



Biomechanics for computer-assisted surgery

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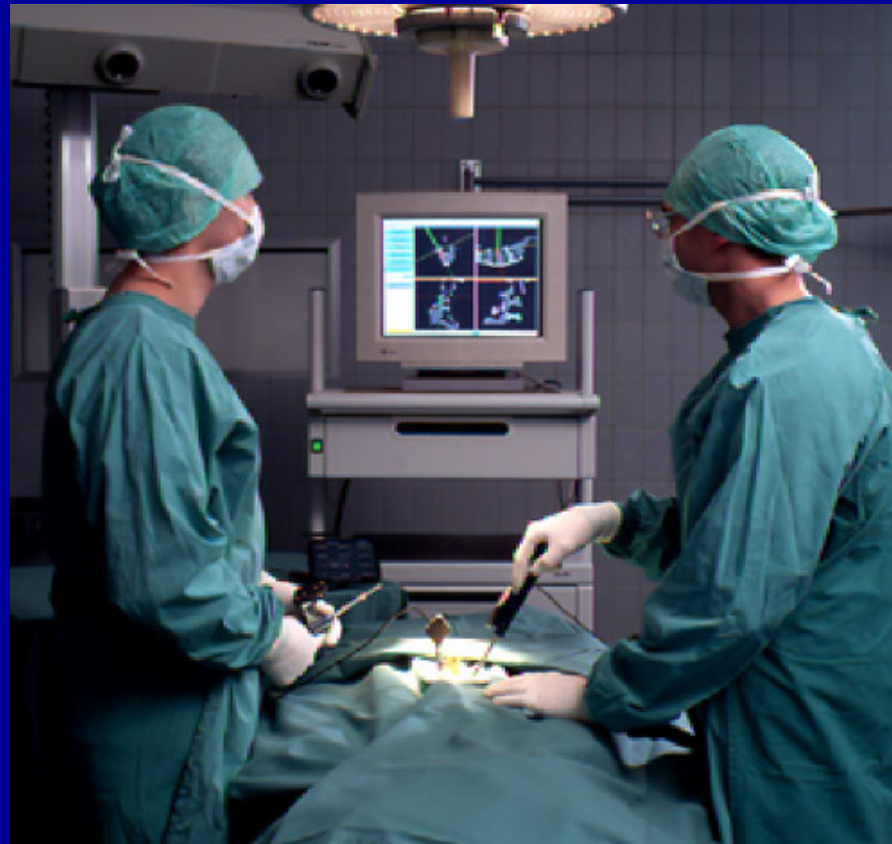
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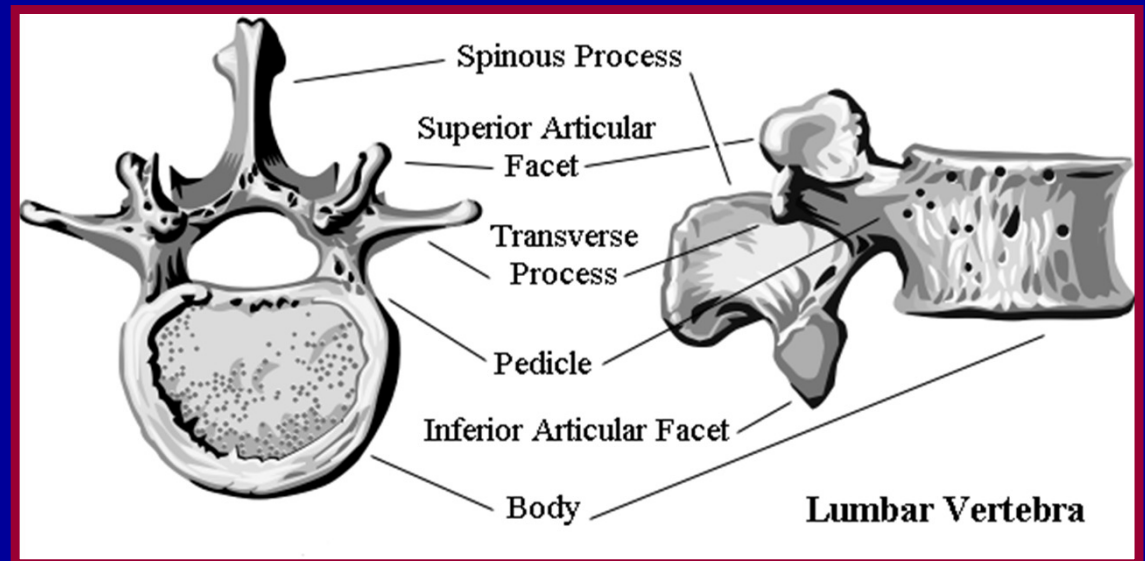
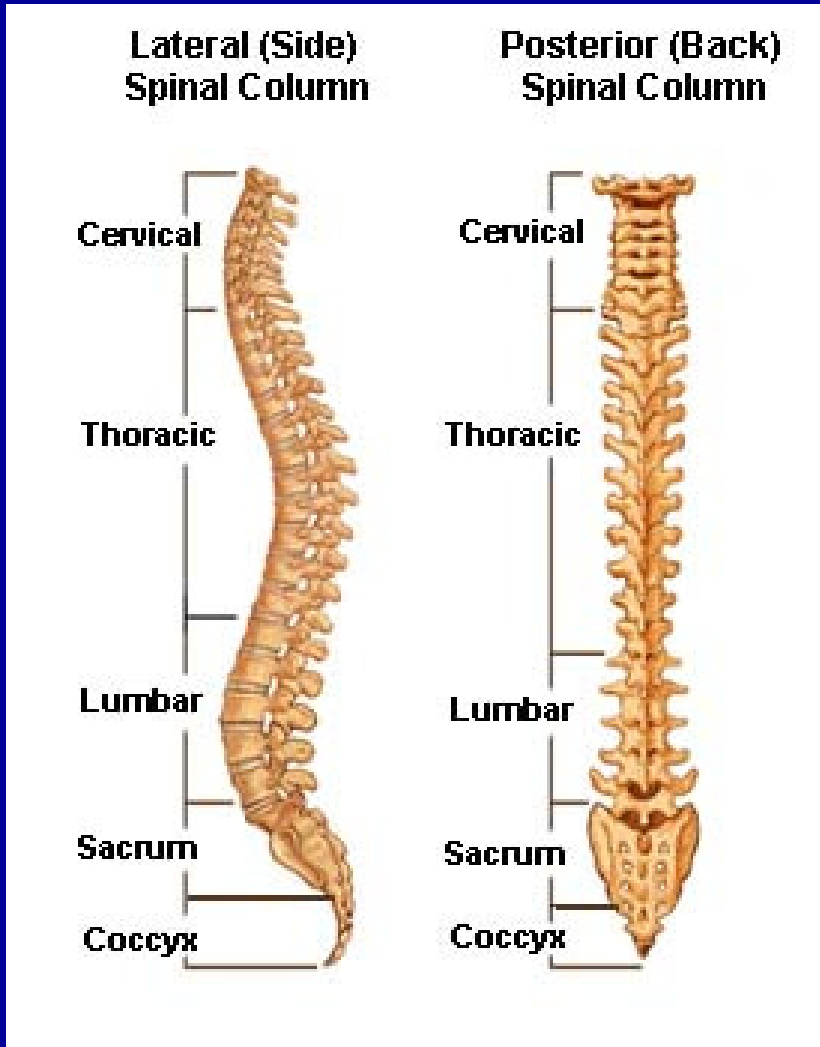
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Computer Aided Medical Intervention



Main goal: "to assist the clinician and the surgeon in the realization of diagnostic or therapeutic intervention, in the most accurate and minimally-invasive way"

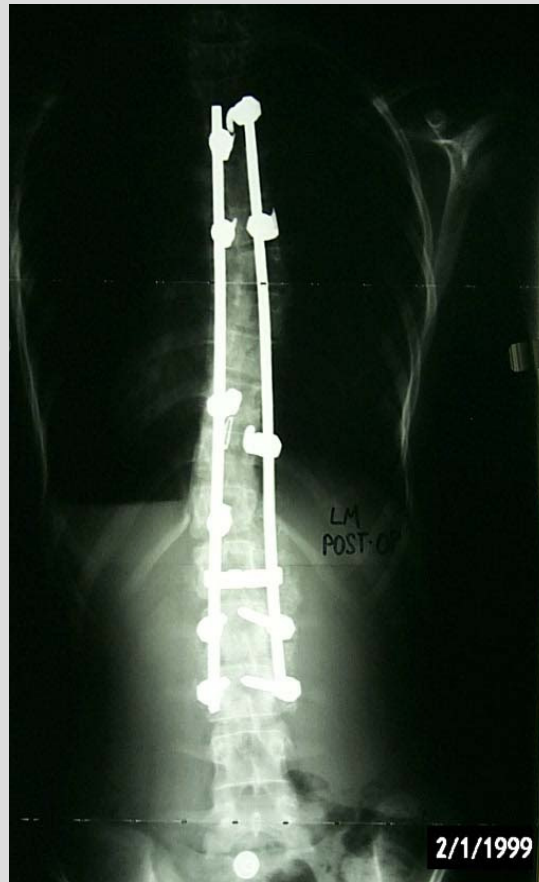
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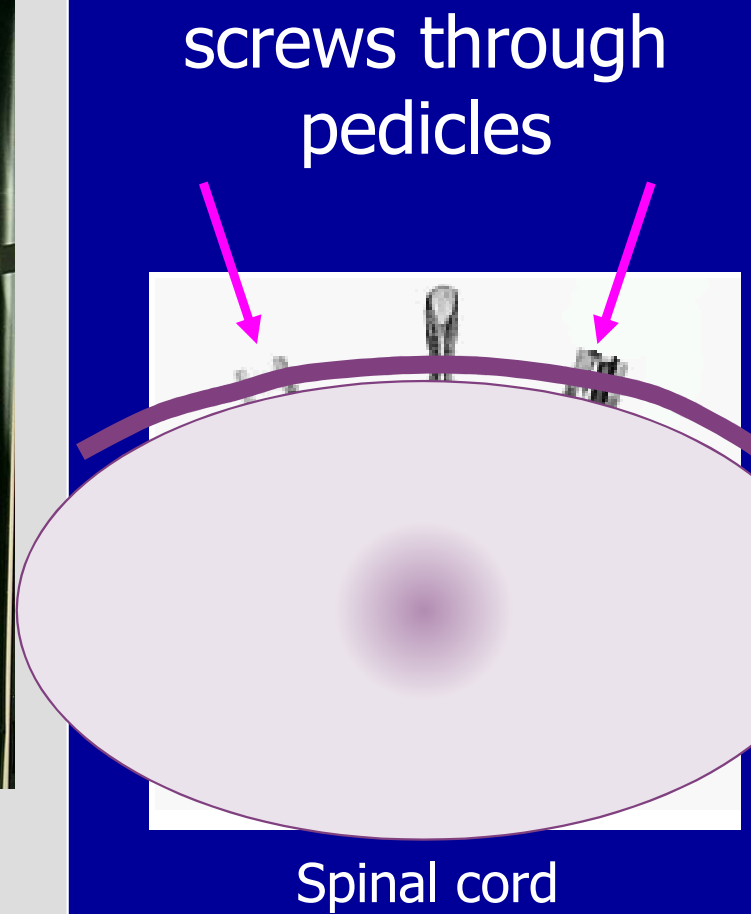
vertebra
(face and sagittal view)

spinal column

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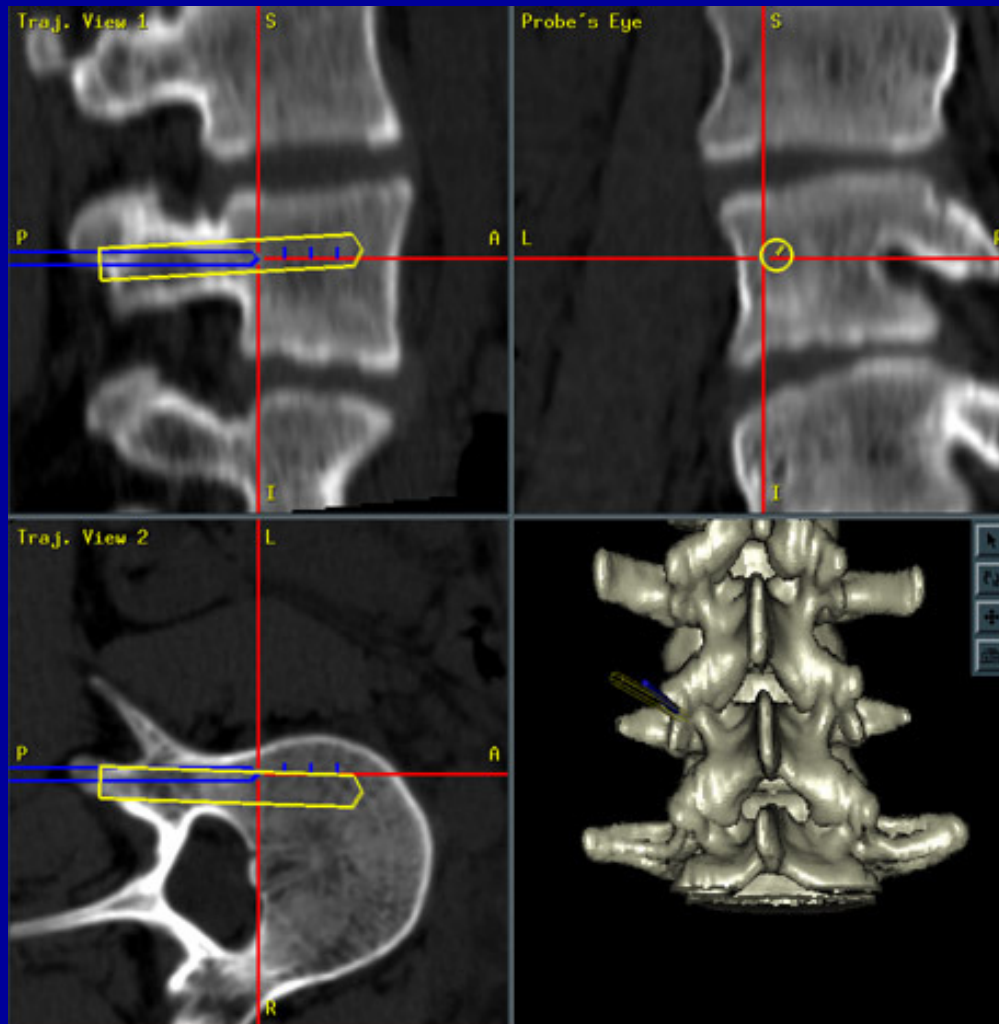


scoliosis



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Planning onto the scanner exam

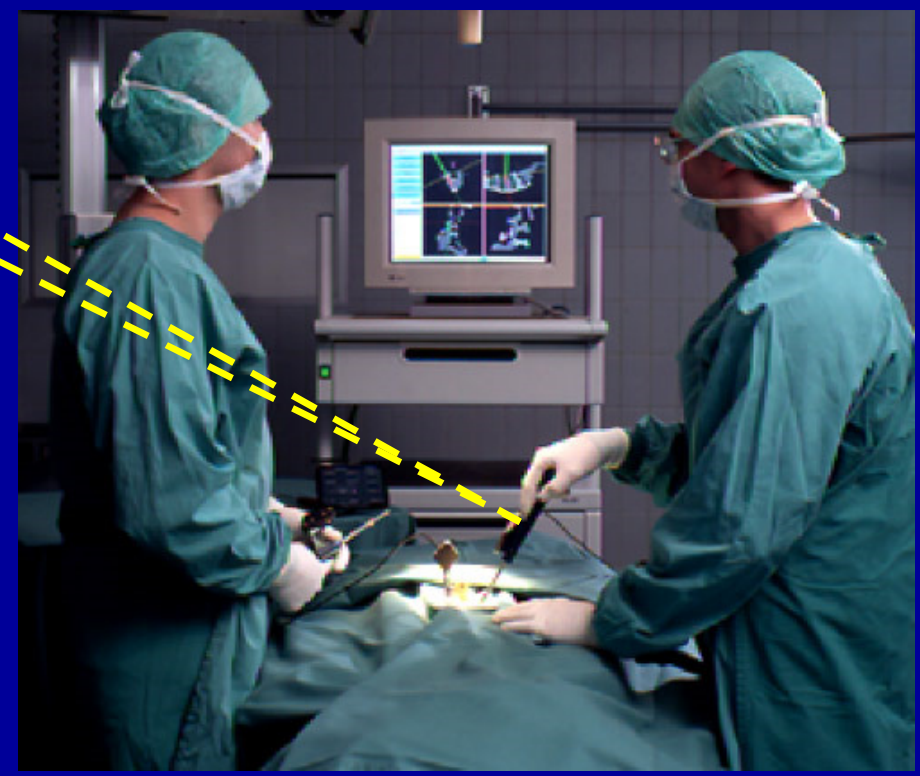


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Per-operative surgical guiding :



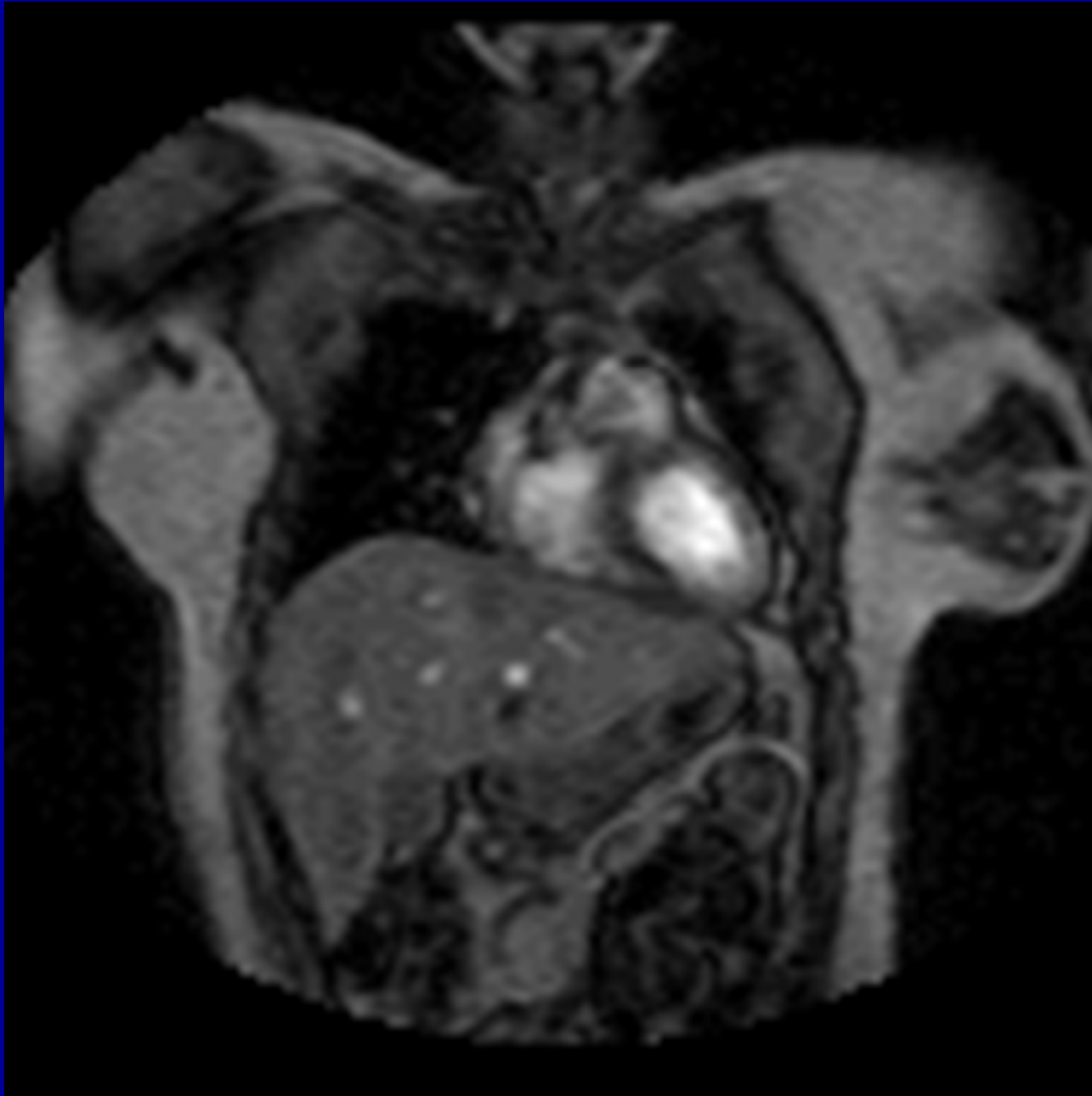
Merloz et al. (1997)



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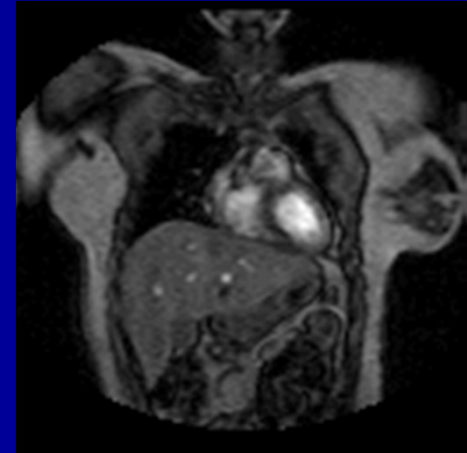
What about soft organs?

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A computer Aided system for such a deformable organ would mean:



- A "fast" generation of the patient-specific biomechanical model of the organ
- The possibility to estimate the patient-specific constitutive behavior of the organ
- An almost real-time computation of the deformations simulated by the model

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Intra-operative computer Aided System

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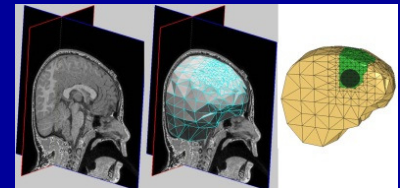
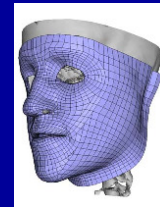
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Outline

- Introduction
- Pre-operative Computer Aided Device:
maxillo-facial surgery
- Intra-operative Computer Aided Device:
Neurosurgery
- Discussion



Orthognatic surgery

Orthognathic surgery is directed to patients suffering from malformations of the lower part of the face



orthodontic



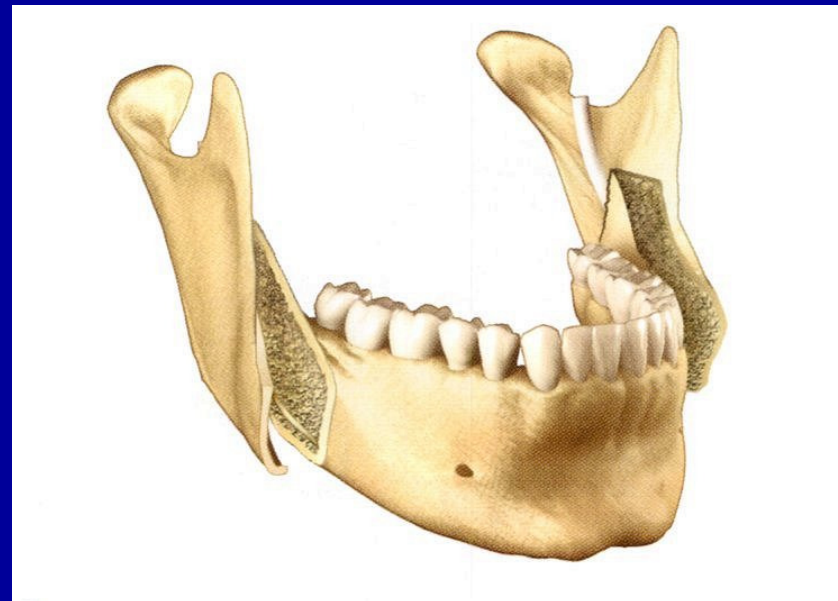
aesthetic



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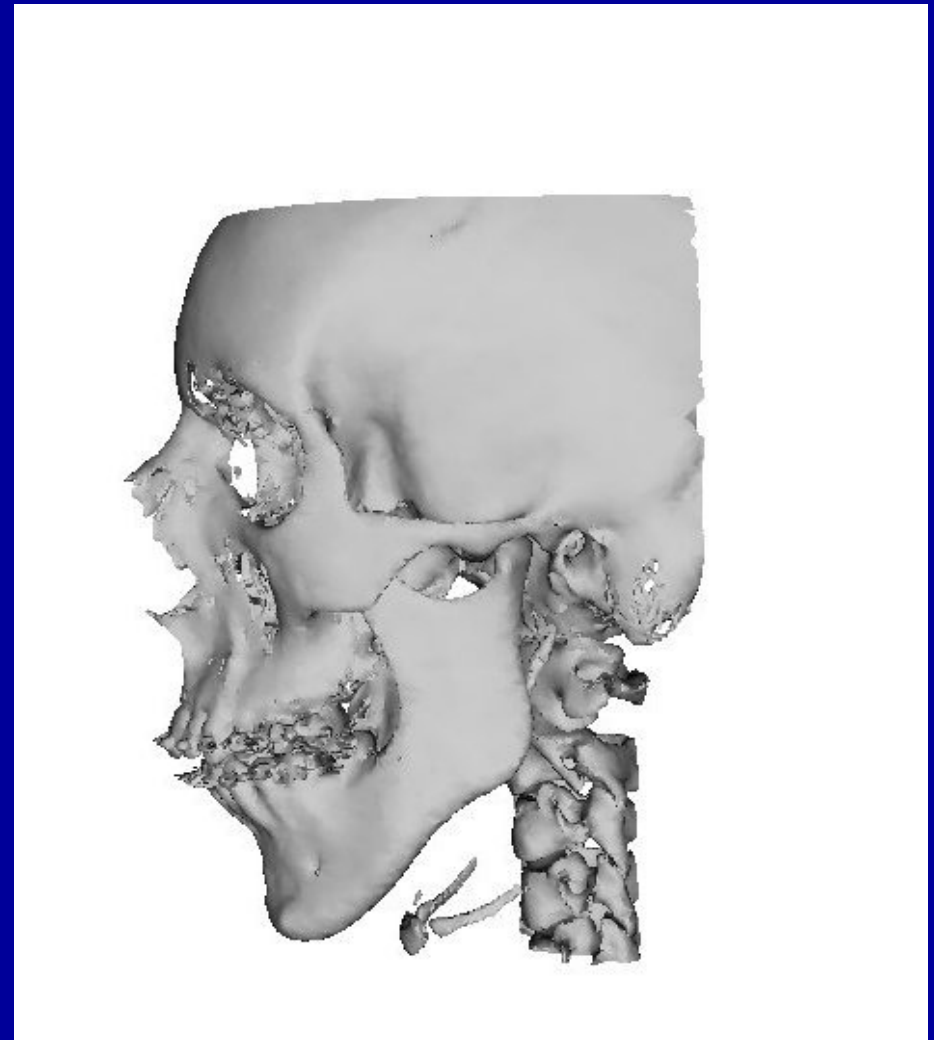
Orthognatic surgery

The principle of the surgical procedure is to reposition bones segments, the upper maxilla and/or the mandible, with respect to **cephalometric**, **orthodontic** and **aesthetic** criteria.



