

Dear Colleagues.

Here is the last ASL Newsletter for 2010.

I hope all of you had a nice holidays and I wish you a Happy New Year!

Cheers,
Johanna

Recent publications November & December 2010, (e-publications might have been earlier):

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Animal studies

[Arterial spin labeling and dynamic susceptibility contrast CBF MRI in postischemic hyperperfusion, hypercapnia, and after mannitol injection.](#)

Tanaka Y, Nagaoka T, Nair G, Ohno K, Duong TQ.

J Cereb Blood Flow Metab. 2010 Dec 22. [Epub ahead of print]

[Association of chronic vascular changes with functional outcome after traumatic brain injury in rats.](#)

Hayward NM, Immonen R, Tuunanen PI, Ndode-Ekane XE, Gröhn O, Pitkänen A.

J Neurotrauma. 2010 Dec;27(12):2203-19. Epub 2010 Oct 18.

[Chronic hyperperfusion and angiogenesis follow subacute hypoperfusion in the thalamus of rats with focal cerebral ischemia.](#)

Hayward NM, Yanev P, Haapasalo A, Miettinen R, Hiltunen M, Gröhn O, Jolkkonen J.

J Cereb Blood Flow Metab. 2010 Nov 17. [Epub ahead of print]

[Feasibility and precision of cerebral blood flow and cerebrovascular reactivity MRI measurements using a computer-controlled gas delivery system in an anaesthetised juvenile animal model.](#)

Winter JD, Fierstra J, Dorner S, Fisher JA, St Lawrence KS, Kassner A.

J Magn Reson Imaging. 2010 Nov;32(5):1068-75.

[High-field continuous arterial spin labeling with long labeling duration: Reduced confounds from blood transit time and postlabeling delay.](#)

Lu H, Leoni R, Silva AC, Stein EA, Yang Y.

Magn Reson Med. 2010 Dec;64(6):1557-66. doi: 10.1002/mrm.22576. Epub 2010 Aug 16.

Drug studies

[Effects on resting cerebral blood flow and functional connectivity induced by metoclopramide: a perfusion MRI study in healthy volunteers.](#)

Fernández-Seara MA, Aznárez-Sanado M, Mengual E, Irigoyen J, Heukamp F, Pastor MA.

Br J Pharmacol. 2010 Dec 22. doi: 10.1111/j.1476-5381.2010.01161.x. [Epub ahead of print]

[Quantification of Cerebral Blood Flow as Biomarker of Drug Effect: Arterial Spin Labeling phMRI After a Single Dose of Oral Citalopram.](#)

Chen Y, Wan HI, O'Reardon JP, Wang DJ, Wang Z, Korczykowski M, Detre JA.

Clin Pharmacol Ther. 2010 Dec 29. [Epub ahead of print]

[Quantification of Indirect Pathway Inhibition by the Adenosine A2a Antagonist SYN115 in Parkinson Disease.](#)

Black KJ, Koller JM, Campbell MC, Gusnard DA, Bandak SI.

J Neurosci. 2010 Dec 1;30(48):16284-16292.

Perfusion studies other than on the brain

Arterial spin labeling MRI for assessment of perfusion in native and transplanted kidneys.

Artz NS, Sadowski EA, Wentland AL, Grist TM, Seo S, Djamali A, Fain SB.
Magn Reson Imaging. 2011 Jan;29(1):74-82. Epub 2010 Sep 17.

Current role and future perspective of MRI for diagnosis and characterization of renal cell carcinoma.

Schoth F, Persigehl T, Palmowski M.
Panminerva Med. 2010 Dec;52(4):307-18.

Diffusion and perfusion of the kidney.

Notohamiprodjo M, Reiser MF, Sourbron SP.
Eur J Radiol. 2010 Dec;76(3):337-47. Epub 2010 Jun 26.

Early response assessment in patients with multiple myeloma during anti-angiogenic therapy using arterial spin labelling: first clinical results.

Fenchel M, Konakchieva M, Weisel K, Kraus S, Brodoefel H, Claussen CD, Horger M.
Eur Radiol. 2010 Dec;20(12):2899-906. Epub 2010 Jul 1.

Estimation of perfusion and arterial transit time in myocardium using free-breathing myocardial arterial spin labeling with navigator-echo.

Wang DJ, Bi X, Avants BB, Meng T, Zuehlsdorff S, Detre JA.
Magn Reson Med. 2010 Nov;64(5):1289-95.

