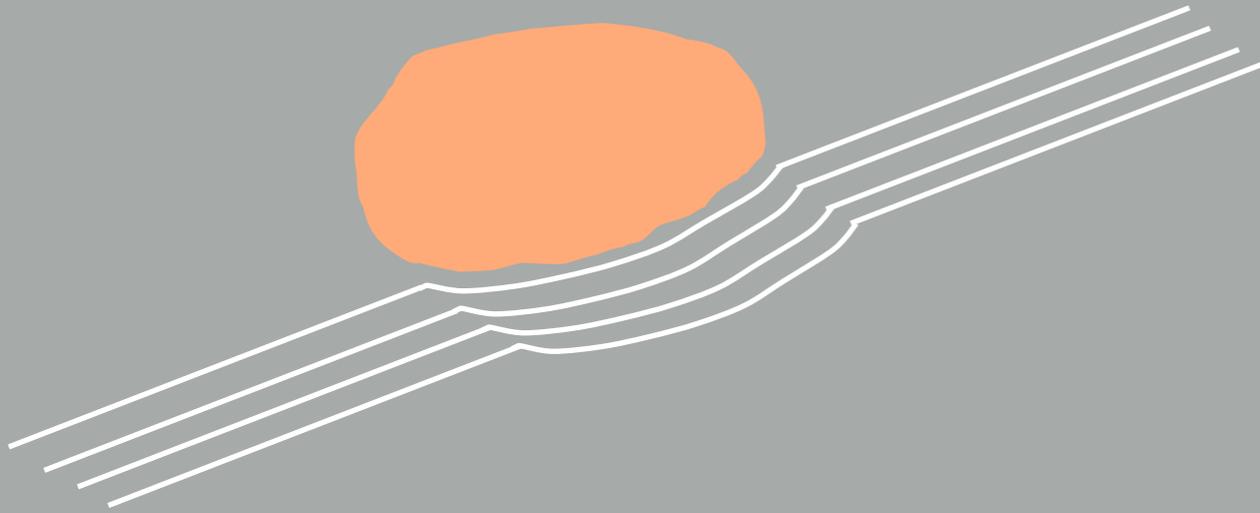


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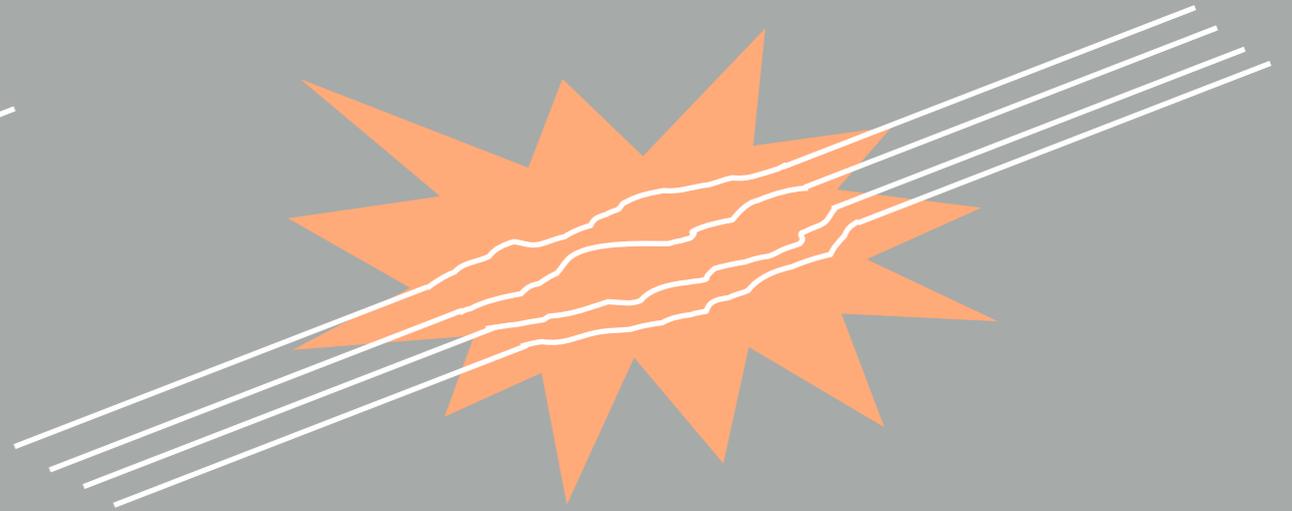
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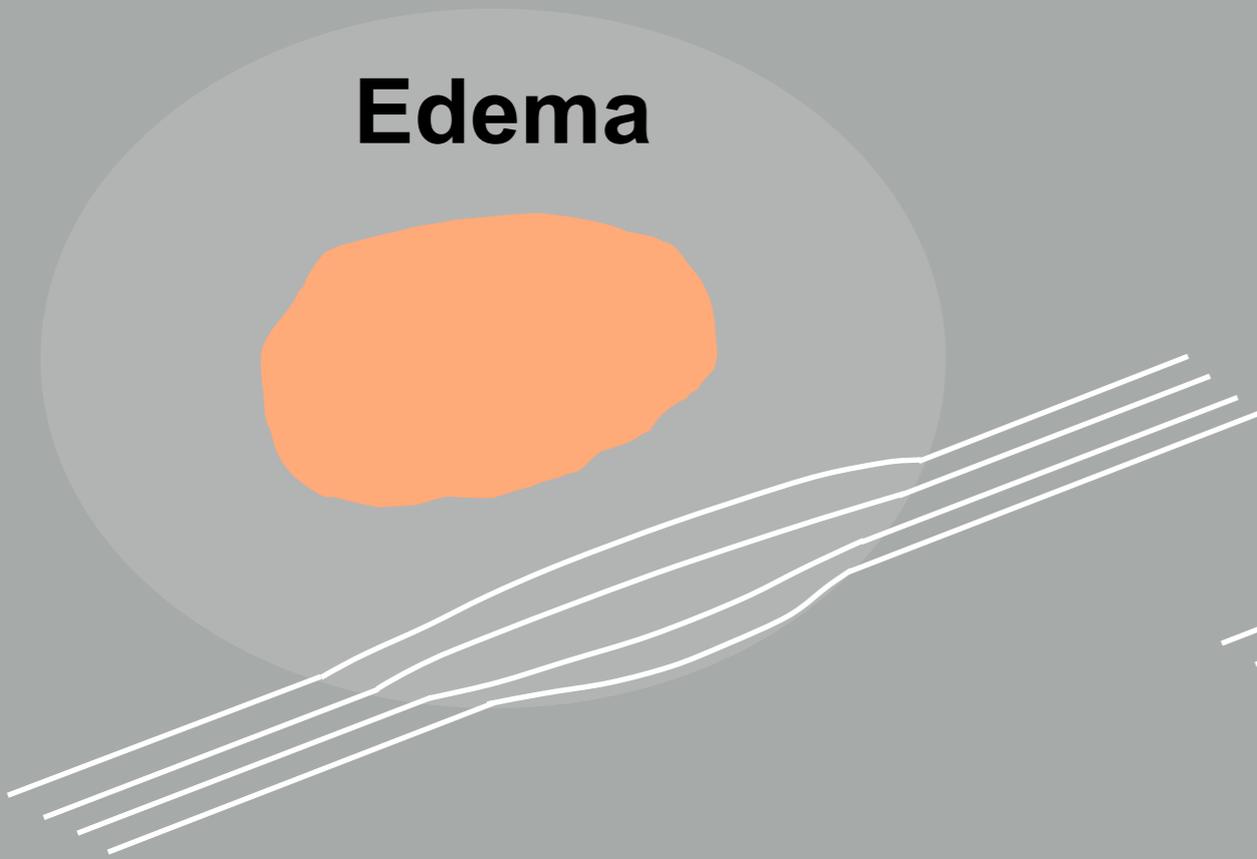
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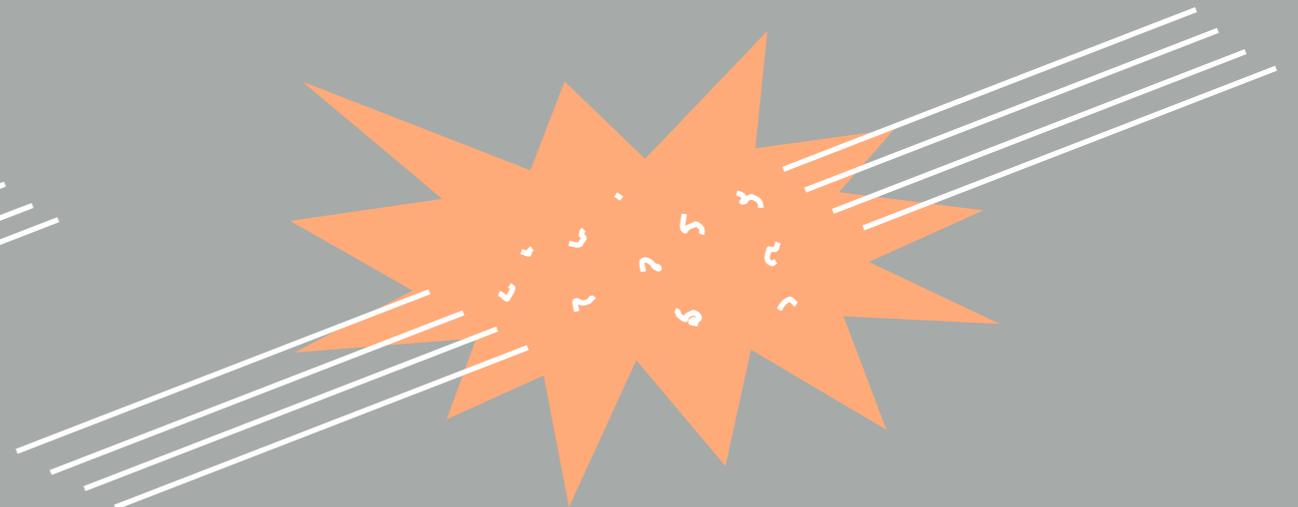
Infiltrated



Edema



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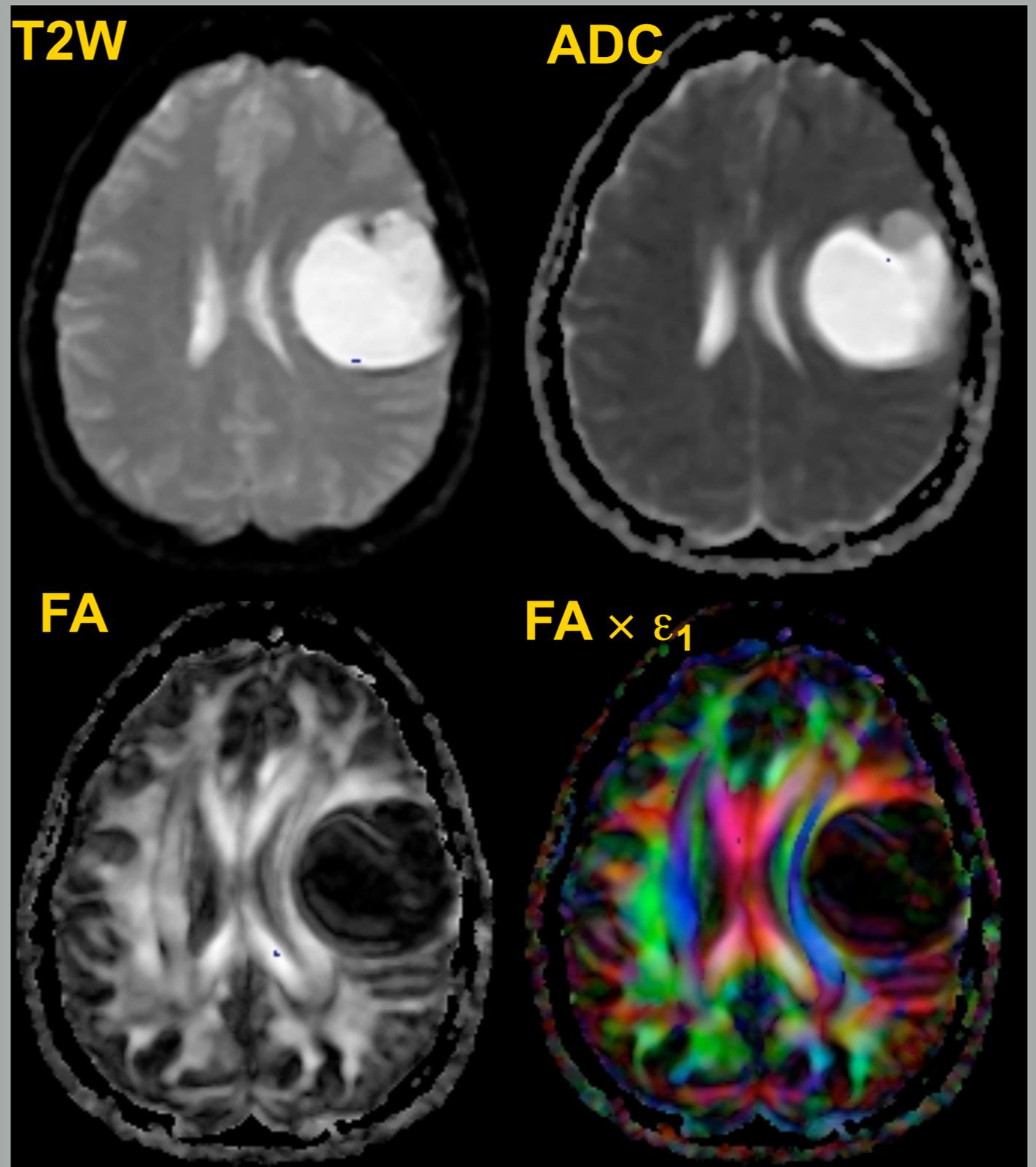


Pattern 1: Shift

Anisotropy: ~
Normal

Location /
Organization:

Abnormal



Pattern 2: Edema

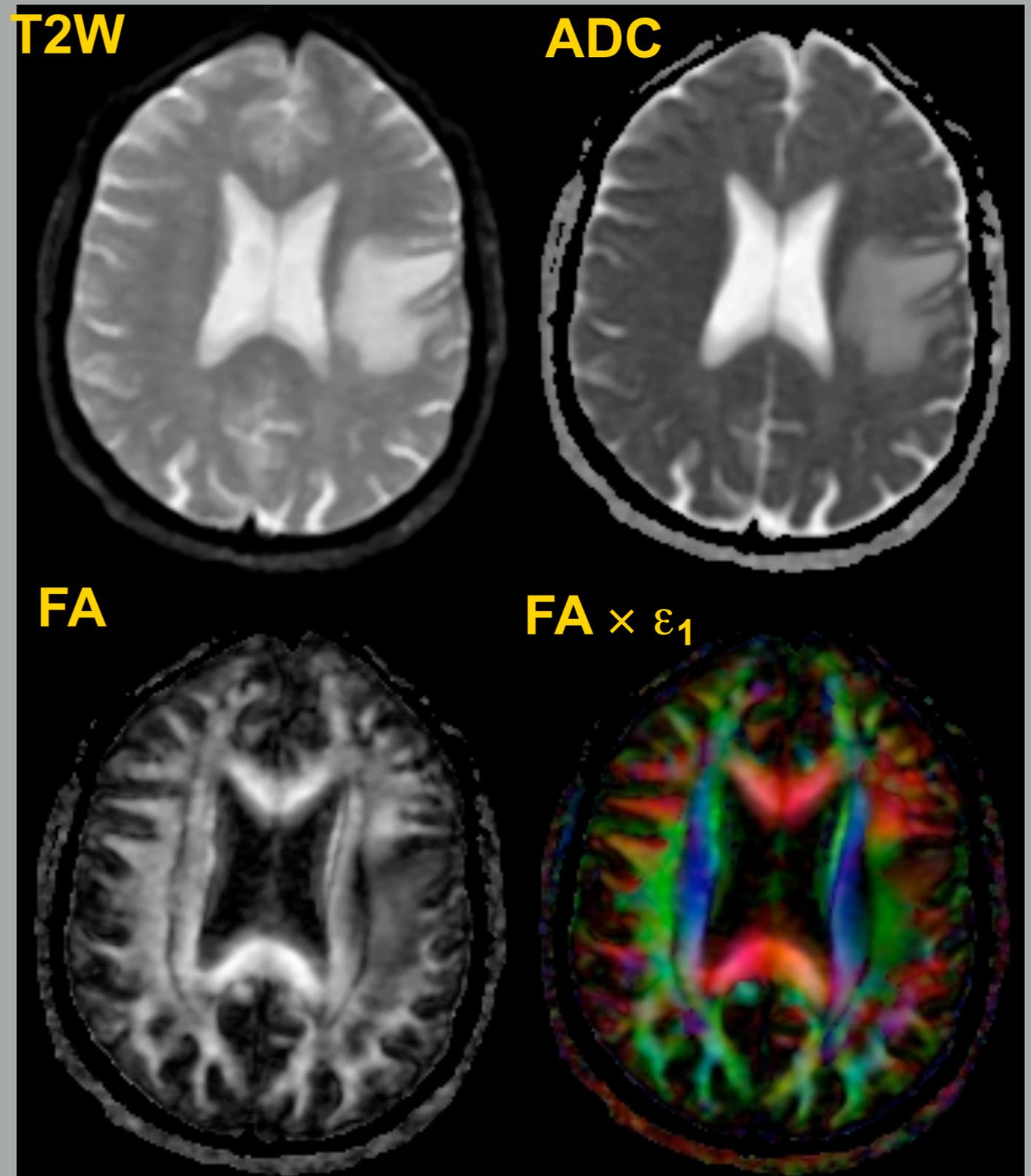
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Decreased

Location /

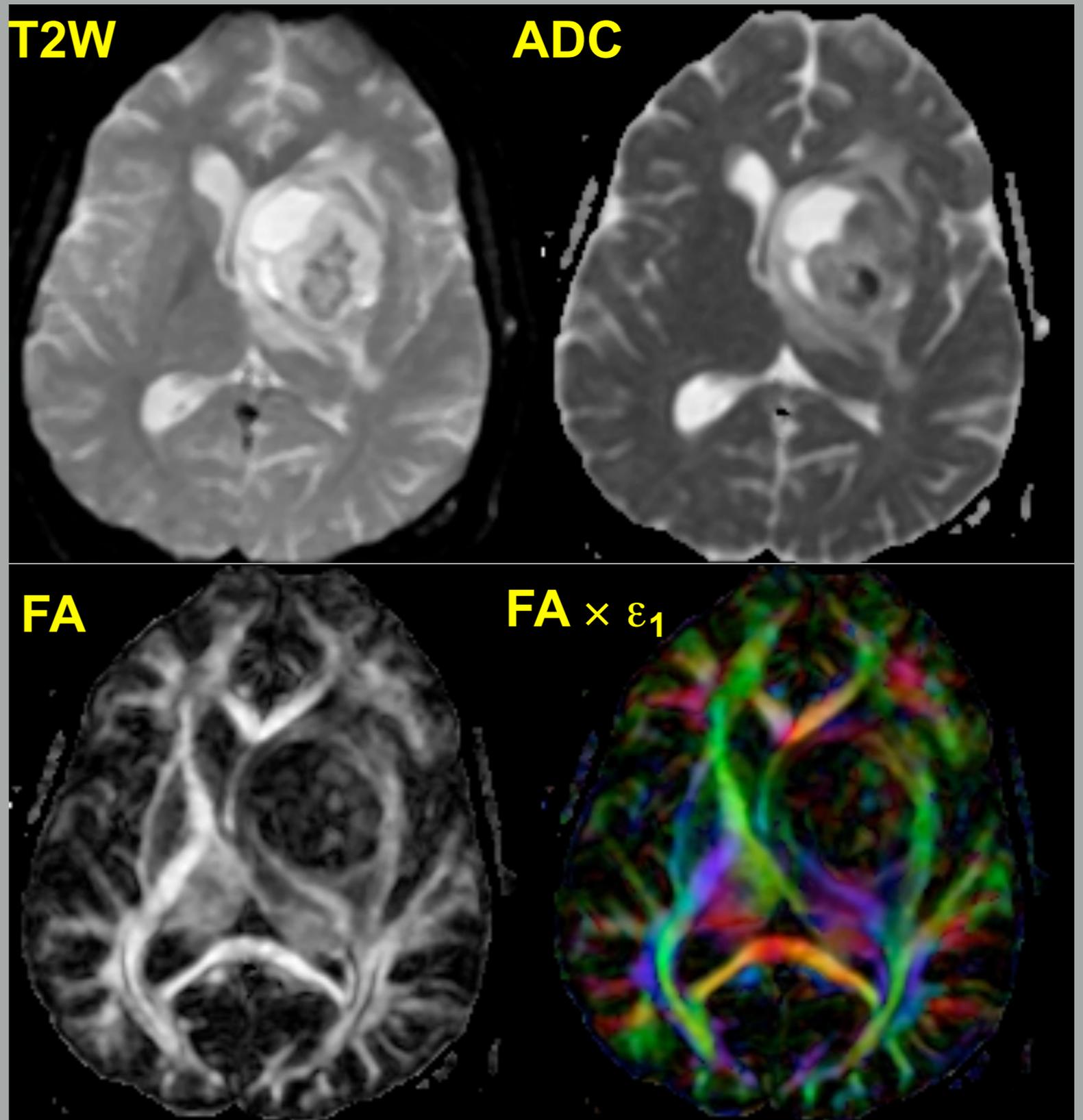
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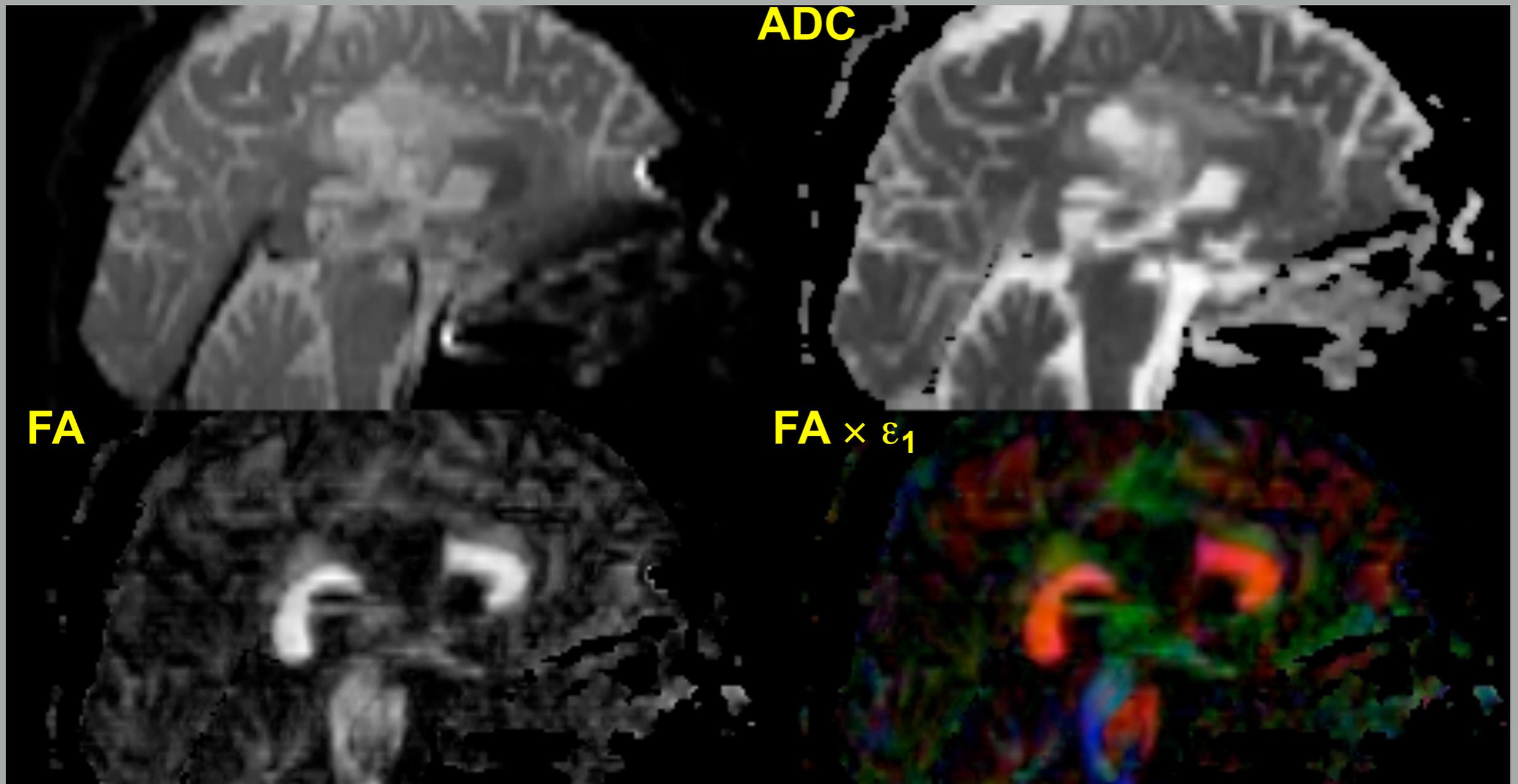


Pattern 3: Invasion

Anisotropy:
Decreased
Location /
Organization:
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Pattern 4: Destruction



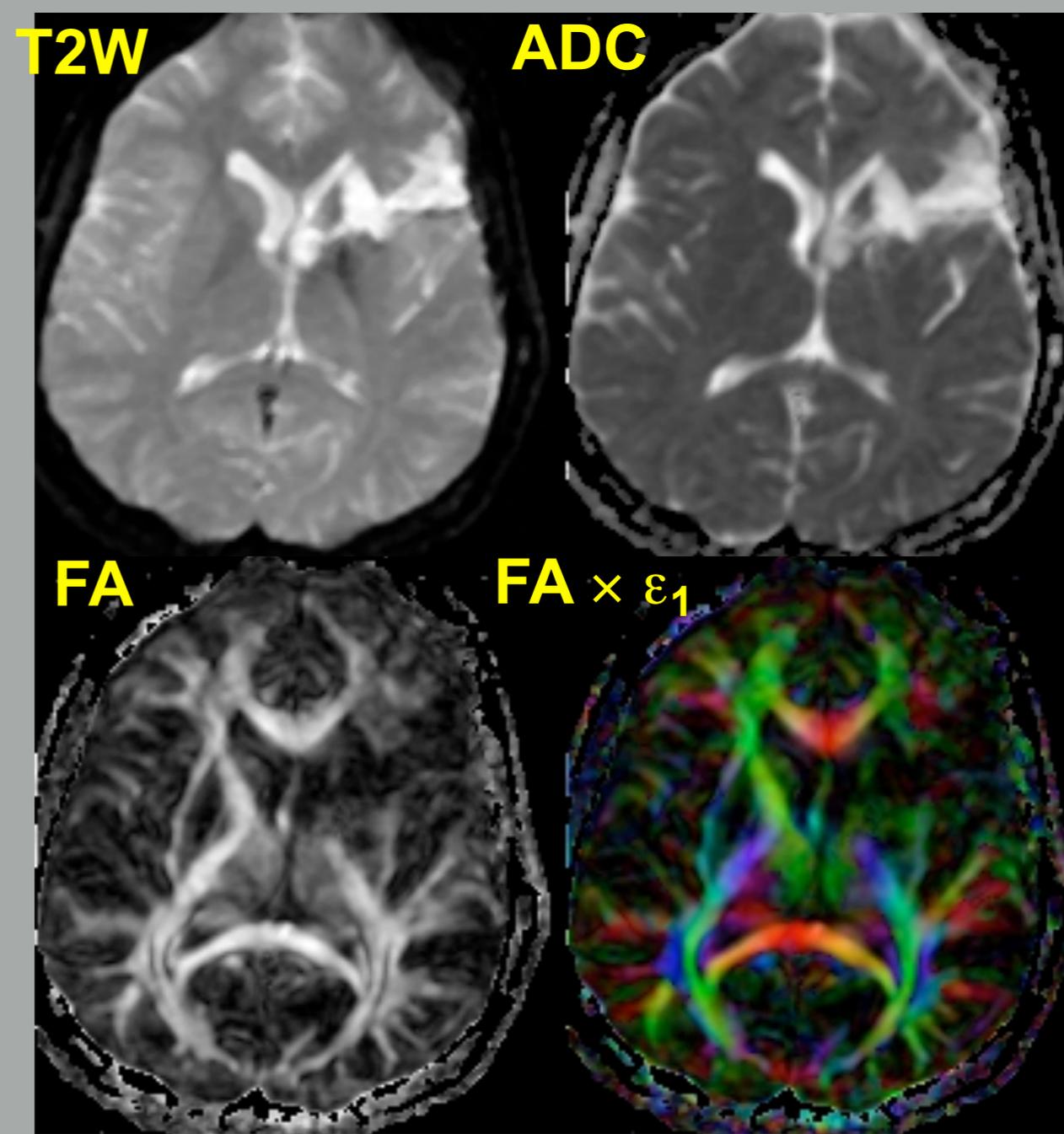
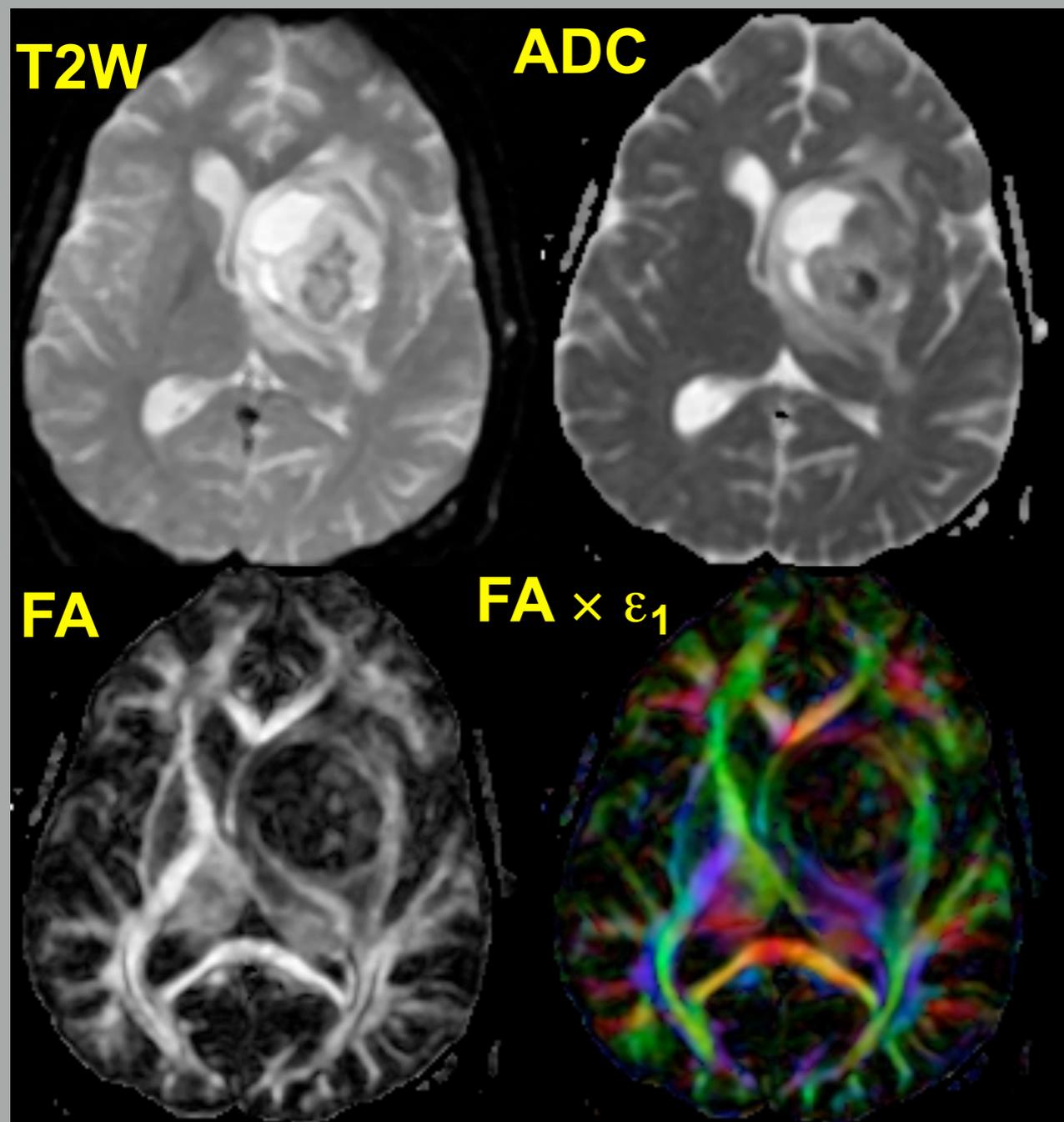
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Pilocytic Astrocytoma

