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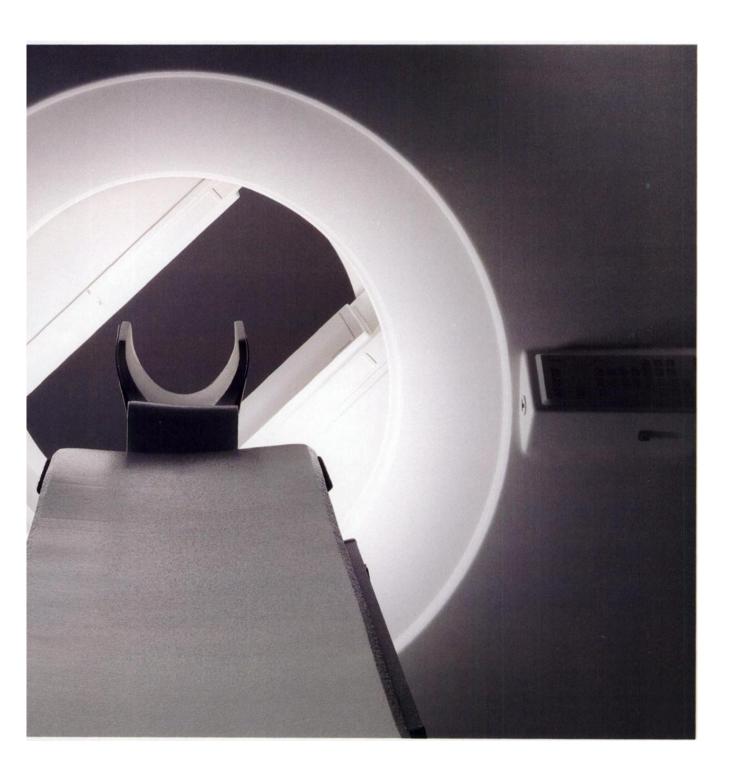
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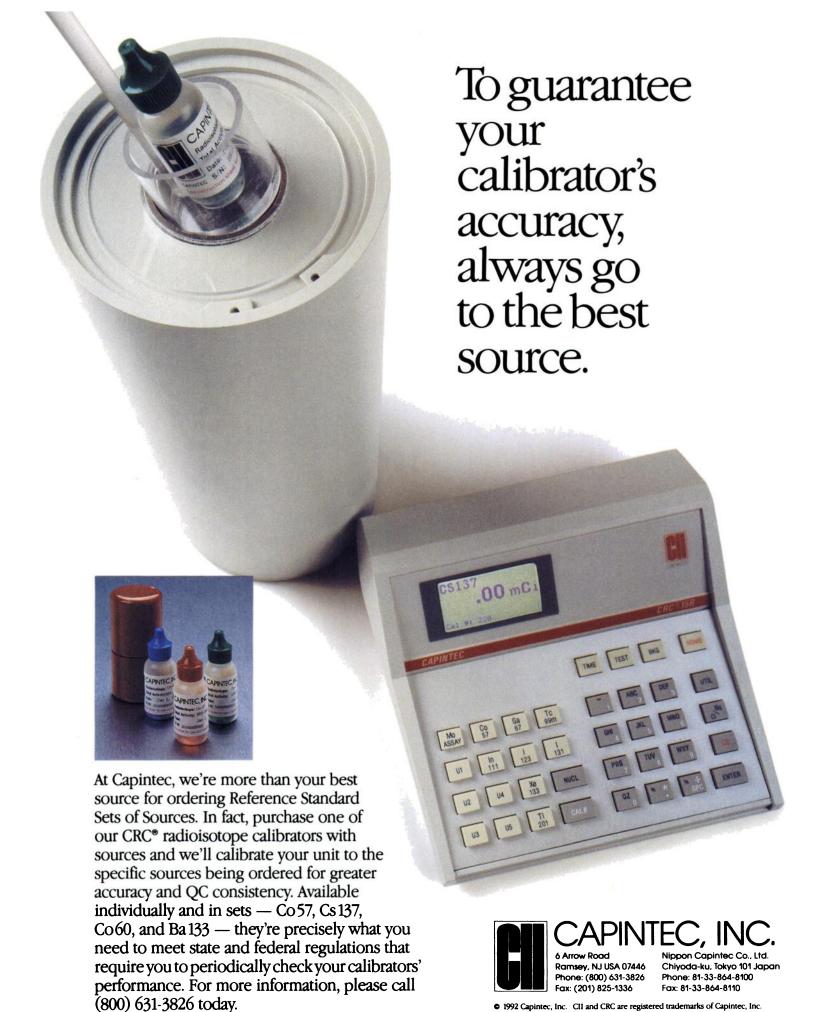
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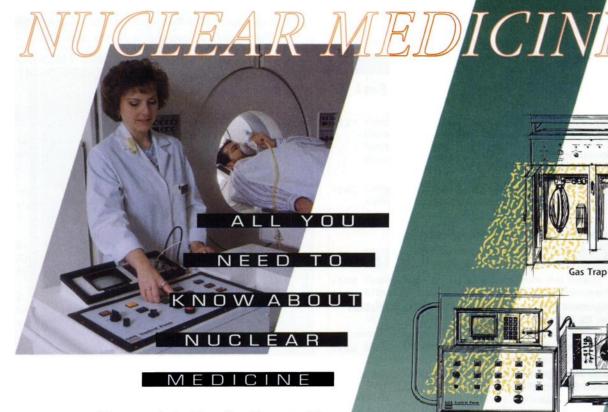
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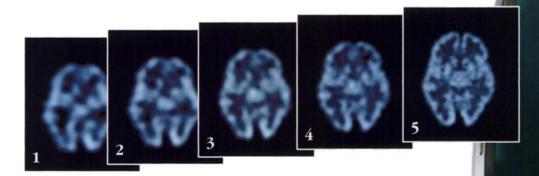
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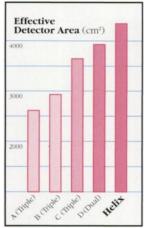
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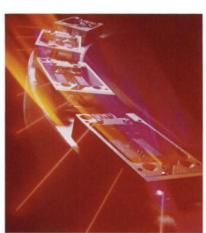
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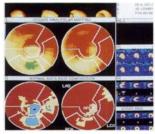
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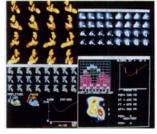
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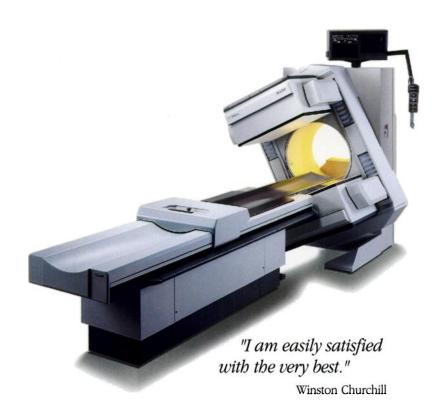
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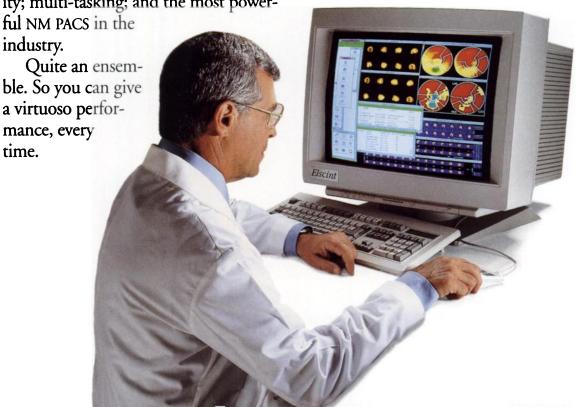
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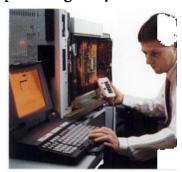


