

# Identifying new susceptibility genes on dopaminergic and serotonergic pathways for the framing effect in decision-making

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## Abstract

The framing effect, a well-documented bias in decision-making, is a key component of the prospect theory value function. We identified a set of genes that are differentially expressed in the brain in response to the framing effect. These genes are enriched in dopaminergic and serotonergic pathways, suggesting a role for these neurotransmitters in the framing effect. We further identified a set of genes that are differentially expressed in the brain in response to the framing effect. These genes are enriched in dopaminergic and serotonergic pathways, suggesting a role for these neurotransmitters in the framing effect.

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## Introduction

Decisions are made by people  
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'... effect' (Te ... adKa ... a, 1981; Ka ... a ad  
Te ..., 1984; K ... be ..., 1999). T ... a e ba  
be ed ac dffē e c ... e (Ka ... e a ad Te ...,  
1979; Sa ... ad Sa ... e, 1997), a d a ... f ... d ... f e c e ...  
... a da dec ..., c a ... e e a ed f ... a c e, ...  
... a d e e ... de ... a c e a ... (McNe  
..., 1982; D ... c ... a, 2004).

Pe ... de ... ed a e ... a a ... a d  
... e ... a f ... a ... a ... e ... e f a ... effect.  
S e c f c a ..., c ... i c a e d e c e d e ... a e d ... a  
c c e ... e f a e a e a c a e d ... e e e a e d ...  
c d c a c e e ... e ... a c c e ... e f a e ... a  
a c a ...; e f f e c a a b e f a ... c a c a ...  
e ... a ... a ... e (H ..., 2004; De Ma ..., 2008).  
Ne ... a ... de e e a e d a ... c e a e d a c a ... f ... e  
e ... e ... e (e ... e a ... d a a) e ... a c a ... c e  
... e ... f a e a d a f e ... e f a e  
(De Ma ..., 2006; R ... e ..., 2009; X ..., 2013; Ga ...,  
2016). M e e ..., c e a e d d e e ... e ... a ... c e a e d f a -  
... effect (D ... c ... a a d M c D e ..., 2008), e e d c e d e -  
... a e ... e a c ... e e a ... a a d e c e a e ... d d a '  
c e b ... f a ... (M ... a d C ... a, 2011).

T e c e b ... f a ... d e c ... - a ... c  
a e b a ... a a c ... d d a (Ka ... e a a d T e ...,  
1979; S a ... a d S a ... e, 1997; De M a ..., 2006; R ... e ...,  
2009; G a ..., 2016), a d e a e e l a b ... (S ... a d  
S e a, 2011; C e a ..., 2012; C ... a d S e ..., 2012), ...  
... a ... e c a a ... c ... b e ... e d d a  
d f f e e c e . A ... e c ... d e ... - a ... a e d e -  
... a e d e ... a ... e f ... e c a a ... d a ...  
e ... c a d e ... e f c a ... a ... d e c ... - a ... d e  
(C ... a ..., 2009; D e b e ..., 2009; K ... e a d C ... a, 2009;  
H e ..., 2010; F d ... a ..., 2011; H e ... a d ..., 2012; R e ... e  
, 2013; S e ..., 2014), ... a f e ... d e ... e ... a e d d -  
e c ... e ... e c b a ... f ... e c e b ... f a ...  
d e c ... - a ... T ... d e (C







aa, ec, aed, ae, e, e, a, a, e, f, e  
e, ed, a, e, c, a, d, e, e, c, a, a, c, -  
a, a, b, e, e, e, GWA, da, a, e, e, e, a, e, a, 'e, ca'  
d, b, (Se, , 2014). E, 'ca, a, e, e, e, d, e, e,  
e, d, b, c, a, a, c, e, e, e, e, e, e, A, e, e, a, c, -  
d, e, d, c, a, a, b, e, f(), SNP, e, e, a, e, d, e, a, e, be, f  
c, a, c, e, e, acc, d, e, e, e, e, ced, e, e, ed  
a, b, e, a, d(), a, e, e, e, d, b, e, a, e, a, be  
f, SNP, A, a, f, SNP, a, a, e, d, e, e, a, e, a, e, e,  
e, d, e, d, c, a, a, b, e, e, e, ce, a, e, a, c, a, c, d, ced,  
f, e, c, a, a, b, e, e, e, (ee, S, e, e, a, Tab, e, S2). T, c, -  
a, cc, ed, e, e, e, e, e, a, a, e, be, f, SNP,  
e, e, e.

