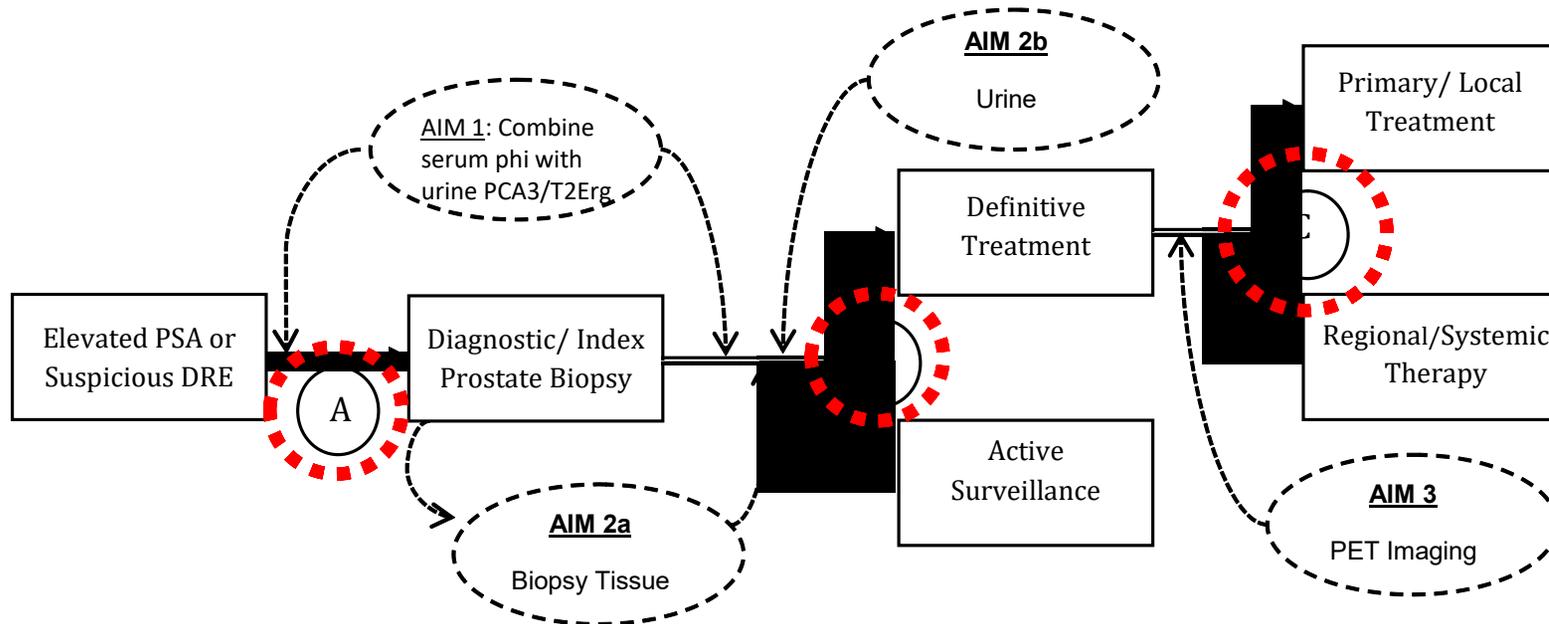




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- False negative biomarker: status quo

❖ Analytic Translation

- Reduce false negatives: Improve sensitivity *at high specificity*



B) Who should undergo treatment versus surveillance?

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- Less invasive monitoring (avoid unnecessary re-biopsy)

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❖ Analytic Translation

- Improve specificity *OR* sensitivity (improve AUC of ROC)