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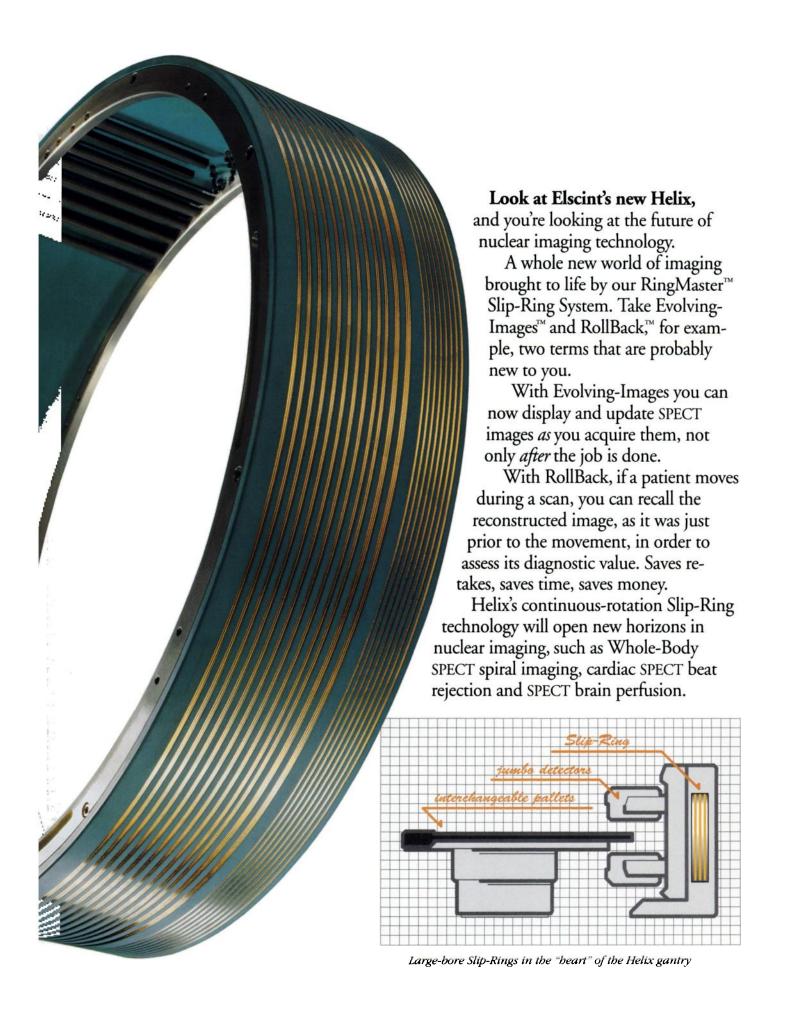
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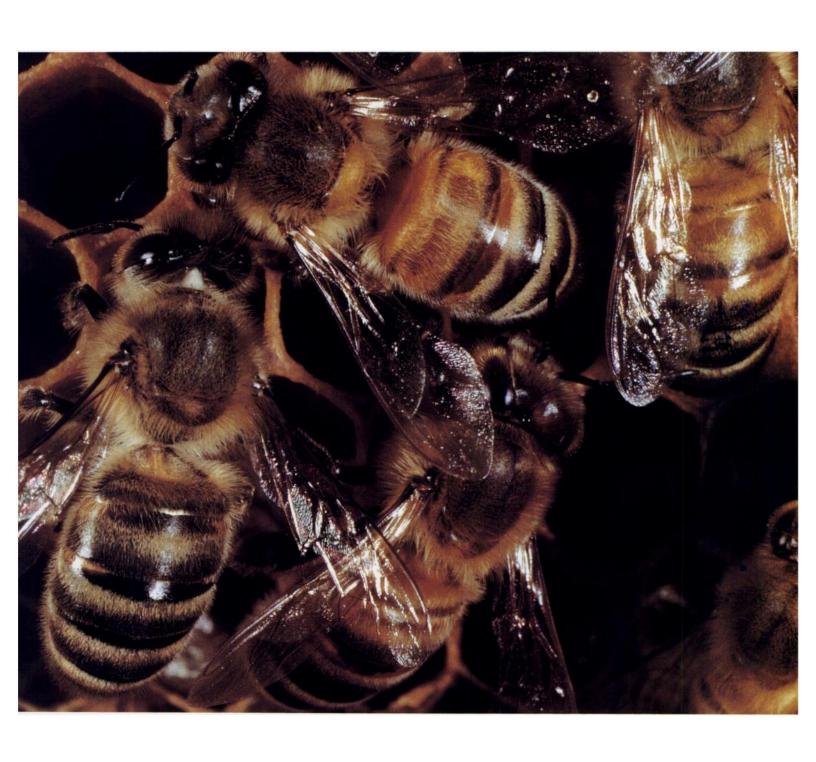
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WARNINGS: In studying patients in whom cardiac disease is known or suspected, take care to assure continuous monitoring and treatment in accordance with safe, accepted clinical procedure.

