

**BARCO y la Patología Digital.  
El valor añadido de un monitor  
de diagnóstico**

# Agenda



Introducción a Barco  
Healthcare

Diagnostic Display versus  
consumer Display



Pathology diagnostic  
Display



Q&A



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# About Barco

You will find us where images are critical to professionals



NYSE  
Euronext

International company  
Headquartered in Belgium  
Stocklisted (BAR) on  
NYSE Euronext Brussels

90+

Presence in more  
than 90 countries

3,507

Employees

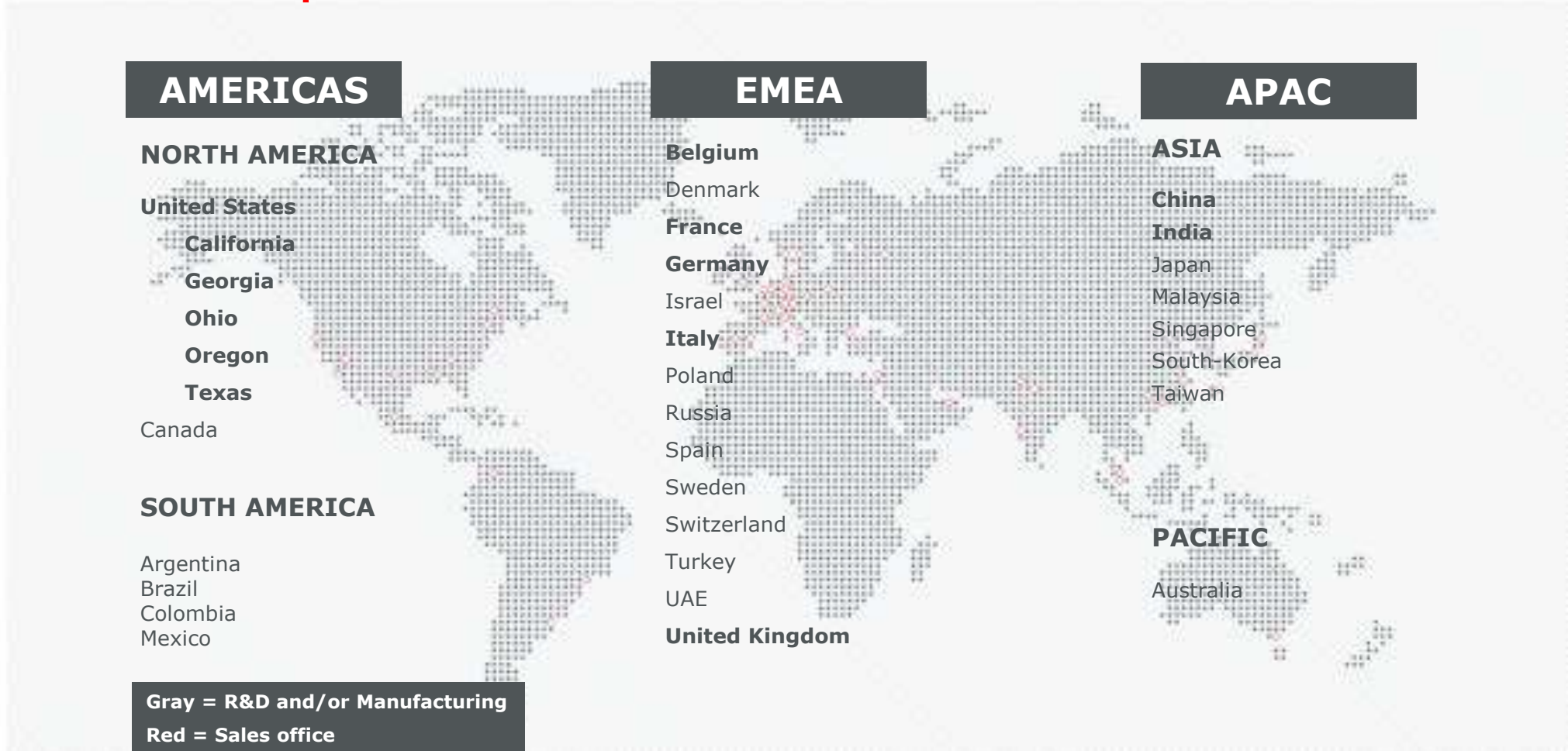
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Billion euro  
sales in 2011





# Worldwide presence



# Geographical breakdown of sales 2011

**NORTH-AMERICA**



33%

**EMEALA**



44%

**APAC**



23%

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# Healthcare



“Supporting healthcare professionals **a billion** times a year”

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# Enhanced visualization and diagnosis across the healthcare enterprise



