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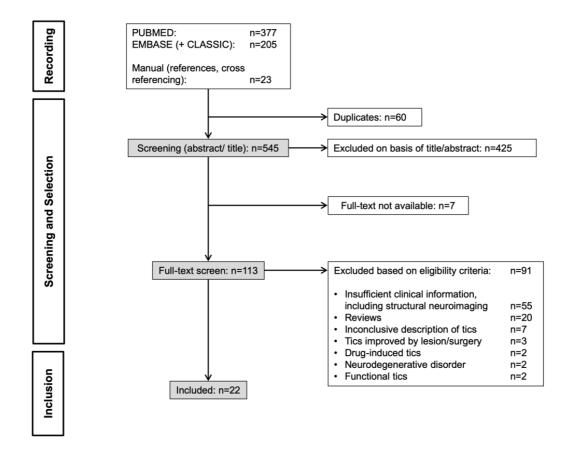
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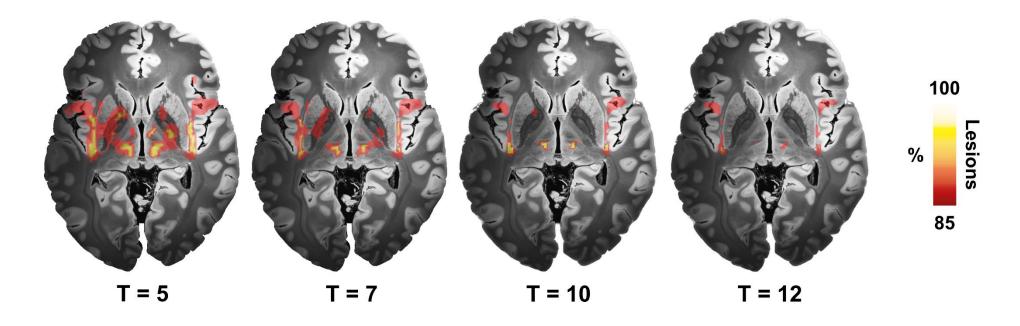
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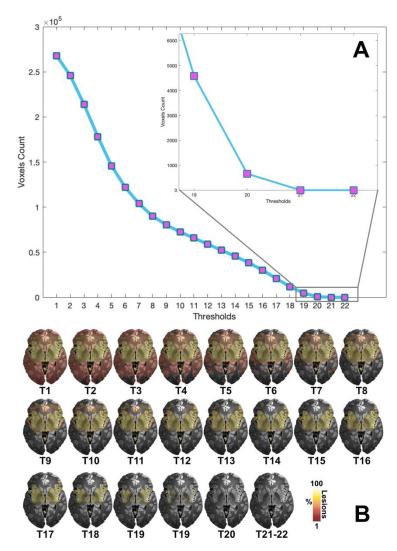
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Supplementary Figure 1 Flow diagram of data acquisition.



Supplementary Figure 2 Replication of lesion network map using different T-map thresholds. T indicates the T-score threshold used to generate different lesion network maps.



Supplementary Figure 3 (A) Lesion network map voxel count distribution in different thresholding levels indicated as number of lesions on the x axis. **(B)** Lesion network maps showing different distribution of voxels surviving the serial thresholding level (T).