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Technetium Tc99m Pertechnetate is excreted in human milk during lactation. It is not known whether Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi is excreted in human milk. Therefore, formula feedings should be substituted for breast feedings.

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ADVERSE REACTIONS: During clinical trials, approximately 8% of patients experienced a transient metallic or bitter taste immediately after the injection of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi. A few cases of transient headache, flushing and non-itching rash have also been attributed to administration of the agent. One patient demonstrated signs and symptoms consistent with seizure, 8 to 10 minutes after administration of the drug. No other adverse reactions specifically attributable to the use of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi have been reported.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION: The suggested dose range for I.V. administration to be employed in the average patient (70 kg) is:

370 to 1110 MBa (10 to 30 mCi)

The dose administered should be the lowest required to provide an adequate study consistent with ALARA principles (See also PRECAUTIONS).

When used in the diagnosis of myocardial infarction, imaging should be completed within four hours after administration (see also CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY section in full prescribing information).

The patient dose should be measured by a suitable radioactivity calibration system immediately prior to patient administration. Radiochemical purity should be checked prior to patient administration.

Parenteral drug products should be inspected visually for particulate matter and discoloration prior to administration whenever solution and container permit.

RADIATION DOSIMETRY: Table 4 shows the radiation doses to organs and tissues of an average patient (70 kg) per 1110 MBq (30 mCi) of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi injected intravenously.

