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<p>VÝSTRAHA</p> <p>(CS)</p>	<p>Tento provozní návod existuje pouze v anglickém jazyce.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • V případě, že externí služba zákazníkům potřebuje návod v jiném jazyce, je zajištění překladu do odpovídajícího jazyka úkolem zákazníka. • Nesnažte se o údržbu tohoto zařízení, aniž byste si přečetli tento provozní návod a pochopili jeho obsah. • V případě nedodržování této výstrahy může dojít k poranění pracovníka prodejního servisu, obslužného personálu nebo pacientů vlivem elektrického proudu, respektive vlivem mechanických či jiných rizik.
<p>ADVARSEL</p> <p>(DA)</p>	<p>Denne servicemanual findes kun på engelsk.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hvis en kundes tekniker har brug for et andet sprog end engelsk, er det kundens ansvar at sørge for oversættelse. • Forsøg ikke at servicere udstyret uden at læse og forstå denne servicemanual. • Manglende overholdelse af denne advarsel kan medføre skade på grund af elektrisk stød, mekanisk eller anden fare for teknikeren, operatøren eller patienten.
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<p>HOIATUS</p> <p>(ET)</p>	<p>See teenindusjuhend on saadaval ainult inglise keeles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kui klienditeeninduse osutaja nõuab juhendit inglise keelest erinevas keeles, vastutab klient tõlketeenuse osutamise eest.• Ärge üritage seadmeid teenindada enne eelnevalt käesoleva teenindusjuhendiga tutvumist ja sellest aru saamist.• Käesoleva hoiatuse eiramine võib põhjustada teenuseosutaja, operaatori või patsiendi vigastamist elektrilöögi, mehaanilise või muu ohu tagajärjel.
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<p>ATTENTION</p> <p>(FR)</p>	<p>Ce manuel d'installation et de maintenance est disponible uniquement en anglais.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Si le technicien d'un client a besoin de ce manuel dans une langue autre que l'anglais, il incombe au client de le faire traduire.• Ne pas tenter d'intervenir sur les équipements tant que ce manuel d'installation et de maintenance n'a pas été consulté et compris.• Le non-respect de cet avertissement peut entraîner chez le technicien, l'opérateur ou le patient des blessures dues à des dangers électriques, mécaniques ou autres.
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<p>ΠΡΟΕΙΔΟΠΟΙΗΣΗ</p> <p>(EL)</p>	<p>Το παρόν εγχειρίδιο σέρβις διατίθεται μόνο στα αγγλικά.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Εάν ο τεχνικός σέρβις ενός πελάτη απαιτεί το παρόν εγχειρίδιο σε γλώσσα εκτός των αγγλικών, αποτελεί ευθύνη του πελάτη να παρέχει τις υπηρεσίες μετάφρασης. • Μην επιχειρήσετε την εκτέλεση εργασιών σέρβις στον εξοπλισμό αν δεν έχετε συμβουλευτεί και κατανοήσει το παρόν εγχειρίδιο σέρβις. • Αν δεν προσέξετε την προειδοποίηση αυτή, ενδέχεται να προκληθεί τραυματισμός στον τεχνικό σέρβις, στο χειριστή ή στον ασθενή από ηλεκτροπληξία, μηχανικούς ή άλλους κινδύνους.
<p>FIGYELMEZTETÉS</p> <p>(HU)</p>	<p>Ezen karbantartási kézikönyv kizárólag angol nyelven érhető el.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ha a vevő szolgáltatója angoltól eltérő nyelvre tart igényt, akkor a vevő felelőssége a fordítás elkészítése. • Ne próbálja elkezdeni használni a berendezést, amíg a karbantartási kézikönyvben leírtakat nem értelmezték. • Ezen figyelmeztetés figyelmen kívül hagyása a szolgáltató, működtető vagy a beteg áramütés, mechanikai vagy egyéb veszélyhelyzet miatti sérülését eredményezheti.
<p>AÐVÖRUN</p> <p>(IS)</p>	<p>Þessi þjónustuhandbók er aðeins fánleg á ensku.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ef að þjónustuveitandi viðskiptamanns þarfnast annas tungumáls en ensku, er það skylda viðskiptamanns að skaffa tungumálþjónustu. • Reynið ekki að afgreiða tækið nema að þessi þjónustuhandbók hefur verið skoðuð og skilin. • Brot á sinna þessari aðvörun getur leitt til meiðsla á þjónustuveitanda, stjórnanda eða sjúklings frá raflosti, vélrænu eða öðrum áhættum.
<p>AVVERTENZA</p> <p>(IT)</p>	<p>Il presente manuale di manutenzione è disponibile soltanto in lingua inglese.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Se un addetto alla manutenzione richiede il manuale in una lingua diversa, il cliente è tenuto a provvedere direttamente alla traduzione. • Procedere alla manutenzione dell'apparecchiatura solo dopo aver consultato il presente manuale ed averne compreso il contenuto. • Il mancato rispetto della presente avvertenza potrebbe causare lesioni all'addetto alla manutenzione, all'operatore o ai pazienti provocate da scosse elettriche, urti meccanici o altri rischi.

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<p>BRĪDINĀJUMS</p> <p>(LV)</p>	<p>Šī apkopes rokasgrāmata ir pieejama tikai angļu valodā.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ja klienta apkopes sniedzējam nepieciešama informācija citā valodā, klienta pienākums ir nodrošināt tulkojumu. • Neveiciet aprīkojuma apkopi bez apkopes rokasgrāmatas izlasīšanas un saprašanas. • Šī brīdinājuma neievērošanas rezultātā var rasties elektriskās strāvas trieciena, mehānisku vai citu faktoru izraisītu traumu risks apkopes sniedzējam, operatoram vai pacientam.
<p>ĮSPĖJIMAS</p> <p>(LT)</p>	<p>Šis eksploataavimo vadovas yra tik anglų kalba.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jei kliento paslaugų tiekėjas reikalauja vadovo kita kalba – ne anglų, suteikti vertimo paslaugas privalo klientas. • Nemėginkite atlikti įrangos techninės priežiūros, jei neperskaitėte ar nesupratote šio eksploataavimo vadovo. • Jei nepaisysite šio įspėjimo, galimi paslaugų tiekėjo, operatoriaus ar paciento sužalojimai dėl elektros šoko, mechaninių ar kitų pavojų.

<p>ADVARSEL</p> <p>(NO)</p>	<p>Denne servicehåndboken finnes bare på engelsk.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hvis kundens serviceleverandør har bruk for et annet språk, er det kundens ansvar å sørge for oversettelse.• Ikke forsøk å reparere utstyret uten at denne servicehåndboken er lest og forstått.• Manglende hensyn til denne advarselen kan føre til at serviceleverandøren, operatøren eller pasienten skades på grunn av elektrisk støt, mekaniske eller andre farer.
<p>OSTRZEŻENIE</p> <p>(PL)</p>	<p>Niniejszy podręcznik serwisowy dostępny jest jedynie w języku angielskim.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jeśli serwisant klienta wymaga języka innego niż angielski, zapewnienie usługi tłumaczenia jest obowiązkiem klienta.• Nie próbować serwisować urządzenia bez zapoznania się z niniejszym podręcznikiem serwisowym i zrozumienia go.• Niezastosowanie się do tego ostrzeżenia może doprowadzić do obrażeń serwisanta, operatora lub pacjenta w wyniku porażenia prądem elektrycznym, zagrożenia mechanicznego bądź innego.
<p>ATENÇÃO</p> <p>(PT-BR)</p>	<p>Este manual de assistência técnica encontra-se disponível unicamente em inglês.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Se outro serviço de assistência técnica solicitar a tradução deste manual, caberá ao cliente fornecer os serviços de tradução.• Não tente reparar o equipamento sem ter consultado e compreendido este manual de assistência técnica.• A não observância deste aviso pode ocasionar ferimentos no técnico, operador ou paciente decorrentes de choques elétricos, mecânicos ou outros.
<p>ATENÇÃO</p> <p>(PT-PT)</p>	<p>Este manual de assistência técnica só se encontra disponível em inglês.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Se qualquer outro serviço de assistência técnica solicitar este manual noutro idioma, é da responsabilidade do cliente fornecer os serviços de tradução.• Não tente reparar o equipamento sem ter consultado e compreendido este manual de assistência técnica.• O não cumprimento deste aviso pode colocar em perigo a segurança do técnico, do operador ou do paciente devido a choques eléctricos, mecânicos ou outros.

<p>ATENȚIE</p> <p>(RO)</p>	<p>Acest manual de service este disponibil doar în limba engleză.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dacă un furnizor de servicii pentru clienți necesită o altă limbă decât cea engleză, este de datoria clientului să furnizeze o traducere.• Nu încercați să reparați echipamentul decât ulterior consultării și înțelegerii acestui manual de service.• Ignorarea acestui avertisment ar putea duce la rănirea depanatorului, operatorului sau pacientului în urma pericolelor de electrocutare, mecanice sau de altă natură.
<p>ОСТОРОЖНО!</p> <p>(RU)</p>	<p>Данное руководство по техническому обслуживанию представлено только на английском языке.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Если сервисному персоналу клиента необходимо руководство не на английском, а на каком-то другом языке, клиенту следует самостоятельно обеспечить перевод.• Перед техническим обслуживанием оборудования обязательно обратитесь к данному руководству и поймите изложенные в нем сведения.• Несоблюдение требований данного предупреждения может привести к тому, что специалист по техобслуживанию, оператор или пациент получат удар электрическим током, механическую травму или другое повреждение.
<p>UPOZORENJE</p> <p>(SR)</p>	<p>Ovo servisno uputstvo je dostupno samo na engleskom jeziku.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ako klijentov serviser zahteva neki drugi jezik, klijent je dužan da obezbedi prevodilačke usluge.• Ne pokušavajte da opravite uređaj ako niste pročitali i razumeli ovo servisno uputstvo.• Zanemarivanje ovog upozorenja može dovesti do povređivanja servisera, rukovaoca ili pacijenta usled strujnog udara ili mehaničkih i drugih opasnosti.
<p>UPOZORNENIE</p> <p>(SK)</p>	<p>Tento návod na obsluhu je k dispozícii len v angličtine.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ak zákazníkovi poskytovateľ služieb vyžaduje iný jazyk ako angličtinu, poskytnutie prekladateľských služieb je zodpovednosťou zákazníka.• Nepokúšajte sa o obsluhu zariadenia, kým si neprečítate návod na obsluhu a neporozumiete mu.• Zanedbanie tohto upozornenia môže spôsobiť zranenie poskytovateľa služieb, obsluhujúcej osoby alebo pacienta elektrickým prúdom, mechanické alebo iné ohrozenie.

ATENCION (ES)	<p>Este manual de servicio sólo existe en inglés.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Si el encargado de mantenimiento de un cliente necesita un idioma que no sea el inglés, el cliente deberá encargarse de la traducción del manual.• No se deberá dar servicio técnico al equipo, sin haber consultado y comprendido este manual de servicio.• La no observancia del presente aviso puede dar lugar a que el proveedor de servicios, el operador o el paciente sufran lesiones provocadas por causas eléctricas, mecánicas o de otra naturaleza.
VARNING (SV)	<p>Den här servicehandboken finns bara tillgänglig på engelska.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Om en kunds servicetekniker har behov av ett annat språk än engelska, ansvarar kunden för att tillhandahålla översättningstjänster.• Försök inte utföra service på utrustningen om du inte har läst och förstår den här servicehandboken.• Om du inte tar hänsyn till den här varningen kan det resultera i skador på serviceteknikern, operatören eller patienten till följd av elektriska stötar, mekaniska faror eller andra faror.
OPOZORILO (SL)	<p>Ta servisni priročnik je na voljo samo v angleškem jeziku.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Če ponudnik storitve stranke potrebuje priročnik v drugem jeziku, mora stranka zagotoviti prevod.• Ne poskušajte servisirati opreme, če tega priročnika niste v celoti prebrali in razumeli.• Če tega opozorila ne upoštevate, se lahko zaradi električnega udara, mehanskih ali drugih nevarnosti poškoduje ponudnik storitev, operater ali bolnik.
DİKKAT (TR)	<p>Bu servis kılavuzunun sadece ingilizcesi mevcuttur.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eğer müşteri teknisyeni bu kılavuzu ingilizce dışında bir başka lisandan talep ederse, bunu tercüme ettirmek müşteriye düşer.• Servis kılavuzunu okuyup anlamadan ekipmanlara müdahale etmeyiniz.• Bu uyarıya uyulmaması, elektrik, mekanik veya diğer tehlikelerden dolayı teknisyen, operatör veya hastanın yaralanmasına yol açabilir.

CONFORMANCE STATEMENT OVERVIEW

AdvantageSim MD is virtual treatment simulation software. It uses CT, PET and MR Image Storage for planning a treatment and as a result it provides RT Plan, RT Structure Set, RT Image, Secondary Capture Image and CT Image Storage for further processing. AdvantageSim MD does not provide intrinsic implementation of DICOM Network instead uses application interface of its platforms called Advantage Workstation and AW Server.

Table 0.1 provides an overview of the network services supported by AdvantageSim MD.

TABLE 0.1 – NETWORK SERVICES

SOP Classes	User of Service (SCU)	Provider of Service (SCP)
Transfer		
CT Image Storage	Yes	Yes
MR Image Storage	No	Option*
Positron Emission Tomography Image Storage	No	Option*
Secondary Capture Image Storage	Yes	No
RT Image Storage	Yes	No
RT Structure Set Storage	Yes	Yes
RT Plan Storage	Yes	Yes

Note: Option*: This means that this service can be purchased separately

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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 OVERVIEW

This DICOM Conformance Statement is divided into Sections as described below:

SECTION 1 (Introduction), which describes the overall structure, intent, and references for this Conformance Statement

SECTION 2 (Network Conformance Statement), which specifies the GEHC equipment compliance to the DICOM requirements for the implementation of Networking features.

SECTION 3(

CT Information Object Implementation), which specifies the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of a CT Image Information Object generated by AdvantageSim MD, and the requirements for CT Image Information Objects imported into AdvantageSim MD.

SECTION 4 (MR Information Object Implementation), which specifies the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of a MR Image Information Object.

SECTION 5 (PET Information Object Implementation), which specifies the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of a PET Image Information Object.

SECTION 6 (SECONDARY CAPTURE Information Object Implementation), which defines the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of a Secondary Capture information object generated by AdvantageSim MD.

SECTION 7 (RT IMAGE Information Object Implementation), which defines the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of an RT Image information object generated by AdvantageSim MD.

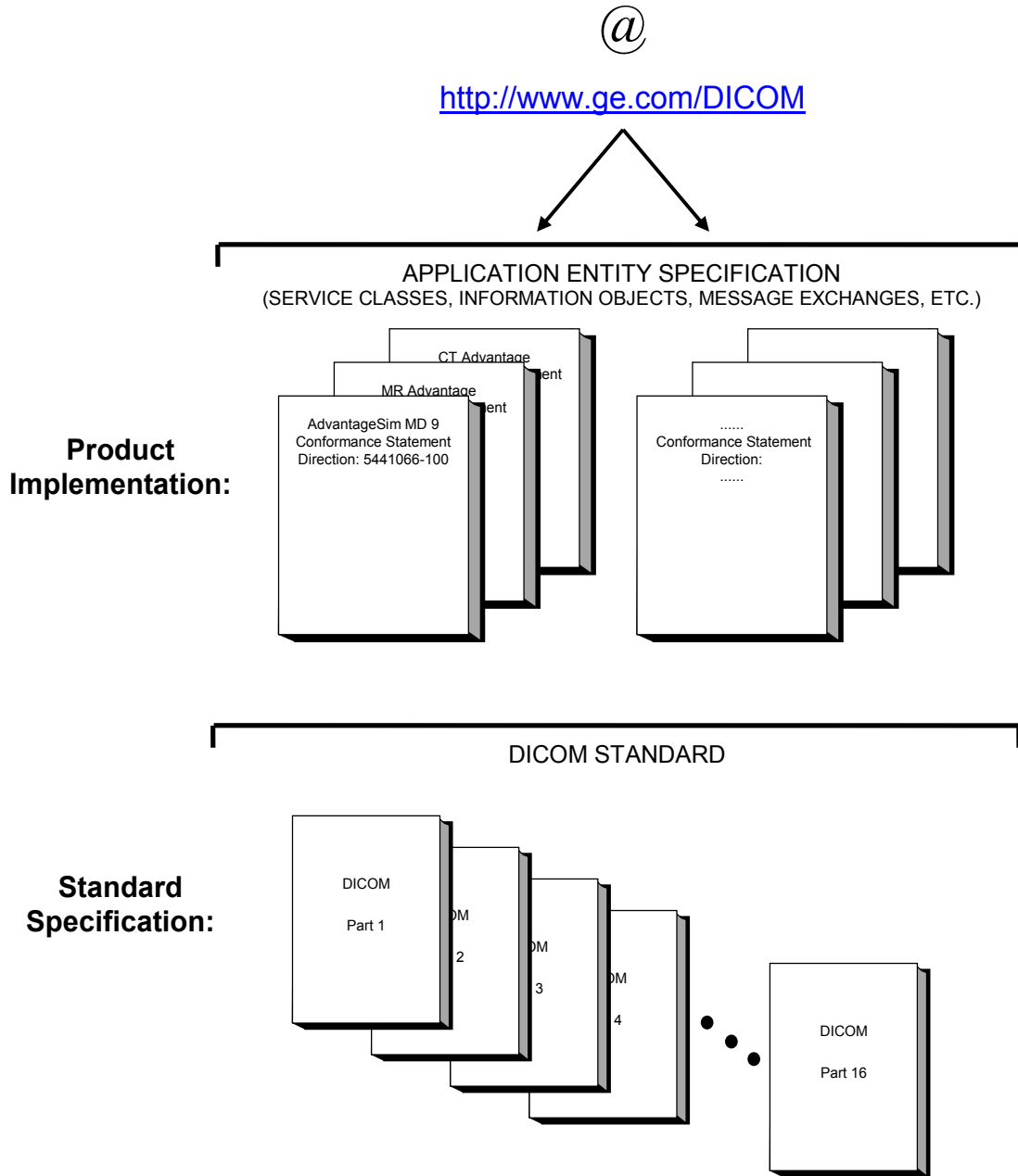
SECTION 8 (RT STRUCTURE SET Information Object Implementation), which defines the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of an RT Structure Set information object generated by AdvantageSim MD, and the requirements for RT Structure Set objects imported into AdvantageSim MD.

SECTION 9 (RT PLAN Information Object Implementation), which defines the GEHC equipment compliance to DICOM requirements for the implementation of an RT Plan information object generated by AdvantageSim MD, and the requirements for RT Plan objects imported into AdvantageSim MD.

1.2 OVERALL DICOM CONFORMANCE STATEMENT DOCUMENT STRUCTURE

The Documentation Structure of the GEHC DICOM Conformance Statements is shown in the Illustration below.

GEHC DICOM Conformance Statements



This document specifies the DICOM implementation. It is entitled:

AdvantageSim MD 9
Conformance Statement for DICOM
Direction **5441066-100**

This DICOM Conformance Statement documents the DICOM Conformance Statement and Technical Specification required interoperating with the GEHC network interface.

The GEHC Conformance Statement, contained in this document, also specifies the Lower Layer communications which it supports (e.g., TCP/IP). However, the Technical Specifications are defined in the DICOM Part 8 standard.

For more information regarding DICOM, copies of the Standard may be obtained on the Internet at <http://medical.nema.org>. Comments on the Standard may be addressed to:

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1.3 INTENDED AUDIENCE

The reader of this document is concerned with software design and/or system integration issues. It is assumed that the reader of this document is familiar with the DICOM Standard and with the terminology and concepts which are used in that Standard.

1.4 SCOPE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

It is the intent of this document to provide an unambiguous specification for GEHC implementations. This specification, called a Conformance Statement, includes a DICOM Conformance Statement and is necessary to ensure proper processing and interpretation of GEHC medical data exchanged using DICOM. The GEHC Conformance Statements are available to the public.

The reader of this DICOM Conformance Statement should be aware that different GEHC devices are capable of using different Information Object Definitions. For example, a GEHC CT Scanner may send images using the CT Information Object, MR Information Object, Secondary Capture Object, etc.

Included in this DICOM Conformance Statement are the Module Definitions which define all data elements used by this GEHC implementation. If the user encounters unspecified private data elements while parsing a GEHC Data Set, the user is well advised to ignore those data elements (per the DICOM standard). Unspecified private data element information is subject to change without notice. If, however, the device is acting as a "full fidelity storage device", it should retain and re-transmit all of the private data elements which are sent by GEHC devices.

1.5 IMPORTANT REMARKS

The use of these DICOM Conformance Statements, in conjunction with the DICOM Standards, is intended to facilitate communication with GE imaging equipment. However, **by itself, it is not sufficient to ensure that inter-operation will be successful**. The **user (or user's agent)** needs to proceed with caution and address at least four issues:

- **Integration** - The integration of any device into an overall system of interconnected devices goes beyond the scope of standards (DICOM v3.0), and of this introduction and associated DICOM Conformance Statements when interoperability with non-GE equipment is desired. The responsibility to analyze the applications requirements and to design a solution that integrates GE imaging equipment with non-GE systems is the **user's** responsibility and should not be underestimated. The **user** is strongly advised to ensure that such an integration analysis is correctly performed.
- **Validation** - Testing the complete range of possible interactions between any GE device and non-GE devices, before the connection is declared operational, should not be overlooked. Therefore, the **user** should ensure that any non-GE provider accepts full responsibility for all validation required for their connection with GE devices. This includes the accuracy of the image data once it has crossed the interface between the GE imaging equipment and the non-GE device and the stability of the image data for the intended applications.

Such a validation is required before any clinical use (diagnosis and/or treatment) is performed. It applies when images acquired on GE imaging equipment are processed/displayed on a non-GE device, as well as when images acquired on non-GE equipment is processed/displayed on a GE console or workstation.