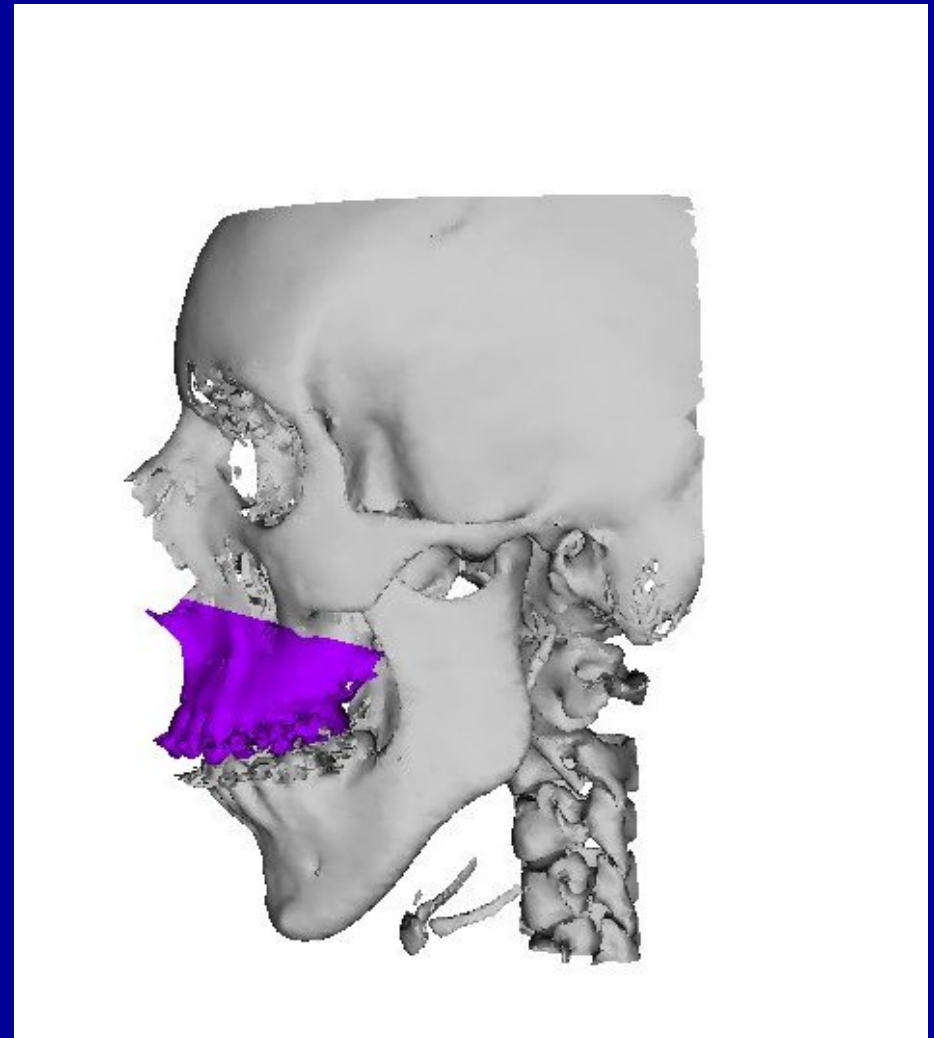
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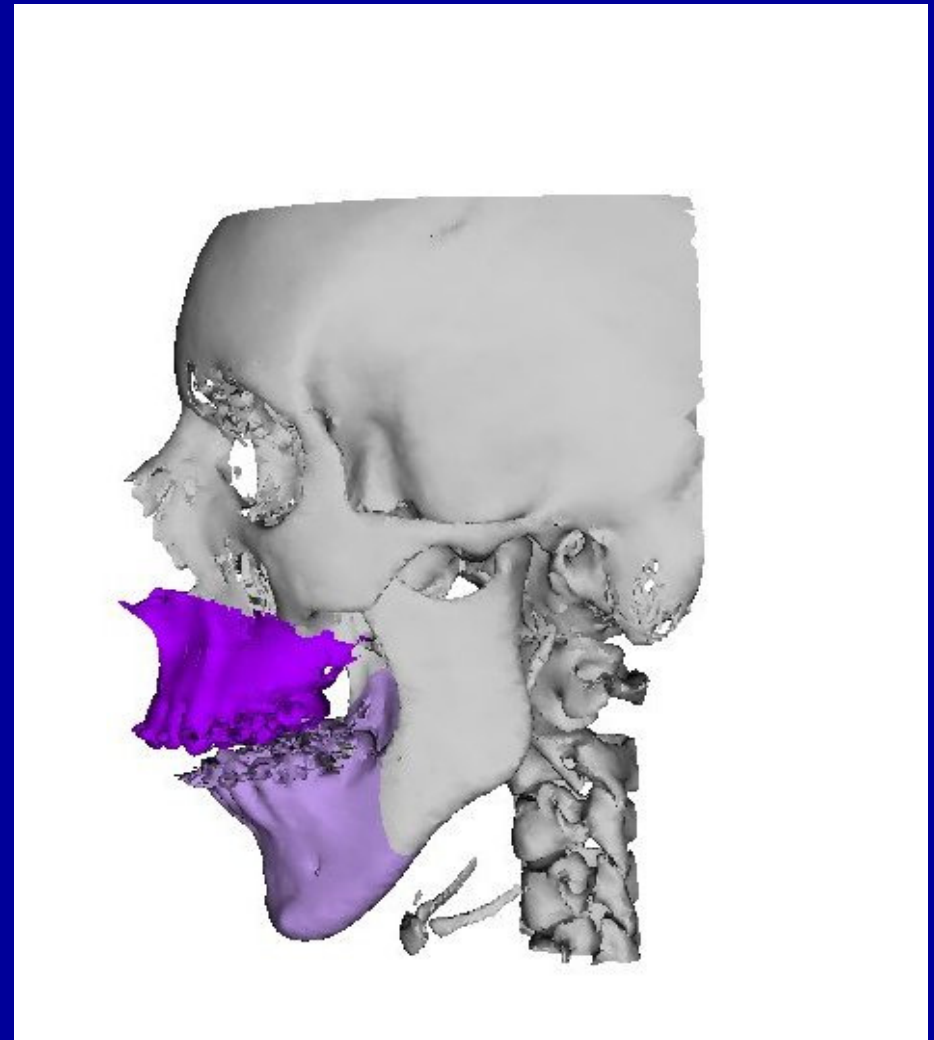
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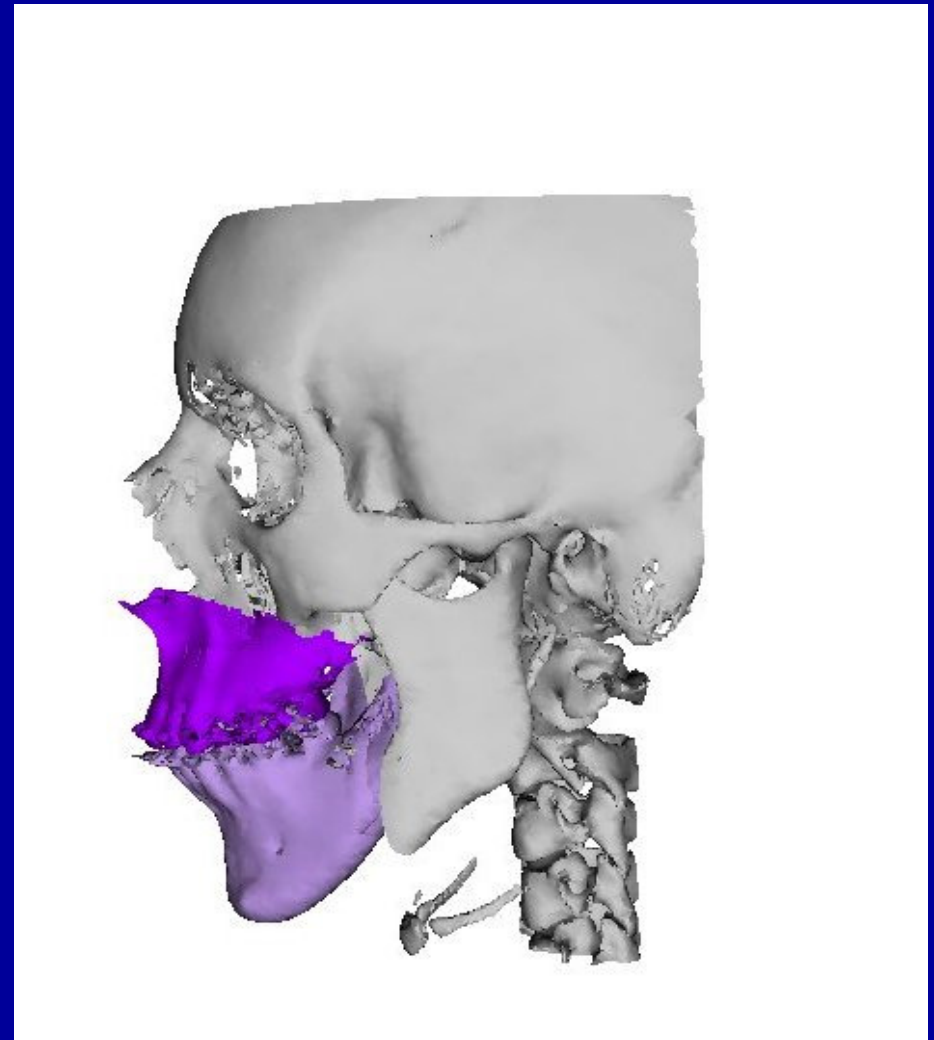
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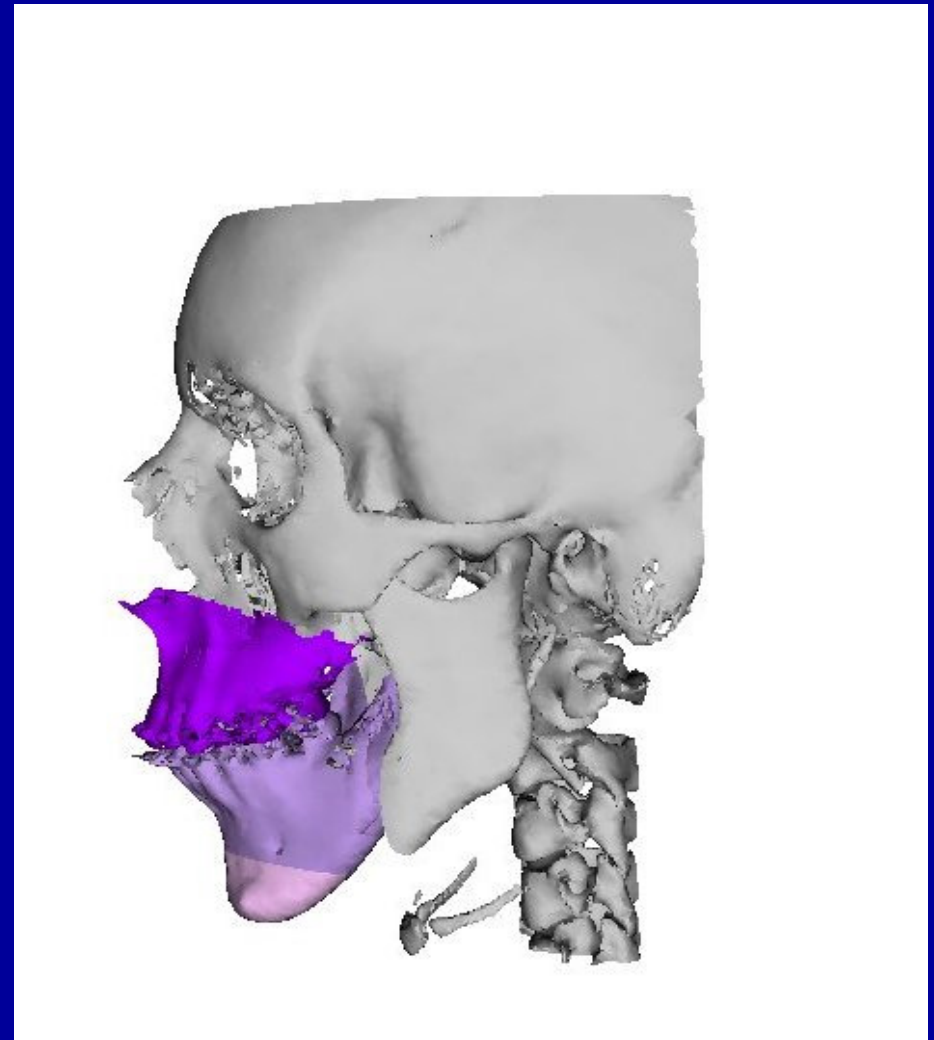
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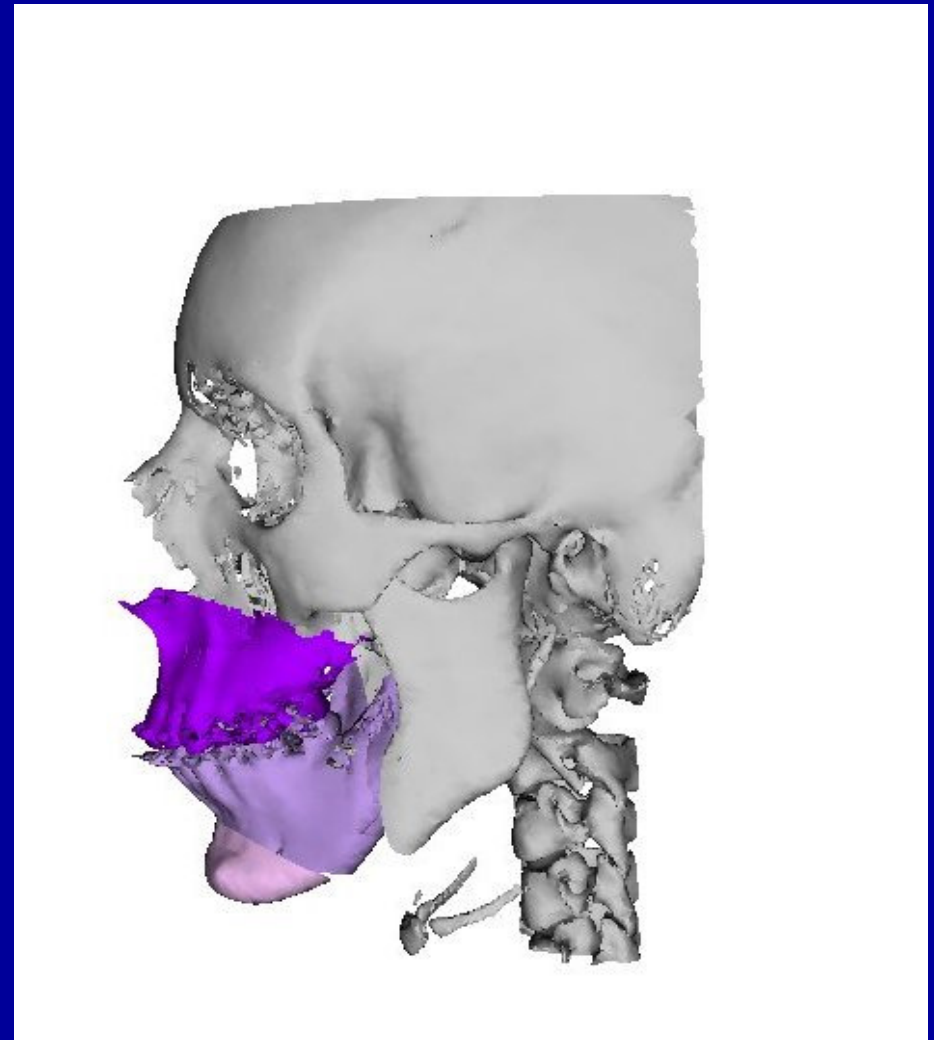
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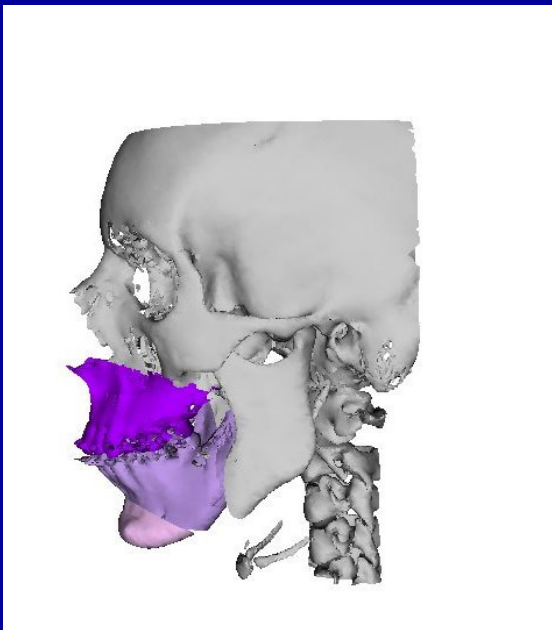
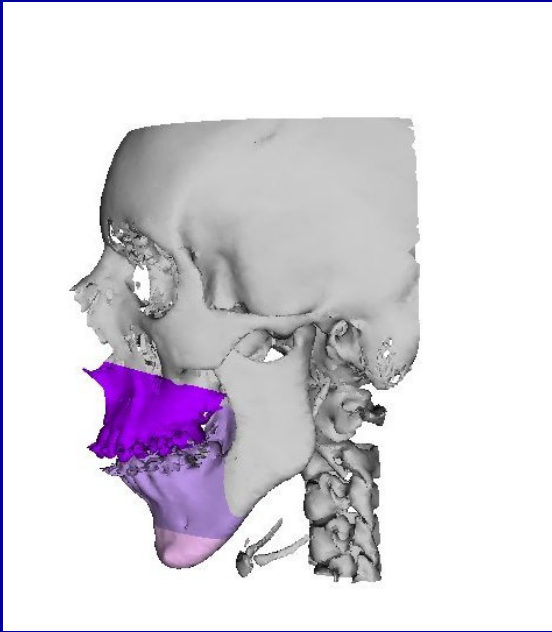


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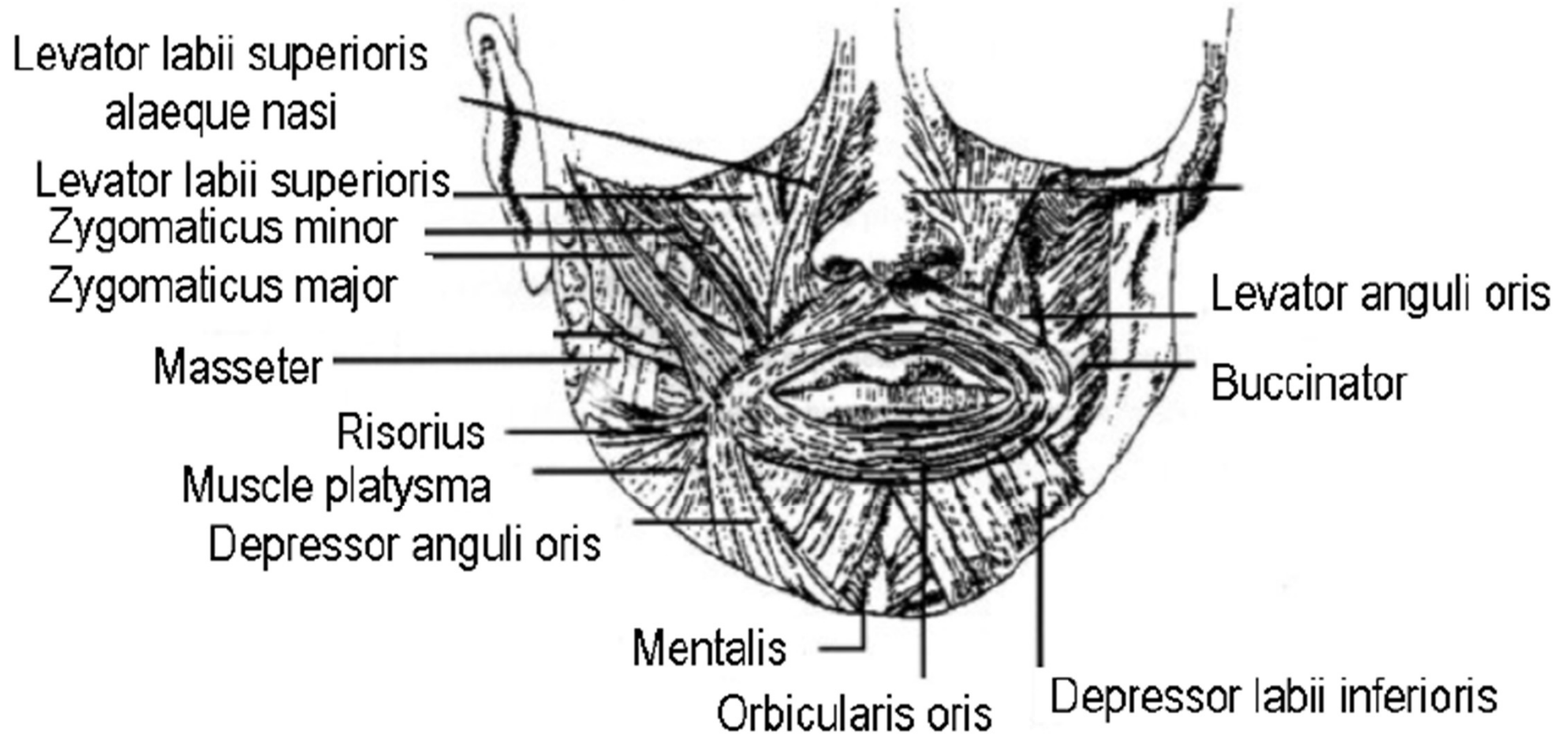
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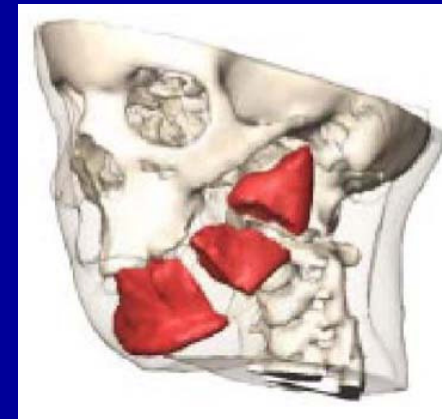
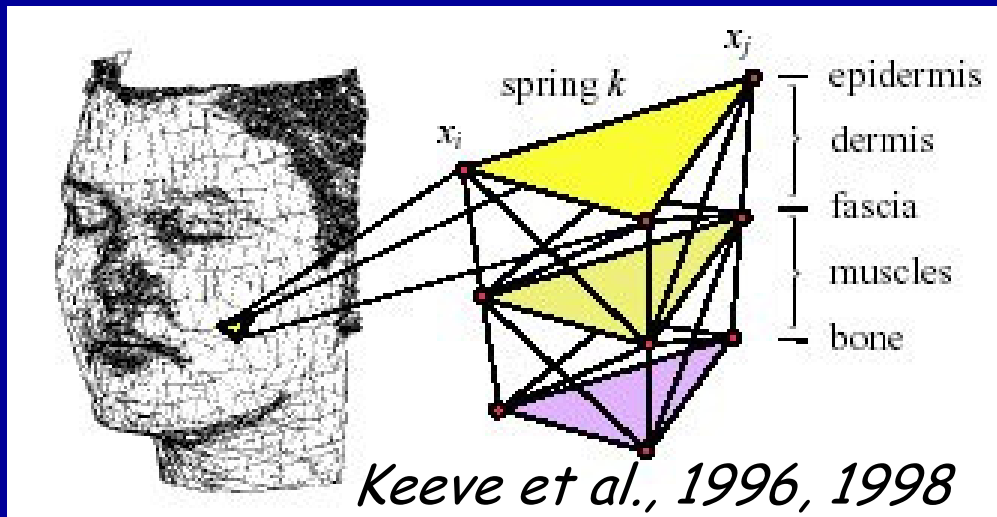
Next step: To take into account the face soft tissue deformations resulting from bone repositioning, in order to predict:

- the patient aesthetic aspect after surgery
- the functional consequences (facial mimics, mastication, speech production)

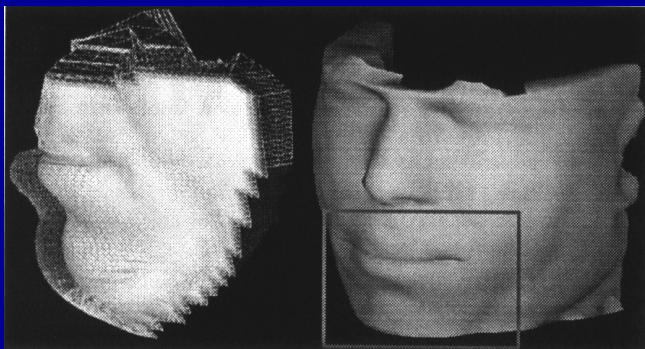
Face anatomy



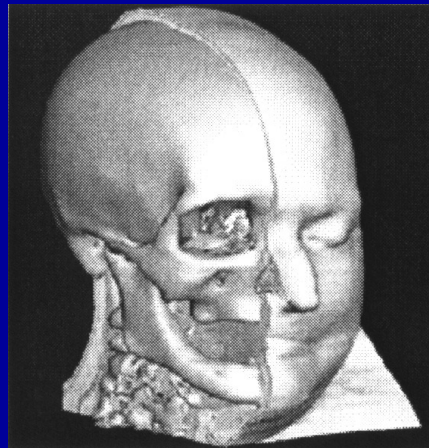
Face modeling in the maxillo-facial literature



Gladilin et al., 2003



Roth et al., 1998



Zachow et al., 2000



Koch et al., 1998, 1999

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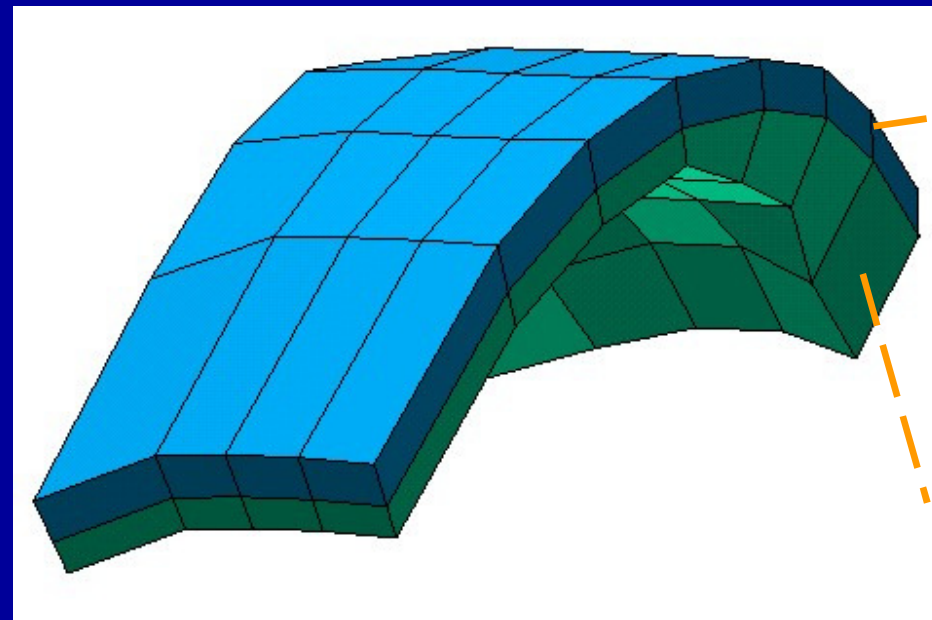
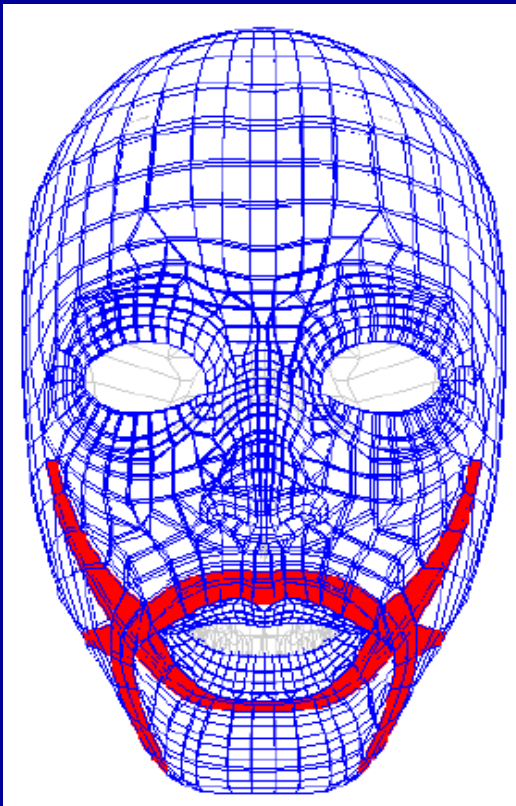
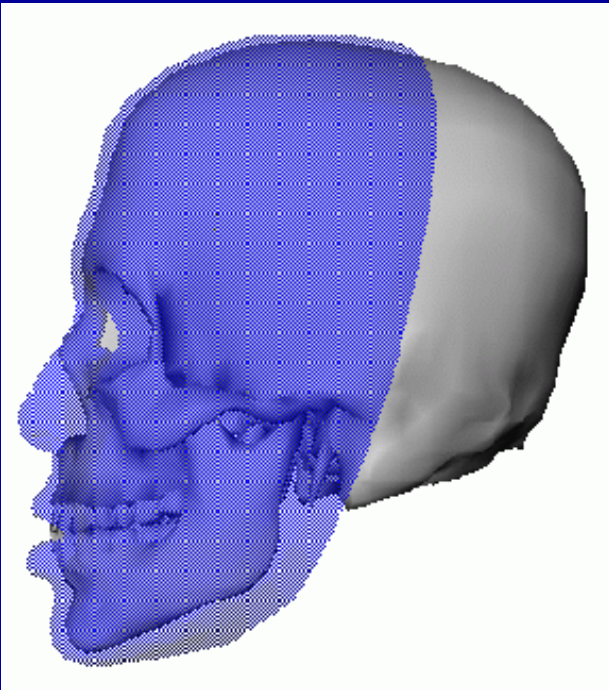
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Our modeling strategy

The Mesh-Matching algorithm (Couteau et al., 2000) :

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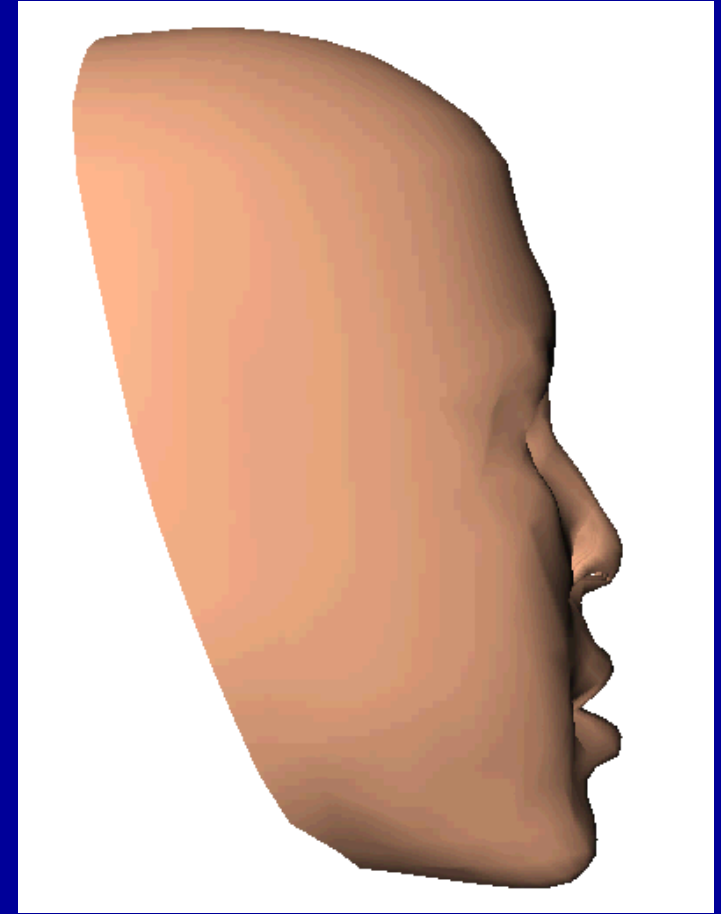
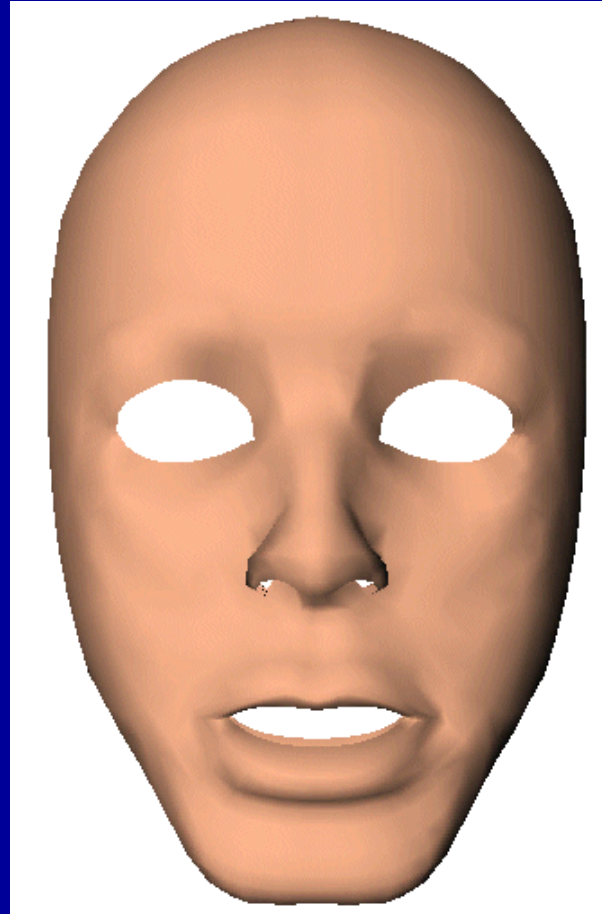
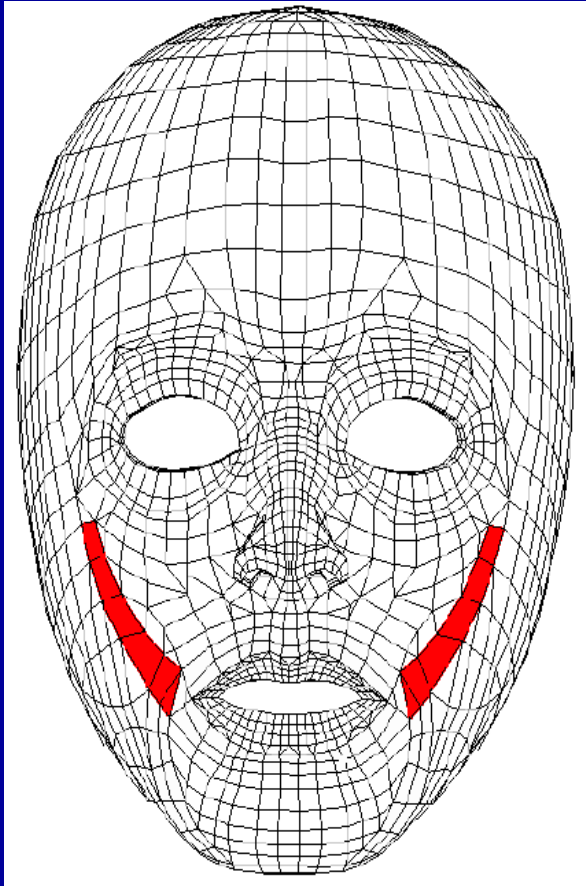
Generic Finite Element face model



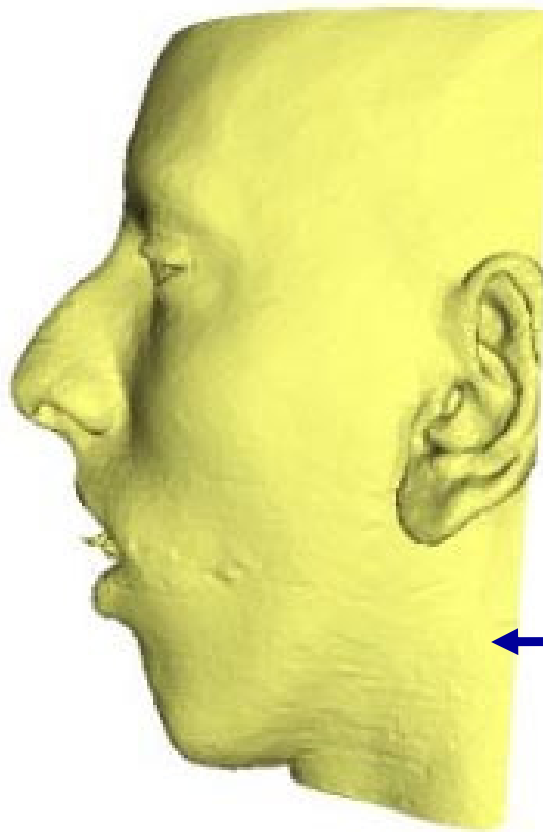
Outer layer
(Dermis)

Inner layer
(Hypodermis)

Simulation : Activation of Zygomaticus major

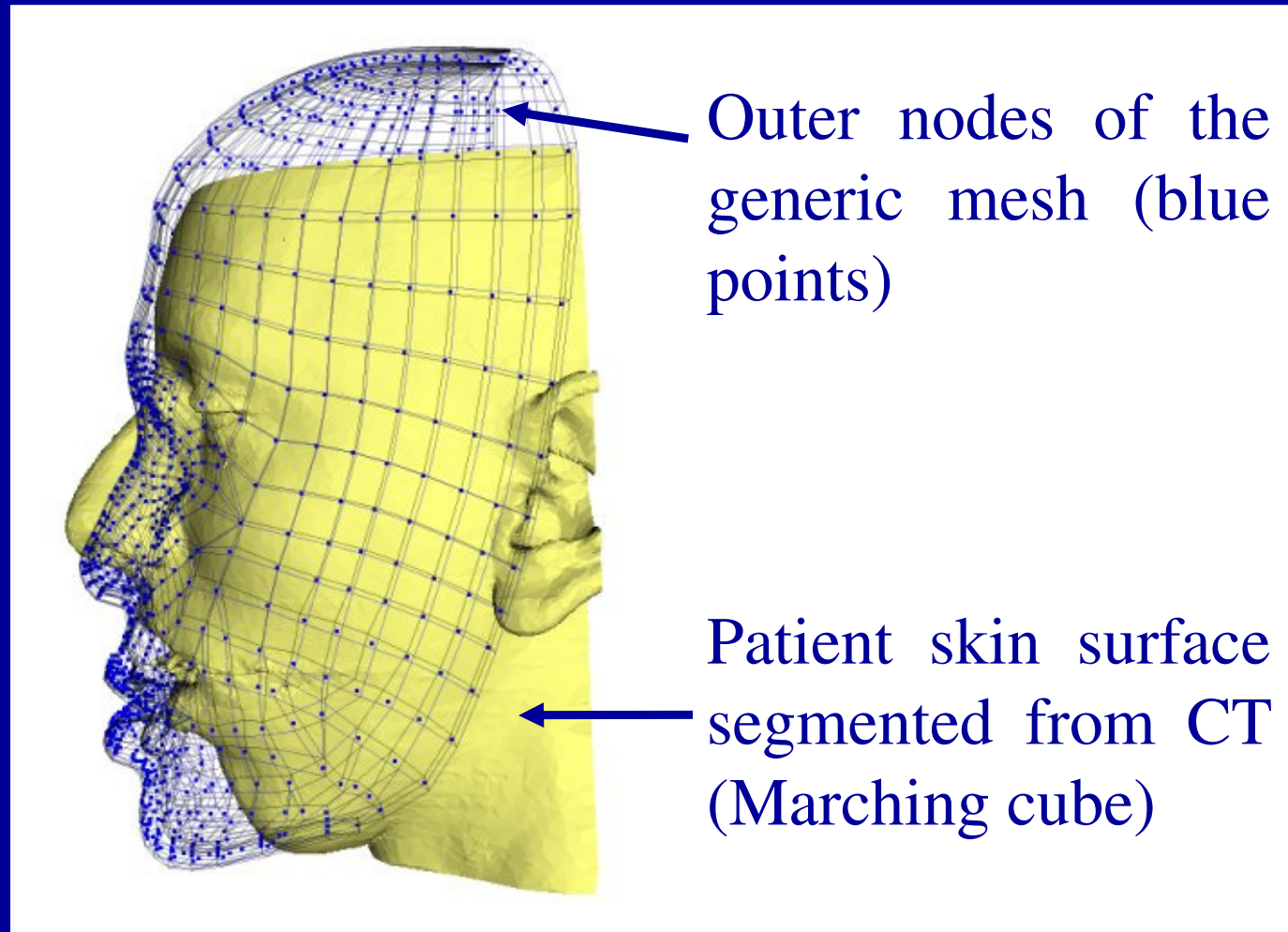


Conformation of the generic model to patient morphology



Patient skin surface
segmented from CT
(Marching cube)

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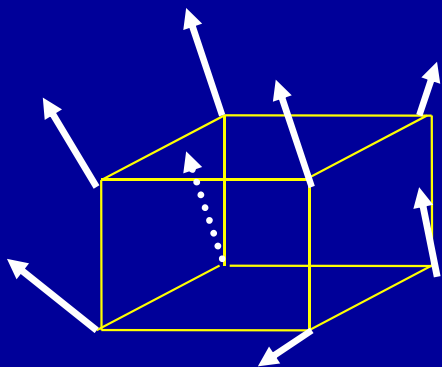
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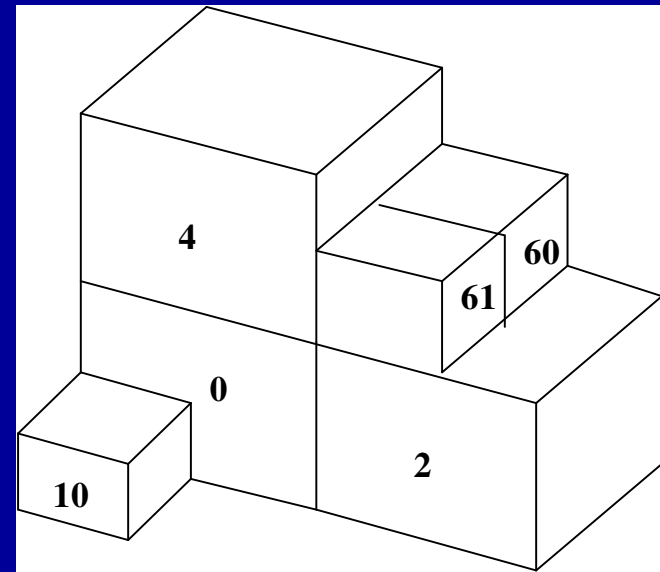
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The registration algorithm (Szeliski & Lavallée, 1996):

- Octree Spline method
- Adaptive deformation function
 - rigid matching
 - global elastic transformation
 - local elastic transformations

