

# Mint Medical

## Presentation



Standardized context-driven  
read workflow & structured reporting

Developed in  
cooperation with

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# Europe's Beating Cancer Plan

## The use of data and AI in Oncology

[...] Technology can be a lifesaver for thousands of people. We know, for instance, that **the use of artificial intelligence can significantly improve the precision of early diagnosis**. It can be a powerful tool to reduce false positives and negatives.

And we have to better share our data. **Within the data we have, lies an incredible amount of missed opportunities, unknown improvements, potential correction of false hypothesis – but we must use and share these data**. We are now setting up a Common Health Data Space, an infrastructure where scientists and medical clinicians will be able not only to store clinical and research data, but also to access other scientists' data. [...]

*Ursula von der Leyen – Europe's Beating Cancer Plan (February 2020)*

# Structured, annotated Image Data

„Treasure“ of Radiology

*Machine Learning /  
Artificial Intelligence*

*Personalized Medicine /  
Real World Evidence*

*Value-based Medicine /  
Quantify Radiology*

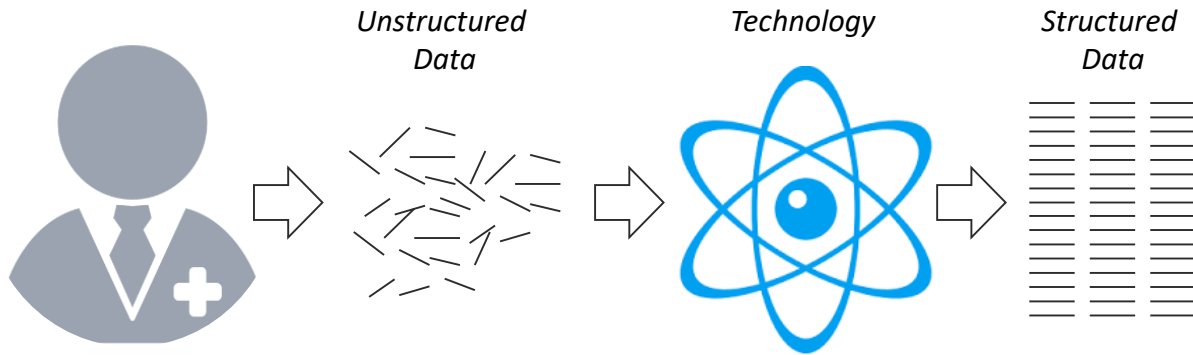
