

Artificial Intelligence for Medicine

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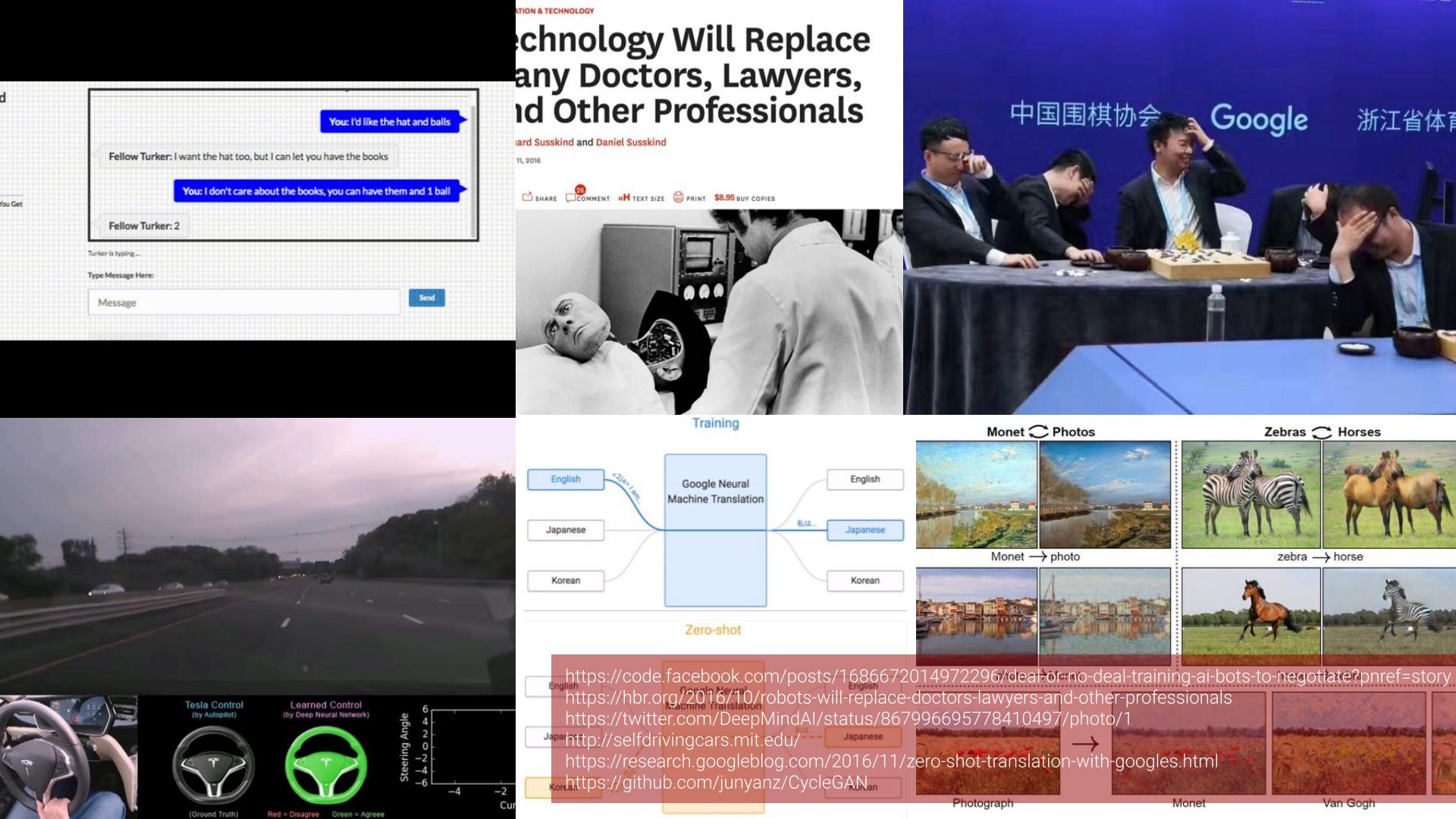


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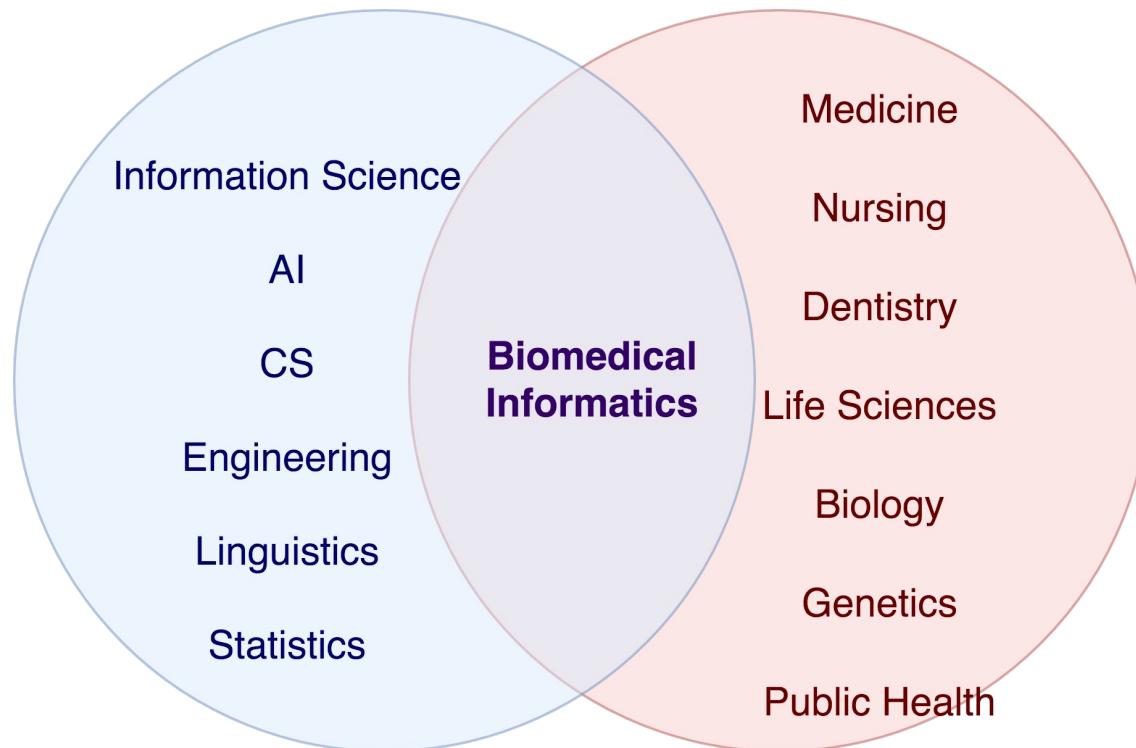


