

**Intended Use**

This reagent is intended for in vitro Quantitative determination of Gamma GT in serum.

- Szasz methodology
- Linear upto 232 U/L
- Working reagent can be prepared as per requirements

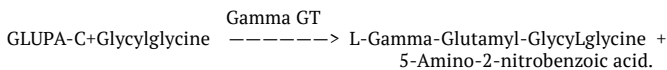
**Clinical Significance**

GGT activity is elevated in all forms of liver diseases. It is highest in cases of intrahepatic or post hepatic biliary obstruction. (It may be 5 to 30 times higher than normal). It is more sensitive than alkaline phosphatase NTP leucine amino peptidase and transaminases in detection of obstructive jaundice, cholangitis, cholecystis neoplasm, it rises earlier than other enzyme and persists longer.

Moderate increase is observed in infectious hepatitis (2 to 5 times). Increases may also be observed in cases of drug intoxication, acute and chronic pancreatitis.

**Principle**

Kinetic determination of Gamma GT according to the following reaction.



GLUPA-C: L-Gamma -Glutamyl-3 Carboxy-p-nitroanilide

**Kit Components**

Reagent/Component	Product Code: 11416001	Product Code: 11416005	Description
Gamma GT R1	2x8 mL	2x24 mL	Tris buffer pH (8.25) -133 mmol/L Glycylglycine -138 mmol/L
Gamma GT R2	2x2 mL	2x6 mL	GLUPA-C - 23 mmol/L

**Risk & safety**

Material Safety data sheets (MSDS) will be provided on request.

**Reagent Preparation**

Mix 4 volume of Reagent 1 (R1) with 1 volume of reagent 2 (R2). This working reagent is stable for 21 days at 2-8°C.

Note: Discard the working reagent if the blank absorbance exceeds 1.0 at 405 nm.

**Reagent Storage and Stability**

The sealed reagents are stable up to the expiry date stated on the label, when stored at 2- 8°C and protected from light.

**Open Vial Stability**

Once opened, the reagent is stable up to 4 weeks at 2-8°C. if contamination is avoided.

**On-board Calibration Stability**

On-board Calibration stability is 20 days

**Reagent Deterioration**

Turbidity or precipitation in any kit component indicates deterioration and the component must be discarded. Values outside the recommended acceptable range for the Agappe Qualichek Norm & Path control may also be an indication of reagent instability and associated results are invalid. Sample should be retested using fresh vial of reagent.

**Precaution**

To avoid contamination, use clean laboratory wares. Use clean, dry disposable pipette tips for dispensing. Close reagent bottles immediately after use.

Avoid direct exposure of reagent to light. Do not blow into the reagent bottles.

This reagent is only for IVD use and follow the normal precautions required for handling all laboratory reagents

**Waste Management**

Reagents must be disposed off in accordance with local regulations.

**Sample**

Fresh Serum (free of haemolysis).

**Interferences**

No interference for

Bilirubin up to	20 mg/dL
Ascorbic acid up to	10 mg/dL
Triglycerides up to	700 mg/dL

**Materials Provided**

GGT Reagent R1 & R2.

**Materials required but not provided**

- Pipettes & Tips
- Test Tubes & racks
- Timer
- Incubator
- Analyzer

**Test Parameter**

Mode of Reaction	Kinetic
Slope of reaction	Increasing
Wavelength	405 nm
Temperature	37°C
Factor	1158
Linearity	232 U/L
Blank	DI Water
Delay	60 sec
No of readings	3
Interval	60 sec
Sample volume	100 µL
Reagent volume	1000 µL
Cuvette	1 cm light path

Application parameters for various instrument are available. Please contact customer support department for specific information.

**Unit Conversion**

Traditional Unit	SI Unit	Conversion from Traditional to SI
U/L	µ Kat/L	x 0.017

**Calibration**

Agappe multi calibrator is recommended for calibration of this assay on fully auto analyzers.

Use provided factor (1158) for estimation of Gamma GT on semi auto analyzers.

**Procedure notes**

Laboratory procedure for Semi Auto Analyzer	
Working reagent	1000 µL
Sample	100 µL
Mix and incubate for 1 minute at 37°C. Read the change in absorbance per minute ( Δ OD/min) during 3 minutes.	

**Calculation**

Gamma GT activity (U/L) = (Δ OD/min) x 1158

**Quality control**

It is recommended to use Agappe Qualichek Norm & Path ( 11601001) to verify the performance of the assay. Each laboratory has to establish its own internal quality control scheme and procedure for corrective action, if control do not recover within the acceptable range.

**Reference Range**

It is recommended that each laboratory should establish its own reference values.

**SYMBOLS USED ON THE LABELS**

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The following value may be used as guide line.

Female : 5 - 32 U/L

Male : 10 - 45 U/L

Results obtained for patient samples are to be correlated with clinical findings of patient for interpretation and diagnosis.

#### Performance

##### 1. Linearity

This reagent is linear up to 232 U/L.

If the concentration is greater than linearity (232 U/L) dilute the sample with normal saline and repeat the assay. Multiply the result with dilution factor.

##### 2. Comparison

A comparison study has been performed between Agappe Reagent and another internationally available reagent yielded a correlation coefficient of  $r^2=0.9936$  and a regression equation of  $y = 1.0128x$ .

##### 3. Precision

Intra Run		
	Control Level 1	Control Level 2
n	20	20
Mean (U/L)	51.7	129.7
SD	0.50	1.57
CV(%)	0.97	1.21

Inter Run		
	Control Level 1	Control Level 2
n	20	20
Mean (U/L)	51.25	128.62
SD	1.25	2.73
CV(%)	2.43	2.13

Accuracy ( U/L)		
Control	Expected Value	Measured Value
Control Level 1	44.8 ± 8.2	47
Control Level 2	135 ± 29	140
Qualichek Norm	45.20 ± 7.10	43
Qualichek Path	220 ± 40	219.4

#### 4.Sensitivity

Lower detection Limit is 1.5 U/L.

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