

# CT-X-ray angiography hybrid systems

Innovation to keep pace  
with a changing world

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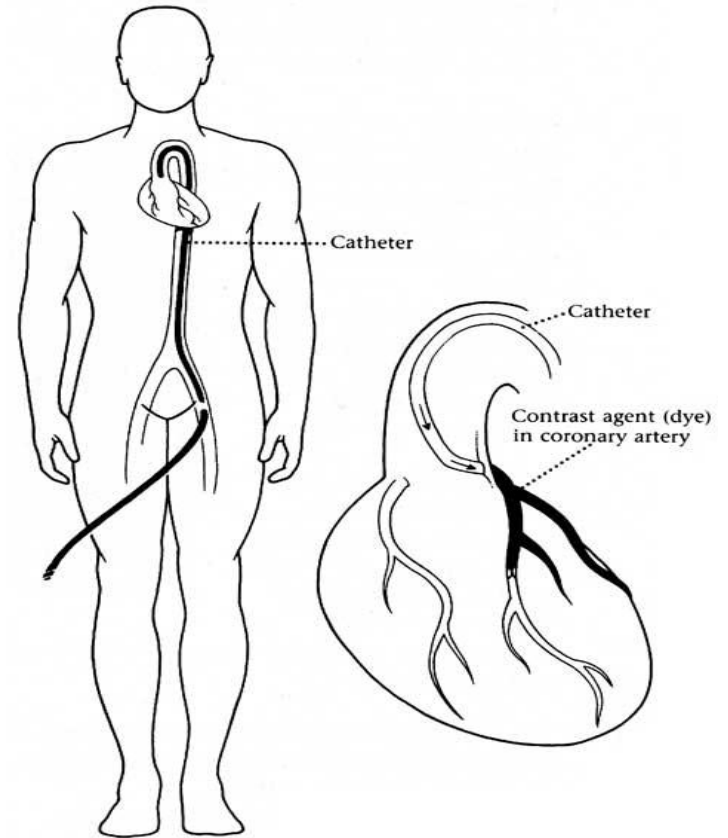
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# Catheter Angiography

## CTA

## MRA



The average replacement time for angio technology to be 12 years, longer than other imaging modalities. Typically, CT or MR replacement is 7~8 years.

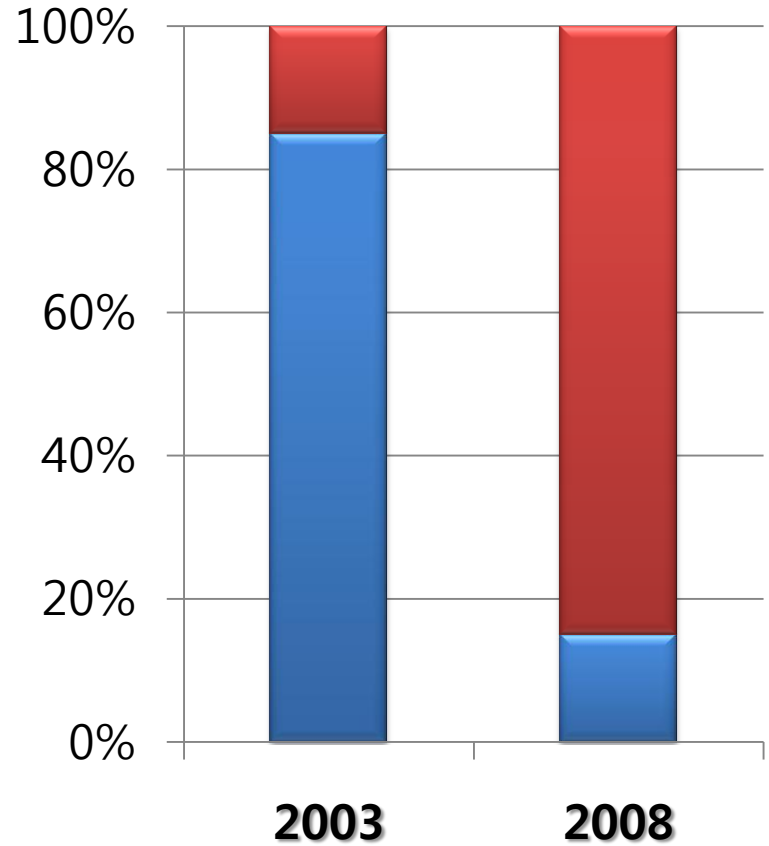
# Angiography Technology

**Analog** Generation : Image Intensifier with CINE film



**Digital** generation : Flat panel detector with digital data

■ Analog Image Intensifier  
■ FPD



The switch from AIIs to FPDs accounts for most of the growth in the angio market.

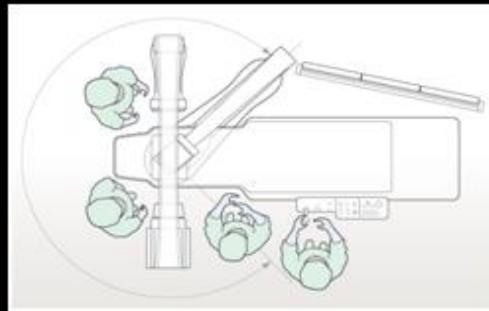
# Hardware Technology



Lateral Movement for Radial Approach



Vertical movement of FPD and Tube



Unparallelled Patient Access



New display monitor system

**“Modification for user friendly interface”**

# Advancement of Post-processing

- Improves Moving Wire Contrast and Device Contrast and Visibility
- Reduces Noise
- Eliminates Image Lag

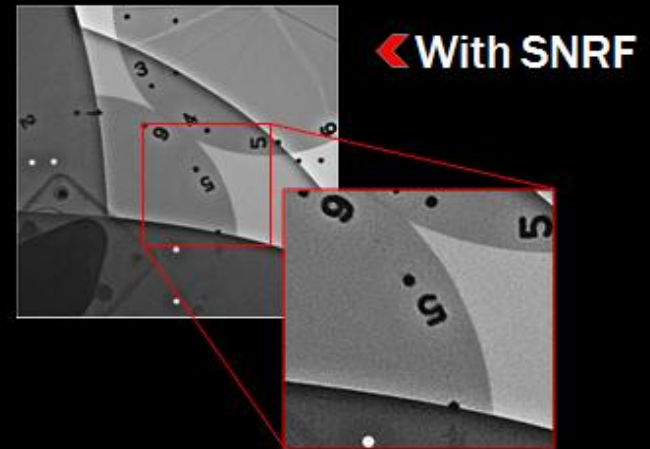
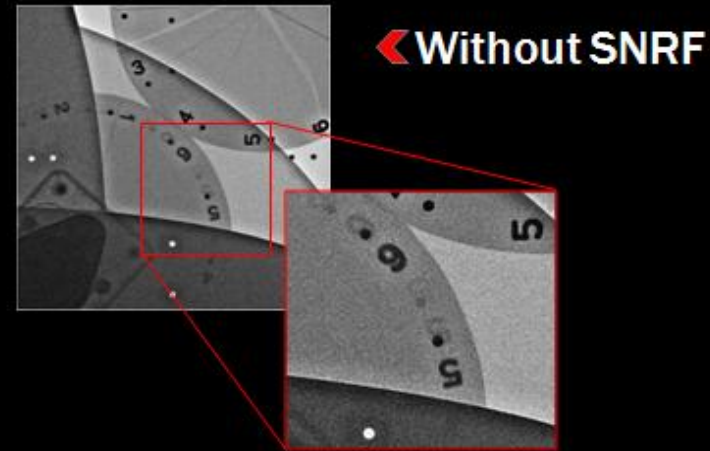
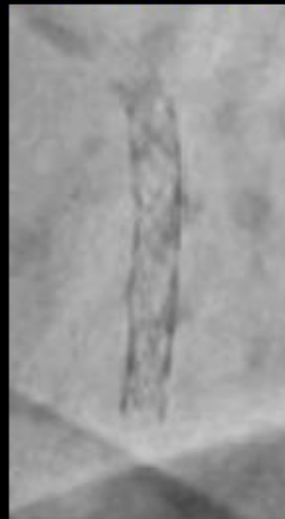
*First Generation*



*Second Generation*



*Next Generation AIP*

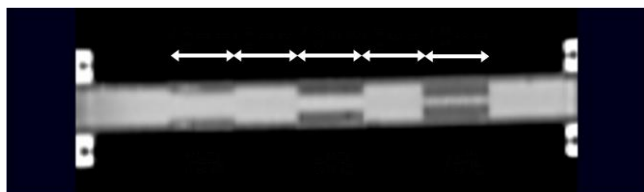
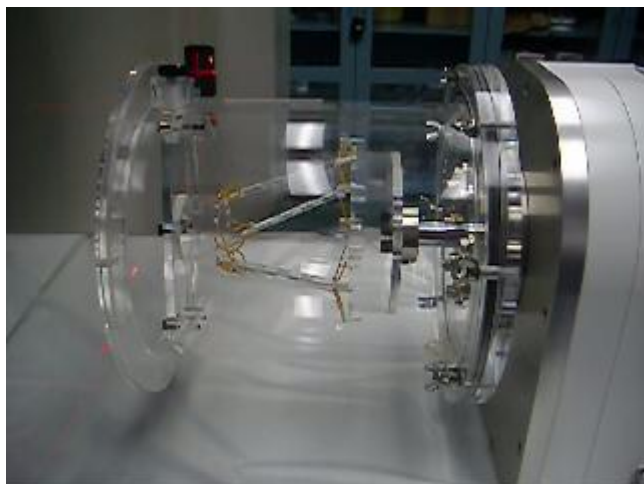


# Limitations of Fluoroscopy

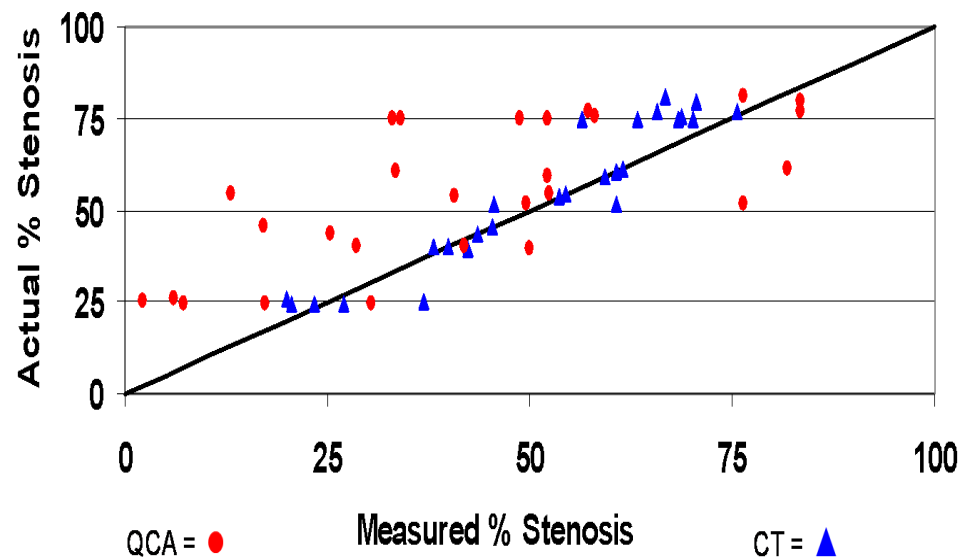
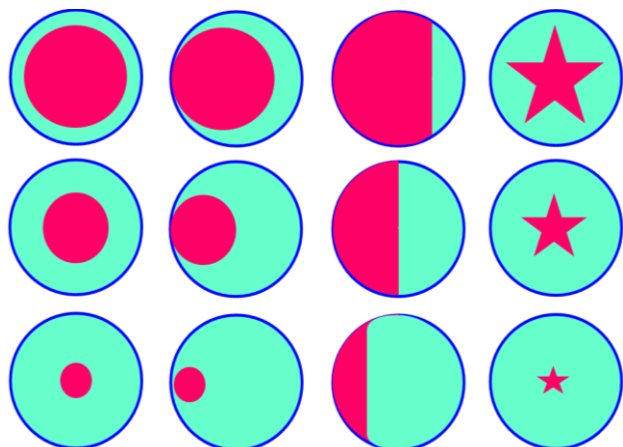
- Prolonged radiation exposure
- Adverse effects of contrast dye utilization
- Inability to image soft-tissue
- 2-D representation of 3-D structures

# Accuracy Of Stenosis Quantification By 64-Slice Computed Tomography And Quantitative Angiography Compared To Known Dimensions

## Non-Circular lesions



57 Stenoses (measurement accuracy  $\leq 0.01$  mm)



Mean Error  $\pm$  SD:  $18.5 \pm 11.6$     Mean Error  $\pm$  SD:  $6.8 \pm 4.7$      $p < 0.001$

