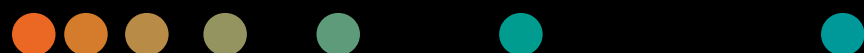


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# MAGNETOM Flow

The pioneering next-generation 1.5T MRI platform that empowers you with a game-changing new flow for daily care.

Ushering in a new era of sustainable and helium-independent MRI, MAGNETOM Flow empowers you across the entire imaging process from start to finish with unmatched workflow simplicity, elevated patient experience and pioneering AI-enhanced imaging for highest-quality results at unrivaled speed. MAGNETOM Flow—a new flow in MRI that empowers you to perform at your best.

## The components of the MRI system

This section covers the key hardware components of the MRI system:

- > [Magnet system](#)
- > [Gradient system](#)
- > [RF system](#)
- > [Computer system](#)
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For details on the software please refer to

- > [syngo MR software](#)



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Magnet system

Superconducting magnet

Short-bore, patient-friendly design, high homogeneity

Easy siting due to

- Active shielding (AS)
- External interference shielding (EIS)

Operating mode: Standard operating mode according to IEC 60601-2-33

Magnet parameters

Operating field strength	1.5 T
Magnet type	Superconductor
Field stability over time	< 0.1 ppm/h
Weight (with cryogenics) <sup>1)</sup>	2200 kg
Magnet length	1474 mm ± 4 mm
System length cover to cover	1690 mm
Bore size <sup>2)</sup>	600 mm ± 1 %
Type of installation	Fixed
Decay characteristics from full field to 20 mT	approx. 20 s

Homogeneity (based on highly accurate 24-plane plot)

	Guaranteed
10 cm DSV	≤ 0.02 ppm
20 cm DSV	≤ 0.075 ppm
30 cm DSV	≤ 0.25 ppm
40 cm DSV	≤ 0.75 ppm
45 cm DSV	≤ 2.0 ppm
50 × 50 × 45 cm <sup>3</sup> DEV	≤ 3.0 ppm

In compliance with the German »Qualifikationsvereinbarung«

Standard deviation Vrms (volume root-mean square) measured using the highly accurate 24-plane plot method (20 points per plane)

Standard active shim with 3 linear channels

DSV = diameter spherical volume (x, y and z direction)

DEV = diameter elliptical volume

1) Normal weight without any optional equipment

2) Incl. shim coils, gradient coil, RF body coil

Magnet system

DryCool technology

Sealed-for-life superconducting magnet

- Operating on 0.7 liters of liquid helium
- Eliminating the need for helium refills and a quench pipe

Cryogenic specifications and recovery times

Cryostat material	Stainless steel
Helium inventory	0.7 l liquid helium
Ramp down time	< 1 h
Time to resume operation after a ramp down <sup>1)</sup>	< 4 h
Ramp up time following an emergency shut off <sup>1)</sup>	< 48 h

Shimming

Passive shim	During installation
Standard active shim	3 linear channels (1 <sup>st</sup> order)
3D Shim	Patient-specific automated shim
	Time to shim = approx. 15 s

Shielding

Active shielding (AS)	7 <sup>th</sup> generation active shielding with counter coils	
	0.9 mT	3.5 m × 2.2 m
Fringe field (axial × radial)	0.5 mT <sup>2)</sup>	4.0 m × 2.5 m
	0.1 mT	5.7 m × 3.4 m
External interference shielding (EIS)	Integrated into the magnet housing	
	EIS: Continuous compensation and automatic suppression of external magnetic interferences (such as those from moving ferromagnetic objects or power lines)	

1) Time will extend if refrigerator remains off for a longer period of time. For longer downtimes, the net time off field needs to be added to the times stated to estimate the overall ramp-up time.

2) Pacemaker safety limit



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Gradient system: G60

Advanced whole-body gradient coil system

- Active shielding (AS)
- Extremely low eddy currents
- Water-cooled coil and amplifier for peak performance
- Force compensation on all axes

Gradient performance	
Max. amplitude	61 mT/m <sup>1)</sup> (35 mT/m for every gradient axis)
Max. slew rate	217 T/m/s <sup>1)</sup> (125 T/m/s for every gradient axis)
Min. rise time from 0 to 61 mT/m	280 µs

**Important note:** Min. TR and TE values are not precise indicators of actual gradient performance due to RF pulse dependence. Comparable min. TR and TE values may be found across gradients of varying strengths. For superior gradient performance, a higher-powered gradient amplifier (with higher current and voltage) is essential to maintain gradient coil attributes.

Resolution parameters	
Min. FOV	5 mm
Max. FOV <sup>2)</sup>	500 mm
Slice thickness 2D	min. 0.1 mm, max. 250 mm
Partition thickness 3D	min 0.05 mm, max. 20 mm
Slab thickness 3D	min. 5 mm, max. 500 mm
Max. matrix	1024
Highest in-plane resolution	15 µm

Gradient amplifier (values for each gradient axis)	
Design	Water-cooled, compact, modular
Technology	Ultra-fast solid-state with minimal switching
Max. output voltage	1200 V
Max. output current	330 A
Max. power	0.4 MW

1) Maximal gradient performance achieved by the vector addition of all three gradient axes simultaneously  
2) Depending on the application, the maximum FOV in the z-direction can be up to 450 mm

Gradient system: G60

Cooling system		
Passive	Water consumption	80 l/min ± 10 l/min
	Water temperature	6 °C – 14 °C / 43 °F – 57 °F
	Heat dissipation to water	≤ 34 kW
Active	Two Siemens Outdoor Units (SOU) automatically adjust to cooling needs (e.g., day/night mode) to reduce energy costs	

Line power supply		
Voltage	380 V, 400 V, 440 V, 480 V	± 10 %
Frequency	50 Hz/60 Hz	± 1 Hz
Connection value	30 kVA	with passive cooling
	52 kVA	with active cooling

Power consumption	
Off	4.7 kW
System ready to measure	7.6 kW
Scan	11.6 kW

All values are typical values, applicable for 400 V/50 Hz.  
Power consumption measured using COCIR methodology for MRI energy consumption.  
Various factors affect power usage; identical results per customer are not guaranteed.  
Does not include optional separator pump consumption.  
“Off” value assumes eco-power mode (EPM) is active.



Gradient system: G60

Sequences		Matrix		
		64	128	256
Spin echo	min TR [ms]	1.9	2.3	2.8
	min. TE [ms]	1.3	1.6	1.9
Inversion recovery	min TR [ms]	24	24	24
	min. TE [ms]	1.5	1.6	1.9
	min. TI [ms]	21	21	21
2D GRE	min TR [ms]	0.6	0.94	1.33
	min TE [ms]	0.24	0.24	0.62
3D GRE	min TR [ms]	0.6	0.94	1.12
	min. TE [ms]	0.24	0.24	0.24
TrueFISP	min TR [ms]	0.94	1.2	1.7
	min. TE [ms]	0.3	0.3	0.39
TSE (HASTE)	min. echo spacing [ms]	1.46	1.64	1.94
	min TR [ms]	3.6	4.0	4.8
	min. TE [ms]	1.5	1.6	1.9
max. turbo factor = 1024				
EPI (single-shot and multi-shot)	min. echo spacing [ms]	0.35	0.53	0.91
	min TR [ms]	2	3	5
	min. TE [ms]	1	1.1	1.6
max. EPI factor = 256				
Diffusion imaging	max. b-value [s/mm²]	10 000	10 000	
	min. TE [ms] with b = 1000 s/mm²	52	52	56

All matrices without interpolation.  
Not all stated parameter combinations may be achievable; certain parameters might necessitate optional application packages.



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Advanced whole-body gradient coil system

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Gradient performance

Max. amplitude	45 mT/m <sup>1)</sup> (26 mT/m for every gradient axis)
Max. slew rate	78 T/m/s <sup>1)</sup> (45 T/m/s for every gradient axis)
Min. rise time from 0 to 45 mT/m	578 µs

**Important note:** Min. TR and TE values are not precise indicators of actual gradient performance due to RF pulse dependence. Comparable min. TR and TE values may be found across gradients of varying strengths. For superior gradient performance, a higher-powered gradient amplifier (with higher current and voltage) is essential to maintain gradient coil attributes.

Resolution parameters

Min. FOV	5 mm
Max. FOV <sup>2)</sup>	500 mm
Slice thickness 2D	min. 0.1 mm, max. 250 mm
Partition thickness 3D	min 0.05 mm, max. 20 mm
Slab thickness 3D	min. 5 mm, max. 500 mm
Max. matrix	1024
Highest in-plane resolution	15 µm

Gradient amplifier (values for each gradient axis)

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Max. output voltage	1200 V
Max. output current	330 A
Max. power	0.4 MW

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Gradient system: B60

Cooling system

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Line power supply

Voltage	380 V, 400 V, 440 V, 480 V	± 10 %
Frequency	50 Hz/60 Hz	± 1 Hz
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Power consumption

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System ready to measure	7.5 kW
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Gradient system: B60

Sequences		Matrix		
		64	128	256
Spin echo	min TR [ms]	2.5	3.1	4
	min. TE [ms]	1.8	2.2	2.9
Inversion recovery	min TR [ms]	26	27	29
	min. TE [ms]	1.9	2.4	2.96
	min. TI [ms]	21	21	21
2D GRE	min TR [ms]	1.11	1.7	2.18
	min TE [ms]	0.53	0.79	1.01
3D GRE	min TR [ms]	1.11	1.7	2.18
	min. TE [ms]	0.53	0.79	1.01
TrueFISP	min TR [ms]	1.37	1.82	2.55
	min. TE [ms]	0.44	0.47	0.59
TSE (HASTE)	min. echo spacing [ms]	2.02	2.32	2.86
	min TR [ms]	5	5.7	7.1
	min. TE [ms]	2	2.3	2.9
max. turbo factor = 1024				
EPI (single-shot and multi-shot)	min. echo spacing [ms]	0.58	0.85	1.17
	min TR [ms]	4	5	7
	min. TE [ms]	1.2	1.7	2.3
max. EPI factor = 256				
Diffusion imaging	max. b-value [s/mm²]	1 000	1 000	1 000
	min. TE [ms] with b = 1000 s/mm²	54	56	63

All matrices without interpolation.  
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DirectRX technology

Unique all-digital-out design integrates all RF receive components at the magnet

- Optical RF system enhances SNR by minimizing electrical noise and maximizing signal detection
- Digital-out configuration uses optical links between magnet and equipment room for optimal RF stability
- Receive path integrated within magnet housing
- Dual-density signal transfer technology supports ultra-high density coil designs by incorporating key RF components into the local coil
- Receiver operates with a high dynamic range without the need for adjustments

RF transmit technology		
Frequency stability (5 min)	$\pm 2 \times 10^{-10}$	
Frequency control	32 bits (0.015 Hz)	
Phase control	16 bits (0.006°)	
Body coil	Integrated whole-body no tune transmit/receive coil with 16 rungs, two-port feeding	
	Optimized RF efficiency and signal-to-noise ratio (SNR)	
	Real-time feedback loop for unmatched RF stability	
Transmitter path	Feedback loop for excellent RF stabilization	
	Transmit amplitude	16-bit control 25-ns resolution
	Gain stability (after first minute)	< 0.05 dB (1 s)
		< 0.1 dB (5 min) Sinc-shaped < 0.3 dB (5 min), including body coil
Transmit amplifier	Extremely compact, water-cooled solid state amplifier	
	Bandwidth	500 kHz
	Peak power	15 kW

RF system

The Total imaging matrix streamlines coil positioning and significantly reduces coil changing times

- All local coils are designed as no-tune coils
- Auto Coil Select facilitates dynamic, automatic, or interactive selection of coil elements within the Field of View (FOV)

RF receiver technology	
Maximum number of channels <sup>1)</sup>	108
Number of independent receiver channels that can be used simultaneously in one single scan in one FOV, each generating an independent partial image	24/48
Quadrature demodulation and filtering	Digital
Receiver bandwidth	500 kHz (for each channel)
Receiver signal resolution	32 bit
ADC sampling rate	120 MHz
Preamplifie noise figure	< 0.5 dB
Dynamic range at coil connector (referred to 1 Hz resolution bandwidth)	151 dB/Hz instantaneous at coil connector

1) Channels that can be connected simultaneously

# RF system

## Local receive coils

### 1.5T BioMatrix coils

BioMatrix Spine coil and BioMatrix Contour coils automatically capture respiration data with integrated sensors, removing the need for navigator scans or a respiratory belt.

BioMatrix Contour coils detect heart movement to trigger cardiac exams without external electrodes.

BioMatrix Position sensors streamline patient iso-center positioning, speeding up preparation and removing the need for laser positioning or manual input.

### 1.5T Tim 4G coils

Tim 4G coils combine top image quality with easy handling

High element coils boost SNR and cut exam times; DirectConnect® and SlideConnect® technology shorten patient setup

Lightweight, ergonomic coils maximize patient comfort:

- Multi-exam studies require no coil changes, saving setup time
- All coils are efficient “no-tune” types
- Low-noise preamplifiers enhance signal clarity
- Auto Coil Select allows dynamic, automatic, or interactive coil element selection within the field of view

### Recommended basic coil package

Head/Neck Coil	Application area	Head and neck
	Dimensions (L × W × H)	445 mm × 330 mm × 364 mm
	Weight	5.0 kg
BioMatrix Spine Coil (with Respiratory Sensors <sup>1)</sup> and DirectConnect™)	Application area	Spine
	Dimensions (L × W × H)	1200 mm × 489 mm × 63 mm
	Weight	10.6 kg
BioMatrix Contour L Coil (with Position Sensor, Beat Sensor, Respiratory Sensor <sup>1)</sup> , SlideConnect® in combination with Detachable coil cable 1250 mm)	Application area	Thorax Heart Abdomen Pelvis Hip Vascular
	Dimensions (L × W × H)	622 mm × 451 mm
	Weight	1.0 kg
Detachable coil cable <sup>2)</sup>	Dimension (L)	1250 mm
	Weight	0.6 kg

Combination of all coils possible for large field-of-view exams

1) The Position Sensor, Beat Sensor, and Respiratory Sensor functionality is a retrofittable software option  
2) Detachable Cable is interchangeable between BioMatrix Contour S/M/L Coils



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Computer system

Measurement and reconstruction system (Standard)	
Processor	Intel Xeon W-1250E G1 (6-Core)
Clock rate	3.5 GHz, or comparable
Main memory (RAM)	32 GB
SSD (Solid-state drive)	≥ 960 GB
Reconstruction speed	≥ 37,974 recons per second (256 <sup>2</sup> FFT, full FOV)
	≥ 157,894 recons per second (256×64 FFT, 25% recFov)
Parallel scan and recon	Simultaneous scan and reconstruction of up to 12 data sets
GPU	NVIDIA T1000 8GB

Computer system

syngo Acquisition Workplace (MRAWP)		Advanced host <span>Option</span>
Processor	Intel Xeon W-1250E G1 (6-Core)	10-Core
Clock rate	3.5 GHz, or comparable	
Main memory (RAM)	64 GB	96 GB
SSD (Solid-state drive)	≥ 960 GB <sup>1)</sup> DICOM standard, ISO 9660	
CD/DVD drive	Not built in, but optionally connectable by USB	
Media drive	SDHC card reader	
<b>24" standard monitor<sup>2)</sup></b>	High-resolution widescreen Automatic backlight control for long-term brightness stability	
Screen size (diagonal)	24"	
Horizontal frequency	31 kHz – 74 kHz	
Vertical frequency	60 Hz	
Screen matrix	1920 pixels × 1200 pixels	
<b>Optional monitors, featuring the same data</b>		
<b>24" touch monitor</b>	High-resolution widescreen monitor with touch functionalities	
<b>Wall mount touch monitor</b>	Automatic backlight control for long-term brightness stability	
Screen size (diagonal)	24"	
Horizontal frequency	31 kHz – 74 kHz	
Vertical frequency	60 Hz	
Screen matrix	1920 pixels × 1200	

1) Using Enhanced DICOM > 5 300 000 images with a matrix size of 256 × 256 can be stored, when acquiring image stacks with 25 slices per stack

2) A standard monitor without calibration is not suitable for diagnostic purposes. Please consider the initial acceptance testing for image display devices and the follow-up service for constancy testing on a regular base, as offered by Siemens Healthineers service.



Computer system

Measurement and reconstruction system (High-end)	
Processor	Intel Xeon W-1290E (10-Core)
Clock rate	3.5 GHz, or comparable
Main memory (RAM)	96 GB
SSD (Solid-state drive)	≥ 960 GB
Reconstruction speed	≥ 51,020 recons per second (256 <sup>2</sup> FFT, full FOV)
	≥ 250,000 recons per second (256×64 FFT, 25% recFov)
Parallel scan and recon	Simultaneous scan and reconstruction of up to 12 data sets
GPU	NVIDIA RTX A4000

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Magnetic and room shielding

Room shielding

Iron shielding in examination room walls for additional magnetic fringe field reduction

- Enables creation of a complete magnetic shielding enclosure

One-floor installation

Combines **active** shielding with **special** shielding

Special shielding installed on ceiling above or beneath the magnet room

- Ensures the 0.5 mT line remains within the same floor as the MRI installation
- Suitable for very low room heights

Radio frequency shielding

Shields the examination room from external RF sources

RF attenuation factor	> 90 dB
Frequency range	15 MHz – 65 MHz

System electronics cabinets

Two **cabinets** can be placed

- Directly against the wall
- Or in a corner

**Service access** needed only from the front

- Saving significant space

Integrated **water cooling** cabinet

- Can remove the need for a dedicated computer room

Space requirements

Minimum total space needed	24 m²
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For magnet, electronics, and console room

Installation



# Installation

## Dimensions

Examination Room Component	Width	Depth	Height	Weight
Magnet 1.5T AS (incl. helium)	2.24 m	1.47 m	1.97 m	2250 kg (with seismic bracket) 2200 kg (normal)
Magnet in operation, incl. gradient coil, body coil, standard patient table and covers	2.33 m	4.14 m	2.07 m	3700 kg <sup>1)</sup>
Standard patient table	0.76 m	2.45 m	0.89 m	
Patient table with vertical drive <span>Option</span>	0.76 m	2.45 m	0.48–0.89 m <sup>2)</sup>	
Min. required room height clearance			2.20 m <sup>3)</sup>	
Min. transport dimensions	2.33 m	1.69 m	1.98 m <sup>4)</sup>	

Control Room Component	Width	Depth	Height	Weight
Standard monitor <sup>5)</sup>	56 cm	22 cm	42–50 cm	9.8 kg
Touch monitor	57 cm	32–44 cm	28–46 cm	12.3 kg
Touch monitor for wall mounting	57 cm	7 cm	38 cm	8.0 kg
Mounting bracket <sup>6)</sup>	67 cm	45 cm	192 cm	20 kg

Equipment Room Component	Width	Depth	Height	Weight
Electronics cabinet, incl. system control, RF system, gradient power system, host computer, image processor, cooling	156 cm	65 cm	198 cm <sup>7)</sup>	980 kg
Heat dissipation	≤1.5 kW <sup>8)</sup>			

1) Based on standard patient table  
2) From lowest position to patient table home position  
3) Finished floor to finished ceiling  
4) Incl. transport pallet  
5) Monitor height adjustable  
6) With touch monitor and intercom  
7) Without attachments  
8) Ventilation may be the only requirement

