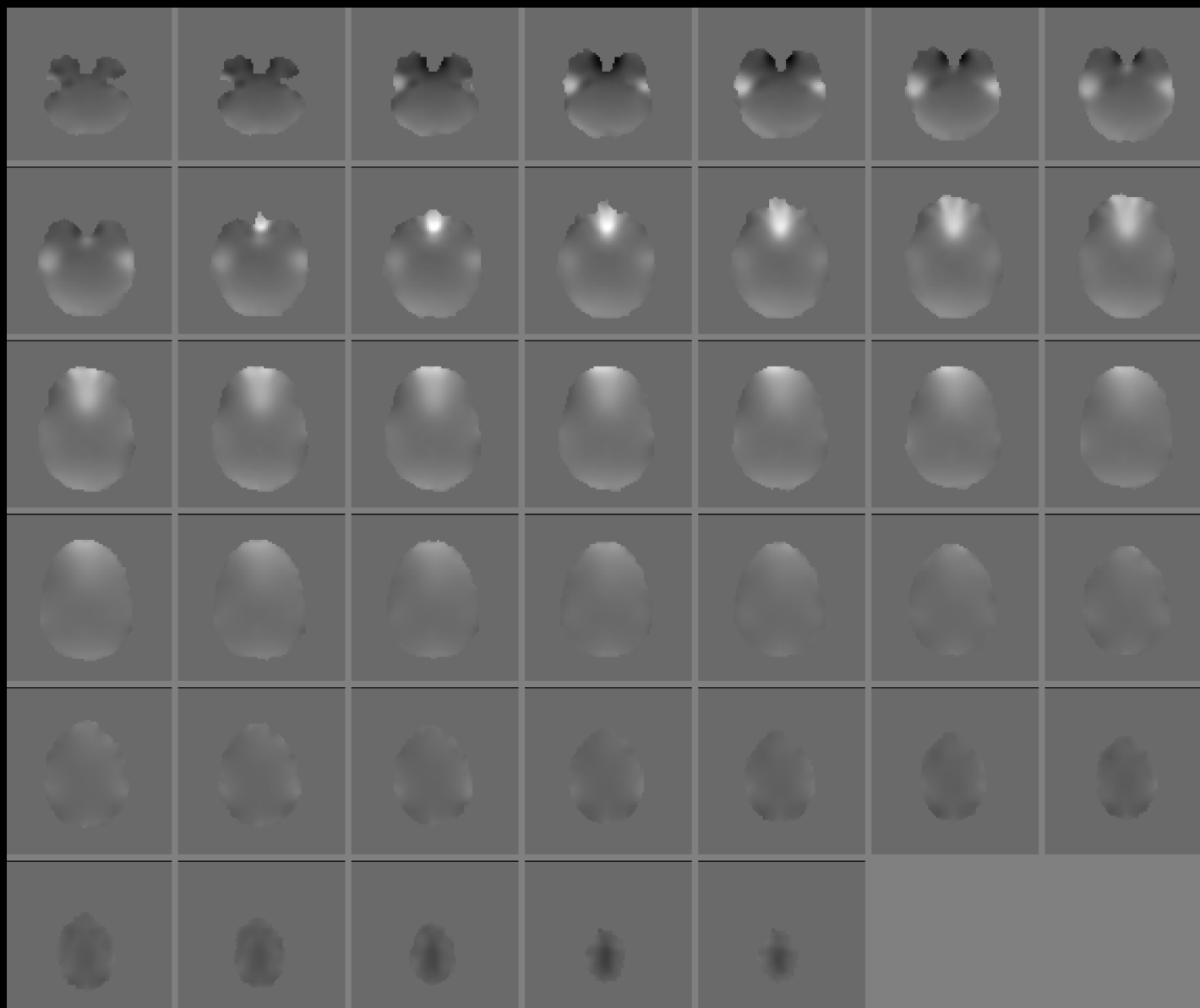


# Fieldmap ( $\Delta B$ )

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# Fieldmap data processing

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\*\* Covert fieldmap data from the scanner

Best way: output as PAR/REC, use dcm2nii to convert fieldmap data to .nii

\*\* resample the fieldmap data to match the voxel resolution of imaging data if not the same

\*\* rescale the fieldmap so that the unit is rad

```
fslmaths ./fieldmap.img -mul 6.28 -mul ./brain_mask.nii.gz ./fm_rads_brain
```

\*\* fieldmap regularation

```
fugue --loadfmap=fm_rads_brain -s 3 -m --despike --savefmap=fm_rads_brain_sm3_m_ds
```

\*\* fieldmap unwrap

```
fugue -i ../fMRI_S2_PA_14.img --dwell=0.0002128 --loadfmap=fm_rads_brain_sm3_m_ds  
--unwarmdir=y- -u fMRI_S2_PA_uw
```

# Some notes

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- After motion correction
- Work better for “stretched” distortion than compressed (pile-up) distortion
- Will not correct signal drop out
- Try both  $y+$  and  $y-$  in the script
- Divide  $esp$  (dwell time) by the SENSE factor