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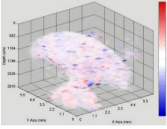

**Теоретические основы методов оптической  
визуализации и зондирования**

**Bio-Opt Lab**  
Biomedical Optics Laboratory



## Optical coherence tomography: The basics

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### Houston



- **Houston, Texas**, the nation's **fourth-largest city** and the energy capital of the world.
- City of Houston has a 2010 population of 2.1 million (the metro area's population of **5.95 million**)
- If Houston were an independent nation, it would rank as the world's **30th largest economy**
- Houston has a Theater District second only to New York City with its concentration of seats in one geographic area
- And, of course, Houston is the home for **NASA** and word-famous **Rodeo**

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### University of Houston



- **40,000 students** enrolled
- Earns **Tier One research university** distinction (Research-Very High) from the Carnegie Foundation
- Chosen as one of the nation's **best colleges for undergraduate education** (The Princeton Review, 2011)
- Among the nation's **top 50 public research universities** (Top American Research University Report, 2010)
- Voted in 2014 as **3<sup>rd</sup> most beautiful campus** in US

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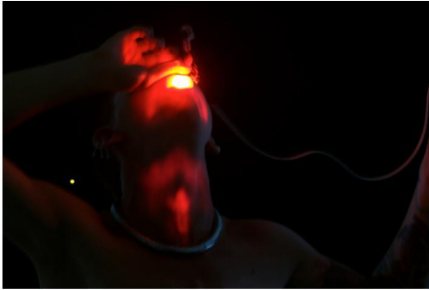
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### Introduction



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### Introduction



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### Introduction

- One of the most **prospective** trends of biomedical optics is **medical noninvasive optical diagnostics and monitoring of diseases**
- The **complexity of tissue organization** and its involvement into living organism (organ) **functioning** require the development of **multidisciplinary** approaches for description of **tissue optics (or biophotonics)**
- **Light** application in **medicine** is based on the usage of a great number of phenomena connected with different types of **coherent** and **non-coherent** light **interaction** with tissues and cells

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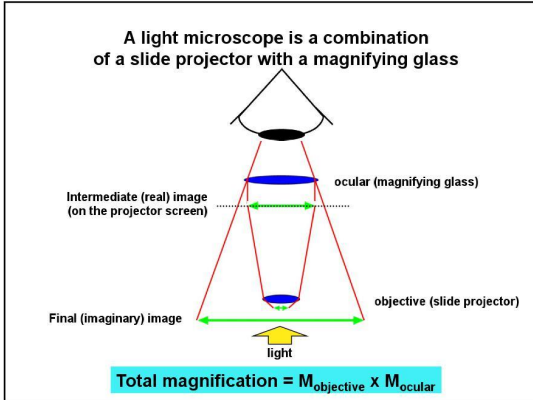
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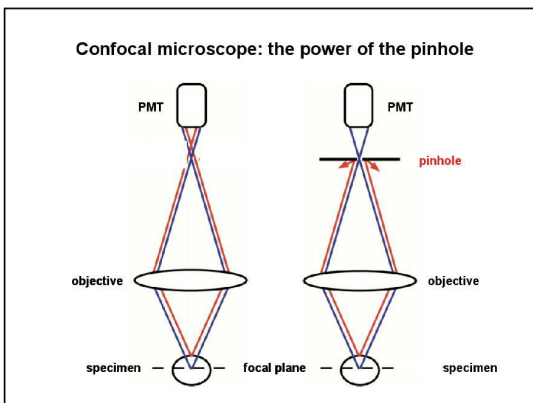
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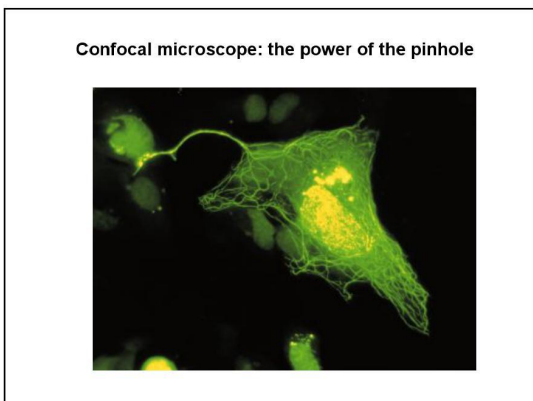
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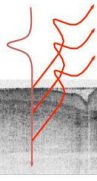
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### Optical Coherence Tomography

