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### ABSTRACT

**Purpose:** *Modern electroencephalography or E.E.G analysis methods like quantitative-electroencephalography or Q.E.E.G entail capturing computerized E.E.G data and thereafter processing, transforming, and analyzing those outputs employing sophisticated computational methods. Q.E.E.G has introduced unique methods for extracting E.E.G signal features; including interconnection, circuit, as well as regularity range evaluation, and also signal intricacy assessment. Numerous therapeutic conditions, such as neuropsychological diseases, seizures, ischemia, Alzheimer, brain trauma, psychological issues, as well as more are treated with Q-E.E.G. In this paper, will be going over the available data on the real-world uses of this therapeutic technique in psychopathological cases.*

**Objective:** *The primary objective of this article is to describe electrophysiological alterations in numerous well-known and widespread mental disorders. Another goal of this research is to spot electrophysiological alterations in attention disorder, a prevalent and nowadays more prevalent social disorder. In this instance, it will be examined using both electrophysiological research and low-resolution brain electromagnetic tomography analysis. The use of Q-EEG over conventional EEG is growing in popularity right now, and that trend will continue in the future. In this regard, another goal of this paper is to provide some insight into some of the areas of research or application where Q-E.E.G. can be used to its fullest potential.*

**Design/Methodology/Approach:** *Scientific secondary clinical data from a variety of reputable and credible sources and publications, including Google Scholar, Academia, Researchgate, etc., were used to construct this research. A thorough, methodical, and scientific analysis has been performed to obtain the substance of all the scientific journal research results in order to make this article more accurate, dependable, and scientific. To make this article more engaging and trustworthy, opinions from a range of experienced specialists were gathered. In order to cover nearly all of the common and specific areas of knowledge regarding this issue, more than a hundred journal papers and conference proceedings have been methodically studied.*

**Finding/Results:** *There is no one framework or integrated technique that can handle the tremendous amount of data that the E.E.G. capture generates. Comparing laboratory data is challenging because each investigator employs their own analytical frameworks. Similar to Q-E.E.G, this massive disparity prevents the creation of a novel, cohesive and replaceable information database. Understanding all the graphs and figures generated by the newest devices may be difficult for experts other than neurophysiologists. In conclusion, determining a clinical diagnosis of intellectual disability is a challenging process that depends on a variety of data. Given this, software-assisted assessment using Q-E.E.G. offers helpful assistance for identifying, evaluating, monitoring and determining responsiveness to intervention. It is accurate, reasonably priced, as well as manageable to use.*

**Originality and Value:** *A novel effort has been made to depart some information regarding electrophysiological changes in various mental disorders. In order to make the paper clear and vivid, images of different EEG reports have been attached. The paper was built in such a way that the readers could understand this clinical topic regardless of their academic qualifications. A novel terminology, "Electropsychology," has been used to refer to the electrophysiological alterations of mental disorders on an EEG paper, which is exclusively intended to rule out the mental disorder.*

**Paper Type:** *Clinical analysis paper*

**Keywords:** Electropsychology, Electrophysiology, EEG (Electroencephalogram), QEEG (Quantitative electroencephalogram), Mental disorders

## 1. INTRODUCTION :

Computer systems were originally used for E.E.G analysis in the 1970s, although Marc Nuwer first described computerized E.E.G in 1997. Computer E.E.G offers a number of benefits, including the efficiency of selecting important aspects for accurate E.E.G recording, the ability to change the responsiveness of metrics as well as spectrum range to study just specified portions of the E.E.G signal, and far more accurate as well as a detailed explanation. Additionally, Marc Nuwer presented the idea of quantitative-E.E.G in a similar article [1]. Contemporary E.E.G assessment, or Q-E.E.G, entails capturing computerized E.E.G data and then processing, transforming, and analyzing it by applying sophisticated computational formulas. Novel methods for extracting E.E.G wave features were introduced by Q-E.E.G, including signal intricacy, wavelength spectrum analysis, connection evaluation, as well as network assessment [2]. The majority of intellectual dysfunctions have a clinical basis for their initial assessment. However, certain of these problems may also be evaluated, classified, as well as tracked using the E.E.G. This same E.E.G is a commonly used technique for assessing cortical signal transmission, including neurophysiologic alterations that take place throughout various modes of conscious awareness, including sleep and oblivion [3]. Additionally, the application of Digital-E.E.G (d-EEG) and indeed the analytical calculations used in quantitative-E.E.G have made it feasible to improve E.E.G responsiveness (Q-E.E.G). The "American Academy of Neurology" (A.A.N) defines D.E.E.G as the software-based, automated capture as well as storing of E.E.Gs, including pattern presentation on a digital panel or even another software transceiver, as well as archiving in digital files on digital devices. The A.A.N further confirms that using digitized E.E.G is a recognized alternative to capturing, evaluating, as well as archiving paper E.E.G data [4]. It is widely commended as well as represents a definite scientific breakthrough over earlier paper approaches. An epileptic seizure evaluation technique that is widely used is the E.E.G. Even though Q-E.E.G is less commonly used than E.E.G, it can quickly diagnose epileptic seizures as well as help differentiate them among various kinds [5, 6].

## 2. RELATED WORKS :

We experience worry throughout our existence. It provides benefits, such as increasing our vigilance in a variety of challenging circumstances and defending us against danger [7]. This also calls for certain adaptation measures. Sadly, persistent as well as serious anxiousness can disrupt behavior, "paralyze," and even impair day-to-day performance [8]. Workplace pressures as well as challenging conditions can cause a variety of anxiety indicators to manifest, including phobias, suicidal thoughts, PTSD, and even generalized anxiety disorder (G.A.D). Cellular and molecular biology, neurological scans, comprising CT or MRI, psychometric assessments, lab testing (e.g., examination of infections or deficits of certain chemicals), and certain other diagnostic procedures may be employed in conjunction with a comprehensive clinical interview [9]. The research places more and more emphasis on the value of E.E.G or Q-E.E.G and "neurofeedback" in the assessment as well as the management of mental illnesses [10]. In an attempt to perpetuate overall well-being and wellness through operant training, "neurofeedback," also known as "Neurotherapy," brings valuable information from neural activities. The foundation for the formulation of Q-E.E.G approaches for Brain trauma evaluation is provided by the information that can be gathered from the research on Q-E.E.G's contributions in TBI that has been done thus far [11]. The sampling distribution for the appropriateness as well as sensitiveness of Q-E.E.G in the detection as well as adaptive supervision of Concussion will be significantly expanded with more studies. Researchers hypothesized that various seizure varieties exhibit distinctive Q-E.E.G waveforms,

boosting the specificity of epileptic detection as well as characterization [12]. The intensity of disseminated neuronal damage including m-TBI may be detected as well as measured using Q-E.E.G synchronization and amplitude. Findings indicating that amplitude, as well as consistency, represent topological anomalies linked with alterations in cortical special architectural as well as axonal fibers have subsequently shown the significance of these parameters in the diagnosis of Trauma [13]. The Q-E.E.G anomalies are evident in even the most severe intellectual disabilities/impairments; a low Intelligence is correlated with a higher level of sluggish force. According to other research, coherence is a true determinant of Intelligence and has a favorable correlation with it [14]. According to the "American Association for Neuropsychiatry," Q-E.E.G can predict whether an individual will have an attention or comprehension problem by relying on repeated investigations [15].

