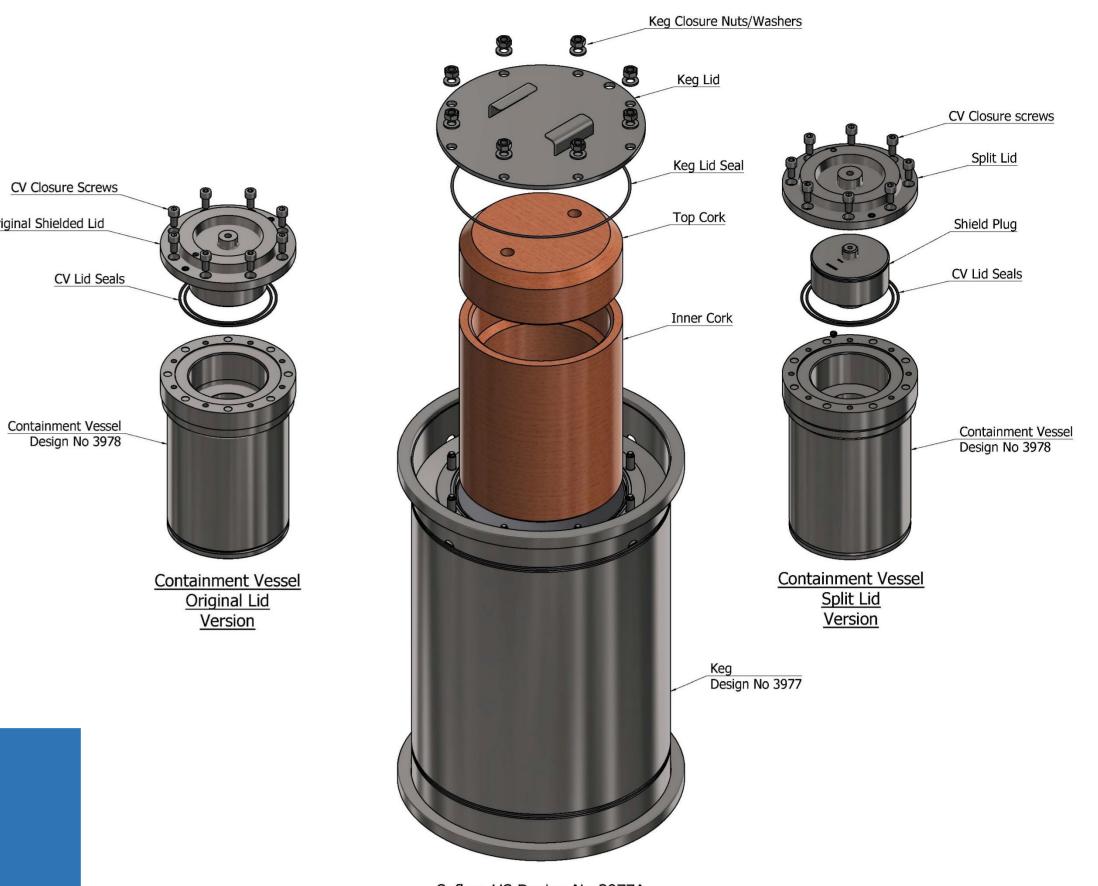
## **Modifications to the HS Safkeg 3977A** for Molybdenum 99 Contents

