

Plugin enables a user controlled creation of a 3D model based on the current segmentation data. Press *Run All* to perform all the steps described below at once.

## **Active Region**

Selects a region within the segmentation data which will be used as a source for the model creation.



## **Marching Cubes**

Marching cubes is a traditional method for creation of polygonal surfaces from a segmentation data.

**Flow reduction** – enables reduction of surface complexity in flat areas (recommended). **Eliminate near vertices** – when checked, it creates a smaller and smoother model. When unchecked, it preserves edges more.

Run Marching Cubes – creates a basic 3D model from the active segmentation region.

### **Small Areas Reduction**

This function erases all isolated pieces of geometry which are smaller than a given small area threshold.

**Small area threshold** – minimum number of triangles that a submesh has to have to be preserved.

**Reduce Small Areas** – runs the reduction.

# **Smoothing**

It performs surface smoothing of the 3D model.

**Iterations** – prescribes how many times repeat the smoothing process.

**Run Smoothing** – runs the smoothing process.

#### **Decimation**

This reduces surface complexity by eliminating surface primitives like edges and vertices until a given number of triangles remains.

**End triangles count** – desired number of triangles of the final model.

**Run Decimation** – performs the decimation (this operation might take some time).

#### Model

**Triangles count** – current number of triangles of the model.

Nodes count – current num. of vertices.

Save Model – allows you to save the model to disk in STL format.