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PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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OUR COMPANY

MORE THAN 30 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN IVD (KITS AND INSTRUMENTATION)

DIAsource ImmunoAssays (a BioVendor Group company), an international diagnostic company (Belgium), develops, manufactures and markets clinical diagnostic products in the field of endocrinology and infectious diseases. Core products are based on RIA and ELISA technology and also include reagents to be run on open ELISA automated analyzers as well as antibodies for use in in-vitro diagnostic assays. DIAsource has specific development and manufacturing programs for Vitamin D, Renin, Calcitonin and many others parameters. We also provide selected instrumentation: we offer ELISA reader, washer and shaker, along with open and closed fully automated ELISA platforms helping our customers to automate their tests. It is our ambition to use our 30 years of expertise in Antibody and Assay development to remain a well-known company of diagnostic immunoassays and instrumentation for the IVD market.

MISSION

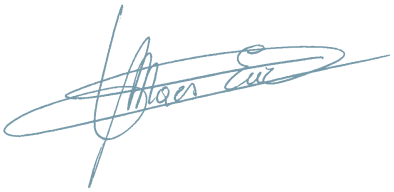
Our mission is to develop, manufacture and market a complete panel of quality immunoassays and instrumentation as accurate, reliable, diagnostic tools to detect and monitor endocrine disorders and infectious diseases. We are dedicated to provide highly reliable quality assays and instrumentation to deliver uncompromising support to our customers. We strive to meet for meeting our customers needs through a long-term professional relationship and by offering a real added value. Our company is driven by commitment to quality of products and services.

PRODUCT RANGE

During the last 30 years, we have developed manual ELISA and RIA immunoassays for the diagnosis and monitoring of a wide variety of endocrine disorders. We constantly rework and develop specific antibodies for use in our diagnostic assays. In addition we offer these antibodies also to other diagnostic companies. Constantly looking for new technologies and applications, we put our expertise in the development of new antibodies (patent pending) and assays to measure 25OH Total Vitamin D (D2+D3). We strengthen our position in the diagnostic market by validating our ELISA assays on our open and closed automates. This innovation marks a turning point for our company, and makes of DIAsource, already renowned in the RIA market, a complete diagnostic provider. The interest in Vitamin D is rising rapidly. Since more than 10 years DIAsource manufactures immunoassays for 25OH Vitamin D3 and 1,25 $(OH)_2$ Vitamin D. In our assay development program, we are focusing specifically on new Vitamin D assays. We introduced a new Total Vitamin D (D2 + D3) RIA and ELISA assay, an innovative free 25OH Vitamin D ELISA kit, together with a Rat 25OH Vitamin D ELISA kit for clinical research studies. The ELISA versions can also be applied on our instruments.

COMMITMENT TO QUALITY

We believe that the quality of products and services finds its origin in scientific expertise, good organization of all operational activities and in well-structured decision processes. These principles are laid out in our ISO 13485:2016 quality manual. Through the integration of product quality in our development and manufacturing processes and a specific customer-oriented approach, we have directed our quality system to comply with the harmonized standard for quality systems within the context of the European Directive for In Vitro Diagnostics. Our internal quality management system is designed to pursue a continuous improvement of our customer service, our product quality and the efficiency of our operations. All our kits and instruments for in-vitro diagnostics (IVD) carry the CE mark and comply with IVD Directive requirements.



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AUTO-IMMUNITY

Autoimmunity is the failure of an organism to recognize its own constituent parts as self, which results in an immune response against its own cells and tissues. Any disease that results from such an aberrant immune response is termed an autoimmune disease. Prominent examples include Coeliac disease, diabetes mellitus type 1 (IDDM), systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE), Sjögren's syndrome, Churg-Strauss Syndrome, multiple sclerosis (MS), Hashimoto's thyroiditis, Graves' disease, idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura, and rheumatoid arthritis (RA).

Format	Cat#	Label	Size	Sample type	Sample size (µL)	Control Levels	Range	Sensitivity	Incubation (hours)	Max shelf life (weeks)	Remarks
Anti-TSH Receptors AutoAntibodies (TSH-R Ab)											
ELISA	KAPD4834	HRP	96 T	S	75	2	0,4-30 U/L	0,08 U/L	3,25	48	

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ANA												
DIASpot M	KAPDTANA8	ANA^{8} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot M	KAPDTANA12S	ANA^{12} Screen IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTANA8N	ANA^{8} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot M	KAPDTANA10	ANA^{10} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTANA10N	ANA^{10} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
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DIASpot N	KAPDTANA12N	ANA^{12} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTANA25N	Multi^{Quant} ANA25 Screen IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTANA19N	Multi^{Quant} ANA^{19} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µl	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
ELISA	KAPD3562	ANA-8-screen	HRP	96 T	S - P	10 µL	1	-	96,4 - 98%	30/15/15/5min RT	72	
ANCA												
DIASpot M	KAPDTANCAG	ANCA^{GBM} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTANCAGN	ANCA^{GBM} IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTANCAN	ANCA2 IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 89% - > 98%	0,75	52	

S=Serum - P=Plasma

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APS												
DIASpot N	KAPDTAPSGN	APS IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
ASCA												
DIASpot N	KAPDTASCCN	ASCA IgG + IgA	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
ELISA	ScA096	EIA ASCA IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	20	3	5-80 U/ml	98,50%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	ScA096	EIA ASCA IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	20	3	5-80 U/ml	98,60%	1,25 37°C	72	
CCP												
ELISA	CCPA96	EIA CCP IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	10-800 U/ml	98,70%	1,5 37°C	60	
ELISA	CCPG96	EIA CCP IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	10-800 U/ml	98,80%	1,5 37°C	60	
dsDNA												
ELISA	DNA096	EIA dsDNA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	10 - 600 U/ml	98%	1,25 37°C	52	
Connectivitis												
DIASpot N	KAPDTCT10N	Connectivitis[10] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
Cytoplasm												
DIASpot N	KAPDTCY6N	Cytoplasm[6] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
ENA												
DIASpot M	KAPDTENA	ENA[6] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTENAN	ENA[6] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
ELISA	ENA012	EIA ENA profile	HRP	12 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	-	97,40%	1,25 37°C	48	
ELISA	ENAp12	EIA ENA profile plus	HRP	12 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	-	95,30%	1,25 37°C	48	
ELISA	ENA096	EIA ENA Screen plus	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	-	96,10%	1,25 37° C	72	
ELISA	SSA096	EIA SS-A	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	95,80%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	Ro6096	EIA SS-A/Ro60	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	95,80%	1,25 37°C	48	
ELISA	Ro5296	EIA SS-A/Ro52	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	95,80%	1,25 37°C	48	
ELISA	SSB096	EIA SS-B	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	97,90%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	Sm0096	EIA Sm	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	97,40%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	RNP096	EIA U1RNP	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	97,70%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	Scl096	EIA SCl-70	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	97,90%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	CEN096	EIA Centromere	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	96,40%	1,25 37°C	48	
ELISA	Jo1096	EIA Jo-1	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	95,50%	1,25 37°C	72	
Gastritis												
DIASpot M	KAPDTIFPCA	Gastritis IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTIFPCAN	Gastritis IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot M	KAPDTENDA	Celiac IgA	-	24 T	Serum	10 µl	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTENDAN	Celiac IgA	-	24 T	Serum	10 µl	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot M	KAPDTENDG	Celiac IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µl	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTENDGN	Celiac IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µl	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	

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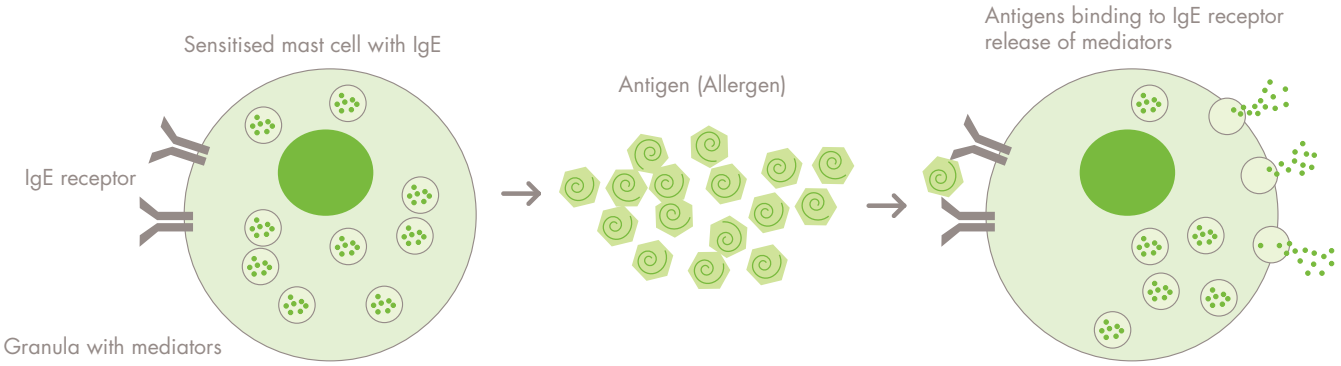
Gliadin												
ELISA	GIA096	EIA Gliadin IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-80 U/ml	95,50%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	GIG096	EIA Gliadin IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-80 U/ml	95,50%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	GDA096	EIA Gliadin DA IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-200 U/ml	95,50%	1,25 37°C	60	
ELISA	GDG096	EIA Gliadin DA IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-200 U/ml	97,70%	1,25 37°C	60	
Intrinsic Factor												
DIASpot N	KAPDTIFN	Intrinsic Factor IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
Liver												
DIASpot M	KAPDTLI7	Liver[7] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTLI7N	Liver[7] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTLI5N	Liver[5] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTLI10N	Liver[10] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTLI10QN	Multi [Quant] Liver[10] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µl	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
Milk Intolerance												
DIASpot N	KAPDTBSN	Milk Intolerance IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
ELISA	MiA096	Milk IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5 -100 U/ml	95,20%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	MiG096	Milk IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5 -100 U/ml	95%	1,25 37°C	72	
ELISA	MiM096	Milk IgM	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5 -100 U/ml	95,20%	1,25 37°C	48	
Mitochondria												
DIASpot N	KAPDTMI2N	Mitochondria[2] IgG + IgM	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
Polymyositis - Scleroderma												
DIASpot M	KAPDTPMS8	Polymyositis / Scleroderma[8] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	1,3	52	
DIASpot N	KAPDTPMS8N	Polymyositis / Scleroderma[8] IgG	-	24 T	Serum	10 µL	-	-	> 99% - > 99%	0,75	52	
Rheumatoid Factor												
ELISA	RFA096	EIA RF IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	93,10%	1,5 37°C	72	
ELISA	RFG096	EIA RF IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	94,10%	1,5 37°C	72	
ELISA	RFM096	EIA RF IgM	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-320 U/ml	95,10%	1,5 37°C	72	
Transglutaminase												
ELISA	tTA096	EIA Transglutaminase IgA	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-200 U/ml	97,70%	1,25 37°C	60	
ELISA	tTG096	EIA Transglutaminase IgG	HRP	96 T	Serum, Plasma	10	3	5-200 U/ml	96,20%	1,25 37°C	60	

DIASpot M: Manual Immunodot - DIASpot N: Fully automated in 45 min with Neptune Instrument (see Instrument section) AF=Amniotic Fluid - CP=Citrate Plasma - CSF=Cerebrospinal Fluid - EP=EDTA Plasma - F=Feces - HP=Heparin Plasma - HS=High Sensitive - IVD=In Vitro Diagnostics - ON=Over night P=Plasma - Pl=Platelets - S=Serum - Sa=Saliva - SF=Synovial Fluid - SP=Seminal Plasma - TH=Tissue Homogenate - U=Urine - UD=Ultra-dialysates

BIOGENIC AMINES

Biogenic amine is a chemically imprecise term, which, by convention, includes the catecholamines: **Epinephrine** (or **Adrenaline**), **Norepinephrine** (or **Noradrenaline**) and **Dopamine**, the indoleamine Serotonin, the imidazolamine Histamine and compounds closely related to each of these. They are produced by decarboxylation of amino acids. These biogenic amines play key roles in neurotransmission and other signalling functions.



CATECHOLAMINES

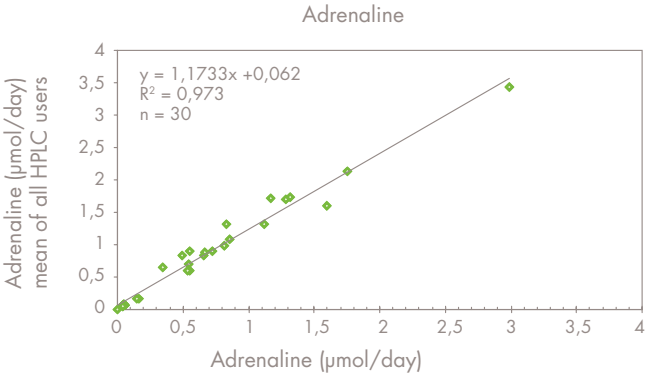
The principal catecholamines are norepinephrine (noradrenaline), epinephrine (adrenaline) and dopamine. These compounds are formed from phenylalanine and tyrosine. Tyrosine is produced in the liver from phenylalanine through the action of phenylalanine hydroxylase. The tyrosine is then transported to catecholamine-secreting neurons where a series of reactions convert it into dopamine, into norepinephrine and finally into epinephrine. The measurement of catecholamines in biological fluids ("biogenic amines") is routinely performed for the diagnosis of biogenic amine-secreting tumors (i.e., pheochromocytoma, neuroblastoma).

Pheochromocytoma, a tumor of the chromafin tissue, is associated with the presence of greatly increased plasma and urinary catecholamine concentrations. Elevated catecholamines have also been found in patients with other tumors of neural tube origin, such as neuroblastomas and ganglioneuroblastomas.

HISTAMINE

Histamine is the most important mediator in human and is mostly found in the initial phase of anaphylaxis ("immediate type" allergy). Histamine acts predominantly on smooth muscles and blood vessels.

Major effects include widespread arteriolar dilation, local increased capillary permeability by contracting endothelial cells, contraction of nonvascular smooth muscles, bronchoconstriction, chemotaxis for eosinophils, blocking T lymphocyte function and gastric acid secretion.



MELATONIN

The major hormone secreted by the pineal gland - is a key modulator of annual and circadian biorhythms. Its circadian profile in body fluids is an excellent marker for the setting of the endogenous clock. Daytime plasma Melatonin levels are low and rise in the evening (onset). Night-time levels peak at around 03.00 hrs. (acrophase) in most healthy humans. As a general modulator of human biorhythm, Melatonin is involved in the timing of functions such as sleep, mood, reproduction and immune system activity.

NEPHRINES

Normetanephrine and metanephrine are physiologically formed from the catecholamines noradrenaline and adrenaline by the enzyme catechol-O-methyltransferase (COMT). Increased levels of normetanephrine and metanephrine can be found in patients suffering from pheochromocytoma, ganglio - neuroma and other neurogenic tumors.

