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Beyond Z-Stacking: Introducing Realtime EF Technology

for Smarter Digital Scanning



VISQUE **DPS** **AzerView** 510

Company General Information



Advancing Diagnostics through
Practical, Scalable Solutions

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| Company Azer Scientific <i>Powered by Biolyst</i> | Establishment Founded in 2003 U.S.-Based Manufacturer | Experties 20+ Years of Industry Experience Lab Workflow Solutions |
| Product Portfolio Histology Cytology Hematology Microbiology General Lab Supplies | Pathology Workflow Focus From Staining to Imaging Innovative Service & Equipment | Clients & Market Hospitals Reference Labs Academic Institutions |

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To make remarkable contributions to humanity
by providing the best imaging solution

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Income Revenue 191.5 M USD | Establishment 18 September 1999 | Patent 407 In-House Patent |
| Number of Employees 500 (2024) | Proportion of Employees R&D 30% Production & QA 40% Service 15% Others 15% | Web www.viewworks.com |

Why Vieworks Entered Digital Pathology



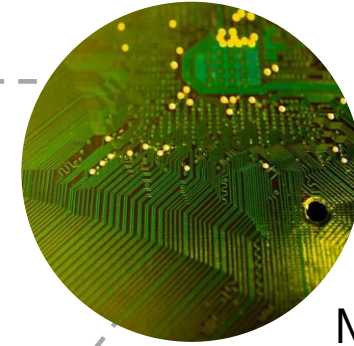
X-ray Imaging

Started in 1999
Specialized in medical diagnostic imaging
Global No.2 in X-ray detector Pannel market



Digital Pathology

Realtime EF Technology with 3-Camera
Launched in the U.S. market in 2025
(First introduced in Korea in 2024)



Machine Vision

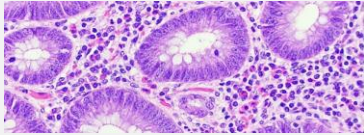






Started in 2006
Specialized in High-resolution Camera



Bio Imaging

Started in 2016
Specialized in fluorescence and cell analysis Imaging Solution
Foundation for Digital Pathology Business

Azer Scientific Histopathology Portfolio

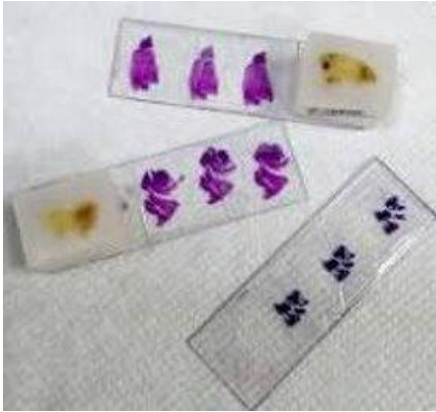
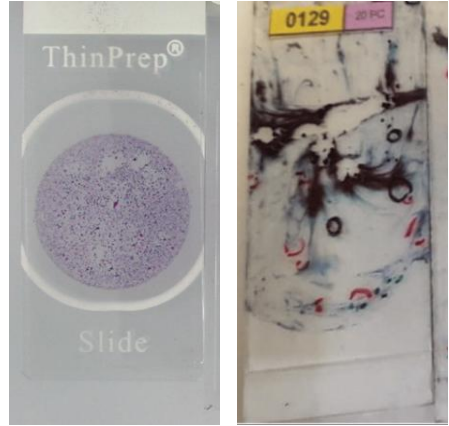


| | Specimen Collection | Accessioning/ Grossing | Processing | Embedding | Microtomy | Staining/ Advanced Dx |
|--|---|---|---|---|--|---|
| Histology  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prefilled Formalin Kits • Specimen Containers • Fixatives  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decalcifiers • Scalpels/Blades • Marking Dyes • Cassettes • Primo Cassette Printer  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dehydrants / Solvents • Embedding Paraffin  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cassettes • Paraffin • Embedding Center  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microtome Blades • Microscope Slides • Cover Glass • Coverslip Tape • Presto Slide Printer  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • iCon H&E Stains • Special Stains / Kits • Human Tissue Controls • IHC / FISH / ISH  |

HISTOLOGY SUPPLIES
IN STOCK & READY TO SHIP

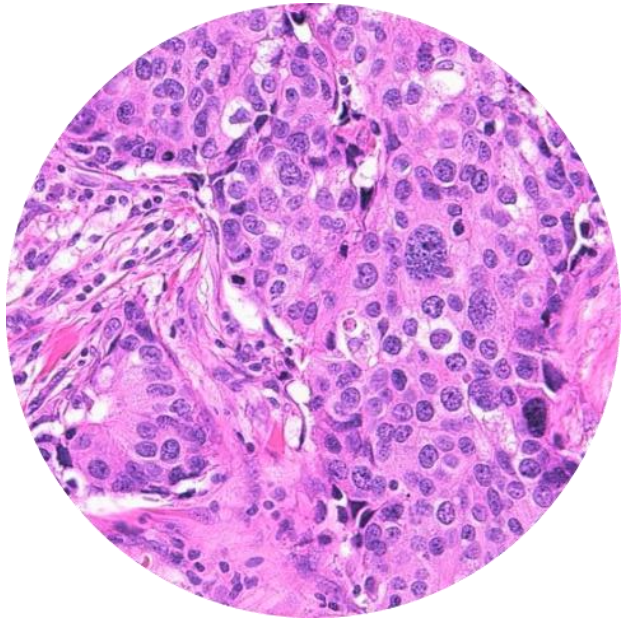


Why Realtime EF_(Extended Focus) Technology?

