

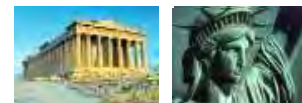
Femto Cataract and anterior segment surgery



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Laser Cataract Surgery

1999-2 mm barrier

In pursuit of endocapsular CE
True accommodative IOL

2-mm incision barrier is broken in Greece

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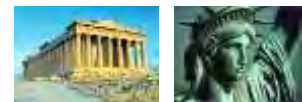
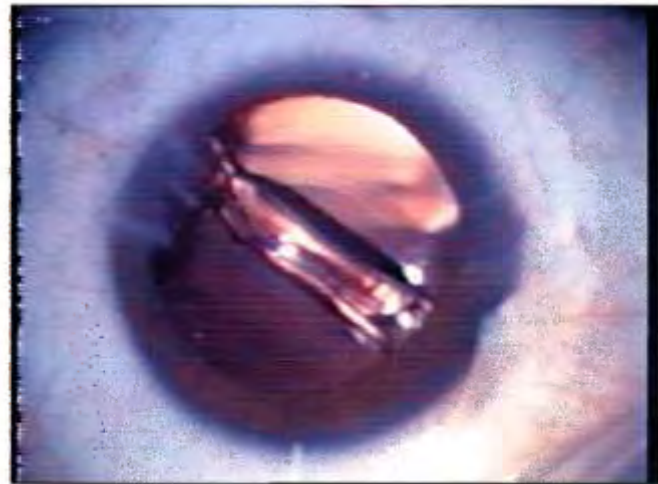
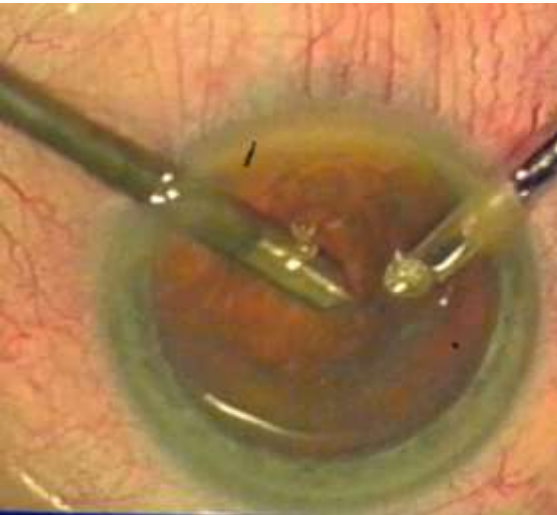
Dr. Kanellopoulos "Over the last few years, I have been performing a lot of laser cataract surgery. I am now using a 2-mm barrier, which is a significant improvement over the 3-mm barrier that was used previously. The 2-mm barrier allows for a smaller incision, which is beneficial for the patient's recovery and for the surgeon's technique. I believe that the 2-mm barrier is the future of laser cataract surgery."

Laser cataract removal was done through two clear corneal paracenteses of about 1.5 mm in width.

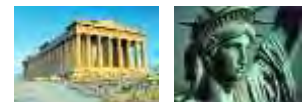


Intraoperative photograph of a phacolytic glaucoma, following laser cataract removal. The incision is 2 to 3 mm. (Photograph courtesy of Dr. J. Kanellopoulos, MD)

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Femto-Cataract work: 2 Years in Athens, Greece



Published Papers on Lenticular or Cataract Surgery Applications for Femtosecond Lasers



Review of Published Literature Cataract/Lenticular Applications

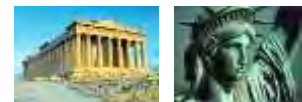
First report of all 4 components of FS laser-
assisted cataract surgery: Palanker 2010
OptiMedica Catalys Laser with integrated
OCT

Capsulorhexis 2x stronger and 5x more
precise than manual

Perceived cataract hardness decreased by 2
grades

Describes multi-planar self-sealing incisions
and exact placement of LRIs

Palanker DV, Blumenkranz MS, Andersen D, et al. Femtosecond laser-assisted cataract surgery with integrated optical coherence tomography. *Sci Transl Med* 2010;17(2):58ra85.



What is the goal of laser-assisted cataract surgery?

To improve

Refractive outcomes

Safety profile

Patient comfort and satisfaction

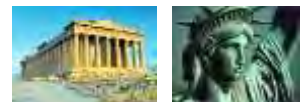
How can this be accomplished?