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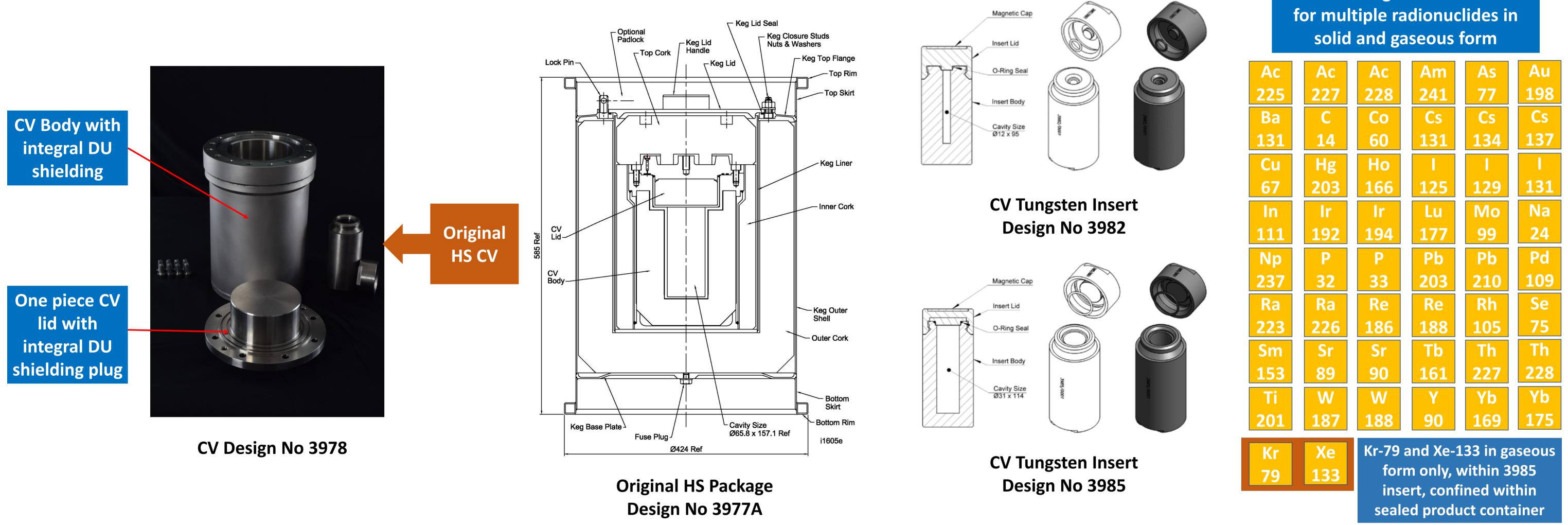




Safkeg HS Design No 3977A

## **Original HS 3977A Package (solid and gaseous contents)**

The HS 3977A was originally conceived in 2008 to meet the need of US and international operators for a general-purpose Type B(U) container able to transport a wide array of radionuclides. The design development led to a full prototype and test programme commencing in 2010, which culminated in an initial issue of Certificate of Compliance by the NRC in early 2014



With either the 3982 or 3985 insert the original HS is licensed

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| Ac  | Ac  | Ac  | Am  | As  | Au  |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 225 | 227 | 228 | 241 | 77  | 198 |
| Ba  | С   | Со  | Cs  | Cs  | Cs  |
| 131 | 14  | 60  | 131 | 134 | 137 |
| Cu  | Hg  | Но  |     |     | 1   |
| 67  | 203 | 166 | 125 | 129 | 131 |
| In  | Ir  | Ir  | Lu  | Мо  | Na  |
| 111 | 192 | 194 | 177 | 99  | 24  |
| Np  | Р   | Ρ   | Pb  | Pb  | Pd  |
| 237 | 32  | 33  | 203 | 210 | 109 |

