

Background of medical bioimpedance analysis



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Looking back: 1840

Birth of the world market leader



Looking back:

1888

Business goes into the hands of today's owners, the Vogel family.

The mechanical engineer Frederik Vogel bought the scale factory in 1888, expanded the product portfolio and created the brand name "seca", which he registered in 1897.



Looking back: 1904

Move to today's current location in Hamburg
Wandsbek.



Looking back: 1934

The next generation. Robert Vogel leads the company through the difficult times of the Second World War and soon thereafter starts rebuilding.



Looking back: 1970

Sönke Vogel became the new managing director of seca and introduced a major strategic change to the company.

With the new claim “Precision for Health” and a unique focus to medical application seca sets worldwide standards.



Looking back: 2010

The fourth generation. seca remains market leader. Today the company is run by three managing directors, the brothers Robert and Frederik Vogel, and Thomas Wessels.



Production sites in Germany & China



seca group

seca deutschland

seca france

seca united kingdom

seca north america

seca schweiz

seca zhong guo

seca nihon

seca méxico

seca austria

seca polska

seca middle east

seca brasil

seca suomi

seca américa latina

seca asia pacific

seca danmark

seca benelux

seca lietuva



A light gray world map is shown in the background. Overlaid on the map are several overlapping, hand-drawn red lines that form a complex, scribbled pattern across the continents, suggesting a global network or distribution system.

Exclusive Partner &
Distributor network
in more than **110 countries**

A grayscale world map is centered in the background. Overlaid on the map are several complex, overlapping red lines that resemble orbital paths or a network of connections, crisscrossing the globe.

Worldwide
market share
of more than 60%.

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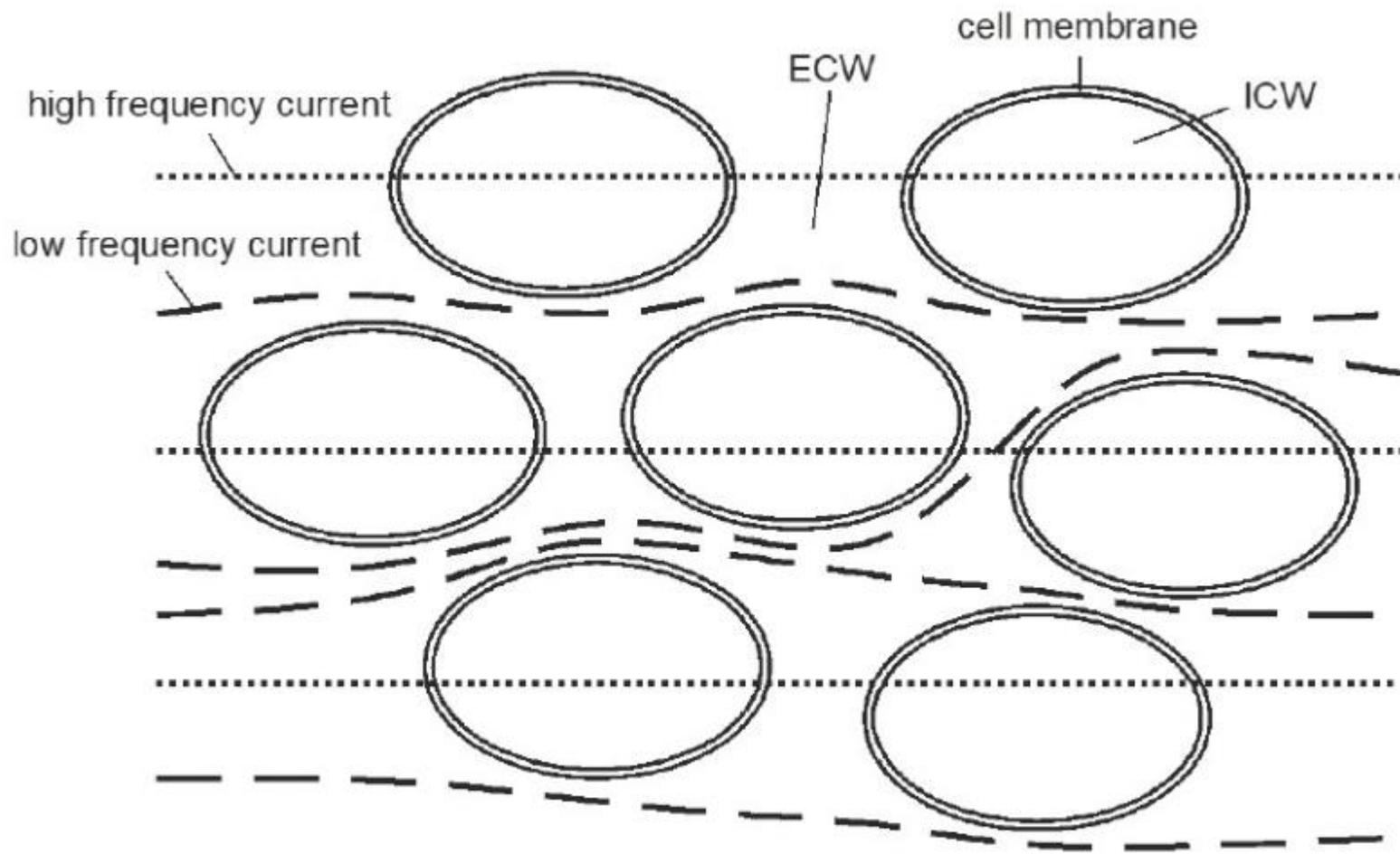
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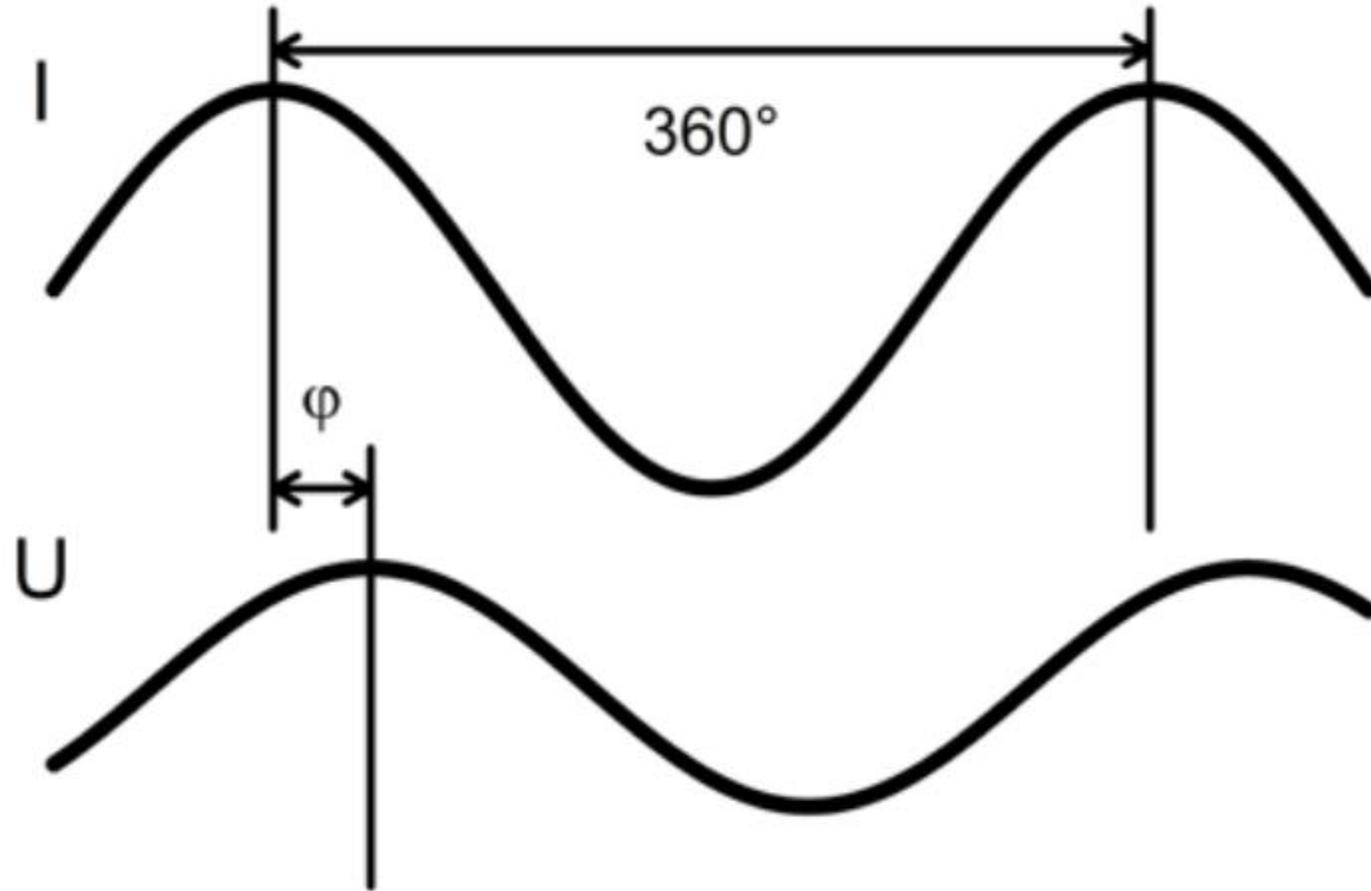


