

TEST CHANGE

Protein C, Functional with Reflex to Protein C, Total Antigen

0030041, PROT CF R

Specimen Requirements:

Patient Preparation:

Collect: Lt. blue (sodium citrate). ~~Special~~Refer to Specimen Collection and Handling Hemostasis/Thrombosis Specimens guide located at <https://www.aruplab.com/Specimen-Handling/SpecialSpecimenCollection/Hemostasis-Thrombosis.pdf> for hemostasis/thrombosis specimen handling guidelines.

Specimen Preparation: Transfer 2 mL platelet-poor plasma to an ARUP standard transport tube. (Min: 1 mL)

Transport Temperature: CRITICAL FROZEN. Separate specimens must be submitted when multiple tests are ordered.

Unacceptable Conditions: Serum. EDTA plasma, clotted or hemolyzed specimens.

Remarks:

Stability: Ambient: 4 hours; Refrigerated: Unacceptable; Frozen ~~at -20 Degrees C: 3 months, at -70 Degrees C: 6 months~~

Methodology: Electromagnetic Mechanical Clot Detection ~~/~~ Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA)

Performed: Sun-Sat

Reported: 1-5 days

Note: If protein C functional is decreased, then Protein C, Total Antigen, will be added. Additional charges apply.

CPT Codes: 85303; if reflexed, add 85302

New York DOH Approval Status: This test is New York DOH approved.

Interpretive Data:

Refer to report.

Reference Interval:

By report

