

Supplementary figures 1 through 4

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Image fusion of mass spectrometry and microscopy: a new multi-modality paradigm for molecular mapping of tissue

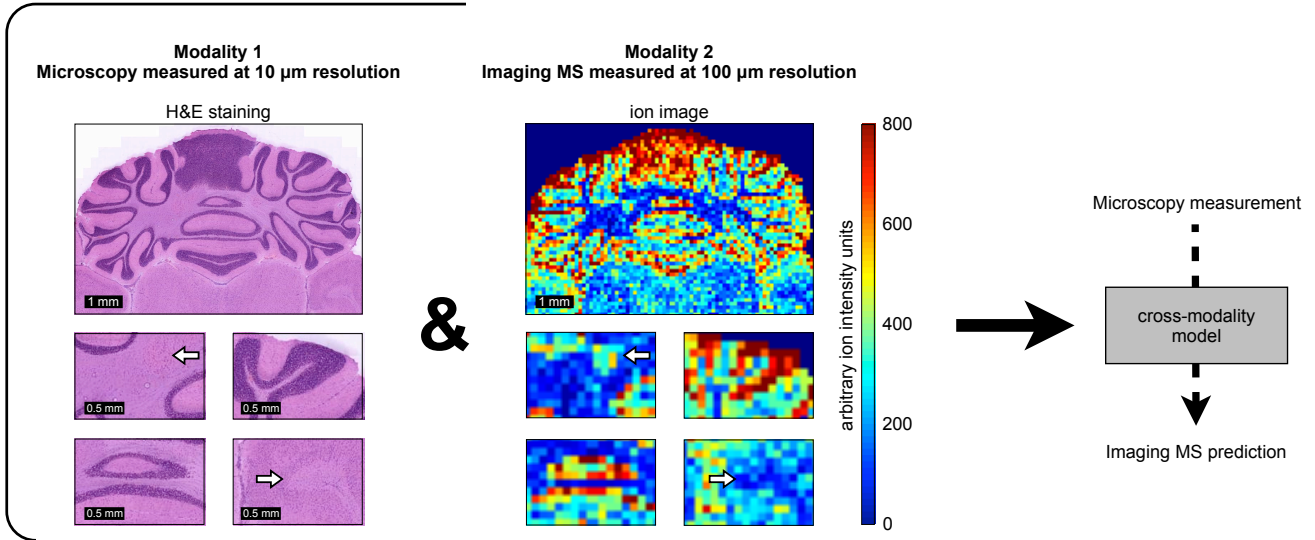
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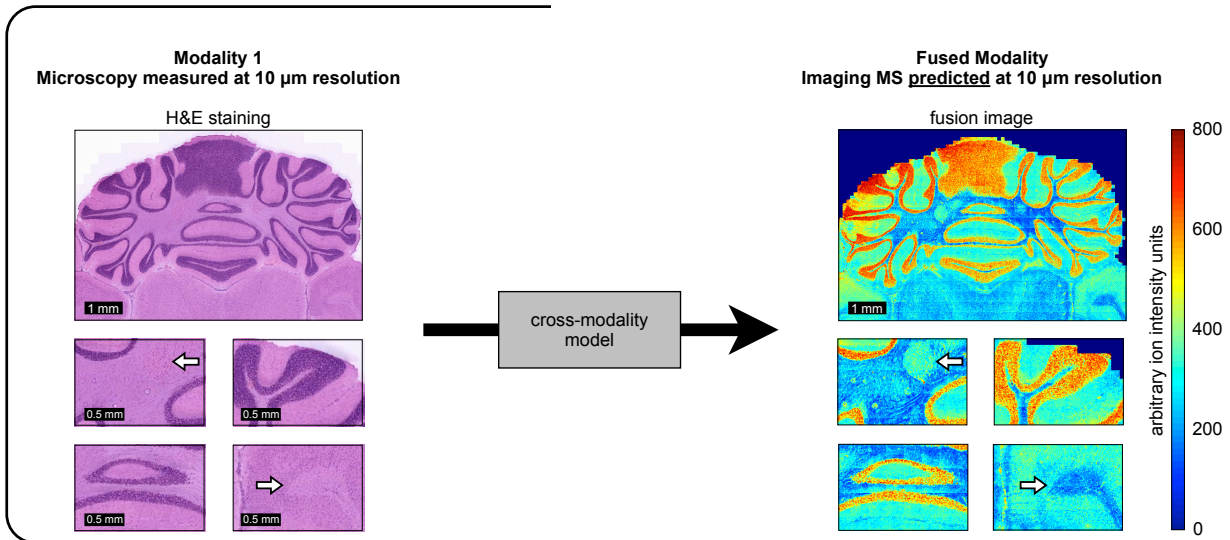
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(a) Method Phase I - Model building and evaluation

