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Oleg Gleizer* (prof1140g@gmail.com). *Fractal Dimensions, from a Math Circle Lesson to a Medical Application*. Preliminary report.

In this talk, we will tell a story of how explaining fractal dimensions to a talented high-school student has resulted into a technology capable of early diagnosing Parkinson's disease based on a voice sample, without ever seeing a patient, with an astonishing near 100% accuracy. The mathematical part of the story is based on Darkhovsky dimension of a signal, a novel way of looking at complexity of functions, continuous and discrete, that seems to have a huge industrial potential, from machine-diagnosing various disorders to finance to information security. (Received July 22, 2015)