

## “MOVE IT OR LOSE IT: THE ROLE OF KINETIC VISUAL FIELDS”

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### Course Objectives

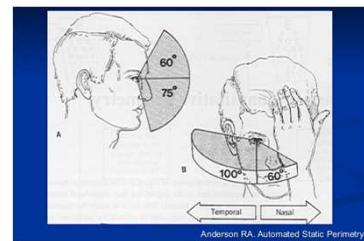
- Review the visual field
- Review types of perimetry
- Discuss advantages and disadvantages of different types of visual field testing
- Explore kinetic visual fields
- Clinical examples

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### Extent of Visual Field

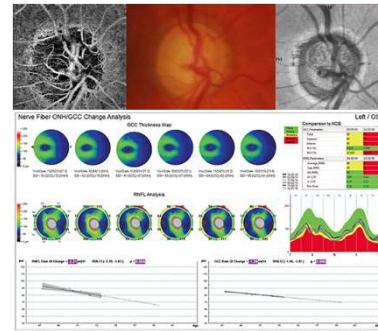
- Binocular



## Evaluation of Visual Field<sup>1</sup>

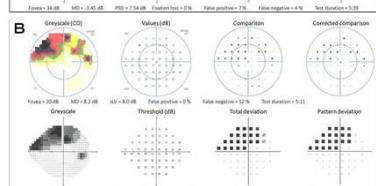
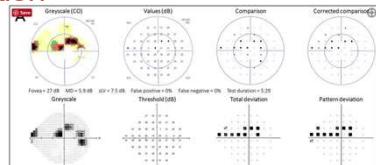
- Pathology
- Disease status
- Progression vs stability
- Treatment efficacy
- Visual Ability

## Structure

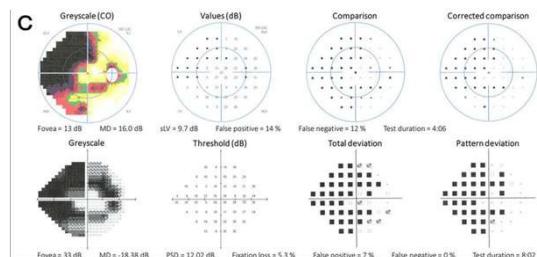


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## Function



## Function



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## Function vs. Structure

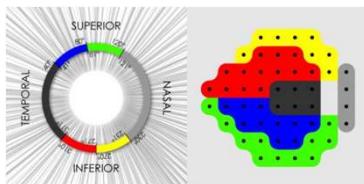
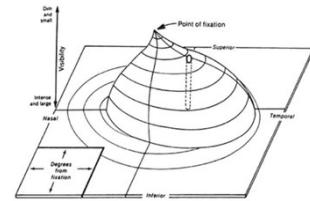


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## Hill of Vision

- Sensitivity to light depends on location<sup>1</sup>
  - Highest in center and decreases toward periphery



- Connect sensitivity thresholds at tested locations<sup>1</sup>

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## Hill of Vision

- Normal sensitivity to light ↓ at age 20

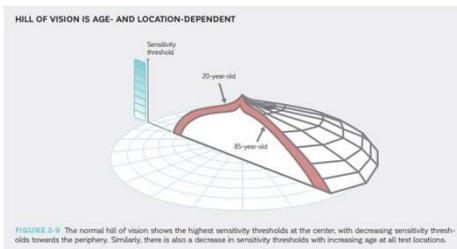
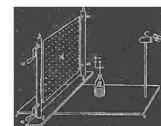
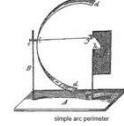


FIGURE 2-9 The normal hill of vision shows the highest sensitivity thresholds at the center, with decreasing sensitivity thresholds towards the periphery. Similarly, there is also a decrease in sensitivity thresholds with increasing age at all test locations.

