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BIS™ Brain Monitoring for Critical Care

Because your patients need
sedation that is "just right."

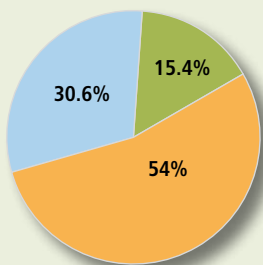


An objective measure to help you maintain sedation that is just right.

You face many challenges in your goal to optimize the comfort, safety and quality of care for your critically ill patients. Sedation scales and daily wake-ups are subjective and intermittent and may not be sufficient to assure optimal sedation. Oversedation and undersedation may occur and can contribute to a broad range of complications.^{1, 2, 3, 4, 5}

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BIS technology backs you up by providing additional objective insight to help you better assess patient status and make more informed decisions about titration of sedative drugs. BIS can help you meet your patient's needs during continuous or intermittent sedation, with or without neuromuscular blockade.



More than 69% of patients in an ICU were found to be inappropriately sedated⁵

- On Target
- Undersedated
- Oversedated

ICU SEDATION: A BIMODAL CHALLENGE	
<p>COMPLICATIONS OF OVERSEDATION^{6,7}</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased time on mechanical ventilation Increased length of stay in ICU and/or hospital Additional cost of care Need for additional diagnostic testing Increased risk of delirium Decreased wound healing and GI motility Impaired reliability of neurological examinations 	<p>COMPLICATIONS OF UNDERSEDATION⁶</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fear, anxiety and agitation Unpleasant recall Medical device removal Additional costs Increased nursing time



“The combination of observational tools and neurofunction monitors can provide different and complementary data that will ensure a greater understanding of the patient’s response to sedation than would either tool alone.”

— DAIWAI OLSON, RN, PHDC, CCRN

HOW BIS WORKS

- Raw EEG data are obtained through a sensor placed on the patient’s forehead
- The BIS system processes the EEG information and calculates a number between 0 and 100 that provides a direct measure of the patient’s level of consciousness and response to sedation
- A BIS value of 100 indicates the patient is fully awake
- A BIS value of 0 indicates the absence of brain activity

USING BIS TO GUIDE ICU SEDATION CARE

- Sedatives may be titrated to a variety of BIS values depending on the goals for each patient
- Publications demonstrate that BIS may be used as a measure of hypnotic drug effect in the ICU^{6, 8, 9, 10}
- Movement may occur regardless of BIS values
- Natural sleep cycles may affect the hypnotic level

BIS Range and Clinical States

100	Awake • Responds to normal voice
80	Light / Moderate Sedation • May respond to loud commands or mild prodding / shaking
60	General Anesthesia • Low probability of explicit recall • Unresponsive to verbal stimulus
40	Deep Hypnotic State
20	• Burst Suppression
0	Flat Line EEG

This chart reflects a general association between clinical state and BIS values. Ranges are based on results from a multi-center study of BIS involving the administration of specific anesthetic agents. BIS values and ranges assume that the EEG is free of artifacts that can affect its performance. Titration of anesthetics to BIS ranges should be dependent upon the individual goals established for each patient. These goals and associated BIS ranges may vary over time and in the context of patient status and treatment plan.

BIS solutions to meet your needs.



**FULLY FEATURED STAND-ALONE SOLUTION
BIS VISTA™ MONITORING SYSTEM**



BIS FULLY INTEGRATED SEAMLESS SOLUTION

Datascope™* **Mennen Medical™***
Dixtal™* **Mindray™***
Dräger Medical™* **Nihon Kohden™***
General Electric™* **Philips™***
SpaceLabs Healthcare™*

“With BIS, we achieved a significant reduction in time on ventilators, ICU and hospital length of stay, and the use of costly infusional sedative agents. As a result, it is now a required part of our routine monitoring of ventilated, sedated patients and an essential element for those requiring neuromuscular paralytic agents.”

—DAVID KAUFMAN, MD

“BIS provides a more accurate assessment than subjective tools, and is part of our integrated approach to assessing and titrating sedation. We routinely use BIS in patients treated with barbiturate coma and neuromuscular blockade and have recently found several applications during therapeutic hypothermia.”

—RICHARD RIKER, MD

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