

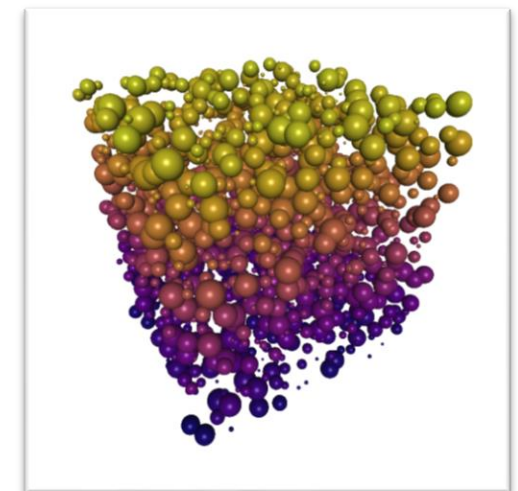
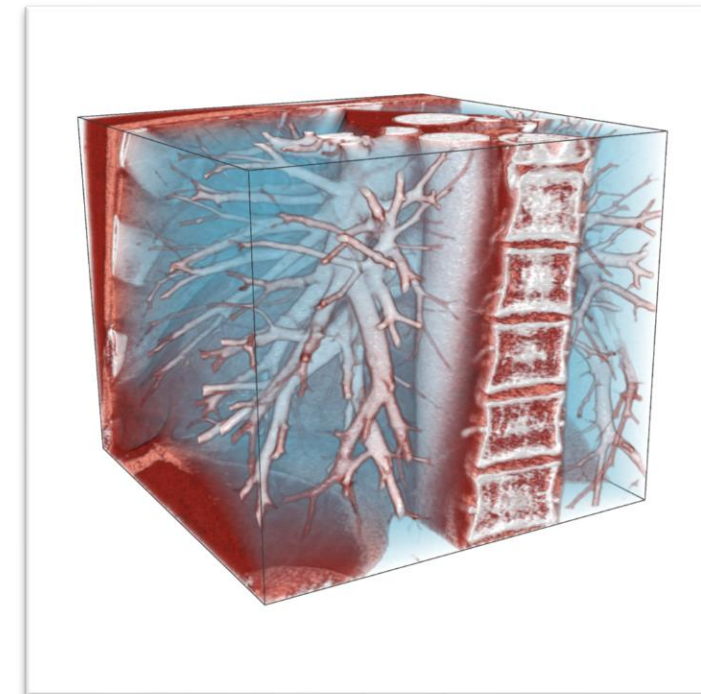


TTK Integration into Inviwo

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What is Inviwo?



Overview

- Research software
- Developed by visualization groups at
 - LiU, KTH, UULM
- Liberal license (Simplified BSD)
 - Commercial use permitted



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Inviwo — A Visualization System with Usage Abstraction Levels

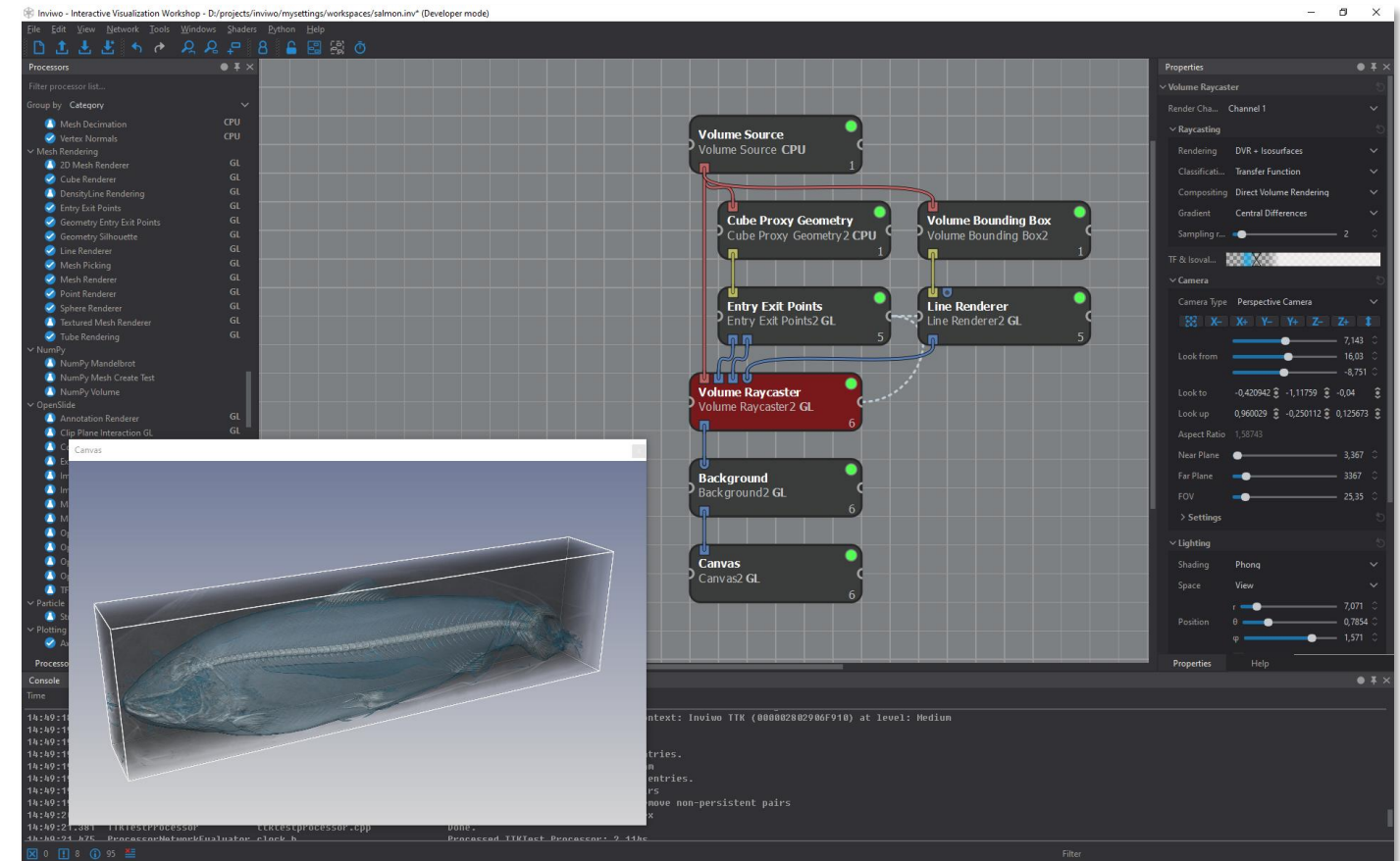
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Abstract—The complexity of today's visualization applications demands specific visualization systems tailored for the development of these applications. Frequently, such systems utilize levels of abstraction to improve the application development process, for instance by

