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Diagnostics of the prescriptions of death by a method of azimuthally-invariant Mueller-matrix microscopy

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INTRODUCTION

The following paper presents research materials were presented: structural-logical scheme for diagnosing the limitation of death (AD) using the method of azimuthally invariant Mueller-matrix microscopy of the layers of the vitreous body (VB); temporal dynamics of necrotic changes of Mueller-matrix images (phase Mueller-matrix invariant (MMI)) of CT layers of the deceased; size and ranges of temporal changes in the statistical moments of the 1st to 4th orders characterizing the size distribution of images of the phase MMI of the layers of the VB of the deceased; effectiveness and accuracy of determining the AD by the method azimuthally invariant Mueller-matrix mapping layers VB decease.

METHOD

1.1 Structural-logical scheme for determining the ad by methods of azimuthally invariant polarization microscopy

Fig. 1 illustrates a structural-logical scheme for determining AD 1-3 by the method of azimuthally invariant Mueller-matrix microscopy:

Vitreous layer
Azimuthally invariant Mueller-matrix microscopy
Mueller-matrix mapping
Coordinate distribution of phase MMI
The temporal dynamics of changes in the statistical moments of the 1st - 4th orders, which characterize the coordinate distributions of the MMI of the vitreous body of the deceased in the postmortem period
The accuracy of determining the AD method Muller-matrix mapping of layers VB

Figure 1. Structural-logical scheme for determining AD by the method of azimuthally invariant Mueller-matrix microscopy.

1.2 The method of azimuth-invariant Mueller-matrix mapping of the layers of the vitreous body in the diagnosis of LD

Experimental measurements of azimuthally-invariant Mueller-matrix images (phase Mueller-matrix invariant - MMI) of CT preparations of the deceased with different AD were carried out according to the method, presented in detail in a series of scientific works [1, 2, 3].

The following groups of samples were investigated [4,5,6]: AD = 1 hour- group 1 (21 samples); AD = 3 hour - group 2 (21 samples); AD = 6 hour - group 3 (18 samples); AD = 12 hour - group 4 (20 samples); AD = 18 hour - group 5 (22 samples); AD = 24 hour - group 6 (19 samples).

In Fig. 2 and fig. 3 shows maps (fragments (1)) and histograms (fragments (2), (3)) of the distributions of the magnitude of the phase MMI of polycrystalline fibrillar networks of VB layers of the dead from group 1 (AD 3 hours - Fig. 2) and group 3 (AD 12 hours - Fig. 3) [7,8,9].

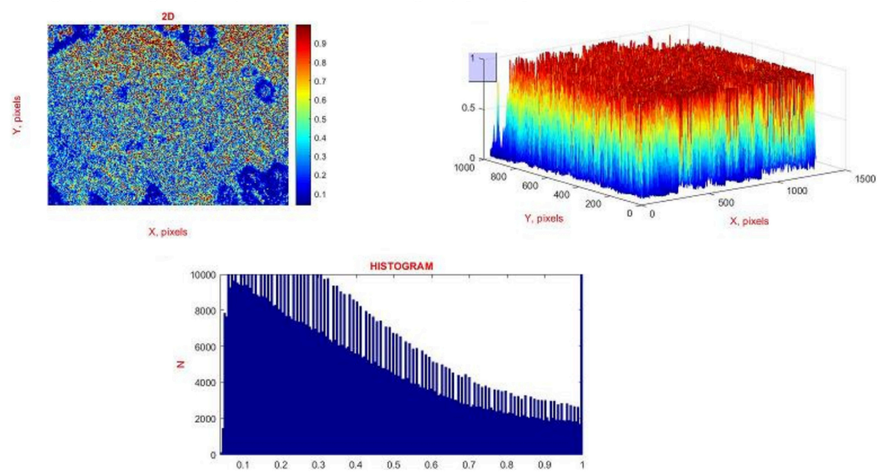

Figure 2. Maps (1) and distributions ((2), (3)) of the magnitude of the phase MMI VB layers of the deceased from AD 3 hours.

