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3D super-resolution with machine learning

PV162 project

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Problem introduction

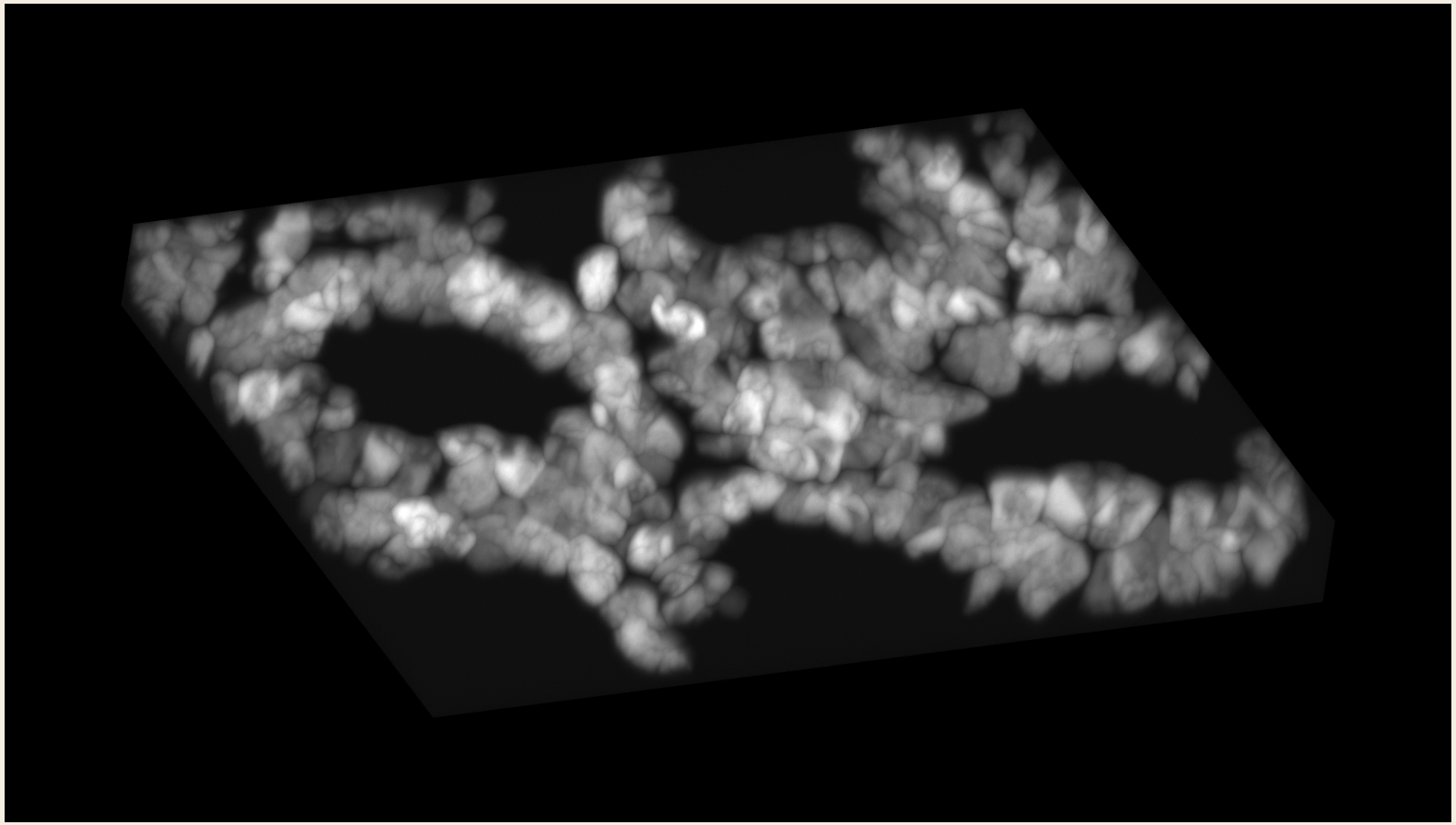
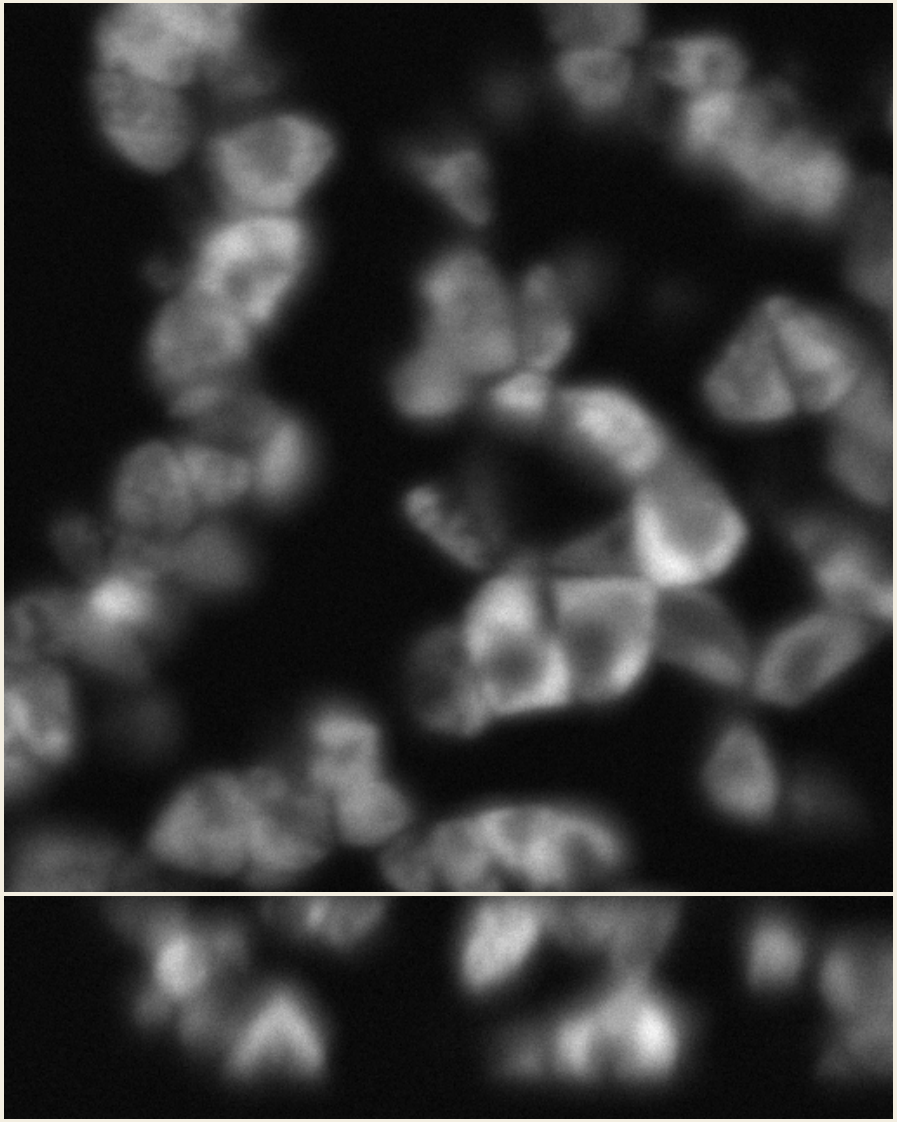


