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How fractal texture segmentation turns out to be a strongly convex optimization problem ?[†].

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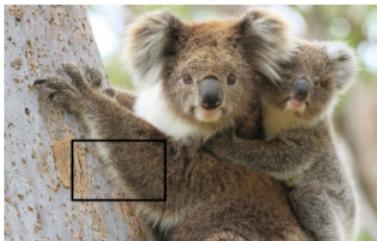
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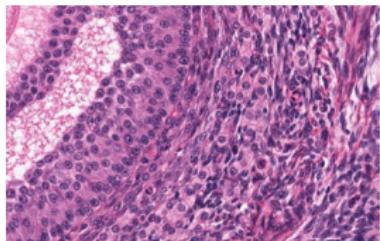
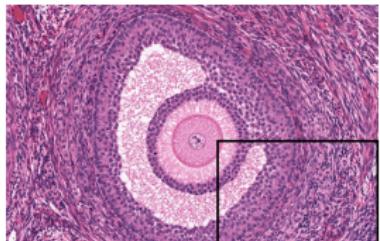
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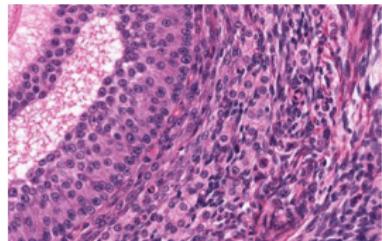
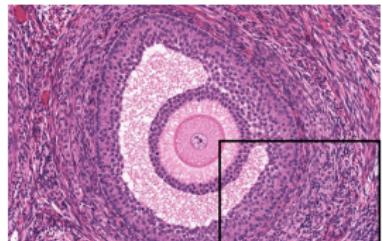
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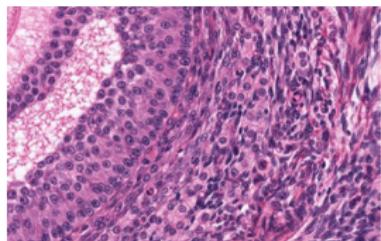
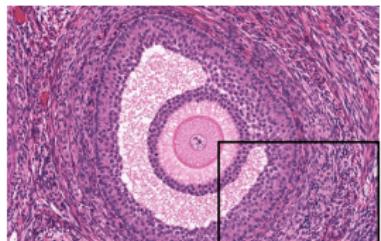
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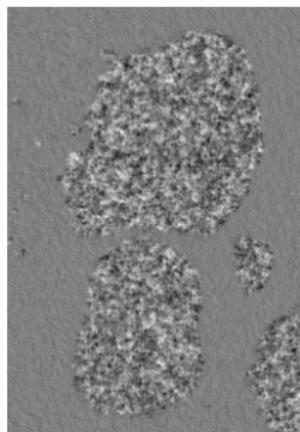
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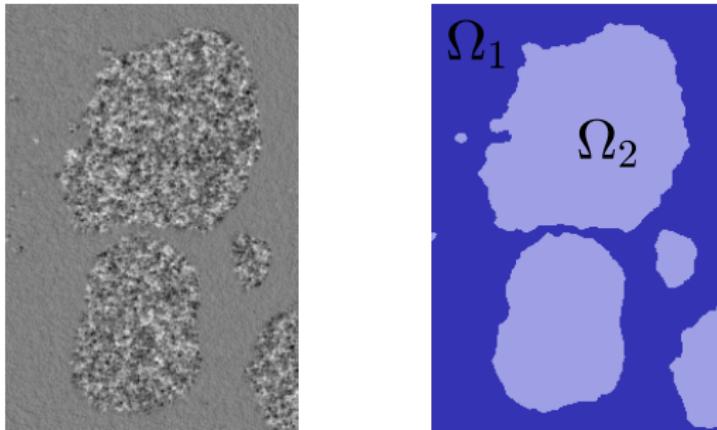


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fractal segmentation

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Purpose: obtaining a partition of the image into κ homogeneous regions

$$\Omega = \Omega_1 \sqcup \dots \sqcup \Omega_\kappa$$

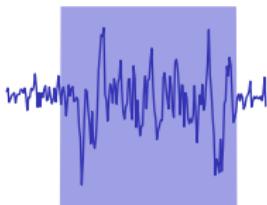
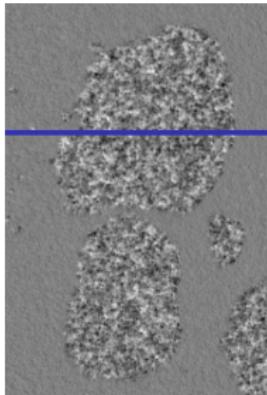
Ω_k : pixels corresponding to texture k .

Outline – Fractal texture segmentation

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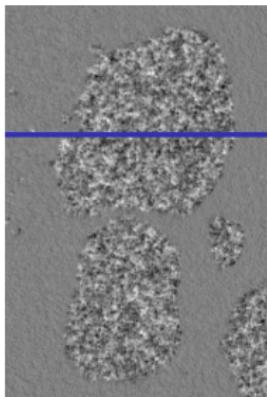
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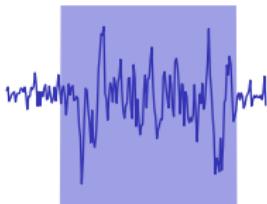
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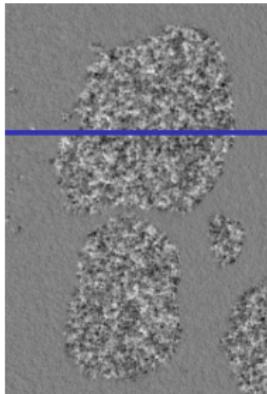
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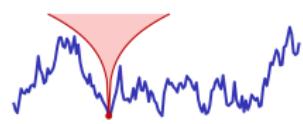


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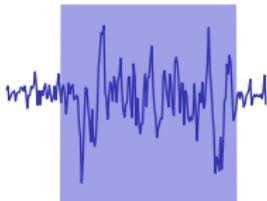
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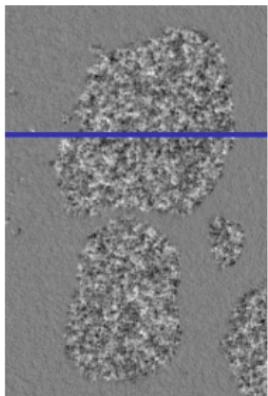


Fit local behavior with power law functions

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \leq C|x - y|^{h(x)}$$

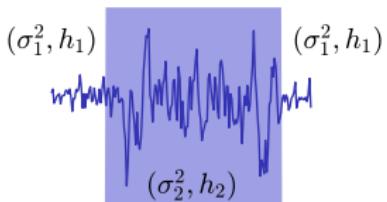
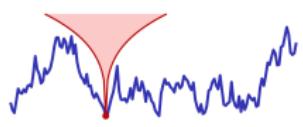
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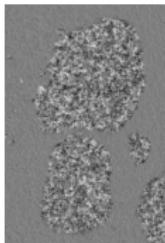
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Segmentation requires local measurement of σ^2 and h .

