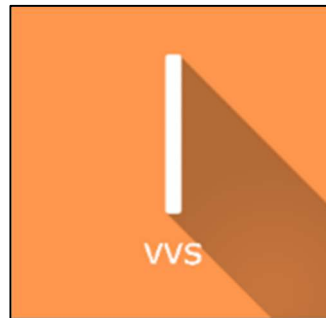




Subjective Visual Vertical (SVV)

Module tutorial



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1. GENERAL

1.1. Description

Subjective Visual Vertical (SVV) is an immersive 3D simulation software based on virtual reality technology, meaning a person can be immersed in a digitally created artificial world.

The **SVV** software is used to assess the perception of verticality without the influence of the visual field.

1.2. Required accessories

Headset. Xbox controller, Hive controller(s) or keyboard are all optional.

1.3. Patient setup

The principle of measuring patients' Subjective Visual Vertical is that they have no vertical or horizontal, visual or proprioceptive reference.

It is therefore recommended to take the measurements using the following installation:

- Patient seated (preferably on an upholstered seat, a swivel chair is ideal).
- Feet on a footrest, not on the ground.
- Keyboard, controller(s) or Xbox controller in hand so they can take the measurements themselves (if possible).



2. Settings

2.1. Session settings

Measures

Measures count: 6

Pseudo-random values

Measure 1 10	Measure 2 -30	Measure 3 20
Measure 4 -20	Measure 5 -10	Measure 6 30

Inclinaison mode (toggled off)

Settings

Mode: Vertical (selected), Horizontal

Sway referenced vision: (toggled off)

Display arrows: (toggled off)

Rod settings

Rod type: Bar (selected), Image

My session Clear all

Start the session

The variable settings for this module are as follows:

2.1.1. Measures

Measures

Measures count

Measures count: 6

Pseudo-random values

Measure 1 10	Measure 2 -30	Measure 3 20
Measure 4 -20	Measure 5 -10	Measure 6 30

Used to define the value of the various measurements for the entire protocol.

There are many different protocols in literature.

It is often recommended to take:



- at least 6 measurements (6 to 12).
- Variable initial angle, same tilts to the right and left in random order.
- Alternating sequence.

Measures count:

Number of measures taken during the session.

Value: 4 to 24.

Pseudo-random values:

Defines pseudo-random values for measurements. Values are mirrored: they are tilted both to the right (positive values) and to the left (negative values).

2.1.2. Tilt mode

Tilt mode:

Checking this option unlocks the following parameters:

Head angle:

Used to define head inclination values to be measured. There are 7 by default, you can choose 1, 3, 5 or 7.

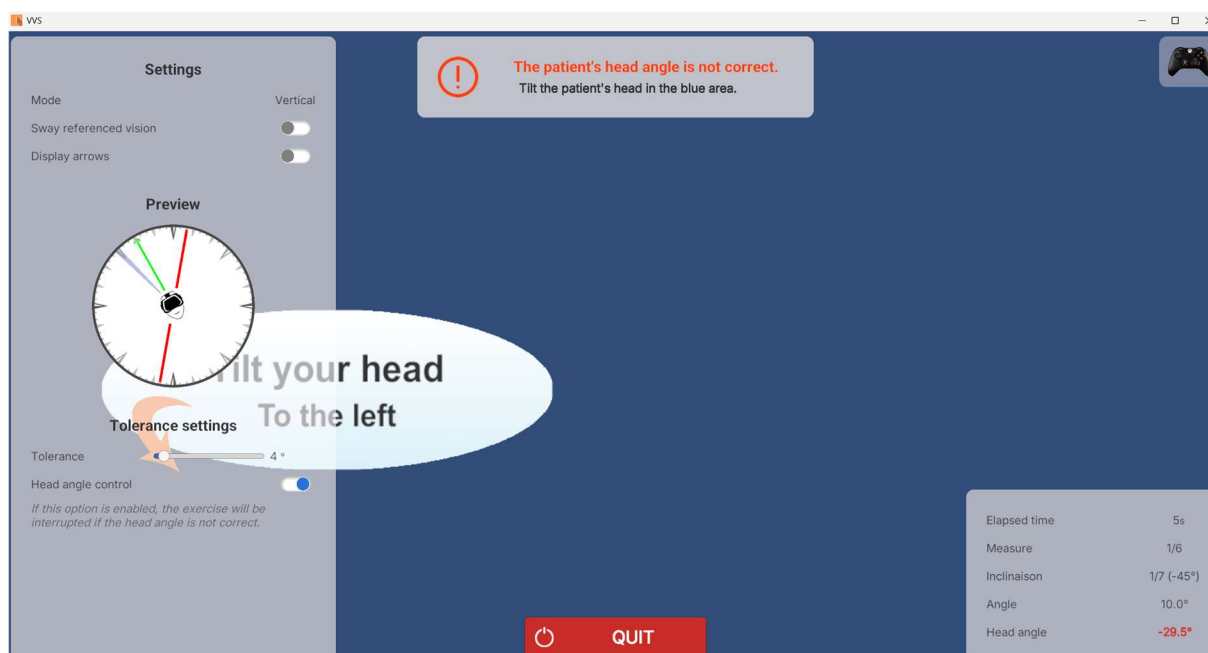
Delete or add measures by clicking on the “-” or “+” button.

