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Multivariate Tensor-Based Morphometry and Its Application to Detecting White Matter Abnormality in Abused Children: Persistent Homological Approach

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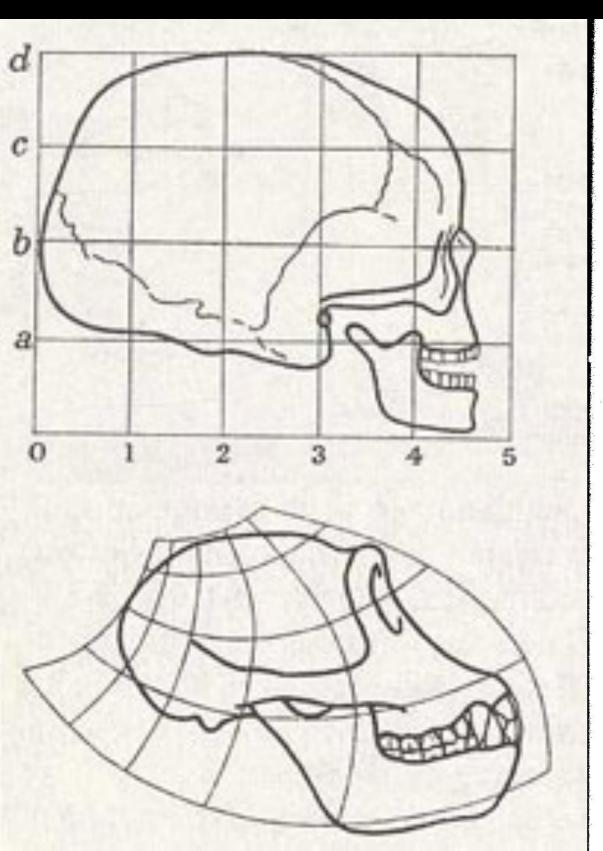
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Deformable grid system

D'Arcy Thompson 1860-1948



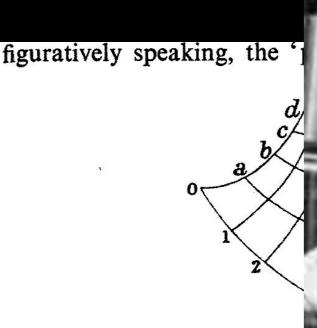


Fig. 178. Co-ordinates of the Cartesia

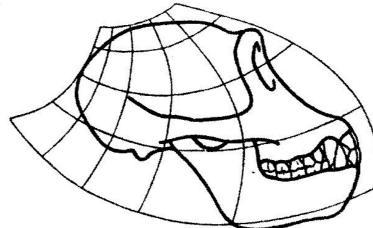


Fig. 179. Skull of chimpanzee.

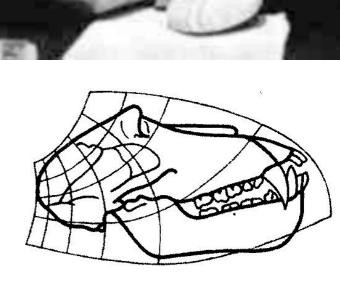


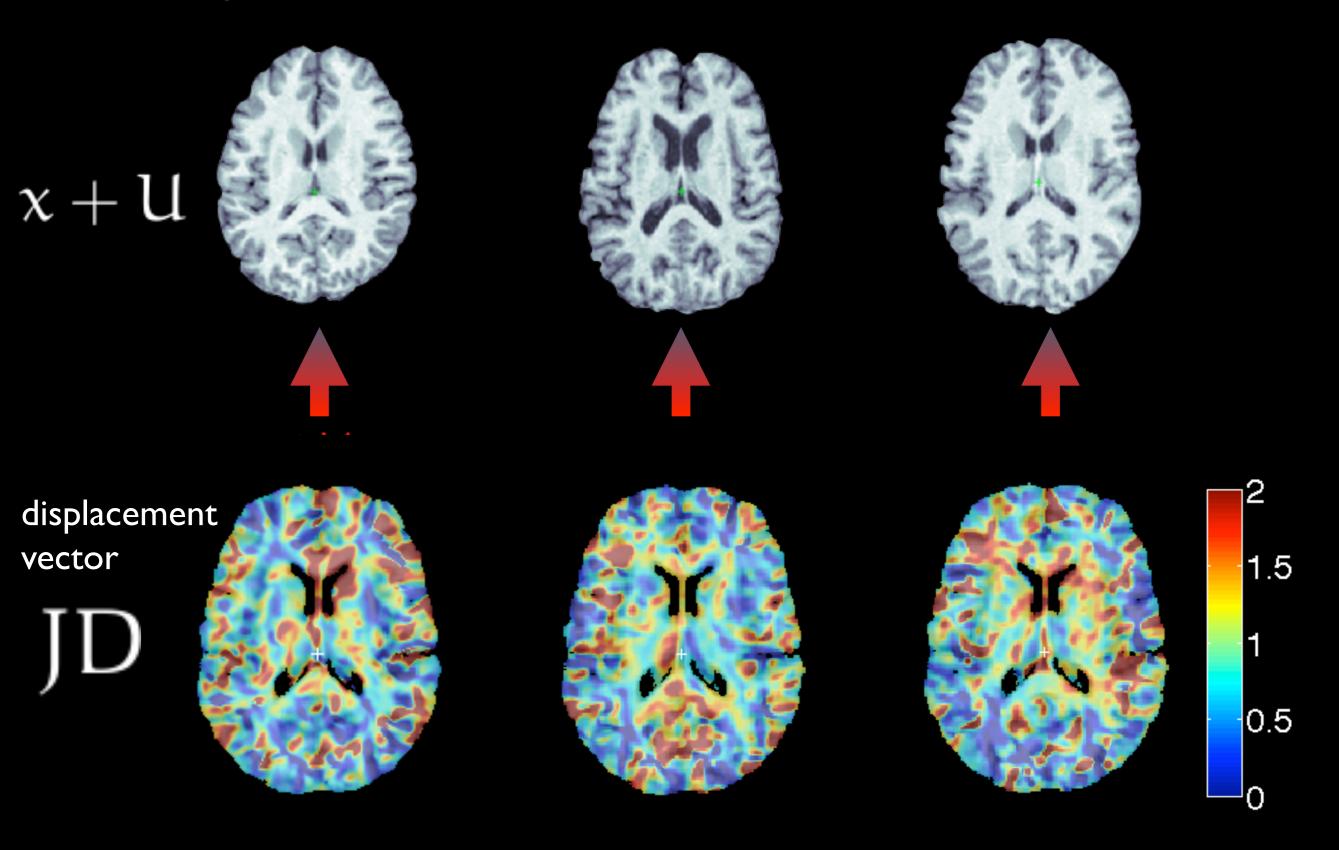
Fig. 180. Skull of baboon.

