

## **BRACHYSCIENCES**

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## Dear Betsy

Attached is the information requested for our Co-57 Source used for daily calibration of our Dose Calibrators

We only utilize one source but typically decay here when no longer useable

Request a maximum total activity of 15 mCi

Request a miximum individual source activity of 7 mCi.

Regards,

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## NIST TRACEABLE CERTIFICATE GAMMA STANDARD SOURCE

RADIONUCLIDE

HALF LIFE: 271.79 ± 0.09 days

CATALOG NO: RV-057-5M

**Source No:** 1377-55-10

REFERENCE DATE: 1 Aug 09, 12:00 PST

CONTAINED RADIOACTIVITY: 5.183 mCi

CONTAINED RADIOACTIVITY: 191.8 MBq

SOURCE DESCRIPTION:

CAPSULE TYPE:

NATURE OF ACTIVE DEPOSIT:

ACTIVE DIAMETER/VOLUME:

BACKING: COVER:

RV (27 ml polyethylene bottle)

Co-57 dispersed in an epoxy matrix

Approx. 20 ml

Plastic Plastic

RADIOIMPURITIES:

Co-56 = 0.0562%; Co-58 = 0.0113% on 1 Aug 09.

METHOD OF CALIBRATION:

This source was assayed in a pressurized well-type ionization chamber.

UNCERTAINTY OF MEASUREMENT:

TYPE B (SYSTEMATIC) UNCERTAINTY:  $\pm 3.0\%$ TYPE A (RANDOM) UNCERTAINTY: ± 0.0% UNCERTAINTY IN ALIQUOT WEIGHING:  $\pm 0.0\%$ 

TOTAL UNCERTAINTY AT THE 99% CONFIDENCE LEVEL: ± 3.0%

## NOTES:

1. See reverse for leak tests performed on this source.

2. IPL participates in an NIST measurement assurance program to establish and maintain implicit traceability for a number of nuclides, based on the blind assay (and later NIST certification) of Standard Reference Material (As in NRC Regulatory Guide 4.15).

Nuclear data was taken from IAEA-TECDOC-619, 1991.
This source has a working life of 18 months.

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