

Abbreviations

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| AAS | Atomic absorption spectrophotometry |
| ATP | Adenosine triphosphate |
| ADP | adenosine diphosphate |
| °C | Celcius |
| Ca | Calcium |
| CAD | Coronary artery disease |
| CHF | congestive heart failure |
| CVD | Cardiovascular disease |
| DMSO | Dimethylsulfoxide |
| DNA | Deoxyribonucleic acid |
| DV | Daily Values |
| EDTA | Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid |
| EGTA | Ethylene glycol tetraacetic acid |
| G | Gram |
| G/dl | Grams per deci liter |
| IHD | Ischemic heart disease |
| IOM | Institute of medicine |
| I.V. | Intravenous |
| K | Potassium |
| L | Liter |
| Mg | Magnesium |
| Mg/dl | Milligram per deci liter |
| Mmol | Milli mol |
| Mmol/L | Milli mol per liter |
| mN | Millinormality |
| mN/L | Millinormality per liter |
| Na | Sodium |
| Pg | Picogram |
| QT | Q wave to T wave |
| RBC | Red blood cells |
| RDA | Recommended dietary allowances |
| Rpm | Round per minute |
| SD | Standard deviation |
| ST | S wave to T wave |
| TALH | Thick ascending loop of henle |
| U/ml | Micro per milli liter |
| USDA | United states of daily allowences |
| W/V | Weight per volume |