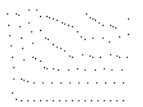
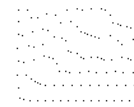
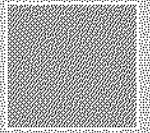




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New USCOM Study: Validated Against Invasive Method

Wednesday, January 12, 2005: USCOM Limited (ASX Code: UCM) announced today the presentation of new research confirming the accuracy of the USCOM cardiac output monitor when compared to the established invasive method.

The study, titled, "Cardiac Output Measurement With the USCOM Ultrasonic Cardiac Output Monitor" was presented today at the 2nd Asian Pacific Congress of Heart Failure (APCHF) being held in Singapore.

The study was conducted at the Advanced Heart Failure and Cardiac Transplant Unit at Royal Perth Hospital, where the USCOM system was compared to the gold standard thermodilution catheter method, with 83 paired data sets from 15 patients.

The study concludes, *"The USCOM is a non-invasive device that has good agreement with invasive measurements over a wide range of relevant cardiac outputs."*

The lead author of the study, is Professor Gerry O'Driscoll, Head of Heart Failure and Cardiac Transplantation at Royal Perth Hospital.

The Royal Perth Cardiology Department is recognised for excellence in both clinical practice and important medical research. The department treats over 4,000 inpatients and approximately 4,500 outpatients annually.