

Estimation of Radionuclide Biokinetics Dependence on Intake Conditions for Internal Exposure

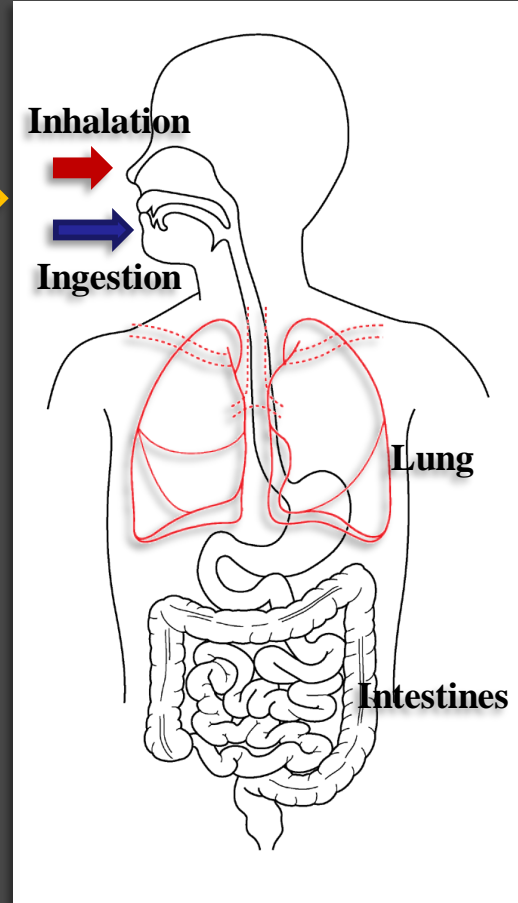
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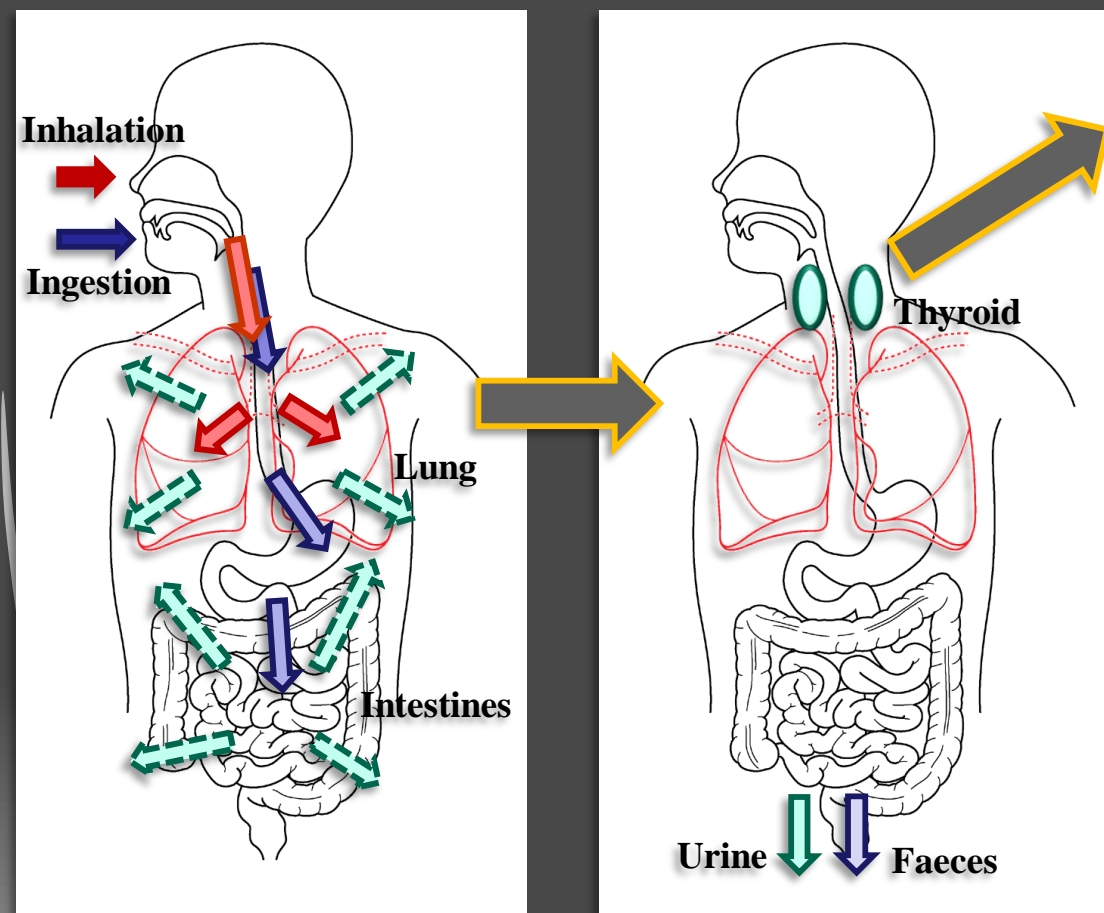
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Internal contamination of public



