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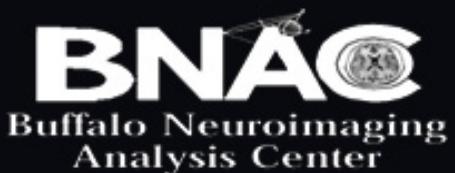
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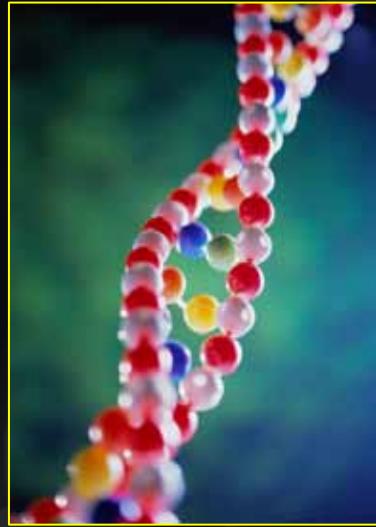
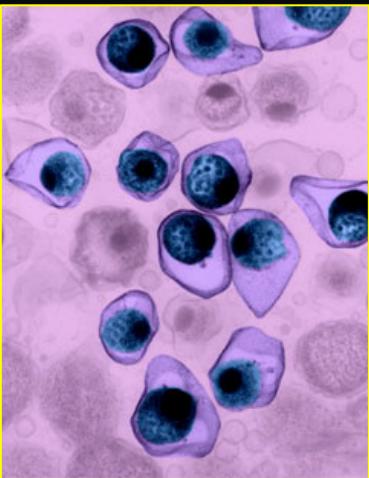
# CCSVI e Risultati RM nella SM

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# Potenziali Cause Scatenanti della S.M.



Predisposizione  
genetica

Agenti Infettivi



Fattori ambientali

Risposta immunologica anormale



SM

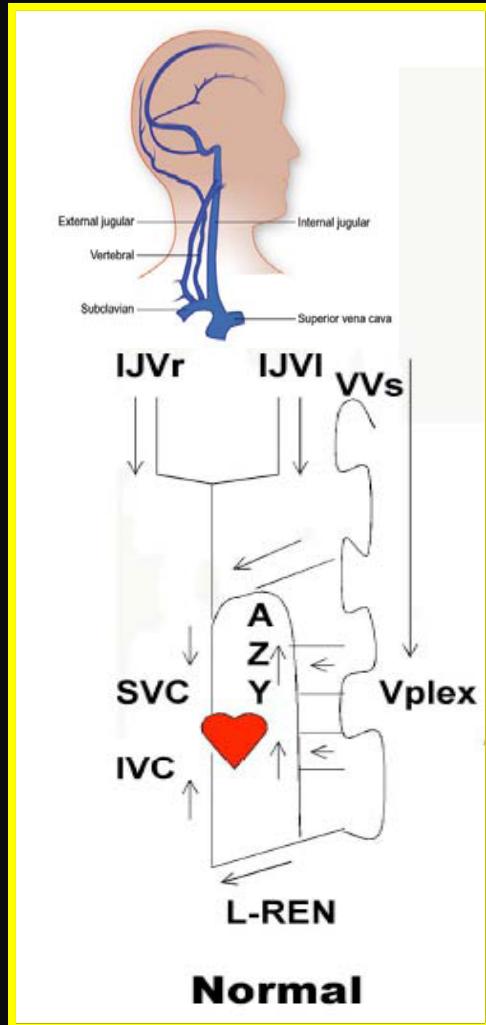
**SM = Sclerosi Multipla**

Gilden DH *Lancet Neurol* 2005;4:195-202, Noseworthy et al. *N Engl J Med* 2000;343:938

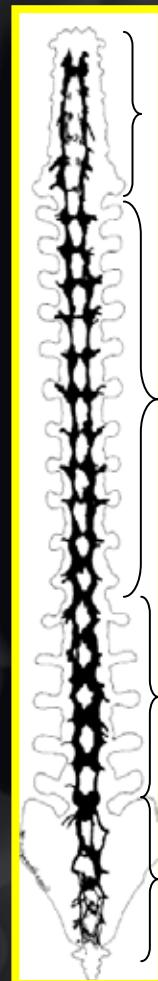
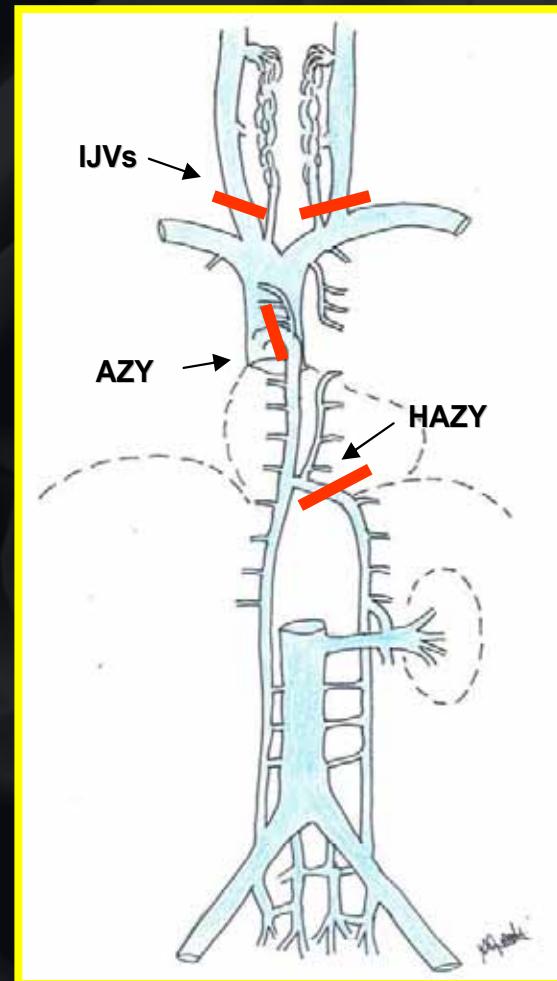
# la SM è una malattia vascolare?

- Una patogenesi vascolare della SM fu suggerita molto tempo fa.
- L'estensione delle anomalie vascolari e la relazione con le lesioni è stata difficile da valutare sino ai più recenti progressi della MRI (Risonanza Magnetica)
- La RM a “campo ultra alto” è divenuto uno strumento per la valutazione del coinvolgimento vascolare nelle lesioni tipiche della SM
- Recenti studi mostrano un’associazione perivenosa delle lesioni nei pazienti con SM attraverso la Risonanza del tipo: “high-contrast 7T susceptibility-sensitive”

# Insufficienza Venosa Cronica Cerebrospinale (CCSVI) e Sclerosi Multipla



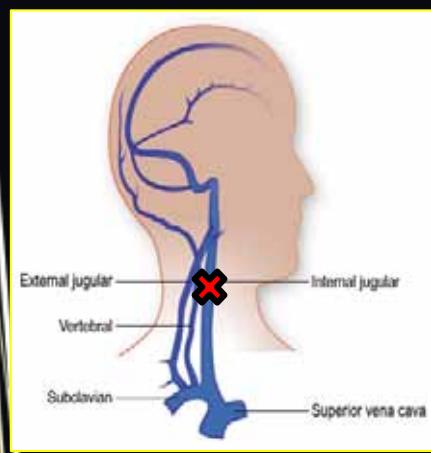
ccsvi  
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# Ipotesi di patogenesi della CCSVI ed SM



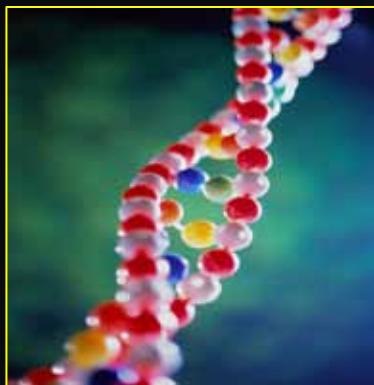
# Potenziali cause scatenanti nella Sclerosi Multipla



CCSVI



Agenti infettivi



Predisposizione genetica



Fattori ambientali

Risposta immunologica anormale  
e neurodegenerazione

SM

MS = multiple sclerosis

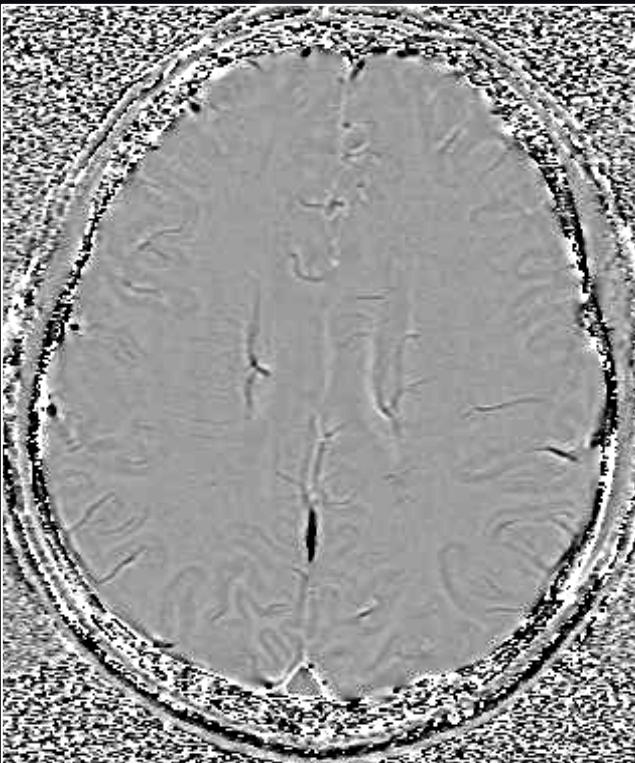
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# Immagini pesate in suscettività \*