Texture's attributes estimation

Multiscale analysis

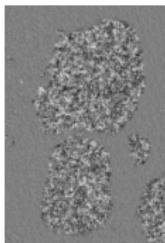
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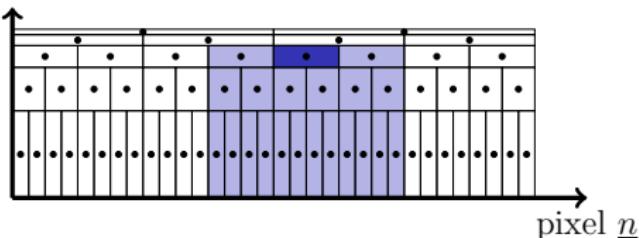
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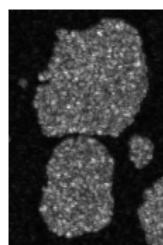
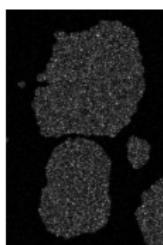
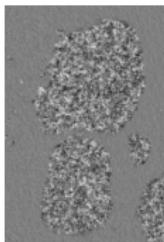
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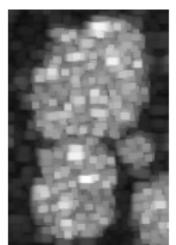
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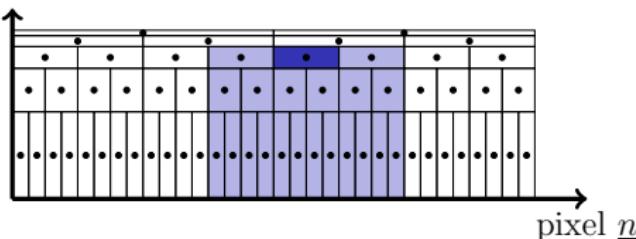
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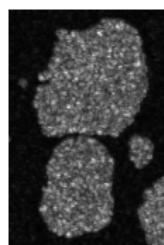
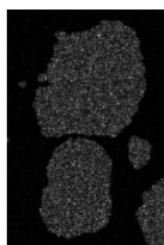
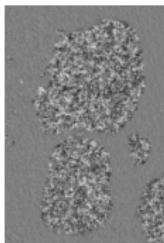
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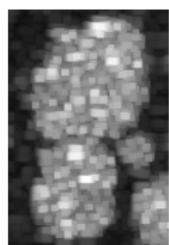
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Log-log linear behavior

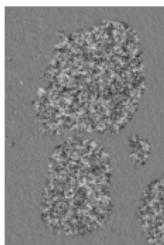
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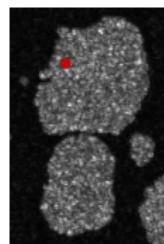
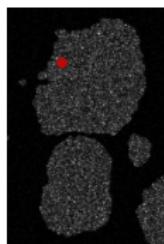


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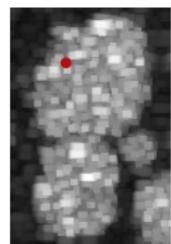
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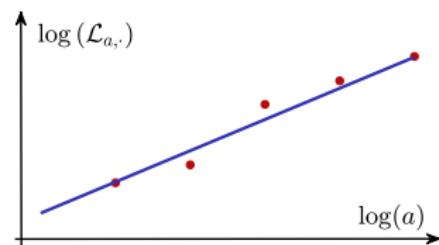
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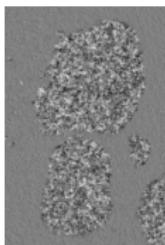
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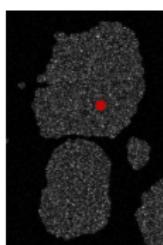
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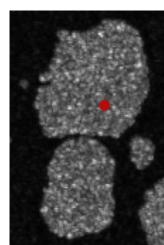


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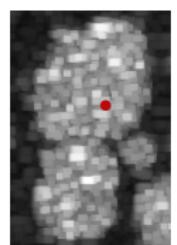


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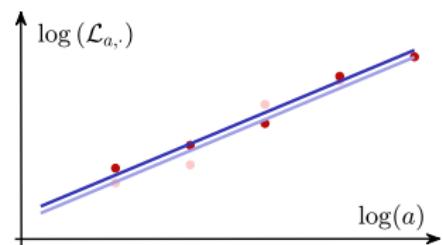
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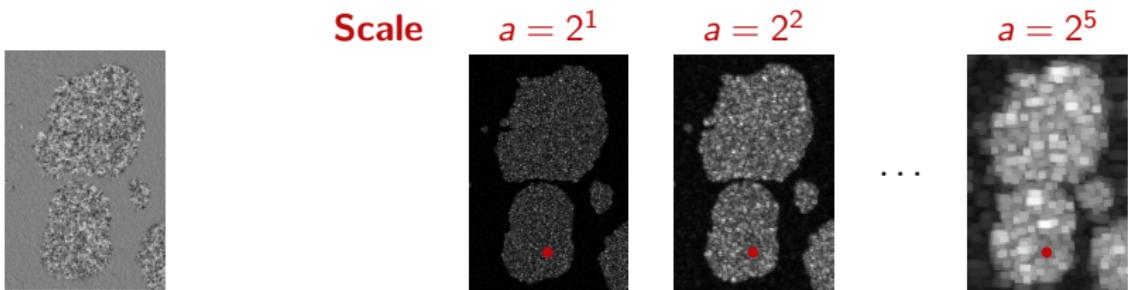
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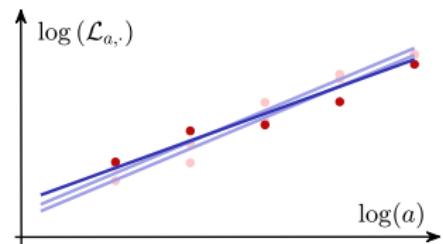
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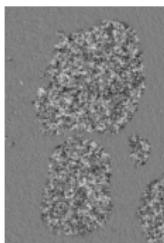
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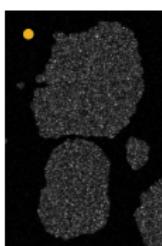
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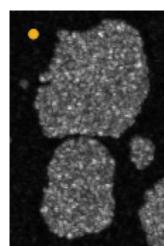
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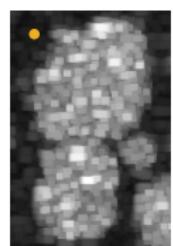


