



# SkyScan 1272

High-Resolution X-Ray Microtomograph

# X-Ray Microtomography or Micro-CT: Most Advanced Nondestructive 3D Microscopy

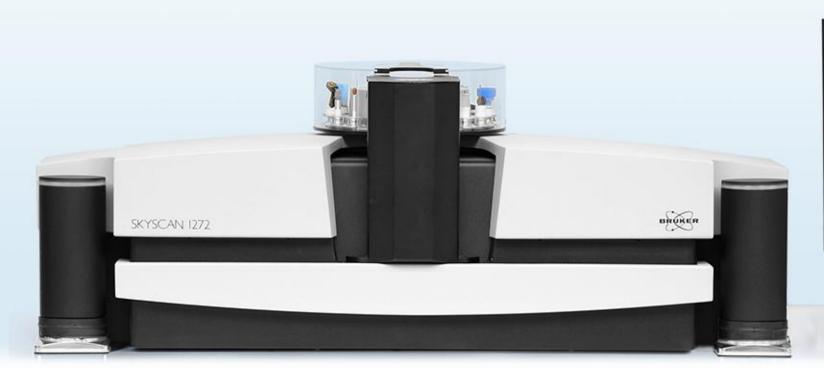


Micro-computed tomography or Micro-CT is X-ray imaging in 3D, by the same method used in hospital CT (or "CAT") scans, but on a small scale with massively increased resolution.

It really represents true 3D microscopy, where very fine scale internal structure of objects is imaged non-destructively. No sample preparation, embedding, coating or thin slicing are required.

A single scan will image the complete internal 3D structure of your object, plus you get your sample back intact at the end!

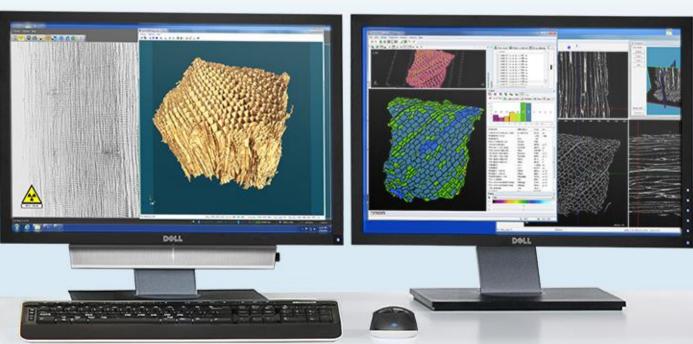
The SkyScan 1272 high resolution desk-top X-Ray microtomograph, shown with the automatic sample changer.



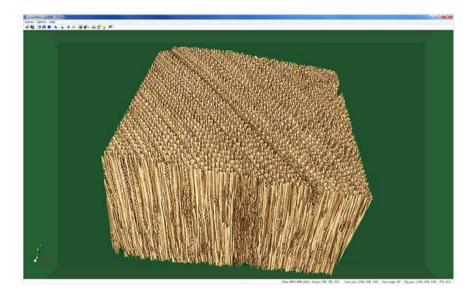
# Reaching for the sky of technology

#### World's first micro-CT with more than 200 megapixels in a single cross section

- Large format 16Mp or 11Mp cooled 14bit X-ray detector in one, two or three offset positions allows scanning up to 75mm object width and acquiring up to 14456 x 3240 pixels in each projection image, followed by reconstruction of an astonishing 209 Mp slices, up to 2600 such slices after a single scan.
- A new maintenance free x-ray source with adjustable 20-100kV peak energy and a 6-position automatic filter changer help you to select the best possible scanning conditions for any kind of sample. The system can also automatically select the best energy / filter combination for any sample.
- Isotropic detail detectability down to 0.35µm with phase contrast enhancement for submicron details make previously invisible object features well recognizable and measurable.
- Automatically variable acquisition geometry, with adjustment of both object and detector position for the shortest scan, reduces scan time for most magnifications by 2-5 times compared to competitor scanners. The scanner can also send you an e-mail at the end of scanning with a direct link to results.
- Single computer or cluster GPU-accelerated 3D reconstruction supports all scanning formats up to 14456 x 14456 pixels and reconstructs cross section slices 20 times faster than commonly used reconstruction approaches. An optional 8xGPU server pushes reconstruction speed beyond this limit.
- The powerful software package for 2D/3D image analysis and realistic visualization is unique. It allows numerical analysis and volume rendering of large format scanning results. The analysis software can execute hundreds of embedded functions, allows you to make task lists to apply to multiple scan results in a batch run, and supports user plug-ins. Realistic 3D visualization includes surface and volume rendering, easy manipulation and virtual cut, movie creation, stereo imaging and data export to CAD and 3D printers.
- An integrated micro-positioning stage allows you to find the optimal sample placement easily and precisely, or you can select an exact volume of interest to scan within a sample larger than the field of view. Optional stages for *in-situ* examination support scanning during compression, tension, heating or cooling.
- The 16-position automatic sample changer (optional) is a big step forward in automation and high throughput scanning. As well as imaging multiple similar samples you can mix samples with different sizes and materials. The scanner can automatically select magnification and acquisition parameters for each sample. Samples queued for scanning can be replaced at any time without interrupting an ongoing scanning process.



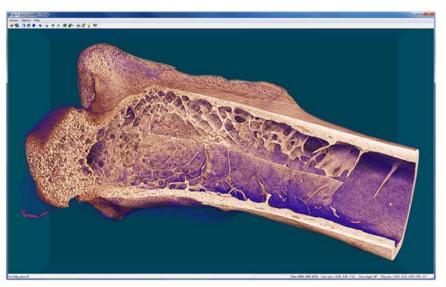
# • Flexibility for the best results in any application



#### Wood

Volume rendering of the cell structure inside wood.

