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Dear Dr. Markin,

Thank you for your inquiry. We have not used the changes in the averaged evoked response as a cerebral index since 1966, and I lack the programs that you request. My work is focussed on the frequency analysis of the resting, alert EEG as it changes under the influence of psychoactive substances.

The principal laboratory working in the area you seem interested is that of Dr. E. Roy John at the New York Medical College and Dr. Sam Sutton at the New York State Psychiatric Institute. These men are involved in studies of the AEP in cases of MBD.

You may also be interested in following the work of Charles Shagass of the Eastern Pennsylvania Psychiatric Institute. He has been a pioneer in the AEP in psychiatric diagnosis and has many computer programs for such measurement.

You may wish to check the volume by Kellaway and Pedersen on the computerized EEG analysis as applied to children.

I trust these suggestions will get you started down the right road. Good luck.

Sincerely yours,

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