Table 4. Radiation Absorbed Doses from Tc99m Sestamibi

Estimated Radiation Absorbed Dose DECT

		K.	E31	
Organ	2.0 hour void		4.8 hour void	
	rads/ 30 mCi	mGy/ 1110 MBq	rads/ 30 mCi	mGy/ 1110 MBq
Breasts	0.2	2.0	0.2	1.9
Gallbladder Wall	2.0	20.0	2.0	20.0
Small Intestine Upper Large	3.0	30.0	3.0	30.0
Intestine Wall Lower Large	5.4	55.5	5.4	55.5
Intestine Wall	3.9	40.0	4.2	41.1
Stomach Wall	0.6	6.1	0.6	5.8
Heart Wall	0.5	5.1	0.5	4.9
Kidneys	2.0	20.0	2.0	20.0
Liver	0.6	5.8	0.6	5.7
Lungs	0.3	2.8	0.3	2.7
Bone Surfaces	0.7	6.8	0.7	6.4
Thyroid	0.7	7.0	0.7	6.8
Ovaries	1.5	15.5	1.6	15.5
Testes	0.3	3.4	0.4	3.9
Red Marrow Urinary Bladder	0.5	5.1	0.5	5.0
Wall	2.0	20.0	4.2	41.1
Total Body	0.5	4.8	0.5	4.8

Stabin, M., July, 1990, Oak Ridge Associated Universities, P.O. Box 117, Oak Ridge, TN 37831, (615)

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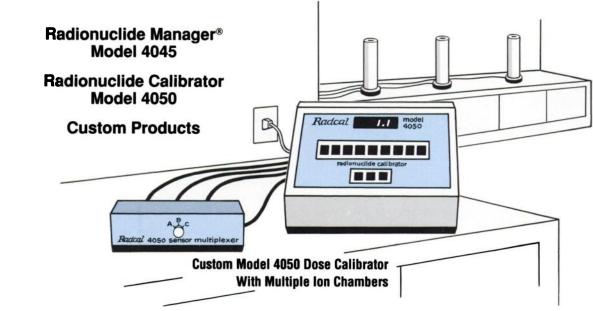
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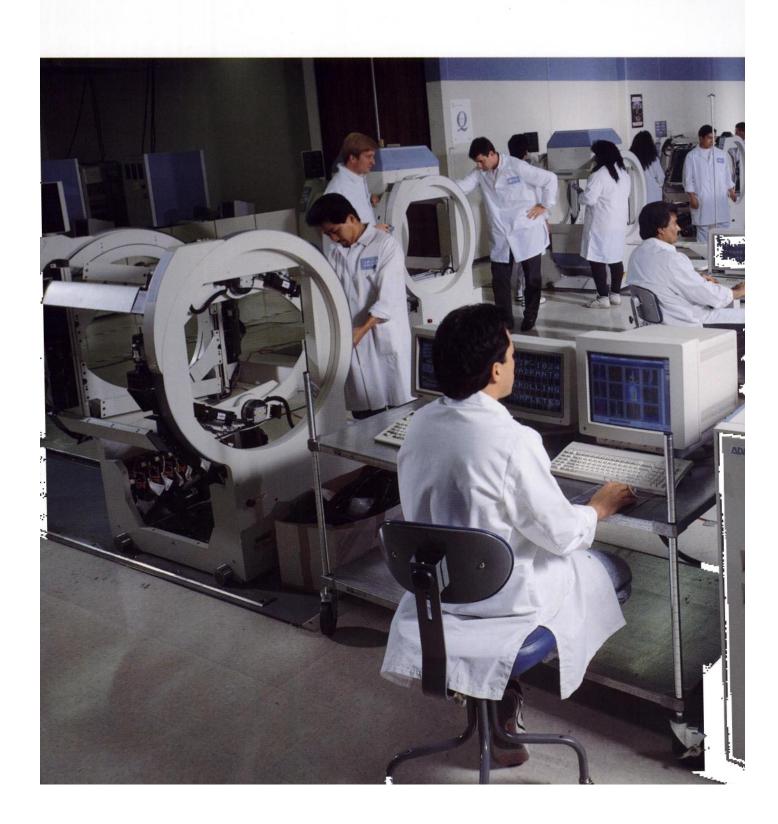
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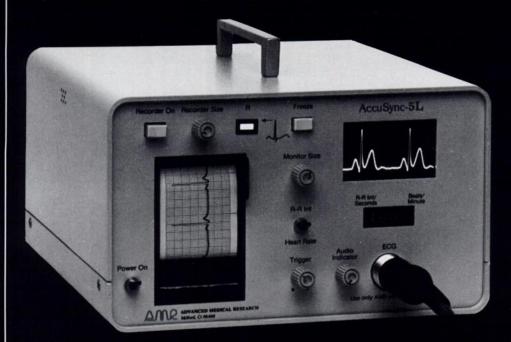
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The new Wheaton Agency heavy duty borosilicate bottles are used in EPA Methods 1310 Extraction Procedure, 1311 Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP), and 1312 Synthetic Precipitation Leaching Procedure (SPLP). The 2.2 liter and 3.2 liter sizes are available in 2 designs, single end opening and double end opening. The 3.0 liter size box style is designed for use with commercially available box style rotary agitator equipment. PVC coating is available in all sizes. All have a 100-440 GPI finish. Wheaton offers various caps and liners to accommodate these bottles. Jim Cheston, The Wheaton Agency, 1301 No. Tenth Street, Millville, NJ 08332. (800) 225-1437, ext. 2478 or (609) 825-1100.

