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Theranos Clinical Studies

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Stanford AML Study

Study outline

- Goals:
 - Follow course of chemotherapy
 - 18 Acute myeloid leukemia (AML) subjects in hospital for chemotherapy
 - Many progress to sepsis due to inactivation of the immune system due to the therapy
 - Document changes in ten biomarkers selected to be responsive to pathological processes and response to therapy
 - Create a database of medical and clinical information
 - Initiate development of prognostic algorithms
 - Evaluate performance of Theranos system
 - Two-plex assay (CRP/Protein C)

Infection

- Chemotherapy causes loss of active immunity
- Patients have a “central line” and often become infected
 - Almost all patients become febrile
- Infection can lead to sepsis (bacteremia)
 - Frequently fatal
- Sepsis causes loss of control of coagulation
 - Patient can bleed to death
 - Or have disseminated intravascular coagulation (DIC)

Markers and indications

- Acute phase (cell death etc.)
 - CRP
- Inflammation
 - $\text{TNF}\alpha$, IL-1b, IL-6 β , IL-8
- Coagulation control (sepsis)
 - Protein-C
- Sepsis
 - Procalcitonin

Study design

- Each patient has 2-4 blood draws/day
- Samples managed by John Chadwick (UK Medical student)
- Theranos receives 2 mL blood per draw
- Blood and plasma assayed by Theranos system
 - Two instruments
 - Protein-C, CRP duplex assay
- Plasma assayed for all markers
 - Reference laboratories
- Clinical information collected
 - Patient status and therapy
 - All lab data + vital signs

Study status

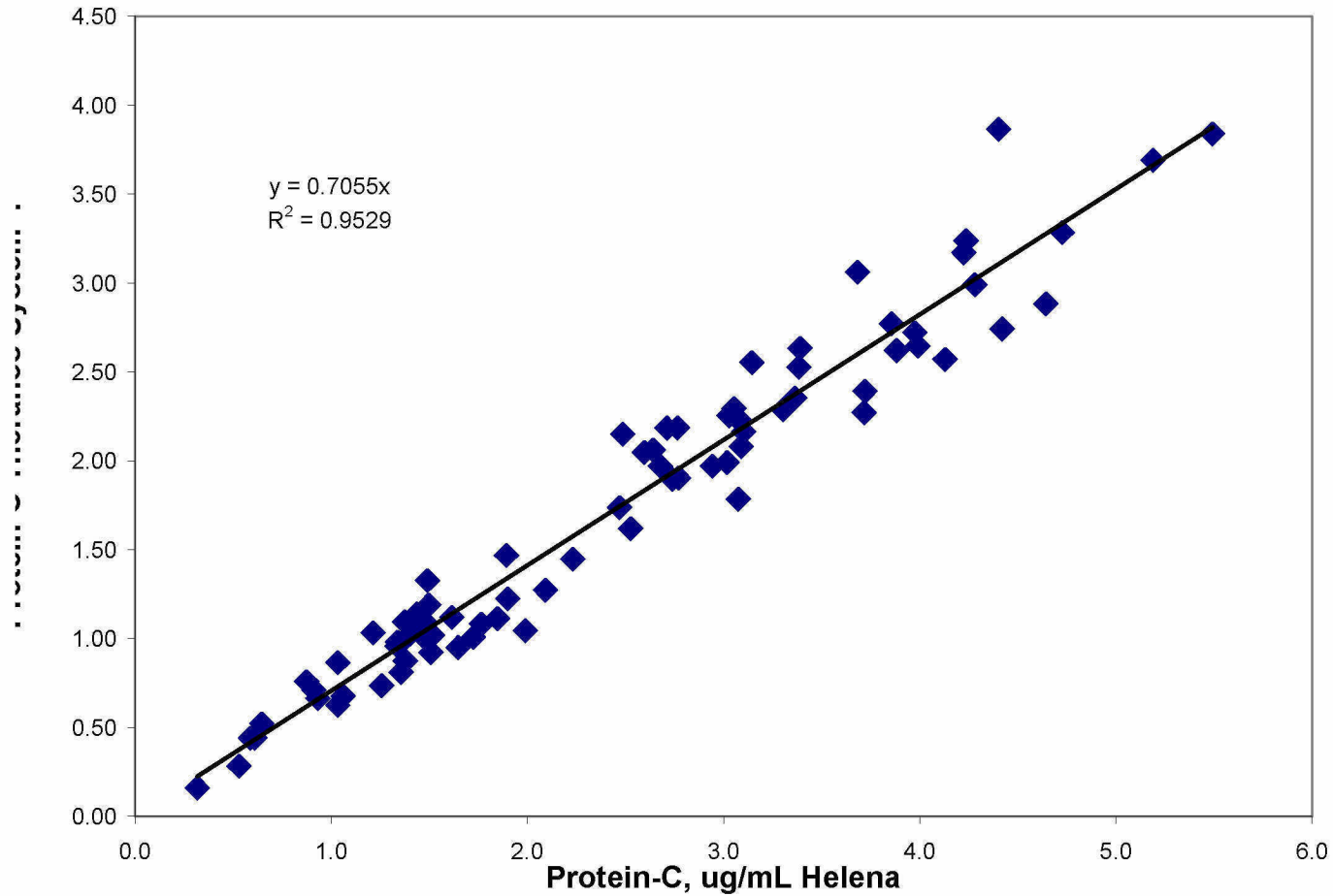
- 18 patients enrolled
- 874 blood draws
- Blood analyzed at Theranos
- Study about 2/3 complete

Marker levels

- Protein-C
 - Normal 4 – 6 ug/mL
 - < 2 ug/mL is life threatening
 - < 1 ug/mL generally leads to death
- CRP
 - Normal < 3 ug/mL
 - Can increase to > 300 ug/mL in severe sepsis and other acute processes

