




心理统计

第二十六讲：脑影像统计1 ——脑影像数据分析原理

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脑功能磁共振成像



任务态功能磁共振成像



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脑成像数据处理软件



OsiriX



MRICron

Chris Rorden
dcm2nii **NITRC** Neuroimaging Tools & Resources Collaboratory
<https://www.nitrc.org/plugins/mwiki/index.php/dcm2nii:MainPage>

DICOM to NIFTI converter



FreeSurfer



SPM

FreeSurfer Software Suite
An open source software suite for processing and analyzing (human) brain MRI images.


- Skullstripping
- Image Registration
- Subcortical Segmentation
- Cortical Surface Reconstruction
- Cortical Segmentation
- Cortical Thickness Estimation
- Longitudinal Processing
- fMRI Analysis
- Tractography
- FreeView Visualization GUI
- and much more...






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DPARSF





Haris I. Sair
Johns Hopkins University


Reporting of Resting-State Functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging Preprocessing Methodologies

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Yan and Zang, 2010.
Front Syst Neurosci.
Cited: > 3000 times

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DPARSF Citations



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DPARSF

Data Organization

ProcessingDemoData.zip

FunRaw

- Sub_001
- Sub_002
- Sub_003

Functional DICOM data

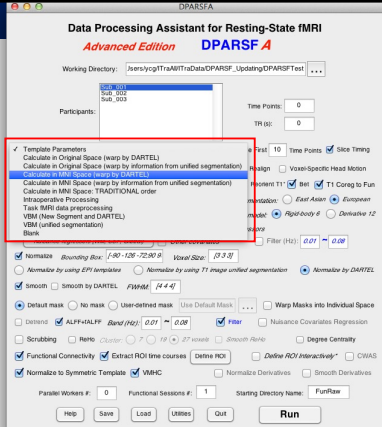
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Structural DICOM data

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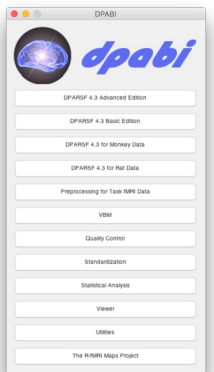
Resting State fMRI Data Processing



Template Parameters

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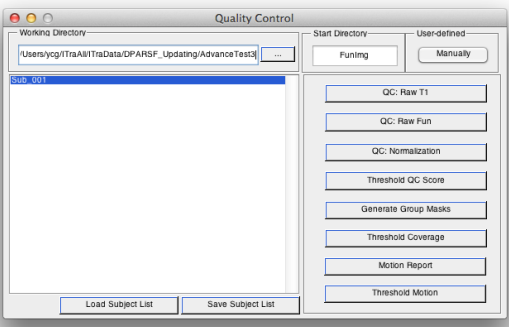


Yan et al., 2016. Neuroinformatics

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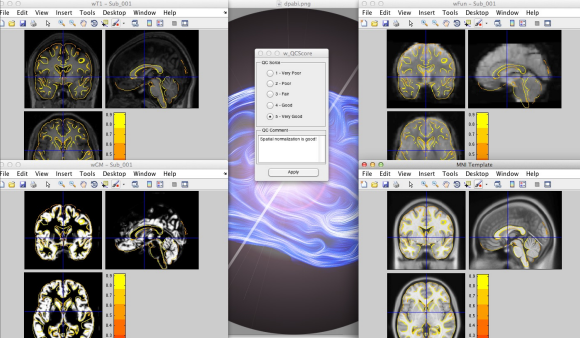
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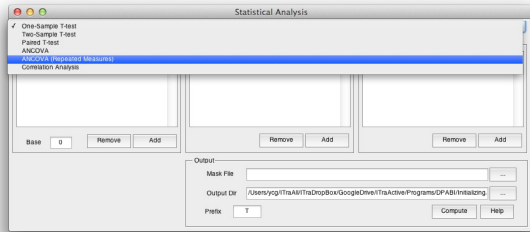
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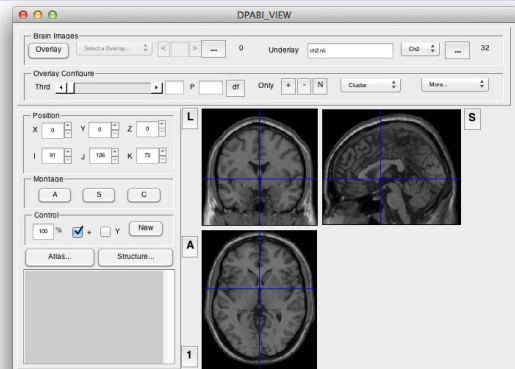
Statistical Analysis



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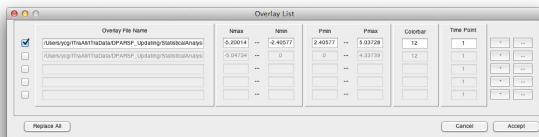
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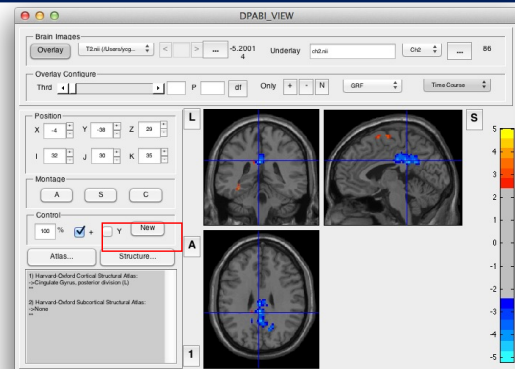
DPABI Viewer



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Resting-State fMRI: Principles

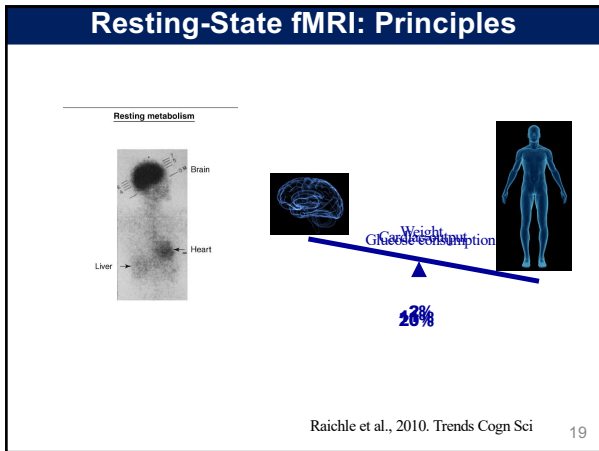


All of the human high mental functions such as thinking, emotion and consciousness rely on brain, an extremely complex system (Singer, 1999)

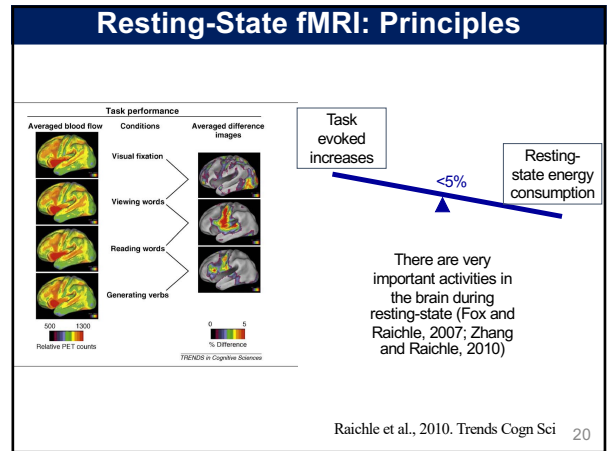
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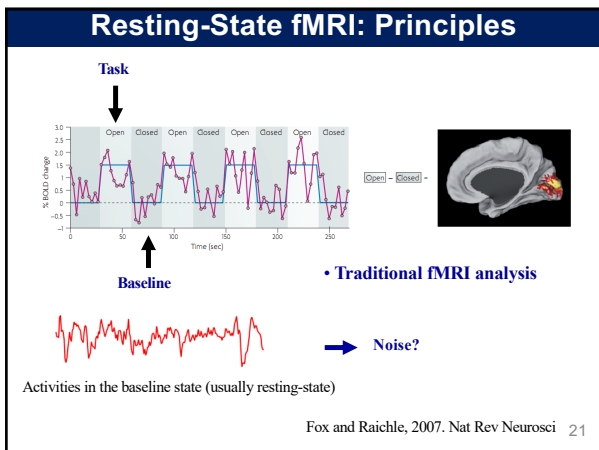
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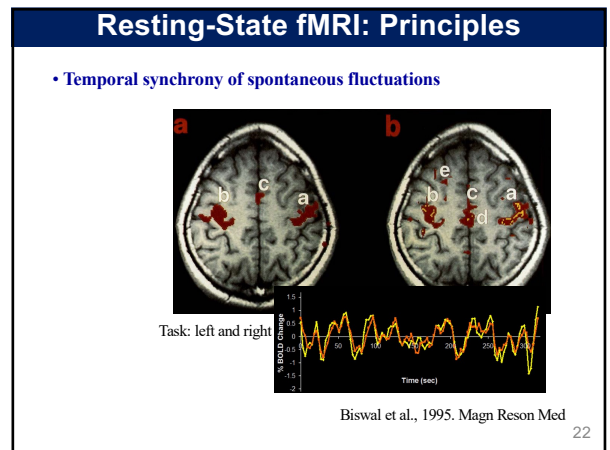
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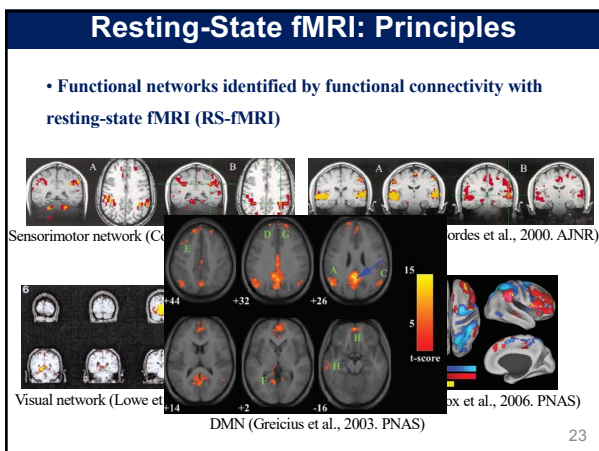
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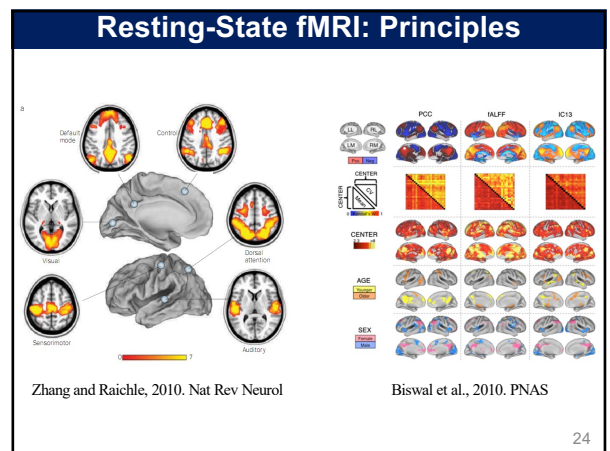
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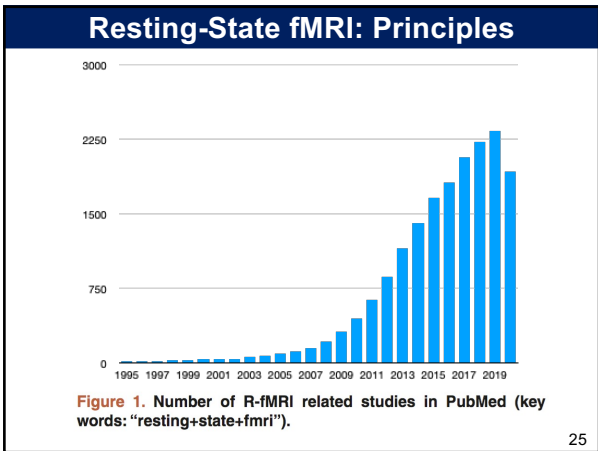
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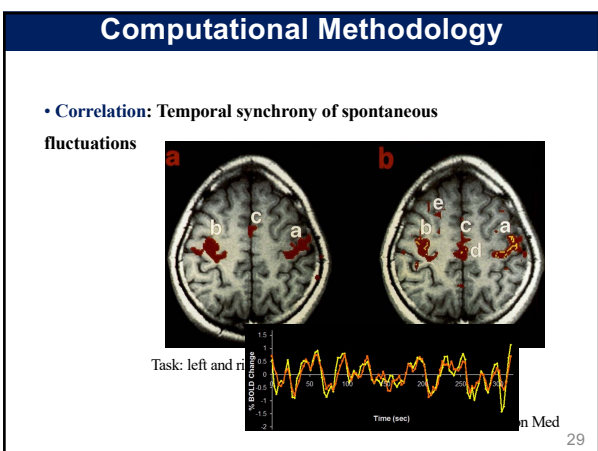
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- ### Computational Methodology
- Integration approach
 - Regional approach
 - Graphical approach

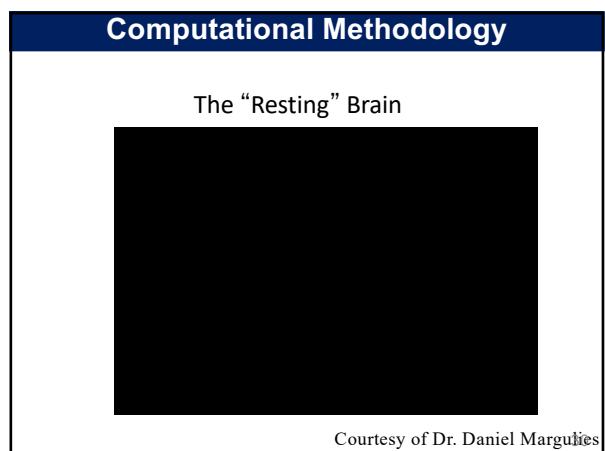
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- ### Computational Methodology
- Integration approach
- Functional Connectivity
 - a
 - Effective Connectivity: (Friston et al., 2002)
 - Hierarchical Clustering: (Cordes et al., 2000; Salvador et al., 2005)
 - Self Organization Map: (Peltier et al., 2003)
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Computational Methodology

How do we detect organized patterns of intrinsic activity?