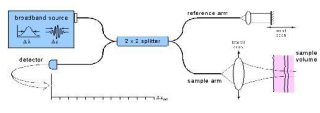


OCT is analogous to ultrasound imaging  
Uses infrared light in stead of sound

Speed of sound ~ 1480 m/sec (in water)  
Speed of light ~  $3 \times 10^8$  m/sec

Human skin  
5 mm wide x 1.6 mm deep  
Resolution: 10-30  $\mu$ m

Interferometry  
is used to measure  
small time delays  
of scattered photons



Courtesy of Dr. Johannes F. de Boer

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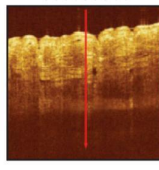
### OCT: optical analogue of pulsed-wave ultrasound

**1 D**  
Axial (Z) Scanning

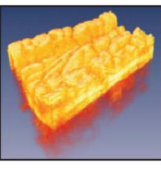
Backscattered Intensity



**2 D**  
Axial (Z) Scanning  
Transverse (X) Scanning



**3 D**  
Axial (Z) Scanning  
XY Scanning



J. Fujimoto, 2008

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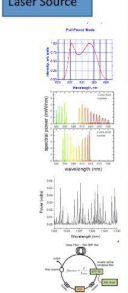
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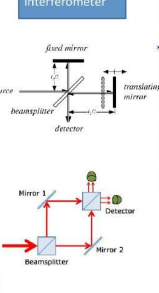
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### Requirements

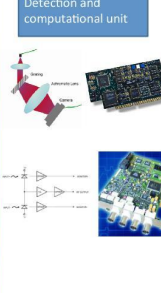
**Laser Source**



**Interferometer**



**Detection and computational unit**



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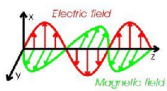
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### Interference




Electromagnetic wave:  
 $E = A \cos(\omega t + \phi)$

Interference: Superposition of waves  
 $E = E_1 + E_2 = A_1 \cos(\omega t + \phi_1) + A_2 \cos(\omega t + \phi_2)$

Detection of light waves:  
 $I \propto \langle E^2 \rangle = \langle (A_1 \cos(\omega t + \phi_1) + A_2 \cos(\omega t + \phi_2))^2 \rangle$

$I = I_1 + I_2 + 2\sqrt{I_1 I_2} \cos(\phi)$

If  $I_1 = I_2 = I_0$      $I = 2I_0(1 + \cos(\phi))$   
 In phase  $\phi = 0, 2\pi, 4\pi, \dots$      $I = 4I_0$   
 Out of phase  $\phi = \pi, 3\pi, 5\pi, \dots$      $I = 0$




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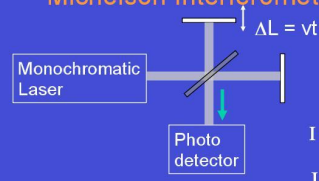
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### Michelson Interferometer



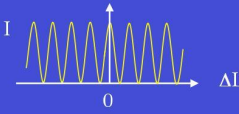
$\Delta L = vt$

$\Delta\phi = k \Delta L$

$I = I_0 \cos^2(\Delta\phi)$

$I = I_0 \cos^2(ft)$

$f = 2v/\lambda$




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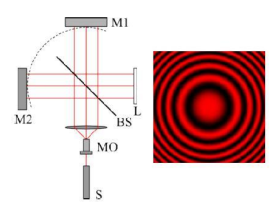
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Courtesy of Prof. Ryabuh

