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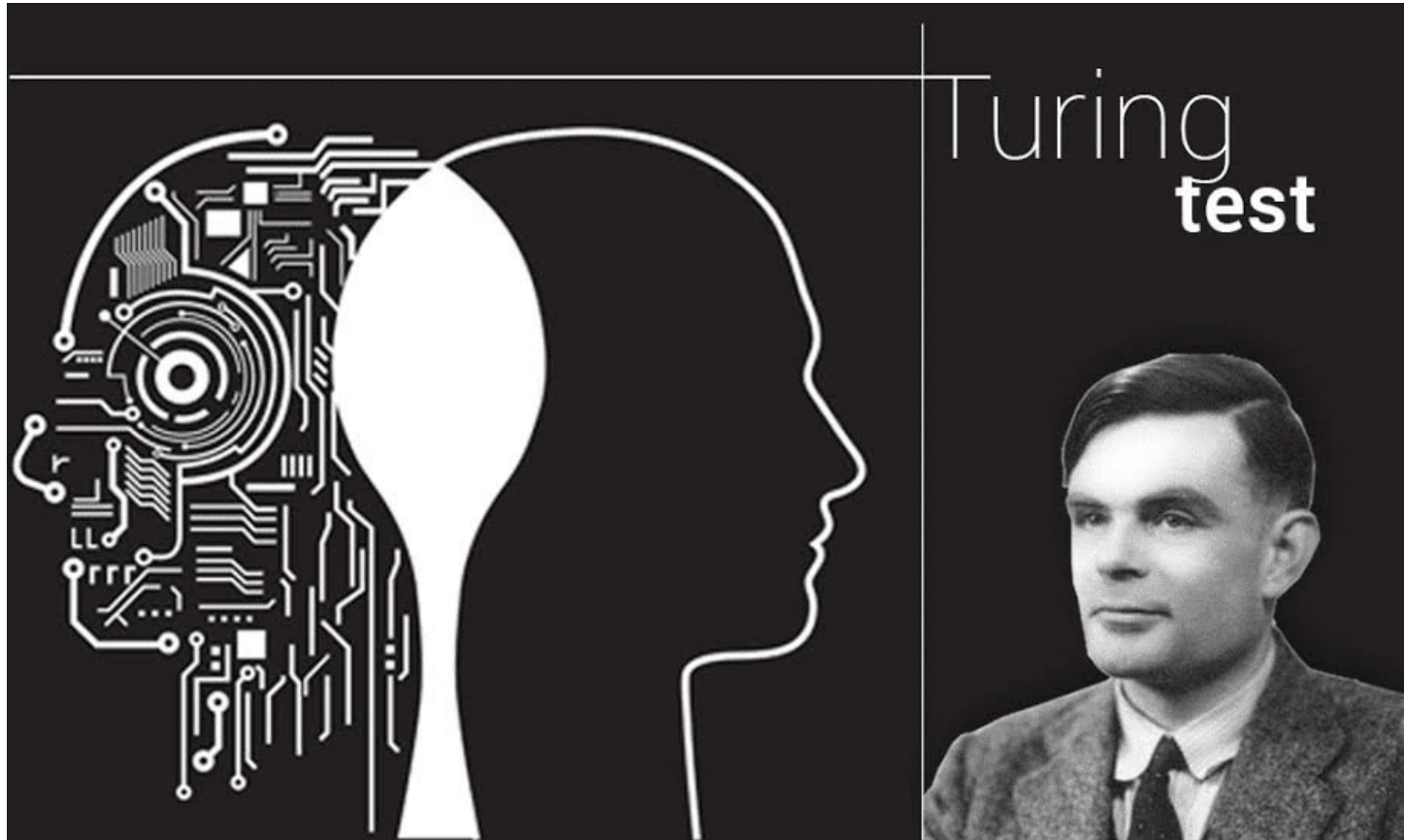
Tecnologia digitale e precision medicine

