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Supplementary Materials for

Molecular atlas of the adult mouse brain

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Fig. S1. Registration of the 75 coronal brain sections.

The mouse brain reference atlas (ABA) in red was transformed during registration to align with the HE stained brain tissue images. Sections are sorted by decreasing Bregma coordinates along the anteroposterior axis. Adjacent sections have the same ID and can be differentiated by the appended letter. Sections 36, 39 and 40 were divided into two or three subregions as the atlas outline could not be fitted on the entire section.

Fig. S2. Quality control of sequencing data.

(A) Distribution of spots detected per gene in semi-log scale. Dashed line represents the cutoff set to discard genes expressed in less than 100 spots.

(B) Distribution of unique genes per spot. Dashed line represents the cutoff set to discard spots expressing less than 1000 genes.

(C) Boxplot of unique genes, each box representing a section. Box is the interquartile range, dash the median, star the mean, whiskers delimitate extreme values.

(D) Distribution of reads per gene in semi-log scale.

(E) Distribution of reads per spot.

(F) Boxplot of reads per spot, each box representing a section as in (C).

(G) View of a coronal section with segmented nuclei in black and segmented spot contours in red.

(H) Distribution of nuclei segmented per spot.

(I) Correlation between segmented nuclei and unique genes per spot. Pearson correlation coefficient: 0.348.

(J) Correlation between segmented nuclei and reads per spot. Pearson correlation coefficient: 0.296.

Fig. S3. Gene loads for the 45 biological independent components (ICs).

The gene loads representing the top 20 genes for each IC is shown.

Fig. S4. Spatial visualization of the 45 biological independent components (ICs)

The integer attributed to every IC corresponds to its rank among the first 80 components. Only spots with scores above the 95-th percentile in absolute value are displayed in three dimensional views.

Fig. S5. Detailed spatial composition of clusters.

Rows correspond to the 181 molecular clusters and are ordered according to the hierarchical clustering. Stacked bar plot represents the proportion of spots registered in each of the major brain region. The color columns show the two different color schemes: the similarity color scheme is unbiased and represents molecular similarity between clusters, the categorical color scheme is used to maximize visual contrast between adjacent clusters.

Fig. S6. Coronal views of molecular atlas color coded according to 3D t-SNE.

Left side shows the reference ABA, and the right side shows the molecular atlas with molecular similarity color scheme based on 3D t-SNE color code.

Fig. S7. Comparison of t-SNE and UMAP based color code to visualize molecular similarity of clusters.

(A) Visualization of clusters using UMAP or t-SNE.

(B) 3D UMAP plot to assign color code to clusters based on molecular similarity (top). Color code applied to spots in the brain atlas shows their distribution.

- (C) Coloring of spots based on the 3D t-SNE color code in either the UMAP manifold or the t-SNE manifold (top row). Coloring of spots based on the 3D UMAP color code in either the UMAP manifold or the t-SNE manifold (bottom row).
- (D) Coloring of clusters in the fan plot according to 3D UMAP color code (inner circle). Outer circle shows color code based on neuroanatomical definitions from the ABA.
- (E) Comparison of 3D UMAP color code (left hemisphere) versus 3D t-SNE color code (right hemisphere) in coronal sections from the molecular atlas.

Fig. S8. Coronal views of molecular atlas color coded according to 3D UMAP.

Left side shows the reference ABA, and the right side shows the molecular atlas with molecular similarity color scheme based on 3D UMAP color code.

Fig. S9. Gene expression in molecular clusters.

Example images of coronal sections showing the expression of single genes as detected by ISH in the ABA database.

The left side shows ABA mouse brain reference atlas outline. The right side shows molecular atlas outline, including relevant molecular clusters with color-coded spots.

- (A) Isocortex. Plate 4, +1.84 mm from bregma.
(B) Isocortex. Plate 14, -1.05 mm from bregma.
(C) Striatum. Plate 7, +0.94 mm from bregma.

Fig. S10. Single cell spatial mapping.

(A) Correlation in logarithmic space between the normalized gene counts in the molecular atlas (ST) and the single cell (SC) dataset after batch correction (see (B)). Pearson correlation coefficient: 0.81.

(B) Detailed pipeline for the single cell spatial mapping. We applied batch correction to homogenize the ST and SC datasets, trained the neural network with all the ST spots and used it to predict a molecular cluster for each cell in the SC dataset.

(C) Fine ground truth definition that accounts for layers. In addition to a region, the molecular clusters are also assigned to layers based on the registration in the ABA. Selected layers contain at least 30% of the spots and are colored in green. Circle area is proportional to the number of spots.

(D) Comparison of mapping accuracy for glutamatergic cells with coarse (not layer dependent) and fine (including layer definition) ground truth.

Fig. S11. Matrix of similarity between molecular clusters in the full molecular atlas and the brain palette atlas.

Rows correspond to the original clusters ordered by hierarchical clustering. Columns represent the clusters obtained with the reduced brain palette of 266 genes. Each tile is colored according to the ratio of spots from the column palette cluster that were initially assigned to the row original cluster. The sum of each column is therefore equal to one. Black rectangle delimitates the zoom-in visible in Fig. 5 (E), corresponding clusters have yellow background and can be visualized in Fig. 5 (G). Hippocampal clusters are highlighted with pink background and displayed in Fig. 5 (H) and (I).

Fig. S12. Expression of genes present in the brain palette.

Expression heatmap of the 266 genes in the 181 clusters in the full molecular atlas. Clusters are ordered by hierarchical clustering and genes by peak value. Expression is computed from the batch-corrected normalized matrix which is z-scored for every gene and averaged per cluster.

Fig. S13. GO identity for genes in the reduced brain palette.

(A) Top five significant enriched GO terms for genes in the brain palette (266 genes).

(B) Heatmap of genes and GO terms. Genes belonging to a GO term are represented by a red tile. Out of the 266 genes from the palette, 64 are associated with at least one of the top five enriched GO terms.

(C) Annotation of the 266 brain palette genes into neuronal versus non-neuronal based on the GO terminology.

VIDEOS

Video 1. Visualization of the spots in a reference atlas framework.

Left side: coronal section from the ABA.

Right side: coronal section showing spots colored by the categorical color scheme according to molecular cluster. Total number of sections: 40.

Video 2. Generating a molecular atlas.

Examples to visualize the process of transforming spots belonging to a molecular cluster into discrete volumes based on the SVM approach.

Video 3. Visualization of the molecular atlas.

Left side: coronal section from the ABA.

Right side: coronal section showing molecular clusters after SVM smoothing and colored by the molecular similarity color scheme. Top left shows updated coronal sectioning in the anteroposterior axis (red line). Total number of sections: 84.

Video 4. Visualization of selected isocortical clusters in the molecular atlas.

Visualization of selected isocortical layer- and region-specific molecular clusters in 3D (glass brain). ABA volume definitions are shown with transparent colors.

Video 5. Visualization of selected striatal clusters in the molecular atlas.

Visualization of selected striatal region-specific molecular clusters in 3D (glass brain). ABA volume definition of striatum is shown with transparent color.

