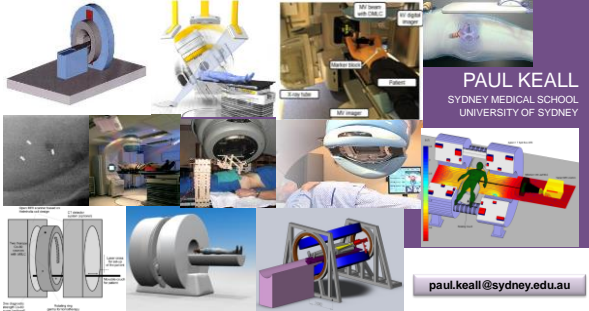


A Review of Present and Near-Future Methods for Real-Time Target Tracking and Adaptation





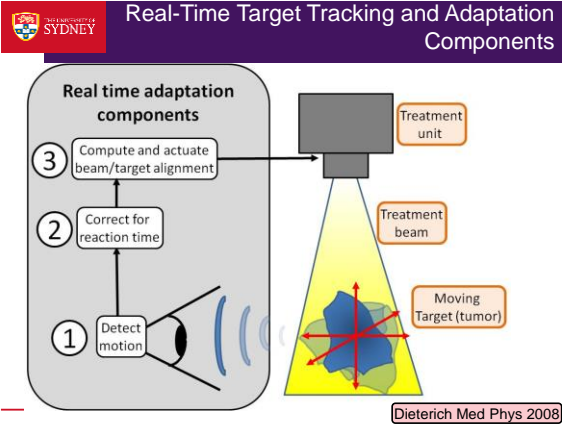
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Introduction





Real-Time Target Tracking Technologies



What is your real-time target tracking feature wish list?





What is your real-time target tracking feature wish list?

- › Volumetric
- › High spatial resolution
- › High temporal resolution
- › High fidelity
- › Can transfer planning contour & dose information to & from
- › Low latency
- › No interference with delivery system
- › Non-invasive
- › No imaging dose
- › Can optimize and compute dose on
- › Reduces treatment time
- › Cheap with low operational costs
- › ...



Real-Time Target Tracking Technologies

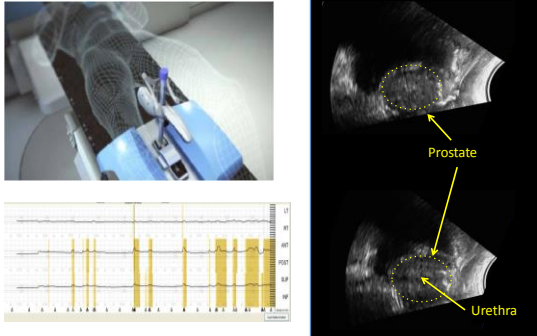
- Present**
 - › X-ray & respiratory (Cyberknife, Vero, Linac)
 - › Electromagnetic (Calypso, RayPilot)
 - › MRI-Guided (ViewRay, ...)
- Near future**
 - › Ultrasound
 - › Markerless X-ray kV, MV, 4D fluoro



Real-time 3D imaging guidance on a linac

Workflow diagram for real-time 3D imaging guidance on a linac. The process starts with Patient Setup, followed by KV Image Acquisition, Marker Segmentation, 3D Position Determination, and 3D to 3D Reconstruction, leading to Adaptive Treatment. A screenshot of the software interface shows a 3D model of the target and organs at risk (OAR) with various parameters: Lx(R): 18.0 x 11.0 cm, Rx(L): 18.0 x 11.0 cm, Dose: 18.0 Gy, Lx(R): 18.0 x 11.0 cm, Rx(L): 18.0 x 11.0 cm, Dose: 18.0 Gy. The interface also shows a 3D model of the target and OAR with a green circle indicating the target. Below the diagram, text boxes indicate 'Treatment 1: 26 Sept 2014' and 'SBRT Tx 1: 5 June 2015'.

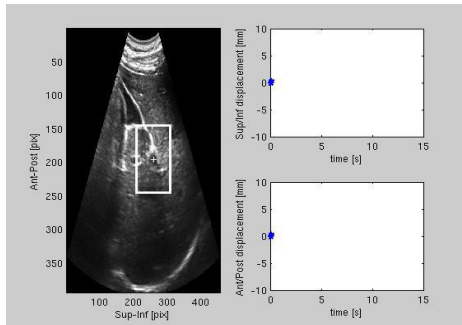
Real-time Ultrasound Guidance:
Prostate tracking using Elekta Clarity



Elekta Clarity Autoscans™: Gating response interface received FDA Clearance Nov 2014


