

# Sample Level 3 editing

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## INTRODUCTION

The ~~€~~corpus callosum (CC), containing more than 300 million axons, is; the major interhemispheric commissure ~~that~~ ~~with more than 300 million axons,~~ interconnects most of the cortical areas in the brain and is responsible for integrating ~~the~~ sensory, cognitive, motor, and learned information between two cerebral hemispheres. ~~Most of the~~ Callosal fibers enter the CC ~~attached~~ from homologous cortical areas; ~~enter to CC,~~ and course medially in a compact bundle according to ~~by~~ a topological model, ~~to terminate~~ing in the opposite ~~mirror image~~ hemisphere, as well as in heterotypical areas (Clarke and Zaidel, 1994; Witelson, 1989). Using MRI, ~~the~~ architecture and ~~the~~ morphology of the CC have been identified and extensively described. ~~Plenty s~~Studies have shown that ~~the~~ callosal morphology at the mid-sagittal region may be related to dyslexia (Hynd et al., 1995), schizophrenia (Brambilla et al., 2005; Miyata et al., 2007; Narr et al., 2002; Narr et al., 2000; Randall, 1983), ~~Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome~~ (HIV/AIDS) (Thompson et al., 2006), Williams syndrome (Luders et al., 2007; Tomaiuolo et al., 2002), Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) (Giedd et al., 1994; Semrud-Clikeman et al., 1994; Skranes et al., 2007), and bimanual

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**Comment [TK2]:** CHECK: It is not quite clear how HIV/AIDS (a viral infection disease) can be related to CC morphology. All the other diseases listed here are brain related disorders, so it all makes sense. Consider providing some more information or omit the HIV studies from the list and just stick to a list of brain related disorders.

~~function~~ (Meyer et al., 1998; Muetzel et al., 2008).

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There are no characteristic landmarks ~~by which the mid-sagittal~~ ~~that~~ ~~can delimit the structural and functional callosal-subdivisions~~ ~~may be identified~~ ~~at the mid-sagittal section in spite of the substance of CC has been well-exposed.~~ Numerous approaches have been proposed to subdivide the CC into several geometric partitions, ~~including sectioning the CC according to its specific fractions of the maximal anterior-posterior length, particular angular rays from the callosal centroid, and several rays normal to a series of equidistant nodes on the ventral callosal boundary~~ (Clarke et al., 1989; de Lacoste et al., 1985; Duara et al., 1991; Rajapakse et al., 1996; Stievenart et al., 1997; Weis et al., 1993; Witelson, 1989). ~~Even though~~ ~~Among these reports, the landmarks subdivide the corpus callosum according to its specific fractions of the maximal anterior-posterior length, particular angular rays from the callosal centroid, and several rays normal to a series of equidistant nodes on the ventral callosal boundary.~~ ~~In spite of the topographic arrangement between the~~ ~~importance of CC topography~~ ~~and specific cerebrum lobes~~ has been ~~previously elucidated~~ ~~realized~~ (Witelson, 1989), ~~the currently available~~ ~~techniques limit acquisition of~~ ~~limit makes the topographically~~ ~~distribution acquired to~~ ~~only from experimental work with primates, clinical work with humans, and direct 50 postmortem measurements.~~ ~~It is very difficult to collect data~~ ~~from young.~~ ~~Subtle measurement from healthy young generation can hardly be achieved.~~ ~~subjects.~~

**Comment [TK4]:** CHECK: What are direct 50 postmortem measurements? Is it an industry specific term? Consider clarifying for readers not familiar with the field.

~~The~~ ~~d~~Development of diffusion tensor magnetic resonance imaging (DT-MRI) has provided a unique ~~approach for non-invasively~~

~~gathering access to the information of~~ **regarding** microstructures of white matter ~~non-invasively~~ (Basser et al., 2000). This technique reveals the major orientation of fiber tracts by measuring ~~the water~~ molecular diffusivity **of water** within fibrous brain tissues. ~~First,~~ eigenvector of **the** tensor model and ~~the~~ streamline-based tractography algorithms have been employed to reveal white matter pathways within **the** brain, ~~such as including~~ cortical spinal ~~e~~ tracts, ~~occipitofrontal fascicle and~~ ~~superior longitudinal fascicle~~ (Makris et al., 2007; Wakana et al., 2004). Furthermore, ~~subdivision of~~ distinct tissues **such as the** ~~thalamus, BA 44/45, and SMA/pre-SMA and~~ ~~internal capsule~~ **have** ~~has~~ been parcellated by utilizing underlying white matter pathways (Johansen-Berg et al., 2005; Klein et al., 2006; Zarei et al., 2007). **In addition,** ~~vertical segments of the CC have been used and for revealing~~ **visualizing top** ~~the~~ topographical distribution of fiber connections to the cortical regions ~~have been also revealed~~ (Abe et al., 2004; Dougherty et al., 2005; Hofer and Frahm, 2006; Huang et al., 2005; Park et al., 2008; Styner et al., 2005; Wahl et al., 2007; Zarei et al., 2006). **However,** ~~due to the inherent limitations of the~~ diffusion tensor model in describing neural ~~heterogeneity~~ **heterogeneity**, **it is difficult to resolve** ~~nonetheless, the neural projections of from the~~ CC toward the lateral and ~~the inferior brain regions can hardly be resolved~~ (Hofer and Frahm, 2006; Park et al., 2008).