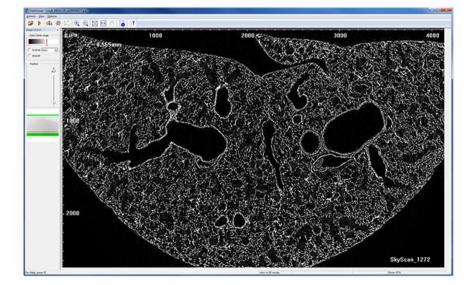
Scanning protocol: 0.5µm isotropic pixel size, 50kV, no filter, 4904x4904x1915 rec. volume



#### **Bone**

Volume rendering of the trabecular structure inside a mouse bone.

Scanning protocol: 1.7µm isotropic pixel size, 70kV, Al 0.5mm filter, 4904x4904x6276 rec. volume.



#### Lung

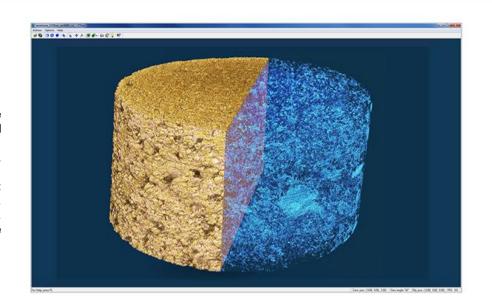
Reconstructed virtual slice through a mouse lung.

Scanning protocol: 0.9µm isotropic pixel size, 50kV, no filter, no contrast agent, 4900x4900x2650 rec. volume

#### Geology

Volume rendering of sandstone internal microstructure (left side) and visualization of the porous space inside this sample (right side).

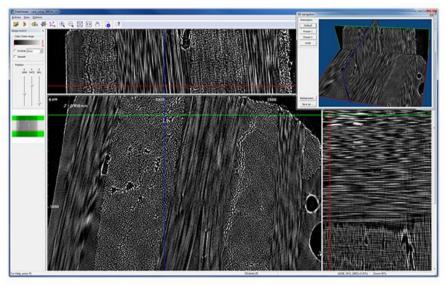
Scanning protocol: 1.57µm isotropic pixel size, 80kV, Al 1mm filter, 4904x4904x2000 rec. volume



#### Composites

Reconstructed virtual slices through a sample of composite material with carbon fibers in an epoxy matrix.

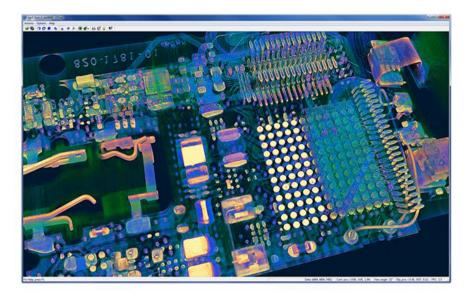
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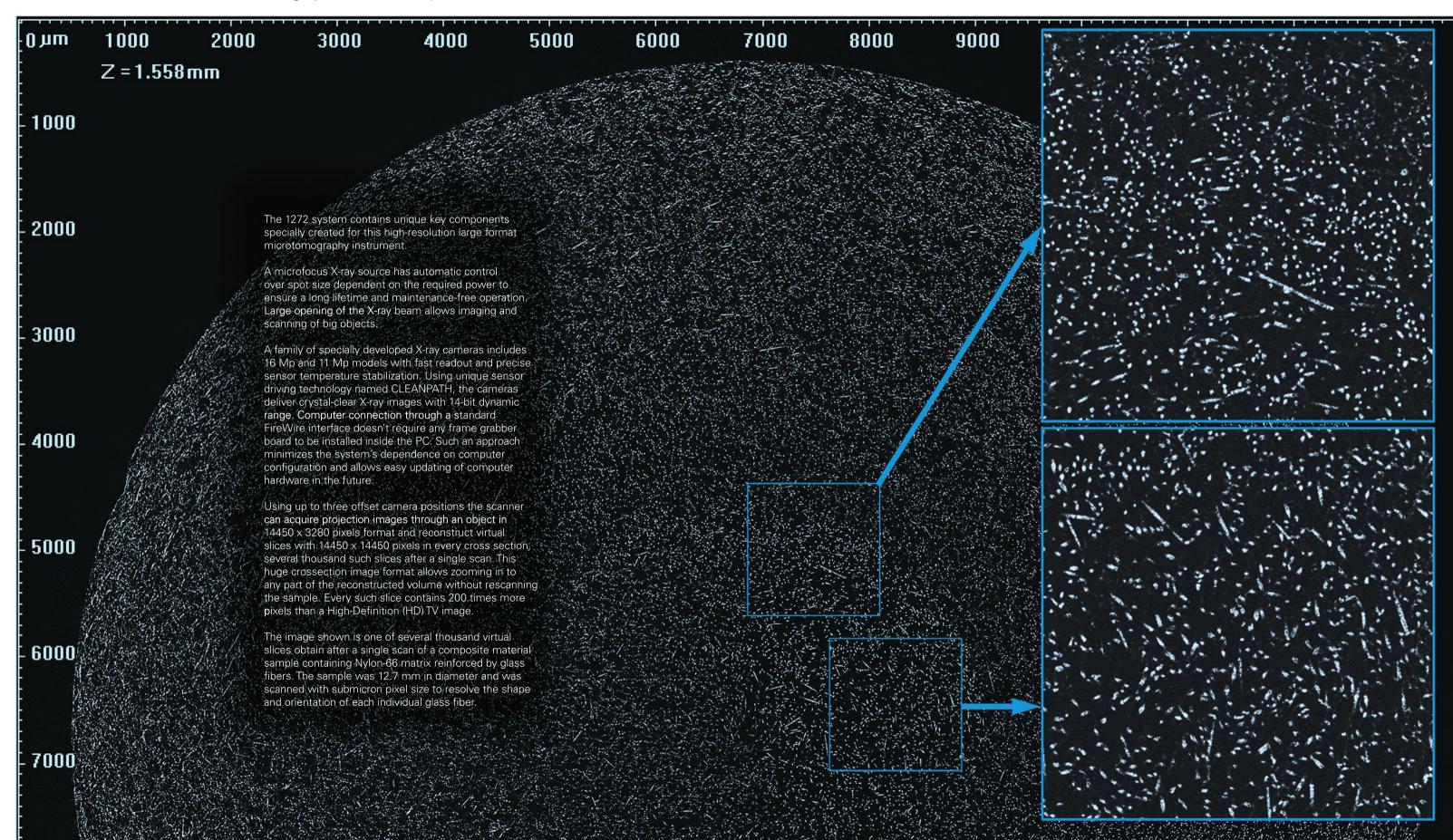