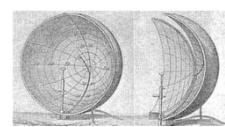
## Origins of Perimetry



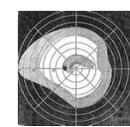
1857: Tangent screen



1869: Arc perimeter



1857: Bowl perimeter



1889: Bjerrum

## Origins of Perimetry

- 1945: Goldmann bowl

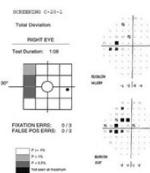


- 1980: Automating Goldmann



## Non-Conventional Perimetry<sup>8</sup>

- Short Wavelength Automated Perimetry (SWAP)
- Flicker Perimetry
- Frequency Doubling Technology (FDT)



## SWAP<sup>1</sup>

- Blue-on-yellow
- Blue = short wavelength stimulus
- Yellow background suppresses green (medium) and red cones (long)

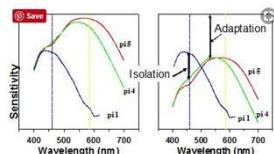
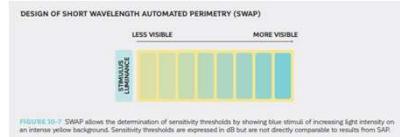


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## SWAP<sup>1</sup>

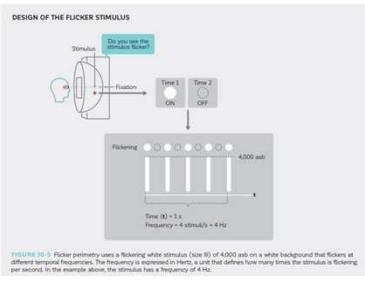
- Easy to understand
- Early glaucoma detection



- Long test
- Increased test=retest variability

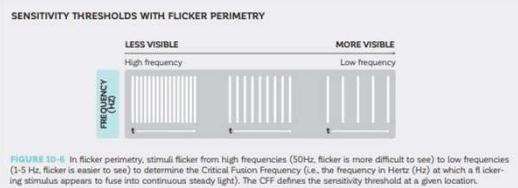
## Flicker Perimetry<sup>8</sup>

- Flicker = light/dark stimulus alterations



## Flicker Perimetry

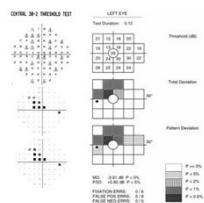
- Sensitive and specific to early glaucoma detection<sup>1</sup>
- Minimally influenced by media opacities



- More demanding of patients
- Instruction and observation even more important

## Frequency Doubling Technology (FDT)<sup>8</sup>

- Frequency of light and dark stimuli appears 2x as actual when temporal frequency of counterphased frequency increased
- Stimulates magnocellular ganglion cell pathway

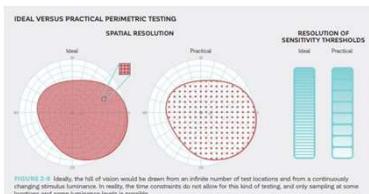


## FDT

- Portable
- Detect early glaucoma
- Neurological disorders with high sensitivity and specificity
- Not largely influenced by media opacities
- Test-retest ability
- Large targets\*
- Lack of fixation monitor throughout testing\*
- Unclear ability to monitor progression into advanced stage<sup>9</sup>

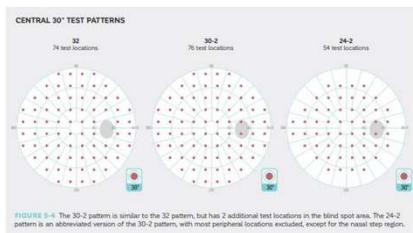
## Static Perimetry<sup>1</sup>

- Stimuli of varying luminance levels
- Deviations from normal hill of vision<sup>1</sup>
  - Constriction of boundaries
  - Depressions of sensitivity
- Quantifies patient's sensitivity to light



