



## Understanding Brain Cellular Structure and Brain Diseases Using MRI-Based Methods

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Over recent decades, a wide variety of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) and spectroscopy (MRS) techniques and contrasts have been developed to characterize tissue architecture at the microscopic scale, which is orders of magnitude smaller than imaging voxels. Such quantitative techniques usually employ mathematical modelling to link various tissue properties to the MR measurements from contrasts such as diffusion, relaxometry, magnetization transfer, spectroscopy, etc. These approaches have been used to inform us regarding brain cellular structure and alterations caused by a wide range of disorders, such as Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, dementias, multiple sclerosis, brain tumors, etc.

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