

# Applied Motion Analysis

Walking

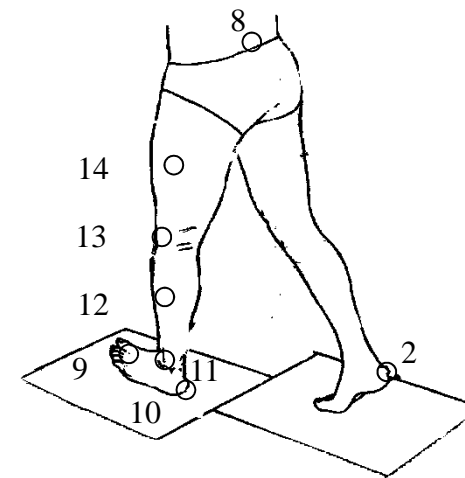
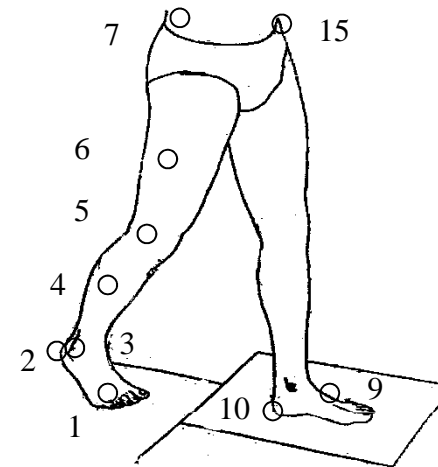
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- Using a motion analysis method we know the position of the sensors or the anatomical points.

Which anatomical points are needed?

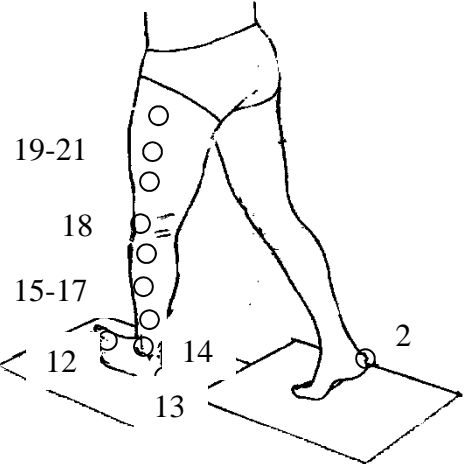
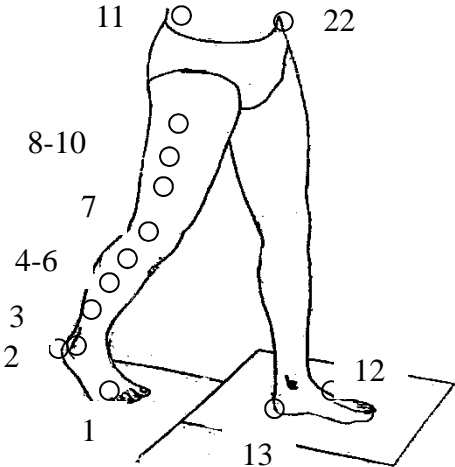
# Biomechanical model

15 points based  
biomechanical model



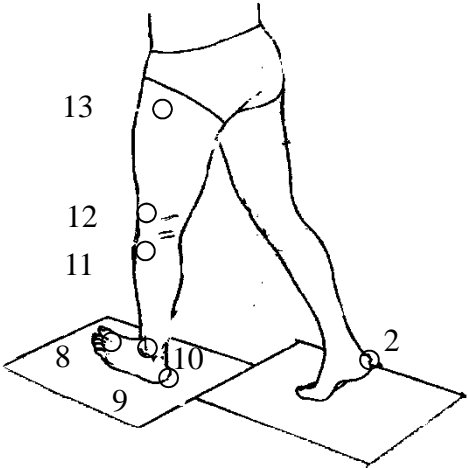
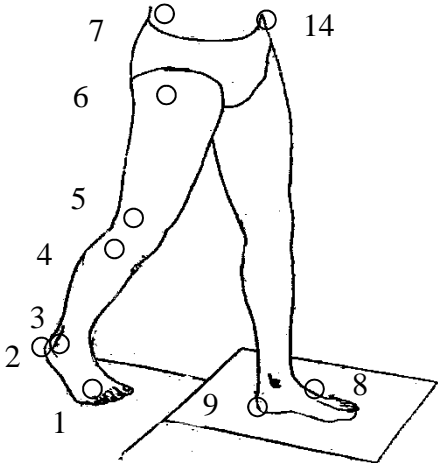
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22 points based  
biomechanical model

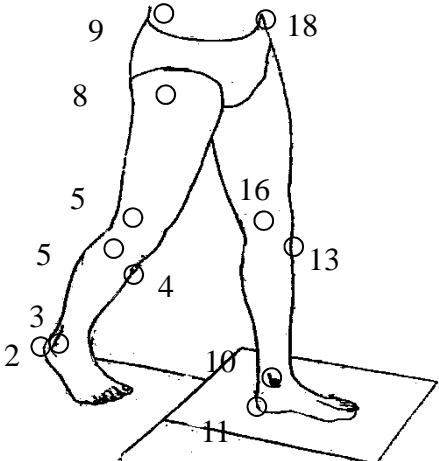


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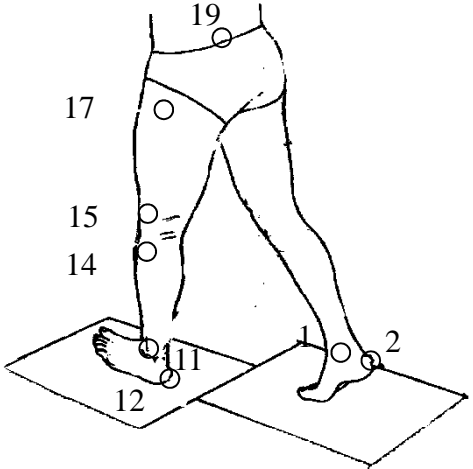
14 points based  
biomechanical model



# Biomechanical model



**19 points based  
biomechanical model**



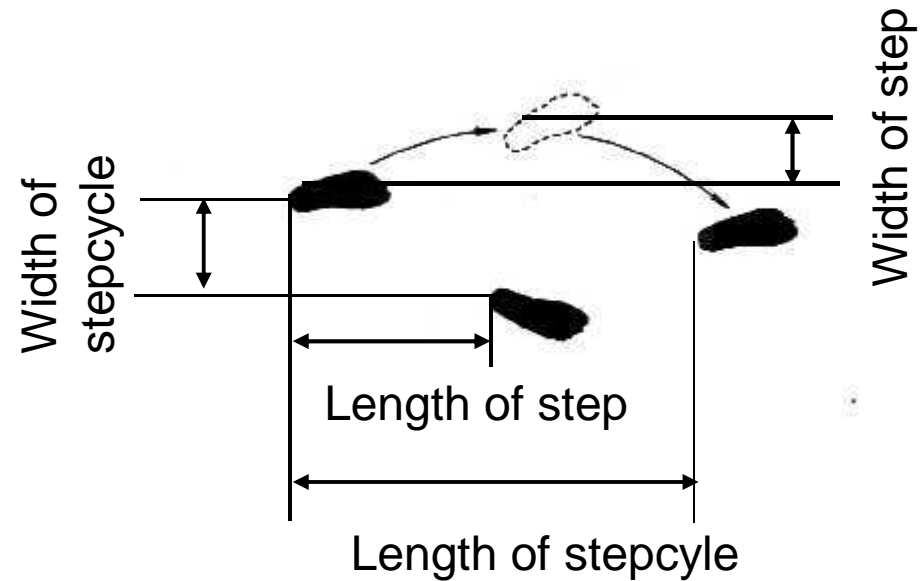
What should we calculate from the spatial position of the anatomical points?



