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- 9033 29 **High-performance soft-tissue imaging in extremity cone-beam CT** [9033-79]
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- 9033 2A **Analyzing the performance of ultrasonic B-mode imaging for breast lesion diagnosis** [9033-80]
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- 9033 2B **Investigation of the potential causes of partial scan artifacts in dynamic CT myocardial perfusion imaging** [9033-81]
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- 9033 2C **Quantification of microarchitectural anisotropy in bone with diffraction enhanced imaging** [9033-82]
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- 9033 2F **A novel Region of Interest (ROI) imaging technique for biplane imaging in interventional suites: high-resolution small field-of-view imaging in the frontal plane and dose-reduced, large field-of-view standard-resolution imaging in the lateral plane** [9033-85]
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- 9033 2G **Quantitative analysis of artifacts in 4D DSA: The relative contributions of beam hardening and scatter to vessel dropout behind highly attenuating structures** [9033-86]
J. Hermus, T. P. Szczykutowicz, C. M. Strother, C. Mistretta, Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison (United States)
- 9033 2H **Calibration-free coronary artery measurements for interventional device sizing using inverse geometry x-ray fluoroscopy: *in vivo* validation** [9033-87]
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- 9033 2I **Necessary forward model specification accuracy for basis material decomposition in spectral CT** [9033-88]
H. Bornefalk, M. Persson, M. Danielsson, KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)
- 9033 2J **A study of the x-ray image quality improvement in the examination of the respiratory system based on the new image processing technique** [9033-90]
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- 9033 2K **Relaxation times estimation in MRI** [9033-91]
F. Baselice, Univ. degli Studi di Napoli Parthenope (Italy); R. Caivano, A. Cammarota, IRCCS CROB (Italy); G. Ferraioli, V. Pascazio, Univ. degli Studi di Napoli Parthenope (Italy)

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S. D. Mann, Duke Univ. Medical Ctr. (United States); R. L. McKinley, ZumaTek, Inc. (United States); M. P. Tornai, Duke Univ. (United States) and Duke Univ. Medical Ctr. (United States)
- 9033 2M **C-arm perfusion imaging with a fast penalized maximum-likelihood approach** [9033-93]
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S. Serowy, Univ. Medical Ctr. Magdeburg (Germany); S. Gugel, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg (Germany); M. Skalej, Univ. Medical Ctr. Magdeburg (Germany); G. Rose, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg (Germany)
- 9033 2N **Simultaneous motion estimation and image reconstruction (SMEIR) for 4D cone-beam CT** [9033-94]
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- 9033 2O **Three-dimensional image guided extrapolation for cone-beam CT image reconstruction** [9033-95]
B. Nett, GE Healthcare (United States)
- 9033 2P **Anti-scatter grid evaluation for wide-cone CT** [9033-96]
R. Melnyk, J. Boudry, GE Healthcare (United States); X. Liu, Missouri Univ. of Science and Technology (United States); M. Adamak, GE Healthcare (United States)
- 9033 2Q **Variance-based iterative image reconstruction from few views in limited-angle C-arm computed tomography** [9033-97]
W. El Hakimi, G. Sakas, Technische Univ. Darmstadt (Germany)
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- 9033 2S **A sinogram based technique for image correction and removal of metal clip artifacts in cone beam breast CT** [9033-99]
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- 9033 2T **Preliminary study of region-of-interest image reconstruction with intensity weighting in cone-beam CT using iterative algorithm** [9033-100]
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- 9033 2V **Reduction of metal artifacts: beam hardening and photon starvation effects** [9033-102]
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- 9033 2W **Acquiring tomographic images from panoramic x-ray scanners** [9033-103]
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- 9033 2Y **Effective noise reduction and equalization in projection domain** [9033-105]
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- 9033 2Z **X-ray pulsing methods for reduced-dose computed tomography in PET/CT attenuation correction** [9033-106]
U. Wiedmann, V. B. Necoale, D. Harrison, E. Asma, GE Global Research Ctr. (United States); P. E. Kinahan, Univ. of Washington (United States); B. De Man, GE Global Research Ctr. (United States)
- 9033 30 **Dose, noise and view weights in CT helical scans** [9033-107]
G. Cao, E. Chino, R. Nilsen, J. Hsieh, GE Healthcare (United States)
- 9033 31 **Volume estimation of multi-density nodules with thoracic CT** [9033-108]
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- 9033 34 **A multi-resolution approach to retrospectively gated cardiac micro-CT reconstruction** [9033-111]
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J. W. Stayman, W. Zbijewski, S. Tilley II, J. Siewerdsen, Johns Hopkins Univ. (United States)