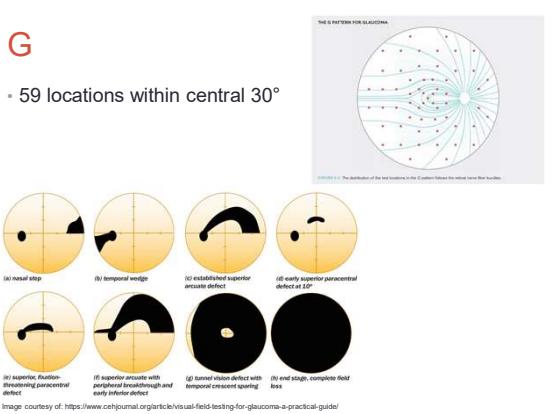
## Central 30°

- 32
- 30-2
- 24-2

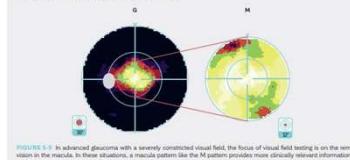


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- 59 locations within central 30°



MACULA PATTERN FOR ADVANCED GLAUCOMA



## Macular Testing

- 10-2
- M (12°)

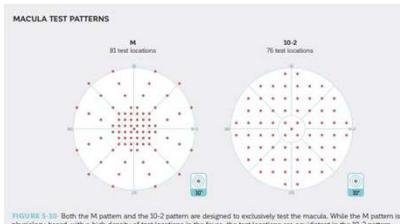


FIGURE 5-40 Both the M pattern and the 10-2 pattern are designed to exclusively test the macula. While the M pattern is physiology-based, with a high density of test locations in the fovea, the test locations are equidistant in the 10-2 pattern.

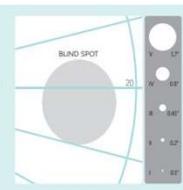
## Goldmann Sizes

- Standard = Round, size III

### GOLDMANN SIZES I TO V

The size conventions used today to describe a perimetric stimulus are derived from the work of Goldmann. In 1946, Goldmann modified the Goldmann perimeter in 1946. He defined standard sizes for perimetric stimuli, and the Goldmann sizes I to V are still widely used. Each step corresponds to a change in diameter by a factor of 2 and in area by a factor of 4. Size III is several times smaller than the physiological blind spot and was considered to be an accurate measurement site.

The Goldmann stimulus sizes I to V are presented in relation to the size of the physiological blind spot.

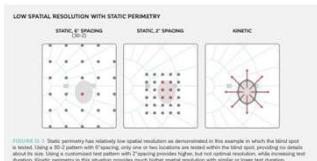


## Static Perimetry Advantages

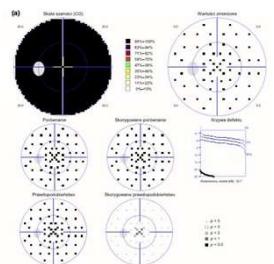
- Clinical gold standard
- Automated
- Glaucoma<sup>2</sup>
- Macular diseases

## Static Perimetry Disadvantages

- Learning curve
- Fatigue
- Subjective
- Poor test takers
- Limited to central 30 degrees
- Low spatial resolution<sup>1</sup>

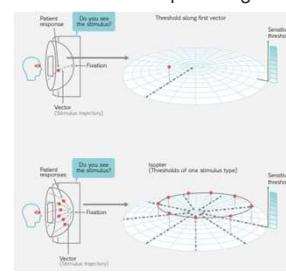


## SAP in Advanced Glaucoma



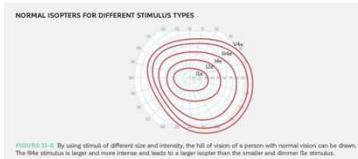
## Kinetic Perimetry

- Moving stimuli moved from non-seeing to seeing areas<sup>1</sup>
- Patient response = location of specific light sensitivity threshold



## Kinetic Perimetry

- Isopters



### HILL OF VISION AS A TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP

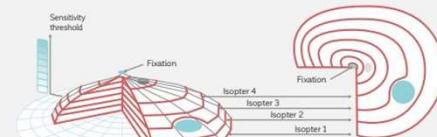
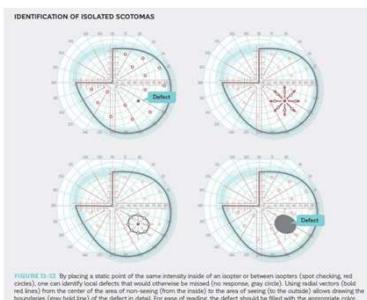


