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Neuigkeiten und Praxis im Bereich Gating und Patientenlagerung :
Fünf Jahre Erfahrungen mit der C-RAD Lösung in Deutschland.

für :

Treffen von AK IMRT und AK Computer
UKE Hamburg, 28. + 29.05.2018



Agenda

Überblick

... damals in 2013 ...

Heute, 4 bis 5 Jahre später

Entwicklungen und Neuigkeiten

Publikationen und Projekte

Video : Stereotaxie mit Elekta / Varian (Lund und Weiden)

Background of the Company



Background of the Presenter

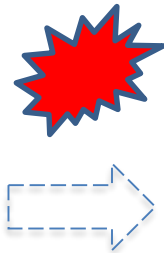
- Ph.D in Medical Physics from University of Genoa and National Cancer Institute of Milan - Italy („Lasers in Surgery and Oncology“)
- Since 35 years in Germany
- Professional Experiences with Hewlett-Packard Medical and Agilent Technologies Optical Division in Böblingen (Product Design). With C-RAD since beginning 2013.
- Scientific Publications : www.franco-canestri.de

End-to-end treatment with monocular single camera solution :

Sentinel 4DCT
in CT room



Siemens, GE, Toshiba
and Philips.



Catalyst/SRT/HD/PT/Tomo
in RT room



SETUP AND
POSITIONING
OF PATIENTS



INTRA-FRACTION
MOTION DETECTION



RESPIRATORY
GATING



Multi Vendor
Support



> 5 Jahre Erf. MosaiQ
> 5 Jahre Erf. ARIA

plus Room-Laser Products Family.

C-RAD Room Lasers : TERMINOLOGY

HITSD box



HITM box



Cross



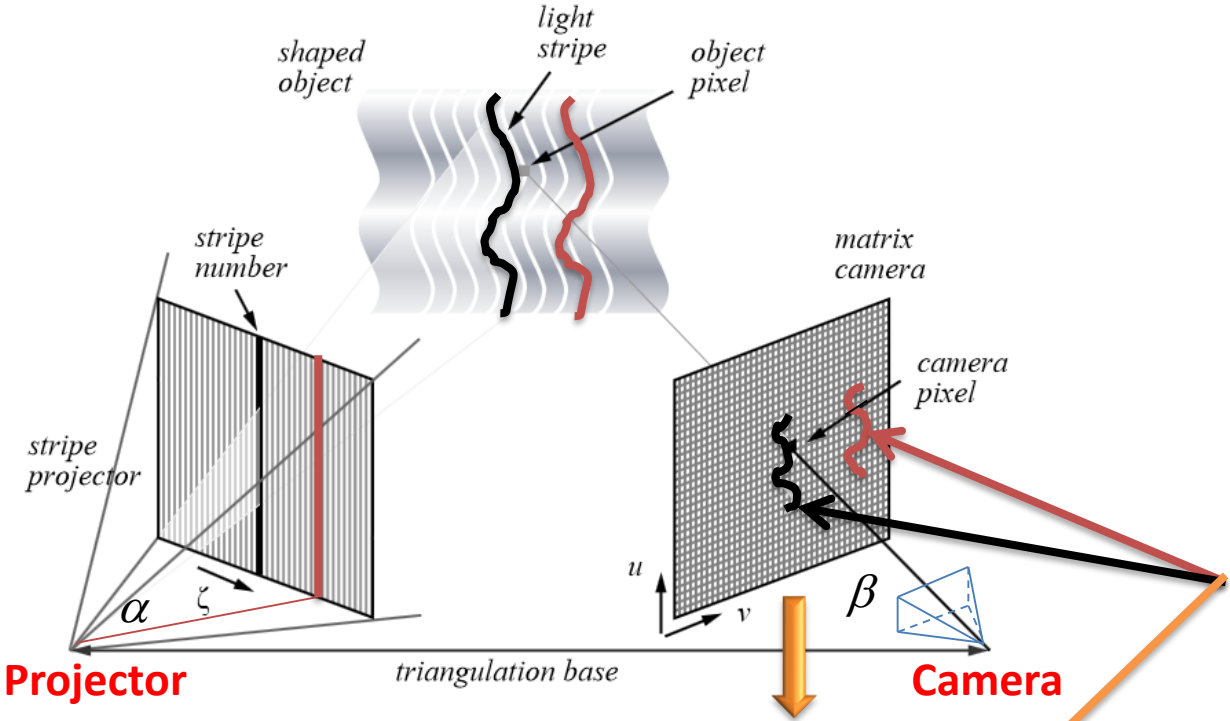
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HIT box

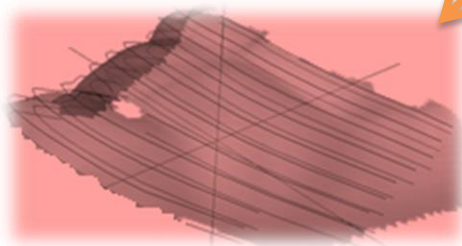


To get a cross with only mobile boxes, you need two boxes, as there is only one line possible per box on rail

3D surface capturing with one unit, up to 80 times per second



Patient's „signature“



Workflow : RT (first Fraction)