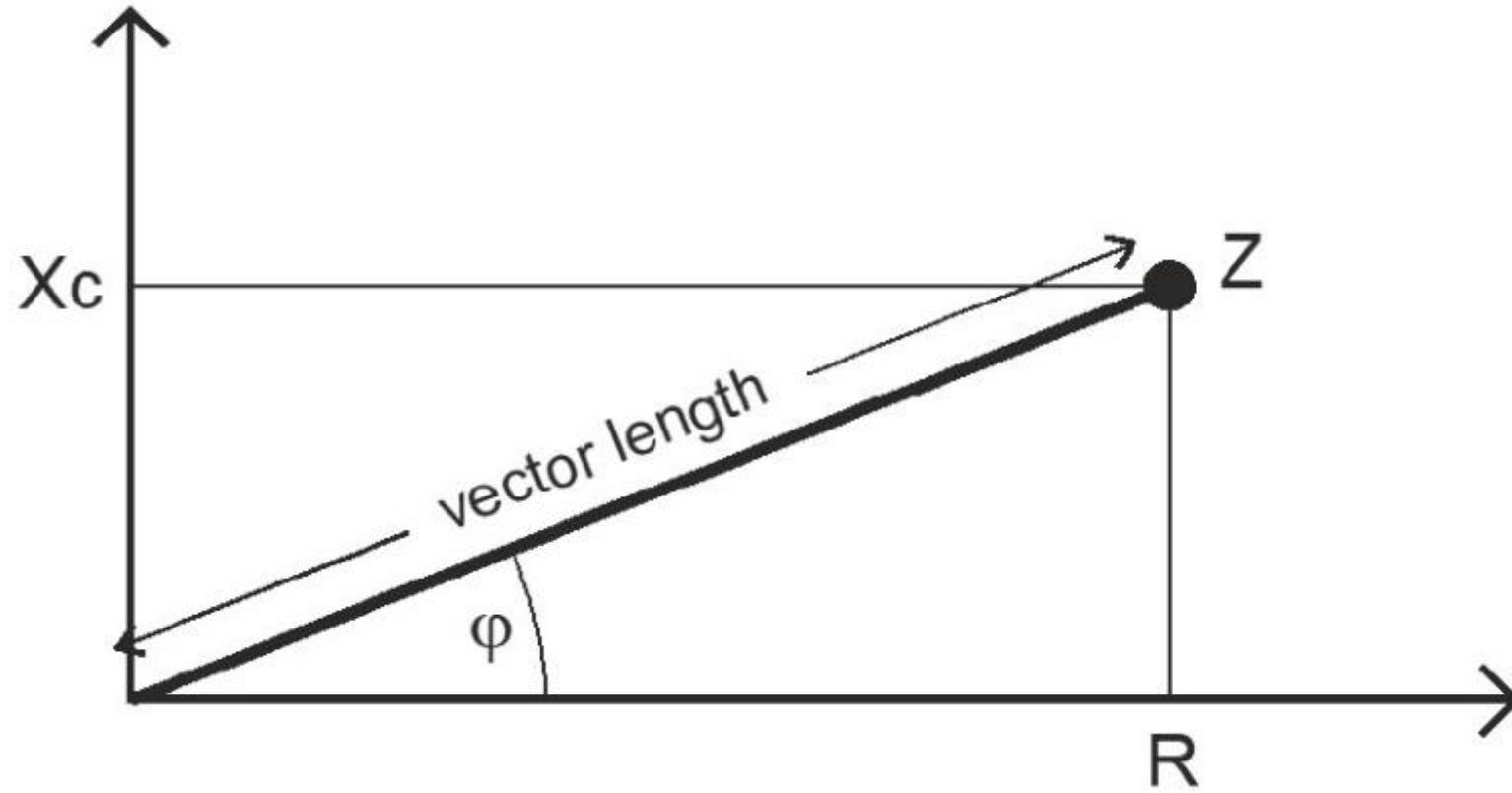
Bioimpedance Analysis

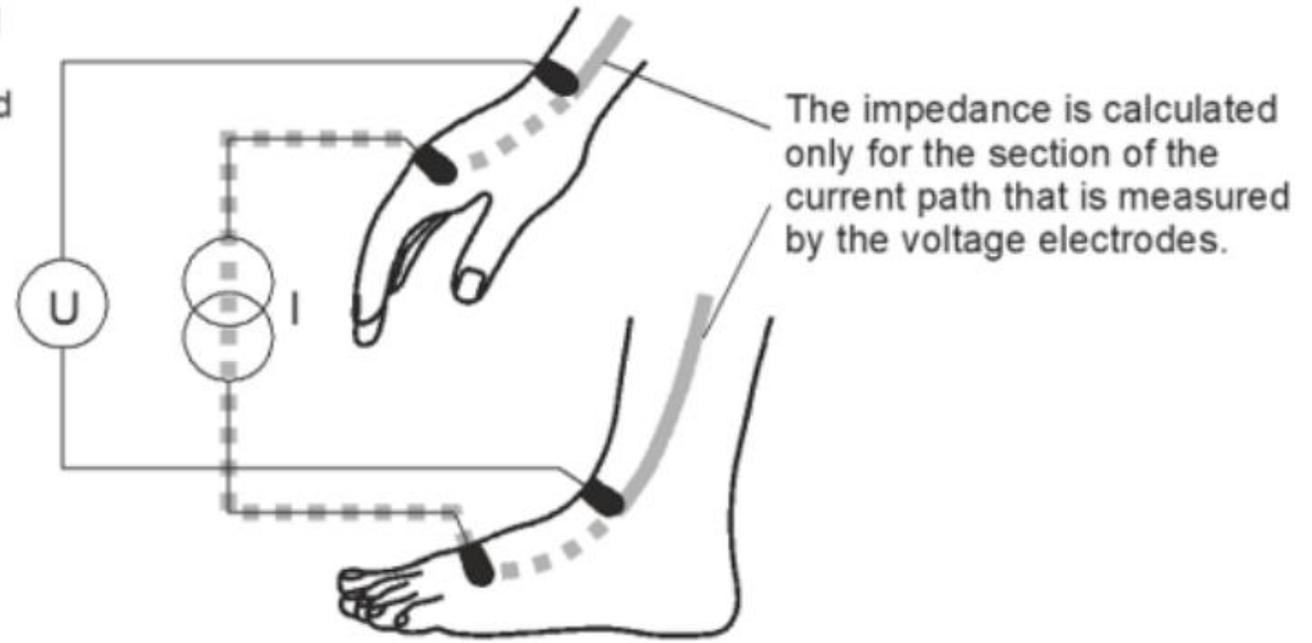
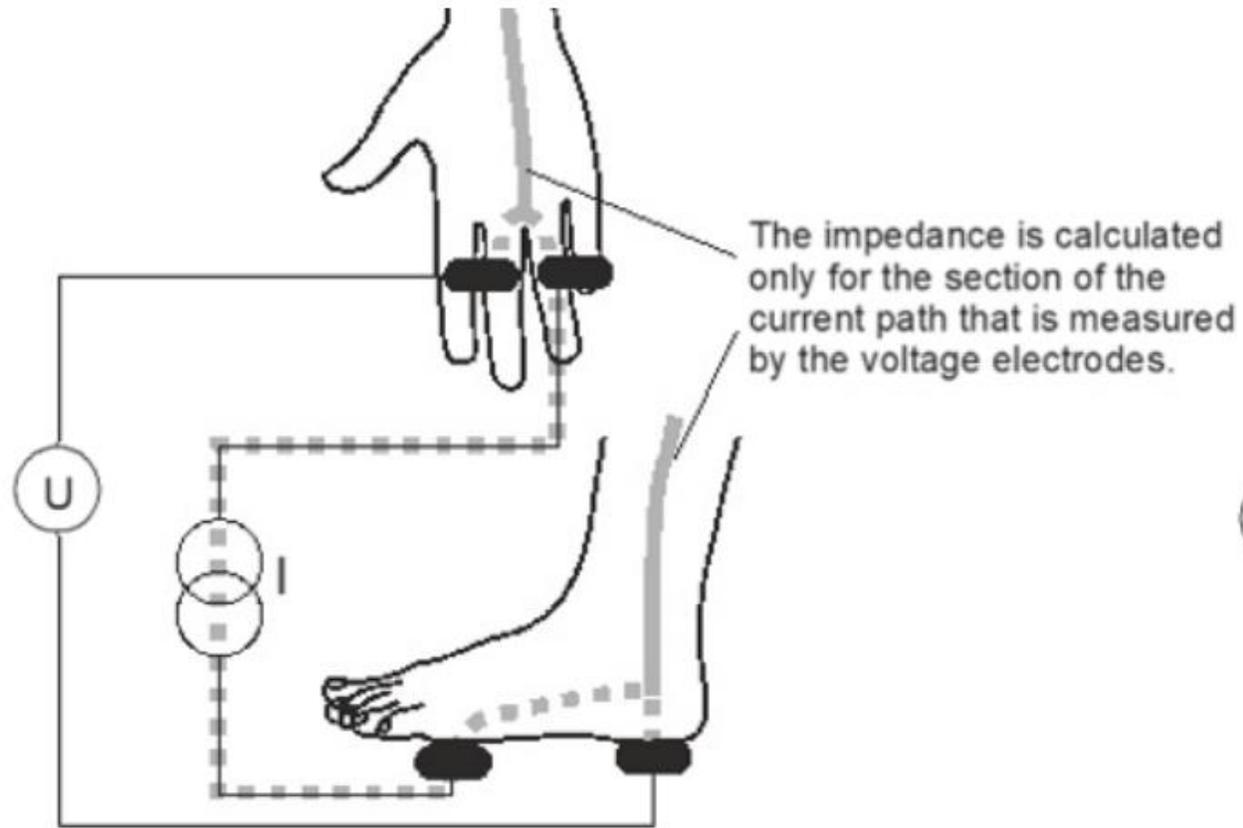
What is bioimpedance analysis?











Validation

Normal ranges

Measured: R , X_c , height, waist circumference and Weight*



Impedance, Phase Angle and BIVA



TBW, ECW, FM, SMM, VAT etc.



ORIGINAL ARTICLE
 What makes a BIA equation unique? Validity of eight-electrode multifrequency BIA to estimate body composition in a healthy adult population
 A. Boy-Weinthal^{1,2}, B. Schütz², W. Lamer², J. Kehayias², D. Gallagher² and M.J. Müller¹

Table 2. Results of three stepwise regression analyses in phase 1 (Males) with FFM_{4C} (kg), TBW_{D2O} (l) and ECW_{sub} (l) as the dependent variables

Predictors of FFM _{4C} (kg)	R ²	P-value	RMSE, kg
H ² /R ₅₀ (Ω)	0.93	<0.001	3.24
X _{C50} (Ω)	0.95	<0.001	2.64
Index R ₅₀ trunk/total (Ω)	0.96	<0.001	2.39
Weight, kg	0.97	<0.001	2.16
Gender	0.97	<0.001	2.05
Age, year	0.98	<0.001	1.91
Intercept		0.092	

Predictors of ECW _{sub} (l)	R ²	P-value	RMSE, l
H ² /R ₅₀ (Ω)	0.89	<0.001	1.07
Weight, kg	0.92	<0.001	0.89
Index R ₅₀ trunk/total (Ω)	0.94	<0.001	0.79
Intercept		<0.001	

Predictors of TBW _{D2O} (l)	R ²	P-value	RMSE, l
H ² /R ₅₀ (Ω)	0.93	<0.001	2.26
X _{C50} (Ω)	0.95	<0.001	1.92
Weight, kg	0.96	<0.001	1.65
Index R ₅₀ trunk/total (Ω)	0.97	<0.001	1.44
Index X _{C50} trunk/total (Ω)	0.97	0.046	1.40
Age, year	0.98	0.002	1.36
Gender	0.98	0.027	1.34
Intercept		0.488	

Abbreviations: ECW, extracellular water; FFM, fat-free mass; RMSE, root mean square error; TBW, total body water.

gender, age, ethnicity*

mBCA vs. Goldstandard

Normal ranges are required for immediate classification of measurements. Is my muscle mass normal or too low?