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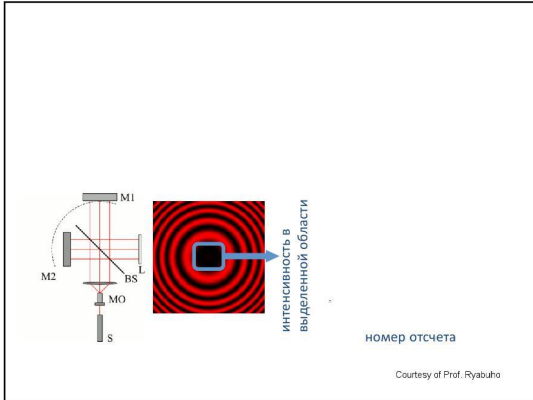
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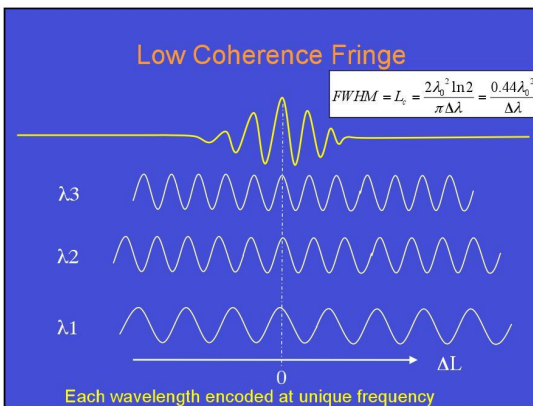
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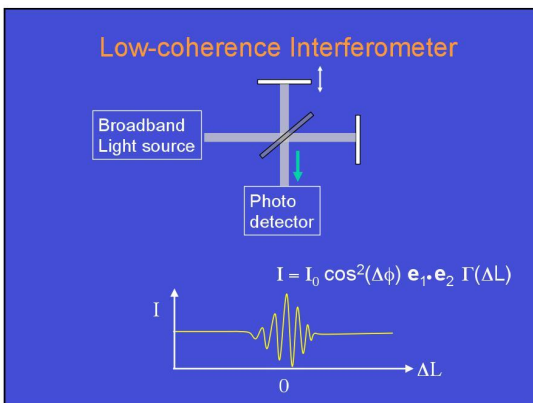
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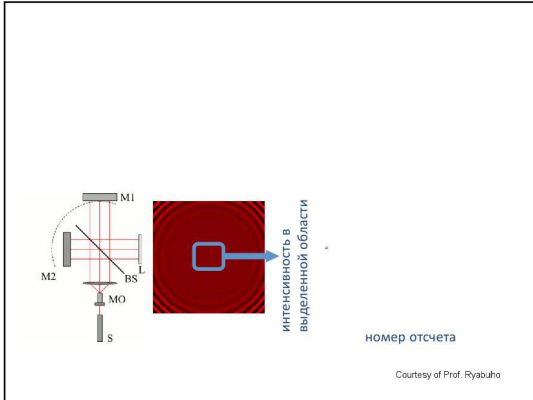
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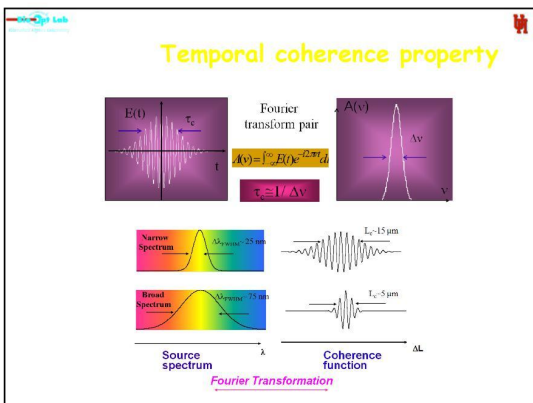
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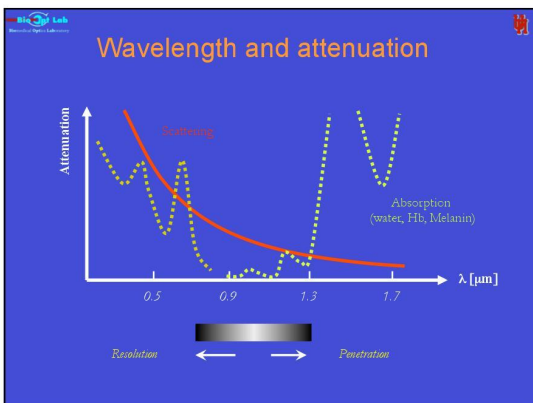
