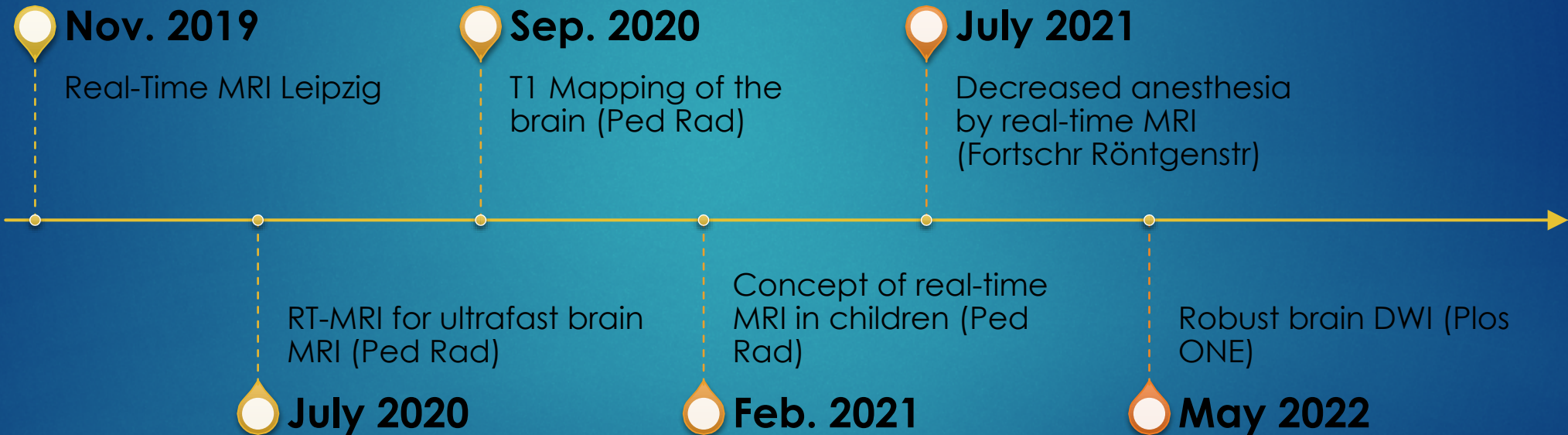


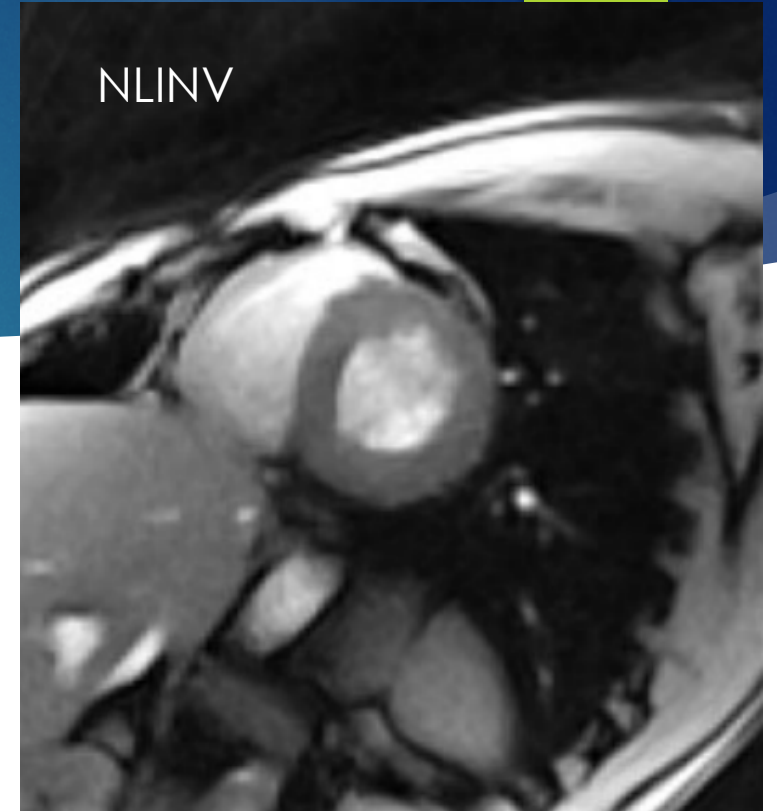
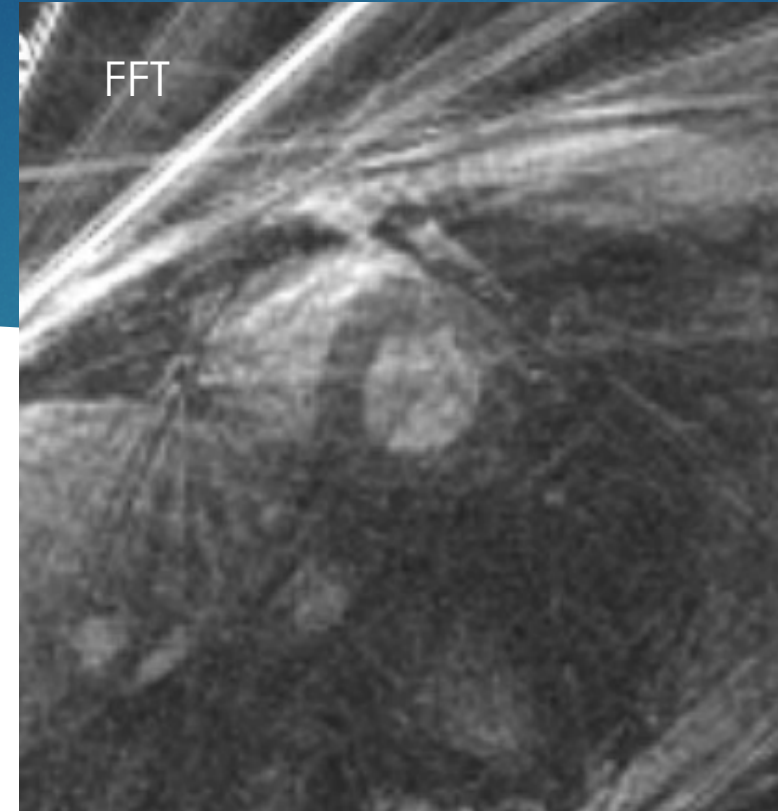
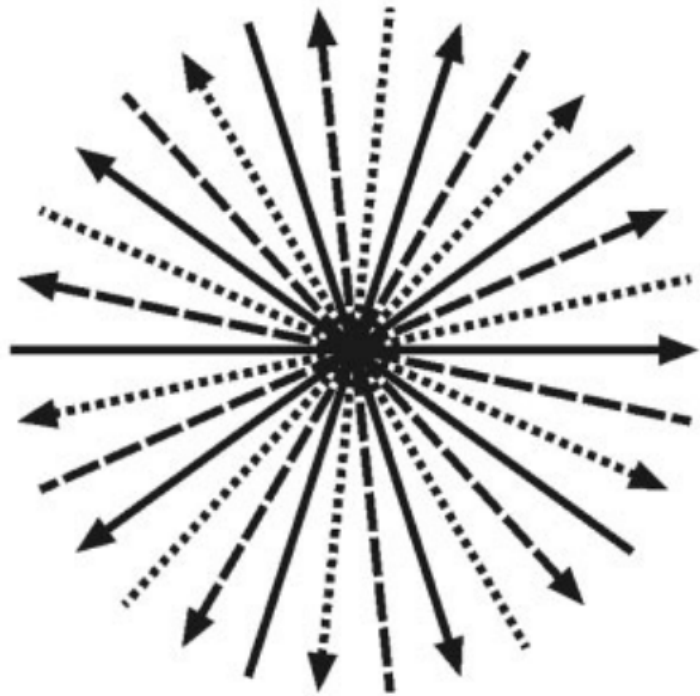


