

**NSCLC PERSONALIZED
MEDICINE VIA INTEGRATION
INTO BIO-MATHEMATICAL MODEL
INDIVIDUAL CLINICAL DATA AND
PROGNOSTIC/PREDICTIVE
BIOMARKERS.**



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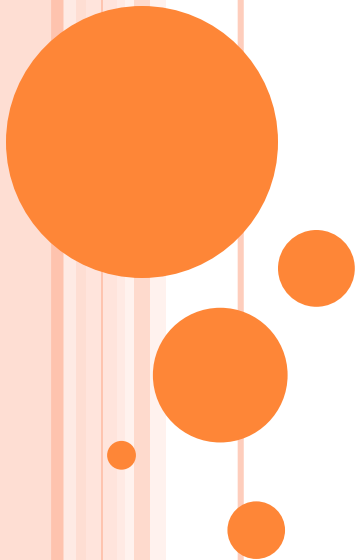
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BACKGROUND

- **Lung cancer is the most common cause of cancer death in the US and worldwide.**
- **215.000 Americans have died of lung cancer in 2008.**
- **1 in 7 smokers will die of lung cancer.**
- **The average 5 year survival- 15%.**



BACKGROUND

FIGURE 1 Ten Leading Cancer Types for Estimated New Cancer Cases and Deaths, by Sex, United States, 2009

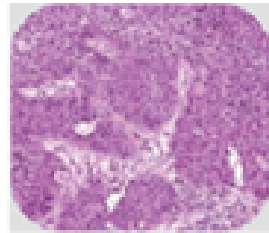
Estimated New Cases*

				Males	Females				
Prostate	192,280	25%				Breast	192,370	27%	
Lung & bronchus	116,090	15%				Lung & bronchus	103,350	14%	
Colon & rectum	75,590	10%				Colon & rectum	71,380	10%	
Urinary bladder	52,810	7%				Uterine corpus	42,160	6%	
Melanoma of the skin	39,080	5%				Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	29,990	4%	
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	35,990	5%				Melanoma of the skin	29,640	4%	
Kidney & renal pelvis	35,430	5%				Thyroid	27,200	4%	
Leukemia	25,630	3%				Kidney & renal pelvis	22,330	3%	
Oral cavity & pharynx	25,240	3%				Ovary	21,550	3%	
Pancreas	21,050	3%				Pancreas	21,420	3%	
All Sites	766,130	100%				All Sites	713,220	100%	

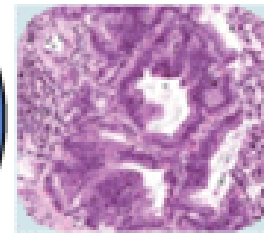
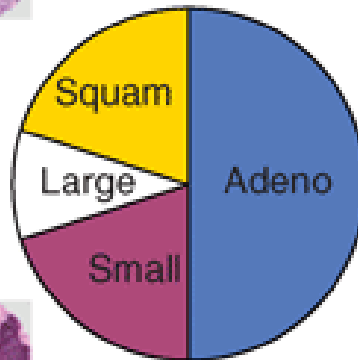
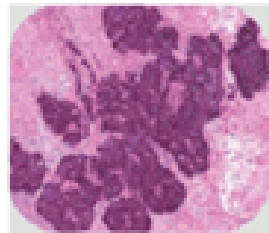
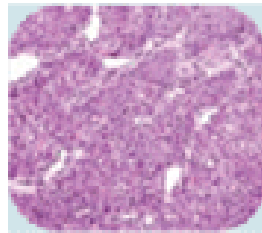
Estimated Deaths

				Males	Females				
Lung & bronchus	88,900	30%				Lung & bronchus	70,490	26%	
Prostate	27,360	9%				Breast	40,170	15%	
Colon & rectum	25,240	9%				Colon & rectum	24,680	9%	
Pancreas	18,030	6%				Pancreas	17,210	6%	
Leukemia	12,590	4%				Ovary	14,600	5%	
Liver & intrahepatic bile duct	12,090	4%				Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	9,670	4%	
Esophagus	11,490	4%				Leukemia	9,280	3%	
Urinary bladder	10,180	3%				Uterine Corpus	7,780	3%	
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	9,830	3%				Liver & intrahepatic bile duct	6,070	2%	
Kidney & renal pelvis	8,160	3%				Brain & other nervous system	5,590	2%	
All Sites	292,540	100%				All Sites	269,800	100%	

HISTOLOGIC CLASSIFICATION



Small Cell Lung Cancer (SCLC)



Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC):

Adenocarcinoma

Squamous cell carcinoma

Large cell carcinoma

Source: Longo DL, Fauci AS, Kasper DL, Hauser SL, Jameson JL, Loscalzo J: *Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine, 18th Edition*: www.accessmedicine.com

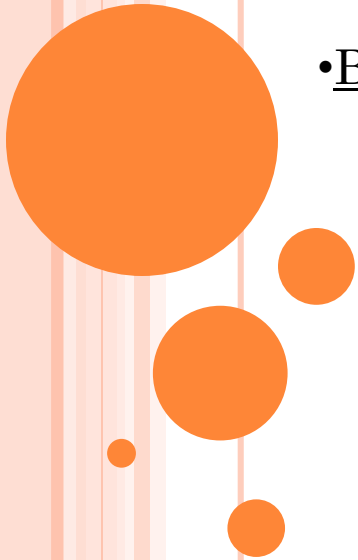
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HOW CAN WE DIAGNOSE ?