**Quality of Data is key!**

# Two Approaches to acquire Structured Data in Medicine

Secondary vs. Primary Approach

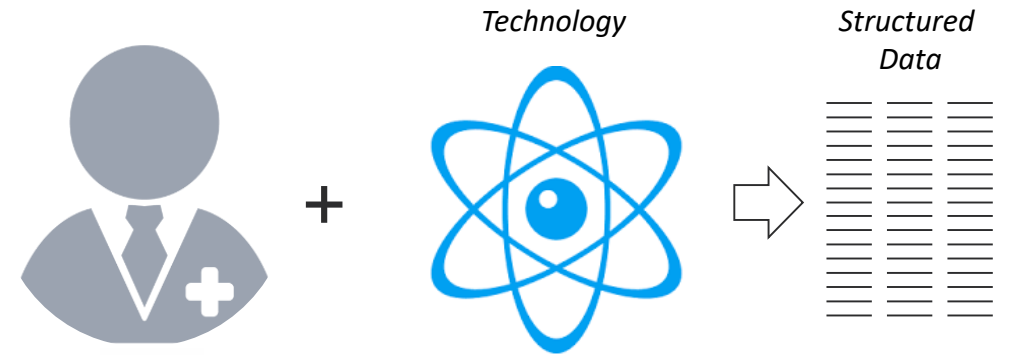
## Secondary Approach

Structure data after it has been collected in an unstructured manner



## Primary Approach

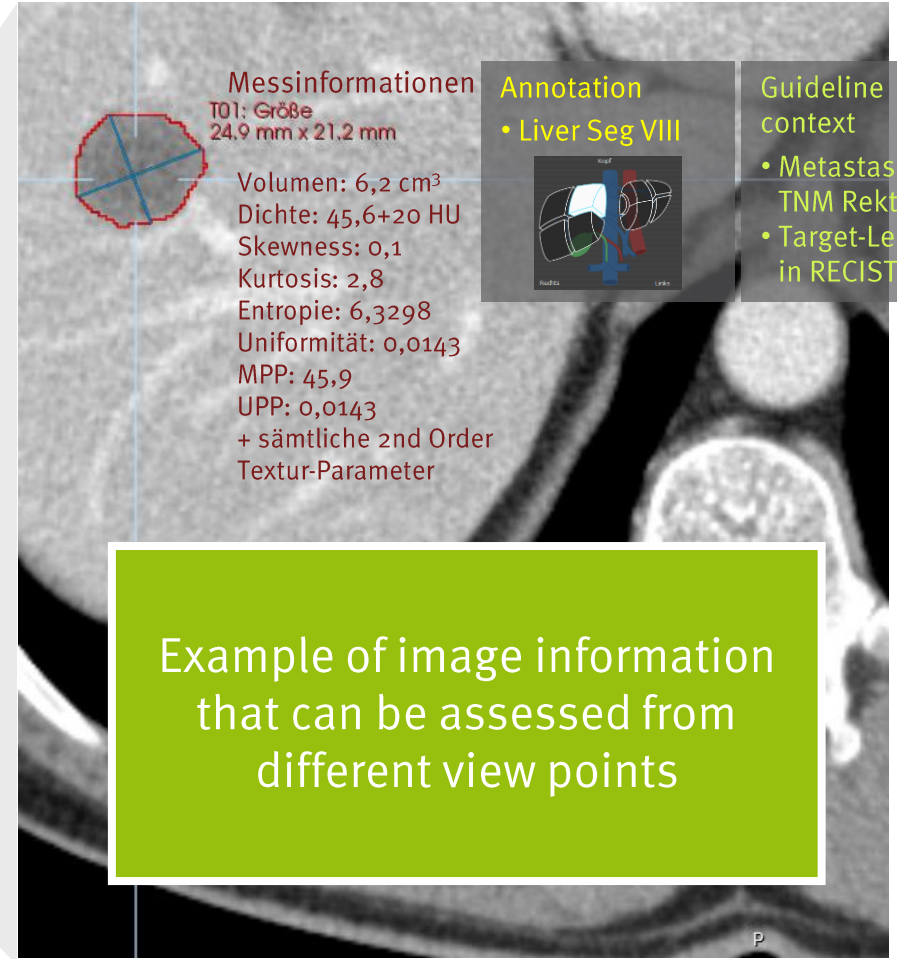
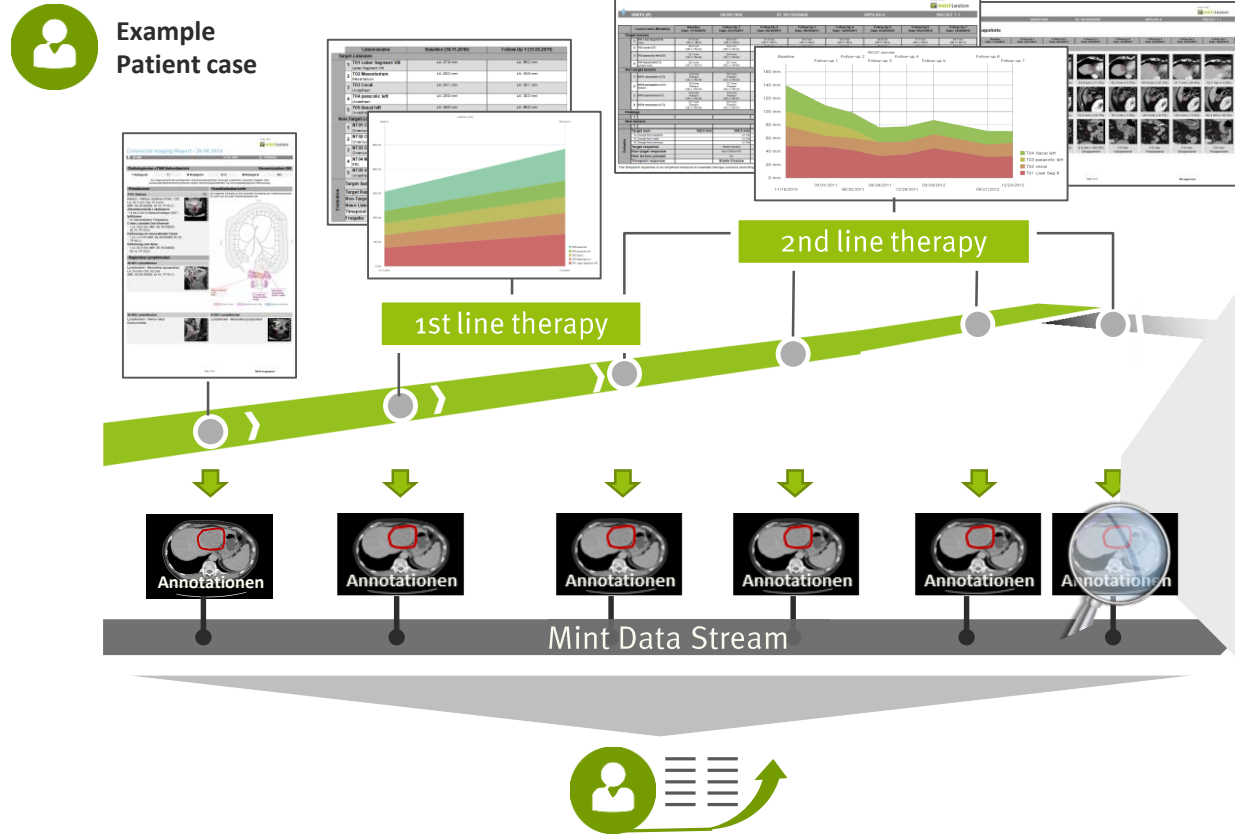
Structure data in the moment when you collect it



mint Lesion

# Huge Potential for Radiology

The combination of radiomics, annotated image information and clinical guidelines in structured data



Example of image information that can be assessed from different view points

*Machine Learning / Artificial Intelligence*

*Personalized Medicine / Real World Evidence*

*Value-based medicine / Quantify Radiology*

# Overview

## Mint Medical Company Information

### Company



### Software platform



 **mint Lesion**

### User groups & fields of application



### Mint Medical GmbH / Mint Medical Inc.

- Founded in 2010 as spin-off of German Cancer Research Center  
Fully independent and profitable, no venture capital involved
- Located in Heidelberg/Germany (HQ) and Hamilton, NJ/USA  
Holistic software development in Heidelberg
- Currently more than 50 people driving the growth of Mint  
Software engineers, physicians, clinical trial experts, business experts, ...