Resting State Functional Connectivity

Correlate

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Computational Methodology

- Correlation

Zhang and Raichle, 2010. Nat Rev Neurol

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Computational Methodology

- Independent Component Analysis

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Computational Methodology

- Voxel-mirrored homotopic connectivity (VMHC)

Gee et al., 2011

Zuo et al., 2010

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Computational Methodology

Directionality

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Computational Methodology

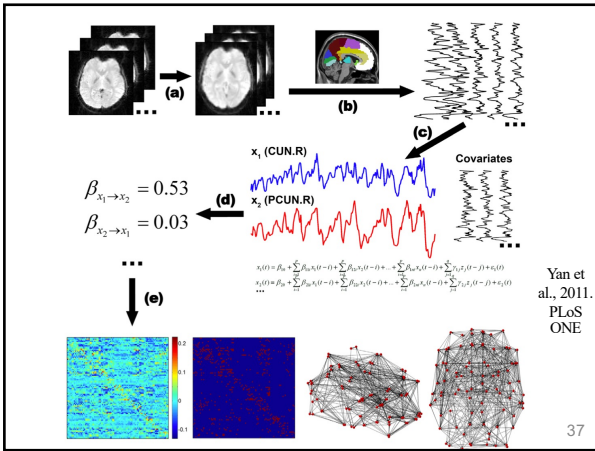
Directionality

- Statistical techniques
 - Structural Equation Modeling (McIntosh and Gonzalez-Lima, 1994)
 - Dynamic Causal Modeling (Friston et al., 2003)
 - Granger Causality Analysis (GCA) (Granger, 1969; Goebel et al., 2003)
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- Lesion studies
- Brain stimulation

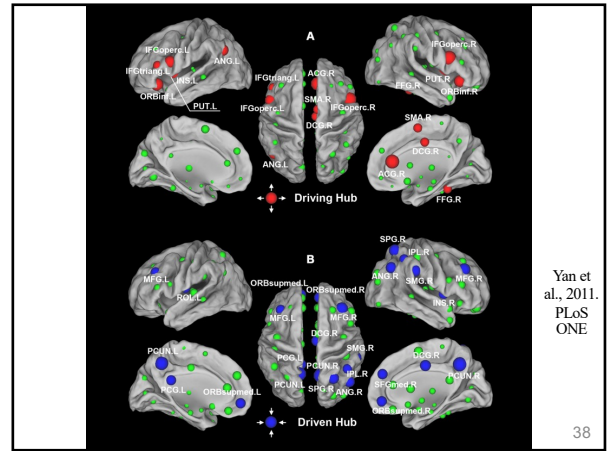
Craddock, Yan et al., 2013. Nat Methods

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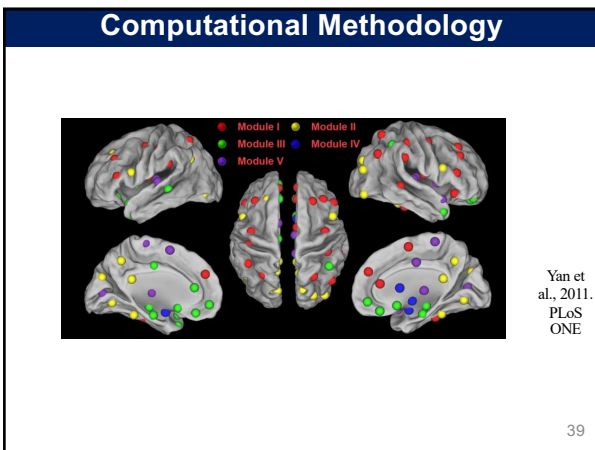
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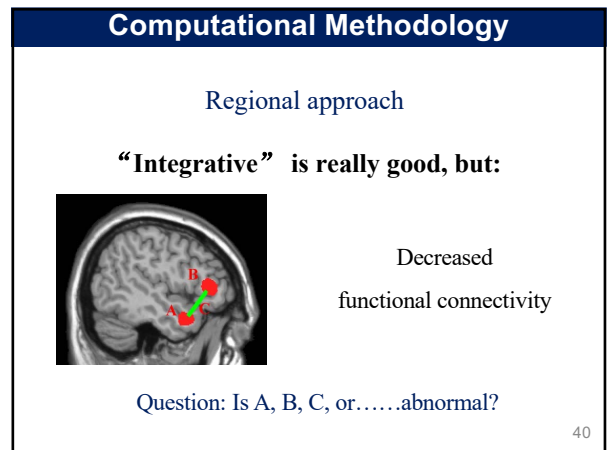
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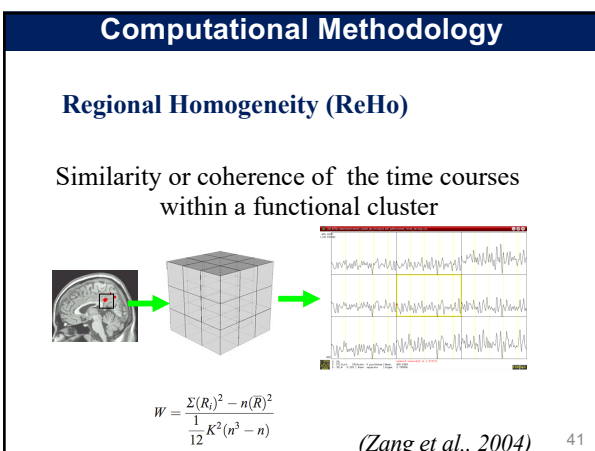
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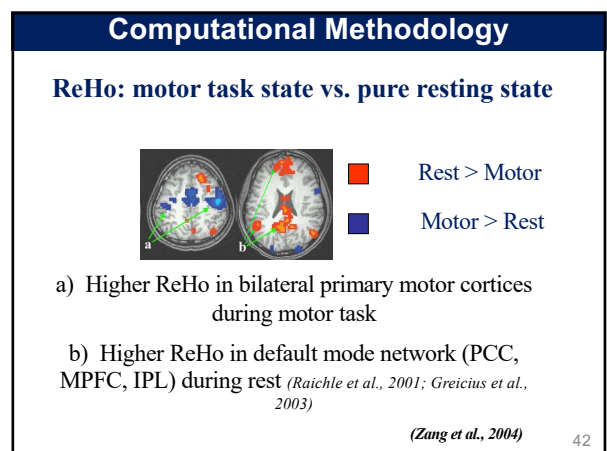
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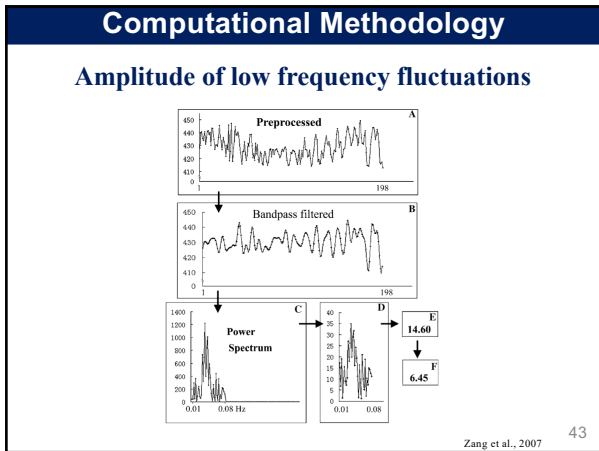
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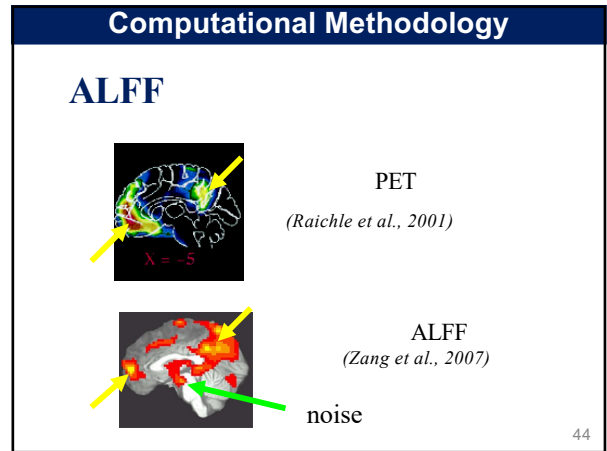
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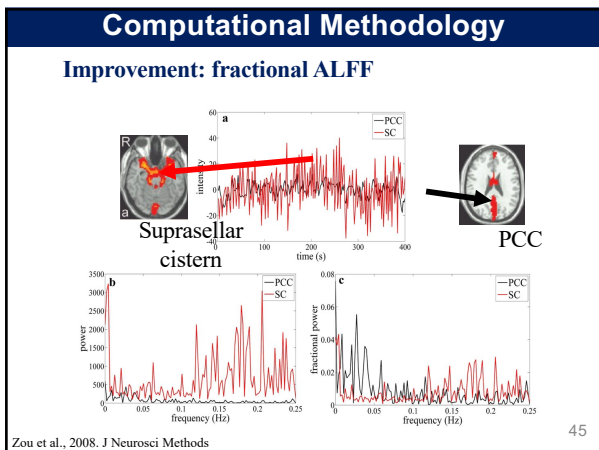
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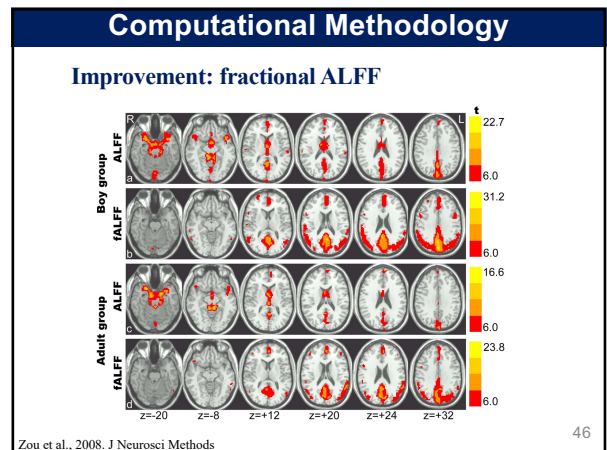
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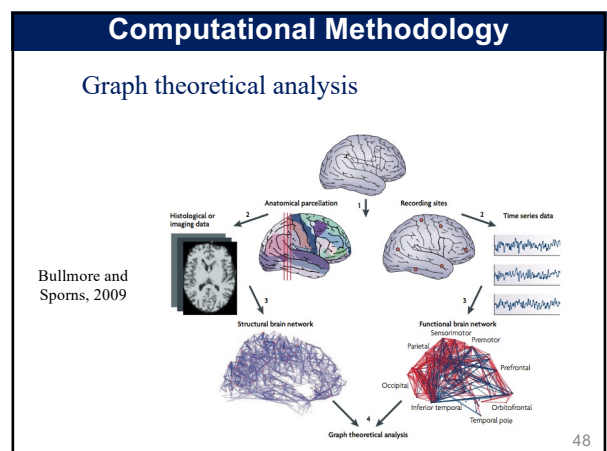
Computational Methodology

Graphical approach

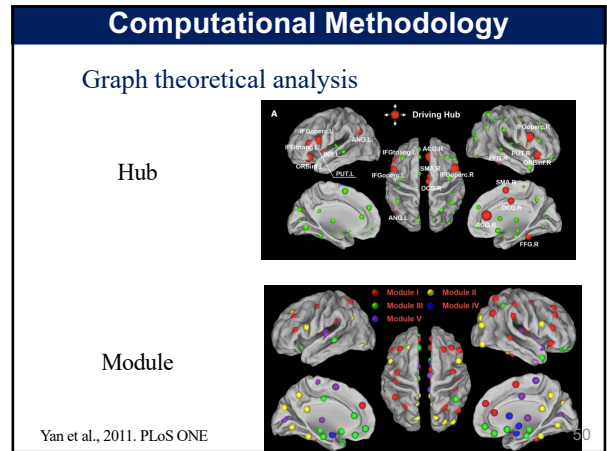
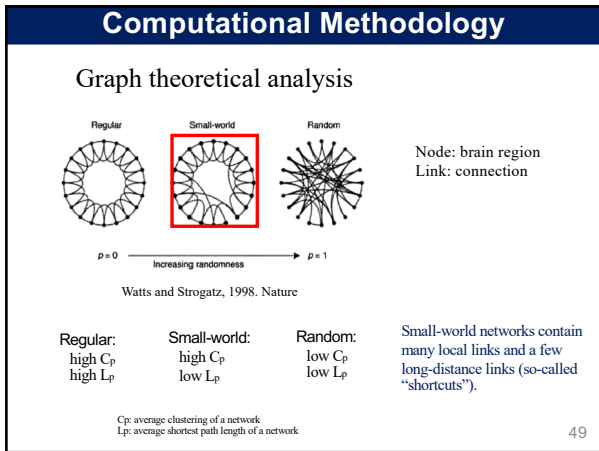
- Graph theoretical analysis: (Salvador et al., 2005, Bullmore and Sporns, 2009)
 - Degree connectivity, functional connectivity density, degree centrality: (Buckner et al., 2009; Tomasi et al., 2010; Cole et al., 2010; Zuo et al., 2012)
- ...

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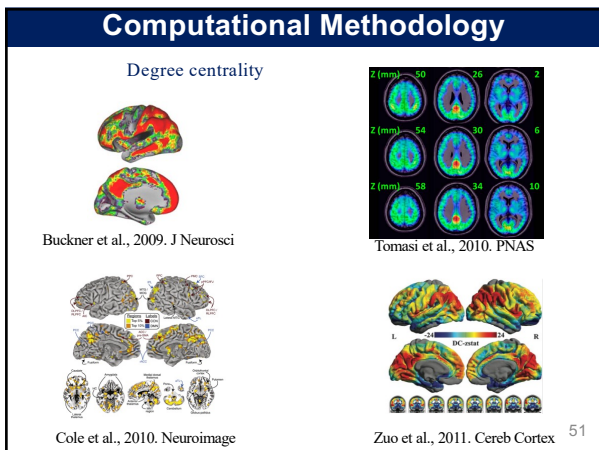


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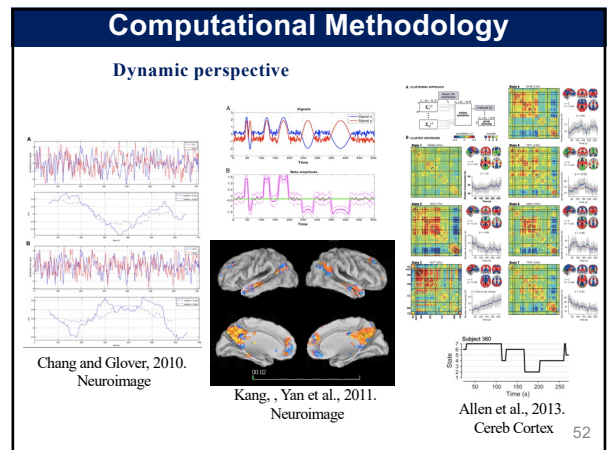


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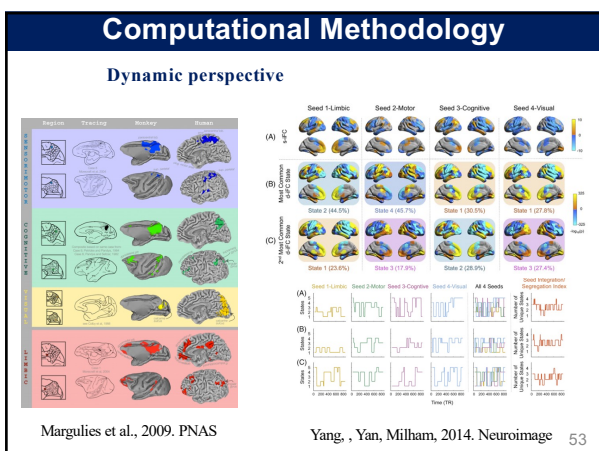
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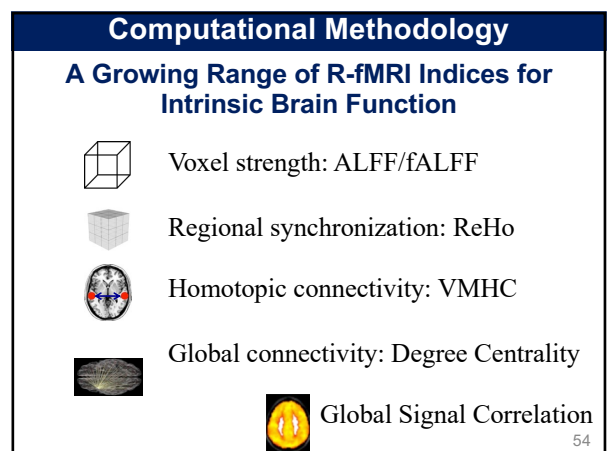
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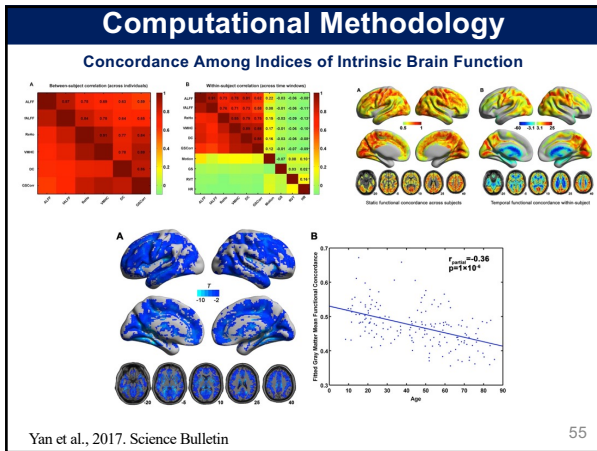
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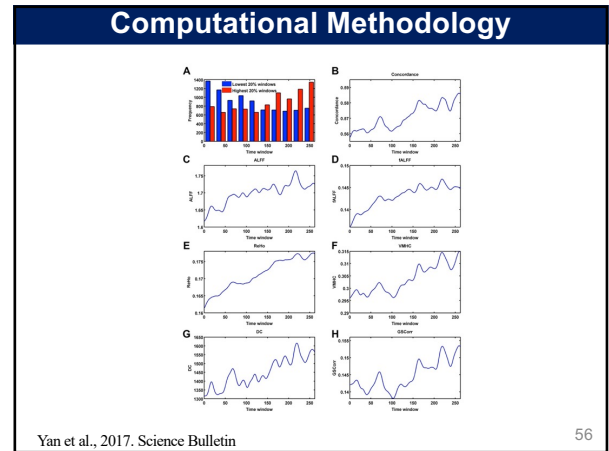
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Methodological Issues

- Head motion *Yan et al., 2013a. Neuroimage*
- Standardization *Yan et al., 2013. Front Hum Neurosci*
- Multiple-comparison correction *Yan et al., 2013b. Neuroimage*
- And many many more... *Chen, Lu, Yan*, 2017. Human Brain Mapping*

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Methodological Issues: Head Motion

Power et al, 2012. Neuroimage
Van Dijk et al, 2012. Neuroimage

Head motion is a critical factor in R-fMRI data processing.
Need an effective motion correction strategy!

