MAP: ABP and CBF/CVR

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1 Project Overview

1.1 Background

- Alzheimer's disease (AD) impairs short-term memory and affects one's ability to manage through daily life.
- Disease progresses from normal cognition through a stage of mild cognitive impairment (MCI) and finally to AD.
- Since there are currently no treatments for AD, research focuses on prevention and early detection so that effective strategies may be implemented once treatments are available.
- Cardiovascular measures may be associated with and useful in identifying early symptoms of AD.
- Cerebral vascular reactivity (CVR), possibly useful in early identification of patients at risk for AD, is a
 measurement of the change in cerebral blood flow when the vascular system is challenged by presence of carbon
 dioxide.
- The current project goal is to determine if there is an association between cardiovascular measures (based on ambulatory monitoring of systolic blood pressure) and cerebral vascular reactivity.

1.2 Project Goals

Primary Aim

- Characterize the associations between ambulatory blood pressure (ABP) monitoring measurements and cerebral vascular reactivity.
- Hypothesis: Patients with abnormal variability or surge patterns will be associated with decreased CVR.

Secondary Aim

• Investigate which ABP predictor is most predictive of cognitive function, as measured by CVR.

1.3 Relevant Variables

Outcomes: CVR measures for different regions of interest within the brain, derived from MRI scans.

- asl.reac.left.hemisphere.hct
- asl.reac.right.hemisphere.hct
- asl.reac.left.frontal.lobe.hct
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- asl.reac.left.temporal.lobe.hct
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- asl.reac.left.parietal.lobe.hct
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Predictors: ABP measurements

- systolic.prewaking.surge: Mean SBP in two hours after self-reported wake time minus mean SBP in two hours prior to self-reported wake time
- systolic.rising.surge: First SBP reading after self-reported wake time minus last SBP before self-reported wake time
- nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported: Mean SBP during self-reported wake time minus mean SBP from self-reported asleep time

Model Covariates

Variables corresponding to some comorbidities were not adjusted for in models due to low prevalence in the analyzed data (see section 3).

- age
- education
- sex.factor
- enrolled.dx.factor: diagnosis group (dementia excluded)
 - Normal
 - MCI
 - Ambiguous at risk
- raceethnicity.factor
- apoe4pos.factor
- htnrx.factor

Regional brain volume variables

Models for outcome in a given region are controlled for the corresponding variable for brain volume in that region

- ma.left.hemisphere.vol
- ma.right.hemisphere.vol
- ma.left.frontal.lobe.vol
- ma.right.frontal.lobe.vol
- ma.frontal.lobe.vol
- ma.left.occipital.lobe.vol
- ma.right.occipital.lobe.vol
- ma.occipital.lobe.vol
- ma.left.temporal.lobe.vol
- ma.right.temporal.lobe.vol
- ma.temporal.lobe.vol
- ma.left.parietal.lobe.vol
- ma.right.parietal.lobe.vol
- ma.parietal.lobe.vol

2 Statistical Analysis Plan

2.1 Primary Aim: CVR-ABP Association

- Cross-sectional analysis of patients from the Memory and Aging Project, conducted by the Vanderbilt Memory and Alzheimer's Center.
- Ordinary least squares regression models for each of the 14 CVR outcomes against each of the 3 ABP variables (42 models), controlling for covariates listed in section 1.3.
- To allow for a non-linear relationship between CVR outcomes and ABP predictors, we model ABP as a restricted cubic spline with 3 knots.
- Knots are placed at 0 and interquartile range values (25th and 75th percentiles) of the positive ABP values to capture abnormal values (e.g. negative ABP surge measurements) and patients at the low and high ends of positive ABP values.
- Wald tests for overall association and linearity of ABP measurements are performed
- Present partial effect plots for each ABP-CVR outcome pair: effect of ABP holding all other covariates constant.
- Use multiple imputation to recover missing data in ABP predictors.

2.2 Secondary Aim: Predictive Power of ABP

- Compare R^2 between the models fit for the primary aim.
- Higher \mathbb{R}^2 indicates that the model better explains variability/trends in CVR outcomes.
- Present correlation matrix between ABP predictors and CVR outcomes.

2.3 Sensitivity Analyses

- Graphically compare of observed and imputed values for ABP measurements to ensure distributions are consistent.
- Fit a linear association between ABP and CVR outcomes.

3 Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria

- Exclude patients with dementia at baseline
 - enrolled.dx.factor, exclude = "Dementia", $n = 1 \pmod{112}$
- · Quality check
 - asl.reac.usuable, exclude = 0, n = 112
- At least 39 readings
 - time.reading.indicator, exclude = "No" or NA, n = 49

Excluded vs. Included Patients

- The following table displays all of the descriptive statistics for the excluded patients versus the patients in the analysis.
- Continuous variables have a mean (standard deviation), and discrete variables have a count (percentage).
- The p-value for the univariate comparison of the each variable between the excluded and included patients is presented. Kruskal-Wallis tests are used for continuous variables and Chi-square tests for categorical.
- A significant p-value (< 0.05) indicates that the excluded and included populations are significantly different for that variable.
- Some Chi-square approximations may be inaccurate due to low counts in certain groups.

Table 1: Comparison of Demographics for Excluded and Included Data

| Variable | Excluded N=162 | Analyzed Data N=174 | P-Value |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Diff. in mean SBP, wake - sleep, self-reported periods | 14.5 (10.5) | 13.4 (9.4) | 0.6075 |
| systolic.post.wake.mean minus systolic.pre.wake.mean | 11.1 (12.3) | 12.3 (12.2) | 0.4331 |
| systolic.post.wake.1 minus systolic.pre.wake.1 | 8.6 (14.2) | 8.4 (13.6) | 0.8162 |
| ICV (calculated) | 1403.7 (144.4) | 1364.9 (138.4) | 0.0102 0.0247 |
| Education (years) | 16.3 (2.6) | 15.5 (2.6) | 0.0095 |
| Age at medhx.date, recalculated | 73.1 (7.5) | 72.7 (7.1) | 0.6214 |
| Sex | 10.1 (1.0) | 12.1 (1.1) | 0.0103 |
| - Male | 108 (67%) | 91 (52%) | 0.0200 |
| - Female | 54 (33%) | 83 (48%) | |
| Two-level race/ethnicity | 01 (00/0) | 00 (1070) | 0.3688 |
| - Non-Hispanic White | 137 (85%) | 154 (89%) | 0.0000 |
| - Other | 25 (15%) | 20 (11%) | |
| ApoE4+ (at least one E4 allele) | 20 (1070) | 20 (11/0) | 0.7182 |
| - Yes | 58 (36%) | 58 (33%) | 0.1102 |
| - No | 104 (64%) | 116 (67%) | |
| Consensus Decision for Diagnosis | 101 (01/0) | 110 (0170) | 0.1202 |
| - Normal | 75 (46%) | 101 (58%) | 0.1202 |
| - MCI | 70 (43%) | 62 (36%) | |
| - Dementia | 1 (1%) | 0 (0%) | |
| - Ambiguous At Risk | 16 (10%) | 11 (6%) | |
| Taking at least 1 anti-hypertensive med | 10 (10/0) | 11 (070) | 0.622 |
| - Yes | 85 (52%) | 97 (56%) | 0.022 |
| - No | 77 (48%) | 77 (44%) | |
| Diabetic, determined by a1c, glucose, and/or rx | (10/0) | (11/0) | 0.1947 |
| - Yes | 35 (22%) | 27 (16%) | 0.101. |
| - No | 127 (78%) | 147 (84%) | |
| Current smoker (or quit in this or last calendar yr) | 121 (1070) | 111 (01/0) | 0.3898 |
| - Yes | 5 (3%) | 2 (1%) | 0.0000 |
| - No | 157 (97%) | 172 (99%) | |
| CVD, determined from variables in med hx | 101 (0170) | 112 (0070) | 0.622 |
| - Yes | 4 (2%) | 7 (4%) | 0.022 |
| - No | 158 (98%) | 167 (96%) | |
| A-fib, determined by med hx and/or echo and/or cmr rhythm | | 101 (00/0) | 1 |
| - Yes | 9 (6%) | 10 (6%) | - |
| - No | 151 (93%) | 164 (94%) | |
| LV hypertrophy, determined by sex and scaled LV mass | 101 (00/0) | 101 (01/0) | 0.6958 |
| - Yes | 9 (6%) | 7 (4%) | 0.0000 |
| - No | 153 (94%) | 166 (95%) | |

- Method for exclusion may not be random. Patients with a larger intracranial volume were unable to fit into the equipment to gather the readings.
- It follows that more men were excluded since men tend to be larger in general.
- Included patients have a lower education level, though the difference is not large and may not be meaningful (mean difference: 0.74 years).

4 Descriptive Statistics

4.1 All Variables by Diagnosis

In the following table:

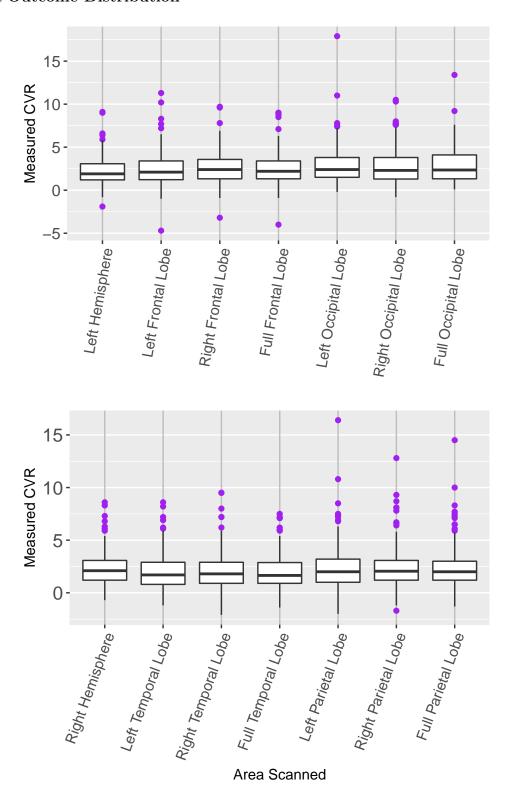
- Continuous variables have a mean (standard deviation), and discrete variables have a count (percentage).
- The p-value (significance < 0.05) for the univariate comparison of the each variable between the diagnosis groups is presented. Kruskal-Wallis tests are used for continuous variables and Chi-square tests for categorical.
- Some Chi-square approximations may be inaccurate due to low counts in certain groups.

