

Preclinical studies with non-standard and carrier-free radioisotopes from **ISOLDE-CERN**

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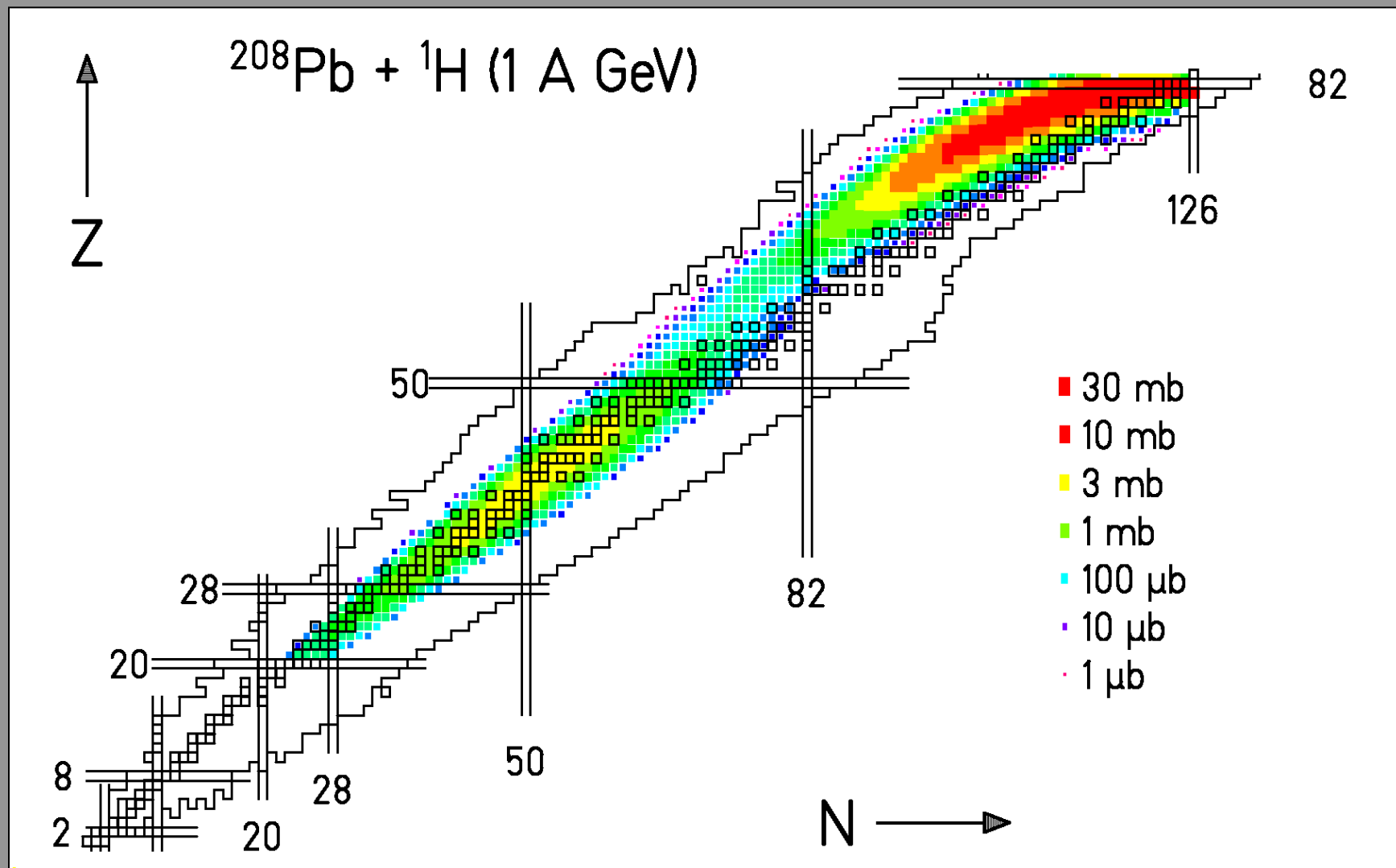
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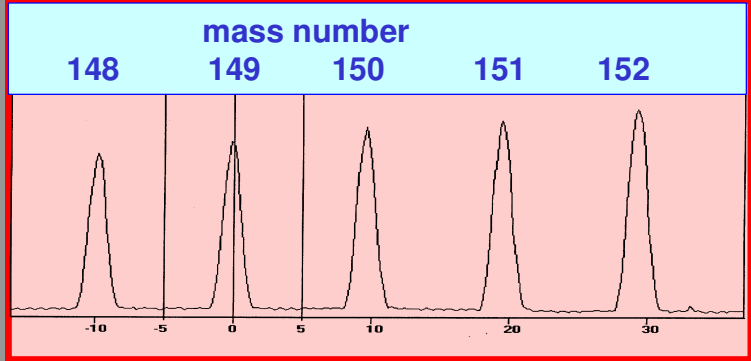
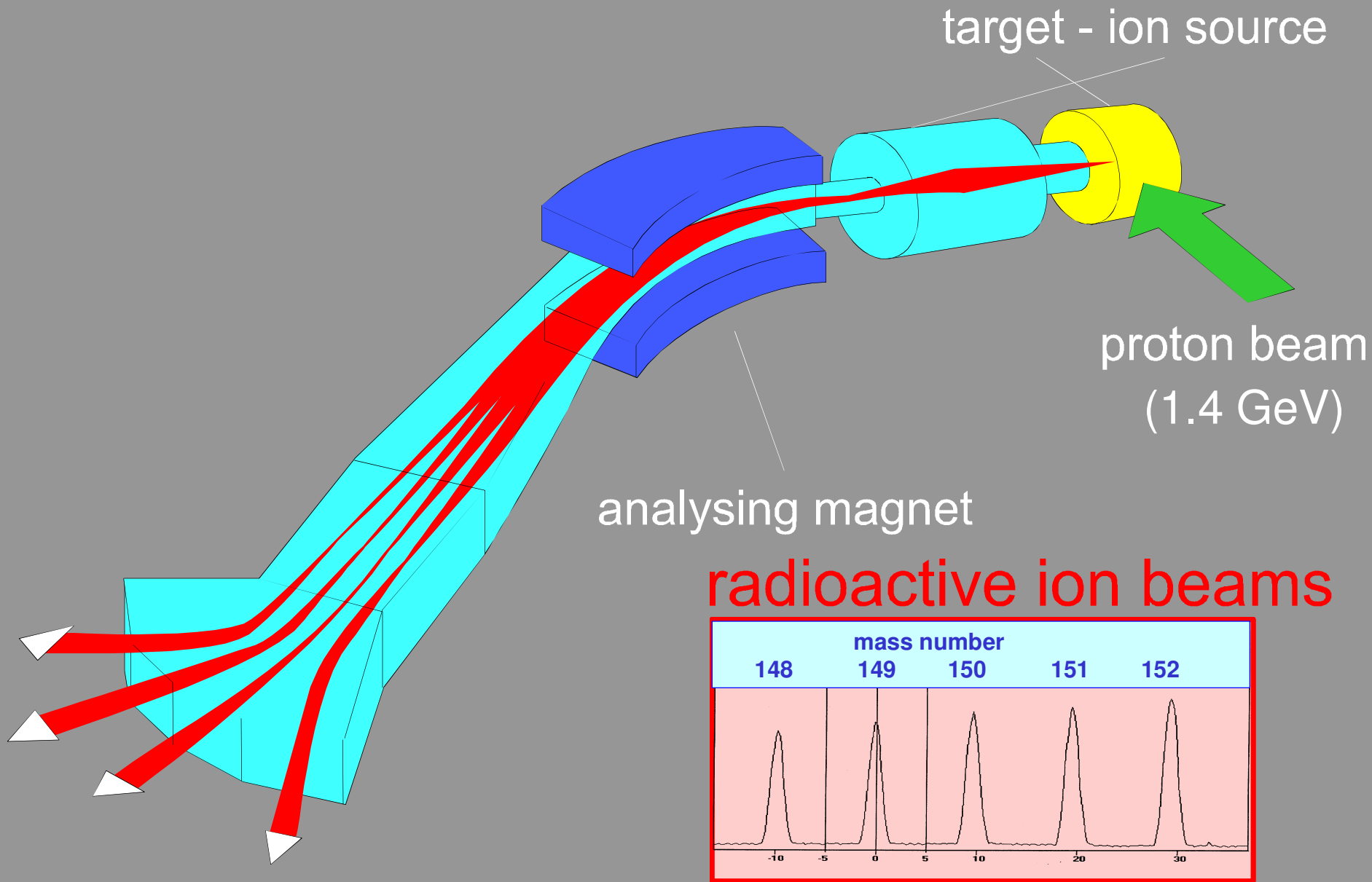
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High-energy proton induced reactions



High-energy proton induced reactions can produce most of the isotopes of the chart of nuclides.

