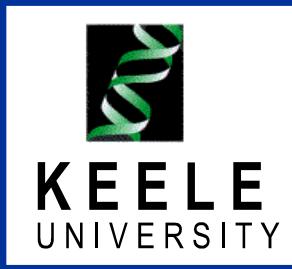


# **SYNCHROTRON BASED FTIR SPECTROSCOPY.**

## **WHAT DOES THE CLINICIAN NEED?**

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- Cancer diagnosis.

- Standardisation.

- Validation.

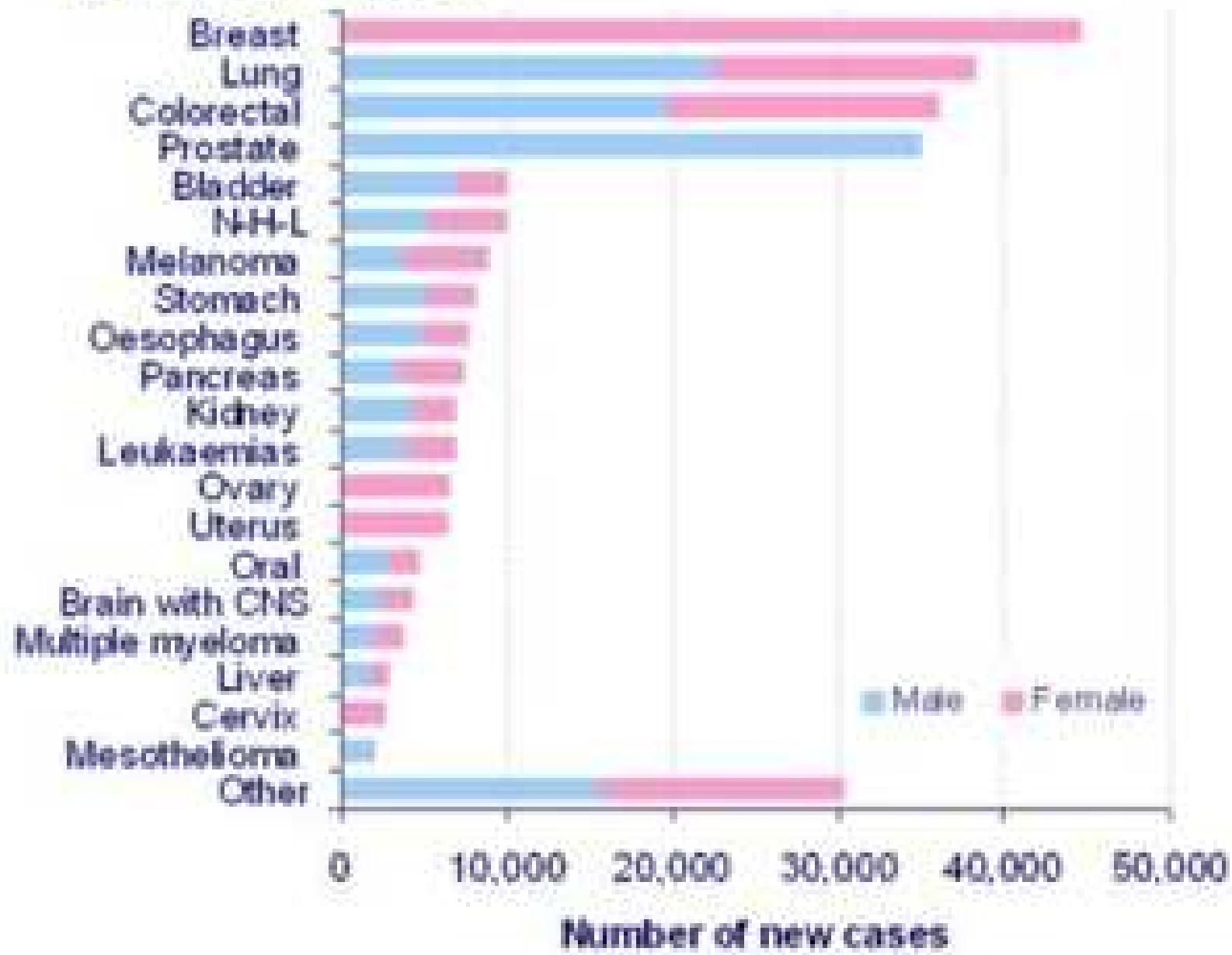
- The way forward.

# **WHY CANCER?**

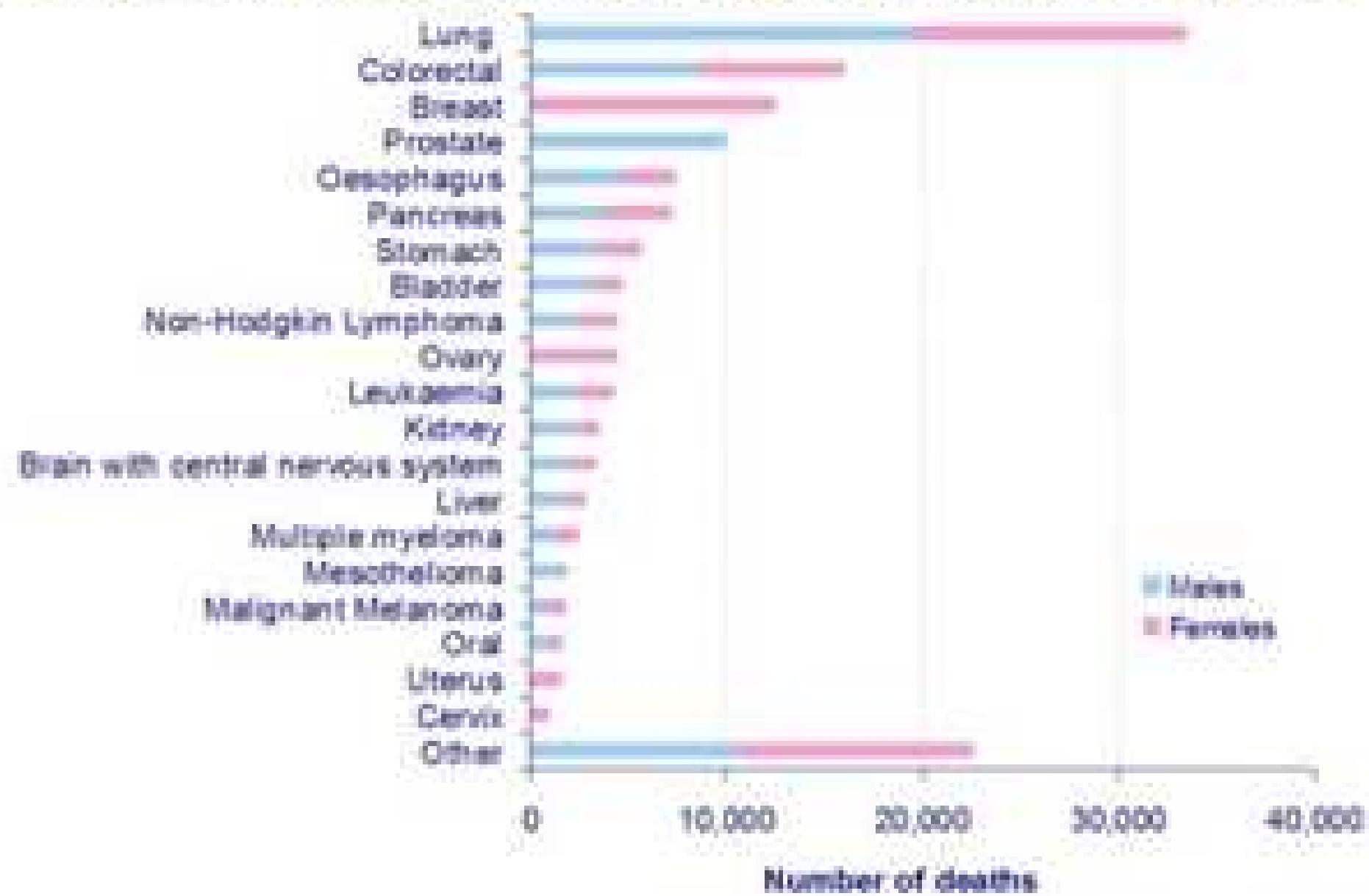
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- **High incidence.**
- **One of the main causes of death.**
- **Socio-economic impact.**
- **Management of cancer patients needs improving.**

