

License agreement

Welcome

LIFEx is an easy-to-use freeware enabling calculation of 1) a broad range of radiomic features: conventional, textural, shape features from PET, MR, US and CT images 2) Cerebral Blood Volume, Mean Transit Time and Cerebral Blood Flow maps from dynamic susceptibility contrast-enhanced MR , 3) total metabolically active volume from PET images.

The software package LIFEx is not a medical product.

This software is not intended to be used for medical diagnosis and/or patient management. The software may be used exclusively for scientific research purpose and neither for commercial nor curative purposes. This program is provided "as is" without warranty of any kind. Any usage of the results or images of the LIFEx package is at your own risk and liability.

Click on "Accept" to start using LIFEx.

LIFEx is user friendly and assists users !



Help is available in the main interface

User Guides

- User guide (pdf)
- License (pdf)
- How to draw regions (pdf)
- How to open & view images (pdf)
- Support online (html)
- License (mp4)
- Loading CT RS (mp4)

Interface shortcuts

Generic action with tools selected:
Shift + action : dispatch action on all frames

Image Interactions

- Ctrl + LMB moving the view
- Ctrl + Wheel (up or down) adjust the zoom level
- Shift + LMB growing/reduce ROI by 1 unit value
- Shift + Ctrl + LMB growing/reduce ROI by 10 unit value
- Shift + Wheel (up or down) change size of ROI

Mouse acronym: Left Mouse Button, Middle Mouse Button, Right Mouse Button, LMB, MMB, RMB

Menus

- File: New, Open, Save, Close, Copy, Paste, Undo, Redo, Print, Exit
- Basic: Move, Translate, Rotate, Scale, Crop, Zoom, Pan, Window/Leveling
- Reformat: Flip, Rotate, Crop, Mask, Threshold, Invert, Negate, Gamma, Contrast, Brightness, Histogram
- Morphology: Binary, Edge, Skeleton, Region, Label, Distance, Watershed, Morphological
- Measure: Point, Line, Area, Volume, Perimeter, Centroid, Bounding Box, Euler Number, Statistics
- Edit: Crop, Rotate, Flip, Scale, Translate, Move, Delete, Copy, Paste, Undo, Redo
- Threshold: Global, Adaptive, Otsu, Otsu+K, Otsu+Sigma, Otsu+Sigma+K, Otsu+Sigma+Sigma
- Adaptive: Local, Local+K, Local+Sigma, Local+Sigma+K, Local+Sigma+Sigma

Color Palettes

One Frame: MMB adjust the window/leveling (W/L) action: change W/L on this frame. Shift + action: dispatch W/L on all frames.

Change color palette only on this frame

A: no transparency
B: transparency is a function of luminescence
C: only the lowest voxel value (bottom of the colormap) is transparent



Interface shortcuts

Generic action using tool icons:

Shift + action : dispatch action on all frames

Mouse acronyms

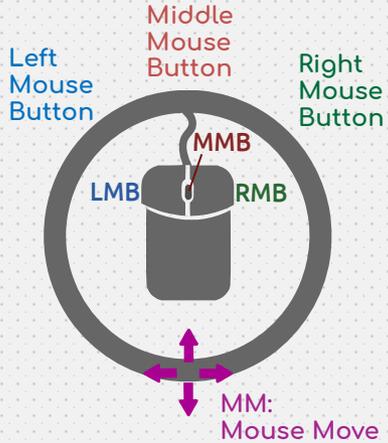


Image Interactions

MMB + MM
adjust the window/levelling

Ctrl + LMB + MM
moving the view

the slices move one by one
Wheel (up or down) or

Ctrl + Wheel (up or down)
adjust the zoom level

ROI Interactions

LMB
selected ROI

Shift + LMB + MM
move ROI

Shift + LMB
grow/reduce ROI by 1 unit value

Shift + LMB + (MM)
draw ROI

Shift + Wheel (up or down)
change size of ROI

Shift + Ctrl + LMB
grow/reduce ROI by 10 unit values

Shift + RMB + (MM)
delete ROI



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Color Palettes

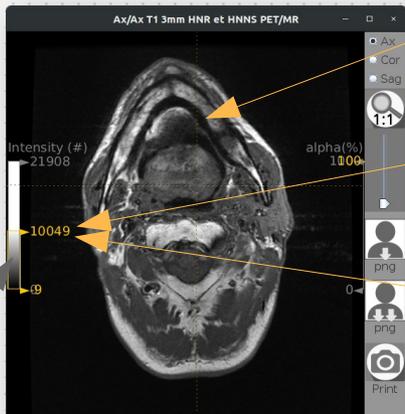


Image GUI:



Change color palette on all frames

One Frame:



Change color palette on this frame only

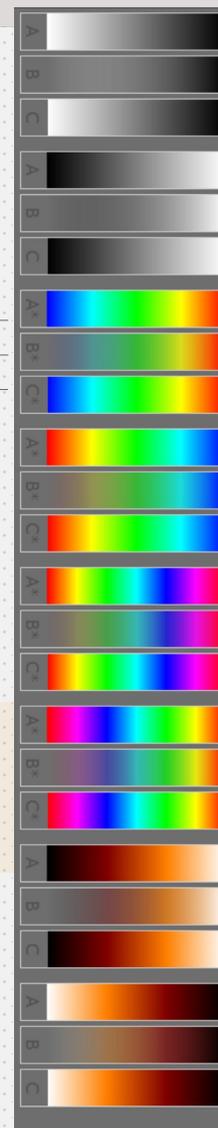


MMB + MM
adjust the window/levelling (W/L)