DIAGNOSTING TOOLS

- Symptomes – not specific !
Cough, weight loss, dyspnea, hemoptysis, clubbing.
- Chest Radiograph
- PET-CT
- CT
- Bronchoscopy



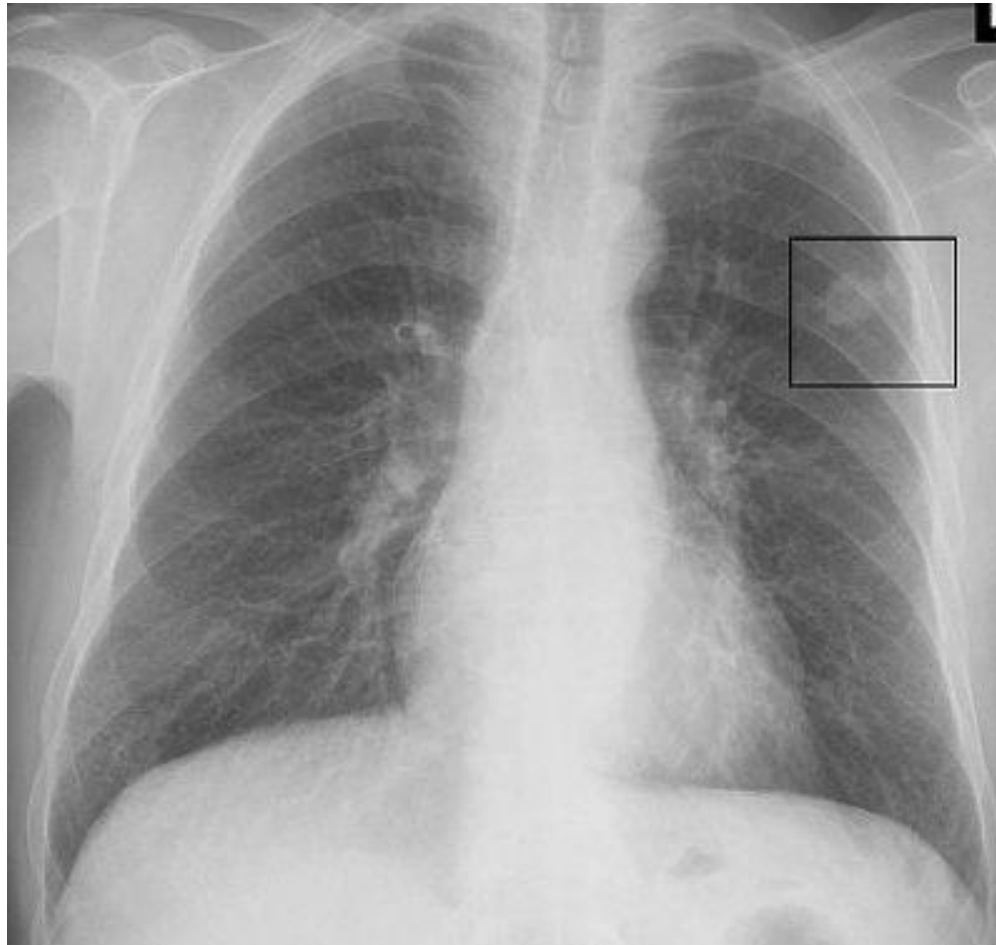
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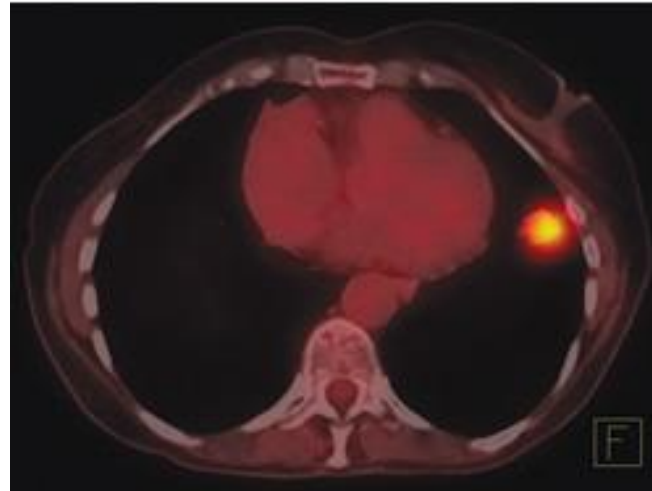
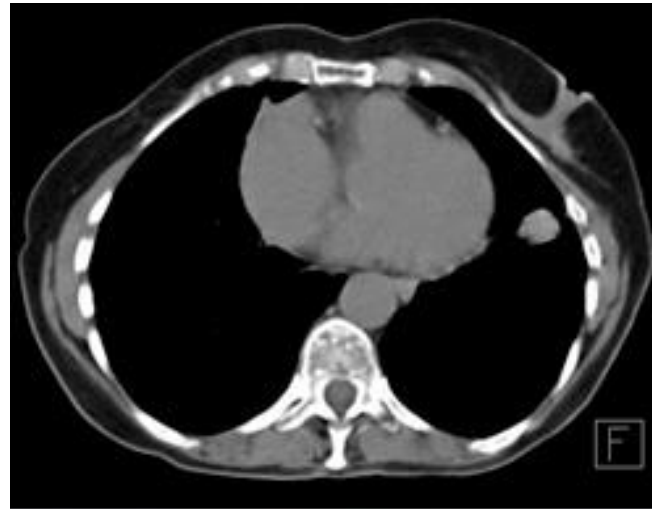
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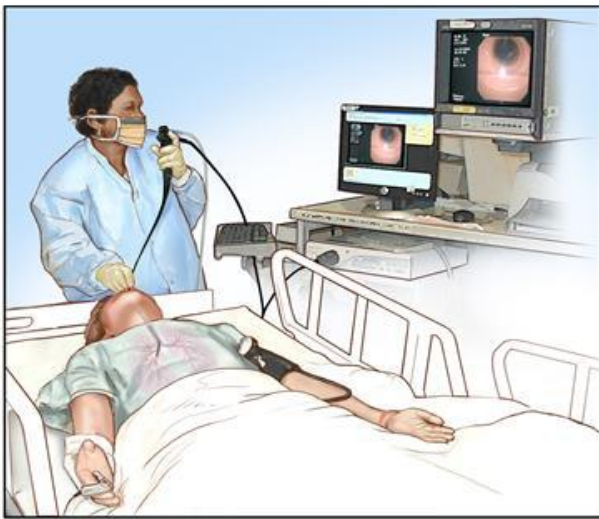
CHEST RADIOGRAPH



