

This notebook is intended to demonstrate how to extract vessels from a CTA image that contains only brain data (skull has been stripped).

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In [1]: import itk
        from itk import TubeTK as ttk

        from itkwidgets import view

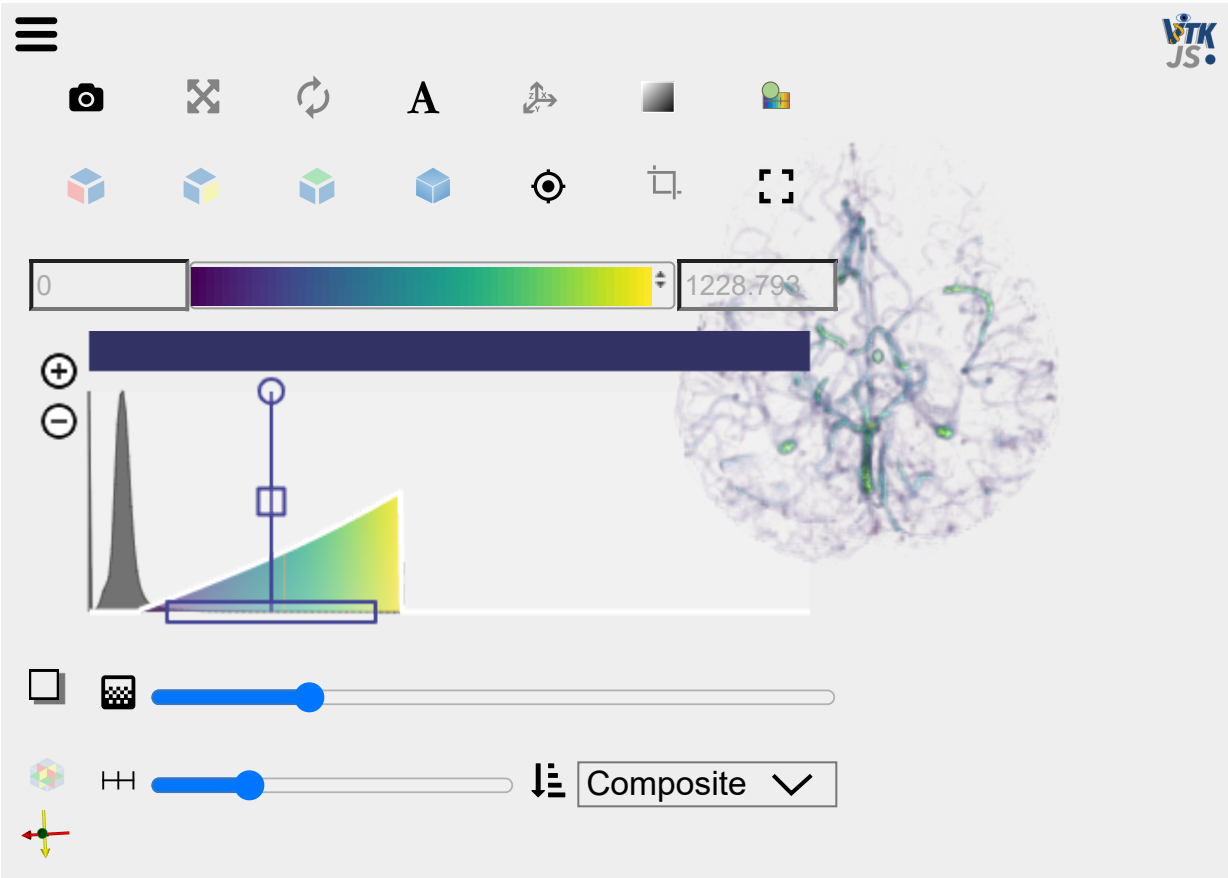
        import numpy as np
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In [2]: InputBaseDir = "../Data/CTA-Head/"

