

Appendix 1: MR scanner settings

Parameters of the sequences were as follows:

T1WI: repetition time (TR) = 1750–1821 ms; echo time (TE) = 24–27 ms; slice thickness = 5.0–6.0 mm; slice gap = 1–2 mm; number of slices = 20–22; field of view (FOV) = 24 × 24 cm²; matrix = 320 × 320; NEX = 1; T2WI: TR = 5741–4440 ms; TE = 93–102 ms; slice thickness = 5.0–6.0 mm; slice gap = 1–2 mm; number of slices = 20–22; FOV = 24 × 24 cm²; matrix = 320 × 320; NEX = 1; DWI: TR = 3000–6000 ms; TE = 110–90 ms; slice thickness = 5.0–6.0 mm; slice gap = 1–2 mm; number of slices = 20–22; FOV = 24 × 24 cm²; matrix = 320 × 320; NEX = 1.

Appendix 2: Method of calculating the apparent diffusion coefficient maps

Based on the diffusion-weighted images (with b equal to 0 and 1000), the apparent diffusion coefficient (ADC) maps were calculated using the following formula:

$$S_{DWI} = S_0 e^{-b \cdot ADC} \rightarrow ADC = -\frac{1}{b} \ln \left(\frac{S_{DWI}}{S_0} \right) \quad [1]$$

where S_{DWI} is the value in a volume in the DWI with b equal to 1000; and S_0 is value in a volume in the DWI with b equal to 0. ADC is produced for the value in volume.

Appendix 3: Detailed results of the experiments

AUC, area under curve; ACC¹ represents accuracy on the training set, whereas ACC² represents accuracy on the testing set; SEN, sensitivity; SPE, specificity; P value, calculated from the permutation test. All the results are presented as the mean and 95% confidence interval.

Results of classifiers based on a single sequence

Table C.1. ACCs and AUCs of classifiers based on a single sequence

	Histological phenotype		IDH status		Ki-67 expression	
	ACC	AUC	ACC	AUC	ACC	AUC
T1WI	0.5213 (0.4805–0.5622)	0.5470 (0.5036–0.5903)	0.4920 (0.4548–0.5292)	0.5044 (0.4661–0.5427)	0.5556 (0.5166–0.5945)	0.5490 (0.5065–0.5914)
T2WI	0.6040 (0.5653–0.6427)	0.6326 (0.5855–0.6777)	0.5613 (0.5249–0.5978)	0.5524 (0.5148–0.5899)	0.6568 (0.6251–0.6884)	0.7032 (0.6639–0.7424)
ADC	0.6400 (0.6089–0.6711)	0.6909 (0.6538–0.7281)	0.6560 (0.6214–0.6906)	0.7034 (0.6644–0.7425)	0.6988 (0.6649–0.7326)	0.7556 (0.7128–0.7984)
T1C	0.6547 (0.6229–0.6864)	0.6876 (0.6553–0.7199)	0.6013 (0.5599–0.6427)	0.6336 (0.5962–0.6709)	0.6704 (0.6417–0.6990)	0.7077 (0.6561–0.7593)
DWI	0.5247 (0.5053–0.5800)	0.5507 (0.5108–0.5906)	0.5493 (0.5154–0.5833)	0.5439 (0.5014–0.5864)	0.6272 (0.5920–0.6624)	0.6573 (0.6069–0.7077)

Results of the classifiers based on different sequence combinations

Table C.2. Histological phenotype (glioblastomas vs. LGG)

	A	B	C
AUC	0.7086 (0.6754–0.7418)	0.7181 (0.6825–0.7536)	0.7228 (0.6912–0.7543)
ACC ¹	0.8697 (0.8455–0.8938)	0.9210 (0.9002–0.9419)	0.9755 (0.9622–0.9887)
ACC ²	0.6680 (0.6405–0.6954)	0.6733 (0.6439–0.7026)	0.6746 (0.6505–0.6988)
SEN	0.6377 (0.5837–0.6917)	0.6227 (0.5674–0.6780)	0.6168 (0.5651–0.6685)
SPE	0.6910 (0.6466–0.7354)	0.7079 (0.6670–0.7488)	0.7246 (0.6787–0.7705)
P value	0.0908 (0.0593–0.1222)	0.0955 (0.0601–0.1309)	0.0700 (0.0524–0.0877)

Note: A (ADC and T1C); B (ADC, T2, and T1C); and C (all five sequences).

