

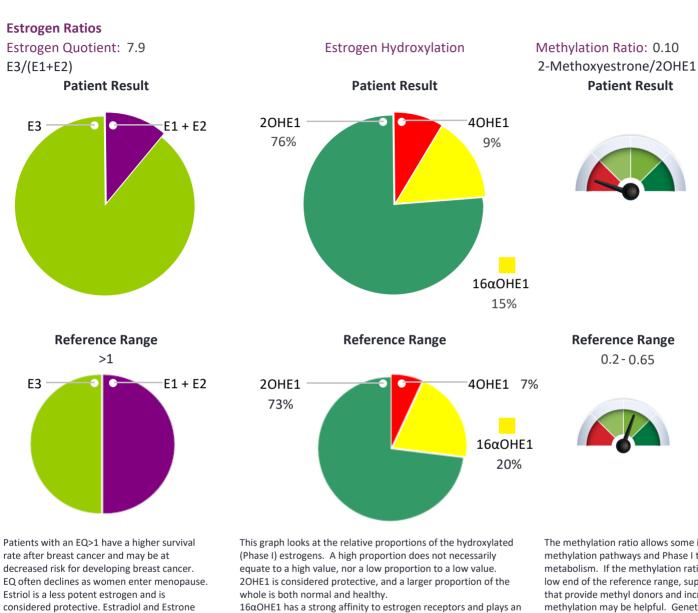
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Estrogen Ratios

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have potentially carcinogenic metabolites. A

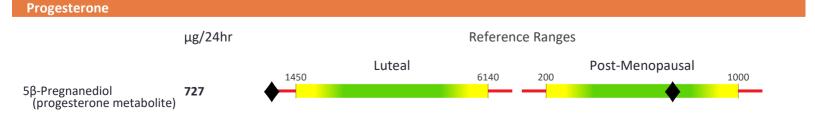
healthy balance is desirable.



 $16\alpha \text{OHE1}$ has a strong affinity to estrogen receptors and plays an important role in maintaining bone density. Neither very high nor very low values are desirable. As a proportion of hydroxylated estrogens, up to about 20% is normal.

4OHE1 is a highly carcinogenic metabolite, and low values are desirable. As a proportion of hydroxylated estrogens, 7% or less is normal.

The methylation ratio allows some insight into methylation pathways and Phase I to Phase II metabolism. If the methylation ratio is on the low end of the reference range, supplements that provide methyl donors and increase methylation may be helpful. Genetic testing can give additional information about methylation pathways that may allow for more targeted supplementation.



11-Dehydrotetrahydrocorticosterone (THA) 63

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Androgens	μg/24hr		Refere	nce Range
DHEA	69 L		100	2000
Androsterone	1194		500	3200
			500	5000
Etiocholanolone	1644		5	35
Testosterone	3.0 L		÷	
5α-Androstanediol	26.9		5	45
5β-Androstanediol	64.3			220
Glucocorticoids				
	μg/24hr			nce Range
Pregnanetriol	330			1500
Cortisone (E)	158		31	209
Cortisol (F)	107		30	170
Tetrahydrocortisone (THE)	2596		1700	4200
Allo-Tetrahydrocortisol (5α-THF)	582		400	2100
Tetrahydrocortisol (THF)	1727		900	2600
			398	1471
11β-Hydroxyandrosterone	878		153	827
11β-Hydroxyetiocholanolone	520		_	
Mineralcorticoids			-	-
	μg/24hr			nce Range
Aldosterone	9.5		3	21.8
Allo-Tetrahydrocorticosterone (5α-	THB) 156			600
Tetrahydrocorticosterone (THB)	119		30	240
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Enzyme Activity Phenotype A	ssessment				
5α-Reductase				Reference Range	
Andro/Etio Ratio	0.73		0.4	•	1.3
5α-THF/THF Ratio	0.34	L	0.4		1

Elevated 5α -reductase activity is associated with Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome (PCOS) and hirsutism in women, Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia (BPH) and premature baldness in men, and obesity and insulin resistance in both genders. Low 5α -reductase activity may result in reduced conversion of testosterone to DHT and undervirilization in males.¹⁻⁴

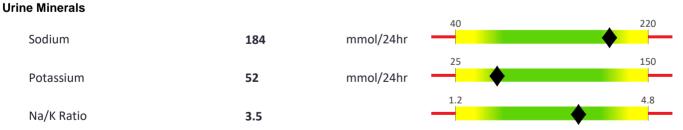
11β-HSD II (11β-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase II)

		0.5	0.9
Cortisol/Cortisone Ratio (116-HSD I	0.68		

11β-HSD II is predominantly a renal enzyme. It inactivates cortisol in order to prevent competitive binding to mineralocorticoid receptors. Its activity can be measured by the ratio of cortisol/cortisone. An elevated ratio (toward right on the graph) indicates suppressed enzyme activity, and may be clinically related to stress, hypertension, high dose licorice, cortisol administration, or insulin resistance.⁵

			Peptide Hormo	ones	
Thyroid				300	1100
Free T3	376		ng/24hr		
Free T4	411	L	ng/24hr	450	2000
Melatonin				8.3	39.7
Melatonin	134.2	н	ng/24hr		→
6-Sulfatoxymelatonin	46.8	н	µg/24hr	9.1	57.3
Oxytocin	349		pmol/24hr	250	1300
*For research use only Growth Hormone	1130		pg/24hr	1065	4722

Other Analytes



Sodium has significant effects on blood pressure and cell to cell communication. High 24-hour urine sodium levels are commonly due to excessive dietary intake. Elevated sodium may contribute to high blood pressure and may be related to low aldosterone levels. Diuretic use and adrenal insufficiency may also contribute to high sodium levels. Low urine sodium may result from dietary restriction, GI loss (e.g., from vomiting, diarrhea), or hyperaldosteronism.¹⁻²

Potassium is important in the prevention of hypertension, in muscle contraction, and in cell to cell communication. High 24 -hour urine potassium levels are uncommon and are usually due to over-supplementation or diuretic use. Hyperaldosteronism is a less common cause. Low levels may indicate low vegetable intake, use of a potassium-sparing diuretic, poor GI absorption, or GI loss.³ A **24-hour urine sodium/potassium ratio** derived from sodium and potassium values falling midpoint to their reference ranges (i.e.: around 1.5) is considered a healthy balance between these two electrolytes. Comparison to sodium and potassium blood levels may provide additional clinical insight.

24-Hour ULTIMATE Hormone Profile Accession #: Test Code: 4100 F Sex: Patient Name: **Chronic Disease Risk Factors Metabolic Disease** 0.97 4.2 Kynurenic Acid 1.4 mg/24hr 0.31 1.34 Xanthurenic Acid 0.39 mg/24hr

Kynurenic Acid and **Xanthurenic Acid** are products of tryptophan metabolism that rise in relation to levels of stress and inflammation in the body. High urinary levels may be an early warning sign for vitamin B6 deficiency, metabolic syndrome (insulin resistance) or type II diabetes, which increase the risk of cardiovascular disease, dementia, and other chronic diseases.¹⁻² Protein-restricted diets or malabsorption may result in lower levels.

For Further Information and Interpretations

Clinicians are encouraged to schedule a free consultation with one our staff physicians. This service is available with every test. Consultations are usually available within 1-2 business days. Short technical questions can be usually be answered the same day. To schedule a consult, call **855.405.TEST(8378).**

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