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SIMPOSIO AIRO-AIFM
**SBRT: Aggiornamenti clinici
e dosimetrici**

*Problematiche fisico
dosimetriche della SBRT*



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DICHIARAZIONE

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Come da nuova regolamentazione della Commissione Nazionale per la Formazione Continua del Ministero della Salute, è richiesta la trasparenza delle fonti di finanziamento e dei rapporti con soggetti portatori di interessi commerciali in campo sanitario.

- Posizione di dipendente in aziende con interessi commerciali in campo sanitario **(NIENTE DA DICHIARARE)**
- Consulenza ad aziende con interessi commerciali in campo sanitario **(NIENTE DA DICHIARARE)**
- Fondi per la ricerca da aziende con interessi commerciali in campo sanitario **(NIENTE DA DICHIARARE)**
- Partecipazione ad Advisory Board **(NIENTE DA DICHIARARE)**
- Titolarità di brevetti in compartecipazione ad aziende con interessi commerciali in campo sanitario **(NIENTE DA DICHIARARE)**
- Partecipazioni azionarie in aziende con interessi commerciali in campo sanitario **(NIENTE DA DICHIARARE)**
- Altro

- Radiotherapy demand
- SBRT definition
- GdL AIFM
- Same Gray?
- Multiplanning experiences
- Small fields
- Take home message



San Leo (Rimini)

Radiotherapy demand

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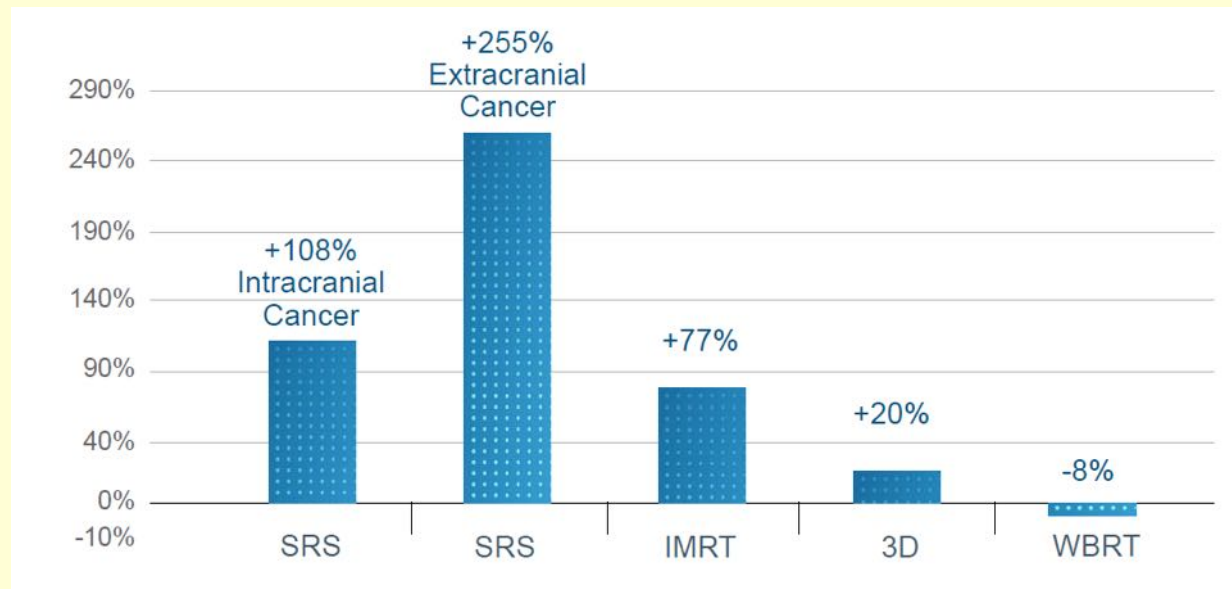
The Future of Radiation Oncology in the United States
From 2010 to 2020: Will Supply Keep Pace With Demand?

Benjamin D. Smith, Bruce G. Haffty, Lynn D. Wilson, Grace L. Smith, Akshar N. Patel,
and Thomas A. Buchholz

Table 1. Projected Estimates of Patients Receiving Radiation Therapy in 2010 and 2020

Tumor Site	No. of Patients Receiving Radiation Therapy		% Increase in Demand for Radiation Therapy From 2010 to 2020
	2010	2020	
Total	470,000	575,000	22

2014  2024



Source: SG2 Consulting, Skokle, Illinois, USA

SBRT for Lung Stage I

THE LANCET
Oncology

Treatment of early-stage lung cancer detected by screening: surgery or stereotactic ablative radiotherapy? Lancet Oncol 2013; 14: e270-74

Suresh Senan, Marinus A Paul, Frank J Lagerwaard

Panel: Key considerations in local treatment decisions

Surgery

Pros:

- Definitive pathological diagnosis
- Enables invasive nodal staging in all cases
- Appropriate delivery of adjuvant therapy in node-positive disease

Cons:

- Procedure-related morbidity and mortality
- Invasive procedure for possibly benign disease

SABR

Pros:

- 5-year local disease control rates of more than 90%
- Outpatient procedure with mild acute toxicity
- Preservation of lung function and quality of life

Cons:

- Treatment without definite pathological verification
- Post-treatment fibrosis masking local disease recurrence

Randomize trial?

Correspondence

Quality assurance is a key component of stereotactic ablative radiotherapy, as it is with surgery. Multi-institutional trials and systematic reviews suggest that outcomes with SABR are generally consistent across several centres.³ By contrast, results of hospital-volume studies suggest that surgical mortality data do not generalise well to smaller centres.⁴

Surgery versus SABR for NSCLC

In Paul Van Schil and Jan Van Meerbeeck's recent Correspondence,¹ the authors debate the merits of a Review² that forms the premise for randomised trials comparing surgery with stereotactic ablative radiotherapy (SABR) for early stage lung cancers detected by CT screening. They state that such trials are only warranted in patients with a compromised pulmonary or cardiac function who have an increased operative risk. However, we believe this comment does not reflect the evidence.

