RADIO MARKETING NOTES:

"Giant Molecules."

S100-13 (Remake)

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Further Information about the Programme

Unit 13 of S100 became a non-examinable Unit in 1971. Its original function was to bridge a gap between the chemistry that preceeded it and the biology that follows. This function is now taken over by this radio programme, which expounds one of the concepts that are necessary to link chemistry with biology, namely that of 'giant molecules', which may contain hundreds or thousands of atoms and make up a large part of living matter.

After a general consideration of what a 'giant molecule' is be it a man-made plastic, carbohydrate, or protein, most of the broadcast is used to guide the student through the complex-looking formulae in his correspondence text.