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| 70                  | 134                 | 141                 | 143                 | 137                 |  |
| 8.15                | 8.20                | 8.11                | 7.92                | 8.36                |  |
| 291                 | 257                 | 215                 | 214                 | 177                 |  |
| 0.23                | 0.41                | 0.42                | 0.43                | 0.41                |  |
| 67                  | 84                  | 84                  | 85                  | 84                  |  |
| 20.3                | 27.5                | 28.4                | 28.5                | 27.9                |  |
| 303                 | 328                 | 337                 | 335                 | 331                 |  |
| 3.46                | 4.86                | 4.97                | 5.01                | 4.90                |  |
| 22.4                | 14.2                | 14.9                | 14.6                | 14.4                |  |
| 5.85                | 6.20                | 6.06                | 6.14                | 5.98                |  |
| 1.42                | 1.09                | 1.32                | 1.02                | 1.35                |  |
| 0.69                | 0.64                | 0.53                | 0.60                | 0.78                |  |
| 0.06                | 0.21                | 0.16                | 0.13                | 0.20                |  |
| 0.14                | 0.06                | 0.04                | 0.04                | 0.06                |  |
| * (c) Comment       |                     |                     |                     |                     |  |
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Our comment appears to be out of context.

| Comments :   | Red cells | s show mod | derate m | icrocyto | sis,   | hypochromi | a, a   | small number | r of |
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| elongated o  | cells, in | regular s  | shaped c | ells and | a mod  | erate numb | er of  | acanthocytes | з.   |
| White cells appear normal. Platelets appear normal. Moderate microcytic anaemia. |           |            |          |          |        |            |        |              |      |
| Consistent   | with iro  | n deficie  | ency/chr | onic blo | od los | s. Thalass | emia 🛛 | trait cannot | be   |
| excluded.  | Suggest   | haemoglok  | oin elec | trophore | sis if | clinicall  | y ind  | icated.      |      |

Always do a look back in Cerner.

Note fall in MCV. Query iron deficiency. Query reduced iron intake. Query chronic blood loss. Query impaired iron metabolism. Suggest iron studies.