# Installation

## System cover

Design with Standard patient table



Design with 2nd Select&GO displays







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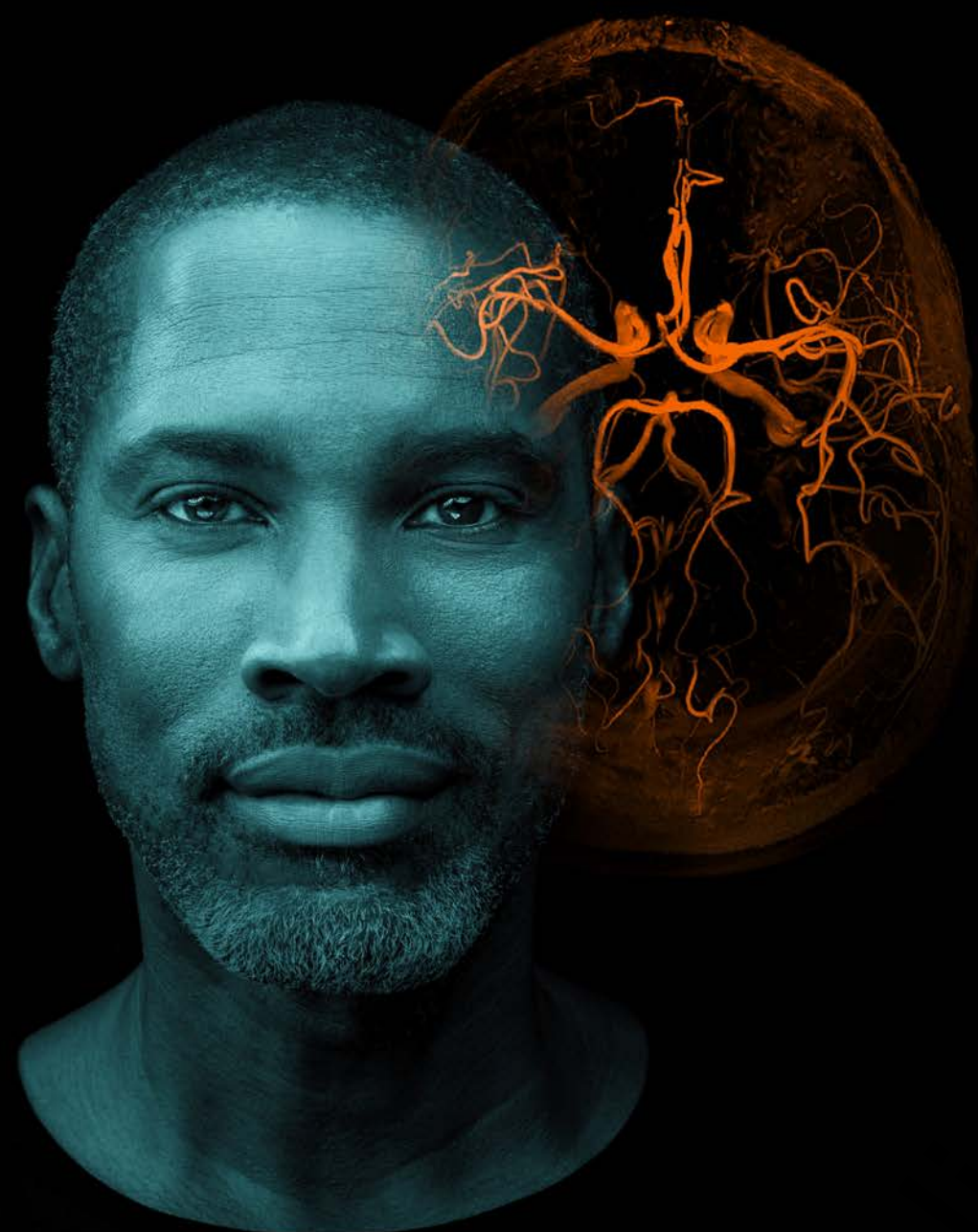
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## A comprehensive MRI capability set

From core imaging principles to advanced methods,  
catering to diverse diagnostic needs

### Precision in MRI diagnostics

- > Comprehensive imaging techniques
  - > Standard pulse sequences
  - > Parallel imaging
  - > Image enhancement techniques
  - > Acquisition parameters
  - > Efficiency enhancements
- > Advanced techniques
  - > Discovery Acceleration Package
  - > Advanced Diffusion
- > Operational enhancements
  - > Expert-i
  - > Security features



# Comprehensive imaging techniques

Spanning from basic spin-echo sequences to advanced methods for accelerating exams and enhancing image contrast

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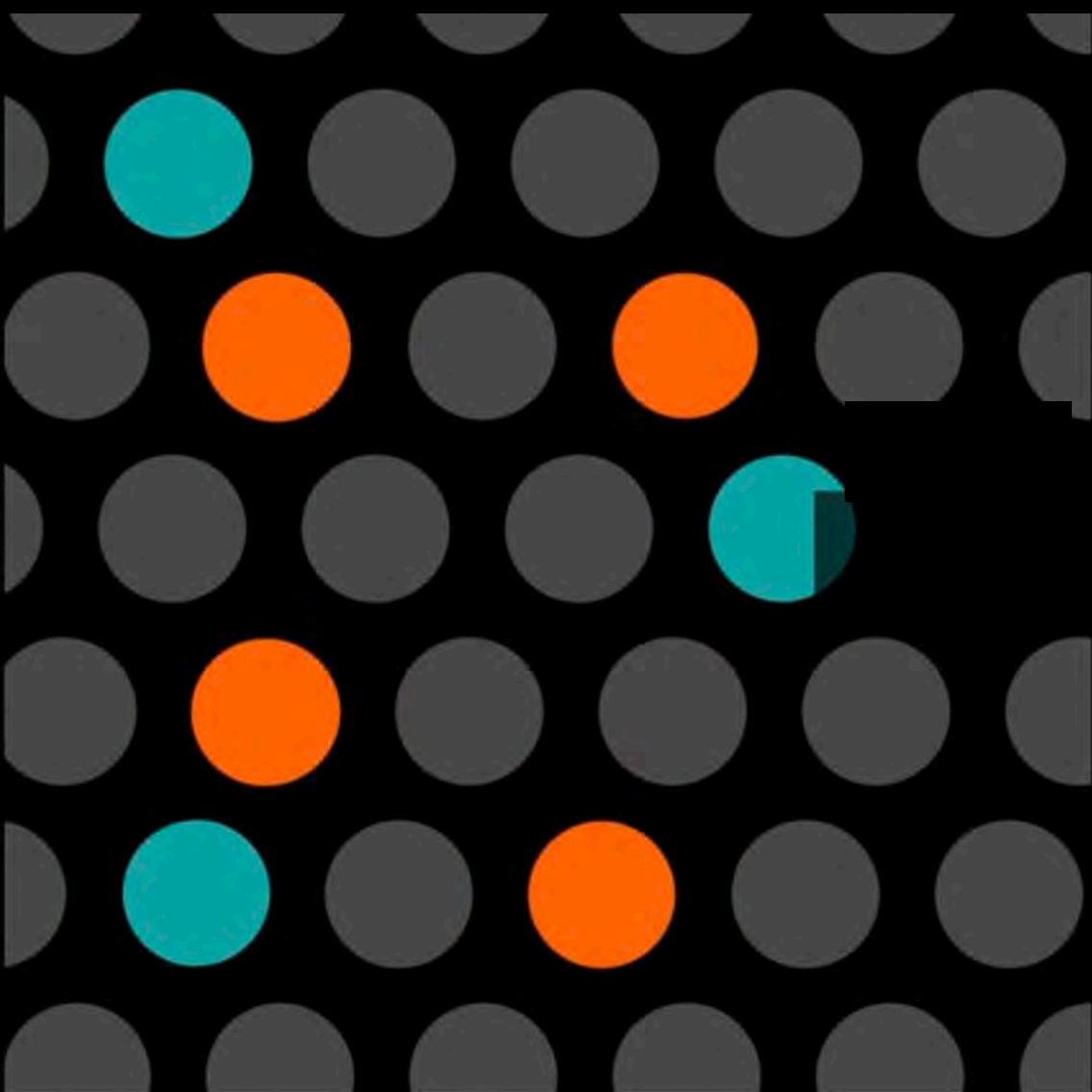
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# Comprehensive imaging techniques

## > Standard pulse sequences

Comprehensive set of optimized pulse sequences covering a wide array of parameters for highly flexible adjustments

- > Spin-echo family
- > Gradient-echo family

## > Parallel imaging

- > iPAT
- > tPAT
- > iPAT2

## > Image enhancement techniques

- > Fat/water imaging
- > Motion correction
- > Susceptibility artifact correction

## > Acquisition parameters

## > Efficiency enhancements

# Comprehensive imaging techniques

## Standard pulse sequences: Spin-echo family

### Spin Echo (SE)

Single, double, and multiecho sequences, supporting up to 32 echoes

### Turbo Spin Echo (TSE)

Restore technique to achieve a shorter TR

- Maintains excellent T2 contrast

### 2D Optimized High-Bandwidth TSE

High-quality imaging  
Flawlessly integrated with [WARP](#) for superior outcomes

- T1, T2, PD
- STIR

### SPACE

Optimized for 3D imaging with high isotropic resolution

For detailed anatomical studies

- T1, T2, PD
- DarkFluid Contrast

### TurboIR

Accelerates IR sequences for faster T1-weighted imaging

- Enhanced contrast
- Reduced scan time

Applicable with:

- STIR
- DarkFluid T1 and T2

### 2D/3D HASTE

(Half-Fourier Acquisition Single-shot Turbo Spin Echo)  
Rapid imaging using inversion recovery, acquires only half of the raw data

- Dark-fluid contrasts
- Abdominal imaging, eliminating blur caused by breathing

Applicable with:

- STIR
- FLAIR

### Turbo Gradient Spin Echo (TGSE)

Ultrafast hybrid turbo spin-echo/gradient-echo sequence

- Primarily used for T2-weighted imaging

High-resolution imaging for extremely short acquisitiona

- Ideal for brain and spine

Improves visualization of hemorrhage due to magnetic susceptibility differences

- Decreased RF power deposition

# Comprehensive imaging techniques

## Standard pulse sequences: Gradient-echo family

### 2D/3D FLASH

(Spoiled Gradient Echo)

- Dual echo for in-phase / opposed-phase imaging
- Tissue characterization based on chemical shift

### 3D VIBE

(Volume Interpolated Breathhold Examination)

- Rapid fat saturation and inline 3D elastic motion correction
- Abdominal imaging and breast evaluation
- Enhances diagnostic accuracy in moving organs

### DynaVIBE

- Inline 3D elastic motion correction for multiphase data sets of the abdomen
- Inline evaluation for breast imaging

### TurboFLASH 2D/3D —3D MPRAGE

(Magnetization Prepared RApid Gradient Echo)  
Rapid high-resolution T1-weighted imaging:

- Direct image assessment
- Brain anatomy visualization

### Saturation Recovery

For 2D TurboFLASH, gradient echo, and T1-weighted 3D TurboFLASH with short scan time (e.g. MPRAGE)

### MP2RAGE

(Magnetization-Prepared 2 Rapid Acquisition Gradient Echoes)  
Double inversion recovery with two Turbo-FLASH readouts between each inversion pulse

Homogeneous T1 contrast suitable for:

- Segmentation
- Voxel-based morphometry

### 2D/3D MEDIC

(Multi Echo Data Image Combination)  
Enhances contrast and detail in images by combining signals from multiple echoes

- High-resolution T2-weighted orthopedic imaging
- Excellent contrast in musculoskeletal structures

### Echo-Planar Imaging (EPI)

For diffusion-weighted imaging, single-shot SE and FID, such as BOLD and perfusion-weighted imaging

- High resolution with minimal distortion
- Includes 2D/3D-segmented EPI (SE and FID)

### RESOLVE

(REadout Segmentation Of Long Variable Echo trains)  
Multi-shot EPI for high-resolution, low-distortion diffusion-imaging

- Accurate lesion depiction
- Largely insensitive to susceptibility effects
- Detailed, anatomy-true diffusion imaging for brain, spine, breast, and prostate

### CISS

(Constructive Interference in Steady State)  
Very high-resolution images, valuable for visualizing fine details of the brain and spine

- Assessment of small pathologies that may not be as visible with other sequences

### 3D GRE, 2D/3D FISP and PSIF

Broadens applications in:

- Field mapping
- Steady-state imaging
- Diffusion imaging



# Comprehensive imaging techniques

## Parallel imaging

Dramatically reducing scan times, ensuring swift, high-quality diagnostic imaging

### iPAT (Integrated Parallel Acquisition Technique)

High-performance and flexible parallel imaging

- Integrated autocalibration

Incorporates two sophisticated algorithms to ensure maximum quality across all applications:

- mSENSE
- GRAPPA

**Applicability**

- SE, TSE, SPACE, MEDIC, TIRM DarkFluid, HASTE, EPI, MPRAGE, 3D VIBE, FLASH, TrueFISP, TurboFLASH, FLASH phase contrast, etc.

**Compatibility**

All multi-element coils and coil combinations

### tPAT (temporal iPAT)

Rapid high-resolution dynamic imaging

Three distinct calibration techniques:

- Autocalibration: Reference scan to save total scan time
- Turbocalibration: Separate measurement for reduced PAT artifacts
- tPAT and PAT Averaging: Self-calibration for motion artifact suppression

### iPAT<sup>2</sup>

Enhanced breath-hold capability with increased slice coverage

Utilizes PAT in two directions simultaneously

- For both phase-encoding and 3D direction in 3D sequences

Ideal for:

- MR angiography
- Ultrafast isotropic T1-weighted 3D imaging of the head

### CAIPIRINHA

(Controlled Aliasing In Parallel Imaging Results IN Higher Acceleration)

Optimizes volumetric 3D imaging across various body applications

Includes:

- VIBE
- SPACE

# Comprehensive imaging techniques

## Image enhancement techniques

A range of techniques designed to significantly improve the quality, clarity, and diagnostic value of MR images

### Fat/water imaging

**Fat and water saturation**

Additional frequency-selective RF pulses for precise suppression of bright signals from fatty tissues

Two tailored modes for optimal control:

- Weak
- Strong

**Quick FatSat**

Swift fat saturation processes

- Optimizes the imaging procedure while maintaining high image quality

**SPAIR**  
(Spectral Adiabatic Inversion Recovery)

Robust fat suppression in body and thorax imaging

- Utilizes a frequency-selective inversion pulse

**Selective fat/water excitation**

Spectrally selective RF pulses to target fat and water excitation exclusively

- Enhances the clarity and contrast of images

**Dixon**

For unparallelled fat and water separation

- Detailed tissue characterization and improved diagnostic accuracy

Available on:

- VIBE
- TSE

**STIR**  
(Short Tau Inversion Recovery)

Utilizes magnetization inversion to robustly suppress the fat signal, enhancing the T2 relaxation properties for improved tissue contrast

- Particularly useful in fluid detection
- Lesion detection in fatty tissues

### Motion correction

**BLADE**

A turbo spin-echo sequence that is inherently resistant to motion, with added features for actively correcting motion artifacts

- Ideal for head, spine, orthopedic, and abdominal imaging

Simultaneous in-plane motion correction for any slice orientation

Available contrasts:

- T2
- T1
- STIR
- DarkFluid

**Compatibility**

- All coils and planes
- iPAT using GRAPPA
- Restore pulses
- Respiratory-triggered abdominal imaging with 2D PACE

**1D PACE**  
(Prospective Acquisition Correction)

Quick and straightforward acquisition control

- Suitable for cardiac imaging

Enables patient examination during free breathing

**2D PACE**

For precise motion correction in moving organs (heart, liver)

- Enables free-breathing during high-res 2D/3D exams
- Dramatically improves image quality
- Precise gating for more accurate multi-breath-hold studies
- Eliminates need for respiratory belt
- Uses PAT averaging for effective motion artifact suppression

# Comprehensive imaging techniques

## Image enhancement techniques

### Susceptibility artifact reduction<sup>1)</sup>

**WARP**  
Minimizes susceptibility artifacts, such as those from MR Conditional implants

Combines high-bandwidth 2D TSE sequences with the **VAT** (View Angle Tilting) technique

Available contrasts:

- T1
- T2
- STIR

**Advanced WARP**  
Reduces trough-plane distortions caused by large MR Conditional implants

Especially useful for:

- Hip and knee joint replacements

Includes 2D TSE-based **SEMAC** (Slice Encoding for Metal Artifact Correction)

### Additional enhancement techniques

**Inversion Recovery (IR)**  
Nullifies the signal of fat, fluid, or any other specific tissue

**True Inversion Recovery (TrueIR)**  
Strong T1-weighted contrast

- Significantly enhances image quality with clear contrast differentiation

**Dark Blood Inversion Recovery Technique**  
Suppresses fluid blood signal

- Enhanced visualization of blood vessels and cardiac structures

**Freely Adjustable Receiver Bandwidth & Flip Angle**  
Enables studies with an increased signal-to-noise ratio

- Optimized RF pulses enhance image contrast

**Magnetization Transfer Contrast (MTC)**  
Employs off-resonance RF pulses to suppress signal from specific tissues

- Particularly useful in magnetic resonance angiography (MRA)

**Multidirectional Diffusion Weighting (MDDW)**  
Boosts diffusion tensor imaging (DTI) by incorporating:

- Multiple diffusion weightings
- Up to 12 directions for more comprehensive data sets

Available sequences:

- EPI
- RESOLVE

## Acquisition parameters

Acquisition parameters <sup>1)</sup>	AWP	
2D	Number of slices	1–256 (steps of 1)
	Slice order	Sequential or interleaved
3D slabs/partitions	Number of 3D partitions for matrix 256 × 256	4–512
	Number of 3D slabs (3D volumes)	1–128 (steps of 1)
Acquisition matrix	Frequency encoding (true imaging matrix without interpolation or oversampling)	64–1024 (in steps of 2; sequence dependent)
	Phase encoding	32–1024 (in steps of 1)
Reduced matrix	Phase resolution (rectangular matrix)	32 × n ... n × n (steps of 1)
	Slice resolution (3D volumes)	50 %–100 %
Partial Fourier imaging	Phase partial Fourier (Half Fourier)	4/8–1 (steps of 1/8)
	Read partial Fourier (asymmetric echo)	Selectable
	Slice partial Fourier (3D volumes)	5/8–1 (steps of 1/8)
Rectangular field of view	In phase encoding direction	3 %–100 %
Averaging	Number of data acquisitions	1–32 (steps of 1)
	Averaging mode	Short term, Long term (LOTA)
Oversampling	Read oversampling	100 % standard
	Phase oversampling	0 %–100 % (steps of 12.5 %)
	Slice oversampling (3D volumes)	0 %–100 % (steps of 12.5 %)
Interpolation	In plane interpolation	Selectable (factor of 2)
	3D interpolation (3D volumes)	Selectable (up to factor of 2)
Serial acquisitions	Number of repeated scans	With constant delay times 1–4096
		With different delay times 1–65
Swap	Exchange of read-out and phase-encoding direction	Yes
Slice orientation	Slice orientation for 2D and 3D scans	Transverse, sagittal, coronal, oblique, double oblique (steps of 0.1°)
	Multislice, multiangle (simultaneously)	Yes

<sup>1)</sup> MR imaging of patients with metallic implants brings specific risks. However, certain implants are approved by the governing regulatory bodies to be MR conditionally safe. For such implants, the previously mentioned warning may not be applicable. Please contact the implant manufacturer for the specific conditional information. The conditions for MR safety are the responsibility of the implant manufacturer, not of Siemens Healthineers.

