



Body size and intracranial volume interact with the structure of the central nervous system: A multi-center in vivo neuroimaging study. Supplément

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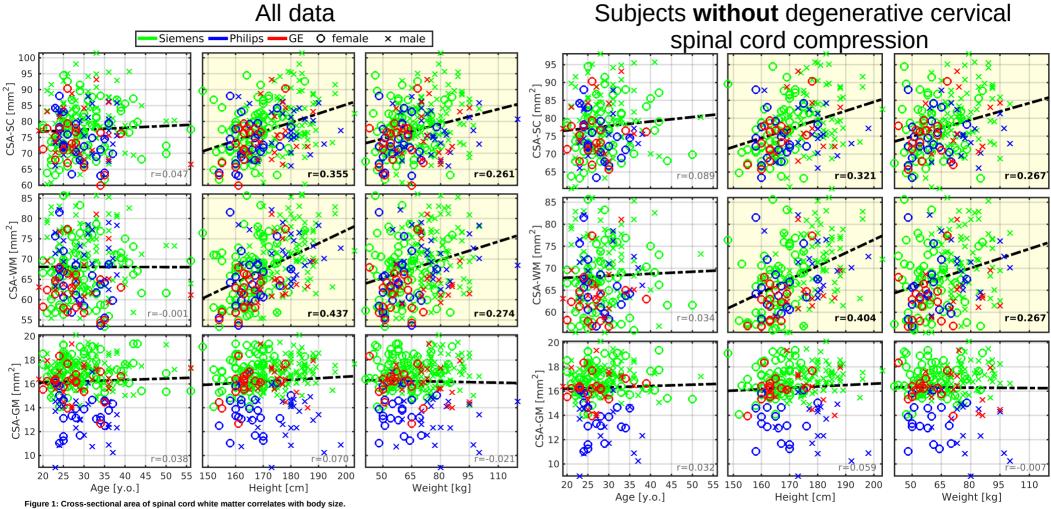
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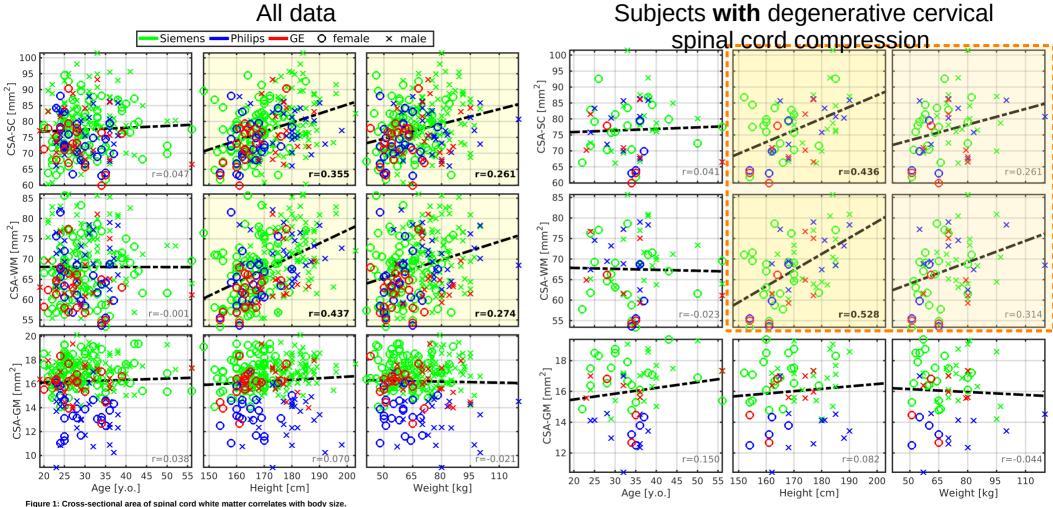
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### Figure 1 – stable correlation coefficients