FIGURE S1

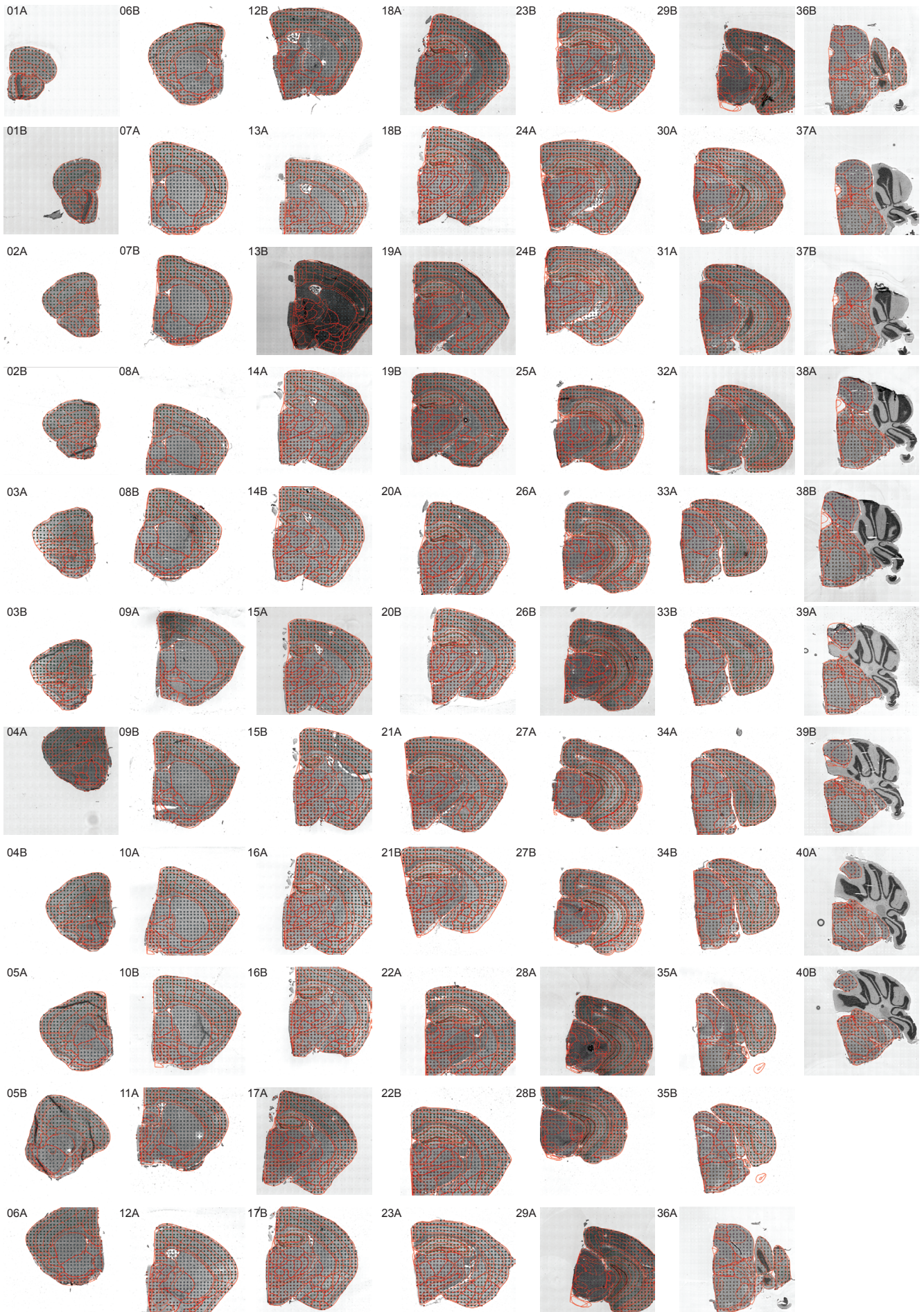


FIGURE S2

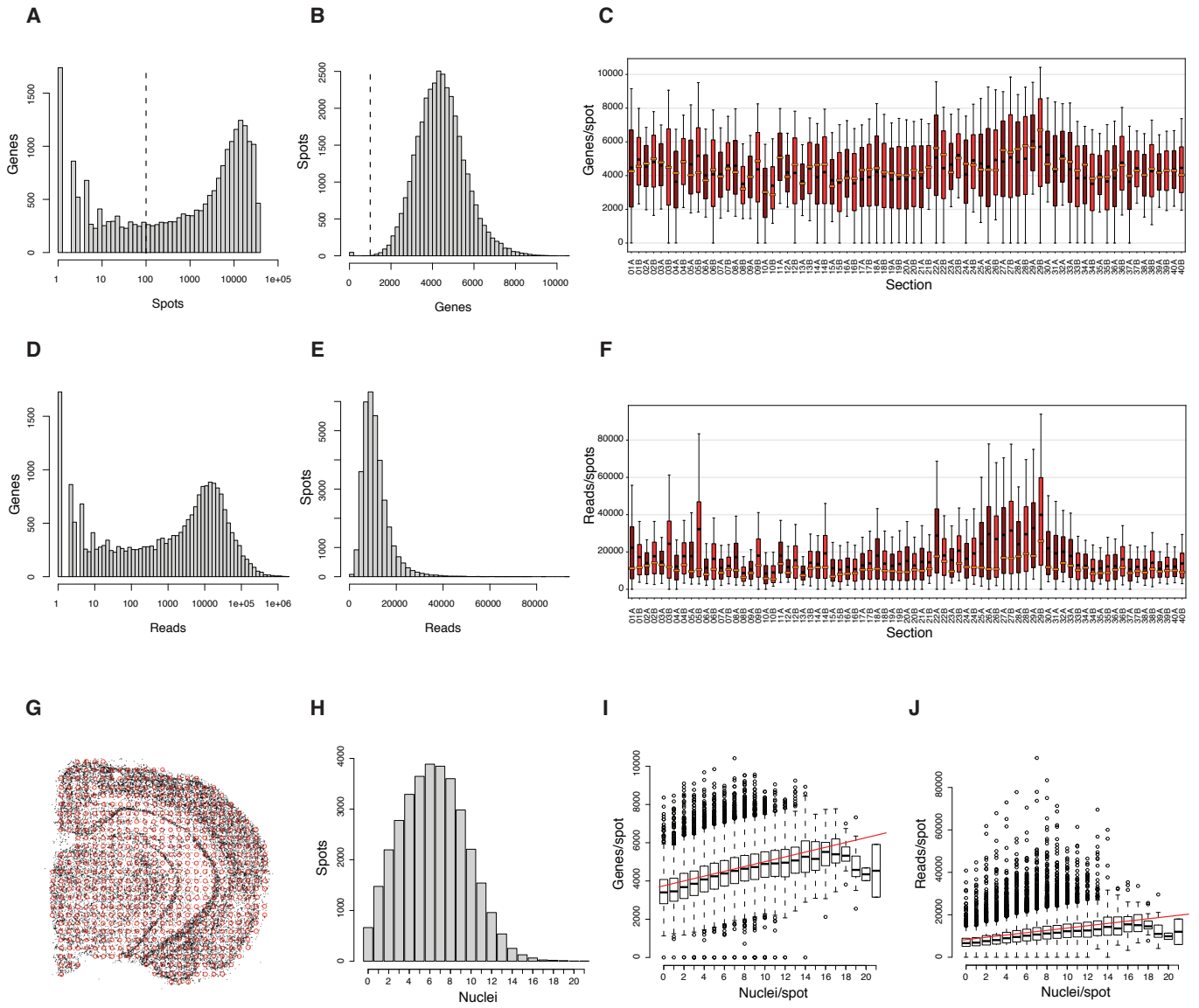