▼ The main difference between Histology and Cytology is **Thickness**

| Subject | Histology | Cytology |
|-----------------|--|--|
| Thickness | Uniform thickness (~4μm)  | Nonuniform thickness due to cellular thickness → Z-stacking scanning is required  |
| Type | H&E, IHC, Biopsy | Liquid-Based Cytology, Smear |
| Characteristics |  |  |

Realtime EF Technology



Realtime EF Technology

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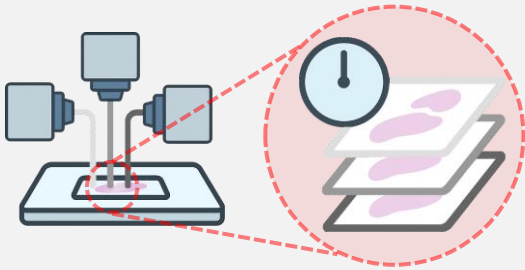
AzerView510

High-Performance Slide Scanner for Digital Pathology System



Why AzerView510?

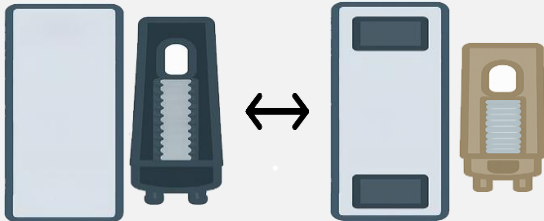
▼ AzerView510 Unique Features



Realtime EF(Extended Focus) technology



Significantly Smaller Image File Sizes

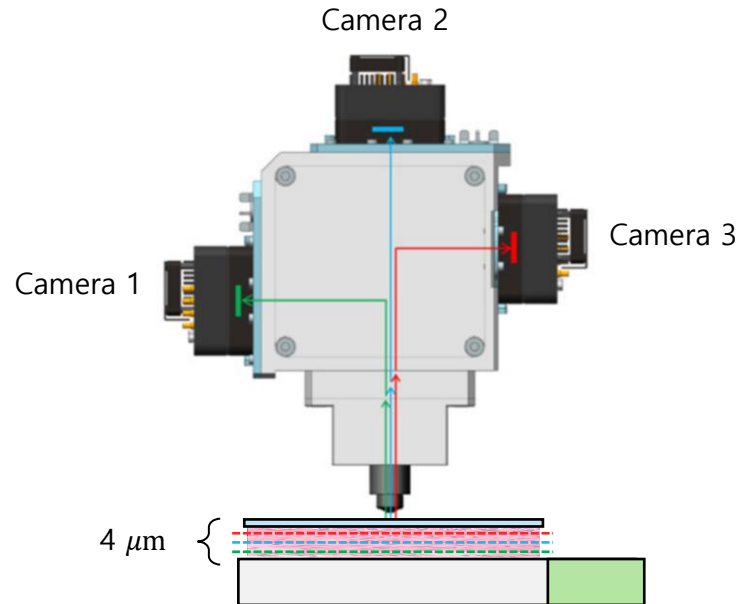


Interchangeable slide rack

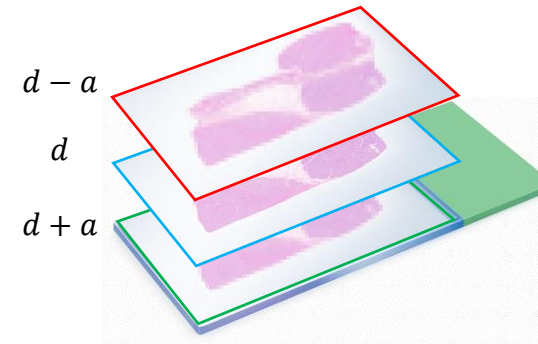


Dedicated Error Rack

- 3 cameras capturing up to 4um focus depth in a single image



Three cameras each having different focused imaging planes

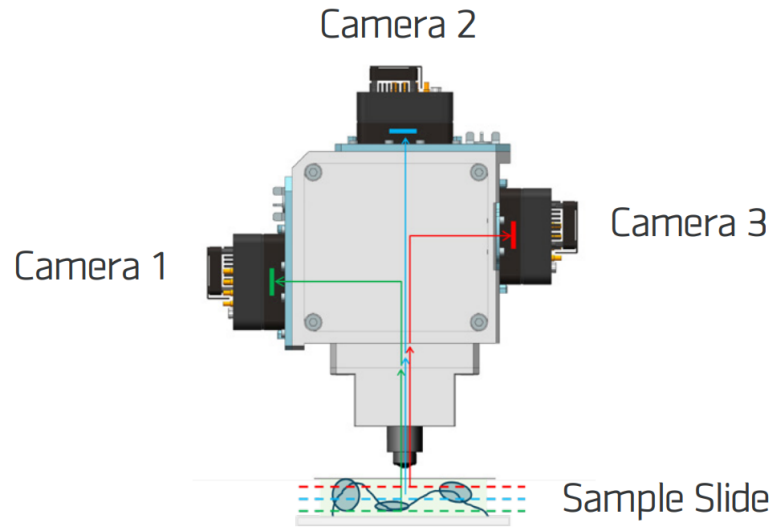


- Time and cost-effective image with more information

| | Single Camera Imaging | Realtime Extended Focus | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Focus depth (per image) | 1~1.5um | 4um | } 3 times more |
| Scan time (per 3 stack) | 3t | t | |
| Data size (per 3 stack) | 3x | x | } 3 times less |