Isotope Separation On-Line



Radioisotopes available at ISOLDE-CERN

Isotopes on-line separated at ISOLDE

Long-lived isotopes available at ISOLDE

Decay daughters of ISOLDE beams

1																	2				
H																	He				
3	4															5	6	7	8	9	10
Li	Be															B	C	N	O	F	Ne
11	12															13	14	15	16	17	18
Na	Mg															Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36				
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Co	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr				
37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54				
Rb	Sr	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xe				
55	56	57	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86				
Cs	Ba	La	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn				
87	88	89	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116		118				
Fr	Ra	Ac	Rf	Db	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt	Ds	Rg											

58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71
Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103
Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr

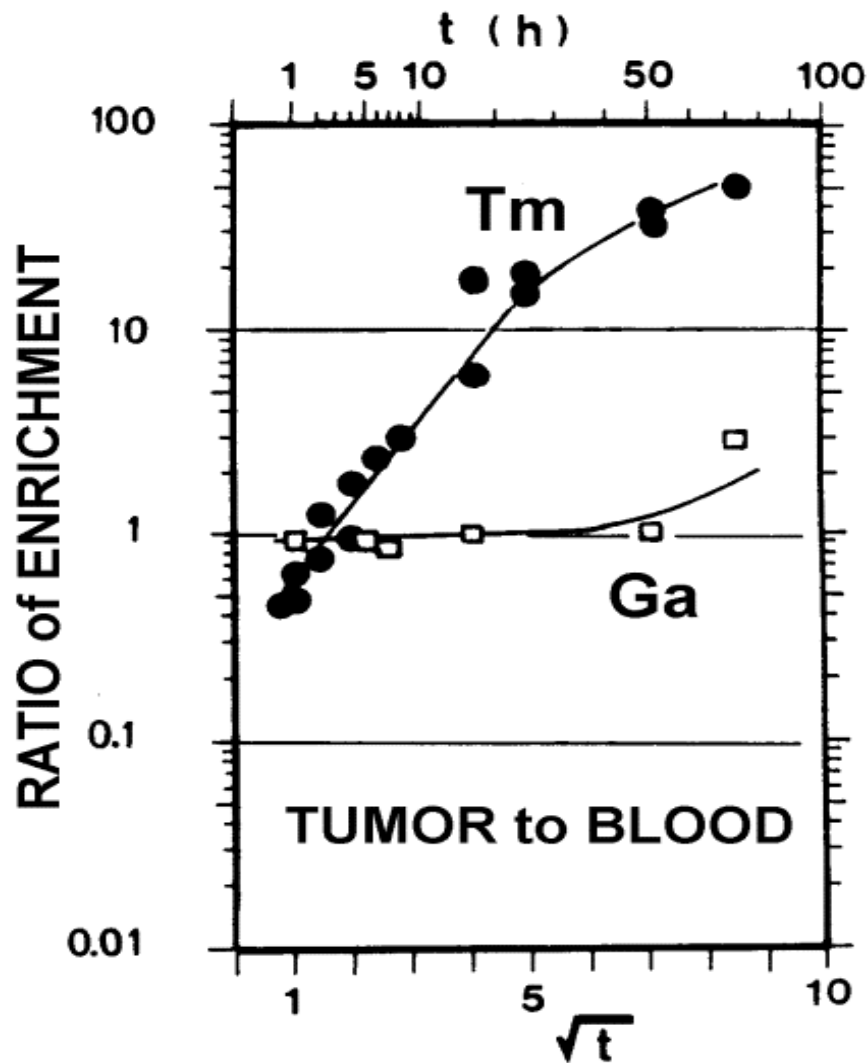
Currently available: more than 1000 different radioisotopes

Saturation activities of longer-lived radioisotopes: GBq and more

Content:

- **Bio-Medical research performed at ISOLDE illustrating potential and possibilities**
- **Identify questions that require access to non-standard research isotopes**
- **Future possibilities at CERN**

Main Focus: Endoradionuclide Therapy



Direct comparison

⁶⁷Ga-Citrate

and

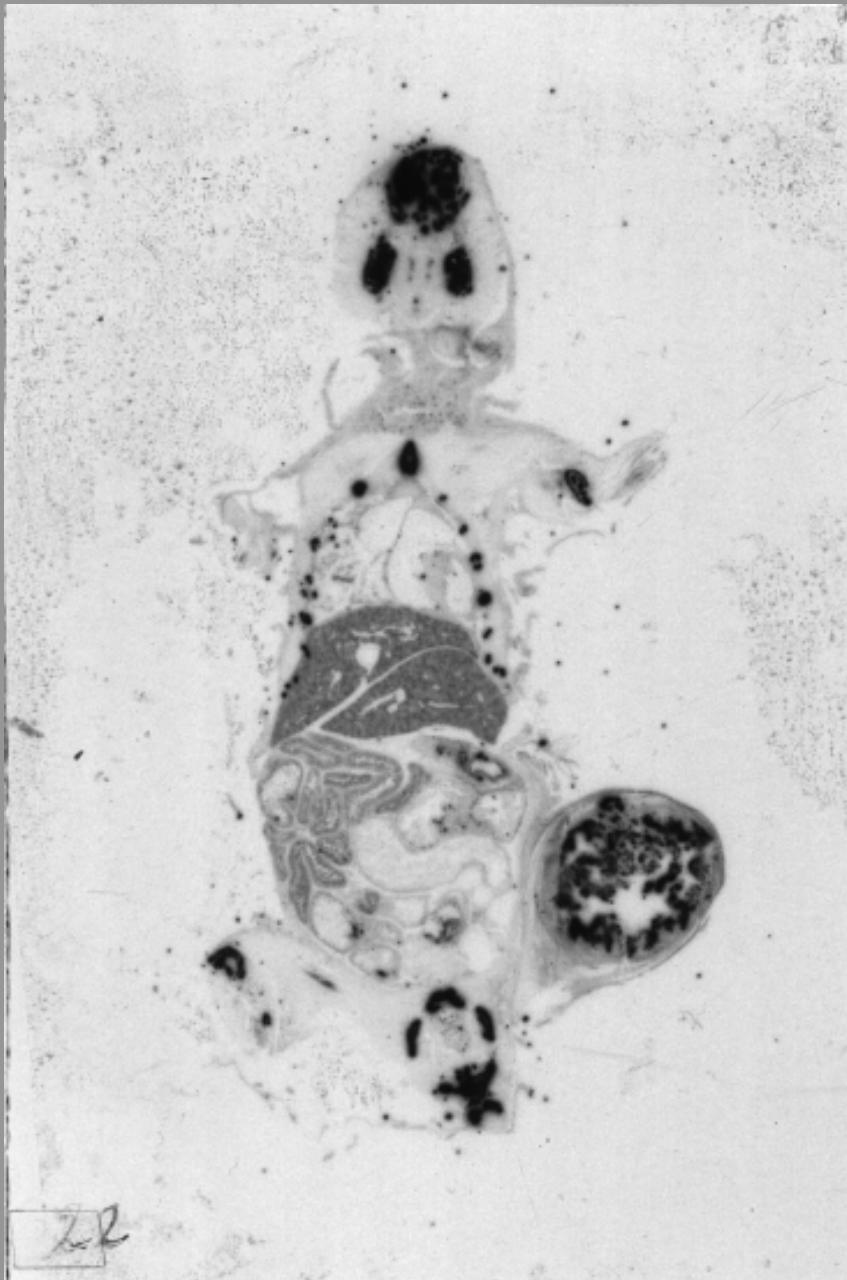
¹⁶⁷Tm-Citrate

in

tumor bearing mice

Lanthanides show much faster blood clearance compared to Ga

G.J.Beyer, W.G.Franke, K.Hennig et al.
Intern.J.Appl.Rad.Isot. 29, 673 (1978)



**Autoradiogram
of a whole body
sagittal slice of a
tumor bearing
mouse
24 hours after
injection of 0.4 MBq
of ^{167}Tm -Citrate**