Molte possibili applicazioni dell'intelligenza artificiale in cardiologia

De Biase Luciano



A. M. Turing (1950) Computing Machinery and Intelligence. Mind 49: 433-460.



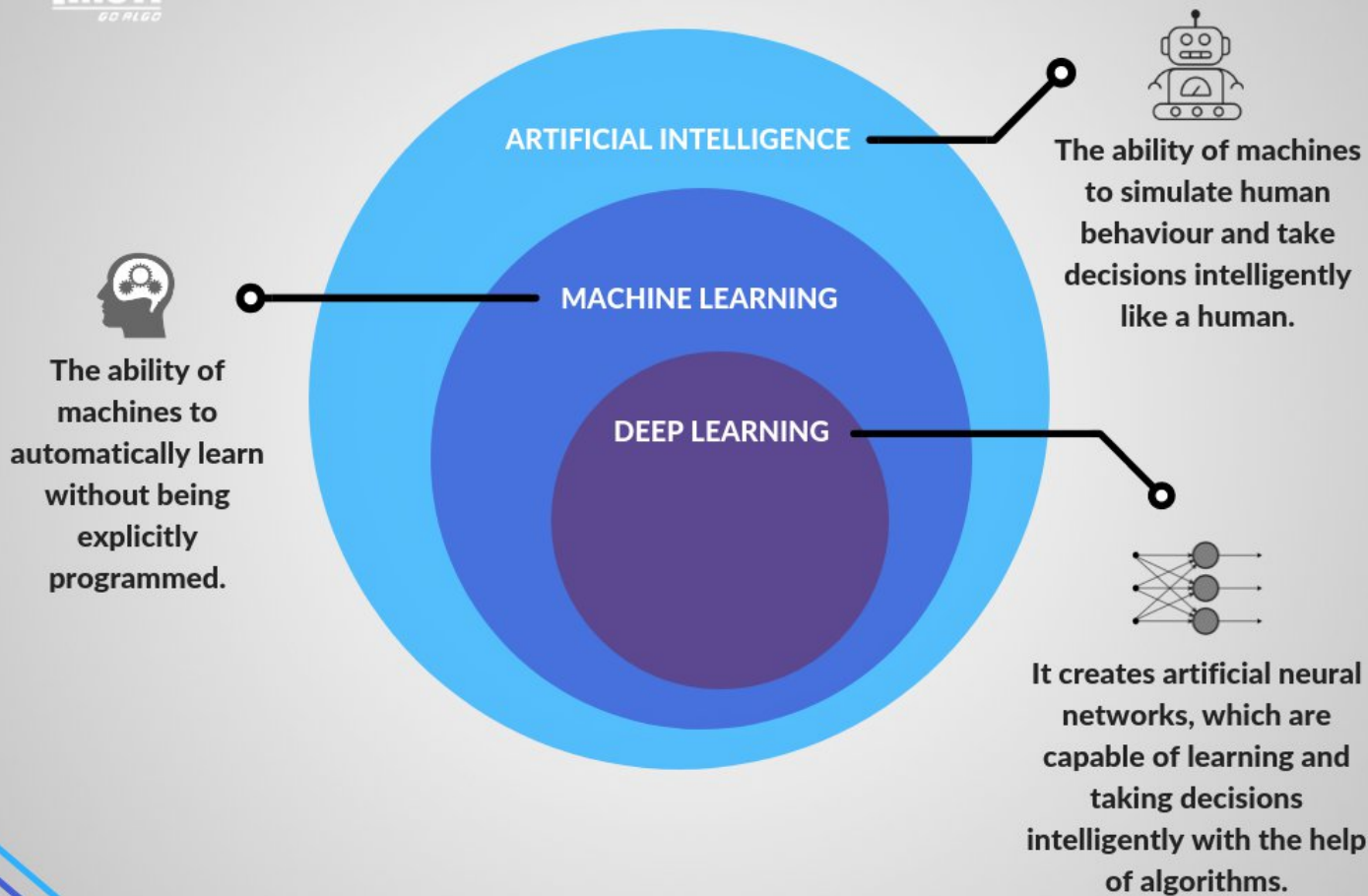
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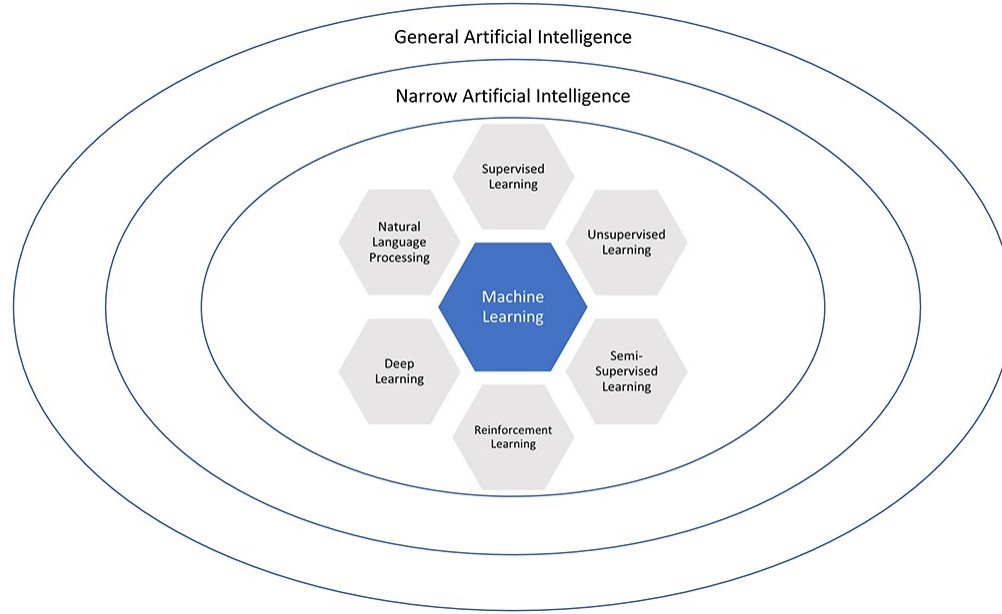
AI definition

- It is the science and engineering of making intelligent machines, especially intelligent computer programs.
- It is related to the similar task of using computers to understand human intelligence, but AI does not have to confine itself to methods that are biologically observable."

Computer systems

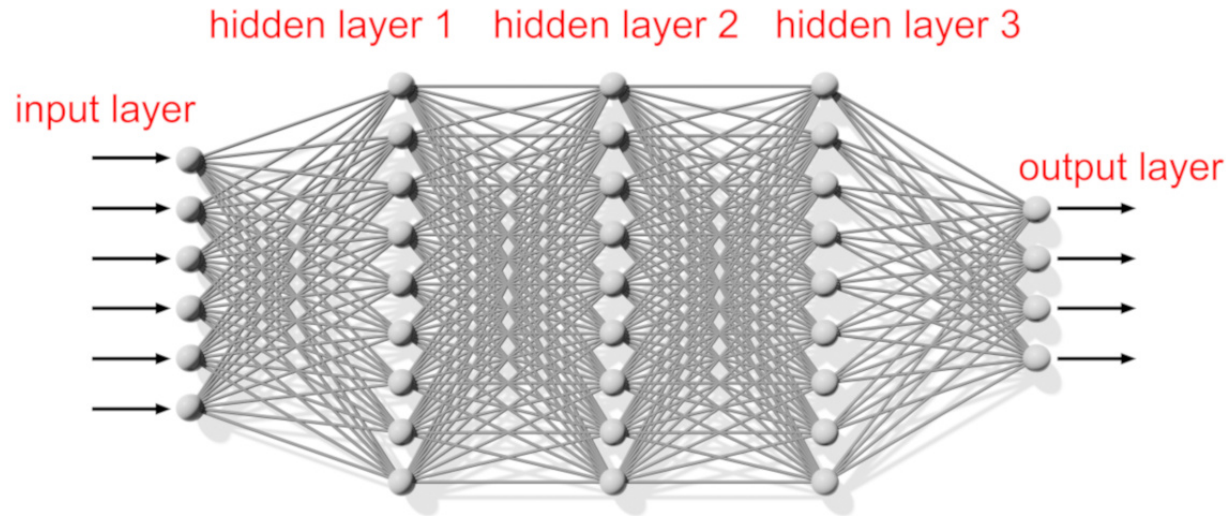
- **Human approach:**
 - Systems that think like humans
 - Systems that act like humans
- **Ideal approach:**
 - Systems that think rationally
 - Systems that act rationally



