Introduction to Biomedical Data Science

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Outline

- Course outline
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F6Cl7jXHGWg
- Introduction to Data Science
- Case Study

Learning Objectives

At the completion of this course, students will be able to understand:

- The characteristics and challenges of big data science
- Understand the characteristics of various biomedical sources
- Understand data analytics and their usages in biomedical data science
- Understand data repurposing concepts and techniques
- Understand the concept of data sharing and data reproducibility concepts
- Understand of Data Visualization and visual analytics for data representation, presentation, exploration, and manipulation

Grading

- 1. Participation and presentation (50% of course grade)
 - This is a high level didactic course with minimal student participation. However, student understanding of the materials will be measured occasionally from in-class interaction.
- 2. Quizzes (50% of course grade)
 - There are multiple quizzes for the student to be graded for the final grade for the course

Classes

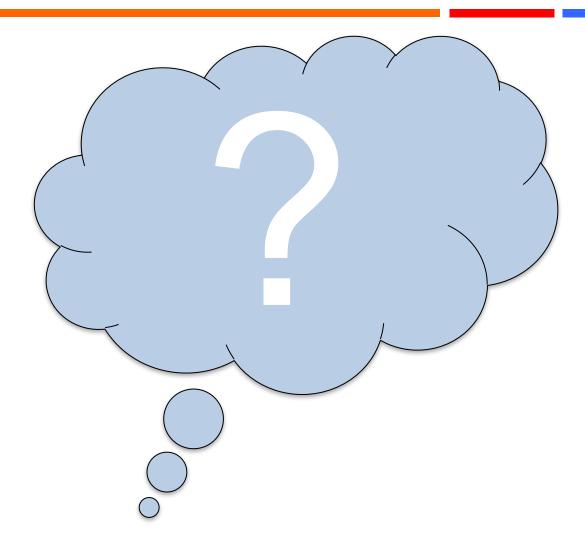
- 1. INTRODUCTION TO BIOMEDICAL DATA SCIENCE 8/31/18
- 2. BIOMEDICAL DATA SOURCES AND INTEGRATION 9/7/18
- 3. DATA MINING AND ANALYTICS 9/14/18
- 4. DATA MINING AND ANALYTICS II 9/21/18
- GUEST LECTURE Clinical Informatics MINING ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS Michael Ames,
 Associate Director, COMPASS 9/28/18
- GUEST LECTURE MINING CLINICAL DATA IN VA HEALTH SYSTEMS Thomas Glorioso, Senior Data Scientist, VA - 10/5/18
- GUEST LECTURE DATA & METHODS REPRODUCIBILITY Wladimir Labeikovsky, Bioinformationist, HSC
 Library 10/12/18
- 8. DATA VISUALIZATION 10/19/18
- GUEST LECTURE INTRODUCTION TO BIOMEDICAL TEXT MINING Dr. Kevin Cohen, Group Leader,
 Dept. Pharmacology 11/2/18
- 10. DATA REPURPOSING AND CONCLUSIONS 11/9/18
- 11. FINAL 11/16/18

Buzzwords: Data Science

DATA ANALYTICS BIG DATA

THE CLOUD

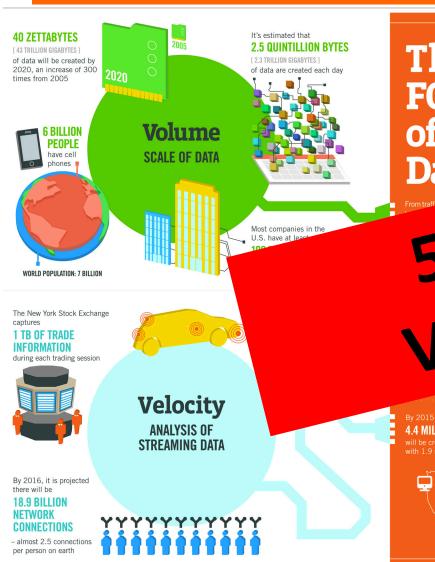
What do they mean?



And how can they help our "Business"



BIG DATA



The FOUR V's of Big Data

MALUE

arions and we sources of revenue.

4.4 MILLION IT JOBS



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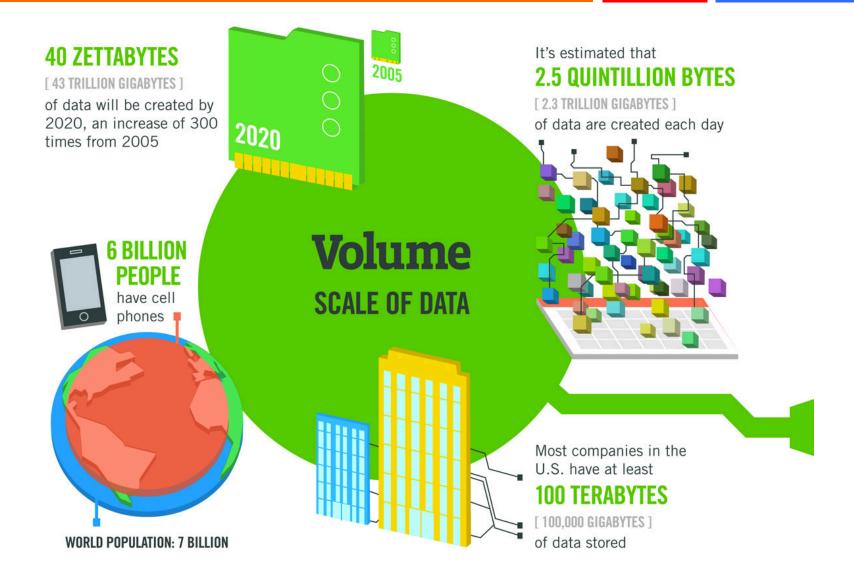
27% OF RESPONDENTS

use to make decisions

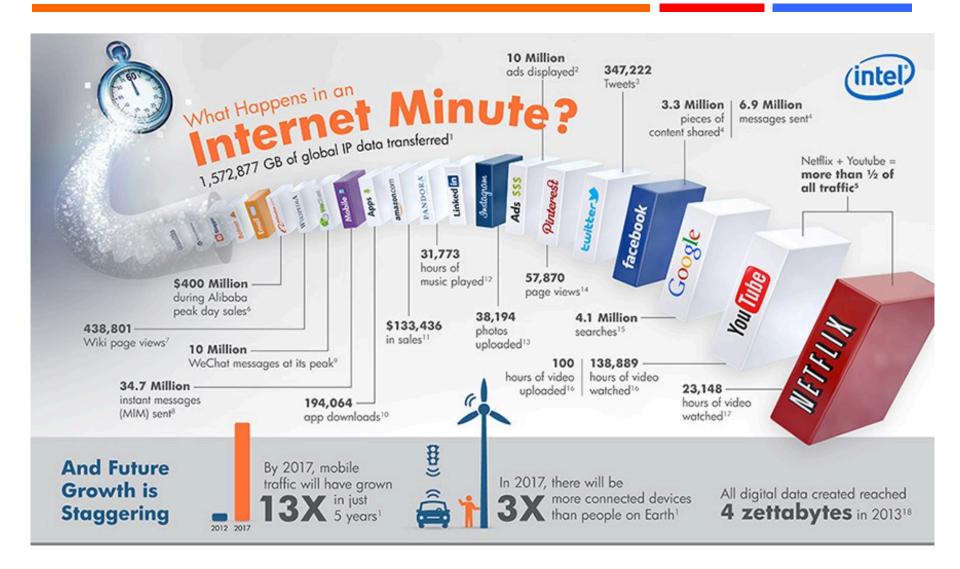
information

in one survey were unsure of how much of their data was inaccurate

Veracity UNCERTAINTY OF DATA



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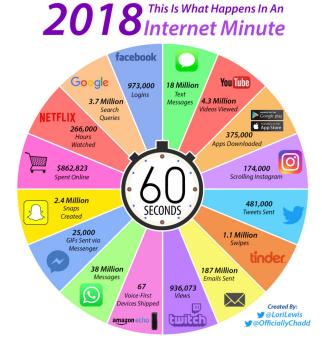