Optimized Scan

Optimal scan type is **selected** from 2 modes depending on slide type



Single focus mode
for Tissue Slides
for Histopathology



Realtime EF mode
for Liquid-Based Cytology Slides
for Cytology

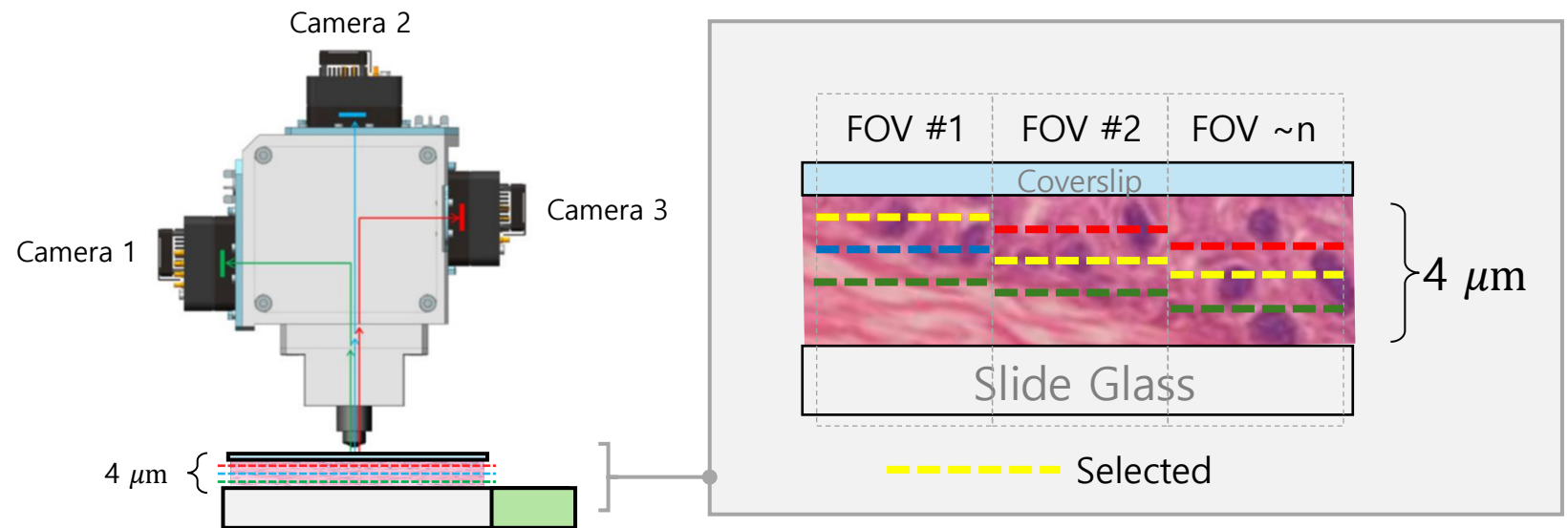


Single Focus Mode for Histopathology

▼ Realtime EF technology enhances focus accuracy, resulting in **higher image quality and success rates**.