Figure: Synthetic 3D image of human colon tissue[1]

[1] https://cbia.fi.muni.cz/datasets/

Data (XY / XZ slice)



Anisotropic resolution

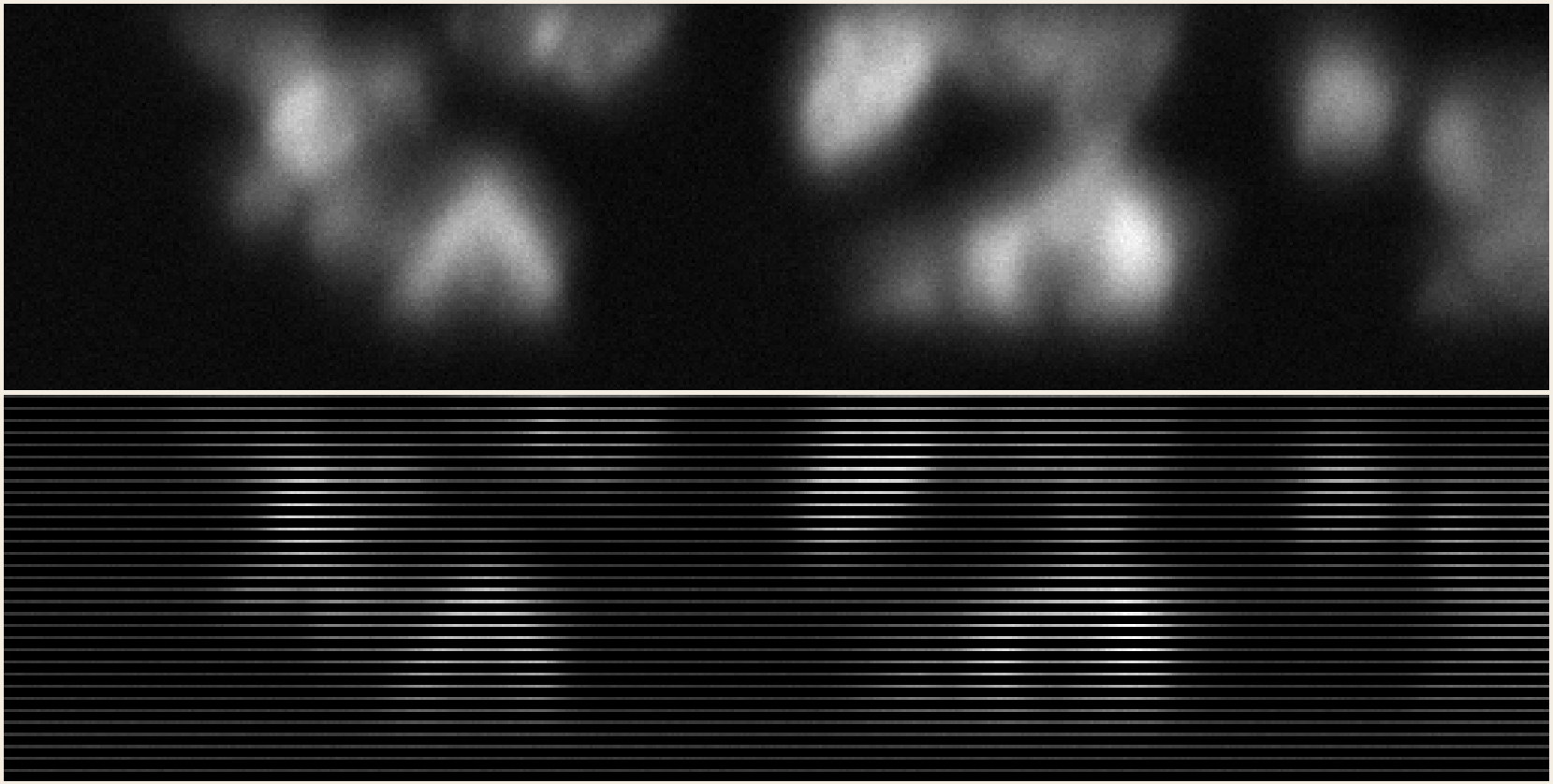


Figure: Above - original HR XZ slice. Below - XZ slice downsampled 4x; missing rows are shown blacked out

