

GAMMA-GT

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Intended use:

Reagent for quantitative in vitro determination of γ -GT in biological fluids.

Summary:

Even though renal tissue has the highest level of GGT, the enzyme present in serum appears to originate primarily from the hepatobiliary system, and GGT activity is elevated in any and all forms of liver disease. It is highest in cases of intra- or posthepatic biliary obstruction, reaching levels some 5 to 30 times normal.

Test principle:

The enzyme γ -GT (EC 2.3.2.2, γ -glutamyl-peptide:amino acid γ -glutamyltransferase; GGT) hydrolyzes the GLUPA-C to release p-nitroaniline. The p-nitroaniline formed is detected spectrophotometrically at 405 nm to give a measurement of GGT activity in the sample.

Reagent concentration:

Tris buffer 100 mM pH 8.25, glycyl-glycine 100 mM, L-Glutamyl-3-carboxy-4-nitroanilide 4 mM.

Preparation and stability:

Sample start:

Mix 4 volumes of R1 with 1 volume of R2. This working solution is stable:

28 days at +2°C to +8°C

7 days at +20°C to +25°C

Substrate start:

R1: ready for use

R2: ready for use

Unopened reagents are stable up to the expiry date on the label when stored at +2°C to +8°C.

Onboard stability: R1: 28 days

R2: 28 days

Specimen:

Serum, plasma EDTA. Avoid hemolysis.

GGT is stable up to 7 days at both room temperature and 2-8°C. Store at -20°C for prolonged storage

Stability: 7 days at +20°C to +25°C

7 days at +2°C to +8°C

Notes:

For in vitro diagnostic use.

Exercise the normal precautions required for handling all laboratory reagents.

Limitations - interference:

no interference was observed by the presence of:

hemoglobin < 200 mg/dl

bilirubin < 25 mg/dl

lipids < 500 mg/dl

Testing procedure:

Applications for automated systems are available on request.

Materials provided

- Working solutions as described above

Additional materials required

- Calibrators and controls as indicated below

- 0.9% NaCl

Manual procedure for serum start	
Wavelength:	Hg 405 nm (400-420nm)
Temperature:	+25 / +30 / +37°C
Cuvette:	1 cm light path
Zero adjustment:	air or distilled water
	Normal Cuvette
R1	1000 ul
Sample	100 μ l
Mix, incubate 1-5 min. Then Add;	
R2	250 ul
Mix, execute a first reading of absorbance after 1 minute, incubating at 37°C. Perform other 3 readings at 60 seconds intervals. Calculate the AA/min.	

Measuring / reportable range:

The method is linear up to 800 U/l.

If a AA/min of 0.400 is exceeded, it is suggested to dilute sample 1+9 with saline and to repeat the test, multiplying the result by 10.

Expected values:

Men 37°C < 50 U/l

Women 37°C < 30 U/l

Each laboratory should investigate the transferability of the expected values to its own patient population and if necessary determine its own reference range. For diagnostic purposes the GGT results should always be assayed in conjunction with the patient's medical history, clinical examinations and other findings.

Analytical sensitivity (lower detection limit)

Detection limit: 2 U/l

The lower detection limit represents the lowest measurable GGT activity that can be distinguished from zero.

Precision:

Reproducibility was determined using controls. The following results were obtained:

Between day			
Sample	Mean U/l	SD U/l	% CV
Sample 1	39,5	0,66	1,67
Sample 2	87,1	1,42	1,63
Sample 3	215	2,91	1,35
Within run			
Sample	Mean U/l	SD U/l	% CV
Sample 1	41,6	0,60	1,44
Sample 2	105	0,65	0,62
Sample 3	169	0,62	0,37

Method comparison:

A comparison of the BIOANALYTIC GGT (y) with a commercial obtainable assay (x) gave with samples the following result:

$$y = 1.10x - 1.11 \text{ U/l}; \quad r = 0.997$$

Waste Disposal:

This product is made to be used in professional laboratories.

P501: Dispose of contents according to national/international regulations.

Quality Control:

Control Serum:

BIOCON N 5 x 5 ml #B10814

BIOCON P 5 x 5 ml #B10817

The control intervals and limits must be adapted to the individual laboratory and country-specific requirements. Values obtained should fall within established limits. Each laboratory should establish corrective measures to be taken if values fall outside the limits.

Calibration:

S1: 0.9% NaCl

S2: BIOCAL H 5 x 3 ml #B11895

Calibration frequency:

A two-point calibration is recommended in case of:

- 1-change of lot
- 2- quality control requirements



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CC410	BGGT250	B25161	B31160	B36160
SH410	BGGT500	B27160	B32160	B36161
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KL410	B22160	B28161	B33160	B80160
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SYMBOLS

- IVD** for in vitro diagnostic use only
- LOT** lot of manufacturing
- REF** code number
-  storage at temperature interval
-  expiration date (year/month)
-  warning, read enclosed documents
-  Read the directions



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