SBRT for prostate



PRINCIPLES OF RADIATION THERAPY

Primary External Beam Radiation Therapy (EBRT)

- Highly conformal RT techniques should be used to treat prostate cancer.
- Doses of 75.6 to 79.2 Gy in conventional fractions to the prostate (\pm seminal vesicles for part of the therapy) are appropriate for patients with low-risk cancers. For patients with intermediate- or high-risk disease, doses up to 81.0 Gy provide improved PSA-assessed disease control.
- Moderately hypofractionated image-guided IMRT regimens (2.4 to 4 Gy per fraction over 4-6 weeks) have been tested in randomized trials reporting similar efficacy and toxicity to conventionally fractionated IMRT. They can be considered as an alternative to conventionally fractionated regimens when clinically indicated.
- **Extremely hypofractionated image-guided IMRT/SBRT regimens (6.5 Gy per fraction or greater) are an emerging treatment modality with single institutional and pooled reports of similar efficacy and toxicity to conventionally fractionated regimens. They can be considered as a cautious alternative to conventionally fractionated regimens at clinics with appropriate technology, physics, and clinical expertise.**
- ~~Patients with high-risk cancers are candidates for pelvic lymph node irradiation and the addition of neoadjuvant/concomitant/adjuvant ADT for a total of 2 to 3 y (category 1).~~
- Patients with intermediate-risk cancer may be considered for pelvic lymph node irradiation and 4- to 6-mo neoadjuvant/concomitant/adjuvant ADT.
- Patients with low-risk cancer should not receive pelvic lymph node irradiation or ADT.
- The accuracy of treatment should be improved by attention to daily prostate localization, with techniques of IGRT using CT, ultrasound, implanted fiducials, electromagnetic targeting/tracking, or an endorectal balloon to improve oncologic cure rates and reduce side effects.

Extremely hypofractionated IGRT/IMRT regimens (6.5Gy or greater) [...] can be considered as a cautious alternative to conventionally fractionated regimens at clinics with appropriate technology, physics and clinical expertise.

Introduction: definitions SBRT



Stereotactic body radiation therapy: The report of AAPM Task Group 101

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REPORT

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR THERAPEUTIC RADIOLOGY AND ONCOLOGY (ASTRO)
AND AMERICAN COLLEGE OF RADIOLOGY (ACR) PRACTICE GUIDELINE FOR THE
PERFORMANCE OF STEREOTACTIC BODY RADIATION THERAPY**

high dose of radiation

compensate for target movements

single or a few fractions

non invasive

steep dose gradients

delivery precision

Small target

high targeting accuracy

team of skilled health care professionals

Italy of the towers



San Gimignano
1300 d.C.
72 towers
2000 abitanti



Aspetti fisico dosimetrici e radiobiologici della radioterapia ablativa ipofrazionata ad alte dosi guidata dalle immagini

107 aderenti
2013-2015

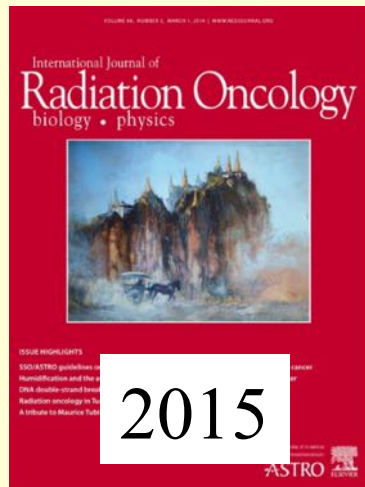
Objective 1: Sharing of personal knowledge

Objective 2: Multicentre studies

Objective 3: Write common documents

Objective 4: Seminars and schools





Role of the Technical Aspects of Hypofractionated Radiation Therapy Treatment of Prostate Cancer: A Review

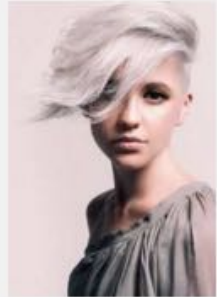
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SBRT for prostate cancer: challenges and risks from a physicist prospective

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Do we have the same Gray?