# Displacement, time like parameters

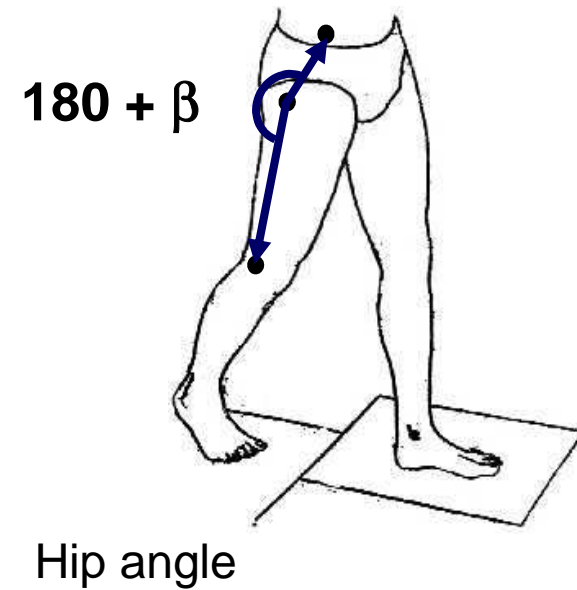
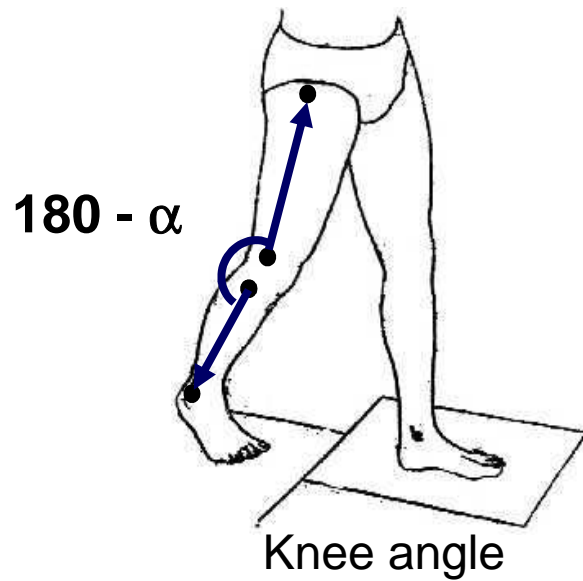
- Displacement-time parameters

- Length of the step
- Length of stepcycle
- Width of stepcycle
- Length of swinging phase
- Length of double support phase

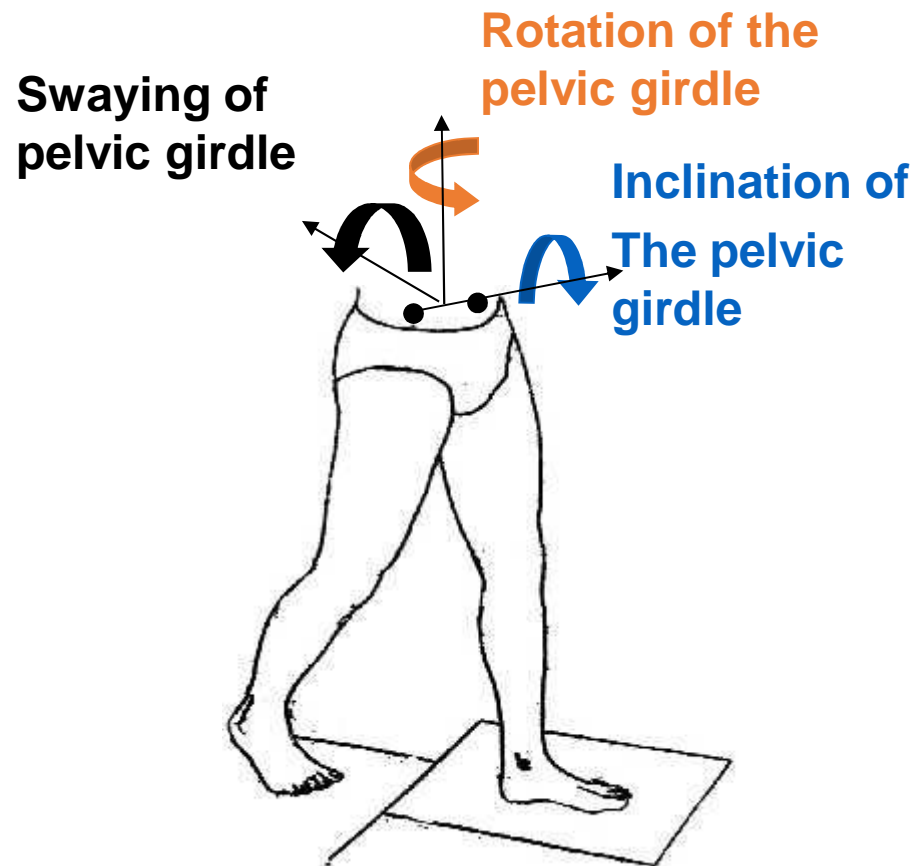


# Angle like parameters

- Angle-like parameters
  - Knee-angle
  - Hip angle



# Angle-like parameters



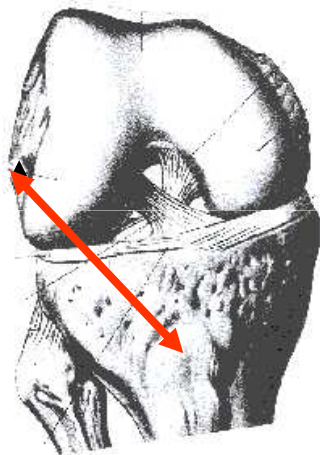
Defintion od the local  
coordinate system

Turning of the pelvic  
girdle around the axes  
like a rigid body

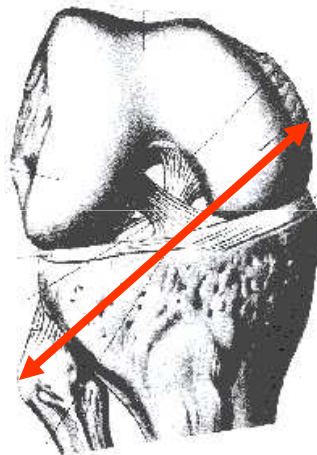
# Deformation like parameters

## Relative ligament-point deformation

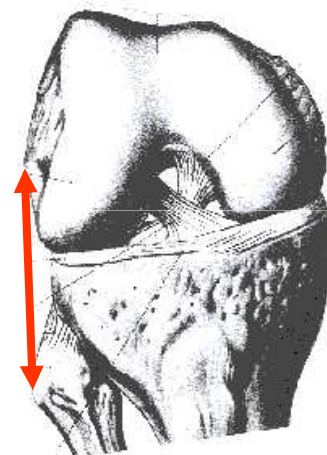
LCA



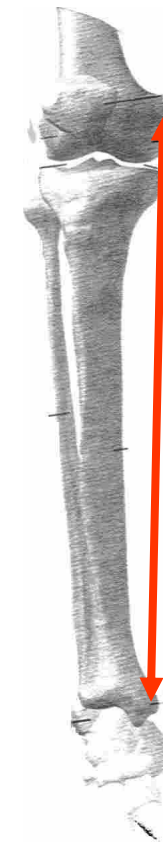
LCP



LCL



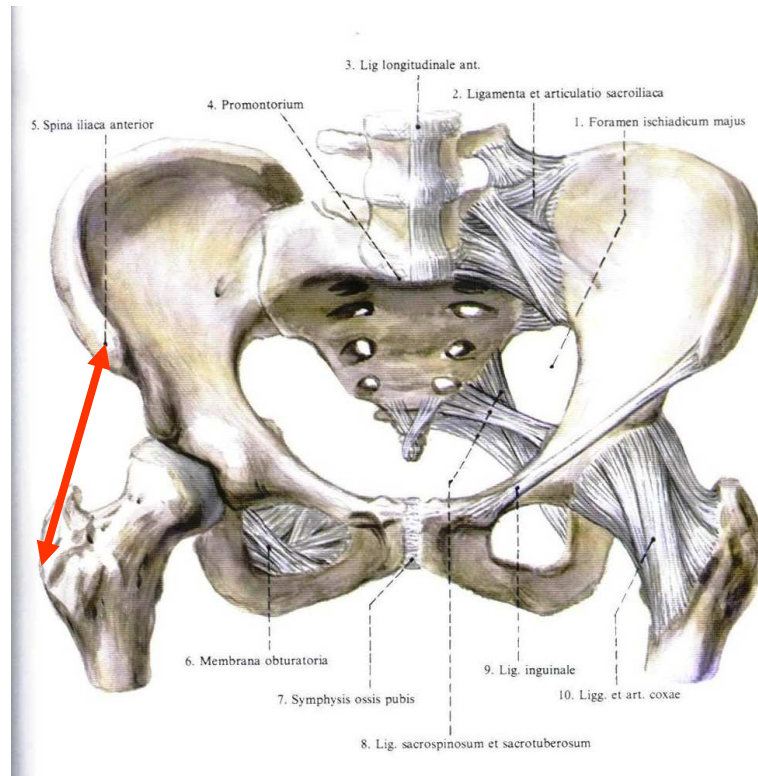
LCM



Between specified anatomical points  
maximum value of normalized displacement.  
High priority: ligament injuries  
varus-valgus knee