Table 2: Comparison of Demographics by Consensus Diagnosis (N = 174)

| Variable Variable | Normal N=101 | MCI N=62 | Ambiguous At-Risk N=11 | P-value |
|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------------------|---------|
| nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported | 15.3 (9.4) | 9.5 (8.7) | 17.7 (6.2) | 3e-04 |
| systolic.prewaking.surge | 14.1 (12.9) | 8.9 (10.3) | 12.4 (11.9) | 0.0529 |
| systolic.rising.surge | $11.4\ (12.9)$ | 3.7(12.5) | 4.9 (18.7) | 0.0011 |
| ICV (calculated) | 1369.2 (140) | 1345.9 (135.9) | 1431.9 (122.9) | 0.1649 |
| Education (years) | 16.1 (2.4) | 14.6 (2.6) | 15.5 (3.3) | 0.0021 |
| Age at medhx.date, recalculated | 72.6~(7.3) | $73.2\ (7.2)$ | 71.4~(4.8) | 0.743 |
| Sex | , | , | , | 0.7049 |
| – Male | 53 (52%) | 31 (50%) | 7 (64%) | |
| - Female | 48 (48%) | 31 (50%) | 4 (36%) | |
| Two-level race/ethnicity | , | , | , | 0.896 |
| - Non-Hispanic White | 90 (89%) | 54 (87%) | 10 (91%) | |
| - Other | 11 (11%) | 8 (13%) | 1 (9%) | |
| ApoE4+ (at least one E4 allele) | , | , | , | 0.5298 |
| - Yes | 34 (34%) | 22 (35%) | 2 (18%) | |
| – No | 67 (66%) | 40 (65%) | 9 (82%) | |
| Taking at least 1 anti-hypertensive med | , | , | , | 0.9005 |
| - Yes | 55 (54%) | 36 (58%) | 6 (55%) | |
| - No | 46 (46%) | 26 (42%) | 5 (45%) | |
| Diabetic, determined by a1c, glucose, and/or rx | , | , | , | 0.0863 |
| - Yes | 12 (12%) | 11 (18%) | 4 (36%) | |
| - No | 89 (88%) | 51 (82%) | 7 (64%) | |
| Current smoker (or quit in this or last calendar yr) | , | , | , | 0.1608 |
| - Yes | 0 (0%) | 2(3%) | 0 (0%) | |
| – No | 101 (100%) | 60 (97%) | 11 (100%) | |
| CVD, determined from variables in med hx | (, , , | () | () | 0.6743 |
| - Yes | 5 (5%) | 2(3%) | 0 (0%) | |
| – No | 96 (95%) | 60 (97%) | 11 (100%) | |
| A-fib, determined by med hx and/or echo and/or cmr rhythm | (' ' ' ' ' | () | () | 0.1502 |
| - Yes | 4 (4%) | 4 (6%) | 2 (18%) | |
| - No | 97 (96%) | 58 (94%) | 9 (82%) | |
| LV hypertrophy, determined by sex and scaled LV mass | , | ` , | ` / | 0.576 |
| - Yes | 3 (3%) | 3 (5%) | 1 (9%) | |
| - No | 97 (96%) | 59 (95%) | 10 (91%) | |

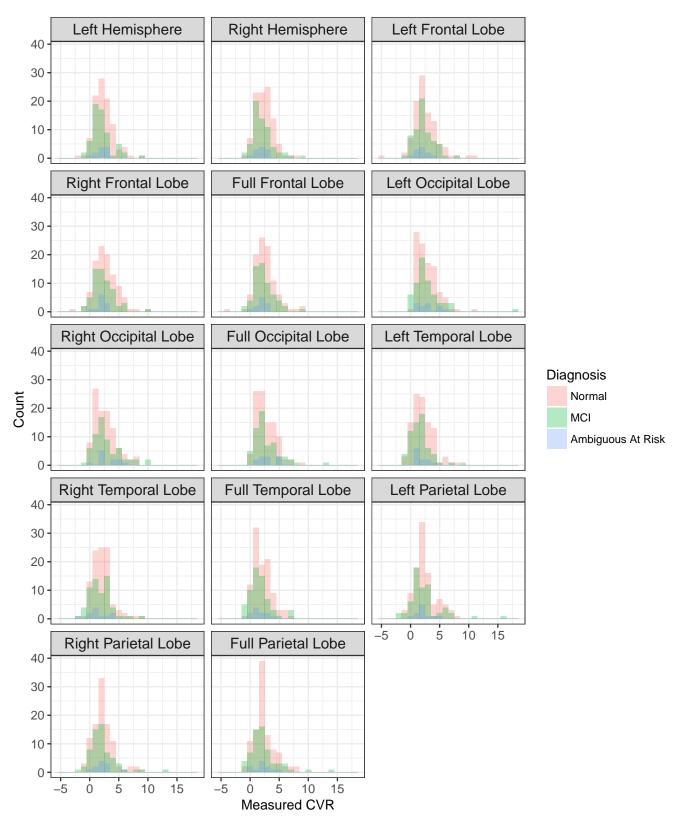
- Patients diagnosed with MCI appear to have some lower ABP measurements. However, these are all univariate relationships; these trends may not hold in the adjusted analyses.
- We also see a difference in education level, with the apparent ordering of highest average years of education to lowest being Normal, Ambiguous At-Risk, then MCI.

4.2 CVR Outcome Distribution



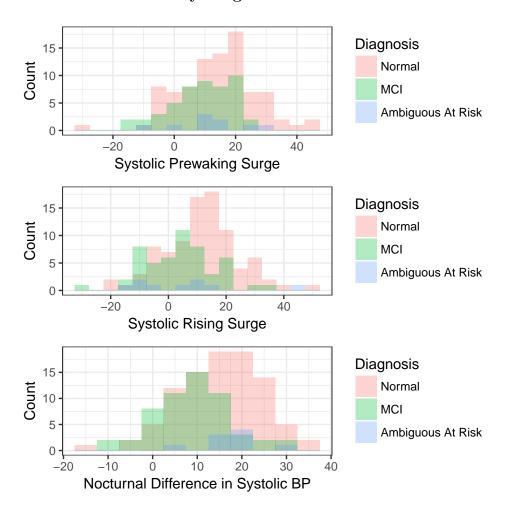
- Most of the outliers are for larger values of CVR.
- Outliers within each part of the brain are likely highly correlated. If a patient is an outlier for left frontal lobe, then she may be an outlier for the right side as well.
 - E.g. The low outliers of the frontal lobe regions: which are all from the patient with map.id = 034.

4.3 Distribution of CVR Outcomes by Diagnosis



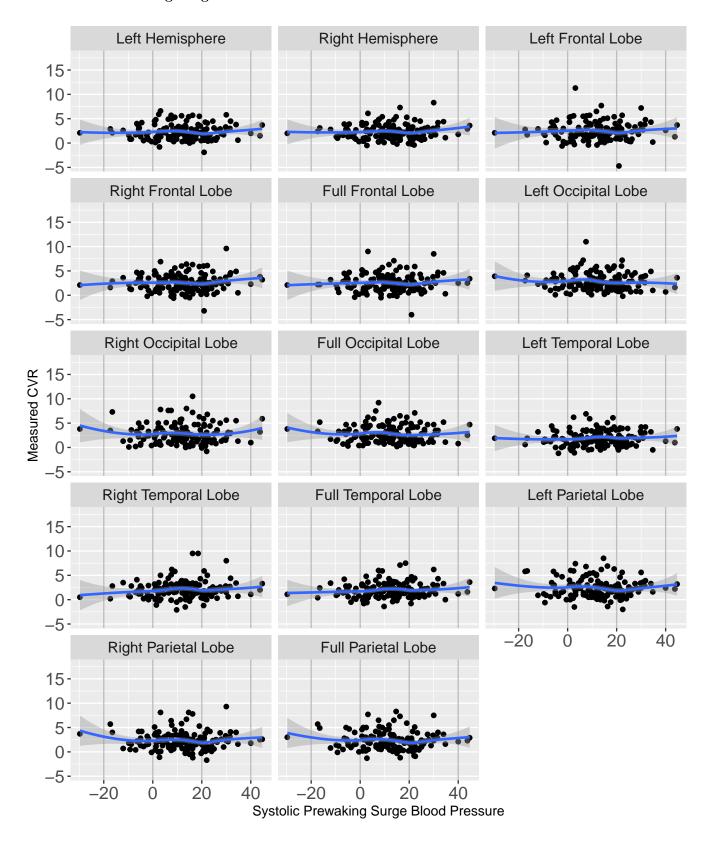
• Positive outliers in MCI group for some CVR outcomes.

4.4 ABP Measure Distribution by Diagnosis

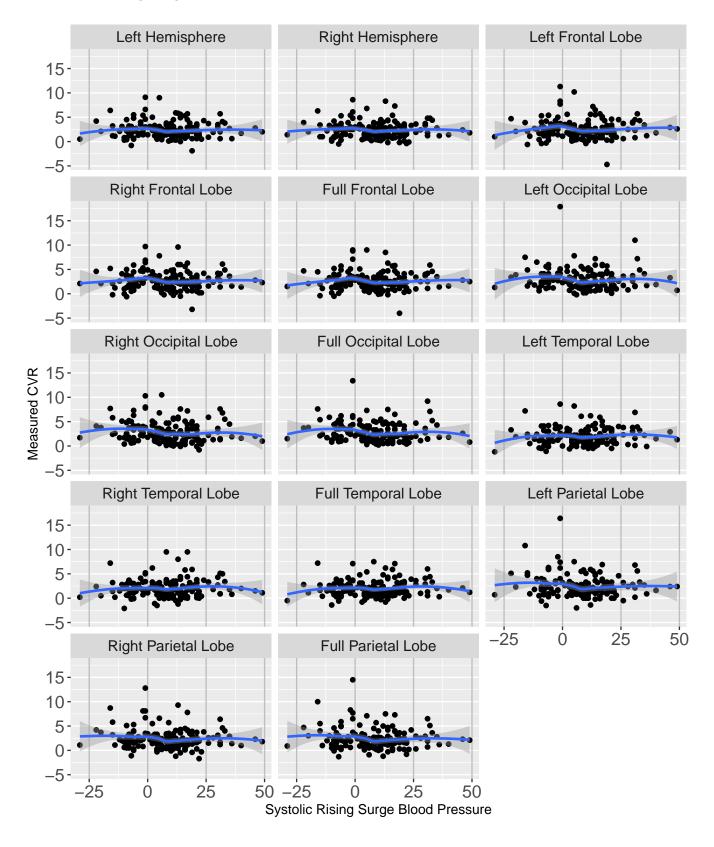


4.5 Unadjusted ABP-CVR Associations

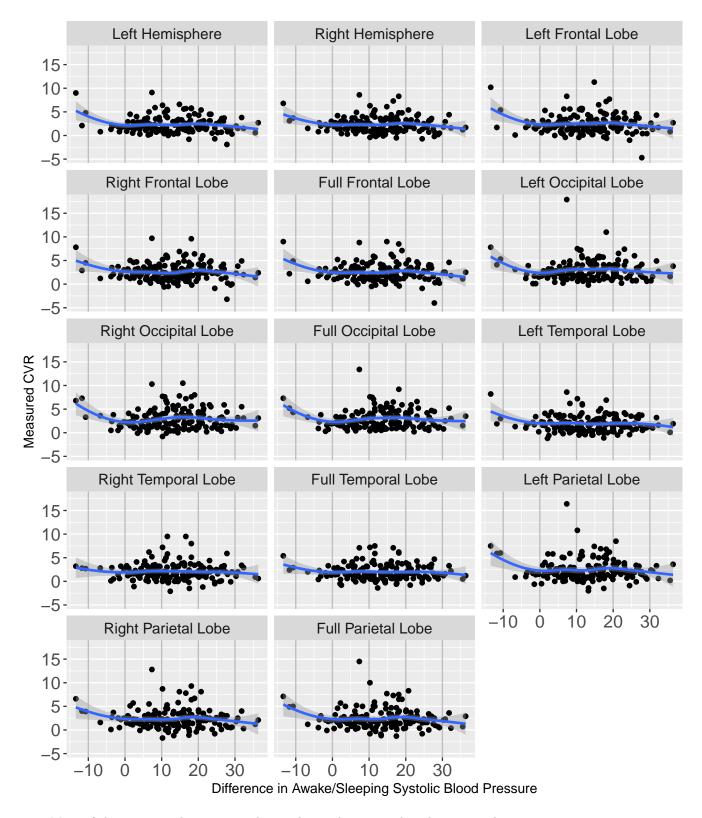
4.5.1 SBP Prewaking Surge



4.5.2 SBP Rising Surge



4.5.3 Nocturnal Decline in SBP



- Most of the outcomes have no trend over the predictors, with a slope around 0.
- The plots for nocturnal difference in systolic blood pressure has a slight downward slope on the left hand side (where data are very sparse).
- Univariate trends may not hold in the adjusted analyses.