- Internal contamination of public by...
 - Inhalation in radioactive clouds
 - Inhalation of resuspended radioactivity from soil
 - Ingestion of food or drinking water
- ⇒ **Some pathways** and **over a long period**
- **I-131** and **Cs-137** mainly became a problem in the Chernobyl and Fukushima accident 2

Biokinetics and internal dose evaluation



1. Activity in the specific organ by *in vivo* measurement

- Thyroid for I-131
- Whole body for Cs-137

2. Total intake

- By the retention function

3. Internal dose

- By the dose coefficient

(Sv/Bq)

Problem and purpose

- **Problem**

- Acute inhalation (general worker's intake situation)
has been mainly assumed in dose evaluations

⇒ Retention function may change

due to the difference in intake situations

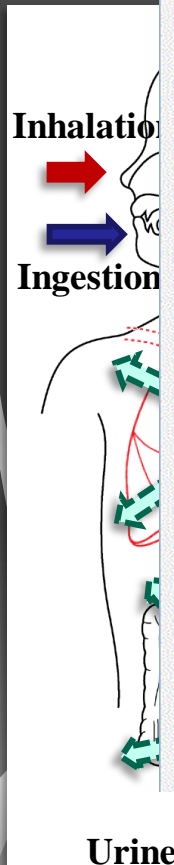
- **Purpose**

- Analyze the retention function of I-131 and Cs-137
based on assuming some intake conditions
- Discuss about the application of biokinetics
to internal dose evaluation

Biokinetic models

Human Respiratory Tract Model (ICRP Publ. 66)

Human Alimentary Tract Model (ICRP Publ. 100)



