

Thermo Scientific EPD TruDose Electronic Dosimeter

Radiological performance information



Neutron/Gamma NG

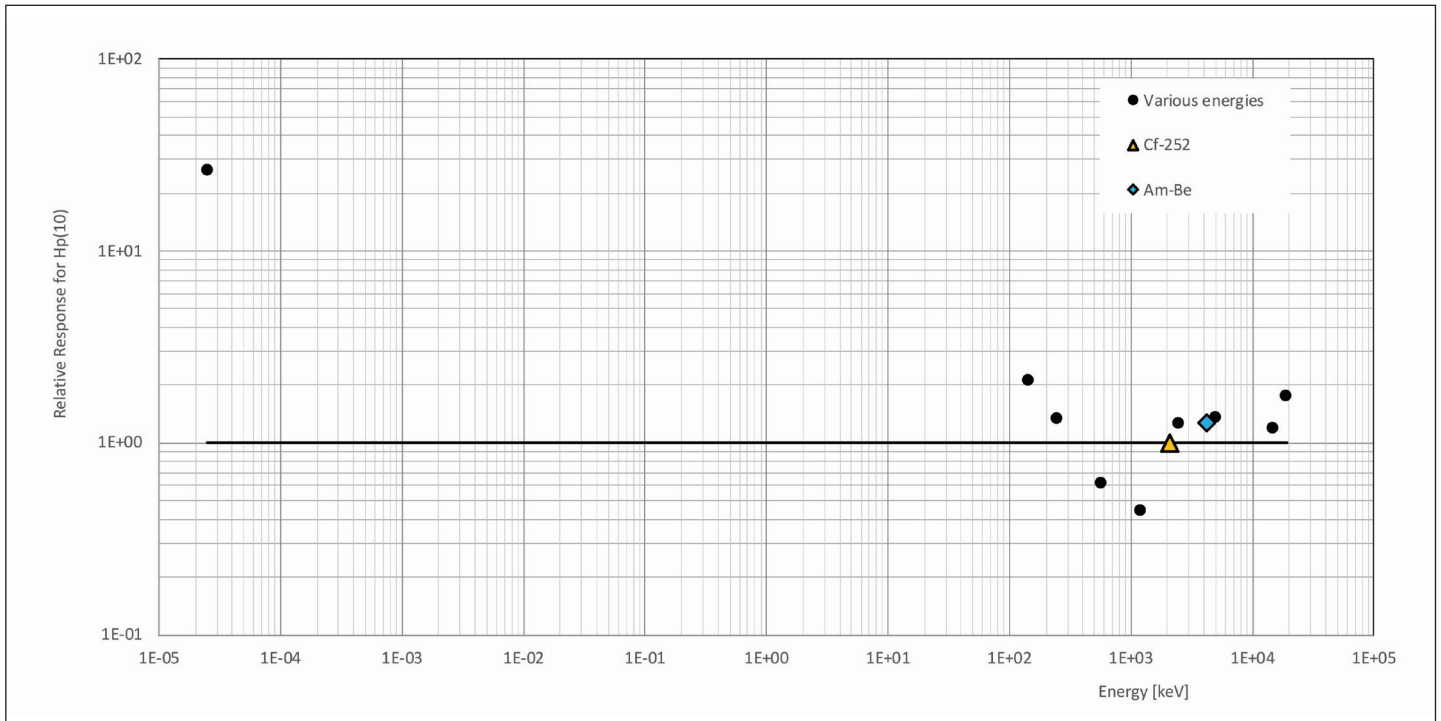


Gamma G



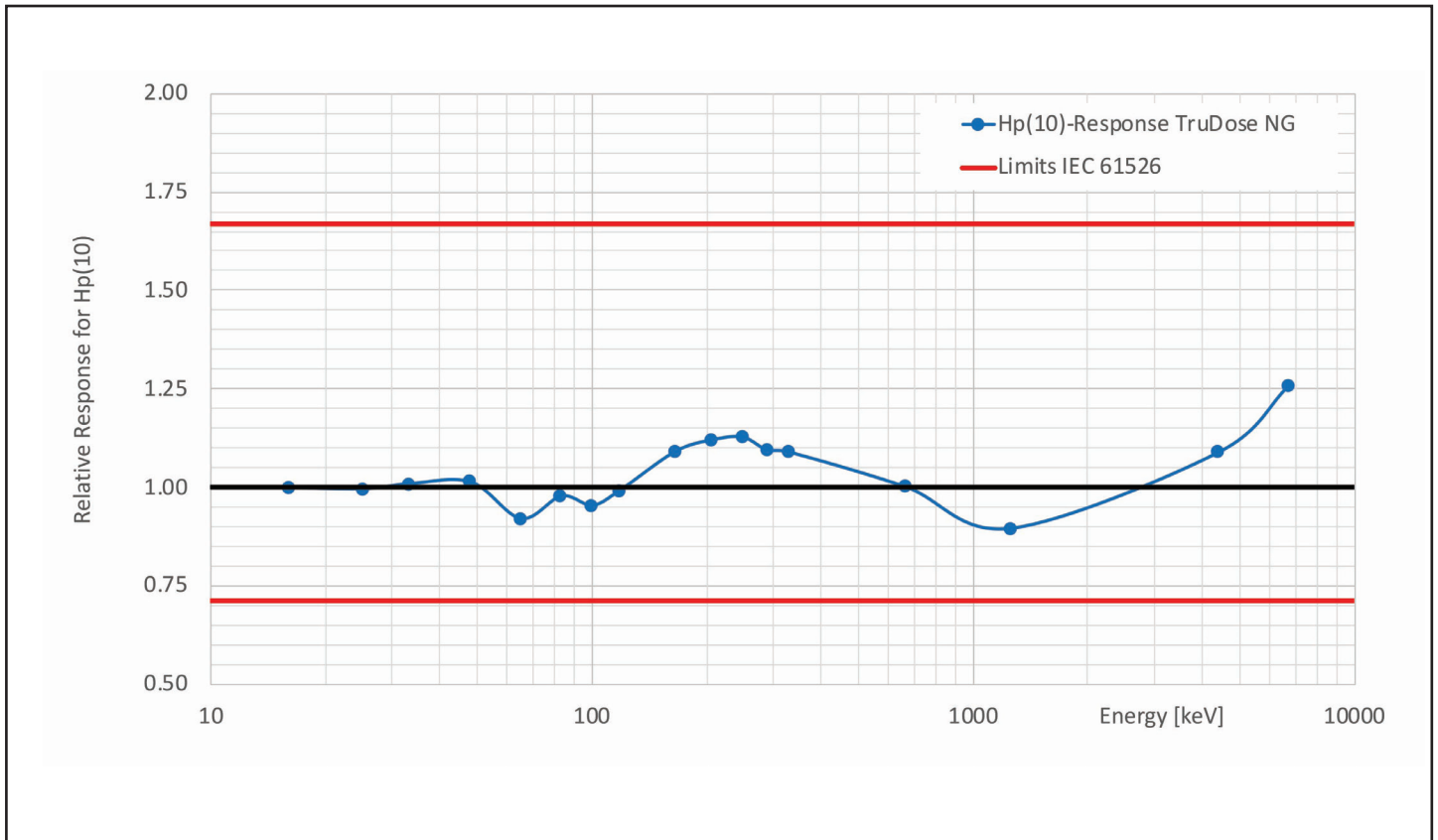
Beta/Gamma BG

EPD TruDose NG Neutron Radiological Properties



Note: For real life neutron workplace fields the overresponse for thermal neutrons (by a factor of ~27) typically results in only a small additional contribution to the measured dose due to the small thermal dose contribution of the neutron spectrum. For workplace fields with a high thermal neutron flux the weighing factors for albedo and fast neutrons can be adjusted by an experienced supervisor.