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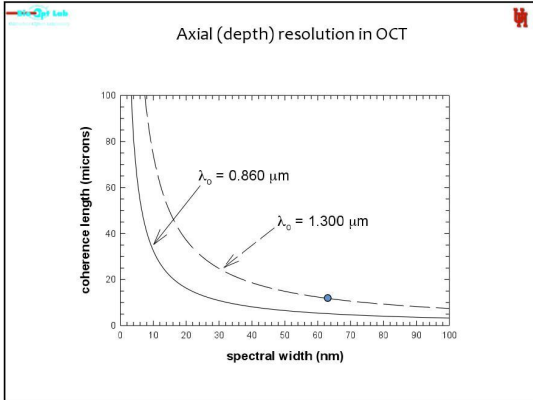
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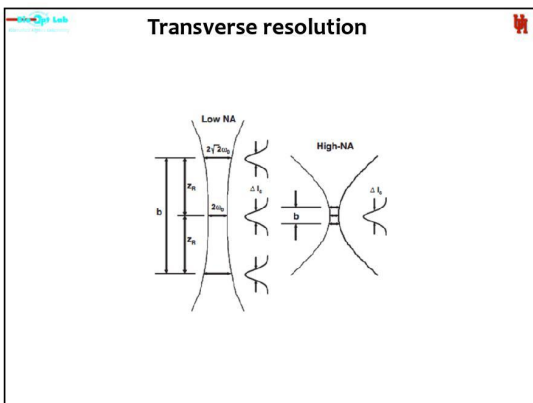
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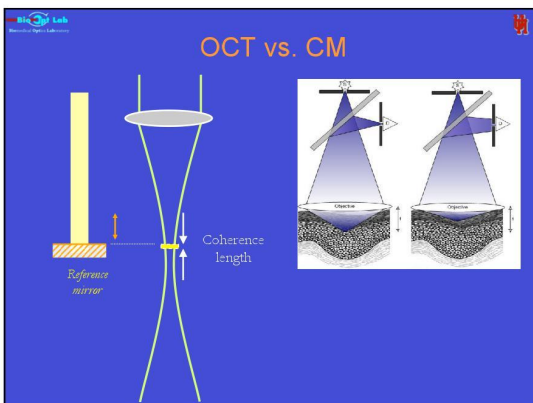
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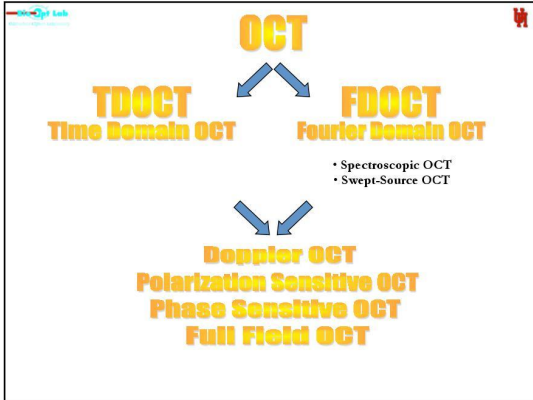
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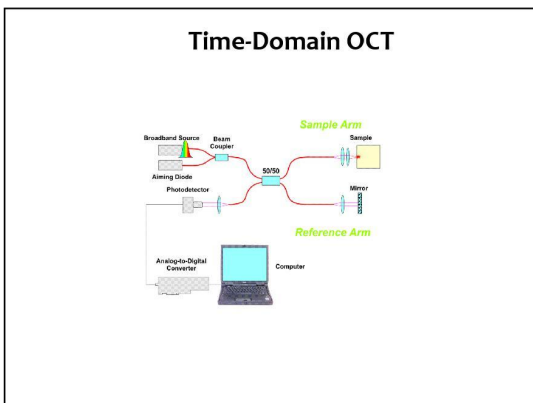
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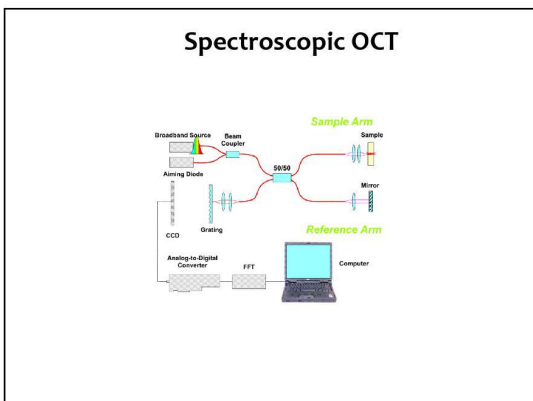
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**Spectroscopic OCT**