Radiology



Pathology



Surgery



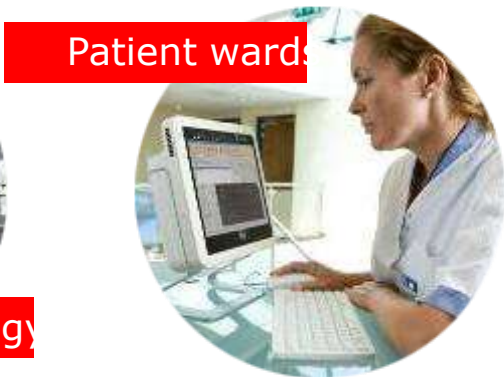
Intensive care



Emergency



Cardiology



Patient wards



Point of care

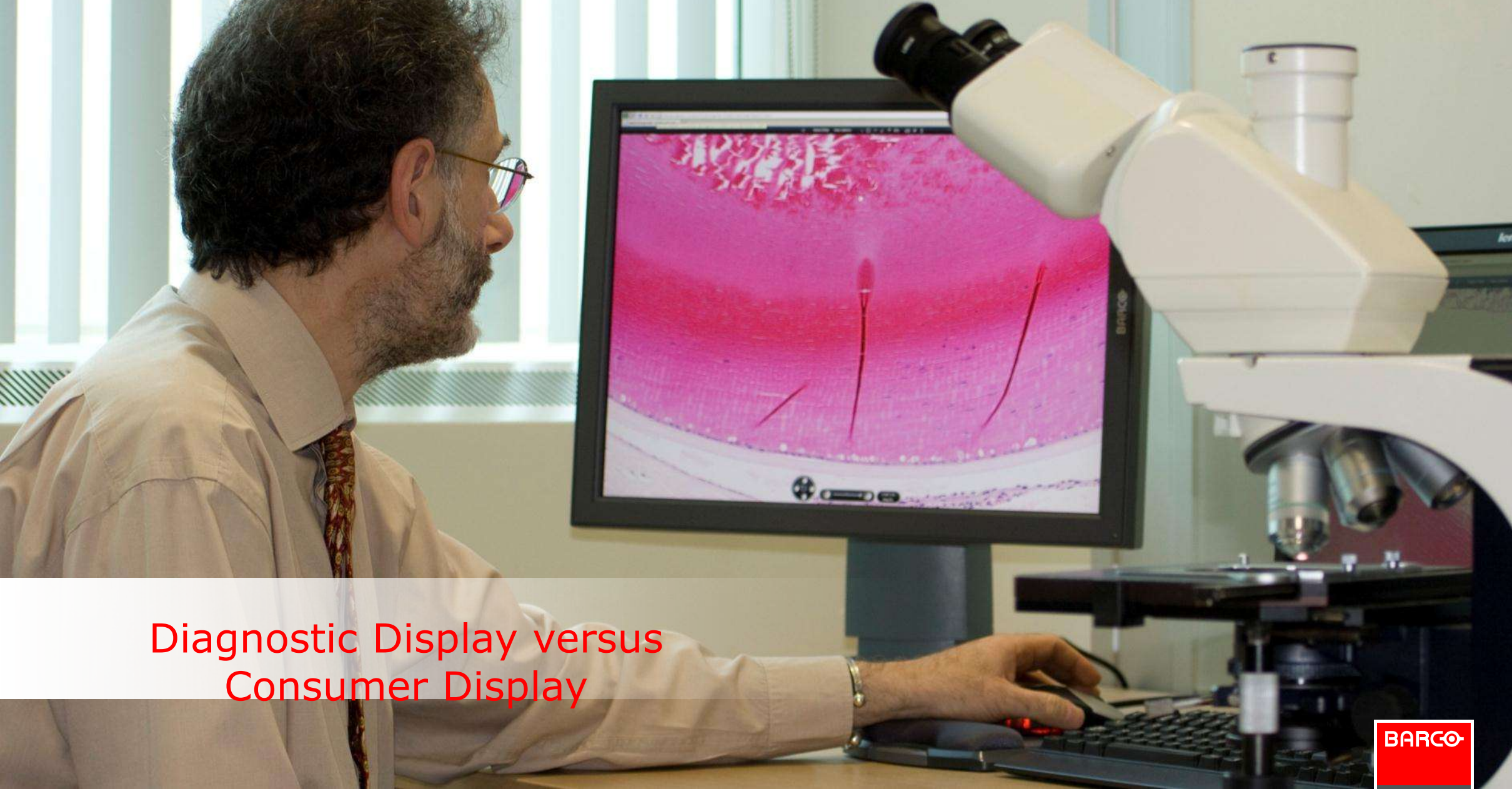


Outpatient clinics



Dentistry





## Diagnostic Display versus Consumer Display

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# Ultimate Slide-to-Eye Consistency

It's not just what you scan ... It's what you see!



## Scanner's Role:

From Glass Slide to Digital File  
in a **Fast, Stable** and **Standardized** way

## Diagnostic Display's Role:

From Digital File to Screen  
in a **Fast, Stable** and **Standardized** way

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# The issue with consumer displays

Where is the consistency & diagnostic confidence ?



Sizes – colors – luminance – contrast – bitdepth – supply – QA – medical specifications - ...

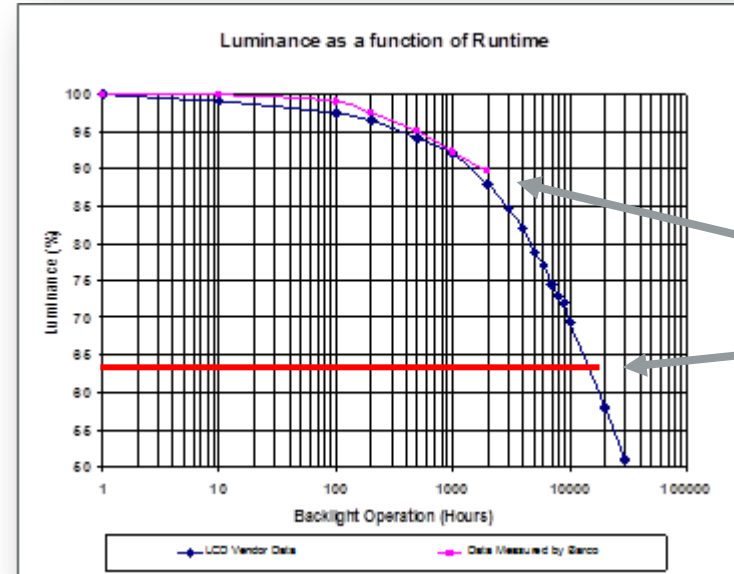
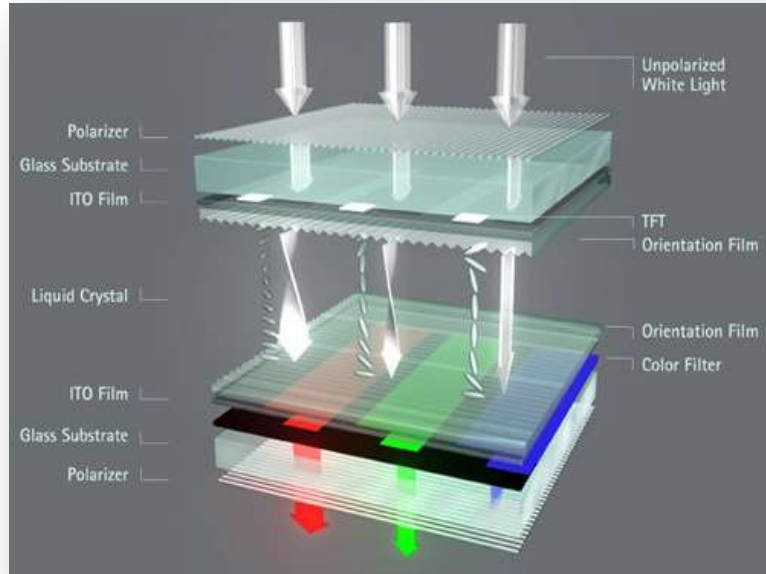
**Suitable for Medical Diagnosis ??**

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# Getting the best out of an LCD

Stable image over time ... Fully automatic!



Typical brightness fall-off over time

Calibrated luminance

## Selecting the right LCD technology

- 13 Different types
- 14 Vendors
- Medical Diagnostic Quality

## Stabilizing the output

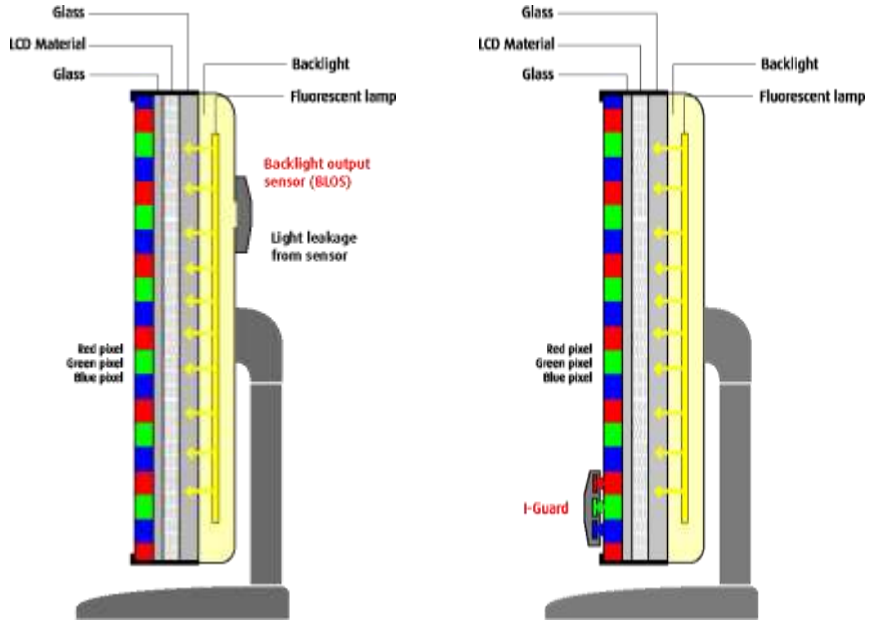
- Backlight sensor
- Calibration circuits
- Real-time adjustments