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Behavioral/Systems/Cognitive

Structural Variations in Prefrontal Cortex Mediate the Relationship between Early Childhood Stress and Spatial Working Memory

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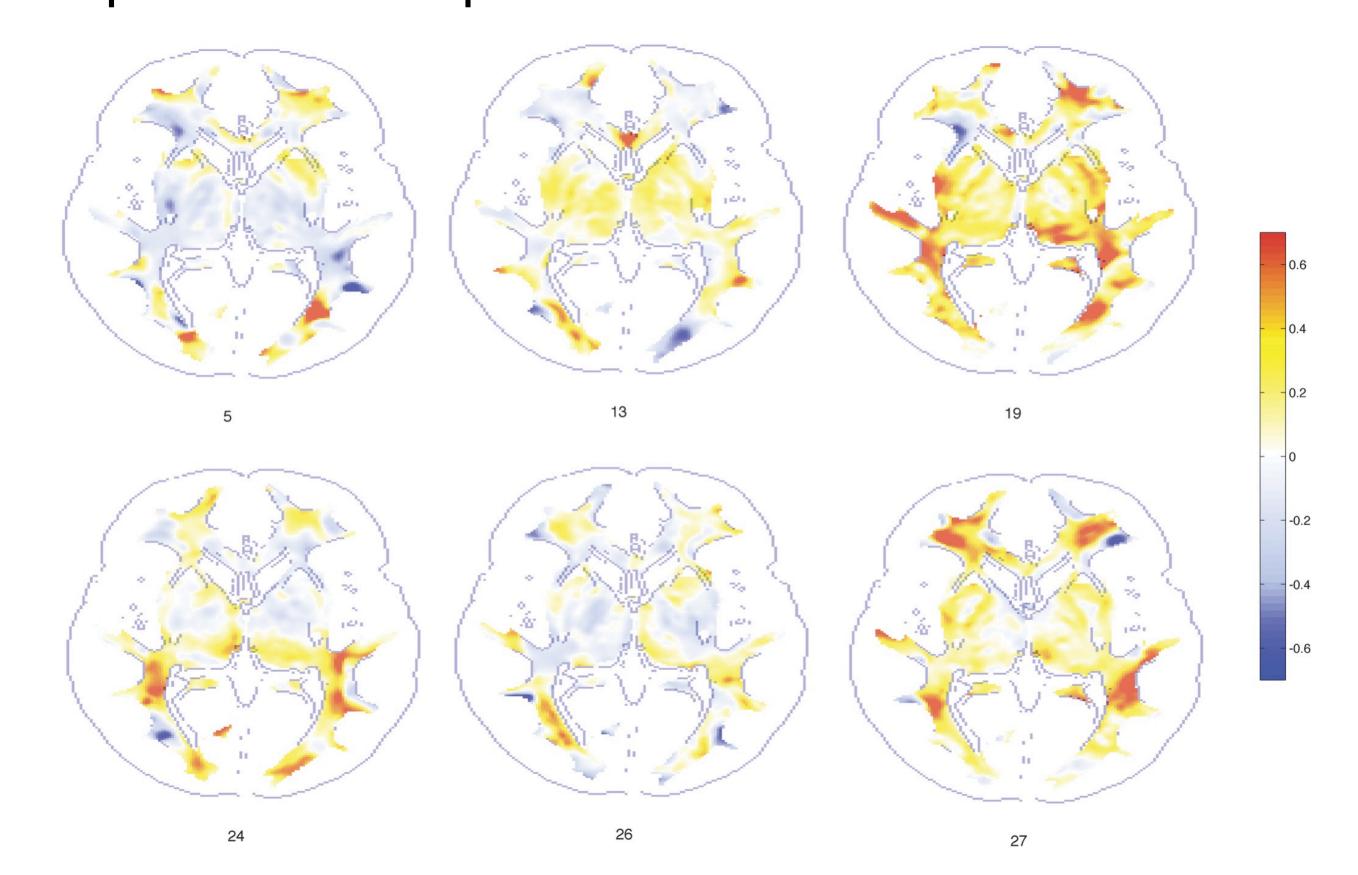
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Multivariate-TBM