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Methodological Issues: Head Motion

Proposed an effective head motion correction strategy

- Individual-level correction with the Friston-24 model
- Group-level correction with head motion covariate

➤ Cited: 1303 times
➤ ESI Top 0.1% highly cited paper

Yan et al., 2013a. Neuroimage

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Methodological Issues: Standardization

Table 1. Factors can introduce unintended variations in fMRI measurement.

Category	Factor
1. Acquisition-related variations	Scanner make and model (Friedman and Glover, 2006b), sequence type (serial vs. echo-planar, single-echo vs. multi-echo) (Kocher et al., 2002), parallel vs. conventional acquisition (Feinberg et al., 2010; Liu et al., 2005), coil type (surface vs. volume, number of channels, orientation), repetition time, number of repetitions, flip angle, echo time, and acquisition volume (field of view, voxel size, slice thickness/page, slice prescription) (Friedman and Glover, 2006a)
2. Experimental-related variations	Participant instructions (Harbige et al., 2011), eyes-open/eyes-closed (Yan et al., 2009; Yang et al., 2007), visual displays, experiment duration (Fang et al., 2007; Van Dijk et al., 2016)
3. Environment-related variations	Sound attenuation measures (Cho et al., 1998; Elliott et al., 1999), attempts to improve participant comfort during scans (e.g., music, videos) (Culver et al., 2009), head-motion restraint techniques (e.g., vacuum pad, foam pad, bite-bar, plaster cast head holder) (Edward et al., 2000; Menon et al., 1997), room temperature and moisture (Vanhoose et al., 2006)
4. Participant-related variations	Circadian cycle (Shawson et al., 2012), prandial (Hase et al., 2009), caffeine (Rack-Somer et al., 2009), and nicotine status (Tanabe et al., 2011), sleepiness/ arousal (Kronitz et al., 2006), sleep deprivation (Sarnath et al., 2010), scanner anxiety (de Bie et al., 2010), and menstrual cycle status (for women) (Prattopescu et al., 2005)

Yan et al., 2013b. Neuroimage

Biswal et al., 2010, PNAS

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Methodological Issues: Standardization

The Impact of Standardization Procedures on Confound Variables: Site Effects

The Impact of Standardization Procedures on Variables of Interest: Age Effects

Proposed an effective standardization strategy
Mean regression + SD division

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Yan et al., 2013b. Neuroimage

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Our Updated Work

We choose 3 representative dataset to assess 10 methods along the harmonization spectrum, including popular ComBat series and advanced domain adaptation technique SMA and deep learning technique ICVAE, from 5 perspectives.

Wang et al., 2023. Neuroimage

Step1: Extract brain connectome

ReHo, ALFF, fALFF, DC, FC

Step2: Harmonize

Methodology choices

- Linear Regression Series
- Empirical Bayesian ComBat/CovBat
- SMA
- Deep Learning-ICVAE

Step3: Evaluate

Efficiency: Residual site effect
Identifiability: Individual identification
Test-retest reliability: Sex difference between sessions
Replicability: Sex difference across datasets
Extreme case: Sex confounds with sites.

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Methods

Harmonization Methodology	Addresses additive noise	Addresses multiplicative noise	Addresses Covariance	Addresses nonlinear effects	Non-parametric	Formular
Linear regression	without covariates	x				$Reg: y = a + X_i\beta_i + \epsilon$
	with biological covariates	x				$Adj: y = a + X_i\beta_i + X_j\gamma_j + \epsilon$
	mixed model with covariates	x				$LMM: y = a + X_i\beta_i + Z_j\gamma_j + \epsilon$
ComBat	parametric Adjusted	x	x			$y^i = \frac{\sigma_m}{\delta_m} (Z_{ijm} - \hat{\gamma}_{jm}) + \hat{\alpha} + X_{ij}\hat{\beta}_i$
	parametric Unadjusted	x	x			$y^i = \frac{\sigma_m}{\delta_m} (Z_{ijm} - \hat{\gamma}_{jm}) + \hat{\alpha}$
	nonparametric Adjusted	x	x		x	$y^i = \frac{\sigma_m}{\hat{E}(\delta_{im})} (Z_{ijm} - \hat{E}(\gamma_{jm})) + \hat{\alpha} + X_{ij}\hat{\beta}_i$
	nonparametric Unadjusted	x	x		x	$y^i = \frac{\sigma_m}{\hat{E}(\delta_{im})} (Z_{ijm} - \hat{E}(\gamma_{jm})) + \hat{\alpha}$
CovBat	x	x	x			$y^i = (y_{i1}, \dots, y_{iM}) \sum_{j=1}^M (y_{ij} - \hat{\gamma}_{jm}) \delta_j^i + \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} (y_{ik} - \hat{\alpha}_k) \delta_k^i$
Subsampling Maximum-mean-distance based Algorithm	x	x	x	x	x	$y_{i_{correct}} = SMA(A_{argmin} \overline{MD}(A^k(y_{i_{correct}}), y_{i_{correct}}))_{i \in I_0}$
Invariant Conditional Variational Auto-Encoder	x	x	x	x	x	$\hat{y}^i = ICVAE(\hat{y})$

Wang et al., 2023. Neuroimage

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Evaluation Process

Wang et al., 2023. Neuroimage

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Application Guidance

Summary

- SMA performs the best overall.
- We provide a heuristic formula to assist choose target site when applying SMA to harmonize.
- We have opened our data and codes, and easy-to-use module specialized for harmonization shall be implemented in the next release of DPABI, including SMA, CovBat, ComBat and ICVAE etc.
- Together with the replication and validation efforts from other researchers, we hope this work would encourage better harmonization methods and reach consensus for the field.

Wang et al., 2023. Neuroimage

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Due to the recent discovery of an fMRI bug, about 40,000 papers on brain research may now be invalid.

Eklund et al., 2016. PNAS

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Probability of not getting a false positive result: 0.95, 0.95, 0.95, 0.95, 0.95

Probability of getting a false positive result: 0.05, 0.05, 0.05, 0.05, 0.05

1 - 0.05 = 0.95

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Reproducibility and Multiple Comparison Correction

Multiple Comparisons

Gaussian Random Field Theory Correction

Monte Carlo simulations (AlphaSim)

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Reproducibility and Multiple Comparison Correction

A

Beijing, one sample t-test, 6 mm, CDT $p = 0.01$

Beijing, one sample t-test, 6 mm, CDT $p = 0.001$

Beijing, one sample t-test, 6 mm, voxel inference

B

Cambridge, one sample t-test, 6 mm, CDT $p = 0.01$

Cambridge, one sample t-test, 6 mm, CDT $p = 0.001$

Cambridge, one sample t-test, 6 mm, voxel inference

Fig. 1. Results for one-sample t tests, showing estimated FWE rates for (A) Beijing and (B) Cambridge data analyzed with 6 mm of smoothing and four different activity paradigms (B1, B2, E1, and E2), for SPM, FSL, AFNI, and a permutation test. These results are for a group size of 20. The estimated FWE rates are simply the number of analyses with any significant group activation divided by the number of analyses (1,000). From Left to Right: Cluster inference using a cluster-defining threshold (CDT) of $P = 0.01$ and a FWE-corrected threshold of $P = 0.05$, cluster inference using a CDT of $P = 0.001$ and a FWE-corrected threshold of $P = 0.05$, and voxel inference using a FWE-corrected threshold of $P = 0.05$. Note that the default CDT is $P = 0.001$ in SPM and $P = 0.01$ in FSL (AFNI does not have a default setting).

Eklund et al., 2016. PNAS

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Reproducibility and Multiple Comparison Correction

Permutation Test

Permutations

Frequency

Test statistic

T_1

p-value

Winkler et al., 2016. Neuroimage

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Reproducibility and Multiple Comparison Correction

Threshold-Free Cluster Enhancement (TFCE)

original signal

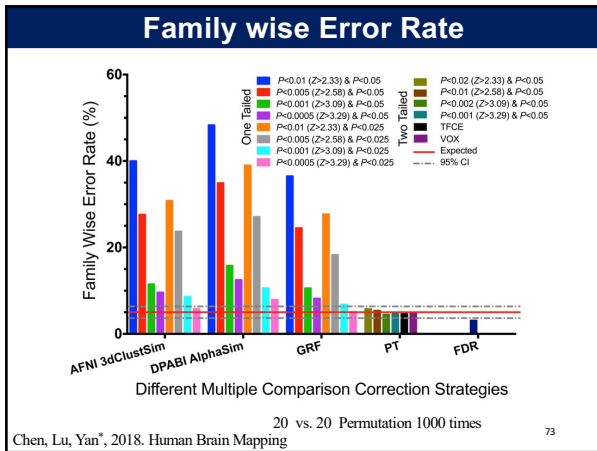
TFCE enhancement

Fig. 1. Illustration of the TFCE approach. Left: the TFCE score at voxel p is given by the sum of the scores of all incremental supporting sections (one such is shown as the dark-grey band) within the area of "support" of p (light grey). The score for each section is a simple function of its height h and extent e . Right: example input image and TFCE-enhanced output. The input contains a focal, high signal, a much more spatially extended, lower, signal and a pair of overlapping signals of intermediate extent and height. The TFCE output has the same maximal values for all three cases, and preserves the distinct local maxima in the third case.

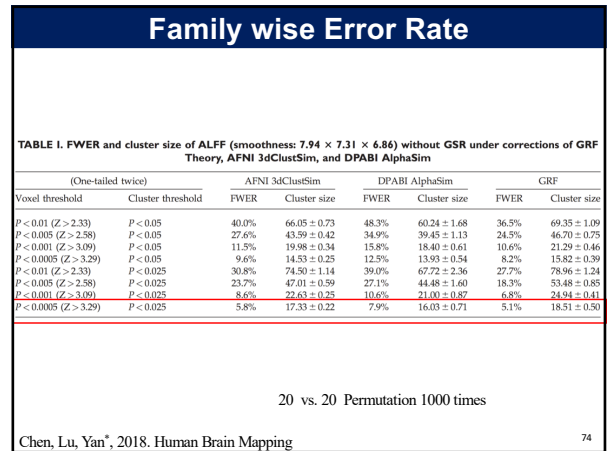
Smith et al., 2009. Neuroimage

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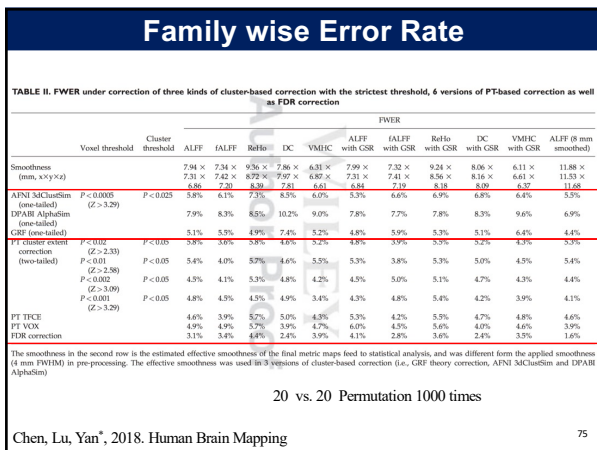
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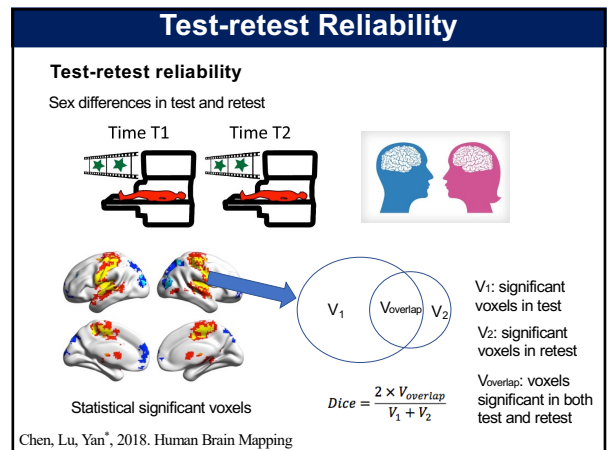
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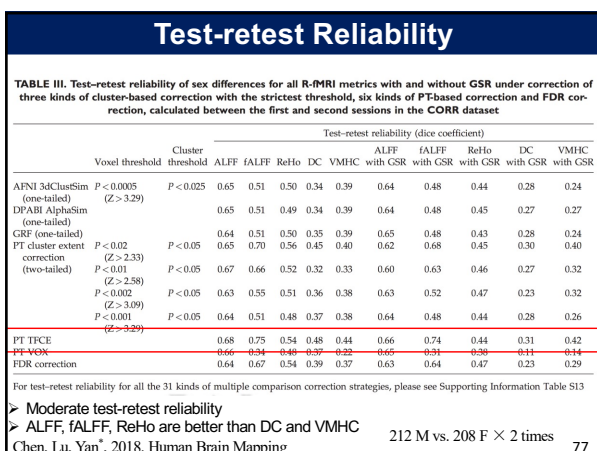
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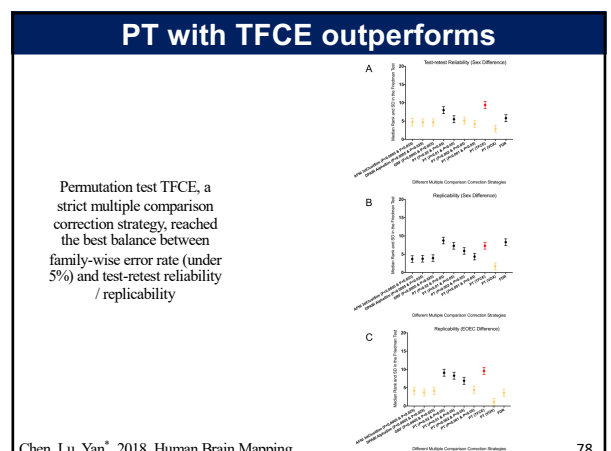
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静息态功能磁共振数据处理平台

