Iodine-125 and Palladium-103

Patented Double Wall Best® lodine-125 Source

Best® lodine-125 and Best® Palladium-103 Seeds:

- Double Wall Encapsulation
- Traceable to NIST₁₉₉₉ Calibration Revised for 2000
- Sterile Absorbable Strands (Customer's Prescription)
- Sterile, Pre-Loaded Needles (Customer's Choice of Needles)
- Loaded in Mick Cartridges, Sterile or Non-Sterile
- Loose Seeds

5 mm Seeds — 5 mm Spacers

- Seeds and spacers are the same length (5mm). Double wall encapsulation and uniform wall thickness with superior dose distribution. Consistent quality, and seeds fit Mick cartridges.
- Excellent visualization with Ultrasound, X-ray, Fluoro, CT and MRI. Real time dosimetry possible with Best® seeds.
- Complies with AAPM's dosimetric prerequisites

Model # 2335

Palladium-103 Source

Wall Best® Palladium-103

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Best® Iodine-125 and Best® Palladium-103 Sources

- Patented Double Wall Titanium Encapsulation with uniform wall thickness
- Tungsten Marker—excellent images of source in ultrasound, X-ray, CT, MRI, and fluoro—far superior to other commercially available sources
- Source Calibration traceable to NIST₁₉₉₉ Calibration revised for 2000
- Sources and spacers are the same length (5.0 mm nominal) and diameter (0.8 mm nominal), fitting Mick cartridge snugly
- Custom made high quality spacers and Mick cartridges provided at no cost
- Sources can be provided as loose seeds; loaded in needles with spacers, sterile; loaded in strands, sterile; preloaded in Mick cartridges

Patented Double Wall Best® Iodine-125 Source (Model 2301)

Source Trade Name: Best® Iodine Source

Marker: Tungsten Model #: 2301

Dose Rate Constant: (NIST 1999 with 2000 modification)
External Length: 5 mm (Nominal) 1.02 cGy/hr/U

External Diameter: **0.8 mm (Nominal)**

Patented Double Wall Best® Palladium-103 Source (Model 2335)

Source Trade Name: Best® Palladium Source

Marker: **Tungsten** Model #: **2335**

Dose Rate Constant: (NIST 1999 with 2000 modification)
External Length: 5 mm (Nominal) 0.70 cGy/hr/U

External Diameter: **0.8 mm (Nominal)**

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Sterile Seed Products

I-125

Part #	Description
10165-1	I-125 Strands in a Pack
10165-3	Needle w/l-125 Sources in Strands in a Tray
10165-4	Needle w/l-125 Loose Sources in a Tray
10165-17	Needle w/l-125 Loose Sources and Strands in a Tray
10113-11	Cartridge with I-125 Sources in a Pouch



Pd-103

Part #	Description
15165-1	Pd-103 Strands in a Pack
15165-4	Needle w/Pd-103 Loose Sources in a Tray
15165-9	Needle w/Pd-103 Sources in Strands in a Tray
15165-11	Needle w/Pd-103 Loose Sources and Strands in a Tray
15113-4	Cartridge with Pd-103 Sources in a Pouch





- Best[®] Custom Strand (Per Your Prescription)
 Best[®] Standard Strand (10 Seeds/Strand Spaced 1 cm Apart)
- Best® Real Time Strand/Needle (Use Our Loader in the OR)
- Best® Seeds and Spacers in Pre-loaded Needles
- Cartridges
- Loose Seeds

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- We are the first and only company to provide custom service for Gold 198 permanent implants as well as a wide range of activities from 0.1 to 30 mCi per seed.
- We are the only company to provide a number of custom-made accessories for temporary and permanent implants in Brachytherapy.
- We are the first and only company to call our customers the morning after shipping to inform them of mode of transportation and expected arrival time.
- We can supply Ir-192, Au-198, Pd-103, I-125 and Brachytherapy accessories on a single Purchase Order.
- We ship most materials within 24 hours of receipt of the order.



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