

NeuroElf Resources

<http://neuroelf.net/>

<http://neuroelf.net/wiki/doku.php>

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DAG notes

Installation

- 1) During installation, disable (remove from path) Chronux: conflict with linec.m
- 2) NeuroElf functions use std.m and var.m as in newer versions of MATLAB, with 3 inputs: e.g. $Y = \text{STD}(X, \text{FLAG}, \text{DIM})$. Therefore, NaN toolbox functions std.m and var.m are incompatible, remove it from path. Revise sterr.m and corrcoef_eval.m and place to lgtools.
- 3) Starting from NeuroElf_v09d, many useful auxiliary scripts/functions are “hidden” behind @neuroelf method, and reside in `..\@neuroelf\private`. They can be placed in the path (i.e. copied to the main NeuroElf folder, it is not possible to add to path this private folder directly), or accessed as described in [main installation folder] / README.html > Function library:

```
>> netools = neuroelf;  
>> list_of_files = netools.findfiles(startfolder, pattern);
```

Currently required functions for DAG NeuroElf-based functions (\Sources\MATLAB\bv_umg):

- findfiles
- checkstruct
- renamefile
- dicom_dic

Used by ne_pl_fmriqasheet.m:

- psctrans
- packmosaic
- scaledata
- minmaxmean
- splittocell

- 4) There is a bug in NeuroElf v1.0 and v0.9d, to fix please replace the function dcm_Value.m in /xff/private with the function below. This function is used by createfmr.m

[dcm_Value.m](#)

```
function dcmval = dcm_Value(hfile, vkey, varargin)
% DCM::Value - return a tag's value
%
% FORMAT:      dcmval = dcm.Value(key [, ...]);
%
% Input fields:
%
%      key      DICOM key (0008.0010) or tag (PatientsName)
%      ...      default value if not found
%
% Output fields:
%
%      dcmval    value for given key/tag
%
% Using: makelabel, splittocell.

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```

```
% neuroelf library
```

```
global ne_methods;
```

```
% persistent dictionaries
```

```
persistent dcmv_dicts
```

```
if isempty(dcmv_dicts)
```

```
    dcmv_dicts = struct;
```

```
    % load standard dict
```

```
    dcmv_dicts.OFFIS = ne_methods.dicom_dic(); % IK added ne_methods
and ()
```

