



Procalcitonin (PCT) control (DAG-WT2589)

This product is for research use only and is not intended for diagnostic use.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Conjugate	Unconjugated
Applications	Immunoassays
Format	Liquid or Lyophilized
Concentration	≥60ng/mL
Size	0.5 mL, 1.0 mL
Buffer	Synthetic serum
Storage	Store at -20°C

BACKGROUND

Introduction	Procalcitonin (PCT) is a peptide precursor of the hormone calcitonin, the latter being involved with calcium homeostasis. It was first identified by Leonard J. Deftos and Bernard A. Roos in the 1970s. It is composed of 116 amino acids and is produced by parafollicular cells (C cells) of the thyroid and by the neuroendocrine cells of the lung and the intestine.
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