#### **Electronics**

Volume rendering of the internal structure of an MP3 player.

Scanning protocol: 5µm isotropic pixel size, 100kV, Cu 0.11mm filter, 4904x4904x7491 rec. volume





# Simple control, enjoyable experience

The user interface of the SkyScan-1272 is simple and intuitive. All functions can be selected by Menu and supported by comprehensive context help.

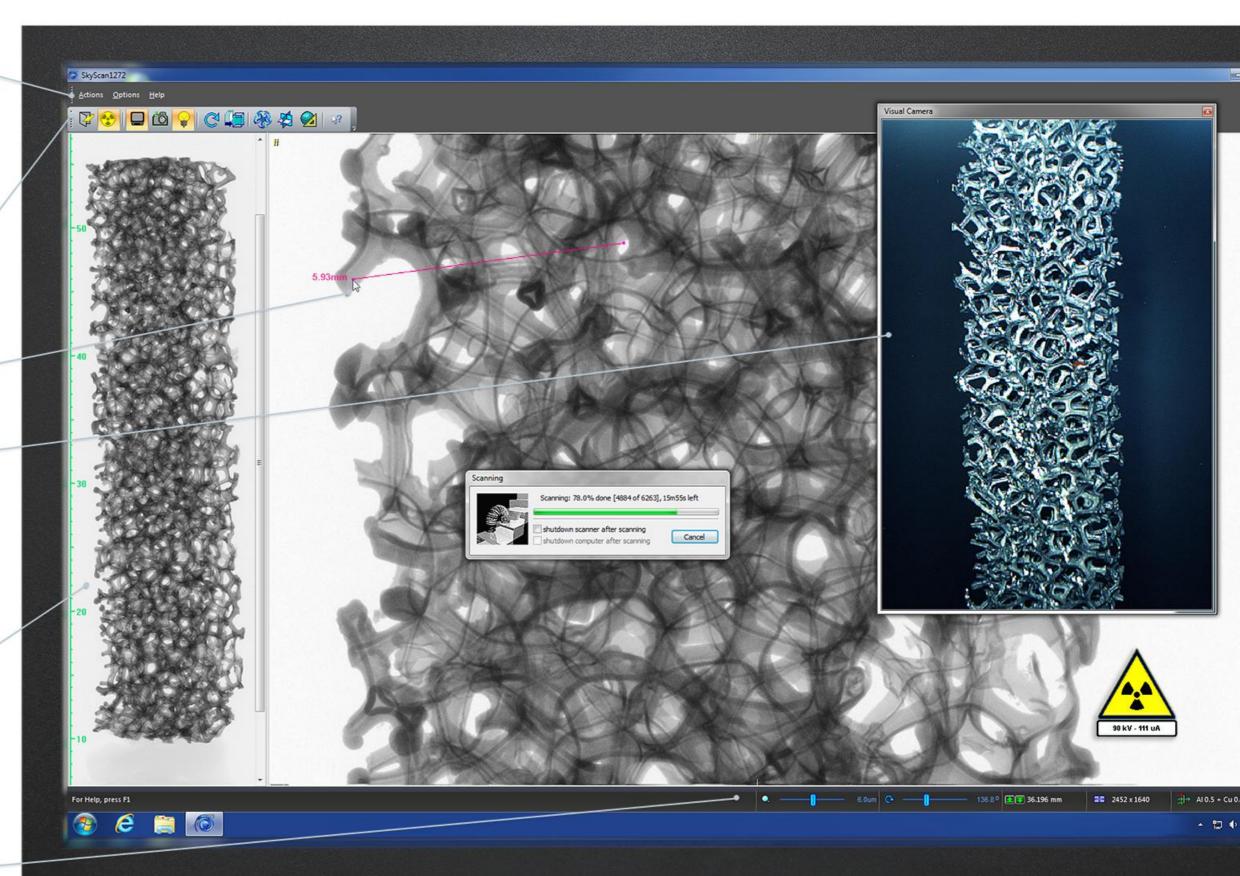
A toolbar provides access to frequently used functions. Simply click the toolbar buttons from left to right to place a sample in the scanner, start the X-ray source, use real-time X-ray imaging to adjust magnification and scanning location, check a single image using acquisition protocol, inspect the sample by visual camera, start scanning and reconstruction, etc. The program look and toolbar buttons can be customized by the user.

