

CAPTAIN: Automatic workflow manager

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- CAPTAIN, the origin
- Why working with Orthanc?
- Interface Orthanc-CAPTAIN
- Workflow manager structure
- Application examples
- Who use it?

- Research activities in proton therapy:
 - Dedicated to increase indication for proton therapy
- Need tool to support research activities:
 - Imaging: image quality to compute proton dose
 - Clinical workflow: how to go to adaptive proton therapy
 - Comparison Proton therapy (PT) with photon therapy (RT)
- Need platform to support research
 - CAPTAIN – Orthanc platform.



What is CAPTAIN ?

Open-source platform:

- Automatic workflow manager.
- Web-based
- High Modularity



Interfaced with Orthanc:

- Dicom PACS used as dicom interface

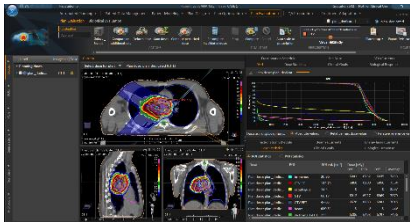
Interfaced with Stone of Orthanc:

- Dicom web viewer used for online results review

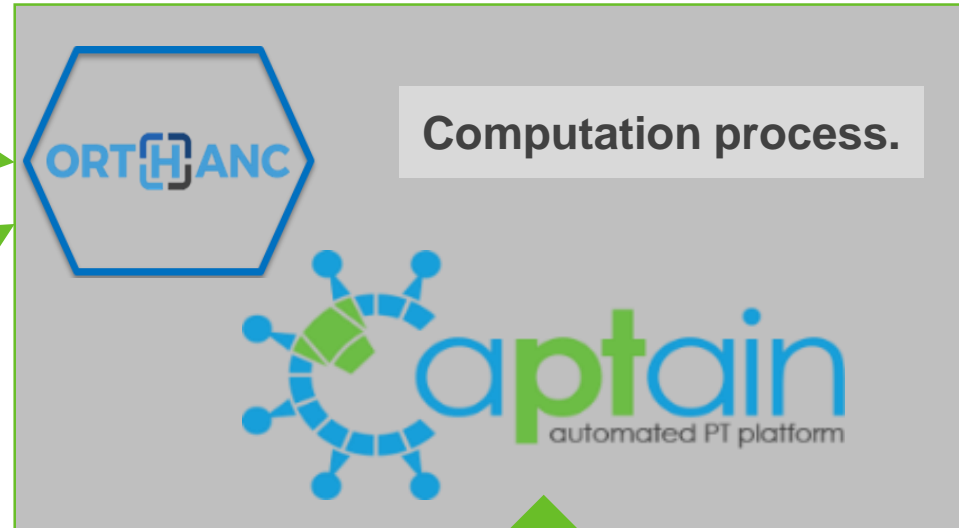


What is CAPTAIN ?

DICOM instances



On central server



On any web-browser

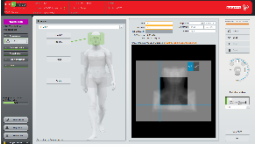





Automation tool



Why Captain was developed ?

- Origin:**
- Research project with University of Pennsylvania Proton therapy center.
 - Computation of Proton therapy clinical indicators based on the virtual CT.

-  Acquire CBCT
-  Manual transfert data
-  researcher physically move
-  Load data
configure indicator
run analysis in MatLab
- Review results individually in Matlab

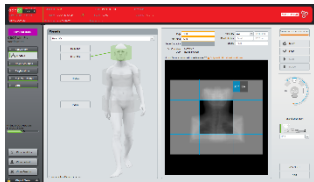


**Time consuming.
Non efficient.
High risk of Human error**



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Acquire CBCT

Data transfered automatically from AI



Matlab run automatically on a server
No need of user connected



Review results on web-browser

Suggested solution:

Automation



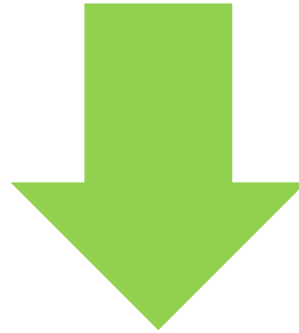
Need of a DICOM PACS

Requirements:

- A Dicom interface to receive data from imaging system, TPS and OIS:
 - PT/RT plan
 - PT/RT dose map
 - Structure set
 - CT – CBCT – vCT – 4DCT
- Open-source tool
- Dicom standard interface
- Web API available

Requirements:

- A Dicom interface to receive data from imaging system, TPS, OIS and to store dicom results
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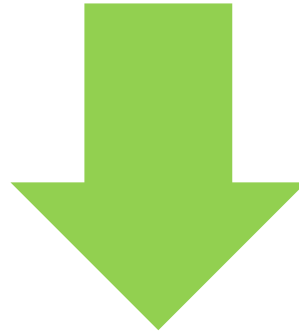


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 **OSIMIS**
IMAGING - RE-WIRED

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- Dicom web-viewer for workflow result review



Stone of Orthanc

Lightweight, cross-platform C++ framework for the CPU-based rendering of medical images.

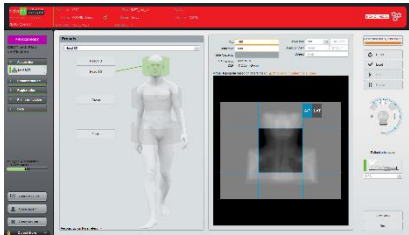


CAPTAIN Orthanc interface

In practice:



Image acquisition



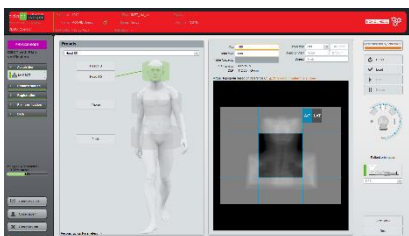
Treatment planning system (TPS)

1. Data received on dicom interface (port 4242).
2. Orthanc server parse received data:
 - Lua script on Orthanc server
 - Notification to CAPTAIN (patient ID, study ID) on REST API

1. CAPTAIN received notification from Orthanc.
2. CAPTAIN request detailed information:
 - Contact orthanc API (port 8042)
 - Retrieve all information needed to trigger WF.
3. CAPTAIN launch computation WF:
 - Contact Orthanc API to download dicom files (series/instances) – Plan, CT, structure set.
4. CAPTAIN post Dicom result on Orthanc PACS
 - Upload dicom result to Orthanc PACS

CAPTAIN Orthanc interface

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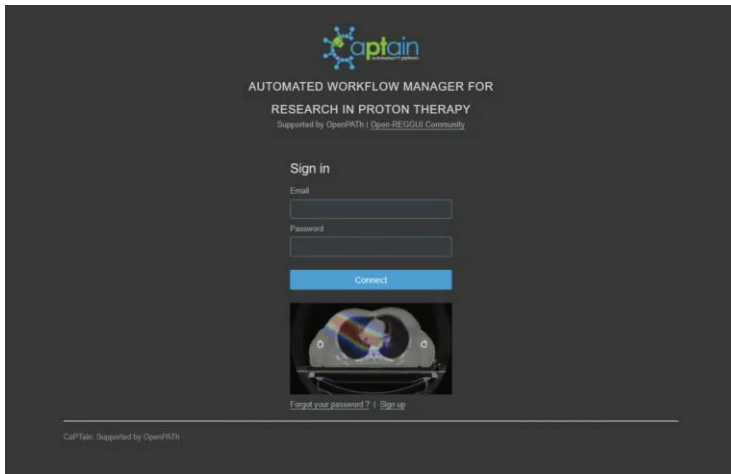
Orthanc Web API
Key feature of Orthanc
In CAPTAIN application

