**Continuous Associations Between Remote Self-Administered Cognitive Measures and Imaging Biomarkers of Alzheimer’s Disease**

Supplemental Online Resources

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*Supplementary Table 1*. Spearman Correlations between remote and in-person cognitive measures.

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|  | **Remote Mayo Test Drive Measures** |
|  | MTD-SBCr | MTD-SBCz | SLS Sum of Trials | SYM | SYMaw |
| **In-Person Cognitive Measures** | rho | N | rho | N | rho | N | rho | N | rho | N |
| Mayo-PACC | 0.68 \*\*\* | 657 | 0.68 \*\*\* | 657 | 0.60 \*\*\* | 658 | -0.60 \*\*\* | 658 | 0.59 \*\*\* | 658 |
| Global Cognition Z | 0.67 \*\*\* | 626 | 0.67 \*\*\* | 626 | 0.59 \*\*\* | 627 | -0.59 \*\*\* | 627 | 0.58 \*\*\* | 627 |
| AVLT Sum of Trials | 0.64 \*\*\* | 668 | 0.65 \*\*\* | 668 | 0.61 \*\*\* | 669 | -0.42 \*\*\* | 669 | 0.43 \*\*\* | 669 |
| Trail Making Test B | -0.57 \*\*\* | 665 | -0.57 \*\*\* | 664 | -0.46 \*\*\* | 666 | 0.62 \*\*\* | 666 | -0.61 \*\*\* | 666 |
| Digit Symbol Coding | 0.55 \*\*\* | 654 | 0.56 \*\*\* | 654 | 0.44 \*\*\* | 655 | -0.63 \*\*\* | 655 | 0.59 \*\*\* | 655 |
| STMS | 0.56 \*\*\* | 673 | 0.55 \*\*\* | 673 | 0.49 \*\*\* | 674 | -0.49 \*\*\* | 674 | 0.50 \*\*\* | 674 |

\*p<.05; \*\*p<.01; \*\*\*p<.001

Note: AVLT = Auditory Verbal Learning Test; AVLT Sum of Trials = AVLT 1-5 total + Trial 6 + 30-minute delay; Digit Symbol Coding = WAIS-R Digit Symbol Substitution Test; Global Cognition z = average z across all neuropsychological tests administered during an in-person visit; Mayo-PACC = Mayo Preclinical Alzheimer’s disease Cognitive Composite (average z of Auditory Verbal Learning Test sum of trials, animal fluency, and inversed Trails B); MTD-SBCr = Mayo Test Drive Screening Battery Composite raw (Stricker Learning Span sum of trials + Symbols Test accuracy-weighted average correct items response time); MTD-SBCz = Mayo Test Drive Screening Battery Composite z; SLS = Stricker Learning Span; SLS Sum of Trials = SLS 1-5 total + delay; STMS = Short Test of Mental Status, which is similar to the MMSE, is included for reference; SYM = Symbols Test average correct item response time; SYMaw= Symbols Test accuracy-weighted average correct item response time; Trail Making Test B = Trail Making Test B completion time.

*Supplemental Table 2.* Participant Characteristics with Comparisons between Cognitively Unimpaired, Mild Cognitive Impairment, and Dementia Participants