## Oversizing the 'Consumables'

- Extra backlight capacity



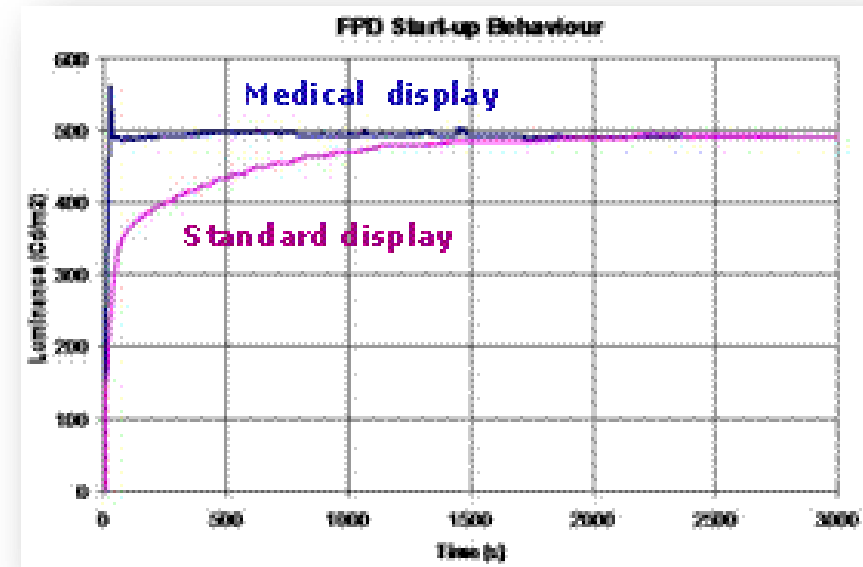
# Lack of Image Consistency



“One of the bigger advantages of medical displays over consumer displays is **brightness stability**. Displays of both types may claim they will output a brightness of 400 cd/m<sup>2</sup> for example, but **only the medically marketed ones can maintain that brightness** within fairly tight limits over the course of years.”

*Quote: David Hirschorn M.D. SIIM News Fall 2009*

Diagnostic displays use sophisticated sensor technology, which **continuously measures the brightness** of the display and **compensates for long term shift**



# Diagnostic Displays achieve guaranteed consistency



“Consumer displays are equipped with neither such feedback circuitry nor any significant extra brightness capacity. As such, though they may start out bright, their brightness inevitably decays over time”

*Quote: David Hirschorn M.D. SIIM News Winter 2007*

## How we reach consistency

- I-guard diagnostic-quality front sensor
- Diagnostic-quality BLOS backlight optimization
- SRGB calibration
- 10-bit internal Lookup table
- MediCal QAWeb central QA management
- Internal calibration circuits