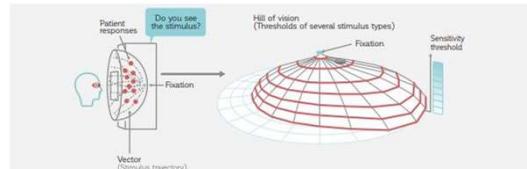
FIGURE 31-5 Kinetic results are displayed similarly to a topographical map. Lines of equal stimulus intensity and size are called Isopters and are used to display the hill of vision in a two-dimensional map, similar to contour lines on a topographical map. Localized areas of non-seeing, such as that shown by the filled light blue circle, represent scotomas or areas of non-seeing for that target.

## Isolated Scotomas



## Stimuli

- Stimulus types/size/intensity/speed

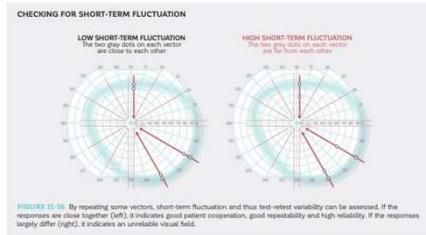


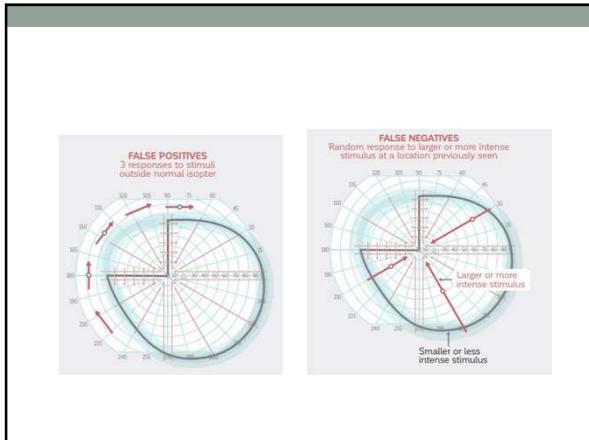
**FIGURE 11-14** In kinetic perimetry, sensitivity thresholds are determined by moving a stimulus of fixed intensity and size along a vector from an area of non-seeing to an area of seeing (top). In a normal visual field, the area of non-seeing to seeing is typically in the direction from the periphery towards fixation. The hill of vision can be drawn by connecting several thresholds of equal sensitivity (middle) thus forming an isopter and by drawing several isopters (bottom). An isopter can be thought of as a contour line of the hill of vision.

## Stimuli

| GOLDMANN STIMULUS SIZES I TO V |          |                         |  |
|--------------------------------|----------|-------------------------|--|
| SIZE                           | DIAMETER | AREA [MM <sup>2</sup> ] | RECOMMENDED FOR  |
| V                              | 17°      | 64                      | Low vision (end-stage disease)<br>Far periphery (determination of anatomical visual field borders)             |
| IV                             | 0.8°     | 16                      |  |
| III                            | 0.45°    | 4                       | Periphery<br>Standard for static testing   |
| II                             | 0.2°     | 1                       |  |
| I                              | 0.1°     | 0.25                    | Peripheral and central testing<br>Small area and high resolution (e.g., blind spot, small or shallow scotomas) |

## Reliability<sup>1</sup>





## Kinetic Perimetry Automation

- Manual<sup>1</sup>
- Goldmann



- Automated<sup>1</sup>

- Expected responses known
- Ptosis template

- Semi-Automated<sup>1</sup>

- Predefined template
- Responses can be repeated or deleted

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## Kinetic Perimetry Advantages

- Easy to understand
  - Moving stimulus
  - Children, cognitive impairment
- Faster
- Higher spatial resolution
- Advanced scotoma detection<sup>4</sup>
- Periphery



FIGURE 1: The child is positioned in front of the kinetic perimetry apparatus, 30 cm from the center point. The stimulus is a black metal arm extending at 45°, 135°, 225°, and 315° from the center point. The experimenter moves a small identical sphere along the arm toward the child's eye until it is perceived. The time is recorded when the child first looks at the moving sphere as recorded.