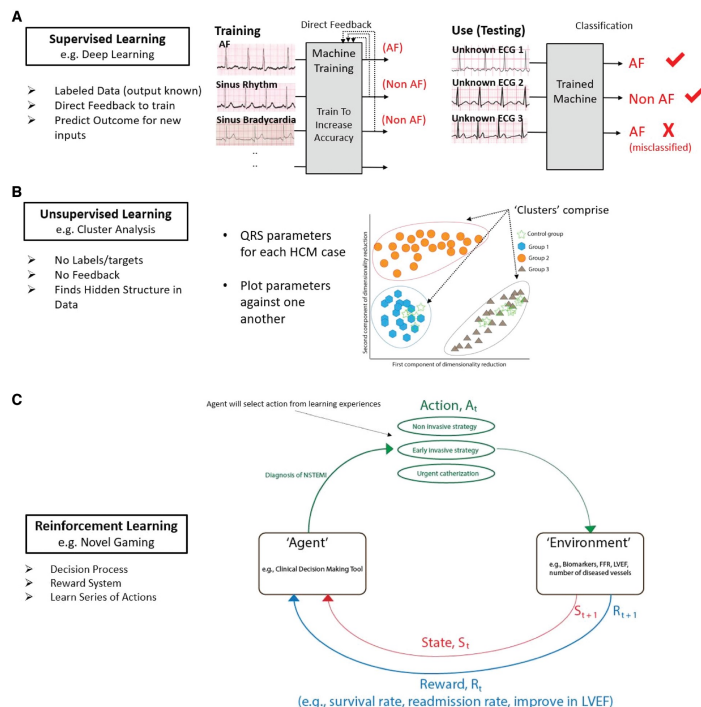


Reti neurali

un modello di calcolo la cui struttura assomiglia alla rete dei neuroni



Types of machine learning in cardiovascular science



Type of Learning	Machine Learning Algorithm	Outcomes	Strengths	Weaknesses
Supervised <i>Labeled data with defined outputs</i>	Classification	Categorical	Training data set is reusable if features do not change	Large, accurately labelled training data sets are required. Can be costly and time-consuming At risk of overfitting and does not generalize well if the training data set is heterogenous
	Regression	Continuous		
Unsupervised <i>Unlabeled data with unknown outputs</i>	Clustering	Similarity of Inputs	No previous knowledge of the data set is required and hence the scope of human error is reduced. Faster to perform.	The spectral classes do not necessarily represent features on the ground and can take time to interpret
	Dimensionality Reduction	Extract Relevant Features		
	Association	Co-occurrence Likelihood		
	Anomaly Reduction	Outliers		
Semi-Supervised	Generative	Combination of supervised and unsupervised outcomes	Stable algorithm which reduces the time needed to annotate data	Iteration results are not stable and can hence have a low accuracy
Reinforcement	Reward based	Sequential decision making	Can self-correct inherent errors introduced during programming	Requires a lot of data and computational power

La qualità dei dati che analizziamo è fondamentale

- Controllo della qualità
- Validazione esterna
- Sicurezza dei dati
- Dimostrazione della superiorità dell'approccio con IA

La forza del Deep Learning

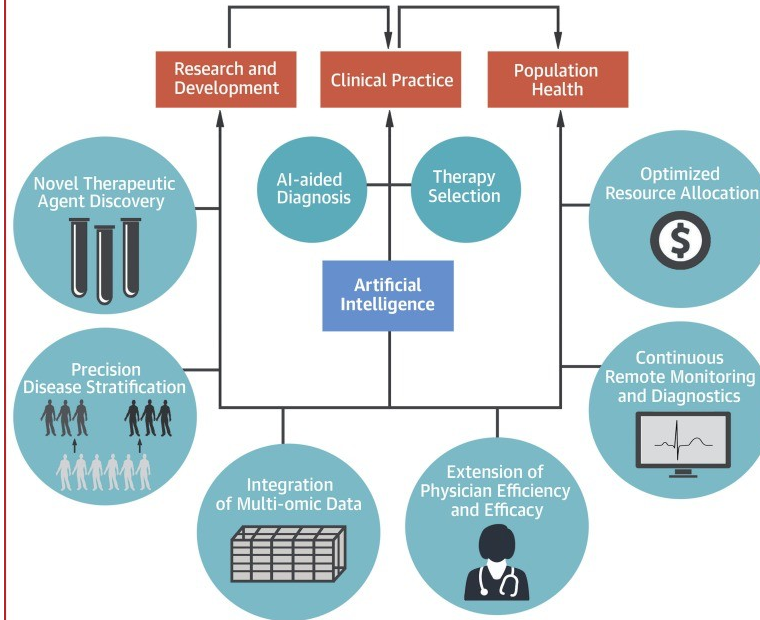
- Identificare relazioni fra i dati indipendentemente da relazioni che il medico ha individuato in anticipo
- Migliorare l'analisi dei dati rispetto alla statistica tradizionale

Troppo complicato?

Beh si, ma le usiamo tutti i giorni

- Riconoscimento vocale (Alexa, Siri)
- Riconoscimento immagini (smart phone, programmi di immagazzinamento e trattamento immagini)
- Previsioni del tempo
- Bancomat

CENTRAL ILLUSTRATION: Role of Artificial Intelligence in Cardiovascular Medicine



Johnson, K.W. et al. J Am Coll Cardiol. 2018;71(23):2668-79.



Heart Failure

- Augmenting diagnosis and clinical decision making through automated cardiac volume and function measurements
- Personalized risk stratification and predicting mortality, medication adherence and future HF hospitalizations



Electrophysiology

- Enhancing the diagnosis of arrhythmias, electrolyte derangements and structural cardiac disease
- Personalized prediction of future cardiac events including the development of arrhythmias



Valvular Heart Disease

- Improving clinical diagnosis by applying AI algorithms to phonocardiograms, ECGs and non-invasive imaging modalities
- Facilitating the appropriateness and prognostication of interventions



Coronary Artery Disease

- Predicting and risk stratifying patients presenting with ACS
- Prognosticating mortality and major adverse cardiovascular events

Elettrocardiografia

- Previsioni cardiotossicità da antracicline
- Stima frazione di eiezione
- Previsione FA dopo crioablazione
- Mortalità post infarto
- Diagnosi e previsione di valvulopatie
- Diagnosi fibrillazione atriale
- Ecc...

Neural network design to classify atrial fibrillation from the electrocardiogram.

