B·R·A·H·M·S PCT sensitive KRYPTOR

Improving infection management

Thermo Scientific™ B·R·A·H·M·S PCT™ sensitive KRYPTOR™ is a homogeneous immunoassay for the quantitative determination of PCT (Procalcitonin) in human serum or plasma on the automated Thermo Scientific B·R·A·H·M·S KRYPTOR random access analyser



Assay characteristics	
Test principle	Homogeneous immunoassay (sandwich principle) using TRACE™ technology (Time resolved amplified cryptate emission)
Sample matrix	Serum, plasma (heparin, EDTA)
Sample volume	50 μL
Incubation time	19 min
Range with automatic dilution	0.02-5000 μg/L
Functional assay sensitivity	0.06 μg/L
Kit stability on board	29 days
Calibrator	1 point
Calibration stability	15 days

Test procedure

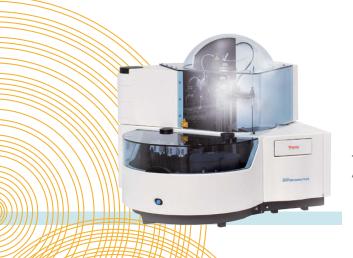
The steps of the assay are as follows: dispense the conjugates and the sample into the wells and periodically measure the signal emitted. Should a sample present a concentration higher than that of the direct reading zone, it is detected in the first few seconds of incubation and will be diluted and assayed automatically.

- 50 μL of serum/plasma are automatically pipetted into the test tube
- Incubation for 19 min with continuous measurement
- In the case of high expected values, automatic dilution after a few minutes
- Automatic calculation of result by the system

Reproducibility

Concentration PCT [µg/L]	Intra-assay CV (%)	Inter-assay CV* (%)
0.1-0.3	≤15	≤15
>0.3	≤5	≤6

^{*} Inter-assay CV: between calibrations, same calibrator and kit lot, same machine



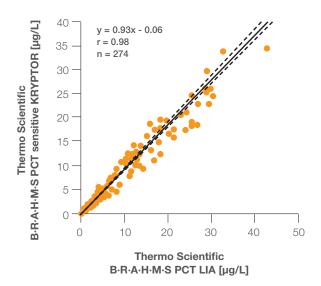
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Correlation

Correlation to reference assay Thermo Scientific B·R·A·H·M·S PCT LIA



Products

Article number	Description
825.050	Thermo Scientific B-R-A-H-M-S PCT sensitive KRYPTOR for 50 determinations • MCRYPTATE CONJUGATE (1 vial): freeze-dry (anti-calcitonin sheep polyclonal antibody conjugated with europium cryptate, buffer, bovine albumin, non-immunized mice immunoglobulins, potassium fluoride) • XL665 CONJUGATE (1 vial): freeze-dry (anti-katacalcin monoclonal antibody conjugated with XL665, buffer, bovine albumin, non-immunized mice immunoglobulins, potassium fluoride) • DILUENT (1 vial): ready-to-use (human serum, Kathon, EDTA)
	Additionally required materials
82591 82592	Calibrator: B·R·A·H·M·S PCT sensitive KRYPTOR CAL Control: B·R·A·H·M·S PCT sensitive KRYPTOR QC
	Required equipment See Instruction for Use

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