



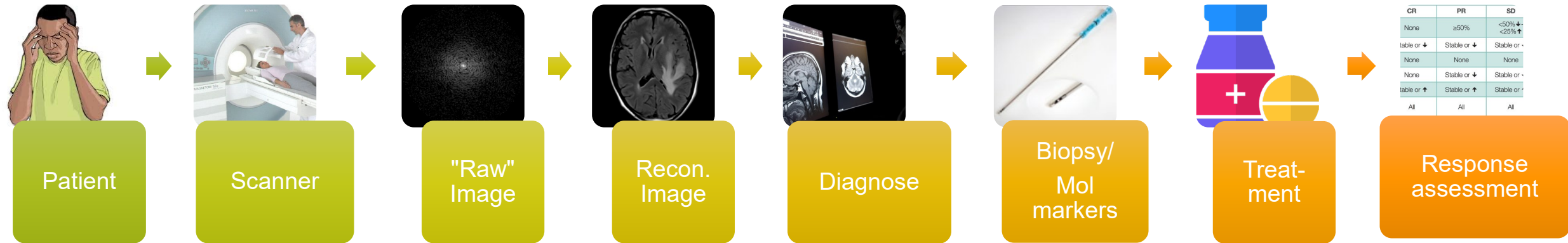
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AI and Quantitative Imaging

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AI/ML is being used widely throughout the entire patient journey



AI can be applied throughout the workflow

Deep Learning in Radiological Imaging

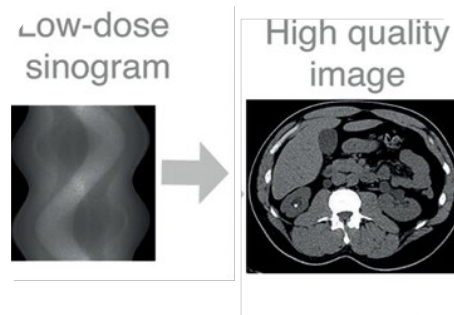
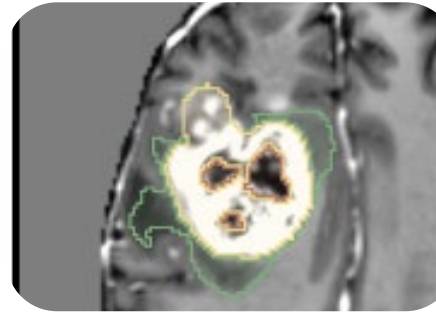
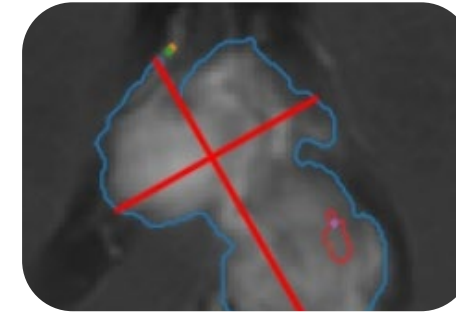


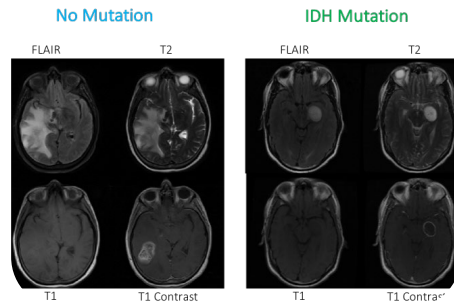
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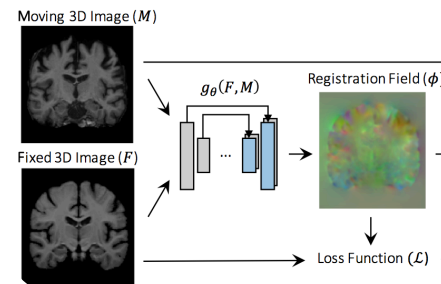
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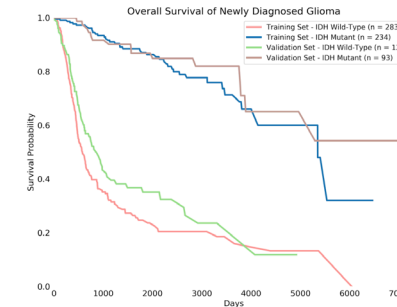
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Radiogenomics



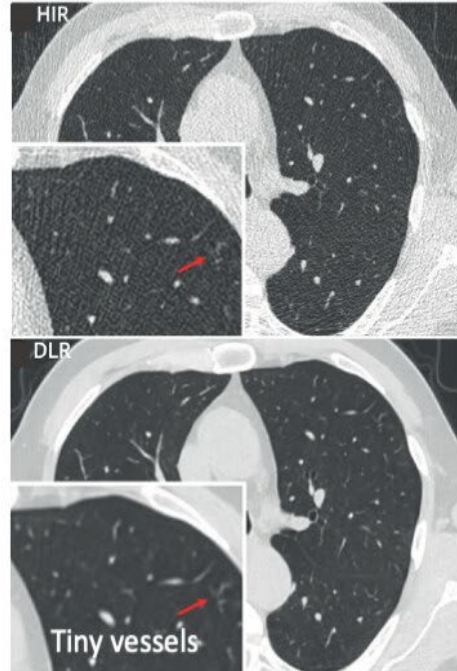
Registration



Survival Prediction

AI is being used extensively in image reconstruction

Deep Learning Image Reconstruction for CT: Technical Principles and Clinical Prospects



- Deep learning reconstruction (DLR) algorithms can be applied in the raw data domain, image domain, or both.
- Compared with filtered back projection and hybrid iterative reconstruction (HIR), DLR provides improved image quality.
- DLR allows for radiation dose reductions of 30%–71% compared with HIR with maintained image quality due to noise reduction.
- Deep learning–based metal artifact reduction may remove metal artifacts more accurately than current state-of-the-art methods.

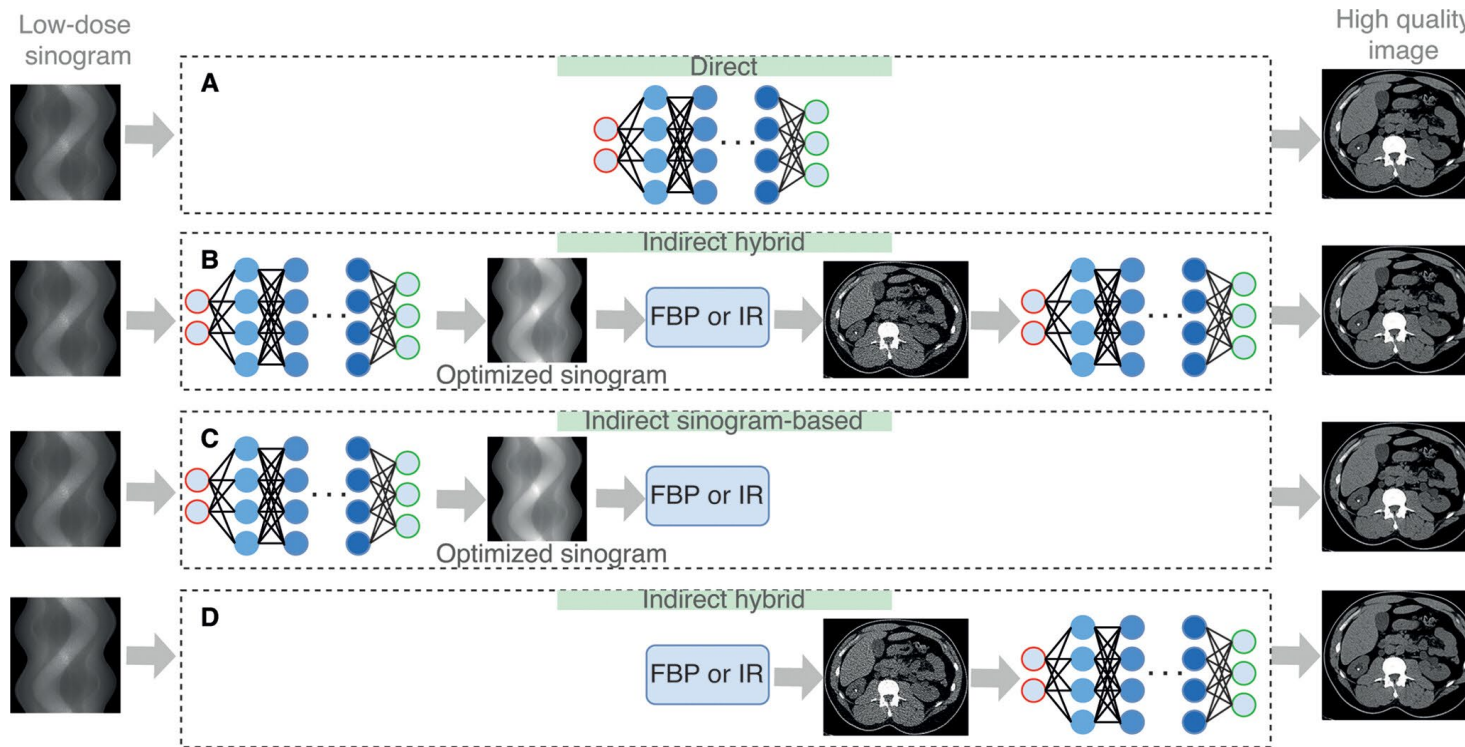
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Radiology

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Example products

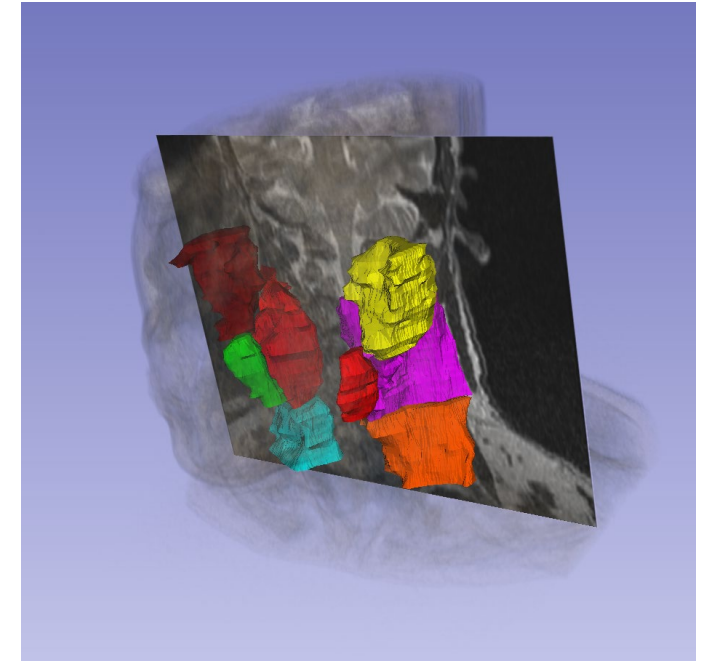
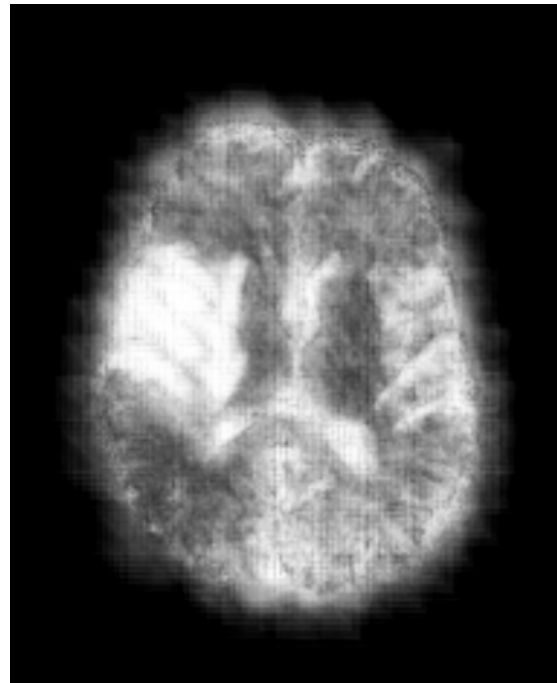
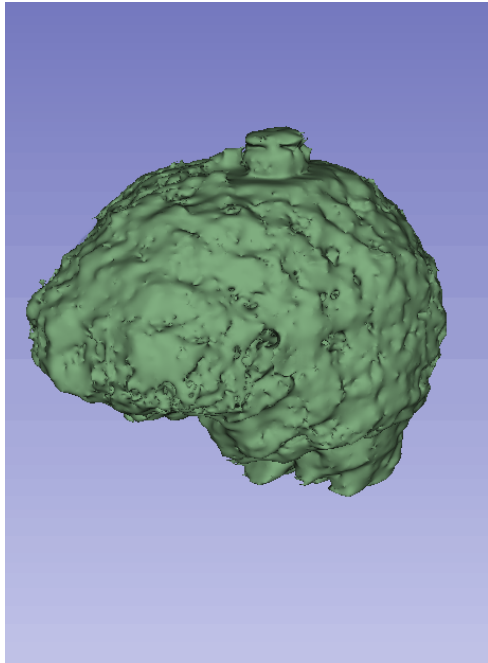
- TrueFidelity
- AiCE
- Precise Image
- PixelShine
- ClariCT.AI
- Air Recon DL
- Subte



Segmentation (delineation of object boundary) is often used in oncology and radiation oncology

Quantifying tumor burden at a single time point and longitudinally

Contouring of tumors and organs at risk is key in radiation therapy planning



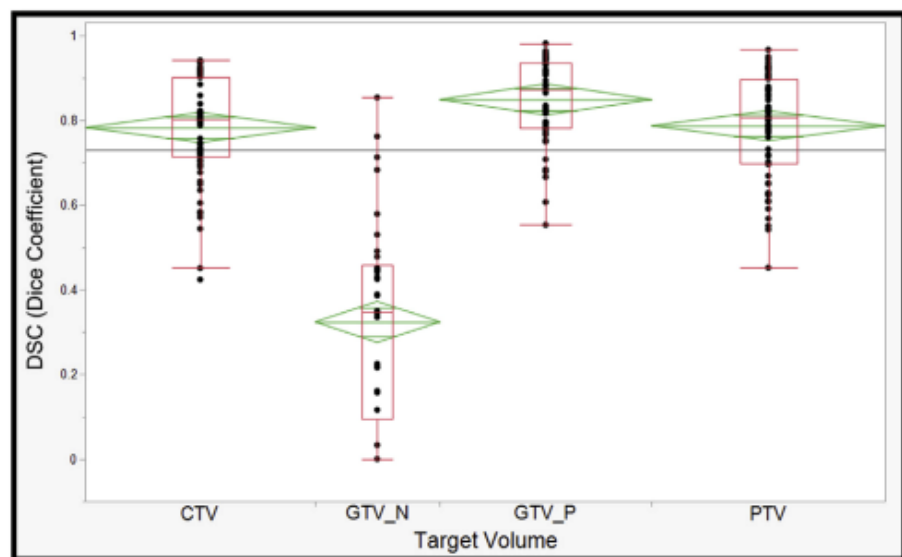
Radiation Oncology Research: Contouring Variability

Original Research Article

An *in-silico* quality assurance study of contouring target volumes in thoracic tumors within a cooperative group setting[☆]



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Original Research Article

A prospective in silico analysis of interdisciplinary and interobserver spatial variability in post-operative target delineation of high-risk oral cavity cancers: Does physician specialty matter?