ARTICLE

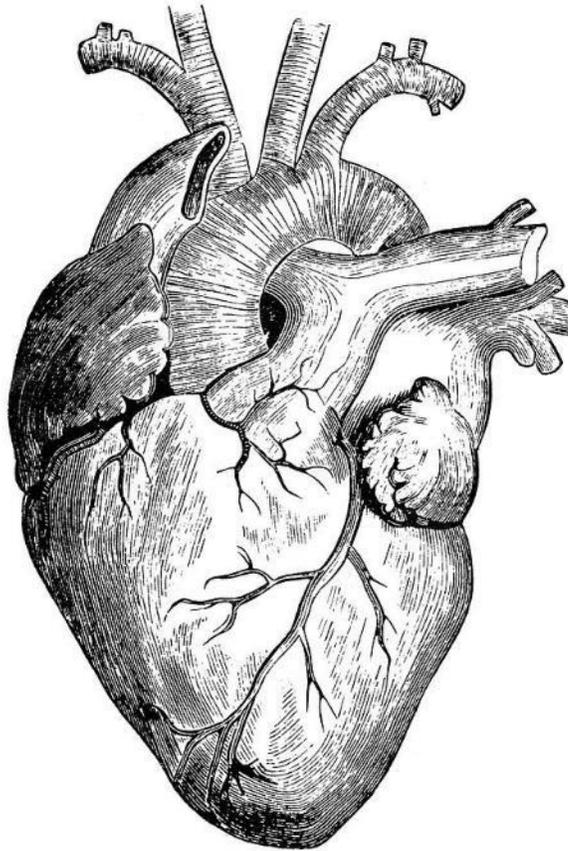
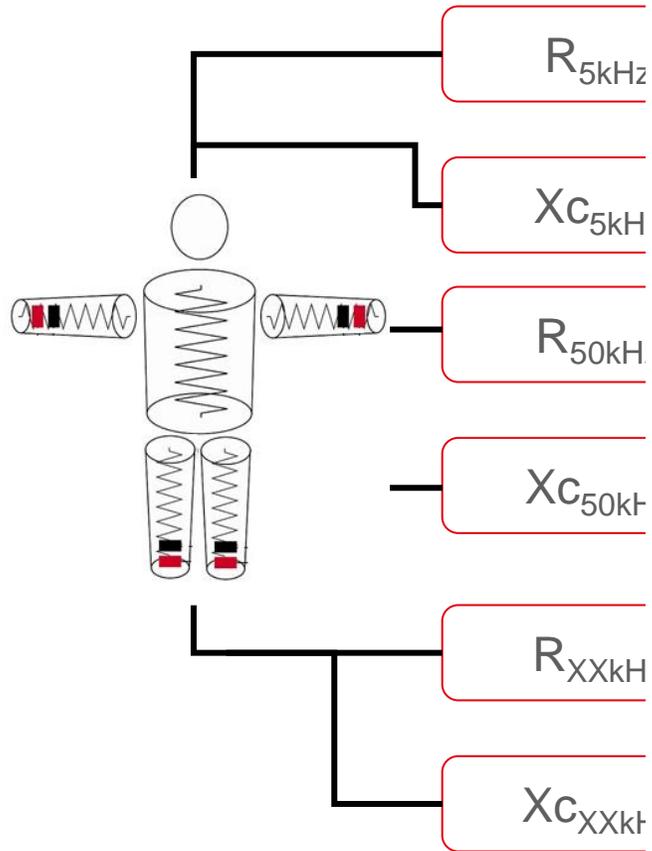
Ethnic differences in fat and muscle mass and their implication for interpretation of bioelectrical impedance vector analysis

Spina Jansen, Takashi Motomiya, Martha Kessler Horowitz, Steve Pinais, Kristina Norman, Michael J. Maresh, Aya Matsumoto, Yuka Masai, Antonio Velázquez-González, Jeanett Dominguez-García, Elizabeth Pozo-Espinoza, Scott C. Selgado-Morctaux, and Anja Boy-Weinthal

Editor's choice
 Applied Psychology, Nutrition, and Metabolism

*Weight gives additional information about body compartments that do not or only very badly conduct the electrical current like an isolator, e.g. fat mass. Distribution of body composition changes with gender, age and ethnicity. That's why adding these parameters improves the precision.

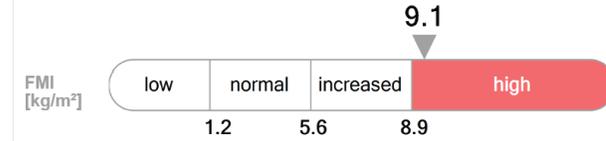
formulas



Fat Mass

Fat Mass (FM):
31,28 kg (31,3 %)*

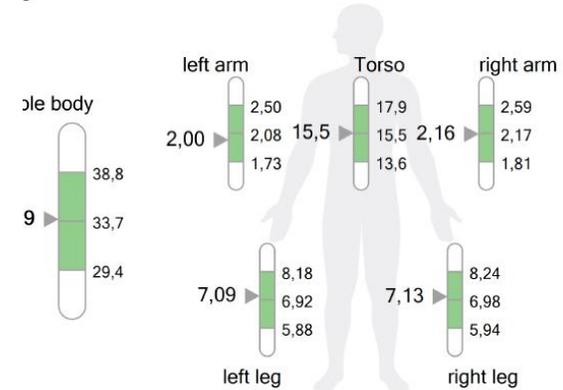
Fat Mass Index (FMI):
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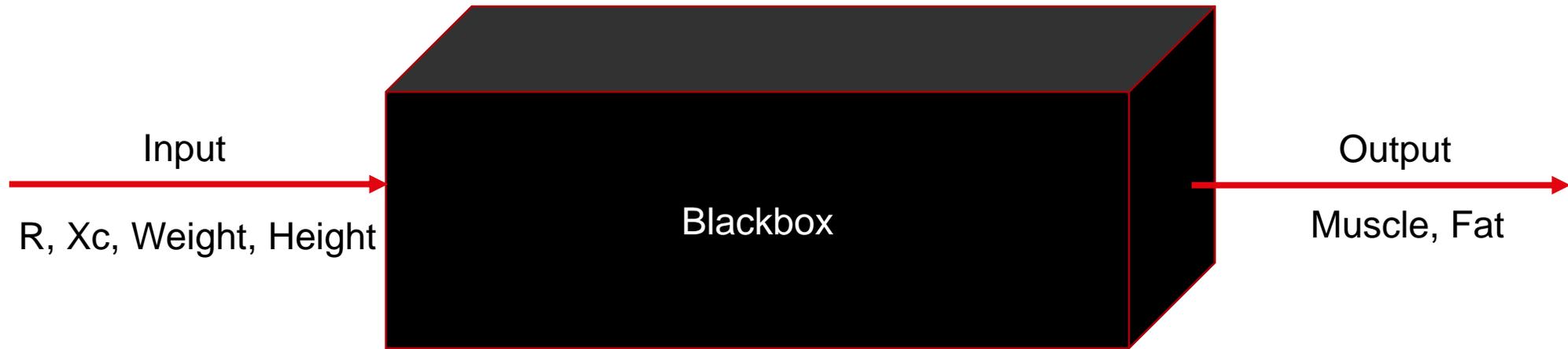
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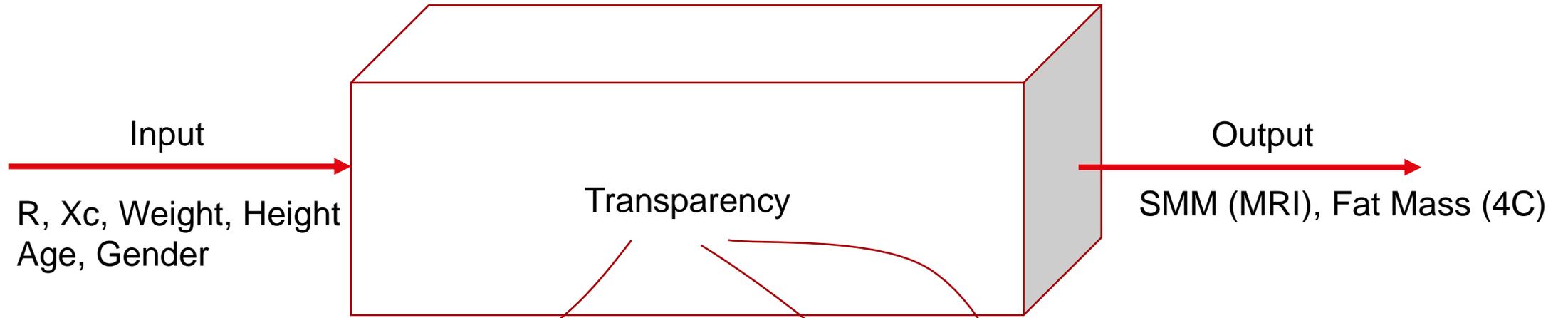
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Bioimpedance device