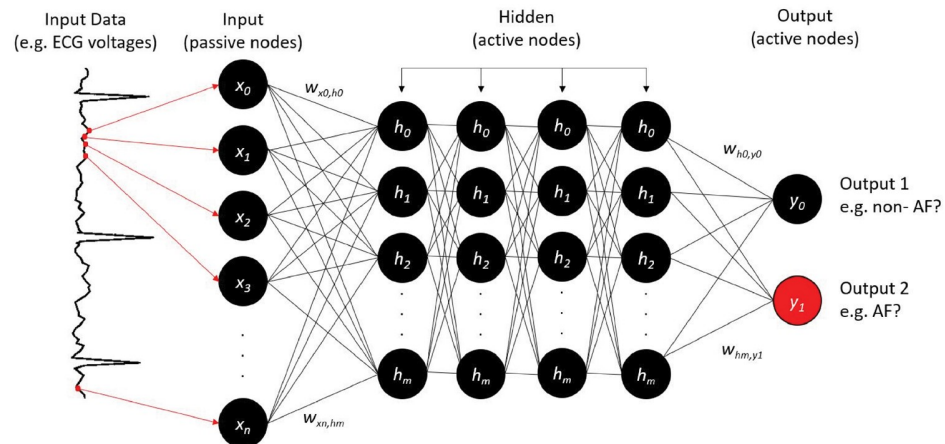
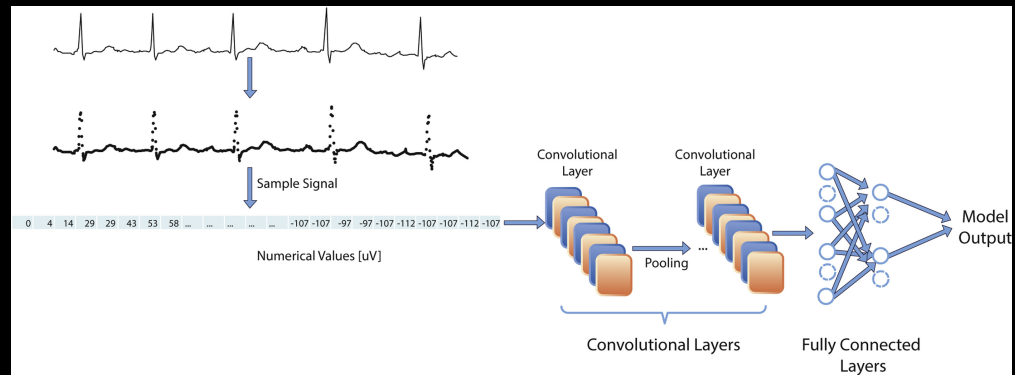


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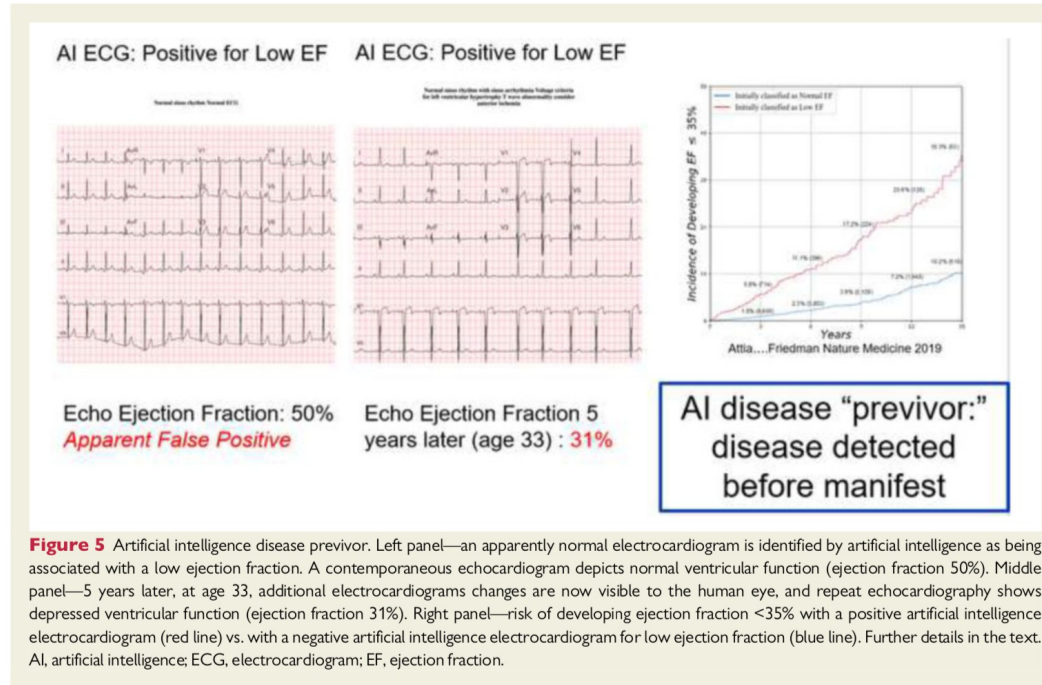


Apple Heart Study

- Quanto è precisa la diagnosi di ritmo tramite fotoplethysmografia in questa fase dello sviluppo tecnico?
- Nel mondo reale gli utilizzatori di smart watch sono giovani a basso rischio di FA

Previsione di eventi basata su analisi ecg.

Attia et al EHJ 2021



ROBUST DIGITAL WAREHOUSE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

CONVOLUTIONAL NEURAL NETWORK

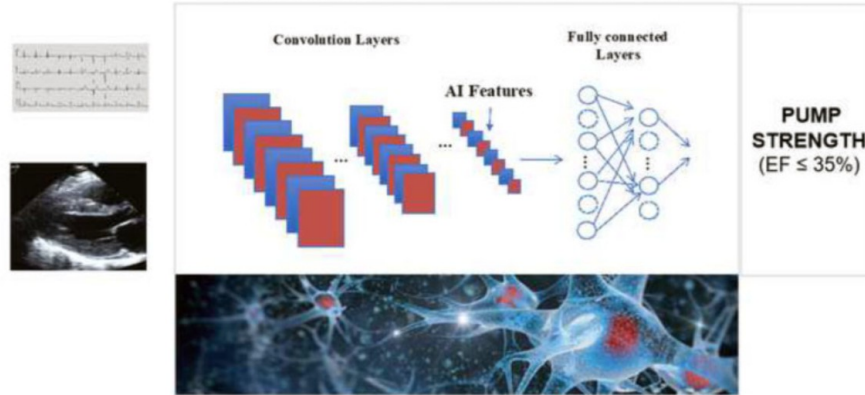


Figure 2 A convolutional neural network is trained by feeding in labelled data (in this case voltage time waveforms), and through repetition it identifies the patterns in the data that are associated with the data labels (in this example, heart pump strength, or ejection fraction). The network has two components, convolution layers that extract image components to create the artificial intelligence features, and the fully connected layers that comprise the model, that leads to the network output. While large data sets and robust computing are required to train networks, once trained, the computation requirements are substantially reduced, permitting smartphone application. AI, artificial intelligence; EF, ejection fraction.

