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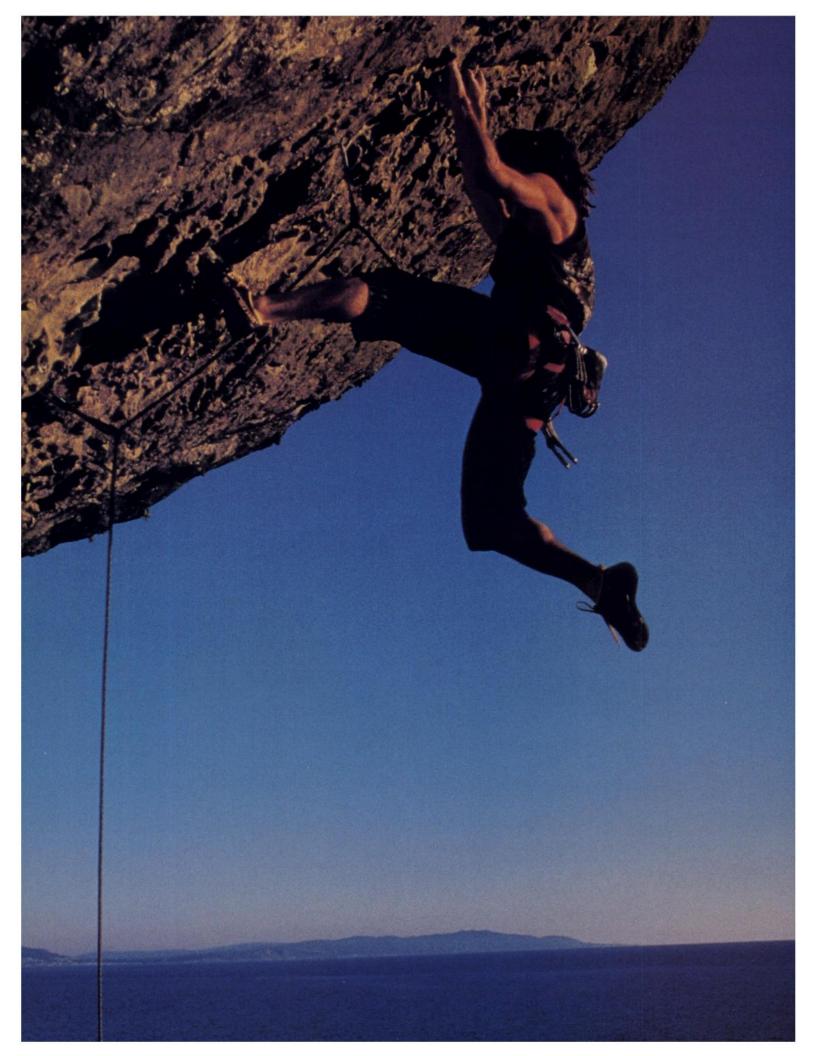
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Stress testing should be performed only under the supervision of a qualified physician in a laboratory equipped with appropriate resuscitation and support apparatus. There have been infrequent reports of signs and symptoms consistent with seizure and severe hypersensitivity after administration of Tc99m Sestamibi. Pharmacologic stress may be associated with serious adverse events such as myocardial infarction, arrhythmias, hypertension, bronchoconstriction, and cerebrovascular events. Caution should be used when pharmacologic stress is selected as an alternative to exercise.

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### **Brief Summary**

Kit for the preparation of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi

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INDICATIONS AND USAGE: CARDIOLITE\*, Kit for the preparation of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi, is a myocardial perfusion agent that is indicated for detecting coronary artery disease by localizing myocardial increases of the control of the coronary and the coronary and the coronary information for use in patient management decisions. CARDIOLITE\* evaluation of myocardial function and developing information for use in patient management decisions. CARDIOLITE\* evaluation of myocardial ischemia can be accomplished with rest and cardiovascular stress techniques (e.g., exercise or pharmacologic stress in accordance with the pharmacologic

It is usually not possible to determine the age of a myocardial infarction or to differentiate a recent myocardial infarction

CONTRAINDICATIONS: None known

WARNINGS: In studying patients in whom cardiac disease is known or suspected, care should be taken to assure continuous monitoring and treatment in accordance with safe, accepted clinical procedure. Infrequently, death has occurred 4 to 24 hours after Tc99m Sestamibi use and is usually associated with exercise stress testing (See PRECAUTIONS).

