



## DPABI: Quality Control, Statistical Analysis and Results Viewing

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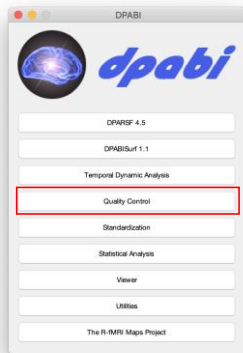
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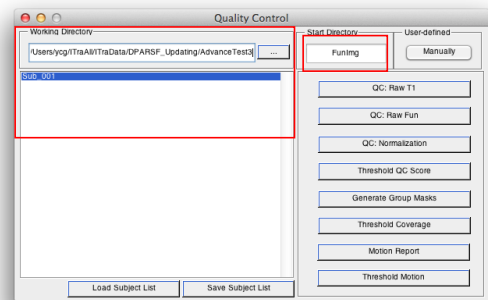
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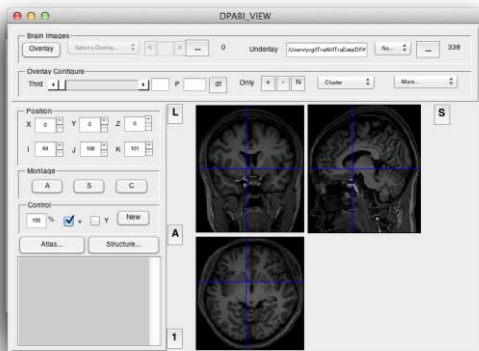


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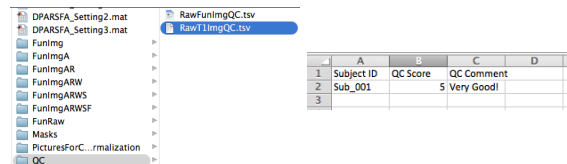
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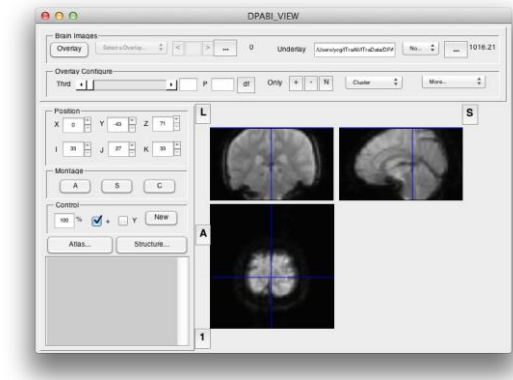


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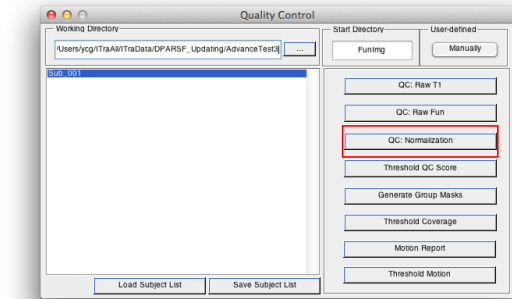
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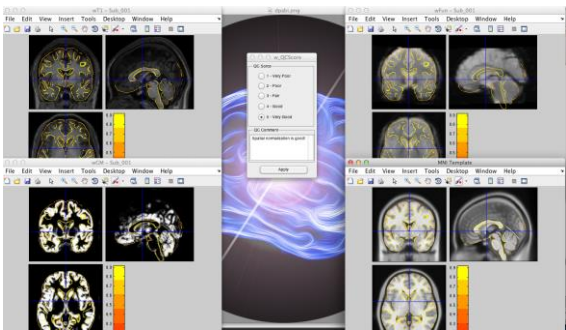


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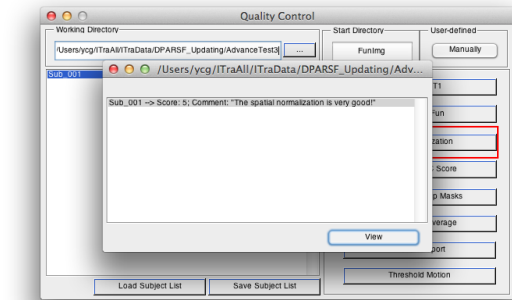


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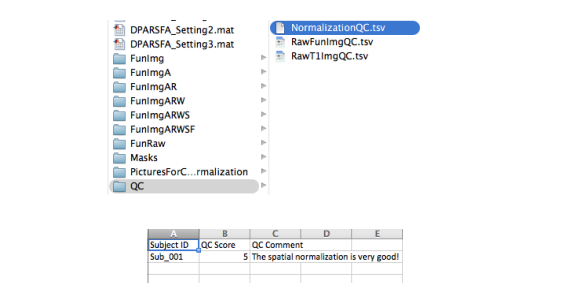


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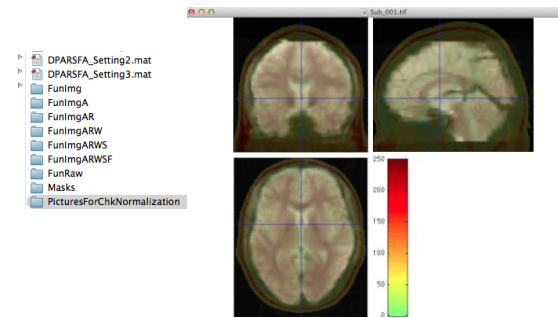


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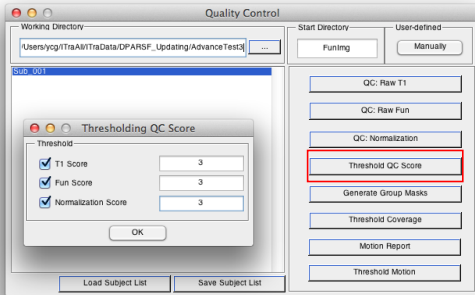
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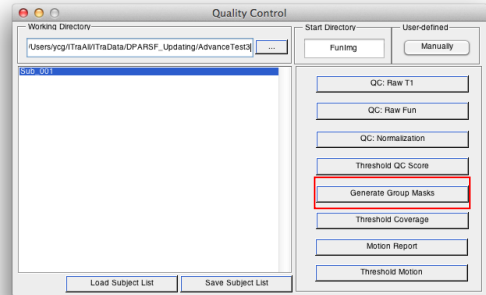


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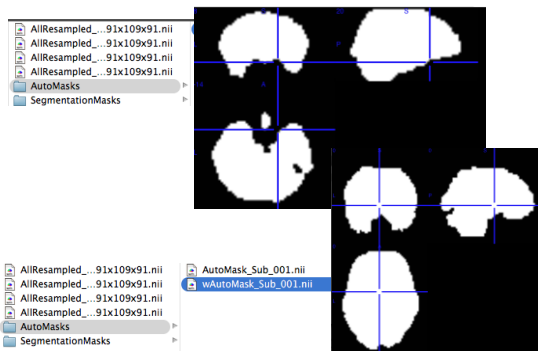
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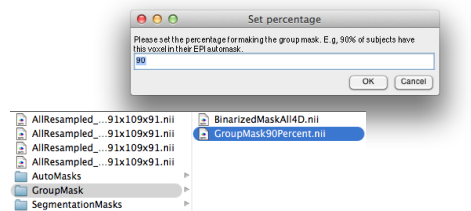