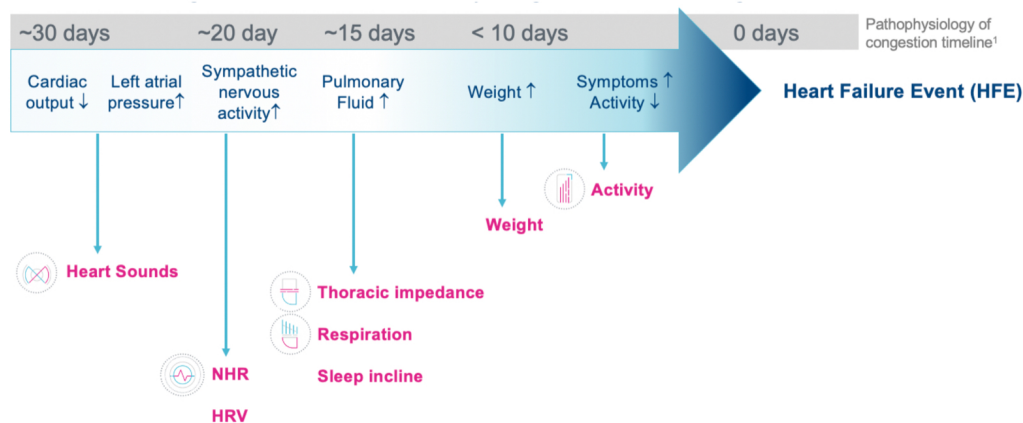
Remote Monitoring on Starship Enterprise



Telemedicina

- Segnalazioni per assunzioni farmaci
- Follow up dei pazienti
- Individuazione cluster di fattori di rischio
- Consigli medici tempestivi
- Individuazione precoce di sintomi
- Connessione con cartelle cliniche elettroniche

Previsione multiparametrica degli eventi: HeartLogic



Note: There is a large individual variability in presentation and time course, even for the same patient. Thus, several patterns may precede a decompensation.

Subgroup	No. Notified/ Total No. (%)
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Overall	2161/419,297 (0.52)
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Age	
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≥65 yr	775/24,626 (3.14)
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55–64 yr	556/42,633 (1.30)
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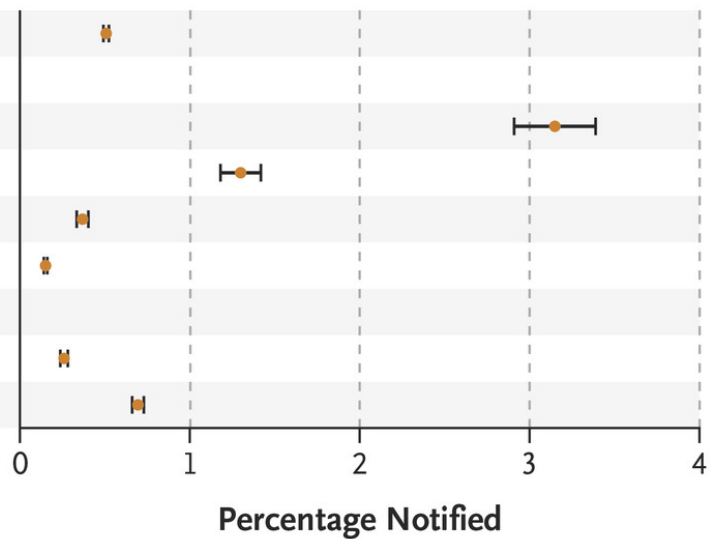
40–54 yr	488/132,696 (0.37)
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22–39 yr	341/219,179 (0.16)
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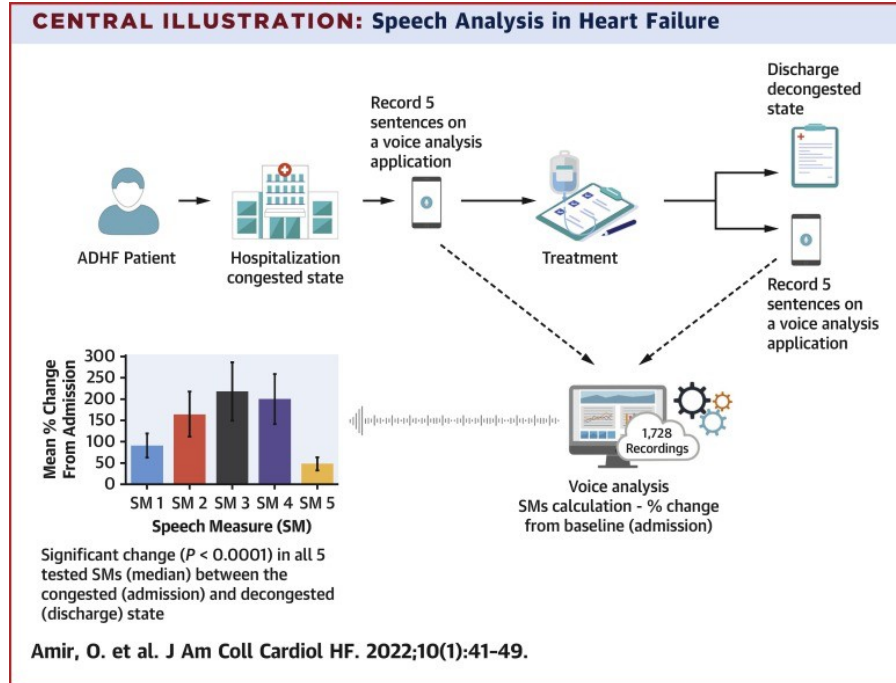
Sex	
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Female	461/177,087 (0.26)
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Male	1672/238,700 (0.70)
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Speech analysis and worsening heart failure



Mining Peripheral Arterial Disease Cases from Narrative Clinical Notes Using Natural Language Processing