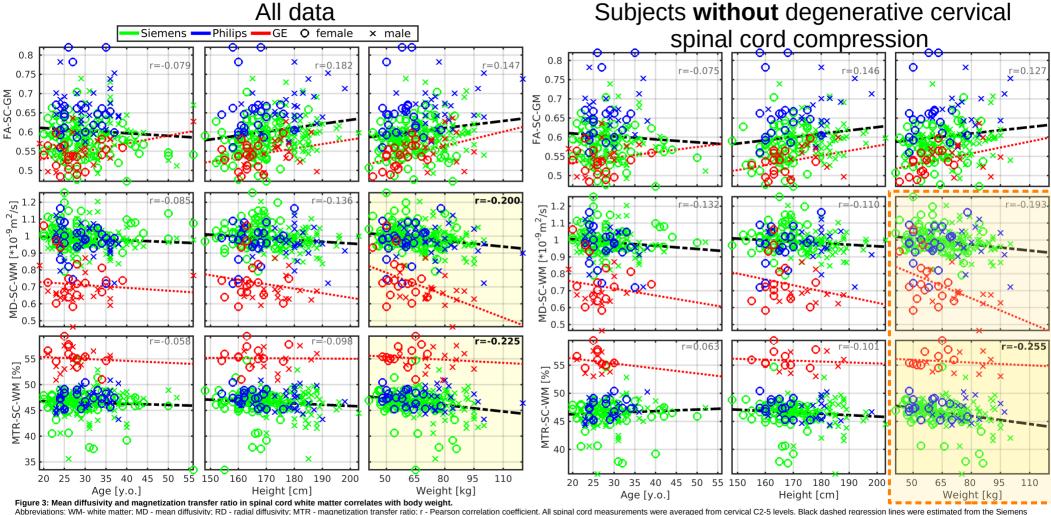
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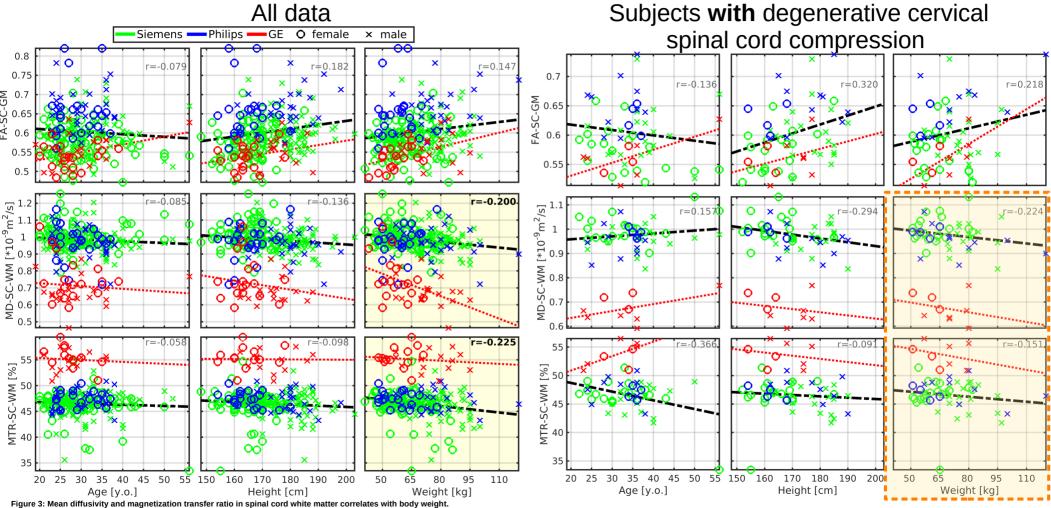
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## Figure 3 – stable correlation coefficients



breviations: WM- white matter; MD - mean diffusivity; RD - radial diffusivity; MTR - magnetization transfer ratio; r - Pearson correlation coefficient. All spinal cord measurements were averaged from cervical C2-5 levels. Black dashed regression lines were estimated from the GE scanner's data points. Plots with statistically significant correlation (pFWE<0.05) are highlighted with yellow background, and corresponding r values are highlighted with black bold font.

# Figure 3 – mostly stable correlation coefficients



Abbreviations: WM- white matter; MD - mean diffusivity; RD - radial diffusivity; MTR - magnetization transfer ratio; r - Pearson correlation coefficient. All spinal cord measurements were averaged from cervical C2-5 levels. Black dashed regression lines were estimated from the Siemens and Philips scanners' data points. Red dotted regression lines were estimated from the GE scanner's data points. Plots with statistically significant correlation (pFWE<0.05) are highlighted with yellow background, and corresponding r values are highlighted with black bold font.

### Figure 5b – stable correlation coefficients



Subjects **without** degenerative cervical spinal cord compression

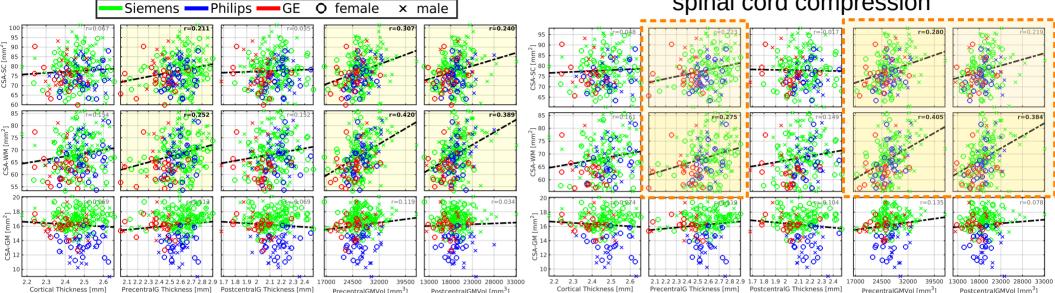


Figure 5: Cortical morphology correlates with body size, age, and cross-sectional area of the spinal cord white matter.

