

X-SIGHT G/RA Film

X-SIGHT G/RA Film is a high speed, high contrast, and high resolution orthochromatic medical x-ray film for use with green light emitting intensifying screens. It is coated on a blue, 0.2 mm (7-mil) polyester base support that has a base density of approximately 0.20 with zero crossover technology and gradient crossover control for sharper images. The film incorporates visually adaptive contrast which increases contrast at high densities, compensating for the associated loss of visual contrast sensitivity. It puts the contrast where your eyes most need it.

X-SIGHT G/RA Film is designed for standard and rapid processing cycles and allows for the use of non-hardening chemicals such as X-OMAT LE+ Developer and Replenisher and X-OMAT LE+ Fixer and Replenisher.

Sensitometric and Photographic Properties:

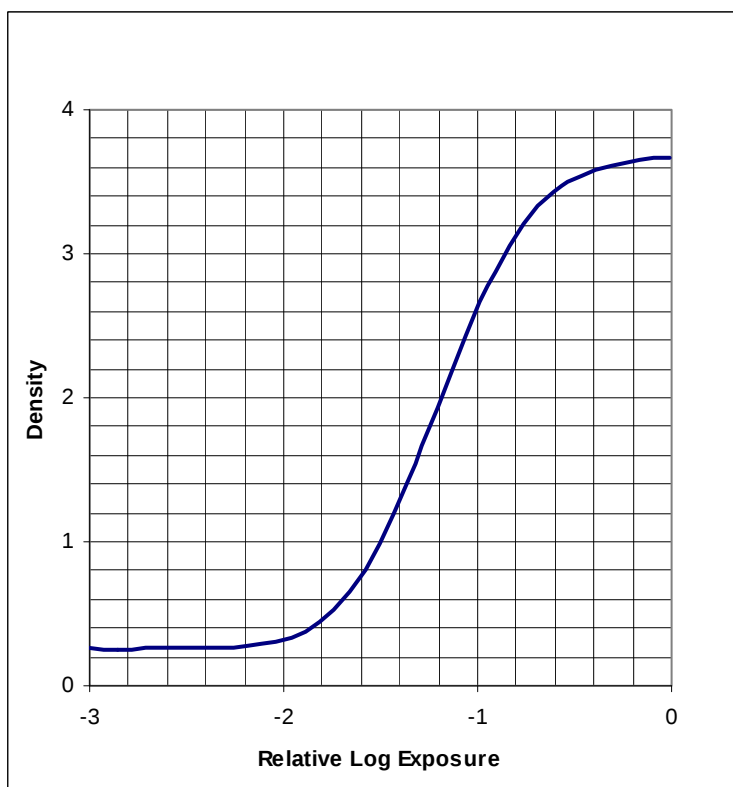
Screen	System Speed
X-SIGHT	400

Sensitometric Parameters:

Speed	Measured at 1.0 OD above Gross Fog
Contrast	Measured as slope of the straight line portion of the sensitometric curve, and computed as the value for the rise for any three consecutive steps.
Gross Fog	Density of film base plus processing fog.

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1/50 second Simulated Green Screen Exposure; RP X-OMAT Chemicals
X-OMAT 5000 RA Processor; Diffuse Visual Densitometry; 90-second Processing



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Automatic Processing Recommendations:

In general, processing is recommended in X-OMAT and RP X-OMAT Processors using RP X-OMAT, X-OMAT EX II or X-OMAT LE+ Developer and Replenisher and RP X-OMAT LO or X-OMAT LE+ Fixer and Replenisher.

Influence of developer temperature in case of automatic processing

-2 °C	Ref	+2 °C
0	Base fog	0
-6 %	Sensitivity	+5 %
-0.5 %	Contrast	-2 %

Replenishment Rate Recommendations for X-OMAT or RP X-OMAT Processors (Replenishment by length)

Film Size Processed	Use Condition	Average Number of Films per 8 hours processor operation	Replenishment Rates (ml per 35 x 43 cm)	
			Developer	Fixer
35 x 35 cm (only)	High	90 sheets or more	50	70
	Medium	30 – 90 sheets	65	85
	Low	30 sheets or less*	80	100
Average size intermix	High	115 sheets or more	50	70
	Medium	40 – 115 sheets	65	85
	Low	40 sheets or less*	80	100
35 x 43 cm (only)	High	75 sheets or more	60	85
	Medium	25 – 75 sheets	80	100
	Low	25 sheets or less*	100	120

*If sensitometry does not stay within control limits, flooded replenishment may be needed.

Please refer to Service Bulletin No. 30, available on the Carestream website or upon request, for additional processing recommendations.