Guy-Sebag Grant 2019: Real-time cardiac MRI

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Timeline





5 spokes, 30ms

Nonlinear inverse reconstruction
(of undersampled data)

Prerequisites



Fast gradients
Multi-channel coils

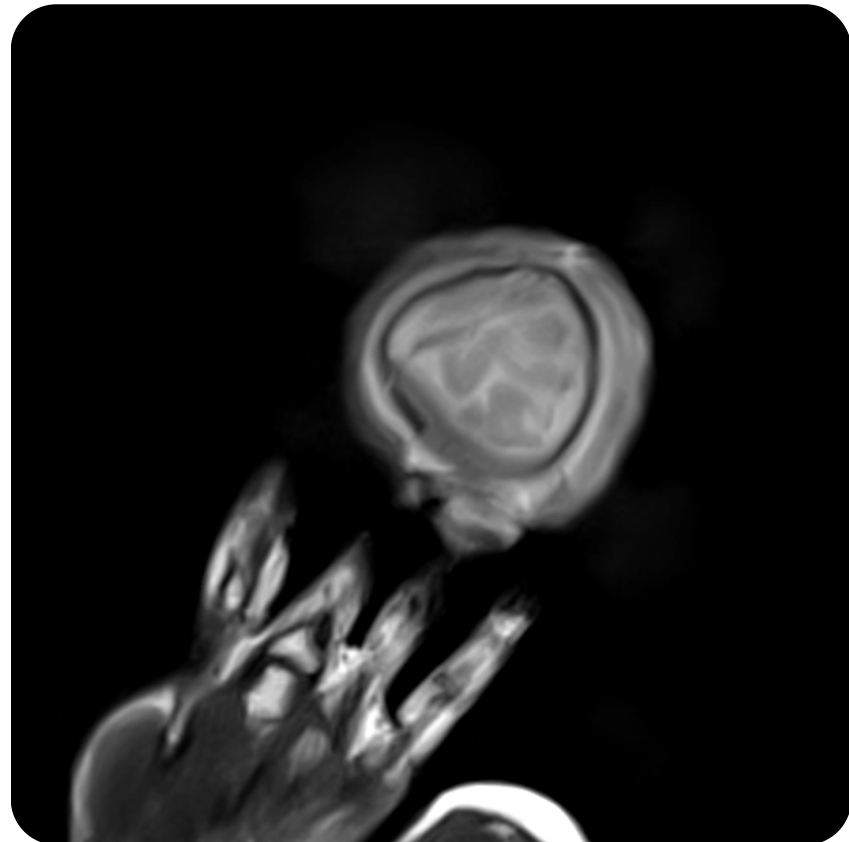
$$y_j(t) = \int_{\Omega} dx' \rho(x') c_j(x') e^{-i\vec{k}(t)\vec{x}}$$

Algorithms



GPU Cluster (8 high
end graphic cards)


