

Vmax[®] Encore system

Help move data, not patients

The versatile Vmax[®] Encore system can be configured to meet the demands of various settings. The Vmax Encore system features:

- Spirometry testing
- Comprehensive pulmonary function testing (PFT) and respiratory mechanics
- Cardiopulmonary stress testing
- Energy expenditure data

Extensive software applications, including:

- Advanced SentrySuite[®] software workflow
- SentryConnect EMR connectivity
- Sentry.NET software remote data access



A choice in spirometers

All instruments come standard with basic spirometry (FVC, SVC, MVV), pre/post medication testing and animation incentive programs. The Encore 20c spirometer is the entry-level instrument into the Vmax Encore family and provides:

- Quality, repeatability criteria prompts
- Portability by integrating with a notebook computer and small footprint ICU cart
- Expandability to include comprehensive PFT, exercise and energy expenditure testing capabilities
- Guidelines for pre-school spirometry

Other CareFusion spirometers can also integrate spirometry data into the database of record, including:

- MicroLoop® and MicroLab® portable handheld spirometers that feature clear touch screens and easy icon-driven menus
- The Vmax Vyntus SPIRO that plugs directly into a USB port and uses SentrySuite software to improve workflow and data management





IOS with APS Pro

Impulse Oscillometry System (IOS)

IOS enables patient evaluations with effort-independent pulmonary function testing, only requiring that the patient breathe quietly during measurement. As a result, IOS is easy for both the patient and the technician to complete. A Vmax Encore system operator can easily detect subtle changes in the patient's airway resistance and response to bronchodilator administration. The IOS system is more sensitive than spirometry in measuring airway hyperreactivity to air temperature changes, bronchochallenge testing or post-bronchodilator effects. It's applicable to a wide range of patient populations from children, to adults, to geriatric patients, and it's able to help differentiate between central and peripheral airway obstruction.

Aerosol Provocation System (APS Pro)

The integrated APS Pro design allows bronchial provocation protocols to use a single concentration of the challenge substance, making bronchial provocation testing cost effective, simplified and more efficient.

Key features include:

- Computer-controlled nebulization
- Real-time visualization of dose administration and breathing patterns
- Two modes of administration (*pulse or continuous nebulization*)

Vmax Encore 22 comprehensive PFT system

The Vmax Encore 22 comprehensive pulmonary function testing (PFT) system delivers an efficient and extremely flexible design, containing all the tests, features and capabilities you require in one fully integrated, compact platform. The comprehensive system offers:

- Highly accurate and stable testing data, including flow sensing real-time BTPS correction
- Efficient testing procedures and new SentrySuite software reporting and workflow, leaving clinicians more time with patients
- Enhanced automatic data interpretation
- Automated quality assurance, including real-time monitoring/alerts, an automated sensor stability check, measured CO₂ cross-sensitivity and a data manager to view error codes



Vmax Encore PFT on console, with Vmax IOS impulse spirometry and Vmax APS Pro nebulizer



Vmax Encore PFT with table configuration



Vmax Encore PFT on ICU cart with laptop computer for portability

In addition to spirometry, the Vmax Encore 22 performs all the essential PFT tests, including:

- Lung volume by nitrogen washout with automatic leak detection
- Diffusing capacity, ATS recommended real-time single breath and intrabreath (*validated, non-breath holding*)
- Maximum inspiratory and expiratory pressures
- P0.1 for measuring CO₂ response
- Closing volumes

Improve accuracy by incorporating the simple 20-second breathing maneuver of the MicroCO handheld monitor to measure the % COHb and adjust Vmax DL_{CO} results for the level of CO already attached to the patient's RBC due to smoking.



Vmax Encore Autobox® cabin

Plethysmographic testing provides fast, precise measurements of both thoracic gas volume (VTG) and resistance (Raw). Unlike traditional gas dilution methods, which rely on airway patency to conduct tracer gases to nonobstructed areas of the lungs, lung volumes using plethysmography VTG will not be underestimated. Airway resistance referenced to absolute lung volume is an essential indicator of lung volume change to bronchodilation not typically reflected in FEV1. Bronchoprovocation testing can effortlessly be completed without repeated forced maneuvers, which aids patient compliance. Key features include:

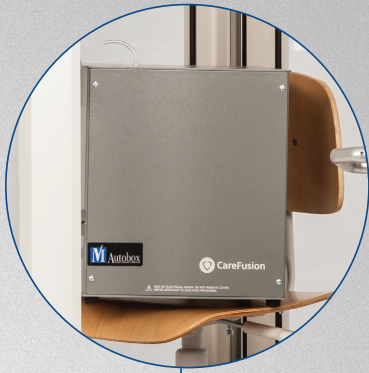
- Tests include lung volume, resistance and spirometry.
- Two cabin sizes—standard and 1,400 L wide-body plethysmograph—are available.
- All tests can be performed in the box, including gas dilution, so “trapped gas” (*difference between body box lung volume and gas dilution lung volume*) can be quantified.
- Both VTG and Raw can be obtained via the conventional panting technique or quiet breathing technique.
- Transmural (*through the wall*) patient breathing allows compression-free FVL measurements that accurately determine patient effort.



