

# Quattro Respiratory Motion Phantom

**QUATTRO** is a programmable 3-axis respiratory motion simulation phantom comprising a motion arm and semi-anthropomorphic, tissue equivalent chest phantom and software.

QUATTRO enables three simultaneous types of motion:

**Vertical motion** for breathing surrogate motion  
e.g. reflective block on Varian RPM

**Horizontal motion** for inserts within the phantom to be imaged/treated  
e.g. simple 'tumour', TLD/film dosimetry, PET 'lung' insert, etc

**Twist motion** of the horizontal insert providing continuous rotation enabling different outward and return path for simulated tumour inserts.





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## Features

- Programmable Z-axis motion (speed 0 - 7.5cm/s, distance range of 6cm)
- Maximum error in timing of 1.4%, typically within 0.3% of intended
- Clamp to affix cylindrical inserts
- Mains powered
- USB interface
- Start and Reset buttons
- Stores last program uploaded
- Free software
- Semi-anthropomorphic phantom
- Series of inserts for QC of 4DCT, dosimetry, PET etc.

## Benefits

- Dynamic image quality scoring for CT and PET





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## File builder

### Define simple waveforms for the phantom

e.g. sine wave, 2 cm peak-to-peak amplitude at 10 breaths per minute for simple QA testing

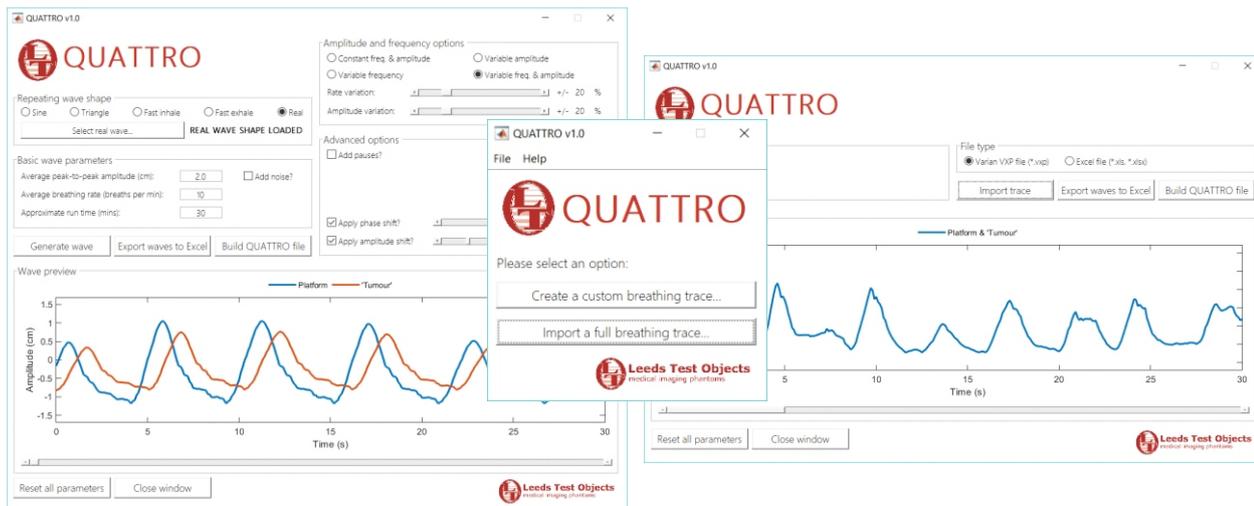
### Generate complex waveforms

e.g. real breathing pattern at nominal 2 cm amplitude and 10 breaths per minute (but with random variations in amplitude and rate), random pauses, offset motion, etc.

### Import real breathing traces

i.e. exported from motion management system

Currently able to directly import Varian (.vxp) and Excel (.xls, .xlsx) files





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For sine waveform, 6 cm amplitude at 23 bpm is possible

Note, additional options may impact on performance but software always informs the user if a waveform is not deliverable

With real patients, 1-2 cm amplitude/ 6-20 bpm is more typical

For 2 cm amplitude, the QUATTRO can go up to 80 bpm for a sine wave!

## Uploader

Can create a library of files offline and then upload when required with separate software tool

Upload tool also has a set of simple 'Examples' built in, ready for upload to the phantom e.g. sine and triangle waves of varying amplitude and speed

```
forDemo
File Setup Help
forDemo
// FAST INHALE WAVE
// Peak-to-peak amplitude: 2 cm
// Breathing rate: 10 cycles per min
// Approximate run time: 10 min(s)

// AMPLITUDE AND FREQUENCY OPTIONS
// Constant frequency
// Constant amplitude

// ADVANCED OPTIONS
// Pauses equivalent to 30% of cycle length
// 80% chance of pausing on each cycle
// Platform and 'tumour' moving in phase
// Platform and 'tumour' have same amplitude
// Noise added to waveform

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```

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