

**Colloquium of Oral Rehabilitation (CORE) August, 2016**



PEKING UNIVERSITY  
SCHOOL OF STOMATOLOGY

**Digital prosthodontics – limitations  
and future of current concepts**



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WEST: Kvaløya island      EAST: Mainland



Tromsø island      Tromsø island

Faculty of health sciences      Mainland

Mainland      Tromsø island



UoT68.7°N Tromsø, Norway      Mainland      Kvaløya island

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**Digital technology innovations and impact  
on own academic career**

Dentistry student U. of Oslo      Military dentist North Norway

1974-1979      1979-1982

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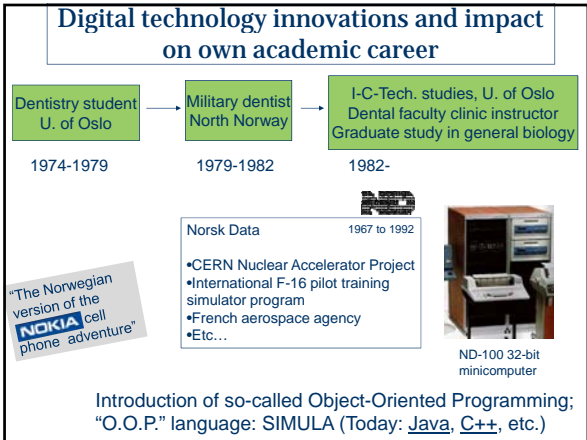
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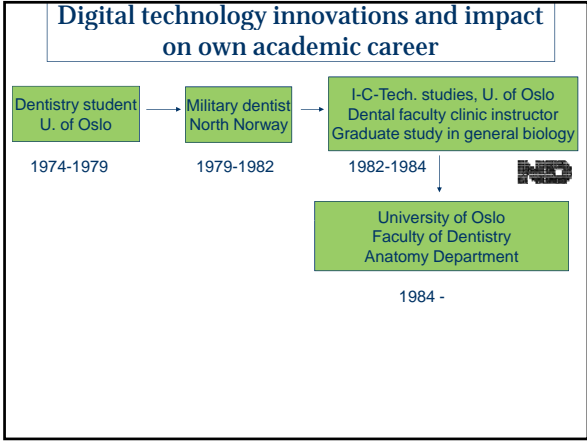
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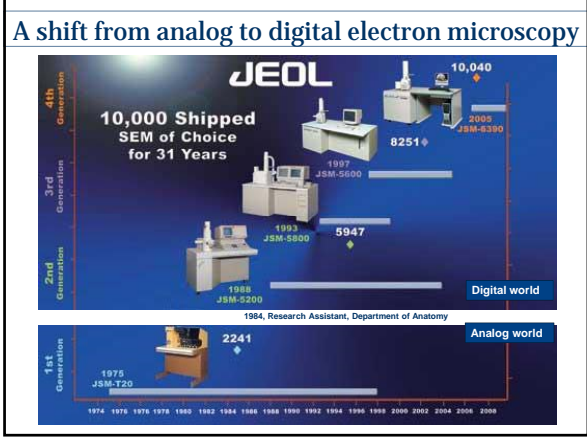
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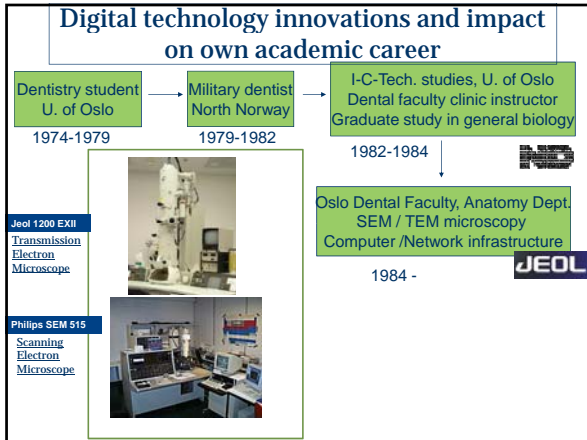
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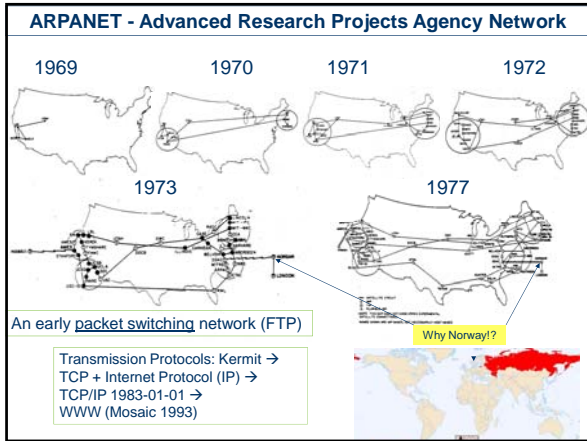
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## NIOM Clinical studies program

Norwegian Institute of Dental Materials

Professor Ivar A Mjor  
Prof. emer. Dept. anatomy  
First NIOM director




DEC Vax

October 1985:  
**Major computer crash!**

- **All datafiles were corrupted and required reconstruction!!**
- **All clinical data accumulated over the last 10 years in complete disarray!!!**

A computer geek with a dentistry background was desperately needed!!!






Photo: Wanschitz ea COIR 2002

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### Digital technology innovations and impact on own academic career

1974-1979 Dentistry student U. of Oslo

1979-1982 Military dentist North Norway

1982-1984 I-C-Tech. studies, U. of Oslo  
Dental faculty clinic instructor  
Graduate study in general biology

Oslo Dental Faculty, Anatomy Dept.  
SEM / TEM  
Computer /Network infrastructure &  
Nordic Institute of Dental Materials  
Clinical trials  
Restorative materials  
Toxicology

1984- & 1985-

Then: 8" → 5.25" → 3.5" floppy disks (Kbs)  
Now: USB sticks (Gbs) / external disk (Tbs)

NIOM  
Nordic Institute of Dental Materials  
Clinical studies program

Professor Ivar A Mjør

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### NIOM Clinical studies program

Question: How will a restoration perform as an effect of the qualities of the cavity prepared by the dentist?