More precise and accurate *capsulotomy*

More precise and accurate cataract incision

More efficient lens disruption and removal

More precise and accurate relaxing incisions



Surgical Systems



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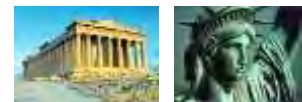
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Surgical Systems



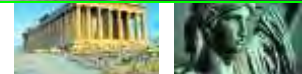
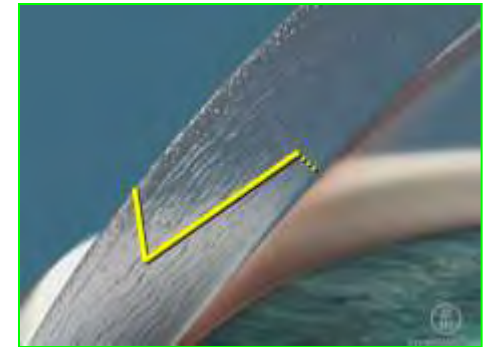
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Improved Cataract Incision

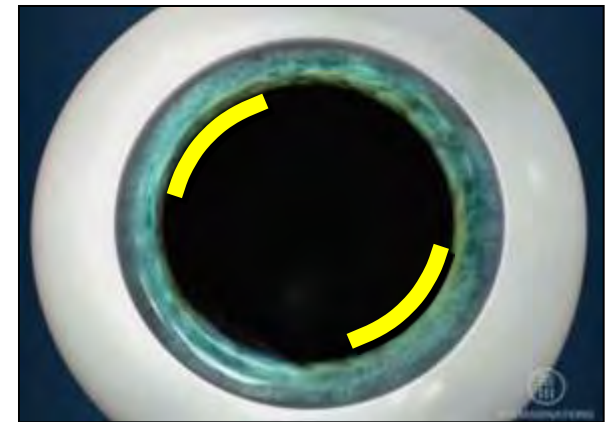
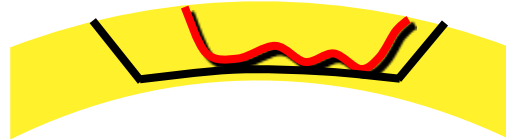
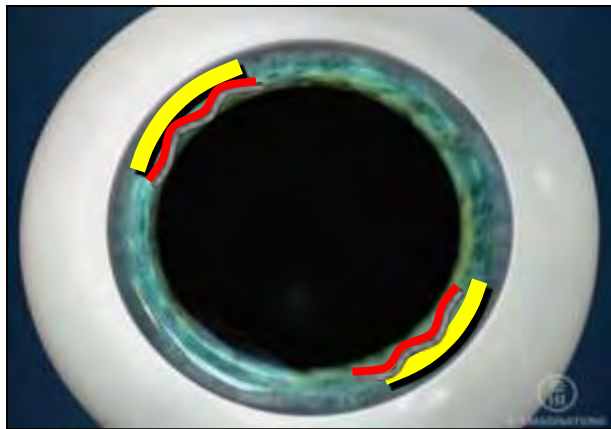
Improved cataract incisions
could
lead to the following:
A tighter self-sealing sealing
wound
More consistent incision
Unique incision architecture



Refractive Results: A more precise relaxing incision

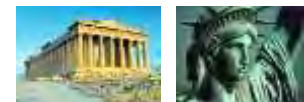
LRI with Femtosecond Lasers:

Potentially more consistent and predictable astigmatic management compared to manual LRIs^{1,2}



¹Slade S. Donnenfeld Femtosecond Lasers in Refractive cataract Surgery. AAO, October 2010.

²Slade S MD, Culbertson W MD, & Krueger R MD. Femtosecond Lasers for Refractive Cataract Surgery. CRST, August 2010