Single focus mode Suitable for Histopathology

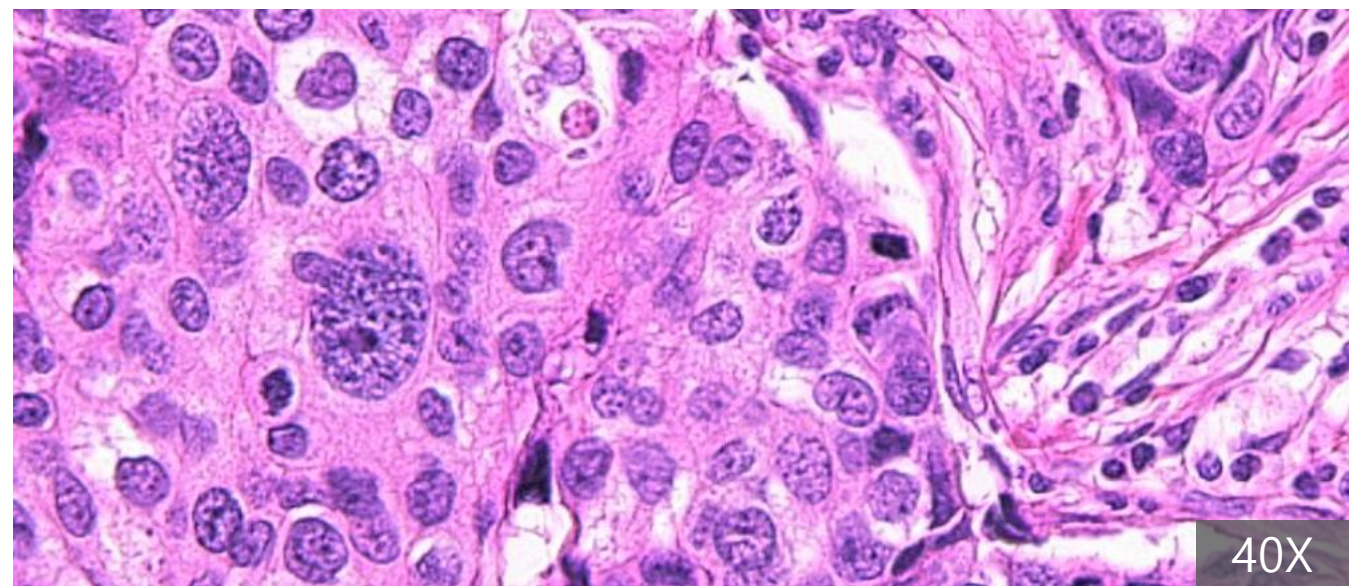
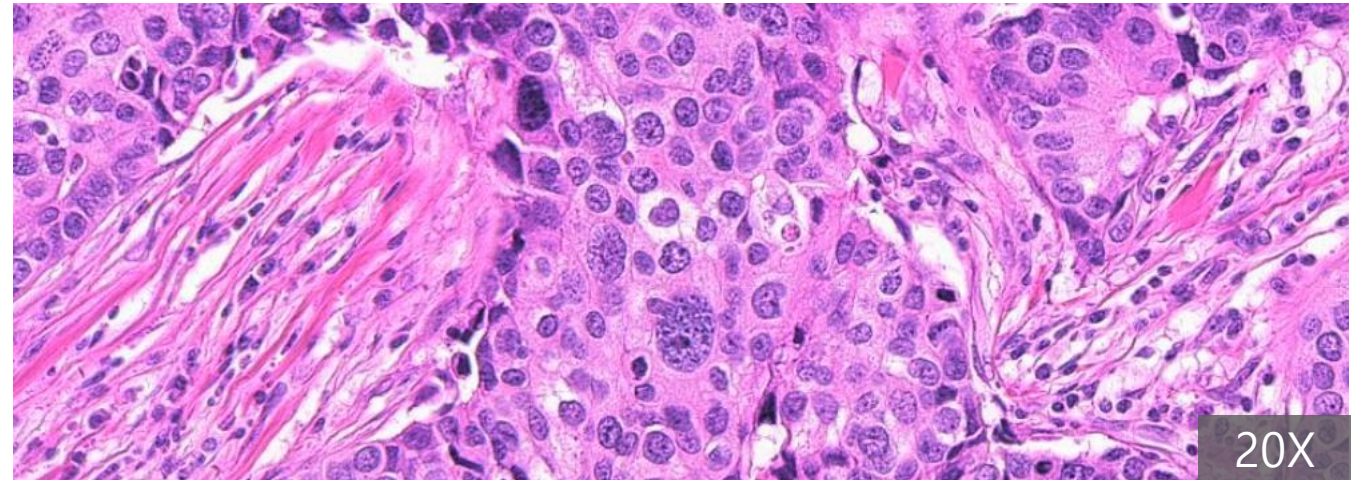
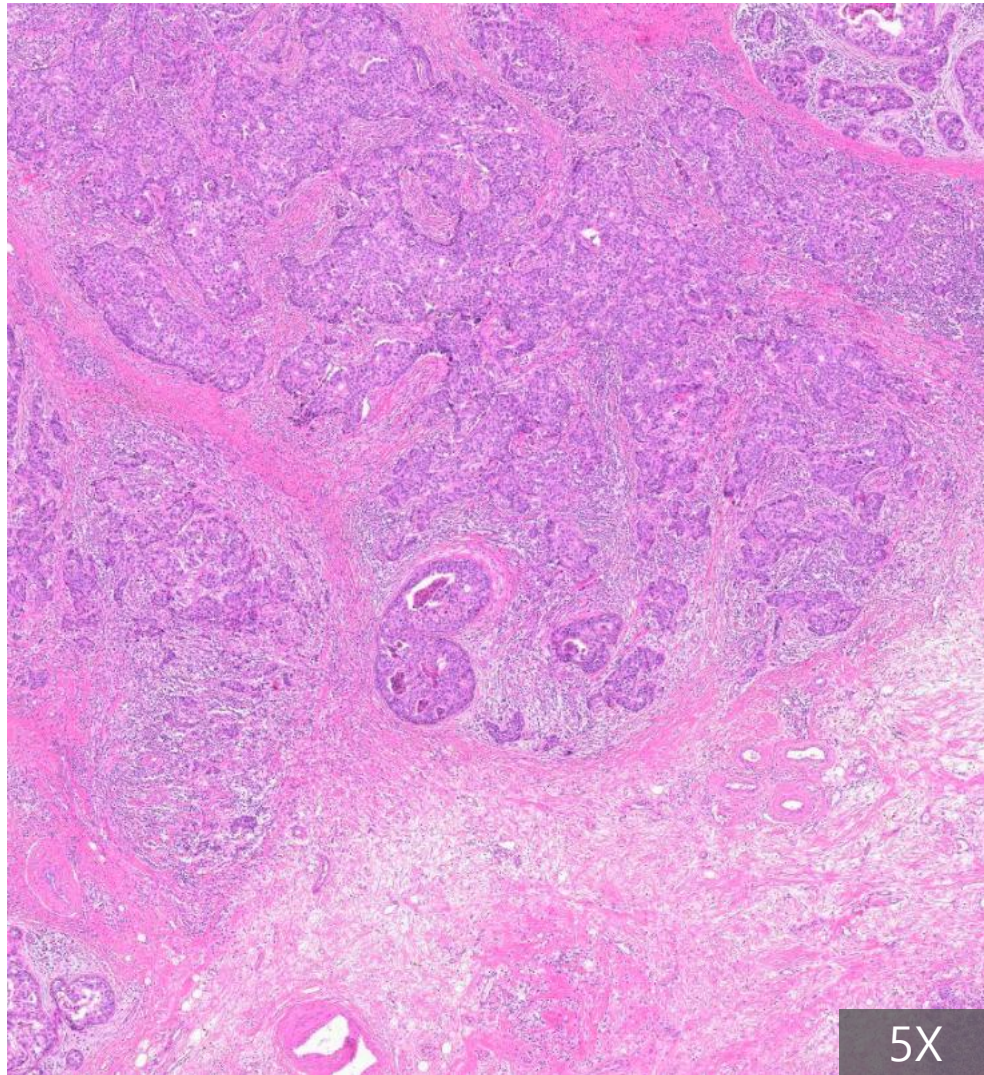
1. Captures three images at different focal planes simultaneously
2. Selects and stitches **the best-focused image** to generate WSI



