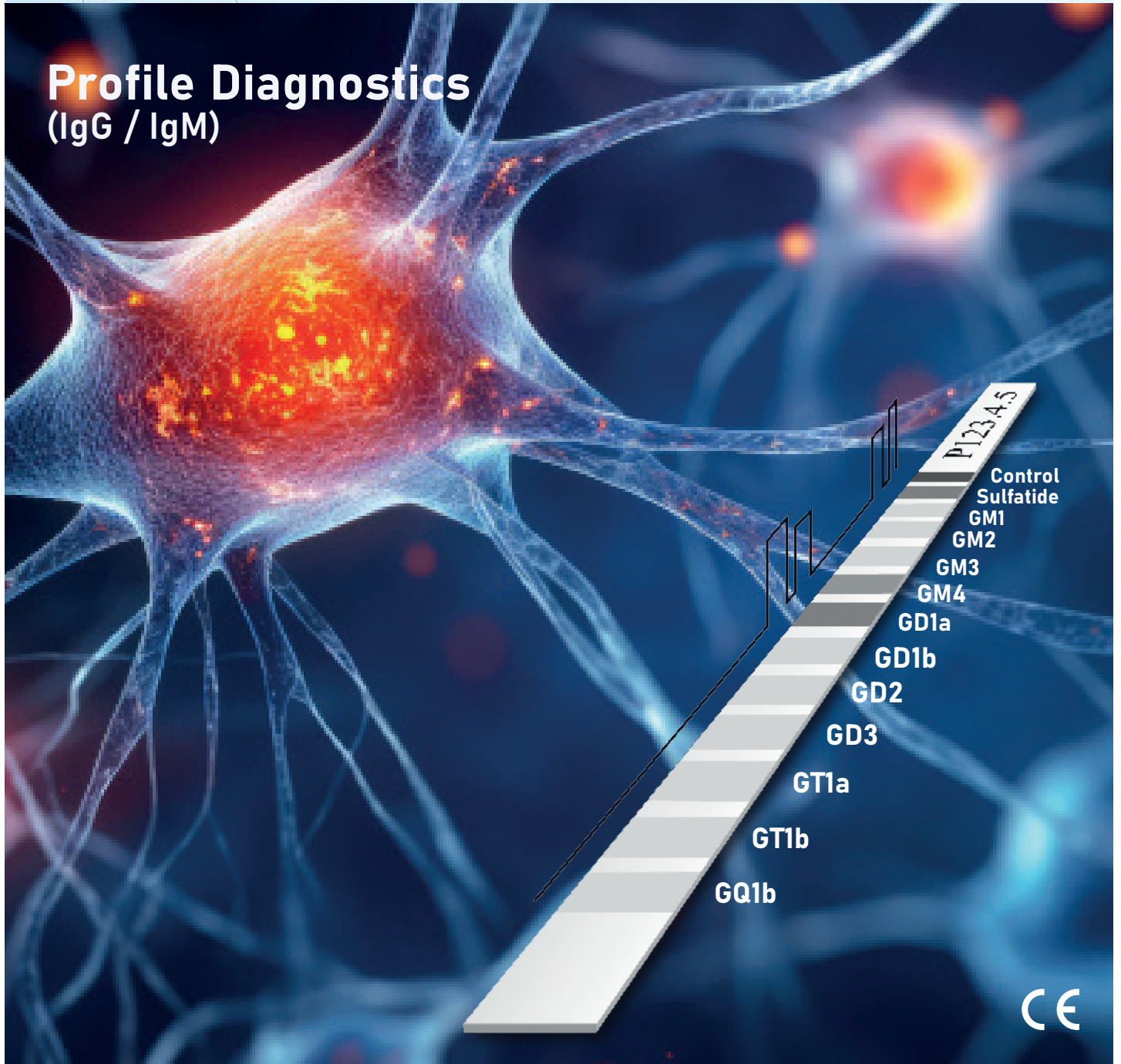


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## Profile Diagnostics (IgG / IgM)



### Product Highlights

- Serological marker for autoimmune polyneuropathies
- Diagnostic efficiency through profile diagnostics with 12 antigens
- Best Performance on the market