Preop

Postop



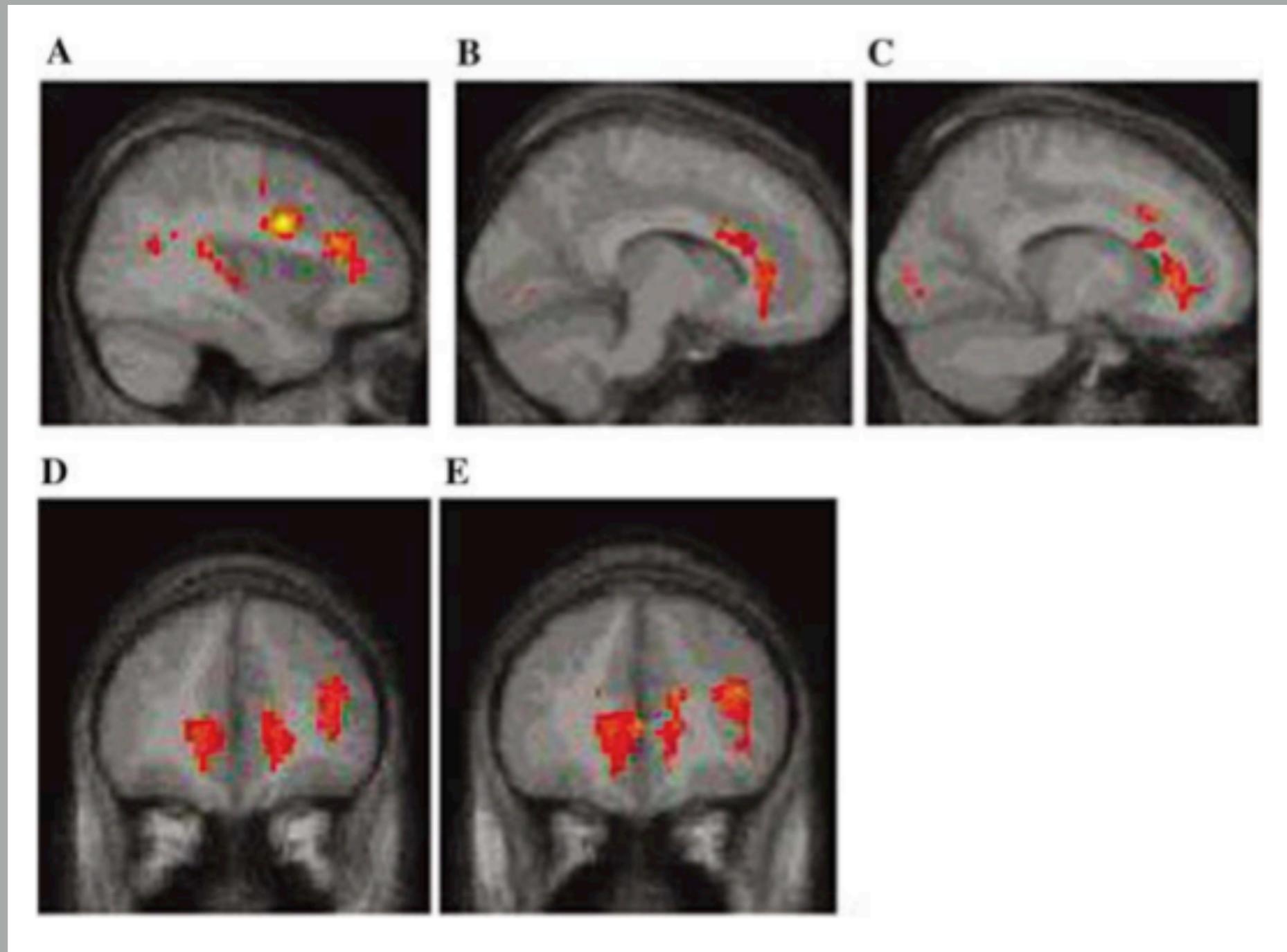
DTI in Autism

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Regions of significant reduction in WM FA

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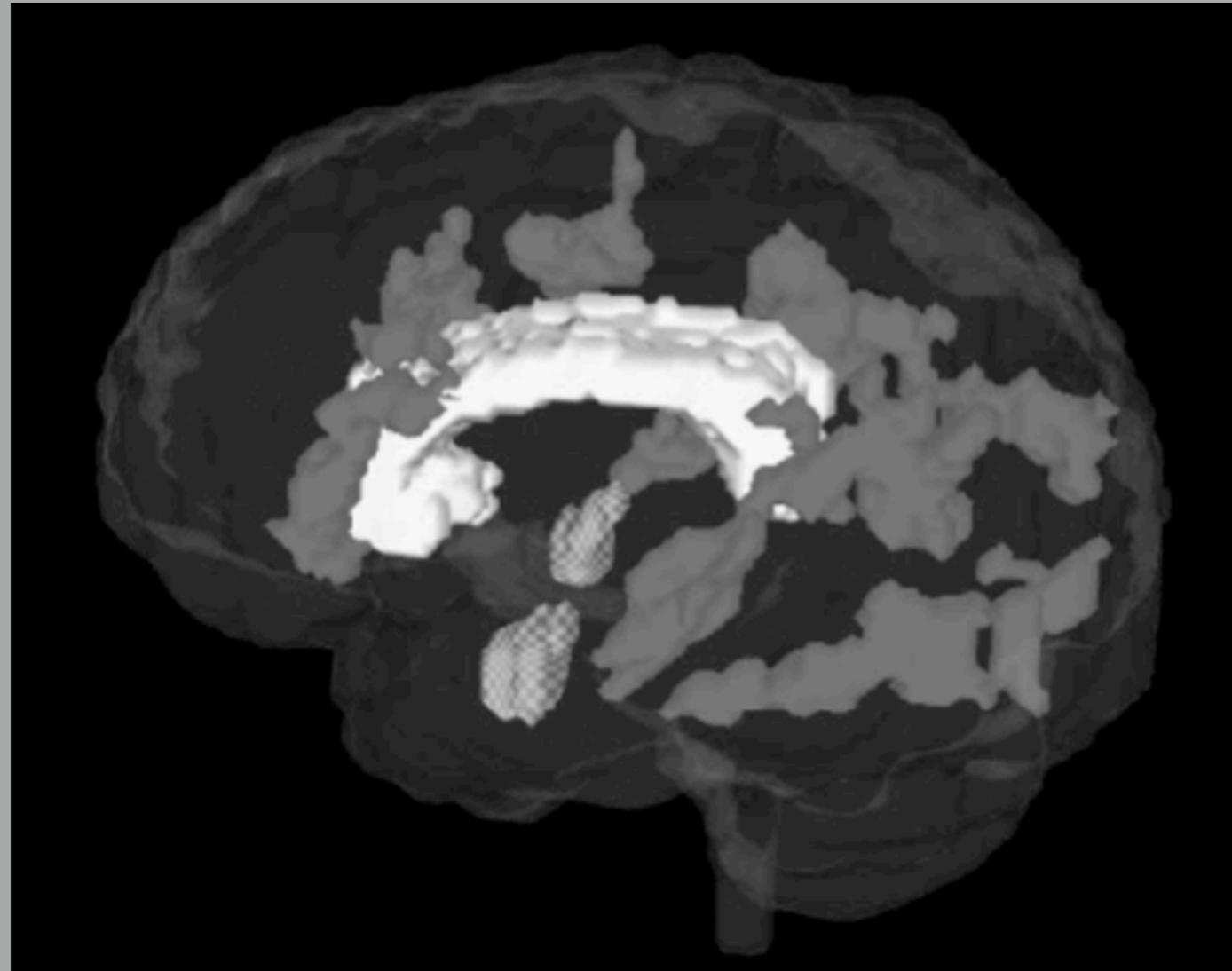


Figure 2. A three-dimensional representation of the aberrant white matter (dark gray) in relation to the corpus callosum (white), and the amygdala (checkered gray).

DTI in Alcoholism



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Diffusion tensor imaging in normal aging and neuropsychiatric disorders

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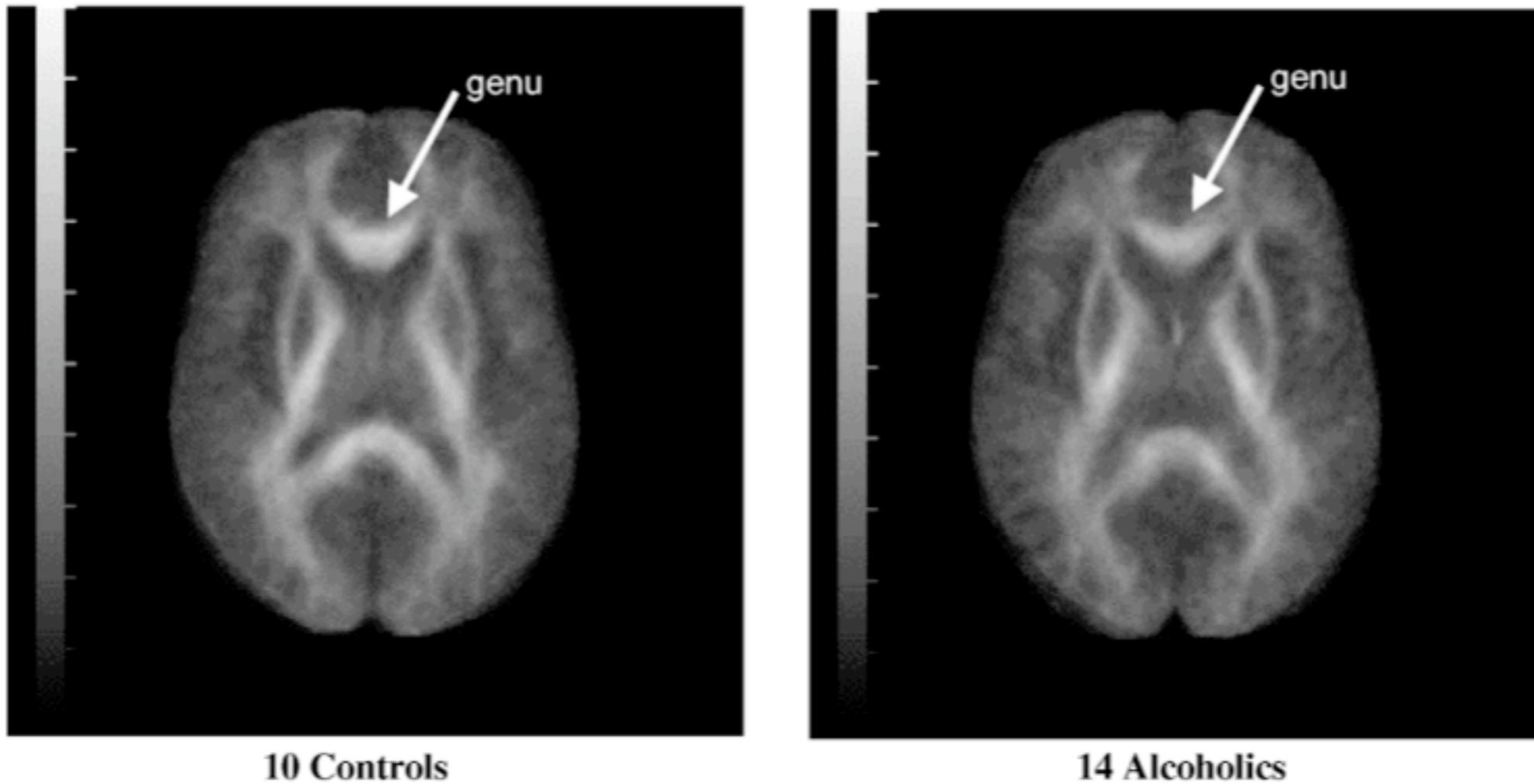


Fig. 2. Across-subject average FA maps of 10 healthy control men and 14 alcoholic men. The gray scale bar indicates the FA levels, which are generally lower in the alcoholic than control average.

DTI in Alcoholism

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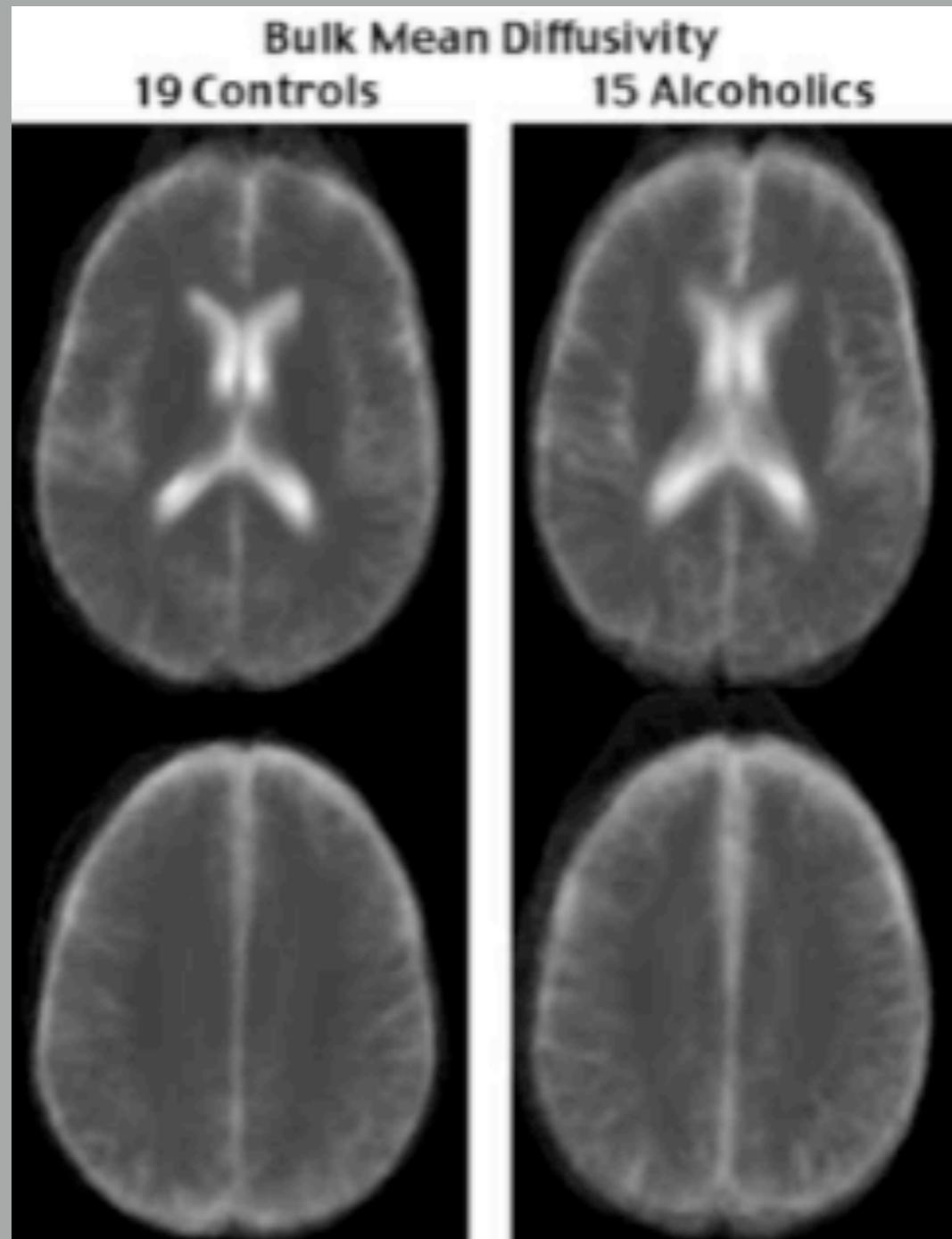
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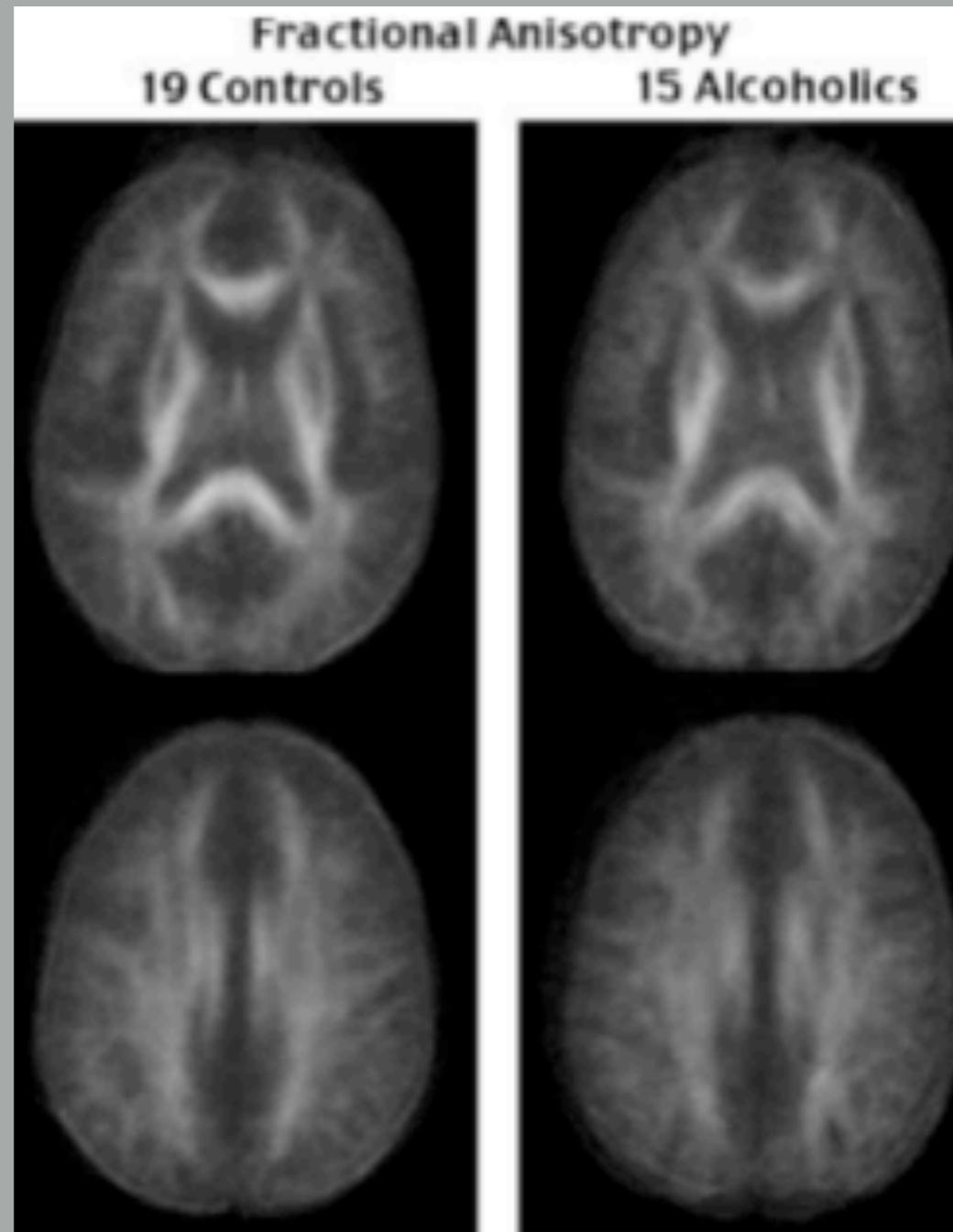
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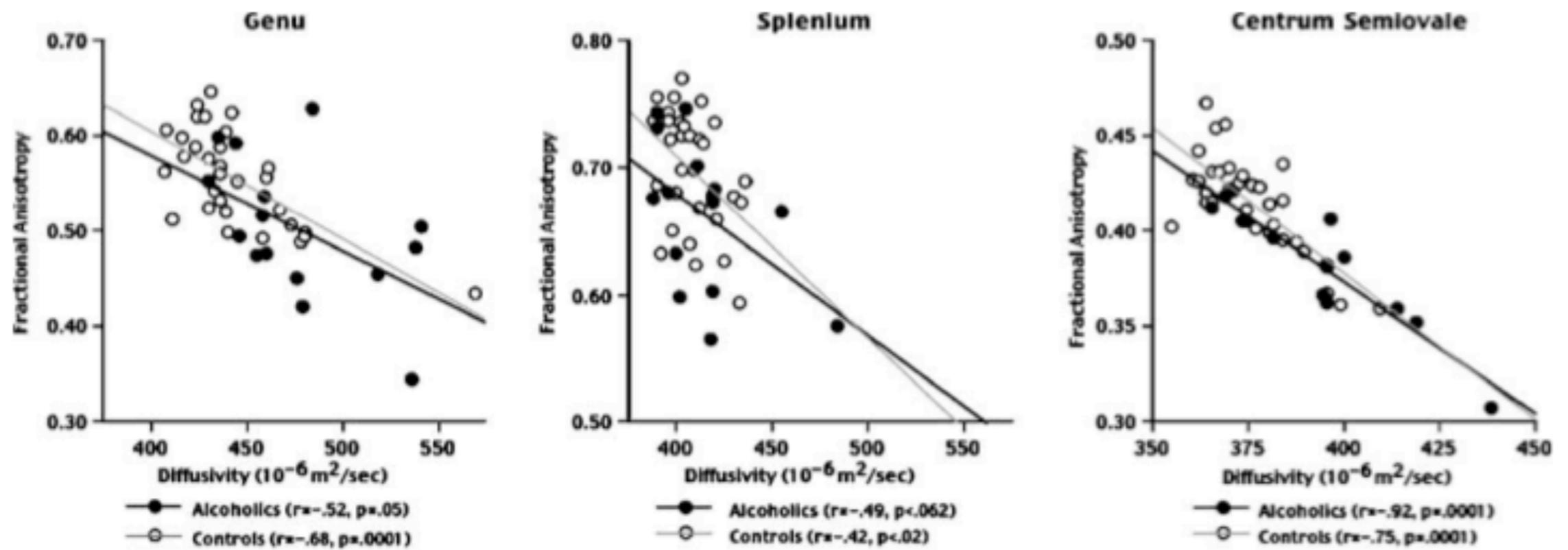
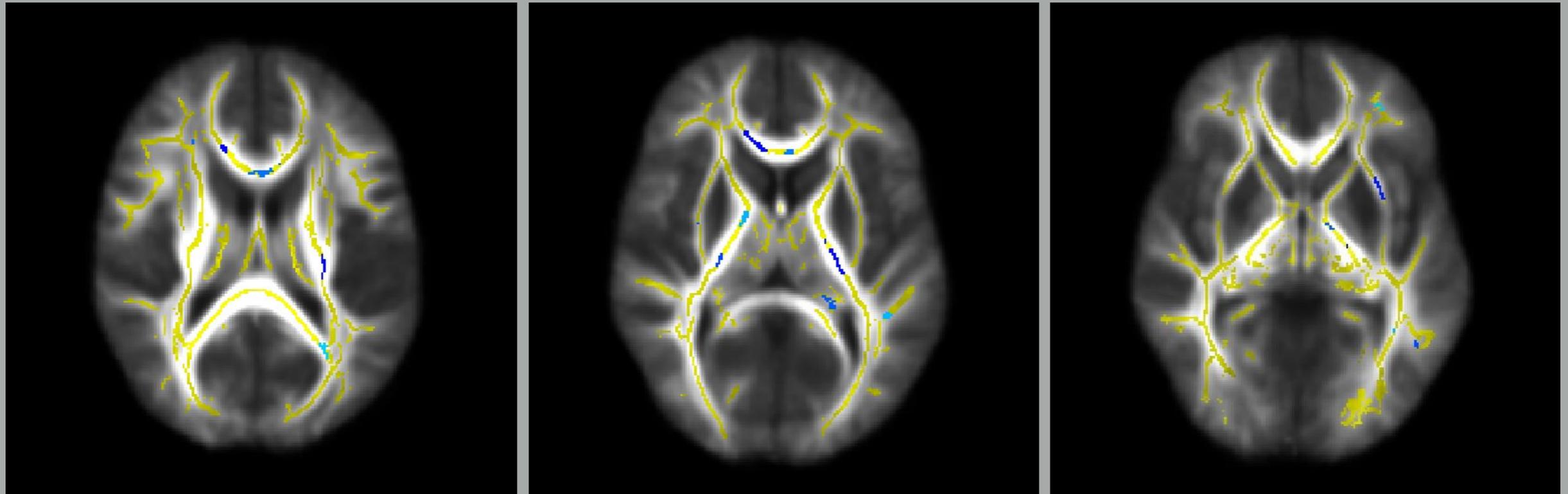


Figure 4 Lower FA and higher mean diffusivity were related to each other in controls and alcoholics.

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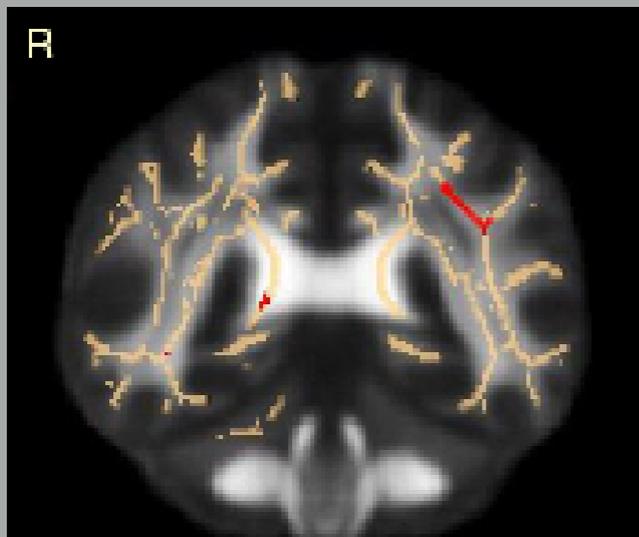
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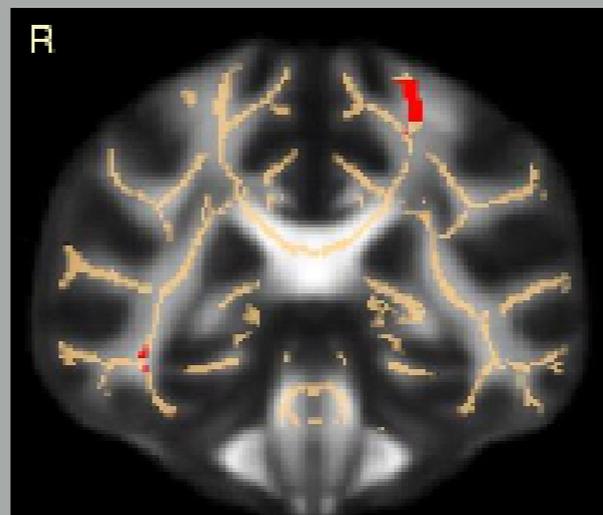
Binge drinkers lower than controls

McQueeney, et. al.