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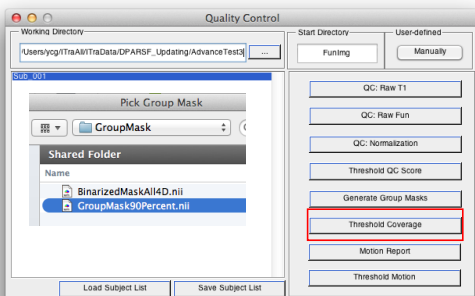


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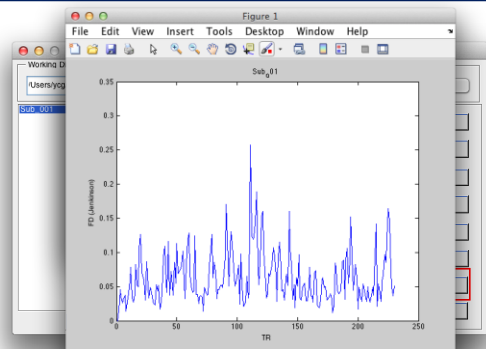
This mask is very important for group statistical analysis!!!

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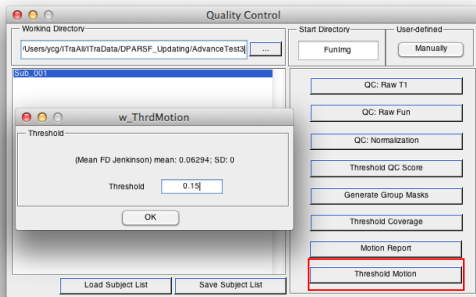
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- Using the visual inspection step within DPARSF, subjects showing severe head motion in the T1 image and subjects showing extremely poor coverage in the functional images, as well as subjects showing bad registration were excluded
- Subjects with overlap with the group mask (voxels present at least 90% of the participants) less than  $2*SD$  under the group mean overlap (threshold: 92.2%) were excluded
- Subjects with motion (Mean FD Jenkinson greater than  $2*SD$  above the group mean motion (threshold: 0.192) were excluded



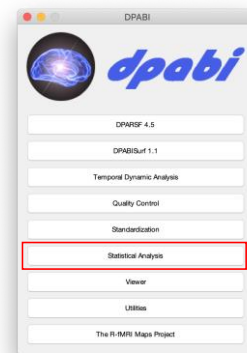
Yan et al., 2013, NeuroImage  
Standardizing the intrinsic brain: Towards robust measurement of inter-individual variation in 1000 functional connectomes  
Chao-Gan Yan <sup>1,2,3,4</sup>, K. Cameron Craddock <sup>1,2,3</sup>, Xi-Nian Zuo <sup>5</sup>, Yu-Feng Zang <sup>6</sup>, Michael P. Milham <sup>1,3,4\*</sup>

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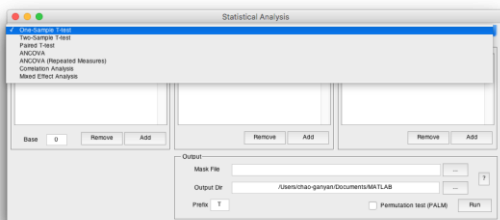
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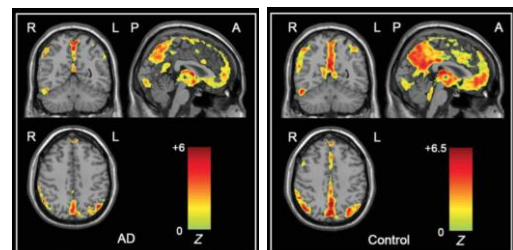
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## Statistical Analysis



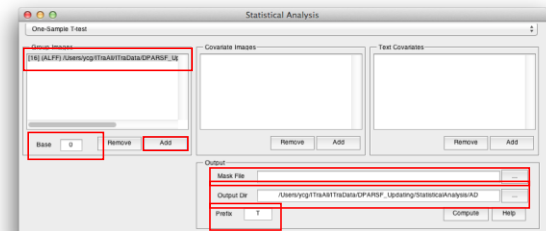
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Wang<sup>a</sup>, Yan<sup>a</sup> et al., 2011, Hum Brain Mapp

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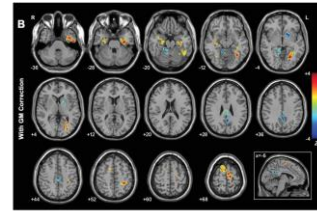


0 for  $z^*$  images  
1 for  $m^*$  images

### T Statistic Image

### Group Mask

## Two-Sample T-Test

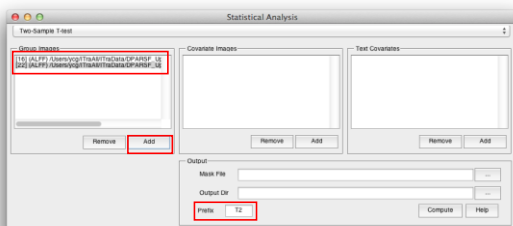


**A:** Z-statistical difference maps between the AD patients and healthy infants (without GPC correction). The AD patients showed significantly decreased ALP in the bilateral PCGcPLg, left lateral OFC, and right ALG, and increased ALP in the bilateral PHG, ALG, bilateral SPG, bilateral SPM, left IFG, left PCGc, left IFG, and left STG. For the details of the regions, see Table II. **B:** Z-statistical difference maps between the AD patients and healthy infants (with GPC correction). The AD patients showed significantly decreased ALP in the bilateral PCGcPLg, left LN, and right ALG,

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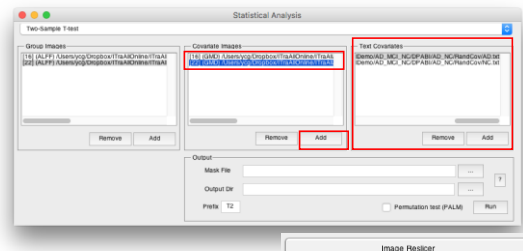
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T Statistic Image: positive corresponds to the mean of Group 1 is greater than the mean of Group 2

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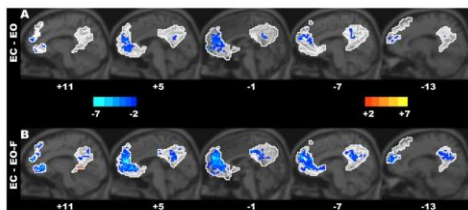
## Two-Sample T-Test



Two-Sample T-Test with covariates: e.g. gray matter proportion images (Pascual-Leone et al., 2007). No covariate between the group images and the covariate images (e.g. order and voxel size FD), age, sex etc.)

