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#### Performance

Built-in 500 ml. saline supply provides 15 to 16 milkings per week.

You have clear, clean eluate from first use. Highly concentrated serial elutions can be made daily.

Low aluminum levels. A special process reduces aluminum levels to make them all but undetectable by normal lab methods. Less trace impurities permit wide diagnostic usage.

### Safety

At least  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches of lead lines generator column. Quick milking time lessens exposure.

See-Thru Elution Shield further reduces radiation exposure and simplifies milking. Volume can be measured without lifting vial from elution shield. (Shield is available with first generator.)

Transparent Needle Guard protects fingers.

### Convenience

Compact, pre-assembled, and ready to use. Attach needle and you're ready to elute. Saline solution is an integral part of the generator.

Storage compartment on top contains six 30-ml. elution vials, needles, labels, and instructions.

Self-align milking port. Place elution shield in port, and both needle and evacuated vial are automatically aligned.

Pushbutton Elution. Press down to open valve, and a slight turn locks it for automatic elution.

Automatic Disposal Service. Used generators are no longer a problem. Abbott's Elutek service program helps you dispose of them quickly and easily.

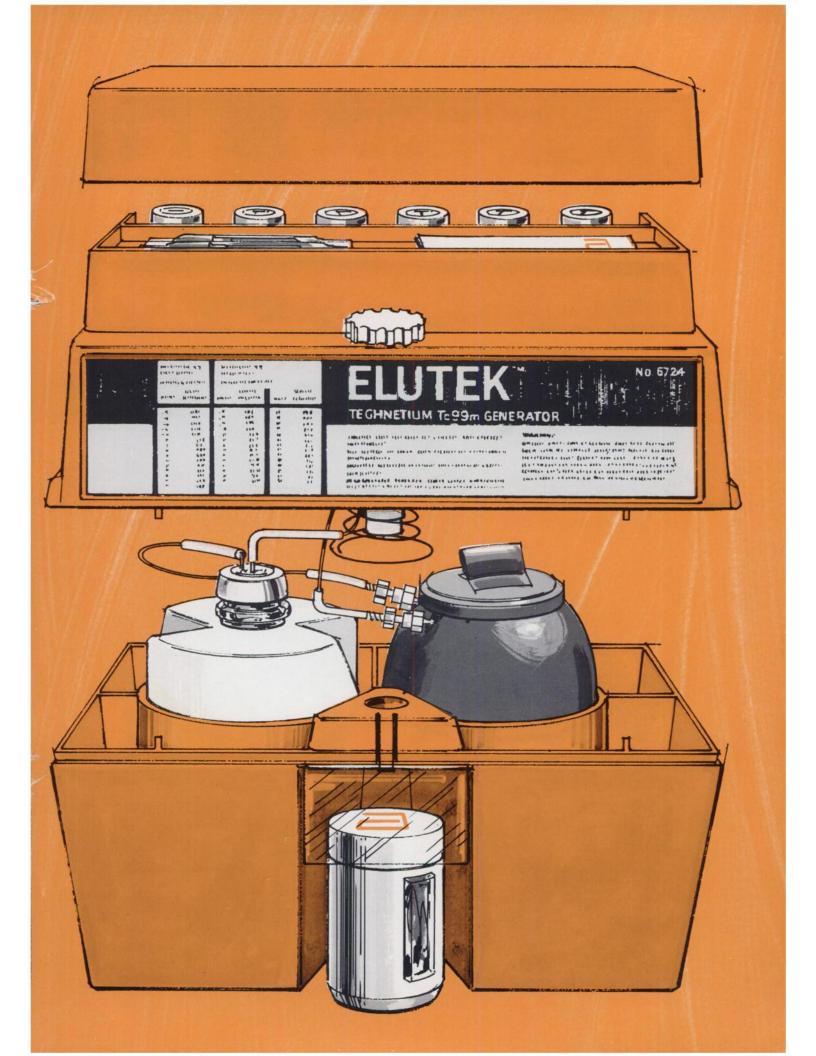
Molybdenum and Technetium-99 Decay tables are on front label-can be seen at a glance.

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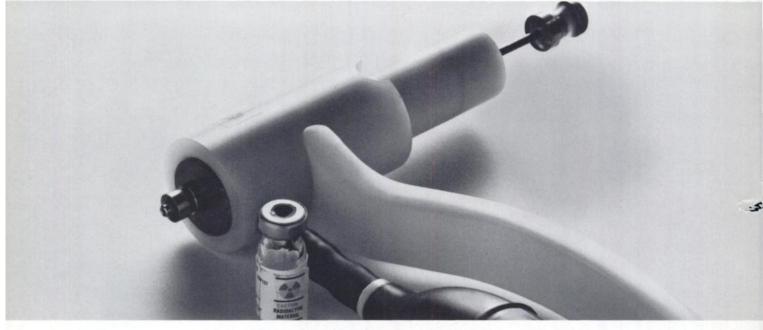
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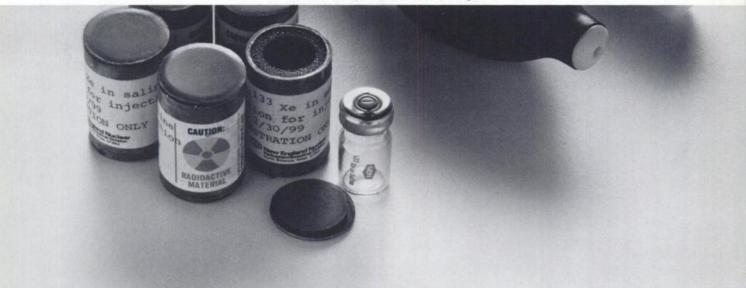
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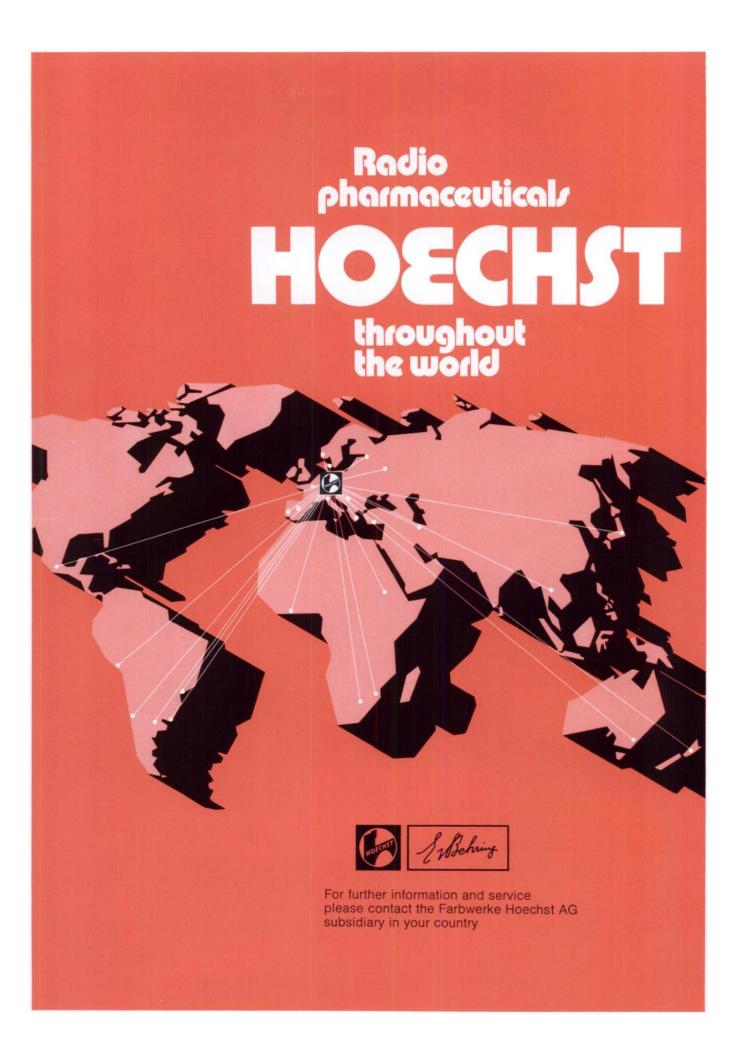