# Deformation like parameters

## Relative hip-point changing



Donáth: Anatómiai atlasz

Between ASIS (anterior superior iliac spine) and the great trochanter

Normalized valued of the highest displacement

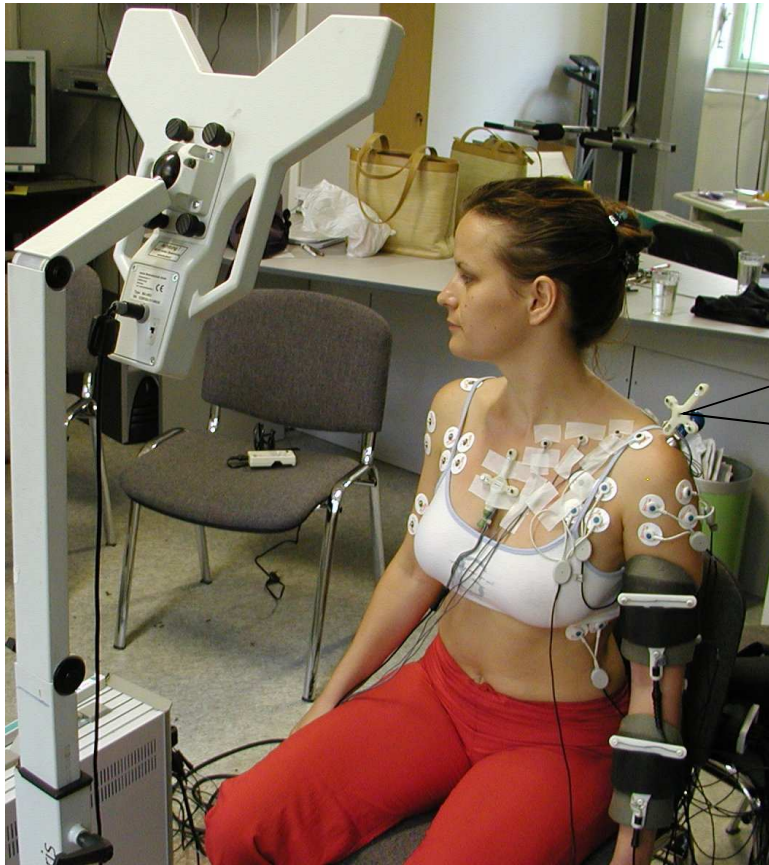
Important:

hip-joint  
endoprostheses

# Motions of the upper limb

# Method

## Measurement triplet for the motion of the scapula



Vacuum: rigid contact  
Acromion: smallest skin movement  
visible by the measurement head  
measurable during the motion

# What we know?

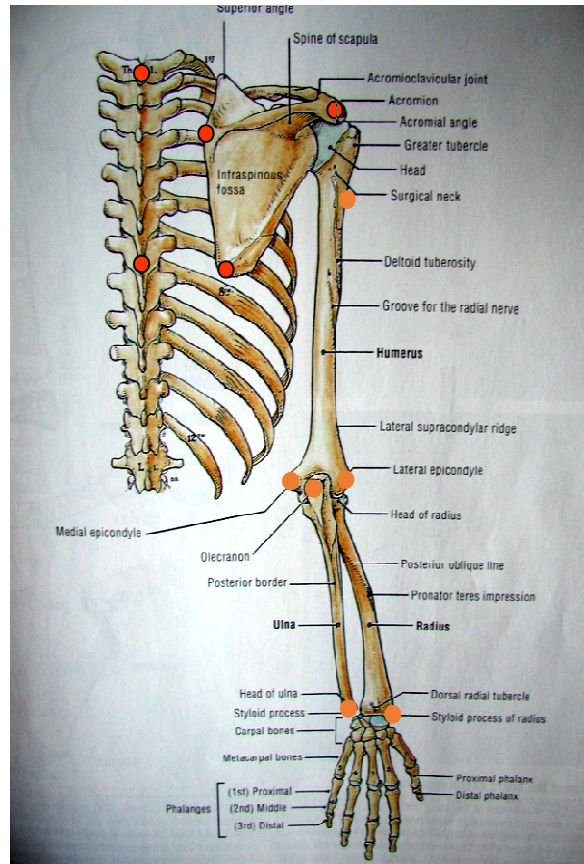
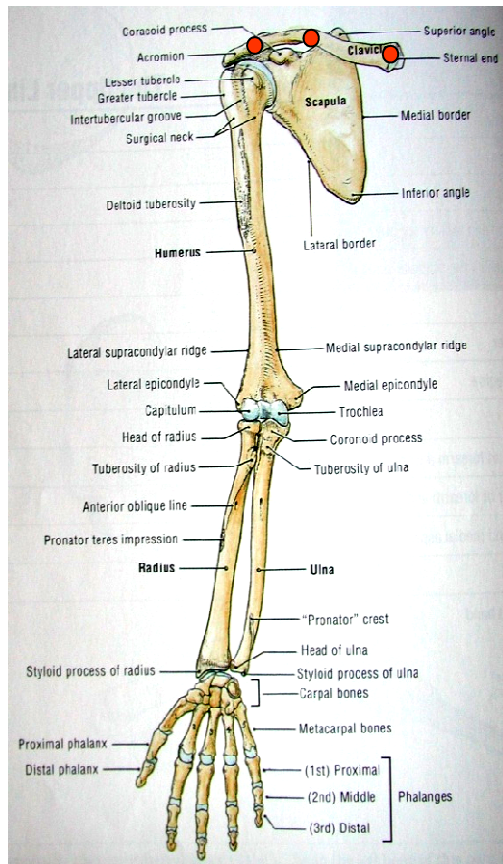
- Using a motion analysis method we know the position of the sensors or the anatomical points.

Which anatomical points are needed?



# Biomechanical model

The developed 16 points based biomechanical model



Anatomical points on the bones of the shoulder joint and at least three anatomical points of the lower arm should be investigated

# The investigated motion



Armlifting in the plane of the scapula

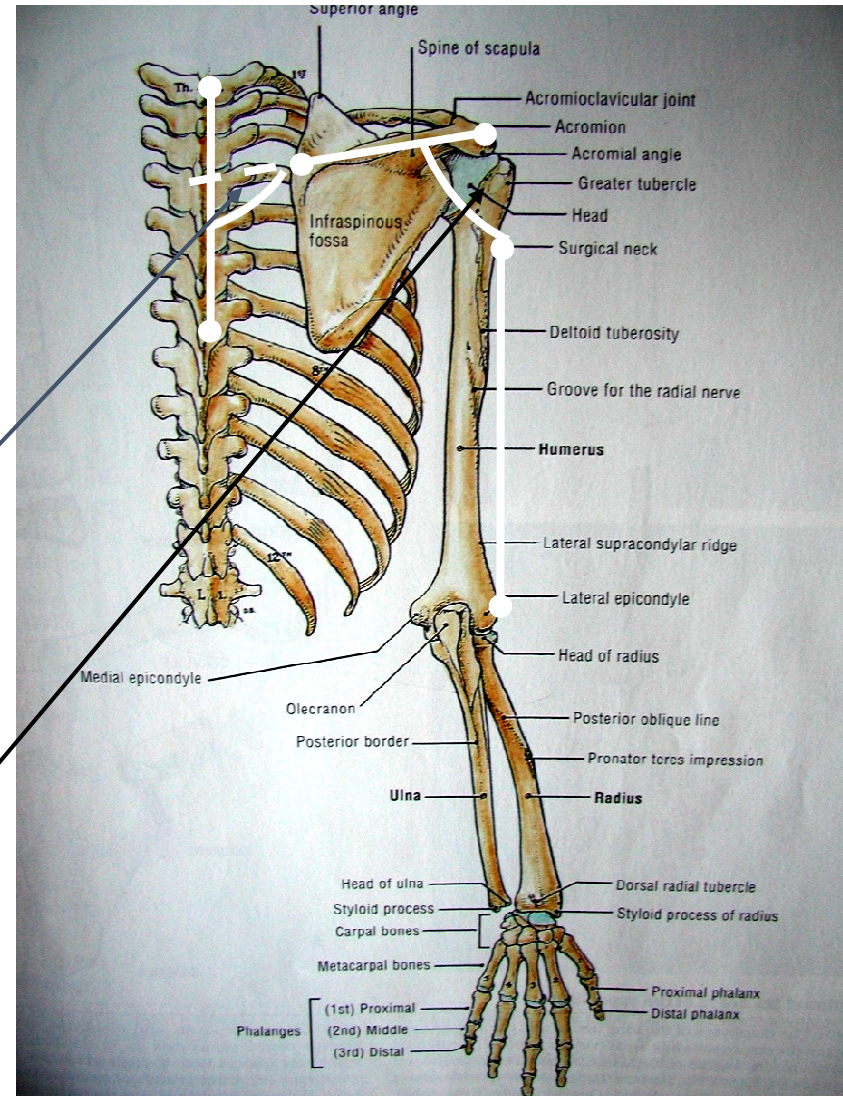
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# Parameters – Spatial angles

