

**Supplementary Appendix****Supplementary Table 1**

Quantitative analysis - contrast to noise ratios of the different LEAs, contrast medium and saline along each sector of the in vitro models provided as mean  $\pm$  standard deviation.

	<b>2.0 mm</b>	<b>1.5 mm</b>	<b>1.0 mm</b>
<b>Onyx 18</b>	3.02 $\pm$ 0.42	2.65 $\pm$ 0.32	1.76 $\pm$ 0.51
<b>Squid 18</b>	2.43 $\pm$ 0.33	2.28 $\pm$ 0.32	1.62 $\pm$ 0.31
<b>Squid 12</b>	3.09 $\pm$ 0.20	2.32 $\pm$ 0.26	1.92 $\pm$ 0.32
<b>PHIL 25%</b>	1.92 $\pm$ 0.35	1.35 $\pm$ 0.28	0.81 $\pm$ 0.13
<b>PHIL LV</b>	1.89 $\pm$ 0.23	1.37 $\pm$ 0.33	0.68 $\pm$ 0.12
<b>NBCA / iodized oil</b>	3.18 $\pm$ 0.15	2.53 $\pm$ 0.15	1.57 $\pm$ 0.23
<b>Contrast medium</b>	3.40 $\pm$ 0.25	3.08 $\pm$ 0.16	1.86 $\pm$ 0.10
<b>Saline</b>	0.04 $\pm$ 0.03	0.04 $\pm$ 0.04	0.08 $\pm$ 0.04

**Supplementary Table 2**

Table 2: Qualitative analysis - scores of the different LEAs, contrast medium and saline along each sector of the in vitro models provided as mean  $\pm$  standard deviation.

	<b>2.0 mm</b>	<b>1.5 mm</b>	<b>1.0 mm</b>
<b>Onyx 18</b>	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00	4.67 $\pm$ 0.49
<b>Squid 18</b>	4.92 $\pm$ 0.29	4.92 $\pm$ 0.29	4.33 $\pm$ 0.49
<b>Squid 12</b>	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00	4.25 $\pm$ 0.45	4.00 $\pm$ 0.00
<b>PHIL 25%</b>	3.75 $\pm$ 0.45	3.08 $\pm$ 0.29	2.58 $\pm$ 0.67
<b>PHIL LV</b>	4.08 $\pm$ 0.29	2.92 $\pm$ 0.29	2.08 $\pm$ 0.29
<b>NBCA / iodized oil</b>	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00	4.92 $\pm$ 0.29	4.58 $\pm$ 0.51
<b>Contrast medium</b>	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00	5.00 $\pm$ 0.00
<b>Saline</b>	1.00 $\pm$ 0.00	1.00 $\pm$ 0.00	1.00 $\pm$ 0.00