Arbab-Zadeh A, EHJ 2010

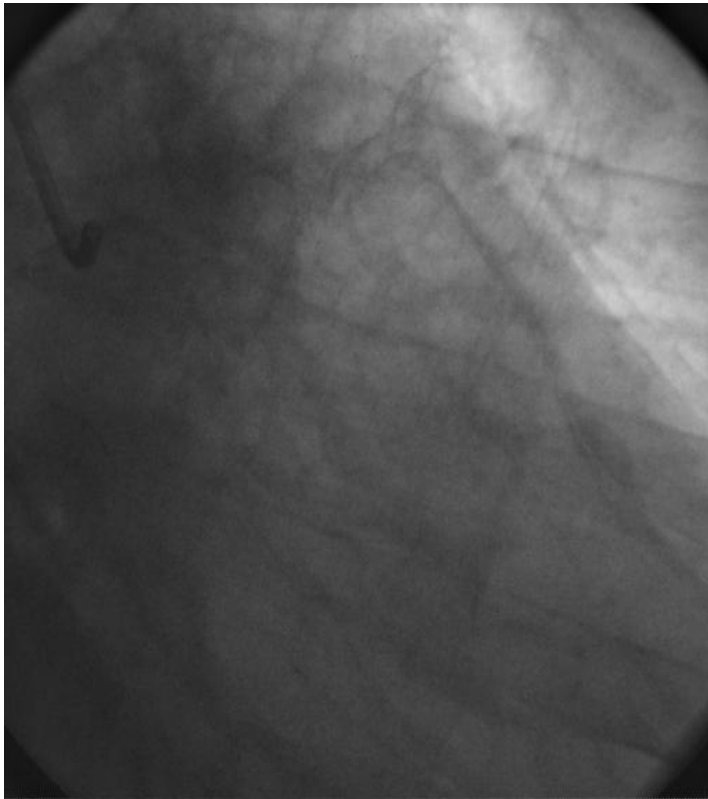
# Computed Tomography

- Detailed anatomic assessment
- 3-D dataset which can be reconstructed and analyzed in multiple views
- Used often in procedural planning for cardiac catheterization and structural interventions



# Case: Intervention-Success

M/48, Chest Pain 6M



calcium score 1 101 1 48

Patient name	Patient id
calcium score 1	101 1
calcium score 2	102 1
calcium score 3	103 1
cornea 1	110 1
cornea 2	111 1
cornea multiplane 1	112 1
cornea plaque 1	107 1
cornea plaque 2	108 1
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Multi Phase	0000
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vascular carotid 1	104 1
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vascular runoff 1	106 1

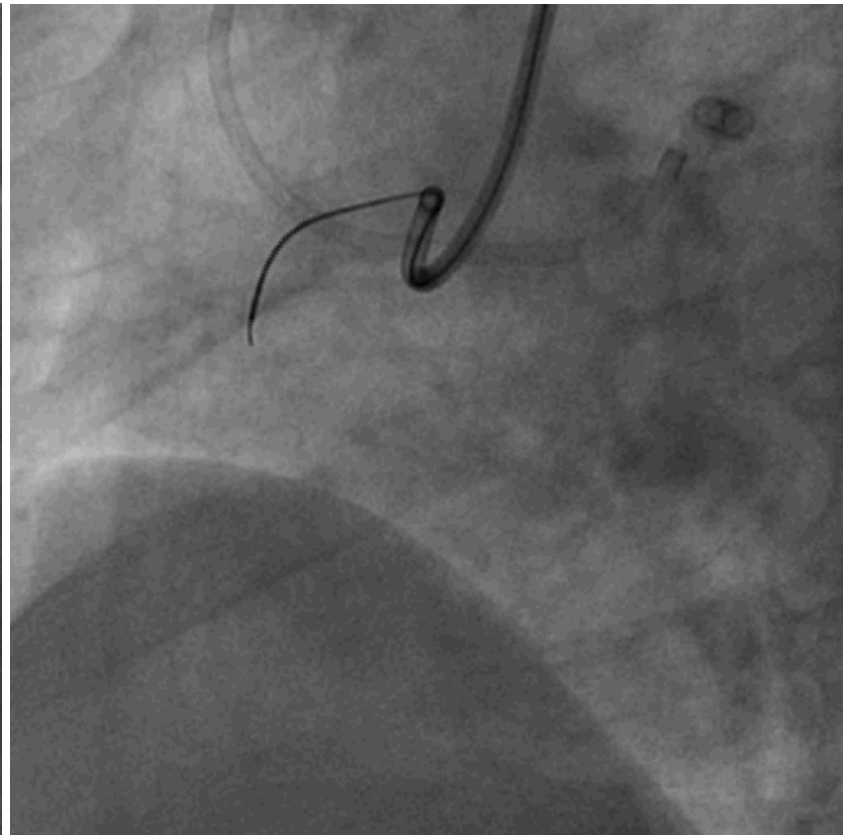
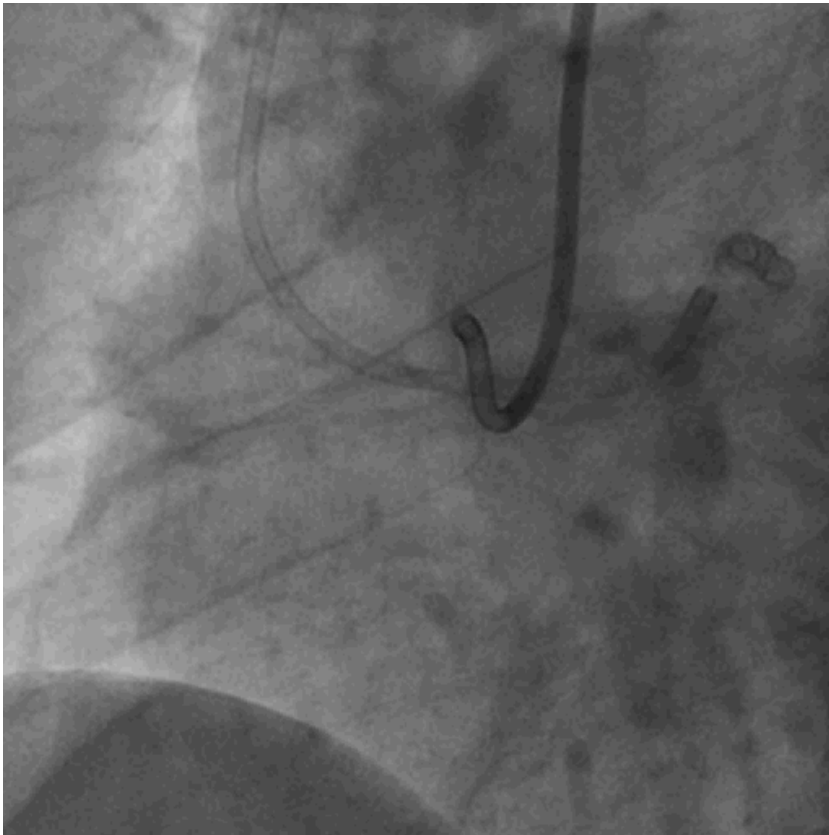


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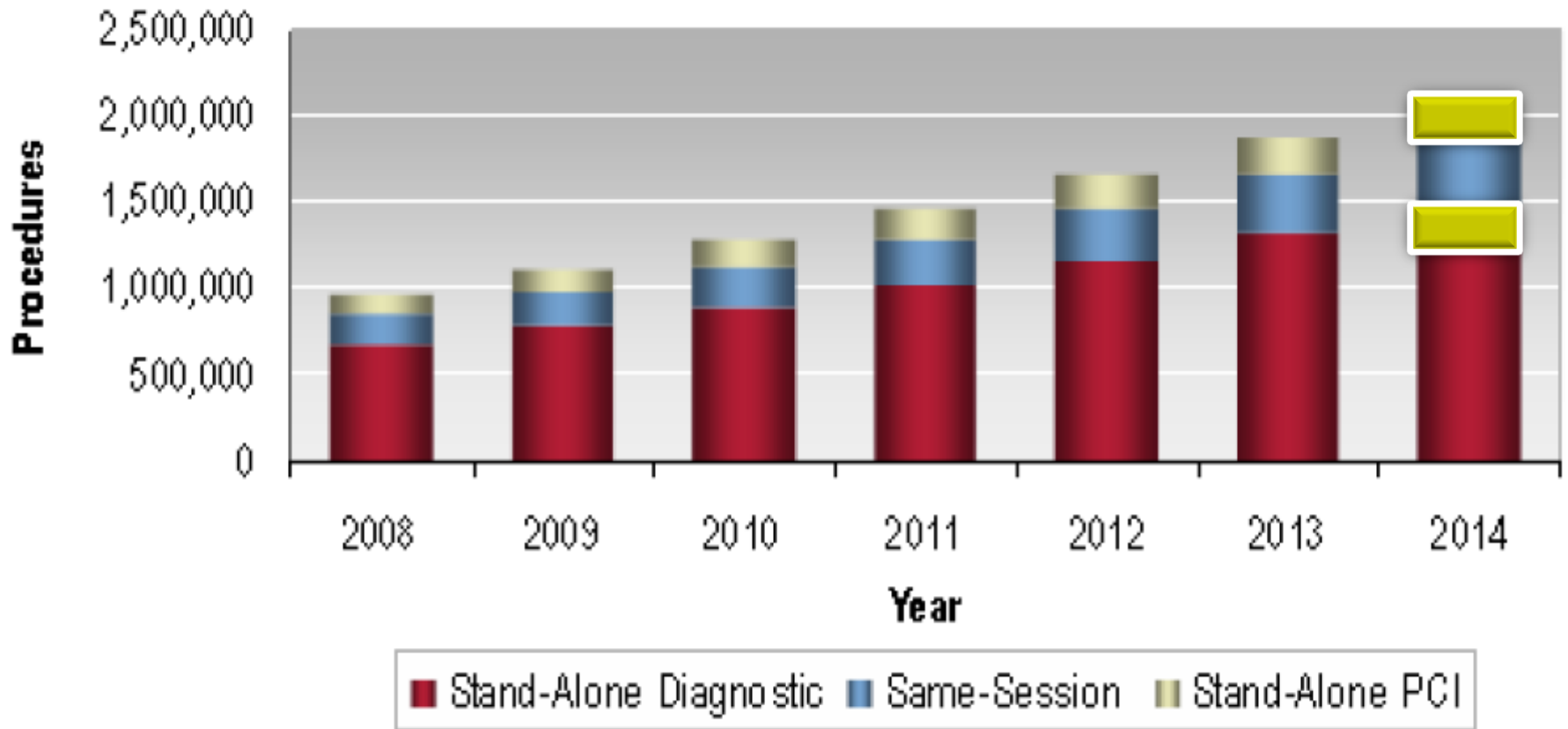
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# CTO (Chronic Total Occlusion) Intervention



# Procedure Type

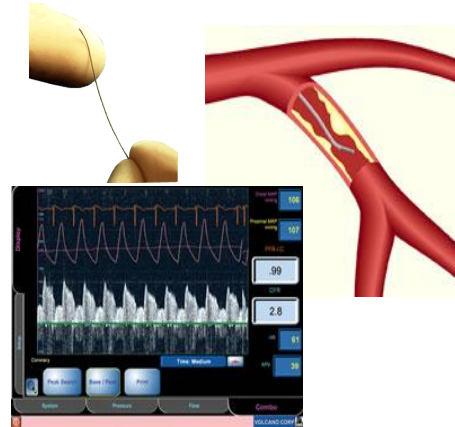
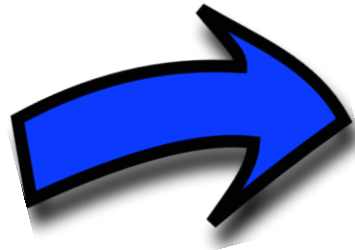
Asia Pacific. 2008-14



# Expected Workflow of “Intermediate”



Intermediate stenosis



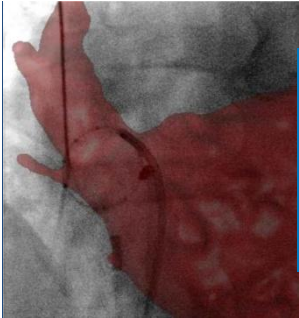
**'On site'** invasive work-up:  
high cost and invasiveness



**'Off-site'** non-invasive work-up:  
Extra-day work-up and procedure

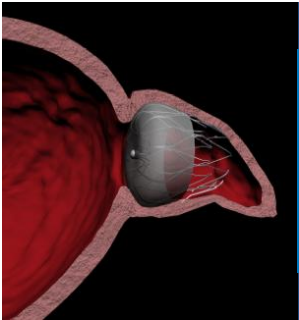
# New growth markets in Cardiology

Procedures become more aggressive!