Tolerance :

Modifies the tolerance threshold for the head tilt angle.

Value: 2.0 to 45.0.

Respect head angle: box checked by default. The session pauses if the angle is not respected. (Example below)



2.1.3. Settings

Settings

Mode

Vertical

Horizontal

Sway referenced vision



Display arrows



Mode:

Allows you to choose between vertical or horizontal measurements for the entire protocol.

Sway referenced vision:

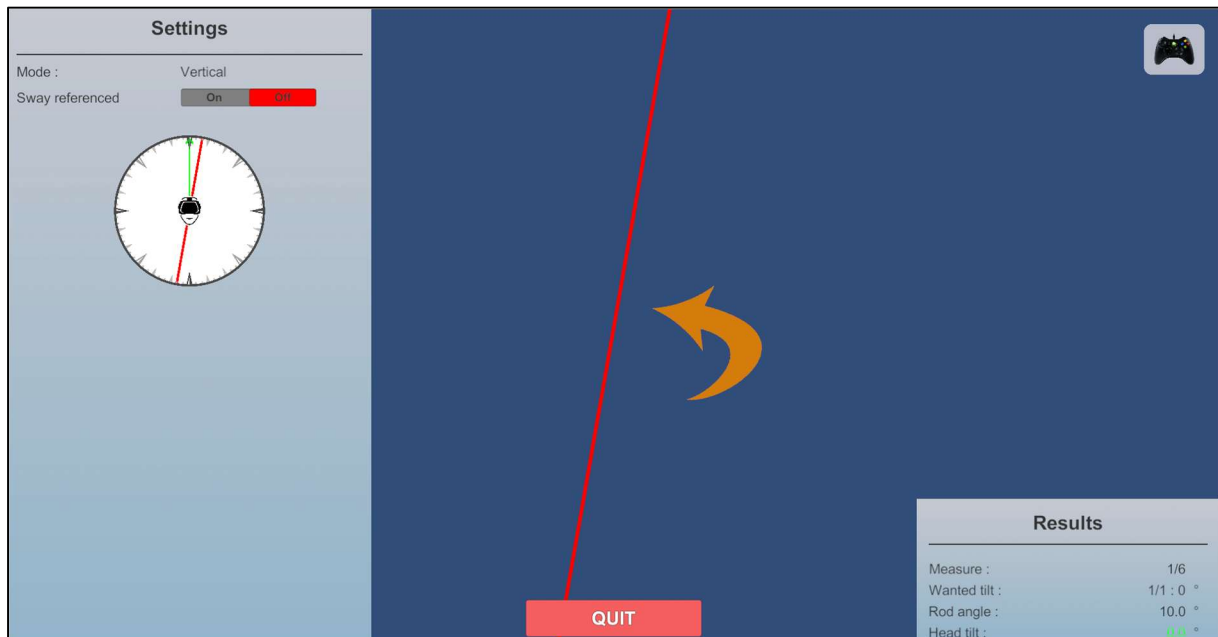
Check this option to have the image displayed in the VR headset matched to the patient's head movements.