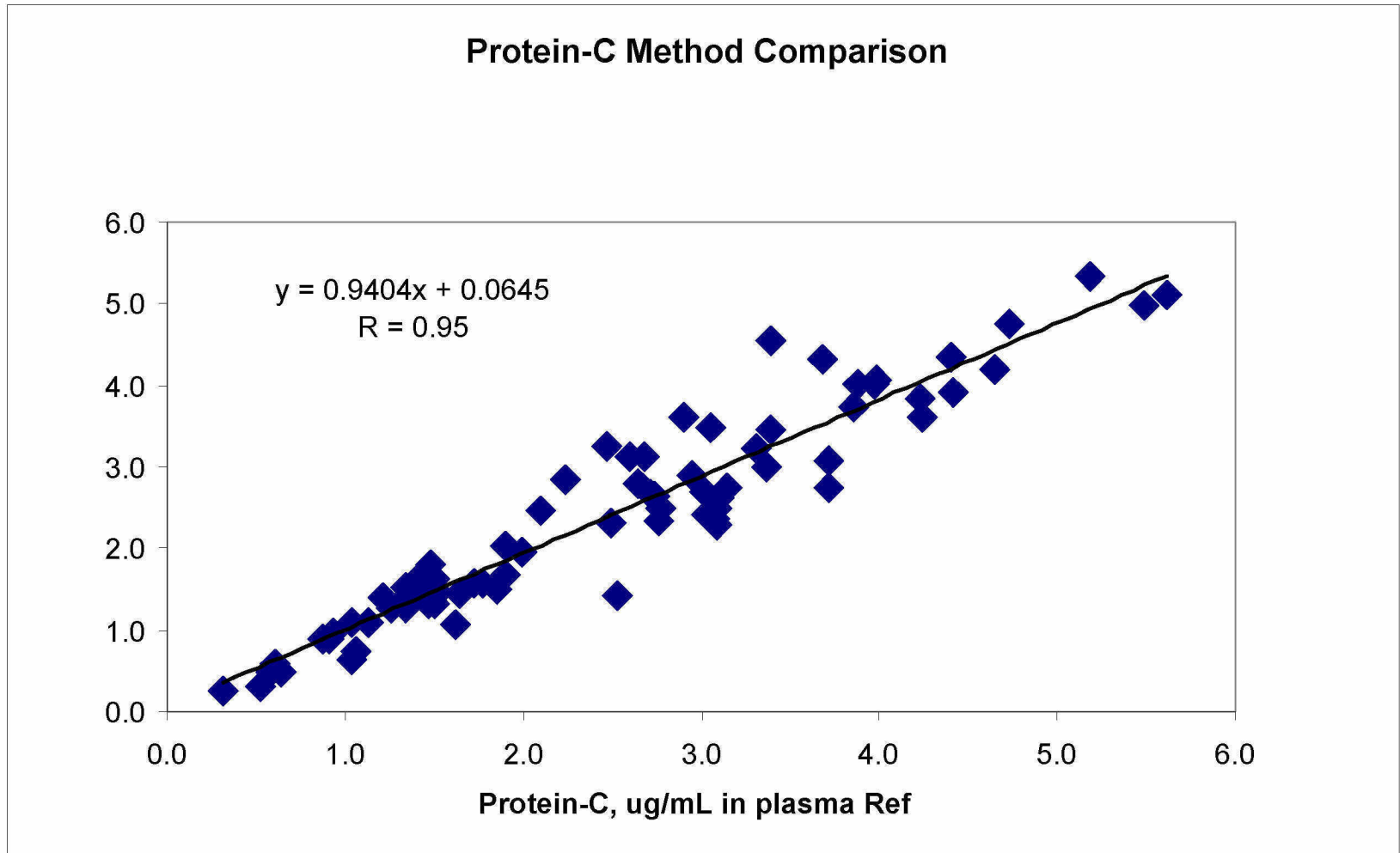
Assay accuracy

Protein-C Assay correlation, Plasma



AML/Sepsis Trial: Blood samples

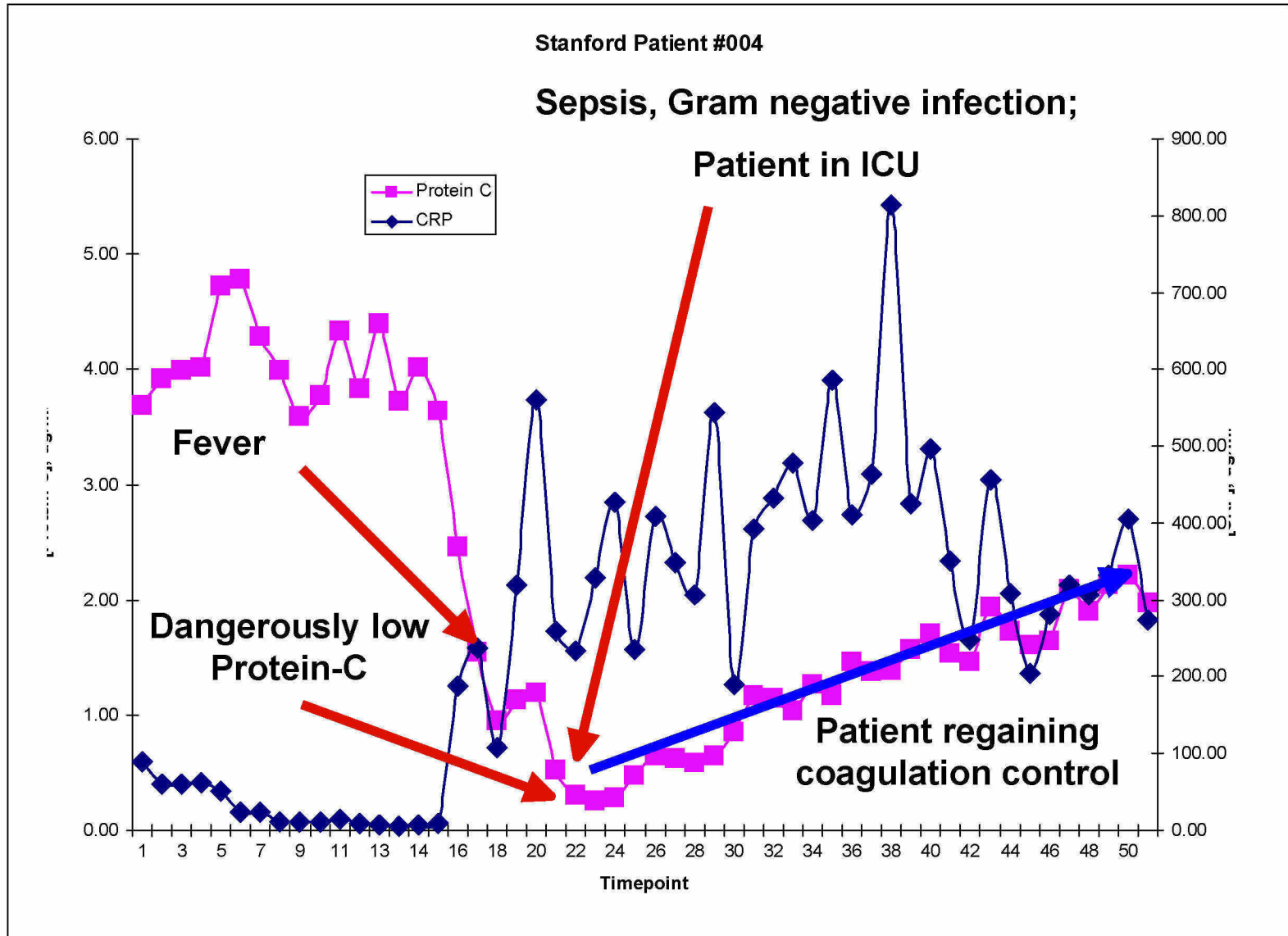
Assay accuracy versus reference



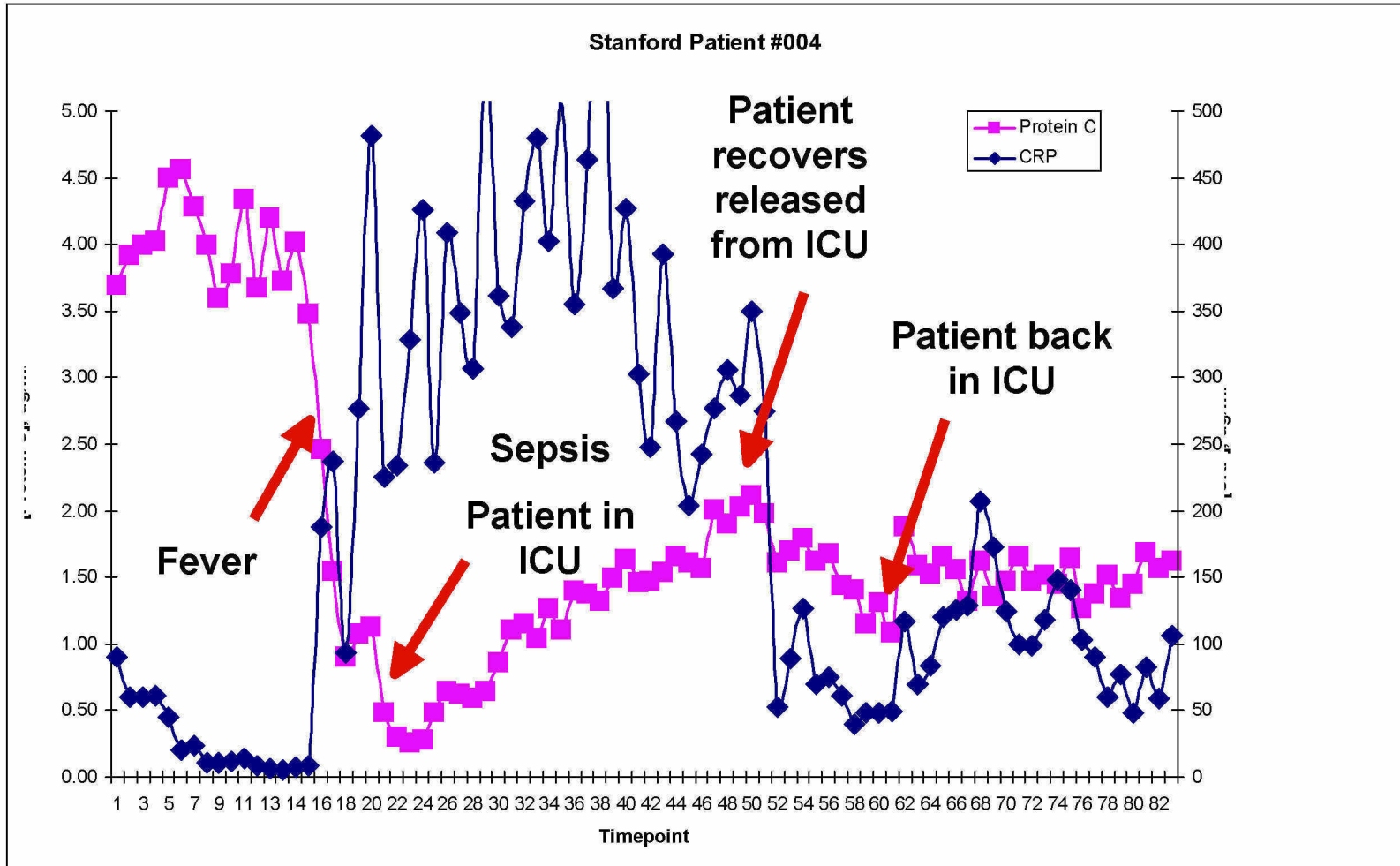
Patient 4

- 59 year man with newly diagnosed Precursor B cell ALL .
- Admitted with hypertension accompanying his disease.
- Given induction chemotherapy.
- Developed a severe infection and became septic after a biopsy of a throat lesion.
- Currently stable, in the ICU with some early signs of improvement.

Patient 4 (“Poster Patient”)