Pharmacologic induction of cardiovascular stress may be associated with serious adverse events such as myocardial infarction, arrhythmias, hypotension, bronchoconstriction and cerebrovascular events. Caution should be used when pharmacologic stress is selected as an alternative to exercise; it should be used when indicated and in accordance with the pharmacologic stress agent's labeling.

PRECAUTIONS:

### GENERAL.

The contents of the vial are intended only for use in the preparation of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi and are not to be administered directly to the patient without first undergoing the preparative procedure.

Radioactive drugs must be handled with care and appropriate safety measures should be used to minimize radiation exposure to chinical personnel. Also, care should be taken to minimize radiation exposure to the patients consistent with proper patient management.

Contents of the kit before preparation are not radioactive. However, after the Sodium Pertechnetate Tc99m Injection is added, adequate shielding of the final preparation must be maintained.

The components of the kit are sterile and non-pyrogenic. It is essential to follow directions carefully and to adhere to strict aseptic procedures during preparation.

Technetium Tc99m labeling reactions involved depend on maintaining the stannous ion in the reduced state. Hence, Sodium Pertechnetate Tc99m Injection containing oxidants should not be used.

Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi should not be used more than six hours after preparation.

Radiopharmaceuticals should be used only by physicians who are qualified by training and experience in the safe use and handling of radionuclides and whose experience and training have been approved by the appropriate government agency authorized to license the use of radionuclides.

Stress testing should be performed only under the supervision of a qualified physician and in a laboratory equipped with appropriate resuscitation and support apparatus.

The most frequent exercise stress test endpoints, which resulted in termination of the test during controlled Tc99m Sestambi studies (two-thirds were cardiac patients) were: s (two-thirds were cardiac patients) were

> Fatigue 17% 16% 7% 1% Dyspnea Chest Pain ST-depression Arrhythmia

Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility

In comparison with most other diagnostic technetium labeled radiopharmaceuticals, the radiation dose to the ovaries (1.5rads/30mCi at rest, 1.2 rads/30mCi at exercise) is high. Minimal exposure (ALARA) is necessary in women of childbearing capability. (See Dosimetry subsection in DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION section.)

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The active intermediate, [Cu(MIBD<sub>1</sub>]BF<sub>1</sub>, was evaluated for genotoxic potential in a battery of five tests. No genotoxic activity was observed in the Ames, CHO/HPRT and sister chromatid exchange tests (all in vitro). At cytotoxic concentrations (2 20µg/ml), an increase in cells with chromosome abertations was observed in the in vitro human hymphocyte assay. [Cu(MIBD<sub>1</sub>)BF<sub>2</sub> did not show genotoxic effects in the in vitro mouse micronucleus test at a dose which caused systemic and bone marrow toxicity (9mg/kg, > 600 × maximal human dose).

### Pregnancy Category C

Animal reproduction and teratogenicity studies have not been conducted with Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi. It is also not known whether Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi can cause fetal harm when administered to a pregnant woman or can affect reproductive capacity. There have been no studies in pregnant women. Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi should be given to a pregnant woman only if clearly needed.

### Nursing Mothers

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.

### Pediatric Use

Safety and effectiveness in children below the age of 18 have not been established.