SENTINEL

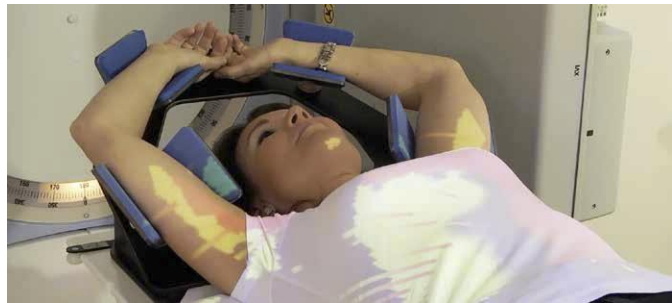
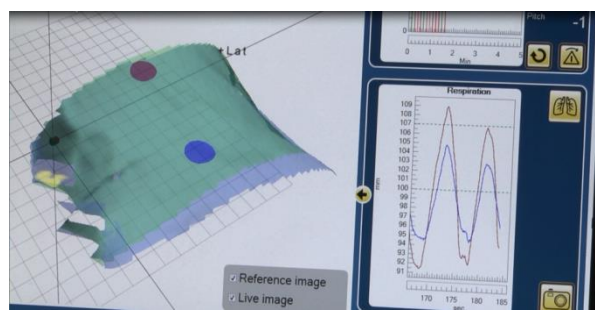
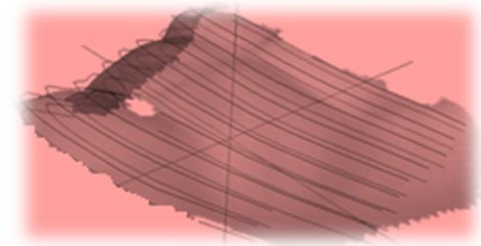
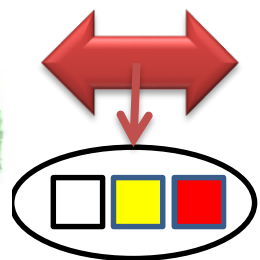
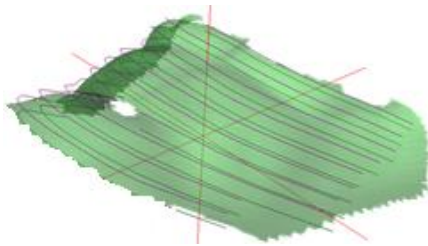
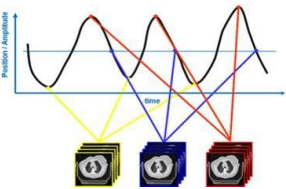
from CT Room

or **via CT Device only, if requested**

in RT Room

 catalyst

- **Again** : Patient's Surface (now, first fraction at the Linac)
+ local Gating



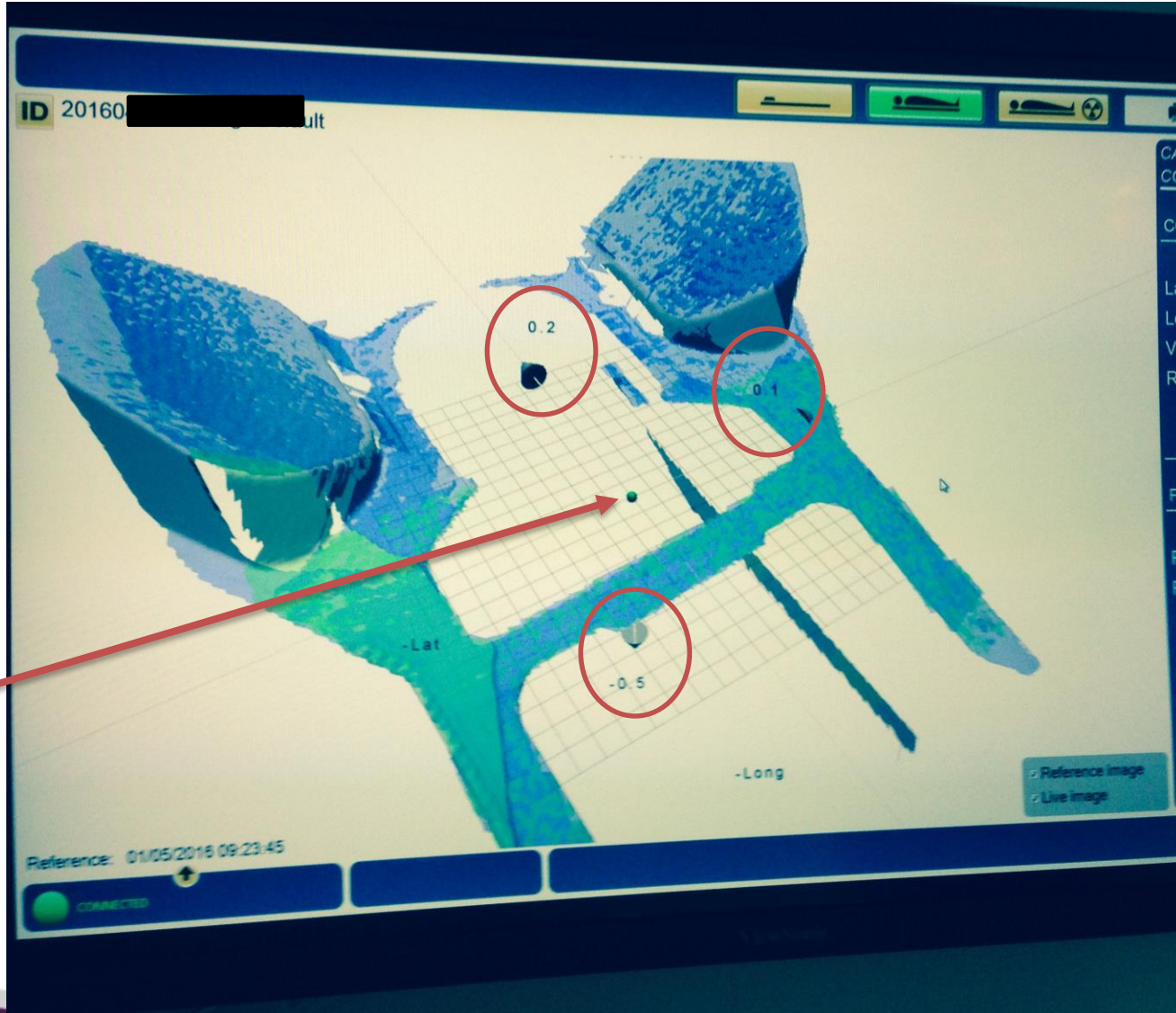
Gating at Linac

Back-projection,
Patient Vicinity & Safety

Isocenter

Workflow in RT : Lagerungshilfe Check am Linac (Genauigkeit < 1 mm. – konfigurierbar)

