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Feature List
CSF A β 42/A β 40 Roche
Plasma %P-tau181 WashU
Plasma %P-tau205 WashU
Plasma %P-tau217 WashU
Plasma P-tau181 WashU
Plasma P-tau205 WashU
Plasma P-tau217 WashU
Plasma P-tau217 Lilly
Plasma A β 42/A β 40 WashU
CSF P-tau181 Roche
CSF P-tau217 Lilly
Plasma GFAP UGOT
Plasma NfL UGOT
Plasma NTA UGOT
Plasma P-tau231 UGOT
Age
<i>APOE</i>
Education
Sex
ADAS
Animal fluency
Cognitive status
Diagnosis status
PACC
MMSE
Symbol digit
Trail-Making

Appendix Table S2. *Description of model configurations in initial model selection.*

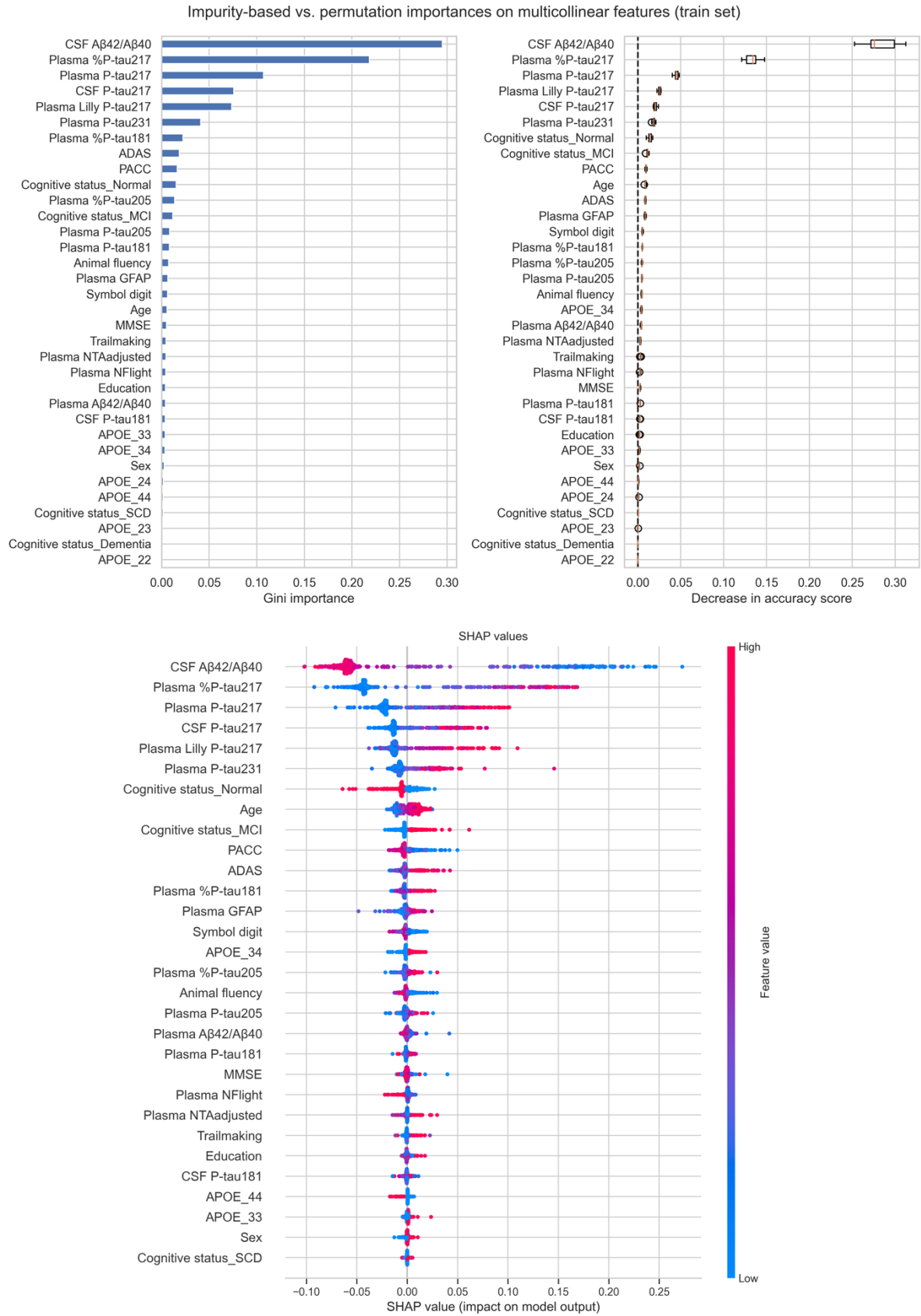
Model Structure	Hyper-parameters