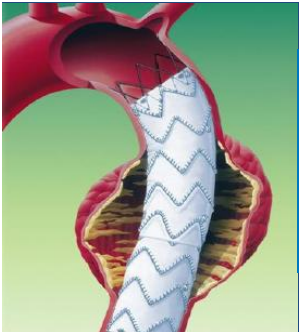
**+15%/year**

Electrophysiology



**+200%/year**

Structural heart disease



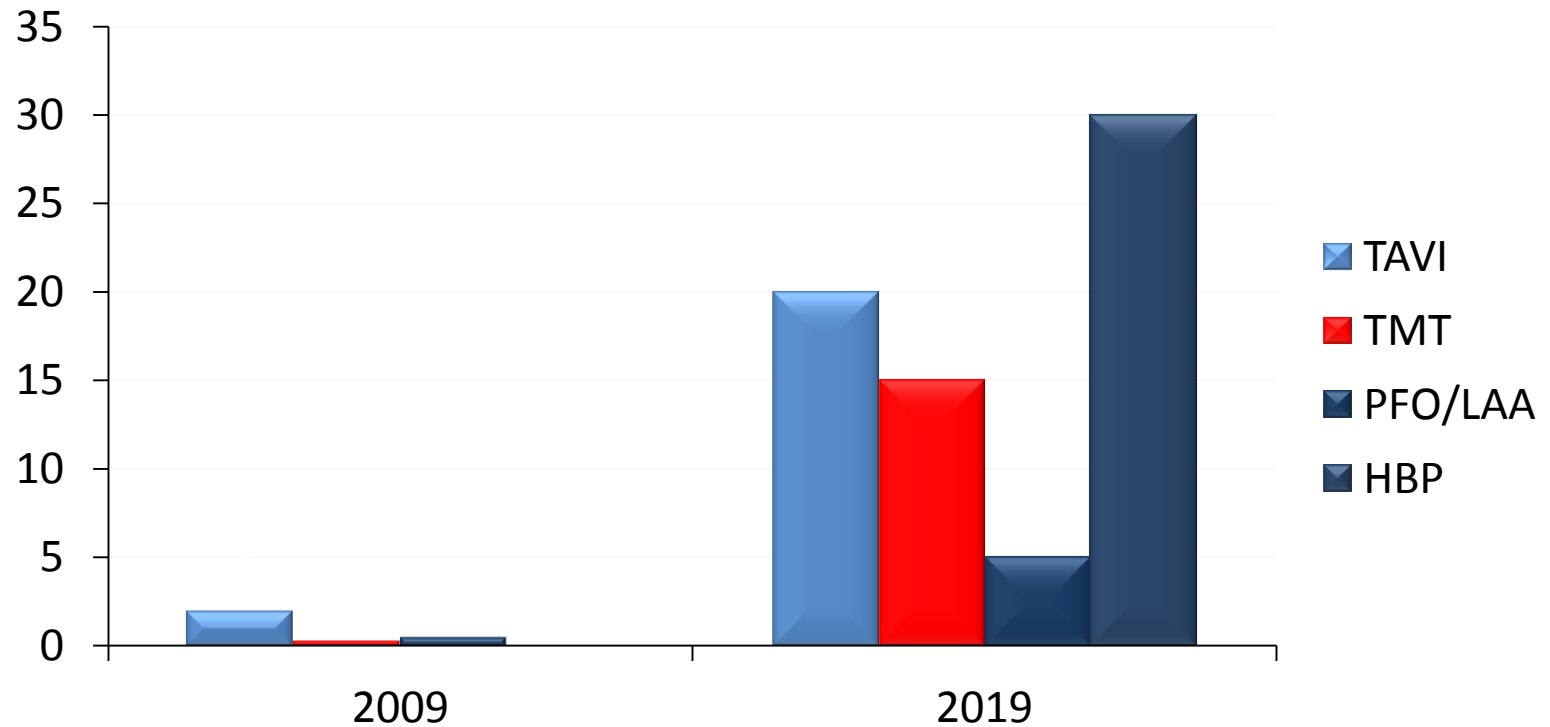
**+20%/year**

Endovascular procedures

# STRUCTURAL HEART DISEASE Market Potential

USD

"In a Decade >7 Billion USD"



# CT Aids for X-ray angiography

## Angiographic CT

- Siemens: DynaCT<sup>®</sup> 05'
- GE: Innova<sup>®</sup> 04'
- Philips: XperCT<sup>®</sup> 04'
- Toshiba: LCI<sup>®</sup> 07'

## CT-angio

- Siemens: Miyabi<sup>®</sup>
- GE: Angio-CT<sup>®</sup>
- Philips: -
- Toshiba: IVR-CT<sup>®</sup>



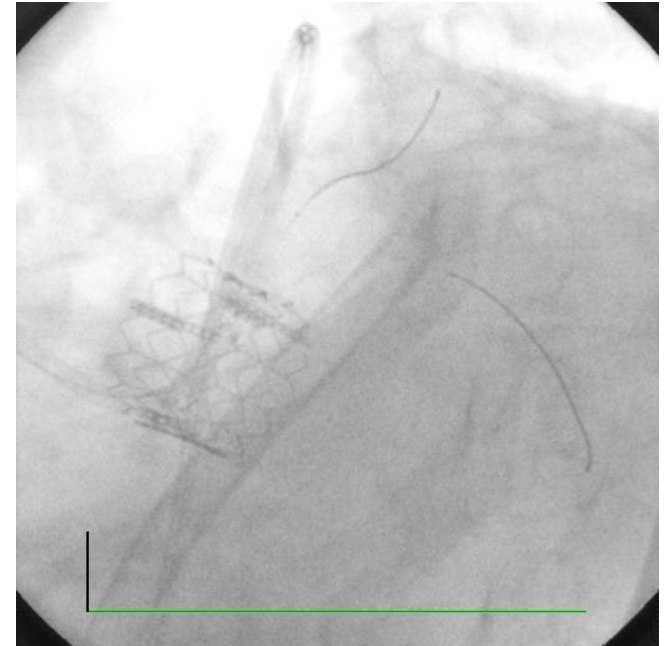
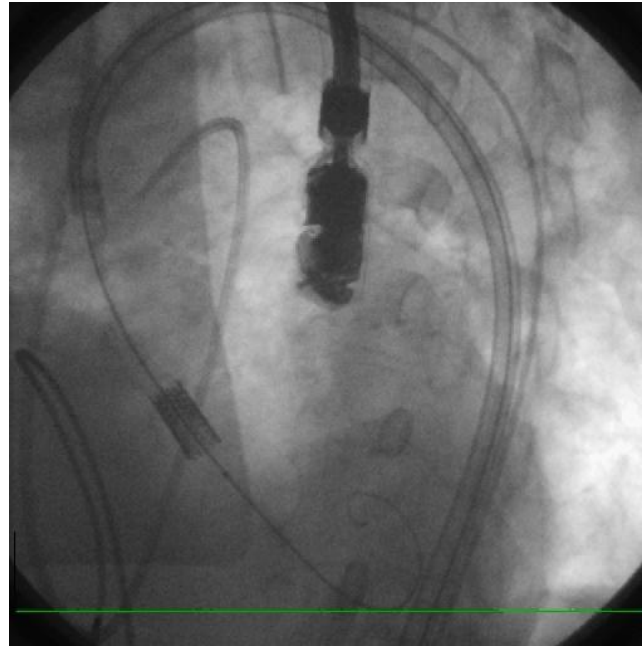
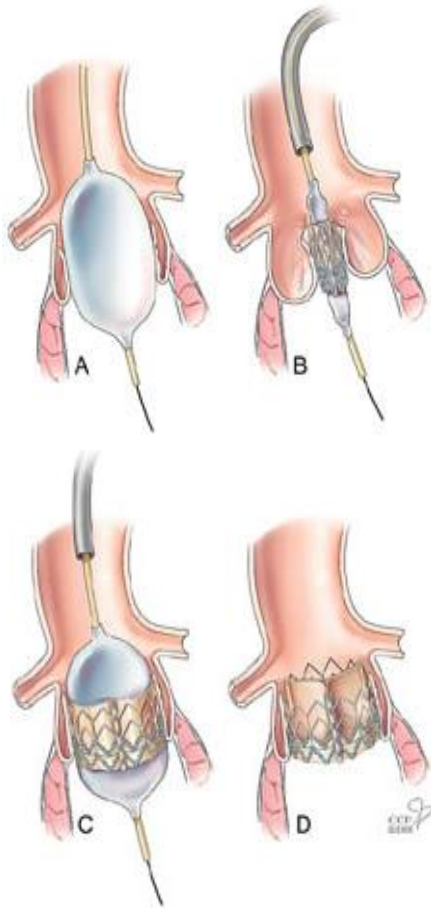
# DynaCT<sup>®</sup> Cardiac protocol

	Non-gated (20x20 or 30x40)	Gated (30x40 FD only)
Technical differentiation	Un-gated 4 - 5 sec/run 30 frames/sec during run Recon ≈ 30 sec	ECG-triggered acquisition Retrospective ECG-gating 25 sec/4runs 60 frames/sec during runs Recon ≈ 2.5 min
Clinical differentiation	Limited temp resolution Good enough for LA segmentation* Breath for only 5 sec	Breath hold for 25 sec
Contrast agent	≈ 100 ml Test bolus required Injector (synchronization with acquisition system) required No dilution Acquisition Delay :4 - 10 sec**	≈ 100 - 150 ml " " " Acquisition Delay: 10 sec**

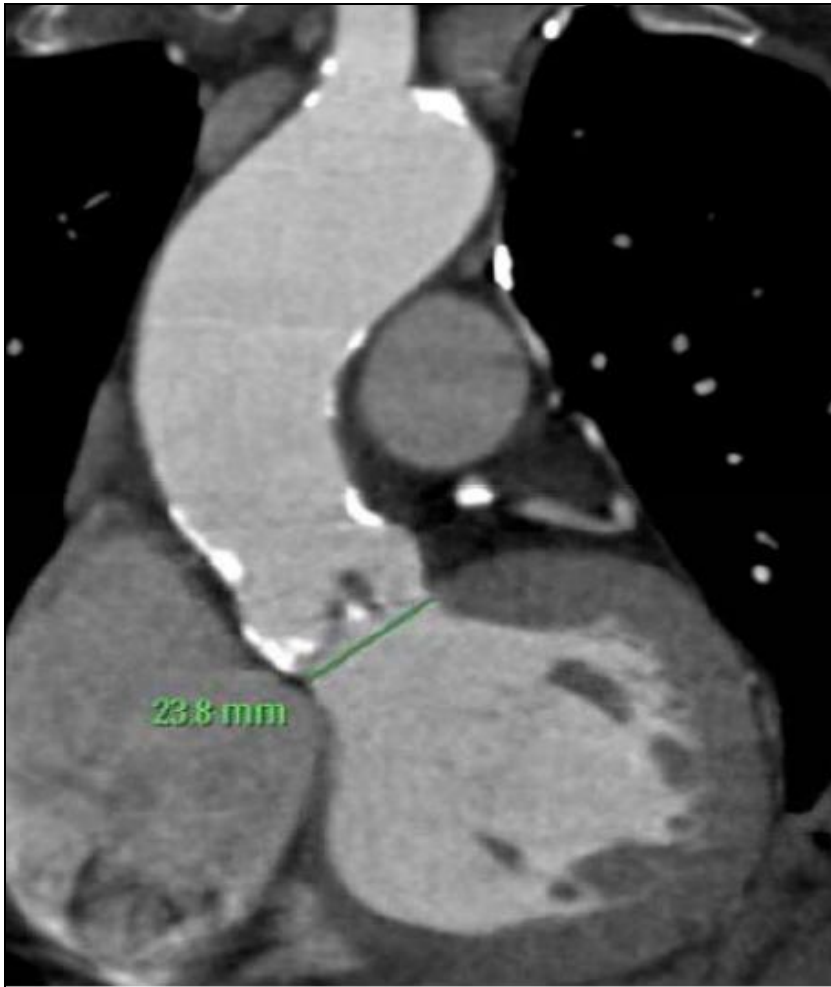
\*With 20x20 FD, exact positioning of LA in iso-center needed