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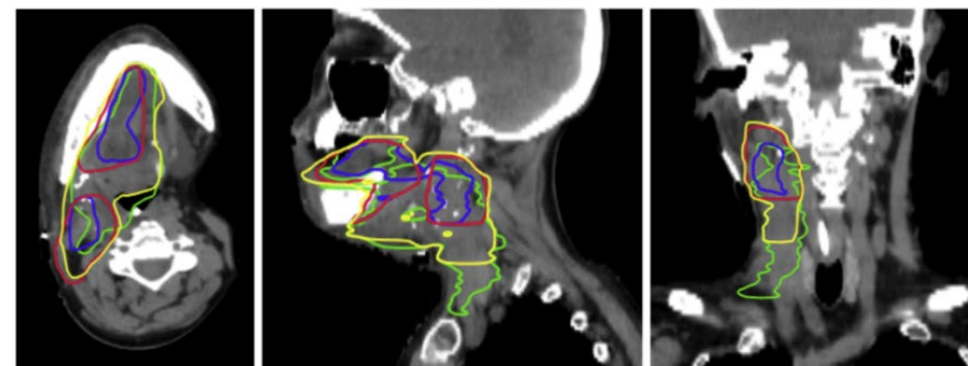
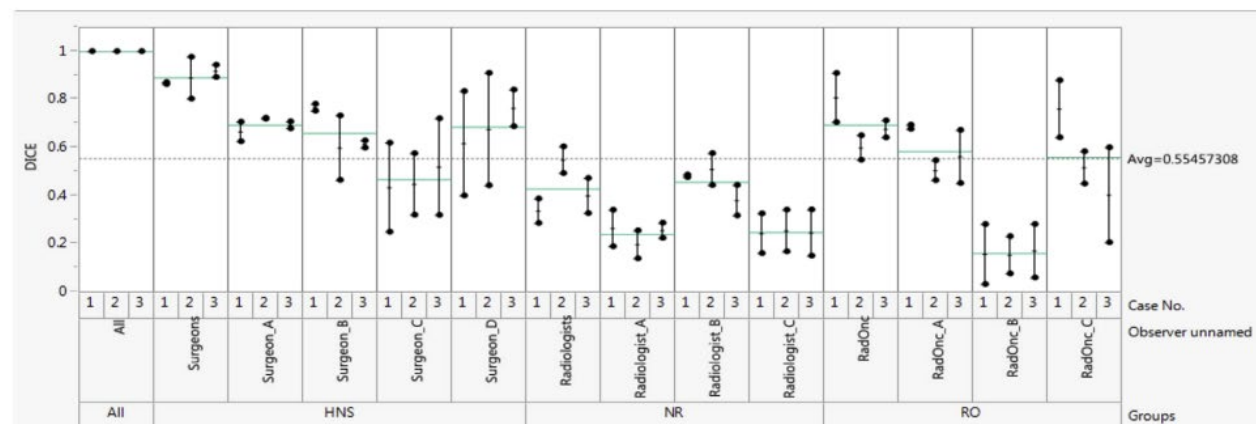


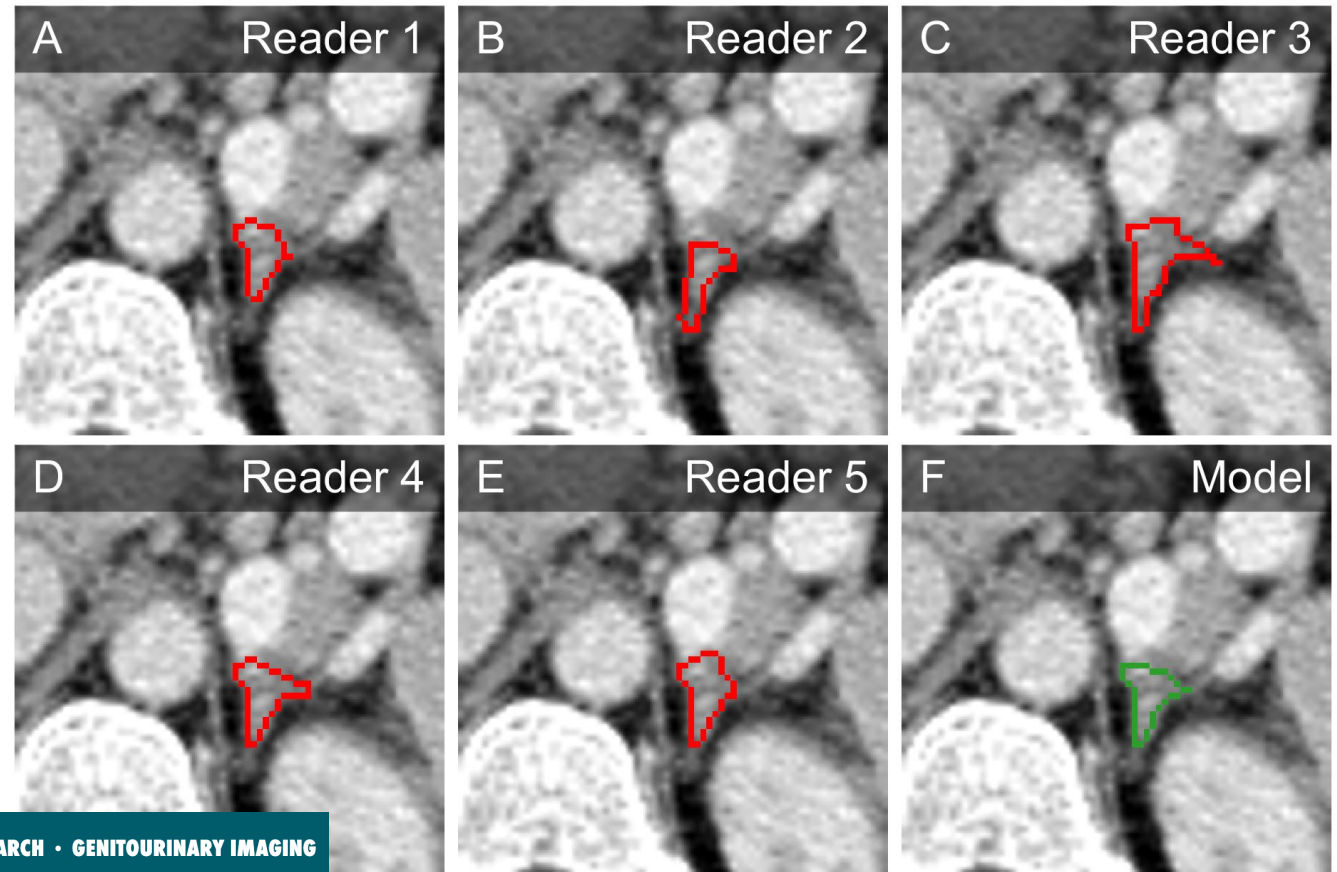
Fig. 4. An example of contours delineated by radiation oncologist (red), radiologist (blue), and surgeon (green), and STAPLE contour (yellow).



Adrenal gland segmentation

5 expert radiologists vs.
automatic model

Inter-reader dice score coefficient
(DSC) was *not* statistically
significant from model-reader
DSC ($p = 0.35$)



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ORIGINAL RESEARCH • GENITOURINARY IMAGING

Machine Learning for Adrenal Gland Segmentation and Classification of Normal and Adrenal Masses at CT

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Christopher P. Bridge, DPhil • Katherine P. Andriole, PhD • Borna Dabiri, MD, PhD • John K. Chin, MD •
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Automatic Segmentation

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Neuroinformatics (2021) 19:127–140
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SOFTWARE ORIGINAL ARTICLE

DeepNeuro: an open-source deep learning toolbox for neuroimaging

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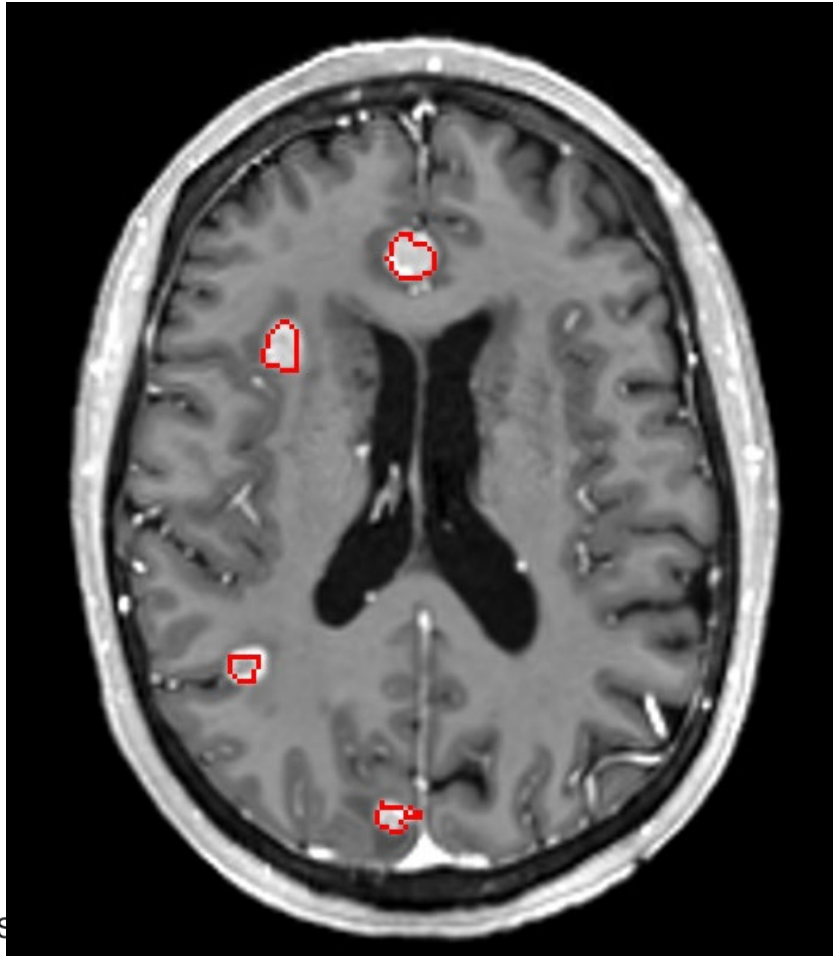
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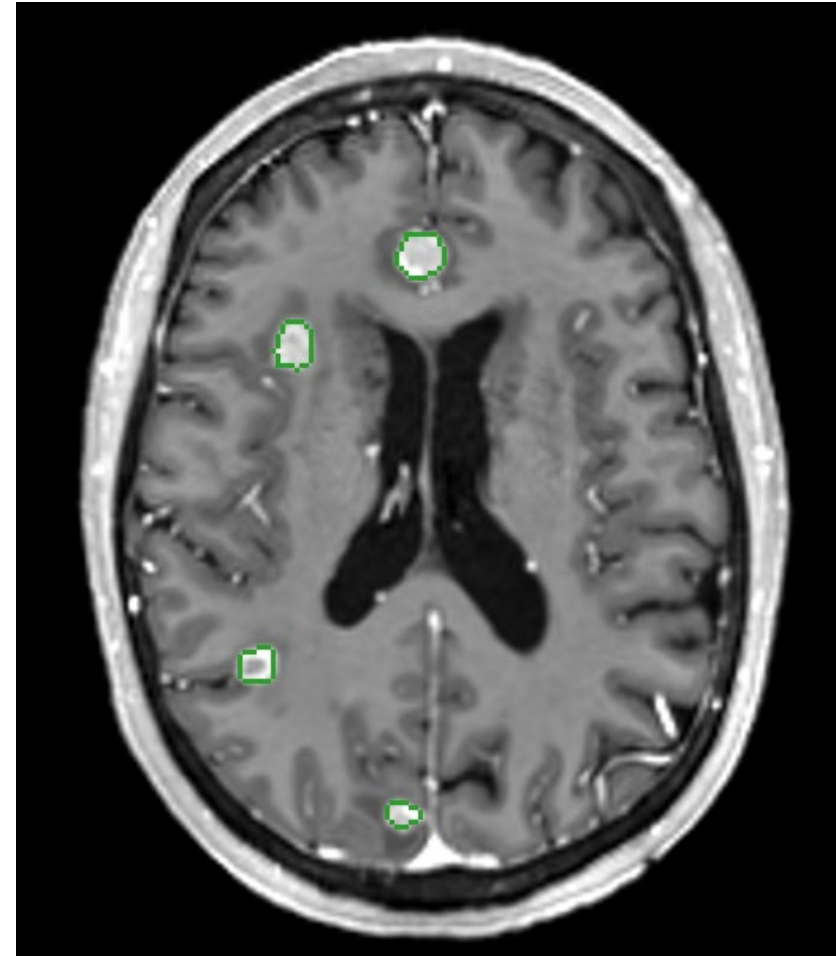
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Automatic segmentation and tracking of brain metastases

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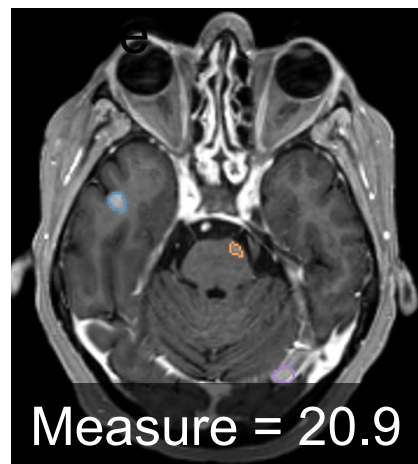


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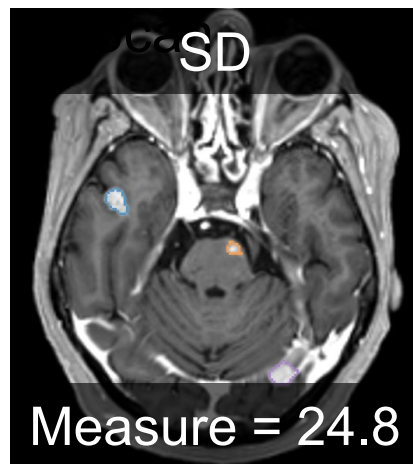


