AT110 Gamma Beam Irradiator with Calibration Bench



Reference gamma beam irradiator with calibration bench is designed to simulate and transmit air kerma, exposure dose, individual dose equivalent and dose equivalent units and their respective rates into working standards and measurement instruments during verification, calibration and test procedures.



Application

Metrology support of gamma dosimetric measurements

- Verification and calibration in metrology service facilities
- Calibration procedures in Secondary Standard Dosimeter Laboratories (SSDL)
- Calibration of measurement instruments in the process of development, manufacturing and production
- Applied metrology

Features

- Typical collimating unit according to GOST 8.087-2000
- Revolving drum magazine with chambers for sources
- Software control of sources travel from exposure position to storage position
- Programmable control of moving platform travel in fully automatic and manual mode
- Digital servos for positioning of moving platform and sources
- Control system based on personal computer and operator panel with automatic calibration functions
- Lasers and calibrated gauge bars are used for detector centring in radiation beam
- Readouts are taken using video surveillance system or instrument interface
- Safe braking and trip limiting of moving platform
- Three power outlets (230 VAC, 50 Hz) with insulated neutral on moving platform for verified instruments
- Alarm and interlock system to provide secure operation of laboratory
- Measurement of radiation environment in working chamber and adjacent rooms
- Emergency power source is available
- Loading of sources into laboratory using transfer container and accessories
- Layout design and calculation of radiation parameters for client's premises

Operating principle

The principle of facility operation is based on the use of ¹³⁷Cs radionuclide sources.

The facility implements the irradiation schemewith fixed irradiator and calibration bench on linear moving platform.

The range of gamma radiation dose rate values is achieved by set of sources with different activities and varying the distance between source and detector. Field shape can be changed by varying the distance between source and detector or diameter of collimator channel.

Automatic functions of irradiator and calibration bench are remotely controlled from operator room.





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Specifications		
Gamma radiation source, maximum activity	¹³⁷ Cs – 1.3·10 ¹² Bq (35 Ci)	
Number of sources	Up to 5	
Ranges - Air kerma rate - Exposure dose rate - Ambient dose equivalent rate, Individual dose equivalent rate	0.25 μGy/h = 350 mGy/h 30 μR/h = 40 R/h 0.30 μSv/h = 420 mSv/h	
Intrinsic relative error for certification as a working standard of 1-st category (2-nd category)	±2.5% (±5%) [Air kerma rate and exposure dose rate] ±4.5% (±7%) [Ambient dose equivalent rate and individual dose equivalent rate]	
Actual range limits and error are determined by calibration.		

≤0.5 µSv/h

<0,5 mm

≤0.002R

±50 mm

360°

≤35 kg

≤75 kg

≤1 min

≥24 h

≤600 VA

≤400 VA 15°C – 35°C

≤80%

+140 mm

0.9 mm/s - 26 cm/s

(230 ±23) V, (50±1) Hz

640x540x1700 mm

270x330 mm

800 kg

135 kg

100 kg

150 kg

10x5x3.5 m

70 kg

3500x1500 mm

Up to 9000x860x220 mm 910x855x1820 mm

1140 - 1480 mm

Collimator channel	Ø60 mm / Ø90 mm, length 150 mm
Radiation beam axis height from floor level	(1500±30) mm
Working distances interval R	0.5 – 8 m
Diameter of uniform radiation field at R=1 m (Non-uniformity ±6%) - For Ø60 mm collimator - For Ø90 mm collimator	300 mm 450 mm
Time of source transfer into operational position	<15 s

Source composition and range can be adjusted by agreement with customer.

Time of source transfer into operational position Radiation background at 1 m from

Reproducibility of moving platform position on X coordinate

Absolute error of detector position radiation beam	tion
Speed of platform travel	

Travel range of platform workbench:

- Vertically from floor level

- Moving platform

Horizontally
 Along radiation beam axis
 Across radiation beam axis
 About vertical axis with 15° steps

irradiator in storage position

Weight of equipment on: - Workbench

Initialisation time	
Continuous run time	
Power supply	
Power consumption	
- Facility	
 Auxiliary equipment 	

Operation temperature range Relative air humidity Dimensions (maximum)

Irradiator

Irradiator

Base frame of calibration bench
Moving platform
Workbench
Operator station equipment (footprint)

Weight (not greater)

Base frame of calibration bench
Moving platform
Transfer container
- Operator station equipment

Dimensions of working chamber room (minimum)

m / Ø90 mm,
150 mm

Complete set

- Remotely-controlled irradiator:
- Irradiator
- Control unit, control panel
- Accessories including source holders and tools for source holder assembling, transfer container, pneumatic gripper and lift
- Calibration bench:
 - Base, moving platform, control unit, control panel
 - Video surveillance system for measurements
 - Laser targeting system
 - Accessory set for unit performance monitoring
- Accessory set with clamps for attaching instruments to working table and 300x300x150 mm phantom
- Alarm and interlock system
- Radiation monitoring service
- AC power adapter
- Uninterrupted power supply
- Desktop computer
- User's manual
- "UDG software solution"
- Accessories kit
- Spare parts kit
- Calibration procedure
- Optional accessories:
- AT5350/1 Standard dosimeter (Intrinsic error under ±3%)
- AT1102 Comparator (Intrinsic error under ±5%)

The facility complies with: GOST 8.087-2000, GOST 27451-87, Safety requirements of IEC 61010-1:2010, EMC requirements of EN 55011:2009, IEC 61000-4-2:2008, IEC 61000-4-3:2008, IEC 61000-4-6:2004, IEC 61000-4-11:2004, IEC 61000-4-11:2004

Design and specifications are subject to change without notice