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CAPTAIN workflow manager



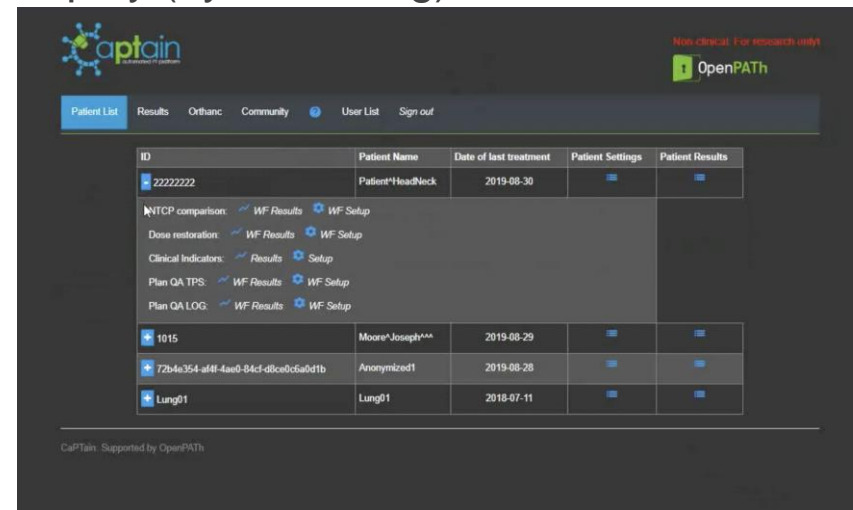
1. Web-based interface



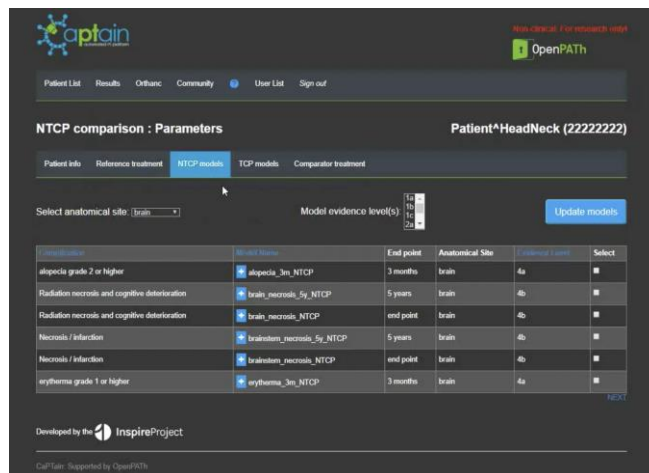
2. Access list of Patient:

- Orthanc patient are automatically added in the app
- Not All patient are in Orthanc (depend if presence of DICOM data)

3. Display (by extending) workflow available for each patient

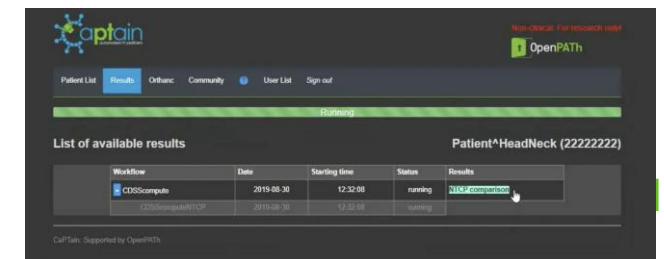


4. Workflow configuration



5. Trigger the workflow manager:

- When new data arrives on Orthanc -> Automatic
- When new WF configuration
- When force by the user



CAPTAIN workflow manager

- Process:



From the researcher. C/C++, python, MatLab, ...

Can be use in standalone



- Task:



Load all input needed for the process, input json
Launch the process
Retreive and store data



- Workflow:



chain of tasks
Contains rules to start the workflow.
Trigger each task sequentially.
Save all data.



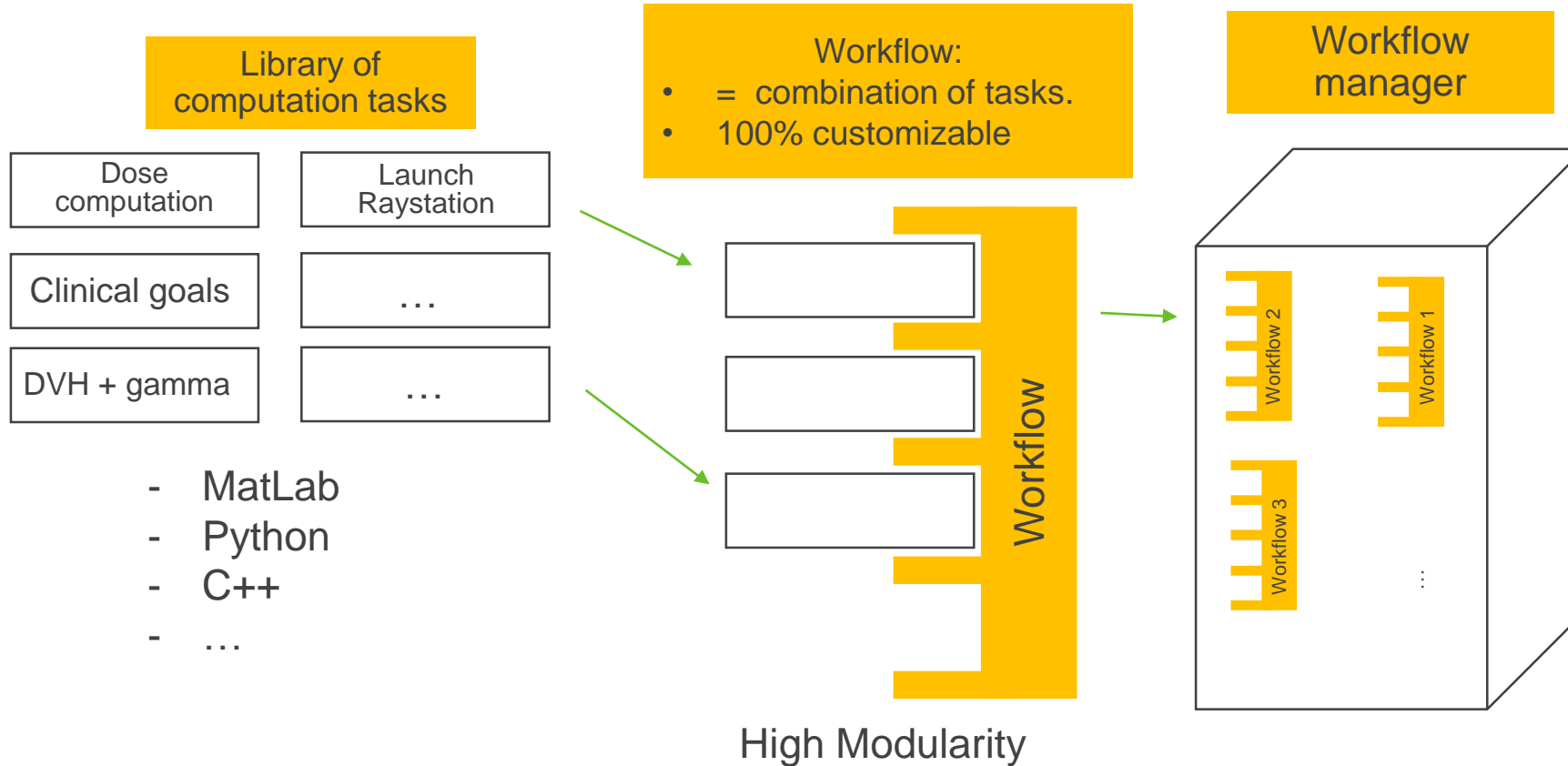
- Application:



Workflow(S) to tackle the issue

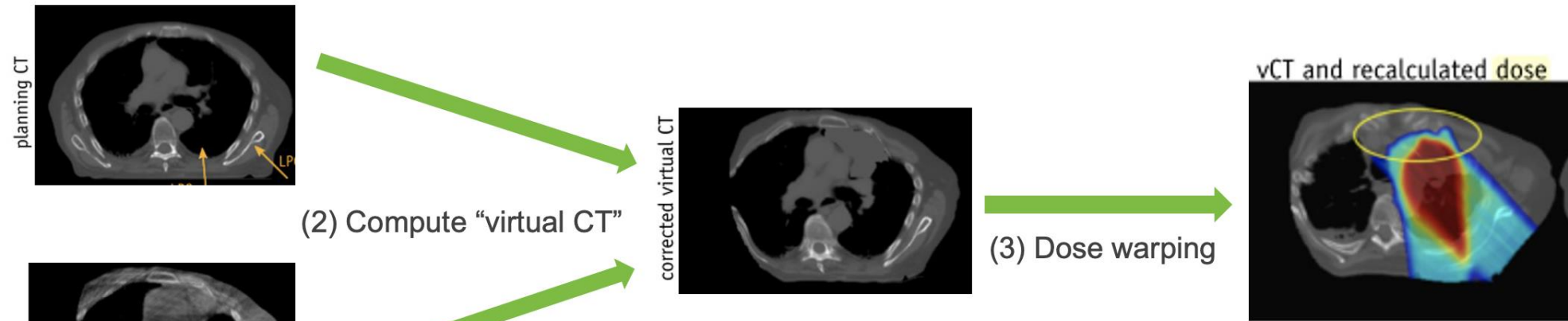


CAPTAIN workflow manager



Application of CAPTAIN: Case 1

■ Clinical indicators:



(1) Daily CBCT



Thoracic Cancers

First Clinical Investigation of Cone Beam Computed Tomography and Deformable Registration for Adaptive Proton Therapy for Lung Cancer

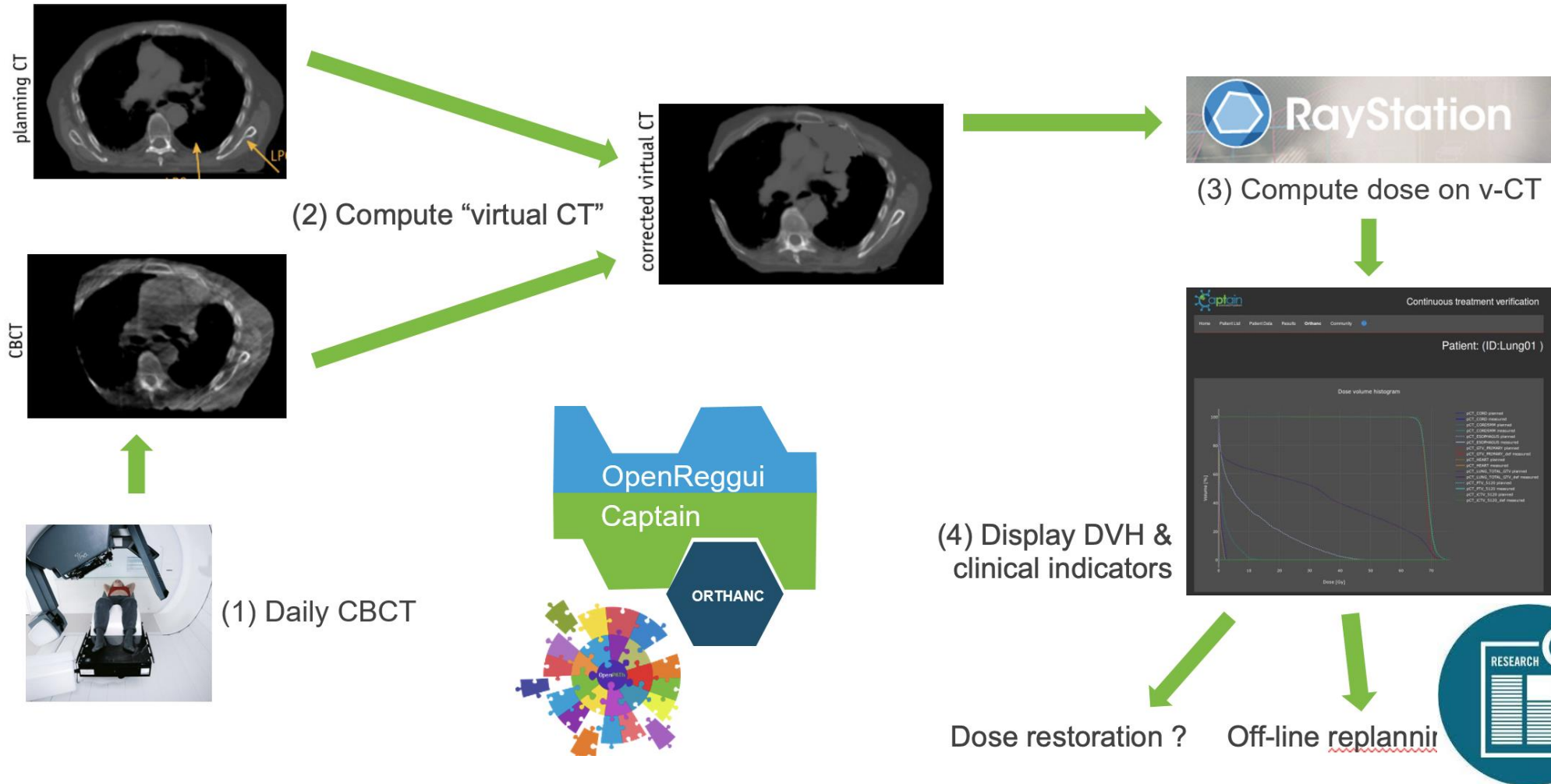
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Application of CAPTAIN: Case 1

■ Clinical indicators:



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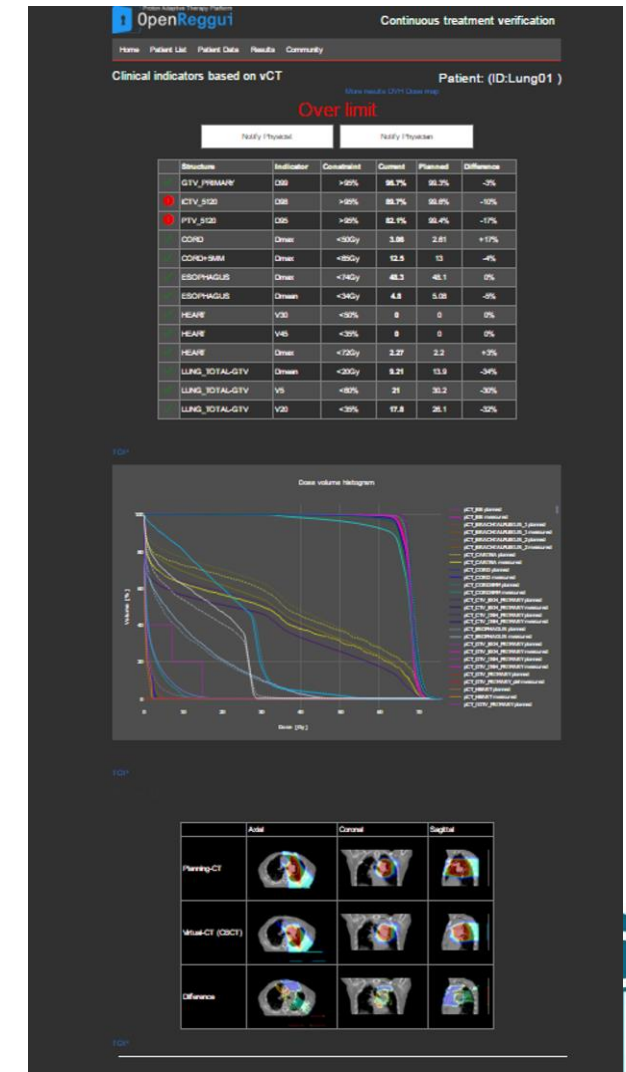
- Partner: UPENN
- 1st application (April 2017)

- Version to display in Adapt insight
(IBA imaging software for CBCT acquisition and Patient positioning)

- Version connecting to Raystation (TPS)

- (demo at ASTRO 2017)

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=edU5OTCWsP4>

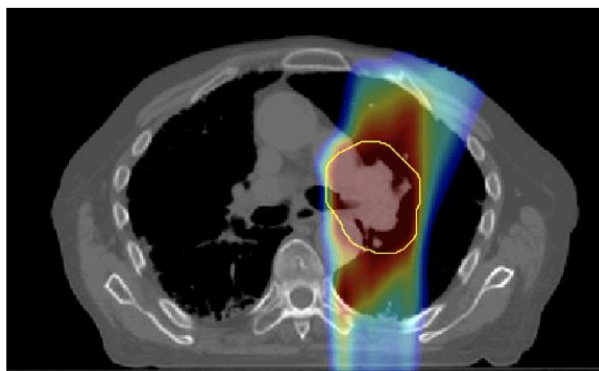


Application of CAPTAIN: Case 2

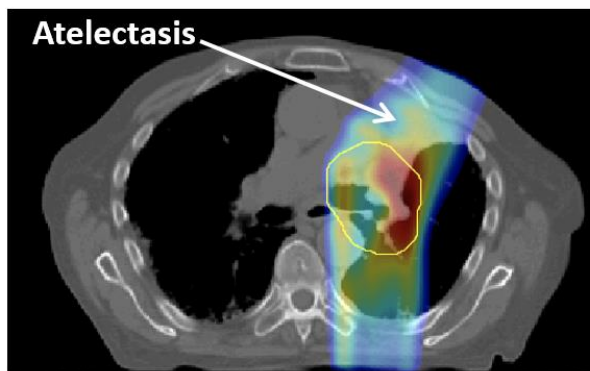
- Dose restoration (adaptive therapy):

- Partner: KUL/UCL

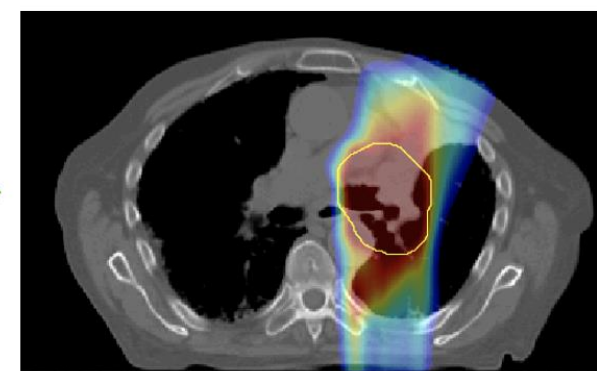
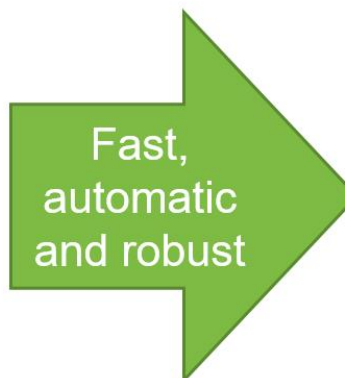
Dose restoration aims to stabilize the dose i.e. **restore the clinically approved IMPT dose** distribution on the treatment day, independently on anatomical changes in patient



Planning CT
(robust plan)



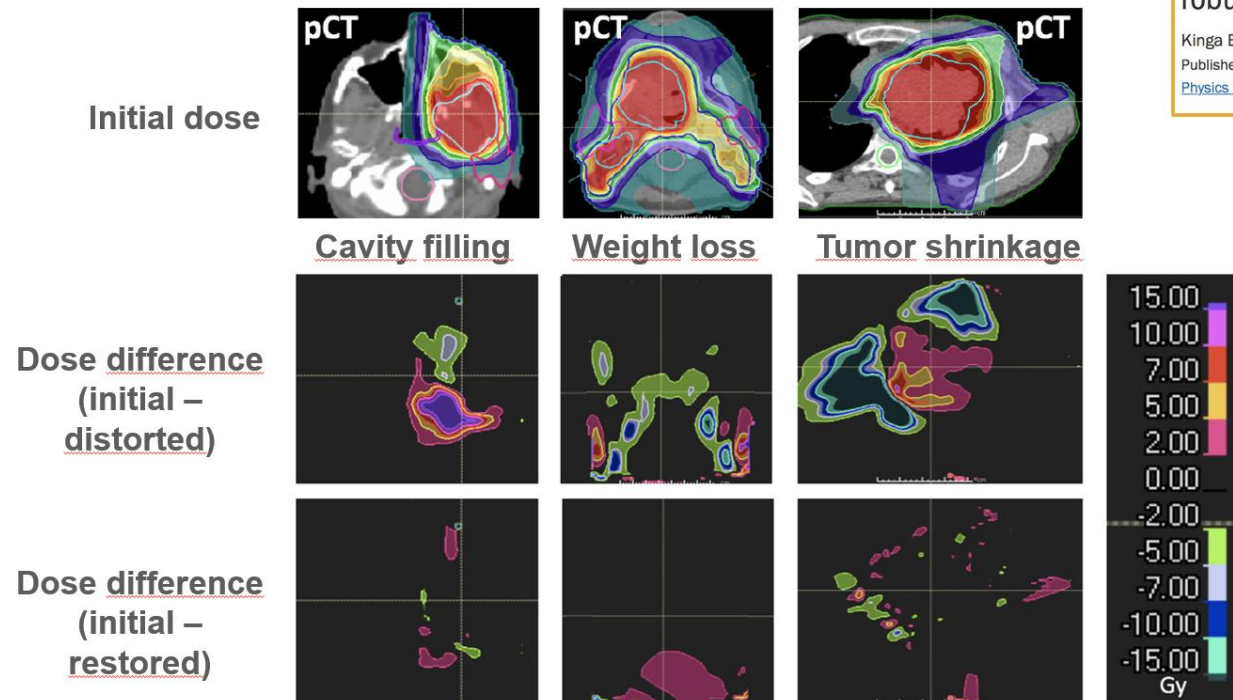
Repeated CT
(anatomy change)



