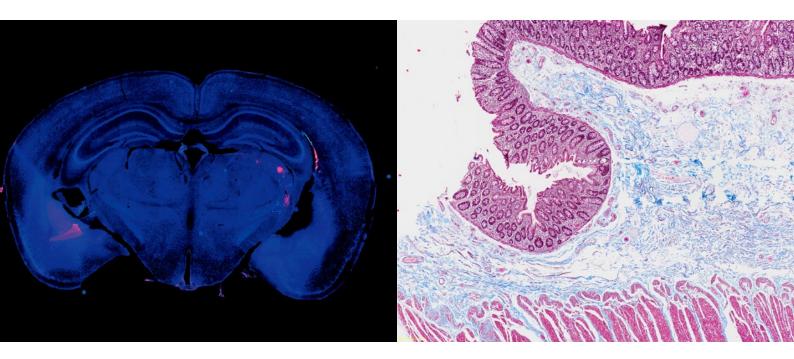


**Research Slide Scanner** 



## The Power to See More



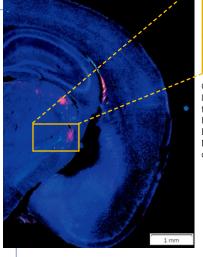


### **Reliable Data for Many Applications**

Digitizing slide data makes it easy to analyze, share, and archive your results. The SLIDEVIEW VS200 research slide scanner enables you to capture high-resolution images of your slides for quantitative analysis, so you can make the most of the information your slides have to offer. The optical system is optimized for scanning slides, enabling you to digitize slides for brain, cancer, and stem cell research, as well as drug discovery.

### **Brain Research**

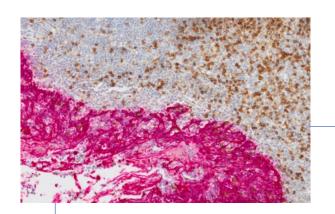
Brain and neuroscience researchers need to observe various samples in detail—from single cells to entire tissue, or organ, such as the brain. The VS200 slide scanner can combine highresolution images from an entire brain into one digital file instead of multiple snapshots. In addition, since a large glass slide holder is available, bigger samples that previously had to be divided into multiple slides, such as monkey brains, can now be digitized in a single scan.





Cortico-thalamic projection pathways labeled with AAV-GFP and AAV-tdTomato.

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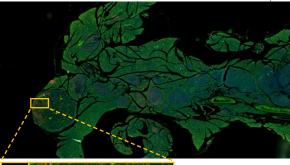
# Cancer and Stem Cell Research

In cancer and stem cell research, it is critical to be able to evaluate tissue composition and morphology along with the morphology of individual cells and have the ability to resolve two objects close together or on top of each other (localization). The system's optics offer broad chromatic aberration correction and improved flatness, making these target molecules easier to resolve and significantly reducing distortion.

Tonsil CD3 (rm), ImmPRESS Reagent (HRP) Anti-Mouse IgG Immpact DAB (brown), AE1/AE3(m) ImmPRESS (AP) (HRP) Anti-Rabbit IgG Immpact Vector Red (red). Counterstained with Hematoxylin QS (blue). Image data courtesy of Vector Labs.

#### **Drug Discovery**

In drug discovery research, it is possible to increase understanding of target molecule interactions by detecting the localization of multiple molecules at one time. Image quality is crucial when acquiring quantitative data from whole slide images, and this is where the VS200 slide scanner excels. By comprehensively scanning positional information of multiple target molecules in a wide range at one time, the interaction between molecules can be evaluated efficiently.





Pancreas stained with Dapi, GFP and RFP. Image data courtesy of Wenjin Chen, NJ Rutgers Cancer Center.