### Mission Statement

Enabling data-driven radiology



Solving communication problems



**mint Lesion™** leaves no data behind on the image



Transforming images to data and data to knowledge



Being an innovative, long-term partner



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Software platform **mint Lesion™**

Company



Software platform



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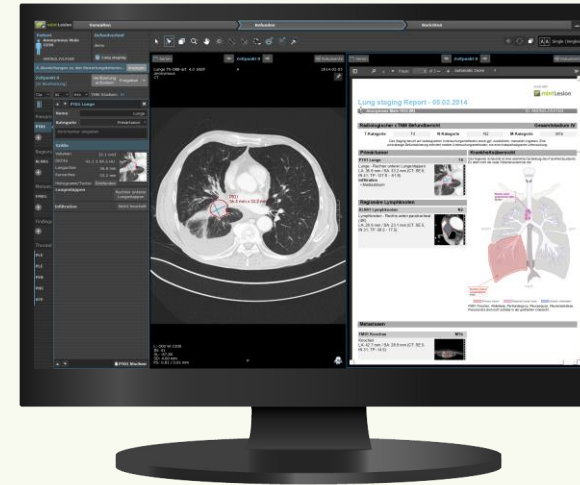


## Current approach in radiology



3 different, non-integrated instruments  
image viewer | reporting | booklet with guidelines

## Approach with **mint Lesion** as a cognitive radiological assistant

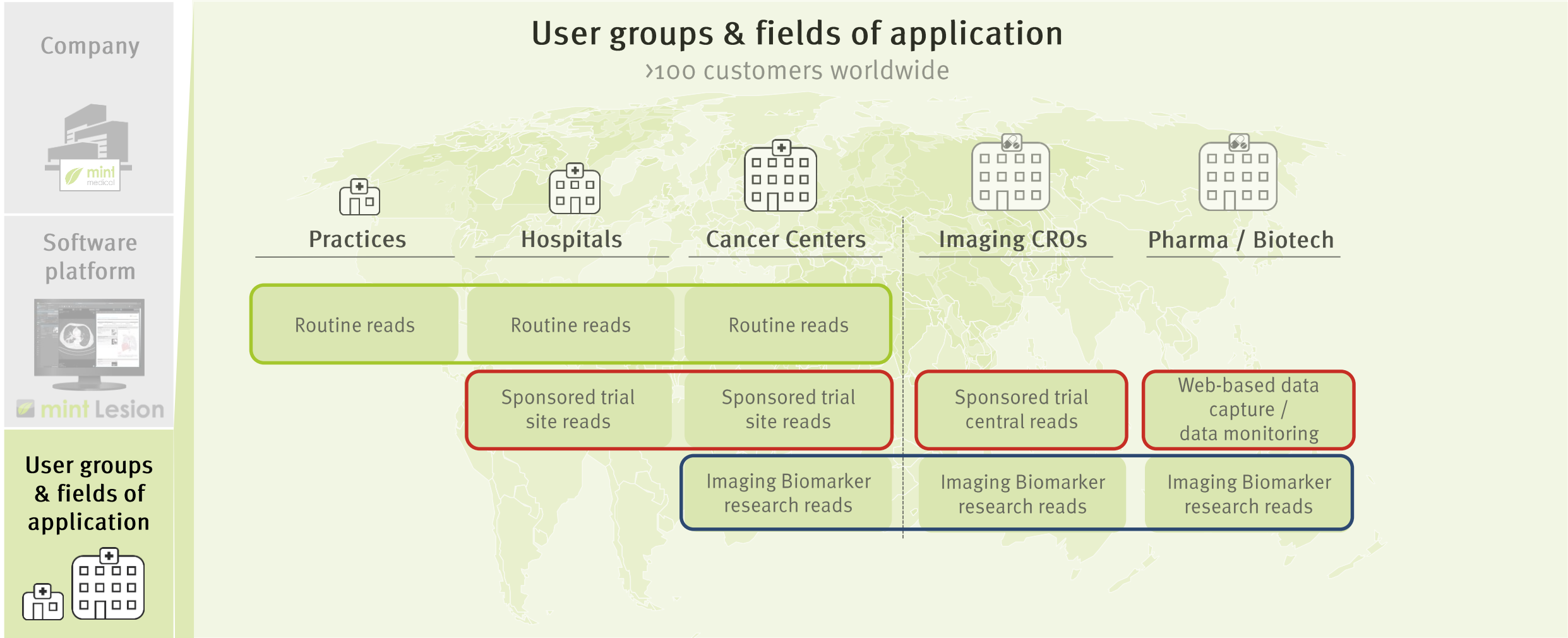


Artificial intelligence  
→ Knowledge modelling  
→ Machine learning

- ✓ Criteria-conform reading & reporting
- ✓ Image and reading process in one system
- ✓ Machine-readable data (AI-ready)
- ✓ Configurable reading profiles

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# One platform – three solutions

Choose your field of application

 **mint Lesion**

Management of  
clinical trial site reads

(generally in a secondary read workflow)

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clinical routine

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Imaging research /  
Radiomics

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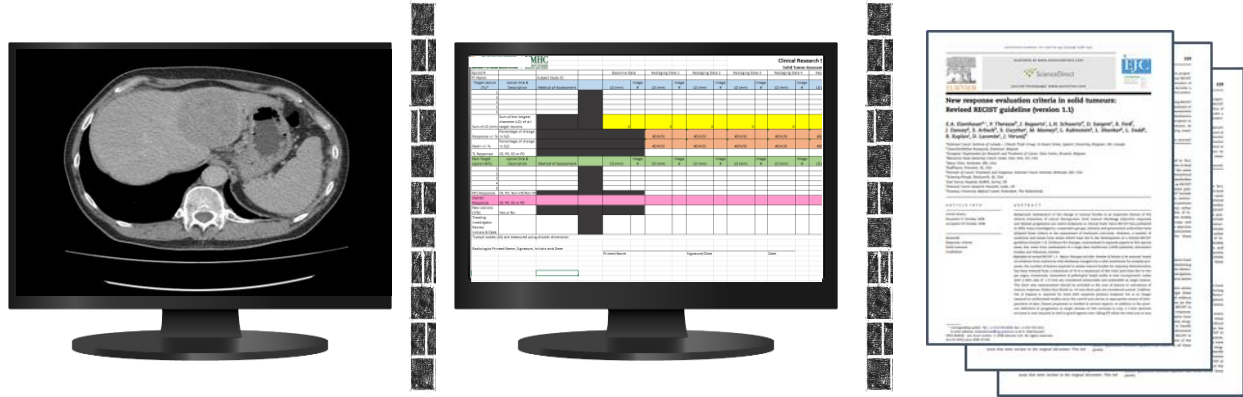
# Initial situation