PET CT



BRONCHOSCOPY

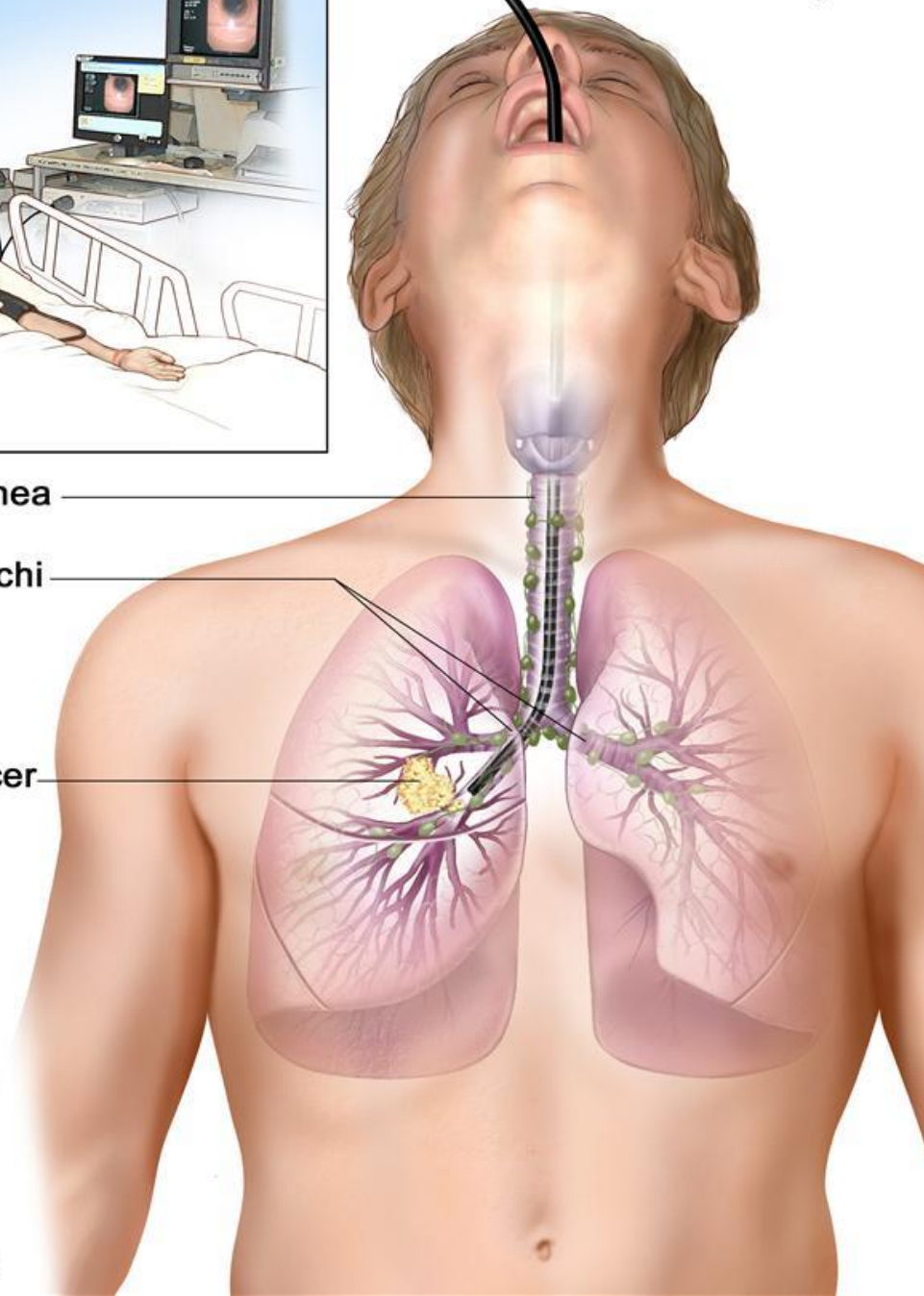


Trachea

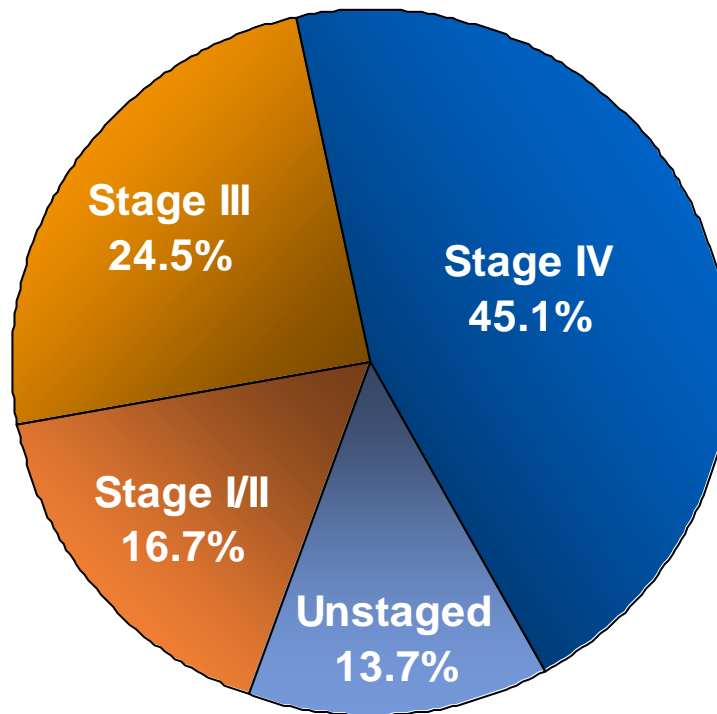
Bronchi

Cancer

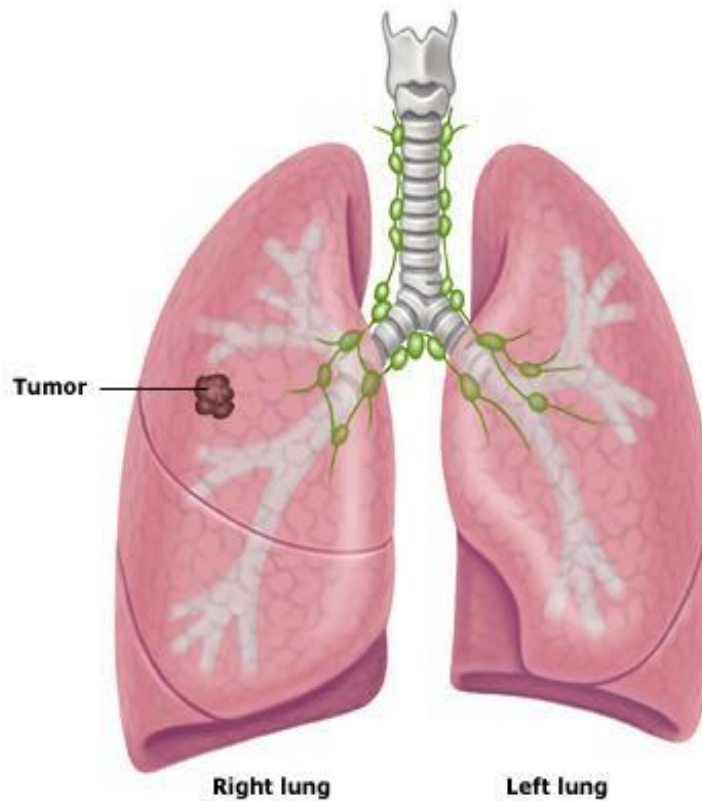