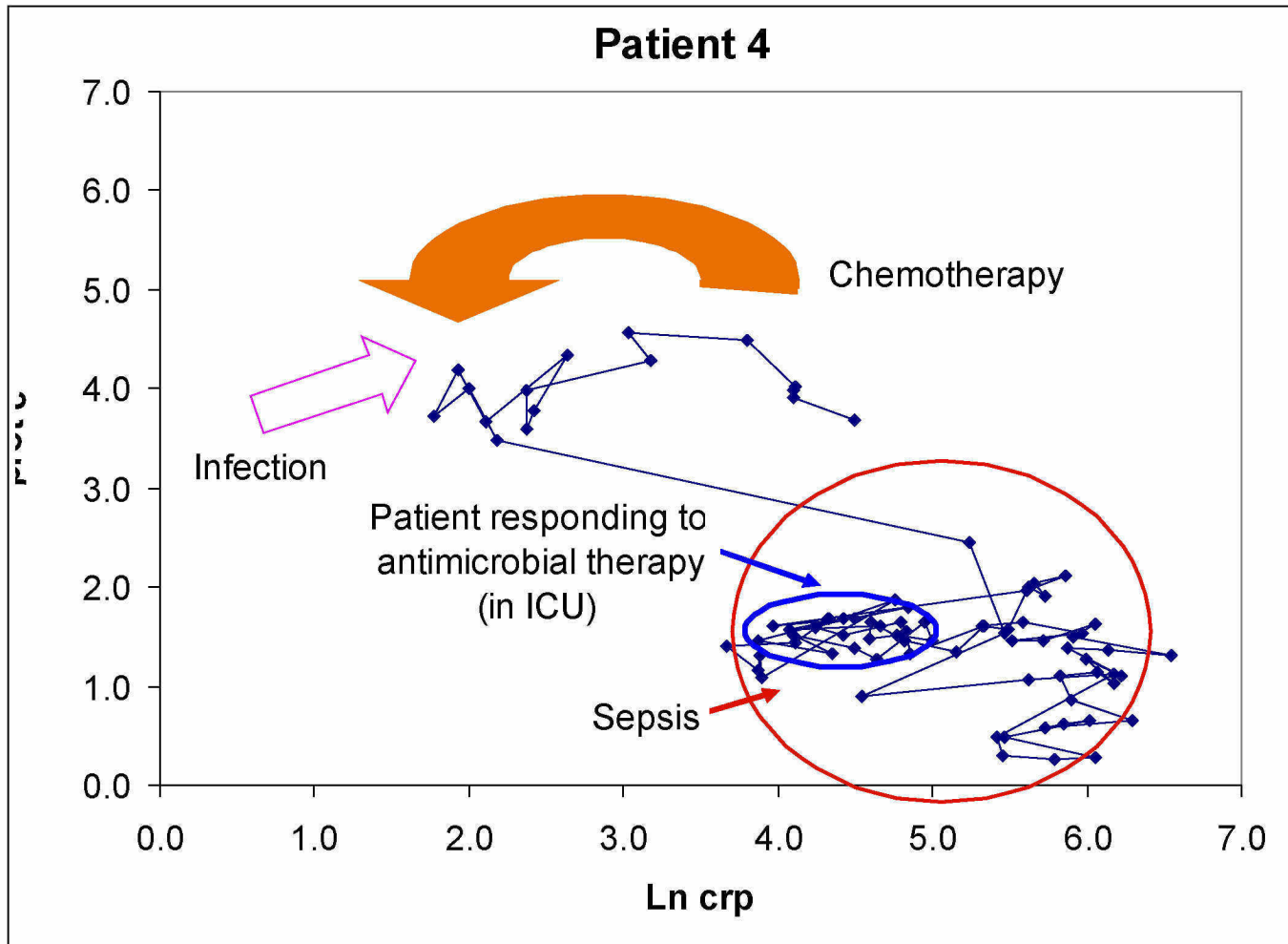
Patient 4: Relapse



Multiple assays following disease and therapy

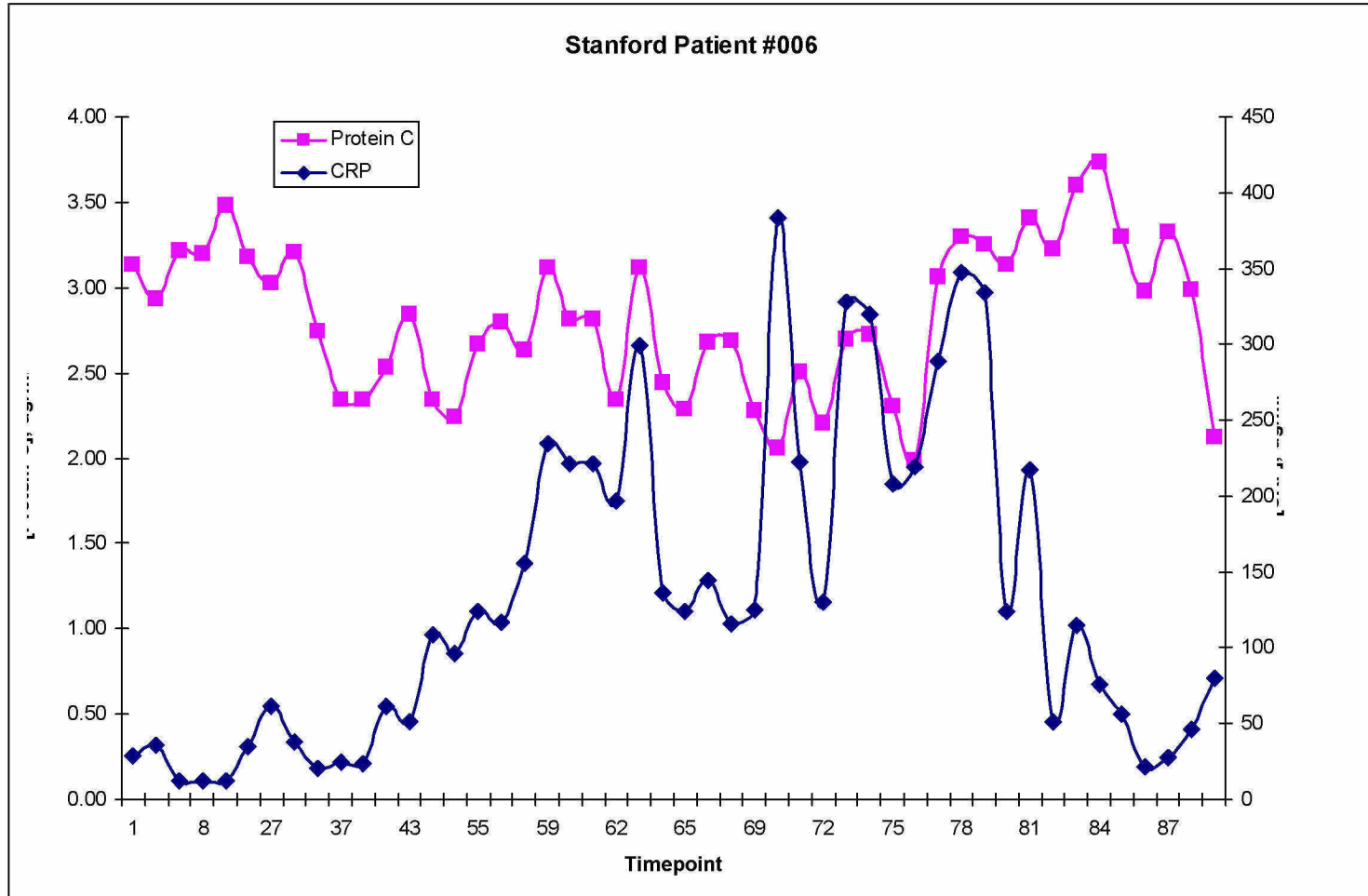
Trajectory to sepsis

Data connected by time



Patient 6

Febrile but no sepsis



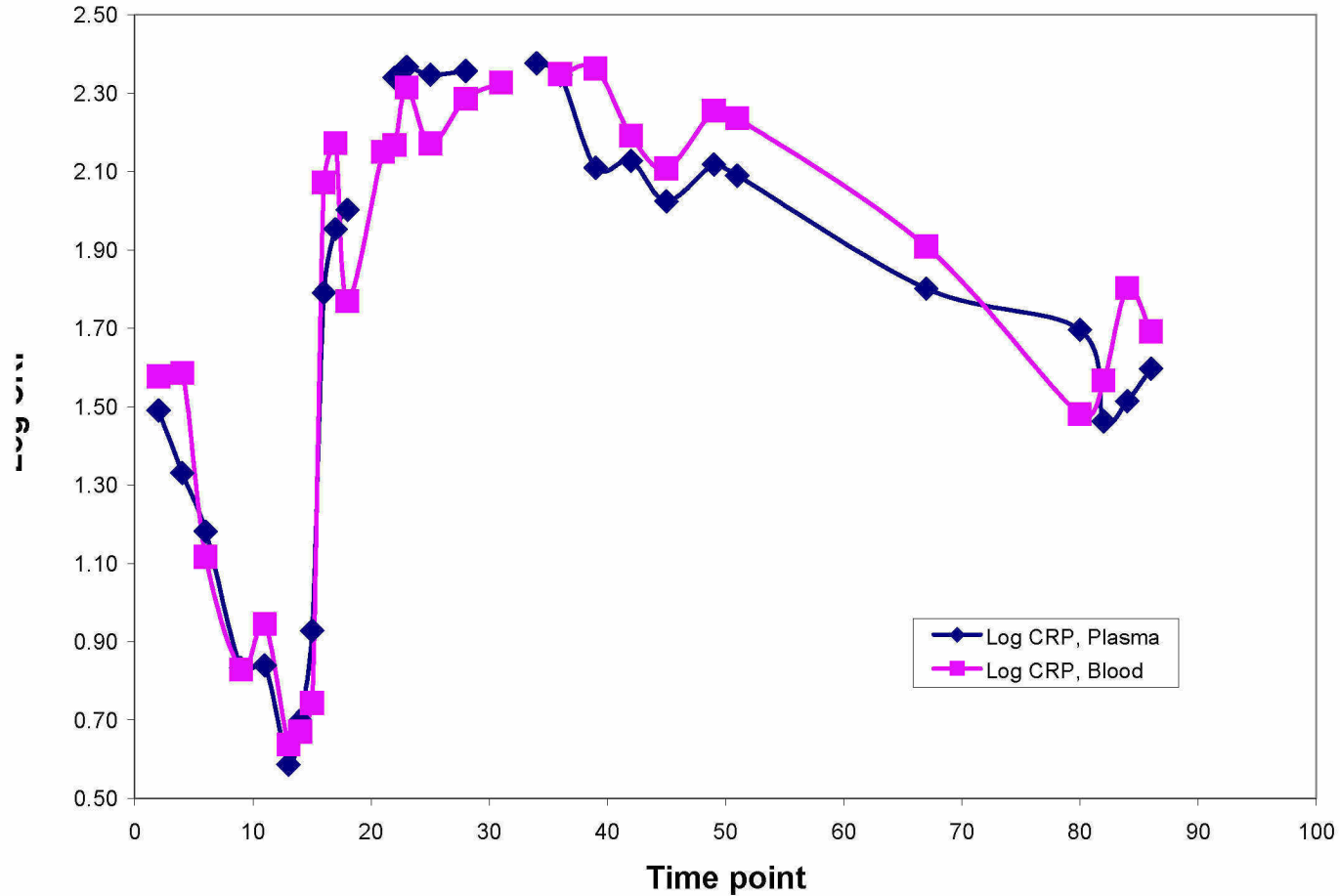
Generating statistical significance:

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- Number of analytes and possible outcomes mandate > 10 “evaluable” patients.
- Today we have less but we will be allowed to recruit subjects until we have 15.
- Analysis has begun with four evaluable subjects and two analytes.

