DTM[™] SCS PROVED **SUSTAINED SUPERIORITY COMPARED TO CONVENTIONAL** STIMULATION AT 3 AND 12 MONTHS¹². **PROVEN ONLY ON THE INTELLIS[™]** PLATFORM.

Post-market, multi-center, randomized control trial (RCT) comparing the efficacy of DTM[™] SCS for back pain compared to conventional SCS using the Medtronic Intellis[™] spinal cord stimulator.¹²



* Descriptive comparison, including studies with similar design (RCT; randomization > 100 subjects; comparing 2 SCS therapies; with at least 12-months follow up) and patient populations (inclusion/exclusion criteria; baseline demographics) with back pain responder rates reported. This is not based on a statistical analysis of outcomes between studies.

Sustained back and leg pain relief with DTM[™] SCS. Mean VAS scores less than 2 at 12 months.¹²



[†] Back Pain (n): Baseline (58), 1 Month (46), 3 Month (47), 12 Month (43) Leg Pain (n): Baseline (58), 1 Month (45), 3 Month (46), 12 Month (42)





* R131649 RS2 Lithium-Ion Overdrive™ Rechargeable Battery DVT Report ** Quallion battery specification. http://www.arpae-summit.com/paperclip/exhibitor_docs/13AE/Quallion_LLC_36.pdf

Medtronic is invested in building long-term evidence for DTM[™] SCS powered by Intellis[™] with AdaptiveStim[™] technology.



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Intellis[™] with Overdrive[™] battery technology, guarantees 95% capacity after 9 years^{*}, with 3x faster recharge than traditional lithium ion batteries^{**}. so patients can have more free time to focus on their lives.



DTM[™] SCS RCT

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SUPERIOR PAIN RELIEF. **PROVEN¹**

DTM[™] SCS

A new therapy based on science and proven only on Intellis[™] with Overdrive[™] battery technology







BEYOND THE NEURON

Glial cells are active contributors to neural processing and various disease states, including chronic pain. In a pain state, glial cells are known to release factors that can sensitize neurons and cause pro-inflammatory responses, indicating they play a crucial role in the chronic pain process.²⁻⁴

Furthermore, decades of basic science research have discovered glials cells outnumber neurons 12:1 in the spinal cord.⁶ Pre-clinical evidence suggests glial cells can be modulated with electrical stimuli, resulting in the release of neurotransmitters, impacting cell-to-cell communication.²

BEHIND THE SCIENCE

Glial cells³:

- Are key contributors to chronic pain mechanisms
- Respond to neuronal signaling molecules
- **Release signaling molecules** (that can be protective or pathological)
- Release inflammatory signals in chronic pain states
- Respond to electrical stimuli⁵





In Pain State (Activated Glial Cell)

THE SYNAPTIC MICRO-ENVIRONMENT



TOWARD **A NEW THEORY**

Hypothesis: Do glial and neuronal cells have varied responses to different waveforms?

Conclusion: In pre-clinical studies, the DTM[™] waveform best modulates glial and neuronal gene expression back toward the non-pain state when compared to low or high frequency SCS.⁸⁻¹¹

MECHANICAL SENSITIVITY^{8,9}



Evaluated SCS modalities:

• DTM • HF = 1,200 Hz and PW = 50 µs • LF = 50 Hz and PW = 150 µs

GENE EXPRESSION ANALYSIS



Study Description:

Behavioral studies were conducted in spared nerve injury (SNI) models of pain in rodents. Testing included paw withdrawal to a mechanical stimulus.

The DTM[™] waveform has been studied in animal models, showing statistically significant reversal of pain behaviors compared to either low- or high-rate stimulation.7,8,11

Study Description:

Analysis of RNA expression comparing the pain state with non-pain state and SCS therapies in rodents.⁸⁻¹¹

With the DTM[™] waveform:

- Glial cells were modulated. in addition to neurons.
- The neuron and microglia modulation was closest to non-pain state compared to low or high frequency alone.
- Genes related to biological functions, such as neuroinflammation. were modulated towards the nonpain state.¹¹

INSPIRED BY SCIENCE

How is DTM[™] SCS is applied to your patient? **DTM[™] SCS is a proprietary, multiplexed algorithm** coordinating multiple signals at multiple anatomical targets. Therapy and settings are customized to your individual patient's needs.

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AMPLITUDES

Patient selection in the DTM[™] RCT was as follows ¹

- Patients diagnosed with back and leg pain, including unilateral pain (back/leg) $(\geq 5 \text{ cm VAS in low back pain with moderate to severe leg pain})$
- Diagnoses consistent with commercial labeling
- SCS naïve

DTM[™] SCS proprietary algorithm includes:

SIGNALS THERAPY **OPTIONS**

ANATOMICAL PATIENT TARGETS

Every DTM[™] SCS therapy option coordinates multiple signals into one distinct therapy. The signals vary in frequency, pulse width, amplitude, and anatomical targets.



DTM[™] SCS Workflow

Step-by-Step Process of Implementing DTM[™] SCS Therapy



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IF lead spans MID T8–MID T10, THEN consider the DTM[™] SCS workflow.

- A flouro shot is recommended after lead anchoring to ensure final lead placement.
- Use DTM[™] SCS therapy, **a programming** algorithm based on the coordination of multiple signals at multiple targets.



Conduct daily patient follow-up to assess for optimal programming.

