

What's "Advanced" fMRI?

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Overview of fMRI

Functional Contrast:

Blood flow/perfusion
Blood oxygenation

Sensitivity (CNR)
2/1 to 5/1

Spatial resolution:

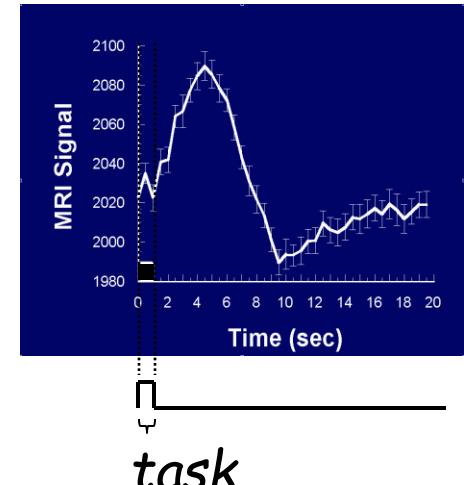
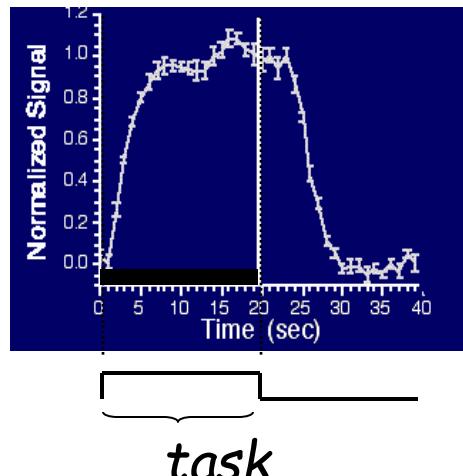
Typical: 3 mm³
Upper: 0.5 mm³

Temporal resolution:

Minimum duration: < 16 ms
Minimum onset diff: 100 ms to 2 sec

Interpretability:

Neurovascular coupling, vascular sampling, blood
physiologic noise, motion and other artifacts, etc..



What fMRI Can Routinely Do

Help in understanding healthy brain organization

- map networks involved with specific behavior, stimulus, or performance
- characterize changes over time (seconds to years)
- determine functional correlates of behavior

Current Clinical Applications

- presurgical mapping (CPT code in place as of Jan, 2007)

Current Clinical Research

- assessment of recovery and plasticity
- clinical population characterization with probe task or resting state

How most fMRI studies are performed

MRI parameters:

1.5T - 3T, 64 x 64 matrix, 3mm x 3mm x 5mm voxel size, whole brain, TR = 2 sec.

Paradigm:

Block design or event-related, single or multiple conditions.

Analysis:

Motion correct, multi-regression, spatial smoothing and spatial normalization, standard classical statistical tests, multi-subject averaging.

Hypothesis:

A region or network of regions show modulation with a task. This modulation is unique to the task and/or population.

Problems/Shortcomings of fMRI

- Too low SNR for routine clinical use (takes too long)
- Requires patient cooperation (too sensitive to motion)
- Too low spatial resolution (each voxel has several million neurons)
- Too low temporal resolution (hemodynamics are variable and sluggish)
- Too indirectly related to neuronal activity
- Too many physiologic variables influence signal
- Too inconsistent of an activation pattern
- Anatomical images for fMRI are low quality (dropout/distortion)
- Requires a task (BOLD cannot look at baseline maps)
- Too confined space and high acoustic noise.

How fMRI might be performed

MRI parameters:

3T - 11.7T, 256×256 matrix, $0.5 \times 0.5 \times 0.5$ voxel size, whole brain TR = 1sec or select slab TR = 100 ms.

Paradigm:

Natural, continuous, or no stimuli/task. Simultaneous multi-modal, or multiple contrast measurements.

Analysis:

Motion correct, dynamic Bo-field correction, no spatial or temporal smoothing, machine learning algorithms, pattern classification, hemodynamic parameter assessment, correlation with behavior.

Hypothesis:

Similar to previous but using the high resolution patterns, fluctuations, dynamics, and contrast mechanisms that we are still figuring out how to interpret and extract.

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- High field strength
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fMRI Contrast

- Volume (gadolinium)
- BOLD
- Perfusion (ASL)
- ΔCMRO_2
- $\Delta\text{Volume (VASO)}$
- Neuronal Currents
- Diffusion coefficient
- Temperature

Novel Contrasts / Techniques:

(272 TH-PM) Pass-band SSFP fMRI: BOLD Sensitivity with Various MR Parameters

Taek S. Kim , Jongho Lee , John M. Pauly

(275 TH-AM) Event-related Single-shot Volumetric Functional Magnetic Resonance Inverse Imaging in the Human Brain

Fa-Hsuan Lin , Lawrence Wald , Joseph Mandeville , Thomas Witzel , et al.

(303 TH-AM) Stimulus Induced Rotary Saturation (SIRS); a new method for the direct detection of neuronal currents

Thomas Witzel , Bruce Rosen , Fa-Hsuan Lin , Lawrence Wald

(297 TH-AM) Optimizing the Combination of Spiral-In/Out Images for BOLD and Perfusion fMRI

B.T. Stokes , T. Ernst , L. Chang , R. Yakupov , et al.

(111 TH-AM) Functional BOLD Signal Relationships to Perfusion Signal During Associative Encoding in Medial Temporal Lobe Structures based on Alzheimer and rsquo;s Disease Genetic Risk

Adam Fleisher , Katie Bangen , Katherine Podraza , Curtis Taylor , et al.

(30 M-PM) Real-time Human Brain Mapping

Jean-Philippe Lachaux , Karim Jerbi , Olivier Bertrand , Lorella Minotti , et al.

(265 TH-AM) Is ASL-BOLD equivalent to standard BOLD?

Yufen Chen , Todd Parrish

(370 W-PM) Effects of CBV and Capillary Permeability on ASL Signal

Chang-Wei Wu , Jyh-Horng Chen , Yihong Yang

(264 TH-PM) Functional MRI Measurement of Venous Cerebral Blood Volume Measurement at 3 Tesla

Jean J. Chen , G. Bruce Pike

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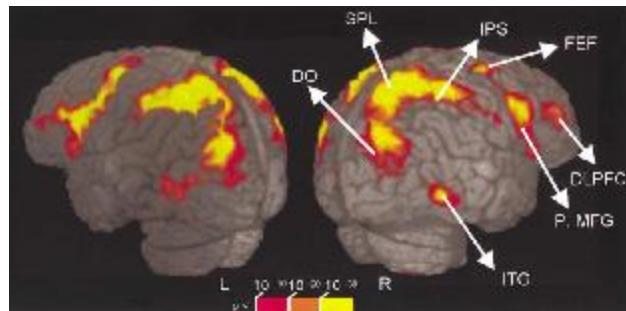
Mapping \leftrightarrow "Reading"

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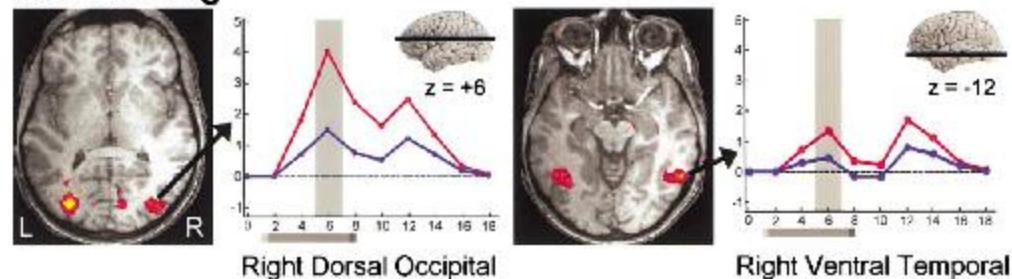
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Neural Correlates of Visual Working Memory: fMRI Amplitude Predicts Task Performance