Image courtesy of: <https://doi.org/10.3929/191-3913-19910501-08>

## Kinetic Perimetry Disadvantages

- Examiner skill
  - Manual<sup>4</sup> → Semi-Automated
  - Standardization<sup>3</sup> <sup>6</sup>
- Learning effect
- Reaction time and fatigue<sup>3</sup>
- Small sensitivity changes
- Diffuse loss

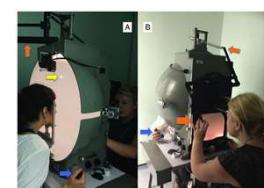


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## Reaction Time

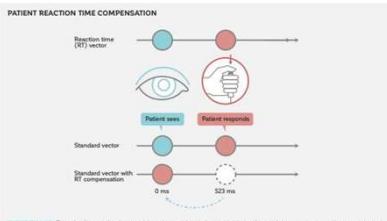


FIGURE 11-19 There is always a lag between the moment the patient sees a stimulus and the moment a patient presses the response button. This constitutes the patient's reaction time. By placing reaction time (RT) vectors into the patient's seeing area, one can account for this lag.

## Reaction Time

### EXAMPLE OF THE CLINICAL USEFULNESS OF REACTION TIME COMPENSATION

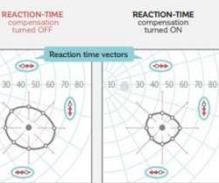


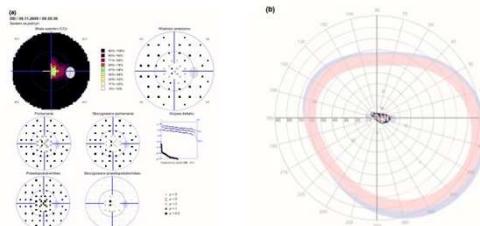
FIGURE 11-20 Without reaction time compensation, local depressions look uncharacteristically large (left). By using reaction time vectors (bold red, double arrow) to determine the patient's reaction time and by turning reaction time compensation on (right), the patient's adjusted defect size is revealed.

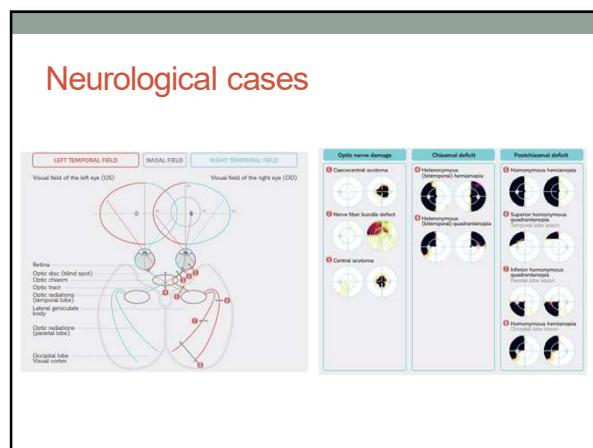
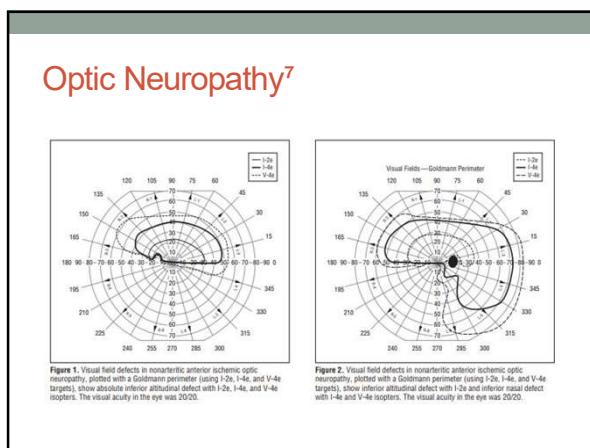
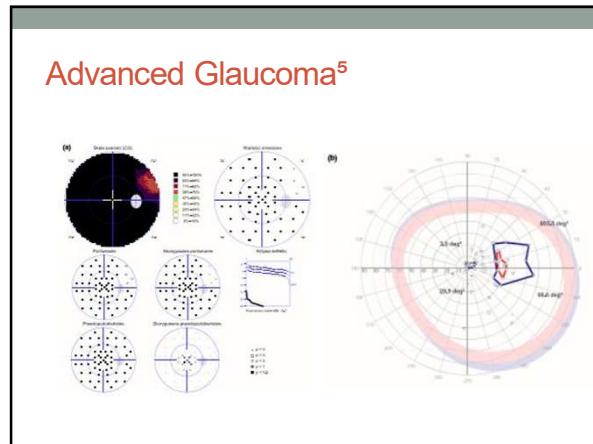
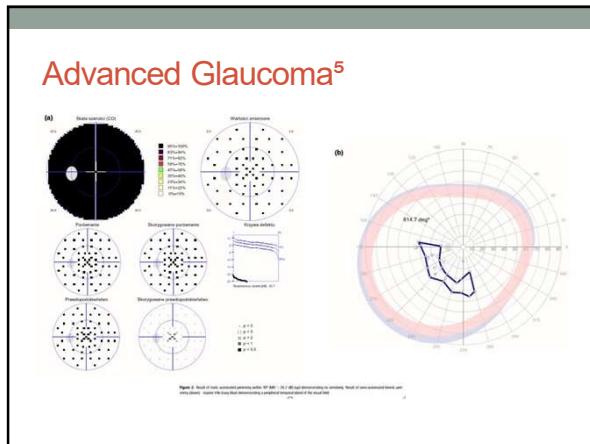
## Clinical Use