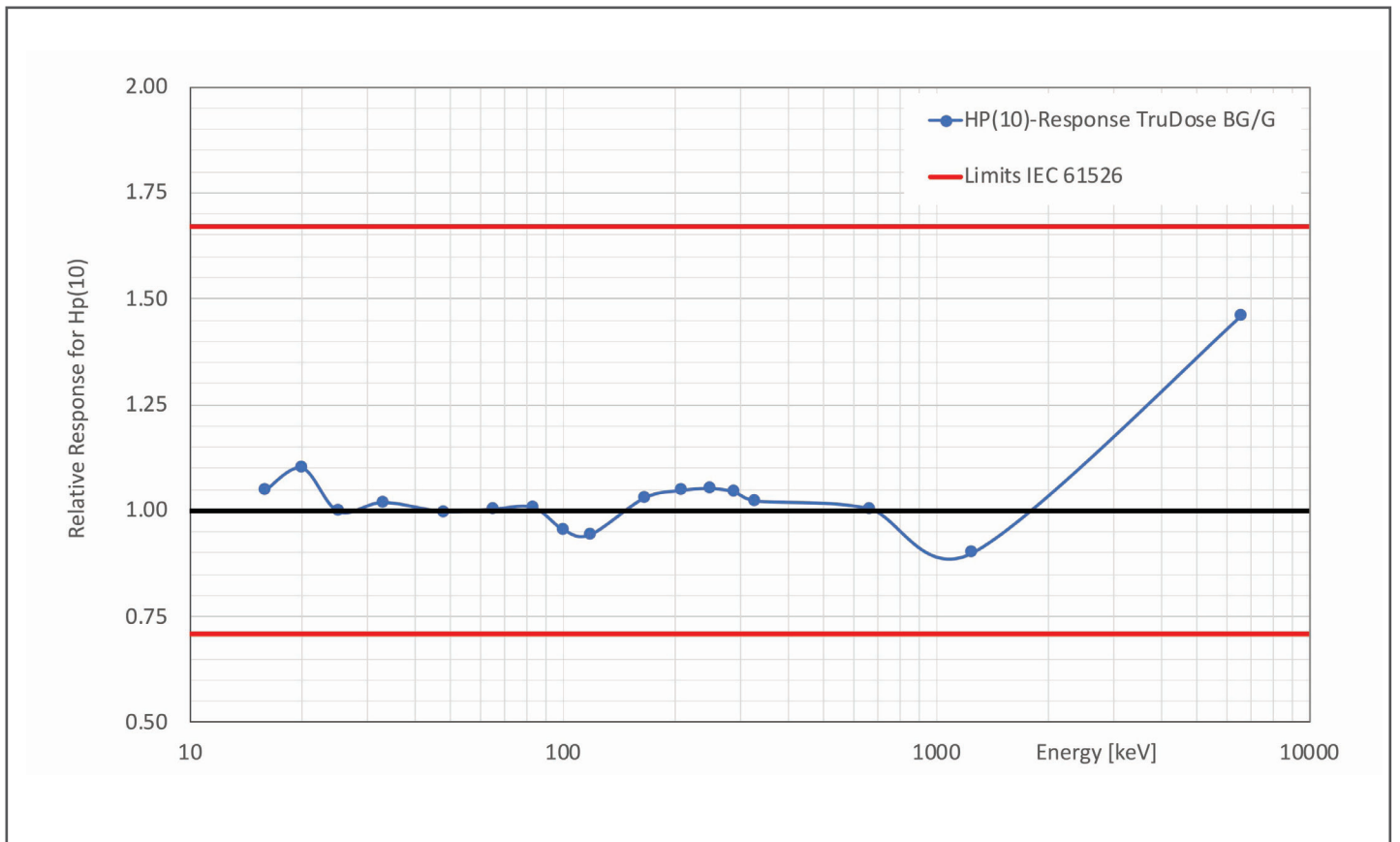
EPD TruDose NG Gamma Radiological Properties