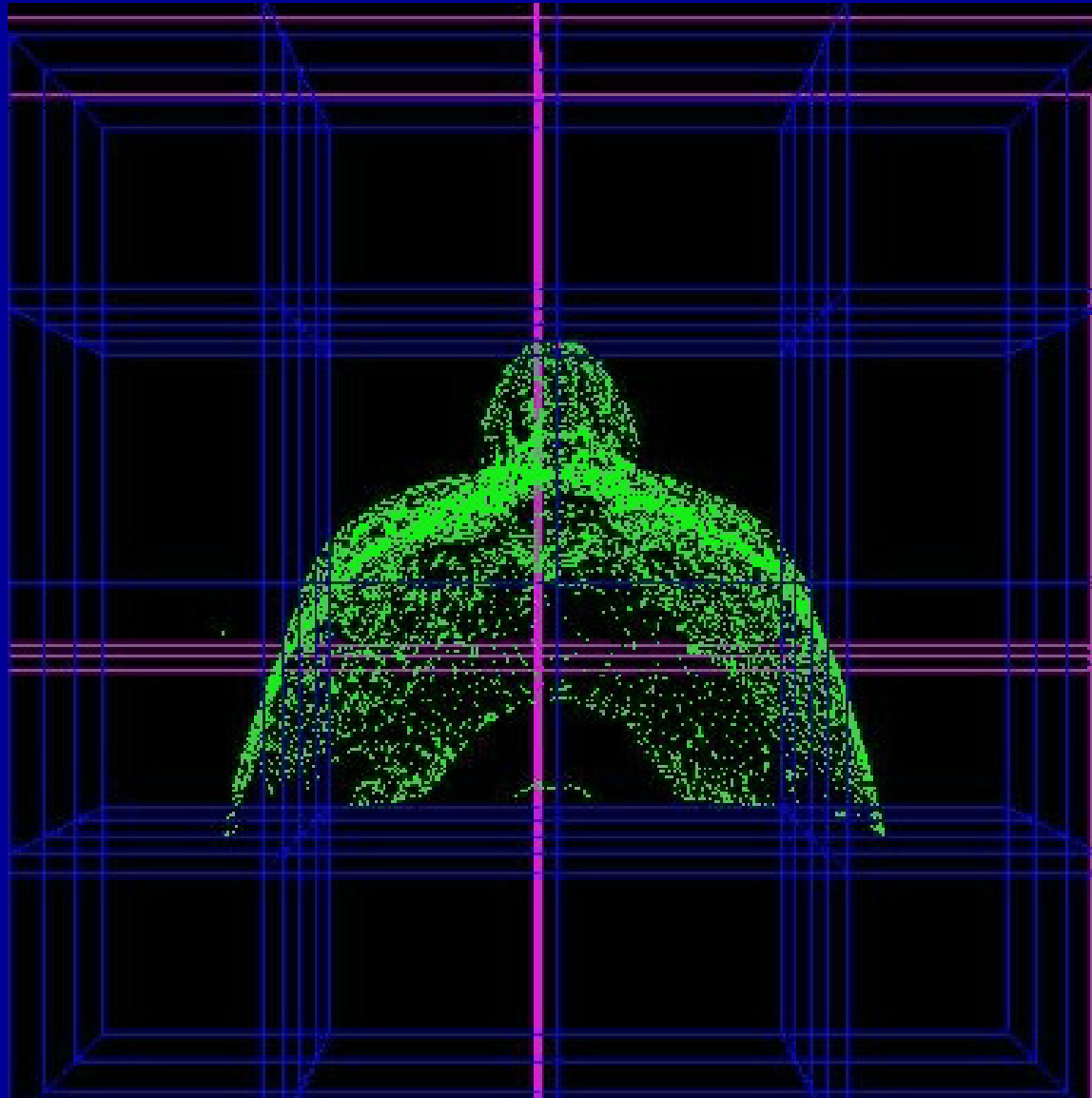


Displacement vectors on each cube vertex

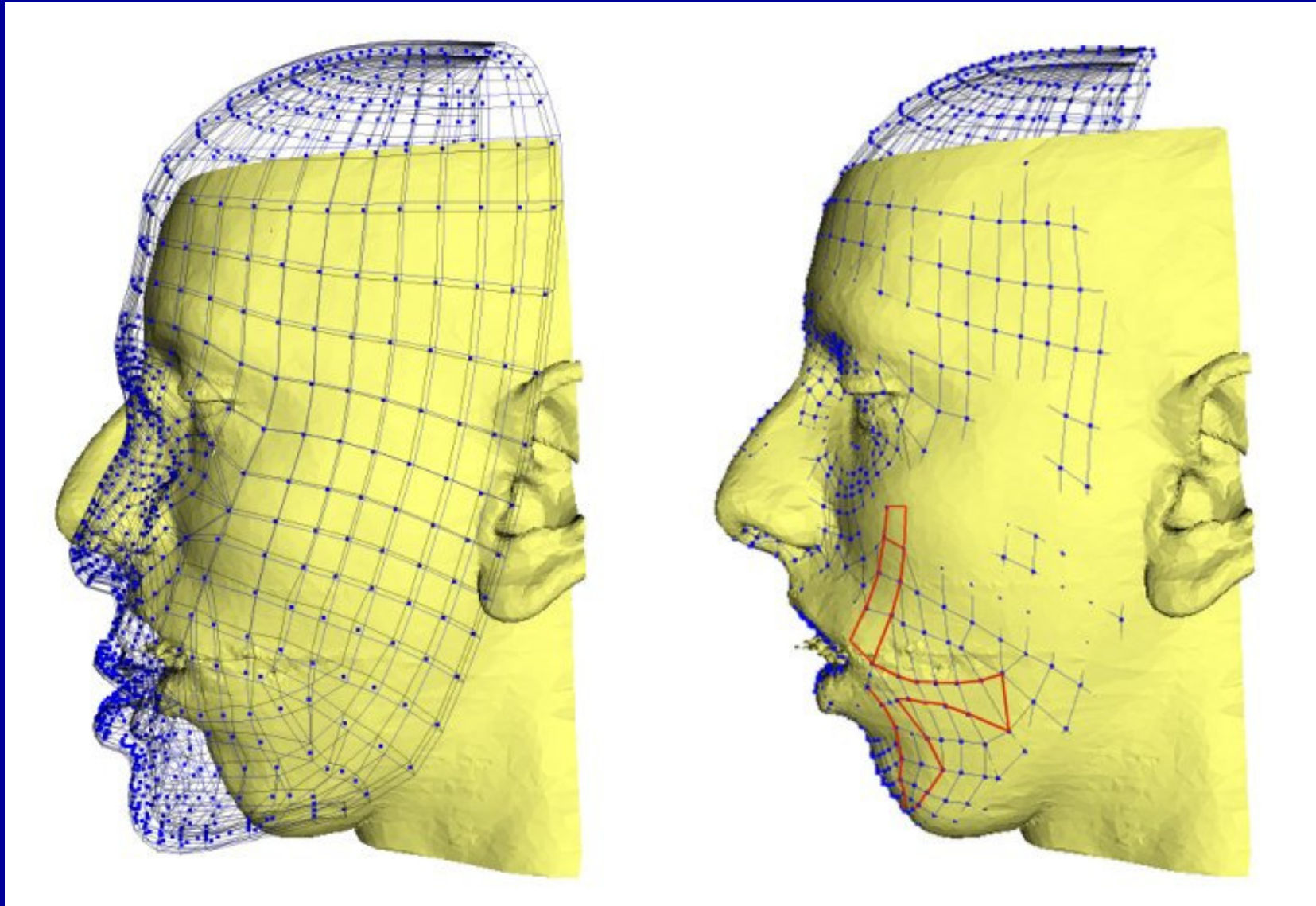


- Minimization : distance + regularity criteria

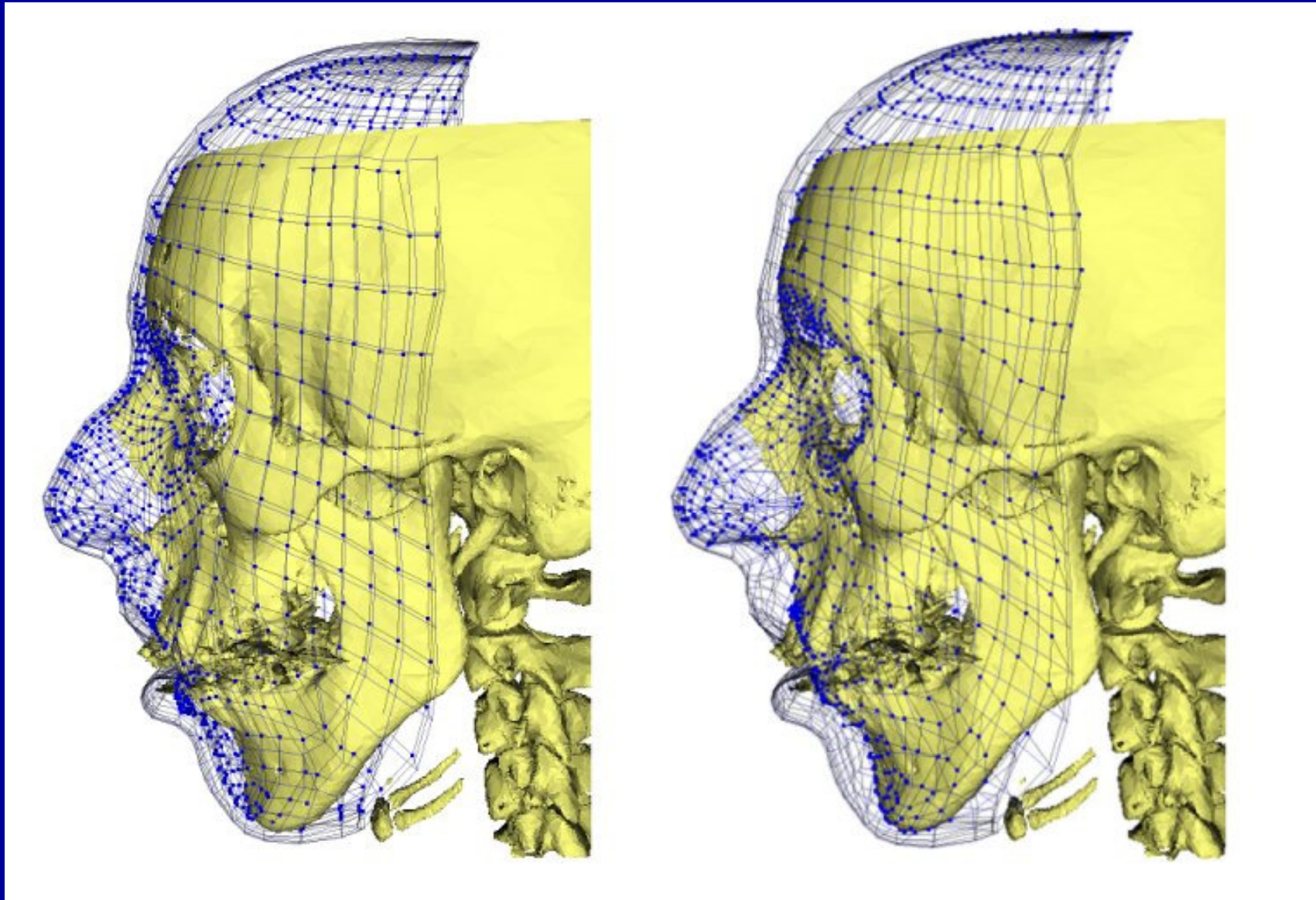
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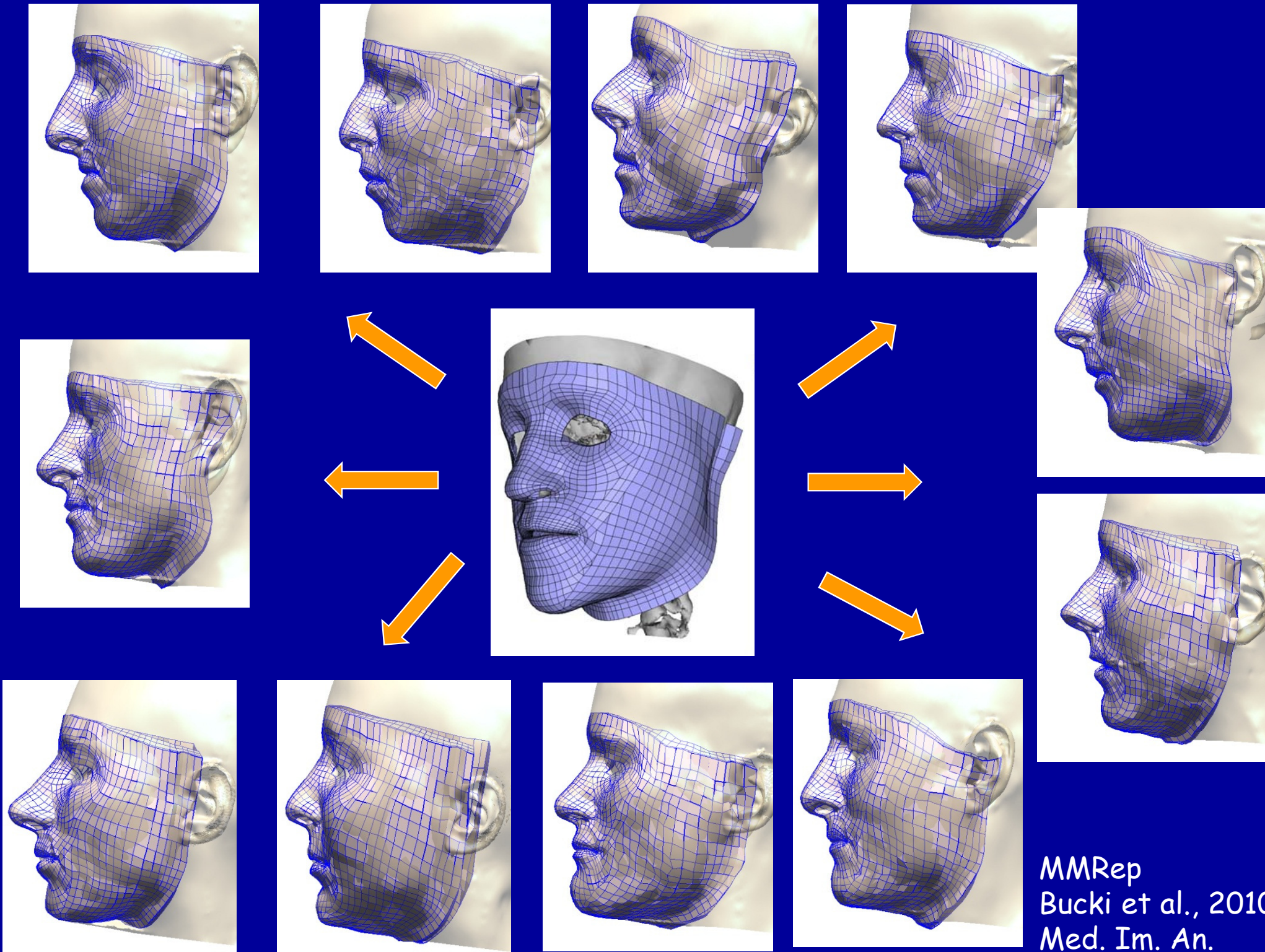
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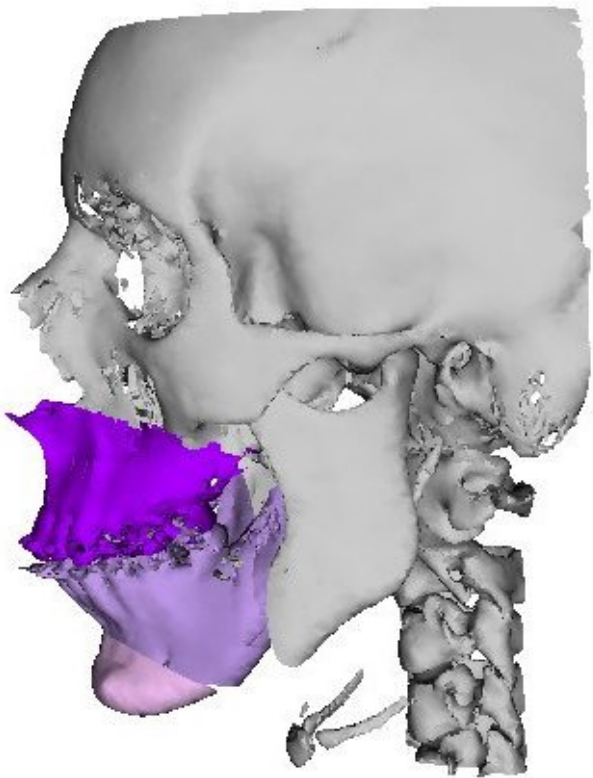
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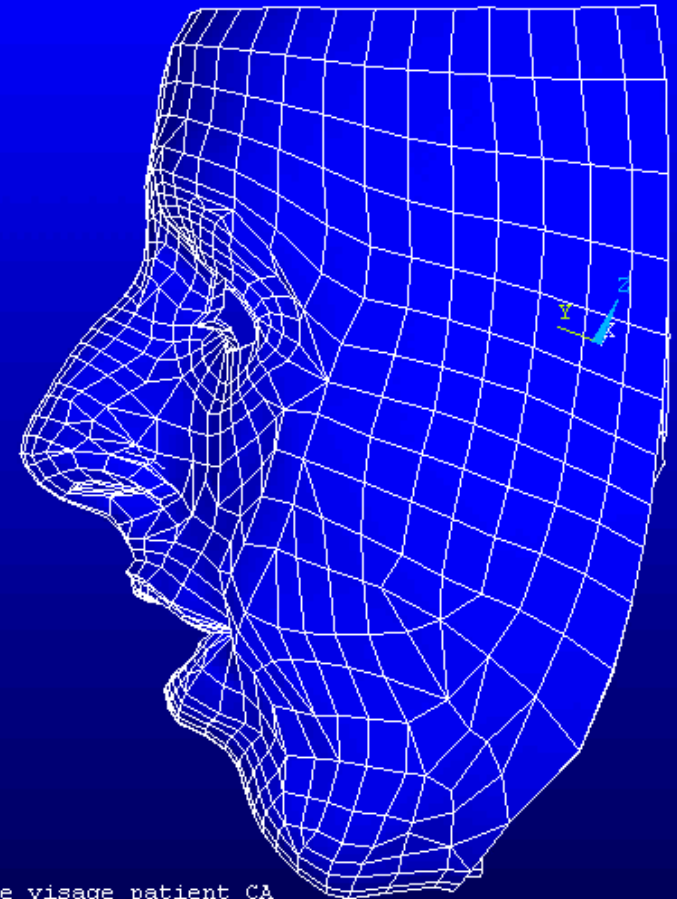


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Bucki et al., 2010
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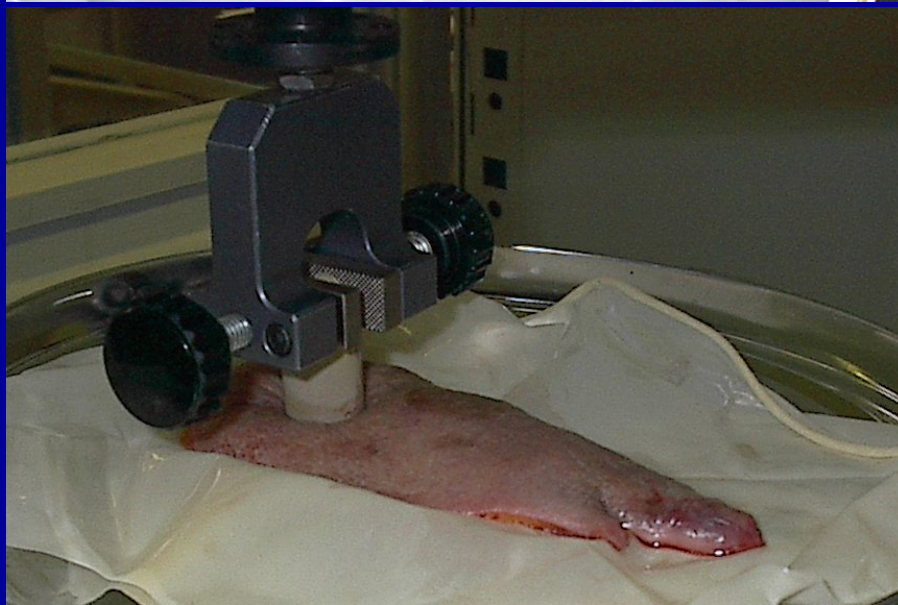
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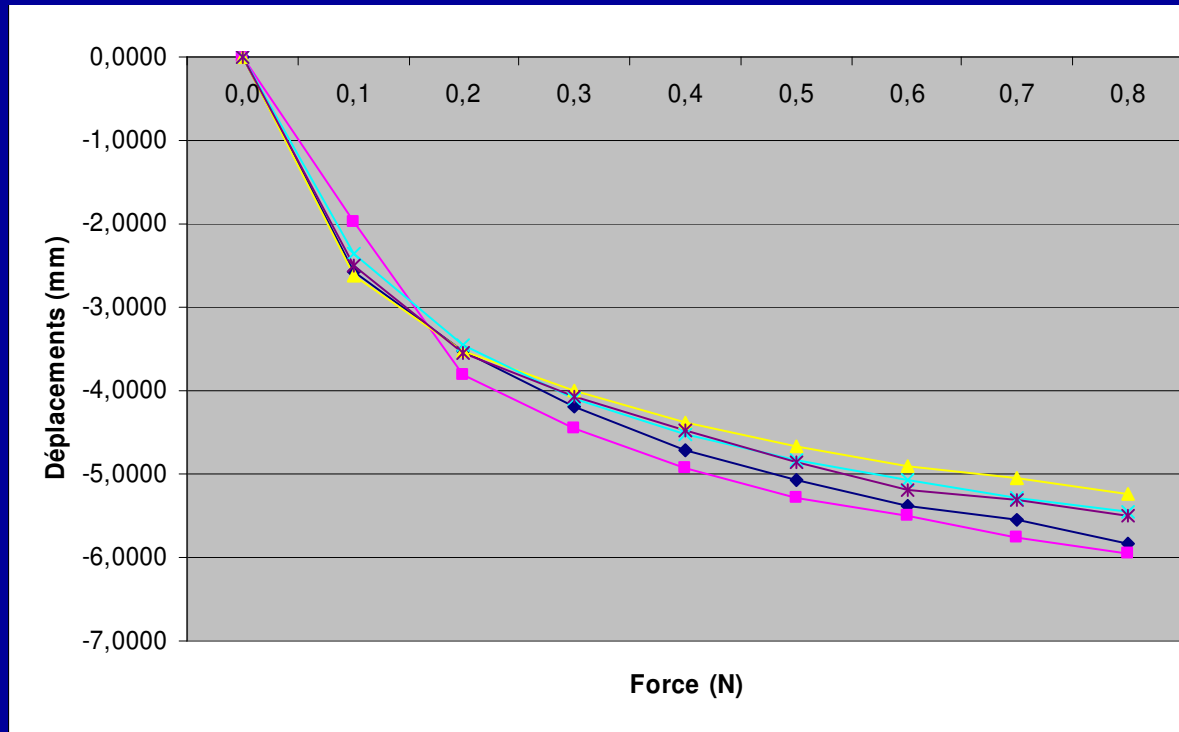
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Trying to characterize the face rheology



In vitro indentation experiment

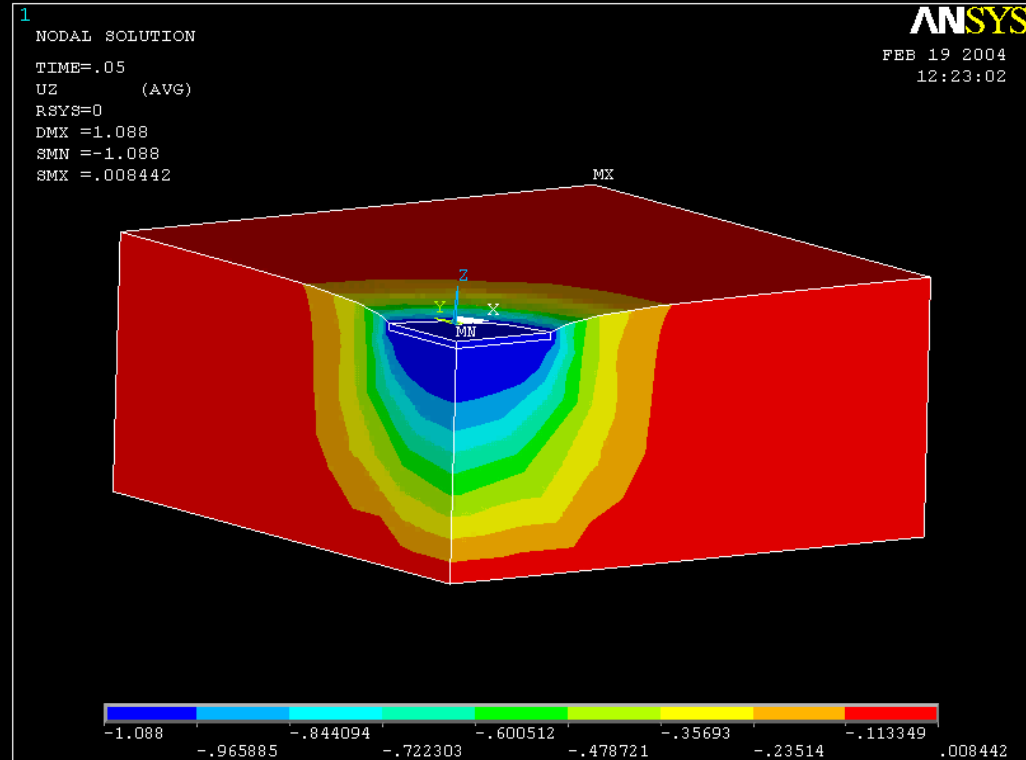
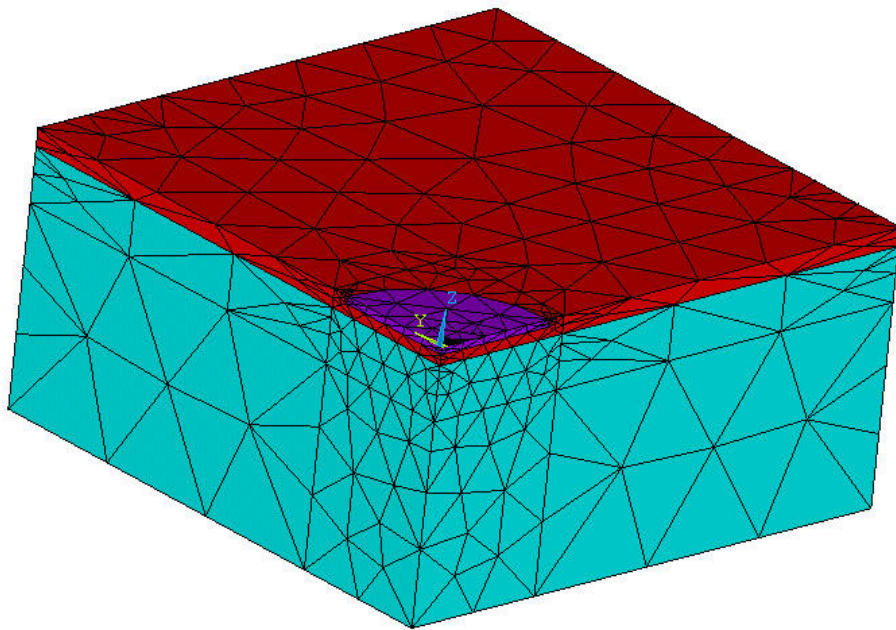


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Modeling assumptions: *Yeoh strain energy*

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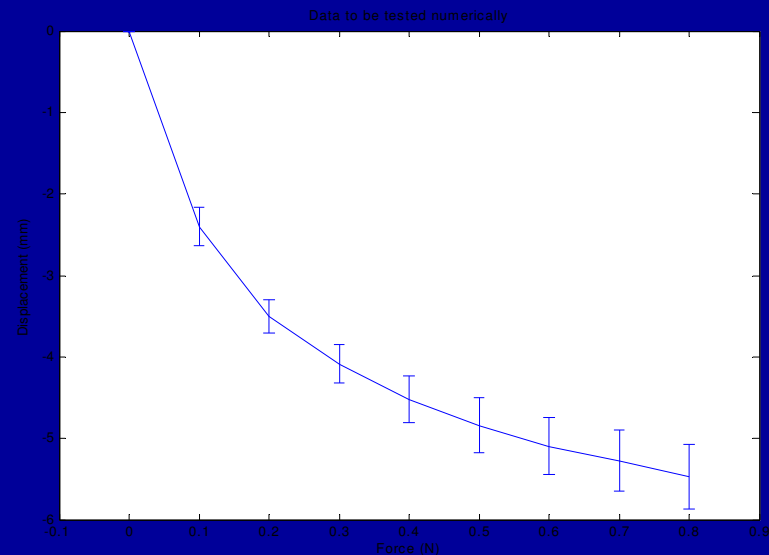
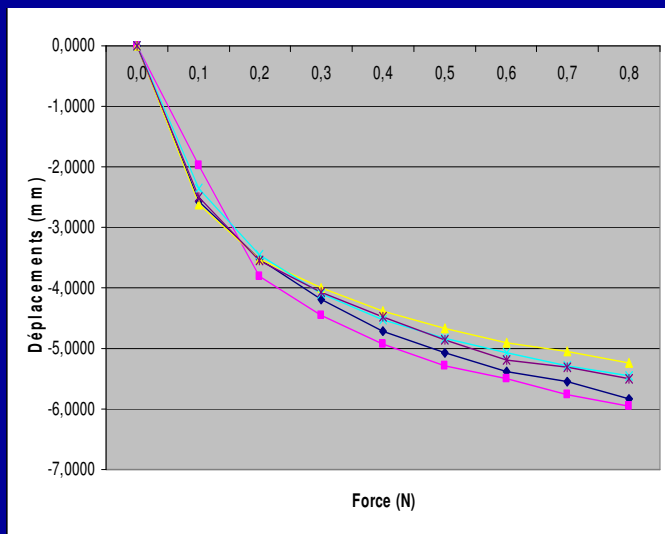
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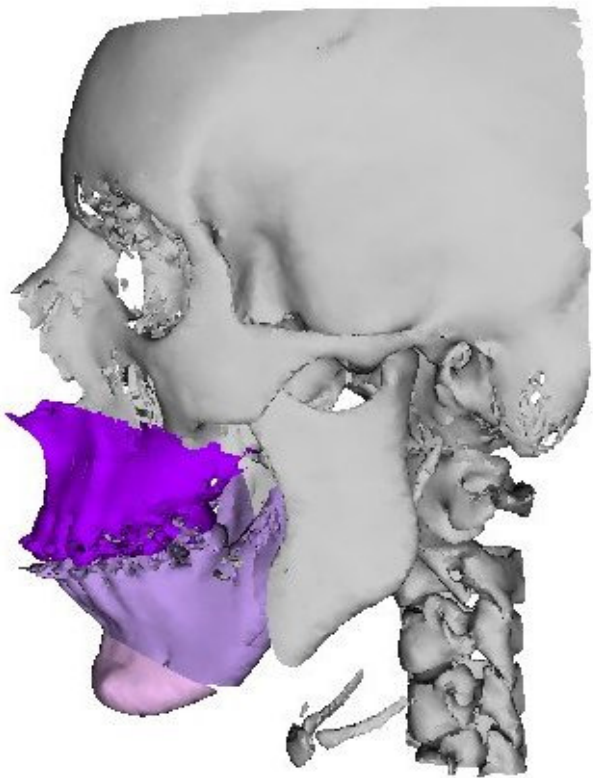


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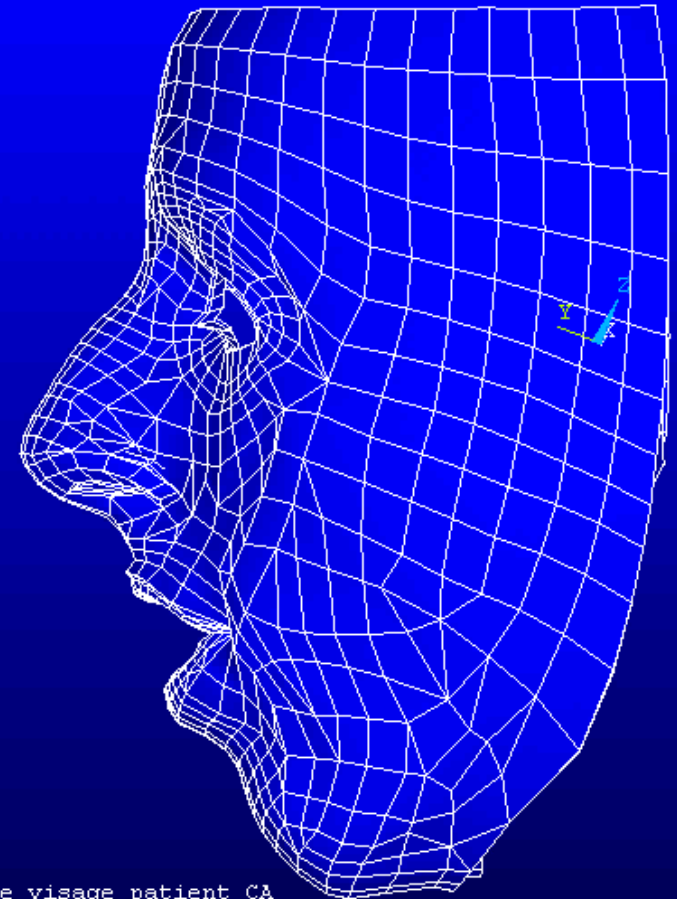
$$a_{10} = 190Pa$$
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Gerard J.M., Ohayon J., Luboz V., Perrier P. & Payan Y.
(2005), *Medical Engineering & Physics*