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## Paired T-Test

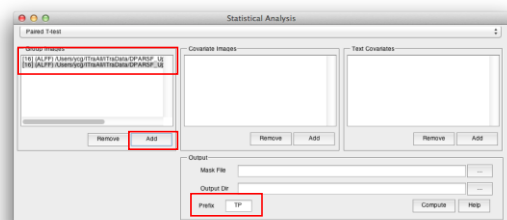


**Figure 3. The between-condition differences of the ALFF within the DMN.** The ALFF differences were found between the EC and EO conditions (A), and between the EC and EO-F conditions (B). The areas in the white contours denote the ROIs within the DMN. The numbers below the images refer to the x coordinates in the Talairach and Tournoux space. The statistical threshold was set at  $|z| > 2.093$  ( $P < 0.05$ ) and cluster size  $> 486$  mm<sup>3</sup>, which corresponds to a corrected  $P < 0.05$ . doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0005743.g003

Yan et al., 2009. PLoS ONE

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## Paired T-Test



T Statistic Image

Condition 1 – Condition 2

Please make sure the correspondence

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## ANOVA or ANCOVA

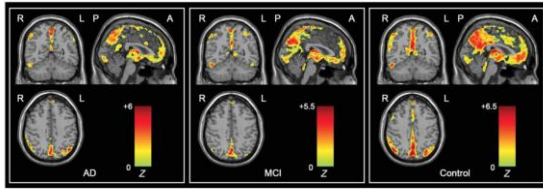
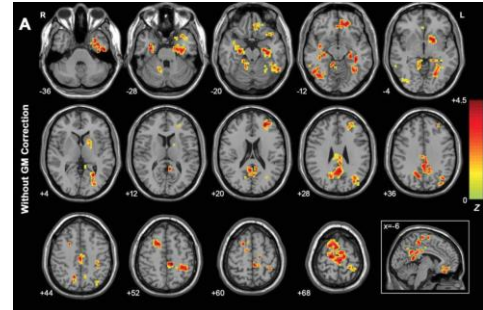


Figure 1.  
Within-group ALFF maps within the AD, MCI, and healthy elderly control groups. Visual inspection indicated that the PCC and adjacent PCu had the highest ALFF values within each group and had different strengths among the three groups. The statistical threshold was set as  $Z > 3.09$  ( $P < 0.001$ ) and cluster size  $> 189$  mm<sup>3</sup>, which corresponded to a corrected  $P < 0.001$ . R, right; L, left; P, posterior; A, anterior. [Color figure can be viewed in the online issue, which is available at [www.intellecta.com](http://www.intellecta.com).]

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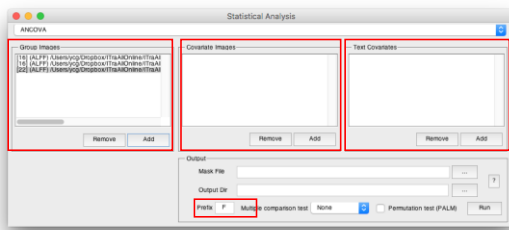
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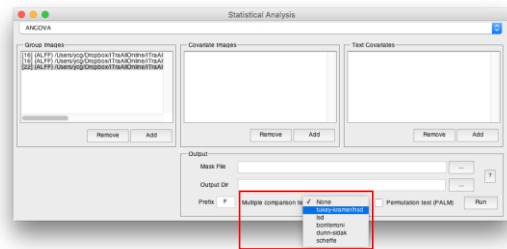
## ANOVA or ANCOVA



ANCOVA: e.g. gray matter proportion images (Oakes et al., 2007). Please make sure the correspondence between the statistical image and the covariate images (e.g. age, brain size, IQ, etc.).

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## ANOVA or ANCOVA



Post-hoc procedures: the corrected p values under a given control procedure for comparing group means of any pairs were calculated (e.g., through Studentized Range statistic for Tukey-Kramer correction) with the same route as MATLAB command `multcompare`. The p maps were then converted to Z maps according to the Normal inverse cumulative distribution function (`norminv`), with the sign of group mean differences applied.

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## ANOVA or ANCOVA



ANOVA F image

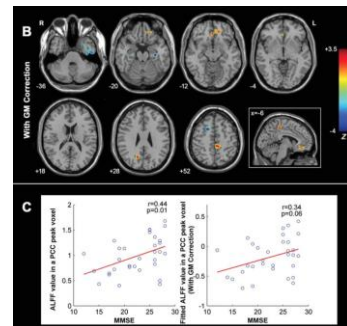
The difference of mean between groups

The corrected p of difference between groups

The corrected Z values of difference between groups, can be forwarded to further multiple comparison correction

Yan et al., 2016, Neuroinformatics

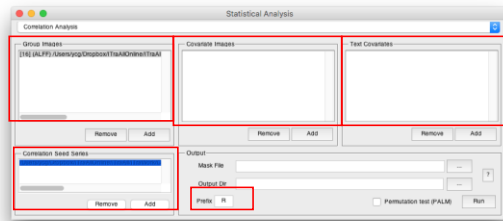
## Correlation Analysis



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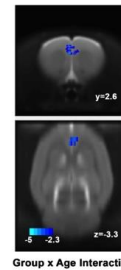


The imaging measure:  
ALFF maps

Traits: e.g.  
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...

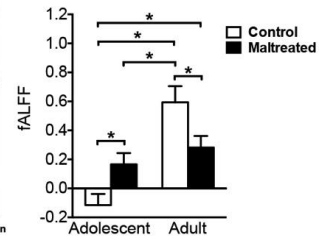
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## Mixed Effect Analysis



Group x Age Interaction

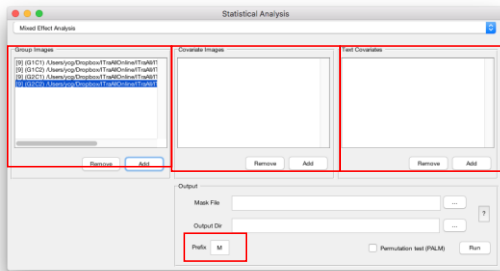
fALFF of MPFC Cingulate



Yan et al., 2016. Translational  
Psychiatry

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## Mixed Effect Analysis



The imaging measure  
should be:

Group1Condition1  
Group1Condition2  
Group2Condition1  
Group2Condition2

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## Mixed Effect Analysis

- \* **\_ConditionEffect\_T.nii** - the T values of condition differences (corresponding to the first condition minus the second condition) (WithinSubjectFactor)
- \* **\_Interaction\_F.nii** - the F values of interaction (BetweenSubjectFactor by WithinSubjectFactor)
- \* **\_Group\_TwoT.nii** - the T values of group differences (corresponding to the first group minus the second group). Of note: the two conditions will be averaged first for each subject. (BetweenSubjectFactor)

## Statistical Analysis

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% Perform regression analysis
% Input:
%   DependentVolume - 4D data matrix (DimXDimYxDimZxDimTime) or the directory of 3D image data file or the filename of one 4D
%   Predictor - the Predictors M (subjects) by N (traits). SHOULD INCLUDE the CONSTANT column if needed. The program will not add constant 0
%   OutputName - the output name. Should not have extension such as .img, .nii
%   MaskFile - the mask file.
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%   IsOutputResidual (optional) - 1: output the 4D residuals.
%   % 0: don't output the 4D residuals.
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Smoothness estimation based on the 4D residual is built in this function!!!