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ADVERSE REACTIONS: During clinical trials, approximately 8% of patients experienced a transient parosmia and/or taste perversion (metallic or bitter taste) immediately after the injection of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi. A few cases of transient headache, flushing, edema, injection site inflammation, dyspepsia, nausea, vomiting, pruritus, rish, urticaria, dry moth, fever, dizziness, fatigue, dyspenea, and hypotension also have been attributed to administration of the agent. Cases of angina, chest pain, and death have occurred (see WARNINGS and PRECAUTIONS). The following adverse reactions have been rarely reported: signs and symptoms consistent with seizure occurring shortly after administration of the agent; transient arthribis in a wrist joint; and severe hyperensitivity, which was characterized by dyspene, hypotension, bradycardia, asthenia and vomiting within two hours after a second injection of Technetium Tc99m Sestamibi.



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INDICATIONS AND USAGE IV Persantine\* (dipyridamole USP) is indicated as an alternative to exercise in thallium myocardial perfusion imaging for the evaluation of coronary artery disease in patients who cannot exercise adequately

CONTRAINDICATIONS Hypersensitivity to dipyridamole.

WARNINGS Serious adverse reactions associated with the administration of intravenous Persantine\* (dipyridamole USP) have included cardiac death, fatal and non-fatal myocardial infarction, ventricular fibrillation, symptomatic ventricular tachycardia, stroke, transient cerebral ischemia, seizures, anaphylactoid reaction and bronchospasm. Theave been reported cases of asystole, simus node arrest, simus node depression and conduction block. Patients with abnormalities of cardiac impulse formation/conduction or severe coronary artery disease may be at increased risk for

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 fatal (0.05%), and two non-fatal (0.05%); and 2) six cases of severe broanchospasm (0.2%). Although the incidence of these serious adverse events was small (0.3% to 0.3911), 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.

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 cour, 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 thied 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 injected and allowed to or Persantine\* on the coronary circulation.

PRECALITIONS See WARNINGS

PRECAUTIONS See WARNINGS

Drug Interactions Oral maintenance theophylline and other xanthine derivatives such as caffeine may abolish the coronary vasodilatation induced by intravenous Persantine® (dipyridamole USP) administration. This could lead to a false negative thallium imaging result (see Mechanism of Action).

Myasthenia gravis patients receiving therapy with cholinesterase inhibitors may experience worsening of their disease in the presence of dipyridamole.

in the presence or upyricamole. Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, 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 lutes 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.

Pregnancy 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 evidience 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 if clearly needed.

\*Calculation based on assumed body weight of 50 kg.

Nursing Mothers Dipyridamole is excreted in human milk.

Pediatric Use Safety and effectiveness in the pediatric population have not been established.

ADVERSE REACTIONS 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 (cardiac death, fatal and non-fatal myocardial infarction, ventricular fibrillation, asystole, sinus node arrest, symptomatic ventricular tachycardia, stroke, transient cerebral ischemia, seizures, anaphylactoid reaction and bronchospasm.) are described above (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%).

Drug-related adverse events occurring with >1% incidence in this study were: chest pain/angina pectoris (19.7%), headache (12.2%), dizziness (11.8%), electrocardiographic abnormalities/ST-T changes (7.5%), electrocardiographic abnormalities/ST-T changes (7.5%), electrocardiographic abnormalities/extrasystoles (5.2%), hypotension (4.6%), nausea (4.6%), flushing (3.4%), electrocardiographic abnormalities/extrasystoles (3.2%), dyspace (2.6%), pajn unspecified (2.6%), blood pressure lability (1.6%), hypertension (1.5%), paresthesia (1.3%), and fatigue (1.2%).

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 tachycardia (0.1%), estructular arrhythmia unspecified (0.03%) see WARNINGS), heart block unspecified (0.03%), cardiomyopathy (0.03%), elema (0.03%).

Central and Peripheral Nervous System: Hypothesia (0.5%), hypertonia (0.3%), nervousness/amxiety (0.2%), tremor (0.1%), abnormal coordination (0.03%), somnolence (0.03%), dysphonia (0.03%), migraine (0.03%), vertigo (0.03%). Castrointestinal System: Dyspepsia (1.0%), dry mouth (0.8%), abdominal pain (0.7%), fatulence (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%).

