# Evaluation of A New Eyelid Self-Tonometer: Comparison With Goldmann Applanation Tonometer

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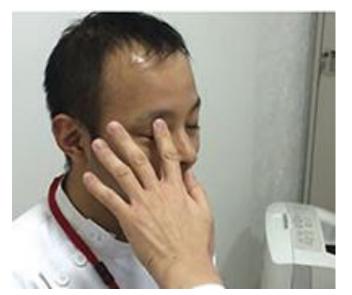
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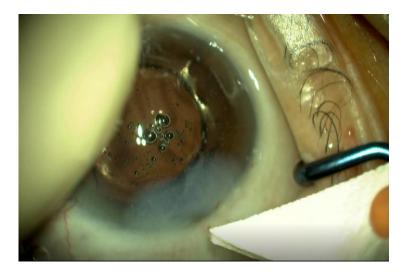
#### History of tonometer



# **Qualifying** IOP using palpation







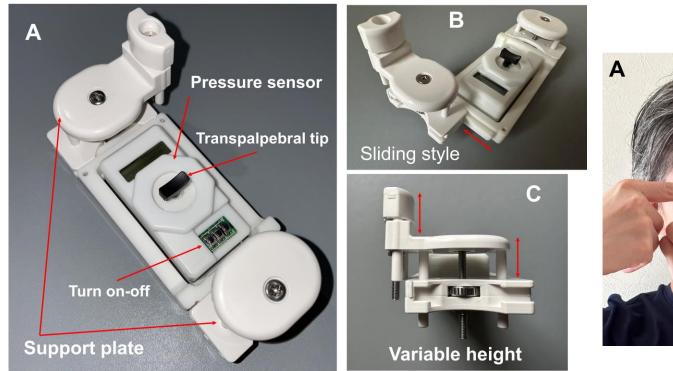
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#### Palpation (classical)

