

Challenges in retinal imaging







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Who, why, what and how?

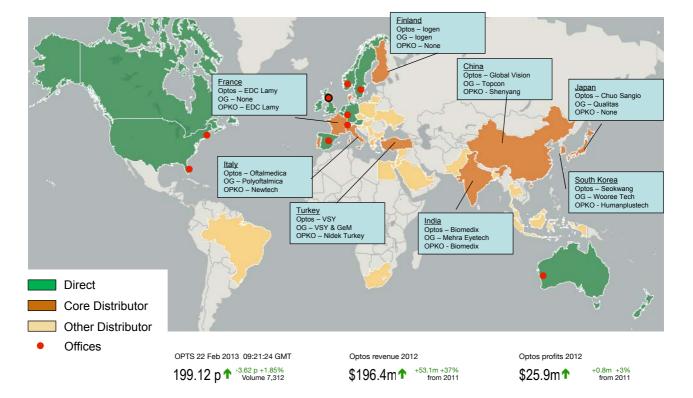




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Who?

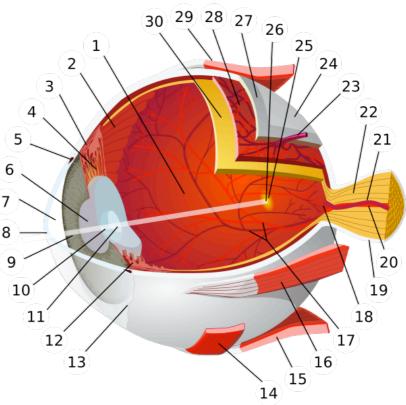




What?



1. vitreous body 2. ora serrata 3. ciliary muscle 4. ciliary zonules 5. canal of Schlemm 6. pupil 7. anterior chamber 8. cornea 9. iris 10. lens cortex 11. lens nucleus 12. ciliary process 13. conjunctiva 14. inferior oblique muscle 15. inferior rectus muscle 16. medial rectus muscle 17. retinal arteries and veins 18. optic disc 19. dura mater 20. central retinal artery 21. central retinal vein 22. optic nerve 23. vorticose vein 24. bulbar sheath 25. macula 26. fovea 27. sclera 28. choroid 29. superior rectus muscle 30. retina



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Why?



Diabetic retinopathy incidence in +40 year-old diabetics in the US is 28.5±4% [1].

The cost of diabetic retinopathy to the US is approximately \$500 million annually [2].

The demand for eye-care services in The Netherlands will increase by 200–300% between 2010 and 2020 [3].

[1] Zhang X, et al. JAMA. 2010 Aug 11;304(6):649-56. [2] Javitt JC, et al. Diabetes Care. 1994;17(8):909-917 [2] Kourpen JE, et al. Ned Tijdeebr Consolid 2011;155(41):4





Normal vision

Diabetic retinopathy



Age-related macular degeneration



Retinal detachment

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How?



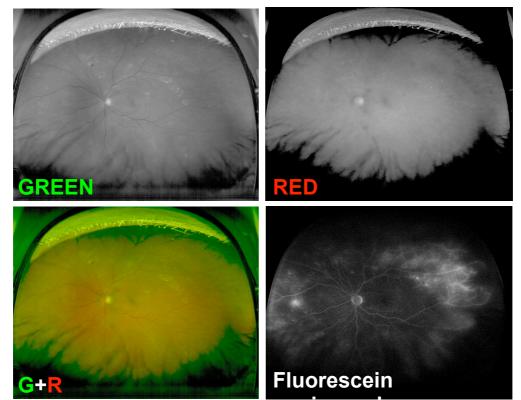
















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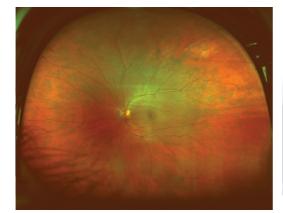