**HE** the angle between the trunk and the humerus (humerus elevation)

**ST** the angle between the trunk and the scapula (scapulo-thorocalis angle)

**GH** the spatial angle between the humerus and the scapula (glenohumeralis szög)



# Angle-like parameters

## Parameters of the angle changing

The difference between the initial and the present angle

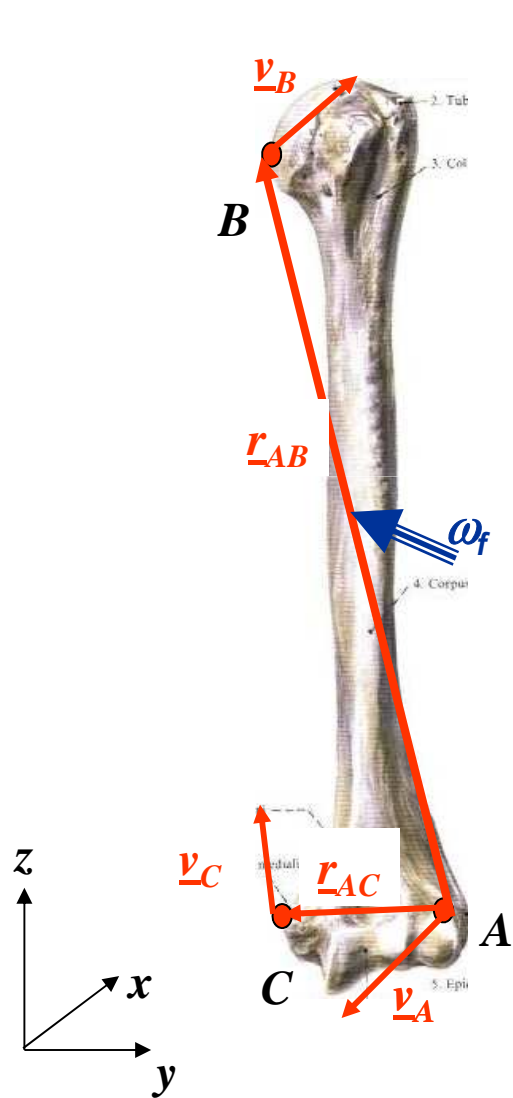
- Eliminating antropometric properties
- Dynamics is not measurable

## Scapulothorocalis and glenohumeralis rythm

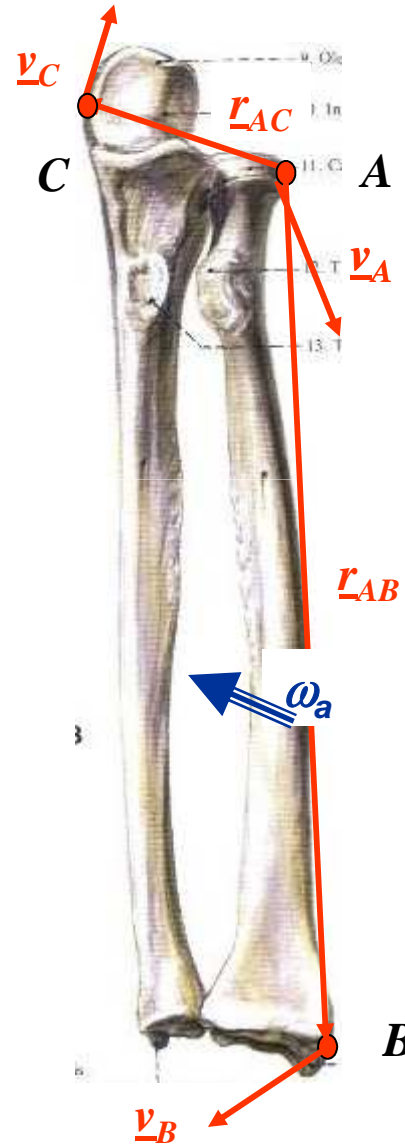
The scapulothorocalis and glenohumeralis angle in the function of elevation

- dinamika nem jellemezhető
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# The determination of rotation point



Rigid bodies are supposed-  
 Determination of the angular velocity of the lower and upper arm can be calculated from the velocities of three measured points