## Statistical Analysis

<http://fmri.org/DemoData>

(Download)/ProcessingDemoData/StatisticalDemo/AD\_MCI\_NC/

ALFF: AD – NC Two Sample T Test:

- Applied smooth kernel in preprocessing: [4 4 4]
- Smooth kernel estimated on 4D residual: [6.77 6.88 6.71]
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ReHo: AD – NC Two Sample T Test:

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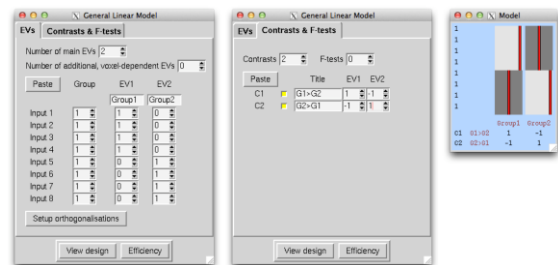
Thus, only using smooth kernel applied in preprocessing is NOT sufficient!!



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<http://fsl.fmrib.ox.ac.uk/fsl/fslwiki/GLM>

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**Multiple Comparison Correction**



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... I estimate about 15,000 papers use cluster size inference with correction for multiple testing; of these, around 3,500 use a CDT of  $P=0.01$ ... So, are we saying 3,500 papers are "wrong"? It depends....

-- Thomas Nichols  
July 06, 2016

### Correction

**NEUROSCIENCE, STATISTICS**  
Correction for "Cluster failure: Why fMRI inferences for spatial extent have inflated false-positive rates," by Anders Eklund, Thomas E. Nichols, and Håkan Knutsson, which appeared in issue 28, July 12, 2016, of *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* (113:7900–7905; first published June 28, 2016; 10.1073/pnas.1602413113).

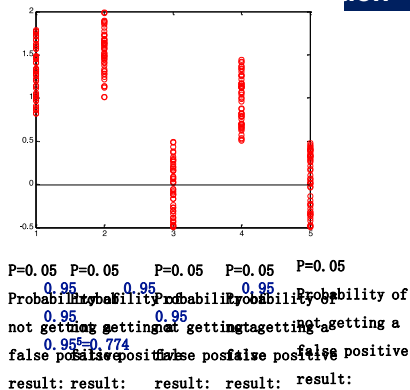
The authors note that on page 7900, in the Significance Statement, lines 3–4, "These results question the validity of some 40,000 fMRI studies and may have a large impact on the interpretation of neuroimaging results" should instead appear as, "These results question the validity of a number of fMRI studies and may have a large impact on the interpretation of weakly significant neuroimaging results."

Additionally, the authors note that on page 7904, left column, fifth full paragraph, lines 1–3, "It is not feasible to redo 40,000 fMRI studies, and lamentable archiving and data-sharing practices mean most could not be reanalyzed either" should instead appear as "Due to lamentable archiving and data-sharing practices, it is unlikely that problematic analyses can be redone."

These errors do not affect the conclusions of the article. The online version has been corrected.

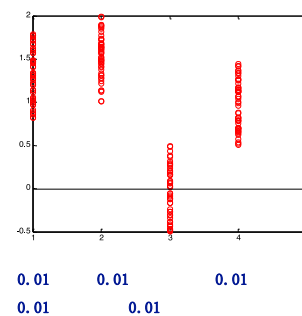
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## Multiple Comparison Correction



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Bonferroni correction:  $p=0.05/5=0.01$



## Multiple Comparison Correction

- False Discovery Rates (FDR) correction
- Family-Wise Error (FWE) correction
  - Bonferroni correction:  $0.05/5=0.01$
  - Gaussian Random Field theory correction
  - Monte Carlo simulations (AlphaSim)
  - Threshold-Free Cluster Enhancement
  - Permutation test

## FDR Theory

Number of errors committed when testing  $m$  null hypotheses

	Declared non-significant	Declared significant	Total
True null hypotheses	U	V	$m_0$
Non-true null hypotheses	T	S	$m - m_0$
	$m - R$	R	$m$

- False discovery rate

$$Q_0 = E(V/(V+S)) = E(V/R)$$

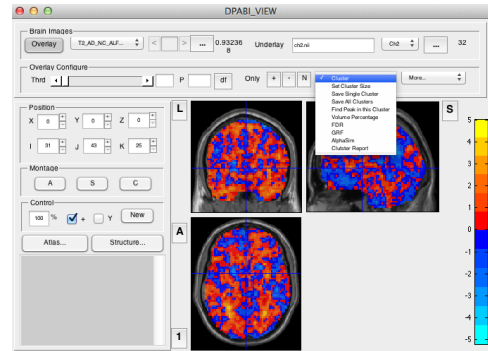
Benjamini and Hochberg, 1995, Journal of the Royal Statistical Society

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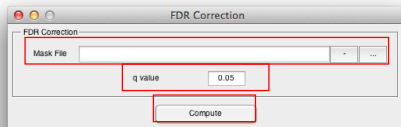
• Let  $H_1, \dots, H_m$  be the null hypotheses and  $P_1, \dots, P_m$  their corresponding p-values. Order these values in increasing order and denote them by  $P_{(1)}, \dots, P_{(m)}$ . For a given  $q$ , find the largest  $k$  such that  $P_{(k)} \leq kq/m$ .

• Then reject (i.e. declare positive) all  $H_{(i)}$  for  $i = 1, \dots, k$ .

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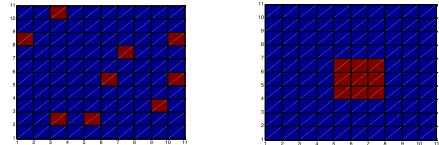


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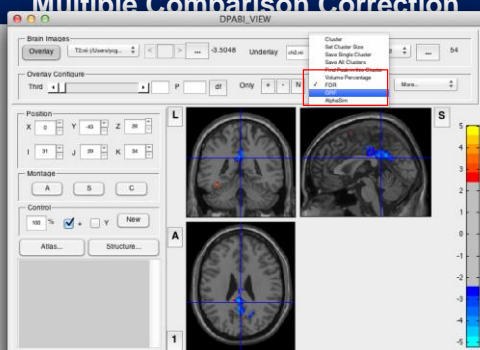
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Gaussian Random Field Theory Correction  
Monte Carlo simulations (AlphaSim)

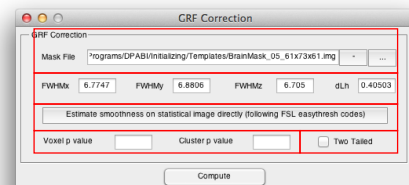


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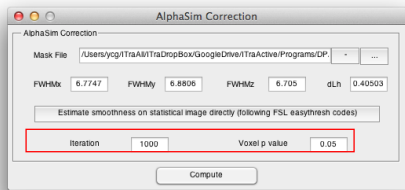


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Voxel  $Z > 2.3$ , Cluster  $P < 0.05$ , Two One-Tailed Corrections:  
equivalent to  
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## Multiple Comparison Correction