### **3. OBJECTIVES :**

This article's main goal is to provide details on electrophysiological changes in many common and popular mental disorders. Another objective of this study is to identify electrophysiological changes in a common and nowadays increasing disorder in society, which is attentional disorder. Here, in this case, it will be analyzed based on electrophysiological studies as well as on the basis of low-resolution brain electromagnetic tomography analysis. The use of Q-E.E.G over typical EEG is nowadays increasing, and the same condition will increase in the future also. In this regard, another objective of this paper is to shed some light on some research areas or some areas where the application of Q-E.E.G can be utilized to its maximum extent. The main objectives of this paper are hence listed here for a better understanding, and they are:

- (1) To identify various EEG or Q-E.E.G brainwave alterations in numerous psychological disorders.
- (2) To briefly analyze EEG/Q-E.E.G alterations in learning disorder (LD) and attentional disorder in connection with low-resolution brain electromagnetic tomography analysis (LORETA).
- (3) To know the connection and difference between delirium and dementia.

### **4. METHODOLOGY :**

The scientific and secondary clinical data for this paper were gathered from Google Scholar, Academia, Researchgate, and other reputable websites and publications. To make this document more scientific, dependable, and accurate, a thorough, methodical, and scientific analysis was performed to extract the substance of every scientific journal research result's material. In order to make this paper more distinct and credible, opinions from a variety of skilled specialists were gathered. Over a hundred journal articles and conference proceedings have been methodically reviewed to cover nearly all of the general and specialized areas of knowledge regarding this issue.

### **5. SOME GENERAL CLINICAL APPLICATIONS OF QEEG :**

Mental Health Issues According to the "American Academy of Neurology" (A.A.N) and the "American Clinical Neurophysiology Society" (A.C.N.S), Q-E.E.G may be used in addition to customary E.E.G in the following circumstances: checking of potential epileptiform spikes or convulsions, testing of epileptic fits in sufferers at threat who are admitted to the intensive care unit (ICU), detection of severe perioperative intraventricular abnormalities, and examination of patients with wretched neurological conditions [16]. In contrast, Q-E.E.G is commonly used in exploratory experiments for the following scenarios that have no substantiation in clinical practice: post-concussion symptoms, brain trauma, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, schizophrenia, depressed mood, alcohol dependence, hearing impairment, as well as for observing the restorative reactivity to psychoactive medications [17]. Individuals who have had a brain hemorrhage often have common anomalies of cerebral flow. When Q-E.E.G was originally employed in 1983 to identify or track stroke irregularities, the much more striking finding was that the proportion was considerably elevated in the injured region. Additionally, it was discovered that all indices had a fairly greater grade of congruence in the healthy subjects. Relative strength decreased in both the injured as well as healthy hemispheres, so this profile may be used to assess post-stroke healing [18].

### **6. Q-E.E.G AND SOME CONTROVERSIES OF ITS USE IN DAY-TO-DAY CLINICAL PRACTICE:**



The regular application of Q-E.E.G is a topic of discussion right now. According to the AAN, Q.E.E.G is the statistical manipulation of D.E.E.G to draw attention to certain pattern elements, convert E.E.G into a structure or realm that clarifies pertinent content, or pair statistical findings with E.E.G data for some further examination or analysis. Regrettably, Q.E.E.G professional usage can be challenging, especially when used by unskilled technicians. Inappropriate frequency filtration, sleepiness, correlations by inappropriate control data sets, poor electrode placements, artifact contamination, as well as epoch selection can all affect the summary statistics [19]. However, Q-E.E.G can be carefully applied by a knowledgeable neurophysiologist in intellectual issues and problems to optimize the interpretation of backstory records, delayed/fast focal activity, gentle inequalities, surges, and ripples, as well as in directional follow-ups. This is true even though several more study results regarding the diagnostic utility of Q-E.E.G are still patiently waiting for validation by independent researchers [20]. E.E.G has good test-retest stability as well as indicates biological cortex functionality, where these features make Q-E.E.G intensity difference assessments both feasible as well as beneficial supplements to neuropsychological evaluation, even if most sufferers must cooperate to some extent. The distinction between Q-E.E.G as an acknowledged supplement to D-E.E.G in normal therapeutic applications and as an exploratory approach still has to be clarified [21]. In order to analyze the operational position of the biological system, the Q-E.E.G can evaluate the rise in small-frequency components of the background occurrence utilizing coherence interpretation. This allows researchers to examine biological as well as pathophysiologic correlates of situations where conscious experience is reasonable or degraded. The technique can use power spectra to correlate clusters of illnesses as well as use three-dimensional point identification techniques to pinpoint the sources of aberrant E.E.G activity. In order to enhance diagnostic assessment as well as execution, Q-E.E.G can be employed in a wide variety of contexts, including Alzheimer's, disorientation, cognitive difficulties, mood disturbances, attention deficit disorders, as well as neurodegenerative problems [22].

### **7. QEEG FOR LEARNING AND ATTENTIONAL DISORDERS IN CONNECTION WITH LOW-RESOLUTION BRAIN ELECTROMAGNETIC TOMOGRAPHY ANALYSIS (LORETA) :**

Numerous investigations have highlighted the value of utilizing spectral power as well as coherence together with Q-E.E.G to diagnose academic difficulties with a success range of 46–98%. The total coordinated neuronal activity is represented by the spectral response in neuroscience. Since IQ and cortical surface density are strongly correlated, E.E.G intensity may be a good indicator of neocortical communication computing potential [23]. The latest evidence employing "Low-Resolution Brain Electromagnetic Tomography Analysis" (LORETA) observed a poor link between coherence as well as IQ, particularly in the prefrontal cortex, and a favorable association between general intelligence or IQ as well as a rise in complete control in bands. In essence, IQ increases with the increasing magnitude or absolute potency [24].

Nevertheless, the Q-E.E.G anomalies are prominent in the more intellectual disabilities or impairments; a large level of slow energy is linked to a low IQ. According to other research, congruence is a true determinant of IQ and has a favorable correlation with it. According to the "American Association for Neuropsychology", Q-E.E.G can predict whether a person would have a concentration or learning problem by relying on repeated investigations. Additionally, Q-E.E.G may be crucial in the diagnosis and management of "attention deficit and hyperactivity disorder" (A.D-H.D). Youngsters and teens with A.D-H.D have lower potential relative to a placebo group, whereas youngsters as well as grownups with A.D-H.D exhibit greater activity in bands. Alteration in the proportion can be found in different mental disorders, therefore the findings cannot be generalized. Q-E.E.G may be utilized to monitor medication adherence as well as focus effectiveness in A.D-H.D patients together with verbal as well as intellectual testing [25].

