

CORRECTION

## Correction: Evaluation of lung toxicity risk with computed tomography ventilation image for thoracic cancer patients

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In the Results subsection of the Abstract, there are errors in the first two sentences. The correct sentences are: For Mean Dose, poorly ventilated lung regions in the 0–30% range showed the highest AUC value (0.809: 95% confidence interval [CI], 0.754–0.973). For V20, poorly ventilated lung regions in the 0–20% range had the highest AUC value (0.774: 95% [CI], 0.679 –0.869), and for V5, poorly ventilated lung regions in the 0–30% range had the highest AUC value (0.843:95% [CI], 0.732–0.954).

There are errors in the fifth sentence of the second paragraph of the Results section. The correct sentence is: For all of the dosimetric parameters, the highest AUC values were observed for poorly ventilated regions (e.g., the 30% range for Mean Dose with the value of 0.809:95% [CI], 0.754–0.973, the 20% range for V20 with the value of 0.774:95% [CI], 0.679–0.869, and the 30% range for V5 with the value of 0.843:95% [CI], 0.732–0.954 ).

There is an error in the first sentence of the Patient characteristics subsection of the Materials and methods. The correct sentence is: This retrospective study was approved by institutional review board.

There is an error in the first sentence of the Conclusions. The correct sentence is: Our results showed that dose disposition cannot reduce lung toxicity in highly ventilated regions in contrast, dose disposition in poorly ventilated regions might be accompanied by a reduced lung toxicity risk.

There is an error in affiliation 1 for authors Masakazu Otsuka, Hajime Monzen, Kenji Matsumoto, and Mikoto Tamura. The correct affiliation 1 is: Department of Medical Physics, Graduate School of Medical Sciences, Kindai University, Osakasayama, Japan.

There are errors in the captions for Figs 1-4. Please see the complete, correct captions for Figs 1-4 here.



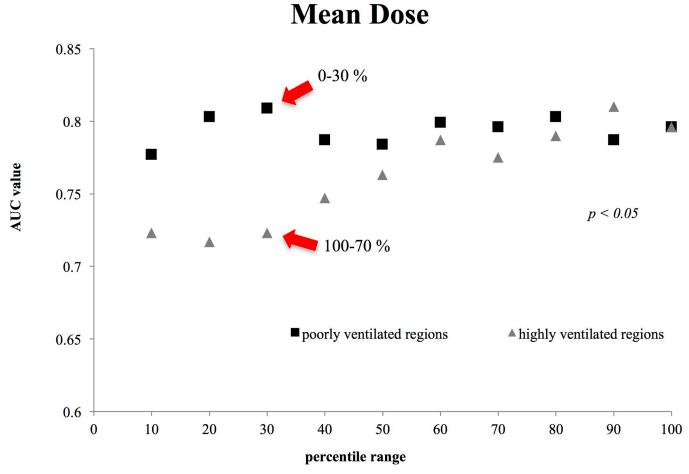


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**Fig 1.** Comparison between the mean dose AUC values for highly and poorly ventilated regions. The difference in mean dose between poorly and highly ventilated regions was statically significant (p = 0.0093; Student's t-test).

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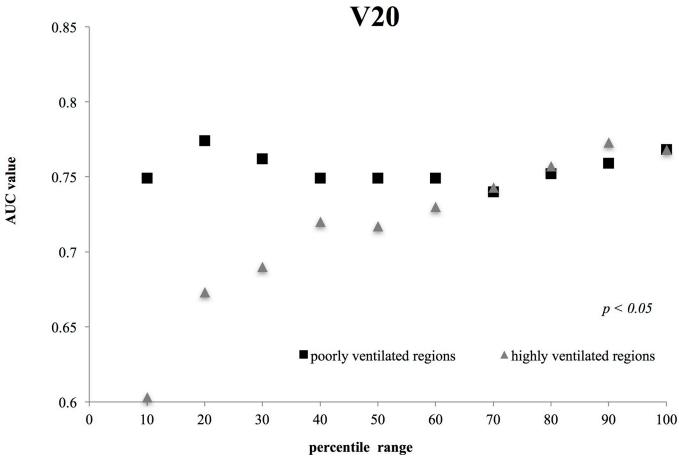
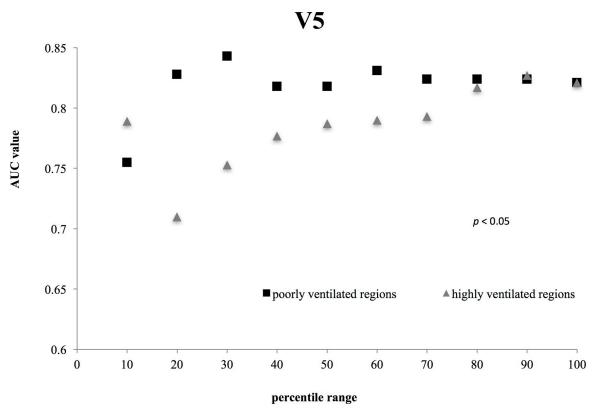


Fig 2. Comparisons between the V20 AUC values for highly and poorly ventilated regions. The difference in V 20 between poorly and highly ventilated regions was statically significant (p = 0.0138; Student's t-test).

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**Fig 3.** Comparisons between the V5 AUC values for highly and poorly ventilated. The difference in V 5 between poorly and highly ventilated regions was statically significant (p = 0.0236; Student's t-test).

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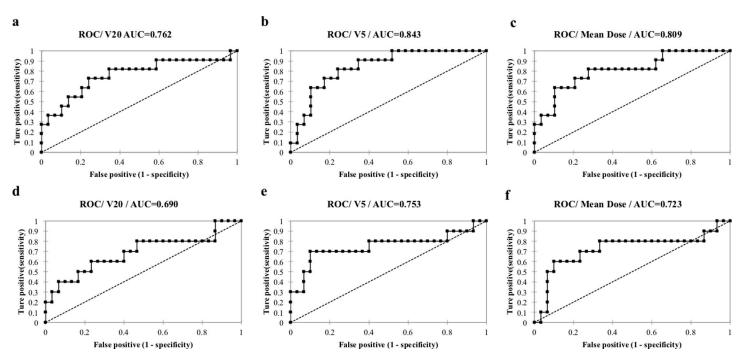


Fig 4. Representative ROCs from 6 cases; for poorly ventilated regions. (a) V20, (b) V5, (c) Mean Dose, and for highly ventilated regions: (d) V 20, (e) V5, (f) Mean Dose.

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