

Title (en)

AUGMENTED REALITY IMAGING SYSTEM, APPARATUS AND METHOD

Title (de)

SYSTEM, VORRICHTUNG UND VERFAHREN ZUR BILDGEBUNG MIT ERWEITERTER REALITÄT

Title (fr)

SYSTÈME, DISPOSITIF ET PROCÉDÉ D'IMAGERIE DE RÉALITÉ AUGMENTÉE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2016207628A1] An augmented reality imaging system comprising: a head mounted augmented reality display unit (30), a real-time imaging device (20), such as an ultrasound probe, that captures a real-time video image (122) of a target; a processor; and means for sensing the position and attitude of the head mounted unit(30) and the real-time imaging device (20). The system adjusts the real-time video image (122) so that it appears, in the head-mounted display unit (30), to have been taken from the point of view of the user(150). Thus, a user (150) is able to move his/her head around a point of interest (12) to better gauge the "missing dimension" in what would otherwise be a 2D image. By placing virtual markers (162) in the AR output displayed in the user's head unit(30), and by matching them to known points of interest in a subject, the system is able to correct for displacement etc. in offline (previously captured) 3D imagery (132), such as an MRI scan,to the actual position of those features.

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