Isozentrum



Respiratory gating / coaching for "Deep Inspiration Breath Hold" (DIBH)

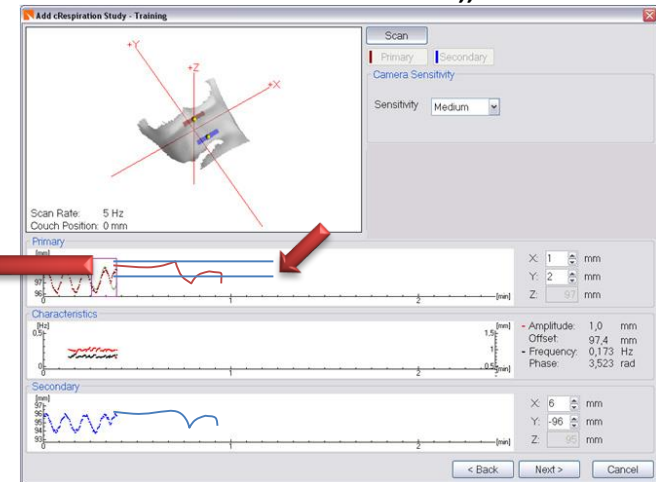
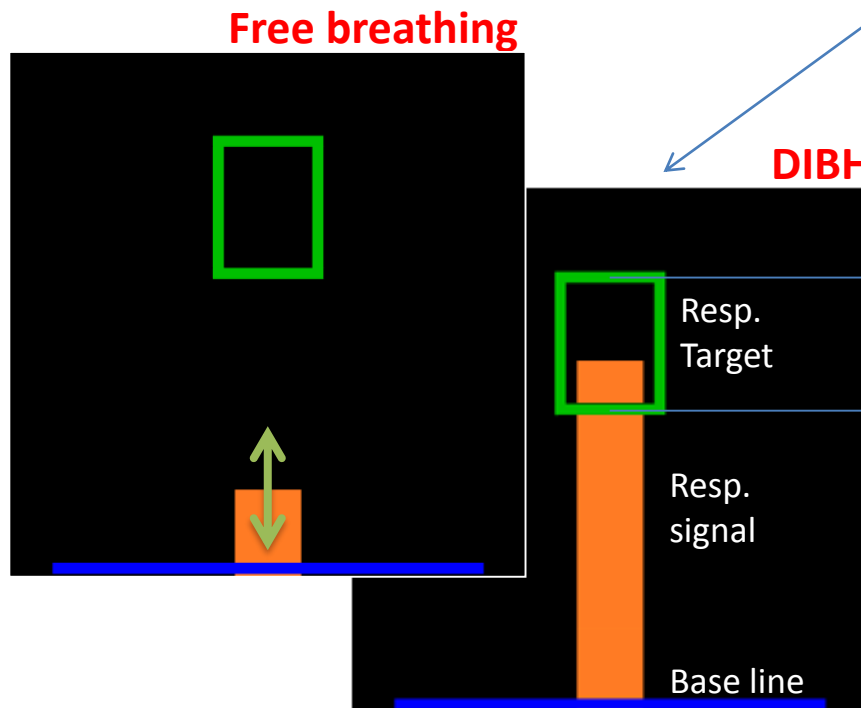


