Caas IV-LINQ

Real time co-registration between angiography and IVUS/OCT

Why co-registration?

Co-registration integrates angiography and IVUS/OCT to provide the most detailed view of the lesion related to its exact location in the coronary tree. Co-registration facilitates optimal assessment of the landing zone of the stent.

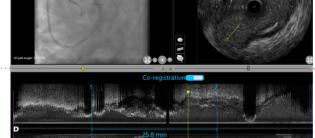


Vendor independent: runs with most X-ray, IVUS and OCT systems



Only two angiograms needed:

- one with contrast
- one without contrast



Using real time streaming, co-registration is ready to be used as soon as the pullback is finished!

Key results

- Stent landing zone planned on IVUS/OCT pullback visualized on angiogram.
- Add bookmarks to indicate important vessel sections.
- Diameter and area measurements in cross-sectional view of IVUS and OCT.





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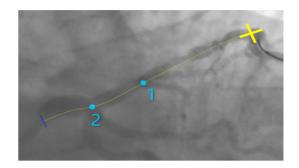
Added value of co-registration between angiography and IVUS/OCT

- 1. Providing exact anatomical registration between angiography and IVUS
- 2. Co-registration enables non-contrast PC procedures
- 3. Precisely identifies locations especially in tortuous vessels
- 4. Allows visualization of anatomical location and composition of CTO registered to angiogram
- 5. Facilitates side by side placement of stents



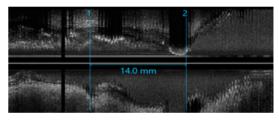
Co-registration (where the IVUS catheter can cross the occlusion) allows anatomical information of occluded segment on the angiogram.











Added value #1

Angiogram shows two bifurcations at bookmark 1, IVUS shows this as a trifurcation.

Co-registration appears accurate, robust and induced a minimal delay on the normal cathlab activities.

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