Cavity designs for class II amalgam restorations  
A literature review and a suggested system for evaluation

Asbjørn Iohann and Ivar A. Mjør  
Department of Anatomy, School of Dentistry, University of Oslo, and  
NIOM, Scandinavian Institute of Dental Materials, Oslo, Norway

Abstract: A. Mjør (A). Cavity designs for class II amalgam restorations. A literature review and a suggested system for evaluation. Acta Odontol Scand 1987;45:257-275. Oslo, ISSN 0001-6342

A classification system for variations in cavity design and depth has been developed for application on models of teeth with class II cavities for amalgam restorations. The system was based on a review of the literature on preparation for amalgam restorations. An evaluation of 62 teeth in which neither class II cavity preparations had been made. Proximal fill was on the approach of being of sufficient thickness for the classification system was used with good consistency for restoration of restorations in cavity preparation. Longitudinal clinical studies on the performance of restorations will be done for the validity of the classification system and for the correlation between preparation and performance. Longitudinal clinical studies on the performance of restorations will be done for the validity of the classification system. © Conservative dentistry. Failure of amalgam? Adequacy of restorative operator demands.

Asbjørn Iohann, Department of Anatomy, Dental Faculty, P.O. Box 1053 Blindern, University of Oslo, N-0318 Oslo, Norway

Pictures from a Philips SEM 515 Scanning e. microscope  
Stereo-photogrammetry?  
Computer stereo vision?

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### Restoration performance over 10 years

Department of Anatomy, Dental Faculty, University of Oslo and NIOM, Scandinavian Institute of Dental Materials

Class 2 Cavity Preparations and Restoration Performance

Asbjørn Jokstad

Thesis

Submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Doctor Odontologie at the University of Oslo, 1992

Table with columns: Tooth, Material, Preparation, Restoration, and various performance metrics. Includes images of teeth with different restoration outcomes like 'Tooth fractured', 'Secondary caries', and 'Bulk fractured'.

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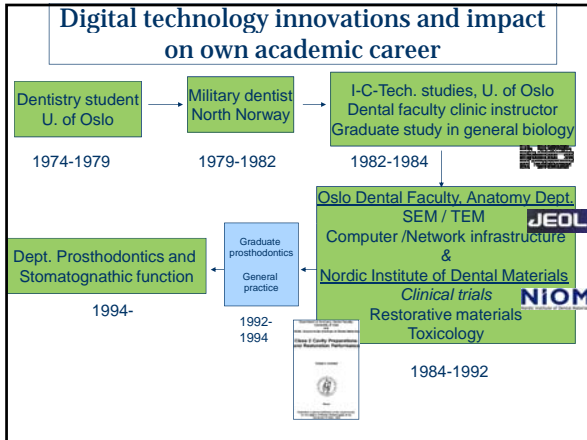
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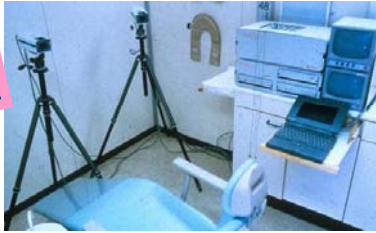
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University of Oslo, Department of Prosthodontics and Stomatognathic function

### Digital Motion Capture System + Electromyography (EMG)

Purchase 1994: \$\$\$!



The user complexity was too high!  
A computer geek with a dentistry background was required!!!

Photo: Wanschitz ea COIR 2002

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### Digital Motion Capture System + Electromyography (EMG)

2xIR cameras - 40Hz

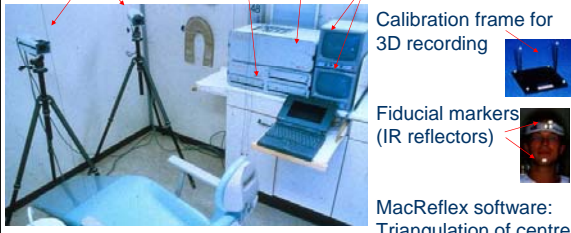
Graphic controller  
EMG

Analogue x-y & y-z  
video screens

Calibration frame for  
3D recording

Fiducial markers  
(IR reflectors)

MacReflex software:  
Triangulation of centre  
points (40 Hz)  
MacIntosh computer



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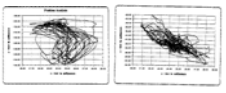
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## Digital Motion Capture System - chewing

### Chewing Movements in TMD Patients and a Control Group Before and After Use of a Stabilization Splint

*Una Soboleva, DDS, MSc<sup>a</sup>  
Asbjørn Jøkstad, LDS, Dr Odont<sup>b</sup>  
Thomas Ekersberg, LDS, MSc<sup>c</sup>  
Bjørn I. Dahl, LDS, Dr Odont<sup>c</sup>*

**Purpose:** This study assessed the effect of using an occlusal stabilization splint in the maxilla for 6 weeks on certain parameters of chewing movements in subjects with and without temporomandibular disorder symptoms. **Materials and Methods:** Twelve male and 30 female temporomandibular disorder patients with and without a prior whiplash incidence, and individuals without signs and symptoms of temporomandibular disorders participated. The participants formed three groups matched according to gender and age ( $n = 3 \times 10$ ). An occlusal stabilization splint was used during sleep for 6 weeks. An optoelectronic system (Mac Reflex, Qualisys) was used to record chewing movements at baseline, before using the splint, and after 6 weeks' use of the splint. Calculated parameters were the duration of the chewing cycles, the spatial displacement, and the mean velocity of the mandible while chewing paraffin wax for 20 seconds. **Results:** On a group basis, the use of an occlusal stabilization splint for 6 weeks did not change the jaw movement parameters in a predictable pattern as recorded under the conditions of this study. On an intraindividual basis, large variations in changes of chewing parameters over time were observed. **Conclusion:** The use of an occlusal stabilization splint for 6 weeks did not alter the jaw movements when chewing a substance with a soft consistency. *Int J Prosthodont 1998;11:155-164.*

**ideal versus real:**

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## Computer performance in 1996

The clock rate is the frequency of the clock in any synchronous circuit, such as a central processing unit (CPU)

Clock speed (MHz)