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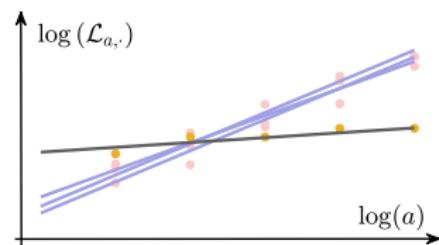
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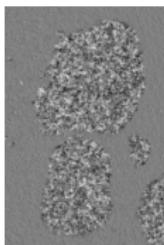
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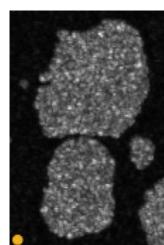
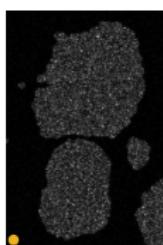


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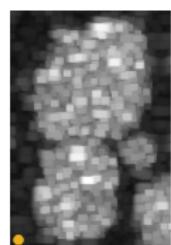
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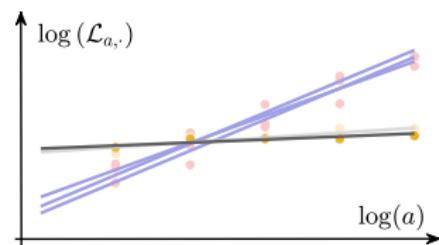
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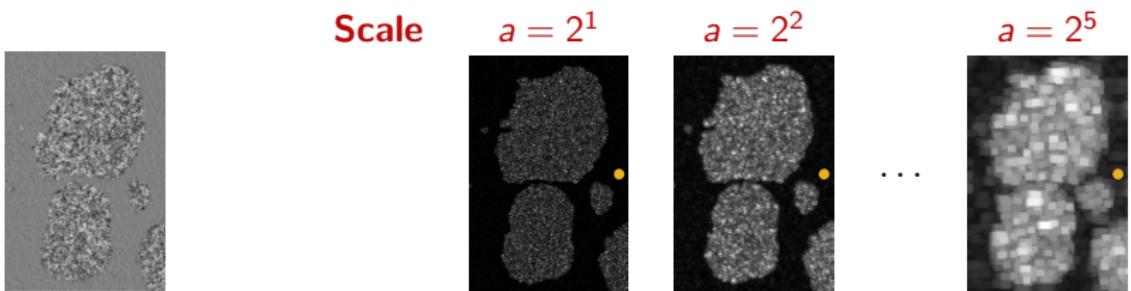
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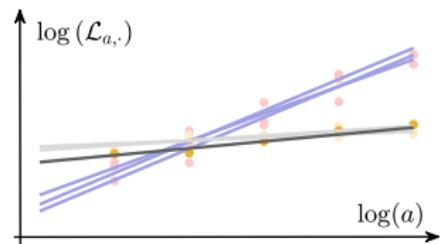
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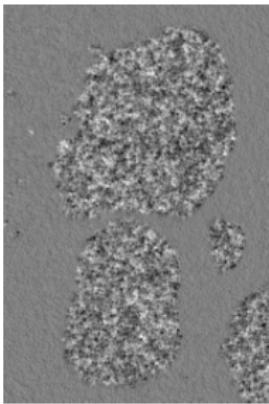
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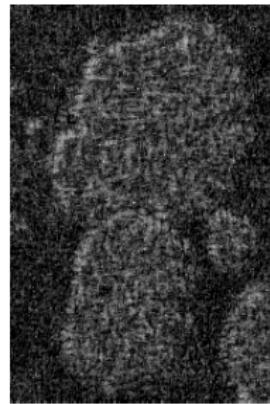
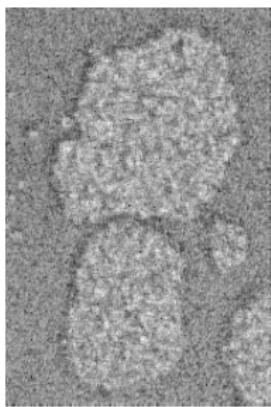
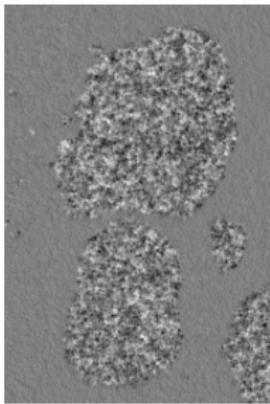
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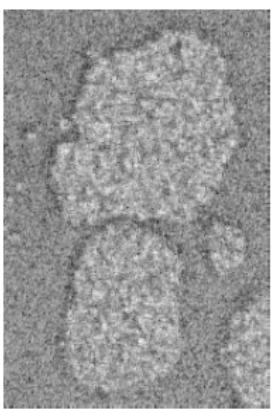
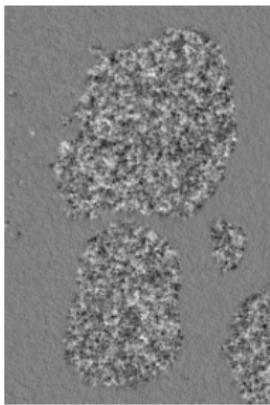
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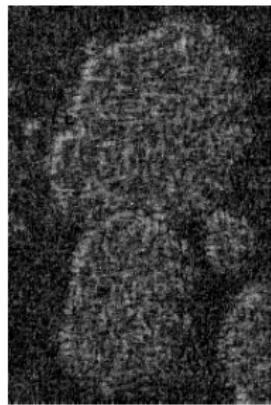
$$\frac{\mathbb{E} \log(\mathcal{L}_{a,\cdot})}{\text{expected value}} \simeq \frac{\mathbf{v}}{\sim \log(\sigma^2)} + \log(a) \frac{\mathbf{h}}{\text{regularity}}$$

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Pointwise linear regression is an estimation from one sample!