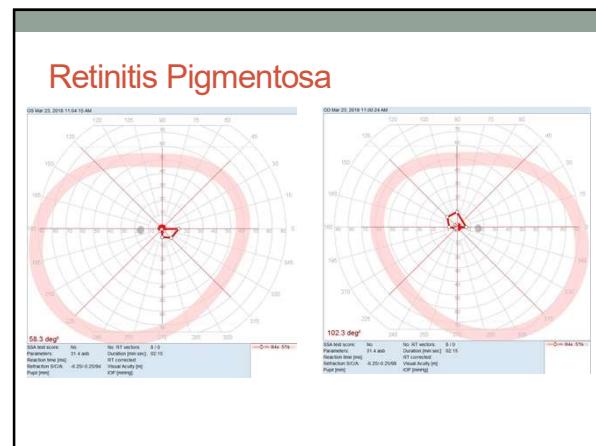
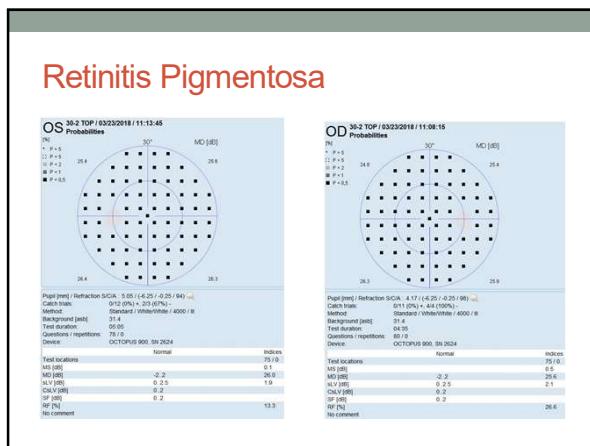
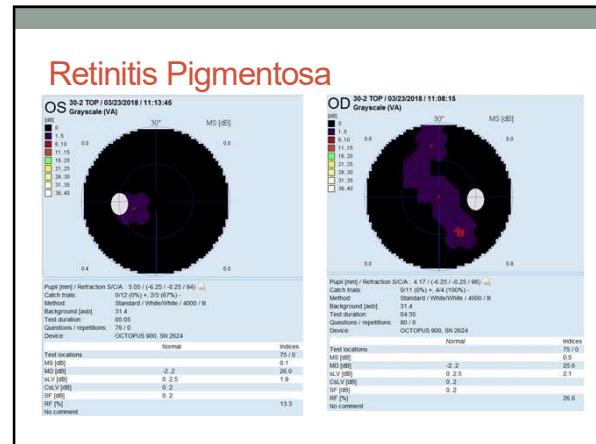
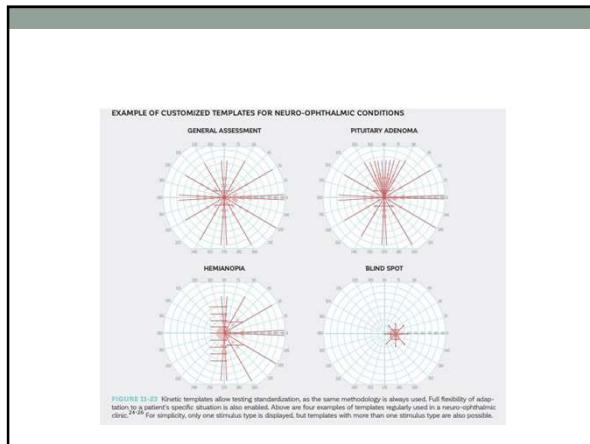
- Advanced glaucoma
  - Preferred by patients<sup>4</sup>
  - Improved retest ability<sup>4</sup>