\*\*Patients specific

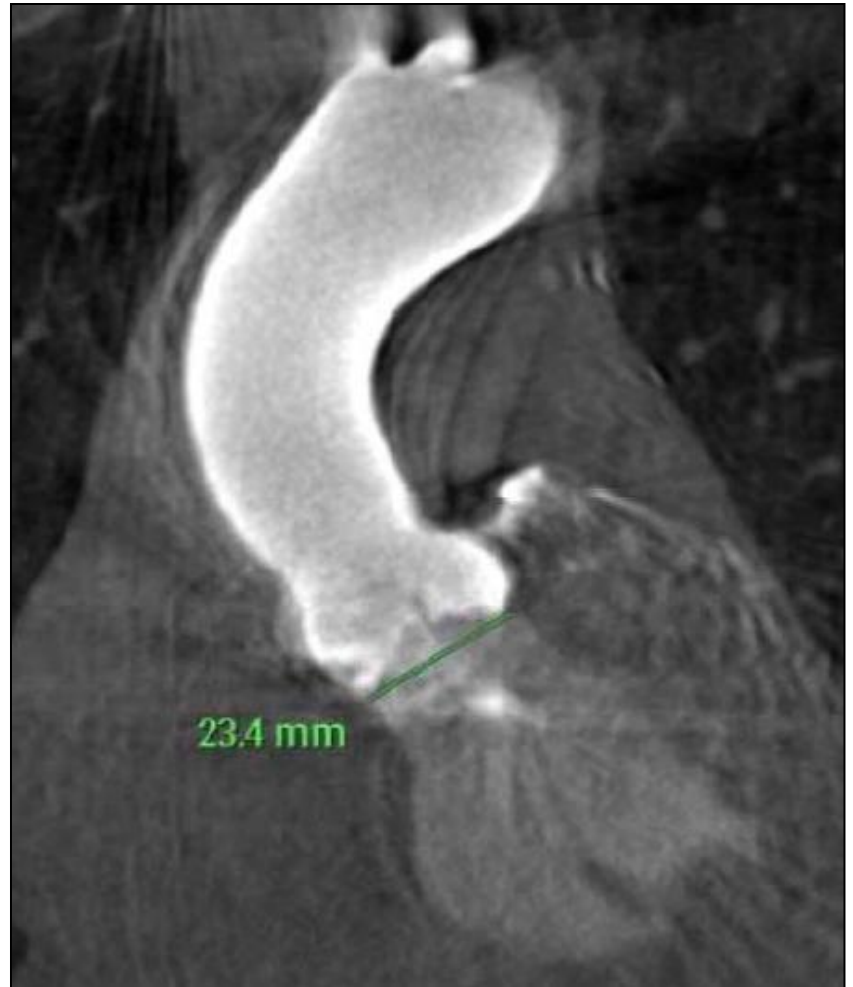
# Transcatheter AV Implantation



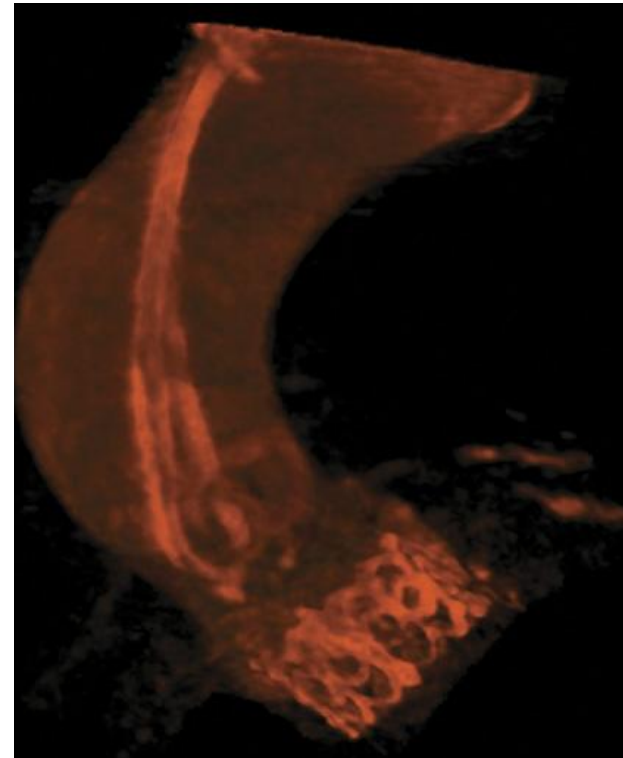
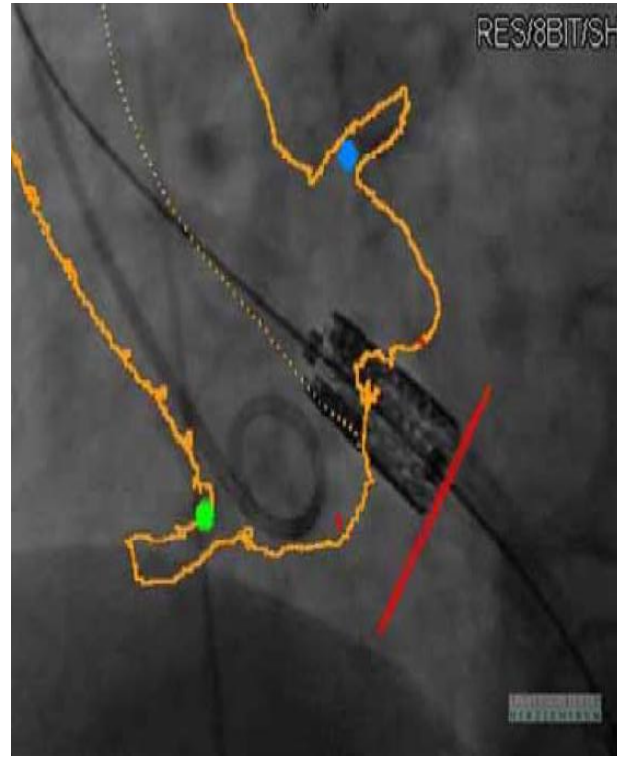
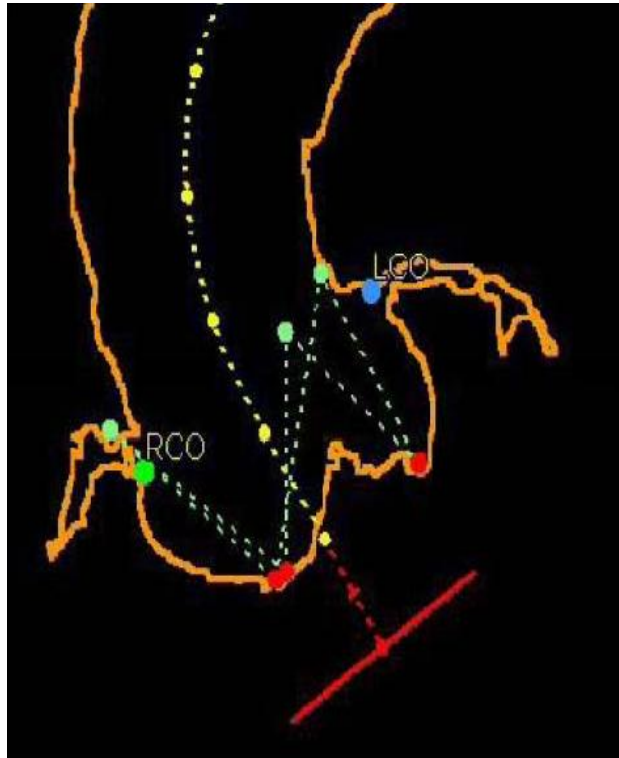
## Conventional CT



## DynaCT



# DYNA CT during TAVI



Walther et al., Heartcenter Univ of Leipzig, Germany

Kempfert et al., Ann Thorac Surg 2009

# Fusion of old CT, Dyna CT and Fluoroscopy

Fluoroscopy

3D CT

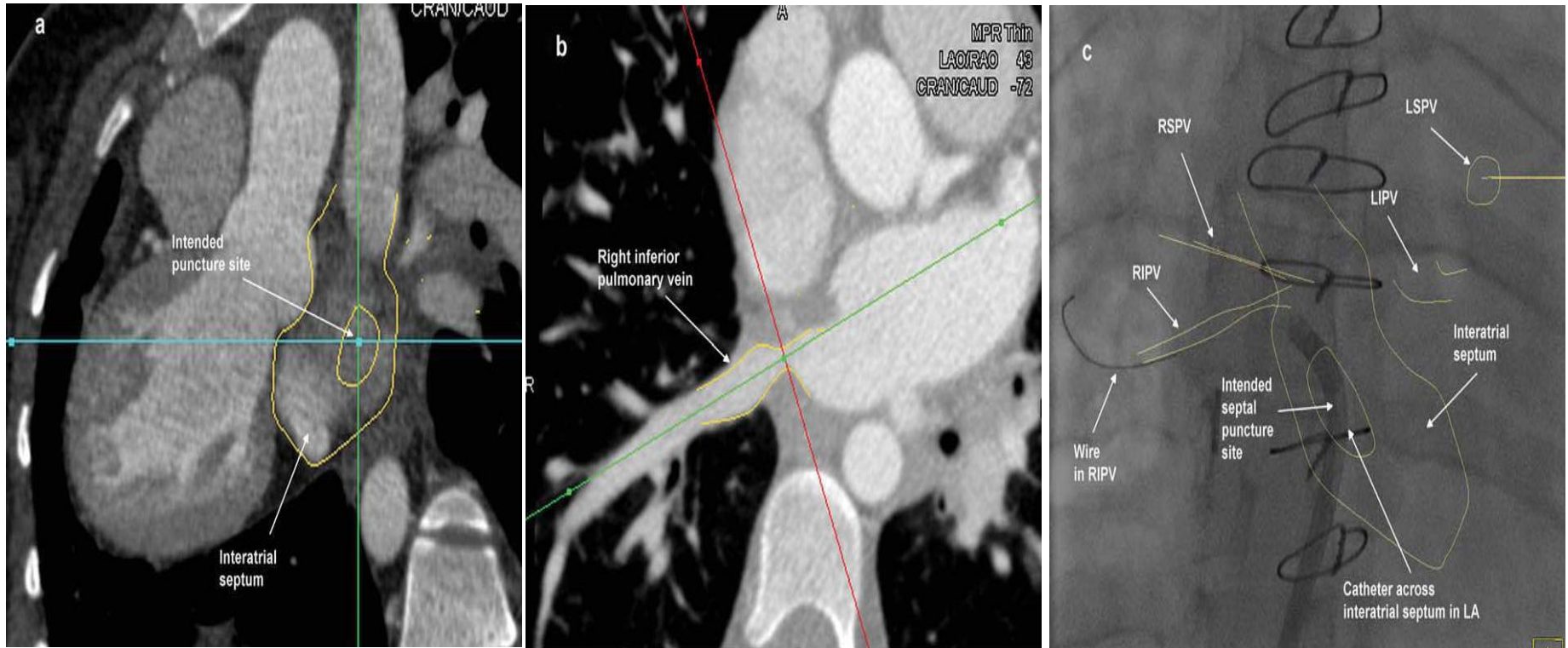
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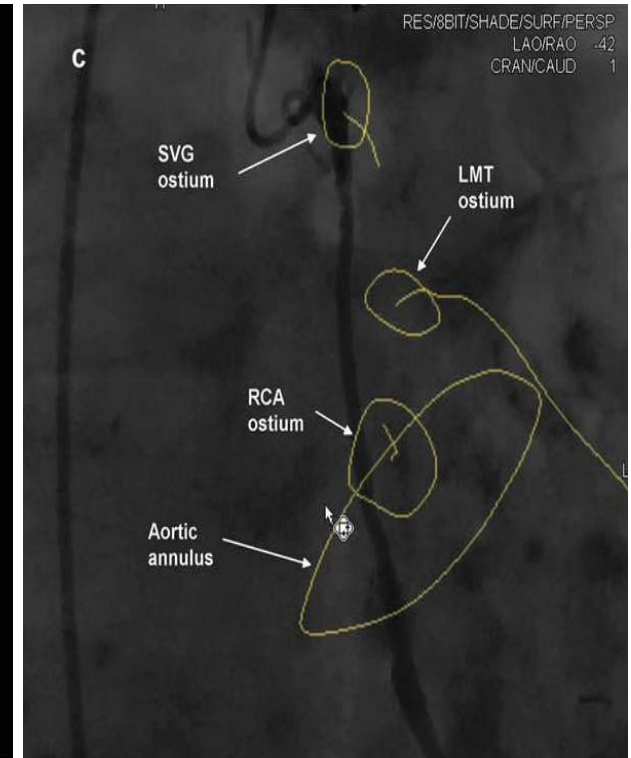
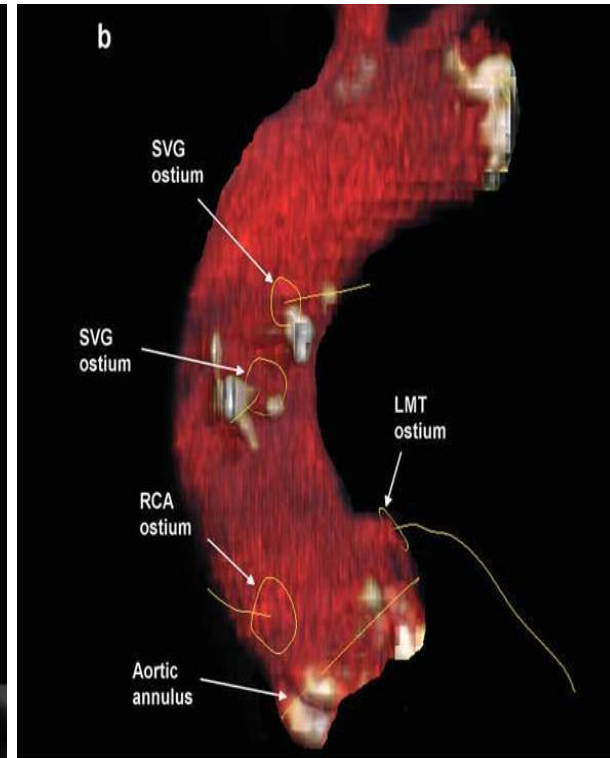
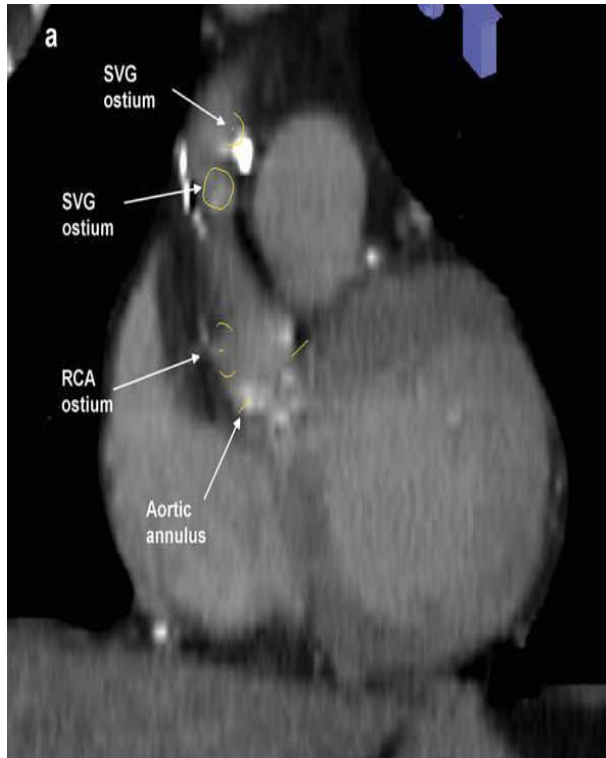
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graph TD; Fluoroscopy --> DynaCT; 3D_CT[3D CT] --> DynaCT; DynaCT --> Overlay[Overlay of CT information on to real-time fluoroscopy];
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Overlay of CT information on to  
real-time fluoroscopy

