

Press Release

DOC 2005: SCHWIND eye-tech-solutions promotes integration of diagnosis and therapy

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SCHWIND eye-tech-solutions is expanding its strong market position in refractive surgery with an innovative software, the integration of online pachymetry in the ESIRIS excimer laser and the offer of Epi-LASIK. „Our goal is to make available to doctors highly- and continuously-developed, market-ripe complete solutions for the standard practice of refractive surgery, and to promote the integration of diagnosis and therapy. Thereby safety, precision and predictability of therapeutic results is the measure of all things“, commented President and CEO, Rolf Schwind.

The new software, ORK Custom Ablation Manager (ORK-CAM), combines the entire Schwind know-how and offers innovative features such as aspherical profile, which improves the post-operative results concerning sharpness of vision, glare sensitivity, contrast vision and the overall healing process. Corneal and ocular wavefront data can also be taken into consideration.

The ESIRIS excimer laser is now available with optical Online Pachymetry (OCT Technologies), which measures the corneal thickness during LASIK and allows additional intra-operative quality assurance. Users who already employ the ESIRIS can easily have their laser upgraded. For new deliveries, the Online Pachymetry can be integrated optionally.

Furthermore, Schwind has integrated the Epi-LASIK technology of Norwood Eyecare into its refractive package. In the future, the Epikeratome from the Australian company will be

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offered as a second option for use of the CARRIAZO PENDULAR console in Germany and Switzerland. This modular solution allows the console to be employed with the Epikeratome for Epi-LASIK, as well as with the CARRIAZO PENDULAR Microkeratome for LASIK.

You can obtain further information about the products and services of SCHWIND eye-tech-solutions at the DOC, Hall 7A, Stand III45.

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As a leading international specialist and complete provider in refractive surgery, SCHWIND eye-tech-solutions develops, produces and markets medicinal lasers for the correction of visual imperfections (ametropia), to include the necessary diagnostic and surgical peripheral devices. The fundamentals for the high quality of its product portfolio and services are continuous technological innovations, many years of application experience in ophthalmology and the flexibility of the small-scale vendor. The company, located near Aschaffenburg in Kleinostheim, Germany, generates an annual income of 20 million Euros and is present in more than 60 countries – in Germany with its own sales and distribution organization, in foreign countries through distribution partners. More than 500 users already employ Schwind laser systems. Customers include Ophthalmologic surgeons in private eye practices, eye clinics, laser centers and university clinics. You can obtain further information at www.eye-tech-solutions.com.

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