- **Future Evolution** - GE understands that the DICOM Standard will evolve to meet the user's growing requirements. GE is actively involved in the development of the DICOM Standard. DICOM will incorporate new features and technologies and GE may follow the evolution of the Standard. The GEHC protocol is based on DICOM as specified in each DICOM Conformance Statement. Evolution of the Standard may require changes to devices which have implemented DICOM. **In addition, GE reserves the right to discontinue or make changes to the support of communications features (on its products) described by these DICOM Conformance Statements.** The **user** should ensure that any non-GE provider, which connects with GE devices, also plans for the future evolution of the DICOM Standard. Failures to do so will likely result in the loss of function and/or connectivity as the DICOM Standard changes and GE Products are enhanced to support these changes.
- **Interaction** - It is the sole responsibility of the **non-GE provider** to ensure that communication with the interfaced equipment does not cause degradation of GE imaging equipment performance and/or function.

1.6 REFERENCES

NEMA PS3	Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine (DICOM) Standard, available free at http://medical.nema.org/
ADVANTAGE WORKSTATION 4.6	Conformance Statement for DICOM V3.0 5404296-100
AW SERVER GEN 2	DICOM Conformance Statement 5367884-100 Rev. 1

1.7 DEFINITIONS

Informal definitions are provided for the following terms used in this Conformance Statement. The DICOM Standard is the authoritative source for formal definitions of these terms.

Abstract Syntax – the information agreed to be exchanged between applications, generally equivalent to a Service/Object Pair (SOP) Class. Examples: Verification SOP Class, Modality Worklist Information Model Find SOP Class, Computed Radiography Image Storage SOP Class.

Application Entity (AE) – an endpoint of a DICOM information exchange, including the DICOM network or media interface software; i.e., the software that sends or receives DICOM information objects or messages. A single device may have multiple Application Entities.

Application Entity Title – the externally known name of an *Application Entity*, used to identify a DICOM application to other DICOM applications on the network.

Application Context – the specification of the type of communication used between *Application Entities*. Example: DICOM network protocol.

Association – a network communication channel set up between *Application Entities*.

Attribute – a unit of information in an object definition; a data element identified by a *tag*. The information may be a complex data structure (Sequence), itself composed of lower level data elements. Examples: Patient ID (0010,0020), Accession Number (0008,0050), Photometric Interpretation (0028,0004), Procedure Code Sequence (0008,1032).

Information Object Definition (IOD) – the specified set of *Attributes* that comprise a type of data object; does not represent a specific instance of the data object, but rather a class of similar data objects that have the same properties. The *Attributes* may be specified as Mandatory (Type 1), Required but possibly unknown (Type 2), or Optional (Type 3), and there may be conditions associated with the use of an Attribute (Types 1C and 2C). Examples: MR Image IOD, CT Image IOD, Print Job IOD.

Joint Photographic Experts Group (JPEG) – a set of standardized image compression techniques, available for use by DICOM applications.

Media Application Profile – the specification of DICOM information objects and encoding exchanged on removable media (e.g., CDs)

Module – a set of *Attributes* within an *Information Object Definition* that are logically related to each other. Example: Patient Module includes Patient Name, Patient ID, Patient Birth Date, and Patient Sex.

Negotiation – first phase of *Association* establishment that allows *Application Entities* to agree on the types of data to be exchanged and how that data will be encoded.

Presentation Context – the set of DICOM network services used over an *Association*, as negotiated between *Application Entities*; includes *Abstract Syntaxes* and *Transfer Syntaxes*.

Protocol Data Unit (PDU) – a packet (piece) of a DICOM message sent across the network. Devices must specify the maximum size packet they can receive for DICOM messages.

Security Profile – a set of mechanisms, such as encryption, user authentication, or digital signatures, used by an *Application Entity* to ensure confidentiality, integrity, and/or availability of exchanged DICOM data

Service Class Provider (SCP) – role of an *Application Entity* that provides a DICOM network service; typically, a server that performs operations requested by another *Application Entity* (*Service Class User*). Examples: Picture Archiving and Communication System (image storage SCP, and image query/retrieve SCP), Radiology Information System (modality worklist SCP).

Service Class User (SCU) – role of an *Application Entity* that uses a DICOM network service; typically, a client. Examples: imaging modality (image storage SCU, and modality worklist SCU), imaging workstation (image query/retrieve SCU)

Service/Object Pair (SOP) Class – the specification of the network or media transfer (service) of a particular type of data (object); the fundamental unit of DICOM interoperability specification. Examples: Ultrasound Image Storage Service, Basic Grayscale Print Management.

Service/Object Pair (SOP) Instance – information object; a specific occurrence of information exchanged in a *SOP Class*. Examples: a specific x-ray image.

Tag – a 32-bit identifier for a data element, represented as a pair of four digit hexadecimal numbers, the “group” and the “element”. If the “group” number is odd, the tag is for a private (manufacturer-

specific) data element. Examples: (0010,0020) [Patient ID], (07FE,0010) [Pixel Data], (0019,0210) [private data element]

Transfer Syntax – the encoding used for exchange of DICOM information objects and messages. Examples: *JPEG* compressed (images), little endian explicit value representation.

Unique Identifier (UID) – a globally unique “dotted decimal” string that identifies a specific object or a class of objects; an ISO-8824 Object Identifier. Examples: Study Instance UID, SOP Class UID, SOP Instance UID.

Value Representation (VR) – the format type of an individual DICOM data element, such as text, an integer, a person’s name, or a code. DICOM information objects can be transmitted with either explicit identification of the type of each data element (Explicit VR), or without explicit identification (Implicit VR); with Implicit VR, the receiving application must use a DICOM data dictionary to look up the format of each data element.

1.8 SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS

AE	Application Entity
AET	Application Entity Title
CAD	Computer Aided Detection
CDA	Clinical Document Architecture
CD-R	Compact Disk Recordable
CSE	Customer Service Engineer
CR	Computed Radiography
CT	Computed Tomography
DHCP	Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol
DICOM	Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine
DIT	Directory Information Tree (LDAP)
DN	Distinguished Name (LDAP)
DNS	Domain Name System
DX	Digital X-ray
FSC	File-Set Creator
FSU	File-Set Updater
FSR	File-Set Reader
GSDf	Grayscale Standard Display Function
GSPS	Grayscale Softcopy Presentation State
HIS	Hospital Information System
HL7	Health Level 7 Standard
IHE	Integrating the Healthcare Enterprise
IOD	Information Object Definition

IPv4	Internet Protocol version 4
IPv6	Internet Protocol version 6
ISO	International Organization for Standards
IO	Intra-oral X-ray
JPEG	Joint Photographic Experts Group
LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol
LDIF	LDAP Data Interchange Format
LUT	Look-up Table
MAR	Medication Administration Record
MPEG	Moving Picture Experts Group
MG	Mammography (X-ray)
MPPS	Modality Performed Procedure Step
MR	Magnetic Resonance Imaging
MSPS	Modality Scheduled Procedure Step
MTU	Maximum Transmission Unit (IP)
MWL	Modality Worklist
NM	Nuclear Medicine
NTP	Network Time Protocol
O	Optional (Key Attribute)
OP	Ophthalmic Photography
OSI	Open Systems Interconnection
PACS	Picture Archiving and Communication System
PET	Positron Emission Tomography
PDU	Protocol Data Unit
RIS	Radiology Information System
RT	Radiotherapy
SC	Secondary Capture
SCP	Service Class Provider
SCU	Service Class User
SOP	Service-Object Pair
SPS	Scheduled Procedure Step
SR	Structured Reporting

TCP/IP Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol
U Unique (Key Attribute)
UL Upper Layer
US Ultrasound
VL Visible Light
VR Value Representation
XA X-ray Angiography

2 NETWORK CONFORMANCE STATEMENT

2.1 INTRODUCTION

This section of the DICOM Conformance Statement specifies the AdvantageSim MD compliance to DICOM requirements for **Networking** features.

AdvantageSim MD is a radiotherapy virtual simulation application that is installed on Advantage Workstation or AW Server platform. These platforms use DICOM services to import acquisition images for possible further analysis or processing, and to export images and radiotherapy data to other vendors.

AdvantageSim MD does not have an intrinsic DICOM Network feature. It does not directly invoke the DICOM Server AE. For some detailed information on DICOM features of Advantage Windows or AW Server platform, refer to the respective Conformance Statement of the platform where AdvantageSim MD application is running (See 1.6 References).

The application parses the following DICOM objects:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
CT Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2
MR Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4
Positron Emission Tomography Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128
RT Structure Set Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3
RT Plan Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.5

The application creates the following DICOM objects:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID
CT Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2
Secondary Capture Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7
RT Image Information Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.1
RT Structure Set Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3
RT Plan Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.5

2.2 IMPLEMENTATION MODEL

2.2.1 Application Data Flow Diagram

Refer to the respective Conformance Statement - Advantage Workstation and AW Server where AdvantageSim MD application is running (See 1.6 References).

2.2.2 Functional Definition of AE's

AdvantageSim MD is used to prepare geometric and anatomical data relating to a proposed external beam radiotherapy treatment prior to dosimetry planning. Anatomical volumes can be defined automatically or manually in three dimensions using a set of CT images acquired with the patient in the proposed treatment position.

The **goal of this document** is to give a detailed description of the:

- CT IMAGE DICOM IODs that are required to reconstruct the 3D volumes and are written by the application
- MR and PET IMAGE DICOM IODs that are required to reconstruct the 3D volumes
- SC IMAGE and RT IMAGE IOD written by the application
- RT STRUCTURE SET and RT PLAN IOD written and read by the application.

2.2.3 Sequencing of Real-World Activities

Non Applicable

2.3 AE SPECIFICATIONS

2.3.1 AdvantageSim MD AE Specification

The AdvantageSim MD Application Entity provides Standard Conformance to the following DICOM SOP Classes as an **SCU** and/or as an **SCP**:

SOP Class Name	SOP Class UID	SCU	SCP
CT Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.2	Yes	Yes
MR Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.4	No	Yes
PET Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.128	No	Yes
Secondary Capture Image Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7	Yes	No
RT Image Information Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.1	Yes	No
RT Structure Set Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3	Yes	Yes
RT Plan Storage	1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.5	Yes	Yes

2.3.1.1 Implementation Identifying Information

The Implementation UID for this DICOM Implementation is:

AdvantageSim MD Implementation UID	1.2.840.113619.6.196
AdvantageSim MD Implementation Version Name	ADVSIM70

2.4 SUPPORT OF EXTENDED CHARACTER SETS

AdvantageSim MD accepts only DICOM input with ISO IR 100 as Specific Character Set (0008,0005) if Specific Character Set defined. Other inputs will be rejected with an error message. DICOM output will be generated with either ISO IR 100 as Specific Character Set (0008,0005) tag or without Specific character set.

2.5 CODES AND CONTROLLED TERMINOLOGY

The product uses no coded terminology.

2.6 SECURITY PROFILES

The product does not conform to any defined DICOM Security Profiles.

It is assumed that the product is used within a secured environment. It is assumed that a secured environment includes at a minimum:

1. Firewall or router protections to ensure that only approved external hosts have network access to the product.
2. Firewall or router protections to ensure that the product only has network access to approved external hosts and services.
3. Any communications with external hosts and services outside the locally secured environment use appropriate secure network channels (such as a Virtual Private Network (VPN))

3 CT INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

3.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM CT Image IOD to represent the information included in CT Images received and generated by this implementation. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

3.2 ADVANTAGESIM MD MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES

The AdvantageSim MD maps DICOM Information Entities to local Information Entities in the product's database and user interface.

TABLE 3-1 MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES TO ADVANTAGESIM MD ENTITIES

DICOM IE	AdvantageSim MD Entity
Patient	Patient
Study	Exam
Series	Series
Image	Image

3.3 IOD MODULE TABLE

The Computed Tomography Information Object Definition comprises the modules of the following table, plus Standard Extended and Private attributes.

TABLE 3-2 CT IMAGE IOD MODULES

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	3.4.1.1
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	3.4.2.1
	Patient Study	Used	3.4.2.2
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	General Series	Used	3.4.3.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
Frame of Reference	Frame of Reference	Used	3.4.4.1
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	3.4.5.1
Image	General Image	Used	3.4.6.1
	Image Plane	Used	3.4.6.2
	Image Pixel	Used	3.4.6.3
	Contrast/Bolus	Used	3.4.6.6
	Device	Not used	N/A
	CT Image	Used	3.4.6.4

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
	Overlay Plane	Not used	N/A
	VOI LUT	Not used	N/A
	SOP Common	Used	3.4.6.5

3.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities, modules, and attributes contained within the CT Information Object.

The following modules are included to convey Enumerated Values, Defined Terms, and Optional Attributes: Patient, Clinical Trial Subject, General Study, Patient Study, General Series, Frame of Reference, General Equipment, General Image, Image Plane, Image Pixel, Contrast/Bolus, CT Image and SOP Common.

Type 1 & Type 2 Attributes are also included for completeness and to define what the expected values when loading such instance are. It should be noted that they are the same ones as defined in the DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions). Also note the attributes that are not present in tables are not supported.

3.4.1 Patient Entity Modules

3.4.1.1 Patient Module

TABLE 3-3 PATIENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: NON-NULL VALUE REQUIRED BY ADVANTAGESIM MD FOR SAFE PATIENT IDENTIFICATION
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for display if provided. NON-NULL VALUE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED FOR SAFE PATIENT IDENTIFICATION.
Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used
Referenced Patient Sequence	(0008,1120)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	3	Not used
Other Patient IDs	(0010,1000)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used.
Other Patient IDs Sequence	(0010,1002)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used.
>Patient ID	(0010,0020)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images.

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			SCP: Used.
>Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used.
>Type of Patient ID	(0010,0022)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used.
Other Patient Names	(0010,1001)	3	Not used
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	3	Not used
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	3	Not used
Patient Species Description	(0010,2201)	1C	Not used
Patient Species Code Sequence	(0010,2202)	1C	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Patient Breed Description	(0010,2292)	2C	Not used
Patient Breed Code Sequence	(0010,2293)	2C	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Breed Registration Sequence	(0010,2294)	2C	Not used
>Breed Registration Number	(0010,2295)	1	
>Breed Registry Code Sequence	(0010,2296)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Responsible Person	(0010,2297)	2C	Not used
Responsible Person Role	(0010,2298)	1C	Not used
Responsible Organization	(0010,2299)	2C	Not used
Patient Identity Removed	(0012,0062)	3	Not used
De-identification Method	(0012,0063)	1C	Not used
De-identification Method Code Sequence	(0012,0064)	1C	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

TABLE 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Issuer of Patient ID	(0010,0021)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used.
Issuer of Patient ID Qualifiers Sequence	(0010,0024)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used.
> Universal Entity ID	(0040,0032)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used.
> Universal Entity ID Type	(0040,0033)	1C	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used.
> Identifier Type Code	(0040,0035)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used.

3.4.2 Study Entity Modules

3.4.2.1 General Study Module

TABLE 3-5 GENERAL STUDY MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD for RT Object creation.
Study Date	(0008,0020)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for display if provided.
Study Time	(0008,0030)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for display if provided.
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for display if provided.
Referring Physician Identification Sequence	(0008,0096)	3	Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Study ID	(0020,0010)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Required.
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used if provided.
Study Description	(0008,1030)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used if provided.
Physician(s) of Record	(0008,1048)	3	Not used
Physician(s) of Record Identification Sequence	(0008,1049)	3	Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Name of Physician(s) Reading Study	(0008,1060)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used.
Physician(s) Reading Study Identification Sequence	(0008,1062)	3	Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Procedure Code Sequence	(0008,1032)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

3.4.2.2 Patient Study Module

TABLE 3-6 PATIENT STUDY MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Admitting Diagnoses Description	(0008,1080)	3	Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Admitting Diagnoses Code Sequence	(0008,1084)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Patient's Age	(0010,1010)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty SCP: Used
Patient's Size	(0010,1020)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty SCP: Used
Patient's Weight	(0010,1030)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty SCP: Used
Occupation	(0010,2180)	3	Not used
Additional Patient's History	(0010,21B0)	3	SCU: Not used SCP: Used
Admission ID	(0038,0010)	3	Not used
Issuer of Admission ID	(0038,0011)	3	Not used
Service Episode ID	(0038,0060)	3	Not used
Issuer of Service Episode ID	(0038,0061)	3	Not used
Service Episode Description	(0038,0062)	3	Not used
Patient's Sex Neutered	(0010,2203)	2C	Not used

3.4.3 Series Entity Modules

3.4.3.1 General Series Module

TABLE 3-7 GENERAL SERIES MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Modality	(0008,0060)	1	SCU: 'CT' SCP: Used: CT, PT, MR
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	Used by AdvantageSim MD for RT Structure Set and CT image creation.
Series Number	(0020,0011)	2	SCU: Generated. SCP: Used if provided.
Laterality	(0020,0060)	2C	Not used
Series Date	(0008,0021)	3	SCU: Set to current date when 4D IP images are generated. SCP: Used.
Series Time	(0008,0031)	3	SCU: Set to current time when 4D IP images are generated. SCP: Used.
Performing Physicians' Name	(0008,1050)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used
Performing Physician Identification Sequence	(0008,1052)	3	Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	3	Used
Series Description	(0008,103E)	3	SCU: Generated SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD for display purposes
Operators' Name	(0008,1070)	3	SCU: Generated SCP: Used
Operator Identification Sequence	(0008,1072)	3	Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Referenced Performed Procedure Step Sequence	(0008,1111)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			Not used
Related Series Sequence	(0008,1250)	3	Not used
>Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	Not used
>Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	Not used
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	2	Not used
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			Not used
Body Part Examined	(0018,0015)	3	Not used
Patient Position	(0018,5100)	2C	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD for patient model reconstruction. If absent AdvantageSim MD defaults to HFS after user confirmation. The defined terms are: HFP = Head First-Prone HFS = Head First-Supine HFDR = Head First-Decubitus Right HFDL = Head First-Decubitus Left FFDR = Feet First-Decubitus Right FFDL = Feet First-Decubitus Left FFP = Feet First-Prone FFS = Feet First-Supine GE strongly recommends that this attribute be systematically provided.
Smallest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0108)	3	Not used
Largest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0109)	3	Not used
Request Attributes Sequence	(0040,0275)	3	Not used
>Requested Procedure ID	(0040,1001)	1C	
>Accession Number	(0008,0050)	3	
>Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	3	
>Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	3	
>> Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Requested Procedure Description	(0032,1060)	3	
>Requested Procedure Code Sequence	(0032,1064)	3	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Reason for the Requested Procedure	(0040,1002)	3	Not used
Reason for Requested Procedure Code Sequence	(0040,100A)	3	Not used
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Scheduled Procedure Step ID	(0040,0009)	1C	
>Scheduled Procedure Step Description	(0040,0007)	3	
>Scheduled Protocol Code Sequence	(0040,0008)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>>Protocol Context Sequence	(0040,0440)	3	
>>>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
>>>Content Item Modifier Sequence	(0040,0441)	3	
>> >>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
Performed Procedure Step ID	(0040,0253)	3	Not used
Performed Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0244)	3	Not used
Performed Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0245)	3	Not used
Performed Procedure Step Description	(0040,0254)	3	Not used
Performed Protocol Code Sequence	(0040,0260)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>>Protocol Context Sequence	(0040,0440)	3	
>>>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
>>>Content Item Modifier Sequence	(0040,0441)	3	
>> >>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
Comments on the Performed Procedure Step	(0040,0280)	3	Not used

3.4.4 Frame Of Reference Entity Modules

3.4.4.1 Frame Of Reference Module

TABLE 3-8 FRAME OF REFERENCE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Frame of Reference UID	(0020,0052)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD to identify registered series. Not used to identify registered images if image is from Advantage Fusion software.
Position Reference Indicator	(0020,1040)	2	SCU: Empty SCP: Not used

3.4.4.1.1 Frame Of Reference UID

The Frame of Reference UID is used to spatially relate a set of axial images. All images having the same Frame Of Reference UID are handled as acquired in the same patient setup for scan.

3.4.5 Equipment Entity Modules

3.4.5.1 General Equipment Module

TABLE 3-9 GENERAL EQUIPMENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	2	SCU: 'GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS' SCP: Used.
Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for display.
Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	Not used
Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	SCU: Set to hostname SCP: Used
Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	Not used
Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	Used
Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	Not used
Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	Used.
Gantry ID	(0018,1008)	3	Not used
Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	Not used
Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	Not used
Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	Not used
Pixel Padding Value	(0028,0120)	1C	Used

3.4.6 Image Entity Modules

3.4.6.1 General Image Module

TABLE 3-10 GENERAL IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	2	SCU: Generated SCP: Used if provided
Patient Orientation	(0020,0020)	2C	Not used, instead Image Orientation and Image Position is used
Content Date	(0008,0023)	2C	SCU: Set to current date when saving 4D IP series. SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD if provided (image time stamp).
Content Time	(0008,0033)	2C	SCU: Set to current time when saving 4D IP series.