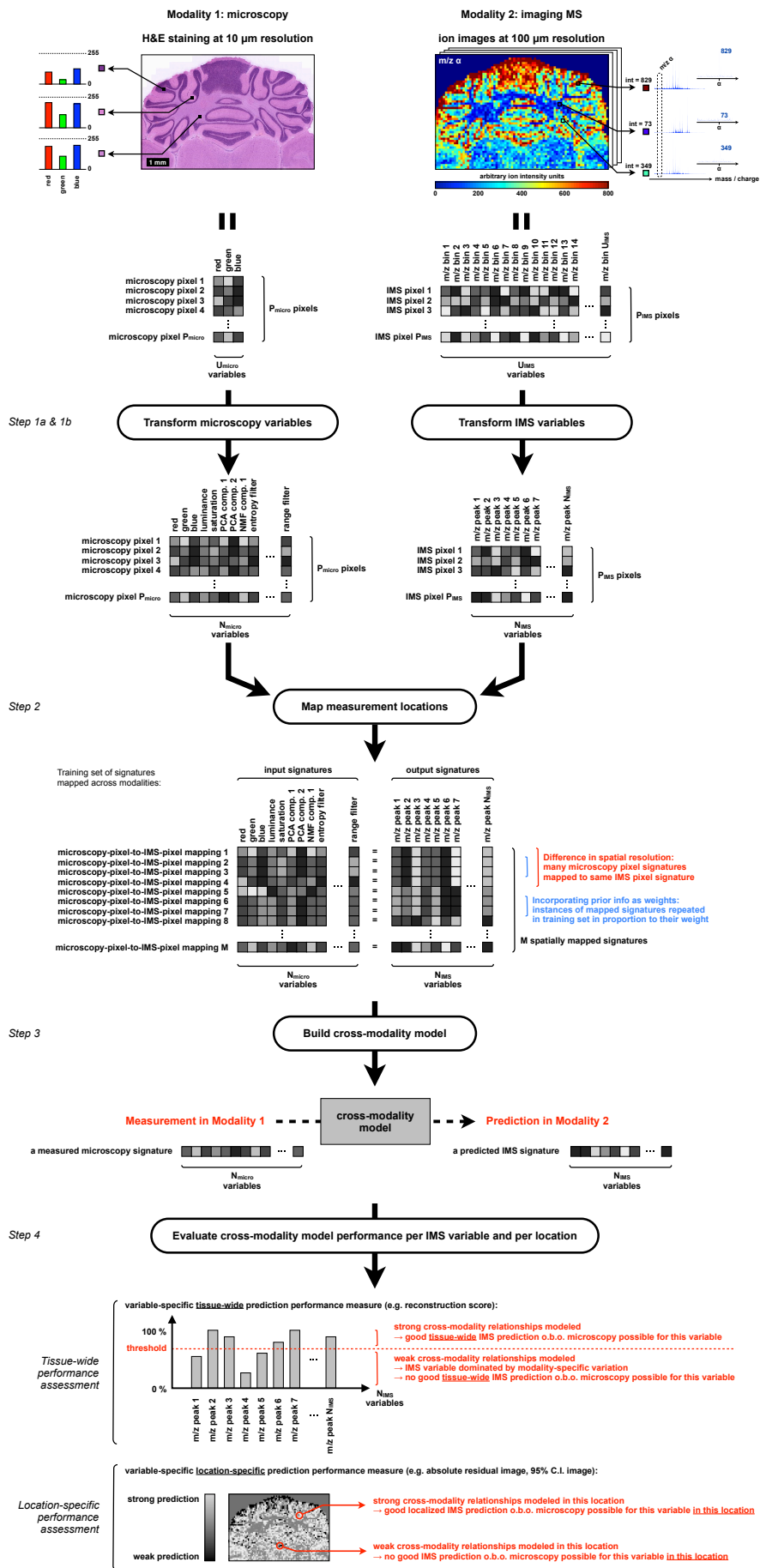


(b) Method Phase II - Prediction from microscopy using model

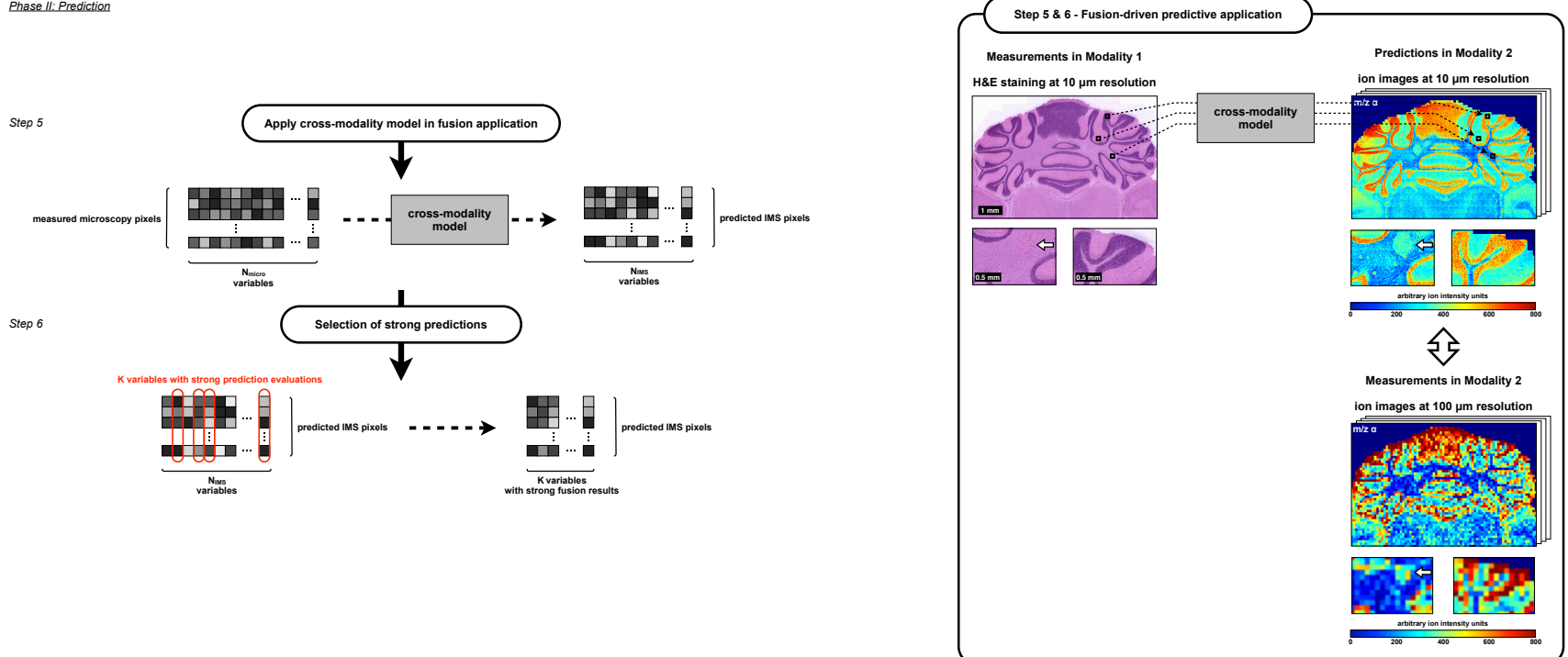


Supplementary Figure 1 Method overview. The fusion process consists of two phases. (a) Phase I builds a cross-modality model from the two measurement sources and evaluates for which ions good prediction is possible. (b) For those ions, phase II uses the model and the high-resolution microscopy measurements to predict the ion distribution at higher-than-IMS resolutions.