SEROTONIN

Is well established as a neurotransmitter in the central nervous system. Altered concentrations of circulating serotonin have been implicated in several pathologic conditions including chronic tension migraine, schizophrenia, hypertension, Huntington's disease, Duchenne's muscular dystrophy and early acute appendicitis. The determination of serum serotonin levels is of high clinical significance for diagnostic assessment of carcinoid syndrome.

ASSESSMENT OF BIOGENIC AMINES

The concentrations of catecholamines may be determined in serum, plasma, urine, other body fluids and even cell culture supernatants. The most commonly used methodology is HPLC combined with electrochemical detection. However this methodology is subject to analytical error, when synthetic sympatho-mimetic therapeutic agents, in comparatively high concentrations present, interfere with the quantitative determination of endogenous catecholamines. Peaks arriving from these synthetic agents will mask the biogenic amine peaks, making exact determinations almost impossible.

An alternative and more specific method for the determination of biogenic amines in any type of sample is immuno-assay, whether as radioimmunoassay (RIA) or enzyme immunoassay (ELISA).

These immunoassays correlate very well with the standard HPLC methodology, but have additional advantages:

- No predilution of the sample
- Short assay time
- Easy automation for high sample throughput
- No interference from therapeutic drugs and their metabolites
- High specificity: the only compound measured is the biologically active L-isomer
- Superior sensitivity , even in combination with small sample volume

Format	Cat#	Label	Size	Sample type	Sample size (µL)	Control Levels	Range	Sensitivity	Incubation (hours)	Max shelf life (weeks)	Remarks
2 CAT (Adrenaline and Noradrenaline)											
ELISA	KAPL10-1500	HRP	2 x 96 T	U EP	10 300	2	see Adrenaline ELISA and Noradrenaline ELISA				-
3 CAT (Adrenaline, Noradrenaline and Dopamine)											
ELISA	KAPL10-1600	HRP	3 x 96 T	U EP	10 300	2	see Adrenaline ELISA , Noradrenaline ELISA and Dopamine ELISA				-
5-Hydroxy-3-Indole Acetic Acid (5-HIAA)											
ELISA	KAPL10-1900	HRP	96 T	U	50	2	0,17-50 mg/L	0,17 mg/L	Samples preparation: 0,4 ELISA: 2,5	60	-
Adrenaline (Epinephrine)											
ELISA	KAPL10-0100	HRP	96 T	U EP	10 300	2	0,7-200 ng/mL 18-6667 pg/mL	0,9 ng/mL 10 pg/mL	Samples preparation: 1,25 ELISA: 3,5	60	-
Dopamine											
ELISA	KAPL10-0300	HRP	96 T	U EP	10 300	2	4.8-2000 ng/mL 75-33333pg/mL	2,5 ng/mL 49 pg/mL	Samples preparation: 1,25 ELISA: 3,5	60	-
Histamine											
ELISA	KAPL10-1000	HRP	96 T	U EP	10 25	2	0,3-125 ng/mL 0,12-50 ng/mL	0,22 ng/mL 0,18 ng/mL	Samples preparation: 1 ELISA: 4	60	-
Metanephrine											
ELISA FT (Plasma)	KAPL10-0700	HRP	96 T	HP - EP	200	2	15,1-3600 pg/mL	14,9 pg/mL	Samples preparation: 2,25 ELISA: ON or 3	60	Fast Test assay
ELISA FT (Urine)	KAPL10-0500	HRP	96 T	U	25	2	10,5-2000 ng/mL	8,6 ng/mL	Samples preparation: 0,75 ELISA: 1	60	Fast Test assay
Nephrines (Metanephrine ELISA FT Plasma and Normetanephrine ELISA FT Plasma)											
ELISA FT (Plasma)	KAPL10-1400	HRP	2 x 96 T	HP - EP	200	2	see Metanephrine ELISA FT Plasma and Normetanephrine ELISA FT Plasma				Fast Test assay
ELISA FT (Urine)	KAPL10-1300	HRP	2 x 96 T	U	25	2	see Metanephrine ELISA FT Plasma and Normetanephrine ELISA FT Urine				Fast Test assay
Noradrenaline (Norepinephrine)											
ELISA	KAPL10-0200	HRP	96 T	U EP	10 300	2	2,5-1000 ng/mL 93-33333 pg/mL	1,7 ng/mL 36 pg/mL	Samples preparation: 1,25 ELISA: 3,5	60	-
Normetanephrine											
ELISA FT (Plasma)	KAPL10-0600	HRP	96 T	HP - EP	200	2	22,8-7200 pg/mL	17,9 pg/mL	Samples preparation: 2,25 ELISA: ON or 3	60	Fast Test assay
ELISA FT (Urine)	KAPL10-0400	HRP	96 T	U	25	2	16,2-3000 ng/mL	14.7 ng/mL	Samples preparation: 0,75 ELISA: 1	60	Fast Test assay
Serotonin											
ELISA HS	KAPL10-5900*	HRP	96 T	UD - TH	1 to 100	2	0,015-2,5 ng/mL	0,005 ng/mL	Samples preparation: 0,5 ELISA: ON + 1	60	-
ELISA FT	KAPL10-0900	HRP	96 T	S - U - P	25	2	10,2-2500 ng/mL	6,2 ng/mL	Samples preparation: 0,25 ELISA: 1	60	Fast Test assay

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BONE METABOLISM

Bones are continuously undergoing a dynamic process of resorption and absorption known as **bone metabolism**. Signaling pathways on which bone metabolism relies include the action of several hormones, as **Osteocalcin, parathyroid hormone (PTH) and Vitamin D**.

As **Osteocalcin**, the major non-collagenous protein of the bone matrix, is manufactured by osteoblasts, it is often used as a biochemical marker, for the bone formation process. A large number of studies indicate that serum-osteocalcin levels reflect very well the rate of bone formation.

The determination of blood levels of Osteocalcin is valuable for:

- The identification of women at risk of developing osteoporosis
- Monitoring bone metabolism in several clinical conditions:
  - during peri- and post menopause
  - during Hormone Replacement Therapy
  - patients with GH deficiency, Renal osteodystrophy

PARATHYROID HORMONE (PTH), OR PARATHORMONE

Is secreted by the parathyroid glands as a polypeptide containing 84 amino acids and is the major physiological regulator of phosphocalcic metabolism. It acts to increase the concentration of calcium (Ca_{2+}) in the blood.

Measurements of PTH is used in:

- Diagnose hyperparathyroidism (elevated levels of intact PTH)
- Differentiation between hypoparathyroidism and hypercalcemia
- It allows documenting the occurrence of secondary hyperparathyroidism in patients with Vitamin D deficiency, intestinal malabsorption, or renal failure.

AGGRECAN (PG)

Is the predominant proteoglycan species in articular cartilage.

The loss of PG and other matrix components from the cartilage leads to destruction of the tissue, causing complete deterioration of the articular surface. PG and PG fragments released in synovial fluid and serum during this degradation process might serve as markers of the metabolic changes in diseased cartilage.

The DIAsource Aggrecan ELISA assay provides and easy, non-invasive methodology for the quantification of cartilage turnover. It can also be used for the monitoring of the effect of drugs on the cartilage turnover.

FETUINS

Are blood proteins, which are made in the liver and secreted into the blood stream. They belong to a large group of binding proteins mediating the transport and availability of a wide variety of cargo substances in the blood stream (e.g. Serum Albumin).

Fetuin has the highest capacity in inhibiting soft tissue calcification among all other molecules in the circulation. It is the most important and major calcification regulating protein in the circulation. The function of inhibiting soft tissue calcification is achieved by forming a soluble colloidal microsphere of fetuin-calcium-phosphate complex in the bloodstream.

OSTEOCALCIN OR BONE GLA PROTEIN (B.G.P)

Is the major non-collagen protein of the bone matrix. It has a molecular weight of 5800Da and contains 49 amino-acids, including 3 residues of gamma carboxyl glutamic acid. Osteocalcin is synthesized in the bone by the osteoblasts. After production, it is partly incorporated in the bone matrix and the rest is found in the blood circulation. The exact physiological function of osteocalcin is still unclear. A large number of studies show that the circulating levels of osteocalcin reflect the rate of bone formation.

VITAMIN D

Plays an important role in the maintenance of major organ systems: Vitamin D regulates the calcium and phosphorus levels in the blood and inhibits parathyroid hormone secretion from the parathyroid gland. Vitamin D deficiency can result from inadequate intake coupled with inadequate sunlight exposure, conditions that impair conversion of vitamin D into active metabolites, such as liver or kidney disorders, or, rarely, by a number of hereditary disorders. Deficiency results in impaired bone mineralization, and leads to bone softening diseases, rickets in children and osteomalacia in adults, and possibly contributes to osteoporosis. Research has also indicated that vitamin D deficiency is linked to colon cancer and more recently, to breast cancer. Conflicting evidence links vitamin D deficiency to other forms of cancer.

The major form of Vitamin D, 25OH Vitamin D, has a limited biological activity and is converted in the kidney to $1,25(OH)_2$ Vitamin D a more active derivate. The blood levels of $1,25(OH)_2$ D being 100 to 1000 less than 25OH D, it requires extraction and separation steps prior to measurement.

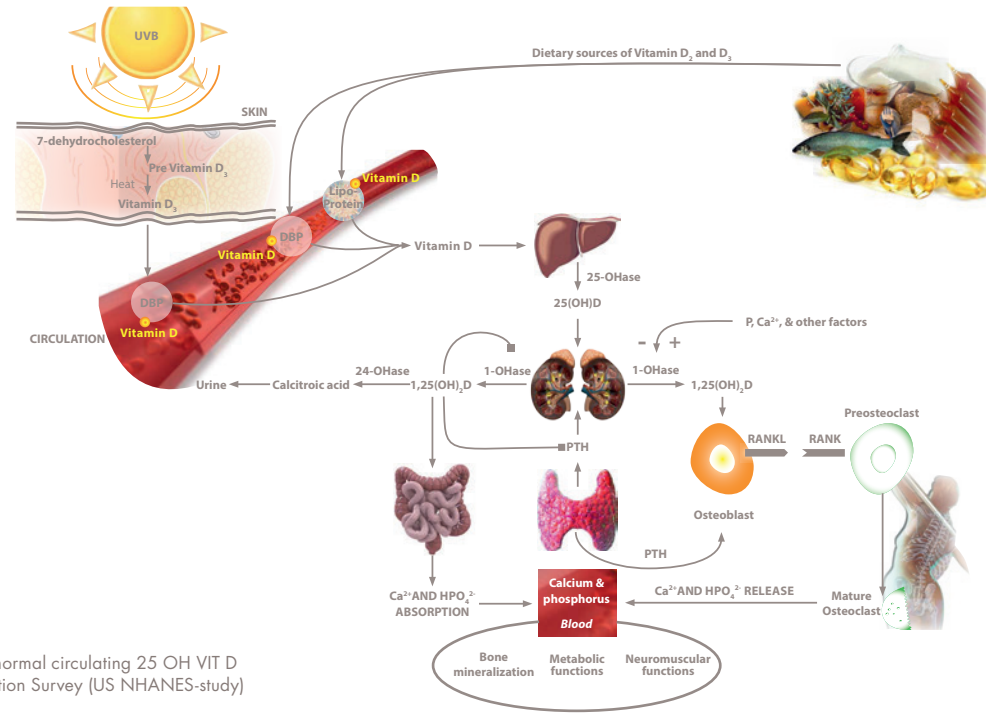
Free 25OH Vitamin D represents the tiny fraction that circulates as the free form. It is considered to be a better biomarker than 25OH Vitamin D in some conditions.

PHYSIOLOGY OF VITAMIN D

Patient status	ng/mL of 25(OH) Vit D*
Vit D Deficiency	< 10
Vit D Insufficiency	10 - 30
Vit D Sufficiency	> 30 - 100
Risk for Toxicity	> 100

Vitamin D related diseases:

- Rickets in Children
- Osteoporosis, Osteomalacia
- Cancer
- Type II Diabetes
- Auto Immune Diseases
- Parkinson's disease



*Based on a vast majority of clinical studies to define normal circulating 25 OH VIT D levels e.g. US National health and Nutrition Examination Survey (US NHANES-study)

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Aggrecan (PG)											
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Fetuin											
ELISA	KAPEPKT800	HRP	96 T	S	10	2	12,5-370 ng/mL	5 ng/mL	3	60	-
Osteocalcin											
ELISA	KAP1381	HRP	96 T	S	25	2	1,56-75 ng/mL	0,08 ng/mL	2,5	60	-
Intact ParaThyroid Hormone (PTH)											
ELISA	KAP1481	HRP	96 T	S - P	200	2	22-1400 pg/mL	2 pg/mL	3,5	60	-
$1,25(OH)_2$ Vitamin D											
ELISA	KAP1921	HRP	96 T	S	500	2	3-180 pg/mL	0,8 pg/ml	19	52	-
ELISA	3019700	set including solvents for 2 kits of $1,25(OH)_2$ Vitamin D									
ELISA	4300604	shaker for extraction (IKA Vibrax 1200 RPM)									
ELISA	4300605	support rack for tubes (to be used with shaker)									
ELISA	1102496	extra cartridges for extraction in single (1 bag of 42 cartridges)									
25OH Vitamin D Total											
ELISA	KAP1971	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	5,3-133 ng/mL	2,8 ng/mL	2,75	130	-
ELISA	KAP1971-F1	HRP	96 T	S - P	25	2	4,9-105 ng/mL	4,12 ng/mL	1,5	104	Fast version
Free 25OH Vitamin D Total											
ELISA	KAPF1991	HRP	96 T	S	10	2	0,9-40,3 pg/mL	2,4 pg/mL	2,75	52	-
RAT 25OH Vitamin D Total											
ELISA (Rat)	KRR1971	HRP	96 T	S	50	On request	0-135 ng/mL	2,8 ng/mL	2,75	130	-

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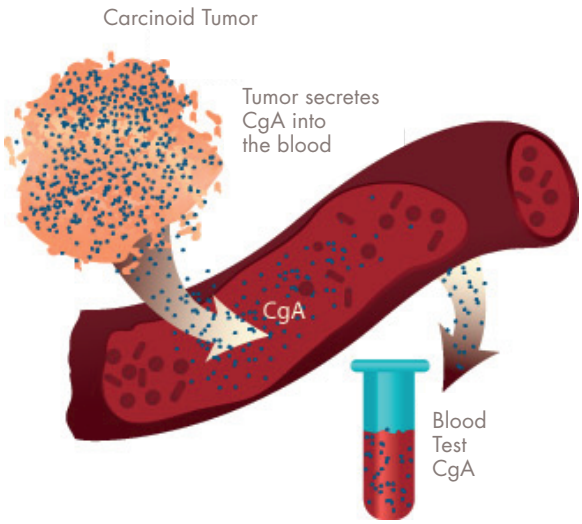
CANCER MARKERS

Serum tumor markers is a term commonly used to refer to molecules that can be detected in a blood sample by immunochemical methods. Tumor markers are produced either by the tumor (cancer) itself or by the body in response to the presence of cancer or certain non-cancerous (benign) conditions.