- The three cameras used in Realtime EF technology are designed to cover **approximately 4μm** in depth, closely matching the average thickness of the tissue slides
- This design enables realtime auto focus, resulting in high quality imaging and ensures scan success rate of $\geq 99\%$

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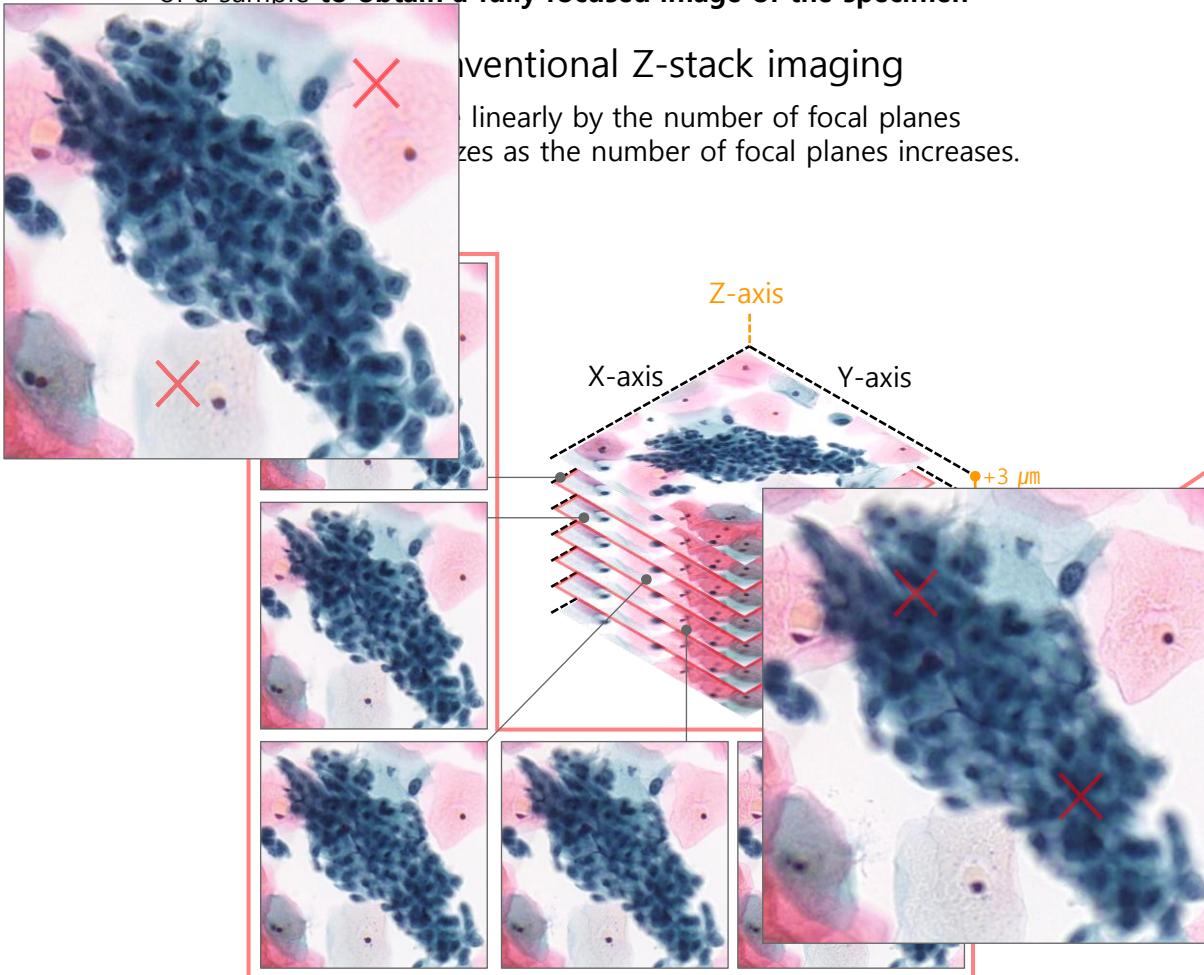
✓ Faster and more accurate

- Z-stack imaging

Capturing multiple images at different focal planes along the Z-axis (depth) of a sample **to obtain a fully focused image of the specimen**

Conventional Z-stack imaging

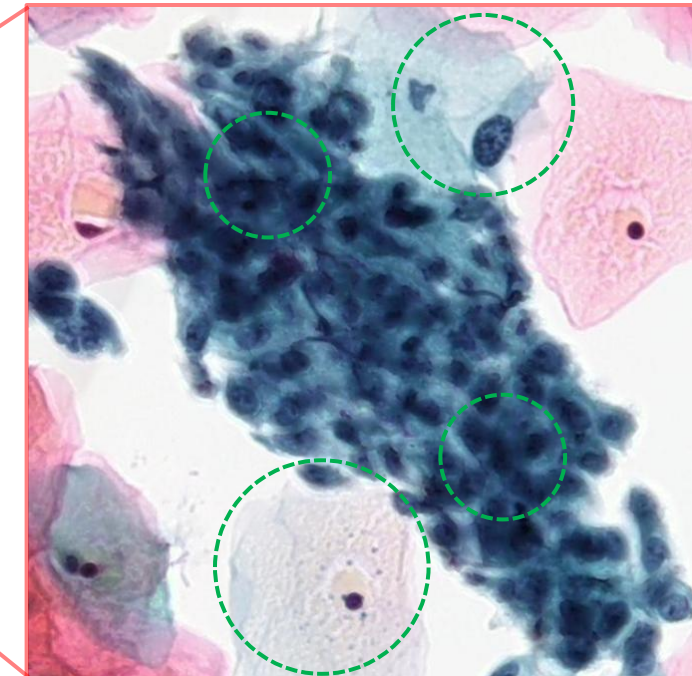
Linearly by the number of focal planes
as the number of focal planes increases.