Figure 1.1: The 20 most commonly diagnosed cancers  
(ex NMSC), UK, 2004



**Figure 1.1: The 20 most common causes of death from cancer, UK, 2005**



# WHY SYNCHROTRON?

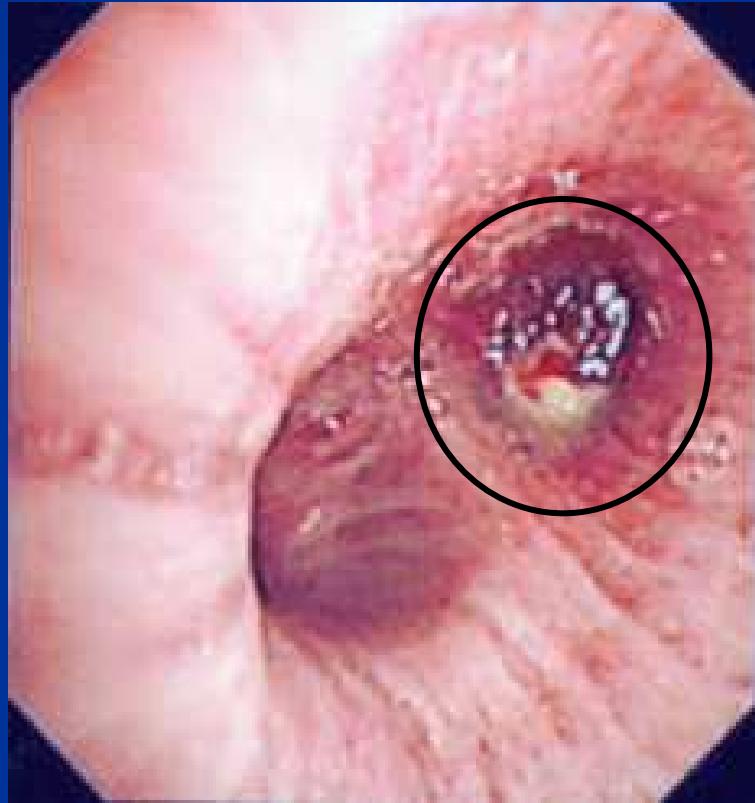
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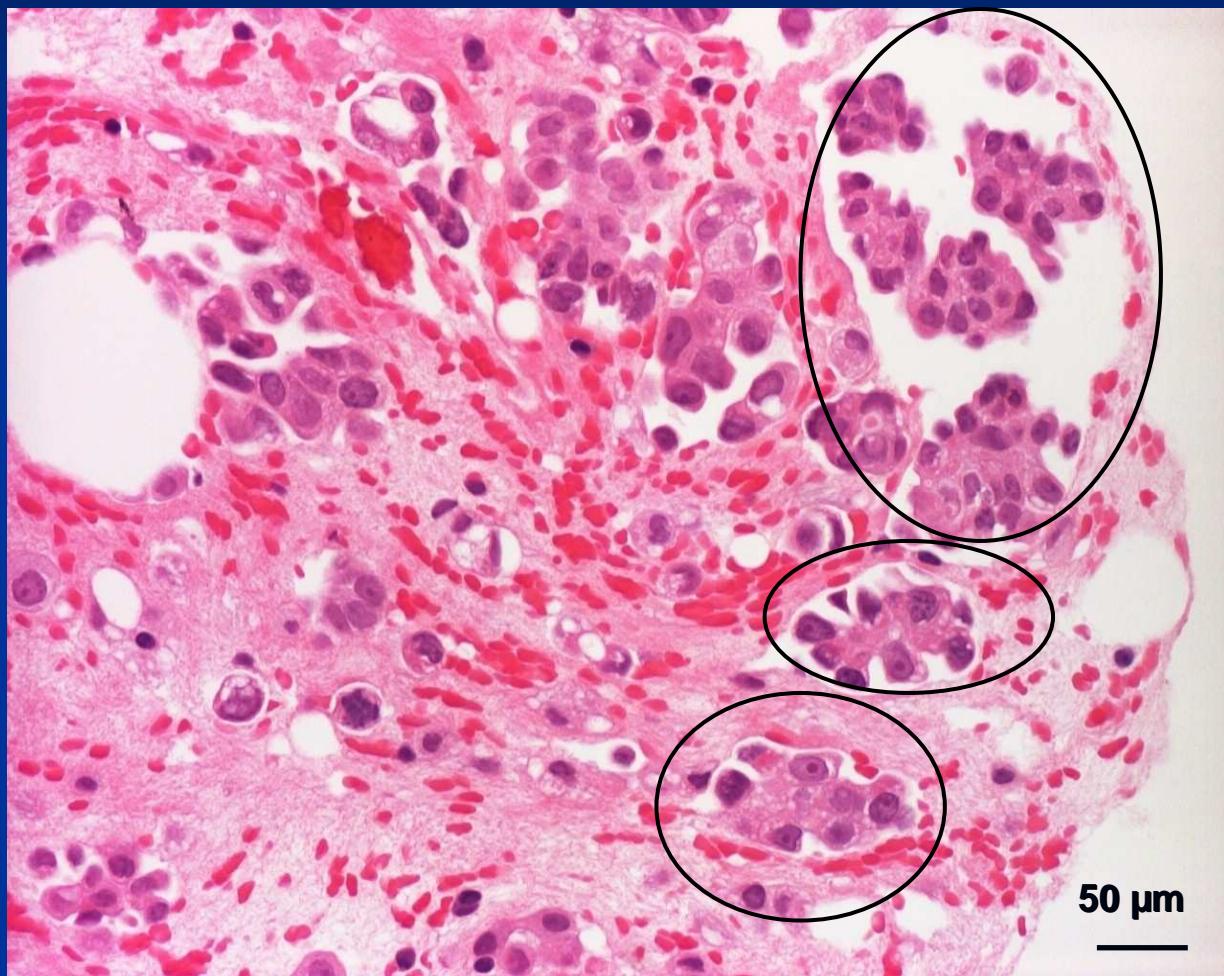
- Rapid data acquisition.
- Minimal sample preparation.
- Non destructive.
- To study cells at single and subcellular level.

# **HISTOLOGICAL DIAGNOSIS OF CANCER**

# BRONCHOSCOPY IMAGE OF A LUNG TUMOUR

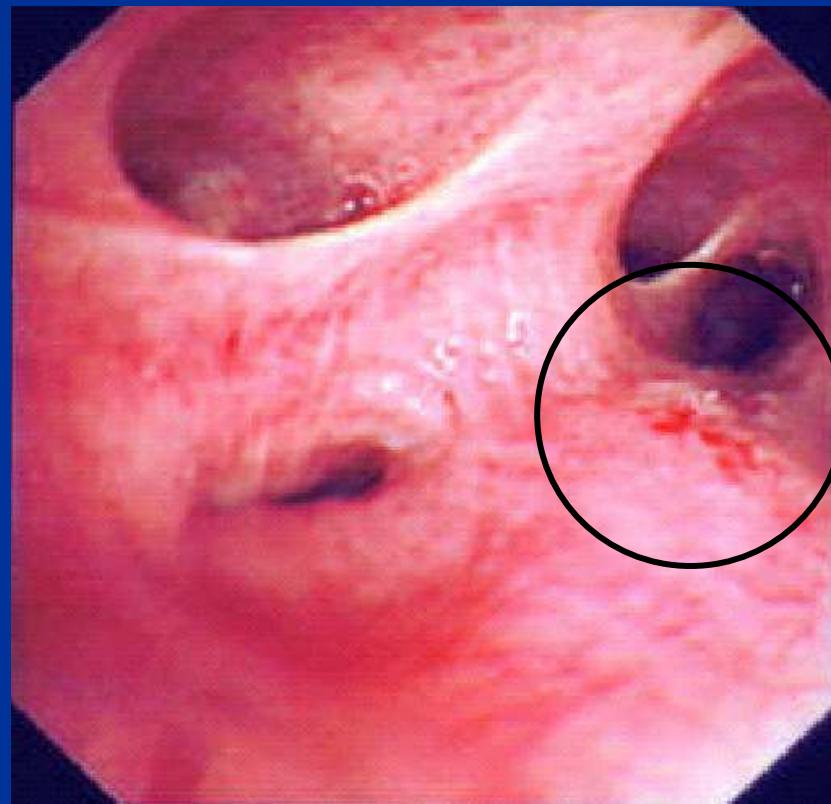
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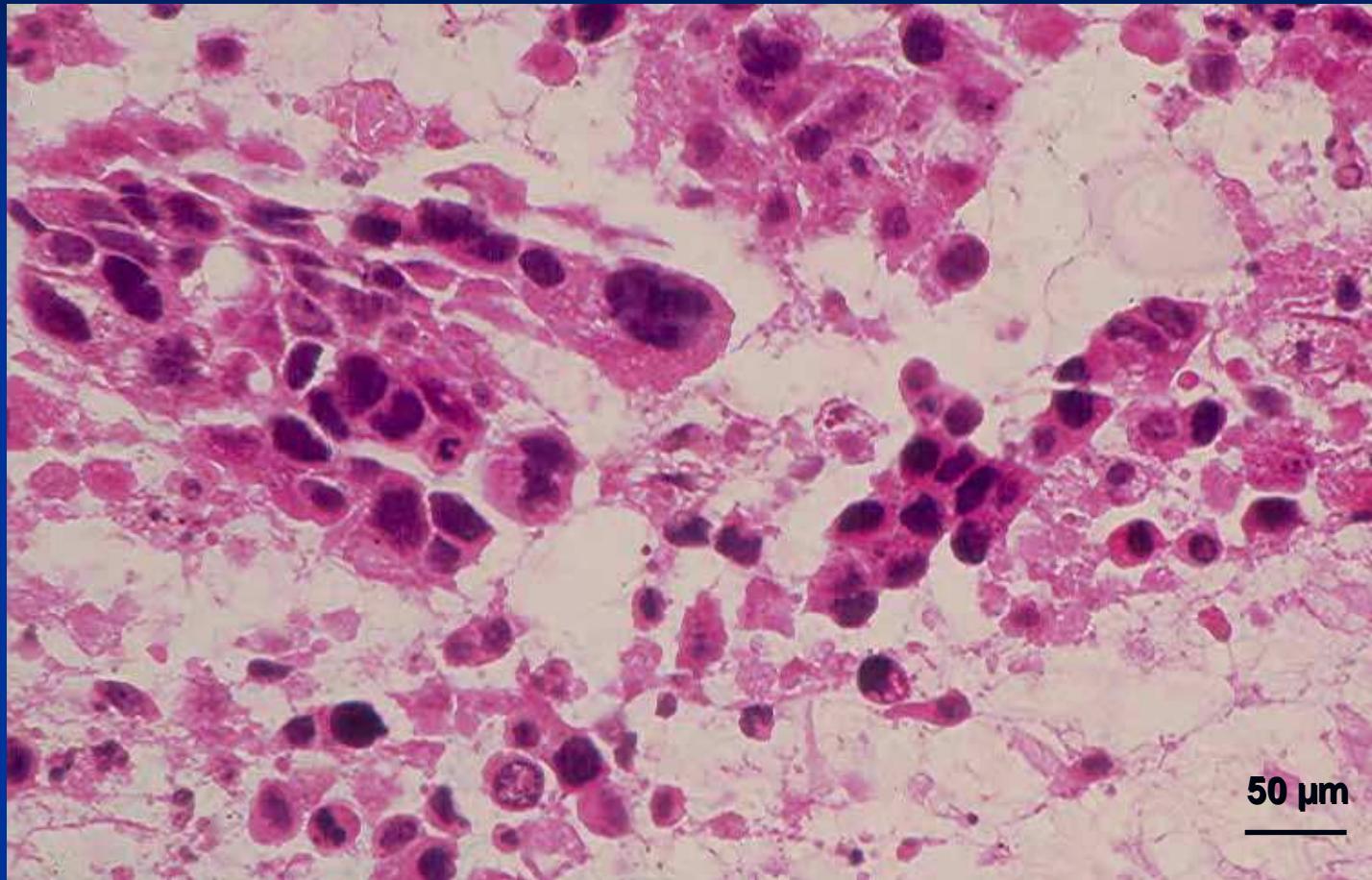