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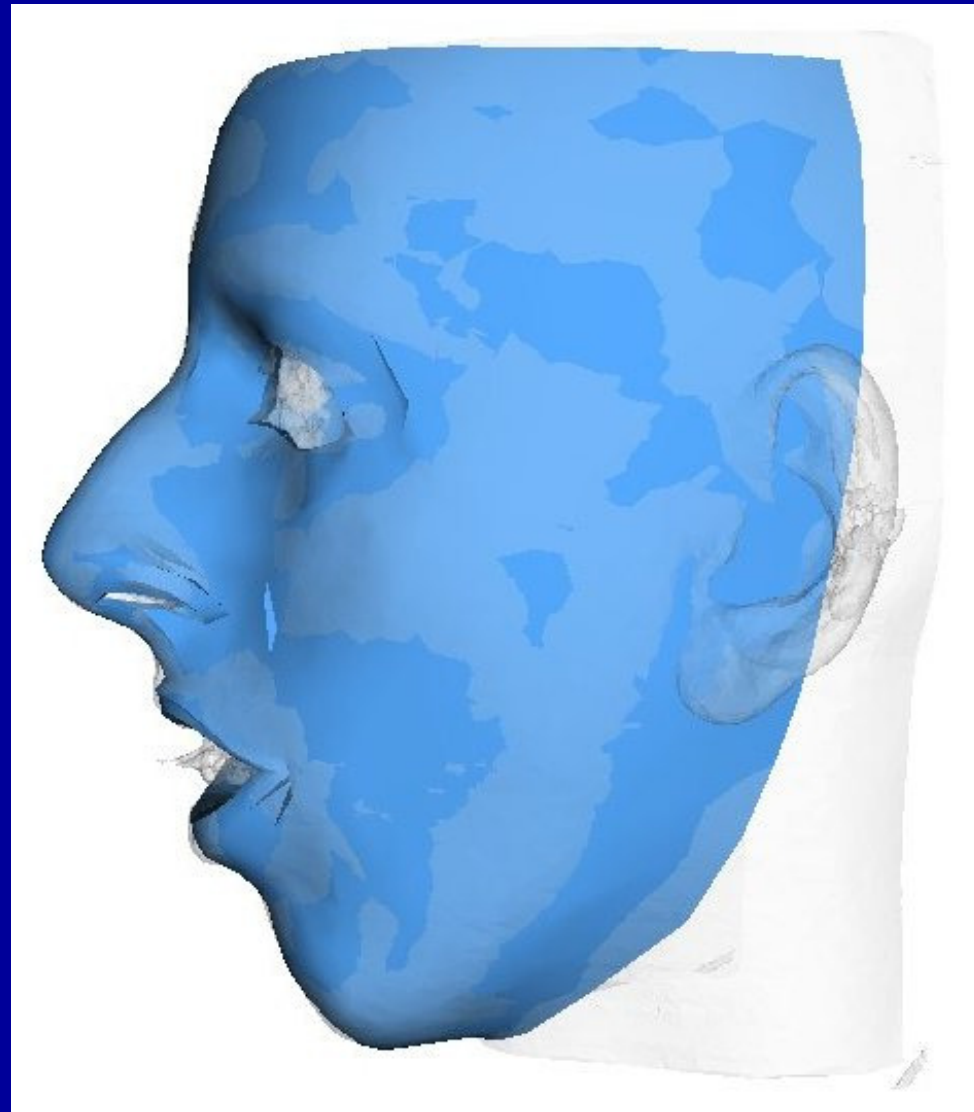
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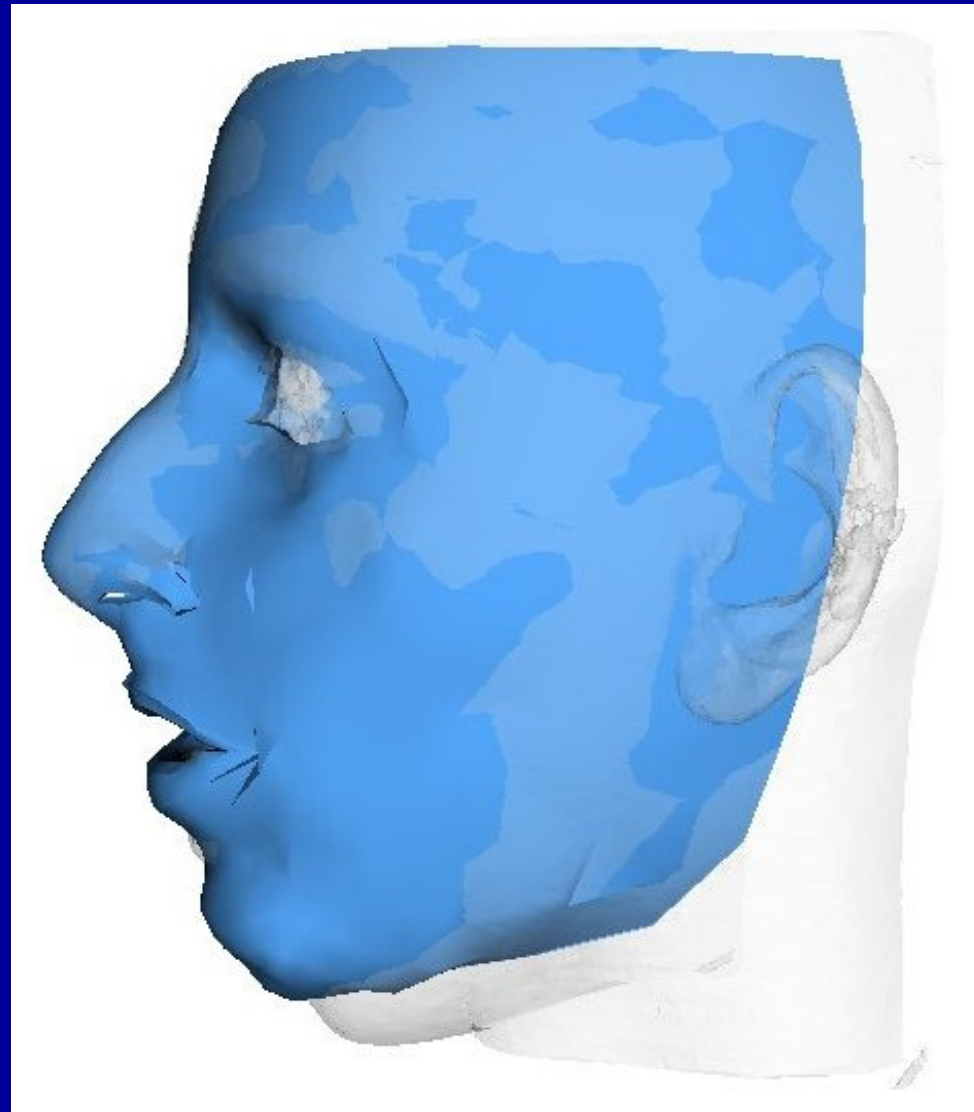
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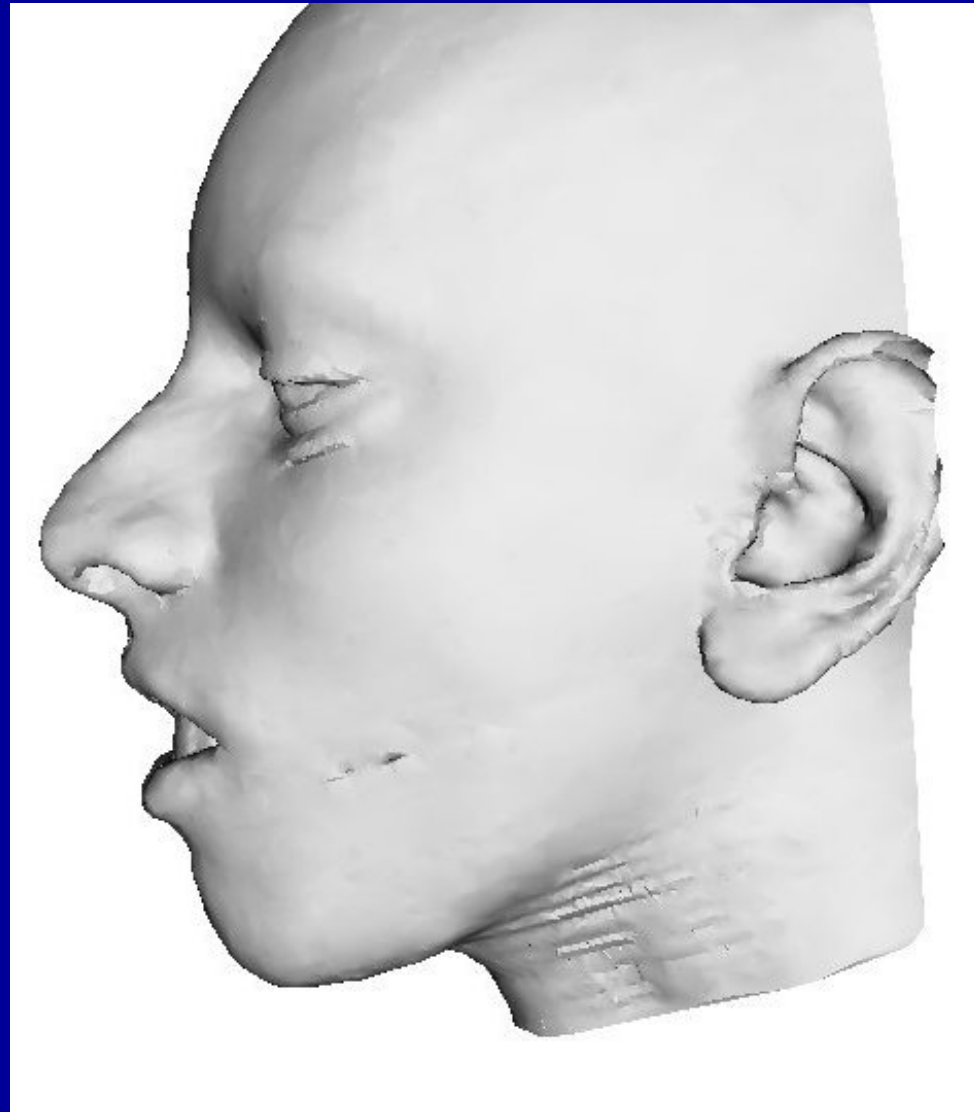
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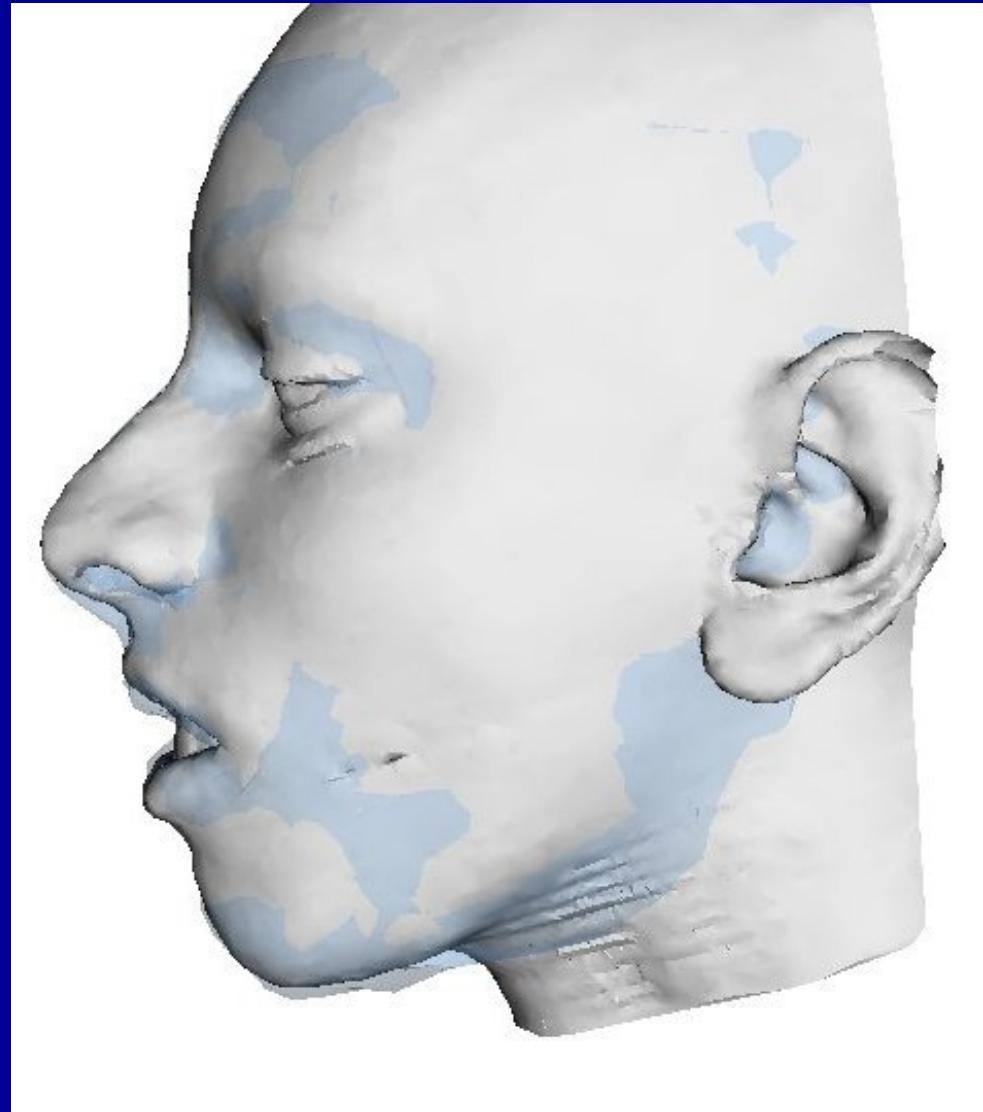
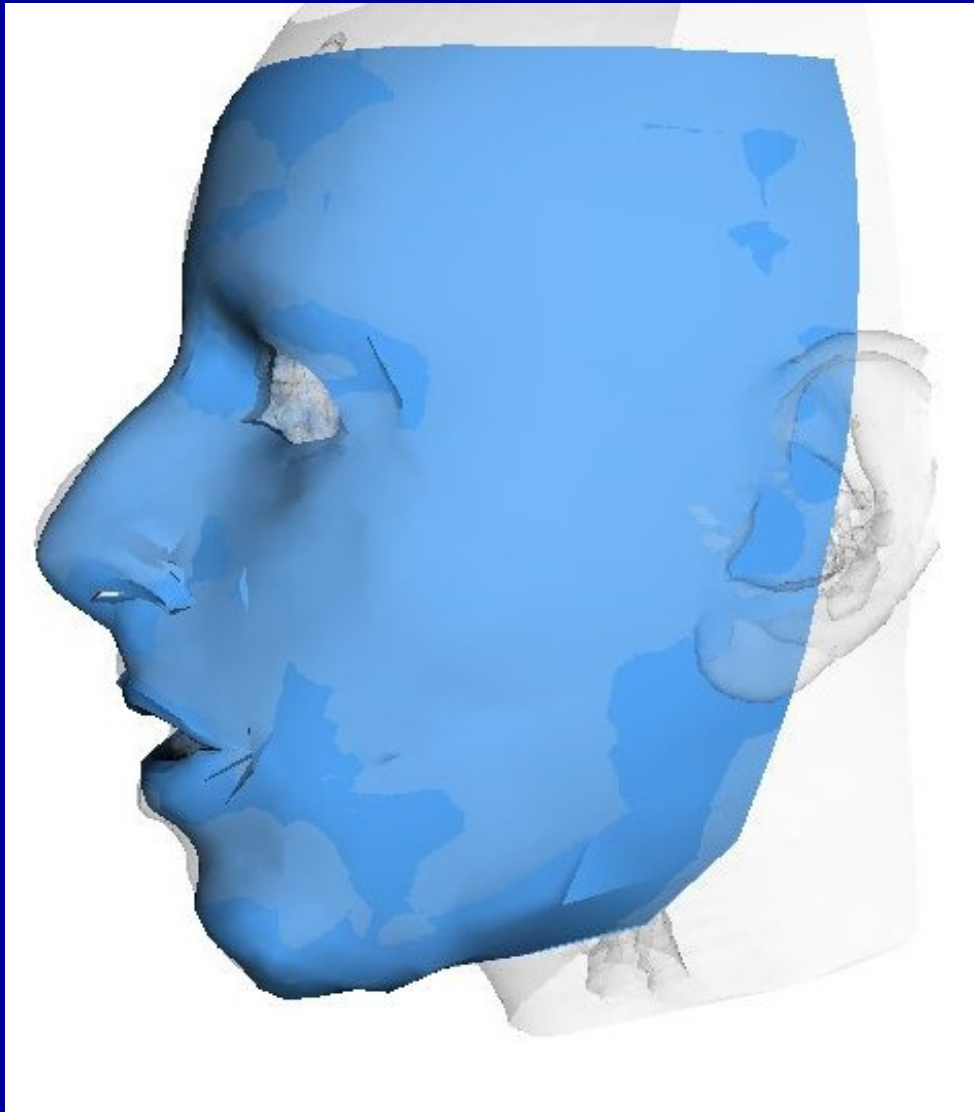
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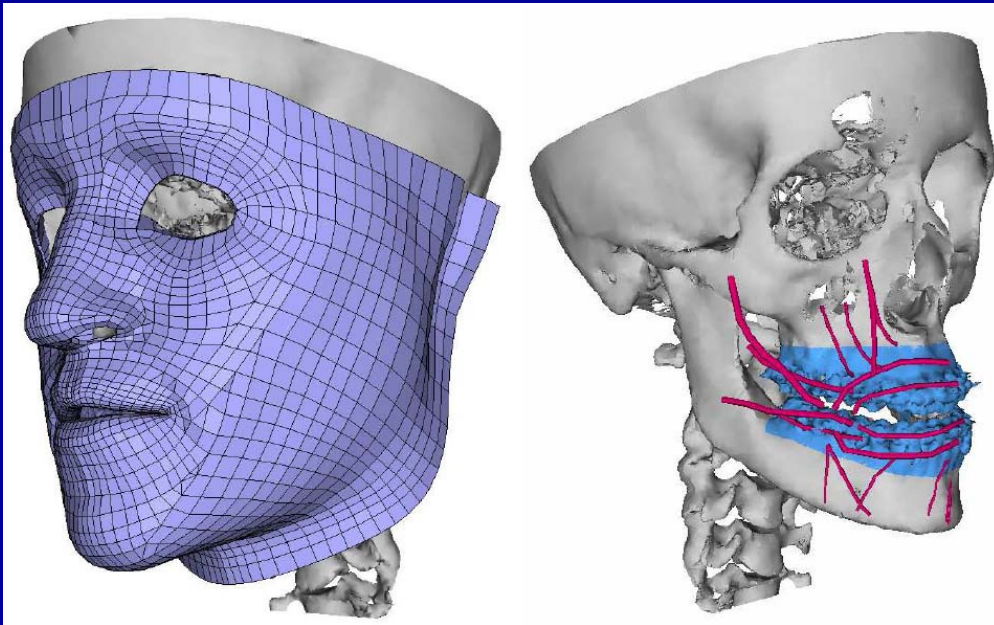


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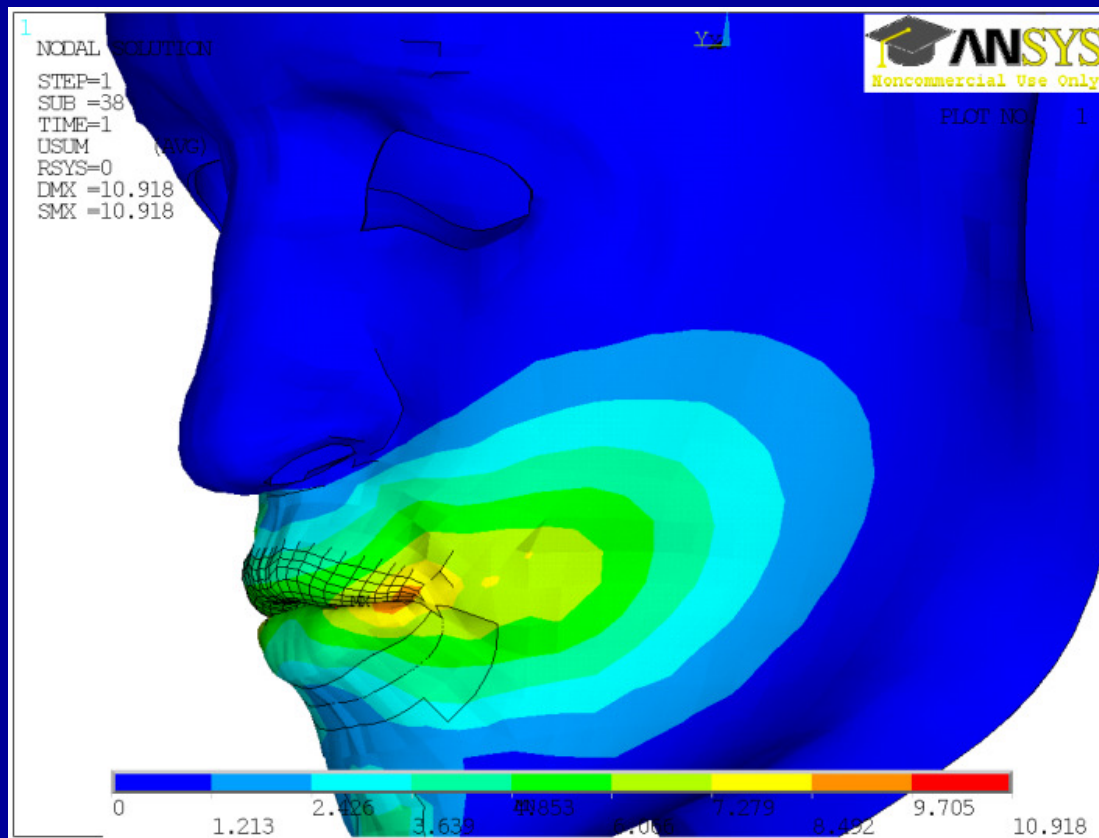


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Face modeling for the study of speech production



Nazari *et al.* (2010)

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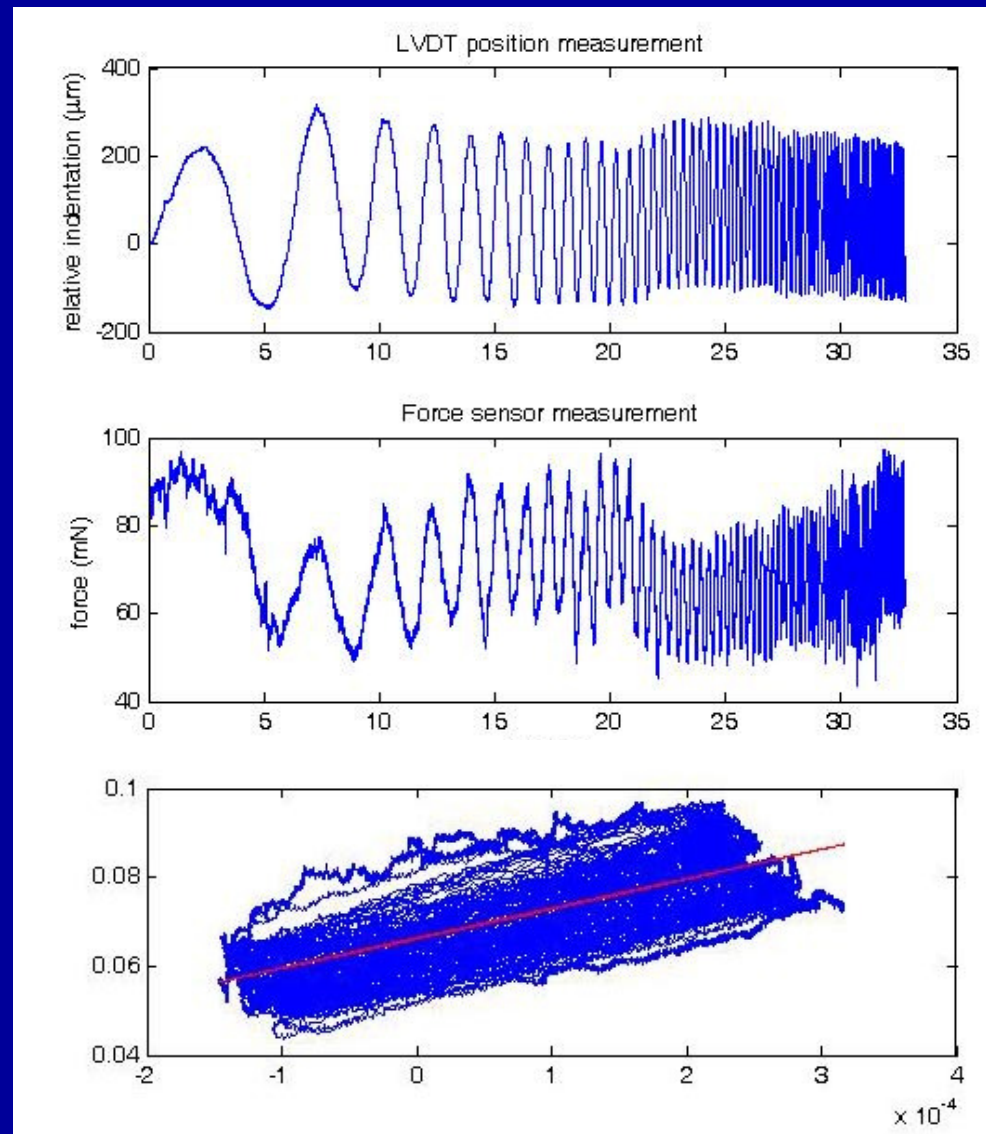
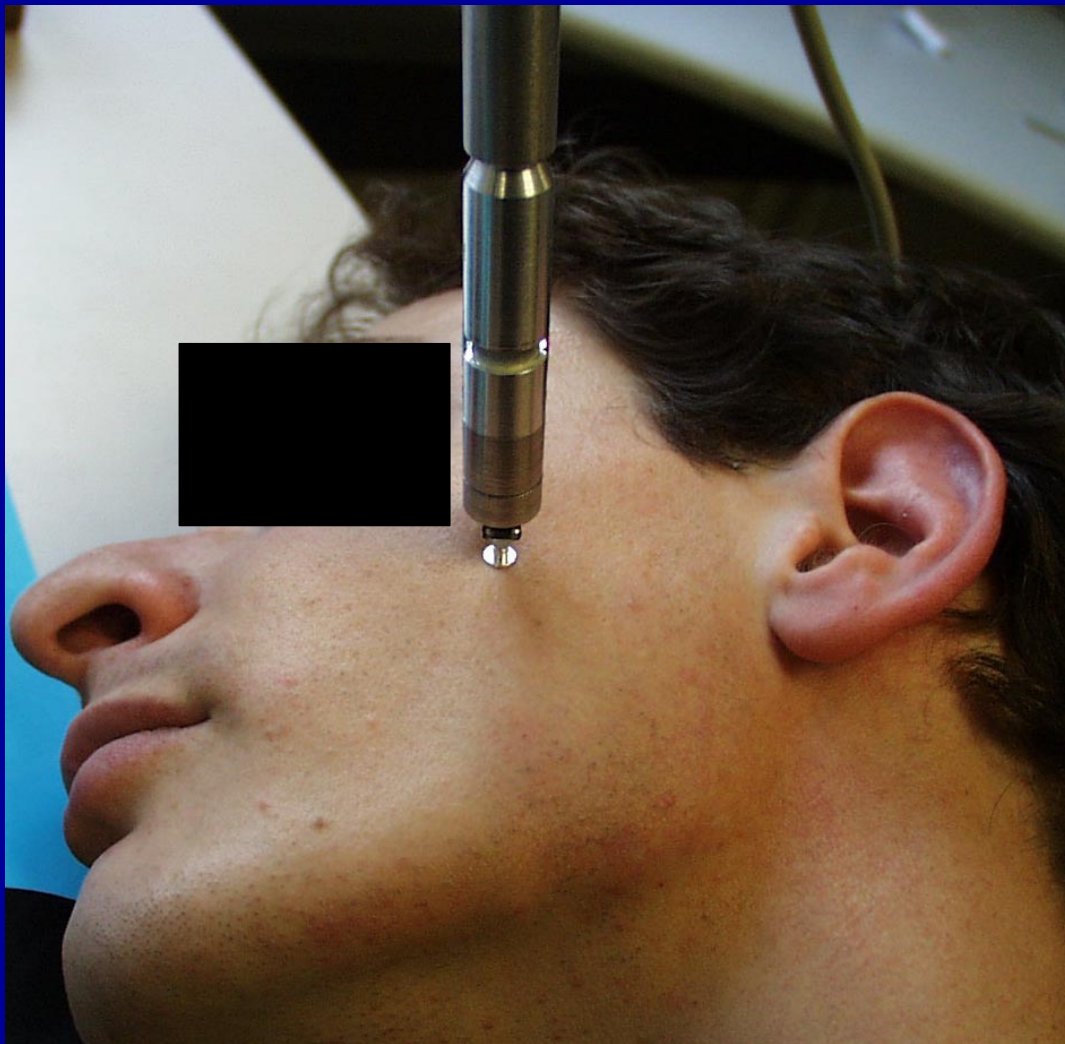
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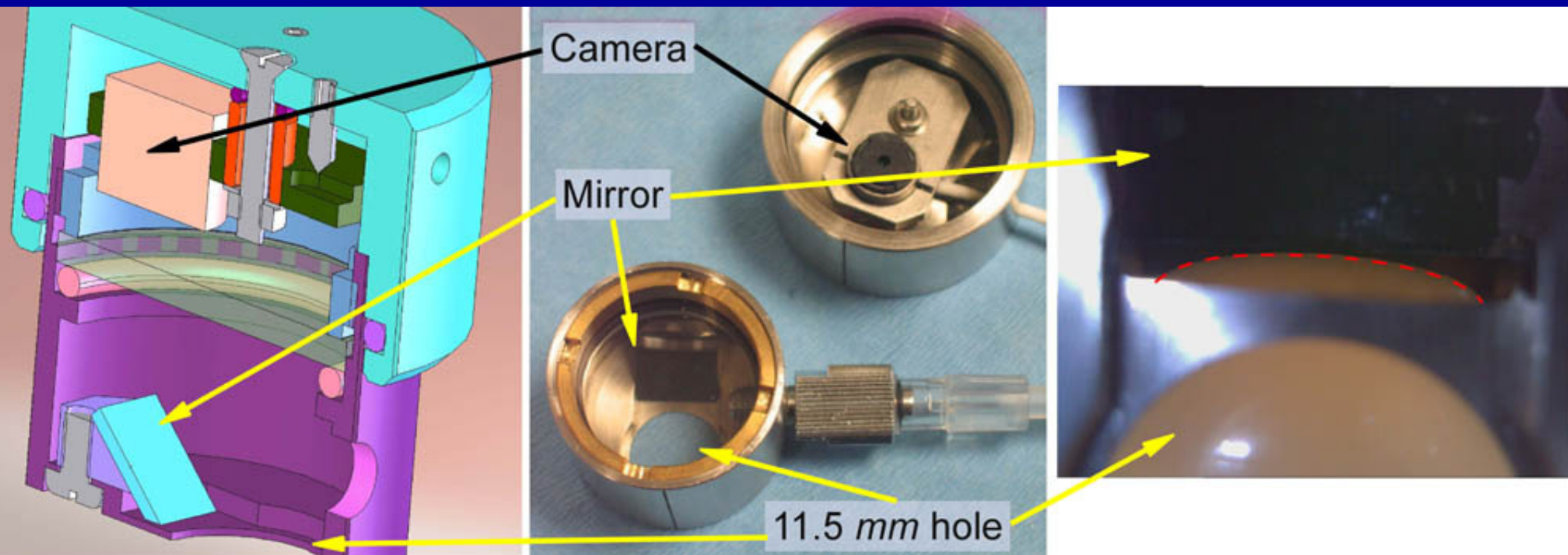
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Light Aspiration Device: LASTIC



Use of micro-camera ST Microelectronics 2MPixels (1600x1200), $< 1 \text{ cm}^3$



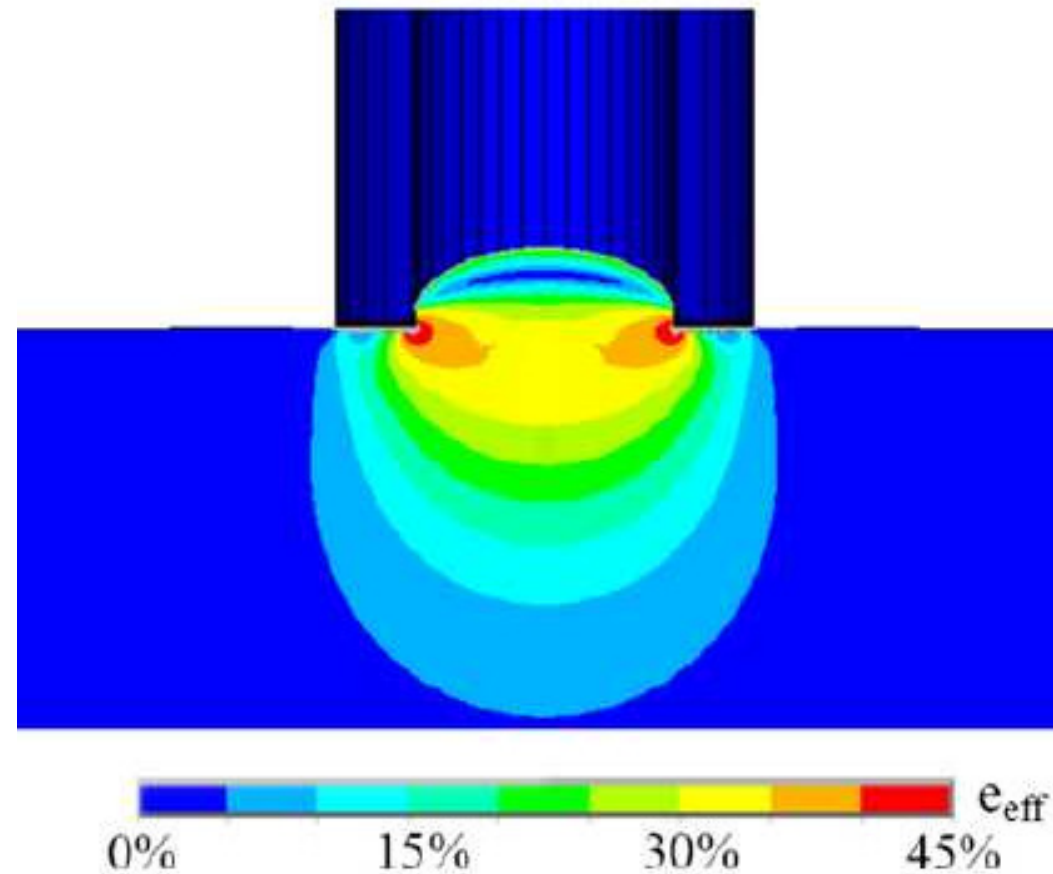
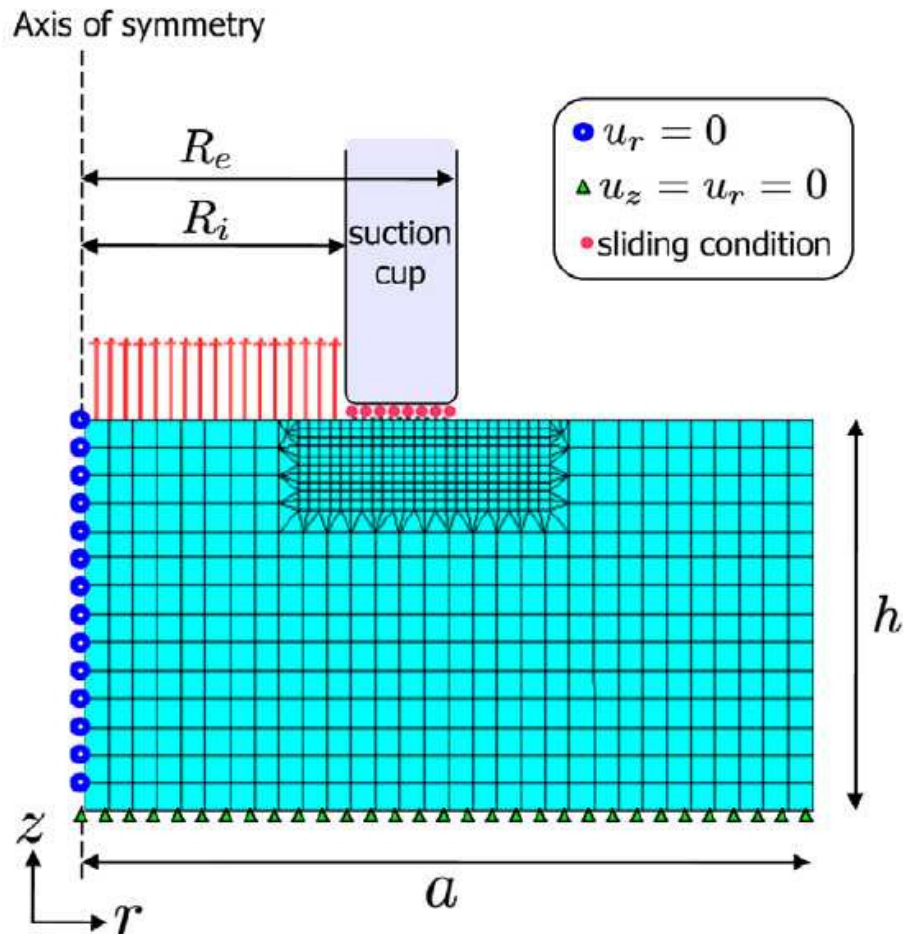
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**a Light Aspiration device for in vivo
Soft Tissue Characterization**

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Light Aspiration Device: estimation of the constitutive law