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD if provided (image time stamp).
Image Type	(0008,0008)	3	SCU: 'DERIVED\SECONDARY\REFORMATTED' SCP: Used.
Acquisition Number	(0020,0012)	3	SCU: Empty SCP: Used
Acquisition Date	(0008,0022)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
Acquisition Time	(0008,0032)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
Acquisition DateTime	(0008,002A)	3	Not used
Referenced Image Sequence	(0008,1140)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Derivation Description	(0008,2111)	3	Not used
Derivation Code Sequence	(0008,9215)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Source Image Sequence	(0008,2112)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Spatial Locations Preserved	(0028,135A)	3	
>Patient Orientation	(0020,0020)	1C	
Referenced Instance Sequence	(0008,114A)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Images in Acquisition	(0020,1002)	3	Not used
Image Comments	(0020,4000)	3	Not used
Quality Control Image	(0028,0300)	3	Not used
Burned In Annotation	(0028,0301)	3	Used
Lossy Image Compression	(0028,2110)	3	SCU: Calculated from input images: If any of the input phases was lossy, the output is marked as lossy. If not, and any of the input phases was missing this attribute, the attribute is omitted from the output. SCP: Used.
Lossy Image Compression Ratio	(0028,2112)	3	Not used
Lossy Image Compression Method	(0028,2114)	3	Not used
Icon Image Sequence	(0088,0200)	3	Not used
>Include 'Image Pixel Macro'			Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Presentation LUT Shape	(2050,0020)	3	Not used

3.4.6.2 Image Plane Module

TABLE 3-11 IMAGE PLANE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Pixel Spacing	(0028,0030)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction. PIXELS MUST BE SQUARE (i.e. X and Y values must be equal). Checked.
Image Orientation (Patient)	(0020,0037)	1	SCU: Recalculated. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction. IMAGES MUST NOT HAVE GANTRY TILT OR SWIVEL (i.e. only one of each (x,y,z) cosine triplet can be non-zero). Checked.
Image Position (Patient)	(0020,0032)	1	SCU: Recalculated. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction. Checked.
Slice Thickness	(0018,0050)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used, checked.
Slice Location	(0020,1041)	3	SCU: Recalculated SCP: Used

3.4.6.3 Image Pixel Module

TABLE 3-12 IMAGE PIXEL MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	For CT modality see Table 3-13 CT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For MR modality see Table 4-18 MR IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For PET modality see Table 5-24 PET IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	For CT modality see Table 3-13 CT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For MR modality see Table 4-18 MR IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For PET modality see Table 5-24 PET IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES
Rows	(0028,0010)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction. ROWS AND COLUMNS MUST BE EQUAL.
Columns	(0028,0011)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction. ROWS

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			AND COLUMNS MUST BE EQUAL.
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	For CT modality see Table 3-13 CT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For MR modality see Table 4-18 MR IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For PET modality see Table 5-24 PET IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES
Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	1	For CT modality see Table 3-13 CT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For MR modality see Table 4-18 MR IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For PET modality see Table 5-24 PET IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES
High Bit	(0028,0102)	1	For CT modality see Table 3-13 CT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For MR modality see Table 4-18 MR IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES For PET modality see Table 5-24 PET IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES
Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	1	SCU: '1' SCP: Not used, assumed '1'
Pixel Data	(7FE0,0010)	1	SCU: Calculated from input images. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction.
Planar Configuration	(0028,0006)	1C	Not used
Pixel Aspect Ratio	(0028,0034)	1C	Not used
Smallest Image Pixel Value	(0028,0106)	3	Not used
Largest Image Pixel Value	(0028,0107)	3	Not used
Red Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1101)	1C	Not used
Green Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1102)	1C	Not used
Blue Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1103)	1C	Not used
Red Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1201)	1C	Not used
Green Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1202)	1C	Not used
Blue Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1203)	1C	Not used
ICC Profile	(0028,2000)	3	Not used
Pixel Data Provider URL	(0028,7FE0)	1C	Not used
Pixel Padding Range Limit	(0028,0121)	1C	Not used

3.4.6.4 CT Image Module

TABLE 3-13 CT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
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Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Image Type	(0008,0008)	1	Used for image type identification. See 3.4.6.4.1
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	SCU: '1' SCP: Not used Shall be 1
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	SCU: 'MONOCHROME2' SCP: Not used Shall be "MONOCHROME2"
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	SCU: '16' SCP: Shall be 16.
Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	1	SCU: '16' SCP: Mandatory (expect 16)
High Bit	(0028,0102)	1	SCU: '15' SCP: Ignored (expect 15)
Rescale Intercept	(0028,1052)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction. Checked.
Rescale Slope	(0028,1053)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used for patient model reconstruction.
KVP	(0018,0060)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used.
Acquisition Number	(0020,0012)	2	Not used
Scan Options	(0018,0022)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: 'CINE MODE' used to check 4D scan.
Data Collection Diameter	(0018,0090)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used.
Data Collection Center (Patient)	(0018,9313)	3	Not used
Reconstruction Diameter	(0018,1100)	3	Not used
Reconstruction Target Center (Patient)	(0018,9318)	3	Not used
Distance Source to Detector	(0018,1110)	3	Not used
Distance Source to Patient	(0018,1111)	3	Not used
Gantry/Detector Tilt	(0018,1120)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Used. AdvantageSim MD rejects images with Gantry Tilt - see Image Orientation (Patient) attribute.
Table Height	(0018,1130)	3	Not used
Rotation Direction	(0018,1140)	3	Not used
Exposure Time	(0018,1150)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used. Checked.
X-ray Tube Current	(0018,1151)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
Exposure	(0018,1152)	3	Not used
Exposure in μ As	(0018,1153)	3	Not used
Filter Type	(0018,1160)	3	Not used
Generator Power	(0018,1170)	3	Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Focal Spot	(0018,1190)	3	Not used
Convolution Kernel	(0018,1210)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
Revolution Time	(0018,9305)	3	Not used
Single Collimation Width	(0018,9306)	3	Not used
Total Collimation Width	(0018,9307)	3	Not used
Table Speed	(0018,9309)	3	Not used
Table Feed per Rotation	(0018,9310)	3	Not used
Spiral Pitch Factor	(0018,9311)	3	Not used
Exposure Modulation Type	(0018,9323)	3	Not used
Estimated Dose Saving	(0018,9324)	3	Not used
CTDIvol	(0018,9345)	3	Not used
CTDI Phantom Type Code Sequence	(0018,9346)	3	Not used
>Include Code Sequence Macro			
Anatomic Region Sequence	(0008,2218)	3	Not used
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
> Anatomic Region Modifier Sequence	(0008,2220)	3	Not used
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Primary Anatomic Structure Sequence	(0008,2228)	3	Not used
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
> Primary Anatomic Structure Modifier Sequence	(0008,2230)	3	Not used
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Calcium Scoring Mass Factor Patient	(0018,9351)	3	Not used
Calcium Scoring Mass Factor Device	(0018,9352)	3	Not used
CT Additional X-Ray Source Sequence	(0018,9360)	3	Not used
>kVP	(0018,0060)	1	
>X-Ray Tube Current in mA	(0018,9330)	1	
>Data Collection Diameter	(0018,0090)	1	
>Focal Spot(s)	(0018,9190)	1	
>Filter Type(s)	(0018,9160)	1	
>Filter Material	(0018,7050)	1	

3.4.6.4.1 Image Type

The following values of Image Type (0008, 0008) are supported.

The following Enumerated Values of Value 1 are supported:

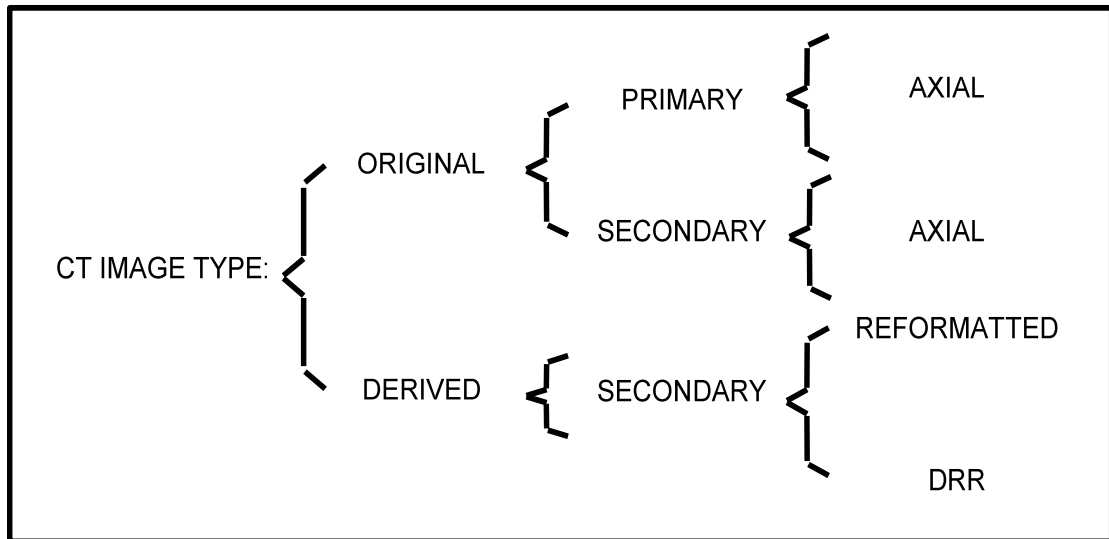
- ORIGINAL identifies an Original Image
- DERIVED identifies a Derived Image

The following Enumerated Values of Value 2 are supported:

- PRIMARY identifies a Primary Image
- SECONDARY identifies a Secondary Image

Any Defined Term of Value 3 is supported. The "DRR" value is written in case of an RT Image

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3.4.6.5 SOP Common Module

TABLE 3-14 SOP COMMON MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
SOP Class UID	(0008,0016)	1	Used by AdvantageSim MD to confirm image class.
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	1	Used by AdvantageSim MD for image identification.
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	Supported Defined Terms: ISO_IR 100 = Latin Alphabet No. 1
Instance Creation Date	(0008,0012)	3	SCU: Set to current date when saving 4D IP series. SCP: Not used
Instance Creation Time	(0008,0013)	3	SCU: Set to current time when saving 4D IP series. SCP: Not used
Instance Creator UID	(0008,0014)	3	Not used
Related General SOP Class UID	(0008,001A)	3	
Original Specialized SOP Class UID	(0008,001B)	3	
Coding Scheme Identification Sequence	(0008,0110)	3	Not used
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1	
>Coding Scheme Registry	(0008,0112)	1C	
>Coding Scheme UID	(0008,010C)	1C	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Coding Scheme External ID	(0008,0114)	2C	
>Coding Scheme Name	(0008,0115)	3	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Coding Scheme Responsible Organization	(0008,0116)	3	
Timezone Offset From UTC	(0008,0201)	3	Not used
Contributing Equipment Sequence	(0018,A001)	3	Not used
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	1	
>Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	
>Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	
>Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	
>Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	
>Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	
>Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	
>Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	
>Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	
>Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	
>Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	
>Contribution DateTime	(0018,A002)	3	
>Contribution Description	(0018,A003)	3	
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	See 3.4.6.1 General Image Module
SOP Instance Status	(0100,0410)	3	Not used
SOP Authorization Date and Time	(0100,0420)	3	Not used
SOP Authorization Comment	(0100,0424)	3	Not used
Authorization Equipment Certification Number	(0100,0426)	3	Not used
MAC Parameters Sequence	(4FFE,0001)	3	Not used
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>MAC Calculation Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0010)	1	
>MAC Algorithm	(0400,0015)	1	
>Data Elements Signed	(0400,0020)	1	
Digital Signatures Sequence	(FFFA,FFFA)	3	Not used
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>Digital Signature UID	(0400,0100)	1	
>Digital Signature DateTime	(0400,0105)	1	
>Certificate Type	(0400,0110)	1	
>Certificate of Signer	(0400,0115)	1	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Signature	(0400,0120)	1	
>Certified Timestamp Type	(0400,0305)	1C	
>Certified Timestamp	(0400,0310)	3	
>Digital Signature Purpose Code Sequence	(0400,0401)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Encrypted Attributes Sequence	(0400,0500)	1C	Not used
>Encrypted Content Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0510)	1	
>Encrypted Content	(0400,0520)	1	
Original Attributes Sequence	(0400,0561)	3	
>Source of Previous Values	(0400,0564)	2	
>Attribute Modification DateTime	(0400,0562)	1	
>Modifying System	(0400,0563)	1	
>Reason for the Attribute Modification	(0400,0565)	1	
>Modified Attributes Sequence	(0400,0550)	1	
>>Any Attribute from the main data set that was modified or removed; may include Sequence Attributes and their Items.			
HL7 Structured Document Reference Sequence	(0040,A390)	1C	Not used
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1	
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1	
>HL7 Instance Identifier	(0040,E001)	1	
>Retrieve URI	(0040,E010)	3	

3.4.6.6 Contrast/Bolus Module

TABLE 3-15 CONTRAST/BOLUS MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Contrast/Bolus Agent	(0018,0010)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used
Contrast/Bolus Agent Sequence	(0018,0012)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			Not used
Contrast/Bolus Route	(0018,1040)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used
Contrast/Bolus Administration Route Sequence	(0018,0014)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			Not used
>Additional Drug Sequence	(0018,002A)	3	Not used
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Contrast/Bolus Volume	(0018,1041)	3	Not used
Contrast/Bolus Start Time	(0018,1042)	3	Not used
Contrast/Bolus Stop Time	(0018,1043)	3	Not used
Contrast/Bolus Total Dose	(0018,1044)	3	Not used
Contrast Flow Rate	(0018,1046)	3	Not used
Contrast Flow Duration	(0018,1047)	3	Not used
Contrast/Bolus Ingredient	(0018,1048)	3	Not used
Contrast/Bolus Ingredient Concentration	(0018,1049)	3	Not used

3.5 PRIVATE DATA

The following private elements are used.

TABLE 3.5-16 PRIVATE ADVANTAGE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Private Creator	(0019, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_ACQU_01: Used
Table Speed	(0019, xx23)	DS	1	3	Used
Midscan Time	(0019, xx24)	DS	1	3	Used
Gantry Velocity	(0019, xx27)	DS	1	3	Used
SFOV Type	(0019, xx39)	SS	1	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used
Dependent on #views processed	(0019, xx6A)	SS	1	3	SCU: '0' SCP: Used
Private Creator	(0031, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_3D_XA_01: Used
Structure of Interest	(0031, xx01)	CS	1	3	Used
Missing Frame Status	(0031, xx02)	CS	1	3	Used
Anatomy	(0031, xx03)	CS	1	3	Used
Volume Subtracted Mode	(0031, xx04)	CS	1	3	Used
Modality	(0031, xx07)	CS	1	3	Used
Pos Calibration Date	(0031, xx09)	DA	1	3	Used
Pos Calibration Status	(0031, xx0B)	CS	1	3	Used
Spin Phase of Volume	(0031,xx20)	CS	1	3	Used
Private Creator	(0043, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_PARM_01: Used
Pitch Ratio	(0043, xx27)	SH	1	3	SCU: Empty SCP: Used
Private Scan Options	(0043, xx2B)	SS	1	3	SCU: '0\0\0\0' SCP: Used
motCorr	(0043, xx65)	US	1	3	SCU: '0' SCP: Used
IBOCorr	(0043, xx67)	US	1	3	Used

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Private Creator	(0045, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_HELIOS_01: Used
Sigma Mode	(0045, xx13)	SS	1	3	SCU: '0' SCP: Ignored
Ibone Flag	(0045, xx21)	SS	1	3	SCU: '0' SCP: Used
Peris Flag	(0045, xx22)	SS	1	3	SCU: '0' SCP: Used
Cardiac Recon Algo	(0045, xx30)	CS	1	3	Used
Average Heart Rate	(0045, xx31)	CS	1	3	Used
Temporal Resolution	(0045, xx32)	FL	1	3	Used
Cardiac Phase Number	(0045, xx33)	CS	1	3	Used
Noise Reduction Image Filter Description	(0045, xx33)	LO	1	3	Used
Actual Rpeak Fixed Time Delay	(0045, xx3F)	CS	1	3	Used
Private Group Creator	(0047, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_VXTL_USERDATA_01: Used
Private User Data	(0047, xx11)	LT	1	3	Used to detect Advantage Fusion images
Private creator	(0051,00xx)	LO	1	3	"GEMS_FUNCTOOL_01"
Group name	(0051,xx01)	LO	1	3	Used
Function name	(0051,xx02)	LO	1	3	Used
Bias	(0051,xx03)	SL	1	3	Used
Scale	(0051,xx04)	FL	1	3	Used
Parameter count	(0051,xx05)	SL	1	3	Used
Parameters	(0051,xx06)	LT	1	3	Used
Version	(0051,xx07)	LO	1	3	Used
Color ramp index	(0051,xx08)	SL	1	3	Used
Window width	(0051,xx09)	SL	1	3	Used
Window level	(0051,xx0A)	SL	1	3	Used
BValue	(0051,xx0B)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Wizard state data size	(0051,xx0C)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Wizard State	(0051,xx0D)	OB	1	3	Ignored
Hidden	(0051,xx0E)	SL	1	3	Used
Private Creator	(0053,00xx)	LO	1	3	GEHC_CT_ADVAPP_001: Used
Type of Shuttle Acquisition	(0053,xx20)	IS	1	3	Used
ASIR Information	(0053,xx40)	SH	1	3	Used
High Resolution Mode	(0053,xx61)	SH	1	3	Used
Image Position Patient Setting	(0053,xx63)	CS	1	3	Used
Multi Energy Image Type	(0053,xx73)	LO	1	3	Used
Monochromatic Energy	(0053,xx75)	DS	1	3	Used
Sub Optimal IQ String	(0053,xx7D)	LO	1	3	Used

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Annotation mA	(0053,xx83)	DS	1	3	Used
Multi Energy KV Annot Name	(0053,xx88)	SH	1	3	Used
Multi Energy KV Unit Label	(0053,xx89)	SH	1	3	Used
Material Type #1	(0053,xx8A)	LO	1	3	Used
Material Type #2	(0053,xx8B)	LO	1	3	Used
GSI Scan Mode Preset	(0053,xx8C)	LO	1	3	Used
MARs Annotation	(0053,xx9D)	LO	1	3	Used
Private Group Creator	(0059, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_VXTL_REGISTRATION_01: Used
Deformed Flag	(0059, xx00)	IS	1	3	Used

4 MR INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

4.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM MR Image IOD to represent the information included in MR Images received by this implementation. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

4.2 ADVANTAGESIM MD MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES

The AdvantageSim MD maps DICOM Information Entities to local Information Entities in the product's database and user interface.

TABLE 4-17 MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES TO ADVANTAGESIM MD ENTITIES

DICOM IE	AdvantageSim MD Entity
Patient	Patient
Study	Exam
Series	Series
Image	Image

4.3 IOD MODULE TABLE

Within an entity of the DICOM MR Image Information Object Definition, attributes are grouped into a related set of attributes. A set of related attributes is termed a module. A module facilitates the understanding of the semantics concerning the attributes and how the attributes are related with each other. A module grouping does not infer any encoding of information into datasets.

The Magnetic Resonance Information Object Definition comprises the modules of the following table, plus Standard Extended and Private attributes.

TABLE 4-18 MR IMAGE IOD MODULES

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	3.4.1
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	3.4.2.1
	Patient Study	Used	3.4.2.2
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	General Series	Used	3.4.3.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
Frame of Reference	Frame of Reference	Used	3.4.4
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	3.4.5.1
Image	General Image	Used	3.4.6.1

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
	Image Plane	Used	3.4.6.2
	Image Pixel	Used	3.4.6.3
	Contrast/Bolus	Not used	N/A
	Device	Not used	N/A
	MR Image	Used	4.4.1.1
	Overlay Plane	Not used	N/A
	VOI LUT	Not used	N/A
	SOP Common	Used	3.4.6.5

4.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities, modules, and attributes contained within the CT Information Object.

The following modules are included to convey Enumerated Values, Defined Terms, and Optional Attributes supported and/or expected. Type 1 & Type 2 Attributes are also included for completeness and to define what the expected values when loading such instance are. It should be noted that they are the same ones as defined in the DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions). Also note that the attributes that are not present in tables are not supported.

4.4.1 Image Entity Modules

4.4.1.1 MR Image Module

TABLE 4-19 MR IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Image Type	(0008,0008)	1	Used for image type identification. See 4.4.1.1.1
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	Not used Shall be 1.
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	Not used Shall be "MONOCHROME2".
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	Shall be 16.
Scanning Sequence	(0018,0020)	1	Used.
Sequence Variant	(0018,0021)	1	Used.
Scan Options	(0018,0022)	2	Used.
MR Acquisition Type	(0018,0023)	2	Used.
Repetition Time	(0018,0080)	2C	Used.
Echo Time	(0018,0081)	2	Used
Echo Train Length	(0018,0091)	2	Used
Inversion Time	(0018,0082)	2C	Used.
Trigger Time	(0018,1060)	2C	Used.
Sequence Name	(0018,0024)	3	Not used
Angio Flag	(0018,0025)	3	Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Number of Averages	(0018,0083)	3	Used
Imaging Frequency	(0018,0084)	3	Used
Imaged Nucleus	(0018,0085)	3	Not used
Echo Number	(0018,0086)	3	Used
Magnetic Field Strength	(0018,0087)	3	Used
Spacing Between Slices	(0018,0088)	3	Not used
Number of Phase Encoding Steps	(0018,0089)	3	Not used
Percent Sampling	(0018,0093)	3	Used
Percent Phase Field of View	(0018,0094)	3	Not used
Pixel Bandwidth	(0018,0095)	3	Used
Nominal Interval	(0018,1062)	3	Not used
Beat Rejection Flag	(0018,1080)	3	Not used
Low R-R Value	(0018,1081)	3	Not used
High R-R Value	(0018,1082)	3	Not used
Intervals Acquired	(0018,1083)	3	Not used
Intervals Rejected	(0018,1084)	3	Not used
PVC Rejection	(0018,1085)	3	Not used
Skip Beats	(0018,1086)	3	Not used
Heart Rate	(0018,1088)	3	Not used
Cardiac Number of Images	(0018,1090)	3	Used
Trigger Window	(0018,1094)	3	Not used
Reconstruction Diameter	(0018,1100)	3	Not used
Receive Coil Name	(0018,1250)	3	Used
Transmit Coil Name	(0018,1251)	3	Not used
Acquisition Matrix	(0018,1310)	3	Used
Phase Encoding Direction	(0018,1312)	3	Not used
Flip Angle	(0018,1314)	3	Used
SAR	(0018,1316)	3	Not used
Variable Flip Angle Flag	(0018,1315)	3	Not used
dB/dt	(0018,1318)	3	Not used
Temporal Position Identifier	(0020,0100)	3	Used
Number of Temporal Positions	(0020,0105)	3	Used
Temporal Resolution	(0020,0110)	3	Not used
Stack ID	(0020,9056)	3	Used
Anatomic Region Sequence	(0008,2218)	3	Not used
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
> Anatomic Region Modifier Sequence	(0008,2220)	3	
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Primary Anatomic Structure Sequence	(0008,2228)	3	Not used
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
> Primary Anatomic Structure Modifier Sequence	(0008,2230)	3	
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

4.4.1.1.1 Image Type

The following values of Image Type (0008,0008) are supported.