# BRONCHOSCOPY IMAGE OF A LUNG TUMOUR

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**Squamous carcinoma**

# **APPLICATION IN HISTOLOGY**

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- **Screening:**
  - **Tissue samples.**
  - **Cytology samples.**
- **Diagnosis at single cell level.**

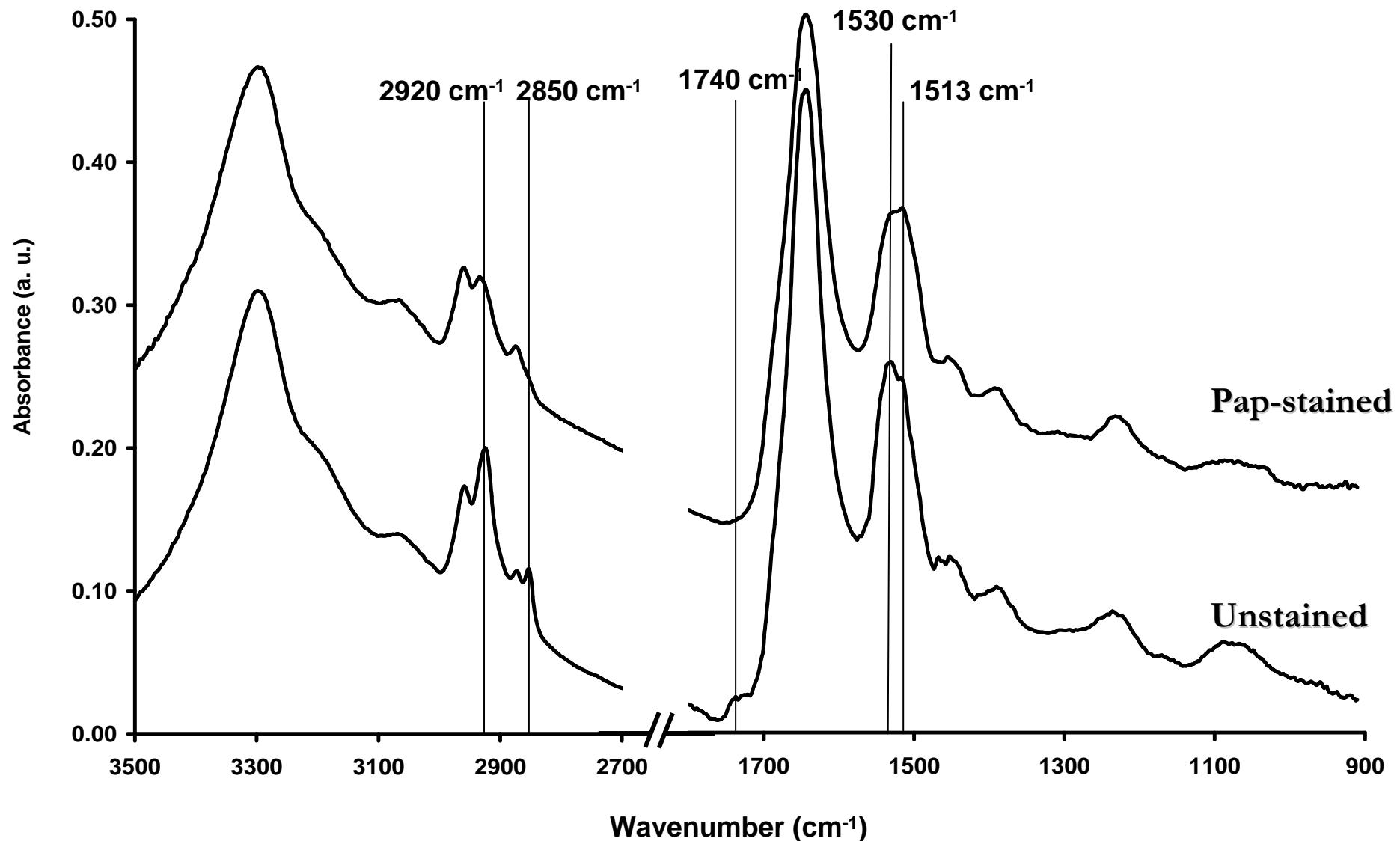
# **MEDICAL APPLICATIONS**

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- Screening:
  - Tissue samples.
  - Cytology samples.
- Diagnosis at single cell level.



# CALU-1 LUNG CANCER CELLS



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# **TISSUE SAMPLE**

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- Is it normal?
- Is it tumour?
- Which type of tumour is it?

# IS IT NORMAL?

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Eckel R.	Vibrat Spec, 2001.	Breast v fibroadenoma.
Wood B. R.	Gynecol Oncol, 2004	Cervix v dysplasia
Li Q.-B.	Clin Chem, 2005	Stomach and gastritis
Murali K. C.	Anal Bioanal Chem, 2007	Ovary
Walsh M. J.	Biochem Biophys Res Comm, 2007	Cervix v dysplasia
Quaroni L.	Analyst, 2009	Oesophagus v Barrett

# IS IT TUMOUR?

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Yano K.	Anal Biochem, 2000	Lung
Eckel R.	Vibrat Spec, 2001	Breast
Salman A.	Cell Mol Biol, 2001	Colon
Neviliappan S.	Gynecol Oncol, 2002.	Cervix
Argov S. J	Biomed Optics, 2002.	Colon
Lasch P.	Technol Cancer Res Treat, 2002.	Colon, prostate
Fabian H. J	Mol Struct, 2003.	Breast
Gazi E.	J Pathol, 2003.	Prostate
Malins D. C.	PNAS, 2003	Prostate
Mordechai S.	J Microsc, 2003	Cervix, melanoma
Ramesh J.	J Lab Clin Med, 2003.	Leukaemia
Wang J.-S.	World J Gastroenterol, 2003,	Oesophagus
Li Q.-B.	Clin Chem, 2005	Stomach
Sahu R. K. J.	Biomed Optics, 2005	Colon, cervix
Krafft C.	Anal Bioanal Chem, 2007	Brain
Palusziewicz C.	Vibrat Spectrosc, 2007	Prostate
Kelly J. G.	Cancer Lett, 2009	Endometrium
Harvey T. J.	Analyst, 2009	Prostate
Bird B.	J. Biophoton, 2010	Lymph node

# WHICH TYPE OF TUMOUR IS IT?

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Steiner G.	Biopolymers, 2003.	Glioma grades
Krafft C.	Technol Cancer Res Treat, 2006.	Types of metastases
Babrah J.	Analyst, 2009.	Leukaemia

# **MALIGNANT TUMOURS IN LUNG**

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- **Squamous cell carcinoma**
- **Adenocarcinoma**
- **Adenosquamous**
- **Large cell carcinoma**
- **Bronchio-alveolar carcinoma**
- **Small cell carcinoma**
- **Pleomorphic, sarcomatoid or sarcomatous tumours**
- **Carcinoid tumours**
- **Carcinomas of salivary gland type**
- **Unclassified**
- **Metastases (breast, bowel, stomach, kidney, thyroid, ovary, ...)**