Bronchoscope



STAGING

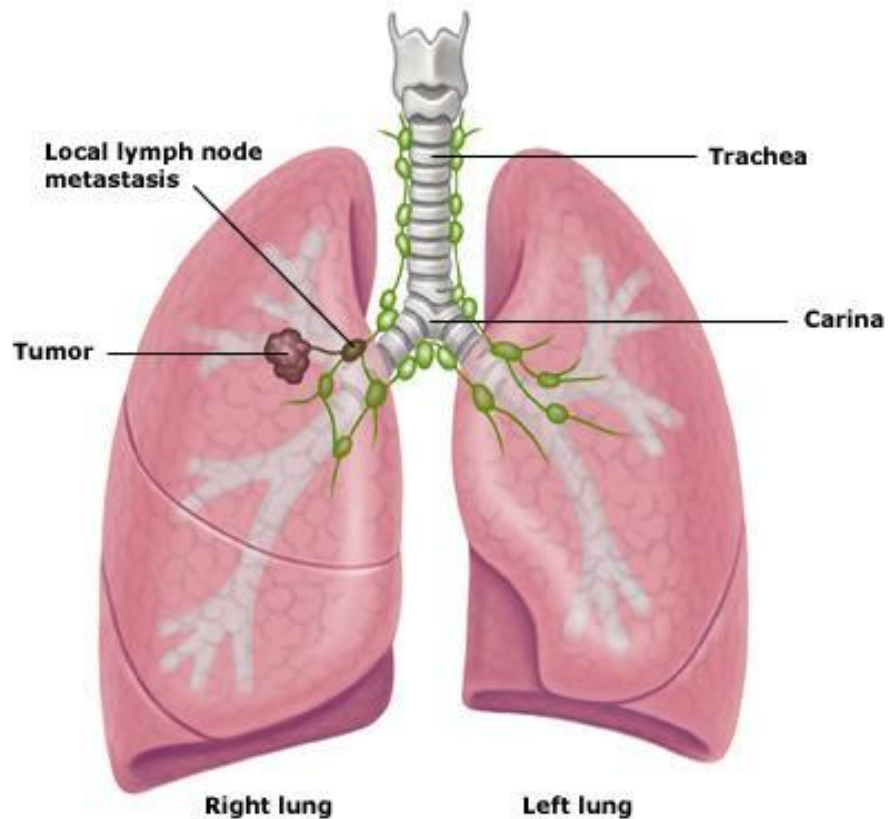


STAGE I



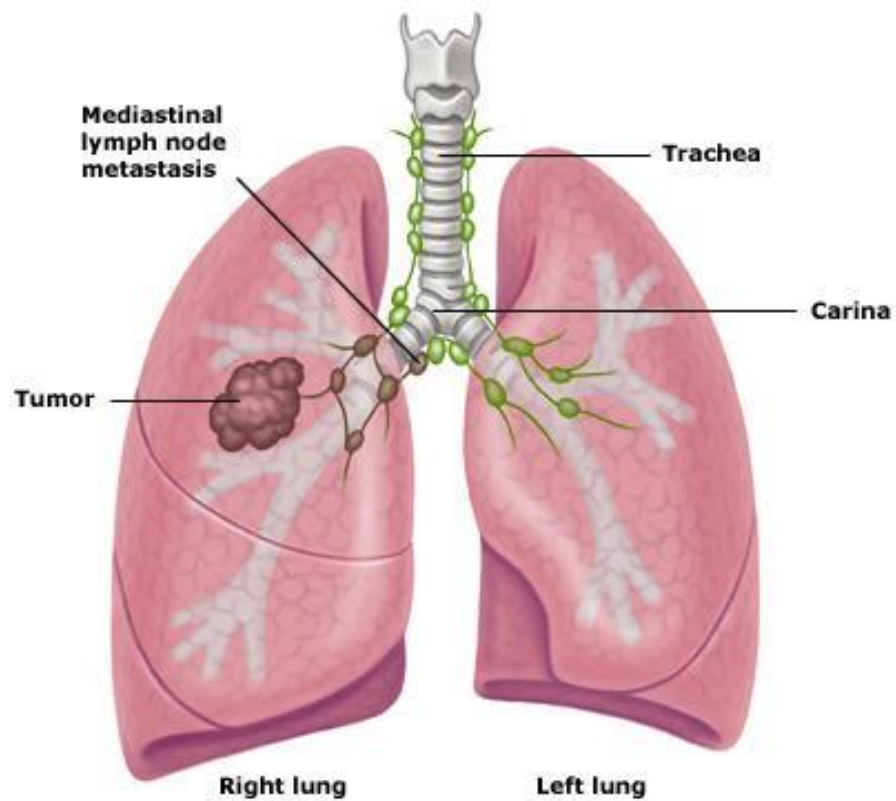
**Primary tumor in the lung
No lymph nodes involved.**