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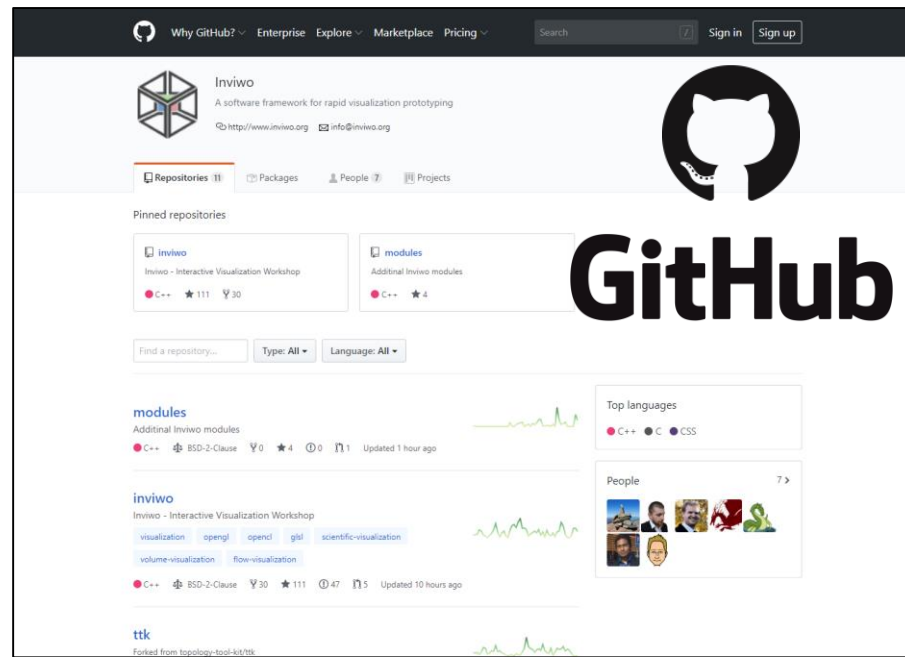
Key Features

- Framework for rapid prototyping
 - C++, Python, JavaScript/HTML
- Visualization pipeline
 - Models data flow
- Transparent data handling
 - RAM ↔ OpenGL ↔ OpenCL ↔ ...
- Linked views, Brushing & Linking
- Application building



Getting started

- Recommended way: github.com/inviwo
- Just want to try it out (binaries): inviwo.org
- TTK support available via: github.com/inviwo/modules



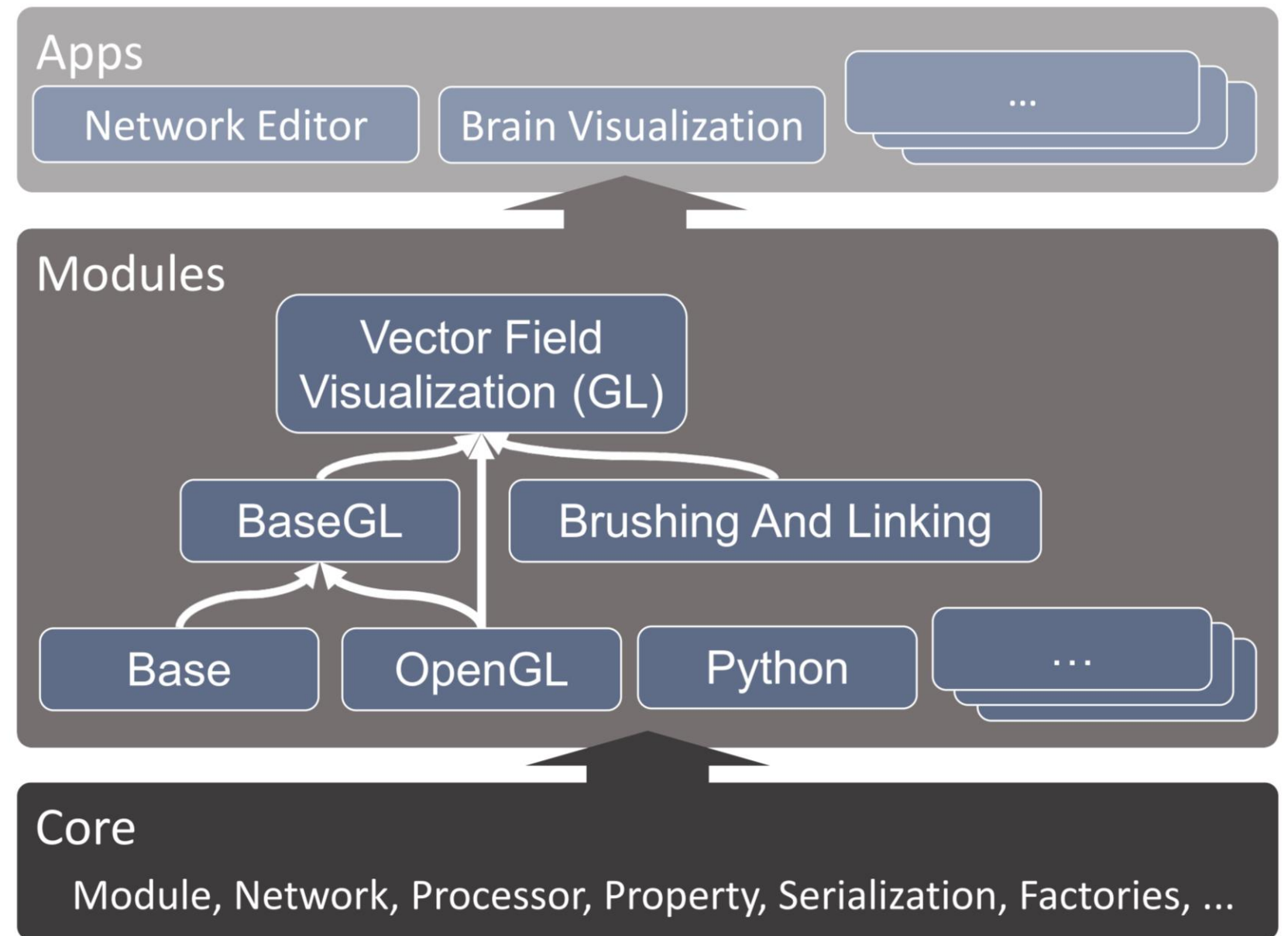
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Architecture