<sup>1)</sup> Not all parameter combinations may be feasible; certain parameters might rely on optional application packages



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## Efficiency enhancements

### Auto Coil Detect

Detects the position and orientation of coils automatically

Shows coils in the user interface right within the graphical slice positioning

### Auto Coil Select

Automatic detection and selection of all coil elements in the active field of view

### syngo Scan Assistant

Shows parameter constraints and provides possible solutions

### scan@center

Automated table movement for scanning in magnet isocenter, user-toggable

"Local range" positioning mode for specific regions (heart, brain) with fixed table position tolerance

Increases scan efficiency by reducing adjustment time

For interventional procedures, a dedicated positioning feature maintains a fixed table position, regardless of scan field position

### Automatic voice commands

Assist with optimal timing for breathing, scanning, and contrast media injection during scans

- In multiple languages

### Phoenix and PhoenixZIP

Pulse sequences data exchange (e.g., via Internet) through drag & drop of clinical images

PhoenixZIP enables the transfer of entire measurement programs

### Online help

### DirectConnect

Cableless direct connection for:

- Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Spine Coil
- Foot/Ankle Coil

### SlideConnect®

SlideConnect® cable connectors can be securely plugged-in with one hand only

### Recon&GO

Wide range of Inline functionalities automates postprocessing steps for pre-viewing

Delivers ready-to-read results with zero clicks, even in advanced cases

### Example features

- Inline Composing: Automates composition of adjacent coronal/sagittal images for anatomical/angiographic exams
- Inline Subtraction: Automates image subtraction, e.g., pre/post-contrast
- Inline calculation for ADC maps and extrapolated b-values
- Inline MIP on-the-fly: Automates MR angiography image subtraction and MIP in three planes
- Prospective motion correction (1D and 2D PACE) on-the-fly
- Automatic perfusion and diffusion maps
- On-the-fly calculation of standard deviation for arterial/venous phase differentiation
- Automatic launch of postprocessing applications
- Inline Display: Auto-reconstructs images for immediate access, opens automatically for interactive scanning or Care Bolus exams
- Inline Movie: Auto-starts cine image display

### TimCT FastView

"One go" localizer for whole-body or large regions (whole spine, abdomen), capturing extended field of view in one volume with isotropic resolution

- Transverse, coronal, sagittal reformats calculated inline and displayed for planning future exams
- Inline reconstruction of localizer images during the scan
- Provides localizing images in three planes over maximum field of view for all-orientation planning
- Operates without laser light positioning, streamlining workflow for multiple indications

### Quiet Suite

For extremely quiet neuro and orthopedic imaging, with up to 93 % reduction in sound pressure <sup>1)</sup>

- Brain
- Spine
- Large joints

QuietX for optimized gradient waveforms to achieve significant noise reduction and smoother, more tolerable sounds without impacting image quality or scan time

- Quiet prescan normalize and quiet localizers
- QuietX TSE and GRE sequences for T1, T2, and DarkFluid contrasts
- QuietX SWI<sup>2)</sup>
- QuietX Diffusion
- PETRA (Pointwise Encoding Time Reduction with Radial Acquisition) for barely audible 3D T1-weighted imaging (inaudible with TxRx coil)
- Optimized Quiet pulse sequences for the brain, spine, and large joints

### Quick Protocols

Fast protocols optimized for high throughput demands in standard applications

- Available for the most common MRI examinations of the brain, spine and large joints

### Elliptical scanning

Reduces scan time for 3D imaging by optimizing the coverage and speed of the scanning process

1) Data on file, results may vary

2) Prerequisite: SWI license





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## Advanced techniques

### Discover Acceleration Package

Acceleration techniques to enhance productivity

Applicable for all contrasts, orientations, and routine imaging (head to toe)

**Compatibility**

- iPAT and iPAT<sup>2</sup>
- tPAT (temporal iPAT)
- CAIPIRINHA for advanced iPAT<sup>2</sup> supporting SPACE and VIBE

**Deep Resolve Gain**

Specifically tackles the inherent challenge of non-uniform noise distribution in accelerated MRI. Substantially improves signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) throughout the image

Enables particularly strong and targeted denoising in areas where conventional methods fall short

- Acquires raw data from reduced, and thereby faster, scans
- Captures individual noise maps that reflect local noise variations

The image is effectively denoised by using the noise map iteratively

**Available sequences**

- Turbo Spin Echo (TSE)
- Spin Echo (SE)
- TSE Dixon

**Compatibility**

- Standard GRAPPA acceleration

**Deep Resolve Sharp**

Enhances image quality by boosting sharpness and minimizing Gibbs ringing at edges, achieved in reduced scan times

Offers up to a twofold improvement in in-plane resolution

Accurately predicts the location of sharp edges in images

**Applicability**

Versatile across various contrast weightings and orientations

**Available sequences**

- Turbo Spin Echo (TSE)
- Spin Echo (SE)
- TSE Dixon

**Compatibility**

- Standard GRAPPA acceleration
- Deep Resolve Gain
- Deep Resolve Boost

### Advanced Diffusion

High-resolution low-distortion diffusion-weighted imaging (DWI) for accurate depiction of lesions

[RESOLVE](#) and QuietX Diffusion

RESOLVE with DTI tractography enables excellent white-matter tract imaging, including challenging areas like the cervical spine

- Readout-segmented (multi-shot) EPI for high-resolution, susceptibility-insensitive DWI
- Variable readout segments for flexibility
- 2D navigator-based phase correction minimizes pulsation artifacts and automatically reacquires corrupted data
- Inline calculation of DTI and diffusion parameter maps



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# Operational enhancements

## Expert-i

### Real-time interactive access to imaging data and exam information

From networked PCs<sup>1)</sup> for remote assistance during MRI exams

Removes need for physical presence of radiologists/experts at the scanner for review or setup help

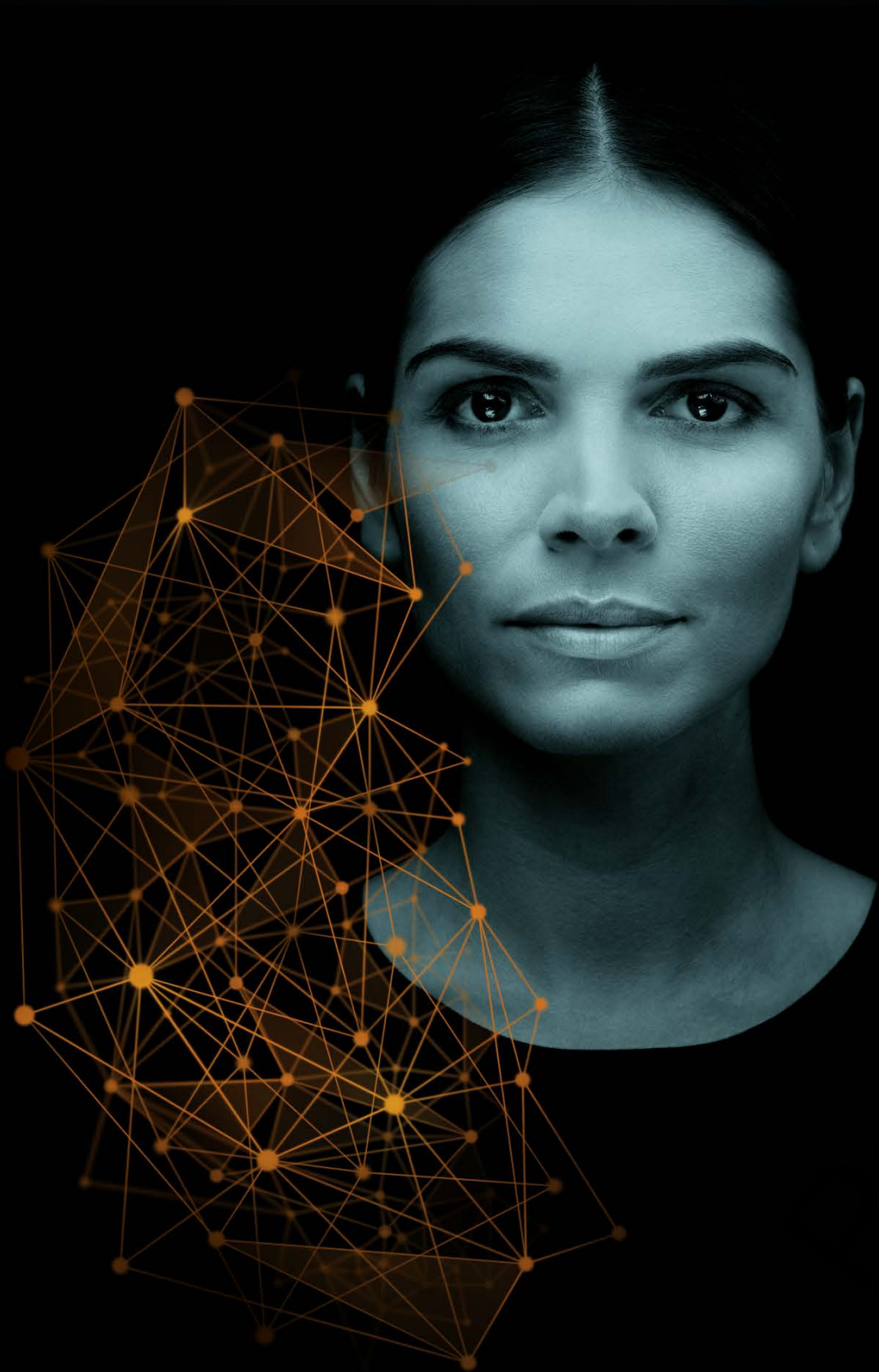
- Immediate, high-quality results
- Faster patient processing
- Reduces repeat rates by allowing image checks while the patient is still on site
- Minimizes training requirements through expert remote support for specialized procedures

## Security features

This *syngo* software version provides security settings to protect the scanner against known security threats.

- User management includes authentication measures to prevent unauthorized access
- Privileges system to assign rights and specify functionalities based on user roles
- Operating system is hardened, with network communication restrictions for added security
- Whitelisting (embedded control) protects against unauthorized modifications to scanner software
- Security delivery process ensures regular distribution of security updates
- Option to safeguard custom pulse sequence trees from unauthorized changes
- Audit trail functionality logs system and data access by specified users and service personnel
- Support provided to customers for implementing their security policies, including HIPAA compliance

1) Minimum bandwidth 30 Mbit/s, recommended 100 Mbits/s

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## Tim Application Suites

Clinically optimized examinations in all body regions,  
from head to toe

### What is an Application Suite?

A Total image matrix (Tim) Application Suite is a collection of software and hardware features, applications, and functionalities tailored for specific imaging needs and clinical applications.

Siemens bundles these suites to optimize the performance and capabilities of MAGNETOM for particular medical specialties or types of examinations.

- > [Neuro Suite](#)
- > [Angio Suite](#)
- > [Cardiac Suite](#)
- > [Body Suite](#)
- > [Onco Suite](#)
- > [Ortho Suite](#)
- > [Breast Suite](#)
- > [Scientific Suite](#)
- > [Pediatric Suite](#)
- > [Tim Planning Suite](#)

The Tim Application Suites are standard on MAGNETOM Flow.



# Tim Application Suites

## Neuro Suite

Dedicated programs facilitate extensive head and spine examinations

- High-resolution & fast imaging techniques
- Fast 2D imaging with TSE and GRE
  - BLADE for motion-insensitive TSE imaging
  - EPI for diffusion imaging, perfusion imaging, and fMRI
  - 3D isotropic volume imaging with T1 3D MPRAGE/3D FLASH SPACE DarkFluid T1/T2 SPACE
- Advanced neuro techniques
- Diffusion-weighted imaging (DWI) with up to 16 b-values
  - SliceAdjust for reduced distortions
  - 3D TOF for non-contrast angiography
  - TSE\_MDME for multi-contrast imaging
  - MP2RAGE for homogeneous tissue contrast and segmentation
  - Whole-spine acquisitions with software-controlled table movement
- Specialized imaging protocols
- 2D/3D MEDIC for T2 contrast, particularly for C-spine exams
  - BioMatrix's CoilShim for reducing B0 inhomogeneities
  - 3D Myelo for detailed anatomical imaging
  - PSIF diffusion spine imaging for high spatial accuracy
  - 3D CISS for fine structure visualization, such as cranial nerves and the inner ear
  - TGSE for efficient T2-weighted imaging of the brain
- Imaging optimization & support features
- High-resolution T2 SPACE optimized for inner ear exams
  - Double inversion recovery 3D (DIR SPACE) for simultaneous suppression of two species, e.g. cerebral-spinal fluid and white matter
  - RESOLVE for accurate lesion depiction
  - AutoAlign Head LS for enhanced imaging fidelity

## Angio Suite

Excellent MR Angiography to visualize arteries and veins

- Contrast-enhanced MRA
- 3D ce-MRA
- For dynamic, carotid, abdominal, and peripheral arteries
- Shortest TR and TE
- Test Bolus
- For optimal bolus timing
- Care Bolus
- Accurate determination of bolus arrival time and “Stop and Continue” of 3D ce-MRA after 2D bolus control scan
- Non-contrast MRA and venography
- 2D Time-of-Flight (ToF)
- For Circle of Willis, carotids, neck vessels
  - Breath-hold protocols for abdominal vessels
- Triggered 2D ToF
- For non-contrast MRA
  - Particularly of the abdomen and the extremities
- 2D phase contrast
- MR venography
- With 2D ToF and phase contrast
- TONE (Tilted Optimized Non-saturating Excitation) and MTC (Magnetization Transfer Contrast)
- For improved contrast-to-noise ratio (CNR)
- Inline image processing
- MPR, MIP, MinIP
  - Inline MIP for immediate results
  - Inline subtraction of pre- and post-contrast measurements
  - Inline standard deviation maps of phase-contrast measurements for delineation of arteries and veins

# Tim Application Suites

## Cardiac Suite

From morphology and ventricular function to tissue characterization

- Fast step-by-step cardiac scouting of typical cardiac views
- Short-axis, four-chamber, and two-chamber views
  - E.g. based on TrueFISP or Dark Blood TurboFLASH
- In conjunction with iPAT, tPAT, ePAT
- BEAT
- Set of specialized techniques and protocols optimized for cardiac imaging
- User-friendly protocols minimize setup and execution complexity
- Synchronizes the MRI acquisition with the patient's heartbeat (cardiac synchronization)
- One-click switches
- 2D to 3D imaging
  - FLASH to TrueFISP
- (G60 only):
- Arrhythmia rejection on/off
  - Cartesian to radial sampling (increase effective image resolution and avoid folding artifacts in large patients)
- Visualization of structural cardiovascular pathologies
- Multiple contrasts (such as T1, T2)
- Dark Blood TSE with motion compensation for high-quality vessel wall imaging in small or large vessels
- Breath-hold and free-breathing (G60 only) techniques for strong contrast between blood and vascular structures
  - Dark Blood TSE and HASTE for the structural evaluation of the cardiothoracic anatomy, including vessels or heart valves
  - Cine techniques (FLASH & TrueFISP) for high-resolution valve evaluation
- Rapid evaluation of left/right ventricular function
- Acquisition of a stack of short-axis slices (standard: advanced segmented TrueFISP)
- Automatic adjustment of the acquisition window to the current heart rate
- Inline ECG for graphical ECG triggering setup
- Retrospective gating with cine sequences (TrueFISP, FLASH)
- (G60 only):
- Real-time imaging for patients who have difficulty holding their breath
- AutoMate Cardiac
- AI-based automated planning
- AutoPositioning
- Accurate setup of scan parameters, localizers, 3D whole heart measurements
- AutoRestingPhase
- Detects optimal data acquisition window for several cardiac target anatomies
- AutoTI (Automatic Inversion Time)
- Optimal inversion time for delayed enhancement measurements

# Tim Application Suites

## Cardiac Suite

### 4D imaging (G60 only)

- For high-contrast and high-resolution tissue characterization
- Stress and rest imaging with TurboFLASH**
- Acquisition of multiple slices with high-resolution and arbitrarily adjustable slice orientation for each slice
- Advanced parallel imaging**
- tPAT and ePAT with mSENSE and GRAPPA
- Fast high-resolution dynamic imaging
- Optimization of tissue contrast**
- Segmented IR TrueFISP/FLASH with T1 scout
- Advanced tissue characterization**
- 2D phase-sensitive IR (**PSIR**) pulse sequences with TrueFISP and FLASH contrast
- Magnitude and phase-sensitive images with one acquisition
  - No adjustment of inversion time (TI) necessary
- PSIR HeartFreeze**
- Motion correction and averaging of multiple measurements using iPAT or tPAT-accelerated single-shot TrueFISP or GRE images of the heart
- Enables free-breathing acquisition

# Tim Application Suites

## Body Suite

Dedicated to clinical body applications

### 2D PACE

- Multi-breathhold examinations and free breathing
- Motion artifact reduction with 2D PACE Inline
- Free-breathing 2D PACE applications with 2D HASTE (RESTORE) and 2D/3D TSE
- Phase navigator measures respiratory induced off-resonance effects
- Automated positioning for most pulse sequences

### SliceAdjust (slice-by-slice adjustments)

- Reduced distortions and homogeneous signal intensity
- In the presence of challenging susceptibility interfaces
  - At station boundaries

### Abdomen 2D

- Breathhold and free breathing
- T1 FLASH breathhold, with and without FatSat (SPAIR, Quick FatSat, in-phase/opp-phase)
  - T2 breath-old (HASTE, TSE/BLADE, EPI), with and without FatSat (SPAIR, FatSat, STIR)
  - T1 TFL triggered (2D PACE free breathing) in-phase/opp-phase
  - T2 triggered (HASTE, TSE/BLADE, EPI) with and without FatSat (SPAIR, FatSat, STIR), including HASTE and TSE multiecho
  - Optimized rapid HASTE and high-resolution SPACE and TSE for MRCP and MR urography

### AutoAlign

Enhances efficiency with automatic positioning and scan parameter adaptation

### Pelvis

- High-resolution T1, T2 pelvic imaging
- Isotropic T2 SPACE 3D
  - Dynamic volume examinations with 3D VIBE

### Thorax

- High-resolution T1, T2
- Motion-insensitive (BLADE, HASTE)
  - TrueFISP for imaging of respiratory mechanics
  - Non-contrast-enhanced vessel visualization with SPACE
  - STIR for the evaluation of lymph nodes
  - Diffusion-weighted imaging with single-shot EPI

### Abdomen 3D

#### Dixon (VIBE 2-point Dixon) breathhold

- In-phase, opposed phase, fat, and water images
- Inline calculation of fat-fraction maps for increased fat-to-lesion contrast in bone marrow

#### Dynamic VIBE

- SPAIR, Dixon, and Quick-FatSat
- Inline motion correction for the visualization of focal lesions with high spatial and temporal resolution

#### Dark-lumen colonography

With T1-weighted VIBE

#### Diffusion-weighted imaging (DWI)

- For the prostate, cervix, rectum, and additional organs
- Using single-shot EPI with multiple b-values
  - Individual numbers of averages may be specified per b-value