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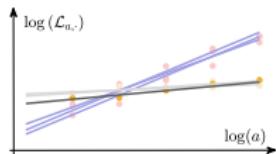
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One-step joint and coupled segmentation as a convex minimization

$$\sum_a \frac{\|\log \mathcal{L}_{a,.} - \mathbf{v} - \log(a)\mathbf{h}\|^2}{\text{Least-Squares}}$$

→ fidelity to log-linear model

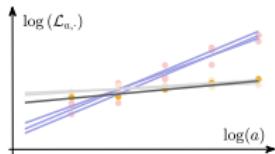


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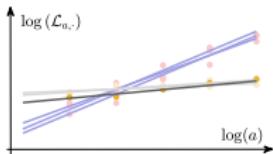


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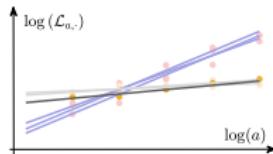


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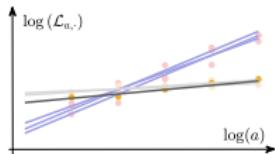
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Discrete differences \mathbf{Hx} (horizontal), \mathbf{Vx} (vertical) at each pixel

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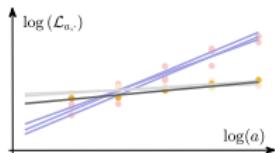
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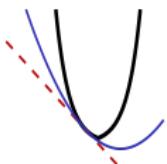


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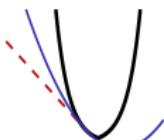
μ -strongly convex

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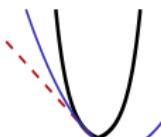
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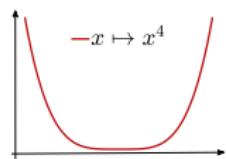
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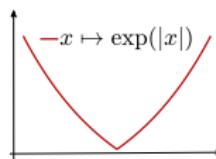
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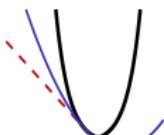


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✓ 1-strongly convex

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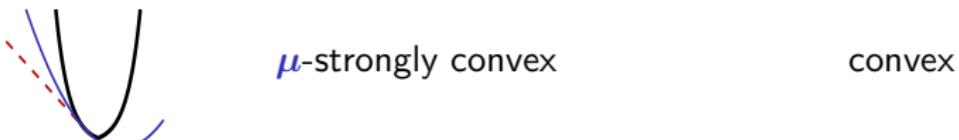
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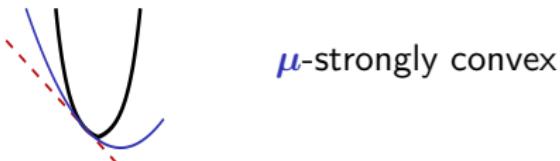
$$\mathbf{H}\text{LS} = 2\mathbf{A}^*\mathbf{A}, \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{A} : (\boldsymbol{v}, \boldsymbol{h}) \mapsto \{\boldsymbol{v} + \log(a)\boldsymbol{h}\}_{a=a_{\min}}^{a_{\max}}$$

$\text{LS}(\boldsymbol{v}, \boldsymbol{h})$ is μ -strongly convex, μ the smallest eigenvalue of $2\mathbf{A}^*\mathbf{A}$

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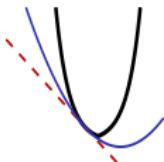
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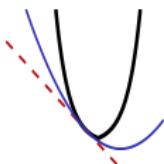
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Accelerated primal-dual algorithm (Chambolle, Pock 11')

$$\mathbf{x}^n = (\boldsymbol{v}^n, \boldsymbol{h}^n), \quad \mathbf{y}^n = (\boldsymbol{u}^n, \ell^n)$$

$$\mathbf{y}^{n+1} = \text{prox}_{\sigma_n \|\cdot\|_{2,1}} (\mathbf{y}^n + \sigma_n \mathbf{D} \bar{\mathbf{x}}^n)$$

$$\mathbf{x}^{n+1} = \text{prox}_{\tau_n \text{LS}} (\mathbf{x}^n - \tau_n \mathbf{D}^* \mathbf{y}^{n+1})$$

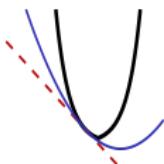
$$\theta_n = \sqrt{1 + 2\mu\tau_n}, \quad \tau_{n+1} = \tau_n / \theta_n, \quad \sigma_{n+1} = \theta_n \sigma_n$$

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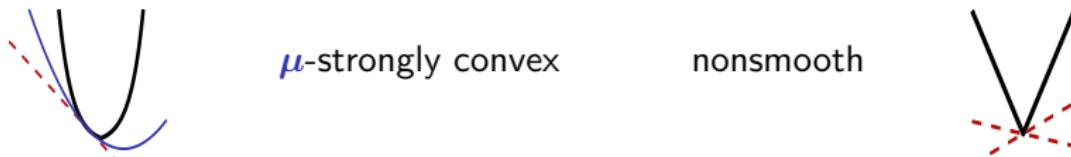
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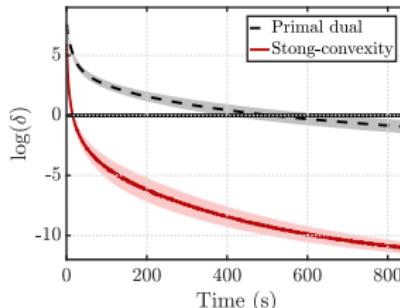
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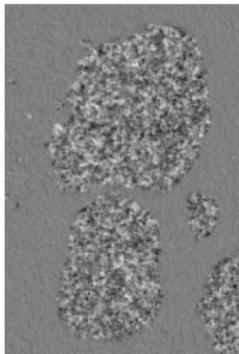


