

Supplementary information

White matter disconnectivity fingerprints causally linked to dissociated forms of alexia

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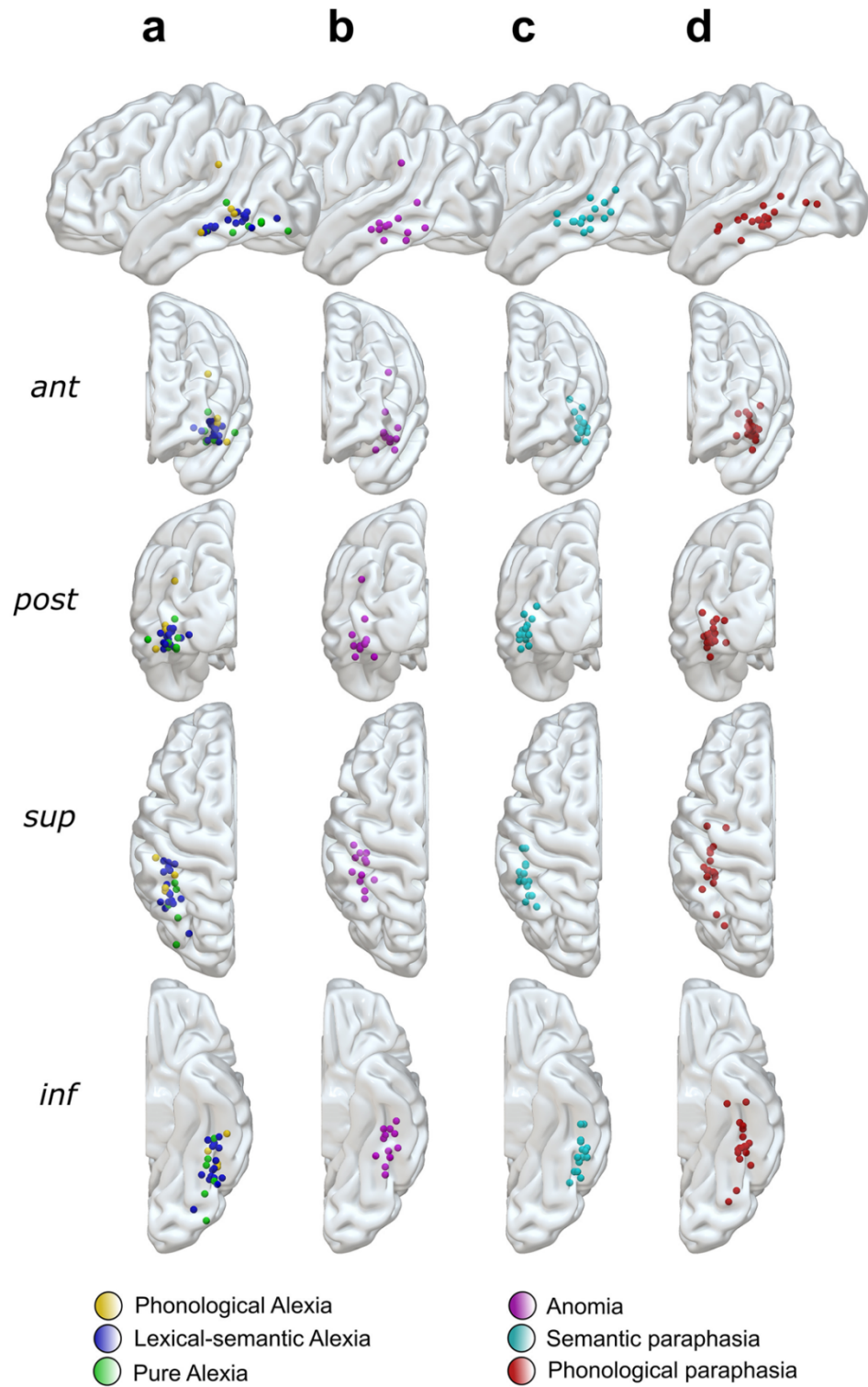
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Supplementary Figure 1: Spatial distribution of subcortical stimulation sites (n=72). **(a)** Stimulations eliciting alexia (n=27). **(b)** Stimulations eliciting anomia (n=12). **(c)** Stimulations eliciting semantic paraphasia (n=18). **(d)** Stimulations eliciting phonological paraphasia (n=15).