Restored dose
on repeated CT

Application of CAPTAIN: Case 2

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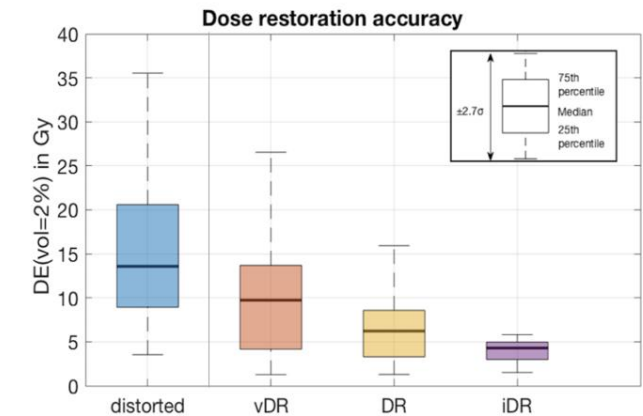
PAPER

Feasibility of online IMPT adaptation using fast, automatic and robust dose restoration

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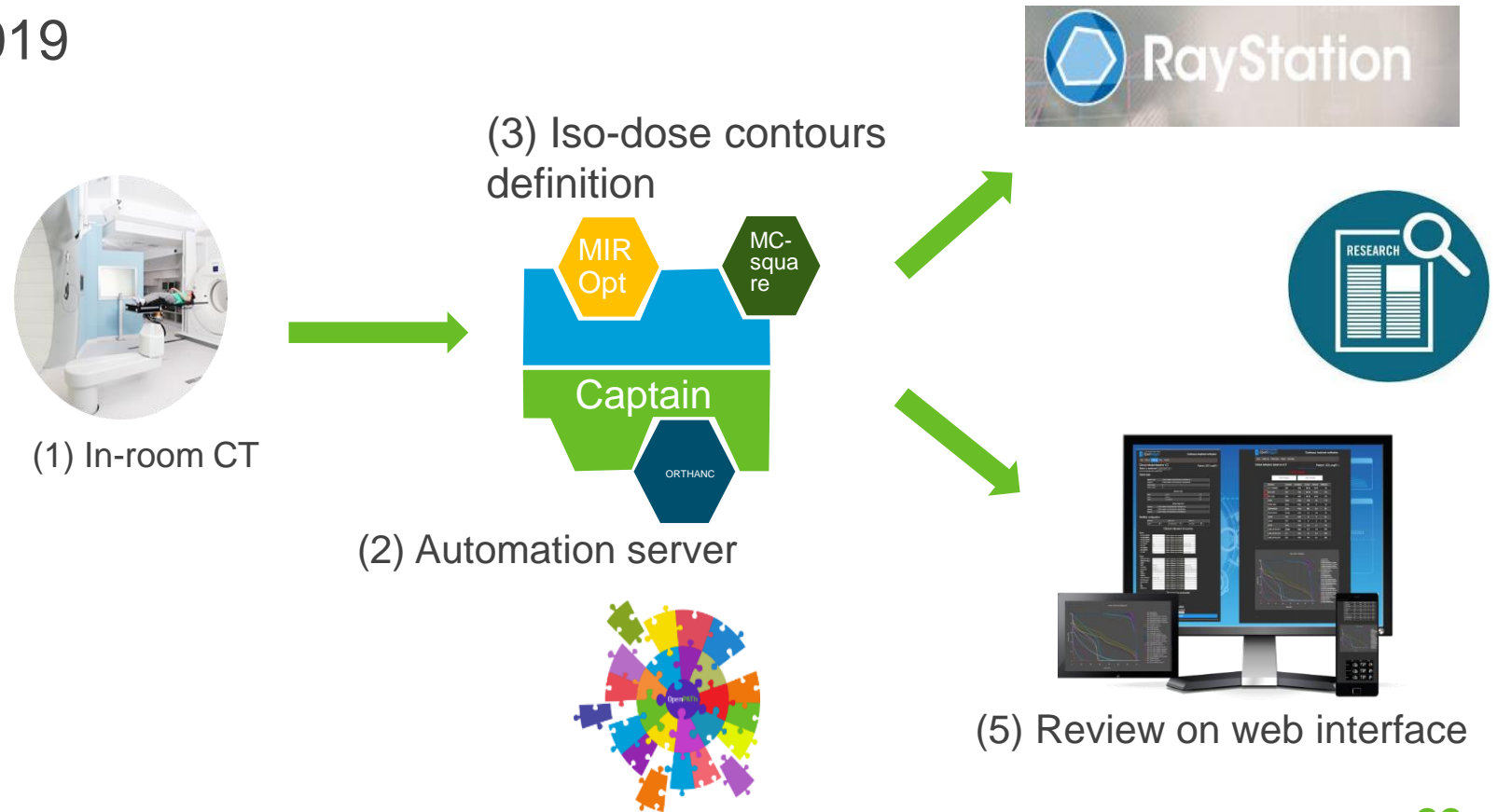
vDR: voxel-based dose restoration

DR: DVH-based dose restoration

iDR: isodose-based dose restoration

Application of CAPTAIN: Case 2

- Dose restoration (adaptive therapy):
 - Partner: KUL/UCL
 - Prototype January 2019
- 4 workflows.
- Online adaptive.



Application of CAPTAIN: Case 3

■ CDSS (NTCP automatic computation)

NTCP models



NTCP models
validated
by academia



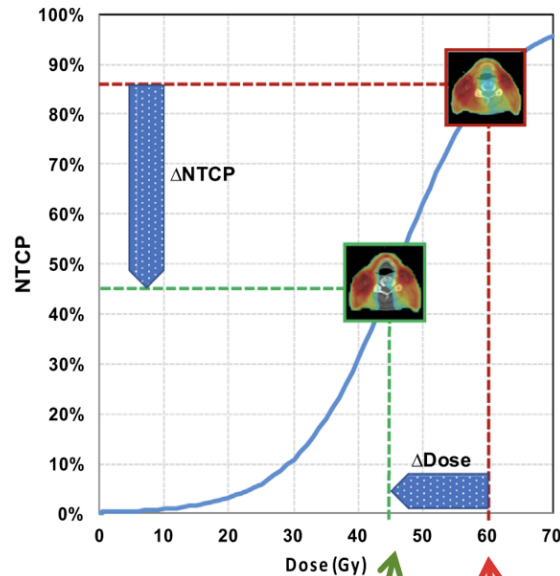
Swallowing dysfunction

A predictive model for swallowing dysfunction after curative radiotherapy in head and neck cancer