$x_i(t_i)$	ET1	ϵ_1	ϵ_2	ϵ_3	ϵ_4	ET2	ϵ_1	ϵ_2	ϵ_3	ϵ_4	ETseq	ϵ_1	ϵ_2	ϵ_3	ϵ_4	BB1	ϵ_1	ϵ_2	ϵ_3	ϵ_4
0.000	33.9	-33.9	-33.8	-33.8	-33.8	39.9	-7965	-7168	-7248	-6515	0.0200	-2.00	-1.90	-1.90	-1.81	1.30	-142	-134	-135	-127
0.001	33.8	-33.8	-33.8	-33.8	-33.8	32.7	-6523	-5875	-5935	-5335	0.0181	-1.81	-1.72	-1.72	-1.63	1.17	-127	-126	-121	-114
0.005	33.8	-33.8	-33.8	-33.8	-33.8	26.8	-5341	-4807	-4861	-4369	0.0163	-1.63	-1.55	-1.55	-1.48	1.05	-114	-108	-108	-102
0.01	33.7	-33.8	-33.7	-33.7	-33.7	21.1	-4374	-3937	-3981	-3578	0.0148	-1.48	-1.40	-1.41	-1.34	0.94	-102	-97	-97	-92
0.004	33.7	-33.7	-33.7	-33.7	-33.7	16.1	-3582	-3224	-3260	-2930	0.0134	-1.34	-1.27	-1.27	-1.21	0.84	-92	-87	-87	-82
0.005	33.7	-33.7	-33.7	-33.7	-33.6	12.1	-2934	-2640	-2670	-2400	0.0121	-1.21	-1.15	-1.15	-1.10	0.76	-82	-78	-78	-74
0.006	33.6	-33.6	-33.6	-33.6	-33.6	9.87	-2403	-2163	-2167	-1966	0.0110	-1.10	-1.04	-1.04	-1.00	0.68	-74	-70	-70	-66
0.007	33.6	-33.6	-33.6	-33.6	-33.6	8.09	-1968	-1771	-1771	-1611	0.0099	-0.99	-0.94	-0.94	-0.90	0.61	-63	-63	-63	-59
0.008	33.6	-33.6	-33.6	-33.6	-33.6	6.63	-1451	-1282	-1282	-1130	0.0090	-0.90	-0.85	-0.85	-0.81	0.55	-56	-56	-56	-53
0.009	33.5	-33.5	-33.5	-33.5	-33.5	5.43	-1188	-1032	-1032	-911	0.0081	-0.81	-0.77	-0.77	-0.73	0.49	-50	-51	-51	-48
0.010	33.5	-33.5	-33.5	-33.5	-33.5	4.43	-1081	-973	-973	-871	0.0073	-0.73	-0.70	-0.70	-0.66	0.44	-45	-45	-45	-43
0.011	33.5	-33.5	-33.5	-33.5	-33.5	3.63	-886	-797	-797	-725	0.0066	-0.66	-0.63	-0.63	-0.60	0.39	-41	-41	-41	-38
0.012	33.4	-33.4	-33.4	-33.4	-33.4	2.93	-726	-653	-653	-594	0.0060	-0.60	-0.57	-0.57	-0.54	0.33	-38	-36	-36	-34
0.013	33.4	-33.4	-33.4	-33.4	-33.4	2.33	-595	-535	-535	-486	0.0054	-0.54	-0.52	-0.52	-0.49	0.27	-33	-33	-33	-31
0.014	33.4	-33.4	-33.4	-33.4	-33.3	1.83	-486	-436	-436	-400	0.0049	-0.49	-0.47	-0.47	-0.45	0.23	-29	-29	-29	-28
0.015	33.3	-33.3	-33.3	-33.3	-33.3	1.43	-396	-356	-356	-330	0.0045	-0.45	-0.42	-0.42	-0.40	0.20	-25	-25	-25	-25
0.016	33.3	-33.3	-33.3	-33.3	-33.3	1.13	-326	-296	-296	-270	0.0040	-0.40	-0.38	-0.38	-0.36	0.18	-22	-22	-22	-22
0.017	33.3	-33.3	-33.3	-33.3	-33.2	0.93	-266	-241	-244	-219	0.0036	-0.36	-0.35	-0.35	-0.33	0.16	-19	-19	-19	-18
0.018	33.2	-33.2	-33.2	-33.2	-33.2	0.73	-220	-200	-200	-180	0.0032	-0.32	-0.31	-0.31	-0.30	0.14	-17	-17	-17	-16
0.019	33.2	-33.2	-33.2	-33.2	-33.2	0.63	-180	-165	-165	-150	0.0029	-0.29	-0.28	-0.28	-0.27	0.13	-15	-15	-15	-14
0.020	33.2	-33.2	-33.2	-33.2	-33.1	0.53	-148	-138	-138	-130	0.0026	-0.26	-0.25	-0.25	-0.24	0.12	-14	-14	-14	-13
0.021	33.1	-33.1	-33.1	-33.1	-33.1	0.43	-121	-109	-110	-99	0.0024	-0.24	-0.23	-0.23	-0.22	0.11	-13	-13	-13	-12
0.022	33.1	-33.1	-33.1	-33.1	-33.1	0.33	-99	-89	-90	-81	0.0022	-0.22	-0.21	-0.21	-0.20	0.10	-12	-12	-12	-12
0.023	33.1	-33.1	-33.1	-33.1	-33.0	0.23	-81	-73	-74	-67	0.0020	-0.20	-0.19	-0.19	-0.18	0.09	-11	-11	-11	-10
0.024	33.0	-33.0	-33.0	-33.0	-33.0	0.13	-67	-60	-61	-55	0.0018	-0.18	-0.17	-0.17	-0.16	0.08	-10	-10	-10	-9
0.025	33.0	-33.0	-33.0	-33.0	-33.0	0.08	-55	-49	-50	-45	0.0016	-0.16	-0.16	-0.16	-0.15	0.07	-9	-9	-9	-8
0.026	33.0	-33.0	-33.0	-33.0	-33.0	0.06	-45	-40	-41	-37	0.0015	-0.15	-0.14	-0.14	-0.13	0.06	-8	-8	-8	-8
0.027	32.9	-33.0	-32.9	-32.9	-32.9	0.05	-37	-33	-34	-30	0.0013	-0.13	-0.13	-0.13	-0.12	0.05	-7	-7	-7	-7
0.028	32.9	-32.9	-32.9	-32.9	-32.9	0.04	-30	-27	-27	-25	0.0012	-0.12	-0.12	-0.12	-0.11	0.04	-6	-6	-6	-6
0.029	32.9	-32.9	-32.9	-32.9	-32.9	0.03	-25	-22	-23	-20	0.0011	-0.11	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	0.03	-6	-6	-6	-5
0.030	32.8	-32.9	-32.8	-32.8	-32.8	0.02	-20	-18	-19	-17	0.0010	-0.10	-0.09	-0.09	-0.09	0.02	-5	-5	-5	-5