„Catalyst“
RT ← CT
„Sentinel“

Patient's Visual feedback

Exported via DICOM

from 4DCT „Sentinel“

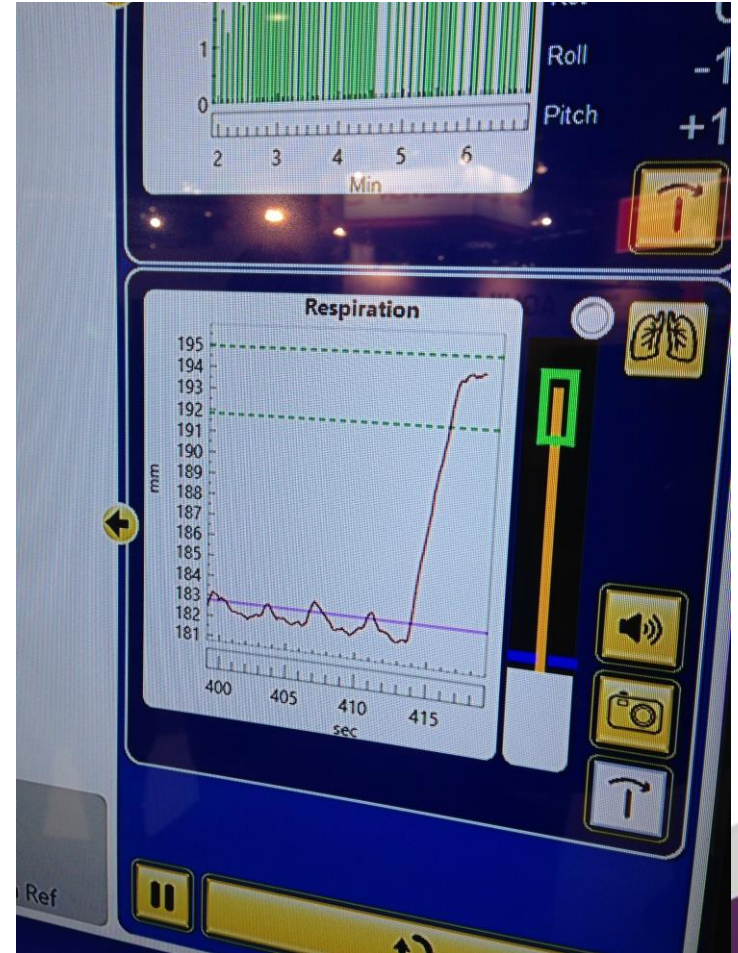
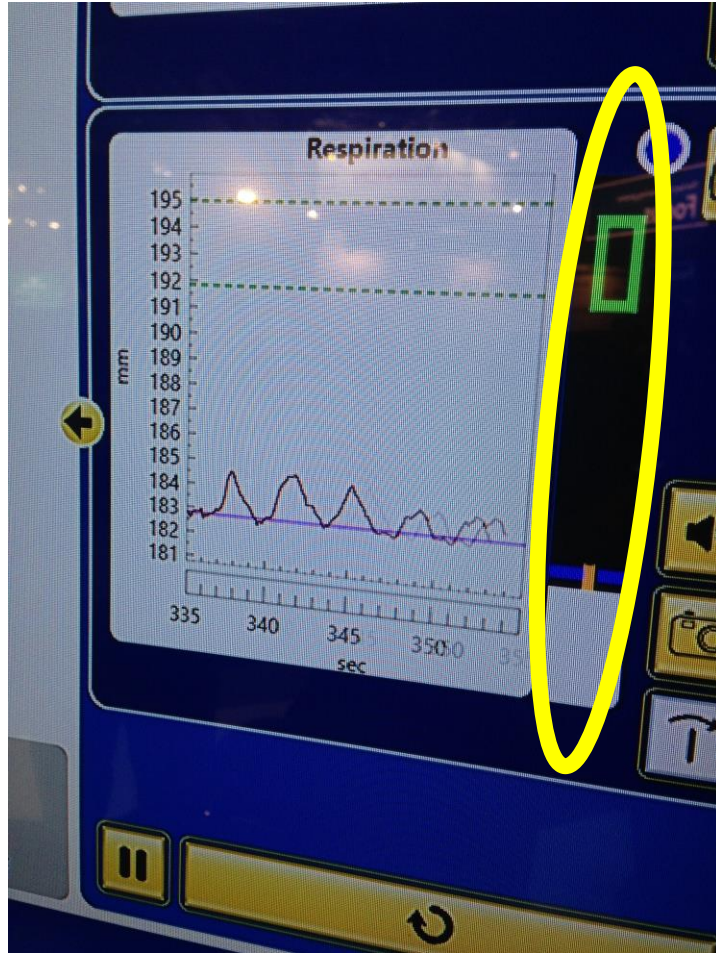


Neue C-RAD Bluetooth Patientenbrille



- 4DCT im CT Raum (Sentinel)
- Gating im Linac Raum (Catalyst)

Patientenbrille : das Signal auch im Kontrollraum

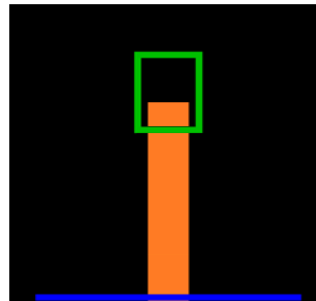
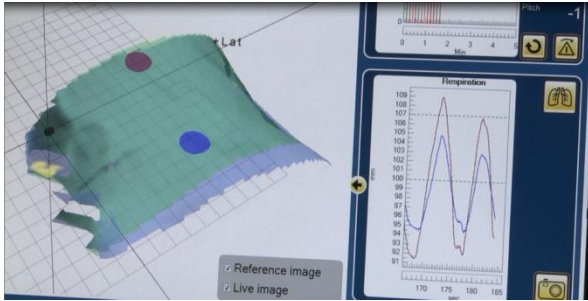


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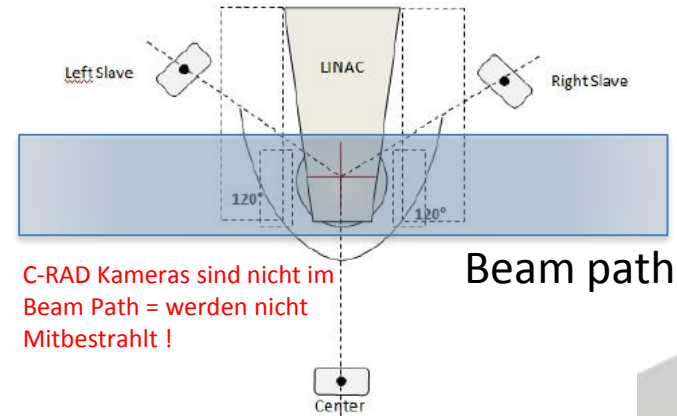
Gating bald auch via **OPASCA Raumlicht** und **C-RAD „cLight“** Interface von Catalyst.

Mehr Info & Demos : DEGRO 2018 in Leipzig.

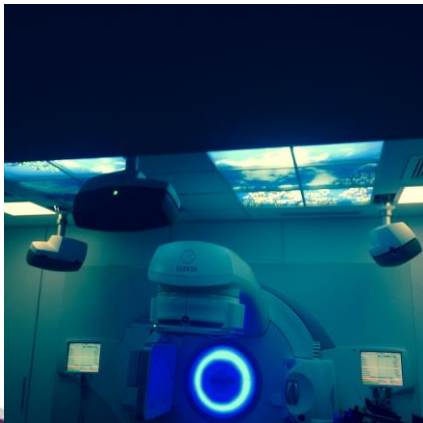




Kooperation mit OPASCA



C-RAD Kameras sind nicht im Beam Path = werden nicht Mitbestrahlt !



C-RAD in DE. – damals im März 2013

1 x Mitarbeiter (ich)

Installationen in : Weiden, UMM, LMU Großhadern, Uni Mainz.

Produkte : Sentinel und Catalyst 1-Kamera Version

C-RAD in DE. AUT. CH im Mai 2018

Team mit 10 x C-RAD Mitarbeiter (keine Distributoren)
für die deutschsprachige Region.

