

# Motion Correction - fMRI preprocessing

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**Variant 2**  
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*"subject motion produces substantial changes in the timecourses of resting state functional connectivity MRI (rs-fcMRI) data despite compensatory spatial registration and regression of motion estimates from the data."*

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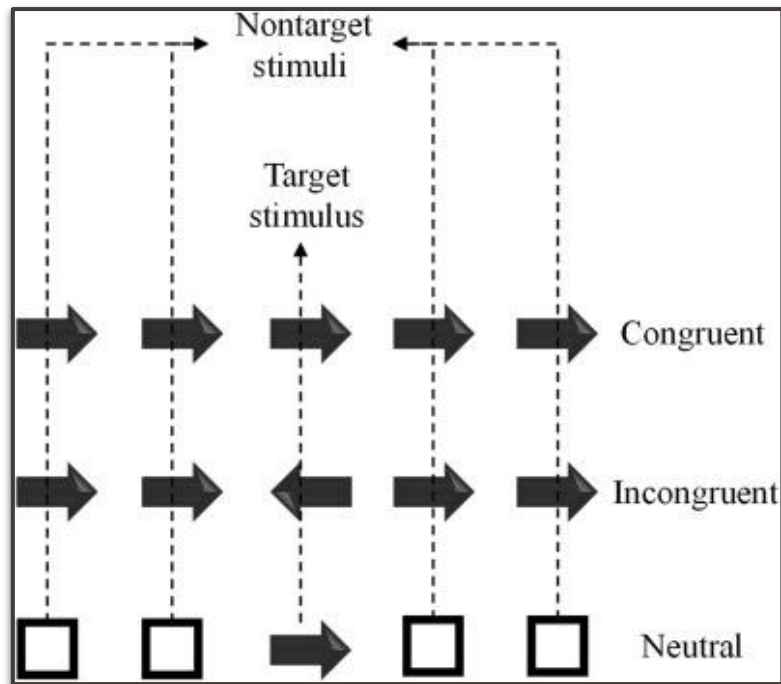
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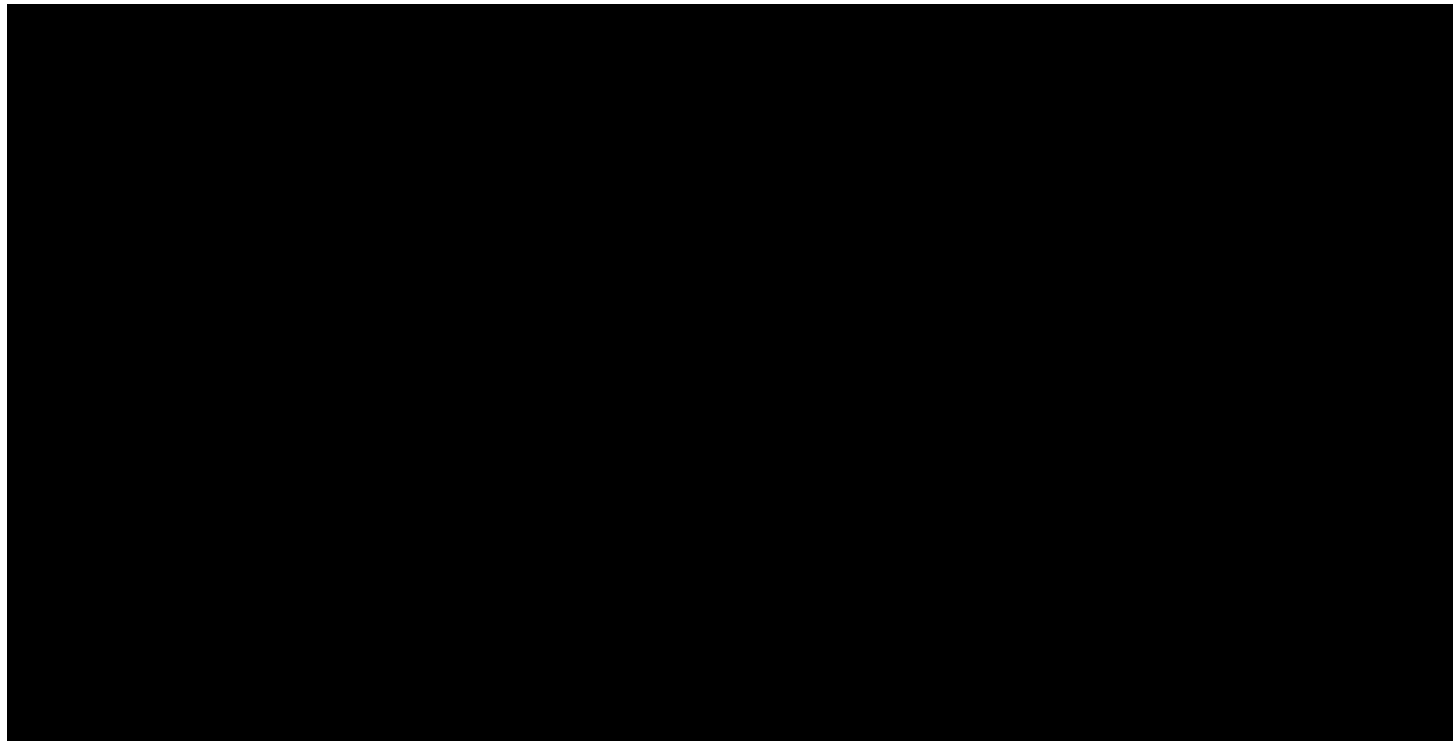
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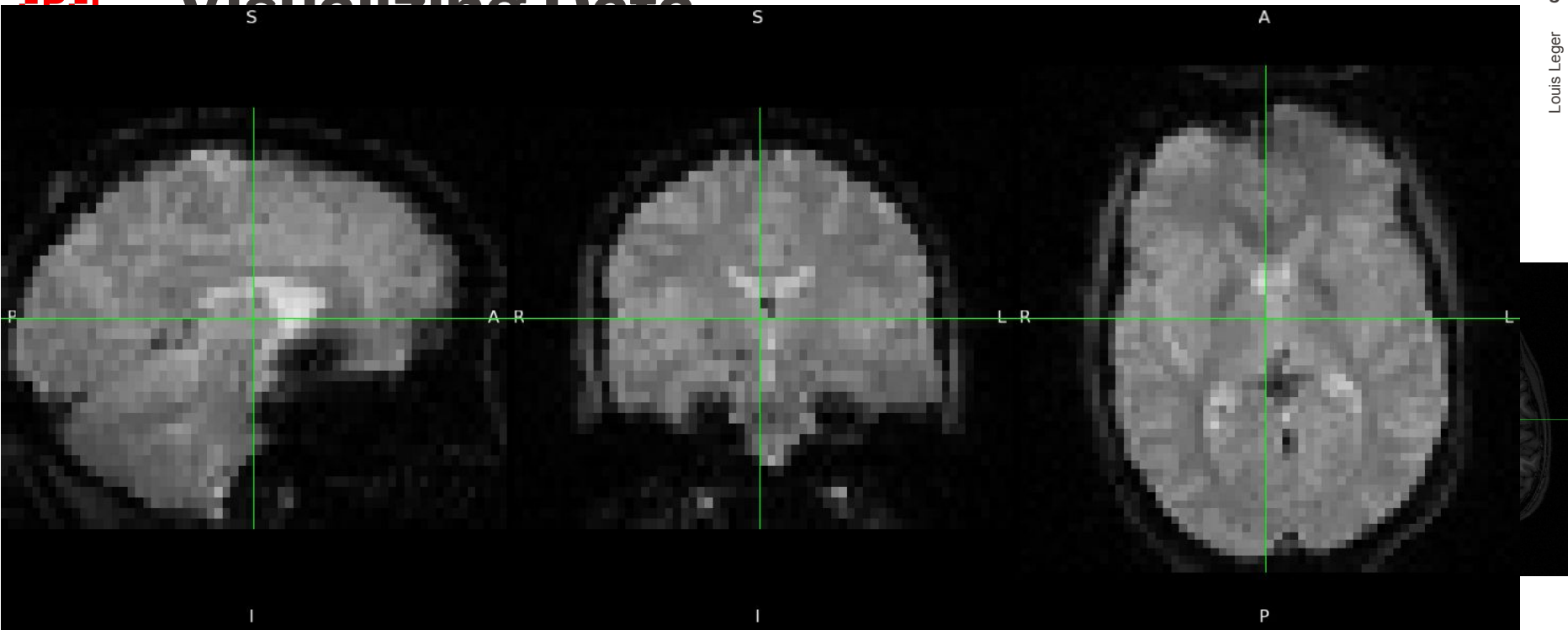


