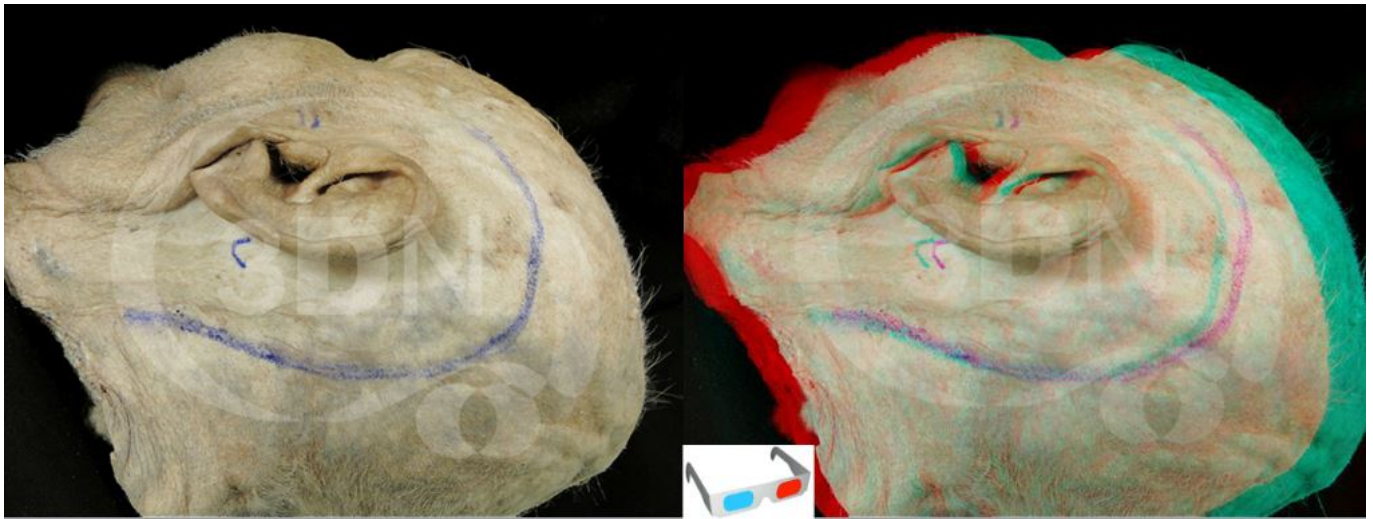


Question mark incision



For a combined supra- infratentorial [posterior transpetrosal approach](#) the [incision](#) should expose a large part of the lateral aspect of the [temporal bone](#) and, partially, the suboccipital bones. This is why we use a [question mark incision](#) starting three fingers above the [zygomatic process](#), moving posterosuperiorly and posteroinferiorly surrounding in a semicircular fashion the [pinna](#), descending until two fingers below and behind the mastoid tip.

[Reverse Question mark incision](#)

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