Ultrafast Brain MRI without sedation



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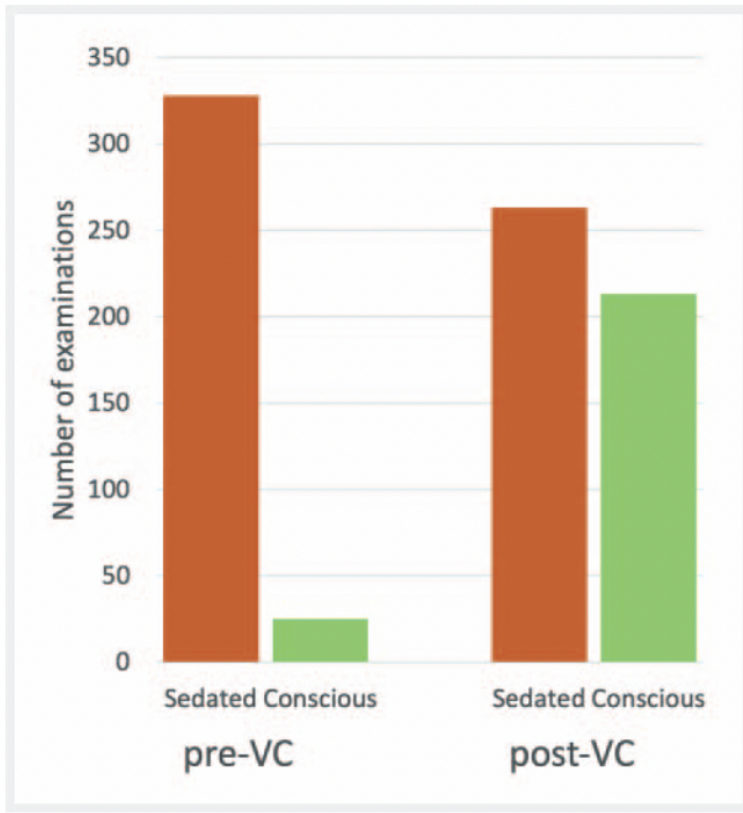
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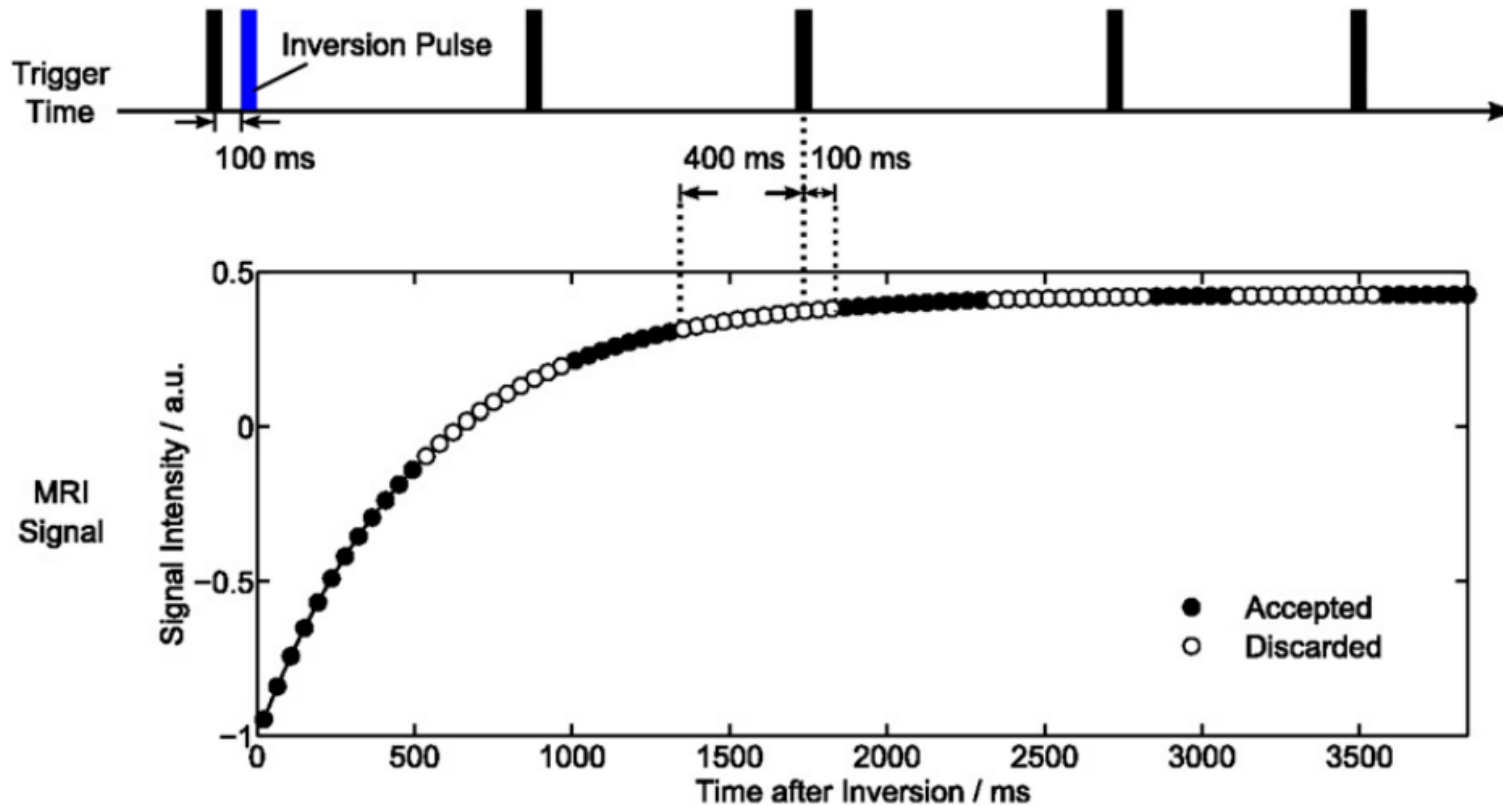
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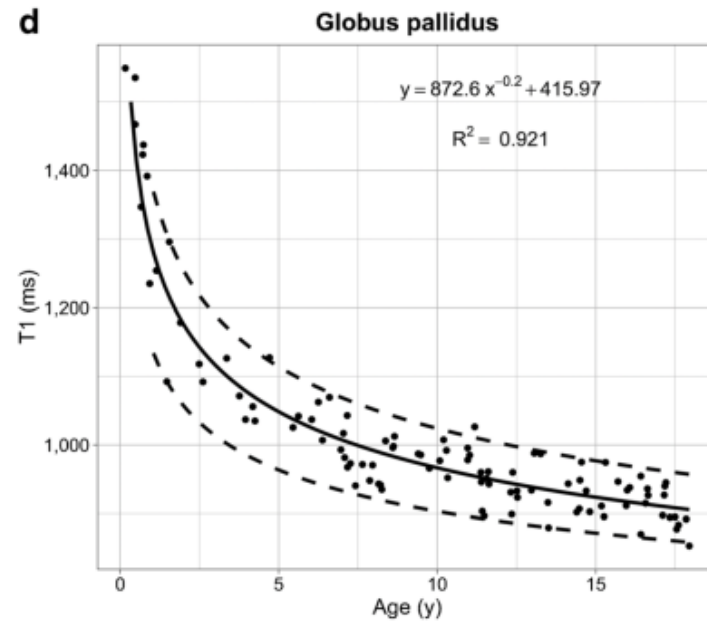
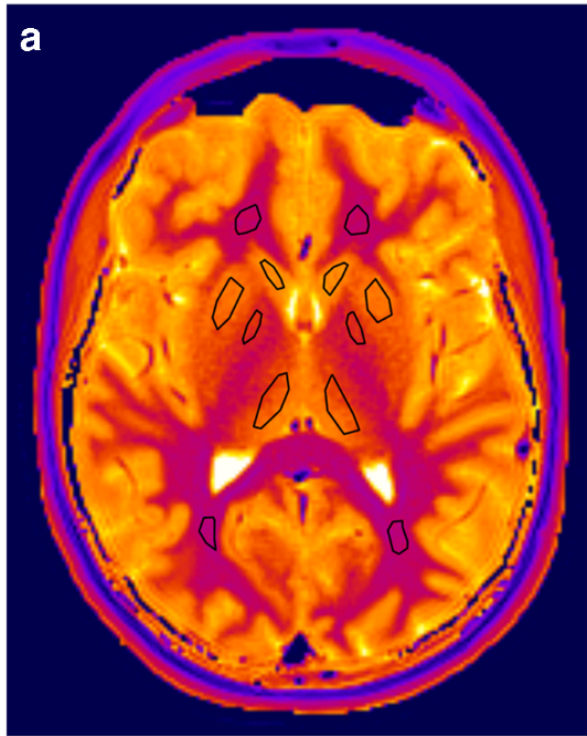
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T1 Mapping of the brain