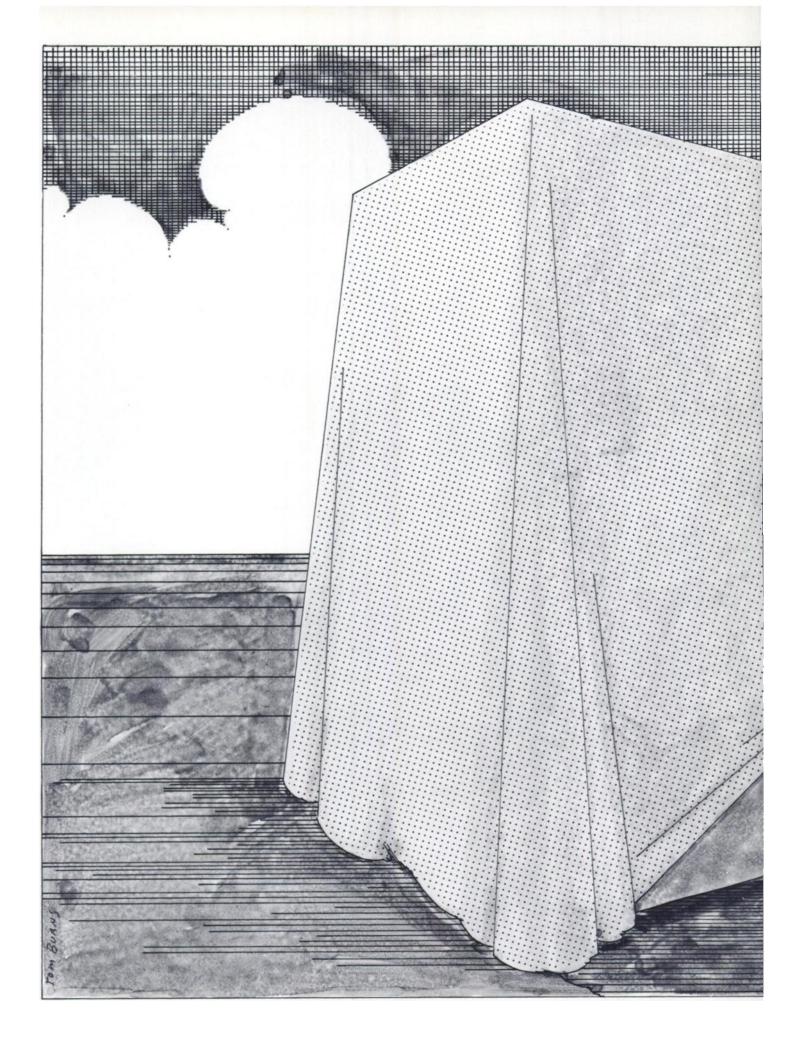
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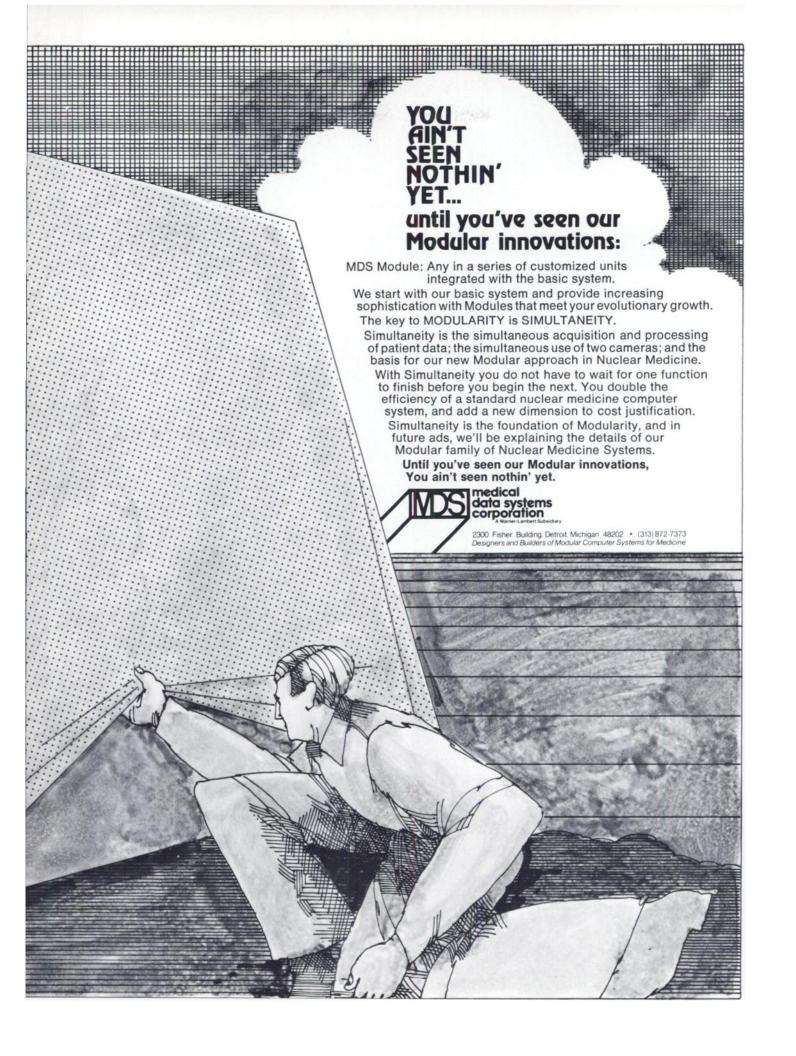


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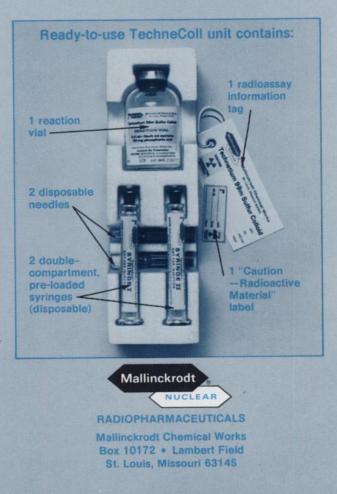
# from Mallinckrodt... new convenient kit for preparation of Technetium-99m Sulfur Colloid

Now you'll find it easy to prepare technetium-99m sulfur colloid in your own laboratory. This new kit was designed to help you to make the procedure as reliable as possible—to provide you with a finished product having consistently high quality.

