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- Capacity Building in the Field of Higher Education
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INFRARED THERMOGRAPHY

CLINICAL USE AND RESEARCH

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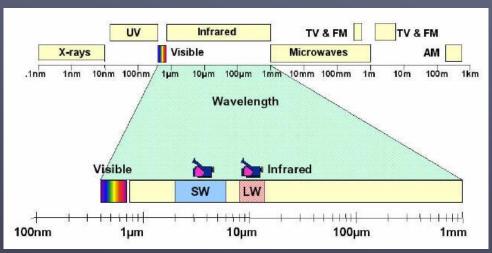








WHAT IS INFRARED IMAGING AND INFRARED RADIATION?



https://sherlockhomes-web.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/EM_spectrum.jpg

- ► The contact-less thermographic method is based on the measurement of infrared radiation (IR) emitted by the surface of the body.
- Wavelength 780 nm 1 mm





IRT equipment

- ► AGA (previous)
- ► Fluke Ti30 (previous)
- ► Flir i7
- ▶ Flir ONE Pro, SEEK Thermal CompactPRO (smartphone)
- ▶ Flir b200
- ► Workswell WIC 640















IR IMAGING IN MEDICINE

ADVANTAGES

- ➤ High temperature and spatial resolution
- Temperature distribution is displayed in the form of isothermal lines isotherms
- ➤ Possibility to display temperature profiles
- >Fast measurement

DISADVANTAGES

- Surface temperature distribution differs even in healthy people
- We have always to compare temperature of symmetrical body parts
- In contrast to original expectation, it is not possible to use IR imaging as a screening method for malignancies, e.g. breast tumours, because of its low specificity.

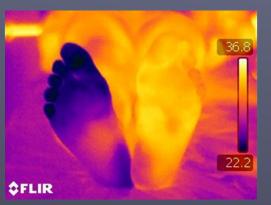


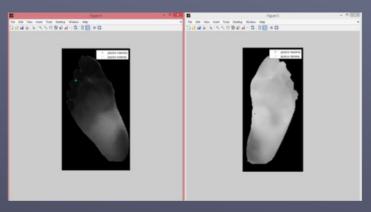


LOWER LIMB ISCHEMIA - PERCUTANEOUS TRANSLUMINAL

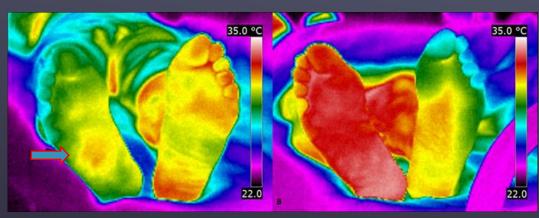
ANGIOPLASTY







2013, Flir b200, ischemic patient, own analysis software



2013, Flir b200, percutaneous transluminal angioplasty, before/after

Comparison of the condition before and after surgery; comparison with Allindex or transcutaneous oxygen measurement (quantification)

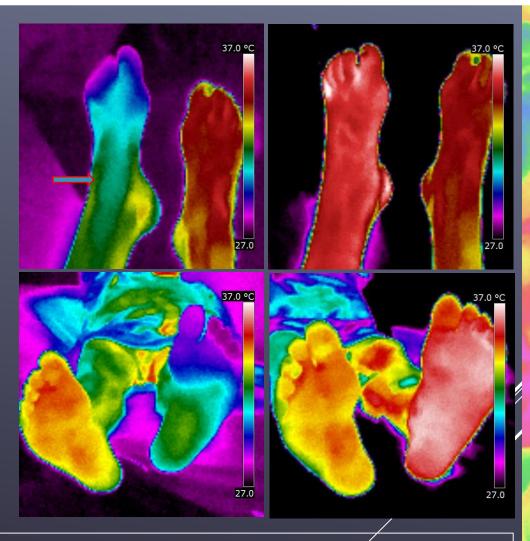




LOWER LIMB ISCHEMIA – FEMORAL POPLITEAL BYPASS

Flir i7, 2015, f-p bypass

before / after



Comparison of the ischemia condition before and after surgery; comparison with ABindex or transcutaneous oxygen measurement, quantification





