For the CT to operate quietly, rotating components of the CT need to be counterbalanced. The easiest way is to use lead as a counterbalance to other components. However, lead is a toxic element. Therefore, the SOMATOM Emotion uses no longer lead as a counterbalance. The SOMATOM Emotion 6 and 16 only require a very small amount of lead to shield and shape the radiation beam, enabling superb image quality for which the SOMATOM Emotion is known.

SOMATOM Emotion – Minimum Lead Content

• Dose reduction of up to 68% with CARE Dose4D*
• Reduced power requirements of up to 30% compared to competitive systems**
• Contactless data transmission prevents abrasion and dust
• No more lead used for counterweights
• All substances contained in the product and its packaging are documented
• Plastic parts are labeled for recycling
• Disassembly instructions for high-quality recycling are available
• Complete CT systems and their components are taken back and refurbished
• Product take-back according to strict EU directives
• More than 98% of the materials used can be returned to the flow of recyclable materials
• Environmental product declaration is available for download via internet

* Results may vary. Data on file.
** Compared to competitive systems requiring power of up to 100 kVA
At the end of 2010, sales for the SOMATOM® Emotion CT system have exceeded 7,000 worldwide, making it the most popular CT in the world.* The SOMATOM Emotion has achieved this outstanding success through a combination of an extremely efficient system, leading-edge clinical applications, smooth workflow, and Siemens’ continued focus on system uptime.

The efficiency of the SOMATOM Emotion is of benefit both to the environment and for reducing on-going costs from electricity and air-conditioning over the life of your CT system. This focus on efficiency and reducing the total cost of ownership for CT over the longer term is a key factor in the success of over 7,000 systems sold worldwide.

We are now continuing this unparalleled success story in an increasingly competitive and rapidly changing healthcare market. While patients continue to expect higher diagnostic accuracy, healthcare institutions and physicians are being forced to reduce time to diagnosis and unnecessary hospitalization.

To meet these and tomorrow’s demands for higher quality and cost-efficient healthcare, we have developed the new SOMATOM Emotion. With both 6-slice and 16-slice configurations, CT scanning has never seen a system reaching this level of efficiency. You can expect, and will receive, high-end imaging performance from an unbelievably compact and efficient scanner that can continuously protect your investment and maximize your returns. If you are a radiologist, technologist, or financial administrator, you will enjoy knowing that you own the world's most popular CT scanner.*

*Based on system sales

Product Take-Back

The SOMATOM Emotion is produced mainly from recyclable materials. 98% (by weight) can be recycled materially, and 2% energetically.

The high-performance X-ray tube assemblies are designed in such a way that as many parts as possible may be reused. The quality of these assemblies is guaranteed by compliance to standard IEC 62309.

Our product take-back program ensures that we address the environmental aspects of our products – even at the end of life. As part of this program, we refurbish systems and reuse components and replacement parts through our Refurbished Systems division wherever possible. We reuse components and subsystems for non-medical products. We also recycle for material or energy value. Disassembly instructions for disposal and recycling are available for all Siemens CT products.
Environmental Product Design

Material supply:
From natural resources to delivery of semi-finished products

Production/delivery:
From production of components to operation startup by the customer

Use/maintenance:
Includes daily use by our customers as well as maintenance

End of life:
From disassembly at the customer through material and energy recycling

Siemens considers environmental aspects in all phases of the product life cycle, including material supply, production/delivery, use/maintenance and end of life.

Our product design procedure fulfills the requirements of IEC60601-1-9:2007 “Environmental product design for medical electrical equipment”.

This standard supports the effort to improve the environmental performance of our products.

Identification of Product Materials

SOMATOM Emotion is mainly built out of metals. This ensures a high degree of recyclability.

Total weight: approx. 2,190 kg

- Ferrous alloys, steels 52%
- Nonferrous metals and alloys 18%
- Precious metals 0.0042%
- Other metals and semimetals 1.2%
- Inorganic materials, ceramics 3.4%
- Plastics 23%
- Other materials 0.38%
- Organic substances 0.73%
- Critical substances 0.88%
Reduction of Critical Substances

The consumption of material per unit area for CT detectors has been significantly reduced by Siemens Healthcare. Today Siemens needs approx. 70% less Gadolinium Oxide for production of a defined surface area of CT detector ceramics compared to eight years ago.

Cumulated Energy Demand

Energy consumption is the most important environmental characteristic of medical devices. This is why we use the Cumulative Energy Demand to assess environmental performance. Cumulative energy demand is the total primary energy* that is necessary to produce, use and dispose a device – including all transportation. Our medical devices can be recycled almost completely for materials or energy. With end of life treatment it is possible to return up to 20 MWh in form of secondary raw materials or thermal energy to the economic cycle.

*Primary energy is the energy contained in natural resources prior to undergoing any human made conversions (e.g. oil, solar).

**Energy for life cycle phase usage is based on:
25 patients per day, 60 s scan time per patient,
10 working hours per day, 300 working days per year.
### Operating Data

#### Heat emissions of the device
- **Basic load**\(^1\) < 2.3 kW
- **Scanning** < 6.8 kW

#### Allowed ambient temperature\(^3\) 18°C–30°C

#### Allowed relative humidity
20%–85%

#### Noise level
≤ 68 dB(A)

#### Energy consumption:
- **Basic load**\(^1\) < 2.3 kW
- **Full load**\(^2\) ~ 40 kW
- **Maximum load** 70 kW

#### Power-on time\(^4\)
< 4 min

#### Power-off time\(^5\)
< 2 min

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1 Device is in operation but no patient examination takes place
2 Average value at examination of patients (abdomen routine mode)
3 Within examination room
4 From off-mode to operating state
5 From operating state to off-mode

### Technical Specifications

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### Radiation

#### Measures/techniques to reduce Ionizing radiation exposure
- Ultra Fast Ceramic (UFC) detectors
- CARE Dose4D™
- Shaped Filter & Adaptive Dose Shield

#### Measures/techniques to reduce the exposure to electromagnetic radiation
Not applicable

#### Reduction compared to the limit value for users
Not applicable
### Disposal / Substance Information

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### Cleaning

#### Incompatible cleaning processes

- **Total device**: Not applicable
- **Restrictions for particular device components**: Not applicable

#### List of incompatible substance classes

- **Total device**
  - Sprays
  - Chlorine releasing agents
  - Substituted phenols based agents
  - Scouring cleaning agents
  - Organic solvents
  - Ammonia releasing agents
- **Restrictions for particular device components**: Not applicable

#### Suitability of the device for sterile areas

Not applicable

#### Size of the surface to be cleaned

Approx. 2.5 m²

1 Gantry-tunnel (inside), patient table overlay, control elements, console, keypad, intercom, mouse

### Further Ecologically Relevant Information

#### Elements of instruction are:

- **Recommendations for saving energy**: Yes
- **Recommendations for efficient cleaning**: Not applicable
- **Recommendations for appropriate use of consumables**: Yes
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