## ■ Flanker test :

- Participants respond to a central target stimulus while surrounded by congruent or incongruent flanker stimuli, testing attention and cognitive control.
- Utilized in fMRI to analyze brain activity, revealing the neural basis of decision making and conflict resolution during cognitive tasks

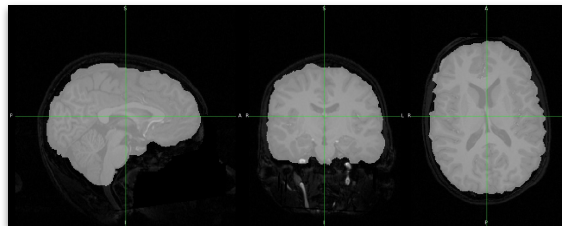


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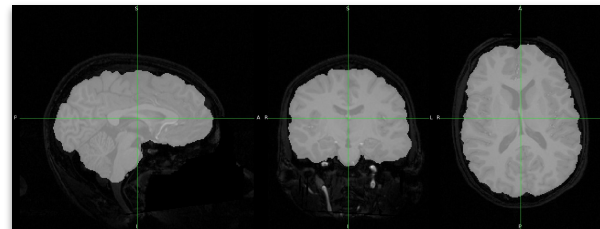


**What are the typical artefacts observed in functional and anatomical scan?**

**Can they be identified by visual inspection?**

**FIT = 0****0.25 FIT < 0.5**

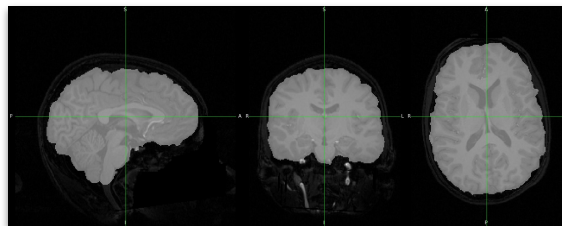
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**FIT > 0.5**