MEASUREMENTS OF TUMOR MARKER LEVELS BY SERUM MARKERS CAN BE USEFUL IN FOLLOWING CLINICAL SETTINGS

Diagnosis

Serum tumor markers can, when used along with X-rays or other tests, aid in diagnosis of some types of cancer. They also can aid in locating the source of cancers that have metastasized.



Monitoring for recurrence of tumor

After successful treatment of a cancer patient, tumor marker(s) are regularly tested to indicate whether there is a recurrence of the cancer.

Prognosis and staging

Serum tumor markers can be used as aid in the tumor volume estimation, as a helpful tool to indicate tumor progression, or as indicator of metastasis involvement.

Detection of residual disease

After surgery of a specific cancer, serum tumor markers can be used to indicate whether the entire tumor burden has been successfully removed.

Monitoring treatment

Serum tumor markers can be used as tool to assess the outcome of a treatment by monitoring a patient's response to a specific or various treatment regimens. In general, serum marker levels will drop if treatment is beneficial and will remain elevated or increased when treatment is not effective. Currently, the main use of tumor markers is to assess a cancer's response to treatment and to check for recurrence.

Cancer marker	Clinical use
AFP (Alpha-Fetoprotein)	Testicular Cancer, Ovarian cancer, Malignant teratoma
CA 125	Ovarian cancer, Endometrial cancer
CA 15-3	Breast cancer
CA 19-9	Pancreatic cancer, Colorectal
CEA (Carcino Embryonic Antigen)	Colorectal, lung and breast cancers
CgA (Chromogranin A)	Small - Cell Lung Carcinoma (SCLC) Tumors of neuroendocrine origin
CT us (Calcitonin Ultra sensitive)	Medullary Thyroid carcinoma (MTC)
Gastrin	Gastrin producing tumors
Beta-hCG (Free beta human Chorionic Gonadotropin)	Throphoblastic and testicular cancers
NSE (Neuron Specific Enolase)	Medullary thyroid carcinoma Pancreatic islet cell cancer Small Cell Lung Cancer (SCLC)
Small Cell Lung Cancer (SCLC)	Tg-S (Thyroglobuline) Thyroid cancer

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Alpha-Fetoprotein (AFP)											
ELISA	KAPD1468	HRP	96 T	S	25	0	10-160 IU/mL	1,78 IU/mL	0,7	60	-
Calcitonin Ultra Sensitive (CT US)											
ELISA	KAP0421	HRP	96 T	S	100	2	10-400 pg/mL	0,7 pg/mL	18,5	60	1 pg = 0,19 µIU 2nd IS 89/620
Chromogranin A (CgA)											
ELISA	KAPEPKT812	HRP	96 T	S	25	2	31-830 ng/mL	5 ng/mL	3,5	60	-
ELISA	CGA	HRP	96 T	S - P	50	2	36-1800 ng/ml	2,28 ng/ml	1,45		

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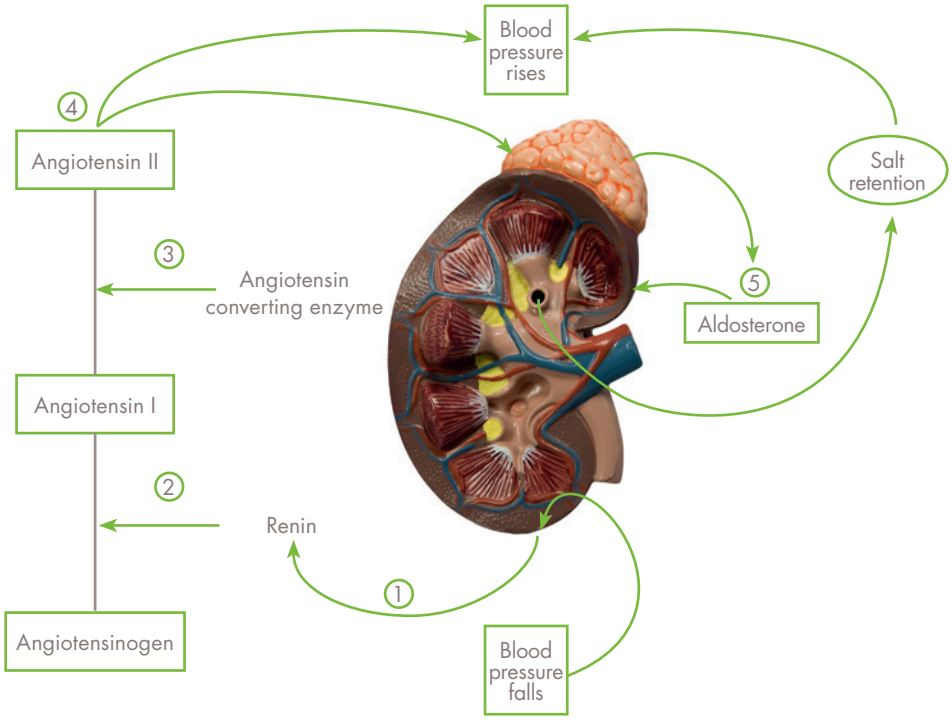
CARDIOVASCULAR & SALT BALANCE

THE RENIN-ANGIOTENSIN SYSTEM (RAS) OR THE RENIN-ANGIOTENSIN-ALDOSTERONE SYSTEM (RAAS)

(RAAS) is a hormone system that regulates blood pressure and water (fluid) balance. Renin activates the renin-angiotensin system by cleaving angiotensinogen, produced by the liver, to yield angiotensin I, which is further converted into Angiotensin II by ACE (Angiotension Converting Enzyme). Most important site for Renin release is the kidney.

Angiotensin also stimulates the secretion of the hormone Aldosterone from the adrenal cortex. Aldosterone causes the tubules of the kidneys to retain sodium and water. This increases the volume of fluid in the body, which also increases blood pressure. If the renin-angiotensin-aldosterone system is too active, blood pressure will be too high. Angiotensin II also stimulates the release of vasopressin (antidiuretic hormone, ADH) from the pituitary which acts upon the kidneys to increase fluid retention.



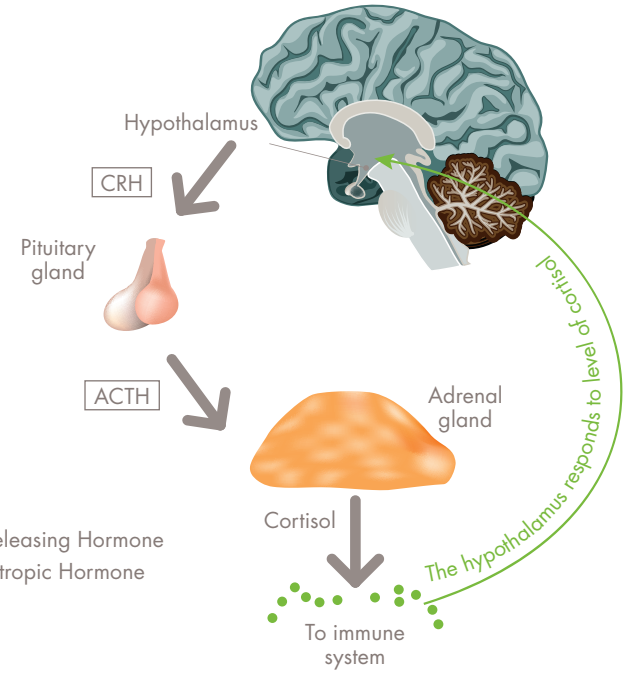
CORTISOL

Is the most abundant circulating steroid and the major glucocorticoid secreted by the adrenal cortex. Cortisol is physiologically effective in blood pressure maintenance and anti-inflammatory activity. It is also involved in calcium absorption, gluconeogenesis as well as in the secretion of gastric acid and pepsin.

It is increased under stress situations, physical exercise and external administration of ACTH. Measurement of cortisol levels in general, can be used as an indicator of adrenal function and differential diagnosis of Addison's and Cushing's diseases as well as adrenal hyperplasia and carcinoma.

Most circulating cortisol is bound to cortisol binding globulin or transcortin and albumin. The free cortisol, which is considered to be the active part of blood, is about 1 - 2%. In the absence of appreciable amounts of the cortisol binding proteins in saliva, salivary cortisol is considered to be free and shows a diurnal rhythm with the highest levels in the morning and the lowest levels at night.

STRESS REPONSE SYSTEM



CRH: Corticotropin Releasing Hormone
ACTH: Adrenocorticotropic Hormone

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Aldosterone											
ELISA	KAPDB450	HRP	96 T	S - P - U	50	2	15-1000 pg/mL	9,1 pg/mL	1,25	48	
Cortisol											
ELISA	KAPDB270	HRP	96 T	S	20	1	0,5-60 µg/dL	0,4 µg/dL	1	48	
ELISA	KAPDB290	HRP	96 T	Sa	50	1	1-100 ng/mL	1 ng/mL	1	48	For salivary samples
HS CRP											
ELISA	KAPDB4360	HRP	96 T	S	20	1	100-10000 ng/mL	10 ng/mL	1	48	
Renin Direct											
ELISA	KAP1531	HRP	96 T	EP	200	2	4-270 pg/mL	0,8 pg/mL	2,5	48	1 pg = 2,2 µIU of NIBSC 68//356
Renin Plasma Activity											
ELISA	KAPDB4600	HRP	192 T	P	500	2	0,2-60 ng/mL	0,14 ng/mL	1,5 + 1,75	48	

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DIABETES & METABOLISM

DIABETES MELLITUS

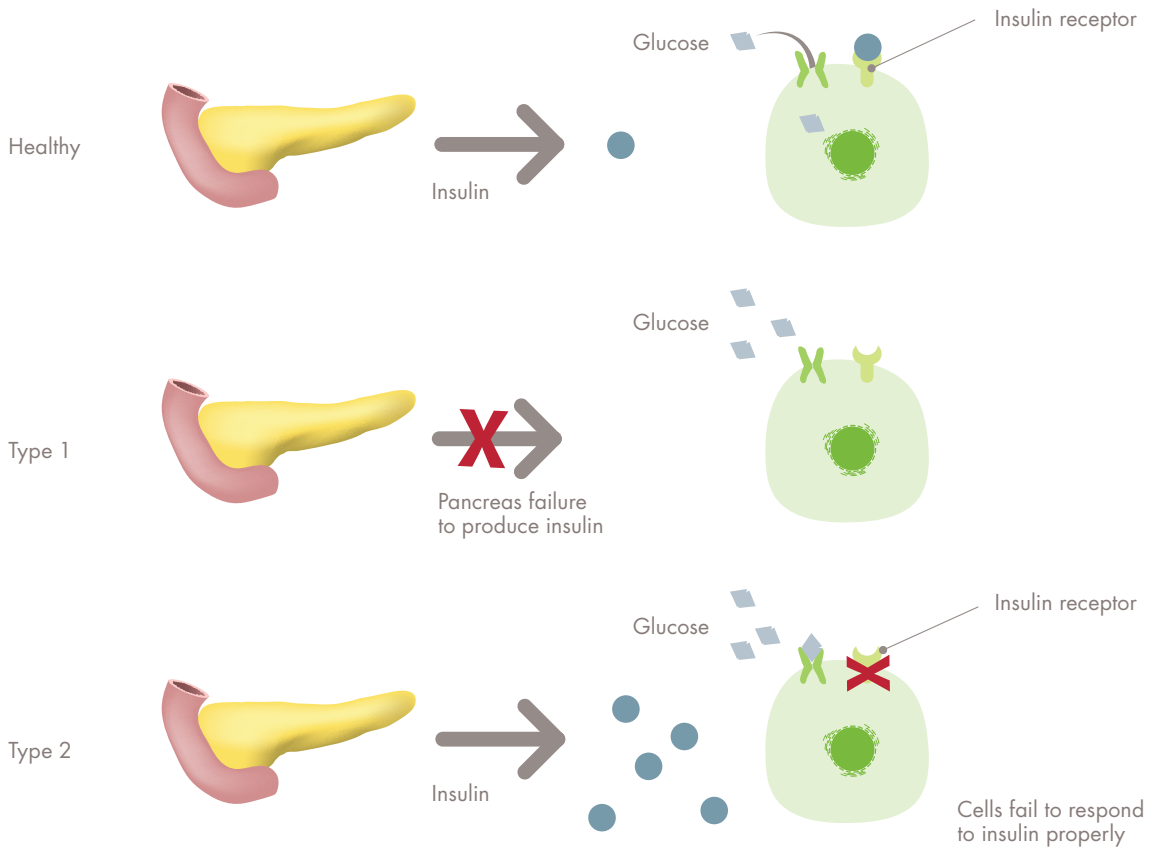
Is a disorder of carbohydrate metabolism. It is a disease characterized by persistent hyper-glycemia (high blood sugar levels). It is a metabolic disease that requires medical diagnosis, treatment and lifestyle changes.

There are three main forms of diabetes: Type 1, Type 2 and gestational diabetes (or Type 3, occurring during pregnancy), although these three "types" of diabetes are more accurately considered patterns of pancreatic failure rather than single diseases.

- Type 1 is due to autoimmune destruction of the insulin-producing cells
- Type 2 and gestational diabetes are due to insulin resistance by tissues

Type 2 may progress to destruction of the insulin producing cells of the pancreas, but is still considered Type 2, even though insulin administration may be required..