<1	1971	Intel4004/ Texas Instrument TMS100
1	1974	Motorola/Intel8008/ZilogZ80 8bit Cp/M (Commodore 64, Apple II)
4.77	1976/8	Intel 8086 16bit; (Compaq, IBM PC); Intel 8088 (IBM (1981))
8	1978	Motorola 68000 (Macintosh 128k, Amiga 1000)
6 – 25	1982-85	Intel 80286 DOS(1981); (IBM-AT (1984))
12 – 40	1985-90	Intel 80386 32bit; Motorola 68040 (Macintosh, Amiga, NeXT)
20 – 100	1989-94	Intel i486; Cyrix
	1993-95	Intel Pentium, Pentium MMX → Pentium Pro
110	1994	IBM PowerPC 601 (Power Macintosh 8100)



From ← minicomputers to → PC

From: <http://www.old-computers.com/museum>

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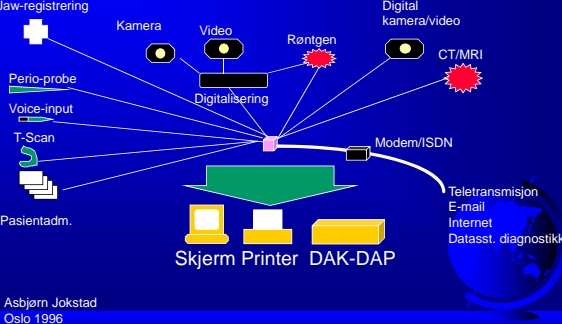
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## Mikroprosessoren i tannklinikken



Asbjørn Jøkstad  
Oslo 1996

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## Computer performance in 1996 and Digital technology innovations in dentistry

Clock speed (MHz)  
 <1 1971 Intel4004/ Texas Instrument TMS100  
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 110 1994 IBM PowerPC 601 (Power Macintosh 8100)




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## Digital technology innovations~1996

**Virtual smile**

**Digitized intraoral camera**

**Chairside patient education / communication**

**Digital radiography**

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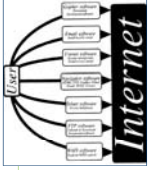
## Digital technology innovations~1996

### Use of the Internet for educational applications in prosthodontics

Maude C. van Patten, Jr, DDS, MEd  
 The Ohio State University, College of Dentistry, Columbus, Ohio

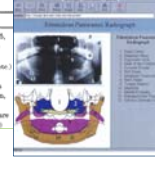
Internet is the common term for the information superhighway. The Internet has become a major information resource for educational, governmental, and business institutions. This article reviews the current operations of the Internet as a background for discussing educational opportunities for instruction in prosthodontics. Electronic mail, news groups, file transfer protocol, Gopher, and network navigators are discussed. The use of the World Wide Web for educational purposes by The Ohio State University College of Dentistry Department of Restorative and Prosthodontic Dentistry is described. J Prosthet Dent 1996;75:295-8.

Health education institutions are undergoing significant changes in the delivery of information. One of the most notable technology changes is the evolution of computerized network systems that allow storage and dissemination of information in a variety of multimedia formats. The Internet is undoubtedly the most significant of these systems. This powerful, universal network will have a significant impact on how health educators present and present information in the coming decades.<sup>1,2</sup> As of August 1995, the Internet has provided worldwide access to information for more than 30 million users.<sup>3</sup> This complex of networks forms the initial pathway for the global information revolution that currently provides a link for



**Table 1.** Computer equipment and software requirements for Internet access

Hardware	Software
Computer (486, Pentium, Mac II, PowerPC)	Windows, Windows 95, UNIX, MacOS 7.0+
RAM 8 megabytes or greater	Netscape software
Internet access device (Ethernet card or modem 14.4 kbps or greater)	Mosaic, Netscape etc
Storage device (hard drive)	TCP/IP connection software (DataCruz, Eye Corp., Herndon, Va.)
	HTTP gateway software (MailHot, Webstar)



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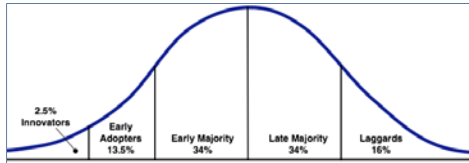
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## The diffusion of innovations\*

- People have different levels of readiness for adopting new innovations
- The characteristics of a product affect overall adoption.
- Individuals can be classified into five groups



\*according to Everett Rogers (1962)

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## Are the early adopters like the first mouse that try to eat the cheese in the trap? -1

2008/2009:  
Developing a protocol  
for digital impression  
of implants

1<sup>st</sup> generation two-piece impression copings (PEEK) for digital impressions of Straumann Implants

iTero impression  
RETURNED: Polyurethane model  
- with no implant analogues!

Lab.photos: S Bilko LHM

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## Are the early adopters like the first mouse that try to eat the cheese in the trap? -2

CLINICAL ORAL IMPLANTS RESEARCH

Accuracy of a novel prototype dynamic computer-assisted surgery system

In-vitro accuracy v2 clinical outcomes

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### Are the early adopters like the first mouse that try to eat the cheese in the trap? -2

CLINICAL ORAL IMPLANTS RESEARCH

**Accuracy of a novel prototype dynamic computer-assisted surgery system**

Ester Samargis-Gomez  
Howard F. Robinson  
Anthony Johnson

**Abstract:** The study describes computer-aided, computer-guided dental implant navigation, using a novel prototype dynamic computer-assisted surgery system for implant placement procedures and compares its accuracy to those of a conventional static computer-assisted surgery system. The study was conducted in a laboratory setting using a prototype dynamic and static CAD systems. The dynamic system was used to place a dental implant, and the static CAD system was used to place a dental implant. The accuracy of the dynamic system was compared to the accuracy of the static CAD system. The results showed that the dynamic system had a higher accuracy than the static CAD system. The study concluded that the dynamic system is a more accurate and efficient method for implant placement. The study also showed that the dynamic system is more user-friendly and easier to use than the static CAD system. The study was conducted in a laboratory setting and the results may not be representative of clinical outcomes. Further research is needed to evaluate the accuracy and effectiveness of the dynamic system in a clinical setting.