Supplementary Table 1 Clinical characteristics of tic-inducing lesion cases

Case Nr/Ref	Year	Age at lesion confirmation (y)/Age at tic onset (y)/Sex	Latency to tic onset* (months)	Lesion etiology	Lesion captured [imaging modality]	Clinical tic characteristics	Suppressibility / Urges	Concurrent Movement Disorders#	Neuropsychiatric comorbidities	Sources of Funding
11	2011	19/20/M	12	Traumatic brain injury	Scattered lesions in corpus callosum, right putamen capsule, dorsal aspect of mesencephalon and cerebral convexity (grey/white matter interface) [MRI]	Eyelid tics, facial grimacing, clenching fists; sniffing, grunting, throat clearing	Yes/Yes	Ataxia	Impulsivity, Attention and learning difficulties,	None reported
2 ²	2002	7/8/F	15	Traumatic brain injury	Lesion of the left putamen, globus pallidus, head of caudate, and internal capsule. [MRI]	Blinking, shoulder and arm jerks, trunk flexion, echopraxia; grunts, clicking noises, vocalisations, coprolalia, echolalia	Yes/NA	Ataxia	Short attention span, impaired short-term memory, disinhibited behavior	None reported
3 ³	2002	NA/8.5/M	6	Hemorrhagic stroke	Lesion of the right putamen and caudate nucleus [MRI]	Eye blinking, head jerking and shoulder shrugging, blowing air onto palm, compulsive scratching, head nodding, dystonic cervical tics, stretching and thrusting of neck; urge to sniff	Yes/Yes	Dystonia	ADHD, OCD, SIB (repetitive scratching)	NA
44	2008	71/71/M	0.75	Ischemic stroke	Acute ischemic lesion of left caudate nucleus [MRI]	Vocalizations ("a")	Yes/Yes	None	NA	NA
5 ⁵	2009	73/73/M	8	Ischemic lesions	Patchy ischemic lesions in the basal ganglia, periventricular white matter, centrum semiovale [MRI]	Nose picking, touching his nose, jerks on the legs, jumping up, blowing nose into handkerchief; shouting, startling	NA/Yes	None	Anxiety, Depression	NA
66	2004	12/12/M	0.4	CO-Intoxication	Caudate nucleus and putamen bilaterally [MRI]	Repetitive smiling, speech arrest, shoulder shrugging, arm jerking, foot dorsiflexion, throat clearing, humming, lip	NA/NA	None	NA	NA

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7 ⁷	2003	4.5/4.7/M	2	VZV encephalitis	Changes of caudate nucleus head and putamen bilaterally, midbrain [MRI]	Head extension and flicking, upward eye deviation, nose twitching, shoulder shrugging; grunting, palilalia	NA/NA	Tremor	ADHD	Support from Action Research and the Barnwood House Trust
88	1991	6/6/F	0.5	Herpes encephalitis	Extensive changes of right temporal lobe, basal ganglia and thalamus [CT, MRI]	Eye rolling, facial grimacing, head twitching, shoulder shrugging, jumping, touching objects and body parts, making obscene gestures; grunting, sniffing, snorting sounds	Yes/NA	Possibly dystonia (overflow movements)	Personality changes with emotional lability, anxiety and hyperactivity	Public Health Service Grant Support (NIH NS 27327; HD 25806)
99	2020	28/35/M	84	Nail gunshot injury	Focal encephalomalacia of left parietal lobe [MRI]	Head turning; vocalisations ("me", "boo"), coprolalia	Yes/Yes	None	NA	None reported
1010	2012	52/52/M	10	Osmotic demyelination syndrome	Bilateral lesions of caudate nucleus and putamen, central pons and cortical areas, including insular and precentral cortex [MRI]	Dystonic tics of neck and shoulders; throat clearing	Yes/Yes	Parkinsonism	None	NA
1111	1997	33/26/M	NA	Traumatic brain injury [@]	Bilateral subcortical and periventricular leukoencephalopathic changes particularly of the frontal and the right temporoparietal white matter [MRI]	Nose rubbing, mouth opening, wringing hand movements, sniffing	No/No	None	Irritability, Distractibility, OCD, Depression	None reported
1212	2000	16/16/M	0.07	Arteriovenous malformation	Left frontal arteriovenous malformation [MRI]	Dystonic head turning, vocalisations ("yeah")	Yes/Yes	None	NA	NA
1313	1996	2/8/F	NA	Grade II astrocytoma^	Tumor involvement of optic chiasm, the hypothalamus and thalamus, internal capsule, ventral striatum, fornix,	Blinking, mouth-opening and other facial tics, throat clearing, lyrical vocal tic, adjusting glasses on nose until	NA/NA	None	Aggression	Grant support (MH 49351; MH 18268; MH 30929; NIH

