

***Supplementary Information***

**Estimating individual optimal sleep duration and potential sleep debt**

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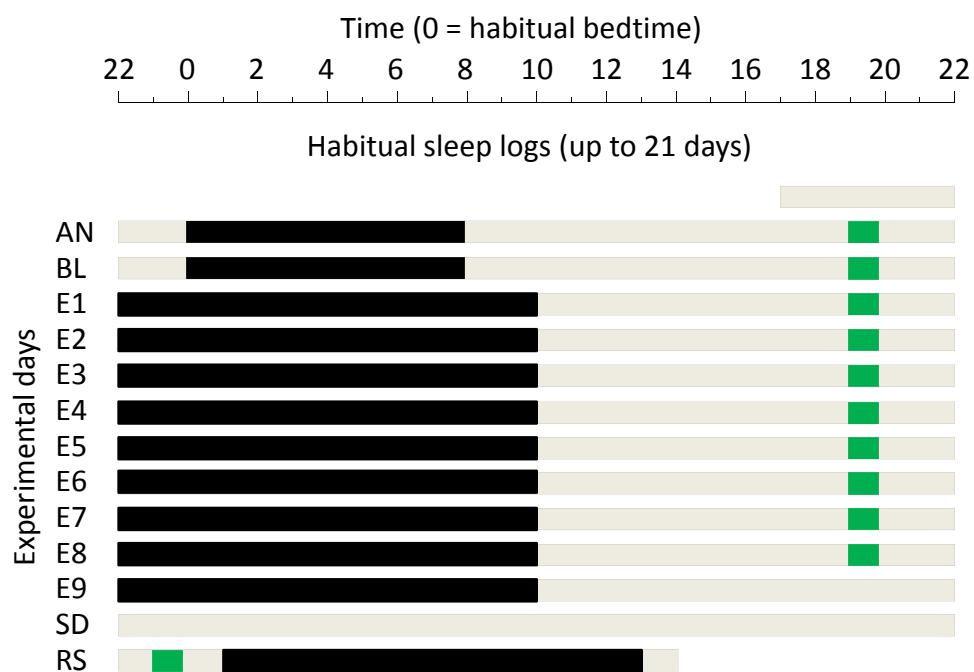
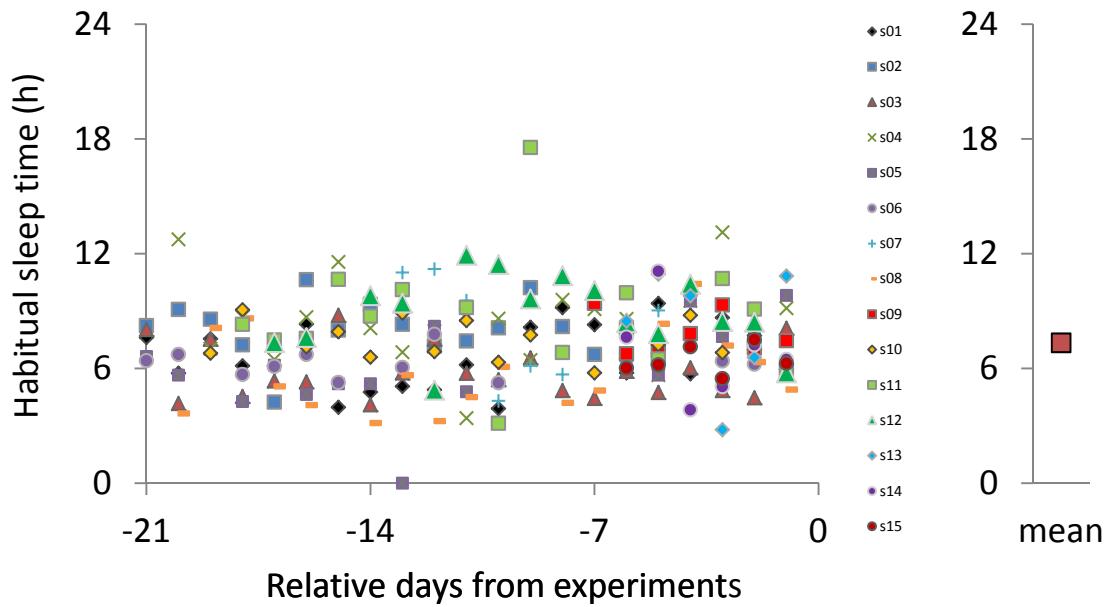