5 Analysis Results

5.1 Missing Data

Table 3: Variables with Missing Observations

| Variable | Missingness |
|--|------------------|
| LV hypertrophy, determined by sex and scaled LV mass | 1 (0.57%) |
| systolic.rising.surge | $23 \ (13.22\%)$ |
| systolic.prewaking.surge | 27 (15.52%) |
| nocturnal. systolic. diff. sleep. self. reported | 15~(8.62%) |

- LV hypertrophy not included as a covariate
- For this analysis: only missing data on the ABP measurements
- Implement multiple imputation using predictive mean matching

5.2 CVR Outcome Models

Table 4: Coefficients for ABP with CVR: ABP Modeled as Restricted Cubic Spline with 3 Knots

| | Systolic Prewaking Surge | Systolic Rising Surge | Nocturnal SBP Difference |
|----------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Left Hemisphere | (-0.011,0.004) | (-0.023,0.03) | (-0.052, 0.033) |
| Right Hemisphere | (-0.017, 0.023) | (-0.025, 0.031) | (-0.041, 0.021) |
| Left Frontal Lobe | (-0.011, 0.01) | (-0.026, 0.038) | (-0.053, 0.031) |
| Right Frontal Lobe | (-0.023, 0.037) | (-0.026, 0.031) | (-0.056, 0.039) |
| Full Frontal Lobe | (-0.016, 0.023) | (-0.025, 0.034) | (-0.053, 0.034) |
| Left Occipital Lobe | (-0.008, -0.019) | (-0.044, 0.053) | (-0.018, 0.005) |
| Right Occipital Lobe | (-0.021, 0.02) | (-0.043, 0.038) | (-0.03, 0.033) |
| Full Occipital Lobe | (-0.013, -0.001) | (-0.044, 0.048) | (-0.024, 0.02) |
| Left Temporal Lobe | (0.007, -0.013) | (-0.009, 0.019) | (-0.055, 0.044) |
| Right Temporal Lobe | (0.019, -0.019) | (-0.004, 0.015) | (0.007, -0.027) |
| Full Temporal Lobe | (0.012, -0.015) | (-0.006, 0.016) | (-0.023, 0.008) |
| Left Parietal Lobe | (-0.037,0.028) | (-0.058, 0.067) | (-0.057, 0.041) |
| Right Parietal Lobe | (-0.042, 0.045) | (-0.048, 0.059) | (-0.056, 0.039) |
| Full Parietal Lobe | (-0.039,0.036) | (-0.054,0.064) | (-0.055, 0.038) |

• Since we are using 3 knots, each ABP variable has 2 associated coefficients

Note: Coefficients from fitting a restricted cubic spline are not directly interpretable regarding effect on the CVR measurements in each region of interest. Rather than interpreting the table above, we provide:

- results for tests of overall association between ABP and CVR measurements ("overall" meaning using all coefficients affiliated with each ABP variable).
- partial effect plots as a visual representation of ABP effect on CVR for each model.

5.3 Test of Association between ABP and CVR

Table 5: P-values for Test of Association Between ABP and CVR

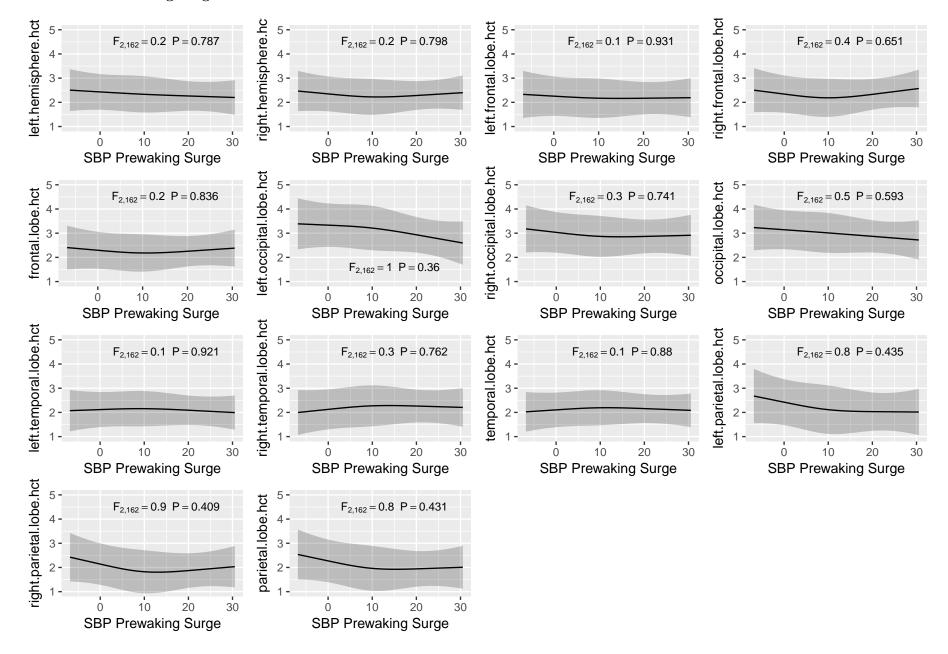
| | SBP Prewaking Surge | SBP Rising Surge | Nocturnal SBP Difference |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| Left Hemisphere | 0.787 | 0.494 | 0.215 |
| Right Hemisphere | 0.798 | 0.425 | 0.280 |
| Left Frontal Lobe | 0.931 | 0.495 | 0.243 |
| Right Frontal Lobe | 0.651 | 0.474 | 0.256 |
| Full Frontal Lobe | 0.836 | 0.481 | 0.246 |
| Left Occipital Lobe | 0.360 | 0.200 | 0.745 |
| Right Occipital Lobe | 0.741 | 0.148 | 0.808 |
| Full Occipital Lobe | 0.593 | 0.136 | 0.812 |
| Left Temporal Lobe | 0.921 | 0.791 | 0.250 |
| Right Temporal Lobe | 0.762 | 0.812 | 0.624 |
| Full Temporal Lobe | 0.880 | 0.793 | 0.537 |
| Left Parietal Lobe | 0.435 | 0.104 | 0.430 |
| Right Parietal Lobe | 0.409 | 0.124 | 0.314 |
| Full Parietal Lobe | 0.431 | 0.089 | 0.370 |

- No significant p-values at the 0.05 level: Insufficient evidence that any of the ABP measurements have an effect on CVR in any brain region.
- Generally, we would recommend a multiple comparisons adjustment for fitting the 42 models (e.g. using a Bonferroni-corrected significance level of $\frac{.05}{42} = .0012$).

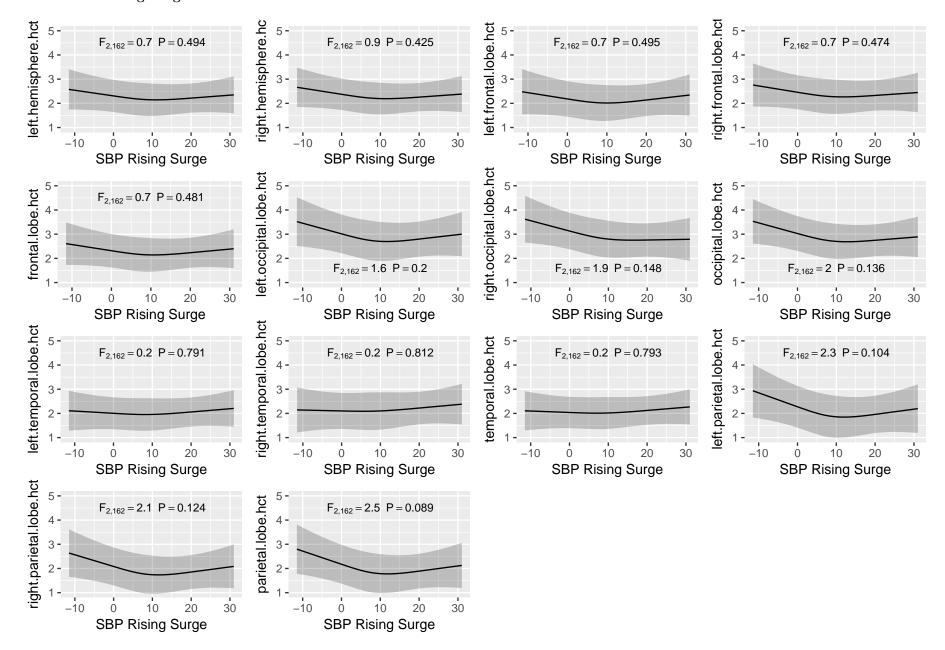
5.4 Partial Effect Plots

- Partial effect plots show the effect of each SBP measure on CVR outcome with other variables in the model fixed.
- A single plot is presented from each model for the predictor of interest against the CVR outcome for the specified region of interest, overall and stratified by diagnosis.
- By default, continuous variables are fixed at their median and categorical variables are fixed at their mode.
- Generally, all curves have a slight decline for lower ABP values then tend to level off.
- Normal Cognition group tends to have the highest CVR more often.
- However, no consistent ordering of diagnosis group response across brain regions.