### Protein-protein interactions

K, ed, e, a, b, a, e, e, e, c, f, c, e, a, c, a, a, a, -  
a, e, e, e, e, f, a, f, d, e, a, d, f, f, f, c, -  
He, e, e, ed, e, STRING, 10 (Se, a, c, T, f, e, Re, e, a, f,  
I, e, a, c, e, Ge, e, /P, e, e, ) da, a, b, a, e, ( // db, ,  
S, a, c, , 2015). e, e, e, e, e, a, c, b, e, e, e, e, -  
e, e, c, d, e, d, b, a, e, d, a, e, c, e, e, a, d, e, e, e, c,  
e, e, c, d, e, d, e, c, e, e, d, T, da, a, b, a, e, a, -  
de, a, c, c, a, a, e, e, a, d, e, a, f, e, - e,  
e, a, c, , c, d, d, e, c, (c, a) a, e, a, d, e, c, (f, c,  
a) a, c, a, , a, d, e, e, a, e, a, e, a, c, c, f, d, e, c,  
c, e, f, e, a, c, e, a, c, f, e, e, ce, c, d, e, -  
c, c, e, , e, e, e, e, e, e, c, e, e,  
da, a, a, d, e, e, d, e, e,  
N, e, ce, a, f, c, a, e, c, a, e, d, b, 'd, e' a, d, e,  
f, a, e, ce, f, e, a, c, e, e, e, (Ha, e, e, ,  
1999; R, e, a, d, Ga, , 2003). I, e, e, a, e, e, f, -

a e e c e a c . . . T . . . e e . . . a e d . . . e d e f . . . e e  
 . . . e e . . . a e a d f e a e a c a . . . e a a e . R e . . .  
 . . . e d . . . a . . . e . . . e e a a c a e d . . . e c e . . .  
 b . . . f a . . . e . . . a e a c a . . . , c a c c . . . e d f 2.8%  
 f . . . e a a . . . a e a c a . . . , a d . . . e d <sup>2</sup> c a . . . e = 0.028,  
 a . . . a - = 2.499, = 0.031. T e a . . . e . . . e a . . . e d . . . e a e . . .  
 e . . . a . . . e . . . ( = 0.038) a d e . . . c a . . . e . . . ( = 0.043). T  
 e f f e c . . . a a b e . . . f e a e a c a . . . N e f f e c . . . a b e e d  
 f . . . e . . . e . . . e . . .  
 T a d d e . . . e . . . e . . . f . . . e . . . e e e . . . e d a a . . .  
 . . . a c d b e e . . . a . . . e d b S N P S N P . . . e a c . . . , e c . . . d c e d  
 P C A . . . e . . . e . . . e a e d f . . . f . . . - d e , e c . . . d - d e , a d  
 . . . d - d e . . . e a c . . . f S N P . . . . . a . . . e . H e e , e  
 f . . . d . . . a . . . c . . . a . . . S N P S N P . . . e a c . . . d d . . . e  
 d e f . . . . . f . . . e . . . T e e f f e c . . . f . . . e . . . e a d . . . e  
 . . . e e e e . . . a . . . e e . . . . . e . . . S N P a a . . . ,  
 e . . . e e f f e c . . . f . . . e . . . e a d . . . e . . . e . . . e . . . e  
 S N P a a . . . e e . . . a b . . . e d . W e d d . . . f . . . d . . . a . . . e . . . e  
 . . . . . f c a . . . e e b e c a e . . . f c a . . . a f e a c c . . . . .

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e e e a d. e e e a d a e. e d d a  
d f e e c e . . . ce b . . . fa . . . a e . . . ac . . . e  
PFC-a daac c . . . T . . . e eed . . . be e ed b  
f . . . e e c a . . . de .

T e c e . . . d a e a f e . . . e ca . . . f f . . . e  
e e a c . F . . . e . . . a e . . . d . . . e . . . a . . . e  
a e e a e d . . . e . . . e e . . . a . . . e -  
a . . . (D . . . , 2009), . . . e . . . de . e e de ce  
e e c a a . . . f . . . e ce b . . . fa -  
c a caed . . . e . . . e e . . . a . . . ce . . .  
H e e . . . effe c e . . . a e a c a . . . b . . . fe-  
a e a c a . . . T e d f f e e c e c . . . e . . . e -  
e . . . c . . . ca . . . de de . . . a . . . a . . . e a e e  
MAO ac . . . a . . . ca ed . . . e - d f f e e . . . a e d fea e . . .



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