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## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

### THYROGLOBULIN (Tg) IRMA KIT



#### RiaRSR™ Tg

**Description:** Immunoradiometric assay (IRMA) kit for the quantitative determination of thyroglobulin (Tg) in serum

**Disease application:** Thyroid cancer monitoring

**Test samples:** Sera are to be used but do not use lipaemic or haemolysed samples. Plasma should not be used in the assay.

**Sample volume:** 100 µL per tube

**Total assay time:** Approx. 19 hours

**Assay method:**

Calibs, controls, samples into tubes + <sup>125</sup> I - anti Tg 18 hrs incubation	3 x wash + aspirate	5 min drain + 2 min count
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**Sensitivity:** Functional sensitivity; 0.6 ng/mL

**Normal value:** In 420 thyroid autoantibody negative healthy blood donors (36% female) Tg levels ranged from 1.9 to 485 ng/mL (mean ± SD = 29 ± 41; median = 19.5).  
The lowest 10 sera were 1.9, 3.2, 3.4, 3.4, 3.6, 4.4, 4.7, 4.8, 5.1 and 5.2 ng/mL.  
The highest 10 sera were 99, 102, 113, 149, 186, 256, 268, 320, 378 and 485 ng/mL.

**Calibrator range:** 0.3 – 250 ng/mL CRM 457 (Community Bureau of Reference, Brussels)

**Lower detection limit:** 0.14 ng/mL (mean of Kit diluent for serum + 2SD; n = 20)

**Advantages:** Easy to use robust coated tube IRMA.

**Features:** Recovery test reagents provided as part of the kit

**Kit size:** 100 tubes

**Order code:** MDT/100

**Literature:** G Wunderlich et al, *Thyroid* 2001 **11**: 819-824  
A high-sensitivity enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay for serum thyroglobulin.

K Zöphel et al, *Thyroid* 2003 **13**: 861-865  
Serum Thyroglobulin measurements with a high sensitivity enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay: Is there a clinical benefit in patients with differentiated thyroid carcinoma?

R Görge et al, *European Journal of Endocrinology* 2005 **153**: 49-53  
Development and clinical impact of thyroglobulin antibodies in patients with differentiated thyroid carcinoma during the first 3 years after thyroidectomy.

This kit is intended for in-vitro use by professional persons only. The data quoted is for guidance only. Each laboratory should establish its own normal and pathological reference ranges for the assay and should include its own panel of control samples in the assay along with the controls provided as part of the kit.

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