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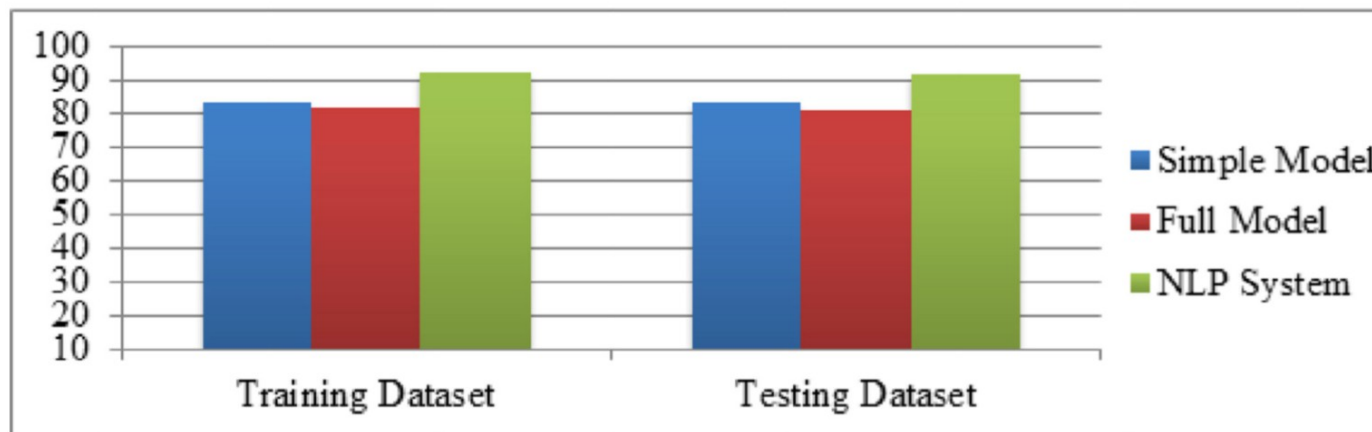


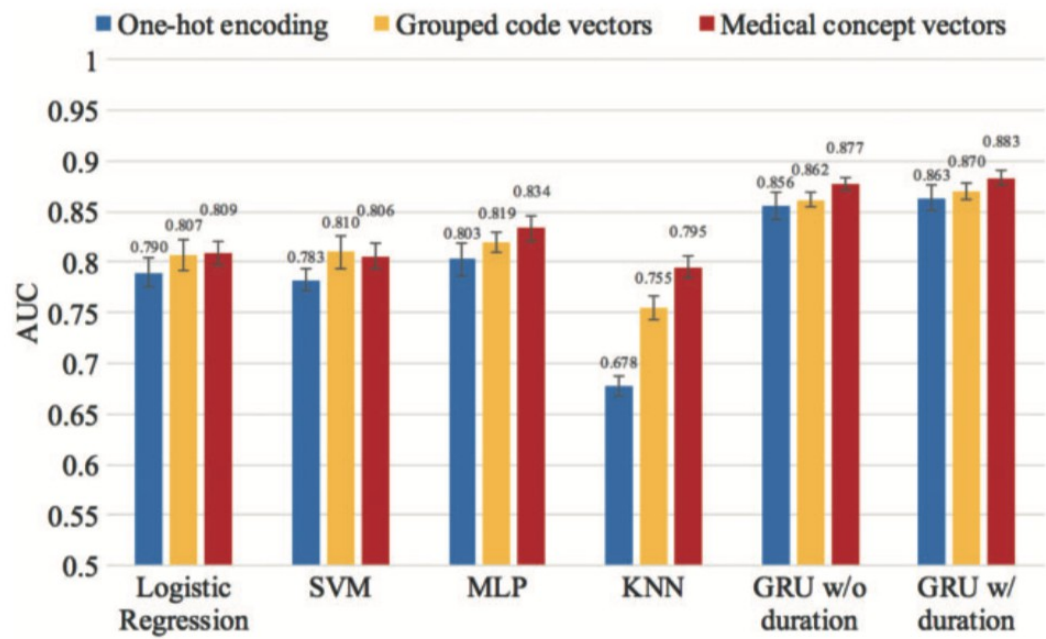
Figure 4. Accuracy of NLP algorithm compared with billing code algorithms (simple model and full model) for ascertainment of PAD status

Speech analysis and smart phone

- 20 donne e 20 uomini, età media 75 anni, NT proBNP 7002
- Speech analysis
 - Ripetizione di 5 frasi 3-4 volte all'ingresso in ospedale e alla dimissione

Using recurrent neural network models for early detection of heart failure onset

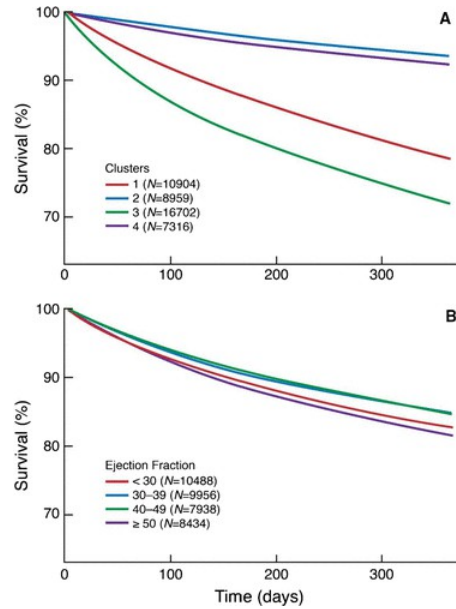
Edward Choi, 1 Andy Schuetz,2 Walter F Stewart, 2 and Jimeng Sun1
Journal of the American Medical Informatics Association, 24(2), 2017, 361-370



Machine Learning Methods Improve Prognostication, Identify Clinically Distinct Phenotypes, and Detect Heterogeneity in Response to Therapy in a Large Cohort of Heart Failure Patients

Tariq Ahmad, et al JAHA 2018

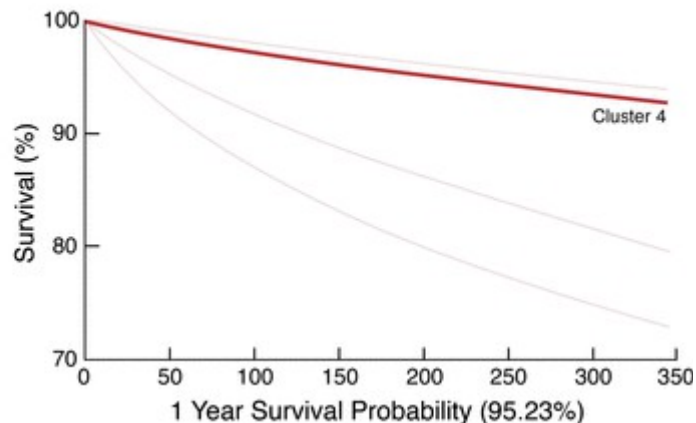
- We applied machine learning methodologies to a large clinical data set (>40 000 heart failure patients) and demonstrated that these methods can predict outcomes in a highly accurate manner as well as identify clinically distinct subgroups that have differential responses to commonly used therapies
- Clusters variables: age, creatinine, hemoglobin, weight, heart rate, systolic blood pressure, mean arterial, pressure, and income