ExtraTreesRegressor	max_depth=11
GradientBoostingRegressor	max_depth=2, n_estimators=50
XGBRegressor	max_depth=2, n_estimators=50, eta=0.09
BaggingRegressor	n_estimators=100
RandomForestRegressor	max_depth=5
AdaBoostRegressor	n_estimators=450
DecisionTreeRegressor	max_depth=3
Ridge	alpha=0.5
SVR	kernel='poly'
KNeighborsRegressor	n_neighbors=10

Appendix Table S3. Performance of various machine learning models trained on BF2-Initial in initial model selection. All the models listed were tuned properly and cross-validated in 5 folds.

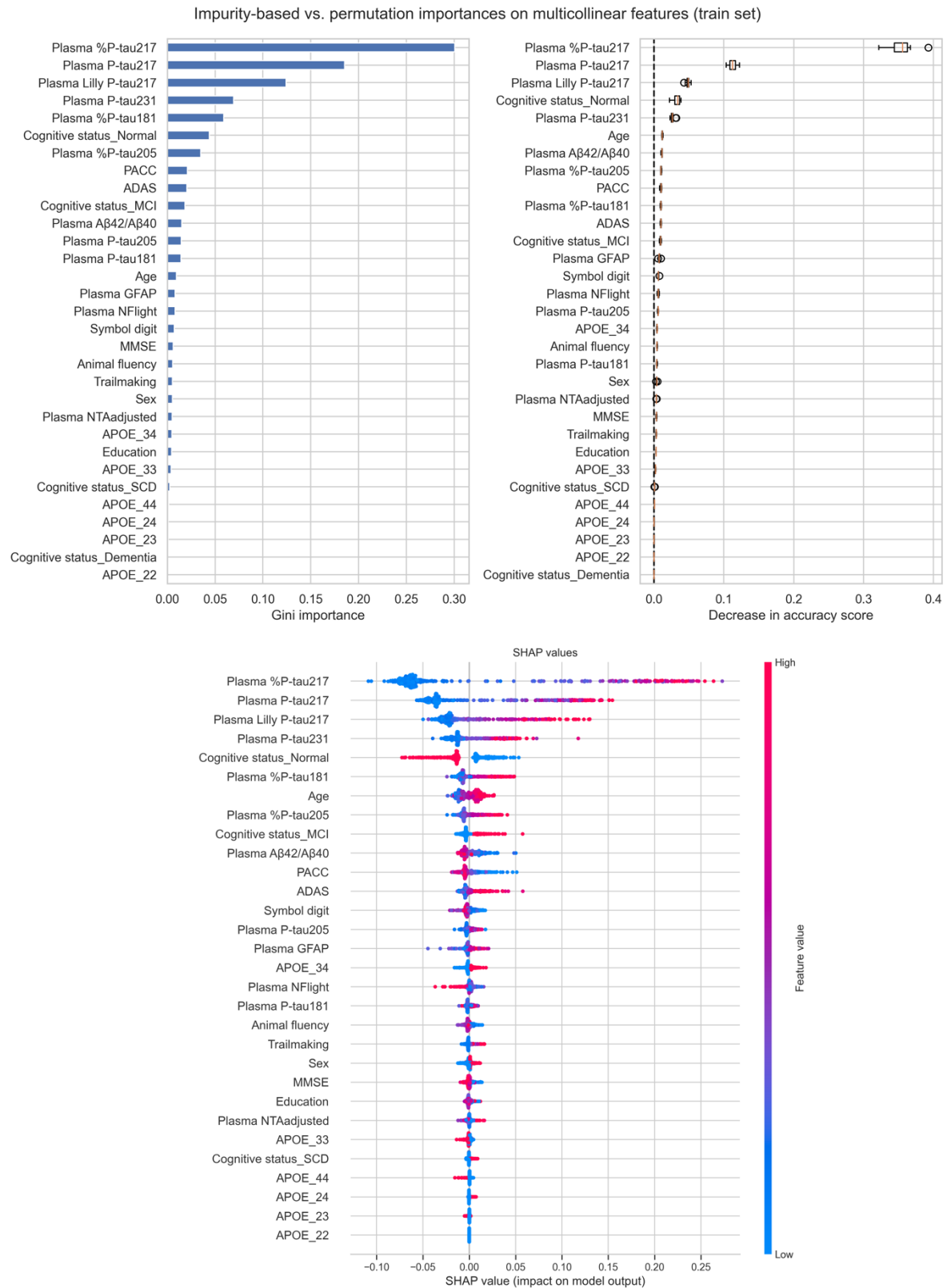
Model	Train R2	Validation R2
ExtraTreesRegressor	0.970	0.827