Diabetic foot ulcer

Flir b200, 2015, diabetic ulcer



Early prediction, temporal evolution of treatment

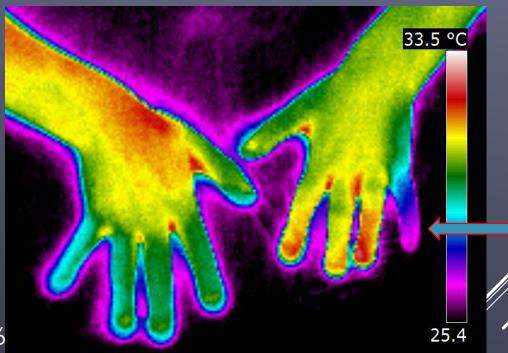




THE PARESIS OF NERVES



n. facialis, Flir b200, 2016, inconclusive



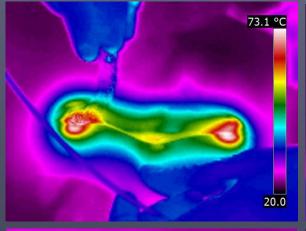
n. ulnaris, Flir b200, 2016

Comparison with EMG, quantification, time course of treatment



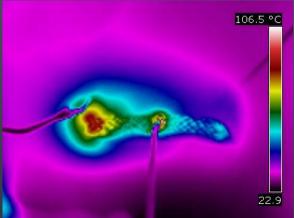


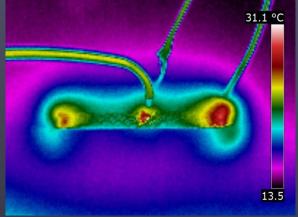
RADIOFREQUENCY ABLATION - METAL STENTS





Flir b200, 2013, temperature footprint, monopolar/bipolar





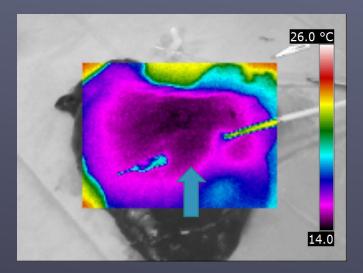
Flir b200, 2013, asymetry/symetry stent position vs indifferent plate electrode

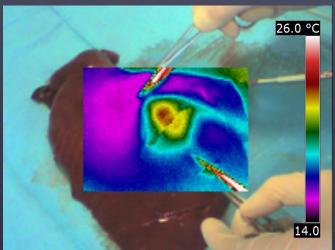
Temperature action in case conductive contact of biliary stent-active electrode, power vs. temperature, monolopar vs. bipolar mode, symetry vs. asymetry position of stent

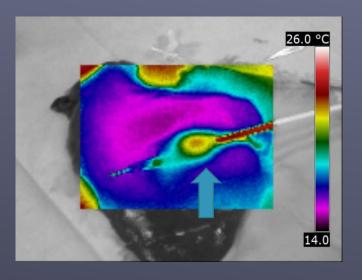




IRREVERSIBLE ELECTROPORATION







Flir b200, 2017, experimental balloon catheter for irreversible electroporation

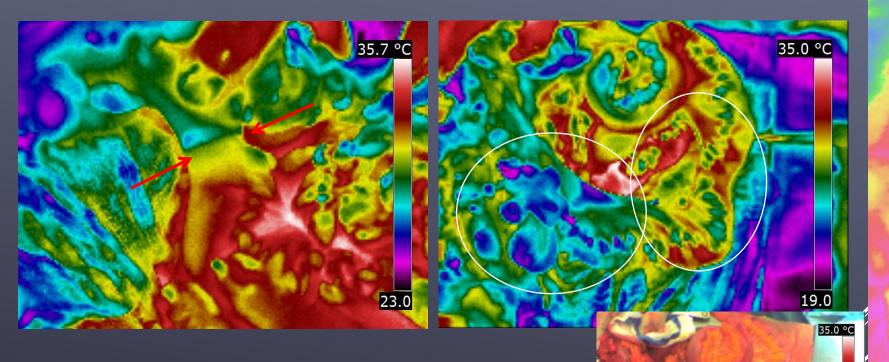
Testing new IRE device and new balloon/catheter, thermal effect