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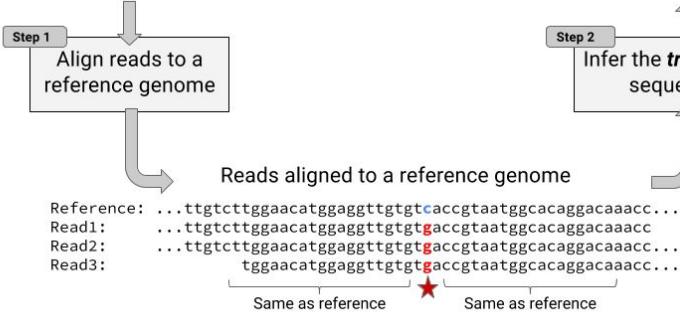
Connect AI/ML with Biomedicine?



(Translational) Bioinformatics

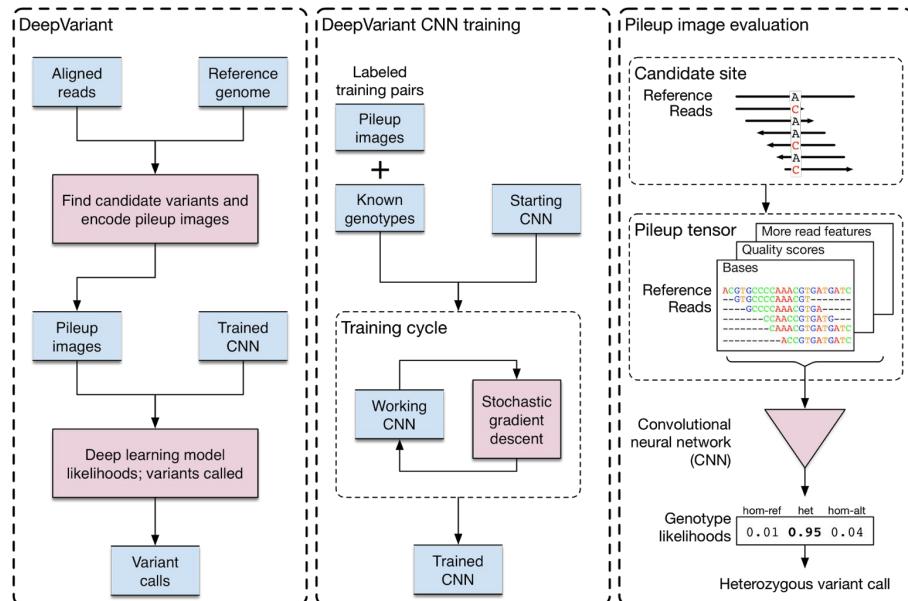
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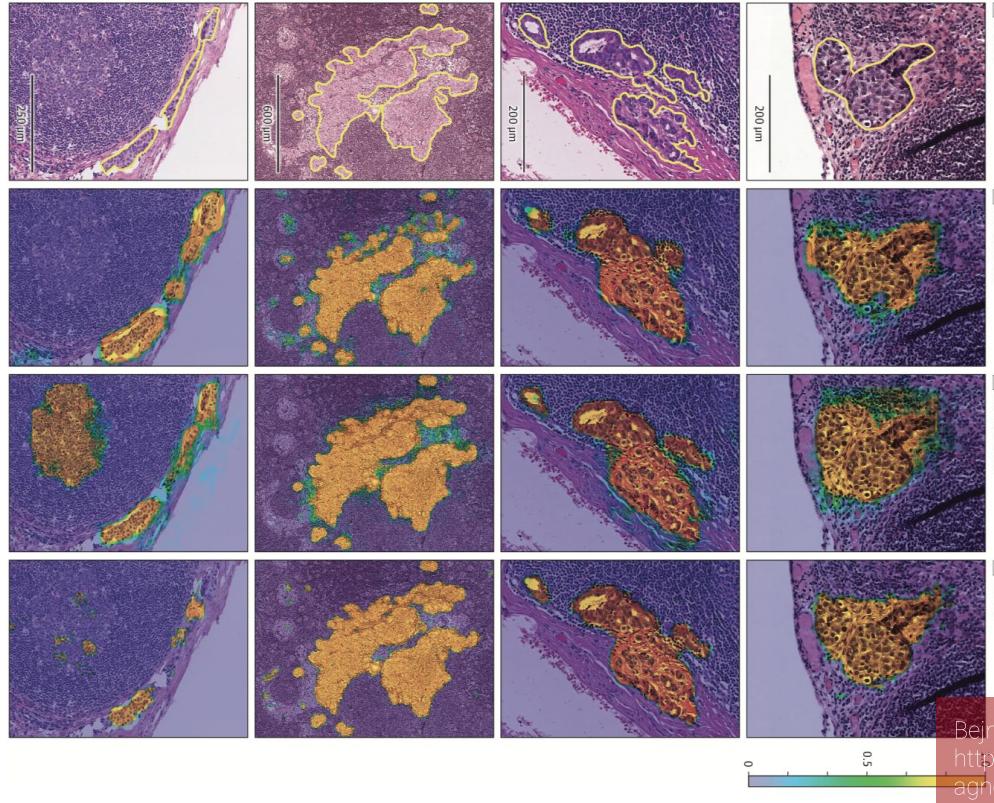


True genome sequence: 3 billion bases in 23 contiguous chunks (chromosomes)

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Biomedical Imaging Informatics



