

Figure 1 – Example outcome of data pre-processing of rat LFP and cortical EEG signals for a single animal from the control (A-C) or the 6-OHDA lesioned (D-F) groups. (A) Full length of LFP recordings taken from the globus pallidus (GP), striatum (STR) and subthalamic nucleus (STN) each with multiple (4-8) channels. There is also a cortical EEG signal targeted to motor cortex (fEEG). Raw data is shown in blue whilst preprocessed signals are overlaid in red. Data was down sampled from native 255-256 Hz to a uniform 250 Hz for all animals. The data was then de-meaned, notch filtered for line noise and then high pass filtered at 4Hz. For spectral analysis data was then epoched into 2 second segments. Segments contaminated by muscle artefact were removed using Z-thresholding as described in the text. Data for continuous analysis (DFA) were not epoched but instead large transients were removed and then missing data interpolated. All data was truncated by 2 seconds from both the start and end of the signal. (B) Same as (A) but for a smaller scale. (C) Multitaper spectral estimates for single animal across all channels. Inlaid is same spectra but at finer resolution to examine frequencies between 4 and 30 Hz.

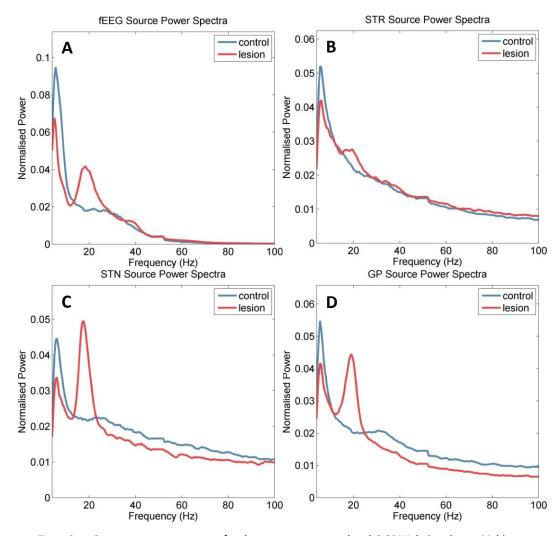


Figure 2 – Group mean power spectra for the two groups: control and 6-ODHA lesioned rats. Multitaper spectral estimates were computed and then averaged across all animals and available channels. Spectra are show for (A) feeG signal recorded from intracranial screw electrode targeted to the motor cortex. (B) Striatum (C) Subthalamic Nucleus, and (D) Globus Pallidus Externus. Clear differences in beta power can be seen between groups with the control group showing an absence of a peak between 13-30 Hz.

## **Coherence/WPLI**

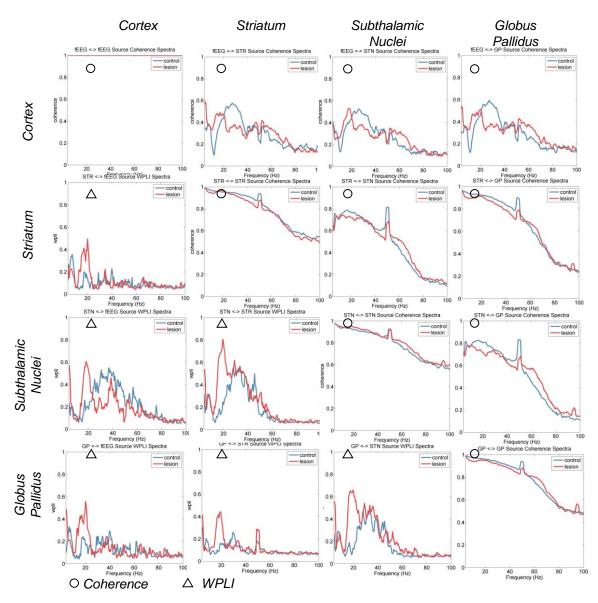


Figure 3 – Connectivity matrix between signals from differing recording sites. Functional connectivity is measured with either coherence (ο) or the weighted phase lag index (WPLI, Δ). Metrics were computed for both the control and 6-OHDA lesioned experimental groups. (On and Above Diagonal) It can be seen that when measuring with coherence there is a high degree of correlation across a wide band, particularly for the LFP recordings which were taken in close spatial proximity. Cortical connectivity (from fEEG) suggests some evidence for a depletion of coherence in the high beta band (24-30 Hz) for lesioned animals but an exaggerated connectivity in the low beta (~20 Hz). (Below Diagonal) When correcting for zero-lag activity (volume conduction), there is improved clarity as to the cortical connectivity. Indeed there is a raised level of interaction in the 20 Hz range but significant coherence for high beta/gamma (25-60 Hz) is mainly seen in the STN. From the network topology this would suggest influence in this range from the hyper-direct pathway that bypasses striatum.

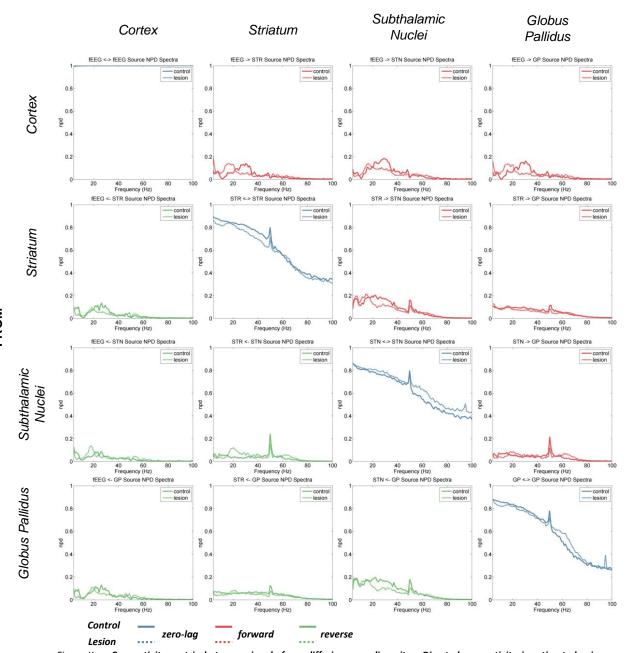


Figure X — Connectivity matrix between signals from differing recording sites. Directed connectivity is estimated using non-parametric directionality (NPD) estimated from the multi-taper spectral estimate. By conversion from frequency to time domain, the spectra are decomposed into forward, zero and reverse components. Spectra were estimated for both the control and 6-OHDA lesioned group of rats and results are shown as a group average. The legend is given below the matrix. (On and Above Diagonal) Connectivity is plot across 0-100 Hz and at a wider scale. It can be seen that the subcortical signals are dominated by a large zero lag component largely unchanged by 6-OHDA.

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