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# Mycobacterium tuberculosis Interferon Gamma Response

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A measurement of the amount of interferon gamma that is released when Mycobacterium tuberculosis antigen is incubated with a biological specimen, usually blood. Increased amount of interferon gamma suggests a prior or existing M. tuberculosis infection.