Three different non-integrated tools

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PACS viewer | excel or paper | scientific papers/manuals

e.g., RECIST 1.1

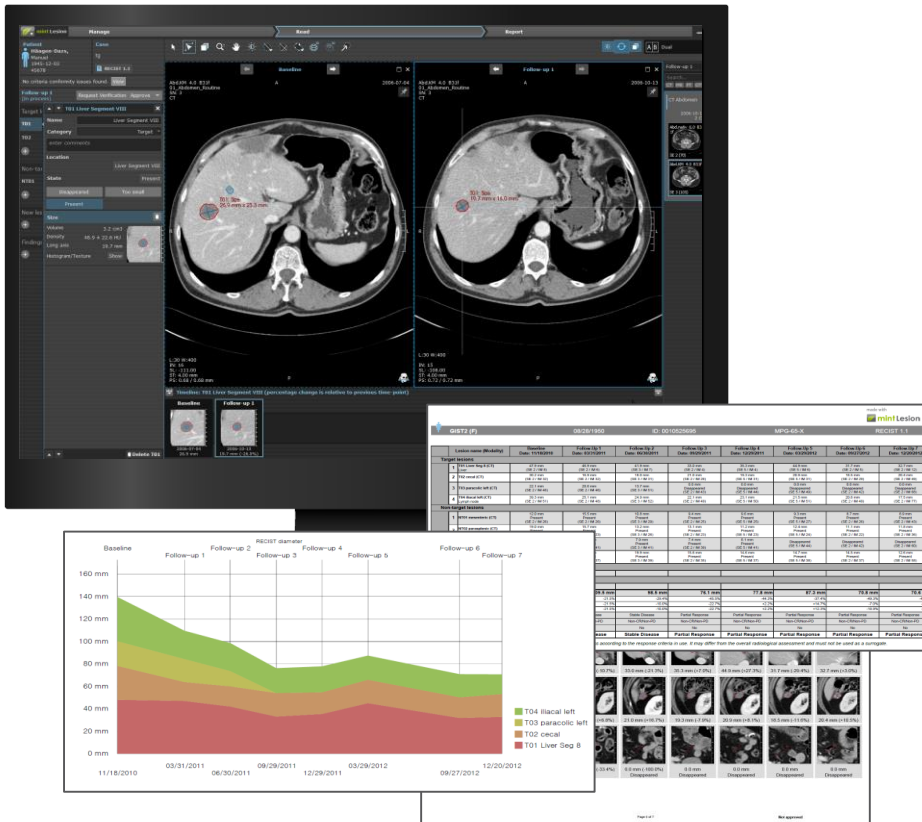
- ⚡ Large manual effort to collect all necessary data and to calculate correct timepoint response
- ⚡ Large number of complex therapy evaluation criteria that are constantly updated and changing
- ⚡ No direct link of documented measurement parameter in Excel with measured finding

# Our approach with Mint

## The intelligent radiological assistant



knows all evaluation criteria in detail and supports my analysis



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- Structured reporting in clinical routine
- Imaging research / Radiomics

### Clinical Trials Therapy Response Assessment

- RECIST 1.1
- irRECIST
- imRECIST
- irRC
- Cheson
- CHOI
- PCWG3
- LYRIC
- RECIST 1.0
- iRECIST
- mRECIST HCC
- mRECIST Mesothelioma
- RANO / RANO-BM
- Lugano
- WHO
- IWCLL
- RECIL upcoming
- PERCIST upcoming

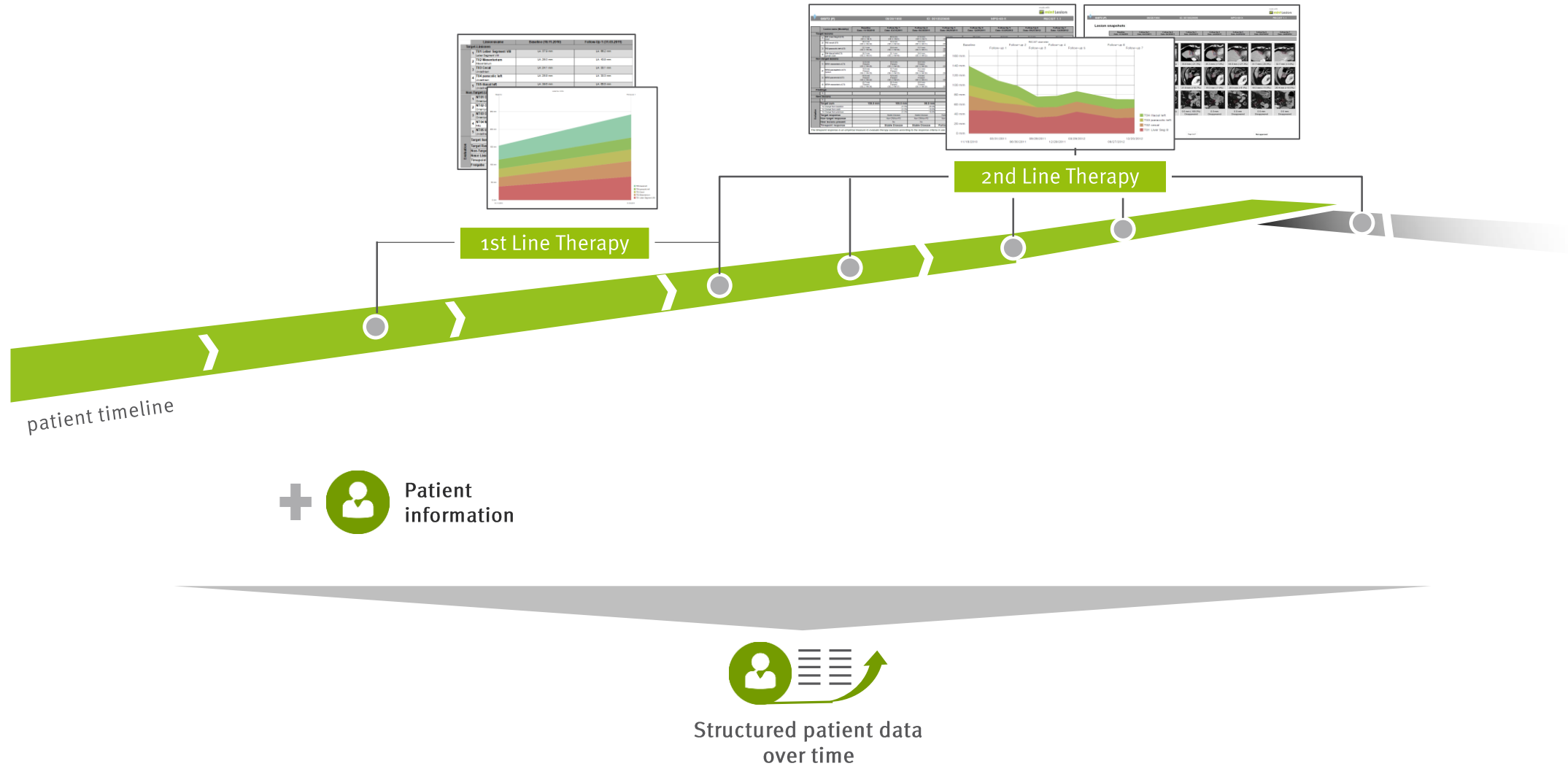
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Collection of longitudinal structured data