## Multiple Comparison Correction

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2	76150	0.819945	0.006282	0	1.000000
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4	15940	0.946664	0.002763	0	1.000000
5	8476	0.968930	0.001863	0	1.000000
6	4786	0.981503	0.001265	1	1.000000
7	2767	0.988772	0.000860	19	0.999000
8	1606	0.992991	0.000586	51	0.980000
9	1011	0.995647	0.000405	127	0.929000
10	585	0.997184	0.000276	132	0.802000
11	391	0.998211	0.000194	172	0.670000
12	236	0.998831	0.000133	146	0.498000
13	164	0.999262	0.000093	107	0.352000
14	98	0.999519	0.000063	78	0.245000
15	69	0.999701	0.000043	61	0.167000
16	37	0.999798	0.000029	30	0.106000
17	22	0.999856	0.000020	22	0.076000
18	22	0.999913	0.000015	21	0.054000
19	11	0.999942	0.000010	11	0.033000
20	7	0.999961	0.000007	7	0.022000
21	5	0.999974	0.000005	5	0.015000
22	5	0.999987	0.000003	5	0.010000
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## Threshold-Free Cluster Enhancement (TFCE)

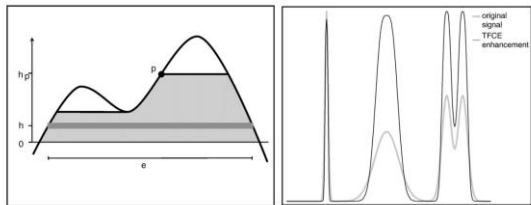
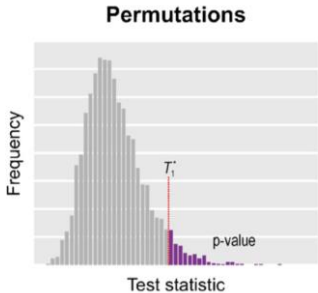


Fig. 1. Illustration of the TFCE approach. Left: the TFCE score at voxel  $p$  is given by the sum of the scores of all incremental supporting sections (see such as shown as the dark-grey band) within the area of 'support' of  $p$  (light grey). The score for each section is a simple function of its 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.

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

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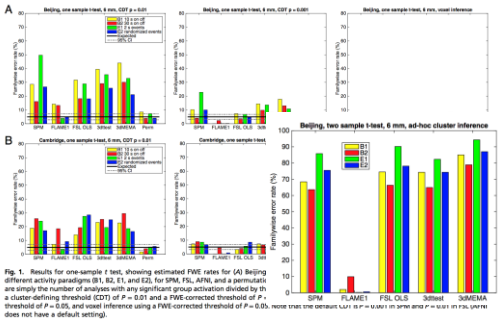


Fig. 1. Results for one-sample t test, showing estimated FWE rates for (A) Beijing one sample t-test, (B) Beijing two sample t-test, and (C) Beijing ad-hoc cluster inference. The x-axis shows different activity paradigms (B1, B2, E1, and E2) for SPM, FSL, and AFNI, and a permutation test. The y-axis shows the percentage of significant group activation divided by the cluster-defining threshold (CDT) of  $P = 0.01$  and a FWE-corrected threshold of  $P = 0.05$ . The legend indicates the number of analyses with significant group activation divided by the CDT of  $P = 0.01$  and a FWE-corrected threshold of  $P = 0.05$ . Note that the permutation test does not have a default setting.

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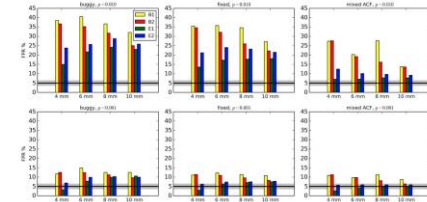
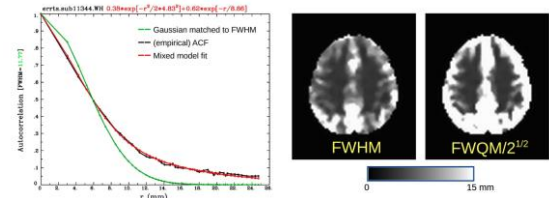


Figure 1. False Positive Rates (FPRs) for various software scenarios, with 1000 2-sample t-tests (as in [1,2]) using 20 subjects' data in each sample. "buggy" and "fixed" means the cluster-size thresholds were selected using the Gaussian shape model with the FWHM being the median of the 40 individual subject's values; "buggy" via 3dClustSim before the bug fix, "fixed" via 3dClustSim after the bug fix. "mixed ACF" means the cluster-size threshold was selected using the Eq. (1) model for spatial correlation of the noise, with the a,b,c parameters being the median of the 40 individual subject's values (estimated via program 3dFWHMx). Two different per-voxel p-value thresholds (1-sided tests, as used in [2]) are shown. The black line shows the nominal 5% false positive rate (out of 1000 trials), and the gray band shows its theoretical 95% confidence interval, 3.65-6.35%. As in [2], different smoothing values were tested (4-10 mm). B1 = 10 s block; B2 = 30 s block; E1 = regular event related; E2 = randomized event related.

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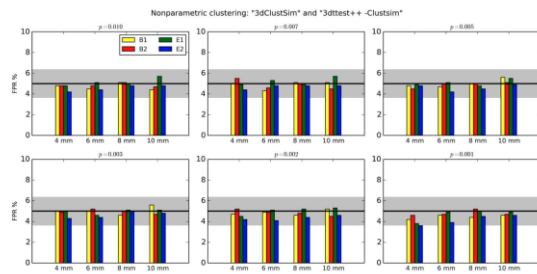
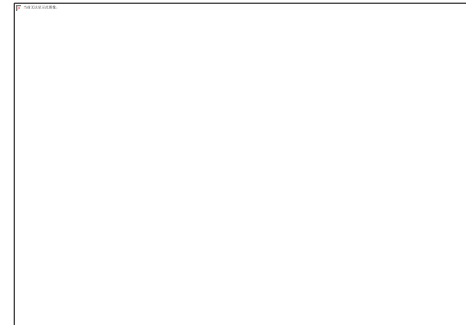


Figure 4. FPRs with cluster-size thresholds now determined from the 'Clustsim' option of 3dtest++ (1-sided tests with 1st nearest neighbor clustering). See Fig. 1 for description of labels, but note that the y-axis range has been changed here for visual clarity.