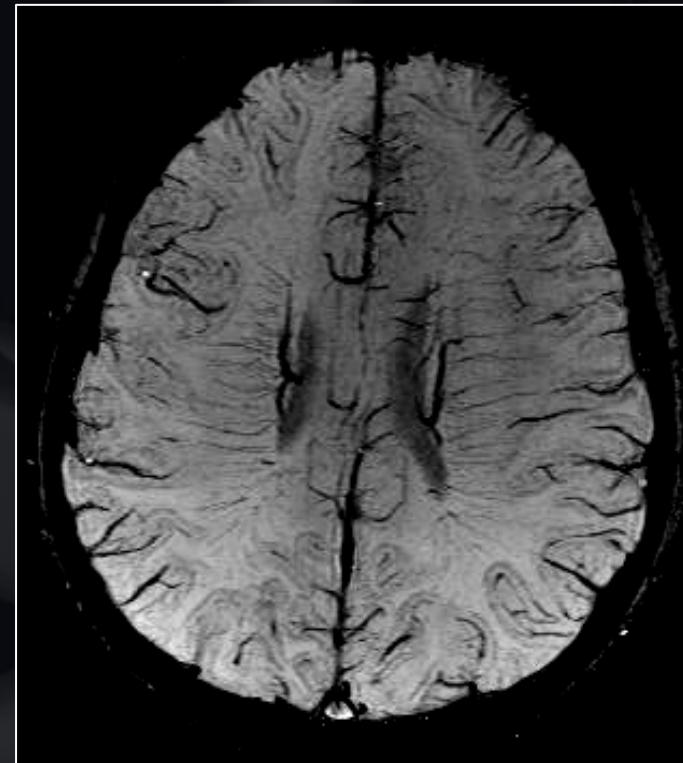
- Eco di gradiente 3D con magnitude and phase image
- Alta risoluzione per ridurre il convenzionale “spin dephasing”
- Flusso compensato appieno in 3 dimensioni
- Modificando il contrasto magnitude image using phase mask
- mIPping the images to create an angiographic effect (venography)