(0.1%), cougning (0.05%), pietral pain (0.05%). Injection site reaction unspecified (0.4%), diaphoresis (0.4%), asthenia (0.3%), malaise (0.3%), arthralgia (0.3%), injection site pain (0.1%), figor (0.1%), earache (0.1%), tinnitus (0.1%), vision abnormalities unspecified (0.1%), dysgeusia (0.1%), thirst (0.03%), depersonalization (0.03%), erye pain (0.05%), renal pain (0.03%), personal pain (0.03%), breast pain (0.03%), breast pain (0.03%), and ditional postmarketing experience, there have been rare reports of allergic reaction including urticaria, pruritus, dermatitis and rash.



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### ProstaScint™ Kit (Capromab Pendetide)

Kit for the Preparation of Indium In 111 Capromab Pendetide For Intravenous Use Only

BRIEF SUMMARY - Consult package insert for full prescribing information

INDICATIONS AND USAGE Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ (Capromab Pendetide) is indicated as a diagnostic imaging agent in newly-diagnosed patients with biopsy-proven prostate cancer, thought to be clinically-localized after standard diagnostic evaluation (e.g. chest x-ray, bone scan, CT scan, or MRI), who are at high-risk for pelvic lymph node metastases (see CLINICAL PHARNACOLOSY, <u>Imagina Performance in Newly-Diagnosed Patients</u>). It is not indicated in patients who are not at high risk Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ is also indicated as a diagnostic imaging agent in post-prostatedomy patients with a rising PSA and a negative or equivocal standard metastatic evaluation in whom there is high clinical suspicion of occult metastatic disease. The imaging performance of Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ following radiation therapy has not been studied. The information provided by Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ imaging should be considered in conjunction with other diagnostic information. Scans that are positive for metastatic disease should confirmed thistologically in patients who are otherwise candidates for surgery or radiation therapy unless medically contraindicated. Scans that are negative for metastatic disease should not be used in lieu of histological confirmation. ProstaScint™ is not indicated as a screening tool for carcinoma of the prostate nor for readministration for the purpose of assessment of response to treatment.

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CONTRAINDICATIONS Indium in 111 ProstaScint™ should not be used in patients who are hypersensitive to this or any other product of murine origin or to Indium In 111 chloride.

WARNINGS Patient management should not be based on Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ (Capromab Pendetide) scan results without appropriate conlimatory studies since in the pivotal trials, there was a high rate of talse positive and talse negative image interpretations (See PRECAUTIONS). Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ image should be interpretation (be precautions). Allergic reactions, including anaphylaxis, can occur in patients who receive murine antibodies. Although serious reactions of this type have not been observed in clinical trials after Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ administration, medications for the treatment of hypersensitivity reactions should be available during administration of this agent. Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ may induce human anti-mouse antibodies which may interfere with some immunoassays, including those used to assay PSA and digoxin (see PRECAUTIONS, Drug/Laboratory Test Interactions).

PRECAUTIONS

General: There were high rates of false positive and false negative image interpretations in the privotal trials (see Clinical Studies). False positive scan interpretations may result in: (1) inappropriate surgical intervention to confirm scan results; (2) inappropriate denial of curative therapy if results are not confirmed; or (3) inadequate surgical staging if only areas of uptake are sampled. Surgical sampling should not be limited to the areas of positive uptake, unless histologic examination of these areas is diagnostic. Due to the potential for false negative scan interpretations, negative images should not be used in lieu of histologic confirmation. Proper patient preparation is mandatory to obtain optimal for interpretation (see Imaging Precautions, below). Bone scans are more sensitive than ProstaScint™ (Capromab Pendetide) for the detection of metastases to bone, and Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ should not replace bone scan for the evaluation of skeletal metastases. the evaluation of skeletal metastases

the evaluation of skeletal metastases.