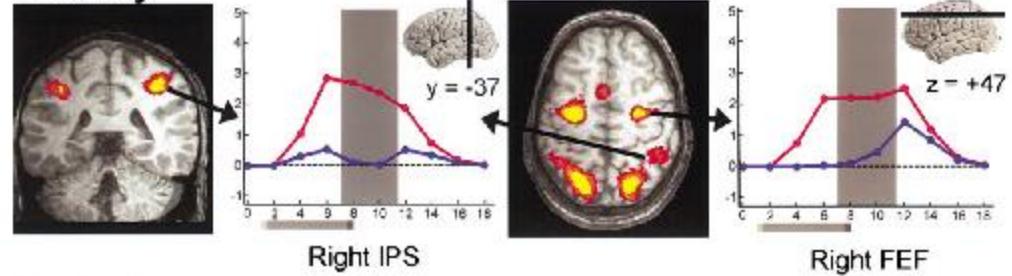
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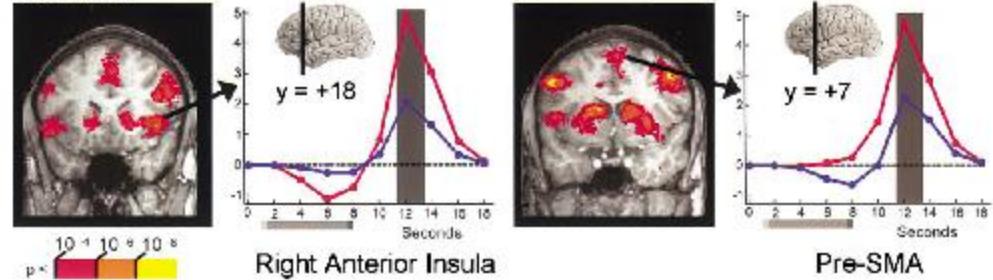
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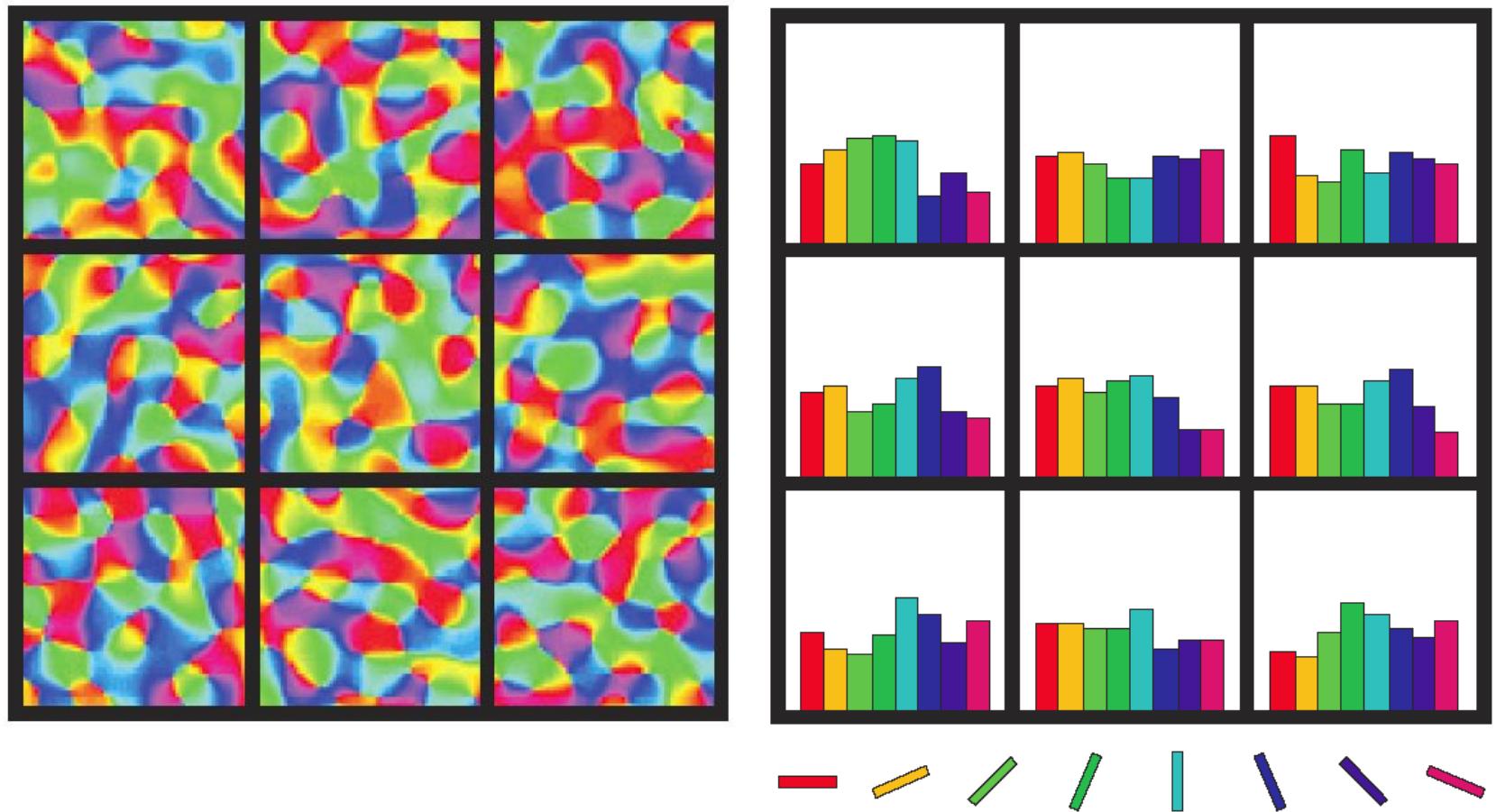
B. Delay



C. Test



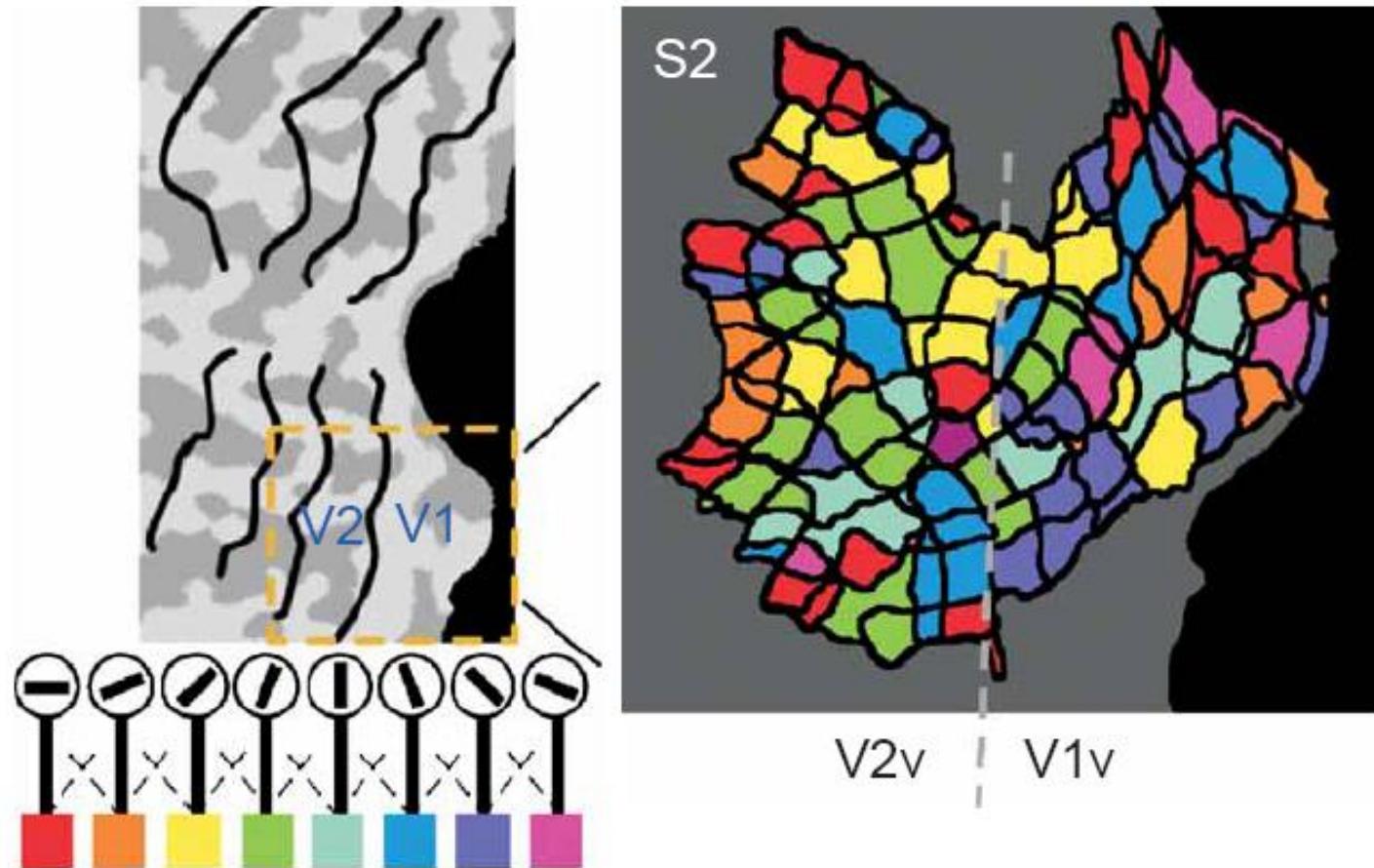
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Boynton (2005), News & Views on Kamitani & Tong (2005) and Haynes & Rees (2005)