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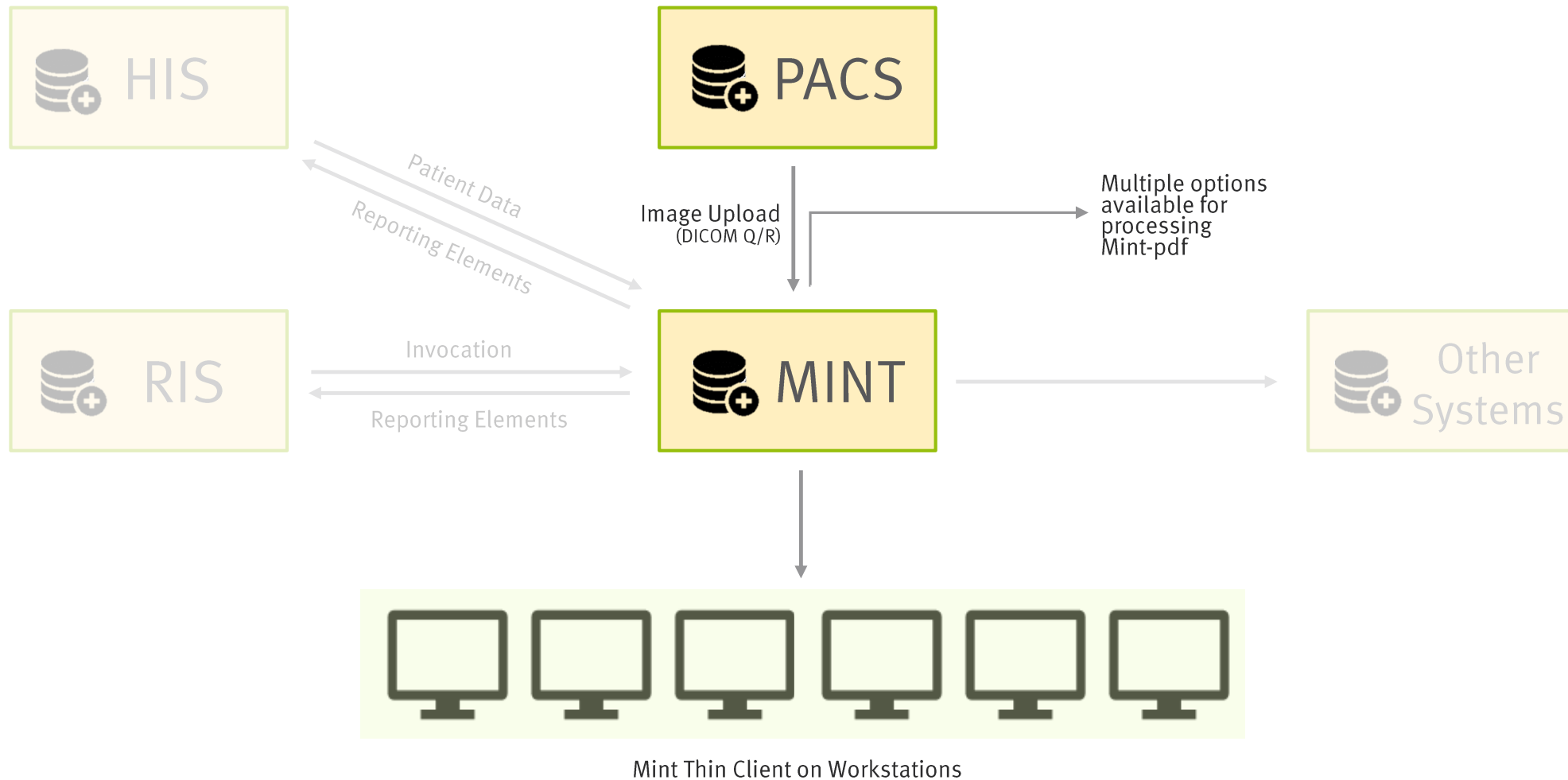
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PACS-interface for optimal use of **mint** Lesion™