### **8. QEEG AND CLINICALLY SIGNIFICANT DEPRESSIVE DISORDER :**

In order to understand operational interconnection mechanisms in depressed individuals, Q-E.E.G is crucial. Individuals who are depressed have anomalies in their typical E.E.G that range from 20 to 40%. Even when the waveforms are vague, Q-E.E.G could be a helpful technique for differentiating between moderate depression as well as substantial morphological and functional abnormalities. As reported by the "American Association of Neuropsychology", various investigations that evaluated the effectiveness of these indicators and identifications showed a responsiveness range of 78% to 96% as

well as a validity range of 78% to 89% [26]. The categorization of unipolar as well as bipolar varieties, as well as the differential assessment of depressive episodes and healthy people, Alzheimer's disease, hallucinations, and addiction, all call for the usage of Q-E.E.G as a supplementary resource. The prefrontal asymmetries indices or the percentage in between variance as well as the total of the hyperspectral powers in F3 and maybe even F4 are two ways to evaluate frontal alpha asymmetry (FAA), a crucial indicator of affective responses as well as emotional problems [27].

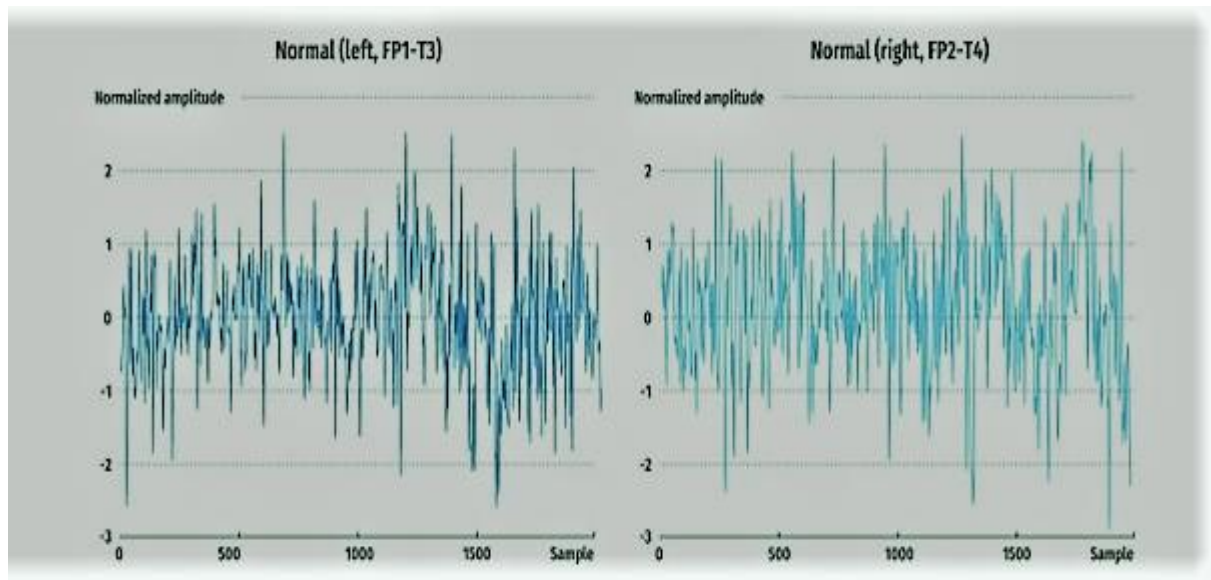


Fig. 1: Showing a normal EEG image [28].

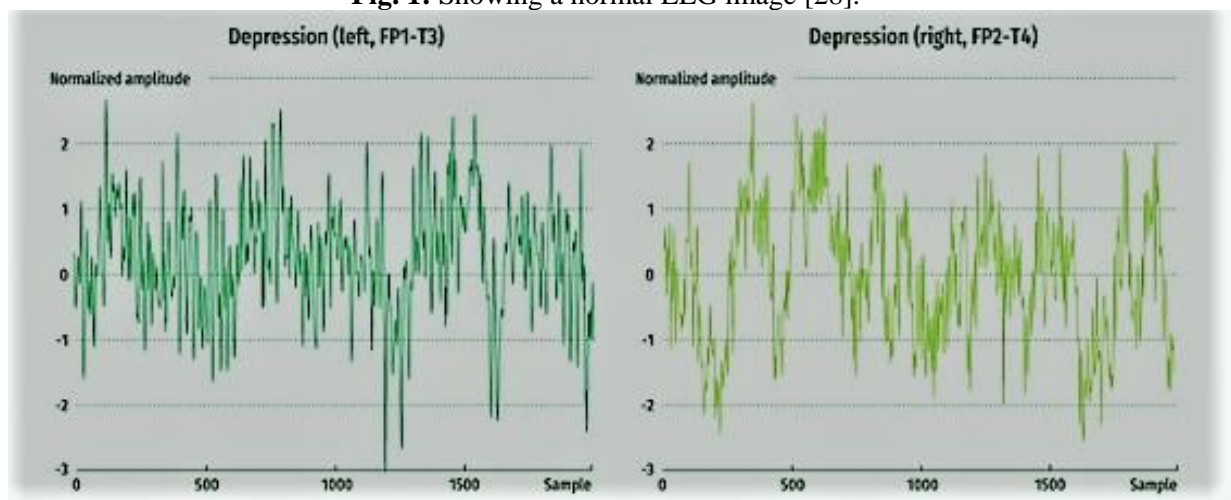


Fig. 2: Showing an EEG image of a person with depression [28].

The behavioral activation mechanism and also the FAA are significantly correlated; a decline in behavioral activation is linked to a propensity for particular varieties of depressive disorders. But on the other hand, the FAA's analytical capabilities are constrained in the case of serious depressive episodes [29]. As a result, it has been demonstrated that frontal alpha asymmetries may have predictive significance for identifying people at risk for psychopathology who exhibit dysfunctional motivational systems. Additionally, the left FAA may be linked to anhedonia whereas the right FAA is linked to anxiousness. In future research, less attention should be paid to the use of the FAA as a screening instrument and more to the FAA's involvement in the prognosis and surveillance of depressive episodes [30]. Unipolar depression, as well as bipolar depression, can be distinguished from one another using irregularities of synchronization as well as cordance. So every wavelength band's actual as well as proportional spectral intensity measurements are combined mathematically to form cordance. In numerous investigations, cordance was also linked to local cerebral blood flow as well as brain functionality.