B-spline interpolation

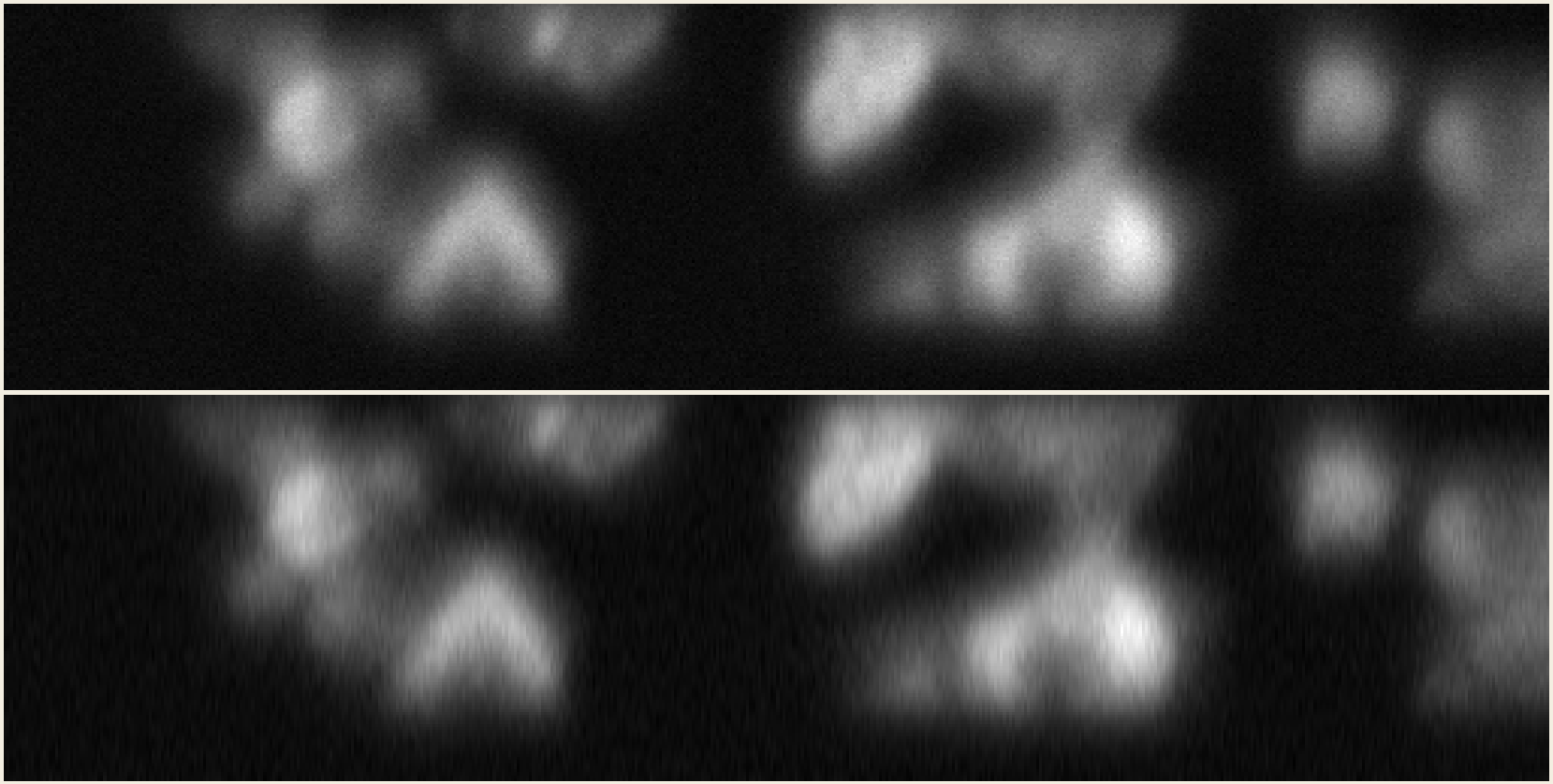


Figure: Above - original HR XZ slice. Below - LR XZ-slice restored with B-spline interpolation

B-spline interpolation

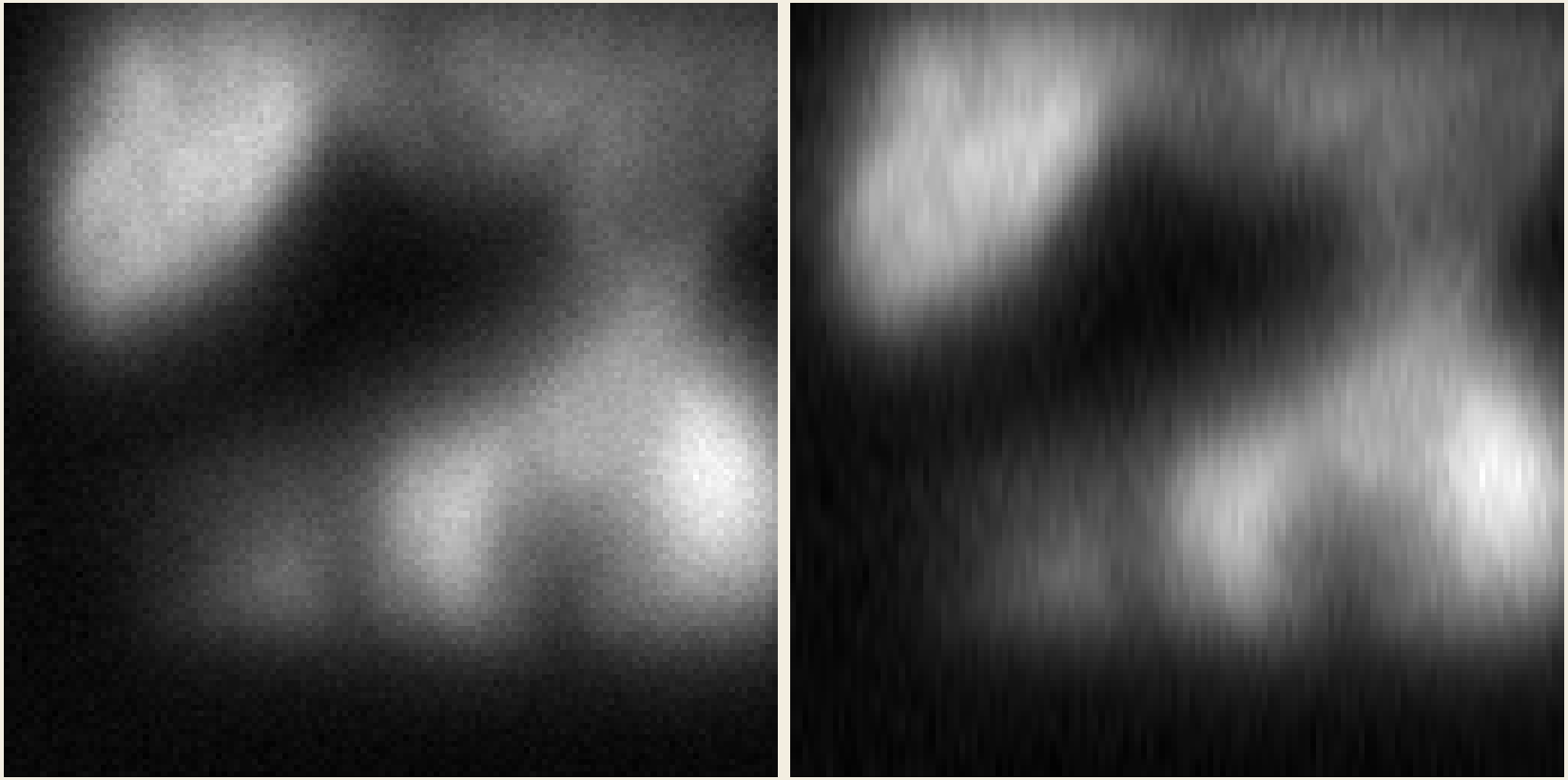
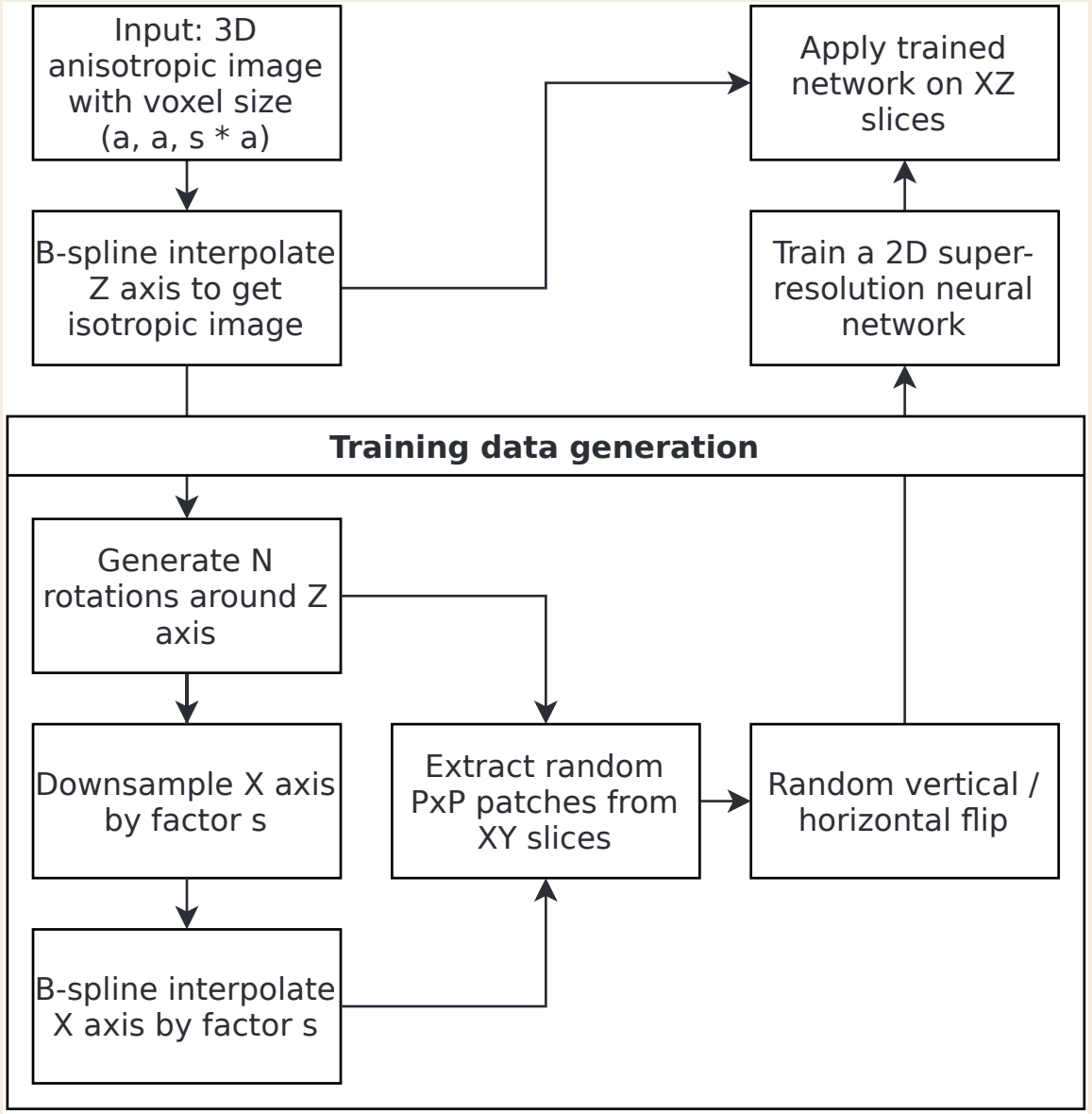


