IGF-I (Total and Free)

Enzyme-Linked Immunoassay Kits



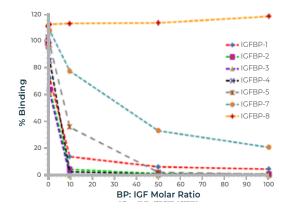
Introduction: Insulin-like growth factor I (IGF-I, a.k.a. somatomedin C) is a 7.6 kDa, 70 amino acid residue peptide, which mediates the actions of growth hormone (GH). In vivo, IGF-I is secreted by the liver and several other tissues and is postulated to have mitogenic and metabolic actions at or near the sites of synthesis; i.e. paracrine effects. IGF-I also appears in the peripheral circulation where it circulates primarily in a high molecular weight tertiary complex with IGF-binding protein-3 (IGFBP-3) and acid-labile subunit (ALS). A smaller proportion of IGF-I circulates in association with other IGF- binding proteins.

Recently, there has been research interest in the measurement of serum/plasma "unbound" IGF-I which, theoretically, is the biologically active fraction. Unbound IGF-I has also been observed in saliva. It is likely that the measured unbound IGF-I fraction is a combination of the true unbound and the fraction of IGF-I that can be readily dissociated from IGFBP's under the specific assay conditions. Previous methods such as size-exclusion chromatography and filtration have been used to estimate the unbound IGF-I fraction, however they have the theoretical disadvantage of altering the sample matrix and the equilibrium between IGF-I and IGFBP's. An assay that allows detection of unbound and total IGF-I using common calibrators is needed in the field. This will allow one to directly measure the ratio of total IGF-I to dissociable fraction of IGF-I in an individual subject.

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Accurate

Various concentrations of IGFBPs were spiked into IGF-I and incubated for 30 minutes to allow for the IGF-I/IGFBP complex to form.



Specific

The monoclonal antibody pair used in the each assay detects Total and Free IGF-I respectively. No significant cross-reactivity seen at the concentrations listed in the table.

| Sample Name | % Cross-reactivity |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| IGFBP-2 | ND |
| IGFBP-3 | 0.04 |
| IGFBP-3/IGF-I Complex | 0.42 |
| IGFBP-4 | ND |
| IGEBP-5 | ND |
| Rat IGF-I | 3.16 |
| IGF-II | ND |



Direct Detection Methods

Eliminates potential altering of sample matrix from size-exclusion chromatography or filtration methods.

Analytical measurable range of 0.67-43 ng/mL Wide dynamic range reduces repeat testing of samples.

Sensitive to 0.025 ng/mL

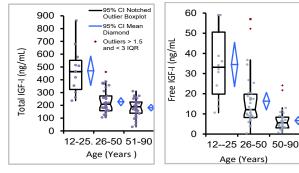
Kit includes all reagents needed to run a 96-well plate, shipped at ambient temperatures and stored at 2-8°C

No need to buy or make additional reagents.

Long shelf-life

24 months from the date of manufacture; minimizing assay lot changes for long term studies.

Expected Values



IGF-I (Total and Free)

Product Listing

GF-I is a useful research tool in any IGF system related studies:

Growth Hormone Deficiency

Aging and Longevity Studies

Hyperinsulinemic Hypoglycemia

- Diabetes
- Oncology
- Nutrition studies
- Inflammatory disease
- Growth Hormone Status

ELISA 96 Wells

GF-I(Total)

| Method | Quantitative 1-step sandwich type immunoassay | |
|---------------------------|---|--|
| Incubation Time | Total 1 hour incubation at room temperature | |
| Approximate Dynamic Range | 6 points, 0.9-50 ng/mL | |
| Sensitivity | 0.025 ng/mL | |
| Sample Size / Type | 20 μL / Serum, Plasma | |
| Shelf-life | 24 months | |
| Catalog Number | AL-121 [FDA,CE] | |
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IGF-I(Free)

| Method | Quantitative 1-step sandwich type immunoassay |
|---------------------------|---|
| Incubation Time | Total 1 hour incubation at room temperature |
| Approximate Dynamic Range | 6 points, 0.67-43 ng/mL |
| Sensitivity | 0.025 ng/mL |
| Sample Size / Type | 50 μL / Serum |
| Shelf-life | 24 months |
| Catalog Number | AL-122 |

Related Assays

| PAPP-A2 | 96-Well ELISA | AL-109 |
|----------------|---------------|--------|
| IGF-II | 96-Well ELISA | AL-131 |
| IGFBP-3 Intact | 96-Well ELISA | AL-149 |
| IGFBP-3 Total | 96-Well ELISA | AL-120 |
| IGFBP-4 Intact | 96-Well ELISA | AL-128 |
| IGFBP-4 Total | 96-Well ELISA | AL-126 |
| IGFBP-5 | 96-Well ELISA | AL-127 |
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Reproductive Function

Activin A [CE] Activin B Activin AB AFP AMH [CE] AMH, Dried Blood Spot [CE] AMH (PCOCheck[™]) [CE] picoAMH (MenoCheck®) [FDA, CE] BMP-15 Estriol [FDA, CE] Follistatin Follistatin Like-3 FSH FSH, Dried Blood Spot GDF-9 GDF-9/BMP-15 Complex GDF-15, Total GDF-15, H-Specific Inhibin, Total Inhibin A [FDA, CE] picolnhibin A Inhibin A (OMOCheck[™]) Inhibin B [CE] Inhibin B, Ultra-Sensitive [CE] LH LH, Dried Blood Spot PAPP-A [CE] PAPP-A2 [CE] picoPAPP-A [CE] PLGF [CE] Prolactin [FDA, CE] Prolactin, Dried Blood Spot [CE]

Specialty Controls

AnshCheck AMH Tri-Level Controls [FDA, CE]

- AnshCheck Inhibin B Tri-Level Controls
- AnshCheck Maternal Screening Bi-Level Controls [FDA, CE]

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GIP, Total Glicentin

GIP, Intact

Metabolism

C-Peptide of Insulin

GLP-1 GLP-2 Glucagon [FDA, CE] Major Proglucagon Fragment Oxyntomodulin

Growth Factors

Proglucagon

IGF-I, Free IGF-I, Total [FDA, CE] IGF-II IGFBP-2 IGFBP-3, Intact IGFBP-3, Total IGFBP-4, Intact IGFBP-4, Total IGFBP-5 picolL-6 Stanniocalcin 2

Species Specific Assays

Activin B: Mouse, Rat

- AMH: Bovine, Canine, Equine, Feline, Mouse, Ovine, Porcine, Primate, Rat
- GDF-15: Bovine
- IGF-I, Free: Mouse, Rat
- IGF-I, Total: Mouse, Rat

IGFBP-4, Intact : Mouse, Rat IGFBP-4, Total: Mouse, Rat

Inhibin A: Canine, Equine, Rodent

Inhibin B: Canine, Equine, Mouse

Oxyntomodulin: Mouse, Rat PAPP-A: Mouse

Neuronal Disorders