

NAEOTOM Alpha® with Quantum Technology

CT redefined.

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Experience a defining moment in CT

Every once in a while, technology advances in a quantum leap, forcing us to rethink what is possible. This is one of these moments.

We are proud to introduce the world's first photon-counting CT: NAEOTOM Alpha® with Quantum Technology is nothing less than the total reinvention of computed tomography. It offers a radical new way to generate clinical results, based on the revolutionary direct signal conversion of its QuantaMax detector.

NAEOTOM Alpha helps users impact treatment outcomes with answers that are truly meaningful, precise, and reproducible. Benefit from confident therapeutic decision making and potentially scan patients previously excluded—that's thanks to a never-before seen range of clinical options, high-resolution images at minimal dose, and breakthrough consistency. To keep high-end technology accessible, we made sure that NAEOTOM Alpha is easy and intuitive to operate.

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A new era in computed tomography

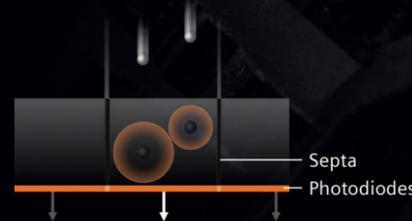
1975
Xenon gas CT era

1997
Solid-state scintillator CT era

2021
Photon-counting CT era

Then:

Energy-integrating detector
In conventional detectors, X-rays are first converted into light. Photodiodes then convert the light into electrical signal, and analog-digital converters digitize the signal.



Now:

Photon-counting detector
In photon-counting detectors, semiconductor materials are able to convert X-rays directly into electric signal pulses.



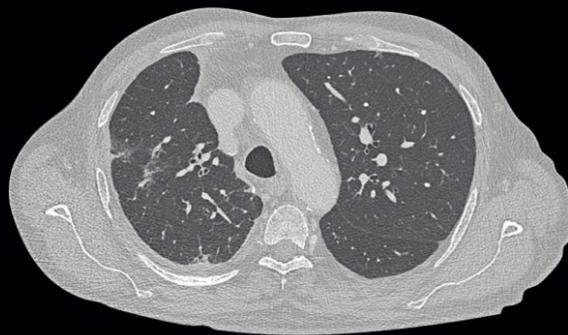
Enabling a new level of clinical decision-making with Quantum Technology

- › Equal energy contribution
Contrast-rich images
- › Smaller detector pixels
Same dose at high spatial resolution
- › Elimination of electronic noise
Lower dose
- › Intrinsic spectral sensitivity
Multi-spectral information in every scan

Impressive details. Unveiled.

NAEOTOM Alpha is a quantum leap that redefines how high resolution can be utilized in CT imaging. It is a profound change of the dose-vs-image quality equation, offering a new level of detail while keeping dose to a minimum.

Visualize small lesions and fine details—for high diagnostic confidence in cardiology, oncology, or pulmonology. More details. Convincing answers.



High resolution at low dose

Get an unmatched level of detail at full dose efficiency—to evaluate fine structures in all anatomical areas.

High resolution lung CTA

Scan mode: **QuantumPlus**
 Image type: **70 keV monoenergetic**
 Reconstruction: **0.4 mm, 1,024² matrix**
 CTDI_{vol}: **3.57 mGy**
 Rotation time: **0.25 sec**

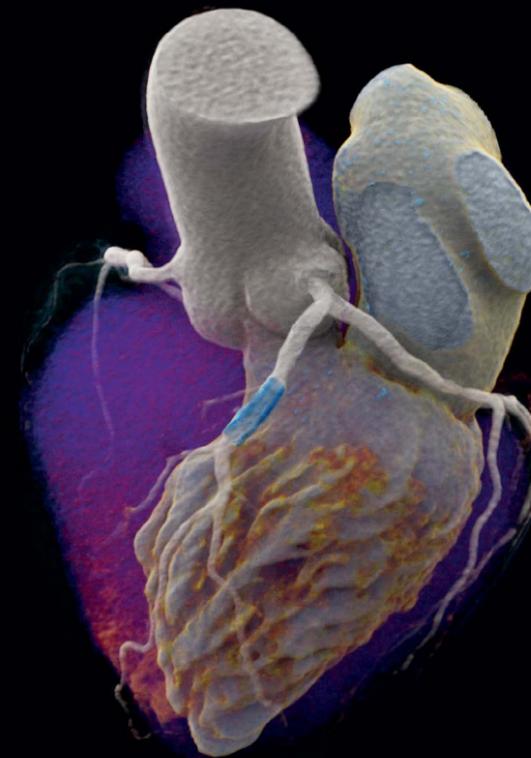


Ultra-high resolution at standard dose

Quantum High Resolution helps you evaluate fine lesions using high spatial resolution.