The central part of the screen is occupied by the current image from the X-ray camera. One can measure dimensions of the object features by dragging the mouse cursor over the image. Drag-and-drop with the keyboard Ctrl button implements vertical and horizontal shifting of the object position by the sample stage.

A 5Mp colour visual camera inside the specimen chamber allows you to check positioning of large objects. It shows a real-time image of the sample during positioning and scanning.

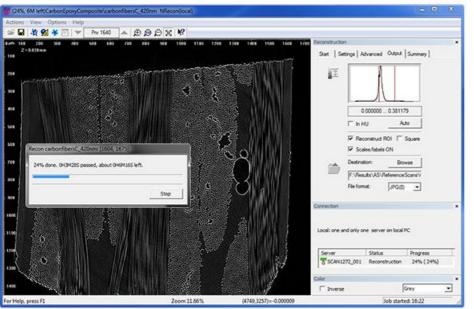
The left part of the screen can be occupied by the scout view, which shows a connected projection image of object(s) over the more than 70mm scanning length. The operator can select any place and length of the object to scan. If the selected length cannot fit in a single camera field of view, the scan will comprise a number of overlapped subscans with automatic connection of reconstructed results to one large volume. The scout view also allows selection of multiple scans of different length, which will be executed in batch mode using individual scanning protocols.

The status bar at the bottom of the control program window shows concise help information when the mouse cursor crosses toolbar buttons or menu items. On the right hand side of the status bar are two sliders for direct magnification and angular position selection, buttons for moving the object up or down, selection of image formats for the X-ray camera and selection of energy filters. The software also allows adjustment of sample elevation and magnification by numerical values. It can assist by automatically selecting the optimal energy filter and voltage in the X-ray source for any particular object.



### Software suite for reconstruction, analysis and realistic visualization

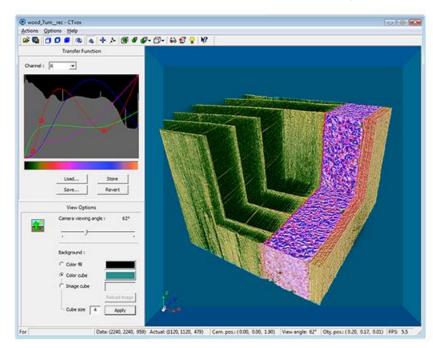
#### NRECON: Multithreaded GPU-accelerated Reconstruction for Single Computer or Cluster.



NRecon achieves the world's fastest large format reconstruction. It can run on single PC or cluster of several PCs. The reconstruction uses a unique parallelization algorithm for GPUacceleration on single or multiple graphical cards. It supports beamhardening correction, misalignment correction, ring artifact elimination, volume of interest reconstruction and reconstruction of objects larger than field of view, automatic merging partial scans, drift compensation and many other options. The SkyScan-1272 is supplied with a control workstation equipped with two graphics cards, one of them an Tesla GPU processor. Optional configuration includes a 19" rack-mounted GPU cluster with eight Tesla GPUs, 144GB RAM, 2 Intel XEON processors and 4 hard drives on RAID0.

Cross section format (pixels)	1000 x 1000	2000 x 2000	4000 x 4000	8000 x 8000	14450 x 14450
Number of cross sections in reconstructed volume	615	1229	2255	2495	2610
Number of projections used for reconstruction	499	996	1990	2157	8100
Reconstruction time: full volume / per slice					
NRECON CPU reconstruction, single PC	4m / 400ms	58m / 2.8s	15h / 24s	59h / 1.5m	50days / 28m
NRECON CPU reconstruction, cluster of 4 PCs	43s / 70ms	11.5m / 0.56s	3h / 4.8s	12h / 17s	13days / 7m
NRECON, GPU-accelerated, single PC with TeslaC2075 GPU processor	33s / 50ms	10m / 0.48s	2h / 3s	8.5h / 12s	150h / 3.5m
NRECON, GPU-accelerated, single PC with dual-GPU GTX690 card	11s / 18ms	3m / 0.15s	44m / 1.2s	4.5h / 6.5s	140h / 3.2m
NRECON, GPU-accelerated, 8 x TeslaC2075 GPU-cluster	14s / 23ms	1.5m / 73ms	19m / 500ms	1h / 1.5s	18.5h / 25s

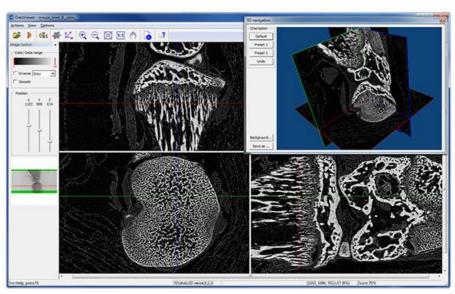
#### **CTVOX: Realistic Visualization by Volume Rendering**



The volume rendering program CTVox displays a set of reconstructed slices as a realistic 3D object with intuitive navigation and manipulation of both object and camera, a flexible clipping tool to produce cut-away views, background selection including custom scenery and an interactive transfer function control to adjust color and transparency. The lighting and shadowing options combined with selection of properties of the material surfaces allow fully realistic visualization. A "flight recorder" function allows fast creation of "fly around" and "fly through" animations based on the selection of several key frames with automatic interpolation in between. Imaging possibilities include stereo viewing using glasses with color filters. The supplied version of CTVox includes export to 3D apps on mobile devices, such as iPad and iPhone. After selecting settings on-screen, the compressed dataset together with transfer functions can be sent through cloud or data transfer services, such as Dropbox, to mobile devices where they can be stored, viewed and further edited.