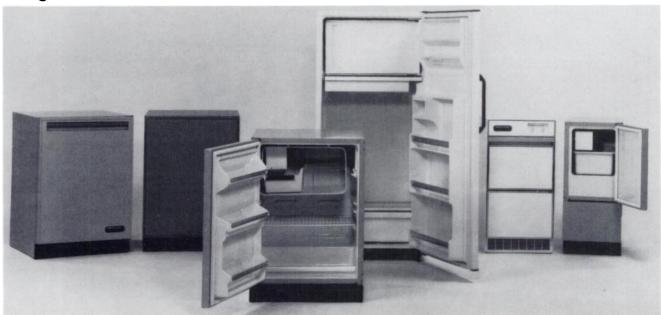
Computer-Based Radiotherapy System

DataSpan/Gammex, Inc. introduces PortalVu. a new computer-based system for radiotherapy that allows the user to verify patient positioning by overlaying simulator and portal film images. The unit provides a convenient way to digitize and compare simulation and treatment films in order to determine whether radiation treatment is actually being delivered as planned by the oncologist and to determine whether masking has been placed correctly. Digitization is performed with a camera/illuminator or the Gammex Digitizer. The user can adjust the scale of simulator and portal film images during digitization so that they may be overlayed on the system's screen. Unique edge



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New Products 29A

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The Ultima line of protective apparel from Picker Health Care Products offers a new level of comfort, style, and quality in radiation protection. The Ultima line includes two basic products, which are sized like regular clothing and tailored for both men and women. The one-piece, front-protection garment is available in 32 size/color combinations. The two-piece, full-protection jacket and wrap is available in 21 size/color combinations. Elasticized neoprene shoulders and waist bands shift weight from the shoulders to the back and waist, increasing comfort and reducing fatigue. Integrated, heavy-duty zippers eliminate the need for belts. Attractive styling and a unique stain-resistant nylon shell help maintain a professional appearance. Options for the new line of apparel include monogramming, an integral thyroid collar, custom lengths, and various weights. Picker International, P.O. Box 739, Berea, OH 44017. (216) 473-3539 or (216) 566-7019.

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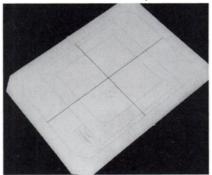
Systems Plus, Inc. introduces The Medical Manager v/5e, a low-cost, entry-level version of The Medical Manager, a practice management software system. The system is available under DOS formats only. It is a complete accounts receivable and insurance billing system with electronic claims submission capabilities, providing the medical practice with patient data maintenance and the ability to print numerous financial reports. Ad-

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Linear and Two-Dimensional Arrays

Solon Technologies, Inc. introduces new Harshaw/QS linear and two-dimensional scintillation arrays of CdWO₄ and Bi₄Ge₃O₁₂. The arrays are for use by high-energy physicists and manufacturers of medical CT and baggage scanning equipment. The CdWO4 and Bi₄Ge₃O₁₂ arrays are non-hygroscopic, dense, rugged, and have emission wavelengths that make them compatible with photodiodes or PMT's. Both materials are very low in afterglow. The arrays are better matched to photodiodes than BGO, and are about 1.5 times more efficient than BGO. Emission maximums are 510-540 nm. Afterglow is less than 0.01% after six milliseconds, following 150 KVP x-ray excitation. The scintillation temperature coefficient is small near room temperature, making the Harshaw/QS CdWO4 arrays extremely stable under normal temperature fluctuations. Achievable mechanical tolerances approach 0.0125 mm. The units have an emission maximum of 480 nm and are broad enough to be used with either PMT's or photodiodes. Solon Technologies, Inc., 6801 Cochran Road, Solon, OH 44139. (800) 472-5656 or (216) 248-7400.

Sensor Plate Safety Device



Nuclear Fields B.V. of Vortum-Mullem, the Netherlands, has developed a special sensor plate to act as a safety device on collimators for gamma cameras and other medical equipment. The new touch-plate is so designed that it activates a braking mechanism when it comes into contact with either a person or an object. Gamma cameras, and other items of equipment used in nuclear

medicine and radiology such as x-ray cameras, are generally programmed or set manually in order to make the detector head describe a given movement while a patient is being examined. If an error should be made in programming, there is a risk of the patient being struck by the camera, or of the patient being caught between the detector head and the examination table. Use of the sensor plate ensures that when the detector head is contacted, the braking mechanism is activated and the moving part of the equipment comes to a standstill almost instantaneously. As a result, the stopping distance is generally not more than a few millimeters. The new touchplate is an open contact plate which is built up from several layers of polyester film incorporating contact layers. The polyester film is made from conductive material. The plate is provided with two terminals for connection to a low-voltage source (up to 24 V). When a local pressure is exerted on the plate, the circuit is closed and a signal is transmitted to the braking mechanism of the equipment. The system is activated by a pressure as low as 0.5 kg/cm². An important feature is that the sensor plate has a thickness of only 1.5 mm, enabling it to be located in virtually any position. The sensor plate has a low absorption coefficient, which makes it exceptionally suitable for use on equipment that generates and processes gamma radiation. Moreover, this also permits the sensor plate to be positioned in front of the detection field. Beta Public Relations B.V., Lange Voorhout 16, 2514 EE Den Haag, Holland. 070-364-53-48.