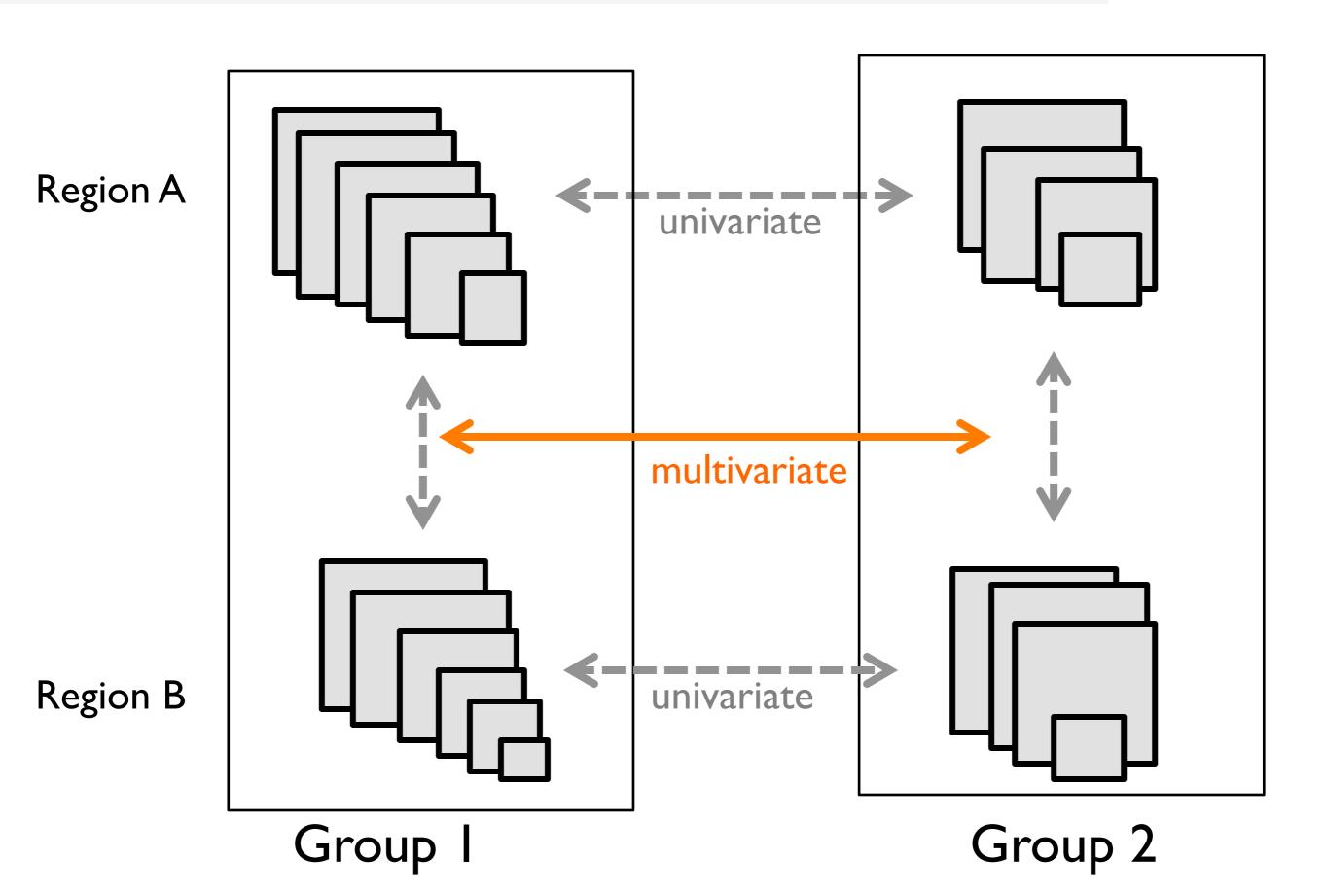
Data

- TI-weighted MRI were collected using a 3T GE SIGNA scanner.
- 23 maltreated children who have been postinstitutionalized (PI) in orphanages in East Europe and China but later adopted to the families in US.