**Lanthanides are
unspecific tumor seeking
tracers**

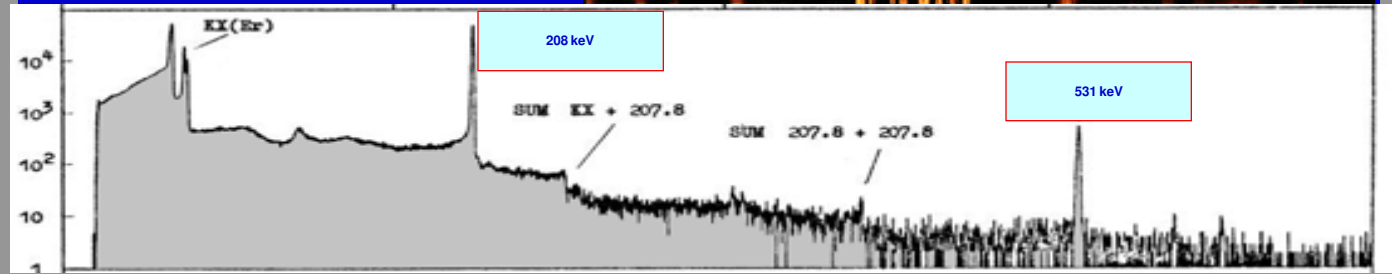
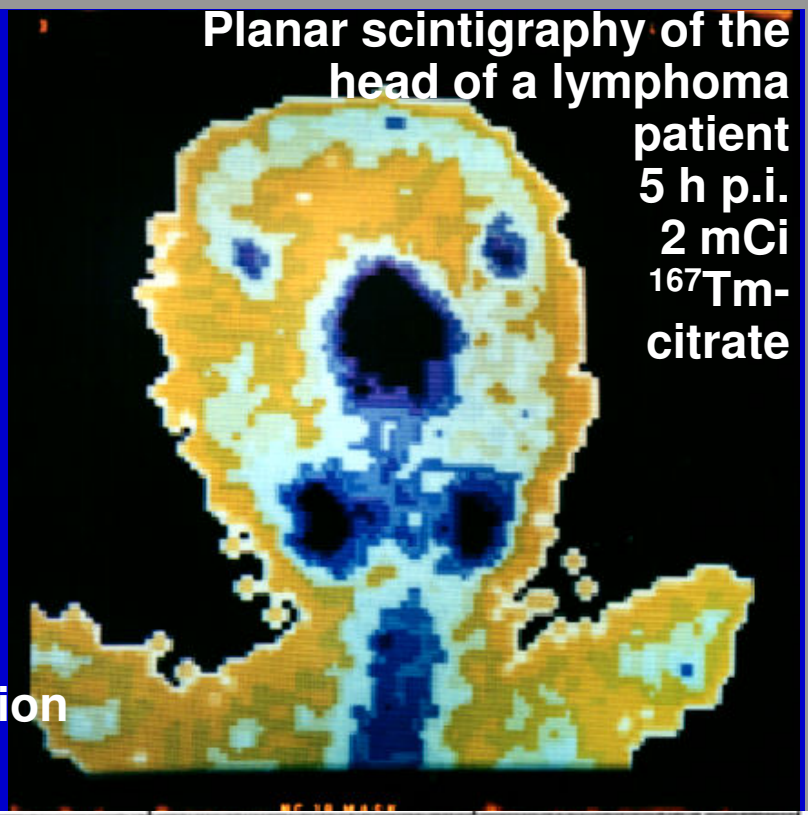
G.J.Beyer, R.Münze et al., in: "Medical Radionuclide Imaging 1980" IAEA Vienna, (1981)Vol.1 p.587

1980

^{167}Tm -citrate

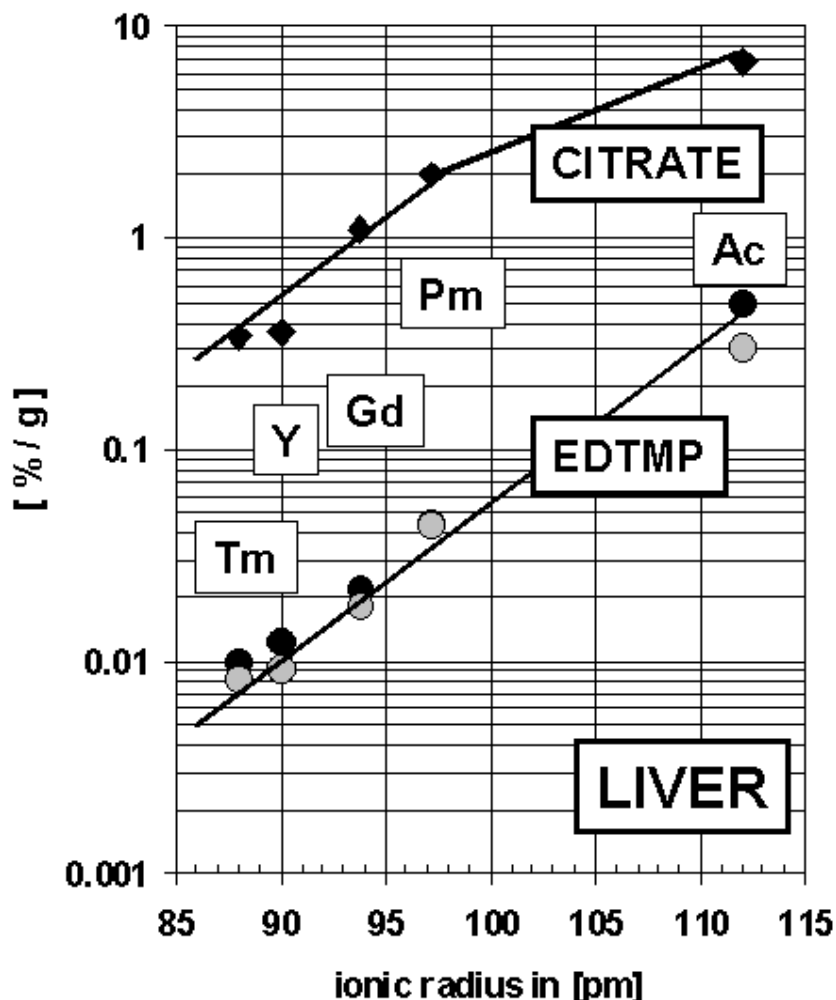
$T_{1/2} = 9.25 \text{ d}$
 $EC = 100 \%$
 $\gamma: 208 \text{ keV}, 41.7 \%$
 $\gamma: 531 \text{ keV}, 1.6 \%$

Production route:
Ta (p,spallation)
CERN – ISOLDE
on-line mass separation
cation exchange



First scintigraphic examination in humans using mass-separated lanthanides produced at CERN ISOLDE

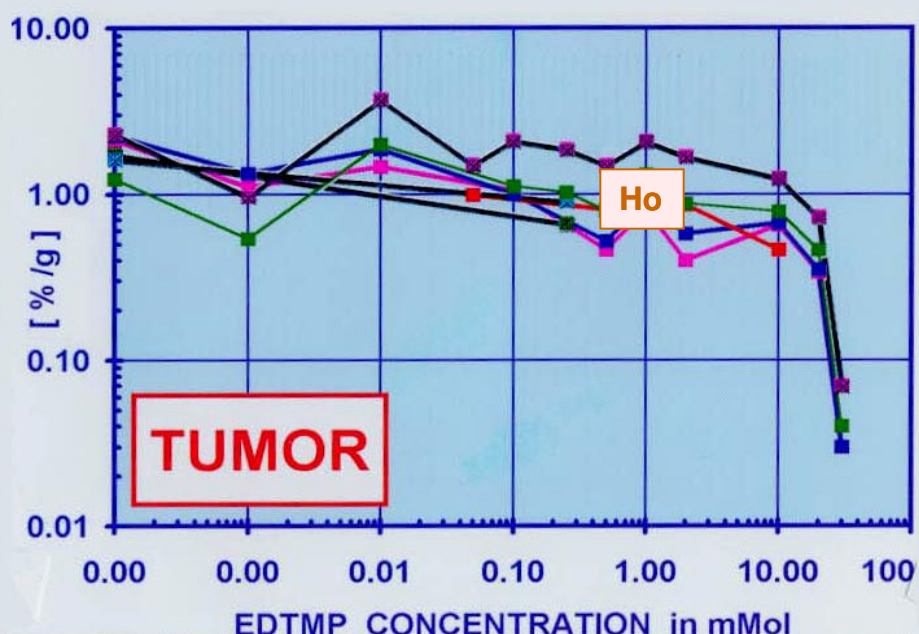
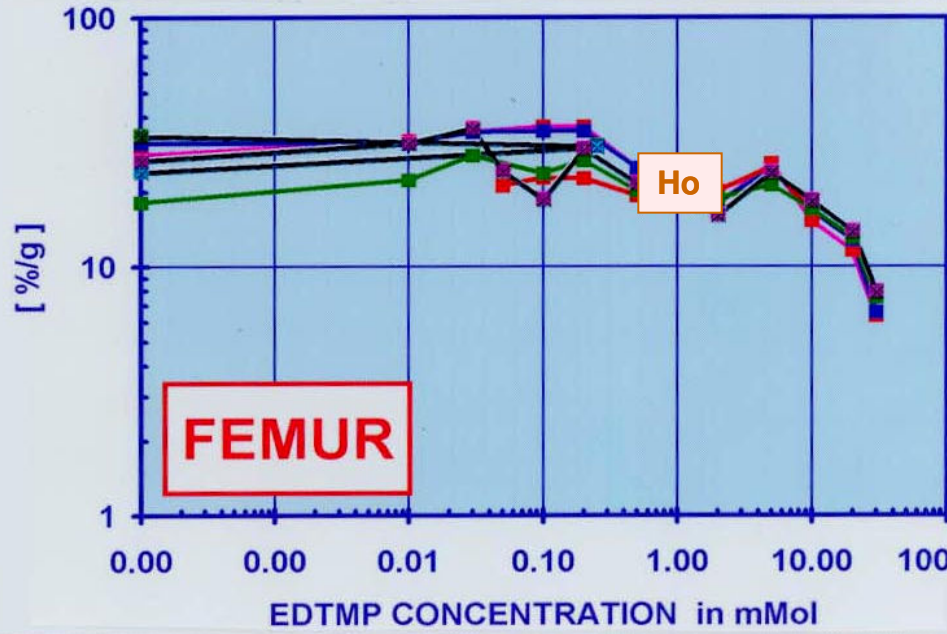
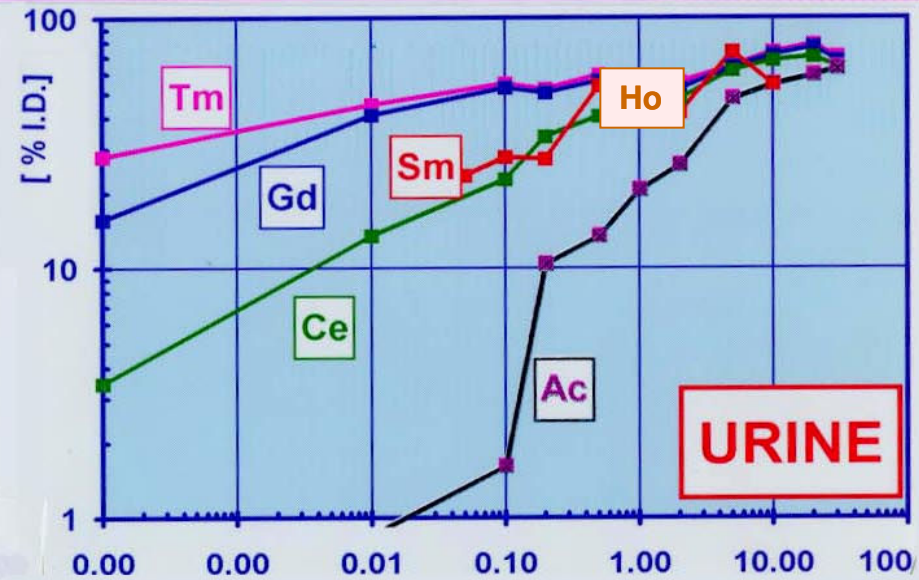
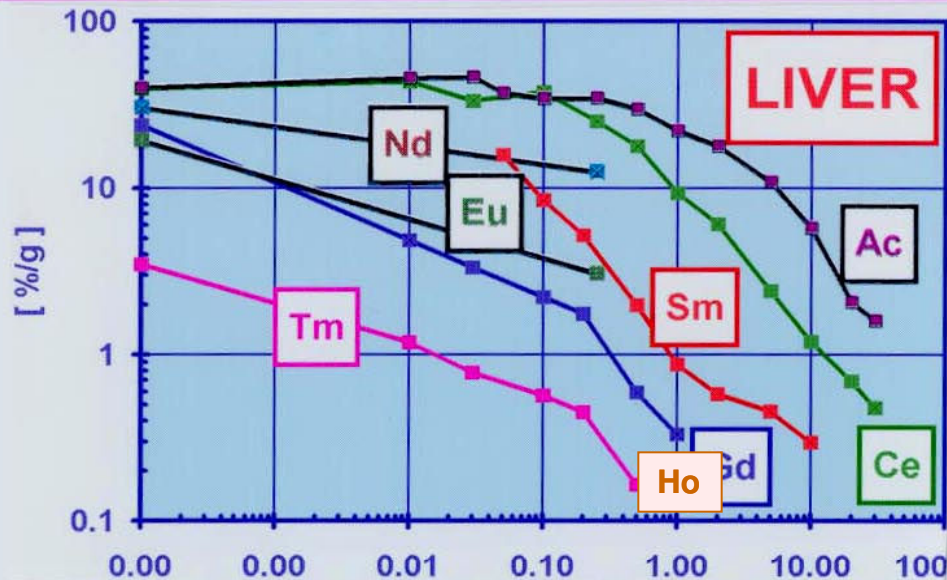
Simultaneous injection of an isotope cocktail of rare earth isotopes