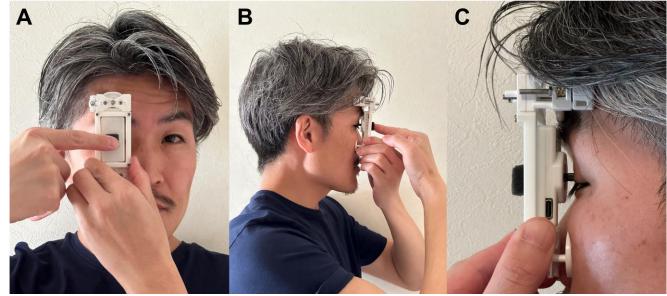
Adjustment of IOP after surgery

#### Quantifying IOP using MEMS?

#### TapEye: self-tonometer

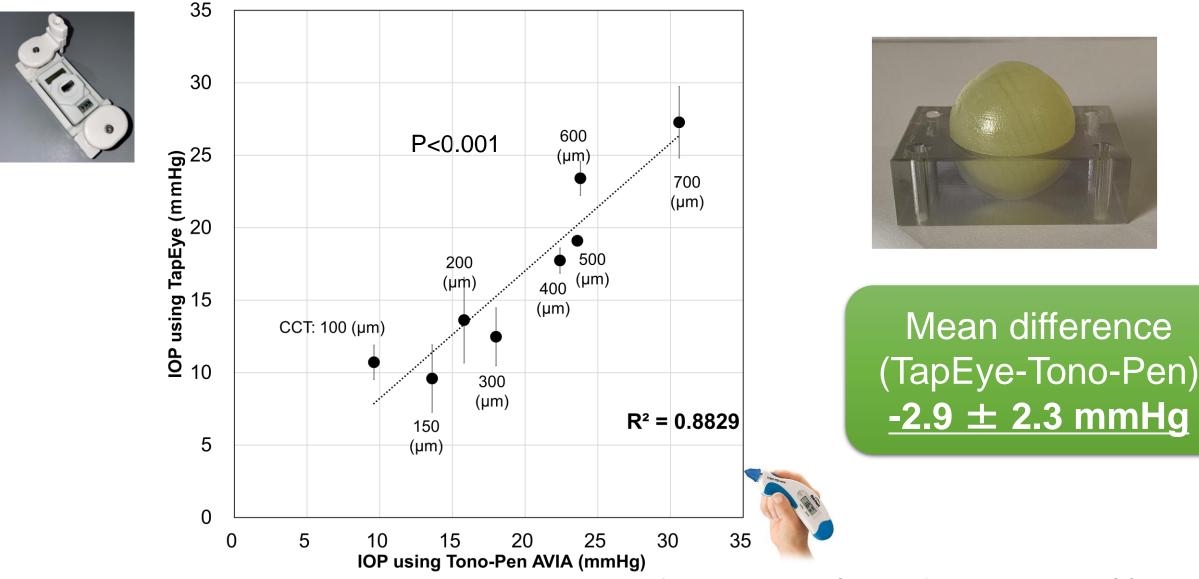


Tap the device by a finger



The upper eyelid is naturally closed. The subject places the tonometer's tip onto their eyelid, approximately 1 to 3 mm behind the lid margin of the upper eyelid; the tip position corresponds to the corneal center.

#### Correlation between two tonometer in model eyes (Ex Vivo)



Kobashi. 3D-printed eye model: Simulation of intraocular pressure. PLoS One. 2023

### TapEye tonometer: a pilot study

- Subject:
- Sample size:
- Age:
- Innervation:
- Visit:
- IRB:

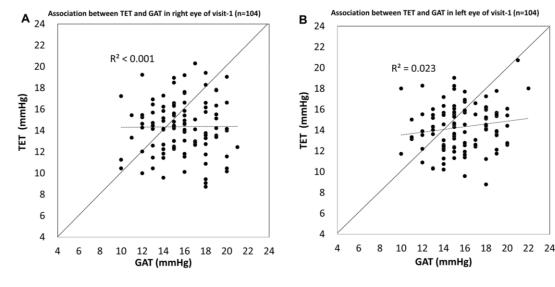
- Normal eye and Glaucoma
- 100 subjects 200 eyes
  - 18 yrs or more
  - 3-tonometers: TET, GAT, NCT
  - Baseline and 1-month

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	TET_1	TET_2-18	2
Entry			
Baseline			1M
(visit_1)			visit_2)
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		GAT_2	
NCT_1			NCT_2

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Primary	Correlation between (TET) and (GAT)
Secondary	Repeatability was determined using the intraclass correlation coefficients (ICC)

## Correlation with Goldmann tonometer (n=410)



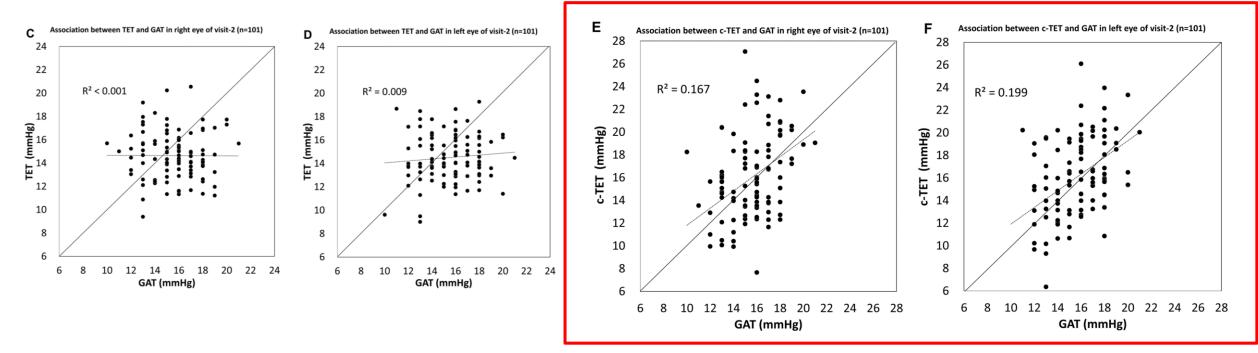
In visit-2, this study derived the corrected-IOP value of TET (c-TET) from the difference between the TET and GAT in visit-1 ( $\Delta$  IOP).