        CTAFilename = InputBaseDir + "CTA.mha"
        CTABrainFilename = InputBaseDir + "CTA-Brain.mha"

        imMax = itk.imread(CTAFilename, itk.F)
        imBrain = itk.imread(CTABrainFilename, itk.F)
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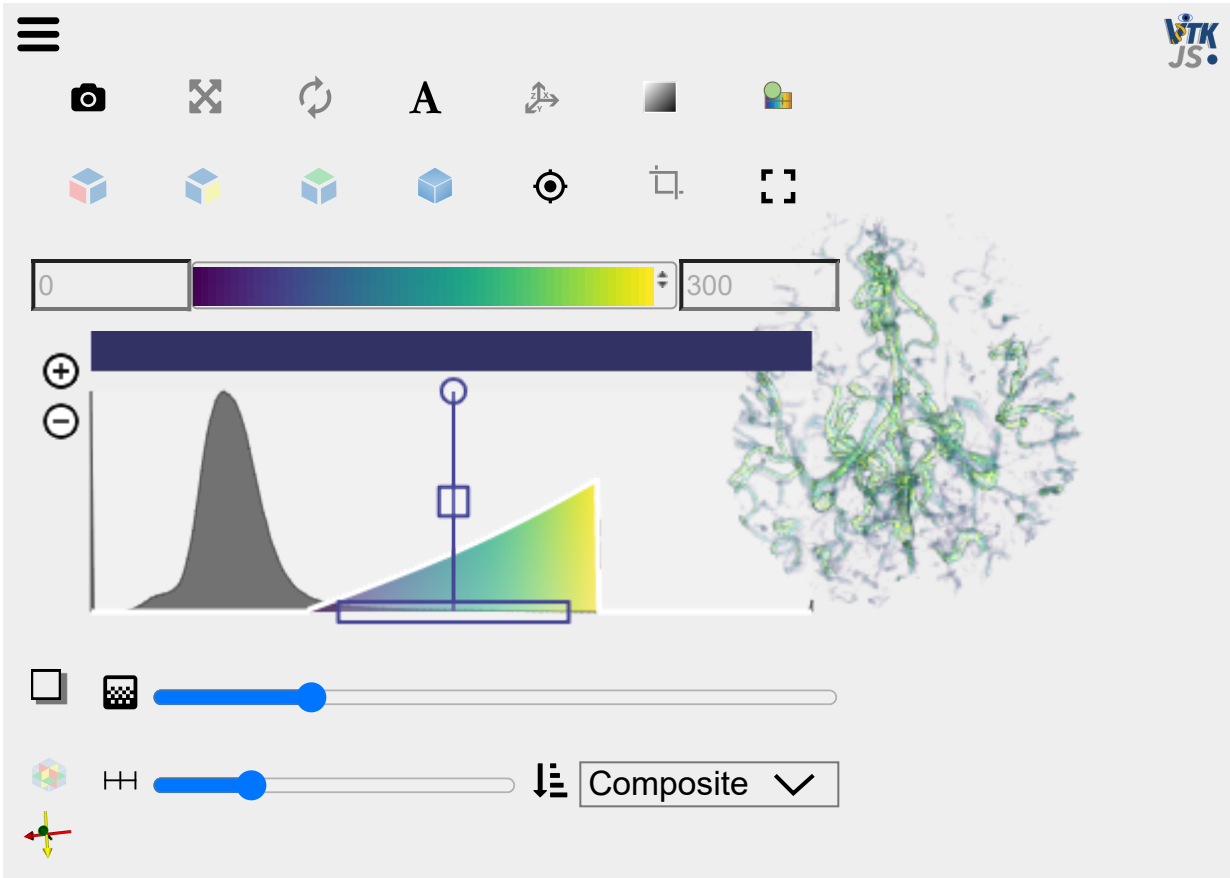
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In [3]: view(imBrain)
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In [4]: ImageType = itk.Image[itk.F, 3]

imMath = ttk.ImageMath.New(Input=imBrain)
imMath.Threshold( 0.00001, 4000, 1, 0)
imMath.Erode(10,1,0)
imBrainMaskErode = imMath.GetOutput()
imMath.SetInput(imBrain)
imMath.IntensityWindow(0,300,0,300)
imMath.ReplaceValuesOutsideMaskRange(imBrainMaskErode,0.5,1.5,0)
imBrainErode = imMath.GetOutput()
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In [5]: view(imBrainErode)
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In [6]: imMath = ttk.ImageMath[ImageType,ImageType].New()
imMath.SetInput(imBrainErode)
imMath.Blur(1.5)
imBlur = imMath.GetOutput()
imBlurArray = itk.GetArrayViewFromImage(imBlur)