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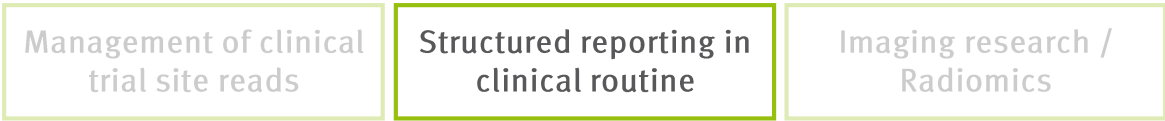
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### Clinical Routine Screening & (Re-)Staging



# Context-specific Structured Report

## Comprehensive, transparent and reproducible

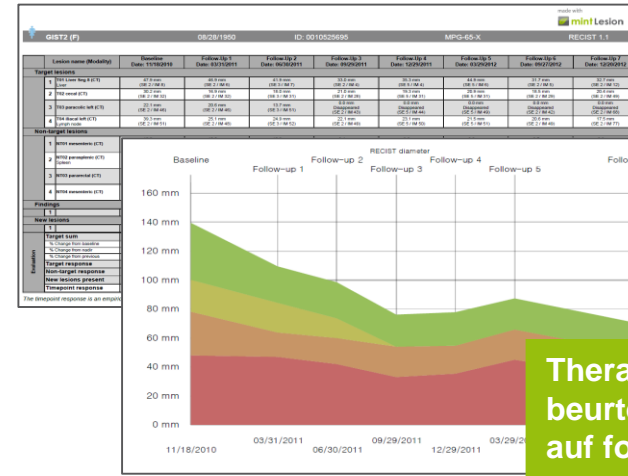
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### LI-RADS

### PI-RADS v2.1



**Therapieverlaufsbeurteilung basierend auf folgenden Kriterien:**

- RECIST (1.0, 1.1)
- irRECIST
- irRC
- iRECIST
- RANO
- WHO
- Lugano
- Choi
- mRECIST HCC
- mRECIST Mesothelioma
- PCWG2
- ...

### Lung Staging

### Colorectal Staging

### Pancreas Staging



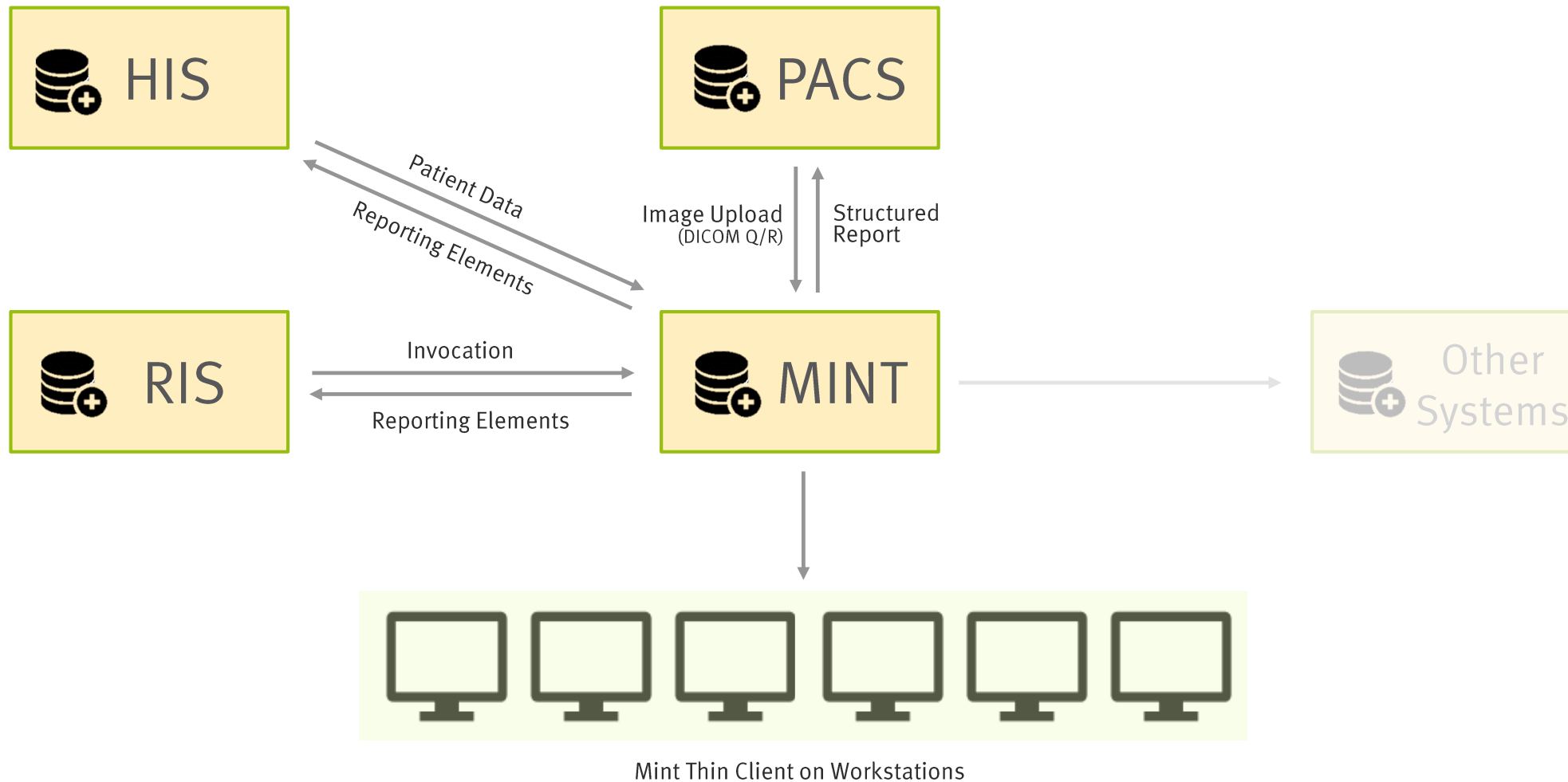
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Interfaces for optimal use of **mint** Lesion™

