









Ganglion Cell Analysis The analysis contains: • Data for both eyes (OU) • Thickness Map - shows thickness measurements of the GCL + IPL in the 6mm by 6mm cube and contains an elliptical annulus centered about the forea.

- Deviation Maps shows a comparison of GCL + IPL thickness to normative data.
- Thickness table shows average and minimum
- thickness within the elliptical annulus.
- Sector maps divides the elliptical annulus of the Thickness Map into 6 regions: 3 equally sized sectors in the superior region and 3 equally sized sectors in the inferior region. Values are compared to normative data.
- · Horizontal and Vertical B-scans.





Updated Guided Progression Analysis (GPA™) Optic Nerve Head information now included

- Average Cup-to-Disc Ratio plotted on graph with rate of change information.
- RNFL/ONH Summary includes item "Average Cup-to-Disc Progression".
- Printout includes an optional second page with table of values, including Rim Area, Disc Area, Average & Vertical Cup-to-Disc Ratio and Cup Volume. Each cell of the table can be color coded if change is detected.
- Miscellaneous updates to the report design.



RAPDX: UNDERSTANDING THE OPTIC NERVE IN GLAUCOMA



Relative Afferent Pupillary Defect

- Relative afferent pupillary defect (RAPD) is an **asymmetry** in the pupillary light response
- Detection of RAPD is performed by alternately illuminating each eye while comparing the velocity and amplitude of the pupillary responses
- Neutral density filters in 0.3 logarithmic unit steps aid in the detection and quantification of RAPD
- The size of the RAPD can be quantified by he density of the neutral density filter required to balance the response of each eye

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Younis AA, Eggenberger ER. Correlation of Relative Afferent Pupillary Defect and Retinal Nerve Fiber Layer Lass in Unilateral or
Asymmetric Demyelinating Optic Neuropathy. Investigative Ophthalmology and Visual Science. August 2010, Vol. 51: 4013-4016.
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Eye Diseases that may lead to a RAPD

- Glaucoma: Even though glaucoma affects both eyes, if the disease is more severe in one eye, a RAPD may be detected
- Retinal Disease: Diabetic retinopathy, arterial occlusions, sickle-cell retinopathy, and retinal detachments may produce a RAPD
- Optic Nerve Disease: Disorders such as optic neuritis are a common cause of RAPD
- Neurological Disease: Lesions of the midbrain, compressive lesions



correlate with VF and **RNFL** tests





Optical Coherence Tomography



- Severe fallout of the retinal nerve fiber layer in the left eye
- Abnormal TSNIT curve profile analysis
- Abnormal sector plot analysis
- Abnormal symmetry
- OCT test results are consistent with glaucoma





RAPDx Pupillary Testing – Latency



Goldmann Applanation The Gold standard in IOP measurement for 50 years Goldmann & Schmidt : when tonometer head is 3.06 mm in diameter and there is a normal central corneal thickness of 500 microns – surface tension = corneal rigidity CCT is relatively constant in the absence of corneal disease

OHTN and CCT

- Falsely elevated intraocular pressure due to increased central corneal thickness. Graefes Arch Clin Exp Ophthalmol. 1999 Mar;237(3):220-4
- 48 OHTN subjects 592+/-39
- 63 patients with POAG 536+/-34
- 106 normal subjects 545+/-33
- Relationship between corneal thickness and measured intraocular pressure in a general ophthalmology clinic. Ophthalmology. 1999 Nov;106(11):2154-
- 232 OHTN subjects 579.5
- 335 patients with POAG 550.1
- 235 normal subjects 545+/-33
- 52 Normal-tension glaucoma 514

Central Corneal Thickness in the Ocular Hypertension Treatment Study (OHTS)

Goldmann H. Schmidt T. Uber applanationstonometrie. Ophthalmologica 1957:134:221-42

James D. Brandt, MD,¹ Julia A. Beiser, MS,² Michael A. Kass, MD,² Mae O. Gordon, PhD,² and the Ocular Hypertension Treatment Study (OHTS) Group

Mean CCT 573.0 +/- 39.0 μm 24% had a central corneal thickness > 600 μm

CCT for African Americans subjects (555.7 +/- 40.0) was 23 μ m thinner than for white subjects (579.0 +/- 37.0) - P < 0.0001

Other factors associated with greater mean central corneal thickness were younger age, female gender, and diabetes.