# **FTIR SPECTROSCOPY AND CANCER DIAGNOSIS**

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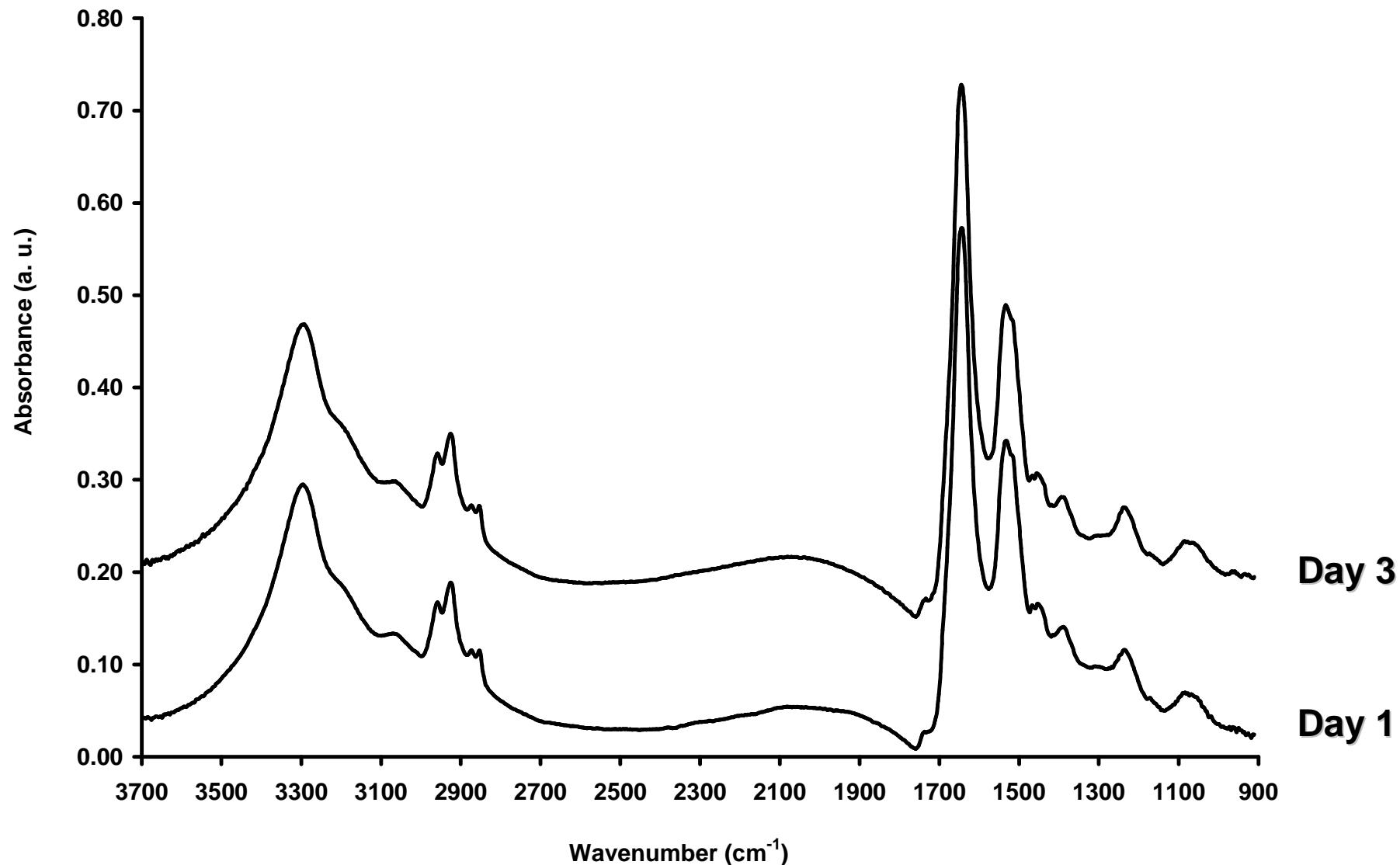
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# **STANDARDISATION**

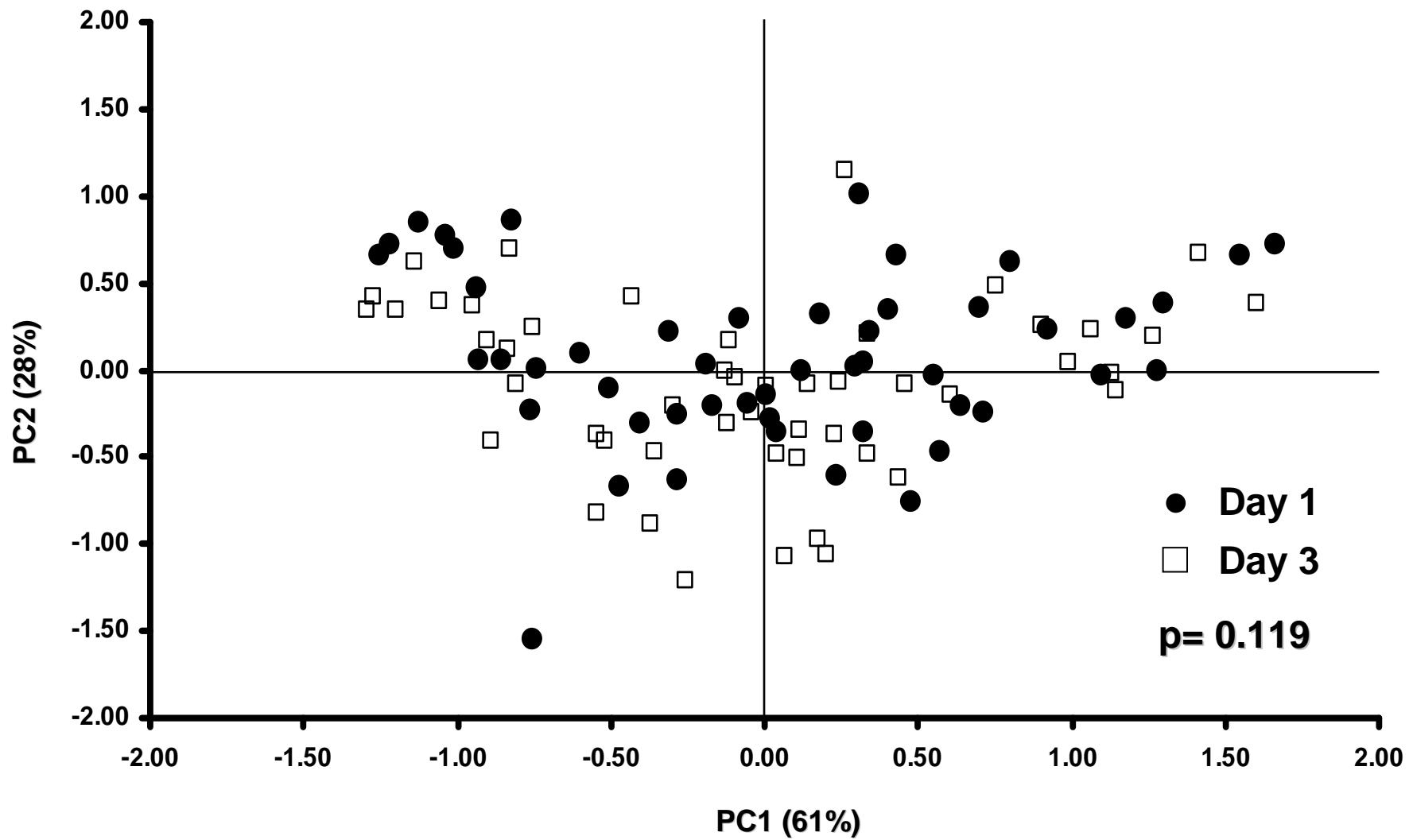
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- Sample preparation.
- Data collection (reflectance, transmission).
- Data correction, analysis and statistics.
- Same results obtained at:
  - Different centres (synchrotrons).
  - Same and different spectrometers.
  - Different time points.

