The Enzyme Antioxidant Defence System in Libyodrilus Violaceus in Response to Crude Oil Pollution in the Niger Delta Region of Nigeria

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$$Units/mg\ wet\ tissue = \frac{\%Inhibition}{50 \times y}$$

Estimation of catalase (CAT) activity

Principle: [text illegible] H_2O_2 [text illegible]

$$H_2O_2 + H_2O_2 \xrightarrow{Catalase} H_2O + O_2$$

[text illegible]

Procedure: [text largely illegible]

Calculations: [text illegible]

Assay of glutathione peroxidase (GPx)

Principle: [text largely illegible]

Reagent used

Reagent I: 100 [text illegible] 20 [illegible] 100 [illegible] 20 [illegible] 1.0 [illegible]

Reagent II: 0.0% [illegible] (H_2O_2), [illegible] 0 [illegible] 0% [illegible]

Reagent III: % [illegible] 10 [illegible] /20 [illegible]

Calculations

[text largely illegible]

12 [illegible] 1 [illegible] 20 [illegible]
0.1 [illegible]

Assay of glutathione reductase (GRx)

Reagent I: [illegible] 0.01 [illegible] 2 [illegible] 1.0 [illegible] 100 [illegible]

Reagent II: % [illegible] 20 [illegible] 00 [illegible]

Reagent III: [illegible]

Calculation

$$Activity\ GPx = \frac{O.D_{Test} - O.D_{Blank}}{O.D_{std} - O.D_{Blank}} \times conc.\ of\ Standard$$

Statistical analysis

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Results

[text largely illegible] *(Libyodrilus violaceus)* [text illegible] 0.1% [illegible] 0.2% [illegible] 0.1% [illegible] 0.1% [illegible] (Table 1).

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