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Hybrid Tedavi ve Görüntüleme Sistemleri (PET /MR) Nukleer Tip Bakış açısı

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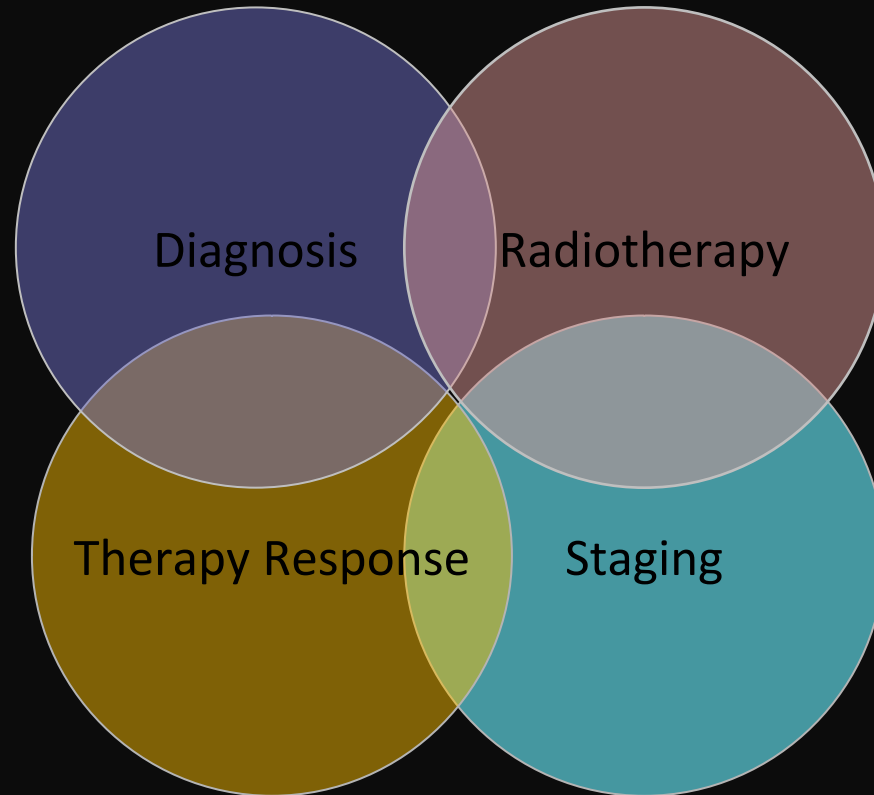
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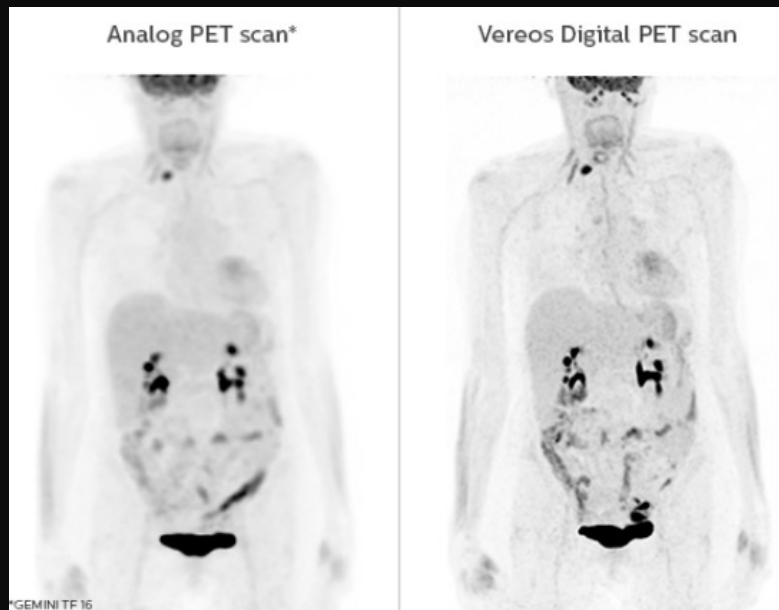
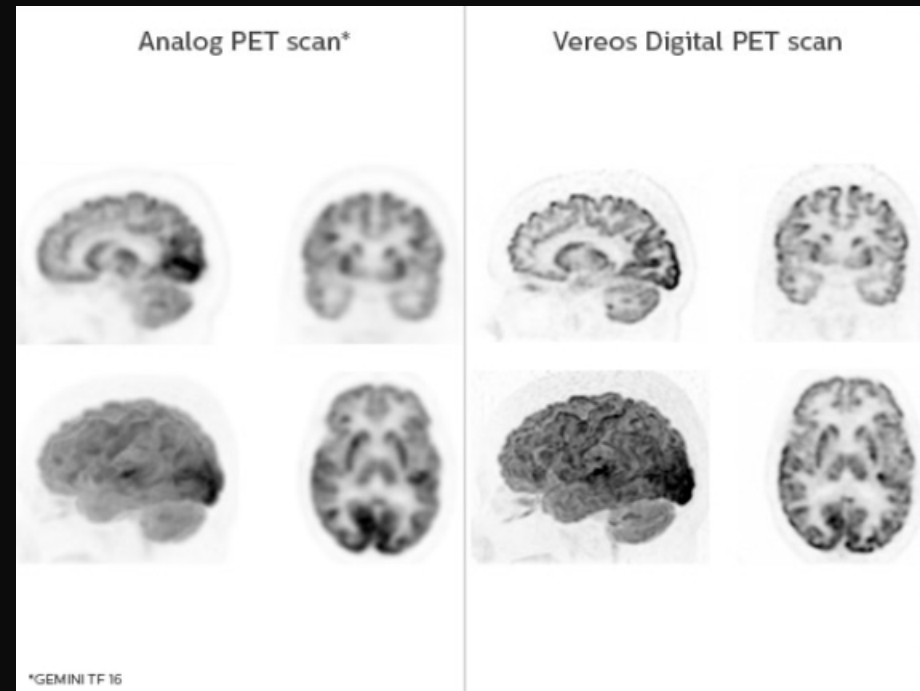
- PET teknolojisindeki radyoterapiyi de etkileyecek son gelişmeler
- PET/MR instrumentasyon
- PET'in radyoterapide kullanımı
- PET/MR: radyoterapi uygulama örnekleri
- PET/MR Sim: Radyoterapi için gerekli donanım
- Sonuç

PET teknolojisinde Radyoterapiyi de etkileyecek en son gelişmeler



Philips Vereos PET/CT

Digital PET



Uses Photodiodes instead of PMTs

Improves sensitivity (2X) and Volumetric resolution (2x)

Parallax Hatası

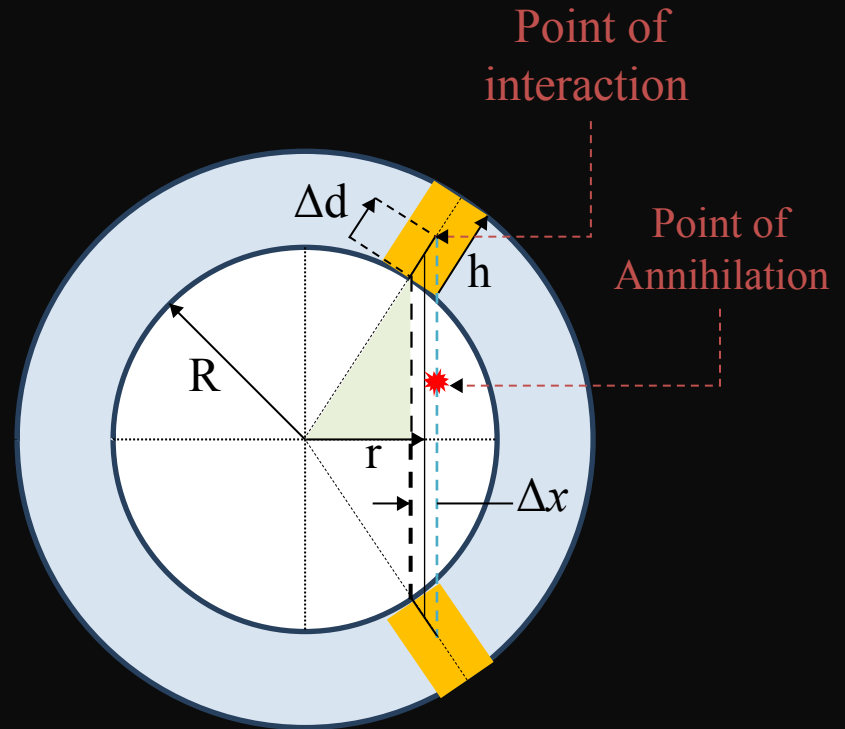
Radial resolution blurring

$$\Delta r \approx \frac{D}{\lambda} \left(\frac{D}{2} + \Delta d \right) + \Delta x$$

where D is the ring diameter

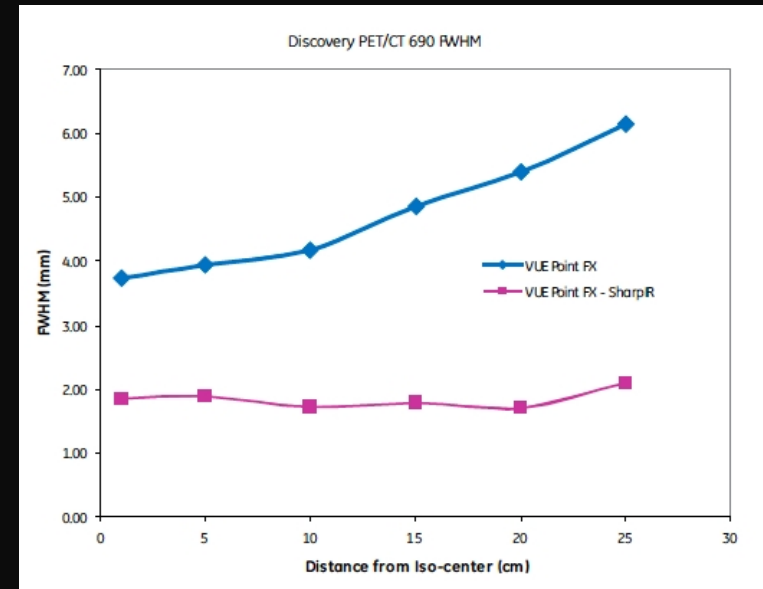
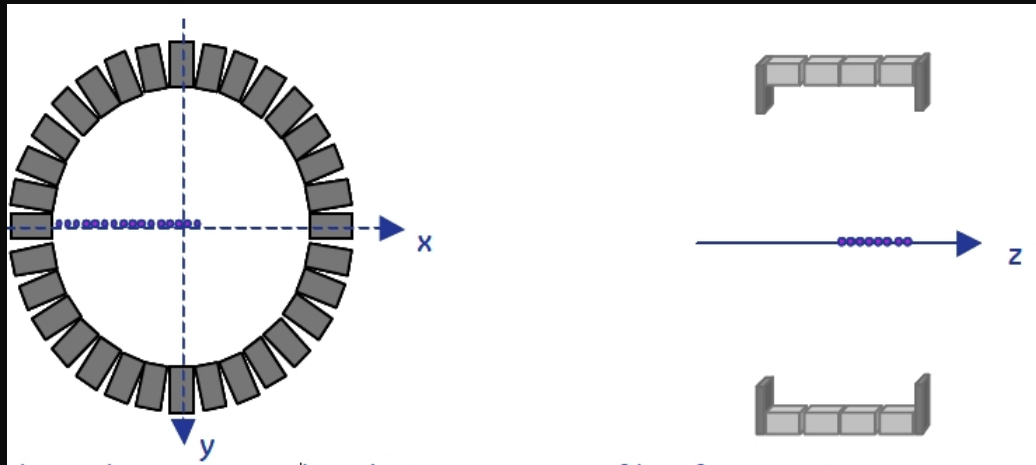
Δd : interaction depth

r : radial distance



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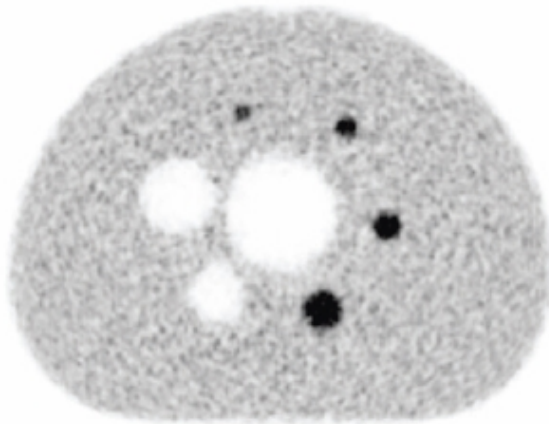
Resolution recovery reconstruction in PET