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					nucleus accumbens, septal nuclei, amygdala, and midbrain, including the substantia nigra and red nuclei [MRI]	they felt "just right"	RR 06022;			
										HD 03008;
										1K20MH012 32-01;
										Tourette Syndrome Association)
1414	2009	30/30/F	NA	Multiple sclerosis	Lesions in white matter of both cerebral hemispheres, and the right cerebral peduncle, as well as the middle cerebellar peduncles and both thalami [MRI]	Blinking and other facial tics, throat clearing, palilalia, coprolalia	NA/Yes	Stereotypies	Restlessness, hyperactivity, mannerisms and stereotypies, poor impulse control, SIB (repetitive scratching)	NA
1515	2016	NA/47/M	NA	Hypoxic brain injury	Bilateral pallidal lesions [MRI]	Blinking, forehead wrinkling and jaw deviation tics, as well as arm abduction, shoulder lifting and hip twisting tics	Yes/Yes	None	None	None reported
16 ¹⁶	2003	12/NA/M	NA	Hypoxic- ischaemic damage	Bilateral lesions of thalamic and infrathalamic structures. Involvement of right midbrain. High-signal lesion in left dorsolateral caudate-putamen, with involvement of internal capsule [MRI]	Blinking, grimacing and other facial tics, head jerks, body rocking, sounds and noises, including throat clearing, whistling, reiterative speech, as well as echo- and coprolalia	Yes/NA	Dystonia	Restricted social interaction, unusual preoccupations, fixed interests and rigid insistence. Inattentive, impulsive, violent outbursts. SIB (scratching, punching himself on abdomen and legs). Compulsive masturbation.	NA
17 ¹⁷	2002	34/34/F	NA	Multiple sclerosis	Lesions in the periventricular white matter, thalamus, basal ganglia and brainstem [MRI]	Throat clearing	Yes/No	None	Fatigue	NA

1818	1999	11/6/M	NA	Cystic malformations	Multiple cystic areas in the left gyrus rectus and superior frontal gyrus [MRI]	Eye and facial tics, vocalizations	NA/NA	None	No	NA
1919	2007	NA/NA/F	NA	Autoimmune encephalitis	Abnormal signal change in striatum bilaterally [MRI]	NA	NA/NA	Parkinsonism, Dystonia	OCB, Anxiety, Dysthymia	Tourette Syndrome Association; Sophie Cameron Trust; Action Research; NHS Trust; Marie Curie Training Fellowship)
20 20	2004	34/27/F	1	CO-Intoxication	Bilateral pallidal changes [MRI]	Facial tics with mouth opening, lateral jaw movements, neck twisting and shoulder shrugging.	Yes/Yes	None	NA	NA
21 ²¹	1986	24/6/F	NA	Porencephalic cyst	Porencephalic cyst in right temporal love with involvement of basal ganglia structures [CT]	Tics of eyelids and mouth, and tongue protrusion tics. Head and shoulder tics. Diaphragmatic tics, coughs, grunting and vocalizations, including screams	NA/NA	None	NA	NA
22 ²²	2016	16/16/M	NA	Acute necrotizing encephalopathy	Symmetrical T2-hyperintense lesions involving the basal ganglia (caudate, putamen and globus pallidus) and the thalami. Additional highly symmetrical white matter changes in the centrum semiovale [MRI]	Motor and vocal tics. Palilalia	NA/NA	Parkinsonism	ADHD, OCD, Tachygraphia	None reported

^{*} from lesioning event to tic onset; # = including cerebellar signs; @ = Case 3 of the 3 reported. ^ = Case 1 of 3 reported. NA = Not Available, ADHD = Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, OCB/D = Obsessive Compulsive Behaviour/Disorder

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