Teleradiology System

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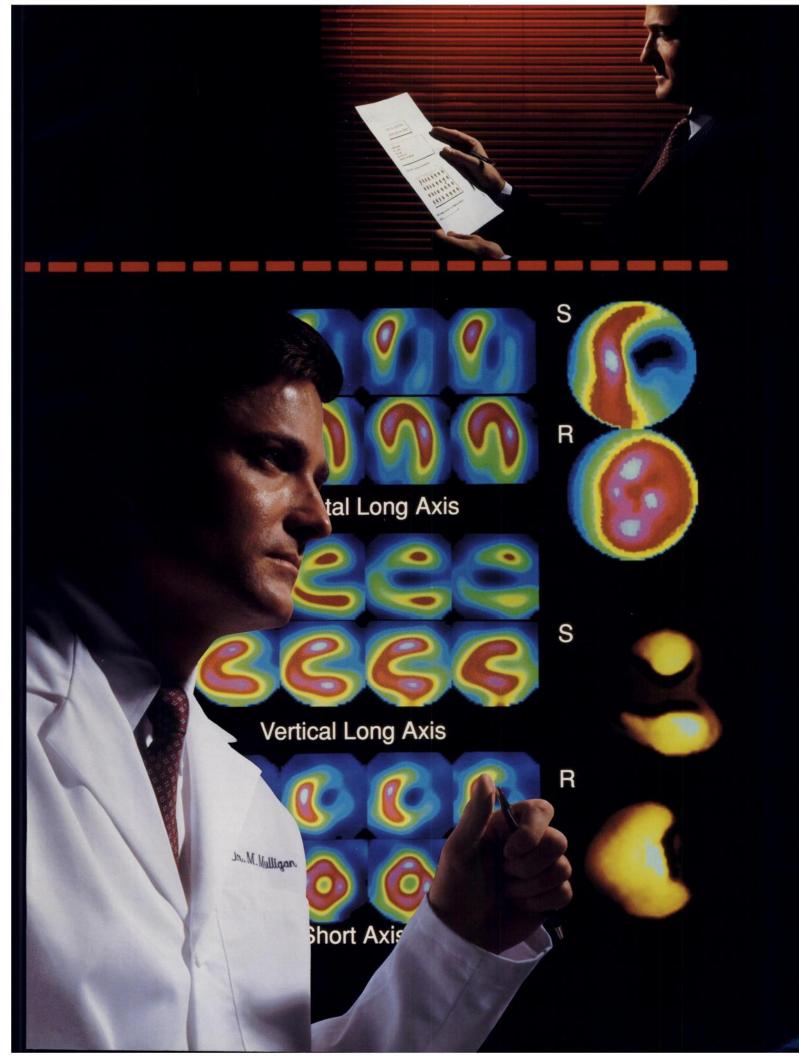
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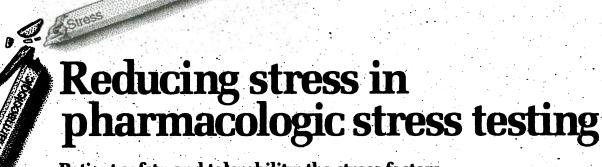
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Severe adverse events have occurred infrequently (<0.3%) in a study of 3,911 patients. Patients with a history of unstable angina may be at a greater risk for severe myocardial ischemia: Patients with a history of asthma may be at a greater risk for bronchospasm.

In the same study, the most frequent adverse events (52%) were chest pain/angina pectoris, electrocardiographic changes (most commonly, ST-T changes), headache, and dizziness.

†Du Pont Merck Pharmaceutical Company Post-Marketing Safety Surveillance.

Please see brief summary of prescribing information on reverse for contraindications, warnings, and adverse reactions



Pharmacologic Stress



References: 1.Ranhosky A, Kempthorne-Rawson J, et al. Circulation. 1990;81:1205-1209. 2.Data on file, Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Ridgefield, Conn.

I.V. PERSANTINE (dipyridamole USP) Injection 5mg/ml

Brief Summary of Prescribing Information

CONTRAINISCATIONS Hypersensitivity to dipyridamole.

WARRINGS Serious adverse reactions associated with the administration of intravenous Persantine* (dipyridamole USP) have included fatal and non-fatal myocardial infarction, ventricular fibrillation, symptomatic ventricular tachycardia, transient cerebral ischemia, and bronchospasm.