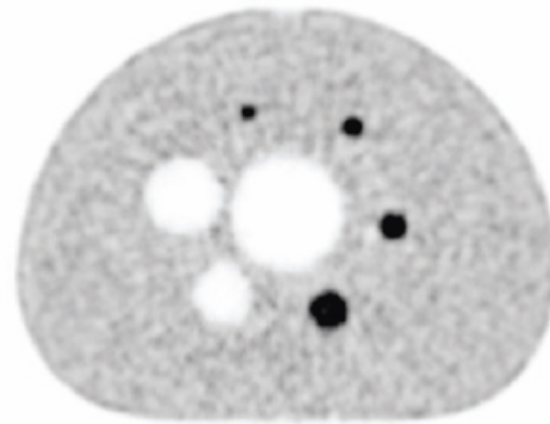
Adam Alessio et al. , IEEE TMI, VOL. 29, NO. 3, MARCH 2010

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VUE Point FX

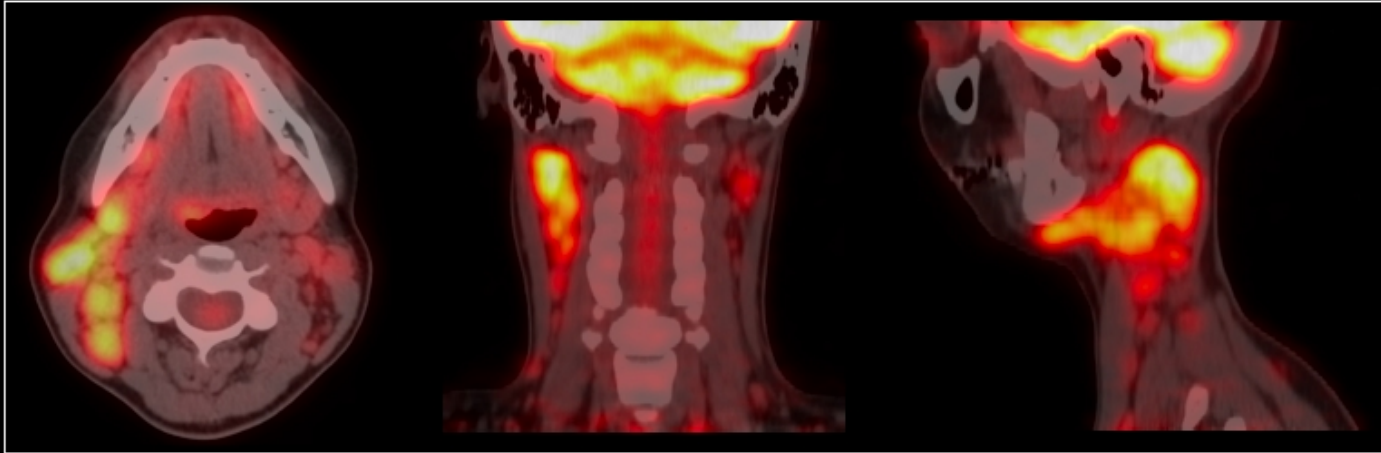


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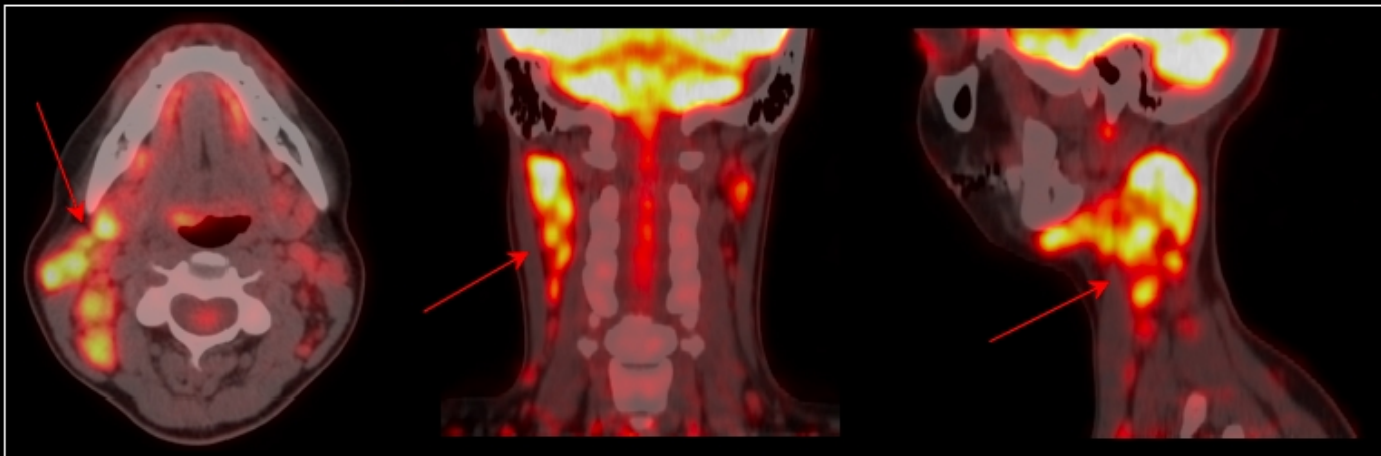


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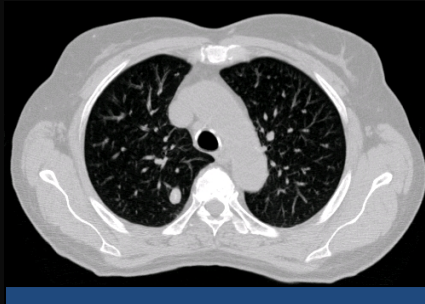


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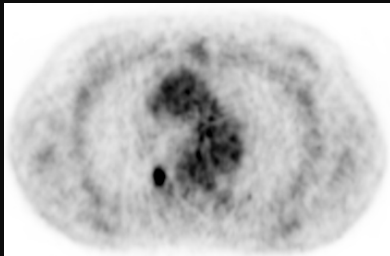


4D Respiratory Gated PET/CT: Planning – Lung Tumor

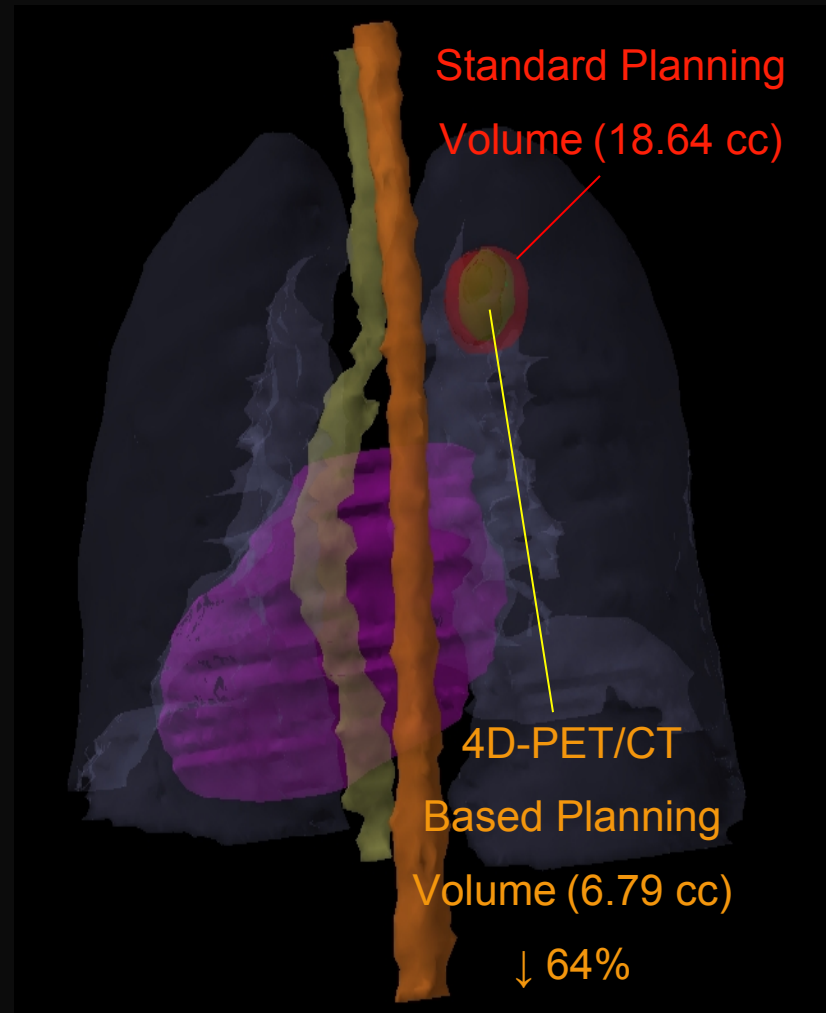
CT



PET

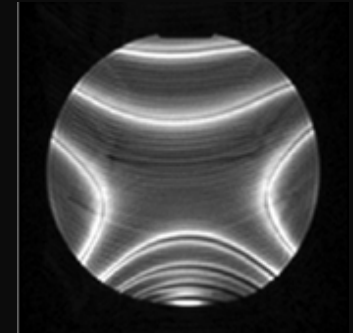
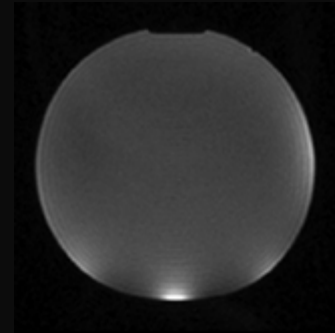