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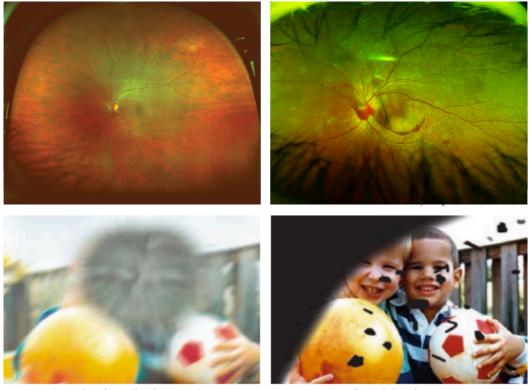
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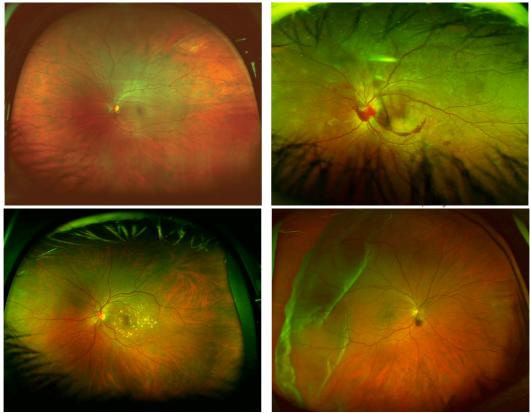
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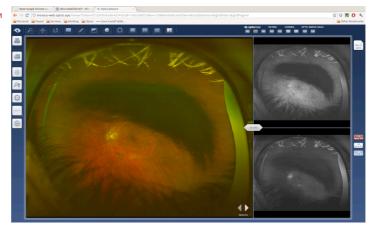
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How?













Challenge: uptake of technology



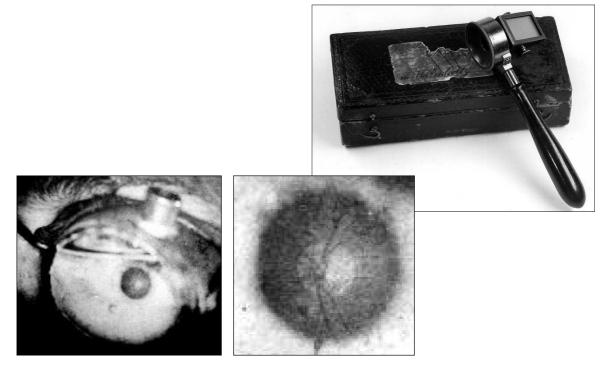




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Birth of ophthalmic imaging

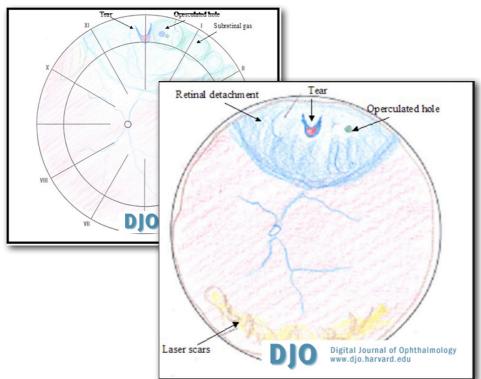




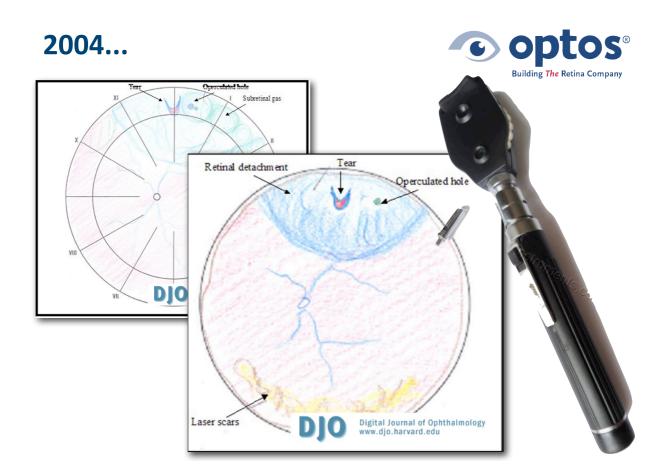
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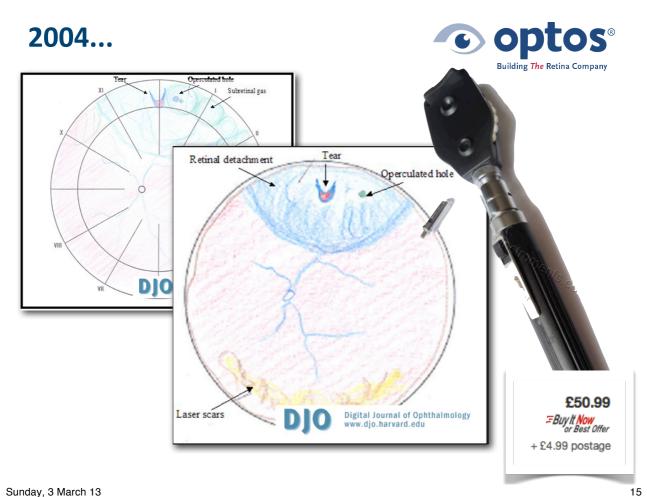
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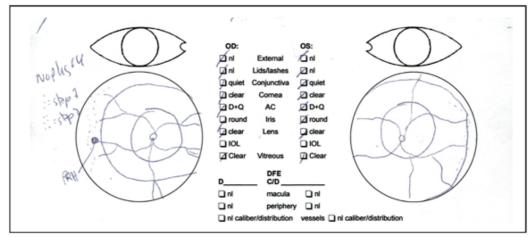


Figure 1. A typical bedside indirect ophthalmoscopy examination drawing.