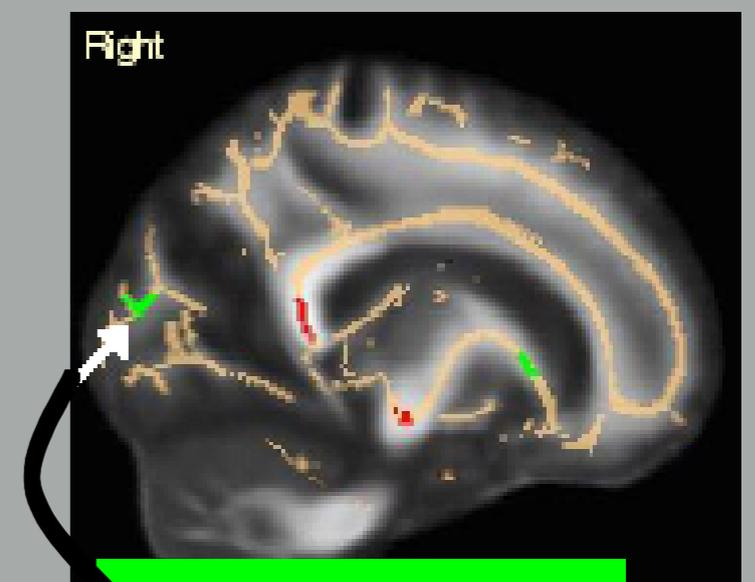
DTI in Marijuana Use



MJ<C
Left SLF
 $d=.08$, 212 μ l



MJ<C
Left post-central
 $d=.9$, 109 μ l



MJ>C
Left occipital
 $d=1.0$, 95 μ l

FA different in MJ users

Bava, et. al., *in preparation*

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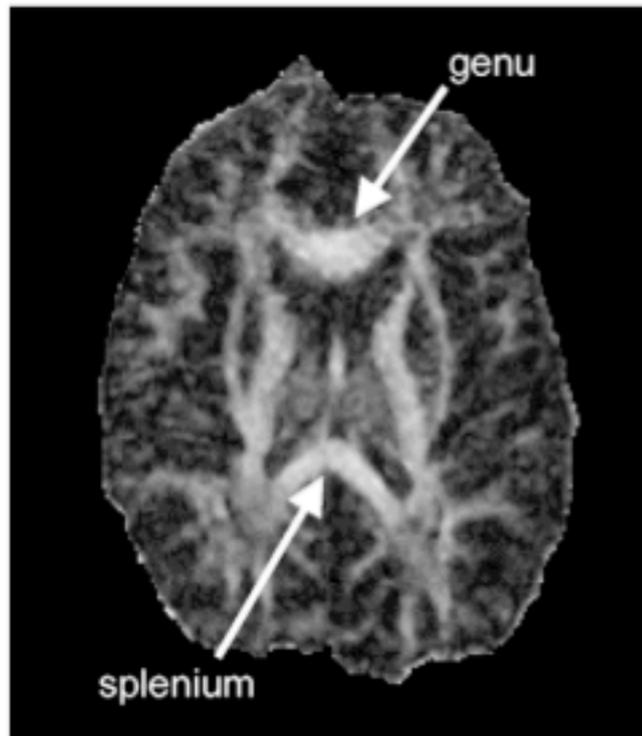
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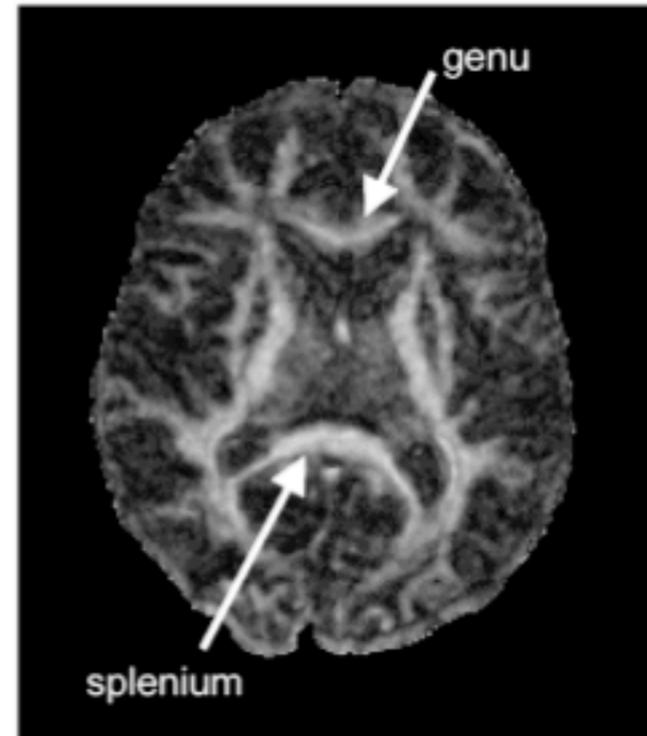
DTI in Aging



23 years old
genu FA = .633



45 years old
genu FA = .521



79 years old
genu FA = .466

DTI in Aging



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Review

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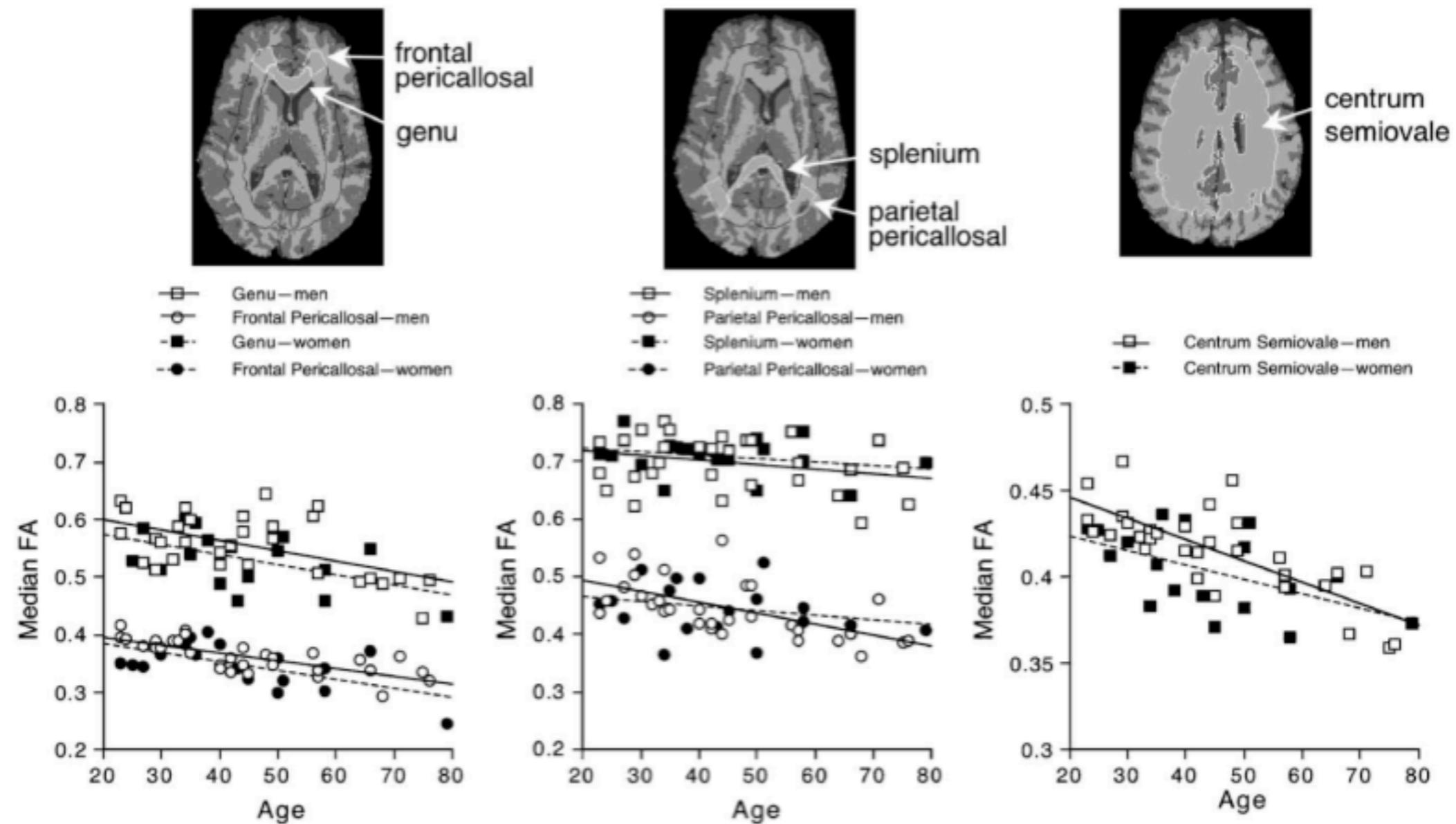
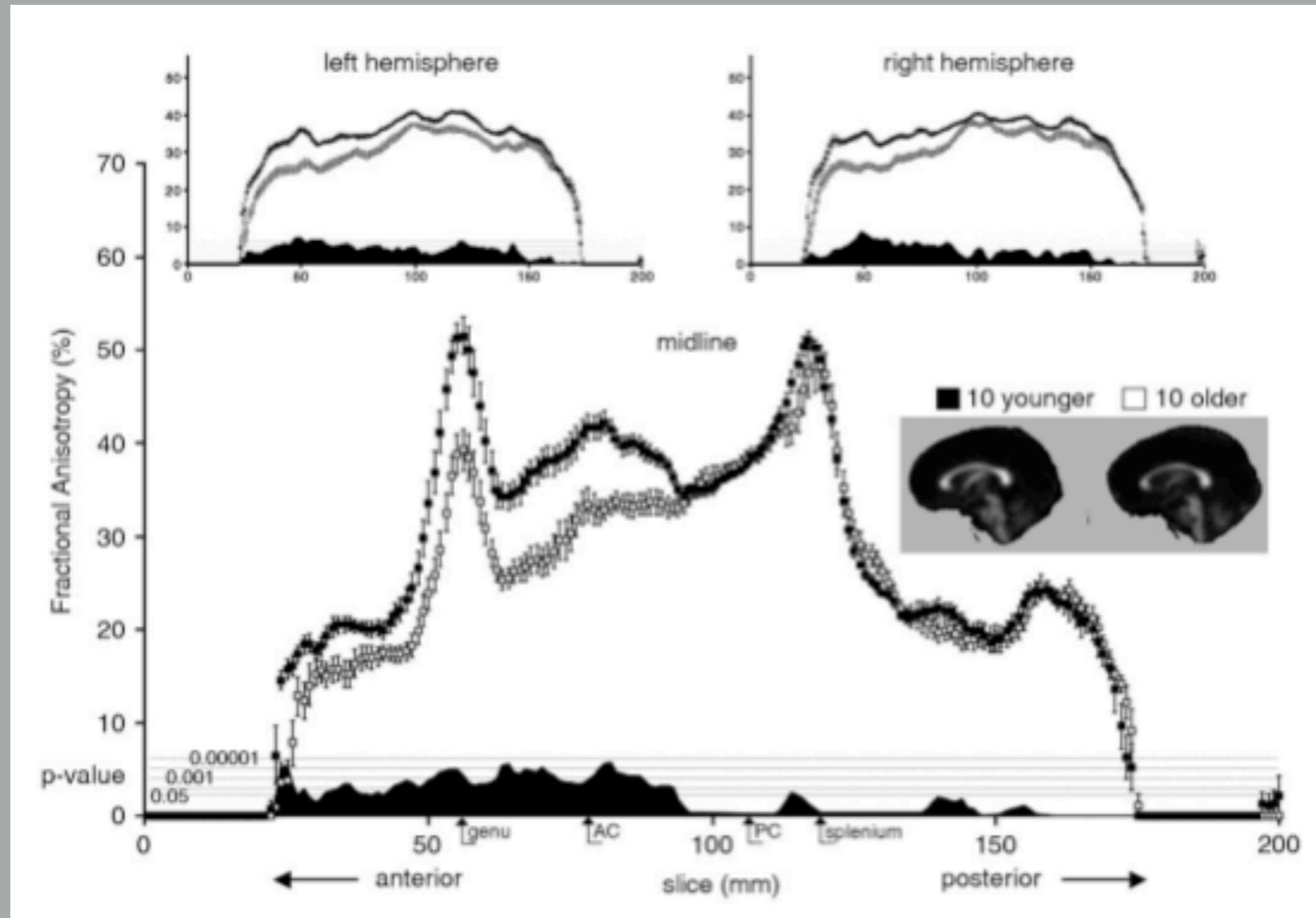
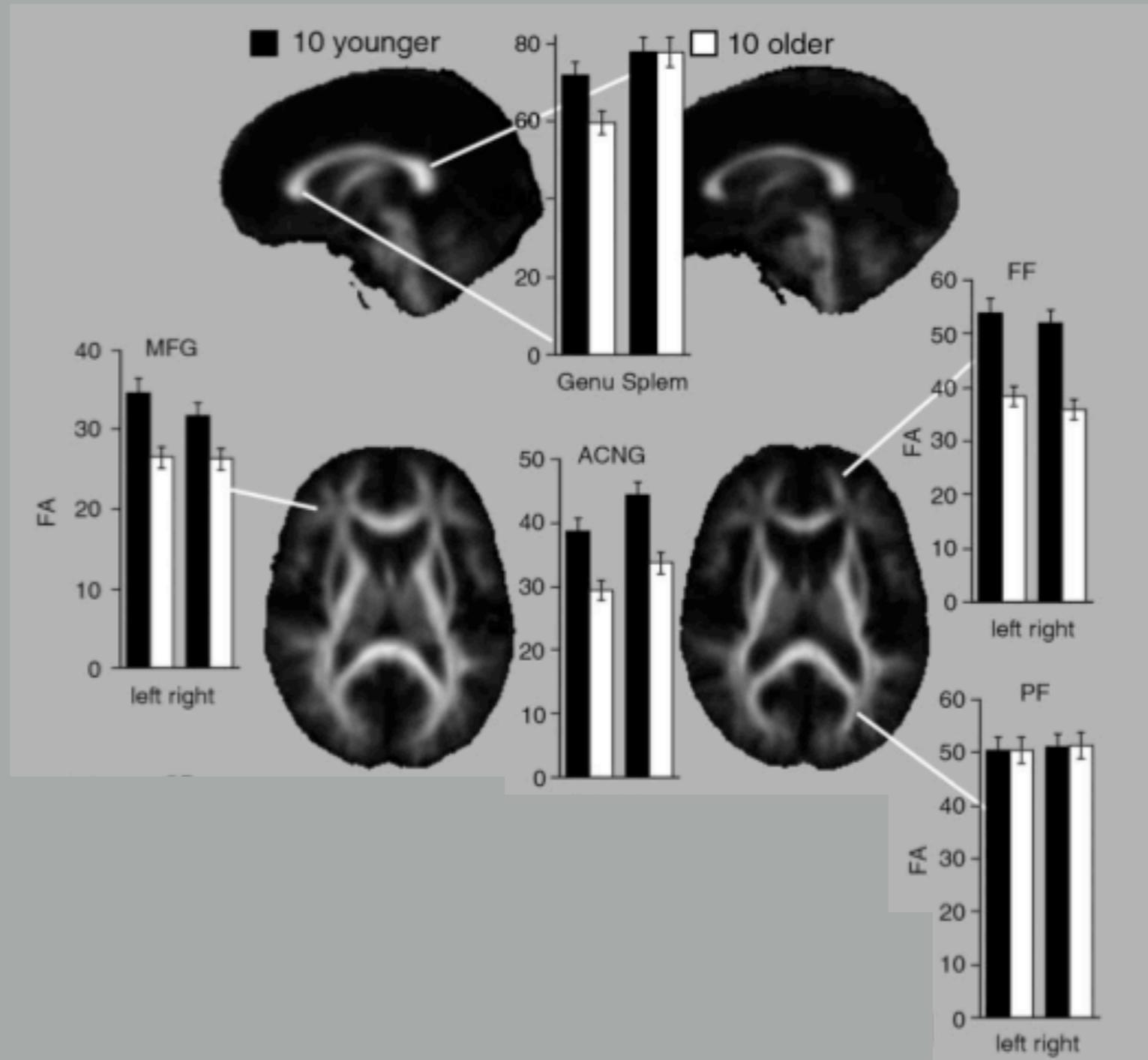


Fig. 2. Healthy men and women showed equivalent and significant decreases in FA with advancing age, which was greater in the genu than the splenium and greatest in the centrum semiovale. Modified from (Sullivan et al., 2001b).

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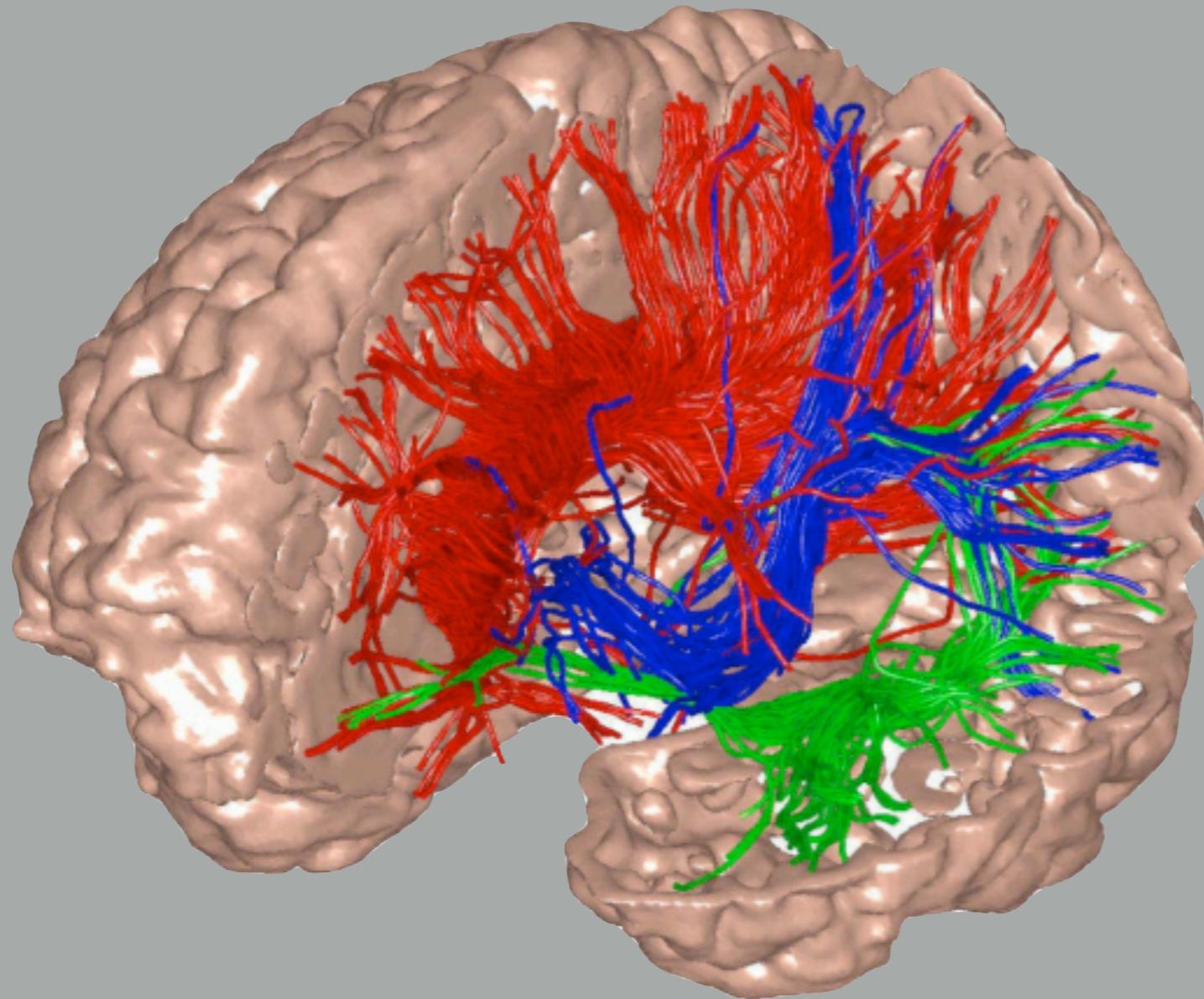
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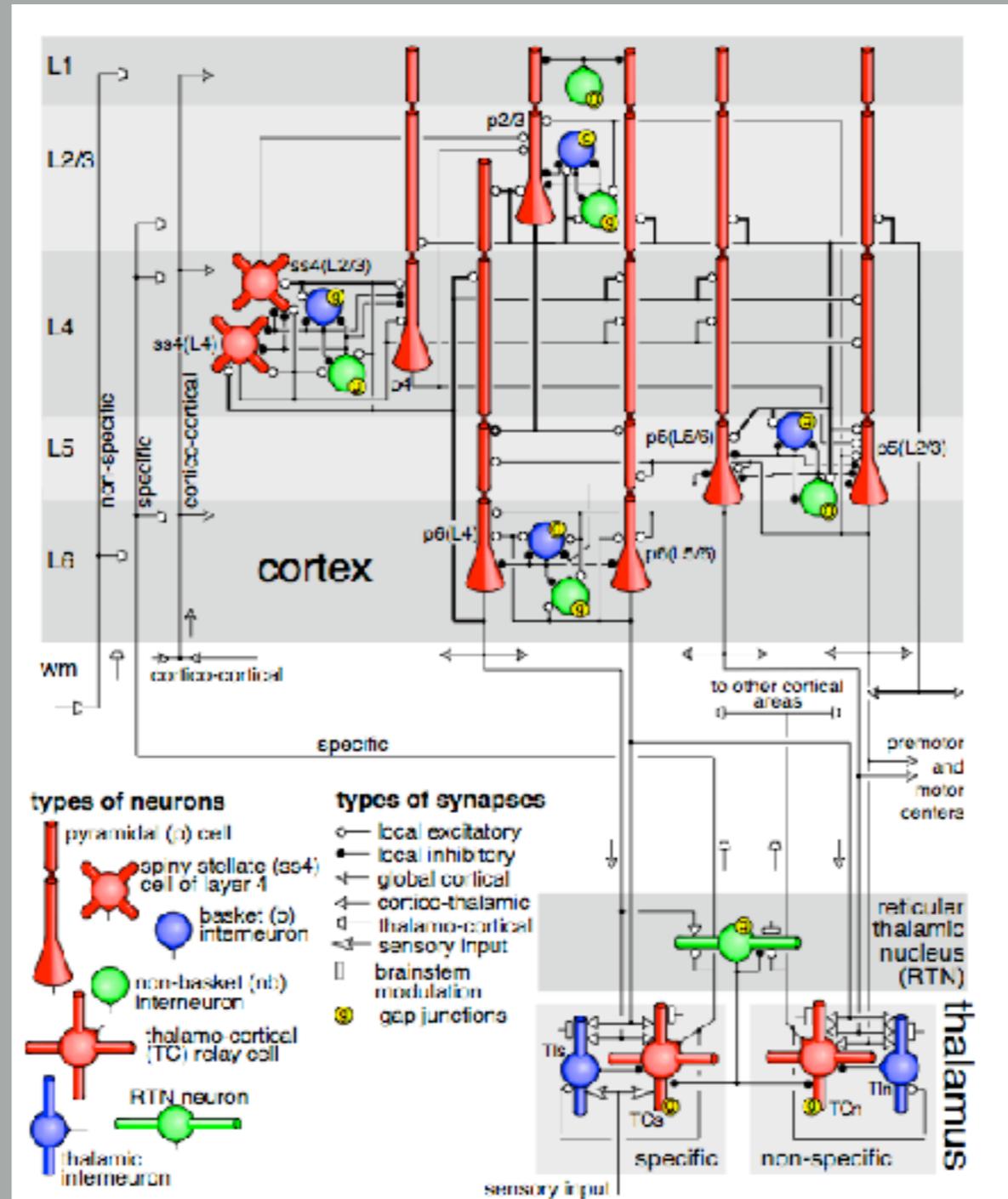
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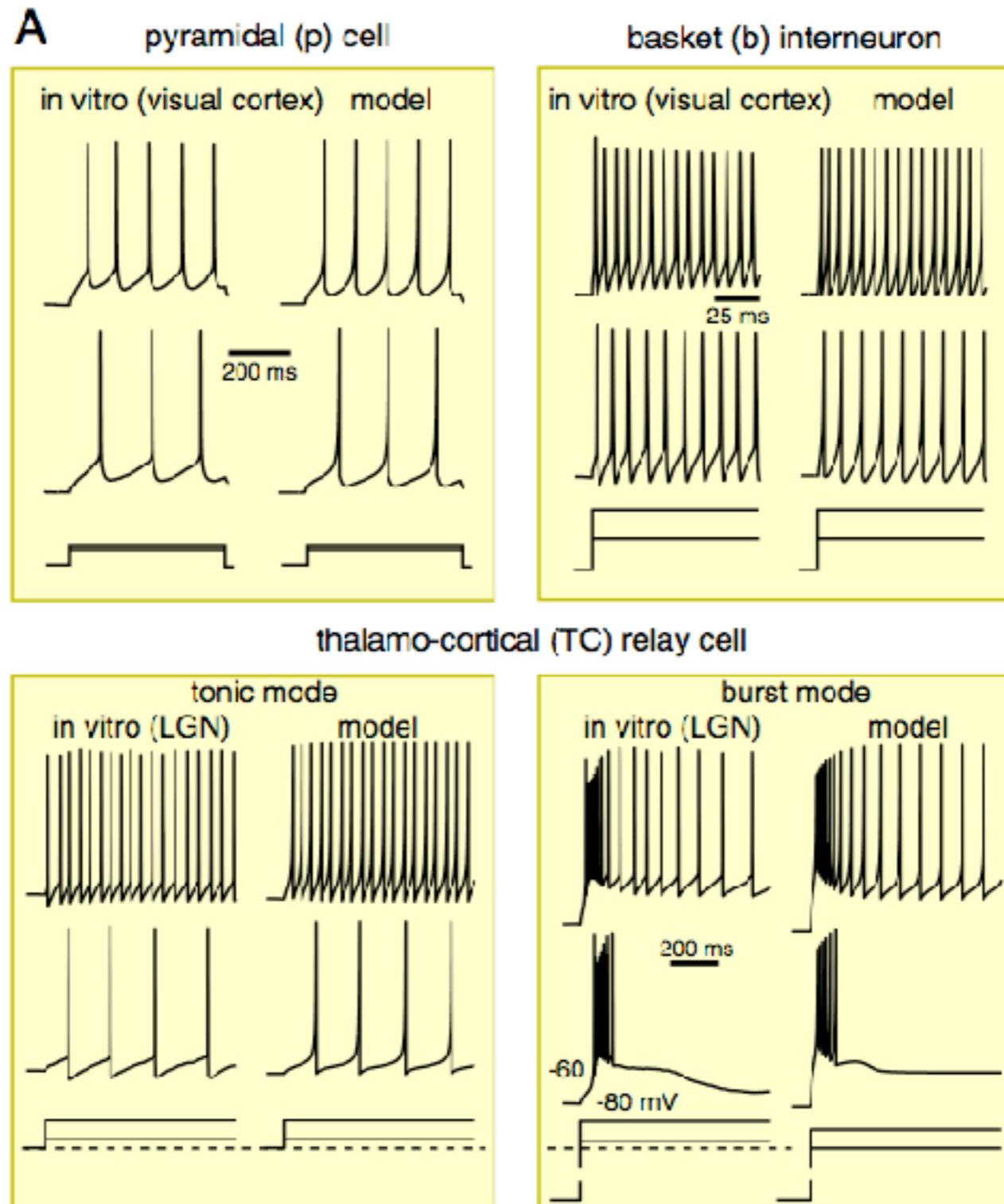
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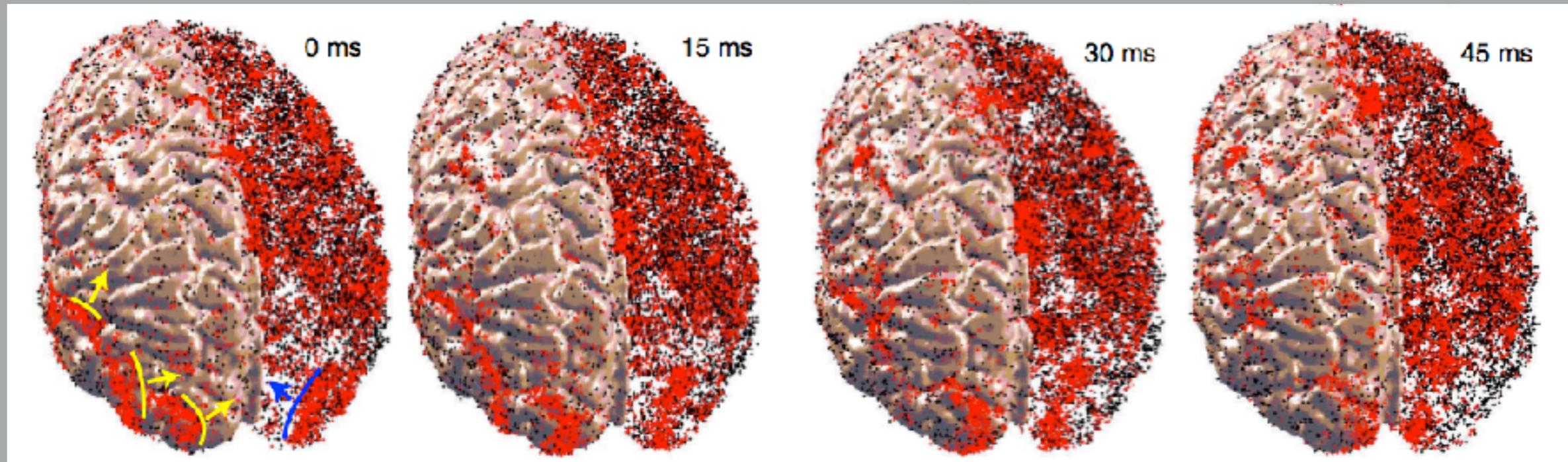
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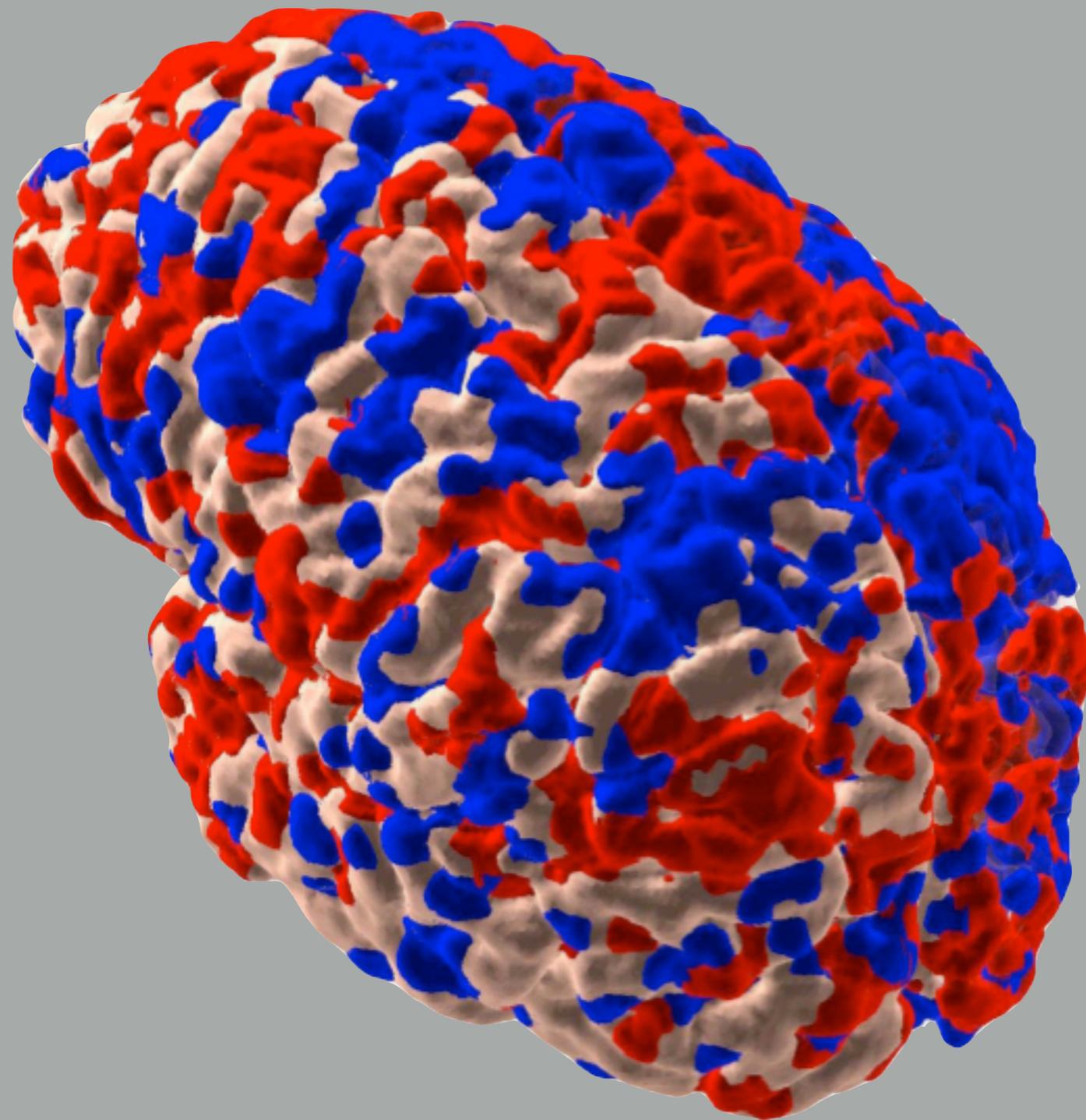


