

# BrainIAK Tutorials: User-friendly tutorials for cutting-edge MVPA methods

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## Goal

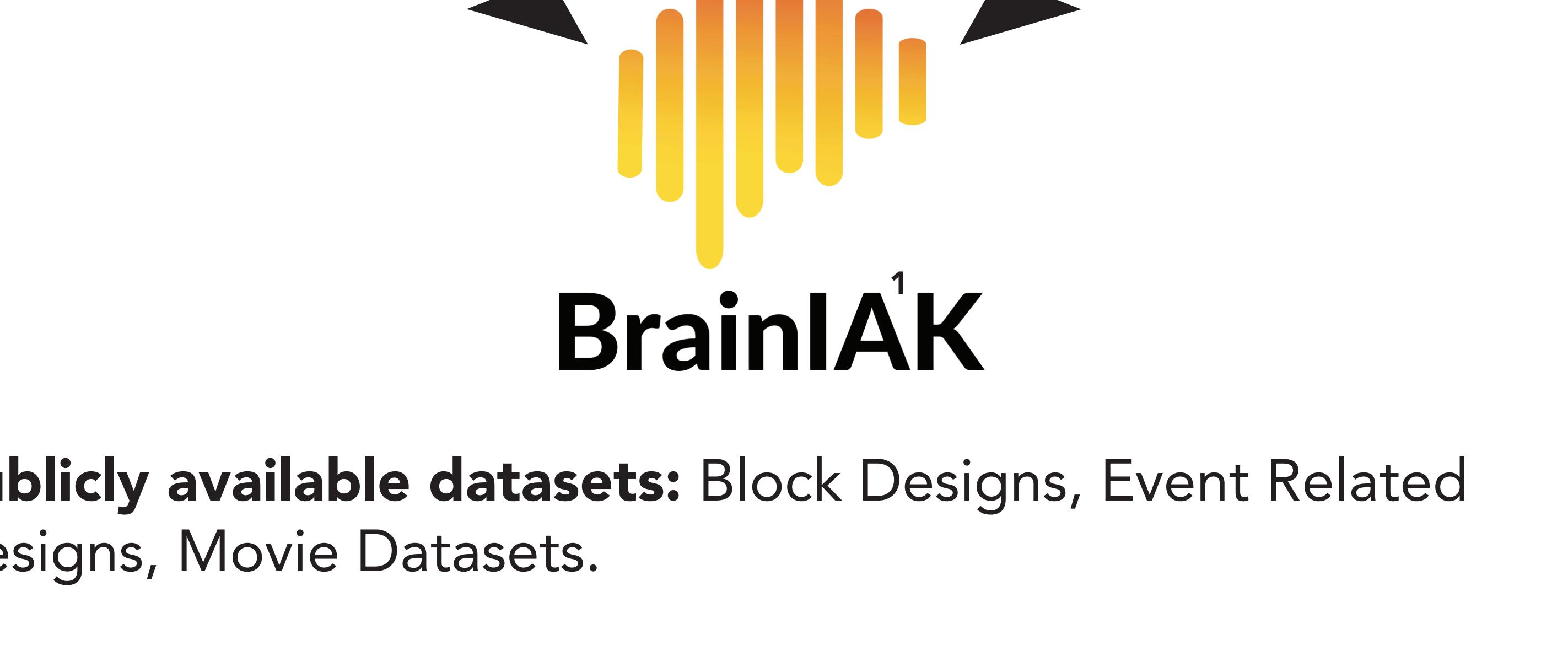
Create user-friendly learning materials for advanced fMRI analysis.