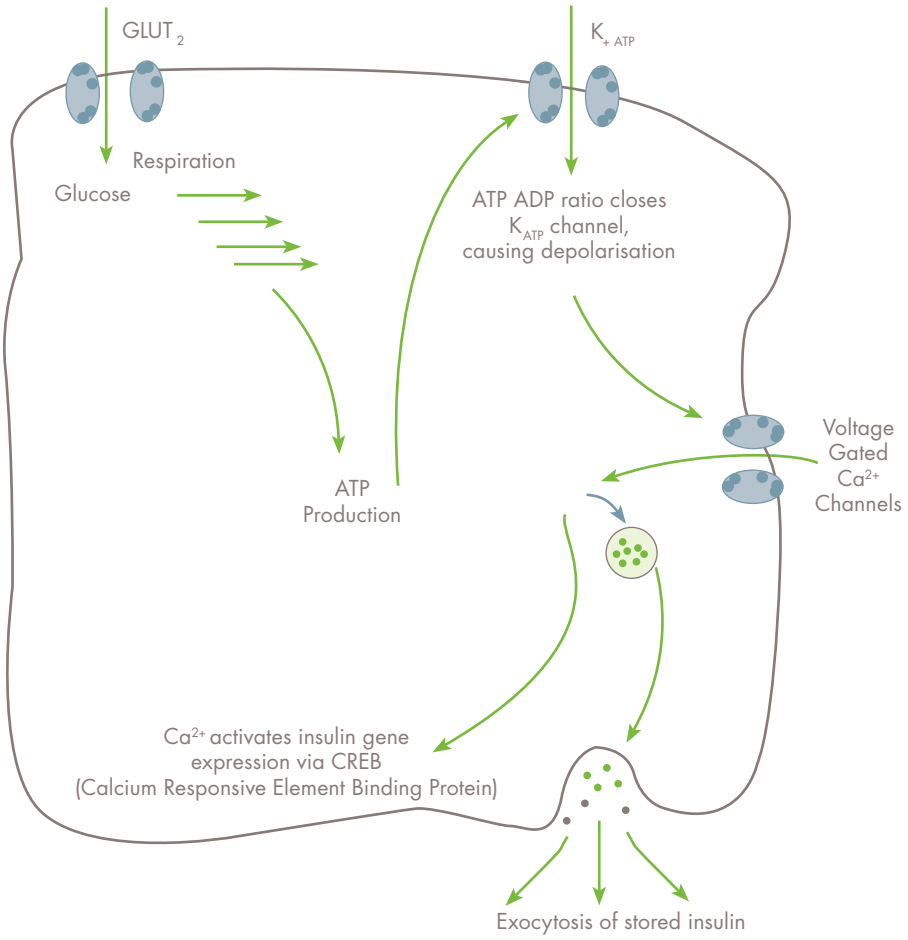
Since insulin is the principal hormone that regulates uptake of glucose into most cells from the blood (primarily muscle and fat cells, but not central nervous system cells), deficiency of insulin or the insensitivity of its receptors plays a central role in all forms of diabetes mellitus.Diabetes is a chronic disease, and emphasis is on managing short-term as well as long-term diabetes-related problems. There is an important role for patient education, nutritional support, self glucose monitoring, as well as long-term glycemic control.



OBESITY

Obesity is a condition in which the natural energy reserve, stored in the fatty tissue of humans and mammals, is increased to a point where it is a risk factor for certain health conditions or increased mortality.

Obesity develops from the interaction of individual biology and the environment. Excessive body weight has been shown to correlate with various diseases, particularly cardiovascular disease, diabetes mellitus Type 2, sleep apnea, and osteoarthritis. Obesity is both an individual clinical condition and is increasingly viewed as a serious public health problem.



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Adiponectin											
ELISA	KAPME09	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	2	2-100 ng/mL	< 0,27 ng/mL	1,75	60	-
C-Peptide (C-PEP)											
ELISA	KAP0401	HRP	96 T	S	100	2	0,05-4,9 pmol/mL	0,01 pmol/mL	2,5	32	1 ng = 1 ng of NIBSC 84/510
Insulin (INS)											
ELISA	KAP1251	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	5-250 µIU/mL	0,17 µIU/mL	0,75	60	1 µIU = 1 µIU 2nd IRP 66/304
Leptin											
ELISA	KAP2281	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	0,5-60 ng/mL	0,04 ng/mL	2,5	60	1 ng = 1 ng of NIBSC 97/594
ELISA (Ms/Rat)	KAPME06*	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	1	25-1600 pg/mL	10 pg/mL	3	60	-
ProInsulin											
ELISA	E-BX-96	HRP	96 T	S - P	100	2	2,5-100 pmol/L	0,6 pmol/L	1,75	60	not distributed in Belgium and Germany
Resistin											
ELISA	KAPME50	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	2	20-1000 pg/mL	12 pg/mL	4	60	-

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FERTILITY

In order to understand the causes of infertility and the role modern infertility treatment plays in assisting conception, it is useful to look at the natural process - a woman's ovulatory cycle and the production of sperm in the male - and the hormones that play a major role in those processes.

The gonadotropins are hormones that primarily affect the ovaries and the testes. They regulate the development and hormone-secreting functions of these organs

Three gonadotropins are essential to reproduction: human follicle stimulating hormone (hFSH), human luteinizing hormone (hLH) and human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG). FSH and LH are secreted by the pituitary gland situated beneath the brain. Their secretion is controlled by another hormone, the gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) produced by the hypothalamus. hCG is primarily produced by the placenta following successful implantation, and plays a role in maintaining pregnancy.

Androgen is the generic term for any natural or synthetic compound, usually a steroid hormone, that stimulates or controls the development and maintenance of masculine characteristics in vertebrates by binding to androgen receptors. This includes the activity of the accessory male sex organs and development of male secondary sex characteristics. Androgens, which were first discovered in 1936, are also called androgenic hormones or testoids. Androgens are also the original anabolic steroids. They are also the precursor of all estrogens, the female sex hormones. The primary and most well-known androgen is testosterone.

A subset of androgens, adrenal androgens, includes any of the 19-carbon steroids synthesized by the adrenal cortex, the outer portion of the adrenal gland (zonula reticularis - innermost region of the adrenal cortex), that function as weak steroids or steroid precursors, including dehydroepiandrosterone (DHEA), **dehydroepiandrosterone sulfate (DHEA-S),** and androstenedione.

DEHYDROEPIANDROSTERONE (DHEA)

A steroid hormone produced in the adrenal cortex from cholesterol. It is the primary precursor of natural estrogens.

ANDROSTENEDIONE

Anandrogenic steroid produced by the testes, adrenal cortex, and ovaries.
While androstenediones are converted metabolically to testosterone and other androgens,
they are also the parent structure of estrone.

ANDROSTENEDIOL AND ANDROSTANEDIOLGLUCURONIDE

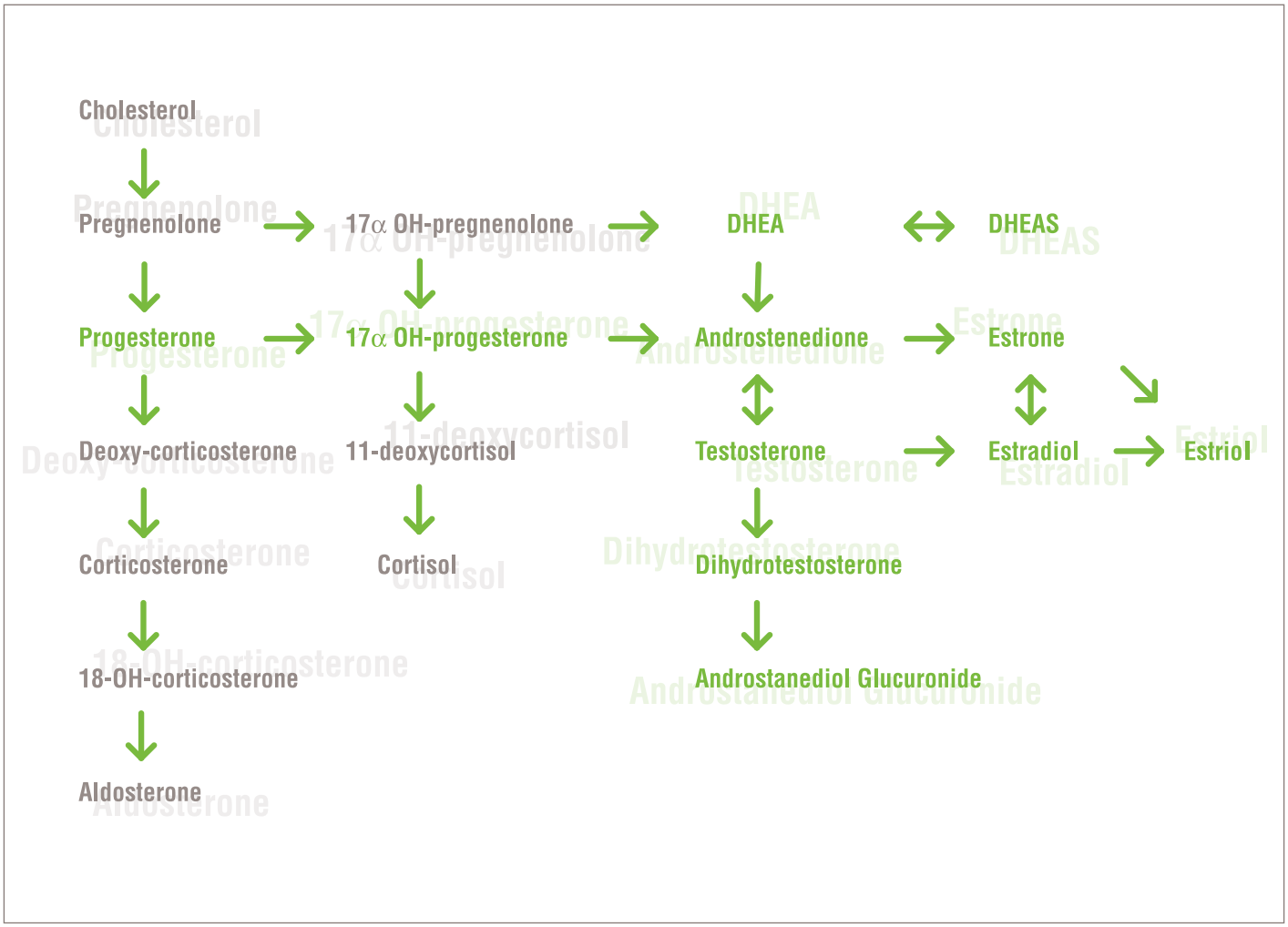
Steroid metabolites that are thought to act as the main regulators of gonadotropin secretion.

ANDROSTERONE

A chemical by-product created during the breakdown of androgens, or derived from progesterone, that also exerts minor masculinising effects, but with one-seventh the intensity of testosterone. It is found in approximately equal amounts in the plasma and urine of both males and females.

DIHYDROTESTOSTERONE (DHT)

A metabolite of testosterone, and a more potent androgens than testosterone that binds more strongly to androgen receptors. It is produced in the adrenal cortex.



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Androstane Diol Glucuronide											
ELISA	KAPDB460	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	0,25-50 ng/mL	0,1 ng/mL	0,75	48	-
Androstenedione											
ELISA	KAPD3265	HRP	96 T	S - EP	20	2	0,1-10 ng/mL	0,021 ng/mL	1,5	60	-
Chorionic Gonadotropin (hCG)											
ELISA	KAPD1469	HRP	96 T	S - P	25	0	5-1000 mIU/mL	< 5 mIU/mL	0,6	48	-
Dehydroepiandrosterone (DHEA)											
ELISA	KAPDB490	HRP	96 T	S	25	2	0,2-40 ng/mL	0,15 ng/mL	1,25	60	-
Dehydroepiandrosterone - Sulfate (DHEA-S)											
ELISA	KAPD1562	HRP	96 T	S - P	25	0	0,1-10 µg/mL	0,044 µg/mL	1,25	60	-
Estradiol, 17β (E2)											
ELISA	KAP0621	HRP	96 T	S - P	50	2	13-935 pg/mL	5 pg/mL	2,5	60	-
Estriol Free (E3)											
ELISA	KAPD1612	HRP	96 T	S	10	2	0,3-40 ng/mL	0,075 ng/mL	1,5	60	-
Estrone (E1)											
ELISA	KAPDB420	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	15-2000 pg/mL	3 pg/mL	1,25	60	-
Follicle Stimulating Hormone (FSH)											
ELISA	KAPD1288	HRP	96 T	S	25	0	5-100 mIU/mL	0,86 mIU/mL	0,6	48	-
Free β Chorionic Gonadotropin (βhCG, Free)											
ELISA	EIA4718	HRP	96 T	S - EP	50	0	10-200 ng/mL	0,2 ng/mL	1,3	48	-
Human Placental Lactogen (hPL)											
ELISA	KAPD1283	HRP	96 T	S	10	2	1,25-20 mg/L	0,043 mg/L	0,6	48	-
Luteinizing Hormone (LH)											
ELISA	KAPD1289	HRP	96 T	S	25	0	10-200 mIU/mL	1,27 mIU/mL	0,6	48	-
Pregnenolone											
ELISA	KAPDB4500	HRP	96 T	S	50	1	0,1-25,6 ng/mL	0,054 ng/mL	1,75	48	-
Progesterone (PROG)											
ELISA	KAPD1561	HRP	96 T	S - P	25	0	0,3-40 ng/mL	0,045 ng/mL	1,25	60	-

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17α-Hydroxyprogesterone (17α-OH-PROG)											
ELISA	KAP1401[1]	HRP	96 T	S - EP - HP	25	2	0,08-15 ng/mL	0,04 ng/mL	1,5	96	-
ELISA	KAPD1292	HRP	96 T	S - P	25	2	0,15-20 ng/mL	0,034 ng/mL	1,5	48	-
Prolactin (PRL)											
ELISA	KAPD1291	HRP	96 T	S	25	0	5-200 ng/mL	0,35 ng/mL	0,6	48	-
Sex Hormone Binding Globulin (SHBG)											
ELISA	KAPD2996	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	2	4-260 nmol/L	0,23 nmol/L	2,5	60	-
Sperm-Antibody											
ELISA	KAPD1826	HRP	96 T	S	5	1	31-250 U/mL	-	2,5	48	-
Testosterone											
ELISA	KAPD1559	HRP	96 T	S - P	25	0	0,2-16 ng/mL	0,083 ng/mL	1,25	60	-
Testosterone, 5 α Dihydro (DHT)											
ELISA	KAPDB280	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	25-2500 pg/mL	6 pg/mL	1,25	60	-
Testosterone, Free											
ELISA	KAPDB260	HRP	96 T	S	25	2	0,1-60 pg/mL	0,018 pg/mL	1,25	60	-

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GASTROINTESTINAL METABOLISM

PEPSINOGEN I & II are serological markers of gastric atrophy and a new screening tool for gastric cancer.

Pepsinogen consist of a single polypeptide chain of 375 amino acids with an average MW of 42kD protein.

PEPSINOGEN I (PGI) is mainly secreted by the chief cells of corpus stomach mucosa

(mucosa: Innermost layer where the stomach acid and digestive juices are made).

PEPSINOGEN II (PGII) is secreted from glands covering the whole stomach mucosa.

Together with determination of Gastrin-17, determination of Pepsinogen I & II, it is possible to get information to support the diagnosis of:

- Healthy stomach mucosa
- Functional and organic dyspepsia (when GastroPanel results indicate a healthy stomach mucosa, the cause of stomach problems is often functional dyspepsia or a disease outside the stomach).
- Atrophic gastritis (damaged stomach mucosa that is severely dysfunctional) and likelihoods of the conditions specifically in the corpus and antrum areas of the stomach (normal, gastritis or atrophc gastritis).
- Helicobacter pylori infection
- Acidity of the stomach.

HELICOBACTER PYLORI

The bacterium Helicobacter pylori plays a significant role in the pathologies of chronic gastritis, peptic ulcer and gastric cancer. Serological testing represents a useful non-invasive alternative.

CALPROTECTIN

Plasma Calprotectin concentrations are increased in various inflammatory conditions. This test allows a clear differentiation between Irritable Bowel Syndrom and chronic Inflammatory Bowel Disease.