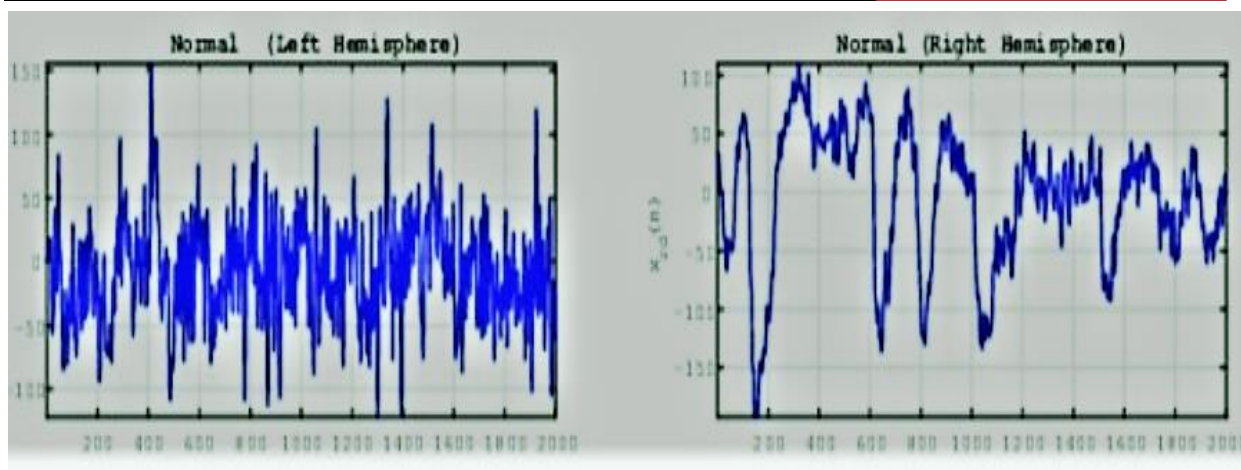


Fig. 3: Showing a normal EEG wave in the left and right hemispheres [31].

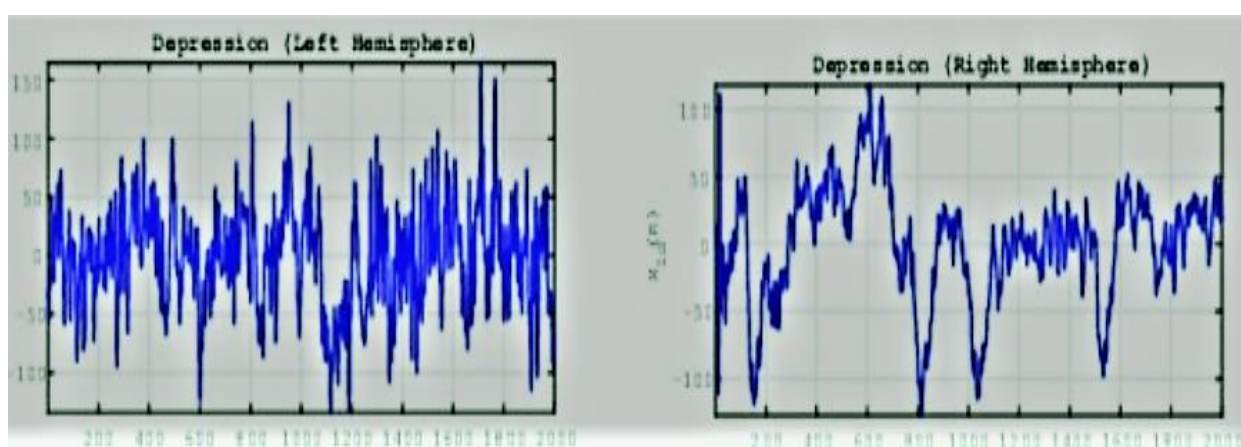


Fig. 4: Showing an EEG image of altered waves in the left and right hemispheres [31].

The technique proposed by some researchers in 1986 for TBI was often used to assess coherence in measuring depressive episodes: in the alpha and theta bands, the functional connectivity coherence "F3-F4, C3-C4, P3-P4, T7-T8", left interhemispheric consistency "F3-C3, F3-P3, F3-T5, C3-P3, C3-T5, P3-T5", "FP1-T3, FP1-T4" as well as right interhemispheric "F4-C4, F4-P4, F4-T6, C4-P4, C4-T6, P4-T6". It's important to keep in mind a comparison of scientifically meaningful Q-E.E.G outcomes between individuals mostly with depressive disorders and those with bipolar clinical depressive episodes [32].

### 9. QEEG/EEG AND ANXIETY DISORDER :

FAA has been associated with anxiety as well as clinical depression. Right frontal activation is greater in anxious individuals than in non-anxious individuals. Right-frontal activation is greater in people with panic episodes as well as social anxiety [33]. FAA and anxiousness traits highly correspond. There have also been reports of parietal-temporal asymmetries in anxious as well as depressed individuals. It is vital to do a clinical assessment that rules out the presence of certain other disorders while taking into consideration the biological techniques for assessing generalized anxiety disorder. In addition to a thorough client interview, functional genomics or neurological scans, comprising MRI scans as well as computed tomography, may be employed [34]. Mental evaluations as well as laboratory investigations, such as the detection of infections or deficits of particular chemicals, etc., may also be performed [35].

The research places more as well as more emphasis on the value of electroencephalography and biofeedback in the detection and management of anxiety and depressive disorders. to strengthen optimal brain functionality using operant training, neurofeedback, commonly known as "Neurotherapy", provides real-time information from neural functioning [36]. Approaches like Q-E.E.G as well as neurofeedback can help in monitoring the success of therapies and also the care of individuals with this kind of abnormality. It is a cheap, simple, as well as non-intrusive technique. The activities



are intended to show the sufferer what mental states are best for their healthy performance as well as what environmental elements boost cerebral performance. The use of Q-E.E.G enables the detection of changes in brain activity brought on by certain stimuli as well as the examination of the conditions under which brain patterns rebound to normalcy. The ability to measure brain alterations through all the periodic repetitions of Q-E.E.G examinations is helpful for evaluating both the success of therapies as well as alterations in the nervous system [37].

#### 10. QEEG/EEG AND DELIRIUM AND ENCEPHALITIS :

Delirium is usually seen alongside “encephalopathies”, which would be typically a sign of a significant underpinning illness. Due to the life-threatening health conditions linked to delirium's substantial comorbidity as well as fatality, the assessment of delirium is therefore essential and crucial [38]. Due to the frequent misdiagnosis or underdiagnosis of delirium, Q-E.E.G offers a great deal of promise in a number of particular populations, not only for validating the clinical assessment of an organic disease but also for differentiating delirium from Alzheimer's or dementia [39].



Fig. 5: Showing a clear image of typical delirium in an elderly person [40].