SURGERY – INTESTINE RESECTION



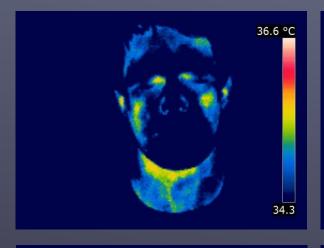
Flir b200, 2017, vascularized/devascularized intestine

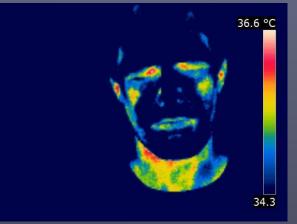
Determination of rection line, comparison with ICG method



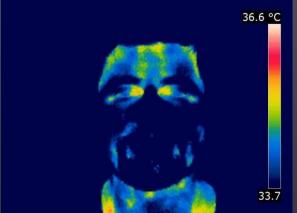


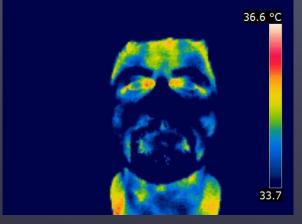
THERMOREGULATION - CAPSAICIN





Flir b200, 2017, capsaicin





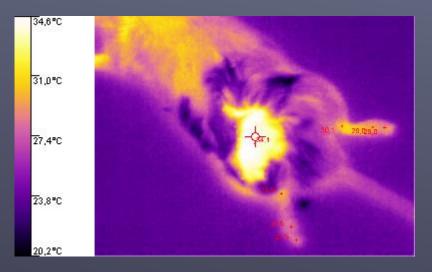
before / after application

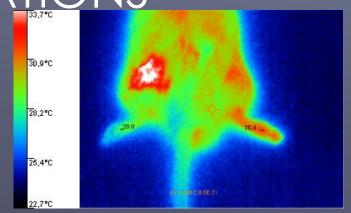
The effect of capsaicin, thermoregulation



