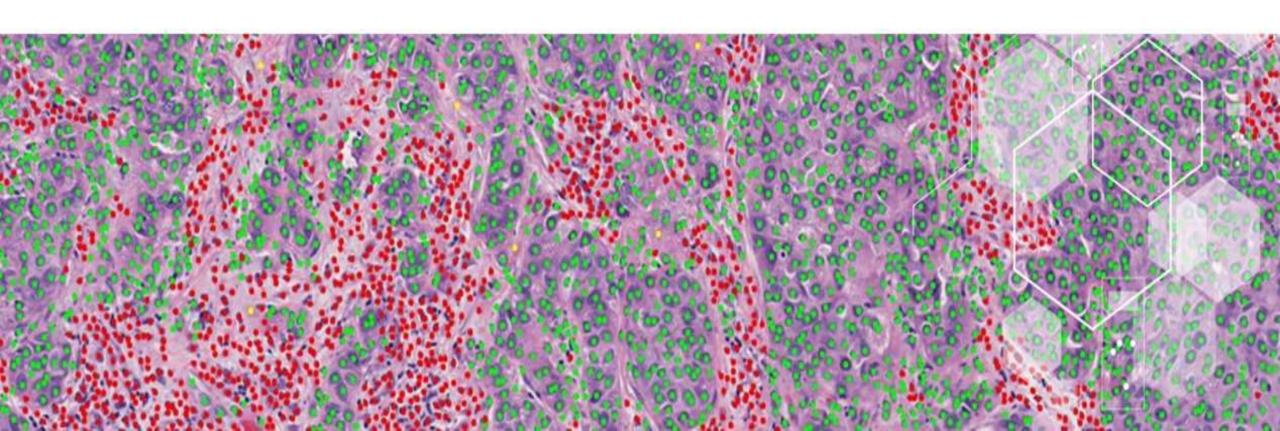


Digital Pathology Current Status and Future Directions

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Objectives:

- Define the scope of digital pathology and provide the rationale for why Digital applications will continue to expand and transform the pathology practice.
- Describe whole slide image technology and the concepts of digitizing pathology workflow.
- List current and future digital pathology applications and highlight their benefits for pathology practice



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Historic Milestones



- 1968 : Black and white photos of Blood smears sent via video from Logan airport
- 1980 : Remote Tele Pathology
- 1986 : Robotic Telepathology system
- 2000 : WSI comes to market
- 2009 : FDA panel meeting addresses the use of digital pathology for primary diagnosis
- 2017: FDA approval of the first WSI platform for primary diagnosis.

Adoption Barriers



- Digital solutions technology infrastructure challenges
- Regulatory Issues
- Payers evidence for reimbursement
- learning curve
- Regional specific challenges: regulatory, reimbursement, and technology infrastructure
- Silos
- Skepticism by the medical community (Academics, hospitals, community labs)



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Global state of cancer today



Cancer continues to be one of the leading causes of death worldwide

14 million

people worldwide develop cancer¹

And will rise to more than

21 million

by year 2030¹

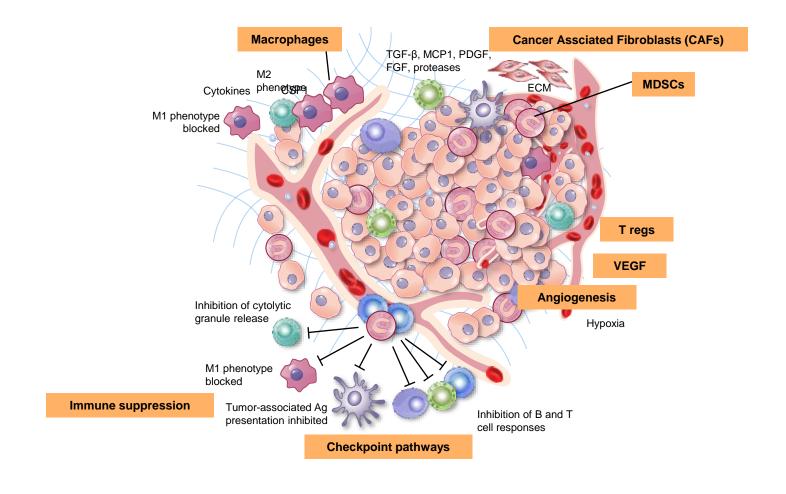


¹World Health Organization Cancer Key Facts, 2017 (http://www.who.int/cancer/media/news/cancer-key-facts/en/, accessed on 27 June 2018)



Tumors Are Developing Ecosystems

Critical Interactions Between Cancer Cells and the Tumor Microenvironment





Increasing number of approvals for PD-1/PD-L1 inhibitors*

Challenging for pathologists to assess PD-L1 across multiple tumor

types/indications

Squamous Cell Head & Neck Cancer

1L/2L nivolumab after platinum chemotherapy 1L/2L pembrolizumab after platinum chemotherapy

Malignant Melanoma

Adjuvant/1L ipilimumab 1L nivolumab ± ipilimumab Adjuvant nivolumab 1L pembrolizumab

Merkel Cell Carcinoma

2L avelumab

Hepatocellular Carcinoma

2L nivolumab after sorafenib

Adv. Renal Cell Carcinoma

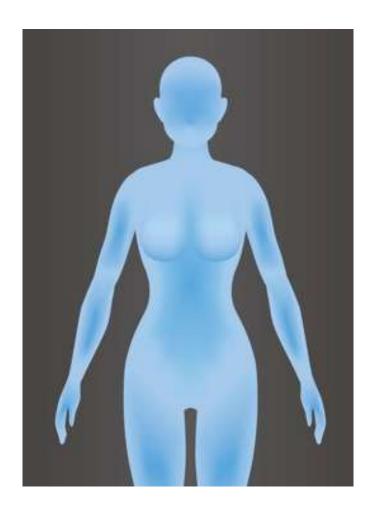
1L nivolumab plus ipilimumab 2L nivolumab after anti-angiogenic therapy