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Iterated thresholding for segmentation

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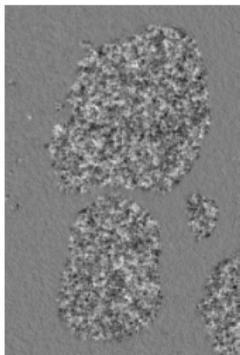


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Textured image Lin. Reg. $\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\text{LR}}$

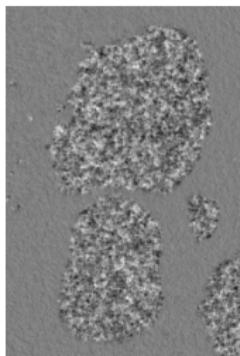


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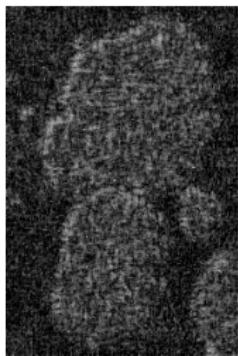
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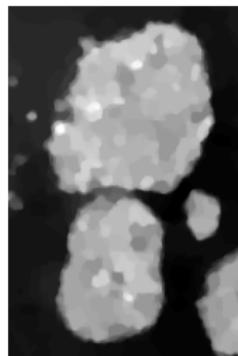
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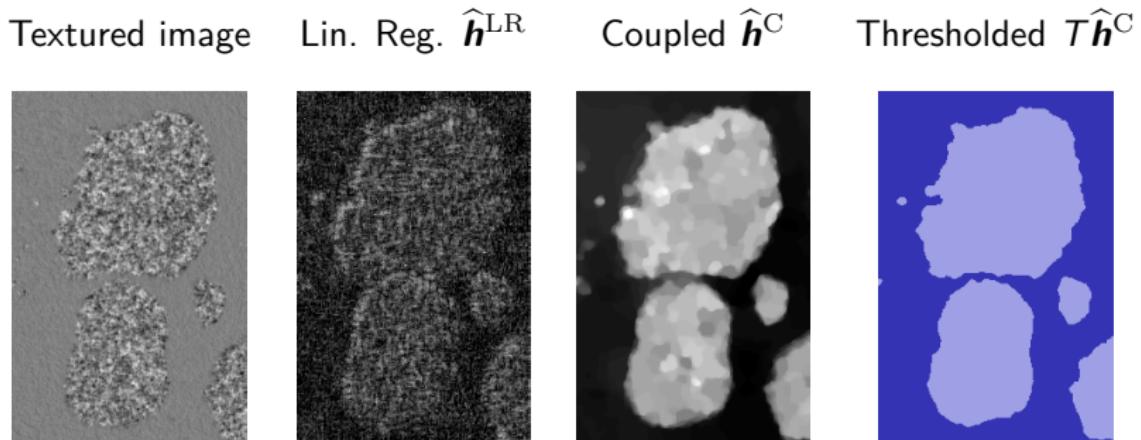
Coupled $\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\text{C}}$



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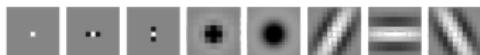


X.Cai, et al., *Multiclass segmentation by iterated ROF thresholding* (2013)

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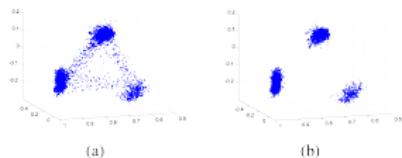


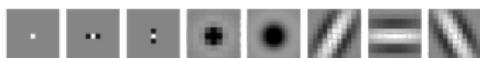
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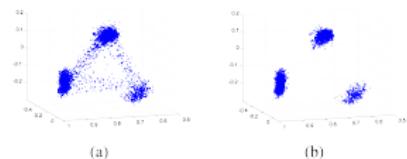


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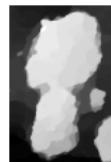
Threshold-ROF on $\hat{\mathbf{h}}^{\text{LR}}$ [Pustelnik 16']

$$\min_{\mathbf{h}} \|\mathbf{h} - \hat{\mathbf{h}}^{\text{LR}}\|^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{D}\mathbf{h}\|_{2,1}$$

Lin. Reg.



ROF



Threshold



Based on regularity \mathbf{h} only.

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Outline – Fractal texture segmentation

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2. Attributes estimation and segmentation

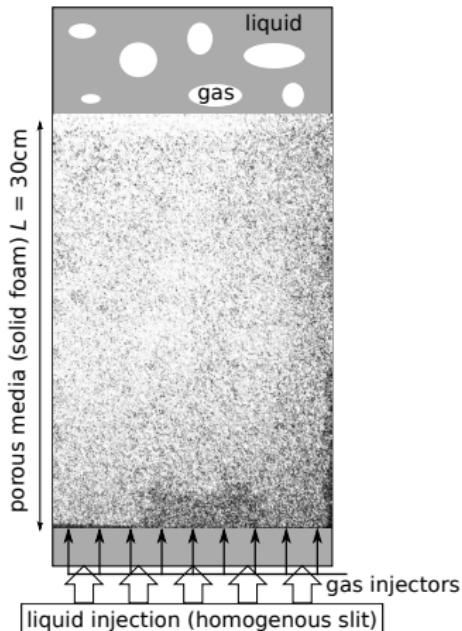
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3. Multiphasic flow segmentation

