

Lactate dehydrogenase estimation in serum

Method:

	Tube
Sample (serum)	10 μ l
BUF (buffer/substrate)	1000 μ l
Mix and incubate at 37°C for 1-5 minutes	
SUB (substrate)	250 μ l
Mix, read the absorbance after 1 minute and at the same time start the stop watch. Read the absorbance again exactly after 1, 2 and 3 minutes	

Results:

	Time (min)	Absorbance at 340 nm
A ₁	1	
A ₂	2	
A ₃	3	
A ₄	4	

Calculations:

- $\Delta A_1 = A_1 - A_2 =$ _____
- $\Delta A_2 = A_2 - A_3 =$ _____
- $\Delta A_3 = A_3 - A_4 =$ _____

- $\Delta A/\text{min} = (\Delta A_1 + \Delta A_2 + \Delta A_3) / 3$

- $\text{LDH(U/L)} = \Delta A \times 20000 =$ _____

Normal Values 225 to 450 U/L Adults