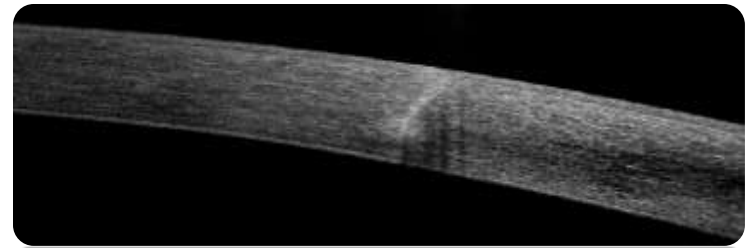


Laser Refractive Cataract Surgery - Arc Incisions

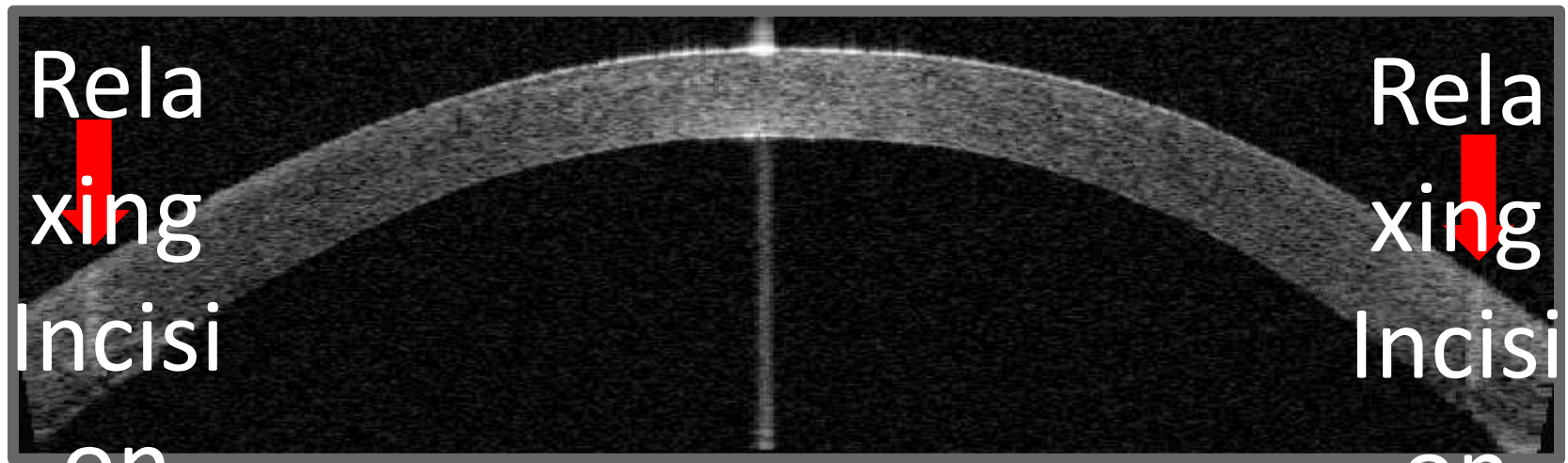
Fully Customizable and adjustable

Refractive incisions are no longer an art form. They are a science.

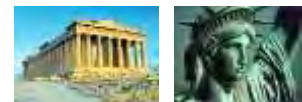
Place Desired Incisions:
EXACT Size
EXACT Place
EXACT Depth
Every Time



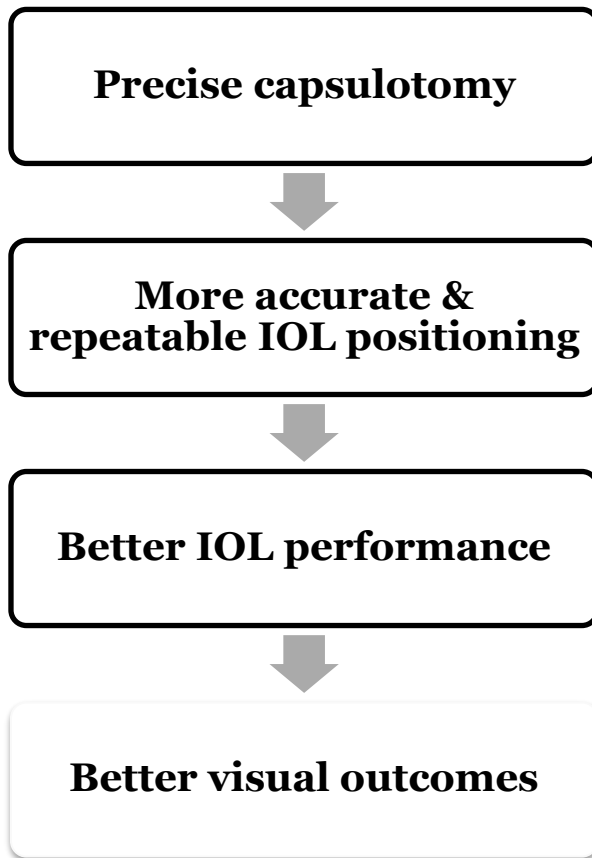
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Corneal OCT (Visante)

