

Reference values for perfluorinated compounds in human plasma

Parameter	Population group / period of life	Year of the study	Reference value ^a
PFOA [2009]	Women, men and children < 10 years ¹	2003-2007	10 µg/l
PFOS [2009]	Women ¹	2003-2007	20 µg/l
	Men ¹	2003-2007	25 µg/l
	Children < 10 years ¹	2003-2007	10 µg/l
<p>[xy] bibliographical data see publication: http://www.uba.de/gesundheit-e/publikationen/index.htm#khhb</p> <p>^a: when applying reference values the analytical uncertainty must be taken into account;</p> <p>¹ Source: based on published data</p> <p>PFOA: perfluorooctanoate; PFOS: Perfluorooctane sulfonate</p>			