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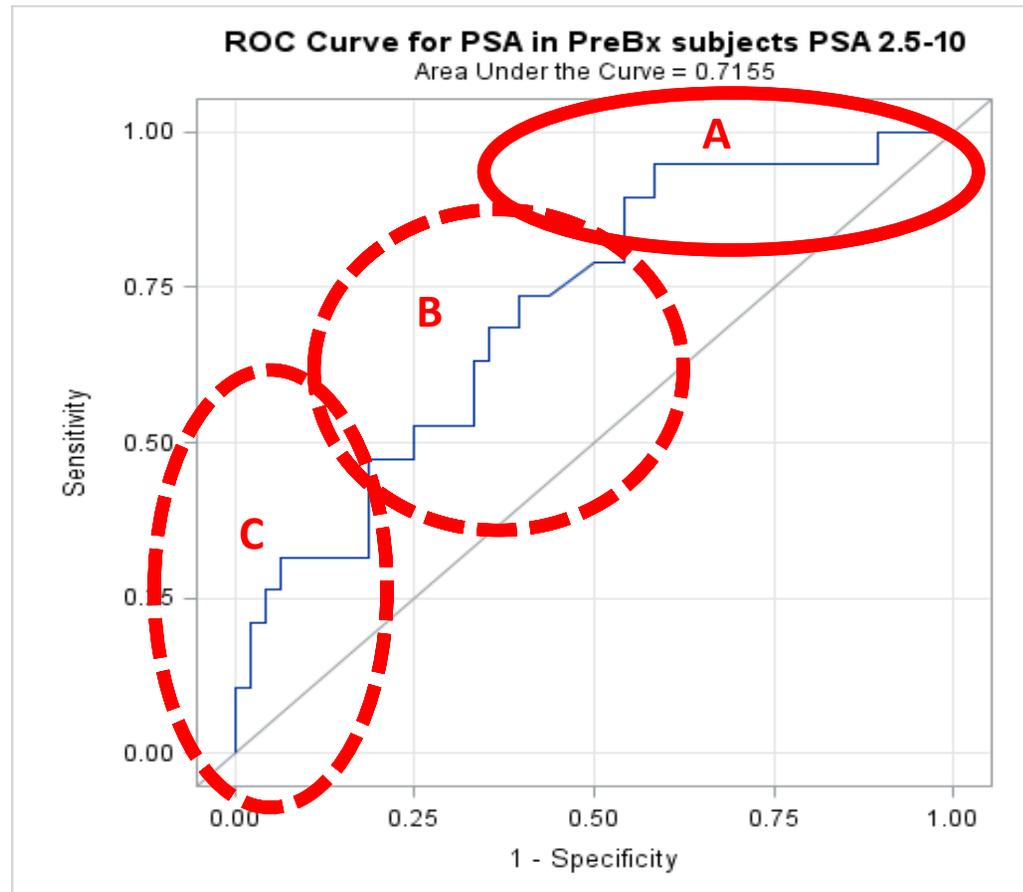
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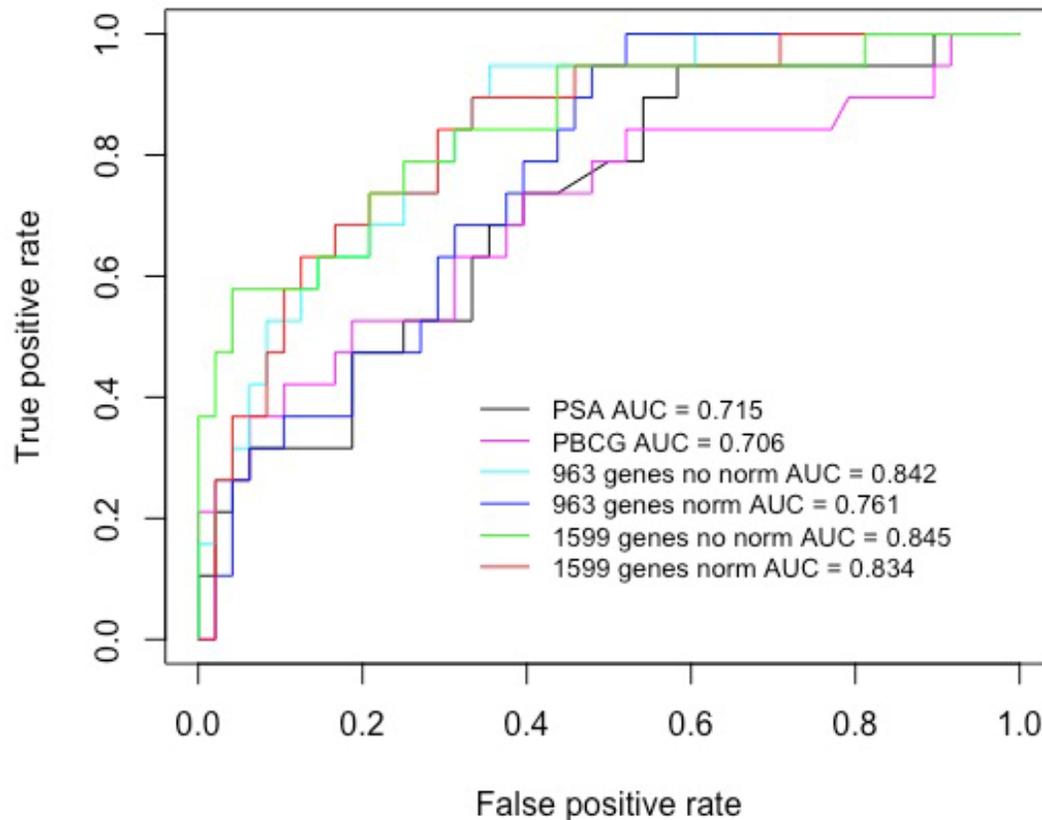