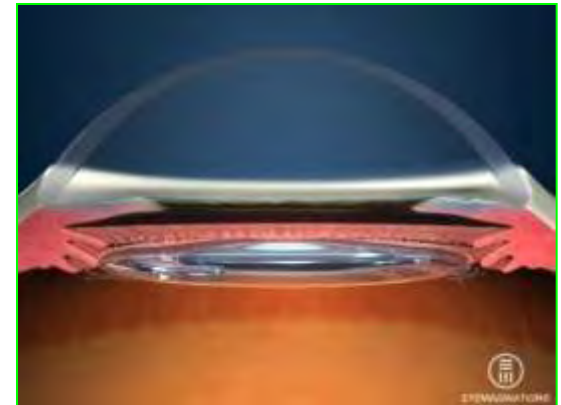


Refractive Results: A more precise capsulotomy



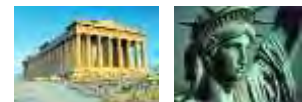
The size, shape, and positioning of the capsulorhexis is a key determinant for effective lens position¹

A 0.5 mm axial plane deviation from intended ELP results in 1D of refractive error²



¹Yanoff M, Duker J: Ophthalmology: Expert Consult 3rd edition, Mosby, 2008.

²Cekic O, Batman C: The relationship between capsulorhexis size and anterior chamber depth relation. *Ophthalmic Surg Lasers* 1999, 30(3):185-90.

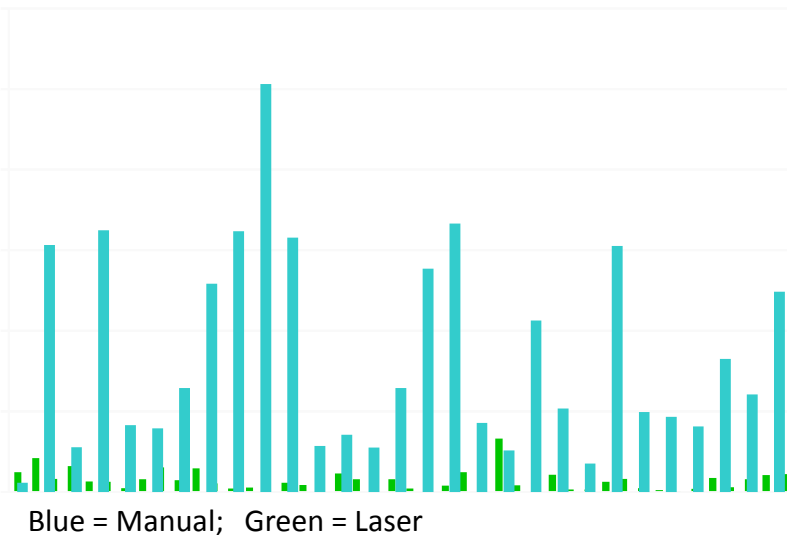
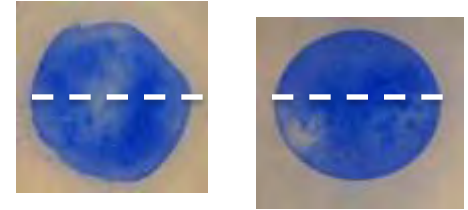


Capsulotomy size is more precise

Capsulotomy/capsulorhexis disc excised during surgery

Disc diameter measured and recorded

Deviation between intended and observed diameter calculated



Company

Manual

Laser

OptiMedica¹

0.339 ±
0.250mm

0.027 ±
0.025mm
(p < 0.001)

(μ ± SD)

LensAR²

0.42 ±
0.54mm

0.16 ±
0.17mm
(p=0.03)

(μ ± SD)

LenSx³

10% <
0.25mm

All <
0.25 mm

Graph from: Lane, S MD et al. Accuracy and Predictability of OptiMedica Femtosecond Laser Capsulotomy. AAO 2010

¹Lane, Stephen MD. Accuracy and Predictability of the OptiMedica Femtosecond Laser Capsulotomy. AAO 2010

²Data courtesy of LensAR

³Nagy, Z. Comparative analysis of femtolaser-assisted and manual capsulorhexis during phaco. ESCRS 2010



Laser assisted lens fragmentation

Increased ease of nucleus disassembly & phaco can lead to the following benefits:

Reduction in phaco energy and time¹

Reduce corneal trauma and endothelial cell loss¹

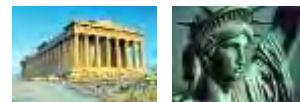
Reduce risk of capsular tears

Increase ability to use I/A alone²

Faster visual recovery²

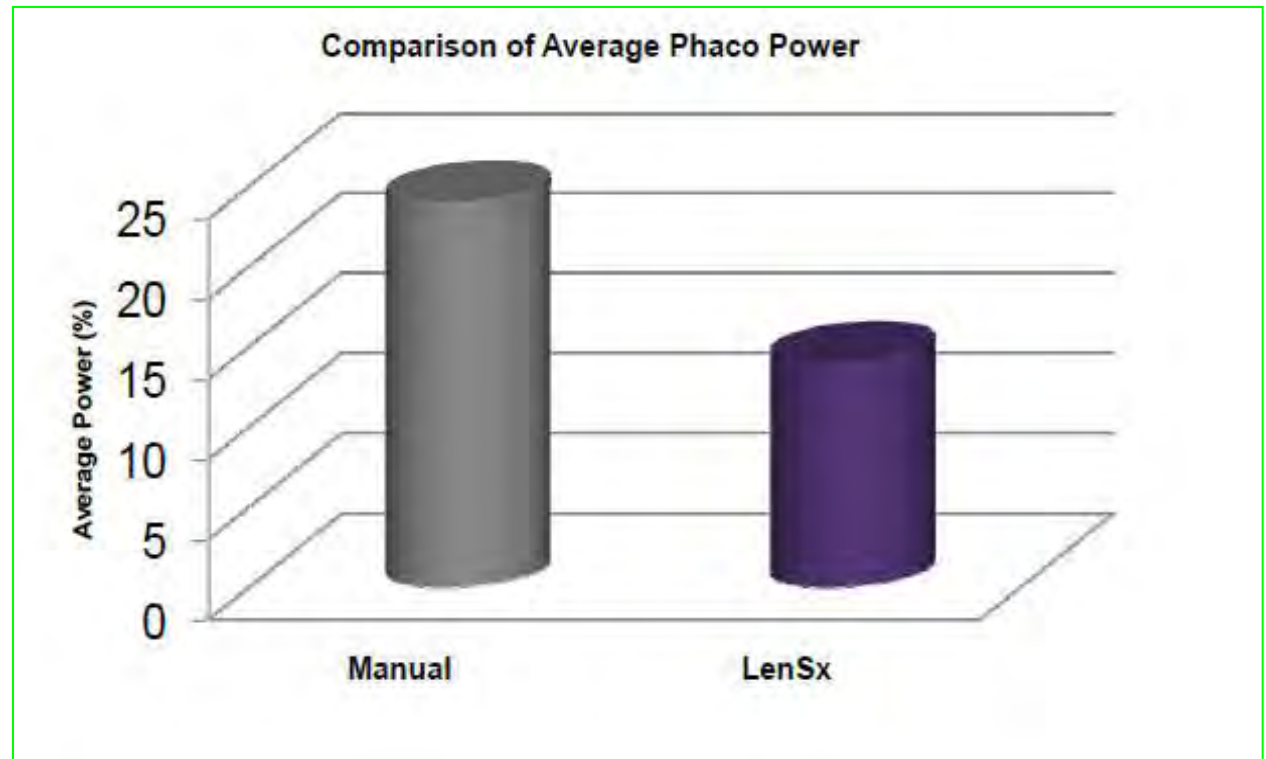
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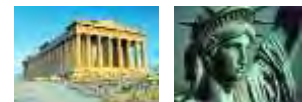


Reduced phaco energy and endothelial loss

46% reduction in phaco power
28% decrease in endothelial loss following laser cataract surgery vs. manual



Source: Knorz. Royal Hawaiian Eye Meeting Presentation, January 2011.



New Hybrid Fragmentation Pattern

- Combination of Cylinder and Chop Patterns
- Efficient for All Cataract Grades
- Rapid Lens Removal with Minimal Phaco Required
- Preferred Pattern for Surgeons going Forward

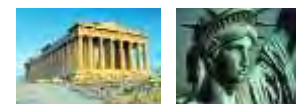


LenSx® Laser Hybrid Pattern

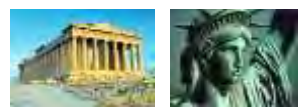
- Used for all Cataract Grades
- # Cuts/Cylinders Customizable

*510(k) Premarket Notification to the FDA, LenSx Laser System, K101626, 2010.