Imaging Presentions Radiopharmaceuticals should be used only by physicians and other professionals who are qualified by training and experience in the sale use and handling of radionuclides. Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ images should be interpreted only by physicians who have had specific training in the interpretation of Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ images. There may be Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ clearance and imaging localization observed in the bowel, blood pool, kidneys, and urriary bladder. When obtaining all 72-120 hour planar and Single-Photon Emission Computed Tomography (SPECT) images, the bladder should be catheterized and irrigated. The administration of acthartic is required the evening before imaging the patient, and a cleansing enema should be administration of acthartic is required the evening before imaging the patient, and a cleansing enema should be administrated within an hour prior to each 72-120 hour imaging session. The contents of the kit are not radioactive. However, after the Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ with the maintained. Care should be taken to minimize radiation exposure to patients and medical personnel, consistent with proper hospital and patient management procedures. Each ProstaScint™ as a unif of use package. The contents of the kit are to be used only to prepare Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ with proper hospital and patient management procedures. Each ProstaScint™ as a unif of use package. The contents of the kit are to be used only to repear the Indium In 111, enableded ProstaScint™ dose must be administered to the patient. After radioabeting with Indium In 111, the entire Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ dose must be administered to the patient The whom it was prescribed. Reducing the dose of Indium In 111, unlabeted prostaScint™ on Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ and on Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ in Indium essential to follow the directions for preparation carefully and to adhere to strict aseptic procedures during preparation

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Information for Patients Murine monoclonal antibodies (MAbs) are foreign proteins, and their administration can induce HAMA. While limited data exist concerning the clinical significance of HAMA, the presence of HAMA in the presence of their turnor, the ability to perform certain other laboratory tests, or to use other murine-based products. Patients should be advised to discuss prior use of murine-artibody based products with their physicians (see Heterologous Protein Administration, below).

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Drang A benchary Test Interactions: The presence of HAMA in serum as a result of ProstaScint™ may interfere with some antibody-based immunoassays (such as PSA and digoxin). When present, this interference generally results in talsely high values. When following PSA levels, assay wethous resistant to HAMA interference stouch be utilized. PSA assays which were found to be resistant to HAMA interference were Hybritech Tandern-R and Abbott IMX. When patients have received Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ the clinical laboratory should be notified to take appropriate measures to avoid interference by HAMA with clinical laboratory testing procedures. These methods include the use of non-murine-based immunoassays, HAMA removal by adsorption, or sample pre-treatment to block HAMA activity.

Carclinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fartility Long-term animal studies have not been performed to evaluate the carcinogenic or mutagenic potential of Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ or to evaluate its effect on fertility.

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Pediatric Upa. The safety and effectiveness of Indium in 111 ProstaScint™ in pediatric patients have not been established. ProstaScint™ is not indicated for use in children.

ADVERSE REACTIONS ProstaScint™ (Capromab Pendetide) was generally well tolerated in the clinical trials. After administration of 529 single doses of Indium in 111 ProstaScint™ adverse reactions were observed in 4% of patients. The most commonly reported adverse reactions were increases in bilinubin, hypotension, and hypertension, which cocurred in 1% of patients. Elevated liver enzymes and injection site reactions occurred in slightly less than 1% of patients. Other adverse reactions, listed in order of decreasing frequency, were: pruritus, lever, rash, headache, myalgia, asthenia, burning sensation in thigh, shortness of breath, and affection of taste. Most adverse reactions were mild areadily reversible. Data from repeal administration in 61 patients revealed a similar incidence of adverse reactions (5%). No deaths were attributable to Indium In 111 ProstaScint™ administration.

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ProstaScint<sup>nu</sup> (Capromab Pendetide) is covered in whole or in part by at least the following US patents: #4,671,958, #4,741,900, and #5,162,504.