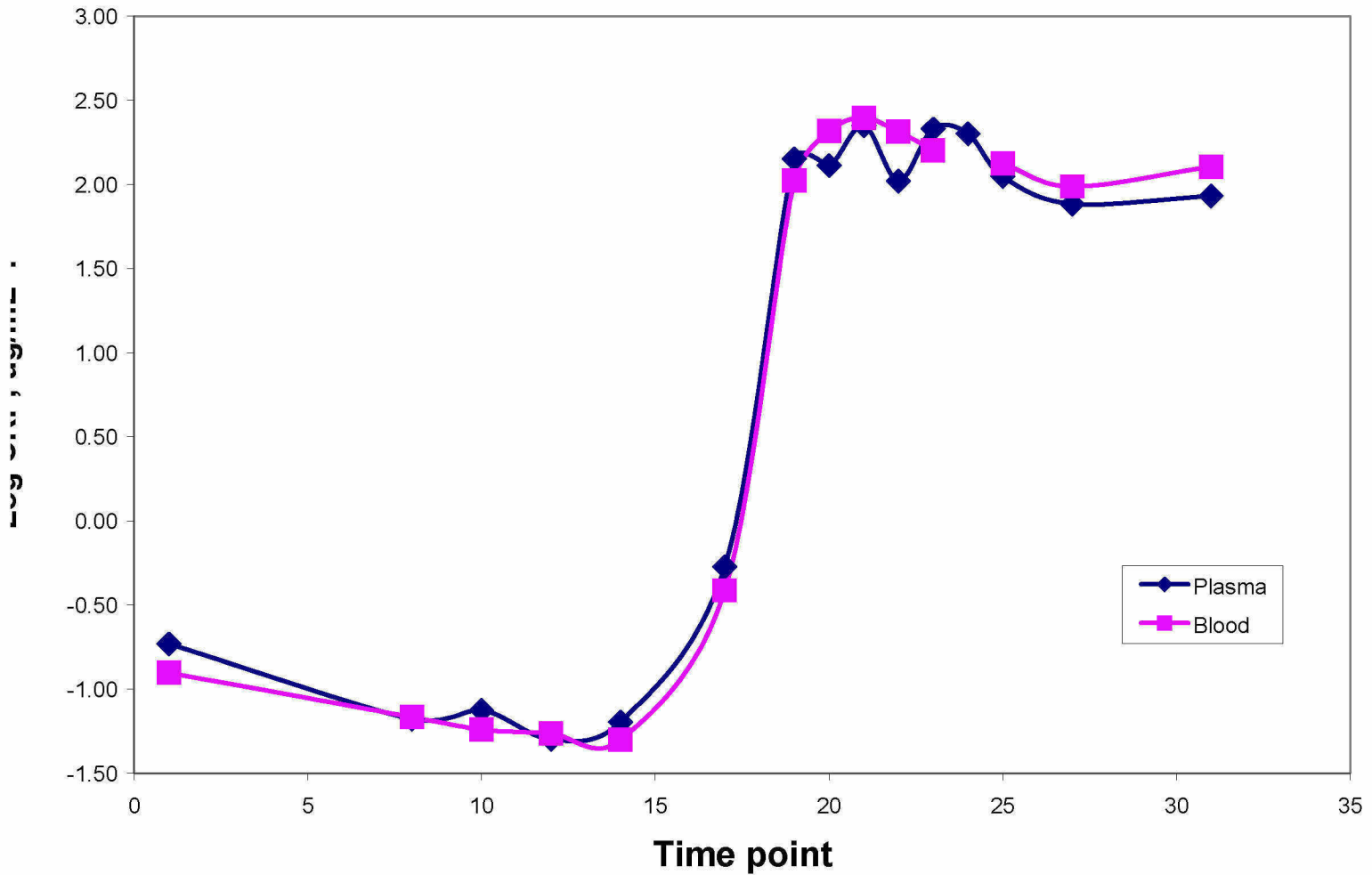
Results from blood and plasma track

Log value time course: CRP Patient 4



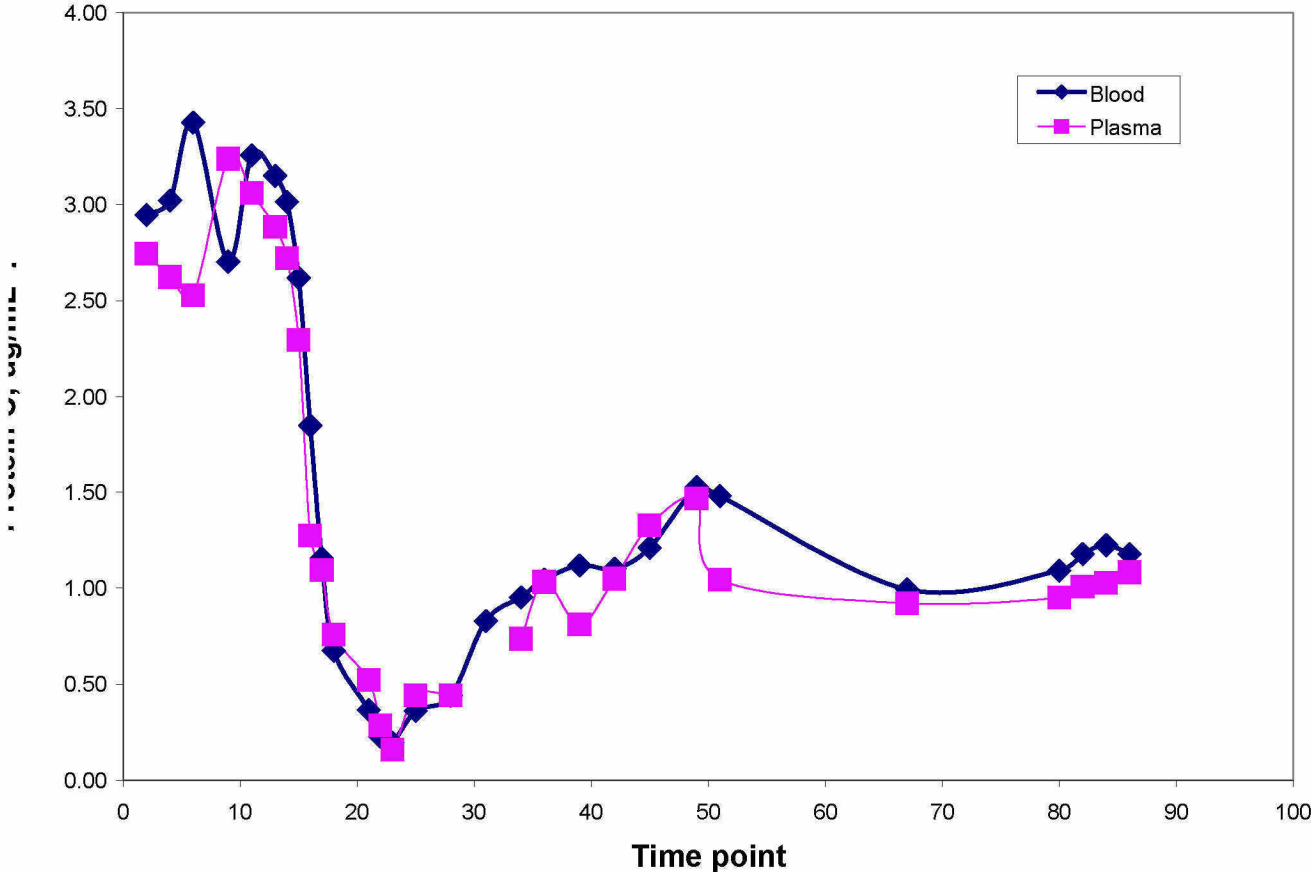
Patient 1: Plasma and blood

Patient 1

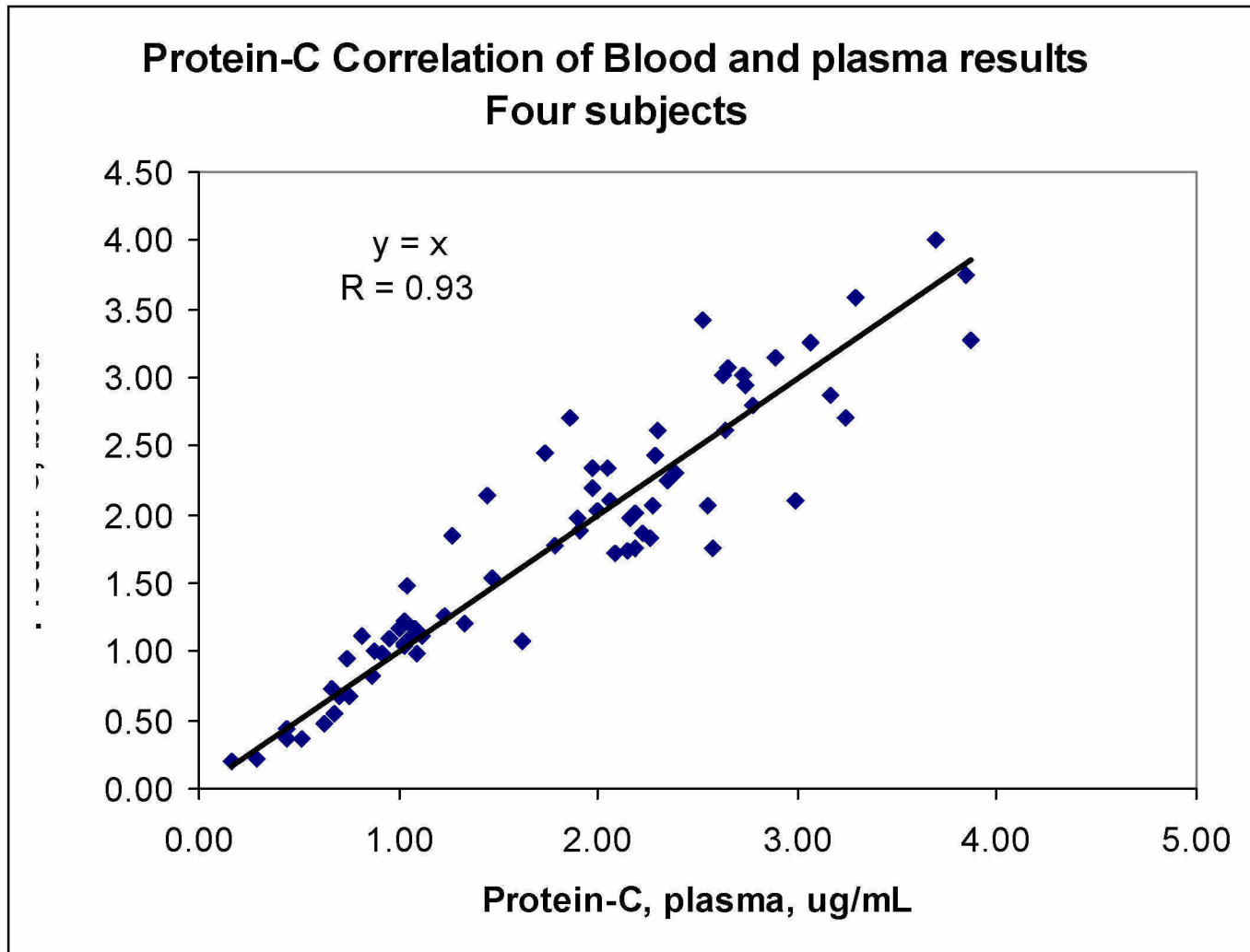


Blood versus plasma: Protein-C assay

Protein-C results: Patient 4 time course



Correlation of Protein-C results for blood and plasma

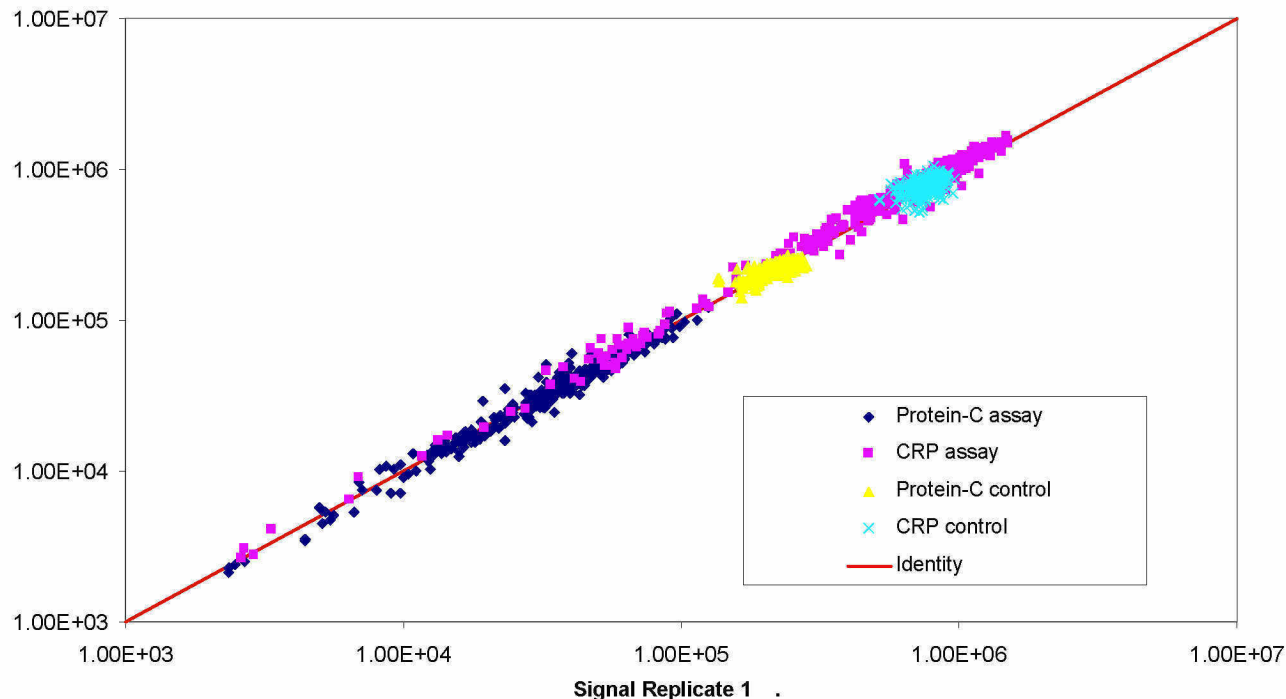


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Precision of replicate signal data Stanford Clinical study

Each assay uses two tips for the sample and two for a control
Replicate results improve reliability and show how precise the system is

Data gathered over one month with 360 cartridges show calibration is stable



AML/Sepsis Study Conclusions

- Very clear patterns of disease progression, remission and effects of therapies are apparent.
- Good correlations with outcomes are apparent
- The samples will provide an excellent database for prognostic algorithm development and clinical assay validation.
- Assay results have been precise
- Study is about two thirds complete

Biomarkers of metabolism

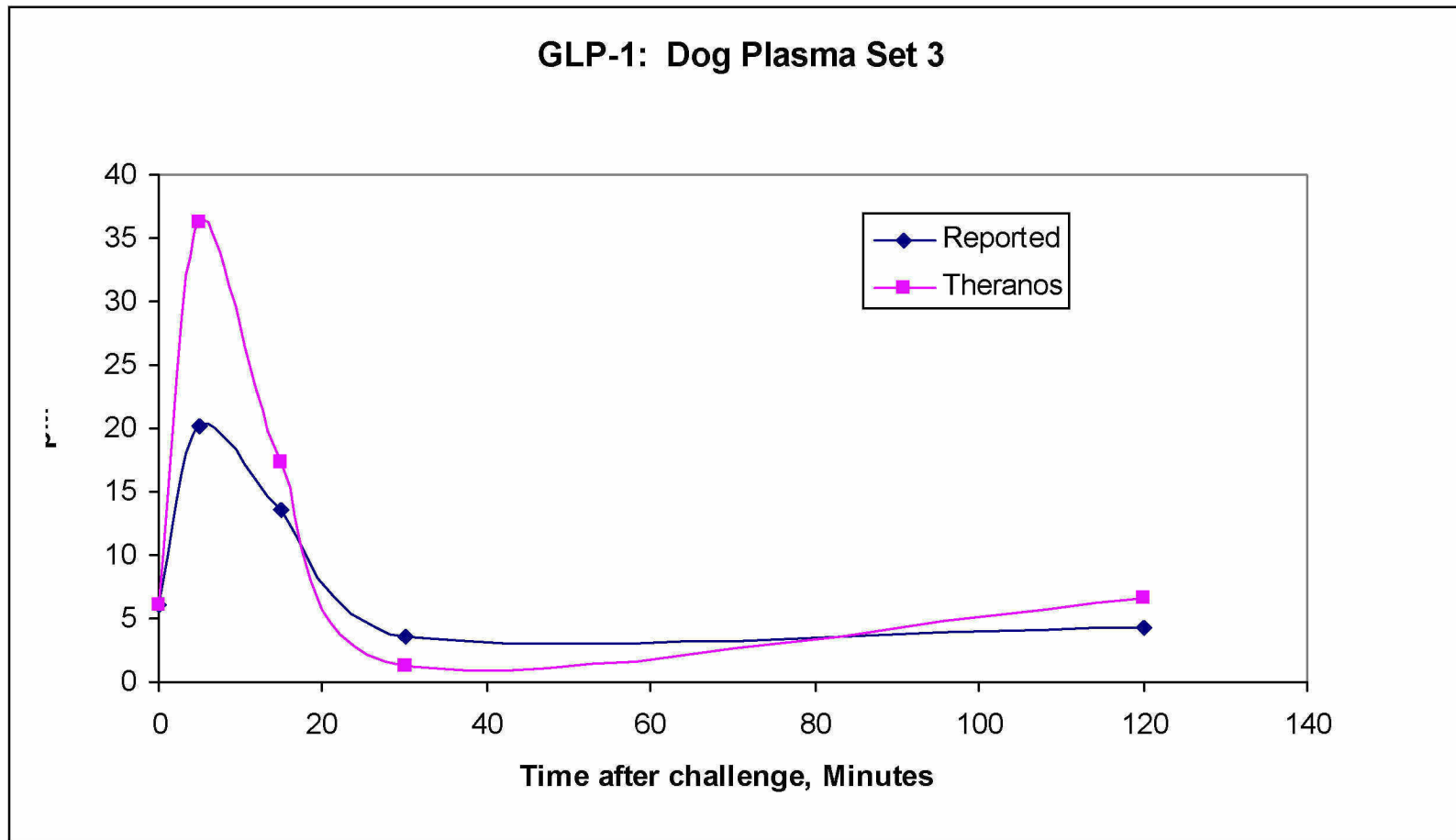
Diabetes therapy

Use of human and animal models
in phase 1 studies of drug therapy

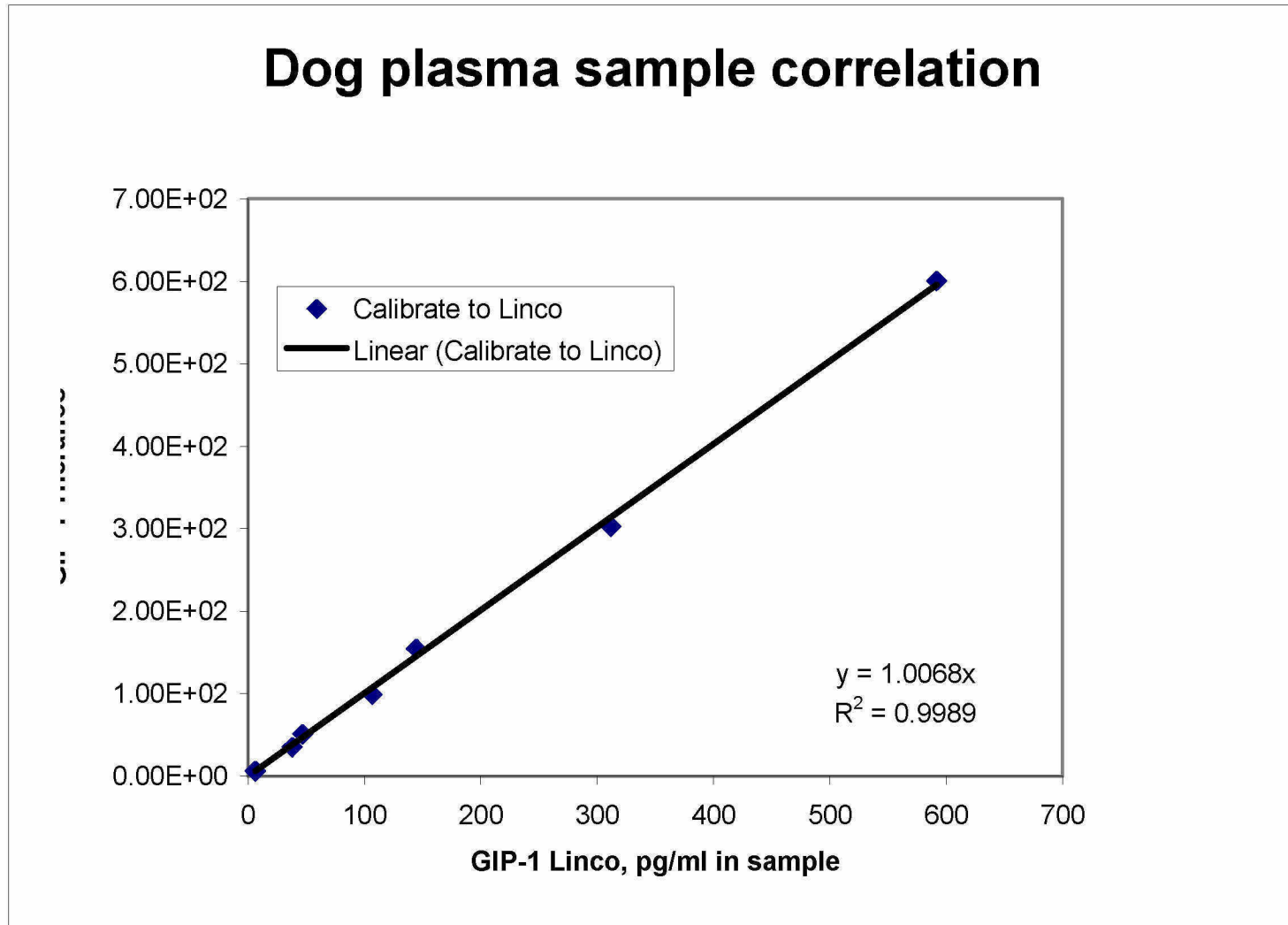
Animal Studies

- Model is Dogs
- Challenge with glucose
- +/- Drug
- Measure hormone level kinetics
 - GLP-1, C-peptide
 - Short time course
 - Very unstable analyte (GLP-1)
 - Samples are plasma
- Reference assays in ELISA kits
 - LOD 6 pM
 - Assays cannot be done in blood
- Theranos assays in instrumented system
 - LOD 1 pM
 - Assays can be done in blood