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Characteristic\*** | **CU** | **MCI** | **CU vs MCI** | **Dementia** | **CU vs Dementia** | **MCI vs Dementia** |
| N=643 | N=34 | p† | Hedge’s g | N=7 | p† | Hedge’s g | p† | Hedge’s g |
| **Demographics** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Age at MCSA/ADRC visit, years | 69.890(11.111) | 78.809(10.256) | <0.001 | 0.81(0.46, 1.15) | 72.820(8.148) | 0.49 | 0.26(-0.48, 1.01) | 0.16 | -0.60(-1.43, 0.22) |
| Sex, N (%) Female | 318(49.5%) | 19(55.9%) | 0.47‡ | -- | 3(42.9%) | 1.00‡ | -- | 0.68‡ | -- |
| Education, years | 15.719(2.335) | 14.206(2.649) | <0.001 | -0.64(-0.99, -0.30) | 16.000(3.317) | 0.75 | 0.12(-0.62, 0.86) | 0.13 | 0.65(-0.18, 1.48) |
| Race, N (%) White | 624(97.0%) | 33(97.1%) | 1.00§ | -- | 7(100.0%) | 0.64§ | -- | 1.00§ | -- |
| Ethnicity, N (%) Non-Hispanic | 639(99.4%) | 34(100.0%) | 1.00§ | -- | 7(100.0%) | 1.00§ | -- | -- | -- |
| In-person visit to MTD, months | 0.709(1.896) | 1.308(3.093) | 0.08 | 0.30(-0.04, 0.65) | 0.493(0.404) | 0.76 | -0.11(-0.86, 0.63) | 0.49 | -0.29(-1.10, 0.53) |
| MTD to imaging, months | 6.113(11.622) | -0.447(2.988) | 0.001 | -0.58(-0.92, -0.23) | 2.079(5.102) | 0.36 | -0.35(-1.09, 0.40) | 0.08 | 0.74(-0.09, 1.57) |
| MTD completed in clinic, N (%) | 3(0.5%) | 0(0.0%) | 1.00§ | -- | 0(0.0%) | 1.00§ | -- | -- | -- |
| **Cognition: Mayo Test Drive**1,2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MTD-SBCr, n=680 | 107.653(20.171) | 70.730(21.322) | <0.001 | -1.83(-2.19, -1.46) | 45.492(33.013) | <0.001 | -3.06(-3.82, -2.29) | 0.01 | -1.07(-1.92, -0.22) |
| MTD-SBCz, n=680 | 0.000(1.000) | -1.830(1.057) | <0.001 | -1.90(-2.26, -1.53) | -3.082(1.637) | <0.001 | -3.23(-4.00, -2.47) | 0.01 | -1.08(-1.93, -0.23) |
| SLS Sum of Trials, n=681 | 75.833(17.174) | 48.030 (17.853) | <0.001 | -1.62(-1.98, -1.26) | 30.857(20.708) | <0.001 | -2.61(-3.37, -1.85) | 0.03 | -0.94(-1.78, -0.09) |
| SYM, n=681 | 3.337(1.067) | 5.276(2.207) | <0.001 | 1.69(1.33, 2.05) | 7.261(3.358) | <0.001 | 3.53(2.77, 4.30) | 0.06 | 0.82(-0.02, 1.65) |
| SYMaw, n=681 | 31.839(6.065) | 22.700(9.277) | <0.001 | -1.46(-1.82, -1.10) | 14.635(13.158) | <0.001 | -2.79(-3.55, -2.03) | 0.06 | -0.81(-1.64, 0.03) |
| **Cognition: In-Person Measures**2,3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mayo-PACC z, n=661 | 0.000(1.000) | -2.356(1.368) | <.001 | -2.31(-2.69, -1.93) | -2.071(1.057) | <.001 | -2.07(-3.06, -1.08) | 0.49 | 0.21(-0.83, 1.25) |
| Global Cognition z, n=629 | 0.000(1.000) | -2.694(0.923) | <.001 | -2.70(-3.12, -2.28) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| AVLT Sum of Trials, n=668 | 66.979(17.568) | 36.813(11.255) | <.001 | -1.74(-2.11, -1.37) | 27.167(6.113) | 0.001 | -2.27(-3.09, -1.46) | 0.81 | -0.90(-1.80, -0.01) |
| Trail Making Test B, n=669 | 72.472(34.875) | 158.469(82.729) | <.001 | 2.24(1.86, 2.61) | 150.200(101.751) | <.001 | 2.18(1.29, 3.07) | 0.49 | -0.10(-1.04, 0.85) |
| Digit Symbol Coding, n=658 | 52.060(12.222) | 34.179(9.843) | <.001 | -1.47(-1.86, -1.09) | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| STMS, n=677 | 35.962(1.905) | 30.412(2.797) | <.001 | -2.83(-3.21, -2.46) | 24.333(8.066) | 0.004 | -5.74(-6.60, -4.87) | 0.02 | -1.55(-2.49, -0.62) |
| **Neuroimaging Metrics**1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amyloid PET Meta-ROI SUVR, n=670 | 1.527(0.341) | 1.780(0.570) | 0.09 | 0.71(0.37, 1.06) | 2.423(0.721) | <.001 | 2.59(1.83, 3.35) | 0.10 | 1.08(0.23, 1.93) |
| Tau PET Meta-ROI SUVR, n=667 | 1.197(0.098) | 1.288(0.218) | <.001 | 0.84(0.50, 1.19) | 1.881(0.574) | <.001 | 6.08(5.26, 6.89) | 0.04 | 1.97(1.04, 2.89) |
| Tau PET EC-ROI SUVR, n=667 | 1.120(0.130) | 1.296(0.267) | <.001 | 1.26(0.91, 1.61) | 1.672(0.403) | <.001 | 4.09(3.31, 4.87) | 0.09 | 1.29(0.42, 2.15) |
| Hippocampal Volume z-score, n=680 | -0.283(0.611) | -1.255(1.097) | <.001 | -1.51(-1.86, -1.16) | -1.477(0.553) | <.001 | -1.96(-2.71, -1.20) | 0.27 | -0.22(-1.03, 0.60) |
| % WMH Volume, ln, n=665 | -0.680(0.884) | -0.094(1.060) | 0.41 | 0.66(0.31, 1.00) | -0.193(1.058) | 0.21 | 0.55(-0.20, 1.29) | 0.64 | -0.09(-0.91, 0.72) |