Another early attempt to develop a dynamic implant surgery concept -VISIT

In-vitro accuracy vz clinical outcomes

Photo: Wanschitz ea COIR 2002

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### Are the early adopters like the first mouse that try to eat the cheese in the trap? -3

CLINICAL ORAL IMPLANTS RESEARCH

**New 3D technologies applied to assess the long-term clinical effects of misfit of the full jaw fixed prosthesis on dental implants**

Anthony Johnson  
Robert Johnson

**Abstract:** The purpose of this study was to assess the long-term clinical effects of misfit of the full jaw fixed prosthesis on dental implants. The study was conducted using new 3D technologies to assess the long-term clinical effects of misfit of the full jaw fixed prosthesis on dental implants. The results showed that the use of new 3D technologies allowed for a more accurate assessment of the long-term clinical effects of misfit of the full jaw fixed prosthesis on dental implants. The study also showed that the use of new 3D technologies allowed for a more accurate assessment of the long-term clinical effects of misfit of the full jaw fixed prosthesis on dental implants. The study was conducted in a laboratory setting and the results may not be representative of clinical outcomes. Further research is needed to evaluate the accuracy and effectiveness of the new 3D technologies in a clinical setting.

Intraoral scan (Tero)  
Perforated PMMA stent  
→STL-file

Desktop scan (D810, 3Shape) of cleaned FDP  
→STL-file

"Summarized STL" w/ use of industrial metrological software (Convince Premium, 3Shape)

Average supra-occlusal height (mm)

Average supra-occlusal height (mm)

FDPs 12-32 years (mean 19 yrs)

History of screw issues

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### Computer- aided/assisted tools and concepts relative to prosthodontics

<b><u>Patient administration</u></b> Electronic charting → "Big data"	<b><u>Patient communication</u></b> Visualization of procedures Virtual treatment outcome
<b><u>Education</u></b> Student learning / assessment	<b><u>Medical device* production</u></b> Shade-matching <b>Designing "CAD"</b> <b>Manufacturing "CAM"</b> *Intra- / Extra-oral / -tissue /-tooth or interface constituents Tissue-engineering constructs
<b><u>Patient management</u></b> Detect/diagnose pathology Radiography / tomography Jaw-/TMJ-joint-tracking → "virtual articulator" Decision support system (AKA expert system) Treatment (surgery) planning Surgery guidance (dynamic /static)	<b><u>Other applications</u></b> Quality assurance "Registration" Tele-dentistry

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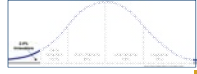
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### Innovations in CA additive / subtractive manufacturing methods ~1986





W. Mörmann / M. Brandestini  
University of Zurich



CONCEPT:  
Intraoral data acquisition by structured light  
→ Point cloud (polygon mesh)  
→ Surface reconstruction  
→ Milled inlays/onlays from blocks of ceram

Prototype 1985

**Commercial product:**  
Cerec, Siemens, Germany

CEREC from 1987

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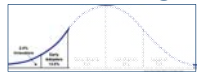
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### Innovations in CA additive / subtractive manufacturing methods ~1996




**Cerec 2, Siemens → Sirona, Germany (1994)** "Closed systems"  
Cicero, Elephant, Netherlands  
DENStech, Dens, Germany  
Decsy, Media Corp., Japan  
**Pracident-DCS, DCS-Dental, Switzerland (1989)** "Milling centres"  
**Procera, Nobel Biocare, Sweden (1993)**

Compact unit: Surface rendering + Design- & manufacturing-software + CNC-Milling ( $Al_2O_3$ -ceramic)



(A cheaper alternative: (Celay)Copy milling




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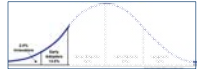
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### Innovations in CA additive / subtractive manufacturing methods ~2006




"Closed systems"

**DECIM system (cad-esthetics)(1997)**  
**Cercon smart ceramics®(2001)**  
**Cerec 3 (2000) / InLab® (2001)**  
Cynovad Pro50 (1997)  
Digident (1999)  
**KaVo Everest® (2002)**  
**Lava® system (2002)**  
**Procera Zirconia (2002)**  
Wol-Dent EPC 2019 (1999)



Intraoral scanner  
CEREC 2003  
(iTero 2007)  
(Lava COS 2008)

"Open system (.stl)"  
stand-alone scanners  
BEGO (2002):  
Etkon es1 (2000)




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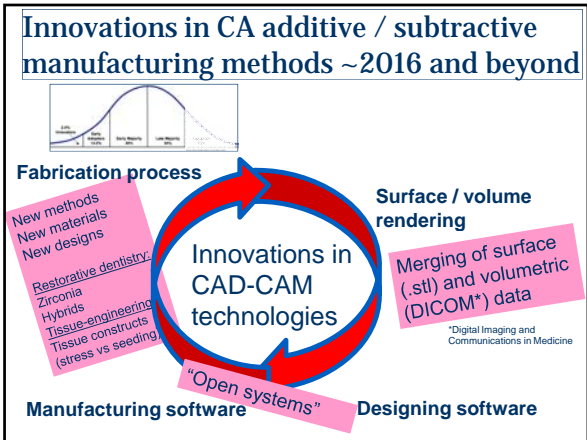
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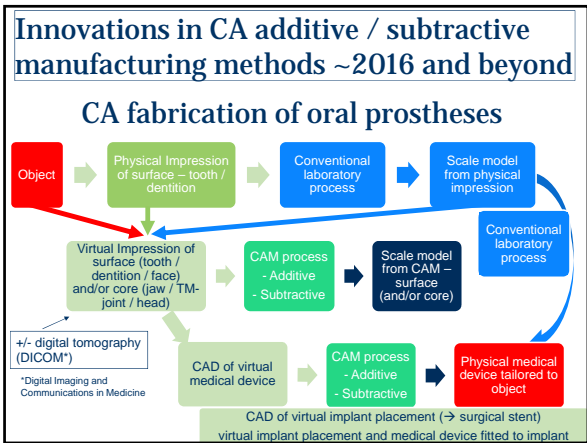
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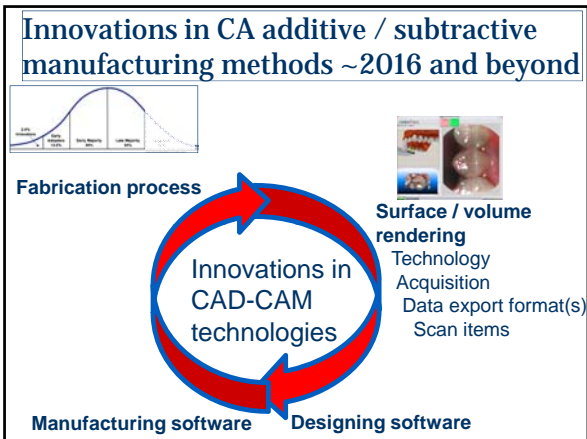
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### Surface/volume rendering - parameters