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red = excitatory neurons

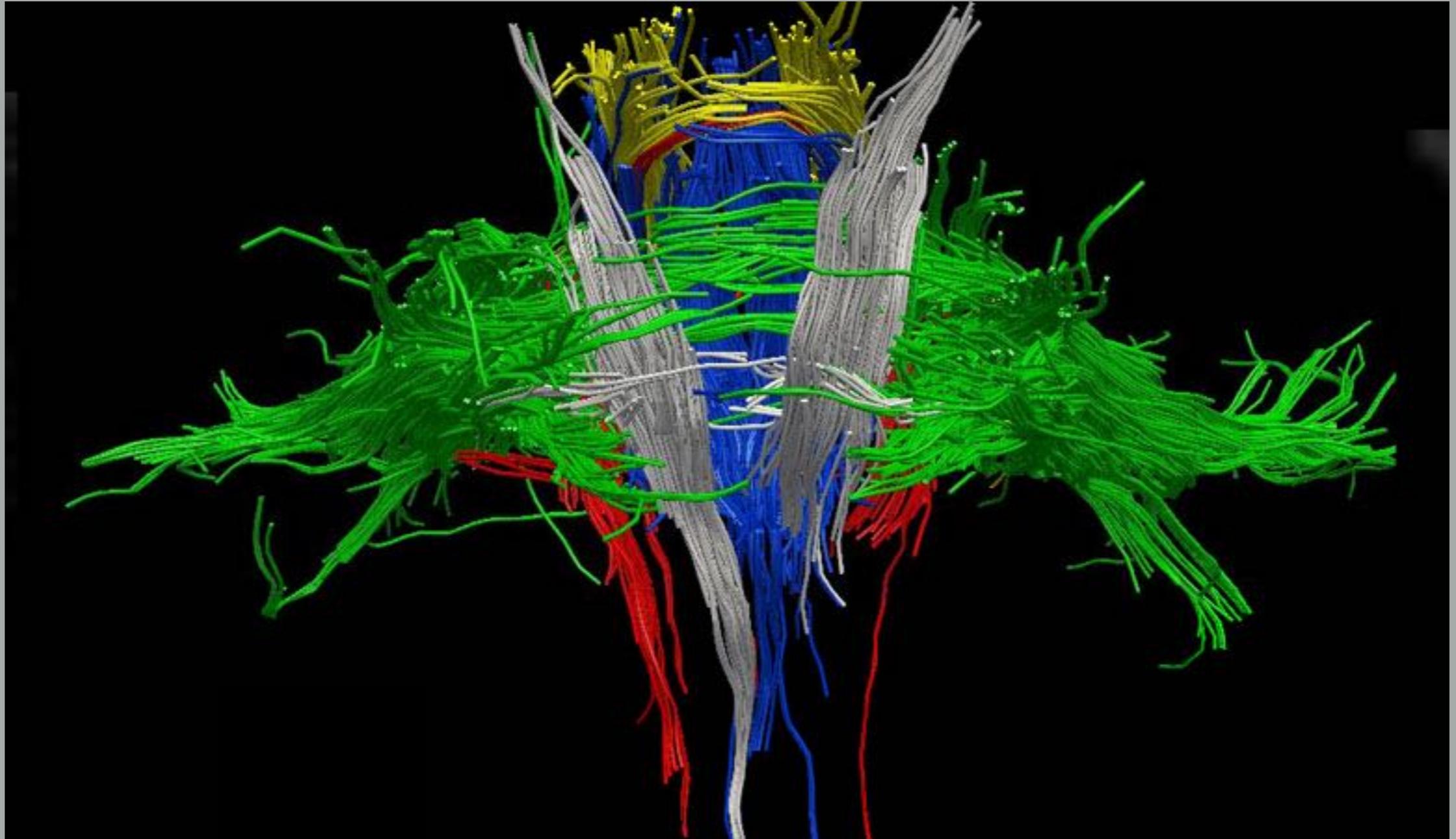
black = inhibitory neurons

DTI and Connectivity



Correlations of fMRI signal in posterior cingulate and other regions
red = positive
blue = negative

Brainstem effects in traumatic brain injury



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SPINAL CORD INJURY (RAT MODEL AT 7T)

Posterior median septum

Posterior intermediate septum

spinal cord white matter

spinal cord white matter

dorsal ramus

ventral ramus

dorsal ramus

ventral ramus

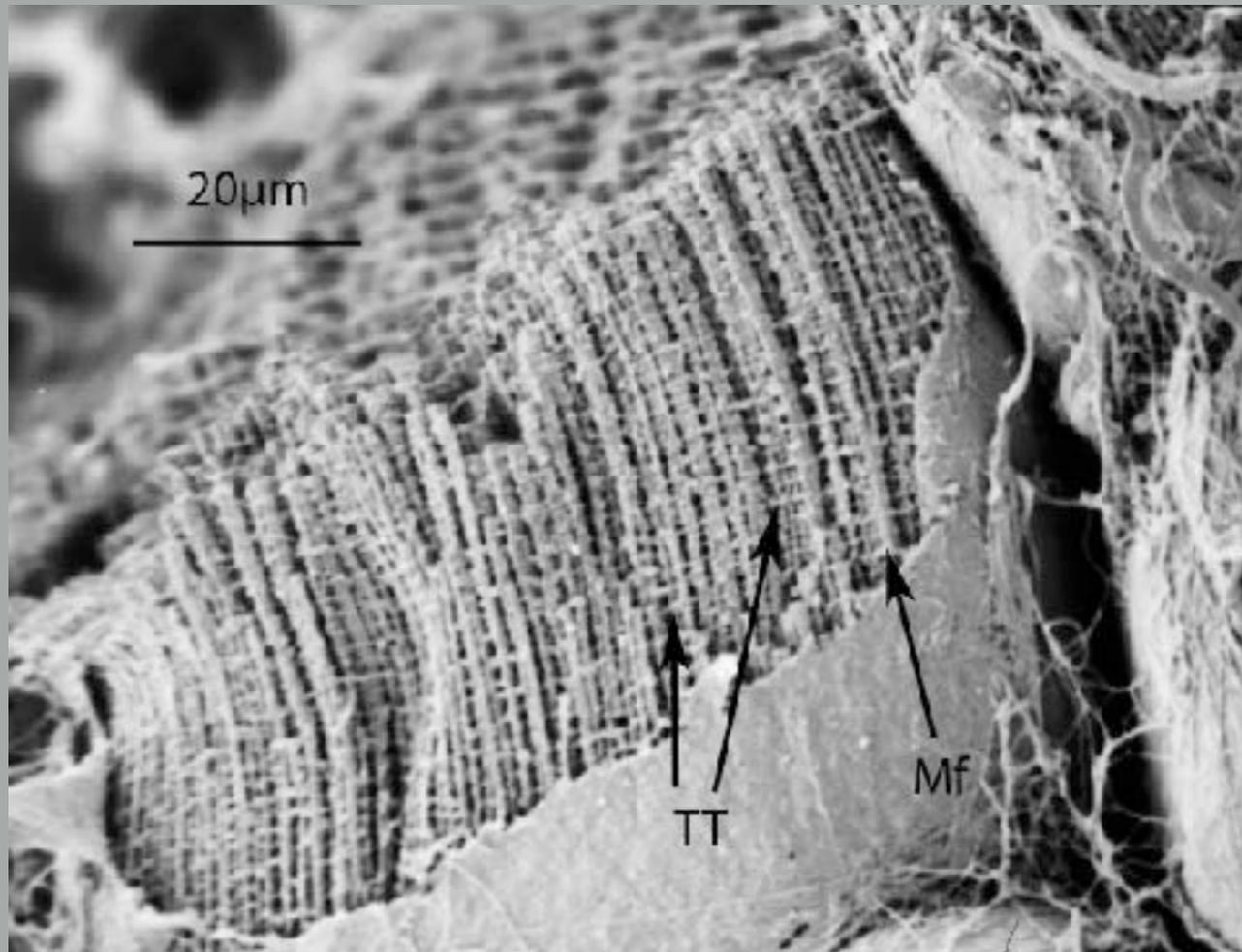
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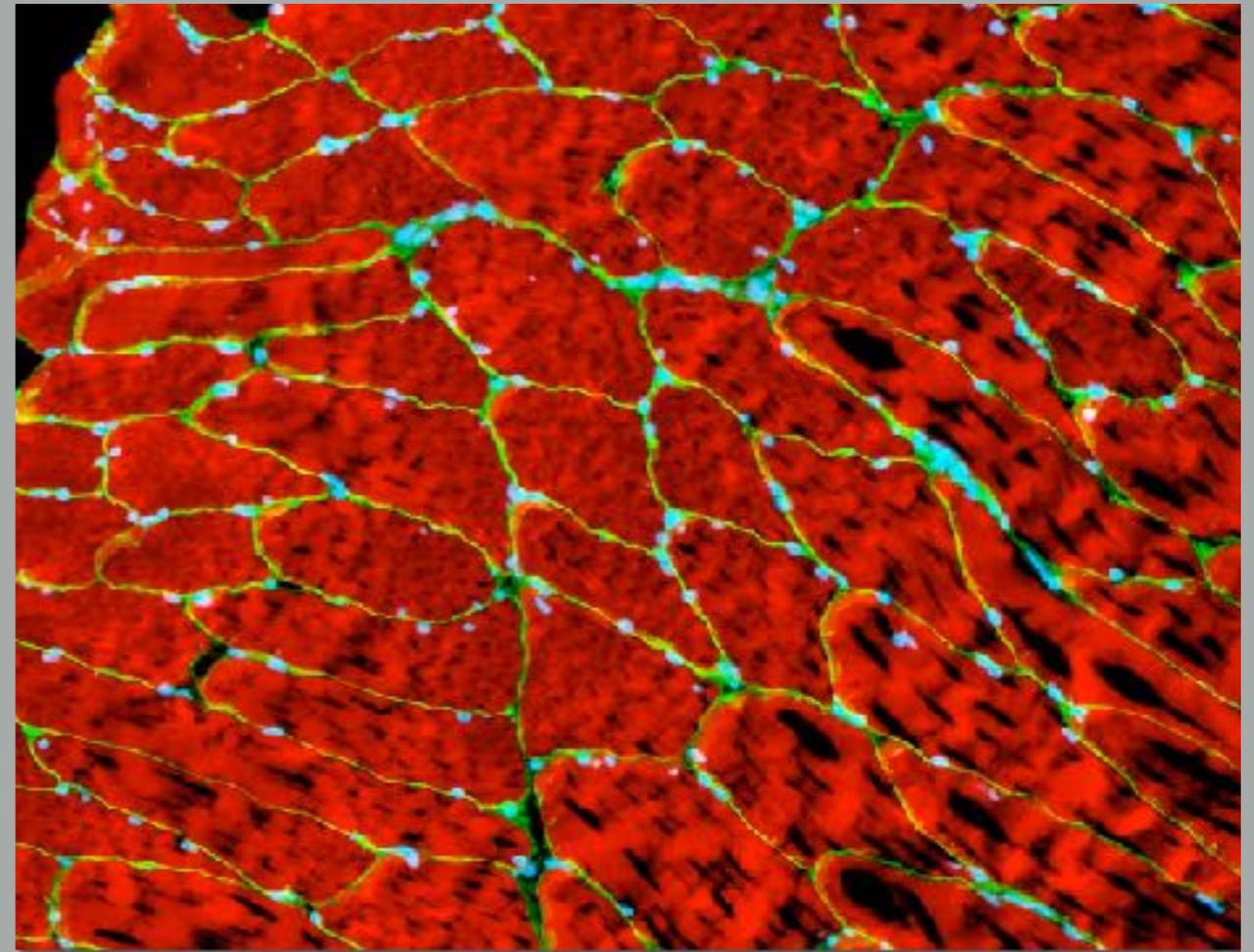
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DTI IN MUSCLE



Rabbit skeletal muscle SEM image
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Rat skeletal muscle fluorescence
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DTI in Muscle

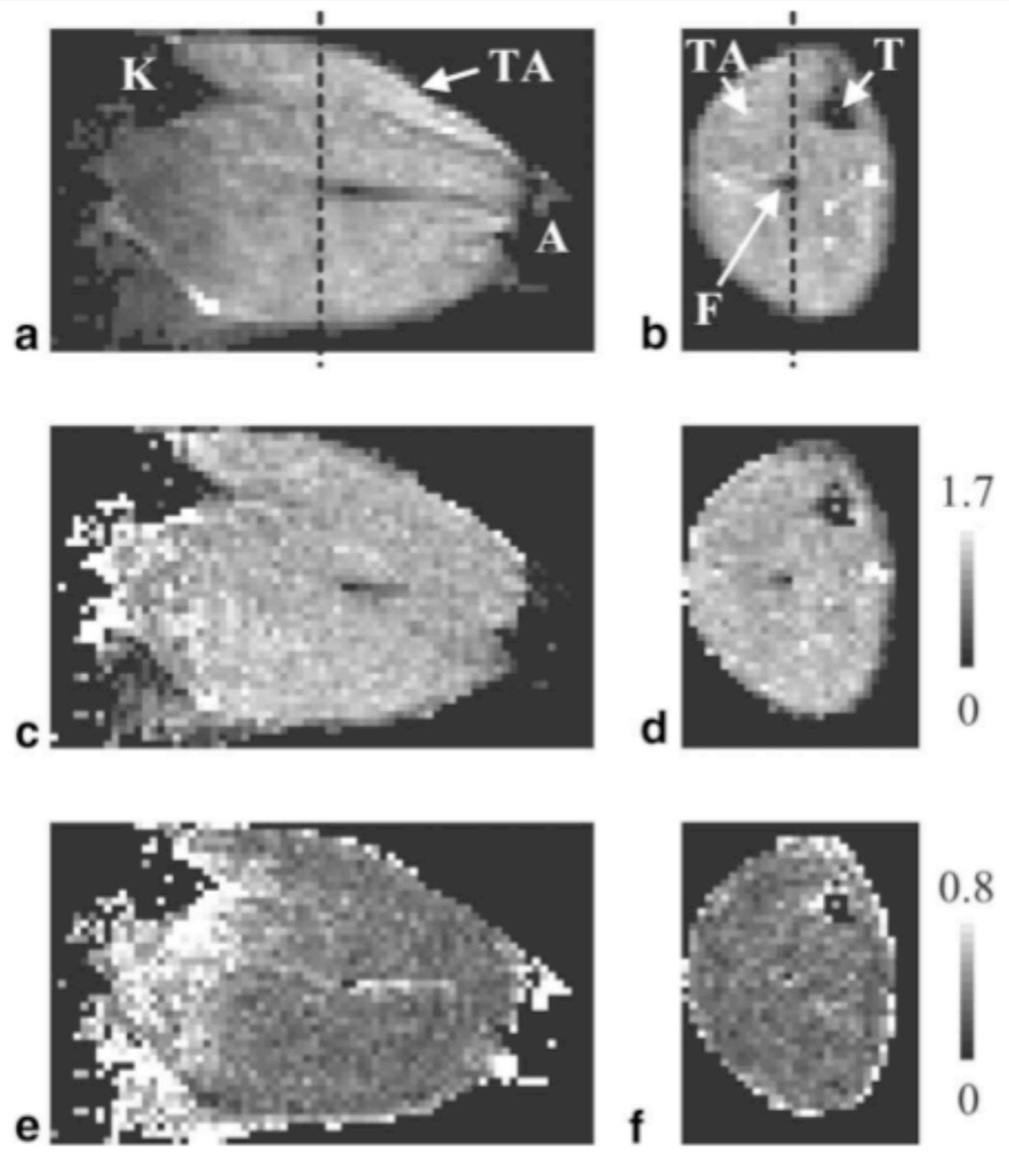
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Determination of Mouse Skeletal Muscle Architecture Using Three-Dimensional Diffusion Tensor Imaging

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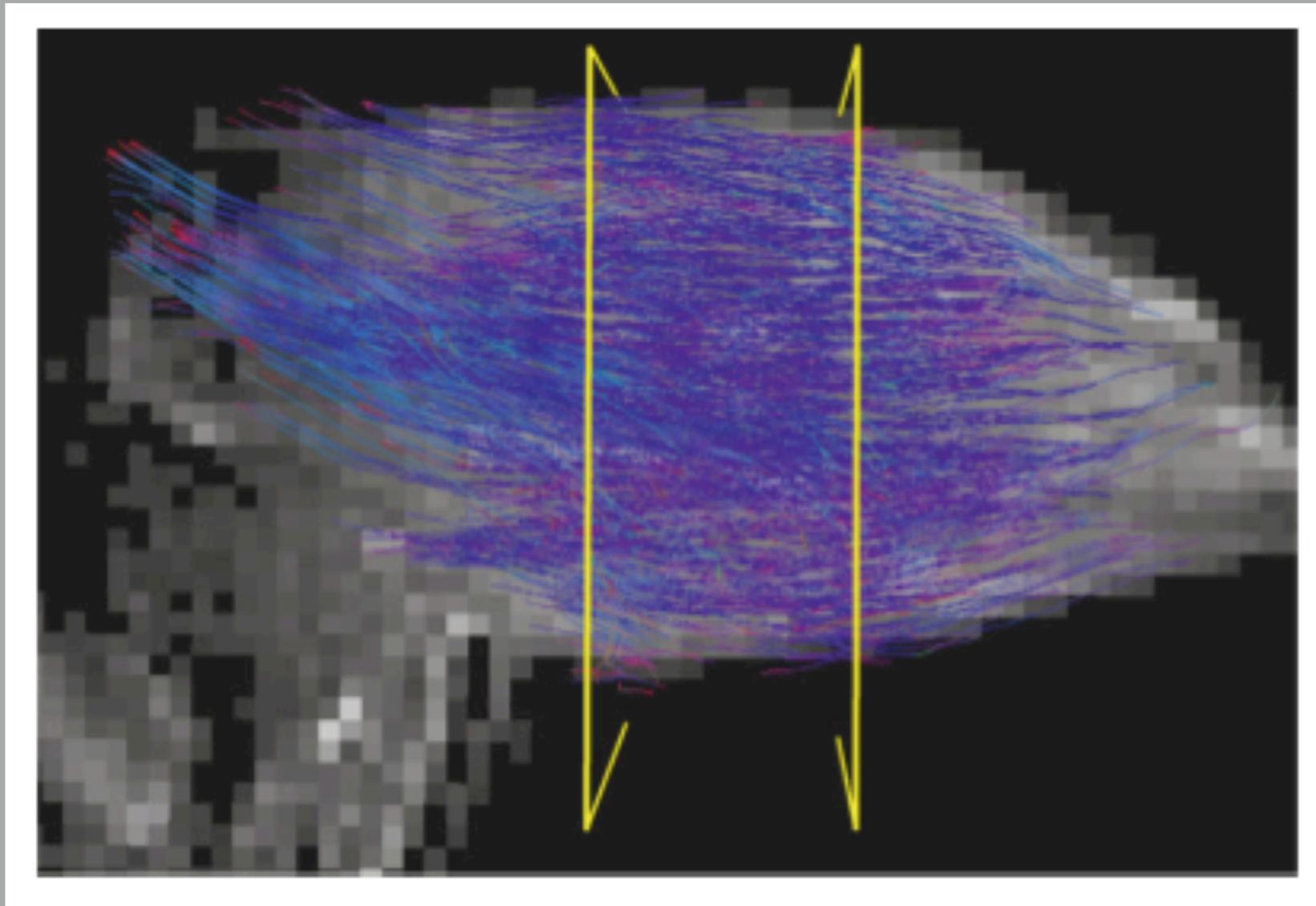
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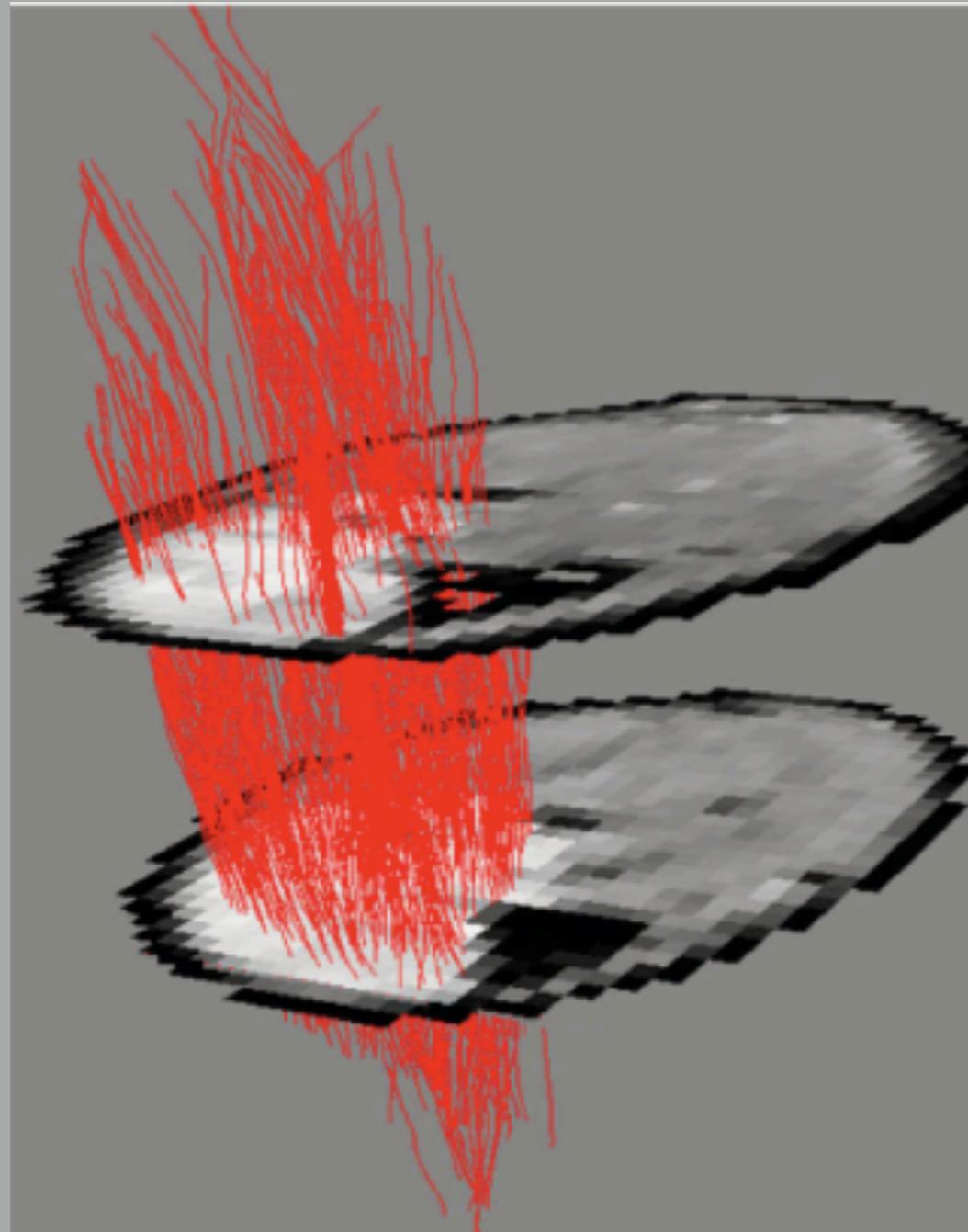
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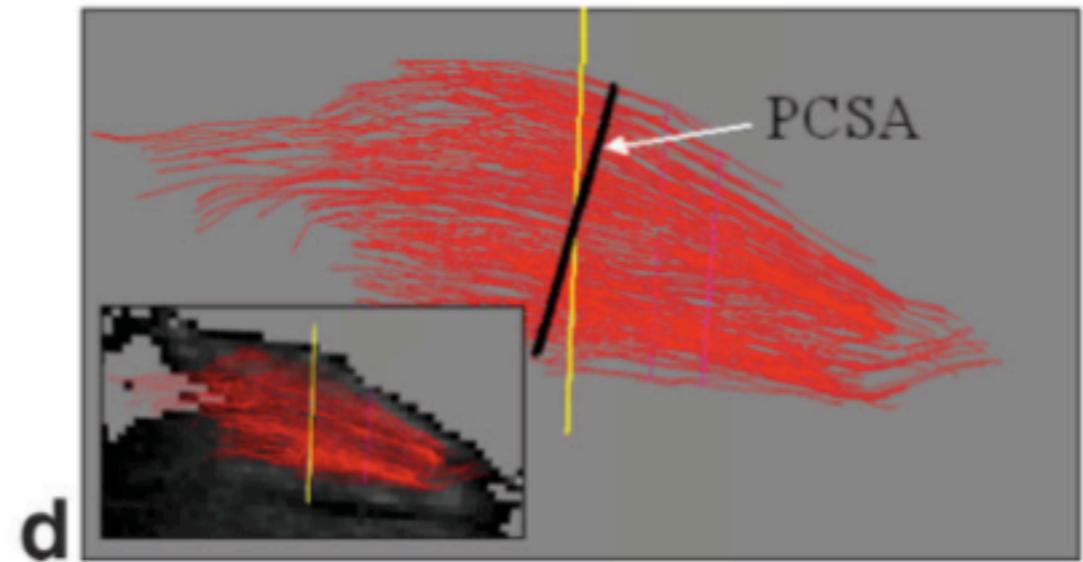
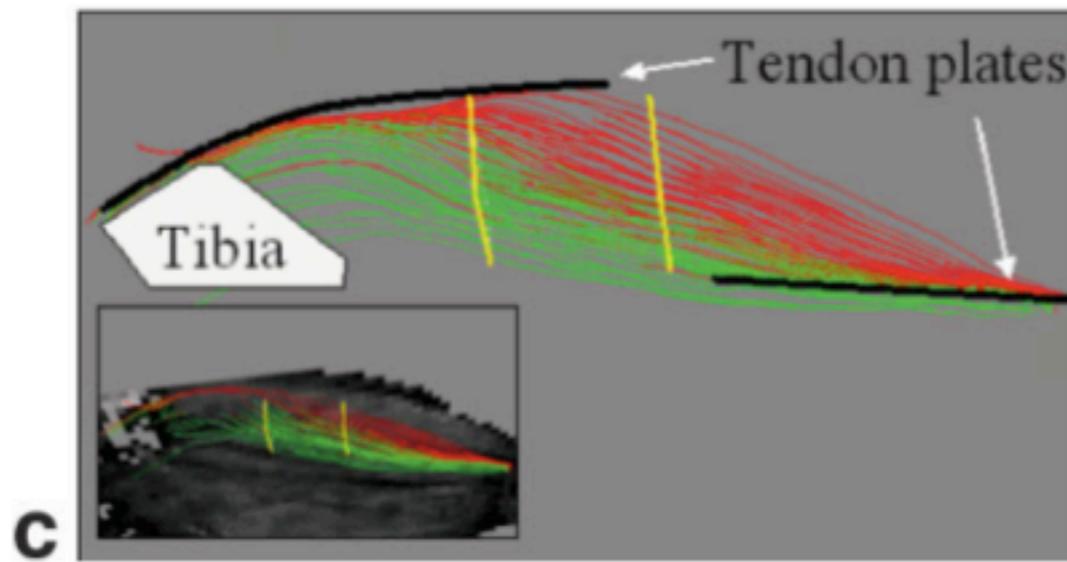
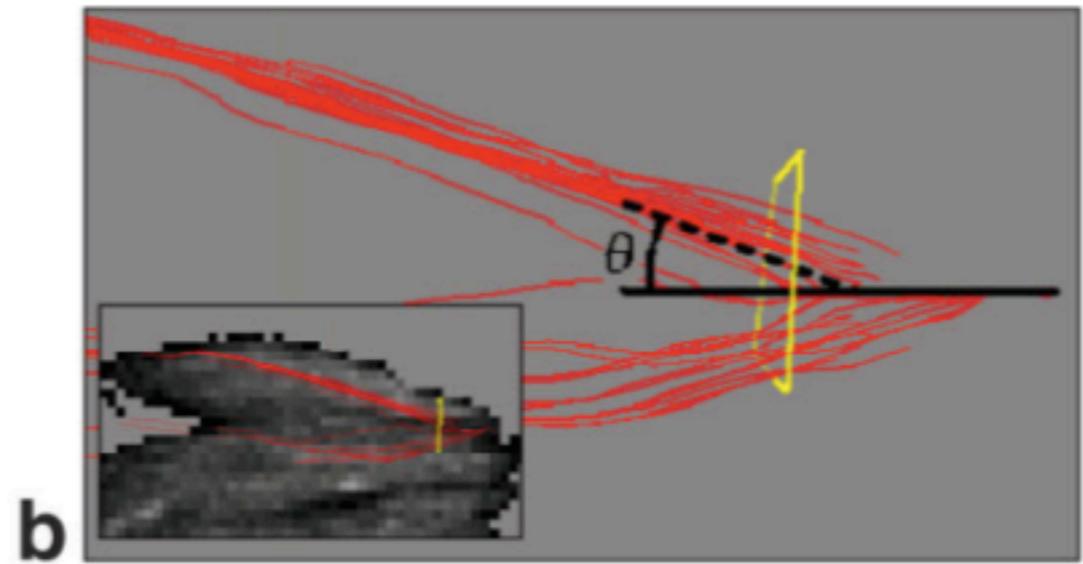
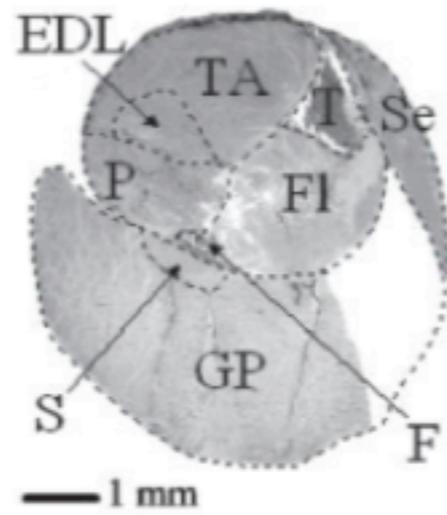
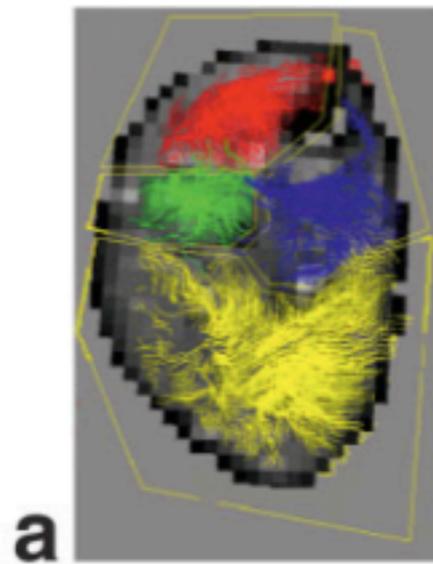
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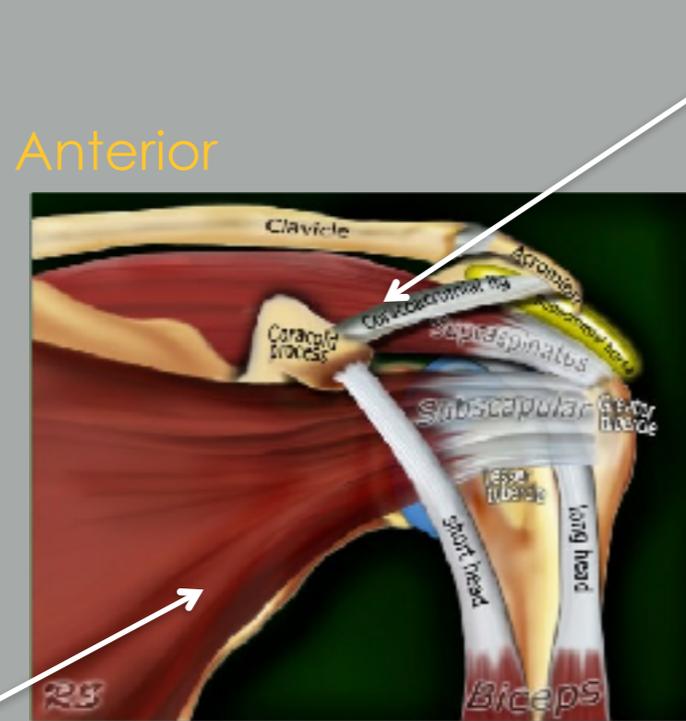