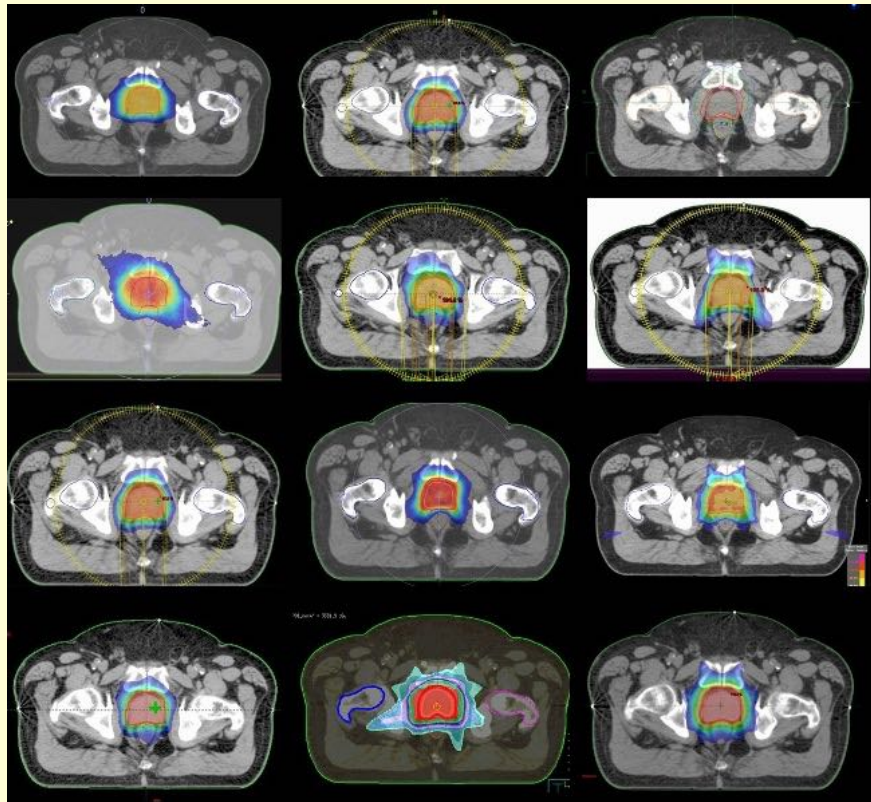
Multicenter planning: prostate



A feasibility dosimetric study on prostate cancer

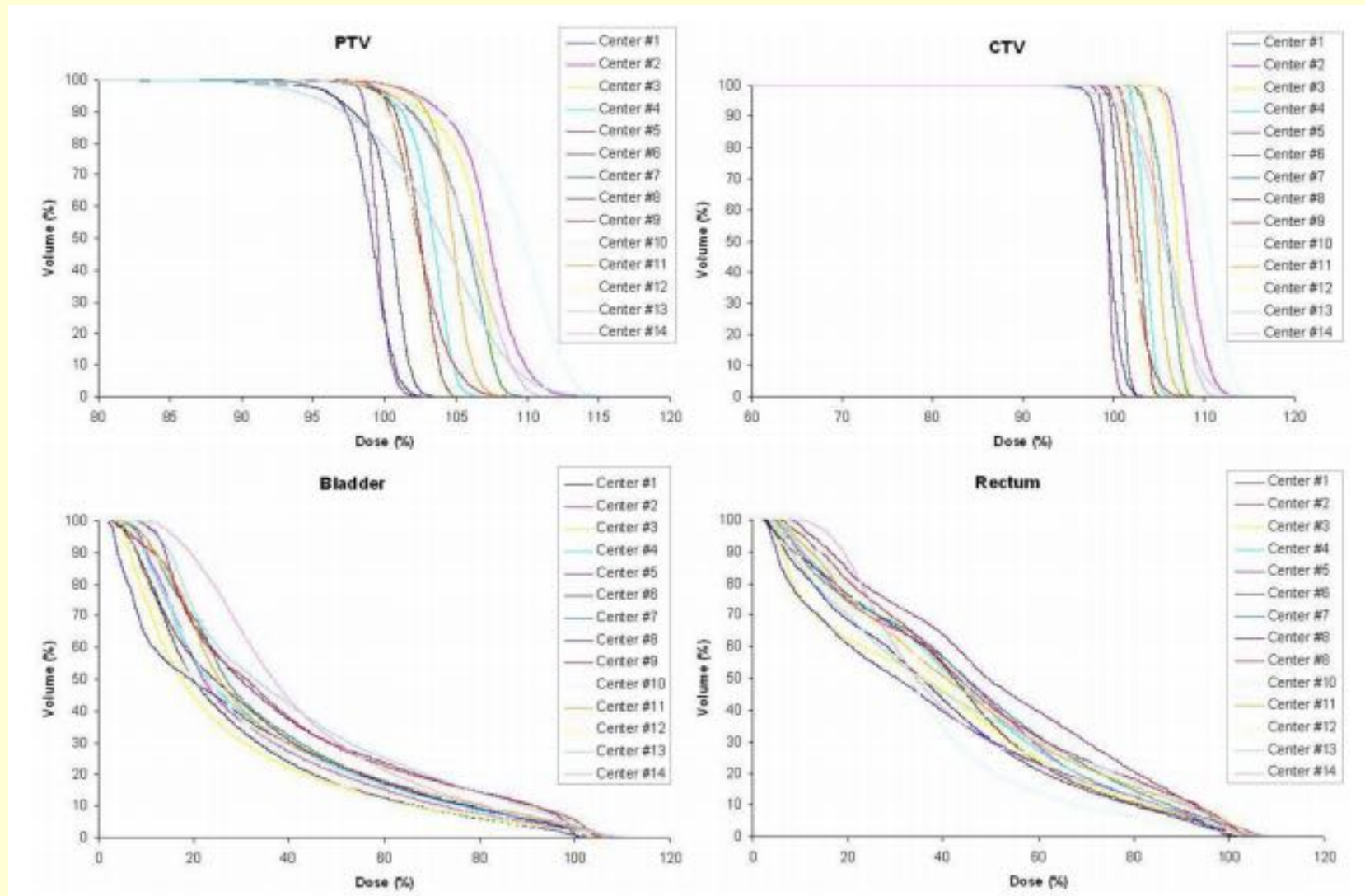
Are we ready for a multicenter clinical trial on SBRT?

Carmelo Marino · Elena Villaggi · Giulia Maggi · Marco Esposito · Lidia Strigari · Elisa Bonanno · Giusi R. Borzi · Claudia Carbonini · Rita Consorti · David Fedele · Christian Fiandra · Isidora Ielo · Tiziana Malatesta · Maria Rosa Malisan · Anna Martinotti · Renzo Moretti · Barbara Nardiello · Caterina Oliviero · Stefania Clemente · Pietro Mancosu