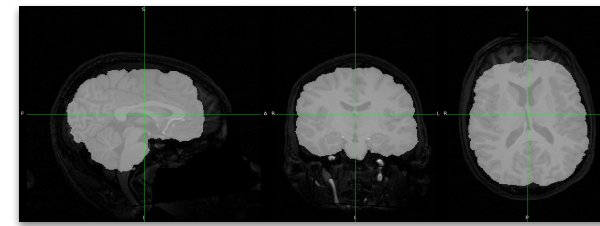
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## Observations:

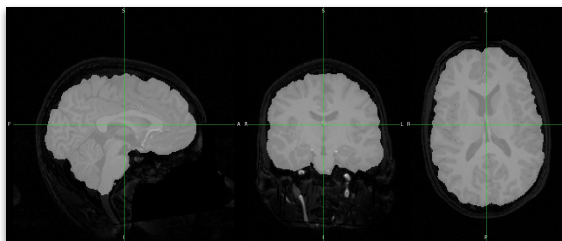
- FIT = 0 takes the whole volume as a mask.
- FIT = 1 fails completely at masking the gray and some white matter.
- The best FIT seems to be in the 0.25-0.5 range.



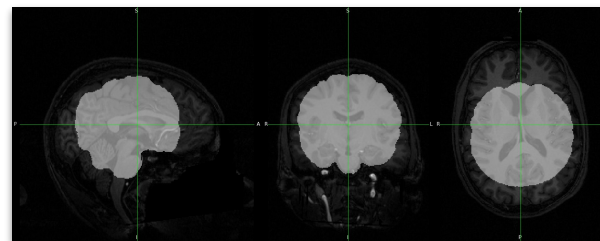
FIT = 0.25



FIT = 0.625

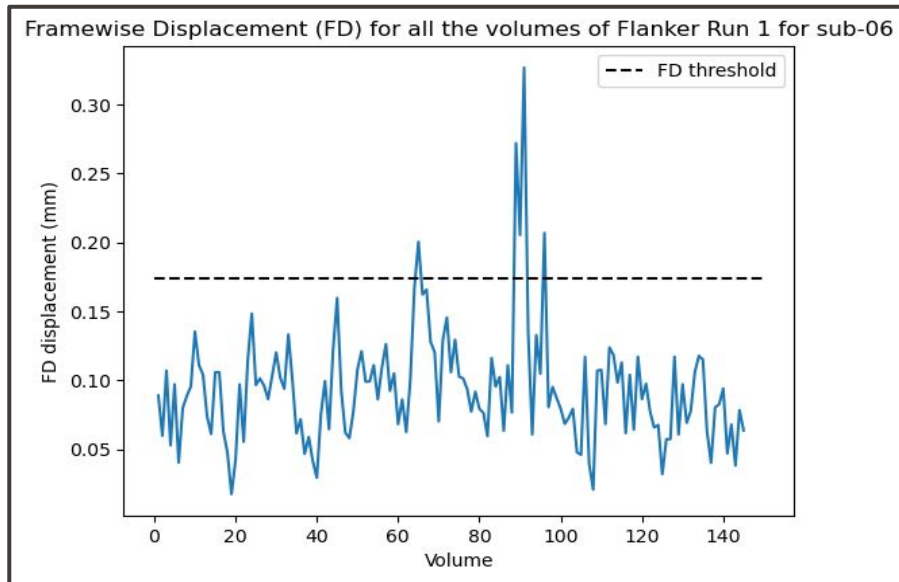
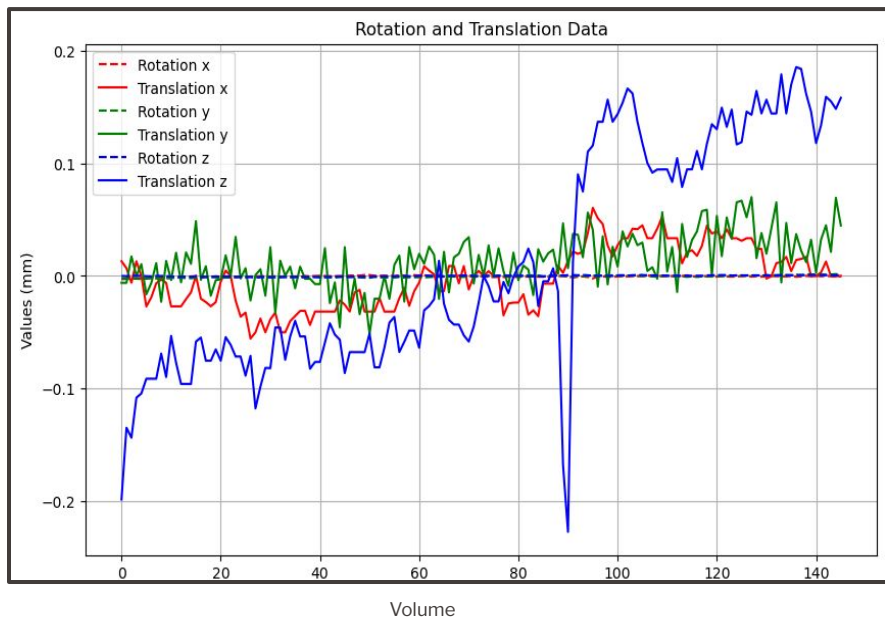