Liver uptake of ^{225}Ac and a mixture of carrier-free radio-yttrium and radio-lanthanides (^{167}Tm , ^{88}Y , ^{153}Gd , ^{143}Pm and ^{225}Ac , injected in citrate and EDTMP containing solution) in tumor bearing rats (mammary carcinoma) 5 hours after injection. The injected volume was 0.5 ml, the ligand concentration was 20 mMol at pH=7

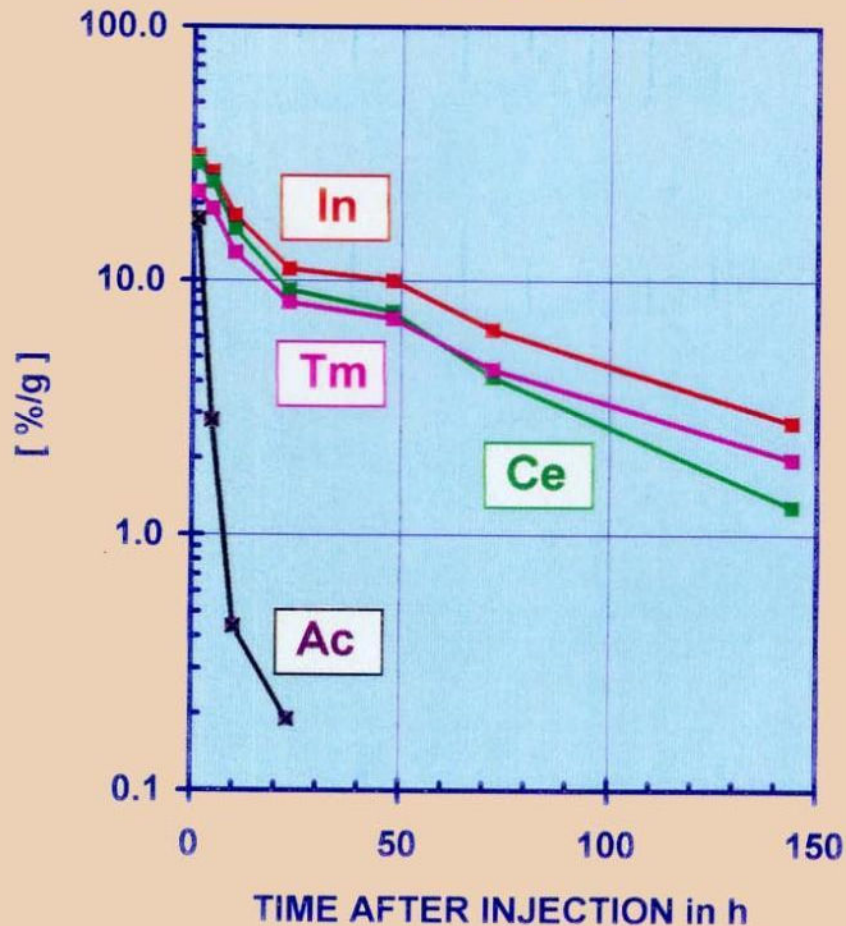
LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT CHELATORS: EDTMP