FDA approves first AI-powered diagnostic that doesn't need a doctor's help

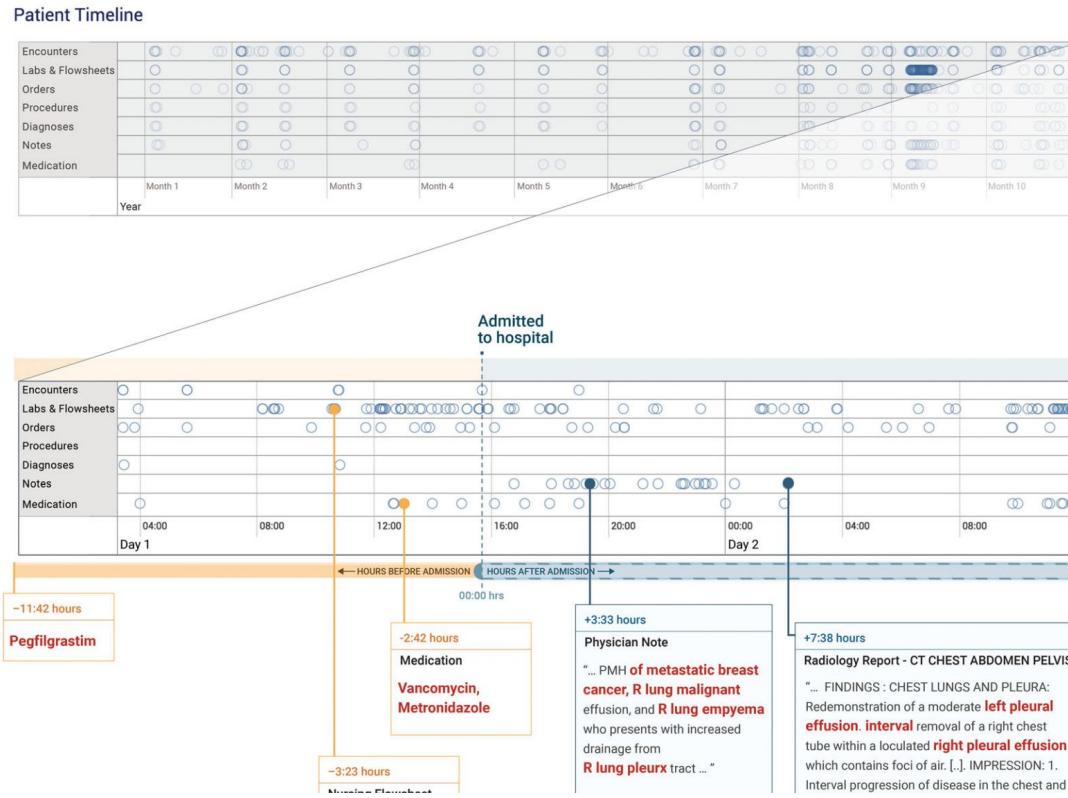
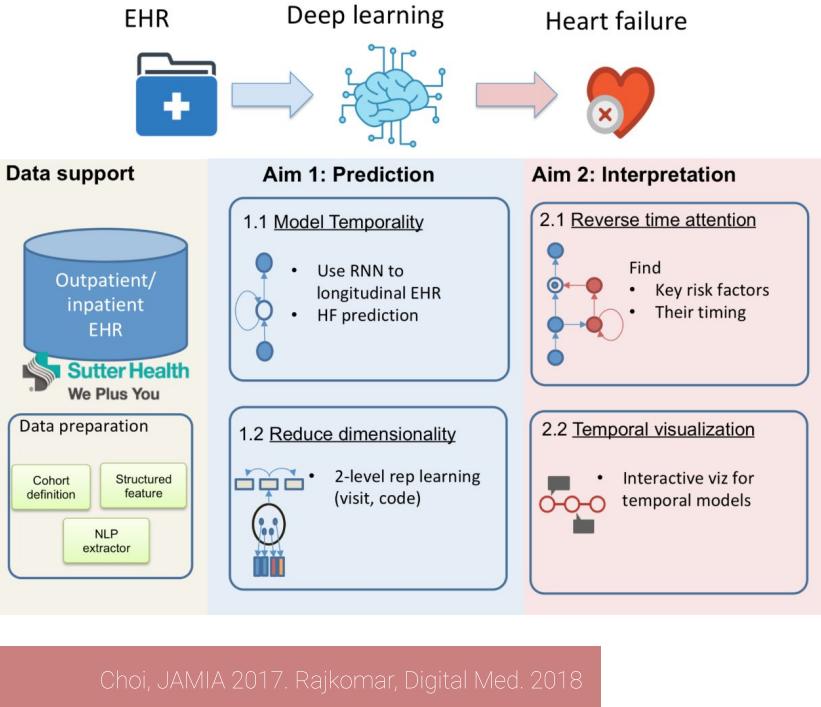
Marking a new era of "diagnosis by software," the US Food and Drug Administration on Wednesday gave permission to a company called IDx to market the first AI-powered diagnostic device.

What it does: The software is designed to detect greater than a mild level of diabetic retinopathy, which causes vision loss and affects 30 million people in the US. It occurs when high blood sugar damages blood vessels in the retina.

Bejnordi et al. JAMA 2017

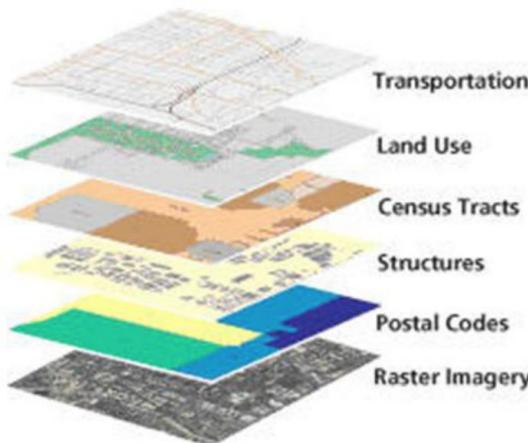
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Clinical / Public Health Informatics