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CDSS



$$\Delta NTCP = NTCP_{\Phi} - NTCP_{p+}$$

Prediction of DELTA Normal tissue complication probability

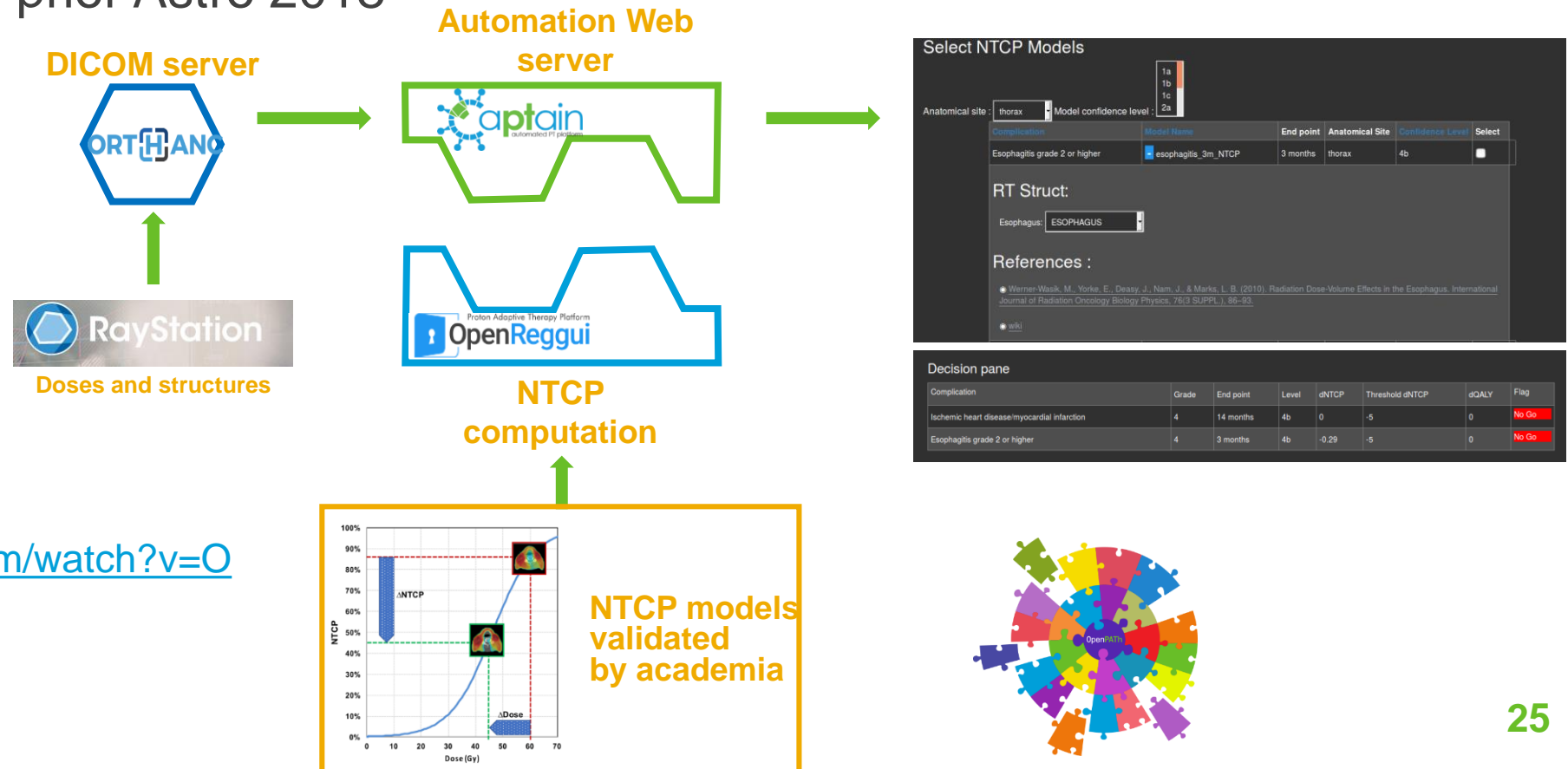
PT Dose map

RT Dose map

- CDSS (NTCP automatic computation):
 - Partner – UMCG (Groningen Netherland) – Miami Cancer institute
 - 1st prototype prior Astro 2018
- Aim
 - Provide Automatic computation of probability of complication after radiation therapy.
 - PT/RT comparison
 - Based on delivered dose
 - NTCP models published

Application of CAPTAIN: Case 3

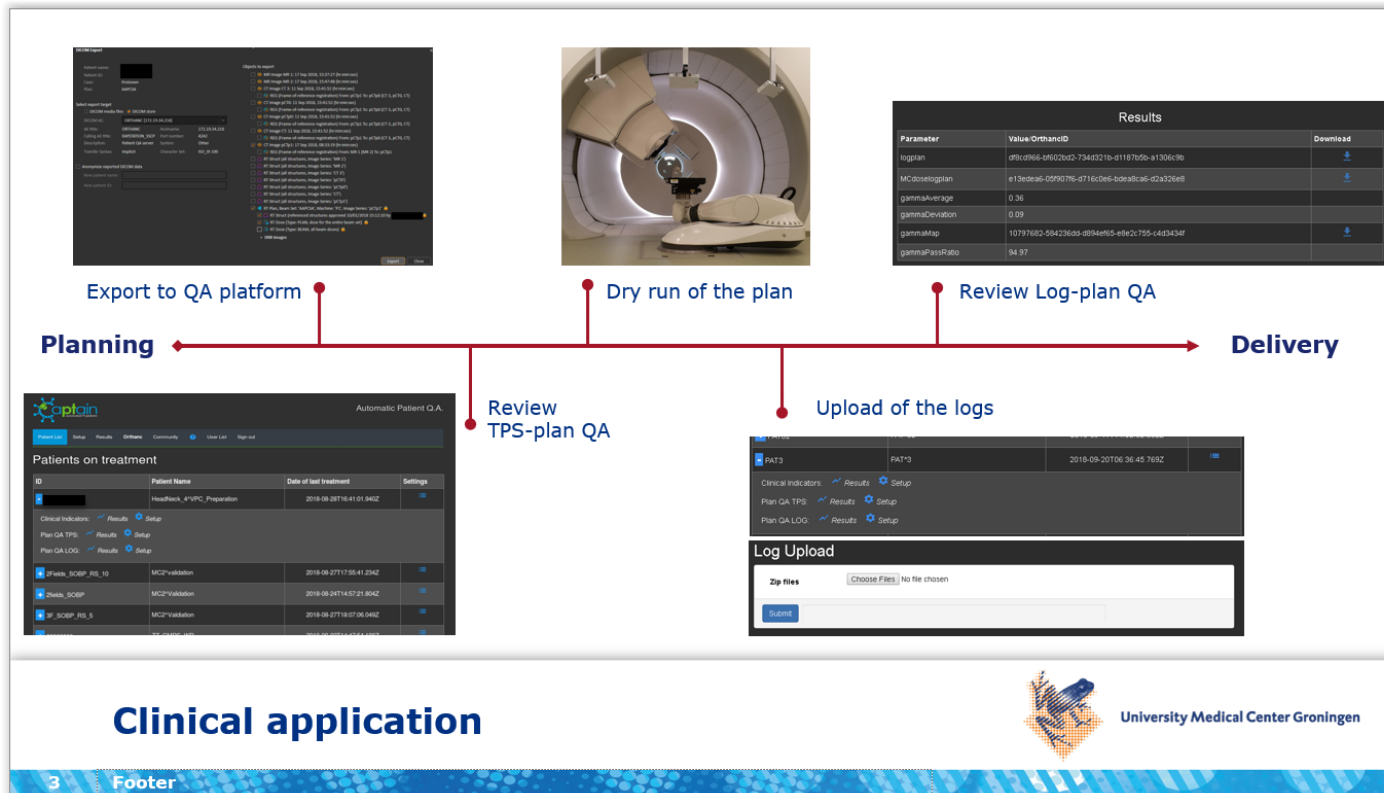
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Application of CAPTAIN: Case 4

