## Optoacoustic Tomography: High Resolution Functional and Molecular Imaging in Small Animals and Man

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Imaging tumour function Cell tracking in vivo at depth

Imaging vascular structures

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Multispectral Optoacoustic Tomography (MSOT) is a powerful imaging modality that visualises the spectral response of chromophores *in vivo*, with high resolution, to depths of several centimetres. Uniquely, it provides the capacity to image and quantify endogenous signals of interest such as oxy-/deoxy-haemoglobin, lipids and collagen from administered agents including nanoparticles and fluorescent dyes or proteins. Moreover, the recent development of Raster Scanning Optoacoustic Mesoscopy (RSOM) has provided a tool for imaging structures and cells at resolution of 10 micron at depths of many millimetres. Here the technique and current applications will be presented and discussed.