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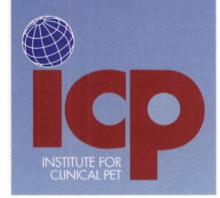


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Imaging instrumentation, radiopharmaceutical delivery, clinical applications and reimbursement for positron imaging are rapidly changing. This course will provide an up-to-date perspective on the expansion of positron imaging technologies to include high energy collimation, dual head gamma cameras with coincidence detection, partial ring PET scanners and high end PET systems. The components of a radiopharmacy network that supplies FDG to clinics will be described. The clinical questions will be exemplified in the course by focusing on detection, staging and therapeutic assessment of various cancers with these positron imaging systems. Data from clinical trials, formulated into evidence based cost benefit analysis, will be presented along with an update on the status of reimbursement from various types of private and federal sources.

### **Program**

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5:05-5:25	Positron Imaging Technology – Present and Future	Michael E. Phelps, Ph.D.
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	Breast Cancer and Lymphoma	Carter Young, M.D.
	Head and Neck Cancer and Cancer of the Esophagus	Val J. Lowe, M.D.
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	Cancer of the Lung, Esophagus and Head and Neck	Paul D. Shreve, M.D.
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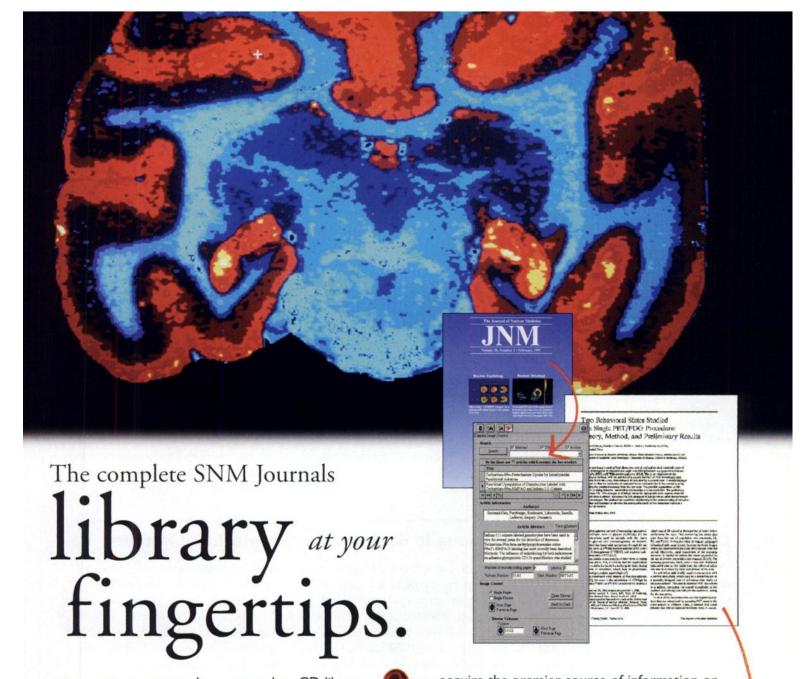
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All patients had exercise and rest planar imaging with Myoview and thallium-201; 191 (76%) patients also had SPECT imaging. The Myoview and thallium-201 images were separated by a mean of 5.1 days (1-14 days before or 2-14 days after Myoview). For Myoview imaging, each patient received 185-296 MBq (5-8 mCi) Tc99m tetrofosmin at peak exercise and 555-888 MBq (15-24 mCi) Tc99m tetrofosmin at rest approximately 4 hours later. For thallium-201 imaging, patients received thallium-201 55.5-74 MBq (1.5-2.0 mCi) at peak exercise.

The images were evaluated for the quality of the image (excellent, good or poor) and the diagnosis (with scores of 0 = normal, 1 = ischemia, 2 = infarct, 3 = mixed infarct and ischemia). The primary outcome variable was the percentage of correct diagnoses in comparison to the final clinical diagnosis. All planar images were blindly read; SPECT images were evaluated by the unblinded investigator. A subset of 181/252 (71%) patients had coronary angiography comparisons to the planar images of Myoview or thallium-201.

### **INDICATIONS AND USAGE**

Myoview is indicated for scintigraphic imaging of the myocardium following separate administrations under exercise and resting conditions. It is useful in the delineation of regions of reversible myocardial ischemia in the presence or absence of infarcted myocardium.