- Age-matched 31 normal control subjects.
- Age: PI: 11.26 +- 1.71, Controls: 11.58 +- 1.61 years.
- Gender PI: 10 boys and 13 girls, Controls: 18 boys and 13 girls.

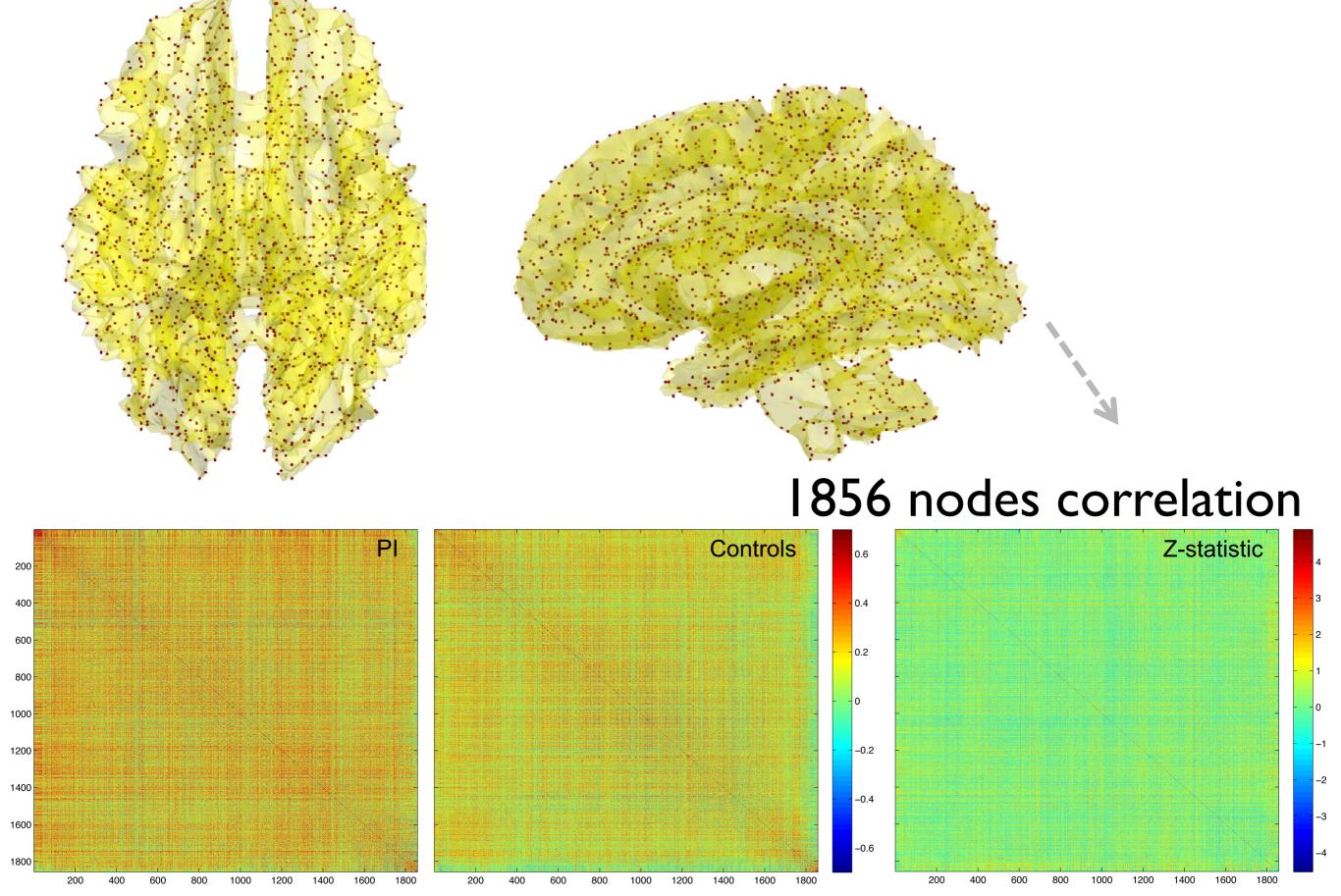
Jacobian determinant (tissue volume change) with respect to the template

