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Waxholm Space Atlas of the Sprague Dawley Rat Brain

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.nitrc.org/projects/whs-sd-atlas/>

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Description: Open access volumetric atlas of anatomical delineations of rat brain based on structural contrast in isotropic magnetic resonance and diffusion tensor images acquired ex vivo from 80 day old male Sprague Dawley rat at Duke Center for In Vivo Microscopy. Spatial reference is provided by Waxholm Space coordinate system. Location of bregma and lambda are identified as anchors towards stereotaxic space. Application areas include localization of signal in non structural images. Atlas, MRI and DTI volumes, and diffusion tensor data are shared in NIfTI format.

Abbreviations: WHS-SD-atlas

Synonyms: WHS SD rat atlas, WHS_SD_rat_atlas, WHS-SD-rat-atlas

Resource Type: atlas, data or information resource, waxholm atlas

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Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 38 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [Kravitz](#) .

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