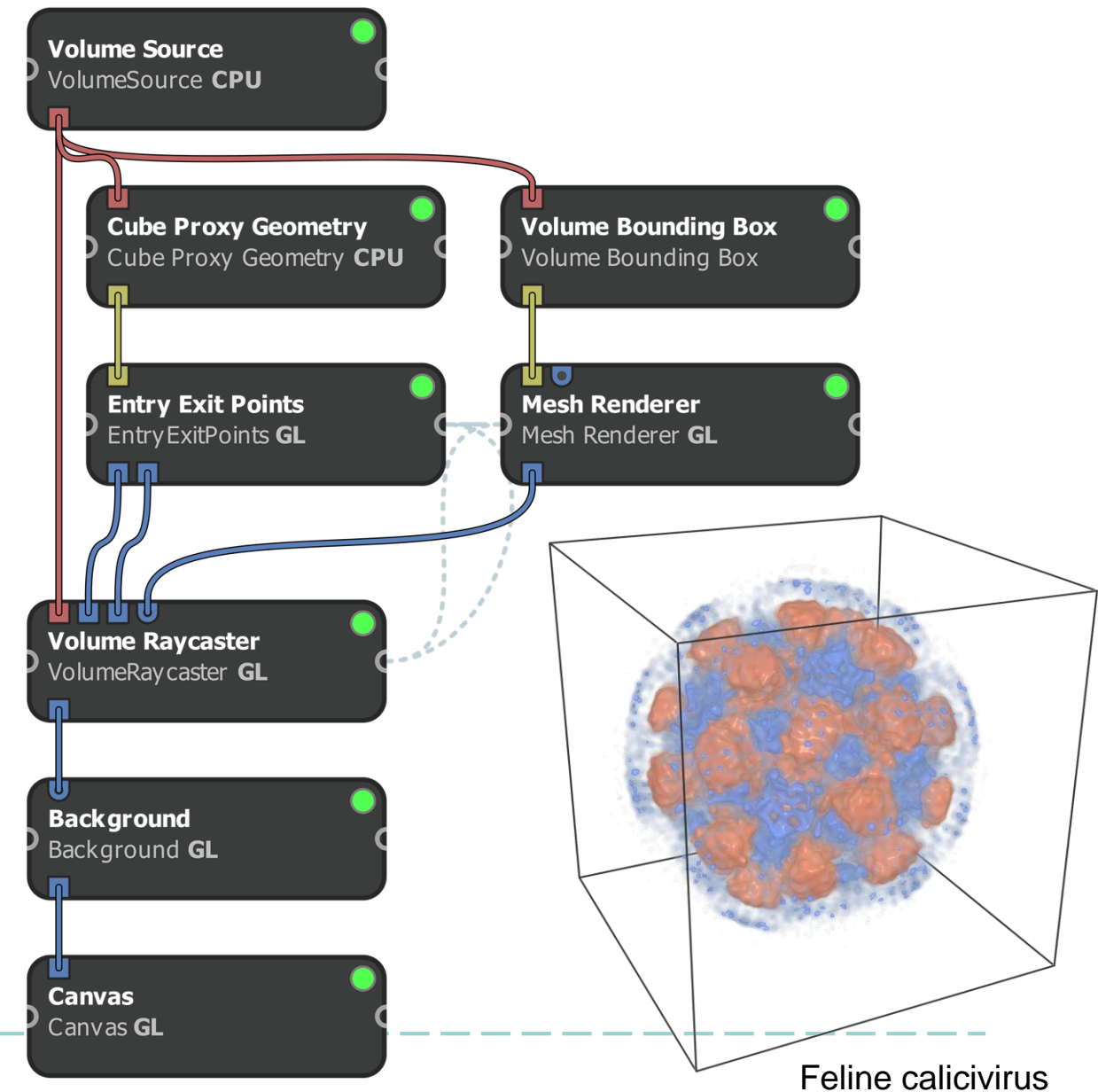
- Pure C++ Core
- Modular system (plugins)
 - Can wrap external libs
- Multiple Apps
 - Qt network editor
 - Python interface
 - ...



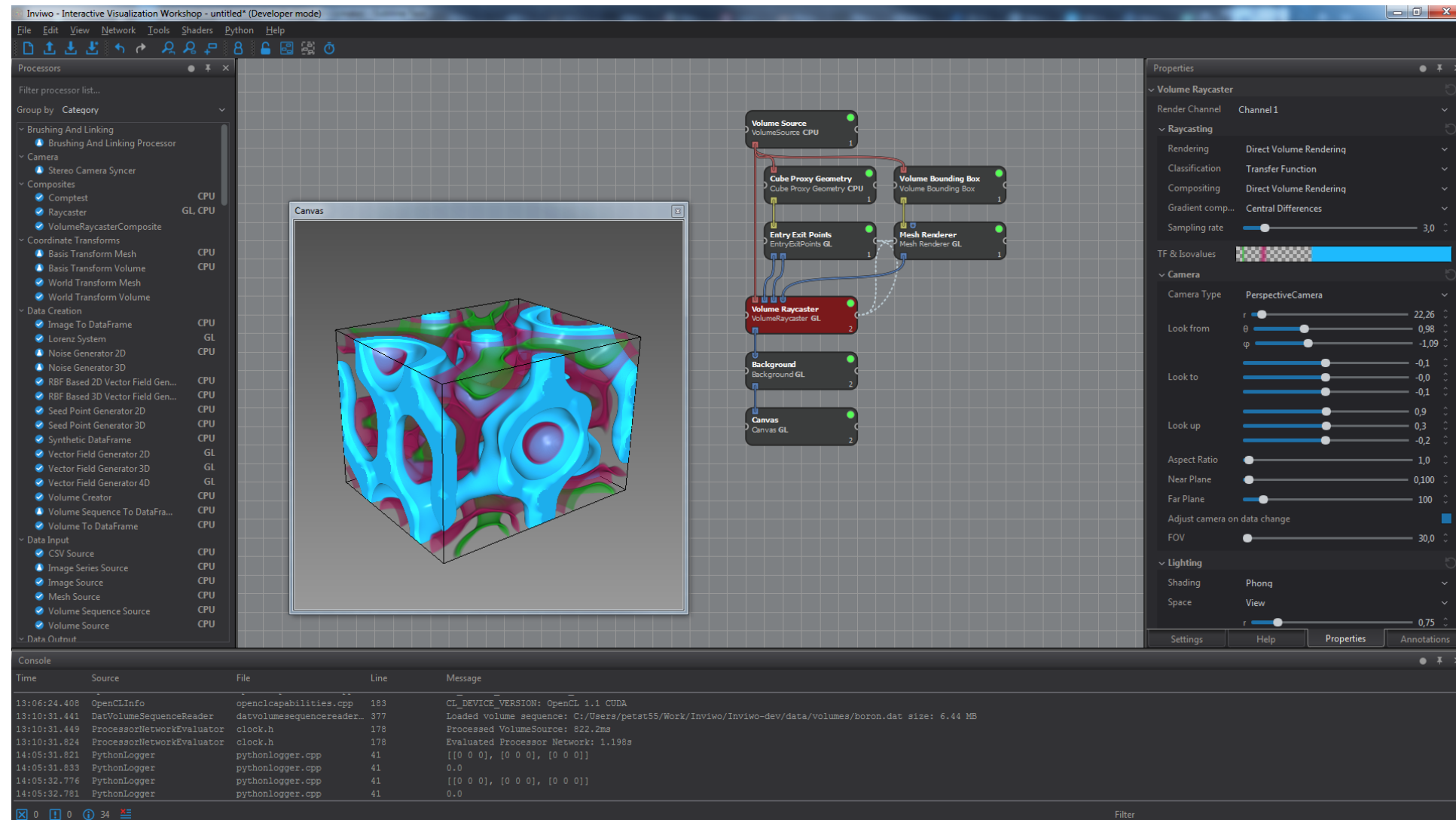
Visualization pipeline – processor network

- Models a data-flow graph
- Data enters at the top
- Result at the bottom
- “Stateless”

$$f_{p4} \left(g_{p3} \left(h_{p1}(\text{input}_1), k_{p2}(\text{input}_2) \right) \right)$$