FIT = 0.375



FIT = 0.75

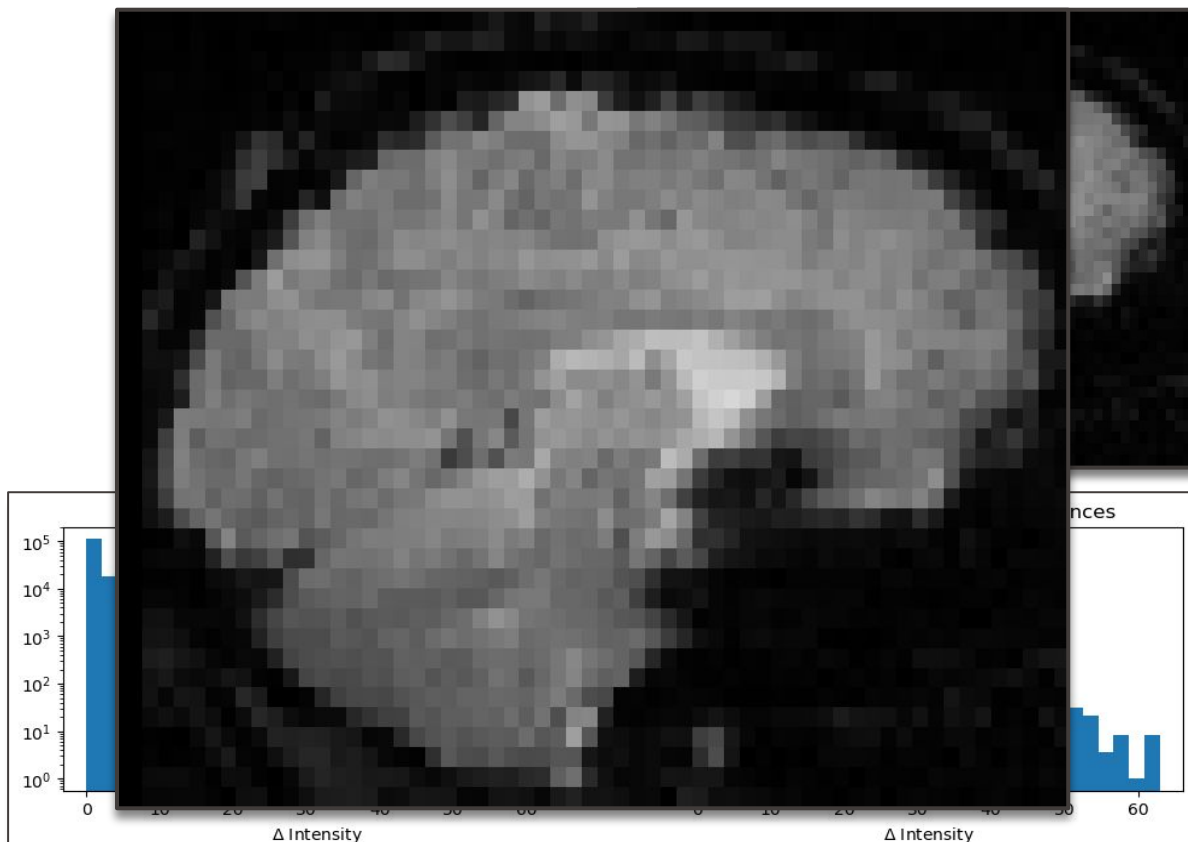
- Objective: a given voxel describes the same brain position in all volumes