- Log-based QA:
 - Partner: UMCG
 - Prototype started spring 2018 – last update September 2019



- Automatic dose recomputation with secondary dose engine
 - Dose recomputation based on irradiation log for QA
- A lot of data stored on Orthanc.
- Used of stone of Orthanc dicom viewer

Application of CAPTAIN: Case 4

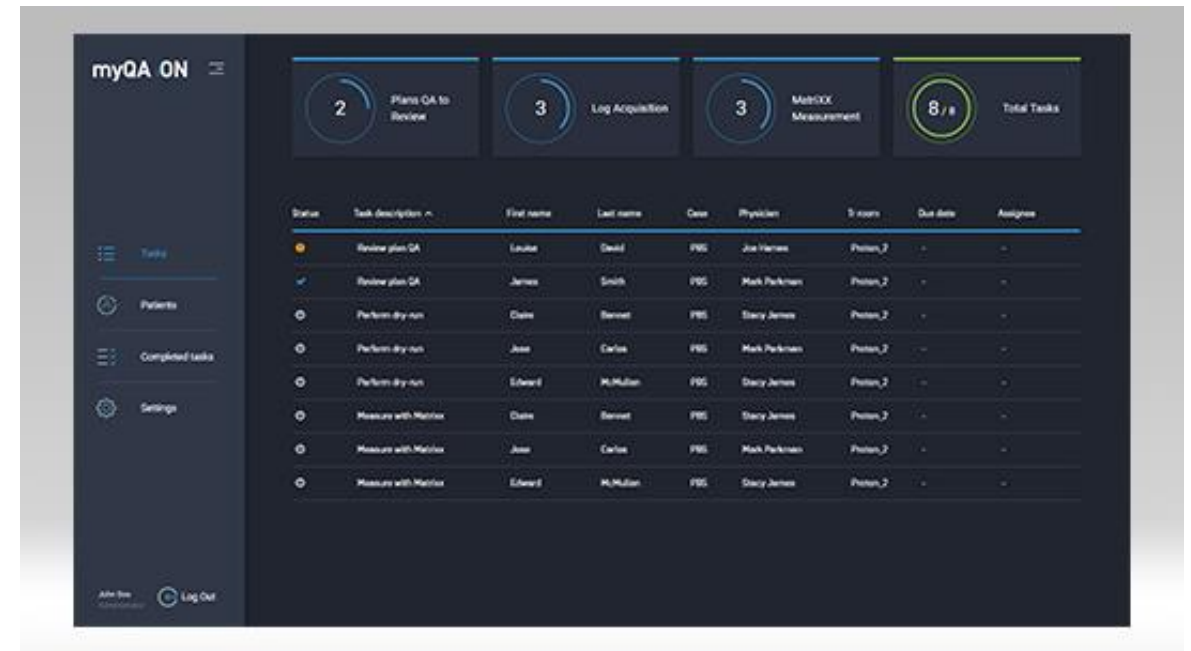
■ Log-based QA:

■ My QA ions

From the log-based QA workflow

- Based on same code for the computation
- Same architecture (JS to java).
- Use Orthanc as PACS.
- Continue observing evolution at UMCG to help defining roadmap in dosi.
- Show interest in features:
 - NTCP computation
 - Machine file QA

Product developed by IBA Dosimetry



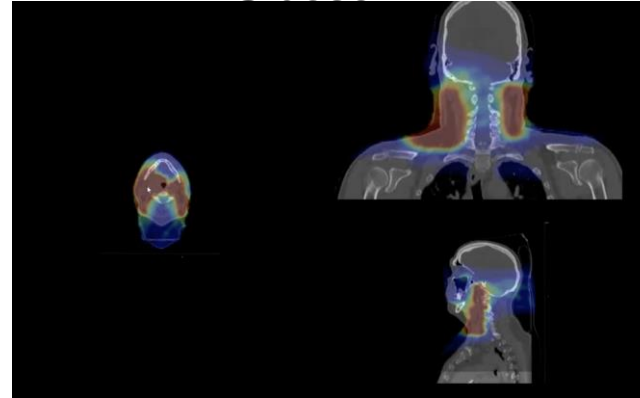
Use of Stone of Orthanc

- Major feature of the platform.
- Web-based dicom viewer
- Allow fusion and overlay

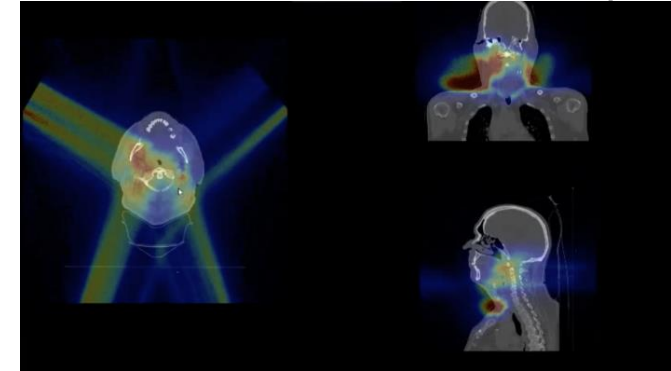
Review of:

- image produced: vCT vs CT/CBCT
- Dose map computed
- LET map
- Gamma map

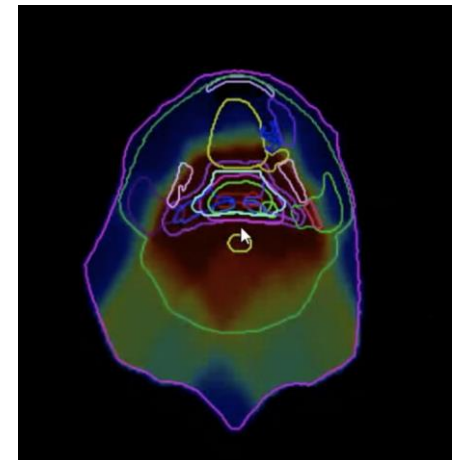
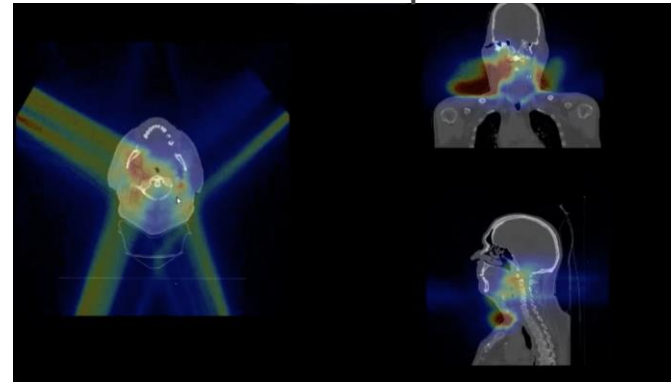
TPS dose