14 centers
5 prostate cases
Same contours
Common protocol
35 Gy – 7Gy x 5 fr

Multicenter planning: prostate



Mean DVH values over the 5 patients for the 14 centers

Multicenter planning: prostate

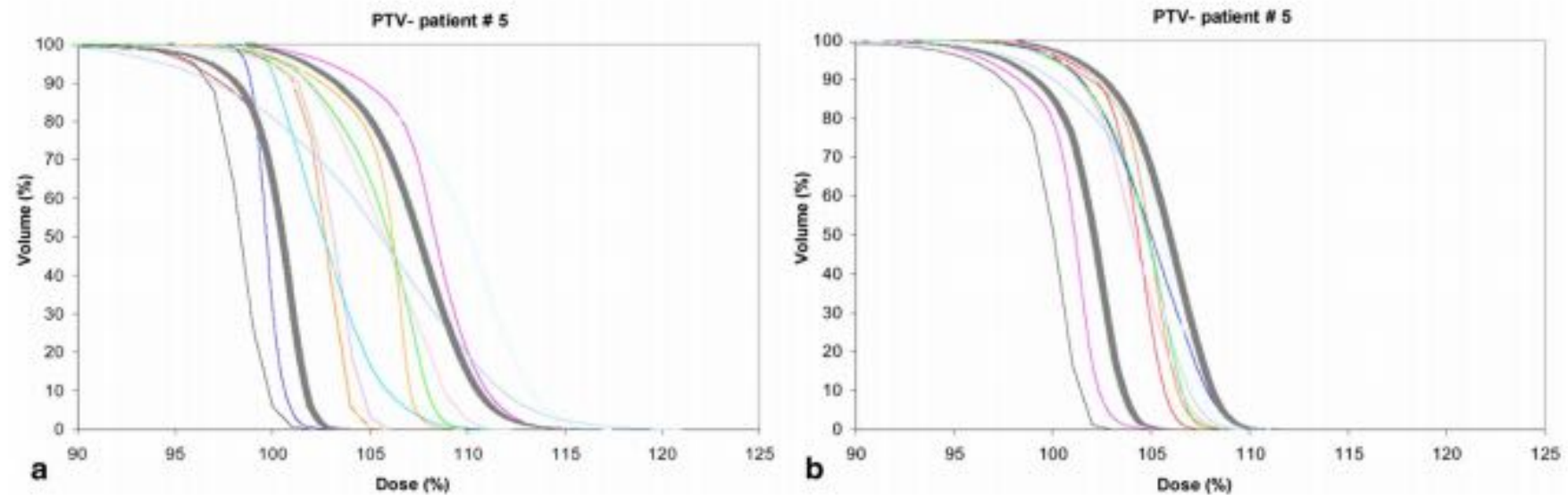


Fig. 4 Planning target volume DVH for prostate patient 5 for **a** the first optimization and **b** the second optimization

Replanned based on the mean values

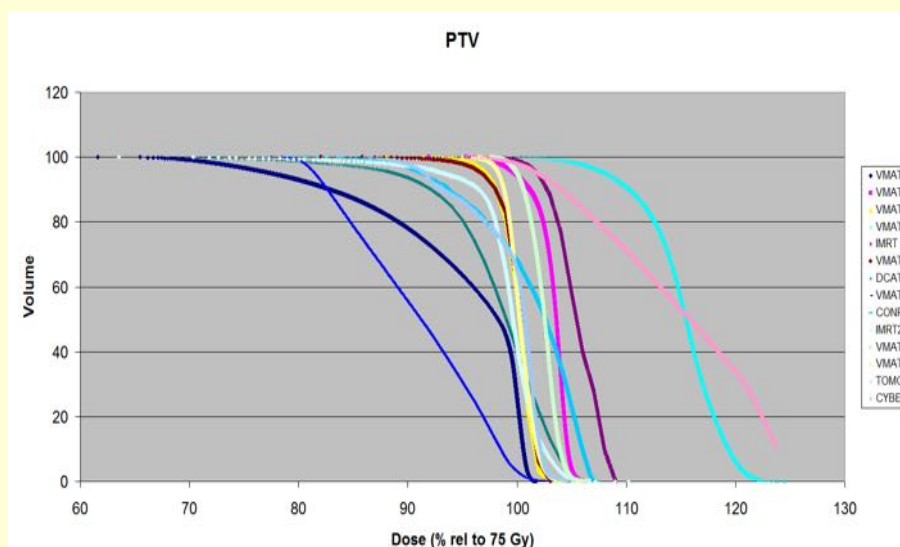
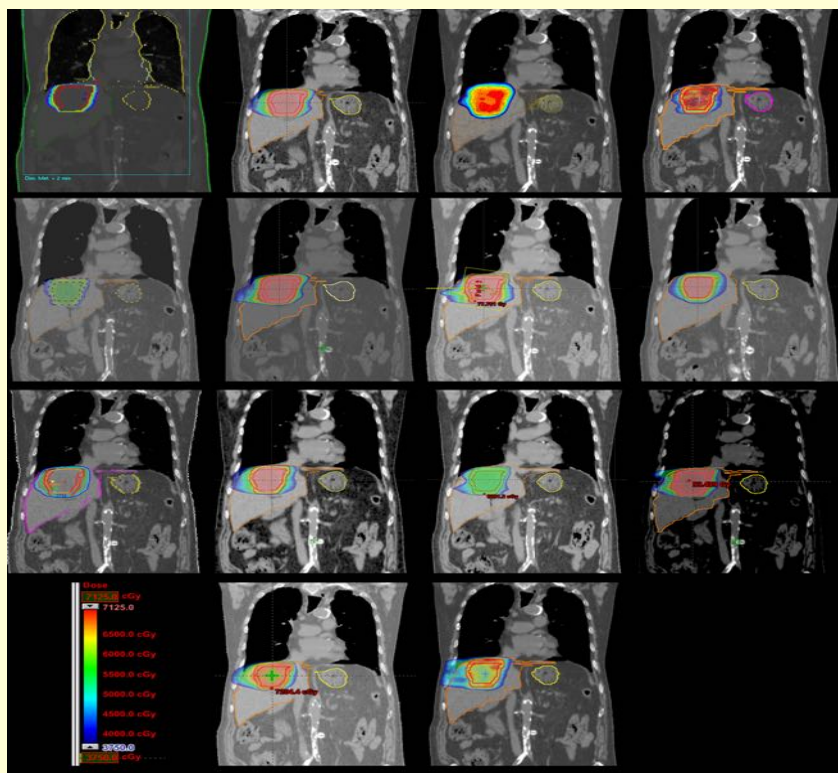
Multicenter planning: liver



Multicentre treatment planning inter-comparison in a national context: The liver stereotactic ablative radiotherapy case

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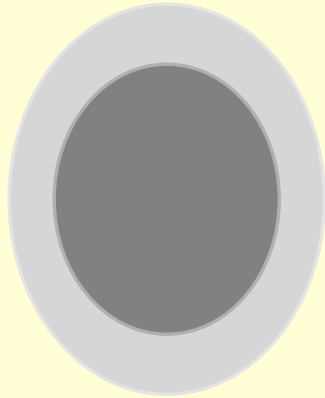
12 centers; 5 liver cases
Common protocol
75 Gy – 25Gy x 3 fr
V95% > 95% (at least 67%)



To be or not to be homogeneous?