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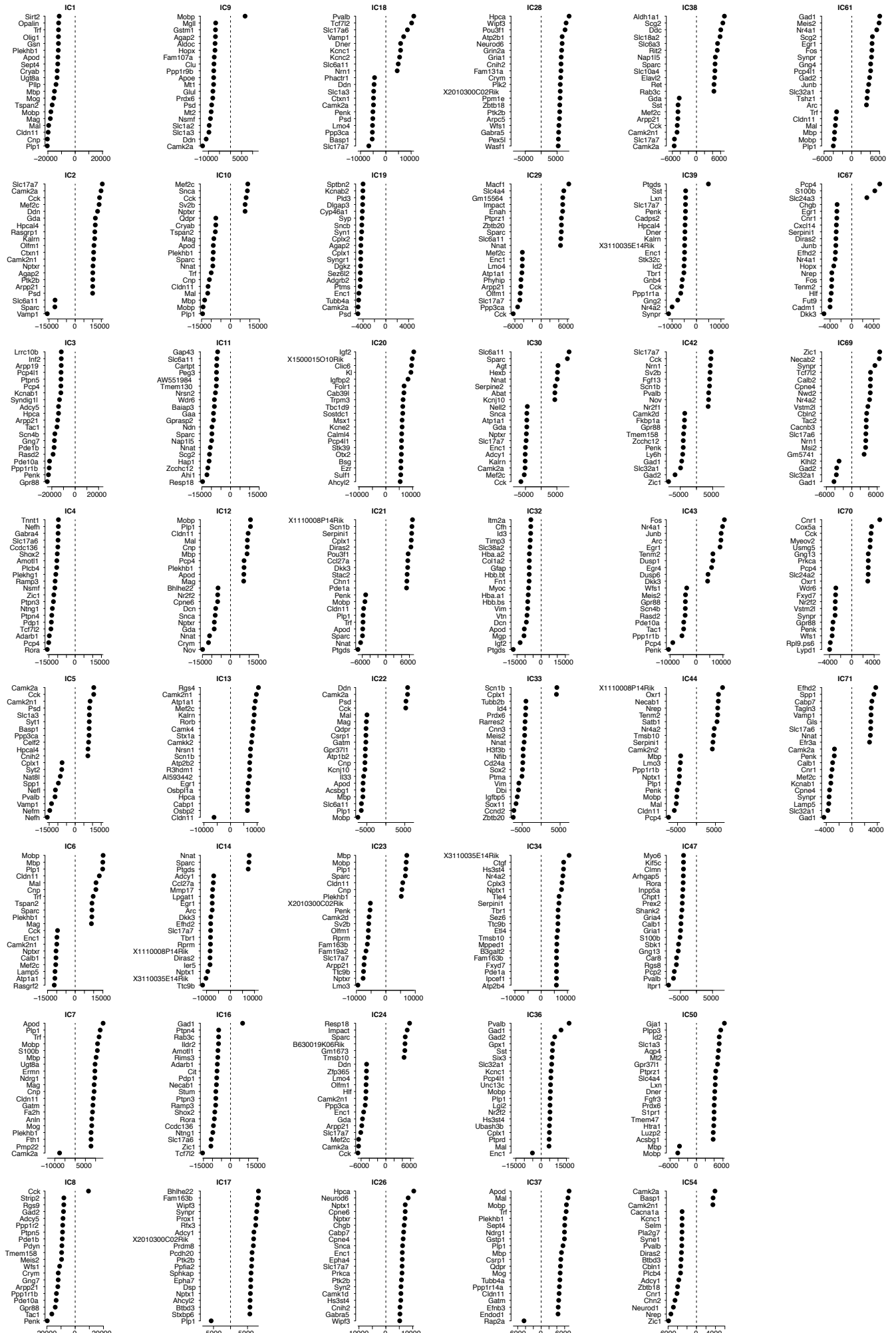