## Methods

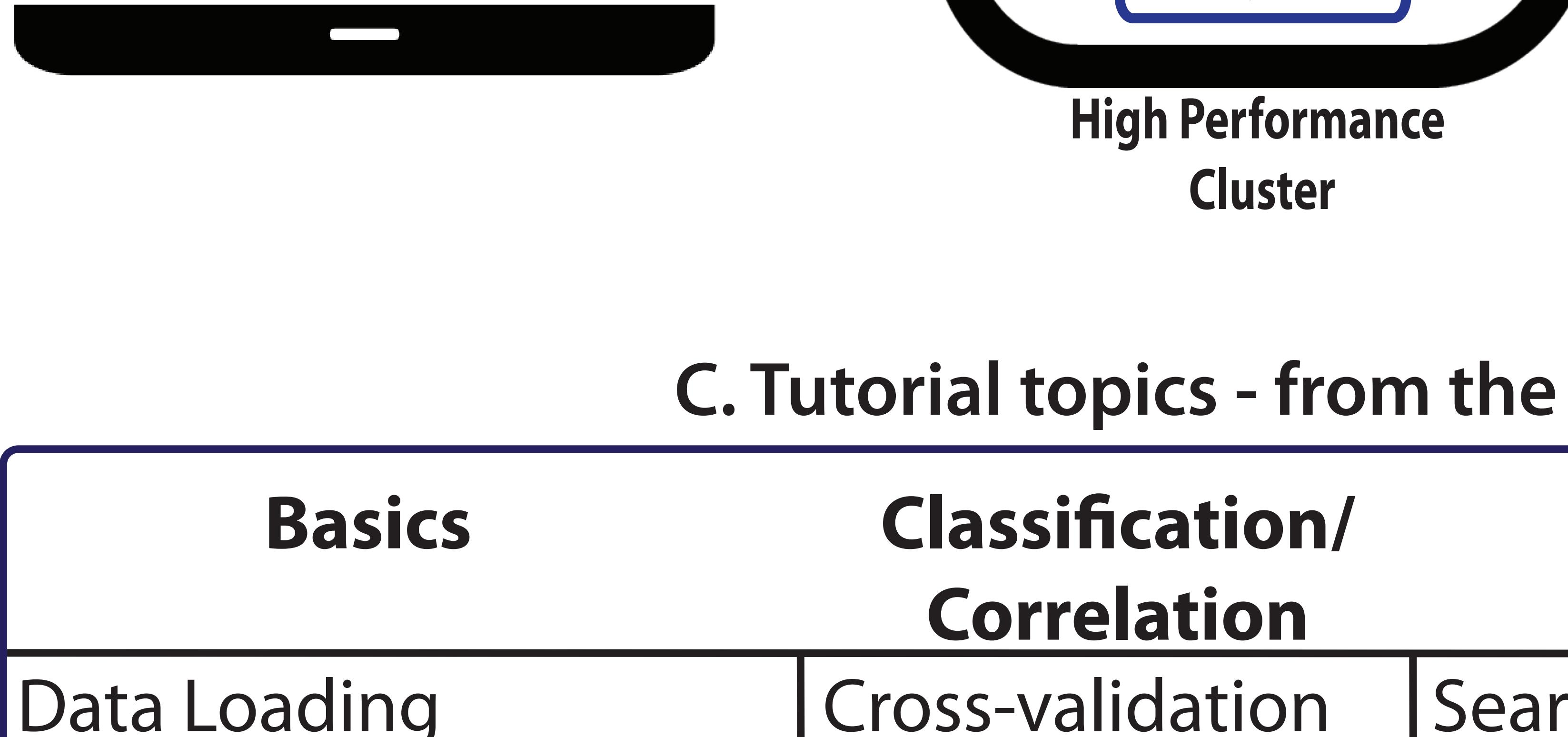
Tools:  bash scripts, SLURM

Packages:

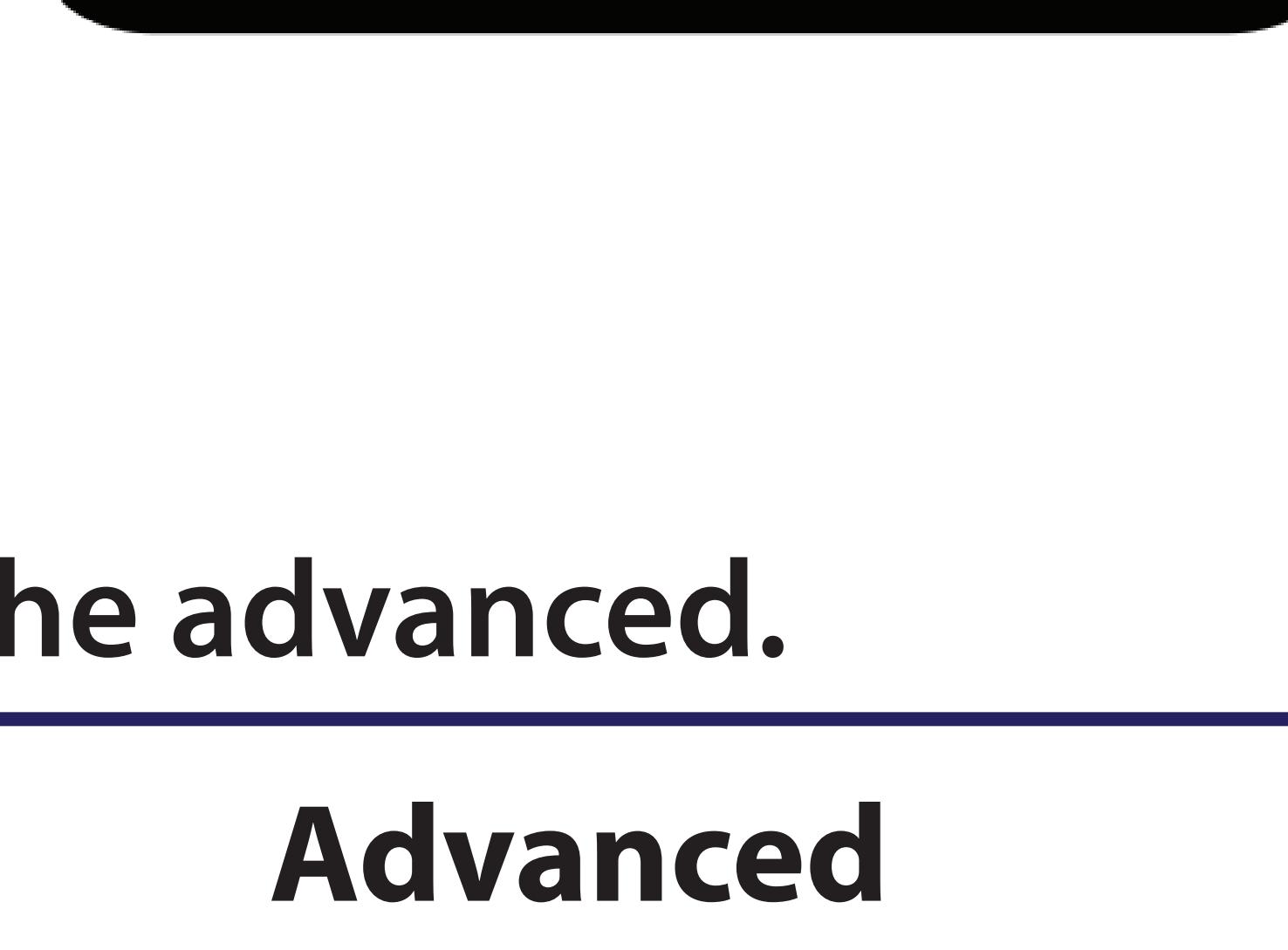


**Publicly available datasets:** Block Designs, Event Related Designs, Movie Datasets.

## A. Tutorial architecture at Yale



## B. Tutorial on individual machine



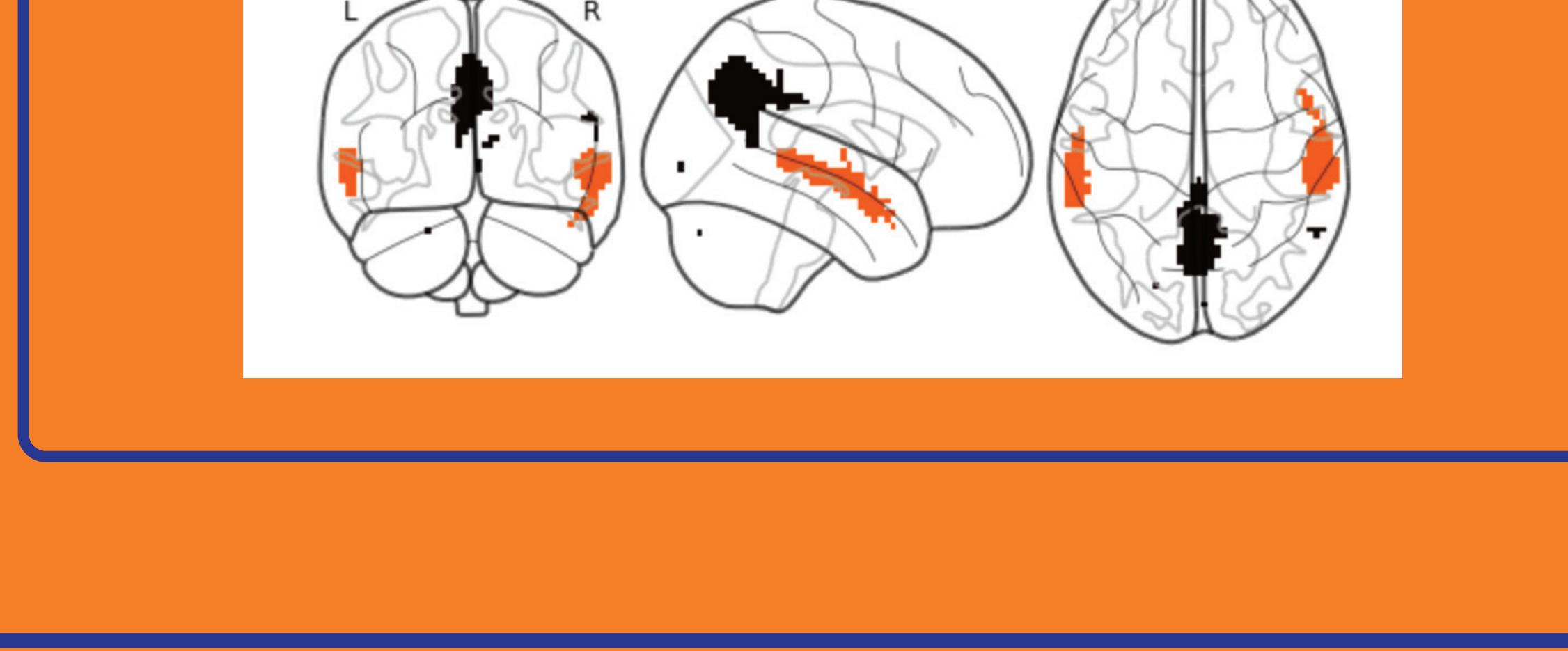
## C. Tutorial topics - from the basics to the advanced.