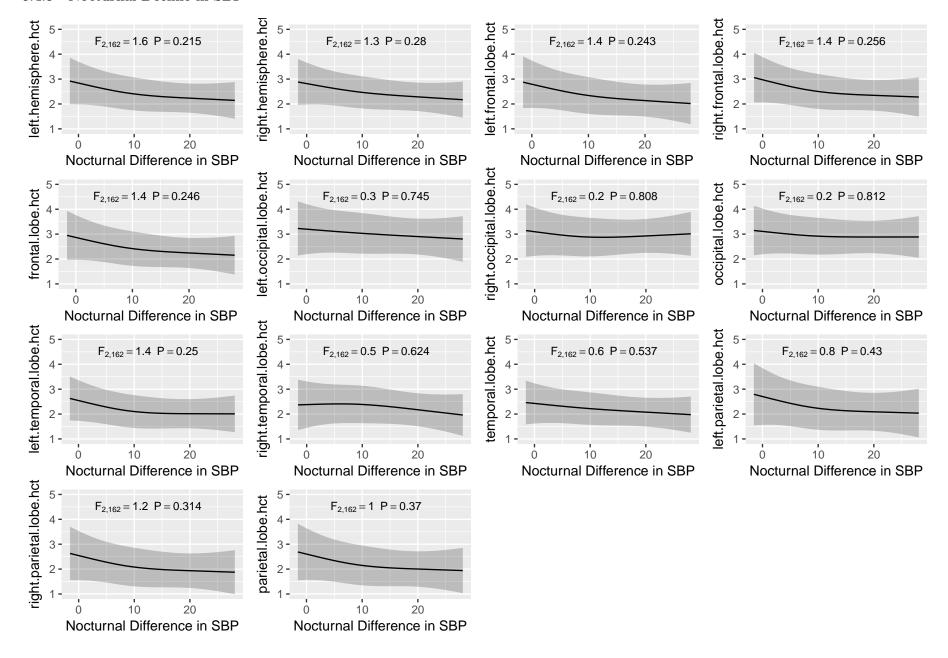
5.4.1 SBP Prewaking Surge



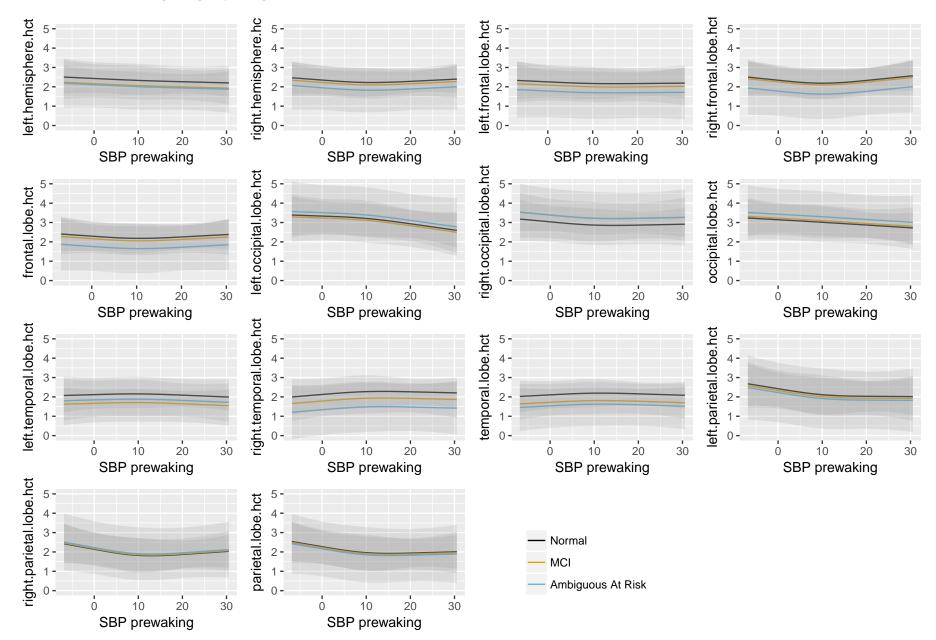
5.4.2 SBP Rising Surge



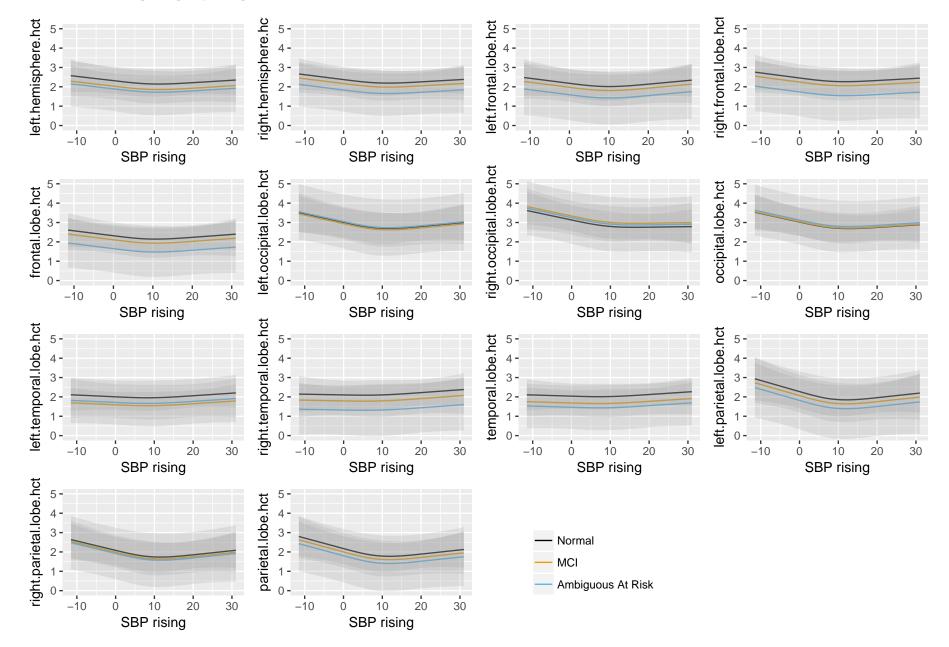
5.4.3 Nocturnal Decline in SBP



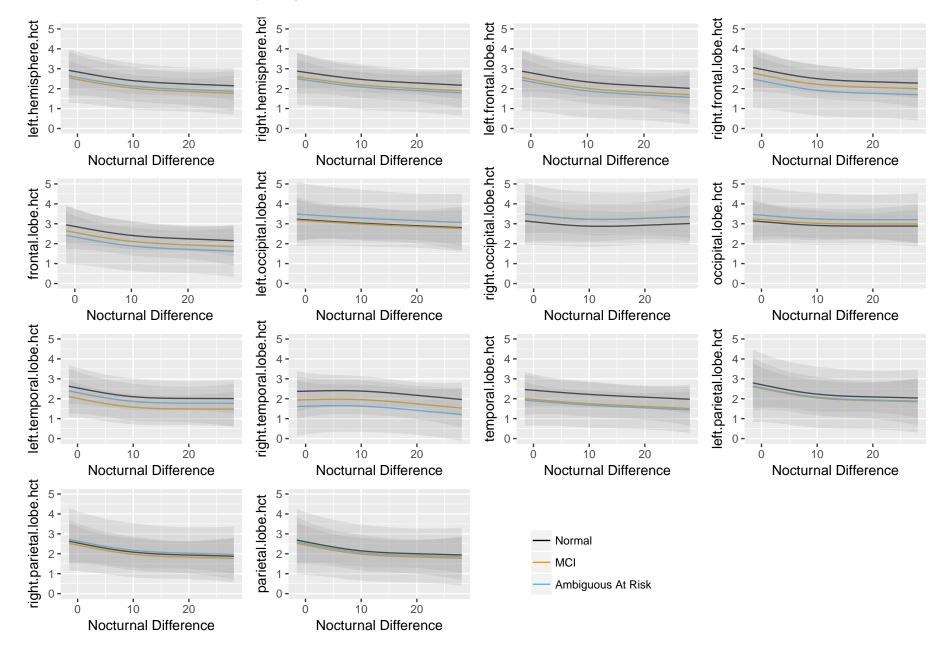
5.4.4 SBP Prewaking Surge by Diagnosis



5.4.5 SBP Rising Surge by Diagnosis



5.4.6 Nocturnal Decline in SBP by Diagnosis



5.5 Tests of Linearity for ABP Measures

Table 6: P-values for test of linearity for ABP predictors

| | SBP Prewaking Surge | SBP Rising Surge | Nocturnal SBP Difference |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| Left Hemisphere | 0.916 | 0.302 | 0.478 |
| Right Hemisphere | 0.534 | 0.278 | 0.649 |
| Left Frontal Lobe | 0.797 | 0.257 | 0.561 |
| Right Frontal Lobe | 0.356 | 0.326 | 0.451 |
| Full Frontal Lobe | 0.556 | 0.278 | 0.502 |
| Left Occipital Lobe | 0.678 | 0.141 | 0.930 |
| Right Occipital Lobe | 0.610 | 0.272 | 0.546 |
| Full Occipital Lobe | 0.979 | 0.143 | 0.698 |
| Left Temporal Lobe | 0.712 | 0.508 | 0.322 |
| Right Temporal Lobe | 0.621 | 0.668 | 0.605 |
| Full Temporal Lobe | 0.647 | 0.566 | 0.849 |
| Left Parietal Lobe | 0.592 | 0.095 | 0.522 |
| Right Parietal Lobe | 0.312 | 0.098 | 0.473 |
| Full Parietal Lobe | 0.455 | 0.082 | 0.507 |

[•] No evidence to suggest the effect is truly non-linear for any model

5.6 Secondary Aim

Table 7: R-squared for ABP predictor models

| | _ | | |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| | SBP Prewaking Surge | SBP Rising Surge | Nocturnal SBP Difference |
| Left Hemisphere | 0.058 | 0.062 | 0.076 |
| Right Hemisphere | 0.045 | 0.051 | 0.059 |
| Left Frontal Lobe | 0.070 | 0.075 | 0.086 |
| Right Frontal Lobe | 0.065 | 0.065 | 0.076 |
| Full Frontal Lobe | 0.069 | 0.074 | 0.085 |
| Left Occipital Lobe | 0.096 | 0.099 | 0.084 |
| Right Occipital Lobe | 0.058 | 0.077 | 0.056 |
| Full Occipital Lobe | 0.066 | 0.082 | 0.061 |
| Left Temporal Lobe | 0.055 | 0.056 | 0.070 |
| Right Temporal Lobe | 0.027 | 0.026 | 0.029 |
| Full Temporal Lobe | 0.037 | 0.037 | 0.043 |
| Left Parietal Lobe | 0.042 | 0.057 | 0.041 |
| Right Parietal Lobe | 0.059 | 0.069 | 0.059 |
| Full Parietal Lobe | 0.050 | 0.066 | 0.050 |

Table 8: Correlation Matrix for ABP Predictors and CVR Outcomes

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|---|---------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| | SBP Prewaking Surge | SBP Rising Surge | Nocturnal Decline in SBP | | | |
| Left Hemisphere | -0.044 | 0.094 | 0.030 | | | |
| Right Hemisphere | -0.014 | 0.088 | 0.026 | | | |
| Left Frontal Lobe | -0.013 | 0.096 | 0.029 | | | |
| Right Frontal Lobe | 0.018 | 0.117 | 0.039 | | | |
| Full Frontal Lobe | 0.003 | 0.109 | 0.036 | | | |
| Left Occipital Lobe | -0.064 | 0.109 | 0.114 | | | |
| Right Occipital Lobe | -0.007 | 0.078 | 0.091 | | | |
| Full Occipital Lobe | -0.035 | 0.098 | 0.108 | | | |
| Left Temporal Lobe | 0.003 | 0.177 | 0.095 | | | |
| Right Temporal Lobe | -0.026 | 0.044 | -0.004 | | | |
| Full Temporal Lobe | 0.000 | 0.131 | 0.059 | | | |
| Left Parietal Lobe | -0.087 | 0.046 | 0.030 | | | |
| Right Parietal Lobe | -0.040 | 0.080 | 0.044 | | | |
| Full Parietal Lobe | -0.068 | 0.063 | 0.039 | | | |

- Nocturnal decline in SBP has slightly higher R^2 in overall hemispheres, frontal, and temporal lobes. SBP rising surge is highest in the occipital and parietal lobes.
- All R^2 values are very low, indicating these models generally do not have extensive predictive ability. In other words, less than 1% of the variability in CVR outcomes is explained by any of the models fitted in this analysis.
- SBP rising surge has all positive correlations, though numbers are small.