I-GUARD



BLOS



DICOM



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BIT

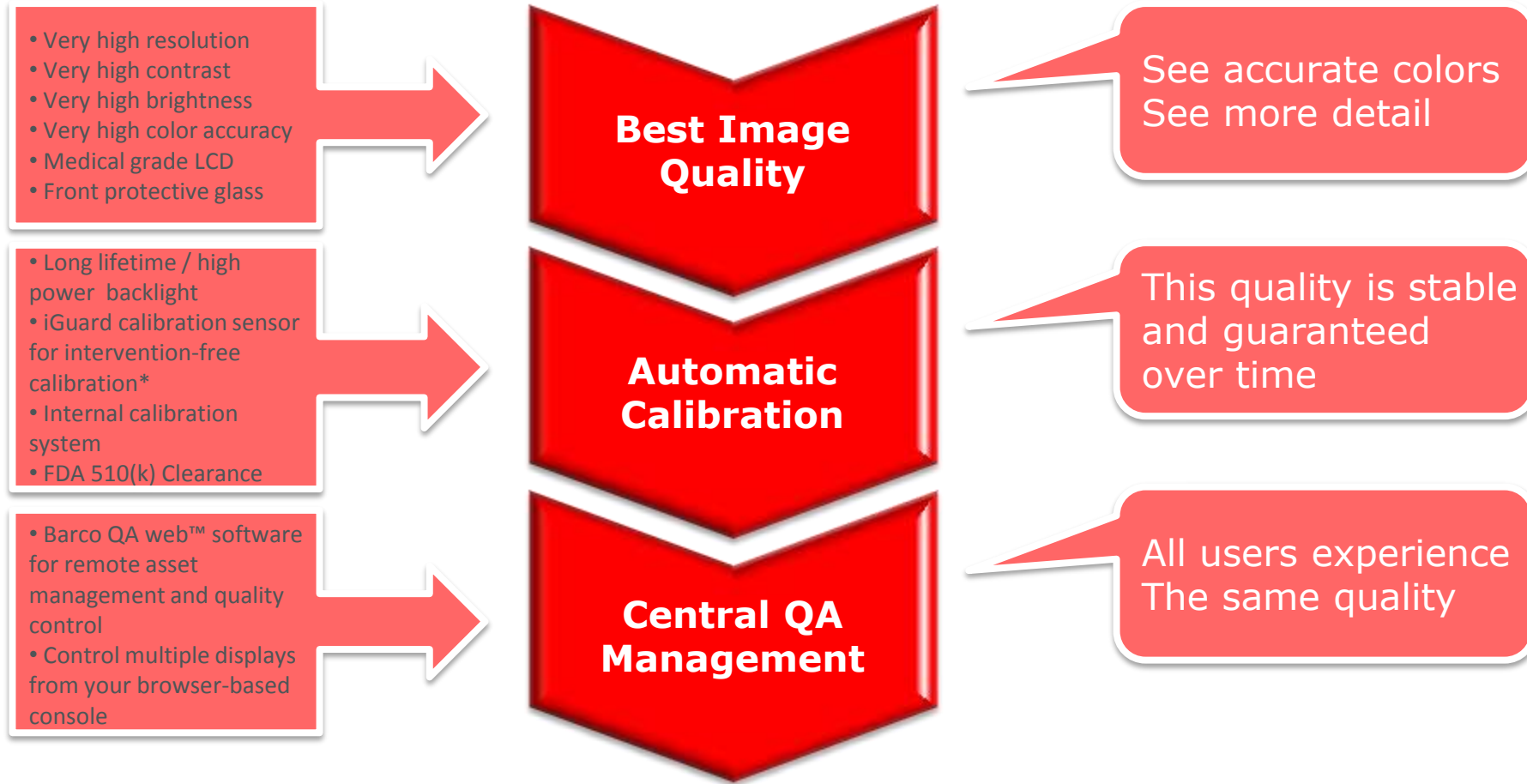


QAWeb

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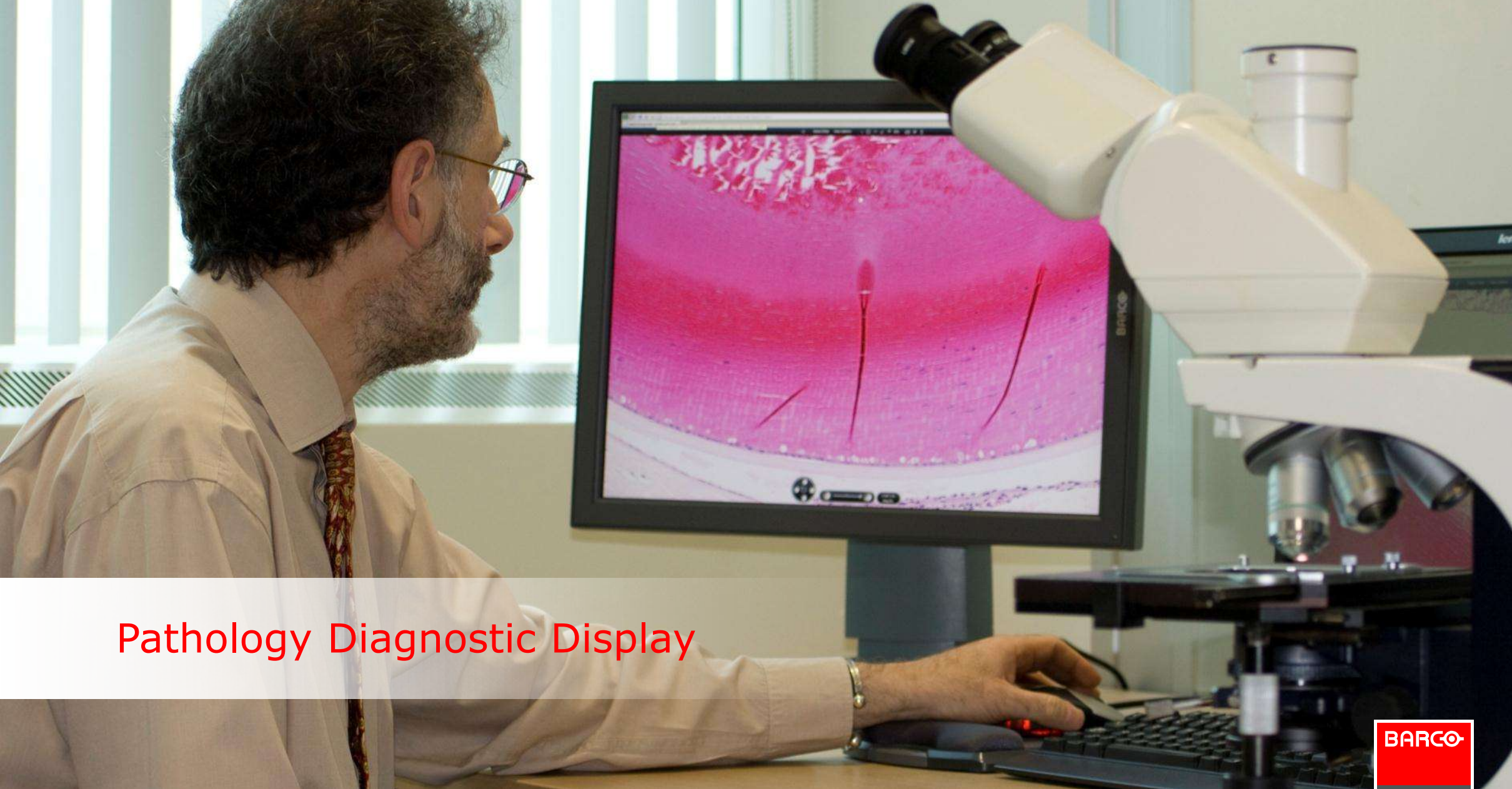
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# Summary: Barco technologies & advantages



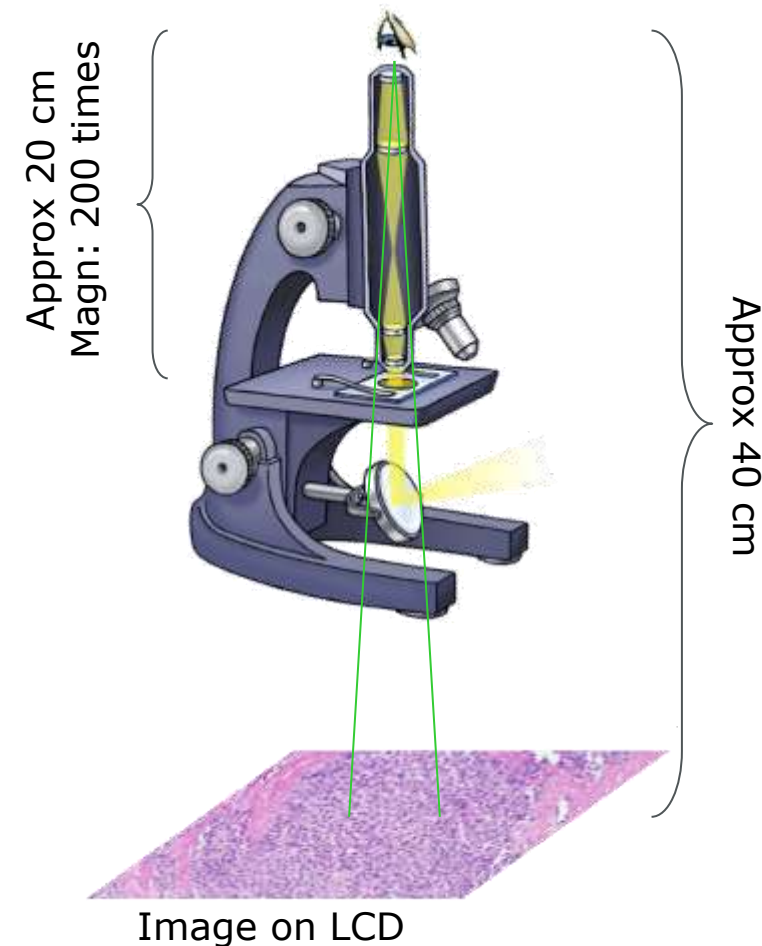
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## Pathology Diagnostic Display

# Why 0,200mm pixel pitch may be right



According to experts, the perfect display for pathology should have a pixel pitch of approximately 0.200 mm.