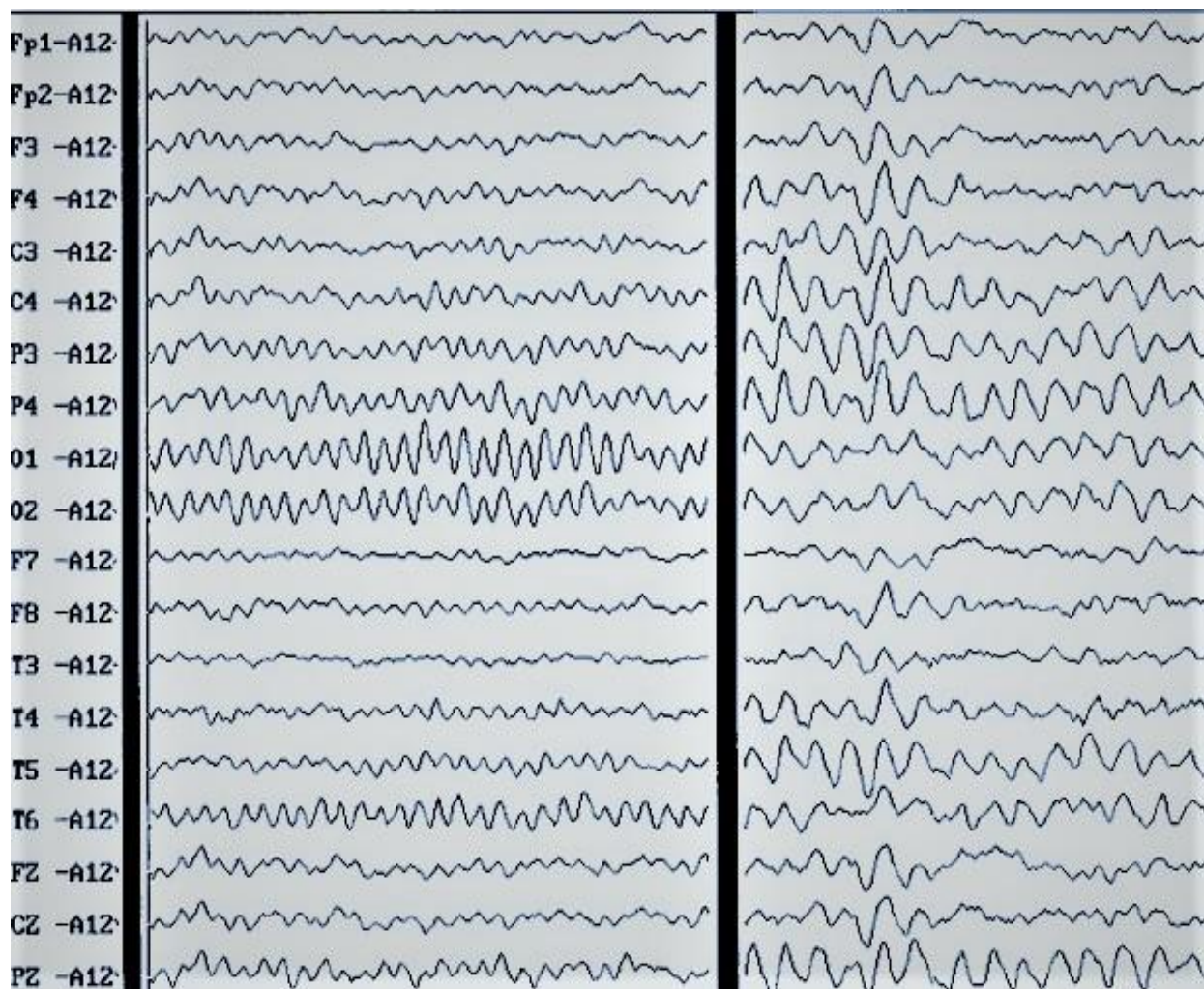
Q-E.E.G can discriminate between healthy as well as encephalopathic people based on the proportional intensity in the "alpha" spectral range. The quantities of E.E.G “theta” brainwaves, relative strength in the “delta” wavelength spectrum, as well as the percentage of occurrence in the slow waveform bands in comparison to the “alpha” bands are the factors that may most effectively separate delirious individuals from non-delirious individuals [41].

#### 11. LEARNING DISORDER (LD) AND QEEG/EEG :

In several investigations, where Q-E.E.G discriminatory reliability varied from 56 percent of the total to 95%, intellectual impairments, as well as disorders, were investigated and evaluated with the use of



Q-E.E.G. The Q-E.E.G. strength, from a neurophysiological perspective, is the total number of sequentially firing nerves. Given that the cerebral layer's size and intellectual ability are significantly connected, it stands to reason that Q-E.E.G. strength might likewise serve as a proxy for cortical signal computing capability or effectiveness [42].



**Fig. 6:** Showing an EEG at rest with eyes closed. Images were taken from two subjects. The right EEG was taken from a subject with a learning disability and the left image is from a subject without LD [43].

In contrast to this information, certain Q-E.E.G power investigations employing superficial and "LORETA" E.E.G found a favorable connection between both IQ as well as higher relative "alpha" and "beta" band amplitude and lower "delta" and "theta" channel activity. Additionally, several Q-E.E.G system research claims that IQ is closely associated with increasing intricacy as well as brain performance. As a result, specifically in the "frontal lobes", there is an inverse association between both Q-E.E.G synchronization as well as IQ [44]. Because of this, continuity of correlations between Q-E.E.G as well as intellectual performance has been found in several investigations. These investigations have revealed a substantial association between Q-E.E.G as well as cognition, proving the prospective usefulness of Q-E.E.G as well as neurocognitive functioning [45].

## 12. MOOD DISORDERS AND QEEG/EEG :

Among the most prominent as well as widespread diseases in this category are "anxiety", "panic disorders", and "obsessive-compulsive disorder". Because of the absence of "class one evidence or overwhelming class two evidence," the therapeutic value of quantified spectral investigation of the EEG/Q-E.E.G [46].

