

- 1. Serum bilirubin ↑**
  - mainly indirect bilirubin, seldom > 5 mg/dl
- 2. Urobilinogenuria +, bilirubinuria +**
  - only in severe haemolysis
- 3. LDH<sub>1,2</sub> ↑**
- 4. Haptoglobin ↓**
- 5. LDH/GOT quotient > 12**
- 6. Reticulocytes > 20‰**
- 7. Splenomegaly: frequent**
- 8. Liver biopsy: normal**
  - possible detection of haemosiderin
- 9. Erythropoiesis in the bone marrow ↑**