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British Standard Method for

**Determination of the maximum symmetrical
radiation field from a rotating anode
X-ray tube for medical diagnosis**

Méthode pour la détermination du champ de rayonnement maximal symétrique provenant
d'un tube à anode tournante utilisé en diagnostic médical

Verfahren zur Bestimmung des maximalen Strahlungsfeldes einer Drehanodenröntgenröhre
für die medizinische Diagnostik

National foreword

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Wherever page numbers are quoted they are IEC page numbers. These are given in brackets at the foot of each page.

Cross-references

International standards	Corresponding British Standards
IEC 788 : 1984	BS 6641 : 1985 Medical radiology terminology (Identical)
ISO 5/1-1984	BS 1384 Photographic density measurements Part 1 : 1985 Guide for terms, symbols and notations (Identical)
ISO 5/3-1984	Part 3 : 1985 Specification for spectral conditions (Identical)
ISO 5/4-1983	Part 4 : 1985 Specification for geometric conditions for reflection density (Identical)

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