numSeeds = 15
seedCoverage = 20
seedCoord = np.zeros([numSeeds,3])
for i in range(numSeeds):
    seedCoord[i] = np.unravel_index(np.argmax(imBlurArray, axis=None), imBlurArray.shape)
    indx = [int(seedCoord[i][0]),int(seedCoord[i][1]),int(seedCoord[i][2])]
    minX = max(indx[0]-seedCoverage,0)
    maxX = min(indx[0]+seedCoverage,imBlurArray.shape[0])
    minY = max(indx[1]-seedCoverage,0)
    maxY = min(indx[1]+seedCoverage,imBlurArray.shape[1])
    minZ = max(indx[2]-seedCoverage,0)
    maxZ = min(indx[2]+seedCoverage,imBlurArray.shape[2])
    imBlurArray[minX:maxX,minY:maxY,minZ:maxZ]=0
    indx.reverse()
    seedCoord[:,i] = imBrain.TransformIndexToPhysicalPoint(indx)
print(seedCoord)

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[[ 23.97288513 -158.18325806 302.26499939]
 [ -4.23602295 -146.56782532 298.39318848]
 [-33.55116272 -160.94883728 299.49942017]
 [-25.80754089 -144.90847778 278.48101807]
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 [  0.74201965 -167.03311157 264.1000061 ]
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 [ -6.44848633 -155.41767883 264.1000061 ]
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 [-18.61703491 -128.86811829 290.64956665]]

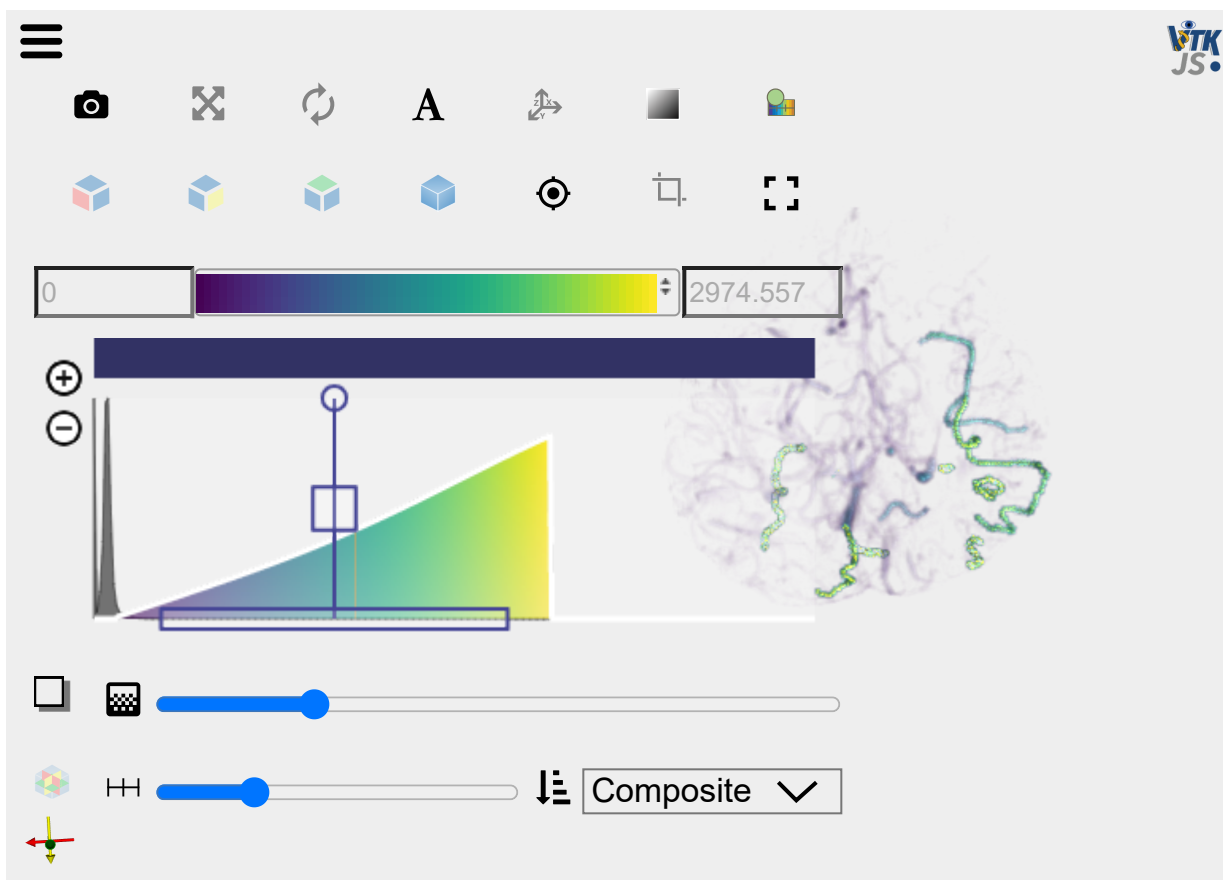
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In [7]: # Manually extract a few vessels to form an image-specific training set
vSeg = ttk.SegmentTubes.New(Input=imBrain)
vSeg.SetVerbose(True)
vSeg.SetMinRoundness(0.4)
vSeg.SetMinCurvature(0.002)
vSeg.SetRadiusInObjectSpace( 1 )
for i in range(numSeeds):
    print("**** Processing seed " + str(i) + " : " + str(seedCoord[i]))
    vSeg.ExtractTubeInObjectSpace( seedCoord[i], i )