Technology	Acquisition	Scan Items
<u>Surface:</u>	Intraoral	Antagonist
Mechanical-electric +/- laser-adjusted	Extraoral	Bite registration
Optical-structural light	Intra- & extraoral	Die
Optical-laser/video		Full arch
Optical-laser-triangulate/confocal		Implant Abutment
Optical conoscopic holography	<b>Scan export format</b>	Model
	"Open system" format	Prostheses
	Closed systems	Wax-up
<u>Volumetric:</u>		Reflex/Opacity
X-ray tomography		Surface preparation
Magnetic res. tomo		Surface coating
Optical coh. tomo		
Ultrasound tomo		

Apart from DICOM\*, there are no ISO-standards specific to dentistry

\*Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine

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### Intraoral surface scanning – pre 2010



CEREC BlueCam

**Laser Triangulation**  
Confocal light

Per 2010;  
4 systems (+E4D)



LAVA COS (2008)



Cadent Itero (2006)



Hint-Els (2009)

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### Intraoral surface scanning

2010/2011:  
4 new systems



CEREC Bluecam



LAVA COS



Cadent Itero

Hint-Els



Densys3D: MIA3d



Intelligentia/ Clon3D: IODIS



MHT: Cyrtina/3DProgress

3Shape: TRIOS /(Dentaswiss)

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### Intra oral surface scanning

2012: 3 new systems

Zfx / Intrascan

Bluescan /a.tron3D

IOS: Fastscan

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### Intraoral surface scanning

2016: 22 products

1. 3M True Definition Scanner (← Lava™ C.O.S.)	3M ESPE, Germany/USA	25
2. TRIOS® 3	3Shape A/S, Denmark	20
3. TRIOS® Digital Impression solution	3Shape A/S, Denmark	15
4. Bluescan™-i ← a.tron 3D® intraoral scanner	a.tron 3D®, Klagenfurt, Austria	10
5. Itero Element ← Itero Digital Impression system	Align Technology, USA ← Cadent, Israel	5
6. CS3500 / CS3600	Carestream Dental, USA	0
7. Clon Progress IODIS (Intra Oral Digital Impression System)	Clon 3D / IODIS / Intellidenta (Europe)	
8. Conдор intraoral scanner	Condorscan Remedent, Belgium	
9. MIA3D Digital Dental Impression System	Densys Ltd., Israel	
10. dwio ← DigImprint Steinbichler	Dental Wings, Canada	
11. Dentium rainbow IOS	Dentium, Korea	
12. IOS Fastscan Digital Impression System	Gidewell Laboratories, USA ← IOS technologies, USA	
13. directScan	Hint-Els GmbH, Germany	
14. Lythos Digital Impression system	KaVo, Germany <2015 ← Ormo corporation	
15. 3D Progress MHT	MHT, Medical High Technologies, S.p.a. Italy, Switzerland	
16. PlanScan Intraoral Scanner ← Evolution 4D	Planmeca, Finland ← e4D	
17. Apollo DI Digital Impression System	Sirona Dental Systems, Germany ← Siemens	
18. CEREC AC with BlueCam chairside CAD/CAM system	Sirona Dental Systems, Germany	
19. CEREC 3.8 / Biogeneric Digital Impression System	Sirona Dental Systems, Germany	
20. CEREC OmniCam Dental CAD/CAM system	Sirona Dental Systems, Germany	
21. IntraScan Zfx	zfx gmbH, Germany	
22. Detection Eye	Zirkonzahn, Italy	

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### Innovations in CA additive / subtractive manufacturing methods ~2016 and beyond

**Fabrication process**

**Surface or volume rendering**

**Innovations in CAD-CAM technologies**

**Manufacturing software**  
Data import/export formats / formatting  
Manufacturing applications

**Designing software**  
Data import/export formats / formatting  
Designing applications

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## Open (data / file / system) formats-("free files")

### .STL (Standard Tessellation Language)

- a format native to stereolithography and supported by several software packages; it is widely used for rapid prototyping and computer-aided manufacturing
- describes only the surface geometry of a three dimensional object with no representation of color, texture or other common CAD model attributes
- describes a raw unstructured triangulated surface by the unit normal and vertices of the triangles using a three-dimensional Cartesian coordinate system

### .OBJ (Object files)

- include surface texture/color, was developed originally for 3D graphics animation applications

### .AMF (Additive Manufacturing File)

- describe color, materials, lattices, and constellations of objects for additive manufacturing processes (e.g., acellular scaffold manufacturing by printing)

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## Design / Manufacturing software - Parameters

### Import & export format(s)

Open system (.stl, .obj, .amf)  
CAD-CAM bundled (Closed)

### Top 3 O.S. market leaders:



### Applications

Wax-up / temporary

Inlay / Onlay

Single-unit coping

Crown / monolithic crown

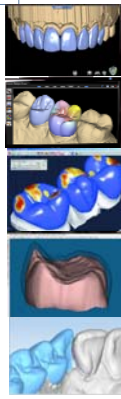
3 → 16unit / (4 → 7cm) FDP

Removable Dental Prosthesis  
(Partial / Full)

Implant "customised" abutment

Implant-sup. meso-structure

Implant-sup. super-structure




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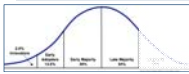
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## Innovations in CA additive / subtractive manufacturing methods ~2016 and beyond



### Fabrication process

Manufacturing  
Subtractive  
Additive  
Device  
Prosthesis  
Tissue-engineering



Manufacturing software

Designing software

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## Fabrication process- parameters

### Manufacturing

#### Subtractive

3 / 3.5 / 4 / 5 / 6-axes –milling --- +/- Sintering-furnace

#### Additive

Solid freeform fabrication, stereolithography, powder-fusion printing, bioprinting

### Device

#### Prosthesis

- In-/Onlay/Veneer
- Single-unit coping
- Crown
- Monolithic Crown
- 3 → 16unit/(4 → 7cm)-FDP
- Implant abutment
- Implant bars / Meso-structure
- (Endosseous dental implant)
- Surgical guidance stent
- Partial / Full Removable Prosthesis
- Wax-up / Provisional / Splint



#### Tissue-engineering

- Scaffolds +/- cells

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## Milling in dentistry – From 3→5→5+5 axes



Milling machines have moved from manually operated to mechanically to digitally automated via computer numerical control (CNC) re. e.g., torques, feed-rate, nature of cutters, etc..