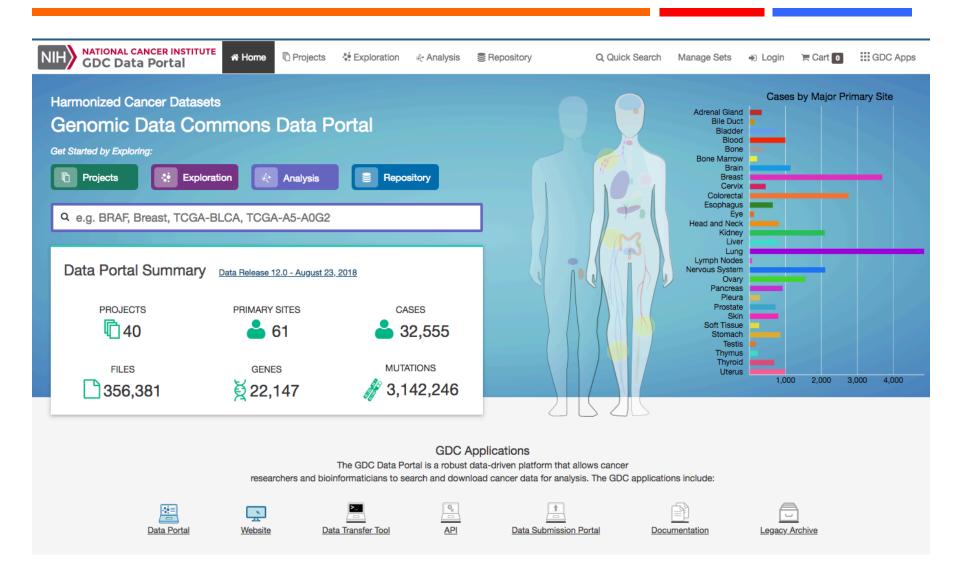
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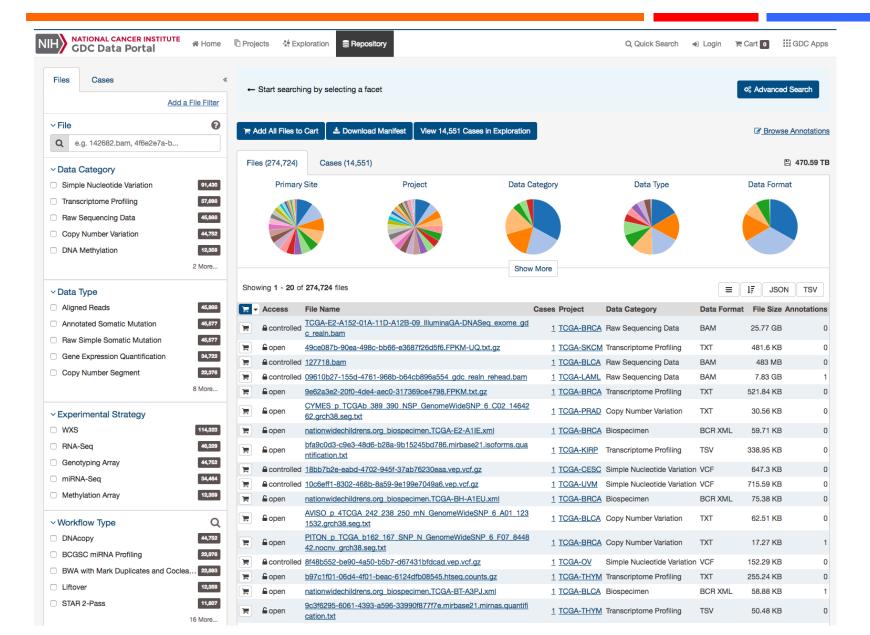






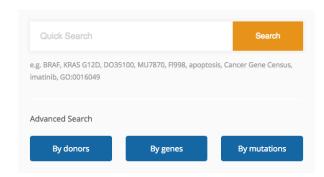


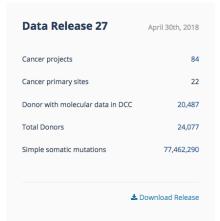
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	Disease Type	Primary Site			Seq	Ехр	SNV	CNV	Meth	Clinical	Bio	FII
TARGET-NBL	Neuroblastoma	Nervous System	TARGET	1,127	270	<u>151</u>	216	0	0	<u>7</u>	1,127	2,8
TCGA-BRCA	Breast Invasive Carcinoma	Breast	TCGA	1,098	1,098	1,097	1,044	1,096	1,095	1,097	1,098	27,2
TARGET-AML	Acute Myeloid Leukemia	Blood	TARGET	988	299	272	<u>8</u>	0	0	<u>935</u>	988	1.8
TARGET-WT	High-Risk Wilms Tumor	Kidney	TARGET	652	128	128	34	0	0	652	652	1,3
TCGA-GBM	Glioblastoma Multiforme	Brain	TCGA	<u>617</u>	<u>406</u>	<u>166</u>	<u>396</u>	<u>593</u>	<u>423</u>	<u>596</u>	<u>617</u>	9,6
TCGA-OV	Ovarian Serous Cystadenocarcinoma	Ovary	TCGA	608	<u>575</u>	492	443	<u>573</u>	602	<u>587</u>	608	13,0
TCGA-LUAD	Lung Adenocarcinoma	Lung	TCGA	<u>585</u>	<u>582</u>	<u>519</u>	<u>569</u>	<u>518</u>	<u>579</u>	<u>522</u>	<u>585</u>	14,8
TCGA-UCEC	Uterine Corpus Endometrial Carcinoma	Uterus	TCGA	<u>560</u>	<u>559</u>	<u>559</u>	542	547	<u>559</u>	<u>548</u>	<u>560</u>	13,0
TCGA-KIRC	Kidney Renal Clear Cell Carcinoma	Kidney	TCGA	<u>537</u>	<u>535</u>	<u>534</u>	<u>339</u>	<u>532</u>	<u>533</u>	<u>537</u>	<u>537</u>	12,2
TCGA-HNSC	Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma	Head and Neck	TCGA	<u>528</u>	<u>528</u>	<u>528</u>	<u>510</u>	521	<u>528</u>	<u>528</u>	<u>528</u>	12,8
TCGA-LGG	Brain Lower Grade Glioma	Brain	TCGA	<u>516</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>513</u>	514	<u>516</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>516</u>	12,6
TCGA-THCA	Thyroid Carcinoma	Thyroid	TCGA	507	<u>507</u>	<u>507</u>	<u>496</u>	<u>505</u>	507	507	<u>507</u>	12,7
TCGA-LUSC	Lung Squamous Cell Carcinoma	Lung	TCGA	<u>504</u>	<u>504</u>	<u>504</u>	497	<u>504</u>	<u>503</u>	<u>504</u>	<u>504</u>	13,1
TCGA-PRAD	Prostate Adenocarcinoma	Prostate	TCGA	500	<u>498</u>	<u>498</u>	498	<u>498</u>	498	500	<u>500</u>	12,5
TCGA-SKCM	Skin Cutaneous Melanoma	Skin	TCGA	<u>470</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>469</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>470</u>	11,
TCGA-COAD	Colon Adenocarcinoma	Colorectal	TCGA	<u>461</u>	<u>460</u>	<u>459</u>	433	<u>458</u>	<u>458</u>	<u>459</u>	<u>461</u>	11,8
TCGA-STAD	Stomach Adenocarcinoma	Stomach	TCGA	443	443	<u>439</u>	441	443	443	443	443	10,
TCGA-BLCA	Bladder Urothelial Carcinoma	Bladder	TCGA	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	412	10,
TARGET-OS	Osteosarcoma	Bone	TARGET	381	0	0	0	0	0	282	<u>381</u>	
TCGA-LIHC	Liver Hepatocellular Carcinoma	Liver	TCGA	377	377	376	375	376	377	377	377	9,
TCGA-CESC	Cervical Squamous Cell Carcinoma and Endocervical Adenocarcinoma	Cervix	TCGA	307	307	307	<u>305</u>	<u>302</u>	307	307	<u>307</u>	7.3
TCGA-KIRP	Kidney Renal Papillary Cell Carcinoma	Kidney	TCGA	291	291	291	288	290	291	291	291	7,
TCGA-SARC	Sarcoma	Soft Tissue	TCGA	261	<u>261</u>	<u>261</u>	<u>255</u>	<u>261</u>	<u>261</u>	261	<u>261</u>	6,2
TCGA-LAML	Acute Myeloid Leukemia	Bone Marrow	TCGA	200	191	169	149	143	140	200	200	3,9
TCGA-PAAD	Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma	Pancreas	TCGA	<u>185</u>	<u>185</u>	<u>178</u>	<u>183</u>	185	184	<u>185</u>	<u>185</u>	4,4
TCGA-ESCA	Esophageal Carcinoma	Esophagus	TCGA	185	185	184	184	185	185	185	185	4.4
TCGA-PCPG	Pheochromocytoma and Paraganglioma	Adrenal Gland	TCGA	<u>179</u>	<u>179</u>	<u>179</u>	<u>179</u>	179	179	<u>179</u>	<u>179</u>	4,4
TCGA-READ	Rectum Adenocarcinoma	Colorectal	TCGA	172	171	167	158	166	165	170	172	4.0
TCGA-TGCT	Testicular Germ Cell Tumors	Testis	TCGA	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>	134	<u>150</u>	134	<u>150</u>	3,0
TCGA-THYM	Thymoma	Thymus	TCGA	124	124	124	123	124	124	124	124	2,9
TCGA-KICH	Kidney Chromophobe	Kidney	TCGA	<u>113</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>113</u>	<u>113</u>	1.8
TCGA-ACC	Adrenocortical Carcinoma	Adrenal Gland	TCGA	92	92	<u>80</u>	<u>92</u>	92	<u>80</u>	92	92	2.
TCGA-MESO	Mesothelioma	Pleura	TCGA	<u>87</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>87</u>	2.0
TCGA-UVM	Uveal Melanoma	Eye	TCGA	80	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>	1.9
TARGET-RT	Rhabdoid Tumor	Kidney	TARGET	<u>75</u>	<u>44</u>	44	0	0	0	<u>69</u>	<u>75</u>	1
TCGA-DLBC	Lymphoid Neoplasm Diffuse Large B-cell Lymphoma	Lymph Nodes	TCGA	<u>58</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>48</u>	48	<u>58</u>	1.1
TCGA-UCS	Uterine Carcinosarcoma	Uterus	TCGA	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>57</u>	1.3
TCGA-CHOL	Cholangiocarcinoma	Bile Duct	TCGA	<u>51</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>36</u>	45	<u>51</u>	1.1
TARGET-CCSK	Clear Cell Sarcoma of the Kidney	Kidney	TARGET	<u>13</u>	0	0	0	0	0	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	
				14,551	11,736	11,134	10.687	10.995	10.943	13,118	14.551	274,