37 x Installationen (Kliniken, Uni Kliniken, Praxen)
87 Systeme.

Universitäten / Referenzzentren :

Freiburg (multi-vendor !),
LMU (Gr. + Inn.),
Aachen,

Köln,
Bonn,
Mainz,

UMM,
UKE Essen,
Graz.

Produkte : Sentinel, Catalyst, Catalyst HD,
Raum Laser Familie, SRT, PT, Tomo

- Karolinska
- Lund (multi-vendor)
- MD Anderson, u.v.a



RESEARCH FELLOW PROGRAM

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Team Deutschland : 9 x deutschsprachige Mitarbeiter (Status März 2018).

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Ab April 2018 : 1 x Extra Applikationsspezialist in AUTRIA



Publikationen und R&D

RESEARCH

Open Access



Treatment planning and evaluation of gated radiotherapy in left-sided breast cancer patients using the Catalyst™/Sentinel™ system for deep inspiration breath-hold (DIBH)

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Abstract

Background: There is a potential for adverse cardiovascular effects in long-term breast cancer survivors following adjuvant radiotherapy (RT). For this purpose, the deep inspiration breath-hold technique (DIBH) has been introduced into clinical practice, to maximally reduce the radiation dose to the heart. However, there are a variety of DIBH delivery techniques, patient positioning and visual patient feedback mechanisms. The aim of the present study was to evaluate the application of radiotherapy in DIBH using the Catalyst™/Sentinel™ system, with a special emphasis on treatment planning and dosimetric plan comparison in free breathing (FB) and DIBH.

Patients and methods: A total of 13 patients with left-sided breast cancer following breast conserving surgery were included in this prospective clinical trial. For treatment application the Catalyst™/Sentinel™ system (C-RAD AB, Uppsala, Sweden) was used and gating control was performed by an audio-visual patient feedback system. CT and surface data were acquired in FB and DIBH and dual treatment plans were created using Pencil Beam and Collapsed Cone Convolution. Dosimetric output parameters of organs at risk were compared using Wilcoxon signed-rank test. Central lung distance (CLD) was retrieved from Miew™ portal images during treatment delivery.

Results: The system contains a laser surface scanner (Sentinel™) and an optical surface scanner (Catalyst™) interconnected to the LINAC systems via a gating interface and allows for a continuous and touchless surface scanning. Overall, 225 treatment fractions with audio-visual guidance were completed without any substantial difficulties. Following initial patient training and treatment setup, radiotherapy in DIBH with the Catalyst™/Sentinel™ system was time-efficient and reliable. Following dual treatment planning for all patients, nine of 13 patients were treated in DIBH. In these patients, the reduction of the mean heart dose for DIBH compared to FB

„fast and reliable solution in RT“

„significantly reduces high and mean dose delivery to the heart during DIBH“



Laser Tracking vs. CBCT for Patient Positioning

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A novel surface imaging system for patient positioning and surveillance during radiotherapy

A phantom study and clinical evaluation

„optimizes the CBCT usage frequency“

„minimizes intrafr. patient positioning errors and allows monitoring of moving tumors for gating“

DIBH in Bauchlage (Indik. : Pankreas, Wirbelsäule, u.a.) – DE. AUT. CH Region

DIBH in the prone position

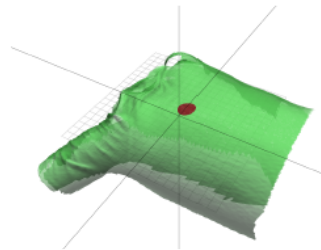
July 12, 2017

Abstract

The purpose is to investigate the possibility of performing Deep Inspiration Breath Hold (DIBH) in the prone position using the C-RAD's optical surface imaging systems, the Sentinel and Catalyst.





I. INTRODUCTION

The ability to performing DIBH in the supine position is well known. The performance of the Sentinel and Catalyst when performing DIBH in the prone position is not yet as documented, an initial comparison between supine and prone respiratory gating is therefore of interest.



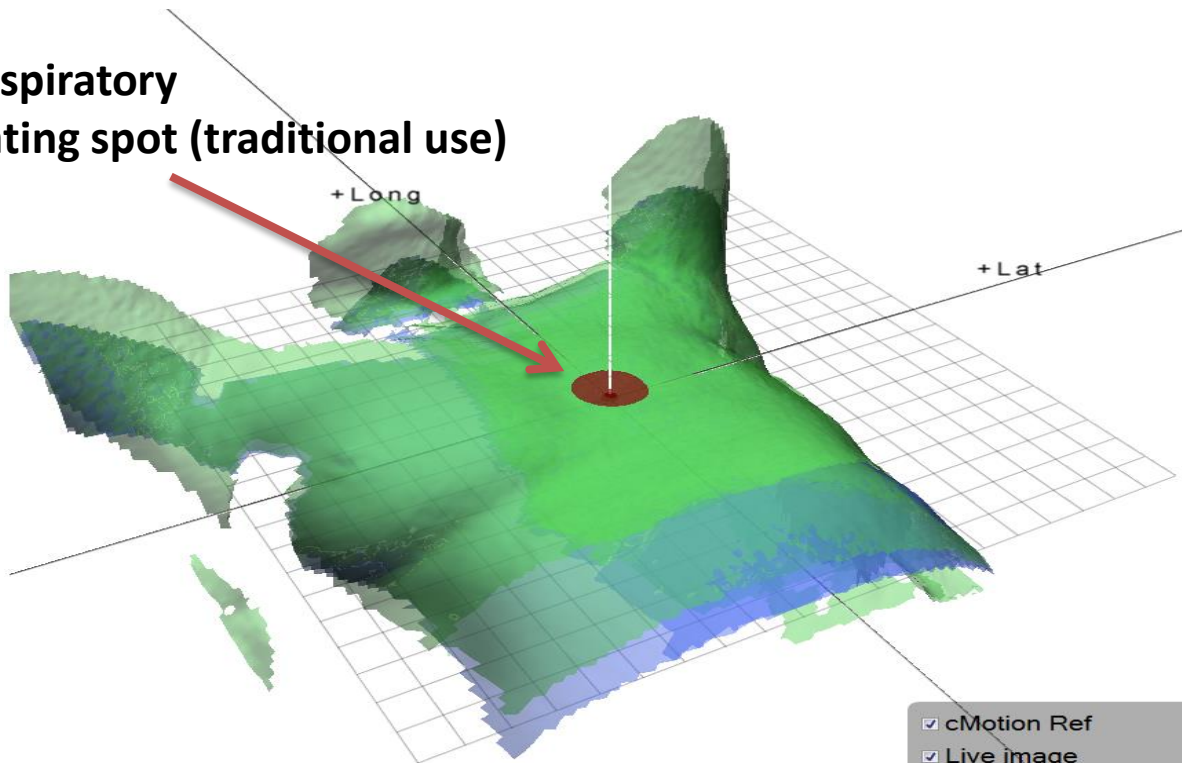
Flexibilität des Systems ... mit / ohne Brille