Depth information encoded in the wavelength

The schematic shows a laser source emitting light through a beam splitter. One path goes to a reference mirror, and the other goes to an object. The light is collected by a lens and a spectrometer, which is connected to a computer. The interference signal is processed to yield depth information. The equation for the electric field is given as:

$$E = (E_{R\lambda 1} + E_{S\lambda 1}) + (E_{R\lambda 2} + E_{S\lambda 2}) + \dots$$

Like in TDOCT, resolution depends on the bandwidth of the Laser source.

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**SD-OCT**

$$I(k) = I_r(k) + 2\sqrt{I_s(k)I_r(k)} \sum_n \alpha_n \cos(k z_n) + I_s(k)$$

↓ FFT

$$|FT^{-1}[I(k)]|^2 = \Gamma^2(z) \otimes \left\{ \delta(0) + \sum_n \alpha_n^2 \delta(z - z_n) + \sum_n \alpha_n^2 \delta(z + z_n) + O\left[\frac{I_s^2}{I_r^2}\right] \right\}$$

The figure shows two graphs. The left graph plots Intensity [A.U.] against Wavenumber [2πλ⁻¹], showing a central peak with side lobes. The right graph plots Amplitude [A.U.] against Distance [μm], showing two distinct peaks at different depths. A green arrow labeled 'FFT' connects the two graphs.

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**Spectral Domain OCT**

The schematic shows a laser source, a beam splitter, a reference mirror, and a lens. The light is directed to a detector. The spectral plots show the detector spectrum and the resulting interference signal in the wavelength domain.

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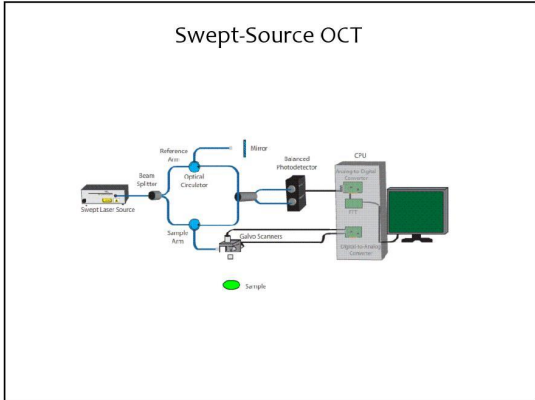
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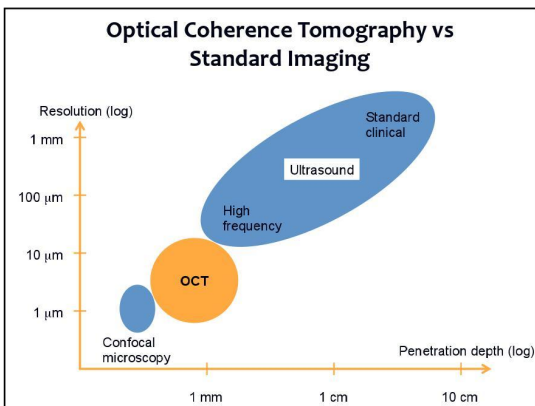
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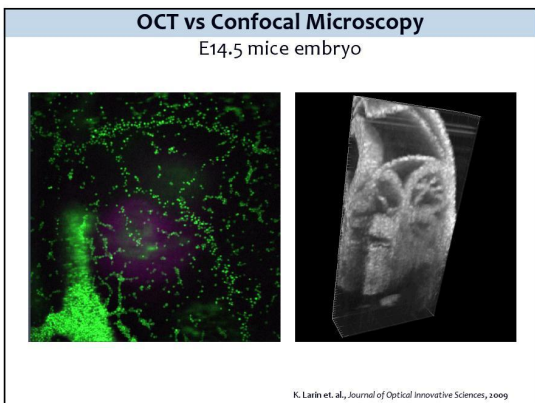
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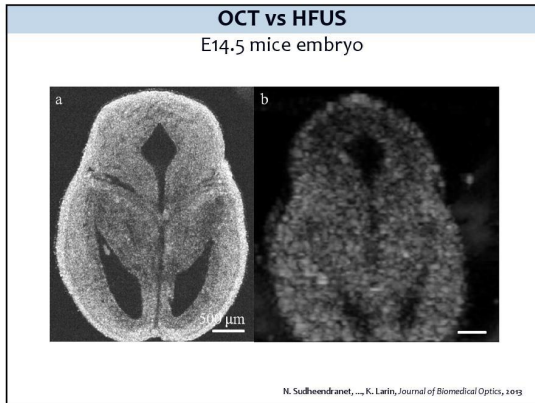
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