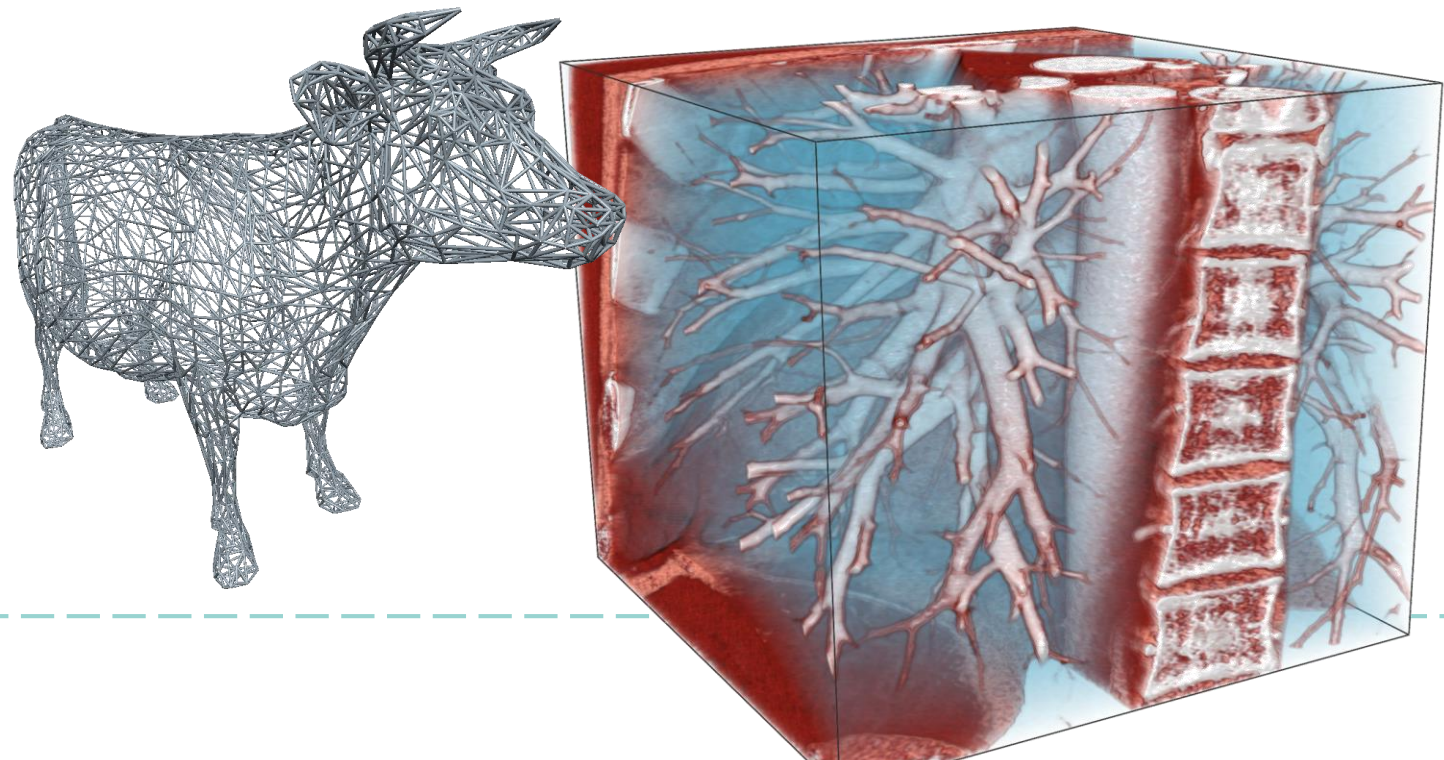
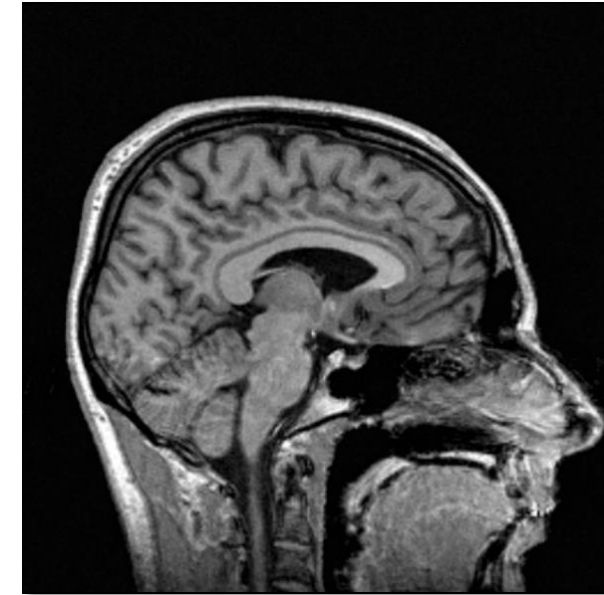


Network editor – Create/edit visualization pipelines



Supported data formats

- Imaging data
 - DICOM, H5, TIFF stack, RAW, nifty, pvm, ...
- Mesh data via Assimp
 - Collada, 3Ds, fbx, obj, ...
- Various image formats
 - Jpeg, TIFF, PNG, ...
- VTK support in progress

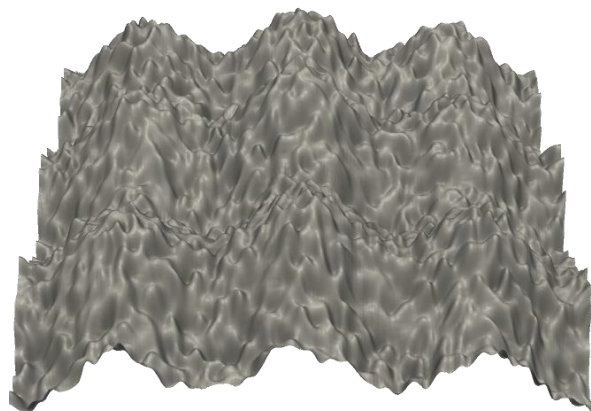




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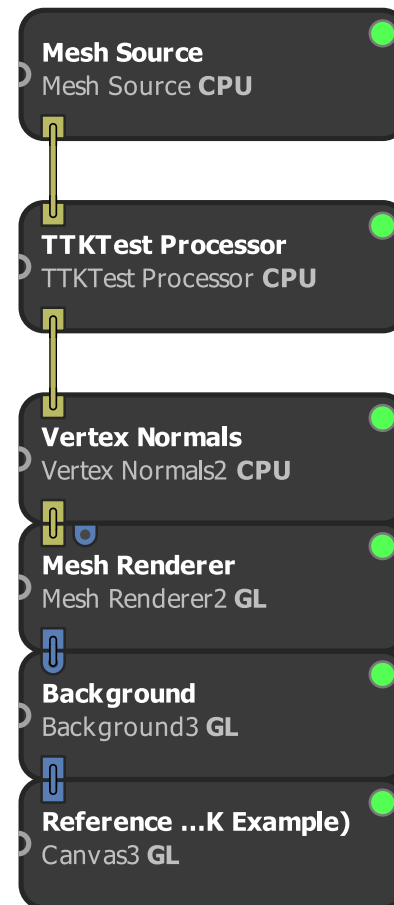
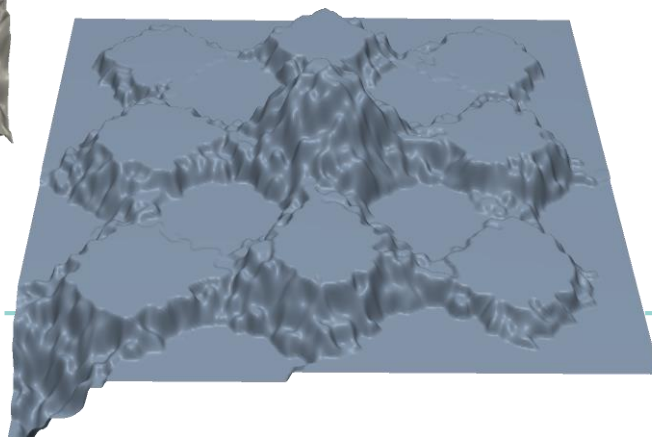
TTK C++ example

