# Lunar DPX Bravo

Simplicity and dedication



# Bone densitometry that fits y



### our examination room



## Powerful tools in a small foot

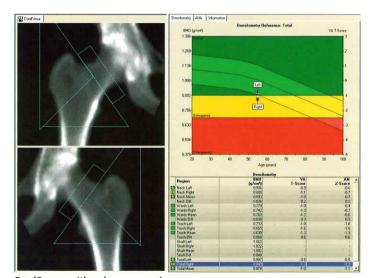
Lunar DPX Bravo offers multiple clinical applications for seamless osteoporosis assessment in a streamlined operator-friendly package, while ensuring clinical confidence and fast throughput.<sup>7</sup>



enCORE - brief click path in enCORExpress™ mode

### enCORE™ software platform: easy to use

Lunar DPX Bravo is fully automated by the intuitive enCORE Windows®-based software. In addition, the daily testing of the multi-point calibration and the large regional reference population databases offer you complete quality assurance.

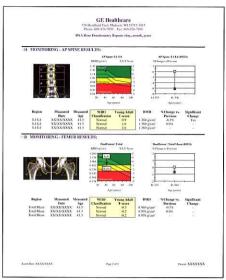


DualFemur with values per region

### DualFemur: identifying the weakest femur

With the DualFemur option, both femurs are automatically scanned in one seamless acquisition without repositioning the patient. As such, DualFemur allows you to assess the density of the critical hip region, including identification of the weakest side, increasing confidence in your treatment decisions. In addition, the trending function enables seamless follow-up of change over time.<sup>6,8</sup>

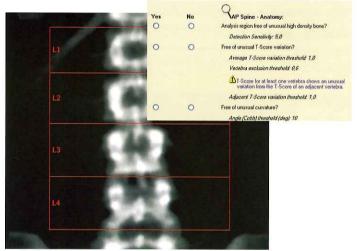
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Composer - your single-page report

### Composer: custom reports

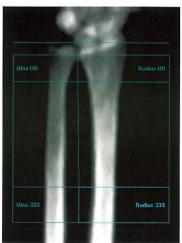
With clinical diagnosis and treatment decisions based on a variety of pre-defined criteria and guidelines established by international and local societies? it might not always be that easy for your referring colleagues¹0 to interpret multi-page reports. Composer allows you to automatically generate concise custom patient reports including imagery, clinician diagnosis and monitoring assessments in full accordance with the predefined criteria and guidelines in your locality.



ScanCheck - looks for acquisition errors

#### ScanCheck

ScanCheck automatically identifies potential acquisition and analysis errors and provides multimedia help. It alerts of incorrect positioning, unusual anatomy, high-density areas and artifacts, and makes recommendations for correction.



Bone evaluation at peripheral sites: opening new opportunities

With the forearm application, you can measure the radius and ulna to provide additional clinical information on the skeletal status of your patient.

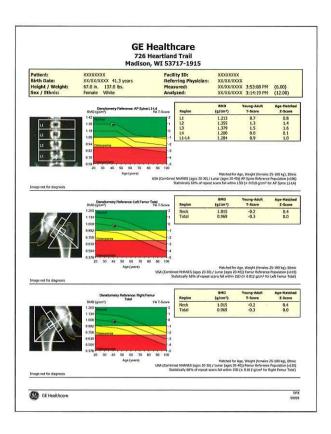
Forearm application – dedicated to expanded sites

## Easy to use

#### OneScan: three sites in one test

OneScan simplifies BMD testing by acquiring lumbar spine and bilateral femur scans in one automatic process from a single patient position, without compromising diagnostic confidence.<sup>11</sup>





#### Complete connectivity: easy communication and workflow in full safety7,10

- DICOM and HL7 connectivity seamlessly integrate densitometry results with Picture Archival and Communication Systems (PACS) and Radiology/Hospital Information Systems (RIS/HIS), respectively.
- The worklist feature in both DICOM and HL7 enables automatic use of patient information from scheduling applications, helping to reduce data entry errors.
- Multi-User Database access (MUDB) improves flexibility and productivity by offering the possibility to access and/or reanalyze scans remotely and to share with clinical partners.
- TeleDensitometry provides the ability to send paperless reports as faxes or easy e-mail attachments, viewable on any personal computer without special software.