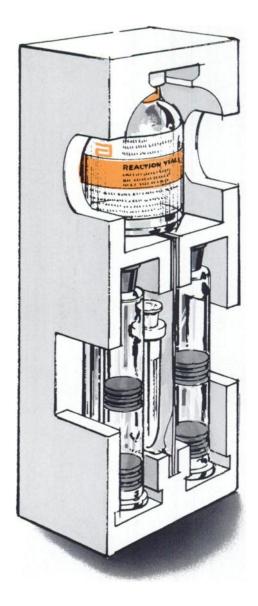
The Mallinckrodt/Nuclear TechneColl™ Kit offers exclusive convenience in use:

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- Unique two-compartment syringes permit separate storage of reagents for maximum stability.
- Mallinckrodt/Nuclear's formulation allows use of the kit with any commercially available generator.

Try this new kit now in your own laboratory (subject to necessary licensing). Ask your Mallinckrodt representative for a demonstration.







### ...for tagged sulfur colloid with clarity-no flocculent precipitate

All kit components are individually wrapped, fully labeled, and packaged in order of use.

Disposable two-compartment syringes protect stability, and reduce steps in processing.

**To sum up:** with Collokit, preparation is easier, faster, and there's less chance of error.

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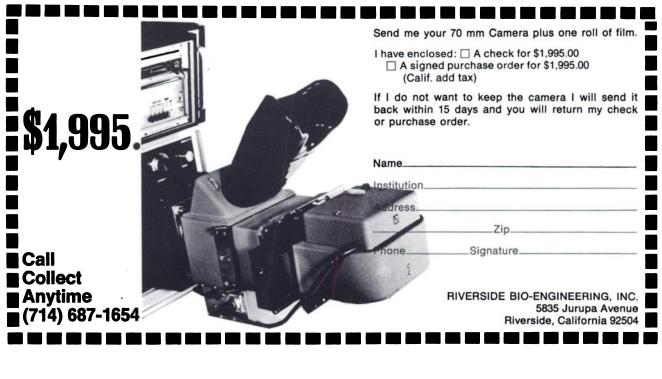


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## BREAKTHROUGH IN ACCURACY OF HEROIN DETECTION... ADUSCREEN Radioimmunoassay for Morphine

## THE RELIABLE WAY TO IDENTIFY HEROIN USERS

ABUSCREEN<sup>™</sup> Radioimmunoassay for Morphine is a specific and unusually sensitive test for the presence of morphine and its analogs in biological specimens.

The test procedure is based on the competitive binding to antibody of radiolabeled antigen\* and unlabeled antigen, in proportion to their concentration in the solution. Unlabeled antigen displaces radioactive antigen from the limited antibody present.

An unknown specimen is added to a test tube containing known amounts of morphine antiserum and radiolabeled antigen. Following precipitation and centrifugation, the supernatant fluid is transferred to test tubes for counting in a scintillation counter. A positive specimen is identified when its radioactivity is equal to or greater than that of the positive control.

**Results can be quantified** by comparing counts per minute (CPM) obtained from dilutions of the unknown specimen with the average CPM obtained from dilutions of the morphine positive control, plotted as a standard curve.

\*Either tritium- or iodine-labeled antigen available

	ABUSCREENTM Radio- immunoassay	Thin Layer Chromatog- raphy (TLC)	Free Radical Assay Tech- nique (FRAT)	Automated Fluorescent Assay	Gas Chromatog- raphy
Recommended Level of Sensitivity	<sup>125</sup> I-labeled antigen 40 ng/ml <sup>3</sup> H-labeled antigen 60 ng/ml	1,000 ng/ml	500 ng/ml	200 ng/ml	500 ng/ml
Labor Thruput (specimens per person per 71/2 hour shift)	475 per day*	60/day	500/day†	260/day	60/day
Labor Cost	\$0.15	\$1.17	\$0.15	\$0.27	\$1.17
Instrument Capacity (based on one shift)	500/day	-	450/day*	260/day	20/day
Treatment of Test Specimen	none	pH adjustment extraction hydrolysis column purification concentration	oxidation	none	pH adjustment multiple (~,8) extractions hydrolysis

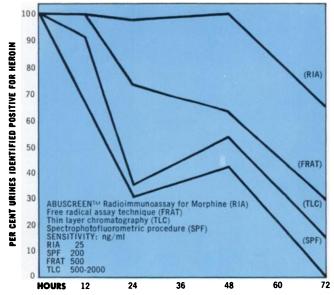
#### COMPARISON OF MORPHINE SCREENING PROCEDURES

\*Exclusive of sample identification and labeling and evaluation of results. †Manufacturer's claim.

## **PROVEN: GREATER RELIABILITY THAN** COMMONLY USE **SCREENING TECHNIQUES**

In a study\* comparing the reliability of ABUSCREEN™ Radioimmunoassay for Morphine<sup>†</sup> with three other primary screening procedures, urine samples from 72 known addicts who admitted to heroin use were analyzed by all four methods. Test results are summarized in the accompanying graph.

COMPARISON OF RELIABILITY OF HEROIN SCREENING TECHNIQUES



specific heroin assay—The test utilizes an immunological reaction, and thus is specific for morphine and its analogs, minimizing the problem of false positives.

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provides objective results—The nature of the test procedure eliminates subjectivity in interpreting results.

\*Catlin, D. H.: Paper presented at the 30th International Congress on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, Amsterdam, Sept. 4-9, 1972.

†In this study, tritium-labeled morphine was used. Reevaluation of the study, using the same antiserum lot and <sup>125</sup>I morphine, produced similar results.

