510(k) Summary

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1. Identification of the Device

Proprietary Trade Name: ClearStart-SVM™, Segmentation and Volumetric Measurement (SVM)
Classification Name: System, Image Processing, Radiological
Common/Usual Name: System, Image Processing Radiological
Product Code: LLZ

2. Equivalent Legally Marketed Device:

Manufacturer: Siemens Medical Solutions, USA, Inc.
Name of Predicate Device: syngo CT Oncology
FDA 510(k) Number: K071310
FDA Clearance Date: June 8, 2007.

3. Indications for Use Statement

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The system is password protected so that only the above mentioned trained medical professionals are authorized users.
4. Description of Device

The ClearStart•SVM™ product consists of a custom-configured desktop computer system consisting of high-performance commercial-off-the-shelf computer components, and INTIO proprietary software running on a Linux operating system. CT data is read into the system from a CD or DVD and stored uncompressed into a database which allows easy retrieval for follow up assessments.

The ClearStart•SVM™ system uses data from contrast and non-contrast CT examinations of patients presenting with solid tumors. SVM segments the tumor within the organ and determines measurements such as longest tumor length in axial views and tumor volume. Diagnostic CT scans are viewed in both multiplanar reformatted (MPR) views and 3D volume rendered (VR) views, allowing the user to choose the best visualization of selected tumors to be treated. Typically tumors are best visualized in the contrast CT exam which is used for analysis. User selected lesions are segmented with minimal user input. The user places a cursor over the tumor and by clicking a mouse button inserts one or more region-growing seed points in the tumor to be segmented. Feedback of the seed location is shown in graphical overlays on the MPR views. After the seed or seeds are placed, the user activates a computer determined bounding box surrounding the marked lesion, with the surrounding tissue demonstrating a contrast difference to the marked tumor. The lesion is then segmented using 3D active contour methodology.

As a follow up to a specific therapy the ClearStart•SVM™ system provides tools to help assess the effectiveness of image-guided loco-regional or systemic therapies for solid or semi-solid tumors throughout the body. Users are able to review changes in tumor dimensions based on follow up CT scans with computer-assisted segmentation and automated measurement of lesions to determine tumor response to therapy over time. The ClearStart•SVM system is designed to semi-automatically segment and automatically measure tumors of the liver, lung, and lymph nodes.

INTIO engineers have developed ClearStart•SVM™'s image processing and display software which provides both 2D (MPR) image display and 3D volume-rendered (VR) display capability. Response of tumors to therapy, either loco-regional or systemic, is facilitated by lesion segmentation and automated measurement leveraging INTIO's proprietary image segmentation algorithm. The automated measurements include both conventional and specific quantitative measurements such as RECIST, WHO and volumetric CT measurements.

5. Comparison to Predicate Device

A predicate product, syngo CT Oncology from Siemens Medical Solutions, is our substantially equivalent product for comparison. The main features of the INTIO ClearStart•SVM™ and Siemens CT Oncology products are shown in Table 5-1. There is nearly a complete feature set match between the ClearStart•SVM™ and CT Oncology systems. Siemens references “automated” tumor segmentation, but since their system requires some user inputs it more correctly should be called semi-automated.

segmentation. Similarly, the INTIO ClearStart®SVM™ product is a user initiated semi-automated segmentation process wherein the user identifies the target lesion to be assessed and uses a computer mouse to graphically mark one or more areas in the lesion. From that point onward all the processing is automated. Both products provide summary information for reports which the users may utilize in their assessment of the response to various cancer therapies.

Table 5.1 Feature Comparison to Predicate Device

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Indications for use: synoG CT Oncology is a self-contained, non-invasive image analysis software package designed to fast-track routine diagnostic oncology, staging and follow-up. Flexible layouts and automated image registration facilitate the synchronous display and navigation of multiple datasets for viewing multi-phase CT data and easy follow-up comparison. The application provides a range of automated tools specifically designed to support physicians in the segmentation and volumetric evaluation of suspicious lesions including dedicated tools for lung, liver and lymph node assessment in CT data. Dedicated workflow-support and integrated, accumulative reporting allow to track lesions and their changes in e.g. size, shape and enhancement pattern over time. Syngo CT Oncology also facilitates functional imaging offering fusion with other modalities such as PET data. It also features synoG LungCAD for detecting small lung nodules (PMA-approved).
6. Testing Information and Conclusion

In all material aspects, INTIO ClearStart-SVM is substantially equivalent to the predicate system, both being built on PC platforms using a windowed user interface environment. Both internal and third party testing was performed to assure that the system is safe and efficacious prior to use by customers. INTIO’s Test Engineering Department performed software verification testing considering an array of test use cases following internal test procedures to assure that the system design specifications were realized. Medical professionals who are familiar with similar systems validated the software workflow and usability confirming that the system’s design intent was realized. Together with these validation and verification processes we engaged a third party electronics testing laboratory (ETL) to assure compliance to appropriate regulatory standards for electromagnetic compatibility and electrical safety. When we receive 510(k) clearance the software and hardware will be formally released to production by an ISO 13485 compliant third party manufacturing partner.
Dear Mr. Job:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

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Sincerely Yours,

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