Abbreviations: CSA - cross-sectional area; SC - spinal cord; WM - white matter; GM - gray matter; Precentral gyrus; Postcentral gyrus; Vol - volume; r - Pearson correlation coefficient. Regression lines (i.e., the dashed black lines) were estimated from all available data points. Plots with statistically significant correlation (pFWE<0.05) are highlighted with yellow background, and corresponding r values are highlighted with black bold font. Graphs demonstrate correlation with CSA measured in the SC region as averages from cervical C3-4

# Figure 5b – stable correlation coefficients

All data

Subjects with degenerative cervical spinal cord compression

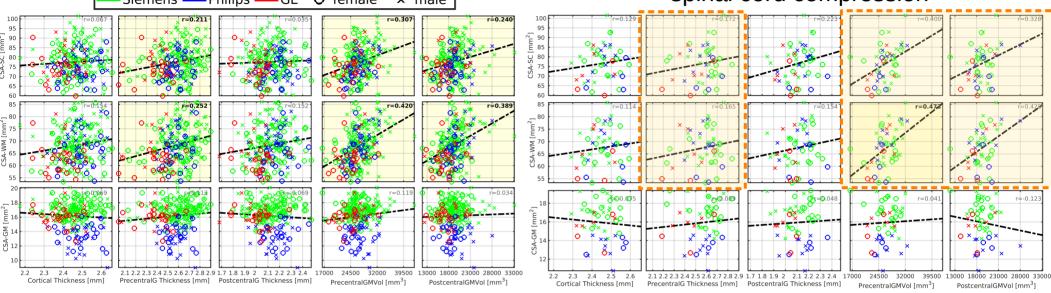
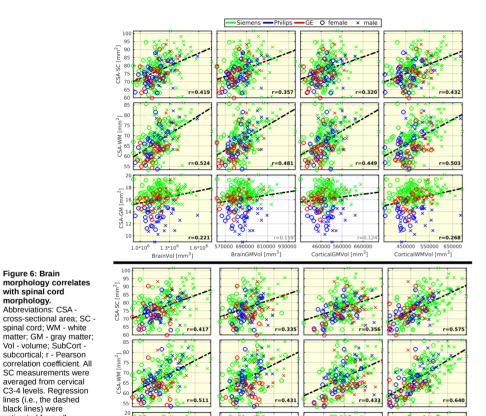


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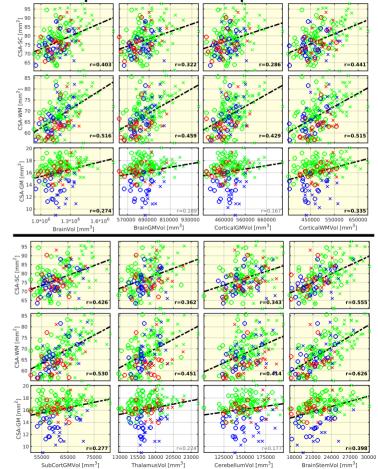
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#### Figure 6 – stable correlation coefficients

All data



Subjects without degenerative cervical spinal cord compression



75000

SubCortGMVol [mm3]

13000 15500 18000 20500 23000

ThalamusVol [mm3]

CerebellumVol [mm3]

BrainStemVol [mm3]

Figure 6: Brain morphology correlates with spinal cord morphology. Abbreviations: CSA -

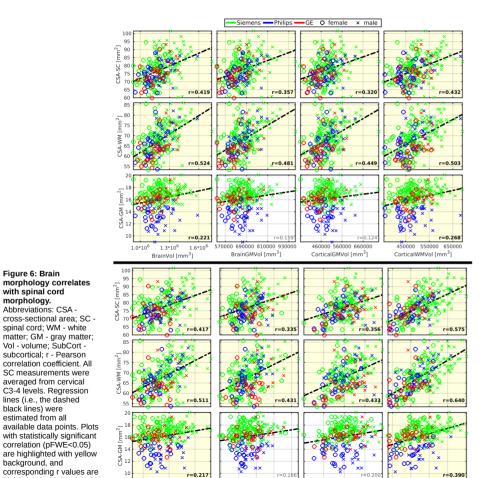
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Vol - volume; SubCort subcortical; r - Pearson

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