4. Regularization parameters tuning

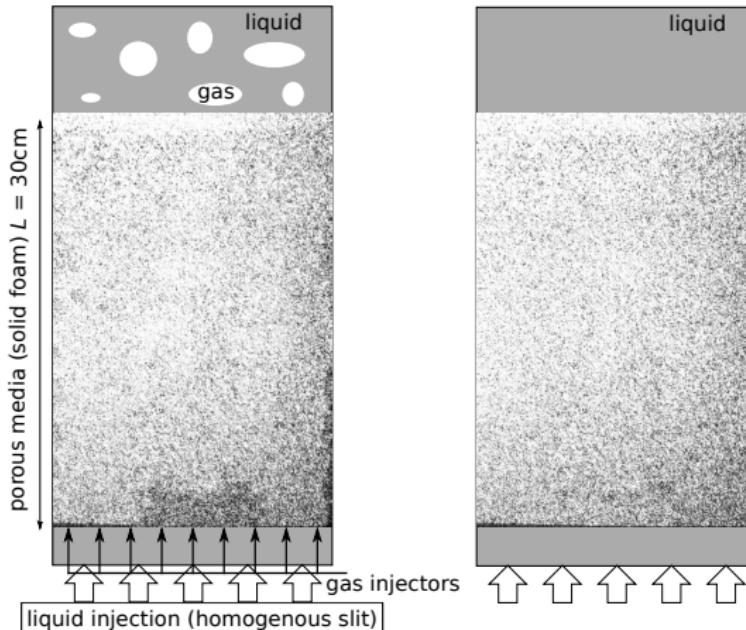
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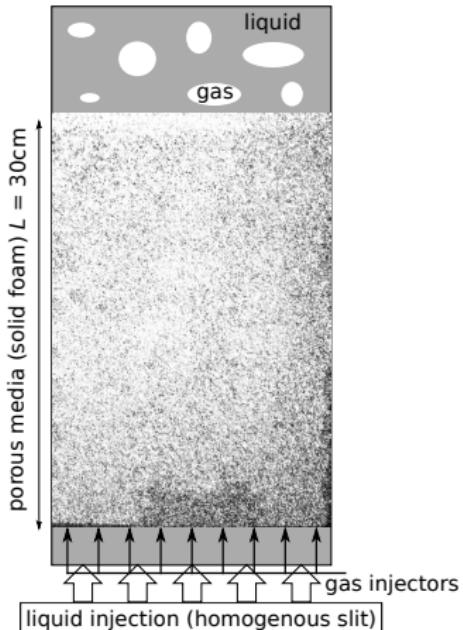
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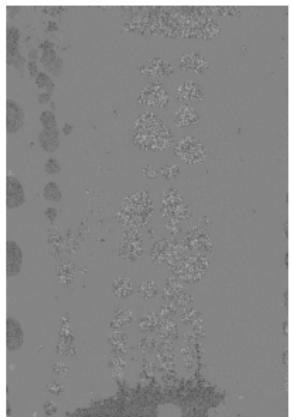


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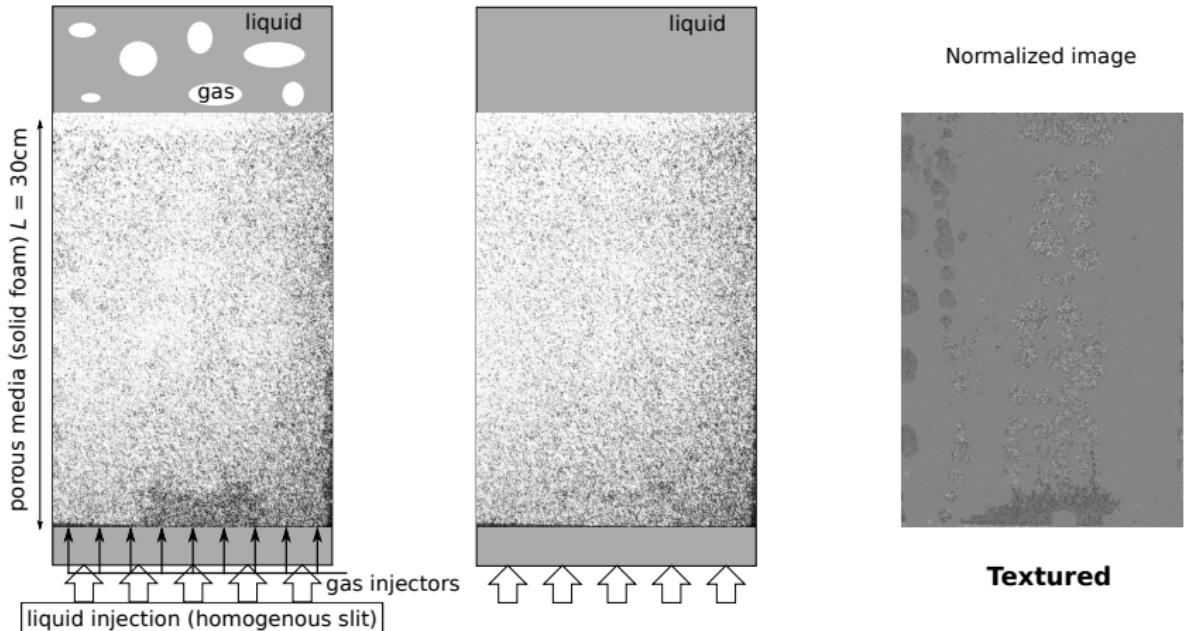
Normalized image



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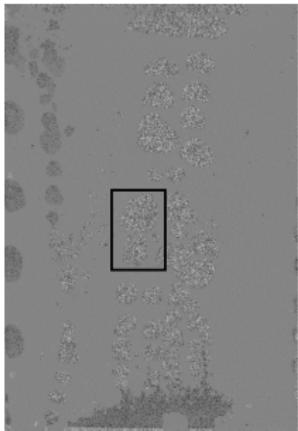


Physical quantities: gas volume & contact surface.

