

Supplementary data on method for analysis of Indole-3-lactic acid(ILA)

Method based on article: Midttun et al (2009), PMID 19337982.

Material: DL-Indole-3-lactic acid (purity >99%) was obtained from Sigma-Aldrich, St.Louis, MO 63178 USA. DL-Indole-3-lactic acid –d5 from Toronto Research chemicals, 20 Martin Ross Ave, North York, ON M3J 2K8, Canada

Instrumentation: Same as in PMID 19337982

Chromatograpy and detection:

LC-MS/MS; positive-ion multiple reaction monitoring(MRM); retention time = 4.7 min.

ILA precursor ion = 206.2 m/z; product ion = 188.2 m/z; ILA-d5 precursor ion = 211.2 m/z; product ion = 192.2 m/z.

Method performance:

Linear range: $0.025 - 25 \mu mol/L$.

Linearity, r2: 0.99

LOD (S/N >5): 0.025 μ mol/L.

Within-day CV: 4-5%Between day CV: 4-6%