```
end
```

```
% only valid for single file
```

```
if nargin < 2 || ...
```

```
    numel(hfile) ~= 1 || ...
```

```
    ~xffisobject(hfile, true, 'dcm')
```

```
    error( ...
```

```
        'xff:BadArgument', ...
```

```
        'Invalid call to %s.', ...
```

```
        mfilename ...
```

```
    );
```

```
end
```

```
% dict
```

```
bc = xffgetcont(hfile.L);
```

```
dict = bc.DataDictionary;
```

```
% check key
```

```
if ischar(vkey)
```

```
    vkey = vkey(:)';
```

```
    if length(vkey) == 9 && ...
```

```
        ~isempty(regexp(vkey, '^([0-9a-f]{4})[0-9a-f]{4}$'))
```

```
        vkey = vkey([1:4,6:9]);
```

```
    end
```

```
    if length(vkey) == 8 && ...
```

```
        ~isempty(regexp(vkey, '^([0-9a-f]+)$')) && ...
```

```
        ~all(double(vkey) > 64)
```

```
        vkey = ['k_' upper(vkey(1:4)) '_' upper(vkey(5:8))];
```

```
elseif ~strcmp(vkey, ne_methods.makelabel(vkey))
    error( ...
        'xff:BadArgument', ...
        'Invalid DICOM tag number/key given.' ...
    );
else
    if isempty(dict)
        warning( ...
            'xff:InternalWarning', ...
            'Data dictionary not looked up.' ...
        );
        dcm_DetectDictionary(hfile, 'auto');
        dict = bc.DataDictionary;
    end
    if ~isfield(dcmv_dicts, dict)
        error( ...
            'xff:BadSetting', ...
            'Unknown DICOM dictionary set.' ...
        );
    end
    dict = dcmv_dicts.(dict);
    if ~isfield(dict, vkey)
        error( ...
            'xff:BadArgument', ...
            'Unknown DICOM tag key given.' ...
        );
    end
    vkey = dict.(vkey);
    if isfield(bc.DataKeyLookup, vkey)
        dcmval = bc.Data(bc.DataKeyLookup.(vkey)).Value;
    elseif isfield(bc.MetaKeyLookup, vkey)
        dcmval = bc.Meta(bc.MetaKeyLookup.(vkey)).Value;
    elseif nargin > 2
        dcmval = varargin{1};
    else
        error( ...
            'xff:BadArgument', ...
            'Given DICOM tag key not present in file.' ...
        );
    end
    dcmval = interpret_dcmval(dcmval);
    return;
end
if ~isfield(bc.DataKeyLookup, vkey)
    if nargin < 3
        error( ...
            'xff:BadArgument', ...
            'Given DICOM tag not present in file.' ...
        );
    else
```

```

        dcmval = varargin{1};
        dcmval = interpret_dcmval(dcmval);
        return;
    end
end
dcmval = bc.Data(bc.DataKeyLookup.(vkey)).Value;
dcmval = interpret_dcmval(dcmval);

% numeric key format
elseif isa(vkey, 'double')
    if numel(vkey) == 2 && ...
        ~any(isinf(vkey) | isnan(vkey) | vkey < 0 | vkey > 65535)
        try
            dcmval = dcm_Value(hfile, sprintf('%04x%04x', vkey(1),
vkey(2)), varargin{:});
        catch ne_eo;
            rethrow(ne_eo);
        end
    elseif numel(vkey) == 1 && ...
        nargin > 2 && ...
        isa(varargin{1}, 'double') && ...
        ~isinf(vkey) && ...
        ~isnan(vkey) && ...
        vkey >= 0 && ...
        vkey < 65536 && ...
        numel(varargin{1}) == 1 && ...
        ~isinf(varargin{1}) && ...
        ~isnan(varargin{1}) && ...
        varargin{1} >= 0 && ...
        varargin{1} < 65536
        try
            dcmval = dcm_Value(hfile, sprintf('%04x%04x', vkey,
varargin{1}), varargin{2:end});
        catch ne_eo;
            rethrow(ne_eo);
        end
    else
        error( ...
            'xff:BadArgument', ...
            'Invalid DICOM tag (or key) given.' ...
        );
    end
    dcmval = interpret_dcmval(dcmval);

else
    error( ...
        'xff:BadArgument', ...
        'Invalid DICOM tag (or key) given.' ...
    );
end
end

```

```
% sub function
function dcmval = interpret_dcmval(dcmval)
    global ne_methods;
    if ischar(dcmval) && ...
        ~isempty(dcmval)
        dcmval = dcmval(:)';
        if ~isempty(regexpi(dcmval, ...
            '^\\s*[\\+\\-]?\\d+(\\.\\d+)?([eE][\\+\\-]?\\d+)?(\\s*\\\\s*[\\+\\-]
            ]?\\d+(\\.\\d+)?([eE][\\+\\-]?\\d+)?)*\\s*$'))
            dcmvalc = ne_methods.splittocell(dcmval, '\\');
            dcmvaln = zeros(1, numel(dcmvalc));
            try
                for vc = 1:numel(dcmvalc)
                    dcmvaln(vc) = str2double(dcmvalc{vc});
                end
            catch ne_eo;
                neuroelf_lasterr(ne_eo);
                return;
            end
            dcmval = dcmvaln;
        end
    elseif isnumeric(dcmval)
        dcmval = double(dcmval);
    end
% end of function dcmval = interpret_dcmval(dcmval)
```

Help

For getting detailed help on each method of xff object (e.g. fmr), use:

```
>> fmr.Help % to see all methods
>> fmr.Help('Method') % e.g. fmr.Help('Realign') to see details of each
method
```

See <http://neuroelf.net/wiki/doku.php?id=obj.help>

NeuroElf-based ERA

http://neuroelf.net/wiki/doku.php?id=neuroelf_gui_-_mdm_voi_condition_average_ui

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