DPARSF: a MATLAB toolbox for "pipeline" data analysis of resting-state fMRI

Yan and Zang, 2010. Front Syst Neurosci.
共同通讯作者; 持续更新至今
Cited: >3000 times

DPARSF: 流水线式fMRI数据处理软件

传统fMRI处理软件: 参数多, 设置繁, 易出错

时间层校正 头动校正 生理噪声回归 配准 平滑 滤波 结果

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同行评价及影响

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高效脑成像数据处理与共享平台

- 整合DPARSF
此前工作, 被引3118次
- 整合方法学改进
头动 (被引1303次)
标准化 (被引375次)
多重比较校正 (被引242次)
- 处理流程规范化
- 统计分析
- 大数据共享平台

Yan* et al., 2016. Neuroinformatics

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引用2136次, 为ESI Top 0.01%高被引论文

Estimation of vocational aptitudes using functional brain networks

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DPARSF Data Organization

ProcessingDemoData.zip

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Functional DICOM data

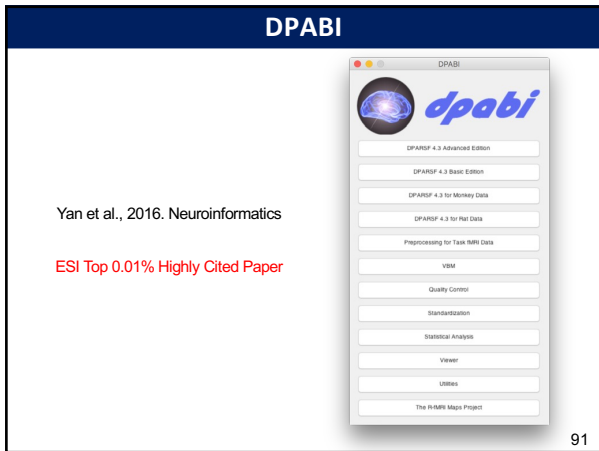
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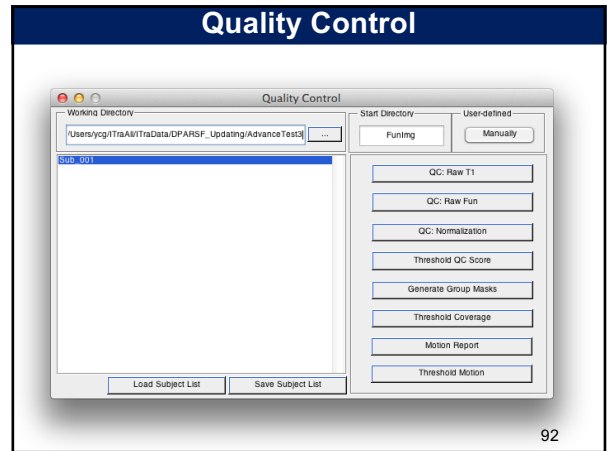
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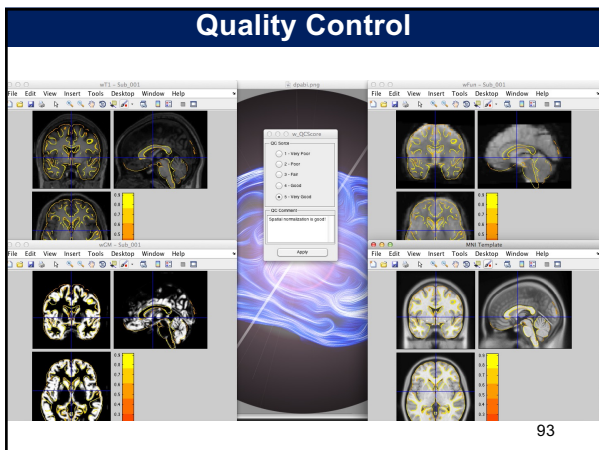
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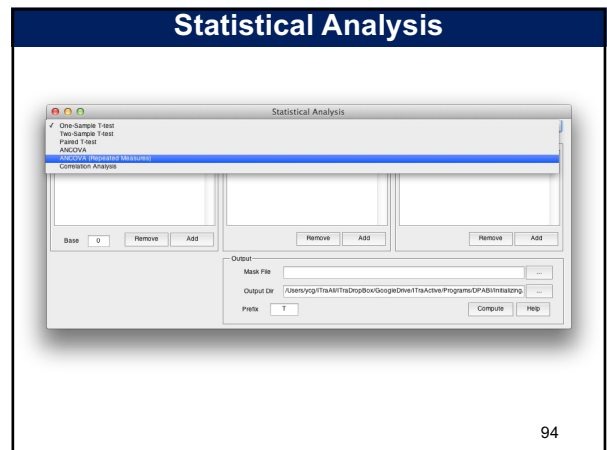
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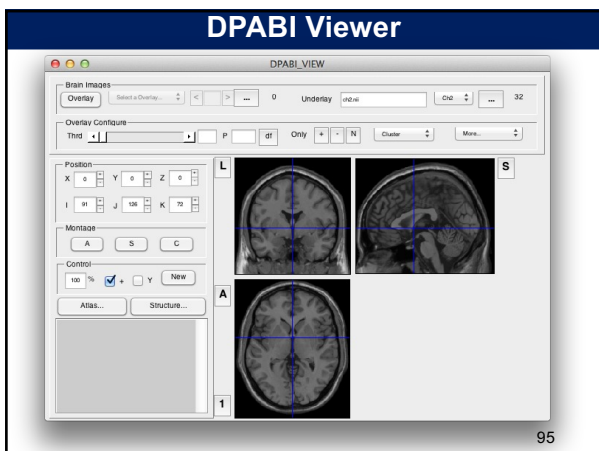
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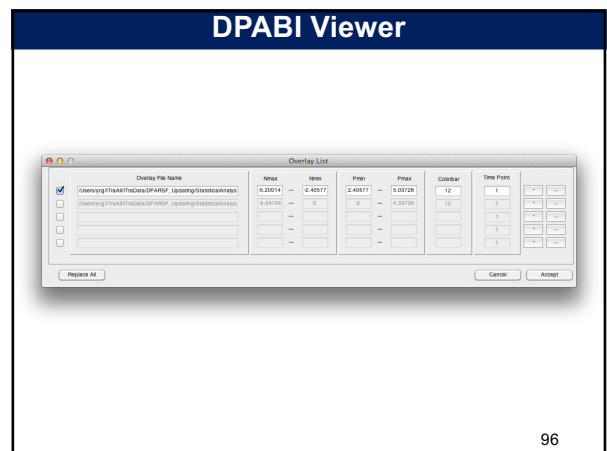
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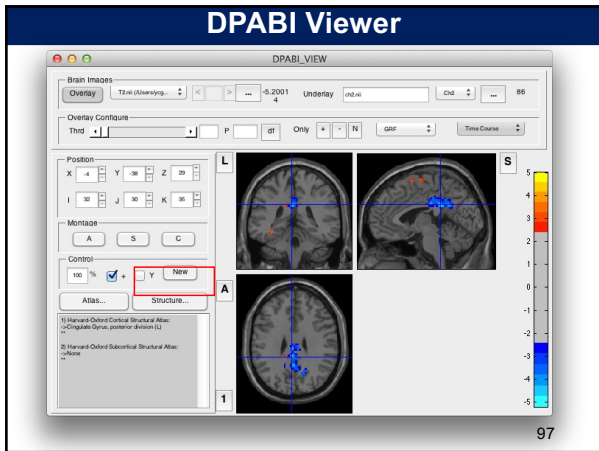
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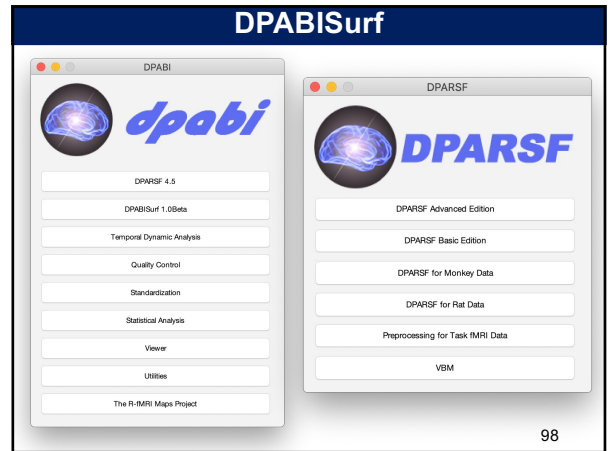
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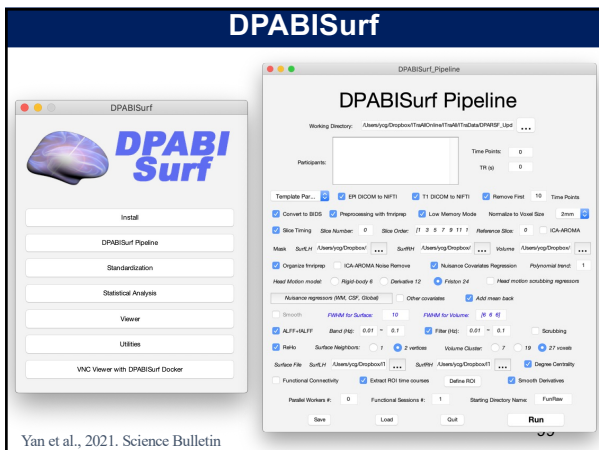
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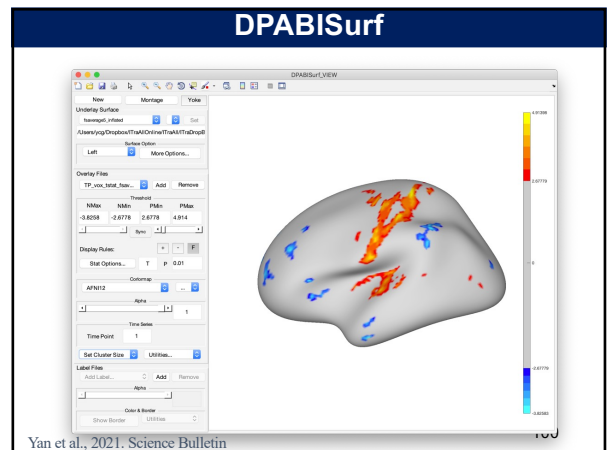
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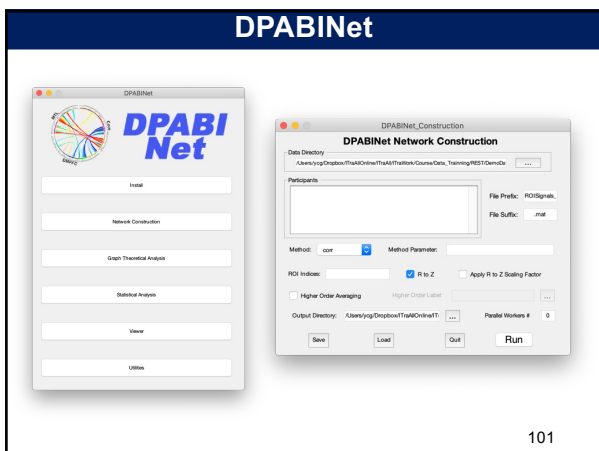
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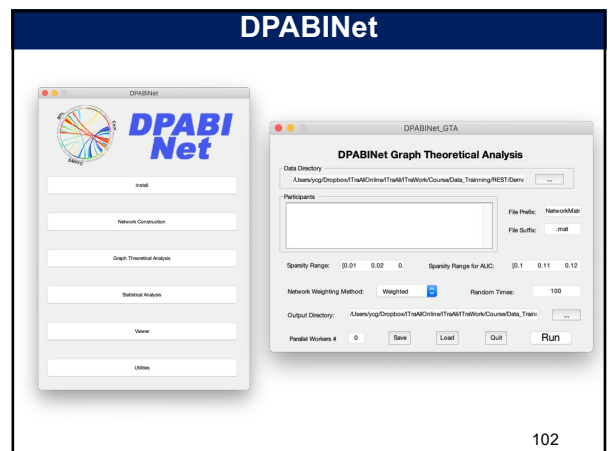
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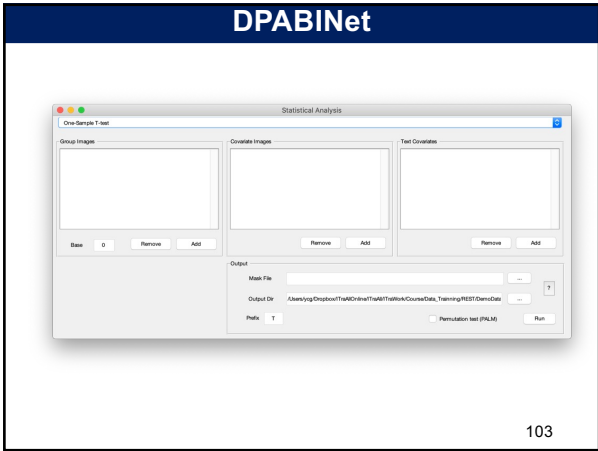
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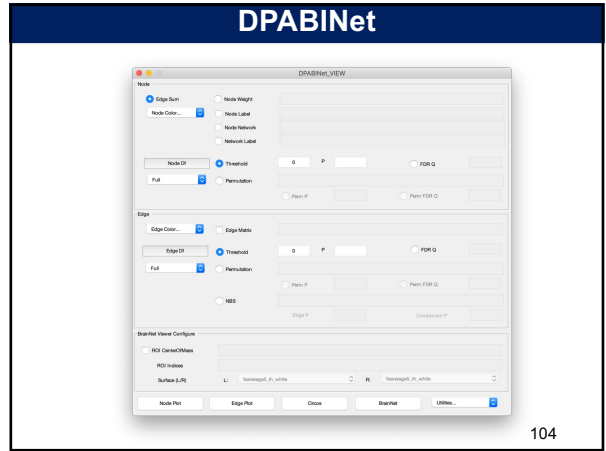
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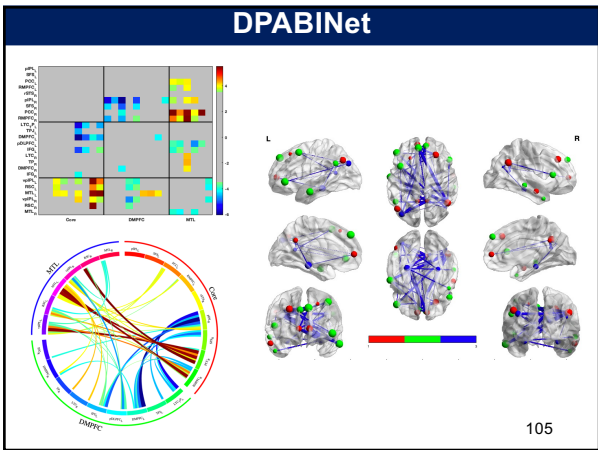
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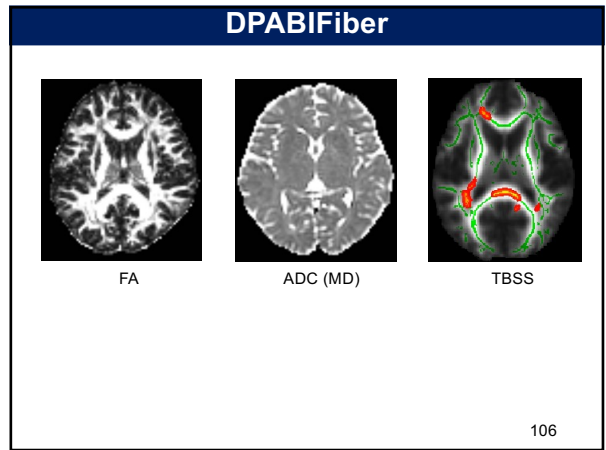
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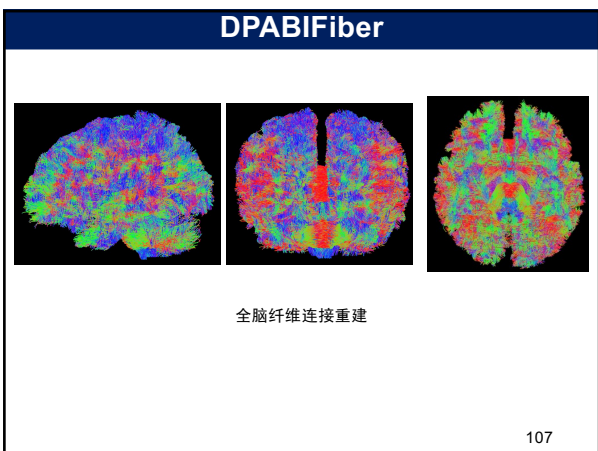
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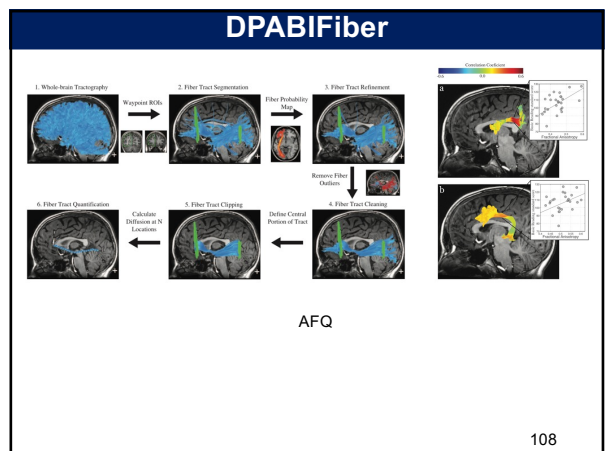
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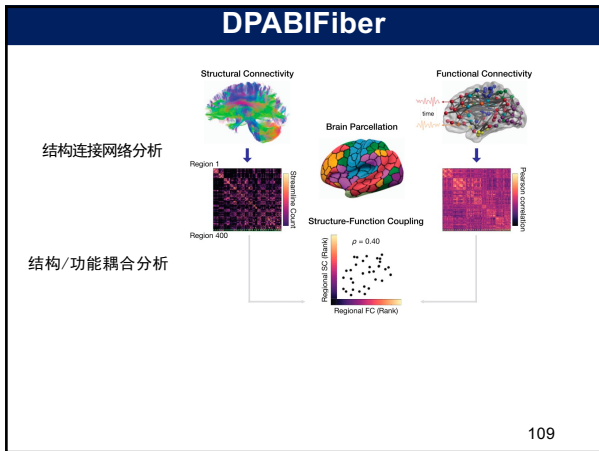
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- ### Future Directions
- R-fMRI methodology
 - Mechanism of R-fMRI: electrophysiology/fMRI recording
 - Modulation and intervention: medication and brain stimulation
 - Application to brain disorders
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Further Help