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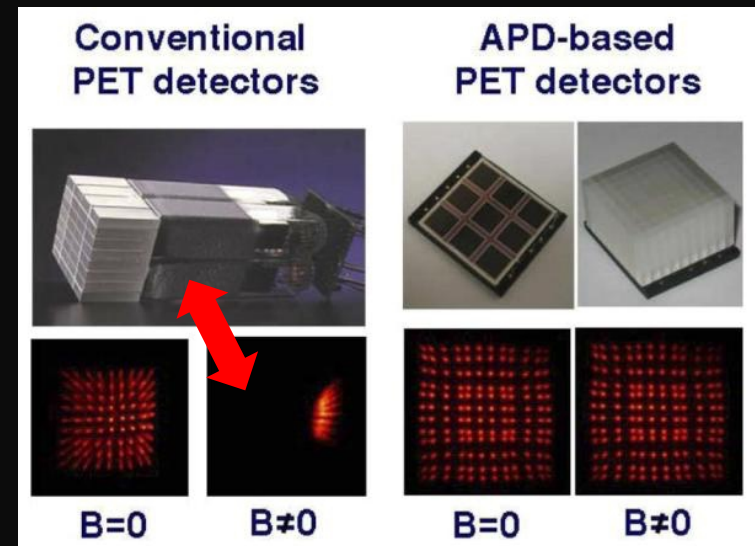
PET/MR instrumentasyon

PET ve MRI'in Entegrasyonu



X-ray detector

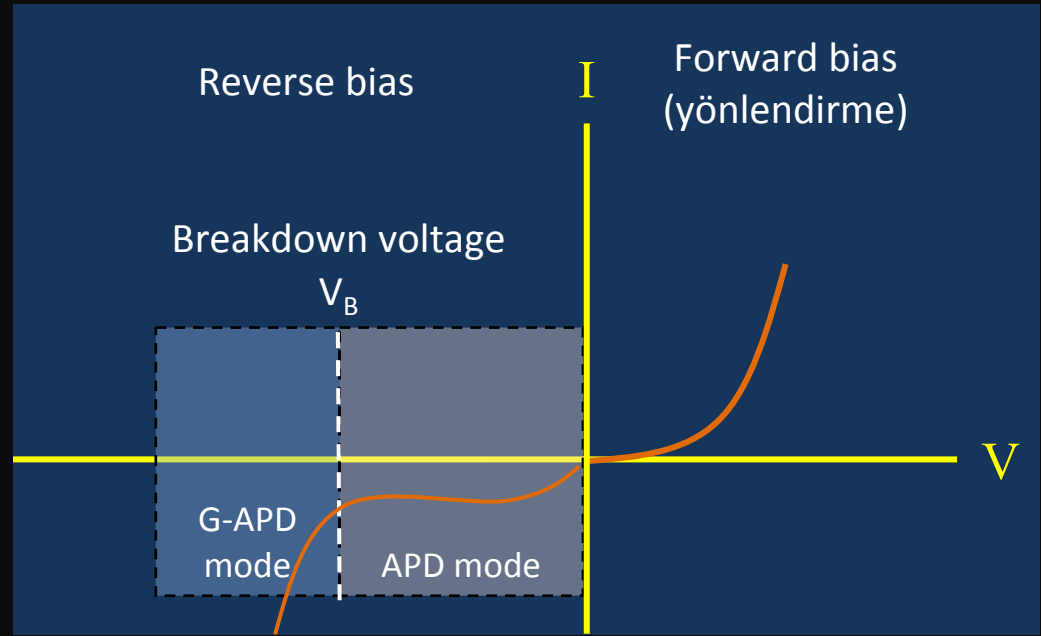
Fahrig, R. et al, *Proceedings of the IEEE*, vol.96, No.3, 2008



Semin Nucl Med. 2008 May; 38(3): 199–208

MR Uyumlu Fotodetektörler: APDs ve G-APDs

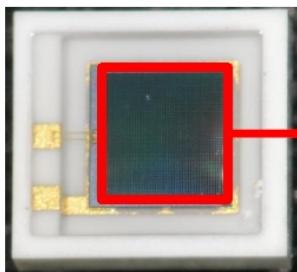
APD ve Geiger Mode (SiPM)



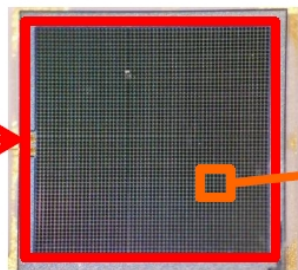
Impact Ionization

SiPM (G-APD, SPAD)

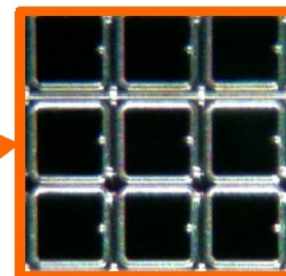
G-APD $6.5 \times 7 \text{ mm}^2$



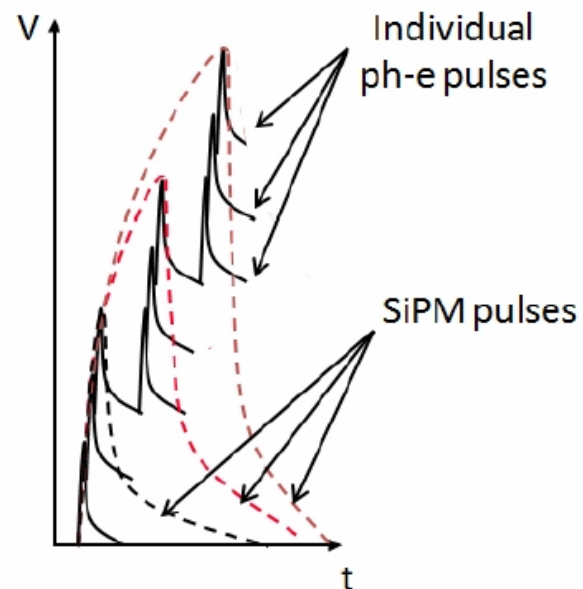
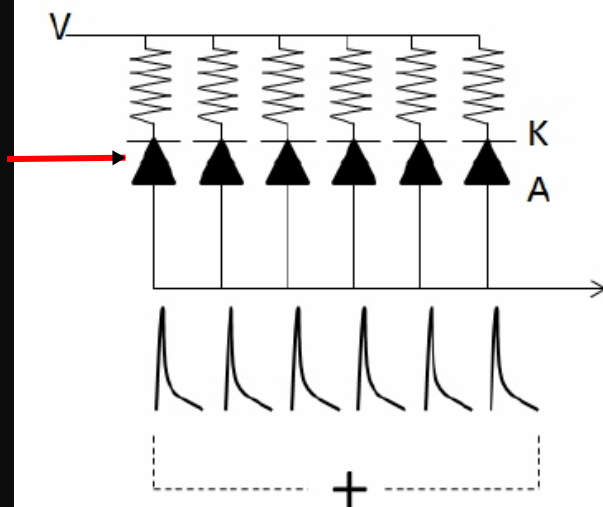
$3 \times 3 \text{ mm}^2$, 60×60 cells



Each cell $50 \times 50 \mu\text{m}^2$



APDs in parallel



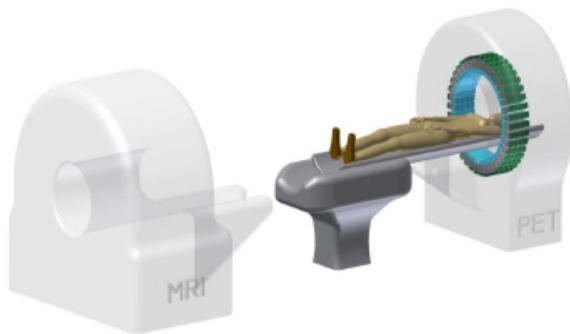
PET/MR'da Kullanılan Fotodetektörler

Photodetector	PMT	APD	SiPM
Detection Efficiency	25%	75%	25%
Yönlendirme Voltajı	1-3 kV	100-500 V	20-80 V
Kazanç	$\sim 10^6$	50-1000	10^6
Spectral Response	300-550 nm	320-1000nm	320-900 nm
Manyetik alandan etkilenme	Evet	Hayır	Hayır
Time-of-Flight	Evet	Hayır	Evet
Isıdan etkilenme (%/C°)	1	3	1-8
Fiyat/channel (\$)	> 200	~ 100	~ 50

Sensors, 2010, pp. 10484-10505

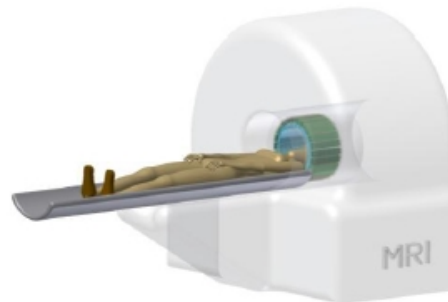
Değişik Dizayn Modelleri

side-by-side



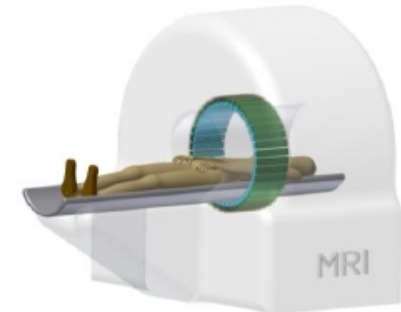
- Use current PMT technology
- Move PET readout away from MR field

PET-insert



- Requires use of MR compatible light detector
- Only modify PET to be transparent to MRI

Integrated PET/MRI



- Merge PET and MRI technology
- Fully integrate PET into the MRI hardware

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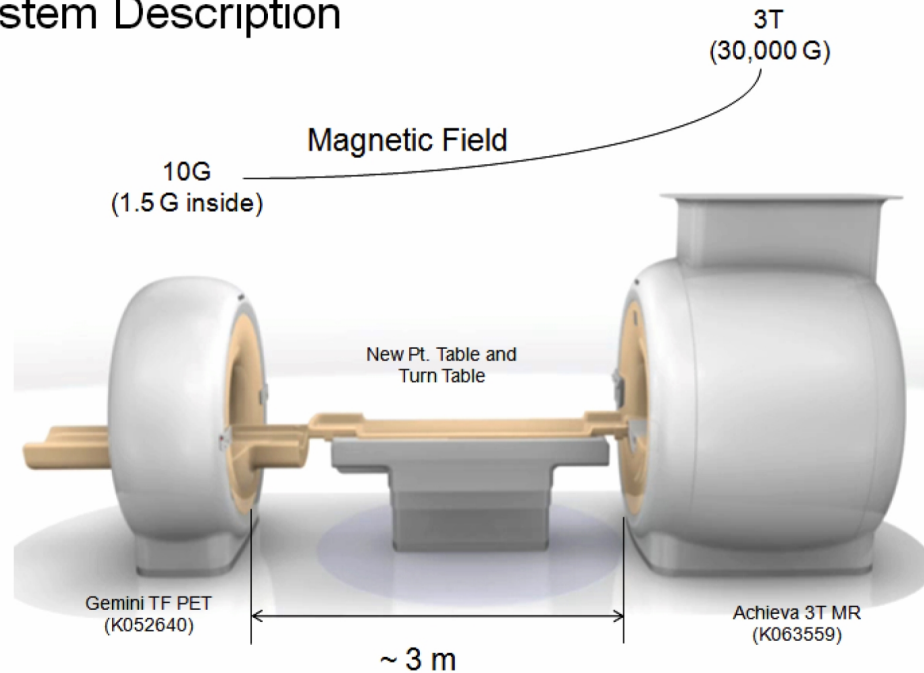
Klinik PET/MR Sistemler