XGBRegressor	0.923	0.812
GradientBoostingRegressor	0.938	0.808
RandomForestRegressor	0.949	0.805
BaggingRegressor	0.974	0.804
DecisionTreeRegressor	0.880	0.776
AdaBoostRegressor	0.932	0.774
Ridge	0.764	0.695
KNeighborsRegressor	0.584	0.485
SVR	0.649	0.462

Appendix Table S4. Model selection for the regression within the $A\beta$ -positive range. Every regressor was properly tuned and cross-validated in 5 folds.

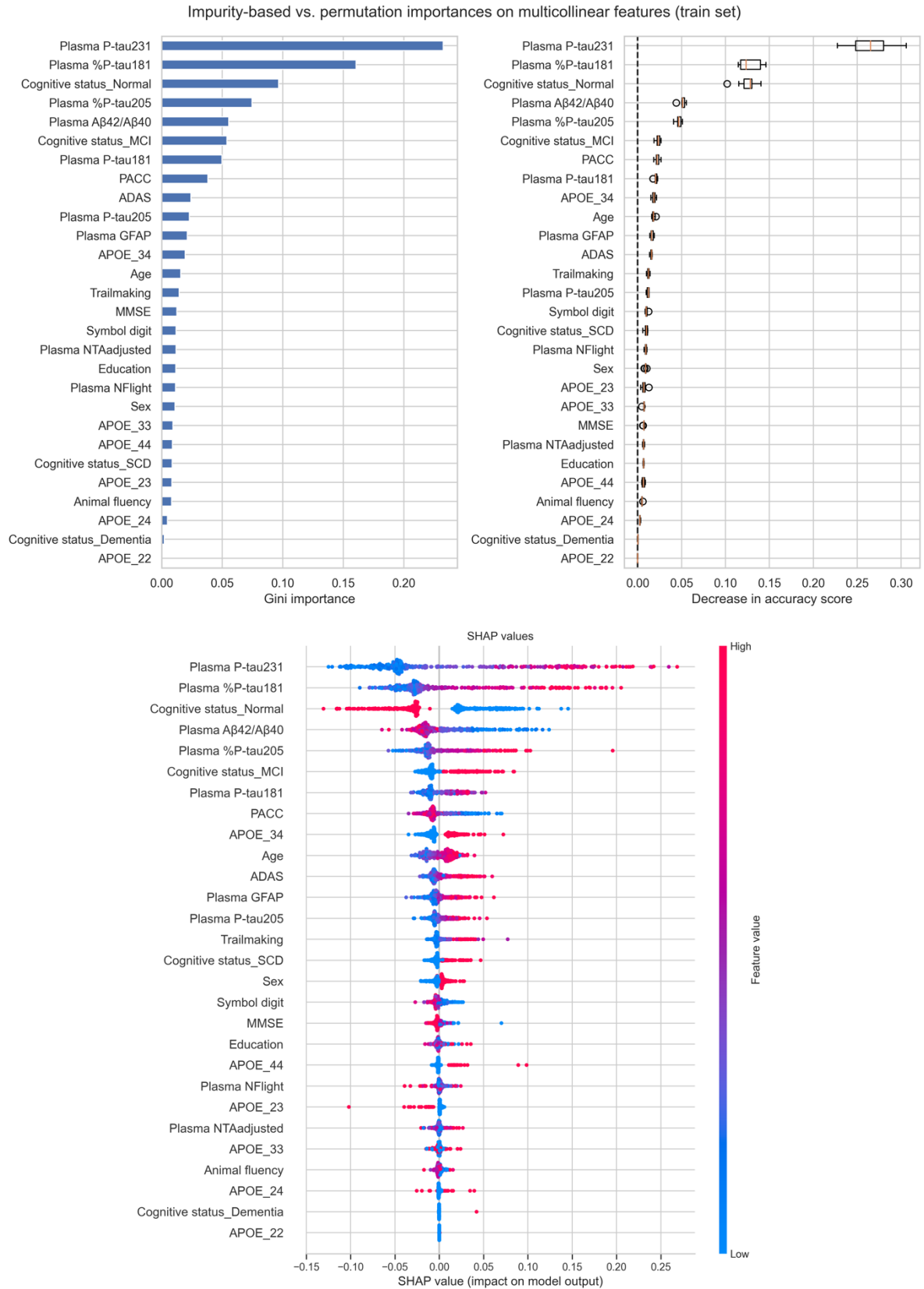
Model	Train R2	Validation R2	Train MAPE	Validation MAPE
ExtraTreesRegressor	0.638	0.362	0.081	0.110
GradientBoostingRegressor	0.617	0.352	0.085	0.111
XGBRegressor	0.590	0.352	0.088	0.112