#### DATAVIEWER: Slice-by-Slice Movie, Three Virtual Slices Intersecting at Any Point in the Reconstructed Volume

DataViewer displays reconstructed results as a slice-by-slice movie or as three orthogonal sections, centered at any selected point in the reconstructed space. One can rotate and resample reconstructed volume in any direction. Additional features include the 4th dimension for time-resolved tomography and compression / tension in-situ examination, variable smoothing options, measuring distances in 3D with saving a table of results and measuring intensity profiles. DataViewer also allows flexible volume of interest selection, and linear and nonlinear grayscale transformations with look-up table color coding. Datasets can also be spatially co-registered in 3D.



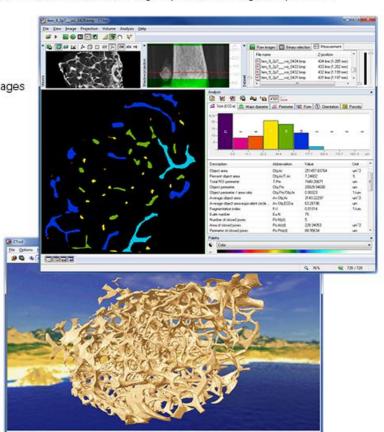
#### CTAN: 2D / 3D Image Analysis and Processing; CTVOL: Realistic Visualization by Surface Rendering

CT-Analyser or CTAn allows accurate and detailed study of micro-CT results for morphometry and densitometry. Powerful, flexible and programmable image processing tools allow a wide range of segmentation, enhancement and measurement functions for analyses ranging from porosity to contact surface around high-density insertions to complex architectures. Versatile volume of interest selection tools are included. "CT-Volume" or CTVol uses surface triangulated models from CTAn and provides a virtual 3D viewing environment, flexible and rich in features, to give you a wide range of options for 3D presentation of micro-CT results.

#### Main features of CTAn are:

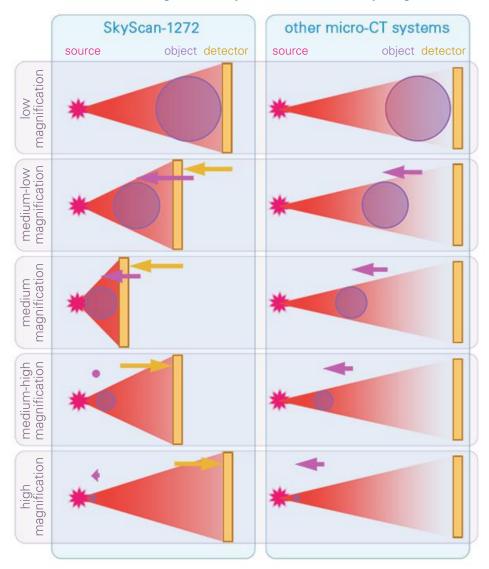
- Import of dataset in tiff, bmp, jpg, png, DICOM, etc.
- Global, Otsu, multi-level and adaptive segmentation
- Advanced region/volume of interest selection tools
- Creates maximum and minimum intensity projection images
- Measures 3D distances and angles
- Calibrates density as HU, BMD or attenuation
- Smooth, sharpen, despeckle, Boolean operations
- Analysis of integrated structures within VOI in 2D, 3D
   Analysis of all individual objects within VOI in 2D, 3D
- Parameters measured (in 2D and 3D):
- Parameters measured (in 2D and 3D):
   Object (pore, particle, etc.) volume
- Object (pore, pore, por
- Structure thickness,
- Structure separation, number
- Structure Model Index (SMI)
- Fragmentation index (trabecular pattern factor)
- Euler number, eccentricity
- Degree of anisotropy, eigenvalues, eigenvectors
- Fractal dimension (Kolmogorov)
- Moments of inertia (x, y, polar, product)
- Detailed analysis of porosity
- Automated batch analysis
- Connects to user-created plug-ins
- Creates 3D models by several rendering algorithms
- Export triangulated 3D models in STL and PLY formats

Full list of functions for CTAn and CTVoI can be found at bruker-microct.com/next/CTan\_UserManual.pdf bruker-microct.com/next/CTvoI\_UserManual.pdf



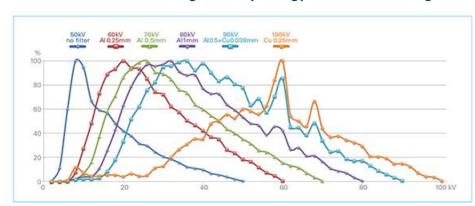
# • The most advanced scanning engine

#### Variable Scanning Geometry for Best Scan at Any Magnification



All available micro-CT systems on the market use static acquisition geometry where the X-ray source and X-ray detector are separated by a fixed distance and image magnification is adjusted by object movement between them. The limited opening angle of emission from the X-ray source and attempts to extend the magnification range increase the sourcedetector distance and reduce quadratically the intensity of the X-ray beam at the detector, with a corresponding steep increase in the scan time. To escape this dilemma the SkyScan-1272 uses automatically variable scanning geometry invented by Bruker microCT, which is unique and the most advanced solution. Using an X-ray source with a big beam opening angle and a large format detector, the maximum distance between the source and the detector, required for maximum and minimum magnifications, can be reduced with a corresponding increase in detected X-ray intensity. At intermediate image magnifications, both object and detector are moved towards the source until they reach the most compressed geometry possible while collecting all X-ray photons emitted from the source. Such adaptive scanning geometry applied to all magnifications allows improvement in quality or reducing of scan time by a factor of 2...5 compared to traditional fixed scanning geometry. This repositioning doesn't require any operator's command. The control software automatically optimises the scan geometry to the image magnification selected by operator.