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Calprotectin											
ELISA	KAPEPKT849(1)	HRP	96 T	F	50	3	25-321 µg/g	2,5 ng/mL	2	60	-
Helicobacter Pylori											
Helicobacter pylori IgA	HMA096	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUANTI	-	-	1,25	60	-
Helicobacter pylori IgM	HMM096					QUALI					
Helicobacter pylori IgG	HMG096					QUANTI					
Pepsinogen I											
ELISA	KAPEPKT810	HRP	96 T	S	25	2	3-300 ng/mL	0,5 ng/mL	1,25	60	-
Pepsinogen II											
ELISA	KAPEPKT811	HRP	96 T	S	50	2	6,3-100 ng/mL	0,5 ng/mL	2,25	60	-

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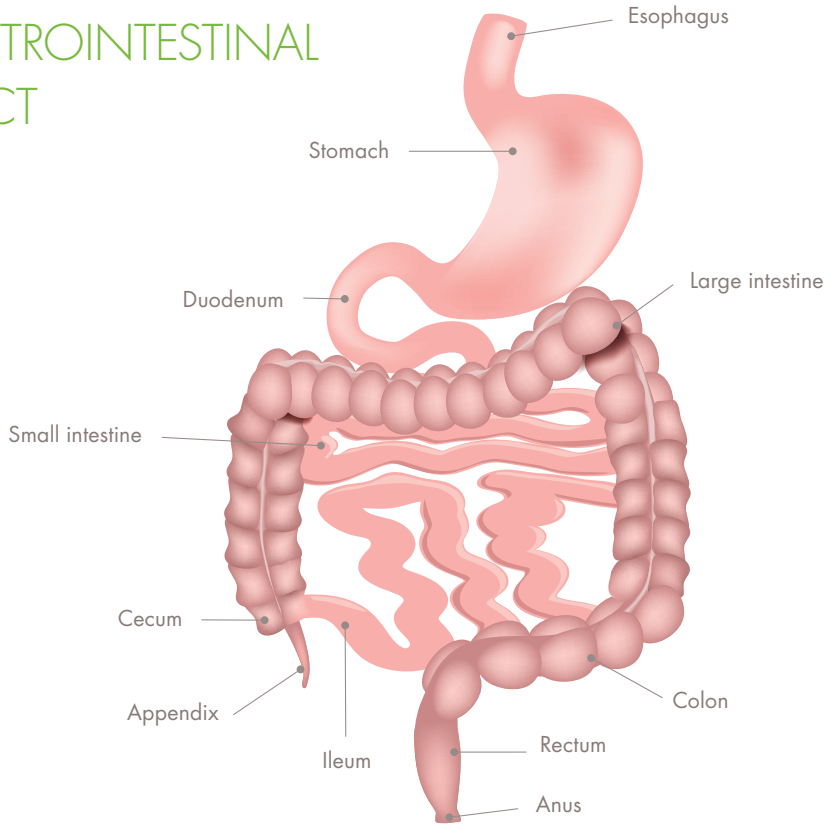

(1) Also available: Calprotectin Sample Collection kit (48 tubes) cat#: KAPEPKT843

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GROWTH FACTORS

GROWTH HORMONE (GH OR SOMATOTROPIN)

Is a polypeptide hormone synthesised and secreted by the anterior pituitary gland which stimulates growth and cell reproduction in humans and other vertebrate animals.

The diseases resulting of GH excess are pituitary tumor, muscle weakness, insulin resistance or even a rare form of type 2 diabetes, and reduced sexual function. GH deficiency produces growth failure and short stature in children while in adults, may include deficiencies of strength, energy, and bone mass, as well as increased cardiovascular risk.

THE INSULIN-LIKE GROWTH FACTORS (IGFs)

Are polypeptides with high sequence similarity to insulin. IGFs are part of a complex system that cells use to communicate with their physiologic environment. This complex system (often referred to as the IGF "axis") consists of two cell-surface receptors (IGF1R and IGF2R), two ligands (IGF-I and IGF-II), a family of six high-affinity IGF binding proteins (IGFBP 1-6), as well as associated IGFBP degrading enzymes, referred to collectively as proteases.

IGF-1 and IGF-II are regulated by a family of proteins known as the IGF-Binding Proteins.

These proteins help to modulate IGF action in complex ways that involve both inhibiting IGF action by preventing binding to the IGF-1 receptor as well as promoting IGF action possibly through aiding in delivery to the receptor and increasing IGF half-life.

SOMATOSTATIN

Is a hormone comprising two peptides, one built of 14 amino acids, the other of 28 amino acids. Somatostatin is secreted not only by cells of the hypothalamus but also by delta cells of stomach, intestine, and pancreas. It binds to somatostatin receptors. It is classified as an inhibitory hormone whose main action is to inhibit the release of growth hormone.

INSULIN-LIKE GROWTH FACTOR BINDING PROTEINS (IGFBP)

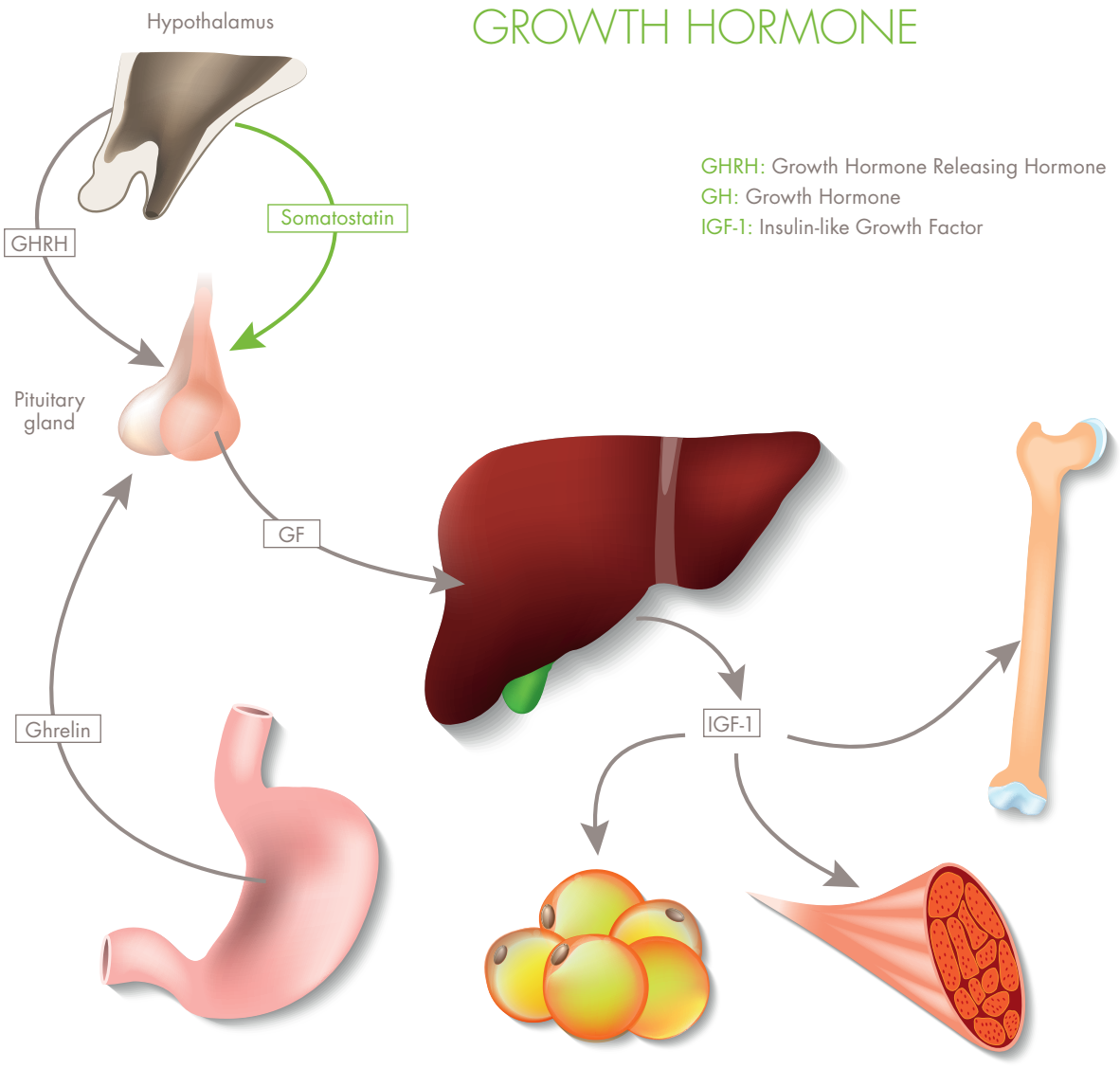
Group of vertebrate secreted proteins, which bind to IGF-I and IGF-II with high affinity and modulate the biological actions of IGFs. The IGFBP family has six distinct subgroups, IGFBP-1 through 6, based on conservation of gene (intron-exon) organization, structural similarity, and binding affinity for IGFs.

IGFBP-3

Forms a ternary complex with insulin-like growth factor acid-labile subunit (IGFALS) and either insulin-like growth factor (IGF) I or II. In this form, it circulates in the plasma, prolonging the half-life of IGFs and altering their interaction with cell surface receptors. A single IGFBP-3 determination is an excellent screening parameter for GHD. IGFBP-3 is a good parameter for monitoring the therapeutic efficacy in both GHD an acromegaly.

The IGFBP-2 concentration is age-dependent in blood

Normal values for healthy individuals (1.5 to > 70 years) were evaluated for this assay. Supplementary parameter to IGFBP-3 in the diagnosis of growth disorders (IGFBP-2/IGFBP-3 ratio), IGFBP-2 is an inhibitor of growth hormone action. Progression-dependent tumor marker in leukaemia, astrocystic CNS tumors, prostate, suprarenal cortex-, hepatocellular and other carcinomas. Anti-aging parameter: IGFBP-2 as a marker of physiological functionality.



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Acid Labil Subunit (ALS)											
ELISA	KAPME35*	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	2	7,5-200 ng/mL	0,53 ng/mL	3	48	-
Human Growth Hormone (hGH)											
ELISA	KAP1081	HRP	96 T	S - P	50	2	0,45-98 µIU/mL	0,17 µIU/mL	1	60	1 µIU = 1 µIU of NIBSC 98/574
Insulin Growth Factor-1 or Somatomedin C (IGF-1 or SM-C)											
ELISA	KAP1581	HRP	96 T	S	100	2	15-774 ng/mL	4,5 ng/mL	2	60	1 ng = 1 ng of NIBSC 02/254
Insulin Growth Factor Binding Protein-1 (IGFBP-1)											
ELISA	KAPME01	HRP	96 T	S - P - AF	20	2	0,1-8 ng/mL	0,055 ng/mL	1,75	60	-
Insulin Growth Factor Binding Protein-2 (IGFBP-2)											
ELISA	KAPME05	HRP	96 T	S - P - AF - CSF - SA	10	2	2-80 ng/mL	0,2 ng/mL	1,75	60	-
ELISA (Mouse)	KAPME08*	HRP	96 T	S	10	1	0,125-8 ng/mL	0,04 ng/mL	3	60	-
Insulin Growth Factor Binding Protein-3 (IGFBP-3)											
ELISA	KAP1171	HRP	96 T	S	10	2	460-16070 ng/mL	10 ng/mL	2,5	60	-

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IMMUNOLOGY MARKERS

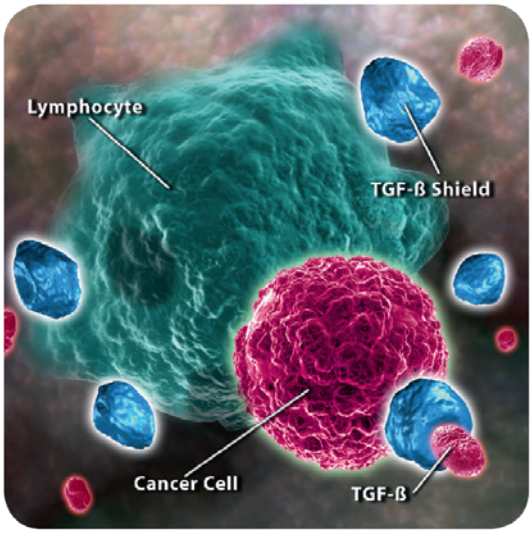
Clinical studies show that many cytokines play a crucial role in cancer, infectious diseases, allergy, inflammatory, autoimmune diseases and graft rejection. Measurements of cytokine levels are useful for understanding pathogenesis and as diagnostic and prognostic indicators. Cytokines may be pleiotropic (one cytokine, multiple effects), redundant (multiple cytokines, one effect) and antagonistic (one cytokine inhibits another cytokine).

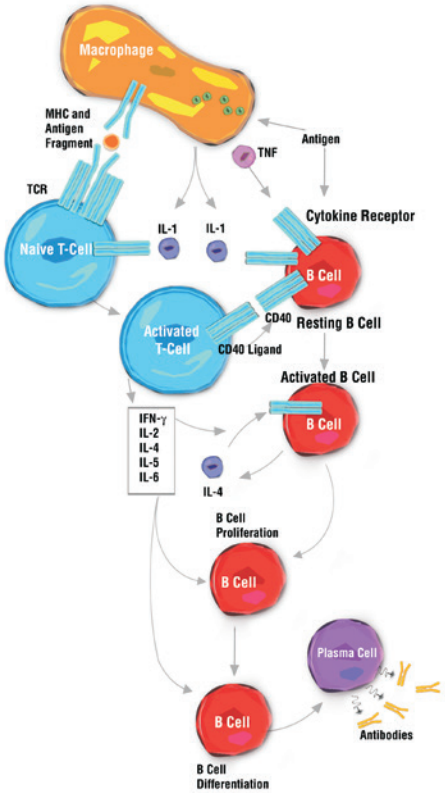
Cytokine actions may be grouped into five broad areas:

- Development of cellular and humoral immune responses
- Induction of inflammation
- Regulation of hematopoiesis
- Control of cellular proliferation and differentiation
- Induction of wound healing (cicatrization)

There are four major families of cell adhesion molecules:

- Immunoglobulin (Ig) superfamily Cell Adhesion Molecules(CAMs)
- Integrins
- Cadherins
- Selectins





APOPTOSIS PATHWAY

Apoptosis is a programmed cells death(PCD) during which cells activate intrinsic mechanisms leading to self destruction. It plays an important role in cell development, homeostasis, and immunity. Apoptosis is very important in the study of disease states such as cancer, liver cirrhrosis, AIDS, and many other diseases.

CELL SURFACE ANTIGENS

Both T and B cells have surface antigens that are characteristic of different stages in their life cycle, and antibodies have been prepared to identify the antigens. Knowledge of the specific type and stage of maturation of the tumour cells helps physicians to determine the prognosis and course of treatment for the patient.