## HS 3977A Design Modifications (addition of liquid contents)

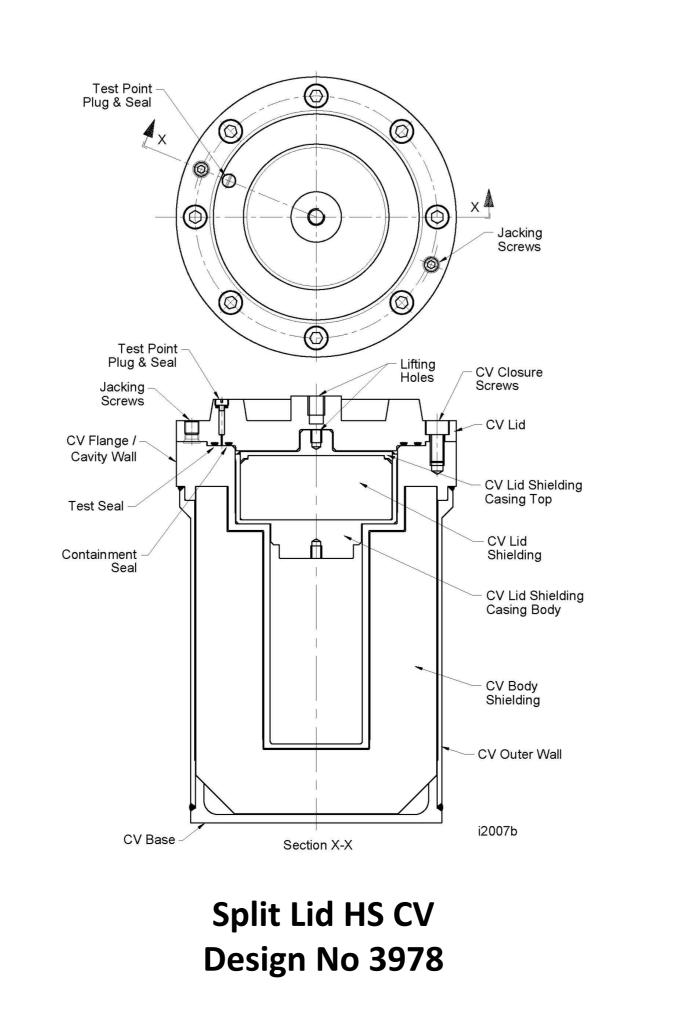
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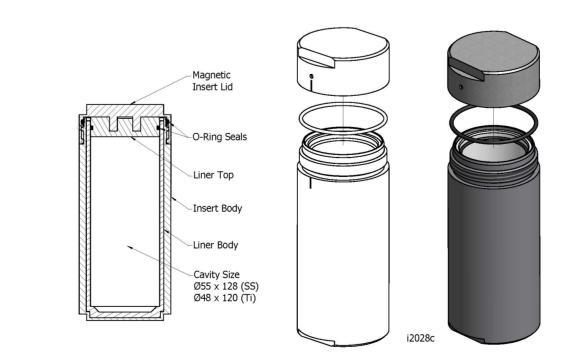
HS CV

Following the HS 3977A introduction in 2014, in the original configuration as described above, it quickly became apparent from client feedback and further market engagement that the package was ideally suited to the transportation of additional radionuclides such as I-131 and Mo-99. These isotopes are commonly transported in liquid solution form to service the rapidly expanding medical radioisotopes market. The Containment Vessel (CV) and inserts were therefore subject to design modifications, with the outer container unchanged from the original design, to allow transportation of Mo-99 and I-131 in liquid form









The 3987 insert, coupled with a suitable product container, is licenced to transport I-131 in liquid form. This insert may only

unmodified, integral DU shielding

Two piece CV

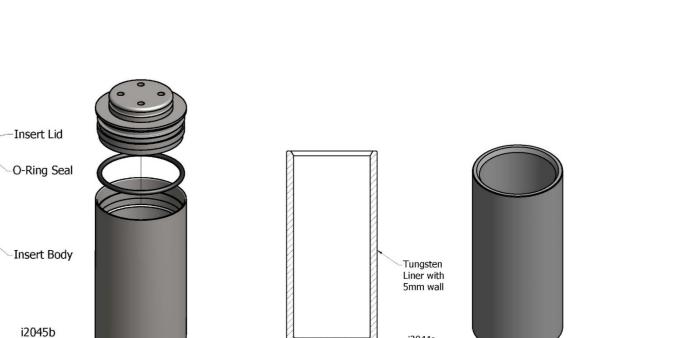
lid with

separate DU

shielding plug

CV Design No 3978

CV St Steel / Titanium Insert Design No 3987



be utilised with the original CV design

The 4081 insert, coupled with a suitable product container, is licenced to transport Mo-99 in liquid form. This insert may only be utilised within the modified split lid CV

**CV St Steel Insert and Tungsten Liner** Design No 4081



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