Lung Screening Artificial Intelligence: Issues With The Published Literature

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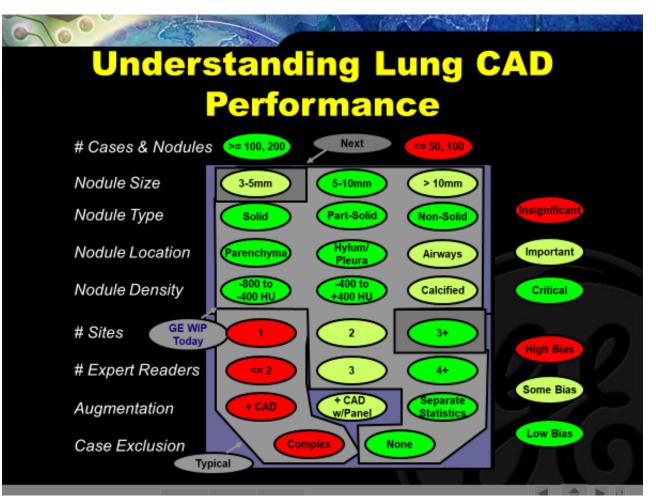
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Lung Nodule Automated Detection : Are We Improving?

We Still Can't Tell (Ughh!)

- A Group Can Publish Any Sens./Spec.
- Reporting Standards Are Needed
- 20 Year Old Issues
 - Over-Fitting
 - Small Datasets
 - Lack of Diversity (Scanner/Patient/Diseases)
 - Old Data (NLST, LIDC/IDRI)
 - Rapidly Changing Imaging Technology
 - Different Performance Measures
 - Miss One Obvious Nodule And Credibility Is Lost
 - Accounting For CT Image Quality (QIBA)
- We Are Stuck With Insufficient Data Until We Create A Continuous, Automated, Quality Controlled, and Global Data Collection/Curation System
 - Auto Collect From Major EHR/PACS Systems
 - Modify DICOM To Better Support Deidentification
 - QIW XVI Recommendation: Global Patient Opt-In

2003 GE Slide



Confocal Microscopy Example



Nothing Can Restore A Major Loss of Imaging Resolution

Thank You