Supplementary Table 1: Montreal Neurological Institute (MNI) coordinates (reading disorders)

Stimulations	X coordinate	Y coordinate	Z coordinate
Ph-A			
S1	-46	-48	0
S2	-46	-50	-3
S3	-40	-40	28
S4	-52	-29	-15
Ls-A			
S1	-45	-46	-7
S2	-49	-57	-5
S3	-41	-58	-2
S4	-44	-57	-6
S5 ^a	-31	-77	-6
S6	-44	-51	-9
S6	-36	-55	-8
S8	-47	-31	-15
S9	-43	-37	-12
S10	-44	-32	-12
S11	-42	-56	-4
S12	-47	-38	-11
S13	-40	-33	-14
S14	-43	-52	-2
S15	-44	-35	-11
S16	-46	-61	-12
Pu-A			
S1	-40	-45	4
S2 ^b	-57	-67	-9
S3 ^b	-38	-67	-8
S4a	-39	-84	-14
S5	-44	-32	-14
S6	-44	-59	-11
S7	-39	-49	-15

Ph-A: phonological alexia, Ls-A: lexical-semantic alexia, Pu-A: Pure alexia

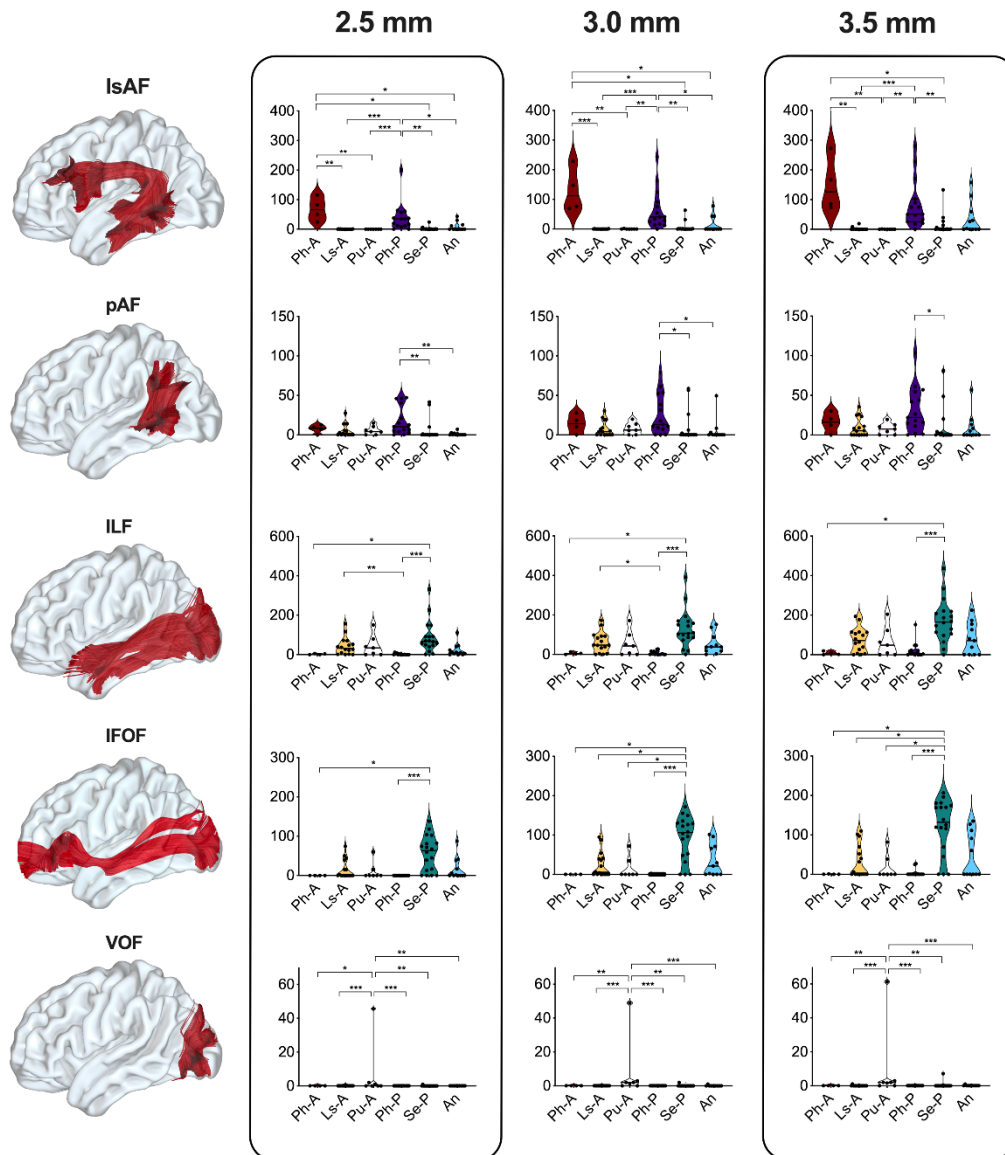
^a Ls-A-S5 and Pu-A-S4 were recorded in the same patient