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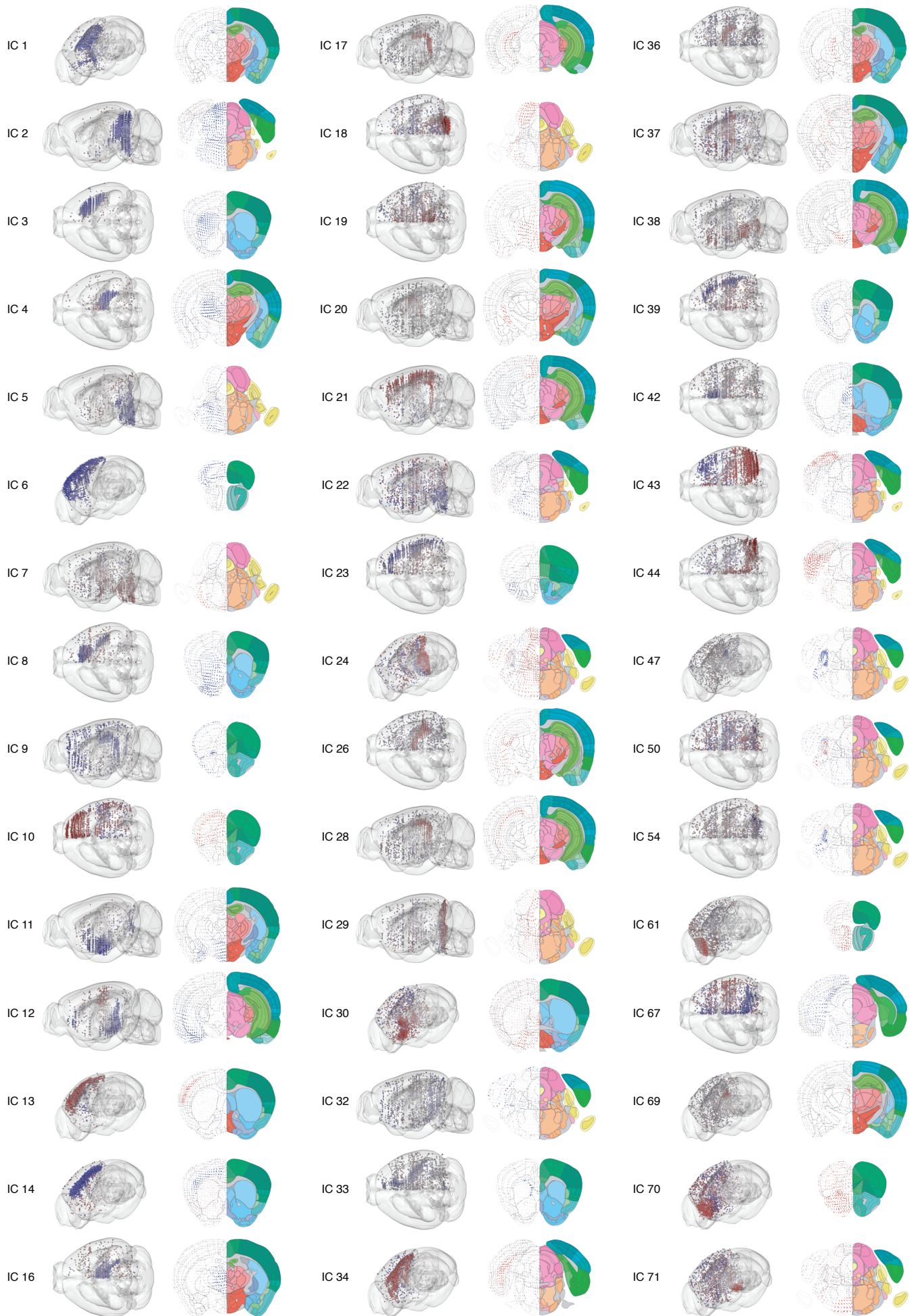
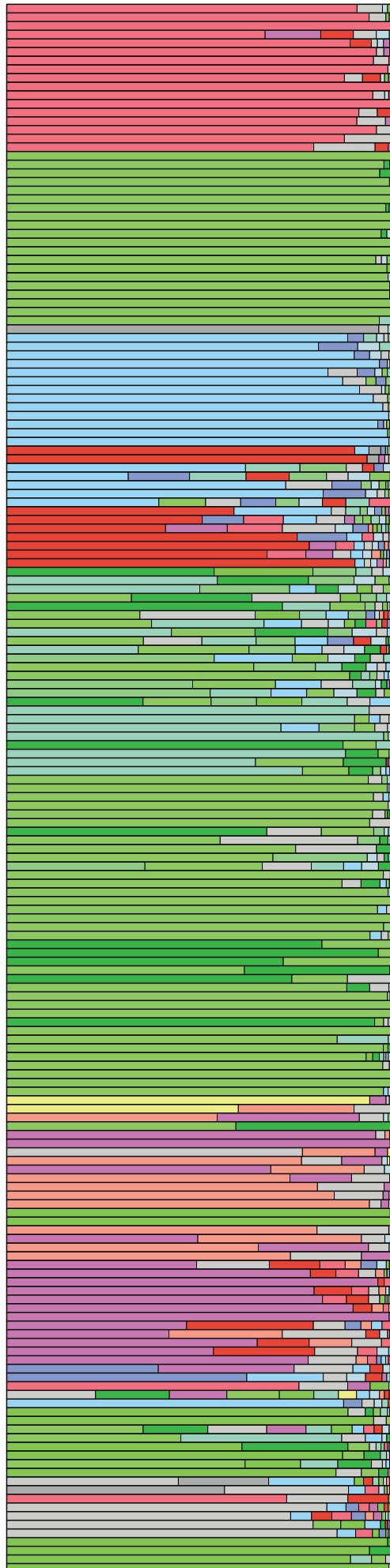
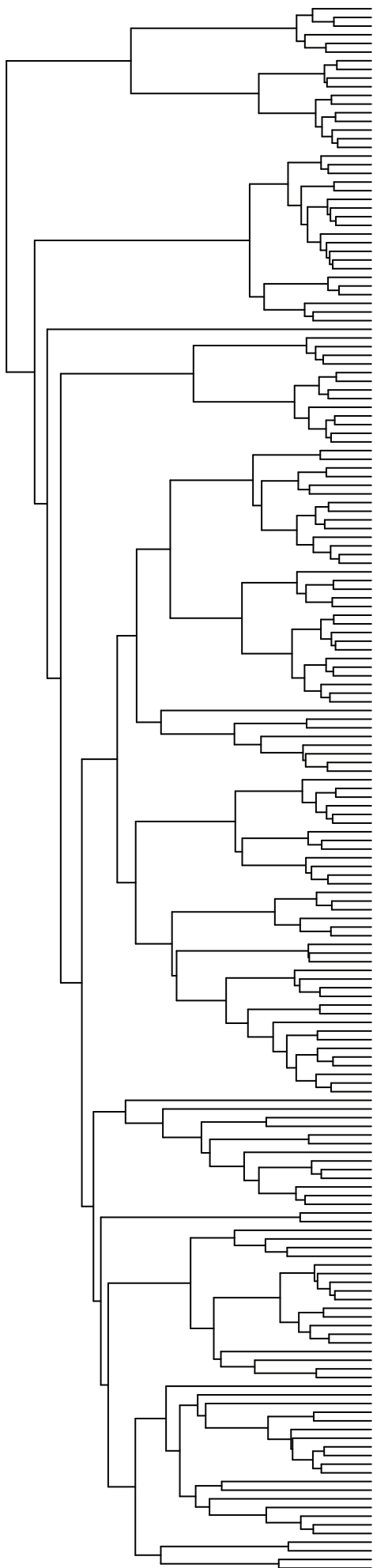


FIGURE S5

Spatial origin of spots

Colors n spots Cluster



Similarity
Categorical

Spot ID	Cluster
76	Thalamus-16
115	Thalamus-5
181	Thalamus-05
118	Thalamus-10
124	Thalamus-08
264	Thalamus-02
101	Thalamus-13
164	Thalamus-07
192	Thalamus-04
179	Thalamus-06
195	Thalamus-03
1	Thalamus-19
126	Thalamus-09
54	Thalamus-17
99	Thalamus-14
32	Thalamus-18
88	Thalamus-15
134	Iscortex-48
133	Iscortex-49
60	Iscortex-49
247	Iscortex-49
57	Iscortex-50
17	Iscortex-55
114	Iscortex-43
119	Iscortex-42
51	Iscortex-51
202	Iscortex-24
20	Iscortex-53
93	Iscortex-44
69	Iscortex-45
69	Iscortex-46
253	Iscortex-18
137	Iscortex-38
257	Iscortex-5
138	Iscortex-52
353	Iscortex-05
174	Iscortex-33
84	Ventricular systems-02
266	Striatum-05
177	Striatum-09
201	Striatum-01
147	Striatum-11
370	Striatum-01
116	Striatum-13
210	Striatum-07
90	Striatum-17
278	Striatum-04
99	Striatum-16
130	Striatum-12
156	Striatum-10
105	Striatum-14
163	Hypothalamus-06
191	Hypothalamus-03
333	Striatum-12
321	Mixed-02 (Striatum)
344	Striatum-02
100	Striatum-02
33	Mixed-11 (Striatum)
107	Hypothalamus-09
233	Hypothalamus-01
175	Hypothalamus-05
202	Hypothalamus-02
190	Hypothalamus-04
129	Hypothalamus-07
242	Hypothalamus-06
110	Retrohippocampal region-01
206	Olfactory areas-08
192	Olfactory areas-04
154	Mixed-07 (Iscortex)
87	Retrohippocampal region-04
72	Mixed-05 (Iscortex)
143	Mixed-10 (Iscortex)
178	Olfactory areas-07
317	Mixed-04 (Olfactory areas)
173	Cortical subplate-02
175	Iscortex-31
270	Iscortex-13
135	Cortical subplate-03
184	Cortical subplate-01
1	Mixed-12 (Retrohippocampal region)
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152	Olfactory areas-06
67	Olfactory areas-09
70	Retrohippocampal region-09
213	Olfactory areas-03
180	Olfactory areas-05
291	Olfactory areas-01
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430	Iscortex-25
202	Iscortex-25
254	Iscortex-17
154	Iscortex-36
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191	Iscortex-26
274	Iscortex-12
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122	Iscortex-41
345	Iscortex-06
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128	Iscortex-40
183	Iscortex-28
257	Iscortex-16
171	Iscortex-34
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64	Iscortex-47
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252	Fiber tracts-04
140	Ventricular systems-01
284	Thalamus-01
182	Fiber tracts-05
609	Fiber tracts-01
320	Fiber tracts-03
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55	Hippocampal region-11
203	Hippocampal region-05