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## Software algorithm compensation for errors introduced during milling processes

- Geometrical compensation
- Force compensation
- Thermal compensation



torque  
feed-rate  
cooling

- Errors in the final dimensions of the machined part are determined by the accuracy with which the commanded tool trajectory is followed, combined with any deflections of the tool, parts/fixture, or machine caused by the cutting forces
- The effect of geometric errors in the machine structure is determined by the sophistication of the error compensation algorithms
- The cutting tools' trajectories are subject to performance of the axis drives and the quality of the control algorithms

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### Cutters for dental (5 axis) milling

From: ZirkonZahn

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### CAM – subtractive manufacturing

Desktop size, e.g.	Mid-size,	Heavy duty, e.g.
Bien Air	CEREC	Agie Charmilles
Carestream	Charlyrobot	Datron
CEREC	DentMaster	DMG
Degudent	Dental Plus	ICM
Flussfisch	Lycodent	Ixel
KaVo	Roland Noritake	Mikron
Kutaz	Rubeling	Röders
Planmeca	Sisma	Willemin
Robocam	Uppcera	Macodel
ZirkonZahn	VHF	Wissner
Zubler	Wieland	Witech
	Yena Dent	

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### Additive manufacturing technologies

Multiple ambiguous terms: 3D printing / Additive (freeform) fabrication / Layered manufacturing / Rapid prototyping /-manufacturing, etc.

	Tissue-engineering	Prosthodontics
Solid freeform fabrication (SFF)*	Anisotropic scaffolds	Extensive
Stereolithography (SLA)	Precision scaffolds	Semi-permanent
Powder-fusion printing (PFP)	Rigid scaffolds	Experimental
Bioprinting (Laser/Inkjet/Extrusion)	Cellularized constructs	Soft-tissues

3D geometries are physically constructed directly from 3D CAD.  
 Introduced in the mid-1980s. Original term *rapid prototyping* alluded to making prototypes of parts without having to invest the time and resources to develop tooling or other traditional methods.

\*"Fused deposition modelling", "Laminated object modelling", "Direct Metal Printing", "Selective laser sintering", "Solid ground curing", "Robocasting"

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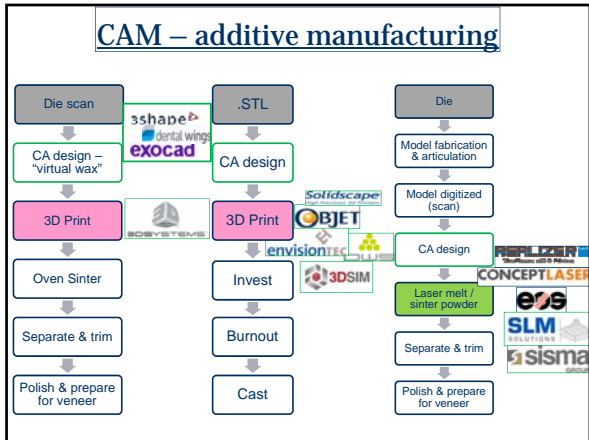
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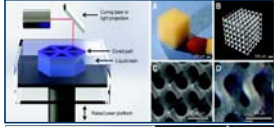
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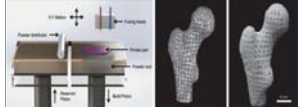
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### Additive manufacturing in Tissue Engineering



**Stereolithographic printing technique** and exemplary tissue engineering scaffold composed of poly(D-lactic acid)



**Powder-fusion printing technique** and exemplary tissue engineering scaffolds composed of calcium phosphate-poly(hydroxybutyrate-cohydroxyvalerate),



**Solid freeform fabrication** and exemplary tissue engineering scaffold composed of poly(ethylene glycol) diacrylate, nanosilicates, and alginate

From: Sears et al. Tissue Engineering, 2015

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### Solid freeform fabrication in prosthodontics

A high power laser (e.g., CO<sub>2</sub>) fuse small particles of plastic, metal, ceramic, or glass powders into a desired 3-dimensional shape.


The laser selectively fuses powdered material by scanning cross-sections generated from a 3-D digital description of the part on the surface of a powder bed.

After each cross-section is scanned, the powder bed is lowered by one layer thickness, a new layer of material is applied on top, and the process is repeated until the part is completed.

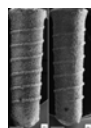
Does not require support structures due to the fact that the part being constructed is surrounded by unsintered powder at all times



Crowns/Coping/FDPs



RPDs



Implants

From: Traini et al Dent Mater 2008

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## World's first individualized jaw implant made by SLS - 2012

Ti6Al4V ELI (extra-low interstitial) powder  
Coated with hydroxylapatite



University Hasselt, Xios  
Hogeschool, University Leuven  
, Orbis Medisch Centrum  
Sittard-Geleen, Belgium &  
Xilloc Medical BV, Cam  
Bioceramics BV, Netherlands



Liz Nickels, Metal Powders Report, 2012

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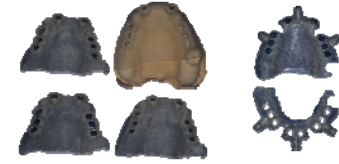
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## Stereolithography in prosthodontics

- The method and apparatus make solid objects by successively "printing" thin layers of an UV-curable material one on top of the other.
- The concentrated UV-light-beam focuses onto the surface of a vat filled with liquid photopolymer. The light beam draws the object onto the surface of the liquid layer by layer, causing polymerization or cross-linking to give a solid.