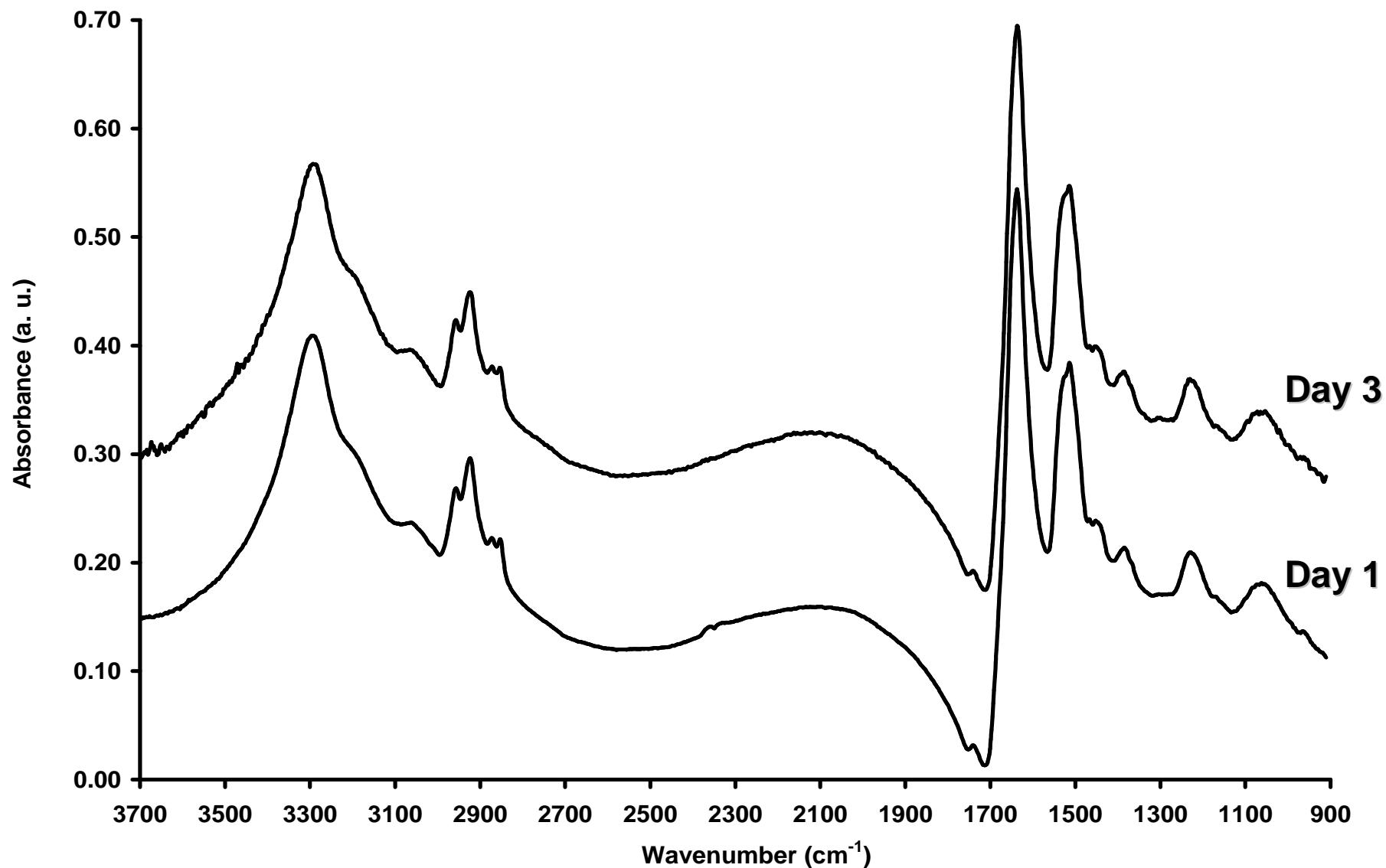
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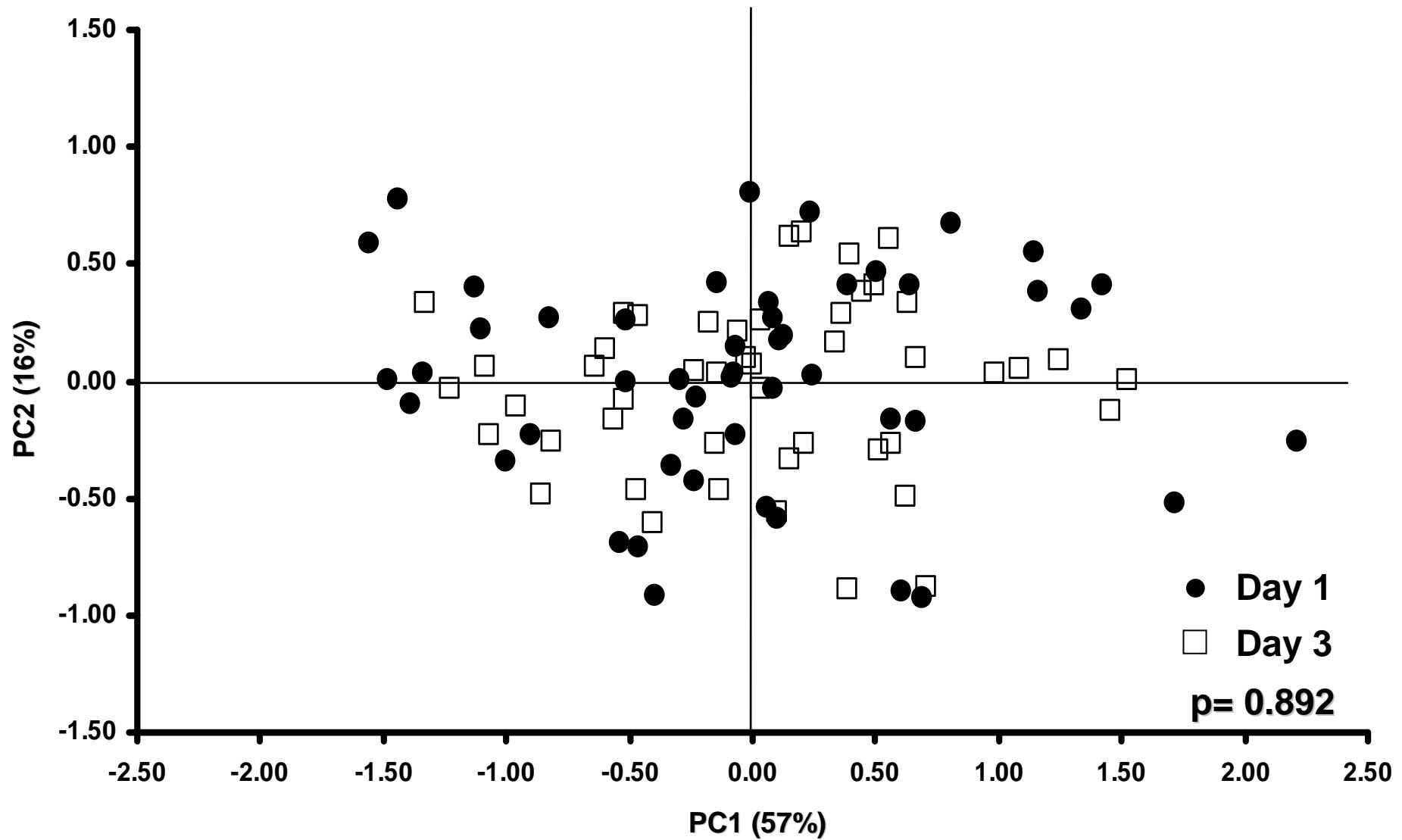


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# NL20 LUNG EPITHELIAL CELLS





# **FTIR SPECTROSCOPY AND CANCER DIAGNOSIS**

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# **VALIDATION**

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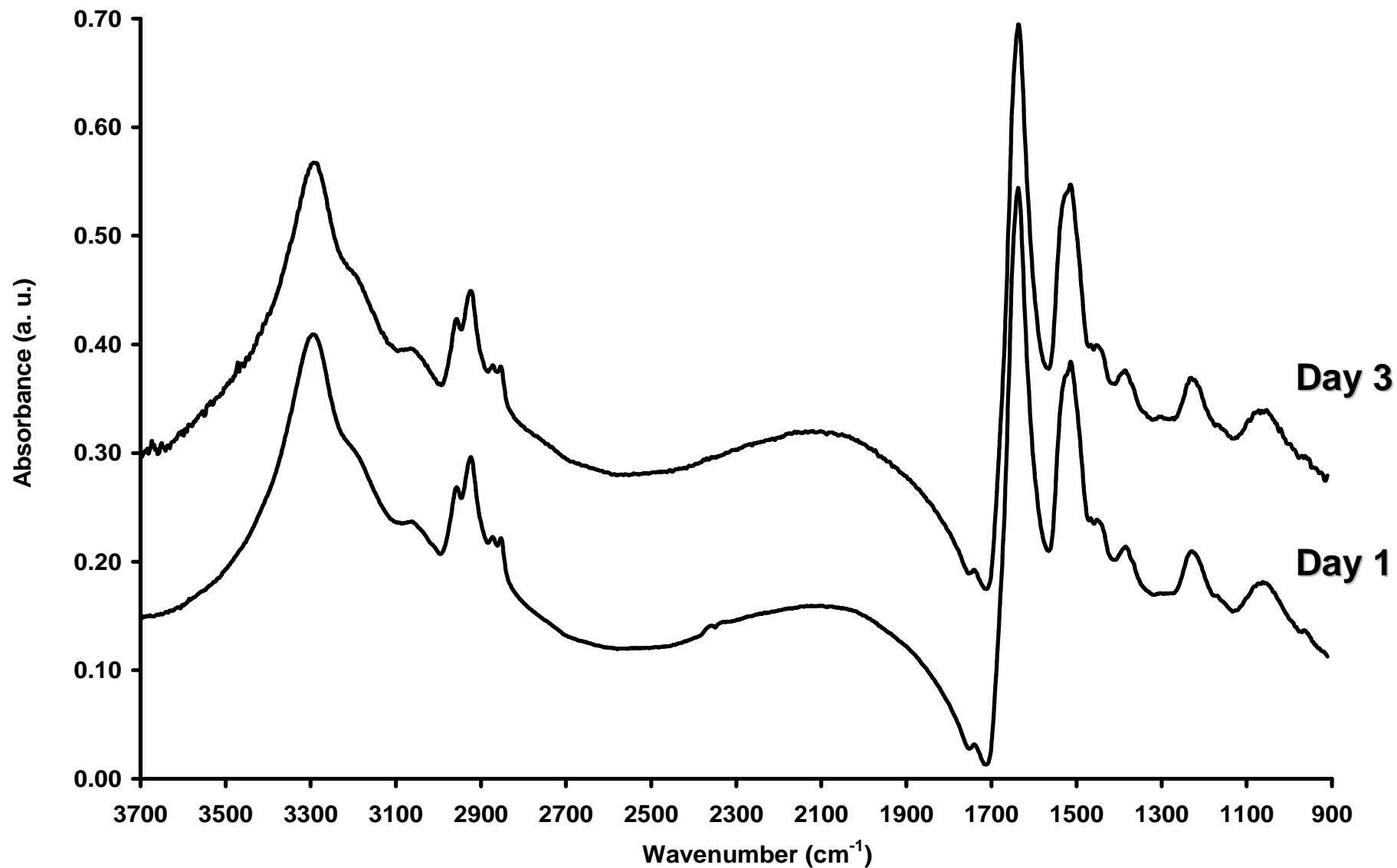
**THE DATA OBTAINED WITH**