ICRU 83

50 Gy prescribed to
mean PTV volume



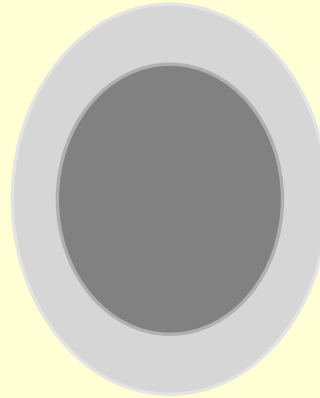
PTV and CTV

$D_{\max} = 53-55\text{Gy}$
 $D_{\text{mean}} = 50\text{ Gy}$
 $D_{\min} = 47.5-48\text{Gy}$

HI = 7-10%

AAPM report 101

50 Gy prescribed to
periphery PTV
(80%)



PTV and CTV

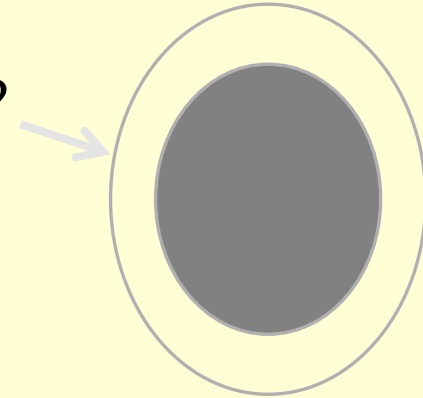
$D_{\max} = 62.5\text{ Gy}$
 $D_{\text{mean}} = 54-57\text{ Gy}$
 $D_{\min} = 50\text{ Gy}$

HI = 20%

GammaKnife style

50 Gy prescribed to
periphery CTV
(50%)

PTV?



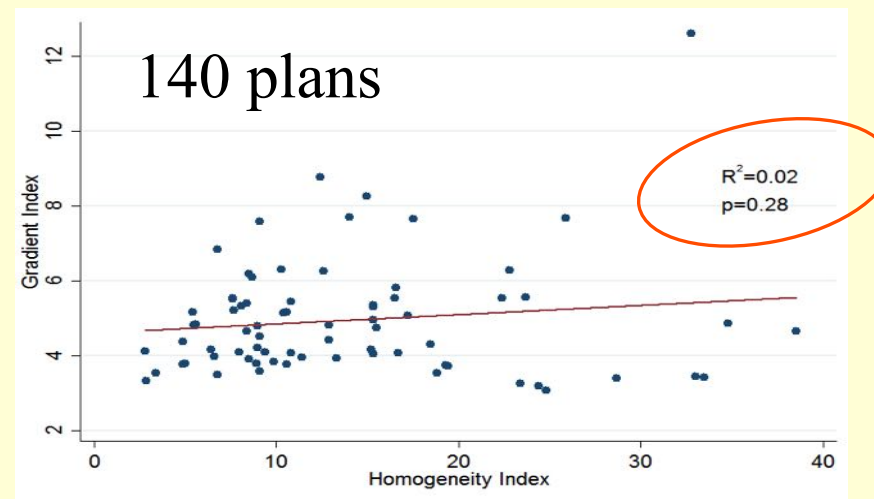
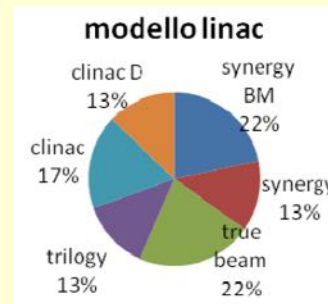
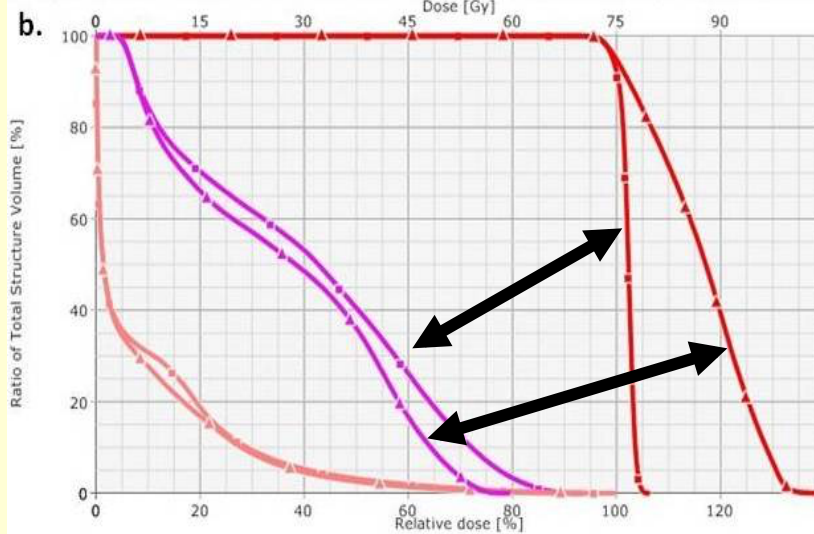
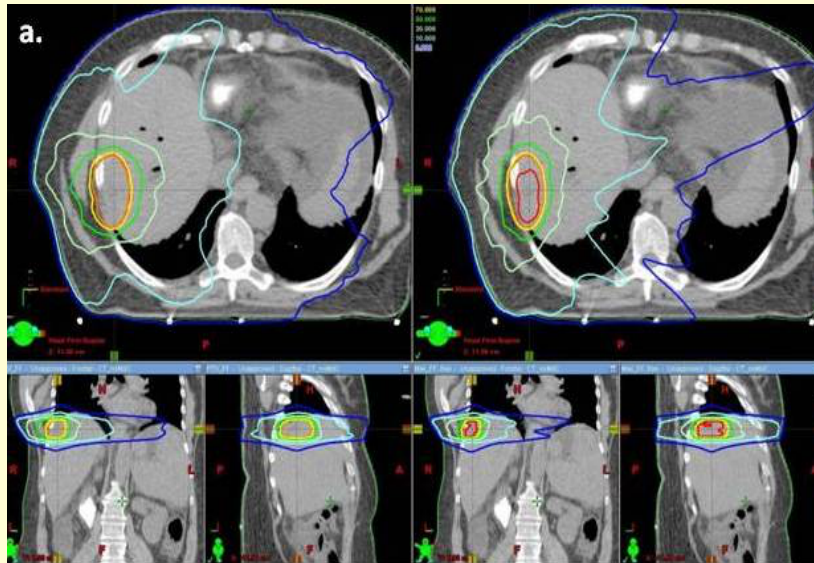
CTV