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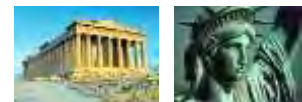


Prof. Kanellopoulos, MD

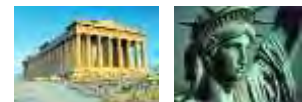
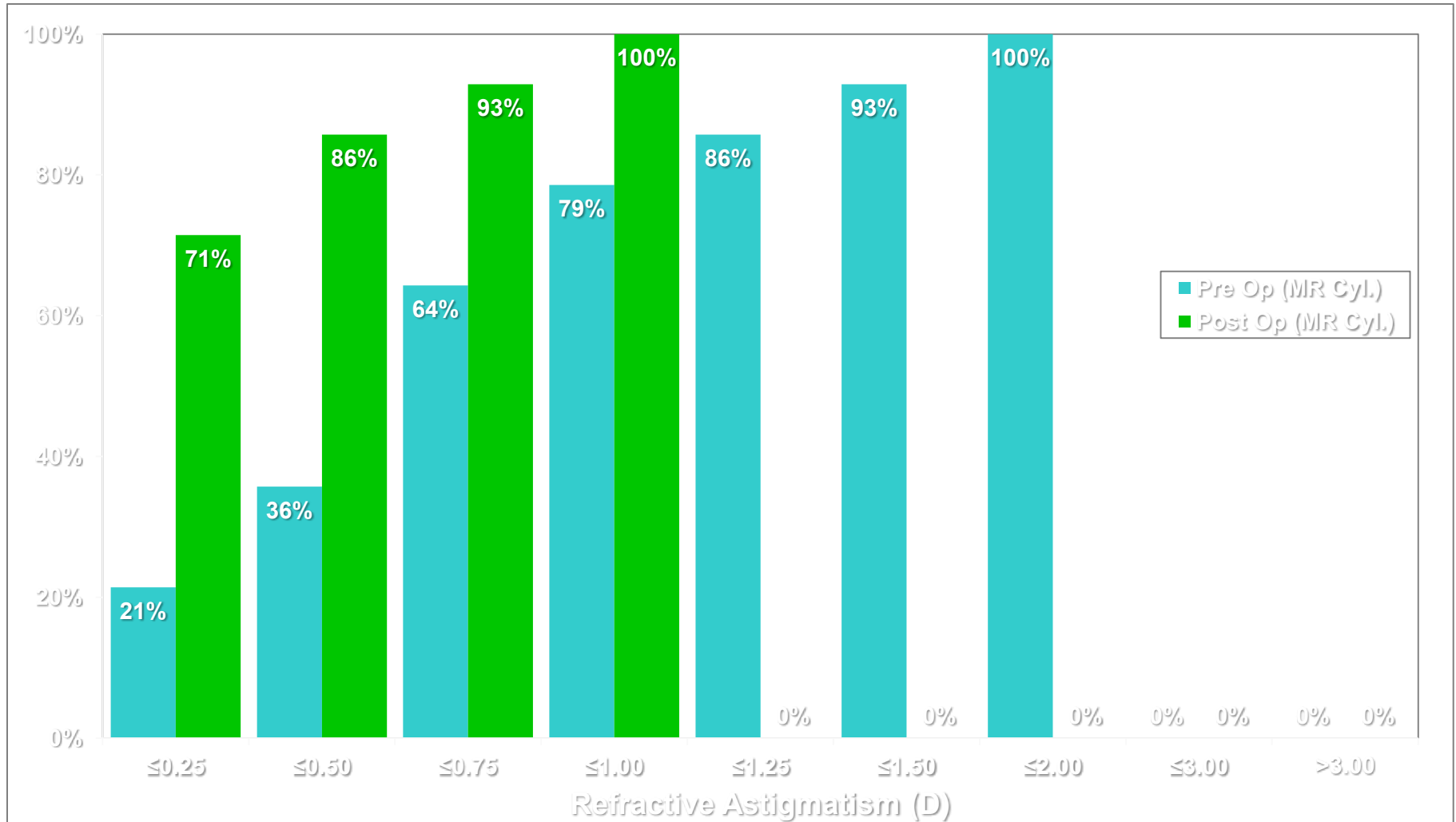