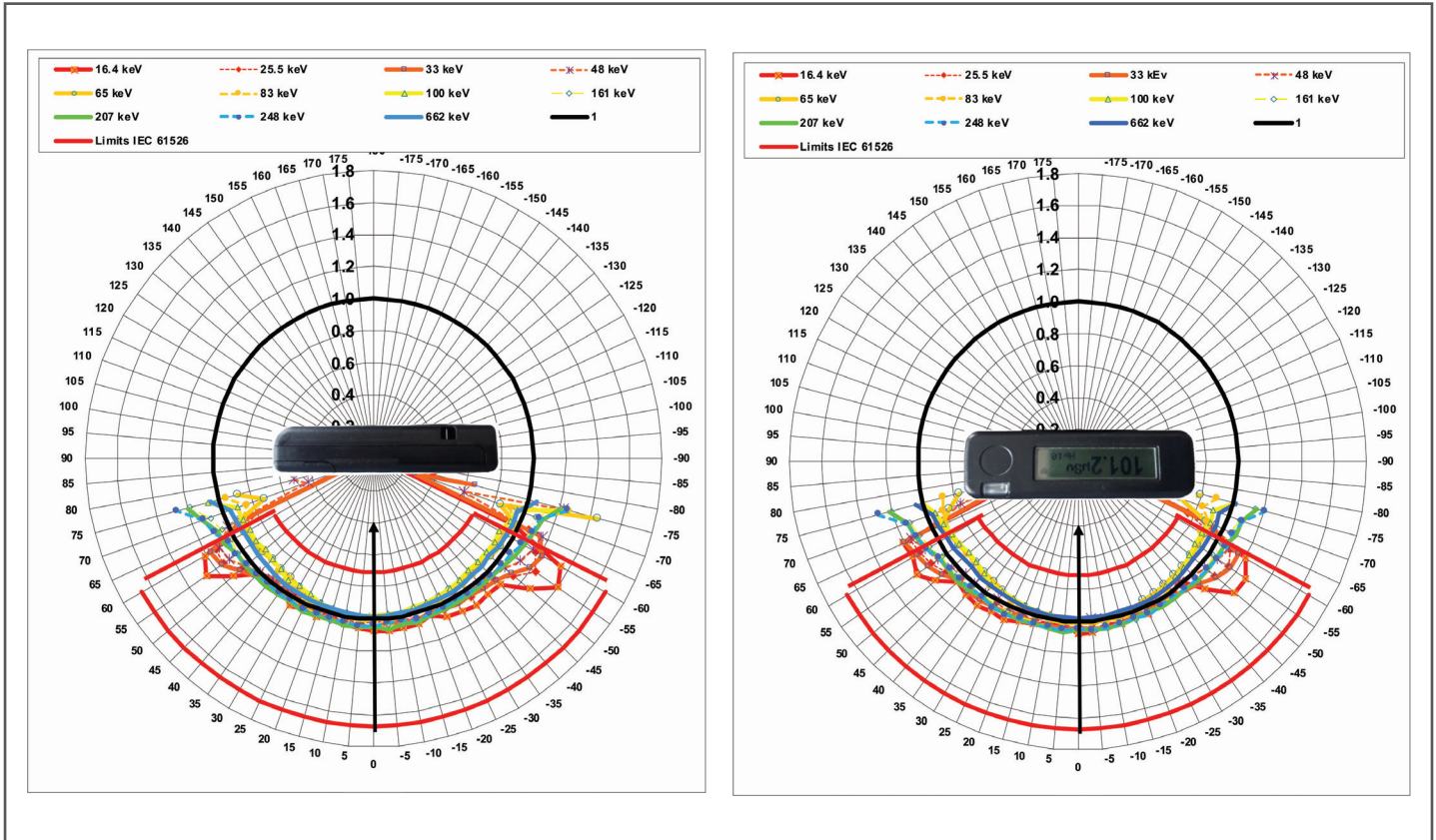
Notes:

- 1) EPD TruDose NG can detect and measure pulsed gamma radiation.
- 2) For pulsed LINACs, an alarm is triggered in case of excessive prompt photon radiation (direct beam)

