

Digital Histopathology: Applications in Prostate Cancer

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Digital Histology



Basis













Apex





Gleason Grading System



Original Gleason Grades



Gleason, D.F. In Tannenbaum M (ed.) Urologic Pathology: The Prostate. Lea and Febiger, Philadelphia, 1977; 171-198.

Gleason Grade

Morphological assessment: I to 5

Gleason Score

Sum of two most prominent grades: 2 to 10





Example prostate tissue patterns







Data Workflow





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Heat Map Visualization





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Anatomic-Disease Atlas





[1] M. Rusu et al., "Statistical 3D prostate imaging atlas construction via anatomically constrained registration," presented at the SPIE Medical Imaging, 2013, vol. 8669, p. 866913.