^b Pu-A-S2 and Pu-A-S3 were recorded in the same patient

Supplementary Table 2: MNI coordinates (speech disorders)

Stimulations	X coordinate	Y coordinate	Z coordinate
Ph-P			
S1	-48	-47	0
S2	-50	-44	7
S3	-53	-44	-6
S4	-47	-53	-6
S5	-42	-60	12
S6	-52	-40	-15
S7	-45	-53	4
S8	-49	-23	-9
S9	-49	-34	-8
S10	-53	-38	-9
S11	-49	-33	-8
S12	-49	-57	-2
S13	-51	-23	-3
S14	-50	-39	-6
S15	-47	-44	-13
Se-P			
S1	-47	-49	8
S2	-46	-35	-7
S3	-43	-37	-8
S4	-39	-41	-10
S5	-44	-41	-6
S6	-33	-72	3
S6	-39	-39	-5
S8	-42	-24	-20
S9	-42	-26	-5
S10	-38	-65	4
S11	-41	-38	-11
S12	-32	-10	-11
S13	-40	-45	-2
S14	-44	-9	-14
S15	-42	-31	-8
S16	-40	-38	2
S17	-40	-22	-7
S18	-44	-37	-11
An			
S1	-41	-55	-12
S2	-44	-26	-13
S3	-48	-21	-13
S4	-35	-43	-20
S5	-43	-40	29
S6	-49	-38	-6
S7	-41	-30	-11
S8	-41	-50	4
S9	-40	-26	-9
S10	-47	-29	-20
S11	-44	-44	-15
S12	-40	-32	-10

Ph-P: phonological paraphasia, Se-P: semantic paraphasia, An: anomia



Supplementary figure 2: Tract-level analyses. Distribution of “disconnected” streamlines by VOI size.