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⚡ No direct link of documented measurement parameter in Excel with measured findings

⚡ Different viewers necessary to capture relevant image parameter for research project

⚡ High manual effort to collect all necessary data and to properly document all data sources

# Our approach with Mint

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Mint Data Stream



Longitudinal connected, annotated image data sets

**Image parameters**  
 T01: Größe  
 24,9 mm x 21,2 mm  
 Volume: 6,2 cm<sup>3</sup>  
 Density: 45,6+20 HU  
 Skewness: 0,1  
 Kurtosis: 2,8  
 Entropie: 6,3298  
 Uniformity: 0,0143  
 MPP: 45,9  
 UPP: 0,0143  
 + further 2nd order textur parameter

**Annotation**  
 • Liver Seg VIII

**Context of guidelines, e.g.**  
 • Target lesion at RECIST 1.1

plus configurable eCRFs to add non-image based parameters to holistic research projects data set

## Data export directly out of Mint application and ready to run statistics

Release version:	3.4.2				
Patient	Häagen-Dazs, Manuel				
Patient ID	45678				
Date of birth	12.03.1945				
Criteria	RECIST 1.1				
Trial	111				
Trial arm	Read 1				
Assessment	Baseline	Follow-up 1	Follow-up 2	Follow-up 3	Follow-up 4
Date	05.02.2006	07.04.2006	10/13/2006	01/29/2007	04/19/2007
<b>Target lesions</b>					
T01 Liver Segment VIII					
Organ	Liver Segment VIII				
Size					
LA [mm]	38.9	25. Mai	19. Apr	16. Mai	15. Mrz
SA [mm]	33.6	21. Mrz	17. Jul	14. Mrz	13. Aug
Vol. [cm <sup>3</sup> ]	24. Feb	06. Aug	02. Sep 2.0	61.215	01. Jul
Entr.	64.511	64.709	63.662	61.215	65.528
Kurt.	03. Jun	02. Jul	03. Feb	02. Sep	03. Jan
Mpp.	610	49.2	46.2	55.0	61.7
Skew.	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
Upp.	0.0136	0.0129	0.0141	0.0166	0.0124
Unif.	0.0136	0.0129	0.0142	0.0166	0.0124
State	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
<b>T02 Liver Segment VIII</b>					
Organ	Liver Segment VIII				
Size					
LA [mm]	38.7	26.0	19. Mrz	18. Jan	17. Mai
SA [mm]	29.0	22. Sep	16. Sep	15. Jul	15. Sep
Vol. [cm <sup>3</sup> ]	16. Apr	06. Apr	02. Apr	02. Jan 2.0	
Entr.	66.416	67.017	61.282	63.043	65.089
Kurt.	03. Jan	02. Sep	02. Jul	02. Aug	02. Mai
Mpp.	612	58.0	49.8	61.9	68.0
Skew.	0.1	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	0.0
Upp.	0.0117	0.0110	0.0164	0.0145	0.0124
Unif.	0.0117	0.0111	0.0164	0.0145	0.0124
State	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
<b>Non-target lesions</b>					
NT01 Liver Segment VIII					
Organ	Liver Segment VIII				
Size					
LA [mm]	29. Apr	15.0	12. Jun	10. Jul	15.0
SA [mm]	26.0	13. Jun	11. Jul	09. Jun	12. Aug
Vol. [cm <sup>3</sup> ]	09. Apr	01. Jun	01. Jan 0.5	60.474	01. Apr
Entr.	71.707	53.834	65.178	67.459	67.459
Kurt.	2.0	02. Aug	716	714	105.3
Mpp.	97.0	611	716	714	105.3
Skew.	-0.1	0.3	0.1	-0.0	-0.4
Upp.	0.0076	0.0140	0.0122	0.0174	0.0113
Unif.	0.0076	0.0140	0.0122	0.0174	0.0113
State	Present	Present	Present	Present	Present
<b>Evaluation</b>					
Target sum [mm]	77.5	51.6	38.6	34.6	32.8
Target response	Undefined	Partial Response	Partial Response	Partial Response	Partial Response
Non-target response	Undefined	Non-CR/Non-PD	Non-CR/Non-PD	Non-CR/Non-PD	Non-CR/Non-PD
New lesions present	No	No	No	No	No
Timepoint response	Undefined	Partial Response	Partial Response	Partial Response	Partial Response
Approval	Not approved	Not approved	Not approved	Not approved	Not approved