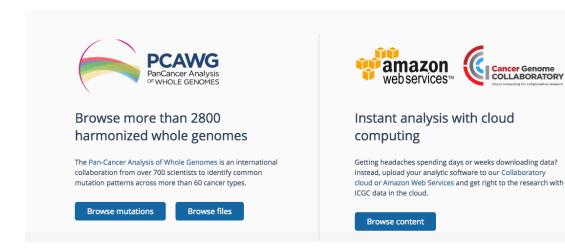


Cancer genomics data sets visualization, analysis and download.





Cancer Genome COLLABORATORY



The New York Stock Exchange captures

1 TB OF TRADE INFORMATION

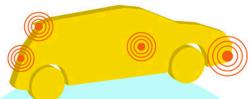
during each trading session



By 2016, it is projected there will be

18.9 BILLION NETWORK CONNECTIONS

 almost 2.5 connections per person on earth

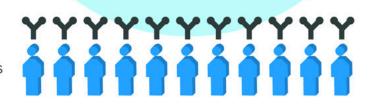


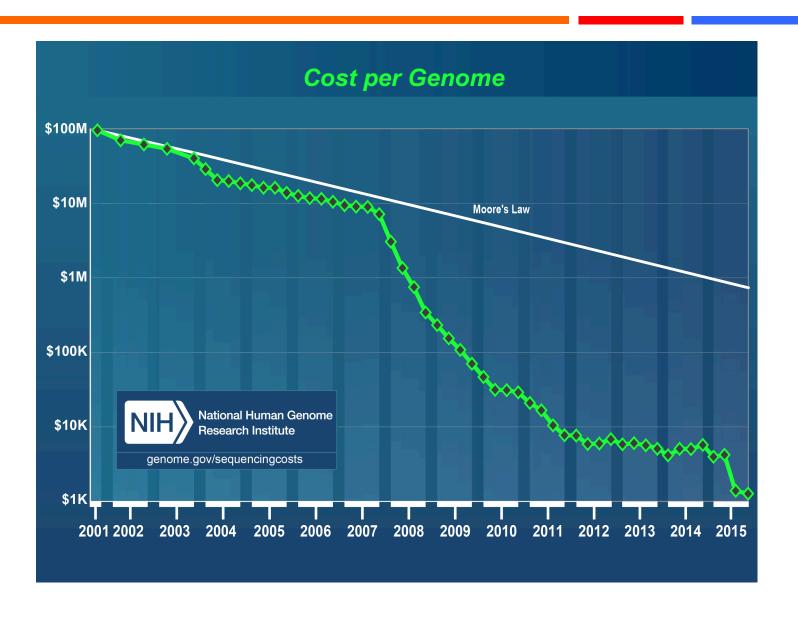
Modern cars have close to 100 SENSORS

that monitor items such as fuel level and tire pressure

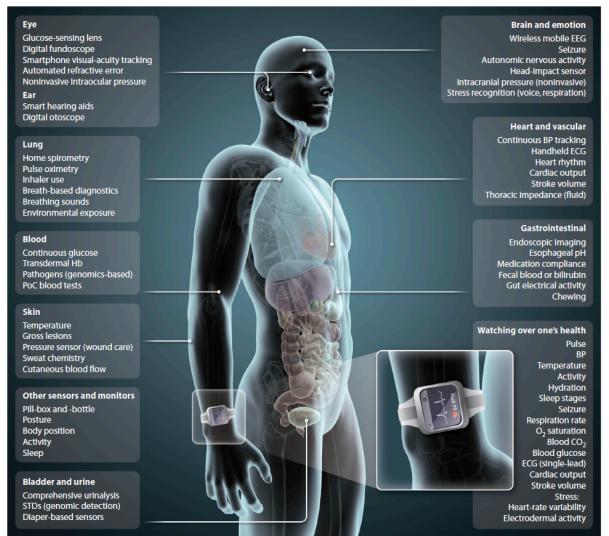
Velocity

ANALYSIS OF STREAMING DATA









(Steinhubl et al Science Translational Medicine 2015)

Fig. 1. Sensing a shift in health care. Shown are bodywide measurements by mHealth technologies that are available to health care providers and patients to aid in the tracking, diagnosis, or management of various physiological processes and disease conditions. (Inset)

Watching over one's health. Multiple developers have reported that the listed physiological parameters are measurable with sensors in a wrist-worn device. BP, blood pressure; Hb, hemoglobin; STDs, sexually transmitted diseases.

THE All of Us

INITIATIVE®



WHAT IS IT?

Precision medicine is an emerging approach for disease prevention and treatment that takes into account people's individual variations in genes, environment, and lifestyle.

The Precision Medicine Initiative* will generate the scientific evidence needed to move the concept of precision medicine into clinical practice.

WHY NOW?

The time is right because of:

Sequencing of the human genome



Improved technologies for biomedical analysis



New tools for using large datasets

NEAR-TERM GOALS

Intensify efforts to apply precision medicine to cancer.