Figure: Left - original HR XZ slice. Right - LR XZ-slice restored with B-spline interpolation

The SMORE algorithm



EDSR

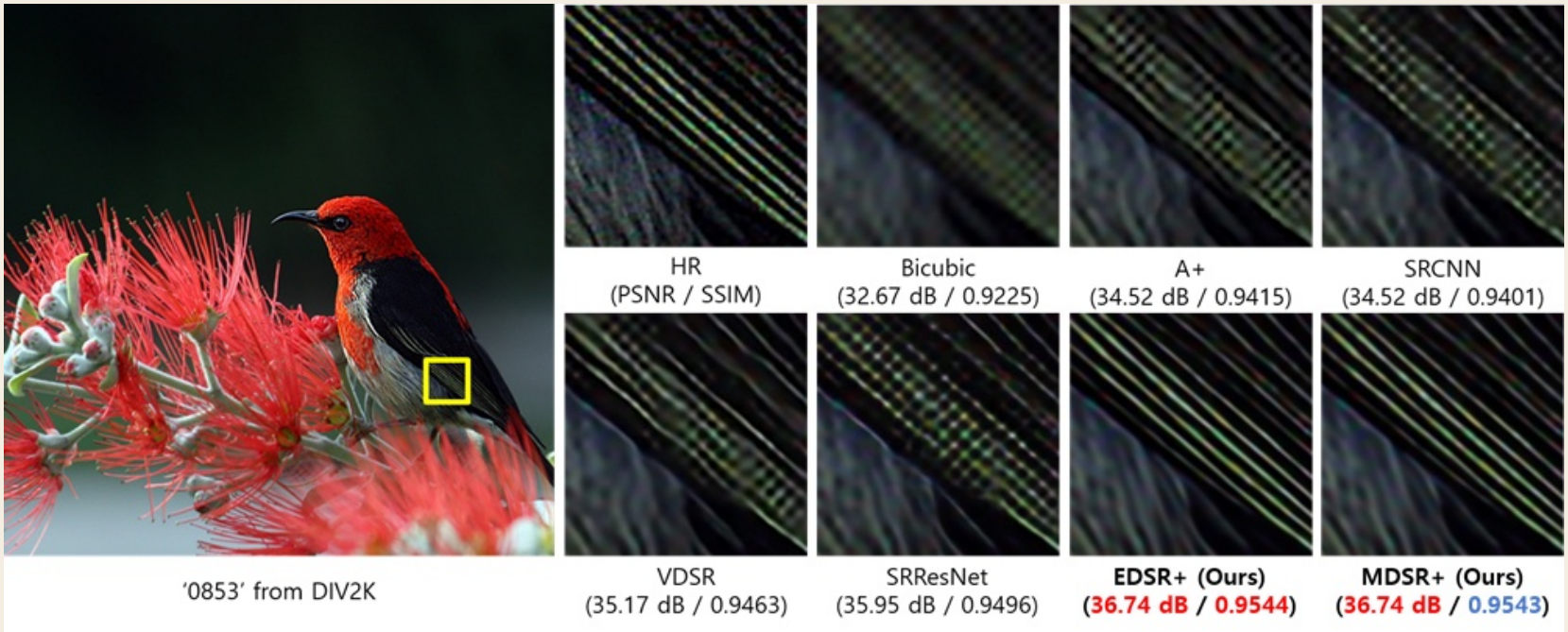


Figure: EDSR super-resolution neural net[2]