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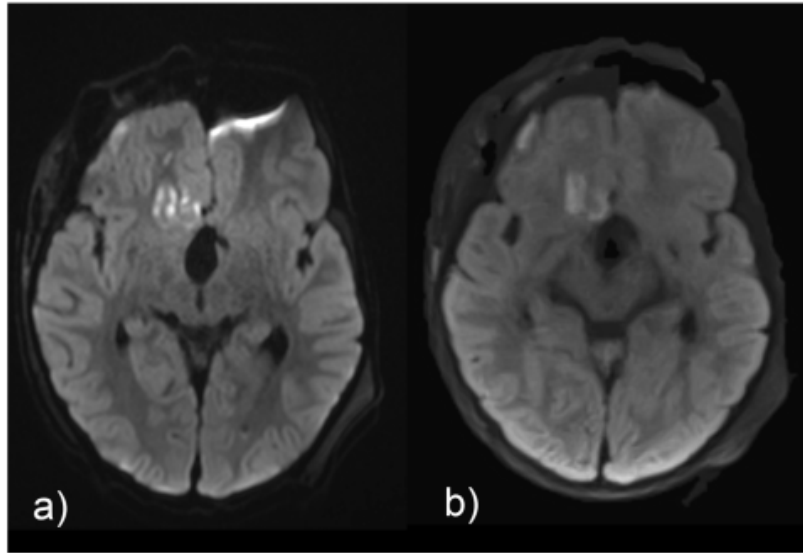
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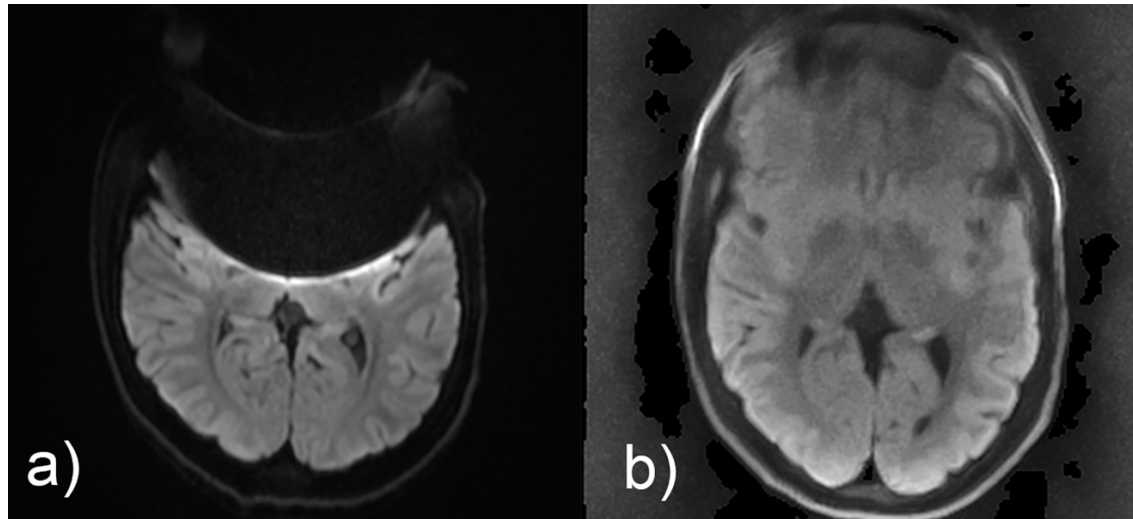