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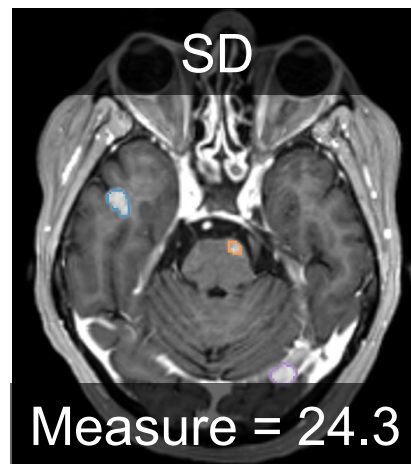
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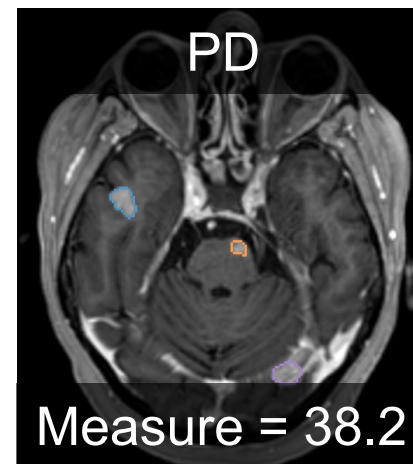
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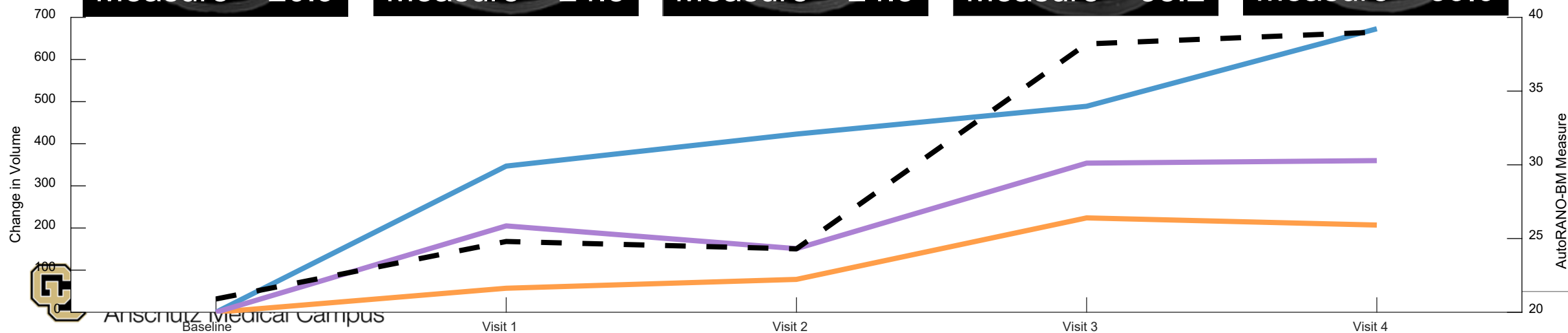
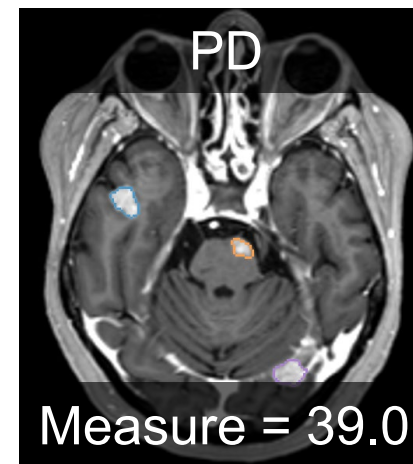
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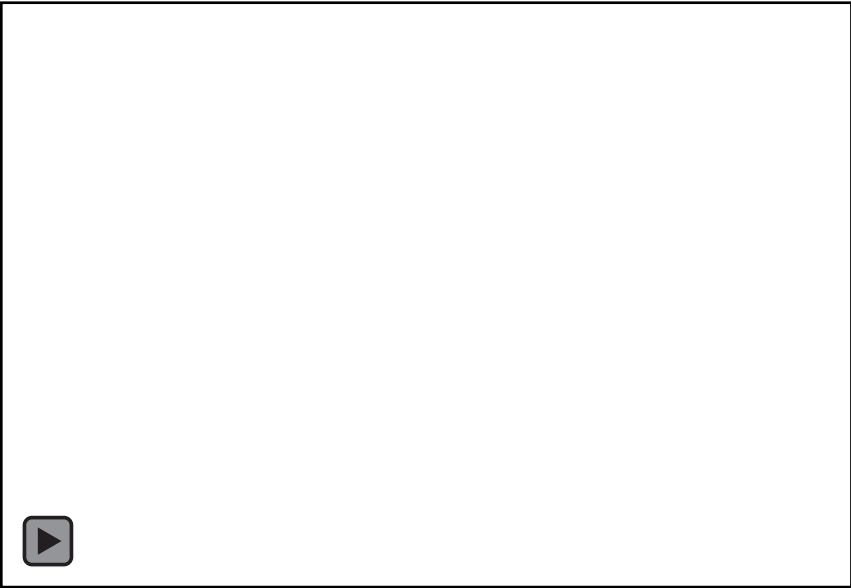
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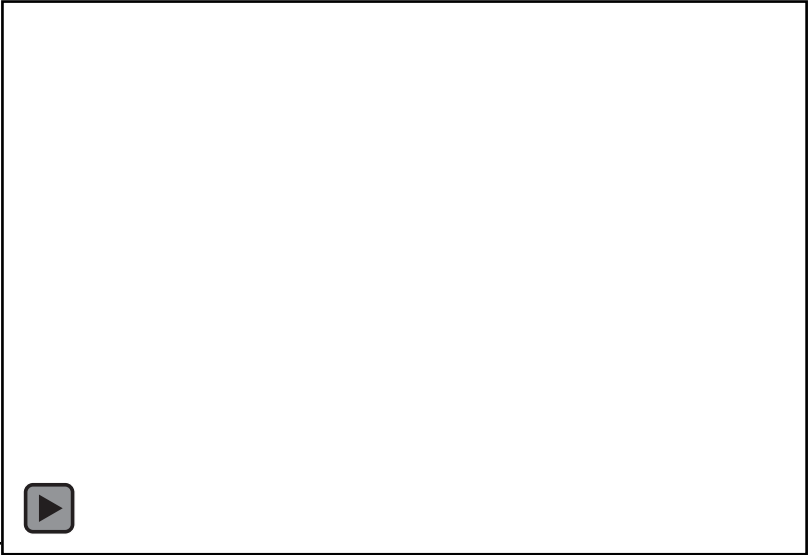
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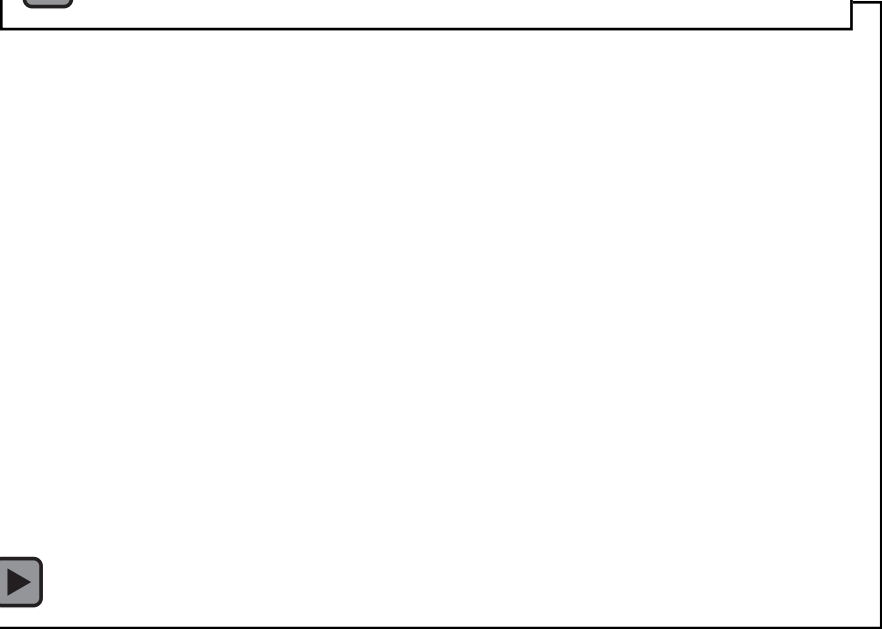
Volume vs AutoRANO-BM



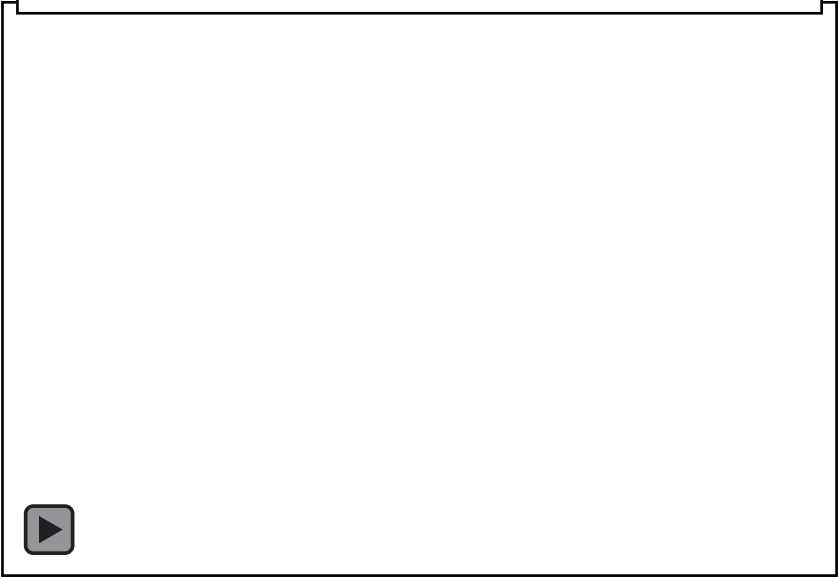
Number of Mets: 1
Volume: 1730mm³
AutoRANO-BM: 21.6mm



Number of Mets: 7
Volume: 1720mm³
AutoRANO-BM: 39.4mm

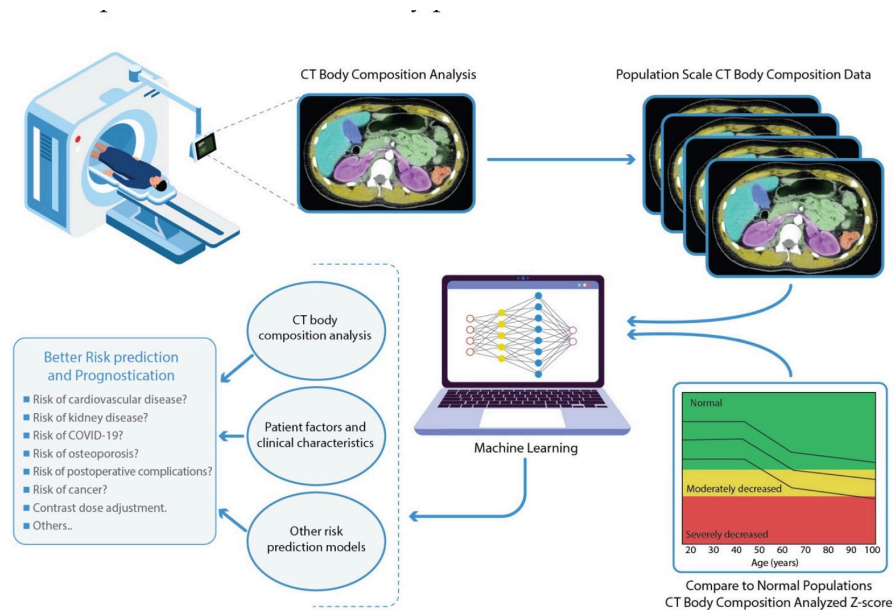


Number of Mets: 2
Volume: 1750mm³
AutoRANO-BM: 16.8mm



Number of Mets: 15
Volume: 1700mm³
AutoRANO-BM: 0.0mm

Opportunistic Screening



Review

Role of Machine Learning-Based CT Body Composition in Risk Prediction and Prognostication: Current State and Future Directions

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nature medicine

Article

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Body composition and lung cancer-associated cachexia in TRACERx

ORIGINAL RESEARCH

Annals of Internal Medicine

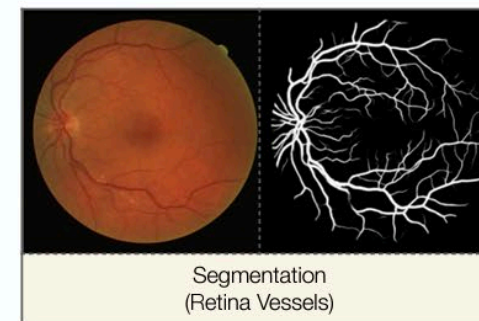
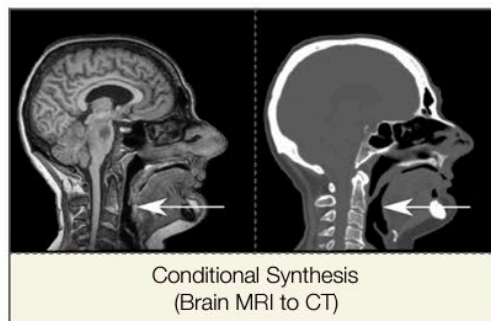
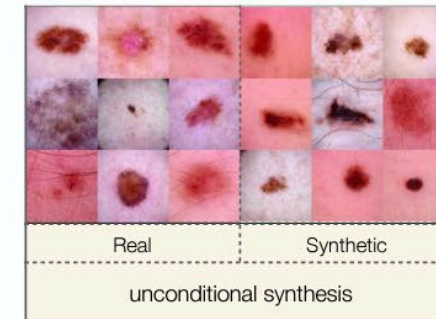
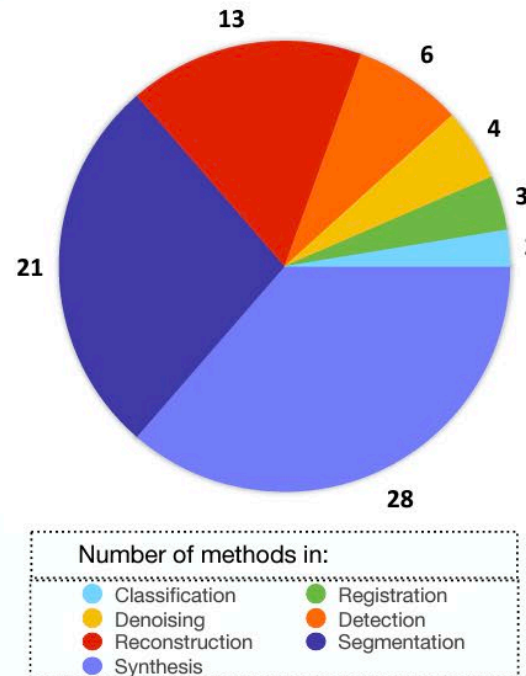
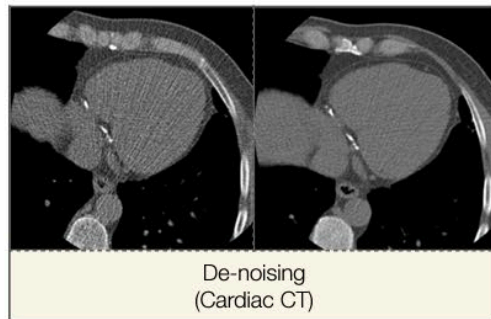
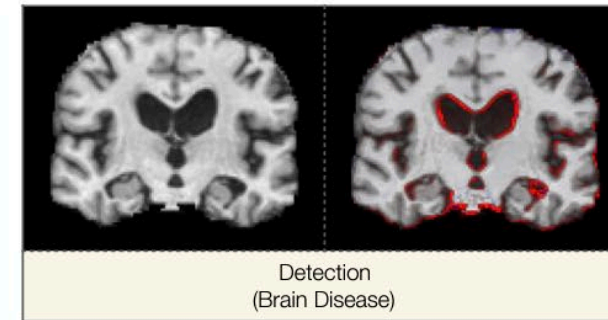
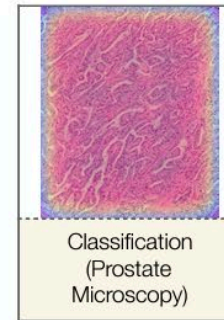
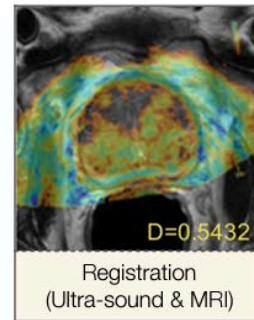
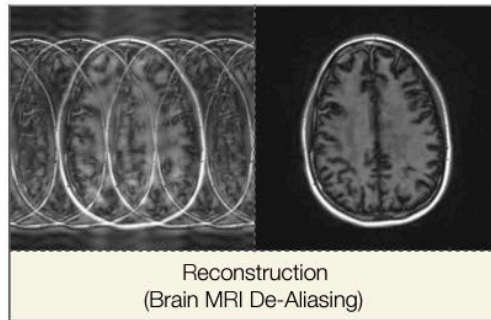
Opportunistic Screening for Osteoporosis Using Abdominal Computed Tomography Scans Obtained for Other Indications