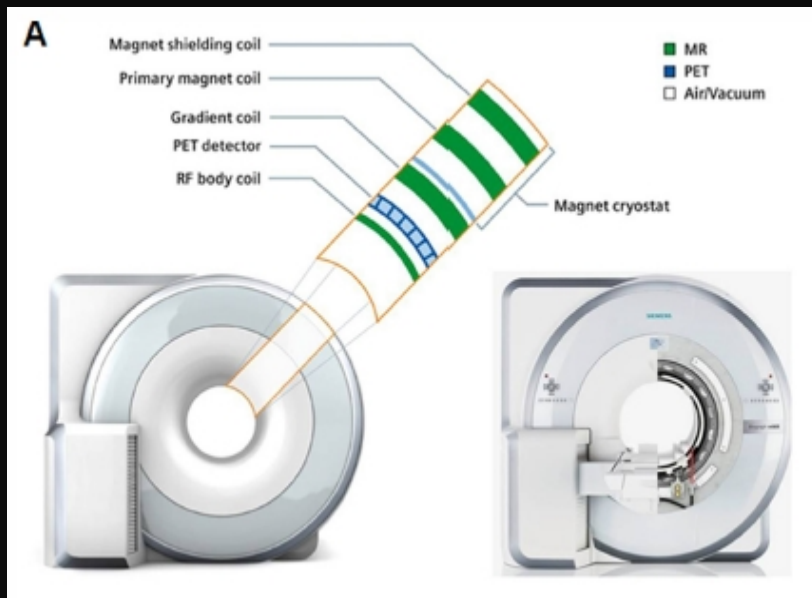
Uretici Firma ve Model	Philips Gemini TF	Siemens Biograph mMR	GE SIGNA PET/MR
Görüntüleme metodu	Ardışık	Aynı anda	Aynı anda
Kristal	LSO	LYSO	LYSO
FDA Onayi	2011	2011	2014
Fotodetektör	PMT	APD	SiPM
Satılan (sipariş) (Mayis '15)			7(10)

Philips Ingenuity TF & Achieva 3T

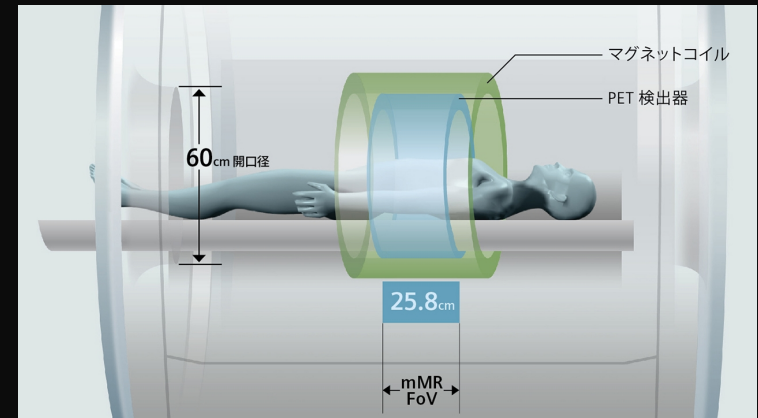
System Description



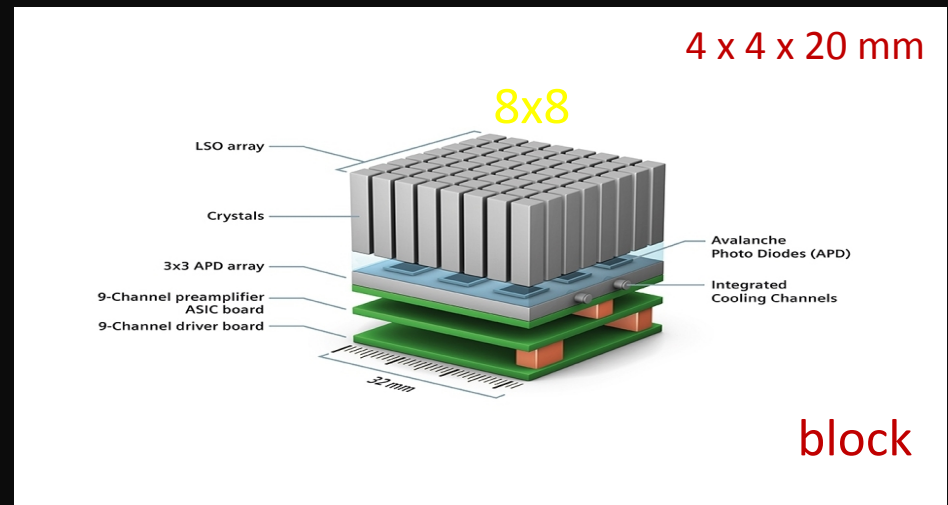
Siemens Biograph mMR



Siemens Brochure (website)

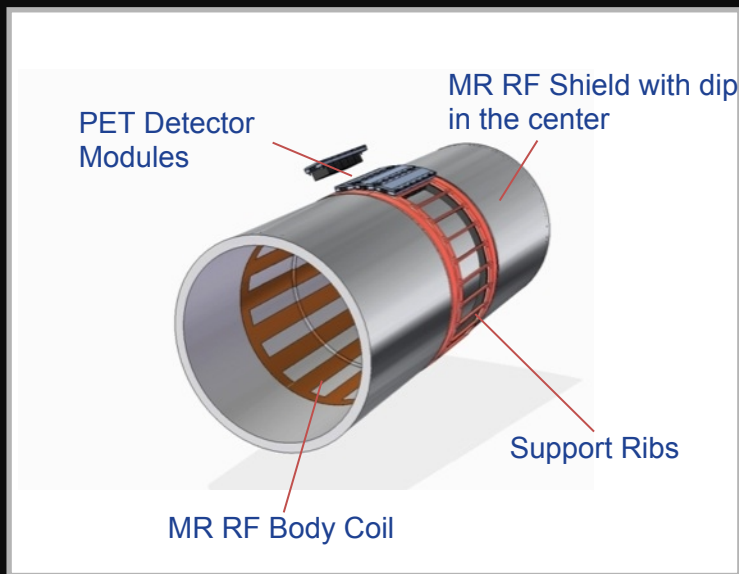


8 Rings of 56 detector blocks

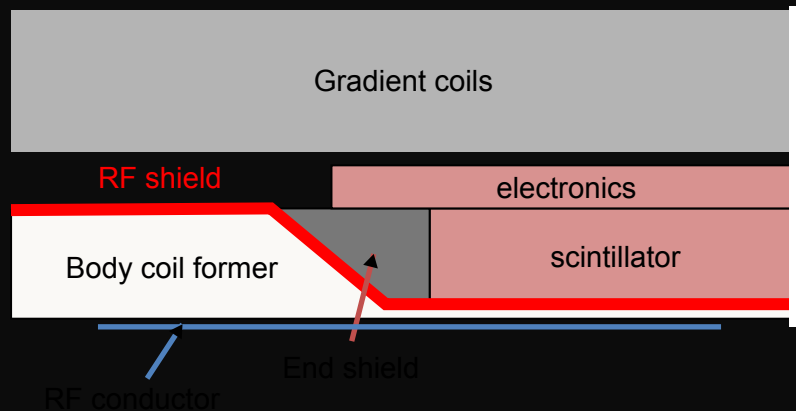




GE SIGNA PET/MR System Design



- PET detector ring mounted between the RF shield and the gradient coil.
- Silicon PhotoMultipliers (SiPMs) for size and magnetic compatibility
- Detectors in ring on outer surface of novel RF body coil – 60 cm bore diameter

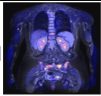


	GE SIGNA [1]	Siemens Biograph mMR	Philips Ingenuity TF
Trans. FOV	60	59.4	70.7
Sensitivity (kcps/MBq)	21	15	7
Peak NECR (kcps)	210	183.5	90
Energy resolution (%)	11	14.5	12
Timing resolution (ps)	400	2930	520
Axial FOV (cm)	25	25.8	18
Spatial resolution			
Transaxial (@1 cm, 10 cm)	3.7, 4.5 (Iterative)	4.3	4.7, 5.1
Axial (@ 1 cm, 10 cm)	4.8, 4.7	4.3	5
Reconstruction	TOF and PSF	NO TOF and PSF	TOF and PSF

[1] Chuck Stern, GE PET Scientist



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4th Tübingen PET/MR Workshop: February 23 - 27, 2015

Dear Colleagues,

It is our great pleasure to invite you for the fourth time in a row to our PET/MRI workshop in Tübingen. The programme includes ample time for intensive discussions on emerging applications of PET/MRI and its implication in research and clinical practice. We have invited internationally renowned experts from the fields of nuclear medicine, radiology and imaging science to provide a platform for a vital exchange of experiences. As in previous years, round table discussions will target immediate questions in the realms of innovative research, clinical applications, workflow issues and technical challenges linked to this new technology.

The workshop is preceded by a 2-day hands-on course providing training and reading with the expert sessions to small interactive groups. We very much hope that with this programme we can again address a very interdisciplinary audience of clinical experts and imaging advocates to initiate a continuous lively exchange of perspectives, experiences and to foster vivid discussions on the future of PET/MRI.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Tübingen in February of 2015.