The results of the azimuthally-invariant Mueller-matrix mapping of the coordinate distributions of the magnitude of the phase MMI illustrate the presence of differences between the optical anisotropy of fibrillar collagen networks of VB layers of the deceased with different AD. It was revealed that the coordinate distributions of the magnitude of the phase MMI (Fig. 3, fragment (1)) of the sample layer VB (AD 12 hours). they are characterized by a large average magnitude and a range of scatter of random values compared to similar coordinate divisions of the phase MMI, determined by the VB of the deceased with AD 3 hours (Fig. 2, fragment (1)) [10,11,12].

Therefore, as AD increases, the level of optical anisotropy decreases due to necrotic changes [15,16,17]. In accordance with this, the depth of phase modulation of laser radiation by the optically anisotropic structures of sample VB is increased. Such a necrotic process corresponds to large random values of the phase MMI [7-13] .

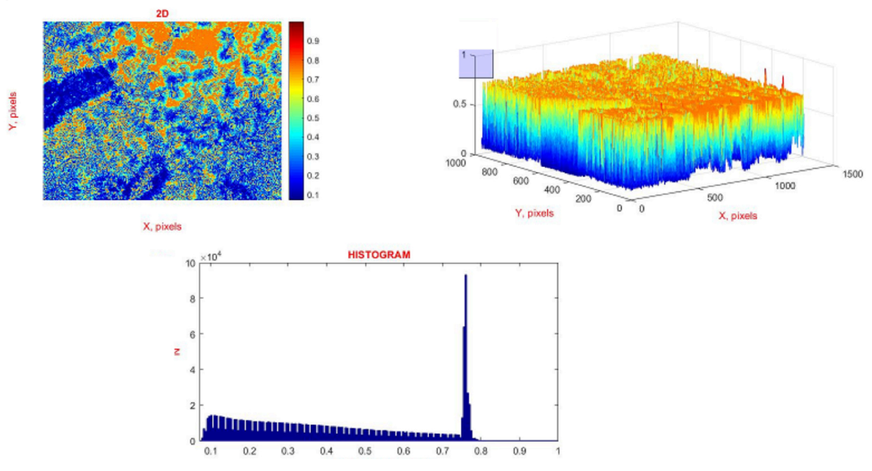

Figure 3. Maps (1) and distributions ((2), (3)) of the magnitude of the phase MMI VB layers of the deceased from AD 12 hours.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

On the contrary, the values of the statistical moments of the 3rd and 4th orders, characterizing the asymmetry and excess of the coordinate distributions of the MMI value of polycrystalline structures of the VB layers of the deceased, decrease [22,23].
Quantitatively, this scenario of changes in the phase structure of fibrillar networks of VB samples of the deceased with different AD illustrates the statistical moments of the 1st - 4th orders given in Table 1 [24, 25, 31].

Table 1. The temporal dynamics of changes in the magnitude of the statistical moments of the 1st - 4th orders (SMi=1,2,3,4), which characterize the distribution of the phase MMI.

SM_i	T=1	T=3	T=6	T=12	T=18	T=24
SM_1	0,49 ± 0,022	0,45 ± 0,019	0,41 ± 0,017	0,33 ± 0,014	0,26 ± 0,011	0,19 ± 0,008
p	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$
SM_2	0,27 ± 0,012	0,25 ± 0,011	0,22 ± 0,01	0,17 ± 0,008	0,13 ± 0,006	0,09 ± 0,004
p	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$
SM_3	0,51 ± 0,023	0,57 ± 0,025	0,62 ± 0,027	0,74 ± 0,034	0,85 ± 0,039	0,97 ± 0,044
p	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$
SM_3	0,61 ± 0,027	0,65 ± 0,029	0,72 ± 0,033	0,87 ± 0,038	1,01 ± 0,045	1,19 ± 0,052
p	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$	$p<0,05$