Magnitude



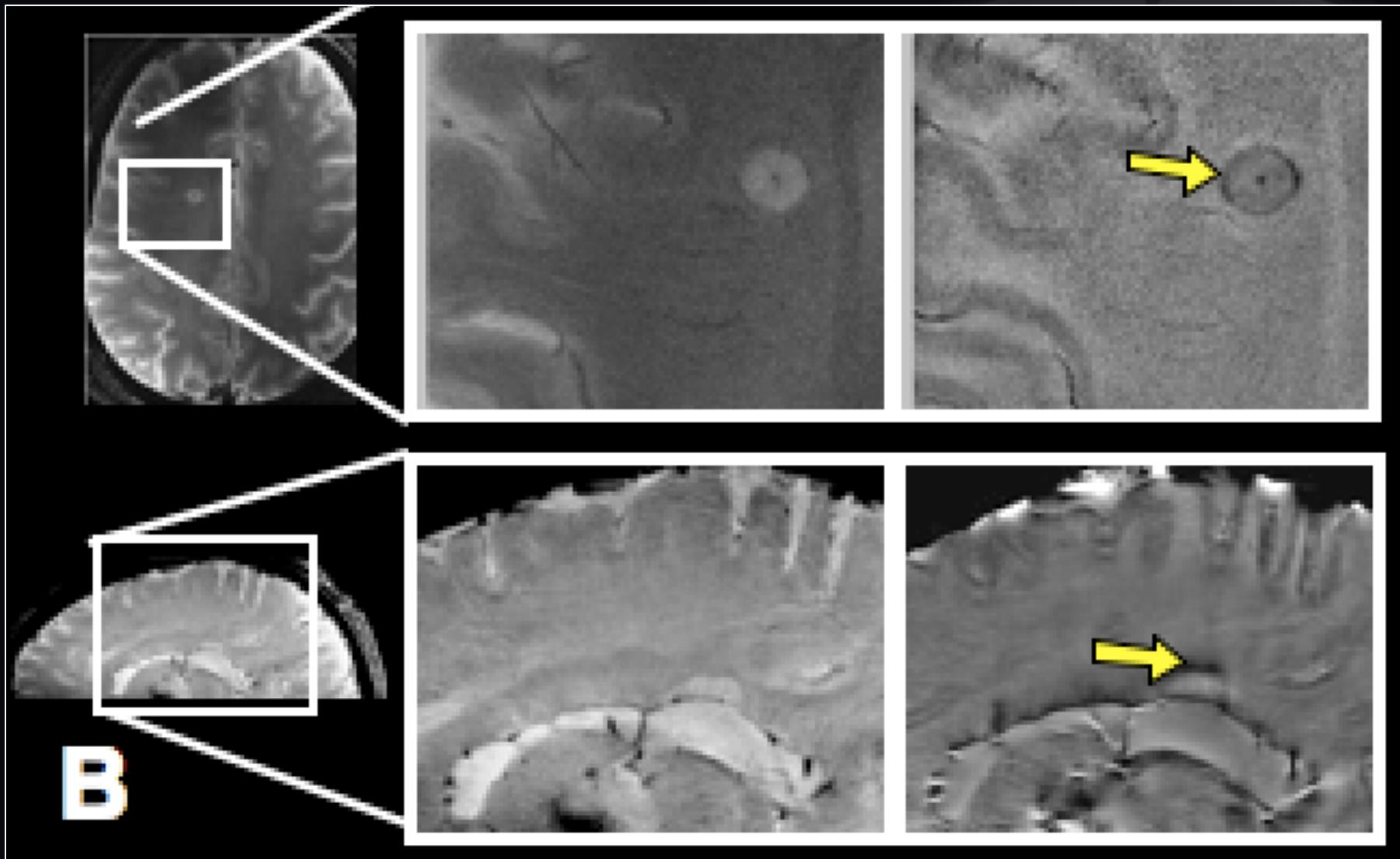
Phase



mIP

\* Haacke EM 2004, MRM

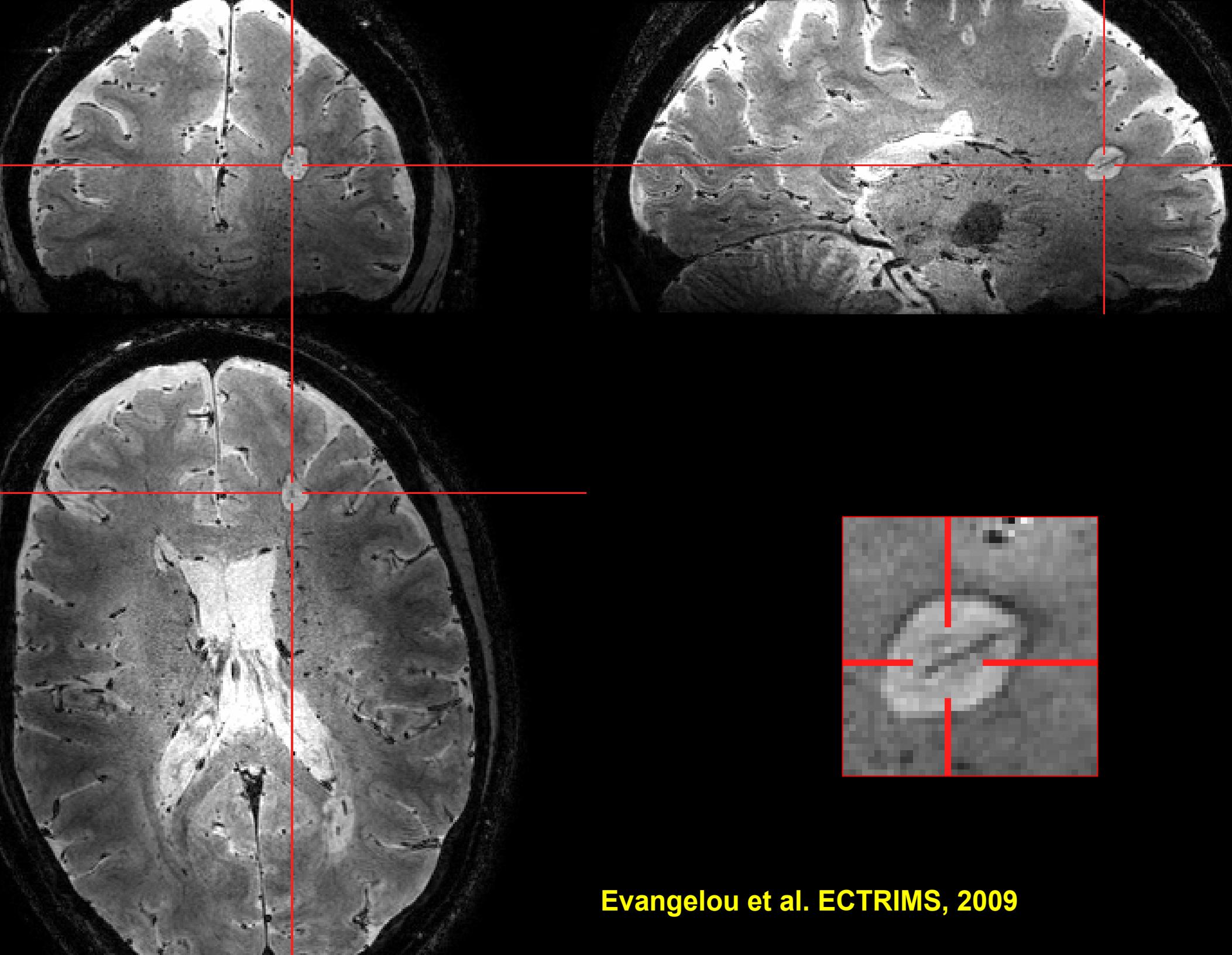
# Phase Imaging of MS at 7T



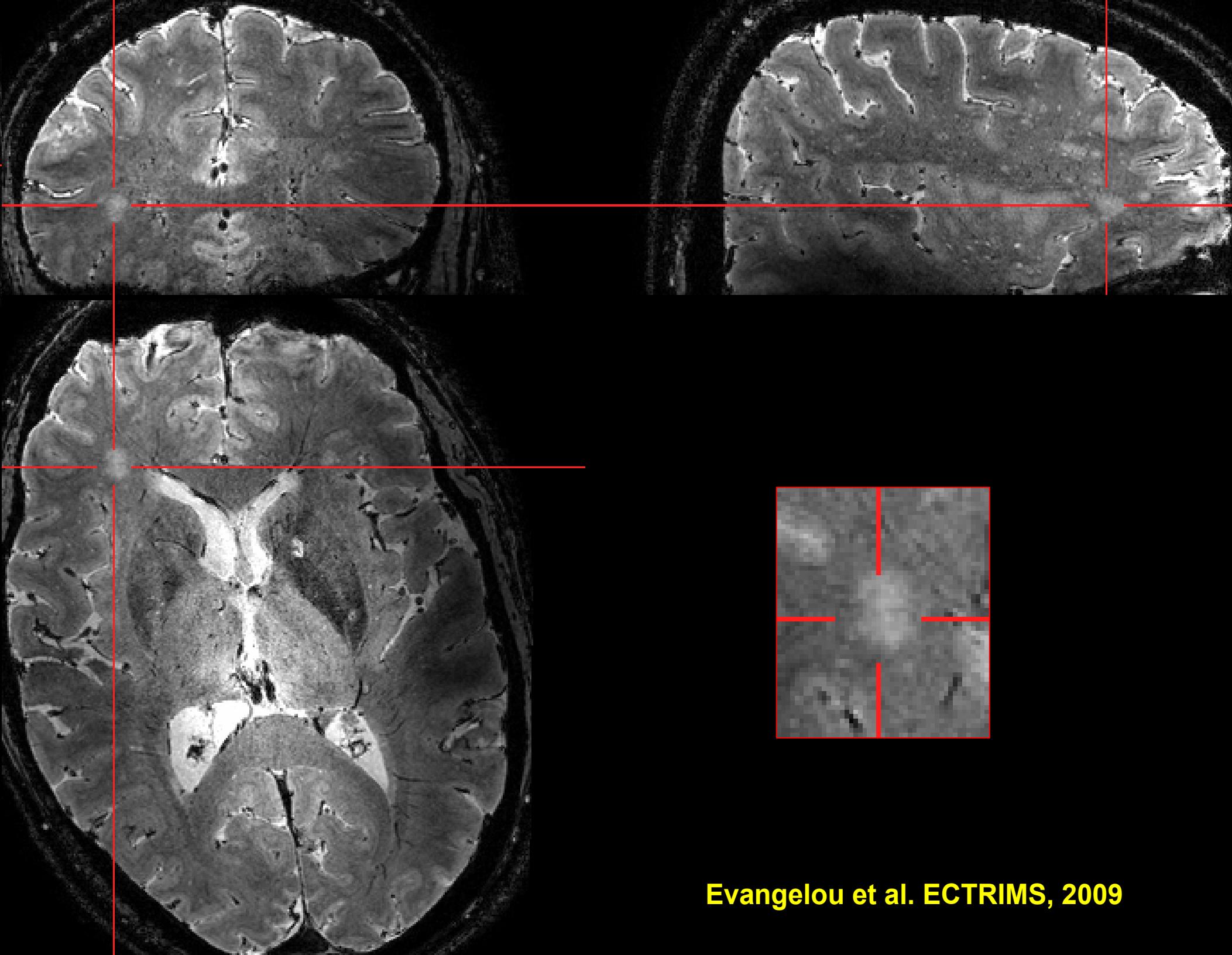
Magnitude images

Phase images

Hammond et al. Ann Neurol, 2008



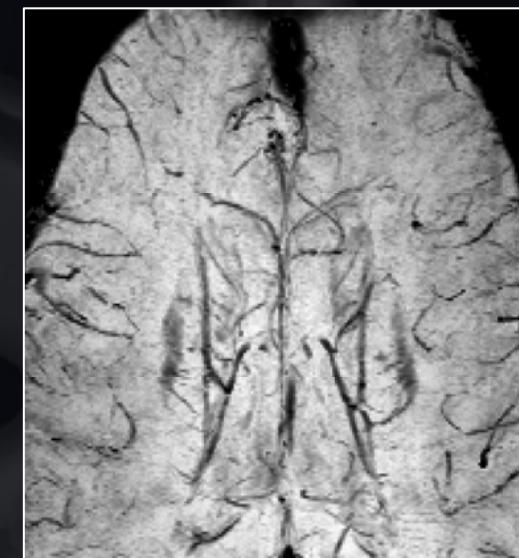
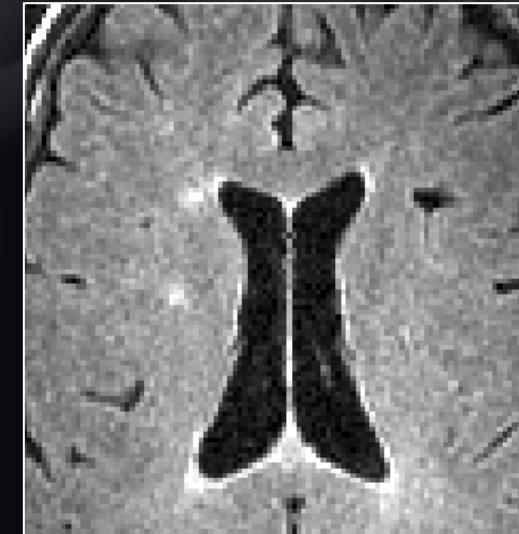
Evangelou et al. ECTRIMS, 2009



Evangelou et al. ECTRIMS, 2009

# SWI nella Sclerosi Multipla e Controlli Sani.

- ↓ utilizzazione di ossigeno causato dalla distruzione dei tessuti → meno deossiemoglobina nel sangue venoso?
- Occlusione dei vasi ?