Monte-Carlo dose map



LET dose map



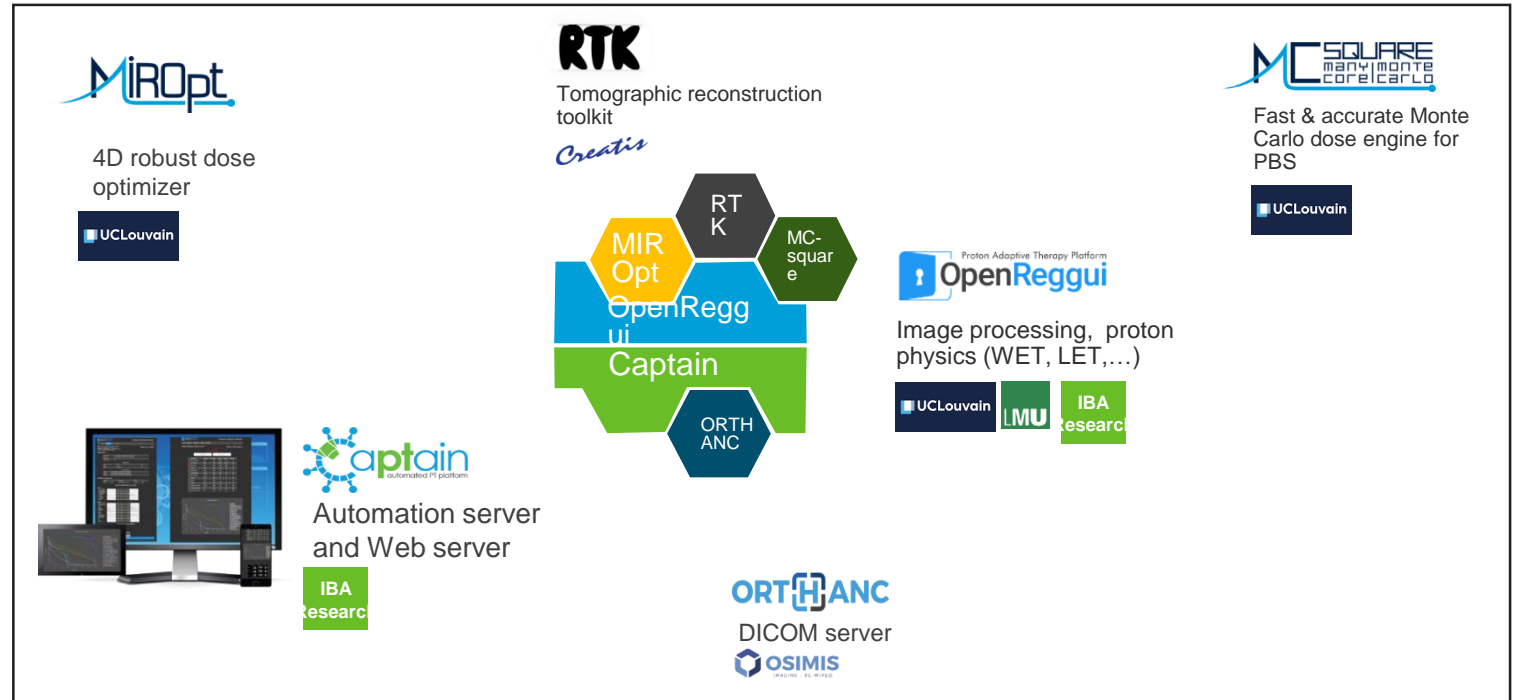
CAPTAIN – Orthanc users

N°	Status	User name	Installation	Location	Contact person	Installation by	Version date	Purpose
1	installed	UPENN	juil-17	Philadelphie		RLA - API		Clinical indicators
2	Installed - Active	UMCG	Feb 2018	Groningen	API	Done internally - API		QA - decision support
3	Installed - Active	MIRO	March 2019	BXL - St Luc		API		Dose restauration
4	installed	UFPTI	July 2018	Jacksonville		RLA - LHO		??
5	in progress	UZL-KUL	sept-19	Leuven	RLA	RLA-LHO-API		CDSS
6	compiled	Chicago	Jul 2018	Chicago	LHO	remote LHO		CDSS
7	in progress	Chicago	Oct-19	Chicago	LHO-API	remote		CDSS in CAPTAIN (for robust comparison)
8	Installed	BHSF	sept-19	Miami	API	remote by site engineer		CDSS in CAPTAIN
9	planned	Beaumont	Oct-19	Royal Oak	API	remote		CDSS in CAPTAIN



CAPTAIN – Orthanc: supported by openpath

- CAPTAIN is a central piece of OpenPath
- The open source research strategy: <https://openpath.software>



So what is CAPTAIN

- The CDSS **NO**
- The Log based QA **NO**
- Clinical indicators **NO**
- OpenPath **NO**

It is a tool.

A web-application providing an automatic workflow manager

YES

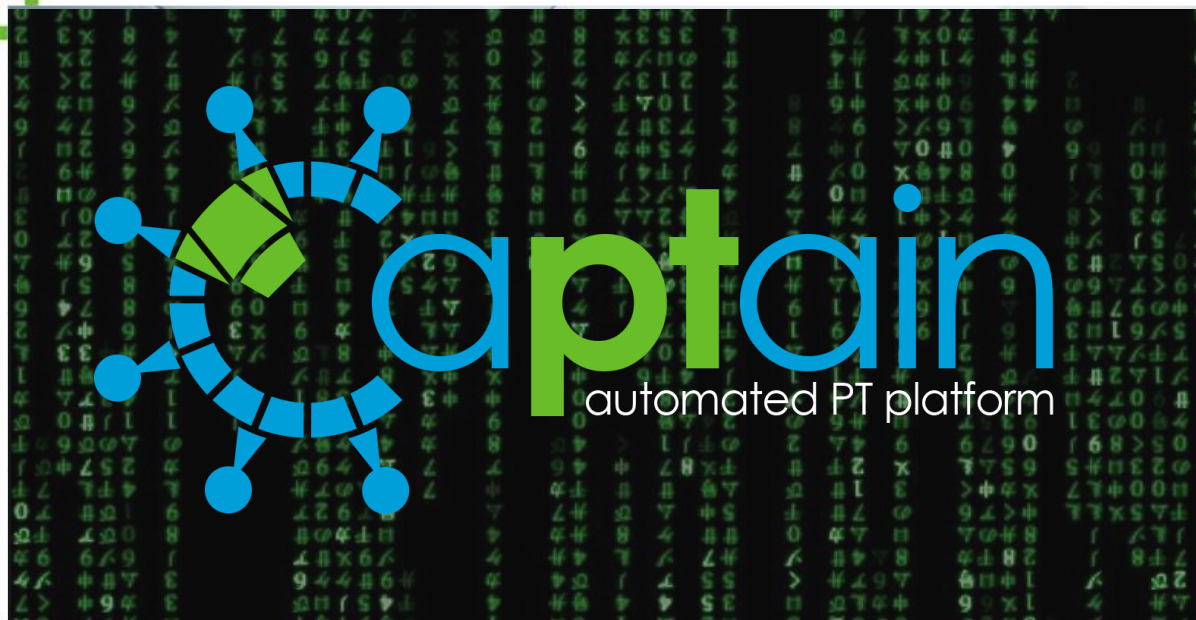
Fully customizable

Could be use for other purposes than PT clinical workflow



- CAPTAIN is an open-source platform for research.
- Orthanc is used as Dicom PACS for CAPTAIN application.
- Orthanc web API is a key feature in our application
- High value with the Lua scripting in Orthanc
- Results display with Stone-of-Orthanc Dicom web viewer
- Used for research in proton therapy
- Multiple research center use it.

- More to come ...



Thank you