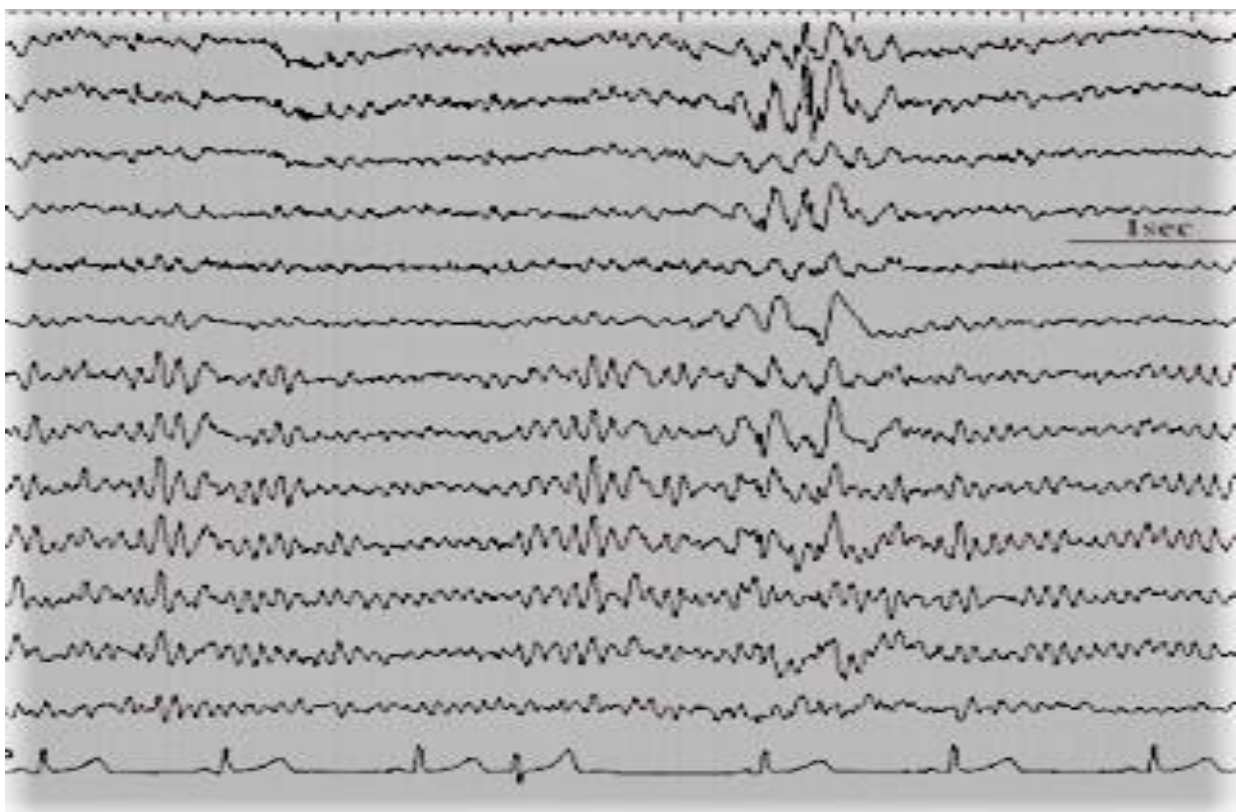


Fig. 7: Showing abnormalities of a patient with panic disorder [47].

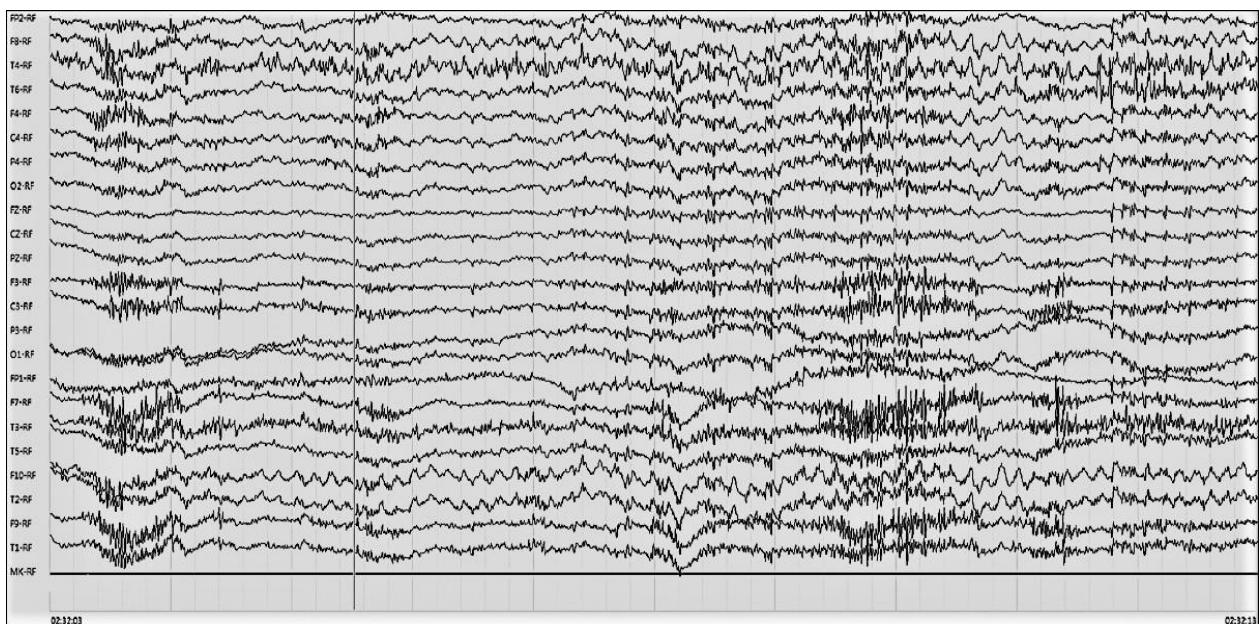


Fig. 8: Showing an example of OCD alteration on an EEG paper even after the surgery to treat OCD. It is diagnosed as the less intense manifestation of OCD compare to before the surgery [48].