STAGE II



Primary tumor in the lung and lymph nodes within the lobe or hilum.

STAGE III

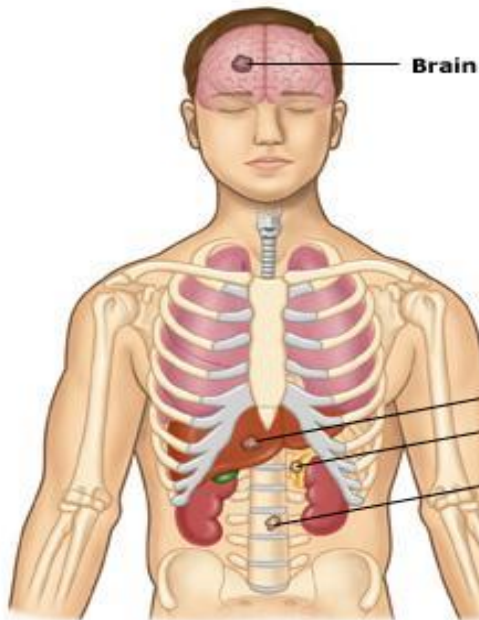


Locally advanced disease.

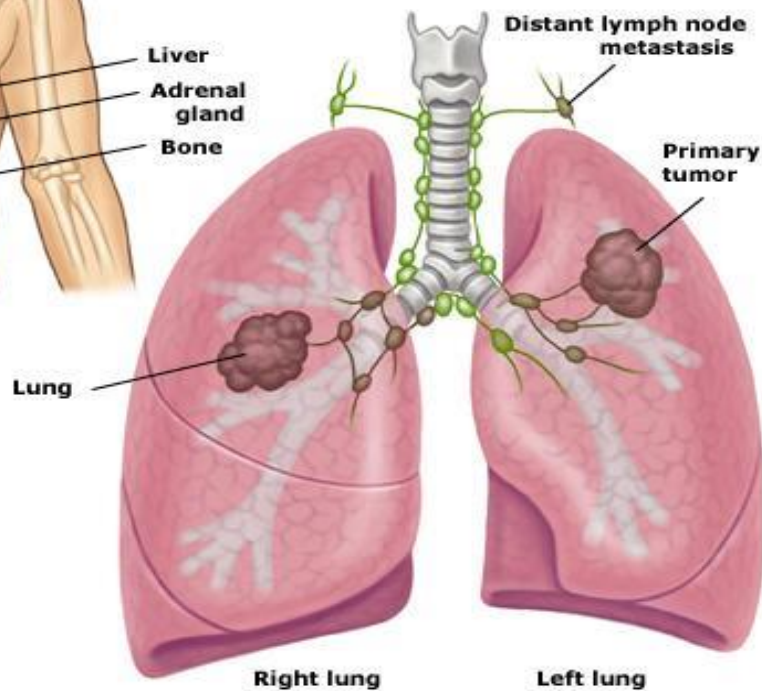
Mediastinal LN.

Primary tumor invades local structures (spine, etc).

STAGE IV



Cancer spread to the other lung or outside the chest.
Pleural effusion.



TREATMENT

Operable Early Stage NSCLC (stage I-IIIa)

Surgical approaches.

Adjuvant chemo.

Adjuvant XRT.

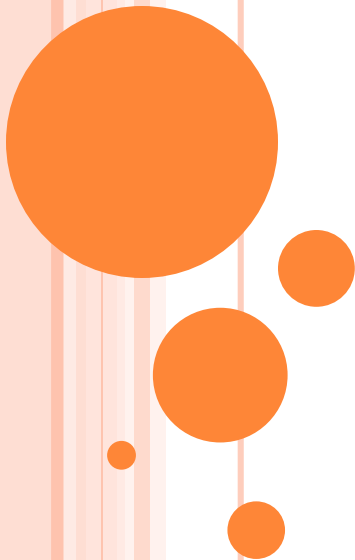
Advanced NSCLC (IIIB -IV)

Chemotherapy.

VEGF inhibitors: bevacizumab (Avastin).