RandomForestRegressor	0.730	0.343	0.071	0.110
BaggingRegressor	0.903	0.332	0.042	0.110
Ridge	0.348	0.302	0.116	0.119
AdaBoostRegressor	0.568	0.296	0.104	0.123
SVR	0.334	0.288	0.114	0.118
DecisionTreeRegressor	0.503	0.248	0.096	0.119
KNeighborsRegressor	0.388	0.244	0.113	0.125



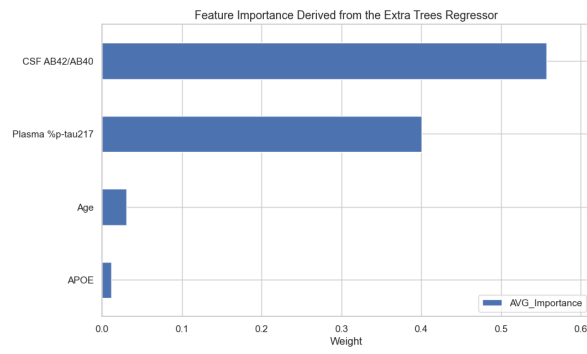
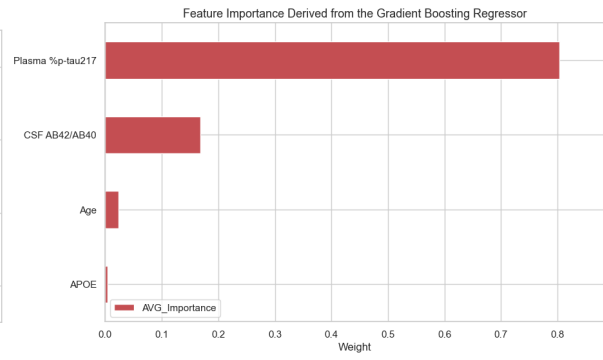
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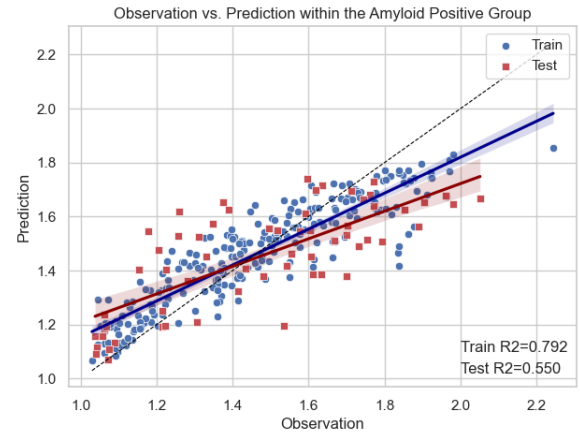
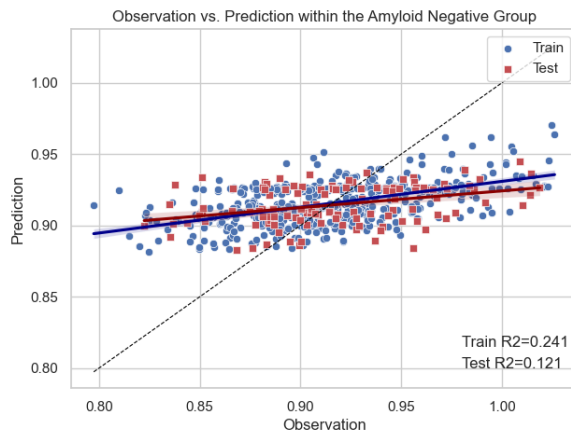
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Appendix Figure S4. The fluctuation of feature importance when analyzing two different types of