HEMATOPOIESIS/DIFFERENTIATION

Hematopoiesis is the process by which all the different cell lineages that form the blood and immune system are generated from a common pluripotent stem cell. During the life of an individual, two separate hematopoietic systems exist, both arising during embryonic development but only one persisting in the adult.

INFLAMMATION

Is the complex biological response of vascular tissues to pathogens, damaged cells, or irritants. It is a protective attempt developped by the organism to remove the injurious stimuli as well as initiate the healing process for the tissue. A cascade of biochemical events propagates and matures the inflammatory response, involving the local vascular system, the immune system, and various cells within the injured tissue. Many cytokines play a key role in the inflammatory process.

INTERFERONS

Is a pleiotropic cytokine which is produced primarily by stimulated macrophages. Its role in directing development of a Th1 type immune response from naive T-cells demonstrates its critical role in regulation of the immune response and strongly suggests its potential usefulness in cancer therapy.

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IFN-γ (Interferon-gamma)											
ELISA	KAP1231	HRP	96 T	S - P	50	2	1-30 IU/mL	0,03 IU/mL	2,25	60	1 IU = 1IU of NIBSC 87/586
IL-1 β (Interleukine-1 beta)											
ELISA	KAP1211	HRP	96 T	S - P	200	2	24-1166 pg/mL	0,35 pg/mL	2,25	60	1 pg = 100 mIU of NIBSC 86/680
IL-6 (Interleukine-6)											
ELISA	KAP1261	HRP	96 T	S	100	2	23-2560 pg/mL	2 pg/mL	2,25	144	1 pg = 100 mIU of NIBSC 89/548
IL-8 (Interleukine-8)											
ELISA	KAP1301	HRP	96 T	EP	100	2	40- 1845 pg/mL	1,1 pg/mL	2,25	60	1 pg = 1 mU of NIBSC 89/520
IL-10 (Interleukine-10)											
ELISA	KAP1321	HRP	96 T	S	100	2	21-1976 pg/mL	1,6 pg/mL	4,25	60	1 pg = 5 mIU of NIBSC 93/722
TNF-a (Tumor Necrosing Factor-alpha)											
ELISA	KAP1751	HRP	96 T	S	200	2	7-518 pg/mL	0,7 pg/mL	4,25	60	1pg = 40 mIU of NIBSC 87/650

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INFECTIOUS DISEASES

An **infectious disease** is a clinically evident disease resulting from the presence of pathogenic microbial agents, including pathogenic viruses, pathogenic bacteria, fungi, protozoa, multicellular parasites, and aberrant proteins known as prions. Serological methods are highly sensitive, specific and often extremely rapid tests used to identify microorganisms. These tests are based upon the ability of an antibody to bind specifically to an antigen. The antigen, usually a protein or carbohydrate made by an infectious agent, is bound by the antibody. Serological tests, if available, are usually the preferred route of identification. There are several serology techniques that can be used depending on the antibodies being studied. These include ELISA, agglutination, precipitation, complement-fixation and fluorescent antibodies.

DIASOURCE OFFERS SEROLOGICAL ELISA ASSAYS

TORCH-panel: Diagnostics of maternal-fetal infections and screening of the risk factors due to congenital infection.

- Toxoplasmosis
- Cytomegalovirus
- Rubella
- Herpes

EBV-panel: Epstein Barr Virus (EBV) is the causative agent of infectious mononucleosis and has long been suspected of having a contributory role in the etiology of Burkitt`s Lymphoma and Nasopharyngeal Carcinoma.

- Epstein Barr Virus

Pediatric panel: Diagnostics of common childhood diseases remains important throughout the world, despite the prevalence of immunization programs in many countries.

- Measles
- Mumps
- Varicella

Gastro-Intestinal: The bacterium Helicobacter pylori plays a significant role in the pathologies of chronic gastritis, peptic ulcer and gastric cancer. Serological testing represents a useful non-invasive alternative.

- Helicobacter

STD-panel: Treponema pallidum is a Spirochaete bacterium of humans linked to veneral syphilis. Because T. pallidum subspecies cannot be readily isolated and grown in vitro, serological tests are the method of choice for diagnosis of syphilis.

- Treponema pallidum (Syphilis)

Tropical Disease:Tropical diseases are infectious diseases that are prevalent in or unique to tropical and subtropical regions.

- Dengue Fever
- Malaria

Hepatitis panel: Hepatitis is an inflammation of the liver tissue that may cause acute or Chronic liver Disease leading in the worst case to the death of the patient. Serological tests with high specificity and sensitivity are of great importance for the diagnosis of the disease.

- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis C

Description	Cat#	Label	Size	Sample type	Sample size (µL)	Quali/ Quanti	Incubation (hours)	Max shelf life (weeks)	Remarks
Borrelia Panel									
Borrelia recombinant IgG[1]	BrG192	HRP	192 T	S, P, CSF, SF	10 (110 for CSF)	QUANTI	1,15	60	-
Borrelia recombinant IgM[1]	BrM192								
COVID Panel									
EIA COVID-19 NP IgA[1]	CoNA96	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	SEMI-QUANTI	1,5	60	-
EIA COVID-19 NP IgM[1]	CoNM96								
EIA COVID-19 NP IgG[1]	CoNG96					QUANTI			
EIA COVID-19 RBD IgA[1]	CoRA96					SEMI-QUANTI			
EIA COVID-19 RBD IgM[1]	CoRM96								
EIA COVID-19 RBD IgG[1]	CoRG96								
EBV Panel									
Epstein Barr Virus VCA IgG (EBV VCA IgG)[1]	EAG096	HRP	96 T	S, P, CSF	10	QUANTI	1,5	60	-
Epstein Barr Virus VCA IgM (EBV VCA IgM)[1]	EAM096								
Epstein Barr Virus VCA IgA (EBV VCA IgA)[1]	VCA096					QUALI			
Epstein Barr Virus EBNA IgM (EBV EBNA IgM)[1]	EBM096			S - P					
Epstein Barr Virus EBNA IgG (EBV EBNA IgG)[1]	EBG096					QUANTI			
Epstein Barr Virus Early IgM (EBV Early IgM)[1]	VCM096			S, P, CSF					
Epstein Barr Virus Early IgM (EBV Early IgG)[1]	VCG096			S - P		QUALI			
Hepatitis Panel									
Hepatitis A: IgG (anti-HAV)	KAPG4AGE3	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUALI	1,5	60	-
Hepatitis A: IgM (anti-HAV)	KAPG4AME3				5		2,5		
Hepatitis B: HBsAg Screening	KAPG4SGE3				50		2		
	KAPG4SGE11		480 T						
Hepatitis B: HBsAg Confirmation*	KAPG4SA0		96 T				22		
Hepatitis B: Anti-HBsAg	KAPG4SBE3						1,5		
Hepatitis B: HBeAg / Anti-HBe	KAPG4BNE3				100/50		2,5		
Hepatitis B: Anti-HBc Total	KAPG4CBE3				50		1,5		
Hepatitis B: Anti-HBc IgM	KAPG4CME3				5		2,5		
Hepatitis C: Anti-HCV (4th Generation)	KAPG4NAE3				100		1,75		
	KAPG4NAE12		480 T						

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Pediatric Panel									
Measles IgG[1]	MeG096	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUALI	1,5	48	-
Measles IgM[1]	MeM096								
Mumps IgG[1]	MuG096								
Mumps IgM[1]	MuM096								
Varicella zoster IgG[1]	VZVG96			S, P, CSF	10	QUANTI	1,5	60	
Varicella zoster IgM[1]	VZVM96					QUALI			
Varicelle coster EgA[1]	VZVA96								
HIV Panel									
HIV Ab/Ag Combo Elisa, 96T	KAPDHIV96	HRP	96 T	S - P	150	QUALI	2,5	60	-
	KARDHIV96*								
HIV Ab/Ag Combo Elisa, 192T	KAPDHIV192		192 T						Available on specific request
HIV Ab/Ag Combo Elisa, 480T	KAPDHIV480		480 T						
Respiratory Panel									
C.pneumonia IgG[1]	ChpG96	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUANTI	1,5	60	-
C.pneumonia IgM[1]	ChpM96					QUALI			
C.pneumonia IgA[1]	ChpA96					QUANTI			
Tuberculosis IgG Elisa	KAPRTBG38							48	
Tuberculosis IgM Elisa	KAPRTBM39								
Mycoplasma IgG[1]	MyG096							60	
Mycoplasma IgM[1]	MyM096								
Mycoplasma IgA[1]	MyA096								
Sexually Transmitted Disease Panel									
Syphillis IgG[1]	TpG096	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUALI	1,5	60	-
Syphillis IgM[1]	TpM096								
Syphilis Screen[1]	Tp0096				50		1		
Chlamydia trachomatis IgG[1]	ChtG96				10	QUALI	1,5		
Chlamydia trachomatis IgM[1]	ChtM96								
Chlamydia trachomatis IgA[1]	ChtA96								

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ToRCH Panel									
Herpes simplex virus 1 IgG	KAPDHSV1G	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUANTI	1h - 1h - 20m	60	-
Herpes simplex virus 1 IgM	KAPDHSV1M					QUALI			
Herpes simplex virus 2 IgG	KAPDHSV2G					QUANTI			
Herpes simplex virus 2 IgM	KAPDHSV2M					QUALI	1,5		
HSV Screening IgM[1]	HSVM96								
HSV Screening IgG[1]	HSVG96								
CMV IgG[1]	CMG096					QUANTI	1,15		
CMV IgM[1]	CMM096					QUALI			
CMV IgA[1]	CMA096								
Rubella IgG[1]	RubG96					QUANTI	1,5		
Rubella IgM[1]	RubM96					QUALI			
Toxo IgG[1]	TgG096					QUANTI	2,15		
Toxo IgM[1]	TgM096					QUALI			
Toxo IgA[1]	TgA096								
Tropical Disease Panel									
Dengue Fever IgG	KAPDDENG	HRP	96 T	S - P	10	QUALI	1h - 1h - 20m	60	-
Dengue Fever IgM	KAPDDENM								
Malaria Screen	KAPDMA				150		2,5		

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THYROID FUNCTION

Measurement of Serum Thyroid Hormones T4 /FT4 is the most used thyroid test of all.

The T4 reflects the amount of thyroxine in the blood. If the patient does not take any type of thyroid medication, this test is usually a good measure of thyroid function.

Thyroxine (T4) represents 80% of the thyroid hormone produced by the normal gland and generally represents the overall function of the gland.

The new "sensitive" TSH test will show very low levels of TSH when the thyroid is overactive (as a normal response of the pituitary to try to decrease thyroid stimulation). Interpretations of the TSH level depends upon the level of thyroid hormone; therefore, the TSH is usually used in combination with other thyroid tests such as the T4/FT4 and T3/FT3.

THYROID BINDING GLOBULIN (TBG)

Most of the thyroid hormones in the blood are attached to a protein called thyroid binding globulin (TBG). If there is an excess or deficiency of this protein it alters the T4 or T3 measurement but does not affect the action of the hormone. If a patient appears to have normal thyroid function, but an unexplained high or low T4, or T3, it may be due to an increase or decrease of TBG. Direct measurement of TBG can be done and will explain the abnormal value.

Excess TBG or low levels of TBG are found in some families as an hereditary trait. It causes no problem except falsely elevating or lowering the T4 level. These people are frequently misdiagnosed as being hyperthyroid or hypothyroid, but they have no thyroid problem and need no treatment.

MEASUREMENT OF PITUITARY PRODUCTION OF TSH

Normally, low levels (less than 5 units) of TSH are sufficient to keep the normal thyroid gland functioning properly. When the thyroid gland becomes inefficient such as in early hypothyroidism, the TSH becomes elevated even though the T4/FT4 and T3/FT3 may still be within the "normal" range.

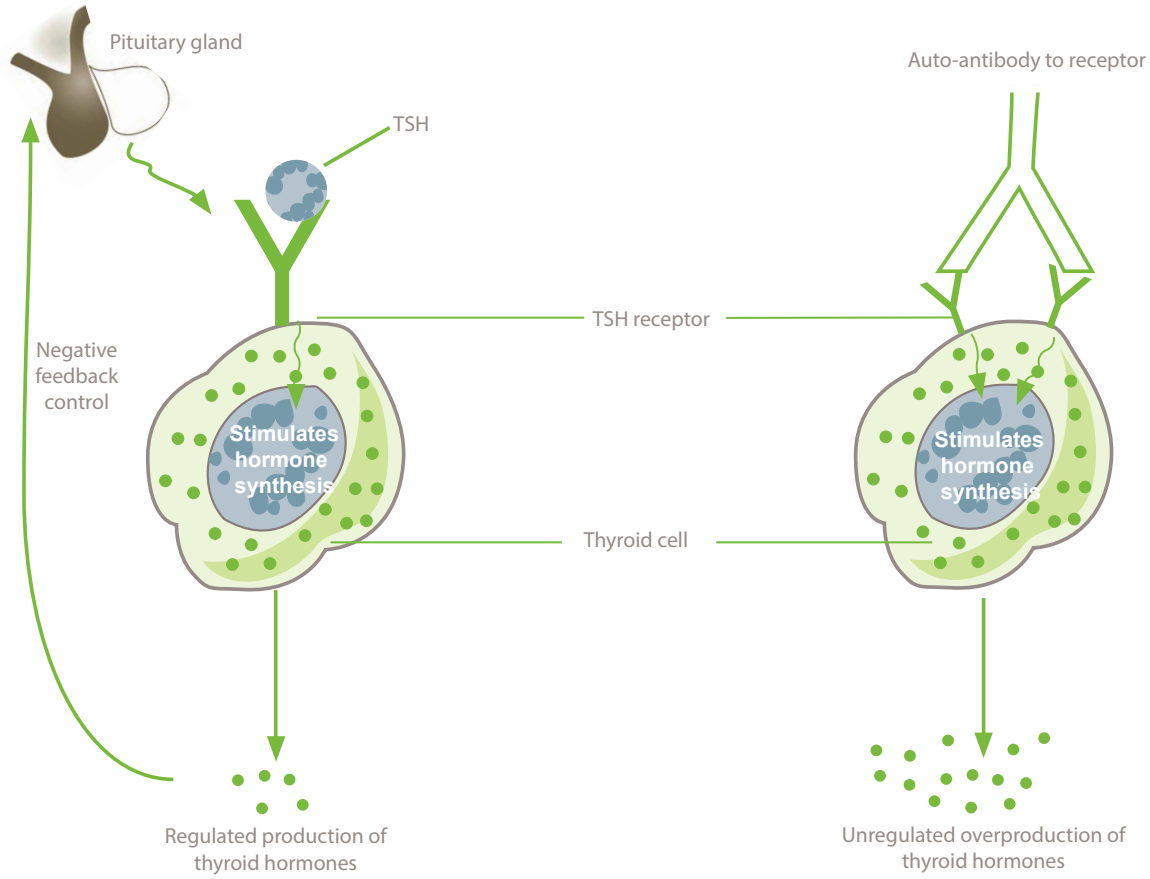
This rise in TSH represents the pituitary gland's response to a drop in circulating thyroid hormone; it is usually the first indication of thyroid gland failure. Since TSH is normally low when the thyroid gland is functioning properly, the failure of TSH to rise when circulating thyroid hormones are low is an indication of impaired pituitary function.