# Pulmonary Vein Stenting



# Bypass Graft Cannulation



# Limitations of DynaCT

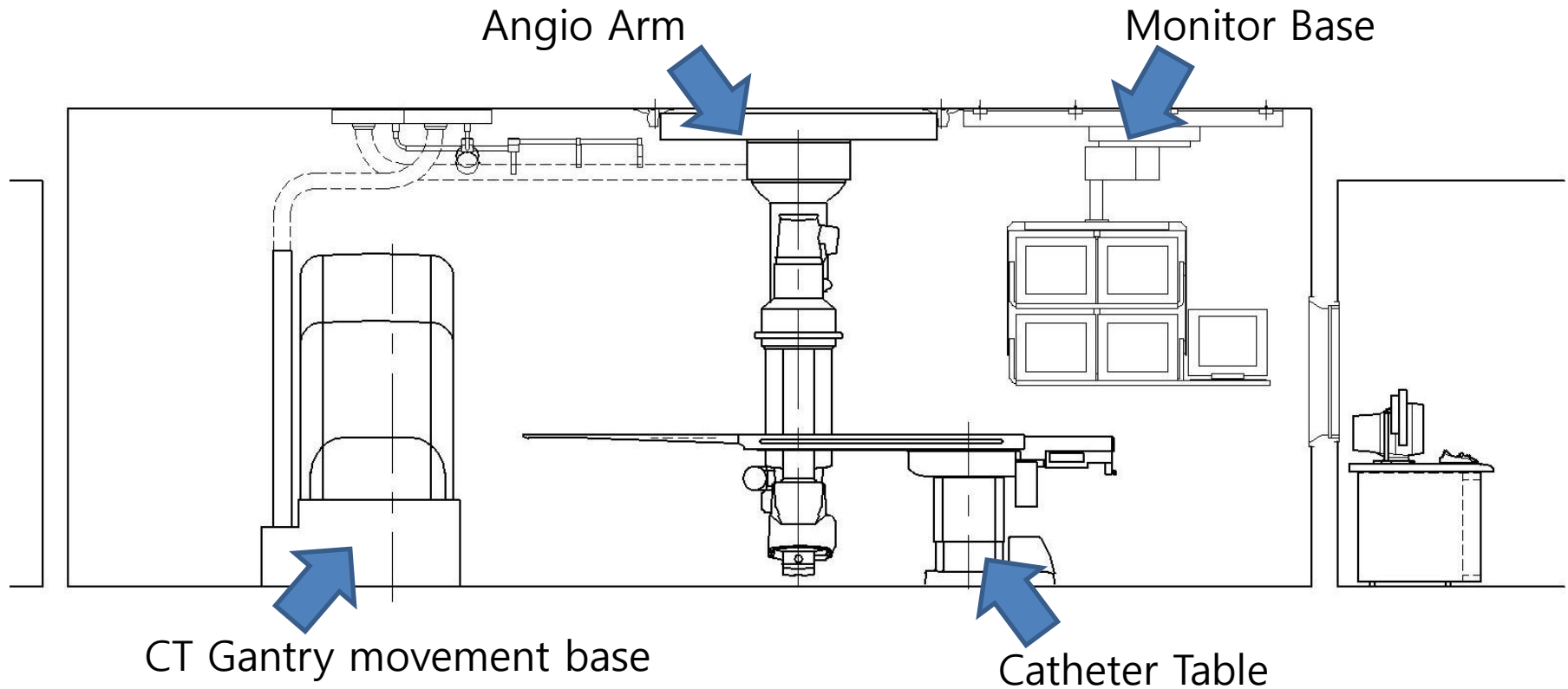
- Image resolution of non-contrast DynaCT:
  - Faster spin to allow minimal contrast utilization and decrease motion during the scan
- Radiation exposure  
Effective Dose: 5.5 – 6.5 mSv
  - Routine angiography: 5 mSv
  - Cardiac CT angiography: 1~12 mSv
  - Nuclear perfusion imaging: 22 mSv
- Movement of the patient on the table: “misalignment”
  - Interactive breath hold system
  - Software upgrade for easier image manipulation



# CT-Angiography Hybrid System Configuration



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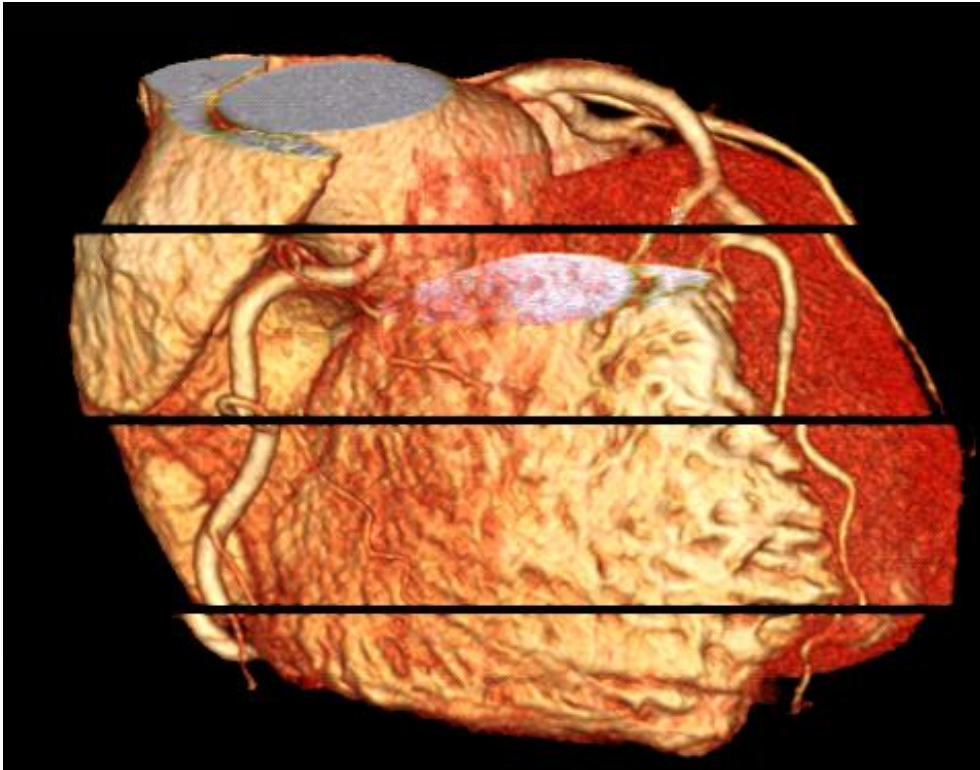


Side View

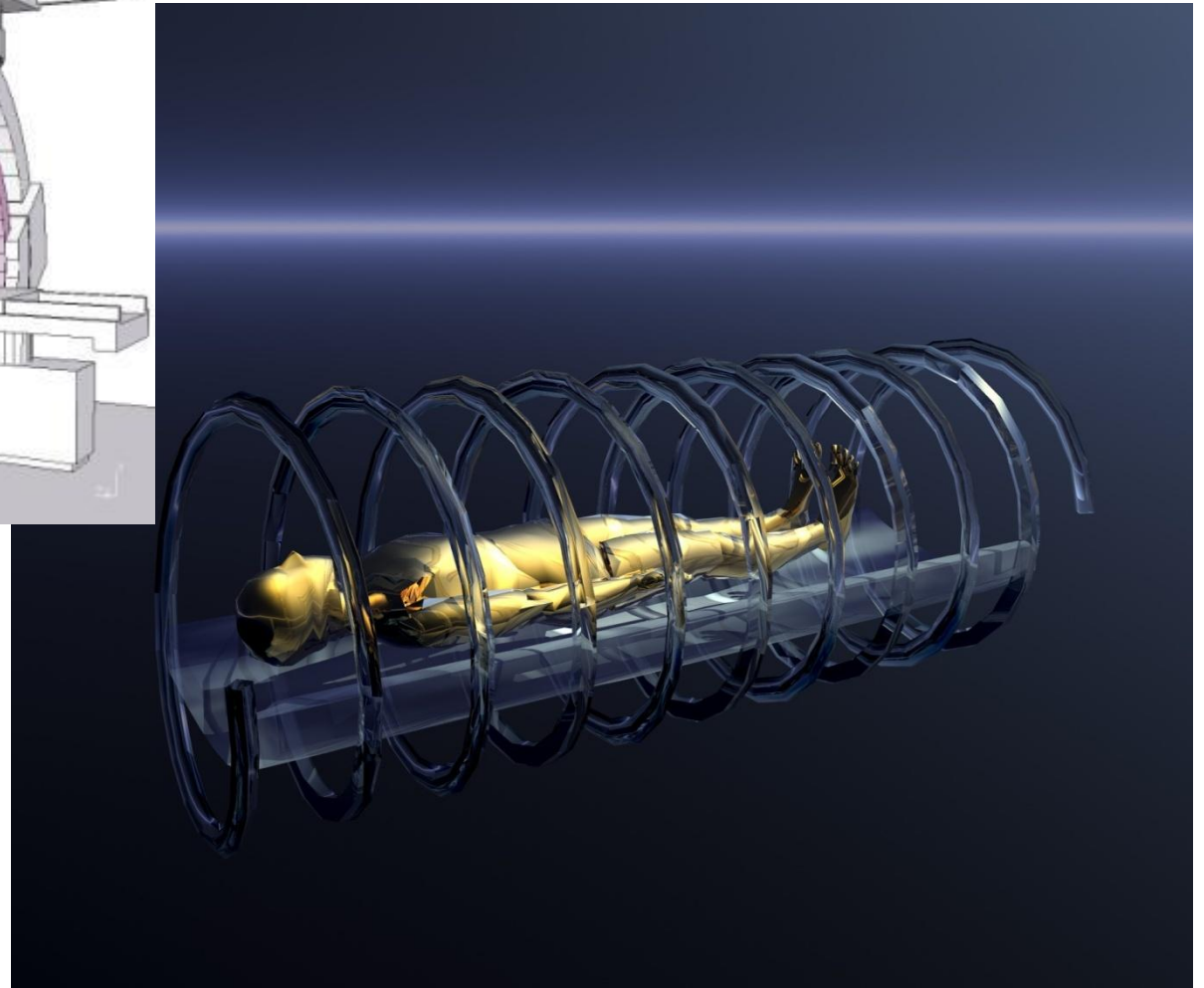
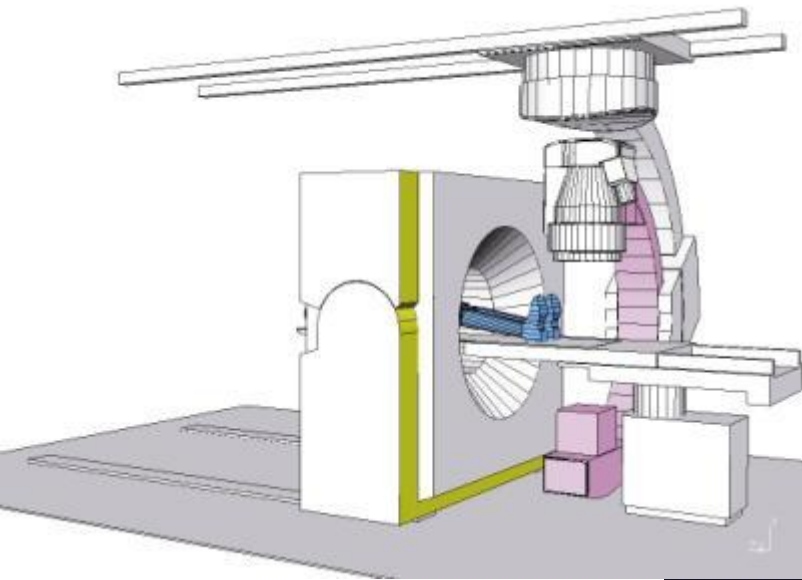
# Development of CT-Angiography Hybrid System