## THE PRIMARY **SCREEN FOR** HEROIN ABUSE Radioimmunoassay for Morphine



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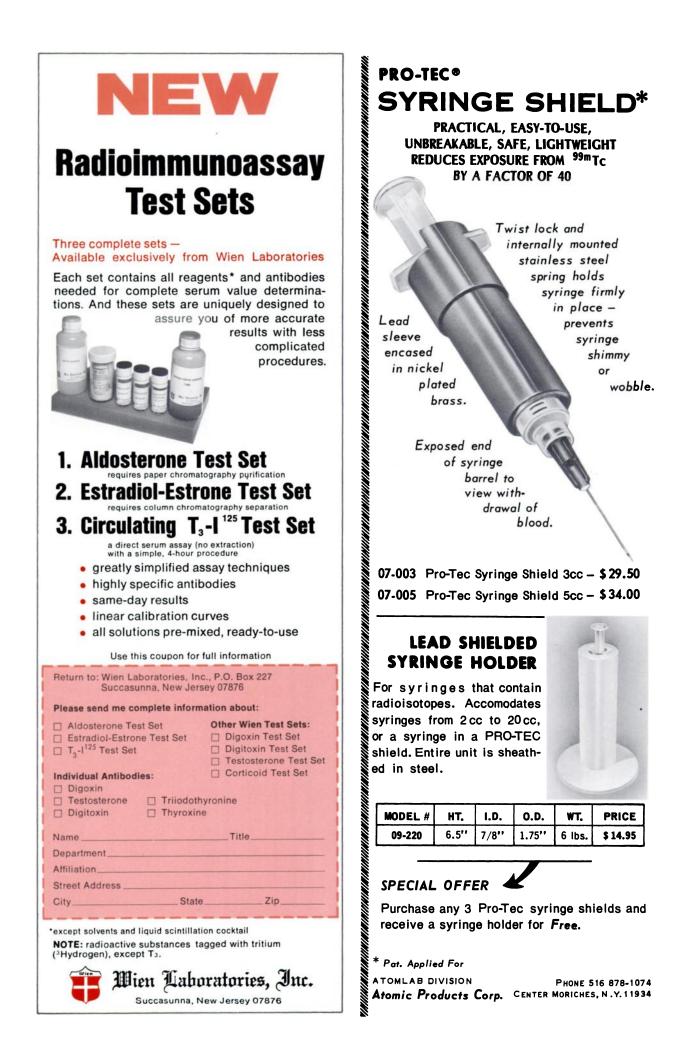
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### (Also known as: the Picker Autowell\*II.)

#### What is the Autowell II?

An automated gamma radioassay system ideal for the radioimmunoassay of many things. Digoxin and digitoxin. Plasma cortisol. Human placental lactogen. Cyclic AMP. Renin activity. Human growth hormone. Insulin. And a host of other applications are now under development in both the clinical and research areas.

#### Why so much interest in radioimmunoassay?

It's a new analytical tool that provides quite remarkable advantages in specificity, sensitivity, and speed.

#### What do I need to get into radioimmunoassay?

Usually the individual kits provide all the required reagents. But not, of course, the necessary instrumentation. That's where "The Radioimmunoassayer" comes in. It's the gamma radioassay system for most radioimmunoassays.

#### What else should I know about the Autowell?

Briefly: it's a system offering high efficiency, reliability, and ease of operation in the automated radioassay of 100 solid or liquid gammaemitting samples.

#### **Does Autowell II have other applications?**

Yes, T<sub>3</sub>, T<sub>4</sub>, TBI, plasma disappearance studies, red cell survival studies, fat metabolism studies, iron-binding capacity measurements, blood volume measurements, Schilling tests.

#### What support can I expect from Picker?

Plenty. Picker has the most extensive *local* sales and service staff in the entire industry. There are, for example, now over 750 Picker Service Engineers functioning in North America alone. We don't abandon you.

#### And now?

For additional information on "The Radioimmunoassayer" and our flexible lease plans, please call your local Picker representative or write Picker Corporation, 595 Miner Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44143.



# Clinical Newsletter

## Straight talk about a new T-3 test

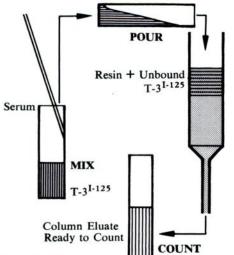
## **Bio-Rad's new TRI-COUNT T-3 combines simplicity, reproducibility and low cost.**

Bio-Rad recently introduced a new T-3 by column test called **TRI-COUNT** that combines simplicity and reproducibility at a price you may find hard to believe. We accomplished all this by utilizing the same ion exchange technology as the Bio-Rad T-4 by Column Test. We kept the test as simple and uncomplicated as possible, building the reproducibility into the test itself rather than depending on operator technique.

### Simplicity

TRI-COUNT T-3 has only three quick steps: mix, pour and count.

The sample is first mixed with radioactive T-3 buffer solution and allowed to stand at room temperature 15 minutes or more. The time is not critical. If the operator can't get to the next step for an hour it won't make any difference in the final results. Next, the mixture is poured into the **TRI-COUNT T-3** column and the eluate collected. Finally, the eluate is counted to determine T-3 value. That's all there is. No centrifugation, no incubation, no precise timing. It's a simple matter of mix, pour, count.



#### Low Cost

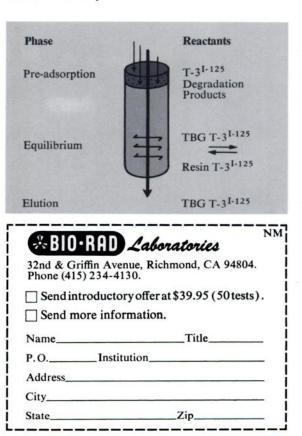
We set out to design the simplest and most reproducible T-3 test possible. When the laboratory results were fully evaluated and the test's simplicity became readily apparent, the low cost came as no surprise. Actually laboratories save money two ways with **TRI-COUNT T-3**: They save money when they buy it and they save time when they use it. An individual test can be performed in only 20 minutes and 20 tests can be completed in just 40 minutes.

#### Reproducibility

**TRI-COUNT T-3** has the highest degree of reproducibility of any T-3 test now on the market. There are three major reasons for this.

- 1. The close control of the ion exchange resin manufactured by Bio-Rad specifically for this T-3 test.
- 2. The **simplicity** of the test that practically eliminates any effect of differences in operator technique.
- 3. The elimination of hormone degradation products as a cause for error. The TRI-COUNT T-3 column is designed to adsorb hormone degradation products and separate them from the equilibration reaction.

None of this "just happened". It was all designed into the test at the start to reduce and eliminate potential errors before they occurred.



## The DI 750 Multi-Format Camera System

The nucleus of our system is the Electronic Programmer. It alters the deflection signals normally used to displace the CRT beam. The image displayed is manipulated in size, location, duration and number. The CRT image moves, not the camera



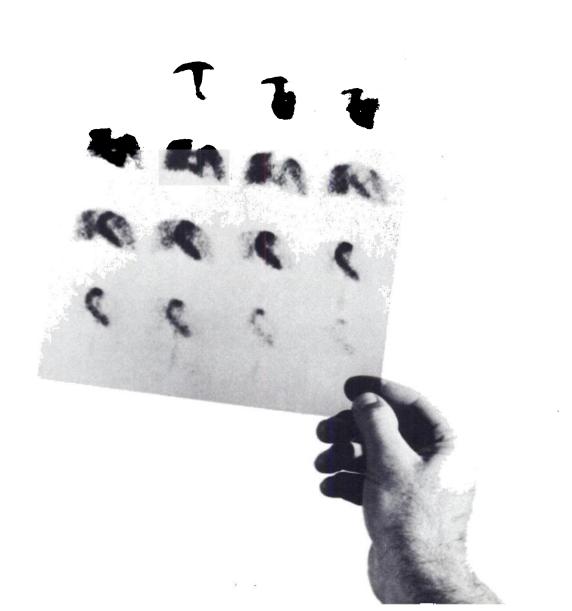
film. That's the essence of our system. Making it "multi-format" and revolutionary. Use the 750-01 Programmer with your existing cameras. Select 1 through 16 frames per film, manually or electronically advanced on the CRT. The size can range from full display (full use of CRT diameter) to 1/16th. Add our 750-02 8 x 10 X-ray Camera which records as many as 16 frames of dynamic flow information on each sheet of 8 x 10 film. Or the 750-03 Back which permits simultaneous

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New solid-state detector improves reliability over previous nuclear geiger tube systems.