regressors trained on BF2-P-MS. The Extra Trees Regressor in panel A presents CSF Aβ42/Aβ40 as the dominant predictor, while the Gradient Boosting Regressor in panel B presents plasma %P-tau217 as the most influential predictor.

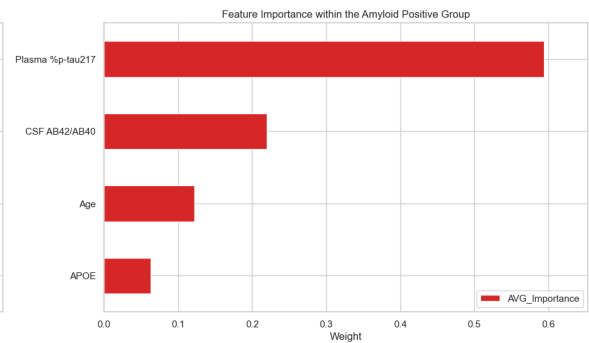
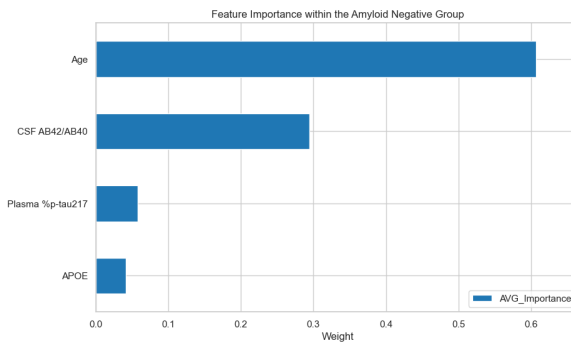
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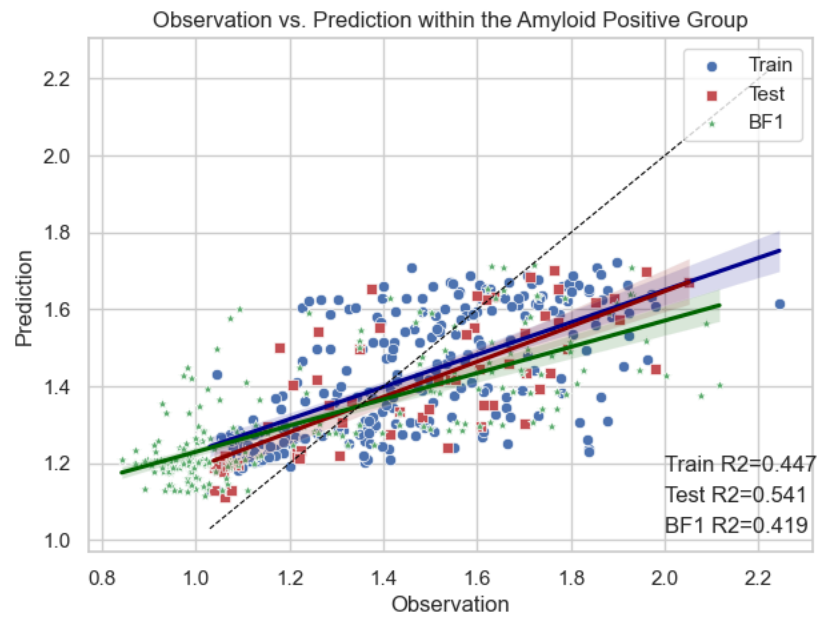


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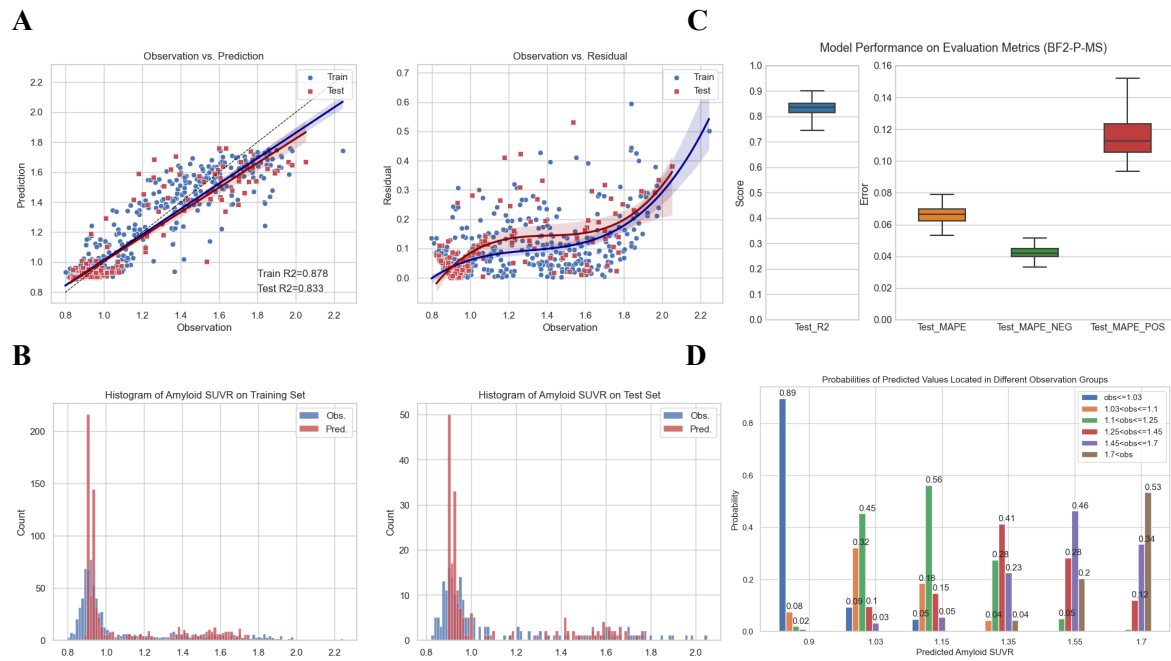
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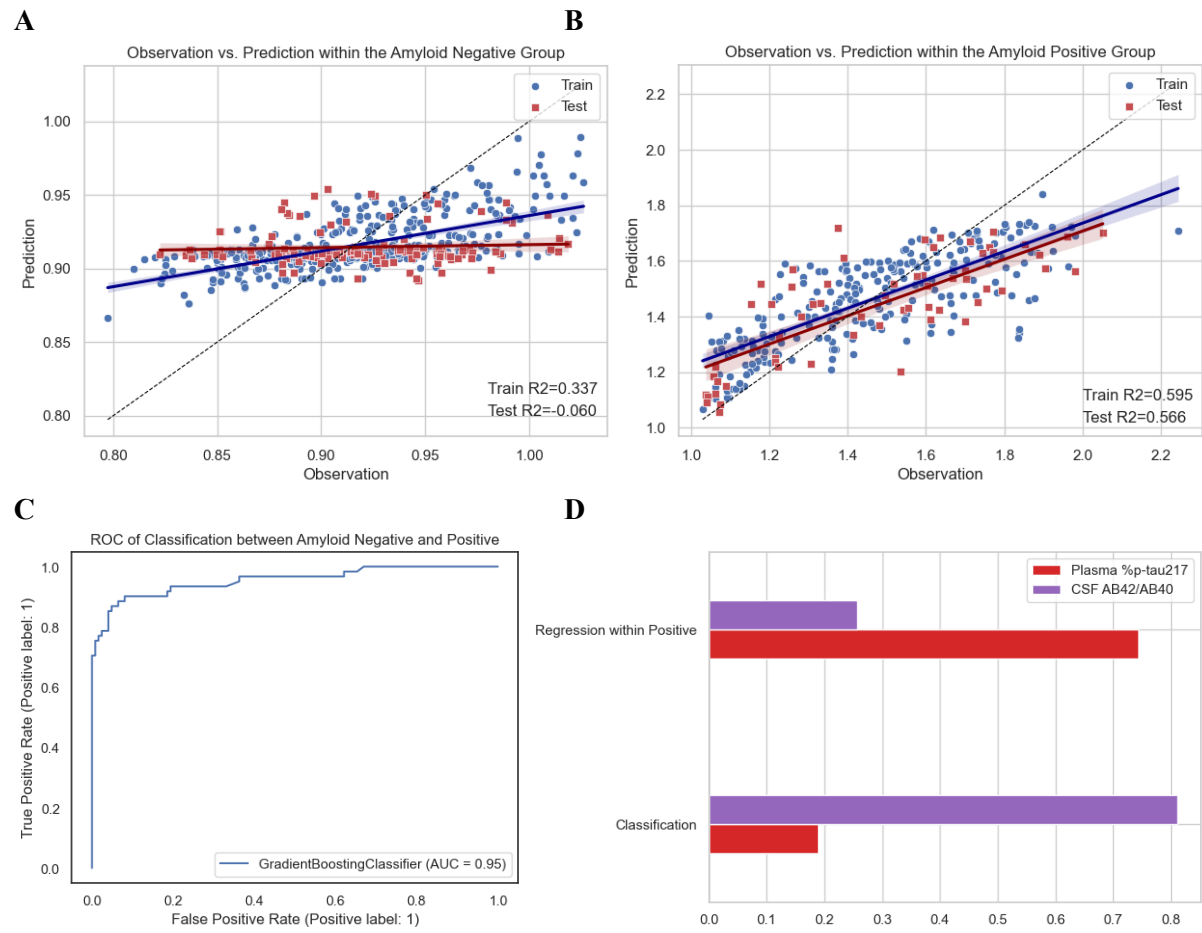
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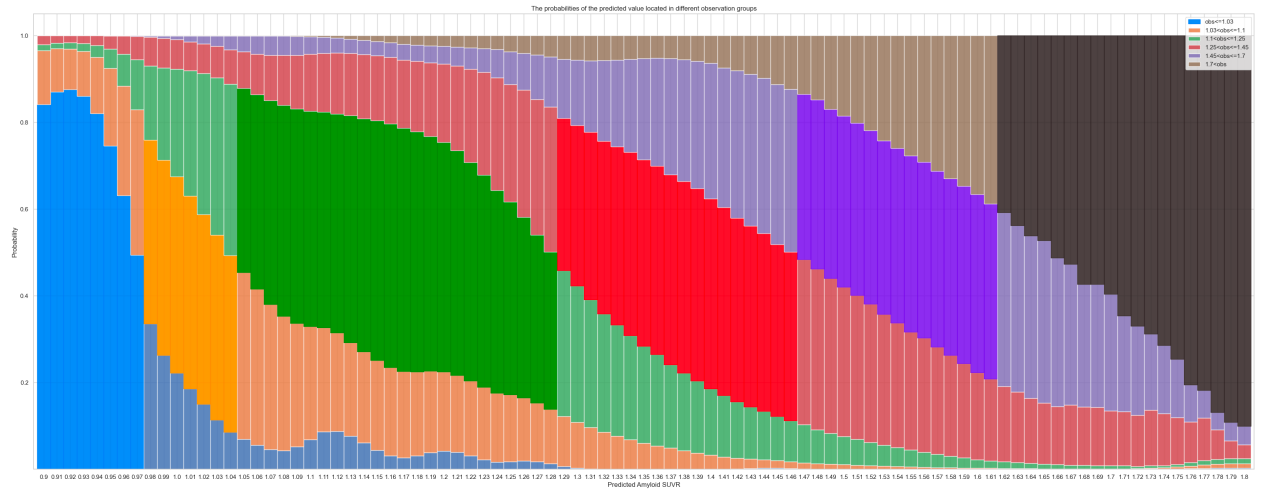
