

**TABLE 3**Fractional distribution of total body protein at the cellular level<sup>1</sup>

Protein compartment	Healthy women ( <i>n</i> = 183)	Healthy men ( <i>n</i> = 25)	Men with AIDS ( <i>n</i> = 84)
Cellular	0.747 ± 0.022 <sup>2</sup>	0.794 ± 0.017	0.779 ± 0.022 <sup>2</sup>
Extracellular fluid	0.021 ± 0.002	0.019 ± 0.002	0.021 ± 0.003
Extracellular solids	0.234 ± 0.022 <sup>2</sup>	0.190 ± 0.016	0.203 ± 0.021 <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>  $\bar{x} \pm \text{SD}$ .<sup>2,3</sup> Significantly different from healthy men (Student's *t* test with Bonferroni adjustment): <sup>2</sup>*P* < 0.002, <sup>3</sup>*P* < 0.006.