\*As developed for the U.S.A.E.C., Division of Biology and Medicine, under contract AT (04-3) -627 with Solid State Radiations Inc., Los Angeles, Calif.

\*\*As developed by the Departments of Radiology, Ophthalmology and Physics of Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.

For complete details, ask for Bulletin 110-B



# RADIOIMMUNOASSAY

Curtis Nuclear Corporation's RIA diagnostic test kits are ideal for Pediatrics (HGH, Vitamin B12) to Geriatrics (Digoxin, Insulin, Vitamin B12). Micro sera sampling plus a highly specific polymerized protein antibody run at room temperature, reduces total test time without altering the precision, specificity, accuracy or producibility of the test.

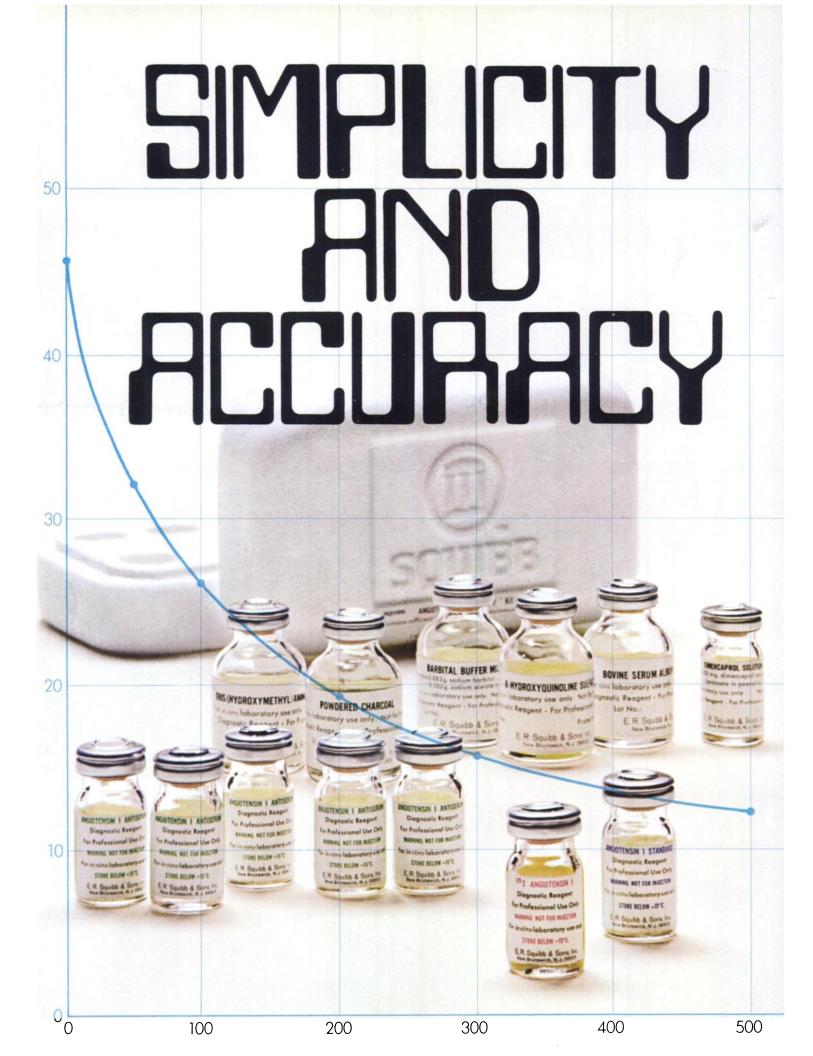
durtis instruments, pipettes and lyophilized serum standards further insure reliable test results.

Regardless of the family needs, Curtis has radioimmunoassay diagnostic test kits for the assessment of hematological and hormonal problems.

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Isn't that what you want when you measure plasma renin activity?

# Designed for precision and accuracy

Three important features of the Immutope Kit assure reliable, reproducible results in determination after determination. First, a special formulation makes the Angiotensin I Standard stable. Second, standardization is protected by a built-in iodine scavenger. Third, *all* the reagents in the Immutope Kit are stable (when properly stored) and all are matched—specifically formulated and tested to assure compatibility.

## Designed for simplicity

Usual work time is significantly reduced because the reagents are premeasured. Because there's no need to run repeat blanks. No ice baths required as with another similar kit...all Angiotensin I Immutope procedures, except for incubations, are done at room temperature. No need to make up fresh reagents every time a series is run...properly stored, the diluted <sup>125</sup>I Angiotensin I solution lasts for a week, the Tris Acetate Buffer with BSA for a month, and the remaining reagents for three months.

# Low cost of individual determinations

The Angiotensin I Immutope Kit doesn't need expensive accessory equipment. It has a big capacity of 500 determinations, only 12 of which need be used for standards — and none of which need be run as reagent blanks. All the required reagents are provided in one complete, reasonably priced kit, for a low cost per individual determination.

for determination of plasma renin activity by radioimmunoassay



combines the extreme sensitivity of radioisotope methodology with the extreme specificity of immunologic techniques

(SQUIBB radioimmunoassay kits are identified by the trade name, IMMUTOPE.)





# FOR CONSISTENT LUNG IMAGES day after day after day after day! USE <sup>99m</sup>Tc ALBUMIN MICROSPHERES

• Uniform Shape and Size Perfectly spherical, the 3M Albumin Microspheres are uniformly sized to 15-30 microns in diameter. This uniformity, coupled with an extremely low tendency to agglomerate, results in truer images of lung perfusion. The result — no hot spots or extra-lung activity.

#### • Integral, yet Biodegradable

Each Albumin Microsphere is a single homogeneous sphere of albumin — they won't disintegrate in the vial or syringe. Yet, microspheres readily clear from the lung. Pulmonary clearance half-times are long enough for multiple view imaging but are still short enough to allow daily imaging, if required. Microscopic analysis of lung tissue in the mouse showed 99 percent of the administered microspheres were gone after 29 hours.<sup>1</sup>

1. Data on file at the 3M Company and the Bureau of Biologics.

#### • Eliminate Interference from "Free" Technetium "Free" isotope

"Free" isotope need no longer interfere with the scan. The unique filter construction of the Microsphere Labeling Vial allows the free isotope to be removed, leaving just labeled microspheres for suspension.