FIGURE S6

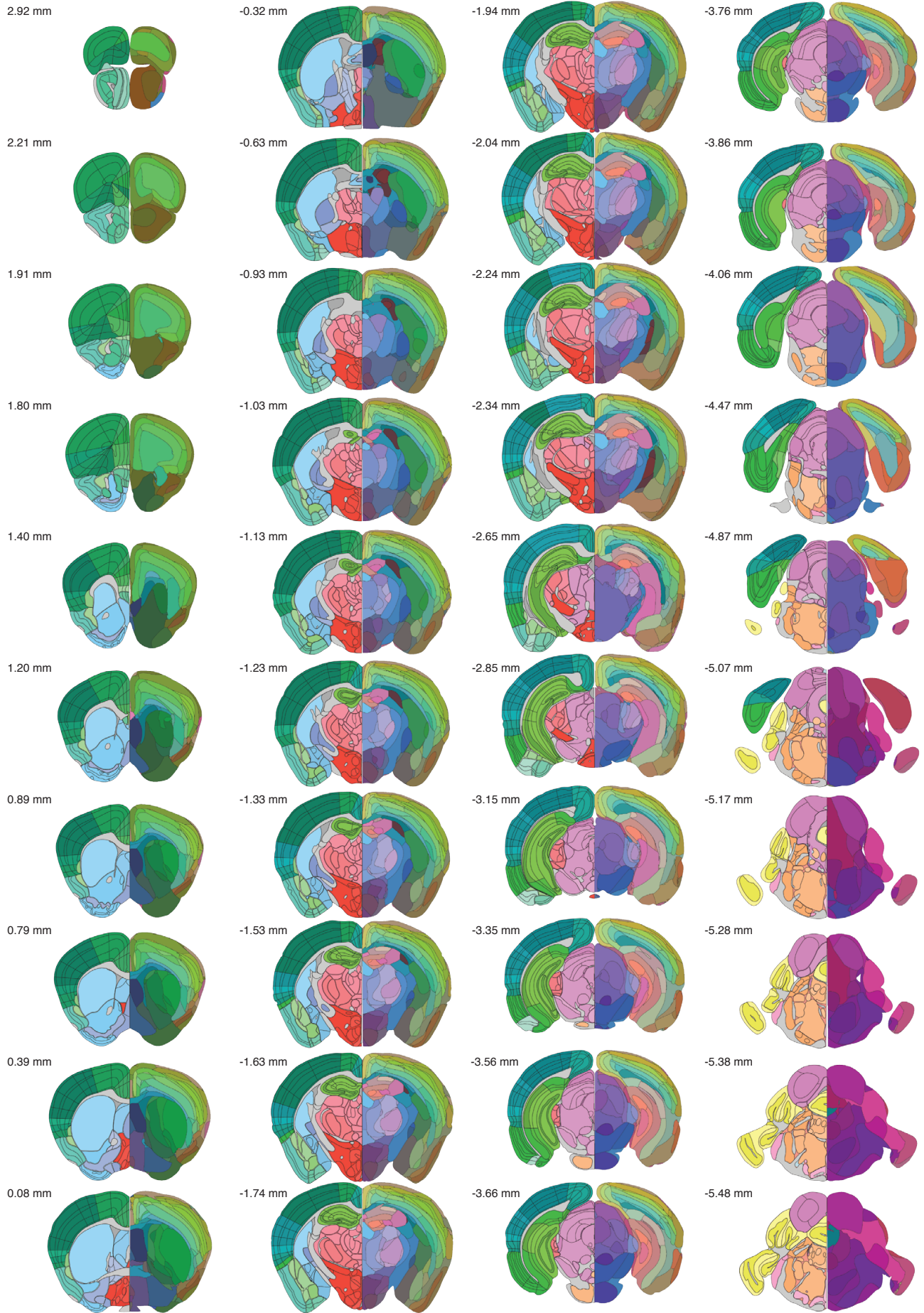


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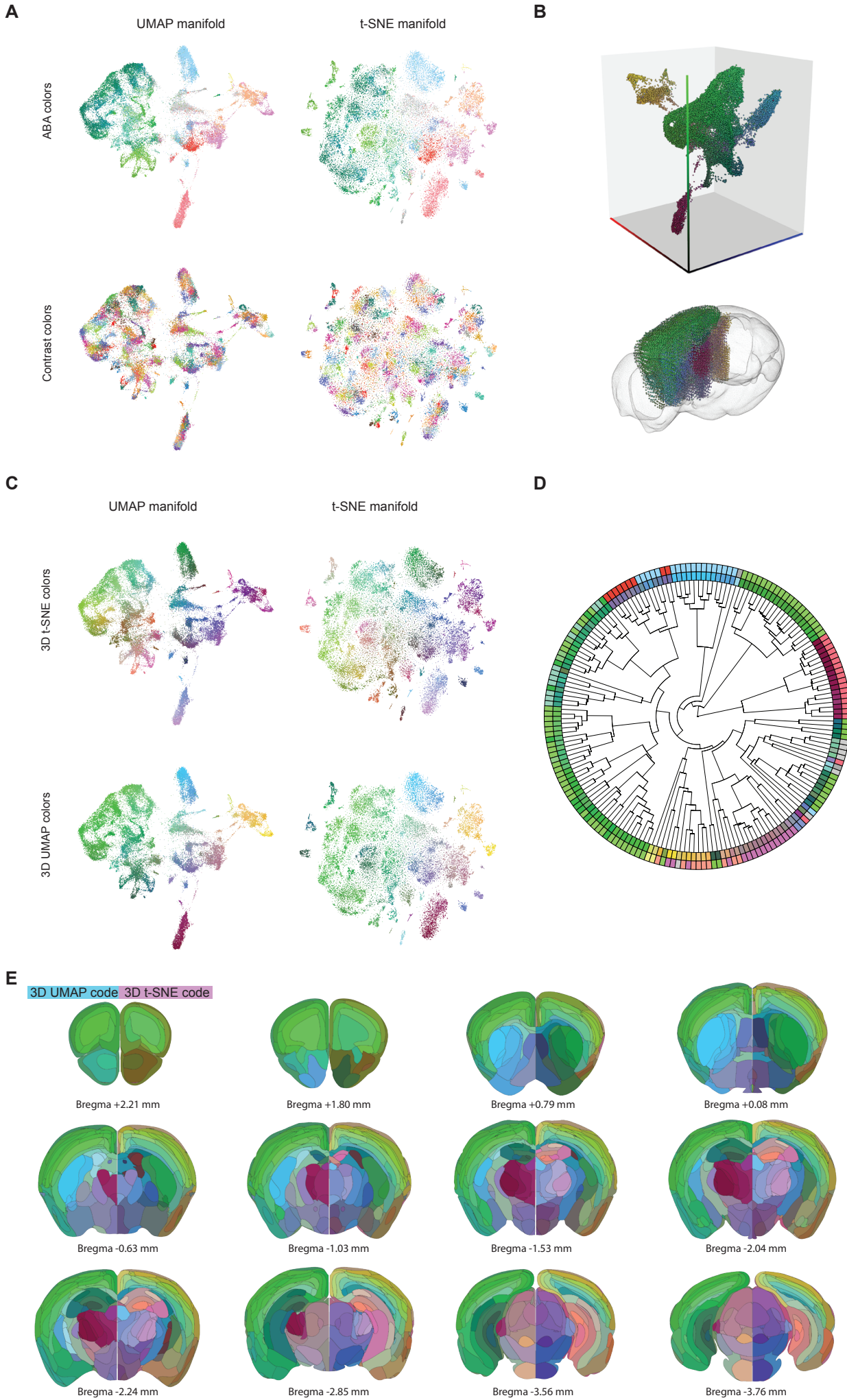


