

Prealbumin FS*

Diagnostic reagent for quantitative in vitro determination of prealbumin in serum or plasma on BioMajesty JCA-BM6010/C

Order Information

Cat. No. 1 0292 99 10 966

R1: 2 x 100 tests

R2: 2 x 100 tests

Method

Immunoturbidimetric test

Principle

Determination of the prealbumin concentration by photometric measurement of antigen-antibody-reaction between antibodies against prealbumin and prealbumin present in the sample

Reagents

Components and Concentrations

R1:	TRIS	pH 7.5	100 mmol/L
	NaCl		50 mmol/L
R2:	TRIS	pH 7.8	150 mmol/L
	NaCl		450 mmol/L
	Antibodies (goat) against human prealbumin		< 1%

Storage Instructions and Reagent Stability

The reagents are stable up to the end of the indicated month of expiry, if stored at 2 – 8°C, protected from light and contamination is avoided. Do not freeze the reagents!

Warnings and Precautions

- Reagent 1: Warning. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P305+P351+P338 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- The reagents contain sodium azide (0.95 g/L) as preservative. Do not swallow! Avoid contact with skin and mucous membranes!
- Reagent 2 contains animal material. Handle the product as potentially infectious according to universal precautions and good clinical laboratory practices.
- In very rare cases, samples of patients with gammopathy might give falsified results [7].
- Please refer to the safety data sheets and take the necessary precautions for the use of laboratory reagents. For diagnostic purposes, the results should always be assessed with the patient's medical history, clinical examinations and other findings.
- For professional use only!

Waste Management

Please refer to local legal requirements.

Reagent Preparation

The reagents are ready to use. The bottles are placed directly into the reagent trays.

Specimen

Serum, heparin plasma or EDTA plasma

Stability [1]:

3 days	at	2 – 8°C
6 months	at	–20°C

Discard contaminated specimens. Freeze only once.

Calibrators and Controls

For the calibration the DiaSys TruCal Protein calibrator set is recommended. The assigned values of the calibrators have been made traceable to the reference material ERM[®]-DA470k/IFCC. For internal quality control a DiaSys TruLab Protein control should be assayed. Each laboratory should establish corrective action in case of deviations in control recovery.

	Cat. No.	Kit size
TruCal Protein (5 levels)	5 9200 99 10 039	5 x 1 mL
TruLab Protein Level 1	5 9500 99 10 046	3 x 1 mL
TruLab Protein Level 2	5 9510 99 10 046	3 x 1 mL

Performance Characteristics

Measuring range from 0.14 up to 1.42 g/L (2.55 up to 25.8 µmol/L) prealbumin, at least up to the concentration of the highest calibrator (in case of higher concentrations re-measure samples after manual dilution with NaCl solution (9 g/L) or use rerun function).	
Limit of detection**	0.01 g/L (0.182 µmol/L) prealbumin
No prozone effect up to 2.6 g/L (47.3 µmol/L) prealbumin	
On-board stability	6 weeks
Calibration stability	6 weeks

Interferences < 10% by
Conjugated bilirubin up to 20 mg/dL
Unconjugated bilirubin up to 30 mg/dL
Hemoglobin up to 200 mg/dL
Lipemia (triglycerides) up to 2000 mg/dL
Rheumatoid factor up to 500 IU/mL
For further information on interfering substances refer to Young DS [6].

Precision			
Within run (n=20)	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3
Mean [g/L]	0.255	0.141	0.472
Mean [µmol/L]	4.63	2.56	8.59
Coefficient of variation [%]	1.13	1.29	1.20
Between run (n=20)	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3
Mean [g/L]	0.142	0.213	0.477
Mean [µmol/L]	2.59	3.87	8.67
Coefficient of variation [%]	1.71	2.46	0.91

Method comparison (n=100)	
Test x	Competitor Prealbumin
Test y	DiaSys Prealbumin FS
Slope	1.002
Intercept	0.0038 g/L (0.069 µmol/L)
Coefficient of correlation	0.9998

** lowest measurable concentration which can be distinguished from zero mean + 3 SD (n=20) of an analyte free specimen

Conversion factor

Prealbumin [g/L] x 18.2 = Prealbumin [µmol/L]

Reference Range [2]

Serum/plasma: 0.2 – 0.4 g/L (3.64 – 7.28 µmol/L)

Each laboratory should check if the reference ranges are transferable to its own patient population and determine own reference ranges if necessary.

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Manufacturer



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Application for serum and plasma samples

This application was set up and evaluated by DiaSys. It is based on the standard equipment at that time and does not apply to any equipment modifications undertaken by unqualified personnel.

Analytical Conditions	
R1 volume	80
R2e volume	0
R2 volume	16
R1 diluent vol	0
R2e diluent vol	0
R2 diluent vol	0
Sample vol (S)	1.0
Sample vol (U)	1.0
Reagent 1 mix	weak
Reagent 2e mix	weak
Reagent 2 mix	weak
Reaction time	10

Endpoint Method	
Re.absorb (u)	9.999
Re.absorb (d)	-9.999

Calculation Method Setting	
M-DET.P.l	0
M-DET.P.m	41
M-DET.P.n	42
S-DET.P.p	17
S-DET.P.r	18
Check D.P.l.	0
Limit value	0.003
Variance	10
Reac.type	Inc

Sub-analy. Conditions	
Name	PALB
Digits	2
M-wave L.	410
S-wave.L	805
Analy.mthd.	EPA
Calc.mthd.	MSTD
Qualit. judge	No

Reaction Rate Method	
Cycle	2
Factor	2
E2 corre	Not do
Blank (u)	9.999
Blank (d)	-9.999
Sample (u)	9.999
Sample (d)	-9.999

Analysis Test Condition Setting (M)		
Sample Type	Serum	Urine
Reac. sample vol.	1.0	1.0
Diluent method	No dil	No dil
Undil. sample vol.	0	0
Diluent volume	0	0
Diluent position	0	0

Prozone	
Prozone form	No
Prozone limit	9.999
Prozone judge	Upper limit
Judge limit	9.999
M-DET.P.m	0
M-DET.P.n	0
S-DET.P.p	0
S-DET.P.r	0

MULTI-STD Setting								
Formula	Logit Log 2	Axis Conv	No conv					
Blank	Blank is 0	Points	6					
	FV	Reac. smp. vol.	Dil. method	Dil. smp. vol.	Diluent vol.	Diluent pos.	STD H	STD L
BLK	#	1.0	No dil	0	0	0	9.999	-9.999
1	#	1.0	No dil	0	0	0	9.999	-9.999
2	#	1.0	No dil	0	0	0	9.999	-9.999
3	#	1.0	No dil	0	0	0	9.999	-9.999
4	#	1.0	No dil	0	0	0	9.999	-9.999
5	#	1.0	No dil	0	0	0	9.999	-9.999

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