### CONTRAINDICATIONS

None known.

### WARNINGS

In studying patients with known or suspected coronary artery disease, care should be taken to ensure continuous cardiac monitoring and the availability of emergency cardiac treatment.

### **PRECAUTIONS**

### General

To minimize radiation dose to the bladder, the patient should be encouraged to void when the examination is completed and as often thereafter as possible. Adequate hydration should be encouraged to permit frequent voiding.

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Sometimes Tc99m labeled myocardial imaging agents may produce planar and SPECT images with different imaging information.

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Drug Interactions: Drug interactions were not noted and were not studied in clinical studies in which Myoview was administered to patients receiving concomitant medication. Drugs such as beta blockers, calcium blockers and nitrates may influence myocardial function and blood flow. The effects of such drugs on imaging results are not known.

### Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility

Studies have not been conducted to evaluate carcinogenic potential or effects on fertility. Tetrofosmin sulphosalicylate was not mutagenic *in vitro* in the Ames test, mouse lymphoma, or human lymphocyte tests, nor was it clastogenic *in vivo* in the mouse micronucleus test.

### **Pregnancy Category C**

Animal reproduction studies have not been conducted with Myoview. It is not known whether Myoview can cause fetal harm when administered to a pregnant woman or can affect reproductive capacity. Therefore, Myoview should not be administered to a pregnant woman unless the potential benefit justifies the potential risk to the fetus.

### **Nursing Mothers**

Technetium Tc99m Pertechnetate can be excreted in human milk. Therefore, formula should be substituted for breast milk until the technetium has cleared from the body of the nursing woman.

### Pediatric Use

Safety and effectiveness in pediatric patients have not been established.

### **ADVERSE REACTIONS**

Adverse events were evaluated in clinical trials of 764 adults (511 men and 253 women) with a mean age of 58.7 years (range 26-94 years). The subjects received a mean dose of 7.67 mCi on the first injection and 22.4 mCi on the second injection of Myoview.

Deaths did not occur during the clinical study period of 2 days. Six cardiac deaths occurred 3 days to 6 months after injection and were thought to be related to the underlying disease or cardiac surgery. After Myoview injection, serious episodes of angina occurred in 3 patients. Overall cardiac adverse events occurred in 5/764 (less than 1 %) of patients after Myoview injection.

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There was a low incidence (less than 4%) of a transient and clinically insignificant rise in white blood cell counts following administration of the agent.

### DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

For exercise and rest imaging, Myoview is administered in two doses:

- . The first dose of 5-8 mCi (185-296 MBq) is given at peak exercise.
- The second dose of 15-24 mCi (555-888 MBq) is given approximately 4 hours later, at rest.

Imaging may begin 15 minutes following administration of the agent.

Dose adjustment has not been established in renally or liver impaired, pediatric or geriatric patients.

### **RADIATION DOSIMETRY**

Based on human data, the absorbed radiation doses to an average human adult (70 kg) from intravenous injections of the agent under exercise and resting conditions are listed in Table 1. The values are listed in descending order as rad/mCi and µGy/MBq and assume urinary bladder emptying at 3.5 hours.

Table 1
Estimated Absorted Radiation Dose (Technetium Tc99m Tetrofosmin Injection)