The Enumerated Values of Value 1 are supported:

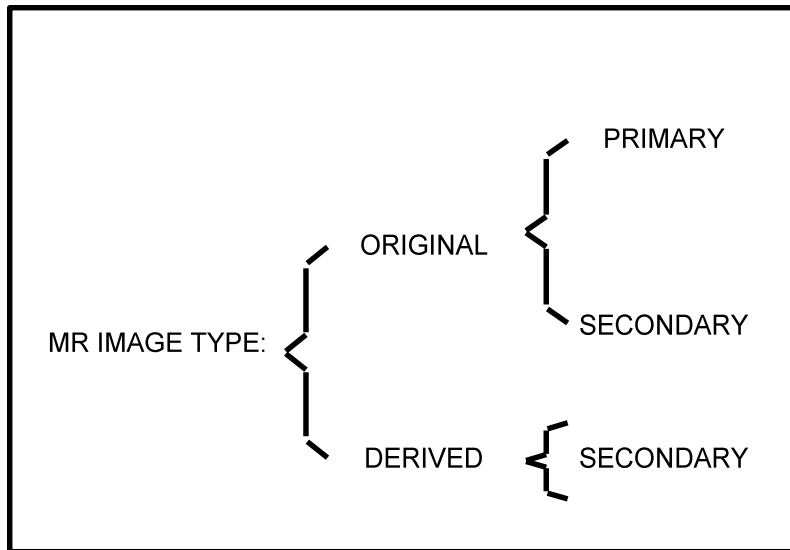
- ORIGINAL identifies an Original Image
- DERIVED identifies a Derived Image

The Enumerated Values of Value 2 are supported:

- PRIMARY identifies a Primary Image
- SECONDARY identifies a Secondary Image

Any standard Defined Terms of Value 3 is supported.

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4.5 PRIVATE DATA DICTIONARY

TABLE 4.5-20 PRIVATE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Private Creator	(0009, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_IDEN_01: Used
Genesis Full Fidelity Flag	(0009, xx01)	LO	1	3	Used
Suite ID	(0009, xx02)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Product ID	(0009, xx04)	SH	1	3	Used
Series Type	(0009,xx1A)	US	1	3	Used
Unique Service ID	(0009, xx30)	SH	1	3	Ignored

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Mobile Location Number	(0009, xx31)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Equipment UID	(0009, xxE3)	UI	1	3	Ignored
Genesis Version - Now	(0009, xxE6)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Private Creator	(0019, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_ACQU_01: Used
Series Pulse Sequence	(0019, xx12)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Display FOV-Y	(0019, xx1E)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Duration of scan	(0019, xx5A)	FL	1	3	Used
Number of echos	(0019, xx7E)	SS	1	3	Used
Continuous slices flag	(0019, xx81)	SS	1	3	Ignored
actual receive gain analog	(0019, xx8A)	SS	1	3	Ignored
actual receive gain digital	(0019, xx8B)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Swap Phase/Freq. Axis	(0019, xx8F)	SS	1	3	Used
Pause Time	(0019, xx91)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Pulse Sequence Name	(0019, xx9C)	LO	1	3	Used
Coil Type	(0019, xx9F)	SS	1	3	Ignored
SAT fat/water/bone	(0019, xxA4)	SS	1	3	Used
User Variable0	(0019, xxA7)	SS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable1	(0019, xxA8)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable2	(0019, xxA9)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable3	(0019, xxAA)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable4	(0019, xxAB)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable5	(0019, xxAC)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable6	(0019, xxAD)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable7	(0019, xxAE)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable8	(0019, xxAF)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable9	(0019, xxB0)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable10	(0019, xxB1)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable11	(0019, xxB2)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable12	(0019, xxB3)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable13	(0019, xxB4)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable14	(0019, xxB5)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable15	(0019, xxB6)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable16	(0019, xxB7)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable17	(0019, xxB8)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable18	(0019, xxB9)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable19	(0019, xxBA)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable20	(0019, xxBB)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable21	(0019, xxBC)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable22	(0019, xxBD)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Saturation Planes	(0019, xxC0)	SS	1	3	Used

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Surface Coil Intensity Correction Flag	(0019, xxC1)	SS	1	3	Used
Phase contrast flow axis	(0019, xxCB)	SS	1	3	Used
Velocity Encoding	(0019, xxCC)	SS	1	3	Used
Fractional Echo/EffectiveTE	(0019, xxD5)	SS	1	3	Used
Cardiac Phase Number	(0019, xxD7)	SS	1	3	Used
variable echo flag	(0019, xxD8)	SS	1	3	Used
Concatenated Sat Type flg	(0019, xxD9)	DS	1	3	Used
User Variable23	(0019, xxDF)	DS	1	3	Ignored
User Variable24	(0019, xxE0)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Number of Phases	(0019, xxF2)	SS	1	3	Used
Transmit Gain	(0019, xxF9)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Private Creator	(0021, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_RELA_01: Used
Series from which prescribed	(0021, xx03)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Genesis Version	(0021, xx05)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Series from which prescribed	(0021, xx35)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Image from which prescribed	(0021, xx36)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Screen Format	(0021, xx37)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Row Axis Rot from src img	(0021, xx51)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Col Axis Rot from src img	(0021, xx52)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Normal Axis Rot from src img	(0021, xx53)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Slop int 1	(0021, xx56)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Slop int 2	(0021, xx57)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Slop int 3	(0021, xx58)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Slop int 4	(0021, xx59)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Slop int 5	(0021, xx5A)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Slop float 1	(0021, xx5B)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Slop float 2	(0021, xx5C)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Slop float 3	(0021, xx5D)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Slop float 4	(0021, xx5E)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Slop float 5	(0021, xx5F)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Private Creator	(0025, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_SERS_01: Used
Primary Receiver	(0025, xx1A)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Private Creator	(0027, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_IMAG_01: Used
Imaging Mode	(0027, xx31)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Pulse Sequence	(0027, xx32)	SS	1	3	Used
Imaging Options	(0027, xx33)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Plane Type	(0027, xx35)	SS	1	3	Ignored
RAS letter of image loc	(0027, xx40)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Image Location	(0027, xx41)	FL	1	3	Ignored
Image Dimension - X	(0027, xx60)	FL	1	3	Ignored

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Image Dimension - Y	(0027, xx61)	FL	1	3	Ignored
Number of Excitations	(0027, xx62)	FL	1	3	Ignored
Private Creator	(0029, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_IMPS_01: Used
Version of the hdr structure	(0029, xx26)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Lower Range of Pixels 1	(0029, xx15)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Upper Range of Pixels 1	(0029, xx16)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Private Creator	(0043, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_PARM_01: Used
Bitmap of prescan options	(0043, xx01)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Number of EPI shots	(0043, xx06)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Views per segment	(0043, xx07)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Respiratory rate	(0043, xx08)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Respiratory trigger point	(0043, xx09)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Type of receiver used	(0043, xx0A)	SS	1	3	Ignored
Peak rate of change of Gradient field	(0043, xx0B)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Limit in units per percent	(0043, xx0C)	DS	1	3	Ignored
Version of header structure	(0043, xx26)	US	6	3	Ignored
Filter Mode	(0043, xx2D)	LO	1	3	Used
Image Type	(0043, xx2F)	SS	1	3	Used
Collapse Image	(0043, xx30)	SS	1	3	Ignored
User usage tag	(0043, xx35)	UL	1	3	Ignored
User Variable25...User Variable48	(0043, xx38)	FL	24	3	Ignored
Slop Int 6 ... 9	(0043, xx39)	IS	4	3	Ignored
Slop Int 10 ... 17	(0043, xx60)	IS	8	3	Ignored
Scanner Study Entity UID	(0043, xx61)	UI	1	3	Ignored
Scanner Study UID	(0043, xx62)	SH	1	3	Ignored
Table Position / angle / offset / WholeOrZoom	(0043, xx6F)	DS	3-4	3	Ignored
eDWI Scale Factor	(0043,xx7F)	DS	1	3	Used
Additional Asset Data	(0043, xx84)	LO	7	3	Used
Spectro Parameters	(0043, xx8F)	DS		3	Used
Image filtering parameters	(0043, xx97)	LO	9	3	Ignored
Number of Stacks	(0043,xx9A)	IS	1	3	Used
ASL Contrast Technique	(0043, xxA3)	CS	1	3	Used
Detailed Text Describing Used Labeling Technique	(0043, xxA4)	LO	1	3	Used
Duration of the Label or Control Pulse	(0043, xxA5)	IS	1	3	Used
Private Group Creator	(0047, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_VXTL_USERDATA_01: Used
Private User Data	(0047, xx11)	LT	1	3	Used
Private creator	(0051,00xx)	LO	1	3	"GEMS_FUNCTOOL_01"
Group name	(0051,xx01)	LO	1	3	Used

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Function name	(0051,xx02)	LO	1	3	Used
Bias	(0051,xx03)	SL	1	3	Used
Scale	(0051,xx04)	FL	1	3	Used
Parameter count	(0051,xx05)	SL	1	3	Used
Parameters	(0051,xx06)	LT	1	3	Used
Version	(0051,xx07)	LO	1	3	Used
Color ramp index	(0051,xx08)	SL	1	3	Used
Window width	(0051,xx09)	SL	1	3	Used
Window level	(0051,xx0A)	SL	1	3	Used
BValue	(0051,xx0B)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Wizard state data size	(0051,xx0C)	SL	1	3	Ignored
Wizard State	(0051,xx0D)	OB	1	3	Ignored
Hidden	(0051,xx0E)	SL	1	3	Used
Private Group Creator	(0059, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_VXTL_REGISTRATION_01: Used
Deformed Flag	(0059, xx00)	IS	1	3	Used

5 PET INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

5.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM PET Image IOD to represent the information included in PET Images received by this implementation. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

5.2 ADVANTAGESIM MD MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES

The AdvantageSim MD maps DICOM Information Entities to local Information Entities in the product's database and user interface.

TABLE 5-21 MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES TO ADVANTAGESIM MD ENTITIES

DICOM IE	AdvantageSim MD Entity
Patient	Patient
Study	Exam
Series	Series
Image	Image

5.3 IOD MODULE TABLE

Within an entity of the DICOM PET Image Information Object Definition, attributes are grouped into a related set of attributes. A set of related attributes is termed a module. A module facilitates the understanding of the semantics concerning the attributes and how the attributes are related with each other. A module grouping does not infer any encoding of information into datasets.

The Positron Emission Tomography Information Object Definition comprises the modules of the following table, plus Standard Extended and Private attributes.

TABLE 5-22 PET IMAGE IOD MODULES

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	3.4.1
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	3.4.2.1
	Patient Study	Used	3.4.2.2
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	General Series	Used	3.4.3.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
	PET Series	Used	5.4.1.1
	PET Isotope	Used	5.4.1.2
	PET Multi-gated Acquisition	Used - Required if Series Type (0054,1000) Value 1 is	

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
		GATED	
	NM/PET Patient Orientation	Not used	N/A
Frame of Reference	Frame of Reference	Used	3.4.4
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	3.4.5.1
Image	General Image	Used	3.4.6.1
	Image Plane	Used	3.4.6.2
	Image Pixel	Used	3.4.6.3
	Device	Not used	N/A
	PET Image	Used	5.4.2.1
	Overlay Plane	Not used	N/A
	VOI LUT	Not used	N/A
	Acquisition Context	Not used	N/A
	SOP Common	Used	3.4.6.5

5.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities, modules, and attributes contained within the PET Information Object.

The following modules are included to convey Enumerated Values, Defined Terms, and Optional Attributes supported and/or expected. Type 1 & Type 2 Attributes are also included for completeness and to define what the expected values when loading such instance are. It should be noted that they are the same ones as defined in the DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions). Also note that the attributes are not present in tables are not supported.

5.4.1 Series Entity Modules

5.4.1.1 PET Series

TABLE 5-23: PET SERIES MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Series Date	(0008,0021)	1	Used.
Series Time	(0008,0031)	1	Used
Units	(0054,1001)	1	Used
Counts Source	(0054,1002)	1	Not used
Series Type	(0054,1000)	1	Not used
Reprojection Method	(0054,1004)	2C	Not used
Number of R-R Intervals	(0054,0061)	1C	Not used
Number of Time Slots	(0054,0071)	1C	Used if (0054,1000) Series Type is 'GATED'
Number of Time Slices	(0054,0101)	1C	Not used
Number of Slices	(0054,0081)	1	Used
Corrected Image	(0028,0051)	2	Used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Randoms Correction Method	(0054,1100)	3	Not used
Attenuation Correction Method	(0054,1101)	3	Not used
Scatter Correction Method	(0054,1105)	3	Not used
Decay Correction	(0054,1102)	1	Not used
Reconstruction Diameter	(0018,1100)	3	Not used
Convolution Kernel	(0018,1210)	3	Not used
Reconstruction Method	(0054,1103)	3	Not used
Detector Lines of Response Used	(0054,1104)	3	Not used
Acquisition Start Condition	(0018,0073)	3	Not used
Acquisition Start Condition Data	(0018,0074)	3	Not used
Acquisition Termination Condition	(0018,0071)	3	Not used
Acquisition Termination Condition Data	(0018,0075)	3	Not used
Field of View Shape	(0018,1147)	3	Not used
Field of View Dimensions	(0018,1149)	3	Not used
Gantry/Detector Tilt	(0018,1120)	3	Used. AdvantageSim MD rejects images with Gantry Tilt - see Image Orientation (Patient) attribute.
Gantry/Detector Slew	(0018,1121)	3	Used - Images with slew are rejected
Type of Detector Motion	(0054,0202)	3	Not used
Collimator Type	(0018,1181)	2	Used
Collimator/Grid Name	(0018,1180)	3	Not used
Axial Acceptance	(0054,1200)	3	Not used
Axial Mash	(0054,1201)	3	Not used
Transverse Mash	(0054,1202)	3	Not used
Detector Element Size	(0054,1203)	3	Not used
Coincidence Window Width	(0054,1210)	3	Not used
Energy Window Range Sequence	(0054,0013)	3	Not used
>Energy Window Lower Limit	(0054,0014)	3	Not used
>Energy Window Upper Limit	(0054,0015)	3	Not used
Secondary Counts Type	(0054,1220)	3	Not used

5.4.1.2 PET Isotope

TABLE 5-24: PET ISOTOPE MODULE

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Radiopharmaceutical Information	(0054,0016)	2	Used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Sequence			
>Radionuclide Code Sequence	(0054,0300)	2	Not used
>>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>>Code Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
>Radiopharmaceutical Route	(0018,1070)	3	Not used
>Administration Route Code Sequence	(0054,0302)	3	Not used
>>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>>Code Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
>Radiopharmaceutical Volume	(0018,1071)	3	Not used
>Radiopharmaceutical Start Time	(0018,1072)	3	Used
>Radiopharmaceutical Stop Time	(0018,1073)	3	Not used
>Radionuclide Total Dose	(0018,1074)	3	Used
>Radionuclide Half Life	(0018,1075)	3	Used
>Radionuclide Positron Fraction	(0018,1076)	3	Not used
>Radiopharmaceutical Specific Activity	(0018,1077)	3	Not used
>Radiopharmaceutical	(0018,0031)	3	Not used
>Radiopharmaceutical Code Sequence	(0054,0304)	3	Not used
>>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>>Code Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
Intervention Drug Information Sequence	(0018,0026)	3	Not used
>Intervention Drug Name	(0018,0034)	3	Not used
>Intervention Drug Code Sequence	(0018,0029)	3	Not used
>>Code Value	(0008,0100)	1C	
>>Code Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1C	
>>Code Meaning	(0008,0104)	3	
>Intervention Drug Start Time	(0018,0035)	3	Not used
>Intervention Drug Stop Time	(0018,0027)	3	Not used
>Intervention Drug Dose	(0018,0028)	3	Not used

5.4.2 Image Entity Modules

5.4.2.1 PET Image Module

TABLE 5-25 PET IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Image Type	(0008,0008)	1	Used. See 5.4.2.1.1
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	Shall be 1
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	Shall be MONOCHROME2
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	Shall be 16
Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	1	Shall be 16
High Bit	(0028,0102)	1	Not used, expected to be 15
Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	1	Used
Rescale Intercept	(0028,1052)	1	Not used, Shall be 0
Rescale Slope	(0028,1053)	1	Used
Frame Reference Time	(0054,1300)	1	Not used
Trigger Time	(0018,1060)	1C	Used
Frame Time	(0018,1063)	1C	Used
Low R-R Value	(0018,1081)	1C	Not used
High R-R Value	(0018,1082)	1C	Not used
Lossy Image Compression	(0028,2110)	1C	Used
Image Index	(0054,1330)	1	Used
Acquisition Date	(0008,0022)	2	Used
Acquisition Time	(0008,0032)	2	Used
Actual Frame Duration	(0018,1242)	2	Used
Nominal Interval	(0018,1062)	3	Not used
Intervals Acquired	(0018,1083)	3	Used
Intervals Rejected	(0018,1084)	3	Not used
Primary (Prompts) Counts Accumulated	(0054,1310)	3	Not used
Secondary Counts Accumulated	(0054,1311)	3	Not used
Slice Sensitivity Factor	(0054,1320)	3	Not used
Decay Factor	(0054,1321)	1C	Not used
Dose Calibration Factor	(0054,1322)	3	Not used
Scatter Fraction Factor	(0054,1323)	3	Not used
Dead Time Factor	(0054,1324)	3	Not used
Anatomic Region Sequence	(0008,2218)	3	Not used
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
> Anatomic Region Modifier Sequence	(0008,2220)	3	Not used
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			Defined Context ID is 2.
Primary Anatomic Structure Sequence	(0008,2228)	3	Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
> Primary Anatomic Structure Modifier Sequence	(0008,2230)	3	Not used
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Slice Progression Direction	(0054,0500)	3	Not used
View Code Sequence	(0054,0220)	3	Not used
> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
> View Modifier Code Sequence	(0054,0222)	2C	
>> Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

5.4.2.1.1 Image Type

The following values of Image Type (0008, 0008) are supported.

Specify which Enumerated Values of Value 1 are supported:

- ORIGINAL identifies an Original Image
- DERIVED identifies a Derived Image

Specify which Enumerated Values of Value 2 are supported:

- PRIMARY identifies a Primary Image

5.5 PHASE CALCULATION

When the PET Phase Percentage (0009, xxE3) cannot be detected, gated phase information can be calculated based on standard DICOM tags, if they are available:

Attribute Name	Tag
Number of time slots	(0054, 0071)
Trigger time	(0018, 1060)
Frame time	(0018, 1063)

Name	Condition	Formula
PET Phase Percentage	Number of time slots > 1	$\frac{TriggerTime + \frac{FrameTime}{2}}{NumberOfTimeSlots * FrameTime}$
PET Phase Rank	Number of time slots = 1	$\frac{TriggerTime + FrameTime}{FrameTime}$

5.6 PRIVATE DATA

The following private elements are used:

TABLE 5- 26: PRIVATE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM	Type	Attribute Description
Private Creator	(0009, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_PETD_01: Used
Scan Time	(0009, xx0D)	DT	1	3	Used
Tracer Activity	(0009, xx38)	FL	1	3	Used
Measured Time	(0009, xx39)	DT	1	3	Used
Administrated Time	(0009, xx3B)	DT	1	3	Used
Post Injected Activity	(0009, xx3C)	FL	1	3	Used
Post Injected Time	(0009, xx3D)	DT	1	3	Used
Half Life	(0009, xx3F)	FL	1	3	Used
PET Phase Percentage	(0009,xxE3)	FL	1	3	Used
Private Group Creator	(0047, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_VXTL_USERDATA_01: Used
Private User Data	(0047, xx11)	LT	1	3	Used
Private Group Creator	(0059, 00xx)	LO	1	3	GEMS_VXTL_REGISTRATION_01: Used
Deformed Flag	(0059, xx00)	IS	1	3	Used

6 SECONDARY CAPTURE INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

6.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM Secondary Capture Image IOD to represent the information included in Secondary Capture images produced by this implementation. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

Note that the implementation described in this section relates to generation of SC Images by the AdvantageSim MD product only. The AdvantageSim MD application does not display SC Images directly, but relies on the Advantage Workstation and AW Server products for this function. SC Image conformance for Advantage Workstation and AW Server are described in the related documents (See 1.6 References).

6.2 ADVANTAGESIM MD MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES

The AdvantageSim MD maps DICOM Information Entities to local Information Entities in the product's database and user interface.

TABLE 6-2 MAPPING OF DICOM ENTITIES TO ADVANTAGESIM MD ENTITIES

DICOM IE	AdvantageSim MD Entity
Patient	Patient
Study	Exam
Series	Series
Image	Image

6.3 IOD MODULE TABLE

6.3.1 SC Image IOD Module Table

Within an entity of the DICOM SC Image Information Object Definition, attributes are grouped into related set of attributes. A set of related attributes is termed a module. A module facilitates the understanding of the semantics concerning the attributes and how the attributes are related with each other. A module grouping does not infer any encoding of information into datasets.

Table 6.3 IOD Module Table identifies the defined modules within the entities, which comprise the DICOM SC Image Information Object Definition. Modules are identified by Module Name.

See DICOM Part 3 for a complete definition of the entities, modules, and attributes.

Note: The elements that are not listed in tables will not be present in generated images.

The Secondary Capture Information Object Definition comprises the modules of the following table, plus Standard Extended and Private attributes.

TABLE 6-3 SC IMAGE IOD MODULES

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	6.4.1.1

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	6.4.2.1
	Patient Study	Not used	N/A
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	General Series	Used	6.4.3.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	6.4.4.1
	SC Equipment	Used	6.4.4.2
Image	General Image	Used	6.4.5.1
	Image Pixel	Used	6.4.5.2
	Device	Not used	N/A
	SC Image	Used	6.4.5.3
	Overlay Plane	Not used	N/A
	Modality LUT	Not used	N/A
	VOI LUT	Not used	N/A
	SOP Common	Used	6.4.5.4

6.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities and modules contained within the SC Information Object.