- **Realtime EF mode** overcomes these limitations while retaining the advantages of Z-stack imaging

- 1) Capturing images at three focal planes in realtime
- 2) Maintaining the same image size as a conventional image

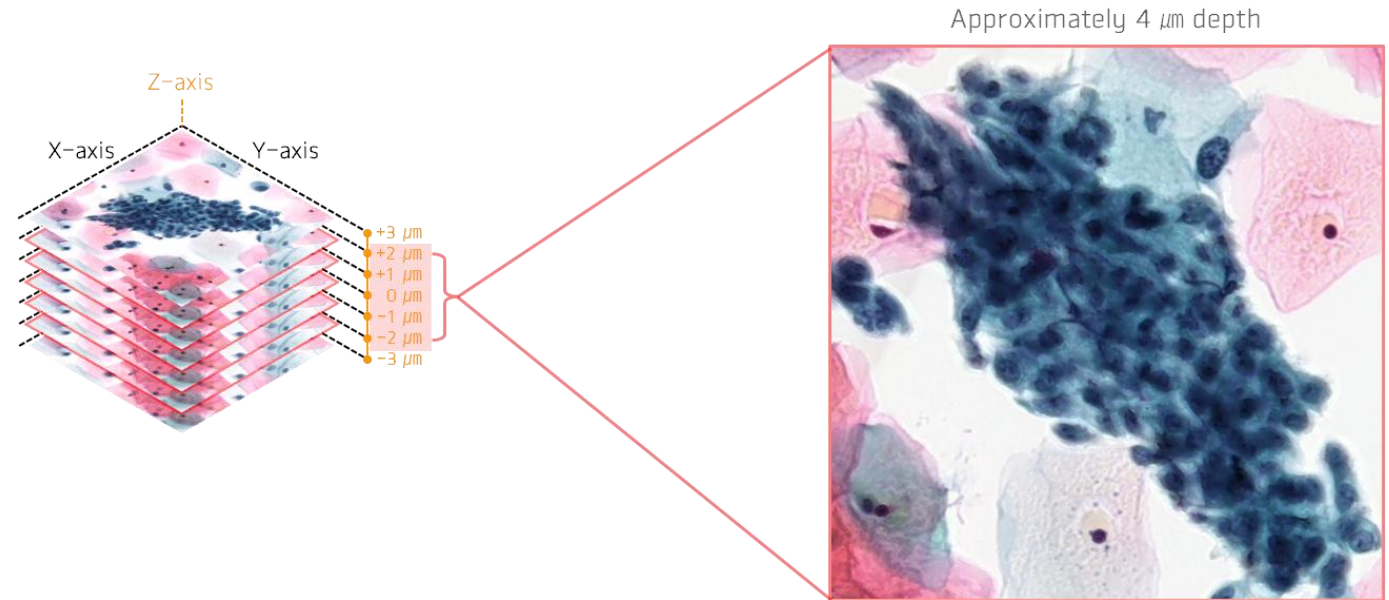
Approximately 4 μm depth



Realtime EF technology breaks through the limitations of standard slide scanners in Cytopathology

Realtime EF scan mode Suitable for Cytopathology

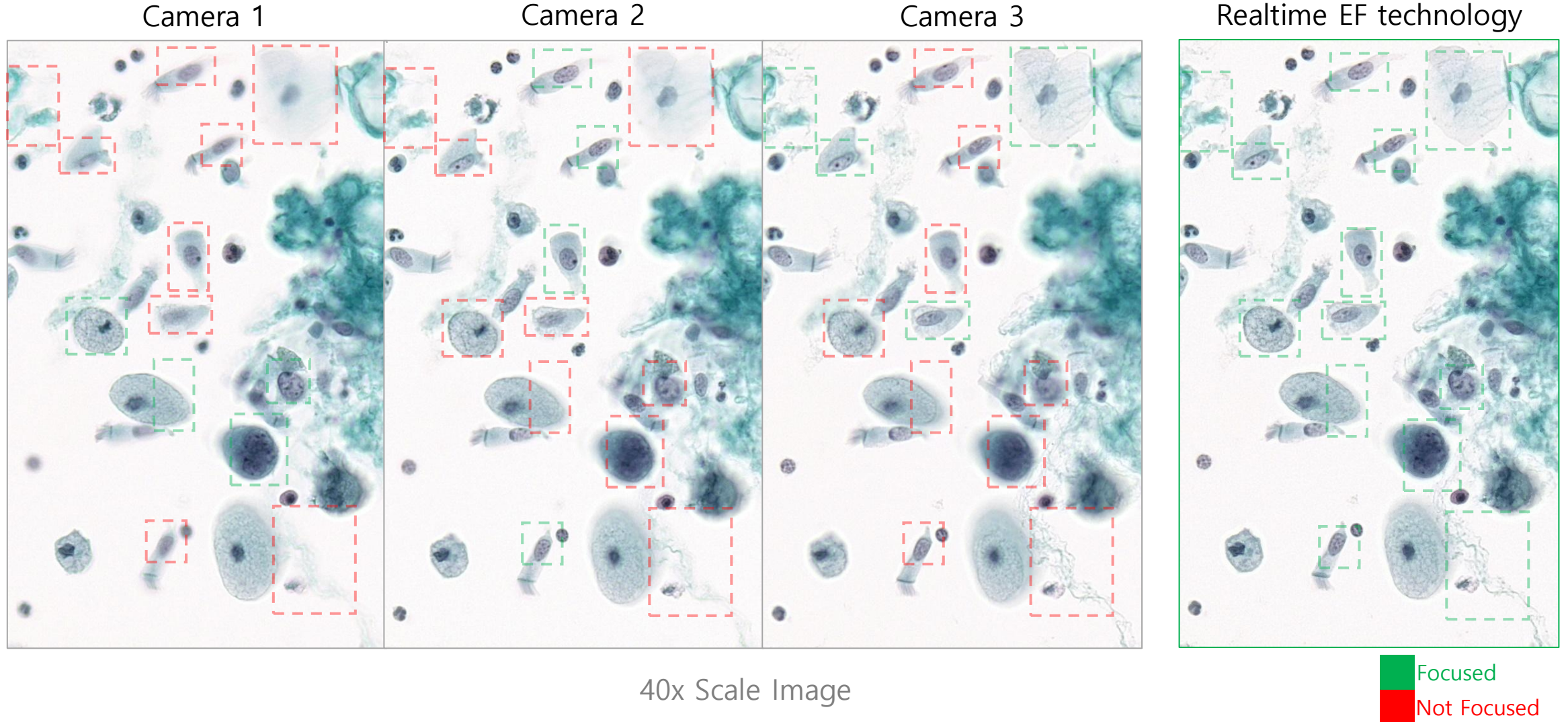
1. Captures three images at different focal planes simultaneously
2. Selects and stitches **the best-focused segmented areas** to generate WSI