Courtesy Emma Harris & Tuathan O'Shea

Real-time Ultrasound Liver Guidance

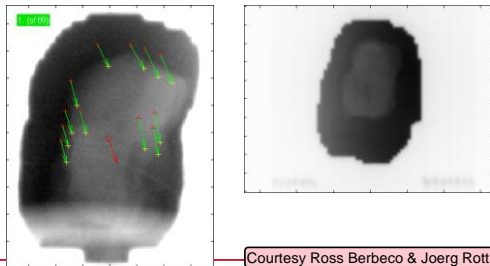


Potential for robust tracking of liver tissue during therapy – O'Shea et al. MO-DE-210-5

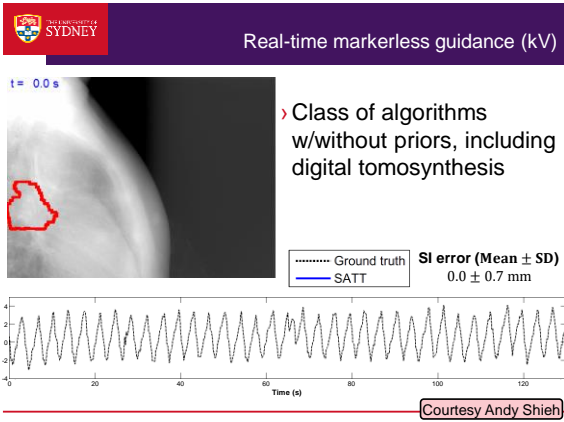
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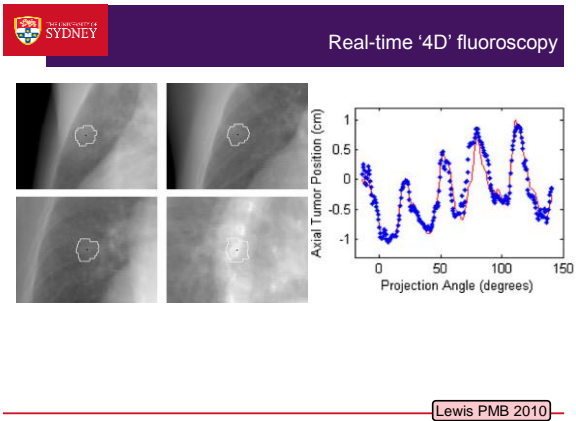
 Real-time markerless guidance (MV)

- › Less contrast, challenges with beam modulation
- › Cheapest, in BEV



Courtesy Ross Berbeco & Joerg Rottmann





Real-Time Adaptation Technologies





What is your real-time adaptation wish list?



What is your real-time adaptation wish list?

- › Integrates all sources of imaging information
- › Integrates all sources of uncertainty
- › Optimizes in real-time using all available degrees of freedom
- › Modifies delivery appropriately
- › Responds instantaneously



Real-time Adaptation Systems

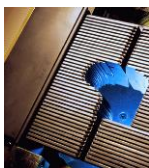
Robotic linac head
CyberKnife
Synchrony, Accuray
Clinical 2004



Gimbale linac
Vero/Mitsubishi
Clinical 2011



MLC adaptation
Clinical 2013
Smallest
Lightest
6 DoF
Deformation



Robotic couch
Clinical ?



Clinical MLC tracking

Treatment 1: 28 Nov 2013 SBRT Tx 1: 21 Feb 2015

Dose With and Without MLC Tracking

Red = PTV

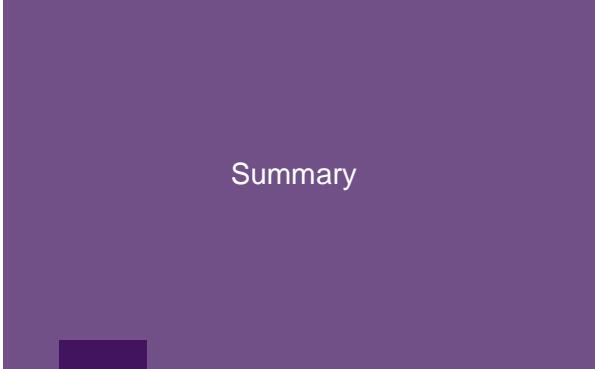
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Real-time adaption vs nothing (current standard of care)

Lung SBRT γ failure rates combined motion results

Technique	Real-time Adaption (%)	No Motion Correction (%)	p-value
CyberKnife	~1	~10	p<0.01
Vero	~1	~8	p=0.04
MLC tracking	~1	~3	p=0.02
Couch tracking	~1	~15	p=0.2

Courtesy Emma Colvill



Summary



Seven horizontal lines for taking notes.



Summary

- › Many real-time target tracking and adaptation technologies are available
- › Several barriers to widespread uptake
- › Tipping point will be availability on standard linacs → clinical routine

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Seven horizontal lines for taking notes.