*"gives impression like through a microscope at 20x magnification"*

## Reasoning

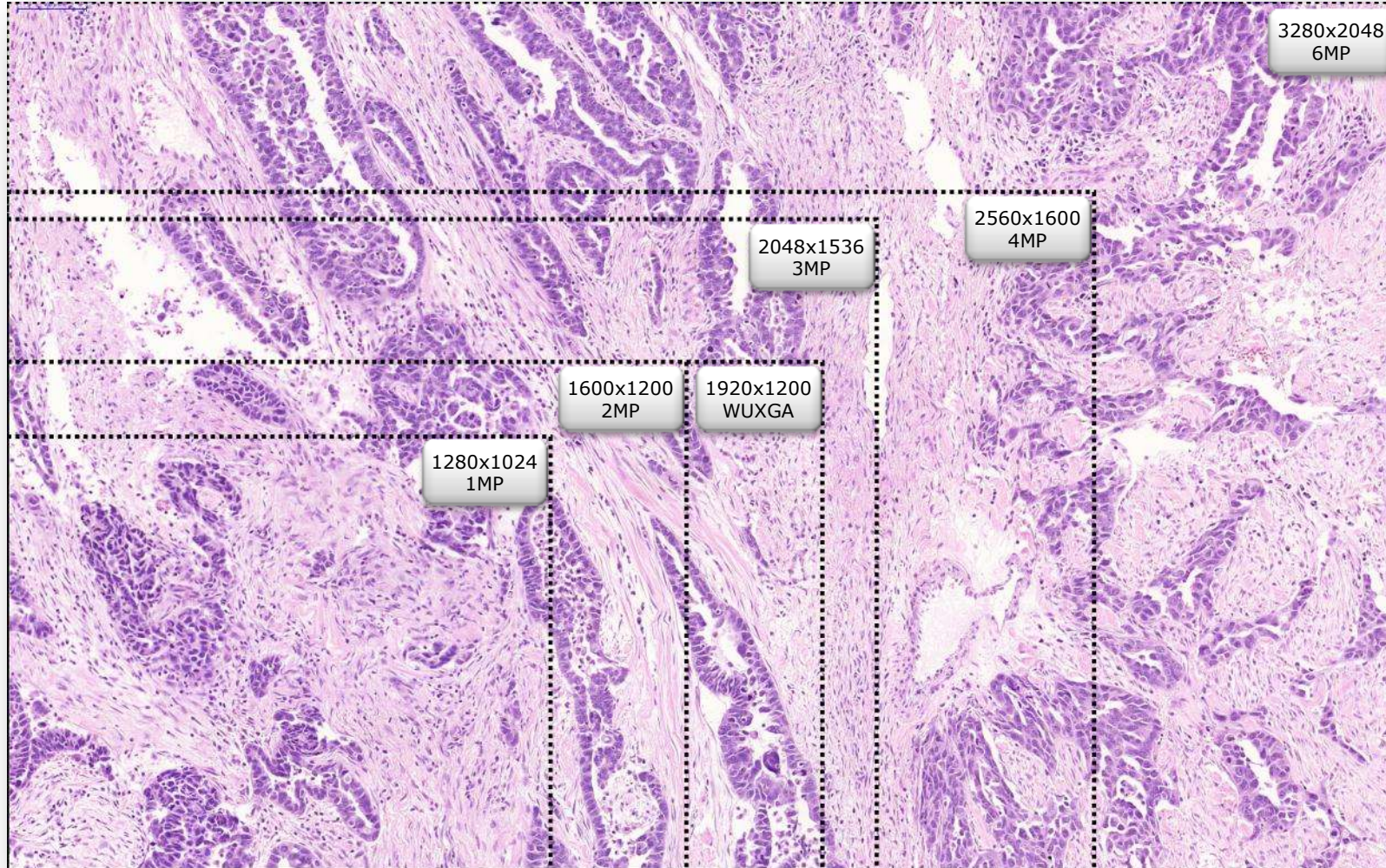
- Scanning at 0,5 $\mu$ m per pixel
- Magnification x20(0)
- Distance x2
- = 0,200 mm per pixel