Arcuate Incisions with the LenSx® Laser

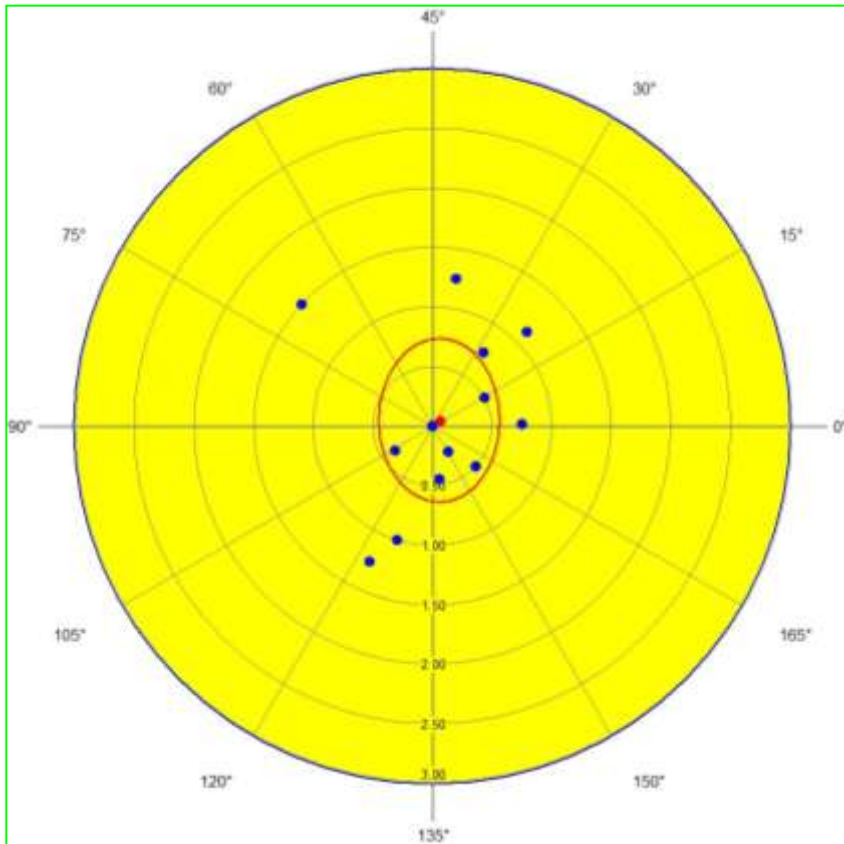
Development of a nomogram for laser created arcuate incisions based previous experience with manual LRI nomogram



Refractive Astigmatism



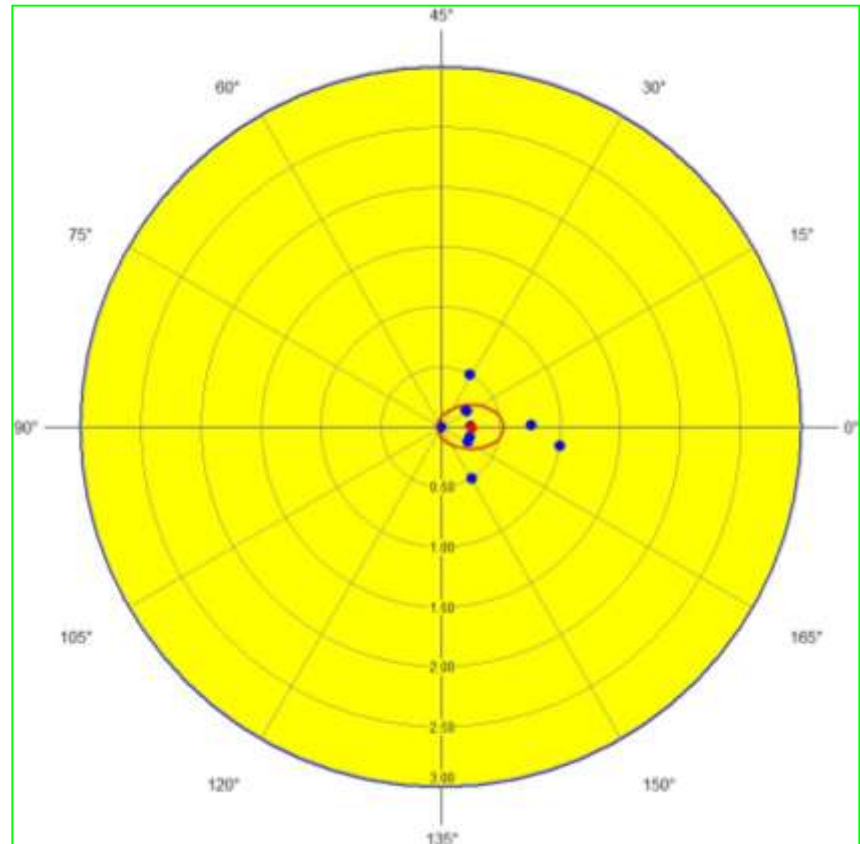
Double-Angle Plot



Pre-Op (n=14)

Keratometric Centroid: $+0.08\text{D} @ 17^\circ \pm 0.59\text{D}$,

$\rho = 1.82$



Post-Op (n=14)

Refractive Centroid: $+0.26\text{D} @ 178^\circ \pm 0.23\text{D}$,

$\rho = 0.45$



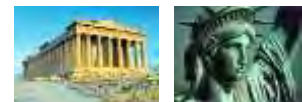
Femtosecond Laser Astigmatic Keratotomies Now Adjustable

Refractive incisions may now be made at the time of cataract surgery and opened partially in the OR

Intraoperative aberrometry (Wavetec ORange) may be used to titrate results in the OR

Patients can then be examined with topography and refraction performed the following day

If needed the remainder of the incision can be opened easily in the office to increase the effect of the incision and adjust the refraction.