- One processor contains entire example
 - Persistence diagram
 - Simplification
 - ...



Input geometry

Output



```
void TTKTestProcessor::process() {  
    // convert input mesh to TTK triangle data  
    auto ttkData = topology::meshToTTKTriangulation(*import.  
  
    // NOW, do the TTK processing  
    LogInfo("1. computing some elevation");  
    std::vector<float> height(ttkData.getPoints().size());  
    std::vector<int> offsets(height.size());  
    // use the z-coordinate here  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < ttkData.getPoints().size(); ++i)  
        height[i] = ttkData[i].z;  
        offsets[i] = static_cast<int>(i);  
}  
  
    LogInfo("2. computing the persistence curve");  
    ttk::PersistenceCurve curve;  
    std::vector<std::pair<float, ttk::SimplexId> > outputCu  
    curve.setupTriangulation(&ttkData.getTriangulation());  
    curve.setInputScalars(height.data());  
    curve.setInputOffsets(offsets.data());  
    curve.setOutputCTPlot(&outputCurve);  
    curve.execute<float, int>();  
    LogInfo("  ttk::PersistenceCurve has " << outputCurve.s  
  
    LogInfo("3. computing the persistence diagram");  
    ttk::PersistenceDiagram diagram;  
    std::vector<std::tuple<ttk::SimplexId, ttk::CriticalType  
        float, ttk::SimplexId> > diagram  
    diagram.setupTriangulation(&ttkData.getTriangulation());  
    diagram.setInputScalars(height.data());  
    diagram.setInputOffsets(offsets.data());  
    diagram.setOutputCTDiagram(&diagramOutput);  
    diagram.execute<float, int>();  
    ...  
  
    output_.setData(topology::ttkTriangulationToMesh(ttkDa
```


Interfacing Inviwo with TTK

- Convert from/to TTK
 - Mesh, volumes, ...

```
TriangulationData meshToTTKTriangulation(const Mesh& mesh);  
std::shared_ptr<Mesh> ttkTriangulationToMesh(const TriangulationData& data,  
                                             const vec4& color = vec4(1.0f),  
                                             bool applyScalars = false, size_t component = 0);
```

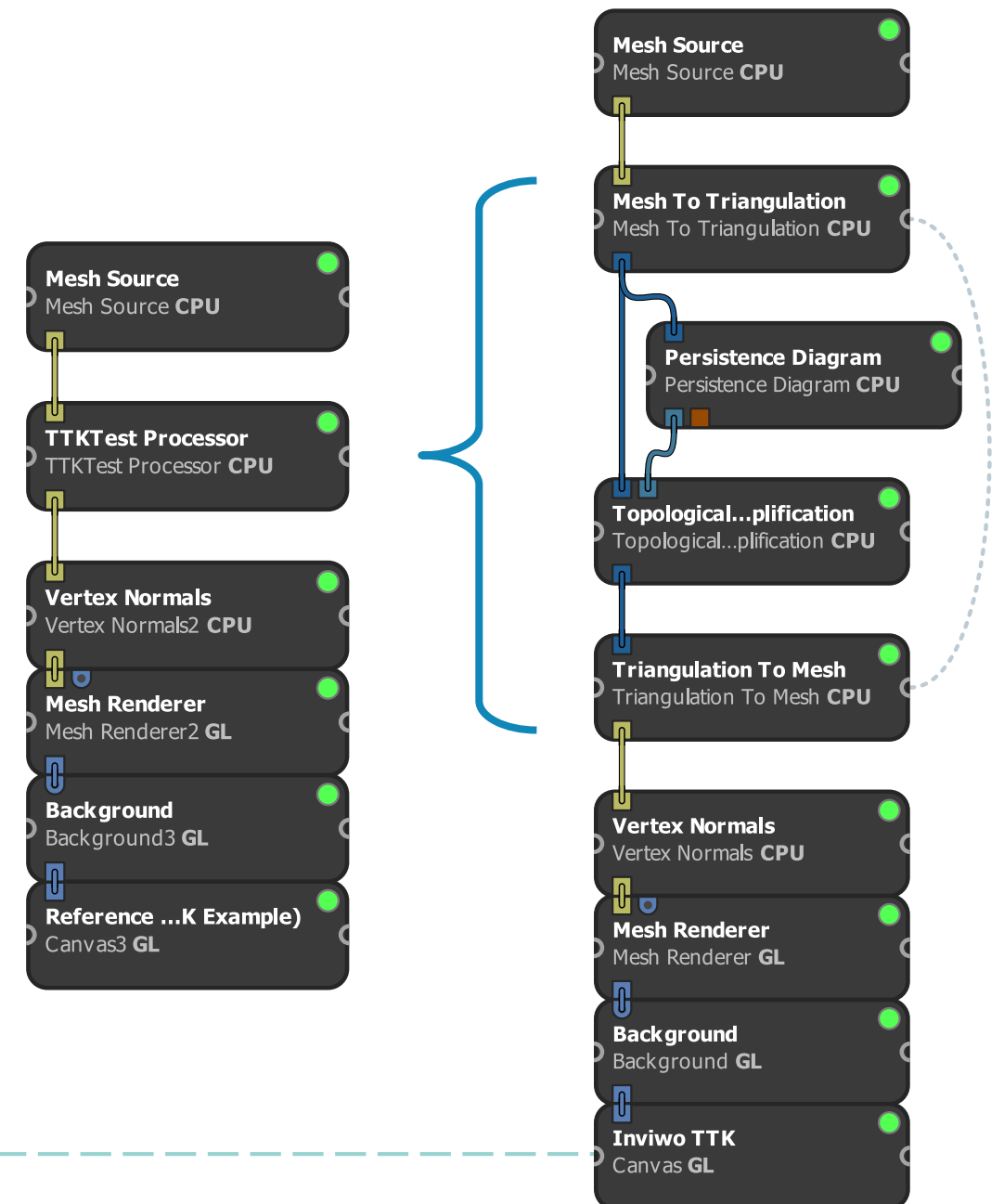
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TriangulationData volumeToTTKTriangulation(const Volume& volume, size_t channel);  
std::shared_ptr<Volume> ttkTriangulationToVolume(const TriangulationData& data);
```

- Encapsulate TTK data for subsequent processors