Lapsed day

Compartments

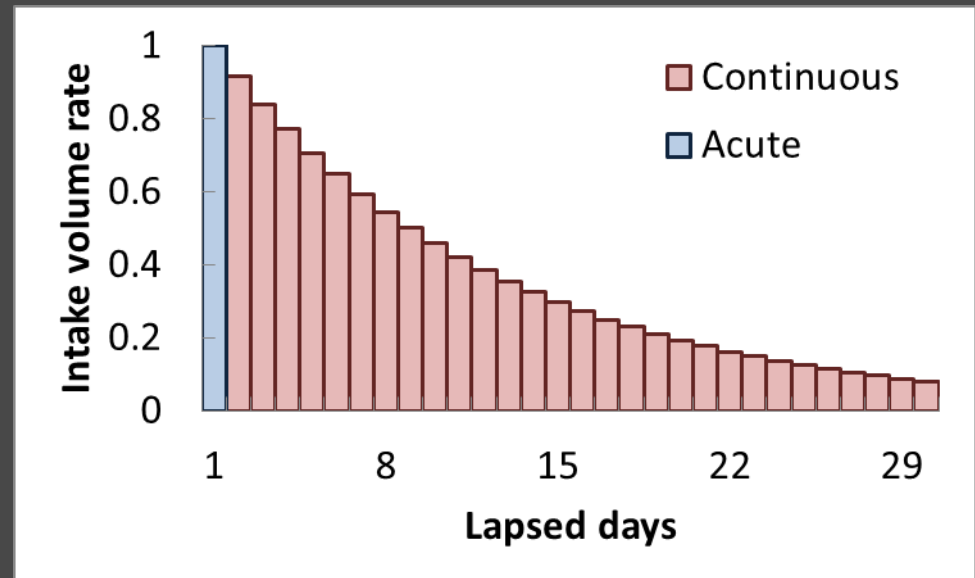
Runge-Kutta method

Urine Feces dt

Metabolic Model (ICRP Publ. 67, 68)

Conditions of biokinetic analyses

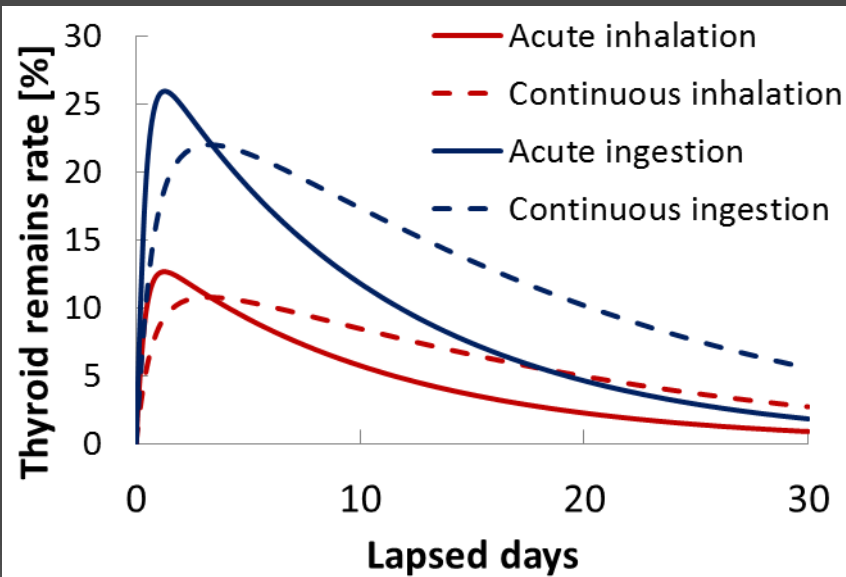
- Intake conditions
 - Inhalation or ingestion
 - Acute or continuous intake
 1. **Acute inhalation**
 2. **Continuous inhalation**
 3. **Acute ingestion**
 4. **Continuous ingestion**



- Basic conditions
 - I-131
 - Type F, $f_1 = 1.0$
 - AMAD = $1\mu\text{m}$
 - Metabolic parameters for 1 year old child
 - Cs-137
 - Type F, $f_1 = 1.0$
 - AMAD = $1\mu\text{m}$
 - Metabolic parameters for adult

Thyroid retention functions (I-131)