Innovative clinical trials of targeted drugs for adult, pediatric cancers Use of combination therapies

Knowledge to overcome drug resistance







LONGER-TERM GOALS

Create a research cohort of > 1 million American volunteers who will share genetic data, biological samples, and diet/lifestyle information, all linked to their electronic health records if they choose.







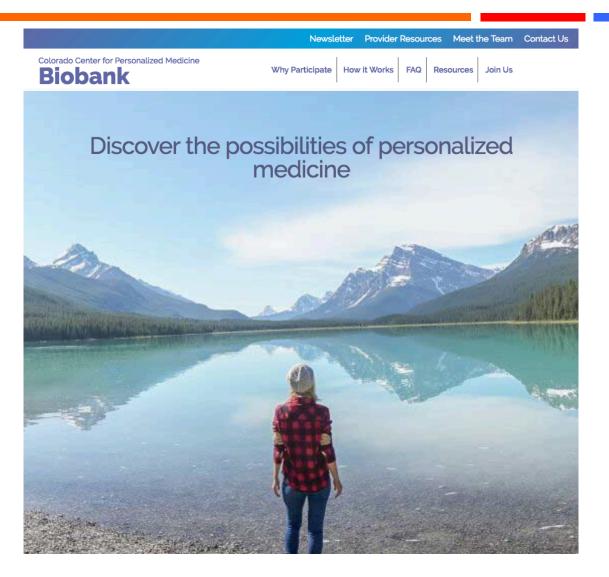




Pioneer a new model for doing science that emphasizes engaged participants, responsible data sharing, and privacy protection.

Research based upon the cohort data will:

- Advance pharmacogenomics, the right drug for the right patient at the right dose
- Identify new targets for treatment and prevention
- Test whether mobile devices can encourage healthy behaviors
- Lay scientific foundation for precision medicine for many diseases



https://www.cobiobank.org/

Colorado Center for Personalized Medicine **Biobank**SCOVE

A partnership among UCHealth, the University of Colorado and Children's Hospital of Colorado | Volume 1, Issue 1 | August 2018

Over 60,000 Participants Have Joined The Biobank



Kathleen Barnes, PhD, Principal Investigator for the Biobank

Thank you for joining the Biobank at the Colorado Center for Personalized Medicine. By participating, you are contributing to research that will help us to learn more about the role of genetics in disease and to improve and 'personalize' medical care.

The Biobank is a joint effort between UCHealth, the University of Colorado and Children's Hospital of Colorado. Over 60,000 participants have already joined the Biobank, and this number continues to grow! In the near future, we will be opening enrollment to patients at all UCHealth facilities.

The goal of the Biobank is to collect blood samples from a large and diverse group

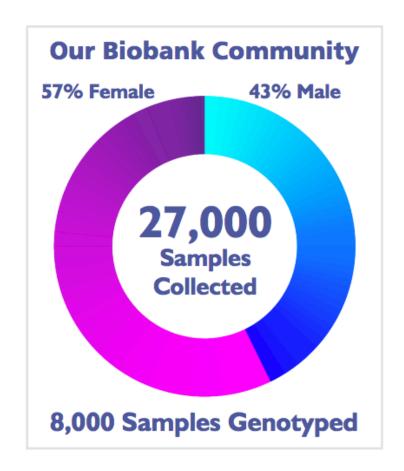
of people from across Colorado and the surrounding areas, to analyze the samples to identify genetic variations, and to link these data with information from the electronic medical record to create a rich database for research.

Approved scientists will be able to study these data, and make new discoveries that can lead to new therapies and health interventions.

Thank you again for agreeing to be a part of this exciting study. We could not do this without you!

Warmly

Kathleen



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PROJECT**GENIE**®

Genomics Evidence Neoplasia Information Exchange

FINDING CURES TOGETHER

AACR Project GENIE is an international, multiphase, multiyear project that provides the "critical mass" of genomic and clinical data necessary to improve clinical decision making and catalyze new clinical and translational research.



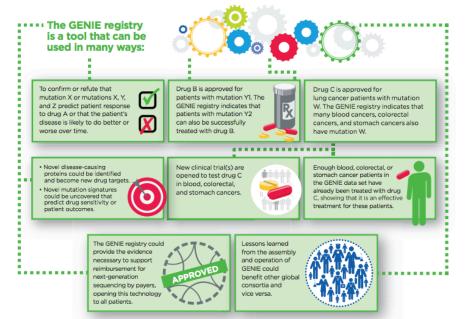


GENIE aggregates existing and onlying genotyping efforts from the eight phase is Project participants into a single registry and links this data to select clinical outcomes. This data is now publicly available at ascrong/genie/data.

Phase II Participants will be announced soon!

- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
 Institut Gustave Roussy, France
 Memorial Sloan Kettering
 Cancer Center
- The Netherlands Cancer Institute on behalf of the Center for Personalized Cancer Treatment, The Netherlands
- Princess Margaret Cancer Centre, Canada
 Sidney Kimmel Comprehensive
 Cancer Center at Johns Hopkins.
- Baltimore, Maryland
 University of Texas
- MD Anderson Cancer Center

 Vanderbilt-Ingram Cancer Center



GENIE is Unique

The registry contains the existing CLIA-/ISO-certified genomic data obtained during the course of routine practice at multiple national and international institutions, and will continue to grow as more patients are treated at the participating centers and as new centers join the project. As a result, the registry is derived from a variety of cancer types, including rare cancers, and is enriched in examples of late-stage disease; thus it approximates more of a "real world" dataset.

One Registry, Many Uses

- * Powering clinical and translational research
- The database can be used to generate many research hypotheses spanning translational to clinical studies, including those that would inform new or ongoing clinical trials.
- * Validating biomarkers
- * Drug repositioning/repurposing*
- * Adding new mutations to existing drug labels*
- * Identifying new drug targets
- * Could provide the evidence base necessary to support reimbursement for next-generation sequence-based testing by payers.
- * The AACR will be working closely with the FDA to ensure that the registry contains data that could be accepted as evidence supporting regulatory approval.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DUc00BjfpMc



The AACR Project GENIE is an international data-sharing consortium focused on generating an evidence base for precision cancer medicine by integrating clinical-grade cancer genomic data with clinical outcome data for tens of thousands of cancer patients treated at multiple institutions worldwide. In conjunction with the first public data release from approximately 19,000 samples, we describe the goals, structure, and data standards of the consortium and report conclusions from high-level analysis of the initial phase of genomic data. We also provide examples of the clinical utility of GENIE data, such as an estimate of clinical actionability across multiple cancer types (>30%) and prediction of accrual rates to the NCI-MATCH trial that accurately reflect recently reported actual match rates. The GENIE database is expected to grow to >100,000 samples within 5 years and should serve as a powerful tool for precision cancer medicine.

SIGNIFICANCE: The AACR Project GENIE aims to catalyze sharing of integrated genomic and clinical datasets across multiple institutions worldwide, and thereby enable precision cancer medicine research, including the identification of novel therapeutic targets, design of biomarker-driven clinical trials, and identification of genomic determinants of response to therapy. Cancer Discov; 7(8): 818–31. © 2017 AACR.

See related commentary by Litchfield et al., p. 796.

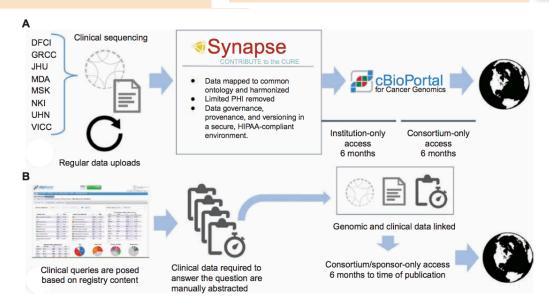
BOX 1. GOALS OF THE AACR PROJECT GENIE

AACR Project GENIE is a multiphase, multiyear, international data-sharing project that aims to catalyze precision oncology by:

- Sharing integrated clinical-grade genomic and clinical data across multiple U.S. and international cancer centers.
- Making all deidentified data publicly available to the entire scientific community.
- Developing harmonized standards for sharing genomic and clinical data.
- Initiating new translational research projects, which specifically leverage the depth and breadth of data available across GENIE consortium members.