### Outstanding Image Quality for Quantification

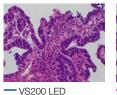
#### Better Resolution and Flatness

To produce high-quality virtual slide images, the VS200 system uses X Line high-performance objectives, which offer simultaneously improved numerical aperture, chromatic aberration correction, and flatness. The result is flatter images with a wider field of view and negligible intensity fall off near the periphery. To further enhance the image quality, the system's light path is optimized to work with X Line objectives, providing more homogenous illumination. These enhancements allow for excellent image quality so that quantification techniques like particle counting, mensuration, or colocalization are as accurate as possible.



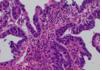
#### **Bright LED with Accurate Color Reproduction**

The system's true color LED for transmitted illumination has the same spectral characteristics and power as a halogen lamp, so purple, cyan, and pink stains are correctly represented, imaged, and rendered.

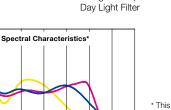


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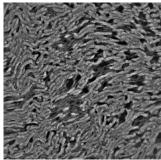
\* This graph shows the spectral characteristics of each light source normalized with the luminosity curve It does not compare the strength of light for each light source.

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#### **Uniform Fluorescence Illumination**

The fluorescence illuminator with its fly-eye lens uniformly distributes light across the entire field of view for bright, evenly illuminated images.



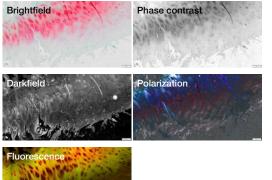
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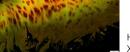
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### Flexible for Many Applications

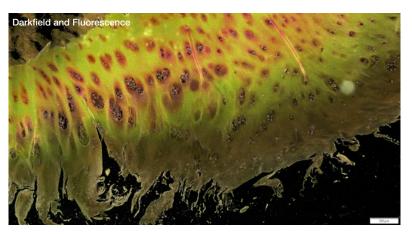
#### **Five Observation Methods in One System**

The VS200 slide scanner can be used for brightfield, fluorescence, darkfield, phase contrast, and simple polarization. This flexibility allows you to combine different observation methods to view structures that are only visible under certain conditions. For example, darkfield helps to get a proper overview image of a fluorescence sample unstained in the visible spectrum and provides the best contrast scaling between the overview signal and focused fluorescence signal.





Human cartilage captured with X Line UPLXAPO10X objective.



#### **Supports Glass Slides and Plates**

The simple-to-use slide tray supports  $26 \times 76 \text{ mm} (1 \times 3 \text{ in.})$ ,  $52 \times 76 \text{ mm} (2 \times 3 \text{ in.})$ ,  $76 \times 102 \text{ mm} (3 \times 4 \text{ in.})$ , and  $102 \times 127 \text{ mm} (4 \times 5 \text{ in.})$  slides. The system enables you to manage different slide sizes at the same time in the same batch scan.

### Flexibility to Use Dry, Silicone Oil, or Oil Objectives

Unlike many slide scanners that do not offer highmagnification capabilities, the VS200 system's automatic oil dispenser enables you to use high-magnification, oil, or silicone oil immersion objectives for batch scanning without having to frequently stop to oil the lens.

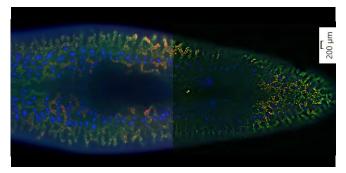




#### **Online Fluorescence Deblurring**

TruSight Live deblurring reduces diffused light from above and below the focal plane of a thick sample. The image data is then recalculated using a special 2D deconvolution algorithm, making the images sharper and clearer.



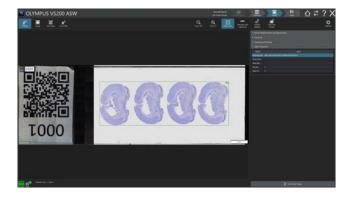


S. mediterranea stained with double fluorescent (red and green) in situ hybridization,counterstained with DAPI, and scanned at 10X magnification. Left: Without TruSight Live. Right: TruSight Live applied to all three channels (DAPI, FITC, and CY3). Sample provided by Miquel Vila-Farré, Max Planck Institute of Molecular Cell Biology and Genetics.