6 Sensitivity Analyses

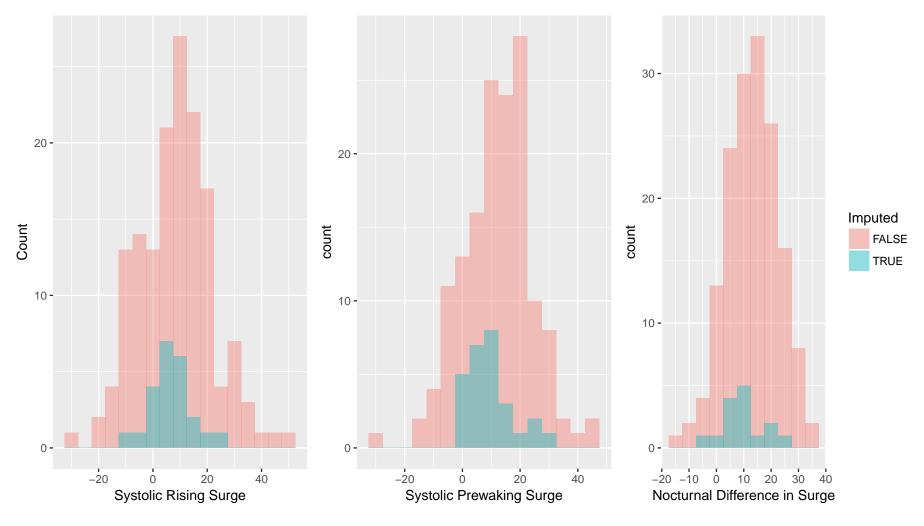
6.1 Model with Linear Effect of ABP Measures

- No evidence of an association
- Coefficients are interpreted as the effect on CVR outcome for a one-mmHg increase in ABP measurement.
- Multiply coefficients by 10 to interpret the effect on CVR for a 10-mmHg increase in ABP measurement.
 - E.g. For a 10-mmHg increase in the systolic blood pressure prewaking surge, CVR in the left hemisphere
 is expected to decrease by .083, holding other model variables constant.

Table 9: Coefficients for Linear ABP with CVR

| | SBP Prewaking Surge | | SBP Rising Surge | | | Nocturnal Decline in SBP | | | |
|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------|----------------|---------|
| | Coefficient | Standard Error | P-value | Coefficient | Standard Error | P-value | Coefficient | Standard Error | P-value |
| Left Hemisphere | -0.0083 | 0.0120 | 0.4930 | -0.0058 | 0.0105 | 0.5819 | -0.0262 | 0.0155 | 0.0931 |
| Right Hemisphere | -0.0028 | 0.0115 | 0.8054 | -0.0071 | 0.0104 | 0.4932 | -0.0240 | 0.0151 | 0.1133 |
| Left Frontal Lobe | -0.0041 | 0.0141 | 0.7705 | -0.0038 | 0.0120 | 0.7510 | -0.0289 | 0.0178 | 0.1050 |
| Right Frontal Lobe | 0.0002 | 0.0130 | 0.9870 | -0.0078 | 0.0115 | 0.4972 | -0.0262 | 0.0170 | 0.1238 |
| Full Frontal Lobe | -0.0016 | 0.0131 | 0.9024 | -0.0056 | 0.0113 | 0.6237 | -0.0268 | 0.0167 | 0.1114 |
| Left Occipital Lobe | -0.0202 | 0.0149 | 0.1772 | -0.0130 | 0.0127 | 0.3069 | -0.0144 | 0.0187 | 0.4435 |
| Right Occipital Lobe | -0.0079 | 0.0141 | 0.5756 | -0.0201 | 0.0125 | 0.1100 | -0.0044 | 0.0181 | 0.8095 |
| Full Occipital Lobe | -0.0136 | 0.0134 | 0.3125 | -0.0159 | 0.0117 | 0.1767 | -0.0088 | 0.0171 | 0.6072 |
| Left Temporal Lobe | -0.0015 | 0.0119 | 0.8993 | 0.0019 | 0.0103 | 0.8523 | -0.0207 | 0.0151 | 0.1708 |
| Right Temporal Lobe | 0.0066 | 0.0127 | 0.6055 | 0.0054 | 0.0111 | 0.6246 | -0.0140 | 0.0171 | 0.4150 |
| Full Temporal Lobe | 0.0024 | 0.0112 | 0.8298 | 0.0036 | 0.0098 | 0.7186 | -0.0165 | 0.0147 | 0.2650 |
| Left Parietal Lobe | -0.0189 | 0.0159 | 0.2373 | -0.0185 | 0.0143 | 0.1983 | -0.0254 | 0.0211 | 0.2303 |
| Right Parietal Lobe | -0.0125 | 0.0140 | 0.3736 | -0.0140 | 0.0126 | 0.2683 | -0.0254 | 0.0183 | 0.1670 |
| Full Parietal Lobe | -0.0157 | 0.0146 | 0.2828 | -0.0169 | 0.0132 | 0.2005 | -0.0251 | 0.0192 | 0.1936 |

- Distribution of each of the predictors with the distribution of the imputed values overlayed in blue.
- This is to display that the imputations are consistent with the observed data.



7 R session information

```
R version 3.3.2 (2016-10-31)
Packages:
        Version
Formula 1.2-1
ggplot2 2.2.1
gridExtra 2.2.1
          4.0-2
Hmisc
knitr
         1.15.1
          5.1-0
rms
           1.72
SparseM
           1.8-2
xtable
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Formula
                                                                R (>= 2.0.0), stats
ggplot2
                                                                         R (>= 3.1)
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gridExtra
                            lattice, survival (>= 2.40-1), Formula, ggplot2 (>= 2.2)
Hmisc
knitr
                                                                       R (>= 3.1.0)
         Hmisc (>= 4.0-2), survival (>= 2.40-1), lattice, ggplot2 (>=\n2.2), SparseM
                                                               R (>= 2.15), methods
SparseM
                                                                      R (>= 2.10.0)
xtable
```

8 Roles and Responsibilities

Hannah Weeks

- Project overview and statistical analysis plan
- Model fitting and partial effect plots
- Tests of association and linearity
- Sensitivity analysis for linear effect
- Secondary aim

Brooklyn Stanley

- Data cleaning
- Application of inclusion/exclusion criteria
- Descriptive statistics
- Imputation and associated sensitivity analysis