Table C.3. IDH status (IDH mutation vs. IDH wild-type)

	A	B	C
AUC	0.7034 (0.6666–0.7402)	0.7098 (0.6782–0.7413)	0.6865 (0.6441–0.7289)
ACC ¹	0.7586 (0.7206–0.7967)	0.8966 (0.8729–0.9204)	0.9563 (0.9394–0.9731)
ACC ²	0.6560 (0.6234–0.6885)	0.6733 (0.6432–0.7033)	0.6466 (0.6087–0.6845)
SEN	0.7277 (0.6771–0.7783)	0.7176 (0.6760–0.7592)	0.7366 (0.6936–0.7796)
SPE	0.5679 (0.4993–0.6364)	0.6065 (0.5428–0.6701)	0.5221 (0.4481–0.5960)
P value	0.1156 (0.0670–0.1641)	0.1239 (0.0822–0.1657)	0.1517 (0.0783–0.2250)

Note: A (ADC); B (ADC and T1C); and C (all five sequences).

Table C.4. Ki-67 expression level (high expression vs. low expression, threshold =0.1)

	A	B	C
AUC	0.7783 (0.7515–0.8050)	0.7899 (0.7559–0.8239)	0.7858 (0.7606–0.8111)
ACC ¹	0.9512 (0.9315–0.9709)	0.9888 (0.9831–0.9945)	0.9873 (0.9824–0.9922)
ACC ²	0.7246 (0.6989–0.7504)	0.7333 (0.7040–0.7626)	0.7320 (0.7108–0.7533)
SEN	0.7914 (0.7579–0.8248)	0.8259 (0.7954–0.8586)	0.8085 (0.7722–0.8448)
SPE	0.6105 (0.5537–0.6672)	0.5662 (0.5092–0.6232)	0.6013 (0.5423–0.6603)
P value	0.0363 (0.0187–0.0539)	0.0549 (0.0367–0.0732)	0.0320 (0.0230–0.0410)

Note: A (ADC, T2, and T1C); B (ADC, T2, T1C, and DWI); and C (all five sequences).

Results of the classifiers on Ki-67 expression level (threshold =0.25)

Table C.5. Predictive performance of classifiers under certain sequence combinations

	B (ADC, T2, T1C, and DWI)
AUC	0.6206 (0.5762–0.6650)
ACC ¹	0.8686 (0.8367–0.9004)
ACC ²	0.5974 (0.5653–0.6295)
SEN	0.4904 (0.4308–0.5501)
SPE	0.6753 (0.6283–0.7224)
P value	0.3222 (0.2648–0.3795)

Note: B (ADC, T2, T1C, and DWI) is the final sequence combination used in the Ki-67 classification based on *threshold* =0.1.

Table C.6. Predictive performance of the ultimate classifier

	AUC	ACC ¹	ACC ²	SEN	SPE	P value
Ki-67 expression level	0.899	0.883	0.846	0.769	0.923	0.03

Note: AUC, area under the curve; ACC¹ represents accuracy on the training set, whereas ACC² represents accuracy on the testing set; SEN, sensitivity; SPE, specificity; P_value, calculated from the permutation test.