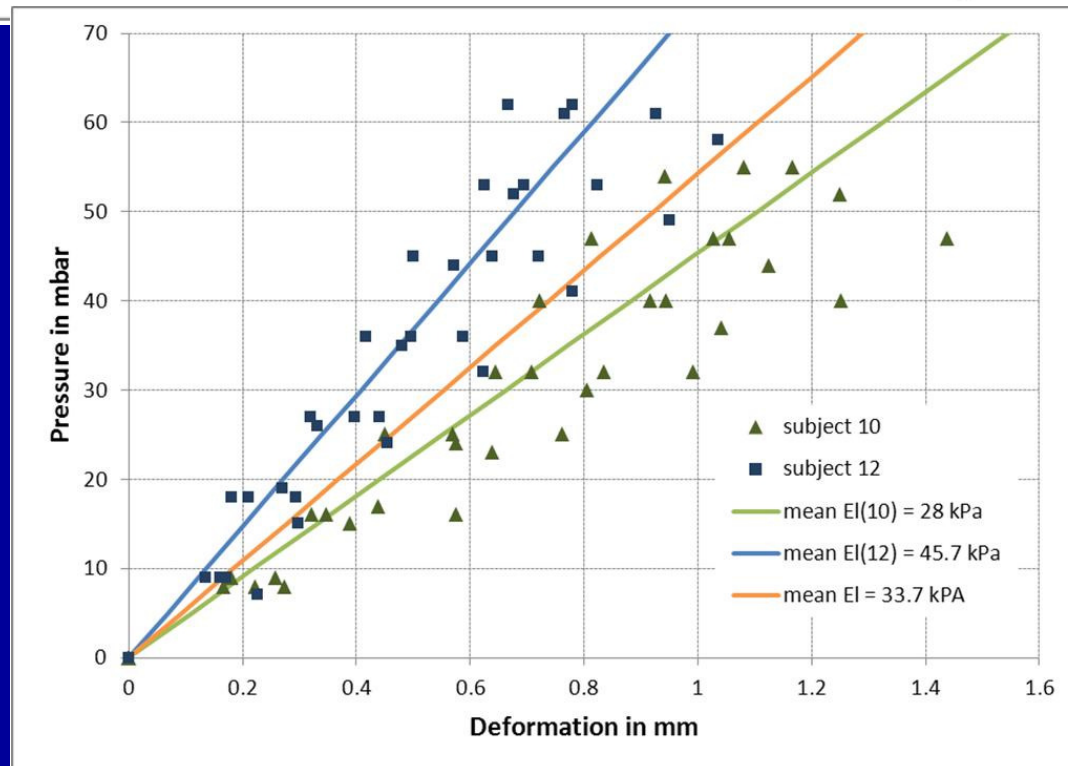
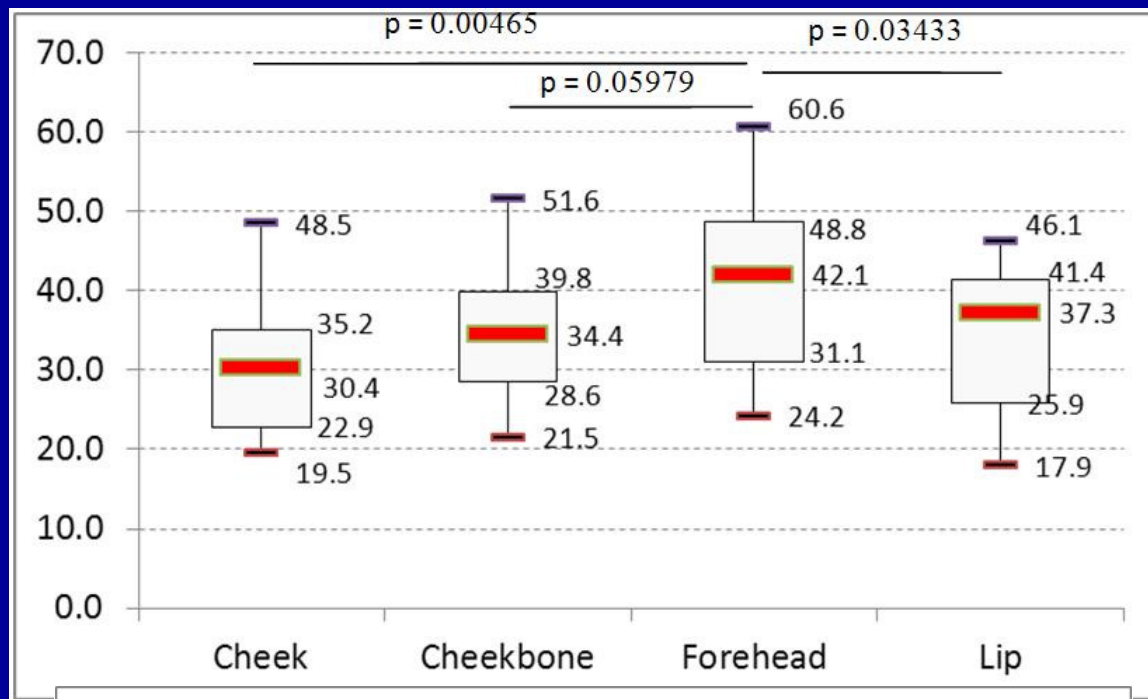
- Finite Element Analysis + Optimisation (Schiavone et al., 2010)



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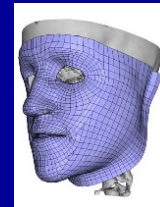


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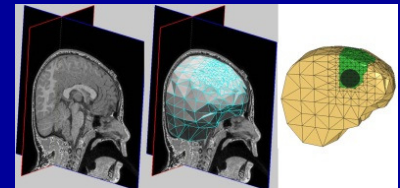


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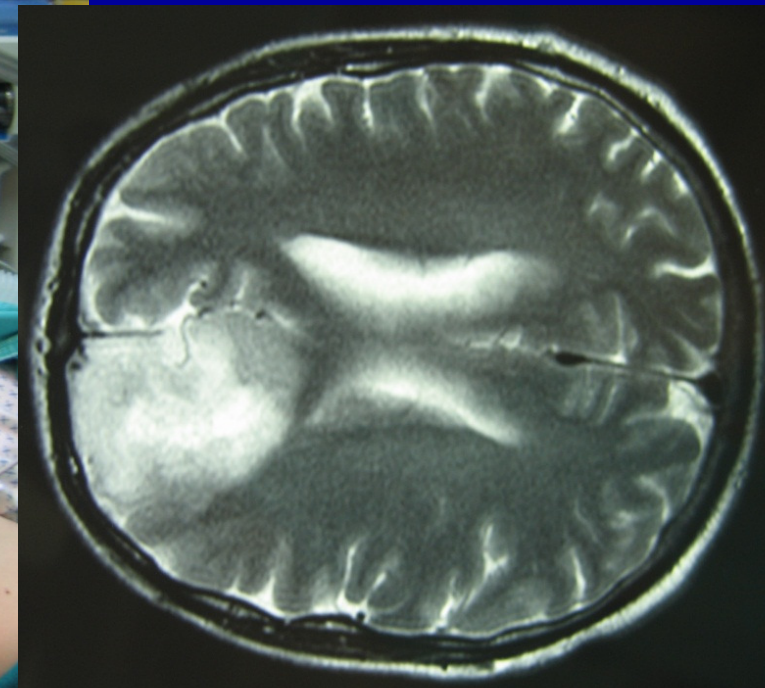
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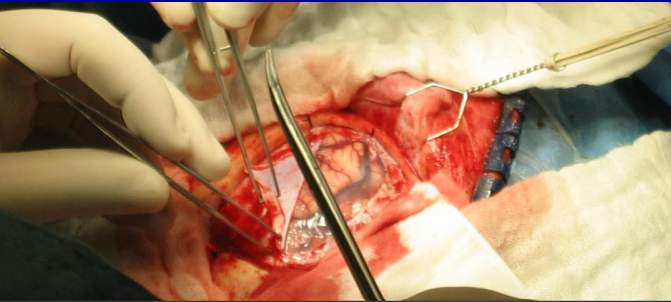
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Intra-operative Computer Aided Device: *Neurosurgery*

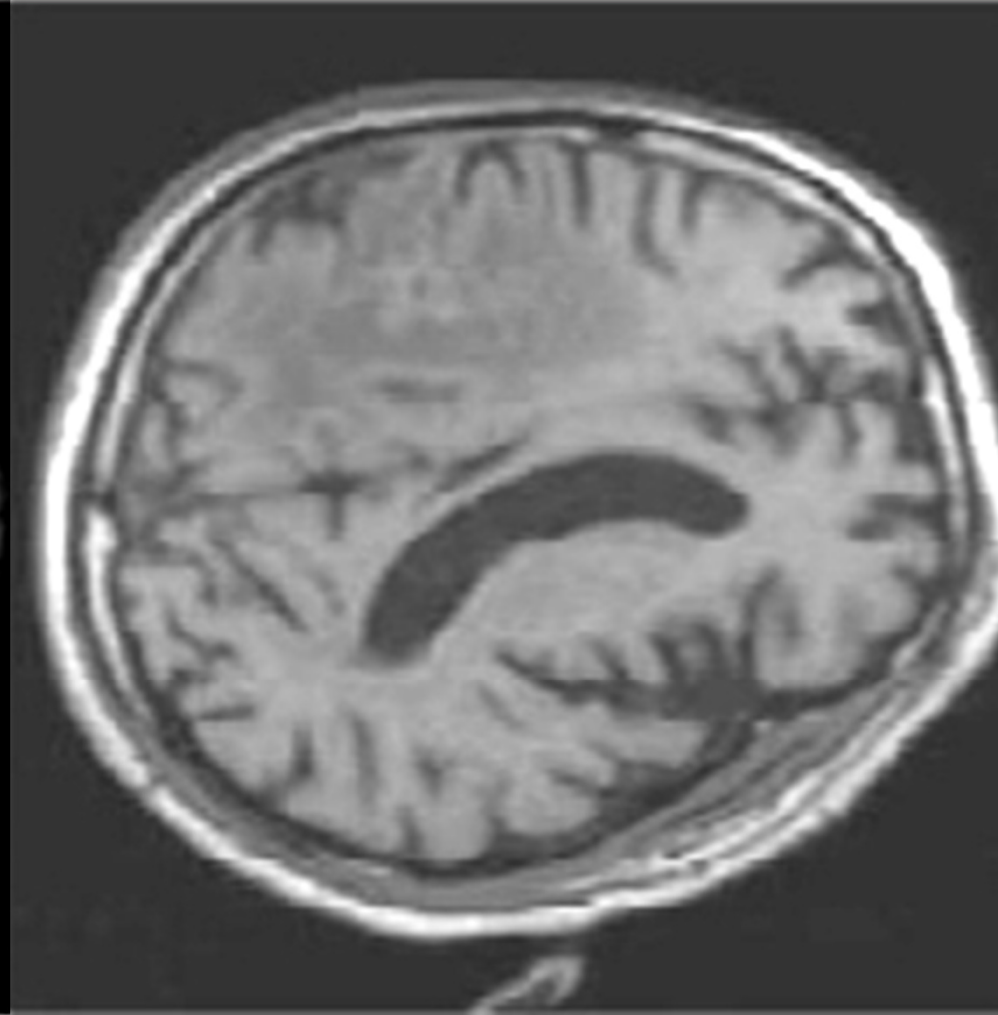
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Intra-operative Computer Aided Device: *Neurosurgery*



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Brain Suite, BrainLab™

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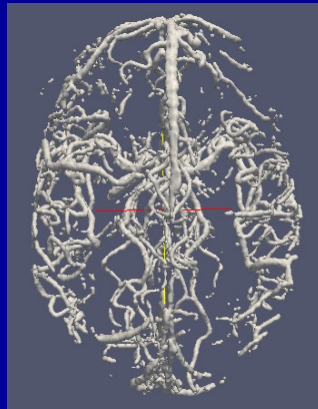
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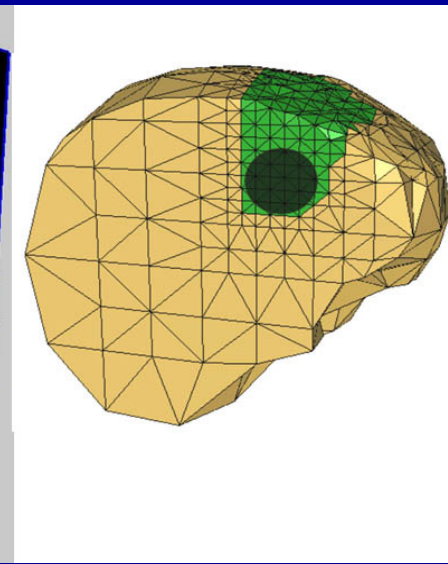
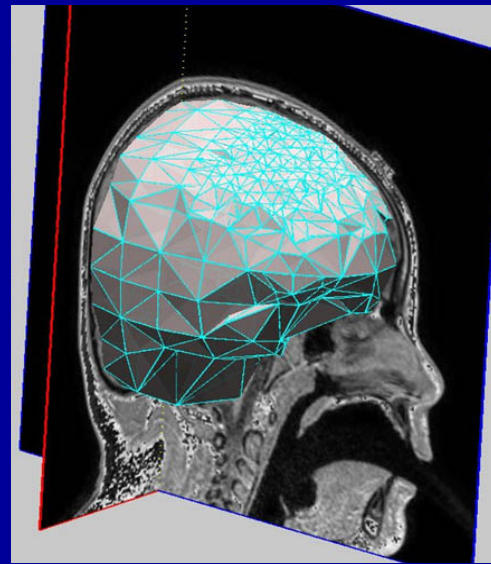
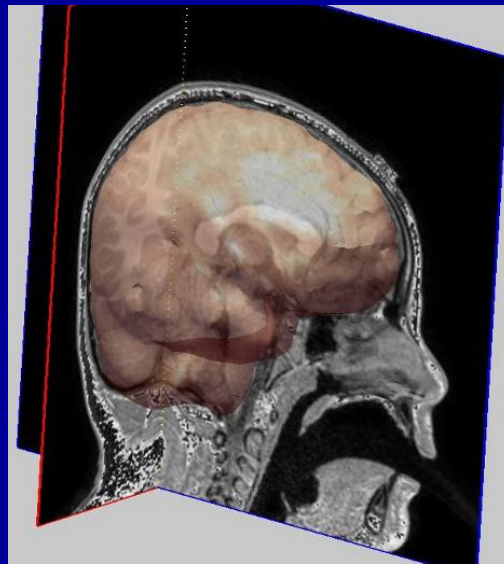
- tracking the intraoperative displacements of the vascular tree thanks to 2.5 localized Doppler US images
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- applying this 3D transform as boundary conditions to a real-time 3D biomechanical model of the patient brain.

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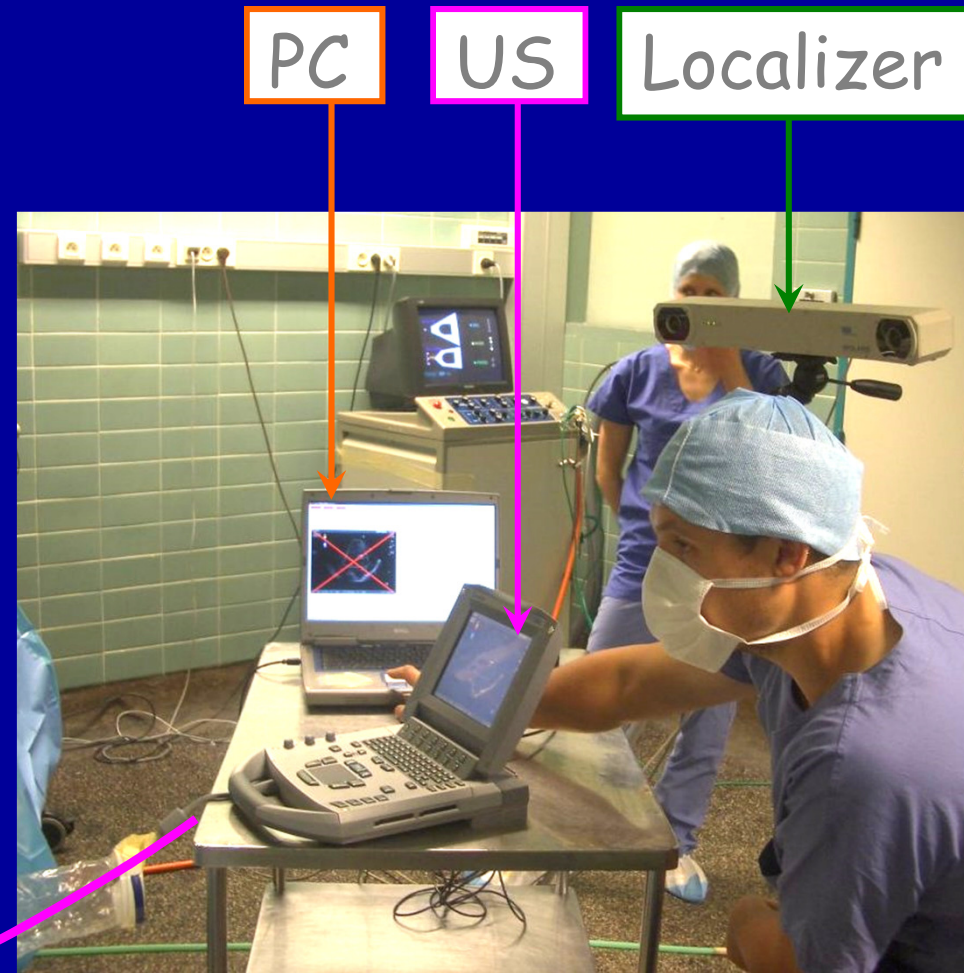
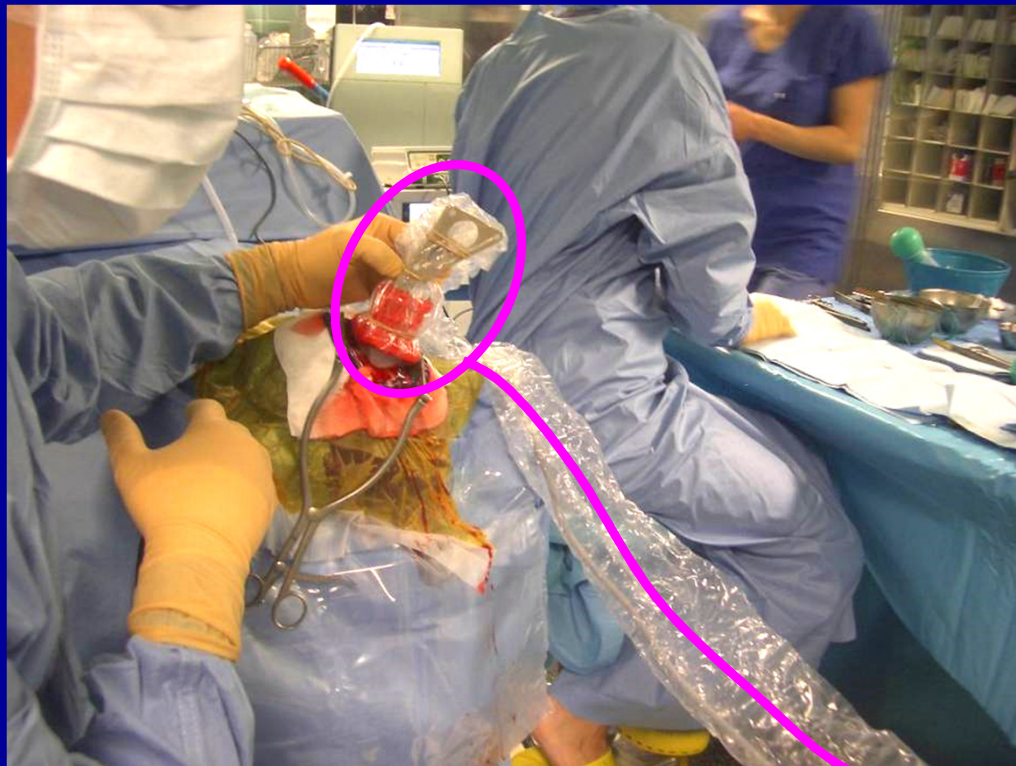
Angio-MRI



Patient-specific Finite Element model

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During surgery

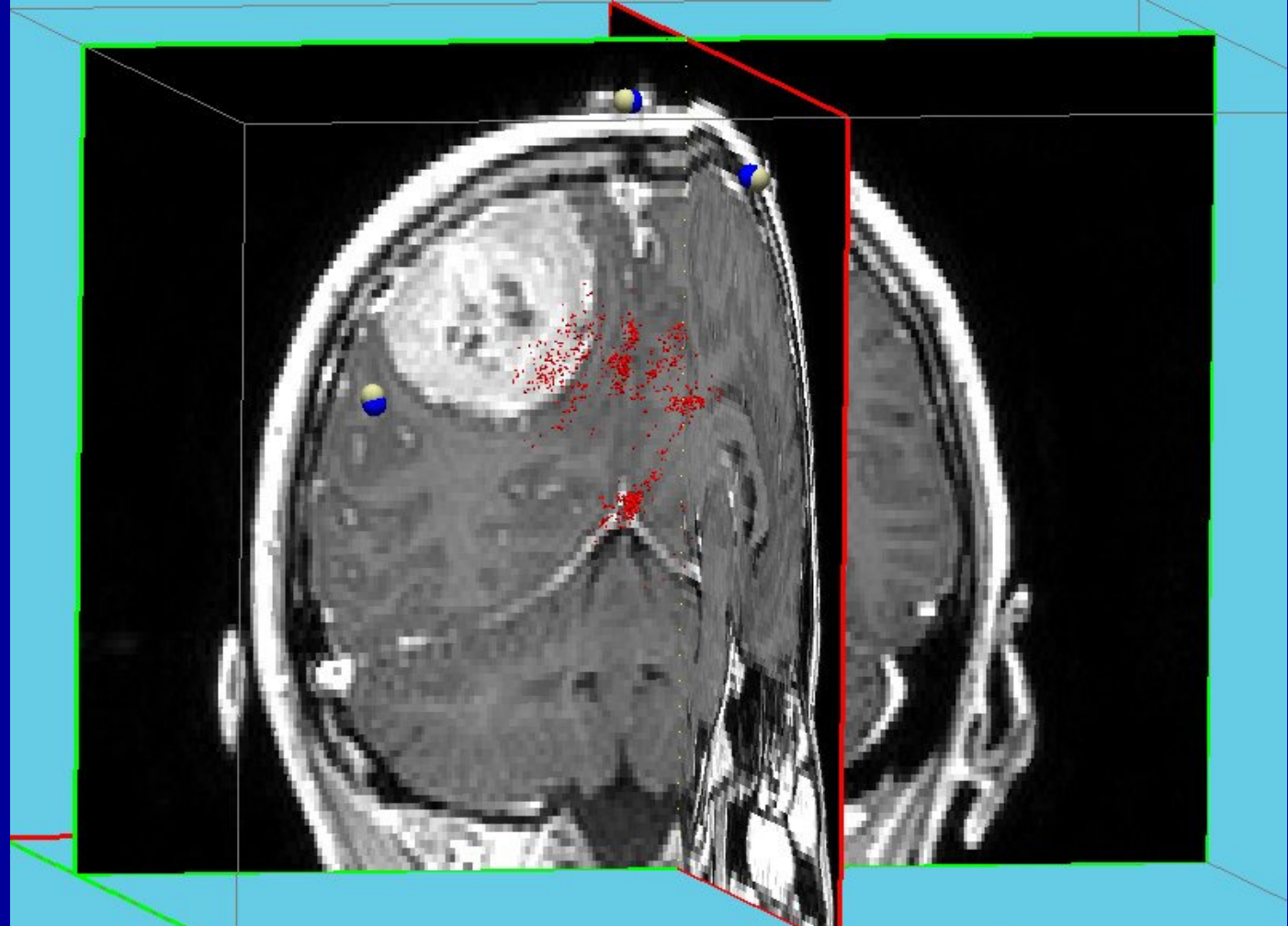
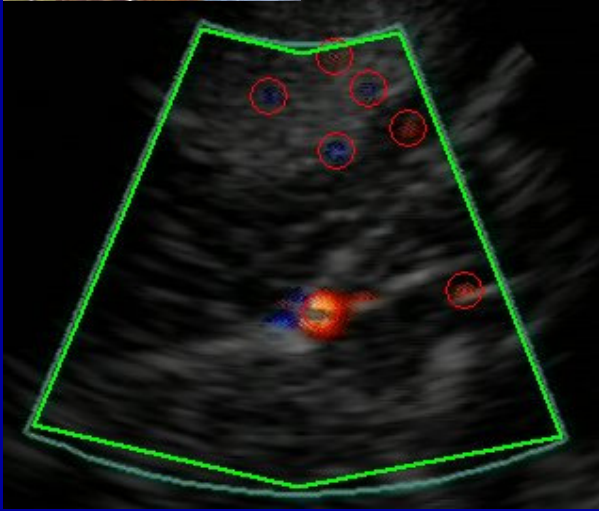


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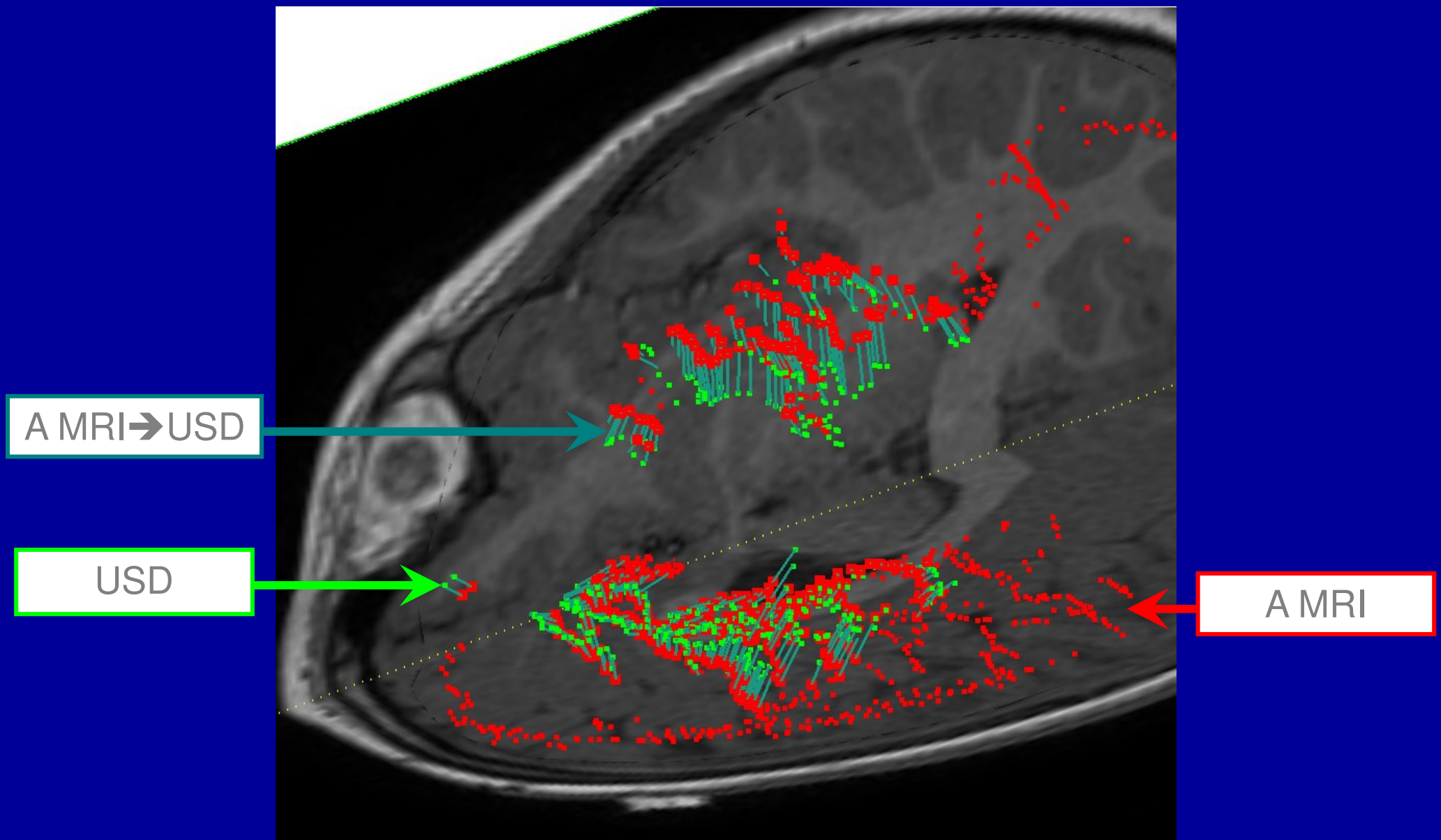
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Echographie Doppler 2D ou 3D



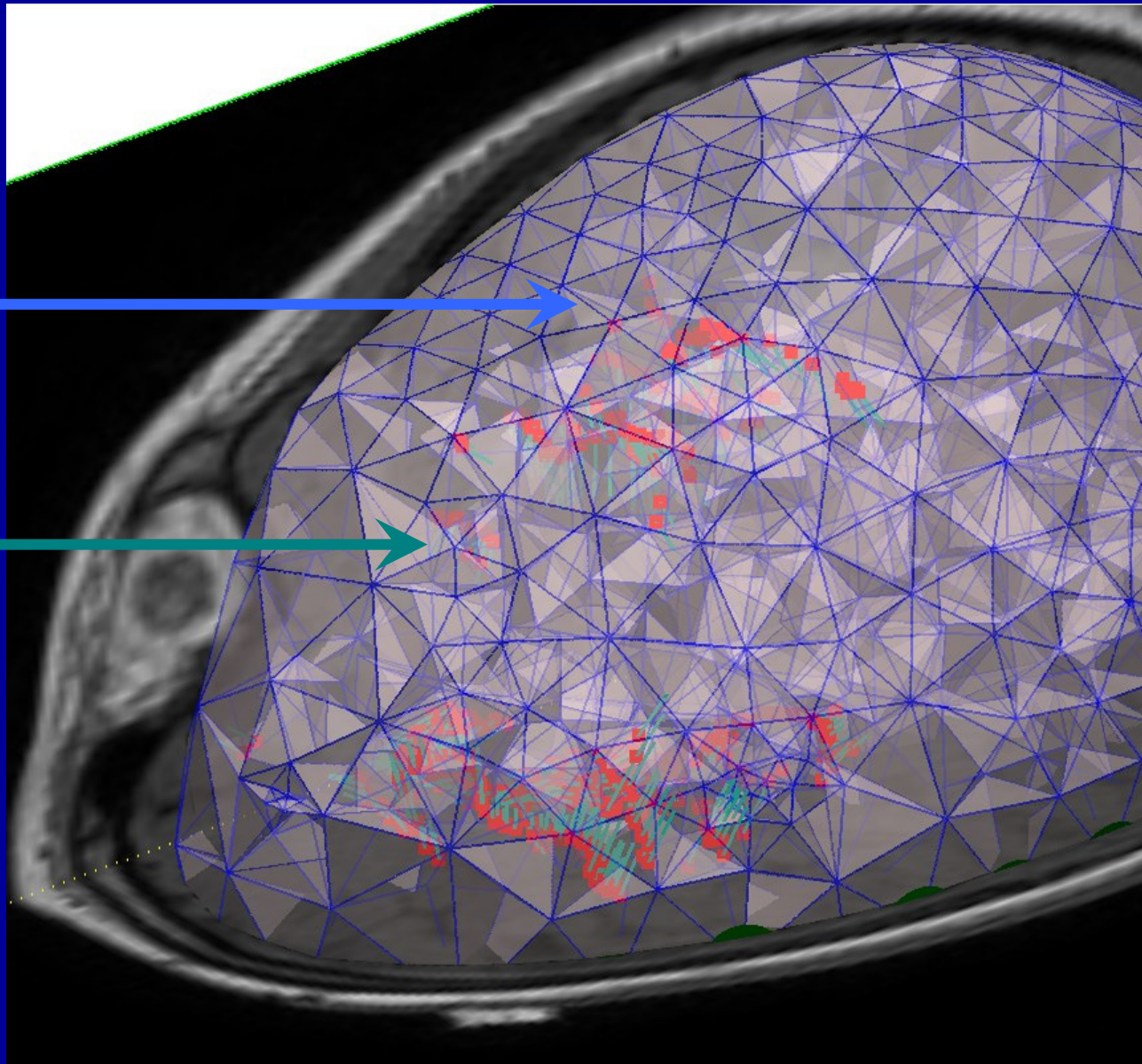
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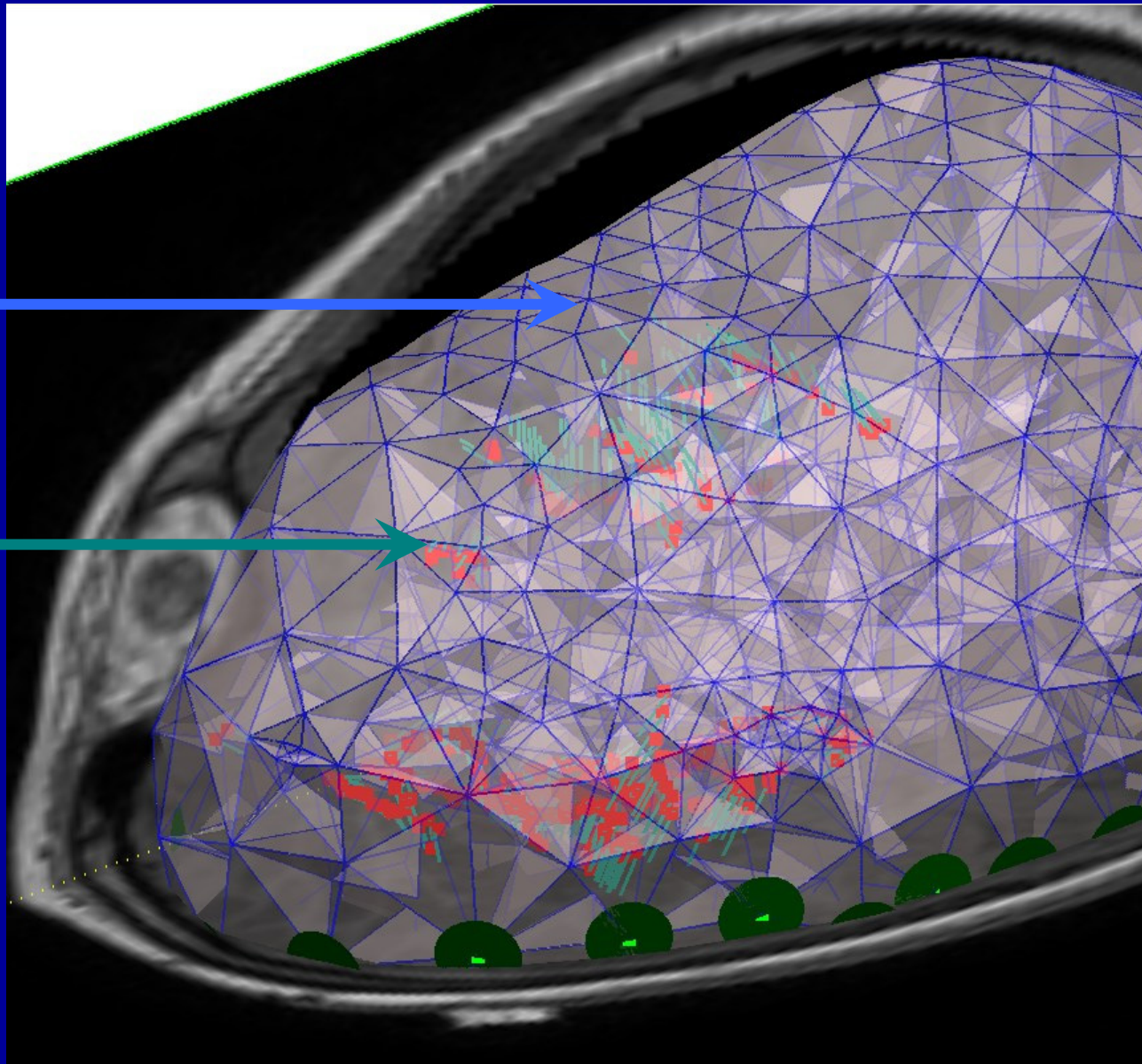
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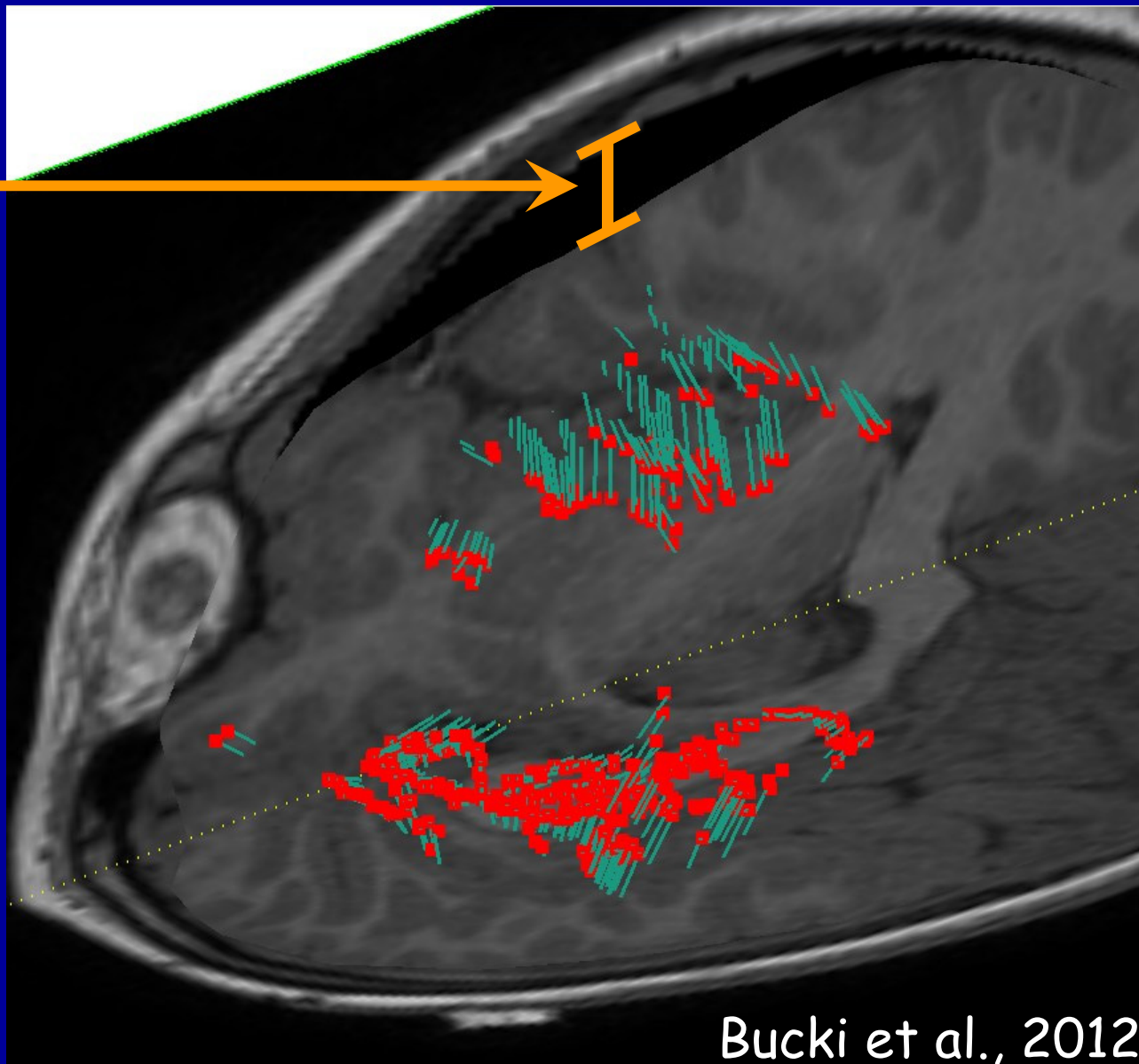
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Brain Shift