```
class IVW_MODULE_TOPOLOGYTOOLKIT_API TriangulationData : public SpatialEntity<3> {  
public:  
    TriangulationData(const size3_t& dims, const vec3& origin, const vec3& extent, ...);  
    TriangulationData(std::vector<vec3> points, ...);  
  
private:  
    ttk::Triangulation triangulation_;  
};
```

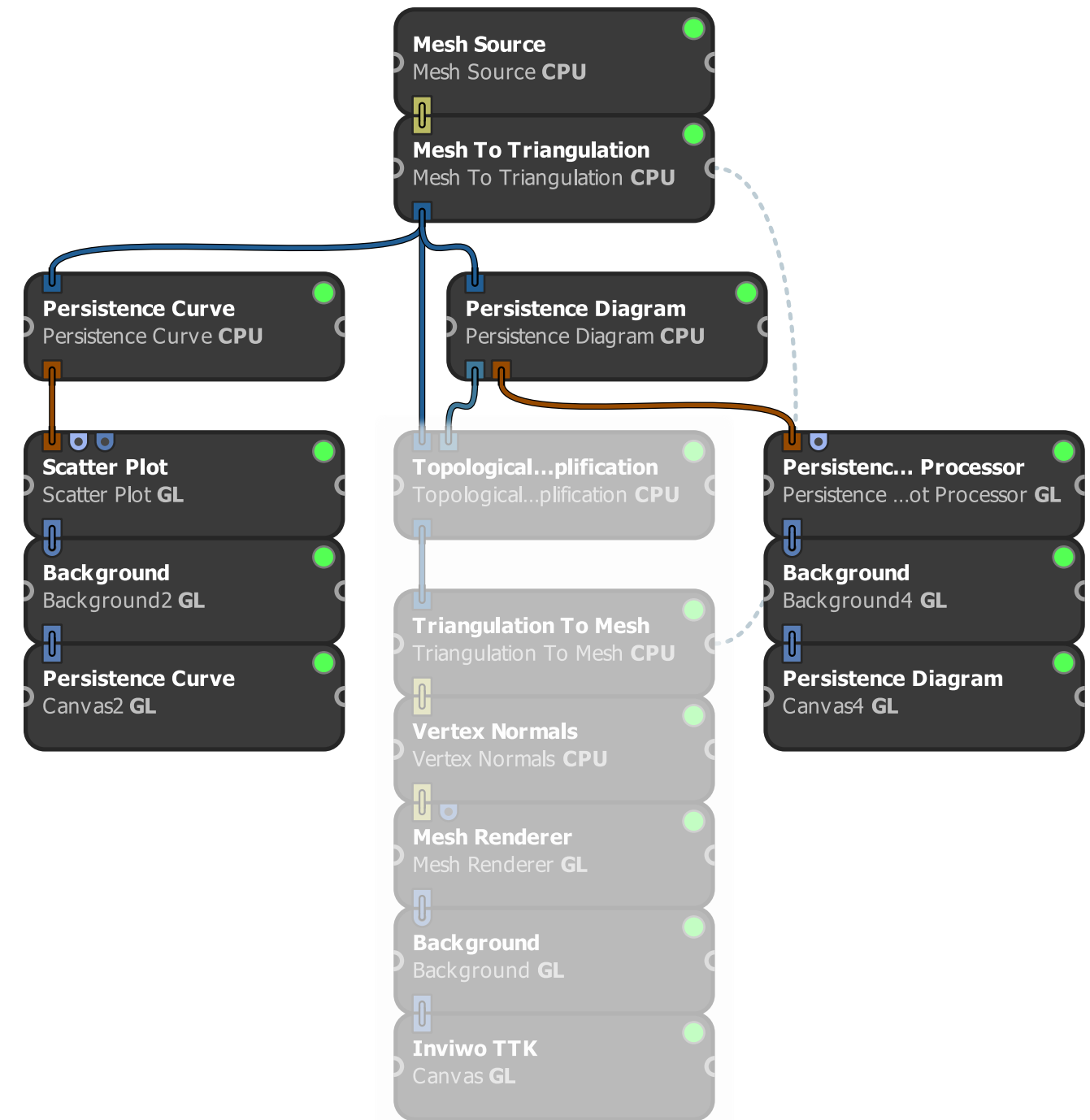
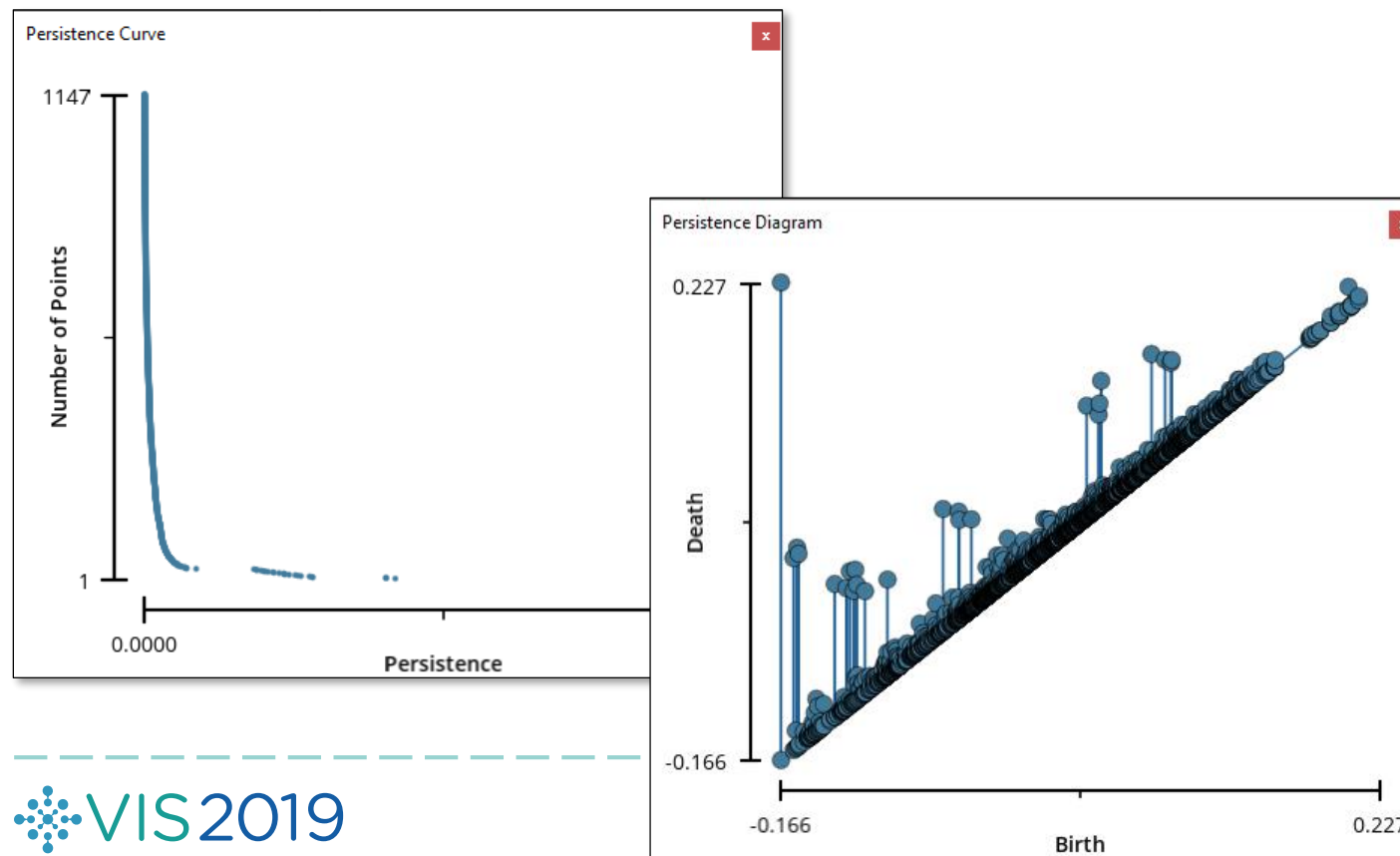
Interfacing Inviwo with TTK

- Separating functionality into processors