If enabled, the bar is “fixed” in front of the patient, and tilts with the patient's own head tilts. Measured values are relative to the earth's vertical, without taking head tilt into account.

Otherwise, the bar is in “real conditions”, as if it were floating in the room. It is therefore unaffected by the patient's head movements.

Display arrows:

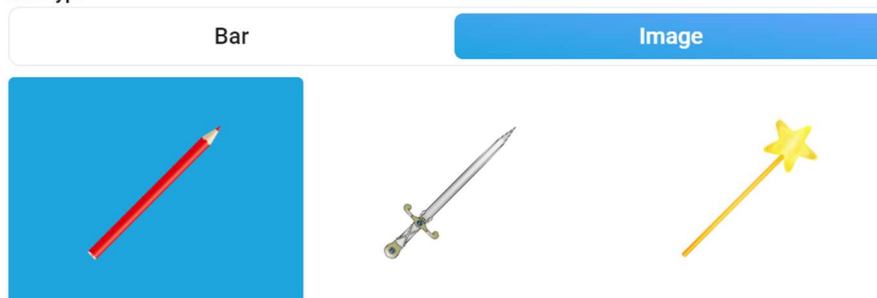
Check this option to make the arrows visible and help the patient visualize the direction of movement of the bar (right or left).



2.1.4. Rod settings

Rod settings

Rod type



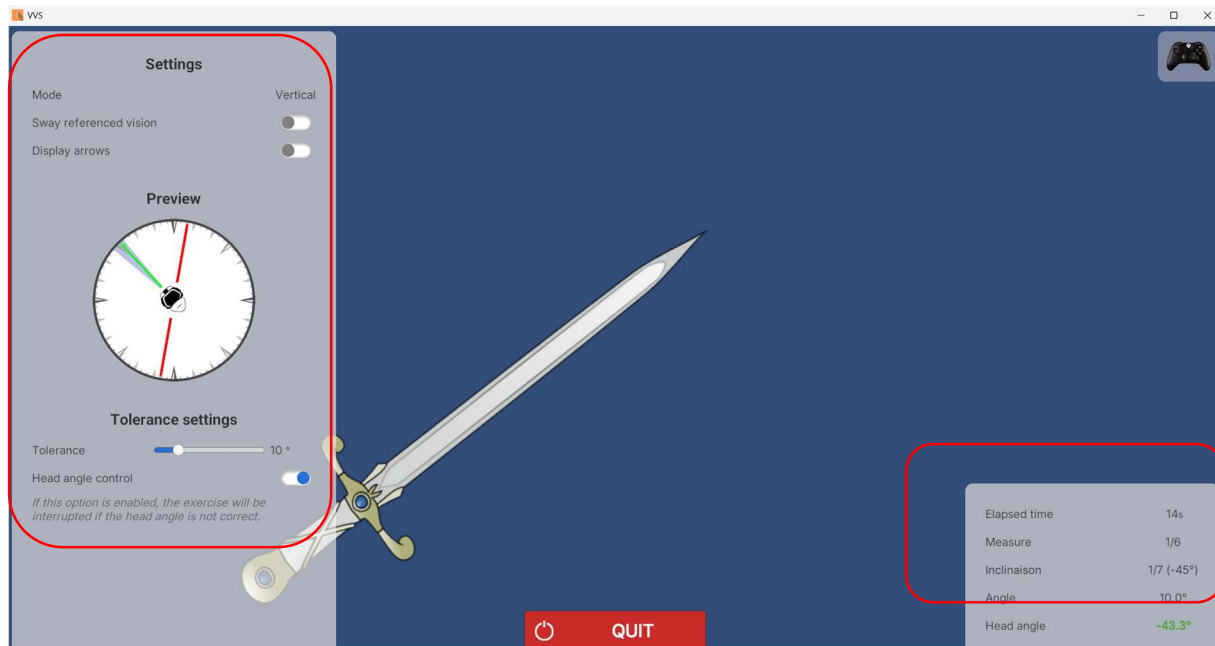
Changes the type of rod displayed on the screen.



