011: Sperm concentration (Neubauer vs CASA)

Purpose

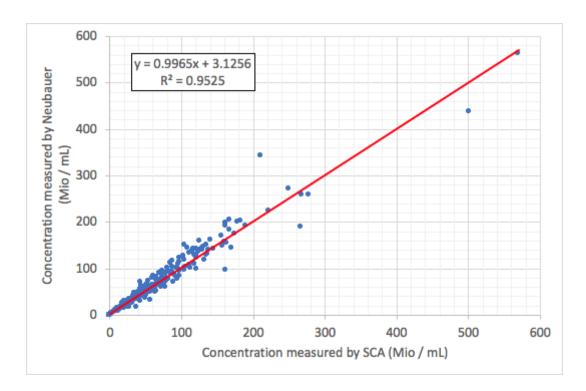
To check the accuracy of the measurements performed with the CASA system by comparing the concentrations measured to that of the Neubauer Improved chamber.

Material and methods

Sperm concentration was analysed using the CASA system (SCA, Microptic, Spain) and the Neubauer chamber using 289 samples.

- CASA: 5 µL of diluted semen was loaded in a 20 µm deep Leja chamber.
 Measurement were performed according to document <u>006</u>: <u>Standard Operating Procedure for SCA</u>.
- Improved Neubauer chamber: recommendation of WHO (1,2) were followed.

Result



See also: <u>006</u>: <u>SOP for CASA</u>

- (1) WHO laboratory manual for the examination and processing of human seman. Fifth edition. ISBN 978 92 4 154778 9
- (2) Manual cell counting with Neubauer chamber. See more

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