### Achieve More in Less Time

#### **High Throughput**

The loader holds up to  $21026 \times 76$  mm (1  $\times 3$  in.) slides in 35 slide trays. The robotics in the loader move the trays and not the individual slides, helping your slides remain safe and intact. The type of slide trays, number of slides, and the size of the slides are immediately detected, while the integrated barcode reader automatically captures and records the slide information.



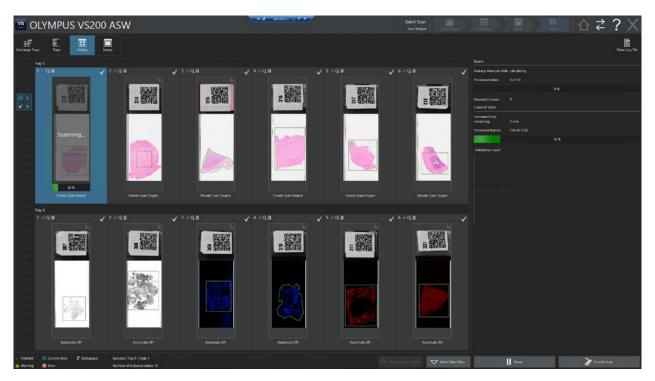


#### **Higher Productivity**

Work on scan parameter settings for some slides while other slides are being acquired. The convenient software gives you the flexibility to control all of your scan settings.

- Identical Settings mode automatically assigns scan settings to all the slides
- Individual Settings mode enables you to change specific settings for each slide or all the slides in a single tray
- Flexible Batch Scan mode enables you to designate a different observation method such as FL, BF, POL, DF, PH for each slide contained in the batch
- **Priority Scan** function enables you to interrupt a continuous operation to scan a slide and then resume what you were scanning

The VS200 slide scanner also has hot-swap functionality, so additional trays can be added to the loader before all the trays of a given project have been scanned.



### Simplified, Powerful Workflow

#### Simple User Interface for Reproducible Results

Depending on the level of control required, you can switch from expert mode, which enables you to customize system settings, to quick mode where the software optimizes the settings for you. Using quick mode, you can complete scanning a slide in as few as two clicks.



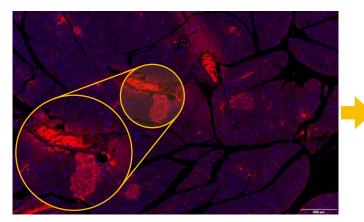
## Save and Recall Acquisition Settings to Speed Up Your Work

For repetitive workflows, you can save, recall, and share your predefined acquisition setting projects, speeding up your work and helping standardize operations. These projects can also be shared between users for even greater flexibility.

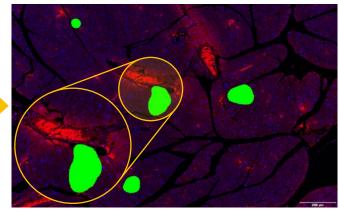


#### The Power of TruAl Deep-Learning Technology

TruAl technology uses deep learning to simplify workflows and rapidly deliver more accurate results. Conventional thresholding methods often have difficulty identifying morphologic features on a sample and can miss critical targets. With a trained neural network, for example, on pancreatic samples, TruAl technology can accurately segment pancreatic islets and differentiate them from similar looking clusters of erythrocytes, enabling the number and size of the islets to be counted and measured automatically.



Cy3 fluorescence marked pancreatic islets. Pancreatic islets are stained (red), and erythrocytes are autofluorescencing.



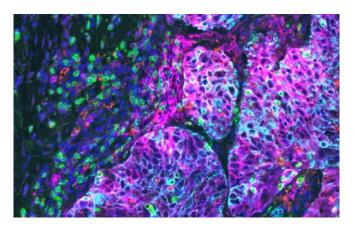
Probability map detection based on TruAl technology. Only pancreatic islets are accurately detected (green).