a)

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EPI

STEAM



a)

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Robust brain DWI

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RESEARCH ARTICLE

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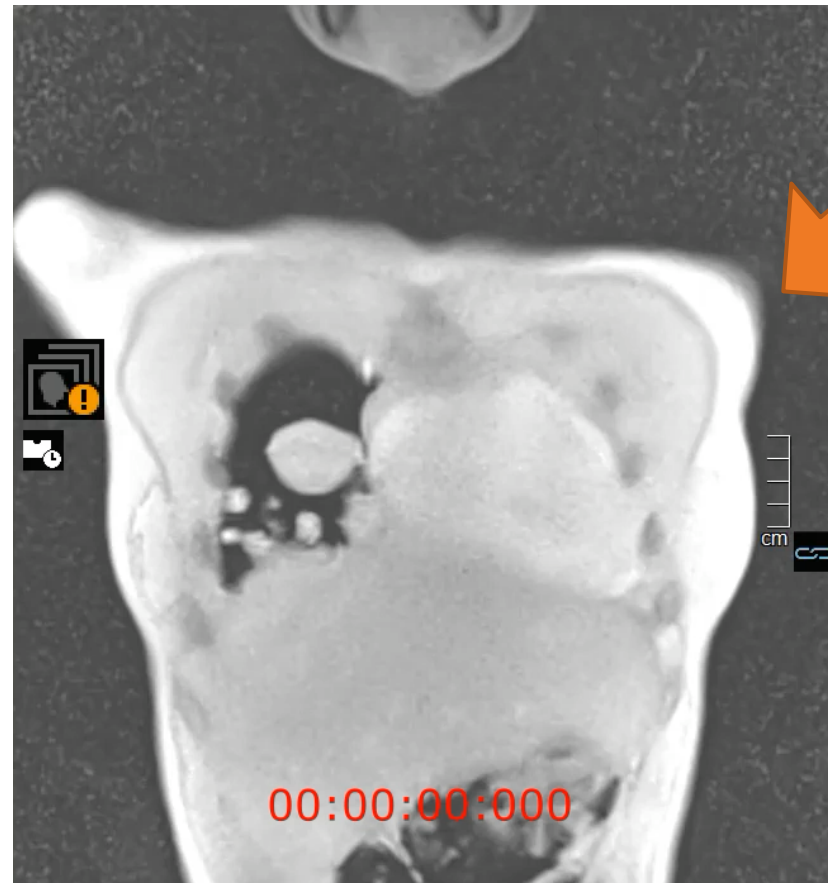
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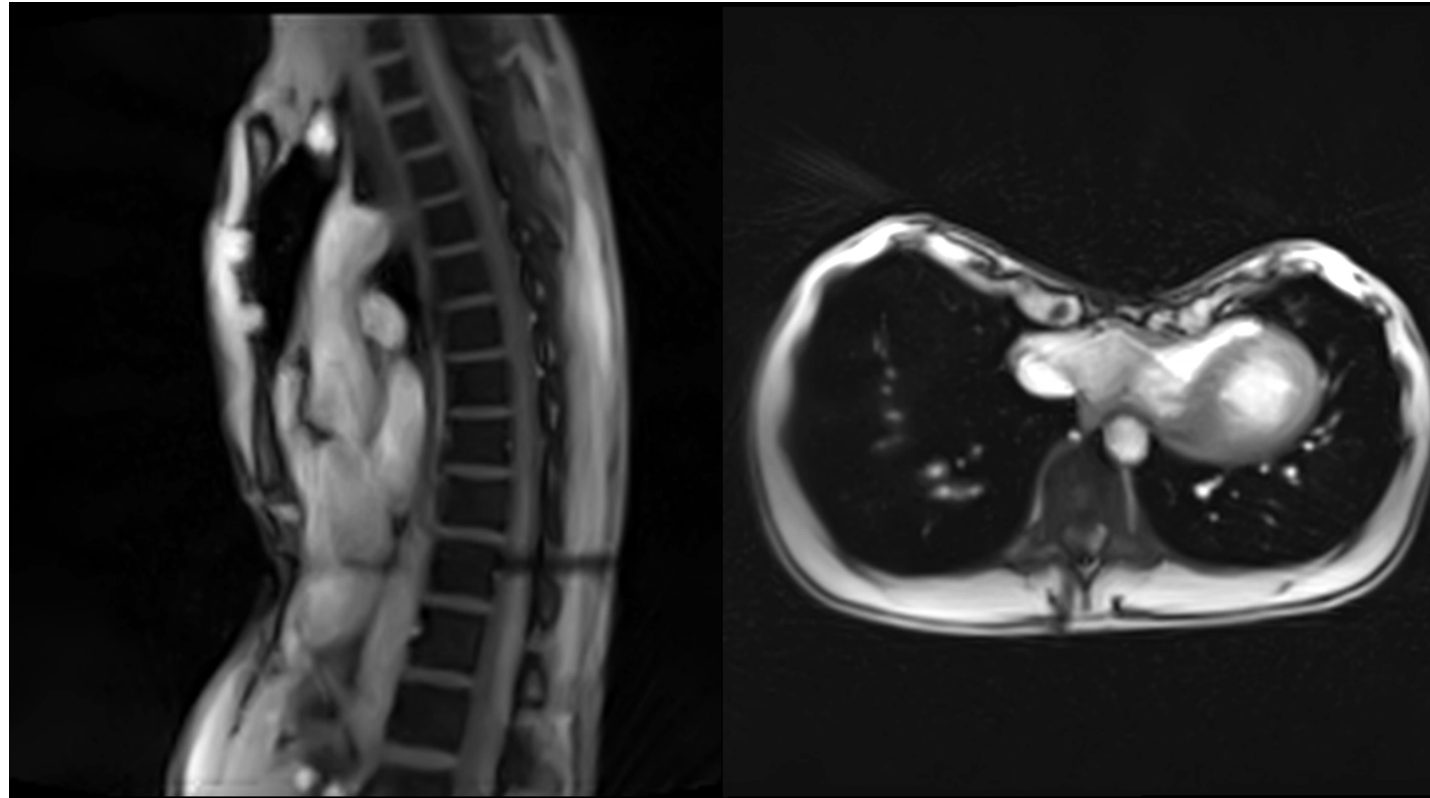
Real-time lung MRI