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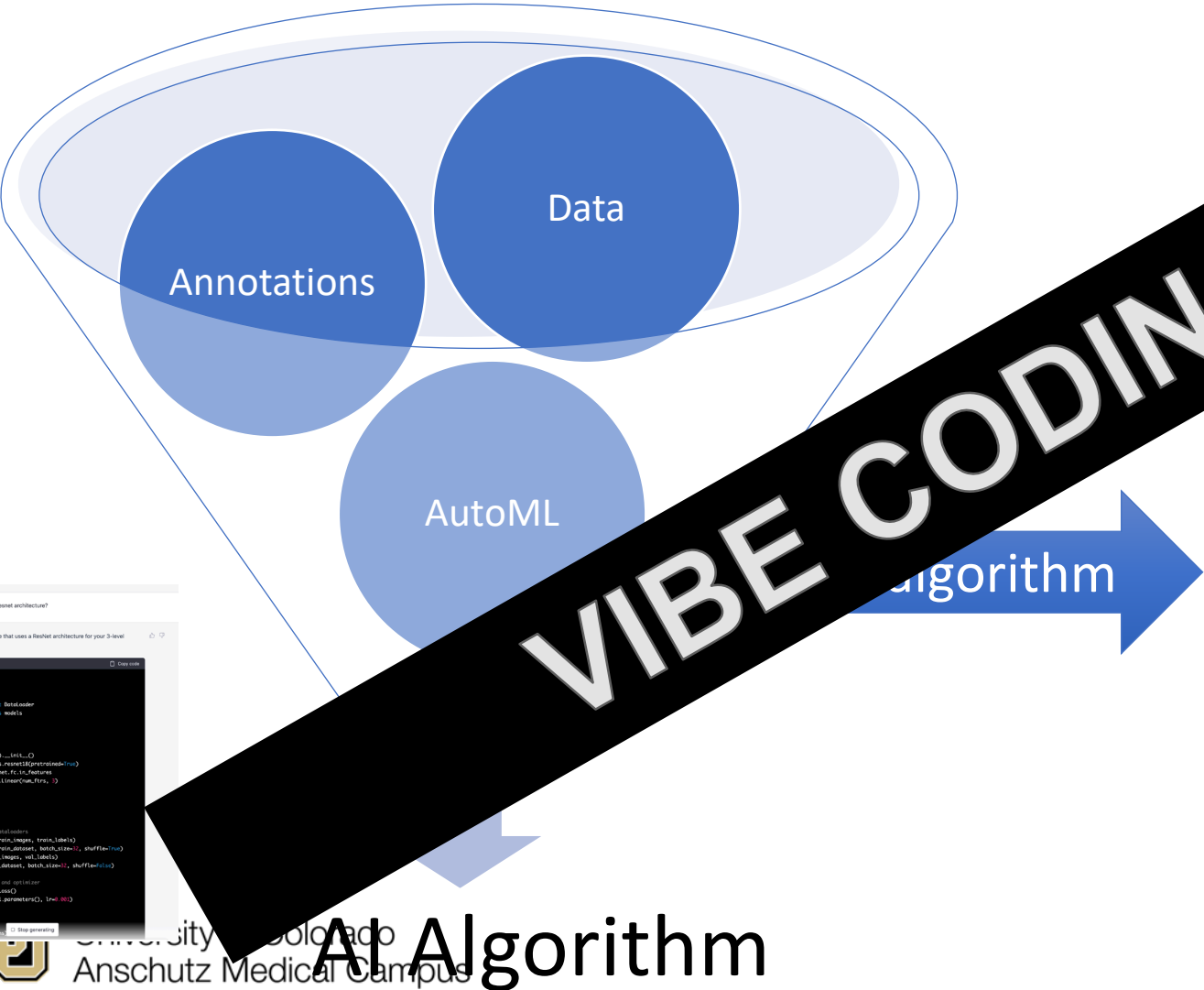
Opportunistic Screening: *Radiology* Scientific Expert Panel

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Applications of Generative AI in Medical Imaging



It is becoming really easy to create an AI algorithm today!



Title
Performance of an AI algorithm for the diagnosis of prematurity

Abstract
Retinopathy of prematurity (ROP) is a potentially blinding eye disorder that affects premature infants. Early detection and treatment of ROP is critical for preserving vision. In recent years, artificial intelligence (AI) algorithms have shown promise in the automated diagnosis of ROP. In this study, we evaluated the performance of an AI algorithm for the diagnosis of ROP using a dataset of fundus images from premature infants.

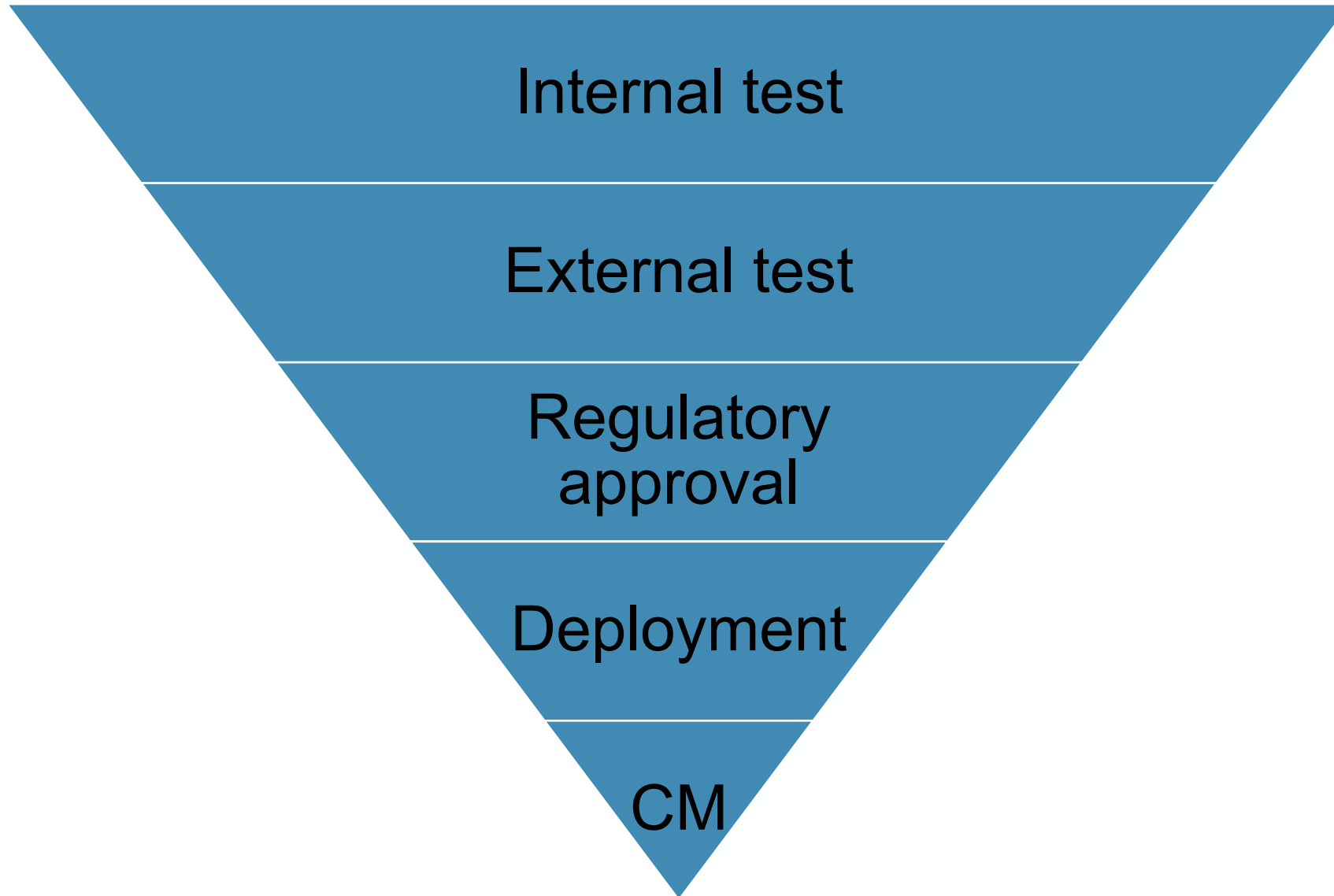
We trained a convolutional neural network (CNN) on a dataset of 5,000 fundus images from premature infants with and without ROP. We evaluated the performance of the CNN on a separate dataset of 1,000 fundus images from premature infants, including 500 images with ROP and 500 images without ROP. We measured the sensitivity, specificity, positive predictive value (PPV), negative predictive value (NPV), and accuracy of the CNN for the diagnosis of ROP.

Our results showed that the CNN achieved a sensitivity of 95.2%, a specificity of 93.8%, a PPV of 92.1%, an NPV of 96.2%, and an accuracy of 94.5% for the diagnosis of ROP. The area under the receiver operating characteristic curve (AUC-ROC) was 0.96, indicating excellent diagnostic accuracy.

Our study demonstrates that an AI algorithm based on a CNN can achieve high diagnostic accuracy for the diagnosis of ROP. The use of AI algorithms for the automated diagnosis of ROP has the potential to improve the efficiency and accuracy of ROP screening programs, particularly in resource-limited settings where access to ophthalmologists and specialized equipment may be limited.

AI Algorithm

AI Algorithm Development Funnel



Challenges in AI model development/deployment

Generalizability– models are brittle and do not generalize across scanners, populations, disease presentation

Shortcut learning

Model predictions may not be repeatable!

Calibration- commonly used approaches for binary models can lead to poorly calibrated models

Silent failures – models may fail without indication (“confidently wrong”)

Overfitting – reported model performance can be over-optimistic

Explainability/interpretability

Models can be biased (in hard to detect ways)

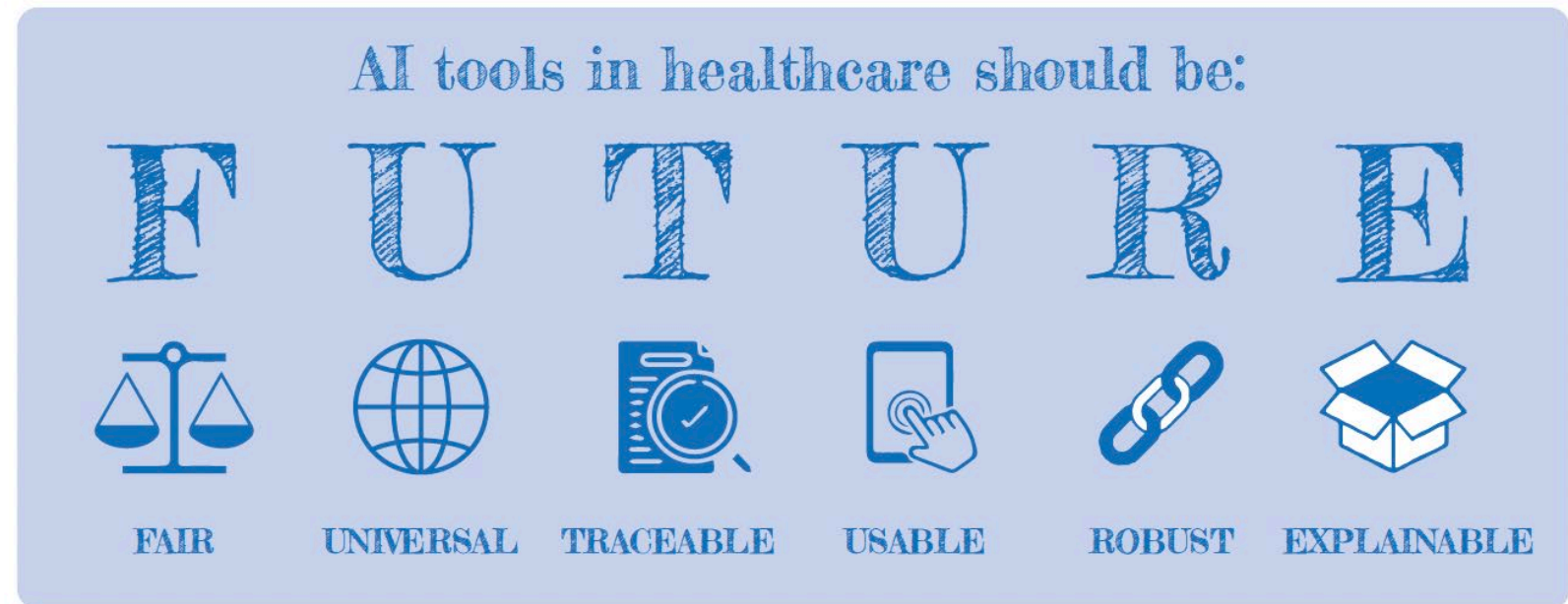
Incorrect metrics

Incorrect ground truth

Inadequate Testing and Validation in the field

FUTURE-AI: international consensus guideline for trustworthy and deployable artificial intelligence in healthcare

