



Figure 7. Percent of lung cancer deaths in males relative to deaths by all causes (proportional mortality - lung cancer) plotted with respect to age for four groups (cohorts) with different cigarette smoking characteristics and for a cohort of non-smokers. For example, for a cohort of 70-year old males which is composed of 75 percent cigarette smokers, 7.8 percent of all deaths at age 70 are predicted to be from lung cancer. Graphical presentation based on data from Hammond *et al.* (1978).