Table 1. Founding members of the GENIE consortium

Center abbreviation	Center name
DFCI	Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, USA
GRCC	Institut Gustave Roussy, France
JHU	Johns Hopkins Sidney Kimmel Compre- hensive Cancer Center, USA
MDA	The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, USA
MSK	Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, USA
NKI	Netherlands Cancer Institute, on be- half of the Center for Personalized Cancer Treatment, the Netherlands
UHN	Princess Margaret Cancer Centre, University Health Network, Canada
VICC	Vanderbilt-Ingram Cancer Center, USA





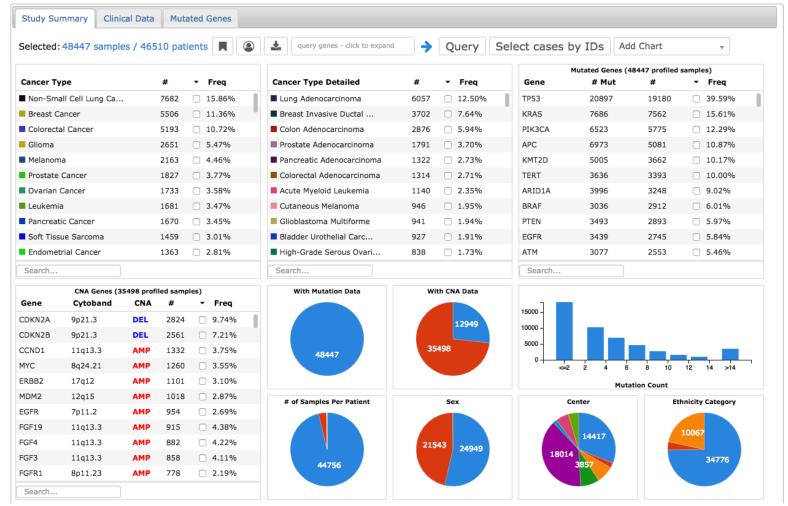
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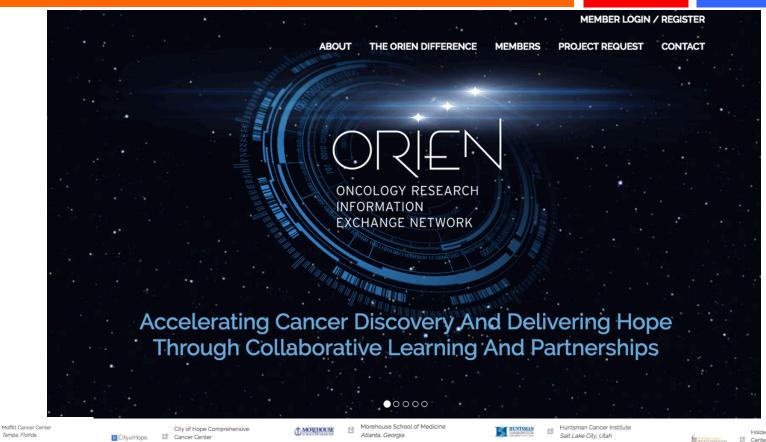
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GENIE Cohort v4.0-public

GENIE v4.0-public





The James

The Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center - Arthur G. James Cancer Hospital and Richard J. Solove Research Institute

Tamna Florida

Columbus, Ohio

Duarte, California University of Virginia Health System Cancer Center Charlottesville, Virginia University of Colorado Cancer Aurora, Colorado University of New Mexico ♠UNM ::::::::: Comprehensive Cancer Center Albuquerque, New Mexico

Rutgers Cancer Institute of New RUTGERS New Brunswick, New Jersey USC Norris Comprehensive

Cancer Center Los Angeles, California John P. Murtha Cancer Center Bethesda, Maryland

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Norris Cotton Cancer Center Lebanon, New Hampshire Winship Cancer Institute of Emory University Atlanta, Georgia Stephenson Cancer Center Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Holden Comprehensive Cancer El Center Iowa City, Iowa Roswell Park Comprehensive Cancer Center

Buffalo, New York

Markey Cancer Center Lexinaton, Kentucky Indiana University Melvin and

Bren Simon Cancer Center Indianapolis, Indiana







ACCELERATE SOLUTIONS

The American Heart Association Precision Medicine Platform is a cloud-based data resource that revolutionizes how the research community accelerates solutions for cardiovascular diseases and stroke.

REGISTER NOW

The AHA Precision Medicine Platform allows you to securely upload your own data and provides access to existing cardiovascular and stroke data sets, in addition to cutting-edge tools and forums for collaborations. All in one platform.



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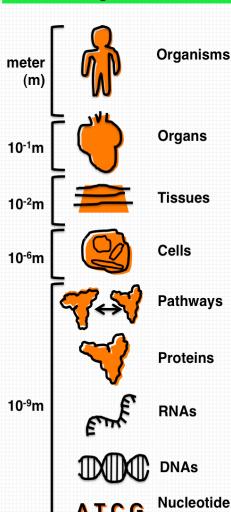
are sent per day by about 200 million monthly active users

Biomedical Big Data Challenges: -

Multi-scale, Complex, Heterogeneous and Distributed



Biological Scale



Examples of Large-Scale, Complex & Comprehensive **Biomedical Genomics Projects**

Human Genome Project

Whole genome sequencing of an individual:

Human data size.

pairs of

Chromosomes

20,000

99%

generating

Bases

genes

Cells

High-

Assavs

bases

ENCODE Project

Comprehensive Catalog of 1%

experiments

of the coding human genome.

The Cancer Genome Atlas Project (TCGA)

Comprehensive Catalog of Molecular Profiling, Clinical Information and Imaging data of cancer types. Total files currently available from CGhub: 50 002, total data file size:

Phenotypic Profiles **Protein Expression Profiles** Throughput **Gene Expression Profiles Epigenetic Profiles**

1000 Genomes Project

Mutational Profiles

A deep catalog of human genetic variation. Phase 1 genomics data of 1.092 individuals:



data size.

experiments.

CMap Project

catalog of compound-

A comprehensive

gene expression

profiles:

Heterogeneous & Distributed Data Sources

PubMed

Comprehensive Collection of Biomedical Literature:



abstracts.

Protein Data Bank

Comprehensive Collection of Protein Structures:



structures.

EBI ArrayExpress



18.5TB data size.

Sequence Traces

Comprehensive Collection of next-generation sequences:

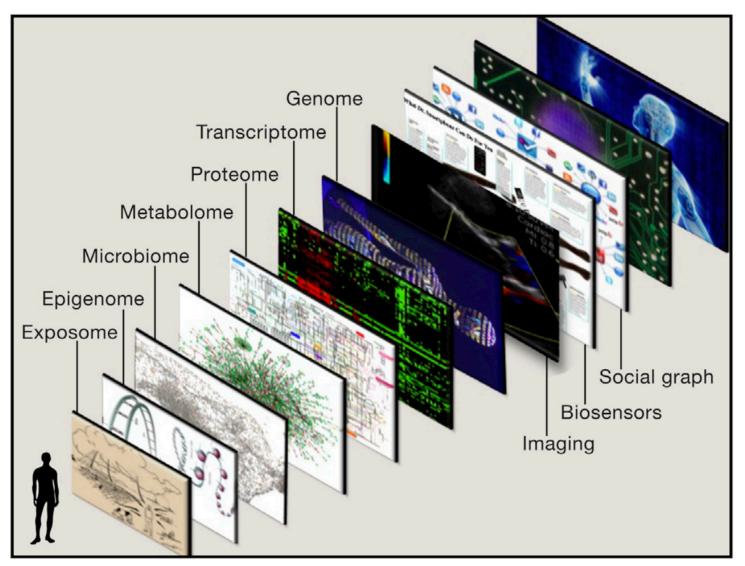
PubChem

Comprehensive Collection of chemical compounds and their bioactivities:



compounds.