# Visualizing the result for a volume:

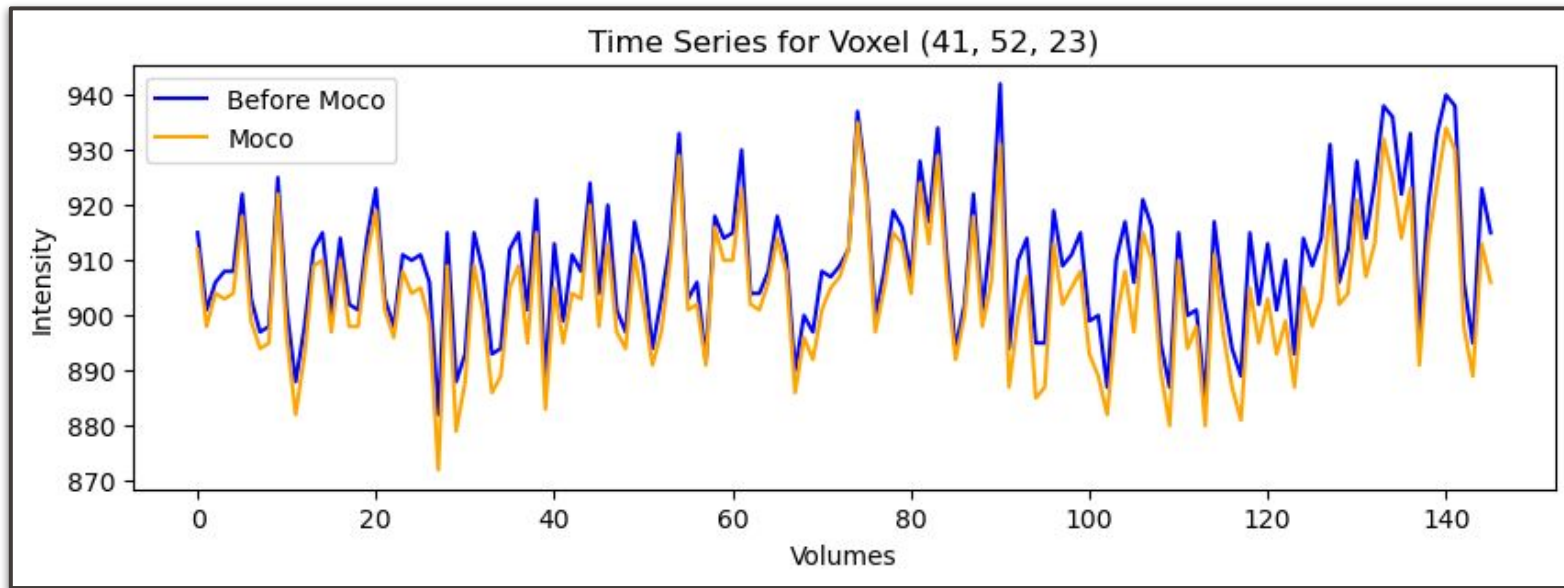
Before

After





# Visualizing the result: time series for a specific voxel



- Baseline shift ( Scaling factor)
- Temporal Preservation

# Cost Functions

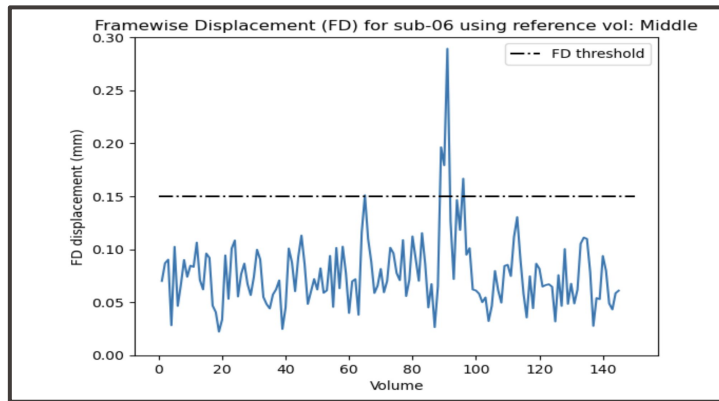
	RMS	Average FD
<b>mutualinfo</b>	0.094162	0.077112
<b>woods</b>	0.182136	0.177952
<b>corratio</b>	0.095800	0.088877
<b>normcorr</b>	0.095991	0.093267
<b>normmi</b>	0.095785	0.079037
<b>leastsquares</b>	0.099433	0.089022

- What are different types of cost functions used in FSL's motion correction?

$C^{NC}$	$\frac{\Sigma(X.Y)}{\sqrt{\Sigma X^2} \sqrt{\Sigma Y^2}}$
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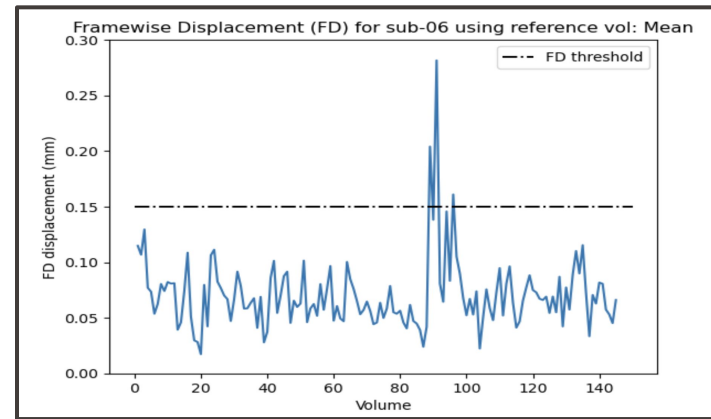
$C^{MI}$	$H(X,Y) - H(X) - H(Y)$
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## Middle Volume Reference

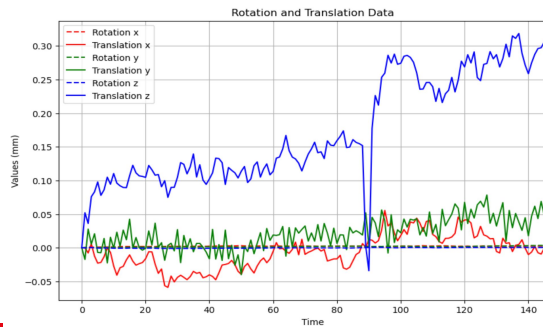


VS

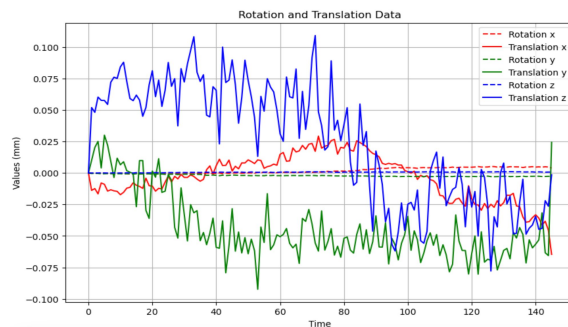
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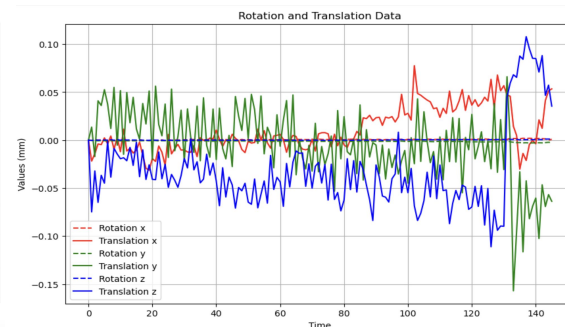
## Subject-06