Bernd Pichler, PhD, on behalf of the Organizing Committee

Combined PET/MRI: Whole-body Multi-Parametric Mapping is Here. Summary Report of the Fourth International Workshop on PET/MRI Imaging; February 23-27, 2015, Tübingen, Germany

D.L.Bailey, B.J.Pichler, B.Gückel, [xxx] and T.Beyer

on behalf of the discussants and presenters in the following sessions:

Roundtable Discussion: H Barthel, D-M Koh, V Goh, M Schaeffers, J Czernin, B Rosen, F

Fahey;

Courtesy of Dale Bailey

REVIEW ARTICLE

Combined PET/MR: Where Are We Now? Summary Report of the Second International Workshop on PET/MR Imaging April 8–12, 2013, Tübingen, Germany

Dale L. Bailey,¹ Henryk Barthel,² Bettina Beuthin-Baumann,³ Thomas Beyer,⁴ Sotirios Bisdas,⁵ Ronald Boellaard,⁶ Johannes Czernin,⁷ Alexander Drzezga,⁸ Ulrike Ernemann,⁵ Christiane Franzius,⁹ Brigitte Gückel,¹⁰ Rupert Handgretinger,¹¹ Markus Hartenbach,¹² Dirk Hellwig,¹³ Helen Nadel,¹⁴ Stephan G. Nekolla,¹⁵ Thomas Pfluger,¹⁶ Bernd J. Pichler,¹⁷ Harald H. Quick,¹⁸ Osama Sabri,² Bernhard Sattler,² Jürgen Schäfer,¹⁰ Fritz Schick,¹⁹ Barry A. Siegel,²⁰ Heinz P. Schlemmer,²¹ Nina F. Schwenzer,¹⁰ Jörg van den Hoff,^{3,22} Patrick Veit-Haibach,²³ Hans F. Wehr¹⁷

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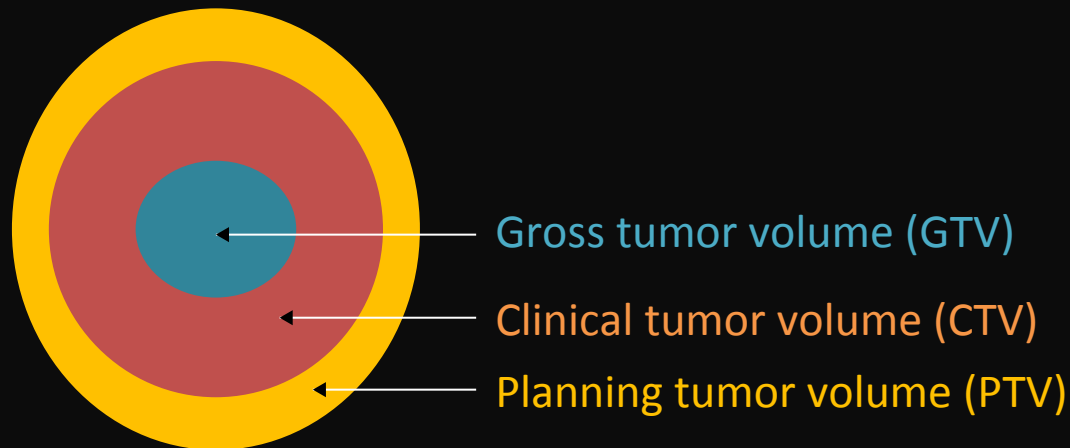
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PET'in Radyoterapiye Kullanımı

PET'in Radyoterapi Kullanımı



- Biyolojik tumor hacminin belirlenmesinde
- Tumor heterogeneity ve doz boyama

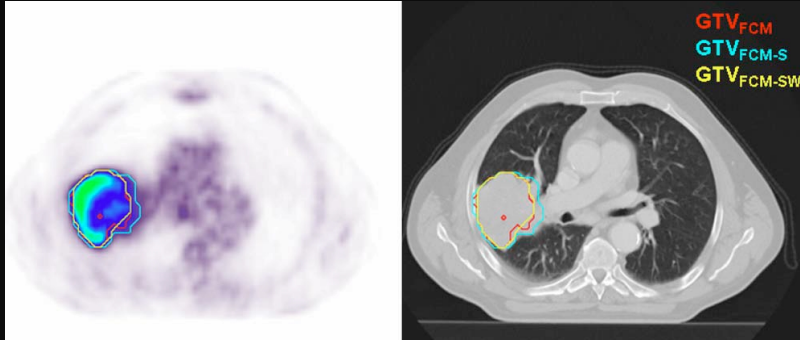
Tumor Segmentation in PET

Segmentasyon	Aciklama	References
Isocontour	SUVmax*(0.36-0.44) 4 mL > tümörler için T/B oranina bağlı	Erdi Y, Mawlawi O, Larson S, et al., 1997;80:2505-2509.
Manuel	Çok yaygın olarak kullanılmakta	
Sabit eşik (threshold)	2.5 veya farklı	Çok yaygın olarak kullanılmakta

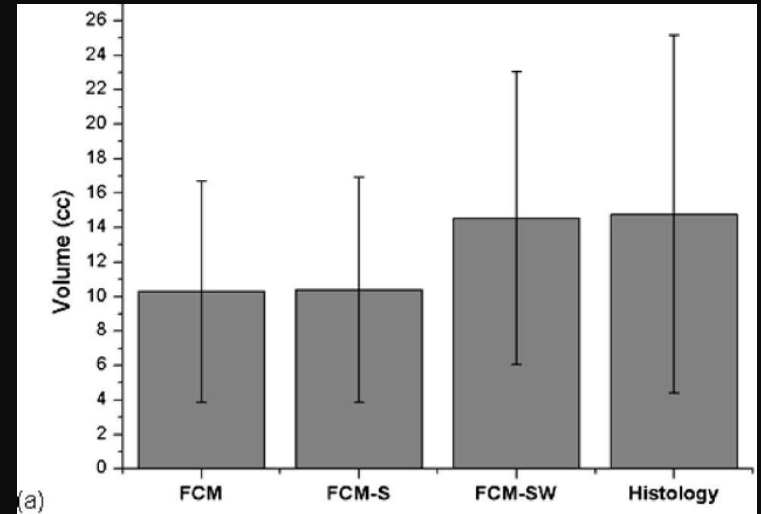
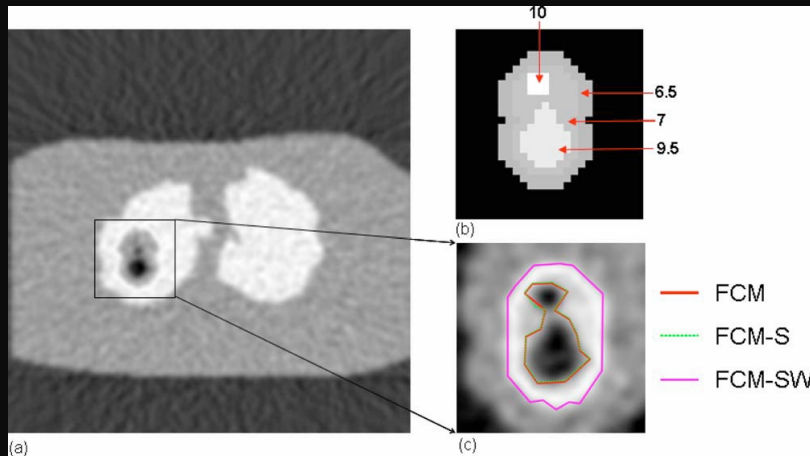
Tumor Segmentation in PET

Segmentasyon	Aciklama	References
Background (zemin) tabanlı	Zemin Ortalama + Sabit*Standard Sapma	Percist: $1.5 \times \text{Liver mean} + 2 \times \text{liver STD}$ $2 \times \text{Blood Pool in the mediastinum} + 2 \times \text{STD}$
Fuzzy segmentasyon tabanlı (FLAB ve digerleri)	Pixellerin parlaklık deęerine g�re yapılır	Hatt M, et al. IEEE TMI. 2009;28(6):881–893
Kenar tabanlı	Gradyan tabanlı	PET Edge MimVista Software
Seeded Region Growing (B�lge b�y�tme)	Genelde bir tohum pixeli se�ilir. �rnegin, SUVmax	Day E, et al. Med Phys. 2009;36(10):4349–4358.

Fuzzy C-Means Algoritması



Araştırmacılar fuzzy c-means algoritmasını anisotropic diffusion ve wavelet transformasyonla beraber kullanmışlar



FCM: Fuzzy C-means

FCM-S: FCM + Anisotropic diffusion

FCM-SW: FCM+ FCM-S + Wavelet

Farklı metodları karşılaştıran bir çalışma

25 patients with histologically proven primary NSCLC (Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer)

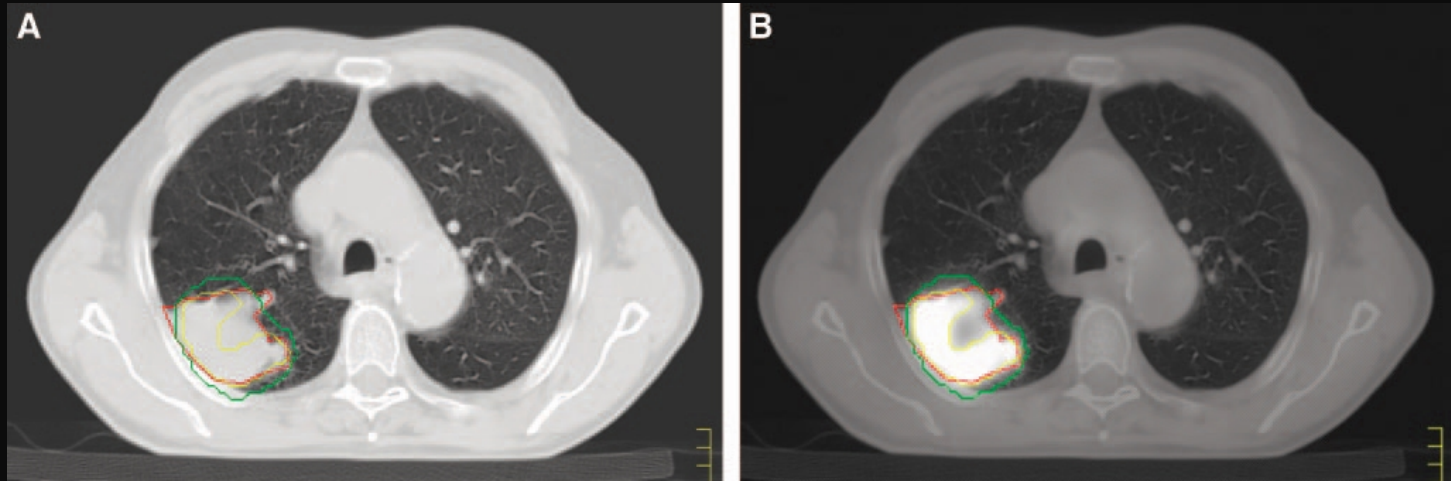
4 methods for GTV

- GTV_{vis} : Visually
- GTV_{40} : 40% of SUV_{max}
- $GTV_{2.5}$: isocontour of $SUV = 2.5$
- GTV_{bg} : $1.5 * I_{Mean} + I_{background}$
- GTV_{CT}

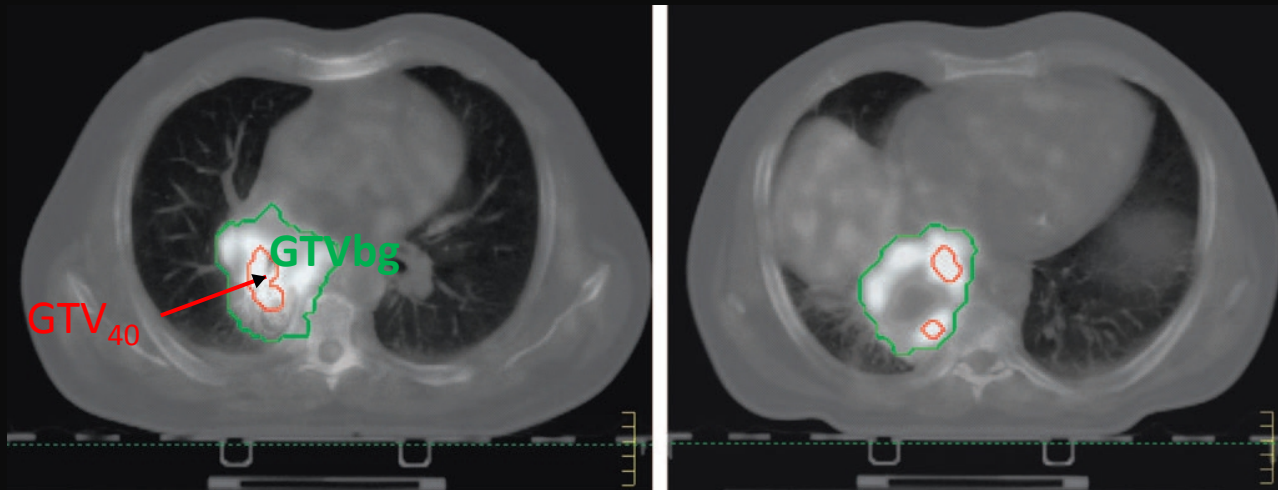
U. Nestle, et al., JNM, Vol. 46, No. 8, Aug 2005

Results and Conclusion

Examples from the Study



Planning CT scan (A) and corresponding fusion image (B) of patient 8 show inadequacy of GTV₄₀: green GTV_{bg}, red GTV_{CT}, yellow GTV₄₀.