Image data courtesy of Univ.-Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Simone E. Baltrusch, Institute for Medical Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Rostock University Medical Center, University of Rostock.

#### **Multiplex Scan Mode**

When tissue samples are limited, it is critical to gather the most data possible from each tissue section. Multiplexing immunofluorescence allows for greater understanding of co-expression and the spatial composition of multiple targets within a single sample. The multiplexing scan mode helps optimize the utility of these select samples by aligning multiple fluorescent channels with a reference channel.

Lung tissue imaged on a VS200 at 20x stained with an Ultivue PD-L1 kit multiplex kit; Dapi: Nuclear Counterstain, FITC: CD8, TRITC: CD68, Cy5: PD-L1, Cy7: panCK. Image data courtesy of Ultivue Inc.



### **Convenient Data Management**

#### **Comprehensive Image and Data Management**

The optional Net Image Server NIS SQL database allows you to conveniently manage any image. The database software enables users to store images and send image data via the web so that virtual slide images can easily be shared with a broad audience. Access to the image data can be controlled with individual access rights. Virtual slides are easily found by searching for keywords. Simply double-clicking on the corresponding thumbnail image on the result table opens a virtual slide in a new window.



Data management via the Net Image Server

#### **Remote Access with Free Virtual Slide Viewers**

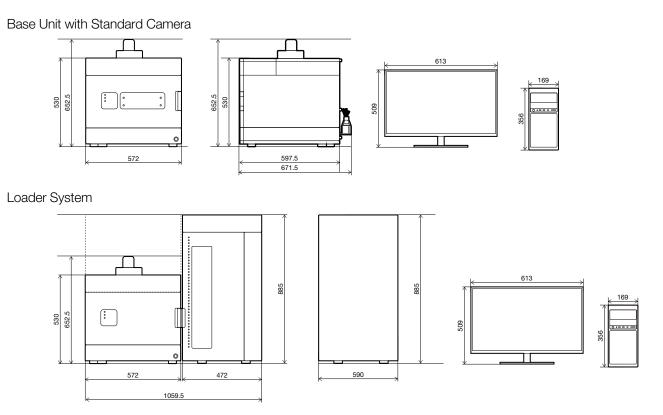
OlyVia desktop is a free Olympus software that enables acess to virtual slides through local or network storage. Images that have been saved to the Net Image Server can be viewed over a secure HTTPS internet connection using OlyVIA web. This viewer supports image annotations and allows sharing information with other users.

Colon stained with Masson's Trichrome. Image data courtesy of Wenjin Chen, NJ Rutgers Cancer Center.



#### **Dimensions**

(unit: mm)