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Appendix Figure S7. Performance of the best predictive model (Gradient Boosting Regressor) trained and tested on BF2-P-MS. A) Observations versus predictions and residuals. B) Distributions of observed and predicted A β -PET SUVR on training and test set respectively. C) Results on the test set with R^2 and MAPE on the whole A β -PET range, and MAPE_NEG and MAPE_POS on the negative and positive ranges, respectively. The results were generated using a bootstrapping method where we resampled 80 samples with replacement for 100 iterations from the test set in order to evaluate the variance of the test set. D) Probabilities of the model's predictions (6 specific cutting points) falling within a number of observation groups.



Appendix Figure S8. A two-step procedure for clearer analyses of feature importance derived from the Gradient Boosting Regressor with two features ('CSF A β 42/A β 40' and 'plasma %P-tau217'). A-B) Observation vs. prediction within the A β -negative and positive group respectively. C) Receiver operating characteristic Curve for the binary classifier. D) The feature importance for both the classifier and the positive regressor.



Appendix Figure S9. The probability of a predicted value located in different observation groups. Each color represents a specific observation group. The highlighted area signifies the observation group with the highest probability at each specific predicted amyloid value. In short, the observation is most likely to be, e.g., lower or equal to 1.03 ($y \leq 1.03$) when the prediction is lower or equal to 0.97 ($\hat{y} \leq 0.97$); $1.03 < y \leq 1.1$ when $0.97 < \hat{y} \leq 1.04$; $1.1 < y \leq 1.25$ when $1.04 < \hat{y} \leq 1.28$; $1.25 < y \leq 1.45$ when $1.28 < \hat{y} \leq 1.46$; $1.45 < y \leq 1.7$ when $1.46 < \hat{y} \leq 1.61$; $1.7 < y$ when $1.61 < \hat{y} \leq 1.8$.