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- 1. Chatter is an artifact of narrow, evenly spaced, parallel bands across the tissue section.
True False

- 2. Chatter is particularly present in what type of tissue?
A. Brain
B. Kidney
C. G.I. biopsies
D. Lung

- 3. Chatter happens within tissue when the tissue is re-hydrated too much.
True False

- 4. One of the methods used to reduce chatter in G.I. biopsies was to soak the trimmed block in ice water for 15 to 30 min..
True False

- 5. Histonet.org recorded how many chatter related messages over the past 5 years?
A. 137
B. 328
C. 145
D. 950

- 6. Chatter is found to be highly operator dependent.
True False

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