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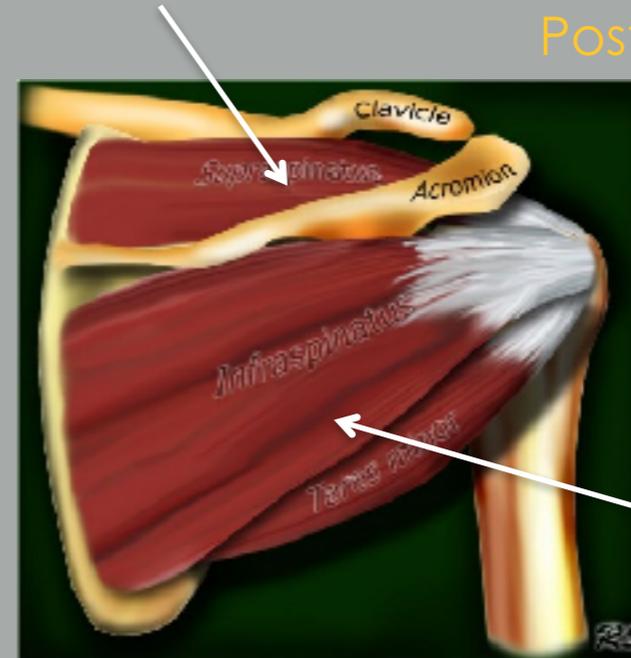
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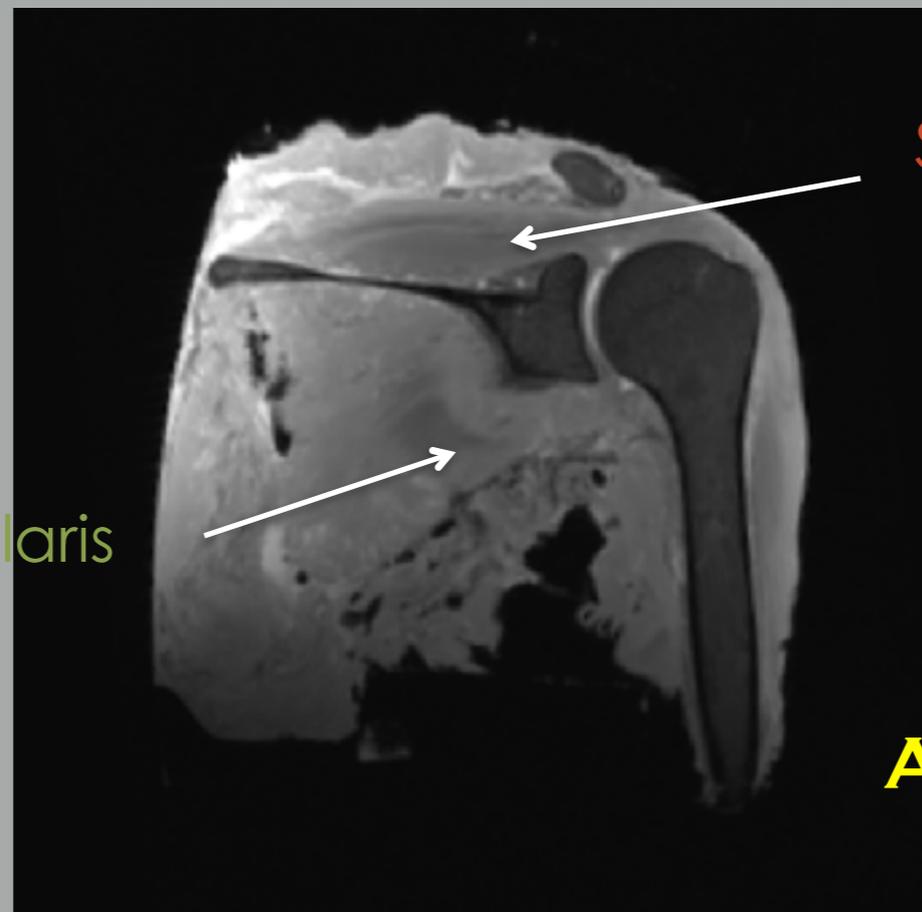
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Subscapularis

Subscapularis

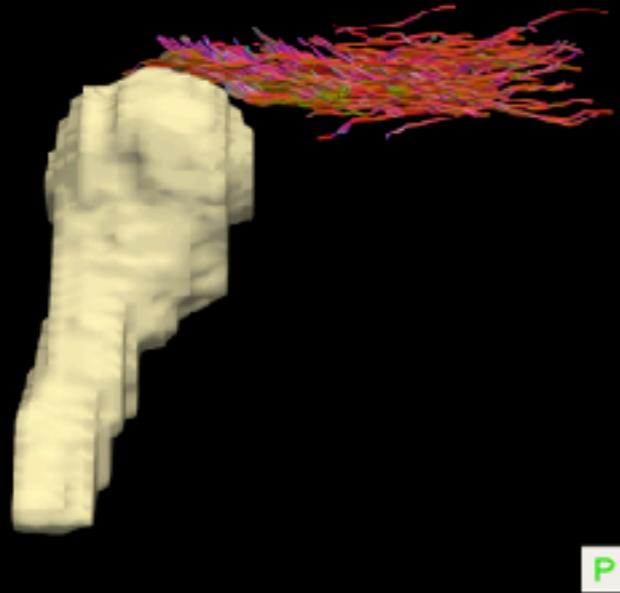


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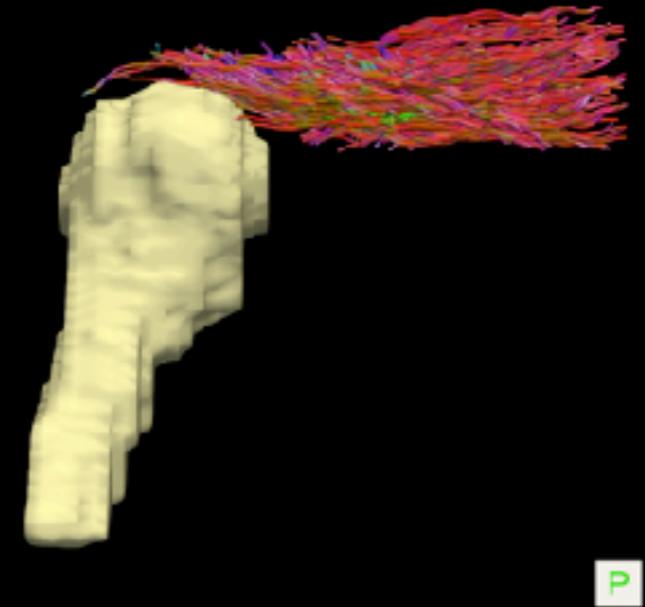
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Supraspinatus Structure in Tractography

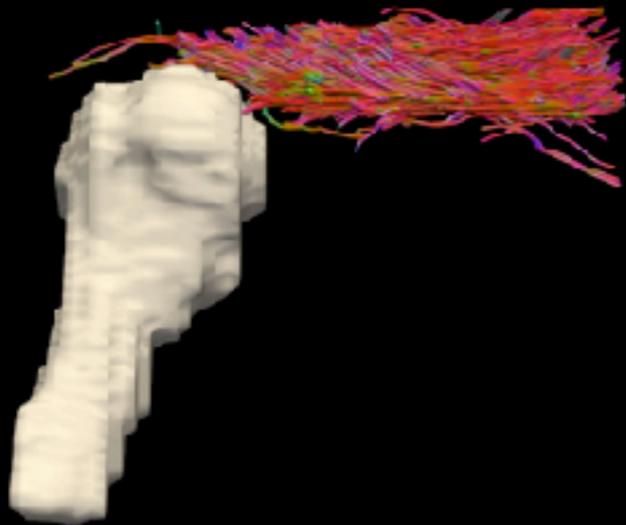
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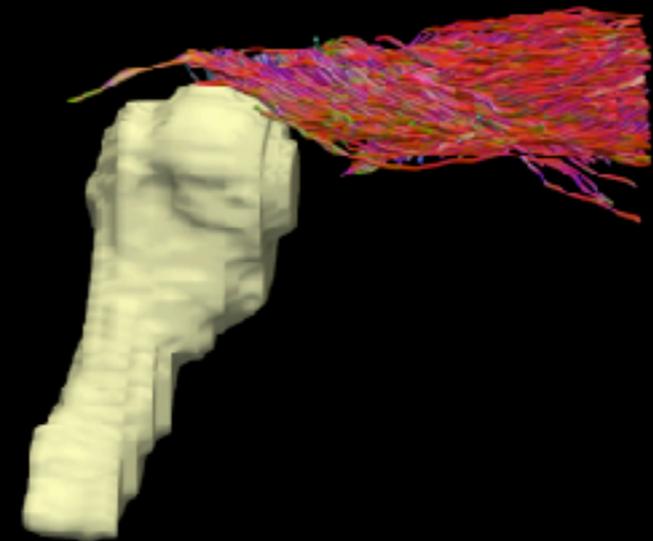
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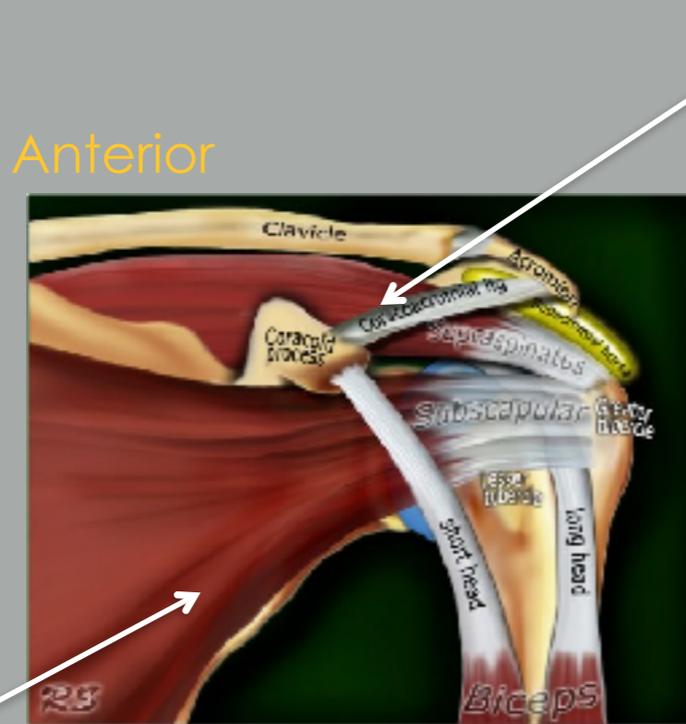


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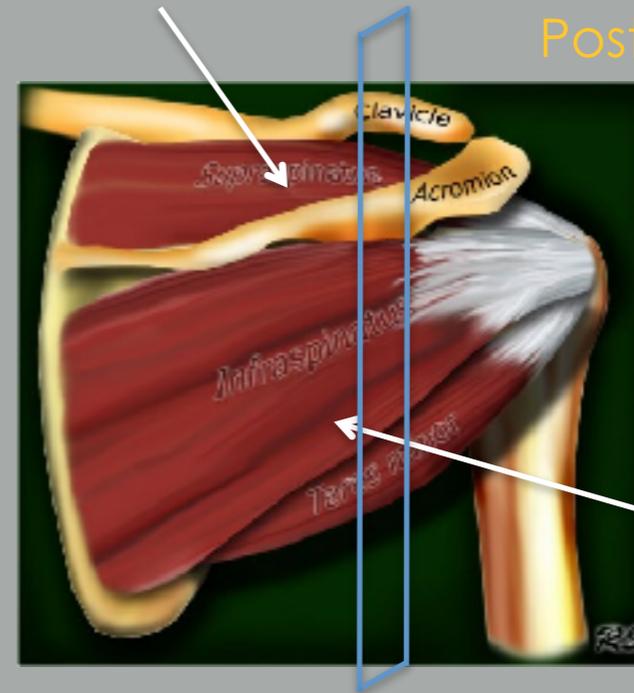
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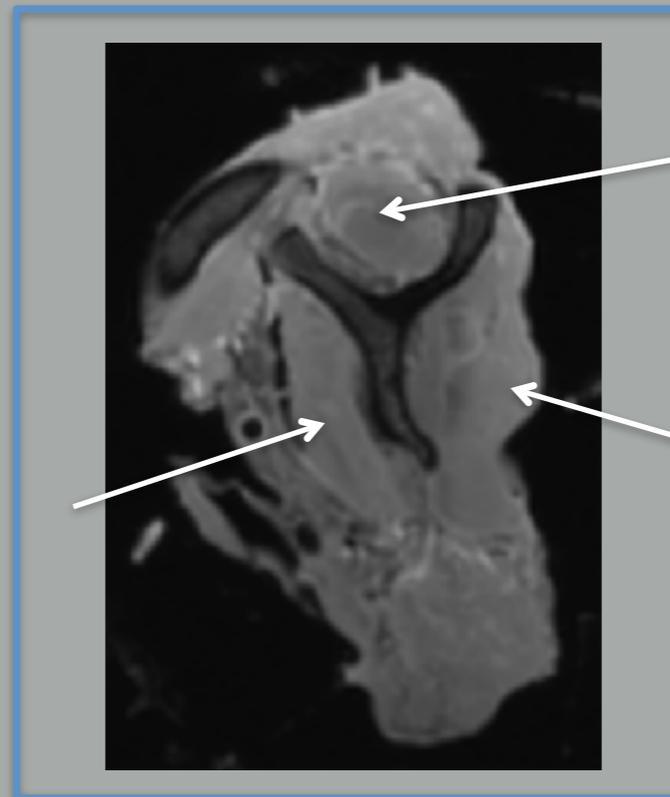
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Posterior

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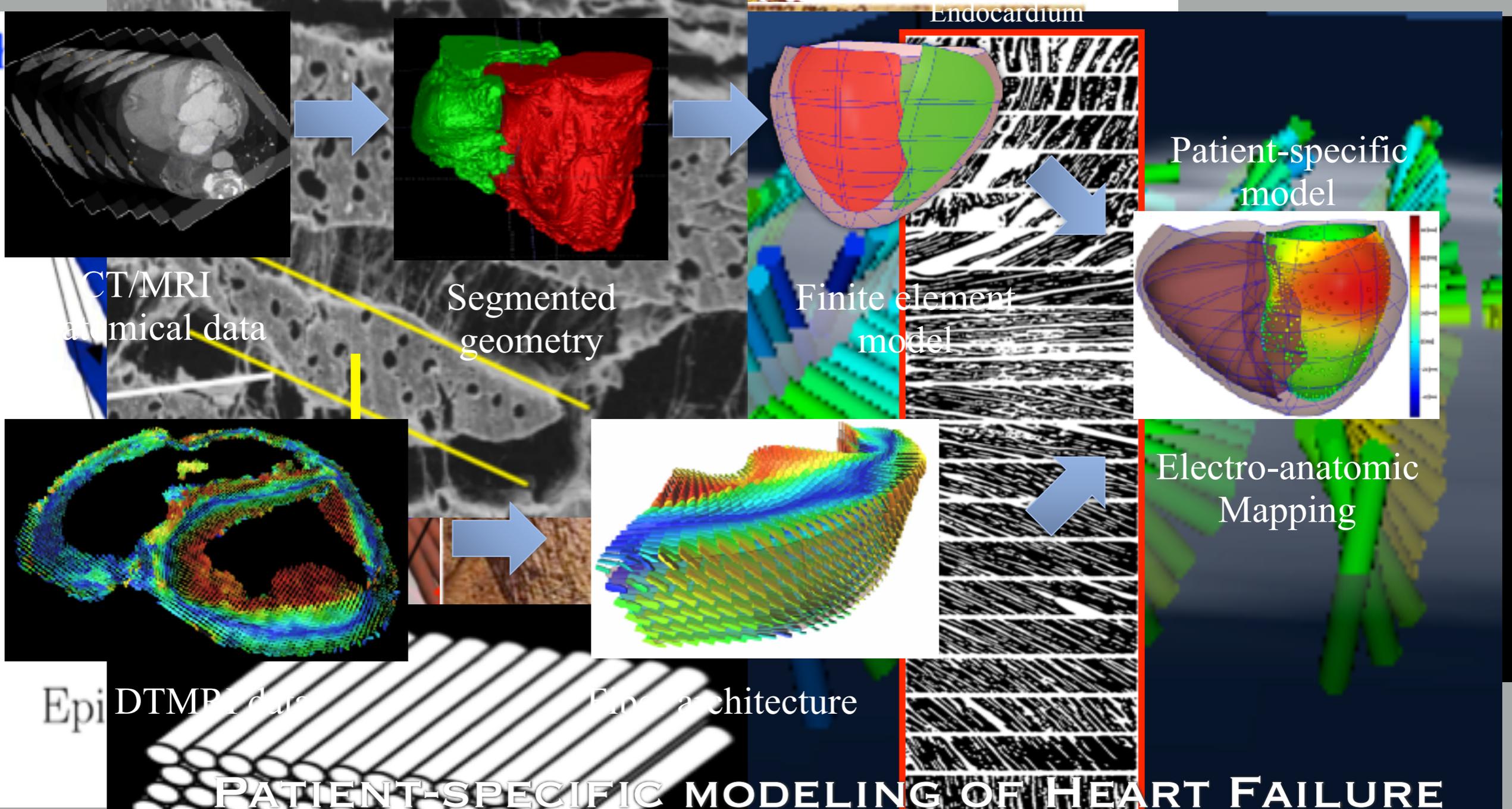
Supraspinatus Tractography @60 directions



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CARDIAC MECHANICS

THERE ARE OTHER ORGANS BESIDES THE BRAIN



PATIENT-SPECIFIC MODELING OF HEART FAILURE

Excised canine heart (Legrice et al., 1999)

3D Spiral FSE DTI sequence (Frank et al., Neuroimage 2010)
Our first whole human heart DTI (ex vivo)

MICHELLEN LAB, USC VLI, USC DEPT. OF BIOENGINEERING

Street et al., 1969

DTI in Cardiac Biomechanics

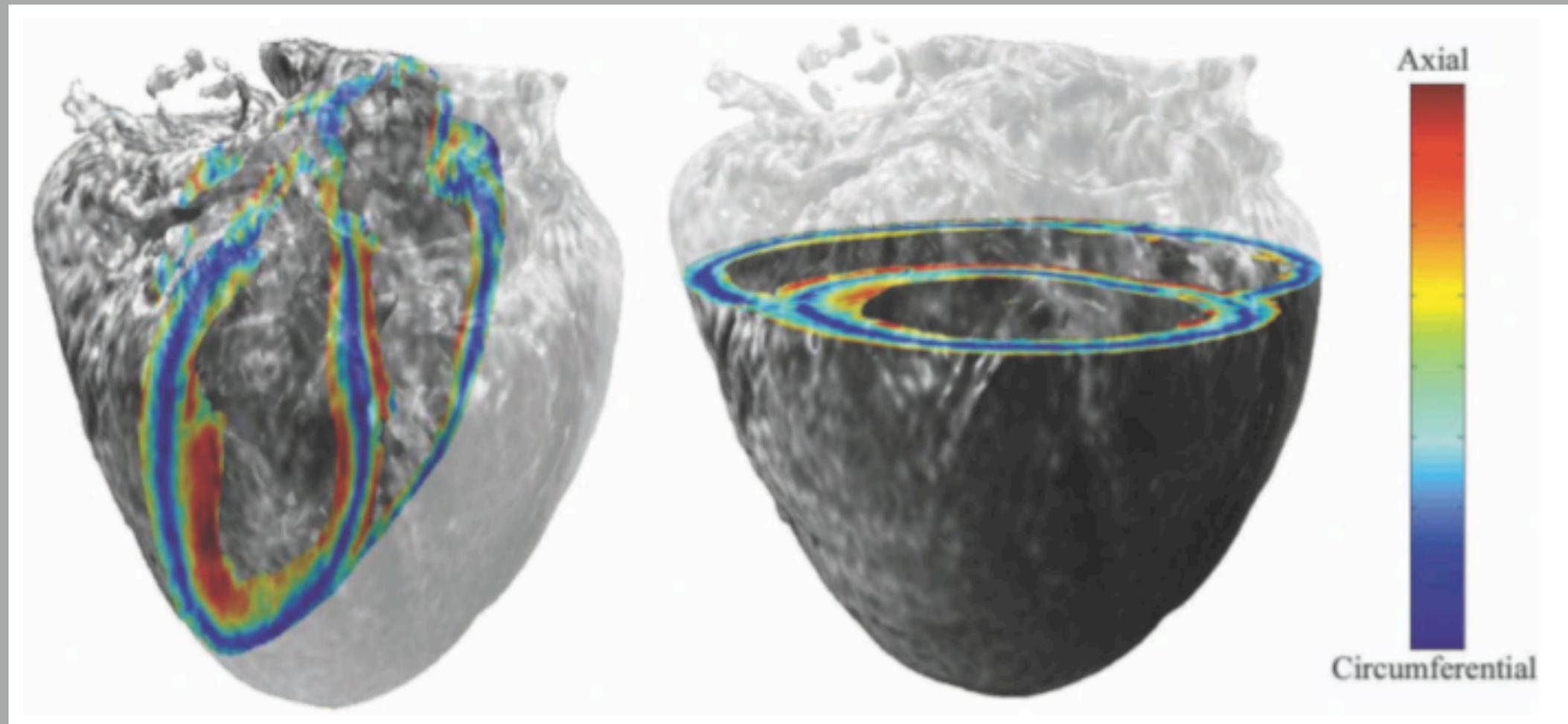
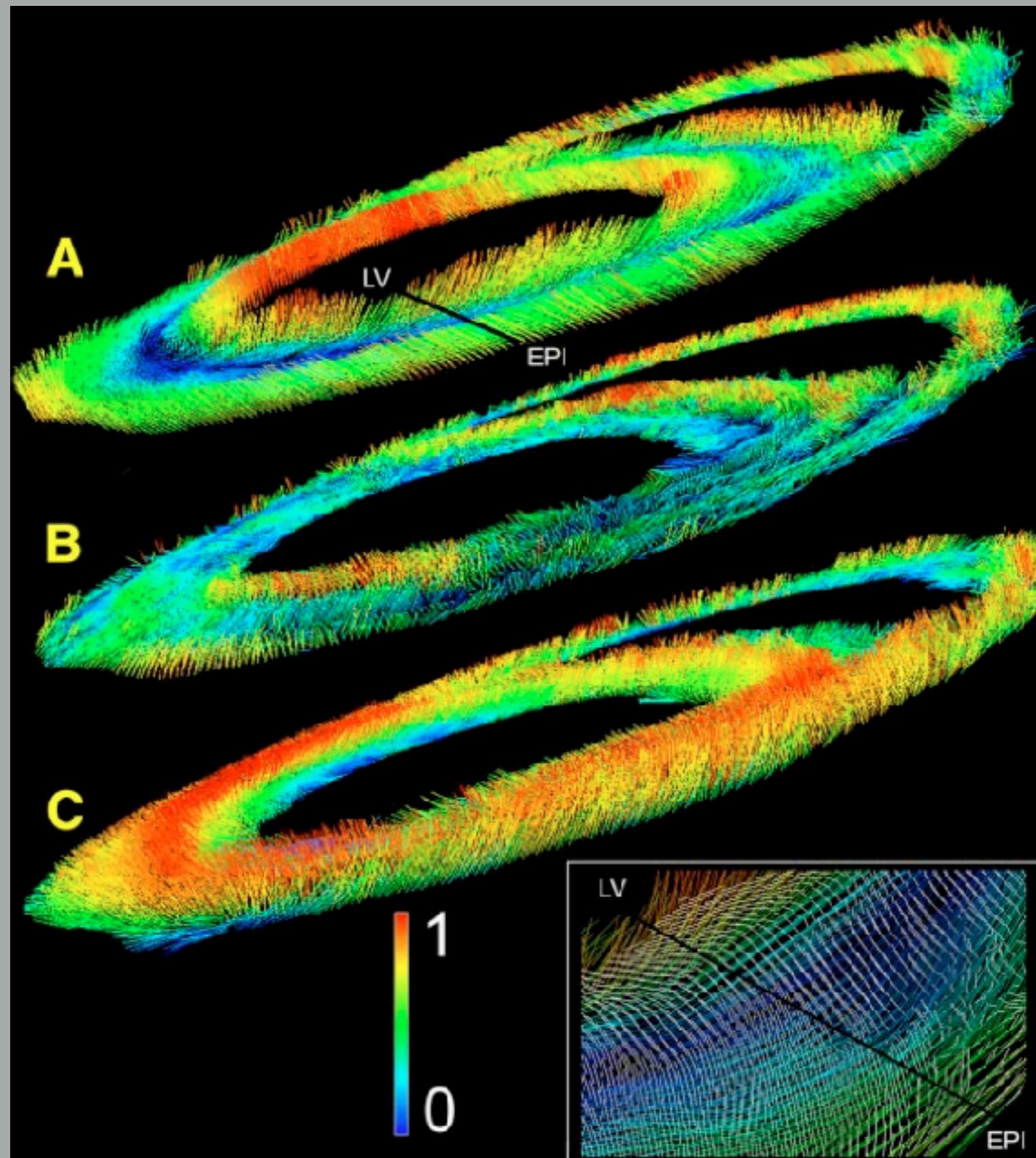
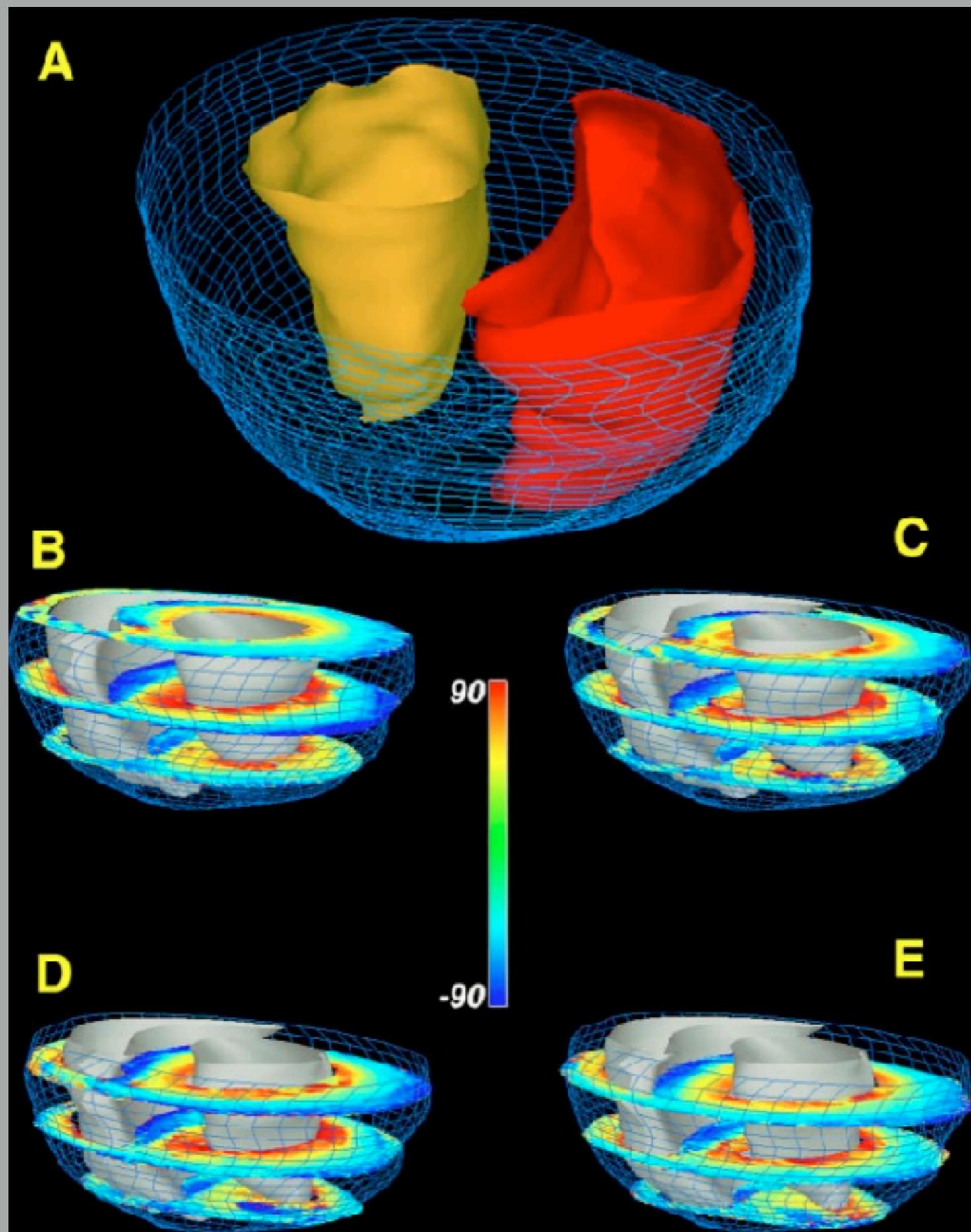


FIG. 4. 3D rendering of the geometry and corresponding fiber structure for one reconstructed heart. The heart is color-coded according to the orientation of the z-component of the principle eigenvector. Fibers that run in a circumferential direction are shown in blue, whereas fibers that run in the base-apex direction are colored red.