In a study of 3911 patients given intravenous Persantine as an adjunct to thallium myocardial perfusion imaging, two types of serious adverse events were reported: 1) four cases of myocardial infarction (0.1%), two tatal (0.05%); and 2) six cases of severe bronchospasm (0.2%). Although the incidence of these serious adverse events was small (0.3%, 10 of 3911), the potential clinical information to be gained through use of intravenous Persantine thallium imaging must be weighed against the risk to the patient. Patients with a history of unstable angina may be at a greater risk for severe myocardial ischemia. Patients with a history of asthma may be at a greater risk for bronchospasm during IV Persantine use.

When thallium myocardial perfusion imaging is performed with intravenous Persantine, parenteral aminophylline should be readily available for relieving adverse events such as bronchospasm or chest pain. Vital signs should be monitored during, and for 10-15 minutes following; the intravenous infusion of Persantine and an electrocardiographic tracing should be obtained using at least one chest lead. Should severe chest pain or bronchospasm occur, parenteral aminophylline may be administered by slow intravenous injection (50-100 mg over 30-60 seconds) in doses ranging from 50 to 250 mg. In the case of severe hypotension, the patient should be placed in a supine position with the head tilted down if necessary, before administration of parenteral aminophylline. If 250 mg of aminophylline does not relieve chest pain symptoms within a few minutes, sublingual nitroglycerin may be administered. If chest pain continues despite use of aminophylline and nitroglycerin, the possibility of myocardial infarction should be considered. If the clinical condition of a patient with an adverse event permits a one minute delay in the administration of parenteral aminophylline, thallium-201 may be injected and allowed to circulate for one minute before the injection of aminophylline. This will allow initial thallium perfusion imaging to be performed before reversal of the pharmacologic effects of Persantine on the coronary circulation.

PRECAUTIONS See WARNINGS.

Brug Interactions Oral maintenance theophylline may abolish the coronary vasodilatation induced by intravenous Persantine® (dipyridamole USP) administration. This could lead to a talse negative thallium imaging result.

Carcinogenesis, Muragenesis, Impairment of Fertility In studies in which dipyridamole was administered in the feed at doses of up to 75 mg/kg/day (9.4 times" the maximum recommended daily human oral dose) in mice (up to 128 weeks in males and up to 142 weeks in females) and rats (up to 111 weeks in males and females), there was no evidence of drug related carcinogenesis. Mutagenicity tests of dipyridamole with bacterial and mammalian cell systems were negative. There was no evidence of impaired fertility when dipyridamole was administered to male and female rats at oral doses up to 500 mg/kg/day (63 times" the maximum recommended daily human oral dose). A significant reduction in number of corpora lutea with consequent reduction in implantations and live fetuses was, however, observed at 1250 mg/kg/day.

*Calculation based on assumed body weight of 50 kg.

Programcy Category B Reproduction studies performed in mice and rats at daily oral doses of up to 125 mg/kg (15.6 times" the maximum recommended daily human oral dose) and in rabbits at daily oral doses of up to 20 mg/kg (2.5 times" the maximum recommended daily human oral dose) have revealed no evidence of impaired embryonic development due to dipyridamole. There are, however, no adequate and well controlled studies in pregnant women. Because animal reproduction studies are not always predictive of human responses, this drug should be used during pregnancy only it clearly needed.

*Calculation based on assumed body weight of 50 kg.

Nursing Methers Dipyridamole is excreted in human milk.

Pediatric Use Safety and effectiveness in children have not been established.

ADVERSE NEACTIONS Adverse reaction information concerning intravenous Persantine® (dipyridamole USP) is derived from a study of 3911 patients in which Intravenous Persantine was used as an adjunct to thallium myocardial perfusion imaging and from spontaneous reports of adverse reactions and the published literature.

Serious adverse events (fatal and non-fatal myocardial infarction, severe ventricular arrhythmias, and serious CNS abnormalities) are described previously (see WARNINGS).

In the study of 3911 patients, the most frequent adverse reactions were: chest pain/angina pectoris (19.7%), electrocardiographic changes (most commonly ST-T changes) (15.9%), headache (12.2%), and dizziness (11.8%).

