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## PYRUVATE (PYRUVIC ACID), BLOOD

**Synonym(s):**

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<b>Lab Section Category</b>	<b>Clinical Biochemistry</b> Click here to find out more about the <b>write-up</b> ( <a href="/clinical-departments-centers/pathology/pathology-handbook/lab-discipline-special-instructions/pages/clinical-biochemistry.aspx">/clinical-departments-centers/pathology/pathology-handbook/lab-discipline-special-instructions/pages/clinical-biochemistry.aspx</a> ).
<b>Specimen Required</b>	3 mL sodium fluoride/potassium oxalate blood.  Do not centrifuge as whole blood is required.
<b>Storage and Transport</b>	Keep specimen cold with ice and send immediately.
<b>Method</b>	Enzymatic
<b>Reference Interval/Value</b>	From 0 day Fasting : 30 - 80 µmol/L  Random : 30 - 114 µmol/L
<b>Turnaround Time</b>	Mean = 3 days, Range: 2 – 4 days
<b>Day(s) Test Set up</b>	Monday - Friday

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