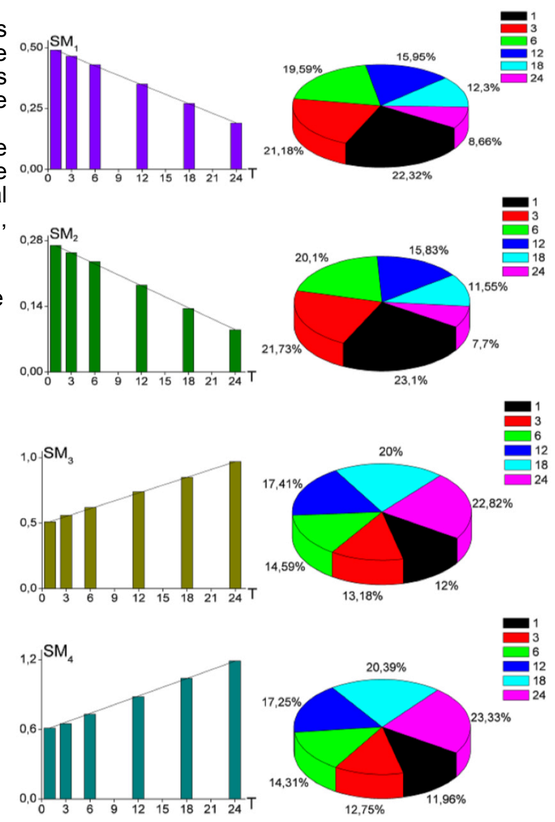

Figure 4. Temporal diagrams of changes in the magnitude of the statistical moments of the 1st - 4th orders (SMi=1,2,3,4), which characterize the distribution of the phase MMI VB layers of the deceased with different AD (T, h)..

From the data obtained (Fig. 4), it can be seen that the mean (1), dispersion (2), asymmetry (3) and excess (4) characterizing the maps of phase MMI VB layers of the deceased with different LD vary linearly within 24 hours. In this case, the most sensitive to the necrotic changes in the polycrystalline structure of such samples, as in the case of the method of azimuthally invariant polarization microscopy, were temporary changes in asymmetry and excess . Quantitatively, this is expressed in the growth of the angles of inclination of such linear dependences of the statistical moments of higher orders, - table 2.

Table 2. Information The temporal dynamics of changes in the magnitude of the statistical moments of the 1st - 4th orders (SMi=1,2,3,4), which characterize the distribution of the phase MMI.

SM_i	T=1	T=3	T=6	T=12	T=18	T=24
SM_1	55 min.	56 min.	55 min.	57 min.	60 min.	61 min.
SM_2	52 min.	53 min.	52 min.	53 min.	53 min.	52 min.
SM_3	45 min.	46 min.	48 min.	47 min.	48 min.	48 min.
SM_3	44 min.	45 min.	44 min.	45 min.	45 min.	46 min.

Analysis of the obtained data on the time dependences of the magnitude of the statistical moments of the 1st – 4th order, characterizing the distribution of the magnitude of the phase MMI in different intervals of AD, found the maximum level (grayed out) in determining the AD within 44 min. - 46 min., Which is 5 min. better for polarization microscopy techniques [11,12,13].

CONCLUSION

The research presented in the article allowed to form the following conclusions:

1. A set of maps and histograms of the distributions of random values of the phase MMI VB layers of the dead with different limitation of death occurring was investigated by the method of azimuthally invariant Muller-matrix mapping;

2. The temporal dynamics of changes in the magnitude of the statistical moments of the 1st - 4th orders, characterizing the distribution of the magnitude of the phase MMI VB layers of the dead with different AD, was studied.

3. The sensitivity range (24 hours) and accuracy (45 min.) of the Mueller-matrix mapping of VB layers in certain AD were established.

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