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ID


Respiratory Gating spot (traditional use)



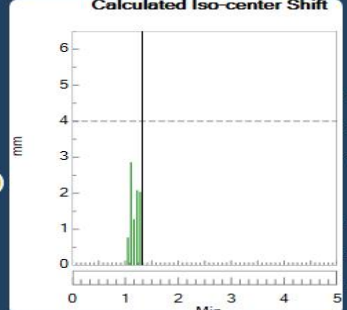
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- cMotion Ref
- Live image
- cRespiration Ref

CONNECTED 




Calculated Iso-center Shift



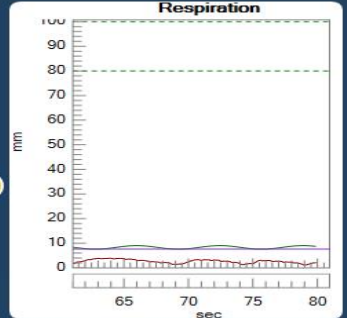
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Lat	(cm)	+0.1
Long	(cm)	-0.1
Vert	(cm)	-0.2
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Roll	(°)	0
Pitch	(°)	0



  

Respiration



mm

sec

Head & Neck ... ohne Masken ... (Sweden und DE.)

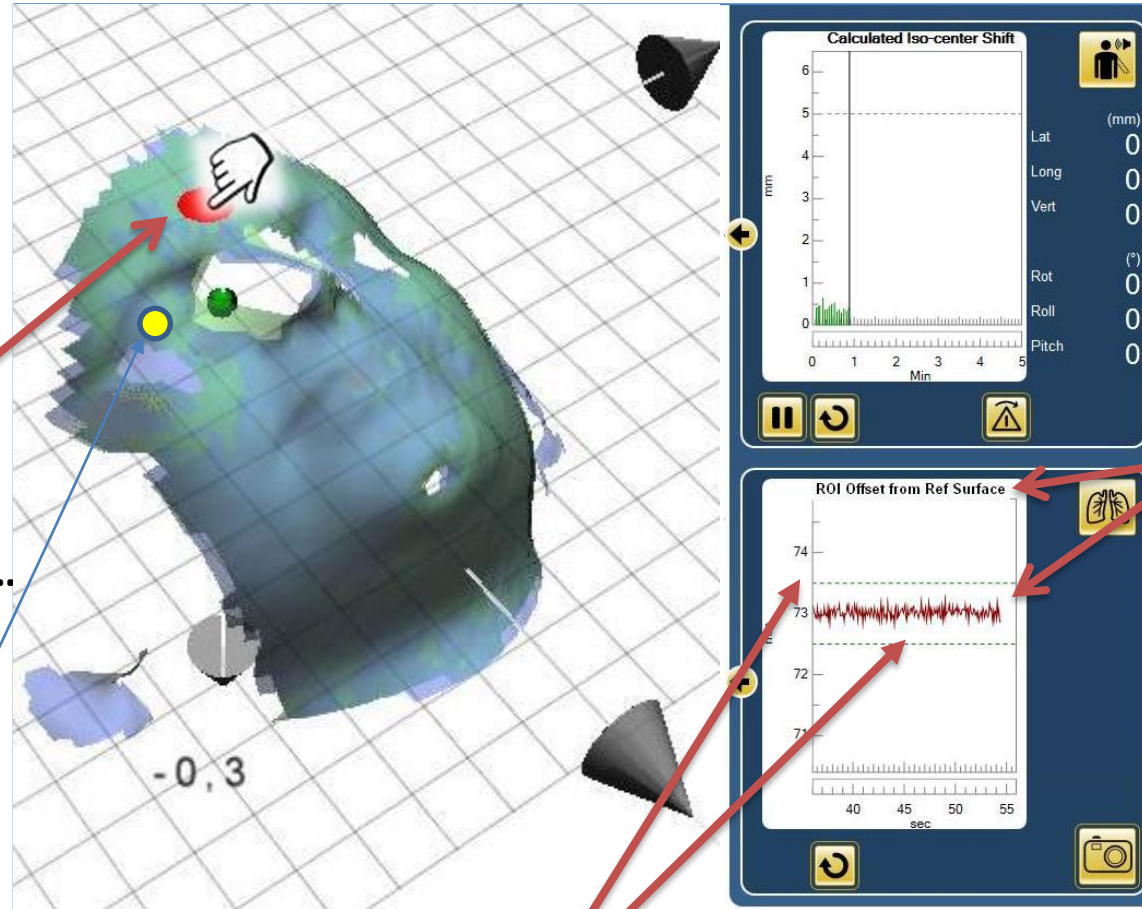
“Reduced fixation with optical monitoring for palliative whole brain radiotherapy treatment”.