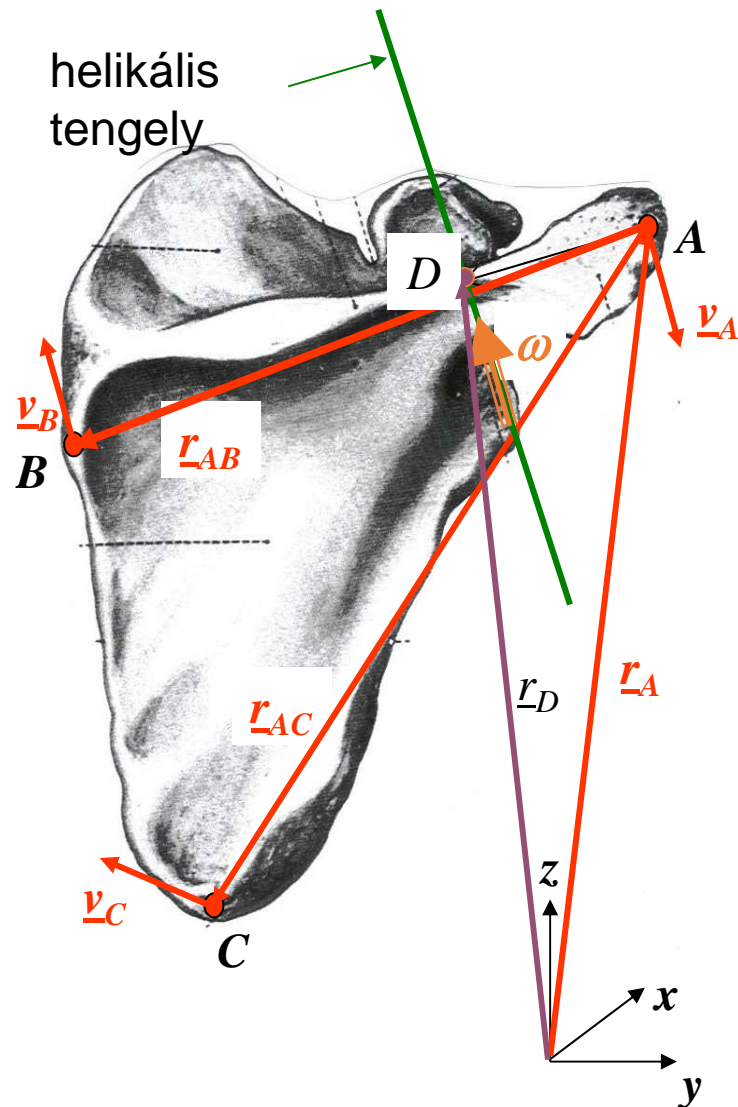


The angular velocity joint

$$\omega_f - \omega_a$$

Determination of the helical axis and the rotation point

# Calculation of the rotation point

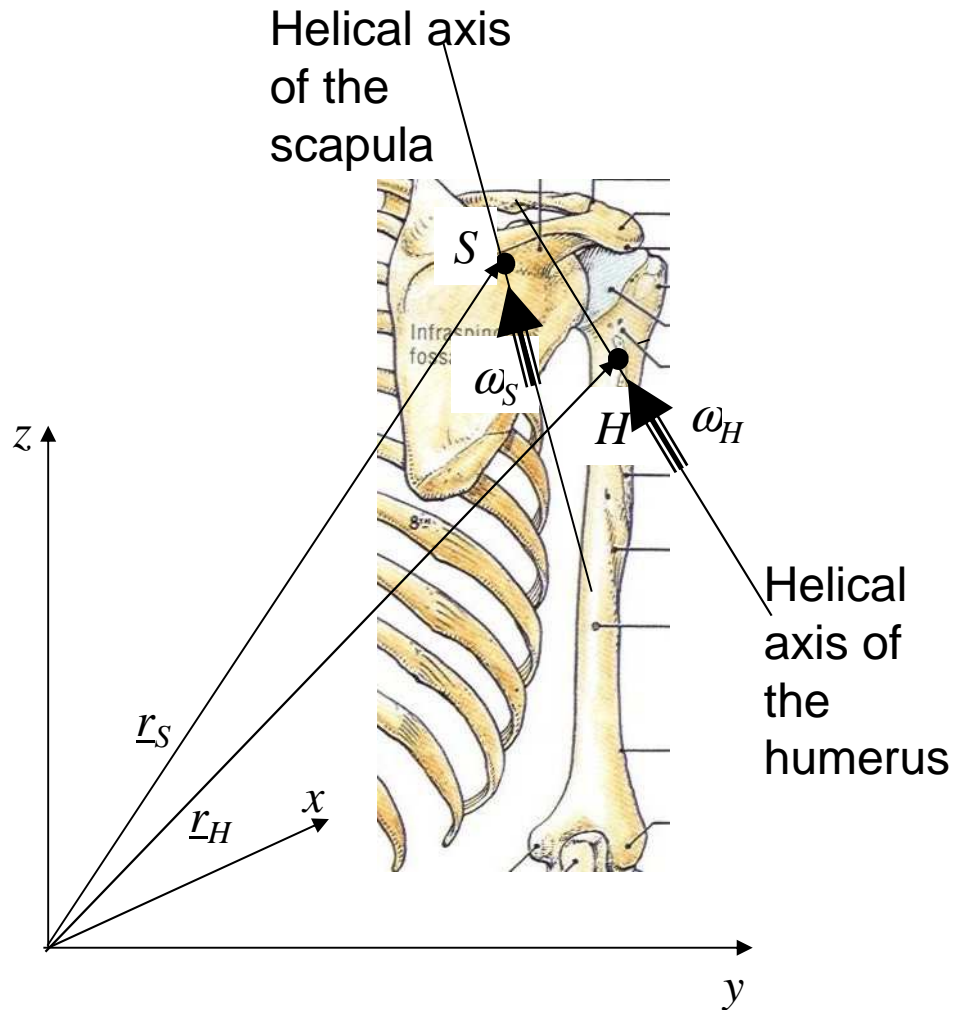


Determination of angular velocity of the segment – rigid body – from three known points of the rigid body can be calculated (Kocsis-Béda)

Determination of the helical axis of the rigid body

Determination of the rotation point

# Dynamical properties



## Investigated parameters

- Distance between two rotation points (depend on the antropometric properties)
- Absolute displacement of rotation points (depend on the antropometric properties)
- Relative displacement of rotation points (depend on the antropometric properties)



# Measuring of muscle activity

# EMG

- EMG=elektromyography
- Electrode potential changing of the skeletal muscle between two points
- Recorded figure: elektromiogramm
- Types:
  - Surface (superficial muscle groups)
  - Needle (some muscle, deep muscle, painfull, sterilization, hard-hitting)
  - Based the method of wiringing : monopolar, bipolar
- Fields of application:
  - Distinguish the nerve and muscle based paresis
  - Work, sports and orthopedic disorders usually have effects on the activation sequence

# What we know?

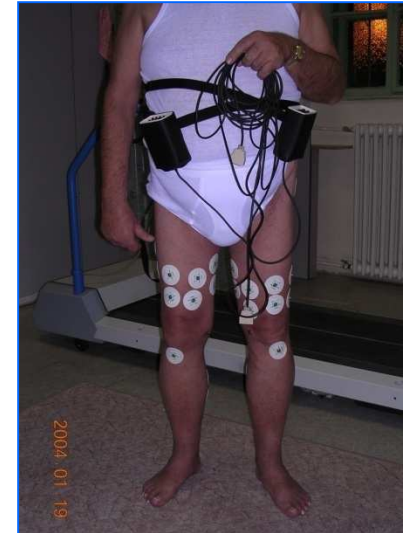
- Using superficial electromyography (EMG) the electrode potential changing of muscles are measured in time. (electromyogram).

Which muscles should be measured??

# Walking –lower limb

On surface EMG (elektromyograph)  
activation detection

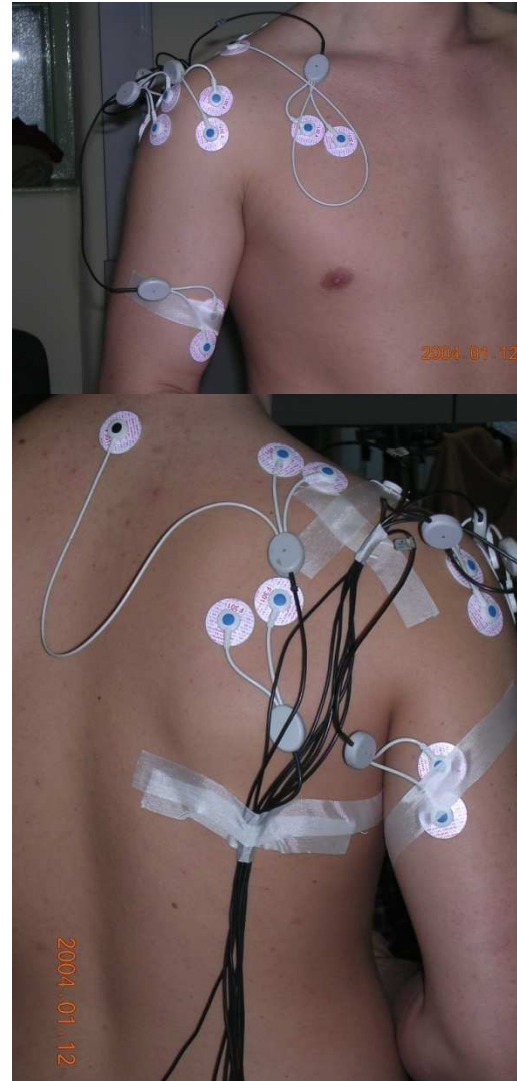
- m. vastus med.
- m. vastus lat.
- m. rectus femoris
- m. biceps fem.
- m. adductor longus
- m. gluteus medius
- m. gastrocnemius med.
- m. gastrocnemius lat.



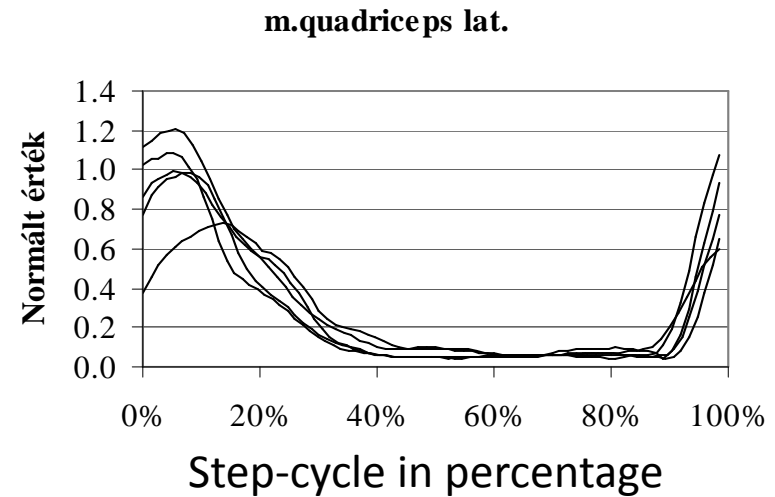
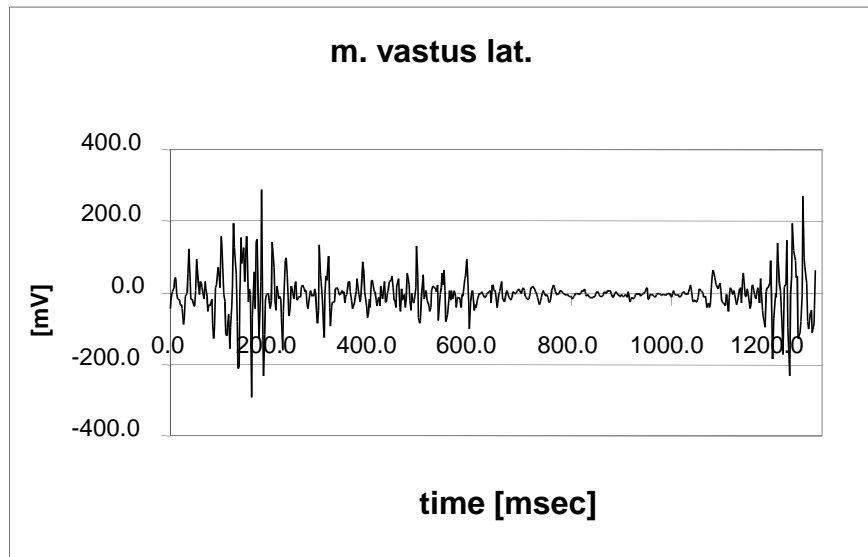
# Upper limb motions