The following modules are included to convey Enumerated Values, Defined Terms, and Optional Attributes supported. Type 1 & Type 2 Attributes are also included for completeness and to define what values they may take and where these values are obtained from when generating the instance. It should be noted that they are the same ones as defined in the DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions). Also note that attributes that are not present in tables are not supported.

6.4.1 Patient Entity Modules

6.4.1.1 Patient Module

TABLE 6-27 PATIENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	2	Duplicated from input images. Non-empty patient's name required.
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length. Strongly recommended for safe patient identification.
Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			Duplicated from input images if not empty.
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	2	Duplicated from input images
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	2	Duplicated from input images
Referenced Patient Sequence	(0008,1120)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	3	Duplicated from input images
Other Patient IDs	(0010,1000)	3	Duplicated from input images. Not copied if empty
Other Patient IDs Sequence	(0010,1002)	3	Duplicated from input images
>Patient ID	(0010,0020)	1	Duplicated from input images
>Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			Duplicated from input images if not empty.
>Type of Patient ID	(0010,0022)	1	Duplicated from input images
Other Patient Names	(0010,1001)	3	Not generated
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	3	Not generated
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	3	Not generated
Patient Species Description	(0010,2201)	1C	Not generated
Patient Species Code Sequence	(0010,2202)	1C	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Patient Breed Description	(0010,2292)	2C	Not generated
Patient Breed Code Sequence	(0010,2293)	2C	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Breed Registration Sequence	(0010,2294)	2C	Not generated
>Breed Registration Number	(0010,2295)	1	
>Breed Registry Code Sequence	(0010,2296)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Responsible Person	(0010,2297)	2C	Not generated
Responsible Person Role	(0010,2298)	1C	Not generated
Responsible Organization	(0010,2299)	2C	Not generated
Patient Identity Removed	(0012,0062)	3	Not generated
De-identification Method	(0012,0063)	1C	Not generated
De-identification Method Code Sequence	(0012,0064)	1C	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

6.4.2 Study Entity Modules

6.4.2.1 General Study Module

TABLE 6-28 GENERAL STUDY MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	Duplicated from input images
Study Date	(0008,0020)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Study Time	(0008,0030)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Referring Physician Identification Sequence	(0008,0096)	3	Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Study ID	(0020,0010)	2	Duplicated from input images (must be present in those images - see 3.4.2.1)
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Study Description	(0008,1030)	3	If IHE compatibility option set then duplicated from input images, otherwise not generated.
Physician(s) of Record	(0008,1048)	3	Not used
Physician(s) of Record Identification Sequence	(0008,1049)	3	
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Name of Physician(s) Reading Study	(0008,1060)	3	Not used
Physician(s) Reading Study Identification Sequence	(0008,1062)	3	
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Procedure Code Sequence	(0008,1032)	3	Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

6.4.3 Series Entity Modules

6.4.3.1 General Series Module

TABLE 6-29 GENERAL SERIES MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Modality	(0008,0060)	1	'OT'
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	New generated at every save
Series Number	(0020,0011)	2	Generated: '100'
Laterality	(0020,0060)	2C	Not used
Series Date	(0008,0021)	3	Not generated
Series Time	(0008,0031)	3	Not generated
Performing Physicians' Name	(0008,1050)	3	Not generated
Performing Physician Identification Sequence	(0008,1052)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Protocol Name	(0018,1030)	3	Not generated
Series Description	(0008,103E)	3	Generated: 'SC Image (Adv Sim)'
Operators' Name	(0008,1070)	3	Generated: Name of the operator is written if not empty

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Operator Identification Sequence	(0008,1072)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Referenced Performed Procedure Step Sequence	(0008,1111)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Related Series Sequence	(0008,1250)	3	Not generated
>Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	
>Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	2	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Body Part Examined	(0018,0015)	3	Not generated
Patient Position	(0018,5100)	2C	Not generated
Smallest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0108)	3	Not generated
Largest Pixel Value in Series	(0028,0109)	3	Not generated
Request Attributes Sequence	(0040,0275)	3	Not generated
>Requested Procedure ID	(0040,1001)	1C	
>Accession Number	(0008,0050)	3	
>Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	3	
>Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	3	
>> Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Requested Procedure Description	(0032,1060)	3	
>Requested Procedure Code Sequence	(0032,1064)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Reason for the Requested Procedure	(0040,1002)	3	
>Reason for Requested Procedure Code Sequence	(0040,100A)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Scheduled Procedure Step ID	(0040,0009)	1C	
>Scheduled Procedure Step Description	(0040,0007)	3	
>Scheduled Protocol Code Sequence	(0040,0008)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>>Protocol Context Sequence	(0040,0440)	3	
>>>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
>>>Content Item Modifier Sequence	(0040,0441)	3	
>>>>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
Performed Procedure Step ID	(0040,0253)	3	Not generated
Performed Procedure Step Start Date	(0040,0244)	3	Not generated
Performed Procedure Step Start Time	(0040,0245)	3	Not generated
Performed Procedure Step Description	(0040,0254)	3	Not generated
Performed Protocol Code Sequence	(0040,0260)	3	Not generated

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>>Protocol Context Sequence	(0040,0440)	3	
>>>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
>>>Content Item Modifier Sequence	(0040,0441)	3	
>>>>Include 'Content Item Macro'			
Comments on the Performed Procedure Step	(0040,0280)	3	Not generated

6.4.4 Equipment Entity Modules

6.4.4.1 General Equipment Module

TABLE 6-30 GENERAL EQUIPMENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	2	'GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS'
Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	Not generated
Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	Not generated
Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	<station hostname>
Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	Not generated
Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	'Advantage Sim'
Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	<station host ID>
Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	'9.0-<subversion>.<build>'
Gantry ID	(0018,1008)	3	Not generated
Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	Not generated
Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	Not generated
Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	Not generated
Pixel Padding Value	(0028,0120)	1C	Not generated

6.4.4.2 SC Equipment Module

TABLE 6-31 SC EQUIPMENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Conversion Type	(0008,0064)	1	'WSD' = Workstation
Modality	(0008,0060)	3	'OT'
Secondary Capture Device ID	(0018,1010)	3	<station host ID>
Secondary Capture Device Manufacturer	(0018,1016)	3	'GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS'
Secondary Capture Device Manufacturer's Model Name	(0018,1018)	3	'Advantage Sim'
Secondary Capture Device Software Version	(0018,1019)	3	'9.0-<subversion>.<build>'

Video Image Format Acquired	(0018,1022)	3	Not used
Digital Image Format Acquired	(0018,1023)	3	Not used

6.4.5 Image Entity Modules

6.4.5.1 General Image Module

TABLE 6-32 GENERAL IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	2	Generated number
Patient Orientation	(0020,0020)	2C	Zero-length
Content Date	(0008,0023)	2C	Date when Secondary Capture Image was created.
Content Time	(0008,0033)	2C	Time when Secondary Capture Image was created.
Image Type	(0008,0008)	3	'DERIVED\SECONDARY' (Value 3 and Value 4 not supplied)
Acquisition Number	(0020,0012)	3	Not generated
Acquisition Date	(0008,0022)	3	Not generated
Acquisition Time	(0008,0032)	3	Not generated
Acquisition DateTime	(0008,002A)	3	Not generated
Referenced Image Sequence	(0008,1140)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Derivation Description	(0008,2111)	3	Not generated
Derivation Code Sequence	(0008,9215)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Source Image Sequence	(0008,2112)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Spatial Locations Preserved	(0028,135A)	3	
>Patient Orientation	(0020,0020)	1C	
Referenced Instance Sequence	(0008,114A)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Images in Acquisition	(0020,1002)	3	Not generated
Image Comments	(0020,4000)	3	'Plan_name (Plan_date_time)' where Plan_name is the Plan Label of the referenced RT Plan, and Plan_date_time is the save date/ time of

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			referenced RT Plan
Quality Control Image	(0028,0300)	3	Not generated
Burned In Annotation	(0028,0301)	3	Generated: 'YES'
Lossy Image Compression	(0028,2110)	3	Not generated
Lossy Image Compression Ratio	(0028,2112)	3	Not generated
Lossy Image Compression Method	(0028,2114)	3	Not generated
Icon Image Sequence	(0088,0200)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Image Pixel Macro'			Not used
Presentation LUT Shape	(2050,0020)	3	Not generated

6.4.5.2 Image Pixel Module

TABLE 6-33 IMAGE PIXEL MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	One sample per pixel
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	'MONOCHROME2'
Rows	(0028,0010)	1	512 (quarter-screen image) or 1024 (full-screen image)
Columns	(0028,0011)	1	512 (quarter-screen image) or 1024 (full-screen image)
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	8
Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	1	8
High Bit	(0028,0102)	1	7
Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	1	0
Pixel Data	(7FE0,0010)	1	Overlaid data in AdvantageSim MD image display (e.g. on-screen annotations, geometrical structures and beam edges) are converted into monochrome, 'burned in' to the image (i.e. obscure the image pixels) and transmitted as part of Pixel Data
Planar Configuration	(0028,0006)	1C	Not generated
Pixel Aspect Ratio	(0028,0034)	1C	Not generated
Smallest Image Pixel Value	(0028,0106)	3	Not generated
Largest Image Pixel Value	(0028,0107)	3	Not generated
Red Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1101)	1C	Not generated
Green Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1102)	1C	Not generated
Blue Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1103)	1C	Not generated
Red Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1201)	1C	Not generated.
Green Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1202)	1C	Not generated.

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Blue Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1203)	1C	Not generated.
ICC Profile	(0028,2000)	3	Not generated.
Pixel Data Provider URL	(0028,7FE0)	1C	Not generated.
Pixel Padding Range Limit	(0028,0121)	1C	Not generated.

6.4.5.3 SC Image Module

TABLE 6-34 SC IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Date of Secondary Capture	(0018,1012)	3	Date when Secondary Capture Image was created.
Time of Secondary Capture	(0018,1014)	3	Time when Secondary Capture Image was created.

6.4.5.4 SOP Common Module

TABLE 6-35 SOP COMMON MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
SOP Class UID	(0008,0016)	1	'1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.7'
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	1	UID root will be '1.2.840.113619.6.196'
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	'ISO_IR 100'
Instance Creation Date	(0008,0012)	3	Date when Secondary Capture Image was created.
Instance Creation Time	(0008,0013)	3	Time when Secondary Capture Image was created.
Instance Creator UID	(0008,0014)	3	'1.2.840.113619.6.196'
Related General SOP Class UID	(0008,001A)	3	Not generated
Original Specialized SOP Class UID	(0008,001B)	3	Not generated
Coding Scheme Identification Sequence	(0008,0110)	3	Not generated
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1	
>Coding Scheme Registry	(0008,0112)	1C	
>Coding Scheme UID	(0008,010C)	1C	
>Coding Scheme External ID	(0008,0114)	2C	
>Coding Scheme Name	(0008,0115)	3	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Coding Scheme Responsible Organization	(0008,0116)	3	
Timezone Offset From UTC	(0008,0201)	3	Not generated
Contributing Equipment Sequence	(0018,A001)	3	Not generated
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	1	
>Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	
>Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	
>Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	
>Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	
>Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	
>Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	
>Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	
>Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	
>Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	
>Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	
>Contribution DateTime	(0018,A002)	3	
>Contribution Description	(0018,A003)	3	
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	See 3.4.6.1 General Image Module
SOP Instance Status	(0100,0410)	3	Not generated
SOP Authorization Date and Time	(0100,0420)	3	Not generated
SOP Authorization Comment	(0100,0424)	3	Not generated
Authorization Equipment Certification Number	(0100,0426)	3	Not generated
MAC Parameters Sequence	(4FFE,0001)	3	Not generated
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>MAC Calculation Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0010)	1	
>MAC Algorithm	(0400,0015)	1	
>Data Elements Signed	(0400,0020)	1	
Digital Signatures Sequence	(FFFA,FFFA)	3	Not generated
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>Digital Signature UID	(0400,0100)	1	
>Digital Signature DateTime	(0400,0105)	1	
>Certificate Type	(0400,0110)	1	
>Certificate of Signer	(0400,0115)	1	
>Signature	(0400,0120)	1	
>Certified Timestamp Type	(0400,0305)	1C	
>Certified Timestamp	(0400,0310)	3	
>Digital Signature Purpose Code Sequence	(0400,0401)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Encrypted Attributes Sequence	(0400,0500)	1C	Not generated
>Encrypted Content Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0510)	1	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Encrypted Content	(0400,0520)	1	
Original Attributes Sequence	(0400,0561)	3	Not generated
>Source of Previous Values	(0400,0564)	2	
>Attribute Modification DateTime	(0400,0562)	1	
>Modifying System	(0400,0563)	1	
>Reason for the Attribute Modification	(0400,0565)	1	
>Modified Attributes Sequence	(0400,0550)	1	
>>Any Attribute from the main data set that was modified or removed; may include Sequence Attributes and their Items.			
HL7 Structured Document Reference Sequence	(0040,A390)	1C	Not generated
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1	
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1	
>HL7 Instance Identifier	(0040,E001)	1	
>Retrieve URI	(0040,E010)	3	

7 RT IMAGE INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

7.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM RT Image IOD to represent the information included in images produced by this implementation. Only Single Frame RT Images may be generated. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

7.2 RT IMAGE IOD IMPLEMENTATION

This section defines the implementation of the RT Image information object in the AdvantageSim MD application. It refers to the DICOM Standard, Part 3 (Information Object Definitions). The AdvantageSim MD application does not display RT Images directly, but relies on the Advantage Workstation product for this function.

7.2.1 Entities Description

Refer to DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities contained within the RT Image information object.

7.2.2 AdvantageSim MD Mapping of DICOM entities

DICOM entities map to the AdvantageSim MD entities in the following manner:

DICOM	AdvantageSim MD
Patient Entity	Patient Entity
Study Entity	Examination Entity
Series Entity	Series Entity
Frame of Reference Entity	No mapping
Equipment Entity	Equipment on which AdvantageSim MD application is running
Image Entity	Screen Save of DRR (<i>digitally-reconstructed radiograph</i>) image only (generated from within application using AdvantageSim MD menu option in main panel). AdvantageSim MD does not directly display RT Images.

7.3 RT IMAGE IOD MODULE TABLE

Within an entity of the DICOM RT Image Information Object Definition, attributes are grouped into related set of attributes. A set of related attributes is termed a module. A module facilitates the understanding of the semantics concerning the attributes and how the attributes are related with each other. A module grouping does not infer any encoding of information into datasets.

Table 7-36 RT IMAGE IOD MODULE INFORMATION OBJECT DEFINITION identifies the defined modules within the entities, which comprise the DICOM RT Image Information Object Definition. Modules are identified by Module Name.

See DICOM Standard Part 3 for a complete definition of the entities, modules, and attributes.

TABLE 7-36: RT IMAGE IOD MODULE

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	7.4.1.1
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	7.4.2.1 0
	Patient Study	Not used	N/A
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	RT Series	Used	7.4.3.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
Frame of Reference	Frame of Reference	Not used	N/A
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	7.4.3.2
Image	General Image	Used	7.4.4.1
	Image Pixel	Used	7.4.4.2
	Contrast/bolus	Not used	N/A
	Cine	Not used	N/A
	Multi-Frame	Not used	N/A
	Device	Not used	N/A
	RT Image	Used	7.4.4.3
	Modality LUT	Not used	N/A
	VOI LUT	Not used	N/A
	Approval	Not used	N/A
	SOP Common	Used	7.4.4.4

7.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities and modules contained within the RT Image Information Object.

Note: The elements that are not listed in tables will not be present in generated images.

7.4.1 Patient Entity Modules

7.4.1.1 Patient Module

TABLE 7-37 PATIENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	2	Non-empty patient name required. Duplicated from input images
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	2	Duplicated from input images Strongly recommended for safe patient identification.
Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			Duplicated from input images if not empty.
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	2	Duplicated from input images
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	2	Duplicated from input images
Referenced Patient Sequence	(0008,1120)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	3	Duplicated from input images
Other Patient IDs	(0010,1000)	3	Duplicated from input images. Not copied if empty
Other Patient IDs Sequence	(0010,1002)	3	Duplicated from input images
> Patient ID	(0010,0020)	1	Duplicated from input images
> Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			Duplicated from input images if not empty.
>Type of Patient ID	(0010,0022)	1	Duplicated from input images
Other Patient Names	(0010,1001)	3	Not generated
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	3	Not generated
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	3	Not generated
Patient Species Description	(0010,2201)	1C	Not generated
Patient Species Code Sequence	(0010,2202)	1C	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Patient Breed Description	(0010,2292)	2C	Not generated
Patient Breed Code Sequence	(0010,2293)	2C	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Breed Registration Sequence	(0010,2294)	2C	Not generated
>Breed Registration Number	(0010,2295)	1	
>Breed Registry Code Sequence	(0010,2296)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Responsible Person	(0010,2297)	2C	Not generated
Responsible Person Role	(0010,2298)	1C	Not generated
Responsible Organization	(0010,2299)	2C	Not generated
Patient Identity Removed	(0012,0062)	3	Not generated
De-identification Method	(0012,0063)	1C	Not generated
De-identification Method Code Sequence	(0012,0064)	1C	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

7.4.2 Study Entity Modules

7.4.2.1 General study module

TABLE 7-38 GENERAL STUDY MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	Duplicated from input images
Study Date	(0008,0020)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Study Time	(0008,0030)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Referring Physician Identification Sequence	(0008,0096)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Study ID	(0020,0010)	2	Duplicated from input images (must be present in those images - see 3.4.2.1)
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	2	Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length
Study Description	(0008,1030)	3	If IHE compatibility option set then duplicated from input images, otherwise not generated.
Physician(s) of Record	(0008,1048)	3	Not generated
Physician(s) of Record Identification Sequence	(0008,1049)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Name of Physician(s) Reading Study	(0008,1060)	3	Not generated
Physician(s) Reading Study Identification Sequence	(0008,1062)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Procedure Code Sequence	(0008,1032)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

7.4.3 Series Entity Modules

7.4.3.1 RT Series

TABLE 7-39: RT SERIES MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Modality	(0008,0060)	1	Generated: 'RTIMAGE'

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	New generated at every save
Series Number	(0020,0011)	2	Generated: '101'
Series Description	(0008,103E)	3	Generated: 'AdvantageSim RT Images'
Operator's Name	(0008,1070)	2	Generated: Name of the operator defined at last plan save.
Referenced Performed Procedure Step Sequence	(0008,1111)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Request Attributes Sequence	(0040,0275)	3	Not generated
>Include Request Attributes Macro			
Include Performed Procedure Step Summary Macro			Not generated

7.4.3.2 General Equipment Module

TABLE 7-40: GENERAL EQUIPMENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	2	'GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS'
Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	Not generated
Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	Not generated
Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	<station hostname>
Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	Not generated
Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	'Advantage Sim'
Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	<station host ID>
Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	'9.0-<subversion>.<build>'
Gantry ID	(0018,1008)	3	Not generated
Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	Not generated
Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	Not generated
Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	Not generated
Pixel Padding Value	(0028,0120)	1C	Not generated

7.4.4 Image Entity Modules

7.4.4.1 General Image Module

TABLE 7-41 GENERAL IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	2	Generated number
Patient Orientation	(0020,0020)	2C	Zero-length
Content Date	(0008,0023)	2C	Date when RT Image was created.
Content Time	(0008,0033)	2C	Time when RT Image was created.

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Image Type	(0008,0008)	3	'DERIVED\SECONDARY' (Value 3 and Value 4 not supplied)
Acquisition Number	(0020,0012)	3	Not generated
Acquisition Date	(0008,0022)	3	Not generated
Acquisition Time	(0008,0032)	3	Not generated
Acquisition DateTime	(0008,002A)	3	Not generated
Referenced Image Sequence	(0008,1140)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Derivation Description	(0008,2111)	3	Not generated
Derivation Code Sequence	(0008,9215)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Source Image Sequence	(0008,2112)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Spatial Locations Preserved	(0028,135A)	3	
>Patient Orientation	(0020,0020)	1C	
Referenced Instance Sequence	(0008,114A)	3	Not generated
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Images in Acquisition	(0020,1002)	3	Not generated
Image Comments	(0020,4000)	3	'Plan_name (Plan_date_time)' where Plan_name is the Plan Label of the referenced RT Plan, and Plan_date_time is the save date/ time of referenced RT Plan
Quality Control Image	(0028,0300)	3	Not generated
Burned In Annotation	(0028,0301)	3	Not generated
Lossy Image Compression	(0028,2110)	3	Not generated
Lossy Image Compression Ratio	(0028,2112)	3	Not generated
Lossy Image Compression Method	(0028,2114)	3	Not generated
Icon Image Sequence	(0088,0200)	3	Not generated
>Include 'Image Pixel Macro'			Not used
Presentation LUT Shape	(2050,0020)	3	Not generated

7.4.4.2 Image Pixel Module

TABLE 7-42: IMAGE PIXEL MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	One sample per pixel
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	'MONOCHROME2'
Rows	(0028,0010)	1	512 (quarter-screen image) or 1024 (full-screen image)
Columns	(0028,0011)	1	512 (quarter-screen image) or 1024 (full-screen image)
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	8
Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	1	8
High Bit	(0028,0102)	1	7
Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	1	0
Pixel Data	(7FE0,0010)	1	Overlaid data in AdvantageSim MD image display (e.g. on-screen annotations, geometrical structures and beam edges) are converted into monochrome, 'burned in' to the image (i.e. obscure the image pixels) and transmitted as part of Pixel Data
Planar Configuration	(0028,0006)	1C	Not generated
Pixel Aspect Ratio	(0028,0034)	1C	Not generated
Smallest Image Pixel Value	(0028,0106)	3	Not generated
Largest Image Pixel Value	(0028,0107)	3	Not generated
Red Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1101)	1C	Not generated
Green Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1102)	1C	Not generated
Blue Palette Color Lookup Table Descriptor	(0028,1103)	1C	Not generated
Red Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1201)	1C	Not generated.
Green Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1202)	1C	Not generated.
Blue Palette Color Lookup Table Data	(0028,1203)	1C	Not generated.
ICC Profile	(0028,2000)	3	Not generated.
Pixel Data Provider URL	(0028,7FE0)	1C	Not generated.
Pixel Padding Range Limit	(0028,0121)	1C	Not generated.