 - Topological simplification
 - Persistence diagram and curve
 - Contour tree
 - Morse-Smale complex
- Inviwo/TTK interface
 - Volume/Mesh To Triangulation
 - Triangulation To Volume/Mesh
 - Morse-Smale To Mesh
 - ...



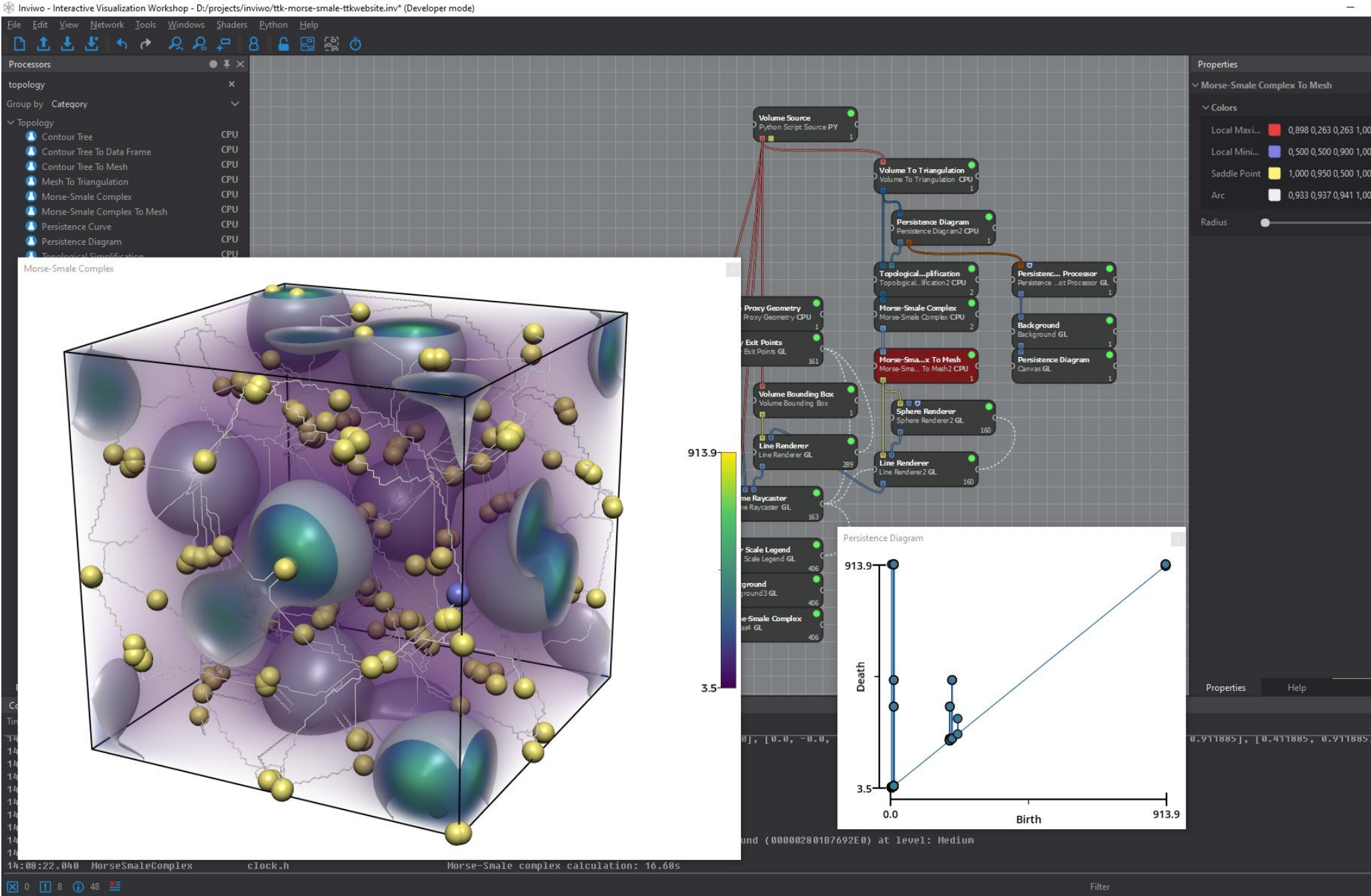
Plotting

- Conversion to DataFrame
 - Persistence diagram
 - Persistence curve



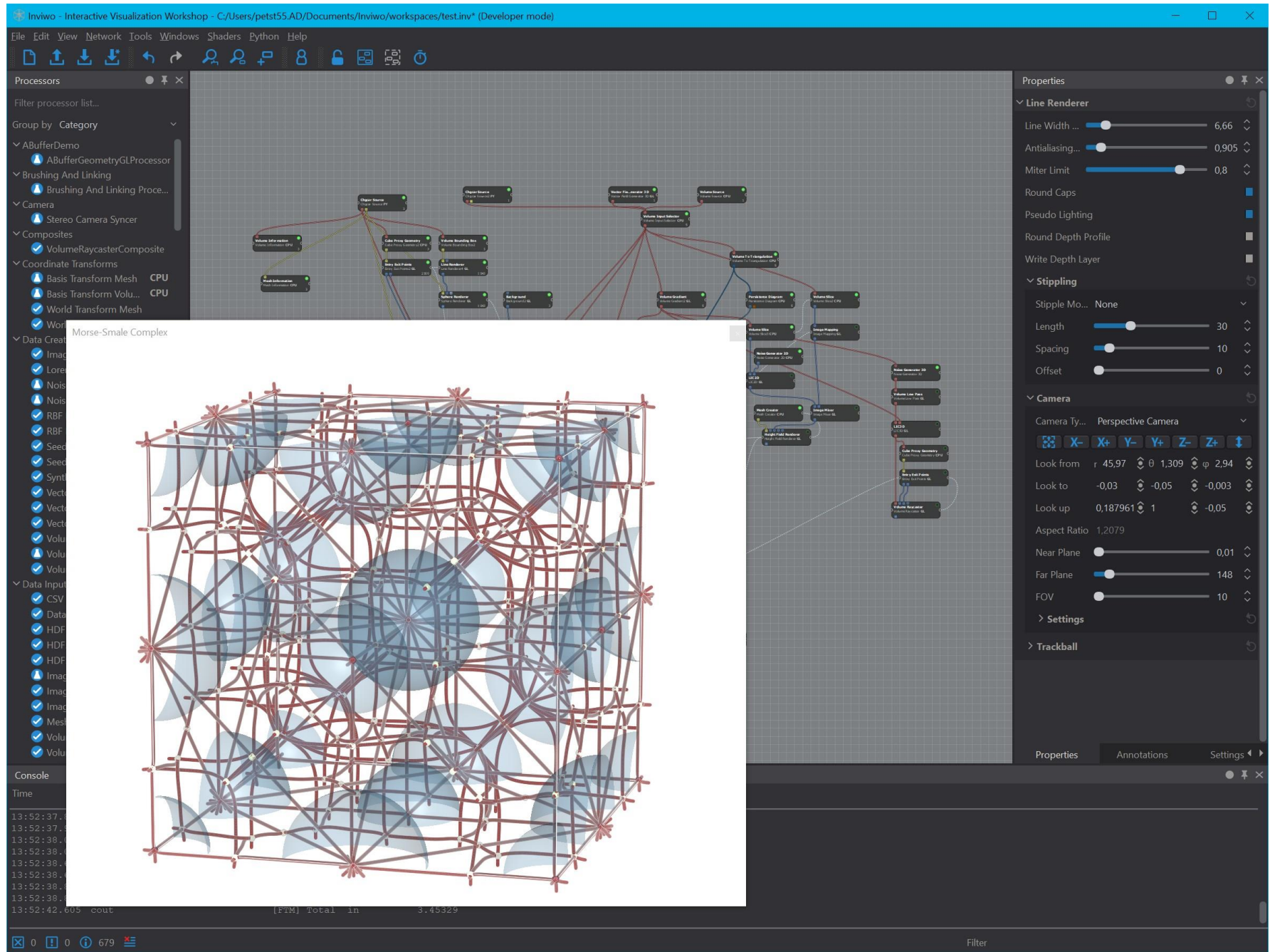
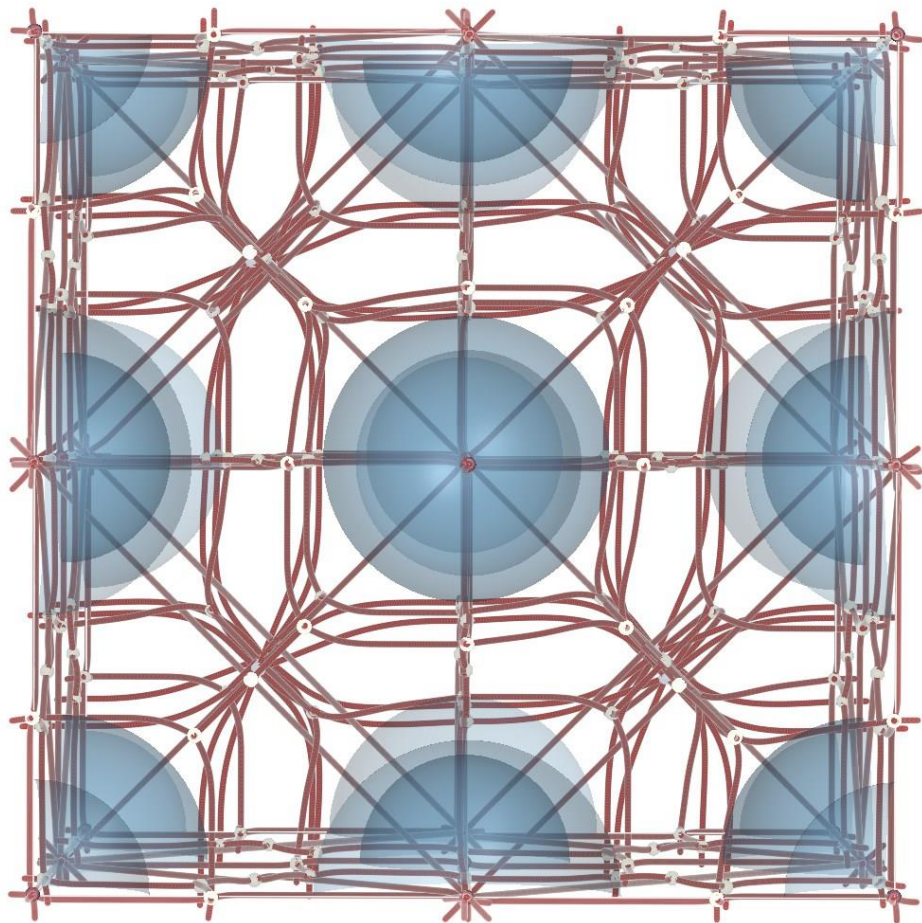
Charge density