	Absorbed radiation dose				
	Exercise		Rest		
Target Organ	rad/mCi	μGy/MBq	rad/mCi	μGy/MBq	
Gall bladder wall	0.123	33.2	0.180	48.6	
Upper large intestine	0.075	20.1	0.113	30.4	
Bladder wall	0.058	15.6	0.071	19.3	
Lower large intestine	0.057	15.3	0.082	22.2	
Small intestine	0.045	12.1	0.063	17.0	
Kidney	0.039	10.4	0.046	12.5	
Salivary glands	0.030	8.04	0.043	11.6	
Ovaries	0.029	7.88	0.035	9.55	
Uterus	0.027	7.34	0.031	8.36	
Bone surface	0.023	6.23	0.021	5.58	
Pancreas	0.019	5.00	0.018	4.98	
Stomach	0.017	4.60	0.017	4.63	
Thyroid	0.016	4.34	0.022	5.83	
Adrenals	0.016	4.32	0.015	4.11	
Heart wall	0.015	4.14	0.015	3.93	
Red marrow	0.015	4.14	0.015	3.97	
Spleen	0.015	4.12	0.014	3.82	
Muscle	0.013	3.52	0.012	3.32	
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Liver	0.012	3.22	0.015	4.15	
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Brain	0.010	2.72	0.008	2.15	
Lungs	0.008	2.27	0.008	2.08	
Skin	0.008	2.22	0.007	1.91	
Breasts	0.008	2.22	0.007	1.83	

Dose calculations were performed using the standard MIRD method (MIRD Pamphlet No.1 (rev). Society of Nuclear Medicine, 1976. Effective dose equivalents (EDE) were calculated in accordance with ICRP 53 (Ann. ICRP 18 (1-4), 1988) and gave values of  $8.61 \times 10^3$  mSv/MBq and  $1.12 \times 10^2$  mSv/MBq after exercise and rest respectively.

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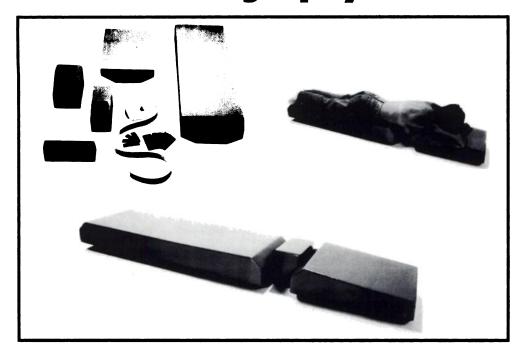
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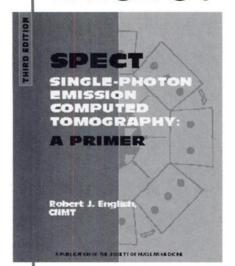
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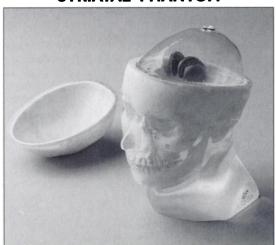
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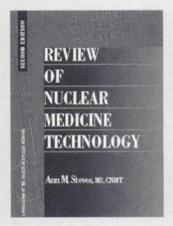
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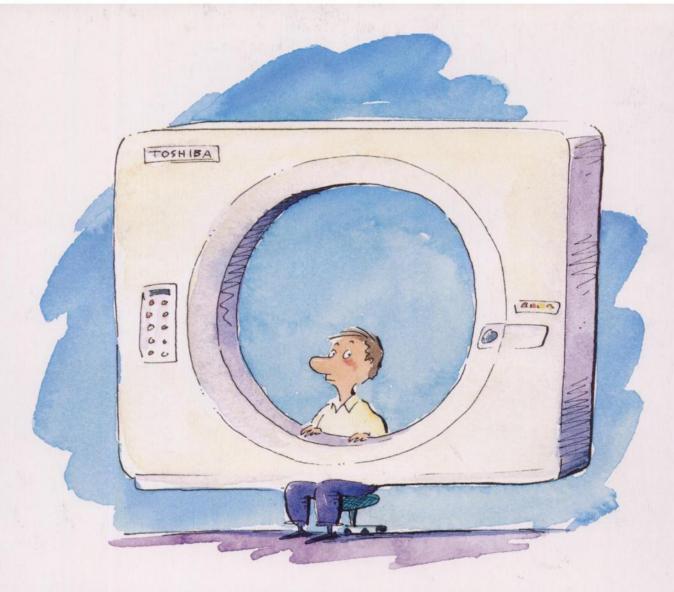
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