$D_{\max} = 100\text{ Gy}$
 $D_{\text{mean}} = 70-80\text{ Gy}$
 $D_{\min} = 50\text{ Gy}$

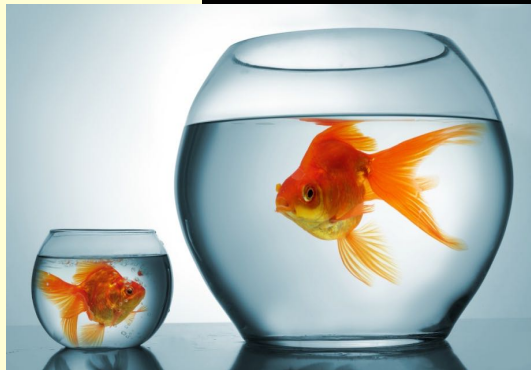
HI = 50%

To be or not to be homogeneous?

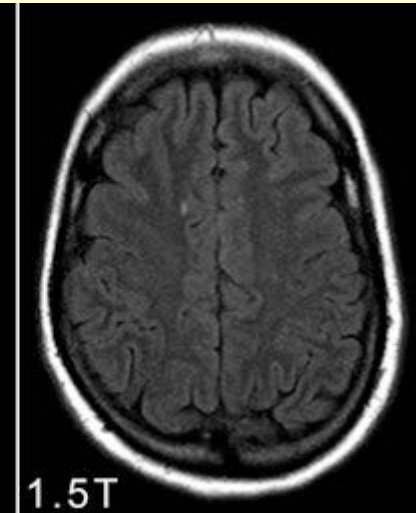
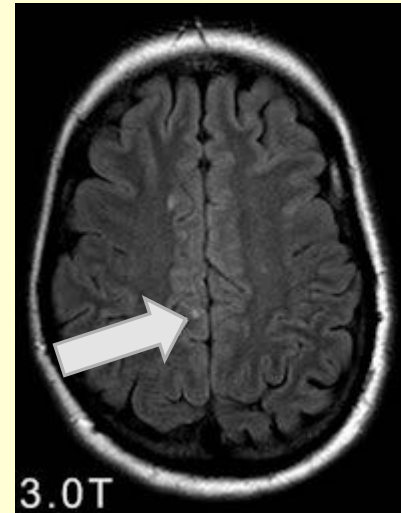
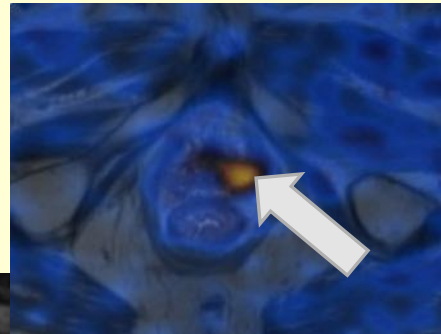
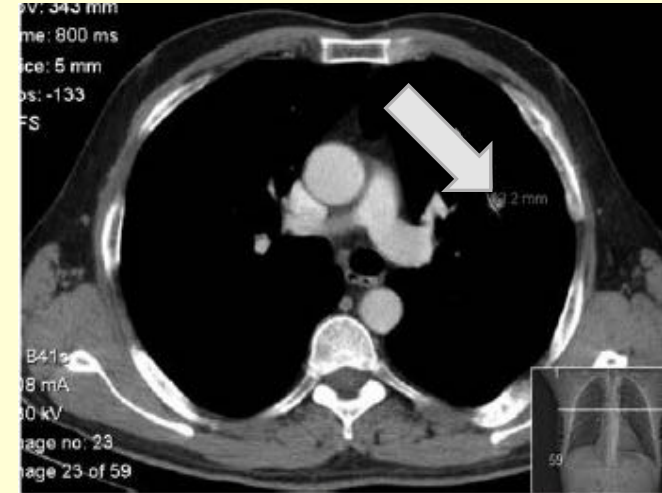
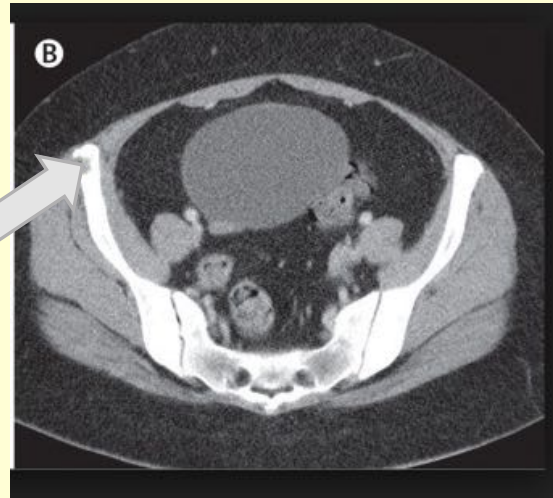
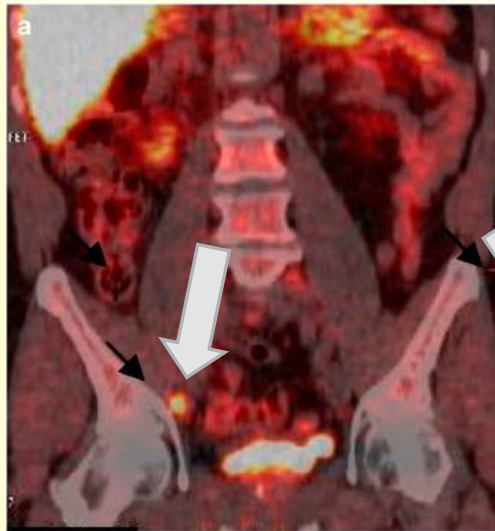
Multiplanning SBRT lung (Giglioli, AIRO 2015) 28 centers involved



