraction of Ivermectin.
- 3.6 Centrifuge for 5 minutes at 6000 rpm.
- 3.7 Transfer 1 mL of the supernatant and dry under gentle stream of nitrogen gas untilcomplete dry.
- 3.8 Add 1 mL of 60% MeOH/Water and reconstitute the dried extract.
- 3.9 Employ 50 µL per well in ABRAXIS® Ivermectin Plate ELISA Kit.

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<sup>\*</sup> Use dilution factor of **1.6** to calculate the concentration of Ivermectin.