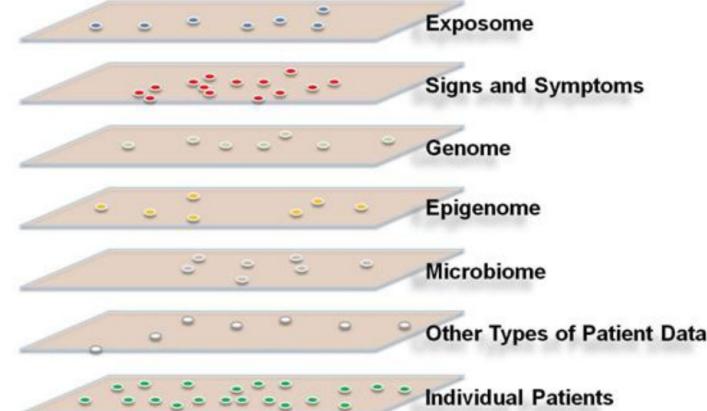


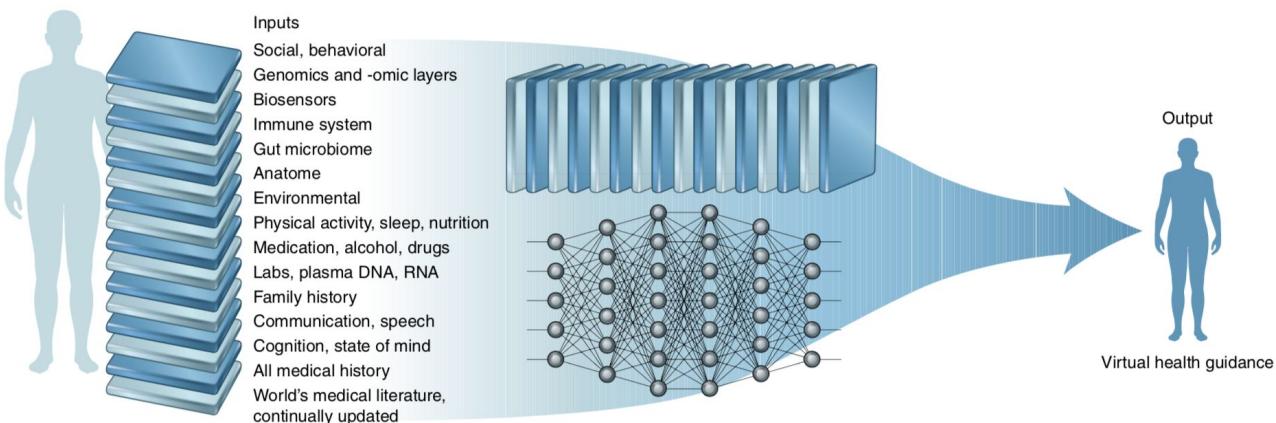
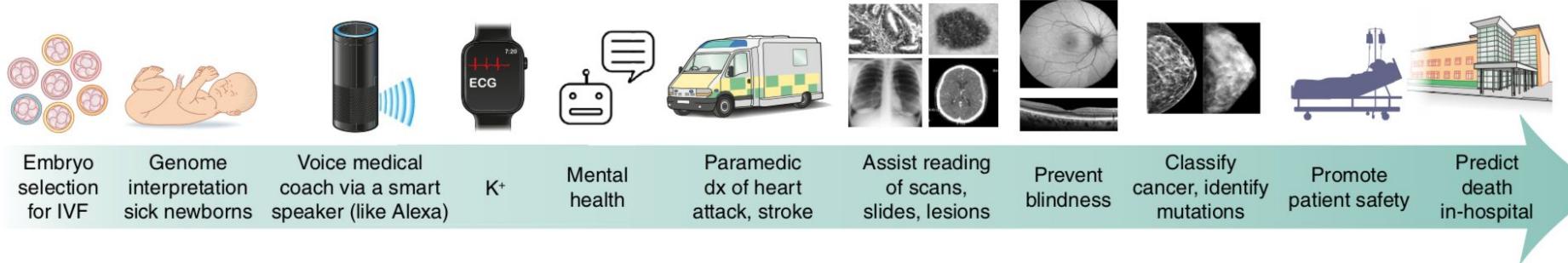
Put Them Together... Precision Medicine

**Google Maps: GIS layers
Organized by Geographical Positioning**



**Information Commons
Organized Around Individual Patients**





Precision Medicine

	<i>Traditional Approach</i>	<i>Precision Medicine Approach</i>		
Population of Individuals				
Classify by Risk				
Surveillance for Preclinical Disease				
Signs or Symptoms				
Treat with				
Strategy	"One Size Fits All" Leads to Overall Mixed Results		Focus Existing	Repurpose FDA Approval
				
Outcome	 Benefit	 No Effect	 Adverse	 Benefit
				 Benefit

Table 1 | Peer-reviewed publications of AI algorithms compared with doctors

Specialty	Images	Publication
Radiology/ neurology	CT head, acute neurological events	Titano et al. ²⁷
	CT head for brain hemorrhage	Arbabshirani et al. ¹⁹
	CT head for trauma	Chilamkurthy et al. ²⁰
	CXR for metastatic lung nodules	Nam et al. ⁸
	CXR for multiple findings	Singh et al. ⁷
	Mammography for breast density	Lehman et al. ²⁶
	Wrist X-ray*	Lindsey et al. ⁹
Pathology	Breast cancer	Ehteshami Bejnordi et al. ⁴¹
	Lung cancer (+ driver mutation)	Coudray et al. ³³
	Brain tumors (+ methylation)	Capper et al. ⁴⁵
	Breast cancer metastases*	Steiner et al. ³⁵
	Breast cancer metastases	Liu et al. ³⁴
Dermatology	Skin cancers	Esteva et al. ⁴⁷
	Melanoma	Haenssle et al. ⁴⁸
	Skin lesions	Han et al. ⁴⁹
Ophthalmology	Diabetic retinopathy	Gulshan et al. ⁵¹
	Diabetic retinopathy*	Abramoff et al. ³¹
	Diabetic retinopathy*	Kanagasingam et al. ³²
	Congenital cataracts	Long et al. ³⁸
	Retinal diseases (OCT)	De Fauw et al. ⁵⁶
	Macular degeneration	Burlina et al. ⁵²
	Retinopathy of prematurity	Brown et al. ⁶⁰
	AMD and diabetic retinopathy	Kermany et al. ⁵³
Gastroenterology	Polyps at colonoscopy*	Mori et al. ³⁶
	Polyps at colonoscopy	Wang et al. ³⁷
	Echocardiography	Madani et al. ²³
Cardiology	Echocardiography	Zhang et al. ²⁴

Prospective studies are denoted with an asterisk.