#### Automatic Fine Tuning of X-Ray Energy Window According to Absorption in an Object



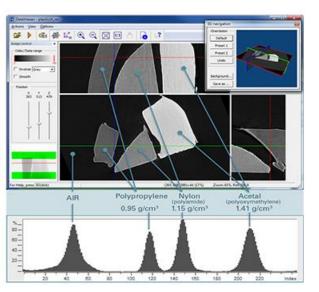
The SkyScan-1272 includes a 6-position automatic filter changer and is equipped with an X-ray source designed in such a way that adjustment of X-ray peak energy always keeps the same output power. The flexibility for precise tuning of maximum X-ray energy emitted by the source and the minimum energy cut-off selected by numerous filters allows operator to select the most optimal energy window for any particular object. The control software can select the best possible scanning protocol automatically.

# Quality and precision without compromises

#### **High Sensitivity in Distinguishing Materials**

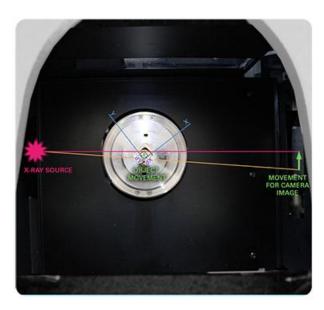
Using variable acquisition geometry to increase the number of X-ray photons acquired by the detector, together with proper energy selection and filtering in combination with exceptionally low noise level in the X-ray camera, allows a significantly improved sensitivity to local density or chemical composition variations. The SkyScan-1272 thus allows clearer resolution of materials with a very small difference in X-ray absorption. Enhanced separation of different materials in the attenuation histogram makes it easier to extract and analyze information by a simple global threshold.

This image is a screenshot from DataViewer showing the reconstruction results from a sample containing three different plastic materials with very similar chemical composition and a small difference in physical density. The intensity histogram shown at the bottom was made by CTAn and indicates a clear separation of the three plastics.



#### **Integrated Micro-Positioning Stage**

A micro-positioning stage is integrated into the object manipulator of the SkyScan-1272 scanner, allowing exact object centering to get the best fit of the sample size in the field of view, with maximum magnification. It also allows selecting a scan volume within samples larger than field of view (a truncated scan). The micro-positioning stage contains precision XY linear drives on the top of the rotation table. The XY drives are connected to the drive's electronics through multiple slip rings, which allows unlimited object rotation in any direction keeping the drives always properly connected. For any operator's command for object repositioning by a selected on-screen distance, the control program recalculates the required distance of travel of the X and Y stage drives dependent on the current orientation of the turntable and image magnification. This is done in such a way that the operator will see the proper object movement to the left or right on the screen with no movement in the direction along the X-ray beam.



#### **Integrated Vibration Isolation**

The SkyScan-1272 is a high precision instrument filled with sensitive micromechanics and electronics. To ensure smooth and accurate scanning in any installation environment, the whole instrument is supported by four feet with integrated pneumatic vibration isolators. The anti-vibration feet with low resonance frequency provide efficient isolation and shock absorption in all direction.

This relaxes the vibration requirements for the places where the scanner can be installed while ensuring high accuracy scanning in laboratories located close to sources of industrial or environmental vibrations, such as underground transportation, train stations, power ventilation installations, etc.



# Sample holders for any size and shape

#### **Standard Sample Mounts**



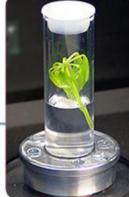




The system is supplied with three type of sample mount: two brass sample mounts for different size of objects (two pieces each), which can be held by the micro-positioning stage, and a steel sample mount for large objects, connected directly to the turntable. The thin brass mount can be used to scan small samples with high magnification, and the large brass mount can be used for samples up to 25mm in diameter to be scanned at a wide range of magnifications. The steel mount for large samples has a chuck with four independently adjusted jaws to hold objects with complex shape and center them accurately.

#### **Optional Sample Mounts**







Optionally the system can be equipped with tube sample holders. A supplied set has four replaceable tube holders with plastic lids, which can be attached to a sealed baseplate. The tubes are 8 cm high, with internal diameters of (approx.) 6, 10, 15, 20 mm. The tube holders allow scanning samples with different sizes, including automated batch scanning, and imaging of hydrated samples and samples in liquid.

Another optional "spider" sample mount has

four fingers to hold objects of variable geometry

and with sizes from 0.8 to 18mm. Each "finger"

is screw-adjusted to obtain a grip on any object

including objects with irregular and asymmetric

shape.





Another optional sample mount is dedicated to scanning several samples simultaneously for comparison. It contains two layers of parallel tube compartments for four samples up to 5mm in diameter in each layer. This allows analysis of 8 small samples - such as mouse bones, in a single scan.

There are a number of additional optional sample mounts available and their number is always growing. For example, a special mount can hold thin flat samples, such as a piece of paper or plastics; two other sample mounts allow scanning of powders with different packaging geometries, etc. Contact your local distributer of Bruker-microCT products to discover the best possible option for your particular application.