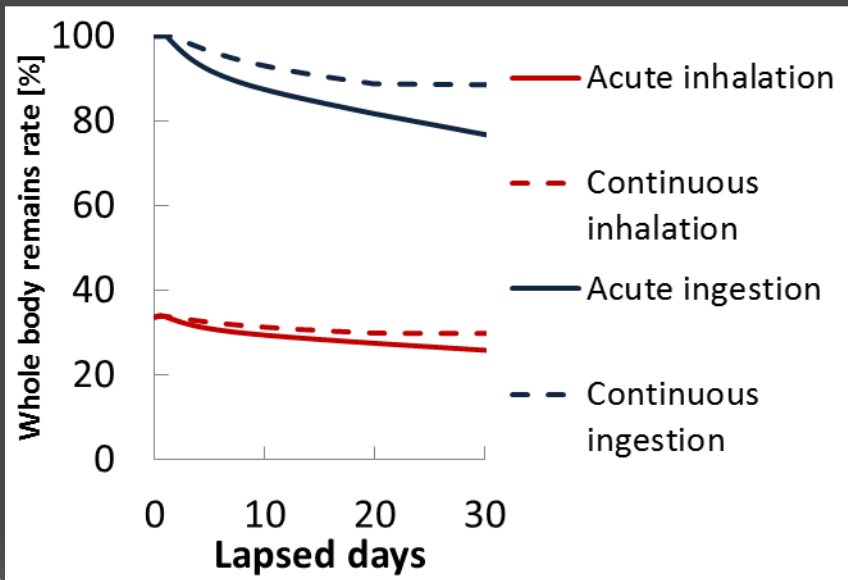
Thyroid remains rate [%]



	Inhalation		Ingestion	
	Acute	Cont.	Acute	Cont.
1 day after	13	8.5 (0.65)	26	17 (0.67)
5 days	9.2	10 (1.1)	19	21 (1.1)
10 days	5.7	8.5 (1.5)	12	17 (1.5)
20 days	2.3	5.0 (2.2)	4.6	10 (2.2)
30 days	0.89	2.7 (3.1)	1.8	5.6 (3.1)

Whole body retention function (Cs-137)

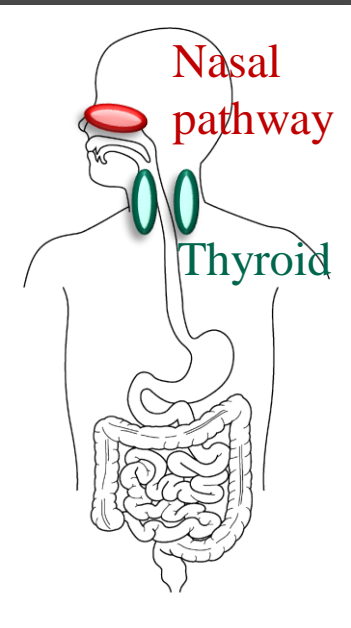
Whole body remains rate [%]



	Inhalation		Ingestion	
	Acute	Cont.	Acute	Cont.
1 day after	34	34 (1.0)	100	100 (1.0)
5 days	31	33 (1.1)	92	96 (1.0)
10 days	29	31 (1.1)	87	93 (1.1)
20 days	28	30 (1.1)	82	89 (1.1)
30 days	26	30 (1.2)	77	89 (1.2)

Separation of

inhalation and ingestion



Percentage of remains rate of nasal pathway and thyroid after inhalation [%]

	Acute			Continuous		
	Nasal pathway (R_N)	Thyroid (R_T)	R_T/R_N	Nasal pathway (R_N)	Thyroid (R_T)	R_T/R_N
5 hours after	27	5.5	0.20	50	2.8	0.055
10 hours	22	9.1	0.41	40	4.9	0.12
15 hours	18	11	0.63	35	6.5	0.19
20 hours	14	12	0.85	31	7.6	0.25
24 hours	11	12	1.1	27	8.5	0.31

Measure the activities of nasal pathway and thyroid (M_N , M_T)



Estimate thyroid activities caused by inhalation (A_{INH}) and ingestion (A_{ING})