	Siemens	GE	Philips	Toshiba
Single			-	1992
4 slice	2004		-	2000
16 slice	2004		-	2003
64 slice	2004		-	2007
128 slice		2008	-	2010
640 slice			-	

# Advantages of Volume CT



- Detector coverage
- Radiation and Contrast dose
- Temporal resolution /uniformity
- ...

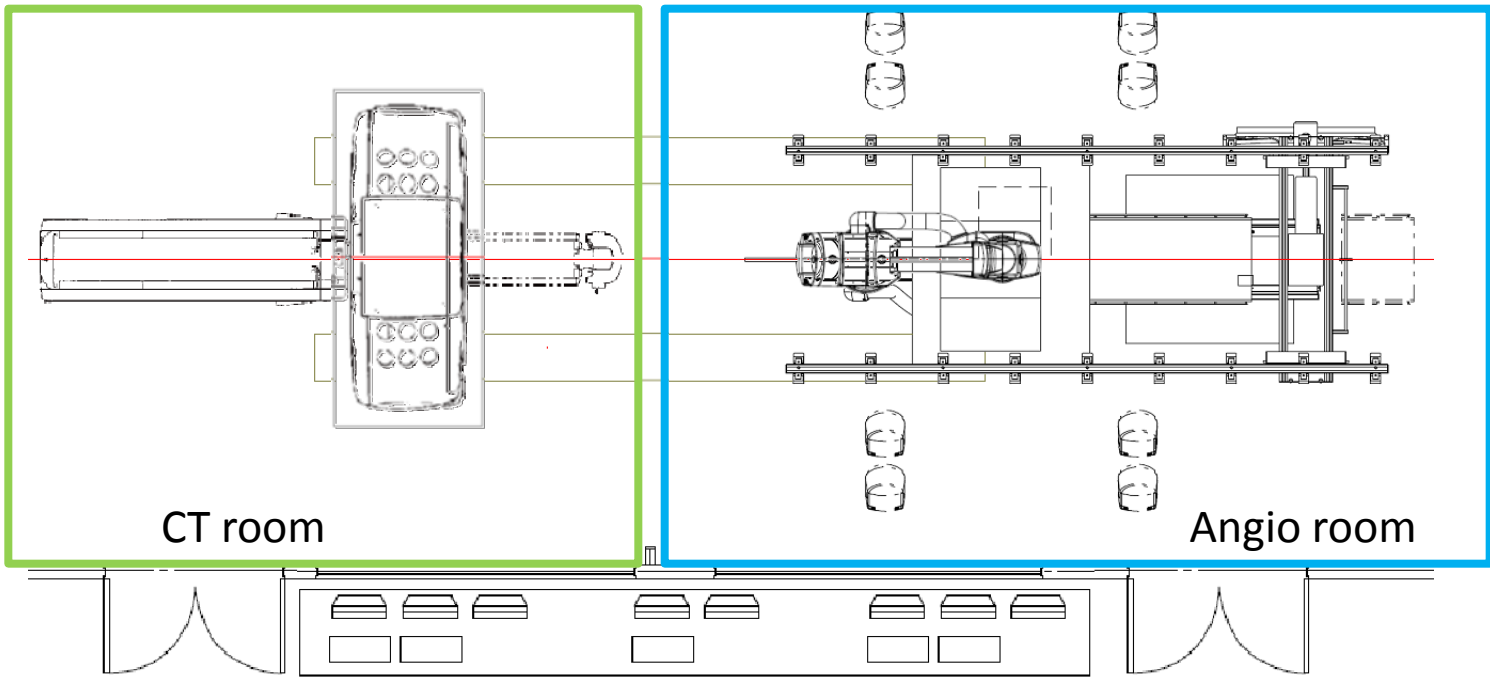


Spiral CT technology has an limitation to apply to heart with Angio unit table. Therefore, gantry moves in stepwise manner.

# 640 slice CT-Angiography Hybrid System



slide  
shielding  
door

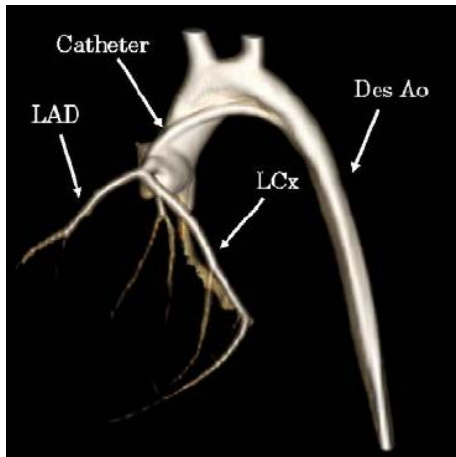


CT room

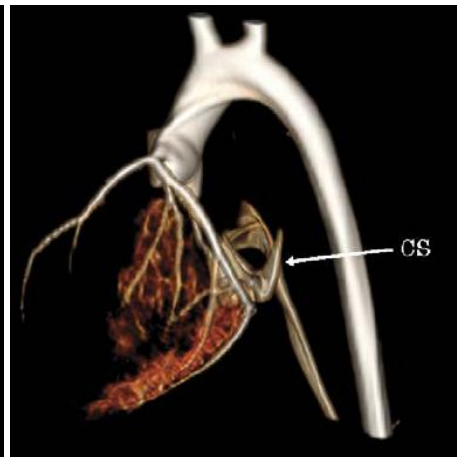
Angio room

# Time series of volumetric measurement of porcine 3D segmented myocardial perfusion by selective contrast injection using 256-slice cone beam CT

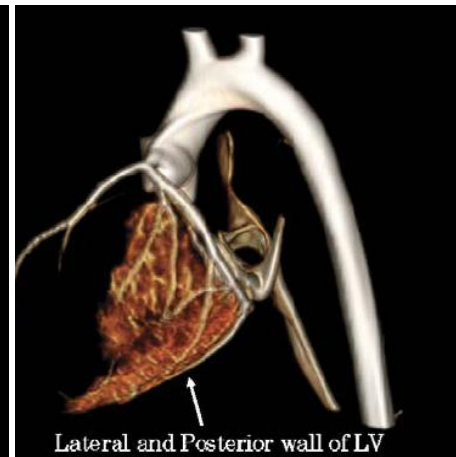
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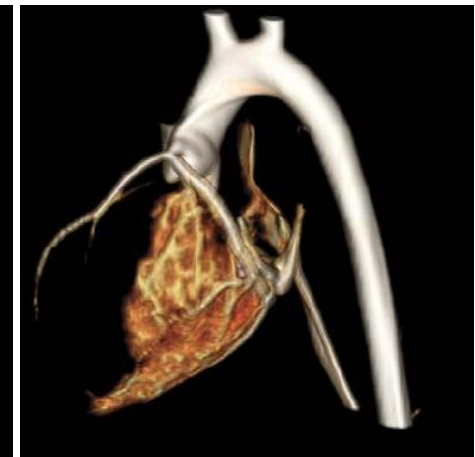
3 sec



6 sec



12 sec



120 kV, 200 mA, 1.0 s gantry rotation time and 256X0.5 mm slice collimation. 10 ml iodinated contrast material (300 mg/ml) diluted in 40 ml of saline, 3 ml/s for 20 s,

Funabashi N, et al. Int J Cardiol 2006;111: 455-6

	Recon Image N° (Vitrea)	series number	SBP/DBP/ MeanBP	Heart rate (bpm)	Route (IV/IA)	CT parameters						Contrast parameters				
						CFA/ CTA	Dose mod (+/-)	KeV	mA	N°of Acquisition Beats	dilution (contrast: saline), ml	ml/sec	sec	Total amount (contrast/ saline)	ratio (contrast/ saline)	real ratio (contrast/ saline)
#4		11	99/77/85	70	IA	CFA		120	550	1~10	1:14	4.0ml/sec	10	40ml		