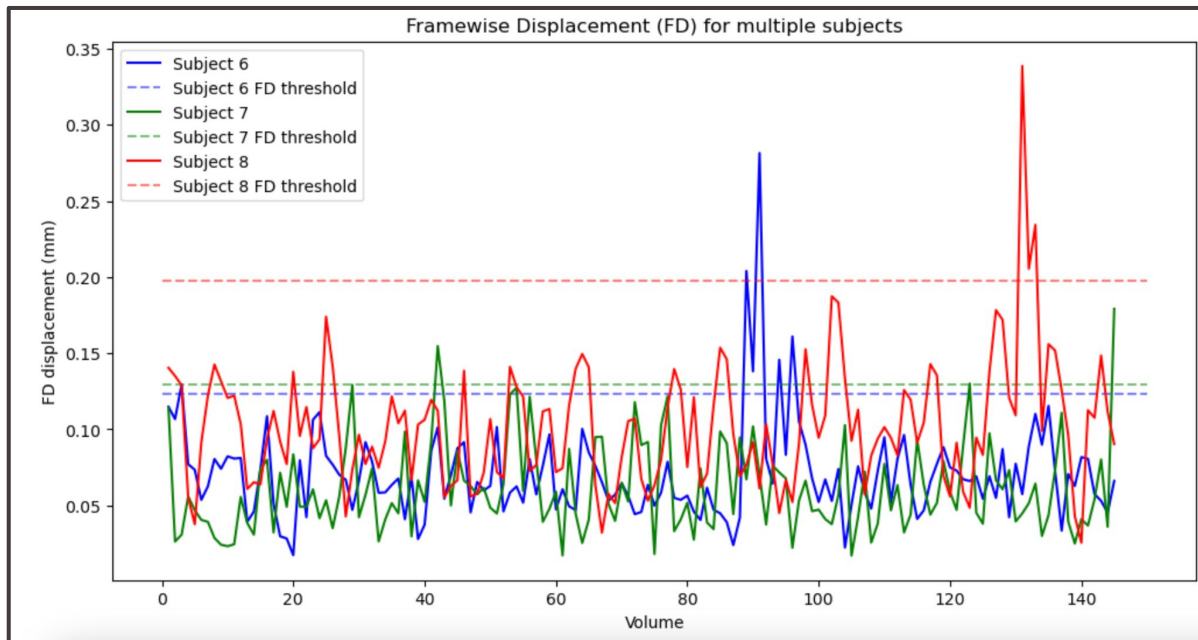
## Subject-07



## Subject-08



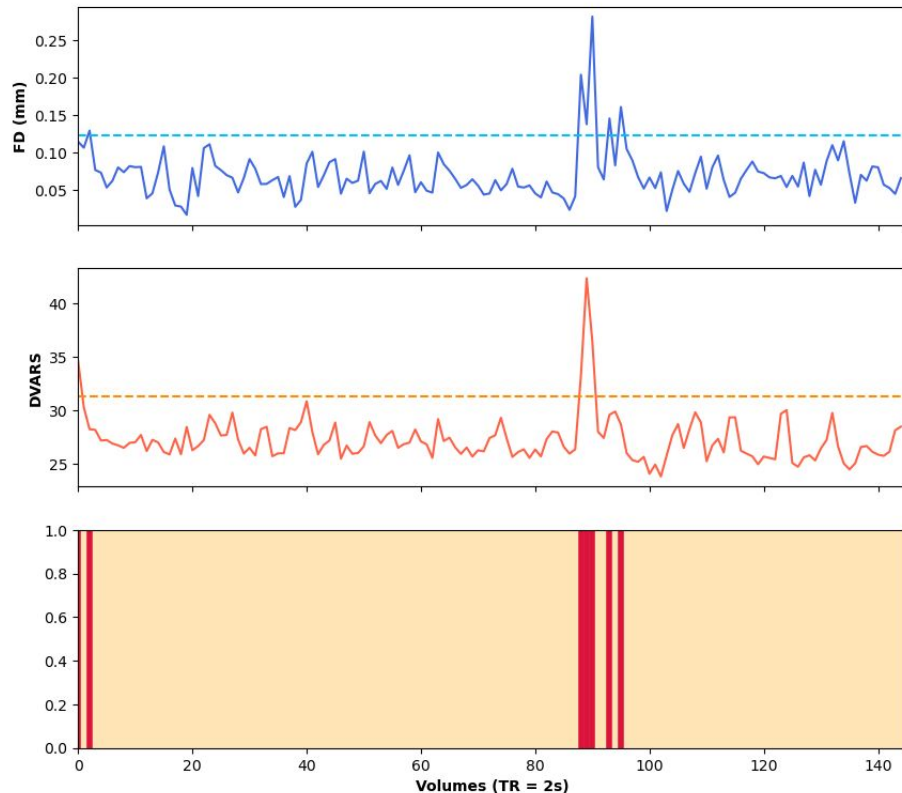
# Mean vs Middle Reference Volumes & Subject Comparison