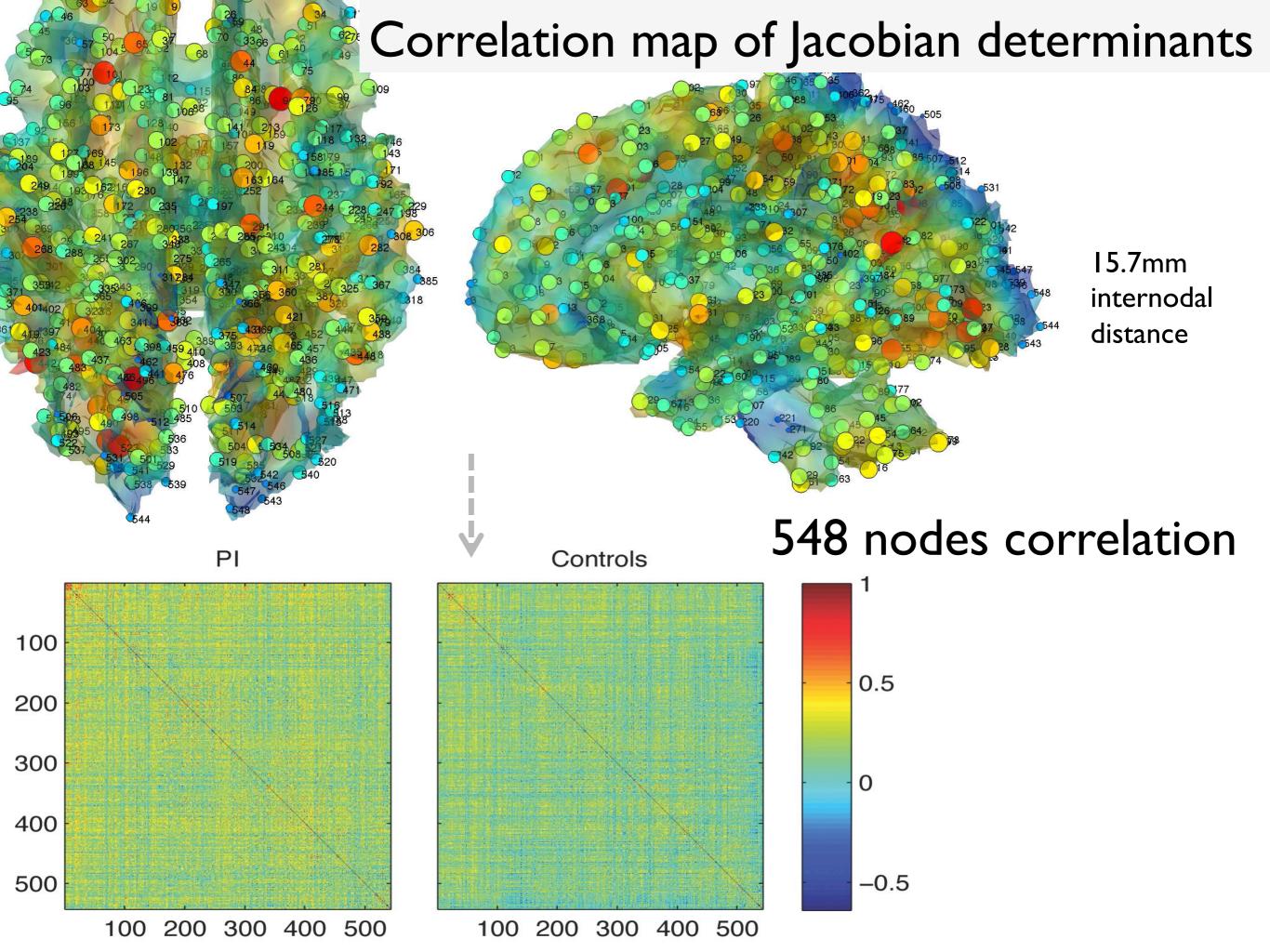


Massive univariate vs. multivariate

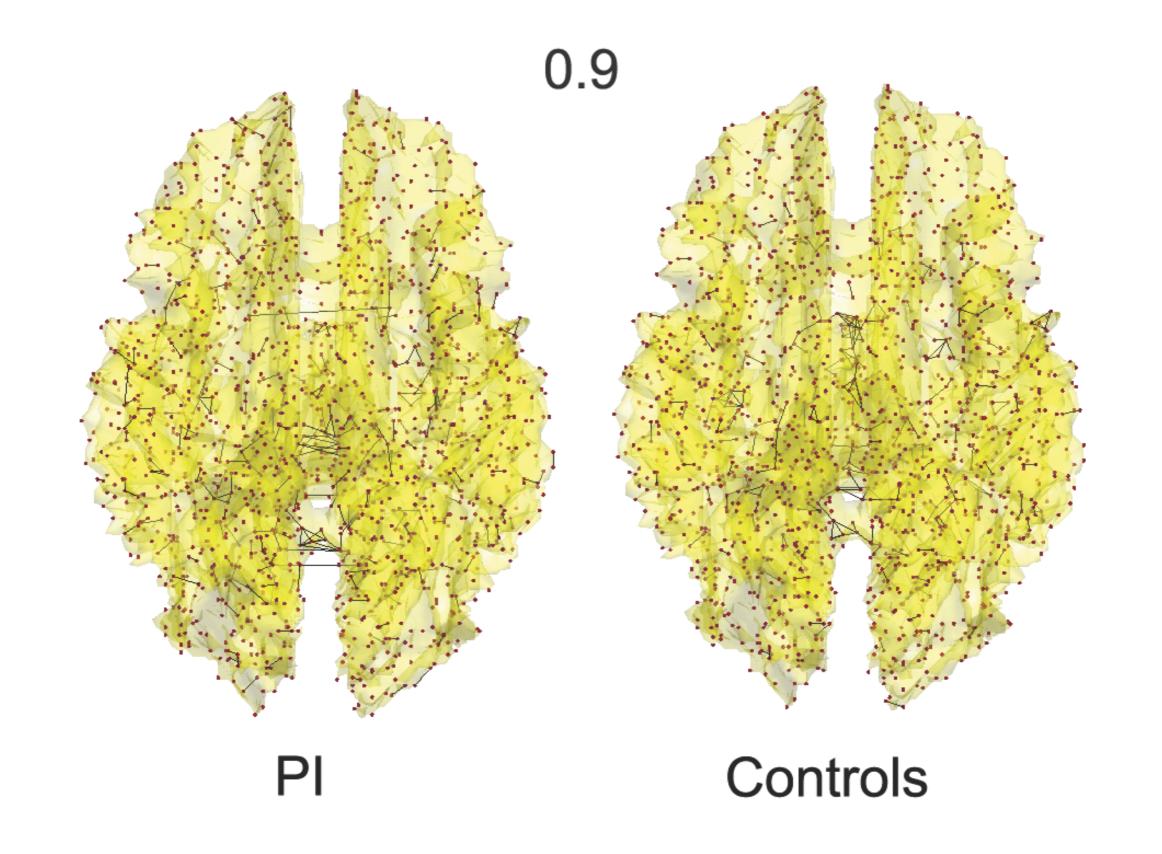


Correlation map of Jacobian determinants