PET/CT Radyoterapi

Table 1. Demographic and Clinical Characteristics of 67 Patients.

Patient characteristics	Group A	Group B	Group C	P value*
Patient number	24	22	21	
Gender				
Male	15	14	14	
Female	9	8	7	>0.05
Age (yr)				
Range	19–67	20–68	19–64	
Mean	47	48	46	>0.05
Clinical stages				
III stage	14	13	14	
IVa stage	10	9	7	>0.05
T stage				
T1	1	1	1	
T2	10	9	7	
T3	7	5	9	
T4	6	6	4	>0.05
N stage				
N0	1	1	1	
N1	3	4	3	
N2	15	14	13	
N3	5	3	4	>0.05
Pathologic types				
WHO II	5	4	3	
WHO III	19	18	18	>0.05

*Chi-square test performed.
 Group A: conventional chemoradiotherapy group; Group B: CT-guided dose escalation chemoradiotherapy group; Group C: PET/CT-guided dose escalation chemoradiotherapy group; WHO: World Health Organization.

doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0124018.t001

No	GTV _C (cm ³)	GTV _{PET-CT} (cm ³)	Percent of changes(%)
1	15.28	11.09	-27.42
2	7.43	4.12	-44.55
3	10.62	7.57	-28.72
4	30.15	21.72	-27.96
5	15.26	13.05	-14.48
6	32.41	29.27	-9.69
7	15.37	8.66	-43.66
8	44.13	55.17	25.02
9	4.52	2.77	-38.12
10	18.64	13.14	-29.51
11	19.85	14.68	-26.05
12	49.23	54.94	11.60
13	9.46	5.74	-39.32
14	28.31	22.07	-22.04
15	30.68	26.75	-12.81
16	34.16	28.25	-17.50
17	40.42	34.56	-14.50
18	42.15	47.36	11.00
19	22.38	17.34	-22.39
20	55.64	42.34	-23.80
21	31.75	26.42	-16.79

doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0124018.t002

A: Conventional Chemoradiotherapy group

**B: CT-guided dose escalation
Chemoradiotherapy**

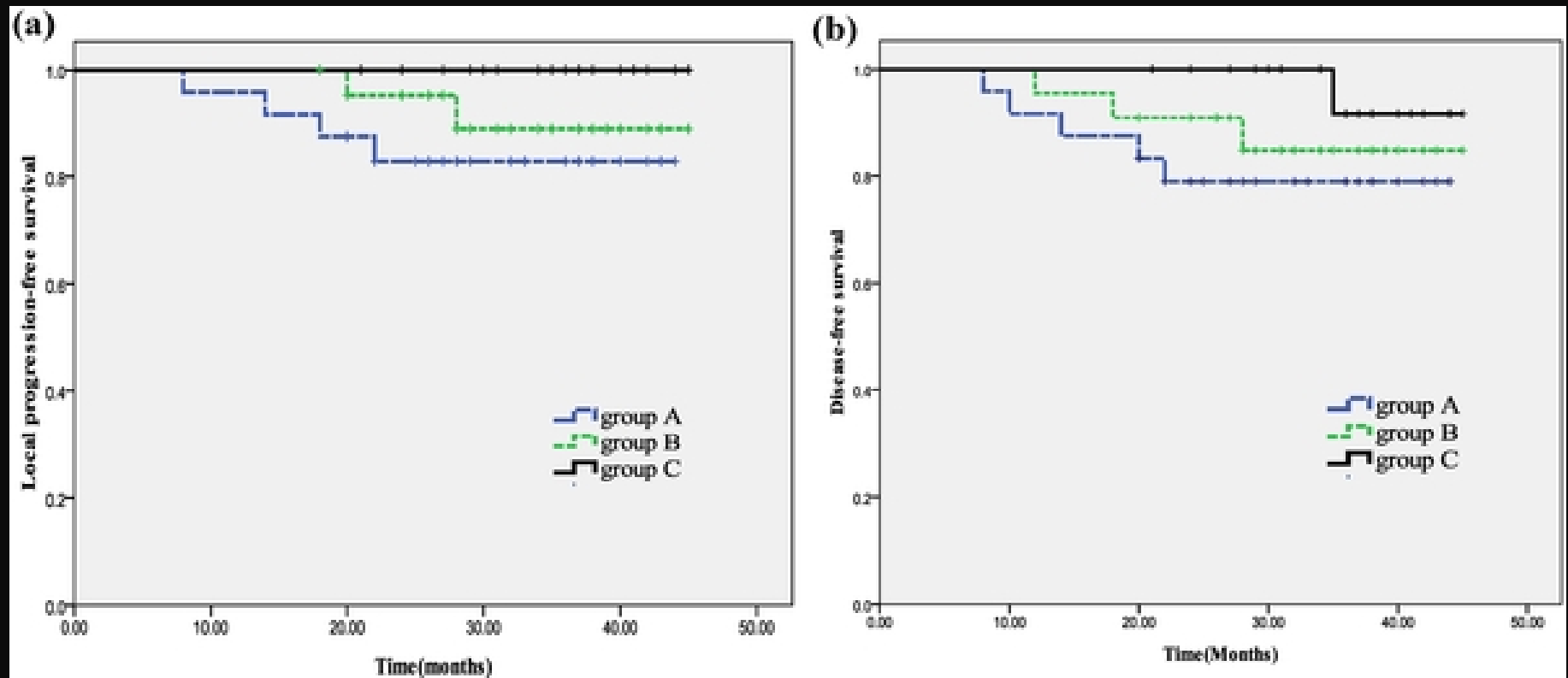
**C: PET/CT guided dose escalation
chemoradiotherapy**

Table 2. The change in GTV volume in Group C patients based on PET/CT.

Wang J, Zheng J, Tang T, Zhu F, Yao Y, et al. (2015) A Randomized Pilot Trial Comparing Position Emission Tomography (PET)-Guided Dose Escalation Radiotherapy to Conventional Radiotherapy in Chemoradiotherapy Treatment of Locally Advanced Nasopharyngeal Carcinoma. PLoS ONE 10(4): e0124018. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0124018

<http://127.0.0.1:8081/plosone/article?id=info:doi/10.1371/journal.pone.0124018>

Fig 2. Kaplan-Meier survival analysis of the treatment groups.



Local Progression Free survival

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PET/MR'ın Radyoterapi Kullanımı

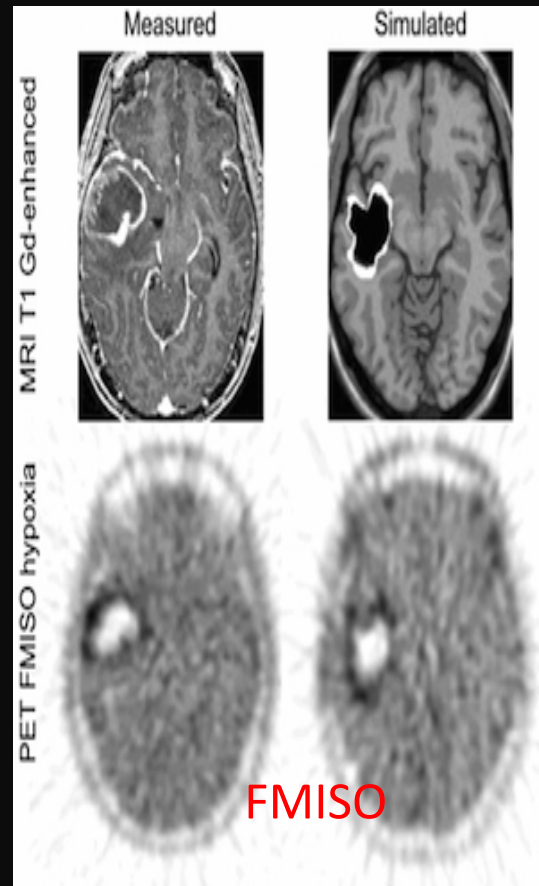
- PET multitracer görüntüleme tekniği
- Tumor sınırlarının belirlenmesinde
- PET deki tumor heterojenliğinin tumorleri daha etkili bir şekilde tedavi etmek için kullanılması (örneğin, doz boyama (dose painting))
- MR çok parametrelili veya çok kontrastlı görüntüleme tekniği
 - Difüzyon, perfüzyon, T1, T2, CW, MR Spectral görüntü.....
- PET + MR beraber tümörlerin sınırlarının belirlenmesinde PET/CT den daha etkili olabilir mi? ($1 + 1 = 3$)
- Hasta hareketinin belirlenmesinde MR kullanılabilir mi?

PET/MR'ı Radyoterapiye Kullanımı

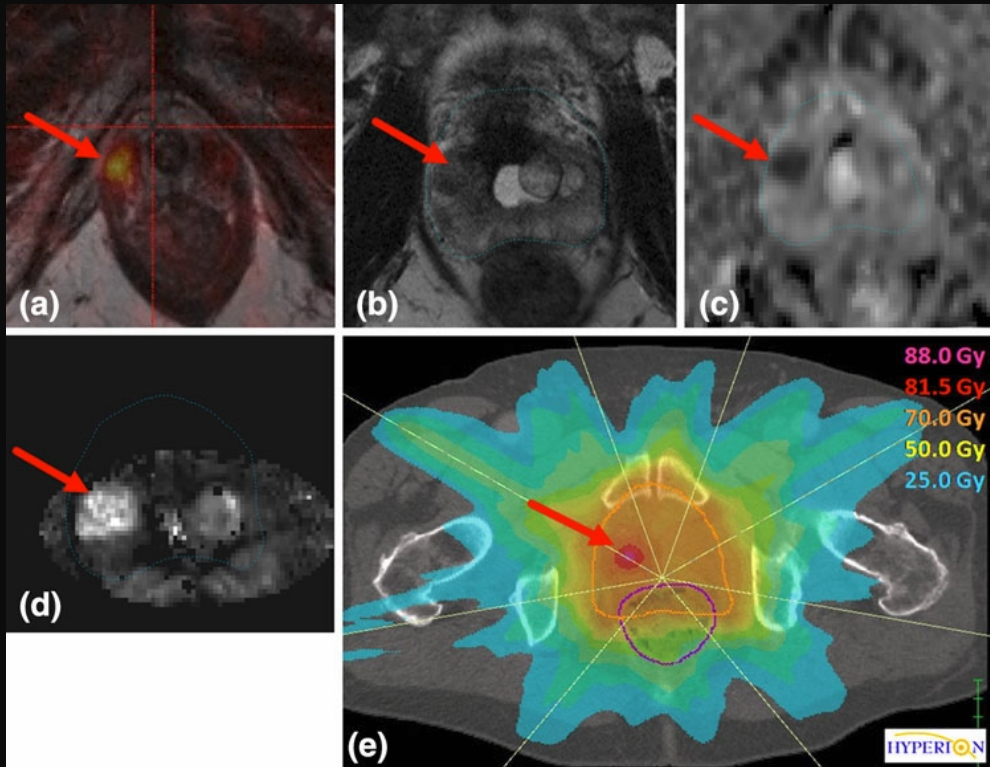
PET/MR'in Radyoterapi Kullanimi

- Hypoxic tümörlerin belirlenmesi veya tumor icinde local hypoxia'nin belirlenmesi

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Çok Parametrelili Görünteleme ve Doz Boyama



Multi-parametric PET/MRI of a patient with prostate cancer:

- (a) Combined [11C]-choline (CHO) PET/MRI
- (b) T2-weighted TSE MRI
- (c) ADC map derived from DW MRI
- (d) Kepmap as a result of DCE-MRI

(e) Dose painting IMRT plan, where a sub-region, on CHO PET, DW- and DCE-MRI, suggesting the presence of the main tumor focus (arrow) was prescribed an **escalated dose of 90 Gy instead of 74 Gy**, which was prescribed to the whole PTV. Regions of interest: PTV (orange), rectum (purple).