seca mBCA



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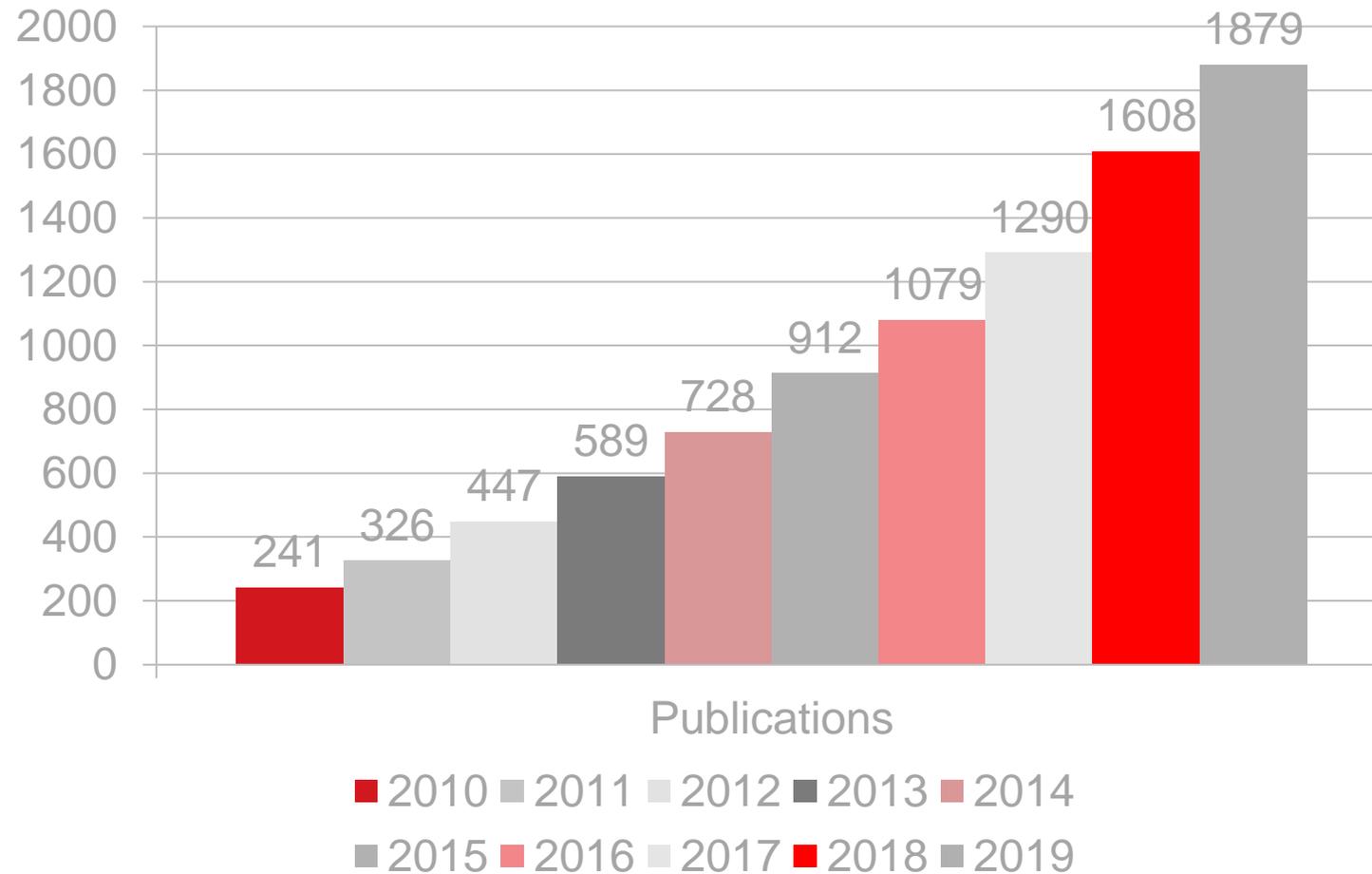
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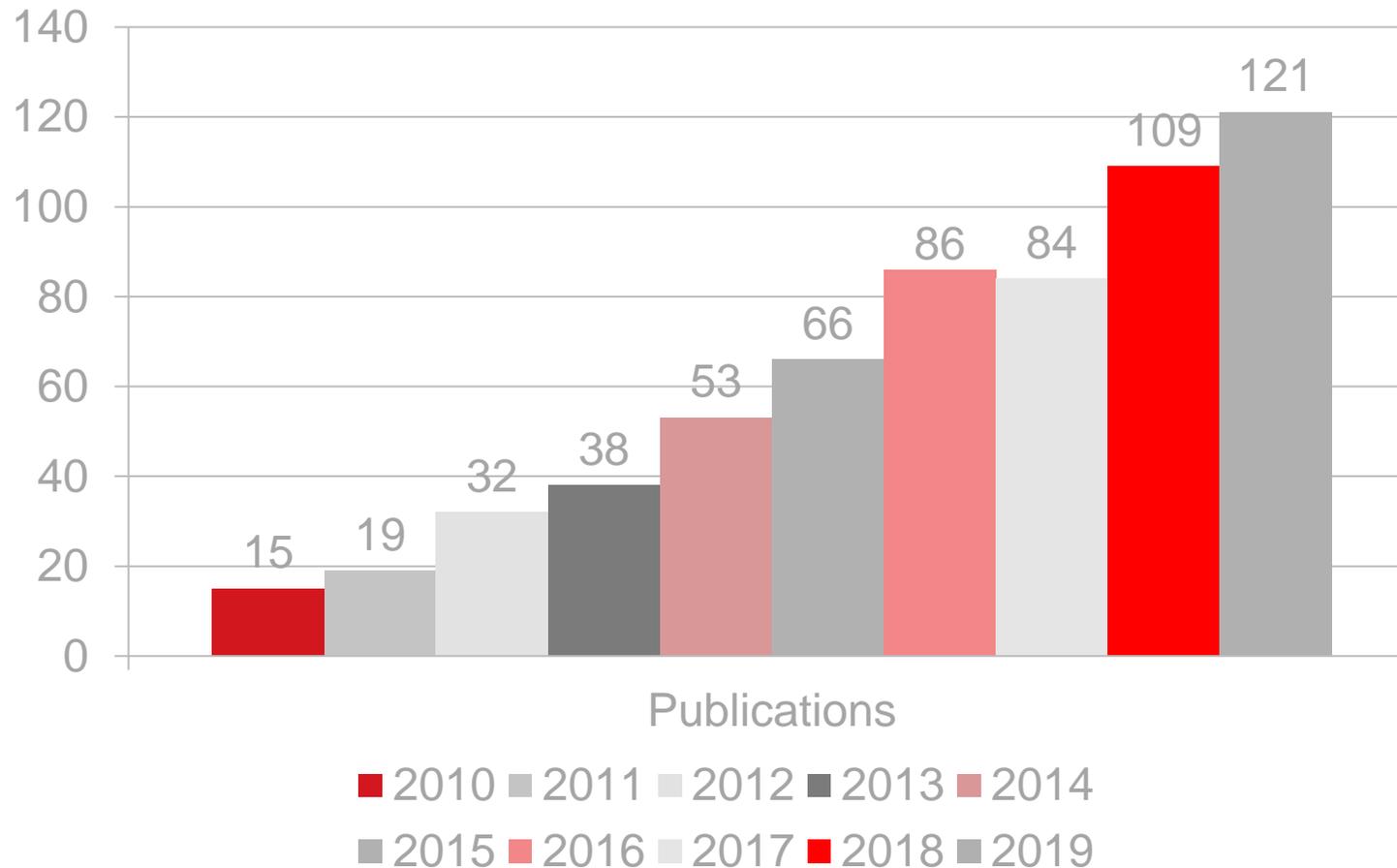
Sarcopenia

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Sarcopenic obesity

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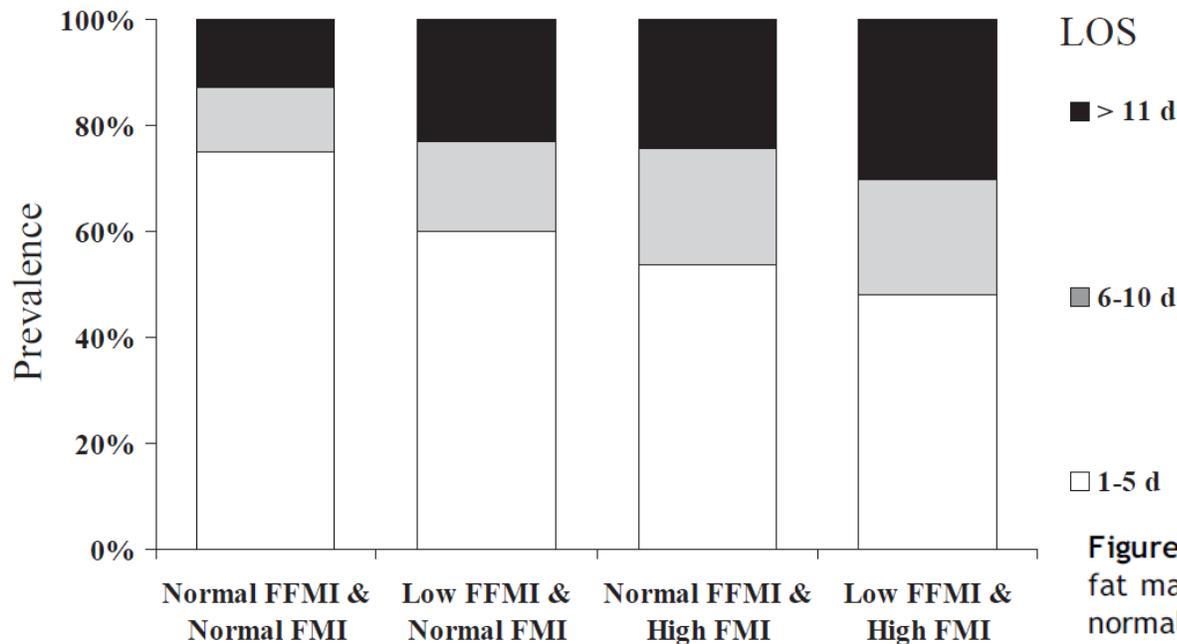