Table 3 | Selected reports of machine- and deep-learning algorithms to predict clinical outcomes and related parameters

Prediction	n	AUC	Publication (Reference number)
In-hospital mortality, unplanned readmission, prolonged LOS, final discharge diagnosis	216,221	0.93*0.75+0.85#	Rajkomar et al. ⁹⁶
All-cause 3-12 month mortality	221,284	0.93*	Avati et al. ⁹¹
Readmission	1,068	0.78	Shameer et al. ¹⁰⁶
Sepsis	230,936	0.67	Horng et al. ¹⁰²
Septic shock	16,234	0.83	Henry et al. ¹⁰³
Severe sepsis	203,000	0.85@	Culliton et al. ¹⁰⁴
<i>Clostridium difficile</i> infection	256,732	0.82++	Oh et al. ⁹³
Developing diseases	704,587	range	Miotto et al. ⁹⁷
Diagnosis	18,590	0.96	Yang et al. ⁹⁰
Dementia	76,367	0.91	Cleret de Langavant et al. ⁹²
Alzheimer's Disease (+ amyloid imaging)	273	0.91	Mathotaarachchi et al. ⁹⁸
Mortality after cancer chemotherapy	26,946	0.94	Elfiky et al. ⁹⁵
Disease onset for 133 conditions	298,000	range	Razavian et al. ¹⁰⁵
Suicide	5,543	0.84	Walsh et al. ⁸⁶
Delirium	18,223	0.68	Wong et al. ¹⁰⁰

LOS, length of stay; n, number of patients (training+validation datasets). For AUC values:
*, in-hospital mortality; +, unplanned readmission; #, prolonged LOS; *, all patients; @, structured+unstructured data; ++, for University of Michigan site.

Table 2 | FDA AI approvals are accelerating

Company	FDA Approval	Indication
Apple	September 2018	Atrial fibrillation detection
Aidoc	August 2018	CT brain bleed diagnosis
iCAD	August 2018	Breast density via mammography
Zebra Medical	July 2018	Coronary calcium scoring
Bay Labs	June 2018	Echocardiogram EF determination
Neural Analytics	May 2018	Device for paramedic stroke diagnosis
IDx	April 2018	Diabetic retinopathy diagnosis
Icometrix	April 2018	MRI brain interpretation
Imagen	March 2018	X-ray wrist fracture diagnosis
Viz.ai	February 2018	CT stroke diagnosis
Arterys	February 2018	Liver and lung cancer (MRI, CT) diagnosis
MaxQ-AI	January 2018	CT brain bleed diagnosis
Alivecor	November 2017	Atrial fibrillation detection via Apple Watch
Arterys	January 2017	MRI heart interpretation

High-performance medicine: the convergence of human and artificial intelligence

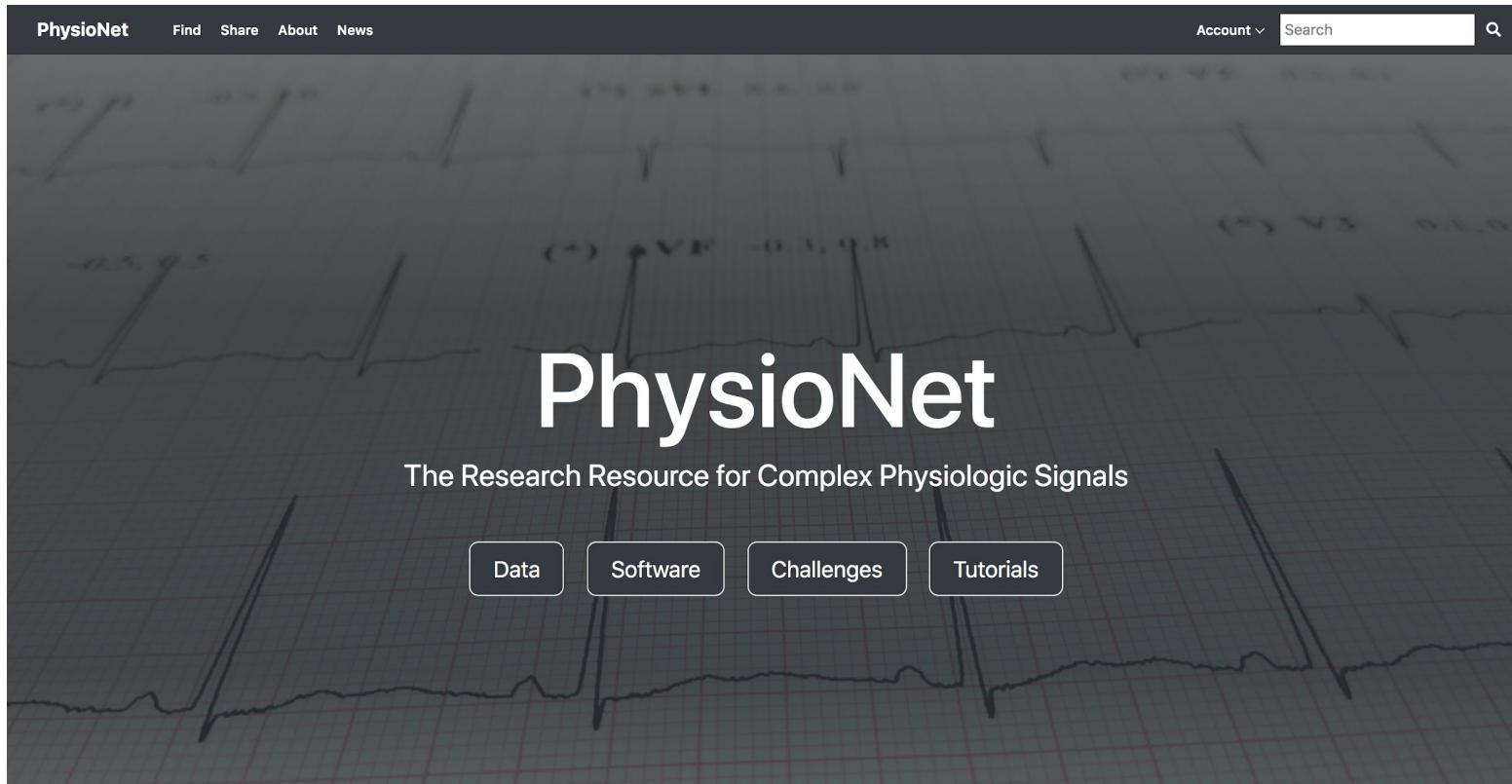
Eric J. Topol

The use of artificial intelligence, and the deep-learning subtype in particular, has been enabled by the use of labeled big data, along with markedly enhanced computing power and cloud storage, across all sectors. In medicine, this is beginning to have an impact at three levels: for clinicians, predominantly via rapid, accurate image interpretation; for health systems, by improving workflow and the potential for reducing medical errors; and for patients, by enabling them to process their own data to promote health. The current limitations, including bias, privacy and security, and lack of transparency, along with the future directions of these applications will be discussed in this article. Over time, marked improvements in accuracy, productivity, and workflow will likely be actualized, but whether that will be used to improve the patient–doctor relationship or facilitate its erosion remains to be seen.