Surgical guides for  
implant placement



Simplant Surgiguide

Nobelguide

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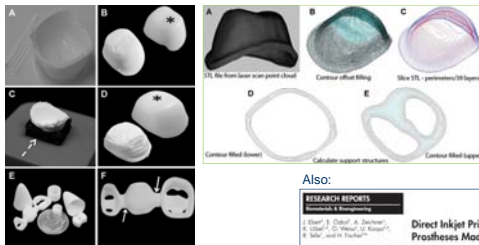
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## Powder-fusion printing in prosthodontics

A material is deposited at room-temperature material -- in the form of a viscous gel or ceramic slurry -- from a robotically controlled syringe or extrusion head. The material is hardened / cured after deposition



From: Silva ea. J Prosthodont 2011

Also:

**RESEARCH REPORTS**  
Research & Engineering

**Direct Inkjet Printing of Dental Prostheses Made of Zirconia**

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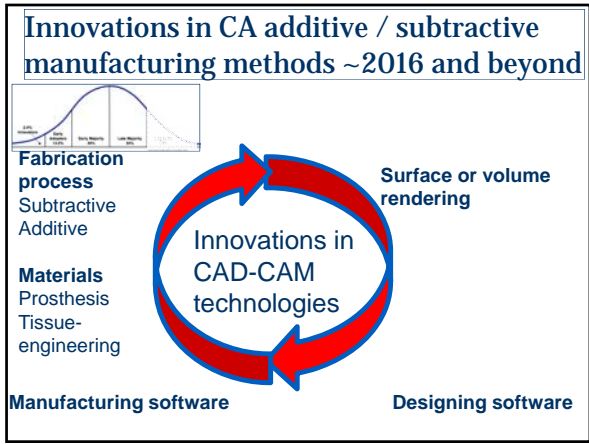
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### Manufacturing methods - parameters

<p><b>Additive fabrication</b> Laser sintering Printing</p> <p><b>Subtractive fabrication</b> 3 / 3.5 / 4 / 5 / 6-axes -milling with / without Sintering-furnace</p> <p><b>Device</b> In-/Onlays/Veneers Single-unit copings Crowns Monolithic Crowns 3 → 16unit(4 → 7cm)-FDPs Implant abutments Implant bars / Meso-structures (Endossous dental implants) Surgical guidance stents Partial / Full Removable Prosthesis Wax-ups / Provisionals / Splints</p>	<p><b>Materials - Restorative</b> Base alloys Gold alloys Non-precious alloys Titanium / - alloys</p> <p>Composite resins Casting Resins / Wax Polymers (PEEK, PMMA)</p> <p><i>Hi/low-glass content ceramics</i> Feldspathic Glass-ceramics, e.g., Li<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> In-Ceram (Porous Alumina) <i>No glass content</i> Alumina (sintered) Zirconia (porous/green state) Zirconia (pre-sintered state) Zirconia (sintered) Zirconia (sintered &amp; HIP-ed state)</p>	
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### Zirconia milling substrates are not all alike!

<b>TZP*</b>	ZrO <sub>2</sub> / Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	95 / 5
<b>TZP-A</b>	ZrO <sub>2</sub> / Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> / Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	~95 / ~5 / 0.25
<b>FSZ</b>	ZrO <sub>2</sub> / Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	90 / 10
<b>PSZ</b>	ZrO <sub>2</sub> / MgO	96.5 / 3.5
<b>ATZ</b>	ZrO <sub>2</sub> / Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> / Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	76 / 20 / 4
<b>Ce-TZP</b>	ZrO <sub>2</sub> +CeO <sub>2</sub>	98

**Great variations regarding:**

<b>Hardness</b>	<b>Fracture resistance</b>	<b>Grain size</b>
<b>Tension strength</b>	<b>Elasticity module</b>	<b>Opacity</b>
<b>Sintering time</b>		

Who do you believe checks:  
Veneering ceramic compatibility?  
Optimal core-veneer layering thickness?

\*TZP=(tetragonal zirconia polycrystals)

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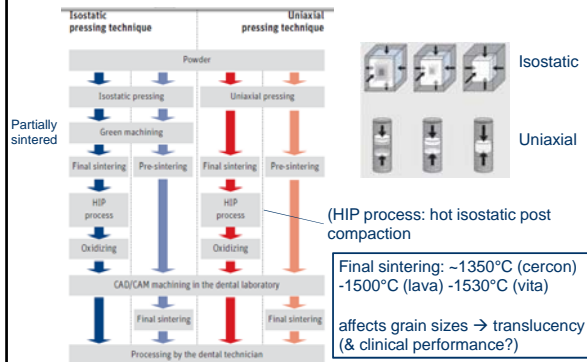
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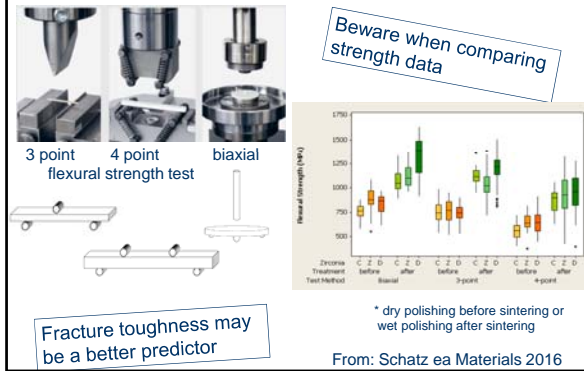
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## Zirconia milling substrates are not all alike!




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## FUTURE TRENDS IN PROSTHODONTICS?

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**The pace of technological developments compress the learning curve time for**

- operating new devices for surface or volumetric rendering
- mastering CA Designing software
- handling CA manufacture numerical control programs
- controlling new additive/subtractive manufacturing technologies
- recognizing the technique-sensitivity and clinical properties of new CAD-CAM-biomaterials

→ A rise of a “bundle package industry”