SMALL
IS THE NEW
BIG



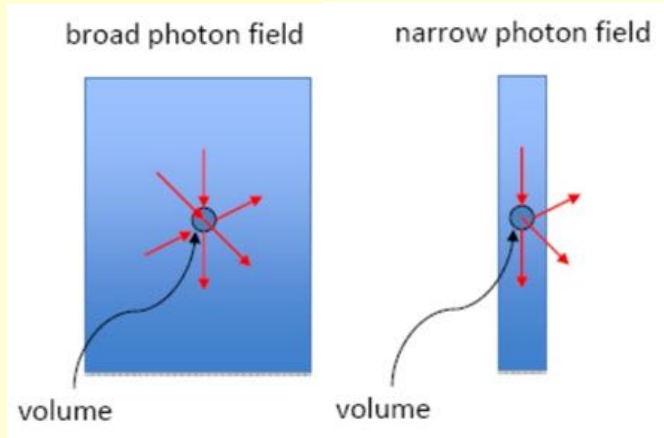
New imaging possibilities



Waiting for Iori's presentation ...

Small fields

Lateral charged particle loss



27 centers

Output factor (5-100mm)

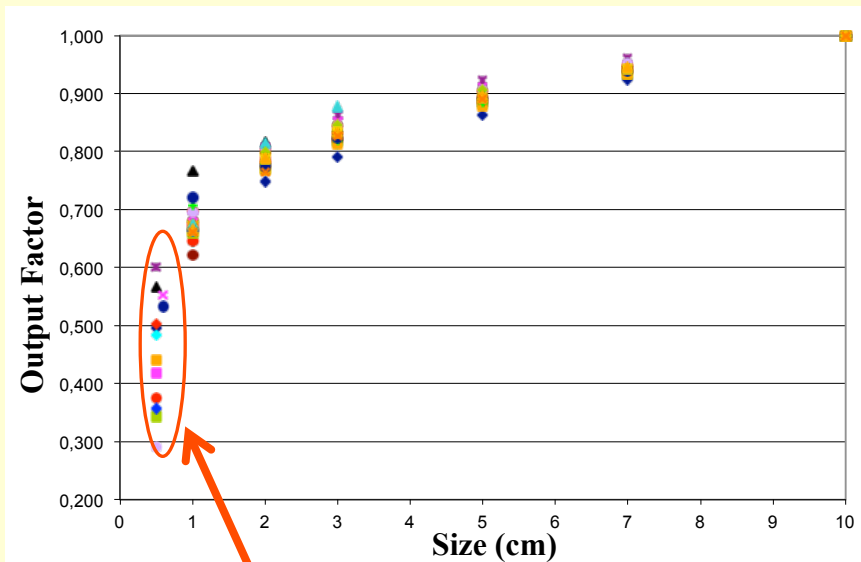
Square fields with jaws

Phase 1:

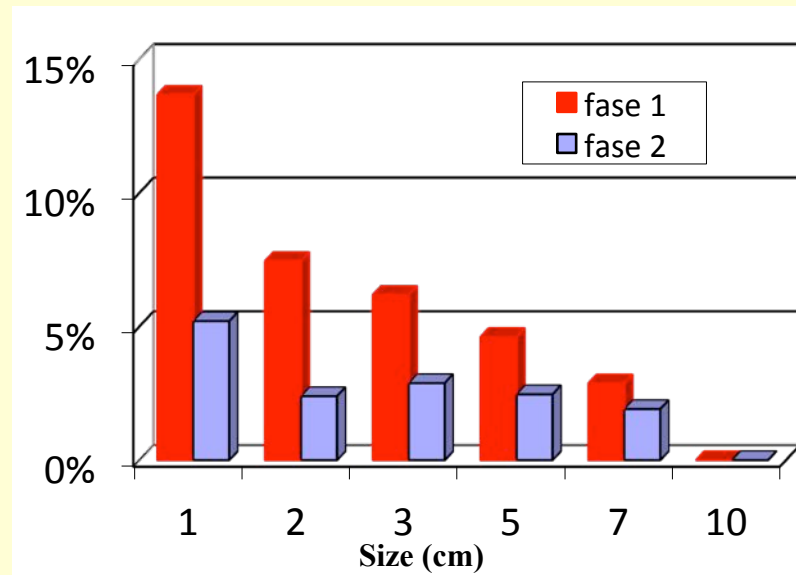
Own detector

Phase 2:

Common detector (diamond)