9 Code Appendix

```
# R options
#options(scipen= 8)
library(knitr)
# options for knitr
opts_chunk$set(tidy= FALSE)
opts_chunk$set(highlight= TRUE)
opts_chunk$set(comment= NA)
opts_chunk$set(
   fig.path = 'figure/graphics-',
   cache.path = 'cache/graphics-',
   fig.align = 'center',
              = 'postscript',
   #dev
            = 'pdf',
   dev
   fig.width = 5,
   fig.height = 5,
   fig.show = 'hold',
   cache
             = FALSE,
   par
             = TRUE
   )
opts_chunk$set(echo= FALSE)
opts_chunk$set(warning= FALSE)
opts_chunk$set(message= FALSE)
#opts_chunk$set(results= 'hide')
knit_hooks$set(
   par= function(before, options, envir){
       if (before && options$fig.show != 'none') {
           par(
                      = c(4, 4, 2.1, .1),
               cex.lab = .95,
               cex.axis = .9,
               mgp = c(2, .7, 0),
                      = -.3
               tcl
       }
   }
)
knit_hooks$set(inline = function(x) {
  if (is.numeric(x)) round(x, 3) else x})
# Setting up R
rm(list= ls())
options(datadist= NULL)
# So that rms functions will work correctly with ordered factors
options(contrasts=c("contr.treatment","contr.treatment"))
# other libraries
library(Hmisc)
library(rms)
library(xtable)
library(ggplot2)
library(grid)
library(gridExtra) # for grid.arrange
set.seed(20170215)
runPlot=TRUE
runAnalyses=TRUE
# File Directory
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proj.dir <- file.path("~", "Documents", "BIOS7352", "Project1")</pre>
data.dir <- file.path(proj.dir, "dataForABP_CBF_2017-01-11.rds")</pre>
datfile <- file.path(data.dir)</pre>
# Descriptive and Adjusting Variables
cov.con <- Cs(age, education)</pre>
cov.cat <- Cs(enrolled.dx.factor, sex.factor, raceethnicity.factor,</pre>
             apoe4pos.factor, enrolled.dx.factor,
             htnrx.factor, diabetes.factor, currentsmoking.factor, cvd.factor, afib.factor, echo.lvh.factor)
desc.cov <- c(cov.cat,</pre>
             cov.con)
#covariates for model
model.cov <- Cs(age, raceethnicity.factor, education, enrolled.dx.factor, apoe4pos.factor)</pre>
#Predictors
predictors <- Cs(</pre>
   systolic.prewaking.surge,
   systolic.rising.surge,
   nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported
#Outcomes
outcomes.reac <- Cs(asl.reac.left.hemisphere,
                   asl.reac.right.hemisphere,
                   asl.reac.left.frontal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.right.frontal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.frontal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.left.occipital.lobe,
                   asl.reac.right.occipital.lobe,
                   asl.reac.occipital.lobe,
                   asl.reac.left.temporal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.right.temporal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.temporal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.left.parietal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.right.parietal.lobe,
                   asl.reac.parietal.lobe)
outcomes.reac=paste0(outcomes.reac, '.hct')
ma.vars <- Cs(
                 ma.left.hemisphere,
                  ma.right.hemisphere,
                  ma.left.frontal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.right.frontal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.frontal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.left.occipital.lobe.vol,
                  ma.right.occipital.lobe.vol,
                  ma.occipital.lobe.vol,
                  ma.left.temporal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.right.temporal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.temporal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.left.parietal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.right.parietal.lobe.vol,
                  ma.parietal.lobe.vol)
outcomes.list=vector("list", 1)
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names(outcomes.list)=c("ASL.Reac")
outcomes.list[['ASL.Reac']]=outcomes.reac
outcomes=unlist(outcomes.list)
# Exclusion Criteria Variables
excl.var <- Cs(time.reading.indicator, asl.reac.usable)</pre>
#Read in the data
totalData <- readRDS(datfile)</pre>
# Inclusion/Exclusion
#Dementia.a.
cvrdata <- totalData[totalData$enrolled.dx.factor != "Dementia",</pre>
                    c(1:18, grep("asl.reac", names(totalData)),
                      grep("ma.", names(totalData)))]
#Quality check
cvrdata <- totalData[totalData$asl.reac.usable == 1,]</pre>
#At least 39 readings
cvrdata <- cvrdata[cvrdata$time.reading.indicator == 'Yes' &
                    !is.na(cvrdata$time.reading.indicator),]
#Excluded patients
exclude <- totalData[!(totalData$map.id %in% cvrdata$map.id),
                    c(1:18, 61, grep("asl.reac", names(totalData)),
                      grep("ma.", names(totalData)))]
# Inclusion/Exclusion Comparison
cats <- names(cvrdata)[3:18]
comparison \leftarrow c(c(), c(), c(), c())
is <- length(cvrdata$map.id)</pre>
xs <- length(exclude$map.id)</pre>
for (cat in cats){
 if (is.factor(cvrdata[,cat])){
   chiData <- rbind(cbind(cvrdata[,cat],rep("is", length(cvrdata[,cat]))),</pre>
                    cbind(exclude[,cat],rep("xs", length(exclude[,cat]))))
   pp <- chisq.test(table(chiData[,1], chiData[,2]))$p.value</pre>
   comparison <- rbind(comparison, c(label(cvrdata[,cat]),'','', round(pp,4)))</pre>
   for (lev in levels(cvrdata[,cat])){
     comparison <- rbind(comparison, c(paste("--",lev ),</pre>
                     paste(s <- sum(cvrdata[,cat]==lev, na.rm=T), " (", round(s*100/is),</pre>
                           "%)", sep=""),
                     paste(s <- sum(exclude[,cat]==lev, na.rm=T), " (", round(s*100/xs),</pre>
                           "%)", sep=""),""))
   }
   next
  anovaData <- as.data.frame(rbind(cbind(cvrdata[,cat],rep("is", length(cvrdata[,cat]))),</pre>
                    cbind(exclude[,cat],rep("xs", length(exclude[,cat])))))
  anovaData[,1] <- as.numeric(as.character(anovaData[,1]))</pre>
  pp <- kruskal.test(anovaData[,1] ~ anovaData[,2])$p.value
  comparison <- rbind(c(label(cvrdata[,cat]),</pre>
               paste(round(mean(cvrdata[,cat], na.rm=T),1)," (",
                     round(sd(cvrdata[,cat],na.rm=T),1), ")",sep=""),
               paste(round(mean(exclude[,cat], na.rm=T),1)," (",
                     round(sd(exclude[,cat],na.rm=T),1), ")",sep=""),
               round(pp,4)), comparison)
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comparison <- as.data.frame(comparison[,c(1,3,2,4)])</pre>
colnames(comparison) <- c("Variable",</pre>
                             paste0("\\parbox{.5in}{Excluded N=", nrow(exclude), "}"),
                             pasteO("\\parbox{.9in}{Analyzed Data N=", nrow(cvrdata), "}"),
                             "P-Value")
print(xtable(comparison,
      caption="Comparison of Demographics for Excluded and Included Data"),
      include.rownames = FALSE,
      caption.placement = "top", table.placement = "ht",
      sanitize.colnames.function = force, booktabs = TRUE)
# Table of Covariates by dx Group
cats <- names(cvrdata)[3:18][-4]
comparison.dx \leftarrow c(c(), c(), c(), c())
mciData <- cvrdata[cvrdata$enrolled.dx.factor=="MCI",]</pre>
normData <- cvrdata[cvrdata$enrolled.dx.factor=="Normal",]</pre>
abData <- cvrdata[cvrdata$enrolled.dx.factor=="Ambiguous At Risk",]
ms <- length(mciData$map.id)</pre>
ns <- length(normData$map.id)</pre>
as <- length(abData$map.id)
for (cat in cats){
 if (is.factor(cvrdata[,cat])){
    chiData <- rbind(cbind(normData[,cat],rep("ns", length(normData[,cat]))),</pre>
                     cbind(mciData[,cat],rep("ms", length(mciData[,cat]))),
                     cbind(abData[,cat],rep("as", length(abData[,cat]))))
    pp <- chisq.test(table(chiData[,1], chiData[,2]))$p.value</pre>
    comparison.dx <- rbind(comparison.dx, c(label(cvrdata[,cat]),'','','', round(pp,4)))</pre>
   for (lev in levels(cvrdata[,cat])){
      comparison.dx <- rbind(comparison.dx, c(paste("--",lev ),</pre>
                      paste(s <- sum(normData[,cat]==lev, na.rm=T), " (", round(s*100/ns),</pre>
                            "%)", sep=""),
                      paste(s <- sum(mciData[,cat]==lev, na.rm=T), " (", round(s*100/ms),</pre>
                            "%)", sep=""),
                      paste(s <- sum(abData[,cat] == lev, na.rm = T), " (", round(s*100/as),</pre>
                            "%)", sep=""), ''))
   }
   next
  anovaData <- as.data.frame(rbind(cbind(normData[,cat],rep("ns", length(normData[,cat]))),
                     cbind(mciData[,cat],rep("ms", length(mciData[,cat]))),
                     cbind(abData[,cat],rep("as", length(abData[,cat])))))
  anovaData[,1] <- as.numeric(as.character(anovaData[,1]))</pre>
  pp <- kruskal.test(anovaData[,1] ~ anovaData[,2])$p.value
  comparison.dx <- rbind(c(label(cvrdata[,cat]),</pre>
                paste(round(mean(normData[,cat], na.rm=T),1)," (",
                      round(sd(normData[,cat],na.rm=T),1), ")",sep=""),
                paste(round(mean(mciData[,cat], na.rm=T),1)," (",
                      round(sd(mciData[,cat],na.rm=T),1), ")",sep=""),
                paste(round(mean(abData[,cat], na.rm=T),1)," (",
                      round(sd(abData[,cat],na.rm=T),1), ")",sep=""),
                round(pp, 4)), comparison.dx)
comparison.dx <- as.data.frame(comparison.dx)</pre>
colnames(comparison.dx) <- c("Variable",</pre>
                             paste0("\\parbox{.5in}{Normal N=", nrow(normData), "}"),
                             paste0("\\parbox{.41in}{MCI N=", nrow(mciData), "}"),
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paste0("\\parbox{.61in}{Ambiguous At-Risk N=", nrow(abData), "}"),
                            "P-value")
comparison.dx$Variable <- as.character(comparison.dx$Variable)</pre>
comparison.dx$Variable[grep("pre.wake.mean", comparison.dx$Variable)] <- predictors[1]
comparison.dx$Variable[grep("pre.wake.1", comparison.dx$Variable)] <- predictors[2]</pre>
comparison.dx$Variable[grep("Diff", comparison.dx$Variable)] <- predictors[3]</pre>
print(xtable(comparison.dx, caption =
              pasteO("Comparison of Demographics by Consensus Diagnosis (N = ",
                     nrow(cvrdata), ")")),
     caption.placement = "top", include.rownames = FALSE,
     sanitize.colnames.function = force, booktabs = TRUE)
all.predictors <- cvrdata[,c(predictors, model.cov)]</pre>
all.outcomes <- cvrdata[, outcomes.reac]</pre>
outlong <- c()
for (out in names(all.outcomes)){
 lab <- rep(out, length(all.outcomes[,out]))</pre>
 temp <- cbind(all.outcomes[, out], lab, all.predictors)</pre>
 outlong <- rbind(outlong, temp)</pre>
names(outlong)[1] <- "outcome"</pre>
levels(outlong$lab) <- c("Left Hemisphere", "Right Hemisphere", "Left Frontal Lobe",</pre>
                        "Right Frontal Lobe", "Full Frontal Lobe", "Left Occipital Lobe",
                        "Right Occipital Lobe", "Full Occipital Lobe", "Left Temporal Lobe",
                        "Right Temporal Lobe", "Full Temporal Lobe", "Left Parietal Lobe",
                        "Right Parietal Lobe", "Full Parietal Lobe")
# Outcome Boxplots
#Left hemisphere, frontal lobe, occipital lobe
box1 \leftarrow ggplot(outlong[c(1:174,349:1392),], aes(factor(lab), outcome)) +
 geom_boxplot(outlier.colour = "purple") +
 theme(legend.position="none", strip.text = element_text(size=12),
       axis.text.x = element_text(size=11, angle = 80, hjust = 1),
       axis.text.y = element_text(size=12),
       panel.grid.major.x=element_line(colour='grey')) +
 ylab("Measured CVR") + xlab("")
#Right hemisphere, temporal lobe, parietal lobe
box2 <- ggplot(outlong[c(175:348,1393:2436),], aes(factor(lab), outcome)) +
  geom_boxplot(outlier.colour = "purple") +
 theme(legend.position="none", strip.text = element_text(size=12),
       axis.text.x = element_text(size=11, angle = 70, hjust = 1),
       axis.text.y = element_text(size=14),
       panel.grid.major.x=element_line(colour='grey')) +
 ylab("Measured CVR") + xlab("Area Scanned")
grid.arrange(box1, box2, ncol = 1)
# Outcome Histograms
ggplot(outlong, aes(x=outcome, fill = enrolled.dx.factor)) +
 geom_histogram(alpha=0.3, position="identity", binwidth = 1) + facet_wrap(~lab, ncol=3) +
  theme_bw() + theme(strip.text = element_text(size=12),
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axis.text.x = element_text(size=10), axis.text.y = element_text(size=10)) +
 ylab("Count") + xlab("Measured CVR") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Diagnosis")
# Predictor Histograms
hist1 <- ggplot(cvrdata, aes(x=systolic.prewaking.surge, fill = enrolled.dx.factor)) +
 geom_histogram(alpha=0.3, position="identity", binwidth = 5) + theme_bw() +
 xlab("Systolic Prewaking Surge") + ylab("Count") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Diagnosis")
hist2 <- ggplot(cvrdata, aes(x=systolic.rising.surge, fill = enrolled.dx.factor)) +
 geom_histogram(alpha=0.3, position="identity", binwidth = 5) + theme_bw() +
 xlab("Systolic Rising Surge") + ylab("Count") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Diagnosis")
hist3 <- ggplot(cvrdata, aes(x=nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported, fill = enrolled.dx.factor)) +
 geom_histogram(alpha=0.3, position="identity", binwidth = 5) + theme_bw() +
 xlab("Nocturnal Difference in Systolic BP") + ylab("Count") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Diagnosis")