#### Inline calculation

- ADC maps
- Exponential ADC maps
- Inverted b-value images
- Extrapolation of high b-values up to b=5000 s/mm²

# Tim Application Suites

## Onco Suite

Detailed assessment of a variety of oncological conditions

STIR TSE, HASTE, FLASH in-phase/opposed-phase for highly sensitive visualization of focal lesions

Dynamic imaging for tissue kinetic assessment

Quantitative analysis with colorized maps via Inline technology

- Wash-in/wash-out
- Time to peak
- Positive enhancement integral
- MIP-time
- Combination maps

TimeCurve postprocessing for temporal analysis in selected ROIs

- Supports additional datasets for ROI definition

### Diffusion-weighted imaging (DWI)

- Single-shot EPI with multiple b-values
- Individual numbers of averages per b-value

[RESOLVE](#) for high-resolution, low-distortion DWI

### Inline calculation

- ADC maps
- Exponential ADC maps
- Inverted b-value images
- Extrapolation of high b-values up to b=5000 s/mm²

### SliceAdjust (slice-by-slice adjustments)

- Reduced distortions and homogeneous signal intensity
- In the presence of challenging susceptibility interfaces
  - At station boundaries

### Prostate imaging

- For a variety of clinical scenarios
- T1-weighted 3D VIBE with high temporal resolution for time course evaluation
  - Prostate DWI with single-shot EPI and [RESOLVE](#)
  - Prostate spectroscopy with up to 8 sat bands (suppression of water and fat signal)

### Whole-body imaging

- TSE STIR for head to toe and head-to-pelvis
- Focus regions head, neck, thorax, abdomen, and pelvis
  - DWI with single-shot EPI

### Inline calculation and composing

- Of whole-body fat-fraction maps
- Based on 2-point Dixon protocol
  - Increased fat-to-lesion contrast in bone marrow

# Tim Application Suites

## Ortho Suite

Dedicated to joint imaging including the spine

### High-resolution imaging

2D TSE for PD, T1, and T2-weighted contrast with high in-plane resolution and thin slices

3D MEDIC, 3D TrueFISP with water excitation for T2-weighted imaging

High-resolution 3D VIBE for MR arthrography (knee, shoulder, hip)

### 3D imaging & postprocessing

3D MEDIC, 3D TrueFISP, 3D VIBE with high isotropic resolution for 3D postprocessing

T1 and PD SPACE 3D with high isotropic resolution, compatible with CAIPIRINHA for advanced postprocessing

### Spine imaging & dynamic joint assessment

Single-step and multi-step whole-spine protocols

Dynamic protocols for TMJ and ilio-sacral joint, assessing contrast dynamics and different joint positions

### Specialized imaging & fat suppression

Multiecho SE for T2 mapping with up to 32 echoes

High-resolution 3D DESS for fluid-cartilage differentiation

2-point Dixon for fat and water separation in TSE sequences

Excellent fat suppression in off-center positions, e.g., in the shoulder, due to high magnet homogeneity

### Advanced techniques

WARP for metal artifact reduction

> [WARP](#)

> [Advanced WARP](#)

## Breast Suite

Excellent tissue contrast for the evaluation of the breasts

Customized pulse sequences (e.g., fat saturation, water excitation, silicone excitation) and flexible multiplanar visualization

### High-resolution diagnostics

2D for morphology evaluation

3D for both breasts simultaneously

### Interventional support

Such as fine needle and vacuum biopsies, wire localization

### Silicone implant evaluation

Automatic and manual frequency adjustment for silicone signal

Techniques to detect and manage the silicone signal for implant leakage detection or surrounding tissue evaluation

### Advanced imaging techniques

Dixon – 2-point Dixon with 3D VIBE for in-phase, opposed phase, fat, and water images

iPAT with GRAPPA and iPAT² with CAIPIRINHA for sagittal imaging and improved temporal resolution in dynamic scans

### Image processing and analysis

Inline subtraction and MIP display

Offline subtraction, MPR, and MIP display

### Specialized breast imaging

Diffusion-weighted imaging with single-shot EPI, adjustable averages per b-value

**RADIANT** for ultrasound-like reconstruction around the mammary papilla

**VIEWS** (Volume Imaging with Enhanced Water Signal) for bilateral examination, axial views of milk ducts, with fat-saturated or water-excited options

Near-isotropic 3D measurement for any direction reconstruction, submillimeter voxel size

### RESOLVE

> [RESOLVE](#)



# Tim Application Suites

## Scientific Suite

Easy access to application-specific data for further processing and advanced image calculus

**Data management and privacy**

USB memory stick support

Patient data anonymization

**Educational and presentation tools**

Simplified creation of AVIs and snapshots for presentations/teaching

Exports tables, statistics, and signal time courses in formats like tabulated text (TimeCurve, spectroscopy, DTI evaluations)

**Advanced image calculus**

Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division

## Pediatric Suite <sup>1)</sup>

Addressing challenges of scanning pediatrics patients

**Motion robust scanning techniques for non-compliant patients**

BLADE TSE scanning across all slice orientations

Various body regions including head, spine, abdomen, orthopedic imaging

Multiple contrasts: T1, T2, Dark Fluid, STIR

**Noise reduction**

Lowers MR scan sound pressure, enhancing patient comfort and compliance during MRI exams

> [Quiet Suite](#)

**Fast scan techniques**

For reduced exam durations and improved patient compliance

2D and 3D acceleration methods (iPAT, CAIPIRINHA)

Optional techniques for enhanced acceleration:

> [Compressed Sensing](#)

> [Simultaneous Multi-Slice](#)

> [Deep Resolve](#)

**Protocol adaption**

Tailored to age, body size, and variations in tissue relaxation times

Parameter adjustment according to preference and use case

Pediatric protocols can be saved for future examinations

**Siemens Healthineers pediatric community**

Peer-to-peer exchange of pediatric MRI knowledge. Protocols articles, recorded presentations, images, available for download

<https://www.magnetomworld.siemens-healthineers.com>

**Patient education**

Option

MAGNETOM Mini scanner designed to demonstrate the appearance and sound of an MRI system

Educational children's books and MR paper models

<https://www.magnetomworld.siemens-healthineers.com/toolkit/mri-patient-education>

## Tim Planning Suite

Simplified planning for extended field-of-view examinations

**Multi-station planning**

- On composed localizer images
- Adjustable slice group overlap
- Independent parameter settings for each station, displayed collectively

Special coupling mode for simultaneous positioning of all stations according to patient anatomy

Full support for scan@center and Phoenix functionality

**Set-n-Go protocols**

Ready-to-use and tailored for various clinical questions

**Quick advanced slice planning**

- Integrated toolbar:
  - FOV-Plus
  - FOV-Minus
  - AlignParallel
  - AlignFieldOfViews

<sup>1)</sup> MR scanning has not been established as safe for imaging fetuses and infants under two years of age. The responsible physician must evaluate the benefit of the MRI examination in comparison to other imaging procedures.





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## Optimized MRI workflow

Integration of hardware, software, automation, and postprocessing

### Top-tier patient care

- > [Patient handling](#)
- > [syngo MR software](#)
- > [myExam Companion](#)



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Patient handling

- Enhanced patient comfort and efficiency**  
BioMatrix Interfaces, Tim 4G, and myExam Companion enhance patient comfort and operational efficiency
- Streamlined user interaction**  
BioMatrix Interfaces streamline user interaction  
  
Select&GO touch display, based on the BioMatrix Body Model, enables rapid and accurate patient positioning, avoiding delays from incorrect setup
- Simplified patient setup**  
Users select the scan region or organ on the touch display for automatic, precise patient alignment  
  
One-time setup: no need for repositioning or changing coils  
  
150 cm scan range covers most whole-body exams without moving the patient
- Simplified imaging**  
Optimized, high-element ultra-lightweight surface coils  
  
Remote control of table movement
- Anxiety-reducing options**  
Feet-first examination options for various applications (e.g., cardiac, liver, upper abdomen, pelvis, colonography, body angio) alleviate anxiety for claustrophobic patients
- Patient positioning aids**  
Standard set of cushions for comfortable and stable patient positioning together with safety straps

Patient communication

- Ergonomic patient communication unit**  

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Designed for flexibility, can be placed anywhere on the workplace table  
  
Features a squeeze bulb for patient assistance calls  
  
Responds to patient activation with options for table stop, sequence stop, and adjusting volumes
- Audio communication controls**
  - Volume adjustment for control room speaker
  - Volume control for examination room speaker and headphones, accommodating voice commands
- External audio system integration**  
Connects to an external audio system with independent volume controls for voice and music  
  
Pneumatic system in ergonomically designed headphones ensures comfort  
  
Includes loudspeaker and microphone for clear audio exchange
- Advanced voice command system**  
Automatic and customizable voice commands for breath-hold instructions  
  
Music automatically mutes for clear communication during instructions  
  
Two-way intercom allows open communication between patient and control room

# Patient handling

## BioMatrix Patient Table

Engineered for robust hygiene and optimal patient experience

Accommodates patients up to 250 kg, supporting full weight capacity in both vertical<sup>1)</sup> and horizontal movements

Integrated coils for quick patient preparation and enhanced user comfort

Modular infusion stand and paper roll holder cushion

Allows for adjustable table speed, including predefined acceleration or continuous adjustment via the jog-wheel on Select&GO control units

Max. patient weight for vertical <sup>1)</sup> and horizontal table movement		250 kg (551 lbs)
Max. scan range		1500 mm <sup>1)</sup>
Vertical table movement (Only available for patient table with vertical drive)	Range <sup>2)</sup>	480 mm–930 mm + 30 mm <sup>3)</sup> ± 5 mm <sup>4)</sup>
	Speed	40 mm/s ± 1 mm/s
	Max. range	2150 mm ± 5 mm
	Max. speed	200 mm/s ± 2 mm/s
Horizontal table movement	Repositioning accuracy in same direction	± 0.5 mm
	Repositioning accuracy in opposite directio	± 1 mm
Continuous table movement during scan capable		

1) Depending on specific application and patient positioning  
Option: Vertical table drive to lower patient to 48 cm for easy access

2) From lowest position to maximum height

3) Adjust limit switch

4) Depending on the floor conditions

# Patient handling

## Physiological Measurement Unit (PMU)

**Wireless physio control**  
Synchronizes measurements with physiological cycles to minimize motion artifacts from cardiac and respiratory movements

Visualizes physiological curves on the Select&GO display

**Wireless sensors**  
Vector ECG/respiration and pulse sensors, wireless and battery-powered for easy patient handling

**Physiological signals monitored**

- ECG (three channels)
- Pulse
- Respiration
- Cardiac motion

**Triggering methods**

**ECG triggering**  
Captures multiple heart slices at various cardiac cycle phases

Enhanced image quality through synchronization with cardiac motion

**Peripheral pulse triggering**  
Minimizes flow artifacts from pulsatile blood flow

Improved image quality by aligning data acquisition with blood pulse

**Respiratory triggering**  
Enhances image quality by aligning data acquisition with respiratory motion

**External triggering**  
Interface for trigger inputs from both internal (e.g., patient monitoring systems) and external sources (optional, e.g., pulse generators for fMRI)

Optical trigger output for fMRI

**Retrospective gating**  
For ECG, peripheral pulse, and external triggers

## Noise reduction

**Gradient coils**

- Acoustically optimized mountings minimize structure-borne noise
- Special epoxy resin and casting technology dampen vibrations
- Reduction in gradient stray field limits eddy currents
- Acoustically soft yet mechanically rigid mountings inside the magnet
- Force compensation on all axes

**Magnet**

- Complete magnet encapsulation
- Efficient floor decoupling to minimize noise transfer
- Noise-optimized cold head
- Thermally balanced materials reduce physical interactions
- Acoustic decoupling from cover

**Body coil**

- Low-vibration, noise-optimized supporting tube material
- Extension beyond gradient coil for maximal noise reduction
- Slotted copper structures glued to reduce high-frequency noise
- Acoustically decoupled with special suspensions

**Optimized sequence timing**

- Prevents gradient coil resonance
- No compromise on application performance

**Whisper Mode**  
For significantly quieter imaging

- Reducing max. slew rate and amplitude
- User-selectable

**Quiet Suite**  
> [Quiet Suite](#)



SystemTechniquesApplicationsWorkflowRF CoilsOptions

Siemens Healthineers' advanced software platform designed to enhance the functionality and efficiency of the MAGNETOM scanner

- > Workspaces
- > syngo MR Examination
- > MR View&GO
- > syngo MR network communication

# syngo MR software

## Workspaces

### Acquisition workplace

Comes standard with a single-monitor setup, complemented by

- One keyboard
- One mouse

### Dual-monitor setup

Dedicated scan and viewing monitors streamline operations for technologists

- Provide a sparated view of scanning and viewing tasks
- Minimize context switching
- Facilitate multitasking

### Scan monitor

Focuses on scanning and initial quality checks

### Viewing monitor

Handles postprocessing, data management (DICOM actions), and multiple applications simultaneously

### Acquisition workplace

- Supports one MR View&GO and three postprocessing applications
- Additional four applications possible on an attached syngo MR Workplace

### Postprocessing features

MR relevant postprocessing functionalities from *syngo.via* are also accessible in *syngo* MR XA70

With an available *syngo* MR Workplace (secondary console), applications can flexibly be used at either the Acquisition or *syngo* MR Workplace

If a dual user package exists, applications can be used simultaneously for different patients across both workplaces

Integrated reporting and Findings Assistant from *syngo.via* are *not* included in *syngo* MR XA70

Postprocessing results are provided as result images at remote DICOM nodes<sup>1)</sup>

1) Special postprocessing DICOM objects, such as segmentations or structured reports, will not be sent out

## syngo MR examination

### AutoScout

Automatically initiates localizer scan

- Brief acquisition time
- Supports arbitrary orientations (multislice multiangle)
- Directly loads images for graphical slice positioning

### Graphical slice positioning

Enables the simultaneous use of three arbitrary localizer images from different measurements

Allows for graphical positioning of slices and saturation regions

**Interactive modification of measurement parameters**  
(Such as slice thickness, distance factor, and oversampling)

Automatic and graphical selection of relevant coil elements

### Off-center positioning

Enables shift of the field of view within the selected slice position

### True multislice multiangle capability

For simultaneous measurement of multiple image stacks in different orientations

**Recall** previous slice and/or saturation region positioning

**Paging** through all images during graphical positioning

### Inline Movie

Allows for slice positioning on dynamic images, such as the beating heart

### Inline Display

Instantly loads images as they become available, for example, during image reconstruction

### Quick overview of images

Via stamps and drag-and-drop loading of entire series for planning

### Graphical Slice Positioning (GSP) on

- 3D reconstructed
- 2D and 3D distortion corrected
- Composed images

### Multiselect GSP segments

For synchronized actions, such as scrolling

# syngo MR software

## MR View&GO

Image viewing, basic postprocessing, filming, and distribution

Central application for image viewing, quality assurance, basic postprocessing, filming, and result distribution

### Features

- Overview of all available data with automatic loading of newly acquired or received images
- Multi-modal image viewing and comparison
- Specialized layouts for MPR, MIP, and VRT
- Basic postprocessing
- Analysis, correction, and filter tools
  - TimeCurve (spatial and temporal analysis of images)
  - Composing and combining of images from different table positions
  - Editable image comment
- Filming with preparation of virtual film sheets for DICOM printer
- Distribution of selected data sets for archiving and DICOM transfer
- Image display**
- Various display layouts selectable incl. time point comparison
  - Multi-modality viewing
  - Image zoom and pan
  - Image annotation and marker
  - Free interactive definition of cut planes in axial, sagit tal, coronal, oblique, and double oblique orientations
  - non-interpolated display of images
  - Mosaic view
  - Predefined views of certain anatomical regions (Auto Views)<sup>1)</sup>
  - Free interactive image rotation of MIP and VRT
  - Interactive 3D reference point for spatial localization on different orientations
  - Interactive slice thickness adjustment
  - Interactive selection of relevant parts of MIP and VRT volumes by 3D shutters or freehand cut out
  - Fast scrolling through data sets (500 images) with 15 frames/s
  - 4D viewing with intuitive temporal (phase navigation in 4D data sets) and spatial scrolling extended by the 4D movie toolbar with phase tags
  - Movie mode for cine display with spatial navigation during running movie

### Windowing

- Width and center freely selectable
- Auto-windowing for optimized contrast
- Capability to save window values
- Various color LUTs (look-up tables) including inversion of grayscale values

### Evaluation

Parallel evaluation of multiple regions of interest

- ROI (Freehand, Circle)
- VOI (Freehand, Sphere)
- Statistical evaluation of ROI/VOI
  - Area or volume
  - Standard deviation
  - Mean value
  - Min/max values
  - Number and sum of pixels or voxels
- Interactive segmentation (Region Growing)
- Pixel lens with position marker
- Distance (line and polyline)
- Angle

### Range creation and curved reconstructions

Enables free definition of parameters like slice thickness, spacing, and numbering for parallel, radial, radial sliced, and curved reconstructions

Offers output display types such as MPR, MIP, MinIP, MIP thin, VRT, VRT thin, and Fusion

- Includes configurable reconstruction presets
- Anatomical range presets for specific body regions

### Position display

Displays measured slice positions on a localizer image or a selected series

### Corrections

- Motion correction
- 3D elastic motion correction for offline adjustment in all directions across entire 2D and 3D datasets, ideal for soft tissue MR exams
- 2D and 3D distortion correction
- Option to undo 2D distortion correction

### Image filter

Smoothing or edge enhancement of image stacks



syngo MR software

**TimeCurve**  
Time-intensity analysis for contrast-enhanced examinations

- Allows on-the-fly analysis using pixel lens or ROIs
- Features an interactive mean curve segment to navigate to specific phases and slice positions within the 4D datasett

**Spine labeling**  
Automatically calculates spine labels or adopts labels from myExam Spine Assist

**Filming**

- Offers both DICOM basic print connection and locally connected printer options
- Interactive filming
- Supports virtual film sheets
- Filming parallel to other activities
- Independent scanning and documentation without delays from camera
- Simultaneous handling of multiple film jobs
- Freely selectable positioning on virtual film sheets
- Various selectable film layouts
- Windowing, image zoom and pan, and annotations on the film sheet
- Configurable image text
- Reference image display
- Printing directly from the browser

**Analysis tools**  
Arithmetic operations on images and series for tasks like evaluating contrast media studies

- Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of single images and entire series
- Calculation of the arithmetic mean across a selected range of images
- ADC maps and calculated b-values with interactive preview

**MPR – Multiplanar Reconstruction**  
Real-time reformatting of secondary views

**MIP – Maximum Intensity Projection**  
3D reconstructions of vessels from a 3D data set or 2D sequential slice data set, acquired with dedicated MR Angiography sequences

- MIP thin
- MIP thick

**MinIP – Minimum Intensity Projection**  
Similar to MIP but focuses on reconstructing areas of minimum intensity

- Useful for Dark Blood techniques

**VRT – Volume Rendering Technique**  
3D rendering with the flexibility to define multiple trapezes for opacity and color

- User-specific presets
- VRT thick
- VRT thin

**Result handling and distribution**  
Provides an overview over all acquired data and facilitates easy selection of target DICOM nodes for archiving

- Supports 4D, including archiving sub-sets of 4D datasets
- Status information about tje distribution state for each dataset

**Prepare reading**  
Allows for dynamic adjustments within a single series, including image reordering, rotation, and deletion

**Series Saving**  
Allows saving the current representation of data within a selected viewing segment as a new result series

If the segment contains MPR data, parallel ranges are automatically generated

**Image fusion**  
Interactive control over the mixing ratio and selection of various (color) LUTs

Provides tools for visually aligning images through interactive adjustments

**Cinematic Volume Rendering Technique VRT (CRT)** Option

Advanced simulation to mimic how light interacts with matter, creating photo-realistic images of anatomical regions

syngo MR software

syngo MR network communication

**DICOM services (Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine)**  
Interface for transmitting medical images and related information according to the DICOM 3.0 industry standard

Facilitates communication between devices from various manufacturers

- DICOM send/receive
- DICOM query/retrieve
- DICOM SC storage commitment
- DICOM basic print
- DICOM modality worklist
- DICOM MPPS modality performed procedure steps
- DICOM structured reports
- DICOM study split

Enhanced MR images (Multiframe)

- Decreased loading times due to minimized redundancy in header information
- Reduced object size leading to less memory consumption
- An average of 40%<sup>1)</sup> reduction in data storage requirements with Multiframe DICOM, lowering archive costs, extending online availability of exams, and speeding up image access at target nodes
- Enhanced application compatibility through adherence to DICOM standard attributes
- Inclusion of color within MR modality images
- MR quantification enhanced by real-world value mapping support
- Improved archiving and application support for MR spectroscopy objects
- Enhanced archiving of DTI and other non-image data, including raw data objects

Image transfer	
Local network	Ethernet
Data transfer rate	Max. 1 Gbit/s
Transfer rate (DICOM enhanced MR images with 80 frames per instance)	Approx. 160 frames/s–250 frames/s

<sup>1)</sup> Data on file. Results may vary

**DICOM study split**  
Splits a single acquired study into multiple studies directly at the scanner

- Allows simultaneous head and neck requests to be scanned once and mapped to two separate studies

Combines multiple procedures into one scan, then divides them into individual studies for billing and reading efficiency

- Maps multiple requested procedures to multiple series with a single scan, saving time
- Enables creation of individually billable studies from one exam
- Enhances departmental workflow by removing the need for post-scan splitting on a separate workstation
- Allows immediate visual selection, checking, and correction of study image assignments
- Permits images of overlapping regions to be copied to both studies

**DICOM interoperability**  
Allows for a conversion to DICOM MR images for remote DICOM nodes, such as PACS systems, that do not support the DICOM Enhanced MR Image format.