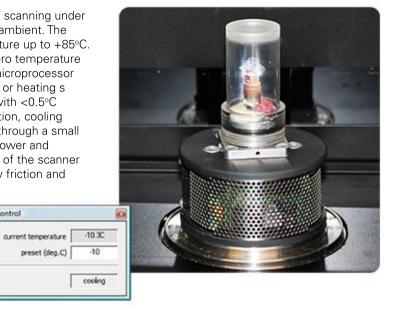
# Stages for in-situ investigations

Thermostage Control

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#### **Heating and Cooling Stages**

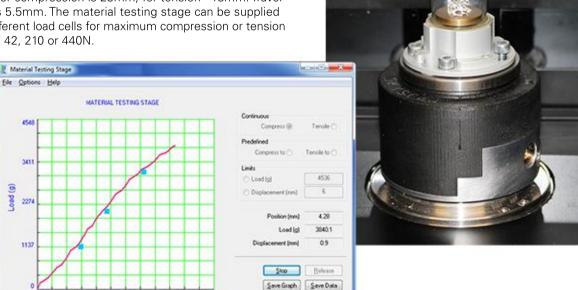
The heating and cooling stages allow micro-CT scanning under controlled object temperature above or below ambient. The heating stage can keep an object at a temperature up to +85°C. The cooling stage can keep an object at sub-zero temperature down to 30-40°C below ambient. An internal microprocessor controls a dual-stage solid-state Peltier cooling or heating s ystem and measures the object temperature with <0.5°C accuracy. Like other stages for in-situ examination, cooling or heating stages are powered and controlled through a small connector at the top of the object stage. The power and control signals are connected to the static part of the scanner through special gold contact slip rings with low friction and high reliability in endless rotation.



#### **Material Testing Stage**

The material testing stage (MTS) applies controlled compression or tension to an object, while having a design which allows tomographic scanning while applying force. An internal microprocessor controls the loading mechanics and the readout of applied force and displacement. The loading curve is displayed on-screen in real time. An object can be held under specific load(s) during one or more micro-CT scans. Maximum object diameter for MTS is 20mm, maximum length for compression is 23mm, for tension - 18mm. Travel range is 5.5mm. The material testing stage can be supplied with different load cells for maximum compression or tension force of 42, 210 or 440N.

3840 grams - Material Testing Stage



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# Automatic sample changer

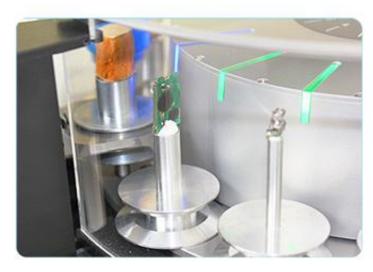


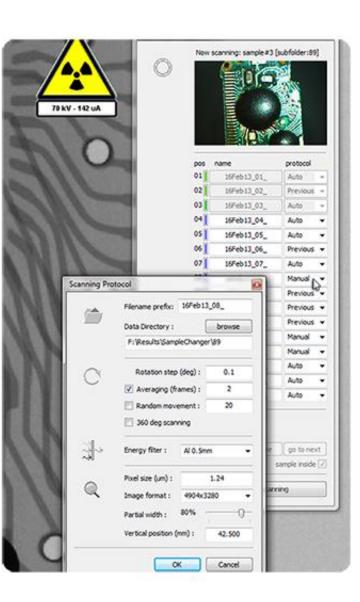
#### **Sample Changer Control**

The sample changer contains a motorized object carrousel, a robotic arm with multiple precision drives and a microprocessor controller for monitoring the object's presence and scanning process. At every position on the object's carrousel, the scan status of the sample is indicated by a colour illuminated bar: for newly installed objects waiting for scanning the bar has blue illumination, and for already scanned objects - green. An operator can replace scanned objects at any time without interrupting the scanning process. After scanning one object, the carrousel will turn to the position occupied by the next object waiting for scanning and the robotic arm will install the object into the scanner. The visual camera inside the scanner first takes an image of the mount neck to measure the diameter of the mount. Using this measurement, the control software identifies the length of the mount and adjusts the vertical position of the object inside the scanner in such a way that the field of view of the X-ray camera will be set to image the object above the top of the mount.

# Automatic adjustments of magnification and scanning protocol

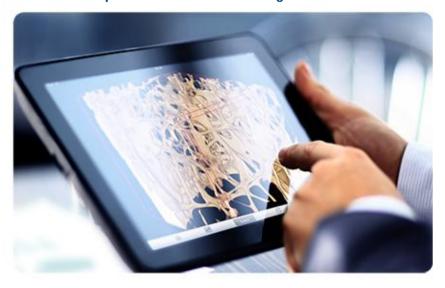
The scanning protocol for every sample can be adjusted individually. There are three possible selections of scanning protocols: manual selection, automatic selection and using scan parameters from the previous sample. In the case of manual selection, the operator can adjust all the scan settings, filename prefix and data directory as in the shown screenshot. In the case of automatic selection of scanning protocol, the control software will firstly measure the size of a sample using the X-ray image at the lowest magnification and multiple angular positions. Afterwards it will find the optimal magnification for that sample where it will be fully inside the field of view. In the next step the control software will select the energy filter and X-ray source voltage for optimal scan results based on X-ray absorption in the object. Then it will start scanning and repeat the fully automatic adjustment process for the next object in the case of selection of automatic protocol adjustments. Every step of automatic adjustment can be overwritten by the operator. Selection of the scanning protocol and filename prefix can be done at any time for any nonscanned object without interrupting the scan sequence. After installing the next object by the sample changer, the visual camera inside the scanner will make a "photo" of the object under scanning, which will be shown during scanning at the top of the changer control dialog. In this way an operator can always identify which sample is currently being scanned.



