Whole Cell Lysis Buffer:

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| Stock Solution | 20ml | Final Concentration |
|---------------------------|--------|---------------------|
| 1M KCI | 1000ul | 50mM |
| NP-40 | 200ul | 1% |
| 1M HEPES (pH7.8) | 500ul | 25mM |
| 5mg/ml Leupeptin (SIGMA) | 40ul | 100ug/ml |
| 10mg/ml Aprotinin (SIGMA) | 40ul | 20ug/ml |
| 250 mM DTT | 10ul | 125uM |
| 100 mM PMSF | 200ul | 1mM |
| 40 mMNa3VO4 | 500ul | 1mM |
| dH2O | 17.5ml | |

Total Protein Extraction from Tissues:

- 1. Add 1 ml WCL extraction buffer per 100 mg of tissue.
- 2. Homogenize tissues.
- 3. Transfer to 1.5ml eppendof tubes.
- 4. Spin at 13,000 rpm for 10 minutes at 4°C.
- 5. Remove supernatant and save in another tube.
- 6. If necessary, centrifuge supernatant again.
- 7. Measure protein concentration with BCA method.

Or

- 1. Homogenize tissues in 1XPBS.
- 2. Spin at 3,000 rpm for 10 minutes at 4°C
- 3. Remove supernatant.
- 4. Add 1 ml WCL extraction buffer per 100 mg of tissues.
- 5. Sonication for 4X8 at output level 5.
- 6. Spin at 13,000 rpm for 10 minutes at 4°C.
- 7. Remove supernatant and save in another tube.
- 8. If necessary, centrifuge supernatant again.
- 9. Measure protein concentration with BCA method