- Realtime EF scan mode overcomes limitations of conventional Z-stacking
- By using Realtime EF scan mode, a single image containing multiple focal layers information

Realtime EF Mode for Cytopathology

Example of Realtime EF technology

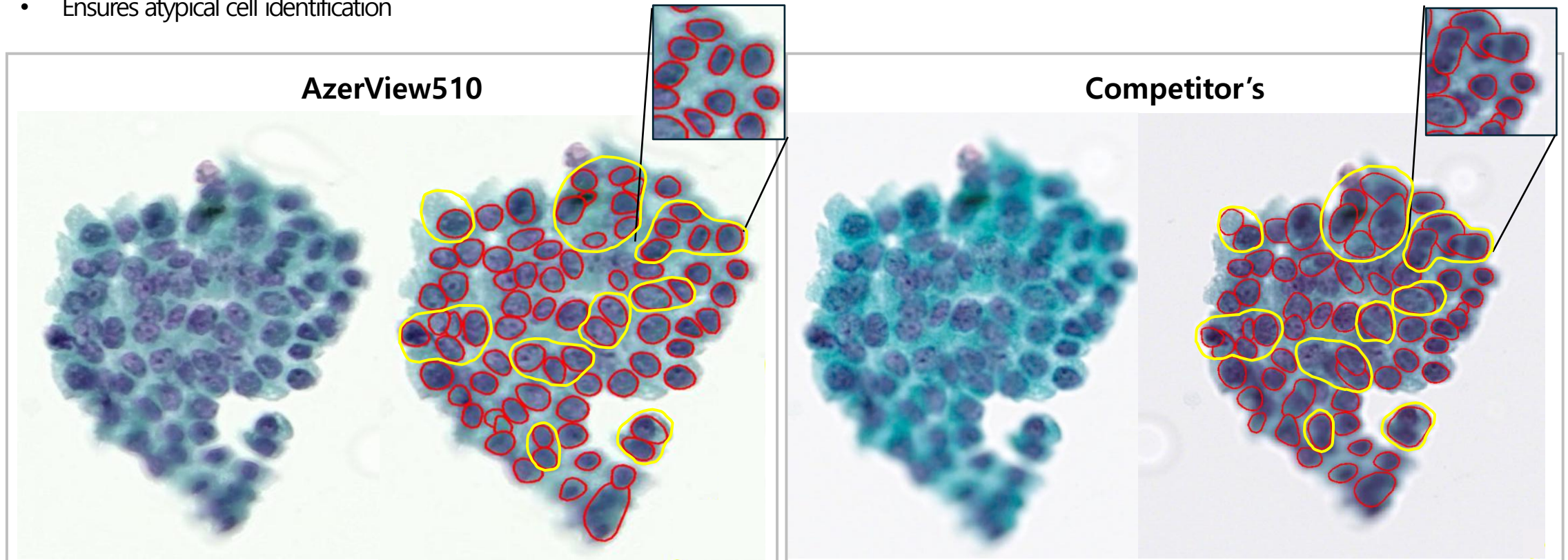


Realtime EF Technology in AI-Based segmentation

Realtime EF technology significantly enhances performance in AI-based segmentation

Clean images with accurate focus is crucial to improve the precision of AI-based diagnoses and deep learning models