**Expert-i**  
Interactive real-time access to imaging data and exam information from any PC within the hospital network during the MR exam

**DICOM Viewer**  
A tool that can be stored along with images on an export medium, allowing it to be handed out to the patient for viewing

**Correction, rearrangement, and deletion**

- DICOM data correction
- Operations for rearranging patient, study, series, and images
- Threshold-based data deletion





# myExam Companion

Highly automated scan workflows

## System

Simplifies the imaging process and enhances clinical decision-making.

Delivers reliable high-quality results tailored to the individual patient’s condition and clinical need.

- Regardless of user experience level
- Regardless of throughput

## Techniques

### Key features

- State-of-the-art automation for peak efficiency
- An intuitive user interface
- Simplified planning and customization of protocols
- Real-time optimization tailored to each patient
- Consistent and reproducible outcomes
- Automated patient positioning

## Applications

## Workflow

## RF Coils

## Options

myExam Companion consists of:

- > [myExam Autopilot](#)
- > [myExam Assist](#)
- > [myExam Cockpit](#)
- > [myExam Implant Suite](#)

# myExam Autopilot

Drastically simplified MRI operation, minimizing the need for user interaction in one page.

Allows less trained staff to perform high-quality scans, easing the load of routine tasks

Similar to myExam Assist, myExam Autopilot offers automation capabilities

- Eliminates the need for manual adjustments
- Automated consistent coverage and orientation
- Customizable to meet site-specific standards of care

### Radically simplified user interface

Scan with a simple touch<sup>1</sup> or click

### Exam Settings

- Language for Automatic Voice Commands
- Exam Mode (standard, motion-insensitive)
- Decisions, such as contrast agent
- Patient Comfort Settings, such as music volume, etc.
- Exam Mode selectable before scan acquisition
- Settings can be optimized on the fly

### Workline

Provides a guided, efficient pathway through the various steps of an MRI exam—from planning and execution to analysis and reporting

Users can start, continue, stop, insert, or remove pauses during examinations

Users can activate a step to view scanned images and information, preview the scan regions of pending steps, and access controls specific to each step

### Image stage

- Previewing scan regions of pending steps
- Viewing scanned images through simple scrolling, allowing for quick and easy review

### Information and control stage

Displays step-specific information and situation-specific controls, such as deleting or repeating a program step

### Last step: The Summary

- Acquired image series are presented in a thumbnail overview
- Enables image distribution and basic filming tasks within myExam Autopilot

## myExam Brain Autopilot

Allows less trained staff to scan brain MRI at high quality.

Automations, such as:

- AutoPosition
- AutoAlign Head LS
- AutoCoverage
- Inline MPR
- Inline Diffusion

## myExam Spine Autopilot

Allows less trained staff to scan general cervical, thoracic and lumbar spine MRI at high quality.

Automations, such as:

- AutoAlign Spine LS
- AutoLabeling for planning support
- Interactive Snapping
- AutoCoverage
- Inline curved reconstructions

## myExam Knee Autopilot

Allows less trained staff to scan knee MRI at high quality.

Automations, such as:

- AutoPosition
- AutoAlign
- AutoCoverage
- Inline MPR

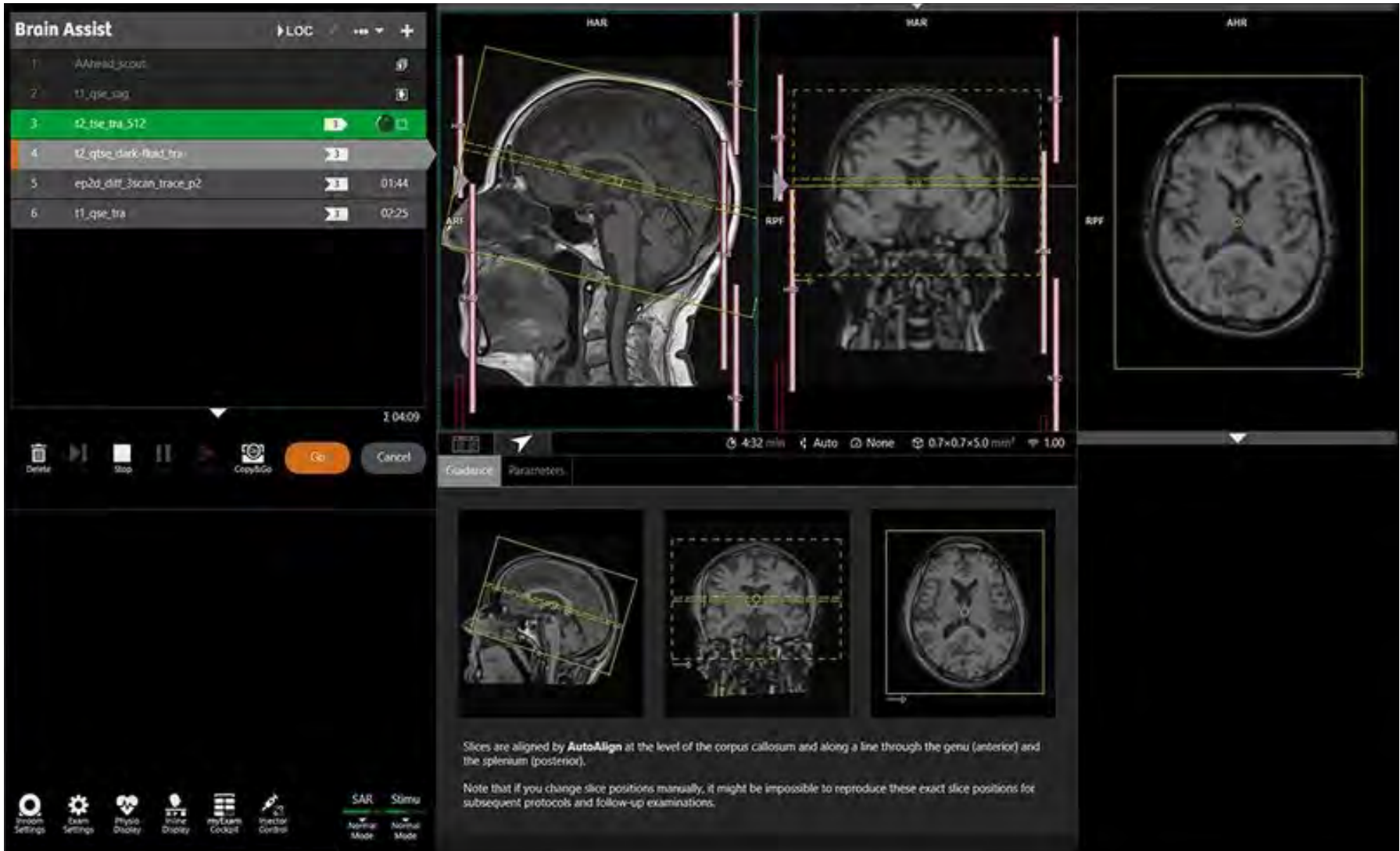


myExam Brain Autopilot

<sup>1)</sup> Prerequisite: 24" Touch Monitor (optional)

# myExam Assist

Supporting the human operator through user guidance, timing optimization, and automation feature



myExam Brain Assist

## Guided and automated user assistance

Adaptable imaging procedures for a range of body regions

### Consistent high-quality results

Customized to each patient's specific condition and clinical needs

Independent of the user's experience level or workflow requirements

### Dynamically adaptable

High-quality imaging standards, even as patient or environmental conditions change

### Mastering complex exams

Unparalleled results in intricate studies, notably in abdominal imaging

### Automated positioning

Advanced automation for slice and volume positioning. Enhances both precision and operational efficiency.

# myExam Assist

## Customizable key features

The recurring features of all myExam Assist modules

### Exam strategies

A suite of examination strategies tailored for all supported body regions.

#### Patient-centric selection

Based on the specific condition of the patient, ensuring personalized care

#### Adaptive flexibility

Accommodates unforeseen needs during the exam—at any point

### Decision points

Tactical program branches enable decisions like the use of contrast agents in subsequent steps.

#### Configurable decisions

- Made in advance or
- Dynamically adjusted during the study

### Rerun functionality

On-the-fly management of the examination queue.

Allows for a portion of the examination queue to be rerun from a selected program step,

#### Flexibility in use

- Using either identical parameters or
- Modified parameters

### Patient View

Streamlines the entire scan setup for a patient in one view on the screen.

#### Usage

- Select from the given choices of suitable Exam strategies
- Customize the examination to meet specific needs

### Parameter View

Streamlined view of a user-defined subset of parameters for manual pulse sequence optimization.

Users can switch to the traditional, fully-loaded parameter view whenever needed.

### Guidance View

Integrated step-by-step instructions for each phase.

#### Guiding through the examination

- Instant help
- How-to descriptions
- Vivid guidance images

Supports customization of guidance images and texts to suit specific clinical needs.

### The crucial benefit of myExam Assist

In contrast to traditional scanning methods: Users can conveniently change exam strategy and decision. This enables expert-level examinations within a reasonable timeframe.



# myExam Assist

## Automation features

For highly automated scan procedures

AutoPosition
<p><b>Enables precise anatomical positioning at the isocenter.</b></p> <p>Eliminating the necessity for laser light positioning.</p> <p><b>Available for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All myExam Assist modules</li></ul>
AutoAlign
<p><b>Offers automatic positioning and precise alignment on anatomy-related slices.</b></p> <p>Delivers robust and consistent results, unaffected by patient age, organ position, disease, or lesions.</p> <p>Supports diagnostic accuracy by ensuring high image quality and standardized slice orientation.</p> <p>Utilizes anatomical landmarks</p> <p><b>Used for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Follow-ups</li><li>• Comparative analysis across patients</li></ul> <p><b>Available for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>&gt; myExam Brain Assist</li><li>&gt; myExam Spine Assist</li><li>&gt; myExam Large Joint Assist</li><li>• myExam Abdomen Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Cardiac Assist<sup>1)</sup></li></ul>
Inline MPR
<p><b>Offers automatic multiplanar reconstruction for 3D datasets.</b></p> <p><b>Effortless setup</b></p> <p>Seamlessly reconstructs any required 2D images automatically</p> <p>Utilizes the position information from AutoAlign.</p> <p><b>Available for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>&gt; myExam Brain Assist</li><li>&gt; myExam Large Joint Assist</li><li>• myExam Breast Assist<sup>1)</sup></li></ul>

AutoCoverage
<p><b>Determines the optimal number of slices and field of view (FOV).</b></p> <p>This ensures complete coverage of the region of interest.</p> <p>Utilizes data from AutoAlign</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bypassing manual adjustments</li><li>• Preventing scanning of superfluous slices</li></ul> <p><b>Available for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>&gt; myExam Brain Assist</li><li>&gt; myExam Spine Assist</li><li>&gt; myExam Large Joint Assist</li><li>• myExam Abdomen Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Whole-Body Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Breast Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Prostate Assist<sup>1)</sup></li></ul>
Automatic voice commands
<p><b>Optimal timing of scanning, breathing, and contrast media administration.</b></p> <p>Commands are played at precise moments.</p> <p>Monitors breath-holds and pauses.</p> <p>Inserts breaks between automatic breath-hold instructions.</p> <p><b>Available for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• myExam Abdomen Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Angio Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Cardiac Assist<sup>1)</sup></li></ul>
AutoFOV
<p><b>Estimates the optimal field of view (FOV) using localizer images.</b></p> <p>Can be repeated at any time in case of patient movements.</p> <p><b>Available for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• myExam Abdomen Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Cardiac Assist<sup>1)</sup></li><li>• myExam Breast Assist<sup>1)</sup></li></ul>

# myExam Assist

## myExam Brain Assist

Optimized for general brain examination

Exam strategies
<p><b>Standard:</b> 2D and 3D pulse sequences</p> <p><b>Speed focus:</b> Fast 2D pulse sequences (e.g. HASTE) to accelerate scanning</p> <p><b>Motion-insensitive:</b> BLADE pulse sequences for automatic motion correction, refer to <a href="#">Standard motion correction</a></p>
AutoAlign Head LS
<p><b>Automated slice positioning for head examinations.</b></p> <p>Calculates optimal centering for routine brain structures.</p> <p><b>Examples include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Alignment for the AC-PC line, midbrain, and temporal lobes</li><li>• Inner ear, orbits, and optic nerve</li></ul>
Inline Diffusion
<p>Inline technology facilitates the automatic creation of trace-weighted images and ADC maps.</p>
Customization
<p><b>User-defined offsets allow for adjustments beyond the standard positions set by AutoAlign.</b></p> <p>Within myExam add-in functionalities for tailored scanning and imaging processes, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• AutoCoverage</li><li>• AutoFOV</li><li>• InlineMPR</li></ul>

## myExam Spine Assist

Optimized for cervical, thoracic and lumbar spine imaging

Exam strategies
<p><b>Standard:</b> For fast routine spine examination</p> <p><b>Post surgery:</b> For detailed spine evaluation, incorporating fat saturation and Dixon techniques</p> <p><b>High-bandwidth WARP :</b> Optimized to minimize susceptibility artifacts, refer to <a href="#">Susceptibility artifact reduction</a></p>
AutoAlign Spine LS
<p><b>Detection and labeling of vertebrae and intervertebral disks.</b></p> <p>Guided positioning for sagittal, coronal, and double oblique axial slices of the spine.</p>
AutoLabeling
<p>Automatically labels vertebrae. Streamlines examination planning and accelerates the reading process.</p>
Interactive Snapping
<p><b>Automatic double oblique positioning of axial slice groups to align with intervertebral disk layers.</b></p> <p><b>Usage:</b></p> <p>Dragging the slide group over the sagittal plane</p>
Inline Curved Reconstruction
<p>Automatically creates curved reconstructions from 3D scans.</p>
Customization
<p><b>User-defined offsets allow for adjustments beyond the standard positions set by AutoAlign Spine LS.</b></p> <p>(also for the saturation region)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Inline curved reconstruction</li><li>• MPR</li></ul>

<sup>1)</sup> Option



# myExam Assist

## myExam Large Joint Assist

Optimized for knee, hip and shoulder scan

### Exam strategies

- Standard:** Highest image quality in a reasonable scan time using both 2D and 3D pulse sequences
- Speed focus:** Shortest possible examination by maximizing the acceleration of pulse sequences
- Motion-insensitive:** BLADE pulse sequences for automatic motion correction, refer to [Standard motion correction](#)
- WARP :** Optimized to minimize susceptibility artifacts, refer to [Susceptibility artifact reduction](#)

### GOKnee3D

- Fast, push-button examination specifically designed for knee diagnostic imaging.**
- AutoAlign localizer for the knee
  - PD-weighted and T2-weighted contrasts with fat suppression
  - High-resolution, isotropic 3D protocols powered by the SPACE sequence and enhanced by the CAIPIRINHA technique

# myExam Cockpit

Protocol administration and exam management:  
The whole exam configuration visualized on one page

**Designed to realize the full potential of myExam Assist programs.**

- All myExam Assist programs can be configured to align with standards of care
- Intuitive protocol customization
  - Creation and maintenance of exam programs
  - Tailored to individual needs

### Explorer

- Browsing through exams and organizing them
- Quick search for pulse sequences

### Program Editor

- Modifying exams, finding protocol histories, comparing exams
- Adding a new exam strategy (creates a new myExam Assist)
- Drag & drop from the sidebar for adding pulse sequences
- Immediate switch from the Explorer with one click

### User-friendly toolbar

Enables program opening, saving, and commands for copy, paste, undo, redo

# myExam Implant Suite

Easily and reliably scanning patients with MR Conditional implants

**Accommodates a broad spectrum of active and passive MR Conditional implants during patient examinations**

### Monitoring RF limits

- Scan setup during patient registration:
- Limits for B<sub>1rms</sub> and SAR (both head and whole body) can be set as specified by the implant manufacturer
- Allows for review at any time during the scan
  - Continuously monitored to ensure they are not exceeded
  - If limits are exceeded, a dialog will inform the user of potential protocol modifications to maintain compliance

Users can set a scan time limit defined by the implant manufacturer

- Notification before the timer expires

Comments can be entered and archived with the study

### Supported coils

Supports most existing 1.5T coils

If a coil is unsupported, the UI will notify the user: The coil must be removed

### SAR adaptive protocols

- Standard protocols with RF reduced by about 50% are available as substitutes
- Availability:
- Head
  - Heart
  - Spine
  - Knee



Application

The combined Head/Neck Coil is part of the recommended coil package.

