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A new means to Improve patient Outcomes

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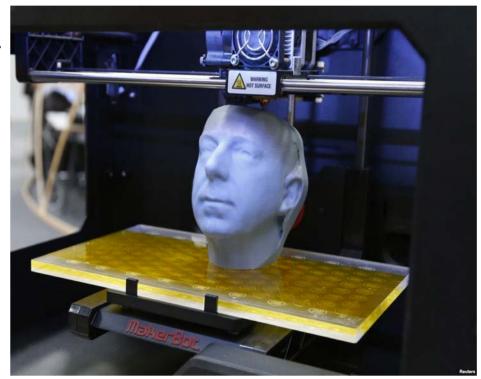
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Three-Dimensional (3D) Printing

• Also known as *additive* manufacturing, refers to any of several processes involving sequential deposition of material to form a 3D object

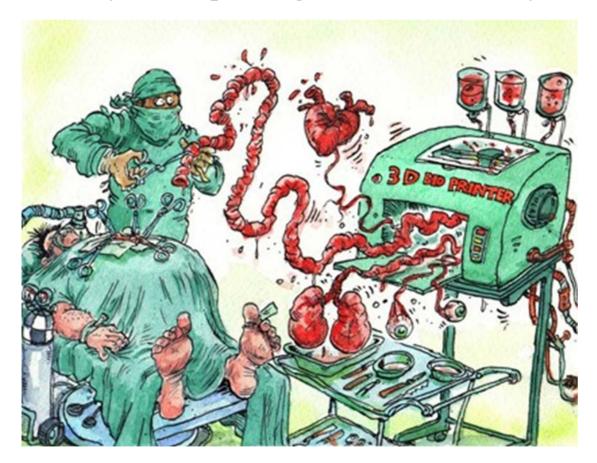
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Are we ready for 3D printing in the 21st Century?



•Yes



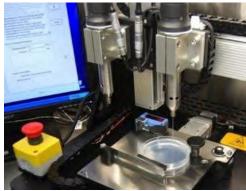
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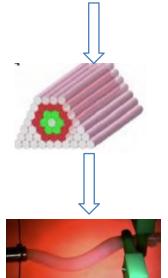
How Does it Work ?