Basics	Classification/ Correlation	Advanced Techniques
Data Loading	Cross-validation	Searchlights
Z-scoring	Dimensionality Reduction	Connectivity: Full Correlation Matrix Analysis <sup>5,6</sup>
Plotting Time-Series	RSA	Functional Alignment: Inter-Subject Correlation <sup>3</sup> , Inter-Subject Functional Correlation <sup>4</sup> , Shared Re- sponse Model <sup>2</sup>
Haemodynamic Shift	Pipelines	Real-time fMRI <sup>7</sup>

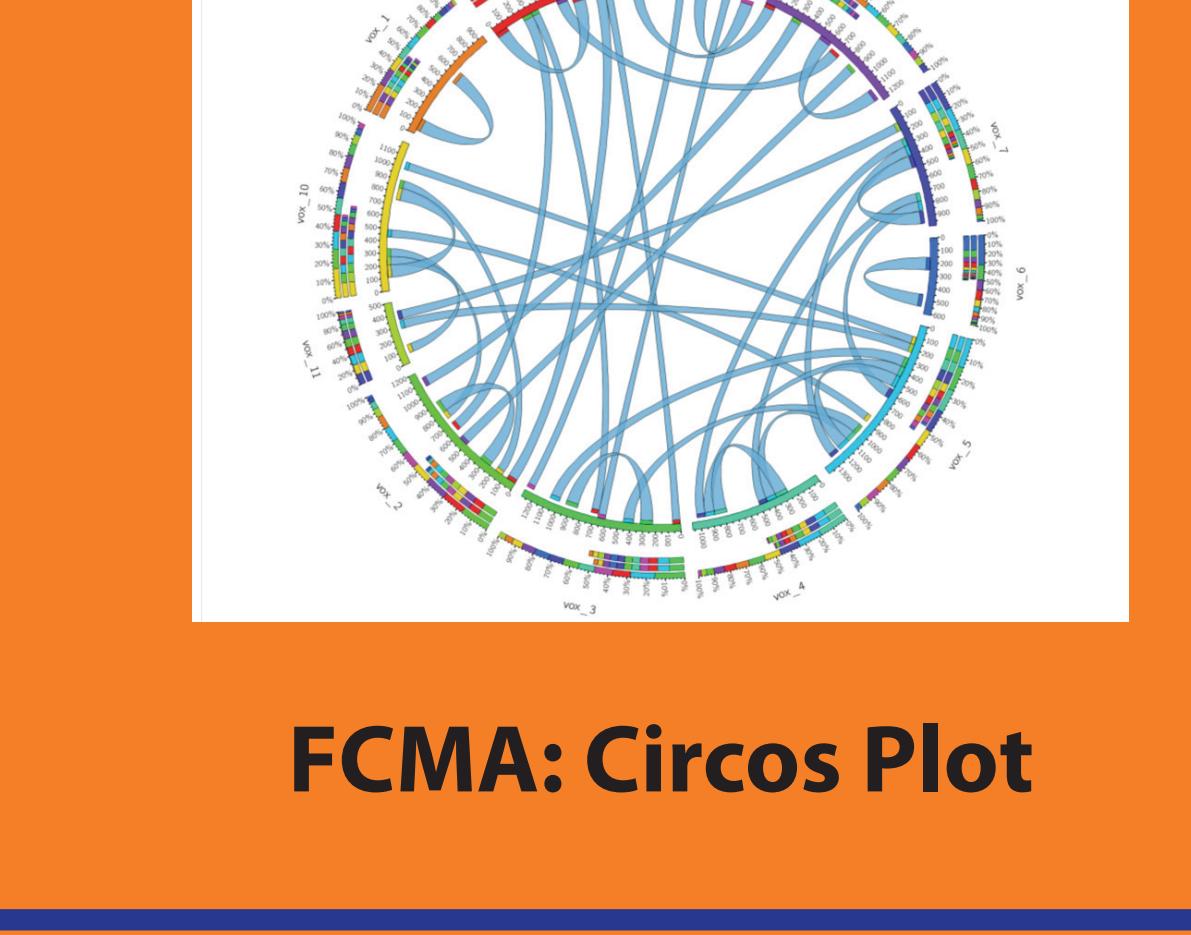
## D. Samples of student generated plots



