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## 510(k) SUMMARY

<b>Submitter's Name</b>	Braun Thermoscan
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<b>Contact</b>	Laura Guy
<b>Date of Summary</b>	July 21, 1999
<b>Name of Device</b>	Braun ThermoScan® PRO 3000 Infrared Thermometer
<b>Predicate Device</b>	Braun ThermoScan® IRT 3020/3520 One Second Ear Thermometer ThermoScan® Instant Thermometer, Model IR-2000(PRO-1)
<b>Device Description</b>	The Braun ThermoScan® PRO 3000 Infrared Thermometer is a hand held instrument that measures temperature through the opening of the auditory canal. Operation is based on measuring the natural thermal radiation emitted from the tympanic membrane and adjacent surfaces.
<b>Intended Use</b>	The Braun ThermoScan® PRO 3000 Infrared Thermometer is intended for the intermittent measurement and monitoring of human body temperature, by medical professionals. It is intended for use on people of all ages.
<b>Technological Characteristics</b>	<p>The Braun ThermoScan® thermometers, Models PRO 3000 and IRT 3020/3520 have the same general design, incorporate similar materials and components, and use similar technology.</p> <p>The primary function of the Braun ThermoScan® PRO 3000 Infrared Thermometer is the same as the Braun</p>

ThermoScan® IRT 3020/3520 and the ThermoScan® Instant Thermometer, Model IR-2000(PRO-1). The device is to be used for the measurement of body temperature. The PRO 3000 raise no new questions of safety and effectiveness.

Braun ThermoScan® concludes that the Braun ThermoScan® PRO 3000 Infrared Thermometer is substantially equivalent to the Braun ThermoScan® 3020/3520 and the ThermoScan® Instant Thermometer, Model IR-2000(PRO-1).

## PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number 3000

### Technical Characteristics

Displayed temperature range: 68°F-108°F (20°C-42.2°C)

Operating ambient temperature range: 50°F-104°F (10°C-40°C)

Display resolution: 0.1°F or °C

Temperature scales (user selectable): °F or °C

Long term storage ranges:

Temperature -4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C)

Humidity (max) 95% noncondensing

Display modes: EAR (The displayed temperature is the actual measured ear temperature plus a mathematical adjustment to approximate the familiar oral range. However, this is not necessarily the same as an oral temperature taken at the same time.)

Weight (without batteries): 3.5 oz (100g)

Memory recall: One previous temperature

Accuracy characteristics\*:

Applicable patient ages: All ages

Patient temperature range Error °F Error °C

96.8°F to 102.2°F (36 to 39°C) ± 0.4 ± 0.2

Outside this range ± 0.5 ± 0.3

\*ASTM laboratory accuracy requirements in the display range of 36°C to 39°C (96.8 to 102 °F) for IR thermometers is ± 0.2°C (± 0.4°F), whereas for mercury-in-glass and electronic thermometers, the requirement per ASTM Standards E667-86 and E1112-86 is ± 0.1°C (± 0.2°F).

This infrared thermometer meets the requirements established in ASTM Standard E1965-98, "Standard Specification for Infrared Thermometers for Intermittent Determination of Patient Temperature". Full responsibility for the conformance of this Product to the standard is assumed by Braun GmbH, 61476 Kronberg, Germany.

## SUMMARY OF TESTING

### Non-Clinical Results

PERFORMANCE TEST	RESULTS
Five Environment Accuracy Test	Pass
Thermometer Operating Life Test (Reliability of keys, switch and probe cover ejector)	Pass
Cleaning Test	Pass
Acoustic Noise test	Pass
ENVIRONMENTAL	RESULTS
Altitude Test	Pass
Electromagnetic Compatibility	Pass

Product performance specifications, features and software were validated.

### Clinical Results

A comparison study and clinical repeatability testing was performed on the following four ages groups; 0-3 yrs, 4-10 yrs, 11-65 yrs, and >65 yrs. Approximately 39% of the patients participating in the study were considered febrile. The comparison study demonstrated that the Braun ThermoScan® PRO-3000 Instant Thermometer measured ear temperature equivalently to the ThermoScan® IR-2000(PRO-1) in all age groups. The clinical repeatability is statistically and clinically acceptable.



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Re: K992468  
Trade Name: Braun ThermoScan® PRO 3000 Infrared  
Thermometer  
Regulatory Class: II  
Product Code: FLL  
Dated: July 22, 1999  
Received: July 23, 1999

Dear Ms. Guy:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Good Manufacturing Practice for Medical Devices: General (GMP) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic GMP inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any

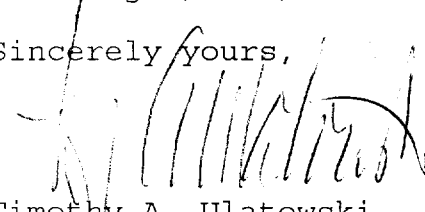
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obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4692. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "<http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,



Timothy A. Ulatowski  
Director  
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and General Hospital Devices  
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Radiological Health

Enclosure

## Intended Use of the Braun ThermoScan Pro 3000

The Braun ThermoScan PRO 3000 is intended for the intermittent measurement and monitoring of human body temperature by medical professionals. It is intended for use on people of all ages.

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(Division Sign-Off)  
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