Real time !

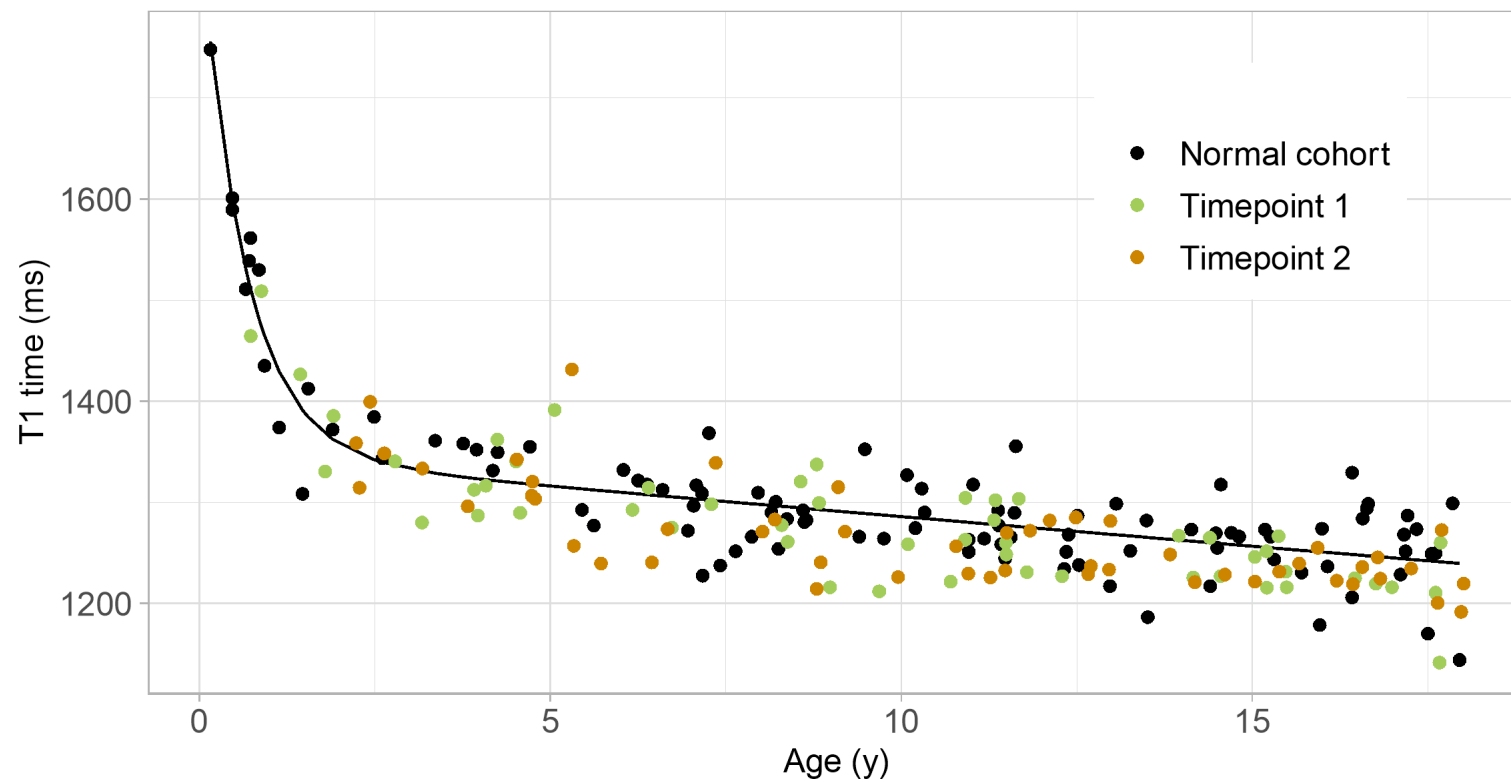


Pectus excavatum (in review)