Trigeminal neuralgia size



Russo et al, Oral ESTRO 2015

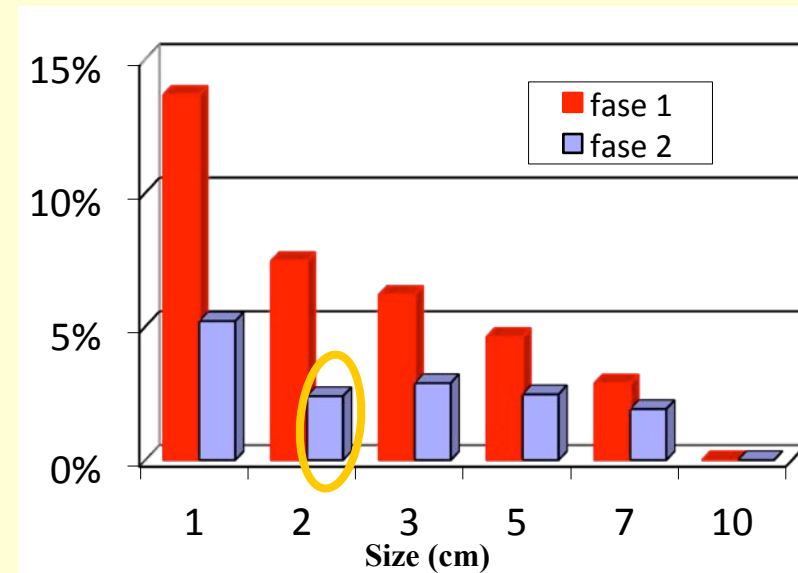
Small fields

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The Radiological Physics Center's standard dataset for small field size output factors

David S. Followill,^{1a} Stephen F. Kry,¹ Lihong Qin,² Jessica Leif,¹
Andrea Molineu,¹ Paola Alvarez,¹ Jose Francisco Aguirre,¹ and
Geoffrey S. Ibbott¹

Field Size (cm × cm)	Varian 6 MV		Varian 10 MV	
	RPC	Institution	RPC	Institution
10 × 10	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000
6 × 6	0.921 (0.013) [0.9%] (n=64)	0.929 (0.004)	0.946 (0.017) [0.7%] (n=9)	0.953 (0.016)
4 × 4	0.865 (0.018) [1.3%] (n=64)	0.874 (0.021)	0.900 (0.024) [1.3%] (n=9)	0.912 (0.030)
3 × 3	0.828 (0.017) [1.7%] (n=62)	0.841 (0.025)	0.867 (0.020) [1.2%] (n=9)	0.875 (0.025)
2 × 2	0.786 (0.019) [2.3%] (n=55)	0.796 (0.031)	0.817 (0.015) [1.8%] (n=11)	0.828 (0.019)



Small fields

“Multicenter study of FFF beams with a new stereotactic diode: can be defined a universal OF curve?” (Cagni, Russo et al., ESTRO 2016)

35 Linacs
7 TrueBeam
10 FFF
2400 MU/min
Output Factor: 6-50mm

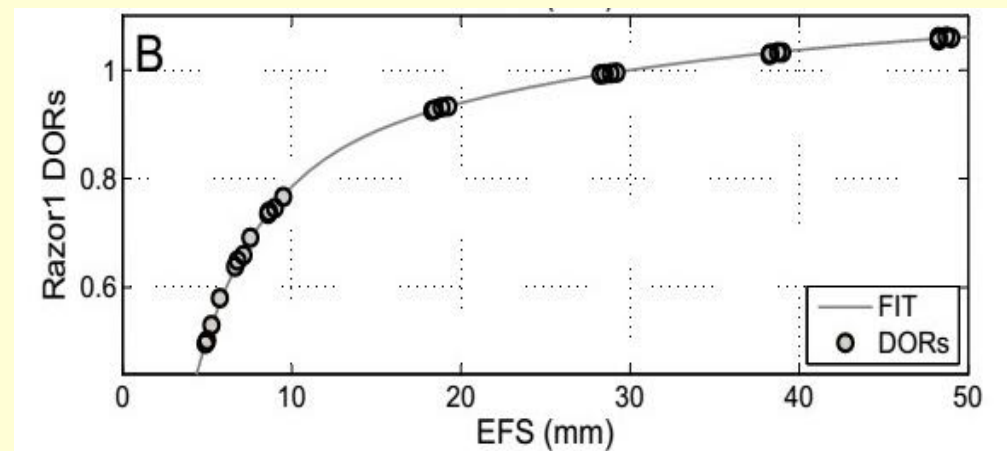
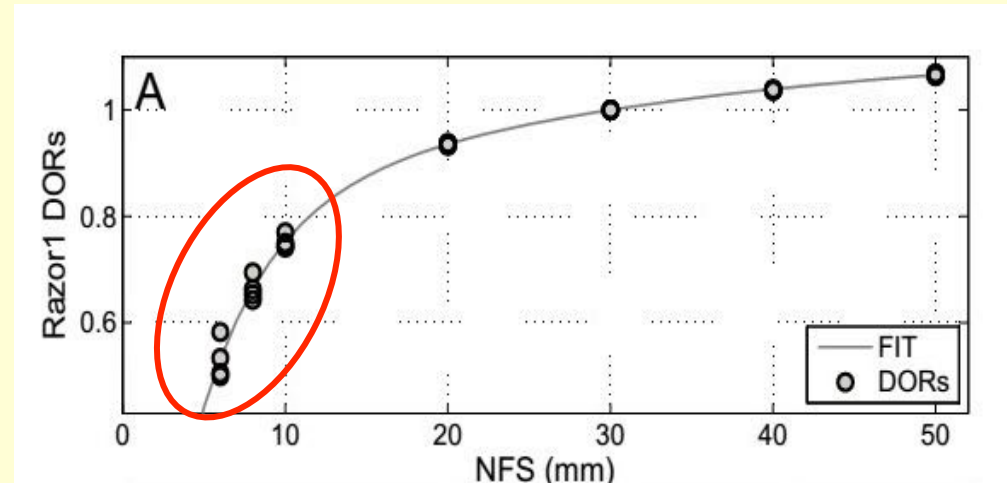
Nominal Field Size (NFS)

Effective field Size (EFS)



10 mm \pm 1mm (i.e. up to 20% differences)
100 mm \pm 1mm (i.e. \ll 1% differences)

Jaws intrinsic geometric uncertainty



Take home message

- SBRT treatment is increasing in many body regions
- Gray is Gray!
- All together we can impact on treatment quality



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