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High Quality Multimodal Data [physionet.org]

The image shows the PhysioNet homepage. The background is a grayscale image of multiple ECG strips. In the center, the word "PhysioNet" is written in a large, bold, white sans-serif font. Below it, the tagline "The Research Resource for Complex Physiologic Signals" is displayed in a smaller, white sans-serif font. At the top of the page, there is a dark navigation bar. On the left side of the bar are the words "PhysioNet", "Find", "Share", "About", and "News". On the right side, there is a "Account" dropdown menu, a search bar with the placeholder "Search" and a magnifying glass icon, and a small blue square icon. Below the main title and tagline, there are four white rectangular buttons with rounded corners, each containing a link: "Data", "Software", "Challenges", and "Tutorials".

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Tom Pollard , Alistair Johnson , Jesse Raffa , Leo Anthony Celi , Omar Badawi , Roger Mark

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- Sign data use agreement (DUA)
- Take online courses (citi)

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UCEC (n=226) OV (n=257) UCS (n=56)

DNA Methylation

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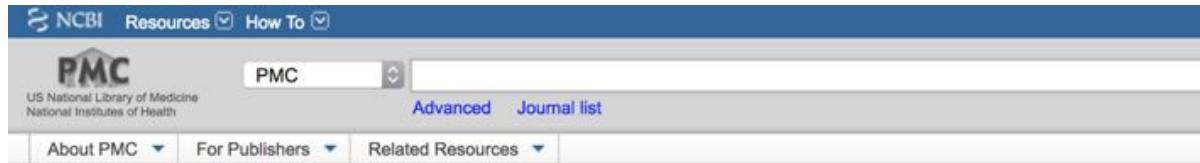
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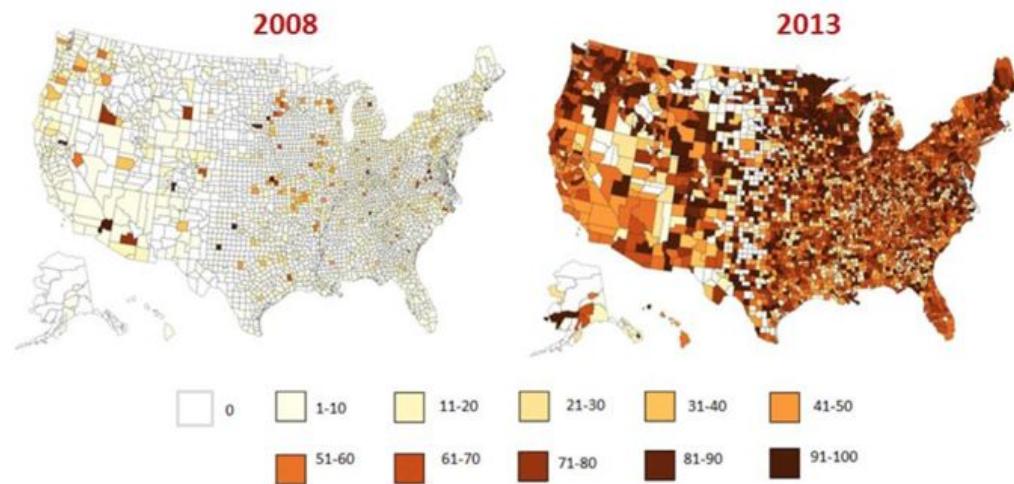
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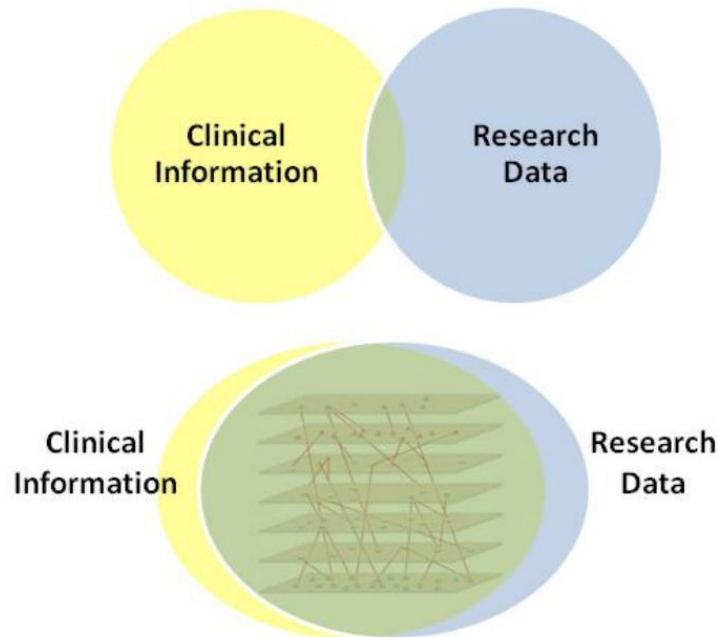
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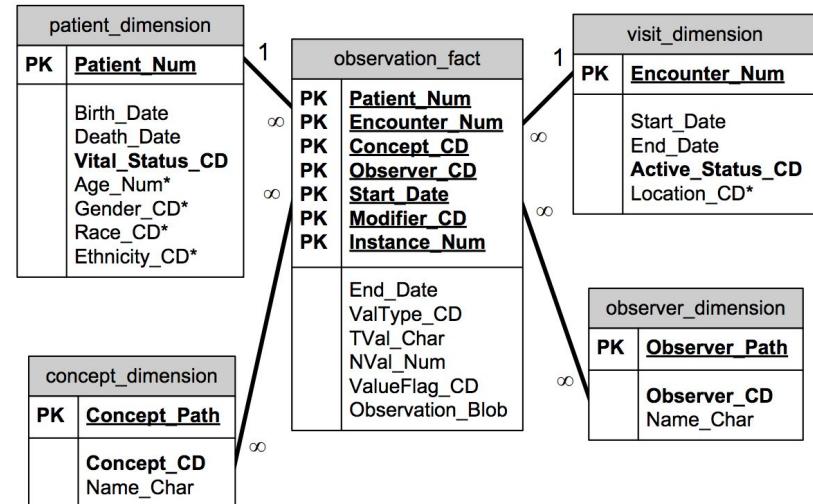
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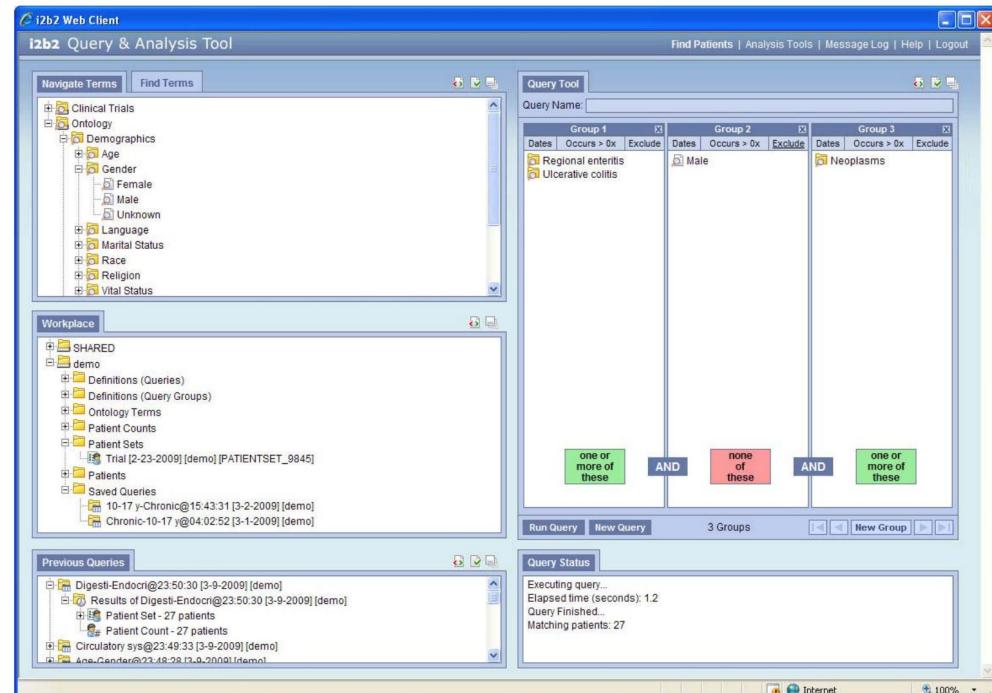
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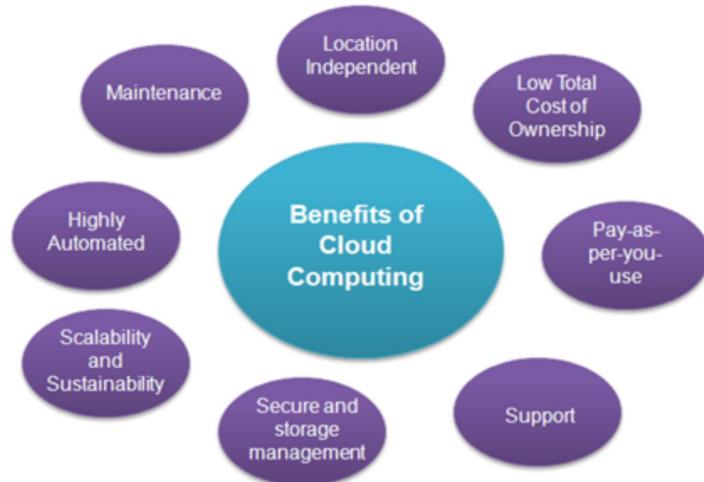