## Measured muscles with electromyography:

- m. pectoralis major,
- m. infraspinatus,
- A deltoid-muscle frontal, mid and back head,
- m. supraspinatus trapezius,
- m. biceps brachii,
- m. triceps brachii



# Muscle activity parameters

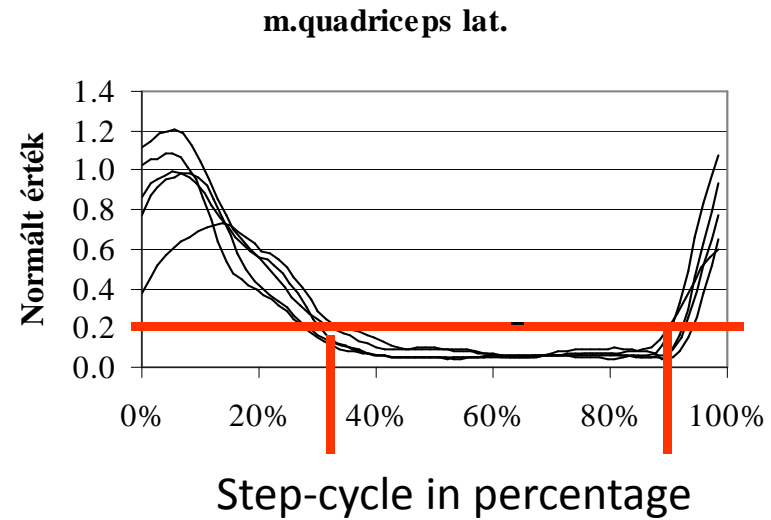


EMG creating envelope graph  
with rms (root mean square)  
method

Analysis of 6 gait cycles  
normalization of the average  
of the maximum values

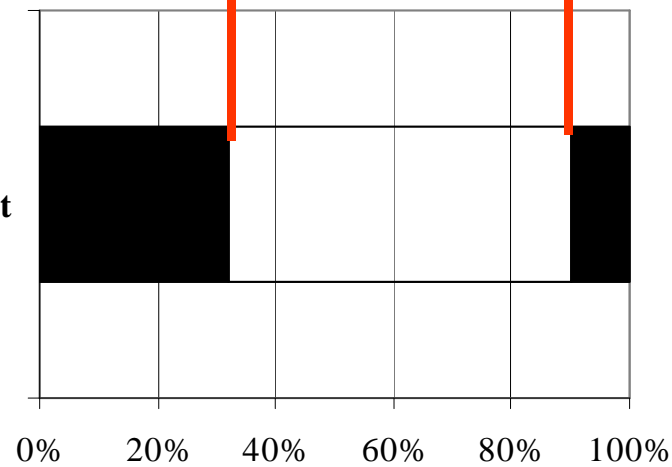
# Muscle activity parameters

Activation time (>20%)



Intermuscular coordination

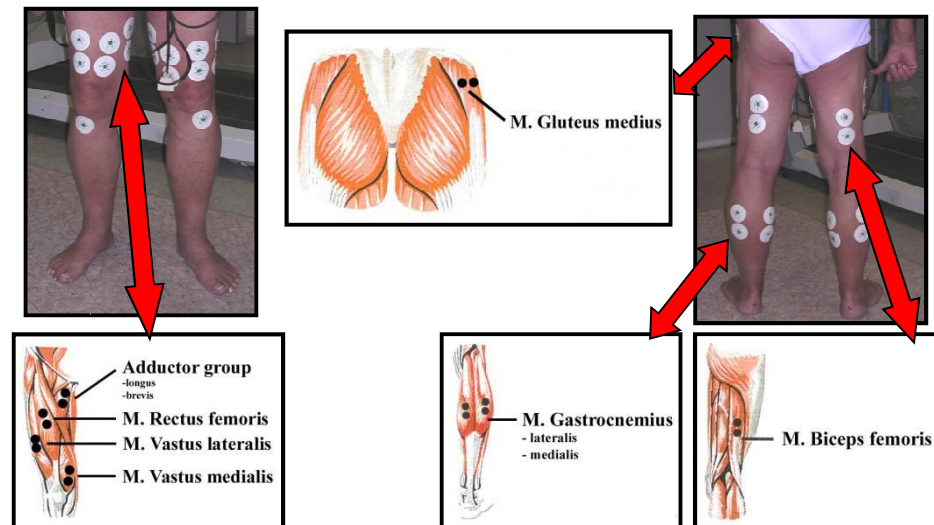
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Step-cycle in percentage

# Conduction of the measurement I.

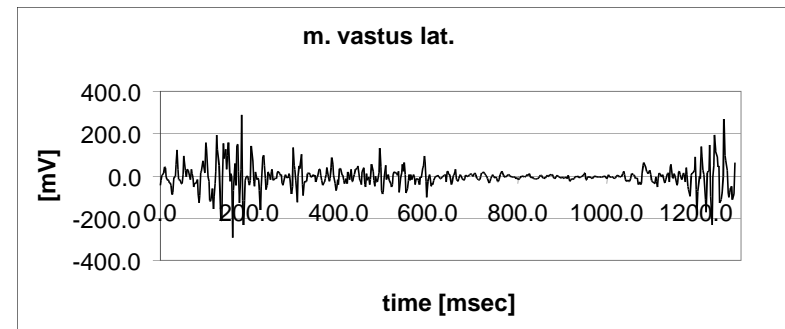
- Equipments
  - Fixing devices
  - Electrodes (superficial or nailed)
- Validation of the measurements (in general it is automatic)
- Finding measured muscles





# Conduction of the measurement II.

- Determination of the maximum muscle force
  - Special exercises (izokinetic, isometric, e.g.)
  - Some cases not measured (walking)
- Capturing the motion
  - Recording the elektromyogram
- Analysis of the measured datas



# Analysis

- Analysis of raw electromyogram
  - contraction rate
    - In rest state (no electrical activity)
    - Moderate contraction
    - Maximum contraction (normalization require maximum muscle strength)
  - Record the changes of disease
  - Denervation potential (equal contraction)
  - Polyphasic potentials ("do not belong there" contractions)

# Changes of disease

Normal  
Muscle activity



Denervated  
muscle



Myogen paralysis

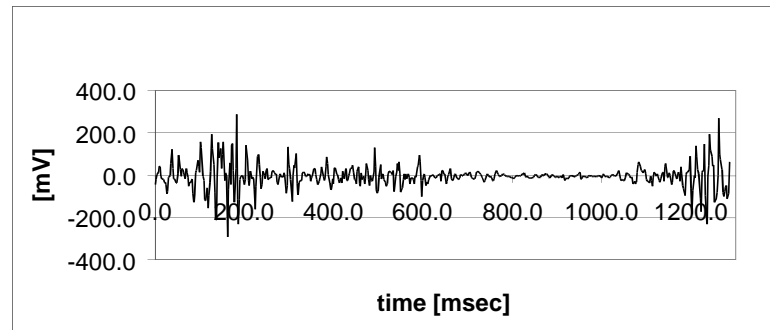


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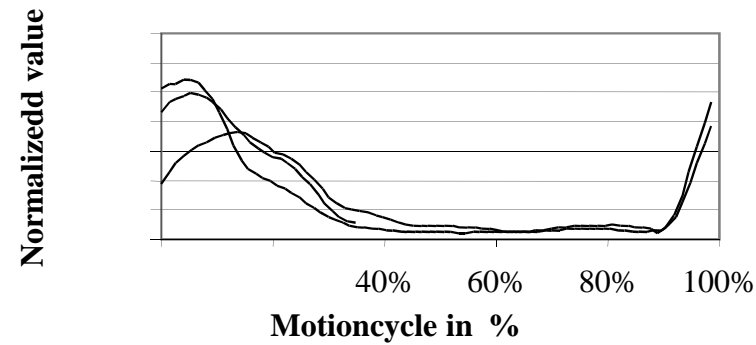
# Processing I.