- 9033 36 **LBP-based penalized weighted least-squares approach to low-dose cone-beam computed tomography reconstruction** [9033-113]
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- 9033 37 **Nonlocal means-based regularizations for statistical CT reconstruction** [9033-114]
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- 9033 38 **Low-dose CT reconstruction with patch based sparsity and similarity constraints** [9033-115]
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H. Der Sarkissian, LUNAM Univ., Univ. de Nantes, IRCCyN, CNRS (France) and KEOSYS (France); B. Recur, Australian National Univ. (Australia); J. Guédon, LUNAM Univ., Univ. de Nantes, IRCCyN, CNRS (France); P. Bléry, LUNAM Univ., Univ. de Nantes, IRCCyN, CNRS (France) and LIOAD INSERM (France); P. Pilet, LUNAM Univ., Univ. de Nantes, LIOAD INSERM (France); Y. Amouriq, LUNAM Univ., Univ. de Nantes, IRCCyN, CNRS (France) and LIOAD INSERM (France)
- 9033 3B **Two-step iterative reconstruction of region-of-interest with truncated projection in computed tomography** [9033-118]
K. Yamakawa, S. Kojima, Hitachi, Ltd. (Japan)
- 9033 3C **Multigrid iterative method with adaptive spatial support for computed tomography reconstruction from few-view data** [9033-119]
P.-C. Lee, Industrial Technology Research Institute (Taiwan)
- 9033 3D **Iterative raw measurements restoration method with penalized weighted least squares approach for low-dose CT** [9033-120]
H. Takahashi, T. Goto, K. Hirokawa, O. Miyazaki, Hitachi Medical Corp. (Japan)

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- 9033 3F **Fast model-based restoration of noisy and undersampled spectral CT data** [9033-122]
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- 9033 3G **Experimental study of two material decomposition methods using multi-bin photon counting detectors** [9033-123]
K. C. Zimmerman, Marquette Univ. (United States); E. Y. Sidky, Univ. of Chicago (United States); T. Gilat Schmidt, Marquette Univ. (United States)
- 9033 3H **Prostate tissue decomposition via DECT using the model based iterative image reconstruction algorithm DIRA** [9033-124]
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- 9033 3I **Investigation of the polynomial approach for material decomposition in spectral x-ray tomography using an energy-resolved detector** [9033-125]
A. Potop, CEA-LETI (France) and CREATIS, CNRS, Univ. de Lyon (France); V. Rebuffel, J. Rinkel, A. Brambilla, CEA-LETI (France); F. Peyrin, CREATIS, CNRS, Univ. de Lyon (France); L. Verger, CEA-LETI (France)
- 9033 3J **Enabling photon counting detectors with dynamic attenuators** [9033-126]
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- 9033 3K **Noise balance in pre-reconstruction decomposition in spectral CT** [9033-127]
X. Wang, Y. Zou, Toshiba Medical Research Institute (United States)
- 9033 3L **Energy-resolved CT imaging with a photon-counting silicon-strip detector** [9033-128]
M. Persson, B. Huber, S. Karlsson, X. Liu, H. Chen, C. Xu, M. Yveborg, H. Bornefalk, M. Danielsson, KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)

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- 9033 3N **X-ray light valve (XLV): a novel detectors' technology for digital mammography** [9033-130]
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- 9033 3P **Experimental and theoretical performance analysis for a CMOS-based high resolution image detector** [9033-132]
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J. Lindström, Karolinska Univ. Hospital (Sweden) and Linköping Univ. (Sweden); M. Hulthén, Karolinska Univ. Hospital (Sweden); G. Alm Carlsson, M. Sandborg, Linköping Univ. (Sweden)
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- 9033 3T **Imaging performance of a thin $\text{Lu}_2\text{O}_3\text{:Eu}$ nanophosphor scintillating screen coupled to a high resolution CMOS sensor under x-ray radiographic conditions: comparison with $\text{Gd}_2\text{O}_2\text{S:Eu}$ conventional phosphor screen** [9033-136]
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- 9033 3V **MTF characterization in 2D and 3D for a high resolution large field of view flat panel imager for cone beam CT** [9033-138]
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- 9033 3Z **Comparison of different approaches of estimating effective dose from reported exposure data in 3D imaging with interventional fluoroscopy systems** [9033-143]
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- 9033 42 **CT-guided brachytherapy of prostate cancer: reduction of effective dose from x-ray examination** [9033-146]
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- 9033 44 **A simple scatter correction method for dual energy contrast-enhanced digital breast tomosynthesis** [9033-148]
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- 9033 48 **Improving the spatial resolution characteristics of dedicated cone-beam breast CT technology** [9033-152]
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- 9033 4B **Projection-based energy weighting on photon-counting x-ray images in digital subtraction mammography: a feasibility study** [9033-156]
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- 9033 4D **Development of an MRI fiducial marker prototype for automated MR-US fusion of abdominal images** [9033-158]
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- 9033 4J **Optimization using detective quantum efficiency (DQE) of the high-resolution parallel-hole collimators with CdTe pixelated semiconductor SPECT system** [9033-166]
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- 9033 4K **A novel intra-operative positron imager for rapid localization of tumor margins** [9033-167]
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