Adverse reactions occurring in greater than 1% of the patients in the study are shown in the following table:

Incidence (%) of Drug-Related

	Adver	rse Events
Chest Pain/Angina Pectoris	S	19.7
Headache	• •	12.2
Dizziness		11.8
Electrocardiographic Abnor	rmalities/ST-T changes	7.5
Electrocardiographic Abnor	rmalities/Extrasystoles	5.2
Hypotension		4.6
Nausea		4.6
Flushing		3.4
Electrocardiographic Abnor	rmalities/Tachycardia	3.2
Dyspnea		2.6
Pain Unspecified		2.6
Blood Pressure Lability		1.6
Hypertension		1.5
Paresthesia		1.3
Fatigue		1.2
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Less common adverse reactions occurring in 1% or less of the patients within the study included:

Cardiovascular System: Electrocardiographic abnormalities unspecified (0.8%), arrhythmia unspecified (0.6%), palpitation (0.3%), ventricular tachycardia (0.2% see WARNINGS), bradycardia (0.2%), myocardial infarction (0.1% see WARNINGS), AV block (0.1%), syncope (0.1%), orthostatic hypotension (0.1%), atrial fibrillation (0.1%), supraventricular achycardia (0.1%), ventricular arrhythmia unspecified (0.03%) see WARNINGS), heart block unspecified (0.03%), cardiomyopathy (0.03%), edema (0.03%).

Central and Peripheral Nervous System: Hypothesia (0.5%), hypertonia (0.3%), nervousness/anxiety (0.2%), tremor (0.1%), abnormal coordination (0.03%), somnolence (0.03%), dysphonia (0.03%), migraine (0.03%), vertigo (0.03%).

Gastrointestinal System: Dyspepsia (1.0%), dry mouth (0.8%), abdominal pain (0.7%), flatulence (0.6%), vomiting (0.4%), eructation (0.1%), dysphagia (0.03%), tenesmus (0.03%), appetite increased (0.03%).

Respiratory System: Pharyngitis (0.3%), bronchospasm (0.2% see WARNINGS), hyperventilation (0.1%), rhinitis (0.1%), coughing (0.03%), pleural pain (0.03%).

Other: Myalgía (0.9%), back pain (0.6%), injection site reaction unspecified (0.4%), diaphoresis (0.4%), asthenia (0.3%), malaise (0.3%), arthralgia (0.3%), injection site pain (0.1%), rigor (0.1%), earache (0.1%), tinnitus (0.1%), vision abnormalities unspecified (0.1%), dysgeusia (0.1%), thirst (0.03%), depersonalization (0.03%), eye pain (0.03%), renal pain (0.03%), perineal pain (0.03%), breast pain (0.03%), intermittent claudication (0.03%), leg cramping (0.03%).

OVERDOSAGE No cases of overdosage in humans have been reported. It is unlikely that overdosage will occur because of the nature of use (i.e., single intravenous administration in controlled settings). See WARNINGS.

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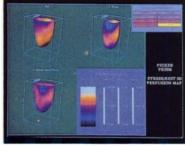
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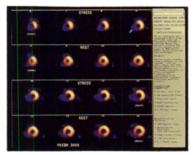
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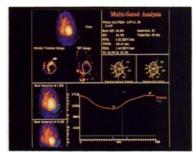
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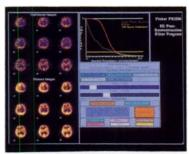
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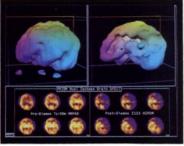
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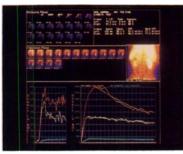
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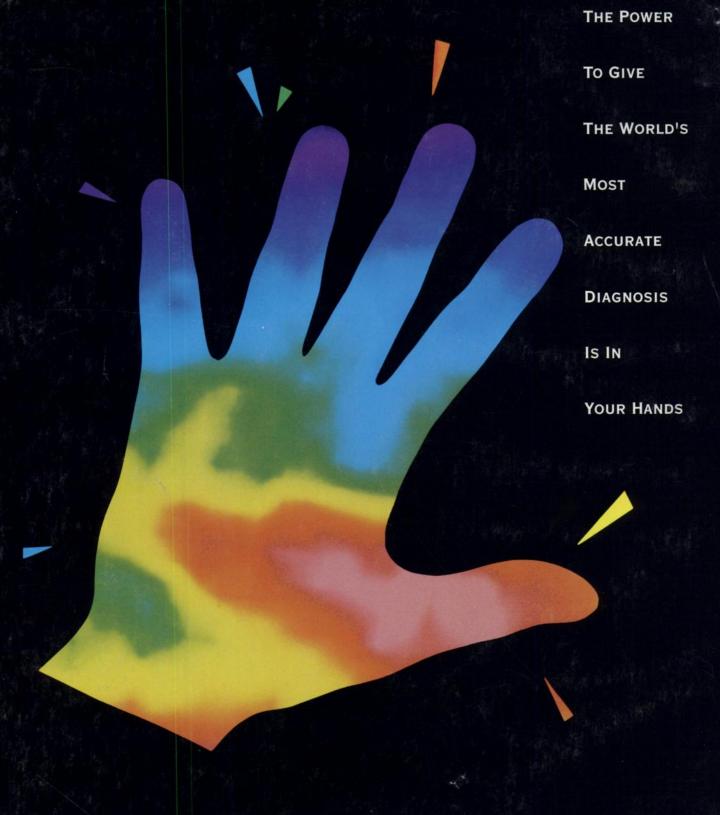
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