Study 2: Kinetics of Hormone Release



Correlation of results with predicate method



Conclusions

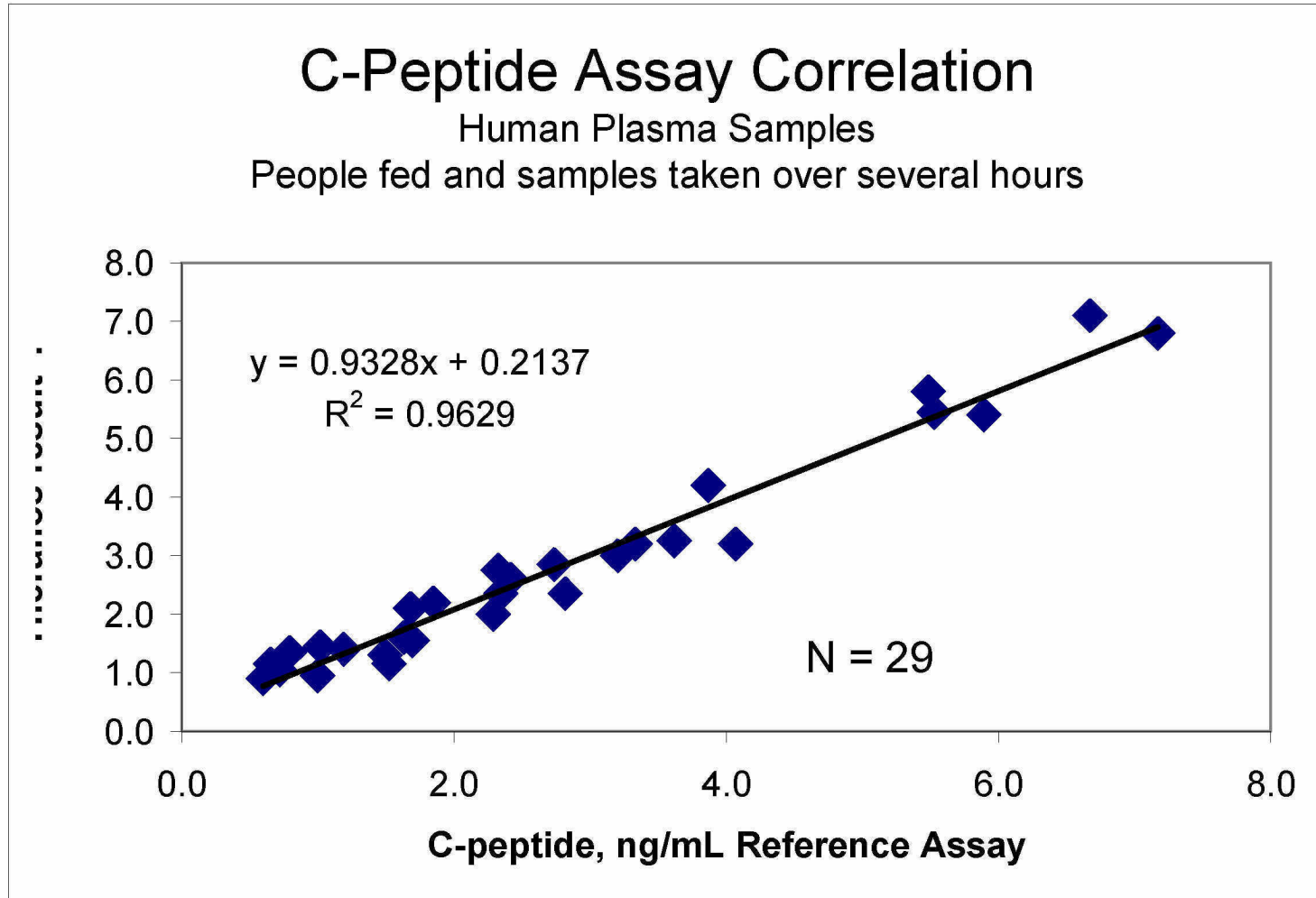
- We followed the time course of hormone (GLP-1) release and elimination in archived (frozen) plasma samples
- Results generally agreed with reference method.
- Method will work for:
 - Humans
 - Rodents
 - Dogs

Human studies

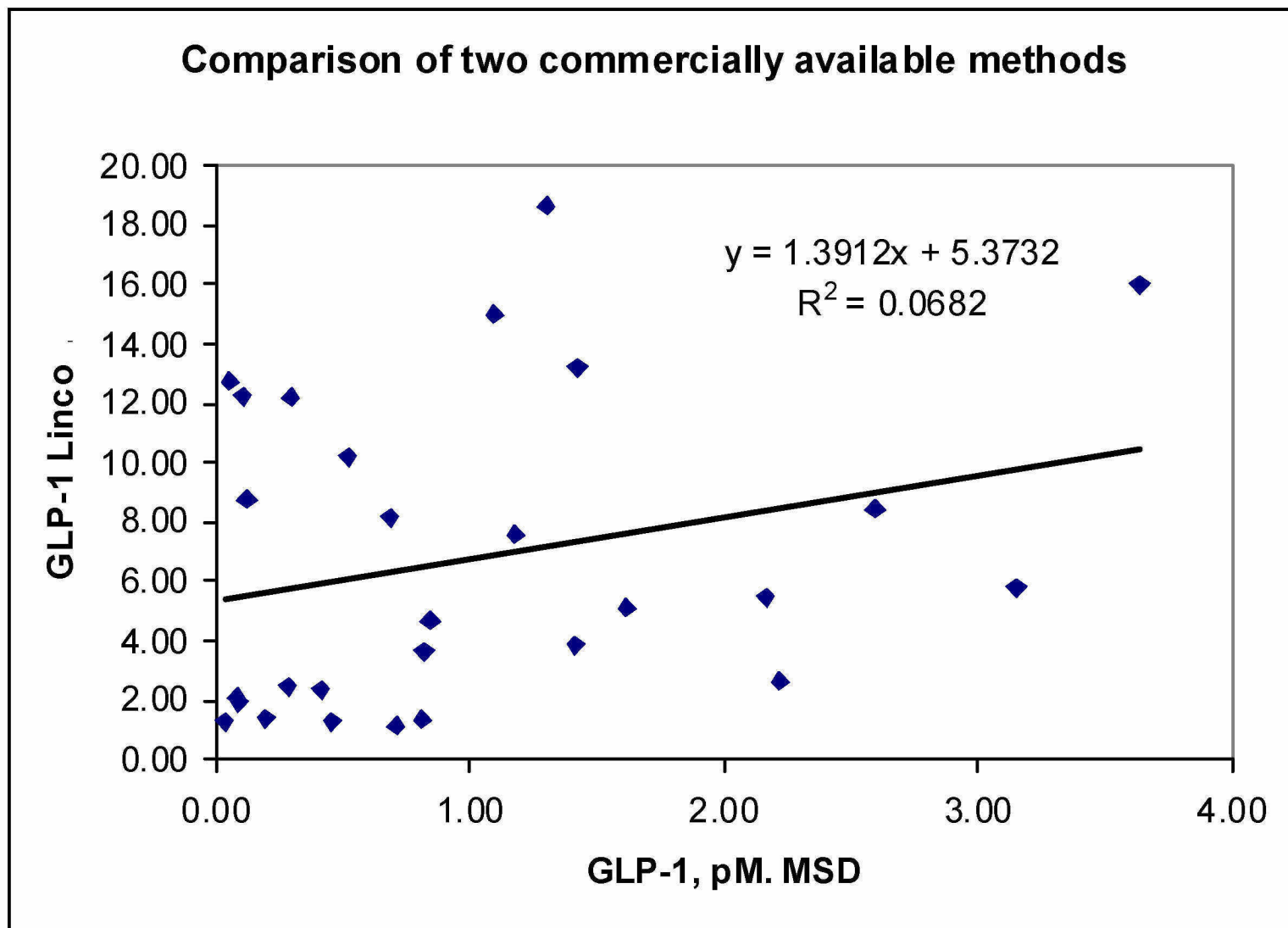
- Assays conducted at remote site
- Archived plasma samples
- Pre and post-food challenge
- Hormones GLP-1 and C-peptide measured
- Levels close to or below the limit of the reference method
- Multiple Theranos instruments

Data from external clinical studies (Drug companies)

C-Peptide Assay



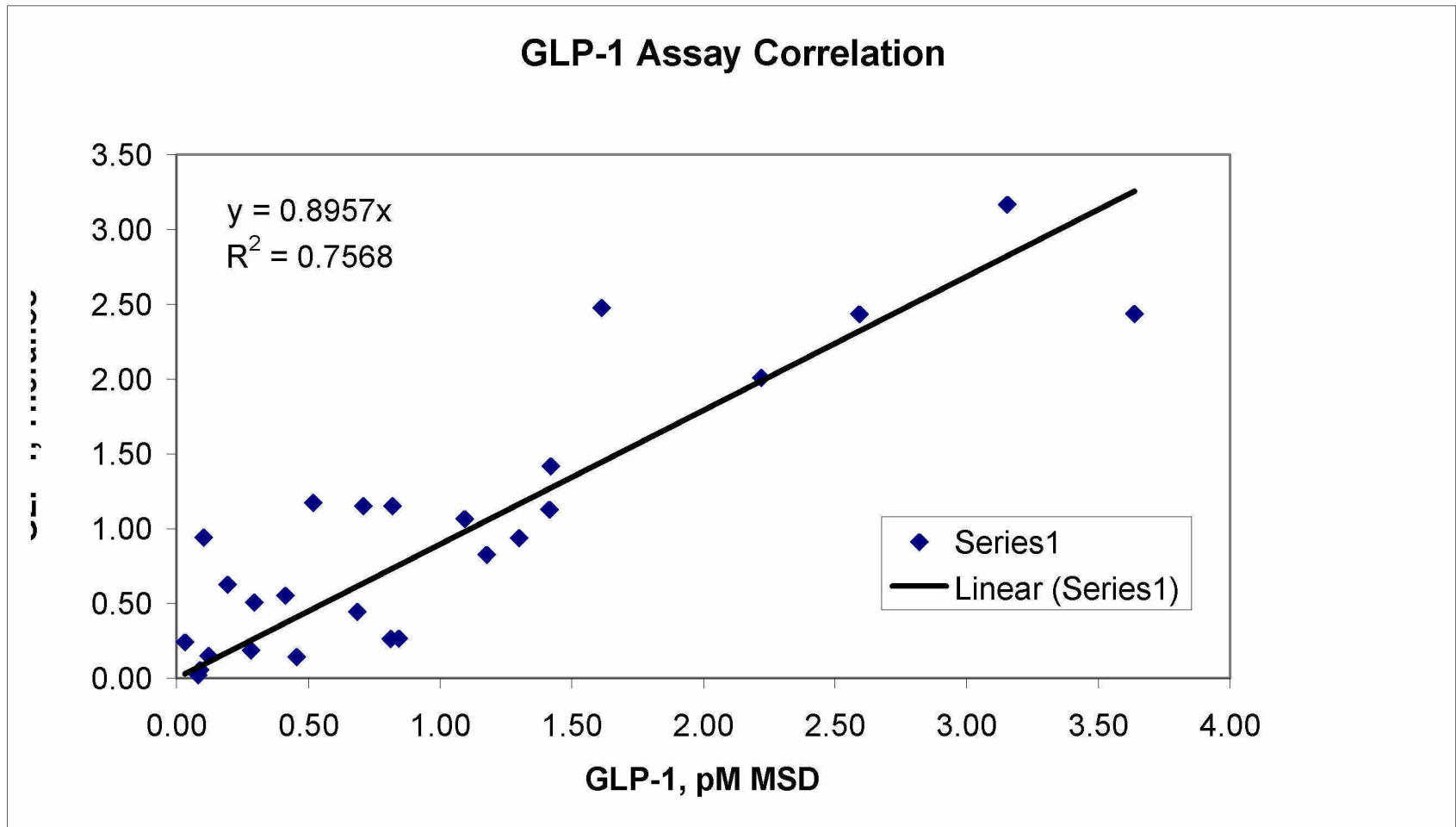
How well do other companies do with difficult assays like GLP-1?