Silke Engelholm at al.

Radiation Physics, Skåne University Hospital, Lund, Sweden

„Gating“ primary spot ...

Secondary spot also available (Eye Motions Research Project in DE.)



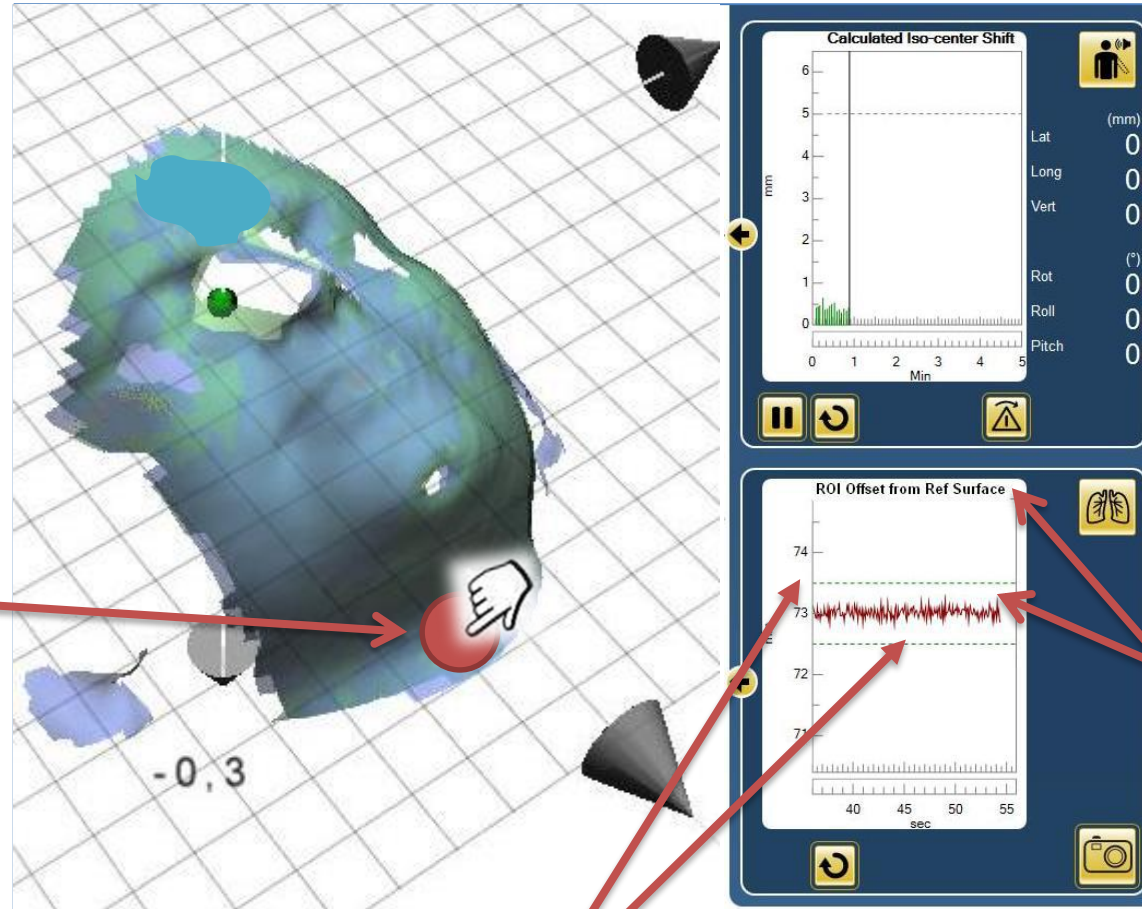
Sicherheitsfenster

Head & Neck ... ohne Masken ... (USA und DE.)

“Application of Surface Mapping in detecting Swallowing for Head & Neck Cancer”

David Shepard et al. - Swedish Hospital Seattle, USA

„Gating“ spot ...



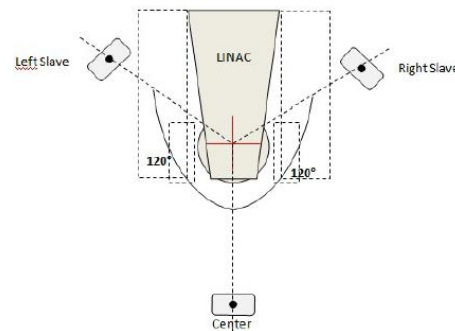
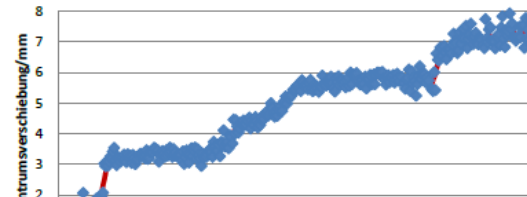
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Evaluation der Möglichkeit einer Ganzhirnbestrahlung in freier Lagerung ohne Maske bei Lageüberwachung durch den Oberflächenscanner Catalyst™ HD

Reiner M., Jahn T., Freisleederer P., Kamp F., Corradini S., Belka C.

