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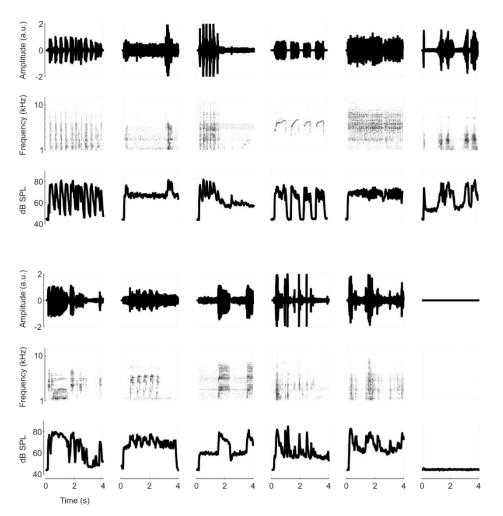
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## Behavioral origin of sound-evoked activity in mouse visual cortex

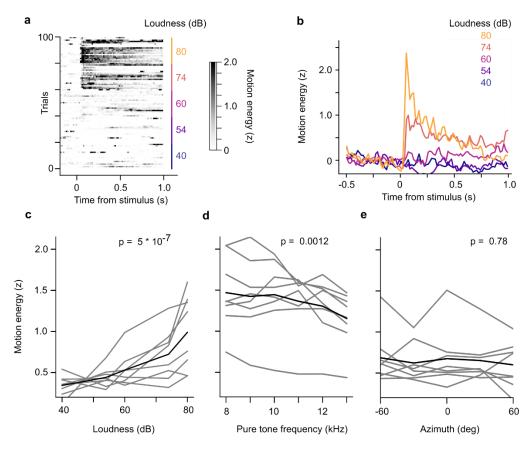
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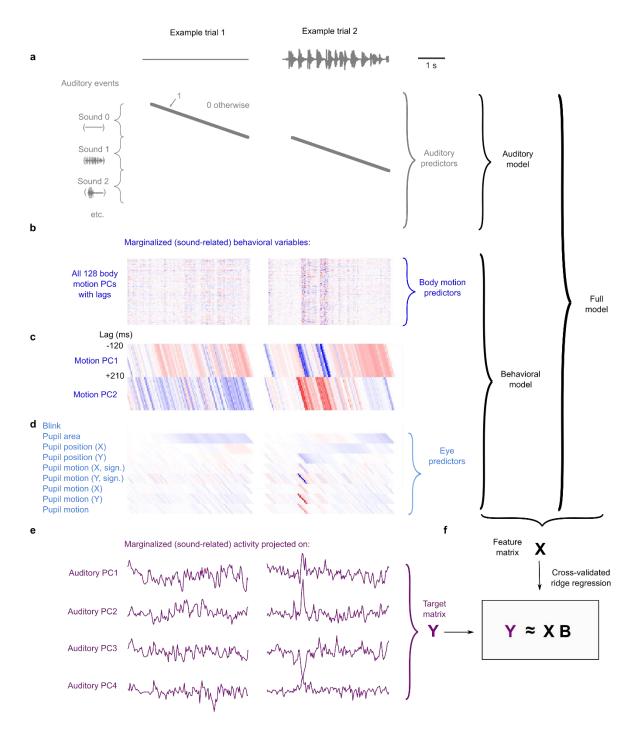
## Supplementary information



Supplementary Fig. 1. Naturalistic sounds used in this study: spectral content and loudness. For each of the 12 sounds, each column shows the sound amplitude (*top*), frequency spectrum (*middle*) and loudness (*bottom*).



Supplementary Fig. 2. Loudness is the main driver of uninstructed behavioral responses. a. Raster of the average motion of an example mouse in response to white noise bursts of different loudness (from 40 to 80 dB SPL). b. Peri-stimulus time histograms of the average motion for the same example mouse for different sound volumes. c. Average motion energy of 6 different mice as a function of loudness. d. Same as c, but for a pure tone of different frequencies (60 dB). e. Same as c, but for a white noise burst played from different azimuthal locations (80 dB). P-values were computed using repeated-measures ANOVA with either the sound loudness, frequency, or location as a factor.



Supplementary Fig. 3. **Structure of the models. a.** The feature matrix for the auditory model involves only the auditory predictors. It is 1 in the time bins during which a sound is played (grey dots), and 0 otherwise. **b**. The feature matrix for the behavioral model includes all 128 motions PCs with 12 lags (from -120 to +210 ms). **c**. A closeup for the first 2 motion PCs allows for a better visualization of the predictors with different lags. **d**. Same as **b**, but for various eye variables. The same lags are used. **e**. The target matrix **Y** is composed of the projections of the marginalized activity (sound responses only) onto the sound-related subspace (first 4 auditory PCs). **f**. The feature matrix **X** depends on the model: auditory, behavioral, or full model (which combines both the auditory and the behavioral predictors). It is fitted to the target matrix **Y** using 3-fold cross-validated ridge regression to obtain the matrix of regression weights **B**.