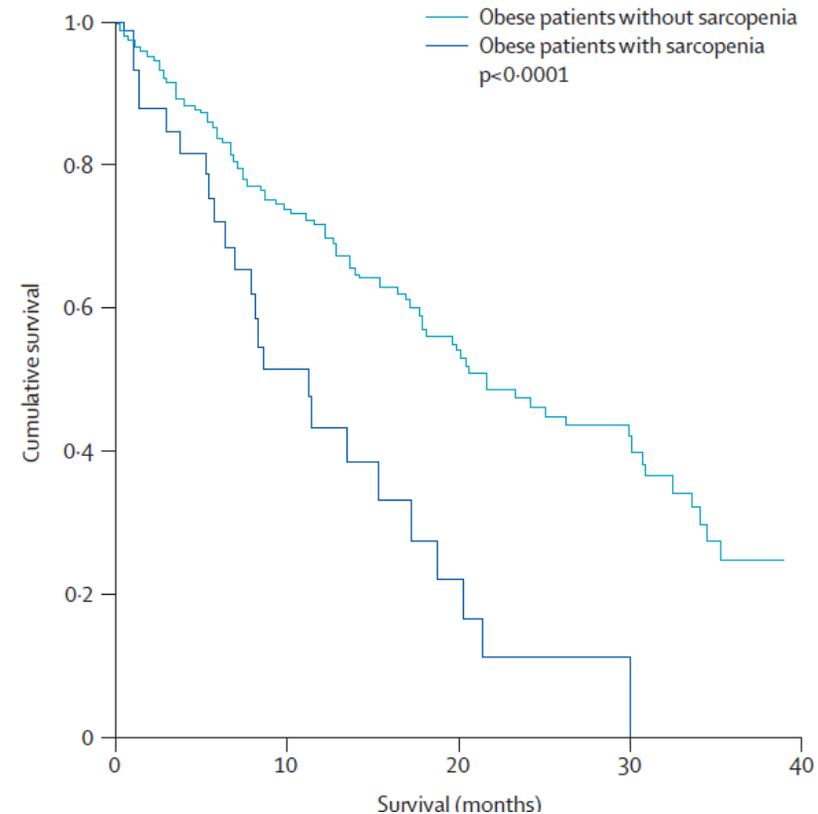
Figure 1 Prevalence (%) of fat-free mass index and body fat mass index at hospital admission. Prevalence (%) of normal FFMI and normal FMI, low FFMI and normal FMI, normal FFMI and high FMI and low FFMI and high FMI in 1707 patients hospitalized for 1–5, 6–10 and ≥ 11 days. The proportion of patients hospitalized ≥ 11 days was highest in patients with low FFMI and high FMI. χ^2 49.7, degrees of freedom 6, $P < 0.001$.

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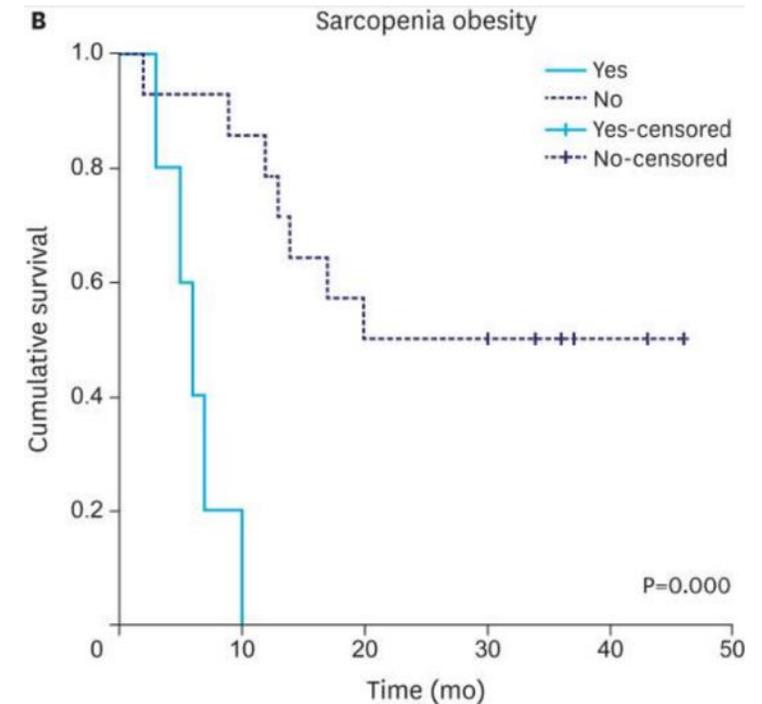


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- 15) Prevalence of sarcopenia in community-dwelling Japanese older adults.
- 15-15) Difficulties with physical function associated with obesity, sarcopenia, and sarcopenia
- 16) Development of a simple screening test for sarcopenia in older adults
- 16-9) Association between muscle mass and disability in performing instrumental activities of daily living
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- 8) Espen Consensus Statement
- 8b) Fat-free mass index and fat mass index percentiles
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Review

Reference Values for Skeletal Muscle Mass – Current Concepts and Methodological Considerations

Carina O. Walowski ¹, Wiebke Braun ¹, Michael J. Maisch ², Björn Jensen ², Sven Peine ³,
Kristina Norman ^{4,5}, Manfred J. Müller ¹ and Anja Bosy-Westphal ^{1,*}

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GLIM

Table 2
Examples of recommended thresholds for reduced muscle mass.

	Males	Females	
Appendicular Skeletal Muscle Index (ASMI, kg/m ²) [15]	<7.26	<5.25	
ASMI, kg/m ² [24] ^a	<7	<6	EWGSOP
ASMI, kg/m ² [17] ^b			
DXA	<7	<5.4	AWGS
BIA	<7	<5.7	AWGS
Fat free mass index (FFMI, kg/m ²) [8]	<17	<15	ESPEN
Appendicular lean mass (ALM, kg) [25]	<21.4	<14.1	
Appendicular lean mass adjusted for BMI = ALM/BMI [26]	<0.725	<0.591	

DXA = dual energy x-ray absorptiometry, BIA = bioelectrical impedance analysis.
BMI = body mass index.

^a Recommendations from European Working Group on Sarcopenia in Older People 2 (EWGSOP2); personal communication Alfonso Cruz-Jentoft.

^b Recommendations from Asian Working Group for Sarcopenia (AWGS) for Asians.

ASMI

Appendicular Skeletal Muscle Index

FFMI

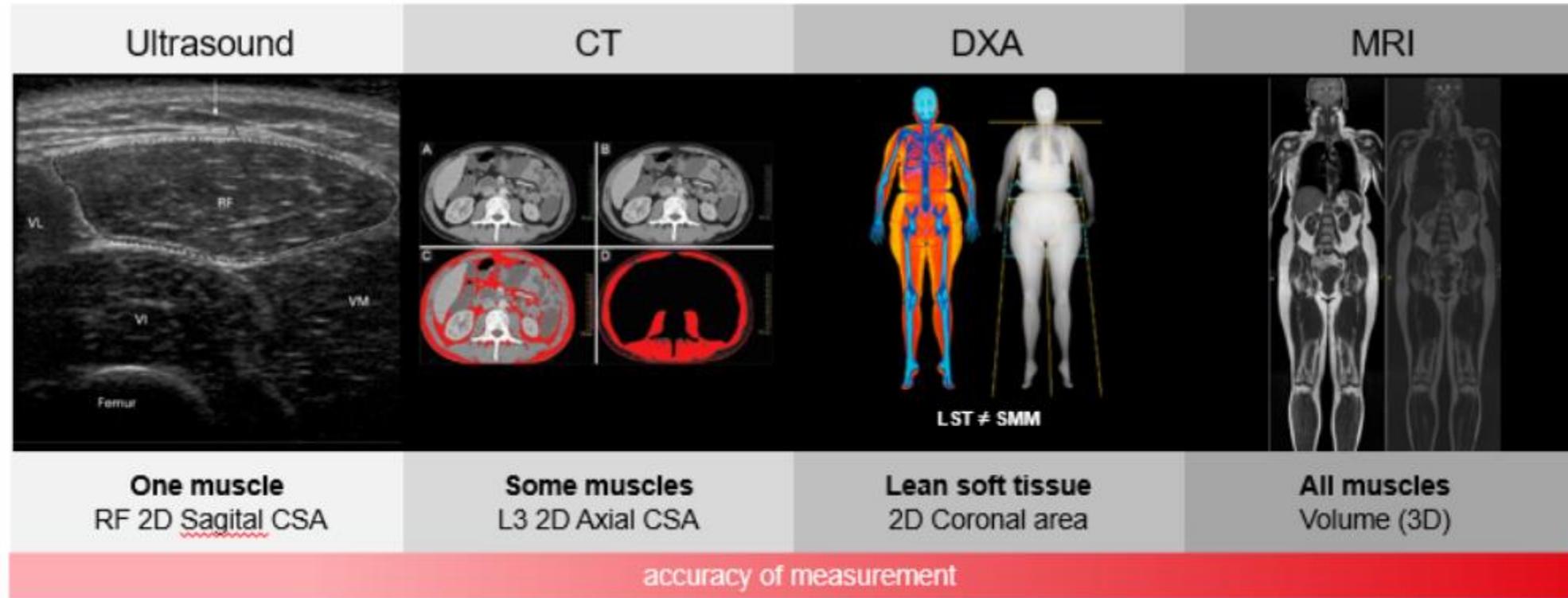
Fat-Free Mass Index

ALM

Appendicular Lean Mass

97%

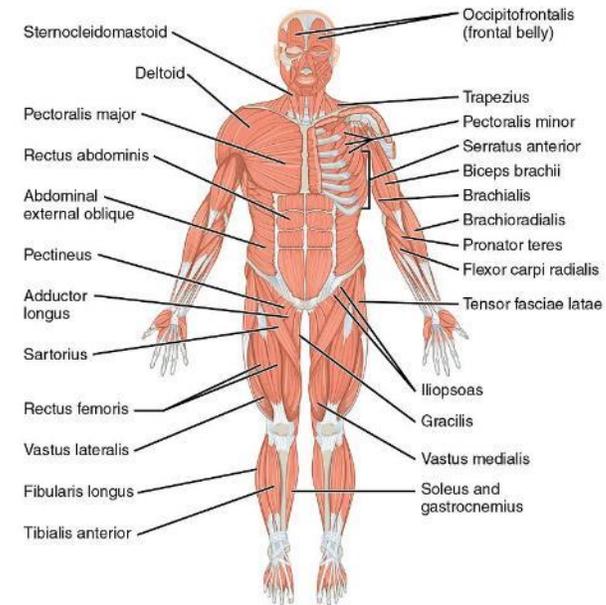
Muscle mass accuracy compared to full-body MRI