The R-fMRI Course V3.0

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The DIRECT consortium and the REST-meta-MDD project: towards neuroimaging biomarkers of major depressive disorder

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Global Health Crisis: MDD



"Black Dog"

THE LANCET
Mental health for all: a global goal

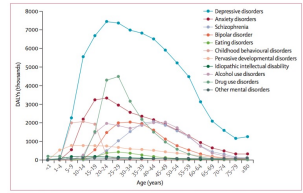



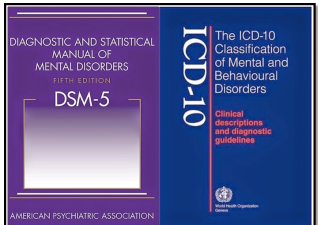
Figure 3: Disability-adjusted life years (DALYs) for each mental and substance use disorder in 2010, by age

- Depressive disorders
- Anxiety disorders
- Schizophrenia
- Bipolar disorder
- Eating disorders
- Childhood behavioural disorders
- Personality developmental disorders
- Specific intellectual disability
- Autism spectrum disorders
- Drug use disorders
- Other mental disorders

Frankish, et al., 2018. Lancet. GBD, 2017. Lancet. Whiteford et al., 2013. Lancet. WHO

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Diagnose of MDD

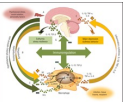



The current diagnostic criteria for MDD are mainly based on symptoms, calling for objective biomarkers

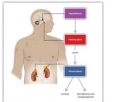
Oquendo et al., 2014. Depress Anxiety

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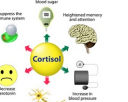
Biomarkers of MDD




Proinflammatory cytokine?



HPA axis?

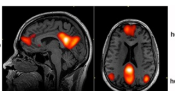


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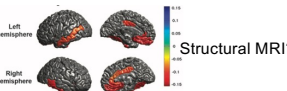


BDNF?

MDD



Functional MRI?



Structural MRI?

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fMRI Studies on MDD

ANALYSIS I

Power failure: why small sample size undermines the reliability of neuroscience

Buttner et al., 2013. Nat Rev Neurosci

ANALYSIS II

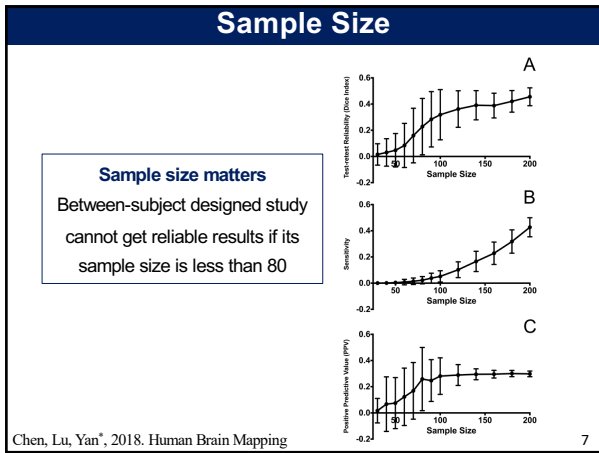
Scanning the horizon: towards transparent and reproducible neuroimaging research

Poldrack et al., 2017. Nat Rev Neurosci

- > Small sample size and restricted power
- > Flexibility in data analysis and inconsistent findings
- > Inappropriate statistical thresholding leads to high false positive rates

Not a suitable biomarker for MDD now!

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Big Data Research is the Future!

Article
Reproducible brain-wide association studies require thousands of individuals

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25 MDD research groups over China

编号	参与研究单位	样本量	
		MDD	NC
1	安徽医科大学	51	36
2	北京大学第六医院	74	74
3	重庆医科大学附属第一医院	111	29
4	东南大学附属中大医院	139	113
5	暨南大学第一临床医学院	50	50
6	昆明医科大学第二附属医院	32	31
7	山西医科大学第一医院	50	53
8	上海交通大学医学院附属精神卫生中心	28	26
9	首都医科大学附属北京安定医院	86	70
10	四川大学华西医院	63	61
11	苏州广济医院	30	30
12	西安中心医院	25	17
13	西南大学心理学院	282	251
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16	中国医科大学第一附属医院	75	75
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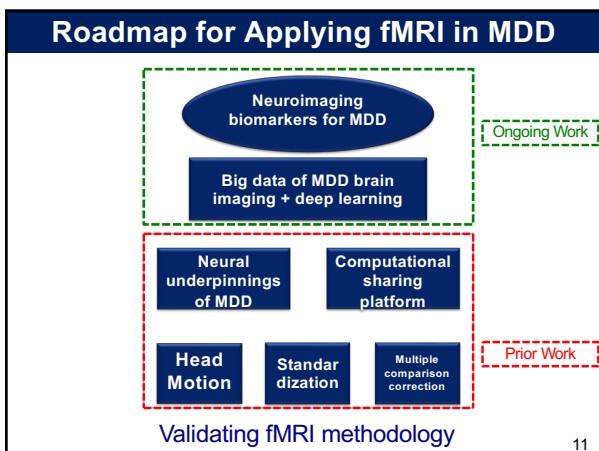
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Methodological Issues: Head Motion

Power et al, 2012. Neuroimage
Van Dijk et al, 2012. Neuroimage

Head motion is a critical factor in R-fMRI data processing.
Need an effective motion correction strategy!

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Methodological Issues: Head Motion

Proposed an effective head motion correction strategy

- Individual-level correction with the Friston-24 model
- Group-level correction with head motion covariate

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Proposed an effective standardization strategy

Mean regression + SD division

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Reproducibility and Multiple Comparison Correction

Cluster failure: Why fMRI inferences for spatial extent have inflated false-positive rates

Anders Eklund^{1,2,3,4}, Thomas E. Nichols^{4,5}, and Hans Knutsson⁴

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The last 15 years of fMRI research might be totally useless.

Due to the recent discovery of an fMRI bug about 40,000 papers on *arXiv* research may now be invalid!

Eklund et al., 2016. PNAS

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Reproducibility and Multiple Comparison Correction

Provided guideline for how to perform multiple comparison correction for resting-state fMRI, to best balance family-wise error rate and reproducibility, i.e., permutation test with TFCE

➤ Cited: 242 times
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Chen, Lu, Yan, 2018. Human Brain Mapping

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Traditional fMRI Preprocessing Toolbox

- Numerous steps and configurations
- High learning curve
- Big data era of neuroimaging calls for new pipelines

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Computational sharing platform for fMRI

- Incorporating DPARSF
- Prior work, cited 3118 times
- Adapting methodological updates
- Head motion (cited 1303 times)
- Standardization (cited 375 times)
- Multiple comparison correction (cited 242 times)
- Standardized preprocessing pipeline
- Statistical toolbox
- Platform for data sharing



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Research Article
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Seiji Ogawa
Inventor of fMRI BOLD

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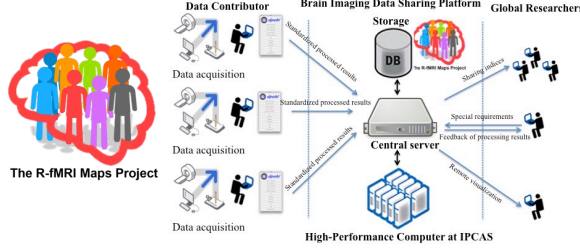
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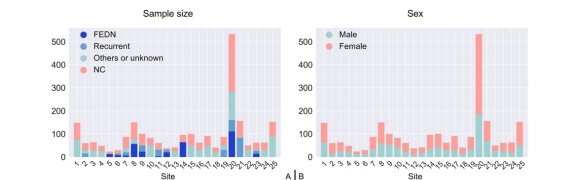
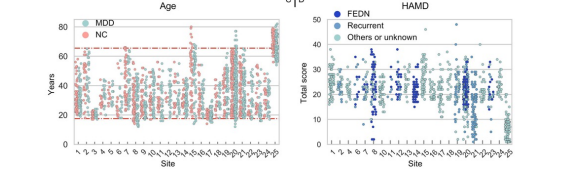
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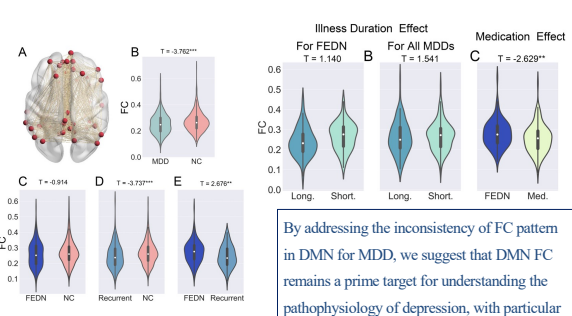
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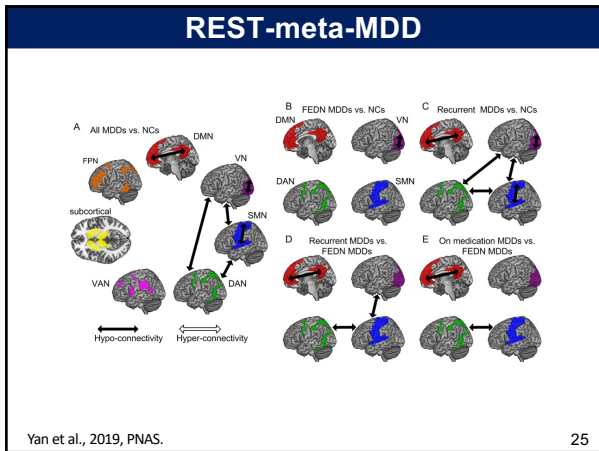
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By addressing the inconsistency of FC pattern in DMN for MDD, we suggest that DMN FC remains a prime target for understanding the pathophysiology of depression, with particular relevance to revealing mechanisms of effective treatments

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REST-meta-MDD

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ENIGMA MDD: seven years of global neuroimaging studies of major depression through worldwide data sharing

Schmaal et al. 2019, Translational Psychiatry

Lianne Schmaal
Chair of ENIGMA-MDD

ENIGMA MDD. Many research institutions in China have shared neuroimaging data from individuals with depression with the **REST-meta-MDD consortium** which has recently published the **first large-scale** mega-analysis on resting state functional MRI data of 1300 depressed patients and 1128 healthy controls from 25 research groups in China¹⁹. **Future collaborations between the ENIGMA MDD and REST-meta-MDD consortia will be important** for identifying potential cultural differences in brain alterations associated with MDD.

Yan, et al., 2019, PNAS 26⁶

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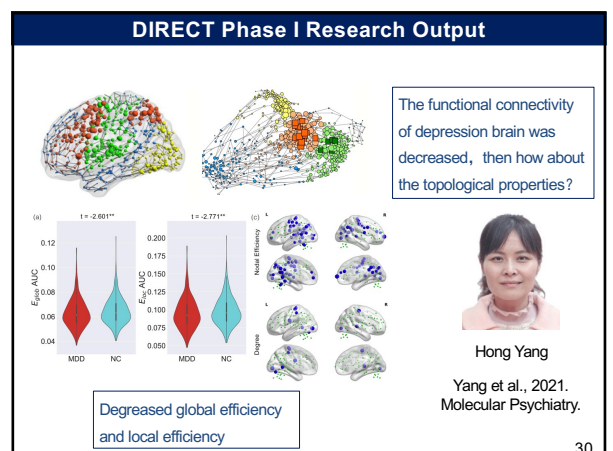
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Biotypes of major depressive disorder: neuroimaging evidence from resting-state default mode network patterns

Su-Gai Liang Tao Li

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Disrupted hemispheric connectivity specialization in ventral attention network and cerebellum in patients with major depressive disorder

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Peng-Hong Liu Ke-Rang Zhang

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Open Access of REST-meta-MDD Data

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REVIEW

The DIRECT consortium and the REST-meta-MDD project: towards neuroimaging biomarkers of major depressive disorder

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Next steps of DIRECT

Box 1. Directions for future DIRECT research

- (1) What are the differences regarding MDD abnormalities in different ethnic groups (e.g. Chinese vs. Caucasian)? What factors contribute such differences (e.g. response styles, thinking styles or genetic factors)?
- (2) To what extent can it help improve the reproducibility of results to transfer preprocessing pipelines from volume-based approaches [i.e. DPARSF (Yan & Zang, 2010) and SPM (Ashburner, 2012)] to surface-based approaches [e.g. DPABISurf (Yan et al., 2021) and fMRIprep (Esteban et al., 2019)]?
- (3) What are the differences and similarities among the neuroimaging alterations across different mental disorders?
- (4) What are the longitudinal effects of antidepressant medications on the brain?
- (5) What are the white matter alterations in MDD?
- (6) Can we guide neuromodulation techniques (e.g. TMS) through brain network mechanisms we identified with fMRI?