#### • Stable Kit

Currently the expiration date of each kit is 6 months after the date of manufacture. You can stock the kit and have it available for immediate use. Even a department doing a moderate amount of lung imaging can take advantage of quantity discounts.

• Each Lot FDA Approved Thoroughly tested by 3M, each lot is checked by the Bureau of Biologics, FDA, and approved for shipment. This provides a double-check of sterility, lack of pyrogens, and all the important performance parameters of the kit. INDICATIONS Scintillation imaging of the lungs with 99m Tc-Labeled Albumin Microspheres is indicated as an adjunct to other diagnostic procedures whenever information about pulmonary circulation is desired.

**CONTRAINDICATIONS** The safety of Albumin Microspheres in patients with a known right-to-left cardiac shunt has not been established and its use in such patients is contraindicated.

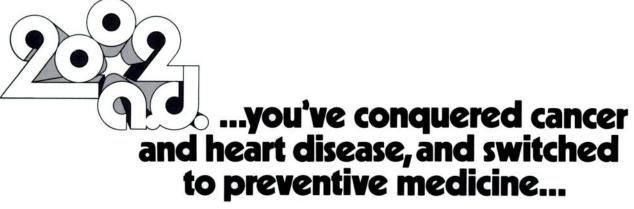
SIDE EFFECTS Although no anaphylactoid reactions have been reported in patients following the administration of Albumin Microspheres, the possibility should be considered that hypersensitivity reactions may occur rarely in patients who receive additional doses of the Microspheres.

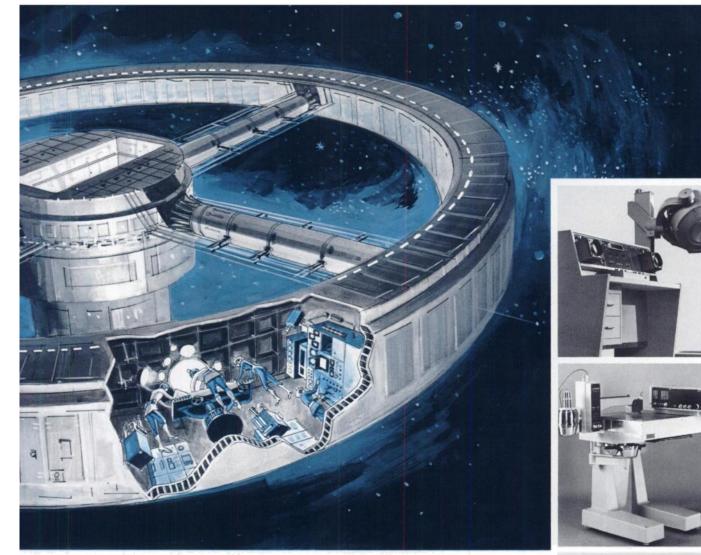
HOW SUPPLIED Each kit contains five labeling units. Each labeling unit contains one day's supply of Albumin Microspheres (5mg – enough for 5 to 7 patients) plus all the reagents necessary to attach technetium to the microspheres.

For detailed information about Microspheres and the 3M Brand Albumin Microsphere <sup>99m</sup>Tc-Labeling Kit, write: **Nuclear Products for Medicine**, 3M Company, 3M Center, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101, or phone TOLL FREE (800) 328-1671.







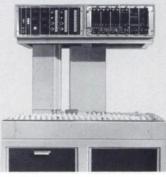


# ... the tools for getting there are here today.

The journey won't be easy. You'll have to travel past the limitations of your five senses. And be extra-familiar with the submolecular, as well as the intracellular, world.

We have the instrumentation to take you there. For instance, Nuclear-Chicago's Pho/Gamma Scintillation Camera. It's the choice of more than 95% of U.S. teaching hospitals and medical schools. They like its high resolution, ease of patient positioning, and its choice of 12 specialized collimators allowing one to switch from routine, "bread-and-butter" imaging to highly sophisticated procedures. Our Pho/Dot is the world's most proven rectilinear scanner. Our Liquid Scintillation and Automatic Gamma Counters embody the newest ideas in capabilityexpansion for radioimmunoassay and competitive binding tests. And we could say equally good things about our Pho/Gamma Tomocamera, Data/Store Playback System, and similar products. But that wouldn't be modest.

When the last of the Great Plagues that afflict humanity has been wiped out, it will be because dedicated people have pinpointed the method of attack. With instruments like these.



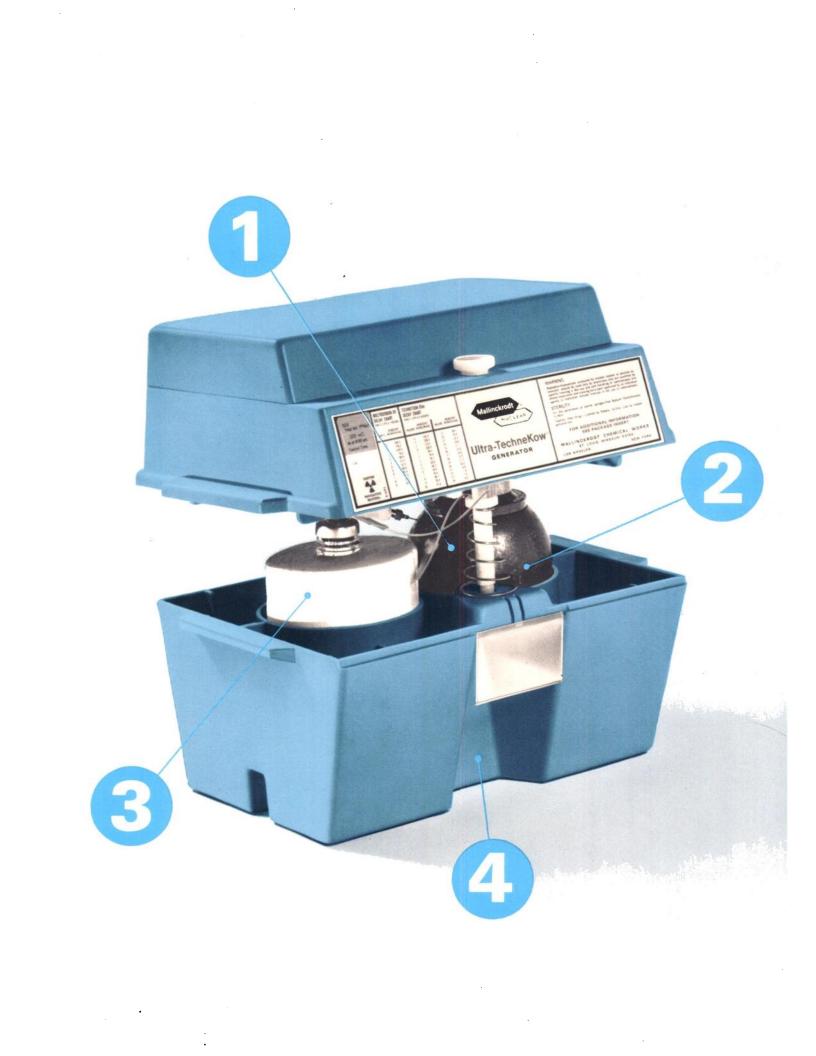


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# Introducing the New Ultra-TechneKow® Technetium Generator





**1.** New enlarged lead shield reduces radiation exposure to the operator. With at least  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches of

lead all around the generator column this is one of the best shielded generators available today.