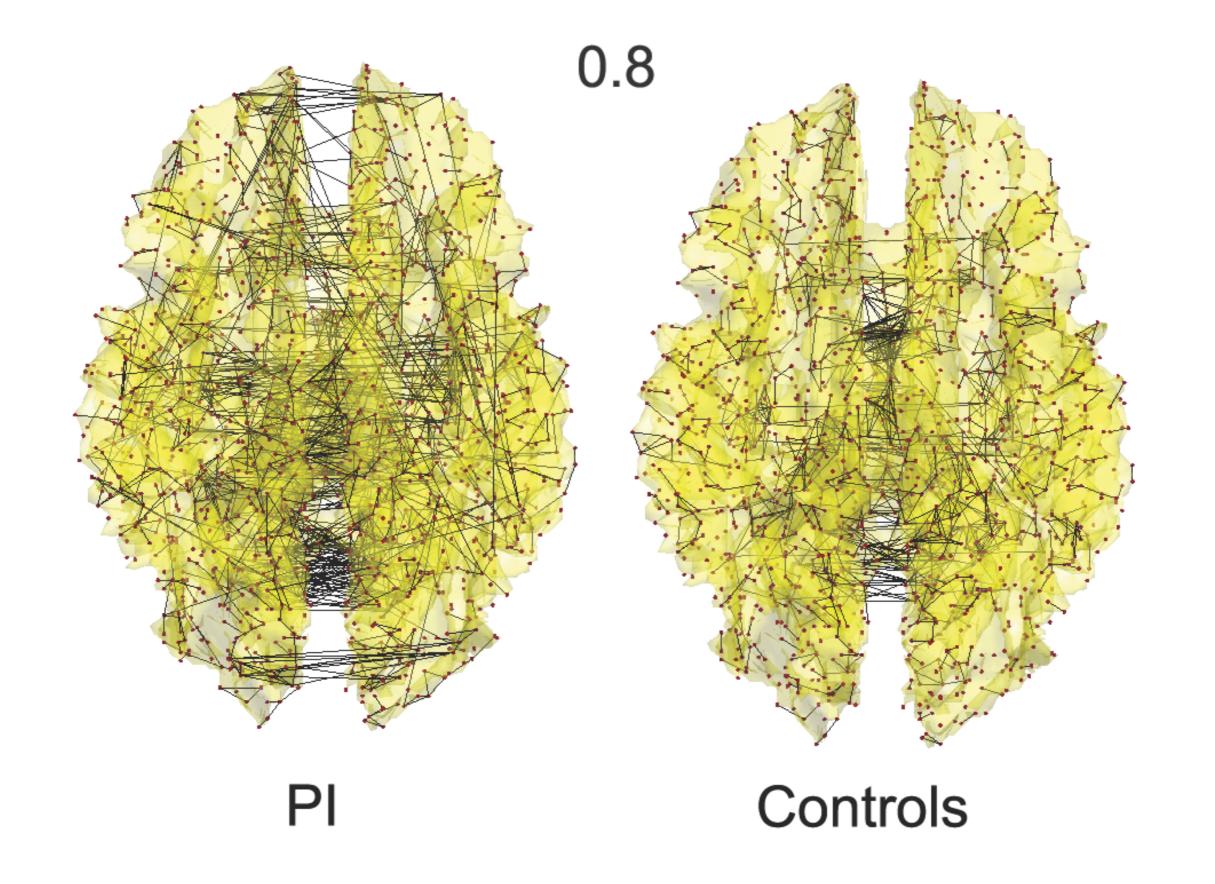




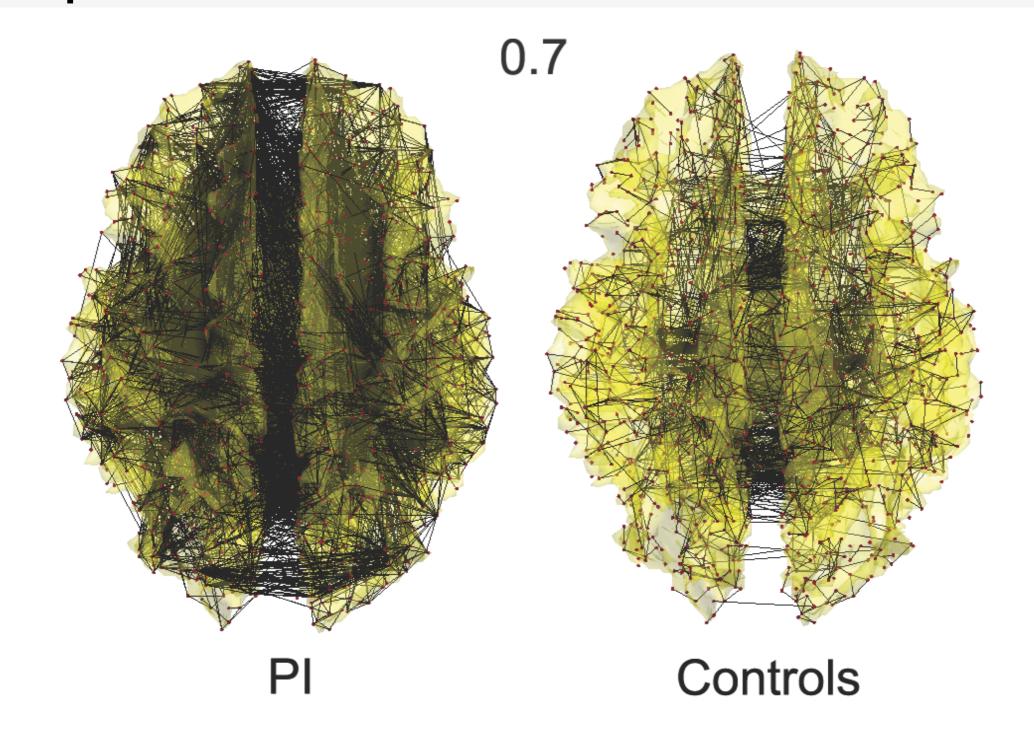
Graph representation of thresholded correlation