Survival Prediction in Heart Failure

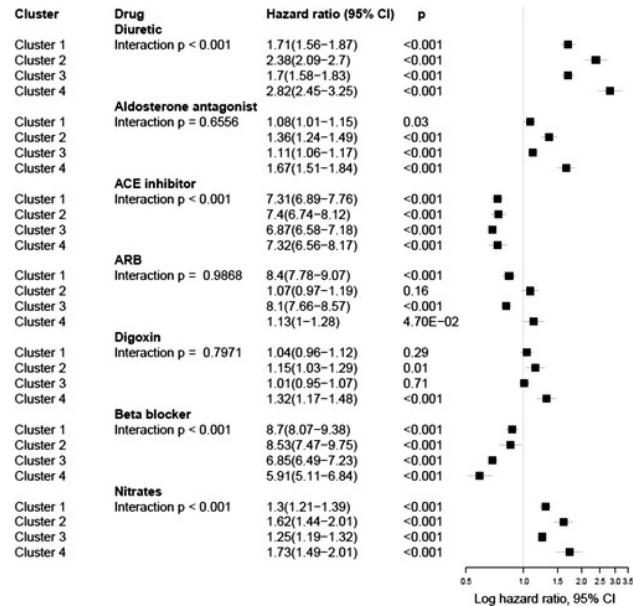
Age (years): **60**
Creatinine level (mg/dL): **1.0**
Hemoglobin (g/dL): **14**
Weight (kg): **82**
Disposable income
(USD/year): **\$1,000**
Heart rate (beats/minute): **60**
Systolic blood pressure
(mm HG): **120**
Diastolic blood pressure
(mm HG): **80**

SUBMIT



Nihar R. Desai. Journal of the American Heart Association. Machine Learning Methods Improve Prognostication, Identify Clinically Distinct Phenotypes, and Detect Heterogeneity in Response to Therapy in a Large Cohort of Heart Failure Patients, Volume: 7, Issue: 8, DOI: (10.1161/JAHA.117.008081)

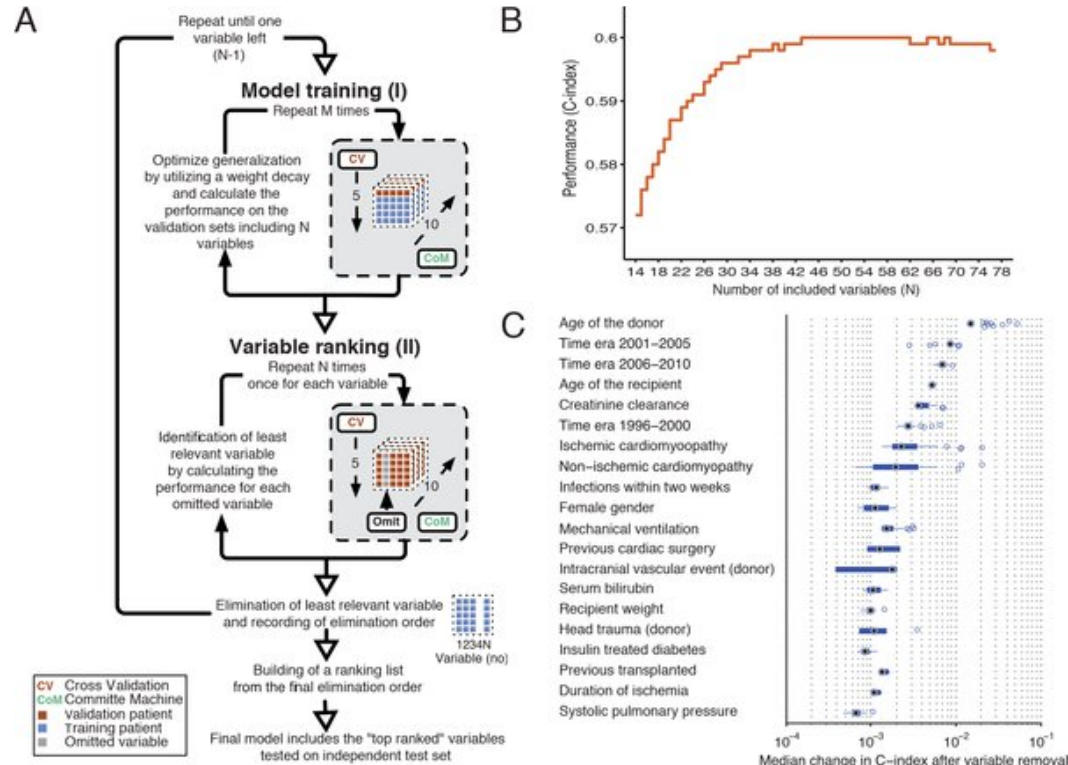
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The International Heart Transplant Survival Algorithm (IHTSA): A New Model to Improve Organ Sharing and Survival. PLOS ONE 10(3): e0118644 ■

