

# MORE WITH LESS: EXTRACTING HIGHER VALUE PRODUCTS FROM YOUR LOGS



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#### SPRINGER-MICROTEC COMPANY OVERVIEW

- FAMILY ENTERPRISE •
- FOUNDED IN 1952 •
- MORE THAN 450 EMPLOYEES •
- **BIG FOCUS ON INNOVATION (15% OF** TURNOVER IN R&D)
- SUPPLIER OF ALL COMPONENTS IN SAWMILLS, PLANERMILLS, SECONDARY MANUFACTURING
- **ONE OF THE LARGEST WORLDWIDE** SUPPLIERS OF SAWMILL EQUIPMENT
- WORLD LEADER AND PIONEER IN X-RAY LOG MEASUREMENT



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**OVER 1500 ACTIVE CUSTOMERS** OVER 80 R&D PARTNERS



#### **2D**

Radiography or "Discrete Tomography"

#### **3D**

Computed Tomography or "CT"

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# **2D – LOGEYE 302**

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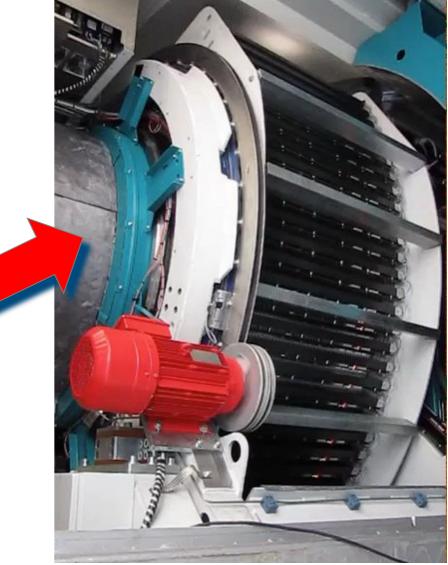


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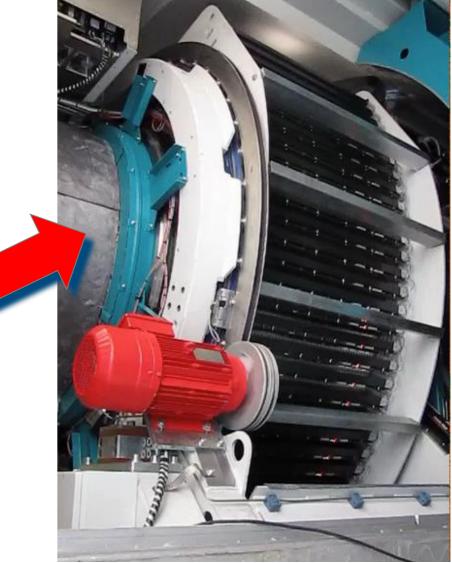


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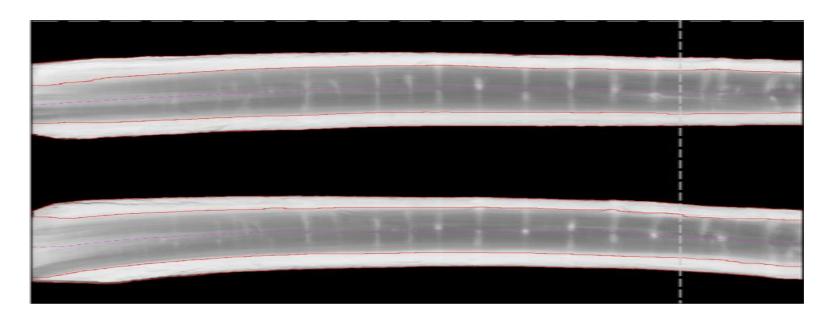
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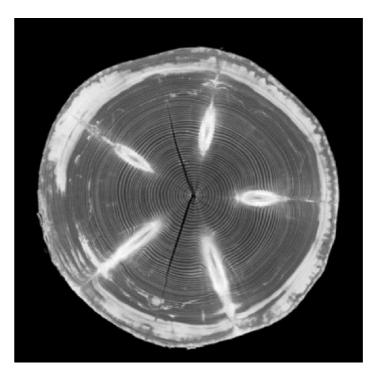
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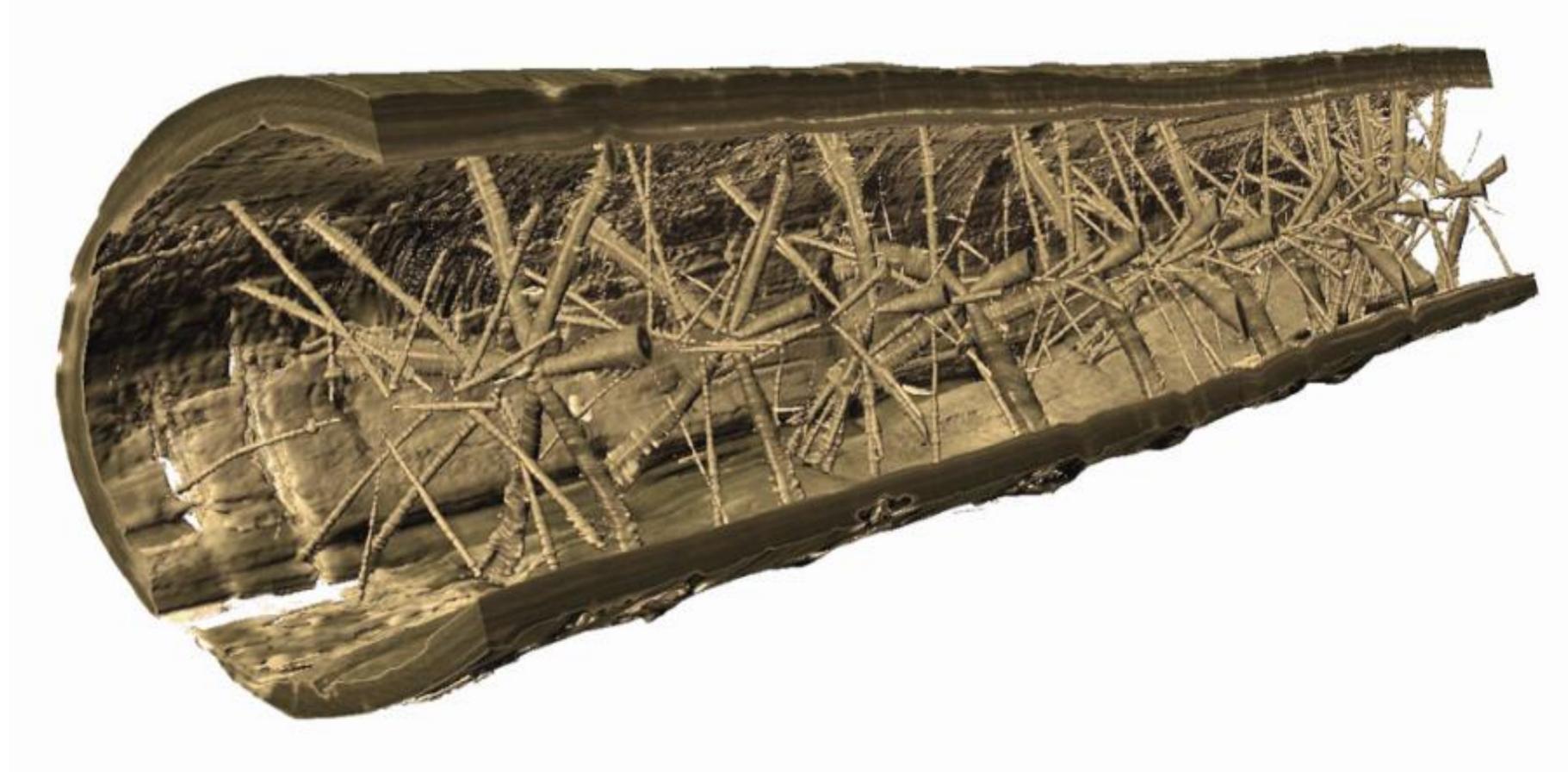
# Hi-res 2D Slices (1 per cm) 3D volume image