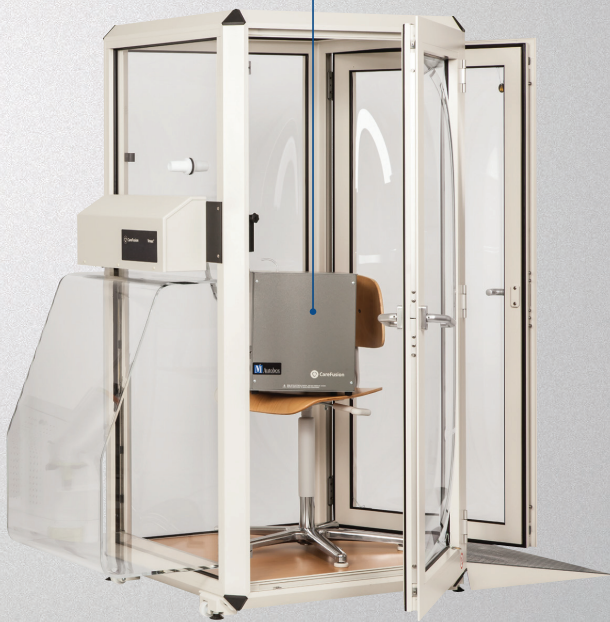
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Vmax on console



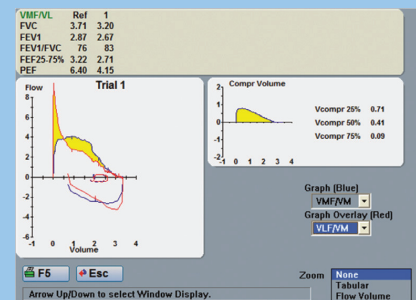
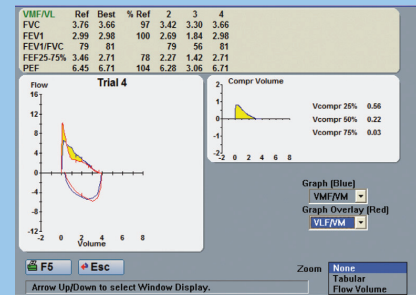
Optional isothermal lung volume standard



Vmax V62W wide-body cabin

Compression-free flow/volume loops

For patients with airflow limitations, flow rates at specific lung volumes have been shown to be erroneous if volume is derived at the mouth only. Vmax compression-free flow/volume loops calculate the traditional flow/volume loop and simultaneously measure the total flow/volume loop by including the compression volume as a function of the cabin volume displaced by the chest movement. This is an excellent indicator of patient effort not discernible with traditional flow/volume loops.



Cardiopulmonary exercise testing

The Vmax Encore system helps increase your capabilities by acquiring data via breath-by-breath, mixing chamber and dilution modes.

Key features include:

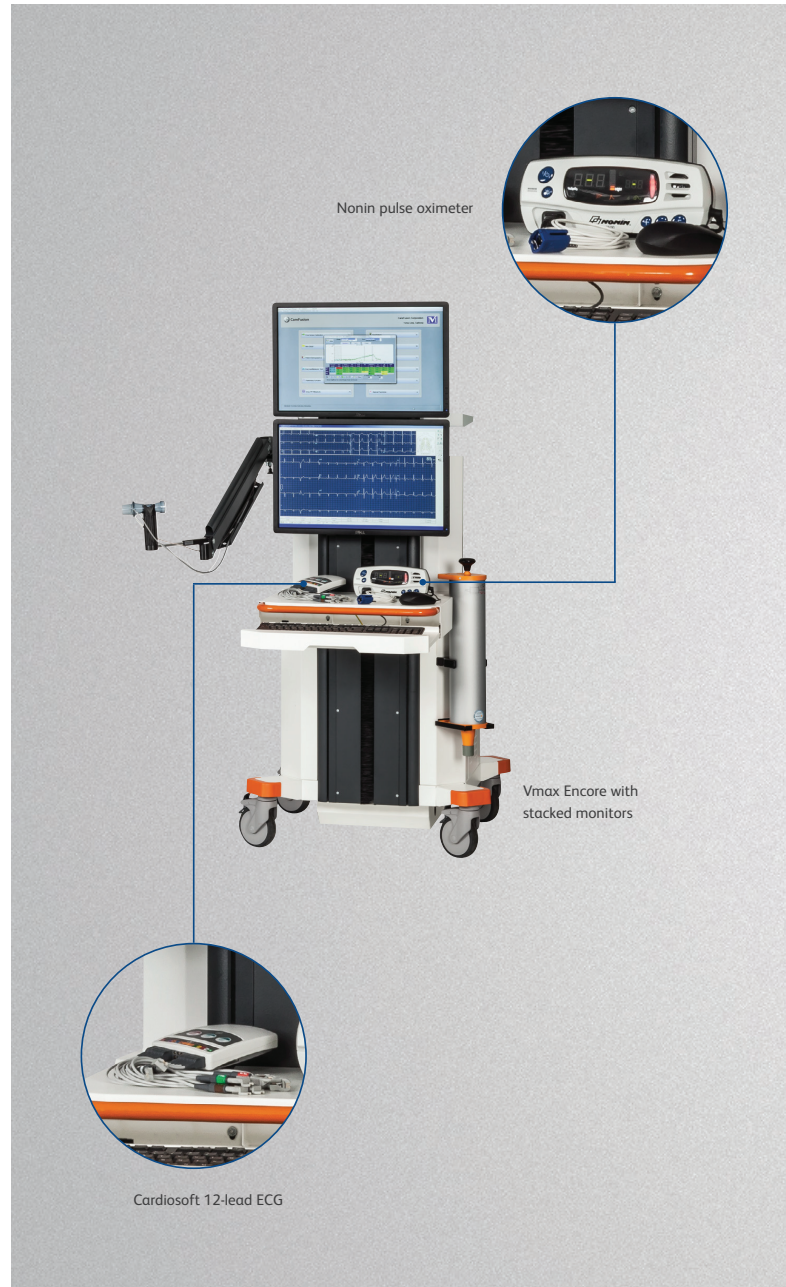
- Interface options to improve testing comfort and quality
- Graphic overlay for up to four patient statuses for training and rehabilitation
- Built-in PhysioCal for instrument performance verification and test quality
- Customizable exercise interpretation
- Automatic metabolic slope calculation exercise-response quantification
- Simultaneous exercise diffusing capacity and exercise tidal breathing flow/volume loops
- Eight-channel analog input and output for flow, volume and gas concentrations and device integration (e.g., pulse oximeter)
- Spreadsheet-style automatic color coding and real-time or post-test data entry

Energy expenditure

The Vmax Encore Metabolic Cart provides highly accurate resting energy expenditure (REE) and substrate metabolism test data on patients varying from healthy ambulatory athletes to critical ventilator patients.

Key features include:

- Mixing chamber or breath-by-breath technology to determine REE
- Ventilator bias-flow VO_2 and VCO_2 calculation with a simple, trouble-free patient interface
- Real-time steady state notifications that automatically calculate steady state conditions (up to four levels)
- Substrate partitioning and computer-assisted interpretations
- Pressure-corrected gas sample lines





Vmax Encore with ICU cart



Tango™ automated blood pressure screen

Vmax Encore with horizontal monitors



VIAsprint® bike



Trackmaster TMX428CP treadmill



Lode Corival adult and pediatric cardiopulmonary exercise device

Vmax Encore system software

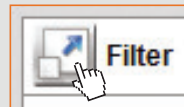
Your data is an important aspect of your system, and the Vmax Encore system has a solution to match your particular lab needs. For example, our SQL server database solution yields extensive data management in a network environment and provides data access. The Vmax Encore system offers an integrated solution that:

- Offers a paperless diagnostic lab solution
- Reviews, reports and provides quick data trends from almost any location
- Maximizes efficiency in the interpretation process
- Features seamless HL-7 message integration with the HIS/EMR using a bidirectional single click sign and send
- Offers active directory compatibility

1. As patient records move through your workflow, their status icon automatically changes color.

Date	Time	Last Name	First Name	ID	HIS Visit ID	HIS Order ID	Status
11/18/2013	09:24AM	Spongen	Steve	007			Testing
11/18/2013	08:58AM	Spongen	Steve	007			Testing Complete
Vmax -PFT- Single Page- 12/10/2013 09:13AM							
11/17/2013	12:52PM	Test	Rehana	02041981			In Review
Vmax -Spirometry Report- 12/10/2013 09:14AM							
11/17/2013	09:05AM	Laney	Larry	01334			Testing Complete
Vmax -PFT Report Complete- 12/10/2013 09:14AM							
11/16/2013	01:36PM	Roxas	John	04241989			Testing Complete
Vmax -Spirometry Report- 12/10/2013 09:16AM							
11/16/2013	11:48AM	Bian	James	1234			Testing Complete
Vmax -Spirometry Report- 12/10/2013 09:17AM							
11/15/2013	02:32PM	AARC4	AARC4	AARC4			Final
Vmax -PFT Report Complete-Signed- 12/10/2013 09:34AM							
11/11/2013	10:58AM	AARC3	AARC3	AARC3			Corrected
Vmax -Spirometry Report-Signed- 12/10/2013 09:35AM							

2. The Vmax Encore system with SentrySuite software allows quick filtering of the SQL database and easily identifies patients to be reviewed. To filter information about a specific patient, click the Filter button on the top left.