Bucki et al., 2012

Computer Aided Medical Intervention

Intra-operative computer Aided System

- A "fast" generation of the patient-specific biomechanical model of the organ
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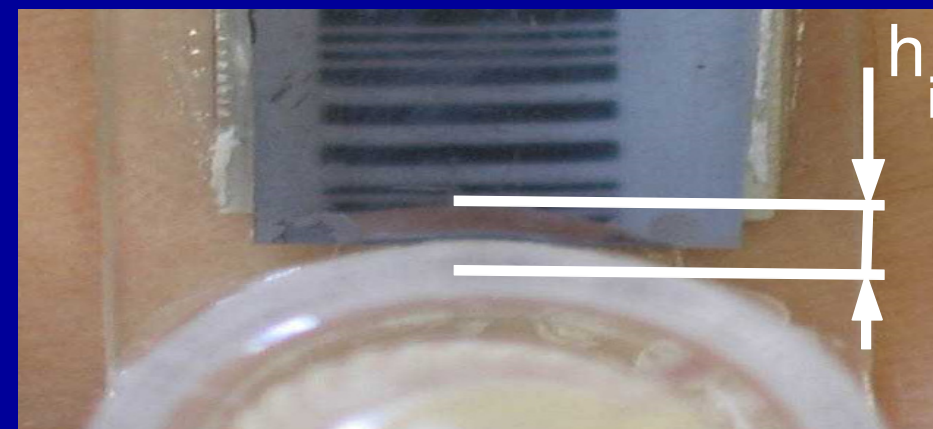
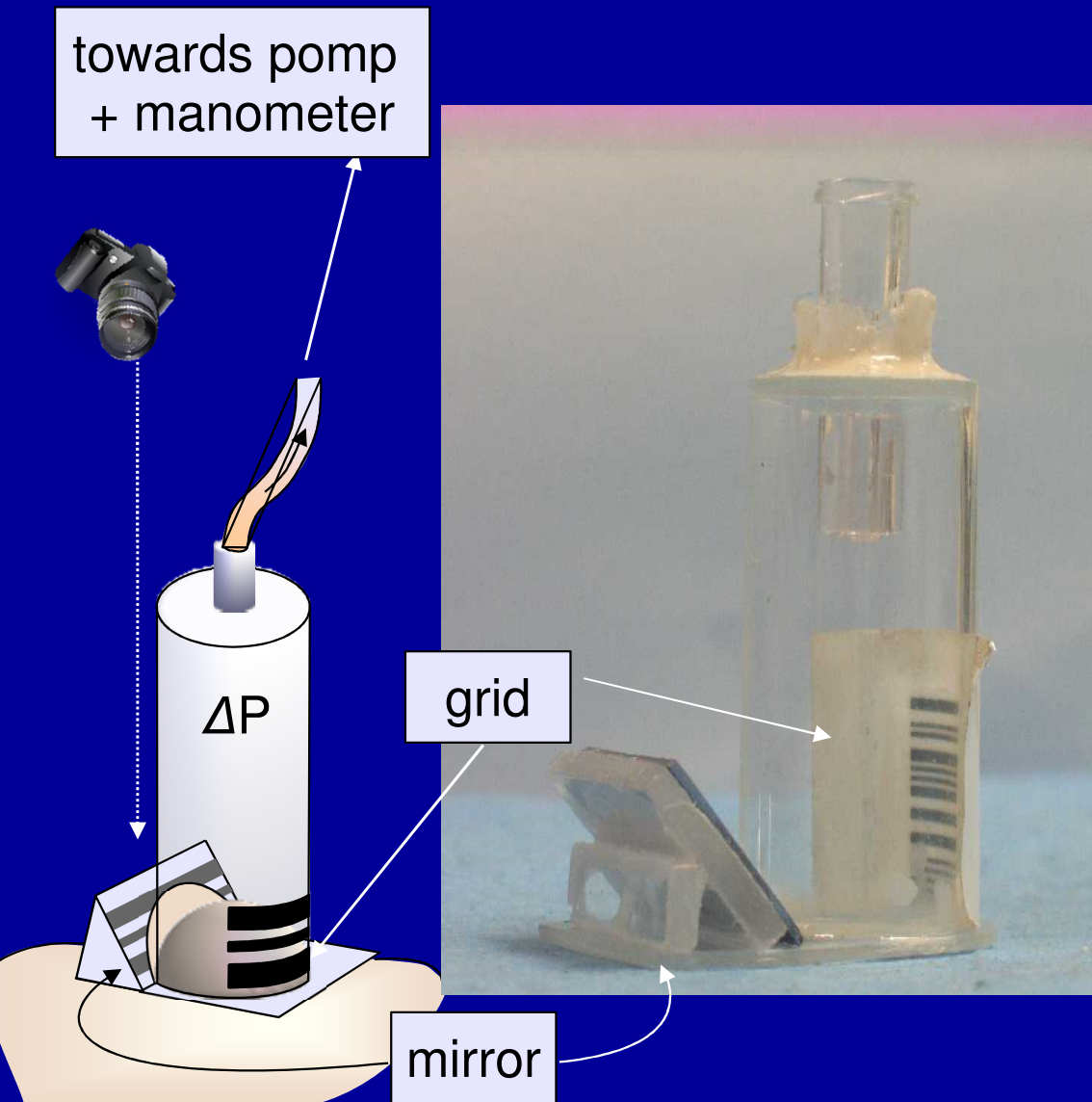
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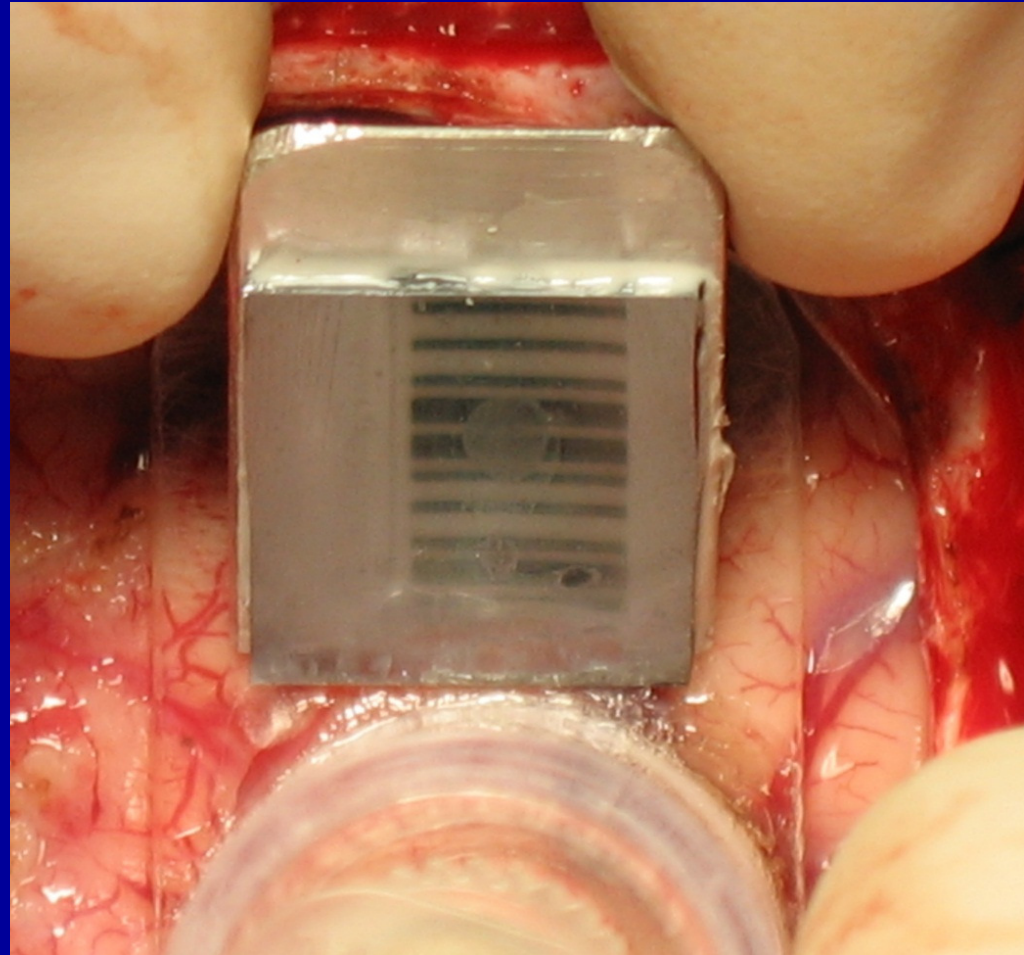
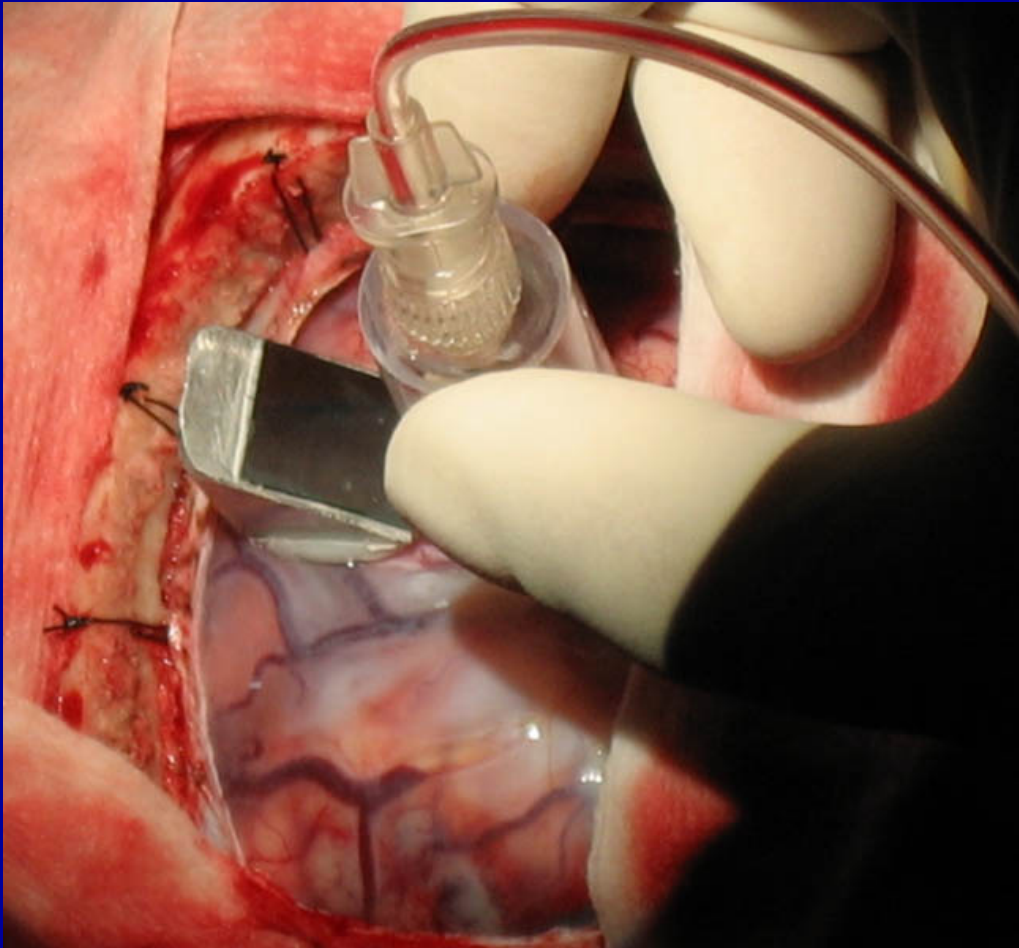
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Light Aspiration Device: LASTIC V1



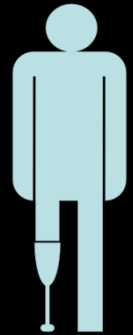
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Aspiration: in vivo measurement of patient brain elasticity

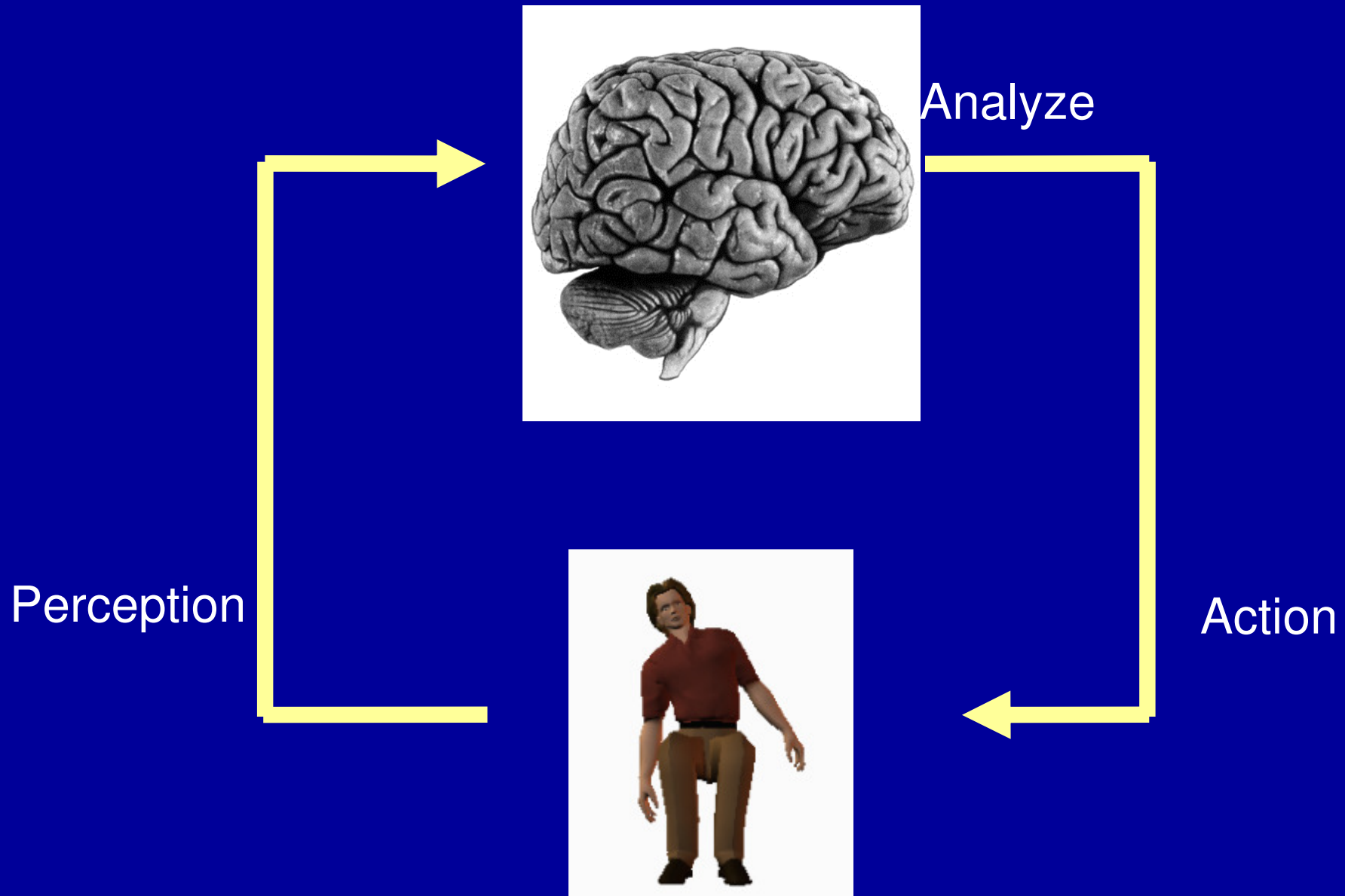
Schiavone et al., 2009

Pressure ulcers prevention

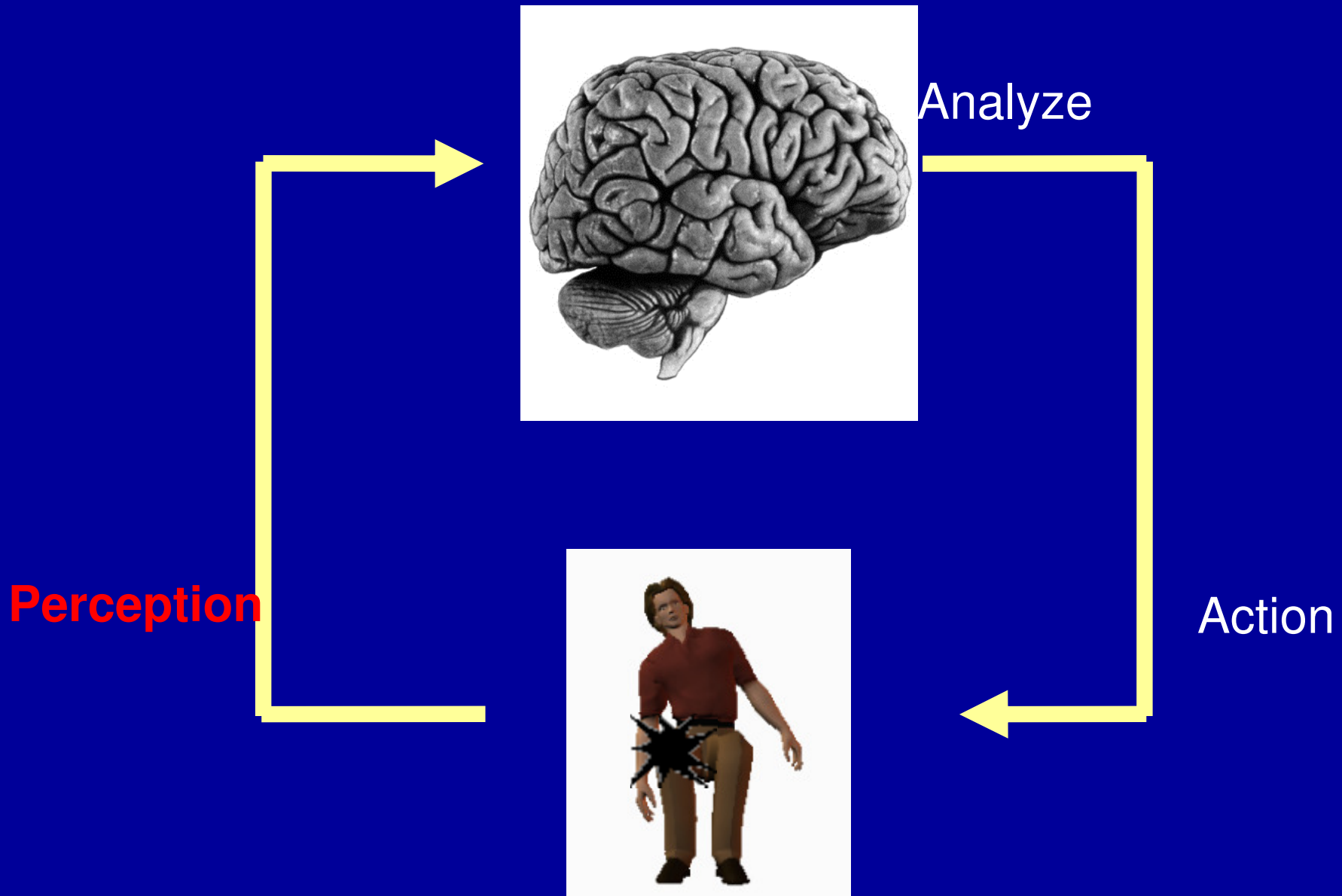


Pressure ulcers prevention for paraplegic persons

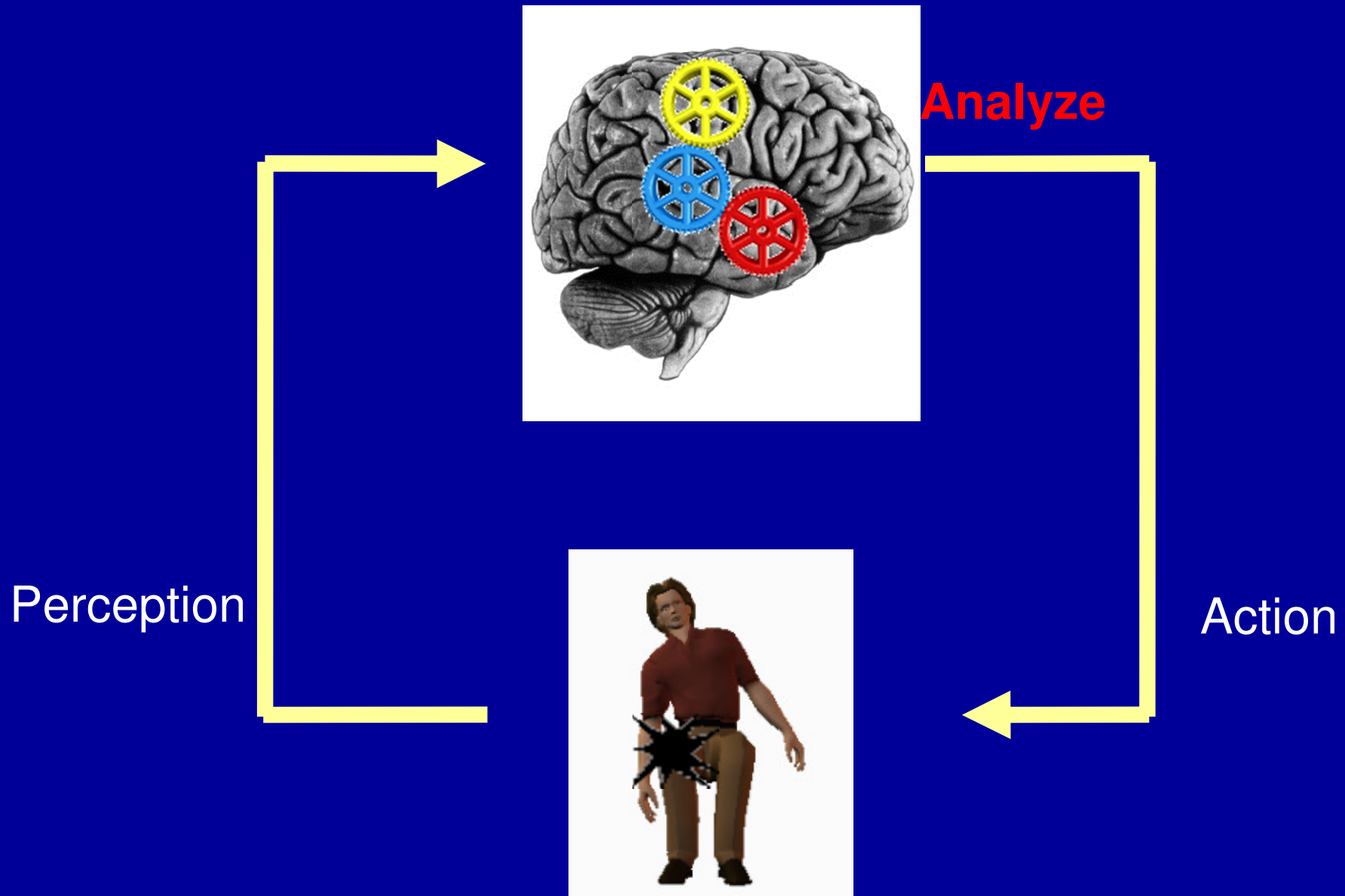
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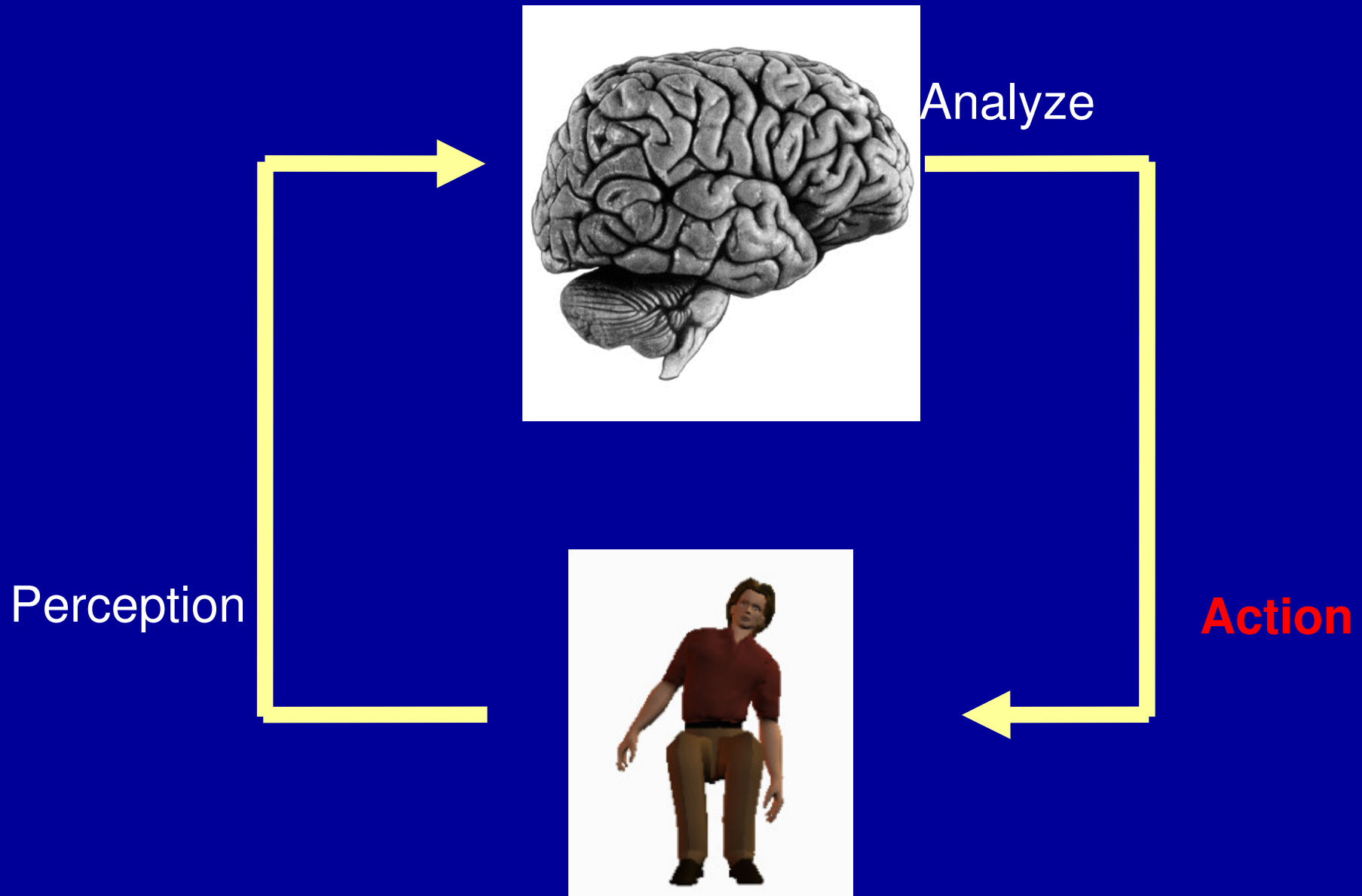
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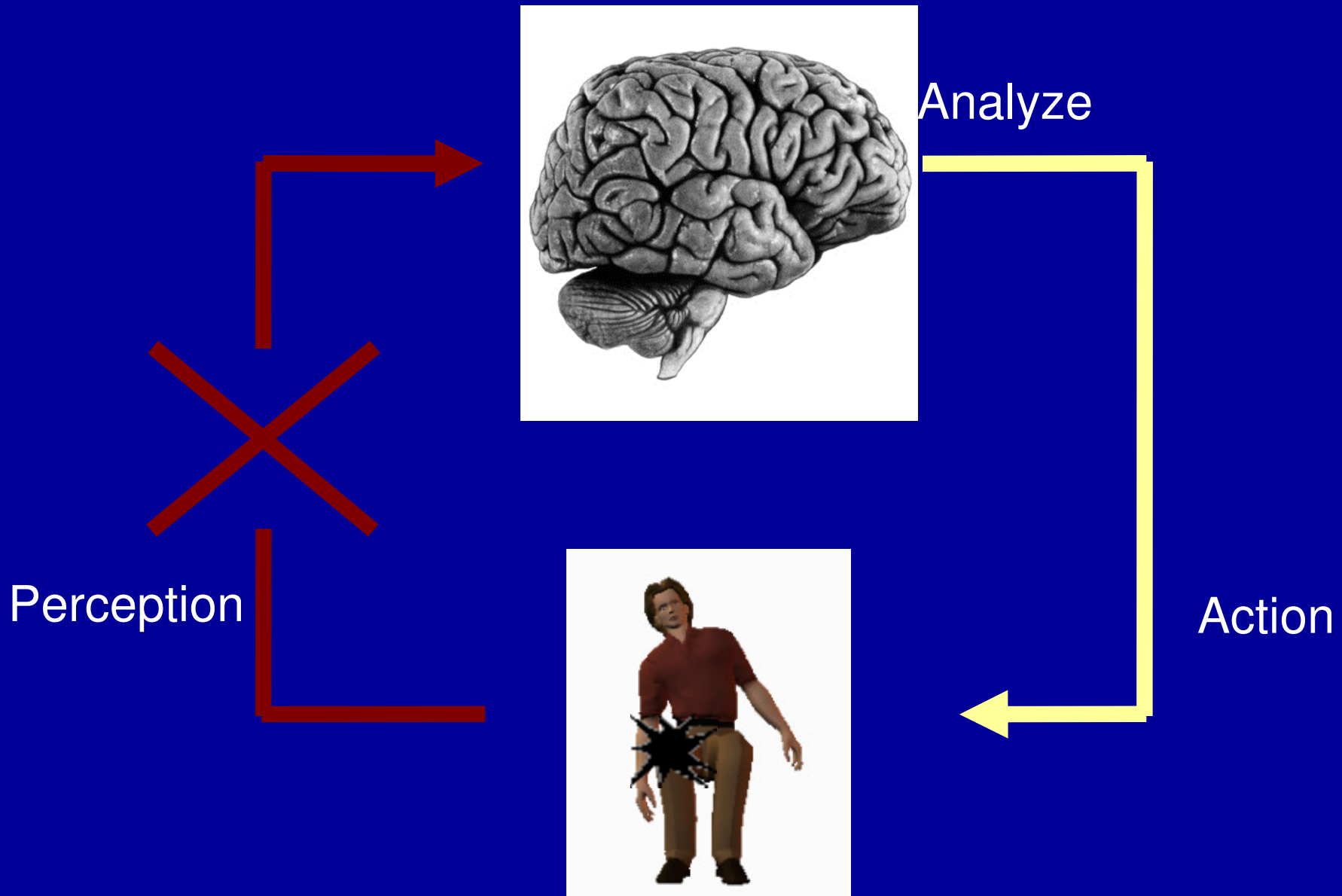
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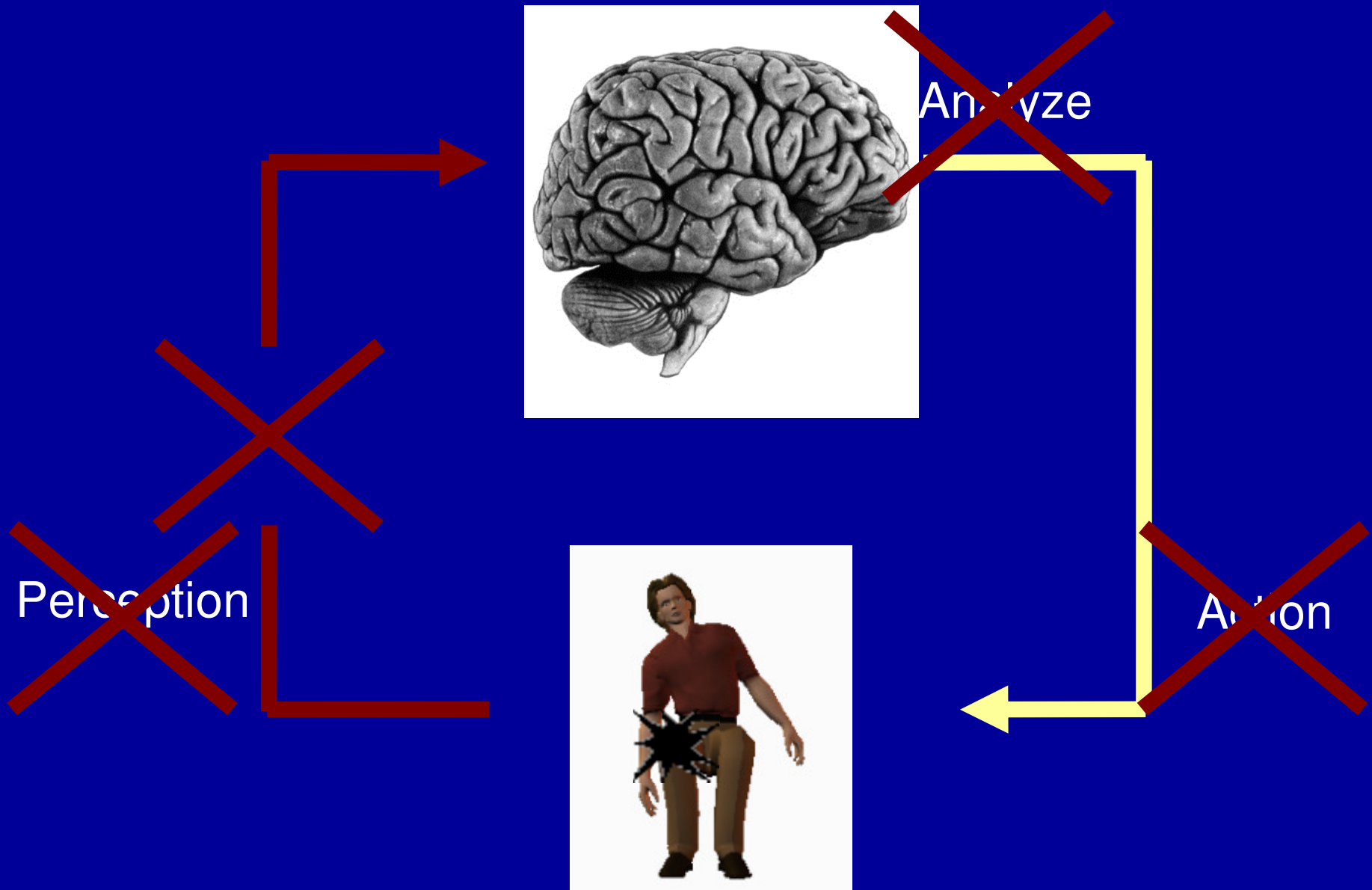
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~~multi-sensory intégration~~