Corresponds to **Barco 3MP and 6MP spatial resolution**

The screen size will define your Field of View



# The Optimal (Re)solution for any Pathology Application





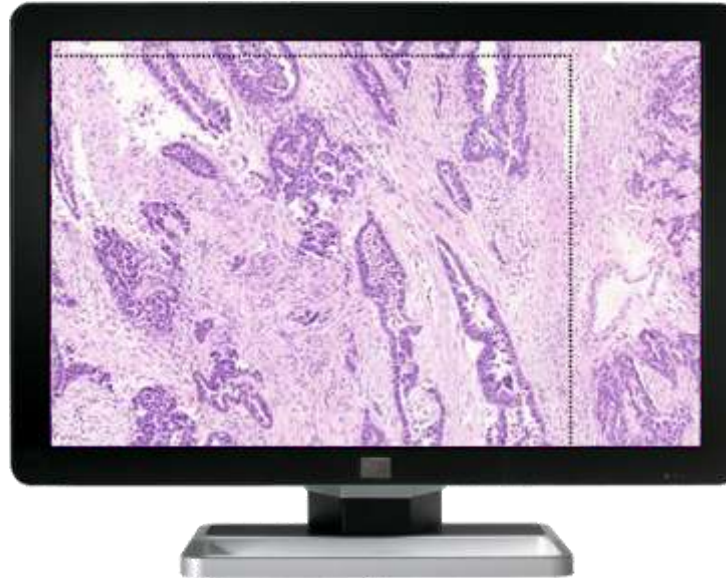
# Pixel Pitch

Linking Monitor Sizes & Resolutions



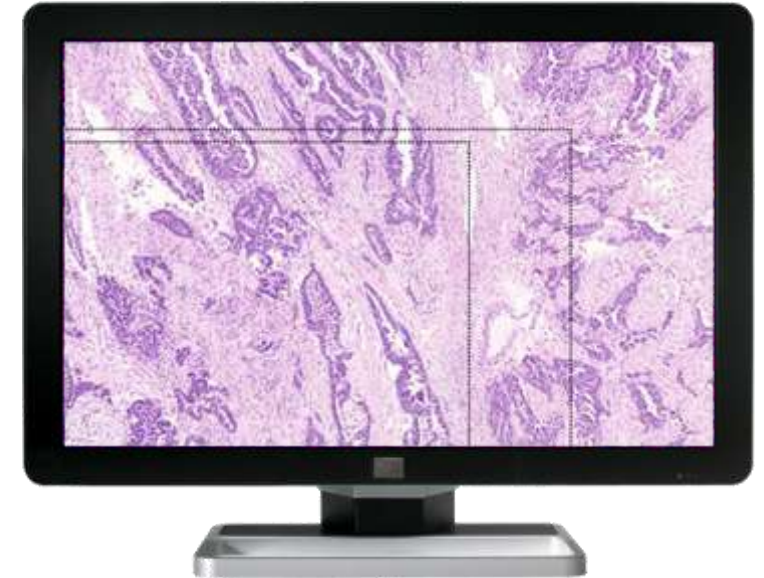
## Nio Color 3MP

- Size: 21,3" (541 mm)
- Resolution: 2048x1536
- Pixel Pitch: 0,2115 mm



## Coronis Fusion 4MP

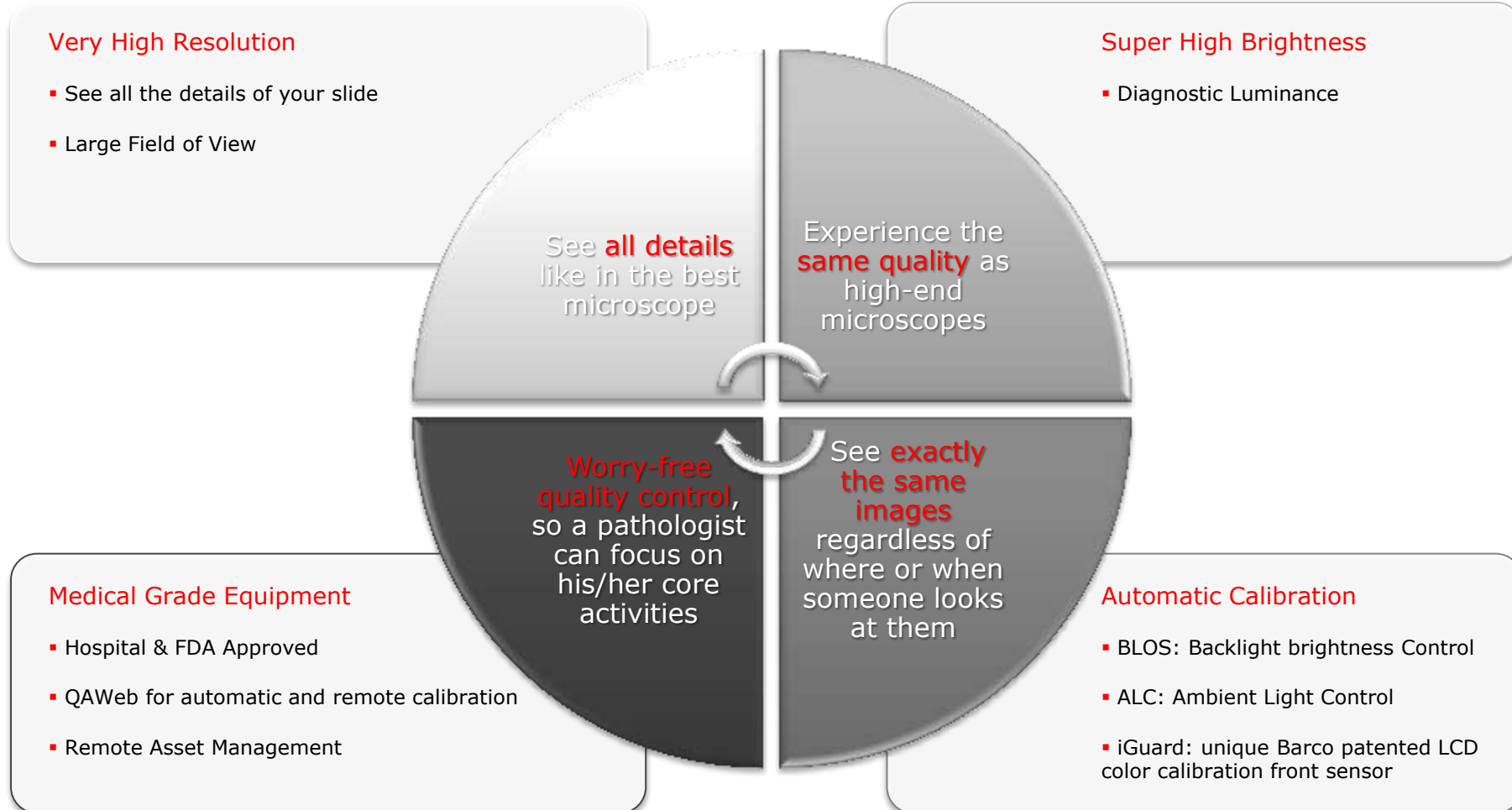
- Size: 29,9" (758 mm)
- Resolution: 2560x1600
- Pixel Pitch: 0,2505 mm

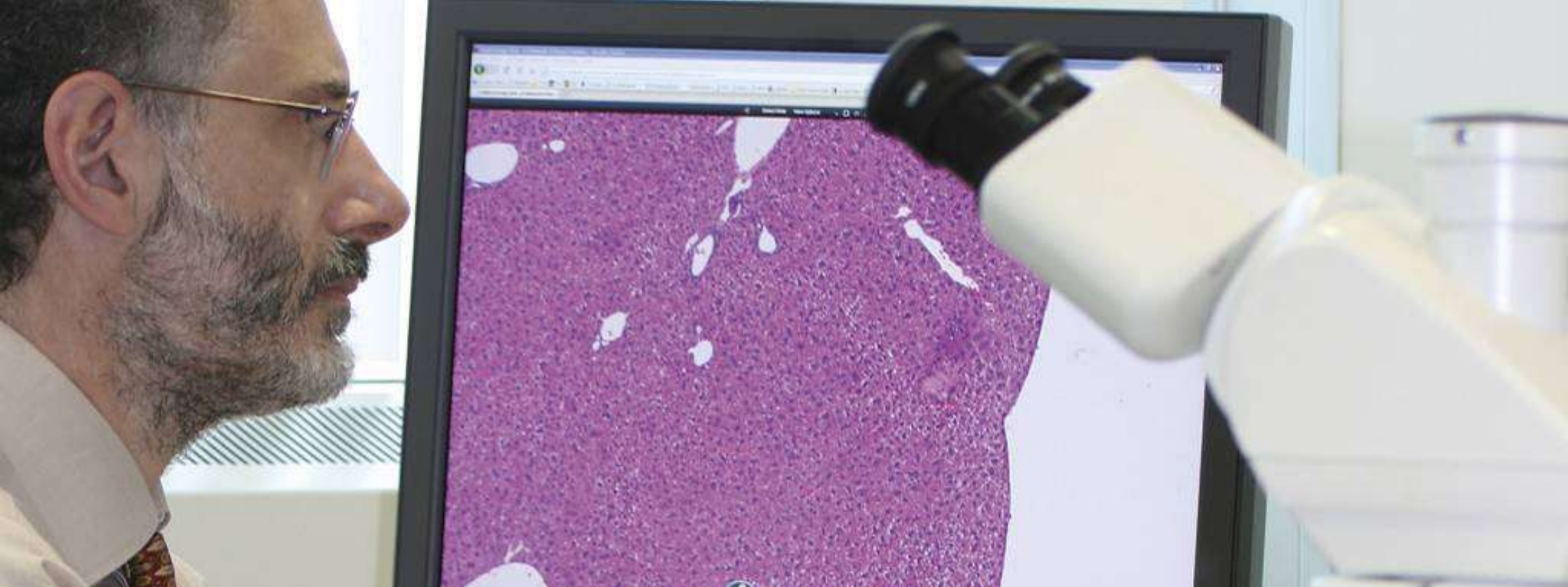


## Coronis Fusion 6MP

- Size: 30" (772 mm)
- Resolution: 3280x2048
- Pixel Pitch: 0,1995 mm

# The Barco advantages for Pathology





“Barco’s pathology displays are the **first** displays with which I can make **the same diagnoses** as on my microscope.”

Erio Barale-Thomas, pathologist, J&JPRD, Beerse, Belgium





# The Scientists' opinion

Outcome of UPMC study



Barco is **Best** for **Image Quality**

Barco is **Best** for **Diagnostic Confidence**

Definition of 'Best'

- Better than **any display** out there, standard or medical grade
- Better than an **optical microscope**, used as reference in this study!