Fragestellung

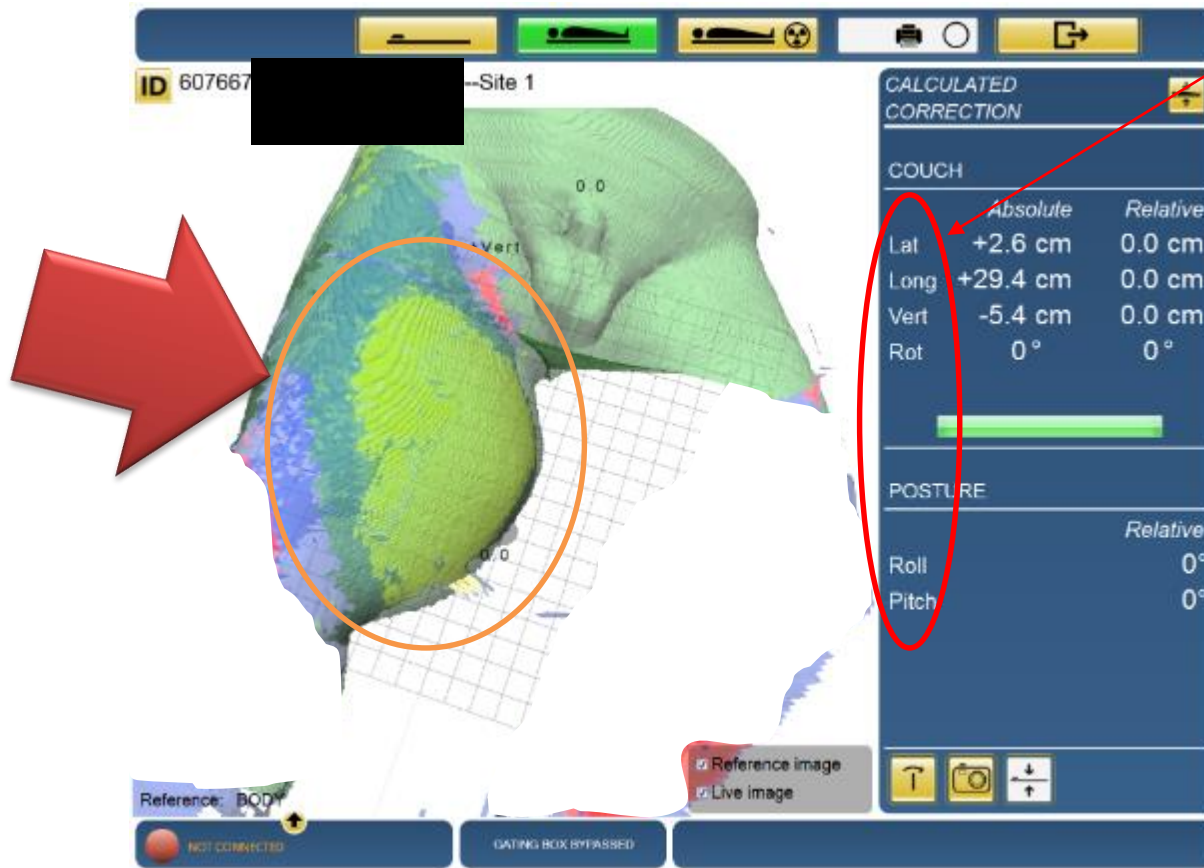
Können z.B. klaustrophobische Patienten bei alleiniger Lageüberwachung durch einen Oberflächenscanner ohne Maske sicher einer Ganzhirnbestrahlung unterzogen werden?



„möglich ohne Maske“
„Kinnmaske“

Sarcoma Positioning after / during Pharmaceutical Treatment (DE. Studie, C-RAD Rück-Projektion – paten.)

6 DOF



C-RAD Catalyst's „cPositioning“ shows fraction-by-fraction surface changes ...

1 x configurable ROI is clinically relevant.

ESTRO 2018

Optical surface scanner, indexed patient support and IGRT make skin markers obsolete for patient positioning in external beam radiotherapy

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Results

Our investigation shows no significant difference between the two methods regarding the remaining rotational deviations, MLM performs slightly better for chest and inferior to MBM for abdomen, although not significantly (see image (1)). As both methods presume correlation between patient's surface and bony anatomy the final accuracy is still strongly patient-dependent. However, with treatment workflow and patient comfort in mind the MLM includes several advantages:

- (1) no skin markers required,
- (2) higher patient safety due to independent and consistent support device positioning,
- (3) deformations can be corrected efficiently using information of the surface scanner and
- (4) after a training period the workflow is fast and straightforward.

Conclusion

The presented new method (MLM) allows positioning of patients at least as accurate as the common used practice with skin marks. Our clinic is applying this method since 01/2016.

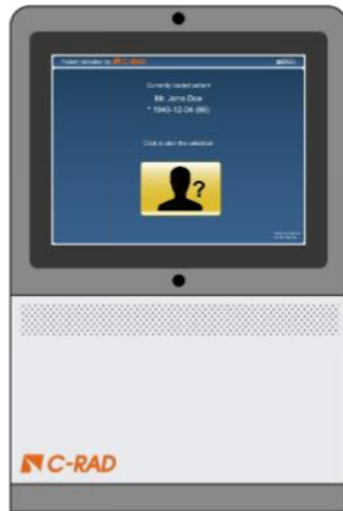
[1] Martens R et al. The workflow and benefits of patient positioning based on absolute table coordinates. ESTRO33 2014, Poster RTT track



OPASCA und C-RAD :

Patient Validation

Ab April 2018 !



1/million cases false rate



vs. finger print solution: 20 times higher accuracy



Face recognition based technology



Auto learning capability - fit the dynamic clinical situation



Integrated in C-RAD solution



C-RAD Eigenschaften als **Vorsprung** gegenüber der Konkurrenz :

- 1) Rück-Projektion Rot – Gelb (Patentiert), auch für Lagerungshilfe Monitoring,
- 2) Nicht-rigide und rigide Registrierung je nach ROI,
- 3) 0.3 mm Genauigkeit,
- 4) Mehr als 5 Jahre Erfahrungen mit Varian, Elekta, MosaiQ und ARIA,
- 5) 360 Grad Abdeckung (Stereoaxie 3-Kamera Version),
- 6) Die Kameras werden nie mit-bestrahlt,
- 7) OPASCA, PT, TOMO und alle CTs Interfaces,
- 8) x-RAY EPID (siehe Press Release),
- 9) Raum-Laser Familie,
- 10) Sehr flexibel Einsatz des Gating Spots (Publikationen).

10 Mitarbeiter Team in DE.

Thank you for your attention !

→ Videos

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