

AFNI Environment

- You can set a lot of “environment” variables that affect the way the AFNI GUI operates
- These are setup in a file called **.afnirc** in your HOME (~) directory
- These are described in a file called **README.environment**, which should be in your AFNI binaries directory **~/abin**

Global Dataset Directory

- You can put datasets you want to have available at all times in a “global session” directory
- Then put the name of that directory in environment variable **AFNI_GLOBAL_SESSION**
- I use this to have the MNI 2009 template always available, since that’s what I use for my nonlinear registration “base”
 - I put a copy of **MNI152_2009_template.nii.gz** into **~/afni_global** and use that directory as my global session

First Few Lines of My ~/.afnirc

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// This is a sample .afnirc file.  
// See README.setup for documentation  
***ENVIRONMENT  
AFNI_GLOBAL_SESSION = /Users/rwcox/afni_global
```