## Advanced Glaucoma

- Small central island and larger temporal island<sup>5</sup>
- SKP provides additional information

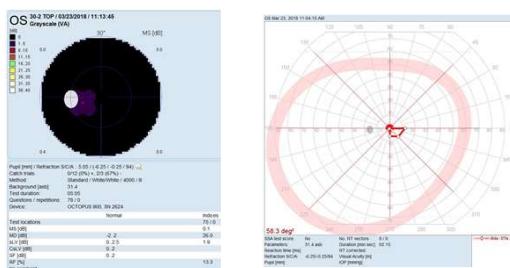




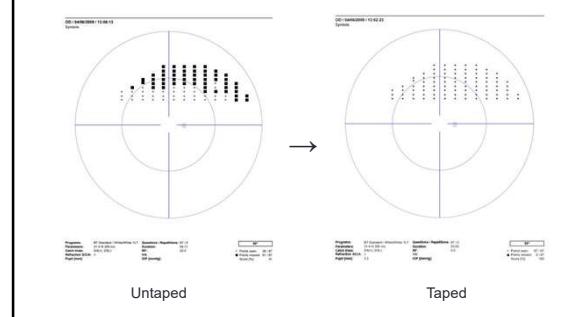


## Disability Exams

- Social Security Administration (SSA) requirements

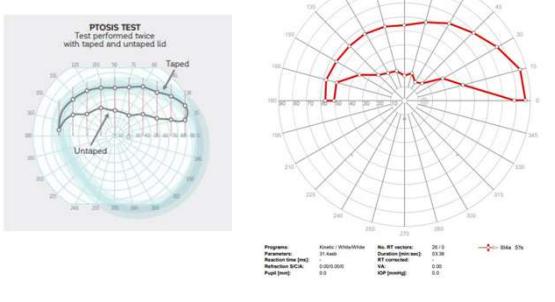


## Ptosis Testing



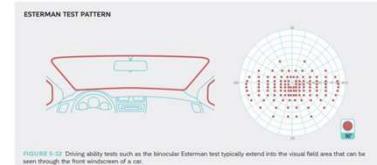
# Ptosis Testing

- Faster with kinetic



# Driving

- Esterman- 120 test points (non-kinetic)
    - Binocular



- Kinetic

|                                   | STATIC   | KINETIC   |
|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| LOCATION                          | Fixed # of predetermined locations                     | Individual adjustable moving targets  |
| AUTOMATION                        | Fully automated  | Semiautomated   |
| Spatial Resolution                | Low  | High  |
| Accuracy of Sensitivity Threshold | Higher   | Lower   |
| Best for Detecting                | Small changes in sensitivity<br>Changes in central 30° | Small changes in spatial extent<br>Changes in periphery<br>Remaining vision in advanced disease<br>Children defects |
| Common Uses                       | Glaucoma<br>Macular diseases<br>Visual ability         | Neuro-ophthalmological conditions<br>Peripheral retinal diseases<br>Low vision<br>Children                          |

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