2.6 sec



3.5 sec



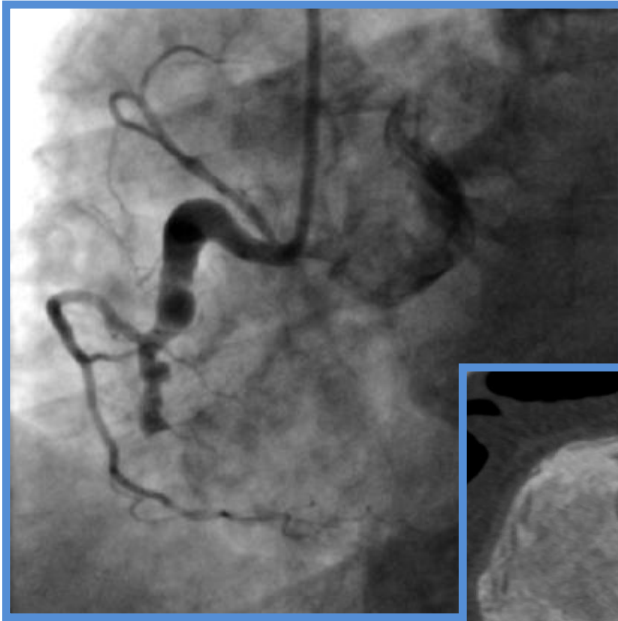
4.4 sec

• Best timing range : 3.5sec ± 0.90sec

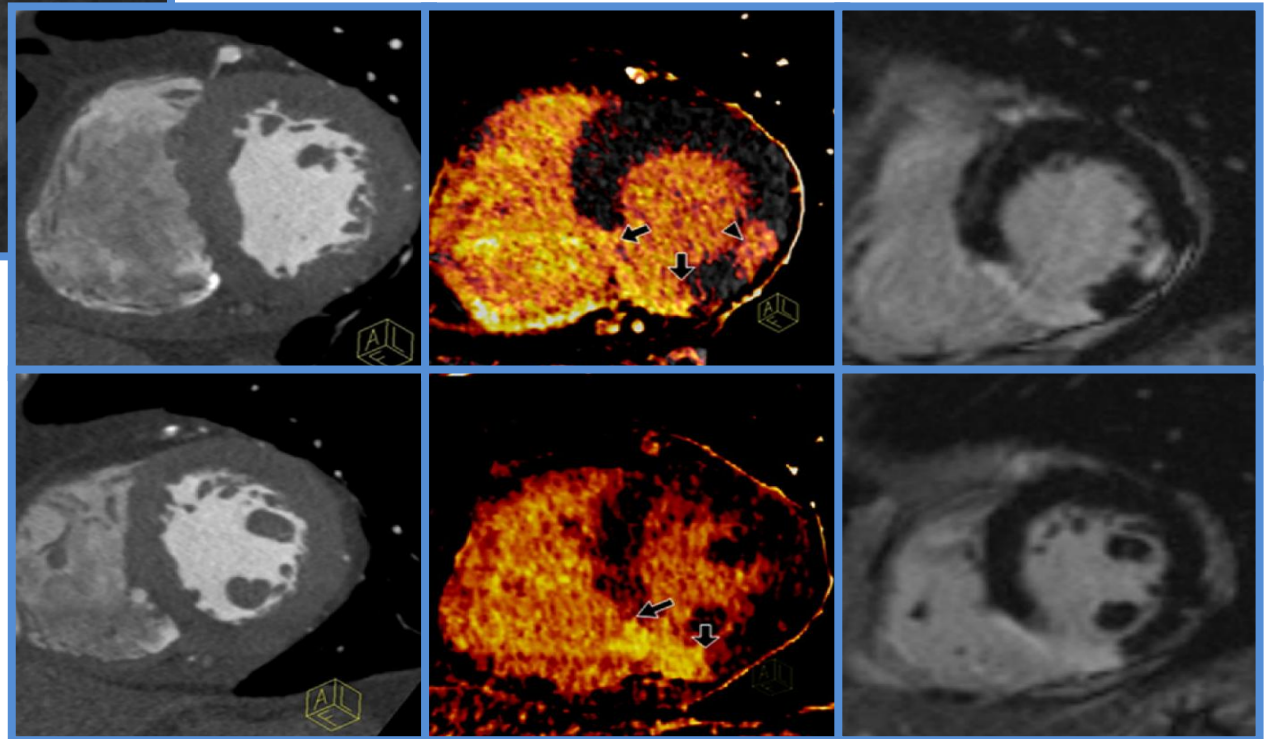


# Myocardial Viability by Dual-Energy DE-CT

JACC CV imaging 2011



Day #4  
128-slice  
dual source CT  
  
contrast: 100cc  
overall radiation  
dose: 4.8mSv



100kV

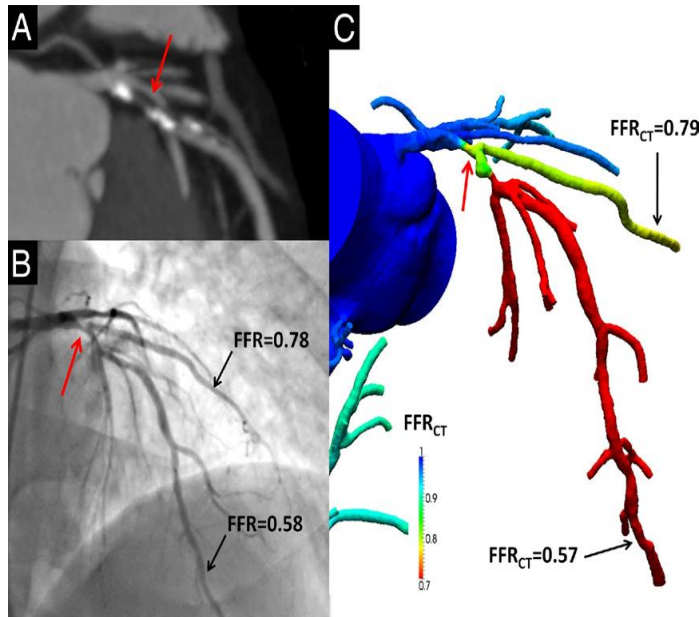
12 min after  
100-140kV

CMR (Day #5)

# Computational Flow Dynamics

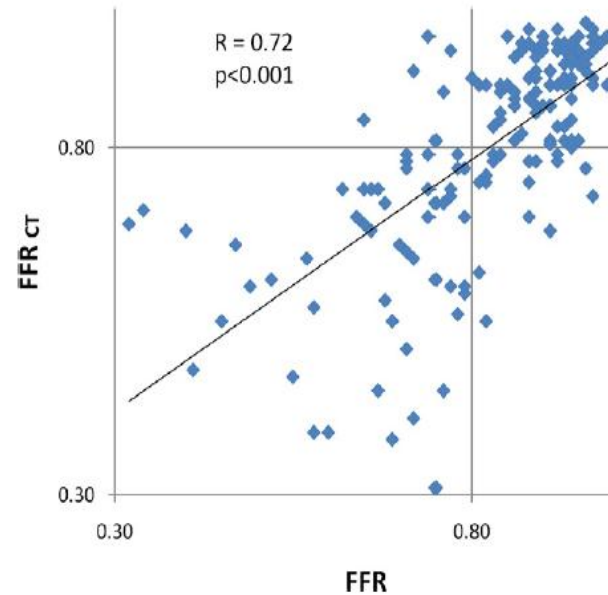
## Results from DISCOVER-flow

Anatomically obstructive stenosis  
with a lesion of casual ischemia



HeartFlow®

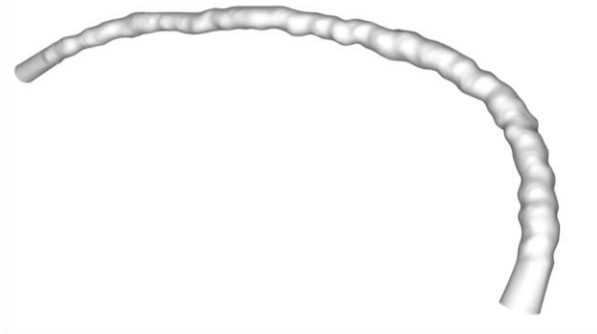
Correlation of FFR<sub>CT</sub> to FFR



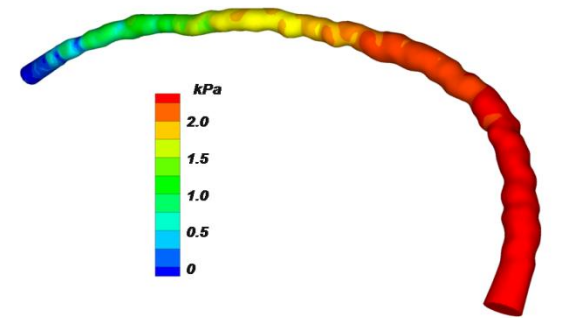
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**Pig #5**  
**RCA**

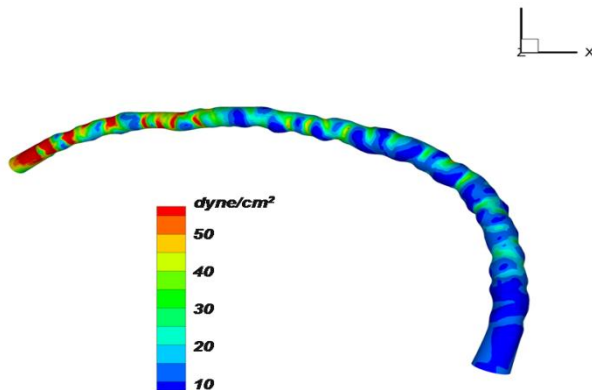
Geometry



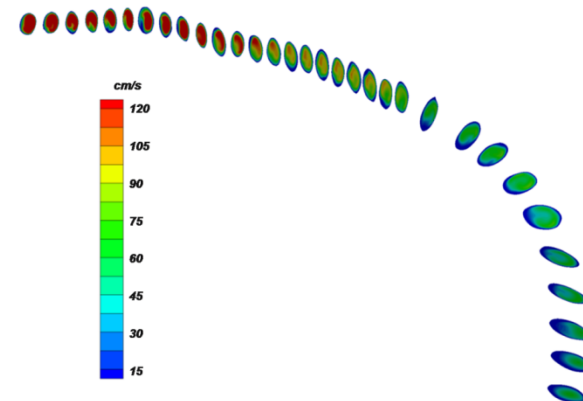
Pressure



Time averaged WSS

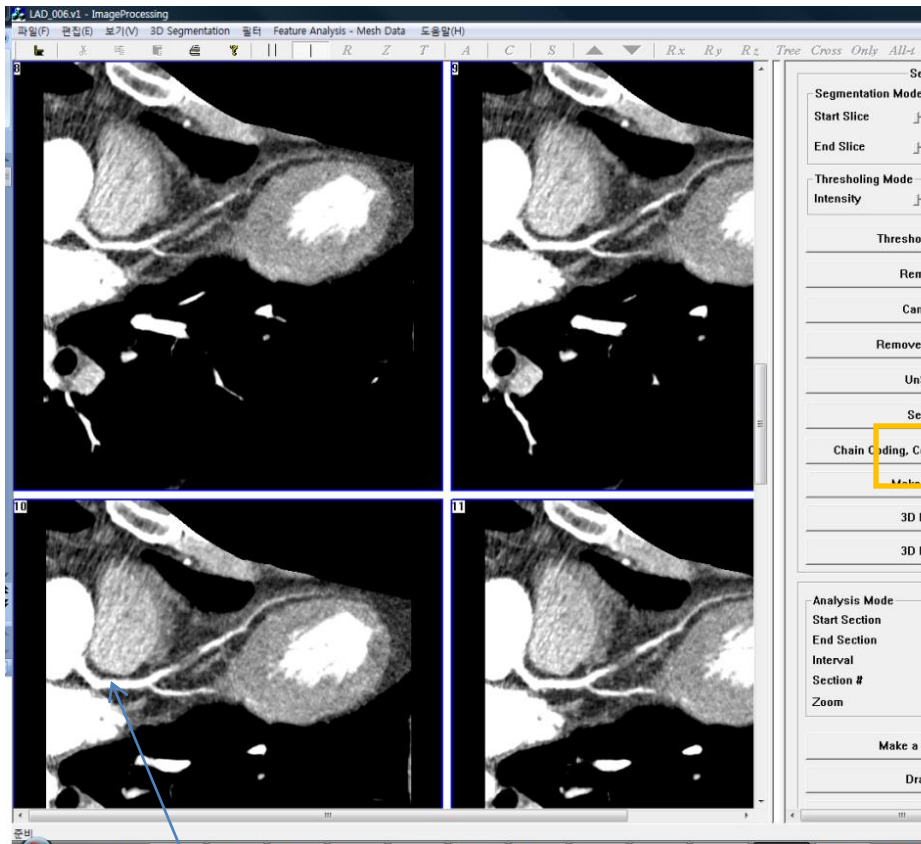


Velocity



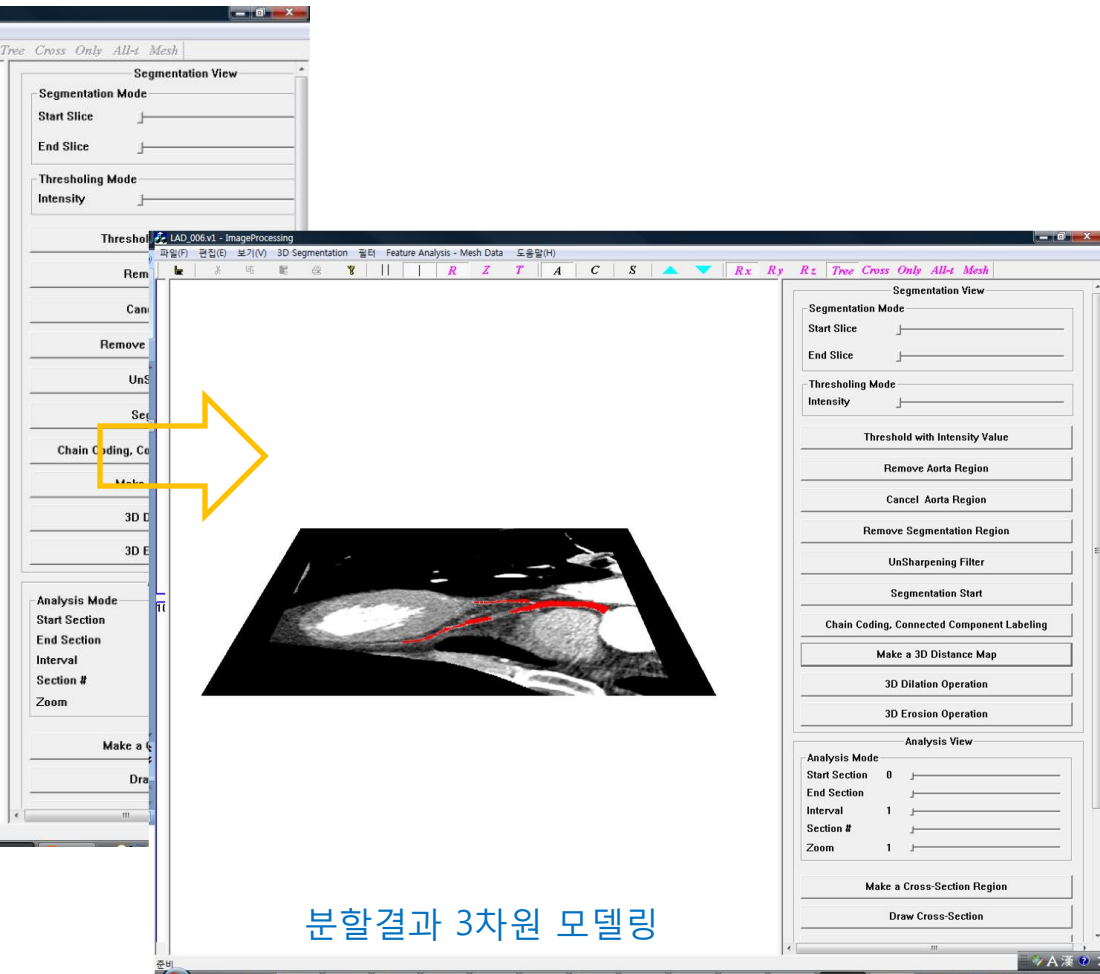
<4 hour! with conventional computer system