Ultra-high resolution abdomen CTA

Scan mode: **QuantumPlus**
 Image type: **Cinematic VRT**
 Reconstruction: **0.2 mm, 1,024² matrix**
 CTDI_{vol}: **6.26 mGy**



Coronary CTA, stent follow-up

Scan mode: **QuantumPlus**
 Image type: **Cinematic VRT, 70 keV monoenergetic**
 Reconstruction: **0.4 mm, 512² matrix**
 Temporal resolution: **66 ms**

High resolution in cardiac imaging

Visualize fine coronary vessels, stents, and plaques in high resolution without motion artifacts.



“Our current CTs are great, but what we are still missing is the ability to visualize small structures—especially in patients with heavy calcification and/or stents.”

– Rich Bayer, MD, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC, USA



“With NAEOTOM Alpha, thanks to Quantum resolution, we now have ultra-high resolution in cardiac CT, which may improve the visualization of early-state small plaques or restenosis.”

– Joe Schoepf, MD, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC, USA

Patient reach. Unlocked.

NAEOTOM Alpha redefines which patient populations can be addressed with CT. It offers spectral imaging independent of scan speed and of temporal or spatial resolution.

This way, NAEOTOM Alpha makes it possible to confidently examine previously excluded patients, to perform scans that were not practicable before, and to increase follow-up frequency if desired. More clinical options. More opportunities for growth.

Low-dose performance

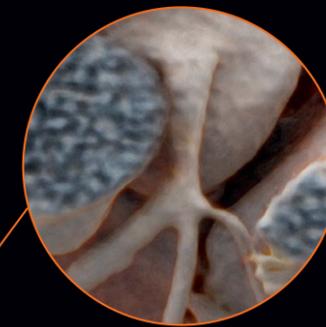
By eliminating electronic noise, the QuantaMax detector offers an improved signal-to-noise ratio and helps further reduce dose for screening or dose-sensitive patients.

Improved image contrast

Quantum Technology enables equal contribution of low-energy quanta—which potentially reduces contrast media volume.

PURE Lumen

PURE Lumen creates a dedicated reconstruction free of calcifications or blooming, helping you perform coronary CTA even in patients with a high CaScore.



PURE Lumen image



Original image

- › Evaluate even heavily calcified vessels
- › Create virtual non-calcium maps
- › Perform coronary CTA exams also in patients with high CaScore
- › Full spectral information at 66 ms Dual Source temporal resolution

Coronary CTA with PURE Lumen

Scan mode:	QuantumPlus
Image type:	Cinematic VRT, 65 keV monoenergetic
Reconstruction:	0.4 mm, 512 ² matrix
Temporal resolution:	66 ms

Meaningful answers. Uncompromised.

With NAEOTOM Alpha, the dilemma of having to decide before a scan which information is most relevant is a relic of the past. It redefines clinical decision-making by providing all relevant CT results with one single scan.

