Gamma Glutamyltransaminase (γ-GT)

Gamma glutamyltransaminasewas performed on a Hitachi Model 737 multichannel analyzer (Roche Diagnostics, Indianapolis, IN)

In this rate method, L- γ -glutamyl-3-carboxy-4-nitroanilide is used as a substrate and glycylglycine as an acceptor. The rate at which 5-amino-2-nitrobenzoate is liberated is proportional to γ -GT activity and is measured by an increase in absorbance.

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