THYROID ANTIBODIES

The body normally produces antibodies against foreign substances such as bacteria; however, some people are found to have antibodies against their own thyroid tissue. The other 20% is triiodothyronine measured as T3. Sometimes the diseased thyroid gland will start producing very high levels of T3 but still produce normal levels of T4. Therefore measurement of both hormones provides an even more accurate evaluation of thyroid function.

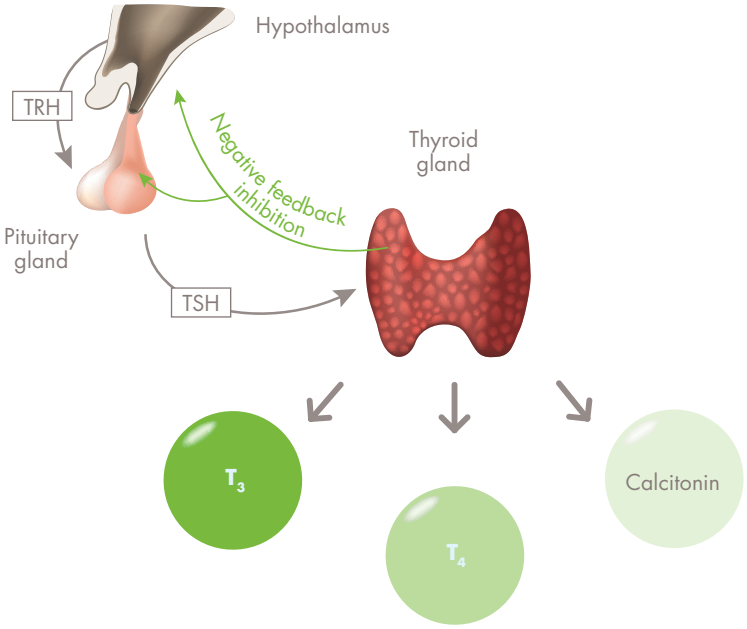
A condition known as Hashimoto's Thyroiditis is associated with a high level of these thyroid antibodies in the blood. Whether the antibodies cause the disease or whether the disease causes the antibodies is not known; however, the finding of a high level of thyroid antibodies is strong evidence of this disease. Occasionally, low levels of thyroid antibodies are found with other types of thyroid disease. When Hashimoto's thyroiditis is present under the form of a thyroid nodule rather than a diffuse goiter, the thyroid antibodies may not be present.

STIMULATING AUTO-ANTIBODIES (GRAVES' DISEASE)



Thyroid Antibody	Acronym	Present in
Thyroid peroxidase antibody	TPOAb	Hashimoto's thyroiditis; Graves' disease
Thyroglobulin antibody	TgAb	Thyroid cancer; Hashimoto's thyroiditis
Thyroid stimulating hormone receptor antibody	TRAb	Graves' disease

THYROID HORMONES



TRH: Thyroid Releasing Hormone
TSH: Thyroid Simulating Hormone
T_3: Triidothyronine hormone
T_4: Thyroxine hormone

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Anti-TSH Receptors AutoAntibodies (TSH-R Ab) (Third Generation)											
ELISA	KAPD4834	HRP	96 T	S	75	2	0,4-30 U/L	0,08 U/L	3,25	48	-
Free L-Thyroxine (FT4)											
ELISA	KAPDB4340	HRP	96 T	S	25	1	2-95 pg/mL	1 pg/mL	1,25	48	-
Free Triiodo-Thyronine (FT3)											
ELISA	KAPDB4230	HRP	96 T	S	25	1	1-40 pg/mL	0,3 pg/mL	1,25	48	-
L-Thyroxine (T4)											
ELISA	KAPDB4240	HRP	96 T	S	20	1	1-32 µg/dL	0,6 µg/dL	0,75	60	-
Thyroid Stimulating Hormone (TSH)											
ELISA	KAPDB4080	HRP	96 T	S	50	1	0,2-30 µIU/mL	0,1 µIU/mL	1,75	60	-
Triiodo-Thyronine (T3)											
ELISA	KAPDB4220	HRP	96 T	S	50	1	0,2-10 ng/mL	0,16 ng/mL	1,25	60	-

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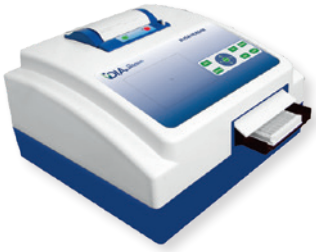

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STRATEC GEMINI
CAT#: GEM10041566

STRATEC GEMINI COMBO
CAT#: GEM 10041560

MICROBLOT-ARRAY
CAT#: ARCX

DS2® 2-PLATE ELISA*
CAT#: DS262010

DSX® 4-PLATE ELISA*
CAT#: DSX65400

AGILITY®*
CAT#: DSA67000

*Instruments not for distribution/sales in Russia.

SMARTKITS® FOR DYNEX AGILITY®

NEW GENERATION OF AUTOMATION WITH THE HIGHEST QUALITY ELISA'S

The SmartKits® include four main components: the consumable bottles of any given reagent kit, a 2D barcode with lot-specific assay information, an insert for holding reagent bottles and a cap holder for reagent bottle caps.

Once caps are removed and stored in the cap holder, the SmartKit® is placed directly into the Dynex Agility® for testing.

Direct-load solution to front-end preparation that reduces technician time and potential for costly data entry errors, while improving ease-of-use, safety, hands on time and performance.

ADVANTAGES:

- Disposable, single-use inserts require no assembly
- Reagents arrive packaged in the insert with 2D barcodes already affixed
- User only takes the insert from the package, removes and places the reagent bottle cap in the cap holder, and loads the kit into the Agility®

ENTIRE RANGE OF HUMAN ELISA AVAILABLE*:

Human INFECTIOUS DISEASES : Bacterial, Viral and Parasitic

Human Autoimmunity : Systemic autoimmunity, Intestinal autoimmunity, Rheumatology, Thyroid gland diseases

PS : SmartKits® are only intended to be used on Dynex Agility and cannot be used on any other Elisa analyzer.
Each SmartKits® contains 96 tests.

Cat#	Description	Cat#	Description
Human ELISA Kits for diagnostic of infectious diseases*			
SK-BGV096	SmartEIA Borrelia VlsE IgG	SK-ChG096	SmartEIA Chlamydia IgG
SK-BM0096	SmartEIA Borrelia IgM	SK-ChM096	SmartEIA Chlamydia IgM
SK-BrG096	SmartEIA Borrelia recombinant IgG	SK-ChpA96	SmartEIA Chlamydia pneumoniae IgA
SK-BrM096	SmartEIA Borrelia recombinant IgM	SK-ChpG96	SmartEIA Chlamydia pneumoniae IgG
SK-BaGV96	SmartEIA Borrelia afzelii VlsE IgG	SK-ChpM96	SmartEIA Chlamydia pneumoniae IgM
SK-BsGV96	SmartEIA Borrelia b. sensu stricto VlsE IgG	SK-CpAR96	SmartEIA Chlamydia pneumoniae REC IgA
SK-BsM096	SmartEIA Borrelia b. sensu stricto IgM	SK-CpGR96	SmartEIA Chlamydia pneumoniae REC IgG
SK-BgGV96	SmartEIA Borrelia garinii VlsE IgG	SK-ChtA96	SmartEIA Chlamydia trachomatis IgA
SK-BgM096	SmartEIA Borrelia garinii IgM	SK-ChtG96	SmartEIA Chlamydia trachomatis IgG
SK-BppA96	SmartEIA Bordetella parapertussis IgA	SK-ChtM96	SmartEIA Chlamydia trachomatis IgM
SK-BppG96	SmartEIA Bordetella parapertussis IgG	MeG096	SmartEIA Measles IgG
SK-BppM96	SmartEIA Bordetella parapertussis IgM	MeM096	SmartEIA Measles IgM
SK-BpAT96	SmartEIA Bordetella pertussis Toxin IgA	SK-MyA096	SmartEIA Mycoplasma IgA
SK-BpGT96	SmartEIA Bordetella pertussis Toxin IgG	SK-MyG096	SmartEIA Mycoplasma IgG
SK-BpMT96	SmartEIA Bordetella pertussis Toxin IgM	SK-MyM096	SmartEIA Mycoplasma IgM
SK-CMA096	SmartEIA CMV IgA	SK-PCG096	SmartEIA PCP IgG
SK-CMG096	SmartEIA CMV IgG	SK-TBG096	SmartEIA TBE Virus IgG
SK-CMM096	SmartEIA CMV IgM	SK-TBM096	SmartEIA TBE Virus IgM
SK-EAG096	SmartEIA EBV EA-D IgG	SK-TBE096	SmartEIA TBEV Ig (klíšťová encefalitida)
SK-EAM096	SmartEIA EBV EA-D IgM	SK-TcA096	SmartEIA Toxocara IgA
SK-EBG096	SmartEIA EBV EBNA-1 IgG	SK-TcG096	SmartEIA Toxocara IgG
SK-EBM096	SmartEIA EBV EBNA-1 IgM	SK-TgA096	SmartEIA Toxoplasma IgA (capture)
SK-VCA096	SmartEIA EBV VCA IgA	SK-TgE096	SmartEIA Toxoplasma IgE (capture)
SK-VCG096	SmartEIA EBV VCA IgG	SK-TgG096	SmartEIA Toxoplasma IgG
SK-VCM096	SmartEIA EBV VCA IgM	SK-TgM096	SmartEIA Toxoplasma IgM (capture)
SK-HSVG96	SmartEIA HSV 1+2 IgG	SK-TpG096	SmartEIA Treponema pallidum IgG
SK-HSVM96	SmartEIA HSV 1+2 IgM	SK-TpM096	SmartEIA Treponema pallidum IgM
SK-HMA096	SmartEIA Helicobacter MONO IgA	SK-Tp0096	SmartEIA Treponema pallidum TOTAL
SK-HMG096	SmartEIA Helicobacter MONO IgG	SK-VZVA96	SmartEIA VZV IgA
SK-HMM096	SmartEIA Helicobacter MONO IgM	SK-VZVG96	SmartEIA VZV IgG
SK-ChA096	SmartEIA Chlamydia IgA	SK-VZVM96	SmartEIA VZV IgM

*Not distributed in Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Estonia, Georgia, Lithuania, Montenegro, Netherlands, Serbia, Slovakia, United Kingdom, Jordan, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Mexico

Cat#	Description	Cat#	Description
Human ELISA Kits for autoimmunity*			
SK-ENA096	SmartEIA ENA screen plus	SK-CCPA96	SmartEIA CCP IgA
SK-SSA096	SmartEIA SS-A	SK-CCPG96	SmartEIA CCP IgG
SK-Ro6096	SmartEIA SS-A/Ro60	SK-ScA096	SmartEIA ASCA IgA
SK-Ro5296	SmartEIA SS-A/Ro52	SK-ScG096	SmartEIA ASCA IgG
SK-SSB096	SmartEIA SS-B	SK-GlA096	SmartEIA Gliadin IgA
SK-Sm0096	SmartEIA Sm	SK-GlG096	SmartEIA Gliadin IgG
SK-RNP096	SmartEIA U1RNP	SK-GDA096	SmartEIA Gliadin DA IgA
SK-Scl096	SmartEIA Scl-70	SK-GDG096	SmartEIA Gliadin DA IgG
SK-CEN096	SmartEIA Centromere	SK-MiA096	SmartEIA Milk IgA
SK-Jo1096	SmartEIA Jo-1	SK-MiG096	SmartEIA Milk IgG
SK-RFA096	SmartEIA RF IgA	SK-MiM096	SmartEIA Milk IgM
SK-RFG096	SmartEIA RF IgG	SK-tTA096	SmartEIA Transglutaminase IgA
SK-RFM096	SmartEIA RF IgM	SK-tTG096	SmartEIA Transglutaminase IgG

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RAPID TESTS

We are commercialising a whole new range of Rapid Screen Tests to provide the clinical laboratories with an excellent alternative (or complementary) for the cumbersome and time-consuming immunoassays. The use of these Rapid Screen Tests will automatically decrease the Turnaround Time (TAT) of any given sample and will expand the possibilities of the hospitals to develop POCT centre's (Point of Care Testing) for **cardiology, pregnancy and fertility, drugs of abuse, infectious diseases**. These innovative rapid tests combine high quality, simplicity, speed, and specificity..

ADENOVIRUS

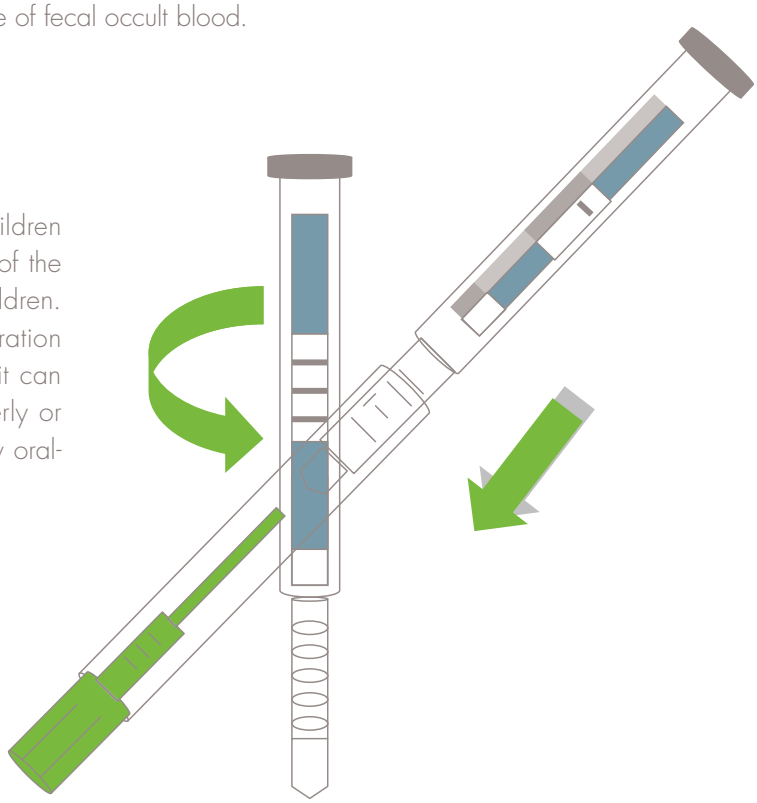
Is one of the main causes of acute gastroenteritis and diarrhea, especially in children under the age of two years. Adenoviruses have been identifed in almost 12% of the feces of children with gastroenteritis. It was reported that adenovirus is the second leading cause of the hospitalized cases of diarrhea in infant and young children. If not treated, the infection may result in severe dehydration and disorders of body electrolyte balance.