Optimized workflow of the head/neck region:

- Head examination
- Neck examination
- MR angiography of the head/neck
- Combined head/neck examination
- Temporomandibular joints (TMJ)

Coil specification

Ultra-high density coil

Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil

- 16 coil elements
- 16 integrated pre-amplifiers

Element configuration

- Two rungs of 6 elements each
- One rung with 4 elements in the neck region

Modularity

- Upper coil part removable
- Lower coil part can be used independently for highly claustrophobic patients
- Lower coil part may stay on the patient table for most of the examinations

First cableless 16-channel head coil with DirectConnect™ technology

Smoothly integrated into the patient table with BioMatrix Spine Coil

- Open patient-friendly design
- Detachable look-out mirror
- No coil tuning required
- iPAT-compatible in all directions

Compatibility

Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:

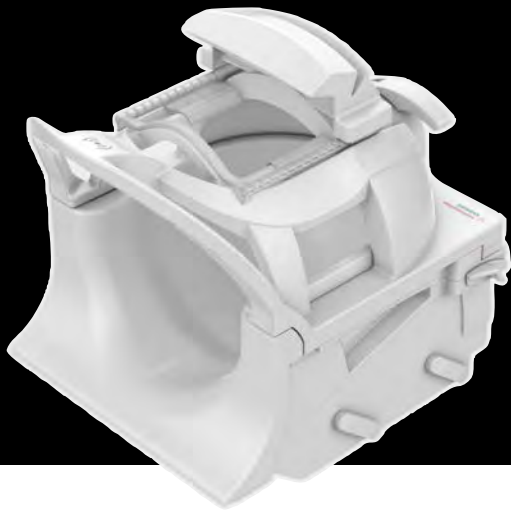
- BioMatrix Spine Coil
- BioMatrix Contour Coils
- Loop Coils

Weight		Dimensions	
Total	5.0 kg	Length	445 mm
Anterior part	1.9 kg	Width	330 mm
		Height	364 mm

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RF coils

BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil Option



Application

The BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil (BM Head/Neck) is a combined head/neck coil designed to optimize imaging of the head and neck region:

- Head examination
- Neck examination
- MR angiography of the head/neck
- Combined head/neck examination
- Cervical spine
- Temporomandibular joints (TMJ)

Coil specification

**Ultra-high density coil**  
Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil

- 16 coil elements
- 16 integrated pre-amplifiers

**Element configuration**

- Two rungs of 6 elements each
- One rung with 4 elements in the neck region for excellent signal-to-noise ratio

**Modularity**

- Upper coil part removable
- Lower coil part can be used independently

First cableless tiltable head coil with DirectConnect™ technology

Smoothly integrated into the patient table with BioMatrix Spine Coil

- Cushioned head stabilizers (removable)
- Detachable look-out mirror
- No coil tuning required
- iPAT-compatible in all directions

Compatibility

Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:

- BioMatrix Spine Coil
- BioMatrix Contour Coils
- Loop Coils

24 independent channels in combination with one BioMatrix Spine and one BioMatrix Contour L

Weight		Dimensions	
Total	6.2 kg	Length	425 mm
Anterior part	1.8 kg	Width	370 mm
		Height	385 mm

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RF coils

BioMatrix Spine Coil Option



Application

The BioMatrix Spine Coil (BM Spine Coil) with integrated Respiratory Sensor<sup>1)</sup> is part of the recommended coil package.

- High-resolution imaging of the whole spine
- Various applications in combination with additional coils
- May remain on the patient table for most exams

Coil specification

**Ultra-high density coil**  
Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil

- 24 coil elements
- 24 integrated pre-amplifiers

**Element configuration**

- 8 rows of 3 elements

Cableless coil with DirectConnect™ technology

Smoothly integrated into the patient table and streamlined with the Head/Neck Coil or BioMatrix Head/ Neck Coil

BioMatrix Sensors measure the patient's respiratory signal in both head-first and feet-first positions

- No coil tuning required
- iPAT-compatible in all directions

Compatibility

Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:

- Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Contour Coils
- Loop Coils
- Peripheral Angio 36

Weight		Dimensions	
10.6 kg		Length	1200 mm
		Width	489 mm
		Height	63 mm

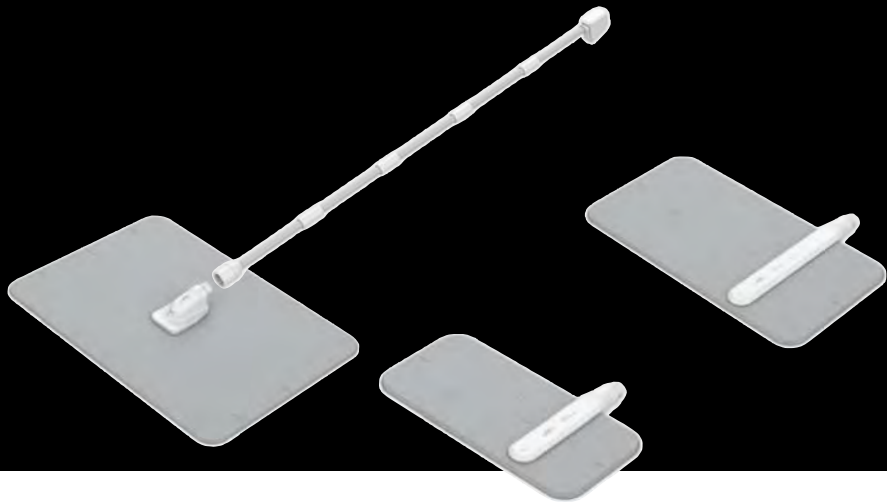
<sup>1)</sup> The Respiratory Sensor functionality is a retrofittable software option

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RF coils

BioMatrix Contour Coils Option



Application

The BioMatrix Contour Coils (BM Contour L/M/S) with integrated Respiratory Sensor, Beat Sensor, and Position Sensor<sup>1)</sup> are offered in three sizes: S/M/L.

The BioMatrix Contour L Coil is part of the recommended coil package.

- Thorax
- Heart
- Abdomen
- Pelvis
- Hip
- Vascular
- Unilateral Hip
- Shoulder
- Knee, Hand
- Foot
- Wrist
- Ankle

Coil specification

Ultra-high density coil

Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil

BioMatrix Contour S

- 8 coil elements with 8 integrated pre-amplifiers
- 2 rows of 4 elements each

BioMatrix Contour M

- 12 coil elements with 12 integrated pre-amplifiers
- 3 rows of 4 elements each

BioMatrix Contour L

- 12 coil elements with 12 integrated pre-amplifiers
- 3 rows of 4 elements each

SlideConnect® technology for easy coil set up

Improved flexibility by detachable coil cable 1250 mm

- No coil tuning required
- iPAT-compatible in all directions

Compatibility

Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:

- Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Spine Coil, seamless integration for body imaging
- Additional BioMatrix Contour Coil, allows larger coverage
- Peripheral Angio 36
- Loop Coils

	Weight	Dimensions	
BM Contour S	490 g	Length	209 mm
		Width	446 mm
BM Contour M	770 g	Length	305 mm
		Width	587 mm
BM Contour L	970 g	Length	451 mm
		Width	662 mm
Detachable coil cable	570 g	Length	1250 mm
Coil weights without detachable coil cable			

<sup>1)</sup> The Respiratory Sensor, Beat Sensor, and Position Sensor functionality is a retrofittable software option

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RF coils

iTX Extremity 18 Flare Option



Application

- Examinations of joints in the area of the lower extremities
- High-resolution knee imaging

Coil specification

18-channel inductive transmit/receive coil

- 18-channel coil with 18 integrated pre-amplifiers
- Elements arranged in 3 rungs by 6 elements
- Transmission layer integrated working as inductive coupled local transmit coil with body coil brings higher transmit efficiency and lower whole body SAR
- Upper coil part removable
- Holder enables off-center positioning to provide patient comfort
- Flared opening towards the thigh
- Cushions for patient comfort and stabilization of the anatomy
- SlideConnect® technology for easy coil set up
- One plug only
- No coil tuning required
- iPAT-compatible in all directions

Weight	Dimensions	
6.2 kg	Length	282 mm
	Width	528 mm
	Height	262 mm
Inner diameter		
170 mm, 190 mm flaring towards thigh		

International version. Not for distribution or use in the U.S.

RF coils

Hand/Wrist Coil Option



Application

High-resolution hand and wrist imaging

Coil specification

- Ultra-high density coil**  
Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil
- 16-channel coil with 16 integrated pre-amplifiers
  - Hinged design of the upper part for quick and easy patient positioning
  - Stabilization pads for comfortable positioning
  - Holder enables off-center positioning to provide patient comfort
  - SlideConnect® technology for easy coil set up
  - No coil tuning required
  - iPAT-compatible in all directions

Weight		Dimensions	
Coil	2.8 kg	Length	332 mm
		Width	245 mm
		Height	128 mm
Base plate	3.0 kg	Length	536 mm
		Width	469 mm
		Height	58 mm

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RF coils

Foot/Ankle Coil Option



Application

High-resolution foot and ankle imaging

Coil specification

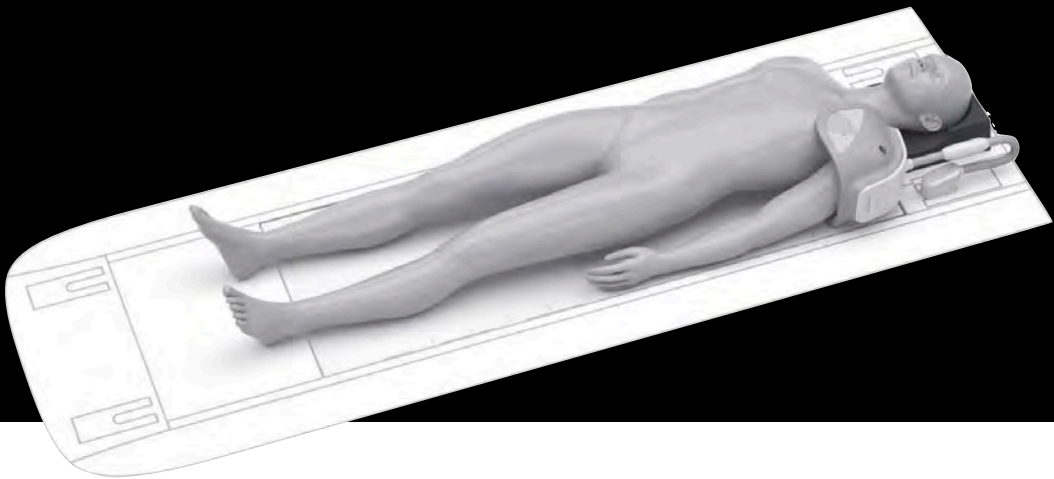
- Ultra-high density coil**  
Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil
- 16-channel coil with 16 integrated pre-amplifiers
  - Boot-like coil design
  - Cableless coil with DirectConnect™ technology
  - Stabilization pads for comfortable positioning
  - No coil tuning required
  - iPAT-compatible in all directions

Weight		Dimensions	
Coil	3.2 kg	Length	332 mm
		Width	245 mm
		Height	128 mm
Base plate	7.1 kg	Length	536 mm
		Width	469 mm
		Height	58 mm

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# RF coils

## Shoulder Shape 16 Option



### Application

- Very good visualization of small anatomical structures (e.g. labrum)
- High SNR and better field homogeneity
- Reduced slice thickness and measurement times

### Coil specification

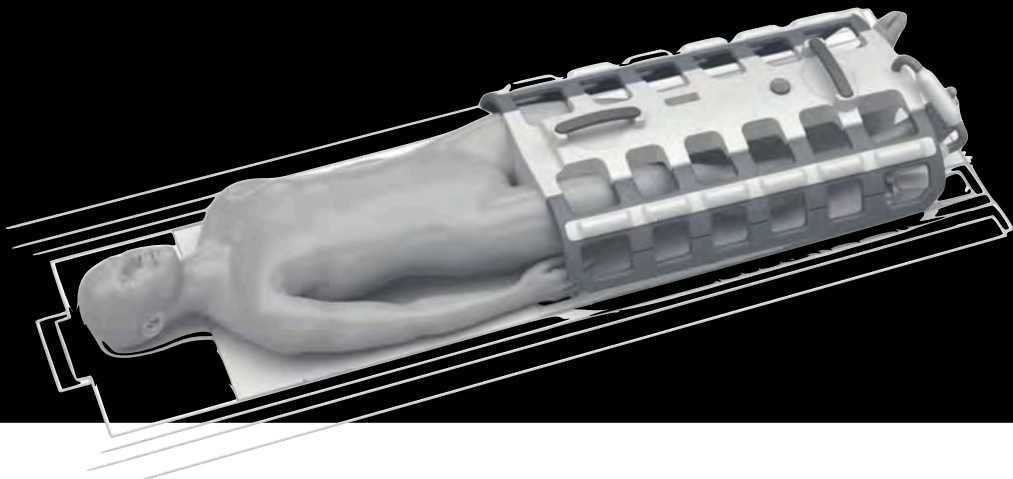
- Ultra-high density coil**  
Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil
- 16-channel coil with 16 integrated pre-amplifiers
  - Flexible wings to shape around small and large shoulder anatomy
- Includes pads for high patient comfort
  - SlideConnect® technology for easy coil set up
  - No coil tuning required
  - iPAT-compatible in all directions

Weight	Dimensions	
1.4 kg	Length	213 mm
	Width	213 mm
	Height	254 mm
Opening		
160 mm–270 mm		

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# RF coils

## Peripheral Angio 36 Option



### Application

High-resolution angiography of both legs with highest signal-to-noise ratio

Bilateral long bone examinations of the legs

Covering both legs independently with coil elements for maximum coil filling factor and enhanced signal-to-noise ratio

### Coil specification

- 36 coil elements with 36 integrated pre-amplifiers
  - 6 rows of 6 elements each
- SlideConnect® technology for easy coil set up
- One cable only for easy handling
  - No coil tuning required
  - iPAT-compatible in all directions

### Compatibility

- BioMatrix Spine Coil
- BioMatrix Contour Coils

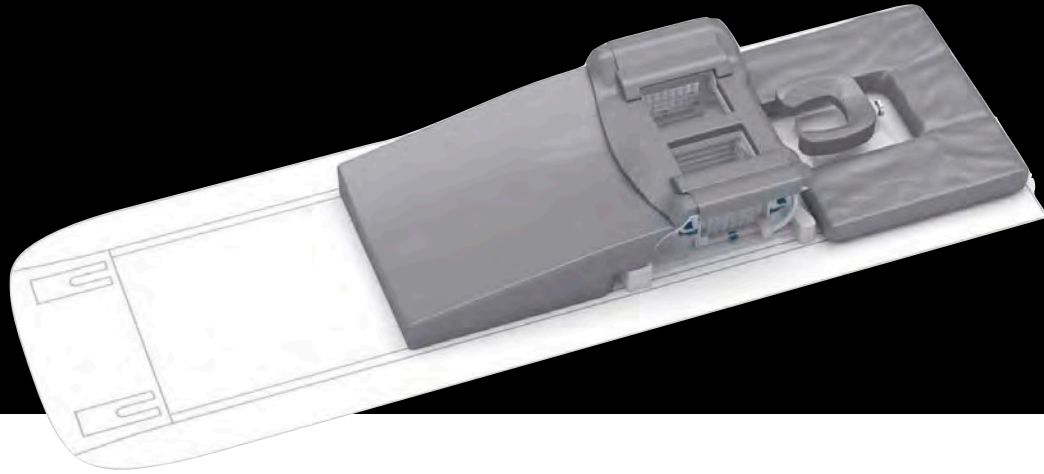
Weight	Dimensions	
8 kg	Length	860 mm
	Width	300 mm–640 mm
	Height	280 mm

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RF coils

Breast BI 7 Option



Application

- Simultaneous imaging of both breasts in all directions
- Unilateral biopsy imaging for lateral and medial access
- High-resolution 2D and 3D imaging
- For quantitative spectroscopy (SVS, Option) a reference bottle can be inserted

Coil specification

- 7-channel design
- For high SNR in diagnostic/interventional setups
- Height-adjustable headrest, compact design
- Single-plug connection, parking position
- Head/feet first measurement
- Abdominal cushion locks to coil
- Enables cranio-caudal compression (Option)
- Biopsy kit (Option) with grids, Post&Pillar fixation unit, markers, training needle kit
- LED lights for clear breast positioning and biopsy
- iPAT compatible in all directions

Weight	Dimensions	
10.7 kg	Length	499 mm
	Width	564 mm
	Height	232 mm

International version. Not for distribution or use in the U.S.

RF coils

Breast 18 Option



Application

- Simultaneous imaging of both breasts in all directions
- Axillary imaging elements
- High-resolution 2D and 3D imaging
- For quantitative spectroscopy (SVS, Option) a reference bottle can be inserted

Coil specification

- 18-channel design
- 4 frontal elements
- 4 elements around each breast
- 1 axillary element per side
- Height-adjustable headrest, compact design
- Single-plug connection, parking position
- Head/feet first measurement
- Abdominal cushion locks to coil
- Pedals for easy left-right breast fixation
- Breast volume capacity: 2200 ml per breast
- iPAT compatible in all directions

Weight	Dimensions	
5.5 kg	Length	413 mm
	Width	578 mm
	Height	201 mm

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RF coils

Loop Coils Option



Application

- Loop coil, large**  
For upper or lower extremities (e.g., shoulder, axilla)
- Loop coil, medium**  
Suitable for inner ear, wrist and finger structures, pediatric exams<sup>1)</sup>
- Loop coil, small**  
For small, surface-near structures (e.g., finger/toe joints, wrist, skin, TMJ)

Coil specification

- Ultra-high density coil**  
Dual-Density Signal Transfer integrates key RF components into the local coil
- Connection via Flex Coil Interface 1.5T
  - No coil tuning
  - iPAT-compatible in combination with other coils

Flex Coil Interface 1.5 T

- 4 integrated low-noise preamplifiers
- Allow flexible coil positioning
- Single interface for all loop coils

Compatibility

- Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:
- Head/Neck Coil
  - BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil
  - BioMatrix Spine Coil
  - BioMatrix Contour Coils

	Weight	Diameter
Loop coil, large	225 g	110 mm
Loop coil, medium	200 g	70 mm
Loop coil, small	175 g	40 mm

RF coils

Flex Loop Large Option



Application

Abdomen, pelvis, prostate, hips

Coil specification

- Flexible single channel loop coil with large opening
  - No coil tuning
- For connection with scanner:
- Flex Coil Interface 1.5 T (Option) needed

Compatibility

- Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:
- Head/Neck Coil
  - BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil
  - BioMatrix Spine Coil
  - BioMatrix Contour Coils

Weight	Diameter
0.4 kg	190 mm

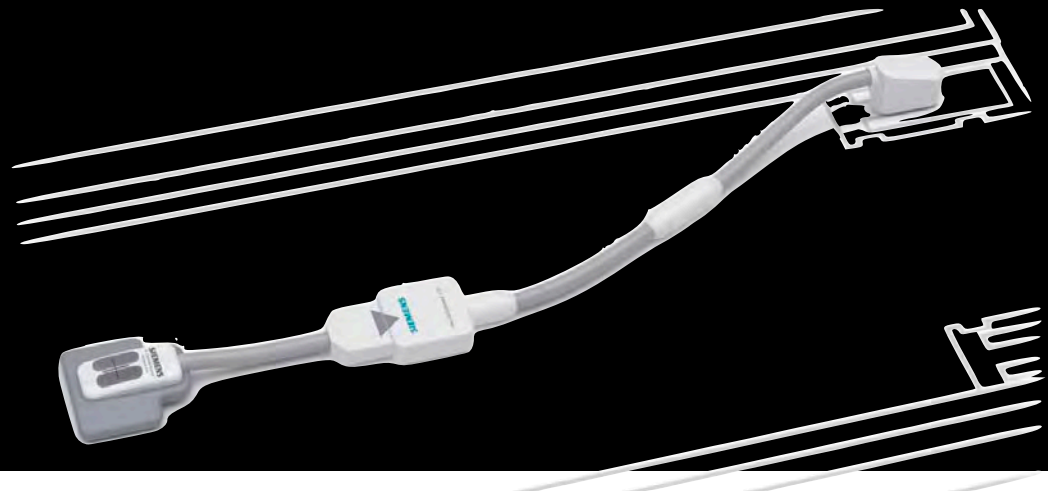
<sup>1)</sup> MR scanning has not been established as safe for imaging fetuses and infants under two years of age. The responsible physician must evaluate the benefit of the MRlex amination in comparison to oth er imaging procedures.