The formula to calculate c-TET was initially suggested as:

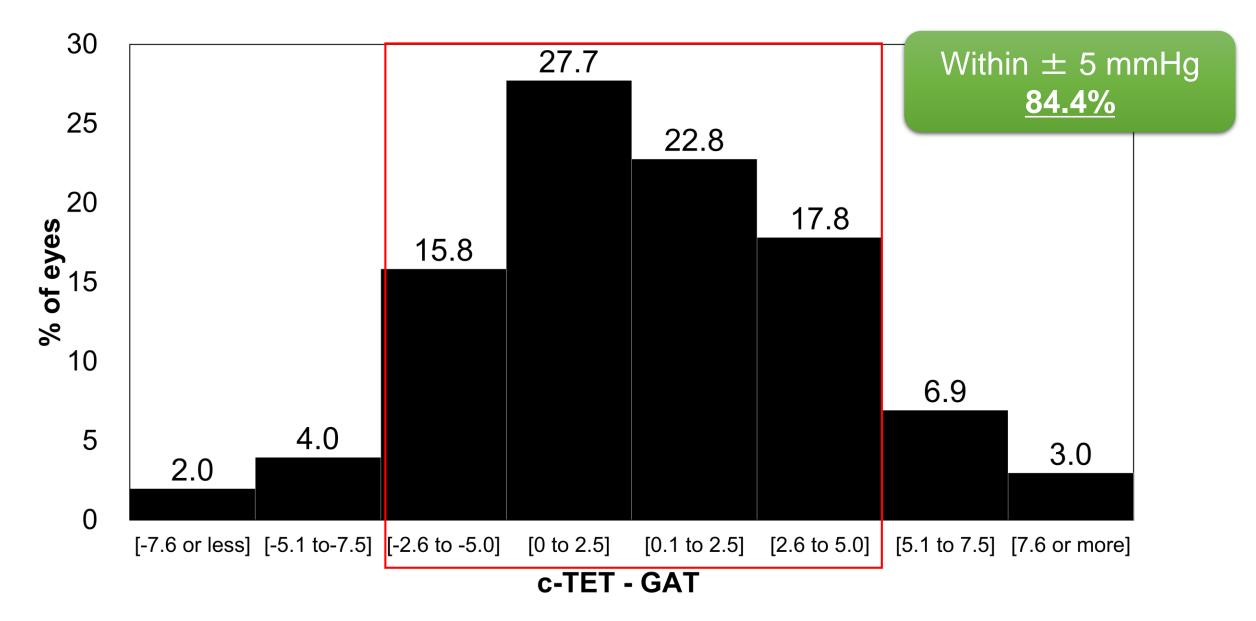
c-TET = TETvisit-2 -  $\Delta$  IOP

where

#### $\Delta$ IOP = TETvisit-1 - GATvisit-1



# Distribution of agreement of c-TET with GAT



#### Tonometers on the market **Our product is for self-measurement** Goldmann Non-contact Tonopen **Icare Home** Triggerfish This product Contact Non Cornea Cornea Cornea Eyelid Cornea ✓ But wireless power Portable X X 1 ʹ **/** source too big Anesthesia Necessary Necessary Unnecessary Unnecessary Unnecessary Unnecessary Invasive Zero ++++ +++++ + Self-measure X X X $\Delta$ 1 Accuracy High Moderate Low Moderate Low **Moderate** Price (USD) \$1,500 \$10,000 \$5,000 \$2,000 \$500/lens \$200 to 400 HAAG-STREIT Nidek Reichert SENSIMED icare Company Toneasy (Germany) (JP) (US)(Finland) (Swizerland) Remote X X X Too expensive medicine

## Future image in our service Remote Monitoring IOP medicine Clinic, hospital 眼圧値 (mmHg) Patient 21:30 右 18 左 16 Correcting data

Cloud data

We are providing the service of self-monitoring of IOP using TapEye.

- Safe and less invasive
- Effective management of glaucoma treatment

# Conclusions

After performing a correction based on the difference between the TET and GAT measurements at the initial visit, the corrected IOP value of the TET was correlated with that of the GAT at the second visit.

The TET has the potential to address an unmet need by providing a tool for minimally invasive IOP measurements.