$$Threshold = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR$$

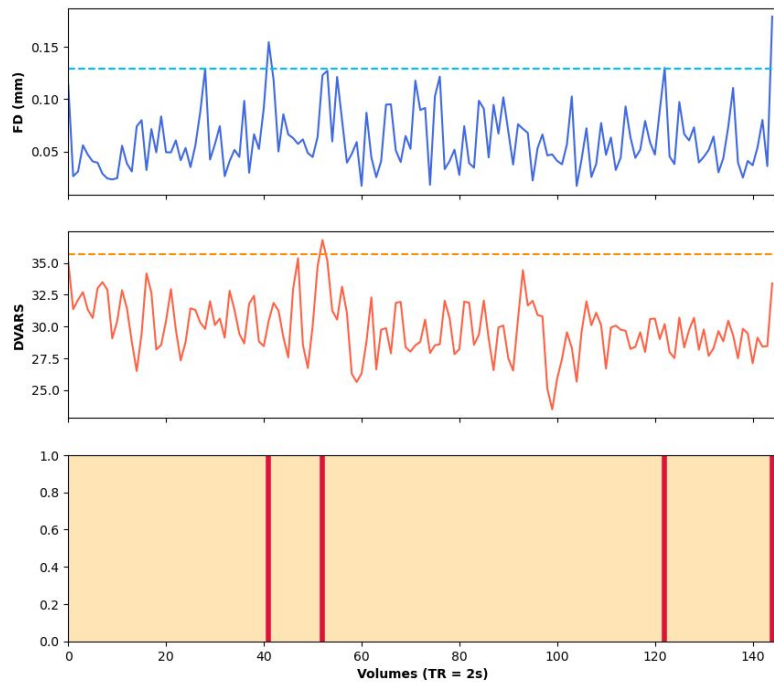
# DVARs and additional outlier detection