3. Module

3.1. Session

Once the presets have been defined, click on the **"Start the session"** button.



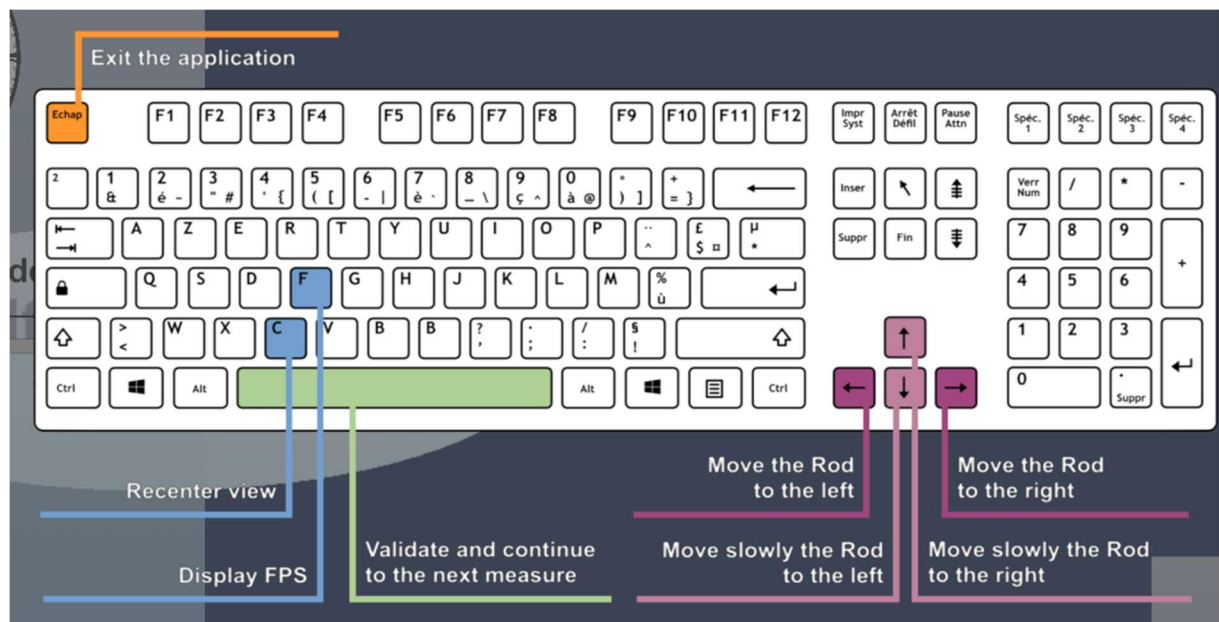
During the session, the user can modify the parameters from the **left side of the screen**. They are not visible to the patient.