### **Specifications**

		VS200 Single Tray	VS200 Multiple Tray Loader
Intended Specimen	Observable Specimen	Glass slide with cover glass	
	Size of Glass Slide	Standard slide tray (width × height × thickness; 6 slides): 25 mm-26.5 mm (0.98 in1 in.); 75 mm-76.5 mm (2.95 in3 in.); 0.9 mm-1.2 mm (0.04 in0.05 in.) Optional slide tray 1 (width × height × thickness; 3 slides): 51 mm-53 mm (2 in2.09 in.); 75 mm-76.5 mm (2.95 in3 in.); 0.9 mm-1.2 mm (0.04 in0.05 in.) Optional slide tray 2 (width × height × thickness; 1 slide): 100 mm-102 mm (3.94 in4.02 in.); 75 mm-76.5 mm (2.95 in3 in.); 0.9 mm-1.2 mm (0.04 in0.05 in.) Optional slide tray 3 (width × height × thickness; 1 slide): 126 mm-128 mm (4.96 in5.04 in.); 100 mm-102 mm (3.9 in4 in.); 1.1 mm-1.4 mm (0.04 in0.05 in.)	
	Thickness of Cover Glass	0.12 mm–0.17 mm (0.005 in.–0.007 in.)	
	Observation Methods	Brightfield, darkfield, phase contrast (optional <sup>-1</sup> ), simple polarization (optional <sup>-2</sup> ), fluorescence (optional)	
Optical Frame	Illuminator	Built-in Köhler illumination for transmitted light, high-intensity and high color rendering LED (up to 50,000 hours)	
	Objectives	Compatible objectives: 2X, 4X, 10X, 20X, 40X, 60X, and 100X; 6-position motorized revolving nosepiece (incl. select oil immersion, silicone immersion, and phase contrast objectives) Optional automatic oil dispenser	
	Stage	Motorized XY stage with automatic control	
	Focusing	Motorized focusing with automatic control	
	Color Camera	Integrated 2/3-inch CMOS, 3.45 $\mu\text{m}$ $\times$ 3.45 $\mu\text{m}$ pixel size, high sensitivity, high resolution	
Scanner	Capacity	1 slide tray, 6 slides maximum Upgradable to the multiple tray loader model	Up to 35 slide trays, 210 slides maximum
	Pixel Resolution (Color Camera)	UPLXAPO20X (NA 0.8): 0.274 µm/pixel Options: UPLXAPO10X (NA 0.4): 0.548 µm/pixel UPLXAPO40X (NA 0.95): 0.137 µm/pixel UPLXAPO60XO (NA 1.42): 0.091 µm/pixel UPLXAPO100XO (NA 1.45): 0.055 µm/pixel	
	Scan Time	Approx. 80 sec (20X objective, scan area 15 mm × 15 mm (0.6 in. × 0.6 in.) brightfield)	
	Software	Automatic sample detection, automatic barcode reading, automatic focus mapping, automatic scanning, automatic stitching, pause and resume scanning, Z stack imaging extended focus imaging (EFI), multiple image formats (vsi, JPEG, and TIFF), synchronized multi-image display, stepless zooming, slide browsing while scanning, annotations, screen capture, slide loader control (multiple tray loader only)	
Fluorescence (optional)	Fluorescence Components	Fluorescence illuminator with fly-eye lens, motorized mirror turret, motorized filter wheel, fluorescence light source (Excelitas X-Cite XYLIS, X-Cite TURBO, or X-Cite NOVEM)	
	Monochrome Camera	1-inch CMOS, 3.45 $\mu m$ $\times$ 3.45 $\mu m$ pixel size (image acquisition uses a binning 2 $\times$ 2 resulting in a pixel size 6.9 $\mu m$ ), high sensitivity, high resolution or HAMAMATSU ORCA-Flash4.0 V3, HAMAMATSU ORCA-Fusion, or HAMAMATSU ORCA-Fusion BT	
Desktop Software (optional)	Solution License	Deep learning (optional), detection and analysis (optional), batch image format converter (optional), 3D deconvolution (optional)	
Environment	Weight	Optical frame: 69 kg (152.1 lb) Fluorescence: 8 kg (17.6 lb) PC and monitor: 16 kg (35.3 lb) 1 slide tray: 0.6 kg (1.3 lb)	Optical frame and multiple tray loader: 142 kg (313 lb) Fluorescence: 8 kg (17.6 lb) PC and monitor: 16 kg (35.3 lb) 35 slide trays: 21 kg (46.3 lb)
	Operating Environment	Temperature: 12 °C–28 °C (53.6 °F–82.4 °F), humidity: up to 80% (non-condensing)	
	Power Consumption	221 W	
	Power Supply Ratings	Input: 100–240 V AC; 50/60 Hz; 4 A Output: 24 V DC, 9.2 A, 221 W max	

\*1 Optional phase contrast objectives are required.

\*2 Optional analyzer mirror unit and motorized fluorescence mirror turret are required.



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