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Lower spatial frequency clumping

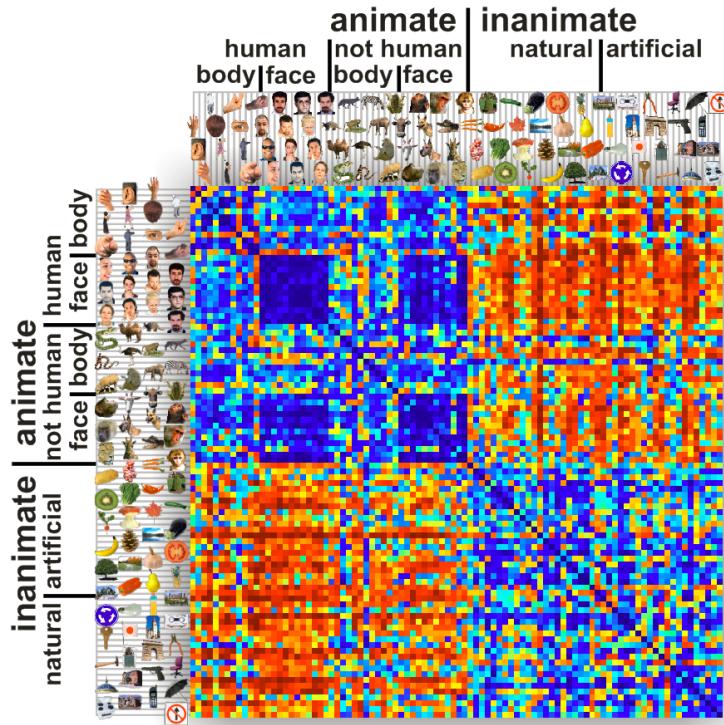


Kamitani & Tong (2005)

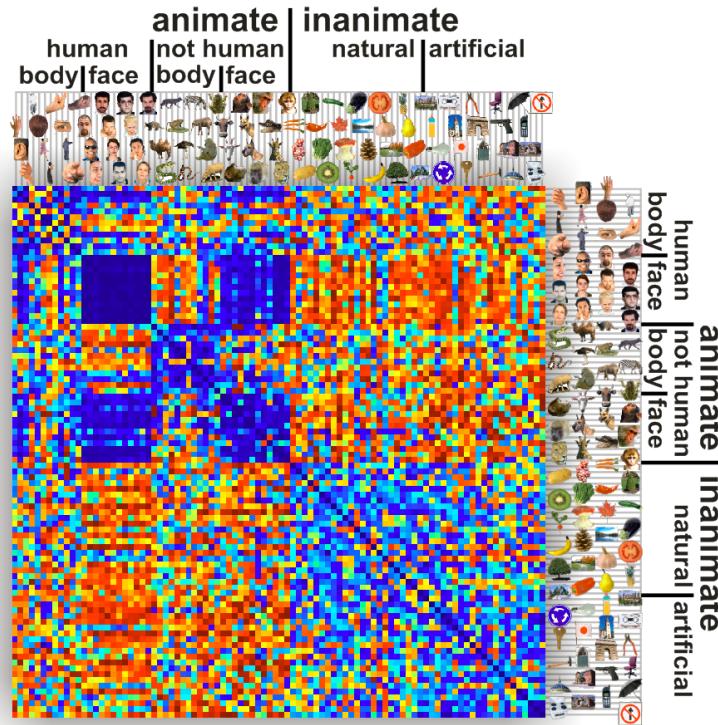
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dissimilarity matrices



man



monkey

Pattern Classification

(353 TH-AM) Unsupervised fMRI Analysis

David R. Hardoon , Janaina Mourao-Miranda , Michael Brammer , John Shawe-Taylor

(153 W-AM) Matching categorical object representations in inferotemporal cortex of man and monkey

Nikolaus Kriegeskorte , Marieke Mur , Douglas Ruff , Roozbeh Kiani , et al.

(288 M-PM) Creating topological signatures from graph-based representations of fMRI measurements

A. Ravishankar Rao , Guillermo Cecchi , Rahul Garg

(344 W-PM) Extracting cognitive conditions from neuroimaging data with Support Vector Machines

Xi Cheng , Qian Luo , Meyer-Lindenberg Andreas

(347 W-AM) Iterative selection and mapping of discriminative features in fMRI pattern recognition with Support Vector Machines

Federico De Martino , Giancarlo Valente , Rainer Goebel , Elia Formisano

(355 W-AM) Spatiotemporal SVM applied to event-related fMRI

Janaina Mourao-Miranda , Christine Ecker , Michael Brammer

(5 T-AM) Encoding of sensory stimuli and task sets in prefrontal cortex

Stefan Bode , John-Dylan Haynes

(19 T-AM) Reading hidden intentions in the human brain

Chun Siong Soon , Marcel Brass , Richard Passingham , John-Dylan Haynes

(23 W-AM) Pattern classification reveals control regions for visual spatial attention in prefrontal cortex

Christian Kalberlah , John-Dylan Haynes

(352 W-PM) Utilizing the covariance relationships in complex natural stimulus descriptors in fMRI brain state analysis

Stephen LaConte , Xiaoping Hu

(155 TH-AM) Distributed neural representations of odor quality in human piriform cortex

James Howard , Jay Gottfried , Jane Plailly , Wen Li , et al.

(160 W-PM) Origin of 'decoding' signals in the visual cortex: gray matter or macroscopic blood vessels?

Amir Shmuel , Guenter Raddatz , Denis Chaimow , Nikos Logothetis , et al.

(193 T-AM) Selective activation around the left occipito-temporal sulcus for words relative to pictures: individual variability or false positives?

Nicholas D. Wright , Andrea Mechelli , Uta Noppeney , Dick J. Veltman , et al.

(347 W-AM) Iterative selection and mapping of discriminative features in fMRI pattern recognition with Support Vector Machines

Federico De Martino , Giancarlo Valente , Rainer Goebel , Elia Formisano

(364 W-PM) Comparison of methods for fMRI brain reading: a study on generalization and interpretability.

Giancarlo Valente , Federico De Martino , Walt Schneider , Rainer Goebel , et al.

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Multi-Modal

(243 M-AM) Exploring the feasibility of simultaneous EEG/fMRI at 7T

Karen Mullinger , Matthew Brookes , Claire Stevenson , Matthew Clemence , et al.

(201 M-AM) On the relationship between oscillatory brain activity and event-related fields

Ali Mazaheri , Daria Osipova , Ole Jensen

(238 M-PM) Comparing Gamma oscillations and BOLD signal during a reading task: a combined fMRI and intracranial EEG study

Alexandra Juphard , Jean-Philippe Lachaux , Monica Baciu , Sylviane Valdois , et al.

(244 M-PM) Effects of Simultaneous EEG Recording on MRI Data Quality at 1.5, 3 and 7 Tesla

Karen Mullinger , Andreas Bungert , Ron Coxon , David Foxhall , et al.

(146 M-PM) Investigating Sensorimotor Stroke Recovery using Simultaneous Skin Conductance and Event-Related fMRI at 3 T

Bradley MacIntosh , Richard Mraz , Sandra Black , Richard Staines , et al.

(138 W-PM) Trial by trial BOLD correlates of working memory related alpha and theta power increases during simultaneous EEG/fMRI measurement

René Scheeringa , Marcel Bastiaansen , Karl Magnus Petersson , David Norris , et al.

