DRAMMS Software Flyer

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1 Introduction

DRAMMS is a deformable image registration software package designed for 2D-to-2D and 3D-to-3D image registrations. In the spring 2014, it has also been extended to 4D-DRAMMS (for sptail-temporal longitudinal analysis), and population-wise-DRAMMS (for unbiased atlas construction of images from a population). Figure 1 shows some typical applications, including,

- Cross-subject registration of the same organ (brain, breast, cardiac, etc);
- Mono- and Multi-modality registration (MRI, CT, histology);
- Longitudinal registration (pediatric brain growth, cancer development, etc);
- Registration under partial missing correspondences (small lesions, tumors, histological cuts).

DRAMMS Homepage: http://www.cbica.upenn.edu/sbia/software/dramms/index.html DRAMMS Manual: http://www.cbica.upenn.edu/sbia/software/dramms/_downloads/DRAMMS_Software_Manual.pdf

2 System Requirement

OS: UNIX/LINUX or Mac.

File formats: ANALYZE 7.5 (.hdr+.img) or NIfTI-1 (.hdr+.img, .nii, .nii.gz) images.

Datatypes: byte, uint8, int8, short, int16, uint16, float, float32, int32.

Memory: DRAMMS consumes considerable amount of memory (\sim 50MB for 2D images, and \sim 6GB

for a typical pair of brain MR images $256 \times 256 \times 150$).

3 Download and Install

Download: http://www.cbica.upenn.edu/sbia/software/dramms/download.html.
Install: http://www.cbica.upenn.edu/sbia/software/dramms/installation.html. Requires
CMake (version 2.8 or above) and GCC (version 4.1 or above).

4 Usage

Default usage below will get reasonable results in most cases.

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dramms -S ${SourceImage} -T ${TargetImage}
    -0 ${RegisteredImage_S2T} -D ${Deformation_S2T}
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More specific usage including parameter tuning in various scenarios can be found in Tutorial page http://www.cbica.upenn.edu/sbia/software/dramms/tutorials.html.

Brain Images With Skull, Raw Images Pediatric Longitudinal Skull-stripped With Lesion With Tumor Recurrence Mouse Brain, Longitudinal Cardiac Images Cross-Subjects, Pure Heart **Longitudinal** Breast Images Prostate Images Longitudinal Multi-Modality (Histology/MRI)

Figure 1: Some typical DRAMMS applications.

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