2. New "Ion Control" Process (patent applied for) reduces aluminum level to a point where it is virtually undetectable by normal laboratory test methods. The eluate may be used with any of the currently available sulfur colloid kits or with other tagging procedures requiring low aluminum levels.

**3. New 500-ml saline supply** allows as many as 15 or 16 elutions per week. The saline supply is built in and factory sealed, an exclusive feature of the new **Ultra-TechneKow**.

**4. New self-aligning milking station** makes the elution process simpler than ever. When the "Sight Glass" elution shield with evacuated vial is placed into the milking station, the needle is automatically centered over the evacuated vial. Press plunger down, turn slightly to lock into position, and elution proceeds automatically.

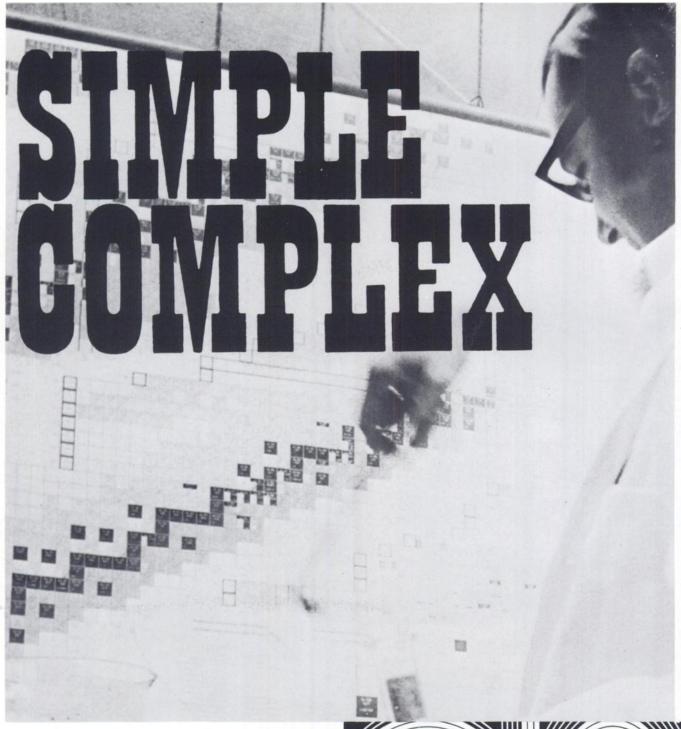
#### It's the most advanced concept in technetium-99m generators.

This all-new, redesigned version of our Ultra-TechneKow series is carefully engineered into an attractive, pre-assembled, completely self-contained unit. This model is the culmination of seven years of experience making technetium-99m generators. The Ultra-TechneKow Generator is shipped each week complete with evacuated elution vials, needle pack with labels, molybdenum-99 and technetium-99m reference tables, needle guard for operator safety, convenient carrying handles, and package insert with complete information.

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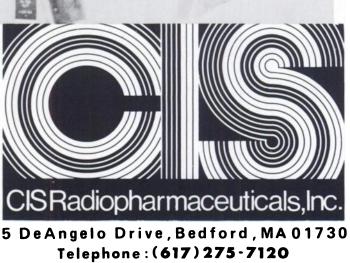
Our DTPA (Sn) kits make pure technetium DTPA complex, uncontaminated by iron ascorbate complex. Thus, excretion of this complex solely by glomerular filtration\* provides an otherwise unobtainable insight into kidney function.

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\*Eckelman, Richards, Hauser and Atkins, J. Nuclear Medicine 12, 699 (1971)



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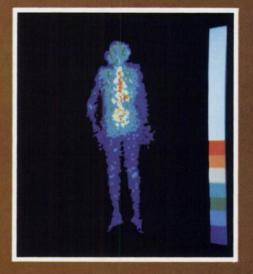
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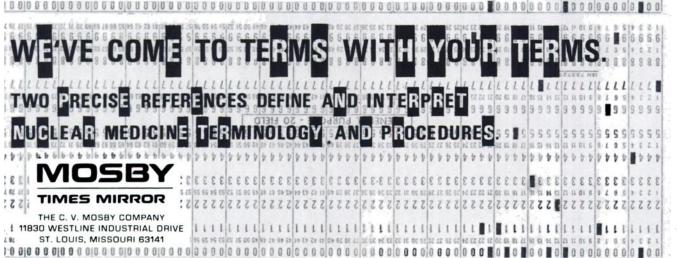
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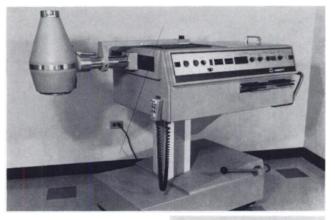


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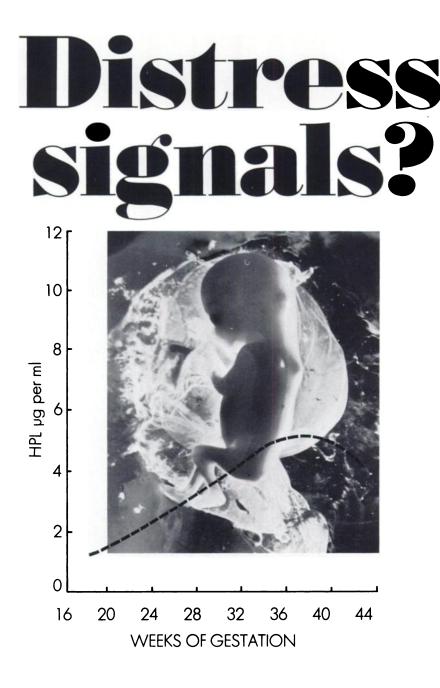
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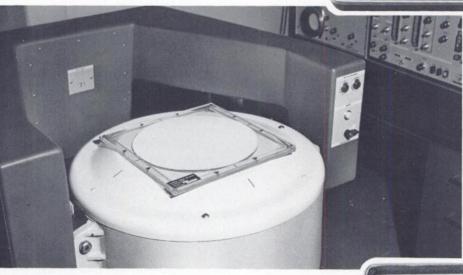