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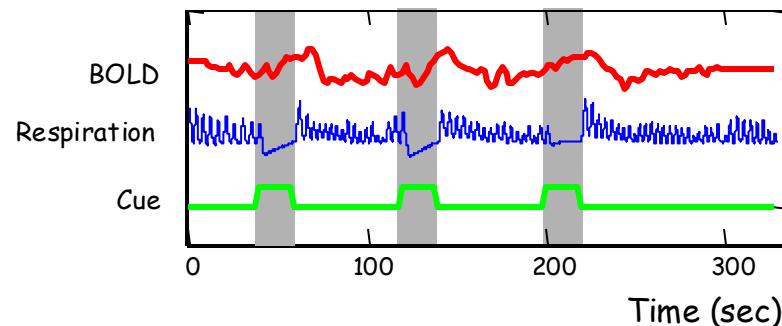
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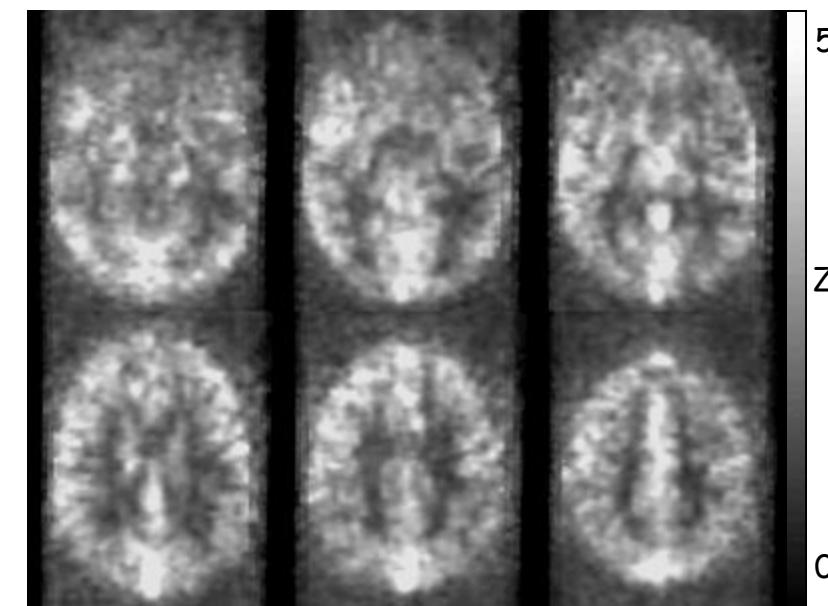
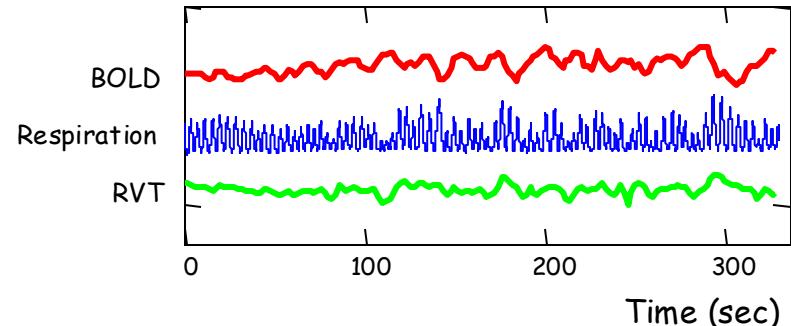
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Respiration induced signal changes

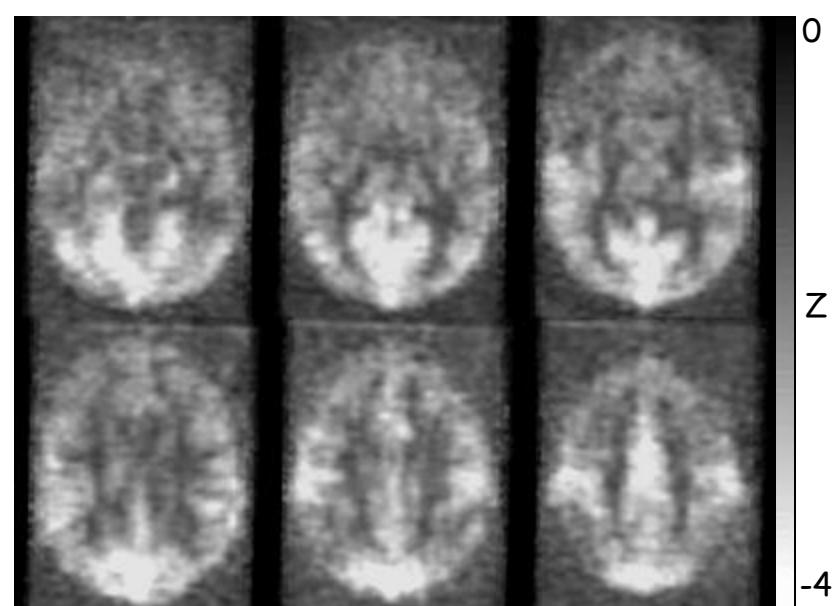
Breath-holding



Rest



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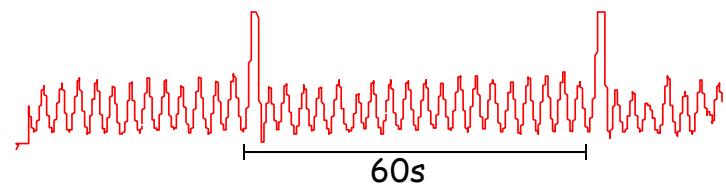


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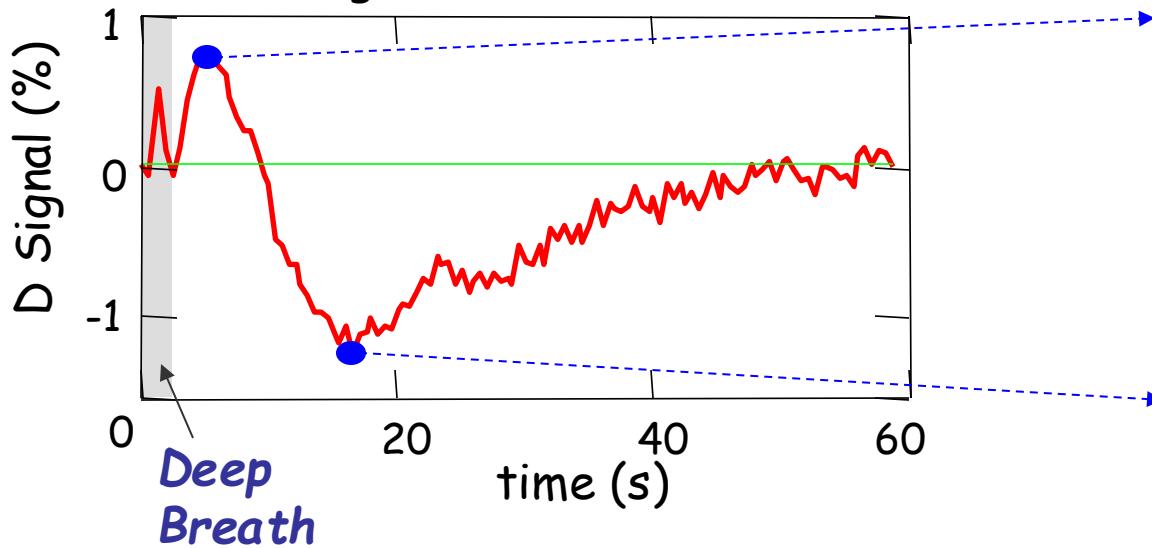
Respiration Response Function

fMRI response to a single Deep Breath

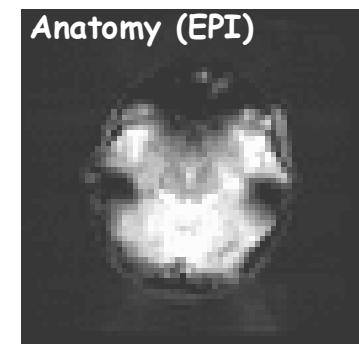
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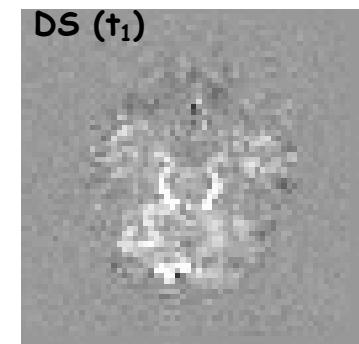
fMRI Signal



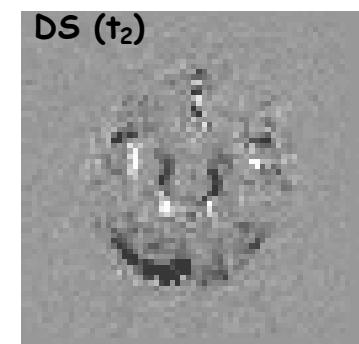
Anatomy (EPI)