\*Values are presented as Mean (Standard Deviation) unless otherwise noted.

† All between-group comparisons are T-tests unless otherwise indicated.

‡ Chi-square

§ Fisher

1 Mayo Test Drive and Neuroimaging are independent of diagnosis (data not considered for consensus diagnosis).

2 Results remained significant when adjusting for age, sex, and education (all *p*’s ≤.003).

3 Results of in-person cognitive measures are considered for consensus diagnosis.

Note: ADRC = Alzheimer’s Disease Research Center; AVLT = Auditory Verbal Learning Test; CU = Cognitively Unimpaired; EC = entorhinal cortex; Mayo-PACC = Mayo Preclinical Alzheimer’s Disease Cognitive Composite; MCI = Mild Cognitive Impairment; MCSA=Mayo Clinic Study of Aging; MRI = Magnetic Resonance Imaging; MTD = Mayo Test Drive; MTD-SBCr = Mayo Test Drive Screening Battery Composite raw; MTD-SBCz = Mayo Test Drive Screening Battery Composite z; p = p-value; PET = Positron Emission Tomography; ROI = Region of Interest; SLS = Stricker Learning Span; STMS = Short Test of Mental Status; SUVR = Standard Uptake Volume Ratio; SYM = Symbols Test average correct item response time; SYMaw= Symbols Test accuracy-weighted average correct item response time; WMH = White Matter Hyperintensities.

*Supplemental Table 3.* Spearman Correlations between Neuroimaging Metrics and Cognitive Measures in the Full Sample

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|  | **Amyloid PET** **Meta-ROI SUVR** | **Tau PET** **Meta-ROI SUVR** | **Tau PET** **EC-ROI SUVR** | **Hippocampal** **Volume z-score** | **% WMH** **Volume, ln** |
| **Cognitive Measures** | rho | N | rho | N | rho | N | rho | N | rho | N |
| ***Remote*** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MTD-SBCr | -0.27\*\*\* | 666 | -0.24\*\*\* | 663 | -0.28\*\*\* | 663 | 0.26\*\*\* | 676 | -0.34\*\*\* | 661 |
| MTD-SBCz | -0.27\*\*\* | 666 | -0.24\*\*\* | 663 | -0.28\*\*\* | 663 | 0.25\*\*\* | 676 | -0.33\*\*\* | 661 |
| SLS Sum of Trials | -0.22\*\*\* | 667 | -0.23\*\*\* | 664 | -0.27\*\*\* | 664 | 0.22\*\*\* | 677 | -0.28\*\*\* | 662 |
| SYM | 0.28\*\*\* | 667 | 0.16 \*\*\* | 664 | 0.17\*\*\* | 664 | -0.26\*\*\* | 677 | 0.38\*\*\* | 662 |
| SYMaw | -0.30\*\*\* | 667 | -0.17\*\*\* | 664 | -0.18\*\*\* | 664 | 0.26 \*\*\* | 677 | -0.38\*\*\* | 662 |
| ***In-Person*** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mayo-PACC | -0.30\*\*\* | 649 | -0.14\*\*\* | 646 | -0.16\*\*\* | 646 | 0.28\*\*\* | 657 | -0.41\*\*\* | 642 |
| Global Cognition Z | -0.29\*\*\* | 617 | -0.14\*\*\* | 614 | -0.17\*\*\* | 614 | 0.31\*\*\* | 625 | -0.41\*\*\* | 611 |
| AVLT Sum of Trials | -0.22\*\*\* | 656 | -0.13\*\*\* | 653 | -0.17\*\*\* | 653 | 0.21\*\*\* | 664 | -0.29\*\*\* | 649 |
| Trail Making Test B | 0.31\*\*\* | 657 | 0.17\*\*\* | 654 | 0.17\*\*\* | 654 | -0.27\*\*\* | 665 | 0.44\*\*\* | 650 |
| Digit Symbol Coding | -0.29\*\*\* | 646 | -0.15\*\*\* | 643 | -0.13\*\*\* | 643 | 0.26\*\*\* | 654 | -0.40\*\*\* | 639 |
| STMS | -0.18\*\*\* | 664 | -0.13\*\*\* | 661 | -0.16\*\*\* | 661 | 0.24\*\*\* | 673 | -0.28\*\*\* | 658 |