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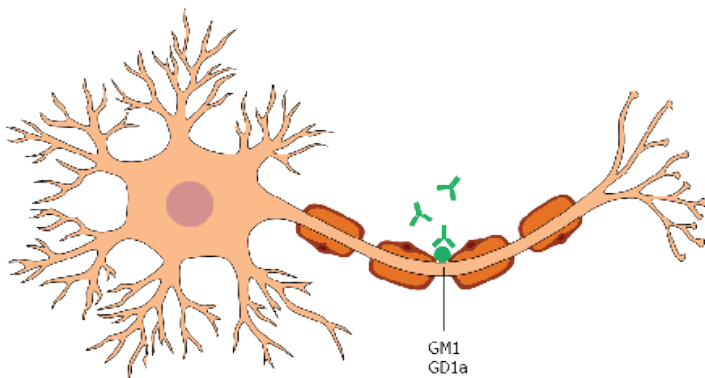
### Autoimmune neuropathies

Autoimmune neuropathies of the peripheral nervous system are characterized by numerous clinical symptoms which, however, do not differ from those of other neuropathies. Neuropathies of autoimmune origin (13% of all neuropathies) can therefore be misdiagnosed as idiopathic and thus incorrectly treated. The determination of anti-ganglioside antibodies can therefore contribute to the diagnosis of this group of diseases.

	Sulf	GM1	GM2	GM3	GM4	GD1a	GD1b	GD2	GD3	GT1a	GT1b	GQ1b
GBS /AIDP		IgG			IgM	IgG	IgG				IgG	
GBS/AMAN & AMSAN	IgM	IgG			IgM	IgG	IgG				IgG	
GBS after CMV-infection		IgM	IgM			IgM	IgM					
GBS with ataxia							IgG			IgG		IgG
GBS with ONS		IgG				IgG				IgG		IgG
GBS with ophthalmoplegia										IgG		IgG
MFS					IgM		IgG		IgG	IgG	IgG	IgG
Bickerstaff encephalitis										IgG		IgG
CANOMAD				IgM		IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM
MMN		IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM					
CIDP	IgM	IgM	IgM	IgM		IgM	IgM					
MN with gammopathy	IgM	IgM					IgM					

AIDP - acute inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy, AMAN - acute motor axonal neuropathy, AMSAN - acute motor and sensory axonal neuropathy, CANOMAD - chronic ataxic neuropathy ophthalmoplegia IgM paraprotein cold agglutinins disialosyl antibodies, CIDP - chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyneuropathy, CMV - cytomegalovirus, GBS - Guillain-Barré syndrome, MFS - Miller Fisher syndrome, MMN - multifocal motor neuropathy with conduction blocks, MN - motor neuropathy, ONS - acute paralysis of the oropharyngeal neck and shoulder muscles. Adapted from Conrad et al. 2011.