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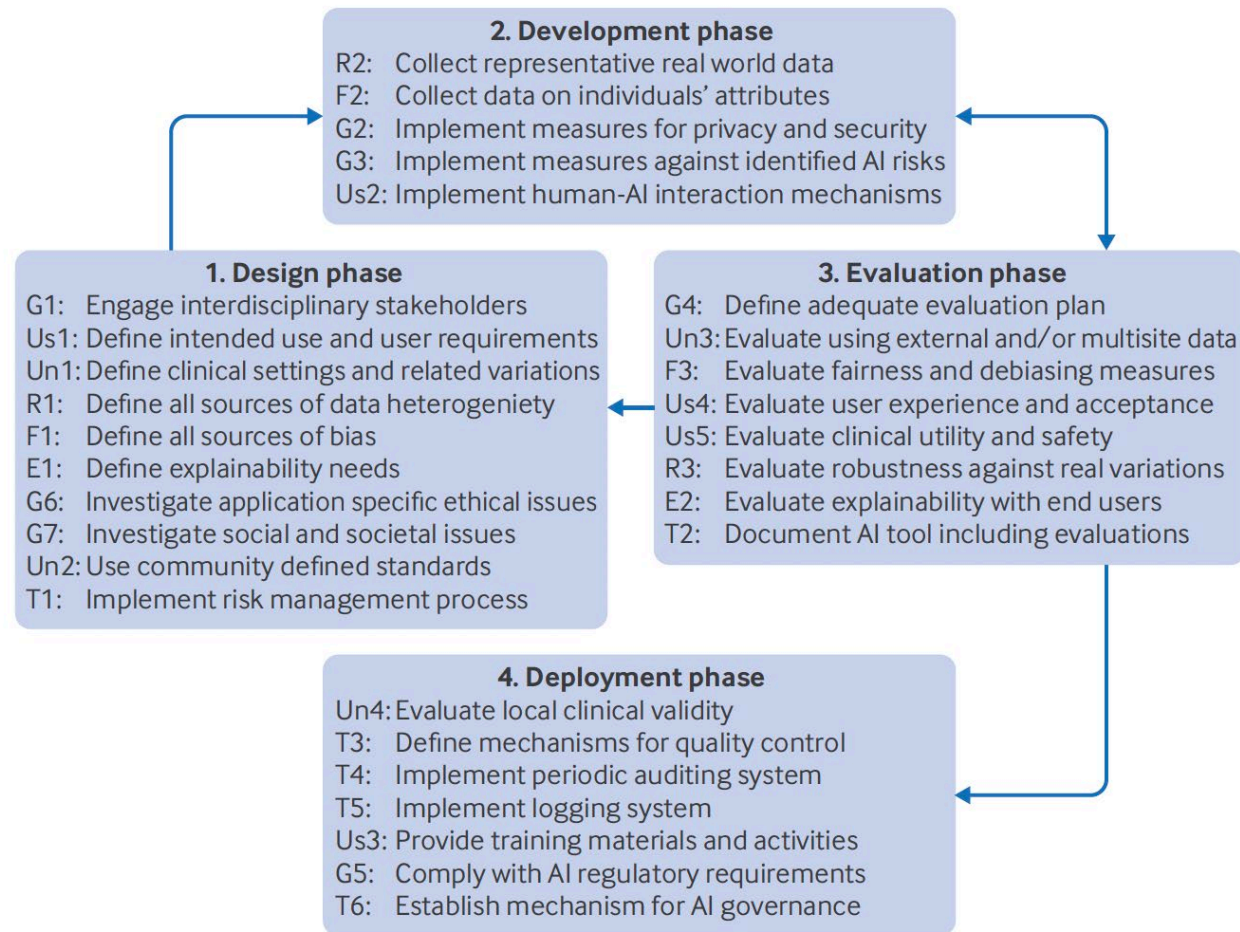


Fig 3 | Embedding the FUTURE-AI best practices into an agile process throughout the artificial intelligence (AI) lifecycle. E=explainability; F=fairness; G=general; R=robustness; T=traceability; Un=universality; Us=usability



Checklist before model deployment

- ✓ What is repeatability (test-retest performance) of the model?
- ✓ What is the reproducibility/ portability performance?
- ✓ Does the system have an “out of distribution” detector?
- ✓ How well is the model calibrated?
- ✓ How often does the model make grave errors? Is the model confidently wrong?
- ✓ Is image quality assessed?
- ✓ Does the image contain enough information to make a prediction?
- ✓ Can the model be adapted locally?
- ✓ What is the continuous monitoring plan?

FDA Perspective is worth considering

Preparing for the Unknowns of Large Language Models and Generative AI

Applications of generative AI, such as large language models (LLMs), **present a unique challenge** because of the potential for unforeseen, emergent consequences; the FDA is yet to authorize an LLM.

Even “AI scribes” meant to summarize medical notes **can hallucinate or include diagnoses not discussed in the visit.**

Because we cannot unduly burden individual clinicians with such oversight, there is a need for specialized **tools that enable better assessment of LLMs** in the contexts and settings in which they will be used.

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FDA Perspective on the Regulation of Artificial Intelligence in Health Care and Biomedicine



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The Central Importance of AI Life Cycle Management

“Given the capacity for “unlocked” models to evolve and AI’s sensitivity to contextual changes, it is becoming increasingly evident that AI performance **should be monitored in the environment in which it is being used.**”

“health systems will need to provide an **information ecosystem** much like that monitoring a patient in the intensive care unit.

Finding the Balance Between Big Tech, Start-Ups, and Academia

The Tension Between Using AI to Optimize Financial Returns vs Improving Health Outcomes

“the relationship between optimizing finances and improving health outcomes for patients and communities is complex and at times at odds”

The Future of AI: Unlocking Possibilities





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THANK YOU

“Brittleness” of machine learning models

Deep learning models do not generalize well

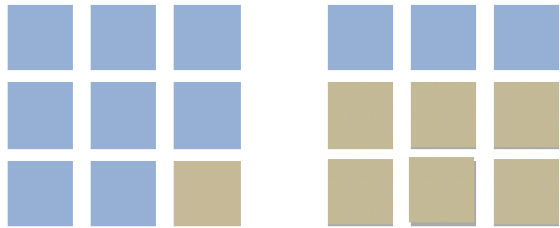
Only 6% of published AI studies have external validation (Kim et al., KJR, 2019)

Data heterogeneity can lead to poor model performance on external datasets.

Distribution differences

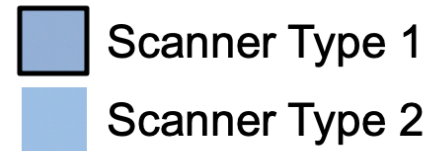
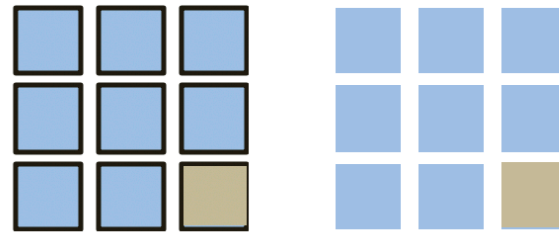
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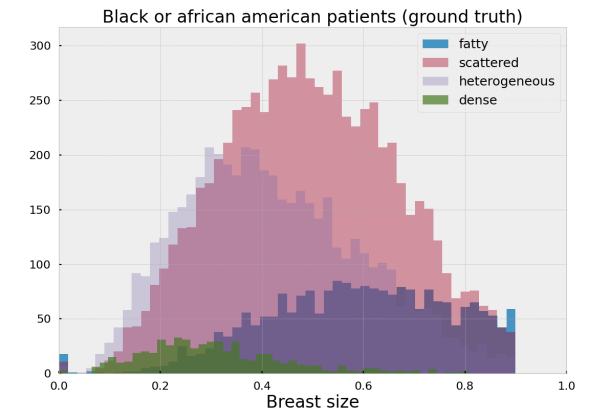
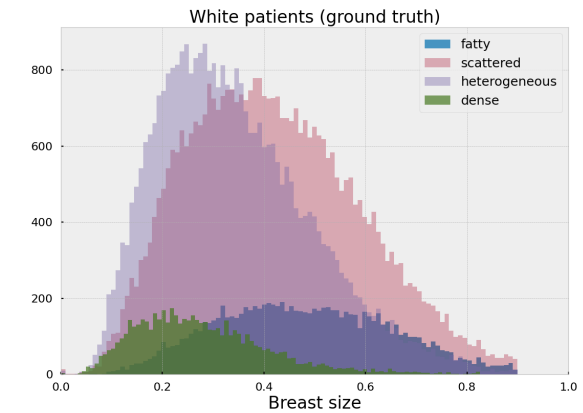


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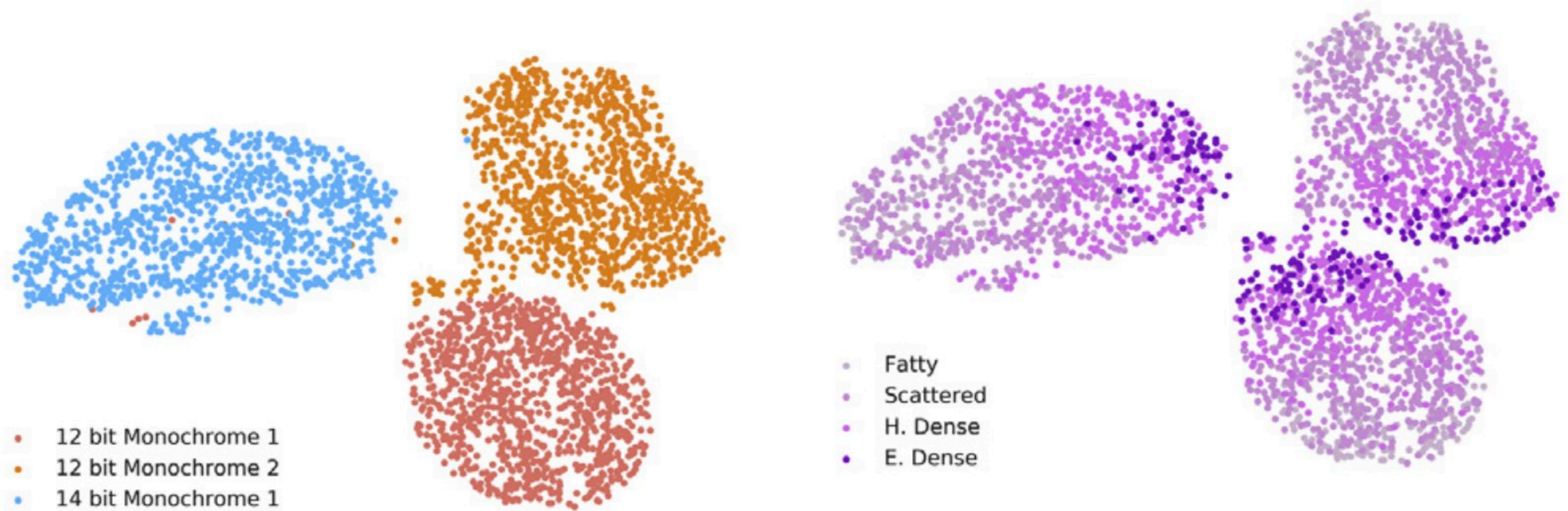
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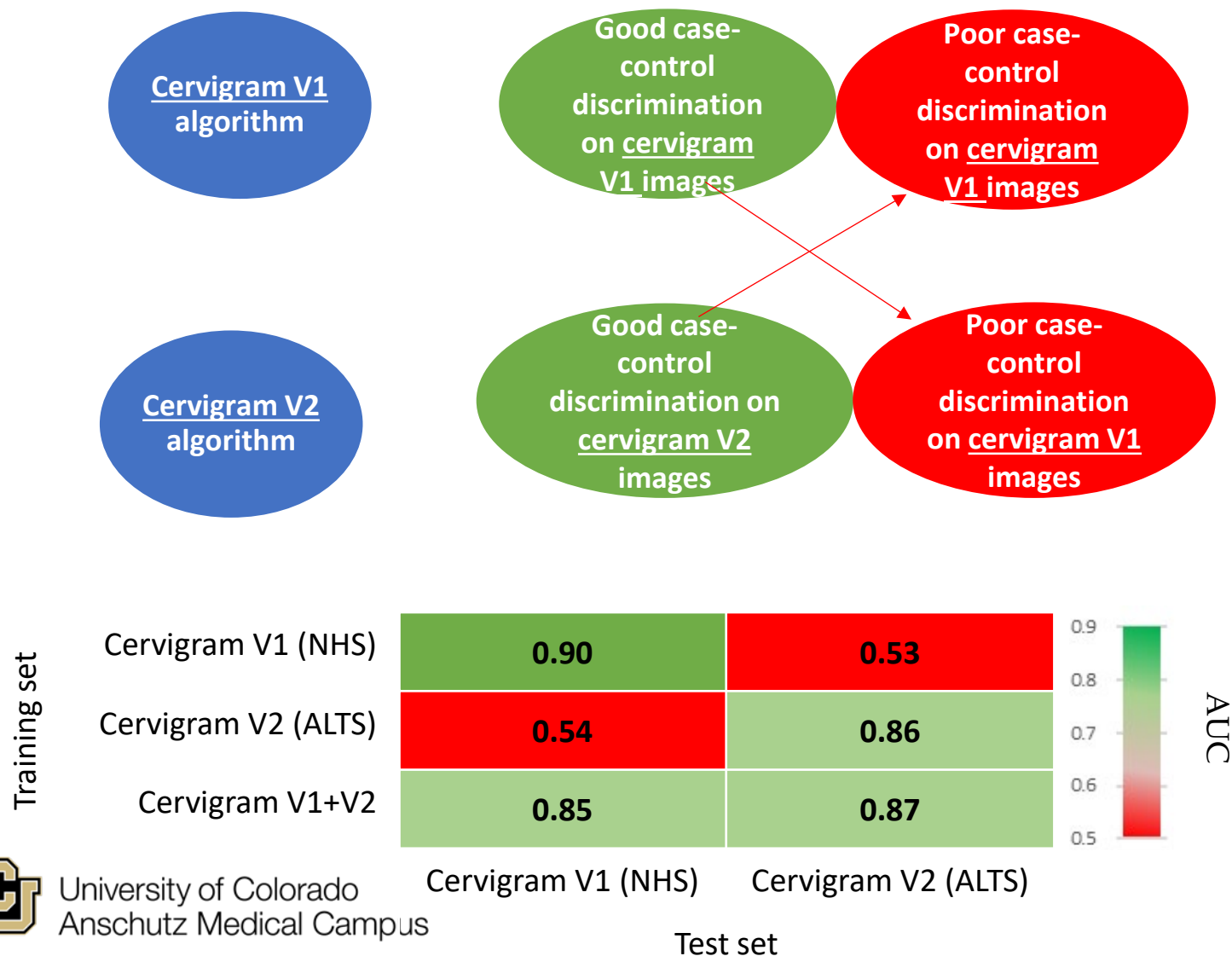