7.4.4.3 RT Image Module

TABLE 7-43: RT IMAGE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Samples per Pixel	(0028,0002)	1	1
Photometric Interpretation	(0028,0004)	1	'MONOCHROME2'
RT Image Label	(3002,0002)	1	Name of associated beam in referenced RT Plan

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
RT Image Name	(3002,0003)	3	'Plan_name (Plan_date_time)' where Plan_name is the Plan Label of the referenced RT Plan, and Plan_date_time is the save date/time of referenced RT Plan
Bits Allocated	(0028,0100)	1	8
Bits Stored	(0028,0101)	1	8
High Bit	(0028,0102)	1	7
Pixel Representation	(0028,0103)	1	0000H
Image Type	(0008,0008)	1	'DERIVED\SECONDARY\DRR'
Conversion Type	(0008,0064)	2	'WSD'
RT Image Plane	(3002,000C)	1	'NORMAL'
X-Ray Image Receptor Angle	(3002,000E)	2	0
Image Plane Pixel Spacing	(3002,0011)	2	Pixels will always be square
RT Image Position	(3002,0012)	2	First pixel transmitted always has negative x and positive y values (i.e. image viewed from treatment machine gantry with eyes fixed along gantry X axis and top of head towards gantry wall)
Radiation Machine Name	(3002,0020)	2	Name (including suffix) of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD
Primary Dosimeter Unit	(300A,00B3)	2	Zero-length
Radiation Machine SAD	(3002,0022)	2	Source-axis distance of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD
RT Image SID	(3002,0026)	2	Equal to SAD of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD (i.e. image is always projected onto isocenter)
Referenced RT Plan Sequence	(300C,0002)	3	References RT Plan stored immediately before screen save was performed in AdvantageSim MD. If last saved RT Plan has been subsequently modified in AdvantageSim MD application, screen save option shall be inhibited.
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	'1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.5' (RT Plan)
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	SOP Instance UID of referenced RT Plan
Referenced Beam Number	(300C,0006)	3	Beam Number of beam in referenced RT Plan
Exposure Sequence	(3002,0030)	3	One exposure parameter set is included
>Beam Limiting Device Sequence	(300A,00B6)	3	Sequence will always contain two or three(add-on MLC) items
>>RT Beam Limiting Device Type	(300A,00B8)	1C	Will be 'X', 'Y', 'ASYMX', 'ASYMY', 'MLCX' or 'MLCY', according to collimator type of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD
>>Number of Leaf/Jaw Pairs	(300A,00BC)	1C	For 'MLCX' or 'MLCY' collimators, equal to the number of leaf pairs in the MLC collimator jaw of the machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD, for 'X', 'Y', 'ASYMX', 'ASYMY' equals to 1.
>>Leaf Position Boundaries	(300A,00BE)	2C	Provided only for 'MLCX' and 'MLCY' collimators
>>Leaf/Jaw Positions	(300A,011C)	1	Positions of beam limiting device leaf /jaw pairs

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Number of Blocks	(300A,00F0)	1	Number of blocks or cutouts defined for beam in AdvantageSim MD
>Block Sequence	(300A,00F4)	2C	It is sent if Number Of Blocks is greater than 0. 1-N items may be included.
>> Source to Block Tray Distance	(300A,00F6)	2	Source to Block Tray Distance obtained from machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD
>>Block Type	(300A,00F8)	1	'SHIELDING' or 'APERTURE'
>>Block Divergence	(300A,00FA)	2	Zero-length
>>Block Number	(300A,00FC)	1	Blocks will be numbered from 1 to n in order presented in sequence
>>Block Name	(300A,00FE)	3	Name of block or cutout defined in AdvantageSim MD
>>Material ID	(300A,00E1)	2	Zero-length
>>Block Number of Points	(300A,0104)	2	In AdvantageSim MD there is no software limit imposed on the number of points in a block shape
>>Block Data	(300A,0106)	2	(x,y) coordinates of block edges
Gantry Angle	(300A,011E)	3	Gantry angle of the associated beam
Beam Limiting Device Angle	(300A,0120)	3	Collimator angle of the associated beam
Patient Support Angle	(300A,0122)	3	Table Angle of the associated beam

7.4.4.4 SOP Common Module

TABLE 7-44 SOP COMMON MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
SOP Class UID	(0008,0016)	1	'1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.1'
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	1	UID root will be '1.2.840.113619.6.196'
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	'ISO_IR 100'
Instance Creation Date	(0008,0012)	3	Date when RT Image was created.
Instance Creation Time	(0008,0013)	3	Time when RT Image was created.
Instance Creator UID	(0008,0014)	3	'1.2.840.113619.6.196'
Related General SOP Class UID	(0008,001A)	3	Not generated
Original Specialized SOP Class UID	(0008,001B)	3	Not generated
Coding Scheme Identification Sequence	(0008,0110)	3	Not generated
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1	
>Coding Scheme Registry	(0008,0112)	1C	
>Coding Scheme UID	(0008,010C)	1C	
>Coding Scheme External ID	(0008,0114)	2C	
>Coding Scheme Name	(0008,0115)	3	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Coding Scheme Responsible Organization	(0008,0116)	3	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Timezone Offset From UTC	(0008,0201)	3	Not generated
Contributing Equipment Sequence	(0018,A001)	3	Not generated
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	1	
>Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	
>Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	
>Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	
>Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	
>Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	
>Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	
>Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	
>Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	
>Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	
>Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	
>Contribution DateTime	(0018,A002)	3	
>Contribution Description	(0018,A003)	3	
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	See 3.4.6.1 General Image Module
SOP Instance Status	(0100,0410)	3	Not generated
SOP Authorization Date and Time	(0100,0420)	3	Not generated
SOP Authorization Comment	(0100,0424)	3	Not generated
Authorization Equipment Certification Number	(0100,0426)	3	Not generated
MAC Parameters Sequence	(4FFE,0001)	3	Not generated
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>MAC Calculation Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0010)	1	
>MAC Algorithm	(0400,0015)	1	
>Data Elements Signed	(0400,0020)	1	
Digital Signatures Sequence	(FFFA,FFFA)	3	Not generated
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>Digital Signature UID	(0400,0100)	1	
>Digital Signature DateTime	(0400,0105)	1	
>Certificate Type	(0400,0110)	1	
>Certificate of Signer	(0400,0115)	1	
>Signature	(0400,0120)	1	
>Certified Timestamp Type	(0400,0305)	1C	
>Certified Timestamp	(0400,0310)	3	
>Digital Signature Purpose Code Sequence	(0400,0401)	3	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Encrypted Attributes Sequence	(0400,0500)	1C	
>Encrypted Content Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0510)	1	
>Encrypted Content	(0400,0520)	1	
Original Attributes Sequence	(0400,0561)	3	Not generated
>Source of Previous Values	(0400,0564)	2	
>Attribute Modification DateTime	(0400,0562)	1	
>Modifying System	(0400,0563)	1	
>Reason for the Attribute Modification	(0400,0565)	1	
>Modified Attributes Sequence	(0400,0550)	1	
>>Any Attribute from the main data set that was modified or removed; may include Sequence Attributes and their Items.			
HL7 Structured Document Reference Sequence	(0040,A390)	1C	Not generated
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1	
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1	
>HL7 Instance Identifier	(0040,E001)	1	
>Retrieve URI	(0040,E010)	3	

8 RT STRUCTURE SET INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

8.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM RT Structure Set IOD to represent the information included in structure sets produced by this implementation, and also specifies the requirements for the RT Structure Set IOD when being used as input to AdvantageSim MD. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

AdvantageSim MD implements the RT Structure Set IOD as a Standard Extended object, containing seven additional elements defined in the Structure Set Module (**see Section 8.4.4.1 of this document**). These attributes are:

- In the Structure Set Module, top level:
 - Couch Removal Status (0249, xxE0), indicating if the treatment couch had been removed by the AdvantageSim MD software;
 - View Layout (0249,xxE1), storing the arrangement of views;
 - Planar View Windowing (0249, xxE2), the display parameters for the 2D non-DRR views.
 - Remove Couch plane's coordinates (0249,xxE6), if the treatment couch had been removed by the AdvantageSim MD software (See (0249,xxE0)), this value stores the coordinate used for treatment couch removal on Axial view.

- In the Structure Set Module, Structure Set ROI Sequence:
 - ROI Generation Thresholds (0249,xxE3)
 - ROI Bridge Removal Pixels (0249,xxE4), storing the generation parameters for automatically generated structures.
 - Auto-segmentation description (0249,xxE8) storing generation description for auto-segmented structures
 - In the Referenced Frame of Reference Sequence:
 - 3D Model name (0249, xxE5), storing the unique 3D model name assigned for each series.

These attributes are provided for enhanced functionality when reading RT Structure Sets created by the AdvantageSim MD application itself. They should be ignored by SCP implementations interpreting these objects. These attributes are not required in RT Structure Sets created by SCU implementations for use in AdvantageSim MD.

8.2 RT STRUCTURE SET IOD IMPLEMENTATION

This section defines the implementation of the RT Structure Set information object in the AdvantageSim MD application. It refers to the DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions).

In the following tables, notes are provided for when AdvantageSim MD is acting as a producer of objects (SCU), and a consumer of objects (SCP). Notes in UPPER CASE LETTERS represent restrictions on object contents imposed by AdvantageSim MD when acting as an SCP (object consumer).

8.2.1 AdvantageSim MD Mapping of DICOM entities

DICOM entities map to the AdvantageSim MD entities in the following manner:

DICOM	AdvantageSim MD
Patient Entity	Patient Entity
Study Entity	Examination Entity
Series Entity	Series Entity
Equipment Entity	Workstation on which AdvantageSim MD application is running
Structure Set	AdvantageSim MD geometric information relating to defined structures and markers

8.3 RT STRUCTURE SET IOD MODULE TABLE

Within an entity of the DICOM RT Structure Set Information Object Definition, attributes are grouped into related set of attributes. A set of related attributes is termed a module. A module facilitates the understanding of the semantics concerning the attributes and how the attributes are related with each other. A module grouping does not infer any encoding of information into datasets.

TABLE 8-4 identifies the defined modules within the entities, which comprise the DICOM RT Structure Set Information Object Definition. Modules are identified by Module Name.

See DICOM Standard Part 3 for a complete definition of the entities, modules, and attributes.

TABLE 8-4 RT STRUCTURE SET INFORMATION OBJECT DEFINITION (IOD) MODULE TABLE

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	8.4.1
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	8.4.2
	Patient Study	Not used	N/A
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	RT Series	Used	8.4.3.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	8.4.3.2
Structure Set	Structure Set	Used	8.4.4.1
	ROI Contour	Used	8.4.4.2
	RT ROI Observations	Used	8.4.4.3
	Approval	Not used	N/A
	SOP Common	Used	8.4.4.4

8.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities and modules contained within the RT Structure Set Information Object.

Note: The elements that are not listed in tables will not be present in generated images.

8.4.1 Patient Entity Modules

TABLE 8-45 PATIENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient's Name	(0010,0010)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: NON-NULL VALUE REQUIRED BY ADVANTAGESIM MD FOR SAFE PATIENT IDENTIFICATION
Patient ID	(0010,0020)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: NON-NULL VALUE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED FOR SAFE PATIENT
Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty. SCP: Used
Patient's Birth Date	(0010,0030)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used <i>Note: On AW 4.6 may be used for database key if non-null. Use of identical value to that found in acquisition images is recommended</i>
Patient's Sex	(0010,0040)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used. Use of identical value to that found in acquisition images is recommended <i>Note: On AW 4.6 may be used for database key if non-null.</i>
Referenced Patient Sequence	(0008,1120)	3	Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Patient's Birth Time	(0010,0032)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images. SCP: Used. Use of identical value to that found in acquisition images is recommended On AW 4.6 may be used for database key if non-null.
Other Patient IDs	(0010,1000)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images if not empty SCP: Used
Other Patient IDs Sequence	(0010,1002)	3	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
>Patient ID	(0010,0020)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
> Include Table 3-4 ISSUER OF PATIENT ID MACRO			SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
>Type of Patient ID	(0010,0022)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
Other Patient Names	(0010,1001)	3	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Ethnic Group	(0010,2160)	3	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient Comments	(0010,4000)	3	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Patient Species Description	(0010,2201)	1C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Patient Species Code Sequence	(0010,2202)	1C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Patient Breed Description	(0010,2292)	2C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Patient Breed Code Sequence	(0010,2293)	2C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Breed Registration Sequence	(0010,2294)	2C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
>Breed Registration Number	(0010,2295)	1	
>Breed Registry Code Sequence	(0010,2296)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Responsible Person	(0010,2297)	2C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Responsible Person Role	(0010,2298)	1C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Responsible Organization	(0010,2299)	2C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
Patient Identity Removed	(0012,0062)	3	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
De-identification Method	(0012,0063)	1C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
De-identification Method Code Sequence	(0012,0064)	1C	SCU: not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

8.4.2 General Study Entity Modules

TABLE 8-46 GENERAL STUDY MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Study Instance UID	(0020,000D)	1	SCU: Duplicated from input images SCP: Used
Study Date	(0008,0020)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length SCP: Used
Study Time	(0008,0030)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			SCP: Used
Referring Physician's Name	(0008,0090)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length SCP: Used
Referring Physician Identification Sequence	(0008,0096)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Study ID	(0020,0010)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images (must be present in those images - see 3.4.2.1) SCP: Required
Accession Number	(0008,0050)	2	SCU: Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise zero-length SCP: Used
Study Description	(0008,1030)	3	SCU: If IHE compatibility option set then duplicated from input images, otherwise not generated. SCP: Used
Physician(s) of Record	(0008,1048)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Physician(s) of Record Identification Sequence	(0008,1049)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Name of Physician(s) Reading Study	(0008,1060)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Physician(s) Reading Study Identification Sequence	(0008,1062)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Person Identification Macro'			
Referenced Study Sequence	(0008,1110)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Procedure Code Sequence	(0008,1032)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			

8.4.3 Series Entity Modules

8.4.3.1 RT Series

TABLE 8-47: RT SERIES MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Modality	(0008,0060)	1	SCU: 'RTSTRUCT' SCP: Must be 'RTSTRUCT' (DICOM requirement)
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	SCU: New generated if the saved RT Plan/RTSS pair is not a modification of an existing RT Plan/RTSS pair.

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			If an existing RTSS was loaded and the reference was changed to a CT series belonging to a different patient than the original reference series, new Series Instance UID is generated for the new RTSS. Otherwise the same Series Instance UID kept as the RTSS was using. SCP: Used.
Series Number	(0020,0011)	2	SCU: Generated: '103' SCP: Used for display if non-null
Series Description	(0008,103E)	3	SCU: Generated: 'AdvantageSim RT Structure Sets' SCP: Used for display if provided
Operator's Name	(0008,1070)	2	SCU: Name of the operator defined at the last plan save SCP: Not used
Referenced Performed Procedure Step Sequence	(0008,1111)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Request Attributes Sequence	(0040,0275)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Request Attributes Macro'			
Include 'Performed Procedure Step Summary Macro'			SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used

8.4.3.2 General Equipment Module

TABLE 8-48: GENERAL EQUIPMENT MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	2	SCU: 'GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS' SCP: Used to determine system creating object and for display, if non-null (recommended for clear identification of creating system)
Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	SCU: <station hostname> SCP: Not used
Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	SCU: 'Advantage Sim' SCP: Used to determine system creating object and for display, if provided (recommended for clear identification of creating system)
Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	SCU: <station host ID>

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			SCP: Not used
Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	SCU: 9.0-<subversion>.<build> SCP: Used to determine system creating object and for display, if provided (recommended for clear identification of creating system)
Gantry ID	(0018,1008)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Pixel Padding Value	(0028,0120)	1C	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used

8.4.4 Structure Set Entity Modules

8.4.4.1 Structure Set

TABLE 8-49: STRUCTURE SET MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Structure Set Label	(3006,0002)	1	SCU: Equal to comment entered when saving AdvantageSim MD Plan, truncated to 16 characters SCP: Used for display and object identification
Structure Set Name	(3006,0004)	3	SCU: Equal to comment entered when saving AdvantageSim MD Plan (non-truncated) SCP: Used for display and object identification
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	SCU: Always provided by AdvantageSim MD SCP: Used for display if provided
Structure Set Date	(3006,0008)	2	SCU: Date at moment object was saved SCP: Used for display if non-null
Structure Set Time	(3006,0009)	2	SCU: Time at moment object was saved SCP: Used for display if non-null
Couch Removal St (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxE0)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing whether or not scanner couch has been removed by the AdvantageSim MD software. Enumerated values: PRESENT, AUTO, AUTO_MP, CLASSIC, PLANE, PLANE_MP. SCP: Used for automatic removal of treatment couch, if present. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent, user will be asked if treatment couch is to be removed).
View Layout (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxE1)	3	SCU: GE private attribute of 4 or 8 values specifying view types of upper left, upper right, lower left, and lower right AdvantageSim MD views (in that order). Defined terms: "EMPTY", "3D", "AXIAL", "SAGITTAL", "CORONAL", "OBLIQUE",

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			"PROFILE", "CURVED". SCP: Used to initialize view layout. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent, default AdvantageSim MD view layout will be used).
Planar View Windowing (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxE2)	3	SCU: GE private attribute (W, L) specifying window width (centered on window level) and window level in Hounsfield Units for planar AdvantageSim MD views. SCP: Used to set initial W/L after loading RT Structure Set. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent, default AdvantageSim MD W/L will be used).
Remove Couch coordinates of the 'plane'	(0249,xxE6)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing the coordinates of the plane used for couch removal on the Axial view. SCP: Used to remove the treatment couch when loading RT Structure Set. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent a warning will be displayed to remove the couch manually).
Referenced Frame of Reference Sequence	(3006,0010)	3	SCU: Sequence may contain one or more items, corresponding to the frame of reference of the modality images (CT, MR and PET) SCP: MUST CONTAIN ONE OR MORE ITEMS, EXACTLY ONE OF EACH WHICH MUST BE REFERENCED BY ALL ROIS
>Frame of Reference UID	(0020,0052)	1C	SCU: Duplicated from input images if present in those images, otherwise a unique UID will be created by AdvantageSim MD SCP: FOR THE ITEM REFERENCED BY ROIS, MUST CORRESPOND TO FRAME OF REFERENCE UID (0020,0052) OF ACQUISITION IMAGES
>RT Referenced Study Sequence	(3006,0012)	3	SCU: Sequence can contain one or more items, corresponding to the Studies containing the loaded modality images (CT/MR/PET). SCP: MUST CONTAIN ONE OR MORE ITEMS, EXACTLY ONE OF EACH WHICH MUST BE REFERENCED BY ROIS
>>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	SCU: Always provided SCP: Not used
>>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	SCU: Always provided SCP: Not used
>>RT Referenced Series Sequence	(3006,0014)	1C	SCU: Sequence can contain one or more items, corresponding to the Series containing the loaded modality images (CT/MR/PET) SCP: FOR THE ITEM REFERENCED BY ROIS, MUST CORRESPOND TO CT IMAGE SERIES. AdvantageSim MD will load all the referenced series from the RT Structure Set.
>>>Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1C	SCU: Always provided SCP: Not used
>>>3D Model Name	(0249,xxE5)	3	SCU: Stores the unique name assigned for each series of images loaded in AdvantageSim MD. SCP: Used by AdvantageSim MD to assign unique names for the loaded series and to identify the series loaded together in a 4D sequence. Unique model name will be generated if

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			it is absent. (Ex. CT1_1, CT1_2, ... , CT1_n)
>>>Contour Image Sequence	(3006,0016)	1C	<p>SCU: Sequence will contain all images used for building the corresponding patient model, even if some images, or all have no corresponding contour.</p> <p>SCP: For the RT Referenced Series Sequence item referenced by ROIs, all images will be used to construct the 3D model used as reference, even if they do not contain a contour.</p> <p>All the RT Referenced Series Sequence items will be loaded into AdvantageSim MD, if they comply with other rules.</p> <p>AT LEAST FIVE IMAGE ITEMS MUST BE PROVIDED. SPACING BETWEEN IMAGES IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED TO BE LESS THAN 10 MM FOR ADEQUATE 3D MODEL RECONSTRUCTION</p>
>>>>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	<p>SCU: Always equal to CT, MR or PET Image SOP Class</p> <p>SCP: Must be equal to CT, MR or PET Image SOP Class</p>
>>>>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	<p>SCU: Always provided</p> <p>SCP: Required by AdvantageSim MD to locate referenced images in AW database.</p>
Structure Set ROI Sequence	(3006,0020)	3	<p>SCU: Always provided unless there have been no structures defined in AdvantageSim MD, in which case the sequence will be absent. There is no practical limit of the number of items in AdvantageSim MD.</p> <p>SCP: There is no practical limit to the number of items in AdvantageSim MD. This sequence may also be absent (no structures/markers defined).</p>
>ROI Number	(3006,0022)	1	<p>SCU: AdvantageSim MD will number structures in increasing numeric order, starting from 1, as they are found in the plan</p> <p>SCP: Used to uniquely identify ROI when referenced by ROI Contour and RT ROI Observations Modules (DICOM requirement). Used to uniquely identify AdvantageSim MD structures and markers if ROI Name is invalid or not supplied</p>
>Referenced Frame of Reference UID	(3006,0024)	1	<p>SCU: Equal to Frame of Reference UID (0020,0052) above</p> <p>SCP: MUST BE EQUAL TO EXACTLY ONE FRAME OF REFERENCE UID (0020,0052) IN REFERENCED FRAME OF REFERENCE SEQUENCE (3006,0010). ALL ROIS MUST REFERENCE THE SAME FRAME OF REFERENCE</p>
>ROI Name	(3006,0026)	2	<p>SCU: Equal to AdvantageSim MD structure name</p> <p>SCP: Used for AdvantageSim MD structure or marker name if a valid non-duplicate name, otherwise ROI Number is used to uniquely identify ROI in AdvantageSim MD</p>
>ROI Generation Algorithm	(3006,0036)	2	<p>SCU: Provided the corresponding structure creation method (MANUAL, SEMIAUTOMATIC and AUTOMATIC) if interoperability option is set otherwise let it empty</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>ROI Generation Thresholds (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxE3)	3	<p>SCU: GE private attribute (HI,Hu) representing lower and upper Hounsfield Number thresholds used for automatic contouring of this structure. Attribute will be absent if</p>

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			structure was not contoured automatically. SCP: Used to set default structure contouring thresholds for this structure. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent, default thresholds will be used).
>ROI Bridge Removal Pixels (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxE4)	3	SCU: GE private attribute representing size in pixels of bridges to be removed during automatic contouring. Attribute will be absent if structure was not contoured automatically. Value of zero indicates remove bridges option was Not used SCP: Used to set default structure remove bridges value for this structure. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent, no bridge removal will be assumed).
Autosegmentation description	(0249,xxE8)	3	SCU: GE private attribute representing the description about the auto-segmentation.