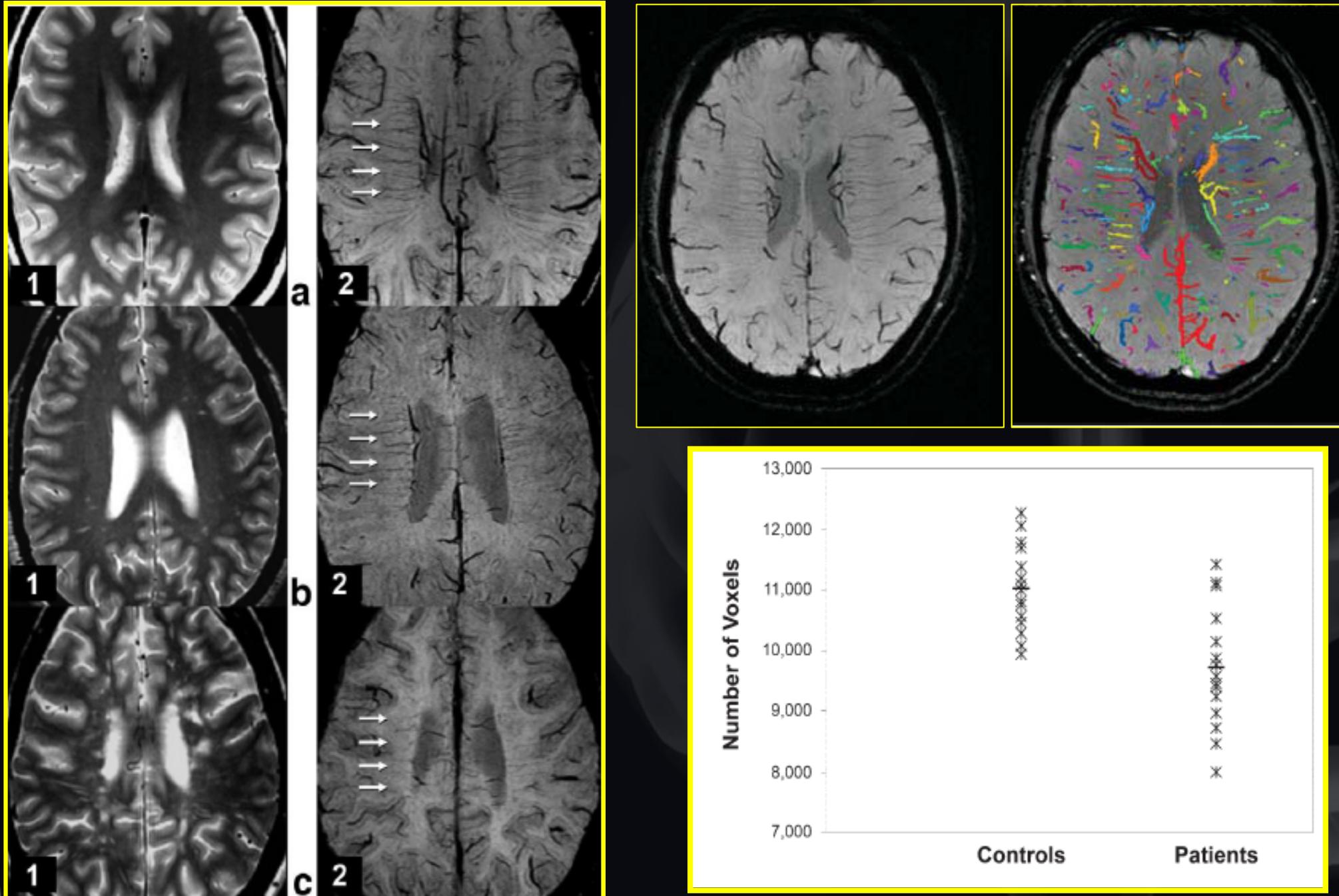


HC

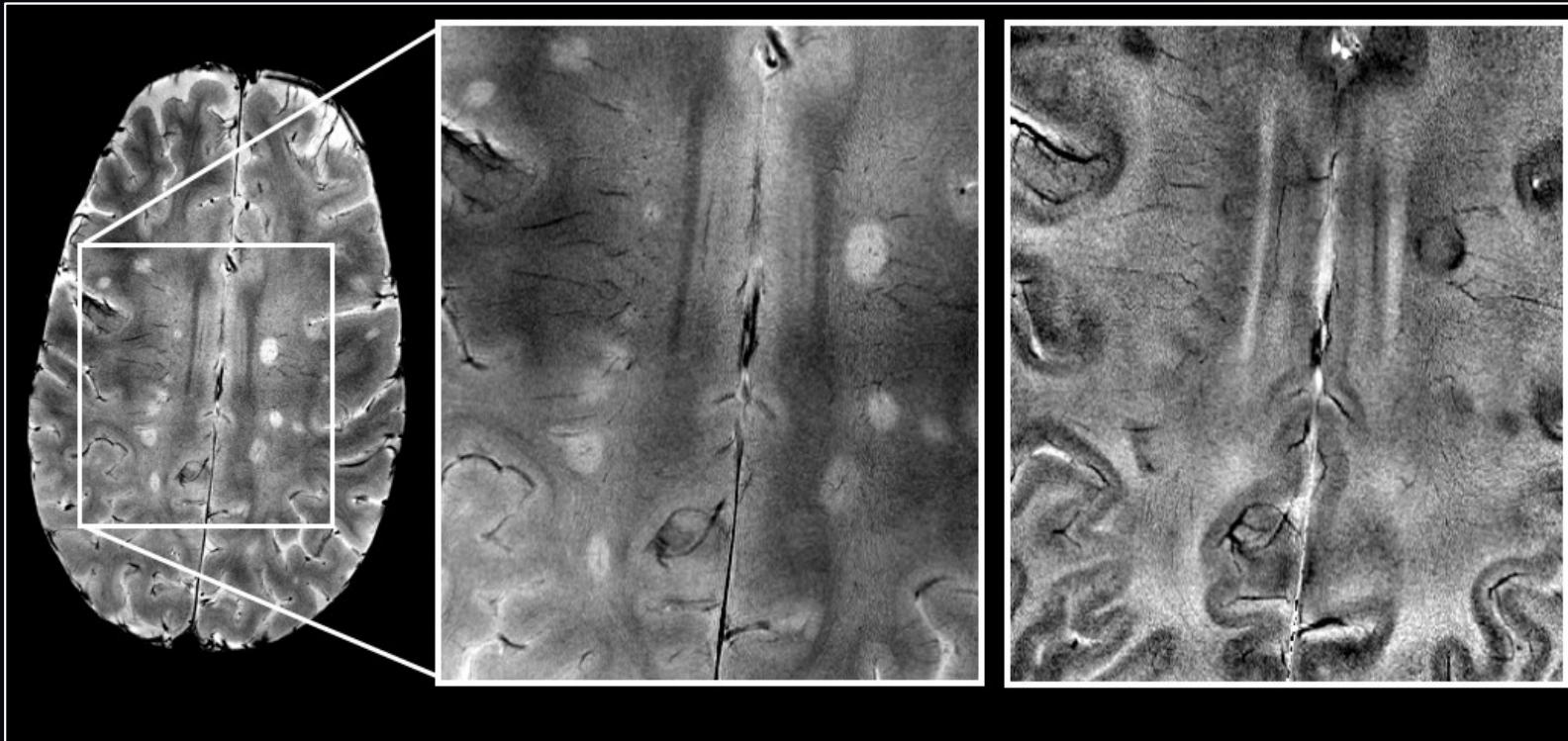
RRMS (EDSS 2.0)  
Schirda et al. AAN, 2009

RRMS (EDSS 4.0)

# Visibilità diminuita della Vascolatura Cerebrale nella SM con SWI da 3.0Tesla

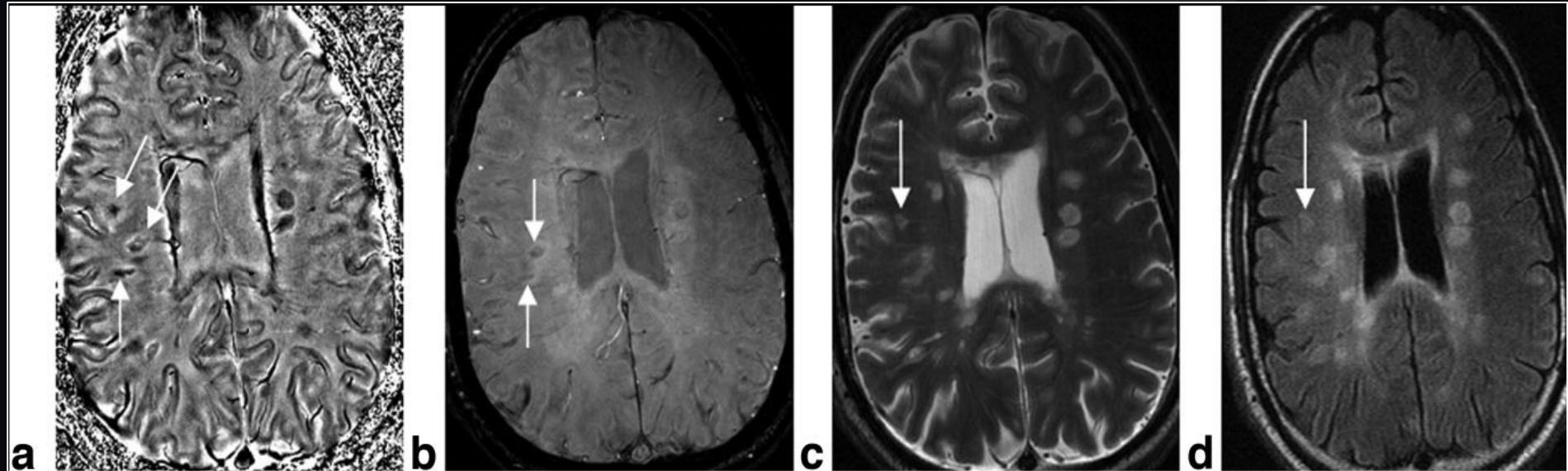


# Phase Imaging of MS at 7T



- Phase images of demyelinating lesions highlighted:
- periphery of lesions, the site of iron-rich macrophages\*
- penetrating vessels in 70% of lesions
- 30% more lesions than seen in magnitude
  
- *Phase provides a novel MR contrast for studying neurodegeneration, one sensitive to the presence of iron.*

# Accumuli di ferro focali nella SME SWI



Lesion Counts for 14 Patients at 1.5 T

|                 | T2 | T2-FLAIR | FLAIR | SWI Only | Total |
|-----------------|----|----------|-------|----------|-------|
| Seen on SWI     | 30 | 30       | 3     | 78       | 141   |
| Not seen on SWI | 18 | 27       | 3     |          | 48    |
| Total           | 48 | 57       | 6     | 78       | 189   |

Table 6  
Lesion Counts for Seven Patients at 3 T

|                 | T2          | SWI Only | Total |
|-----------------|-------------|----------|-------|
| Seen on SWI     | 38 p + 32 m | 20       | 90    |
| Not seen on SWI | 21          |          | 21    |
| Total           | 91          | 20       | 111   |

m = magnitude, p = phase.

Table 7  
Lesion Counts for Six Patients at 4 T

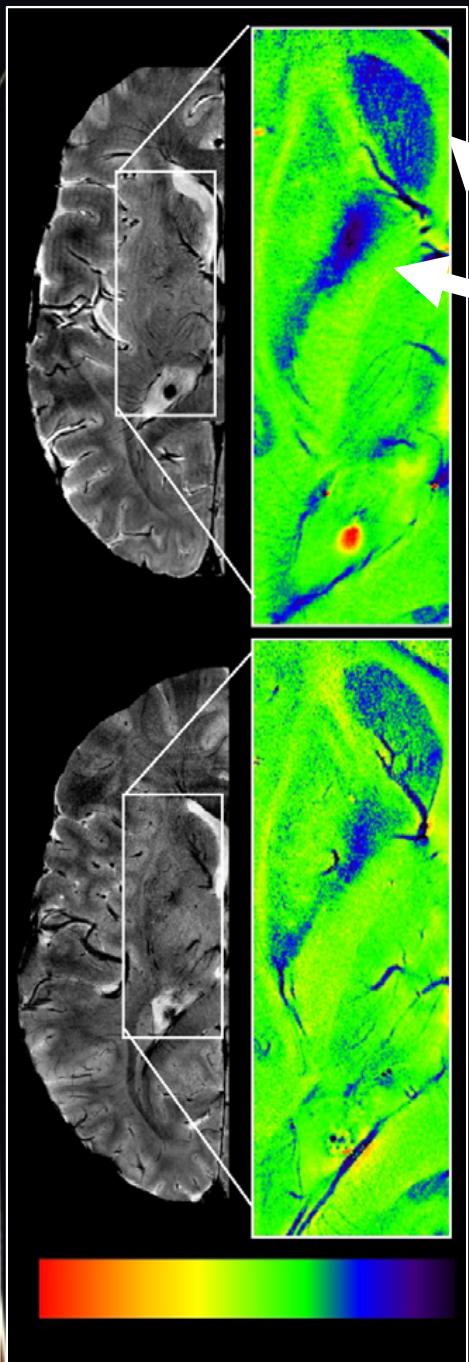
|                 | T2          | FLAIR | SWI Only | Total |
|-----------------|-------------|-------|----------|-------|
| Seen on SWI     | 33 p + 18 m | 20    | 45       | 116   |
| Not seen on SWI |             | 6     |          | 6     |
| Total           | 51          | 26    | 45       | 122   |

m = magnitude, p = phase.