Phase I: Model Building and Evaluation

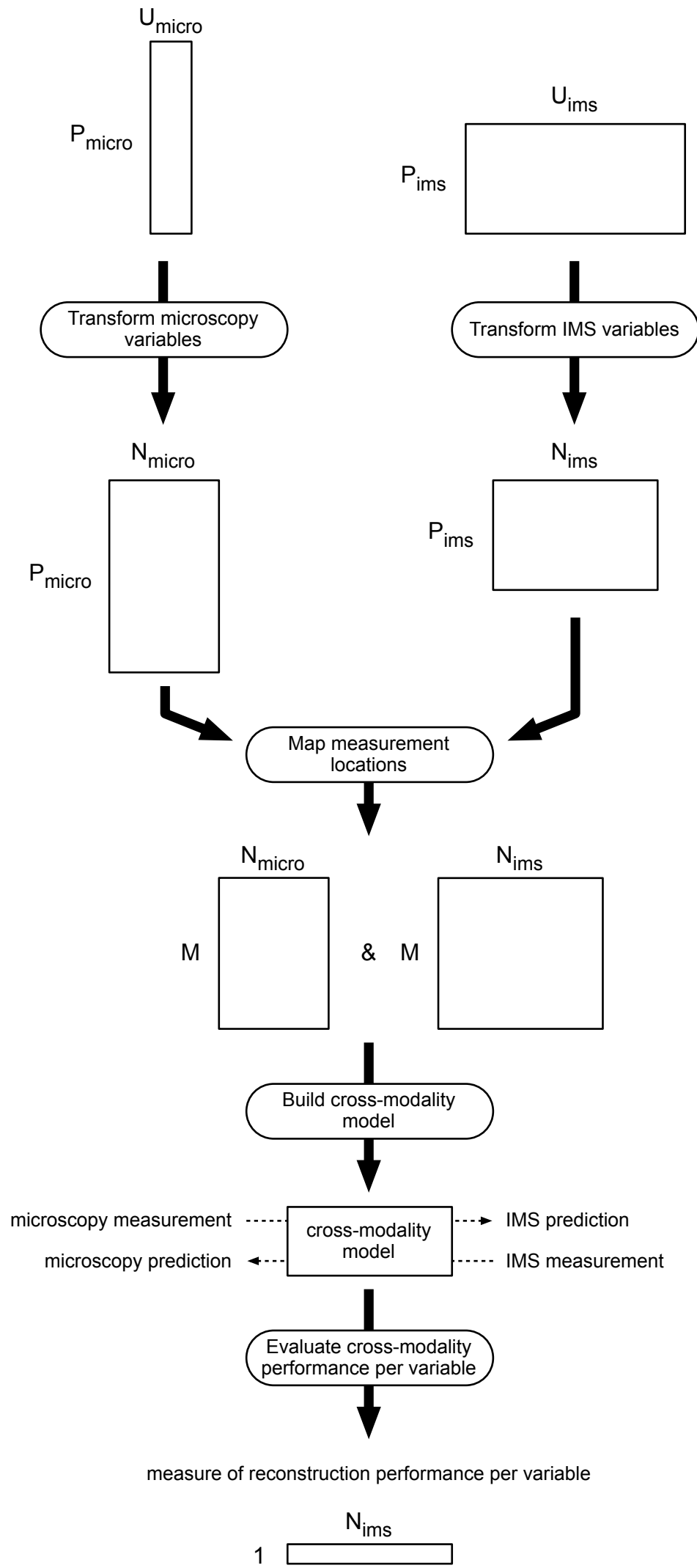


Phase II: Prediction

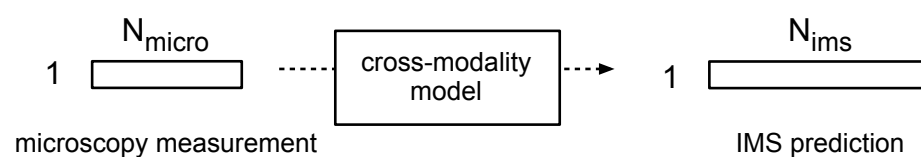


Supplementary Figure 2 Extensive step-by-step details of the fusion process. In the two-phase fusion method, phase I focuses on building and evaluating a cross-modality model between the provided modalities. It entails a transformation of the microscopy variables (step 1a) and the IMS variables (step 1b), a spatial mapping of both measurement sets (step 2), building the model (step 3), and evaluating model performance both chemically and spatially (step 4). Phase II employs the cross-modality model in a predictive application, and entails a prediction for all IMS variables (step 5) followed by a pruning of IMS variables for which predictive performance is insufficient (step 6).