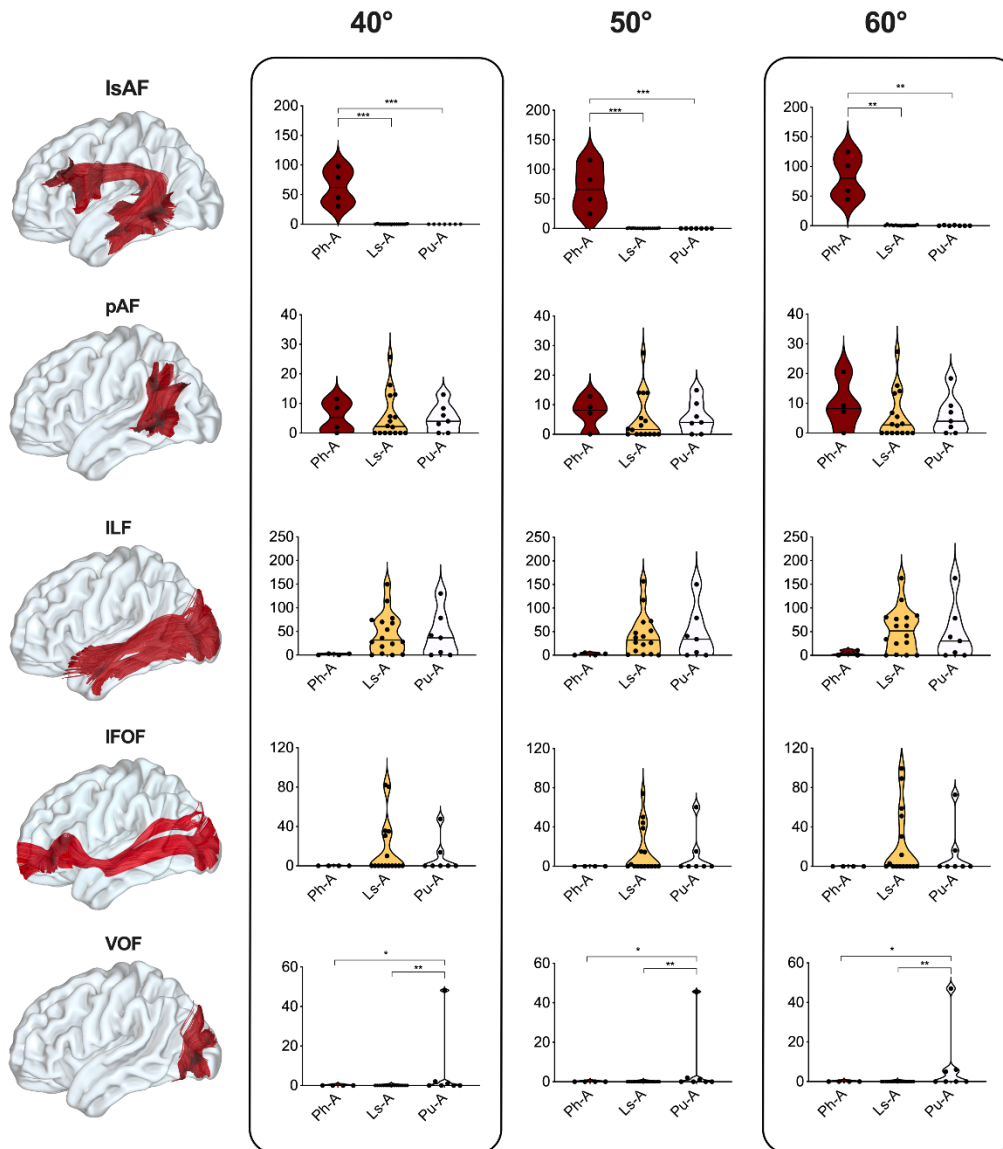
Main white matter tracts (IsAF: long segment of the arcuate fasciculus, pAF: posterior segment of the arcuate fasciculus, ILF: inferior longitudinal fasciculus, IFOF: inferior fronto-occipital fasciculus, VOF: vertical occipital fasciculus) according to the HCP-1065 white matter tractography atlas and number of disconnected fibers in each form of alexia (Ph-A: phonological alexia, Ls-A: lexical-semantic alexia, Pu-A: pure alexia) and speech disorders (Ph-P: phonological paraphasia, Se-P: semantic paraphasia, An: anomia).

The total number of generated fibers using 2.5-mm volumes of interest (left), 3.0-mm volumes of interest (middle) and 3.5-mm volumes of interest were collected and projected into the MNI space along with the HCP population-averaged atlas of the human connectome using DSI studio software.

Individual values are presented as dots. Horizontal lines represent the median.

Kruskall-Wallis test and Dunn’s test were performed. P-values were adjusted for multiple comparisons.

* $p < 0.05$; ** $p < 0.01$; *** $p < 0.001$



Supplementary figure 3: Tract-level analyses. Distribution of “disconnected” streamlines by angular threshold.

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Individual values are presented as dots. Horizontal lines represent the median values.

Kruskal-Wallis tests were used to performed group comparisons. P-values were adjusted with the Dunn’s test for multiple comparisons. * p < 0.05; ** p < 0.01; *** p < 0.001