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- Some sites may require power conditioning equipment. Contact GE Healthcare for details and specifications.

#### Lunar DPX Bravo technical specifications:

#### Available applications and options 7.10

- AP spine
- Femur
- DualFemur
- OneScan
- Advanced Hip Assessment (AHA)
- ScanCheck
- Estimated Total Body %Fat
- Forearm
- Orthopedic
- OneVision
- Composer™
- TeleDensitometry (fax, e-mail)
- HIPAA SecureView
- Practice Management tools
- DICOM (worklist, color print and store)
- HL7 bidirectional interface
- Multi-User Database access (MUDB) (1-3 or 1-10 users)
- SQL database
- Remote connectivity for direct customer support

#### enCORE Windows-based user interface7,10

- Advanced intuitive graphical interface with multimedia on-line help
- Multiple languages available
- SmartScan for scan window optimization and dose reduction
- Automated scan mode selection
- AutoAnalysis for better precision
- · Customized analysis for clinical flexibility

- Exam comparison process
- Multiple patient directories with database
- BMD or sBMD results. BMC and area
- Extensive reference data: >12,000 USA/Northern European subjects, as well as NHANES, and numerous regional databases.
- T-score, Z-score, % young adult and % age matched
- WHO guidelines for diagnosis of osteoporosis
- Patient trending with previous exam importation
- enCOREXpress mode for brief click path

#### Standard features

- Swing arm
- Paper roll dispenser
- Washable table pad

#### Quality assurance

- Automated test program with complete mechanical and electronic tests
- Automated QA trending with complete storage

#### Scanning method

- DXA pencil-beam technology with SmartScan technology
- No scout scan required, no moving table

#### X-ray characteristics

- Constant potential source at 76kV
- · Dose efficient K-edge filter
- Tube current: 0.05 3.00mA

#### **Detector technology**

- Nal PM tube detector
- High pulse rate

#### Dimensions (L x W x H) and weight

- System: 1.86m x .86m x 1.30m 202kg (74" x 34" x 51" - 444lbs)
- Operating space: 1.86m x 1.04m x 1.30m (74" x 41" x 51")
- Table height: .63m (25")
- Console table:
  .79m x .63m x .48m (31" x 25" x 19")

#### Patient weight limit

159kg (350lbs)

#### External shielding

- Not required: X-ray safety requirements may vary by location. Please inquire with local regulatory authorities.
- Operating scatter: < 0.2 mR/hr (2 μSv/hr)</li>
  @ 1m (39") from X-ray source
- GE Healthcare recommends consulting your local regulatory agency to comply with local ordinances.

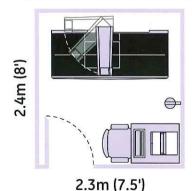
#### **Environmental requirements**

- Ambient temperature: 18-27°C (65-81°F)
- 120 VAC 50-60 Hz 20A dedicated circuit or 230-240 VAC 50-60Hz 10A dedicated circuit ±10%
- Humidity: 20%-80%, non-condensing

#### Computer workstation7,10

- Windows platform
- Computer, printer and monitor

#### Minimum room dimensions:



The Lunar DPX Bravo is designed to have minimal impact on your practice in both installation requirements and required operating space. The system is shown above in a 7.5'  $\times$  8' exam room, with a typical workstation. No operator shielding  $^{12}$  or special site preparation beyond a dedicated 20 Amp 120VAC duplex outlet is required.  $^{13}$  The outlet should be placed near the desired location of the operators console.



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Indications for use: The DPX Series Bravo Bone Densitometer provides an estimate of BMD at the spine, proximal femur and forearm regions. This BMD value can then be compared to a reference population at the sole discretion of the physician.

CAUTION: Federal Law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.

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