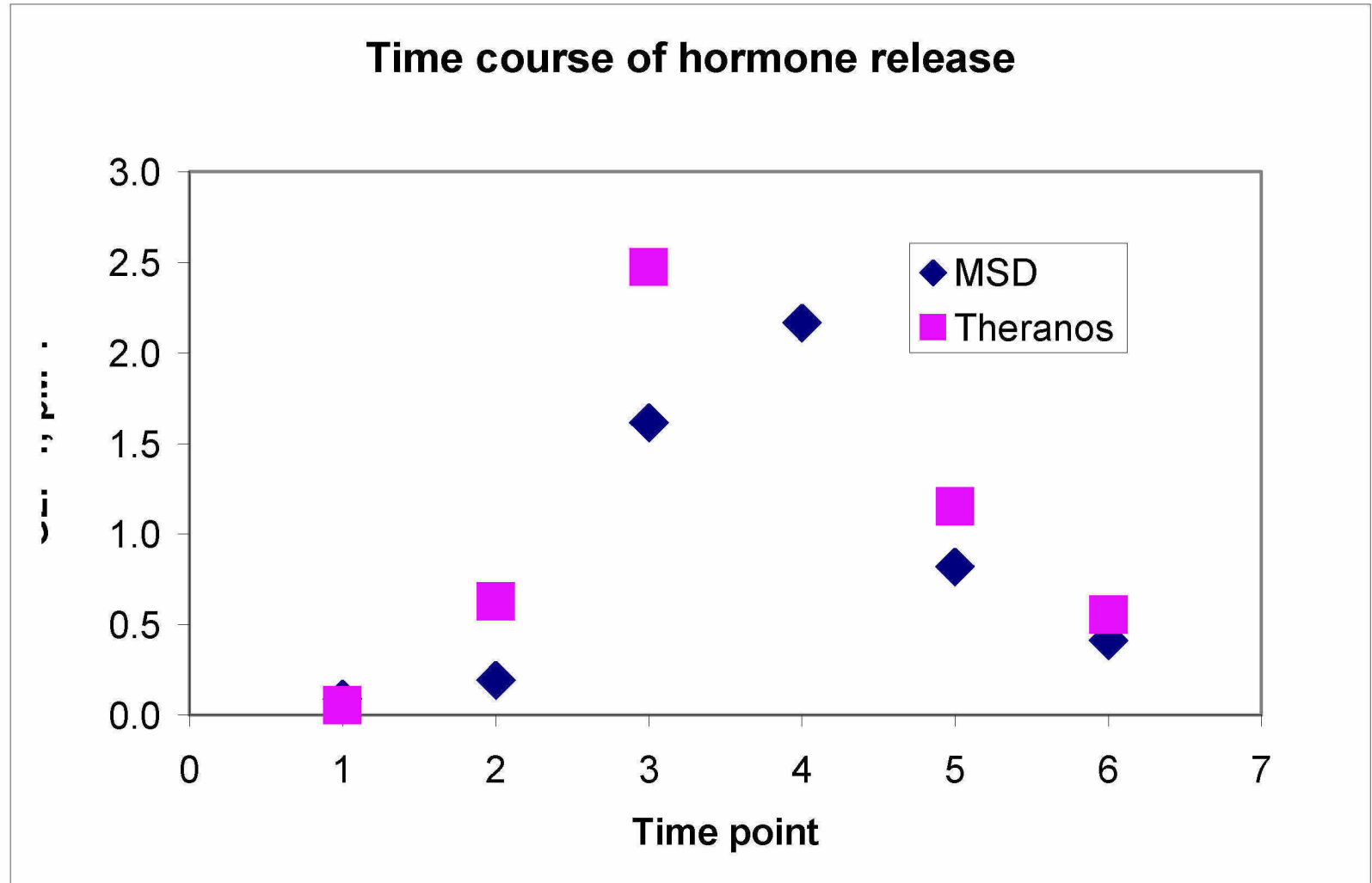
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GLP-1 Assay: Method Comparison

Human subjects metabolic challenge

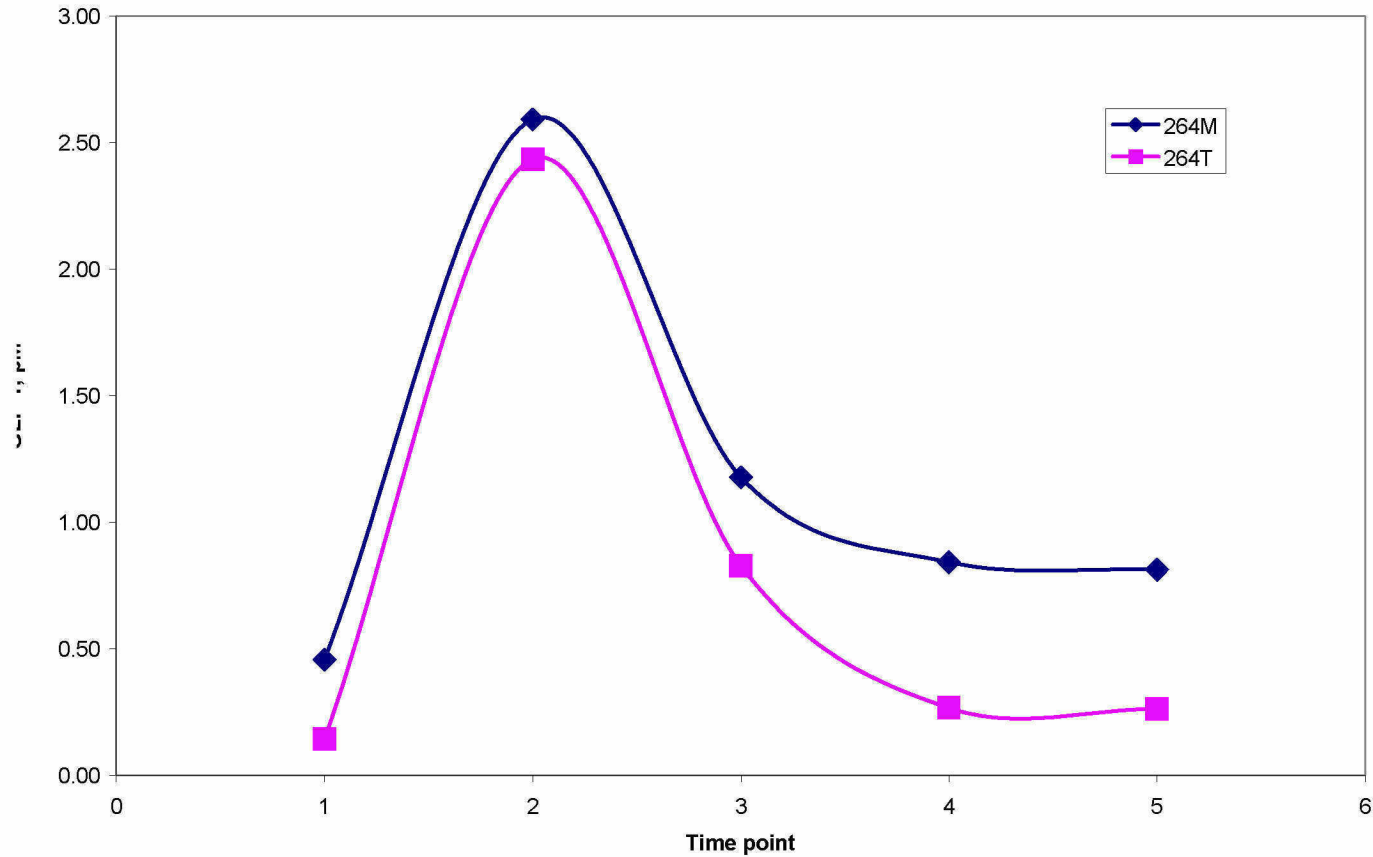


Human Pre-clinical Trial



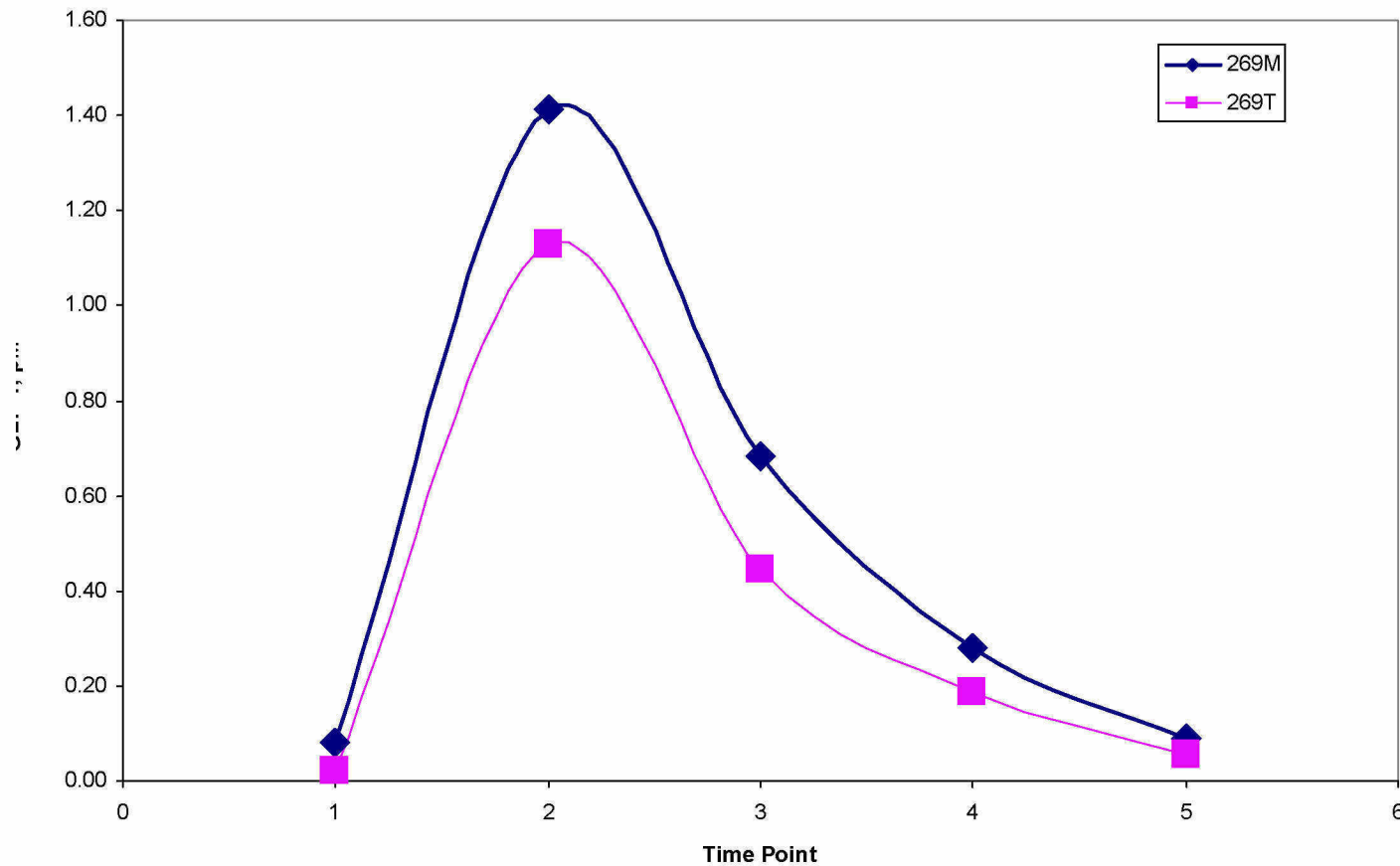
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Subject 264