UMap of penultimate layer features shows distinct clusters by scanner type

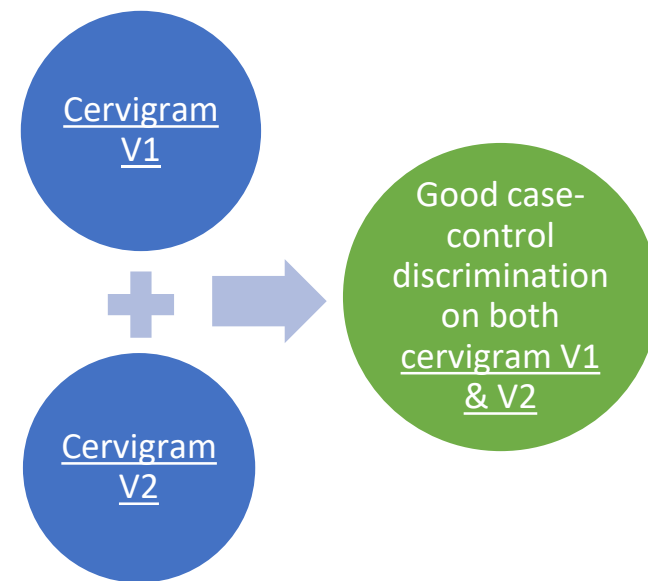


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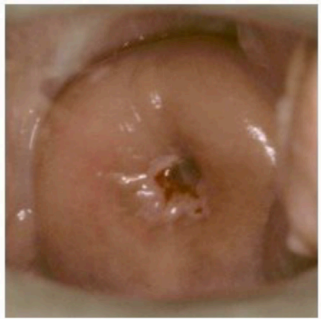


Combined model

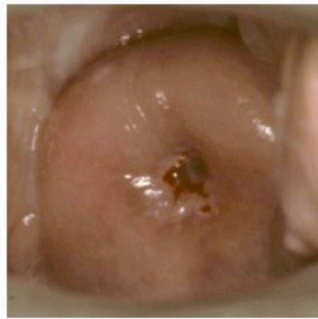


DL Model predictions are not repeatable!

A replicate set of images yield different results (lack of repeatability)

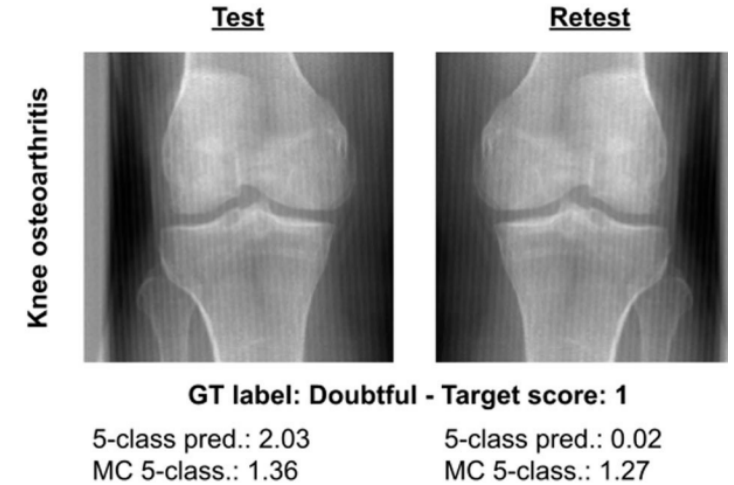
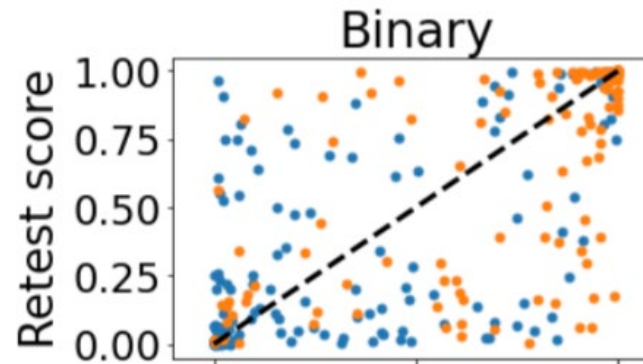


(a) Model prediction: 0.01 (Normal)



(b) Model prediction: 0.98 (Pre-cancer)

Fig. 1: Illustration of repeatability issues from deep learning models on different images of a cervix with precancerous lesions from the same patient taken the same day. A binary model without dropout layers generated the following outputs. (a) the binary model predicts a normal cervix (severity score: 0.01). (b) the binary model predicts pre-cancer (severity score: 0.98).



Little published literature on model repeatability/reproducibility

Many models are not repeatable when tested!.



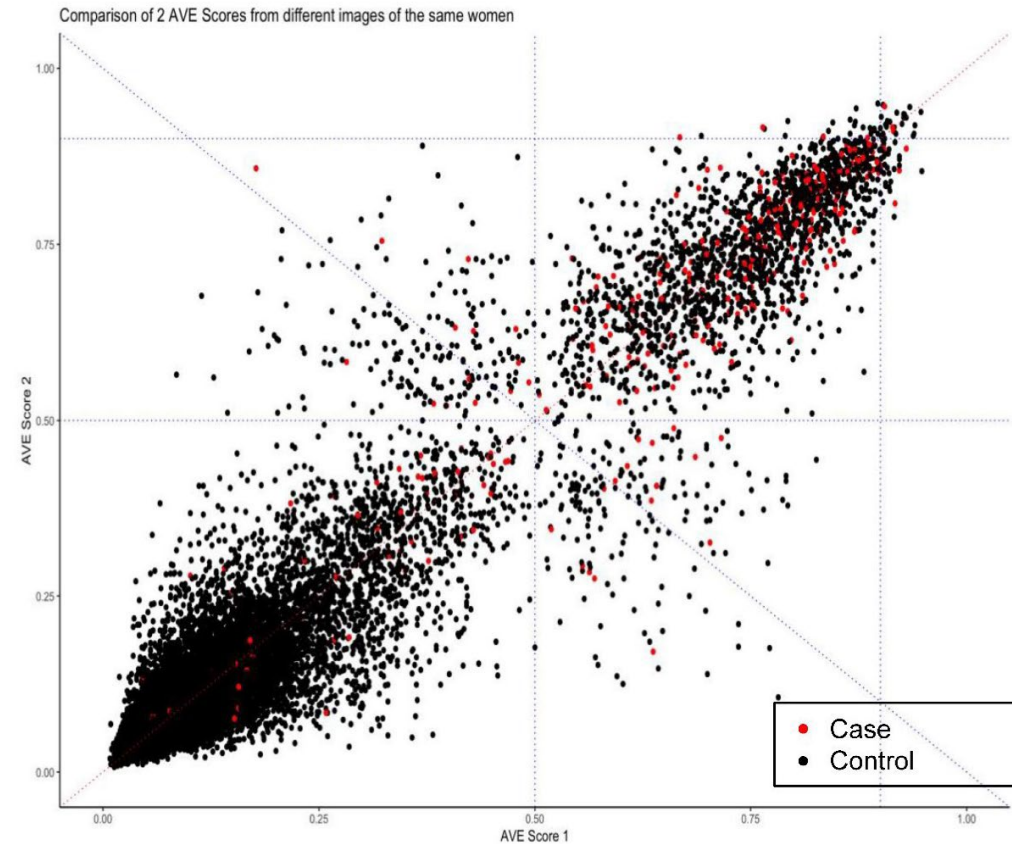
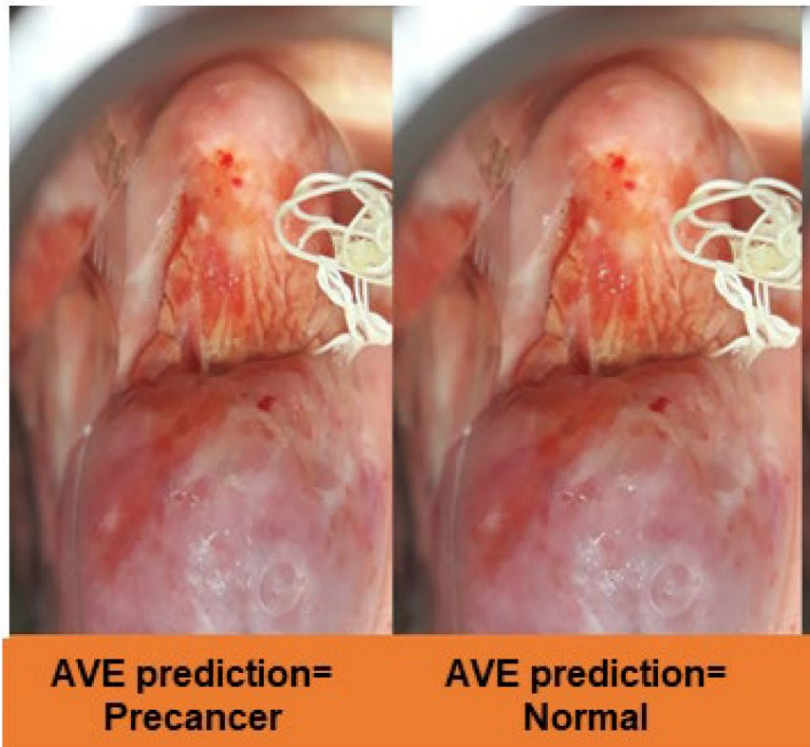
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Problem 2: Test-retest repeatability can be an issue

Challenge: *A replicate set of images from a woman during same examination with same device, yielded different results (**lack of repeatability**)*

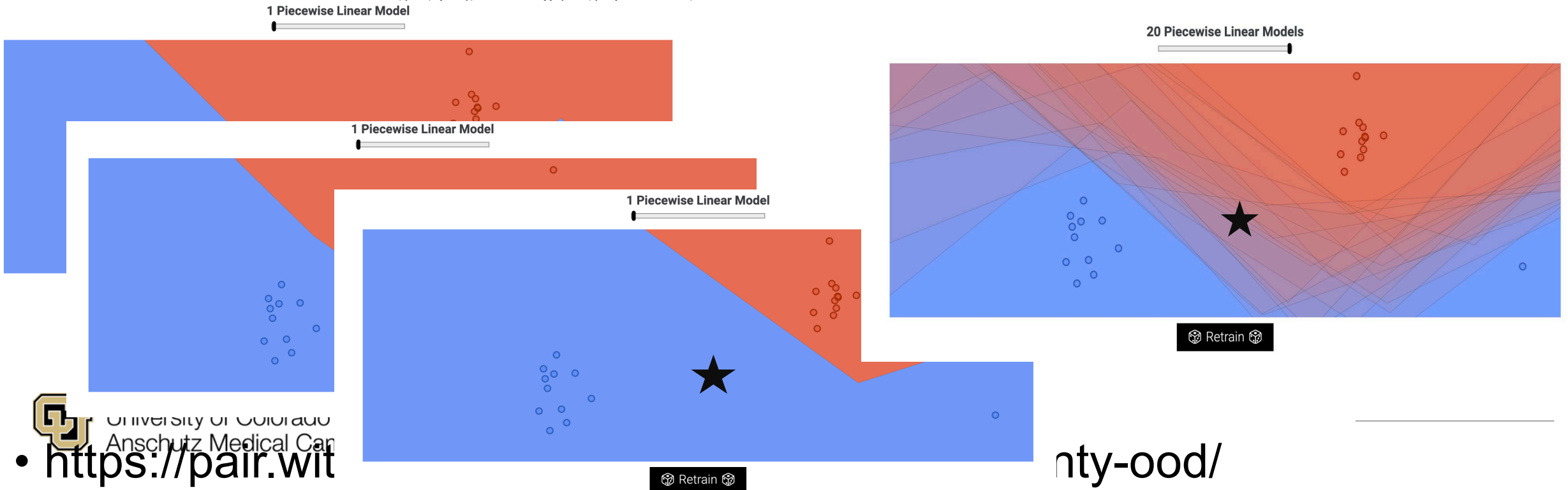


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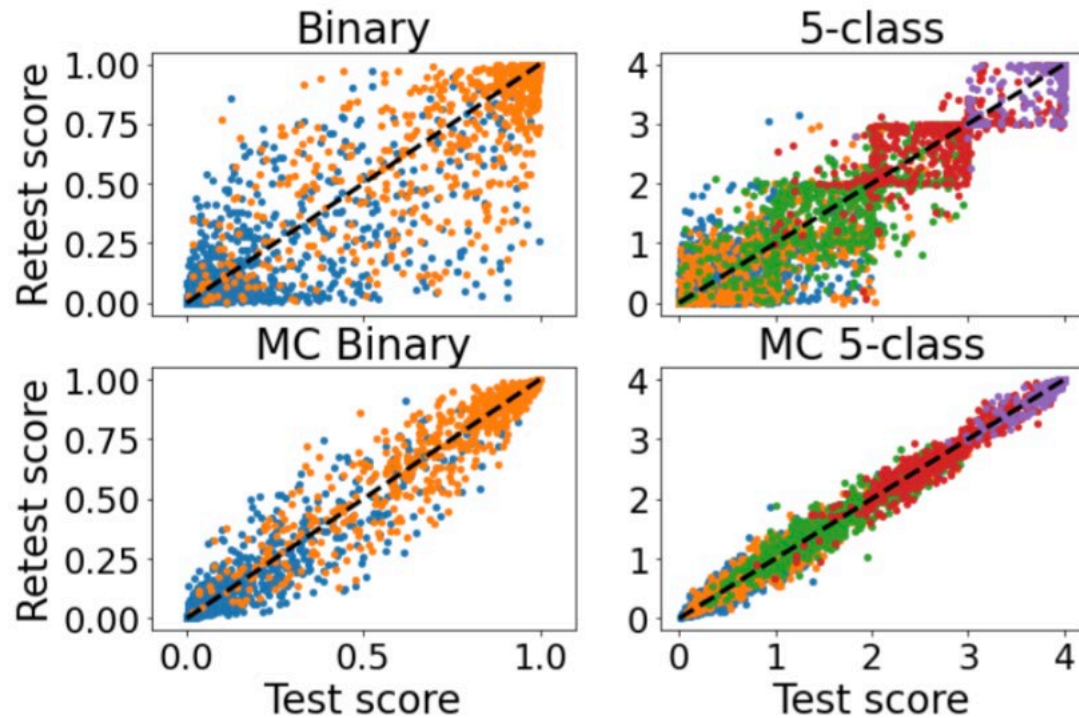
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Combining Models Reduces Overconfidence