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#### Not just the outside, the inside as well:



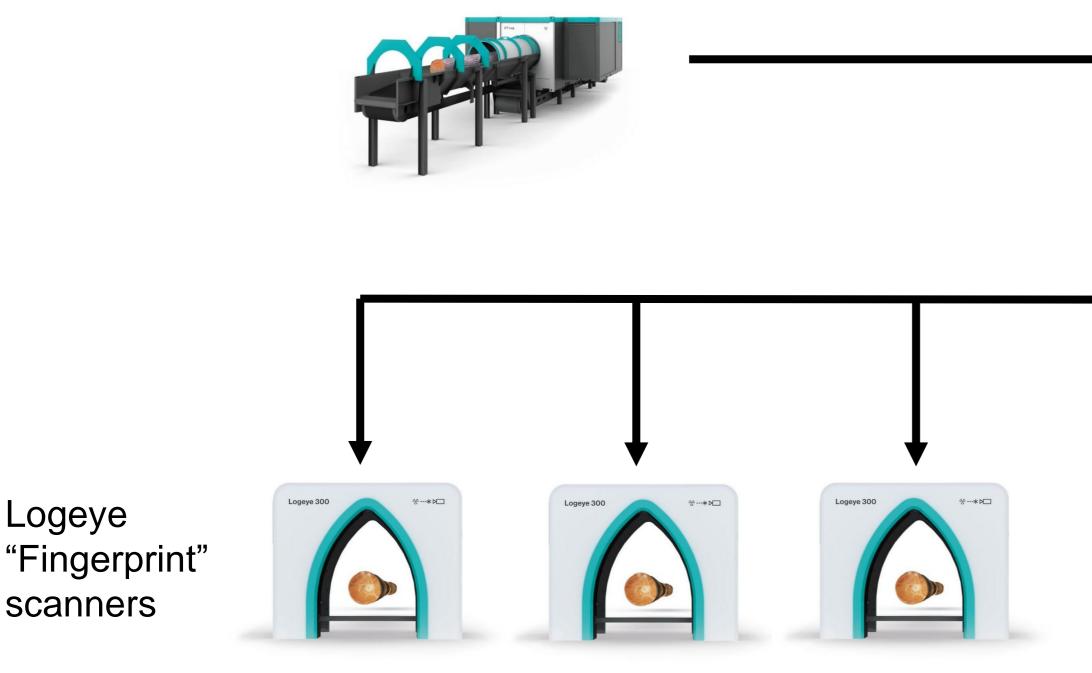
# Extracting more value from existing logs:

Pulling High value products (eg. Clears) in parallel with NLGA Structural Light Framing production



# Flexible installation: Merchandising / Sorting Yard Example

Single CT at merchandiser / log sort (590fpm)



Small Log Line Carriage, etc... DLI



> 100,000 saw logs inventory

Veneer (no fingerprint required)

**Reject** / Pulp / Chips (no fingerprint required)

# **THANK YOU!**

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Microtec Logeye 302 X-ray Scanner

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