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## Family wise Error Rate



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## Family wise Error Rate

TABLE I. FWER and cluster size of ALFF (smoothness: 7.94 x 7.31 x 6.86) without GSR under corrections of GRF Theory, AFNI 3dClustSim, and DPABI AlphaSim

(One-tailed twice)		AFNI 3dClustSim		DPABI AlphaSim		GRF	
Voxel threshold	Cluster threshold	FWER	Cluster size	FWER	Cluster size	FWER	Cluster size
$P < 0.01$ ( $Z > 2.33$ )	$P < 0.05$	40.0%	66.05 ± 0.73	48.3%	60.24 ± 1.68	36.5%	69.35 ± 1.09
$P < 0.005$ ( $Z > 2.58$ )	$P < 0.05$	27.6%	43.59 ± 0.42	34.9%	39.45 ± 1.13	24.5%	46.70 ± 0.75
$P < 0.001$ ( $Z > 3.09$ )	$P < 0.05$	11.5%	19.08 ± 0.34	15.8%	18.40 ± 0.61	10.6%	21.29 ± 0.46
$P < 0.0005$ ( $Z > 3.29$ )	$P < 0.05$	9.6%	14.53 ± 0.25	12.5%	13.93 ± 0.54	8.2%	15.82 ± 0.39
$P < 0.01$ ( $Z > 2.33$ )	$P < 0.025$	30.8%	74.50 ± 1.14	39.0%	67.72 ± 2.36	27.7%	78.96 ± 1.24
$P < 0.005$ ( $Z > 2.58$ )	$P < 0.025$	23.7%	47.01 ± 0.59	27.1%	44.48 ± 1.60	18.3%	53.48 ± 0.85
$P < 0.001$ ( $Z > 3.09$ )	$P < 0.025$	8.6%	22.63 ± 0.25	10.6%	21.00 ± 0.87	6.8%	24.54 ± 0.41
$P < 0.0005$ ( $Z > 3.29$ )	$P < 0.025$	5.8%	17.33 ± 0.22	7.9%	16.03 ± 0.71	5.1%	18.51 ± 0.50

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## Family wise Error Rate

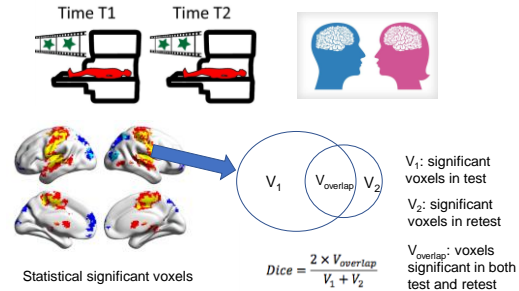
TABLE II. FWER under correction of three kinds of cluster-based correction with the strictest threshold, 6 versions of PT-based correction as well as FDR correction

in FDR correction													
Smoothness (mm, x/y/z)	Voxel threshold	Cluster threshold	FWER										
			ALFF		VnBR		ReHo		VnHC				
			with GSR	without GSR	with GSR	without GSR	with GSR	without GSR	with GSR	without GSR			
			7.94	7.34	5.95	7.86	5.33	7.99	7.32	9.24	8.06	6.13	11.88
			7.31	7.42	6.89	7.97	6.87	7.31	7.41	8.56	8.16	6.43	11.53
			6.87	7.31	6.89	7.97	6.87	7.31	7.41	8.56	8.16	6.43	11.53
ANIM McS@Y (non-tail) [SPAR, Alpha (non-tail)] GSR (non-tail)	P < 0.005 (Z > 2.33)	P < 0.005	5.81	4.11	7.35	8.55	6.05	7.35	6.81	6.98	6.81	6.81	5.55
			7.95	8.35	8.03	10.25	9.05	7.85	7.75	7.85	8.35	9.65	6.95
			5.15	5.35	4.95	7.45	5.25	4.85	5.05	5.35	5.15	6.45	4.45
P < 0.05 cluster extent (two-tail) [SPAR, Alpha (two-tail)] GSR (two-tail)	P < 0.05 (Z > 2.33)	P < 0.05	8.35	8.05	8.15	4.05	5.25	4.85	3.95	5.35	5.25	3.35	5.35
			5.45	4.05	5.25	4.45	5.55	5.35	3.85	5.35	5.05	4.55	5.45
			4.35	4.15	5.35	4.45	4.25	4.15	5.05	5.15	4.75	4.75	4.45
			4.95	4.85	4.35	4.95	3.45	4.35	4.85	5.45	4.25	3.95	4.15
FT TICE GSR FT VCX GSR	P < 0.001 (Z > 2.58)	P < 0.001	4.65	3.95	5.25	5.25	4.45	5.35	4.25	5.35	4.75	4.85	4.45
			5.15	4.45	4.85	2.45	4.75	6.05	4.95	4.65	4.45	4.85	3.95
			4.85	4.45	4.85	2.45	4.75	6.05	4.95	4.65	4.45	4.85	3.95

## Test-retest Reliability

### Test-retest reliability

Sex differences in test and retest



Statistical significant voxels

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## Test-retest Reliability

TABLE III. Test-retest reliability of sex differences for all R-fMRI metrics with and without GSR under correction of three kinds of cluster-based correction with the strictest threshold, six kinds of PTA-based correction and FDR correction, calculated between the first and second sessions in the CORR dataset

	Voxel threshold	Cluster threshold	Test-retest reliability (dice coefficient)							
			ALFF	fALFF	ReHo	DC	VMHC	ALFF with GSR	fALFF with GSR	ReHo with GSR
AFNI 3dClustSim (one-tailed)	$P < 0.0005$ ( $Z > 3.29$ )	$P < 0.025$	0.65	0.51	0.50	0.34	0.39	0.64	0.48	0.44
DPABI AlphaSim (one-tailed)			0.65	0.51	0.49	0.34	0.39	0.64	0.48	0.45
CBF (one-tailed)			0.64	0.51	0.50	0.35	0.39	0.65	0.48	0.43
PT cluster extent correction (two-tailed)	$P < 0.02$ ( $Z > 2.33$ )	$P < 0.05$	0.65	0.70	0.56	0.45	0.40	0.62	0.68	0.45
	$P < 0.01$ ( $Z > 2.58$ )		0.67	0.66	0.52	0.32	0.33	0.60	0.63	0.46
	$P < 0.002$ ( $Z > 3.09$ )		0.63	0.55	0.51	0.36	0.38	0.63	0.52	0.47
	$P < 0.003$ ( $Z > 3.29$ )		0.64	0.51	0.48	0.37	0.38	0.64	0.48	0.44
PT TFCE			0.68	0.75	0.54	0.48	0.44	0.66	0.74	0.44
PT-VMHC			0.66	0.54	0.48	0.37	0.35	0.65	0.52	0.44
FDR correction			0.64	0.67	0.54	0.39	0.37	0.63	0.64	0.47

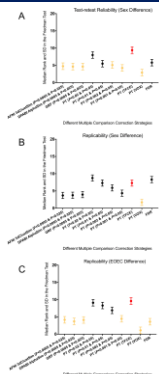
For test-retest reliability for all the 31 kinds of multiple comparison correction strategies, please see Supporting Information Table S13

➤ Moderate test-retest reliability  
➤ ALFF, fALFF, ReHo are better than DC and VMHC  
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## PT with TFCE outperforms

Permutation test TFCE, a strict multiple comparison correction strategy, reached the best balance between family-wise error rate (under 5%) and test-retest reliability / replicability

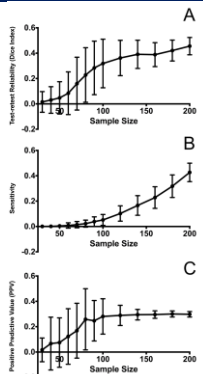


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## Sample Size Matters

Randomly draw k subjects from the "SWU 4" site in the CORR dataset, which has two sessions of 116 males and 105 females



