

Resource Summary Report

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Microns Explorer

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Resource Information

URL: <https://www.microns-explorer.org/>

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Description: Portal to release connectivity and functional imaging data collected by consortium of laboratories led by groups at Allen Institute for Brain Science, Princeton University, and Baylor College of Medicine, with support from broad array of teams, coordinated and funded by IARPA MICrONS program. Data include large scale electron microscopy based reconstructions of cortical circuitry from mouse visual cortex, with corresponding functional imaging data from those same neurons.

Synonyms: MICrONS Explorer

Resource Type: data or information resource, portal, topical portal

Keywords: Connectome, mouse, cortex, electron microscopy, functional imaging data, cortical circuitry reconstruction, neuron

Funding: IARPA MICrONS

Availability: Free, Freely available

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Microns Explorer.

No alerts have been found for Microns Explorer.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 19 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [NIF](#) .

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