DS (t_1)

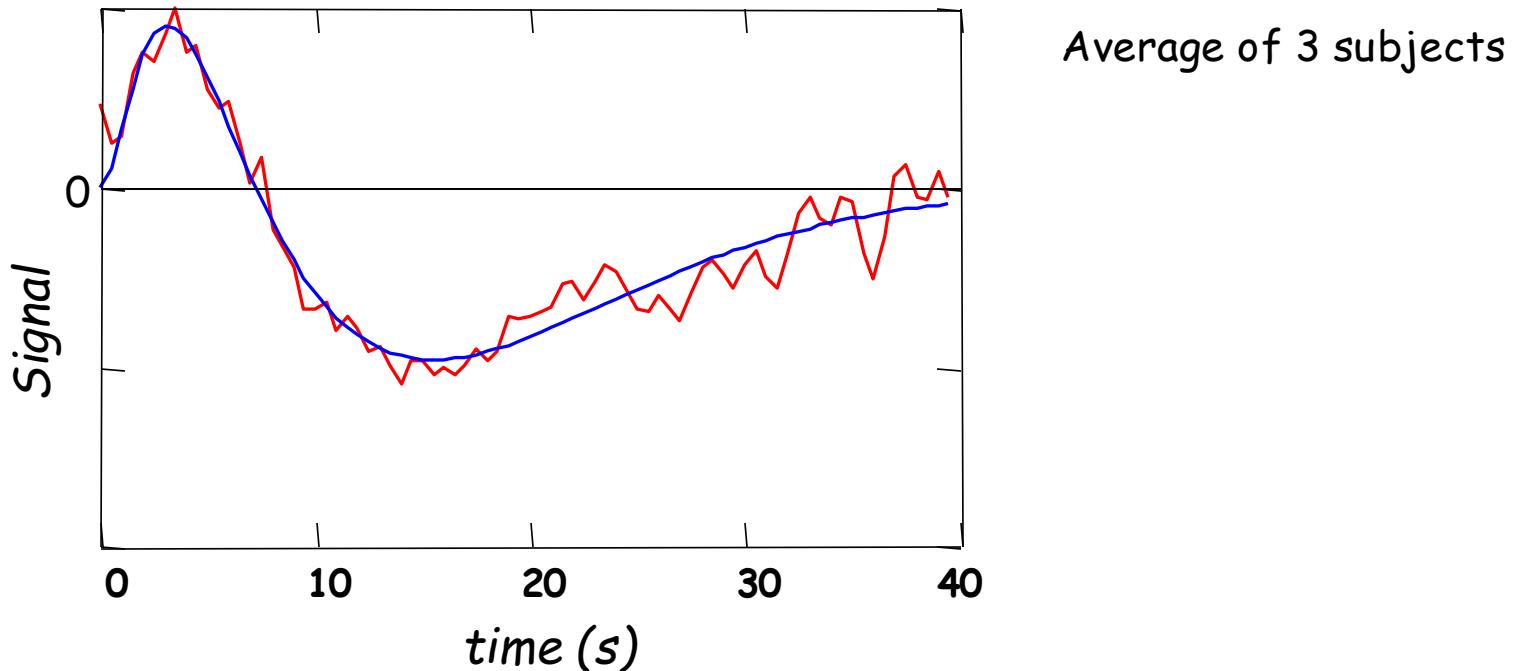


DS (t_2)



Respiration Response Function

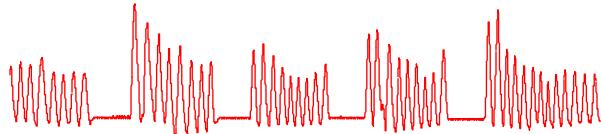
Respiration response function



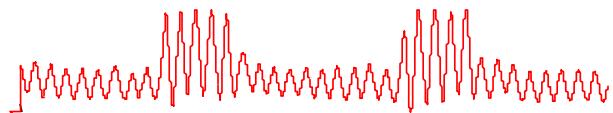
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Respiration Response Function

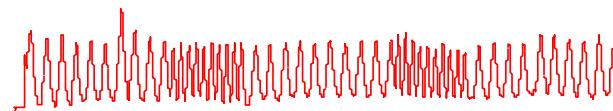
Calibration using other respiration changes



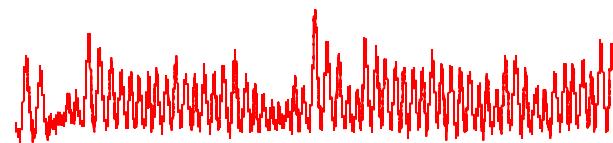
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Depth changes

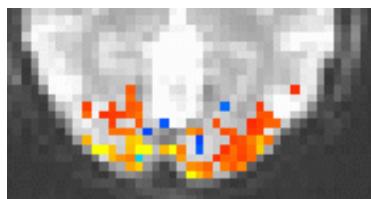


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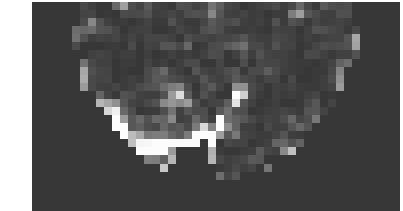
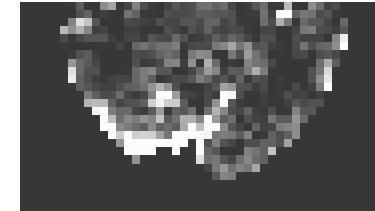
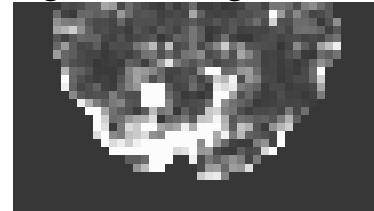
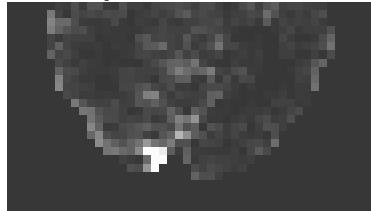
spontaneous fluctuations
in respiration during rest

Visual Activation

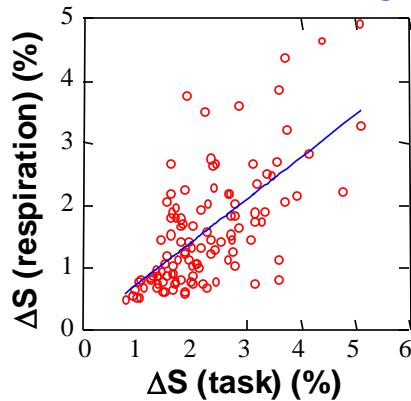


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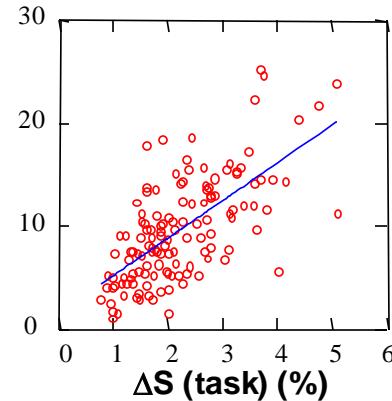
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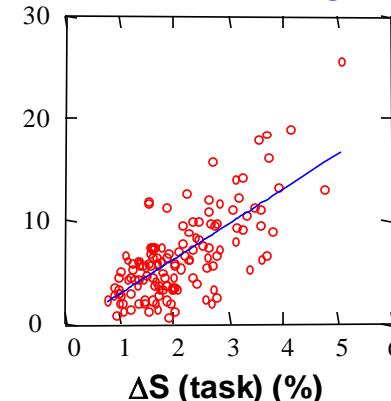
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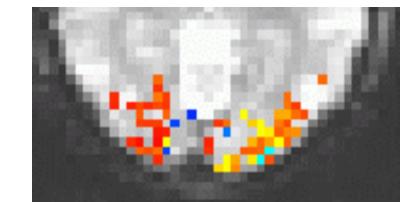
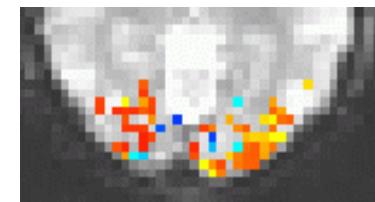
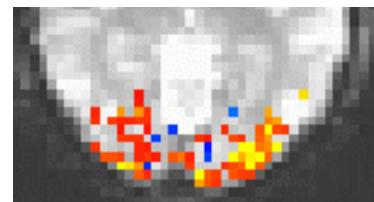
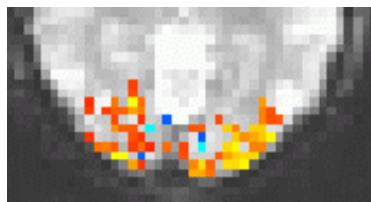
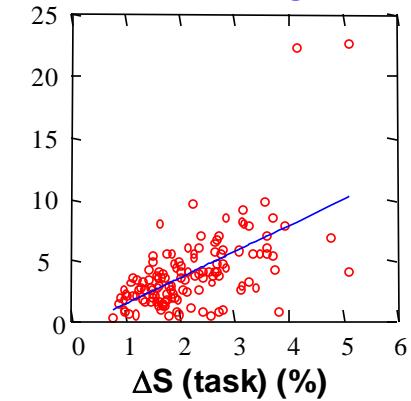
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Improving Signal to Noise / Calibration in fMRI