Haacke et al. JMRI, 2009

# Phase Imaging della SM a 7T



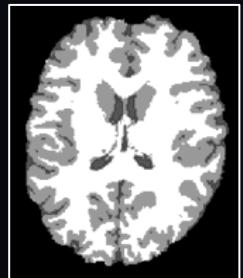
Il ganglio basale nei pazienti con SM era più paramagnetico ( $P<0.05$ ) rispetto ai controlli, suggerendo una maggiore deposizione di ferro

| Region                      | Patients                        | Controls                        | P     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
|                             | Mean ± SD                       | Mean ± SD                       |       |
| Putamen                     | $4.29 \pm 1.13$<br>( $N = 14$ ) | $2.82 \pm 0.52$<br>( $N = 14$ ) | <0.01 |
| Globus pallidus             | $6.35 \pm 1.67$<br>( $N = 12$ ) | $4.71 \pm 1.24$<br>( $N = 14$ ) | <0.01 |
| Thalamus                    | $3.03 \pm 0.98$<br>( $N = 13$ ) | $2.49 \pm 0.64$<br>( $N = 14$ ) | <0.05 |
| Head of caudate             | $5.85 \pm 1.40$<br>( $N = 14$ ) | $4.84 \pm 1.09$<br>( $N = 15$ ) | <0.05 |
| Splenium of corpus callosum | $0.66 \pm 0.15$<br>( $N = 14$ ) | $1.02 \pm 0.43$<br>( $N = 15$ ) | 0.77  |

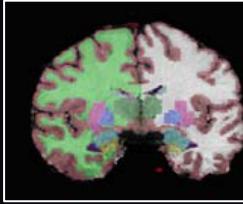
Hammond et al. Ann Neurol, 2008

# Misure regionali dell'Atrofia Cerebrale nella SM

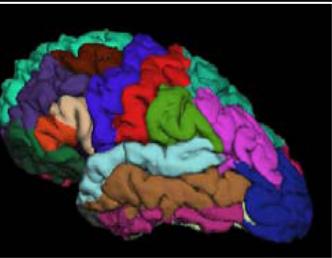
Controllo normale,  
26 anni donna



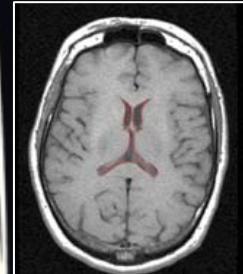
NBV diff -2.9%  
NGMV diff -6.3%  
NWMV diff -1.3%



Thalamus diff -20.1%  
Caudate diff -3.1%  
Putamen diff -18.3%  
Hippocampus diff -8.8%



Postc diff -7.1%  
Prec diff -8.7%  
CC diff -15%  
EN diff -2.1%

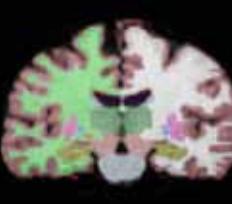


LVV diff +57%

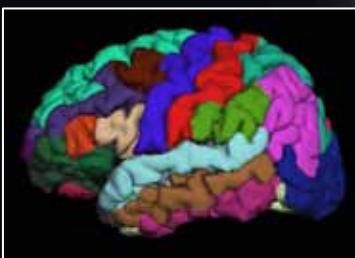
Sindrome clinicamente isolata, 27 anni donna; DD=1 year; EDSS=1.0



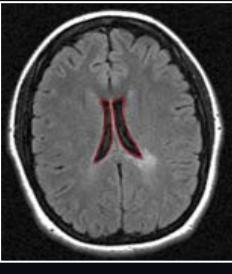
NBV diff -8.9%  
NGMV diff -13.9%  
NWMV diff -3.6%



Thalamus diff -32.9%  
Caudate diff -20.8%  
Putamen diff -31.2%  
Hippocampus diff -20.4%



Postc diff -12.2%  
Prec diff -11%  
CC diff -25  
EN diff -5.9



LVV diff +208.5%

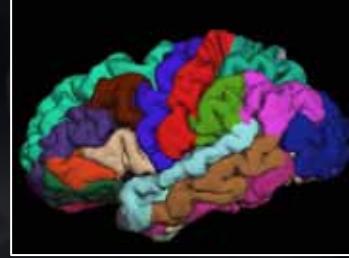
Sm a cadute e remissioni, 27 anni donna; DD=7 years; EDSS=3.0



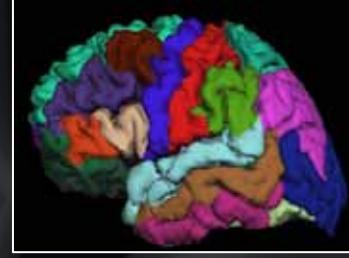
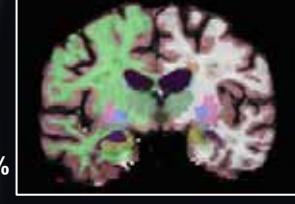
NBV diff -14.7%  
NGMV diff -18.9%  
NWMV diff -7.4%



Thalamus diff -43.4%  
Caudate diff -29.2%  
Putamen diff -43.3%  
Hippocampus diff -29.7%



Postc diff -13.8%  
Prec diff -14.8%  
CC diff -27%  
EN diff -13.7%



LVV diff +533%

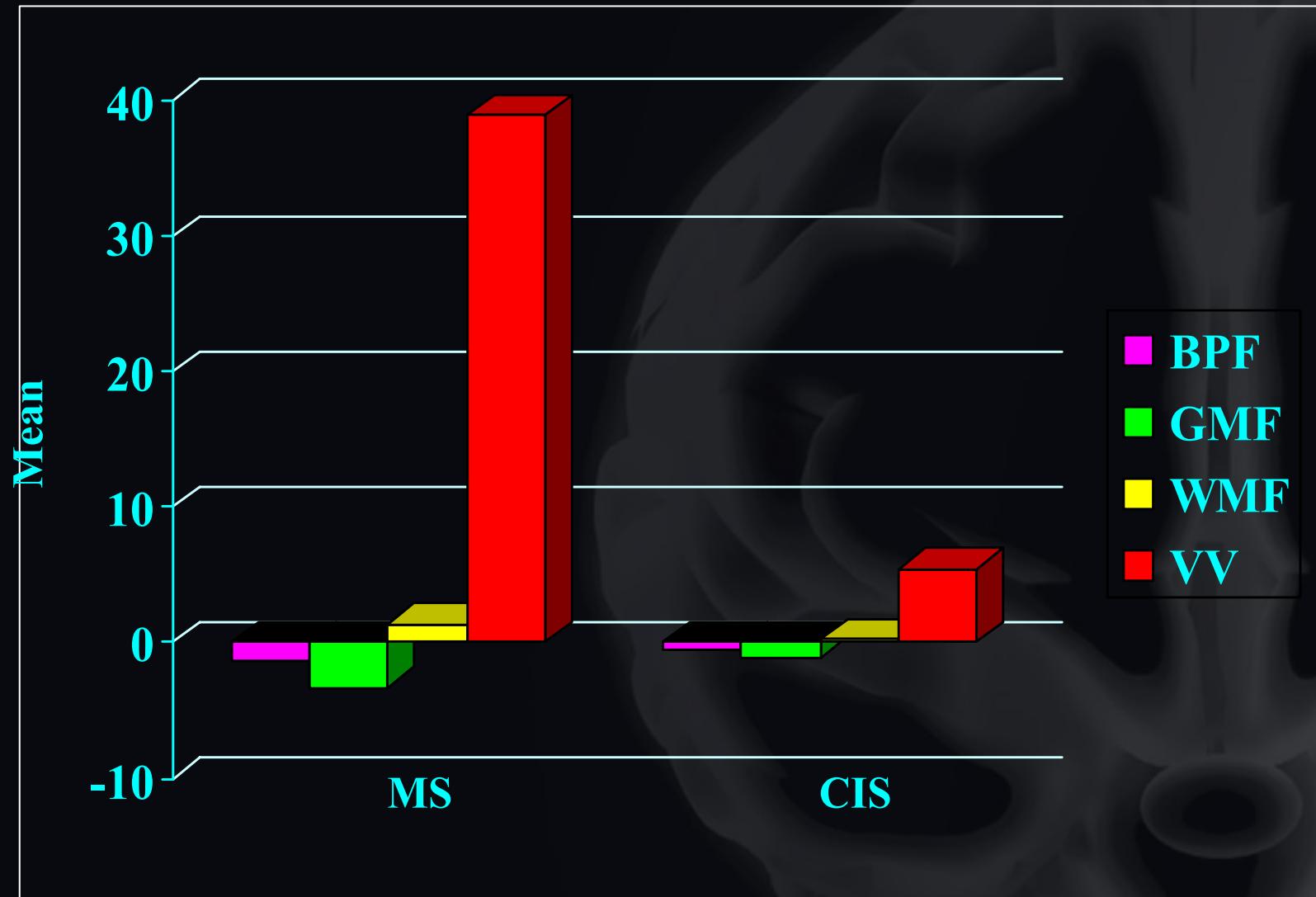
Sm secondariamente prog., 34 anni donna; DD=15 years; EDSS=5.5