$$A_{INH} = \frac{R_T}{R_N} M_N$$

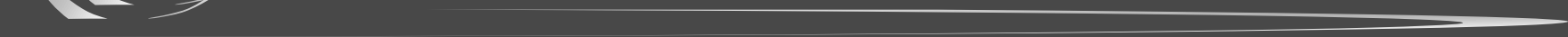
$$A_{ING} = M_T - A_{INH}$$



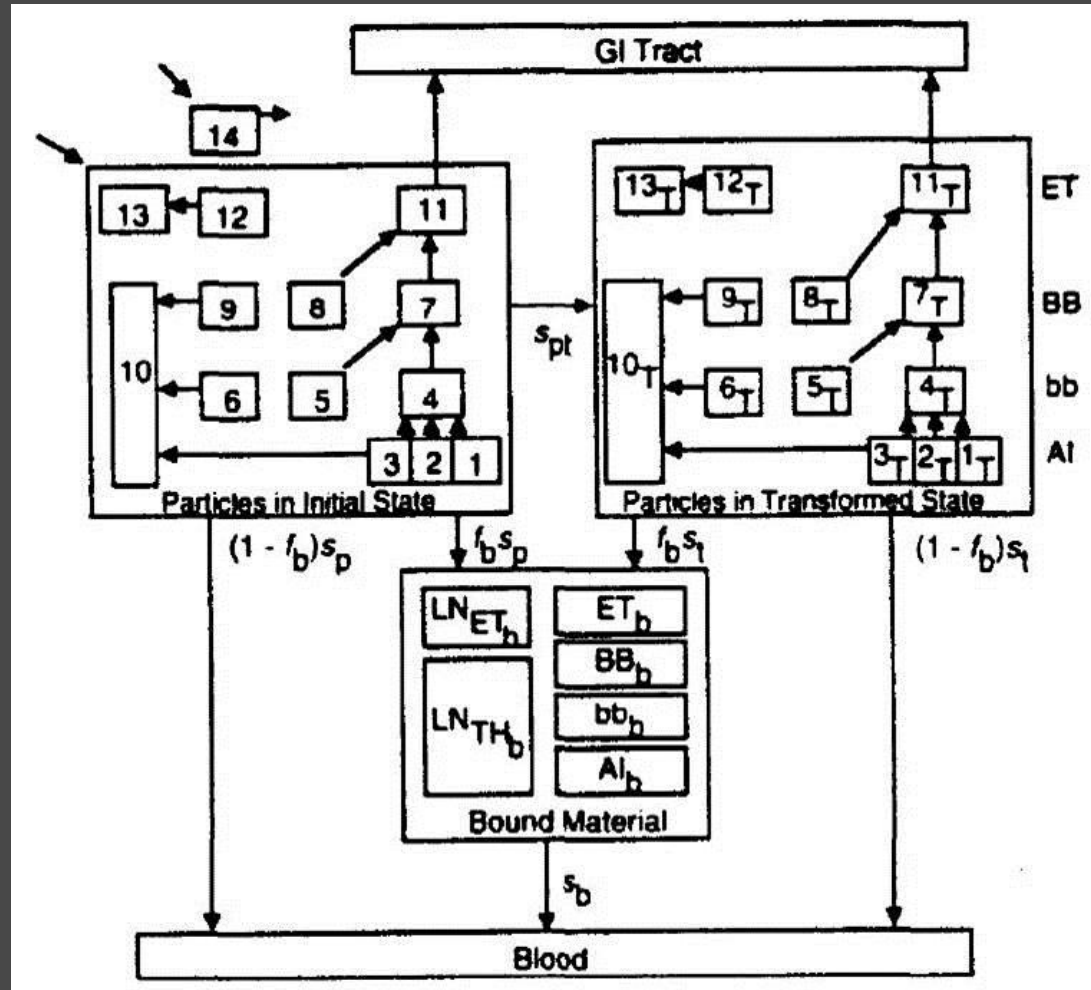
Evaluate internal dose separately

Conclusion

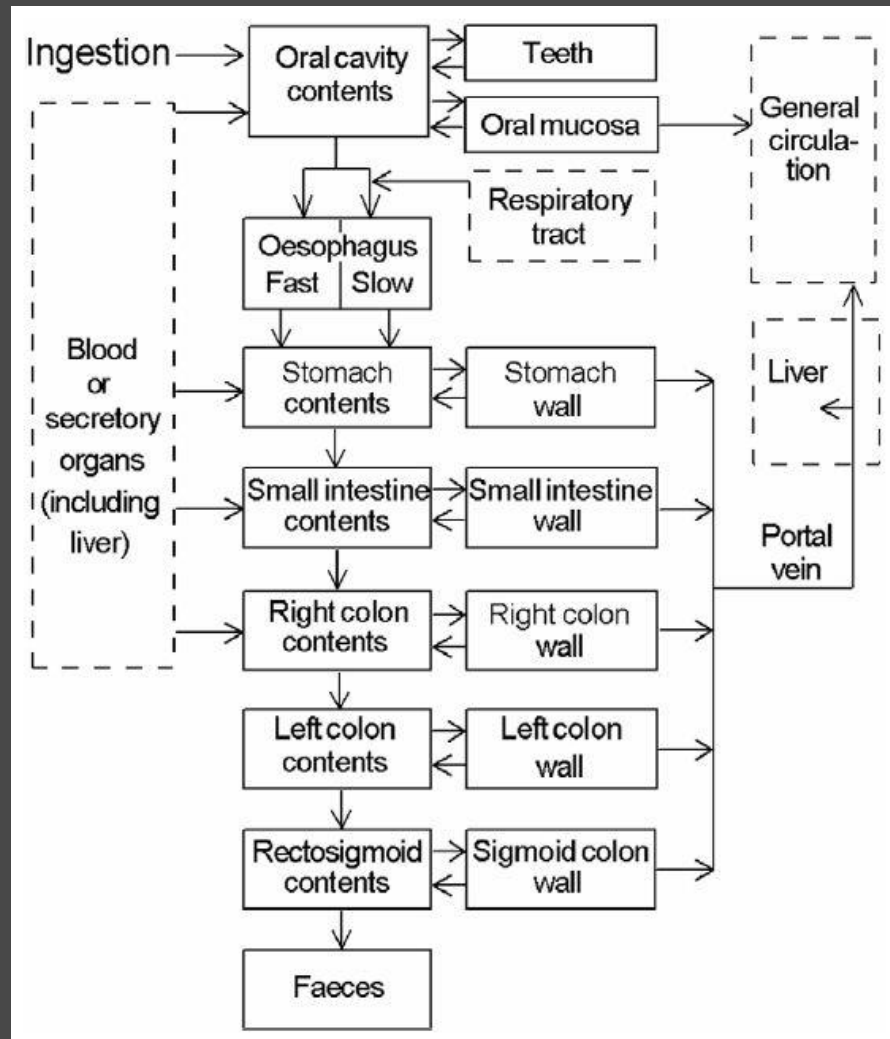
- In internal dose evaluation,
it is important to consider the biokinetics of intake conditions
1. Thyroid retention functions of **I-131** vary **0.65 to 3.1** times on the range from 1 day after to 30 days after, although whole body retention functions of **Cs-137** are almost same (**1.0-1.2 times**)
 2. Considering the **I-131** deposition to **nasal pathway**, thyroid deposition activity can be **separated** by **inhalation** and **ingestion** and evaluated internal dose separately