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RF coils

Special Purpose 4 Coil Option



Application

- Carotids
- Examinations with small field of views
- Small structures near the surface

Compatibility

Allows combination with all receive-only coils, e.g.:

- Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Head/Neck Coil
- BioMatrix Spine Coil
- BioMatrix Contour Coils

Coil specification

- 4-channel coil
- iPAT compatible
- No coil tuning

For connection with scanner:

- Flex Coil Interface 1.5 T (Option) needed

	Weight	Dimensions	
Coil	300 g	Length	94 mm
		Width	127 mm
		Height	51 mm
Coil, cable, and plug		Length	418 mm
		Width	127 mm
		Height	51 mm

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## System options

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## myExam Assist options

### myExam Abdomen Assist Option

Optimized for the upper abdomen with excellent image quality

#### Exam strategies

- Breath-hold:** Quick acquisition with robust image quality
- Respiratory synchronized:** Achieves high image resolution using [PACE](#) triggering
- Motion-insensitive:** Rapid scans utilizing both [BLADE](#) and [PACE](#) triggering for stability

#### Coverage

Liver, biliary and pancreatic system

Kidneys, if slightly adjusted

#### AutoNavigator

Automatically detects breathing patterns and scales triggered scans for optimized imaging

#### Decision points

Preconfigured for MRCP and diffusion

MRCP is measured and Inline Radial Ranges are generated

#### 4D Movie toolbar

Optimized navigation through the spatial and temporal dimensions of multiphase data

#### Timeline monitoring

Displays the contrast media enhancement curve, offering a comprehensive overview of multi-phase breath-hold examinations

#### Automatic timing

Liver dynamics with Care Bolus

Automated bolus detection monitors the contrast agent's arrival in a user-defined region of interest (ROI). The Auto ROI feature can be activated in the patient view, allowing for automatic ROI positioning on the descending aorta at the diaphragm level.

#### Bolus timing

Alternative approach to liver dynamics by deriving the optimal data acquisition time window following a Test Bolus application

Includes visual guidance and interactive evaluation during setup

## myExam Assist options

#### Inline subtraction

In the contrast-enhanced abdomen exam, multiple phases are acquired: native, arterial phase, portal-venous phase, and late-phase

Automatic subtraction of the native measurement from the arterial, portal-venous, and late phases

#### Inline registration

Automatic registration/alignment of the anatomy across different dynamic phases

The significance of registration/correction becomes apparent in the evaluation of nodular enhancing pathologies

#### Abdomen Library Assist

Dedicated storage folder for sequences refined using myExam Assist functionality

Effortless reading and reporting with syngo.via

Integrated sequences:

- [StarVIBE](#)
- [TWIST-VIBE](#)

#### LiverLab Option

System-guided workflow for assessing hepatic fat and iron status, integrated in myExam Abdomen Assist

For features see [myExam LiverLab Assist](#)

### myExam LiverLab Assist Option

Optimized for hepatic fat and iron status, independent of myExam Abdomen Assist

#### Non-invasive detection of fatty liver and iron overload in early disease stages

Reduces the reliance on biopsies

#### Fat and iron screening

- **First Look Dixon** : Rapidly detects possible fat and/or iron overload in the liver
- Automated liver segmentation following immediately based on the produced images

#### Evaluation methods

- **Multi-echo Dixon VIBE** : Image-based mapping of water, fat, fat signal fraction, and R2\*
- **HISTO** : Voxel-based, single-breath-hold spectroscopy that calculates fat fraction and water R2\*

# myExam Assist options

## myExam Whole-Body Assist Option (Head to pelvis)

Optimized for multiparametric multistation exams

Exam strategies
<b>Standard</b>
<b>Motion-insensitive</b>
Automated anatomy recognition guarantees uniform settings for spatial resolution, image contrast, and breath-hold capacity
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Landmark-based automatic segmentation delineates anatomical regions using the FastView scan</li><li>Automatic overlap of stations</li><li>Additional head and leg coverage stations can be added using the coverage slider</li><li>Supports 2D and 3D acquisitions in axial and coronal orientation</li><li>Stations can be flexibly repeated, with results integrated accordingly during composition</li></ul>
<b>Protocol</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>WB T2 HASTE</li><li>WB T1 VIBE</li><li>WB DWI</li><li>Whole-spine exam</li></ul>
Can include dedicated scans for focus regions:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Chest, Abdomen, and Pelvis</li><li>Incorporating dynamic exams for each specific area</li></ul>
<b>iPAT compatibility</b>
Enabled by Tim 4G
<b>AutoCoverage</b>
Easy definition of the scan range across the chest, abdomen, and pelvis using a coverage slider
<b>Automated bolus detection</b>
For focus region Abdomen (liver)
<b>Inline calculation and composing</b>
<b>Customization</b>

The Whole-Body Library Assist offers optimized pulse sequences as alternatives to enhance imaging

## myExam Angio Assist Option

Optimized for angiographic single- or multistation examinations

<b>Test Bolus / Feedback of bolus timing information</b>
Visual arterial/venous timing window
Informing adjustments in scan parameters for the patient's specific needs
<b>Care Bolus / Automated bolus detection</b>
Monitoring the contrast agent's arrival in a user-defined ROI, automatically triggering sequence timing
<b>myExam Angio Advanced Assist</b>
Simplified and improved planning procedure for semi-automatic operation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Both for Care Bolus and Test Bolus</li></ul>

# myExam Assist options

## myExam Cardiac Assist Option

Optimized for rapid patient setup, providing step-by-step guidance for CMR exams

Exam strategies
<b>Standard:</b> Breathhold (segmented acquisition)
<b>Limited patient capabilities (G60 only):</b> Real time (single-shot imaging if breath-hold is not possible or arrhythmias occur)
Standard heart views, such as dedicated long-axis and short-axis views, are effortlessly generated using anatomical landmarks.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Can be readily reproduced using various scanning techniques</li></ul>
Scan parameters adapt to the patient's heart rate, accompanied by automatic voice commands.
<b>AutoAlign Heart</b>
Automatic detection of five cardiac landmarks from localizer images enables optimal planning of cardiac exams without user interaction. This fully automatic process generates two-, three-, and four-chamber views, a stack of short-axis views, and specific valve orientations.
If the patient moves during the examination, this step can be repeated at any time.
<b>Automated localization</b>
Automated localization of short-axis views
<b>Guided slice positioning</b>
Easy method to align slice positions (short-axis) across cine, dynamic imaging, and tissue characterization
<b>Cardiac views</b>
Easy selection of cardiac views (for example three-chamber view) during scan planning
<b>Inline ventricular function evaluation</b>
Volumetric evaluation of cardiac cine data immediately following image reconstruction, requiring no user input.
If needed, the dataset with inline-calculated segmentation results can be imported into 4D Ventricular Function Analysis for further review or processing.

<b>Inline time-course evaluation</b>
Automatic, real-time and motion corrected (G60 only) calculation of a parametric upslope map using Inline technology.
<b>Automatic display of images</b>
Images presented in specialized cardiac orientations, rather than standard DICOM orientations
<b>Adaptive triggering</b>
Acquisition adapts in real time to heart rate variations for non-cine applications
<b>Automated naming of series</b>
Depending on cardiac views and contrast
<b>Flow measurements</b>
Predefined flow sequences from the Library Assist allow for easy integration of blood flow measurements into existing myExam Cardiac Assist programs
<b>GOHeart (G60 only)</b>
Fast and semi-automated procedures enable cardiac MRI exams to be completed in under 30 minutes
<b>Two main exams:</b>
GOHeart 12-minute exam during free breathing, covering cardiac function and Late Gadolinium Enhancement (LGE)
GOHeart 30-minute Ischemic Heart Disease exam, offering cardiac function, stress perfusion, mapping, and LGE



# myExam Assist options

## myExam Breast Assist Option

Optimized for tissue depiction, implant evaluation, and breast biopsy

### Exam strategies

#### FatSat

#### Non-FatSat

#### InterVIEWS

Care Bolus support

Silicon support

for medium-channel and high-channel coils

#### AutoCoverage

Estimation of the optimal FOV after autosegmentation

- Entire FOV for both breasts
- Right or left breast
- Breast with chest

#### Implant situation

Based on an implant type identification scan, the implant type is assessed automatically.

The system automatically modifies the scan queue accordingly, and the frequency adjustment setting of the pulse sequences is changed (assume silicone).

The user may change these modifications.

#### MPR Planning

For user-selected pulse sequences, e.g. the high-resolution “delayed VIEWS”, adjustable MPR are calculated automatically.

#### Biopsy support

Supporting interventions with breast biopsy coils released for the system.

Seamlessly integrates with the separate Breast Biopsy software (Option), which guides intervention planning and execution for both Grid method and Post&Pillar method.

#### Single frequency adjustment

The user can preselect to show the frequency adjustment dialog only once for the exam queue.

This preselection stays valid until a new coil combination or z-position is used.

## myExam Prostate Assist<sup>1)</sup> Option

Optimized for multiparametric prostate MR studies

### Patient View

The user defines the examination approach (Anatomical, Axial) and may enter patient specific information, such as the PSA value (ng/ml).

### AutoPosition

### AutoFOV

### AutoCoverage

Automatically adapted to the anatomical conditions

Asymmetric coverage allows optimized coverage of anatomical structures such as the seminal vesicles

<sup>1)</sup> Prerequisite: ZOOMIt or ZOOMItPRO and one of the following packages: CS GRASP-VIBE or FREEZEIt+ or Elite Acceleration Package

# myExam Assist options

## myExam 3D Camera Option

Automated, accurate and consistent positioning

**Extends the automatic positioning capabilities of BioMatrix Select&GO by additional body regions and coils**

### AutoPositioning

Can make positioning up to 48 %<sup>1)</sup> faster – even with flexible contour coils.

Captures the patient’s shape and position on the table in three dimensions

- Using infrared measurements, e.g. the position of elbow, wrist, or hand.

Automatically identifies body landmarks and positions the relevant body parts at the scanner’s isocenter

- Eliminating the need for a table ruler or positioning laser

Integrated with the data from the Select&GO touch display.

### AutoRegistration

Streamlines and helps safeguard accurate patient registration

- Automatically fills in weight, height, and orientation details
- Based on the patient's shape, position, height, and weight

### Supported patient orientations

- Supine
- Prone
- Head First
- Feet First
- Superman supine
- Superman prone

### Supported patient population

Height	140 cm–200 cm
Weight	45 kg–120 kg
BMI	18.5–34.9

<sup>1)</sup> Data on file



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Accelerated MRI options

Simultaneous Multislice (SMS) Option

Simultaneous excitation and acquisition of multiple slices enable faster scanning

**Unique Acceleration:** No SNR loss from sub-sampling

**Multiband Pulse + blipped CAIPIRINHA:** Minimizes g-factor SNR penalties

**Combinability**  
Enhances conventional parallel imaging for further scan time reduction

Technical Highlights

**Spatial Signal Encoding:** Excites and encodes multiple slices simultaneously

**Efficiency:** Achieves significant time savings in MRI from head to toe

SMS Enhanced Protocols

**Diffusion**  
Boosts diffusion resolution with reduced scan times or higher spatial/diffusion resolution

**BOLD**  
Increases slice coverage and temporal resolution, higher sensitivity

**TSE & TSE Dixon**  
Reduced scan times, enhanced slice coverage for MSK imaging

**RESOLVE & BLADE**  
Accelerated protocols for diverse body regions, improving both diffusion-weighted, distortion-free DWI, and standard measurements

Accelerated MRI options

Compressed Sensing

Compressed Sensing TOF Option

Highly accelerated MR angiography uses the BEAT sequence, combining time-of-flight (ToF) with Compressed Sensing and iterative reconstruction

Enhanced spatial or temporal resolution and significantly reduced scan times

Optimized protocols available for ToF MR angiography targeting intracranial vasculature

Compressed Sensing SEMAC Option

Highly accelerated musculoskeletal imaging for patients with whole joint replacements

SEMAC (slice encoding for metal artifact correction) combined with Compressed Sensing and iterative reconstruction

- Compressed Sensing acceleration with a fixed rate
- GRAPPA acceleration with a selectable acceleration factor

SAR optimization reduces energy usage in SEMAC sequences

Optimized protocols available for hip and knee

Compressed Sensing SPACE Option

Highly accelerated 3D imaging using SPACE, enhanced with Compressed Sensing and iterative reconstruction

Enhanced spatial or temporal resolution and significantly reduced scan times

Optimized protocols available for musculoskeletal imaging (knee, hip, shoulder, foot-ankle), neuro imaging (head), and body imaging (triggered and breathhold 3D MRCP)

Supported contrasts:

- T1
- T2
- PD

Compressed Sensing GRASP-VIBE (G60 only) Option

Compressed Sensing GRASP-VIBE (Golden-angle Radial Sparse Parallel) enables dynamic contrast-enhanced abdominal exams in free breathing

Acquisition is performed in a single continuous run using a golden-angle stack-of-stars radial scheme, enhancing motion robustness and allowing flexible temporal resolution selection during reconstruction

Temporal resolution can vary over throughout the scan. Reconstruction uses a Compressed Sensing accelerated iterative algorithm with per-voxel through-time regularization

Automatically identifies typical liver dynamics phases, enabling reconstruction and labeling of only clinically relevant images

Automated bolus detection during reconstruction

Exam phases configurable by start time, relative to auto-detected bolus arrival, duration, temporal resolution, and pre-selection for PACS export

Self-gating for further reduction of residual motion blur

Includes [FREEZEit+](#)

Compressed Sensing Cardiac Cine (G60 only) Option

Highly accelerated functional Cardiac 2D cine imaging using the BEAT sequence with Compressed Sensing and iterative reconstruction

Enhanced spatial or temporal resolution and significantly reduced scan times

Real-time cine or single breath-hold cine for full heart coverage, suitable for patients with limited breath-hold capability or with arrhythmia

Adaptive triggering to cover the full cardiac cycle

Retrogating for segmented acquisitions

# Accelerated MRI options

## Pro Acceleration Package Option

### Advanced Acceleration Package Option

Cutting edge acceleration techniques such as:

- > [Simultaneous Multi-Slice \(SMS\)](#)
- > [Compressed Sensing](#)
- > [Wave-CAIPI SWI](#)

**Application**

Static 2D and static 3D imaging in:

- Neuro
- MSK
- Body

**Package includes:**

- SMS for TSE and TSE Dixon
- SMS for DWI and BOLD
- SMS for RESOLVE
- SMS for BLADE
- Compressed Sensing SPACE
- Compressed Sensing ToF
- Compressed Sensing SEMAC
- Wave-CAIPI SWI

### Deep Resolve Pro Package Option

#### Deep Resolve Boost

Deep learning reconstruction from raw data to image: Exceptional denoising for ultra-fast acquisitions from head to toe

Reconstructs high SNR images from highly undersampled data

**Applicability**

Versatile across various contrast weightings, orientations, and all body regions

**Available sequences**

- Turbo Spin Echo (TSE)
- ep2d\_diff
- HASTE

**Compatibility**

- [Simultaneous Multislice imaging](#) (where available)
- Deep Resolve Sharp

#### Deep Resolve Sharp

Enhances image quality by boosting sharpness and minimizing Gibbs ringing at edges, achieved in reduced scan times

Offers up to a twofold improvement in in-plane resolution

Accurately predicts the location of sharp edges in images

**Applicability**

Versatile across various contrast weightings and orientations

**Already available sequences**

- Turbo Spin Echo (TSE)
- Spin Echo (SE)
- TSE Dixon

**Additionally available sequences**

- ep2d\_diff
- HASTE

**Compatibility**

- Standard GRAPPA acceleration
- Deep Resolve Gain
- Deep Resolve Boost

# Accelerated MRI options

## Elite Acceleration Package Option

### Deep Resolve Swift Brain Option

A set of deep learning-enhanced protocols designed for high-speed routine brain examinations, significantly cutting down table time

Multi-shot EPI enables the fastest data acquisition in a single session

T2 and T2\* are measured simultaneously, saving additional time

**Applicability**

- All essential neuro contrasts (T1, T2, T2\*, FLAIR, DWI)
- All relevant orientations with AutoAlign

### Cutting edge Compressed Sensing applications for advanced abdominal and cardiovascular imaging

Dynamic 2D and 3D applications significantly reduce scan times, counter patient motion, and expand MRI eligibility

- [Compressed Sensing GRASP-VIBE](#) (G60 only)
- [Compressed Sensing Cardiac Cine](#) (G60 only)
- [TWIST](#)
- [TWIST-VIBE](#)
- [StarVIBE](#)



# Advanced technique packages

## For neuro applications

SWI (Susceptibility-weighted imaging)

Option

Visualization of local changes of the magnetic field

- Due to tissue properties in general
- Due to the presence of deoxygenated blood or blood decomposition products

3D GRE sequence with full flow compensation to support venous angiography

Enhanced susceptibility weighting of the magnitude images by phase images

Wave-CAIPI SWI<sup>1)</sup>

Option

Siemens Healthineers-unique

Sinusoidal gradients during readout result in corkscrew k-space trajectories

**Optimized g-factor penalty**  
(compared to standard CAIPIRINHA)

- Higher acceleration factors with equivalent image quality
- More homogeneous noise distribution

BLADE Diffusion

Option

Non-EPI-based technique supports imaging in regions with high B0 field inhomogeneities

- E.g. in the middle ear region, due to the transition from air to tissue

**Combinability**

- GRAPPA
- SMS

Physiologging

Option

Provides access to time-synced sensor data

Available sequences:

- EPI BOLD
- EPI PACE

Allows auto-logging of time-stamped physiology signals for fMRI data correction

- Simplifies the correlation of physiology and fMRI data

<sup>1)</sup> Prerequisite: SWI

DTI (Diffusion Tensor Imaging)

Option

Acquisition of data sets with multi-directional diffusion weighting to assess anisotropic diffusion properties of brain tissue

- Measurement of up to 256 directions with up to 16 b-values
- Free Mode: User-defined diffusion directions

**Inline calculations**

- Diffusion tensor
- Fractional anisotropy (FA) maps (grayscale as well as color-coded for principle diffusion direction)
- Apparent diffusion coefficient (ADC) maps
- Trace-weighted images based on the tensor

**DSI (diffusion spectrum imaging)**  
More accurate fiber tracking due to a higher sensitivity to intra-voxel diffusion caused by crossing fiber tracks