- Signal-processing:
  - Absolute value computing
  - Filtering
- Processing:
  - Time based processing:
    - Norming
      - With the maximal value of a special exercise (standarding, defined for each muscle, generally with elementary motions)
      - With the maximum value of the given motion
      - With the average value of the maximal values of the given motion-cycles (walking)
      - With the maximal value of more given motion
    - Average computing (Root-mean square)
  - Frequency based processing (determination of frequency properties):
    - Average frequency
    - Median frequency

# Time based processing II.



Raw diagram

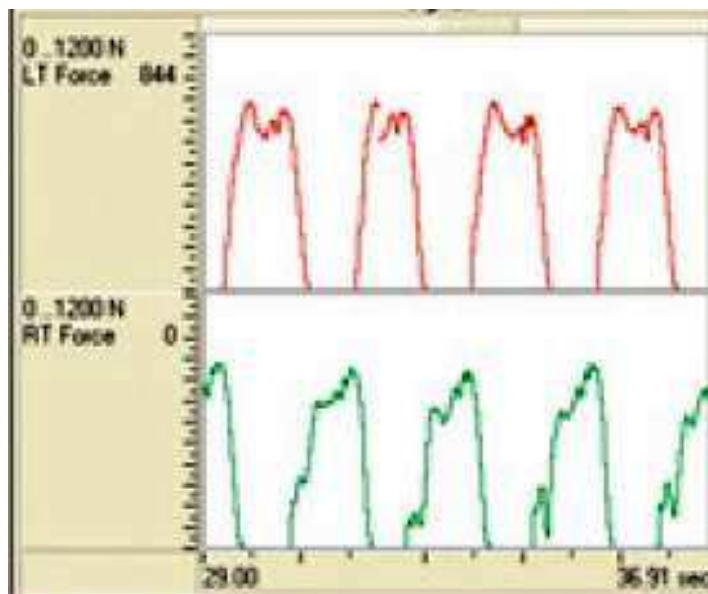


Envelope graph

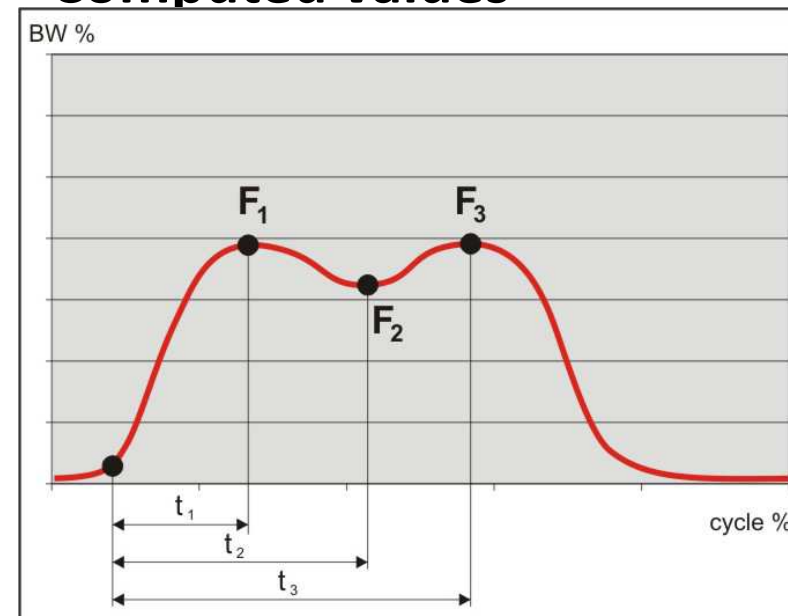
# Reaction-force measurement

# Reaction force

## Measured values



## Computed values



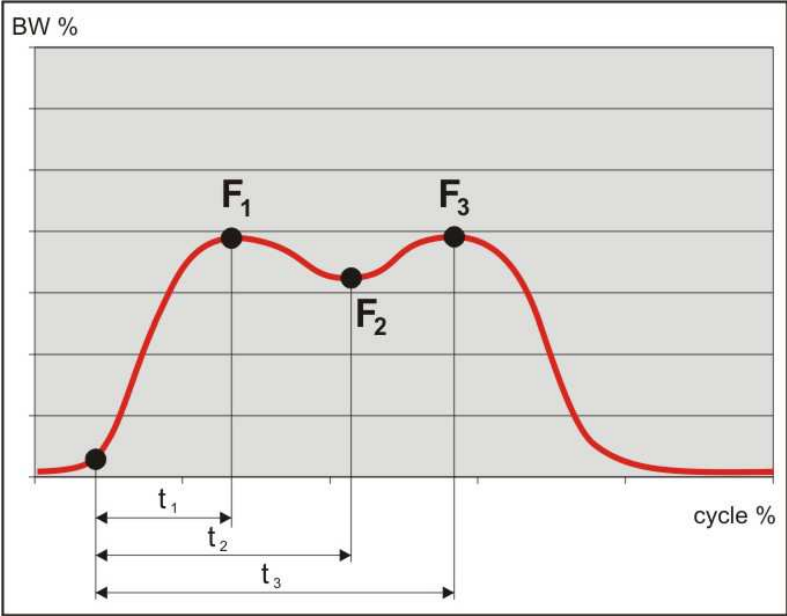
$F_1$ : Heel strike

$F_2$ : Whole foot

$F_3$ : Heel lifting

$T_i$ : Times of phases

# Reaction-force measurement– kinematical parameters



$T_i$ : times phases

→  
Constant velocity

- Distances:
- Length of step
  - Length of step-cycle



# Foot-pressure distribution

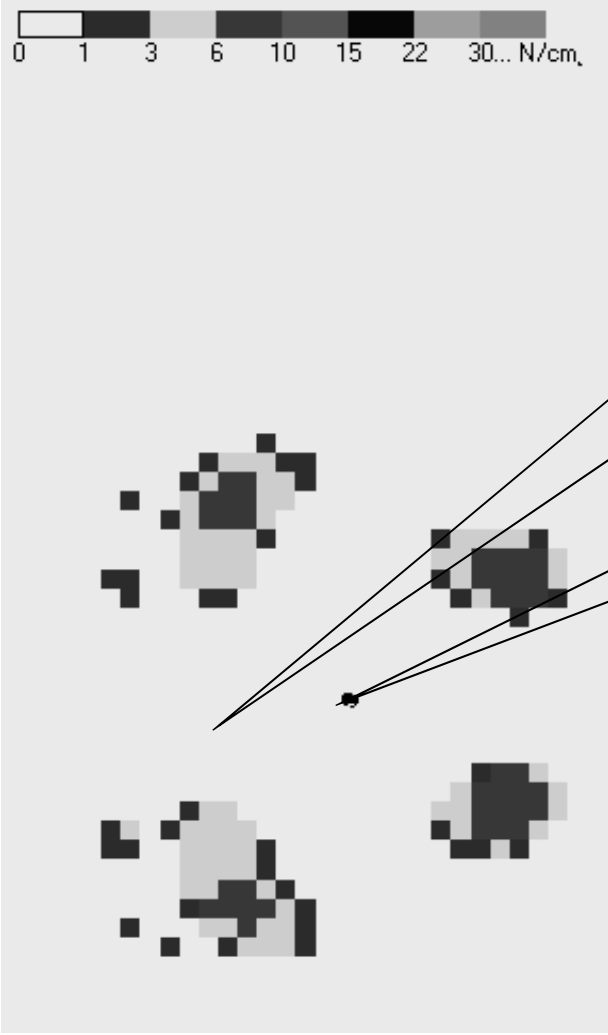
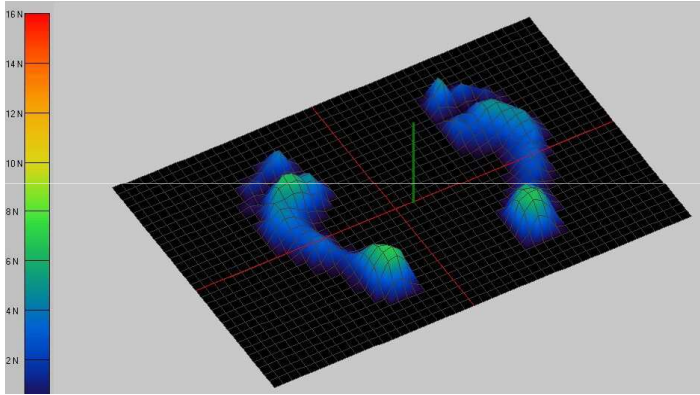
# Static examination