[2] https://github.com/sanghyun-son/EDSR-PyTorch

Training

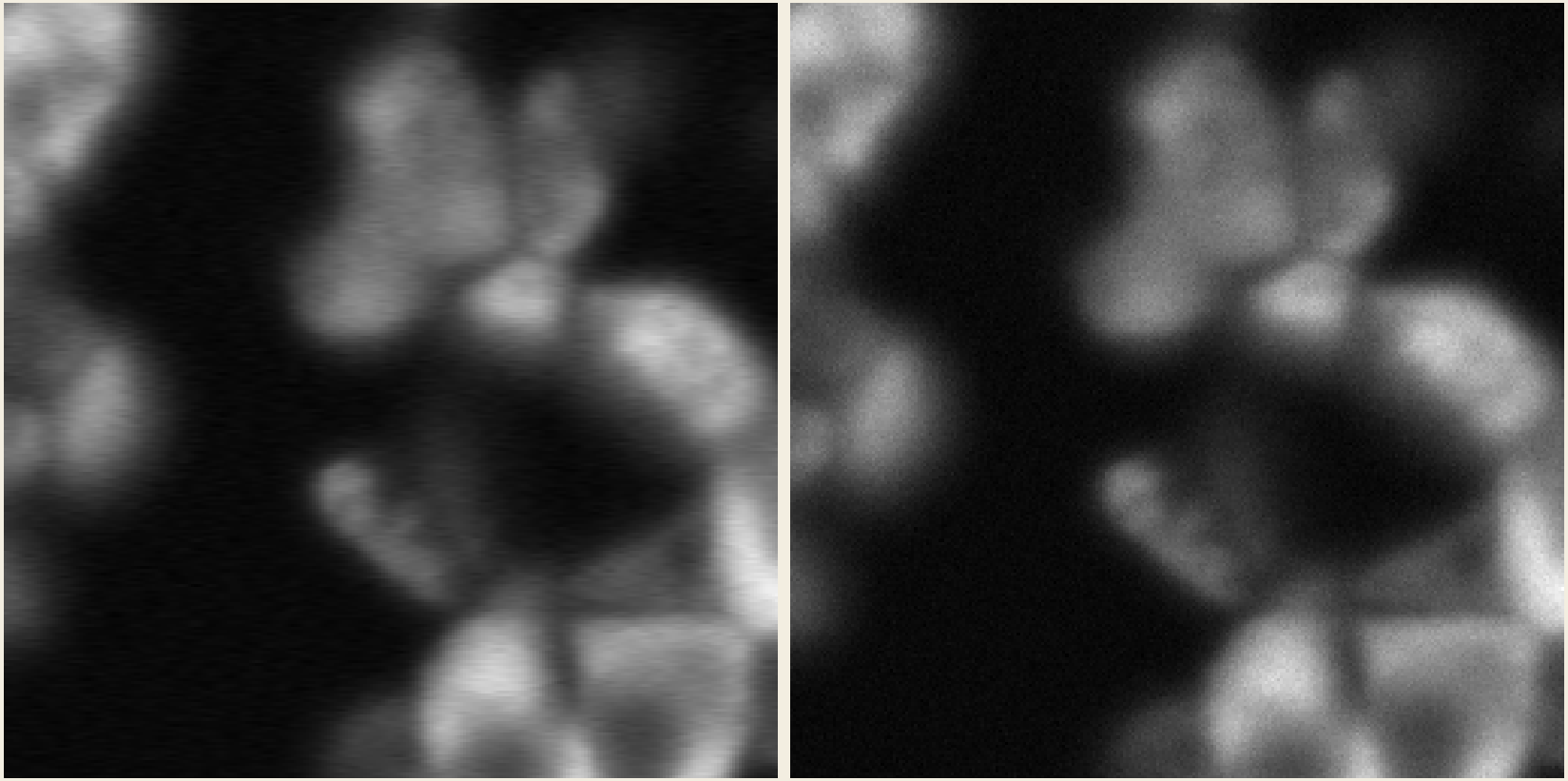


Figure: Right - XY slice. Left - XY slice downsampled and B-spline interpolated on the X axis

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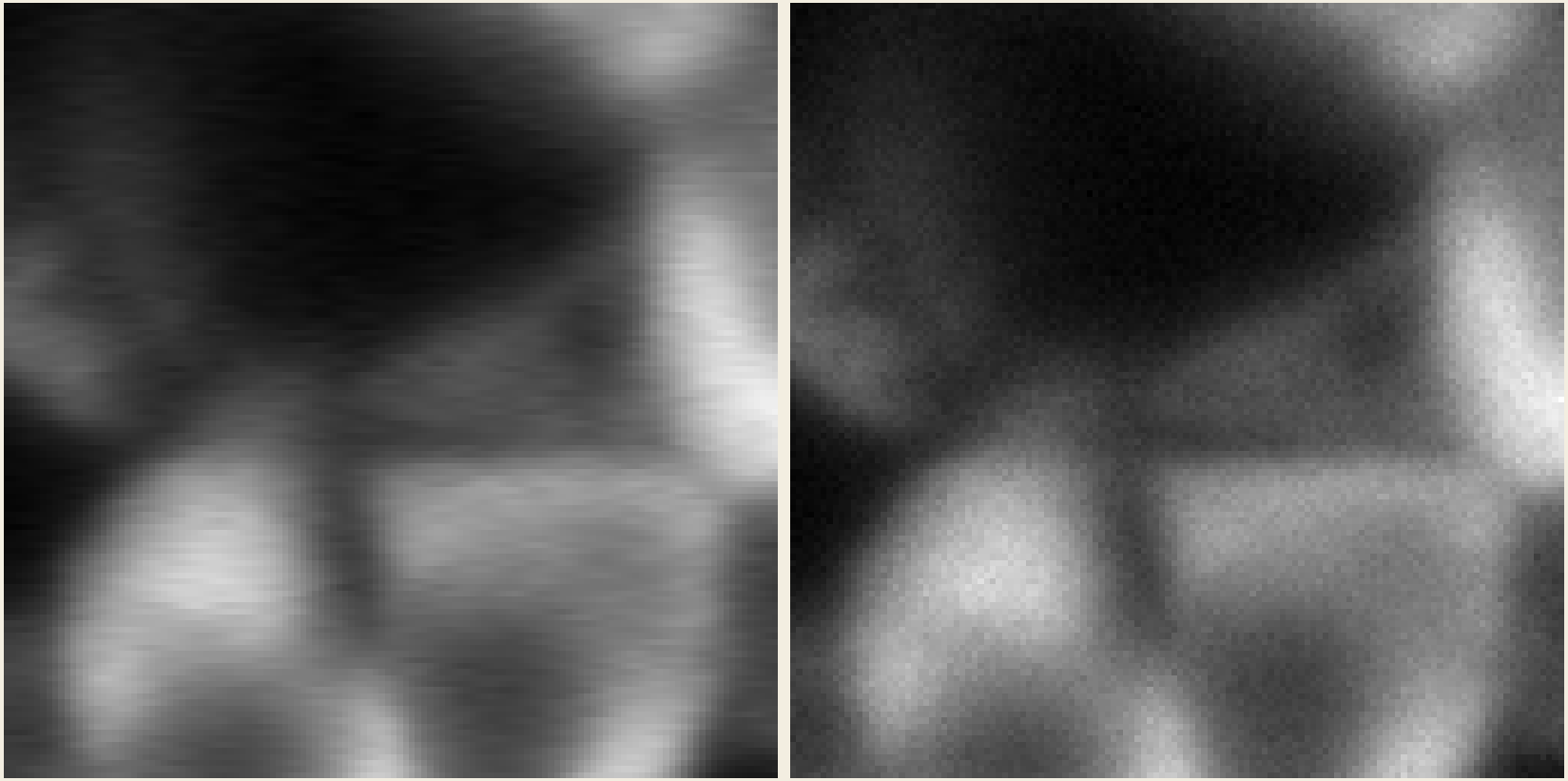