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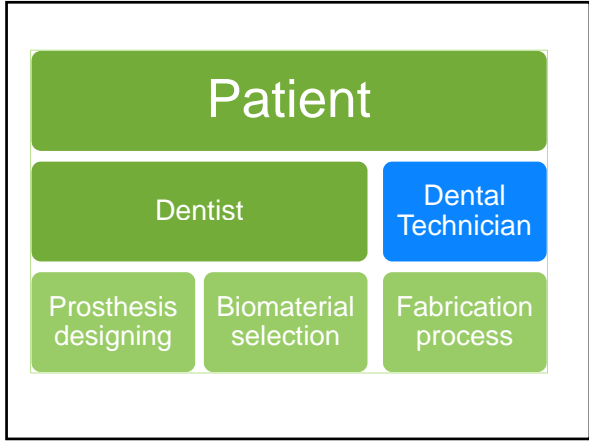
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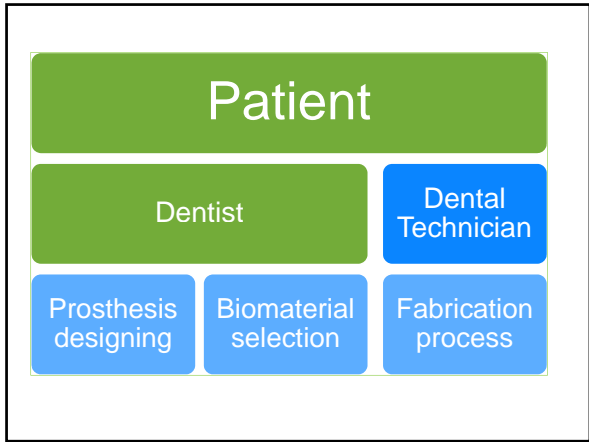
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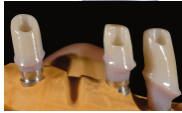
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## Customised medical devices for your patients

### ESSENTIALS:

1. It is always a **responsibility of a doctor** to maintain the control of, and overview of the chain of materials and fabrication methods
2. Materials and fabrication methods may be incompatible
3. Stay with a validated concept or upgrade your knowledge about new material properties, as well as new additive & subtractive manufacturing methods



Customised implant abutments – the interface in ceramic or metal – your decision or the technician's?

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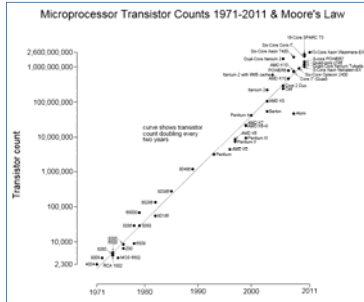
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## Computer performance today & in the future

1. Computers will continue to be **faster and with lower cost** per performance unit.
2. Innovative software programs will harness these improvements in performance.
3. The w/w of Internet will likely continue to be commercialized, driving other services to VPN-like solutions.



Moore's law: the number of transistors in a dense integrated circuit doubles approximately every two years

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## Virtual patients – already feasible today



	Planmeca	Cerec4.2(Sirona)	3dMDvultus
Conebeam Rx	✓	✓	✓
Facial scan	✓		✓

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### Facial scanning (structured light / laser / stereophotogrammetry)

<b>Intel RealSense 3D</b> \$99 •Mesh Quality – 4/5: The mesh quality is really good. Dense and detailed. •Texture Quality – 2/5: Texture quality is quite poor, the resolution of the sensor being limited to 640 x 480. <b>Synthesis:</b> The 3D scans took a very long time to obtain. A decent result at an affordable price, however necessitates a lot of practice to get good results Intel on Amazon	<b>Shining 3D EinScan-Pro</b> \$3,999 •Mesh Quality – 4/5: High mesh quality, hair tends to degrade the performance. •Texture Quality – 4/5: Good sensor quality. However the color module is in option and costs an extra \$700. <b>Synthesis:</b> the scan process takes some time. The Einscan-pro is not specifically designed for face scanning but is a very versatile portable scanner.	<b>Fuel3D SCANIFY</b> \$1,500 • Mesh Quality – 3/5: The mesh is really good in the center, the cheeks have less details and are more approximate. • Texture Quality – 5/5: Excellent quality of the textures due to the technology and high resolution of the cameras. <b>Synthesis:</b> Fuel3D SCANIFY delivers an excellent performance. The capture is instantaneous and the user can even keep his eyes open. The marker is the only constraint Source: anivwa.com	<b>Artec Space Spider –</b> \$27,600 •Mesh Quality – 5/5: Excellent mesh resolution and accuracy. •Texture Quality – 5/5: Texture is very detailed and high resolution. Colors are less realistic compared to the SCANIFY. (Example is not very good as it is a picture of 1 computer screen.) <b>Synthesis:</b> A product made for metrology and reverse engineering but capable of producing amazing face 3D scans. Its price puts it in an entirely different category.
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### Management of patients with oral dyskinesia with digital motion capture systems?



1990'ies: 3 dim., 40 Hz → Today: Multi-dimensional → 4000Hz

Past: 2 dim.

"MoCap": is extensively used in the film and entertainment industry, e.g., Avatar, Planet of the apes, etc.



Technologies for Assessment of Motor Disorders in Parkinson's Disease: A Review

Face-Referenced Measurement of Perioral Stiffness and Speech Kinematics in Parkinson's Disease

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### CA jaw recording → (Virtual) articulator

WinJaw (Zebris) JMA20  
 ARCUSigma II (KaVo) Ultrasound  
 Myotronics  
 Axioquick Recorder (SAM)  
 Cadiax  
 Opto-electronic  
 Freecorder BlueFox (DDI-Group)

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### A virtual articulator may replace the mechanical in complex treatment cases

From 3 df to 6 df

Real time jaw movement - in 3D

TREATMENT : Analyze  
 PLAN : Jaw Motion

Sirona Scicat      Planmeca Romexis

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### Virtual patients – already feasible today

The world's first X-ray integrated face camera

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Facial scan	✓	✓	✓
Jaw tracking	✓	✓	✓
Smile design	✓	✓	✓

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**Application of innovations in 2016 vs. 1996?**

Virtual smile

Digitized intraoral camera

WOW!

Great visual impact by use of the state-of-the-art technology in 1996

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**Virtual smile designing in 2016- an even more impressive visual impact**

Also,

- Digital smile system
- Envisionasmile
- GDesign (Hack Dent.)
- GPS Digital Smile Design (Dental GPS)
- Insignia Advanced Smile Design
- Smile Designer Pro (Tast Tech)
- SNAP instant Dental imaging

Digital Smile Design (DSD) Smile composer, 3Shape

CEREC 4.2, Sirona      Romexis, Planmeca

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**...carries also a potential to be misused by catering to Barbie doll syndrome patient demands**

THE WINNING GRIN

Barbie Doll Syndrome

from: sdcdentist.com

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