grid.arrange(hist1, hist2, hist3, ncol = 1)
# Unadjusted Association
ggplot(outlong, aes(systolic.prewaking.surge, outcome, group=1)) +
 geom_point() + geom_smooth() + facet_wrap(~lab, ncol=3) +
 theme(legend.position="none", strip.text = element_text(size=12),
       axis.text.x = element_text(size=14), axis.text.y = element_text(size=14),
       panel.grid.major.x=element_line(colour='grey')) +
 ylab("Measured CVR") + xlab("Systolic Prewaking Surge Blood Pressure")
ggplot(outlong, aes(systolic.rising.surge, outcome)) +
 geom_point() + geom_smooth() + facet_wrap(~lab, ncol=3) +
 theme(legend.position="none", strip.text = element_text(size=12),
       axis.text.x = element_text(size=14), axis.text.y = element_text(size=14),
       panel.grid.major.x=element_line(colour='grey')) +
 ylab("Measured CVR") + xlab("Systolic Rising Surge Blood Pressure")
ggplot(outlong, aes(nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported, outcome, group=1)) +
 geom_point() + geom_smooth() + facet_wrap(~lab, ncol=3) +
 theme(legend.position="none", strip.text = element_text(size=12),
       axis.text.x = element_text(size=14), axis.text.y = element_text(size=14),
       panel.grid.major.x=element_line(colour='grey')) +
 ylab("Measured CVR") + xlab("Difference in Awake/Sleeping Systolic Blood Pressure")
# Missing Data
missing \leftarrow c(c(), c())
#comparison[,c("Variable", "Analyzed Data")]
for (cat in cats){
   missing <- rbind(missing, c(label(cvrdata[,cat]),</pre>
                             paste(s <- sum(is.na(cvrdata[,cat])),</pre>
                                   " (", round(s*100/is, 2), "%)", sep="")))
}
missing <- as.data.frame(missing)</pre>
colnames(missing) <- c("Variable", "Missingness")</pre>
missing$Variable <- as.character(missing$Variable)</pre>
missing$Variable[grep("pre.wake.mean", missing$Variable)] <- predictors[1]</pre>
missing$Variable[grep("pre.wake.1", missing$Variable)] <- predictors[2]</pre>
missing$Variable[grep("Diff", missing$Variable)] <- predictors[3]</pre>
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#Only print variables that actually have values missing
print(xtable(missing[missing$Missingness != "0 (0%)",],
            caption= "Variables with Missing Observations"),
     caption.placement = "top", include.rownames = FALSE)
# Multiple-Imputation
#Need to re-factor since we removed patients with dementia
cvrdata$enrolled.dx.factor <-factor(cvrdata$enrolled.dx.factor)</pre>
#Use ICV and just left and right hemisphere
# since we don't have the degrees of freedom to control for ROI all volumes
impute.data <- aregImpute(~ systolic.rising.surge + systolic.prewaking.surge +</pre>
                          nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported +
                          enrolled.dx.factor + sex.factor + raceethnicity.factor +
                          apoe4pos.factor + education + age +
                          htnrx.factor + icv +
                          asl.reac.left.hemisphere.hct +
                          asl.reac.right.hemisphere.hct,
                        data = cvrdata)
# Model Fitting
modelFit <- function(outcome, predictor, ma, knot){</pre>
 fit <- fit.mult.impute(as.formula(paste0(outcome, "~ rcs(", predictor, ", c(",</pre>
                                         knot[1],",", knot[2],",",
                                         knot[3],")) +",
                                         ma, "+",
"age + sex.factor + raceethnicity.factor + education",
"+ enrolled.dx.factor + apoe4pos.factor + htnrx.factor")),
                        fitter = ols, xtrans = impute.data, data = cvrdata)
 return(fit)
}
#Knot locations for each predictor
prewaking.knot <- c(0,
                   quantile(subset(cvrdata, systolic.prewaking.surge > 0)$systolic.prewaking.surge,
                           probs = c(.25, .75), na.rm = T))
rising.knot <- c(0,
                quantile(subset(cvrdata, systolic.rising.surge > 0)$systolic.rising.surge,
                        probs = c(.25, .75), na.rm = T))
noc.knot \leftarrow c(0,
             quantile(subset(cvrdata,
      nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported > 0)$nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported,
                      probs = c(.25, .75), na.rm = T))
#Print to see knot values
knots <- rbind(prewaking.knot, rising.knot, noc.knot); colnames(knots) = NULL</pre>
#Define datadist for model fitting
dd <- datadist(cvrdata)</pre>
options(datadist = "dd")
#Systolic prewaking surge
mod.sys.prewaking.surge <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
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mod.sys.prewaking.surge[[i]] <- modelFit(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                          predictor = predictors[1],
                                           ma = ma.vars[i],
                                           knot = prewaking.knot)
}
#Systolic rising surge
mod.sys.rising.surge <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
 mod.sys.rising.surge[[i]] <- modelFit(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                          predictor = predictors[2],
                                          ma = ma.vars[i],
                                        knot = rising.knot)
}
#Nocturnal Difference
mod.noc.sys.diff <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
 mod.noc.sys.diff[[i]] <- modelFit(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                          predictor = predictors[3],
                                           ma = ma.vars[i],
                                    knot = noc.knot)
}
outcomeNames <- c("Left Hemisphere", "Right Hemisphere", "Left Frontal Lobe",
                         "Right Frontal Lobe", "Full Frontal Lobe", "Left Occipital Lobe",
                         "Right Occipital Lobe", "Full Occipital Lobe", "Left Temporal Lobe",
                         "Right Temporal Lobe", "Full Temporal Lobe", "Left Parietal Lobe",
                         "Right Parietal Lobe", "Full Parietal Lobe")
#Extract coefficients associated with ABP measures
sys.prewaking.coef <- do.call(rbind, lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge,
                            function(x) x$coef[grep("prewaking", names(x$coef))]))
sys.prewaking.coef.vec <- apply(sys.prewaking.coef, MARGIN = 1,</pre>
                                function(x) paste0("(", round(x[1], 3), ",",
                                                   round(x[2], 3),")"))
sys.rising.coef <- do.call(rbind, lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge,</pre>
                             function(x) x$coef[grep("rising", names(x$coef))]))
sys.rising.coef.vec <- apply(sys.rising.coef, MARGIN = 1,</pre>
                             function(x) paste0("(", round(x[1], 3), ",",
                                                round(x[2], 3),")"))
noc.diff.coef <- do.call(rbind, lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff,</pre>
                            function(x) x$coef[grep("noc", names(x$coef))]))
noc.diff.coef.vec <- apply(noc.diff.coef, MARGIN = 1,</pre>
                           function(x) paste0("(", round(x[1], 3), ", ",
                                             round(x[2], 3),")"))
coef.table <- data.frame("Systolic Prewaking Surge" = sys.prewaking.coef.vec,</pre>
                         "Systolic Rising Surge" = sys.rising.coef.vec,
                         "Nocturnal SBP Difference" = noc.diff.coef.vec,
                         row.names = outcomeNames, check.names = FALSE)
print(xtable(coef.table, align = c("l", rep("r", 3)),
            caption = pasteO("Coefficients for ABP with CVR: ABP Modeled as Restricted Cubic Spline with 3 Knots")),
      caption.placement = "top", booktabs = TRUE)
# Tests of Association
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#Extract p-values for test of association
sys.prewaking.pval <- lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge,</pre>
                            function(x) anova(x)["systolic.prewaking.surge","P"])
sys.rising.pval <- lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge,</pre>
                            function(x) anova(x)["systolic.rising.surge","P"])
noc.sys.diff.pval <- lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff,</pre>
                            function(x) anova(x)["nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported","P"])
assoc.table <- data.frame("SBP Prewaking Surge" = unlist(sys.prewaking.pval),
                         "SBP Rising Surge" = unlist(sys.rising.pval),
                         "Nocturnal SBP Difference" = unlist(noc.sys.diff.pval),
                         row.names = outcomeNames,
                         check.names = FALSE)
print(xtable(assoc.table, digits = 3,
            caption = "P-values for Test of Association Between ABP and CVR"),
     caption.placement = "top", booktabs = TRUE)
#Default plotting values for partial effect plots
subset_cvrdata <- subset(cvrdata, select = c(age, education, sex.factor,</pre>
                                            enrolled.dx.factor, raceethnicity.factor,
                                            apoe4pos.factor, htnrx.factor))
adj_tab <- xtable(datadist(subset_cvrdata)$limits["Adjust to",],</pre>
                          caption = "Default Partial Effect Plot Covariate Values")
# Partial Effect Plots
#Systolic prewaking surge
sys.prewaking.PEP <- lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge,</pre>
                            function(x) ggplot(Predict(x, systolic.prewaking.surge),
                                               adj.subtitle = FALSE,
                                               anova = anova(x), size.anova = 3,
                                               pval = TRUE,
                                               ylim. = c(1,5),
                                               xlab = "SBP Prewaking Surge",
                                               ylab = gsub("asl.reac.", "", x$sformula[2])))
do.call(grid.arrange, sys.prewaking.PEP)
#Systolic rising surge
sys.rising.PEP <- lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge,</pre>
                            function(x) ggplot(Predict(x, systolic.rising.surge),
                                               adj.subtitle = FALSE,
                                               anova = anova(x), size.anova = 3,
                                               pval = TRUE,
                                               ylim. = c(1,5),
                                               xlab = "SBP Rising Surge",
                                               ylab = gsub("asl.reac.", "", x$sformula[2])))
do.call(grid.arrange, sys.rising.PEP)
#Nocturnal difference
noc.sys.diff.PEP <- lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff,</pre>
                            function(x) ggplot(Predict(x, nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported),
                                               adj.subtitle = FALSE,
                                               anova = anova(x), size.anova = 3,
                                               pval = TRUE,
                                               ylim. = c(1,5),
                                               xlab = "Nocturnal Difference in SBP",
                                               ylab = gsub("asl.reac.", "", x$sformula[2])))
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do.call(grid.arrange, noc.sys.diff.PEP)
# Partial Effect Plots by Diagnosis #
#Function obtained from:
# http://stackoverflow.com/questions/11883844/inserting-a-table-under-the-legend-in-a-ggplot2-histogram
#create common legend for stratified plots
g_legend<-function(a.gplot){</pre>
 tmp <- ggplot_gtable(ggplot_build(a.gplot))</pre>
 leg <- which(sapply(tmp$grobs, function(x) x$name) == "guide-box")</pre>
 legend <- tmp$grobs[[leg]]</pre>
 return(legend)}
legend.dx <- g_legend(ggplot(Predict(mod.noc.sys.diff[[1]]),</pre>
                                    nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported,
                enrolled.dx = c("Normal", "MCI", "Ambiguous At Risk"))))
#Systolic prewaking surge
sys.prewaking.PEP.dx <- lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge,</pre>
                             function(x) ggplot(Predict(x, systolic.prewaking.surge,
                                                enrolled.dx.factor = c("Normal",
                                                                       "MCI",
                                                                       "Ambiguous At Risk")),
                                                colfill = "grey60",
                                                adj.subtitle = FALSE,
                                                ylim. = c(0,5),
                                                xlab = "SBP prewaking",
                                                ylab = gsub("asl.reac.", "", x$sformula[2])) +
 theme(legend.position = "none"))
sys.prewaking.PEP.dx[[15]] <- legend.dx</pre>
do.call(grid.arrange, sys.prewaking.PEP.dx)
#Systolic rising surge
sys.rising.PEP.dx <- lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge,</pre>
                            function(x) ggplot(Predict(x, systolic.rising.surge,
                                                enrolled.dx.factor = c("Normal",