# 혈관모델 (CT Angiography)



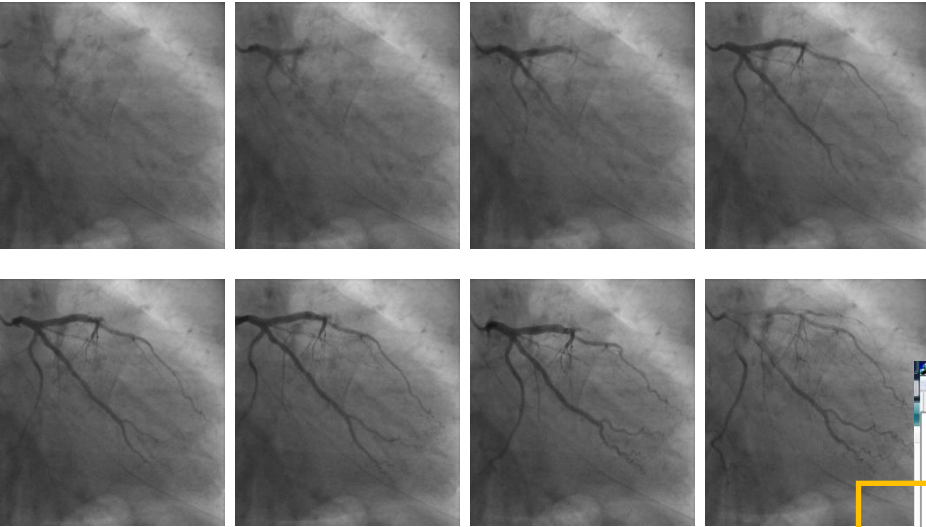
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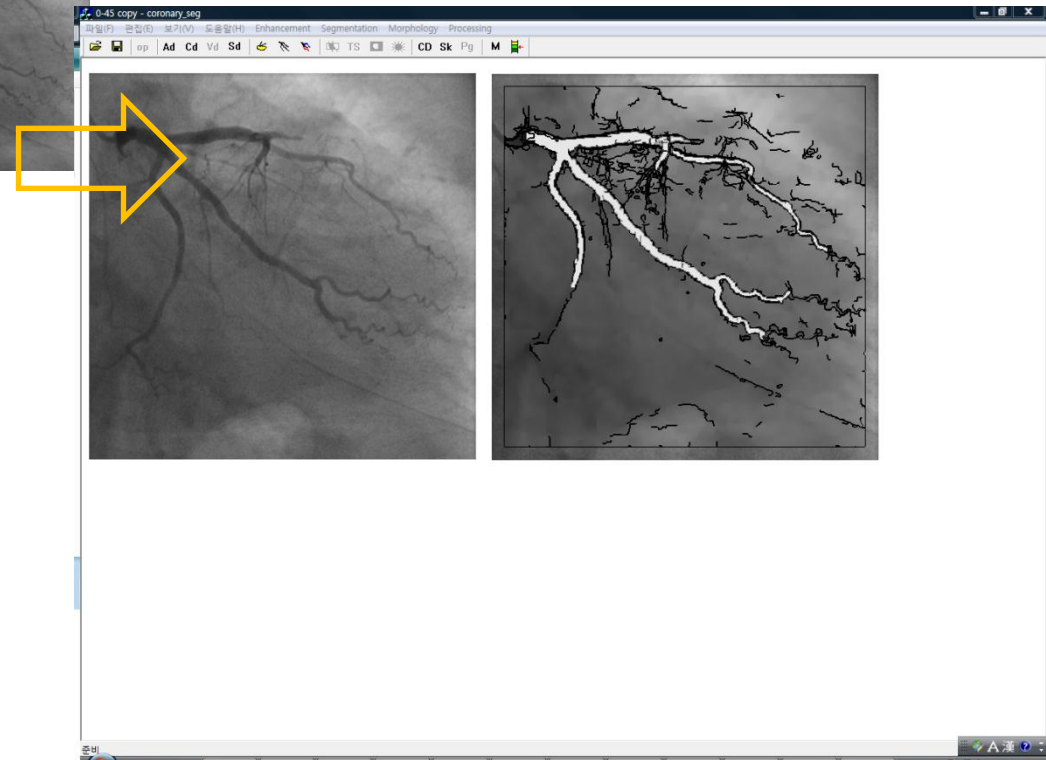


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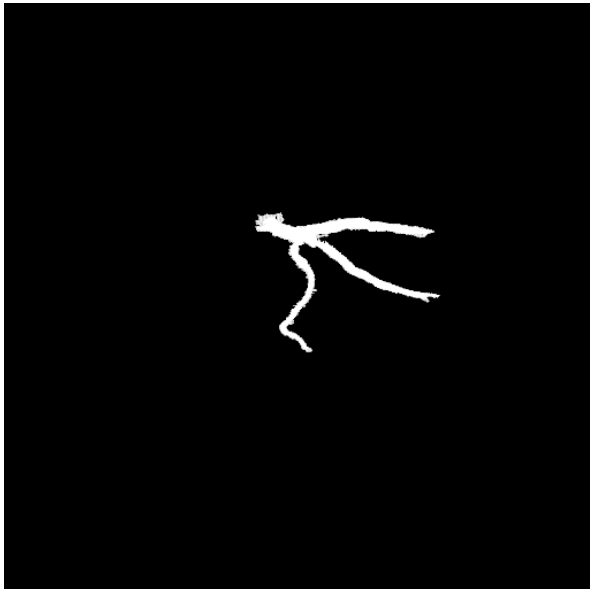
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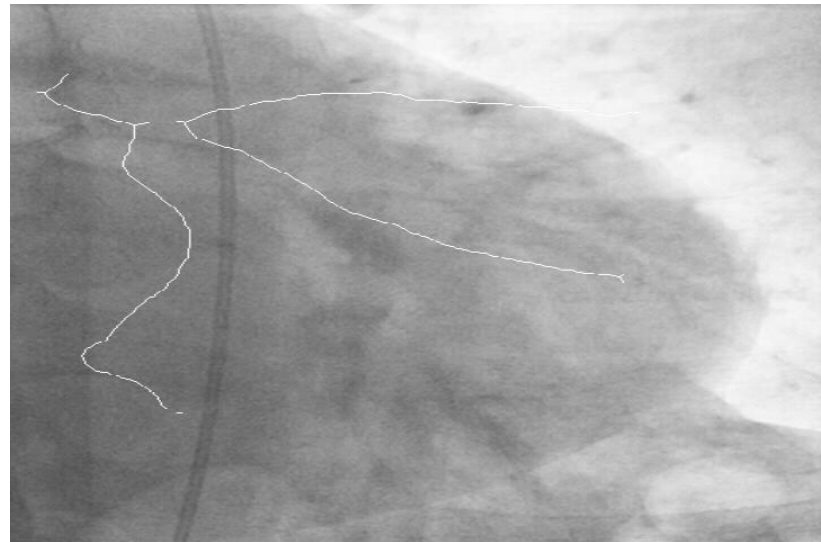
Spatial resolution: 512x512 x 93 frames



# 영상 오버레이 및 가이드라인 제공



CTA 혈관모델을  
X-ray 촬영각도에 맞춰  
투영한 결과한 예  
(RAO18 CRAN28)

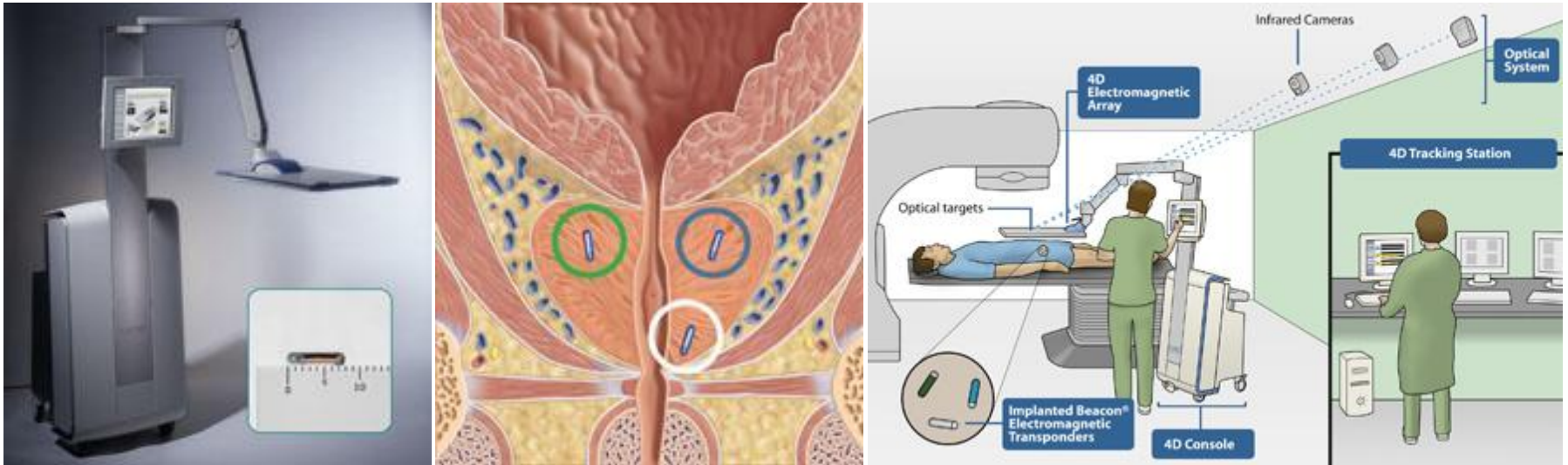


# Motions on Spot

- Cardiac Motion
- Extracardiac Motion
- Respiratory Motion
- Patient Motion

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# Calypso® 4D Localization System : Prostate Cancer



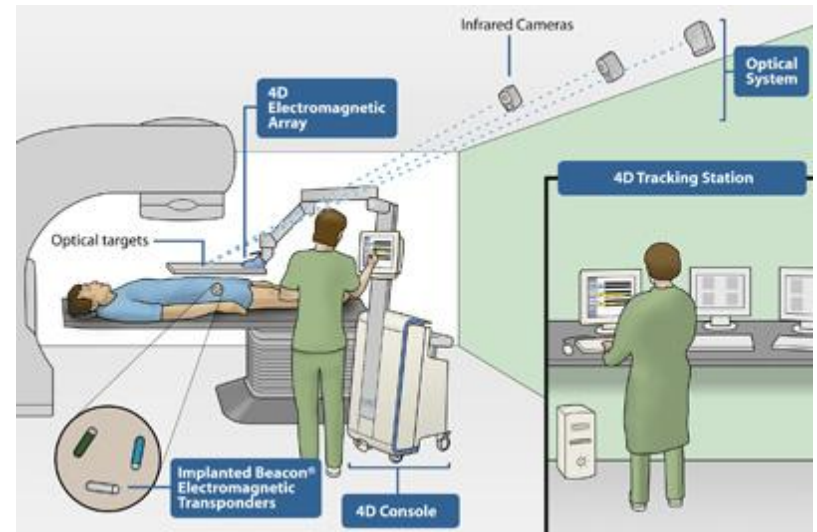
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# What is our goal?

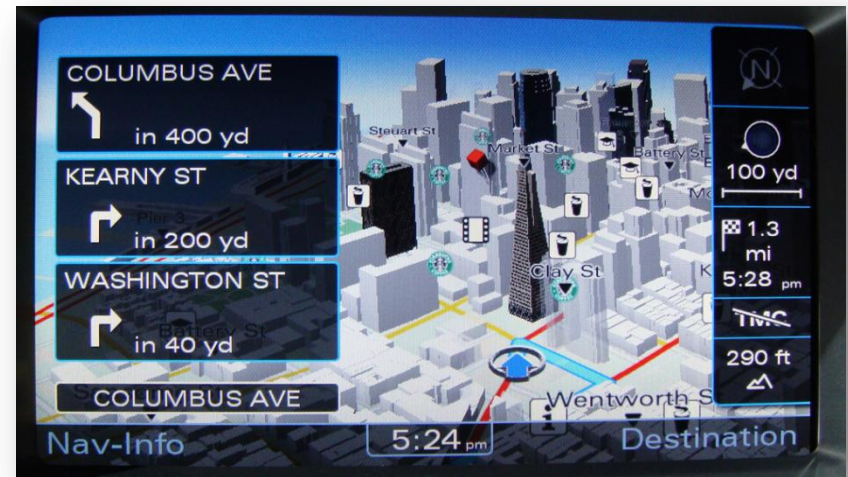
Past  
**2D**



Present  
**3D**



Upcoming,



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