Benedict et al. JNNP, 2009

Ramasamy et al. J Neurol Sci 2009

-SIENAX, -LVV, 3VW, Feesurfer subcortical segmentation, Freesurfer cortical segmentation; Posto- Postcentral; Prec- Precentral; CC- Corpuscallosum; EN- Entorhinal; Colors: Light torquise-Superior frontal, Violet-Rostral middlefrontal, Dark brown-Caudal middle frontal, Dark green-Lateral orbitofrontal, Orange-Parstriangularis, Skin tone-Parsopercularis, Blue-Precentral, Crimson Red-Postcentral, Parrot green-suupramarginal,Dark turquoise-SuperiorParietal, Light blue-SuperiorTemporal, Light Pink-InferiorParietal, Light brown-Middle temporal, Dark Blue-Lateral Occipital, Dark pink-Inferior Temporal

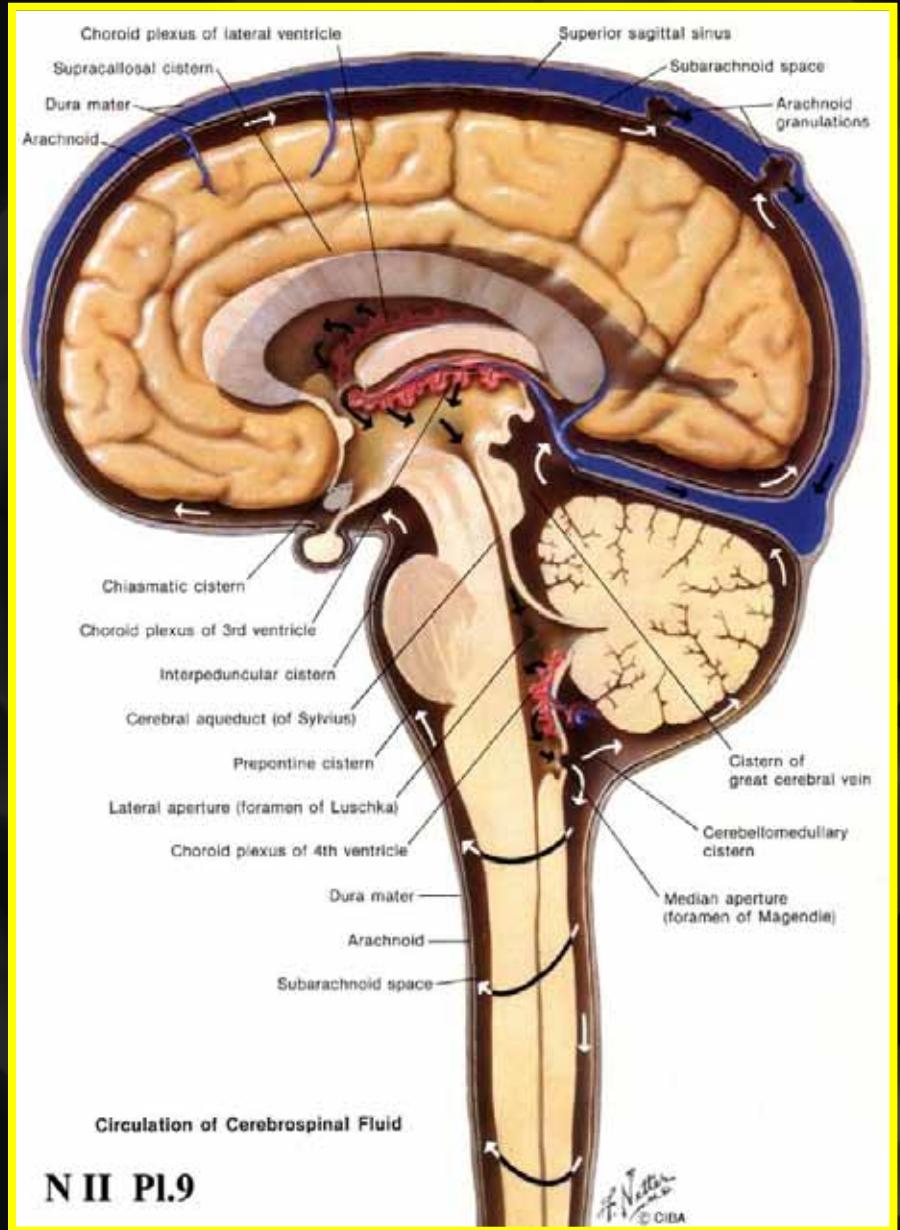
# Cambi dell'Atrofia Cerebrale in 3 Anni



Dalton et al. Brain, 2004

# Drenaggio Venoso & Dinamica CSF

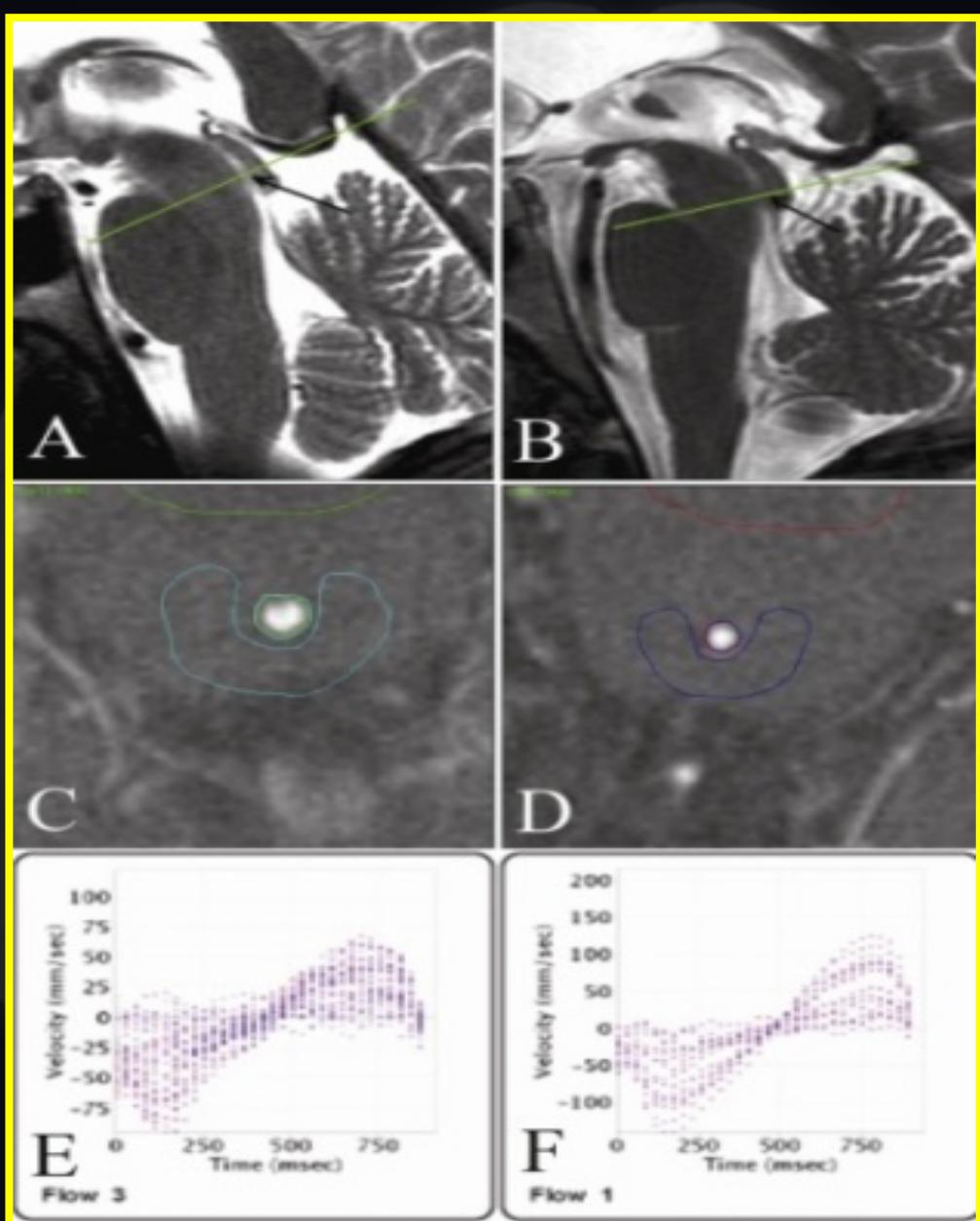
- la dinamica CSF è dipendente dal drenaggio venoso
- Si tratta di un equilibrio:
  - tra l'ultra-filtrazione CSF dalle vene del ventricolo laterale
  - ed il riassorbimento CSF nel sistema venoso al livello dei seni durali



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# Cine CSF Flow Imaging

- CSF flow measurement in the aqueduct of Sylvius for HC (left) and MS patient (right).
- A-B. Sagittal T2 scans showing positioning for the MRI Cine acquisition. Slice orientation is perpendicular on the aqueduct.
- C-D. Aqueduct and background ROIs drawn on the magnitude image.
- E-F. CSF velocity distribution within the aqueduct of Sylvius ROIs, for the 32 phases, calculated using the GE ReportCard software



Zamboni et al. Funct Neurol, 2009;