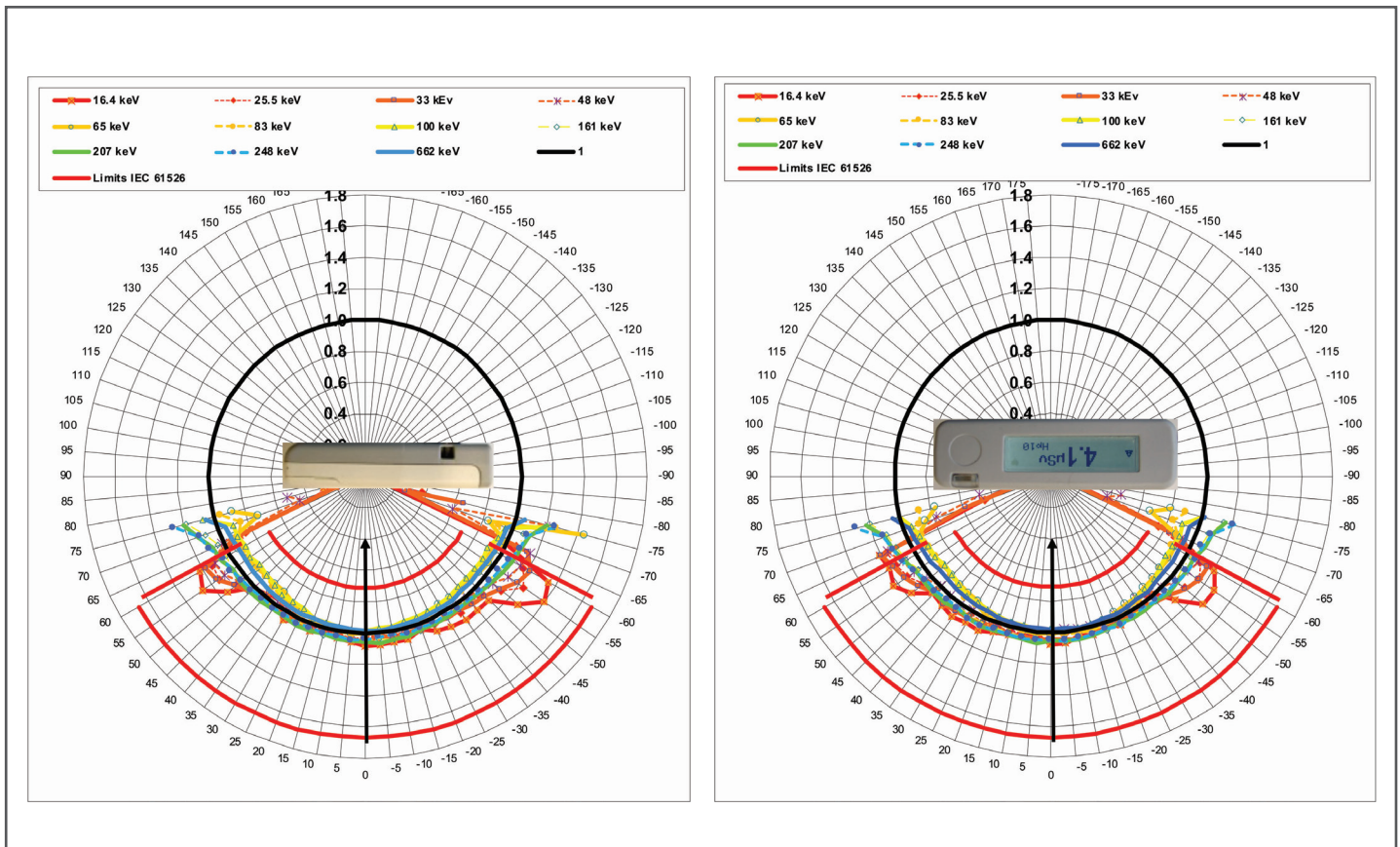
EPD TruDose BG and G Gamma Radiological Properties



EPD TruDose NG Gamma Angular Response



EPD TruDose G and BG Angular Response



EPD TruDose NG Radiological Properties According to IEC61526 Ed. 3

Specifications		
	Neutron Hp(10)	Gamma Hp(10)
Detector	PIN Silicon Diode	PIN Silicon Diode
Measurement Range	Dose: 100 µSv - 10 Sv Dose Overload: 10 Sv - 50 Sv Dose Rate: 0.5 mSv/h - 10 Sv/h Dose Rate for Dose Measurement: 1 µSv/h - 10 Sv/h Dose Rate Overload: 10 Sv/h - 50 Sv/h	Dose: 1 µSv - 10 Sv Dose Overload: 10 Sv - 50 Sv Dose Rate: 1 µSv/h - 2 Sv/h Dose Rate for Dose Measurement: 0.05 µSv/h - 2 Sv/h Dose Rate Overload: 2 Sv/h - 50 Sv/h
Accuracy	Dose: ±10% (AmBe ^{a)c})	Dose: ±5% (Cs-137 ^b)
Dose Rate Linearity	Dose Rate : ±15% (AmBe ^a)	Dose Rate: ±10% (Cs-137 ^b)
Energy Response	See diagram.	-15%...+25% for energies up to 1.5 MeV
Angular Response	-35% to +122% for AmBe; 0° to ±60°	-29% to 67% for 16.4 keV to 1.5 MeV 0° to ±60°

- a) AmBe dose response at 0° is 129%.
- b) Cs-137 dose response at 0° is 100%.
- c) Cf-252 dose response at 0° is 100%.

EPD TruDose NG Neutron Radiological Properties (Improved High Energy Response)

Reduced overresponse for high neutron energies (>10MeV);

Energy [MeV]	Overresponse TruDose NG	Overresponse EPD N2
14.8	26%	100%
19	52%	> 300%

Reduced background reading compared to EPD N2:

1µSv/d versus 2.5µSv/d measured in Erlangen Germany @ 280 m altitude.*

*Theoretical real cosmic neutron background app. 0.5 µSv/d.