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[1] Moshfeghi DM. Review of Ophthalmology. Nov. 2007

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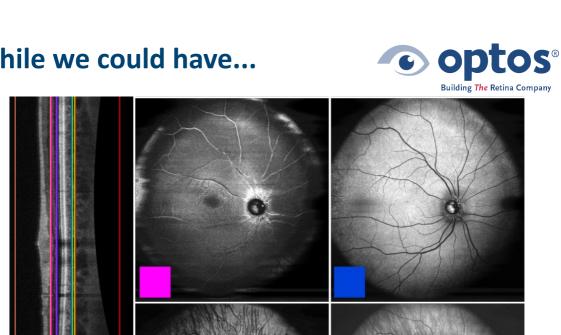


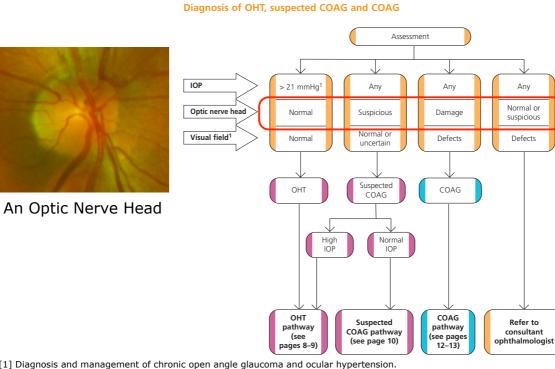
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... Interestingly, there has never been a study validating the reproducibility or reliability of this technique. [1]

While we could have...





[1] Diagnosis and management of chronic open angle glaucoma and ocular hypertension. NHS National Institute for Health an Clinical Excellence (NICE). Apr 2009.

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The test, pioneered by experts at the University of Edinburgh, will look at 1,000 patients with suspected heart disease. The study will prove whether scans can detect signs of heart disease, which can be difficult to diagnose.

Researchers will use specialist equipment on loan from Optos – an eye care company based in Dunfermline, Fife.

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Challenge: medical devices market







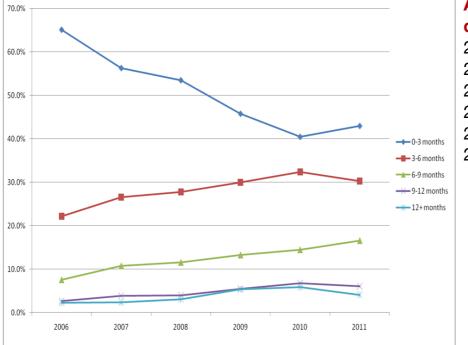
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Market clearance in the USA Special 510(k) Abbreviated 510(k) Traditional 510(k) Premarket Approval Class III



Average time for 510(k) submissions to clear



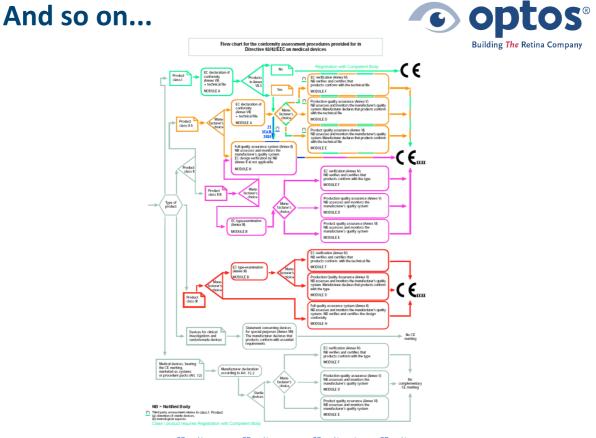


Average number of days to clearance:

2006 – 97 days 2007 – 110 days 2008 –118 days 2009 – 136 days 2010 – 146 days 2011 – 138 days

[1] Emergo Group. http://www.emergogroup.com/research/fda-510k-review-times-research 2013-01-31