**FTIR SPECTROSCOPY**

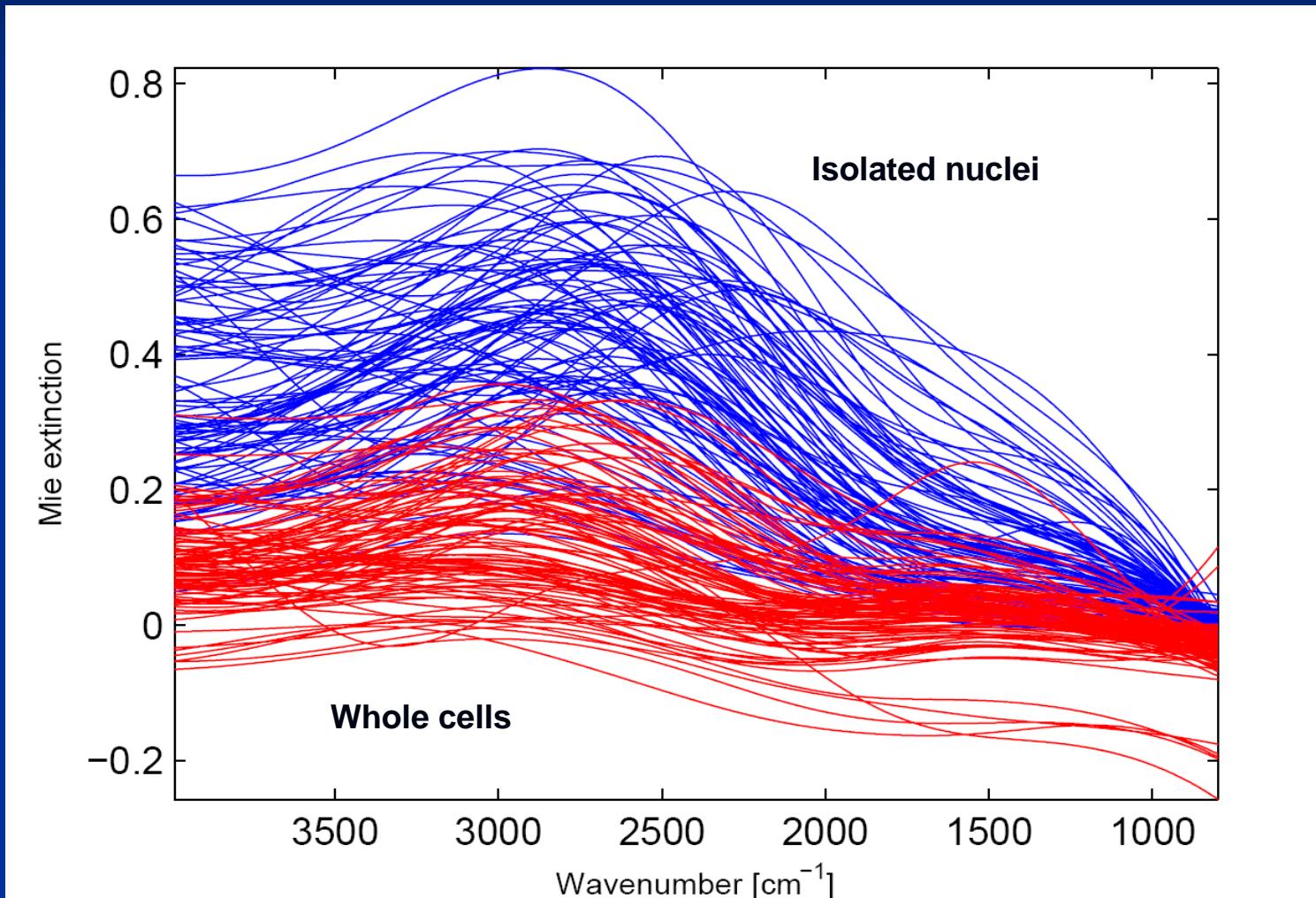
**NEEDS TO BE VALIDATED**

**WITH OTHER STANDARD TECHNIQUES**

# NL20 LUNG EPITHELIAL CELLS



# MIE SCATTERING CURVES



- Kohler A., Sulé-Suso J., Sockalingum G. D., et al. *Appl Spectrosc* 62: 259-266; 2008.
- Bassan P., et al. *Analyst* 134: 1586–1593; 2009.
- Bassan P., et al. *Analyst* 135: 268–277; 2010.
- Bird B., et al. *Biophoton*. 3, No. 8–9, 597–608; 2010.

# CANCER CELLS' NUCLEI

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## Changes in nuclear shape

- Malleable nuclei, crush artifacts      Lung
- Grooves and long clefts      Thyroid, urothelial, ovary, lymphoma
- Polylobulation      Some adenocarcinomas
- Indentations, undulations, folds      Many forms of cancer

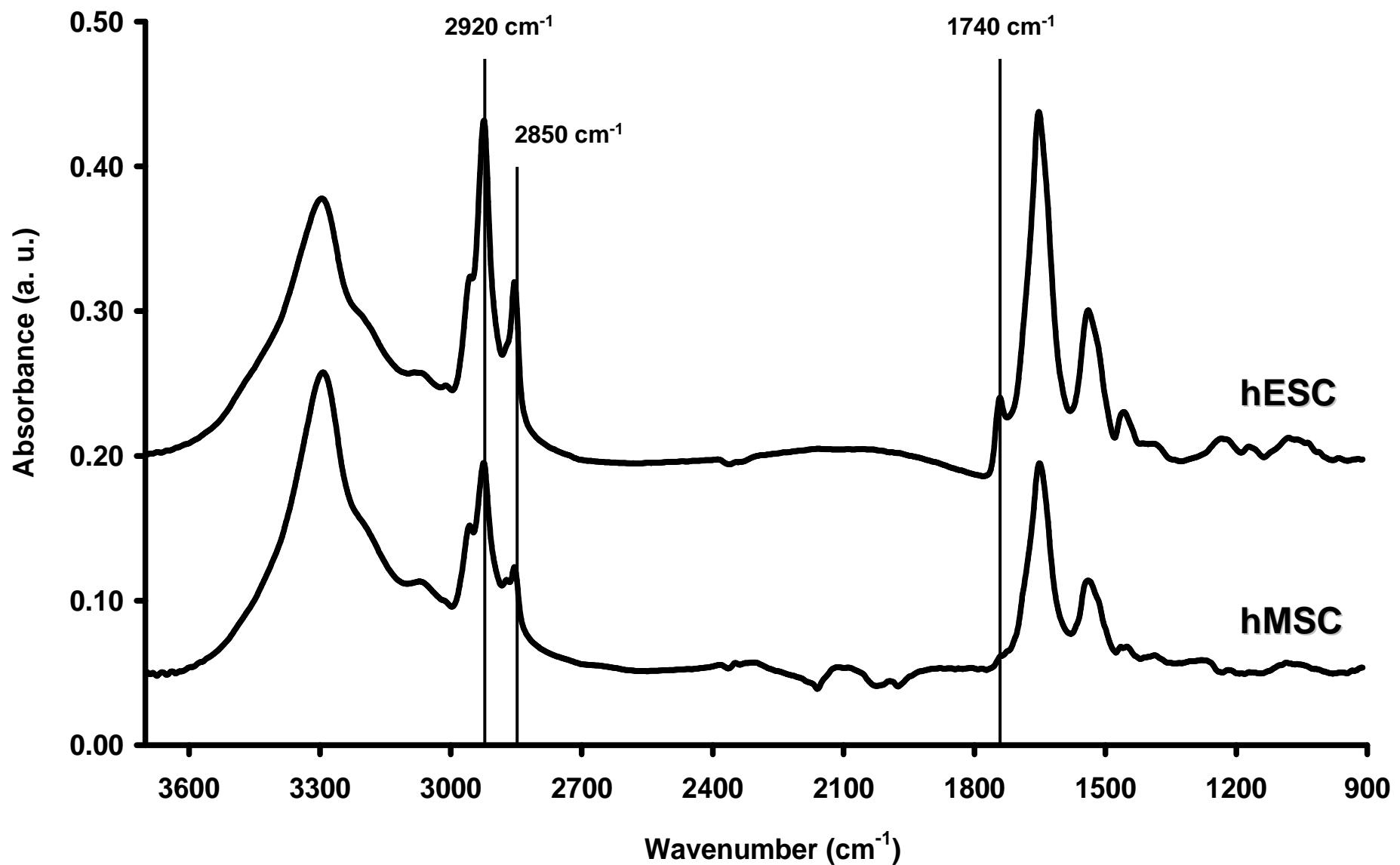
## Chromatin changes

- Coarse aggregates      Many forms of cancer
- Asymmetric aggregates      Wide range of cancers
- Dispersed heterochromatin      Lung
- Loss of aggregates      Many forms of cancer