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Computing Resources

- For education / research
 - Google Cloud
 - TPU
 - Amazon AWS
 - EC2 for computing
 - S3 for storage
- IRB security level / HIPAA for privacy
 - Level 5 - Extremely sensitive information
 - **Level 4 - Very sensitive information**
 - Level 3 - Sensitive, or Confidential information
 - Level 2 - Benign information to be held confidentially
 - Level 1 - Non-confidential research information
- AWS educate



The **18 Identifiers** defined by HIPAA are:

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Sciences Behind

Data organization / structuring

- Database
- Knowledge representation / Ontology
- Visualization

Learning from data (algorithms, machine learning)

- Statistics, vector calculus, probability, optimization, information theory, ...
- Computer vision, natural language processing, signal processing, ...

Why ML?

- Failure (?) of classical symbolic AI
 - A lot of knowledge is intuitive, difficult to put in rules and facts, not consciously accessible
- Principles giving rise to intelligence via learning
- To facilitate learning higher levels of abstraction [Bengio 2013, LeCun 2015]
 - Deep learning
- Can be described compactly since our intelligence is not just the result of a huge bag of tricks and pieces of knowledge, but of general mechanisms to acquire knowledge [Bengio 2013]
- ***Get knowledge directly from data and experience → learn from data***

Why ML/DL for EHR?