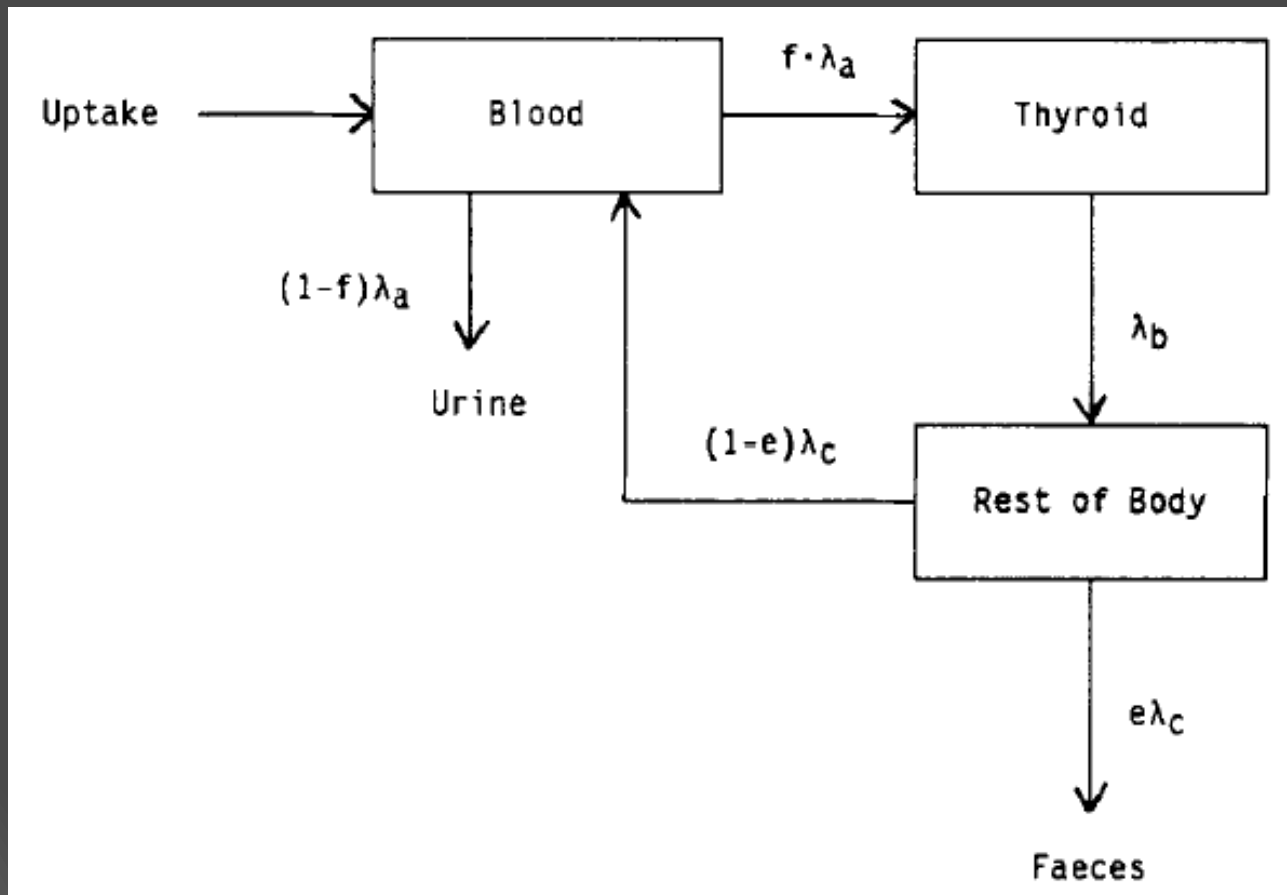
The Human Respiratory Tract Model



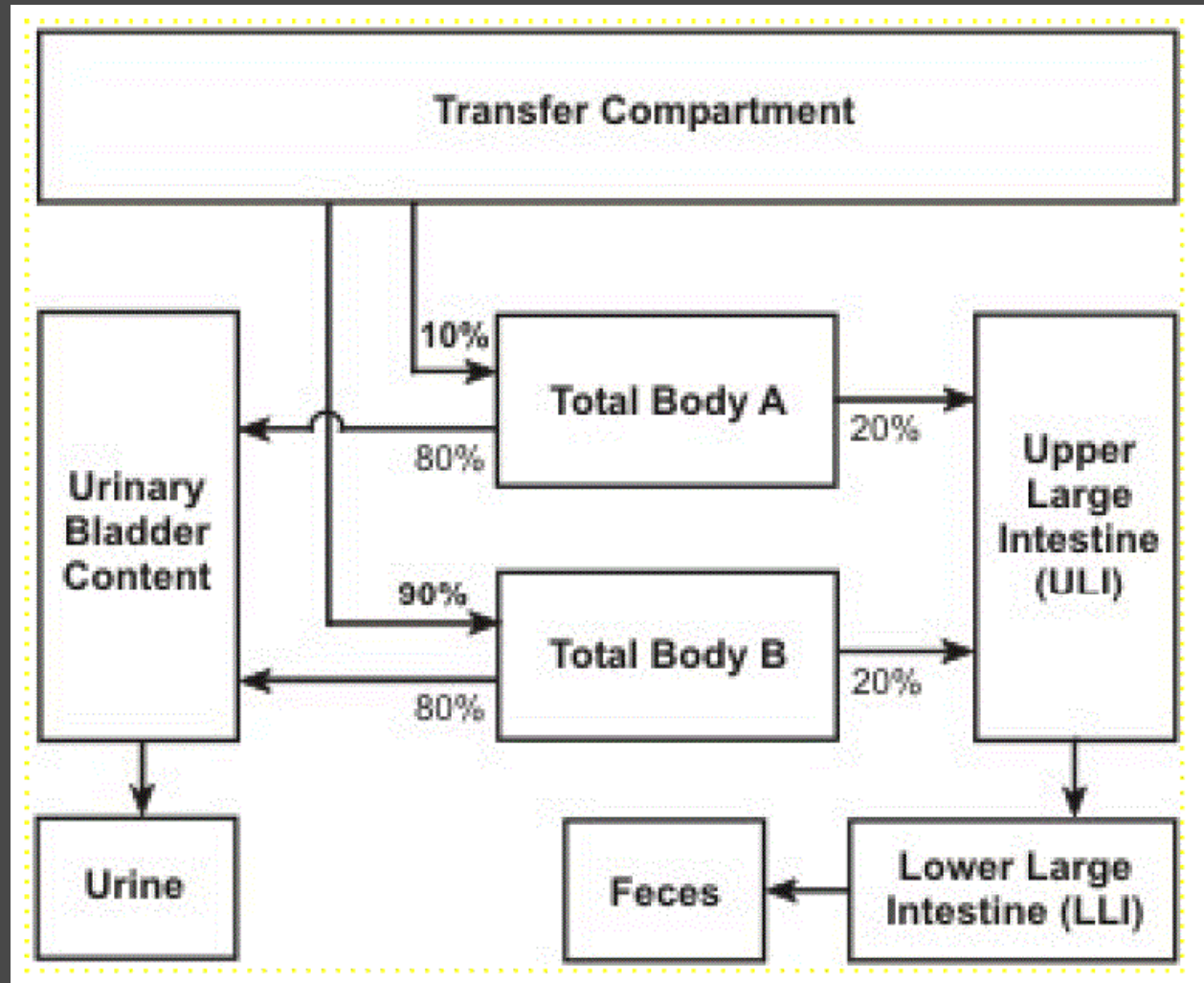
The Human Alimentary Tract Model



Biokinetic Model (Iodine)



Biokinetic Model (Cesium)



Visualization of Biokinetics (I-131)