Örnek: Sinus Kanseri

Doz escalation yapılabilir mi

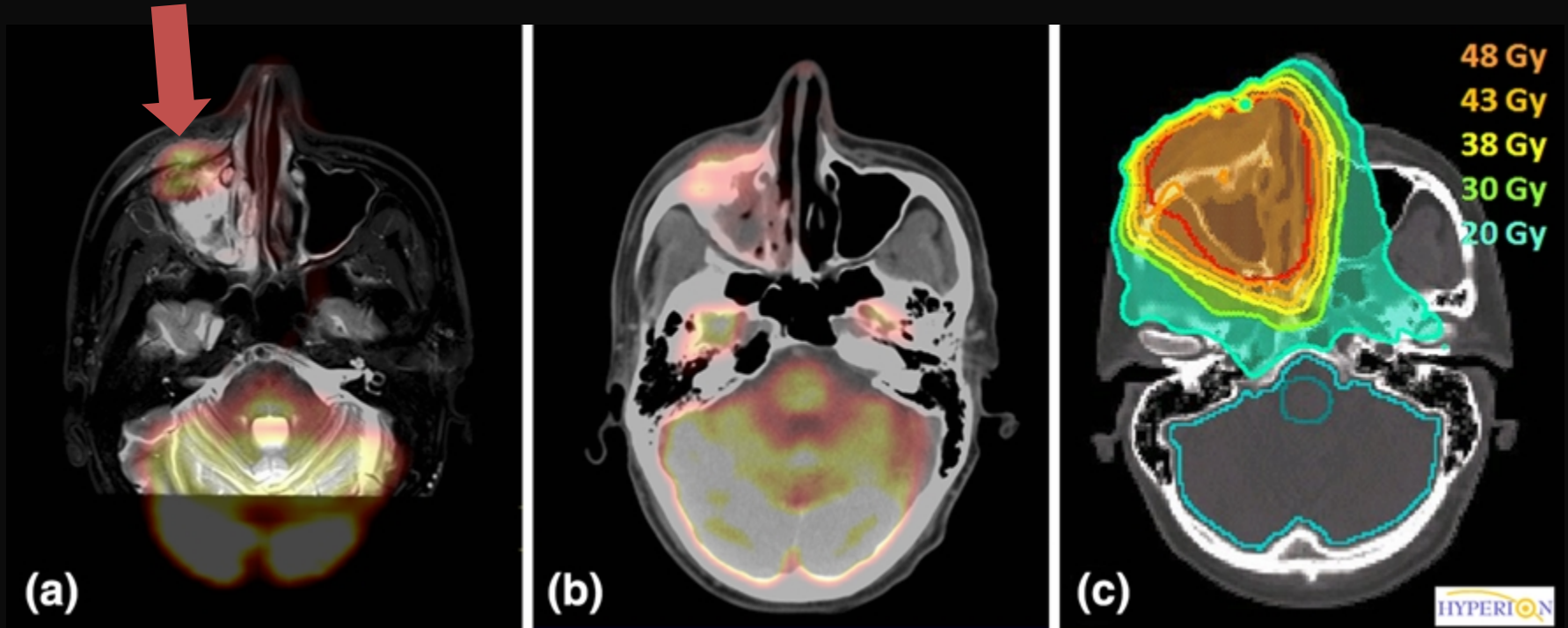


Fig. 2 Simultaneous $[^{18}\text{F}]$ -FDG PET/MRI of a 41-year-old patient with sinus cancer (a) and corresponding PET/CT (b). GTV was contoured on both T2-STIR MRI and FDG PET data. IMRT plan with a total dose of 60 Gy to the PTV is shown in (c). Regions of interest: PTV (red), brain stem (dark green), brain (light blue).

Örnek: Meningioma

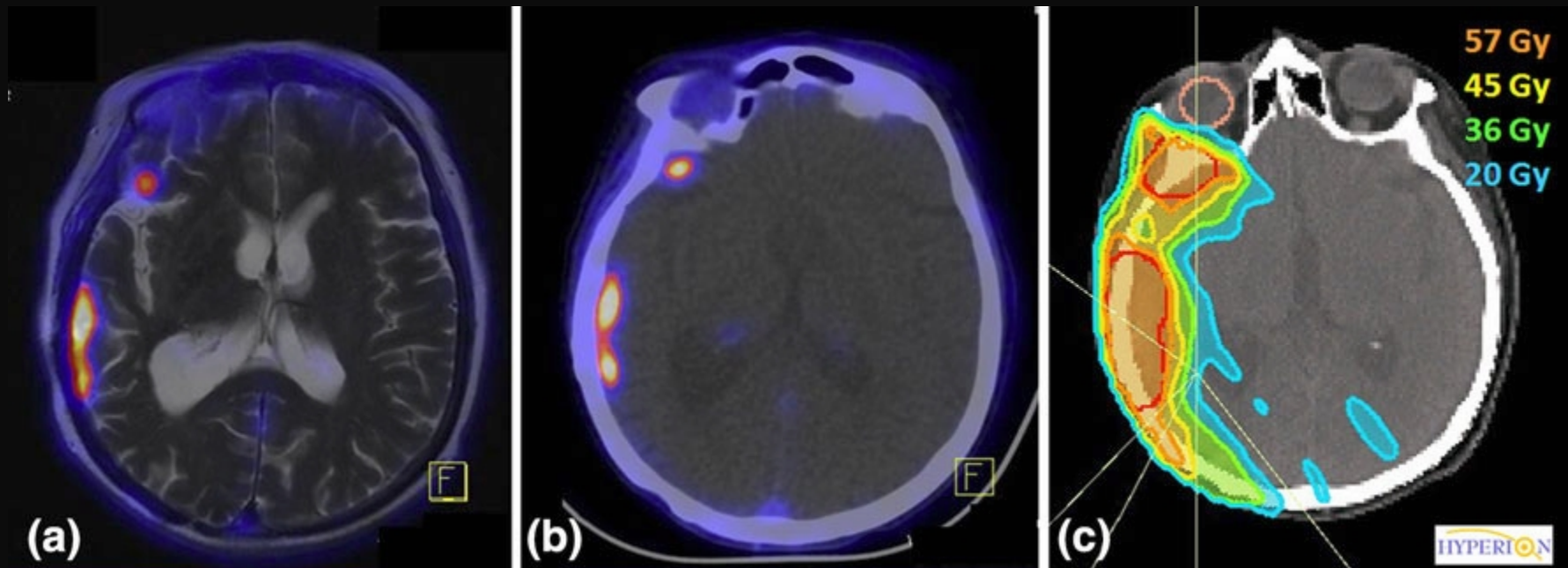
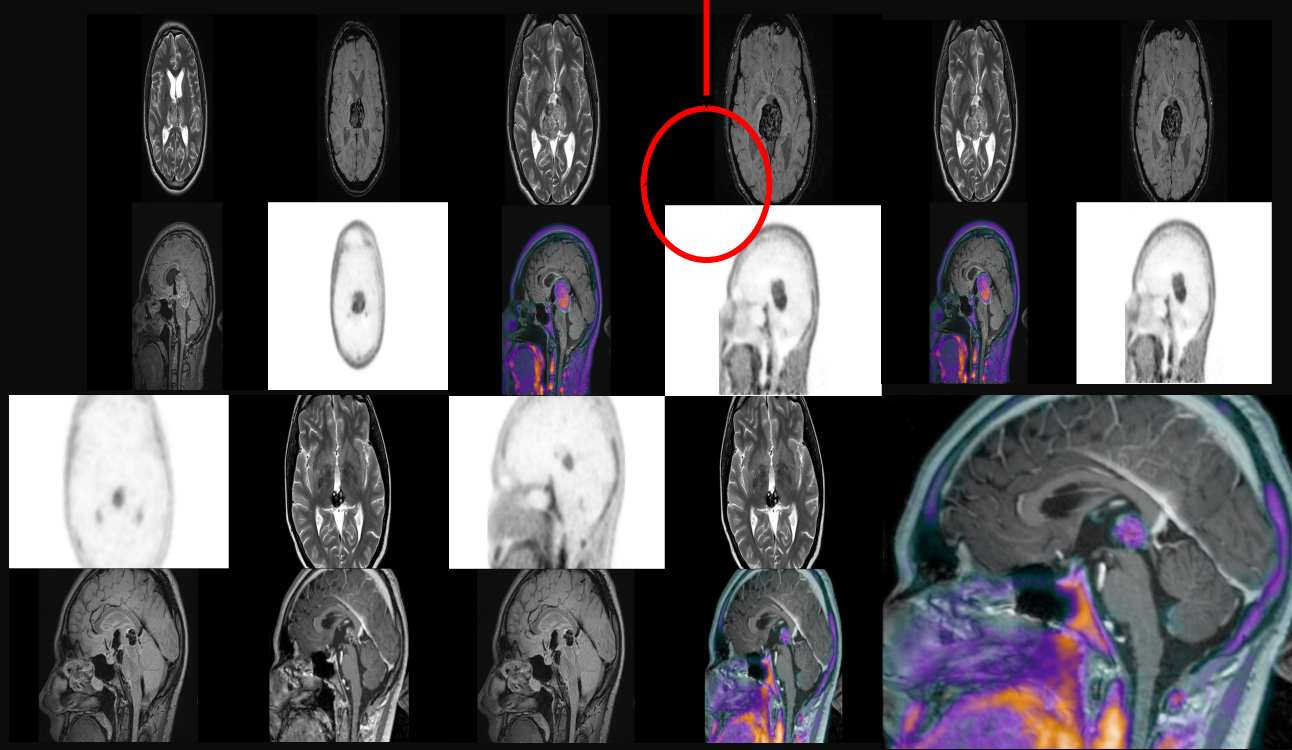


Fig. 1 Combined $[^{68}\text{Ga}]\text{-DOTATOC}$ PET/MRI (a) and corresponding PET/CT (b) of a 67-year-old meningioma patient. c IMRT treatment plan, where T2-MRI information as well as DOTATOC uptake were used to create the gross target volume (GTV). PET/MRI, PET/CT and planning CT were registered using a rigid image fusion algorithm which is based on mutual information. Planning target volume (PTV, red contour) was prescribed 60 Gy.