Gadobutrol deposition by T1 Mapping

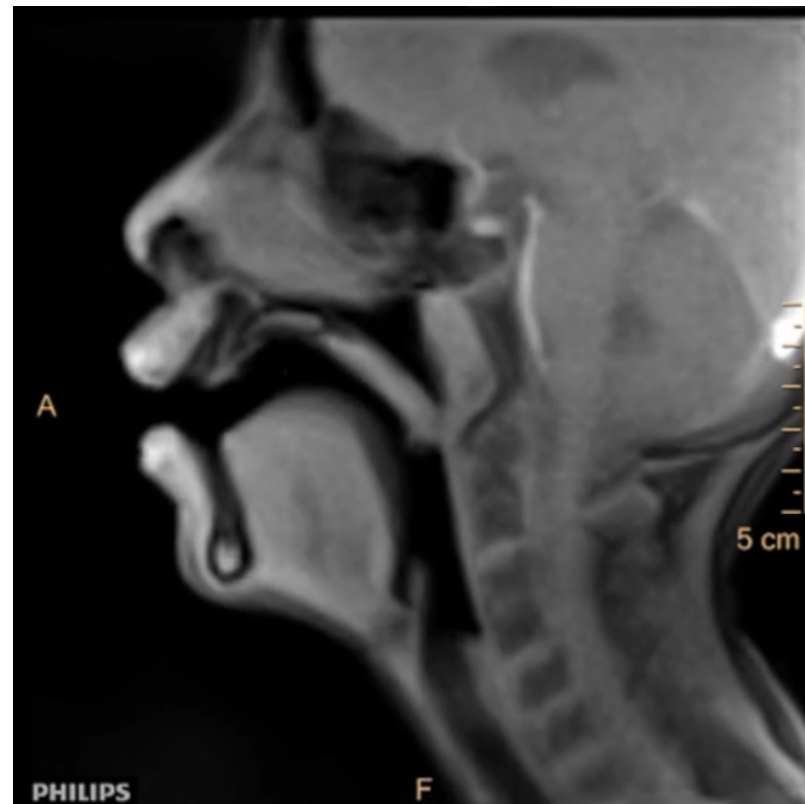
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Ongoing projects