# Approach with Mint

## Imaging research / Radiomics

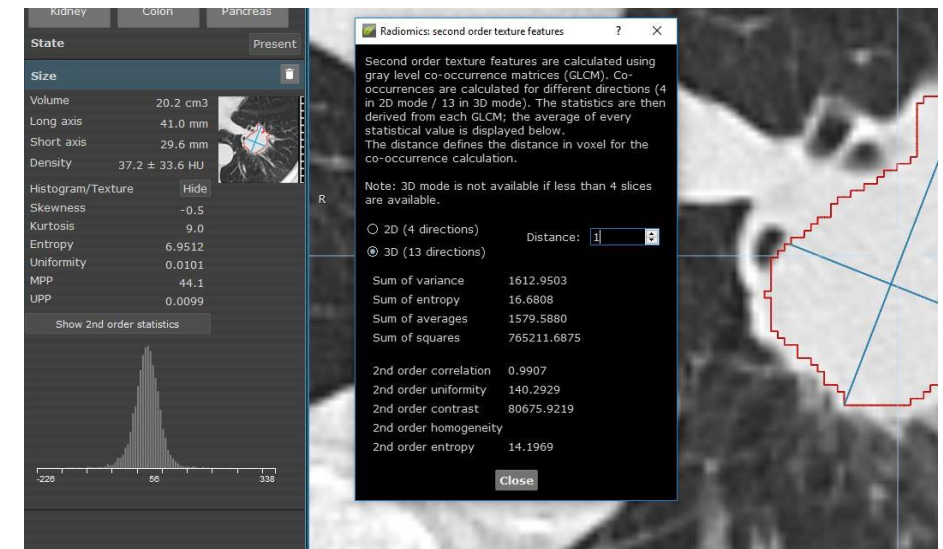
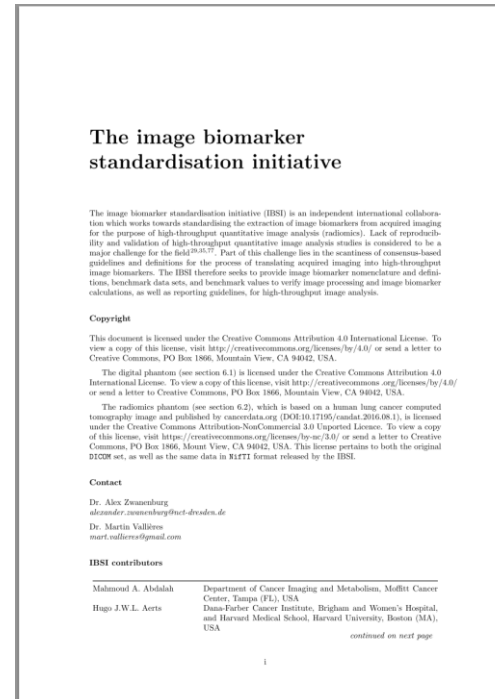
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## Radiomics parameters are based on Image biomarker standardization initiative (IBSI):

- Zwanenburg, A., Leger, S., Vallières, M., & Löck, S., et al. (2016). Image biomarker standardisation initiative - feature definitions. *CoRR*, *abs/1612.0*. <http://arxiv.org/abs/1612.07003>



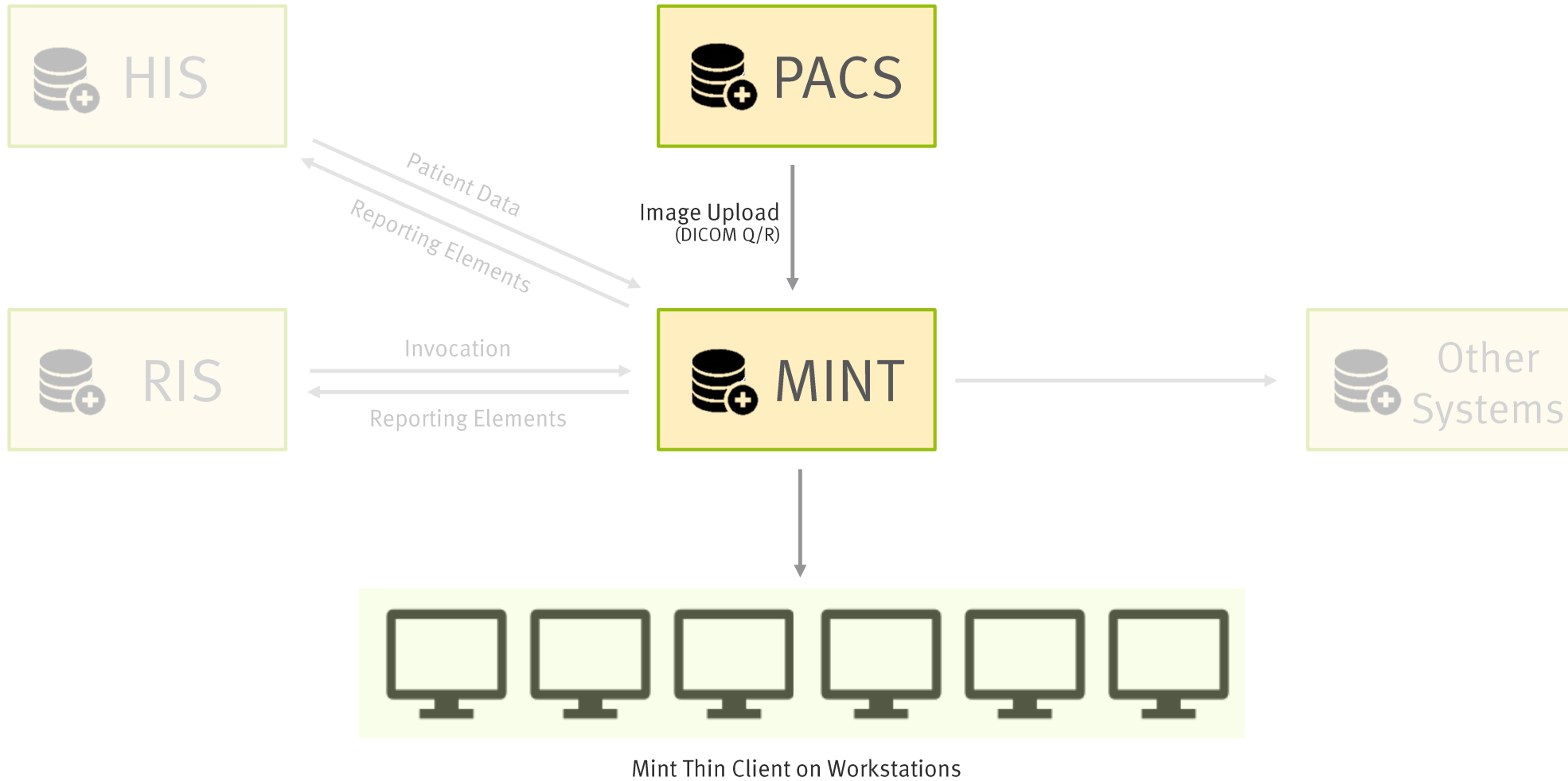
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# Thank you!



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