MSI-H or dMMR Cancers

2L nivolumab in CRC 2L nivolumab plus ipilimumab in CRC 2L pembrolizumab in any MSI-H/dMMR cancer

Cervical Cancer

2L pembrolizumab CPS≥1



Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

1L pembrolizumab TPS≥50%

1L pembrolizumab + pemetrexed/carboplatin in non-squamous NSCLC

2L pembrolizumab TPS≥1%

2L nivolumab

2L atezolizumab NSCLC

Maintenance durvalumab after chemoradiation

Small Cell Lung Cancer

3L nivolumab

Gastric & GEJ Carcinoma

3L pembrolizumab after fluoropyrimidine- and platinum-chemotherapy +/- HER2 therapy & CPS ≥1

Classical Hodkin Lymphoma

4L pembrolizumab 3L nivolumab after auto-HSCT and BV 4L nivolumab and after auto-HSCT

PMBCL

3L pembrolizumab

Locally Adv. or Met. Urothelial Cancer

1L/2L nivolumab after platinum chemotherapy
1L/2L pembrolizumab
1L atezolizumab in cisplatin ineligible IC≥5%
2L atezolizumab after platinum chemotherapy
1L/2L avelumab after platinum chemotherapy
1L/2L durvalumab after platinum chemotherapy

*U.S. FDA Approved Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors as of 20-Jul-2018



Scoring Methods

TPS ?

CPS ?

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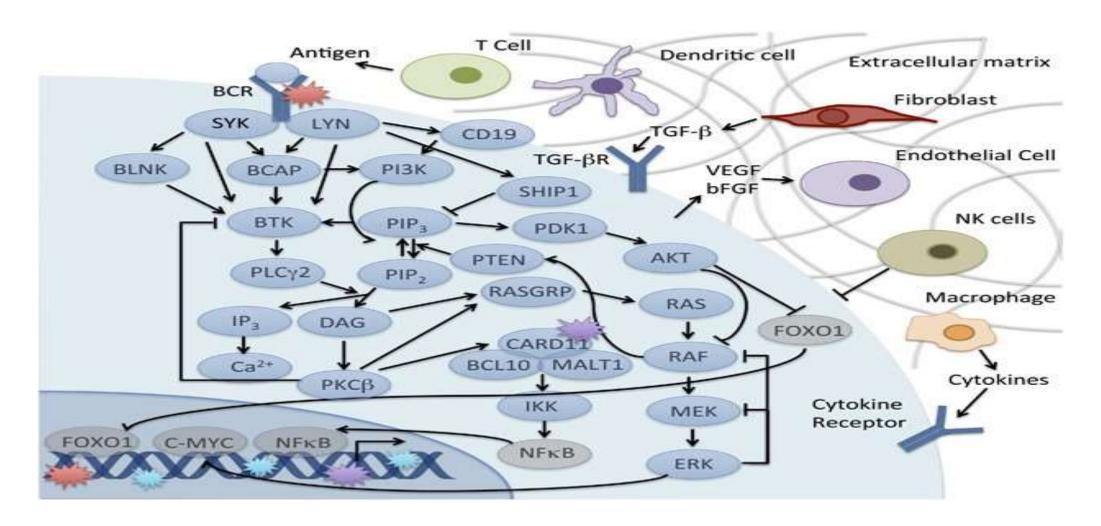
H-score?



Tils?



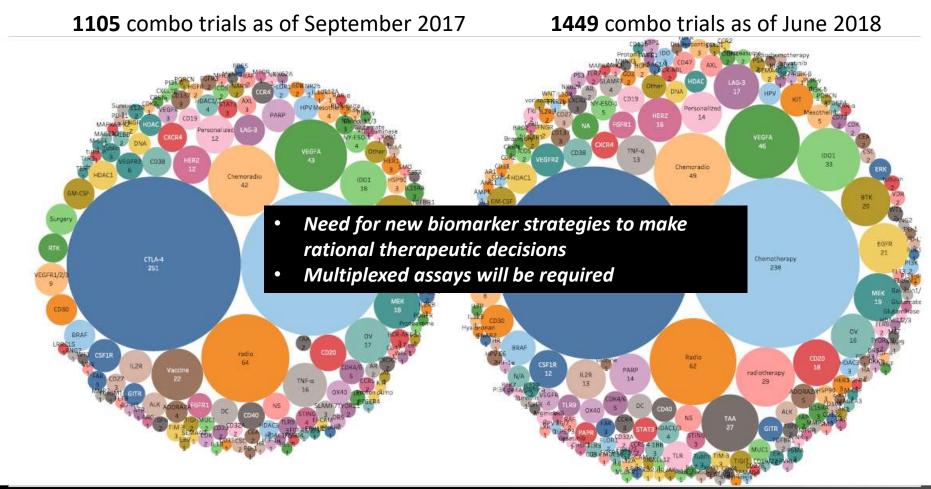
Embracing Complexity To Develop Better Diagnostic Strategies





Challenges increase with combination therapies

334 new immunotherapy combo trials have started in 9 months





Too few pathologists to meet demand



Growing problems fuel new solutions



¹www.clpmag.com/2017/10/digital-pathology-gives-rise-computational-pathology/



Paradigm Shift





Welcome To The Era Of Digital Pathology





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DP Definition:



• Digital pathology is a dynamic, image-based environment that enables the acquisition, management and interpretation of pathology information generated from a digitized glass slide.



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Pathologist Interface





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