(311 W-AM) Improved temporal SNR in amygdala fMRI signal with physiological noise correction and image segmentation

David Knight , Joseph Dunsmoor , Peter Bandettini

(321 TH-AM) Modeling spontaneous fluctuations in resting state networks in the standard GLM improves activation detection

AM Clare Kelly , Bharat Biswal , Lucina Uddin , F. Xavier Castellanos , et al.

(356 TH-PM) Separation of physiological noise sources for spatially-coherent fluctuations in BOLD signal using Probabilistic Independent Component Analysis

Timothy Laumann , Jason Stein , Jerzy Bodurka , Yunxia Tong , et al.

(297 W-AM) Calibration of BOLD fMRI signal changes using cued and spontaneous breathing variations

Rasmus M. Birn , Tyler B. Jones , Peter A. Bandettini

(301 W-AM) Reducing Correlated Noise in fMRI Data

Jacco A de Zwart , Peter van Gelderen , Masaki Fukunaga , Jeff H Duyn

(296 W-PM) The Respiration Response Function: modeling the temporal dynamics of respiration-volume induced signal changes

Rasmus M. Birn , Tyler B. Jones , Monica A. Smith , Peter A. Bandettini

(316 W-PM) Accurate Estimation of Physiologic Noise Using Temporal ICA-derived Spatial Measures

Erik Beall , Mark Lowe

Practical Issues

(321 W-AM) Artifact Repair for fMRI Data from High Motion Clinical Subjects

Paul Mazaika , Susan Whitfield-Gabrieli , Allan Reiss

(337 T-AM) A Study of Subject Motion and the Effects on the BOLD Signal

Ryan T. Simpson , Michael F. Glabus

(292 TH-PM) Methodological Problems and Success Rate of Pediatric fMRI at 3T

Roland Beisteiner , Agnes Pirker , Thomas Foki , Alexander Geissler , et al.

(328 TH-PM) fMRIpower: A Power Calculation Tool for 2-Stage fMRI Models

Jeanette Mumford , Russell Poldrack , Thomas Nichols

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Connectivity

(240 TH-PM) Selectively disturbed connectivity of resting state networks in patients with mild cognitive impairment
Christian Sorg , Valentin Riedl , Alexander Kurz , Claus Zimmer , et al.

(278 M-PM) Functional Connectivity of Anterior Cingulate Cortex: A Resting-State Mapping Approach
Daniel S. Margulies , A.M. Clare Kelly , Lucina Q. Uddin , F. Xavier Castellanos , et al.

(12 TH-PM) Different Connectivity Patterns in Populations with Different IQs
Ming Song , Yuan Zhou , Jun Li , Chunshui Yu , et al.

(168 M-PM) Functional Connectivity is Altered During Recovery Following Stroke
Ali-Mohammad Golestani , Andrew Demchuk , Mayank Goyal , Bradley Goodyear

(168 T-PM) Altered brain activity and effective connectivity in children with dyslexia during phonological processing
Fan Cao , Tali Bitan , Tai-Li Chou , Douglas Burman , et al.

(171 TH-AM) Functional connectivity associated with the comprehensibility of speech sounds
Kevin Hynnä , Hannu Tuutinen , Patrick May

(213 W-AM) Decreased Functional Connectivity of Motor Systems in Autism.
Daniel J Simmonds , Stewart H Mostofsky

(235 T-AM) Impaired functional connectivity within the frontal lobes in schizophrenia
Pierre Fonlupt , A. Caclin , I. Baeza , C. Junque , et al.

(241 T-AM) Effect of Nicotine on Resting-State Functional Connectivity in Schizophrenia
L. Elliot Hong , Hong Gu , Thomas Ross , Robert Hayes , et al

(245 W-AM) Functional connectivity can measure epilepsy networks.
Anthony Waites , David Abbott , Richard Masterton , Graeme Jackson

(247 TH-AM) Motor connectivity in Parkinson disease: differences from normal in M1, SMA and Cerebellum
Paula Arantes , João Sato , Claudia Leite , Edson Amaro Jr.

(255 M-AM) Detecting time-varying connectivity
Felix Carbonell , Keith Worsley , Nelson Trujillo , Roberto Carlos Sotero , et al.

(259 M-AM) Effect of scanner signal drift on evaluation of baseline connectivity
Hu Cheng , Samantha Brandfon

(94 W-PM) Functional Connectivity Reflects Structural Connectivity in a Human Memory Network
Michael Greicius , Kaustubh Supekar , Robert Dougherty

(297 M-AM) Mapping effective connectivity in a short-delay continuous performance task using Granger causality analysis
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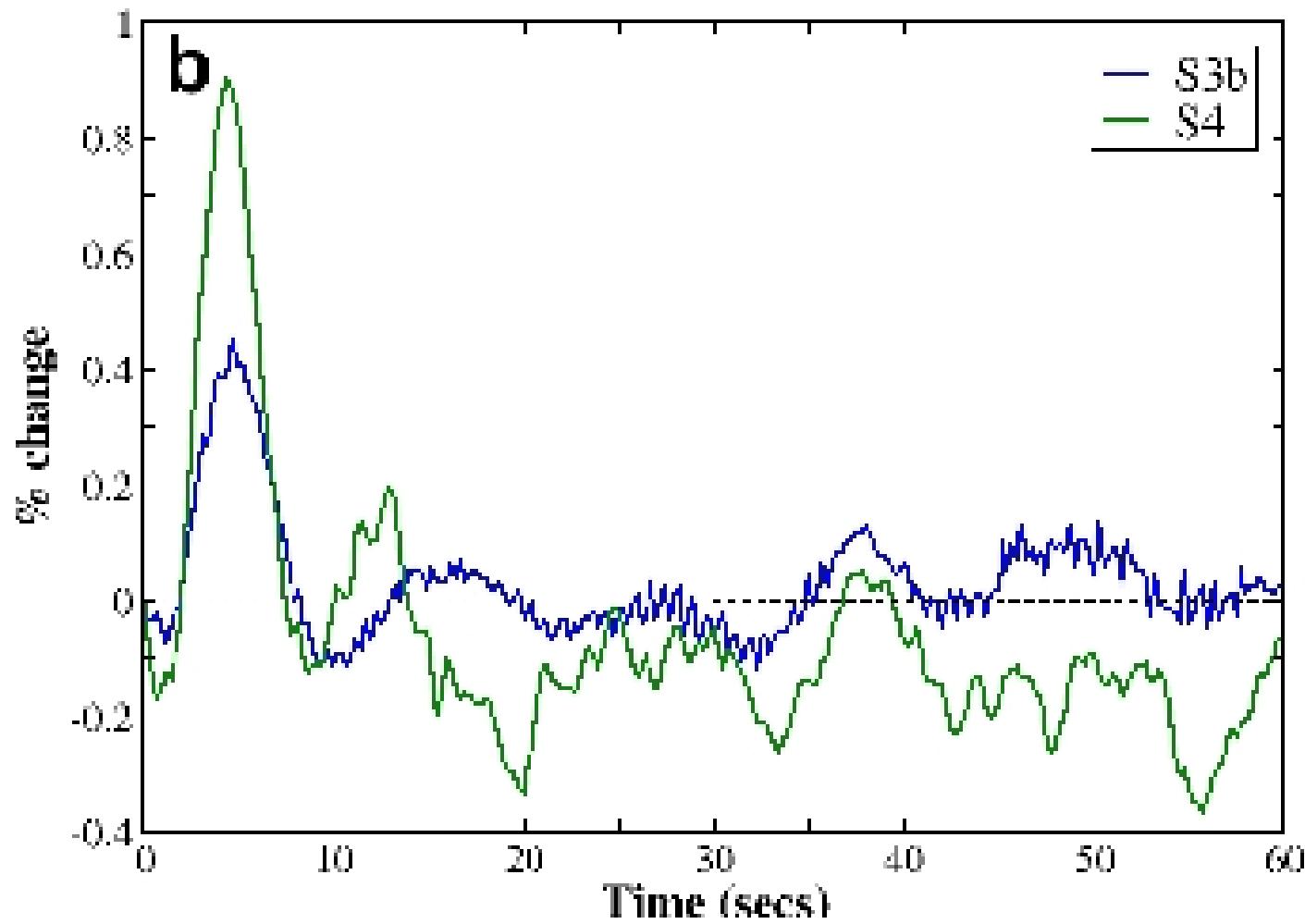
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(296 W-PM) The Respiration Response Function: modeling the temporal dynamics of respiration-volume induced signal changes

Rasmus M. Birn , Tyler B. Jones , Monica A. Smith , Peter A. Bandettini

(191 W-AM) Can fMRI detect temporal differences in processing somatosensory information ?