- Cartesian sampling in q-space
- Multiple directions with independent b-values
- Up to 514 directions

Inline BOLD Imaging (Blood Oxygen Level Dependent)

Option

Examination of intrinsic susceptibility changes in different areas of the brain, induced by external stimulation (e.g. motor or visual)

Automatic real-time calculation of z-score (t-test) maps with Inline technology, for variable paradigms

- Compatible with single-shot EPI with high susceptibility contrast for fast multi-slice imaging
- ART (Advanced Retrospective Technique) for fully automatic 3D retrospective motion correction, for 6 degrees of freedom (3 translations and 3 rotations)
- 3D spatial filtering
- Inline calculation of t-statistics (t-maps) based on a general linear model (GLM) including the hemodynamic response function and correcting for slow drifts
- Overlay of inline calculated statistical results on the EPI images

# Advanced technique packages

3D PACE

Option

3D PACE (Prospective Acquisition CorrEction) enhances Inline BOLD imaging with motion correction during the acquisition of a BOLD exam

The unique 3D PACE tracks the head of the patient, correcting for motion in real time

- Increases data quality beyond what can be achieved with retrospective motion correction
- Covers the complete 3D volume
- For 6 degrees of freedom (3 translations and 3 rotations)
- Provides high accuracy
- Substantially reduced motion-related artifacts in t-test calculations
- Significantly increased signal changes in the activated neuronal volume
- Increased functional MRI (fMRI) sensitivity and specificity

Inline Perfusion

Option

Automatic real-time calculation of global bolus plot (GBP), percentage of baseline at peak map (PBP) and time-to-peak map (TTP) with Inline technology

ASL (Arterial Spin Labeling) 2D

Option

Utilizes the water in arterial blood as an endogenous contrast agent to evaluate perfusion noninvasively

Assists in the evaluation of human brain perfusion and function physiology by giving information on relative cerebral blood flow

ASL is capable of high spatial resolution perfusion imaging and may also be useful in basic neuroscience

- 3D PACE motion correction for increased reliability
- Fully automated Inline calculation of relCBF color maps
- Supports pulsed arterial spin labeling technique (PASL)
- Supports pseudocontinuous arterial spin labeling technique (PCASL)
- iPAT compatible

ASL (Arterial Spin Labeling) 3D

Option

Acquires high spatial resolution perfusion-weighted images covering the whole brain

- Based on 3D TGSE pulse sequence for fast, high-resolution brain imaging with full coverage
- Higher SNR, optimized contrast uniformity and reduced motion sensitivity
- Fully automated Inline calculation of relCBF color maps
- Perfusion maps can be easily fused with anatomical images for detail evaluation in Neuro 3D
- Supports pulsed arterial spin labeling technique (PASL)
- Supports pseudocontinuous arterial spin labeling technique (PCASL)
- iPAT compatible
- Multi-TI support and calculation of bolus arrival time maps

# Advanced technique packages

## For orthopedic applications

MapItOption

Parametric maps of T1, T2, T2\*, R2 and R2\* properties of the imaged tissue

- Applications**
- Cartilage evaluation of joints
  - Evaluation of other organs such as liver, kidney or prostate

- Techniques**
- 3D VIBE for Inline T1 mapping
  - Multiecho spin echo for Inline T2 /R2 mapping
  - Multiecho gradient echo for Inline T2\*/ R2\* mapping
  - Protocols for fully automated Inline parametric mapping

## For body applications

MR ElastographyOption

Non-invasive assessment of variations in relative tissue stiffness

- Advanced Siemens Healthineers implementation
- iPAT enables shortened breath-hold time
- Fully integrated processing of the elastogram at the scanner
- Completely automated calculation of wave images and corresponding elastograms
- Confidence map for reliability

- Techniques**
- 2D gradient-echo with cyclic motion-encoding gradients (MEG)
  - Spin echo EPI with cyclic motion-encoding gradients (MEG)

- Package includes:**
- Processing software
  - Dedicated 3rd party hardware

LiverLab and myExam LiverLab AssistOption

System-guided workflow to examine the hepatic fat and iron status

Available as dedicated myExam Assist and as part of myExam Abdomen Assist

Inline First-Look Dixon gives a first overview of possible fat and/or iron overload in the whole liver

Based on the resulting images, liver segmentation runs automatically

- If further evaluation is needed, the user can choose:
- Multiecho Dixon VIBE: Image-based method to calculate maps such as water, fat, fat signal fraction, and R2\*
  - HISTO: Single-breath-hold single-voxel spectroscopy to calculate fat signal fraction as well as water R2\*

# Advanced technique packages

## For angio applications

FREEZEit+Option

- Robust and motion-insensitive imaging throughout the body
- Overcomes timing issues by acquiring multiple 3D datasets within seconds while maintaining a high spatial image resolution
  - Enables contrast-enhanced MR imaging during free breathing

- TWIST**
- Advanced, fast gradient-echo technique
- Perfect for time-resolved (4D) MR angiography
  - Dynamic imaging with high spatial and temporal accuracy
  - Comprehensive dynamic MRA for all body areas

- TWIST-VIBE**
- Fast 4D protocol for multi-arterial liver, thoracic, abdominal, pelvic imaging
- High spatial resolution using VIBE with CAIPIRINHA
  - View-sharing for optimal contrast timing
  - Dixon for fat-water separation
  - Abdomen protocols offer 3D datasets every 3–5 seconds (1.8 mm × 1.8 mm × 3 mm resolution)

- StarVIBE**
- Motion-insensitive, contrast-sensitive VIBE with stack-of-stars (radial) trajectory
- Enables free-breathing imaging (abdominal, head, neck, spinal, thoracic, pelvic) for non-breath-hold patients
  - Supports quick FatSat and Dixon for fat suppression

ZOOMit<sup>PRO</sup>Option

EPI diffusion imaging targets small, 'zoomed' areas of interest, minimizing surrounding tissue signal and metal implant artifacts

- Part of the Tim TX TrueShape package
- Confines the excited FOV to a given region of interest
  - Spatially selective RF pulses to only excite the tissue in the target region
  - High resolution without infolding artifacts
  - For various body regions (e.g., pelvis, breast, brain, spine)

Angio PackageOption

- TWIST**
- > for details, see [FREEZEit+](#) on this page

- NATIVE**
- Integrated software package for **non-contrast** enhanced 3D MRA with high spatial resolution
- NATIVE TrueFISP
  - NATIVE SPACE
- Particularly enables imaging of abdominal and peripheral vessels
- Separate imaging of arteries and veins
  - Visualization of, e.g., renal arteries or peripheral vessels

QISSOption

- Non-contrast enhanced peripheral MR angiography based on quiescent interval single-shot imaging
- ECG-triggered
  - Robust, 2D non-subtractive technology
  - Set-n-Go implementation (myExam add-in) for workflow optimized application
  - Allows export of all images in one series (combined view, CT-like)

Flow QuantificationOption

- For quantitative flow determination studies
- Non-invasive blood/CSF flow quantification
  - ECG-triggered 2D phase contrast with iPAT support
  - Retrospective reconstruction algorithms for full R-R interval coverage
- 4D flow measurements in the heart (G60 only)**
- Typical applications: flow measurements in the aortic arch
- Navigator-based respiratory gating combined with ECG triggering
  - Retrospective gating and prospective triggering

High-bandwidth inversion recoveryOption

Improved tissue characterization, reducing susceptibility artifacts

# Advanced technique packages

## For cardiac applications (G60 only)

MyoMaps (G60 only)

Option

Pixel-based myocardial tissue quantification (T1. T2)

- Inline colored maps
- HeartFreeze Inline Motion Correction

**T1 Map**  
Based on Modified Look-Locker inversion recovery (MOLLI) T1 mapping

**T2 Map**  
Based on T2-prepared single-shot TrueFISP T2 mapping

Advanced Cardiac Package (G60 only)

Option

Advanced techniques for

- Ventricular function imaging
- 4D imaging
- Tissue characterization
- Coronary imaging, and more

**Cardiac and vessel morphology**

- Multiecho technique assessment
- 3D aortopathy imaging with free breathing (SPACE)

**BEAT techniques**  
Morphology and global or regional ventricular wall motion analysis

- 3D cine acquisition for full CT-like heart coverage
- 2D-segmented FLASH for visualization of regional wall motion with tagging techniques (grid or stripes)

Robust myocardial tissue characterization

- 3D PSIR (phase-sensitive inversion recovery)
- Fast and complete coverage of the myocardium with IR 3D FLASH and TrueFISP

3D whole-heart coronary imaging

- Non-contrast coronary MRA
- Advanced free-breathing navigator compensating diaphragm shifts during acquisition (motion-adaptive respiratory gating)

## For breast applications

Breast Biopsy software

Option

Guides breast interventions such as vacuum-assisted biopsy and wire localization

Guidance for intervention planning and execution for both Grid method and Post&Pillar method

- Guides through the process of marker identification and target selection
- Automatic identification of up to two markers
- Planning of multiple targets
- Automatic extraction of coordinates for the selected target and calculation of required point of entry, angulation (for Post&Pillar method) and penetration depth
- Projection of needle path on the planning images for control
- Coil-specific guidance with graphical instructions on both the console and the scanner's touch display
- Typical, site-specific settings (e.g. grid method, biopsy device, marker position) can be set as default to minimize user interaction

**Supports**  
[myExam Breast Assist](#) (Option)

Commonly used breast MR biopsy devices

- E.g., Bard EnCor, Bard Vacora, Hologic ATEC, Mammotome

Supported coil:

- [Breast BL 7](#)

# Advanced technique packages

## For spectroscopy applications

Single-voxel spectroscopy (SVS)

Option

Integrated software package for proton spectroscopy of brain, breast, prostate

- Matrix Spectroscopy – phase-coherent signal combination from multiple coil elements for maximum SNR
- Spectral suppression minimizes lipid superposition, ensuring reliable detection of compounds like choline in breast tissue
- Can be combined with free-breathing prospective acquisition correction (2D phase navigator)
- Outer volume suppression (OVS) with up to 8 regional saturation (RSat) bands
- Automatic reference scan reduces evaluation time
- Physiological triggering (ECG, pulse, respiratory, or external trigger) to minimize breathing artifacts
- GRE-based shim optimized for spectroscopy applications

**SVS techniques SE and STEAM**

- Short TEs
- Fully automated adjustments including localized shimming and water suppression pulse tuning
- Interactive control over adjustments
- Optimized for brain applications

Incorporates GRACE (GeneRALized breast speCTroscopy Exam), an SVS-SE technique for specialized breast spectroscopy, with spectral lipid suppression pulse

Unique Siemens Healthineers water reference detection for normalized choline ratio visualization

Automated Inline frequency shift correction to minimize breathing related artifacts

CSI 2D: Chemical-shift imaging

Option

Integrated software package for 2D multivoxel spectroscopy

Perequisite: **SVS**

- Matrix Spectroscopy – phase-coherent signal combination from multiple coil elements for maximum SNR, with prescan-based normalization configurable for optimal homogeneity
- Hybrid CSI with combined volume selection and field-of-view (FOV) encoding
- Short TEs available (30 ms for SE, 20 ms for STEAM)
- Automated shimming of higher-order channels for optimal homogeneity in larger CSI volumes
- Weighted acquisition reduces exam time versus full k-space coverage while maintaining SNR and spatial resolution
- Outer volume suppression (OVS)
- Spectral suppression
- Semi-LASER sequence for CSI examination of the brain

CSI 3D: Chemical-shift imaging

Option

Integrated software package for 3D multivoxel spectroscopy

Perequisite: **SVS**

Same features as **CSI 2D**, additionally:

- Prostate spectroscopy



# Advanced technique packages

## For therapy applications

Advanced interactive real time

Option

Interactive real time scanning  
Uses fast sequences for high image contrast. Real-time reconstruction of the acquired data. The user can navigate in all planes on-the-fly during data acquisition.  
Real-time examinations  
Real-time interactive slice positioning and slice angulation for scan planning  
Capability for multi-slice acquisition, definition of acquisition order, pausing, mosaic display, and skipping of the physiology trigger

Tracking

Option

Prerequisite: Advanced interactive real time  
Adds software capability for adjusting the real-time imaging slice position and orientation so as to follow interactive devices equipped with receive micro-coils

## Additional packages

Open Recon<sup>1)</sup>

Option

Allows adding external algorithms into the acquisition workflow  
Algorithms such as alternative reconstructions or image processings can be provided by SHS or external companies and the resulting images can be processed normally for diagnostic purposes  
Open Recon is a more flexible reconstruction system for incorporating third-party software components for image reconstruction or image processing on the MaRS in an isolated way

MR-Injector Coupling

Option

Simplifies synchronized contrast injection and scanning by establishing an active coupling between compatible MR injectors<sup>2)</sup> and the MRI scanner (Requirement: Medrad® MRXperion MR Injection System with ISI interface box)  
The user is guided through an intuitive workflow, with clicks and interactions reduced to the essentials  
A direct connection between the MRI scanner and the injector control system allows the technologist at the MR operator console to release injections remotely and synchronized with sequences

Projection

Option

For acquisition of projection data in different orientations, which can be used to calculate the position of micro-coils within the scanner  
The calculation of position information is not performed within the Siemens Healthineers software and the projection data can be sent in real time (via Access-i interface) to a third party client that needs to calculate the location coordinates

Access-i

Option

Interface to enable the connection of a 3rd party workstation to the MR syngo Acquisition Workplace via a network router and secure local network connection

1) The product is still under development and not commercially available yet. It's future availability cannot be ensured.  
2) The information shown herein refers to products of third-party manufacturer's and thus are in their regulatory responsibility. Please contact the third-party manufacturer for further information.

# Advanced technique packages

MR protocols module

Option

**Basic package**  
For first installation by SHS service the Basic License of MR protocols module is required once and includes the first MRI scanner connected  
Includes one installations and a connection to the first MRI scanner

**Additional scanner option**  
For every additional MRI scanner to be managed by the MR protocols module a Connect License is required

Remote Assist<sup>1)</sup>

Option

Direct computer link to the local Siemens Healthineers service department or the Siemens Healthineers service centers (via router with telephone connection)

- Image transfer for further evaluation**
- Image and file transfer in batch mode
  - Reading of entries in the error logbook
  - Remote troubleshooting
  - Remote access to service manuals written in easy-to-use HTML format
  - Remote access to Service Site Database
  - Start of preventive maintenance and quality assurance routines
  - Remote access granted only with permission of the institution, data security is ensured by secure access

1) In conjunction with a Siemens Healthineers service contract

IDEA license

Option

(Integrated Development Environment for Applications)  
Allows the use of C2P (Core competence partnership) applications which have been developed by collaboration partners. Specific terms and conditions apply.  
For further information, please contact the local Siemens Healthineers Collaboration Manager/Contact.

IDEA SDK

Option

The IDEA (Integrated Development Environment for Applications) SDK (Sequence development kit) is an extensive programming environment used to create pulse sequence and reconstruction algorithms, offering a maximum of flexibility for own developments  
Mandatory prerequisite:

- IDEA training course
- Master Research Agreement including IDEA Terms & Conditions

For further information, please contact the local Siemens Healthineers Collaboration Manager/Contact.

# Advanced patient handling

ComfortRest

Option

Modular soft cushion set conforms to the patient’s body

ComfortRest Mattress on spine coil for increased comfort and reduced involuntary motion

Advanced Workflow Package

Option

Streamlines overall patient preparation time

Facilitates a comprehensive patient-side workflow

- InRoom Registration

Option
- Simplifies patient check-in
- Patient registration at the scanner via Select&GO interface
  - Easy selection, review, and correction of patient details
  - Input of patient orientation, weight, and height
  - Facilitates registration of the next patient for scanning

BioMatrix Position Sensor

Option

Automates patient positioning in the iso-center with BioMatrix Contour coil

Eliminates the need for laser positioning or manual body region selection

InRoom Start

Option

Expedited measurement initiation: Select&GO interface enables scanner-side measurement start

Reduces total time patients spend on the table



System

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RF Coils

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## Postprocessing options

### syngo.MR applications Option

- Each syngo.MR application can be individually selected as an option
- syngo.MR 3D Lesion Segmentation
  - syngo.MR BreVis
  - syngo.MR Oncology
  - syngo.MR OncoTrend
  - syngo.MR Spectro CSI
  - syngo.MR Spectro SVS
  - syngo.MR Spectro Extension
  - syngo.MR Spectro Research
  - syngo.MR Tissue 4D
  - syngo.MR Prostate AI <sup>1)</sup>
  - syngo.MR Brain Morphometry
  - syngo.MR Neuro fMRI
  - syngo.MR Neuro Perfusion
  - syngo.MR Neuro Perfusion Mismatch
  - syngo.MR Tractography
  - syngo.MR Cardiac 4D Ventricular Function
  - syngo.MR Cardiac Flow
  - syngo.MR Cardiac Perfusion
  - syngo.MR Vascular Analysis

1) syngo.MR Prostate AI is not commercially available in some countries. Due to regulatory reasons their future availability cannot be guaranteed. Please contact your local Siemens Healthineers organization for further details

## Postprocessing options

### OpenApps Option

- OpenApps platform hosts additional applications on your system
- Apps, including those from partner vendors, are available in the Digital Marketplace
- Access the Digital Marketplace directly from your workplace
  - Download and install required apps easily
  - Apps are ready for immediate use
- Siemens Healthineers is neither the provider nor reseller nor legal manufacturer of any partner applications mentioned here. Any claims made for these products are under the sole responsibility of the legal manufacturer. Additionally, the partner applications mentioned here may not be commercially available in all countries. Please contact the legal manufacturer for more information.





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Accessories & supplies

Patient video monitoring Option

- Dedicated video camera for thorough observation in the examination room
- Up to two in-room cameras for front and rear patient observation
  - Color 1920 × 1080 pixel LCD monitor, positionable at the syngo Acquisition Workplace or a convenient wall spot

Foot switch Option

- In-room foot switch featuring two pneumatic buttons to start and stop a preset MR sequence
- MR-compatible, positioned near the patient table on the examination room floor

syngo MR Workplace Option

- Additional integrated workplace connected to the syngo Acquisition Workplace's host computer for postprocessing and image evaluation
- Same user interface as the syngo Acquisition Workplace, excluding scan control functions
  - Shares a database with syngo Acquisition Workplace, eliminating the need for image copy time

Host computer and LCD monitor technical data:

> [Computer system](#)

Workplace table Option

- Ergonomically designed table for:
- Color monitor
  - Keyboard
  - Mouse
  - Patient communication unit
  - Patient supervision display

Accessories & supplies

System start timer Option

- Timer clock that can be installed with MAGNETOM Flow.Ace to automatically start the system at user-defined times
- Eliminates waiting times during system boot up
  - Allows setting three different startup times for various days

Coil storage cart Option

- Non-ferromagnetic cart designed for easy storage of commonly used coils and accessories
- Can be rolled to convenient locations in the examination room
  - Additional storage space inside the doors when opened

Coil storage	Width cart closed	140 cm (4'7")
	Width cart opened	280 cm (9'2")
	Depth	54 cm (1'9")
	Height	121 cm (3'12")
Upper drawer	Height	13.3 cm (0'52")
Tray		9.0 cm (0'35")
Lower drawer		24.0 cm (0'94")



- 1) Upper drawer
- 2) Tray
- 3) Lower drawer

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