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The impact of traditional neuroimaging methods on the spatial localization of cortical areas

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Localizing human brain functions in a long-standing goal in systems neuroscience. Toward this goal, neuroimaging studies have traditionally used volume-based smoothing, registered data to volume-based standard spaces, and reported results relative to volume-based parcellations. A novel 360-area surface-based cortical parcellation was recently generated using multimodal data from the Human Connectome Project, and a volume-based version of this parcellation has frequently been requested for use with traditional volume-based analyses. However, given the major methodological differences between traditional volumetric and Human Connectome Project-style processing, the utility and interpretability of such an altered parcellation must first be established. By starting from automatically generated individual-subject parcellations and processing them with different methodological approaches, we show that traditional processing steps, especially volume-based smoothing and registration, substantially degrade cortical area localization compared with surface-based approaches. We also show that surface-based registration using features closely tied to cortical areas, rather than to folding patterns alone, improves the alignment of areas, and that the benefits of high-resolution acquisitions are largely unappreciated by traditional volume-based methods. Quantitatively, we show that the most common version of the traditional approach has spatial localizations that are only 35.5% as good as the best surface-based method as assessed using two objective measures (peak areal probabilities and "captured area fraction" for maximum probability maps). Finally, we demonstrate that substantial challenges exist when attempting to accurately represent volume-based group analysis results on the surface, which has important implications for the interpretability of studies, both past and future, that use those volume-based methods.

mapping using Gaussian random-field theory requires volumetric smoothing to satisfy its underlying assumptions (e.g., ref. 8), resulting in the widespread adoption of smoothing in brain-imaging studies. Spatial smoothing has the salutary side effect of increasing the statistical significance of weak effects in small sample sizes, but at the expense of spatial localization precision (9, 10). Traditionally, smoothed group functional activations are then statistically thresholded and summarized by single 3D coordinates that may be assigned Brodmann's areas or gray and sulcal designations. Unfortunately, these standard coordinates are imprecisely related to the underlying functional neuroanatomy—the cortical areas—whose neuronal populations generate the functional activations under study (9, 10).

Besides the reductions in precision from spatial smoothing and representing brain functional neuroanatomy with single 3D coordinates, another key issue in the approach used for cross-subject alignment. Because of the high degree of individual variability in cortical folding patterns, and in the location of many areal boundaries relative to folds (11, 12), traditional volume-based methods for aligning cortical areas are imprecise across much of the cerebral cortex (9). Progress in characterizing the functions of brain areas has been impeded by these factors, along with the distributed nature of many brain functions and the lack of an accurate map of human cortical areas.

Significance
 Most human brain-imaging studies have traditionally used low-resolution images, inaccurate methods of cross-subject

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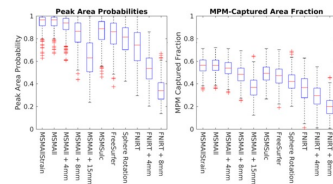
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Fig. 1. Probabilistic maps for five areas using both MSMA1 areal-feature-based surface registration and FNIRT volume alignment. The volume-based peak probabilities are all lower than the surface-based probabilities for these example areas. Each volume-based area is shown on a parasagittal slice through the peak volumetric probability. See 9 Appendix, Supplemental Methods M2 and M3. Data are available at <https://ukhsa.nimh.nih.gov>.

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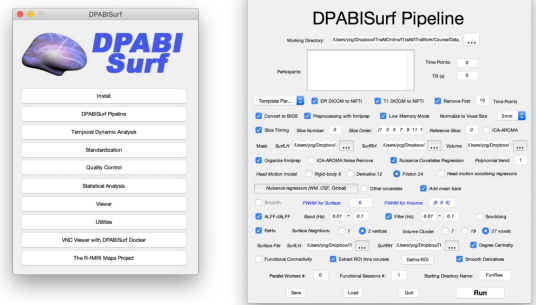
Widespread adoption of surface-based approaches has been slow: the desire to replicate or compare with existing studies that used the traditional volume-based approach; the relative lack of "turn-key" tools for running a surface-based analysis; the learning curve for adopting surface-based analysis methods; unawareness of the problems with traditional volume-based analysis; and uncertainty or even skepticism as to how much of a difference these methodological choices make.

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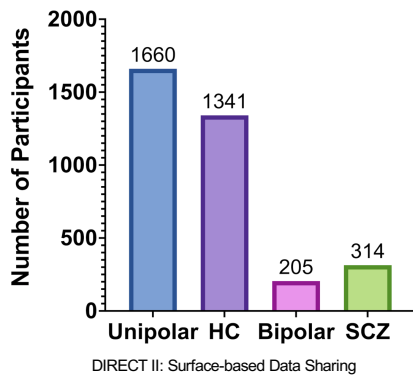
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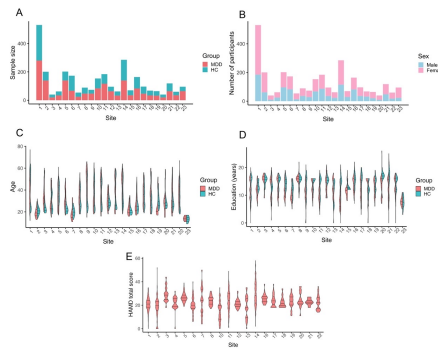


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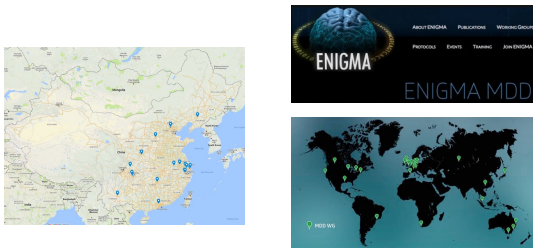
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International Collaboration

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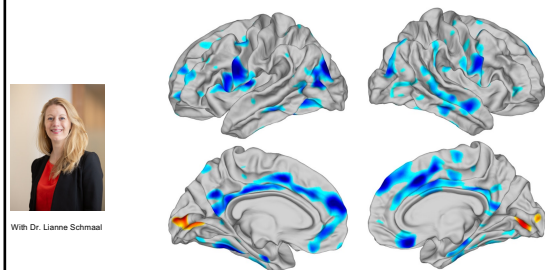


Cross-culture MDD data collection?

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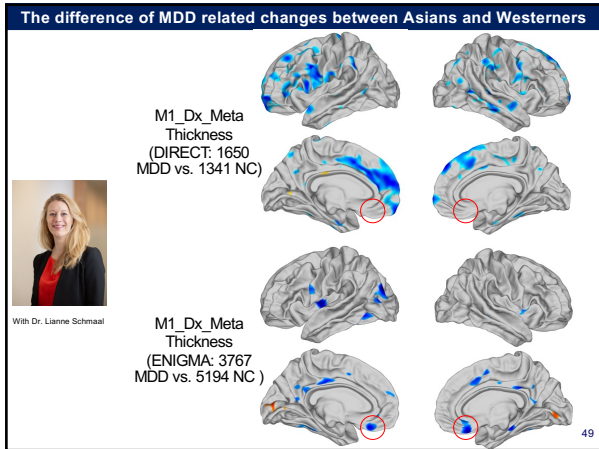


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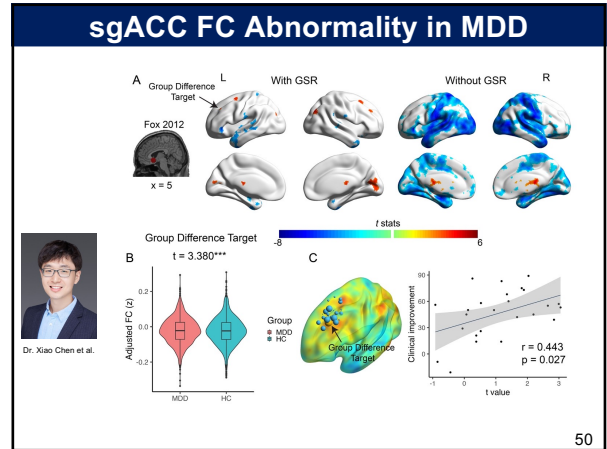
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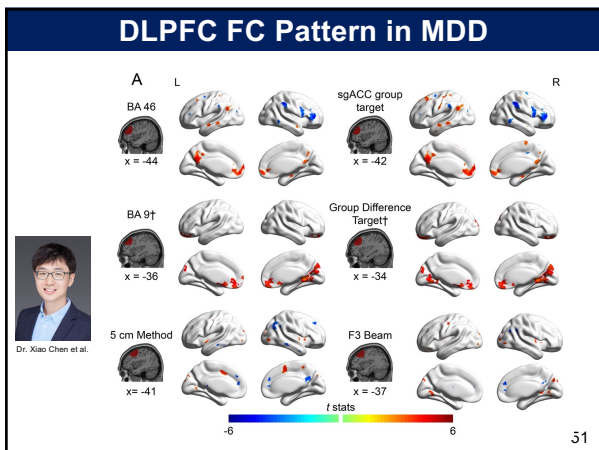
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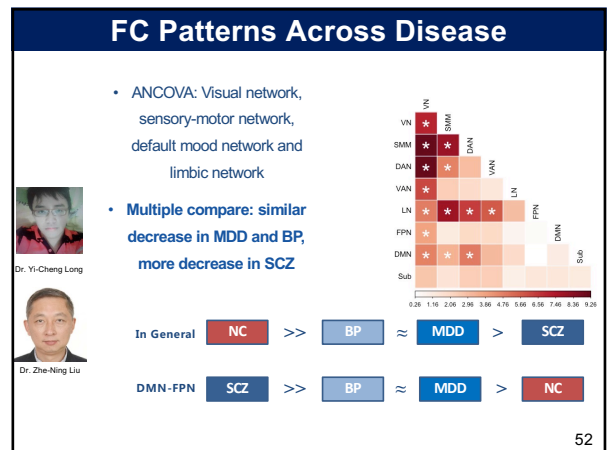
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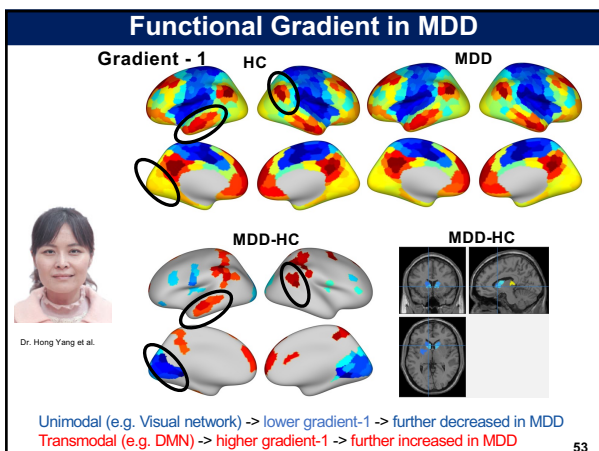
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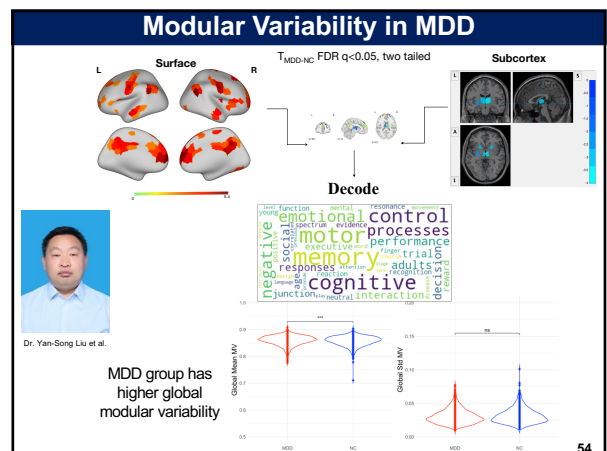
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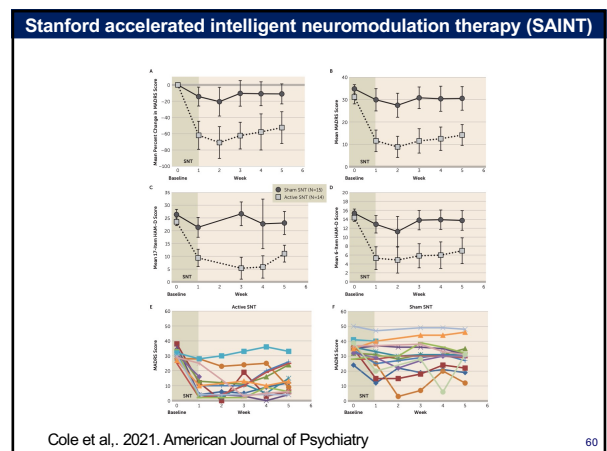
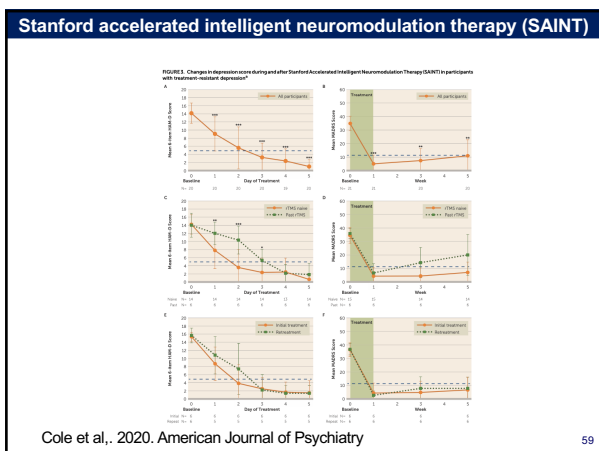
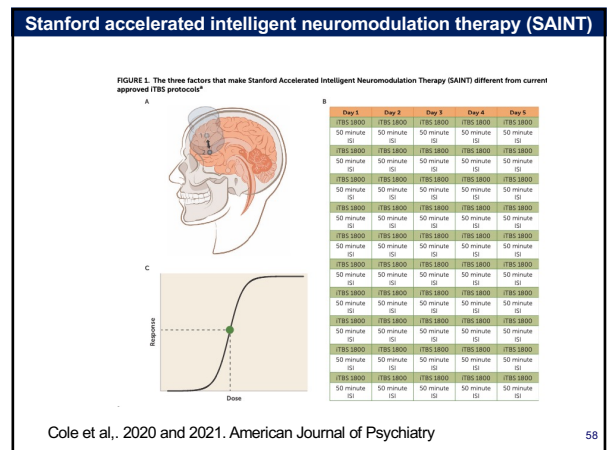
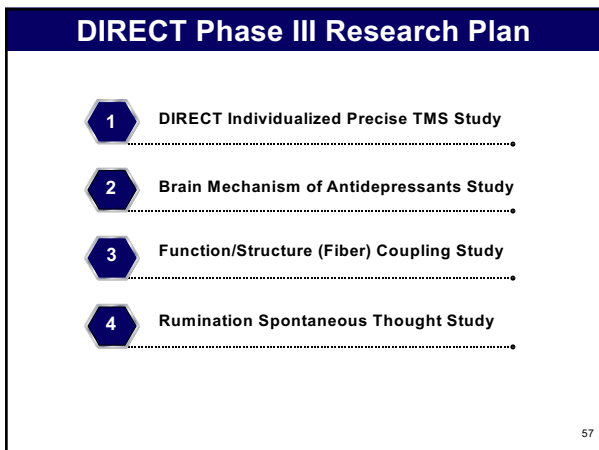
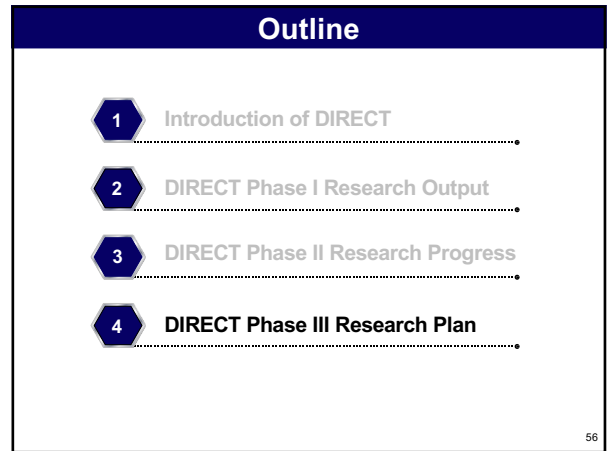
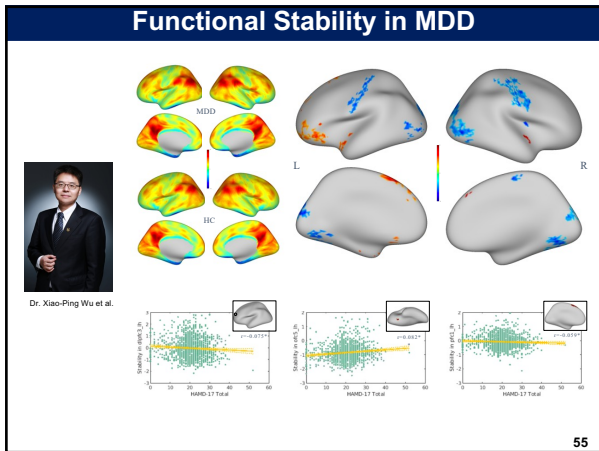
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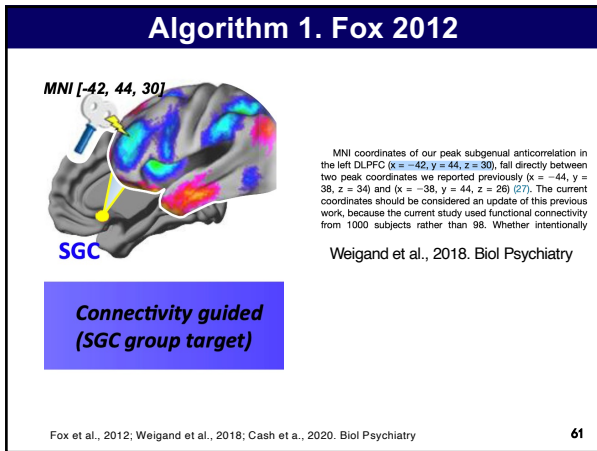


