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Abstract

This protocol describes how to purify mitochondria from cell culture



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- 1 HEK293T cells were trypsinized (0.05% Trypsin  00:05:00) and collected by centrifugation (500g  00:05:00). 10m
- 2 Cells were washed twice with NKM buffer (1 mM Tris HCl, pH7.3, 0.13 M NaCl, 5 mM KCl, and 7.5 mM MgCl₂), and resuspended in six packed cell volumes of homogenization buffer (10 mM Tris pH 7.4, 10 mM KCl, and 0.15 mM MgCl₂).
- 3 Cells were homogenized by 10 passages through a 22G needle.
- 4 Cell homogenates were mixed gently with the same volume of 2.3 M sucrose solution and centrifuged at 1200×g for  00:05:00  4 °C to remove unbroken cells and large cell debris. 5m
- 5 The recovered supernatant fractions were centrifuged at 7000×g for  00:10:00  4 °C . 10m
- 6 Mitochondria enriched in the pellet fraction were resuspended in three packed cell volumes of Mitochondria Suspension Buffer (10 mM Tris, pH 7.3, 0.15 mM MgCl₂, and 0.25 mM sucrose).