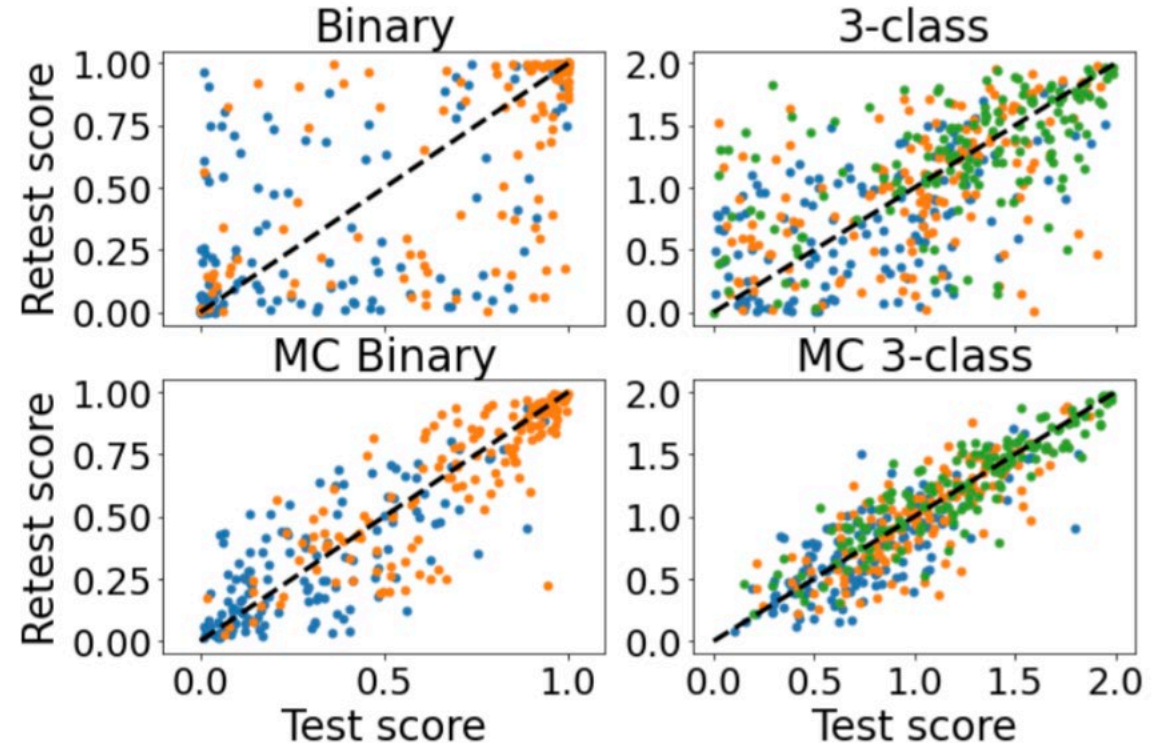
By averaging the output of multiple models, a technique known as **ensembling**, we can create a model



Solution 2: Monte Carlo approaches may improve repeatability



Knee osteoarthritis
(xray)



Cervical cancer (photos)

Metrics, ground truth

Accuracy is often used in ML publications but not a useful metrics especially in low prevalence settings

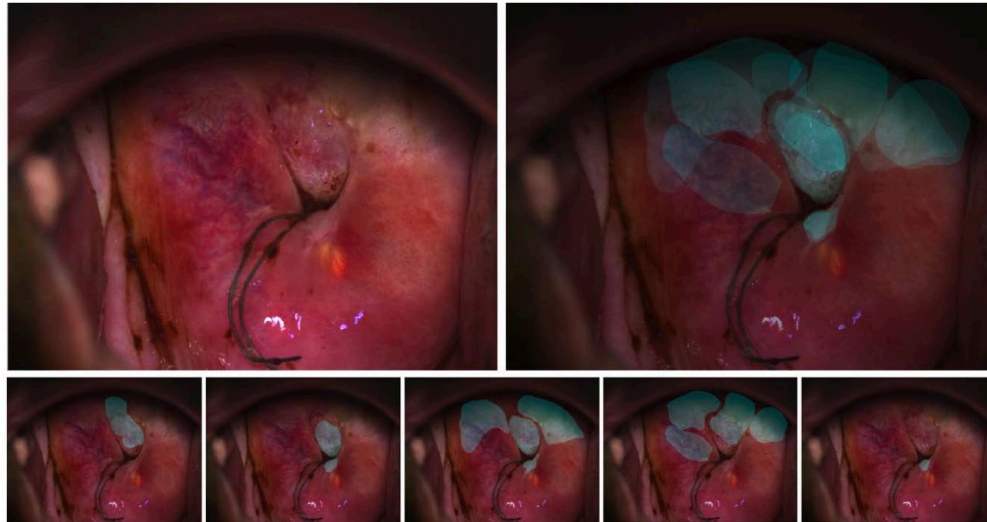
AUROC is often the metric of choice but does not capture the distribution of scores well

Technical metrics don't often translate to clinical utility

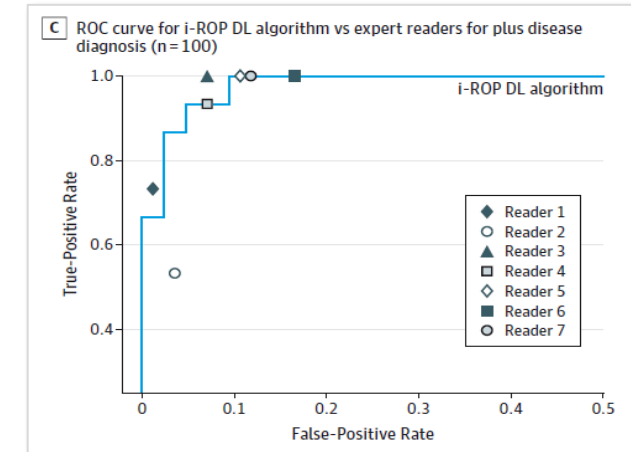
Ground truth

Ground truth can be murky

Human derived ground truth case be highly variable (and wrong)



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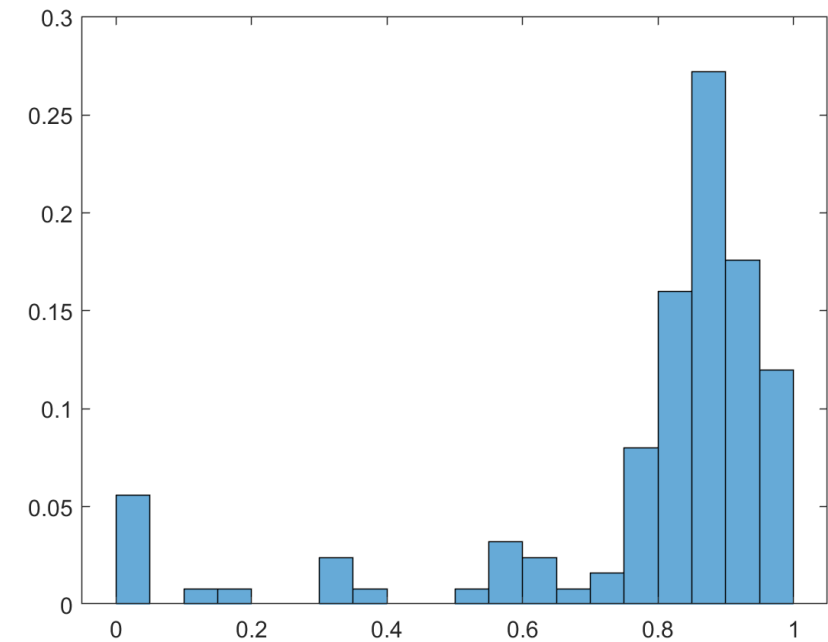
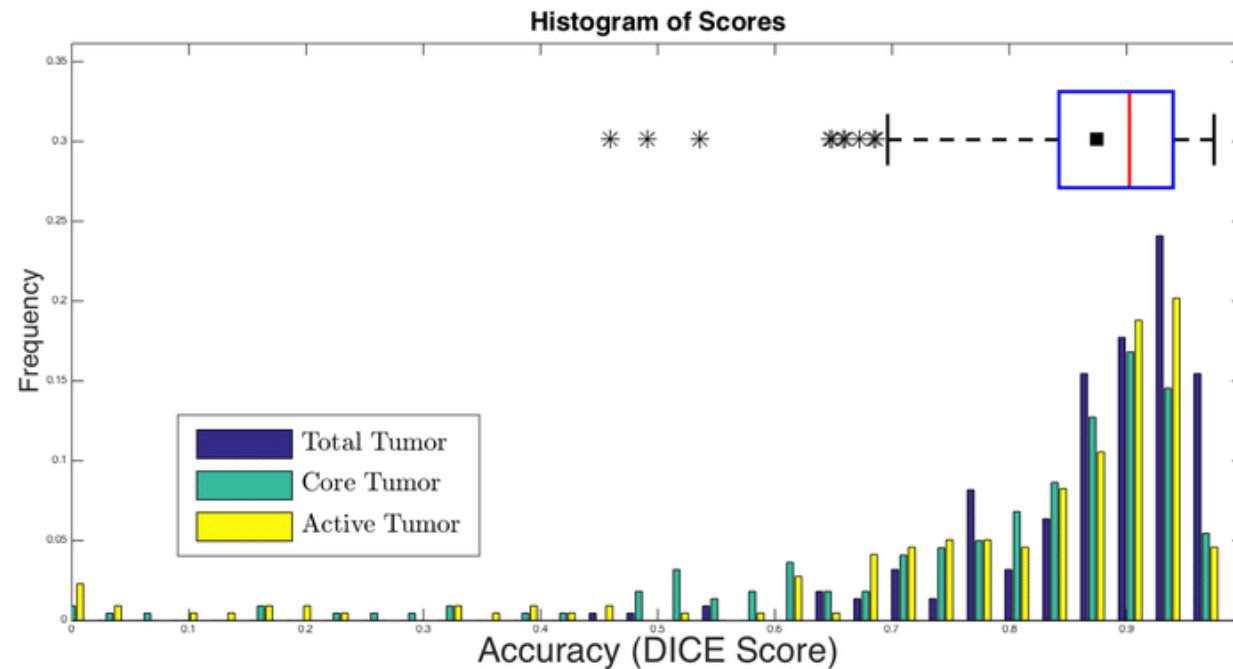
Lycke et al, Journal of Lower Genital Tract Disease 2024

Campbell et al, Ophthalmology 2016;123:2338-44.

Models don't inherently say “I don't know” and may fail silently

Deep learning approaches (typically) do not provide measures of [segmentation] uncertainty

Example histogram of dice scores for segmentation shows long tail of low-quality segmentations

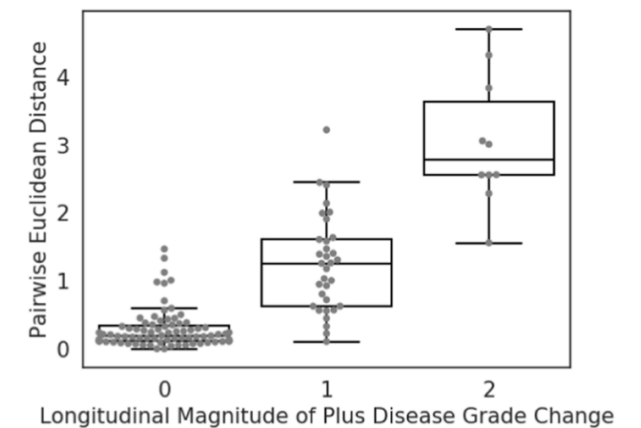
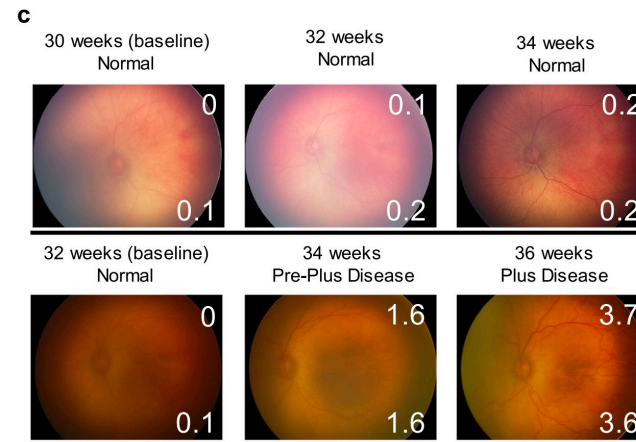
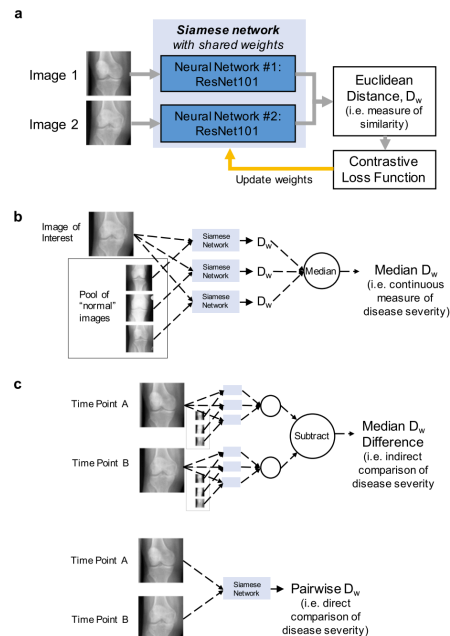
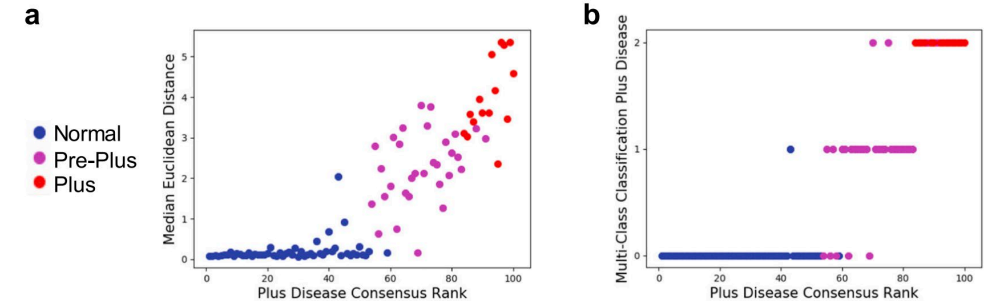


Generate continuous output variables instead of binary values, incorporate uncertainty, calibrate models