Schirda et al. AAN 2010; ISMRM 2010

numbers from Bellaria Hospital, Bologna, Italy

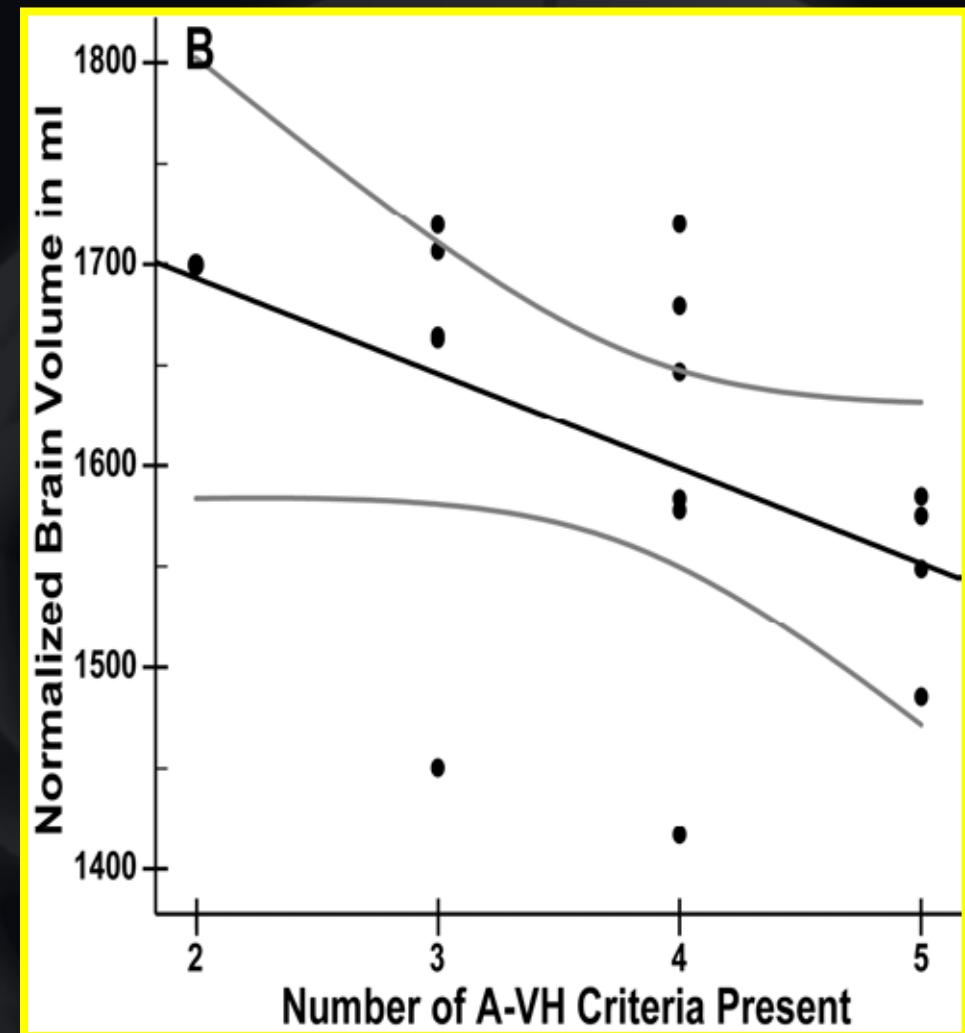
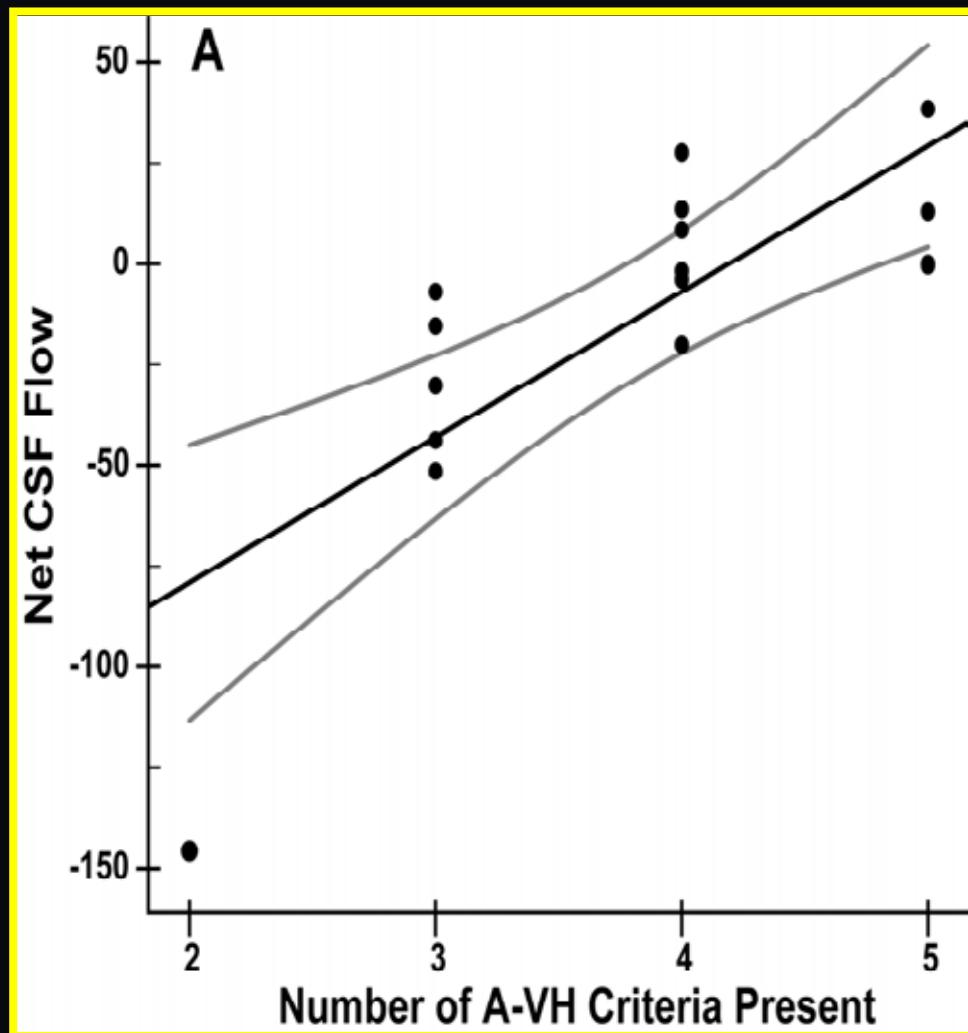
## **Insufficienza Venosa Cronica nella SM (Studio) CVIMS**

- Studio trasversale
- 16 pazienti RRMS e gruppo di controllo abbinato
- Numeri uguali dall’Ospedale Bellaria, Bologna, Italia and dal Jacobs Neurological Institute, University at Buffalo, NY, USA
- Età media  $36.1 \pm 7.3$  anni, durata media malattia  $7.5 \pm 1.9$  anni e EDSS 2.5
- Tutti i pazienti con SM soddisfano la diagnosi di CCSVI (median VH=4, median VHISS=9) e nessuno del g.d.c.

Zamboni et al. Funct Neurol, 2009;

Zamboni et al. Int Angiol (in press)

# Lower Net CSF Flow and Lower Brain Volume in MS Patients is Related to CCSVI



Net CSF flow vs. total number of pathologic VHISS

Zamboni et al. Funct Neurol, 2009

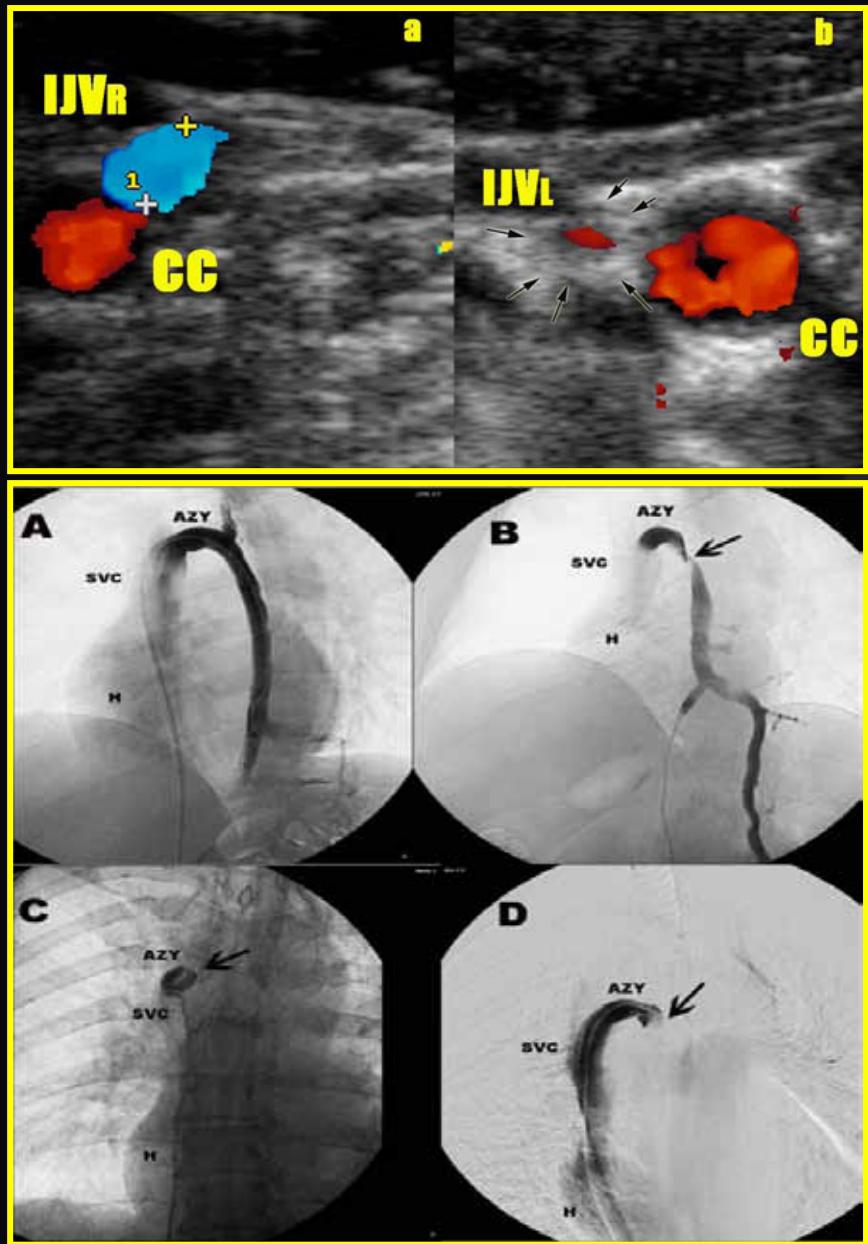
Brain Atrophy vs. total number of pathologic Venous Hemodynamic Criteria