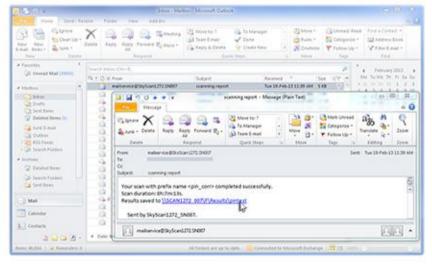


# • 3D rendering on mobiles, e-mail reporting, DICOM export

#### **Data Export and Volume Rendering on Mobile Devices**



#### **Automatic E-mail Reporting**



#### Automatic L-man Reporting

The SkyScan-1272 control software can send you an e-mail at the end of a scan. The e-mail contains a direct link to the data folder containing the scan results. By a simple click to this link one can open the dataset directly from a local computer. If the scanning process has been interrupted, the software will also email you a report of

CTVox, the volume rendering program

supplied with the system, has a mobile

version, which can be downloaded for free

from the AppStore for iPhone/iPad/iPod and

from the GooglePlay for Android devices.

be sent to a mobile device for realistic

Any 3D results obtained by the system can

visualization by real-time volume rendering

schemes are stored in the local memory of

connection or uploading. A large number of

reconstructed datasets can be loaded to the

memory of a mobile device to share results with colleagues or to demonstrate them at

the mobile device and do not require any

with 3D object manipulation, virtual cut, adjustments of opacity and colors, etc.

The exported rendered data and color

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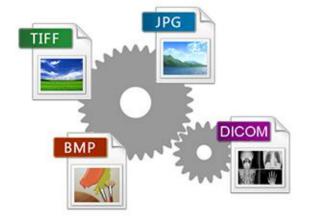
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If the SkyScan-1272 is working with the automatic sample changer, the operator can adjust reporting to get either an e-mail after the scanning of every sample or to get a single e-mail with links to all scanned datasets when all samples in the sample changer have been scanned.

#### **File Converter and Export to DICOM-Format**

The acquired projection images and reconstructed slices can be modified in size, file format and intensity scale by an additional software utility named "Format Converter". This can convert a full dataset between TIFF, BMP, and JPEG formats with renaming, resizing, rescaling and renumbering for combining several sets of reconstructed slices together.

Another useful utility named "DICOM Converter" allows the export of datasets to DICOM format (compliant with the Dicom 3 convention). DICOM is an industry standard for medical imaging instruments. It is widely used for data exchange between systems which produce 3D information.



# Software updates, support, training courses

#### **Software Updates**

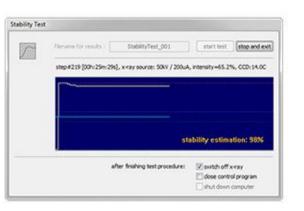
All users of SkyScan instruments supplied by **Bruker microCT** have unlimited free access to all software updates. New versions of control and application software can be downloaded from the <u>bruker-microct.com</u> website. To get connected to the **Bruker microCT** website, an operator can just click on the link in the About box in the control program. Using the other link in the same About box, the operator can send an e-mail to <u>info@bruker-microct.com</u> with questions or requests.

#### **Self-Testing, Diagnostics and Remote Support**

The control software contains a number of functions for system calibration and self-diagnostics. The screenshot shows the stability test for the X-ray source and cooling of the camera's sensor. The tests run fully automatically and save the results to a text file for subsequent analysis if necessary.

Any system in the world connected to the internet can be taken over for control by service personal from **Bruker microCT** using remote access. This can be done for educational purposes, for system diagnostics or for problem solving. Using the same remote access the Application Scientist group at **Bruker microCT** can help to find the best possible way for scanning and analysing a particular type of sample directly with the system at the customer's site.





#### Micro-CT Annual Meetings, Training Courses

Bruker microCT has developed a training platform for new and experienced users. It offers a combination of both system and software training and covers three major topics: image acquisition, image reconstruction and data analysis. These 5-day courses are held several times per year at Bruker microCT headquarters, Belgium. The goal is to combine the basic theoretical background of micro CT with as much hands-on experience as possible.

Bruker microCT also organizes annual Micro-CT Meetings in the form of a three day scientific conference combined with a workshop at headquarters. Intensive exchange of knowledge and experience helps new and skilled users to find the way to get the best results from their micro-CT scanners. Invitation to the next Micro-CT Meeting and abstracts from presentations in previous Meetings can be found at <a href="https://www.bruker-microct.com">www.bruker-microct.com</a>

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# **Technical Specifications**

X-ray source	20-100kV, 10W, <5um spot size @ 4W			
X-ray detector	16Mp (4904x3280 pixels) or 11Mp (4032x2688 pixels) 14-bit, cooled CCD fiber-optically coupled to scintillator			
Nominal resolution (pixels on the object at maximum magnification)	<0.35um for 16Mp camera, <0.45um for 11Mp camera			
Reconstructed volume (after single scan)	up to 14456x14456x2630 pixels for 16Mp camera up to 11840x11840x2150 pixels for 11Mp camera			
Scanning space	maximum 75mm in diameter, 70mm in length			
Radiation safety	<1uSv/h at any point on the instrument surface			
Dimensions	1160W x 520D x 330H mm (440H with sample changer)			
Weight	150kg without packaging			
Power supply	100-240V / 50-60Hz, typ. 90W at maximum X-ray power			
Control workstation	Standard	Advanced		
Processors	Dual 6-core Intel XEON	Dual 8-core Intel XEON		
Memory (RAM)	32GB / 1600MHz	128GB / 1600MHz		
Disk space (HDD)	6TB (2 x 3TB RAID0)	12TB (4 x 3TB, RAID0)		
Graphics	NVIDIA Quadro + Tesla	NVIDIA Quadro + Tesla		
Monitors	2 x 24" wide (1920x1200)	2 x 24" wide (1920x1200)		

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