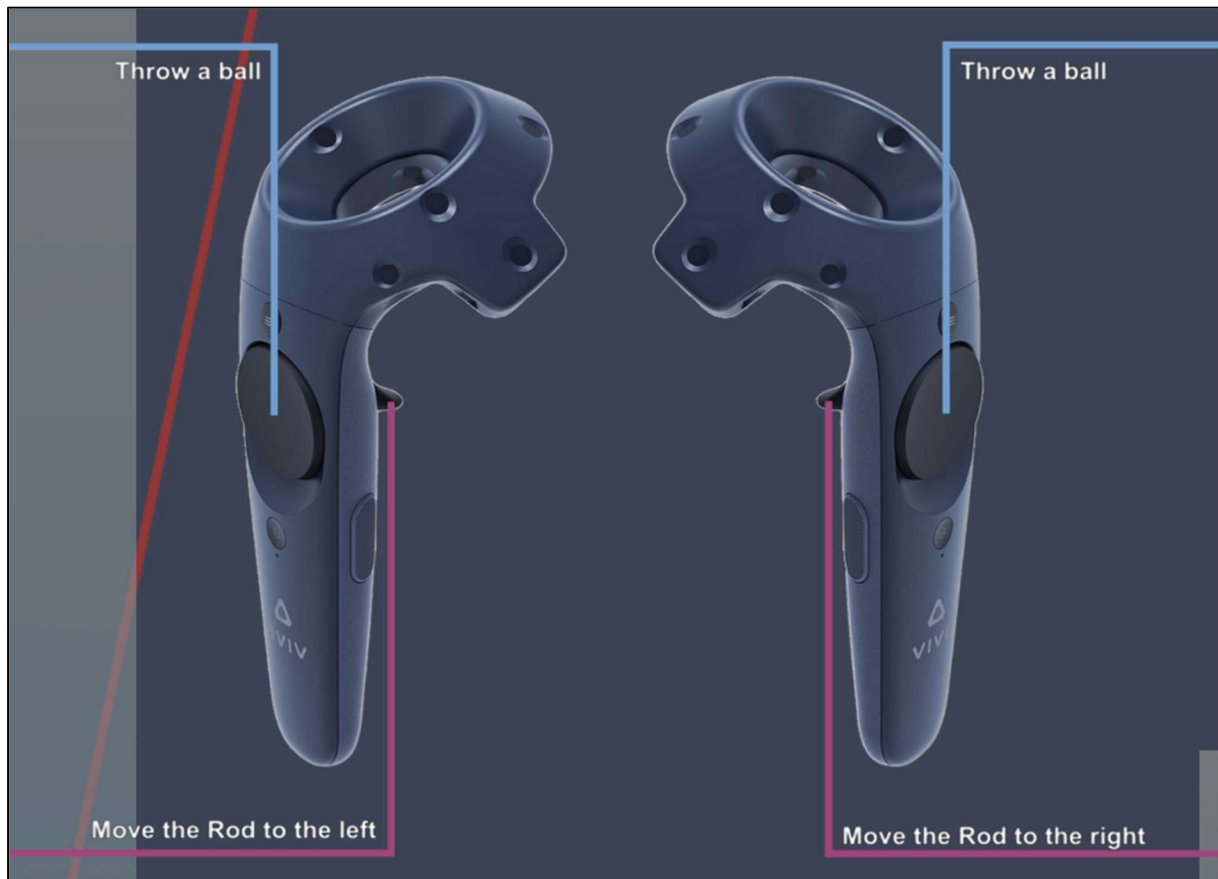
In the bottom right corner of the screen, the user can view the results of the session in real time.



3.2. Shortcuts

During the session, the shortcut list is found by clicking on the Xbox controller icon in the upper right corner of the screen.







3.3. Results

At the end of the session, the different head inclination values of the patient are displayed.

3.3.1. Summarized results

To access the summary results, click on “Results” at the end of the session

Session details
09/12/2025 11:39

SVV

Parameters
Results
Notes

Name	Result					
Measures	-3.71 °	-2.98 °	-3.31 °	-6.63 °	-0.31 °	0.33 °
Start angles	10.00 °	-30.00 °	20.00 °	-20.00 °	-10.00 °	30.00 °
Head angles	-2.99 °	-3.06 °	-1.36 °	-4.28 °	-3.81 °	-4.39 °
Reference angles	0.00 °	0.00 °	0.00 °	0.00 °	0.00 °	0.00 °

Session details
04/12/2025 09:04

SVV (Inclinaison mode)

Parameters
Results
Notes

Name	Result						
Measures	0.21 °	-0.36 °	1.32 °	-0.98 °	1.85 °	0.54 °	2.53 °
Start angles	10.00 °	-30.00 °	20.00 °	-20.00 °	-10.00 °	30.00 °	10.00 °
Head angles	-44.55 °	-44.48 °	-44.73 °	-44.16 °	-44.85 °	-44.02 °	-31.28 °
Reference angles	-45.00 °	-45.00 °	-45.00 °	-45.00 °	-45.00 °	-45.00 °	-30.00 °



3.3.2. Graphs and report

To find the detailed results and to generate a report, click on the histogram icon.



You can view measurements and results in different formats by selecting the appropriate button.

Examples:

