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Prostate Cancer ELISA kits

1. High sensitivity GDF-15 (NAG-1, (MIC-1) Cancer ELISA

Cat # NG 1: ELISA kit for measuring NAG-1 in biological samples

2. PSA Cancer ELISA

Cat # PSA1: ELISA kit for measuring PSA in biological samples

These sensitive sandwich ELISA kits are for determination of NAG-1 and PSA levels in prostate cancer plasma samples. Increased serum NAG-1 levels of prostate cancer patients are correlated with prostate cancer metastasis including bone metastasis^{1,2}. High NAG-1 levels may induce high PSA levels³ (see **Fig. 1**). Lowering serum NAG-1 levels is a newly found medical intervention target to fight prostate cancer metastasis³.

Each kit for triplicate analyses of up to 24 samples contains one 96 well plate, NAG-1 or PSA standards, biotinylated detection antibodies and strepavidin-conjugated horseradish peroxidase (HRP), and buffers for sample and antibody and HRP dilutions, and plate washing.



Fig. 1. NAG-1(A) and PSA (B) levels of control and prostate cancer plasma samples. Samples #21, #22 and #30 in prostate cancer shows high levels in both NAG-1 and PSA.

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