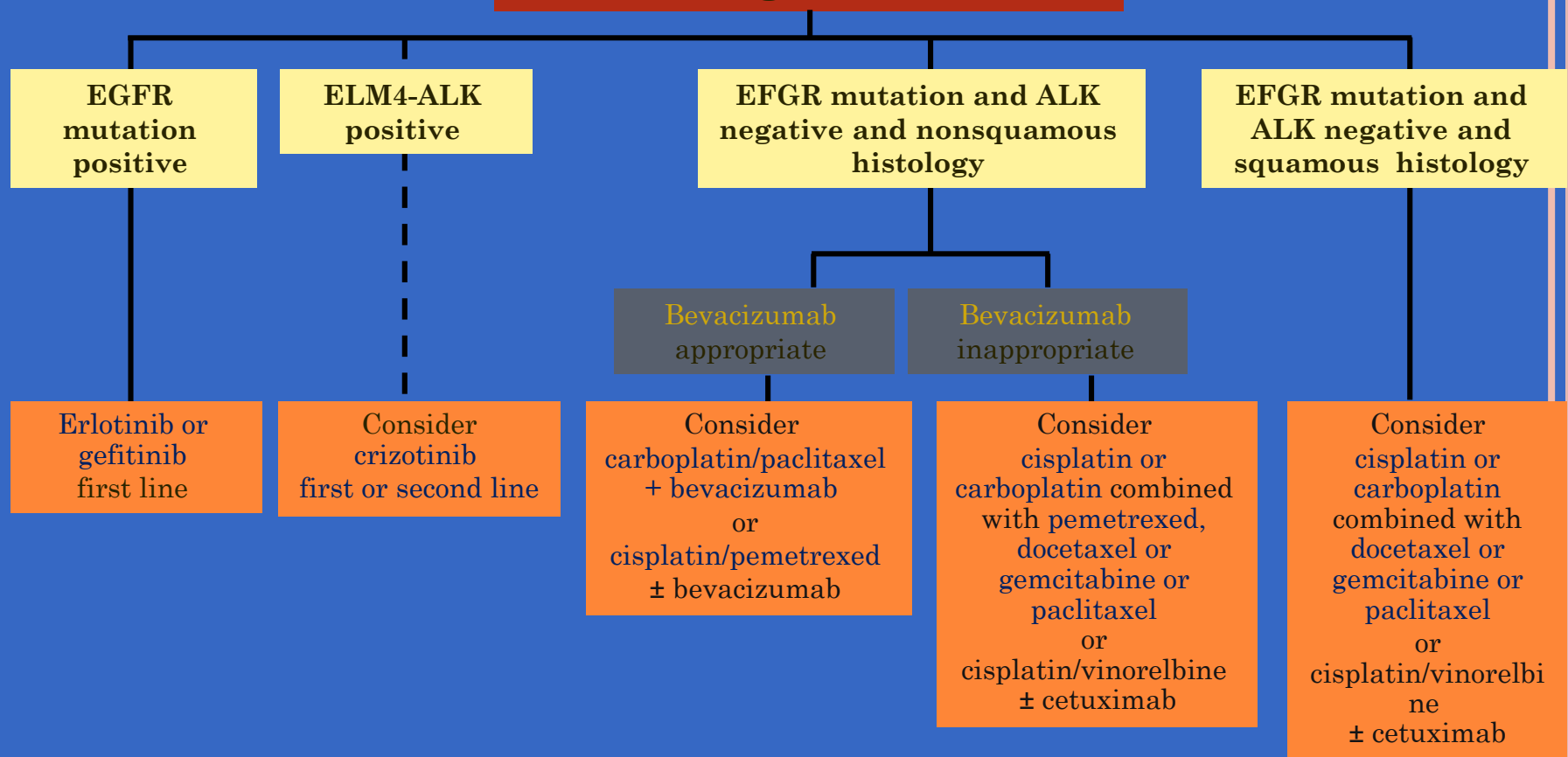
EGFR TKI: gefitinib and erlotinib.

ALK: crizotinib.



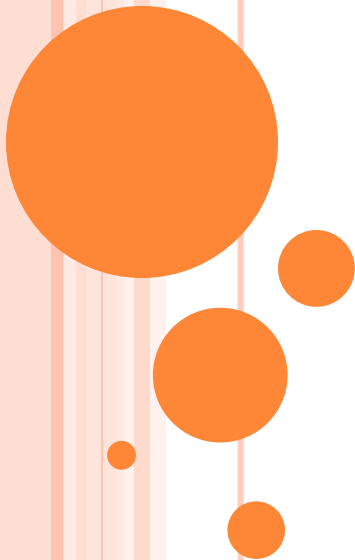
PROPOSED TREATMENT ALGORITHM FOR ADVANCED NSCLC: FIRST-LINE THERAPY 2012

Advanced-Stage NSCLC & PS 0-1



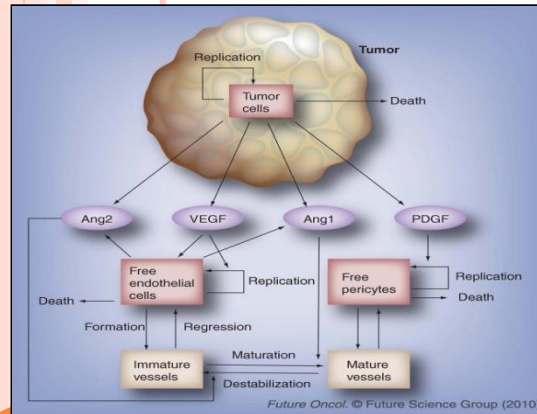
LEADING QUESTIONS

- How can we assist the oncologist's decisions ?
- Which patient will have better results with a certain treatment ? (main tumor size reduction, less toxicity)



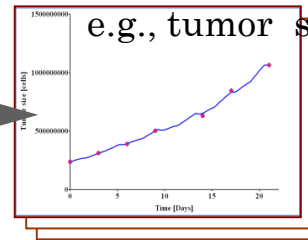
OPTIMATA

PK/PD mechanistic
model for drug

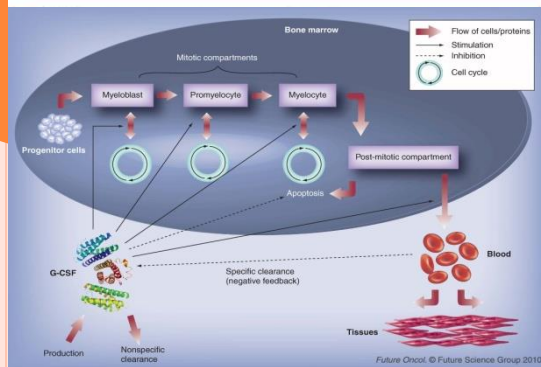
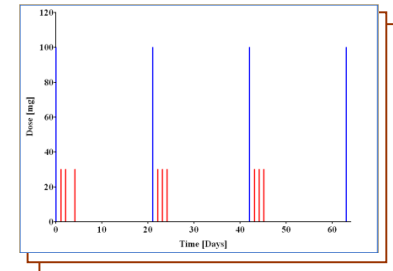