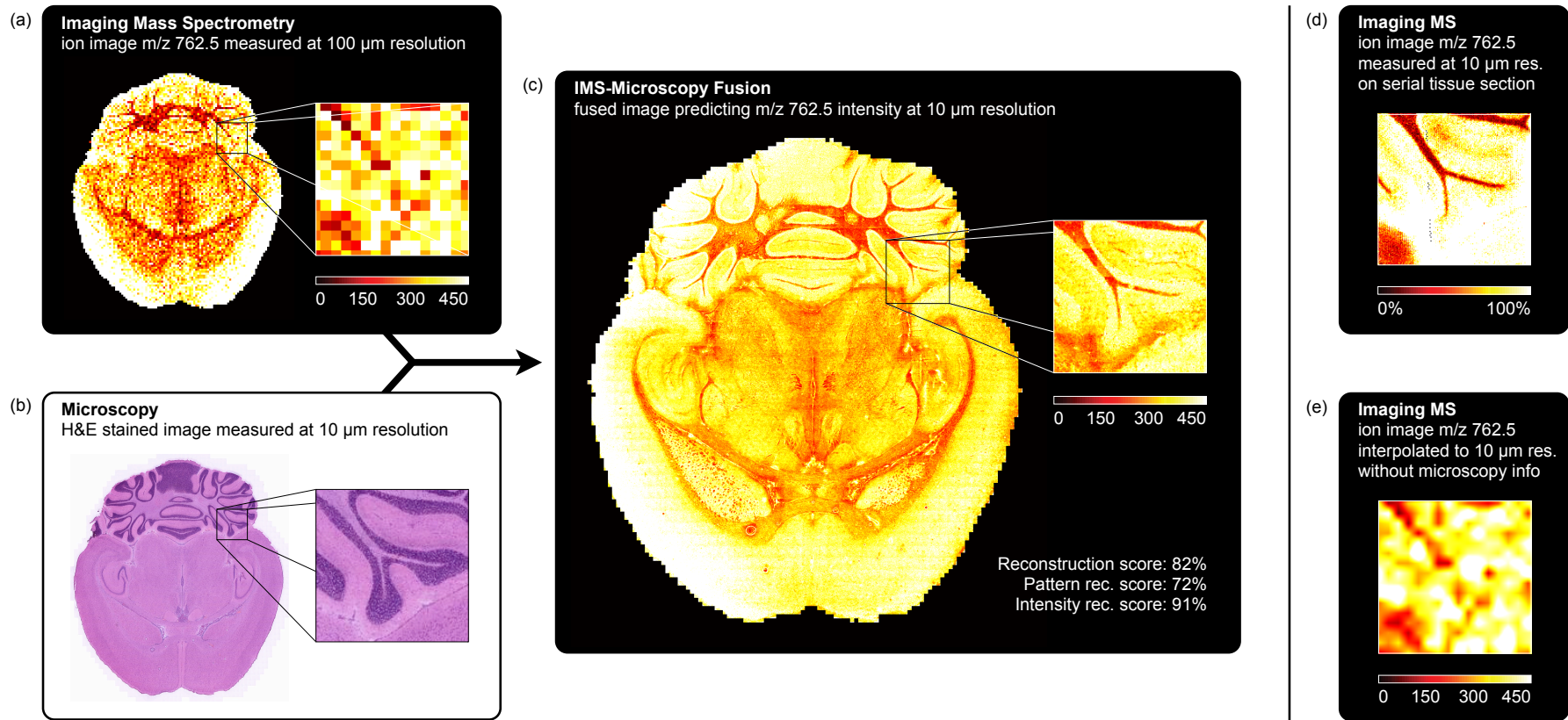
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Supplementary Figure 3 Method phases and steps with algebraic details. Algebraic details on the structure and size of the input and output data of each method step throughout the fusion procedure. P_{ims} = number of pixels in the IMS data source; U_{ims} = number of native variables per pixel provided by the IMS data source; N_{ims} = number of variables per pixel provided by the IMS data source after transformation; P_{micro} = number of pixels in the microscopy data source; U_{micro} = number of native variables per pixel provided by the microscopy data source; N_{micro} = number of variables per pixel provided by the microscopy data source after transformation; and M = number of mapped IMS and microscopy signatures.



Supplementary Figure 4 Prediction of the ion distribution of m/z 762.5 in mouse brain at 10 μm resolution from 100 μm IMS and 10 μm microscopy measurements (sharpening). This example in mouse brain fuses a measured ion image for m/z 762.5 (identified as lipid PE(16:0/22:6)) at 100 μm spatial resolution (a) with a measured H&E-stained microscopy image at 10 μm resolution (b), predicting the ion distribution of m/z 762.5 at 10 μm resolution (reconstr. score 82%) (c). For comparison, (d) shows a measured ion image for m/z 762.5 at 10 μm spatial resolution, acquired from a neighboring tissue section. Additionally, (e) shows a 10 μm version of the m/z 762.5 ion image obtained through interpolation, a computational up-sampling method that does not employ information from another modality to guide its estimates.