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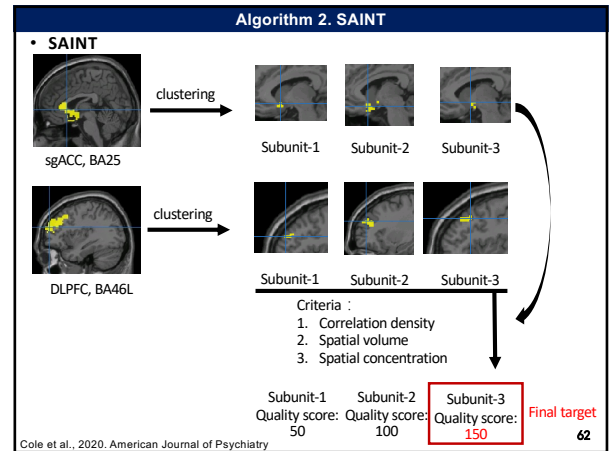


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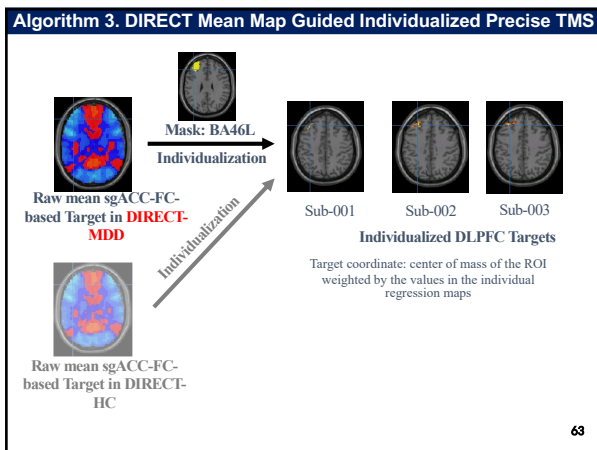




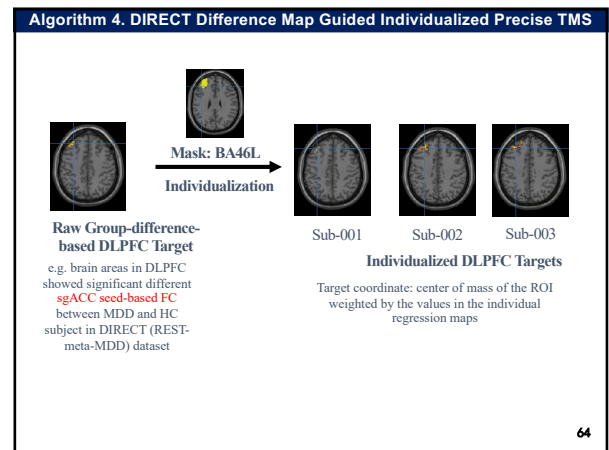
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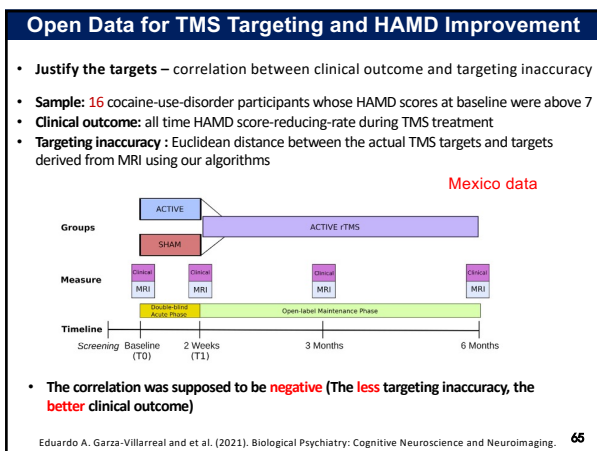
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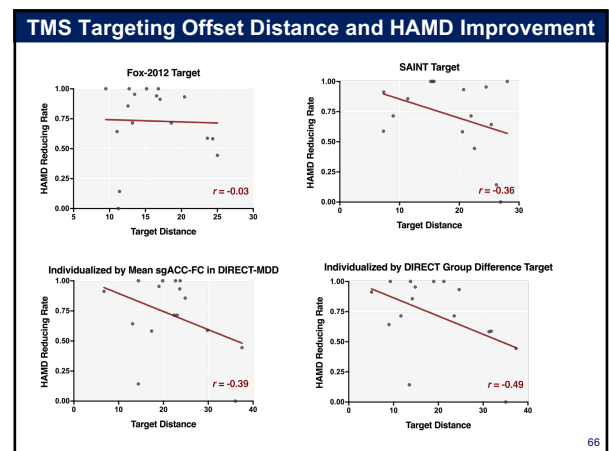
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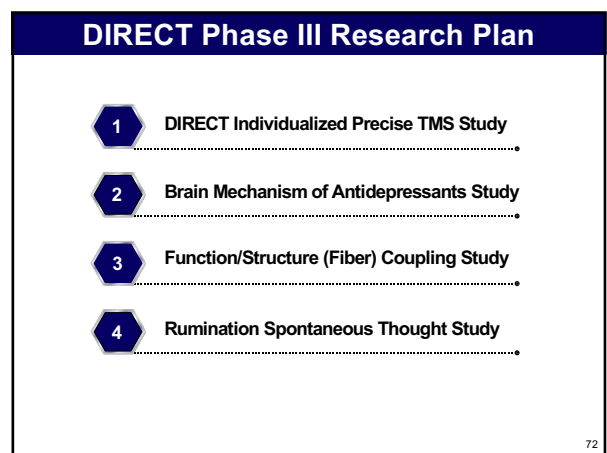
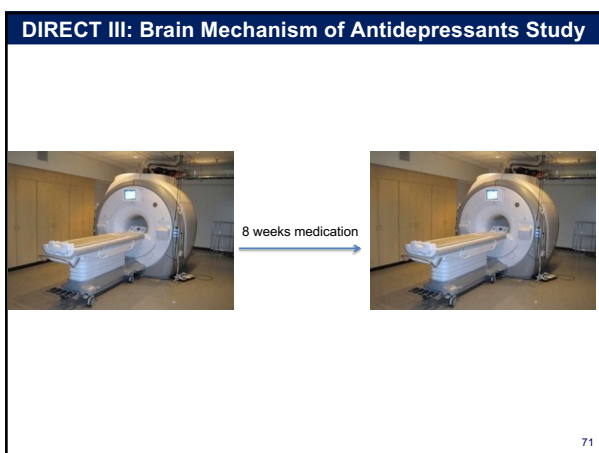
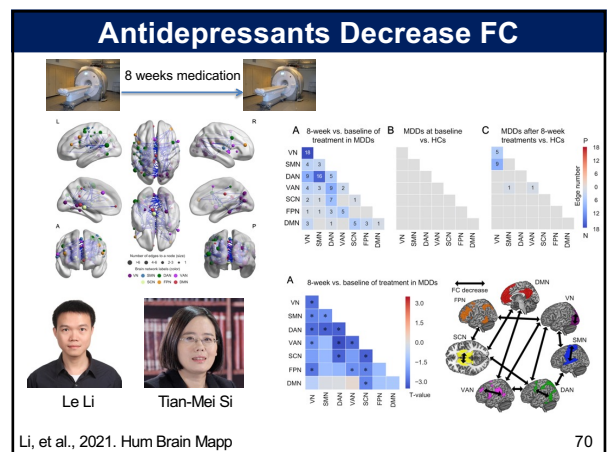
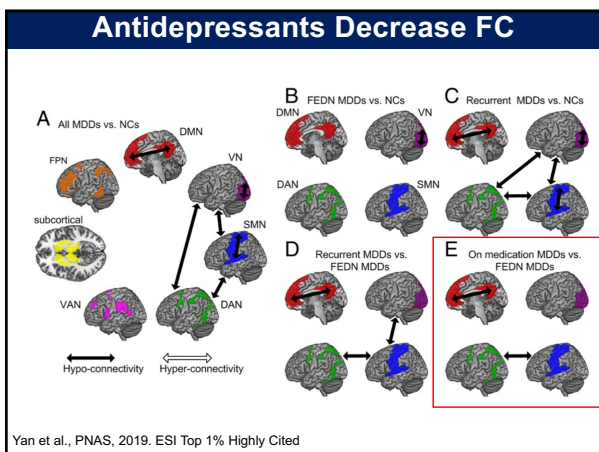
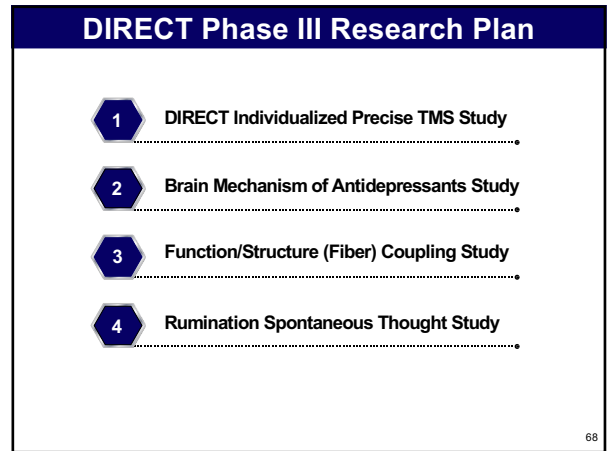
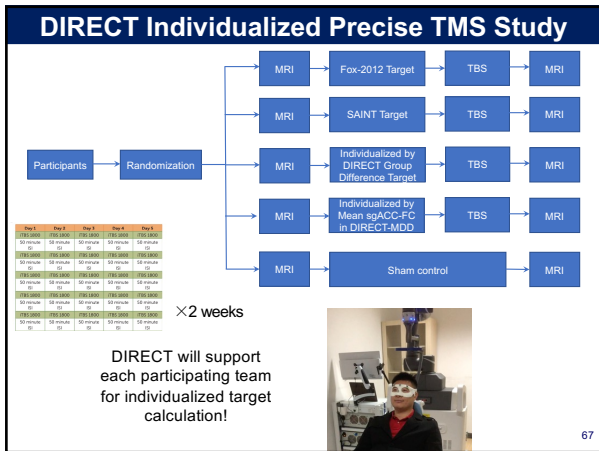
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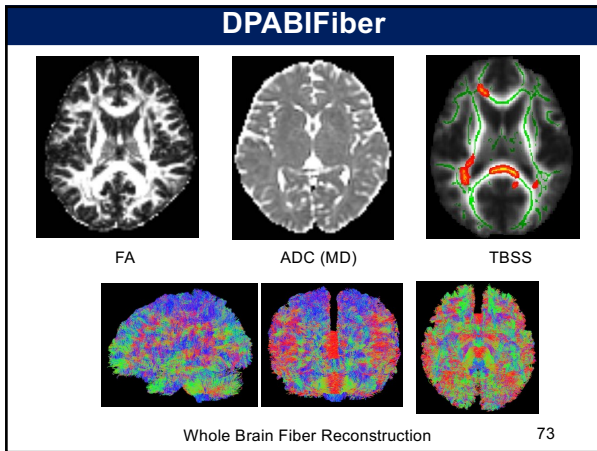


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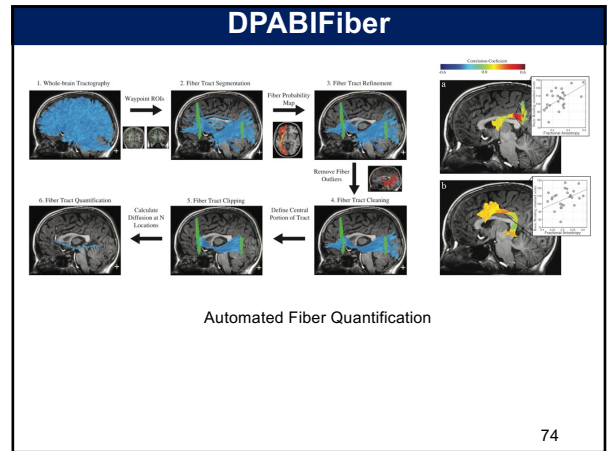


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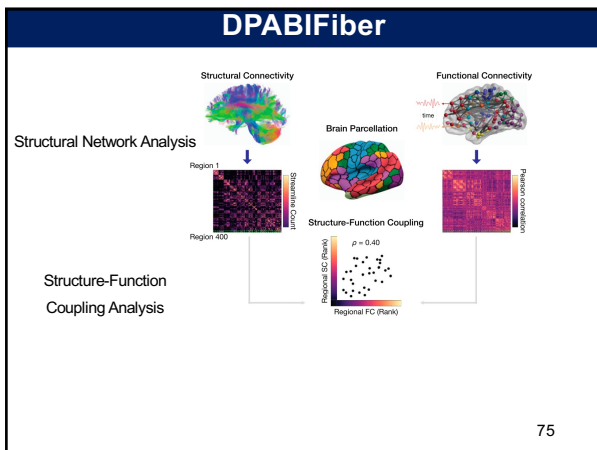