8.4.4.2 ROI Contour Module

TABLE 8-50: ROI CONTOUR MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
ROI Contour Sequence	(3006,0039)	1	SCU: Sequence will always contain all the structures defined in the Structure Set Module, in the same sequential order. Sequence will also contain all general and beam markers as POINT Contour Geometric Type (3006,0042) and MARKER RT ROI Interpreted Type (3006,00A4). The sequence will be saved empty if no structures, general markers and beam markers defined. Even if the sequence is empty, the RTSS is used to track the referenced images for the RT Plan. Saving the empty sequence is an intended non-conformance to the DICOM standard. SCP: Multiple contours on slices (bifurcation or multi-part structures), and slices without contours are permitted. Each item corresponds to an ROI defined in the Structure Set ROI Sequence (3006, 0020). The ROI Contour Sequence (3006, 0039) can be zero-length if no structure or general marker or beam marker defined for the corresponding plan.
>Referenced ROI Number	(3006,0084)	1	SCU: Always provided SCP: Must correspond to exactly one ROI Number (3006,0022) in Structure Set ROI Sequence (3006,0020) (DICOM requirement)
>ROI Display Color	(3006,002A)	3	SCU: Contains RGB values corresponding to color used for displaying contour in AdvantageSim MD application SCP: If RGB values correspond to AdvantageSim MD color, AdvantageSim MD color is used, otherwise "nearest" AdvantageSim MD color is used.
>Contour Sequence	(3006,0040)	3	SCU: Provided if ROI has contours, which have been defined by AdvantageSim MD, otherwise sequence will not be transmitted SCP: Sequence may be absent if no contours have been defined

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>>Contour Number	(3006,0048)	3	SCU: Not used SCP: Not used
>>Attached Contours	(3006,0049)	3	SCU: Not used SCP: Not used
>>Contour Image Sequence	(3006,0016)	3	SCU: Sequence will always contain exactly one item (referenced CT image) SCP: Sequence can contain one or more items. Contours without a Contour Image Sequence (3006,0016) (i.e. not attached to an acquisition slice) are not used by AdvantageSim MD.
>>>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1	SCU: Always provided SCP: Not used
>>>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1	SCU: Always provided SCP: Used to locate acquisition image in order to verify consistency of contour z coordinates.
>>Contour Geometric Type	(3006,0042)	1	SCU: 'CLOSED_PLANAR' for structures, 'POINT' for markers SCP: STRUCTURES WITH CONTOURS OTHER THAN 'CLOSED_PLANAR' AND MARKERS OTHER THAN 'POINT' WILL NOT BE USED BY AdvantageSim MD
>>Contour Slab Thickness	(3006,0044)	3	SCU: For structures, equal to the sum of the zplus and zminus half thickness in AdvantageSim MD. Not provided for markers SCP: Not used (slab thickness calculated from acquisition slice)
>>Number of Contour Points	(3006,0046)	1	SCU: In AdvantageSim MD there is no limit imposed on the number of points in a contour shape SCP: 'CLOSED_PLANAR' CONTOURS MUST HAVE THREE OR MORE POINTS
>>Contour Data	(3006,0050)	1	SCU: Z coordinate of contour data is the Z coordinate of referenced slices. Coordinates are in DICOM coordinate system, not Voxtool RAS coordinate system. Marker positions in AdvantageSim MD are not restricted to lie on acquisition slices, and therefore their Z coordinate may take any value. SCP: Contour is projected onto voxel plane of AdvantageSim MD 3D model, which is closest to the Contour Data Z coordinates. THESE Z COORDINATES MUST LIE WITHIN THE SLICE THICKNESS OF THE ACQUISITION SLICE REFERENCED IN THE CONTOUR IMAGE SEQUENCE (3006,0016)

8.4.4.3 RT ROI Observations

TABLE 8-51: RT ROI OBSERVATIONS MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
RT ROI Observations Sequence	(3006,0080)	1	SCU: Sequence can have zero or more items and contains all the structures and markers defined in the Structure Set Module, in the same sequential order. There is no limit to the number of items only to the number of structures. The sequence will be saved empty if no structures, general markers and beam

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			markers defined. Even if the sequence is empty, the RTSS is used to track the referenced images for the RTPlan. Saving the empty sequence is an intended non-conformance to the DICOM standard. SCP: Each item corresponds to an ROI defined in the Structure Set ROI Sequence (3006,0020). If none of the structures in the RT Structure Set have defined contours, then RT ROI Observations Sequence (3006,0080) is zero-length
>Observation Number	(3006,0082)	1	SCU: AdvantageSim MD will number observations in increasing numeric order, starting from 1 (i.e. Observation Number will correspond to ROI Number) SCP: Not used
>Referenced ROI Number	(3006,0084)	1	SCU: Always provided SCP: Must correspond to exactly one ROI Number (3006,0022) in Structure Set ROI Sequence (3006,0020) (DICOM requirement)
>ROI Observation Label	(3006,0085)	3	SCU: Equal to AdvantageSim MD structure name, truncated to 16 characters SCP: Not used
>RT ROI Interpreted Type	(3006,00A4)	2	SCU: Supported types are EXTERNAL, PTV, CTV, GTV, AVOIDANCE, ORGAN, CONTRAST_AGENT, CAVITY, and MARKER. Will be zero-length if Structure Type is UNKNOWN in AdvantageSim MD SCP: ROIs with an Interpreted Type of ISOCENTER will be converted to MARKER. ROIs with an Interpreted Type other than ISOCENTER or those in the above list will be converted to UNKNOWN
>ROI Interpreter	(3006,00A6)	2	SCU: Zero-length SCP: Not used

8.4.4.4 SOP Common Module

TABLE 8-52 SOP COMMON MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
SOP Class UID	(0008,0016)	1	SCU: '1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3' SCP: Must be equal to '1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3' (DICOM requirement)
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	1	SCU: UID root will be '1.2.840.113619.6.196' SCP: Used to verify association with RT Plans
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	SCU: 'ISO_IR 100' SCP: Specific Character Sets other than 'ISO_IR 100' are not handled explicitly by AdvantageSim MD
Instance Creation Date	(0008,0012)	3	SCU: Same as Structure Set Date (3006,0008) SCP: Not used
Instance Creation Time	(0008,0013)	3	SCU: Same as Structure Set Time (3006,0009)

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			SCP: Not used
Instance Creator UID	(0008,0014)	3	SCU: '1.2.840.113619.6.196' SCP: If Instance Creator UID corresponds to a version of AdvantageSim MD, then it is used to prevent loading of old-format RT Structure Sets, otherwise not used
Related General SOP Class UID	(0008,001A)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Original Specialized SOP Class UID	(0008,001B)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Coding Scheme Identification Sequence	(0008,0110)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1	
>Coding Scheme Registry	(0008,0112)	1C	
>Coding Scheme UID	(0008,010C)	1C	
>Coding Scheme External ID	(0008,0114)	2C	
>Coding Scheme Name	(0008,0115)	3	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Coding Scheme Responsible Organization	(0008,0116)	3	
Timezone Offset From UTC	(0008,0201)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Contributing Equipment Sequence	(0018,A001)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	1	
>Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	
>Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	
>Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	
>Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	
>Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	
>Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	
>Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	
>Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	
>Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	
>Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	
>Contribution DateTime	(0018,A002)	3	
>Contribution Description	(0018,A003)	3	
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	See 8.4.4.1 Structure Set
SOP Instance Status	(0100,0410)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
SOP Authorization Date and Time	(0100,0420)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
SOP Authorization Comment	(0100,0424)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Authorization Equipment Certification Number	(0100,0426)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
MAC Parameters Sequence	(4FFE,0001)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>MAC Calculation Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0010)	1	
>MAC Algorithm	(0400,0015)	1	
>Data Elements Signed	(0400,0020)	1	
Digital Signatures Sequence	(FFFA,FFFA)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>Digital Signature UID	(0400,0100)	1	
>Digital Signature DateTime	(0400,0105)	1	
>Certificate Type	(0400,0110)	1	
>Certificate of Signer	(0400,0115)	1	
>Signature	(0400,0120)	1	
>Certified Timestamp Type	(0400,0305)	1C	
>Certified Timestamp	(0400,0310)	3	
>Digital Signature Purpose Code Sequence	(0400,0401)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Encrypted Attributes Sequence	(0400,0500)	1C	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Encrypted Content Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0510)	1	
>Encrypted Content	(0400,0520)	1	
Original Attributes Sequence	(0400,0561)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Source of Previous Values	(0400,0564)	2	
>Attribute Modification DateTime	(0400,0562)	1	
>Modifying System	(0400,0563)	1	
>Reason for the Attribute Modification	(0400,0565)	1	
>Modified Attributes Sequence	(0400,0550)	1	
>>Any Attribute from the main data set that was modified or removed; may include Sequence Attributes and their Items.			
HL7 Structured Document Reference	(0040,A390)	1C	SCU: Not generated

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Sequence			SCP: Not used
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1	
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1	
>HL7 Instance Identifier	(0040,E001)	1	
>Retrieve URI	(0040,E010)	3	

8.5 PRIVATE DATA DICTIONARY FOR RT STRUCTURE SET

Private Creator Identification GEMS_RTEN_01

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM
Couch Removal Status	(0249,xxE0)	CS	1
View Layout	(0249,xxE1)	CS	4,8
Planar View Windowing	(0249,xxE2)	IS	2
ROI Generation Thresholds	(0249,xxE3)	IS	2
ROI Bridge Removal Pixels	(0249,xxE4)	IS	1
3D Model Name	(0249,xxE5)	CS	1
Remove Couch Coordinate	(0249,xxE6)	CS	1
Autosegmentation description	(0249,xxE8)	LO	1

9 RT PLAN INFORMATION OBJECT IMPLEMENTATION

9.1 INTRODUCTION

This section specifies the use of the DICOM RT Plan IOD to represent the information included in plans produced by this implementation, and also specifies the requirements for the RT Plan IOD when being used as input to AdvantageSim MD. Corresponding attributes are conveyed using the module construct.

AdvantageSim MD implements the RT Plan IOD as a Standard Extended object, containing three additional elements defined in the RT General Plan Module (see Section 9.4.3.1), one additional element in the RT Patient Setup Module (see Section 9.4.3.2), and eight additional elements in the RT Beams module (see Section 9.4.3.3).

These twelve attributes are:

- In the RT General Plan Module:
- Macro List (0249,xxF1), storing lists of presets and macros used in the AdvantageSim MD application;
- Print Preferences (0249,xxF3), storing the default settings for the AdvantageSim MD print function;
- Treatment Device Conventions (0249,xxF4), storing the conventions (IEC-1217 or machine-based) used when displaying beam angles and collimator jaws.
- In the RT Patient Setup Module:
- Patient Scanned Position (0249,xxF2), storing a copy of the Patient Position (0018,5100) in the acquisition images.

In the RT Beams Module:

- Referenced Machine SOP Class UID (0249,xxC0), and Referenced Machine SOP Instance UID (0249,xxC1) of the GE Private DICOM Treatment Machine object used for the beam;
- Group Name (0249,xx51) and Group Properties (0249,xx52), properties of the AdvantageSim MD beam group;
- Associated Markers (0249,xxCA), the list of RT Structure Set markers, which are related to the current beam;
- Beam Limiting Device Mode (0249,xxF5), the operating mode of the collimator for the current beam.
- DRR Settings (0249,xxF6), the current DRR settings for the current beam;
- Conformation Algorithm (0249,xxF7), the conformation algorithm used for the current beam.

These attributes are provided for enhanced functionality when reading RT Plans created by the AdvantageSim MD application itself. They should be ignored by SCP implementations interpreting these objects. These attributes are not required in RT Plans created by SCU implementations for use in AdvantageSim MD.

9.2 RT PLAN IOD IMPLEMENTATION

This section defines the implementation of the RT Plan information object in the AdvantageSim MD application. It refers to the DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions).

In the following tables, notes are provided for when AdvantageSim MD is acting as a producer of objects (SCU), and a consumer of objects (SCP). Notes in UPPER CASE LETTERS represent restrictions on object contents imposed by AdvantageSim MD when acting as an SCP (object consumer).

9.2.1 AdvantageSim MD Mapping of DICOM entities

DICOM entities map to the AdvantageSim MD entities in the following manner:

DICOM	AdvantageSim MD
Patient Entity	Patient Entity
Study Entity	Examination Entity
Series Entity	Series Entity
Equipment Entity	Workstation on which AdvantageSim MD application is running
Plan Entity	AdvantageSim MD geometric information related to defined beams

9.3 RT PLAN IOD MODULE TABLE

Within an entity of the DICOM RT Plan Information Object Definition, attributes are grouped into related set of attributes. A set of related attributes is termed a module. A module facilitates the understanding of the semantics concerning the attributes and how the attributes are related with each other. A module grouping does not infer any encoding of information into datasets.

Table 9-55 RT PLAN IOD MODULE TABLE identifies the defined modules within the entities, which comprise the DICOM RT Plan Information Object Definition. Modules are identified by Module Name. See DICOM Standard Part 3 for a complete definition of the entities, modules, and attributes.

TABLE 9-53: RT PLAN IOD MODULE TABLE

Entity Name	Module Name	Usage	Reference
Patient	Patient	Used	8.4.1
	Clinical Trial Subject	Not used	N/A
Study	General Study	Used	8.4.2
	Patient Study	Not used	N/A
	Clinical Trial Study	Not used	N/A
Series	RT Series	Used	9.4.1.1
	Clinical Trial Series	Not used	N/A
Equipment	General Equipment	Used	8.4.3.2
Frame Of Reference	Frame Of Reference	Used	9.4.2
Plan	RT General Plan	Used	9.4.3.1
	RT Prescription	Not used	N/A
	RT Tolerance Tables	Not used	N/A
	RT Patient Setup	Used	9.4.3.2
	RT Fraction Scheme	Not used	N/A
	RT Beams	Used	9.4.3.3
	RT Brachy Application Setups	Not used	N/A
	Approval	Used	9.4.3.4
SOP Common	Used	9.4.3.5	

9.4 INFORMATION MODULE DEFINITIONS

Please refer to DICOM Standard Part 3 (Information Object Definitions) for a description of each of the entities and modules contained within the RT Plan Information Object.

Note: The elements that are not listed in tables will not be present in generated images.

9.4.1 Series Entity Modules

9.4.1.1 RT Series

TABLE 9-54: RT SERIES MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Modality	(0008,0060)	1	SCU: 'RTPLAN' SCP: Must be 'RTPLAN' (DICOM requirement)
Series Instance UID	(0020,000E)	1	SCU: New generated if the saved RT Plan/RTSS pair is not a modification of an existing RT Plan/RTSS pair. If an existing RTPlan of RTSS was loaded and the reference was changed to a CT series belonging to a different patient than the original reference series, new Series Instance UID is generated for the new RT Plan/RTSS. Otherwise the same Series Instance UID kept as the RT Plan was using. SCP: Used
Series Number	(0020,0011)	2	SCU: Generated: '105' SCP: Used for display if non-null
Series Description	(0008,103E)	3	SCU: Generated: 'AdvantageSim RT Plans' SCP: Used for display if provided
Operator's Name	(0008,1070)	2	SCU: Name of the operator defined at last plan save. SCP: Used for display if not empty.
Referenced Performed Procedure Step Sequence	(0008,1111)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'SOP Instance Reference Macro'			
Request Attributes Sequence	(0040,0275)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Include 'Request Attributes Macro'			
Include 'Performed Procedure Step Summary Macro'			SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used

9.4.2 Frame Of Reference Module

This module is sent only if interoperability option is set.

TABLE 9-55: FRAME OF REFERENCE MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Frame Of Reference UID	(0020,0052)	1	SCU: Provided the frame of reference UID of reference series only if interoperability option set

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			SCP: Not used
Position Reference Indicator	(0020,1040)	2	SCU: Provided as empty only if interoperability option set SCP: Not Used

9.4.3 Plan Entity Modules

9.4.3.1 RT General Plan Module

TABLE 9-56: RT GENERAL PLAN MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
RT Plan Label	(300A,0002)	1	SCU: Equal to comment entered when saving AdvantageSim MD Plan, truncated to 16 characters SCP: Used for display and object identification
RT Plan Name	(300A,0003)	3	SCU: Equal to comment entered when saving AdvantageSim MD Plan (non-truncated) SCP: Used for display and object identification
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	SCU: Always provided by AdvantageSim MD SCP: Used for display if provided
RT Plan Date	(300A,0006)	2	SCU: Date at moment object was saved SCP: Used for display if non-null
RT Plan Time	(300A,0007)	2	SCU: Time at moment object was saved SCP: Used for display if non-null
RT Plan Geometry	(300A,000C)	1	SCU: 'PATIENT' SCP: if it is 'PATIENT' AdvantageSim MD will load the RT Plan with the referenced RTSS and series. If it is 'TREATMENT DEVICE', then the RT Structure Set object must be loaded first, then the RT Plan object from Utilities/Load Plan.
Referenced Structure Set Sequence	(300C,0060)	1C	SCU: Sequence will always contain exactly one item, referencing RT Structure Set saved at same time as Plan SCP: When RT Plan Geometry is 'PATIENT' AdvantageSim MD requires an RT Structure Set based on CT data. Not used when RT Plan Geometry is 'TREATMENT DEVICE' (Ex. Helax and ADAC RT Plan)
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1C	SCU: '1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3' (RT Structure Set) SCP: Must be '1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.3' (RT Structure Set)
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1C	SCU: References RT Structure Set instance associated with current plan. In AdvantageSim MD RT Structure Set and RT Plan instances are always saved as a pair (even when there are no beams defined) SCP: Must be specified referenced RT Structure set upon RT Plan based on
DRR Preset List (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxF0)	3	SCU: Not used SCP: Not used

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Macro List (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxF1)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing list of macros that will be available in the AdvantageSim MD application. SCP: Not required by AdvantageSim MD. If present, used to initialize macro list. Should not be provided by non-GE implementations.
Print Preferences (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxF3)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing preferences (defaults) when printing from the AdvantageSim MD application. SCP: Not required by AdvantageSim MD. If present, used to initialize printing function. Should not be provided by non-GE implementations.
Treatment Device Conventions (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxF4)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing default treatment angle and collimator conventions when plan is loaded into AdvantageSim MD. Enumerated values: [Frame7] SCP: Not required by AdvantageSim MD. If present, used to initialize default treatment conventions.

9.4.3.2 RT Patient Setup Module

TABLE 9-57: RT PATIENT SETUP MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Patient Setup Sequence	(300A,0180)	1	SCU: Sequence will always contain exactly one item SCP: Sequence may contain one or more items. ALL BEAMS IN BEAM SEQUENCE (300A,00B0) MUST REFERENCE THE SAME PATIENT SETUP NUMBER (300A,0182).
>Patient Setup Number	(300A,0182)	1	SCU: 1 SCP: Used to uniquely identify Patient Setup referenced by beams.
>Patient Position	(0018,5100)	1C	SCU: Treatment position filled with the patient orientation of CT images used to build patient model. <i>Note: Starting from AdvantageSim MD 9 the flipping for treatment is not supported anymore.</i> SCP: NON-NULL VALUE REQUIRED. PATIENT POSITION MUST BE THE SAME AS PATIENT POSITION DEFINED IN CT IMAGES. IF CT IMAGE PATIENT POSITION IS NOT DEFINED (DEFAULTS TO 'HFS'), PATIENT POSITION MUST BE 'HFS' HERE.
>Patient Setup Technique	(300A,01B0)	3	SCU: Provided the user selected setup technique only if interoperability option is set. One of the following enumeration may be included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ISOCENTRIC ▪ FIXED_SSD ▪ TBI ▪ BREAST_BRIDGE ▪ SKIN_APPOSITION SCP: not used
>Patient Scanned Position (GE private attribute)	(0249, xxF2)	3	SCU: GE private attribute specifying position in which patient was scanned. Strictly equal to value of

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			attribute Patient Position (0018, 5100) in referenced acquisition images. Provided to allow applications reading RT Plan only to correctly transform patient into room coordinate system. SCP: Not required by AdvantageSim MD. If present, verified as being same as value of Patient Position (0018, 5100) in referenced acquisition images.