DTI in Cardiac Biomechanics



A) Primary, B) Secondary, and C) Tertiary eigenvectors.
Out of plane component shown in color



computational modeling

HIGH RESOLUTION MRI OF ELASMOBRANCHS

ELASMOBRANCHS HAVE AN ELABORATE
SENSORY SYSTEM

Inner ear Spinal



Orbit

Hindbrain

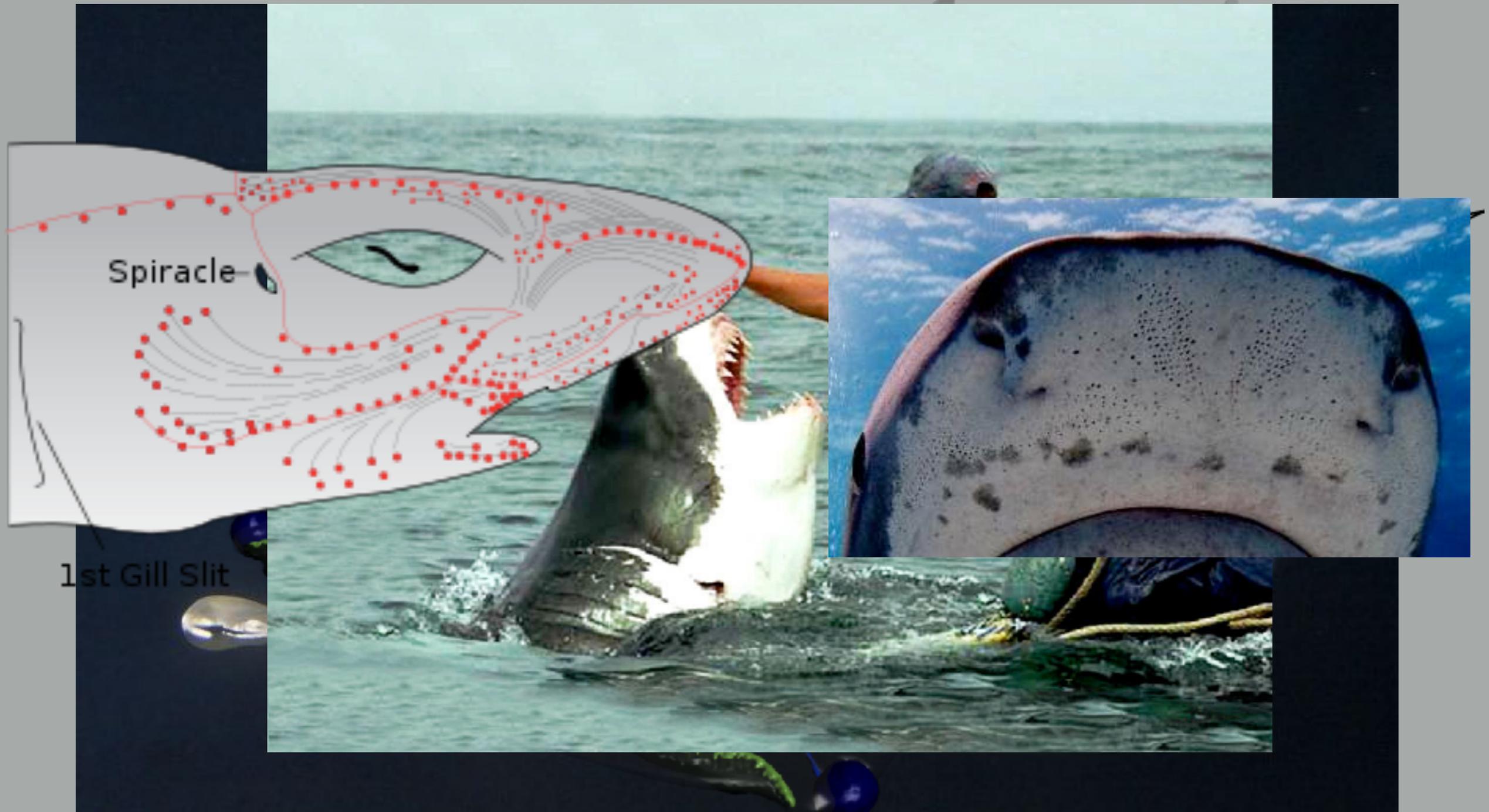
Brown Smoothhound

(Data courtesy JM Tyszka)

ELASMOBRANCHS HAVE AN ELABORATE SENSORY SYSTEM

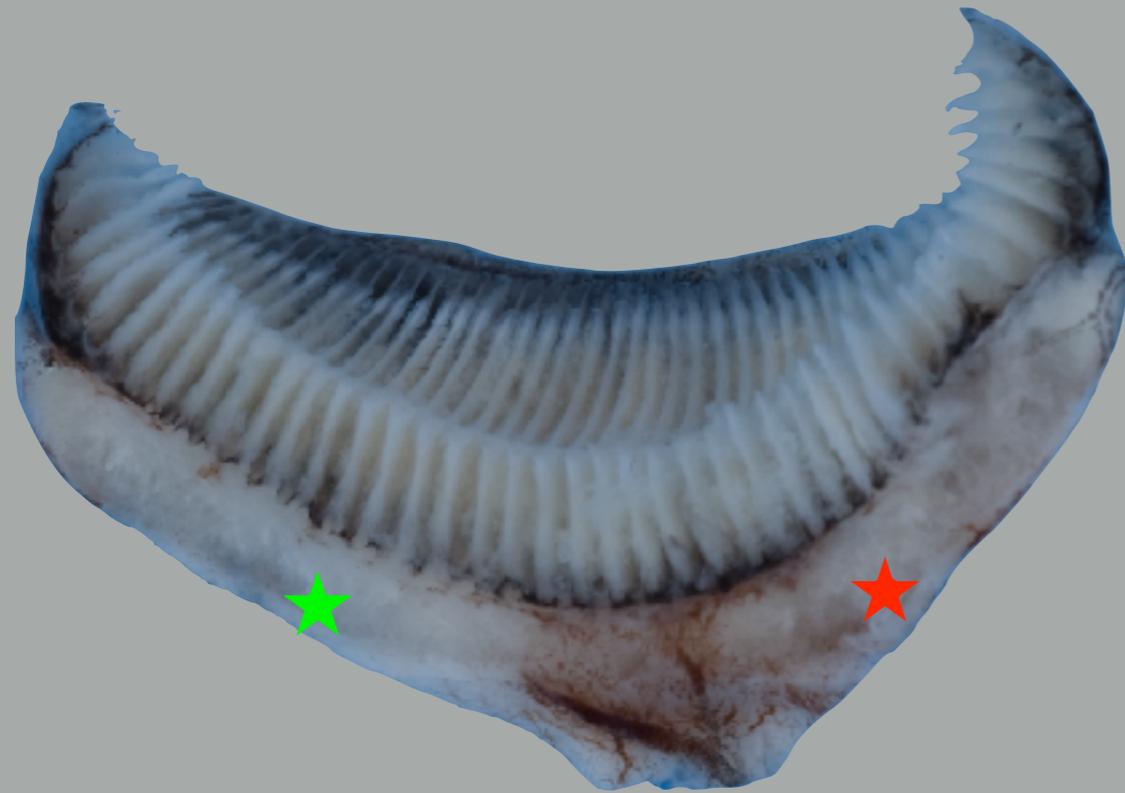
The 7 Senses

Electroreception



Organization

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- ORN's in epithelium project to discrete glomeruli in OB
- Chemotopic arrangement

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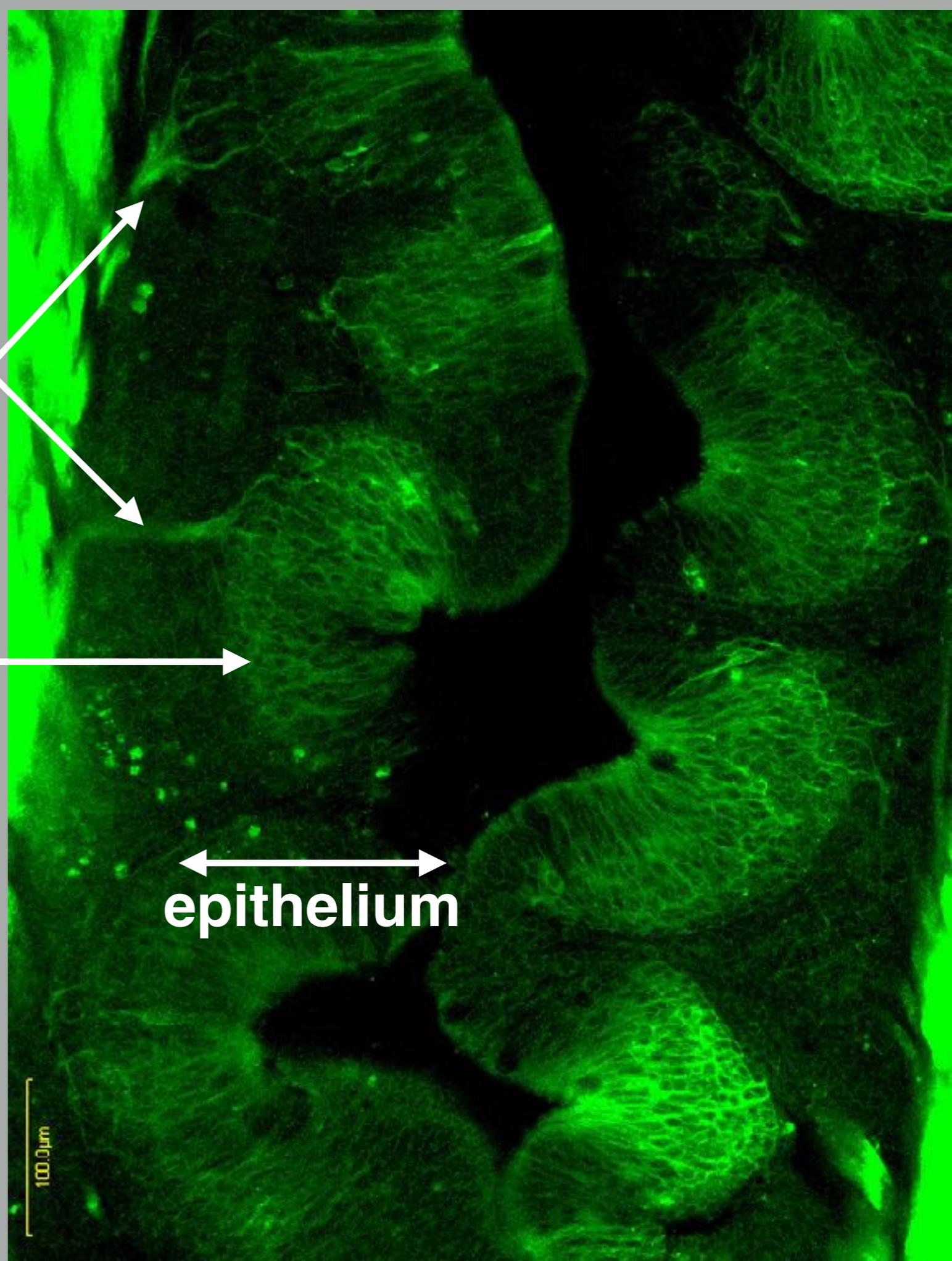
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- Somatotopic arrangement

lamina propria

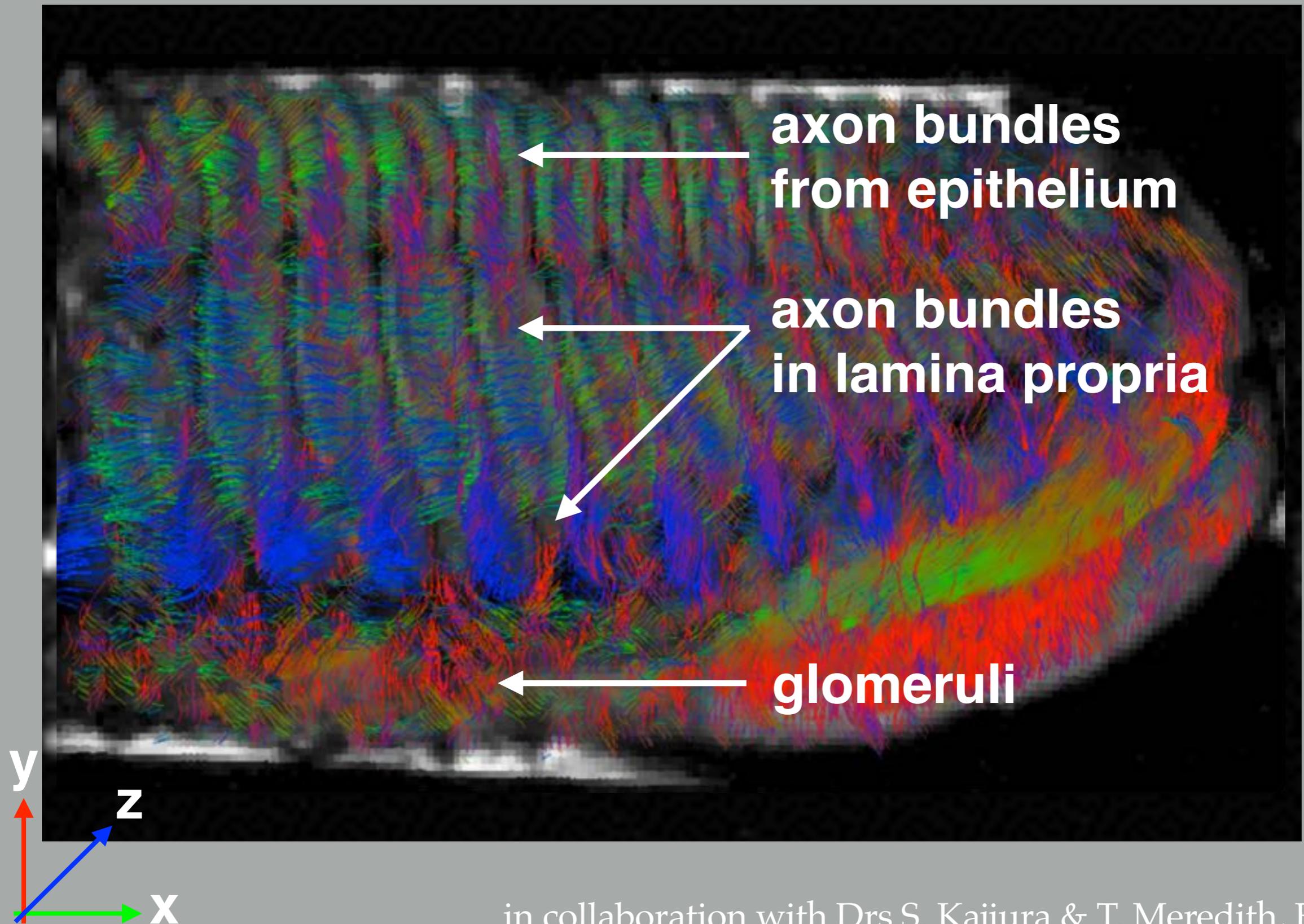
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ORN's

epithelium



Organization



in collaboration with Drs S. Kajiuura & T. Meredith, FAU
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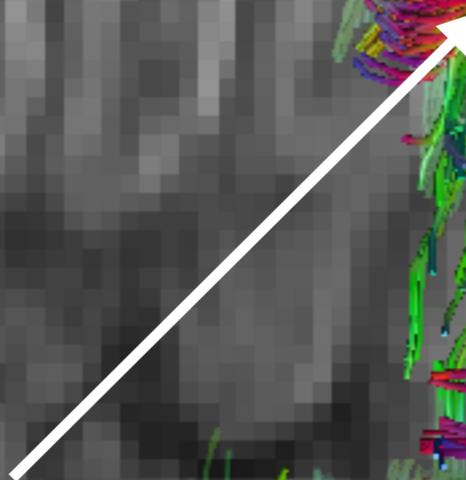


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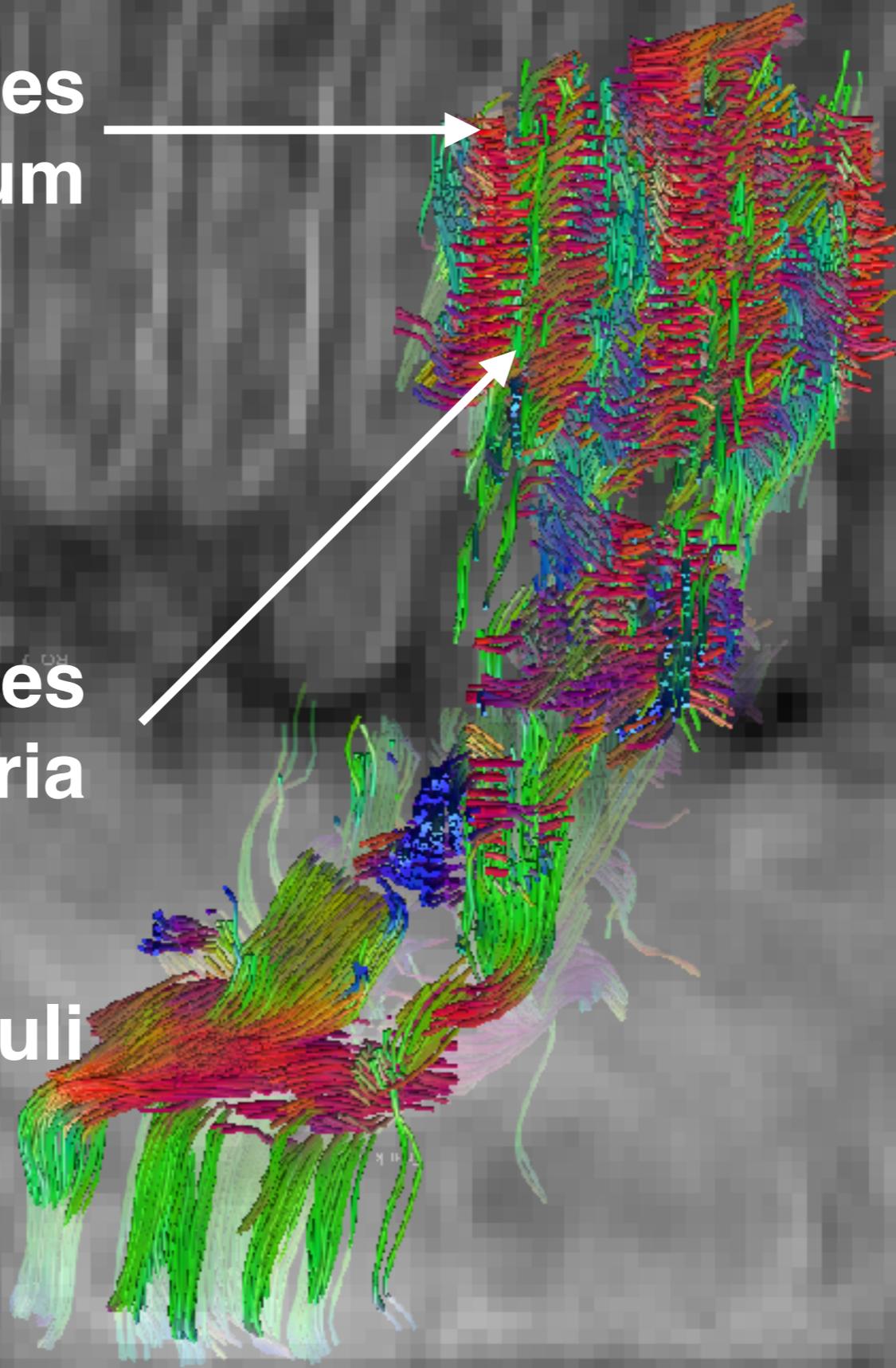
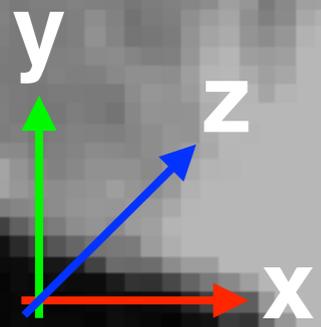
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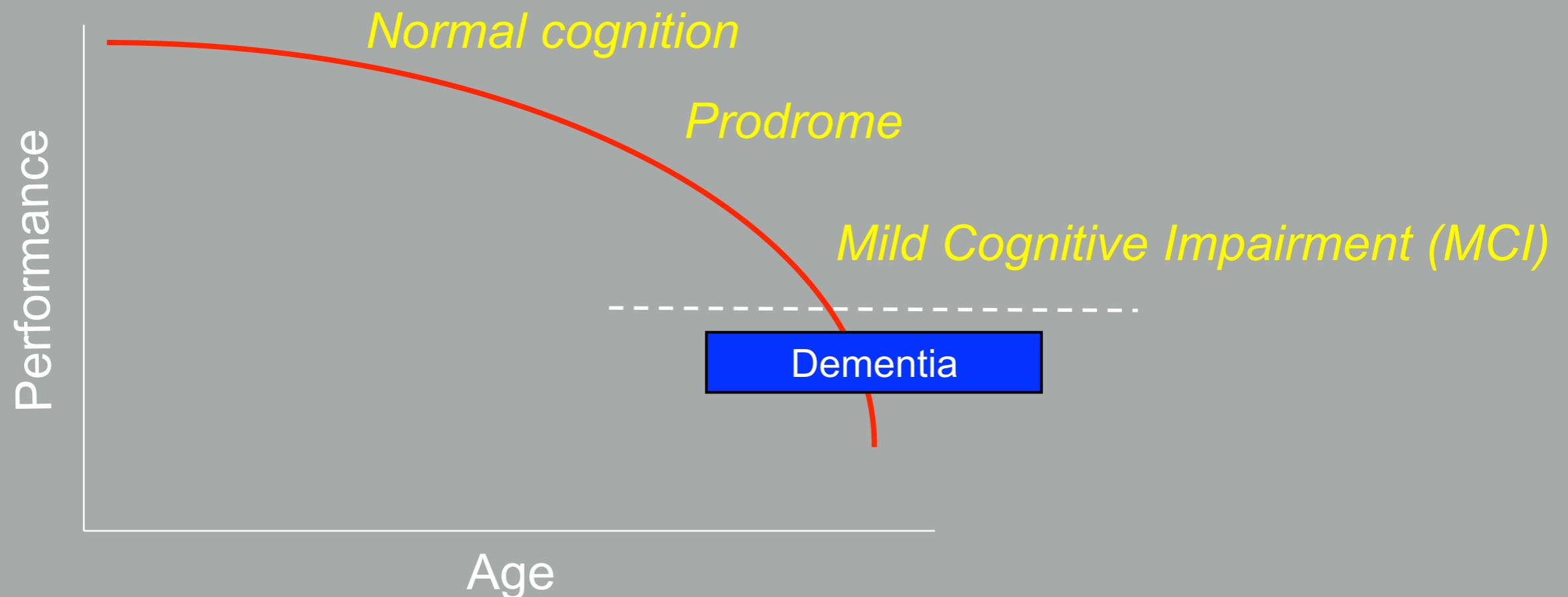


glomeruli



DTI in Alzheimer's

Neurodegenerative conditions of late life (e.g., AD, PD, DLB) involve slowly accruing **neuron losses** that evolve over some years before symptoms occur



Chronic disease model (Katzman 1976)

RESEARCH

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Alzheimer's disease drug-development pipeline: few candidates, frequent failures

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Abstract

Introduction: Alzheimer's disease (AD) is increasing in frequency as the global population ages. Five drugs are approved for treatment of AD, including four cholinesterase inhibitors and an *N*-methyl-D-aspartate (NMDA)-receptor antagonist. We have an urgent need to find new therapies for AD.

Methods: We examined Clinicaltrials.gov, a public website that records ongoing clinical trials. We examined the decade

Results

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therapeutics, considering the magnitude of the problem. The success rate for advancing from one phase to another is low, and the number of compounds progressing to regulatory review is among the lowest found in any therapeutic area. The AD drug-development ecosystem requires support.

