

Supplemental Table 1. Mean (and Peak) T Concentrations

<u>Moiety</u>	<u>Dose per Pulse</u>			
	<u>0.46 µmol (N = 7)</u>	<u>1.4 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>4.2 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>1.7 µmol* (N = 5)</u>
Total T	9.6 ± 0.97 ^{B†} (20 ± 2.3) ^{A†}	15 ± 1.4 ^{C†} (35 ± 4.3) ^{B†}	21 ± 2.1 ^{C†} (47 ± 3.7) ^{B†}	5.7 ± 1.0 ^{A†} (12 ± 1.9) ^{A†}
SHBG-bound T	6.6 ± 0.87 ^{AB†} (12 ± 1.8) ^{AB†}	8.6 ± 0.97 ^{BC} (16 ± 2.3) ^{AB}	11 ± 1.5 ^C (20 ± 2.7) ^B	4.0 ± 0.49 ^{A†} (7.7 ± 0.62) ^{A†}
Albumin-bound T	2.7 ± 0.49 ^{AB} (6.7 ± 1.5) ^A	5.8 ± 1.0 ^{BC} (18 ± 3.5) ^B	8.7 ± 1.2 ^C (25 ± 2.7) ^B	1.6 ± 0.49 ^A (3.9 ± 1.2) ^A
Free T	0.25 ± 0.045 ^{AB} (0.62 ± 0.14) ^A	0.56 ± 0.094 ^{BC} (1.7 ± 0.32) ^B	0.83 ± 0.11 ^C (2.4 ± 0.25) ^B	0.15 ± 0.045 ^A (0.38 ± 0.11) ^A
Bioavailable T	2.6 ± 0.45 ^{AB} (5.9 ± 1.4) ^A	5.6 ± 0.90 ^{BC} (15 ± 2.9) ^B	9.5 ± 1.4 ^C (26 ± 3.4) ^B	1.7 ± 0.52 ^A (4.2 ± 1.3) ^A

*Dose of 1.7 µmol was infused over 1 min with no basal T infusion (other doses were infused over 30 min with basal T infusion). Data are mean (and peak) ± SEM T concentrations.

Within rows, means having unshared (unique) alphabetic superscripts differ significantly ($P \leq 0.01$).

Units are nmol/L.

† $P < 0.05$ vs all other values in the same column.

Supplemental Table 2. Rapid T Half-Lives (min) by T Moiety and Dose

<u>Measure</u>	<u>Dose per Pulse</u>			
	<u>0.46 µmol (N = 7)</u>	<u>1.4 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>4.2 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>1.7 µmol (N = 5)</u>
Total T	1.3 (0.51 - 2.9)	2.3 (1.6 - 4.8)	1.1 (0.51 - 2.5)	1.2 (0.0 - 3.1)
SHBG-bound T	1.1 (0.28 - 2.5)	2.0 (1.2 - 4.1)	1.2 (0.54 - 2.7)	1.1 (0.15 - 3.1)
Albumin-bound T	1.3 (0.49 - 2.8)	2.1 (1.2 - 5.0)	1.4 (0.76 - 2.9)	0.96 (0.22 - 2.7)
Free T	1.1 (0.20 - 2.9)	2.1 (1.2 - 5.0)	1.5 (0.81 - 3.2)	0.96 (0.22 - 2.7)
Bioavailable T	1.1 (0.20 - 2.9)	1.6 (0.78 - 4.1)	1.4 (0.78 - 3.0)	0.96 (0.22 - 2.7)
Column Mean	1.2 (0.34 - 2.8)	2.0 (1.2 - 4.6)	1.3 (0.68 - 2.9)	1.0 (0.16 - 2.9)

Data are the geometric mean (95% confidence interval). Half-life units are min. There were no significant effects by T moiety (rows) or by T dose (columns), except for the 1.4 µmol dose (*Results*).

Grand arithmetic mean ± SEM of the four columns, 1.4 ± 0.22 min.

Supplemental Table 3. Slow T Half-Lives (min) by Moiety and Dose

<u>Measure</u>	<u>Dose per Pulse</u>			
	<u>0.46 µmol (N = 7)</u>	<u>1.4 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>4.2 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>1.7 µmol (N = 5)</u>
Total T	21 (11 - 37) ^A	27 (22 - 33) ^{AB}	31 (25 - 42) ^{AB}	27 (19 - 37) ^A
SHBG-bound T	24 (15 - 39) ^A	37 (31 - 47) ^B	36 (29 - 60) ^A	31 (21 - 42) ^A
Albumin-bound T	15 (6.1 - 29) ^{AB}	17 (11 - 25) ^{AC}	21 (15 - 30) ^B	20 (14 - 27) ^B
Free T	14 (5.0 - 29) ^{AB}	16 (10 - 26) ^{AC}	23 (18 - 32) ^B	20 (14 - 28) ^B
Bioavailable T	7.0 (4.0 - 12) ^{B*}	11 (3.2 - 28) ^C	18 (14 - 30) ^{B*}	20 (14 - 27) ^B
P values	0.020	< 0.001	0.013	0.027

Data are the geometric mean (95% confidence interval).

Means within columns with unique (unshared) alphabetical superscripts differ at P < 0.05 by *post hoc* comparisons. Thus, A differs from B, but not from AB.

*P = 0.002 for the comparison by dose within the bioavailable-T row.

Supplemental Table 4. Testosterone Mass per Pulse

	T Pulse Dose			
	<u>0.46 µmol (N = 7)</u>	<u>1.4 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>4.2 µmol (N = 9)</u>	<u>1.7 µmol (N = 5)</u>
Total T	17 ± 1.5 ^A	35 ± 3.2 ^A	49 ± 3.1 ^A	9.5 ± 1.5 ^A
SHBG-bound T	10 ± 1.1 ^{AB}	13 ± 2.1 ^{BC}	22 ± 4.3 ^{BC}	6.3 ± 0.69 ^{AB}
Albumin-bound T	6.7 ± 1.5 ^B	20 ± 3.2 ^{AC}	31 ± 2.9 ^{ACE}	2.9 ± 0.90 ^B
Free T	0.62 ± 0.14 ^C	1.9 ± 0.30 ^D	2.8 ± 0.26 ^D	0.28 ± 0.087 ^C
Bioavailable T	8.3 ± 2.0 ^B	22 ± 4.3 ^{AB}	28 ± 4.1 ^{BE}	3.2 ± 1.0 ^B
P values	< 0.001	< 0.001	< 0.001	0.001

Data are the mean ± SEM in units of nmol/L.

All T doses (across columns) differed from one another ($P \leq 0.004$).

Within columns, means having unshared (unique) alphabetic superscripts differ significantly ($P \leq 0.01$).