Patrizia Baraldi , Angela Agnes Manginelli , Davide Anchisi , Marco Serafini , et al.

(396 M-PM) BOLD Signal Decreases Following Caffeine Challenge in Individuals Who Intake High Daily Doses of Caffeine.

Lucie L Yang , Ann M Peiffer , Merideth A Addicott , Robert A Kraft , et al.

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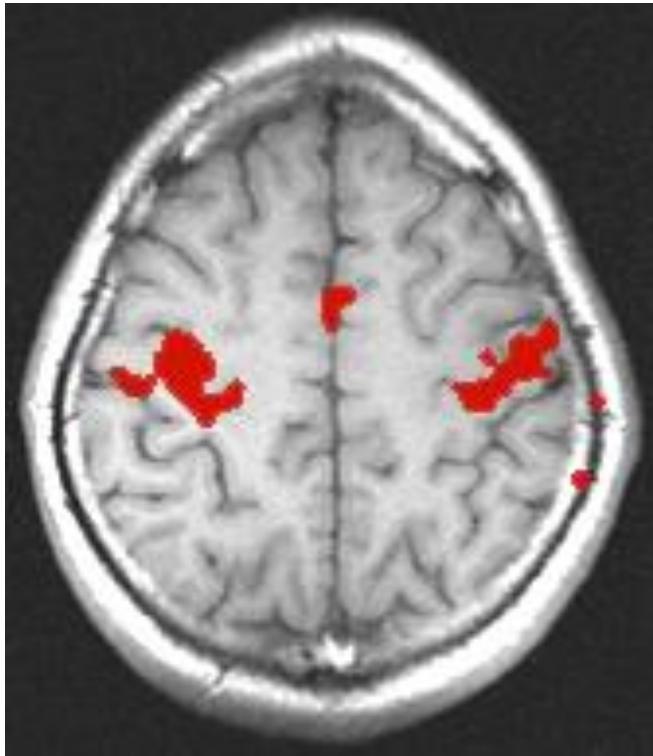
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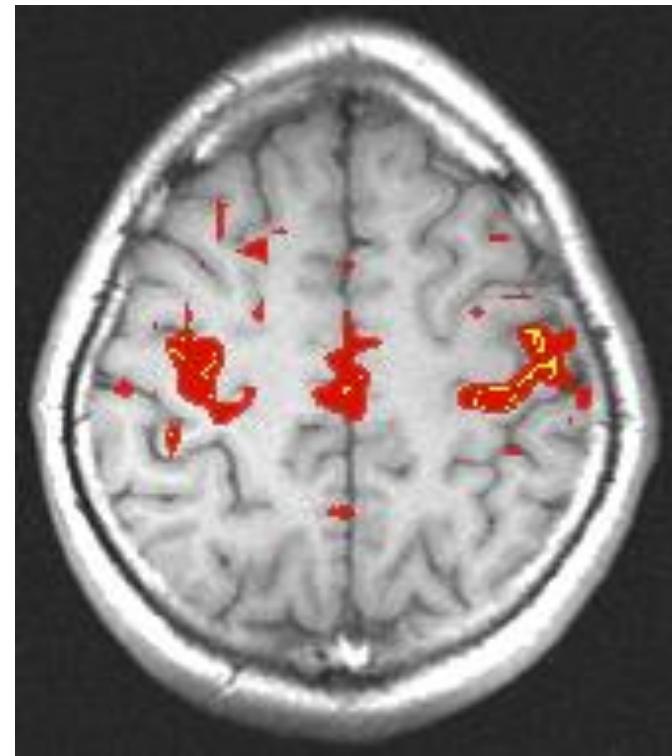
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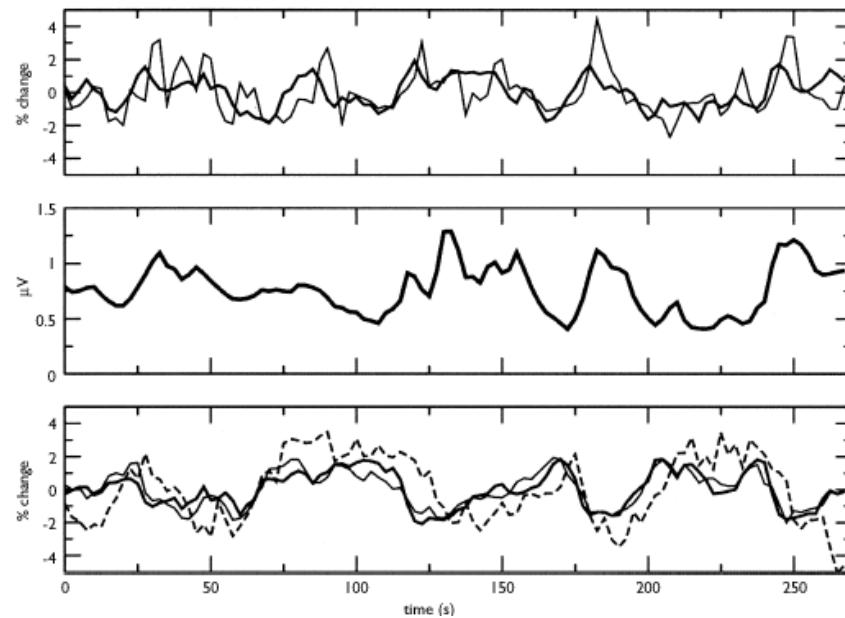
Activation:
correlation with reference function



Rest:
seed voxel in motor cortex

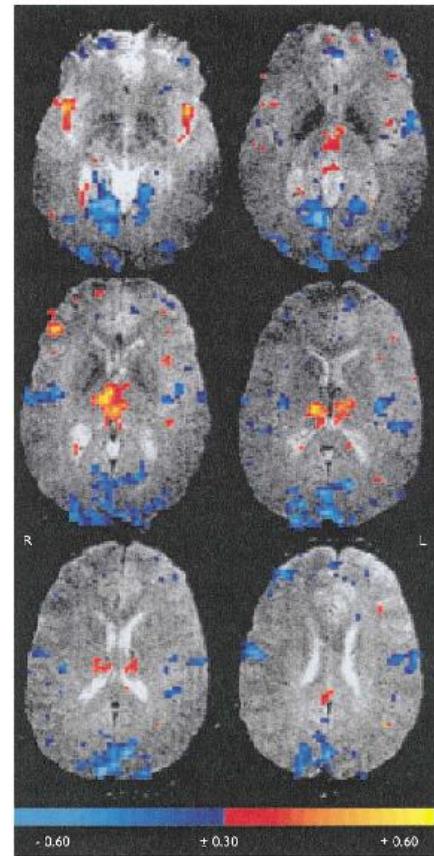
BOLD correlated with 10 Hz power during "Rest"

Positive
10 Hz power



Negative

Goldman, et al (2002), Neuroreport



Resting State Fluctuations

(277 M-AM) Brain rhythms and large scale networks in the resting human brain: an EEG/fMRI study
Dante Mantini , Mauro Gianni Perrucci , Cosimo Del Gratta , Gian Luca Romani , et al.

(390 M-PM) Spontaneous fluctuations in functional MRI signal reflect fluctuations in the underlying local neuronal activity

Amir Shmuel , Mark Augath , Axel Oeltermann , Nikos Logothetis

(19 M-AM) Functional connectivity during deep sleep: a simultaneous EEG-fMRI study

Silvina G. Horovitz , Masaki Fukunaga , Walter S. Carr , Dante Picchioni , et al.