Lung perfusion measured using magnetic resonance imaging: New tools for physiological insights into the pulmonary circulation.

Hopkins SR, Prisk GK.
J Magn Reson Imaging. 2010 Dec;32(6):1287-301. doi: 10.1002/jmri.22378.

Lung volume does not alter the distribution of pulmonary perfusion in dependent lung in supine humans.

Hopkins SR, Arai TJ, Henderson AC, Levin DL, Buxton RB, Kim Prisk G.
J Physiol. 2010 Dec 1;588(Pt 23):4759-4768. Epub 2010 Oct 4.

Cerebral blood flow studies

Hippocampal blood flow in normal aging measured with arterial spin labeling at 3T.

Rusinek H, Brys M, Glodzik L, Switalski R, Tsui WH, Haas F, McGorty K, Chen Q, de Leon MJ.
Magn Reson Med. 2011 Jan;65(1):128-37.

Reproducibility study

Regional reproducibility of pulsed arterial spin labeling perfusion imaging at 3T.

Wang Y, Saykin AJ, Pfeuffer J, Lin C, Mosier KM, Shen L, Kim S, Hutchins GD.
Neuroimage. 2011 Jan 15;54(2):1188-95. Epub 2010 Aug 25.

Reliability and reproducibility of perfusion MRI in cognitively normal subjects.

Jiang L, Kim M, Chodkowski B, Donahue MJ, Pekar JJ, Van Zijl PC, Albert M. Magn Reson Imaging. 2010 Nov;28(9):1283-9. Epub 2010 Jun 22.

Regional comparison

Cerebral blood flow in posterior cortical nodes of the default mode network decreases with task engagement but remains higher than in most brain regions.

Pfefferbaum A, Chanraud S, Pitel AL, Müller-Oehring E, Shankaranarayanan A, Alsop DC, Rohlfing T, Sullivan EV.

Cereb Cortex. 2011 Jan;21(1):233-44. Epub 2010 May 19.

Determination of spin compartment

Determination of spin compartment in arterial spin labeling MRI.

Liu P, Uh J, Lu H.

Magn Reson Med. 2011 Jan;65(1):120-7.

Studies on special diseases

Cerebral blood flow is reduced in chronic fatigue syndrome as assessed by arterial spin labeling.

Biswal B, Kunwar P, Natelson BH.

J Neurol Sci. 2010 Dec 15. [Epub ahead of print]

Hemodynamic Studies of Intracranial Dural Arteriovenous Fistulas Using Arterial Spin-labeling MR Imaging.

Noguchi T, Irie H, Takase Y, Kawashima M, Ootsuka T, Nishihara M, Egashira Y, Nojiri J, Matsushima T, Kudo S.

Interv Neuroradiol. 2010 Dec;16(4):409-19. Epub 2010 Dec 17.

Hypertension and cerebral vasoreactivity: a continuous arterial spin labeling magnetic resonance imaging study.

Hajjar I, Zhao P, Alsop D, Novak V.

Hypertension. 2010 Nov;56(5):859-64. Epub 2010 Sep 27.

Multiple Inflow Pulsed Arterial Spin-Labeling Reveals Delays in the Arterial Arrival Time in Minor Stroke and Transient Ischemic Attack.

Macintosh BJ, Lindsay AC, Kylingtonas I, Kuker W, Günther M, Robson MD, Kennedy J, Choudhury RP, Jezzard P.

AJNR Am J Neuroradiol. 2010 Nov;31(10):1892-1894. Epub 2010 Jan 28.

Neurocognitive deficits in children with sickle cell disease are associated with the severity of anemia.

Hijmans CT, Grootenhuis MA, Oosterlaan J, Heijboer H, Peters M, Fijnvandraat K.

Pediatr Blood Cancer. 2010 Dec 1. [Epub ahead of print]

Perfusion deficit to cholinergic challenge in veterans with Gulf War Illness.

Liu P, Aslan S, Li X, Buhner DM, Spence JS, Briggs RW, Haley RW, Lu H.

Neurotoxicology. 2010 Dec 10. [Epub ahead of print]

Response assessment in patients with multiple myeloma during antiangiogenic therapy using arterial spin labeling and diffusion-weighted imaging: a feasibility study.

Fenchel M, Konakchieva M, Weisel K, Kraus S, Claussen CD, Horger M.