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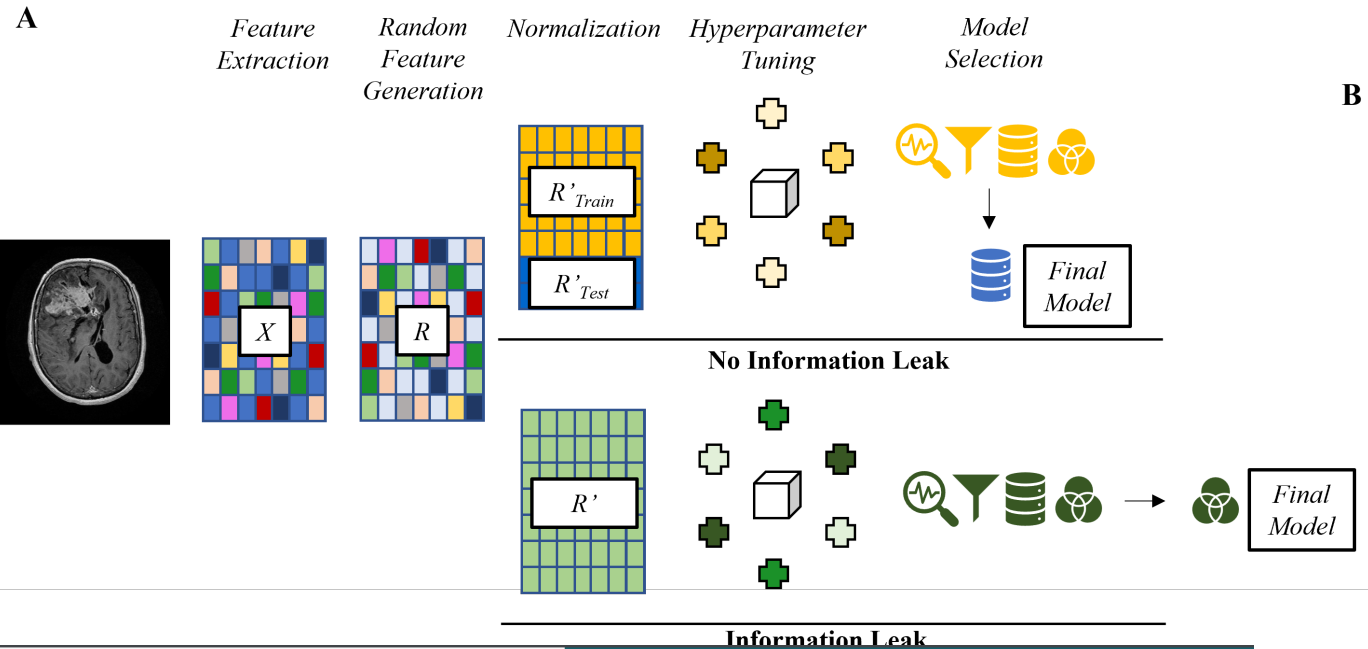
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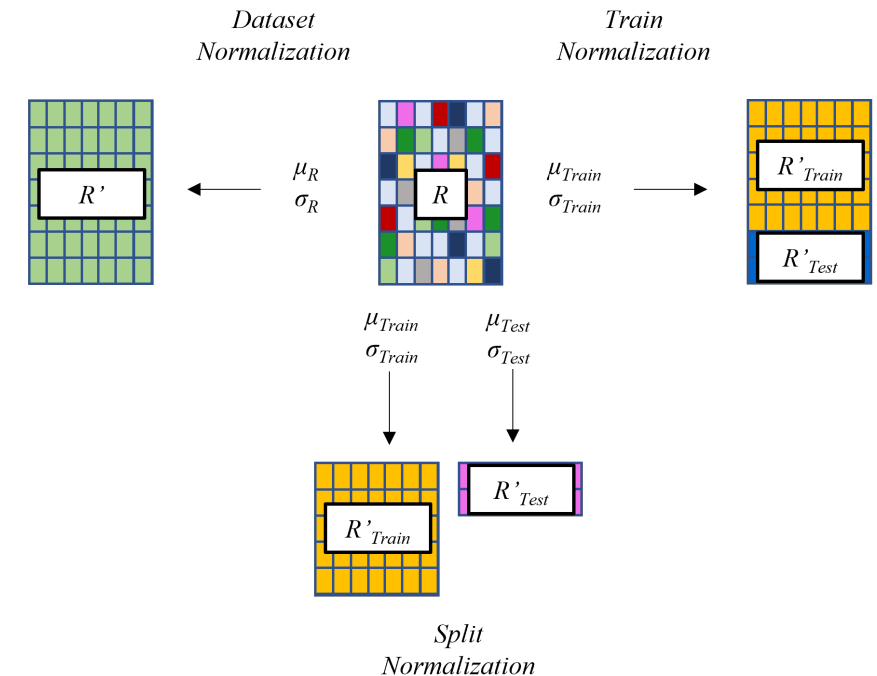


Overfitting is a common problem in the literature

The literature is rife with over-optimistic reported performance, primarily due to a lack of statistical rigor.



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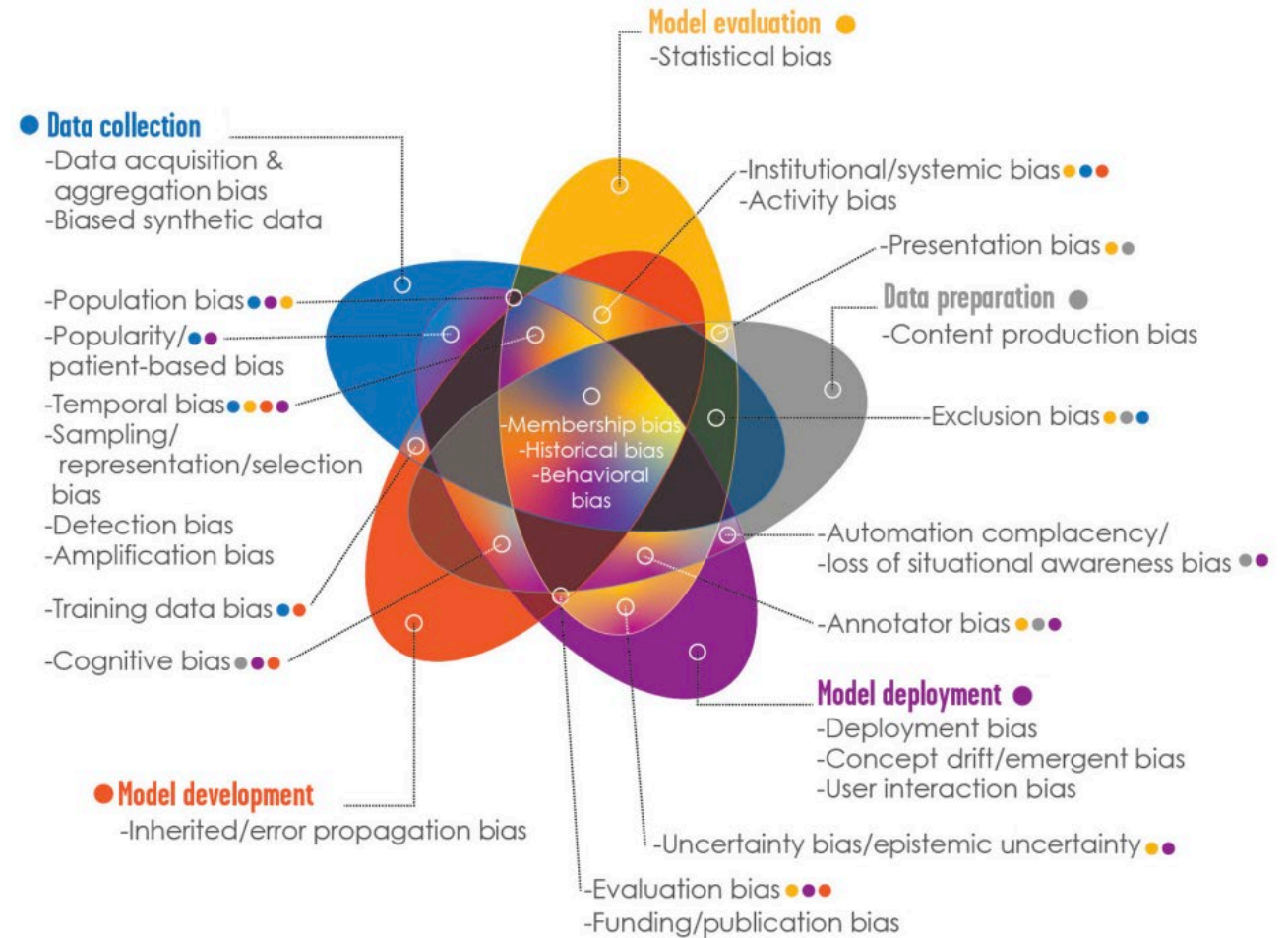
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Gidwani et al, Radiology, 2022

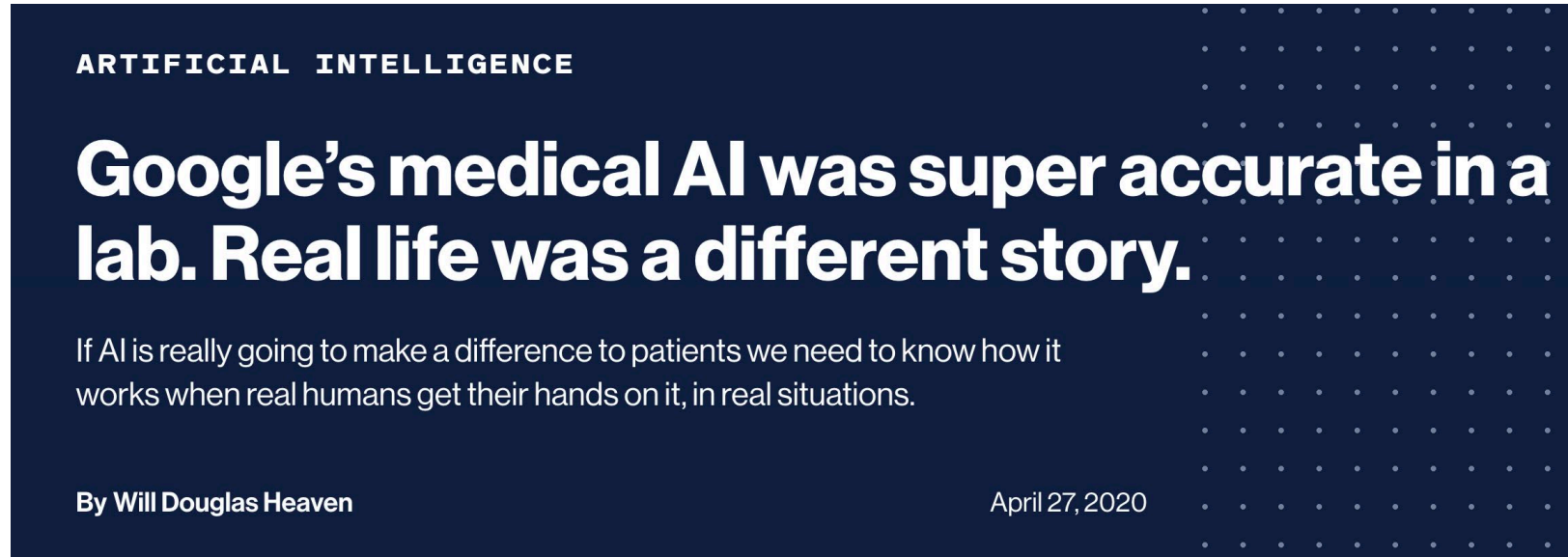
Bias and Fairness

Toward fairness in artificial intelligence for medical image analysis: identification and mitigation of potential biases in the roadmap from data collection to model deployment

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Challenges in real life deployment



- Low image quality in practice (AI was trained in high quality)
- Poor internet slowed workflow
- ...

Checklist before model deployment

- ✓ What is repeatability (test-retest performance) of the model?
- ✓ What is the reproducibility/ portability performance?
- ✓ Does the system have an “out of distribution” detector?
- ✓ How well is the model calibrated?
- ✓ How often does the model make grave errors? Is the model confidently wrong?
- ✓ Is image quality assessed?
- ✓ Does the image contain enough information to make a prediction?
- ✓ Can the model be adapted locally?
- ✓ What is the continuous monitoring plan?

(Hard) Lessons Learned

- ✓ Continuous monitoring is imperative (how?)
- ✓ External validation (needed? Or hyperoptimize locally?)
- ✓ Continuous scores might be preferable to binary (or ordinal) where the disease lies on a severity spectrum
- ✓ Many commonly used explainability methods have issues – need rigorous evaluation
- ✓ Need to evaluate model repeatability

Conclusion

AI is here to stay (IMO) and impact all aspects of clinical care

There is tremendous potential, but we need to be vigilant before, during and after implementation

Implementing trustworthy AI is team science

Does AI have super-human capabilities?

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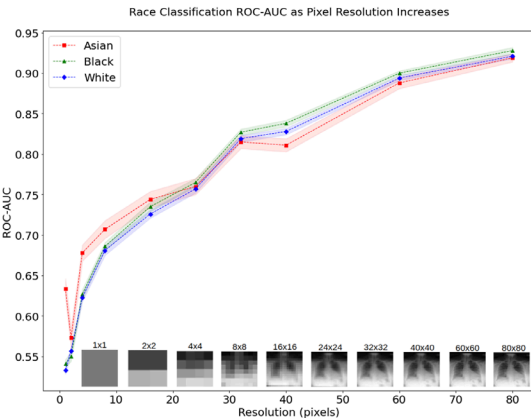
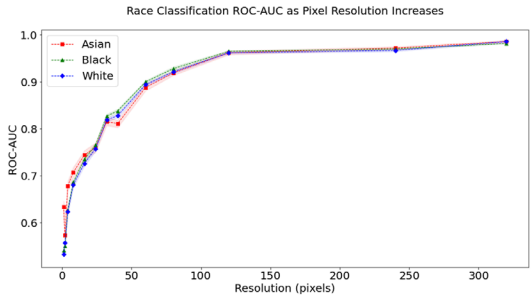


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Superhuman + risk of bias + not transparent → need for continued vigilance?

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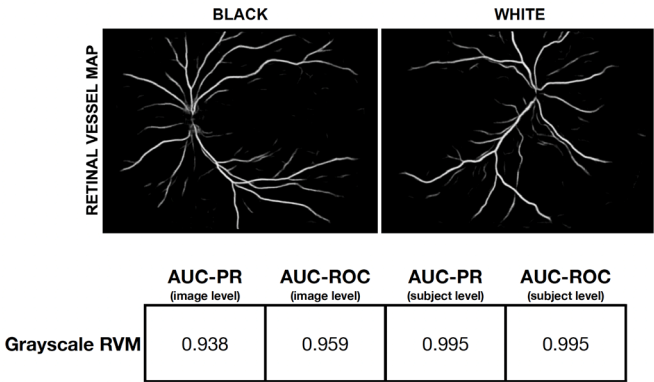


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