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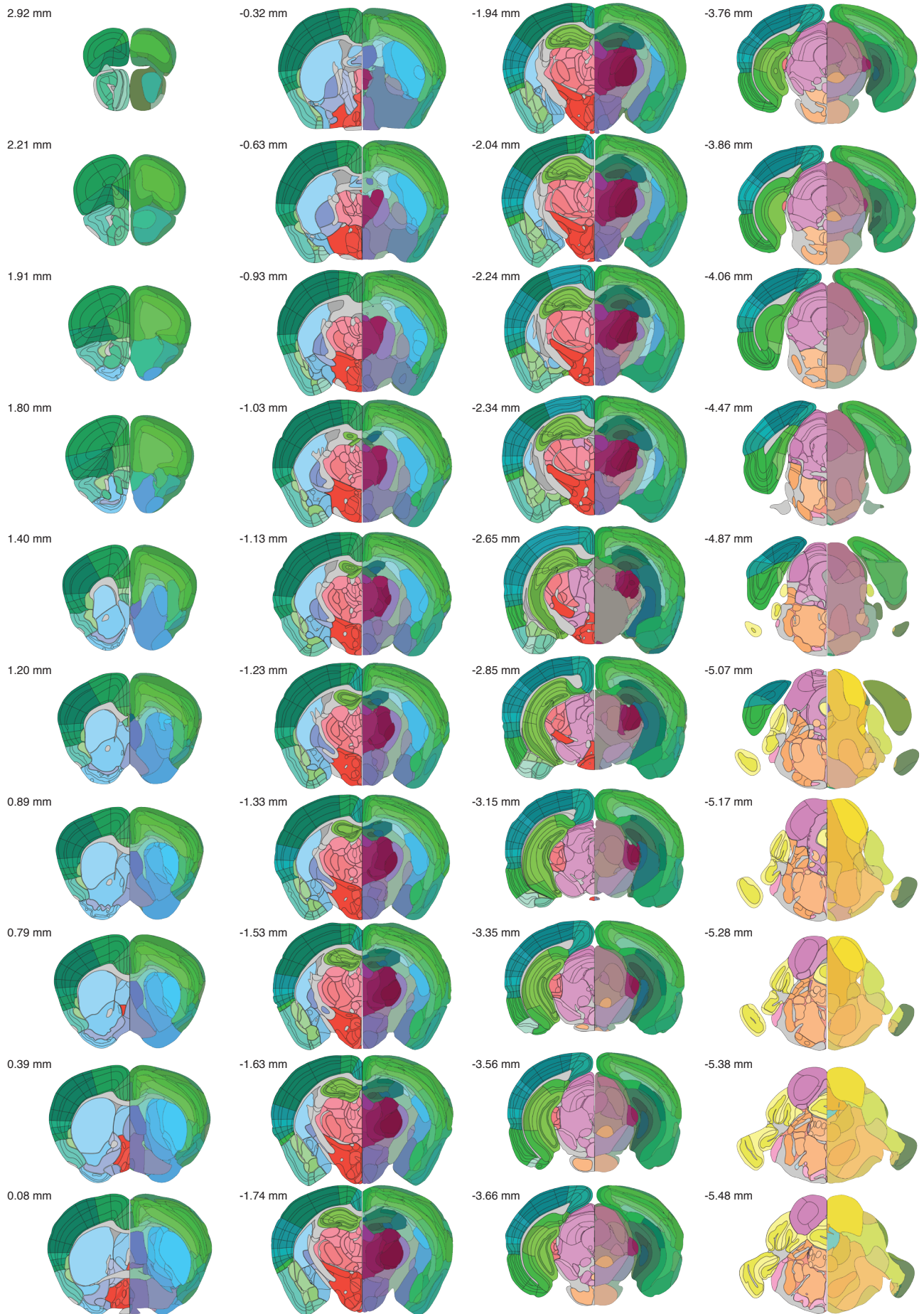
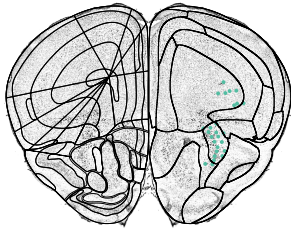
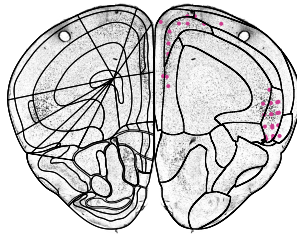


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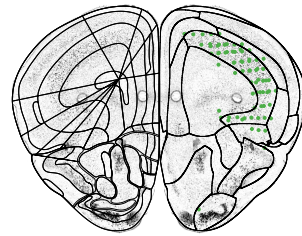
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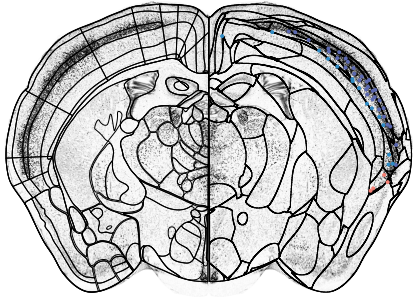


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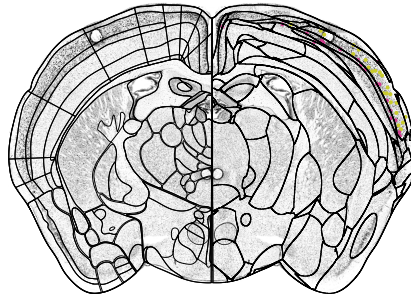