tubeMaskImage = vSeg.GetTubeMaskImage()
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**** Processing seed 0 : [ 23.97288513 -158.18325806 302.26499939]
**** Processing seed 1 : [ -4.23602295 -146.56782532 298.39318848]
**** Processing seed 2 : [ -33.55116272 -160.94883728 299.49942017]
**** Processing seed 3 : [ -25.80754089 -144.90847778 278.48101807]
**** Processing seed 4 : [ -52.35710144 -207.41056824 296.73384094]
**** Processing seed 5 : [ 0.74201965 -167.03311157 264.1000061 ]
**** Processing seed 6 : [ -48.48529053 -193.02955627 305.03057861]
**** Processing seed 7 : [ -45.16659546 -175.88296509 317.75224304]
**** Processing seed 8 : [ -5.34225464 -133.29304504 307.24304199]
**** Processing seed 9 : [ -58.44137573 -155.97079468 292.86203003]
**** Processing seed 10 : [ -6.44848633 -155.41767883 264.1000061 ]
**** Processing seed 11 : [ -43.50724792 -140.48355103 327.70832825]
**** Processing seed 12 : [ 26.18534851 -133.29304504 285.1184082 ]
**** Processing seed 13 : [ -46.82594299 -157.63014221 276.82167053]
**** Processing seed 14 : [ -18.61703491 -128.86811829 290.64956665]
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In [8]: imMath.SetInput(tubeMaskImage)
imMath.AddImages(imBrain, 200, 1)
blendIm = imMath.GetOutput()
view(blendIm)
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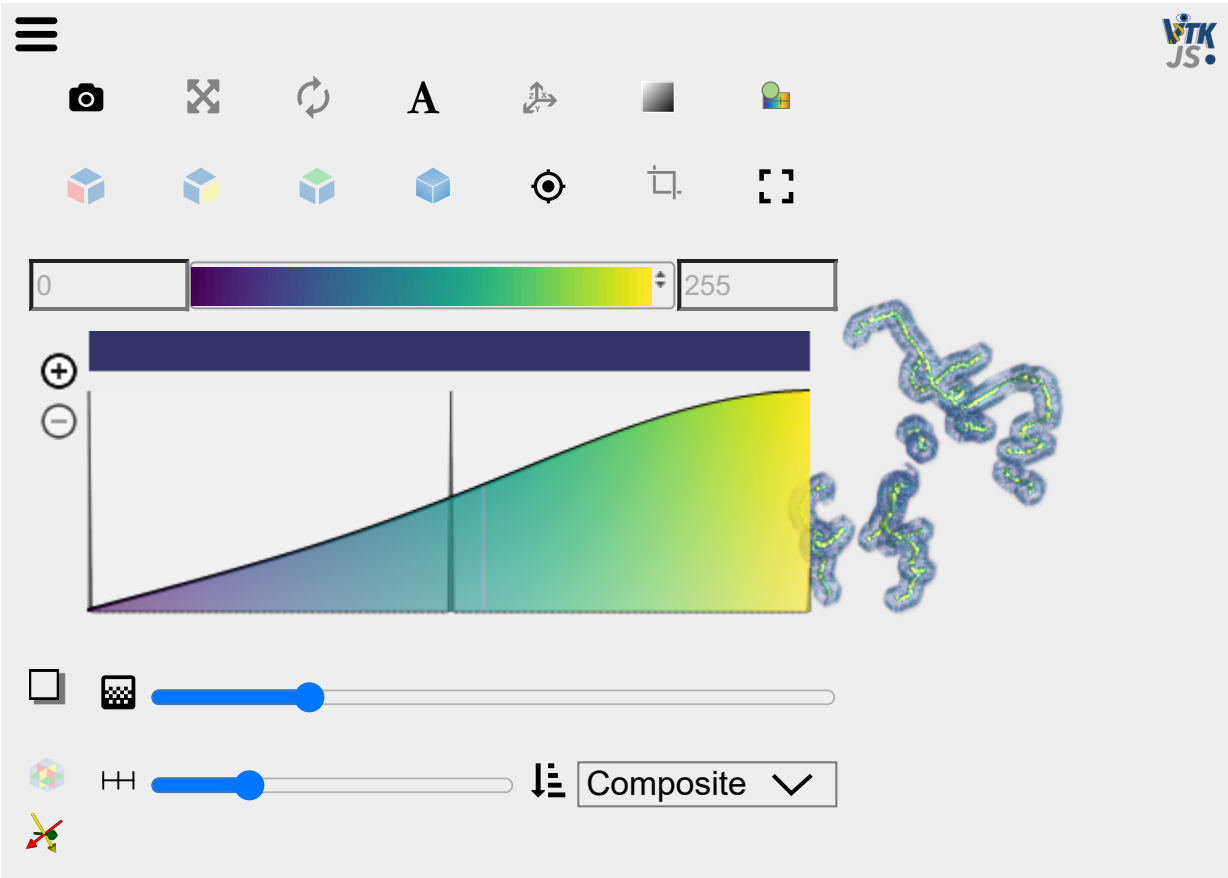