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## Questions & Answers

MDRC



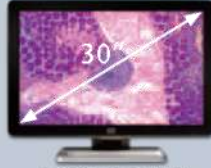
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Coronis

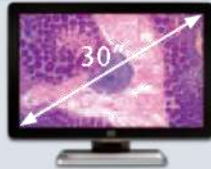


6 MP



Coronis Fusion 6MP DL

4 MP

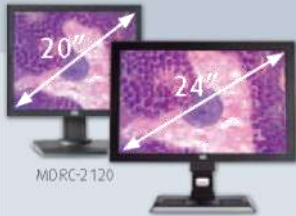


Coronis Fusion 4MP DL

3 MP



Nio Color 3MP



MDRC-2120

MDRC-2124

2 MP



Coronis Color 2MP

1 MP



MDRC-1119

# Pathology displays

Display systems with built-in calibration and designed to deliver optimal sharpness, contrast and color accuracy




































- Microscope-like image clarity and accuracy
- Perfect pathology slides for worry-free diagnostic interpretation
  - 100% consistency for uniform diagnosis
  - Reliable digital slides at all times

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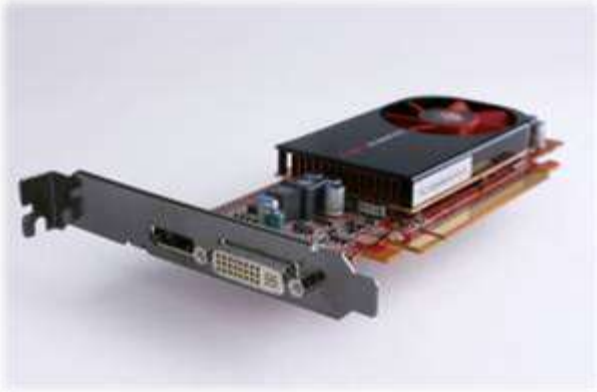
# Product Families

	Medical Use	Fit for Purpose	Image Quality	Long Term Stability	Confident Remote Diagnostics	Resolution	Size	Warranty
 <b>Coronis</b>	 		   	 		  		
 <b>Nio</b>	 		 					
 <b>MDRC</b>						  		



	MDRC-1119	MDRC-2120	MDRC-2124	Nio Color 3MP	Coronis Color 2MP	Coronis Fusion 4MP	Coronis Fusion 6MP
<b>Screen size (inches, screen diagonal)</b>	19.0"	20.1"	24"	21.3"	21.3"	29.9"	30.4"
<b>Resolution (pixels H x V)</b>	1280x1024	1600 x 1200	1920 x 1200	2048 x 1536	1600 x 1200	2560 x 1600	3280 x 2048
<b>Pixel size (µm / pixel)</b>	294	255	269	207	270	250	199
<b>Contrast Ratio (typical)</b>	1300:1	800:1	1000:1	750:1	900:1	1100:1	1000:1
<b>Luminance - calibrated (Cd/m<sup>2</sup>)</b>	180	180	250	400	300	500	500
<b>Luminance - maximum (Cd/m<sup>2</sup>)</b>	300	280	400	800	700	950	800
<b>MediCal QA Web (calibration software)</b>	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
<b>Built-in Backlight optimization</b>	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
<b>External Calibration sensor</b>	optional	optional	optional	optional	built-in iGuard	built-in iGuard	built-in iGuard
<b>Ambient Light Compensation</b>	manual via QA Web	manual via QA Web	manual via QA Web	manual via QA Web	automatic via QA Web	automatic via QA Web	automatic via QA Web
<b>Uniform Luminance Technology</b>	-	-	-	-	yes	yes	yes
<b>Protective front cover</b>	optional	optional	optional	yes	yes	yes	yes
<b>Warranty</b>	3 years	3 years	3 years	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years
<b>FDA Clearance</b>	Class 1	Class 1	Class 1	510 (k) class 2	510 (k) class 2	510 (k) class 2	510 (k) class 2
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# Barco's high-performance display controllers



## Optimized for performance

- Latest AMD FirePro™ 3D technology
- Superior graphics
- Ultra-fast image loading
- Smooth roaming and manipulation of images
- Improved OpenGL and DirectX functionality
- Compatibility with Microsoft Windows® XP and Windows® 7
- Compatibility with the new DisplayPort interface standard
- Optimized to work with Nio and Coronis
- Optimized to work with MediCal QAWeb
- Reliable performance with the latest workstations & leading Digital Pathology applications



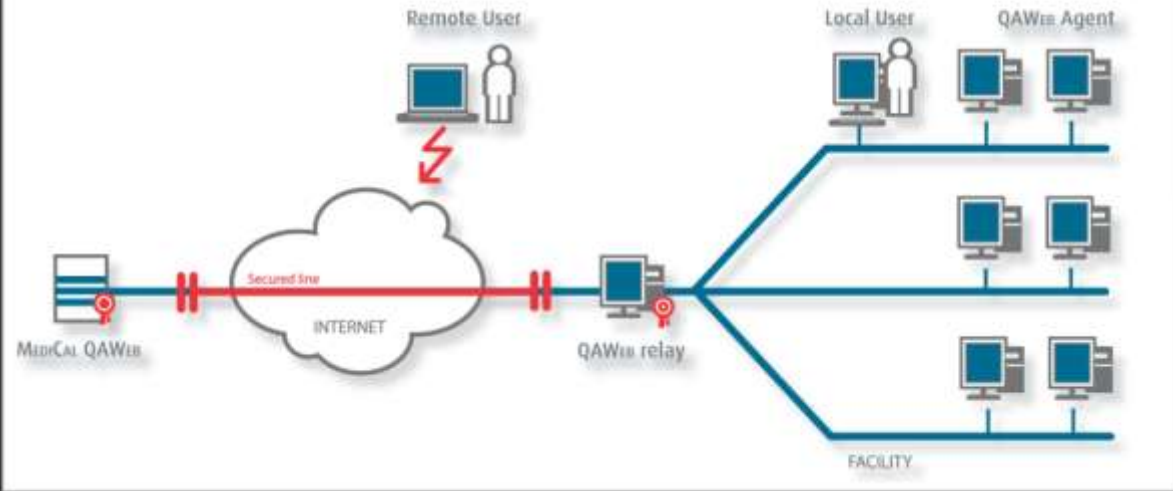


# Remote Quality Assurance Management

Optimum peace of mind has never been easier

Displays align over the internet

## MediCal QAWeb Concept

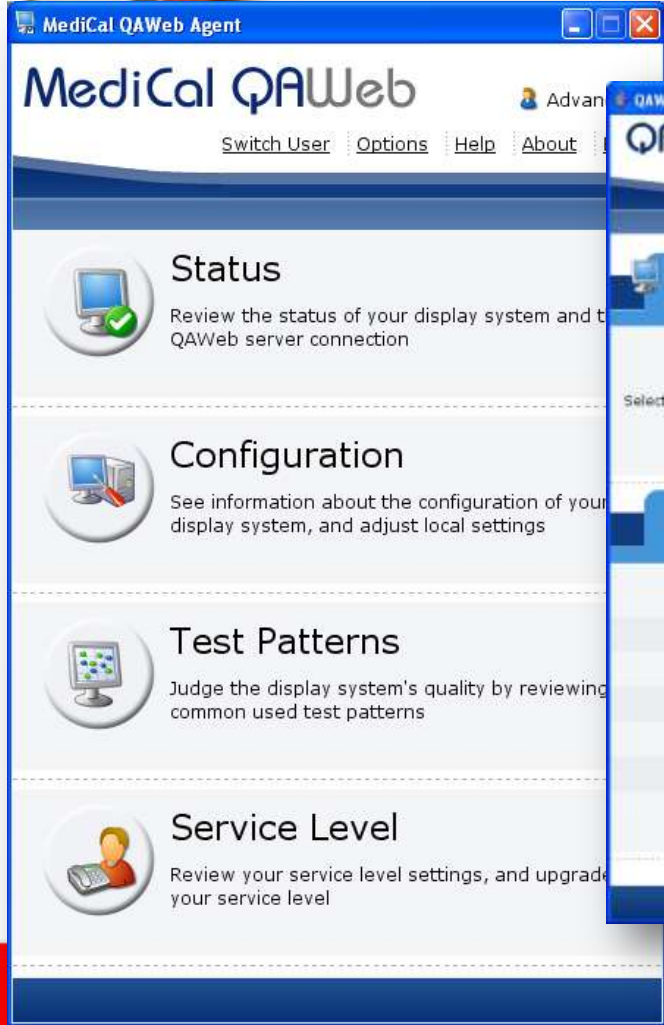


- Barco's QA Web will assure the best image quality
  - Automatic Quality Checks
  - Automatic Calibration to established standards
  - Same image on all workstations
- And allow centralized control
  - Asset Management
  - Lifetime expectation & budgeting
  - Responsibility by central administrator



# MediCal QAWeb Agent

Remotely manages multiple displays



The main interface of the MediCal QAWeb Agent. It features a blue header with the logo and navigation links: Switch User, Options, Help, About. Below the header are four main sections: Status, Configuration, Test Patterns, and Service Level, each with an icon and a brief description.

