

Tutorial for using Grid_Ruler plugin

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Download ImageJ or FIJI

- The website for downloading FIJI to all OS: <https://imagej.net/software/fiji/downloads>
- The website for downloading ImageJ to all OS: <https://imagej.net/ij/download.html>

Download the plugin

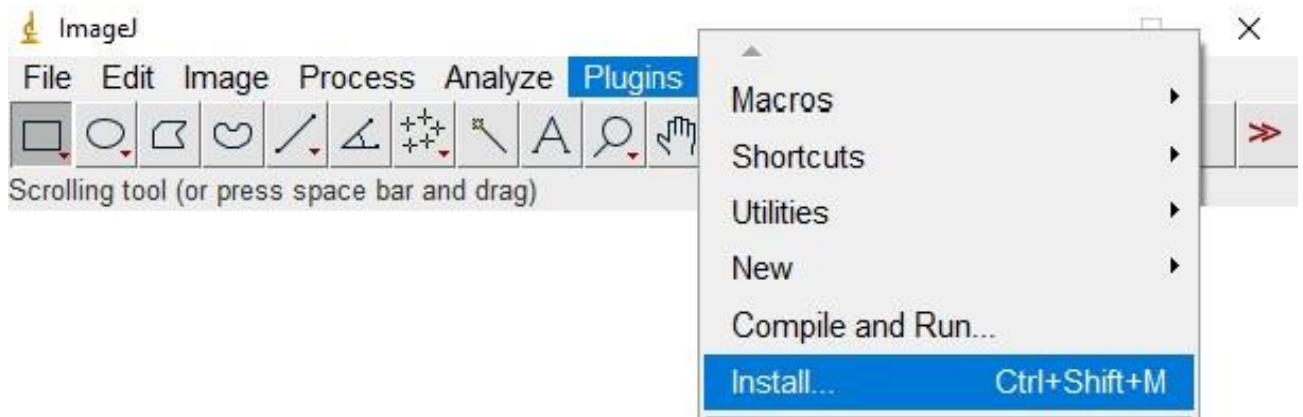
- The link for downloading of plugin
https://github.com/Stepikus/GridRuler/blob/main/Grid_Ruler.java



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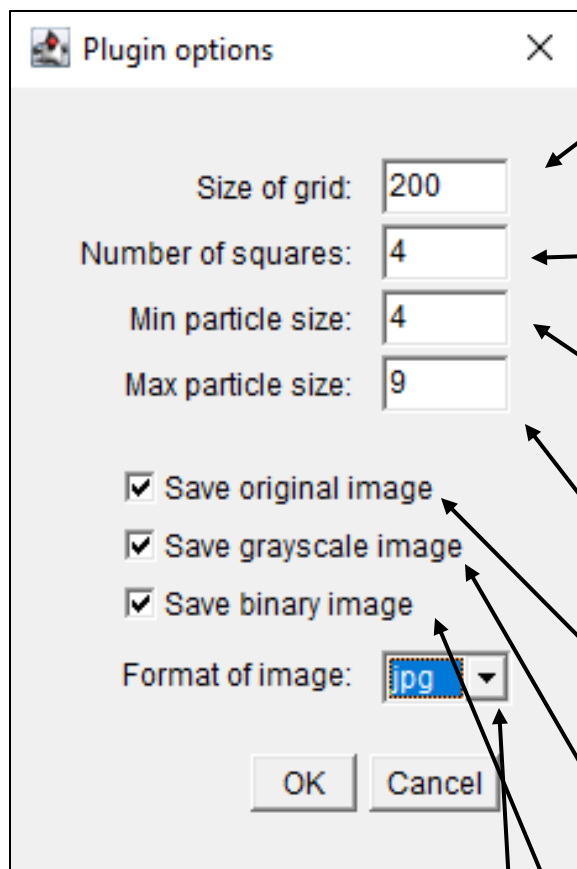
Installing plugin on ImageJ/FIJI

When you want to install plugin, just click on Plugins and press Install and find your downloaded plugin.