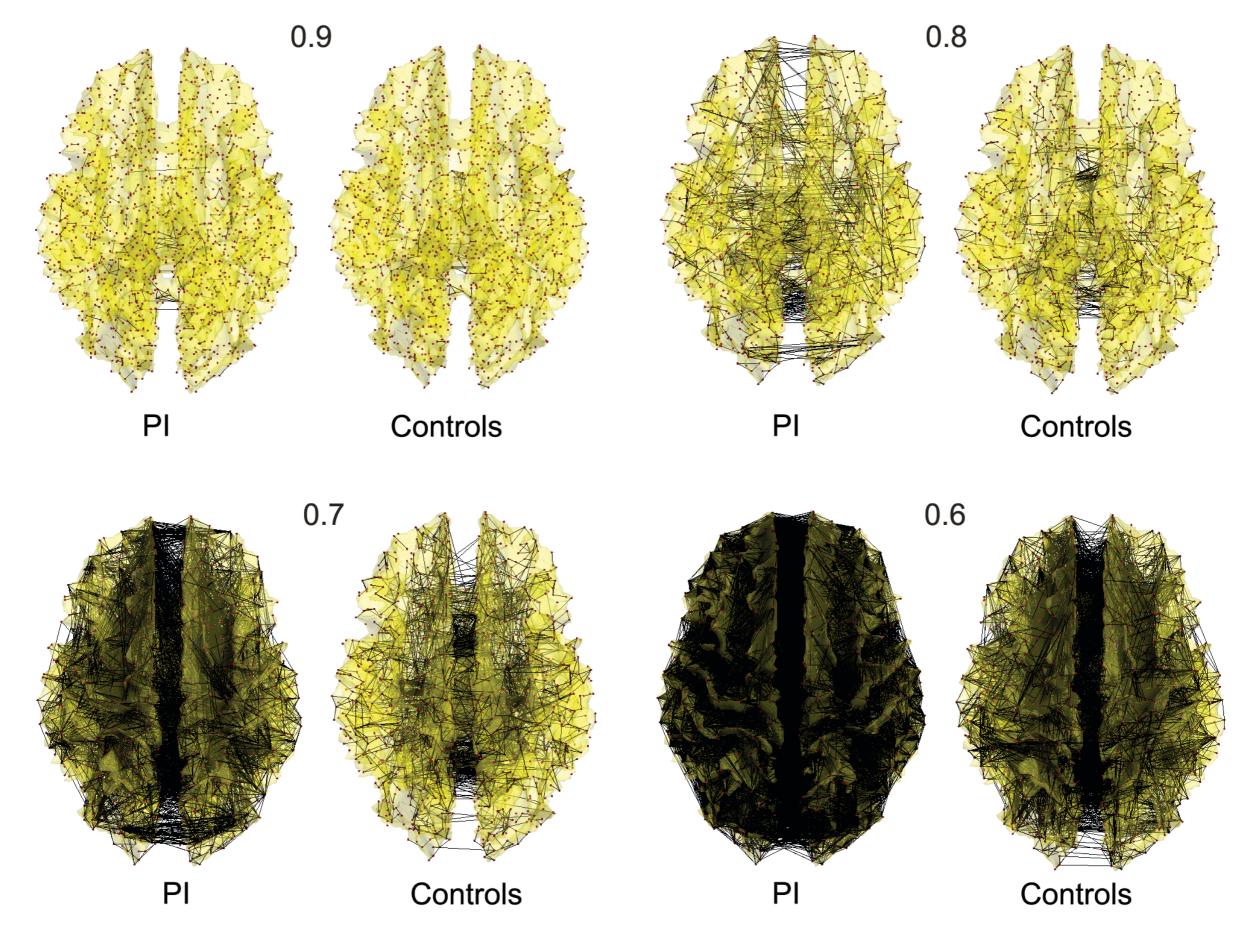
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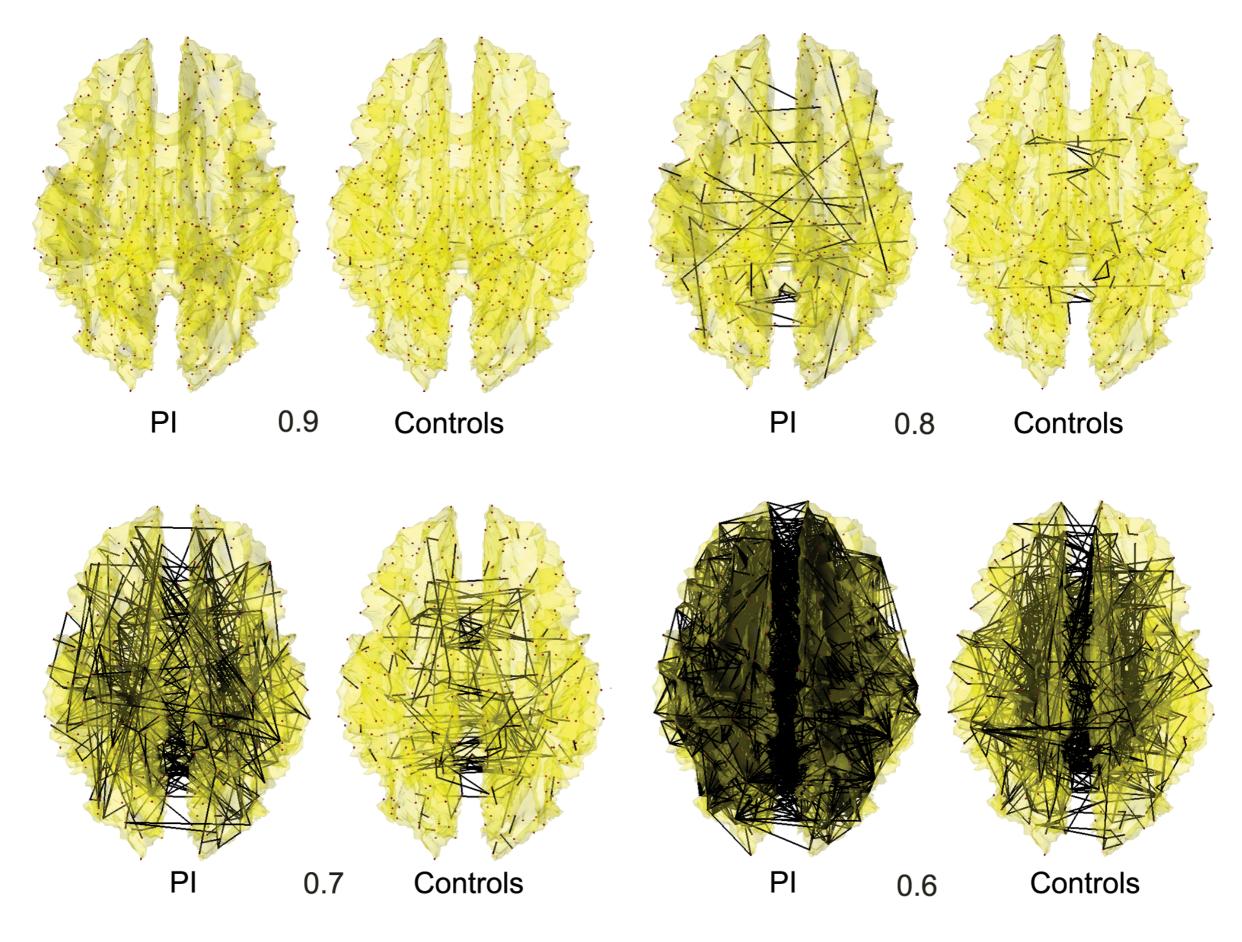
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Interpretation: PI is structurally more homogenous than the controls.