## Nucleolar alterations

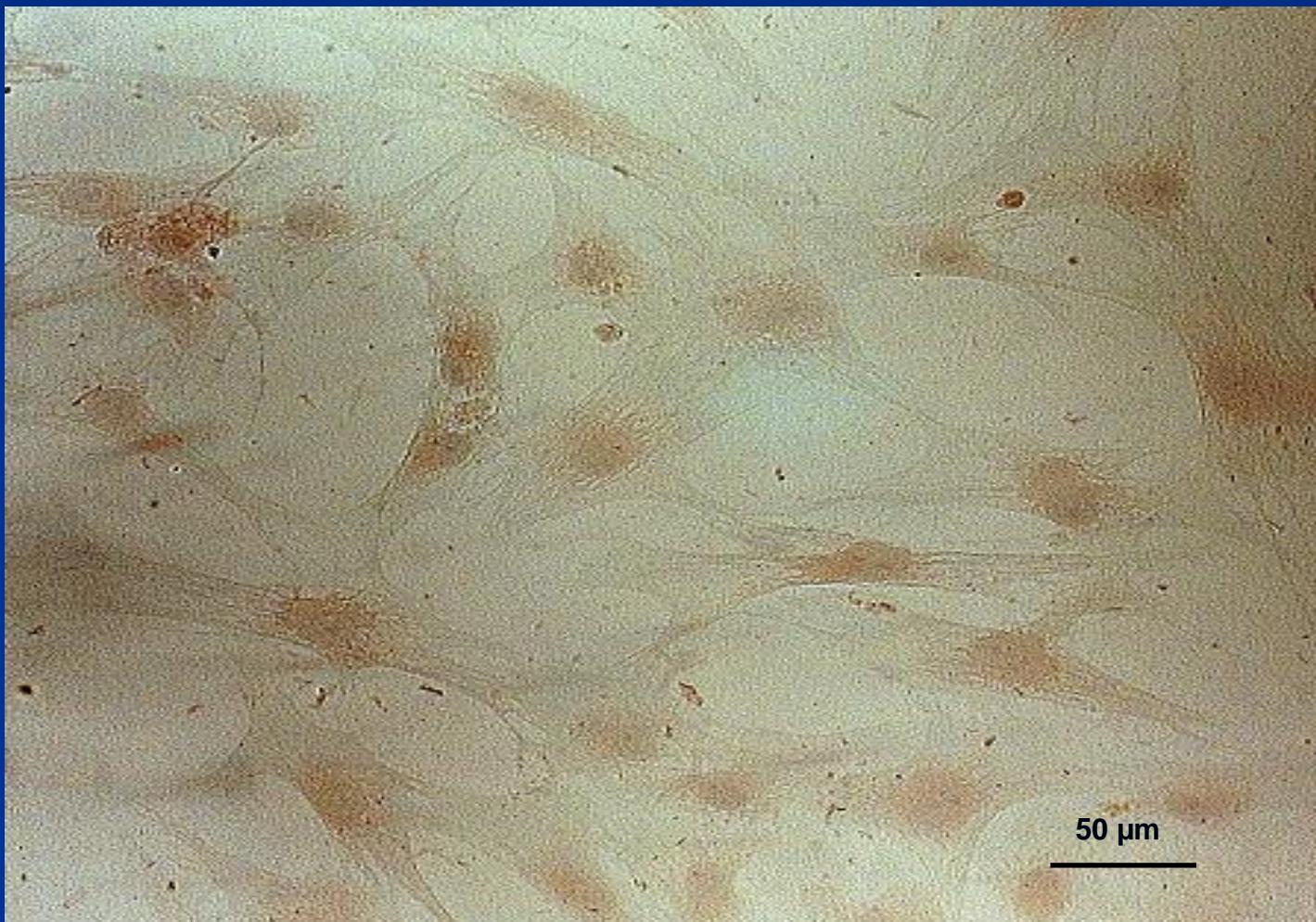
- Enlarged nucleoli      Wide range of cancers
- Inconspicuous nucleoli      Cervix, lung
- Variation in size      Wide range of cancers