### An Example for Immunopathogenesis - GBS/AMAN

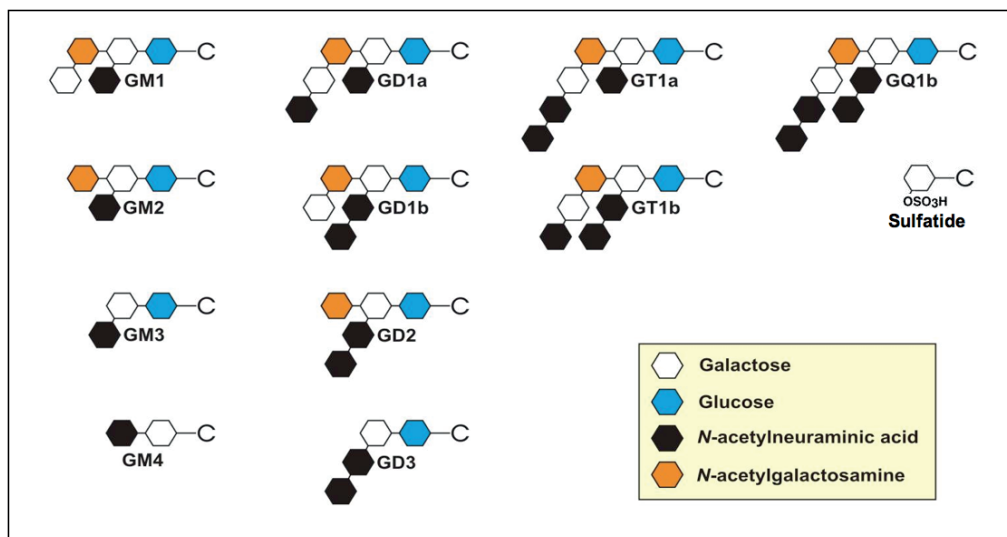


**Gangliosides GM1 and GD1a** are strongly expressed at the nodes of Ranvier of myelinated axons, where the voltage-gated sodium (Nav) channels are localized. IgG anti-GM1 or anti-GD1a autoantibodies bind to the nodal axolemma, leading to membrane attack complex (MAC) formation. This results in the disappearance of Nav clusters and the detachment of paranodal myelin, which can lead to nerveconduction failure and muscle weakness. Axonal degeneration may follow at a later stage. Macrophages subsequently invade from the nodes into the periaxonal space, scavenging the injured axons.

## LINE with the highest number of antigens (12)



Control  
Sulfatide  
GM1  
GM2  
GM3  
GM4  
GD1a  
GD1b  
GD2  
GD3  
GT1a  
GT1b



## 100% Sensitivity and Specificity

Immune-mediated peripheral neuropathies	Number of samples	Anti-ganglioside autoantibody profiles detected by In-house Immunodot	Number of positive samples using minimal positivity criteria				
			Ich 1	T1	T2	T3	T4
AMAN and AMSAN	6	IgG antibodies against: GM1 > GD1b	6	6	3	1	6
Miller Fisher syndrome	4	IgG antibodies against: GQ1b	4	4	2	3	3
CBS with ophthalmoplegia	1	IgG antibodies against: GD1a, GQ1b	1	1	0	0	0
CBS with ophthalmoplegia	1	IgG antibodies against: GD1a, GD1b, G11b, GQ1b	1	1	0	0	1
GFS post CI infection	2	IgM antibodies against: GM2	2	2	2	2	2
Axonal motor GFS post CI infection	1	IgG and IgM antibodies against: GM1 and G11b	1	1	0	0	1
Total of acute IPN	15		15	15	7	6	13
CANOMAD syndrome	12	N-IgM antibodies against: GD1b, GD3, G11b, GQ1b	12	12	6	5	7
Chronic motor neuropathy	4	N-IgM antibodies against: GM1 and GD1b	4	3	2	1	3
Chronic motor neuropathy with lymphoma	1	N-IgM antibodies against: GD1a and G11b	1	1	1	1	1
Chronic sensory neuropathy	1	N-IgM antibodies against: sulfatides > GD1b > GM1	1	1	1	1	1
MMN	1	IgM antibodies against: GM1 > GD1b	1	1	0	0	1
Total of chronic IPN	18		18	18	10	8	14
Total of IPN	33		33	33	17	14	26

## Comparison with other commercial assays (Caudie et al. 2013)

Specific antibody profiles obtained in 15 patients with acute peripheral neuropathies and 18 patients with chronic peripheral neuropathies as obtained by in-house immunodot assay and by 4 commercial assays (see table).

CJ - Campylobacter jejuni, M-IgM - Monoclonal IgM antibodies, PN - peripheral neuropathies, InH - In-house Test, T - Test, see left page for other abbreviations.  
\* The 5 immunodominant gangliosides present on each test are GM1, GM2, GD1a, GD1b, and GQ1b.

### Sensitivity

**IgG:** T1 = GA **100 % (15/15)**  
T2 = Zentech 47 % (7/15)  
T3 = Euroimmun 40 % (6/15)  
T4 = Bühlmann 87 % (13/15)

**IgM:** T1 = GA 1 **100 % (18/18)**  
T2 = Zentech 55 % (10/18)  
T3 = Euroimmun 44 % (8/18)  
T4 = Bühlmann 72 % (13/18)

### Specificity

100 % for all tests  
(10 non-autoimmune neuropathies)

## Automated



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## Manual



## Anti-Gangliosid Dot

Classic version with manual processing and visual or automated evaluation through scan software.

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## Order Information



**Anti-Gangliosid Dot**

**REF 5003**

(24 x 12 Determinations)



**DotDiver Anti-Gangliosid IgG**

**REF 50381**

(24 x 12 Determinations)



**DotDiver Anti-Gangliosid IgM**

**REF 50391**

(20 x 12 Determinations)



**DotDiver Anti-Gangliosid screen REF 50301**

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