- Use Printer with 2 Print Cylinders
 - Cells
 - Hydrogel

Create 3D Model of Vessel

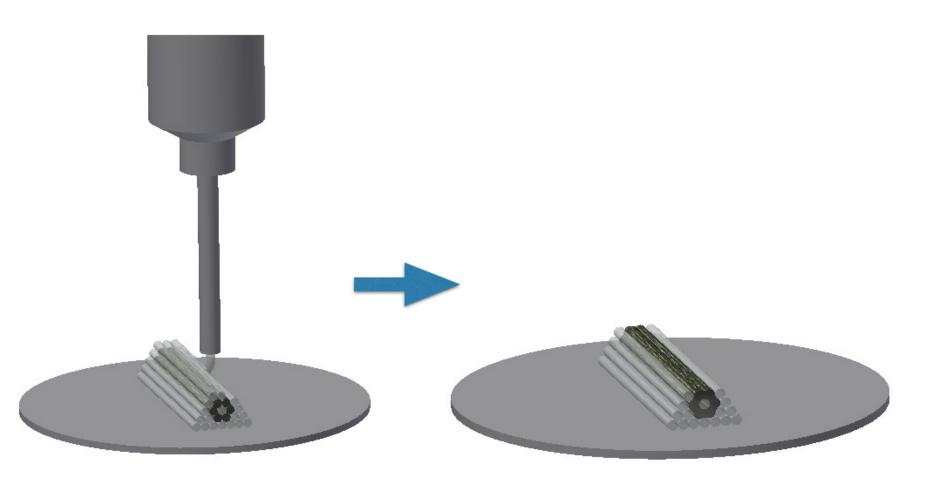
Prepare Vessel for Implantation







Schematic of the Process

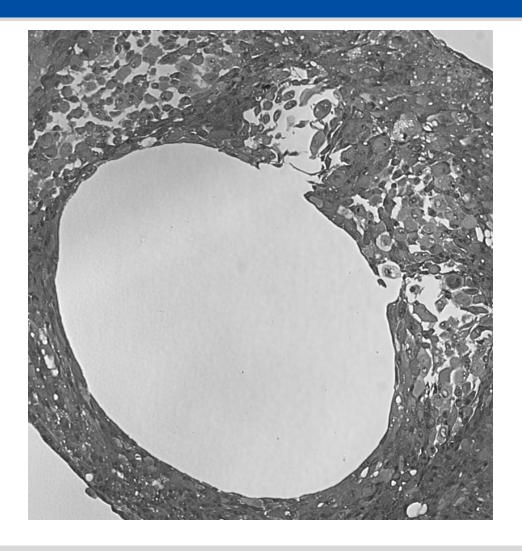


Creation of Rat Arterial Vessel: Elapsed time to Finished Print 3 Hours





Cross-Section of Print 36+ hours from Print



Perfusion of New Print Technology

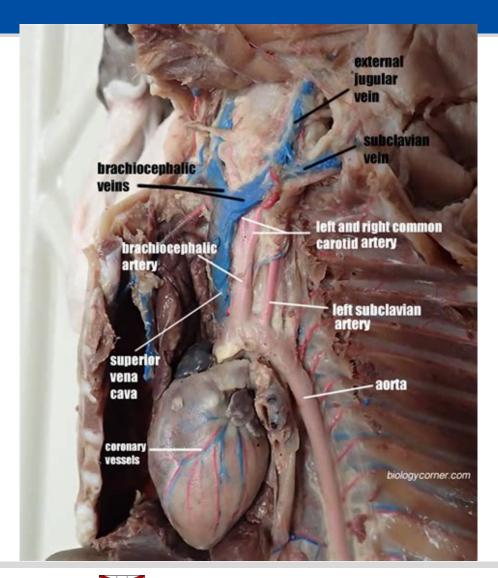


Question of Tensile Strength

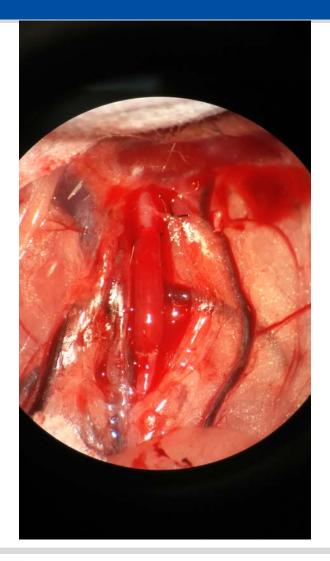
• Are the new prints able to withstand the pressures of aortic perfusion?



Rat Aorta



Implanted full length graft

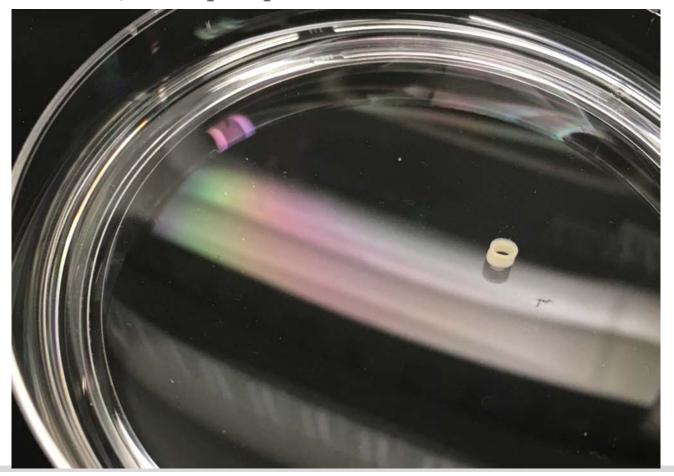


Intestinal Repair with 3D Prints

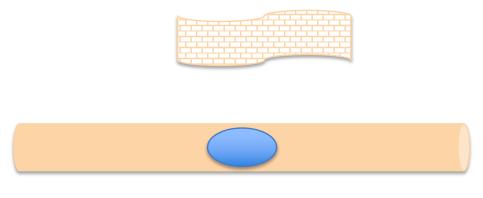


Larger ID multilayer robust print

Print at 24 hours post print



Process For Intestinal Patch



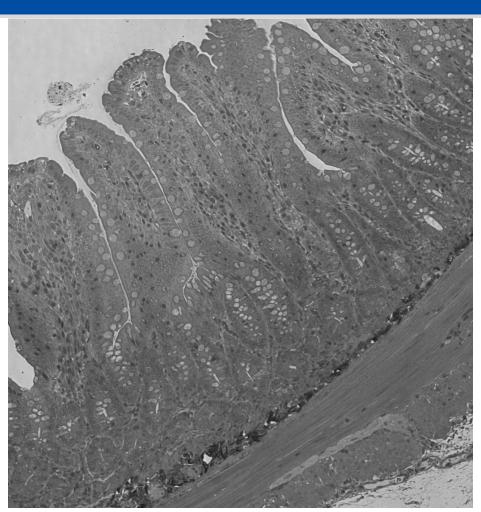




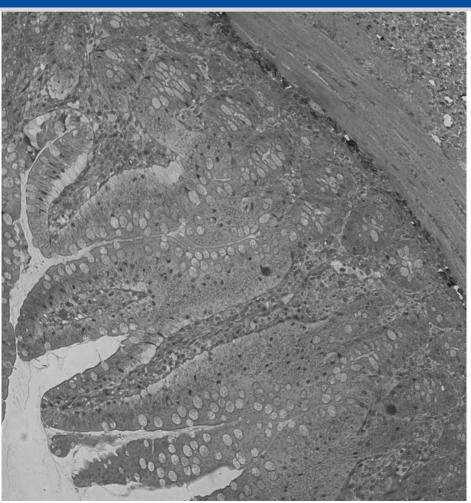
In Vivo 21 days Post Op



30 Days Post Implantation of Patch



Implant Cross Section



Sham Operated Cross Section

Yale Instrumentation Initiative Help

Critical Needs for your Instrumentation Work

- Supplies to expand cell culture levels to move on to higher organisms
- Acquisition of More incubators and TC hood to allow for more prints

How could the Yale Instrumentation Initiative help your work

- Provide infrastructure to make facility available to more labs
- Expand the printing facility to make it accessible to other labs/groups

What can you offer to the Yale Instrumentation Community

- Consult on what is needed for successful 3D Bioprinting
- Potentially print organoids for drug development using human cell models
- Work on designing Cartridges for 3D Organ replacement
 - Pancreas
 - Liver
 - Kidney



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