(265 M-AM) BrainSCAPE: An Online Spontaneous Correlation Analysis Processing Environment for fMRI BOLD data

Michael D. Fox , Daniel S. Marcus , Abraham Z. Snyder , Marcus E. Raichle

(330 W-PM) Cardiac Rate Variations as a Source of Physiological Noise in the Resting-State fMRI BOLD Signal

Karin Shmueli , Peter van Gelderen , Jacco de Zwart , Silvina G. Horovitz , et al.

(3 M-AM) Baseline brain activity fluctuations predict somatosensory perception in humans

Mélanie Boly , Evelyne Balteau , Caroline Schnakers , Christian Degueldre , et al.

(282 M-PM) Spectral Content of the Ongoing BOLD Activity is Modulated by Resting State-Type

Mark McAvoy , Giovanni d'Avossa , Marcus E. Raichle , Linda Larson-Prior

(296 M-PM) A Preliminary Study of the Brain Functional Network of Thalamic Nuclei In the Resting State

Yi Zhang , Jie Tian , Xiaohong Pan , Wei Qin , et al.

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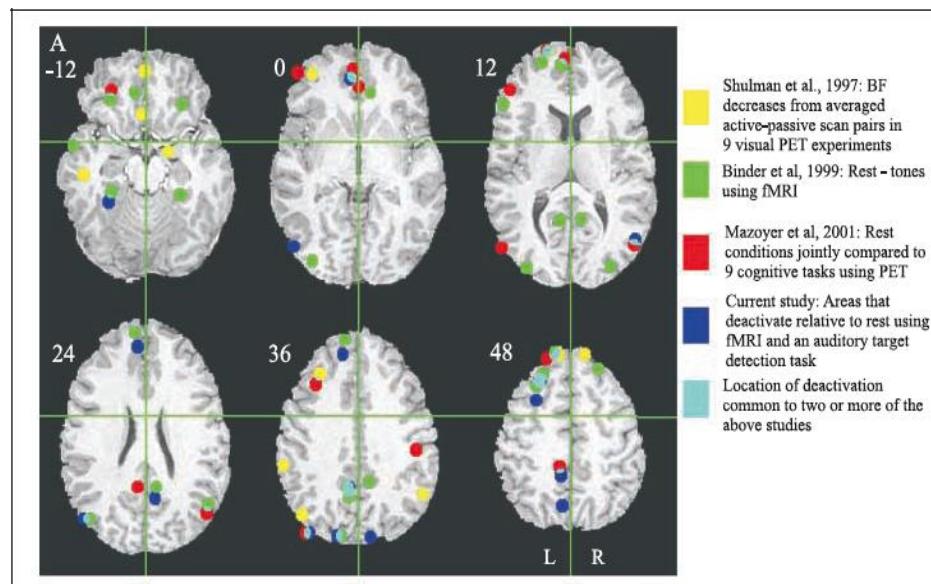
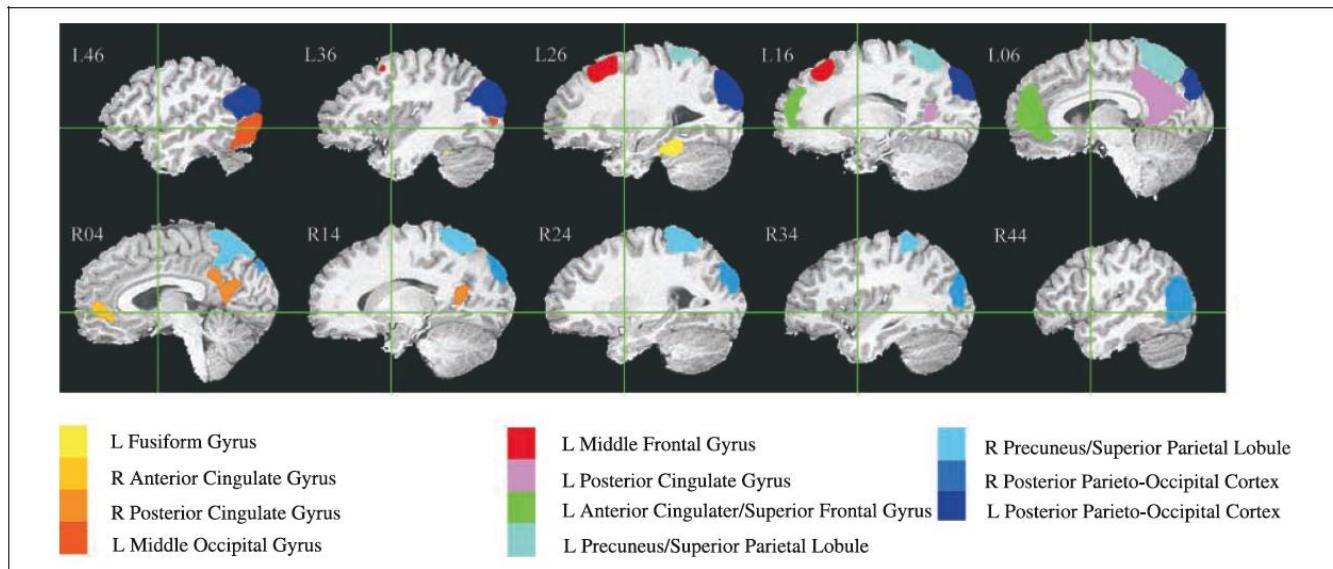
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(61 W-AM) A self-focused judgment task reverses anterior medial frontal cortex deactivation to cognitive tasks
Ashley Chen , Robert Welsh , Israel Liberzon , Stephan Taylor

(47 TH-AM) Effects of normal Aging on Resting State Networks
Jessica S Damoiseaux , Christian F Beckmann , Stephen M Smith , Ernesto J Sanz Arigita , et al.

(49 TH-AM) Preservation of default mode functioning in healthy aging adults.
Christina Hugenschmidt , Ann Peiffer , Ramon Casanova , Joseph Maldjian , et al.

(1 W-AM) Partial Overlap of Stimulus-Driven Attention, Theory of Mind, Visuospatial Reasoning, and Default Networks as Determined by fMRI
Christopher Asplund , René Marois

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(298 M-PM) Dissociating ventromedial prefrontal and posterior cingulate components of the default mode network
Lucina Q. Uddin , A.M. Clare Kelly , F. Xavier Castellanos , Michael P. Milham

(317 T-AM) Multi-center and multi-method to confirm the default mode of brain network by resting-state fMRI
Xiangyu Long , Xinian Zuo , Vesa Kiviniemi , Yihong Yang , et al.

(34 TH-PM) Modulation of default mode network by training of abacus mental calculation in children
Feiyan Chen , Hongjian He , Lixia Tian , Zhikang Wang , et al.

(36 TH-PM) Intrinsic Default-Mode and Executive Control Networks in Children: Relation to Individual Differences in Working Memory Capacity
Nirav Kamdar , Michael Greicius , Catherine Chang , Christian Beckmann , et al.

(178 TH-PM) Auditory adventures in wonderland: selective antagonism between 'intrinsic' / 'default mode' and language regions during story perception
Yuval Nir , Uri Hasson , Rafael Malach , David Heeger

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Larry Wald, Massachusetts General Hospital, Harvard University, Charlestown, MA, USA

10:00-10:45 *Interpreting the BOLD Signal*
Rick Hoge, Massachusetts General Hospital, Harvard University, Charlestown, MA, USA

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-11:45 *GLM, Within and Between Subjects Inference*
Alexis Roche, SHFJ/CEA, Orsay, France

11:45-12:30 *Bayesian Inference*
William Penny, Institute of Neurology, University College London, London, UK

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:00 *Multivariate Techniques*
Christian Beckman, Oxford University, Oxford, United Kingdom

14:00-14:30 *Classifier Techniques*
John-Dylan Haynes, Max Planck Institute, Leipzig, Germany

14:30-14:45 Break

14:45-15:15 *Functional Connectivity Analyses and Fiber Tracking*
Ed Bullmore, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK

15:15-15:45 *DCM and Related*
Uta Noppeney, Institute of Neurology, University College London, London, UK

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16:00-16:45 *Computational Neuroanatomy*
L. Collins, Bruce Fischl

16:45-17:30 *fMRI and EEG:*
Helmut Laufs, Institute of Neurology, University College London, London, UK