EPD TruDose G and BG Specifications According to IEC61526 Ed. 3

Dose Range, IEC61526 Ed. 3 (Display & Measurement)	
Hp(10)	Hp(0.07)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective Range of Dose: 1 μSv to \geq 10 Sv (0.1 mrem to \geq 1000 rem) • Overload Indication: 10 Sv/h to $>$50 Sv/h (1000 rem/h to $>$5000 rem/h) • Display Resolution: 0.1 μSv to 10.00 Sv (0.01 mrem to 1000 rem), up to four decimal places 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective Range of Dose: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 500 μSv to 10 Sv , BG (50 mrem to 1000 rem) - 50 μSv to 10 Sv, G (5 mrem to 1000 rem) • Overload Indication: 10 Sv/h to $>$50 Sv/h (1000 rem/h to $>$5000 rem/h) • Display Resolution: 0.1 μSv to 10.00 Sv (0.01 mrem to 1000 rem), up to four decimal places

Dose Rate Range (Display & Measurement)	
Hp(10)	Hp(0.07)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective Range of Dose Rate (IEC60846-1): 1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h (0.1 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h) • Dose Rate Range of Dose (IEC61526 Ed.3): 0.05 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h (0.005 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h) • Display Resolution: 0.1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h (0.01 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h), up to three decimal places • Overload Indication: 10 Sv/h to $>$50 Sv/h (1000 rem/h to $>$5000 rem/h) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective Range of Dose Rate (IEC60846-1): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h, G (1 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h) 1 mSv/h to 10 Sv/h, BG (100 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h) • Dose Rate Range of Dose (IEC61526 Ed.3): 1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h (0.1 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h) • Display Resolution: 0.1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h (0.01 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h), up to three decimal places • Overload Indication: 10 Sv/h to $>$50 Sv/h (1000 rem/h to $>$5000 rem/h)

On-axis Energy Response		
Photon Hp(10) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Photon Hp(0.07) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Beta Hp(0.07) (Ref: ⁹⁰ Sr)
\pm 15% 16keV to 1.5MeV -15% to +50% 1.5MeV to 10MeV	\pm 30% 20keV to 1.5MeV -15% to +50% 1.5MeV to 10MeV	\pm 30% 200keV to 1.5MeV Detection of Pm-147 starts below 20cm distance

Combined Energy and Angular Response		
Photon Hp(10) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Photon Hp(0.07) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Beta Hp(0.07) (Ref: ⁹⁰ Sr)
-29% to +67% for 17keV to 6MeV, 0° to 60°	-29% to 67% for 24keV to 6MeV, 0° to 60°	-29% to 67%, 200keV to 1.5MeV, 0° to 45°

Accuracy		
Photon Hp(10) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Photon Hp(0.07) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Beta Hp(0.07) (Ref. ⁹⁰ Sr ^e)
\pm 5%	G \pm 5% / BG \pm 10%	\pm 15%

c) Sr-90 dose response at 0° is 95%.

Dose Rate Linearity		
Photon Hp(10) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Photon Hp(0.07) (Ref. ¹³⁷ Cs)	Beta Hp(0.07) (Ref: ⁹⁰ Sr)
\pm 10% from 10 μ Sv/h to 10 Sv/h, (1 mrem/h to 1000 rem/h) Between 10Sv/h (1000rem/h) and 50Sv/h (5000 rem/h) accumulates dose at a rate $>$ 10Sv/h ($>$ 1000rem/h)		

Characteristic for Pulsed Radiation		
Characteristic	Rated range	Relative response
Medical X-Ray, pulse width $>$ 2ms, medical pulse mode		
Max pulse dose rate	0.05 μ Sv/h to 10 Sv/h	+/-20% for pulse width $>$ 2ms (-60% at 10Sv/h in normal mode)
Max pulse dose	No limit	
Dose rate overload for dose measurement	10 Sv/h to 1000 Sv/h	Indication greater as at 10 Sv/h
Industrial X-Ray, pulse width $<$ 1μs		
Max pulse dose rate	No limit	
Max pulse dose	0.01 μ Sv	
Dose overload	Each pulse $>$ 0.01 μ Sv and $<$ 1 μ s (industrial pulse mode only)	

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