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Predict
efficacy
e.g., tumor size

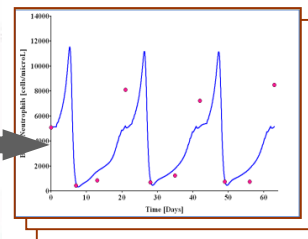


Optimize schedule
for mono- or
combination therapy



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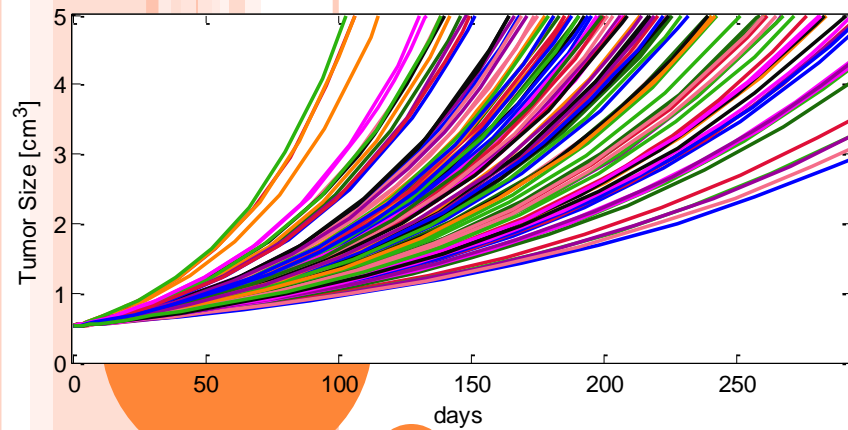
Predict toxicity
e.g., neutropenia