Figure S1 Experimental protocol

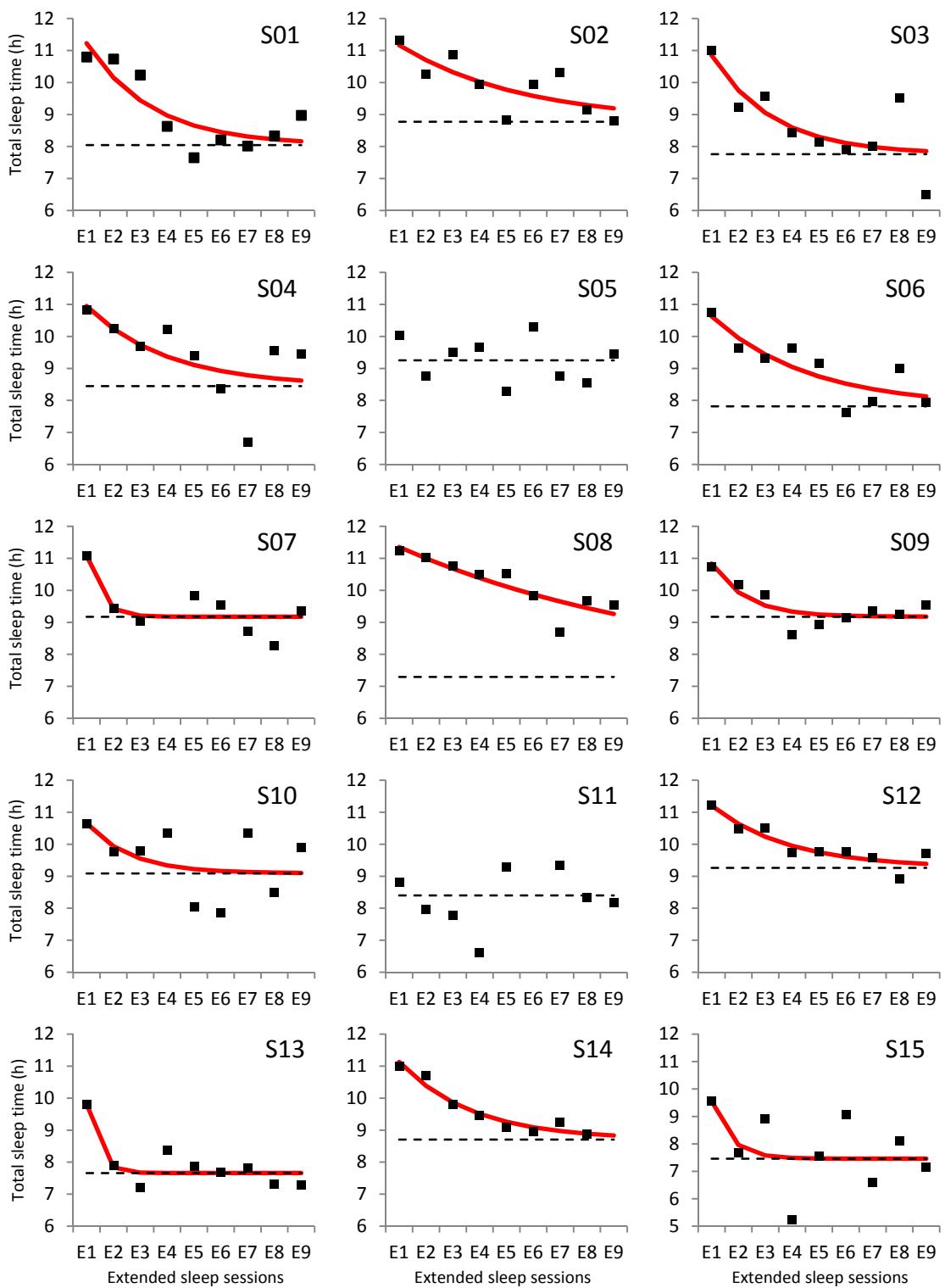
- Sleep period ( $\doteq 0$  lux)      ■ Wake period ( $\sim 100$  lux)
- Maintenance Wakefulness Test
- AN: Adaptation night (8 h); BL: Baseline sleep (8 h) ;
- E1 to E9: Extended sleep session (Time in bed = 12 h);
- SD: Total sleep deprivation (39 h prolonged wakefulness);
- RS: Recovery sleep (12 h)