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Inference

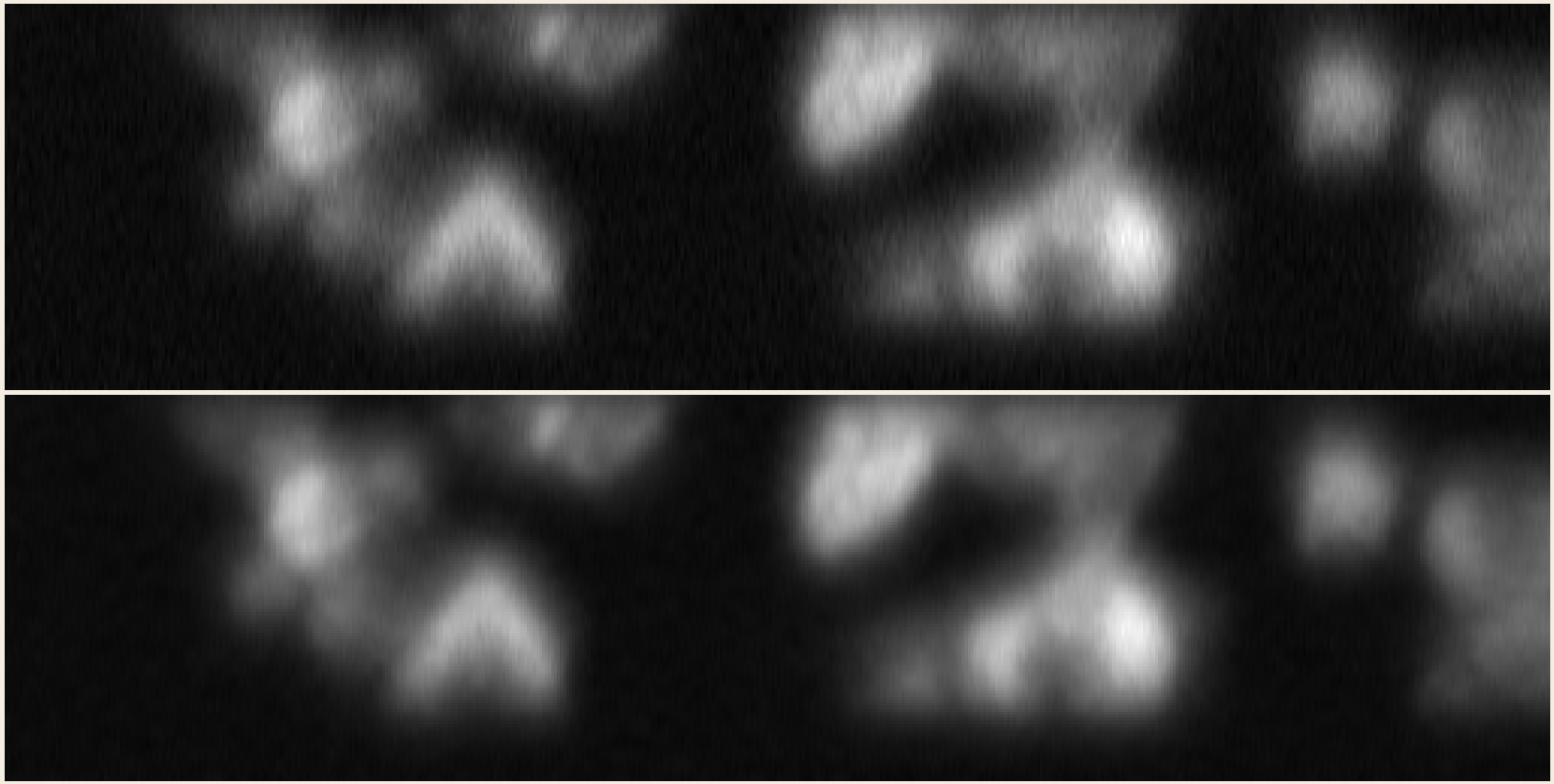

Figure: Above - XZ slice with B-spline interpolation. Below - XZ slice with SMORE interpolation

Inference

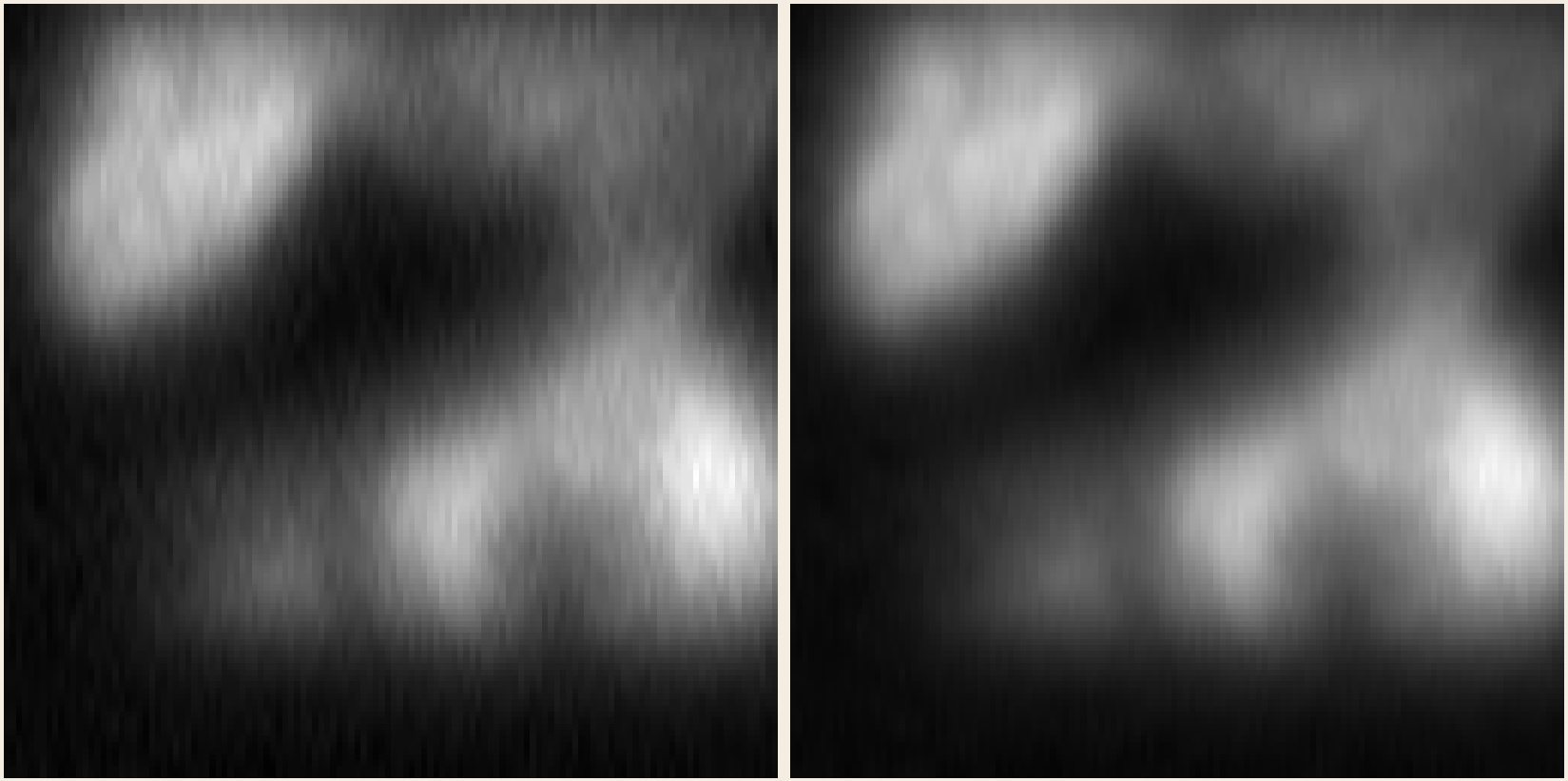

Figure: Left - XZ slice with B-spline interpolation. Right - XZ slice with SMORE interpolation