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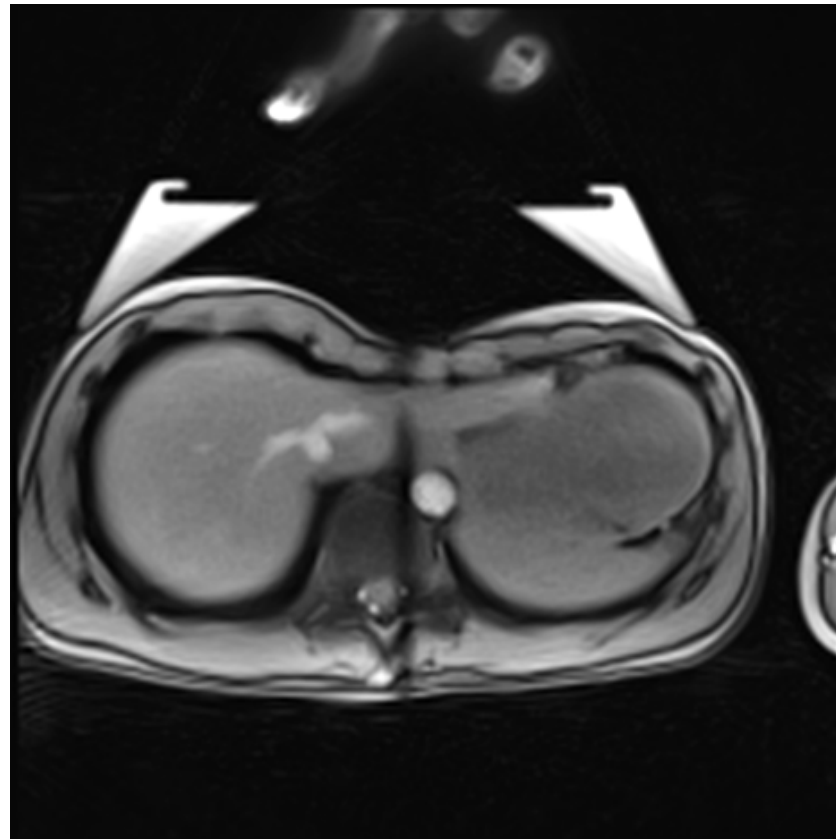
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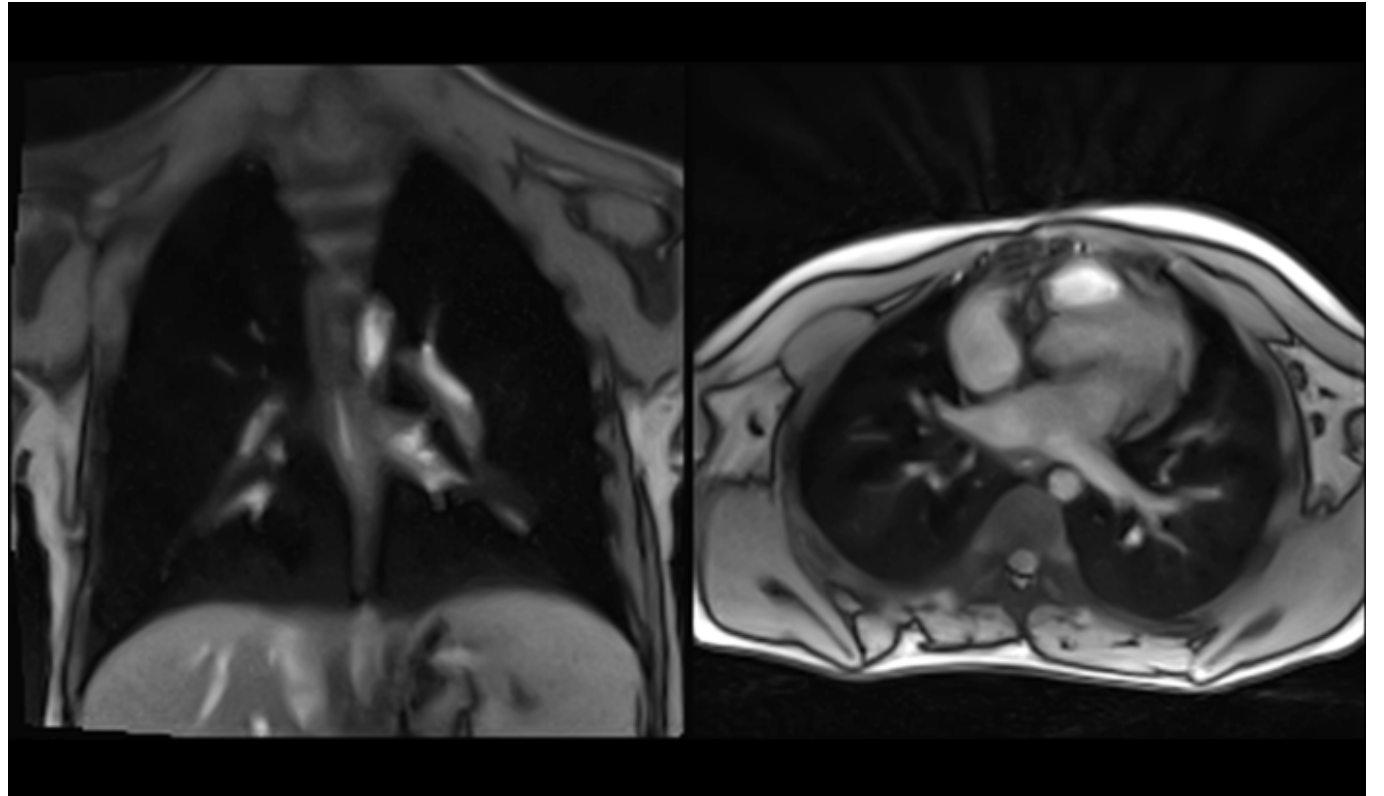
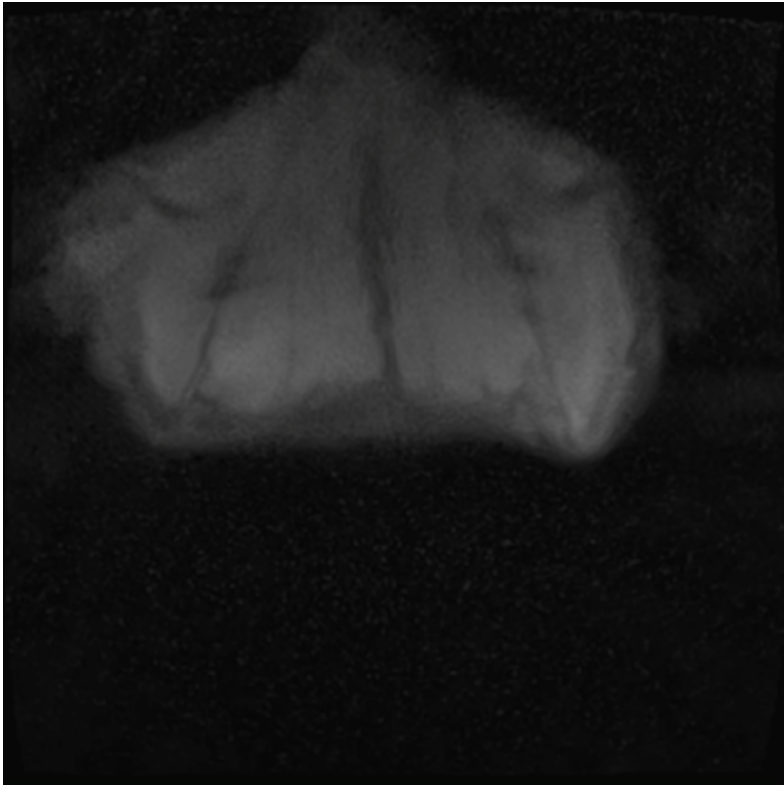
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Ultrafast scoliosis protocol

Pectus excavatum with vacuum bell



Sequelae after esophageal atresia





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