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Note: AVLT = Auditory Verbal Learning Test; AVLT Sum of Trials = AVLT 1-5 total + Trial 6 + 30-minute delay; CU = Cognitively Unimpaired; Digit Symbol Coding = WAIS-R Digit Symbol Substitution Test; DM =Dementia; EC = entorhinal cortex; Global Cognition z = average z across all neuropsychological tests administered during an in-person visit; Mayo-PACC = Mayo Preclinical Alzheimer’s disease Cognitive Composite (average z of Auditory Verbal Learning Test sum of trials, animal fluency, and inversed Trails B); MCI = Mild Cognitive Impairment; MTD-SBCr = Mayo Test Drive Screening Battery Composite raw (Stricker Learning Span sum of trials + Symbols Test accuracy-weighted average correct items response time); MTD-SBCz = Mayo Test Drive Screening Battery Composite z; PET = Positron Emission Tomography; ROI = region of interest; SLS = Stricker Learning Span; SLS Sum of Trials = SLS 1-5 total + delay; STMS = Short Test of Mental Status, which is similar to the MMSE, is included for reference; SUVR = Standard Uptake Volume Ratio; SYM = Symbols Test average correct item response time; SYMaw= Symbols Test accuracy-weighted average correct item response time; Trail Making Test B = Trail Making Test B completion time; WMH = white matter hyperintensities.

*Supplemental Methods.* Detailed review of how to calculate the MTD-SBCr and SYMaw variables.

mtdrawcompositev1 = MTD raw composite (MTD-SBCr)

symsumcorr = Symbols total correct across all 4 trials (0-48)

symsumcorr1to5scale = Symbols accuracy weighting to apply to SYM (1-5, as defined below)

symall4corrart = Symbols average correct items response time, seconds, across all 4 trials (SYM), range 0+

symall4corrartaccweighted = Accuracy-weighted Symbols average correct items response time (SYMaw)

slssumoftrials = Stricker Learning Span (SLS) sum of trials (range 0-108)

If one of the variables needed to do the calculation is missing, return as missing.

**Compute symsumcorr1to5scale as follows:**

If symsumcorr >= 47 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 5

If symsumcorr = 46 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 4.75

If symsumcorr = 45 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 4.5

If symsumcorr = 44 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 4.25

If symsumcorr = 43 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 4

If symsumcorr = 42 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 3

If symsumcorr < 42 AND symsumcorr > 34 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 2

If symsumcorr < 35 then symsumcorr1to5scale = 1

**Compute tenminussymall4corrartsec:** 10 - symall4corrartsec

**Compute symall4corrartaccweighted:**

* If tenminussymall4corrartsec < 0 then symall4corrartaccweighted = 0
* If tenminussymall4corrartsec > 0 then symall4corrartaccweighted = tenminussymall4corrartsec \* symsumcorr1to5scale

**Compute mtdrawcompositev1** = slssumoftrials + symall4corrartaccweighted

**Composite Weighting Note:**

The range of the symall4corrartaccweighted is 0 – 50, in theory. A score of 50 is essentially impossible to attain, as this would require a 0 symbols average correct items response time (all timed responses must be > 0). The range of the MTD-SBCr is 0 – 158, in theory. Because of inclusion of symall4corrartaccweighted, this ceiling is theoretical and impossible to attain in practice. Because SLS sum of trials accounts for more of the total possible points (108/158), the MTD-SBCr is weighted more on SLS performance (68%) than Symbols (32%). The MTD-SBCz reported in the manuscript is similarly weighted more on SLS performance (75%) than Symbols (25%). MTD-SBCz is the average of SLS Maximum Learning Span z, SLS Trial 1-5 Total z, SLS Delay Total z, and SYM z (note SYM is inverted prior to averaging by multiplying by -1 such that higher scores reflect better performance).