Shift + MMB + MM
dispatch W/L on all frames

LMB + MM
change W/L on this frame

Shift + LMB + MM
dispatch W/L on all frames



MONOCHROME1
MONOCHROME1_PVALUES
MONOCHROME1_PVALUES0

MONOCHROME2
MONOCHROME2_PVALUES
MONOCHROME2_PVALUES0

RAINBOW
RAINBOW_PVALUES
RAINBOW_PVALUES0

RAINBOW_INVERSE
RAINBOW_INVERSE_PVALUES
RAINBOW_INVERSE_PVALUES0

RAINBOW_NEW
RAINBOW_NEW_PVALUES
RAINBOW_NEW_PVALUES0

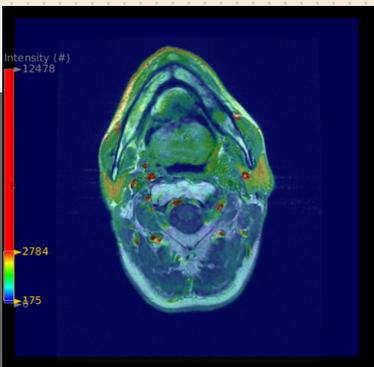
RAINBOW_NEW_INVERSE
RAINBOW_NEW_INVERSE_PVALUES
RAINBOW_NEW_INVERSE_PVALUES0

HEAT
HEAT_PVALUES
HEAT_PVALUES0

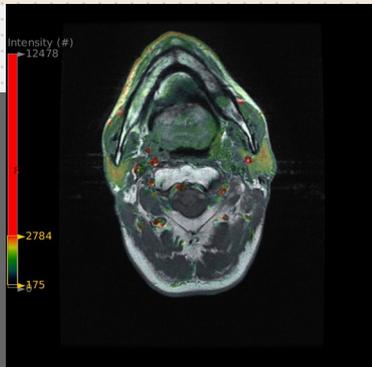
HEAT_INVERSE
HEAT_INVERSE_PVALUES
HEAT_INVERSE_PVALUES0

Names of color palette
(for script links)

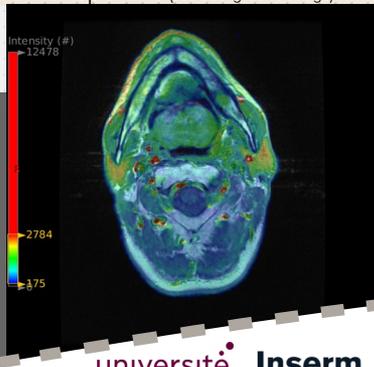
A: no transparency
(see background image)



B: transparency is a function of luminescence



C: only the lowest voxel value (bottom of the colormap) is transparent (see background image)



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Tools

File	Basic	Reformat	Morphology
New Create new ROI	Move Translate selected ROI	Ring Dilatation to the outer edges (vx, sp)	Close Close action
Click Click & draw	Copy Copy of selected ROI	KeepOne Split ROI and keep only the biggest one	Fill3D Create a new ROI by 3D filling from another ROI
Click40 Click & draw and threshold 40%	FlipAP Flip Anterior-Posterior	Split Split ROI into multiple layers	Dilate Dilate ROI (vx, sp)
Load Load ROI file	FlipRL Flip Right-Left	Union Union of all visible ROI	Erode Erode ROI (vx, sp)
Dispose Dispose selected ROI	FlipIS Flip Inferior-Superior	Subtract Subtract of two visible ROI	Interpolation interpolate slice between two ROI not joined (only on axial)
		Intersection Intersection between ROIs joined	

Measure

- Max**
Locate maximum value of selected ROI
- Angle**
Angle node 2D
- Dist**
Distance node 2D
- Cluster Stat**
get cluster statistics pointed by crosshair

Edit

3D	2D
Circle3D Draw circle 3D	Circle2D Draw circle 2D
Snake3D 3D snake algorithm	Snake2D 2D snake algorithm
	Pencil2D Draw with pencil 2D

ROI tools

Applied to one ROI:

- Tools**
 - New
- Measure**
 - Max
- Edit**
 - Circle3D
- Threshold**
 - n

Applied to all ROI:

- Tools**
 - Hide

Tools

Basic	Advanced	Display
SaveAllInOne Save all ROI on single file	Histo Histogram of values in ROI with open eyes	Show Show all ROI
SaveAllInAll Save all ROI on many files	Curve (Time)(Activity) Curve of ROI with open eyes	Hide Hide all ROI
Delete ROI Delete all files (permanently delete)	Labelling Quick Labelling of ROI	Invert Invert all eyes
Dispose Dispose all ROI	Quarter Quarter division	Sort Sorting of ROI
		Border/Fill Display border /fill of all ROI

Threshold

Basic	Peak	Adaptative
n Relative / absolute threshold on active ROI	Peak.5cc SUVpeak (diameter of 0.5cm) in selected ROI	ROI from W/L ROI Creation from window/leveling contrast
n% Threshold at n% of max value	Peak1cc SUVpeak (diameter of 1cm) in selected ROI	Nestle Nestle ROI
40% Threshold at 40% of max value		Contrast Contrast Based Method
70% Threshold at 70% of max value		