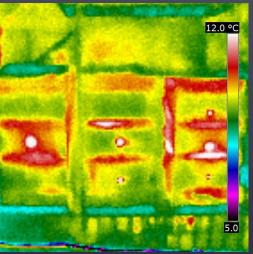


VETERINARY APPLICATIONS

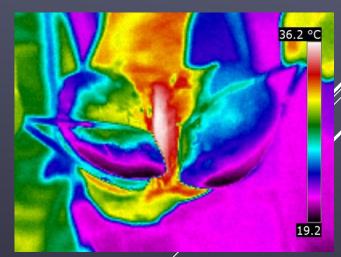




2009, Fluke Ti30, rat, nerve ligature



Flir i7, 2016, bee, thermoregulation of bee hive

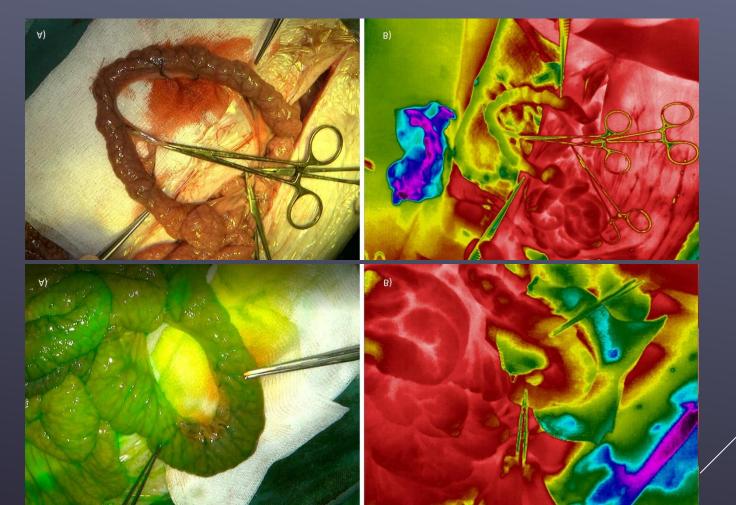


Flir b200, 2017, cattle, inflammation of the hoof





INFRARED THERMOGRAPHY AND INDOCYANINE GREEN ANGIOGRAPHY







- ► Indocyanine green angiography (ICG) the contrast agent (VERDYE diagnostic green) is fluorescent with wavelength 830 nm and could be visualized with special probe
- ► The application of ICG should be performed intravenously immediately after the devascularization of the intestine subsection



















Comparison ICG angiography and IRT in a porcine models

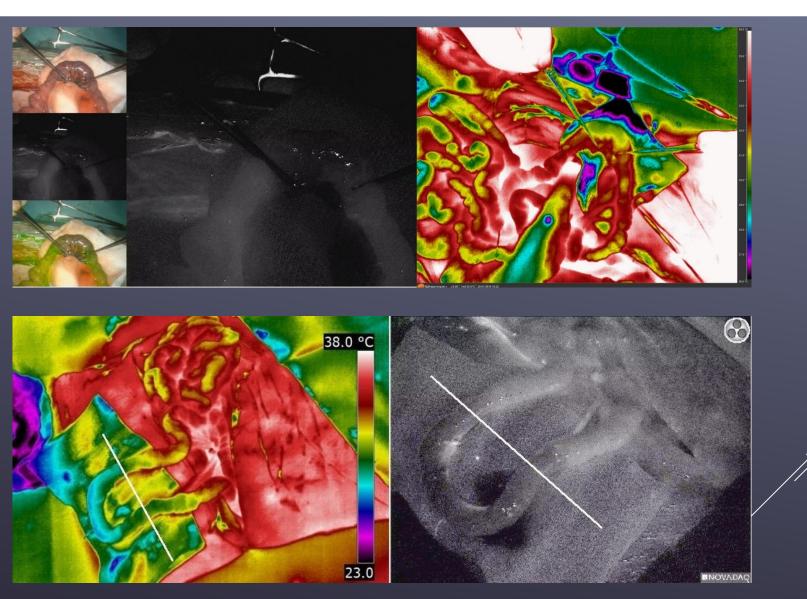








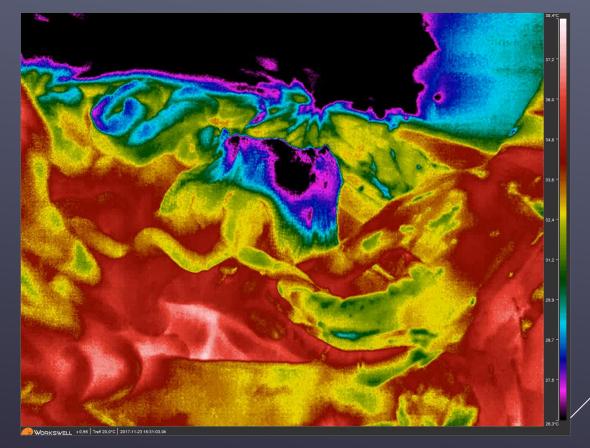








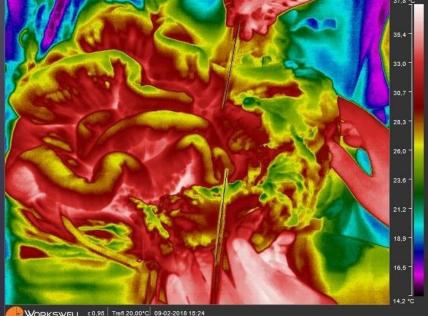
TESTING OF CREATED ANASTOMOSIS











- Tweezers show the place of resection based on macroscopical evaluation by surgeon
- There was a clear visible line of ischemic part used by ICG
- However post-operative course of the patient was complicated on the 7th day by sepsis from anastomotic leakage which was confirmed by a CT scan and later by surgery.





THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

... and enjoy the visit of Brno...