Acad Radiol. 2010 Nov;17(11):1326-33.

Comparison of ASL Techniques or ASL compared with other imaging methods

Assessment of cerebral perfusion from bypass arteries using magnetic resonance regional perfusion imaging in patients with moyamoya disease.

Kitajima M, Hirai T, Shigematsu Y, Fukuoka H, Sasao A, Okuda T, Morioka M, Kai Y, Yamashita Y.

Jpn J Radiol. 2010 Dec;28(10):746-53. Epub 2010 Dec 30.

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Time-resolved vessel-selective digital subtraction MR angiography of the cerebral vasculature with arterial spin labeling.

Robson PM, Dai W, Shankaranarayanan A, Rofsky NM, Alsop DC.

Radiology. 2010 Nov;257(2):507-15.

Time spatial labeling inversion pulse cerebral MR angiography without subtraction by use of dual inversion recovery background suppression.

Ishimori Y, Monma M, Kawamura H, Miyata T.

Radiol Phys Technol. 2010 Dec 1. [Epub ahead of print]

Functional Imaging / BOLD

Age-Associated Reductions in Cerebral Blood Flow Are Independent from Regional Atrophy.

Chen JJ, Rosas HD, Salat DH.

Neuroimage. 2010 Dec 15. [Epub ahead of print]

Anatomical differences and network characteristics underlying smoking cue reactivity.

Zhang X, Salmeron BJ, Ross TJ, Gu H, Geng X, Yang Y, Stein EA.

Neuroimage. 2011 Jan 1;54(1):131-41. Epub 2010 Aug 3.

Baseline GABA concentration and fMRI response.

Donahue MJ, Near J, Blicher JU, Jezzard P.

Neuroimage. 2010 Nov 1;53(2):392-8. Epub 2010 Jul 12.

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Challenges to attention: A continuous arterial spin labeling (ASL) study of the effects of distraction on sustained attention.

Demeter E, Hernandez-Garcia L, Sarter M, Lustig C.

Neuroimage. 2011 Jan 15;54(2):1518-29. Epub 2010 Sep 17.

Elimination of visually evoked BOLD responses during carbogen inhalation: Implications for calibrated MRI.

Gauthier CJ, Madjar C, Tancredi FB, Stefanovic B, Hoge RD.

Neuroimage. 2011 Jan 15;54(2):1001-11. Epub 2010 Sep 29.

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Improved fMRI calibration: Precisely controlled hyperoxic versus hypercapnic stimuli.

Mark CI, Fisher JA, Pike GB.

Neuroimage. 2011 Jan 15;54(2):1102-11. Epub 2010 Sep 7.

Lung perfusion measured using magnetic resonance imaging: New tools for physiological insights into the pulmonary circulation.

Hopkins SR, Prisk GK.

J Magn Reson Imaging. 2010 Dec;32(6):1287-301. doi: 10.1002/jmri.22378.

Simultaneous acquisition of gradient echo/spin echo BOLD and perfusion with a separate labeling coil.

Gielmi CB, Xu Q, Craddock RC, Hu X.

Magn Reson Med. 2010 Dec;64(6):1827-1831.

Technical Improvement/ Parameter Optimisation/ Theoretical Papers/ Review Papers

A general framework for the analysis of vessel encoded arterial spin labeling for vascular territory mapping.

Chappell MA, Okell TW, Jezzard P, Woolrich MW.

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Flow measurement in MRI using arterial spin labeling with cumulative readout pulses--theory and validation.

Wang Y, Kim SE, DiBella EV, Parker DL.
Med Phys. 2010 Nov;37(11):5801-10.

Perfusion territory imaging of intracranial branching arteries - optimization of continuous artery-selective spin labeling (CASSL).

Helle M, Rüfer S, Alfke K, Jansen O, Norris DG.
NMR Biomed. 2010 Nov 8. [Epub ahead of print]

Robust EPI Nyquist ghost elimination via spatial and temporal encoding.

Hoge WS, Tan H, Kraft RA.
Magn Reson Med. 2010 Dec;64(6):1781-91. doi: 10.1002/mrm.22564. Epub 2010 Jul 27.

Technical aspects of MR perfusion.

Sourbron S.
Eur J Radiol. 2010 Dec;76(3):304-13. Epub 2010 Apr 3.

Job offerings

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Feature articles

If you like to write a comment on an interesting article mail it to newsletter@asl-network.org