光音響顕微法の組織切片中の 生体成分分析への適用

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Application of Photoacoustic Microscopy to Analysis of Biological Components in Tissue Sections

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ABSTRACT: Photoacoustic microscopy was applied to the determination of dye (alcian blue 8GS) spotted on a mucin layer. The determination range in a 40 μ m diameter area was 40–1200pg. The total dye quantity in the spot (ca. 2mm diameter) was determined by integrating the quantities in the 40 μ m diameter area within 15% error, irrespective of the uniformity of the distribution. This method was applied to the analysis of acidic mucopoly-saccharide in the rat rectum and rat eyeball sections stained with alcian blue 8GS. The dye quantity was estimated to be 40–640 pg in the microregion of 40 μ m diameter area and 1.5–1.8 μ g in the whole region in ca. 8 μ m thick sections. These quantities corresponded to 1.6–2.6 ng and 60–72 μ g of mucin, respectively, based on the weight binding ratio of 40 of mucin to the dye in solution.

抄録 ムチン層上に点滴したアルシアソブルー8GS の定量に光音響顕微法を適用した。直径 $40\mu m$ の面積での定量範囲は 40-1200pg であった。約 2mm 径のスポット中の全色素量は $40\mu m$ 径中の量を積分して 15%誤差内で定量できた。本法をラット直腸及び眼球の薄片中のムコ多糖の定量に適用した。 $40\mu m$ 径中の色素量は 40-60pg, $8\mu m$ 厚さの全領域中の定量値は $1.5-1.8\mu g$ であり,これをムチン対色素結合比 40:1 に基いて評価すると,ムチン量としてそれぞれ 1.6-2.6ng 及び $60-72\mu g$ となった。

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