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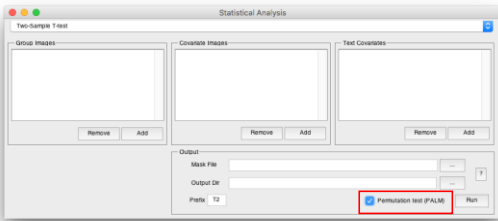
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## Reproducibility of R-fMRI Metrics on the Impact of Different Strategies for Multiple Comparison Correction and Sample Sizes

- Permutation test with TFCE reached the best balance between FWER and reproducibility
- Although R-fMRI indices attained moderate reliabilities, they replicated poorly in distinct datasets (replicability < 0.3 for between-subject sex differences, < 0.5 for within-subject EOEC differences)
- For studies examining effect sizes similar to or even less than those of sex differences, results from a sample size < 80 (40 per group) should be considered preliminary, given their low reliability (< 0.23), sensitivity (< 0.02) and PPV (< 0.26).

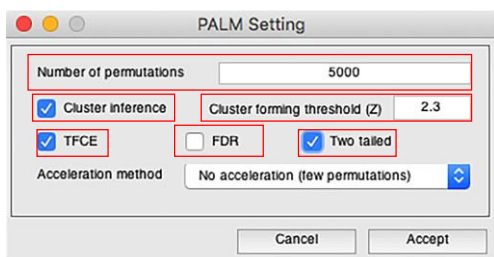
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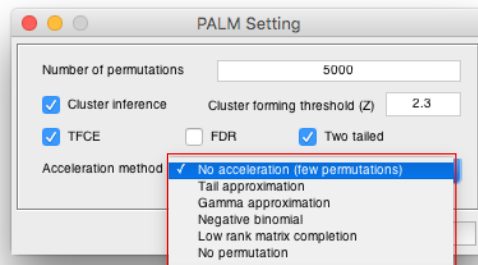
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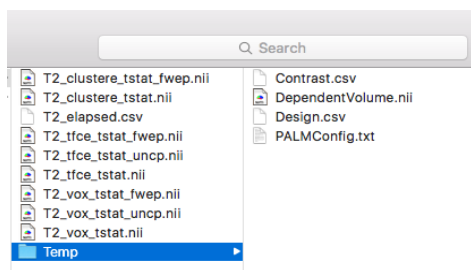
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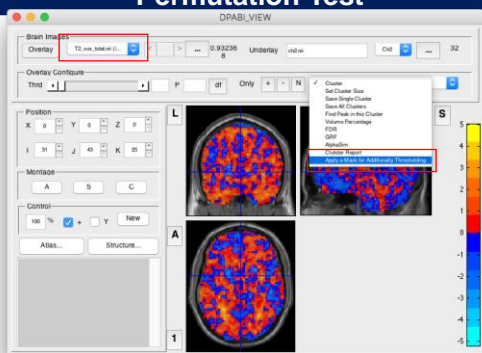


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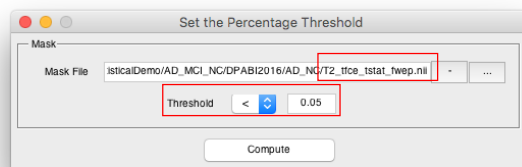
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3. `_vox_tstat_fwep.nii` is the p value corresponds to the rank of the observed T value within the permutations of maximum T values across all the voxels (the null distribution is composed by the maximum T value across all the voxels for each permutation). For the corrected, the distribution of the maximum is used as reference, and the rank (or quantile) of a given voxel in relation to that distribution is used to obtain p-values.
4. `_clustere_tstat.nii` is simply the size (in voxels) of the cluster. This number acts as the test statistic.
4. `_clustere_tstat_fwep.nii`: p-values computed in the same way as 3, i.e., using the distribution of the maximum cluster size.
5. The TFCE maps are similar to Points 1, 2 and 3.

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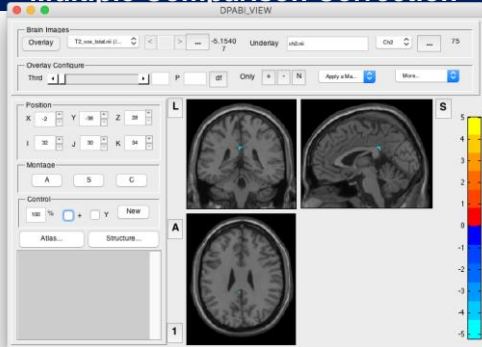


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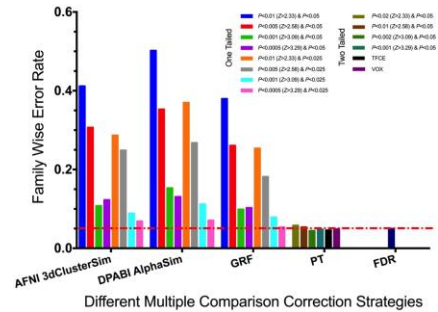
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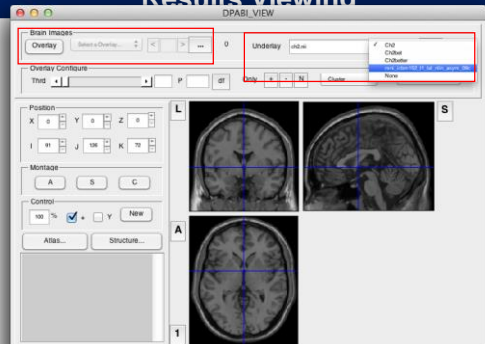
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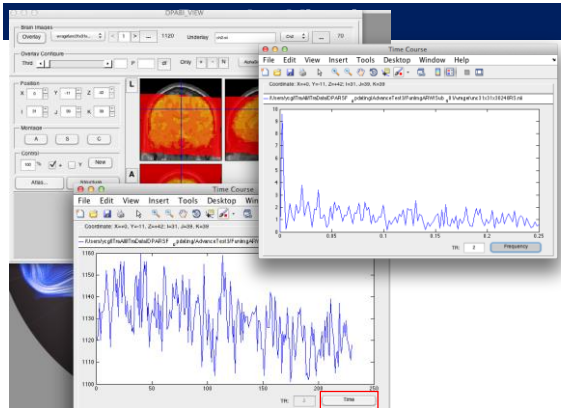
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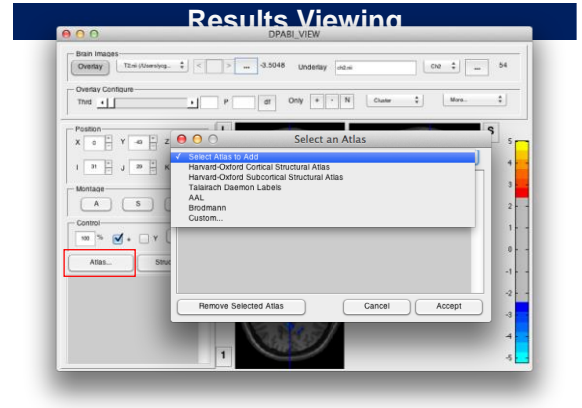




