'Brain-training' games help you play said games, not much else

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Spend enough time playing "brain-training" games, and you'll get pretty good at games. But you won't necessarily get better at anything else.

That's the conclusion of an extensive review published in the journal *Psychological Science in the Public Interest* this week. A team of psychologists scoured the scientific literature for studies held up by brain-training proponents as evidence that the technique works – and found the research wanting.

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