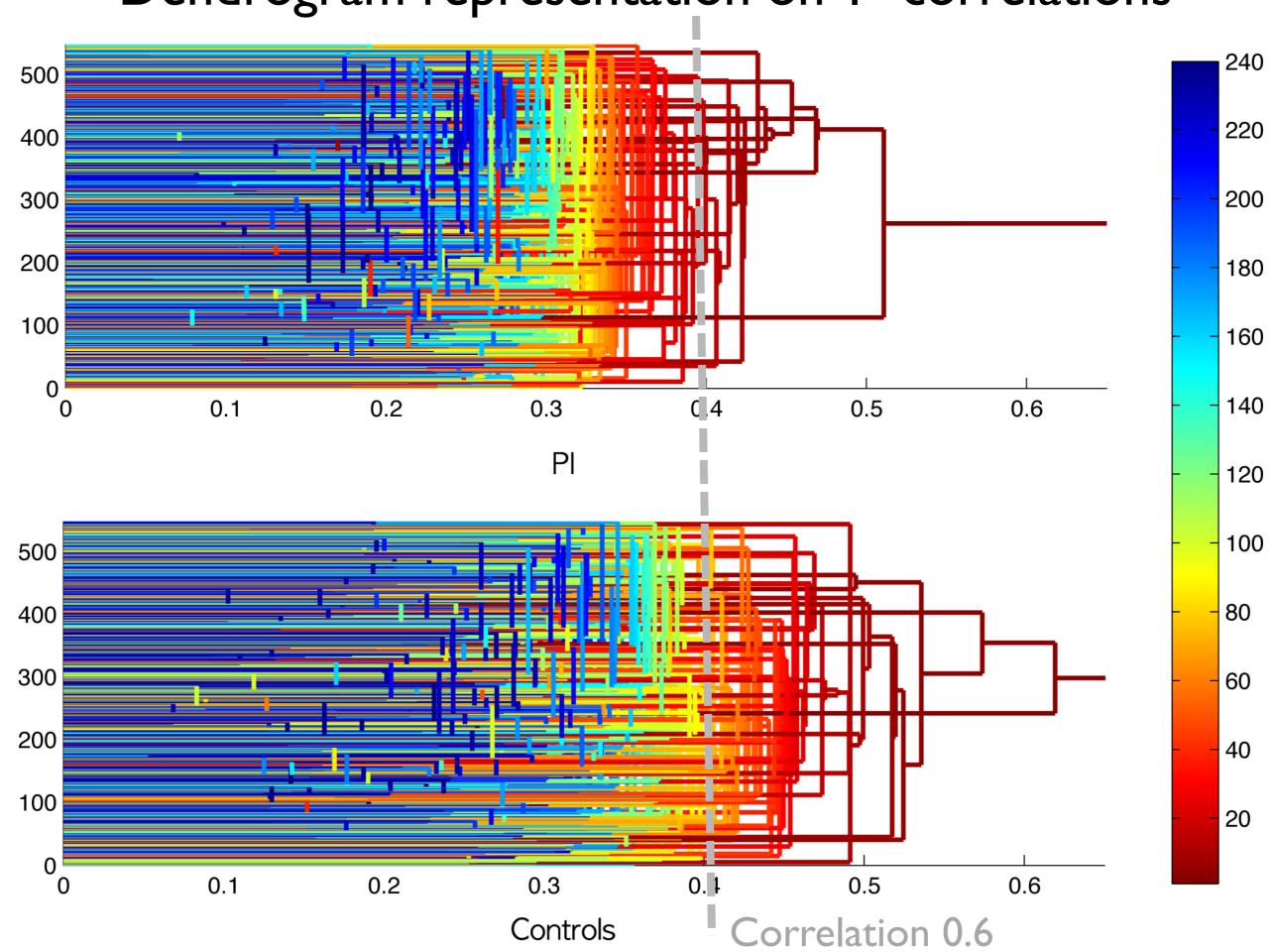


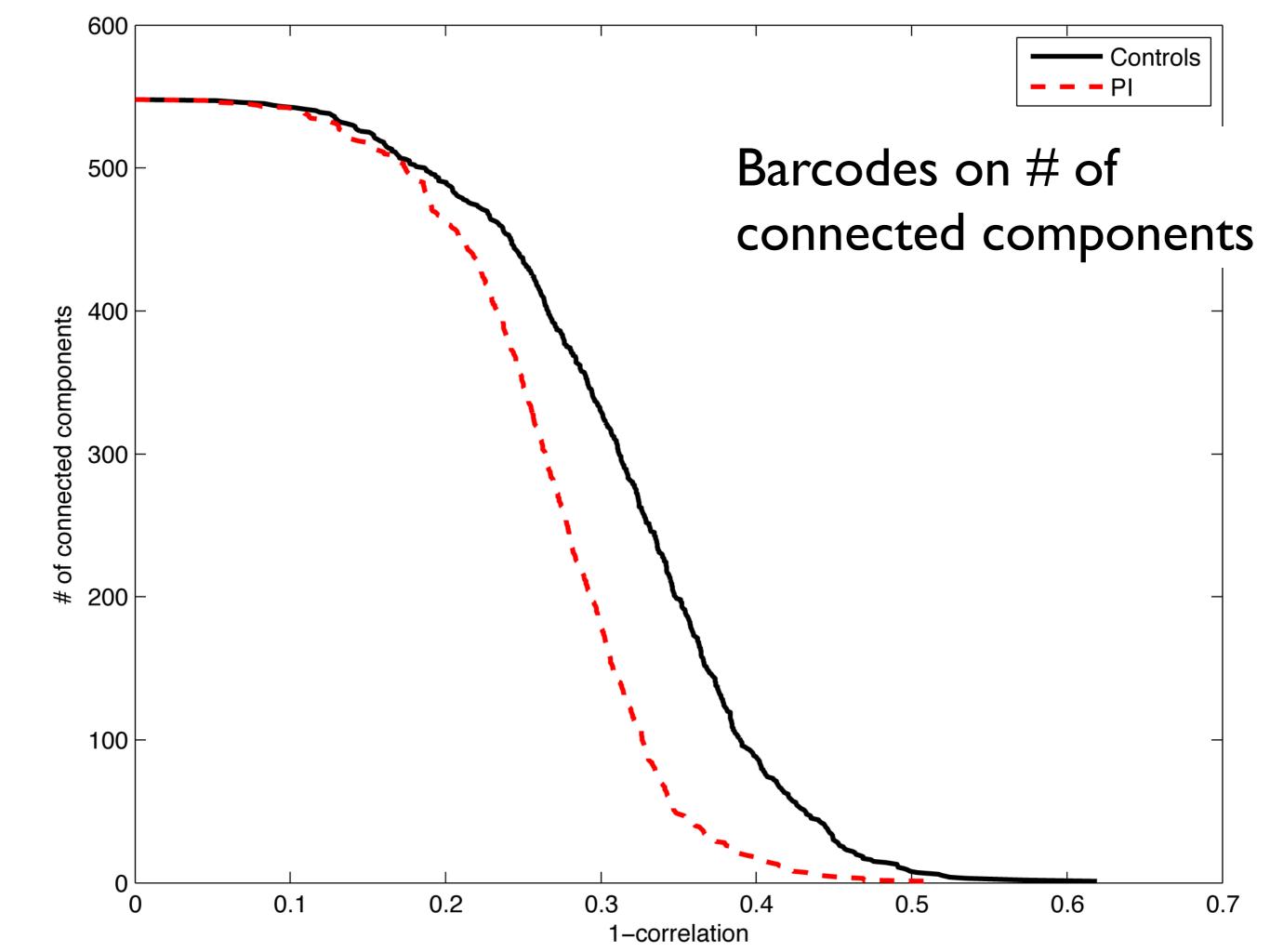
1856 nodes thresholding



548 nodes thresholding

Dendrogram representation on 1- correlations





What next?

Trying to check the strength of DTI connections in those nodes showing the group difference