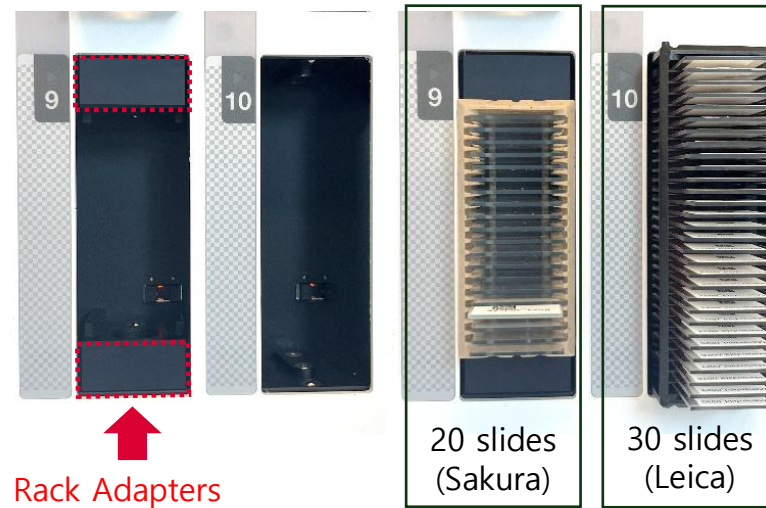
- Ensures high-accuracy cell segmentation
- Ensures atypical cell identification



Left: Original image / Right: Performing cell segmentation in AI-based computer-aided diagnosis (AI-CAD).
Superior cell segmentation performance in images scanned with Realtime EF technology.

Interchangeable slide rack

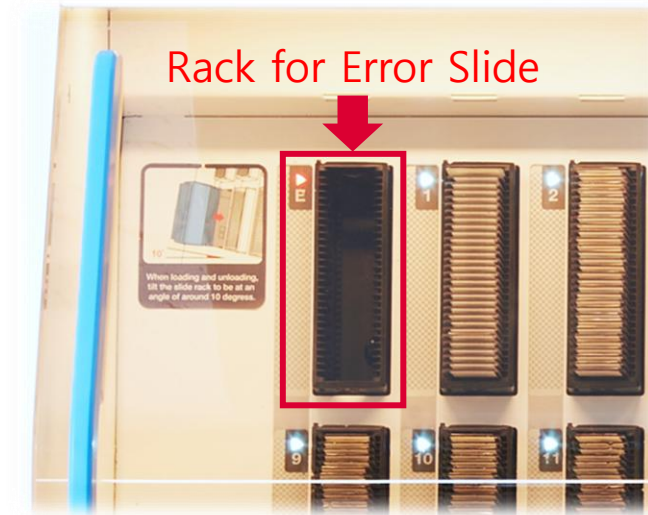
Distinguish rack type automatically



- Compatible with racks from most commonly used slide stainer
- Patented Rack Adapter

Dedicated Error Rack

Auto-sorting of error slide



- Slides without labels or with damaged barcodes
- Automatic scans quality evaluation

User Statements

Significantly Smaller Image File Sizes

▼ Realtime EF technology image file size is **one-third (1/3) smaller** with no significant loss in Image quality

" AzerView510 allowed us to obtain high-quality images with only one-third the file size of typical slide scanners. "

— Prof. Chan Kwon Jung, Department of Pathology, Seoul St. Mary's Hospital (Presented at the KSP 2024)



| File name | Image size (KB) | |
|------------|-----------------|----------|
| | Competitor's | AzerView |
| C23-000047 | 1,488,016 | 411,694 |
| C23-000048 | 1,435,098 | 397,375 |
| C23-000152 | 1,580,419 | 492,693 |
| C23-000154 | 1,630,124 | 546,150 |
| C23-000208 | 1,322,757 | 405,308 |
| C23-000254 | 1,426,706 | 435,895 |
| C23-000255 | 1,409,871 | 459,861 |
| C23-000365 | 1,521,817 | 429,846 |
| C23-000424 | 1,498,266 | 428,181 |
| C23-000616 | 1,463,453 | 459,188 |
| C23-000856 | 1,528,157 | 434,132 |
| C23-000981 | 1,605,401 | 490,381 |
| C23-000985 | 1,452,860 | 412,753 |
| C23-001406 | 1,411,700 | 444,832 |
| C23-001456 | 1,449,210 | 410,201 |
| C23-001459 | 1,518,646 | 441,091 |
| C23-001515 | 1,562,198 | 538,055 |
| Average | 1,488,512 | 449,273 |

Opinion about AzerView510

"The Cytology images scanned by AzerView510 are truly outstanding, with remarkable clarity and detail."

*Informal Feedback
from a pathologist
who tested the system*



"This device's Realtime EF technology unlocks new possibilities in digital pathology."

*Prof. Yosep Chong
(Uijeongbu St. Mary's Hospital)*



"AzerView510 is compatible with both cytology and histology slides."

*Prof. Jin Roh
(Ajou University Hospital)*



Specifications

Large capacity and high scan speed with superior throughput

| Product | AzerView 510 | AzerView 210 (Coming Soon!) |
|--|--|---|
| Imaging Type | Brightfield | |
| Number of Slides (1 x 3" slide glasses) | Leica rack: 510 (17 racks) Sakura rack: 340 (17 racks) | Leica rack: 210 (7 racks) Sakura rack: 140 (7 racks) |
| Scan Speed (15x15mm ²) | 30 sec | ≈ 23 sec |
| Throughput (/hr) | 83 slides | ≈ 60 slides |
| Pixel Resolution (μm/pixel) | 0.275 | 0.1725 |
| Dimension (Weight) | 1080 x 845 x 638 (167.8kg) | ≈ 550 x 725 x 625 (95kg) |
| Rack Compatibility | Yes (Leica 30/racks; Sakura 20/rack) | |
| Scan Success Rate | ≥ 99% | |
| Z stacking | Yes (Dedicated 3 camera fusion included) | |
| Slide Type | 1 x 3" | |
| Error Slide Sorting Function | Yes | |
| Barcode Scan | 1D, 2D (Data Matrix, QR code, Code 39, Code 128, Code 128A, Code 128B, Code 128C) | |

Thank you

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