- Iron Oxide



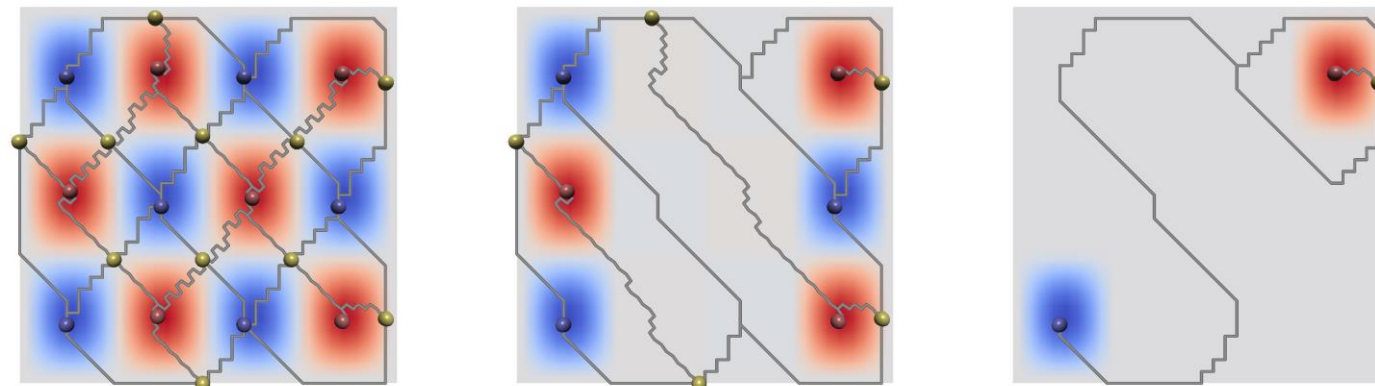
Charge density

- Sodium chloride



Experiences & Challenges

- TTK is very modular
 - Targeted toward VTK / ParaView
- Interface can be quite extensive
 - Morse-Smale requires 15 vectors (6 for critical points, 3+6 for 1-separatrices)
 - Would be handy to access internal data structures
- TTK Developers are very supportive 😊





Need help?



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