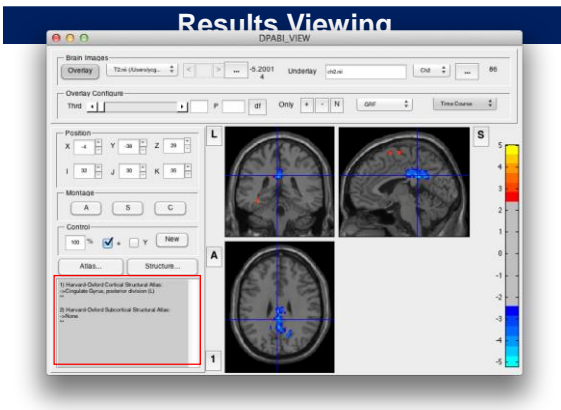




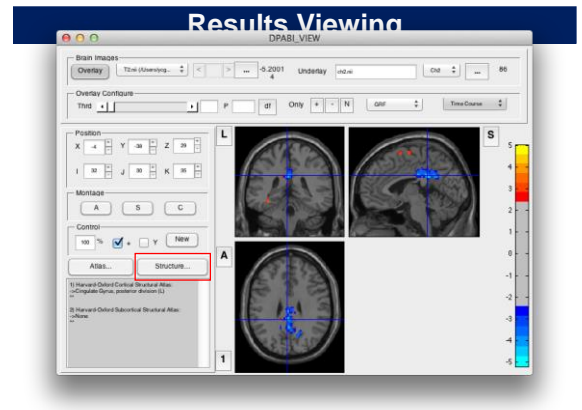
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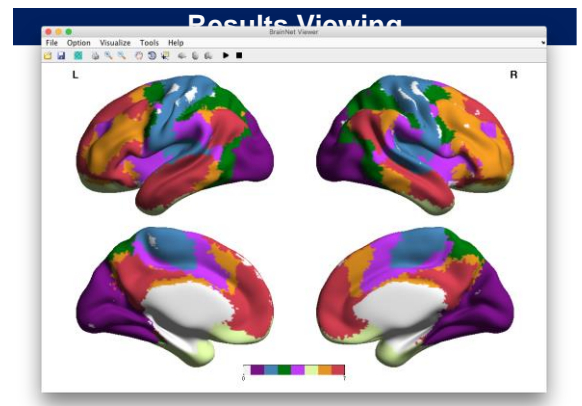
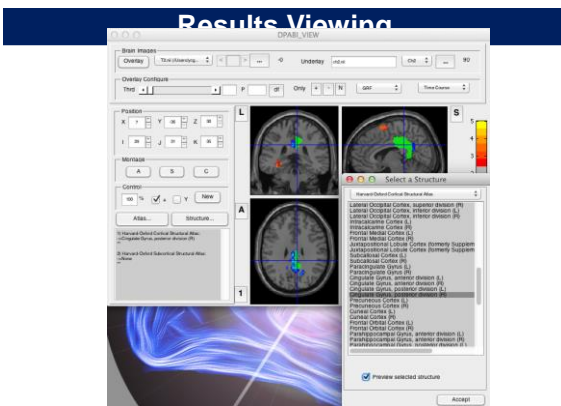
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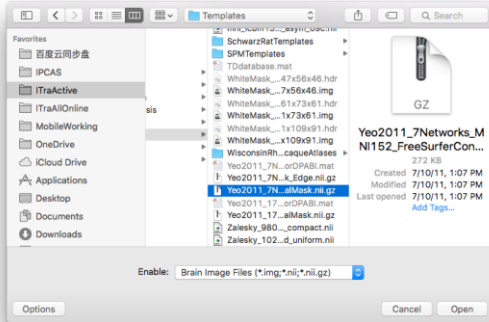
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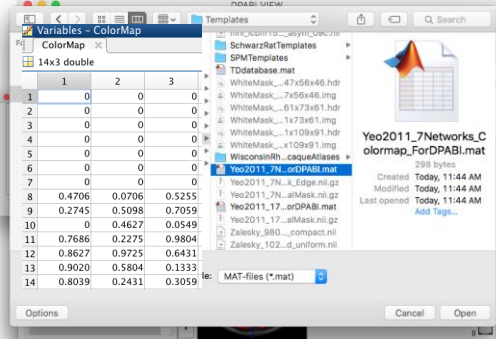
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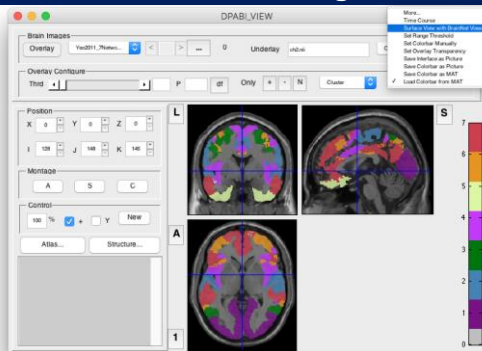


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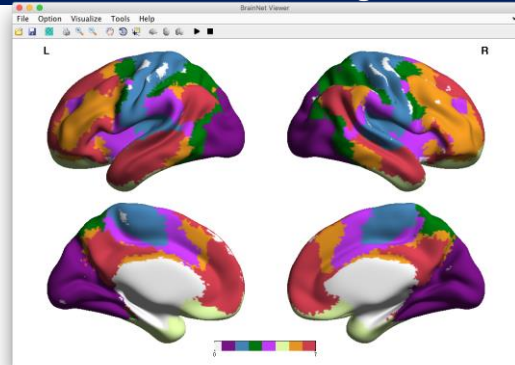


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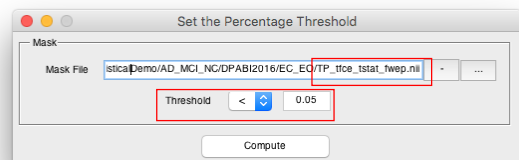
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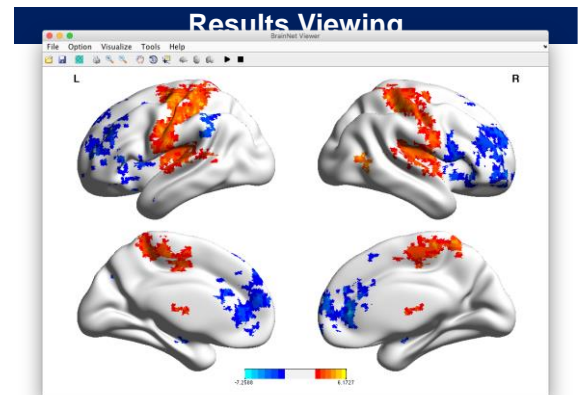


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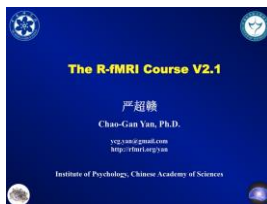




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