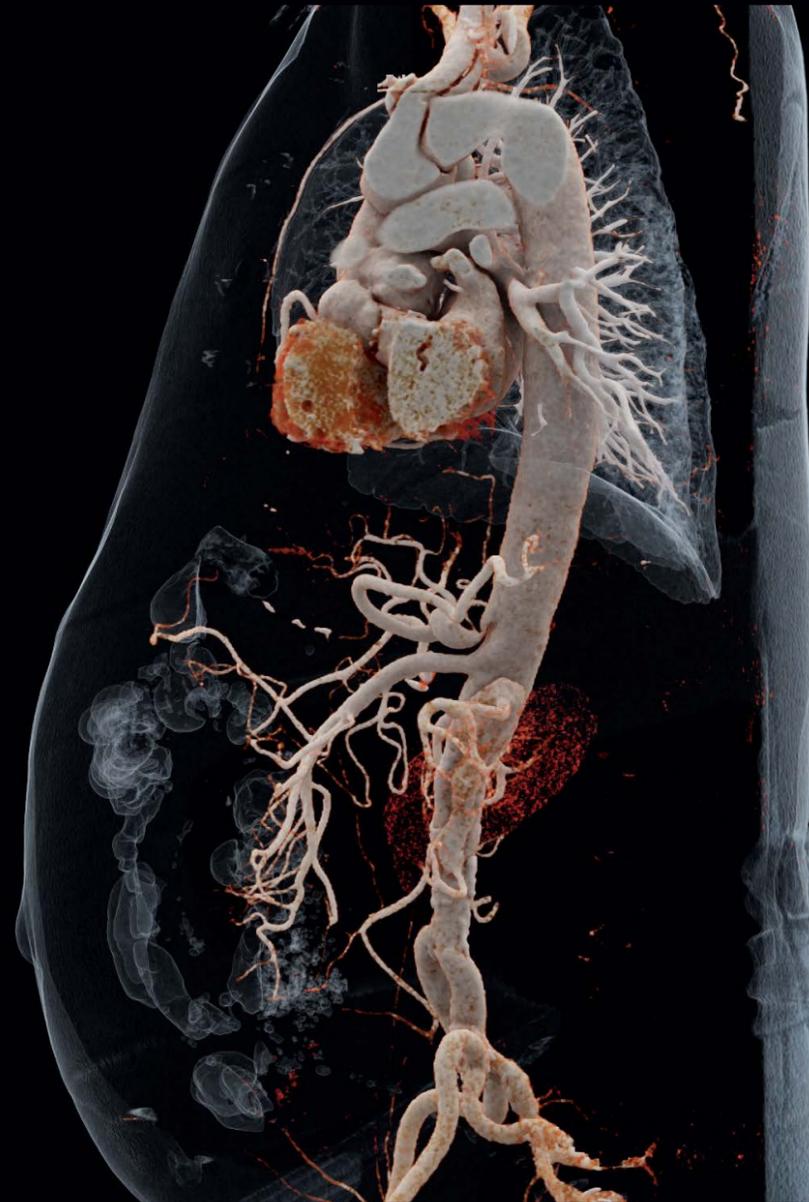
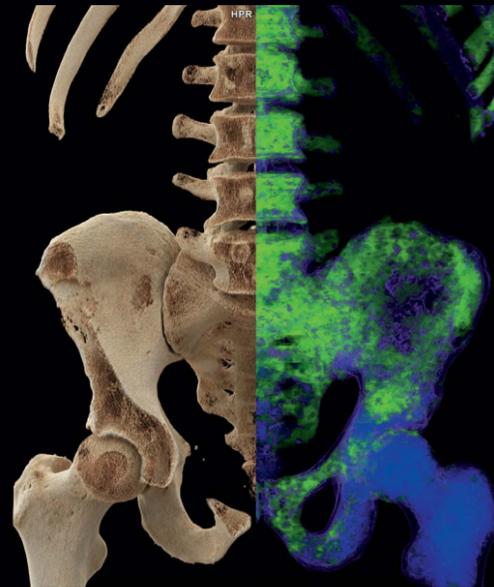
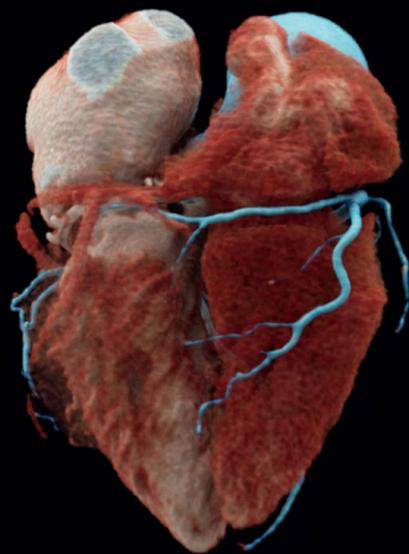
Deduct powerful answers for patients and referring physicians. No regrets. No compromises.

Spectral imaging at Dual Source temporal resolution

As a Dual Source system, NAEOTOM Alpha offers a temporal resolution down to 66 ms—offering spectral imaging even for the most challenging cases.

Spectral imaging at high spatial resolution

With NAEOTOM Alpha, spectral maps are available in higher detail than ever before—enabling functional evaluation with highest precision.



Spectral imaging at Turbo Flash speed

Even at the highest scan speed, NAEOTOM Alpha offers full spectral imaging options—for pediatric patients, high-pitch CTA exams, and more.