Conclusion

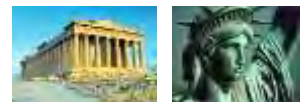
Femtosecond Cataract Surgery

Novel technology provides in-vivo image-guided laser cataract surgery.

Computer-controlled and femto precision arc incisions.

System will provide faster, safer, easier, customizable, adjustable, and fully repeatable arcuate incisions.

Removing inconsistencies in procedure will improve understanding and accuracy of all corneal incisions.



Summary

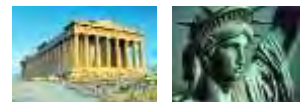
Refractive Cataract Surgery

Cataract and refractive surgery are one and the same.

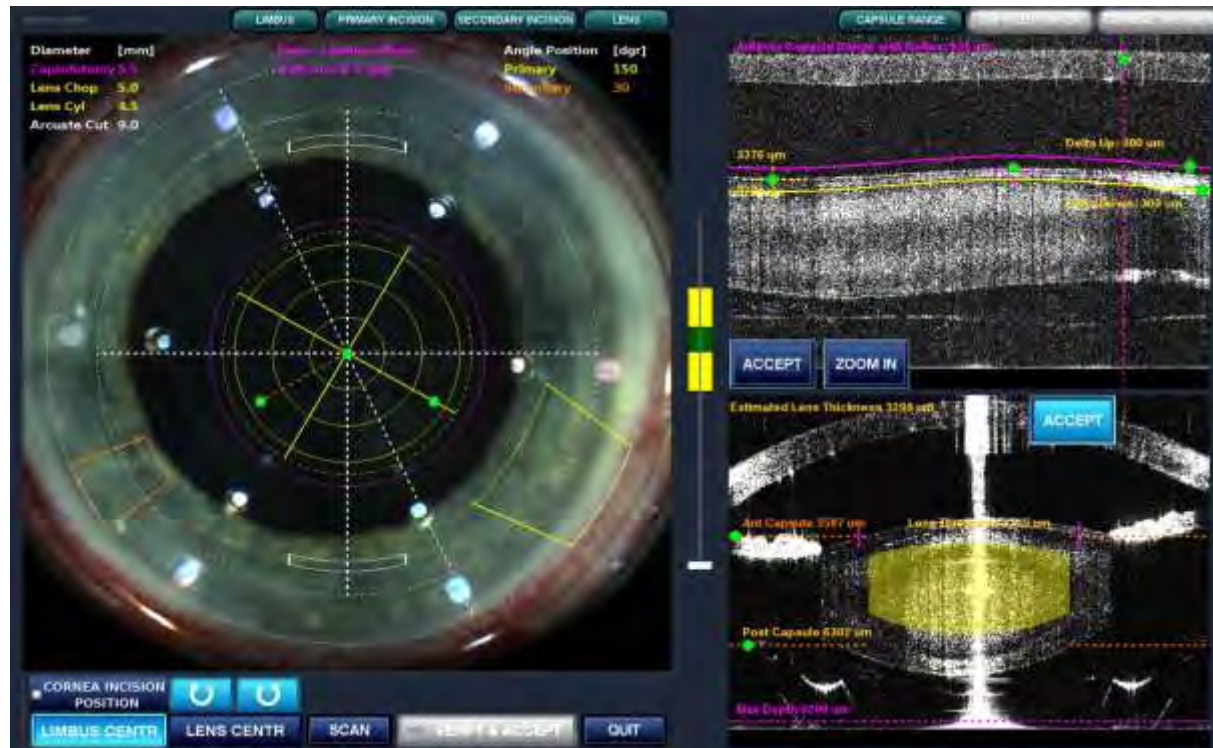
Quality of vision is of increasing importance.

New techniques, technologies, and pharmaceuticals help improve outcomes to give patients the vision and experience they desire.

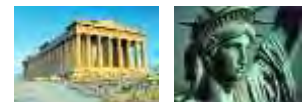
Surgery is performed by surgeons!



A promising view of an anterior segment surgeon!



Available to all Greek Ophthalmologists!





Thank you



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