Filter Today 05/21/2013 12/10/2013 Day Week Month Filter by date

ID	HIS Visit ID	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Filter visit status	<input type="checkbox"/> Filter detailed report status
Last Name	HIS Order ID	<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary
First Name		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Testing	<input type="checkbox"/> Final
Physician		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Testing Complete	<input type="checkbox"/> Correction
Ref. Physician		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Test Review	
Technician		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In Review	
Location		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Final	
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corrected	

Clear Screen

3. The screens below display the complete library of pulmonary function, CPET and metabolic testing reports.

CareFusion
Yorba Linda, California

ID: 12345
Name: DOREME, Jenny
Age: 22 Height(in): 67
Weight(lb): 195 Gender: Female
Race: Hispanic
Date: 04/19/13
Technician: Jennifer
Physician: Physician Name 4
Diagnosis:

PFT Lab Report

	Ref	Pre	% Ref	Post	% Chg
Spirometry					
FVC Liters	4.31 (3.5 - 5.2)	3.97	92	3.92	91
FEV1 Liters	3.46 (2.7 - 4.2)	3.30	95	3.20	92
FEV1/FVC %	80 (68.8 - 91.3)	83	81	77	-1
FEV3 Liters	3.89 (2.4 - 5.4)	3.81	93	3.77	82
FEF25-75% L/sec	7.03 (4.2 - 9.9)	7.28	104	7.99	114
PEF L/sec	4.31 (3.3 - 5.3)	3.81	88	3.68	85
FET100% Sec					
FVC Liters					
FVL ECode		000000		000000	
MVV L/min	120 (87.7 - 153.3)	133	110		
F BPM		95			
MVV ECode		001000			
Lung Volumes					
TLC Liters	5.79 (5.0 - 6.6)	(4.93)	(85)		
VC Liters	4.31 (3.3 - 5.3)	3.97	92		
IC Liters	2.81 (2.4 - 3.3)	2.80	99		
FRC N2 Liters	2.80 (1.9 - 3.8)	2.13	76		
ERV Liters	1.41 (1.2 - 1.6)	(0.75)	(53)		
RV Liters	1.75 (1.0 - 2.5)	(0.97)	(55)		
RV/TLC %	28 (16.0 - 39.5)	20			
RV/TLC LVA ECode		000000			
Diffusing Capacity					
DLCO mL/mmHg/min	28.8 (20.5 - 37.1)	22.1	77		
DL Adj mL/mmHg/min	28.8 (20.5 - 37.1)	22.1	77		
DLCOVA mL/mmHg/min/L	4.77 (2.9 - 6.6)	5.04	106		
DLVA Adj mL/mmHg/min/L		5.04			
VA Liters		4.39			
VA ECode		3.50			
DLCO ECode		0000			

4. User-definable templates and macros speed the interpretation process.

The screenshot shows a software window with a 'Sign / Send Report' button circled in red. An 'Authenticate' dialog box is open, prompting for 'Username' and 'Password'. On the right, a 'Templates' sidebar is visible, listing categories like 'Physician', 'Spirometry', and 'Technician' with sub-options such as 'Normal', 'FVL Morphology', 'Mid Obstruction', etc.

5. Digital signature capability permits digital signing of patient record and data movement to your EMR as preliminary, final or corrected. After digital signing, a proof of electronic signature screen appears.

CardioPulmonary Exercise Graphs: 9-Plot


VO₂

Name: EXAMPLE, EXERCISE ID: CPX
Date: 05/10/07 Height(in): 68
Age: 12 Weight(kg): 59.1

The 9-plot grid displays various physiological parameters over time during exercise. The plots include VE (Ventilation), HR (Heart Rate), O2-Pk (Oxygen Pulse), VE/VO2 (Ventilation to Oxygen Consumption ratio), RQ (Respiratory Quotient), VDI (Ventilator Dead Space Index), and VE/VO2 (Ventilation to Oxygen Consumption ratio). Each plot shows data points and a trend line.

The screenshot shows a digital signature screen. A 'Signature' field is highlighted with a red box, containing the text 'Signed by Doctor Account 12/10/2013'. The screen also features a 'Text Editor' toolbar with options like 'Font', 'Bold', 'Italic', 'Underline', 'Text Editor', 'Templates', 'Macros...', 'Auto Interpretation', and 'Paste'.

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

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