- Status**: Review the status of your display system and the QAWeb server connection.
- Configuration**: See information about the configuration of your display system, and adjust local settings.
- Test Patterns**: Judge the display system's quality by reviewing common used test patterns.
- Service Level**: Review your service level settings, and upgrade your service level.



The Configuration window in QAWeb. It shows a navigation bar with 'Displays', 'Graphic Boards', and 'Sensors'. Below this, there is a 'Select a device:' section with a monitor icon. Two tabs are visible: 'General Info' and 'Calibration Info'. The 'General Info' tab is active, displaying the following device details:

Brand	: Barco	Color Type	: COLOR
Type	: MFC02721HB	DPMS	: false
Serial	: 1890032527		
Technology	: LCD		
Firmware Version	: V1.01T30		
Screen width	: 432 mm		
Screen height	: 324 mm		



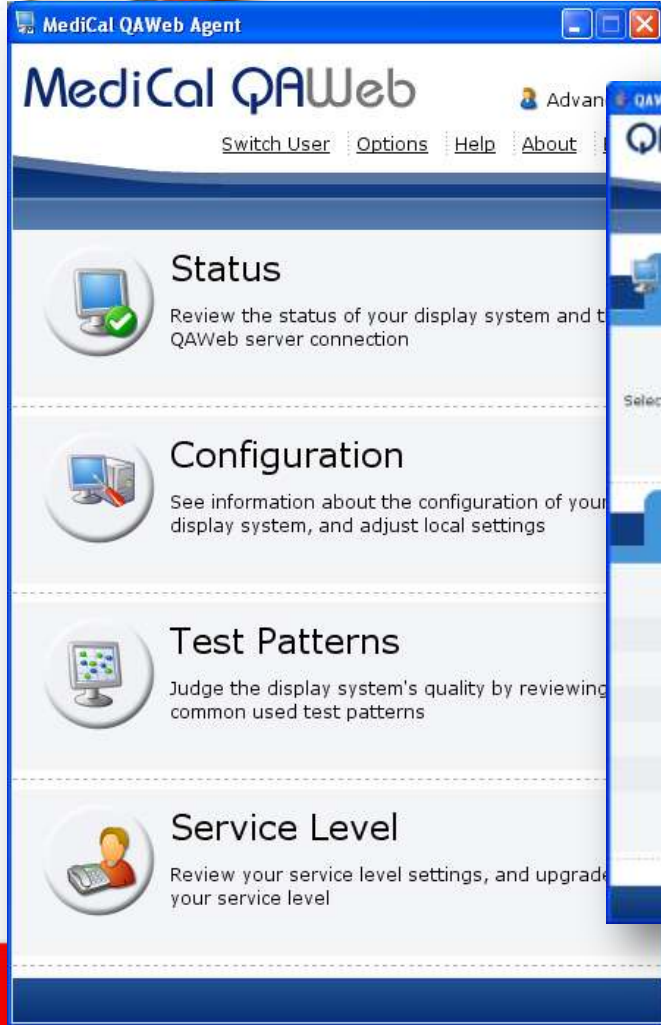
The TestPatterns window in QAWeb. It displays a list of test patterns with their descriptions and small preview images. The instructions at the top state: 'Please select a test pattern from the list below. The selected test patterns will be shown on all monitors of your configuration.'

- SMPTTE**: The SMPTE pattern is a universal pattern with which you can check: geometry, focus, white luminance, bandwidth and display function.
- Briggs**: This pattern can be used to check if the display function is perceptually linear (calibrated according to the DICOM Grayscale Standard Display Function).
- Horizontal Gradient**: This pattern displays a horizontal gradient from black to white. You can use this pattern to check the grayscale performance.
- AAPM TG18-QC**: This pattern is a universal pattern with which you can check: geometry, focus, white luminance, bandwidth and display function, according to the AAPM TG18 qualifications.



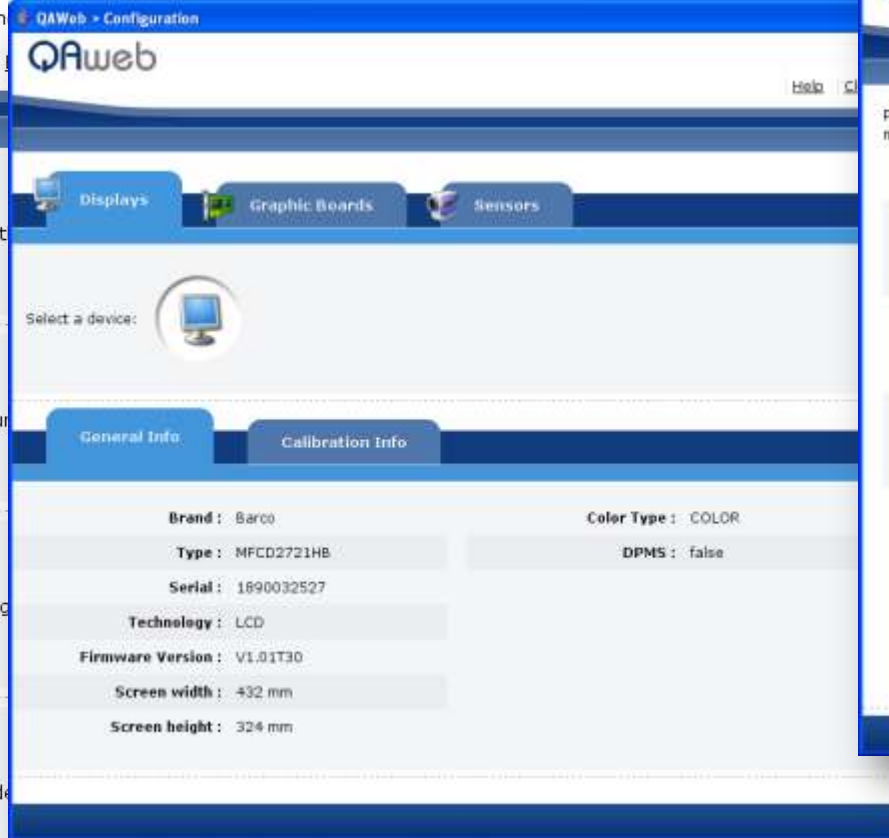
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