~~Perception~~

~~Action~~

Artificial sensor

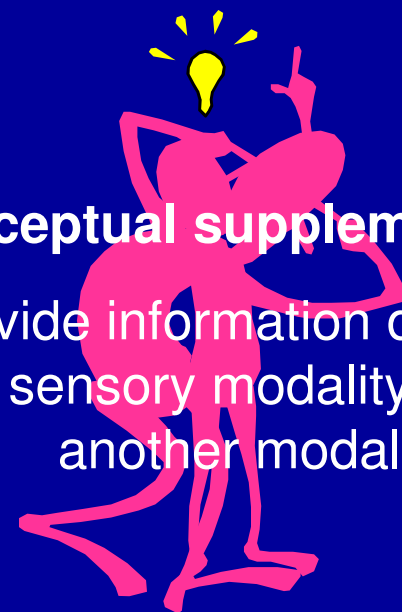
Coupling device

Stimulator

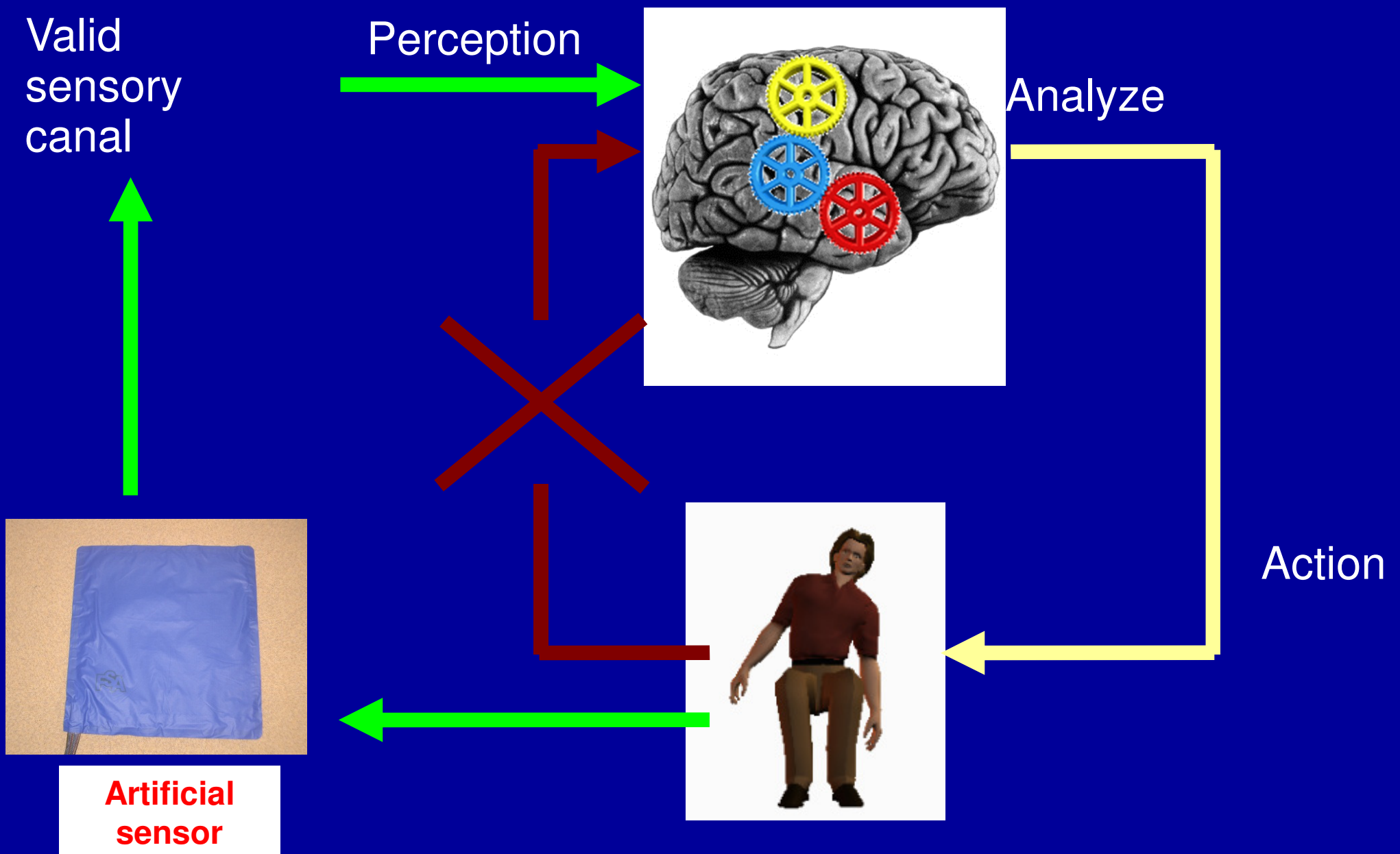


Perceptual supplementation

→ provide information dedicated to one sensory modality through another modality



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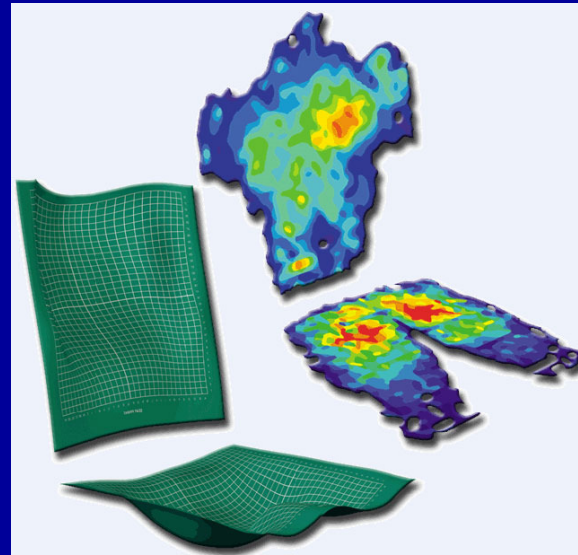
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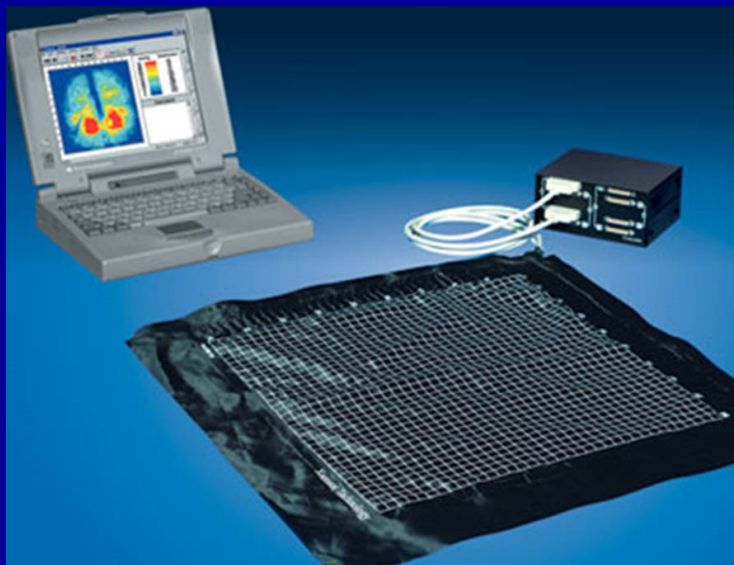
- What kind of artificial sensor for the measurement of the pressure at the buttocks / seat interface?
- When deciding that there is a risk for pressure ulcer?
- How to alert the person in case of a risk?

➔ An Utility / Utilisability / Acceptability Study

What kind of artificial sensor ?



Tekscan Inc.



Xsensor
Inc.



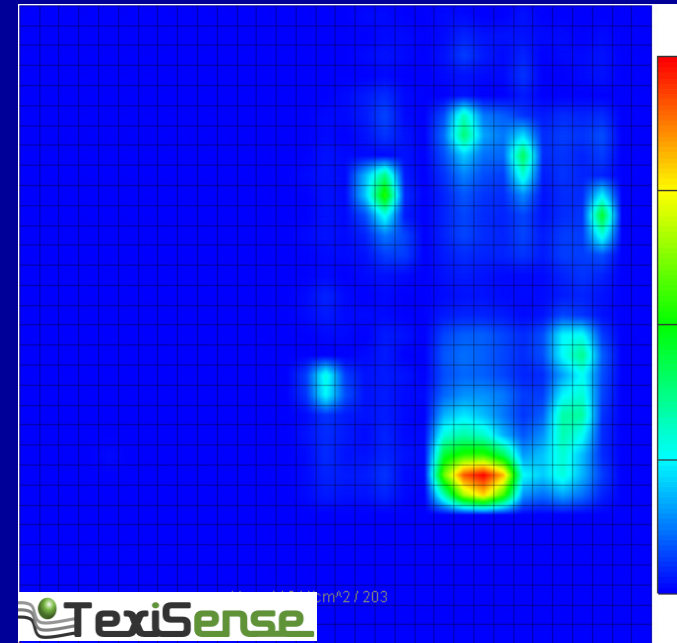
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What kind of artificial sensor ?

- Conclusions of the Utility / Utilisability / Acceptability Study:
 - The pressure mat has to be low cost.
 - The pressure mat has to be comfortable (on or around the cushion)
 - The pressure mat has to be washable

What kind of artificial sensor ?

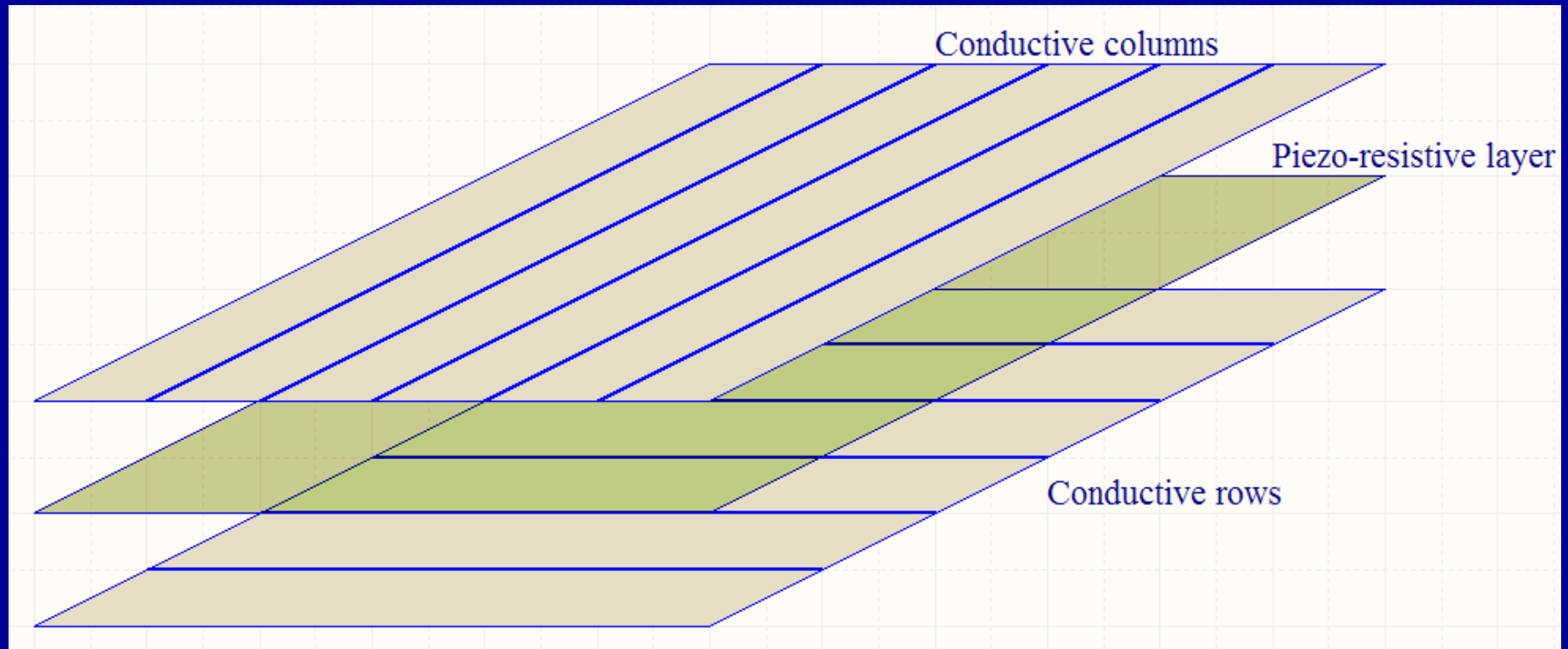
An embedded pressure mat made of textile
(technology provided by Taxisense company)



100% textile

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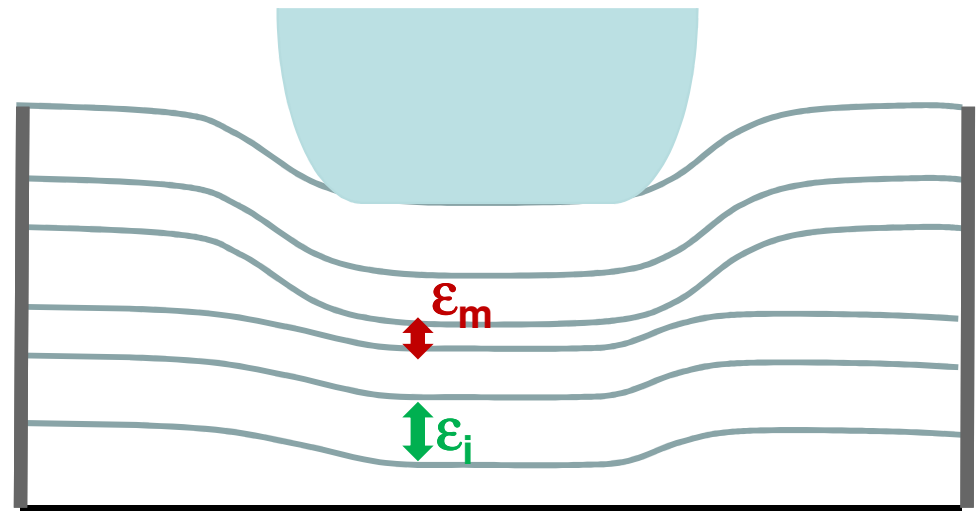
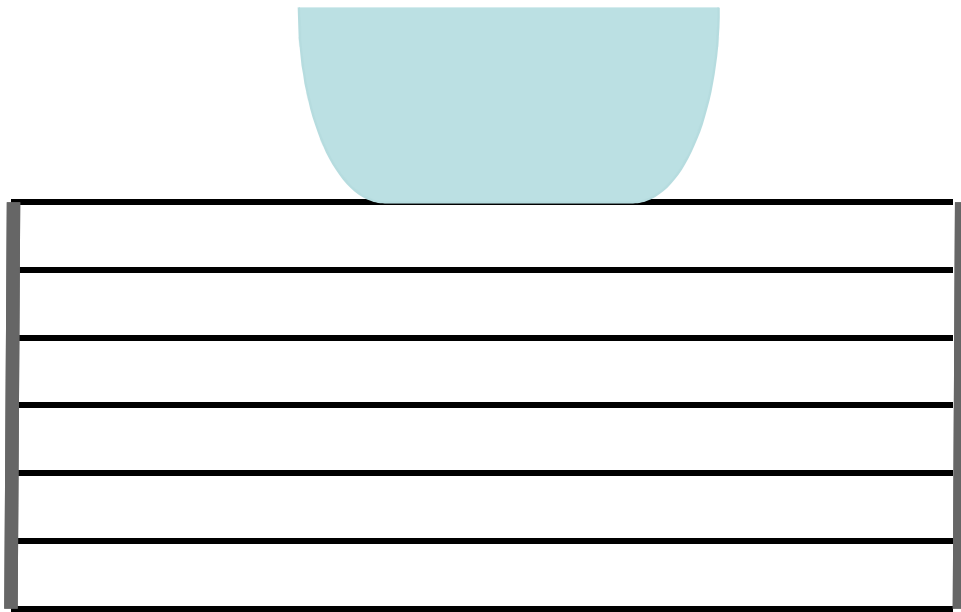
- Two outer layers form a matrix that defines the spatial resolution of the sensor: the nylon fibers coated with silver conduct current
- Any normal forces exerted onto the middle layer change the electrical resistance of the material : fibers are coated with polymers

Pressure ulcer prevention

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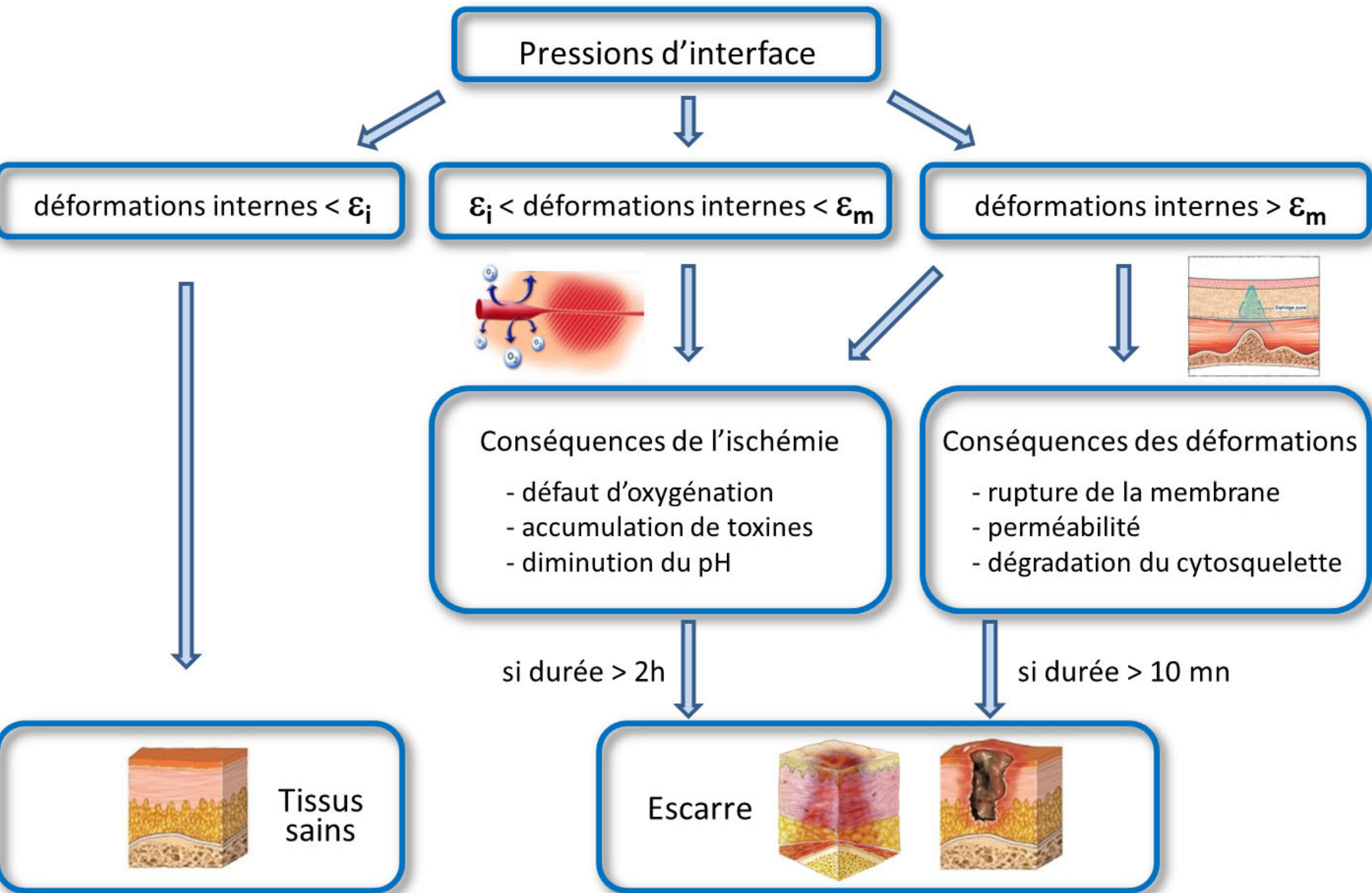
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When deciding that there is a risk for PU ?



ϵ : déformations internes

$$\epsilon_i < \epsilon_m$$



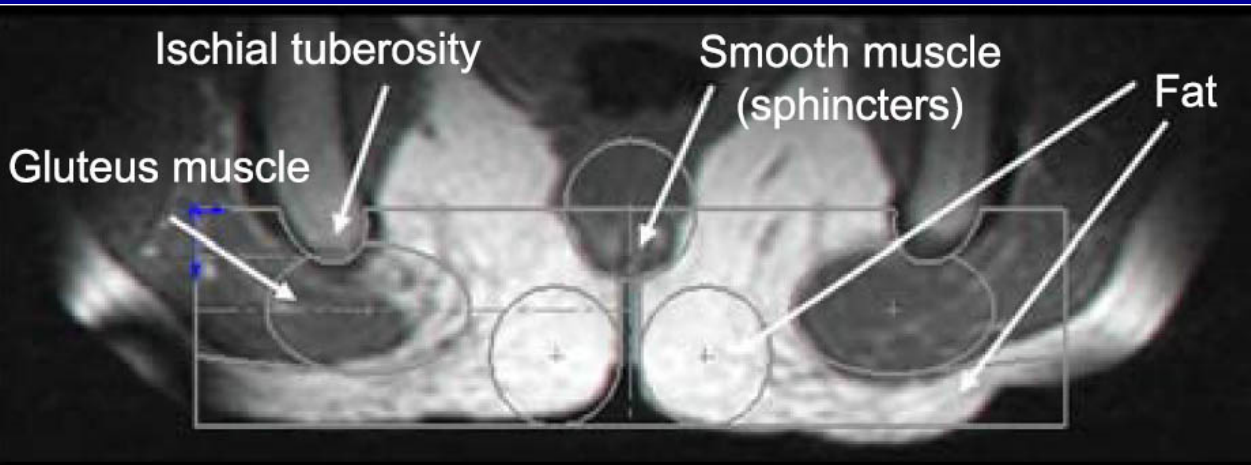
ϵ_i : seuil de déformations « ischémiques » (env. 20%)
 ϵ_m : seuil de déformations « mécaniques » (env. 50%)

D'après Loerakker, 2011

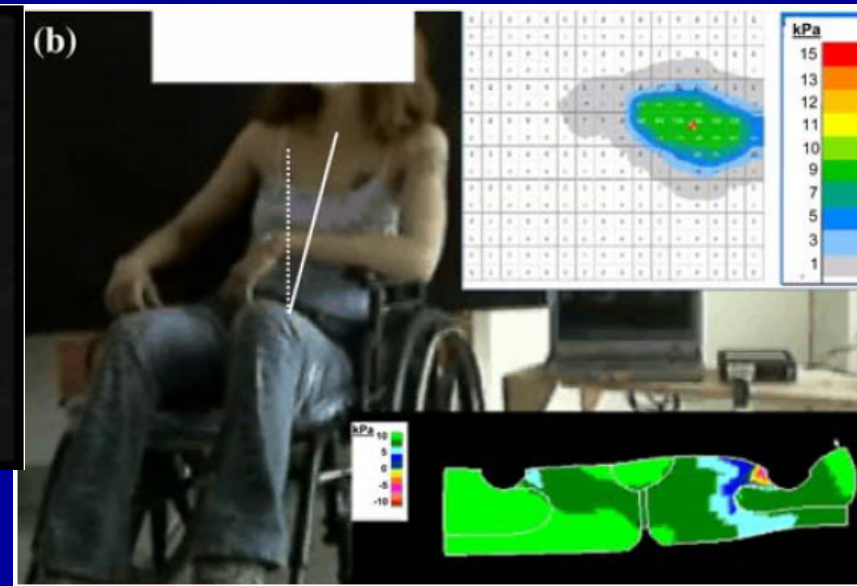
When deciding that there is a risk for DPU ?

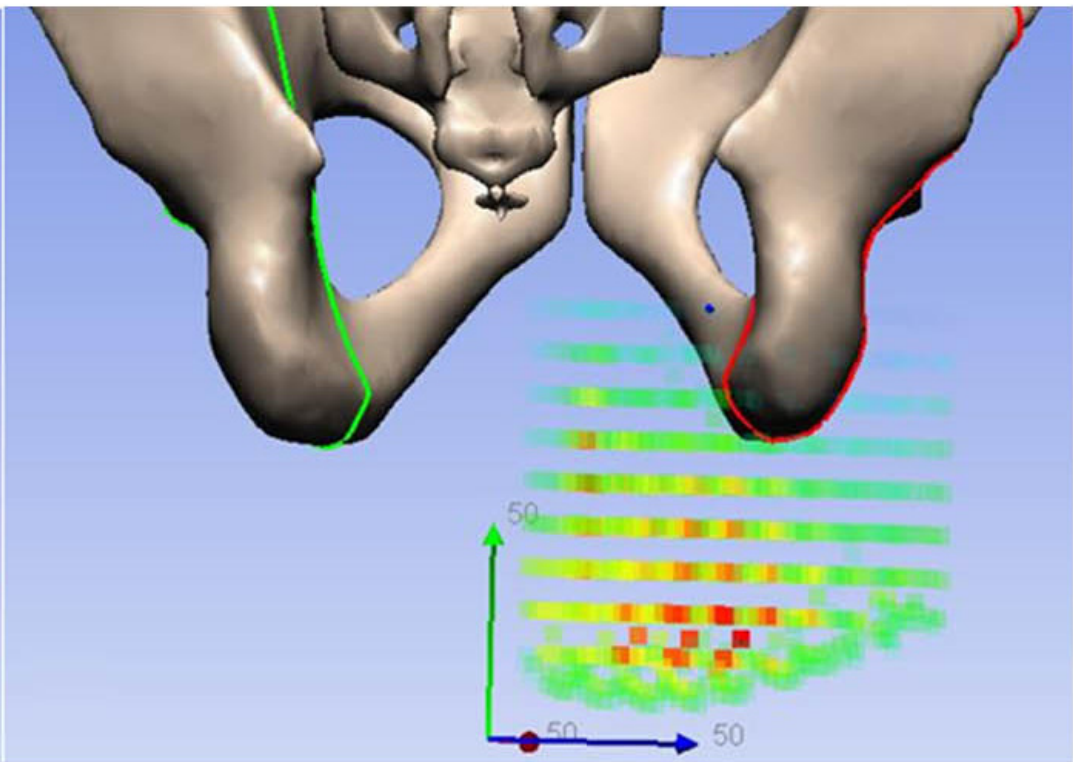
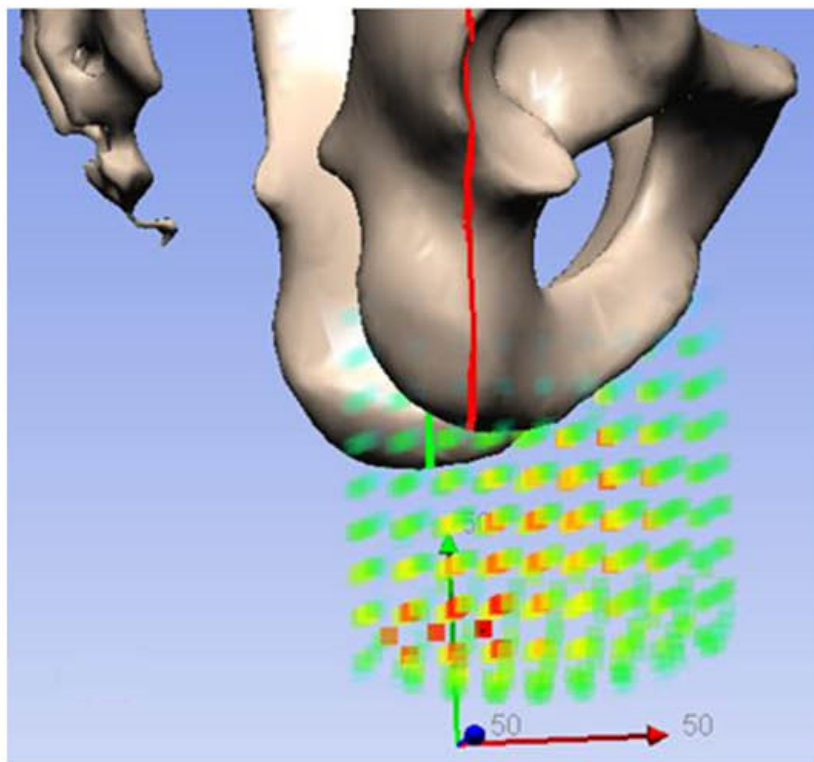
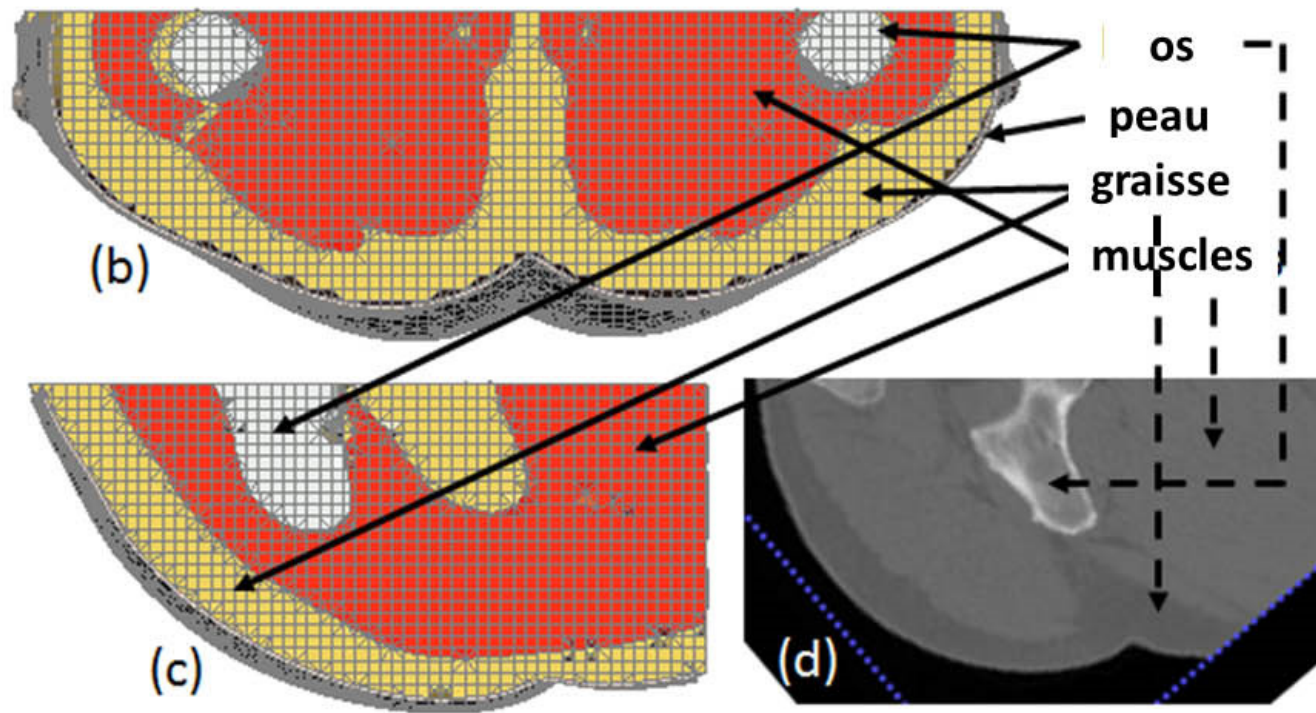
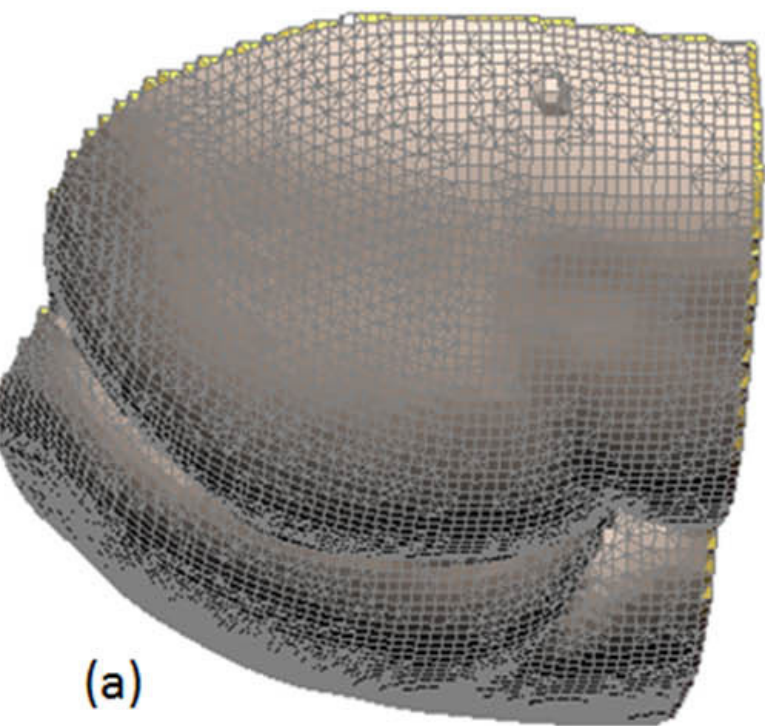
- How to estimate the deformations thresholds ϵ_i and ϵ_m from the measured pressures at the buttocks / cushion interface ?