A) Current State: PSA and Decision for Biopsy



- A) Segment to enhance performance performance for selecting biopsy
- B) Segment for enhancing performance to treat vs surveillance
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Putative Biomarkers to Improve on PSA and Decision for Biopsy



Blue: modest AUC change but most impact on specificity at high sensitivity

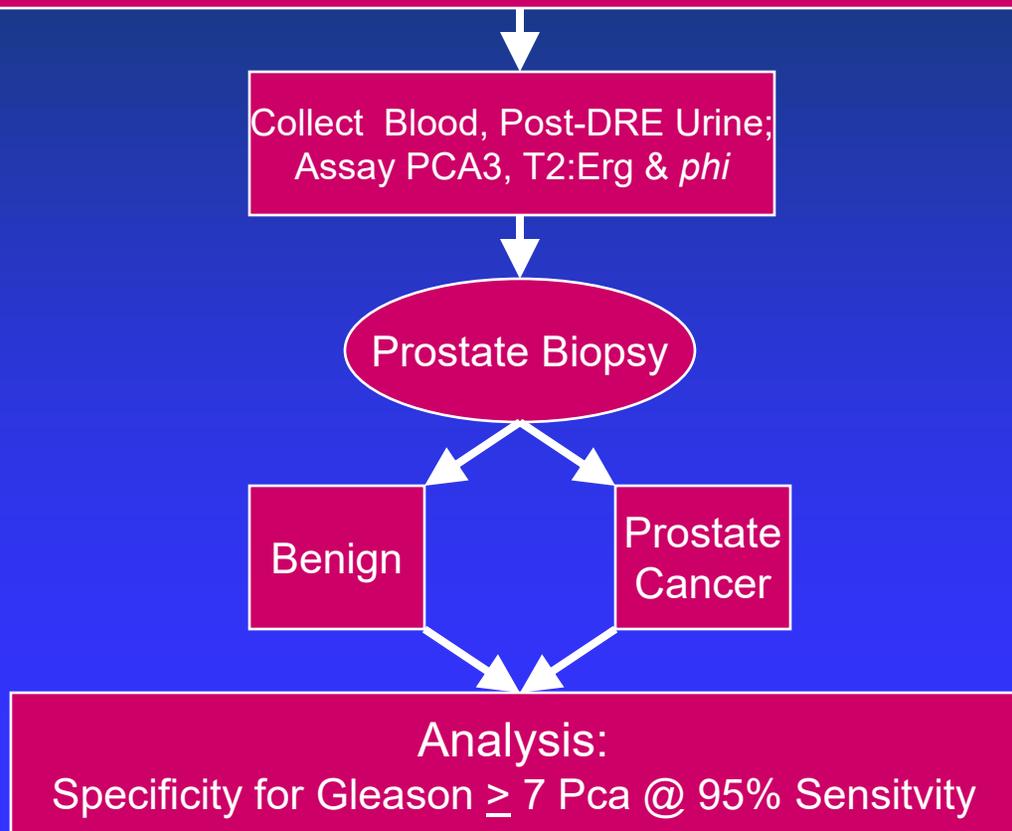
Green: greatest AUC impact (better than blue) but not better in specificity at high sensitivity