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In [9]: LabelMapType = itk.Image[itk.UC,3]

trMask = ttk.ComputeTrainingMask[ImageType,LabelMapType].New()
trMask.SetInput( tubeMaskImage )
trMask.SetGap( 4 )
trMask.SetObjectWidth( 1 )
trMask.SetNotObjectWidth( 1 )
trMask.Update()
fgMask = trMask.GetOutput()
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In [10]: view(fgMask)
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In [11]: enhancer = ttk.EnhanceTubesUsingDiscriminantAnalysis[ImageType,LabelMapType].New()
enhancer.AddInput( imMax )
enhancer.SetLabelMap( fgMask )
enhancer.SetRidgeId( 255 )
enhancer.SetBackgroundId( 128 )
enhancer.SetUnknownId( 0 )
enhancer.SetTrainClassifier(True)
enhancer.SetUseIntensityOnly(True)
enhancer.SetScales([0.43,1.29,3.01])
enhancer.Update()
enhancer.ClassifyImages()
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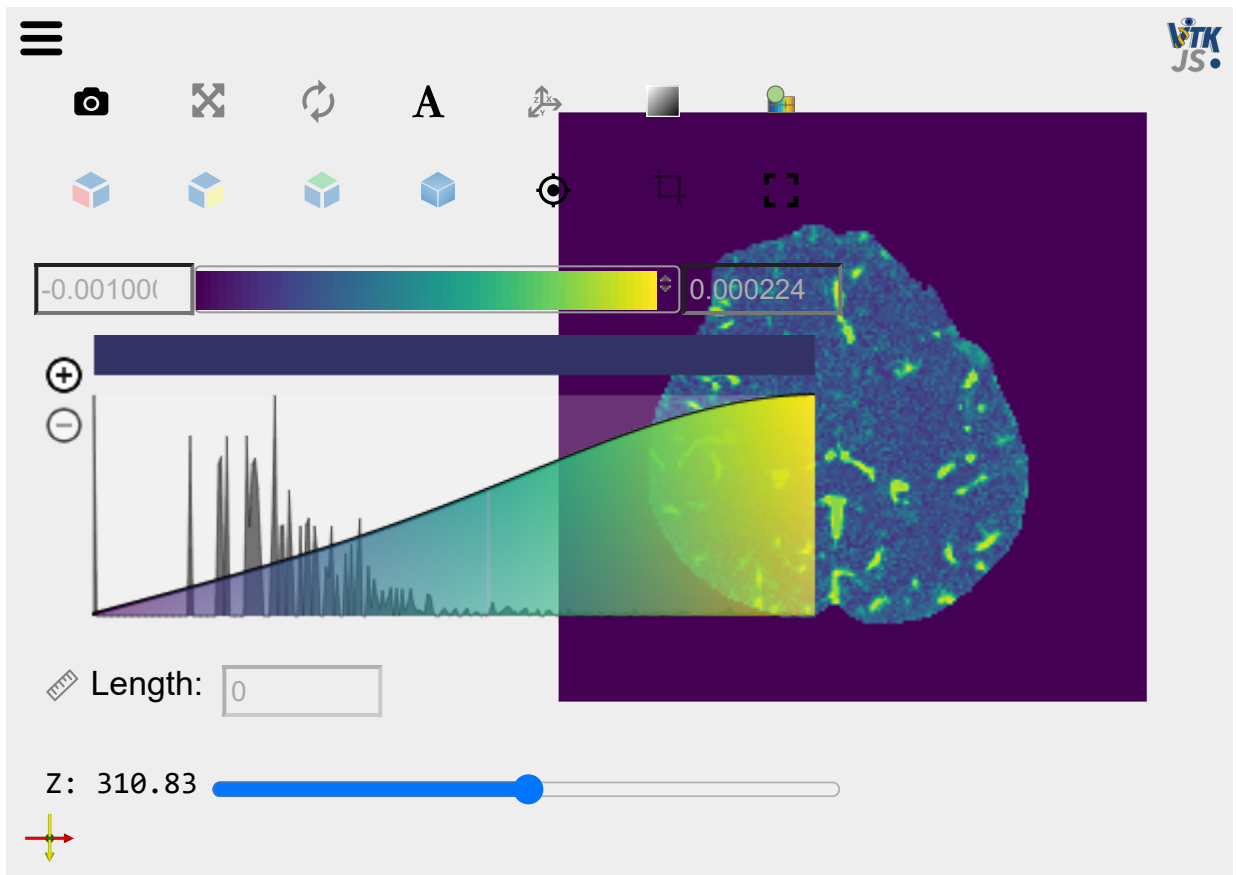
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In [12]: im1vess = itk.SubtractImageFilter( Input1=enhancer.GetClassProbabilityImage(0), 1

imMath.SetInput(imBrain)
imMath.Threshold(0.0001,2000,1,0)
imMath.Erode(2,1,0)
imBrainE = imMath.GetOutput()

imMath.SetInput(im1vess)
imMath.ReplaceValuesOutsideMaskRange(imBrainE, 1, 1, -0.001)
im1vessBrain = imMath.GetOutput()
#view(enhancer.GetClassProbabilityImage(0))
view(im1vessBrain)

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In [13]: itk.imwrite( im1vess, InputBaseDir + "CTA-VesselEnhanced.mha", compression=True)
         itk.imwrite( im1vessBrain, InputBaseDir + "CTA-Brain-VesselEnhanced.mha", compres
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