Motion Outliers for Subject 06

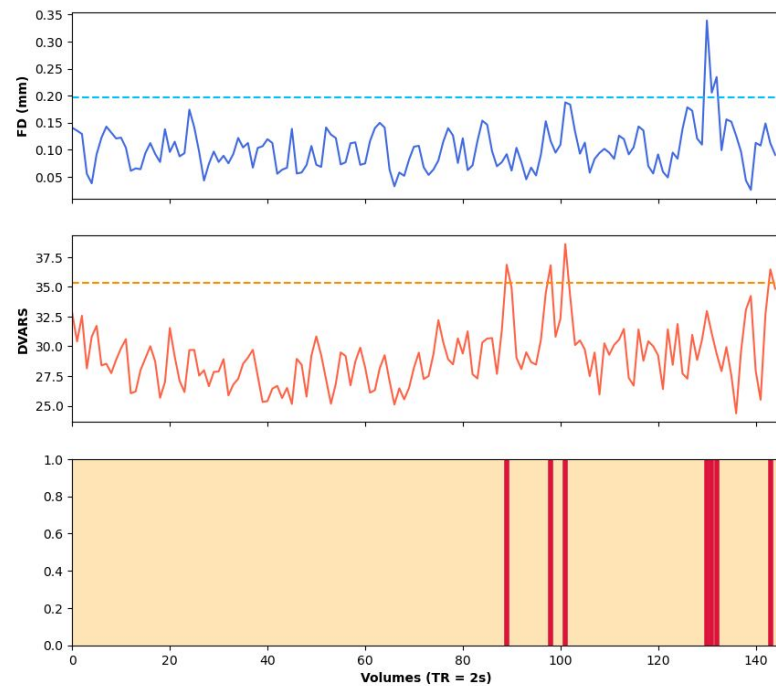


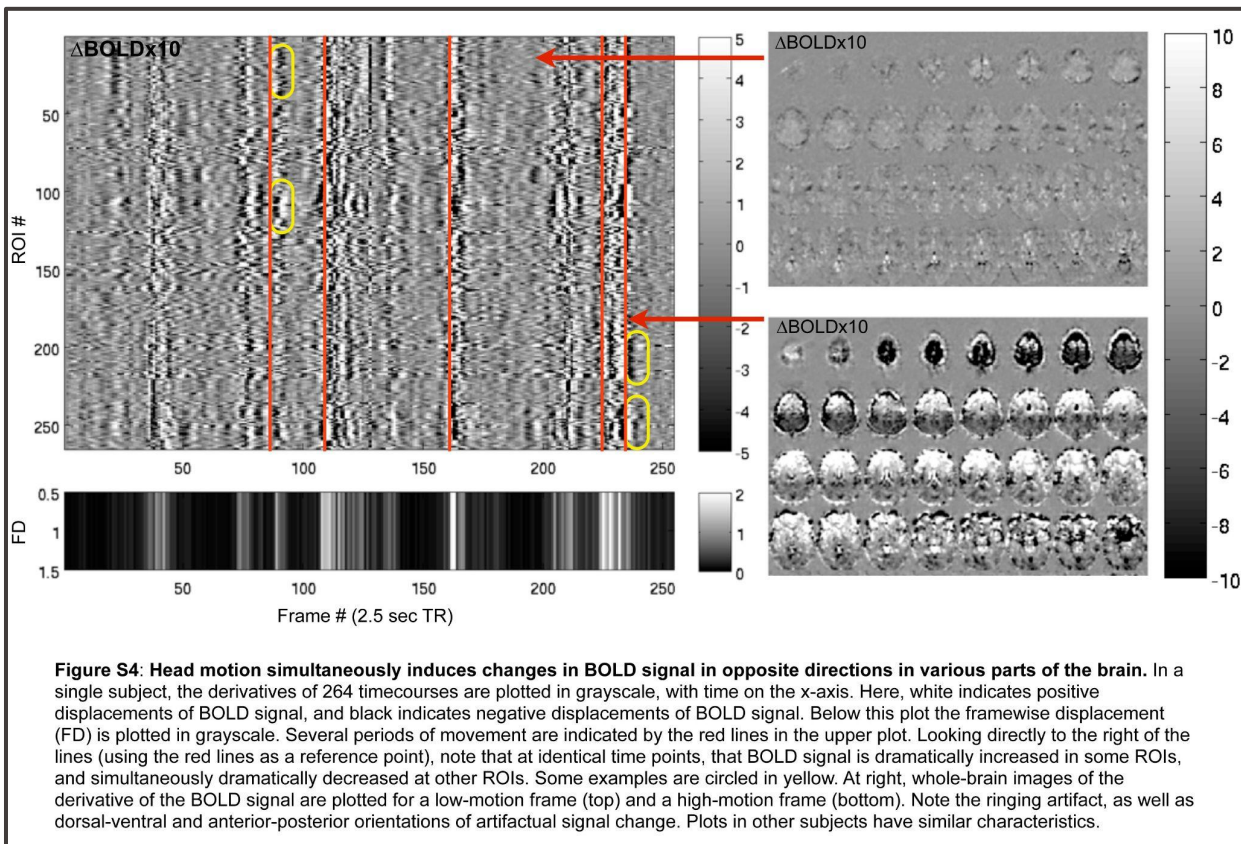
# Annexe

Motion Outliers for Subject 07



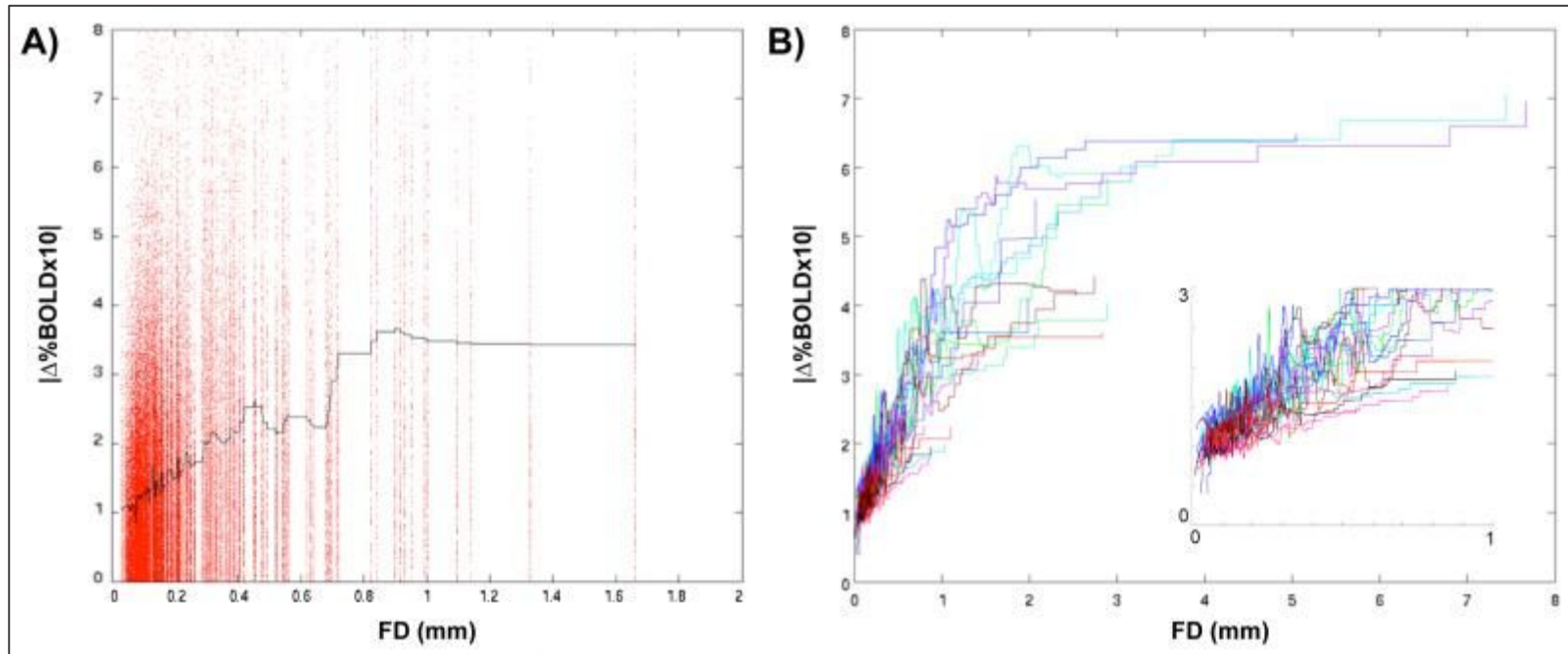
Motion Outliers for Subject 08





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