**Figure S2 Mean and individual habitual sleep time (N=15)**

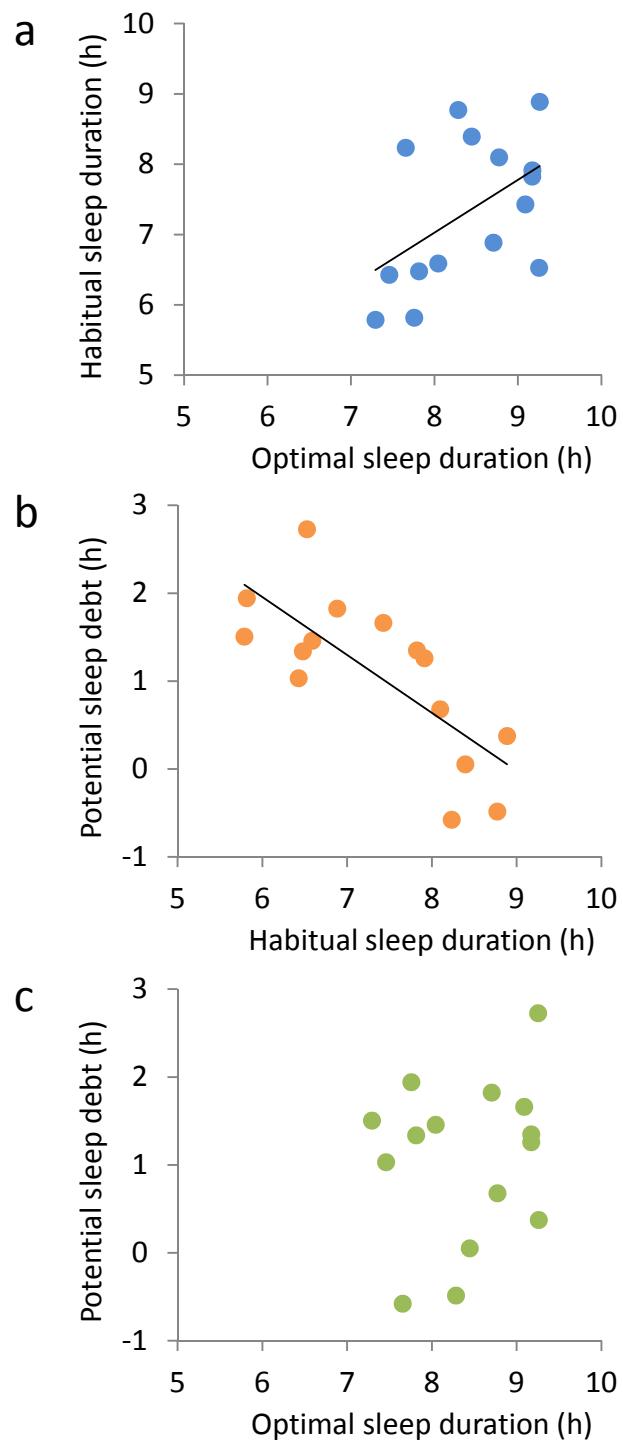
Left panel: Each symbol represents habitual sleep time in each subject (S01 to S15) over at-home recording. There is large daily variation in each individual (mean range in HST of  $6.36 \pm 0.82$  h).

Right panel: Mean of habitual sleep time in all 15 subjects ( $7.37 \pm 0.27$  h).



**Figure S3 Individual total sleep time in each experimental nights**

Each panel contains total sleep time in each subject (S01 to S15) over extended sleep sessions. E1 to E9: Extended sleep session (Time in bed = 12 h); Red solid lines represent fitted exponential decay curve; black hatched lines represent asymptote (the estimated optimal sleep time (OST)). Because not converging for curve fitting, mean TST value over the extended sleep sessions S5 and S11 were treated as the estimate of OST.



**Figure S4**  
**Association between optimal sleep duration (OSD), habitual sleep duration (HSD) and potential sleep debt (PSD)**

- (a) Although there was a significant correlation between estimated OSD and HSD ( $r=0.514$ ,  $p=0.050$ ) HSD was significantly shorter than OSD.
- (b) We observed a relationship where PSD increased as HSD became shorter ( $r=-0.756$ ,  $p=0.001$ ).
- (c) There was no significant correlation between PSD and OSD ( $r=0.172$ ,  $p=0.539$ ).

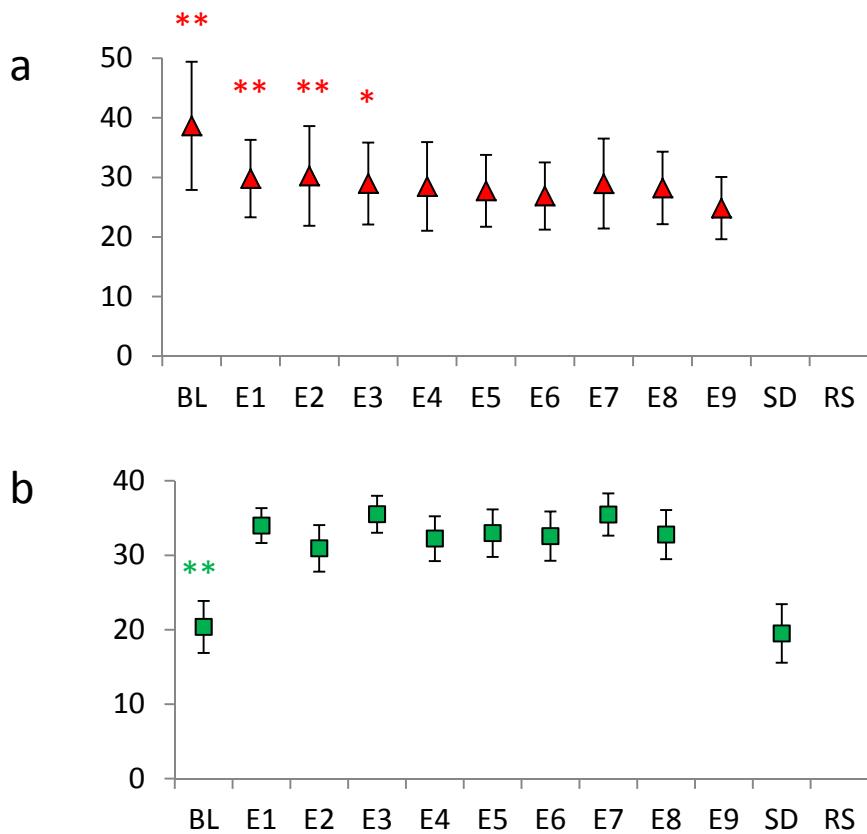


Figure S5 Subjective and objective sleepiness changes

a: Subjective sleepiness (Visual analogue scale) In the wake period. Higher score means more sleepy.

b: Sleep onset latency in the Maintenance Wakefulness Test. Shorter sleep latency indicates stronger tendency for falling asleep.

BL: Baseline sleep (8 h); E1 to E9: Extended sleep session (Time in bed = 12 h);

SD: Total sleep deprivation (39 h prolonged wakefulness); RS: Recovery sleep (12 h)

All data are shown as MEAN $\pm$ SEM. \*\*: p<0.01, \*: p<0.05.(Compared to E9).

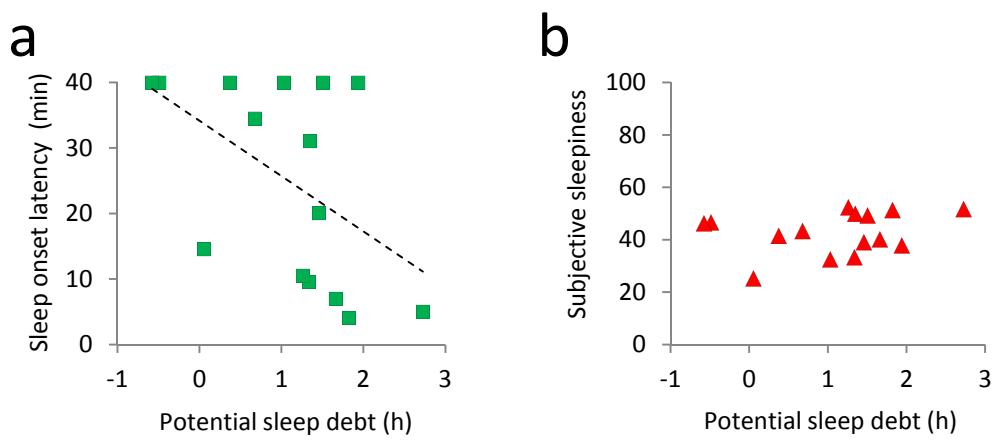


Figure S6 Correlations between potential sleep debt and sleepiness parameters.

Association between Potential sleep debt (PSD) and (a) Maintenance Wakeful Test at B1 and (b) visual analogue scale at B1. There was a significant trend of correlation between PSD and Maintenance Wakefulness Test ( $r=-0.486$ ,  $p=0.066$ ) but no correlation between PSD and visual analogue scale ( $r=0.052$ ,  $p=0.854$ )