Appendix 4: Selected features in the ultimate classifiers

	IDH genotype	Histological phenotype	Ki-67 expression level
The selected features	ADC_wavelet-LLH_firstorder_Mean	ADC_original_firstorder_InterquartileRange	ADC_wavelet-LHL_glcM_MaximumProbability
	ADC_wavelet-LLH_glszm_SizeZoneNonUniformityNormalized	ADC_wavelet-HLL_glszm_HighGrayLevelZoneEmphasis	ADC_wavelet-HLL_gldm_DependenceVariance
	ADC_wavelet-HHL_gldm_LowGrayLevelEmphasis	ADC_wavelet-HLL_glszm_LowGrayLevelZoneEmphasis	ADC_exponential_firstorder_10Percentile
	ADC_wavelet-LLL_glszm_GrayLevelNonUniformity	ADC_wavelet-HLL_glszm_SmallAreaLowGrayLevelEmphasis	ADC_logarithm_firstorder_InterquartileRange
	ADC_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glcM_ClusterShade	ADC_wavelet-HLH_firstorder_Kurtosis	DWI_wavelet-LLH_gldm_DependenceNonUniformityNormalized
	ADC_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glszm_GrayLevelVariance	ADC_wavelet-LLL_firstorder_InterquartileRange	DWI_wavelet-HHH_firstorder_MeanAbsoluteDeviation
	ADC_squareroot_firstorder_InterquartileRange	ADC_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glcM_MaximumProbability	DWI_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_firstorder_Minimum
	T1C_original_shape_Elongation	ADC_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glszm_LowGrayLevelZoneEmphasis	DWI_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_firstorder_Skewness
	T1C_original_firstorder_Skewness	ADC_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_ngtdm_Contrast	T1C_wavelet-LLH_glrIm_HighGrayLevelRunEmphasis
	T1C_wavelet-LLH_glszm_SmallAreaLowGrayLevelEmphasis	ADC_square_firstorder_10Percentile	T1C_square_firstorder_Range
	T1C_wavelet-LHL_firstorder_Kurtosis	ADC_logarithm_firstorder_InterquartileRange	T2_wavelet-HLL_glszm_SmallAreaLowGrayLevelEmphasis
	T1C_wavelet-LHL_glcM_Imc2	DWI_wavelet-HHH_firstorder_Kurtosis	T2_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glszm_GrayLevelNonUniformityNormalized
	T1C_wavelet-LHL_glcM_MCC	DWI_logarithm_firstorder_Median	T2_square_firstorder_Minimum
	T1C_wavelet-HLL_firstorder_10Percentile	T1_wavelet-LHH_firstorder_Median	
	T1C_wavelet-HLL_firstorder_MeanAbsoluteDeviation	T1_wavelet-HLL_glcM_DifferenceEntropy	
	T1C_wavelet-HLL_firstorder_RootMeanSquared	T1_wavelet-HLL_glcM_DifferenceVariance	
	T1C_wavelet-HLH_glszm_ZonePercentage	T1_wavelet-HHL_glszm_LowGrayLevelZoneEmphasis	
	T1C_wavelet-LLL_glrIm_LongRunEmphasis	T1_logarithm_glrIm_ShortRunHighGrayLevelEmphasis	
	T1C_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_firstorder_TotalEnergy	T1C_wavelet-LLH_glcM_Imc1	
	T1C_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glrIm_GrayLevelVariance	T1C_wavelet-HHL_glcM_Autocorrelation	
	T1C_logarithm_glrIm_LongRunEmphasis	T1C_wavelet-HHL_glcM_ClusterProminence	
		T1C_wavelet-HHL_glcM_ClusterTendency	
		T1C_wavelet-HHL_glcM_Correlation	
		T1C_wavelet-HHH_glcM_ClusterTendency	
		T1C_exponential_firstorder_MeanAbsoluteDeviation	
		T1C_logarithm_glcM_ClusterShade	
		T2_wavelet-HLL_firstorder_Kurtosis	
		T2_wavelet-HHL_firstorder_Median	
		T2_wavelet-HHL_glszm_LowGrayLevelZoneEmphasis	
		T2_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glszm_GrayLevelNonUniformityNormalized	
		T2_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glszm_GrayLevelVariance	
		T2_log-sigma-3-0-mm-3D_glszm_SmallAreaHighGrayLevelEmphasis	