# FTIR SPECTRA OF STEM CELLS



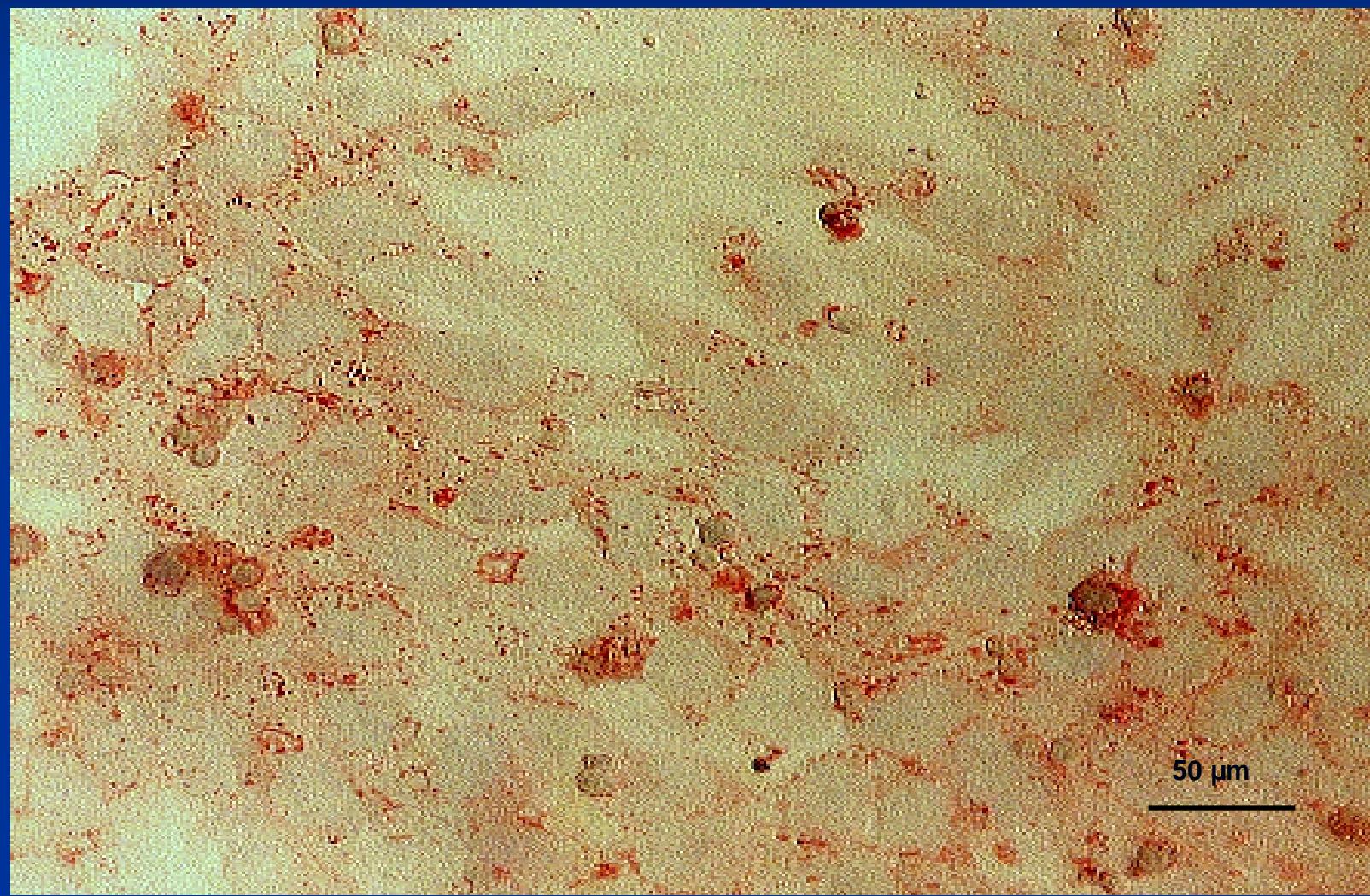
# HUMAN MESENCHYMAL STEM CELLS

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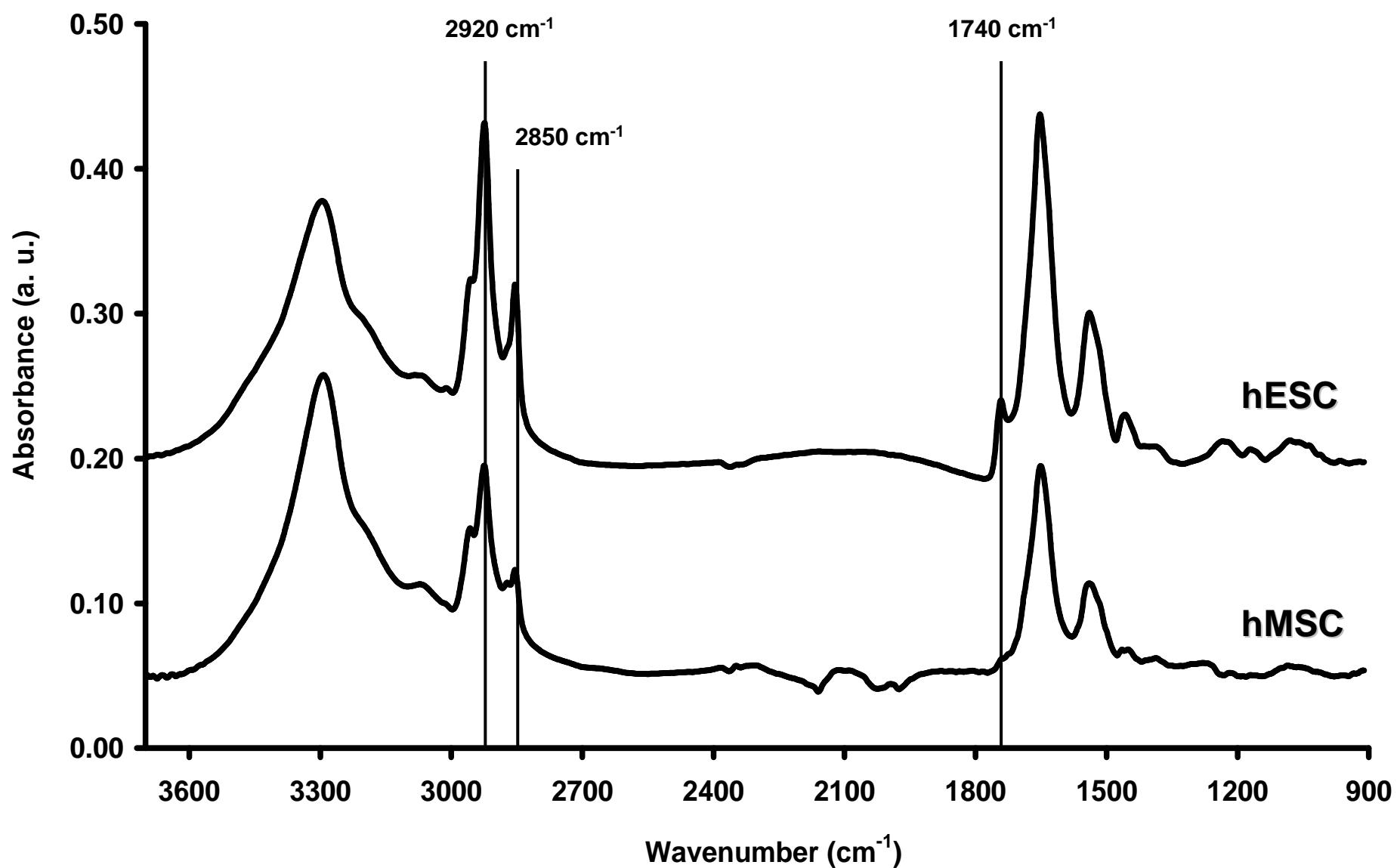


# HUMAN EMBRYONIC STEM CELLS

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# FTIR SPECTRA OF STEM CELLS



# **FTIR SPECTROSCOPY AND CANCER DIAGNOSIS**

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- Cancer diagnosis.
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## **QUESTION**

**Can FTIR spectroscopy help in the  
diagnosis  
and management of cancer?**

## **ANSWER**

**Yes, but**

**For tissue analysis, a spectroscopic model must satisfy three major criteria:**

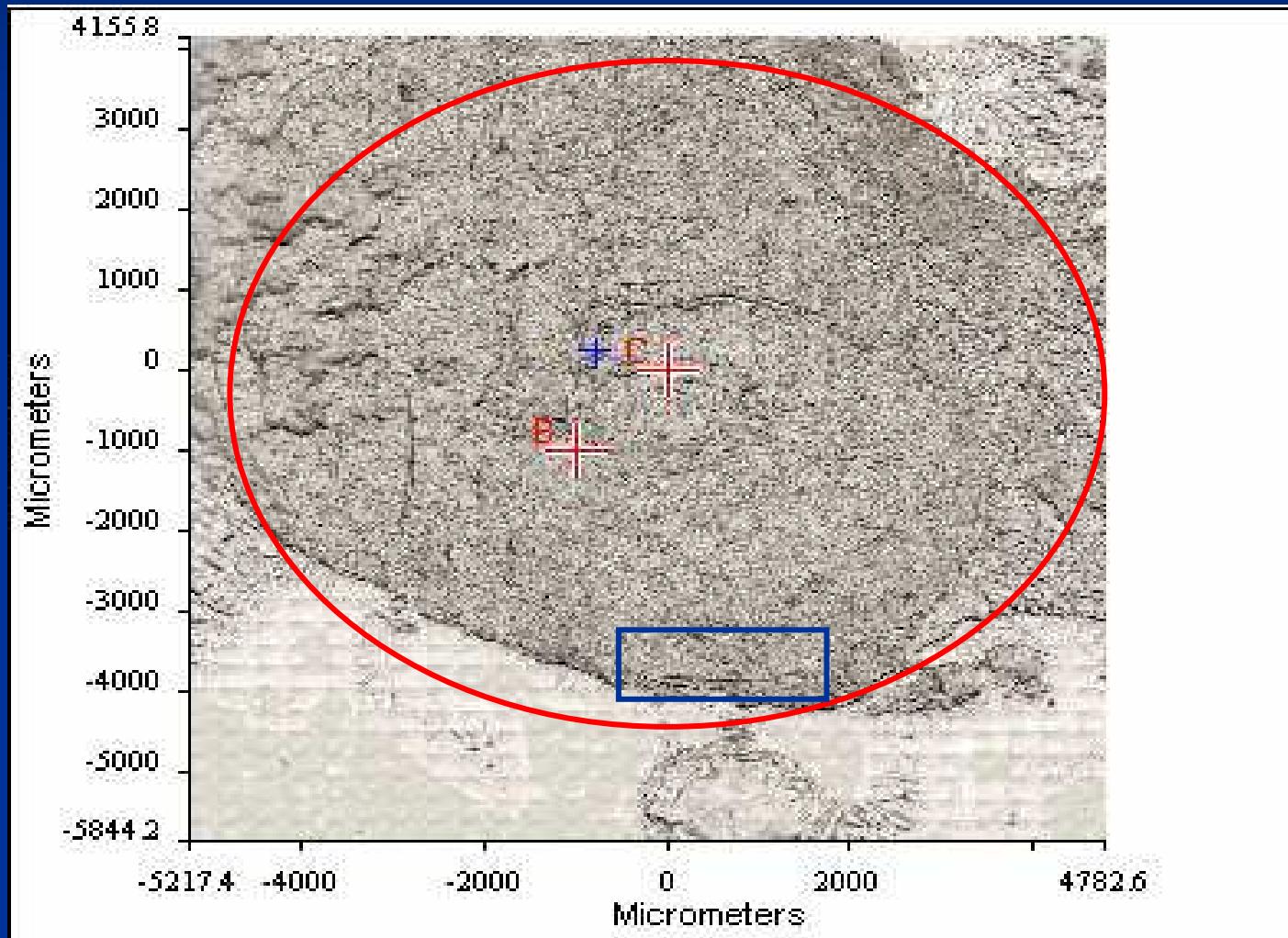
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# LYMPH NODE BIOPSY

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- 1. It must reproduce the essential features of the image pertinent to conventional histology.**
- 2. Implementation must be computationally efficient to be clinically applicable.**
- 3. The model must be robust and validated in extensive studies (*50 cases for pilot studies*).**

*Bhargava R., et al., Biochim Biophys Acta. 2006.*

# CANCER DIAGNOSIS WITH FTIR SPECTROSCOPY

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		No of patients
Yano K.	Anal Biochem, 2000	24
Salman A.	Cell Mol biol 2001	10
Argov S.	J Biomed Optics, 2002.	24
Malins D. C.	PNAS, 2003	49
Mordechai S.	J Microsc, 2003	10
Ramesh J.	J Lab Clin Med, 2003.	3
Steiner G.	Biopolymers, 2003	24
Wang J.-S.	World J Gastroenterol, 2003	27
Wood B. R.	Gynecol Oncol, 2004	10
German M.	Biophys J, 2006	6
Andrus P. G.	Technol Cancer Res treat, 2006	9
Gazi E.	Eur Urol, 2006	36
Paluszakiewicz C.	Vibrat Spectrosc, 2007	5

# CONCLUSION

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- Better interaction Spectroscopists-clinicians
- Standardisation
  - Sample preparation
  - Data collection
  - Data analysis
- Validation
- Big studies (multicentre), big number of patients (statistical input)
- Publish in medical journals.

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