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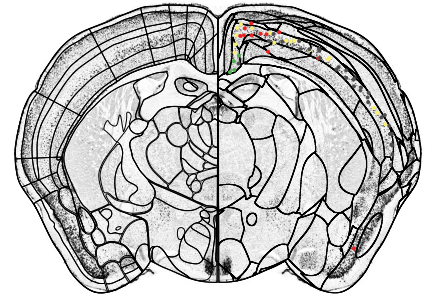
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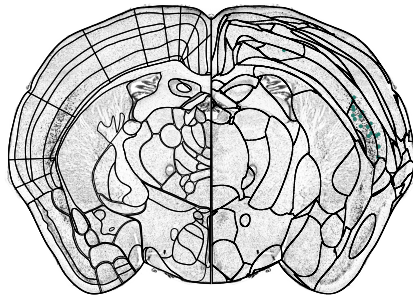
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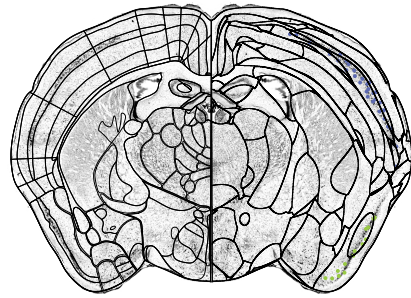
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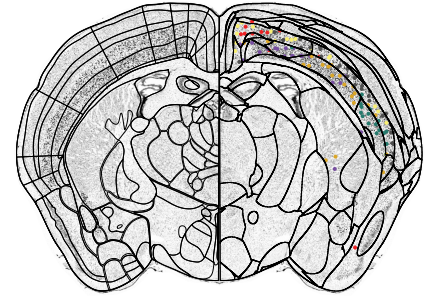
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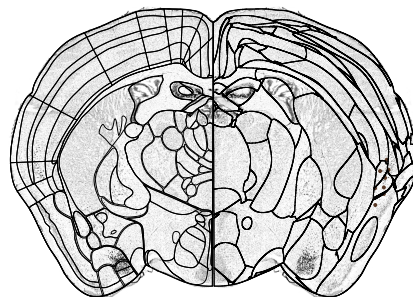
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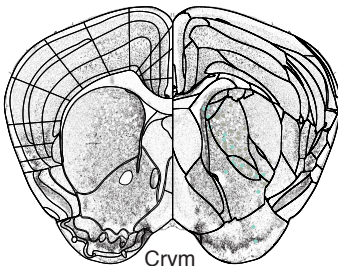


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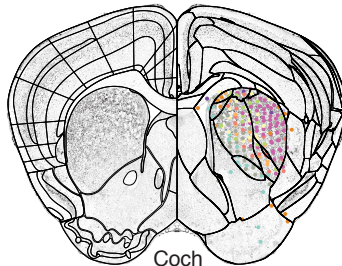


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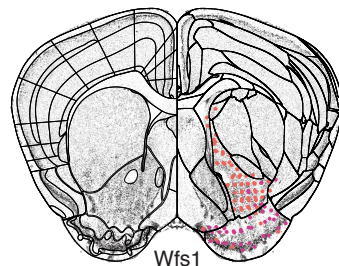
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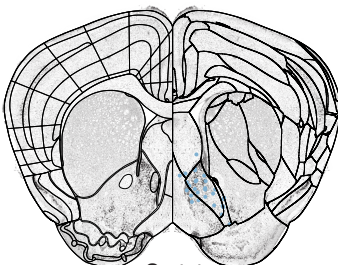
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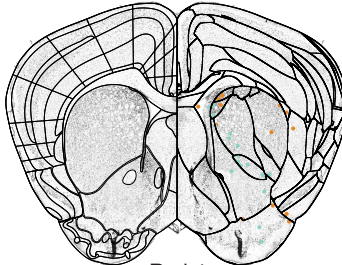
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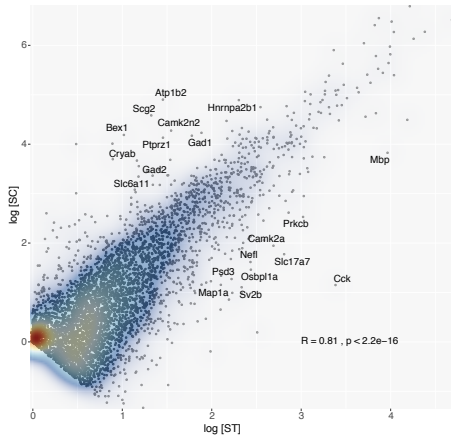
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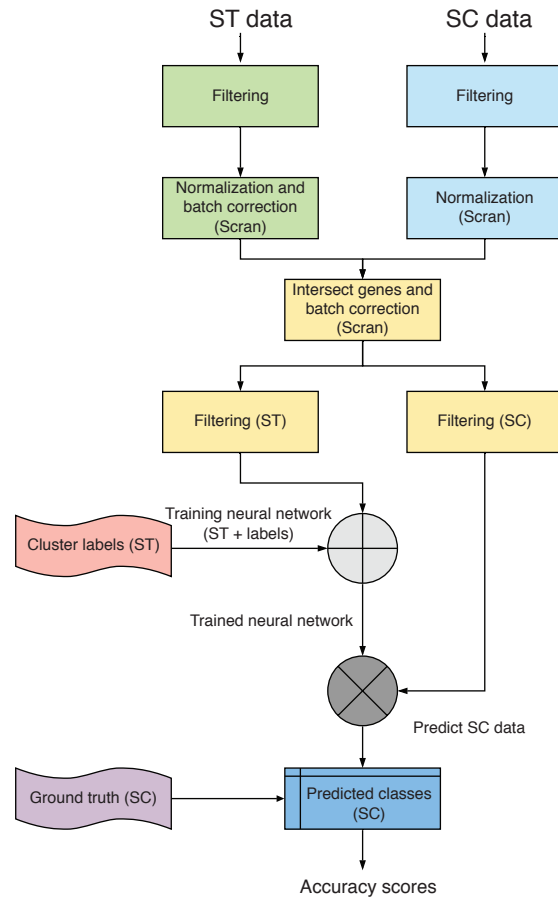
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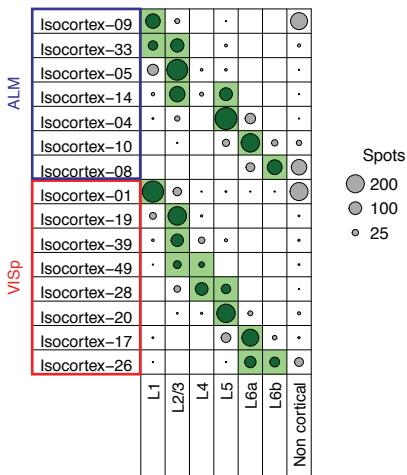
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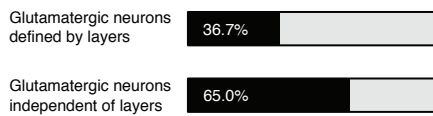