V = Variety



V = Veracity



don't trust the information they use to make decisions



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\$3.1 TRILLION A YEAR



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in one survey were unsure of how much of their data was inaccurate

Veracity

UNCERTAINTY OF DATA

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Monday, December 9, 2013

NIH Names Dr. Philip E. Bourne First Associate Director for Data Science



Happy to swear in Dr Philip Bourne this AM. He's the new #NIH Associate Director for Data Science!



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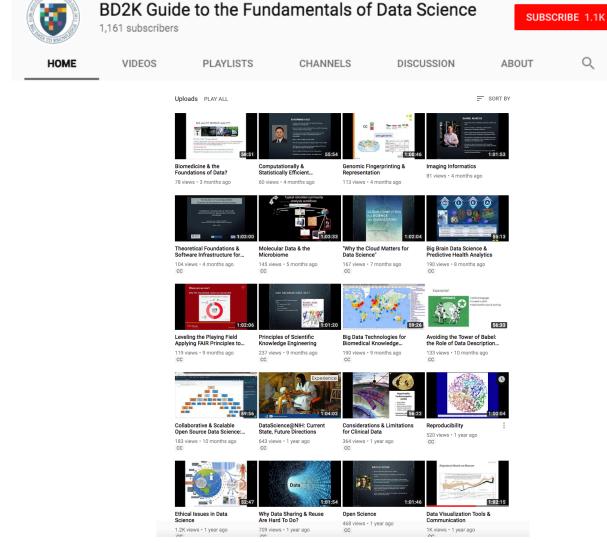


Big Data to Knowledge (BD2K)

The ability to harvest the wealth of information contained in biomedical Big Data will advance our understanding of human health and disease; however, lack of appropriate tools, poor data accessibility, and insufficient training, are major impediments to rapid translational impact. To meet this challenge, the National Institutes of Health (NIH) launched the Big Data to Knowledge (BD2K) initiative in 2012.

BD2K is a trans-NIH initiative established to enable biomedical research as a digital research enterprise, to facilitate discovery and support new knowledge, and to maximize community engagement.

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NIH STRATEGIC PLAN FOR DATA SCIENCE

Introduction

As articulated in the National Institutes of Health (NIH)-Wide Strategic Plan¹ and the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Strategic Plan,² our nation and the world stand at a unique moment of opportunity in biomedical research, and data science is an integral contributor. Understanding basic biological mechanisms through NIH-funded research depends upon vast amounts of data and has propelled biomedicine into the sphere of "Big Data" along with other sectors of the national and global economies. Reflecting today's highly integrated biomedical research landscape, NIH defines data science as "the interdisciplinary field of inquiry in which quantitative and analytical approaches, processes, and systems are developed and used to extract knowledge and insights from increasingly large and/or complex sets of data."

NIH supports the generation and analysis of substantial quantities of biomedical research data (see, for example, text box "Big Data from the Resolution Revolution^{3"}), including numerous quantitative and qualitative datasets emanating from fundamental research using model organisms (such as mice, fruit

Big Data from the Resolution Revolution One of the revolutionary advances in microscope, detectors, and algorithms, cryogenic electron microscopy (cryoEM) has become one of the areas of science (along with astronomy, collider data, and genomics) that have entered the Big Data arena, pushing hardware and software requirements to unprecedented levels. Current cryoEM detector systems are fast enough to collect movies instead of single integrated images, and users now typically acquire up to 2,000 movies in a single day. As is the case with astronomy, collider physics, and genomics, scientists using cryoEM generate several terabytes of data per day.

flies, and zebrafish), clinical studies (including medical images), and observational and epidemiological studies (including data from electronic health records and wearable devices). Metadata, "data about data," provides information such as data content, context, and structure, which is also valuable to the biomedical research community as it affects the ability of data to be found and used. One example of metadata is bibliographic information such as a publication's authors, format (e.g., pdf), and location (DOI, or digital object identifier) that are contained within any reference citation.

By 2025, the total amount of genomics data alone

is expected to equal or exceed totals from the three other major producers of large amounts of data:



Data Infrastructure

- Optimize data storage and security
- Connect NIH data systems

Modernized Data Ecosystem

- Modernize data repository ecosystem
- Support storage and sharing of individual datasets
 - Better integrate clinical and observational data into biomedical data science

Data Management, Analytics, and Tools

- Support useful, generalizable, and accessible tools and workflows
- Broaden utility of and access to specialized tools
- Improve discovery and cataloging resources

Workforce Development

- •Enhance the NIH data-science workforce
- •Expand the national research workforce
- Engage a broader community

Stewardship and Sustainability

- Develop policies for a FAIR data ecosystem
- Enhance stewardship

¹ NIH-Wide Strategic Plan Fiscal Years 2016-2020: Available at: https://www.nih.gov/sites/default/files/about-nih/strategic-plan-fy2016-2020-508.pdf

² Department of Health and Human Services Strategic Plan 2018-2022: Available at: https://www.hhs.gov/about/strategic-plan/index.html

³ Baldwin PR, Tan YZ, Eng ET, Rice WJ, et al. Big data in cryoEM: automated collection, processing and accessibility of EM data. Curr Open Microbiology 2018;43:1–8.

Figure 2. NIH Strategic Plan for Data Science: Overview of Goals and Objectives

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Obama to seek \$215 million for precision-medicine plan

Details emerge as White House prepares to release budget request to Congress.

Sara Reardon

30 January 2015



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US President Barack Obama announced today that he is seeking US\$215 million for an effort that will match patients' genetic and physiological data to treat their health conditions more precisely. Obama proposed the plan, known as the Precision Medicine Initiative, in his annual State of the Union address last week. But it is not clear whether he is seeking enough money to fulfil his ambitious goals.

Details of the plan come as Obama prepares to release his fiscal year 2016 budget request to Congress on 2 February. The White House is seeking \$130 million for the US National Institutes of Health (NIH) to develop a national cohort of at least one million volunteers for a longitudinal study. Their medical, physiological and genomic data would be integrated in a massive database that would be made available to researchers.

The US Food and Drug Administration would receive \$10 million to build databases to support precision-medicine research and regulation as part of the initiative. Those funds would also be used to develop a new approach for reviewing advanced genetic-sequencing technologies and to determine whether the agency needs to revamp its regulatory review process for personalized therapies. The NIH's National Cancer Institute would receive \$70 million to find cancer-related markers in individuals' genomes, which could lead to more-targeted treatments. And the Department of Health and Human Services office that coordinates health-information technology would receive \$5 million to develop new protocols to standardize and secure data.

USA Budget:

US\$ 215 million

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China embraces precision medicine on a massive scale

Strong genomics record bodes well but a shortage of doctors could pose a hurdle.

David Cyranoski

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Precision medicine uses genomic and physiological data to tailor treatments to individuals.

Formidable capacity in genome sequencing, access to millions of patients and the promise of solid governmental support: those are the assets that China hopes to bring to the nascent field of precision medicine, which uses genomic, physiological and other data to tailor treatments to individuals.

Almost exactly one year after US President Barack Obama announced the Precision Medicine Initiative. China is finalizing plans for its own, much larger project. But as universities and sequencing companies line up to gather and analyse the data, some observers worry that problems with the nation's health-care infrastructure — in particular a dearth of doctors — threaten the effort's ultimate goal of improving patient care.

Precision medicine harnesses huge amounts of clinical data, from genome sequences to health records, to determine how drugs affect people in different ways. By enabling physicians to target drugs only to those who will benefit, such knowledge can cut waste, improve health outcomes using existing treatments, and inform drug development. For example, it is now clear that

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2004), and the discovery of a mutation that causes 4% of US cystic fibrosis cases led to the development of the drug Kalydeco (ivacaftor). The Chinese government is expected to officially announce the initiative after it approves its next

individuals with a certain mutation (which is mostly found in Asian people) respond better to the lung-cancer drug Tarceva (erlotinib; W. Pao et al. Proc. Natl Acad. Sci. USA 101, 13306-13311;

five-year plan in March. Just how much the effort will cost is unclear — but it will almost certainly be larger and more expensive than the US\$215-million US initiative.