FECAL OCCULT BLOOD

Colorectal cancer is the third most common cancer in the world. The appearance of fecal occult blood is often the first, if not the only, indicator associated with colorectal cancer and polyps. Other gastrointestinal disorders such as diverticulitis, Crohn's disease, colitis ulcer, etc. may also be associated with the presence of fecal occult blood.

ROTAVIRUSES

Have been identifed in almost 40% of the feces of children with gastroenteritis. Rotavirus is the cause of up to 50% of the hospitalized cases of diarrhea in infant and young children. If not treated, the infection may result in severe dehydration and disorders of body electrolyte balance. Therefore, it can be mortal in risk populations such as children, the elderly or immunosuppressed individuals. Rotavirus is transmitted by oral-fecal contact with an incubation period of 1-3 days.



AMNISTRIP

- A novel diagnostic test for the early detection of fetal membranes rupture (PROM), a high-risk complication of pregnancy
- Premature ROM (PROM) is one of the most common causes of premature delivery and neonatal complications requiring admission to Neonatal Intentive Care Unit
- Risks of neonatal consequences of PROM:
  - Infection
  - Preterm delivery
  - Fetal distress
  - Prolapsed cord
  - Abruptio placenta
- Failure to identify patients with PROM can result in the failure to implement salutary obstetric measures

HUMAN CHORIONIC GONADOTROPIN (HCG)

- Human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG) is a glycoprotein hormone produced by the developing placenta shortly after fertilization.
- In normal pregnancy, hCG can be detected in urine as early as 7 to 10 days after conception.
- The appearance of hCG in the urine soon after conception, and its subsequent rapid rise in concentration during early gestational growth, make it an excellent marker for the early detection of pregnancy.

Description	Cat#	Sample type	Size	Sensitivity
Cardiac Diseases Tests				
Troponin	RAPU04A097	Serum, Plasma, Whole blood	20 tests	1 ng/mL
Covid-19 Tests				
COVID-19 IgG-IgM	RAPU08COVID19	Serum, Plasma, Whole Blood	25 tests	96,9%
COVID 19 Antigen	RAPU08COV19AG	Nasopharyngial swab	20 tests	96,4%
Drug Tests				
Nicotine/Cotinine card	RAPU08A086	Urine	20 tests	200 ng/mL
Fertility Tests				
hCG Card Pregnancy Test	RAPU01C040	Urine	10 Tests	25 mIU/mL
Amnistrip (PROM test)*	RAPB0513*	Amniotic Fluid*	10 Tests	100%
Helicobacter Pylori				
Helicobacter pylori	RAPU08V400	Serum, plasma, whole blood	20 tests	96,8%
Infectious Diseases Tests				
Strep B	RAPU014B280	Vaginal, rectal swabs	20 Tests	90,9%
Fecal Adenovirus Antigen Test strip	RAPEPKT918	Feces	30 Tests	98% reliability
Fecal Rotavirus Antigen Test strip	RAPEPKT917	Feces	30 Tests	97,1% reliability
Fecal Rota-Adeno Duo Antigen	RAPEPKT926	This is a two-in-one test including a rotavirus antigen test strip and an adenovirus antigen test strip that are back-to-back positioned in one test tube.		
Fecal Occult Blood	RAPEPKT313	Feces	30 Tests	50 ng h-Hb/ml fecal sample extract, which is about 1 µg h-Hb/gram stool.

*Not distributed in USA

AF=Amiotic Fluid - CP=Citrate Plasma - CSF=Cerebrospinal Fluid - EP=EDTA Plasma - F=Feces - HP=Heparin Plasma - HS=High Sensitive - IVD=In Vitro Diagnostics - ON=Over night P=Plasma - Pl=Platelets - S=Serum - Sa=Saliva - SF=Synovial Fluid - SP=Seminal Plasma - TH=Tissue Homogenate - U=Urine - UD=Ultra-dialysates

CUSTOM DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY SERVICES & SALES CONDITIONS

ISO 9001 AND ISO 13485 APPROVED

The scientists at DIAsource have extensive experience in the development of antibodies and related enzymatic or radioactive assays. They can guide you through each step in the process of purifying, fragmenting, coating and labeling antibodies. High level technicians can be consulted at any time to discuss other services like filling and freeze-drying. We can offer specific and flexible suggestions to enhance the performance of your final product. All services are manufactured under strict ISO-9001 guidelines.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

Coating services

- Coating of polystyrene tubes individually capped: batch size from 30,000 up to 100,000 tubes with your antibodies according to your coating procedure
- Coating of microtiter plates in sealed aluminum bags with your antibodies according to your coating procedure: batch size from 150 up to 900 microtiter plates
- Primary coated tubes with anti-rabbit, anti-sheep or avidin-streptavidin for RIA-IRMA applications
- Primary microtiter plates with anti-rabbit, anti-sheep, or avidin-streptavidin for ELISA applications

Filling services

- From solution preparation to filling, capping and labeling.

Freeze-drying services

- Freeze-dry from 0.25ml up to 15ml in glass vials: batch size up to 27,000 vials for 5ml vials.

Tailored ^{125}I labeling

- Iodination and purification of your antigen (hapten, peptide, protein) either by gel filtration or HPLC.

Mabs fragmentation

- From the antibodies you send us we can produce F(ab')2 fragments on a large scale.

Labeling Services

- Labeling of your antibody or antigen (hapten, peptide) with several markers such as peroxidase, biotin tag or other labels.

Antibody Purification

- Whatever antibody you send us we can purify it by protein-A, protein-G or caprilic acid precipitation and even by affinity chromatography.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF SALES

Article 1 – Application

Unless there is an explicit deviation agreed upon in writing, the present general terms and conditions apply to every DIAsource offer as well as every contract that is formed on the basis of such an offer or an order confirmed by DIAsource. The client waives explicitly and fully the application of its own general terms and conditions by virtue of its relationship with DIAsource. Contracts that have been concluded through the staff or representatives of DIAsource and that do not observe these general terms and conditions do not bind DIAsource.

Article 2 – Conclusion of the contract

An offer from DIAsource is only binding if it is accompanied by a period of acceptance and only if this period has not yet expired. A client's order can only be considered accepted by DIAsource after DIAsource's express written confirmation of that acceptance. As any order has its own specific characteristics and, therefore, the products ordered by one client cannot be redirected to another client, the client cannot cancel an accepted order whether in full or in part. If the client would cancel an accepted order, it will still have to pay the full price of the relevant order. DIAsource reserves the right to (i) refuse requests for customized orders, or requests for modifications of accepted orders; and/ or to (ii) charge such modifications or customizations to the client at the then-prevailing actual cost, with a minimum of 25 EUR (excl. VAT). Without prejudice to the third paragraph of this article 2, an administrative fee of 25 EUR (excl. VAT) will be charged by DIAsource for any order with a value of less than 500 EUR (excl. VAT).

Article 3 – Price and related costs

Unless agreed otherwise in writing, all of DIAsource's set prices apply to packaged products that are delivered Ex Works (in the sense of Incoterms 2010) to the registered seat of DIAsource. The following, on top of the stipulated price, are to be paid by the client, unless there is any explicit written deviation from this rule:

(i) All costs of insurance, security, loading, transport, and unpacking of the products.
(ii) All taxes and levies (including VAT and customs duties) related to the delivered products or the items mentioned under (i), including the taxes and levies that are applied or adapted only after the conclusion of the contract.
(iii) All additional costs for DIAsource that have been incurred as a result of differences in the currency exchange rates that are detrimental to DIAsource. Every cost that is charged for execution of payments must always be borne by the client ultimately.

Article 4 – Payment

Unless agreed on otherwise, (i) if DIAsource sends a pro forma invoice to the client, such pro forma invoice must be paid before the confirmed shipment date and (ii) if DIAsource does not send a pro forma invoice to the client, all invoices should be paid upon receipt. The payment of a (pro forma) invoice may not be refused or postponed for any reason whatsoever. Any late payment will make all debts of the client to DIAsource immediately due upon notification to that effect by DIAsource. An interest on late payment will be charged—ex officio and without notice—on the unpaid balance of all debts of the client to DIAsource which are due and payable, and the rate of it will be equal to the interest rate calculated according to Article 5, paragraph 2 of the Act of 2 August 2002 on combating late payments in commercial transactions, increased by 3.5% per year. On top of this, a compensation of 15% of the unpaid balance will be charged to cover the administrative costs associated with late payments, and this at a minimum of EUR 100 per invoice that is paid late. All of this is without prejudice to (i) the possibility for DIAsource to prove the actual damage it suffered and to demand compensation for it, or (ii) the possibility for DIAsource to suspend the further performance of its obligations under this or any other contract with the client, or apply any other common law sanction.

Article 5 – Reservation of ownership – transfer of risk

The ownership of every sold product only passes to the client after the client has fully paid the price and related costs for this product, as well as the late interest and compensation that would be due by virtue of late payment of this price. Before full payment is made, and unless explicitly agreed otherwise in writing, the client may not alienate the product, encumber it with securities, or transform it or attach it to an immovable property in any way; in that time span, the client will conserve the product safely and have it insured; it will also conserve it in a way it can be identified individually, with a legible and visible mark on it, explicitly confirming that it is property of DIAsource. The risk of loss, destruction, or damage to the product (also if caused by force majeure) will nevertheless pass to the client as soon as the product is delivered to the client.

Article 6 – Delivery Period

Every agreed upon delivery term is only (and is to be considered) indicative. Not observing this term does not entitle the client to any remedy, unless the parties agree explicitly in writing that the delivery term is binding (in that event, not observing the delivery term can only give way to indemnification for the damage that is actual, proven, and established in such a way that both parties are able to submit observations, or to the termination of the sale, any of which can only be sought at the earliest 1 month from the date of a notice demanding delivery).

Article 7 – Hardship

If, beyond the will of DIAsource, unforeseen circumstances (e.g., strike, accidents, weather conditions, material defects, etc.) materialize in the procurement-, production-, distribution- or any other necessary type of process that make the delivery or timely delivery or the performance of any other obligation impossible (or strongly impede this), then DIAsource, depending on the nature of the circumstances, has the right to terminate the contract or suspend the performance of its obligations. DIAsource will not incur any liability if this occurs.

Article 8 – Complaints

Complaints regarding visible defects or non-conformity are only admissible if (i) the product has not been used yet, and (ii) the complaint is in writing and is sent to the commercial services department of DIAsource in Louvain-La-Neuve no later than 3 working days from the date of delivery. After that, the products will irrefutably be considered accepted. Following complaints are also non-receivable: anonymous complaints, claims related to results dating more than a year before the introduction of the same complaint, complaints linked to a "mistake" of the customer "(ex: mishandling, error in following the protocol, etc.), claims related to facts that are not within the competence of DIAsource, claims relating to a failure to provide information by the client, claims related to a subjective nature of the said claim.

Article 9 – Liability/Security

DIAsource will only be liable for hidden defects if the client notifies DIAsource thereof by registered letter within 7 business days after such hidden defects are discovered by the client. This term is to be considered a term unable to be suspended or reset ("délai de déchéance" / "vervaltermijn"). In that event, the client will not be entitled to claim the dissolution of the sale of the relevant product, and DIAsource will only be liable for (i) the decrease in value of the product, and, to the extent DIAsource can be held liable for it, and (ii) the additional damage suffered by the client, it being understood that the client bears the burden of proof. This indemnity (i & ii) will in any event be limited to the price paid by the client for the relevant product. The client must conform strictly with the directives regarding the good distribution practices (GDP) applicable to medical devices marked 'CE'. The client must use the products in a professional way and in accordance with the instructions of DIAsource. The client must inform DIAsource immediately of any dysfunction or any alteration of the properties and/or performances of the product he has bought from DIAsource. If the products are resold by the client to a third party outside of Belgium, the client must provide all documents and necessary instructions to that third party in the language(s) of the country of destination. DIAsource must only accept returned goods to the extent that they are the subject of a complaint which DIAsource has declared admissible and well-founded.

Article 10 – Netting in case of insolvency of the client

In case the client is declared bankrupt, or in case any other insolvency or insolvency-like procedure is initiated in respect of the client, any amounts reciprocally due by and between DIAsource and the client shall be netted automatically and by force of law on the date of the opening of the insolvency procedure, regardless of whether such amounts are already due or determined ("vaststaand"/"liquide") on the date of the opening of the insolvency procedure, and even if they are not entirely certain.

Article 11 – No assignment

The client may not assign its rights and obligations against DIAsource to any third party (through a sale, a capital contribution, a donation or any other transaction, including the sale or contribution of a division ("bedrijfstak"/"branche d'activité") or of a business as a whole ("algemeenheid/ "universalité"), or a merger, spin-off, split-up or other corporate restructuring) without the prior written consent of DIAsource.

Article 12 – Applicable law and competent court

Belgian law applies to all agreements to which the present general terms and conditions apply, but with the exclusion of the application of Belgian private international law and the Convention on the International Sale of Goods of Vienna dated 11 April 1980 (except for the Convention on the Limitation Period in the International Sale of Goods of 14 June 1974, whose application remains). The courts of Walloon Brabant, Belgium are exclusively competent to hear all disputes arising out of or in connection with contracts concluded by DIAsource (including the pre-contractual disputes) to which the present general terms and conditions apply.

Article 13 – Discrepancies between language versions

The present general terms and conditions have been drafted in Dutch, English, French and Spanish. In case of discrepancies between the different language versions, the French version will prevail.

Article 14 – GDPR & Privacy policy

DIAsource is compliant to the General Data Protection Regulation. Our policy for privacy and data protection is available on our website www.diasource-diagnostics.com. Any questions can be sent to: GDPR@diasource.be

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OUR OTHER AVAILABLE PRODUCT CATALOGS

IMMUNOASSAYS

- Autoimmunity
- Biogenic Amines
- Bone Metabolism
- Cancer Markers
- Cardiovascular & Salt Balance
- Diabetes & Metabolism
- Fertility
- Gastrointestinal
- Infectious Disease Metabolism
- Growth Factors
- Immunology Markers
- Thyroid Function

VITAMIN D

- RIA Product:
  - 25OH Vitamin D3
  - 25OH Vitamin D Total
  - 1,25 $(OH)_2$ Vitamin D
- Raw materials for Vitamin D Assays
- ELISA product:
  - 25OH Vitamin D Total
  - 25OH Vitamin D Total 90'
  - Free 25OH Vitamin D
  - 1,25 $(OH)_2$ Vitamin D

MULTI-SPECIES

- Allergy
- Endocrinology & Metabolism
- Infectious Disease

ANTIBODIES

- Bone Metabolism
- Cancer Markers
- Cardiovascular & Salt Balance
- Diabetes & Metabolism
- Fertility
- Growth Factors
- Thyroid Function

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