BIODISTRIBUTION

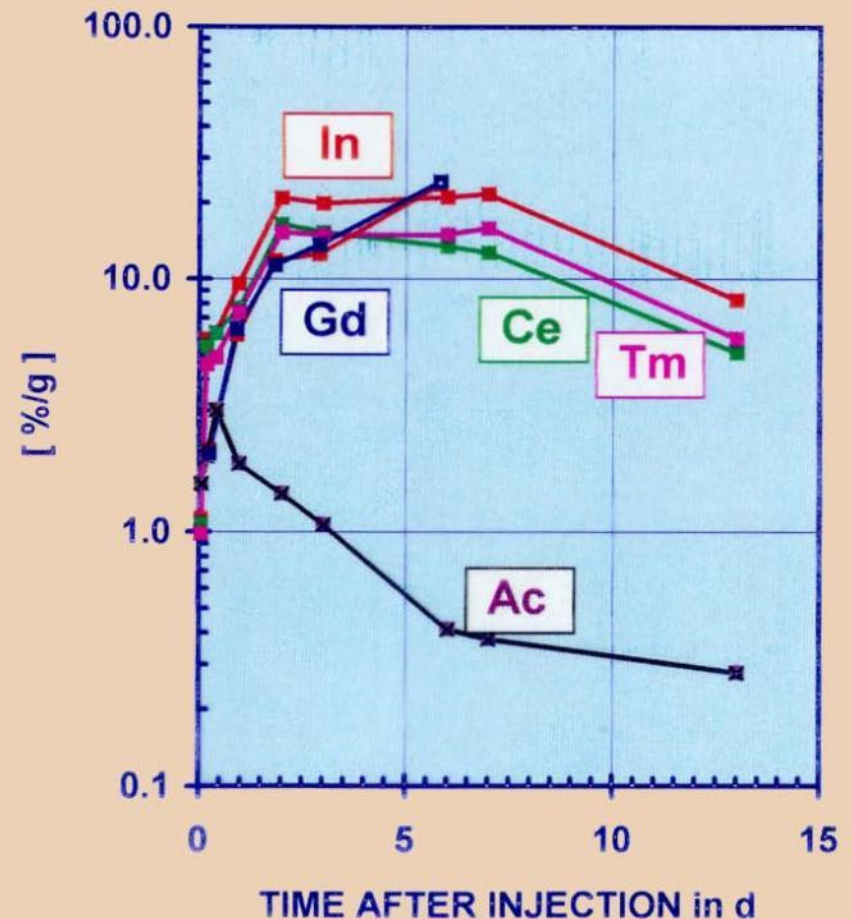


Aminobencyl-DTPA-anti CEA-mab: Comparison of ^{111}In with radiolanthanides

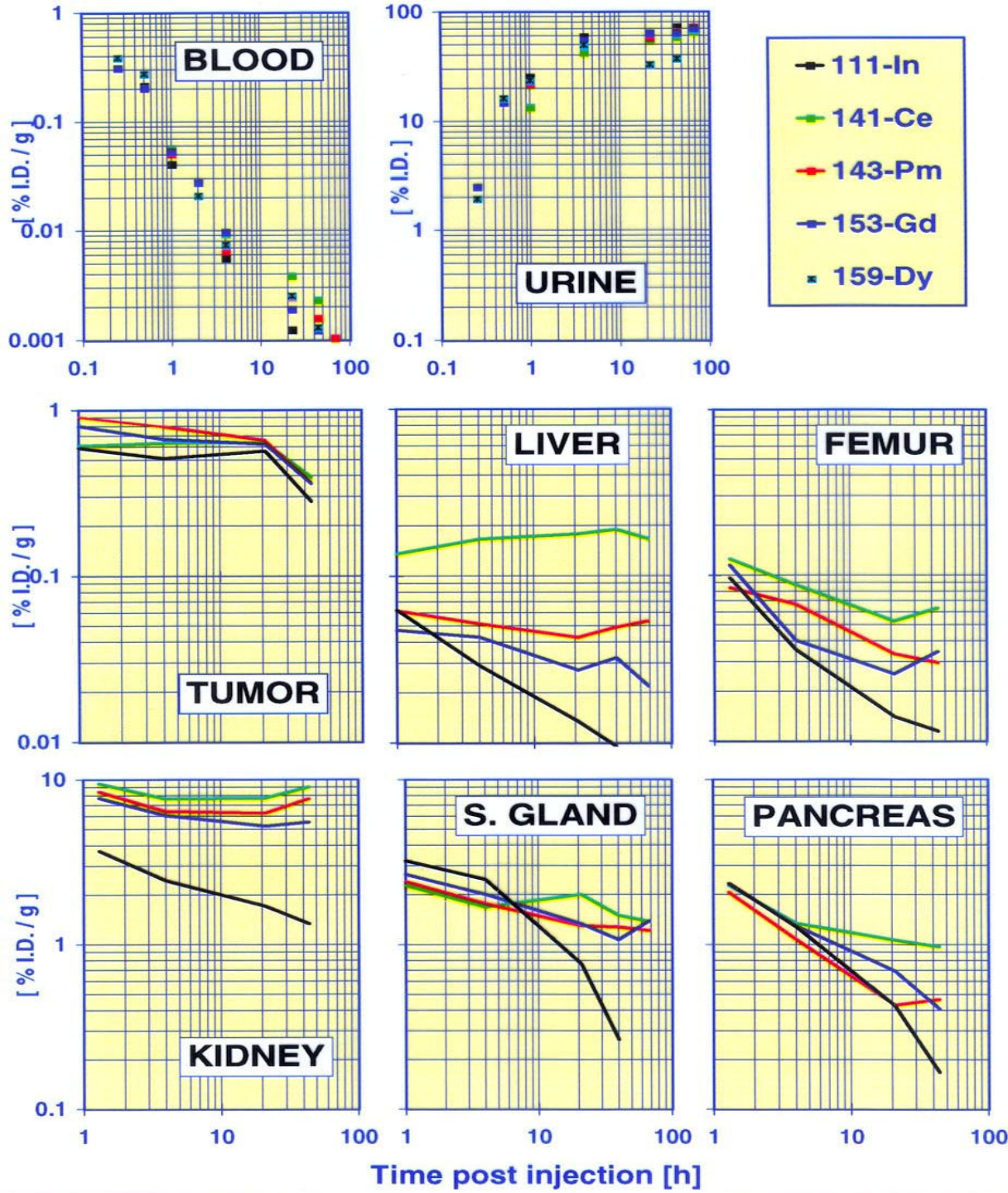
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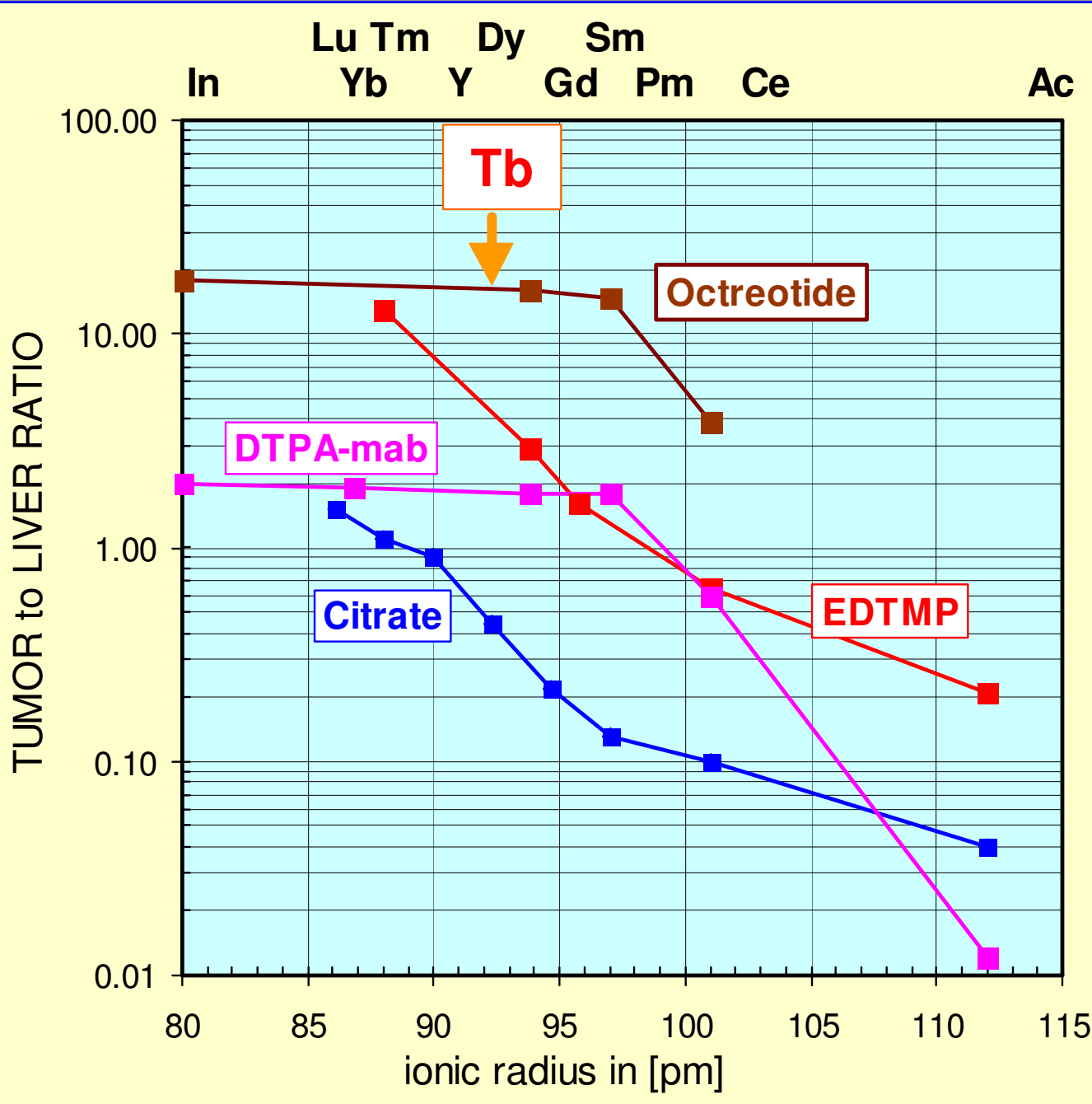


TUMOR



Octreotide-aminobencyl-DTPA: ^{111}In with lanthanides





Comparison
of the
bio-distribution
of different
tumor seeking
tracers
labeled with
radio-lanthanides,
²²⁵Ac and ¹¹¹In

free chelates:
Citrate
EDTMP

specific tracers:
Octreotide
and
Mab

Linker:
Aminobenzyl-DTPA

Questions to be answered:

1. Relationship between particle-energy and therapeutic response, depending on tumor size

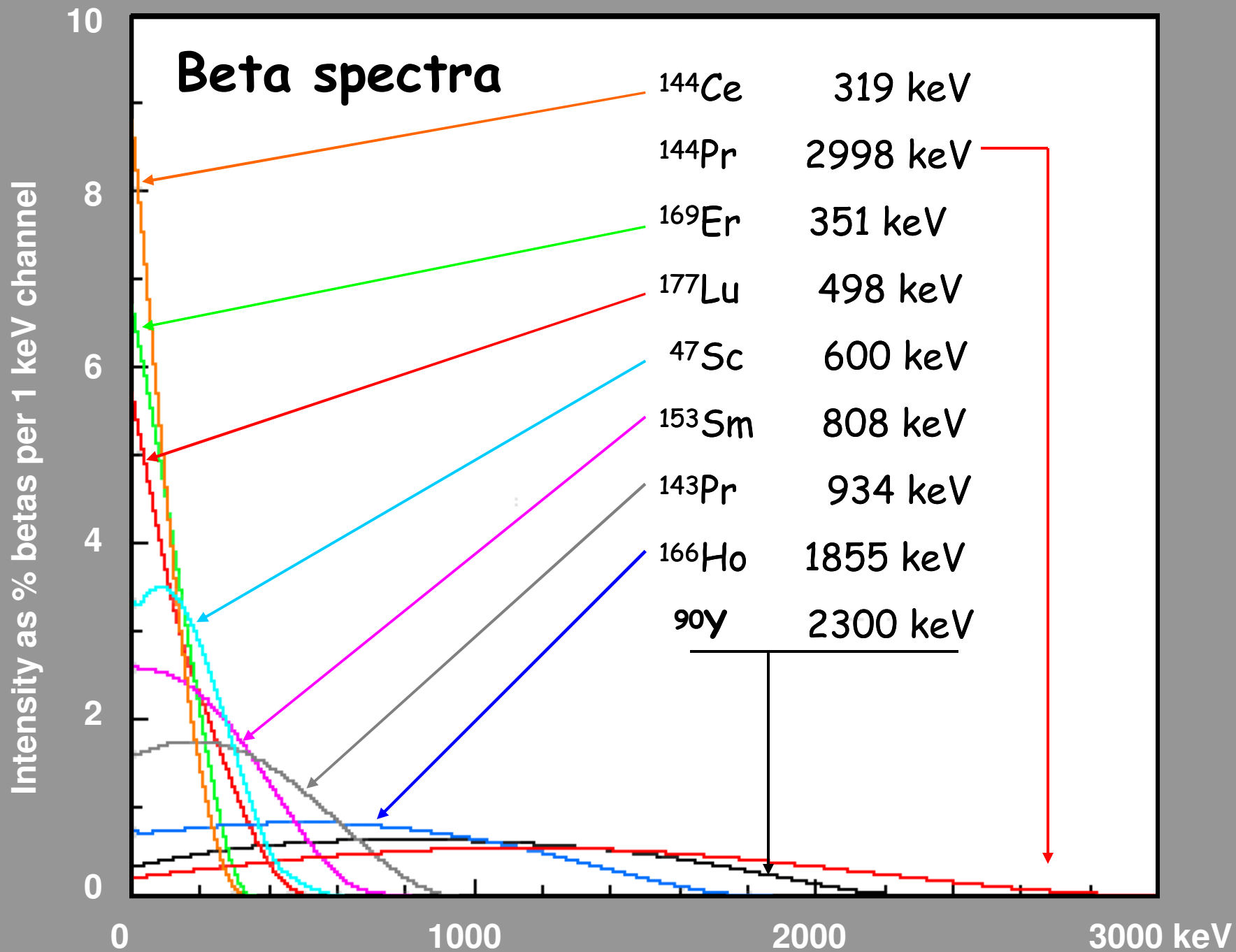
Variation of radionuclides with different particle-energy:

- need for metallic β^- -emitters with very different energy
- need for alpha emitting nuclides

2. Relationship between radiation dose delivered to a lesion and the therapeutic response

Individual in-vivo dosimetry by quantitative PET imaging:

- need for β^+ -emitting metallic radionuclides



Selected radionuclides of the Rare Earth Elements with therapeutic potential

NUCLIDE	T1/2	Radiation	E _{max}	E(mean)	range	volume	E _γ	I _γ (*)	production
			[MeV]	[MeV]					
149-Tb	4.1 h	α	3967.0	3.97	28	1	s.Tab.1		see Tab.1
47-Sc	3.3 d	β, γ	0.6	0.161	300	1 200	159	70	47-Ca --β--> 47-Sc generator
90-Y	64.1 h	β	2.3	0.934	4 200	3 400 000	no		90-Sr --β ---> 90-Y generator
137m-Ce	34.4 h	e	0.2	0.203	500	5 700	254	11	136-Ce (n,γ) 137m-Ce reactor
141-Ce	32.5 d	β,γ	0.6	0.171	400	2 900	145	48.4	235-U (n,f) fis.prod. reactor 141-Pr (p,n) 141-Ce cyclotron
142-Pr	19.1 h	β,γ	2.2	0.809	3 500	2 000 000	1576	3.7	142-Pr(n,γ)143-Ce --β--> 143-Pr reactor
143-Pr	13.6 d	β	0.9	0.315	900	33 000	no		142-Ce(n,γ)143-Ce --β-->143-Pr reactor
147-Nd	11 d	β,γ	0.9	0.27	700	16 000	91	28	235-U (n,f) fis.prod. reactor
							531	13	146-Nd (n,γ) 147-Nd reactor
149-Pm	53.1 h	β	1.1	0.366	1 100	61 000	weak		148-Nd(n,γ)149-Nd--β-->149-Pm reactor
153-Sm	46.7 h	β,γ	0.8	0.269	1 000	57 000	103	28.3	152-Sm (n,γ) 153-Sm reactor
159-Gd	18.6 h	β,γ	1.0	0.312	800	23 000	364	10.8	158-Gd (n,γ) 159-Gd reactor
161-Tb	6.9 d	β,γ	0.6	0.195	800	26 000	75	9.8	160-Gd(n,γ)161-Gd--β-->161-Tb reactor
166-Ho	26.8 h	β,γ	1.9	0.694	3 400	2 200 000	80.6	6.2	164-Dy(2n,γ)166-Dy--β-->166-Ho reactor
169-Er	9.4 d	β	0.3	0.103	200	360	no		168-Er (n,γ) 169-Er reactor
175-Yb	4.2 d	β,γ	0.5	0.13	250	700	396	6.5	174-Yb (n,γ) 175-Yb reactor
177-Lu	6.7 d	β,γ	0.5	0.147	300	1 200	208	11	176-Yb(n,γ)177-Yb--β-->177-Lu reactor

See presentation by M. Miederer for alpha-emitting ¹⁴⁹Tb.

β^+ emitters
for
in vivo dosimetry

**[¹¹¹In]DTPA-
octreotide
SPECT**

**[⁸⁶Y]DOTA-DPhe¹-Tyr³-
octreotide
PET**

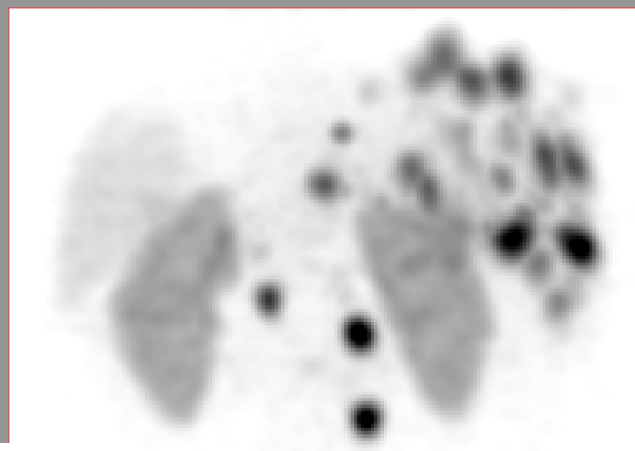
Scintigraphic abdominal
images 5 & 24 h p.i.
affected by
carcinoid with
extensive hepatic and
paraaortal metastases.



5 h p.i.