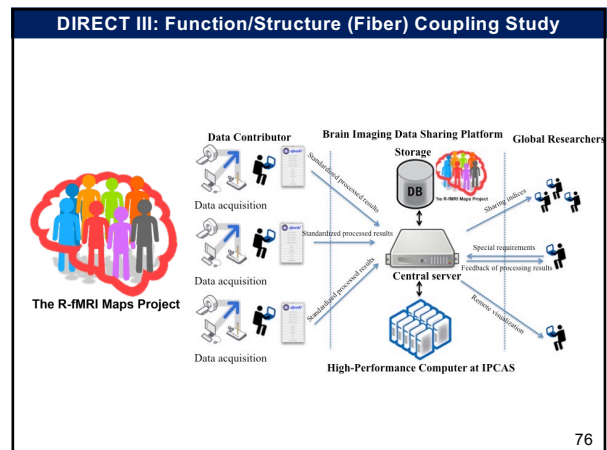
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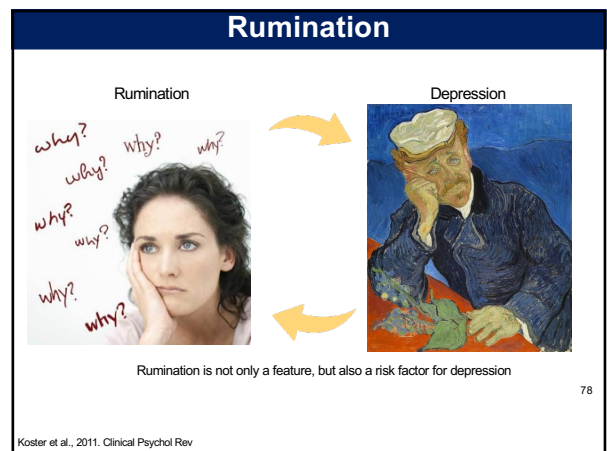
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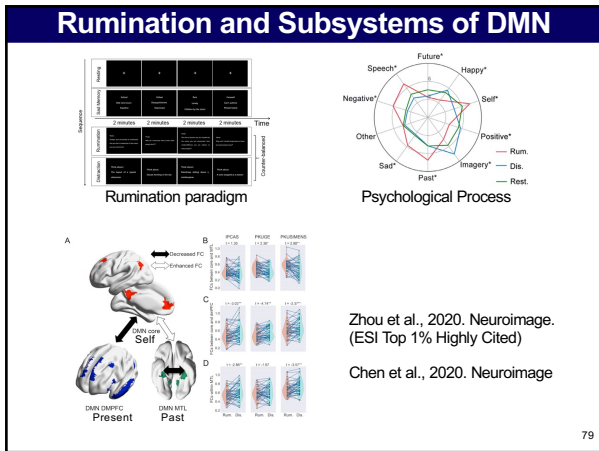
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- 1 DIRECT Individualized Precise TMS Study
 - 2 Brain Mechanism of Antidepressants Study
 - 3 Function/Structure (Fiber) Coupling Study
 - 4 Rumination Spontaneous Thought Study
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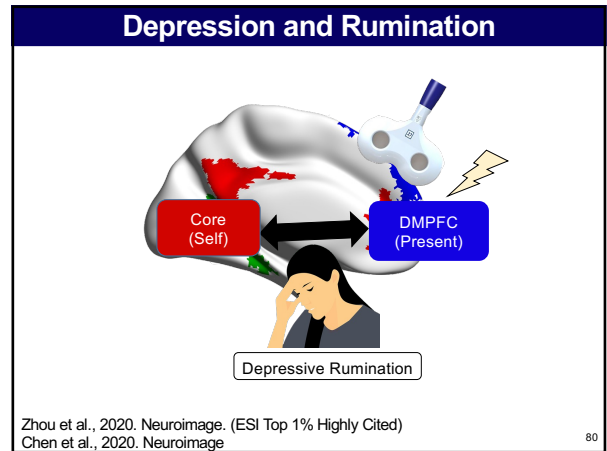
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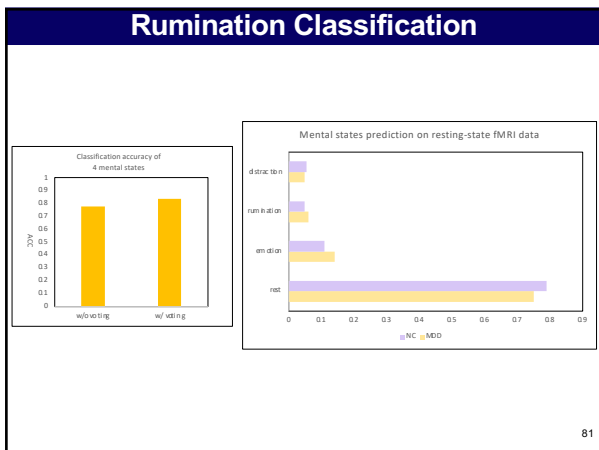
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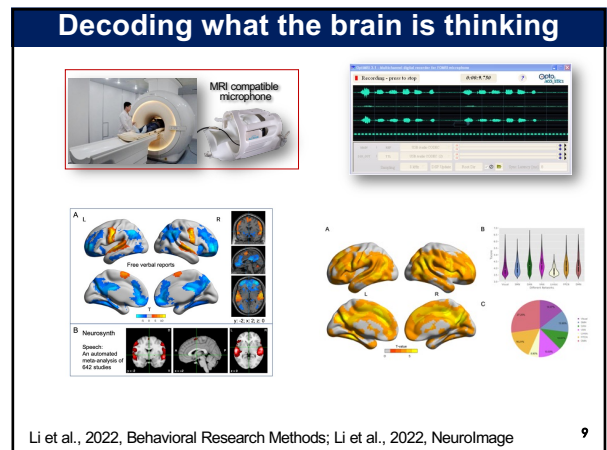
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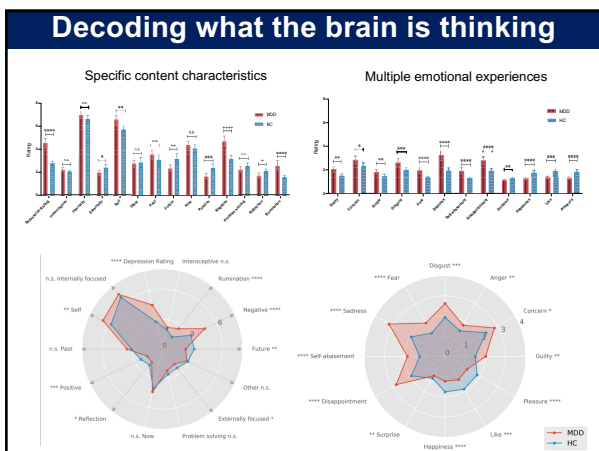
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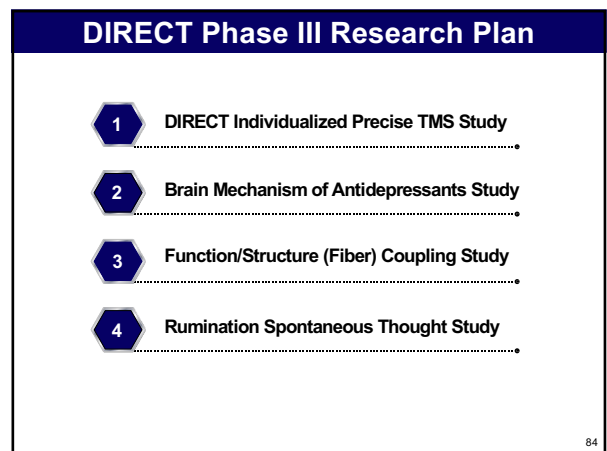
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心花计划

- 采用脑影像等多种研究手段，建立抑郁症精准诊断和分型的客观生物标记
- 探索基于中国文化的新型心理干预技术
- 发展药物之外的无创神经调控新疗法

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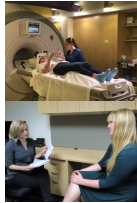
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初测：
磁共振成像扫描
自评问卷



心理干预（一期）
移空技术（8周）
物理干预（三期）



后测：
磁共振成像扫描
自评问卷

• 所有被试最后将转入长期追踪

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多模态人因感知系统

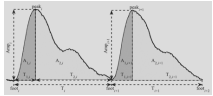
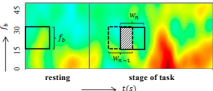
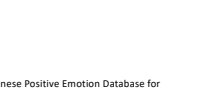


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多模态人因感知系统

脉搏波	时域特征 (Time Domain)	心率 (HR)	
	频域特征 (Frequency Domain)	心率变异性 (HRV) : SDNN、RMSSD、N20、NS0 低高频功率谱密度 (PSD_LF、PSD_HF、LHR)	
皮肤电阻	时域特征 (Time Domain)	皮肤电导水平 (SCL)	
	频域特征 (Time Domain)	皮肤电导反应 (SCR)	
六轴加速度/角速度	时域特征 (Time Domain)	运动加速度 (ACC)	
	频域特征 (Time Domain)	运动角速度 (GYRO)	

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移空技术

一. 静态作业

1. 三调放松
2. 确定靶症状
3. 存想象征物
4. 存想象承载物
5. 填写移空记录纸A

二. 动态作业

6. 三调放松
7. 清洁与置放
8. 移动与空境
9. 移回与评估
10. 填写移空记录纸B

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初测流程

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磁共振成像设计

扫描：初测第一次

T1加权结构像 5分钟

静息态功能像 8分钟

反刍思维任务功能像 24分钟

出声思维功能像 10分钟

DTI 11分钟

扫描：初测第二次

静息态功能像 8分钟

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磁共振成像设计

扫描：后测

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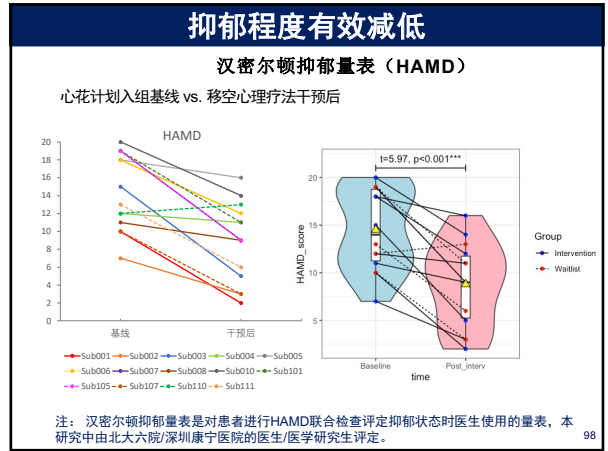
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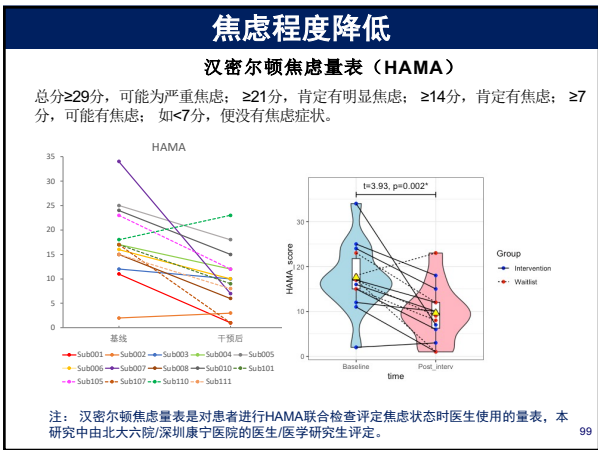
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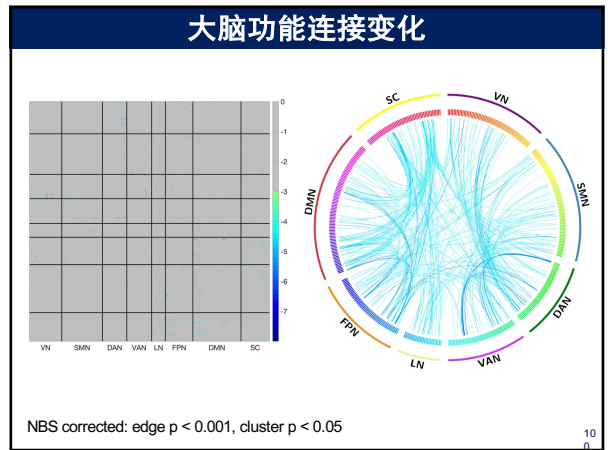


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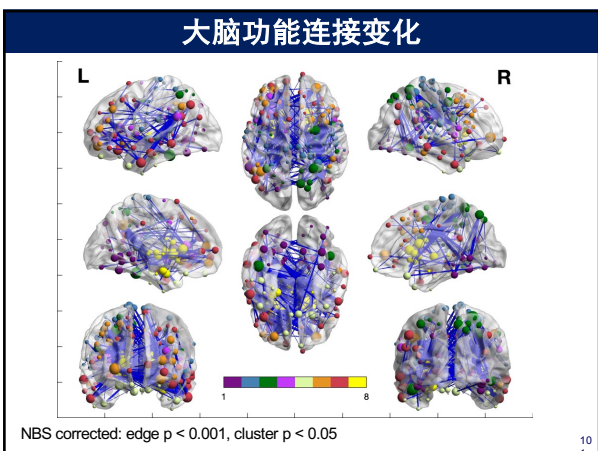
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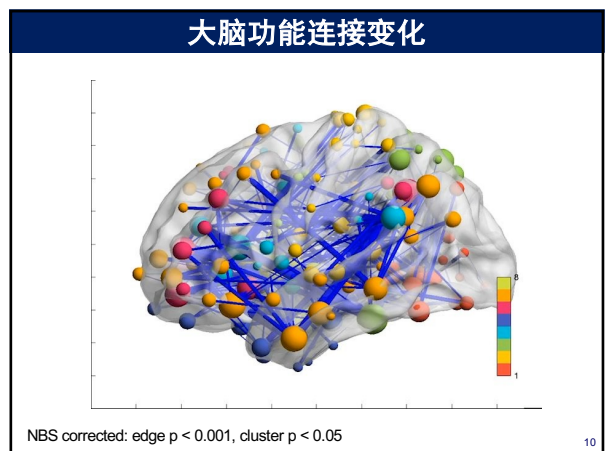
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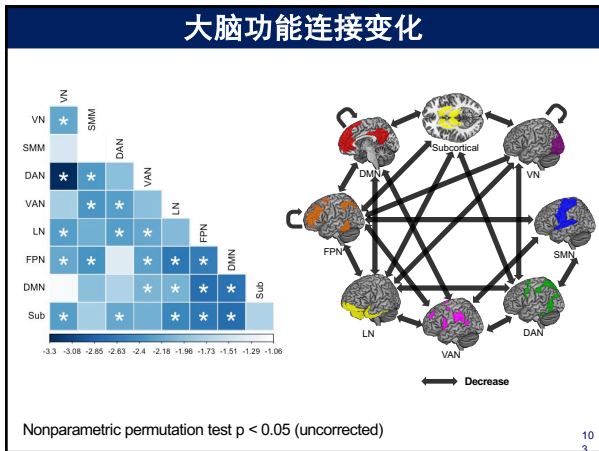
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被试主观反馈

.....抑郁症的一个症状就是内心烦乱，根据老师的指令做完三调放松后，内心会开始感受到平静，纷乱思维被收回到现实中，而后的移空操作也会让身体感受冷热疼痒等不同的感觉，每次咨询后我的症状都会有不同程度的减轻甚至消失。

.....药物虽然控制了我的抑郁的症状，但是参加心花计划实验后我感受的是身体和大脑的放松。

.....由于实验时间限制，实验结束后我依然有睡眠问题，但是按照三调放松和移空技术的步骤继续做自我疗愈，相信会有治愈的一天。患上抑郁症虽然不幸，但是参与心花计划给我的人生带来了转折。希望心花计划继续进行，给更多的人带来笑容，让他们的人生不再是灰色。

.....当我想象这个宇宙时，身心彻底放松了下来，一种久违的平静安详的感觉浮上心头。那一刻似乎时间停止了，我的灵魂似乎徜徉在茫茫的宇宙，自由，无拘无束，我感受不到周围的世界，只有一片空灵，然后我就开始哭，眼泪完全不受控制，但是这个眼泪并不是悲伤的泪水，因为与此同时，我还想笑，一种遏制不住的笑意，脸上的肌肉似乎不受大脑控制，就是想笑，想笑起来，这种又哭又笑的感觉很诡异，但是身体很轻松，仿佛卸下了沉重的负担。这种感觉真的很奇妙，体验过一次，我真的相信移空疗法可以帮助到我了。

.....我觉得整个实验挺好的，主试会听被试的反馈，沟通也很顺畅。

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在背内侧前额叶区域中寻找与核心子系统功能连接降低最大值点

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