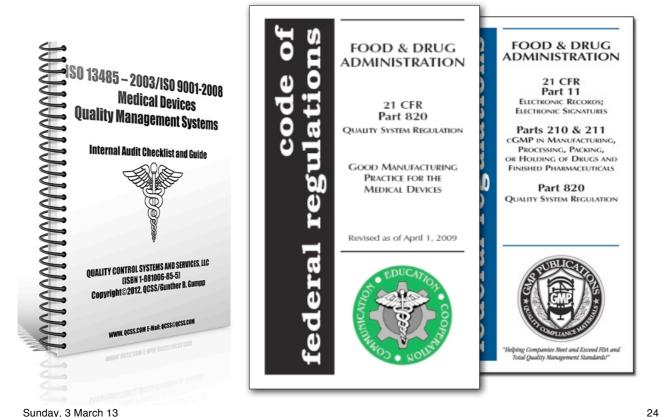
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Challenge: technology itself



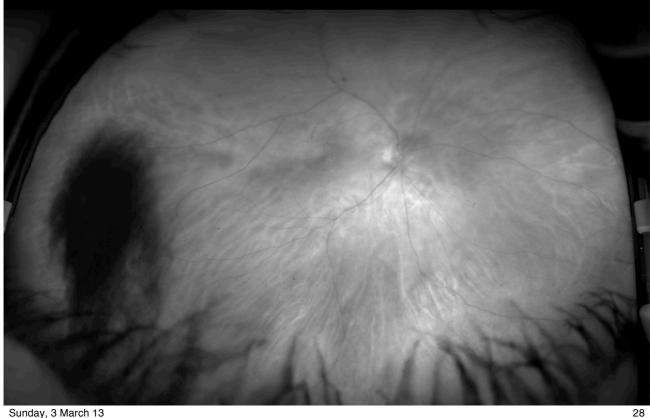






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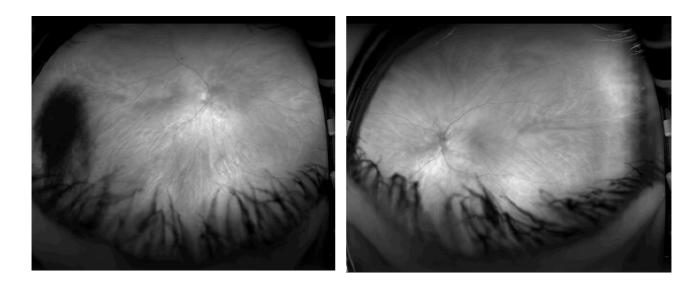


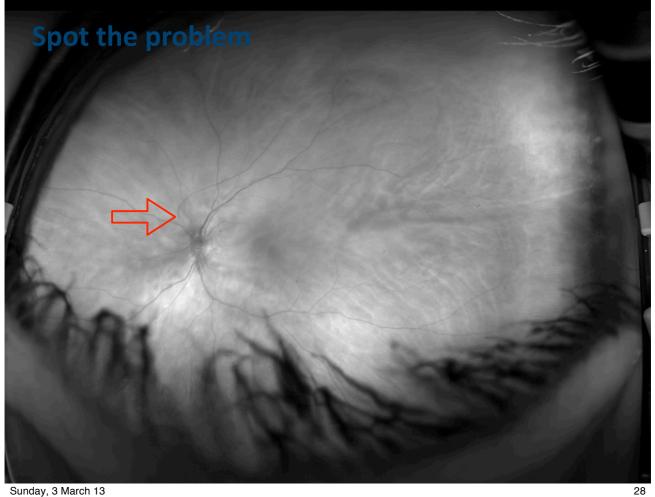


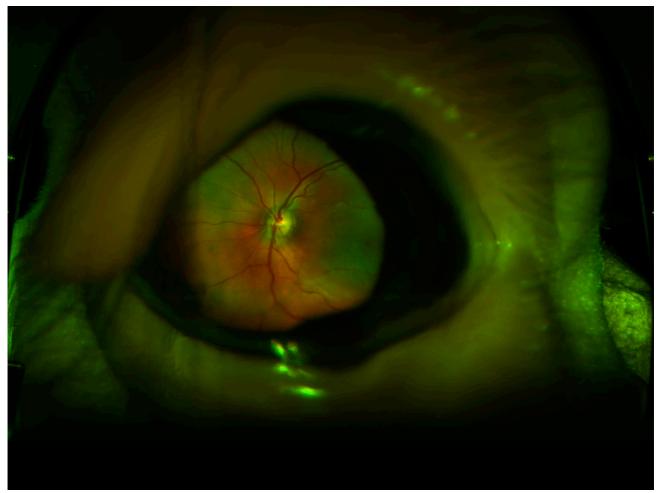
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Summary



Eye health care is a rapidly expanding market; its estimated growth is \$1,097m by 2016.

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Do work with us!



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Thanks for listening