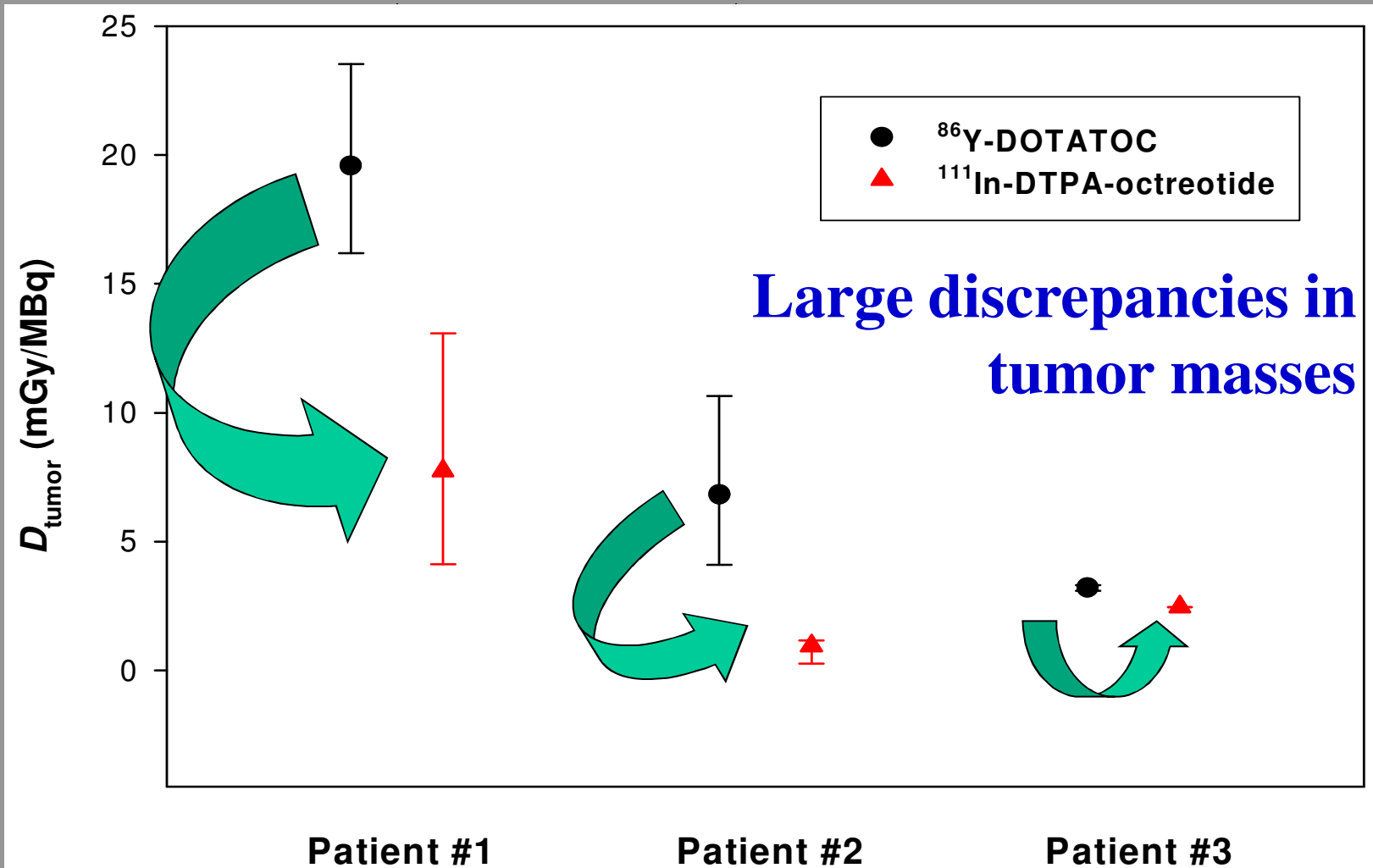


24 h p.i.



- Patients:
- 3 patients with metastases of carcinoid tumor (histologically confirmed)
 - No therapy with unlabeled somatostatin > 4 weeks
 - Age: 46 – 67 years, male
 - All were candidates for a possible ⁹⁰Y-DOTATOC therapy

Radiation doses for [⁹⁰Y]DOTATOC therapy (based on [⁸⁶Y]DOTATOC-PET)



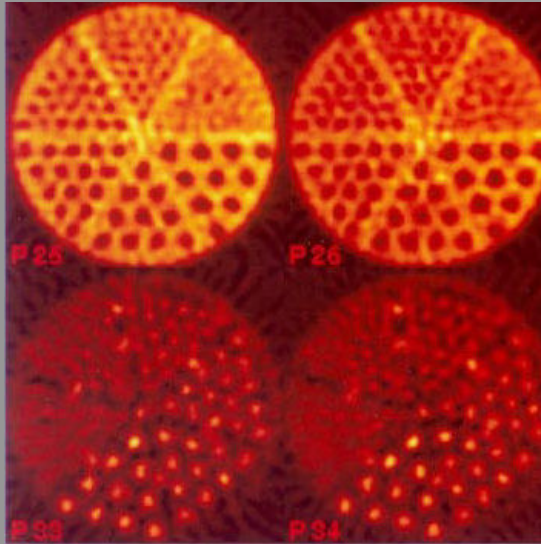
Rare Earth Elements

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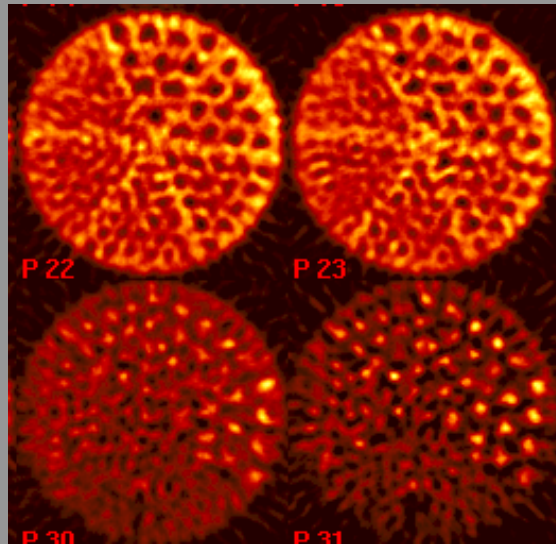
Positron Emitters

Nuclide	T _{1/2}	% β ⁺	MeV	MeV γ / %	Production Route
⁴³Sc	3.9 h	88	1.2		⁴³Ca (p,n) ⁴³Sc, ⁴⁴Ca (p,2n) ⁴³Sc
⁴⁴Sc	3.9 h	94	1.5		⁴⁴Ti decay (generator), ⁴⁵Sc (p,2n) ⁴⁴Ti V, Ti (p,spall)
^{85m}Y	4.9 h	67	2.3	238 34	⁸⁶Sr (p,2n) ^{85m}Y, ISOLDE
⁸⁶Y	14.7 h	32	1.2	637 33 1077 83	⁸⁶Sr (p,n) ⁸⁶Y ISOLDE
¹³⁴Ce ¹³⁴Pr	75.9 h 6.7 m	EC 64	2.7	No 605	Ta, Er, Gd (p,spall) ¹³²Ba (α,2n) ¹³⁴Ce
¹³⁸Nd ¹³⁸Pr	5.2 h 1.5 m	EC 76	3.4	No 789 4	Ta, Er, Gd (p,spall) ¹³⁶Ce (α,2n) ¹³⁸Nd, ISOLDE
¹⁴⁰Nd ¹⁴⁰Pr	3.4 d 3.4 m	EC 50	2.4	No No	Ta, Er, Gd (p,spall), ISOLDE ¹⁴¹Pr (p,2n) ¹⁴⁰Nd,
¹⁴²Sm ¹⁴²Pm	72.4 m 40.5 s	6 78	1.5 3.9	No No	Ta, Er, Gd (p,spall), ISOLDE ¹⁴²Nd (α,4n) ¹⁴²Sm
¹⁵²Tb	17.5 h	20	2.8	Div	Ta (p,spall) ISOLDE ¹⁵²Gd (p,4n) ¹⁴⁹Tb, ¹⁴²Nd(¹²C,5n) ¹⁴⁹Dy