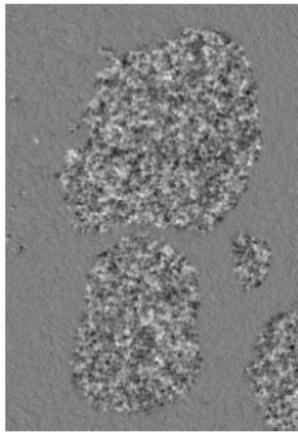
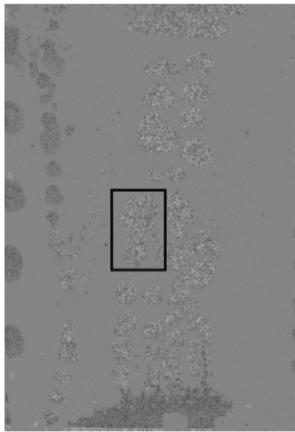
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perimeter

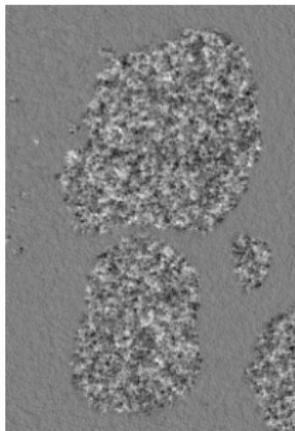
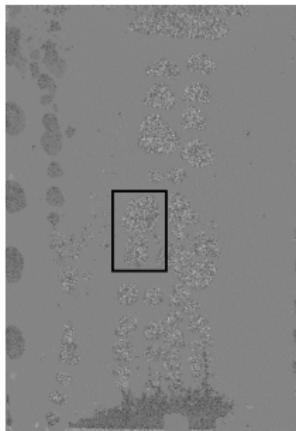
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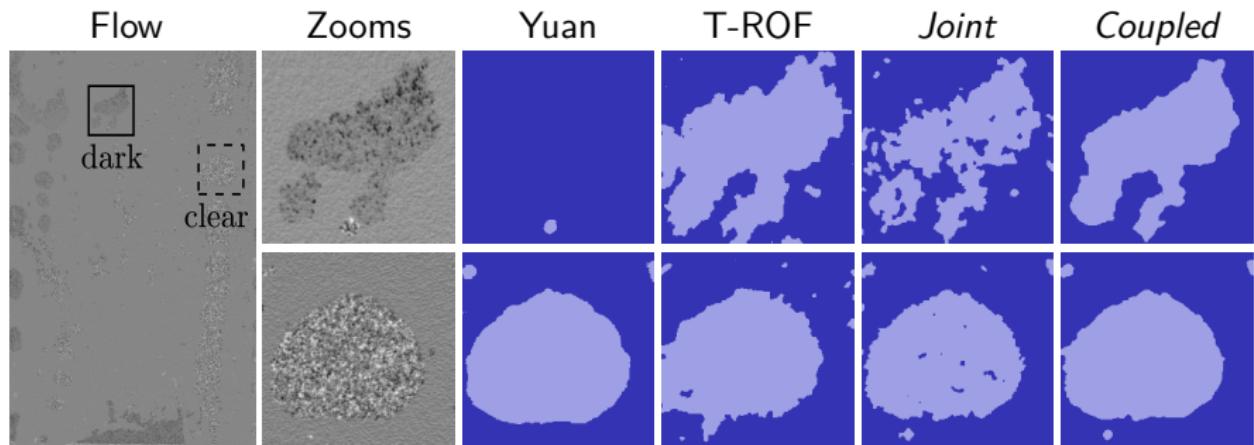


Purpose: obtaining a partition of the image into two regions

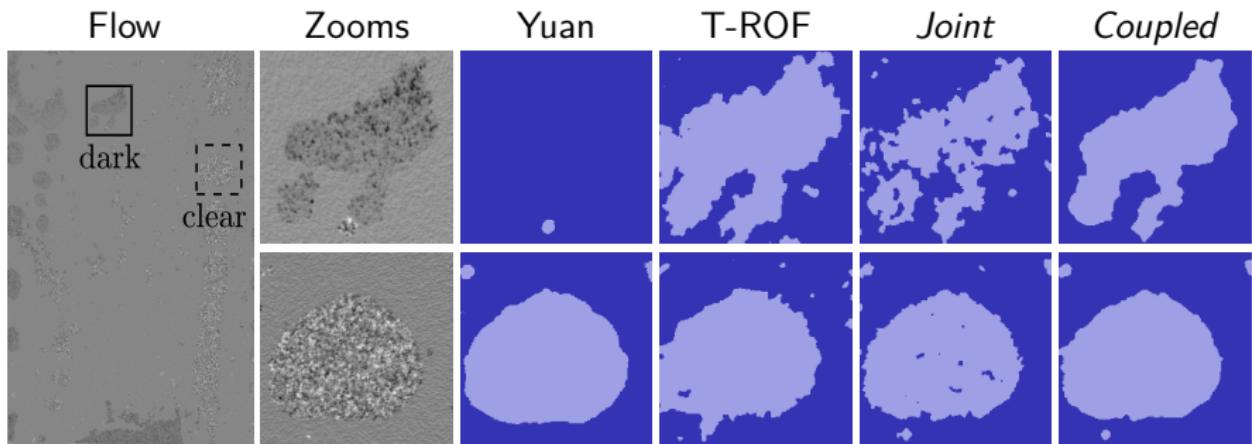
$$\Omega = \Omega_1 \sqcup \Omega_2$$

Ω_1 : liquid, Ω_2 : gas.

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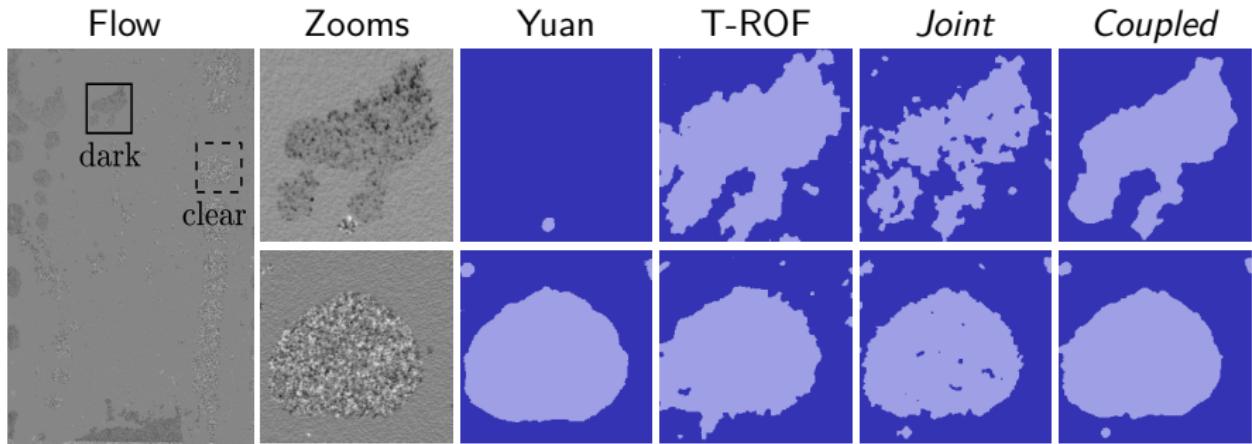
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Liquid: $h_L = 0.4$

