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#### HIGHLIGHTS

- •X-ray counter based on two energy-range selecting devices has been constructed.
- •Each device is realized by two comparators and a microcomputer.
- •Photon energy determination was carried out online using microcomputers.
- •CT was performed for two X-ray energy ranges.
- Iodine and gadolinium K-edge CT was accomplished simultaneously.

#### Keywords:

X-ray photon counting CdTe detector Energy-selecting device Photon-count energy subtraction Dual-energy CT K-edge CT

#### ABSTRACT

To obtain two kinds of tomograms at two different X-ray energy ranges simultaneously,

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