Recommended Starter Volumes

Developer	Starter (Added to processor developer tank)
RP, EX II	89 ml (3 fl. Oz.) per 3.78 Litres (1 gallon)
LE+	No starter added

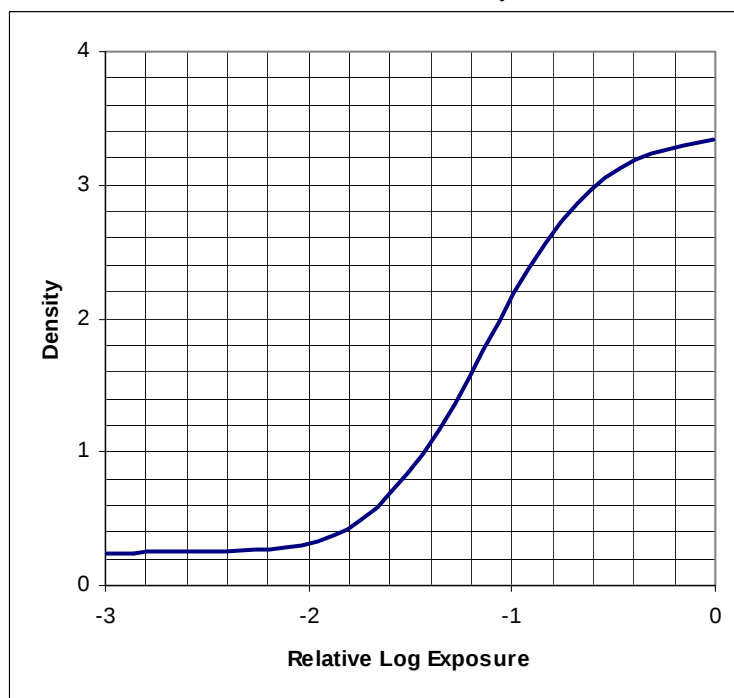
Influence of developer temperature in case of manual processing

The developing time must be adjusted as per the following the table:

Temperature °C :	20	22	24.5	26.5
Developer Time (minutes)	8	7	5	4

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1/50 Second Simulated Green Screen Exposure
GBX Chemicals, 7 minutes, 22 °C (72 °F), Manual Process
Diffuse Visual Densitometry



Sensitometric Quality Control (required for Germany and Switzerland)

The film was tested with a calibrated light sensitometer and processed in a X-OMAT 5000 RA processor, filled with fresh RP X-OMAT Developer and RP X-OMAT LO Fixer.

Characteristics are measured according to DIN 6868-55

LE = 1.94 +/- 0.09
LK = 1.67 +/- 11 %
EI = 1.28 step = 9
KI = 1.07 step = 12 – 9

Note that since the DIN sensitometer creates a single side exposure and X-SIGHT G/RA Film has an anti-cross-over layer, these values do not reflect the real contrast and density of the film when used as designed.

Note : the results obtained are dependent on exposure and processing conditions

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Storage and Handling

Storage -

Unexposed:	  	10–24 °C (50–75 °F) Do not refrigerate or freeze as this can cause condensation to occur. 30–50 %RH Protect from heat and radioactive sources. Film is to be properly shielded from x-rays, gamma rays, or penetrating radiation.
Exposed:	Keep cool, dry, and properly shielded from penetrating radiation. Process as soon as possible.	
Processed:	16–27 °C (60–80 °F), 30–50 %RH	

The film should be used before the expiration date  indicated on the box with the lot (emulsion) number **LOT**.

Handling -

Hands must be clean, dry and free of lotions, etc. Film should be handled carefully by the edges to avoid physical strains such as pressure, creasing, or buckling. Luminous watches, cell phone and darkroom light leaks should be avoided.



Do not re-use. Film is a single use medical device.

Safelight Filter



Use a Ruby Red Safelight Filter, such as GBX-2, with a frosted 15-watt bulb or a LED

Safelight located at least 1.22 metres (48 inches) from the film.

Latensification: Safelight exposure after primary x-ray exposure.

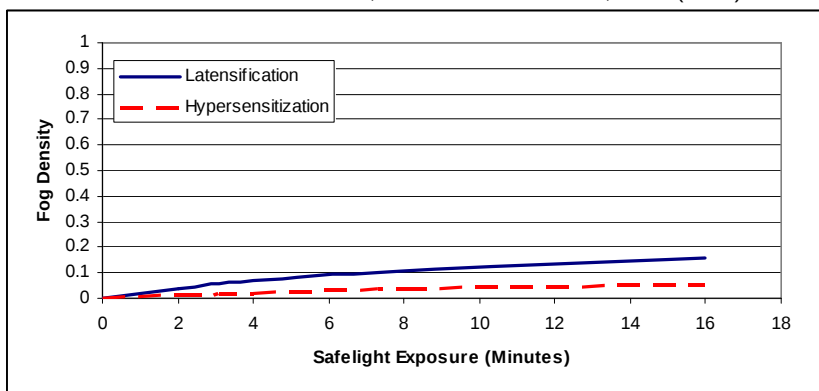
Hypersensitization: Safelight exposure prior to primary x-ray exposure.



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GBX-2 Safelight Filter, 15-watt bulb / 1.22 metres (48 inches)
X-OMAT 5000 RA Processor, RP X-OMAT Chemicals, 35 °C (95 °F)



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