Since last spring, Chinese media has been abuzz with estimates of a 60-billion yuan (US\$9.2billion) budget, spread over 15 years. But this figure is not finalized, cautions Zhan Qimin, director US\$ 9.2 billion!!! of the State Key Laboratory of Molecular Oncology at Peking Union Medical College in Beijing, who is involved in the initiative. He says that the effort will consist of hundreds of separate projects to sequence genomes and gather clinical data, with support for each ranging from tens of millions of yuan to more than 100 million yuan.

Anticipating the initiative, leading institutes — including Tsinghua University, Fudan University and the Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences — are scrambling to set up precision-medicine centres. Sichuan University's West China Hospital, for instance, plans to sequence 1 million human genomes itself — the same goal as the entire US initiative. The hospital will focus on ten diseases, starting with lung cancer.

Both the US and the Chinese efforts will focus on genetic links to diseases that are particularly deadly, such as cancer and heart disease. But China will target specific cancers, such as stomach and liver cancer, which are common there.

Chinese Budget:



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Watson Oncology







A team of physicians and analysts at Memorial Sloan Kettering has been "training" IBM Watson for more than a year to develop a tool that can help medical professionals choose the best treatment plans for individual cancer patients.

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Watson Oncology is a cognitive computing system designed to support the broader oncology community of physicians as they consider treatment options with their patients. Memorial Sloan Kettering clinicians and analysts are partnering with IBM to train Watson Oncology to interpret cancer patients' clinical information and identify individualized, evidence-based treatment options that leverage our specialists' decades of experience and research.

As Watson Oncology's teacher, we are advancing our mission by creating a powerful resource that will help inform treatment decisions for those who may not have access to a specialty center like MSK. With Watson Oncology, we believe we can decrease the amount of time it takes for the latest research and evidence to influence clinical practice across the broader oncology community, help physicians synthesize available information, and improve patient care.

Each year we care for more than 130,000 people with cancer, contribute to premier oncology organizations, and lead groundbreaking clinical trials. Our subspecialized oncologists are applying their unique expertise — integrating the latest published research with decades of longitudinal data into clinical practice — to teach Watson Oncology.

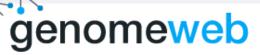
IBM Watson and Quest Diagnostics Launch Genomic Sequencing Service Using Data from MSK

IBM Watson Health and Quest Diagnostics announced the launch of a new service that helps advance precision medicine by combining cognitive computing with genomic tumor sequencing. Memorial Sloan Kettering will provide data from OncoKB, a precision oncology knowledge base, to help inform individual treatment options for cancer patients.

Learn more

IBM Watson is defining the field of cognitive computing. Its core capabilities — reading natural language, evaluating cases with evolving machine-learned models, and rapidly processing large volumes of data — are being leveraged to help address some of the challenges facing oncologists today.

By combining our world-renowned cancer expertise with the capabilities of IBM Watson, Watson Oncology will offer oncologists and people with cancer individualized treatment options that are informed by medical evidence and our highly specialized experience. Since Watson Oncology is a learning system, we have a unique opportunity to continually improve it based on users' experiences.



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IBM Watson for Oncology Introduced to 21 Chinese Hospitals

Aug 12, 2016 | a GenomeWeb staff reporter

NEW YORK (GenomeWeb) – IBM and Hangzhou CognitiveCare announced that 21 hospitals across China plan to adopt Watson for Oncology in order to help their clinicians better personalize cancer treatments for their patients.

The partners said the initial 21-hospital deal is part of a multi-year partnership that plans to introduce Watson to several more hospitals across China. Hangzhou CognitiveCare will provide sales, service, and customer support, including localizing Watson's results and analysis for doctors in China, and providing some translation services for drug labels and treatment guidelines.

Watson for Oncology draws from more than 300 medical journals, more than 200 textbooks, and nearly 15 million pages of text, IBM said. It provides recommendations about different drug options and administration instructions, as well as information from various treatment guidelines.

"Hangzhou CognitiveCare is eager to bring IBM's Watson for Oncology to reach every oncologist in China we possibly can," said CEO Zhen Tu in a statement. "Watson has the power to transform how doctors battle cancer in China and around the world, providing physicians with insights regarding treatment options that help them customize therapeutic recommendations specific to each individual, based on a patient's specific needs."

Financial terms of the deal were not disclosed.



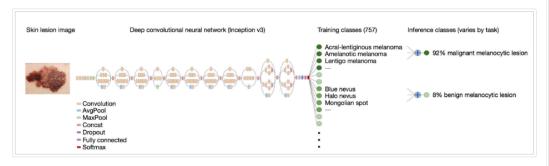


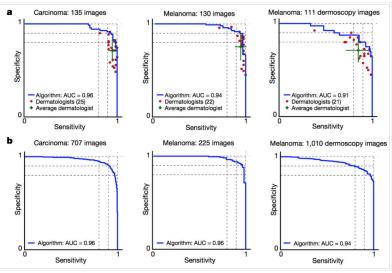
Dermatologist-level classification of skin cancer

An artificial intelligence trained to classify images of skin lesions as benign lesions or malignant skin cancers achieves the accuracy of board-certified dermatologists.

In this work, we pretrain a deep neural network at general object recognition, then finetune it on a dataset of ~130,000 skin lesion images comprised of over 2000 diseases.

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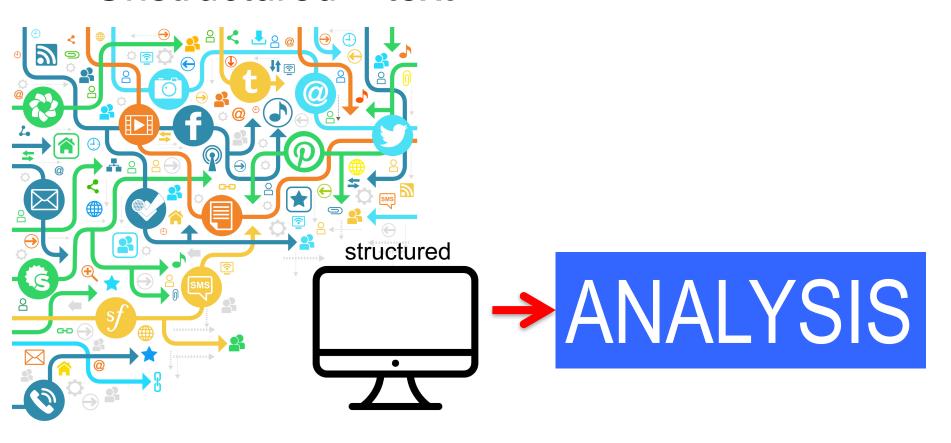




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Data

- Structured transactions
- Unstructured text



Data Analytics

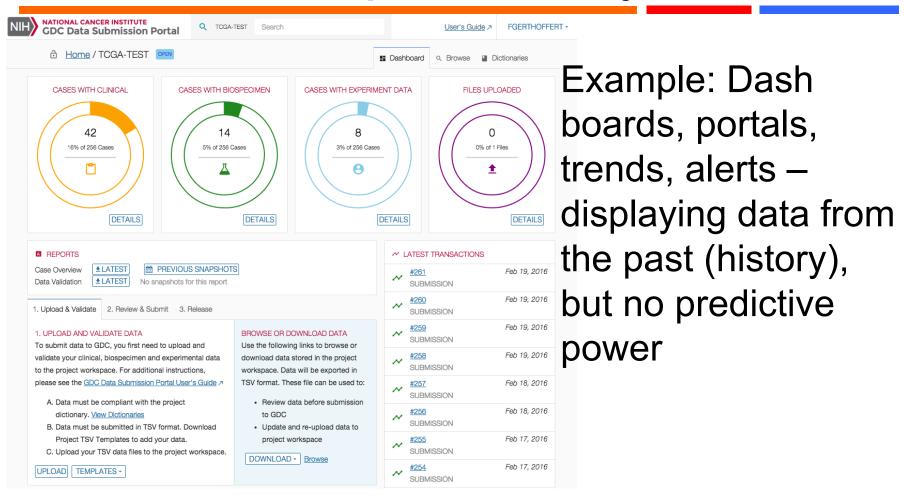


The use of machine learning and statistics to derive meaning from data in order to make better decisions (translating big data to knowledge)

