HIFUPlex

HIFUPlex-01, -02 & -03 Transducer Bundles

HIFUPlex-01, -02 & -03 Bundles (0.5, 1.1 & 2.0 MHz, respectively) include FUS and imaging transducers to provide 1D therapeutic focusing under ultrasound guidance. These solutions provide interleaving capability between the FUS therapy and imaging using Verasonics' HIFUPlex GUI or HIFUPlex PLUS GUI on the Vantage platform.

FUS Transducer Specifications

- Ø64 mm f/1.0 focused annular array transducer
- · Transmit efficiencies up to 90% over a 40% bandwidth
- 50 mm (between 25 and 75 mm) of axial focal steering from the exit plane of the transducer, as defined -3 dB from acoustic maximum
- Includes coupling cone for non-immersion applications and target for self testing (CT-100)

Distal Steering Bound 75 mm	+
Nominal Focus 50 mm from Transducer Plane	Therapeutic Focal Zone -3 dB Contour
Proximal Steering Bound 25 mm	Imaging Plane
	Transducer Exit Plane
1.20" Overall Transducer Height	Coupling Cone Filled with Degassed Water
Water Ports to Water Conditioning Unit	RT-IP105 Imaging Transducer 360° Motorized Rotary System (Optional)
FUS Tranducer	IP-105 - 5.0 MHz x 64 Elements Imaging Transducer
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	H-104 (HIFUPlex-01)	H-101 (HIFUPlex-02)	H-106 (HIFUPlex-03)
Fc (MHz)	0.5	1.1	2.0
# of Rings	3	4	8
Radius (mm)	64.0	64.0	64.0
I.D. (mm)	31.7	31.7	31.7
O.D. (mm)	64.0	64.0	64.0
Geometric Focal Distance* (mm)	52.0	52.0	52.0
Lateral Width (mm)	3.1	1.5	0.8
Axial Length (mm)	21.9	11.5	5.9
Pressure Focal Gain	13.8	27.6	55.1
TAP, Avg. (Watts)**	400	500	500
TAP, Peak (Watts)**	2000	2000	2000
Focal Pressure, Peak (MPa)+	6.0	15.0	28.0



** TAP = Total Acoustic Power

IP-105 Imaging Transducer Specifications

- Single crystal technology
- 64-element phased array
- 5.0 MHz center frequency
- Watertight housing with rotational and vertical adjustability

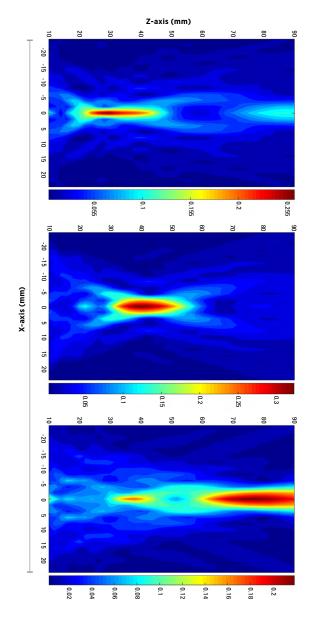
IP-105
5.0
95
Lambda/2
10.0
9.6
65.0



Linear calculation at maximum peak power

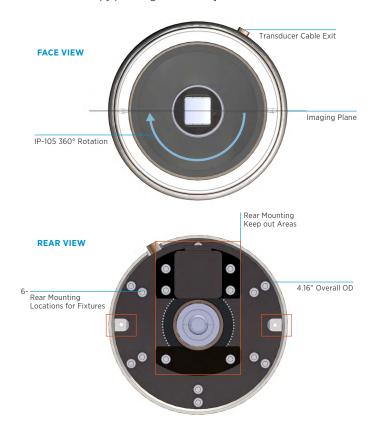
Dynamic Focal Depth Steering

The acoustic pressure field maps (below) illustrate software-controlled spatial modulation of the HIFUPlex -01 along the transverse plane. The HIFUPlex focus is shown at 30 mm (top), 40 mm (mid), and 75 mm (bottom) depths.



3D Rotary and Rear Mounting

The small rotary motion apparatus can be added to the HIFUPlex-01, -02, or -03 and is controlled by using the Vantage HIFUPlex PLUS GUI for 3D therapy planning and delivery.



HIFUPlex Full-screen Graphical User Interface for USgFUS Workflow

Workflow Step	Capability	HIFUPlex	HIFUPlex <i>Plus</i>
GUIDANCE	B-Mode Imaging (Plane waves, Wide Beams, Scanline)	~	✓
	Doppler Imaging (Color Flow, Color Power)	~	~
	Harmonic Imaging (Nonlinear imaging via pulse inversion)	✓	✓
PLANNING & DELIVERY	Motorized Rotary Movement of Imaging Plane	×	✓
	Motorized X-Y Movement of Imaging Plane	×	* *
	2D Treatment Planning & Delivery	✓	✓
	3D Treatment Planning & Delivery	×	~
MONITORING	Thermal strain imaging (thermometry via user calibration)	optional	✓
DATA MANAGEMENT	Experimental event logging, data capture & recall	~	~

*Plus 1000 only



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