- › Spectral imaging for high-pitch CTA exams
- › Spectral imaging in patients who cannot hold their breath
- › Spectral imaging in pediatric patients without sedation

High-pitch TAVR planning scan

Scan mode:	QuantumPlus
Image type:	Cinematic VRT, 70 keV monoenergetic
Reconstruction:	0.6 mm, 1,024 ² matrix
CTDIvol:	6.04 mGy
Pitch:	3.2

Consistent precision. Unvaried.

NAEOTOM Alpha redefines diagnostic consistency by providing monoenergetic images as the standard image type for every scan. Perform numerical measurements that are independent from the selected scan parameters—and build your clinical decisions on standardized results throughout the patient journey.

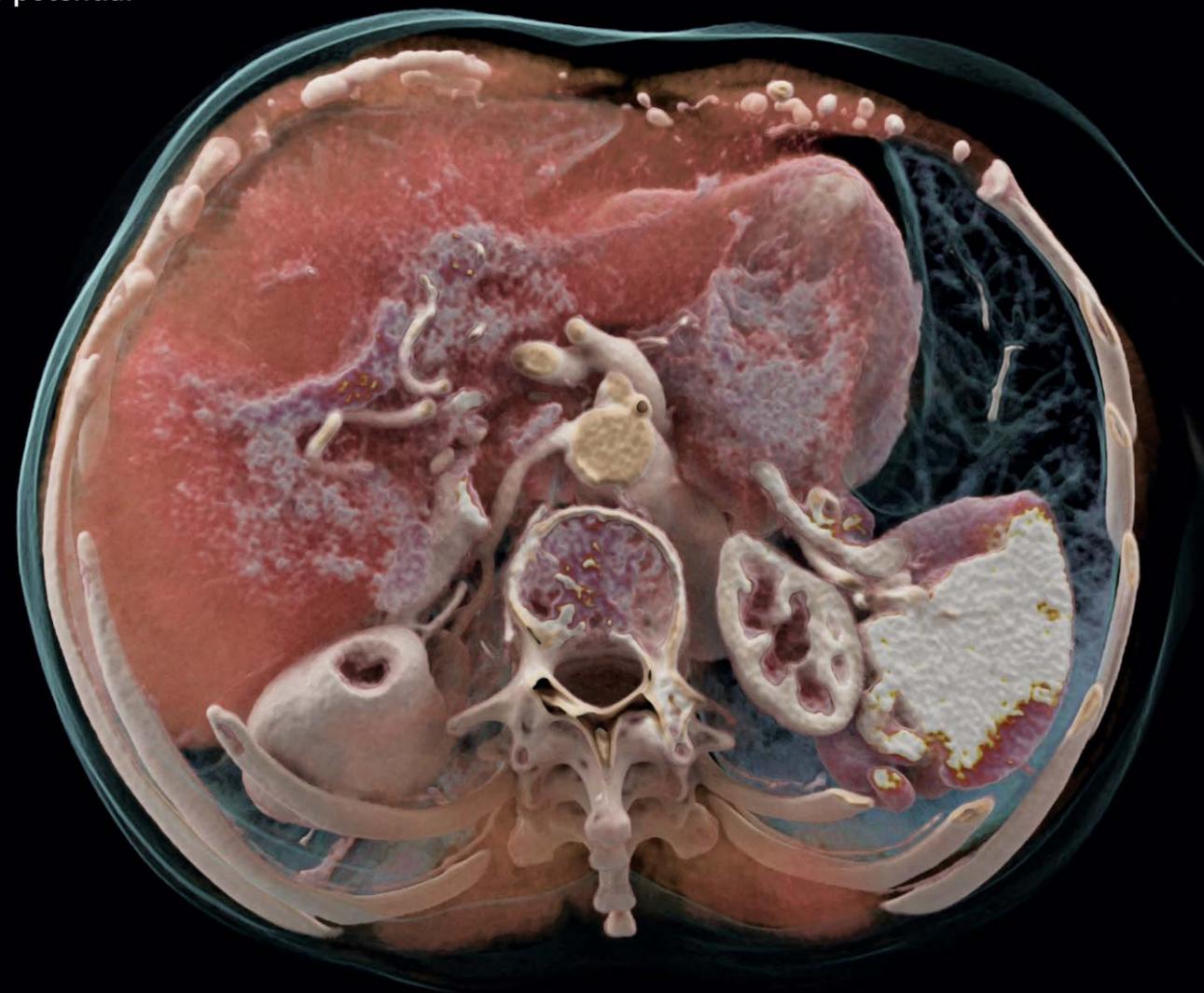
NAEOTOM Alpha is the ticket to true precision medicine and a fundamental step toward additional data for potential AI applications down the line. Consistent results. Every scan. Every time.