Plugin options

After instalation the dialog window will be open for specification of grid, searched particles and output



Size of grid: 200

Number of squares: 4

Min particle size: 4

Max particle size: 9

☒ Save original image

☒ Save grayscale image

☒ Save binary image

Format of image: pg

OK Cancel

Size of grid: real size of grid

Number of square:number of square in one direction. For example if you want grid 4x4 squares write 4.

Min particle size: minimum size of detected particle

Max particle size: maximum size of detected particle

Save original image: Save original image with real units

Save grayscale image: picture of the inner part of your grid will be saved in grayscale format with masked lines

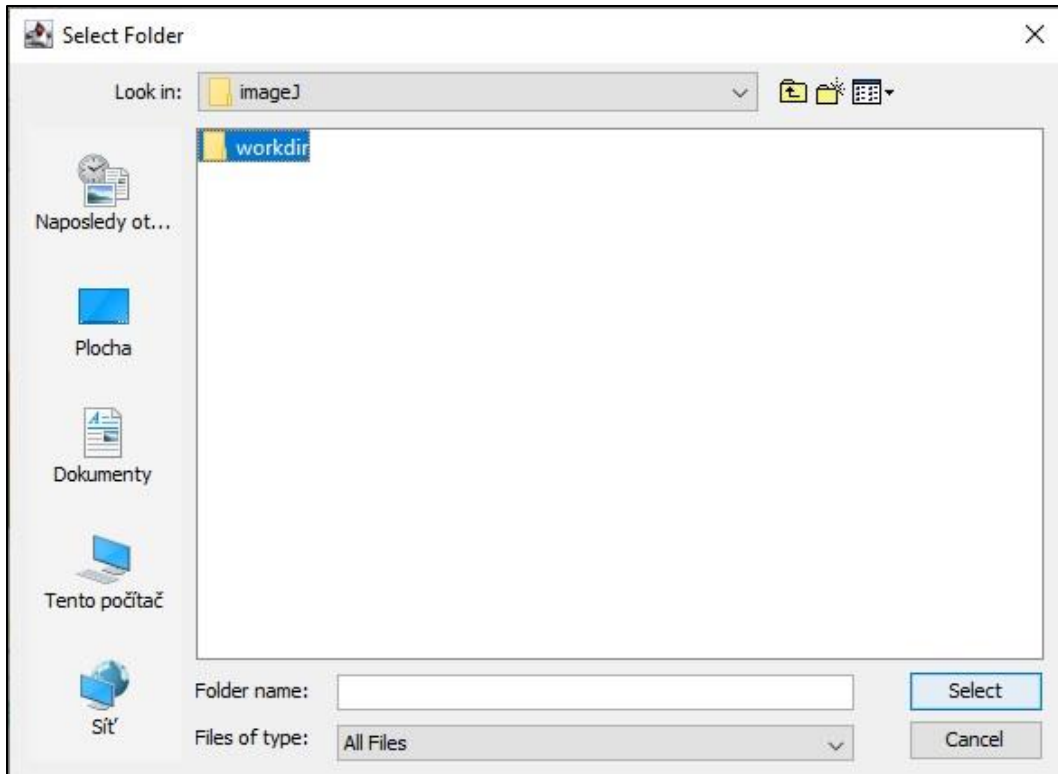
Save binary image: cropped image in binary format will be saved in your folder

Format of image: formate of analysed images



Choose directory

- After that you have to Choose the directory of your images and click on select



Outputs

- All output will be in the Result folder, which will be created in your images folder.
- **Tables**-output of your analysis will be two .csv files: Particles.csv with parametres of all particles of all images. Second is Count.csv with number of particles in individual images.
- **Images**-Another outputs can be original image, cropped picture of original image in grayscale and in binary form. All images are calibrated to real units according to grid.