Three Types of Analytics

- 1. Descriptive
- 2. Predictive
- 3. Prescription

Descriptive Analytics

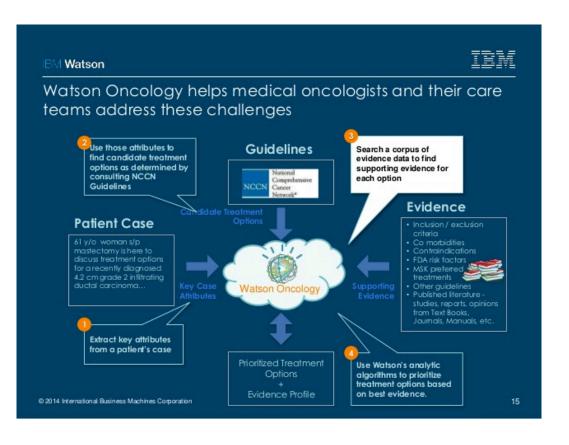


Predictive Analytics



Example: machine learning and statistical tools - Use data to build models that can predict future "unseen" situation.

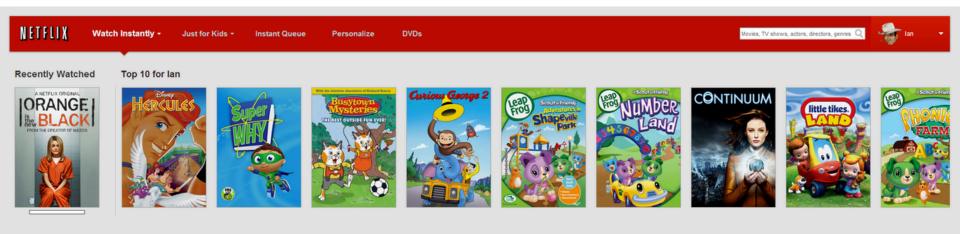
Prescriptive Analytics



Example: optimization algorithms to suggest the best solution

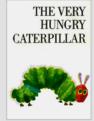
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Example: Netflix Recommendation System



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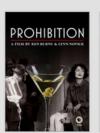
















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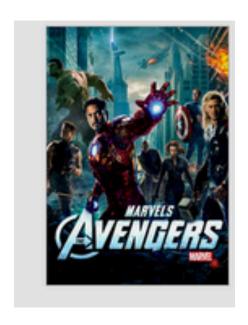






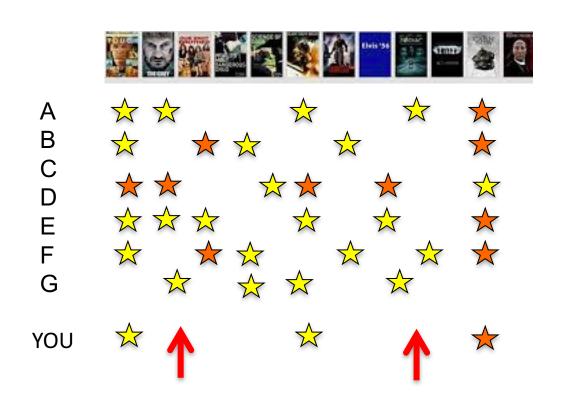


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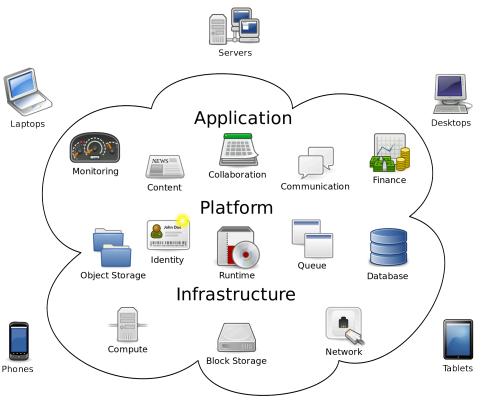




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Cloud Computing



Cloud computing

The practice of using a network of remote servers hosted on the Internet to store, manage, and process data, rather than a local server or a personal computer.

(From Wikipedia)





Cloud Computing



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What do you do if your child has a condition that is new to science?

By Seth Mnookin



Until recently, Bertrand Might was the only known patient with a certain genetic disorder. His parents began searching for others.

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A CASE STUDY

COMMENTARY Genetics in Medicine

American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics

The shifting model in clinical diagnostics: how next-generation sequencing and families are altering the way rare diseases are discovered, studied, and treated

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Mutations in NGLY1 cause an inherited disorder of the endoplasmic reticulum-associated degradation pathway

NGLY1

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Purpose: The endoplasmic reticulum-associated degradation pathway is responsible for the translocation of misfolded proteins across the endoplasmic reticulum membrane into the cytosol for subsequent degradation by the proteasome. To define the phenotype associated with a novel inherited disorder of cytosolic endoplasmic reticulum-associated degradation pathway dysfunction, we studied a series of eight patients with deficiency of N-glycanase 1.

Methods: Whole-genome, whole-exome, or standard Sanger sequencing techniques were employed. Retrospective chart reviews were performed in order to obtain clinical data.

Results: All patients had global developmental delay, a movement disorder, and hypotonia. Other common findings included hypolacrima or alacrima (7/8), elevated liver transaminases (6/7), microcephaly (6/8), diminished reflexes (6/8), hepatocyte cytoplasmic storage material or vacuolization (5/6), and seizures (4/8). The nonsense mutation c.1201A>T (p.R401X) was the most common deleterious allele.

Conclusion: NGLY1 deficiency is a novel autosomal recessive disorder of the endoplasmic reticulum-associated degradation pathway associated with neurological dysfunction, abnormal tear production, and liver disease. The majority of patients detected to date carry a specific nonsense mutation that appears to be associated with severe disease. The phenotypic spectrum is likely to enlarge as cases with a broader range of mutations are detected.

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Key Words: alacrima; choreoathetosis; liver disease; NGLY1; seizures

Table 1 Clinical and molecular findings in NGLY1 deficiency

	Patient 1	Patient 2	Patient 3	Patient 4	Patient 5	Patient 6	Patient 7	Patient 8	Totals
Age	5 years	20 years	4 years	2 years	d.5 years	d.9 months	3 years	16 years	
Gender	M	F	F	M	M	F	F	F	
Ethnicity	Caucasian	Caucasian	Caucasian	Caucasian	Caucasian	Caucasian	Caucasian	Caucasian	
Countries of origin (mother/father)	Puerto Rico, South Europe/ North Europe	Italy/Italy	Germany, Ireland, Scotland, Sweden/ Holland, Ireland, Italy, Germany	Germany/ Germany	England, Finland, Ukraine/ England	England, Finland, Ukraine/ England	Unknown	Unknown	
Consanguinity	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	1/8
Mutations (maternal/ paternal allele)	c.C1891del (p.Q631fs)/ c.1201A>T (p.R401X)	c.1370dupG (p.R458fs)/ c.1370dupG (p.R458fs)	c.1205_1207del (p.402_403del)/ c.1570C>T (p.R524X)	c.1201A>T (p.R401X)/ c.1201A>T (p.R401X)	c.1201A>T (p.R401X)/ c.1201A>T (p.R401X)	c.1201A>T (p.R401X)/ c.1201A>T (p.R401X)	c.1201A>Y (p.R401X)/ c.1201A>T (p.R401X)	c1201A>T (p.R401X)/ c.1201A>T (p.R401X)	

Conclusion

- Biomedical research is in the center of digital revolution.
- Every biomedical problem is a data problem. In this
- Harnessing the power of big data in understanding disease mechanisms (basic) and enabling precision medicine (clinical).

So, do you want to learn data science?



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