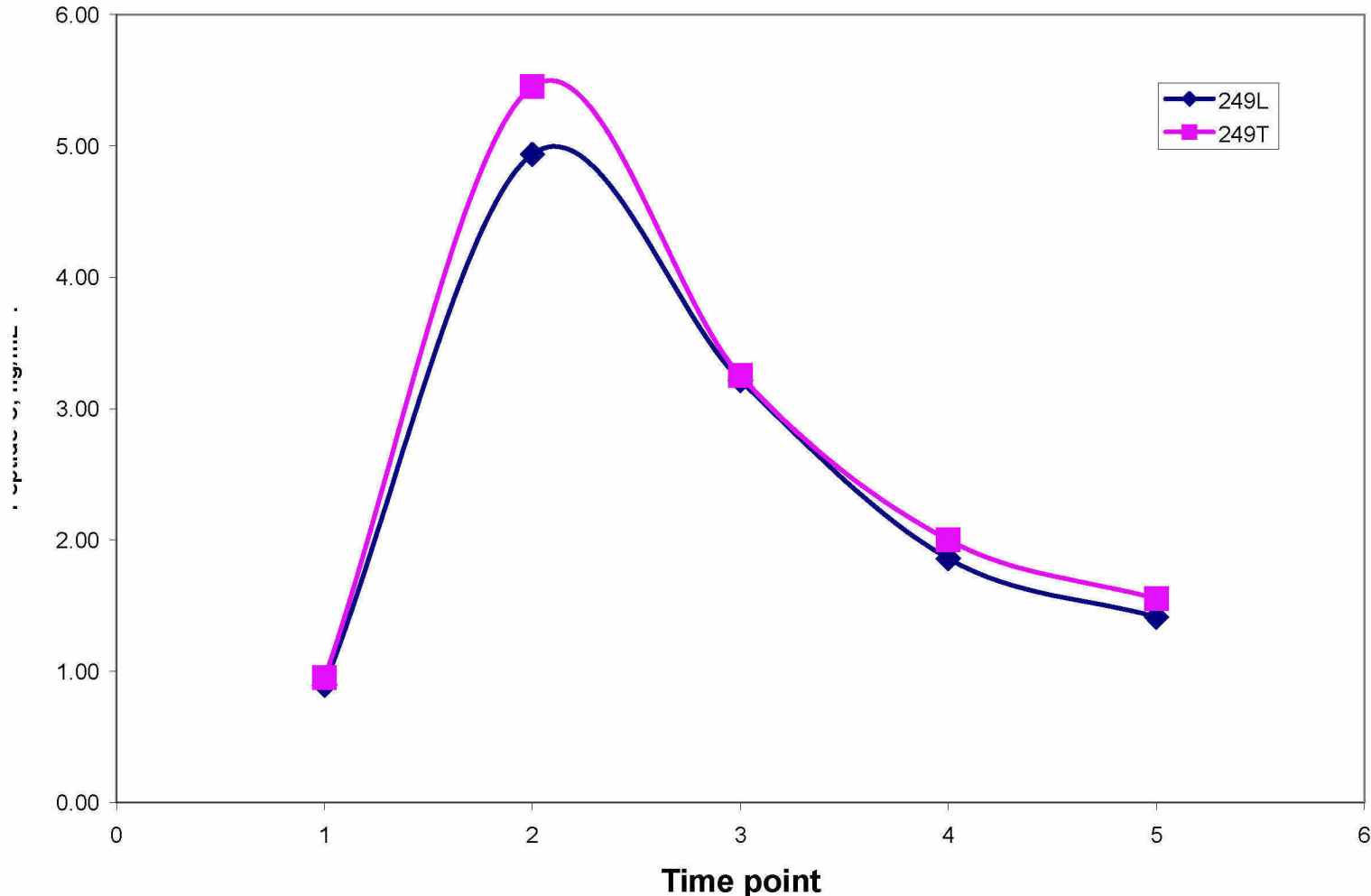
Subject 269: GLP-1

Subject 269



Subject 249: C-Peptide

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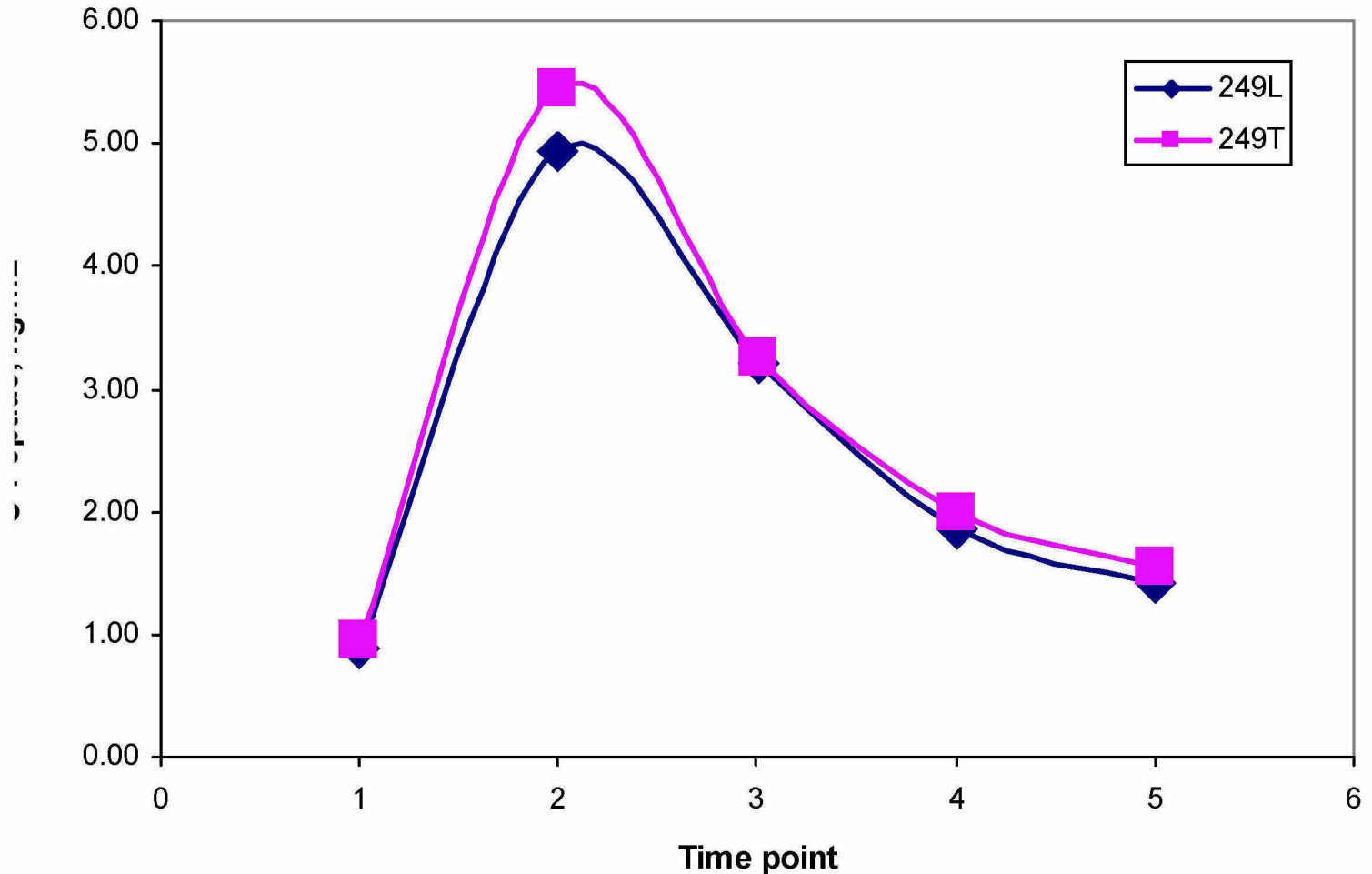
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Subject 249: C-Peptide

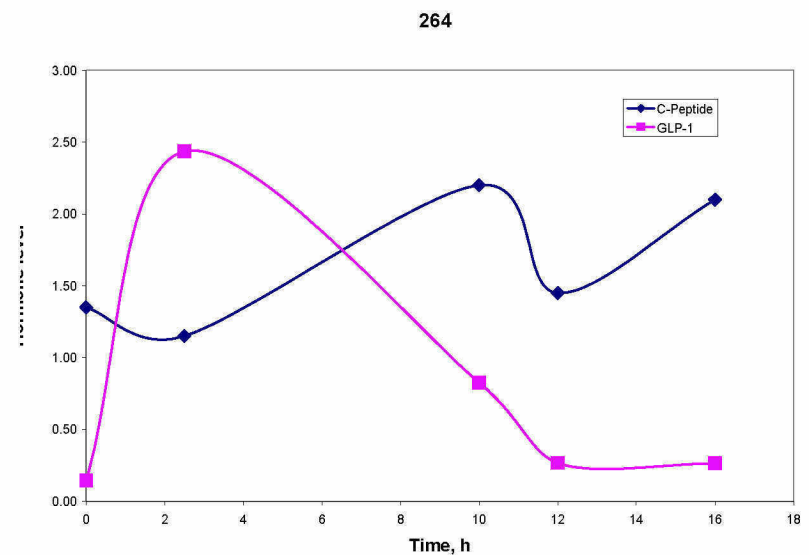
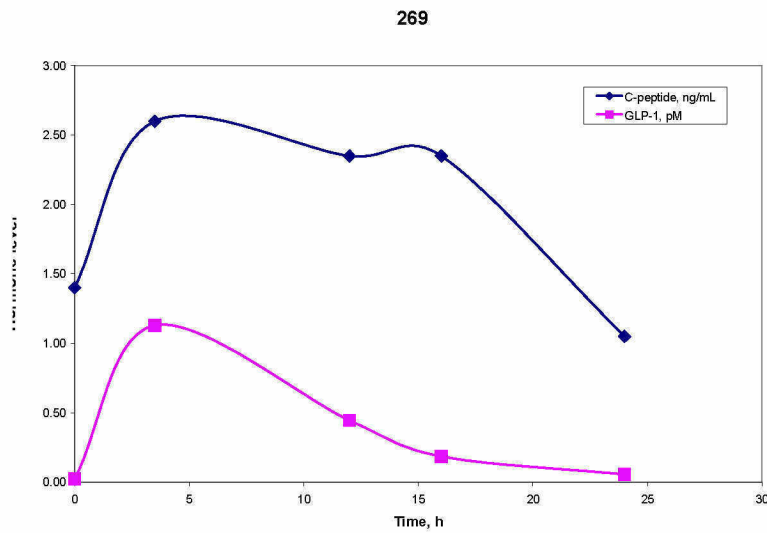
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People respond differently

Multiplexed measurement of GLP-1 and C-peptide



Using the server: Customer view

PATIENT ANALYSIS

Welcome to theranOS

List of all patients monitored in the BMS trial:

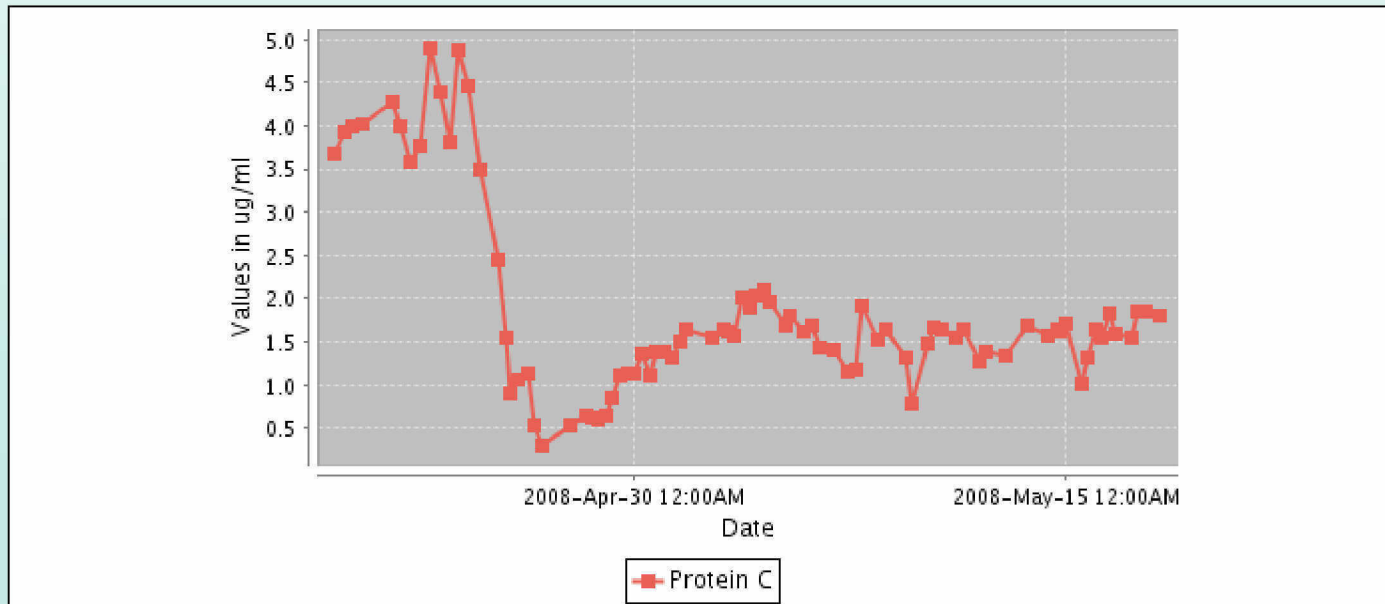
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<u>024-2</u>	bms	GLP-1	5.7 pM	BMS
<u>024-3</u>	bms	GLP-1	6.1 pM	BMS
<u>025-1</u>	bms	GLP-1	13.1 pM	BMS
<u>025-2</u>	bms	GLP-1	12.1 pM	BMS

Theranos Server Output

Time Series Chart

Patient ID: 004

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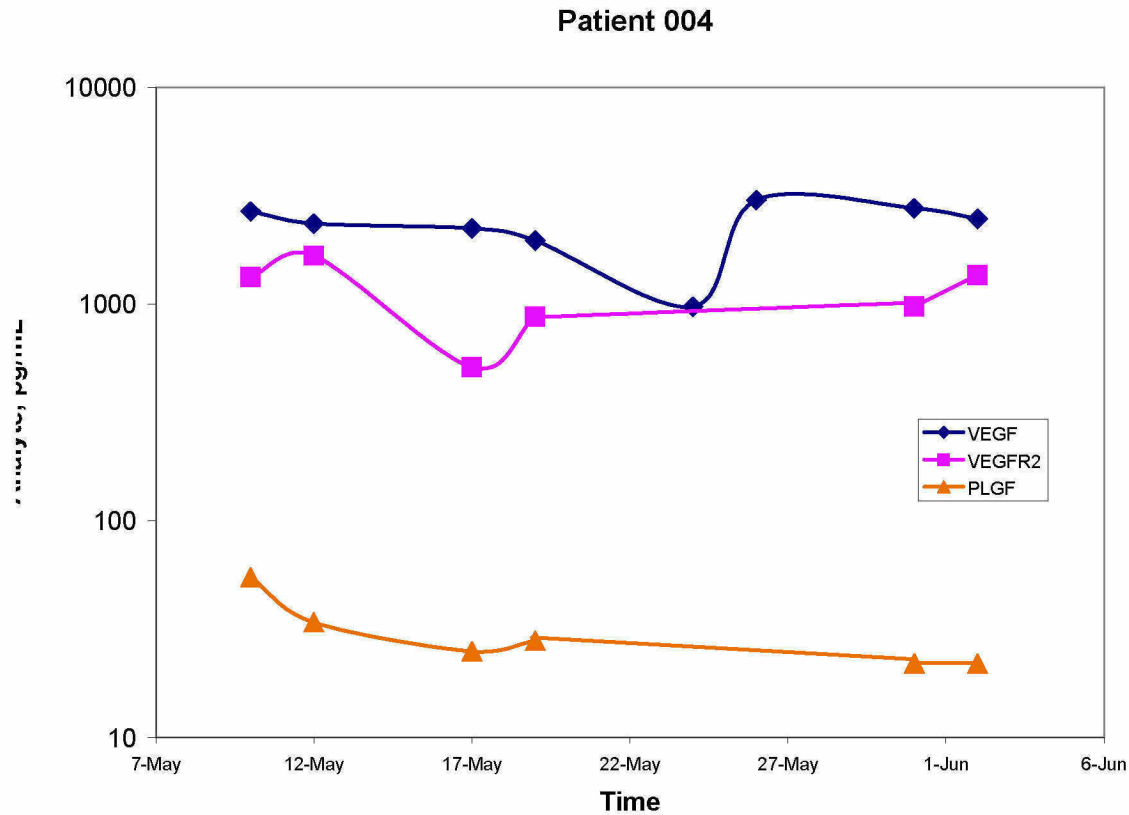
Angiogenesis