                                                                        "MCI".
                                                                        "Ambiguous At Risk")),
                                                colfill = "grey60",
                                                adj.subtitle = FALSE,
                                                ylim. = c(0,5),
                                                xlab = "SBP rising",
                                                ylab = gsub("asl.reac.", "", x$sformula[2])) +
 theme(legend.position = "none"))
sys.rising.PEP.dx[[15]] <- legend.dx</pre>
do.call(grid.arrange, sys.rising.PEP.dx)
#Nocturnal difference
noc.sys.diff.PEP.dx <- lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff,</pre>
                             function(x) ggplot(Predict(x, nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported,
                                                enrolled.dx.factor = c("Normal",
                                                                        "MCI",
                                                                        "Ambiguous At Risk")),
                                                colfill = "grey60",
                                                adj.subtitle = FALSE,
                                                vlim. = c(0,5),
                                                xlab = "Nocturnal Difference",
                                                ylab = gsub("asl.reac.", "", x$sformula[2])) +
  theme(legend.position = "none"))
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noc.sys.diff.PEP.dx[[15]] <- legend.dx</pre>
do.call(grid.arrange, noc.sys.diff.PEP.dx)
# Tests of Linearity
#Select p-values for test of linearity
sys.prewaking.nonlin <- lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge,</pre>
                            function(x) anova(x)[" Nonlinear", "P"])
sys.rising.nonlin <- lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge,</pre>
                           function(x) anova(x)[" Nonlinear", "P"])
noc.sys.diff.nonlin <- lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff,</pre>
                            function(x) anova(x)[" Nonlinear", "P"])
linear.table <- data.frame("SBP Prewaking Surge" = unlist(sys.prewaking.nonlin),</pre>
                         "SBP Rising Surge" = unlist(sys.rising.nonlin),
                         "Nocturnal SBP Difference" = unlist(noc.sys.diff.nonlin),
                         row.names = outcomeNames,
                         check.names = FALSE)
print(xtable(linear.table, digits = 3,
            caption = "P-values for test of linearity for ABP predictors"),
     caption.placement = "top")
#Select R^2 values for each model
sys.prewaking.r2 <- lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge, function(x) x$stats["R2"])
sys.rising.r2 <- lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge, function(x) x$stats["R2"])</pre>
noc.sys.diff.r2 <- lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff, function(x) x$stats["R2"])</pre>
r2.table <- data.frame("SBP Prewaking Surge" = unlist(sys.prewaking.r2),
                         "SBP Rising Surge" = unlist(sys.rising.r2),
                         "Nocturnal SBP Difference" = unlist(noc.sys.diff.r2),
                         row.names = outcomeNames,
                         check.names = FALSE)
print(xtable(r2.table, digits = 3,
            caption = "R-squared for ABP predictor models"),
     caption.placement = "top")
corMat <- as.data.frame(cor(cvrdata[,outcomes.reac], !is.na(cvrdata[,predictors])), row.names = outcomeNames)</pre>
names(corMat) <- c("SBP Prewaking Surge", "SBP Rising Surge", "Nocturnal Decline in SBP")</pre>
print(xtable(corMat, digits = 3, caption = "Correlation Matrix for ABP Predictors and CVR Outcomes"),
     caption.placement = "top", booktabs = TRUE)
# Model Fitting: Linear Effect
modelFitLinear <- function(outcome, predictor, ma){</pre>
 fit <- fit.mult.impute(as.formula(pasteO(outcome, "~", predictor, "+", ma, "+",
"age + sex.factor + raceethnicity.factor + education",
"+ enrolled.dx.factor + apoe4pos.factor + htnrx.factor")),
                        fitter = ols, xtrans = impute.data, data = cvrdata)
 return(fit)
#Systolic prewaking surge
mod.sys.prewaking.surge.linear <- list()</pre>
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for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
  mod.sys.prewaking.surge.linear[[i]] <- modelFitLinear(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                                     predictor = predictors[1],
                                                     ma = ma.vars[i])
}
#Systolic rising surge
mod.sys.rising.surge.linear <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
  mod.sys.rising.surge.linear[[i]] <- modelFitLinear(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                            predictor = predictors[2],
                                            ma = ma.vars[i])
}
#Nocturnal Difference
mod.noc.sys.diff.linear <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
  mod.noc.sys.diff.linear[[i]] <- modelFitLinear(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                            predictor = predictors[3],
                                            ma = ma.vars[i])
}
sys.prewaking.lin.coef <- do.call(rbind, lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge.linear,
                              function(x) c(x$coef[grep("prewaking", names(x$coef))],
                                            sqrt(x$var[grep("prewaking", names(x$coef)),
                                                        grep("prewaking", names(x$coef))]),
                                             anova(x)["systolic.prewaking.surge","P"])))
sys.rising.lin.coef <- do.call(rbind, lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge.linear,
                              function(x) c(x$coef[grep("rising", names(x$coef))],
                                             sqrt(x$var[grep("rising", names(x$coef)),
                                                        grep("rising", names(x$coef))]),
                                             anova(x)["systolic.rising.surge","P"])))
noc.diff.lin.coef <- do.call(rbind, lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff.linear,</pre>
                              function(x) c(x$coef[grep("noc", names(x$coef))],
                                             sqrt(x$var[grep("noc", names(x$coef)),
                                                        grep("noc", names(x$coef))]),
                                             anova(x)["nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported","P"])))
prewaking.coef.table <- as.data.frame(sys.prewaking.lin.coef, row.names = outcomeNames)</pre>
rising.coef.table <- as.data.frame(sys.rising.lin.coef, row.names = outcomeNames)
noc.diff.coef.table <- as.data.frame(noc.diff.lin.coef, row.names = outcomeNames)</pre>
addtorow <- list()</pre>
addtorow$pos <- list()</pre>
addtorow$pos[[1]] <- 0
addtorow$pos[[2]] <- 0
addtorow$command <- c('& \\multicolumn{3}{c}{SBP Prewaking Surge} &
                       \\multicolumn{3}{c}{SBP Rising Surge} &
                       \\multicolumn{3}{c}{Nocturnal Decline in SBP} \\\',
                       c('& Coefficient & Standard Error & P-value
                         & Coefficient & Standard Error & P-value
                         & Coefficient & Standard Error & P-value \\\'))
full.table <- cbind(prewaking.coef.table, rising.coef.table, noc.diff.coef.table)
names(full.table) <- NULL</pre>
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print(xtable(full.table, align = c("l", rep("r", 9)), digits = 4,
            caption = pasteO("Coefficients for Linear ABP with CVR")),
      caption.placement = "top", booktabs = TRUE, add.to.row = addtorow,
      sanitize.text.function = force, table.placement = "ht")
cvrdata$sys.rising.impute <- cvrdata$systolic.rising.surge</pre>
cvrdata$sys.prewaking.impute <- cvrdata$systolic.prewaking.surge</pre>
cvrdata$noc.diff.impute <- cvrdata$nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported</pre>
cvrdata$noc.diff.impute[is.na(cvrdata$noc.diff.impute)] <-</pre>
 rowMeans(impute.data$imputed$nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported[,])
cvrdata$sys.rising.impute[is.na(cvrdata$sys.rising.impute)] <-</pre>
  rowMeans(impute.data$imputed$systolic.rising.surge[,])
cvrdata$sys.prewaking.impute[is.na(cvrdata$sys.prewaking.impute)] <-</pre>
 rowMeans(impute.data$imputed$systolic.prewaking.surge[,])
sens1 <- ggplot(cvrdata, aes(x=sys.rising.impute, fill = is.na(systolic.rising.surge))) +</pre>
 geom_histogram(alpha=0.4, position="identity", binwidth = 5) +
 ylab("Count") + theme(legend.position = "none") +
 xlab("Systolic Rising Surge") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Imputed")
sens2 <- ggplot(cvrdata, aes(x=sys.prewaking.impute, fill = is.na(systolic.prewaking.surge))) +</pre>
  geom_histogram(alpha=0.4, position="identity", binwidth = 5) +
 theme(legend.position = "none") +
 xlab("Systolic Prewaking Surge") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Imputed")
sens3 <- ggplot(cvrdata, aes(x=noc.diff.impute, fill = is.na(nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported))) +</pre>
 geom_histogram(alpha=0.4, position="identity", binwidth = 5) +
 xlab("Nocturnal Difference in Surge") + scale_fill_discrete(name = "Imputed")
grid.arrange(sens1, sens2, sens3, ncol = 3)
# Model Fitting: Complete Observations #
# (ignoring missing data)
#Results available if desired but suppressed since conclusions do not change
# (results still not significant at 0.05 level)
modelFitComplete <- function(outcome, predictor, ma, knot){</pre>
 fit <- ols(as.formula(paste0(outcome, "~ rcs(", predictor, ", c(",</pre>
                                           knot[1],",", knot[2],",",
                                           knot[3],")) +",
                                           ma, "+",
"age + sex.factor + raceethnicity.factor + education",
"+ enrolled.dx.factor + apoe4pos.factor + htnrx.factor")), data = cvrdata)
 return(fit)
}
#Systolic prewaking surge
mod.sys.prewaking.surge.comp <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
 mod.sys.prewaking.surge.comp[[i]] <- modelFitComplete(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                                   predictor = predictors[1],
                                                   ma = ma.vars[i],
                                                   knot = prewaking.knot)
}
#Systolic rising surge
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mod.sys.rising.surge.comp <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
  mod.sys.rising.surge.comp[[i]] <- modelFitComplete(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                                   predictor = predictors[2],
                                                   ma = ma.vars[i],
                                                   knot = rising.knot)
}
#Nocturnal Difference
mod.noc.sys.diff.comp <- list()</pre>
for(i in seq_along(outcomes.reac)){
  mod.noc.sys.diff.comp[[i]] <- modelFitComplete(outcome = outcomes.reac[i],</pre>
                                                   predictor = predictors[3],
                                                   ma = ma.vars[i],
                                                   knot = noc.knot)
}
sys.prewaking.comp <- lapply(mod.sys.prewaking.surge.comp,</pre>
                             function(x) anova(x)["systolic.prewaking.surge","P"])
sys.rising.comp <- lapply(mod.sys.rising.surge.linear,</pre>
                             function(x) anova(x)["systolic.rising.surge","P"])
noc.diff.comp <- lapply(mod.noc.sys.diff.linear,</pre>
                             function(x) anova(x)["nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported","P"])
#Summary of analysis results if we had ignored missing values for each predictor
complete.table <- data.frame(unlist(sys.prewaking.comp),</pre>
                            unlist(sys.rising.comp),
                             unlist(noc.diff.comp),
                          row.names = outcomeNames, check.names = FALSE)
names(complete.table) <- c(paste0("SBP Prewaking (N = ",</pre>
                                    nrow(cvrdata[!is.na(cvrdata$systolic.prewaking.surge),]),
                                    ")"),
                           pasteO("SBP Rising (N = ",
                                 nrow(cvrdata[!is.na(cvrdata$systolic.rising.surge),]),
                           paste0("Nocturnal Diff. (N = ",
                                 nrow(cvrdata[!is.na(cvrdata$nocturnal.systolic.diff.sleep.self.reported),]),
print(xtable(complete.table, digits = 3,
             caption = "Complete Observation Associations for ABP and CVR"),
      caption.placement = "top", booktabs = TRUE)
# Session Information
cat(version['version.string'][[1]], "\n")
    pack <- installed.packages()</pre>
    pack.out <- pack[, c('Package', 'Version', 'Priority',</pre>
        'Depends')]
    pack.in.session <- (.packages())</pre>
    pack.out2 <- data.frame(pack.out[pack.out[, 1] %in%</pre>
        pack.in.session, ])[, -1]
    cat("Packages:\n")
    pack.out2[!pack.out2$Priority%in%c('base', 'recommended'), -2,
        drop=FALSE]
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