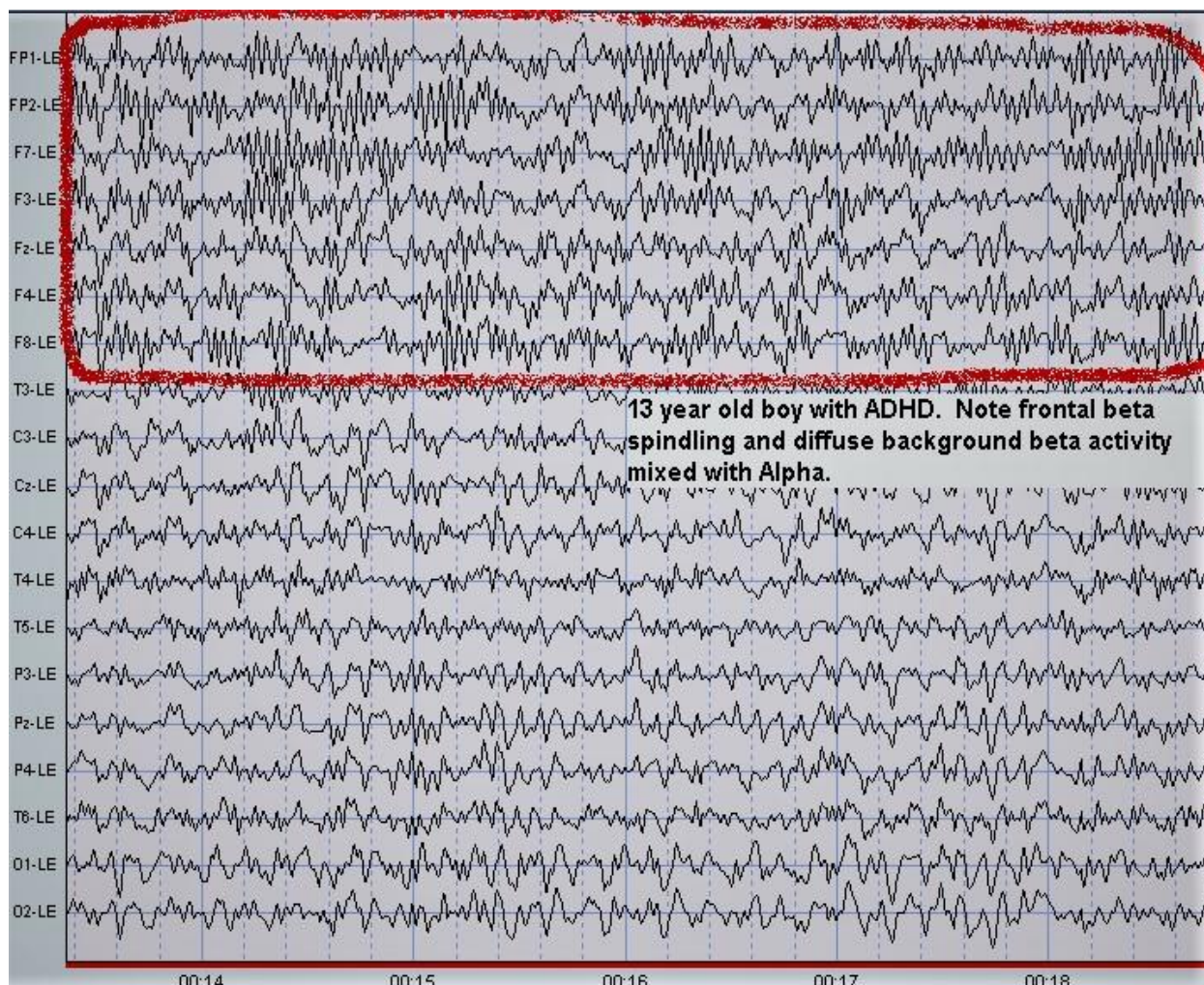
The assessment of several mental illnesses is currently debatable. Despite being general, these modifications aid in distinguishing a typical or almost typical EEG of a client with depressive episodes from a client who is equally affected but whose EEG shows significant deceleration that might indicate either operational or morphological deterioration, independent of diagnosis [49]. A client with an aberrant EEG might therefore be at a heightened hazard of operational deterioration. As a result, it could be a helpful tool for assessing melancholy. Additionally, Q-E.E.G in depression has been the subject of several papers, and a number of these investigations have been repeated at other research universities. Furthermore, considering the administration of antipsychotic medication, the absence of a standardized



methodology, and the plethora of different mental diagnostic subgroups within which a client may be placed, significant precaution must be used when generalizing data. The "ANA" advises using Q-E.E.G as an extra resource to categorize unipolar as well as bipolar sufferers, discriminate among people who are normal and sad, and separate instances of melancholy from Alzheimer's, psychosis, and addiction [50].

### 13. QEEG/EEG AND ATTENTIONAL DISORDER (AD) :

Between 5 percentage and 8 percent in terms of school-aged children suffer from "attention-deficit hyperactivity disorder" (A.D-H.D), a prevalent neurocognitive impairment of infancy. The creation of a precise neurobehavioral screening technique that can distinguish A.D.-HD from both normal developments as well as other children's mental illnesses is thus of significant importance [51].



**Fig. 9:** Showing an EEG image of a teenager with attention deficit hyperactive disorder. This image is clearly showing a frontal beta spindling and a diffused background beta activity mixed with alpha [52].

In addition, compared to their corresponding normal subjects, children, as well as adolescents with A.D.-HD, have greater delayed-wave power in "theta" and "delta", while youths with A.D-H.D appear to have lower "beta" amplitude [53].





**Fig. 10:** Showing theta and alpha waves in the prefrontal and frontal lobes of a subject with ADHD [54].

However, considering "theta/beta" alterations and augmented "theta" can be observed in different neurological as well as psychological pathologies, the generalizability of the findings is constrained. Therefore, the focus may be on including the Q-E.E.G as extra data in the overall treatment regimen. This indicates that there is a higher "theta/beta" ratio among A.D.-HD individuals, albeit not all individuals who exhibit this feature meet the criteria for A.D.-HD [55].

#### **14. DEMENTIA AND Q-E.E.G/EEG :**

Retinal Q-E.E.G analysis can be used to diagnose Alzheimer's disease (A.D). The migration of general background pitch towards the "delta" and "theta" frequencies and the reduction or disappearance of the "alpha" core rhythm is the most common Q-E.E.G result. Furthermore, these Q-E.E.G alterations often manifest in the condition's intermediate and severe phases. As a result, an antagonistic relationship was found between Q-E.E.G's intensity of minimal-frequency electrical stimulation as well as the severity of the intellectual decline [56].

The "background spectral analysis" in Q-E.E.G is another highly sensitive component that significantly supports actual clinical Alzheimer's identification. According to various investigations, the



responsiveness of the spectrum evaluation varies from 75 percent to 88 percent. It also shows good associations with cognitive examinations. The "coherence" (Coh) study is a different Q-E.E.G method that assesses the degree of autocorrelation between spectral values produced by each specific set of electrodes. Increased Coh has been used as proof that the cortical regions of the cortex are connected structurally as well as functionally. Coh research is used to better comprehend the operational connections between distinct brain regions, which might change depending on the situation [57].