- Many anti-tumor drugs target angiogenesis
- To grow, tumors must vascularize
- Markers are:
 - Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor (VEGF)
 - sVEGF Receptor (VEGFR2)
 - Placental growth factor (PLGF)
- All assays require high sensitivity and a wide dynamic range

Tennessee Oncology Study

- Theranos Instruments in patient's homes
- Fingertick samples
- Analyte Ranges
 - VEGF (15 – 8,000 pg/mL)
 - sVEGFR2 (170 – 10,000 pg/mL)
 - PLGF (17 -750 pg/mL)

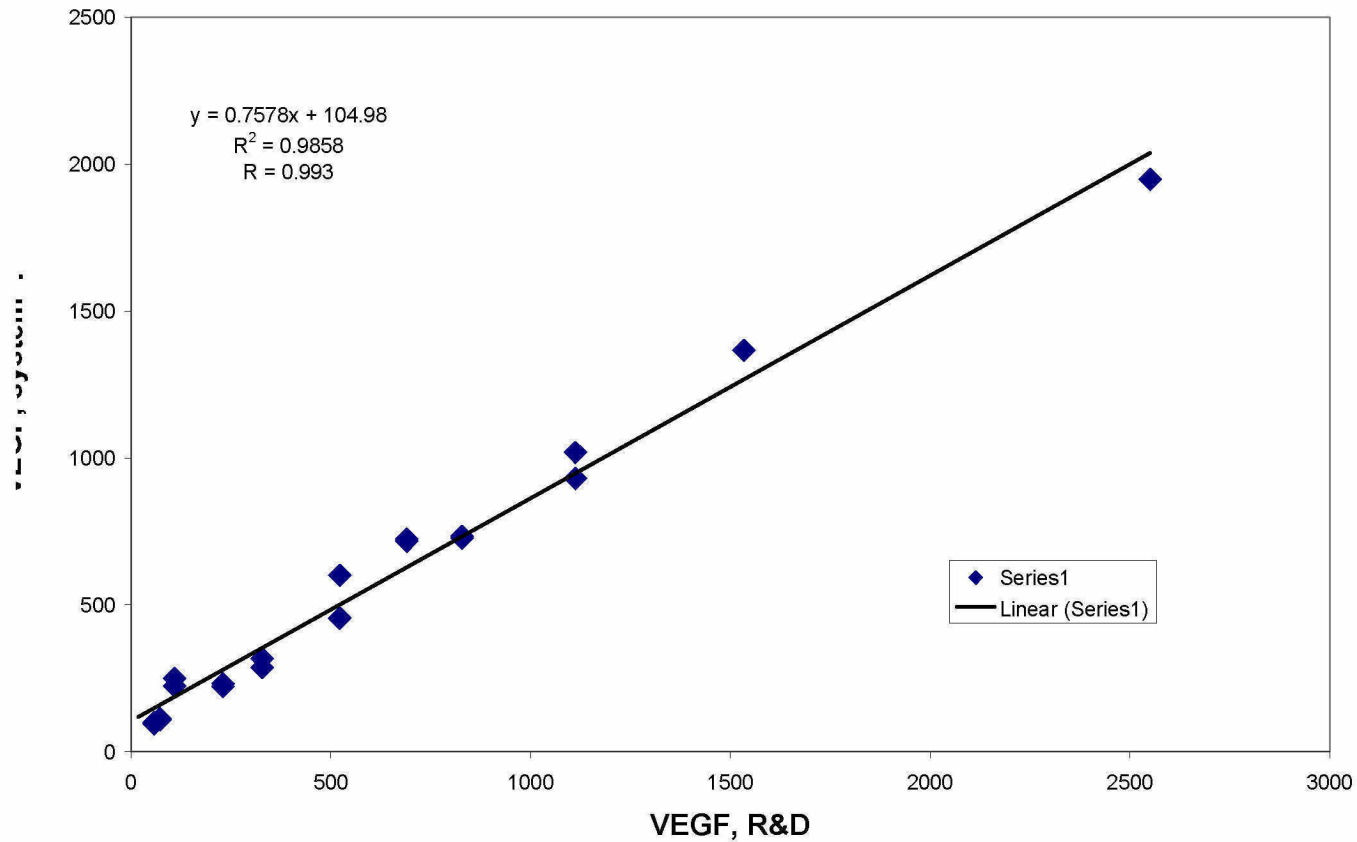
Monitoring Three Biomarkers of Angiogenesis Cancer Outpatients



Analytical Validation

(plasma samples)

VEGF clinical results

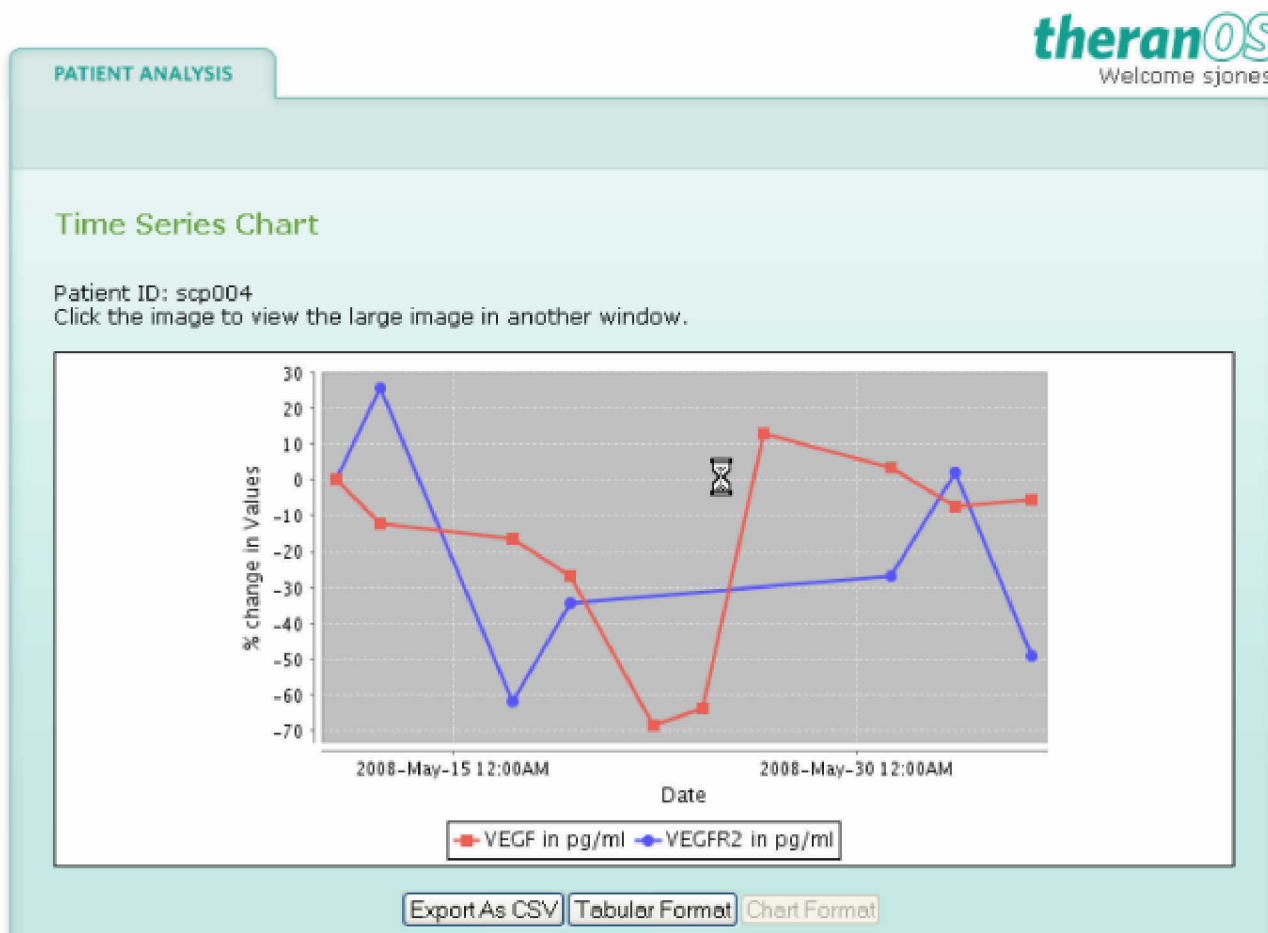


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Possible response to Avastin Therapy (anti-VEGF)



Osteoporosis Therapy

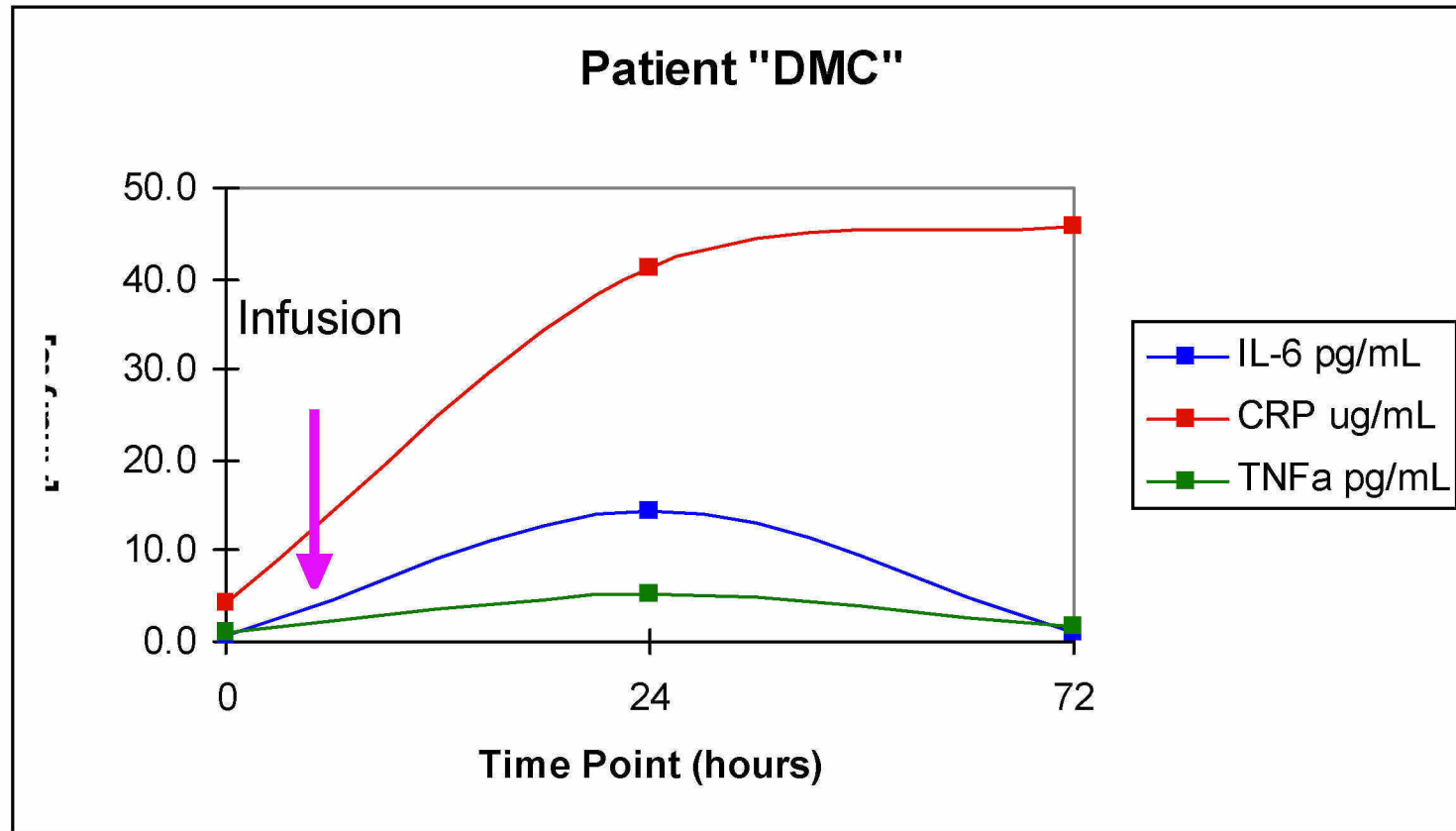
Scenario

- Novartis drug Reclast (zoledronic acid)
 - IV dose yearly
 - Used for cancer
 - Also being used for Osteoporosis
 - Zoledronic acid causes changes:
 - $\text{TNF}\alpha$
 - IL-6
 - Other inflammatory cytokines

Theranos Evaluation

- Archived samples from Novartis
- Represent time courses following infusion
 - Several patients
- Markers measured in the Theranos system
 - IL-6
 - $\text{TNF}\alpha$
 - CRP

Typical results for one subject



Huge variation between subjects

Both absolute levels and changes over time vary greatly