Sample Power Implications for Improving Clinical Decisions at Extreme Ends of ROC

Sample Power for Different Clinical Design	N=140	N=500
Improve AUC	0.84	1.00
Improve Spec @ 95% Sens	0.39	0.73

Clinical Question A) Decision for Biopsy: Example Combining Urinary PCA3, T2:Erg to Refine PCa Detection

Development Cohort: 3 Sites, N = 516
Validation Cohort: 10 Sites (EDRN PCA3 Trial Group) N = 561



Combining Urinary T2:Erg and PCA3 RNA

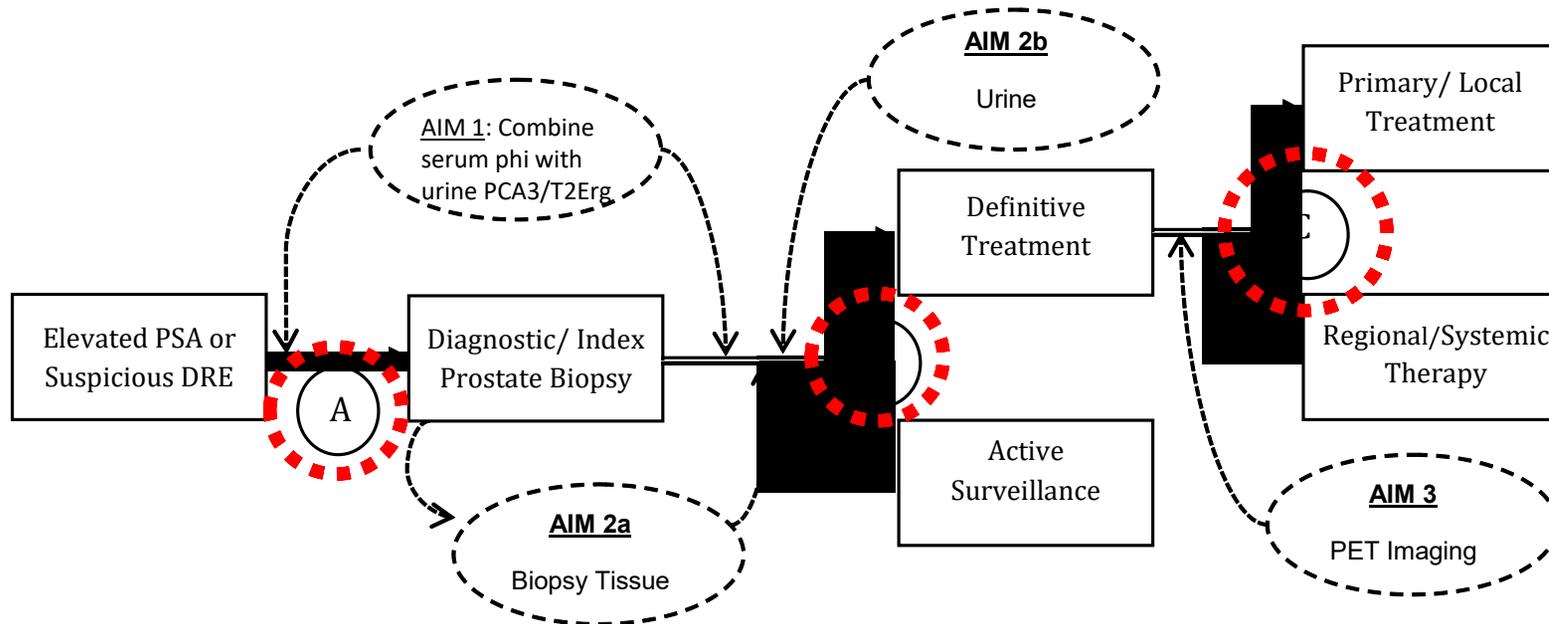
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Biomarker	Assay Threshold for > 95% Sensitivity To Predict Gleason ≥ 7	Specificity
PSA	3.0	18%
PCA3	6.3	17%
T2-erg*	---	0%
PCA3-T2erg	19.1, 7.6	39%

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