

1. Why can't I see the whole screen, some of the words are cutoff at the bottom of the screen.

Answer: Set your screen resolution to 1024 X 768

2. The program does not work in Windows 98.

Answer: The MNB is not designed to work in Win 98

3. If my computer needs some additional Dlls where can I get them?

Answer: The DLL files you will need are under the download section and are listed as "FullDLLs". Just download the zip file and run the setup program and the DLLs will be added to your computer.

4. How do you interpret the Effect Size Statistic in the RIM Model

Effect sizes can be used to estimate the expected influence of a particular disorder. For example, if the effect size of a moderate head injury is $-.60$ (Rohling, Meyers, & Millis, 2003), then we can expect that a particular patient who we are assessing would have an effect size of a similar magnitude. The range of results for such a patient can be found in Rohling et al., 2003.

You then could look at your particular patient's results to see if they fall within the expected range for their history of injury and what might be expected for residual deficits after full neurologic recovery.

You can also take effect sizes and multiple them by the SD of the test you are using and added to the expected score and get a predicted result. For example, if we have a patient whose premorbid IQ is expected to have been 100 and they have a moderate head injury, you might take $-.60 \times 15 = -9$ and add this to 100 and you get a 91. That would be the patient's predicted FSIQ score on the WAIS-III 1-year post injury.

5. What Windows DLLs are required to run the MNB?

Answer:

VBA6.dll

Msvbvm60.dll

VB6.olb

Stdole2.tlb

Msado20.tlb

Msxml3.dll

Mskomctl.ocx

mmapI32.ocx

ijl11.dll

zlib.dll

preview5.dll

preview.ocx
riched32.dll
Getsystemdetails.dll
Richtx32.ocx
Tbctl32.ocx
Tdbgs32.ocx
Comdlg32.ocx
Chartwiz.ocx

And other Windows DLL (normally already installed on your computer)

Msadol.ocx
Asyfilt.dll
Comcat.dll
Dao350.dll
Expsrv.dll
Msbind.dll
Msjet35.dll
Msjint35.dll
Msrd2x35.dll
Msrepl35.dll
Msstdfmt.dll
Msvbvm60.dll
Msvcrt40.dll
Oleaut32.dll
Olepro32.dll
Vb5db.dll
Vb6sstit.dll
Vbajet32.dll

6. In the layout file, I added “Forensic Civil” and “Forensic Criminal” to the “Type of Assessment” selection list but when I went into the program the new added items did not show up, how come?

A: Restart the program to reload the list. All lists reload when the program is started. When I added them the list they behaved properly for me. I am not sure what happened for you. If you still have problems email me your layout and I will figure it out.

7. What’s the deal with the Domain Correction box? I see it doing cool things but could use a little guidance.

A: Ah! you are observant. This is some research I am working on. It will be cool in the future. It is a correction as IQ or other estimates DO NOT predict Memory, and the other domains all the same. There are larger and smaller differences between the Premorbid Estimates and the domain scores. Soon I will have time to publish these. If you click on the check box it will show the corrected RIM with adjustments for the different predictabilities.

8. Is the Set Rehab Level on the Report page just the OTBM? If so, is it listed there for a particular reason?

A: the Set Rehb is OTBM-10 by default. This number is used to calculate rehab recommendations. (i.e. scores below this level are impaired and will trigger a rehab recommendation).

9. Why do I get a number (65 in one case) when I click the “Compute Slick et al” tab?

A: A number above 9 is indicative of something "fishy" in the motivation department. It is a numeric representation of the Slick Score. I am waiting to see what the new Slick model shows then I will make this feature more functional.

10. When I clicked “Slick>Add Your Own” nothing happened on the SVT page or the Add Your Own Tests page.

A: Nothing is supposed to happen on the SVT page. What that button does is transfer the scores from the SVT Tab to the Add your own Tab so that you can access the Slick stuff in your report generator through the Factors.txt. To see what was added look at the bottom of the Add your own window (elevator down to line 2000 and you will see lots of added stuff)

11. Could REALLY use a “Print Graph” button on the Summary page.

A: The graph can be copied with the "Copy graph" button then pasted into word for whatever to be printed.
Export Table copies the RIM table to the clipboard so you can paste it into your word processor.

You can also get a RIM Matrix by clicking the box on the Report styles in the Report tab. It will look funny in the little Report window but when put into word (Landscape Orientation) the table will look right. Sometimes (depending on your margins) you might need to "fix up the table a bit".

12. I tried the “Copy Graph” button next to the graph on the Summary page but nothing happened as far as I could tell.

A; Then paste into your favorite word processor

13. Are the data in the two boxes below the report pane useable, checkable, interpretable? Could use a manual page about this, too.

A: the little boxes show you the individual strengths and weakness and can be accessed by clicking the Strengths and Weaknesses in the Report format part of the Report Tab

14. Are ALL of the test statements in the “factors” file?

A: Most are in the Factors.txt file. Any statement that needs to be calculated is in the RIM.txt file. Between these two files are all the editable statements. Some statements

are calculated inside the program and can not be directly edited. But there are not many of these.

15. Any reason the “Compare SD” on the Report page defaults to 9 instead of 10?

A: Yes, 9 is the SD of the database as a whole

16. How do I add my own SVTs and have them calculated in the total # given and total failed?

Answer (It is a two step process.)

Step 1: add the SVT to your AYO-C, use -1 for the domain.

Step 2: Open RIM.txt file (or Rim2.txt for children)

Search for Criteria [B1.] to add the Slick Criteria [B1.] or [B2.] if it is a [B2.] criteria Test

Add your test

Name of Test, Field# (from AYO-C), low range, high range (insert your test at the end of the list but above the “[END],0,0,0”)

Save and you are done

17. What other cool stuff can I do with the SVT calculations in the RIM file.

If you want to add the SVT you have just added to the types of SVT failures then search for [Set Types of SVT]

A. You will have to decide if your new SVT is a(n)

Unrealistically Low Performance,1

Improbable Pattern,2

Inconsistent,3

Pathognomonic,4

B. Then add your new SVT to the List and assign it to a group (1-4). The program uses Exact Text Matching for the name, so the Added name must match exactly what is in the SVT name you added above (See FAQ #16).

C. Then search for “[CogvsSomantic]”

D. You will have to decide what the new SVT test failure type is

Cognitive,1

Somatic,2

Psychological,3

And again assign a type of failure (1-3), using the exact same name as added in the SVT

E. Now you have calculated the number of SVT given, the total failed, and which type of failure according to the Slick, and the type of failure (Cognitive, Somatic, or Psychological)

18. How do I access the SVT info in the Report Generator

Answer: To access the # SVTs given and Failed etc. See your AYO-C lines 1989 through 2000, and access through the factors.txt file

19. I Installed the MNB under Windows Vista, I put in the username, password and access code. But the program does not start. Why?

If you are installing in windows Vista, you have to allow the program to run as administrator. (right click on the MNB smile face and then look for –the option that lets you allow to run as administrator.

c. Under Windows Vista to use the MNB help file, you must install a patch from Microsoft see <http://support.microsoft.com/kb/917607> for discussion of this and to obtain the needed patch for Windows Vista.