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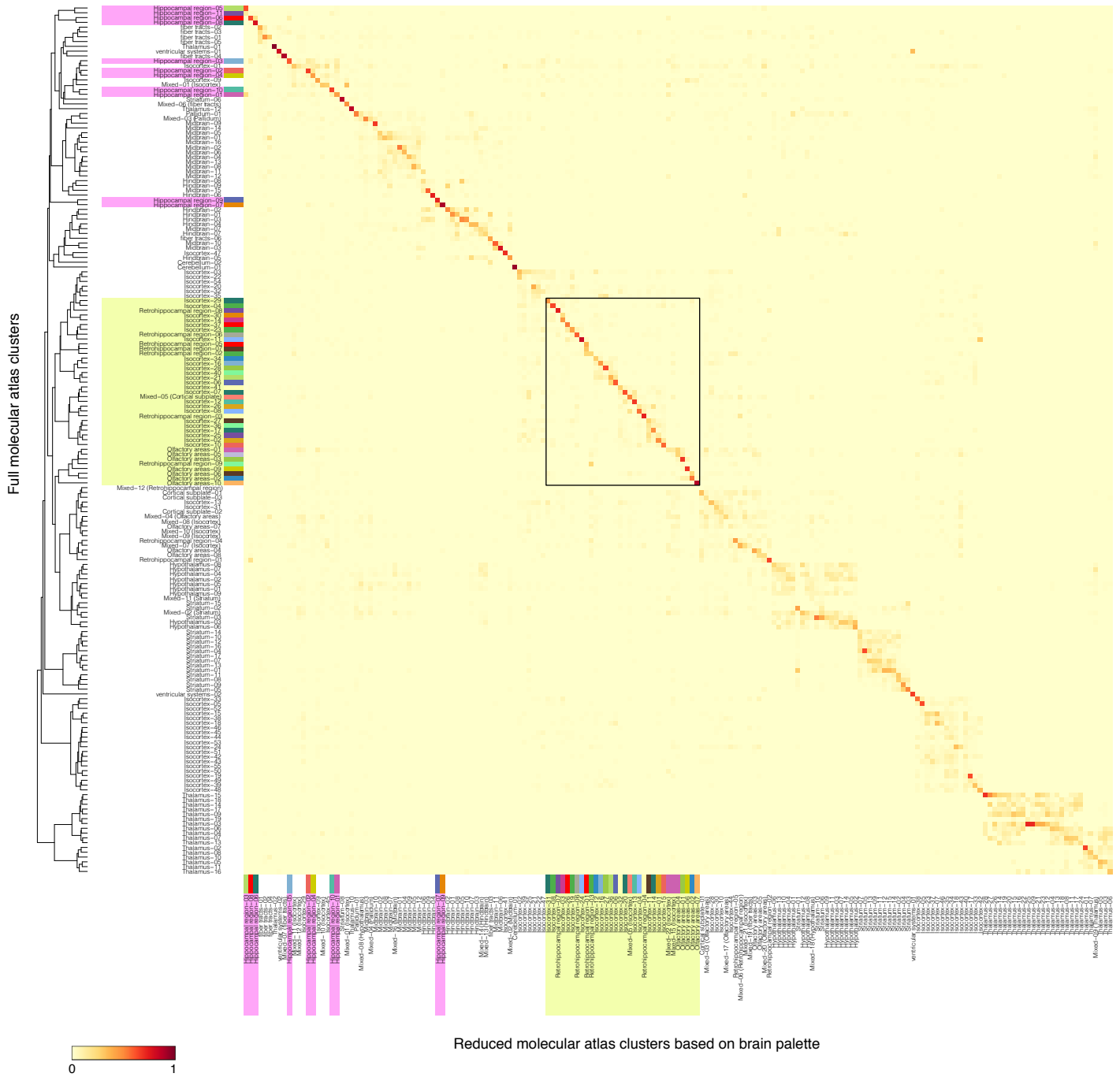
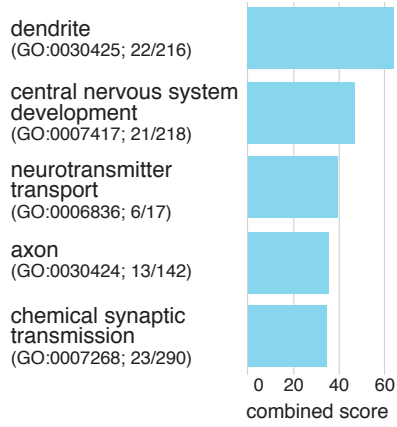
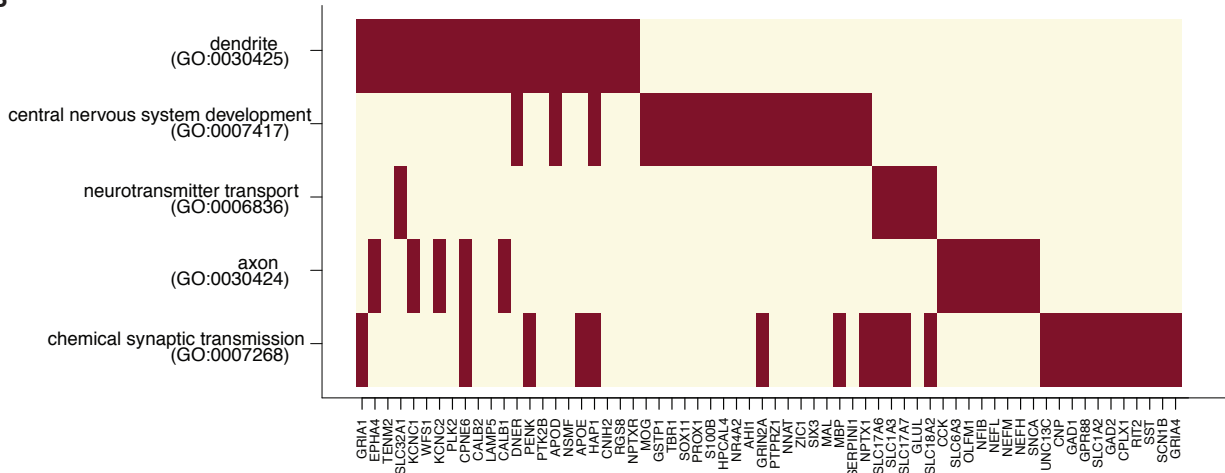


FIGURE S13

A



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C

Neuronal genes			Non neuronal genes			
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Atp1a1	Atp2b1	Cadm1	Bhlhe22	Cab39l	Cabp7	Camk4
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Dbi	Ddc	Ddn	Dusp1	Efh2	Egr1	Egr4
Dgkz	Dner	Enc1	Enah	Fam131a	Fam163b	Fam19a2
Epha4	Ernm	Fos	Fn1	Folr1	Fut9	Gaa
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Hap1	Hpca	Itpr1	Hbb.bs	Hexb	Hlf	Hopx
Kalrn	Kcnab1	Kcnc1	Hpcal4	Hs3st4	Id2	Ier5
Kcnc2	Kcnj10	Lamp5	Igf2	Igfbp2	Igfbp5	Ii33
Macf1	Mag	Mbp	Impact	Junb	Kl	Lmo3
Myoc	Ndn	Nefh	Lmo4	Lxn	Ly6h	Lypd1
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Nptx1	Nrsn1	Nsmf	Mobp	Mog	Msx1	Mt1
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Pcp2	Pcp4	Pde10a	Ndr1	Necab1	Necab2	Neurod1
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