

Table 2 The mean diameter of colloid and epithelial cell height of thyroid during different phases of pregnancy

	Early pregnancy			Middle pregnancy			Late pregnancy		
	Large follicle	Medium follicle	Small follicle	Large follicle	Medium follicle	Small follicle	Large follicle	Medium follicle	Small follicle
Diameter of colloid (μm)	96.0	56	28	64	40	28	72	60	36
Epithelial cell height (μm)	3.6	4	12	4	8	12	4	8	8