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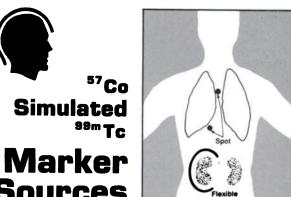
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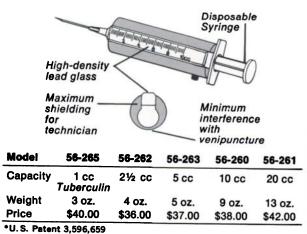
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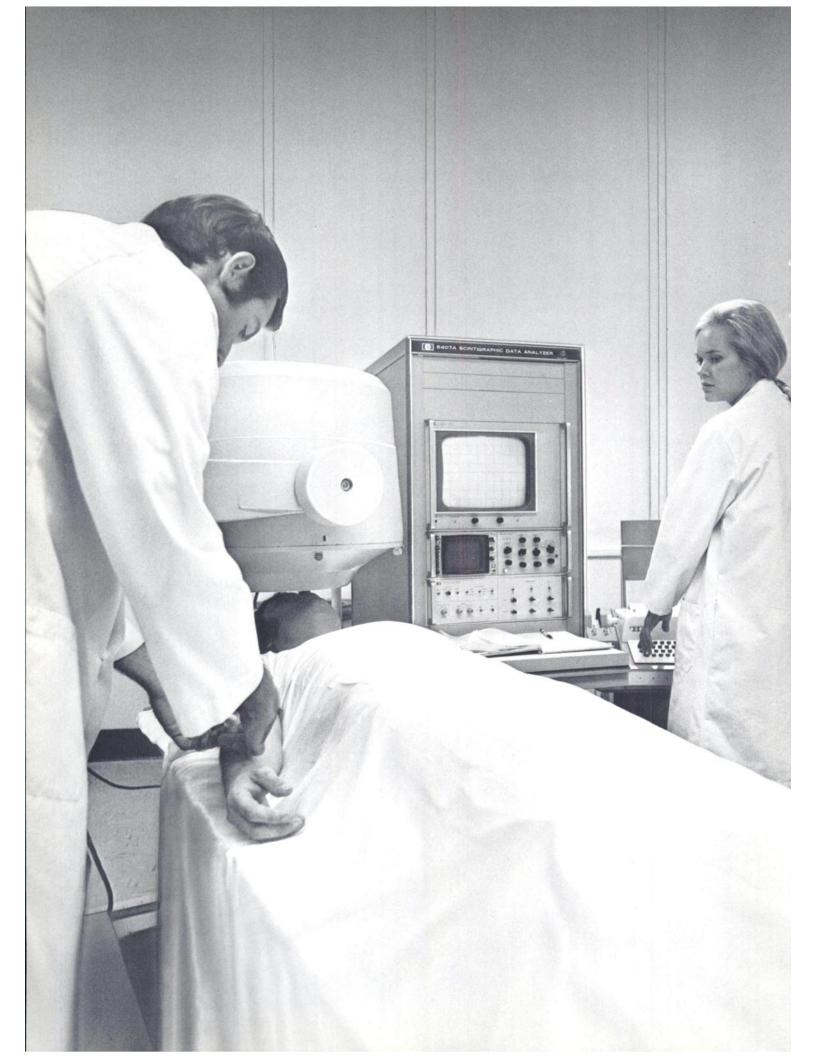
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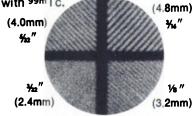


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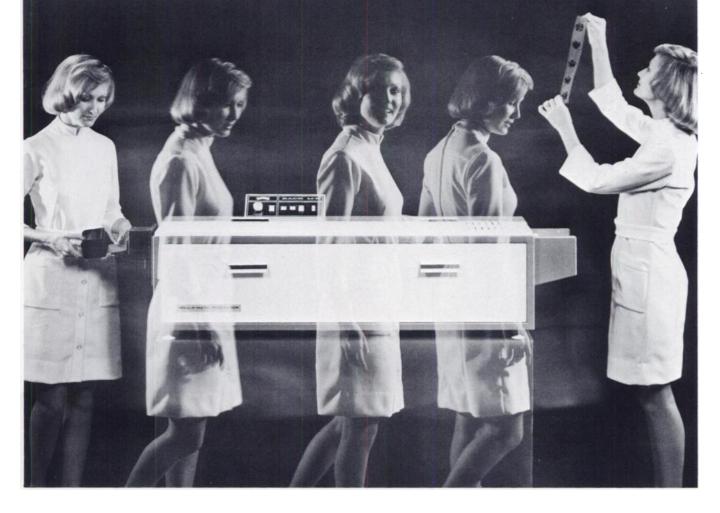
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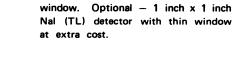
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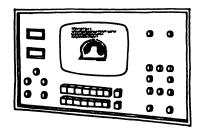
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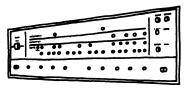
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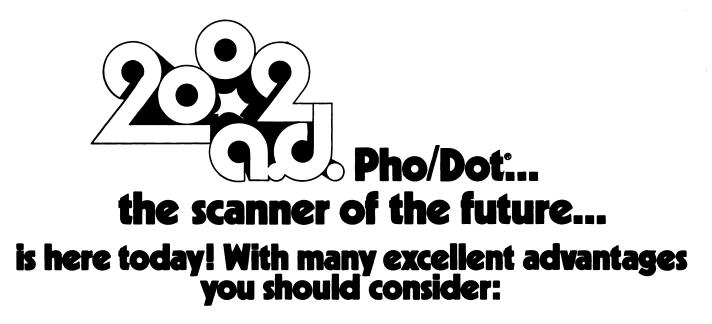
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Gone is the guesswork when you photoscan with Pho/Dot. Because Pho/Dot incorporates a number of significant advances in electromechanical design and engineering, to bring you the highest order of fidelity and convenience in clinical isotope scanning. To name a few advances...

Patient Positioning—The hospital cart or bed can be positioned under or to the side of the scanning platform permitting scanning in a room only 7 ft. widel

Scan Area—Any area up to 40 cm maximum—for both dot and photographic recording! (Limits of scan are easily set by means of lockable mechanical stops on centimeter-graduated scales.)

Maximum Tap Rate—Tapper is capable of operating at 70 pulses per second, continuously! (Occasional higher repetition rates will not jam the tapper.)

**Quick-Change Collimators** 

-Collimators are stored in a lazy susan tray below the scanning head -the 4-collimator capacity tray easily swings into position for collimator changing.

**Digital Response**—Both the photorecording and dot recording systems feature a digital response that: 1) with no suppression, produces a sharp-isotope image on the film thanks to the digitized photo-producing light source and the precision lens system in the photorecording system, and that, 2) allows you to operate on a one-dot per one-count basis over a count-rate range of 0-4,000 counts per minute! Thanks to the exclusive Rapi/Dot<sup>™</sup> tapper. (With this system you can obtain a tap scan that provides a sharp, continuous-tone reproduction of the isotope pattern!)

Enough to whet your interest? If you'd like to learn more about all the features of this truly unusual instrument that's 'way ahead of its time . . . more like 2002 A.D. than 1972 . . . contact your Nuclear-Chicago sales engineer or write to us for our free Pho/Dot brochure.



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