Angio-derived FFR for PCI





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Angiography-derived FFR

Current commercially available functional indices based on invasive coronary angiography.



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Penetration of FFRangio in Japan : 65 institutions (as of April 2023)



- PMDA approved the use of FFRangio as the substitute of wire based FFR in 2019.
- Insurance coverage started from December 2020 with the payment of 72,000 Yen (720,000 KRW, 530 USD)/case.



FFRangio provides functional angiography mapping of the coronary tree with superimposed colour-coded FFR values





3D Model Reconstruction



Hemodynamic Evaluation



- Optimal Projections
- Optimal Frame
- Motion Compensation

Reconstructing centerlines, cross-sections and tree topology in 3D



- Bifurcation Analysis
- 2D&3D-QCA Analysis
- Estimating
 Diameters



- Resistance Mapping
- Maximum Blood Flow
- Flow-rate Ratio / FFR

All stenoses are converted into resistances in a lumped model, utilizing Poiseulle's law. the algorithm is doing blood flow calculations based on the lumped model and showing 3D simulation of the coronary tree and FFR values of the vessel of interest.

FFRangio results



Diagnostic performance of FFRangio



All lesions

Sensitivity	91.2
Specificity	93.5
Positive predictive value	91.2
Negative predictive value	93.5
Overall accuracy	92.6

From 5 cohort studies, A total of 700 lesions from 588 patients were analyzed.



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Clinical outcome of FFRangio-guided treatment



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FFRangio-guided PCI – case1, tandem lesions –

69 years old male with DM, and dyslipidemia. Effort angina CCS class2



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FFRangio-guided PCI – case 1, tandem lesions –





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FFRangio-guided PCI – case 1, tandem lesions –









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FFRangio-guided PCI – case 2, NCL in ACS –



FFRangio-guided PCI – case 2, NCL in ACS –



Limitation of Angio-derived FFR

- Technical issues : multiple operator dependent process including indication of landmark, manual correction of vessel contours
- Lack of standardization of contrast injection
- > A few outcome studies
- Severity of microvascular dysfunction may influence the diagnostic accuracy of angio-derived FFR (QFR)

Limitation of Angio-derived FFR (Anatomical subset)

- Aorto-ostial lesions
- > LMTD
- Bifurcation
- > CTO
- Collateral donor artery
- Diffuse disease
- Small vessel
- Vessel overlap
- Severe Microvascular dysfunction
- Heart failure
 Recent MI
 CKD
 Tachycardia
 Intracardiac device
 Post CABG
 Post valve replacement



Decision-making algorithm for the usage of FCA in pre- and post-PCI settings.



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Conclusion

- Major technical developments in the field of invasive angiography have made it possible to obtain functional information from angiogram.
- Angio-based FFR now allow a wireless-based evaluation, with preliminary studies demonstrating good correlation with invasive FFR and overall good reproducibility and feasibility.
- Decision making during PCI based on anatomical and functional angiography is feasible and can be incorporated with routine clinical practice. .