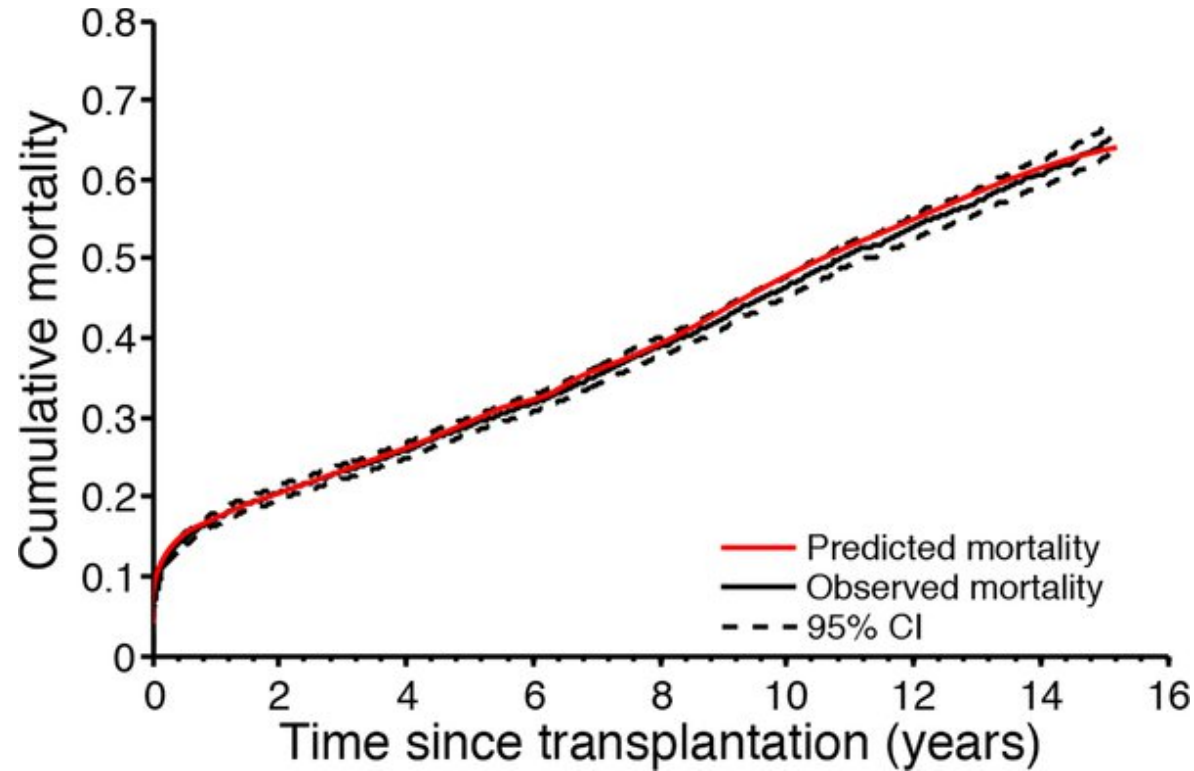
- The developed IHTSA model was deployed as a small web application (<http://www.ihtsa.med.lu.se>) where users can enter clinical data and get response in terms of estimated survival curves together with relevant survival and mortality numbers. The application was implemented as a simple CGI application using Perl (version 5.16.0) and Matlab (version 2010A) programs for running the survival models. Using a modular approach new survival models can easily be implemented and tested in the web application.

Fig 1. Schematic illustration of the variable-ranking process for the derivation cohort.



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Fig 2. Cumulative mortality for the internal validation cohort (IVC).



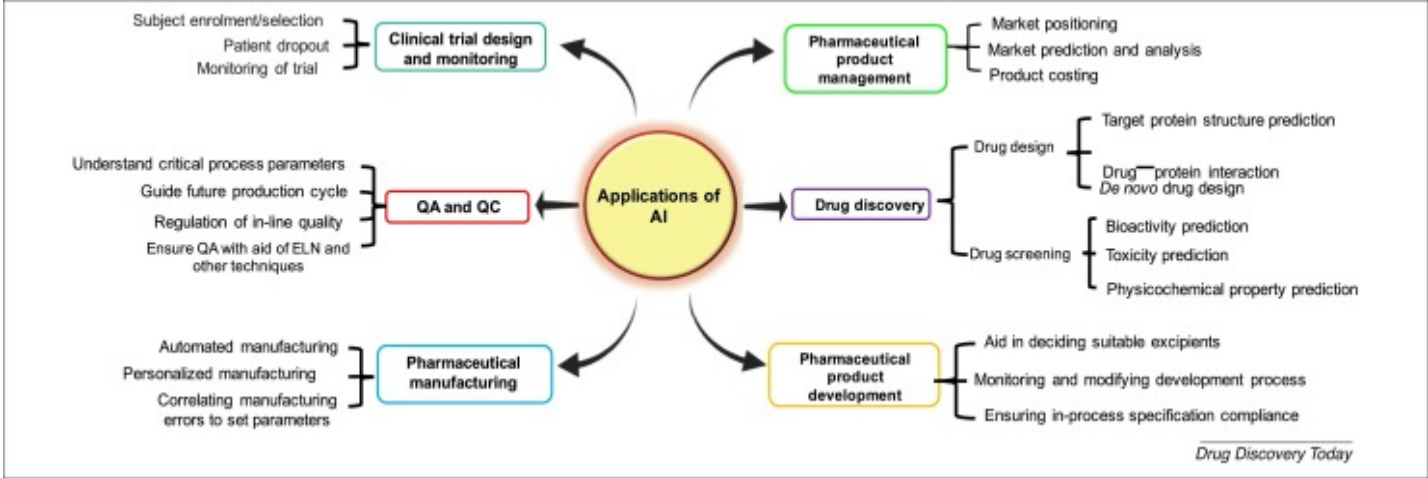
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Ricerca di nuovi farmaci

- Predicting the properties of a potential compound, meaning that only compounds with desired properties are chosen for synthesis – saving time and money by preventing work on compounds that are unlikely to be effective.
- Generating ideas for entirely novel compounds, where the ‘invented’ molecule is predicted to have all the desired properties required for success – which could hugely accelerate the discovery of effective new drugs.
- Alleviating the need for repetitive tasks, such as the analysis of thousands of histology images – saving hundreds of person-hours in the laboratory.

Applications of artificial intelligence (AI) in different subfields of the pharmaceutical industry, from drug discovery to pharmaceutical product management.
Drug Discovery Today 2021

Figure 2



pharmaceutical product management.

DRUG & DISEASE DATABASE

10^3 DISEASES
 10^9 MOLECULES

PROOF OF CONCEPT
PUBLISHED



AI

DEEP LEARNED
STRUCTURAL CHEMISTRY-BASED
SCORING ENGINE



AI

UNPUBLISHED



AI

PATHWAY SCORING ENGINE
PROOF OF CONCEPT PUBLISHED

SCORING
ENSEMBLE

LEADS DATABASE

EFFICACY SCORES

ADVERSE EFFECTS

TISSUE-SPECIFIC
EFFECTS

BIOAVAILABILITY
IC50

% POPULATION
RESPONSE

OTHER SCORES

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Molecular Design Using
Deep Reinforcement
Learning

Generative Adversarial Networks

Generating graphs,
transcriptional response
and signalome-level profiles

In Vivo and In Vitro
VALIDATION

Patent, Publish
and License

Conclusioni

- Analisi di dati indipendenti da valutazioni umane può generare risultati inaspettati e utili
- La ricerca su grandi raccolte di dati può essere effettuata con l'approccio dell'IA
- Le applicazioni in cardiologia sono già presenti e sono in crescita