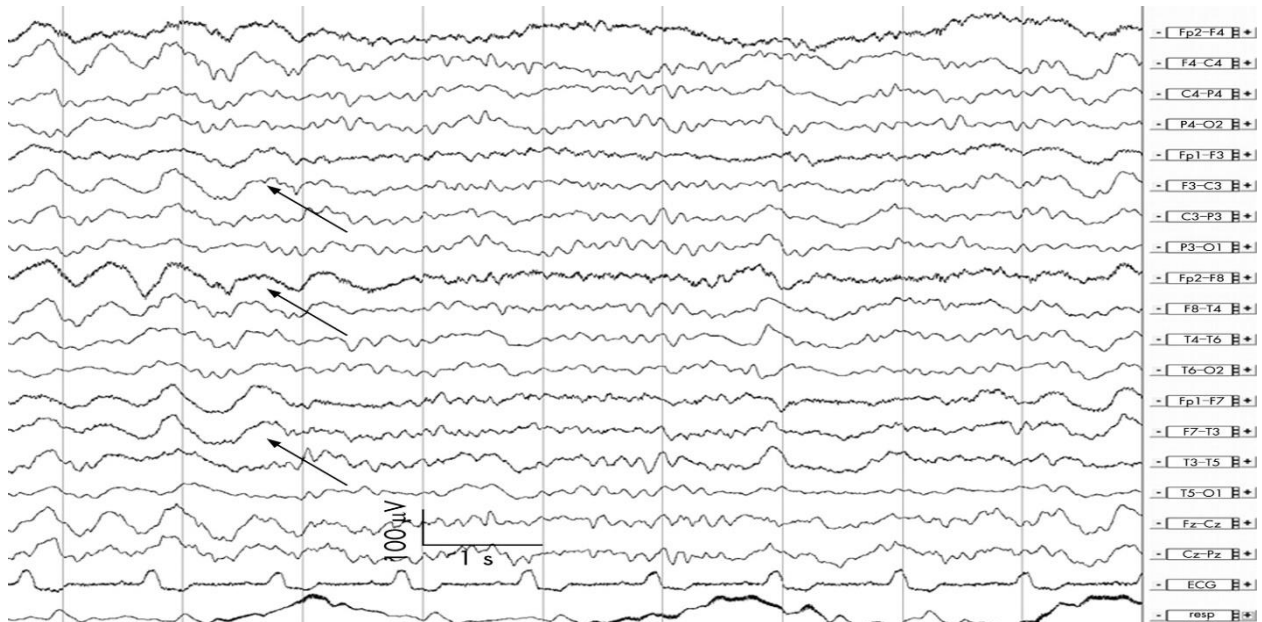


Fig. 11: Showing a typical presentation of dementia with Lewy bodies [58].

It is advised to utilize these qEEG measures in conjunction with cognitive assessments to help diagnose dementia (Type B).

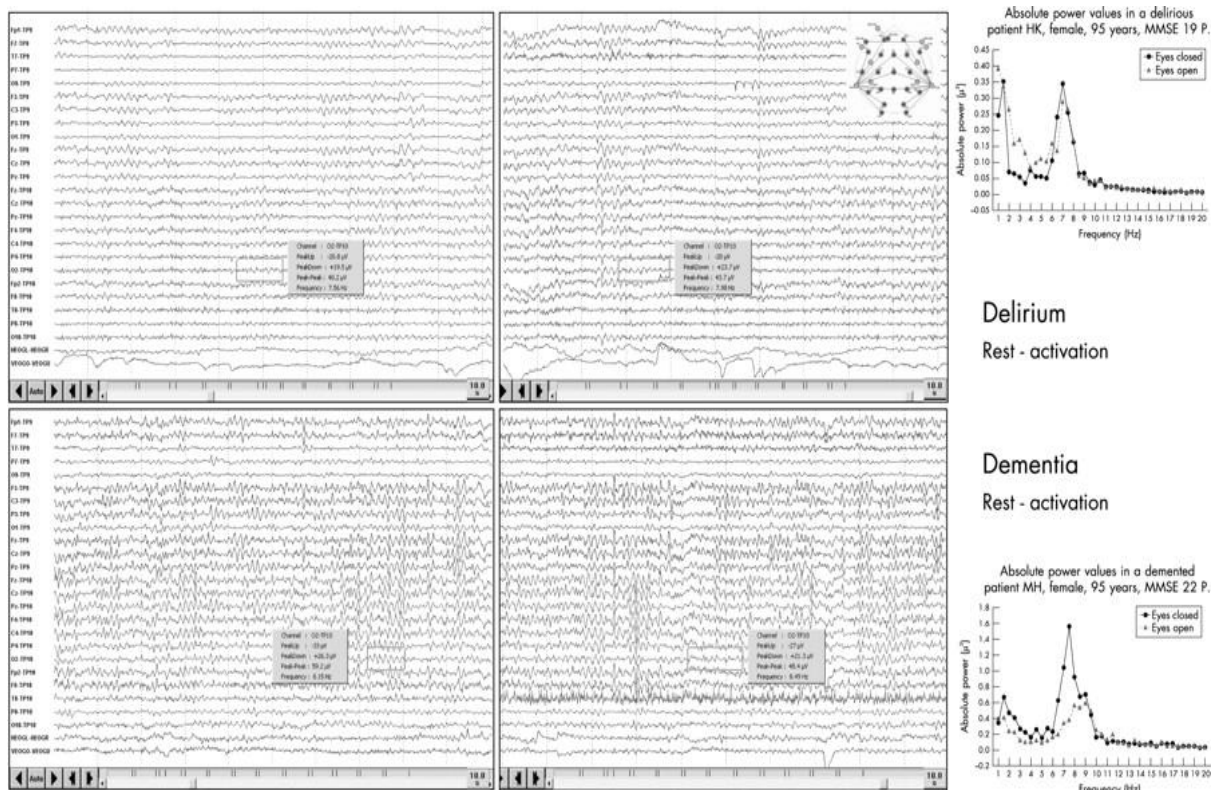


Fig. 12: Showing the vivid difference between delirium and dementia [59].

For better dementia identification, it is advised to incorporate the application of these Q-E.E.G measures as well as intellectual assessments "Type B recommendation". Similar to MRI's Category A suggestion as well as "Single Photon Emission Computed Tomography's" (S.P.E.C.T.) "Type B recommendation," Q-E.E.G can be considered as an instrument in dementia research. These approaches aren't antagonistic to one another; somewhat more, they work best together [60].

## 15. CONCLUSION :

The enormous volume of information produced when the E.E.G is captured cannot be handled by any one framework or integrated technique. Because each investigator uses their own analytical models, it is difficult to compare laboratory data. As with Q-E.E.G, this mismatch limits the development of a fresh, cohesive, as well as replaceable information database. Furthermore, the intra/inter-subject heterogeneity in electroencephalogram (EEG/Q-E.E.G) is one of the main issues. Regrettably, the E.E.G is very variable due to physiological (age, alertness, muscle density), mechanical (AC or Dc power apparatus, leads, gel properties, impedances), as well as anomalous (problems with the object itself) factors. For a character to be useful in therapeutic settings, it should preferably be consistent as well as reoccur among the same client as well as others [61]. As a result, in the field of Q-E.E.G, any novel hypothesis needs a sizable database to enable a thorough analysis. Furthermore, finding electroencephalographic commonalities between patients with comparable mental health diagnoses is not challenging. It is much more difficult, though, to choose a person arbitrarily as well as place them in a certain category. Therefore, rather than offering medical diagnoses, even this technique may be used to support a particular diagnosis's results as well as facilitate follow-up in particular circumstances. Not even to mention that it takes many years to turn into a professional in electrophysiology, an extremely specialized subject [62]. Because of this, it might be challenging for experts apart from neurophysiologists to understand all the graphs as well as figures produced by the most recent equipment. In conclusion, making a clinical assessment of intellectual impairment is a difficult procedure that relies on a variety of data. In light of this, software-assisted diagnosis utilizing Q-E.E.G provides useful help for identifying, assessing, checking up on, as well as determining responsiveness to intervention. It is precise, affordable, and relatively simple to use [63].

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