9.4.3.3 RT Beams Module

TABLE 9-58: RT BEAMS MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Beam Sequence	(300A,00B0)	1	SCU: Always provided unless no beams have been defined in AdvantageSim MD, in which case the entire module will be absent SCP: Sequence may be absent, in which case only Patient Setup information will be used
>Beam Number	(300A,00C0)	1	SCU: AdvantageSim MD will number beams in increasing numeric order, starting from 1, as they are found in the Plan SCP: Used to uniquely identify beams if Beam Name is invalid or not supplied.
>Beam Name	(300A,00C2)	3	SCU: Equal to AdvantageSim MD beam name SCP: Used for AdvantageSim MD Beam Name if provided and valid. IF PROVIDED, BEAM NAME (300A,00C2) MUST BE UNIQUE WITHIN BEAM SEQUENCE (300A,00B0). If not provided, Beam Number (300A,00C0) is used to uniquely identify Beam in AdvantageSim MD.
>Beam Type	(300A,00C4)	1	SCU: 'STATIC' SCP: MUST BE 'STATIC'
>Radiation Type	(300A,00C6)	2	SCU: Zero-length if not defined for current beam, otherwise 'PHOTON' or 'ELECTRON' SCP: MUST BE ZERO-LENGTH (NO MODALITY DEFINED), 'PHOTON' OR 'ELECTRON'. BLOCKS MUST NOT BE DEFINED FOR BEAMS WITH ZERO-LENGTH RADIATION TYPE.
>Treatment Machine Name	(300A,00B2)	2	SCU: Name of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD. If treatment machine has not been defined in AdvantageSim MD for one or more beams, it will not be possible to save the plan. SCP: Used to find treatment machine in AdvantageSim MD machine database, if GE private attributes Referenced Machine SOP Class UID (0249,xxC0) and Referenced Machine SOP Instance UID (0249,xxC1) are not defined. AdvantageSim MD uses treatment machine with the same name (converted to lowercase) and the highest-numbered machine suffix. IF ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE DOES NOT EXIST, RT PLAN WILL BE REJECTED.

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Referenced Machine SOP Class UID (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxC0)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing private (GE) SOP Class of treatment machine used to define current beam. Equal to '1.2.840.113619.4.5.251'. SCP: Used for uniquely determining AdvantageSim MD treatment machine associated with current beam. If this attribute is absent, Treatment Machine Name is used for this purpose.
>Referenced Machine SOP Instance UID (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxC1)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing SOP Instance of treatment machine used to define current beam. SCP: Used for uniquely determining AdvantageSim MD treatment machine associated with current beam. If this attribute is absent, Treatment Machine Name is used for this purpose.
>Group Name (GE private attribute)	(0249,xx51)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing name of AdvantageSim MD beam group containing current beam. SCP: Used for grouping beams if provided, otherwise placed in a default AdvantageSim MD beam group, having properties of isocenters unlinked and not equal angles.
>Group Properties (GE private attribute)	(0249,xx52)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing properties of AdvantageSim MD beam group containing current beam. One or more values can be included. Defined Terms: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ EQUAL_ANGLES ▪ COMM_ISOCENTER SCP: Used for grouping beams if provided, otherwise placed in a default AdvantageSim MD beam group. IF DEFINED, PROPERTIES MUST BE THE SAME FOR ALL BEAMS IN THE GROUP.
>Associated Markers (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxCA)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing ROI Names (3006,0026) of markers in the associated RT Structure Set, which have been defined as relating to the current beam. SCP: Used for associating markers with beams if provided, otherwise all markers are defined as normal (non-associated) markers.
>DRR Settings (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxF6)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing the DRR settings for the current beam. Format: decimal values separated by '\'. Values: 'DRR state'\Low Density Mix Coef.\Soft Tissue Mix Coef.\Bones Mix Coef.\Custom Mix Coef.\Custom Low Threshold'\Custom High Threshold'\Depth Control Center'\Depth Control Width'. SCP: Used for setting the DRR attributes for the current beam if provided, otherwise default settings used.
>Conformation Algorithm (GE private Attribute)	(0249,xxF7)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing the Conformation Algorithm used for the current beam. Defined Terms: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OUTSIDE ▪ INSIDE

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ HALF SCP: Used to set the Conformation Algorithm for the current beam if provided, otherwise default (OUTSIDE) is used.
>Source-Axis Distance	(300A,00B4)	3	SCU: Source-axis distance of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD SCP: MUST BE DEFINED, AND EQUAL TO SOURCE-AXIS DISTANCE SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. The requirement that this attribute be defined has been imposed to provide a check on the coherence of the critical SAD parameter.
>Beam Limiting Device Sequence	(300A,00B6)	1	SCU: Sequence will always contain two or three (add-on MLC) items SCP: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NON-MLC COLLIMATORS: SEQUENCE MUST CONTAIN EXACTLY TWO ITEMS. THE COMBINATION OF THE TWO RT BEAM LIMITING DEVICE TYPES (300A,00B8) MUST BE COMPATIBLE WITH THE COLLIMATOR TYPE SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. ▪ MLC COLLIMATORS: AS FOR NON-MLC COLLIMATORS, EXCEPT THAT SEQUENCE MAY CONTAIN TWO OR THREE ITEMS.
>>RT Beam Limiting Device Type	(300A,00B8)	1	SCU: Will be 'X', 'Y', 'ASYMX', 'ASYMY', 'MLCX' or 'MLCY', according to collimator type of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD SCP: THERE MUST BE TWO ITEMS WHICH REPRESENT MUTUALLY ORTHOGONAL JAWS
>>Number of Leaf/Jaw Pairs	(300A,00BC)	1	SCU: Will be between 1 and 200 SCP: MUST EQUAL NUMBER OF LEAF/JAW PAIRS SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE, OR SPECIAL CASE IS ACCEPTED WHEN TYPE IS MLC AND CORRESPONDING TREATMENT MACHINE TYPE IS SYM/ASYM(COMPATIBLE)
>>Leaf Position Boundaries	(300A,00BE)	2C	SCU: Provided only for 'MLCX' and 'MLCY' collimators. AdvantageSim MD supports collimators with unequal leaf widths. SCP: NON-NULL VALUE REQUIRED FOR MLCX OR MLCY COLLIMATORS. MUST EQUAL LEAF POSITION BOUNDARIES SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE, OR SPECIAL CASE IS ACCEPTED WHEN TYPE IS MLC AND CORRESPONDING TREATMENT MACHINE TYPE IS SYM/ASYM(COMPATIBLE).
>>Beam Limiting Device Mode (GE private attribute)	(0249,xxF5)	3	SCU: GE private attribute storing current "mode" of collimator jaw. Defined terms: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SYMMETRIC = Functioning as symmetric jaw pair (in the case of MLC's, all leaves on the same jaw have the same position). ▪ ASYMMETRIC = Functioning as asymmetric jaw

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			<p>pair (in the case of MLC's, all leaves on the same jaw have the same position).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MLC = Functioning in full multi-leaf mode. <p>SCP: Used for setting initial collimator mode, if present. Not required by AdvantageSim MD (if absent, default collimator mode will be used).</p>
>Referenced Patient Setup Number	(300C,006A)	3	<p>SCU: 1 (i.e. references only patient setup specified in RT Patient Setup module)</p> <p>SCP: MUST BE DEFINED, and correspond to Patient Setup Number (300A, 0182) in exactly one item of Patient Setup Sequence (300A, 0180). ALL BEAMS IN BEAM SEQUENCE (300A, 00B0) MUST REFERENCE THE SAME PATIENT SETUP NUMBER (300A, 0182).</p>
>Treatment Delivery Type	(300A,00CE)	3	<p>SCU: 'TREATMENT'</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>Number of Wedges	(300A,00D0)	1	<p>SCU: Equal to number of Wedges defined for beam in AdvantageSim MD.</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>Wedge Sequence	(300A,00D1)	1C	<p>SCU: Provided if Number of Wedges (300A,00D0) greater than 0. Number of Wedges (300A,00D0) items will be present in the sequence.</p> <p>SCP: AdvantageSim MD displays the orientation of the first wedge. No other wedge attributes are used.</p>
>>Wedge Number	(300A,00D2)	1	<p>SCU: Identification number of the wedge</p> <p>SCP: USED TO IDENTIFY THE FIRST WEDGE, WHICH WILL BE DISPLAYED.</p>
>>Wedge Type	(300A,00D3)	2	<p>SCU: Wedge type. Defined Terms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> STANDARD DYNAMIC MOTORIZED <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>>Wedge ID	(300A,00D4)	3	<p>SCU: Use supplied identifier for the wedge</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>>Wedge Angle	(300A,00D5)	2	<p>SCU: Nominal wedge angle</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>>Wedge Factor	(300A,00D6)	2	<p>SCU: Nominal wedge factor</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>>Wedge Orientation	(300A,00D8)	2	<p>SCU: Wedge Orientation</p> <p>SCP: Used to display the wedge orientation on the DRR view of the current beam</p>
>>Source To Wedge Tray Distance	(300A,00DA)	3	<p>SCU: Radiation source to wedge tray attachment edge distance</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
>Number of Compensators	(300A,00E0)	1	<p>SCU: 0</p> <p>SCP: Compensators are ignored by AdvantageSim MD</p>
>Number of Boli	(300A,00ED)	1	<p>SCU: 0</p> <p>SCP: Boli are ignored by AdvantageSim MD</p>

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Number of Blocks	(300A,00F0)	1	SCU: Equal to number of Blocks or Cutouts defined for beam in AdvantageSim MD SCP: MUST BE ZERO IF RADIATION TYPE (300A,00C6) IS ZERO-LENGTH
>Block Sequence	(300A,00F4)	1C	SCU: Provided if Number of Blocks greater than 0. Number of Blocks (300A,00F0) items will be sent. SCP: AdvantageSim MD supports both photon blocks and electron blocks (cutouts)
>>Source to Block Tray Distance	(300A,00F6)	2	SCU: Equal to Source to Block Tray Distance of machine associated with beam in AdvantageSim MD SCP: NON-NULL VALUE REQUIRED. MUST EQUAL SOURCE TO BLOCK TRAY DISTANCE SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE
>>Block Type	(300A,00F8)	1	SCU: 'SHIELDING' or 'APERTURE'. 'APERTURE' blocks or cutouts are represented by specifying the internal edge only (i.e. keyhole blocks are not explicitly modeled). SCP: Block Type is displayed in AdvantageSim MD using block or cutout color on BEV
>>Block Divergence	(300A,00FA)	2	SCU: Zero-length SCP: Not used
>>Block Number	(300A,00FC)	1	SCU: Blocks will be numbered from 1 to n in order presented in sequence SCP: Used to uniquely identify blocks or cutouts if Block Name is invalid or not supplied
>>Block Name	(300A,00FE)	3	SCU: Equal to block name entered in AdvantageSim MD SCP: Used for AdvantageSim MD Block or Cutout Name if provided and valid. IF PROVIDED, BLOCK NAME (300A,00FE) MUST BE UNIQUE WITHIN BLOCK SEQUENCE (300A,00F4). If not provided, Block Number (300A,00FC) is used to uniquely identify block or cutout in AdvantageSim MD
>>Material ID	(300A,00E1)	2	SCU: Zero-length SCP: Not used
>>Block Thickness	(300A,0100)	2C	SCU: Saved in the plan only if the environment variable AWRT_BLOCKTHICK_SEND is set. SCP: Required if Material ID (300A,00E1) is non-zero length.
>>Block Transmission	(300A,0102)	2C	SCU: Zero-length SCP: Not used
>>Block Number of Points	(300A,0104)	2	SCU: In AdvantageSim MD there is no software limit imposed on the number of points in a block shape SCP: NON-NULL VALUE REQUIRED. 3 OR MORE POINTS MUST BE PROVIDED
>>Block Data	(300A,0106)	2	SCU: In AdvantageSim MD, last data point does not coincide with first beam point (i.e. shape must be

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			closed by connecting first and last point). SCP: NON_NULL VALUE REQUIRED. Last data point is connected to first data point (DICOM specification).
>Final Cumulative Meterset Weight	(300A,010E)	1C	SCU: NOT provided if interoperability option is set otherwise with value 100 SCP: Not used
>Number of Control Points	(300A,0110)	1	SCU: 2 (static beam) SCP: CAN BE MORE THAN 2 CONTROL POINTS.
>Control Point Sequence	(300A,0111)	1	SCU: Sequence will contain exactly two items. First item will contain all relevant beam parameters. Second element will contain only the attribute Cumulative Meterset Weight (300A,0134) 100. SCP: If more than 2 control points are defined in the RT Plan, then AdvantageSim MD will load only the first control point and the remaining control points will be ignored. Second control point item is ignored.
>>Control Point Index	(300A,0112)	1	SCU: 0 for first control point, 1 for second control point SCP: Not used
>>Cumulative Meterset Weight	(300A,0134)	2	SCU: Provided as empty if interoperability option is set otherwise with value 0 for first control point, 100 for second control point SCP: Not used
>>Nominal Beam Energy	(300A,0114)	3	SCU: Provided for first control point only if beam energy defined in AdvantageSim MD, otherwise attribute not provided SCP: IF PROVIDED FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, MUST EQUAL NOMINAL BEAM ENERGY SPECIFIED FOR THE CURRENT BEAM PARTICLE TYPE IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. Not used for second control point.
>>Beam Limiting Device Position Sequence	(300A,011A)	1C	SCU: Provided for first control point only. Sequence will contain exactly two items. SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, SEQUENCE ITEMS RESTRICTED BY CONDITIONS DESCRIBED IN BEAM LIMITING DEVICE SEQUENCE (300A,00B6) ATTRIBUTE DESCRIPTION (SEE ABOVE). Not used for second control point.
>>>RT Beam Limiting Device Type	(300A,00B8)	1	SCU: Provided for first control point only. Defined terms: X, Y, ASYMX, ASYMY, MLCX, MLCY SCP: For first control point, must correspond to exactly one of Beam Limiting Device Sequence (300A,00B6) items (DICOM requirement). Not used for second control point.
>>>Leaf/Jaw Positions	(300A,011C)	1	SCU: Provided for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, LEAF/JAW POSITIONS MUST BE WITHIN JAW LIMITS OF CORRESPONDING JAW SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. Not used for second control

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			point.
>>Gantry Angle	(300A,011E)	1C	SCU: Provided for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, GANTRY ANGLE MUST BE WITHIN GANTRY ANGLE LIMITS SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. Not used for second control point.
>>Gantry Rotation Direction	(300A,011F)	1C	SCU: Provided (value 'NONE') for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, MUST BE 'NONE'. Not used for second control point.
>>Beam Limiting Device Angle	(300A,0120)	1C	SCU: Provided for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, BEAM LIMITING DEVICE (COLLIMATOR) ANGLE MUST BE WITHIN COLLIMATOR ANGLE LIMITS SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. Not used for second control point.
>>Beam Limiting Device Rotation Direction	(300A,0121)	1C	SCU: Provided (value 'NONE') for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT MUST BE 'NONE'. Not used for second control point.
>>Patient Support Angle	(300A,0122)	1C	SCU: Provided for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, PATIENT SUPPORT (TABLE) ANGLE MUST BE WITHIN TABLE ANGLE LIMITS SPECIFIED IN CORRESPONDING ADVANTAGESIM MD TREATMENT MACHINE. Not used for second control point.
>>Patient Support Rotation Direction	(300A,0123)	1C	SCU: Provided (value 'NONE') for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT MUST BE 'NONE'. Not used for second control point.
>>Table Top Eccentric Angle	(300A,0125)	1C	SCU: Provided (value 0) for first control point only (no eccentric rotation possible in AdvantageSim MD) SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT MUST BE 0. Not used for second control point.
>>Table Top Eccentric Rotation Direction	(300A,0126)	1C	SCU: Provided (value 'NONE') for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT, MUST BE 'NONE'. Not used for second control point.
>>Table Top Vertical Position	(300A,0128)	2C	SCU: Provided (zero-length) for first control point only SCP: Not used
>>Table Top Longitudinal Position	(300A,0129)	2C	SCU: Provided (zero-length) for first control point only SCP: Not used
>>Table Top Lateral Position	(300A,012A)	2C	SCU: Provided (zero-length) for first control point only SCP: Not used
>>Isocenter Position	(300A,012C)	2C	SCU: Provided for first control point only SCP: FOR FIRST CONTROL POINT MUST BE PROVIDED. Not used for second control point.
>>Source to Surface Distance	(300A,0130)	3	SCU: Distance from beam origin to first point of patient model encountered along central axis ray. This may not correspond to the true patient surface if the beam passes through the treatment table and the treatment table has not been removed from the patient model. If

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
			<p>the central axis ray does not intersect the patient, or intersects through the ends of the patient model, then this attribute will be absent.</p> <p>SCP: AdvantageSim MD recalculates SSD using isocenter position. If Source to Surface Distance (300A,0130) is provided, and is different from the calculated value, AdvantageSim MD signals this difference and asks the user if the treatment table needs to be removed from the patient model.</p>

9.4.3.4 Approval Module

This module is sent only if interoperability option is set.

TABLE 9-59: RT APPROVAL MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
Approval Status	(300E,0002)	1	<p>SCU: Provided with value "UNAPPROVED" only if interoperability option set</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>

9.4.3.5 SOP Common Module

TABLE 9-60 SOP COMMON MODULE ATTRIBUTES

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
SOP Class UID	(0008,0016)	1	<p>SCU: '1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.5'</p> <p>SCP: Must be equal to '1.2.840.10008.5.1.4.1.1.481.5' (DICOM requirement)</p>
SOP Instance UID	(0008,0018)	1	<p>SCU: UID root will be '1.2.840.113619.6.196'</p> <p>SCP: Not used, shall be defined</p>
Specific Character Set	(0008,0005)	1C	<p>SCU: 'ISO_IR 100'</p> <p>SCP: Specific Character Sets other than 'ISO_IR 100' are not handled explicitly by AdvantageSim MD</p>
Instance Creation Date	(0008,0012)	3	<p>SCU: Same as Structure Set Date (3006,0008)</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
Instance Creation Time	(0008,0013)	3	<p>SCU: Same as Structure Set Time (3006,0009)</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
Instance Creator UID	(0008,0014)	3	<p>SCU: '1.2.840.113619.6.196'</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
Related General SOP Class UID	(0008,001A)	3	<p>SCU: Not generated</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
Original Specialized SOP Class UID	(0008,001B)	3	<p>SCU: Not generated</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>
Coding Scheme Identification Sequence	(0008,0110)	3	<p>SCU: Not generated</p> <p>SCP: Not used</p>

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
>Coding Scheme Designator	(0008,0102)	1	
>Coding Scheme Registry	(0008,0112)	1C	
>Coding Scheme UID	(0008,010C)	1C	
>Coding Scheme External ID	(0008,0114)	2C	
>Coding Scheme Name	(0008,0115)	3	
>Coding Scheme Version	(0008,0103)	3	
>Coding Scheme Responsible Organization	(0008,0116)	3	
Timezone Offset From UTC	(0008,0201)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Contributing Equipment Sequence	(0018,A001)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Purpose of Reference Code Sequence	(0040,A170)	1	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
>Manufacturer	(0008,0070)	1	
>Institution Name	(0008,0080)	3	
>Institution Address	(0008,0081)	3	
>Station Name	(0008,1010)	3	
>Institutional Department Name	(0008,1040)	3	
>Manufacturer's Model Name	(0008,1090)	3	
>Device Serial Number	(0018,1000)	3	
>Software Versions	(0018,1020)	3	
>Spatial Resolution	(0018,1050)	3	
>Date of Last Calibration	(0018,1200)	3	
>Time of Last Calibration	(0018,1201)	3	
>Contribution DateTime	(0018,A002)	3	
>Contribution Description	(0018,A003)	3	
Instance Number	(0020,0013)	3	See 9.4.3.1 RT General Plan Module
SOP Instance Status	(0100,0410)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
SOP Authorization Date and Time	(0100,0420)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
SOP Authorization Comment	(0100,0424)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
Authorization Equipment Certification Number	(0100,0426)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
MAC Parameters Sequence	(4FFE,0001)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>MAC Calculation Transfer Syntax	(0400,0010)	1	

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
UID			
>MAC Algorithm	(0400,0015)	1	
>Data Elements Signed	(0400,0020)	1	
Digital Signatures Sequence	(FFFA,FFFA)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>MAC ID Number	(0400,0005)	1	
>Digital Signature UID	(0400,0100)	1	
>Digital Signature DateTime	(0400,0105)	1	
>Certificate Type	(0400,0110)	1	
>Certificate of Signer	(0400,0115)	1	
>Signature	(0400,0120)	1	
>Certified Timestamp Type	(0400,0305)	1C	
>Certified Timestamp	(0400,0310)	3	
>Digital Signature Purpose Code Sequence	(0400,0401)	3	
>>Include 'Code Sequence Macro'			
Encrypted Attributes Sequence	(0400,0500)	1C	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Encrypted Content Transfer Syntax UID	(0400,0510)	1	
>Encrypted Content	(0400,0520)	1	
Original Attributes Sequence	(0400,0561)	3	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Source of Previous Values	(0400,0564)	2	
>Attribute Modification DateTime	(0400,0562)	1	
>Modifying System	(0400,0563)	1	
>Reason for the Attribute Modification	(0400,0565)	1	
>Modified Attributes Sequence	(0400,0550)	1	
>>Any Attribute from the main data set that was modified or removed; may include Sequence Attributes and their Items.			
HL7 Structured Document Reference Sequence	(0040,A390)	1C	SCU: Not generated SCP: Not used
>Referenced SOP Class UID	(0008,1150)	1	
>Referenced SOP Instance UID	(0008,1155)	1	
>HL7 Instance Identifier	(0040,E001)	1	
>Retrieve URI	(0040,E010)	3	

9.5 PRIVATE DATA DICTIONARY FOR RT PLAN

Private Creator Identification GEMS_RTEN_01

Attribute Name	Tag	VR	VM
Group Name	(0249,xx51)	SH	1
Group Properties	(0249,xx52)	CS	1-n
Referenced Machine SOP Class UID	(0249,xxC0)	UI	1
Referenced Machine SOP Instance UID	(0249,xxC1)	UI	1
Associated Markers	(0249,xxCA)	SH	1-n
DRR Preset List (not used)	(0249,xxF0)	OB	1
Macro List	(0249,xxF1)	OB	1
Patient Scanned Position	(0249,xxF2)	CS	1
Print Preferences	(0249,xxF3)	OB	1
Treatment Device Conventions	(0249,xxF4)	CS	1
Beam Limiting Device Mode	(0249,xxF5)	CS	1
DRR Settings	(0249,xxF6)	DS	1
Conformation Algorithm	(0249,xxF7)	SH	1