Zamboni et al. Int Angiol (in press)

# Diagnosi di CCSVI

“Situazione vascolare caratterizzata da stenosi  
combinata dei principali percorsi  
del drenaggio venoso extracranico ed  
extravertebrale”

# Emodinamica Venosa (VH) Criteri per la CCSVI

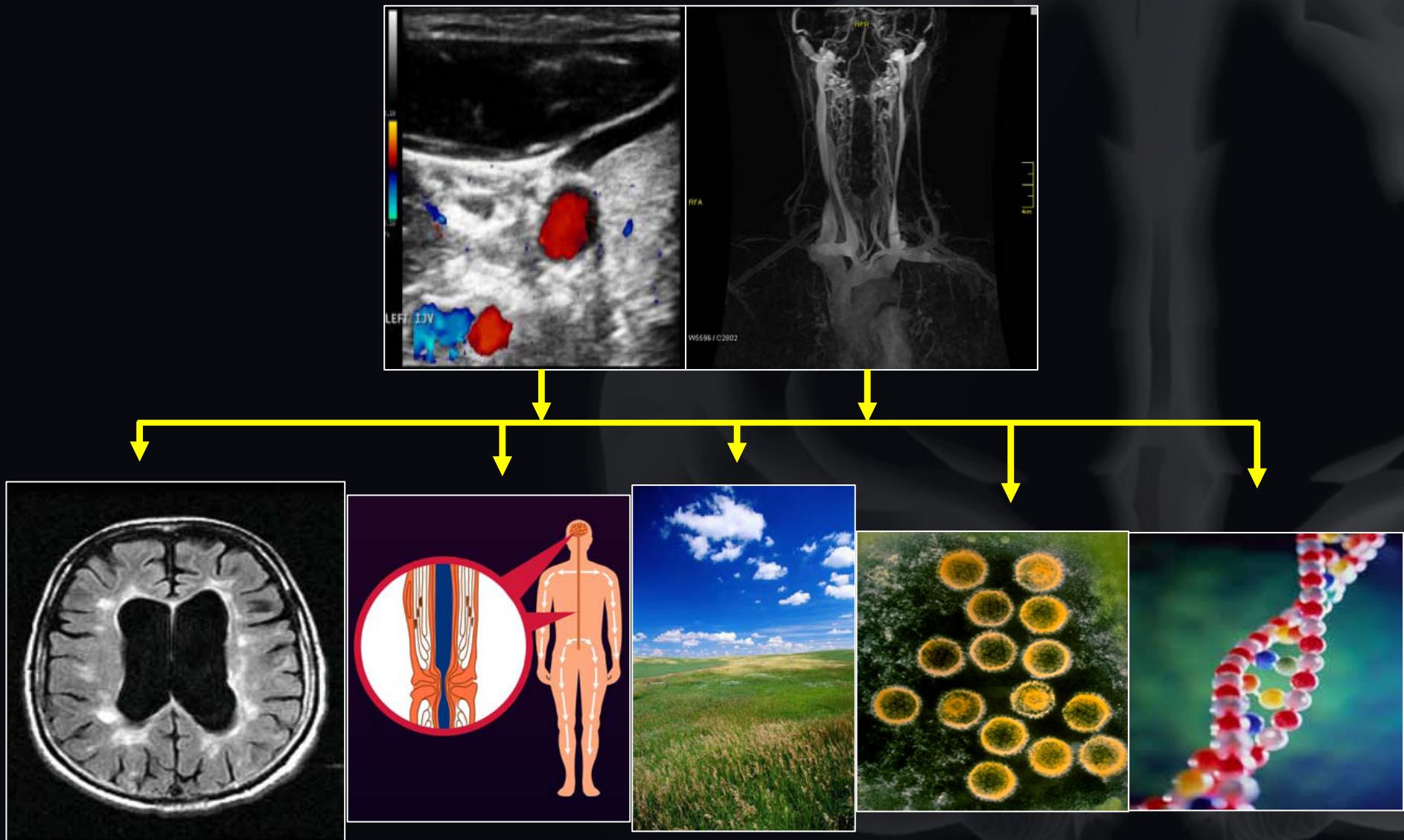


- **Criterio 1:** Reflusso nella IJV e/o nelle vene vertebrali (VVs) valutate nella posiz. seduta e supina
- **Criterio 2:** Reflusso nelle vene cerebrali profonde (DCVs)
- **Criterio 3:** Rilevamento B-mode delle stenosi delle IJVs nella forma di annulus septum, o valvole malformate
- **Criterio 4:** Assenza di segnale doppler nella IJV e/o nelle VVs
- **Criterio 5:** La presenza di una differenza negativa nella cross sectional area (CSA) della IJV
  - VH (0-5;  $\geq 2$  è considerata patologica)
- **VHISS (Venous Hemodynamic Insufficiency Severity Score 0-16)**

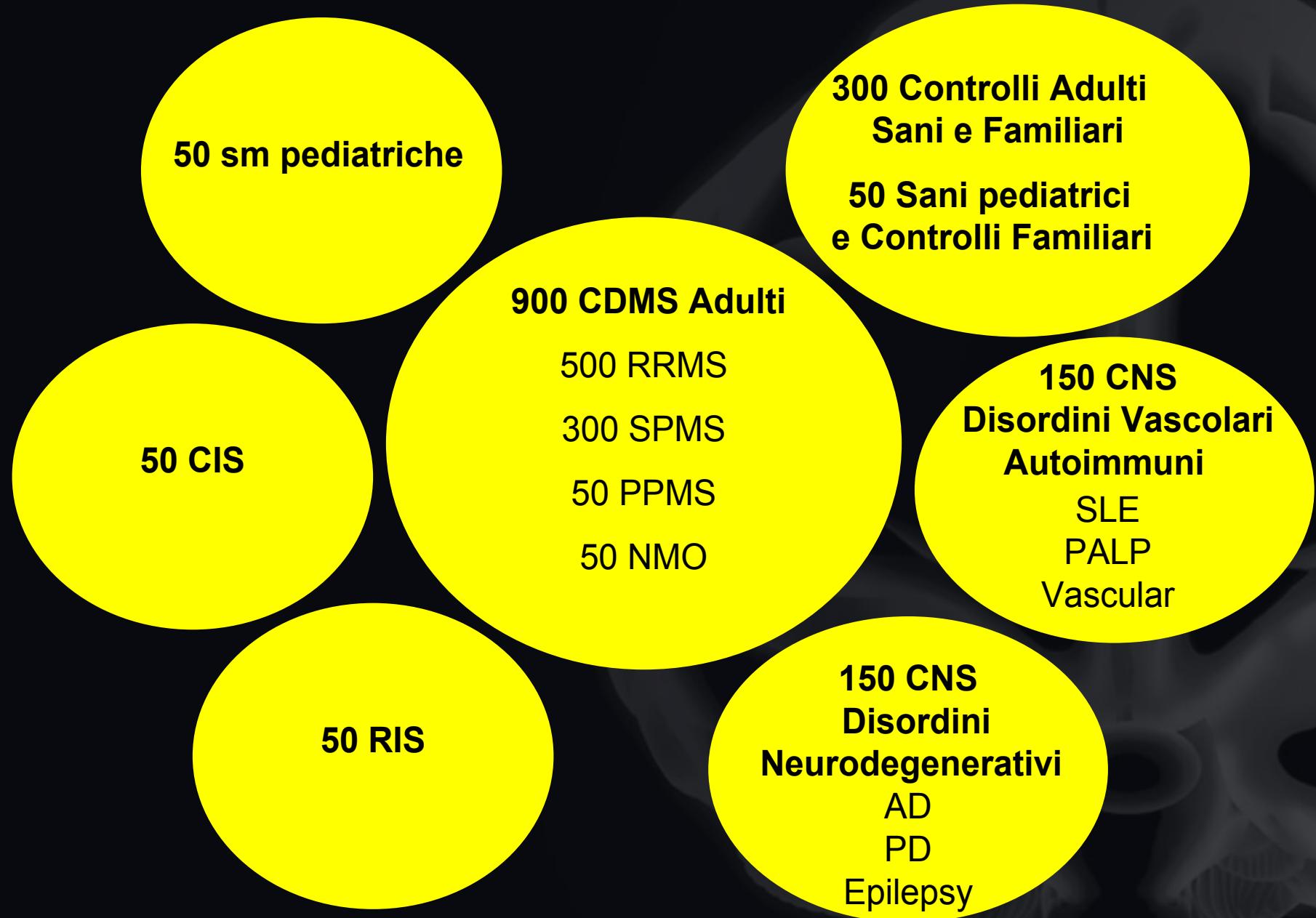
Zamboni et al. JNNP, 2009

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# Valutazione Transcranica ed Extracranica Combinata nella SM e nelle Patologie Collegate (CTEVD study)



# Studio di Popolazione (1700 soggetti)



# **Valutazione Doppler Transcranico e Extracranico Combinata nella Sclerosi Multipla e Patologie Correlate**

- Il cieco è pianificato in 3 diverse cornici di tempo
  - 500 soggetti - Gen 2010
  - 1000 soggetti – Autunno 2010
  - 1700 subjects – Primavera 2011
- Situazione corrente al 1 Febbraio 2010
  - 500 soggetti già esaminati
  - Reclutamento su base nazionale (>13,000 pazienti con SM in lista d'attesa)

**Zivadinov et al. AAN 2010**

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