- Demographics, diagnoses, laboratory test results, medication prescriptions, clinical notes, medical images, ...
- Challenging
 - data quality (noisy, biased, ...)
 - data and annotation availability
 - heterogeneity of data types
- ***Traditional modeling → feature engineering***
 - labor intensive efforts
 - expert-defined phenotyping
 - ad-hoc feature engineering
 - limited generalizability across datasets or institutions
- ***Deep learning → learning hidden representations***
 - expert-driven feature engineering to data-driven feature construction



Demographics



Medications



Clinical Notes
and Reports



Continuous
Monitoring Data

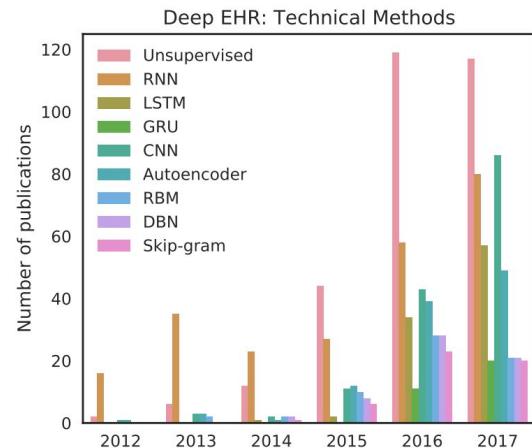
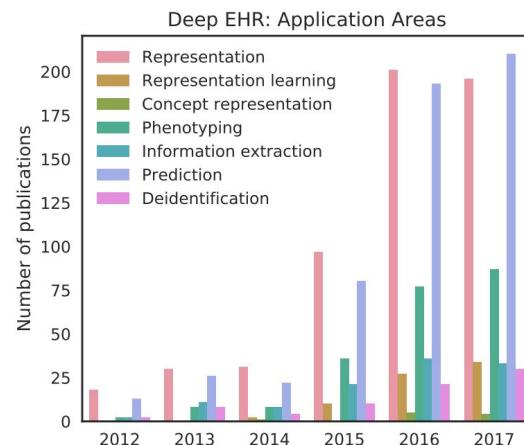
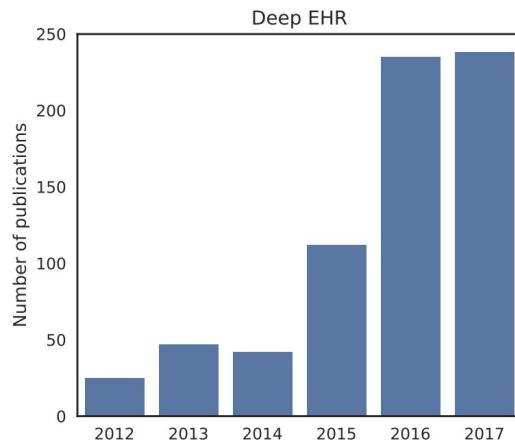


Multi-typed
Medical Codes



Medical
Images

Deep! (2017/06)



How?

- How to develop machine learning models for healthcare [Chen 2019]
 - Machine Learning for Clinical Predictive Analytics [Weng 2019]
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- ***Problem definition***
 - ***Data curation***
 - ***ML model development***
 - ***Validation***
 - ***Assessment of clinical impact***
 - ***(Deployment and monitoring)***

More details → Oct 29 Workshop!

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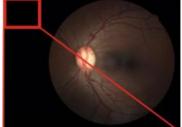
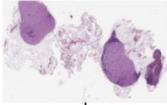
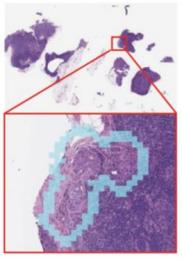
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Po-Hsuan Cameron Chen, Yun Liu and Lily Peng

Machine Learning for Clinical Predictive Analytics

Wei-Hung Weng¹

Problem selection	Data collection	ML development	Validation	Assessment of impact	Deployment and monitoring
 Referable diabetic retinopathy?	Development dataset 128,175 images Validation dataset 11,711 images		Retrospective Sensitivity: 0.90 Specificity: 0.98 Gulshan et al. (2016)	 Model predictions None (green) Mild (yellow-green) Moderate (orange) Severe (red) Proliferative (dark red) 40% reduction in false negatives Sayres et al. (2018)	Future work
 Metastatic breast cancer?	Development dataset 270 images (millions of patches) Validation dataset 129 images		Retrospective AUC: 0.99 Sens@1*: 0.77 Bejnordi et al. (2017)	 2x review speed ½ false negatives Steiner et al. (2018)	Future work

*: tumour detection sensitivity at one false positive per slide

GIGO!

Humans and machine doctors

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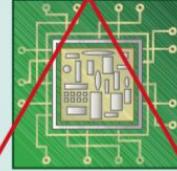
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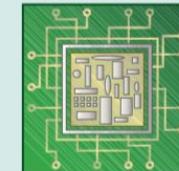
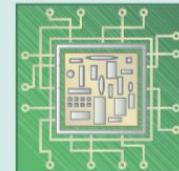
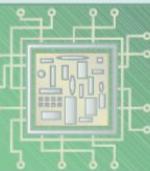
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Now



Unlikely

Interpretability



Collaborative Medicine

- Courses, Workshops, Symposium, Datathon
- Japan, China, Singapore, Philippines, Denmark, **Bhutan**



Collaborative Medicine

- Collaboration > Expert or AI only [Steiner 2018]
 - Expert: high-level integration, interpretation and decision making (learn Bayesian logic, statistics, and data science and be aware of other sources of information!)
 - AI: pattern recognition and massive repetitive tasks
- Sharing
 - AI researchers open-source platforms and algorithms
 - You can open-source data and knowledge
 - We can do nothing without sharing!
- Experience
 - Learning from AI
 - Communicating with AI

Further Readings

- Theory and mathematics
 - Coursera Machine Learning (Andrew Ng)
 - Deep learning book
 - PMRL
 - Stanford CS224n: Natural Language Processing with Deep Learning
 - Stanford CS231n: Convolutional Neural Networks for Visual Recognition
- Practical
 - TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras, Scikit-learn documents, guide, tutorials
 - Google Machine Learning Crash Course
 - Do more projects!

Seeking Papers

- Clinical-driven (journals)
 - JAMA
 - Nature Medicine
 - npj Digital Medicine
 - JAMIA
 - AMIA (conference)
- ML/AI-driven (conferences / workshops)
 - MLHC
 - NeurIPS ML4H Workshop
 - NAACL Clinical NLP Workshop
 - MICCAI
 - NeurIPS, ICML, ICLR, KDD, AAAI, ACL, NAACL, CVPR, ...

tl;dr

- ***Good problems + reliable data (good infra!) >>> fancy ML algorithms***
- Collaboration is the key
 - Collaboration > clinical experts or engineers/AI only [Steiner 2018]
 - Sharing with your colleagues and collaborators
- Precision Medicine
 - Large multimodal data available, standardization, computing resources and open-source algorithms / tools
- Model development [Chen 2019, Weng 2019]
 - Problem definition → data curation → model development → validation → assessment of clinical impact → deployment and monitoring
- Wei-Hung Weng [ckbjimmy@mit.edu]