Evaluation

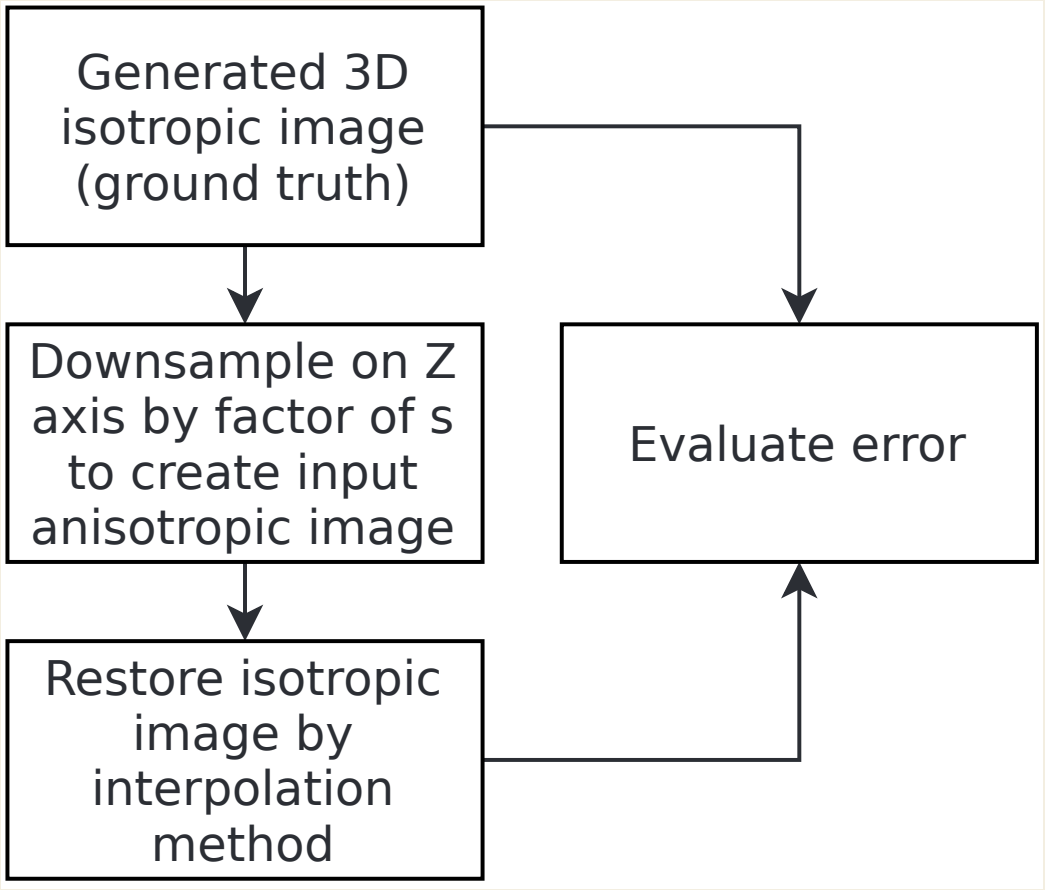

Figure: Evaluation schema

Evaluation

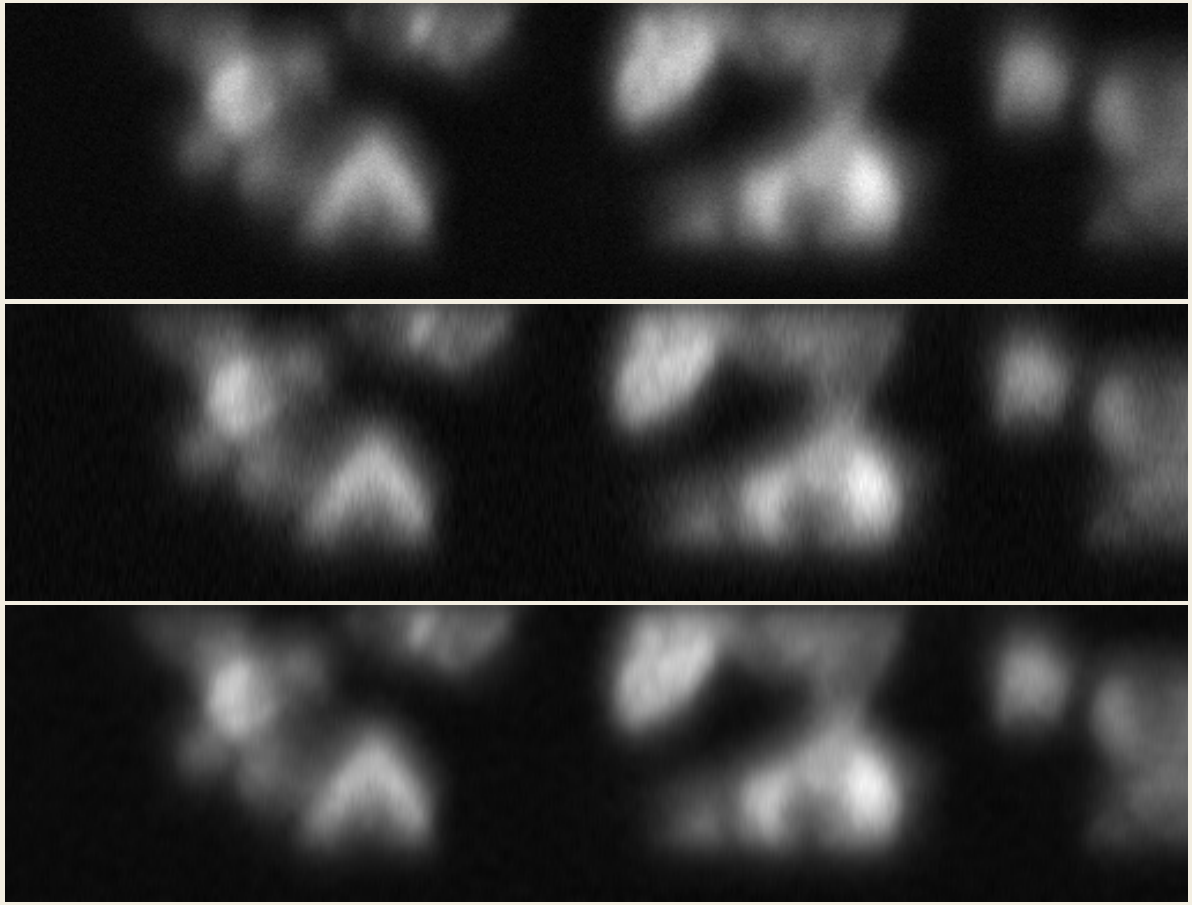

Figure: Above - ground truth XZ slice. Middle - B-spline interpolation. Below - SMORE interpolation