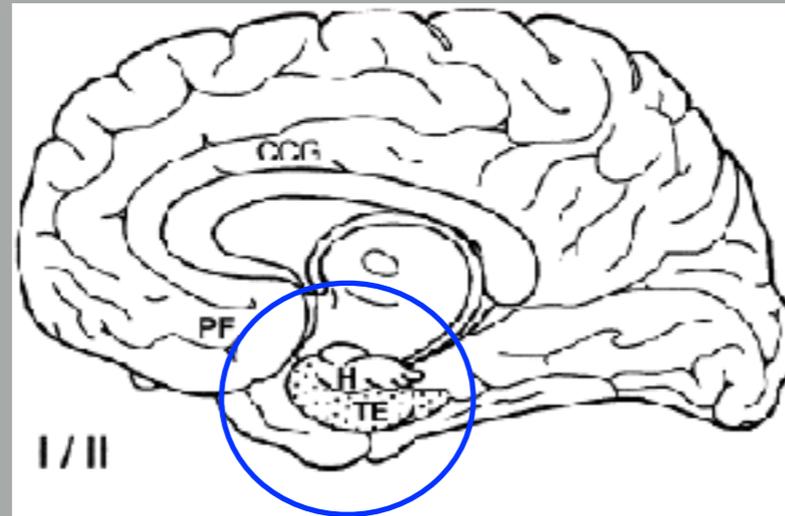
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Neuropathologic Hallmarks Of AD

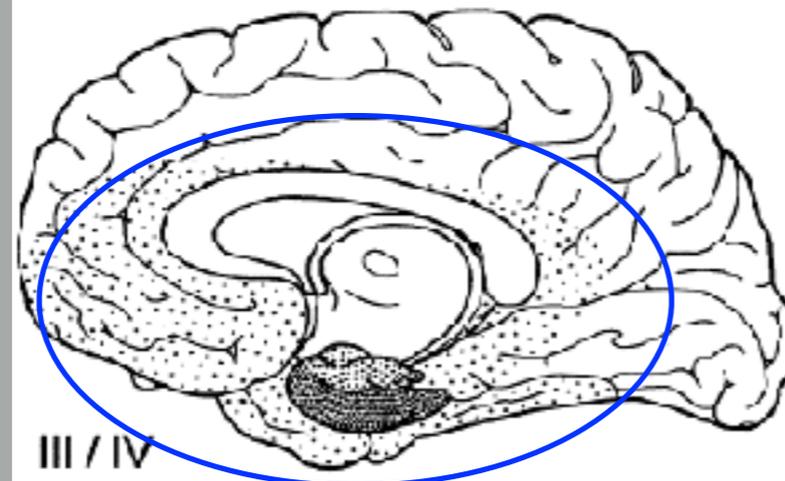
Evolution of Neurofibrillary Changes

Stages I / II
(pre AD)



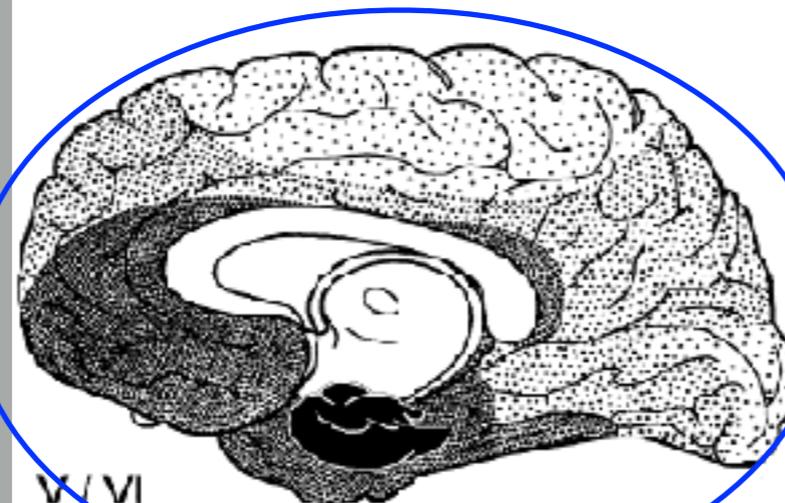
entorhinal and transentorhinal (TE): **mild**

Stages III / IV
(early AD)



TE: **severe**
hippocampus: **moderate**
cortical association areas: **mild**

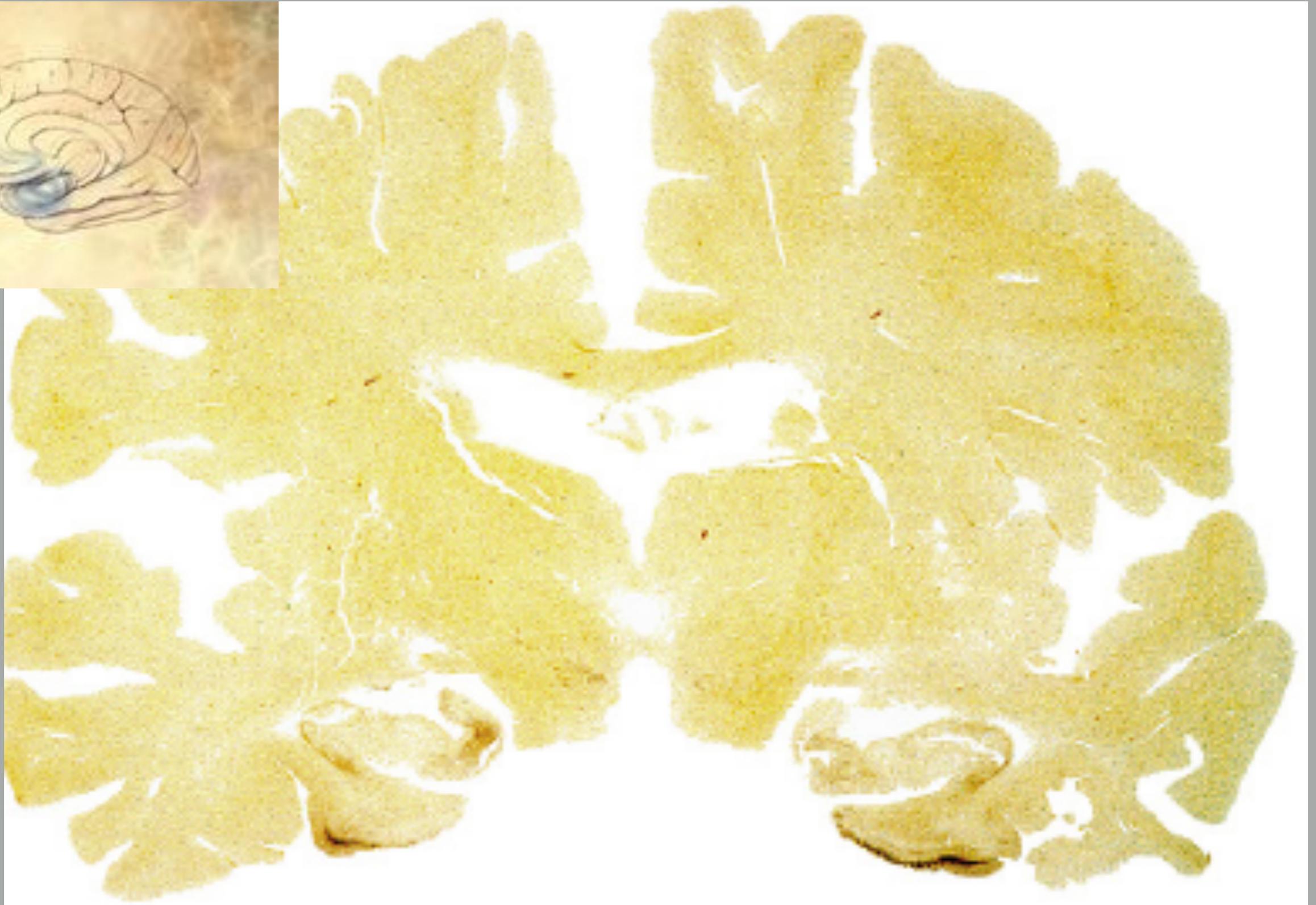
Stages V / VI
(clinical AD)



TE: **severe**
Cortical association areas: **severe**
hippocampus: **severe**
primary sensory and motor areas **spared**

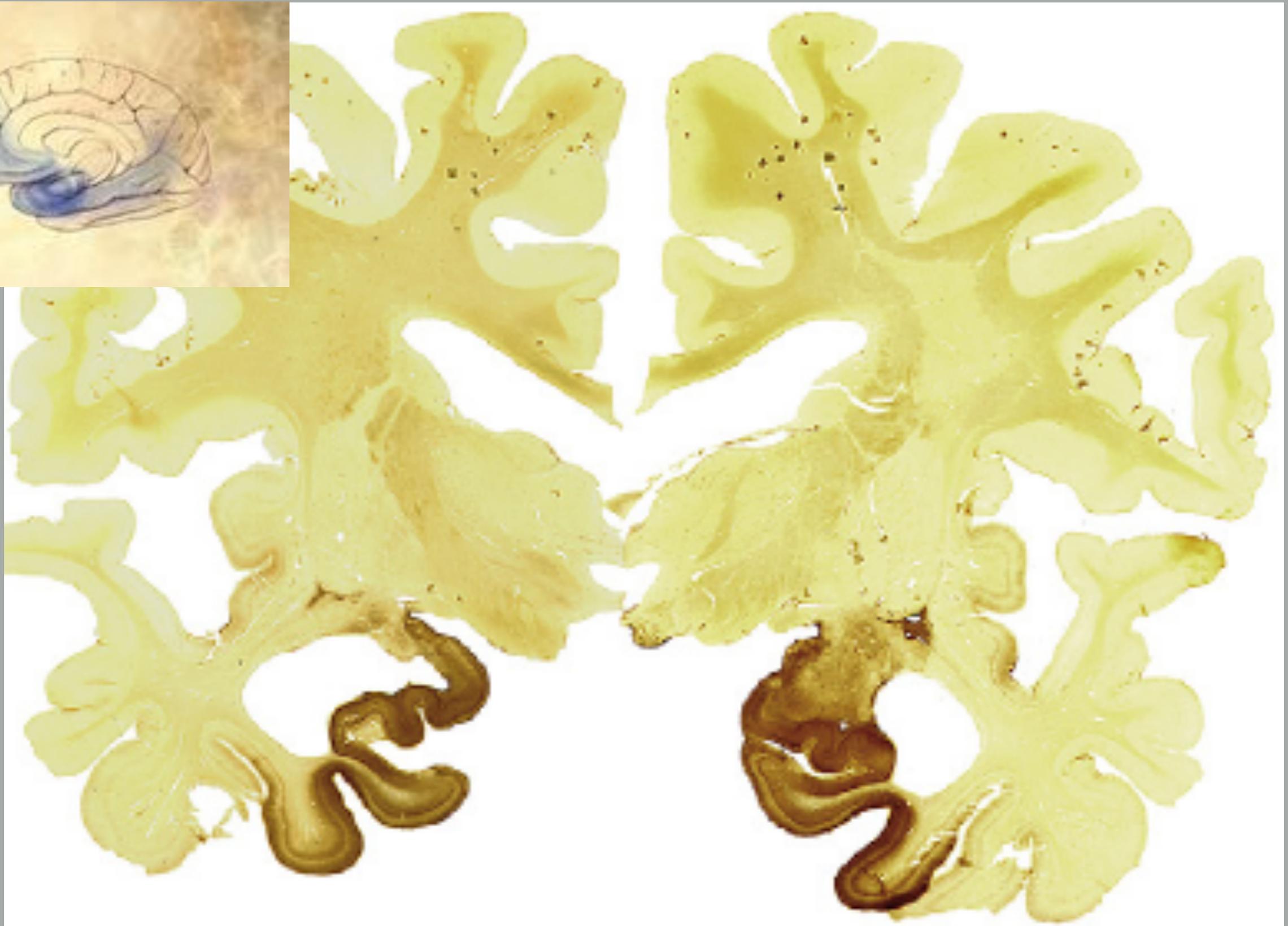
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Stages I and II



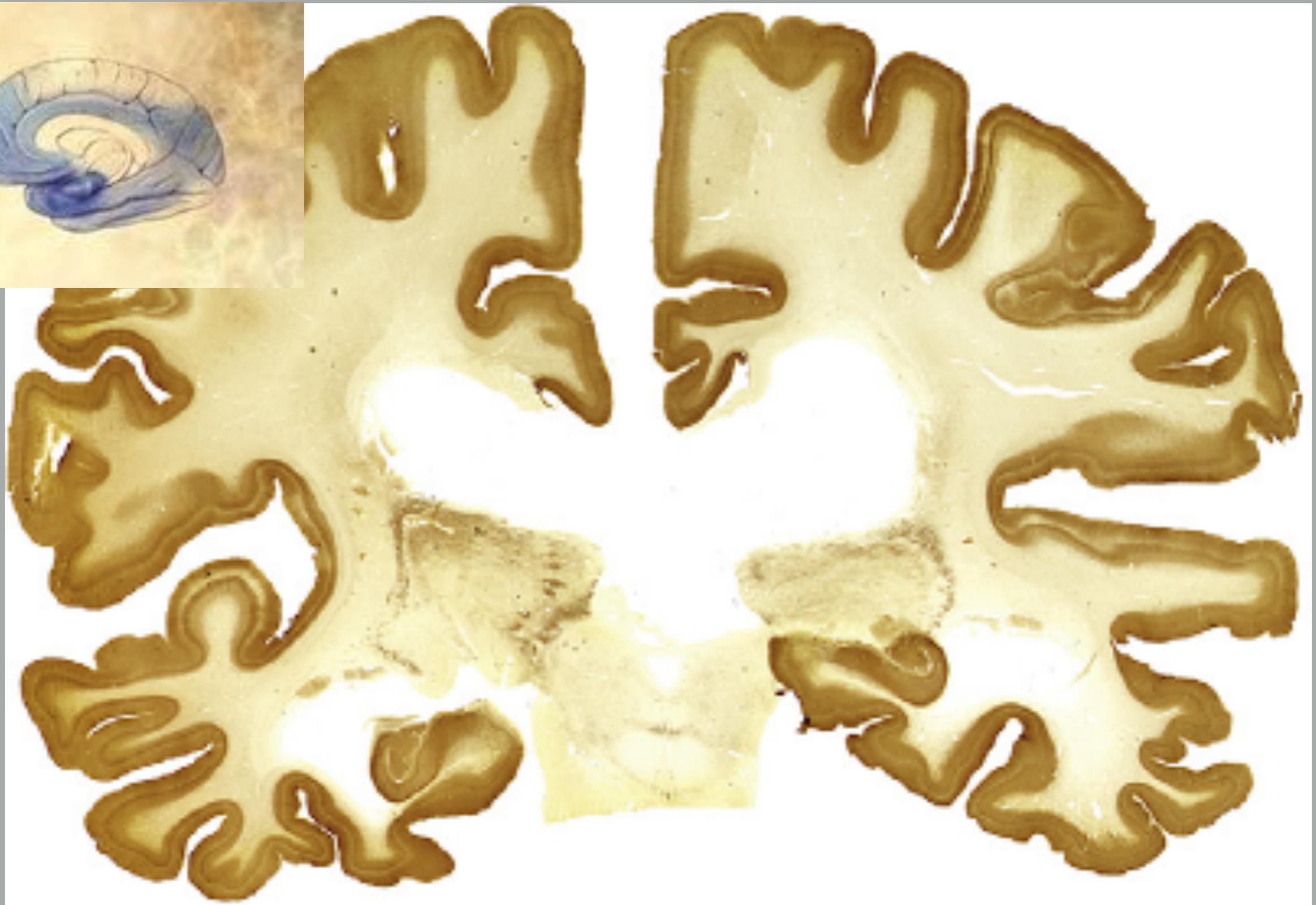
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Stage III



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Stages V and VI



Cognitive Abilities Affected by AD



Learning and Memory



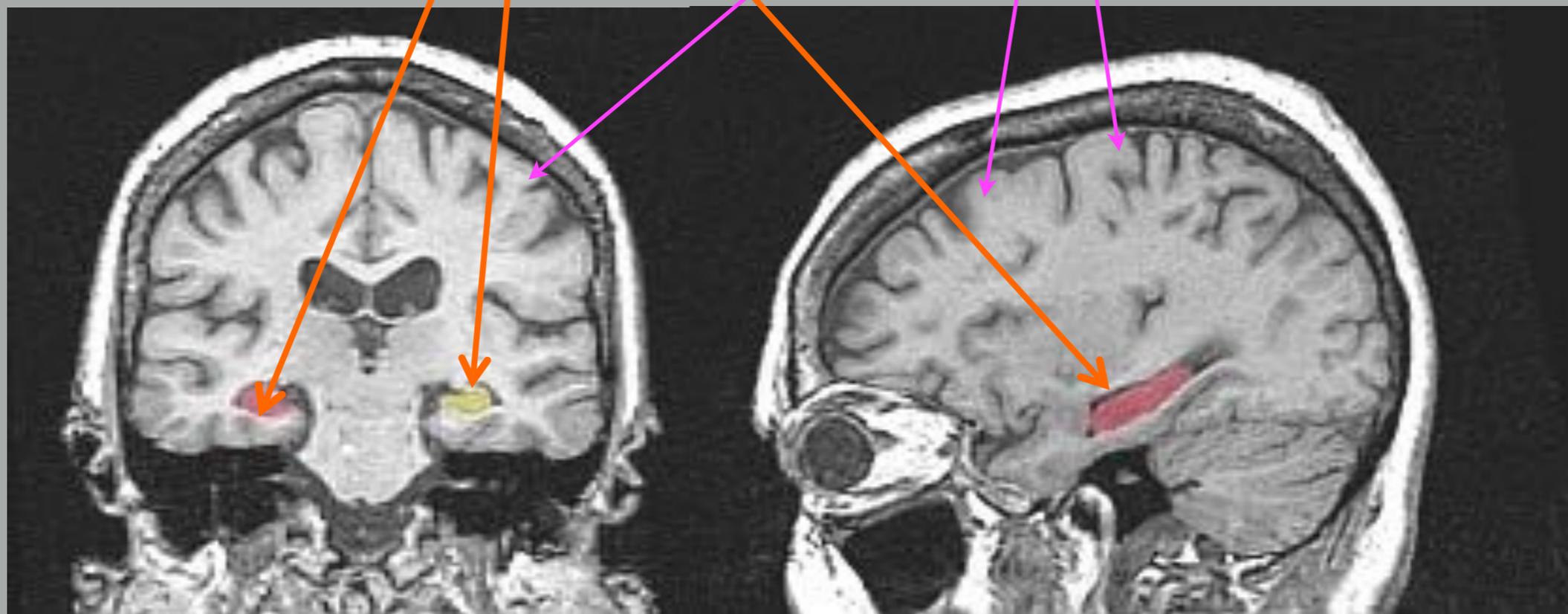
Language and Semantic Memory
Executive Functions / Attention



Visuospatial / Constructional Ability

Morphological Changes

Amnesic MCI group had significantly smaller hippocampal volumes and cortical thinning



Alzheimer's

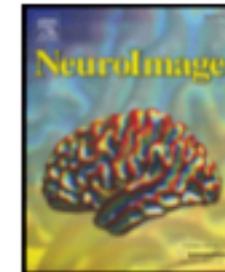
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Decreased white matter integrity in late-myelinating fiber pathways in Alzheimer's disease supports retrogenesis

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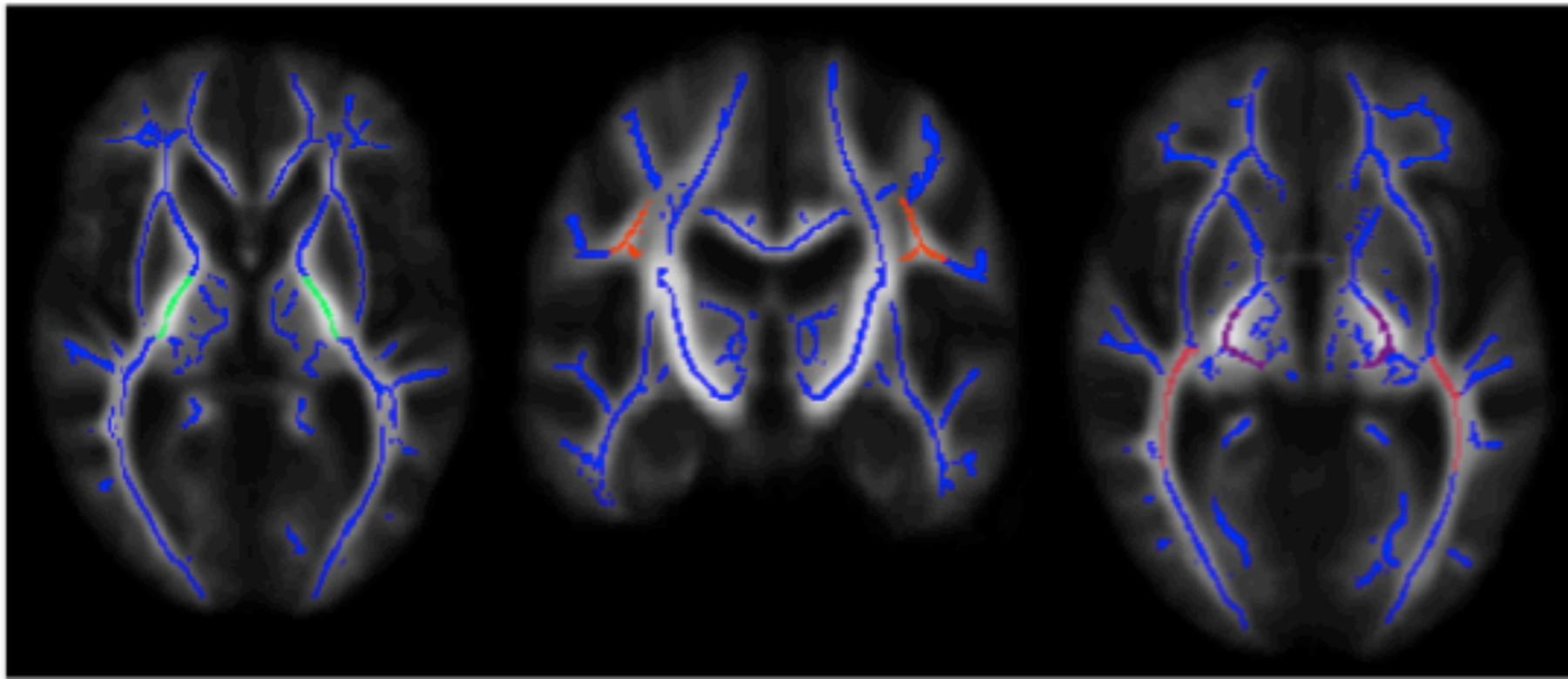


Fig. 1. Regions of interest: posterior limb of the internal capsule (in green), superior longitudinal fasciculus (in orange), cerebral peduncles (in purple), and inferior longitudinal fasciculus (in pink) overlaid on mean FA skeleton (in blue). The left hemisphere of the brain corresponds to the right side of the image.

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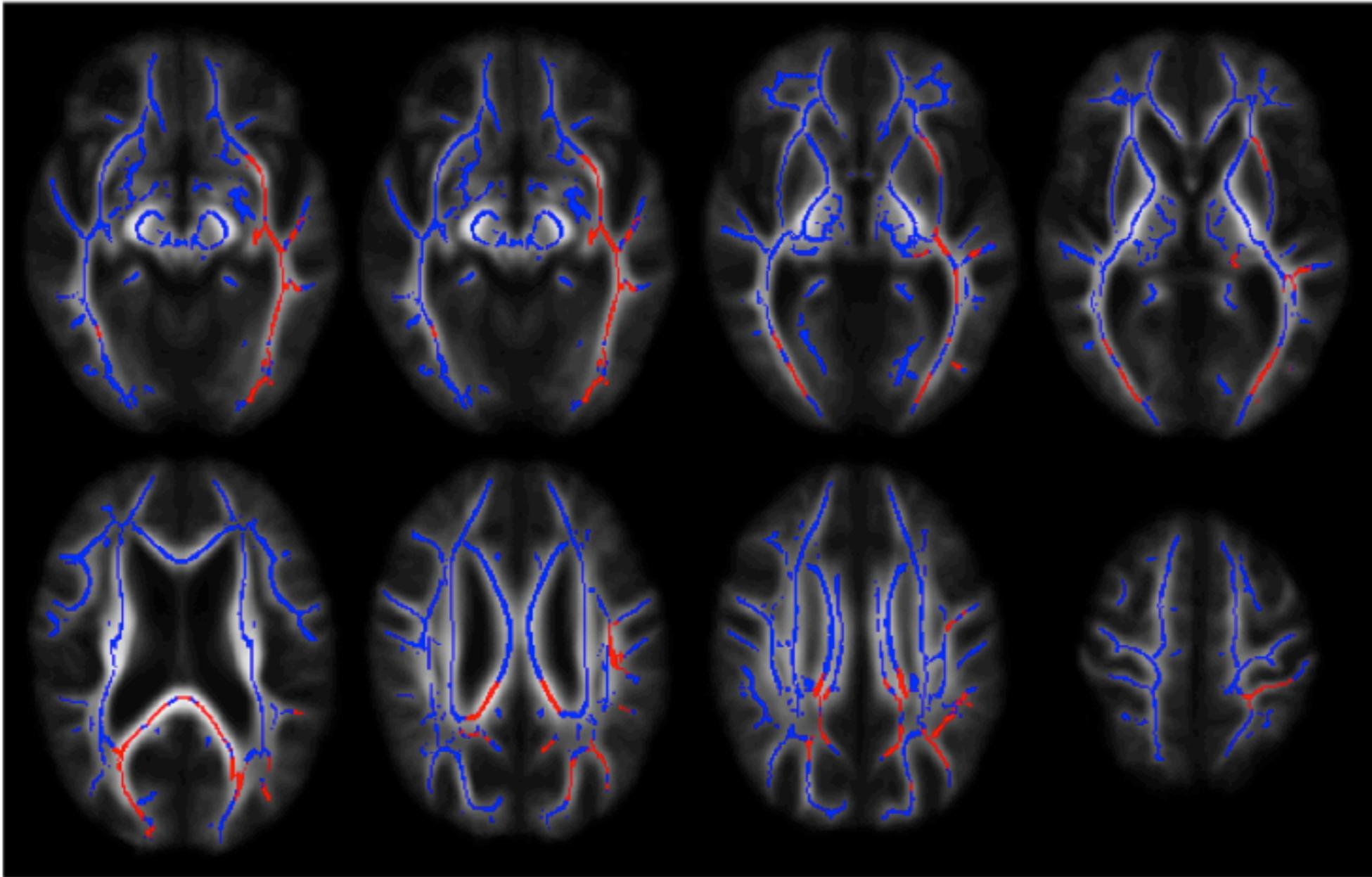


Fig. 2. Voxelwise group differences in the uncinate fasciculus, inferior longitudinal fasciculus, fornix, splenium, cingulum, forceps major and superior longitudinal fasciculus (in red) overlaid on mean FA skeleton (in blue). In all instances, AD patients demonstrated significantly lower fractional anisotropy values in the aforementioned regions. The left hemisphere of the brain corresponds to the right side of the image.

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Table 3

Average fractional anisotropy values for Alzheimer's disease (AD) patients and healthy normal control (NC) participants for each region of interest^a

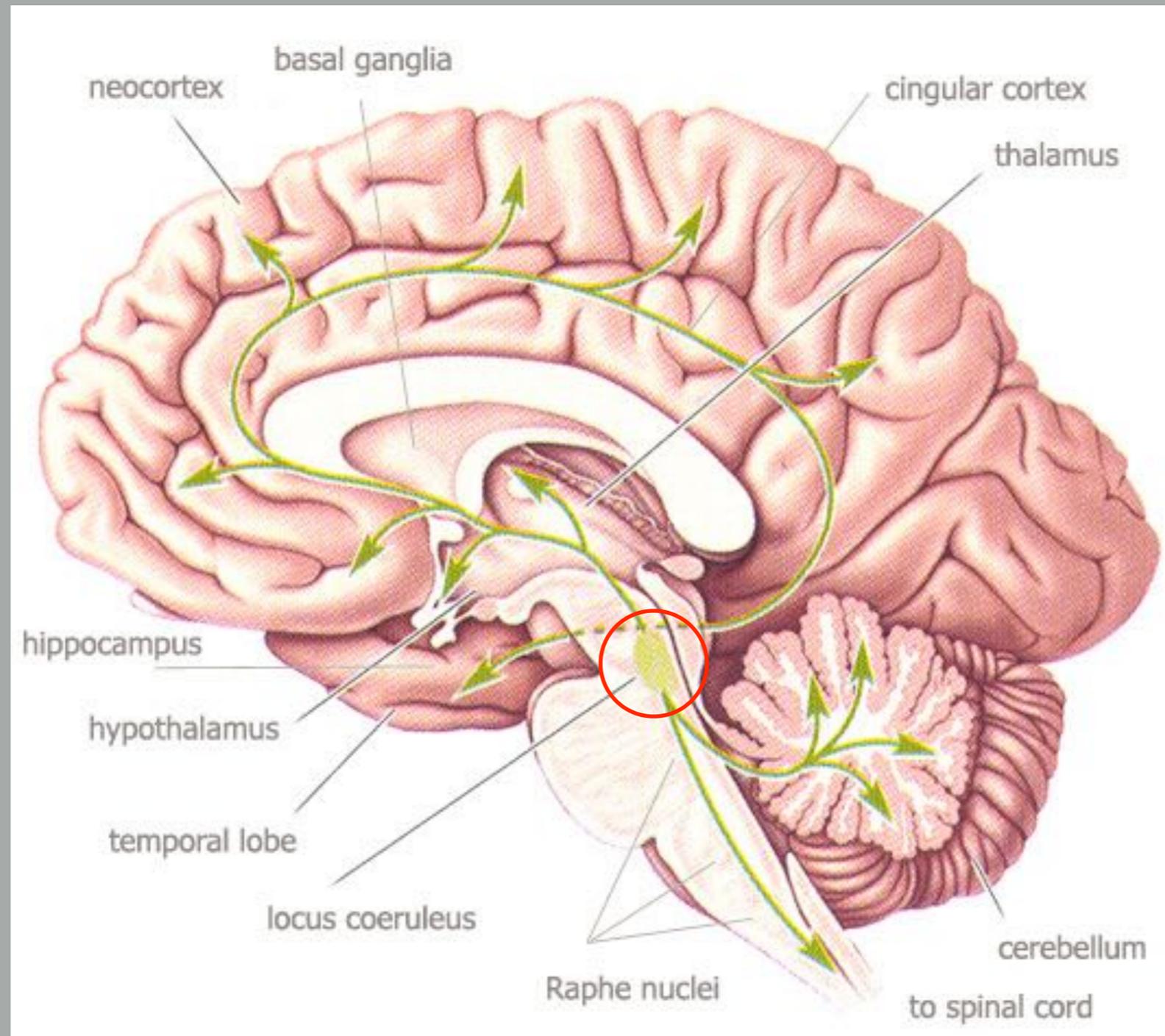
	NC n=14	AD n=16	p
Early-myelinating	.644 (.023)	.638 (.031)	.58
CP	.620 (.026)	.617 (.029)	.75
ICp	.667 (.028)	.659 (.039)	.52
Late-myelinating ^b	.435 (.027)	.414 (.028)	.04
SLF	.403 (.027)	.394 (.030)	.40
ILF ^b	.467 (.036)	.434 (.037)	.02

Note. CP=cerebral peduncles, ICp=posterior limb of the internal capsule, SLF=superior longitudinal fasciculus, ILF=inferior longitudinal fasciculus.

^a Mean (SD).