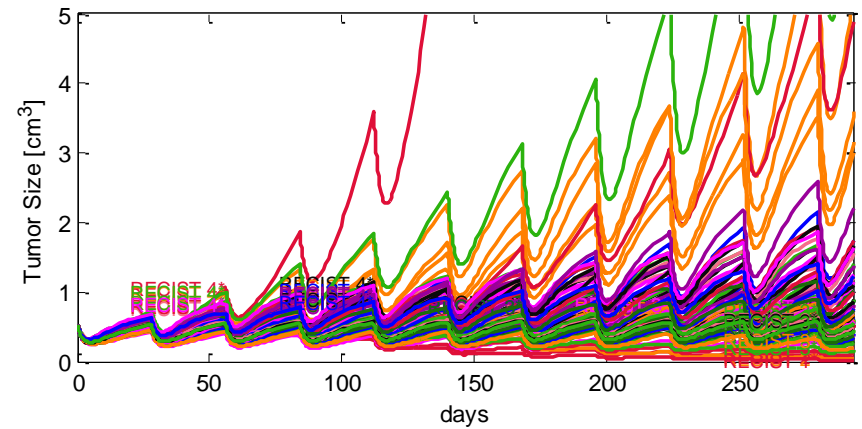
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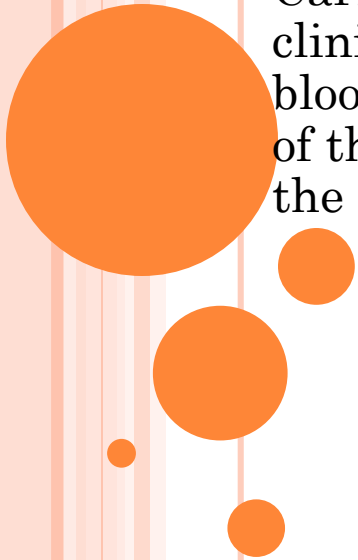
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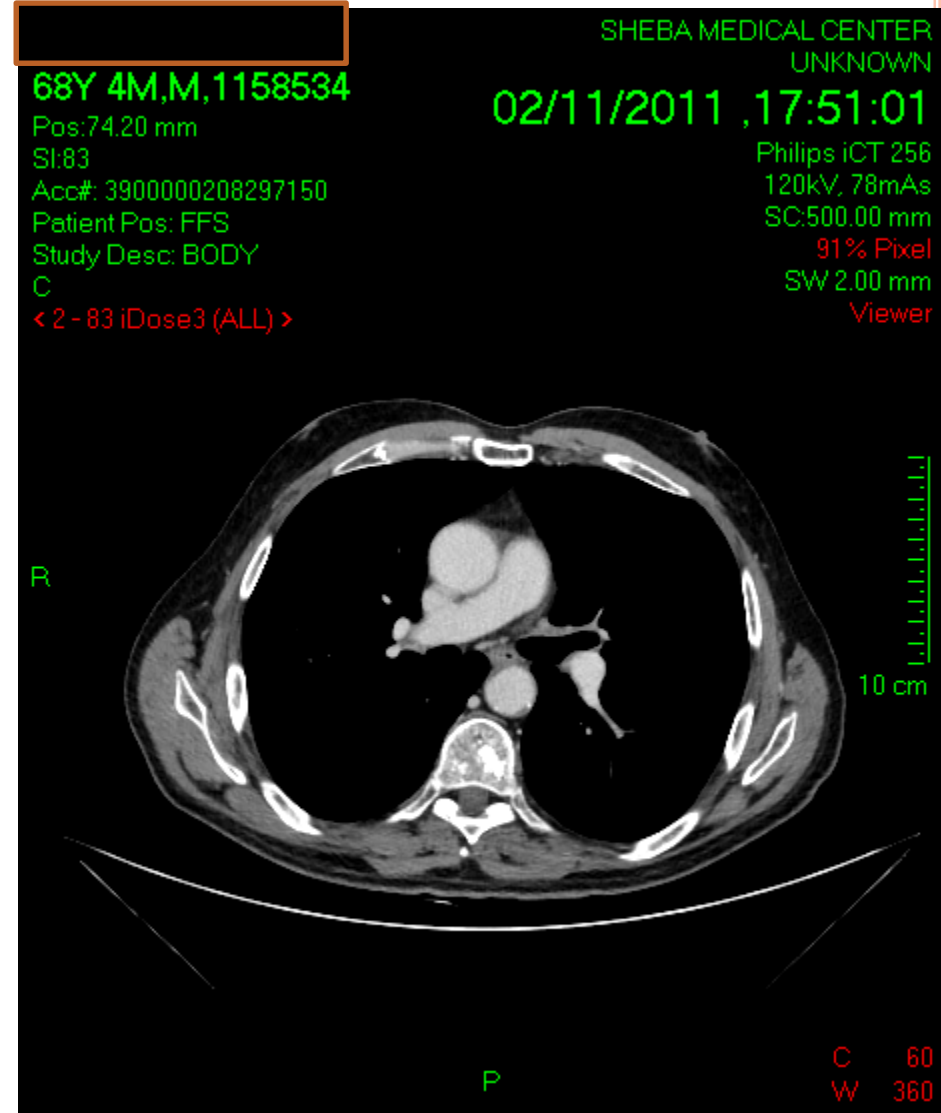
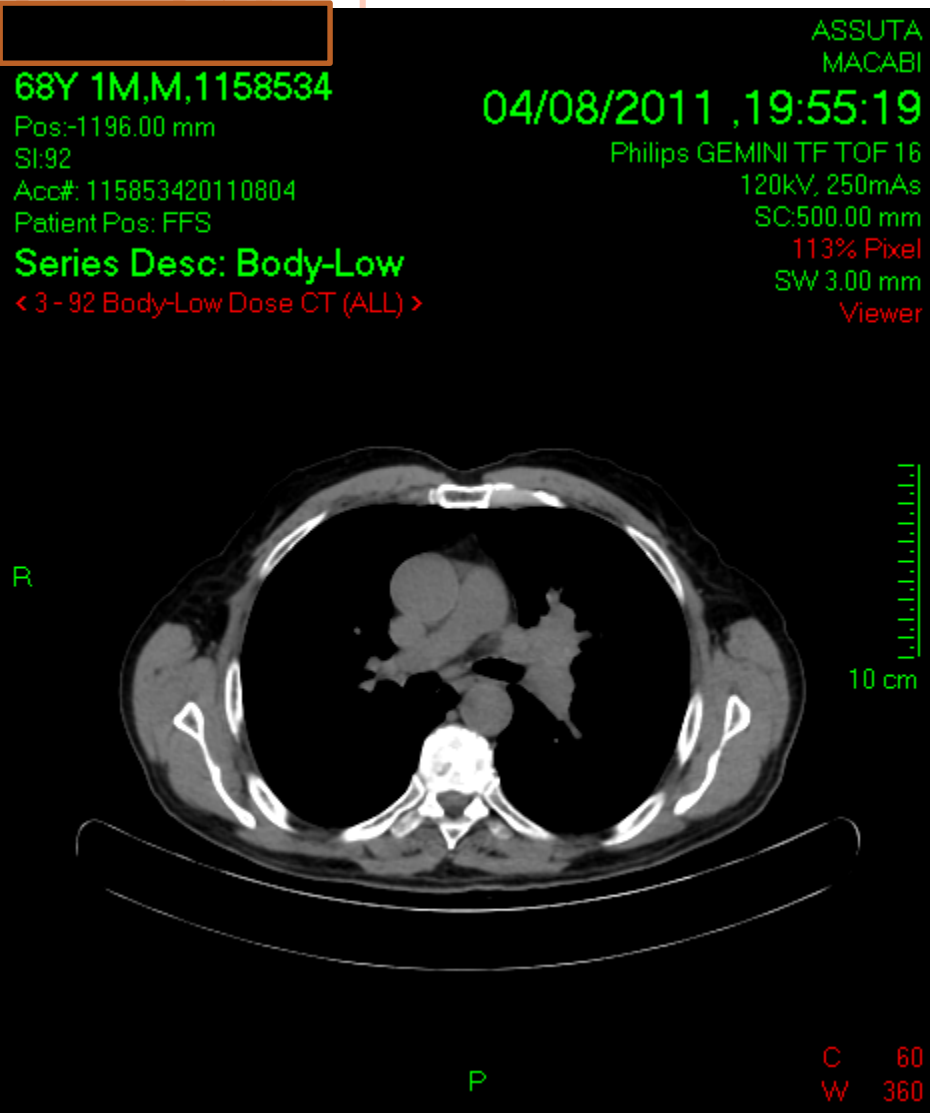
RESEARCH OBJECTIVE

-Developing this algorithm will address the major need in personalized oncology, particularly in Predicting optimal treatment for individual patients.

We have examined and collected data for 27 patients, that had been treated for NSCLC in the years 2008-2011, in Sheba Medical Center. There are two main protocols we focus on, Cisplatinum+Pemetrexed, (22 patients) and Carboplatin+Paclitaxel (5 patients). Our collected data includes clinical, histological, genetic, and imaging features, as well as blood tests for each patient. Our main objective is an expansion of the database by adding more patients, and by that, validating the algorithm with much greater statistical significance.



CASE STUDY- PARTIAL RESPONSE



CASE STUDY – STABLE DISEASE