Investigation the pressure under the foot

Special force measurement plate

# Determined parameters



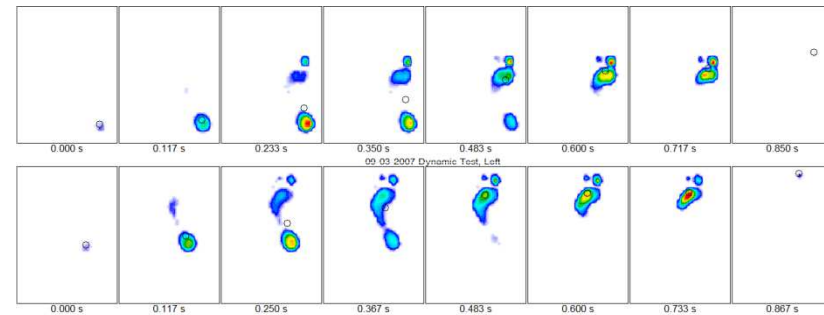
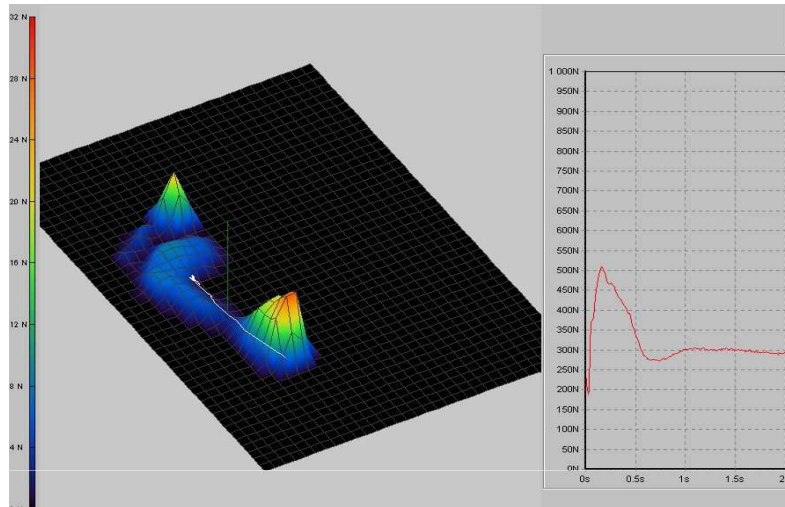
Pressure distributio

Center of gravity

# Applicability

- Investigation of the foot force distribution
  - Effect of flat-feet shoe insert
  - Effects of other diseases (diabetes, stroke,..)
- Stability investigation
  - Problem of closed and open eyes –eye-stabilization

# Dynamical investigations



# Balance investigations

# Balance investigation I.

- Types:

- Static (closed or open eyes):

- Investigation of foot force distribution
    - Investigation of head motion (Romberg-probe: standing for 1 minute with close eyes)

- Dynamic:

- Walking through a beam
    - Investigation of head motion walking in one place with closed eyes (Unterberger)

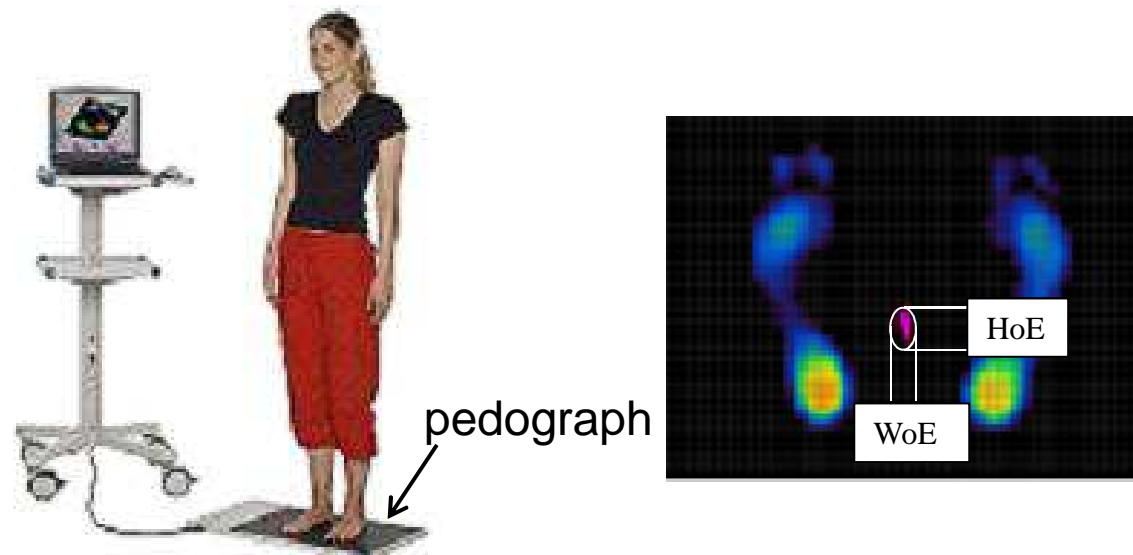
- Special:

- Proprioception (motion coordination)

# Keeping the balance

Balancing: earning stable state, and keeping it

**Proprioception** — **keeping the static equilibrium**: Sensing the relative position of the body parts respect to each other in static position

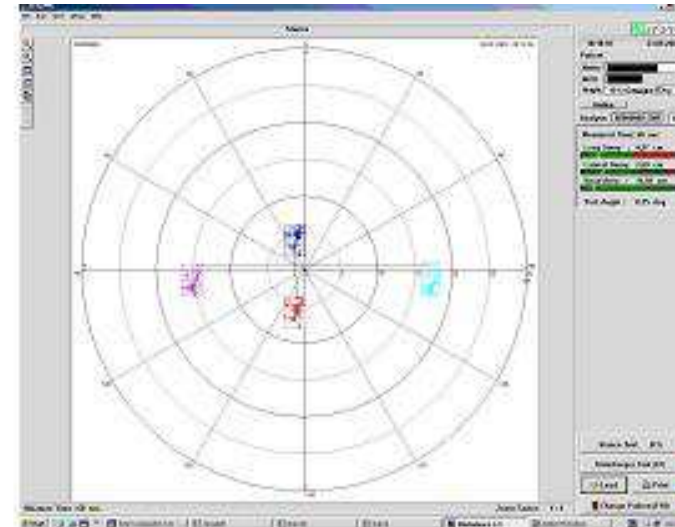


The displacement of center of mass can be measured with foot force distribution measurement



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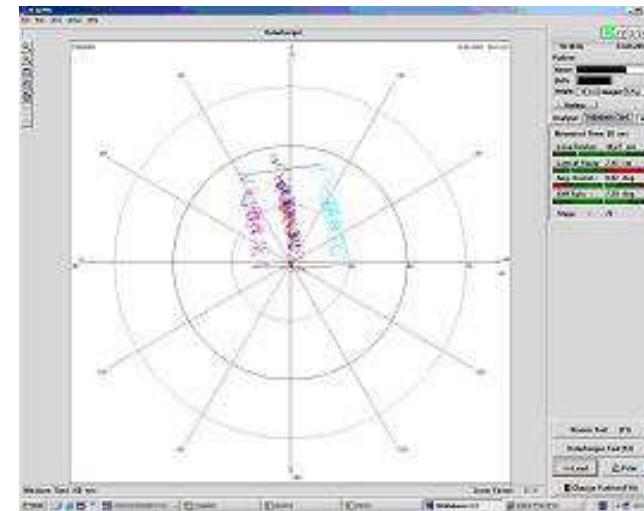
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# Keeping the balance

Kinesthesia – keeping the dynamic equilibrium: The relative position of moving body-parts respect to each other



- Investigation of head motion walking in one place with closed eyes (Unterberger)

## Advantages

- Well known methods

## Disadvantages:

- stability analysis
- Mainly analyze the effects of neurological problems
- Small shocks to the escalator, the bumpy streets, the streets, pets 'attacks' are not modeled
- After a sudden change of direction the keeping of balance and walking on moving ground is not analyzed