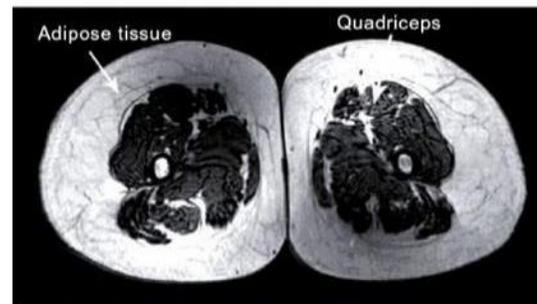
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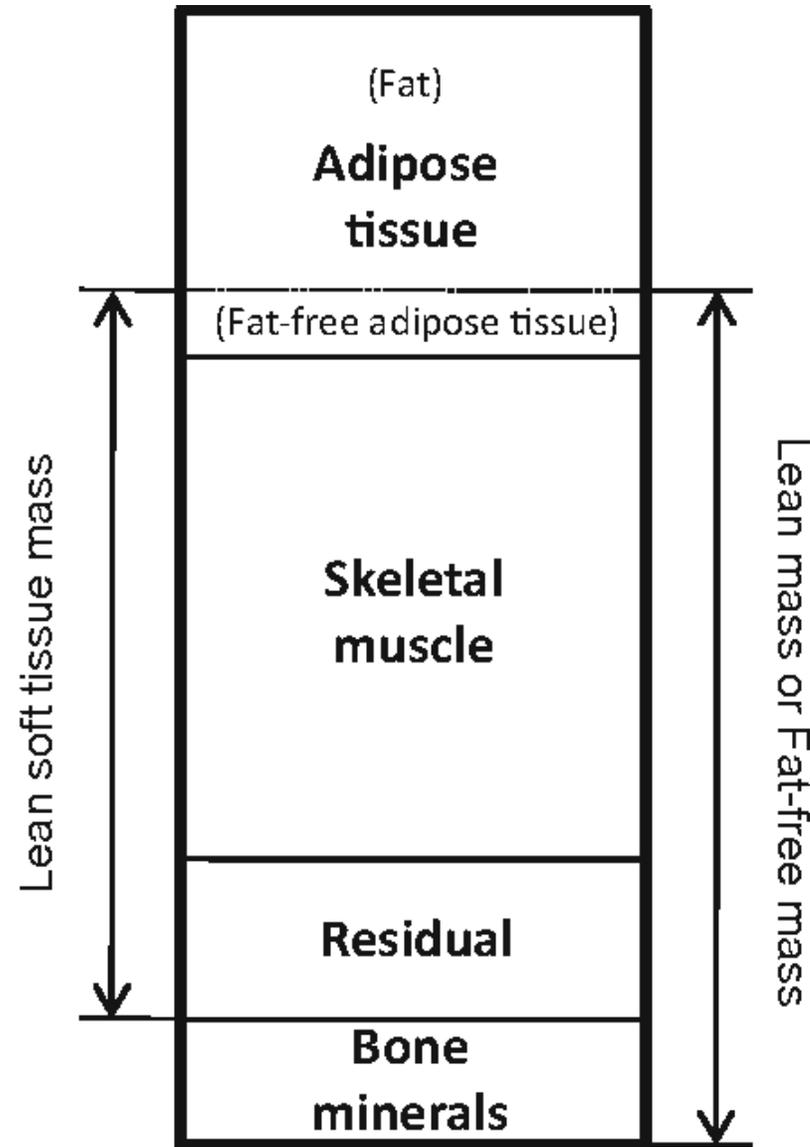
Whole body MRI



Whole body muscle mass



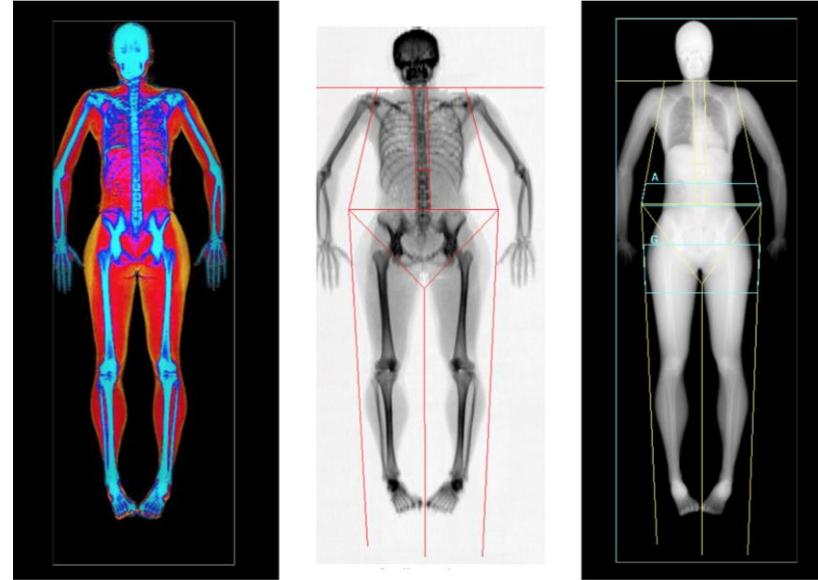
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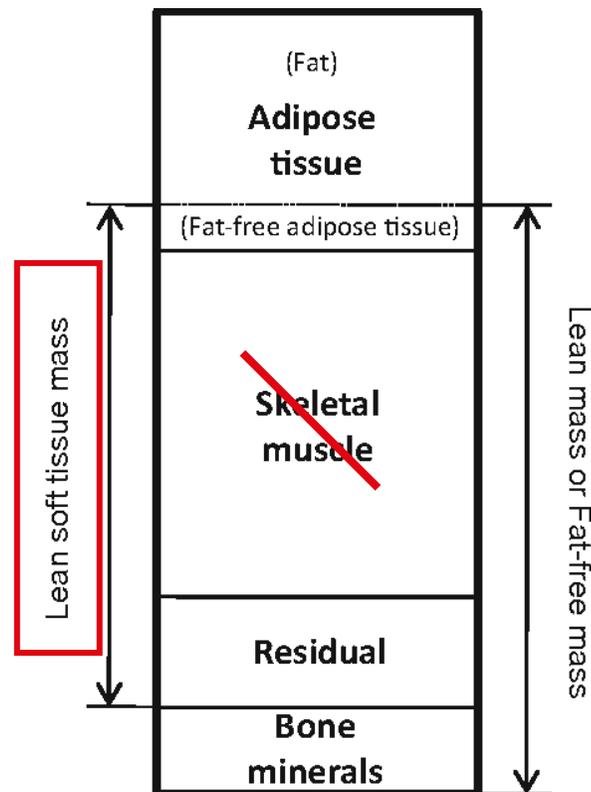
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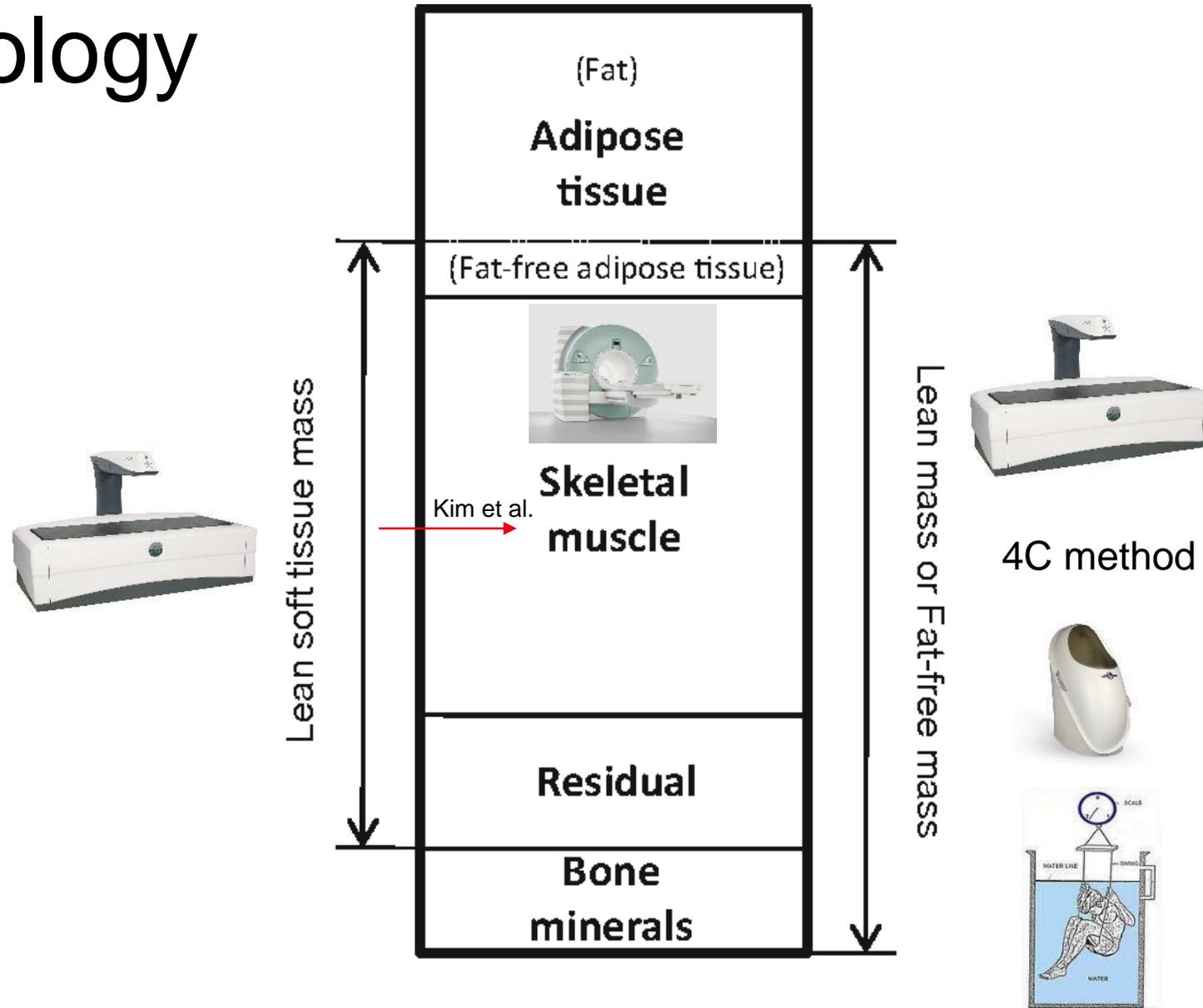
Fat-Free Mass
Appendicular Lean Soft Tissue
Appendicular Skeletal Mass Index