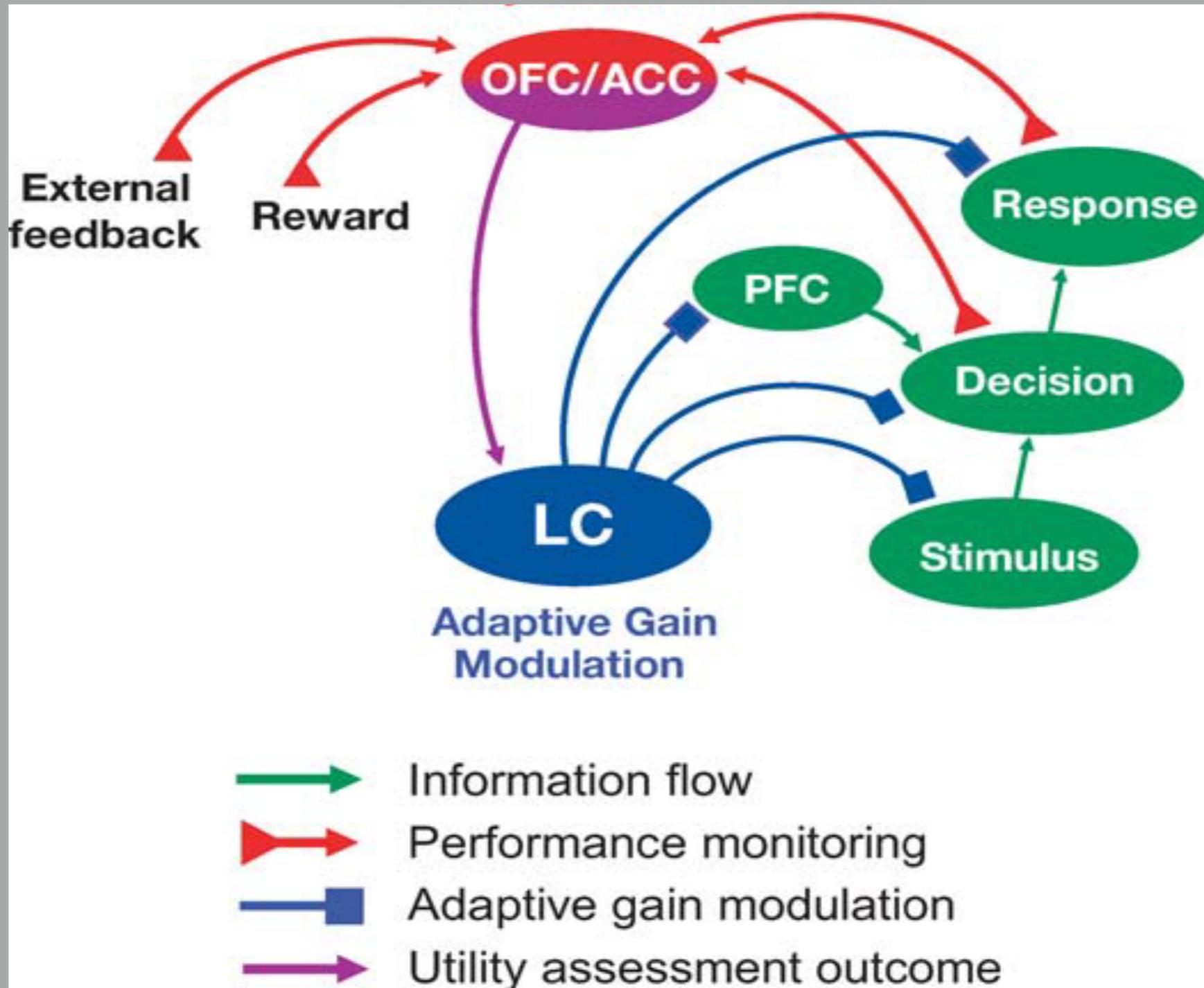
^b $p < .05$.

The Locus Ceruleus in AD



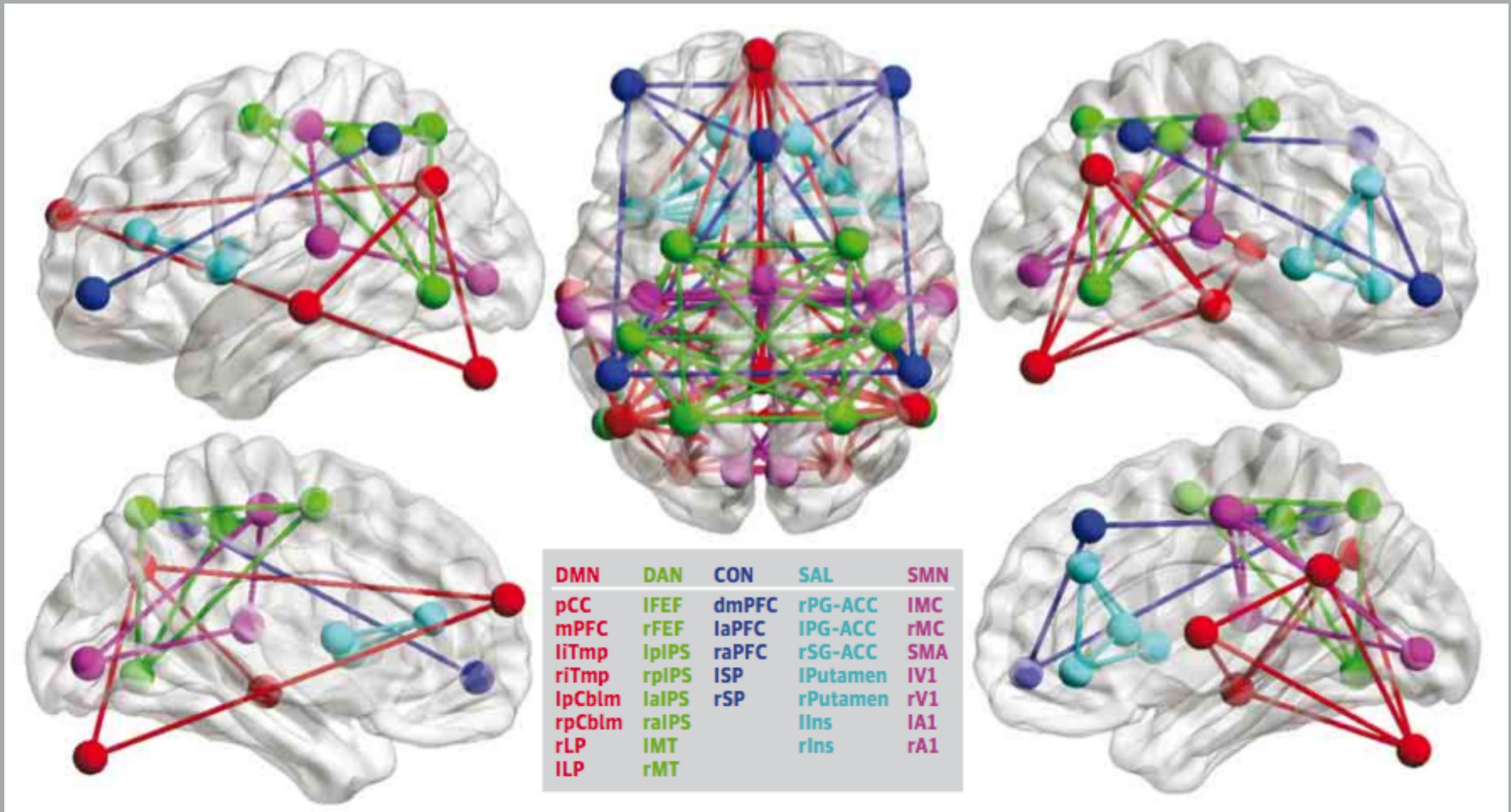
Efferent projections of the LC

Adaptive Gain Model Locus Coeruleus



Functional brain networks

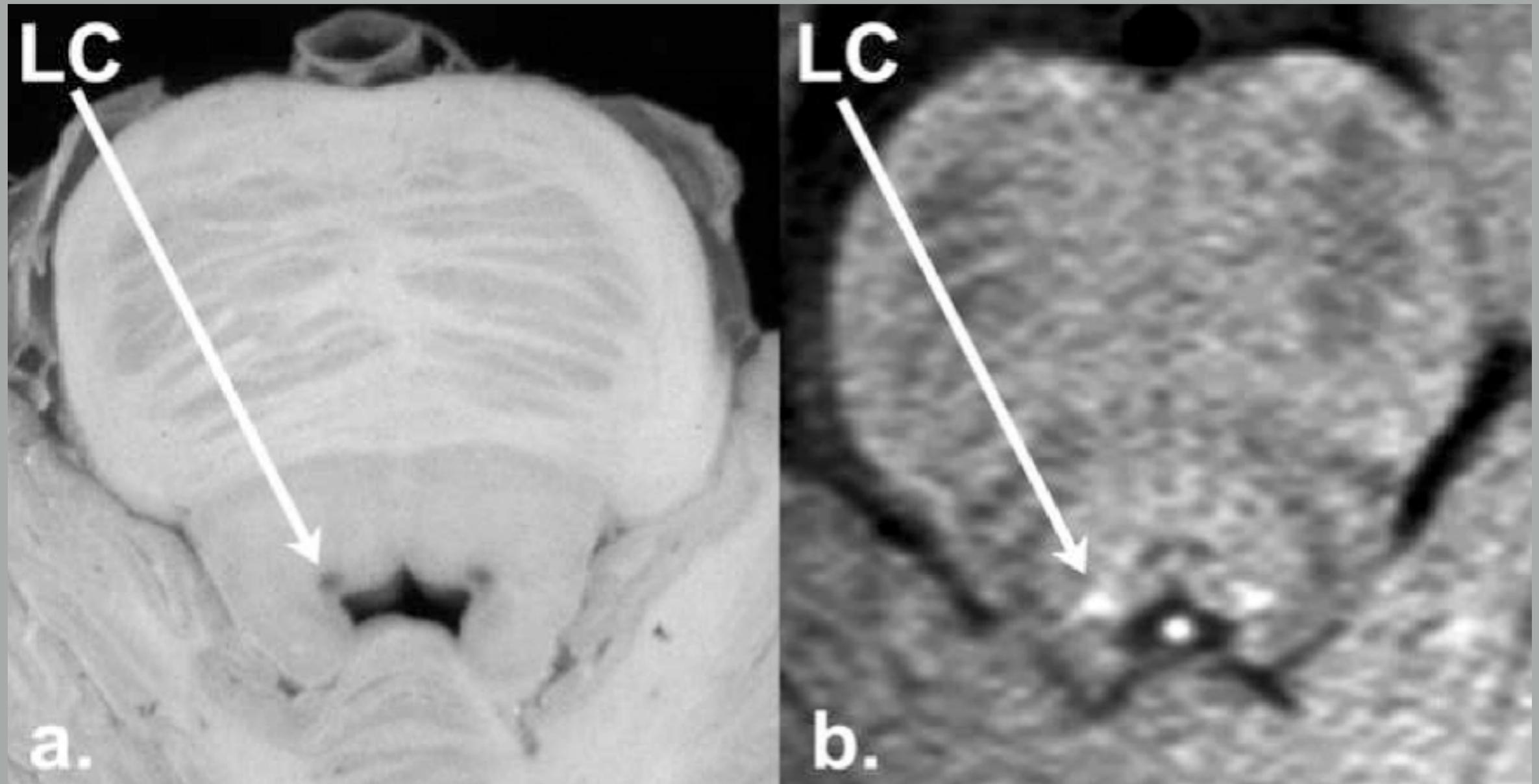
Functional networks important in AD



CON: executive control network
 DAN: dorsal attention network
 DMN: default mode network

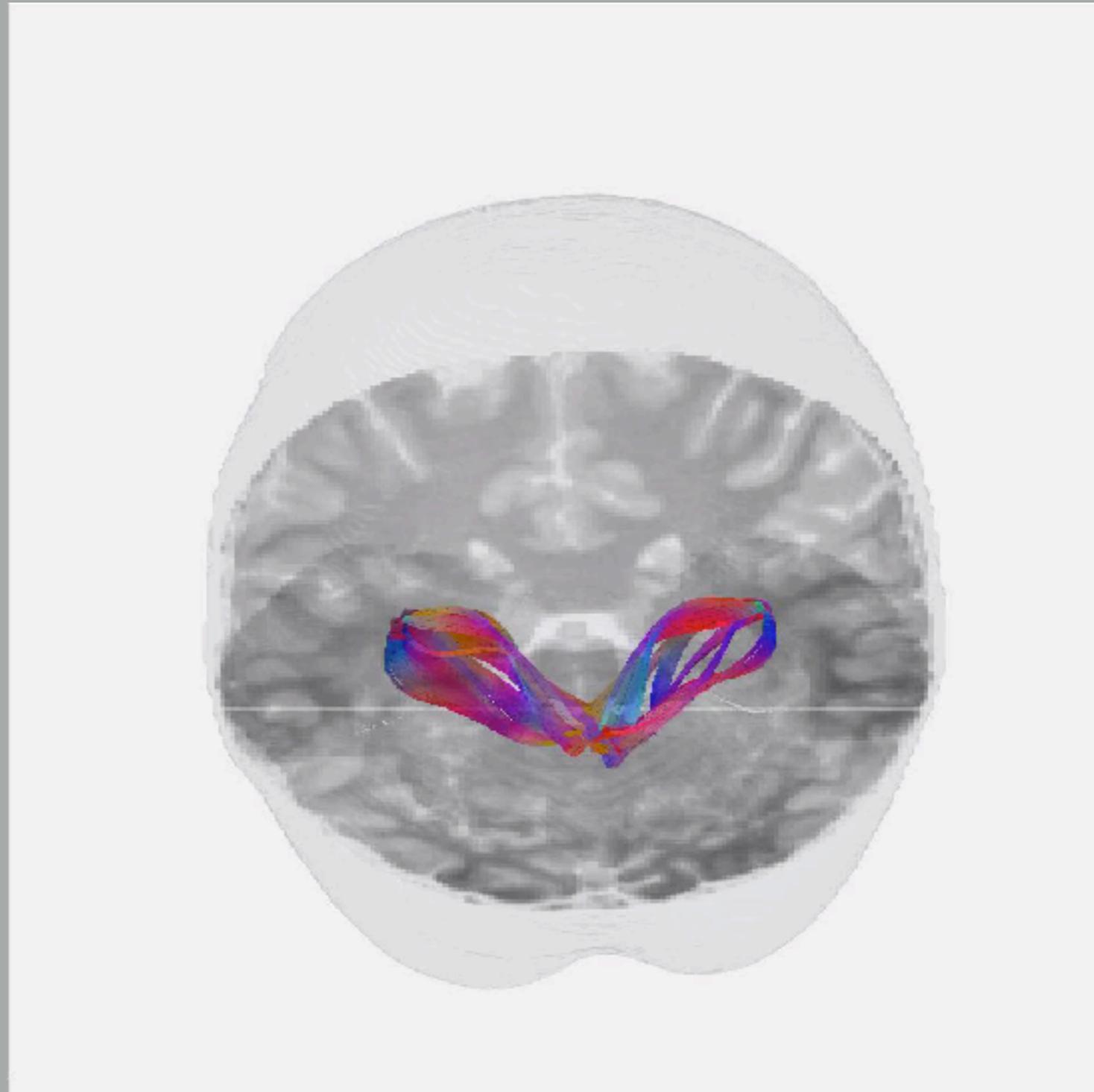
SAL: salience network
 SMN: sensorimotor network

Locus Coeruleus in Alzheimer's Disease



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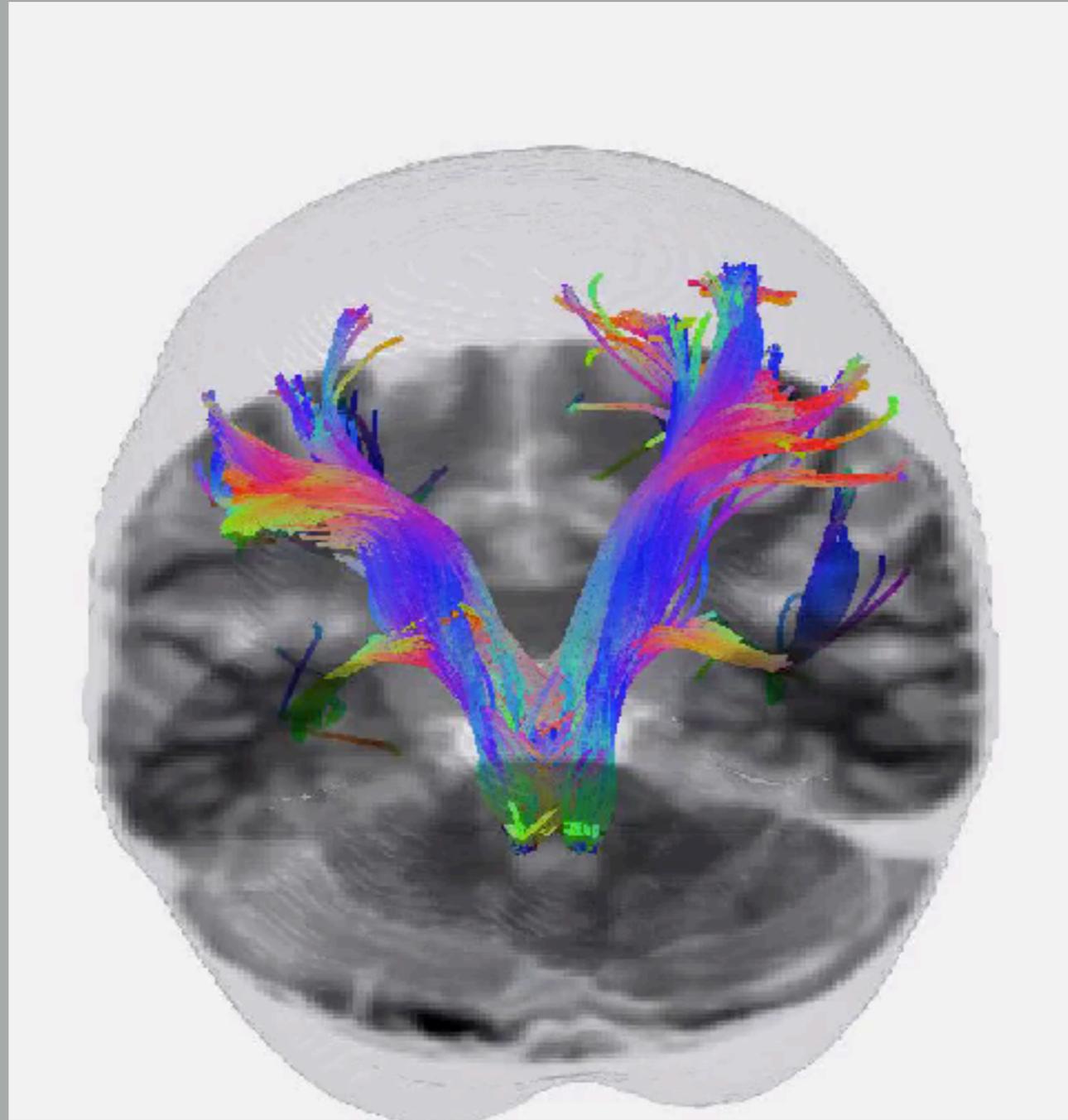
Locus Ceruleus Tractography



Temporal lobe projections

data from Dr Scott Sorg and Dr Mark Bondi

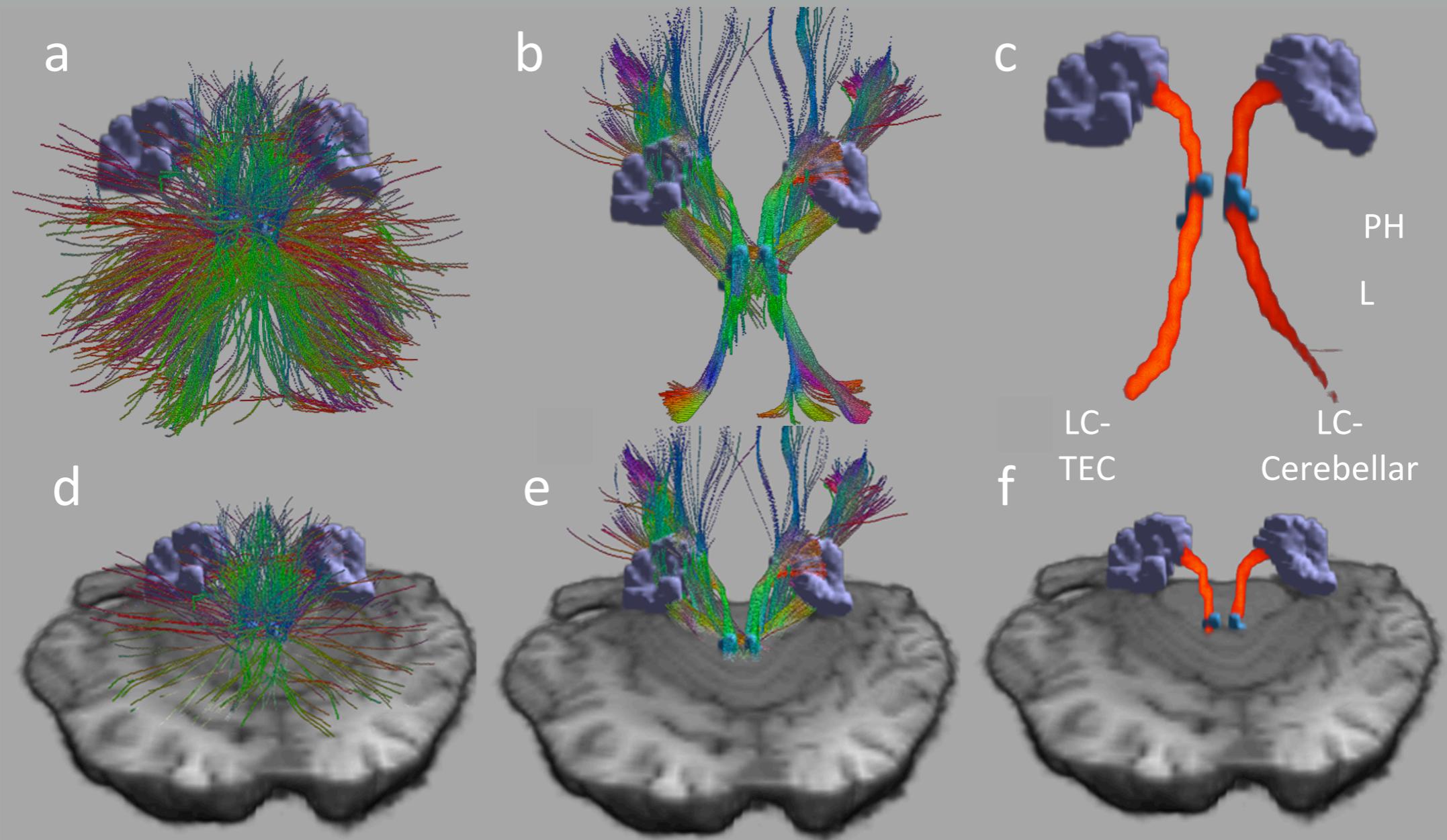
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GO-ESP TRACTOGRAPHY AND EMI IN LOCUS COERULEUS



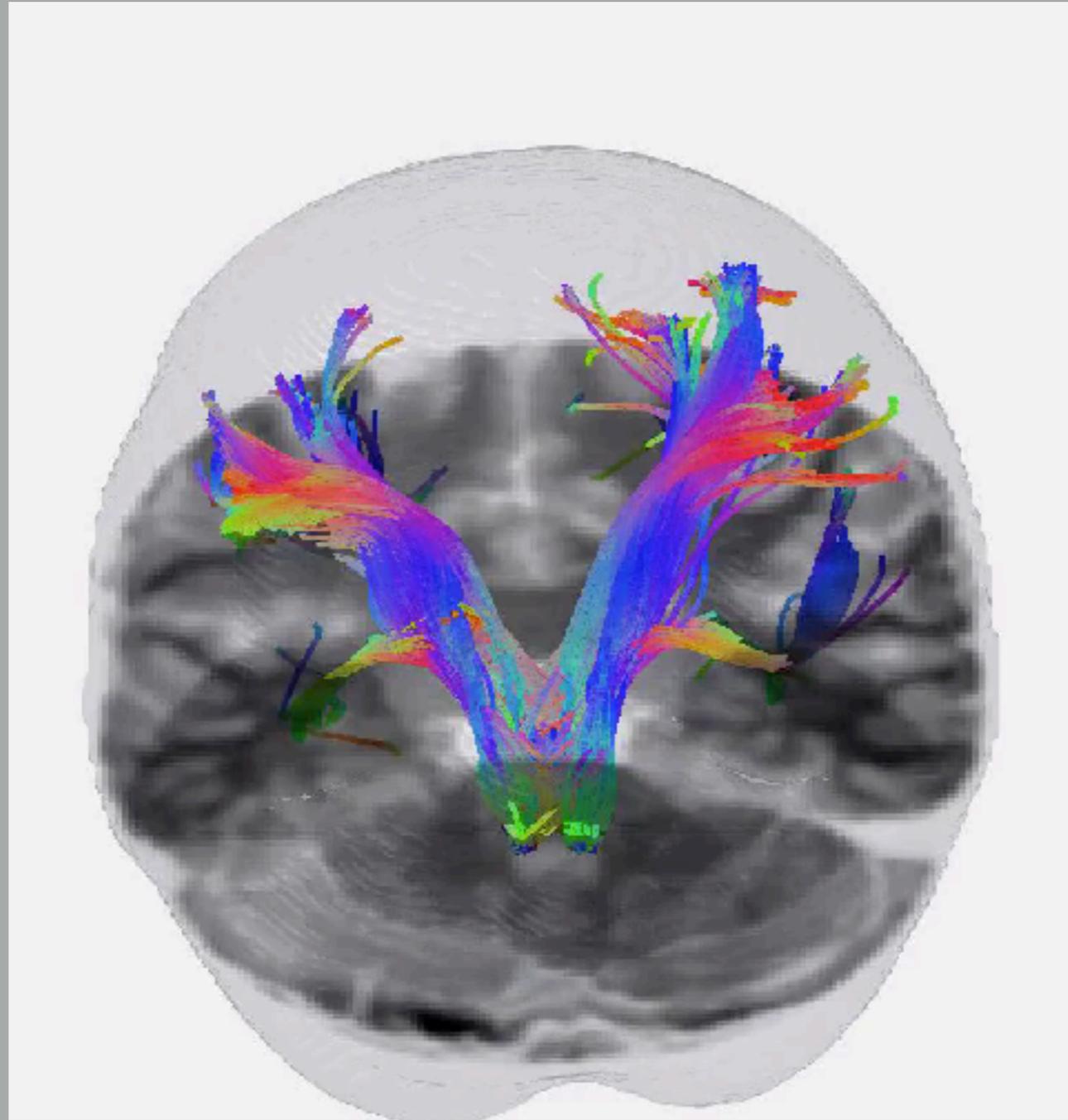
(a,d) Seed in LC, no target regions

(b,e) tracking restricted to LC and transentorhinal cortex (TEC)

(c,f) Highest probability pathway in (b,e)

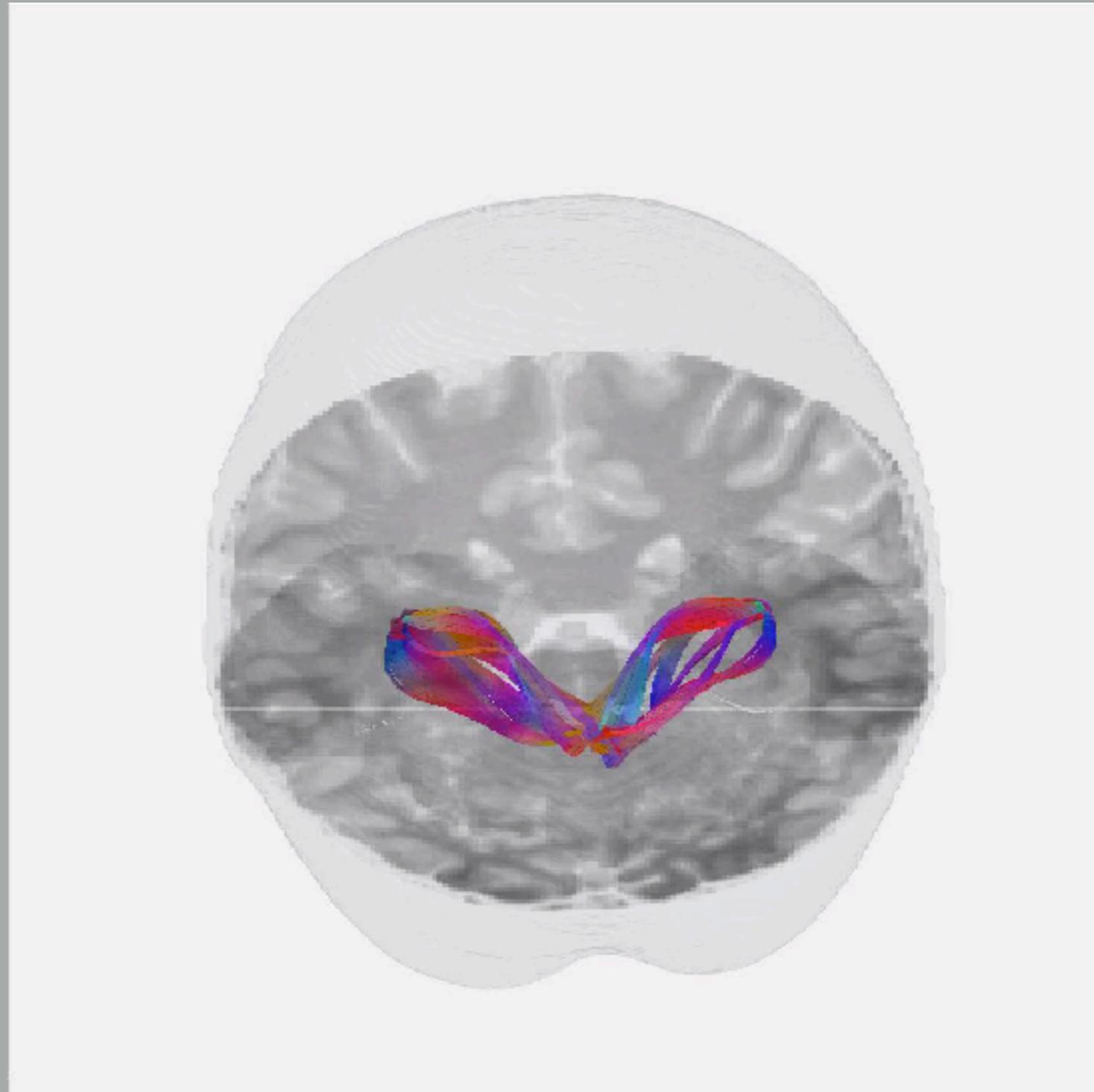
Application: Alzheimer's Disease

LC tractography



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