➔ The use of a patient-specific biomechanical model of the buttocks bone / soft tissues

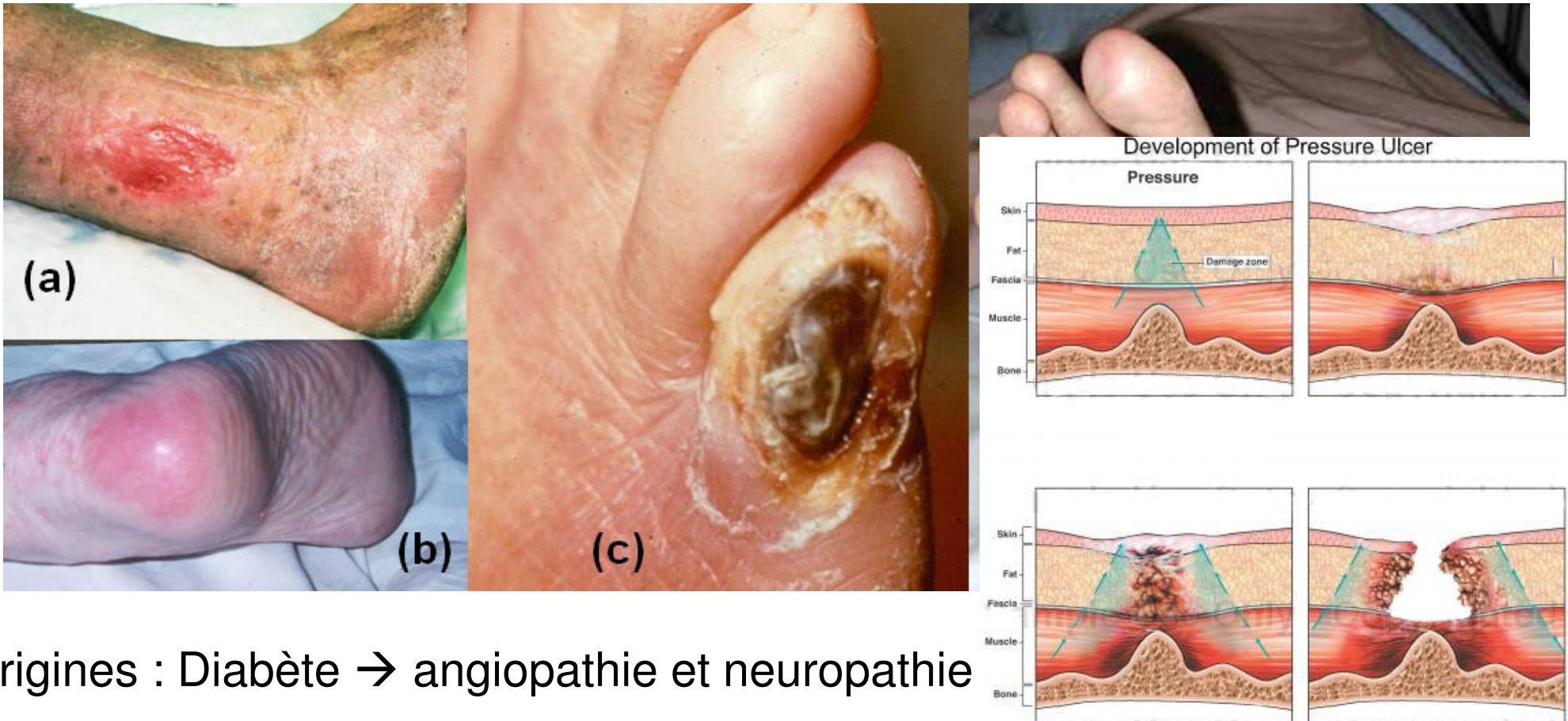


Linder-Ganz *et al.*, 2009





Problématique du pied diabétique (ulcère plantaire, mal perforant plantaire)



Origines : Diabète → angiopathie et neuropathie

Causes : marche et interaction pied/chaussure → micro-traumatismes répétés

Chiffres :

- 250 millions de diabétiques dans le monde
- 15% des personnes diabétiques vont faire au moins un ulcère plantaire au cours de leur vie
- 15% de ces ulcères vont conduire à une amputation



Un pied amputé toutes les 30s à cause du diabète
Des coûts exorbitants pour les systèmes de Santé
48 milliards \$ / an aux USA ; 3 milliards £ / an en UK

1. *The costs of diabetic foot: the economic case for the limb salvage team.* Driver VR, Fabbi M, Lavery LA, Gibbons G. *J Am Podiatr Med Assoc.* 2010 Sep-Oct; 100(5):335-41.
2. *The health care costs of diabetic peripheral neuropathy in the US.* Gordojs A, Scuffham P, Shearer A, Oglesby A, Tobian JA. *Diabetes Care* 2003; 26: 1790-5.

Prévention :

- surveillance quotidienne du pied
- si besoin, prescription de chaussures orthopédiques
- si rougeur observée : repos du pied

Mesure :



BioFoot® insoles



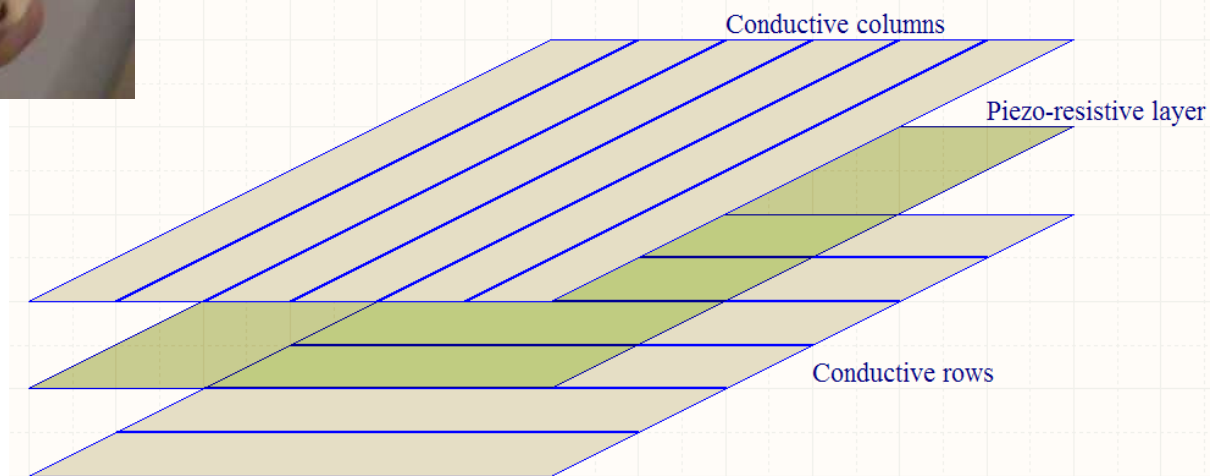
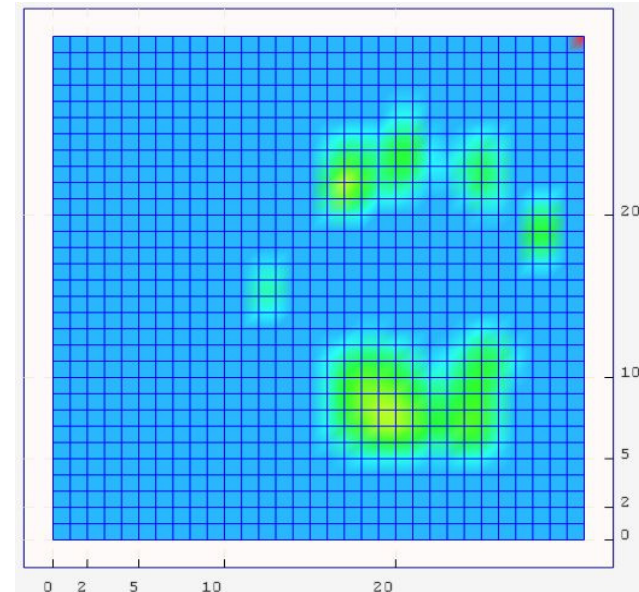
F-Scan®, Tekscan



Pedar shoes LilaBox



- Antécédents : nappe de pression pour la prévention des escarres du paraplégique (UJF / IDS / Taxisense)



- Tricotage d'une chaussette monocouche sur Métier Chaussant.



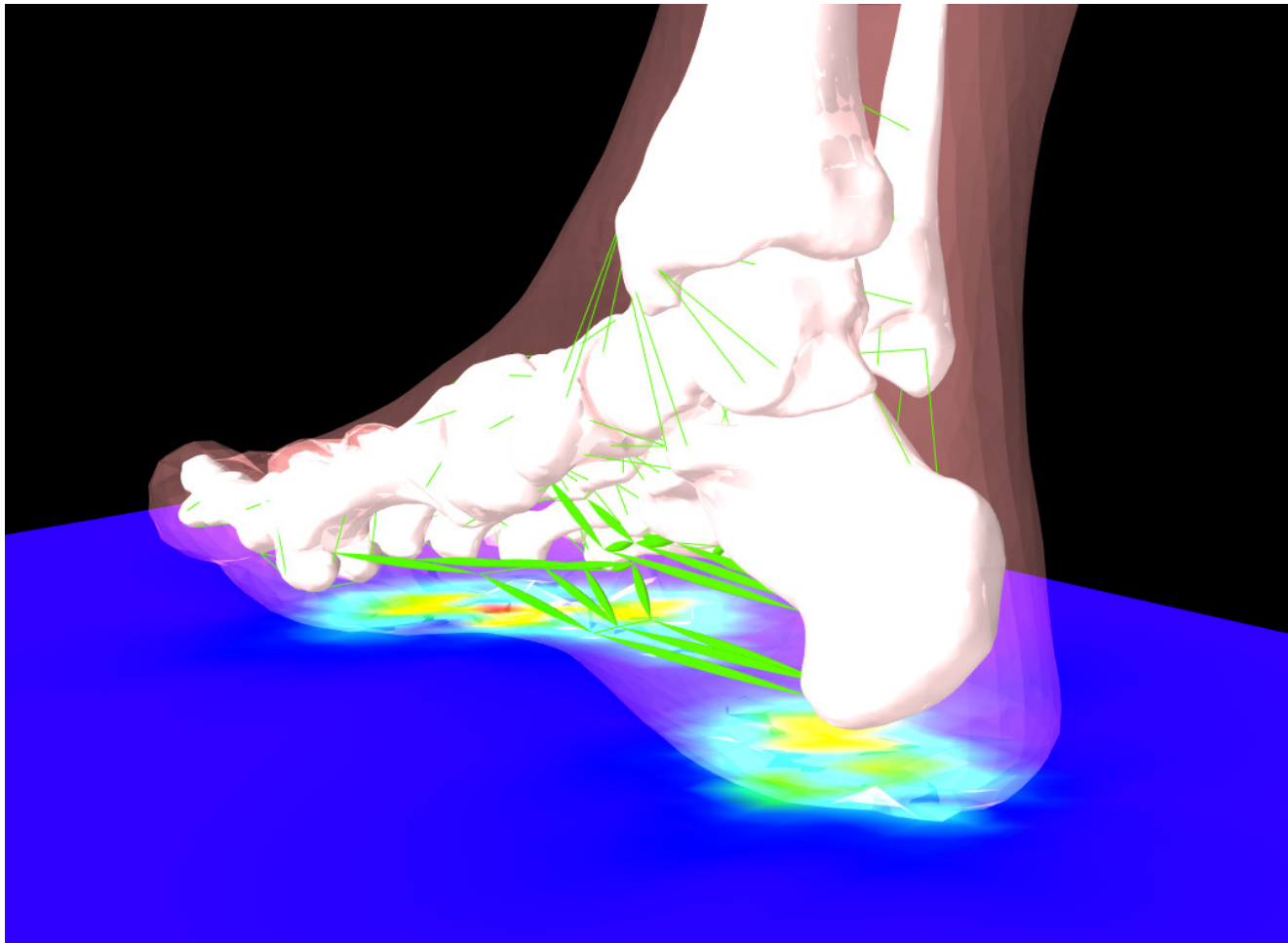
- Base mi-chaussette type ville / rapidité d'exécution et confort
- Insertion par tricotage de fils techniques piézo et conducteurs
- Liberté de forme et de positionnement des capteurs

Résultats du projet

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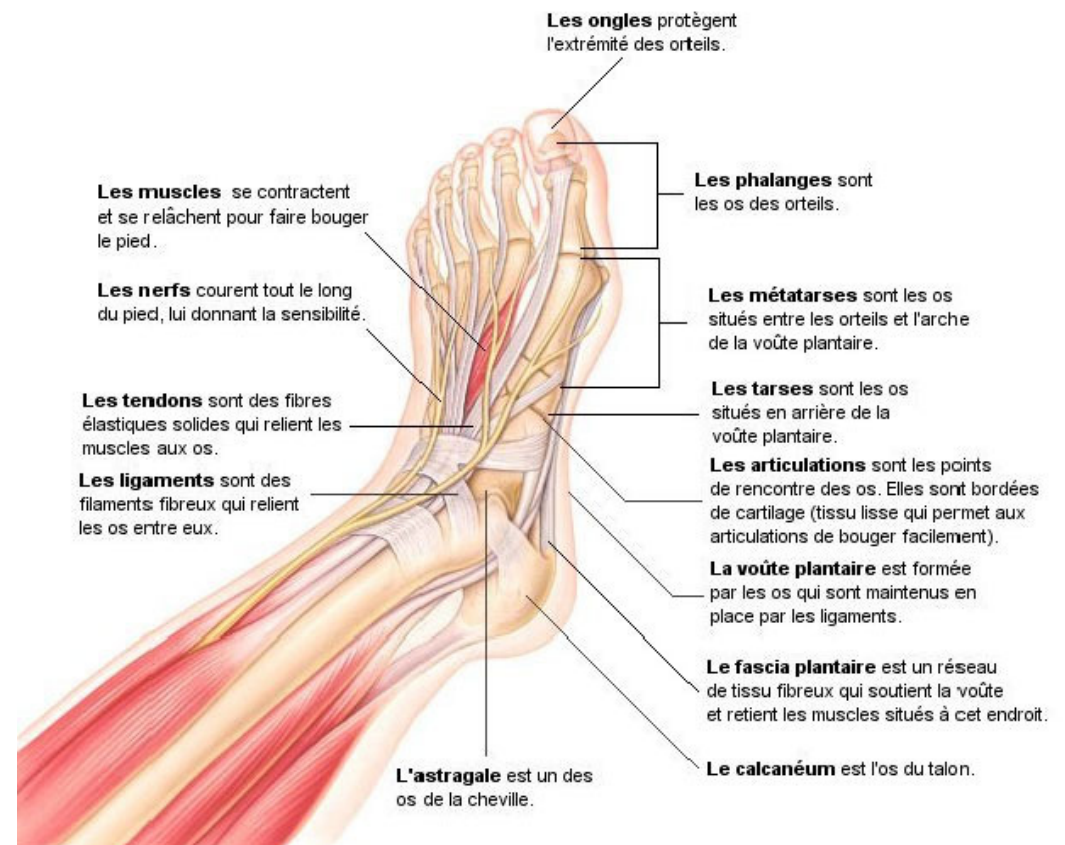
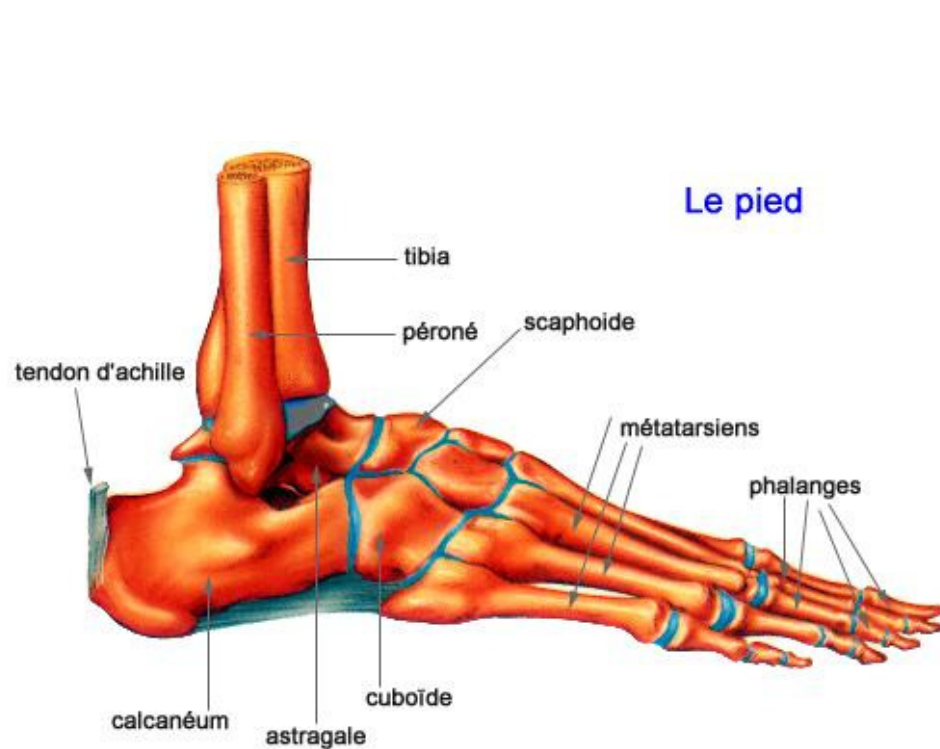


- Modèle biomécanique patient-spécifique du pied.

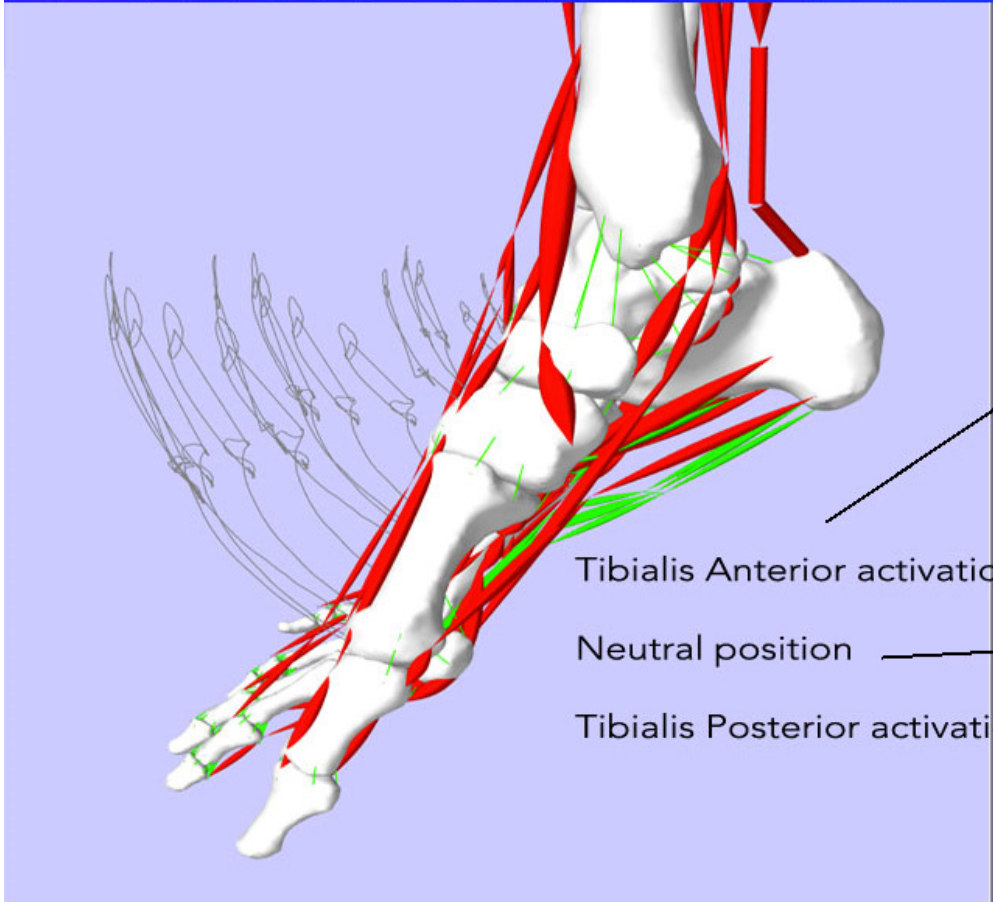
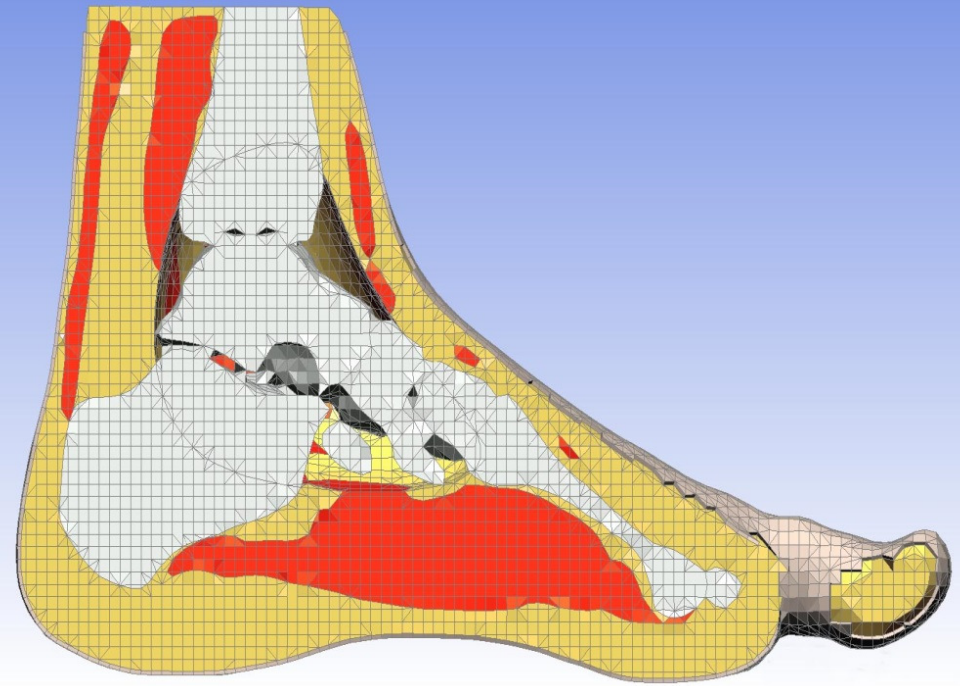
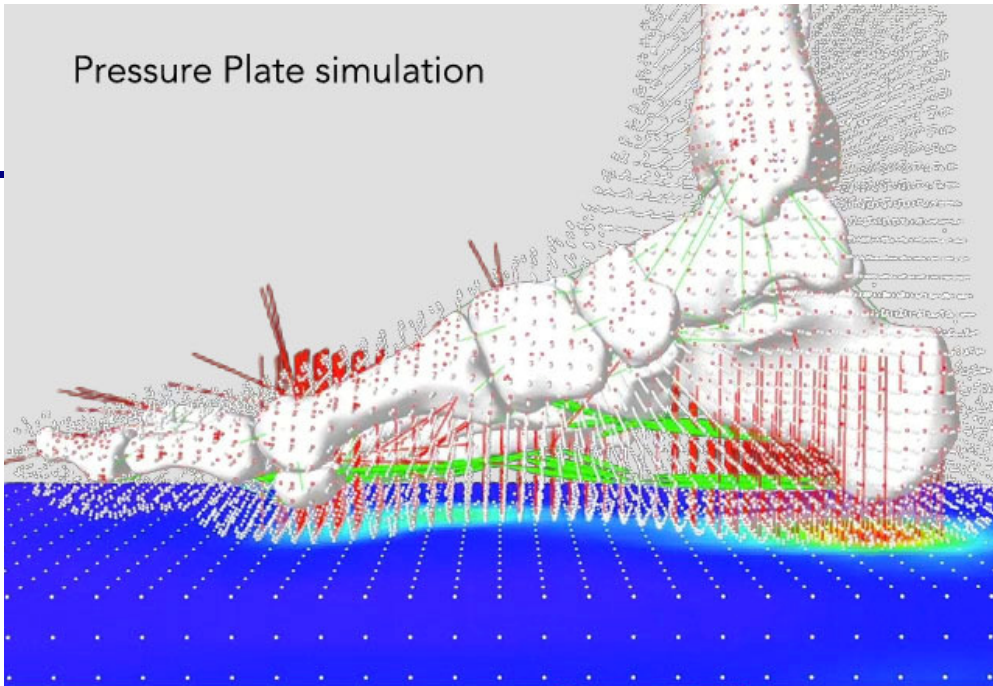


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- Anatomie du pied : 26 os, 33 articulations et plus de 100 muscles, tendons et ligaments, ainsi qu'un réseau de vaisseaux sanguins, nerfs, peau et tissus mous.



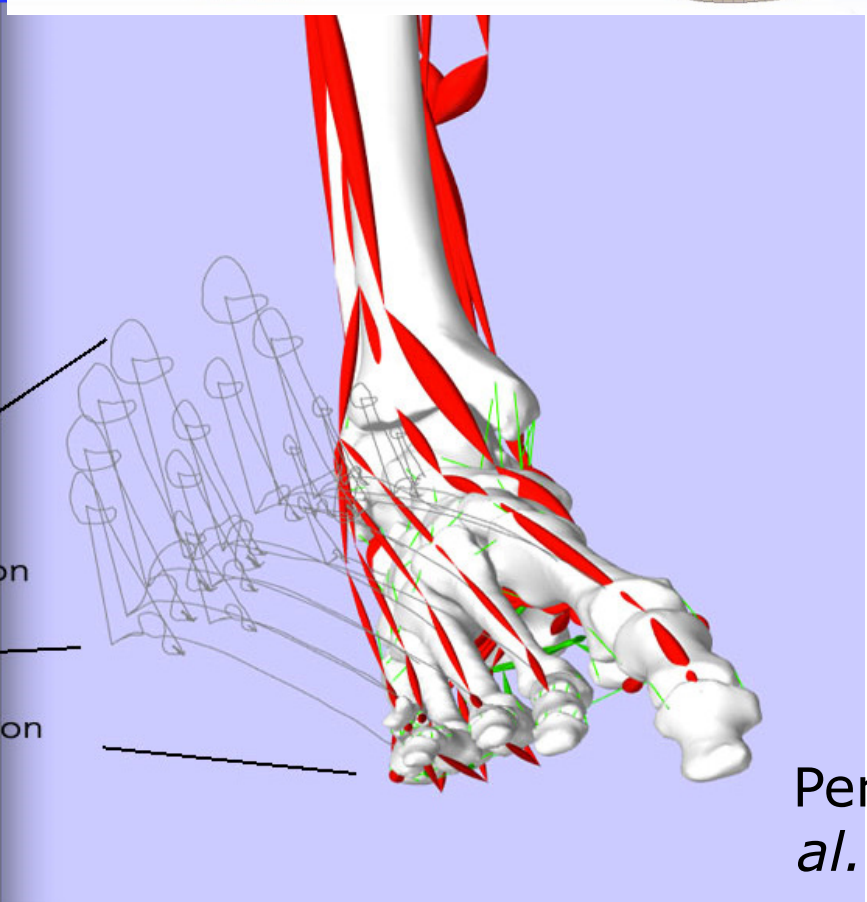
Pressure Plate simulation



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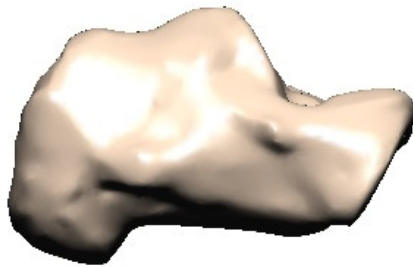
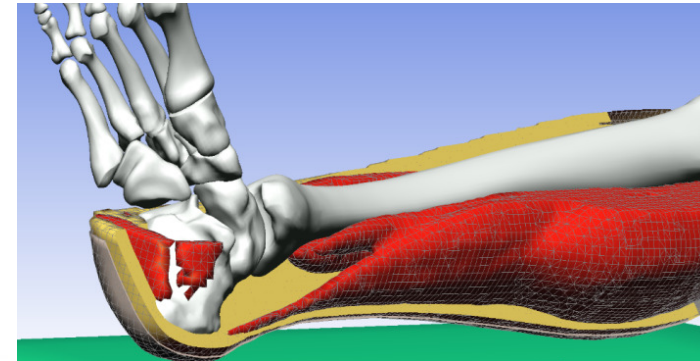
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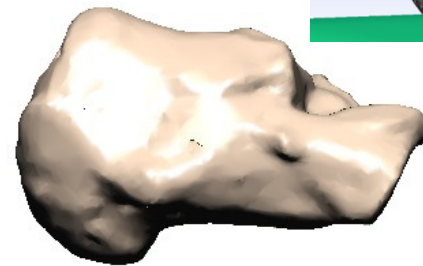


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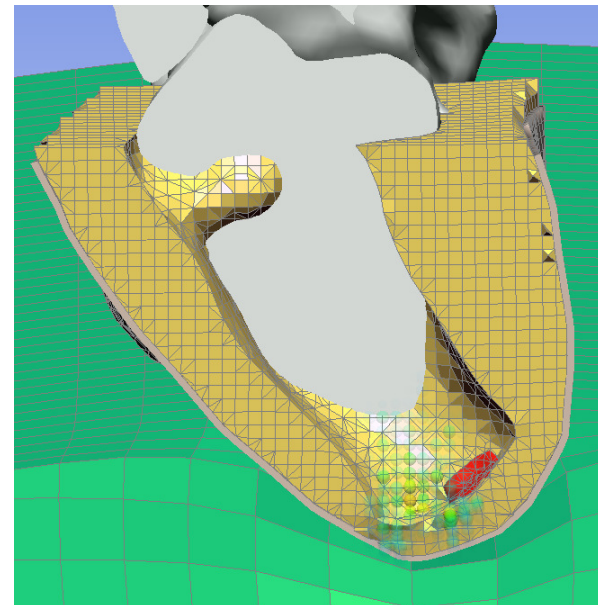
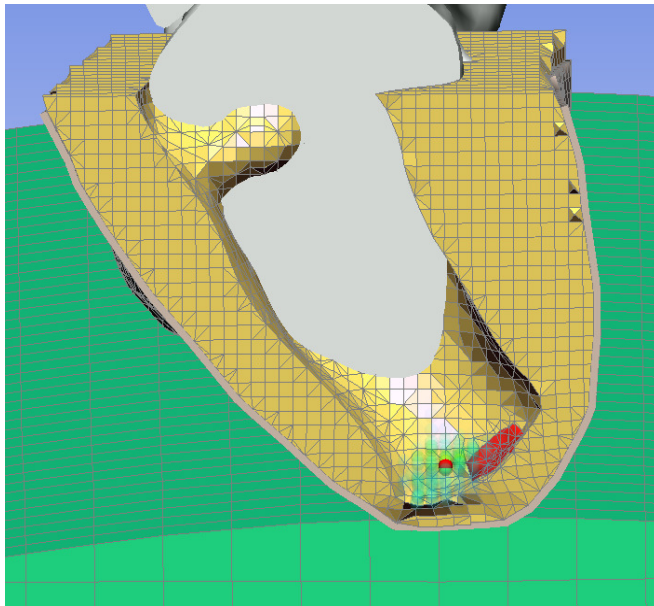
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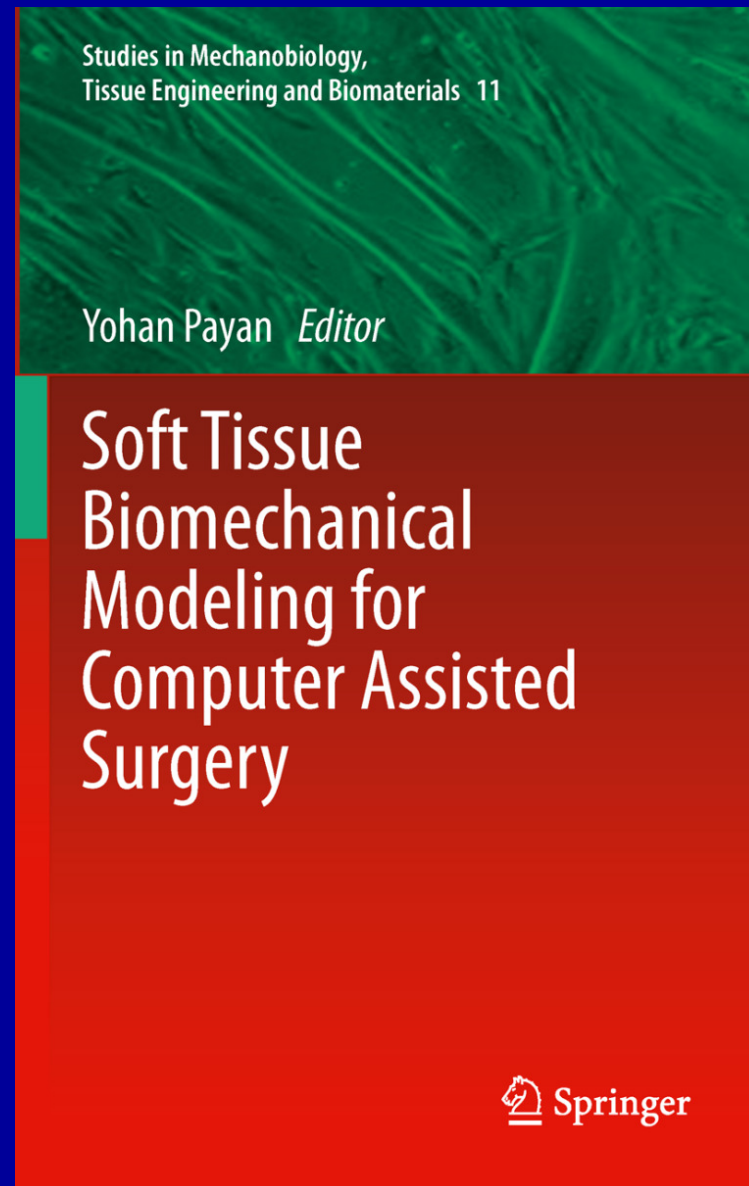
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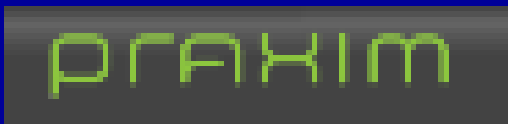


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Why most of the intra-operative medical robotic devices do not use biomechanical models?





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