Methodology

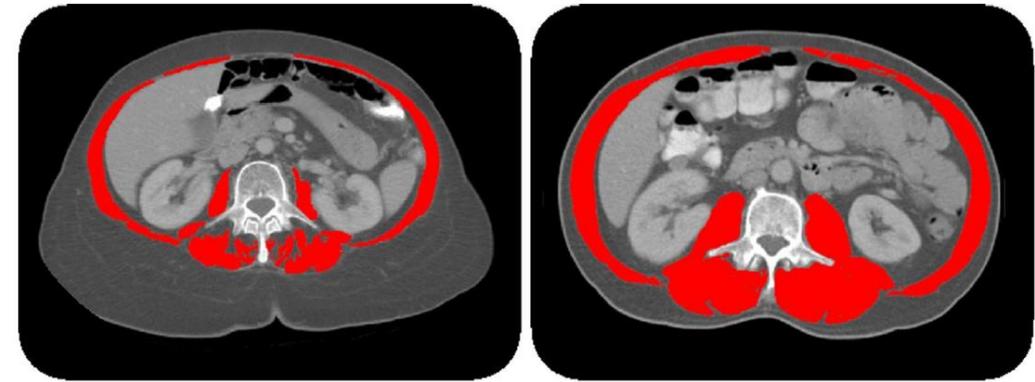
$$\text{Appendicular Skeletal Muscle Index (ASMI)} = \frac{\text{Appendicular Lean Soft Tissue [kg]}}{\text{Height}^2 [\text{m}^2]}$$



Methodology



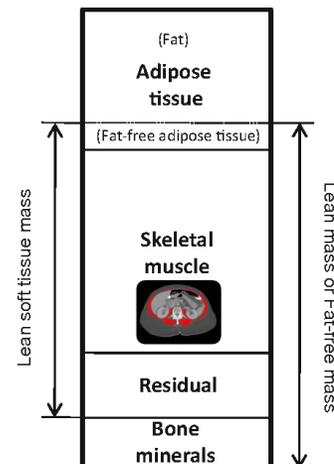
Methodology



81M
BSA = 1.59 m²
SMI = 31.8 cm²/m²

65M
BSA = 1.59 m²
SMI = 54.4 cm²/m²

CT

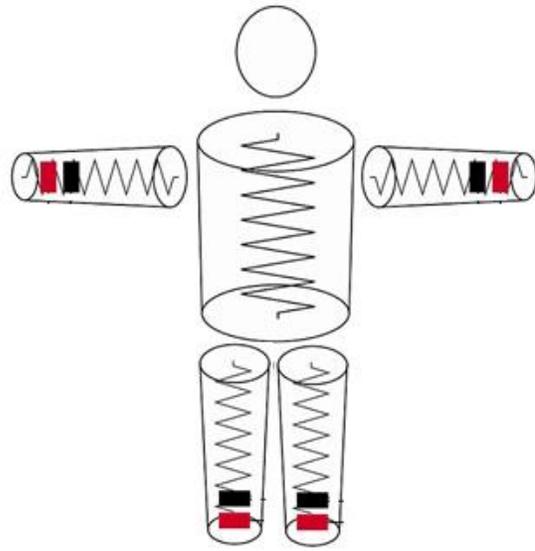


Muscle Mass Cross sectional area L3 (CSA)

$$SMI = \frac{CSA [cm^2]}{Height^2 [m^2]}$$

Psoas thickness (CT), quadriceps thickness (US)

Methodology – Bioimpedance Analysis (BIA)

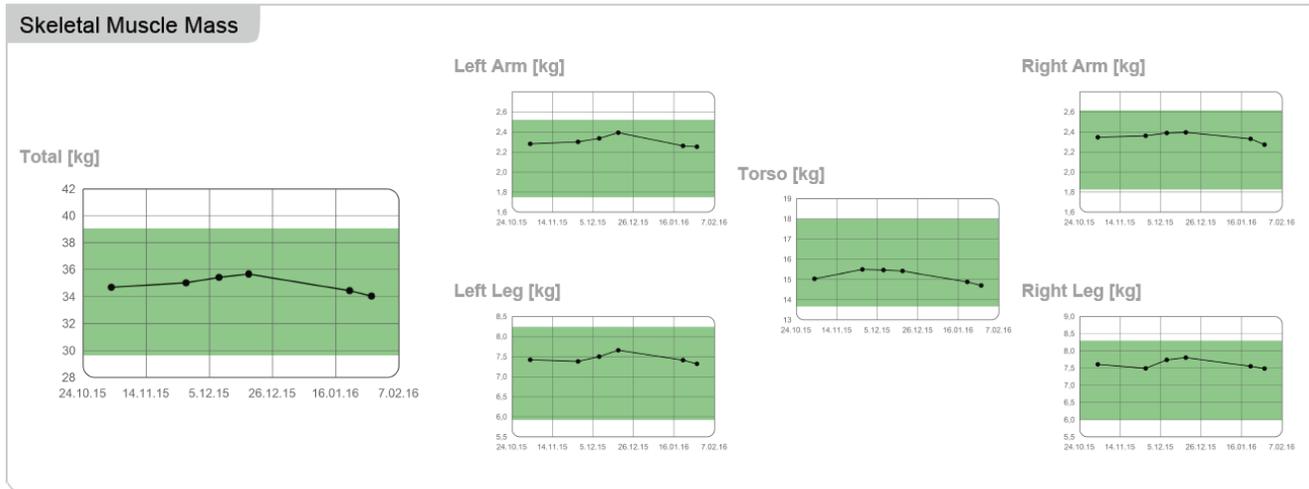


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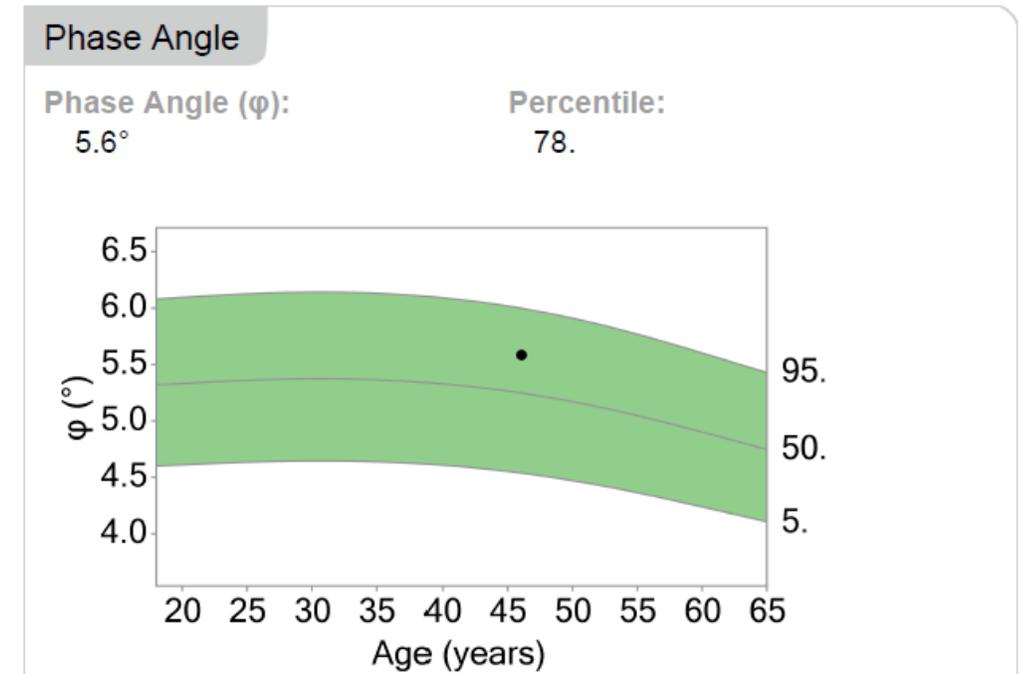
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Formula Generation

- Skeletal Muscle Mass (MRI)
- Skeletal Muscle Mass (DXA → Formula)
- Fat-Free/Fat Mass (4C)
- Fat-Free/Fat Mass (DXA)
- Fat-Free/Fat Mass (ADP or UWW)
- Appendicular Skeletal Muscle Index (DXA)

Methodology – Bioimpedance Analysis (BIA)



Muscle Quantity



Muscle Quality

Conclusion



Review

Reference Values for Skeletal Muscle Mass – Current Concepts and Methodological Considerations

Carina O. Walowski ¹, Wiebke Braun ¹, Michael J. Maisch ², Björn Jensen ², Sven Peine ³, Kristina Norman ^{4,5}, Manfred J. Müller ¹ and Anja Bosy-Westphal ^{1,*}

“In summary, published reference values for SM differ widely dependent on the outcome parameter and reference population. Results should consider the limitation of all proxies for total SM with respect to application in individual cases as well as for measurement of changes in SM.”

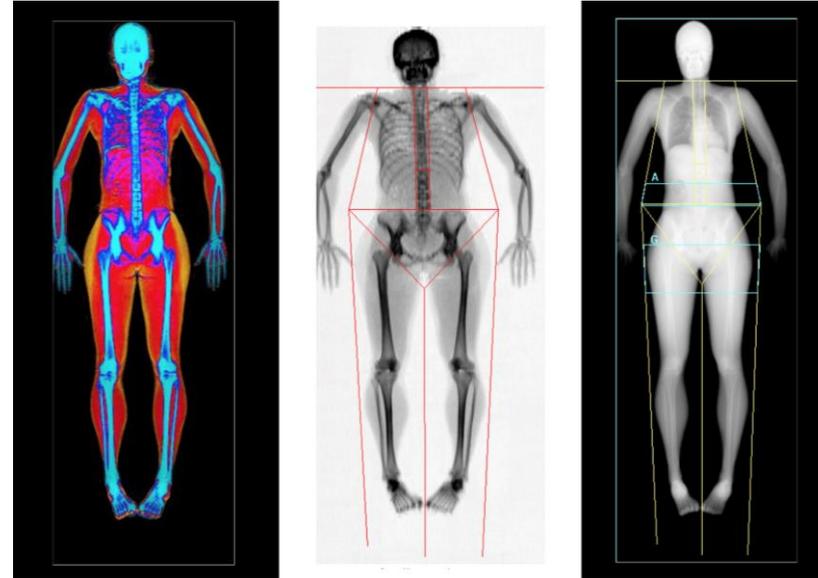
The adverse effects of obesity on muscle quality and function may lead to an underestimation of sarcopenia in obesity and therefore requires normalization of SM for FM.”