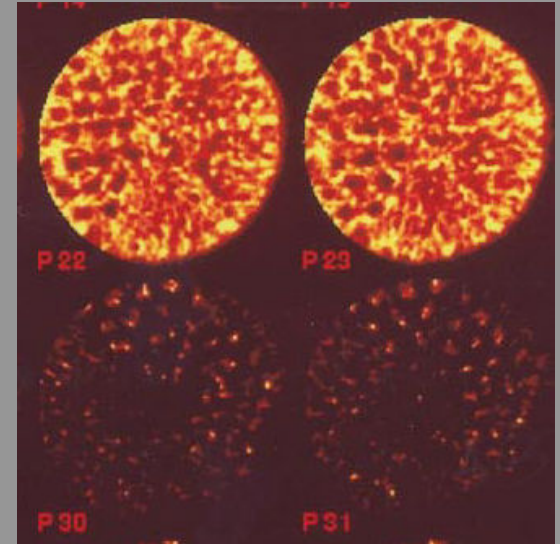
$^{134}\text{Ce}/\text{La}$



$^{140}\text{Nd}/\text{Pr}$



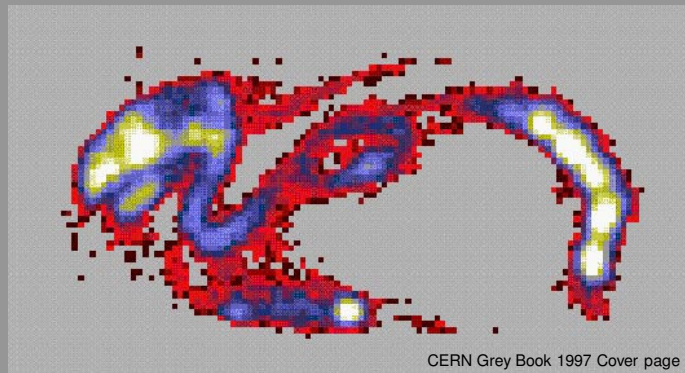
^{149}Tb



Positron emitting radiolanthanides

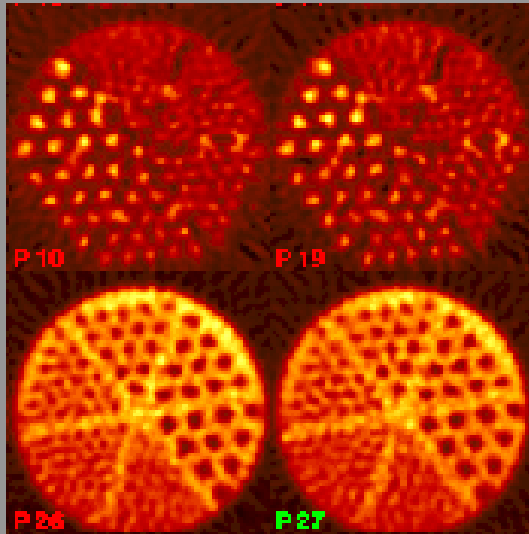
PET phantom studies

$^{142}\text{SmEDTMP}$ in vivo study

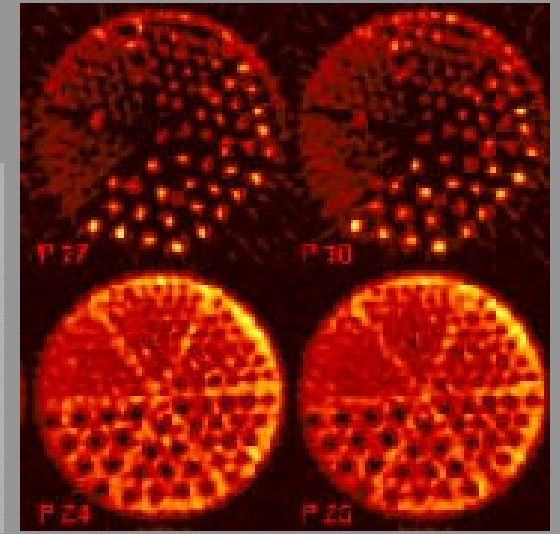


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$^{142}\text{Sm}/\text{Pm}$



$^{138}\text{Nd}/\text{Pr}$



^{152}Tb

α -emitters
for therapy

Summary

- High-energy proton induced reactions can produce essentially all isotopes of medical interest
- High energy protons in combination with mass separation (on-line or off-line) provide a universal production method for R&D isotopes.
- These radioisotopes are practically carrier-free and of high purity.
- The universality of ISOLDE enables systematic biokinetic studies, simultaneously with different isotopes and different tracers.
- Already today ISOLDE can supply quantities of metallic PET-isotopes and α -emitters for preclinical and clinical “phase 0” studies in RIT.

The US national isotope program: Current status and strategy for future success

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The most demanding isotope supply challenge concerns the isotopes used in R&D, an area in which quantities are small, production techniques are not well established, and costs are high. Isotopes for R&D use without proven markets and profitability are not being adequately supplied.

Future of ISOLDE Isotopes for Nuclear Medicine

What should be done at CERN:

- **Launch a new European collaboration for bio-medical and nuclear medicine studies with carrier-free radioisotopes from ISOLDE and other sources.**
- **Rebuild a radiochemical laboratory at ISOLDE for on-site chemical purification of radioisotopes.**
- **Prepare technological solutions for larger-scale isotope production with coming accelerator upgrades (LINAC4, SPL).**

Possible longterm future: MW protons on Hg target

Radio-isotope	Half-life $T_{1/2}$	X-section (mb)	Production rate (per s)	Alternative production processes		Applications
192-Ir	74 d	2.58E+00	1.0E+14	(n, γ)	reactor	Sealed sources for industry and cancer therapy
188-W/Re	69 d	6.90E-02	2.7E+12	(2n, γ)	HFR	Radio-immuno-therapy with 188-Re
178-W/Ta	22 d	8.08E+00	3.1E+14	(p,4n)	accelerator	Generator with potential in PET
177-Lu	6.7 d	6.31E-02	2.4E+12	(n, γ)	reactor	Therapy with labelled antibodies and peptides
166-Ho	25.8 h	5.30E-03	2.0E+11	(n, γ)	reactor	Therapy with labelled antibodies and peptides
149-Tb	4.12 h	9.21E-01	3.5E+13			Targeted Alpha Therapy, single cancer cell targeting
148-Gd	74.6a	5.31E-01	2.1E+13	spallation	accelerator	Low-energy alpha sources
153-Sm	46.75 h	1.41E-03	0.6E+11	(n, γ)	reactor	Therapy of bone metastases
127-Xe	76.4 d	9.22E-02	3.5E+12	(p,x...)	accelerator	SPECT, lung ventilation and brain perfusion
117m-Sn	13.6 d	1.78E-01	0.7E+13	(n, γ)	HFR	Systemic radionuclide therapy
99-Mo/99m-Tc	66 h	2.78E-01	0.6E+13	(n, f)	reactor	Most important radionuclide for nuclear medical imaging
89-Sr	50.5 d	5.39E-01	2.1E+13	(n, γ), (n,p)	reactor	Palliative therapy of bone metastases
82-Sr/Rb	25.5 d	1.36E-01	0.5E+13	(p,4n)	accelerator	Generator, PET, myocardial perfusion
68-Ge/Ga	288 d	9.38E-02	3.6E+12	(p,2n), spall.	accelerator	Different PET imaging procedures, calibration of PET
67-Cu	61.9 h	3.83E-01	1.5E+13	(p, γ)	accelerator	Therapy with labelled antibodies and peptides
44-Ti/Sc	47.3 y	1.77E-03	0.7E+11	spallation	accelerator	Generator, great potential for PET
32-Si	101 y	3.03E-02	1.2E+12			Important isotope for R&D and technical application
26-Al	7.16e5 y	6.05E-03	2.3E+11	(p,n)	cyclotron	Important isotope for R&D and technical application
28-Mg	20.9 h	1.45E-02	0.6E+12			Important isotope for R&D

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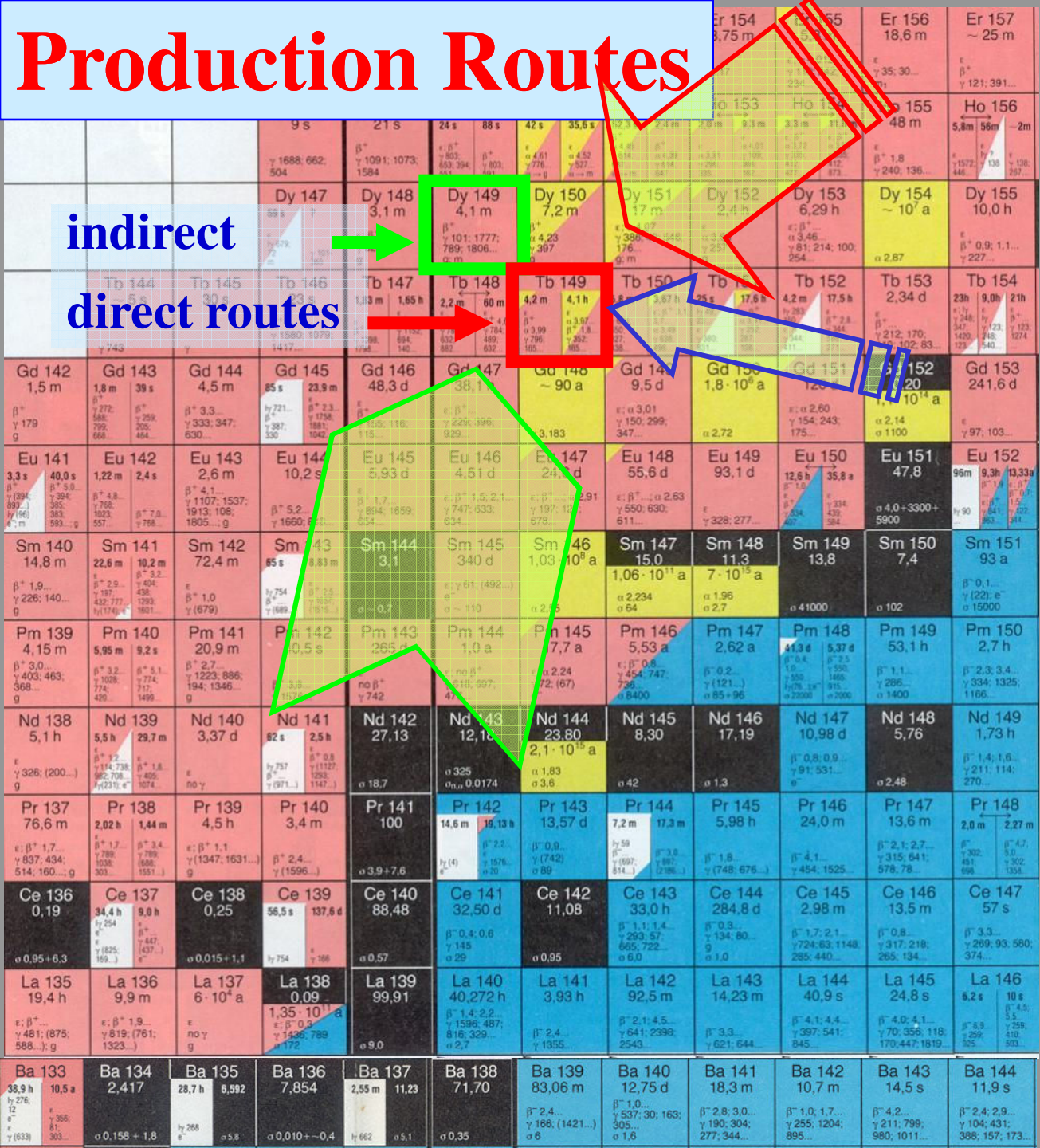
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for your kind attention

Gerd Beyer

Production Routes



indirect
direct routes

3 p-spallation
~1 GeV p / Ta

2 Light particle
induced
reactions

1 HI induced
reactions