CCT as a risk factor in patients with glaucoma

- Analysis of 350 eyes of 190 patients with POAG during initial visit to specialist.
 - In *multivariate* analysis, lower CCT was significantly associated with worsened AGIS score, worsened mean deviation of visual field, and increased vertical and horizontal cup-disc ratios.
 - Herndon et al. Central corneal thickness as a risk factor for advanced glaucoma damage. Arch Ophthalmol. 2004 Jan;122(1):17-21



• IOPg: Goldmann equivalent IOP

ORA Signal Analysis

The ORA optical system records 400 data samples of reflected IR light intensity during the rapid (30 ms) in/out corneal deformation.

The optical signal (red curve) is a "dynamic map" of the cornea during the rapid in/out deformation.



The signal provides additional information about corneal biomechanical properties, revealing "signature" characteristics of the eye being measured.











Corneal Hysteresis

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Corneal-Compensated IOP (IOPcc)
- An Intraocular Pressure measurement that is less affected by corneal properties than other methods of tonometery, such as Goldmann (GAT). IOPcc has essentially zero correlation with CCT in normal eyes and stays relatively constant post-LASIK.
- IOPcc = P2 - (0.43*P1)







Lower Corneal Hysteresis is Associated With More Rapid Glaucomatous Visual Field Progression

Carlos Gustavo V. De Moraes, MD,*† Victoria Hill, BS,*‡ Celso Tello, MD,*‡ Jeffrey M. Liebmann, MD,*†\$ and Robert Ritch, MD*‡

- 153 glaucomatous eyes, with >8 visual fields, followed for > 5 years
- Progressing eyes (n=25) had lower CCT (525µ vs 542µ, P=0.04) and lower CH (7.5 mmHg vs 9.0 mmHg), P<0.01) compared with nonprogressing eyes.
- By multivariate analysis, peak intraocular pressure (OR=1.13, P<0.01), age (OR=1.57, P=0.03), and CH (OR=1.55, P<0.01) were significant predictors of progression.

De Moraes, G. et al. J Glaucoma. 2011; ePub.

2011;52:4516-4524.



Technologies in the Diagnosis and Management of Glaucoma Scanning Laser Ophthalmoscopy (SLO) Scanning Laser Polarimetry (SLP) Grewal DS, Sehi M, Cook RJ, Greenfield DS and Advanced Imaging in Glaucoma Study Group. The Impact of Retardance Pattern Variability on Nerve Fiber Layer Measurements over Time Using GDs with Variable and Enhanced Corneal Compensation. Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci.































Visante™ OCT Anterior Segment Imaging and Biometry



Problems with traditional Gel & Shell examination method Worry about probe tip hitting

- Worry about probe tip hitting the cornea
- Probe sterility issues
- Methodology concerns
 - Patient must recline
 - Gel often required
- Shell must be inserted under the lids and (uncomfortable)
- Likelihood of corneal abrasions from shell as posterior structures are examined



Methodology

- Fill bag 34 with tap water
- Add water slowly to minimize air bubbles





Methodology (Preferred) Patient can be examined sitting (ocular structures & dynamics same when viewed with slit lamp)









Phakomorphic Bulky ciliary body in phakomorphic angle closure











Drug Eluting Contacts

- Harvard Medical Center Researchers
- Recipients of MIT innovators in Life Sciences competition
- Daniel Kohane, MD, PhD (anesthesiology)
- Coating Polylactic co-glycolic acid (PLGA) is coated with films containing Polyhydroxy-methacrylate by UV polymerization
- Research is being funded by:
 - National Institute of Medical Studies
 National Eye Institute
 - Boston KPro foundation
- Duration can be as long as 100 days
- Limitation will be the duration of CL wear

Punctal Plugs with Latanoprost Core

- QLT, Inc
- 44-g Latanaprost Punctal Plug Delivery System
- Phase II
- Data:
 - Mean change form baseline -3.5 mmHg
 - g6% showed reduction of >/= 5mmHg
 - Overall goal of 90% retention/ Initial 75%
 - Second generation plug 90%
 - Goal of therapy 90 days of Tx

Tracking the Elusive Diurnal!

- Sensimed: Swiss medical device company. Jean Marc Wismer CEO
- Device is called Triggerefish

- Tracks fluid pressure in the eye and beams data to palm size recorder.
- Uses a circular antenna taped around the eye and connected to a battery powered portable recorder.
- This transmits radio frequency energy to an utira thin gold ring in the CL. This powers a chip embedded in the lens.
- Additionally on the lens in an ultra thin platinum ring that stretches in response in variation in eye shape secondary to pressure.
- Available in Europe. Primary trial at University Hospitals of Geneva