Bioimpedance Analysis and Fat Mass

Methodology



DXA



Fat-Free Mass

Fat Mass

Appendicular Lean Soft Tissue

Appendicular Skeletal Mass Index

98%

Fat mass accuracy compared to 4-compartment model



Fat-Free Mass
Fat Mass

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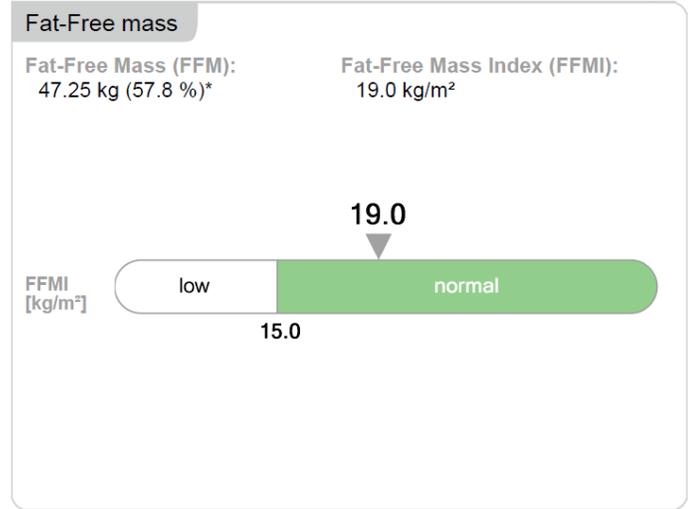
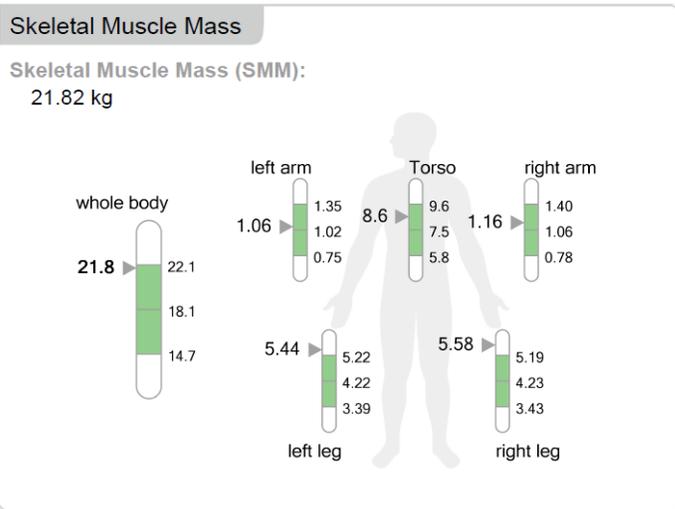
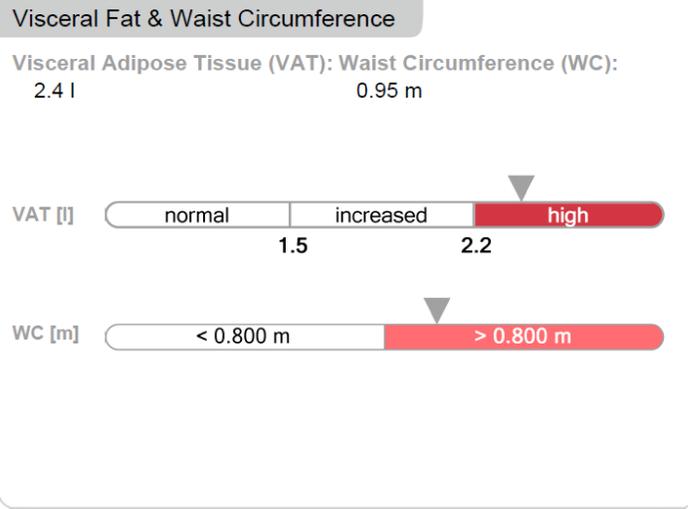
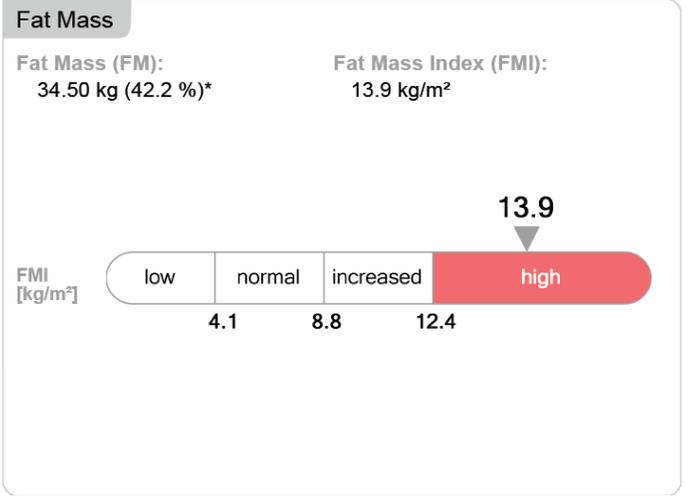
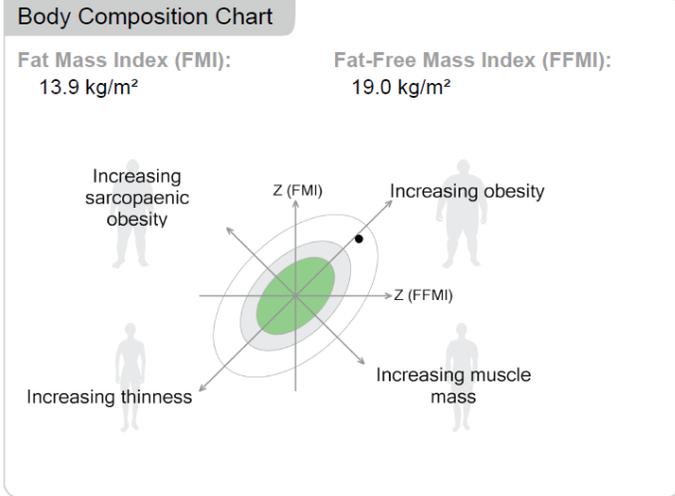
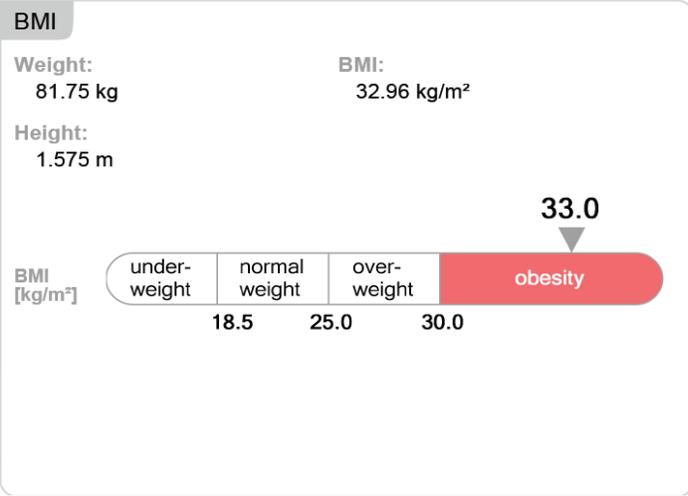
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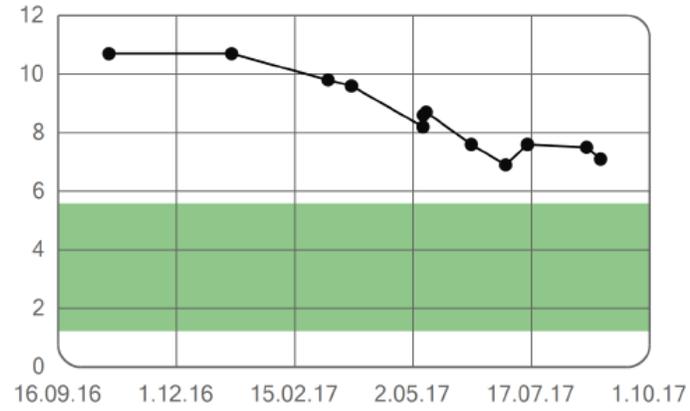
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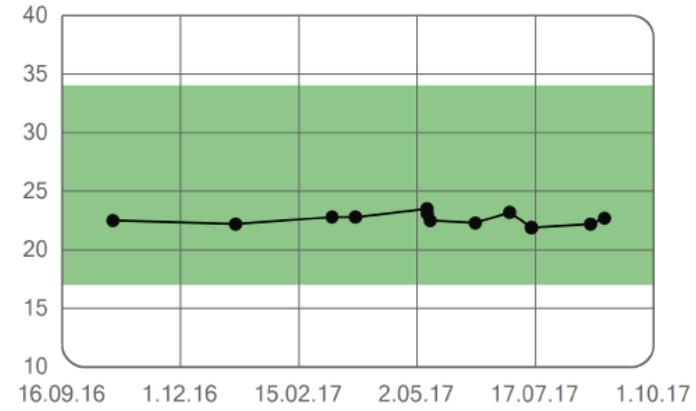
Bioimpedance Analysis Parameters



Fat Mass Index [kg/m²]

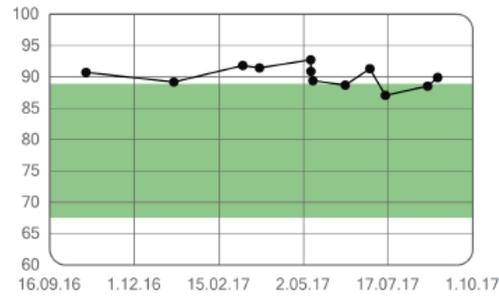


Fat-Free Mass Index [kg/m²]



Skeletal Muscle Mass

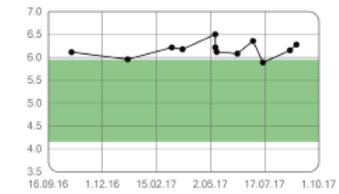
Total [lbs]



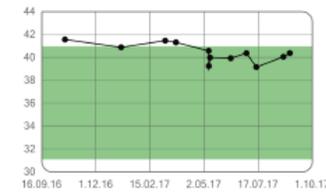
Left Arm [lbs]



Right Arm [lbs]



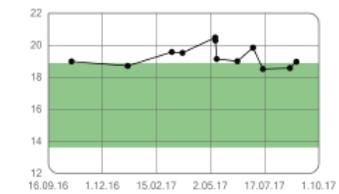
Torso [lbs]



Left Leg [lbs]



Right Leg [lbs]



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