Monoenergetic images as default image type

For every scan, NAEOTOM Alpha provides monoenergetic images that are independent of scan parameters—for consistency and comparability.

Stable Hounsfield values

For quantitative CT evaluation, NAEOTOM Alpha practically eliminates instability of HU numbers—even in low-dose scans.



› Analyze, evaluate, and compare scans using the ideal monoenergetic images for the clinical question at hand

Follow-up after liver transplantation

Scan mode:	QuantumPlus
Image type:	Cinematic VRT, 70 keV monoenergetic
Reconstruction:	0.6 mm, 1,024 ² matrix
CTDIvol:	3.2 mGy



Intuitive operation. Uncomplicated.

NAEOTOM Alpha redefines how sophisticated CT technology can be utilized. It marks the first time we provide our proven usability features in a premium high-end CT. The system supports and guides users throughout the scanning workflow, while AI-enabled solutions help radiologists when reading cases.

Unleash the full power of NAEOTOM Alpha, safeguard consistency at high quality levels, and deduct powerful answers for patients and referrers. Powerful technology. Easy to use.



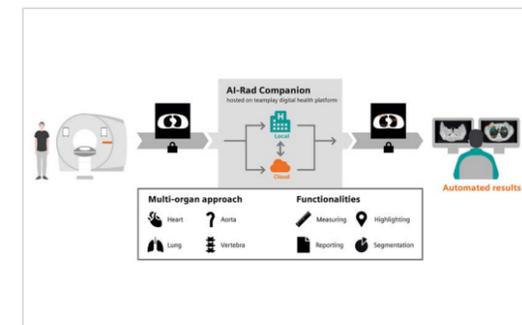
GO technologies

Accessible via tablet or workstation, GO technologies are a set of technologies that standardize and simplify all departmental processes—from patient setup to image distribution, archiving, and reading.



myExam Companion

Using the new possibilities of digitalization, myExam Companion guides operators through diagnostic procedures, so that they can interact easily and naturally with both patient and technology.



AI-Rad Companion

AI-powered algorithms provide automatic post-processing of imaging datasets. Identifying and quantifying relevant anatomies and abnormalities, they put findings into a diagnostic context—and allow for a fast and accurate diagnosis.



The world's first photon-counting CT

Where high-tech meets usability and patient-friendliness: NAEOTOM Alpha is a powerful package that truly redefines computed tomography.

[Learn more about the NAEOTOM Alpha](#)



Quantum Technology

Equal energy contribution, small detector pixels, eliminate electronic noise, intrinsic spectral sensitivity.

QuantaMax detectors

Cadmium telluride-based photon-counting detectors with 6 cm z-coverage and over 1.3M detector elements.

Dual Source technology

NAEOTOM Alpha is a Dual Source system, enabling a high pitch of up to 3.2 and a temporal resolution down to 66 ms.

AI-enabled user experience

Based on the mobile workflow with GO technologies and up to five dockable tablets, myExam Companion, myExam Satellite, and the FAST 3D Camera.

teampay digital health platform

Access innovations and solutions in digital health and AI through our digital platform—combining accessibility, flexibility, scalability, and connectedness for your future readiness.

Technical specifications

Slices:	2 x 144
mA:	Up to 1,300 mA
Temporal resolution:	Down to 66 ms
kV:	90, 120, 140 kV Sn100, Sn140 kV
z-coverage:	144 x 0.4 mm 120 x 0.2 mm (UHR)
Spatial resolution:	0.11 mm (in-plane) in UHR mode
Power:	2 x 120 kW
Max. scan speed:	Up to 737 mm/s (with Turbo Flash)
Table load:	Up to 675 lbs

Uncompromised patient experience



Large 82 cm bore

- Enhance patient comfort and help them relax.
- Facilitate positioning of patients with reduced mobility.
- Ease interventional procedures with extra space.



Multipurpose table

- The table-top moves independently of the base for easy access to patients inside the gantry.
- It can be lowered extremely close to the floor for easy access for patients.



Visual Patient Instruction

- Ease the scanning procedure for hearing-impaired patients.
- Help patients comply easily with breath-hold times with an intuitive graphical countdown.



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