Evaluation

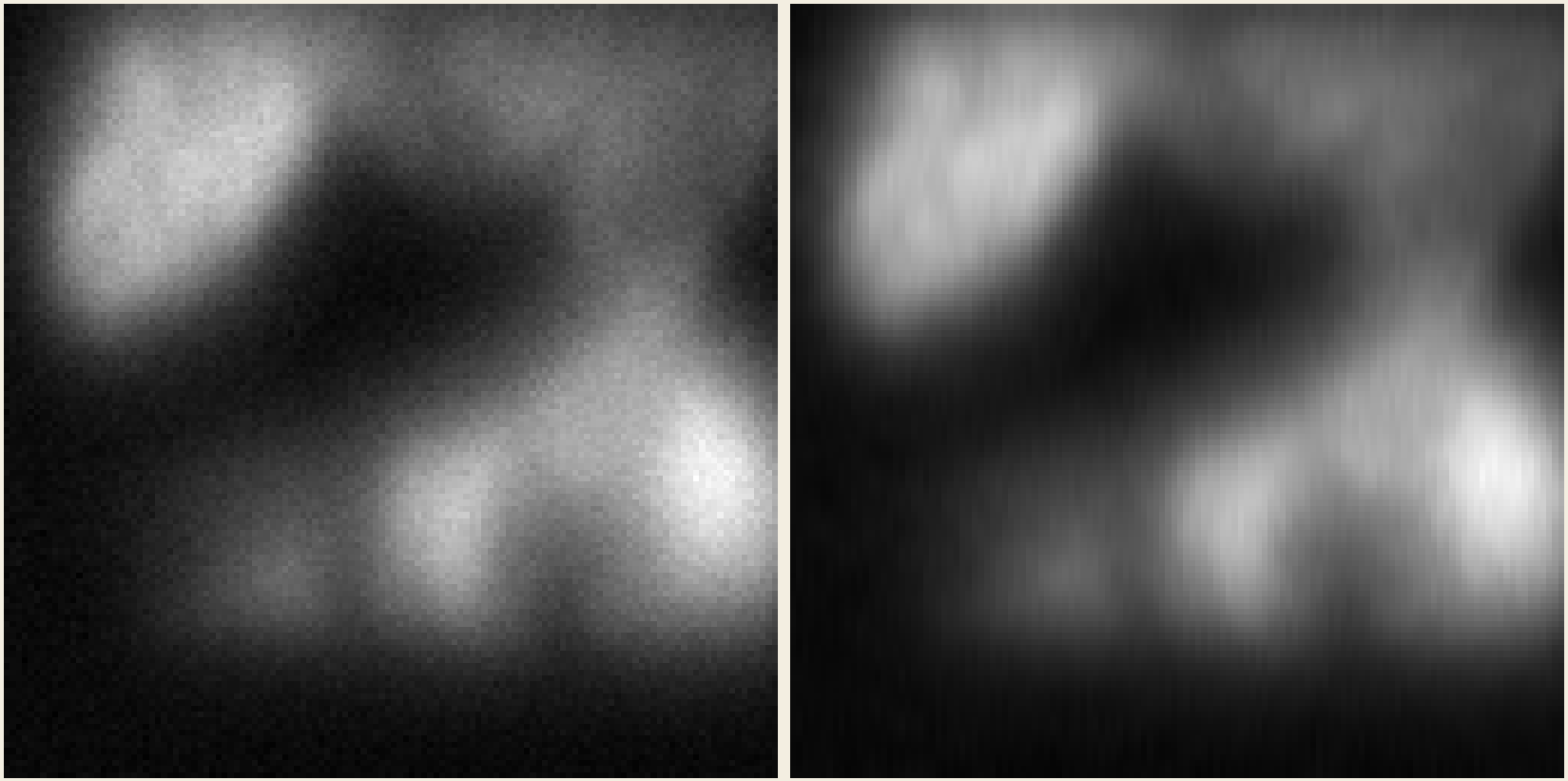

Figure: Left - ground truth XZ slice. Right - SMORE interpolation

Evaluation - mean square error

	MSE
B-spline	29.722795
SMORE	23.115702

Table: Mean square error of interpolation method applied to LR image, vs the HR ground truth

Evaluation - absolute difference

Figure: Above - absolute difference of GT and B-spline interpolation. Below - absolute difference of GT and SMORE interpolation

Evaluation - absolute difference

Figure: Left - absolute difference of GT and B-spline interpolation. Right - absolute difference of GT and SMORE interpolation

Evaluation - absolute difference histogram

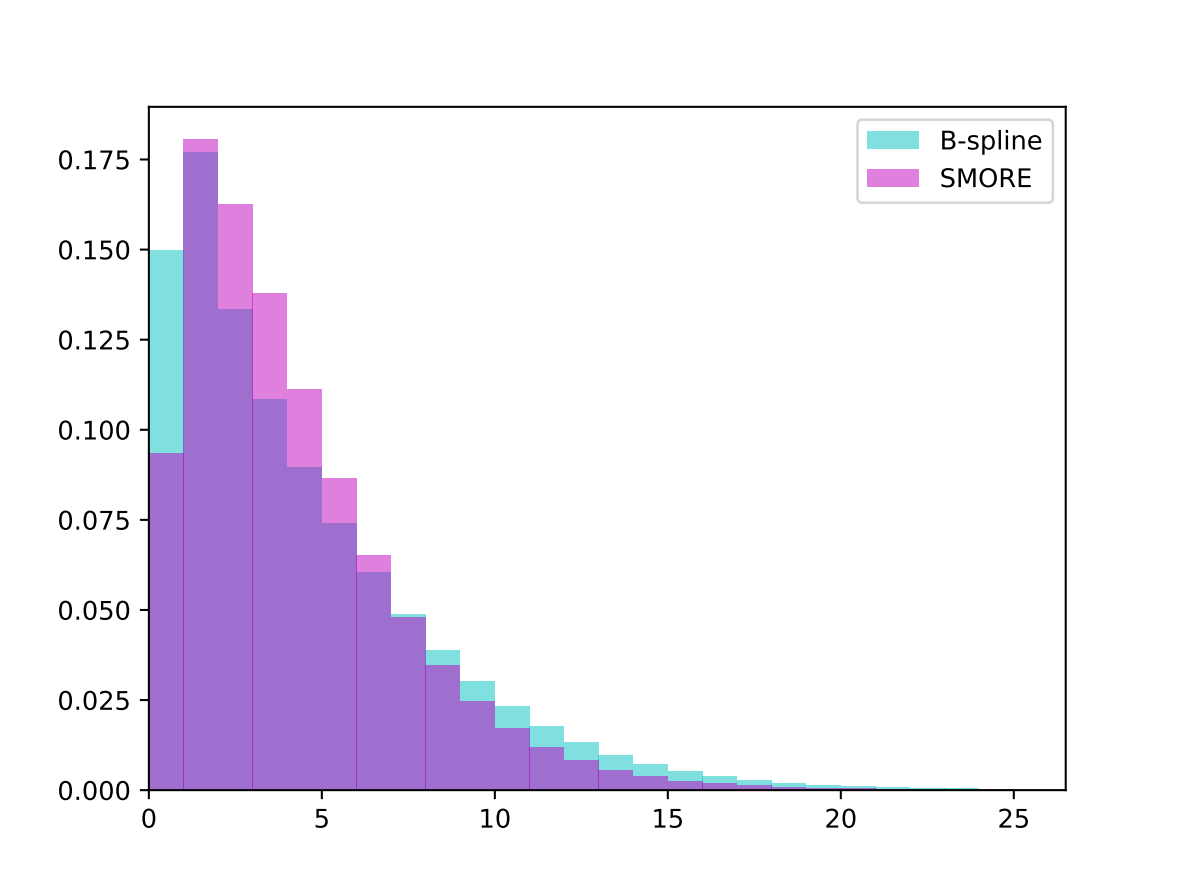

Figure: Histogram of absolute difference to ground truth for B-spline and SMORE interpolation

Sources

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