PET/MR'da Tumor Segmentasyon

Tumor Heterogeneity

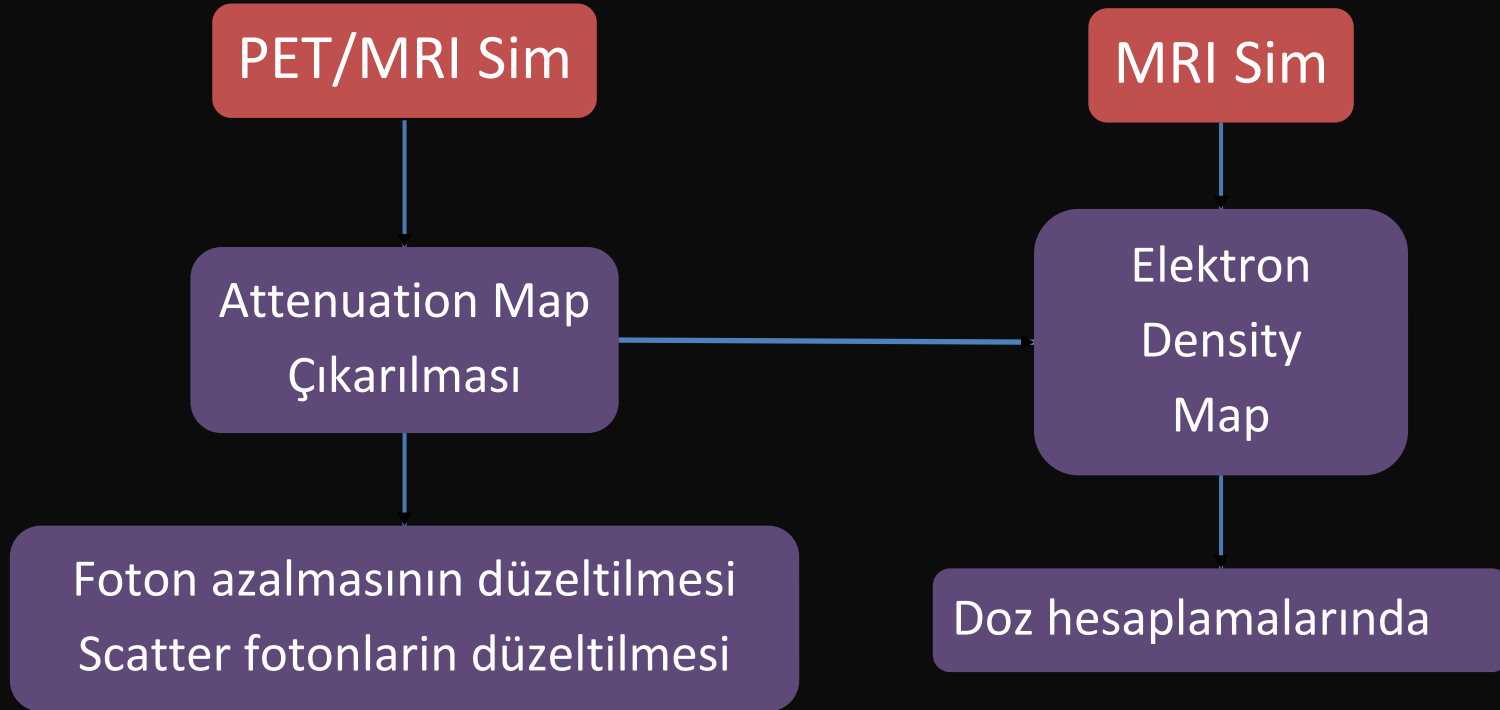


- Yumusak doku kontrastından dolayı her iki modalite de otomatik veya yarı otomatik segmentasyonda kullanılabilir.
- Tumor heterogeneity etkili tedavi için çok önemli. Bu konu, üzerinde yeterince çalışılmış bir konu değil.

CHOLINE PET/MRI 15yr old pineal tumour, Slide courtesy of Dr. Ridwan Syed

PET/MR Sim veya MR Sim ve Donanim

PET/MRI ve MRI Sim Problemleri Ortak



İkisinin ortak amacı CT olmadan terapi planı yapabilmek

PET/MR Sim

- MR in terapide kullanımı çok daha yeni
- PET/MR in dizaynında karşılaşılan güçlükler tamamıyla çözülmüş değildir.
- Bu güçlükler PET/MR Sim'i de etkileyecektir. Bu güçlüklerle ek olarak donanım problemleri de vardır.

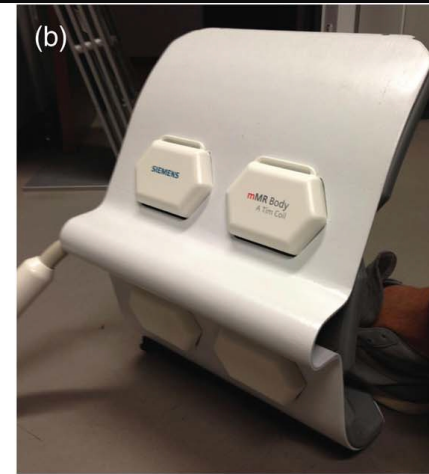
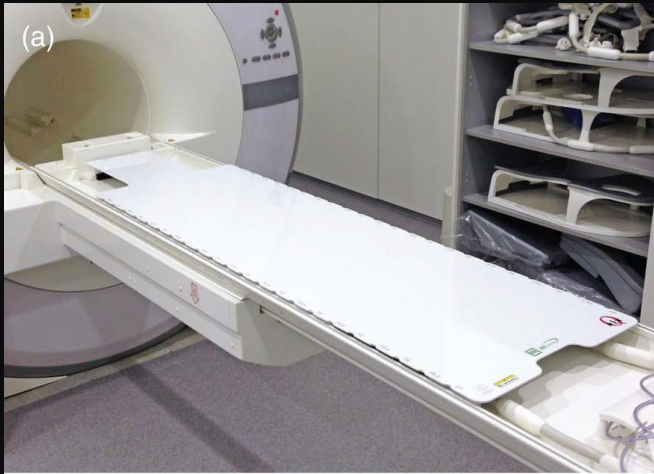
PET/MR'da Terapi için Gereken Donanım Özellikleri

- Düz masaüstü (flat tabletop)
 - Flat tabletopin çok fazla foton azalmasına sebep olması için yeniden dizayn edilmesi gerekir.
 - Carbon fiber dan yapılmış mevcut tabletoplar fazla foton azalımına sebep olmamaktadır fakat iletkenlik özelliğinden dolayı mevcut magnetik alan, tabletop üzerinde indüksiyon akımları olusturacaktır.
 - Tabletop ların foton azaltma haritaları çıkarılmalı ve normal hasta görüntülerinin üzerine yapıştırılmalı.
- PET/MR sistemlerde bore size yeterince büyük değildir.
- Kullanılan rigid RF coil'lerin de attenuation mapleri çıkarılmalı ve görüntü üzerine yapıştırılmalıdır.
- Hybrid sistemlerde iki gantry uc boyutlu uzayda çakıştırılır. Genelde bu çakıştırmanın doğruluk toleransı diagnostic sistemler için 5 mm

PET/MR'da Terapi İçin Gereken Donanım Özellikleri

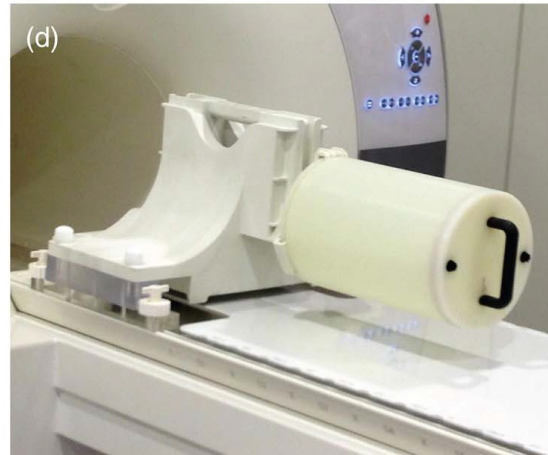
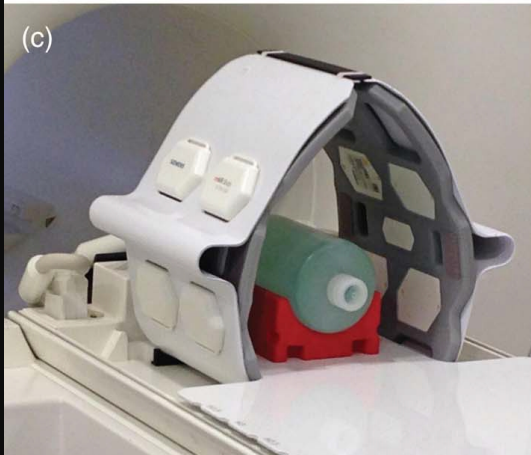
- Hybrid sistemlerde yatak uzun olduğu için yük altında yatak seviyesinde düşme olacaktır. Yine terapi için kullanılacak sistemlerde bu cökmeden dolayı oluşacak registration hataları dikkate alınmalıdır..
- İdealde, terapi görüntülerinde voxel boyutlarının izotropik olması arzu edilir. Bazı klinik PET/MR sistemlerinde voxel boyutları isotropik değildir; görüntü kesit kalınlığı farklı ve sabit olabilir.
- MR hasta hareketlerini belirlemek için etkili bir sistem. Eğer dokuların hareketlerini karakterize edebilirsek bu bilgi PET reconstruction da kullanılabilir.
- Ayrıca PET/MR Sim'de de daha etkili bir terapi için kullanılabilir.

(a) RT table overlay placed on top of the spine array RF coil on the PET/MR hybrid system.



(b) RF coil holder that is designed to fix the flexible 6-channel body matrix RF coil for RT head/neck imaging.

(c) Mounted RT head/neck imaging setup including the RT table overlay, the RT coil holders, and the body matrix RF coils.



(d) Setup used for the PET evaluation of the RT table overlay.

Sonuç

- PET/MRI'in radyoterapi de uygulanması çok yeni
- Önce her sistemde donanım problemleri çözülmeli
- PET ve MR bilgilerini kullanacak yeni segmentasyon algoritmalarına gerek var.
 - Mevcut PET bilgisi kullanan algoritmalar MR bilgisini de kullanarak daha etkili hale getirilebilir.
- PET/MR in terapide daha etkili olabileceğini göstermek için klinik çok sayıda çalışmalara ihtiyaç var.
- Bunun için de medikal fizikçiler, onkolojistler ve nükleer tıp doktorları beraber çalışmalı.



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