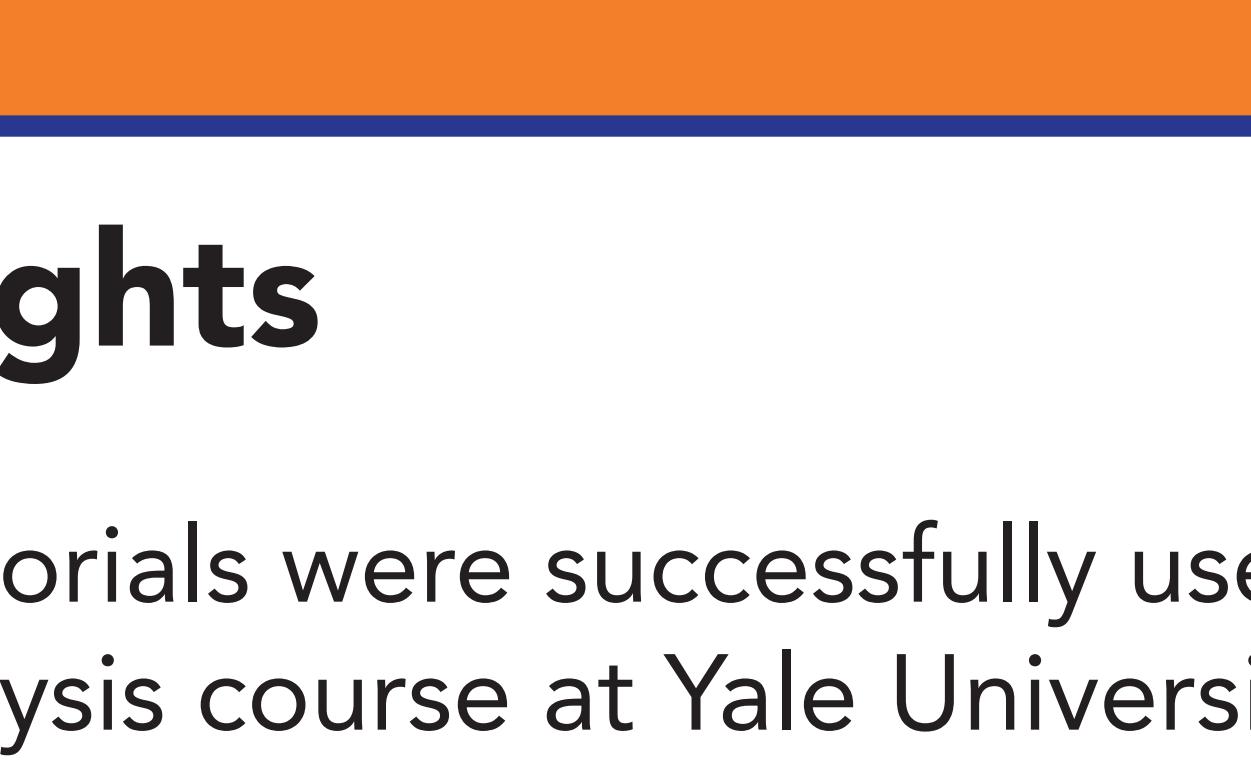
Haemodynamic Shift



ISFC Clustering



Parcel Correlation Matrix



Classification Accuracy

## Highlights

These tutorials were successfully used as part of an advanced fMRI analysis course at Yale University.

Novice users were performing advanced analysis by the end of the course.

These materials can be easily integrated with other teaching materials.

## Future Work

These materials are undergoing alpha-testing currently.

Public release is planned in late Fall 2018.  
To view sample tutorials and get updates,  
please fill out this form using the QR code.



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