Gas: $h_G = 0.9$

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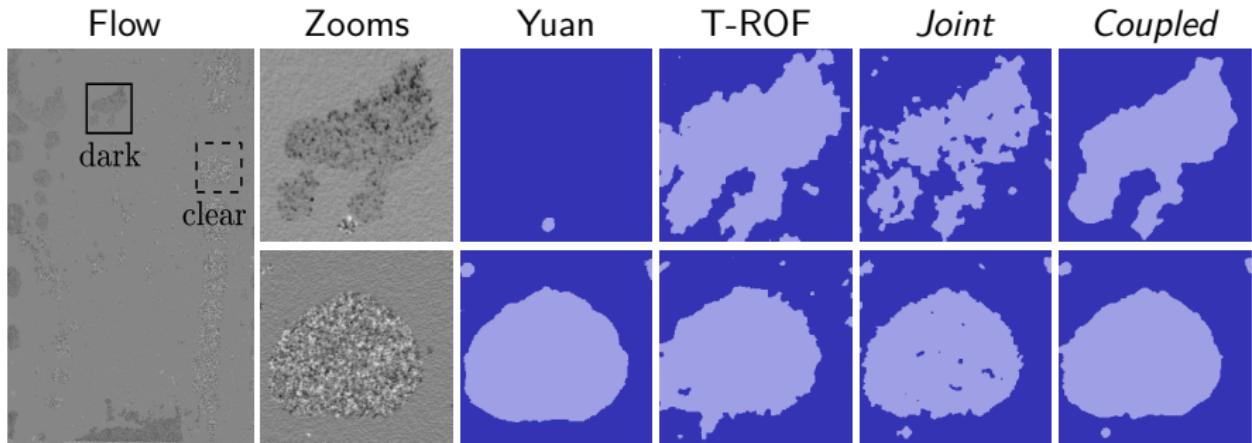
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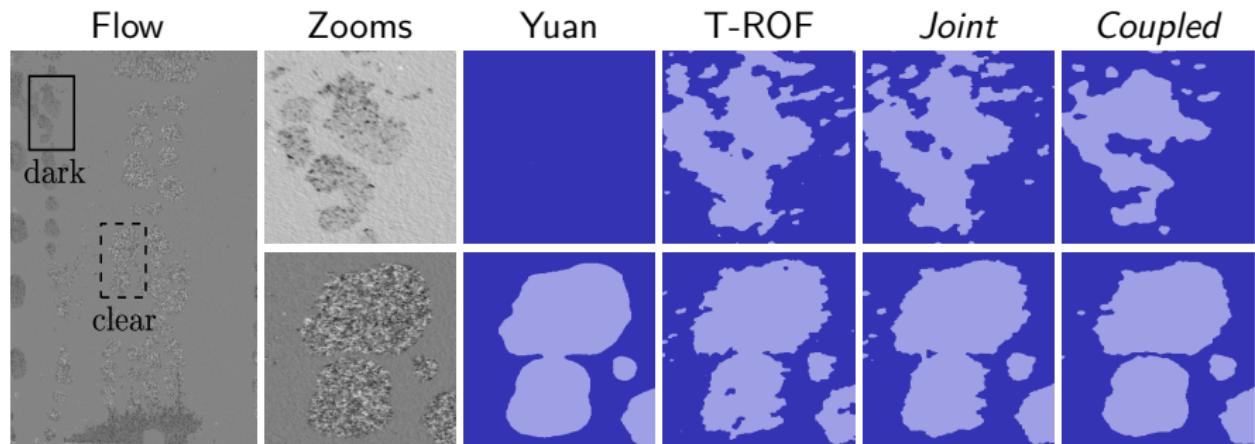


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Multiphasic flow. $Q_G = 400\text{mL/min}$ - $Q_L = 700\text{mL/min}$: transition

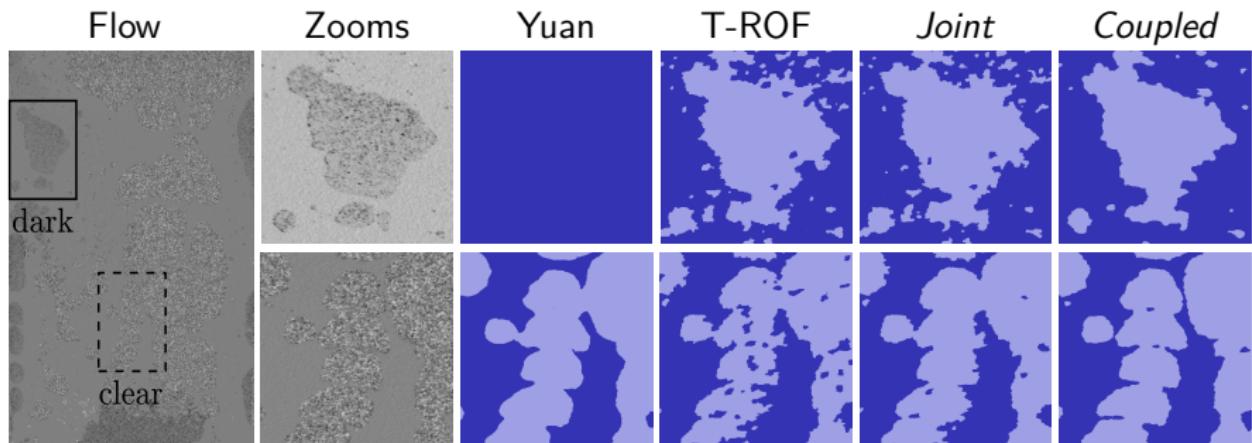


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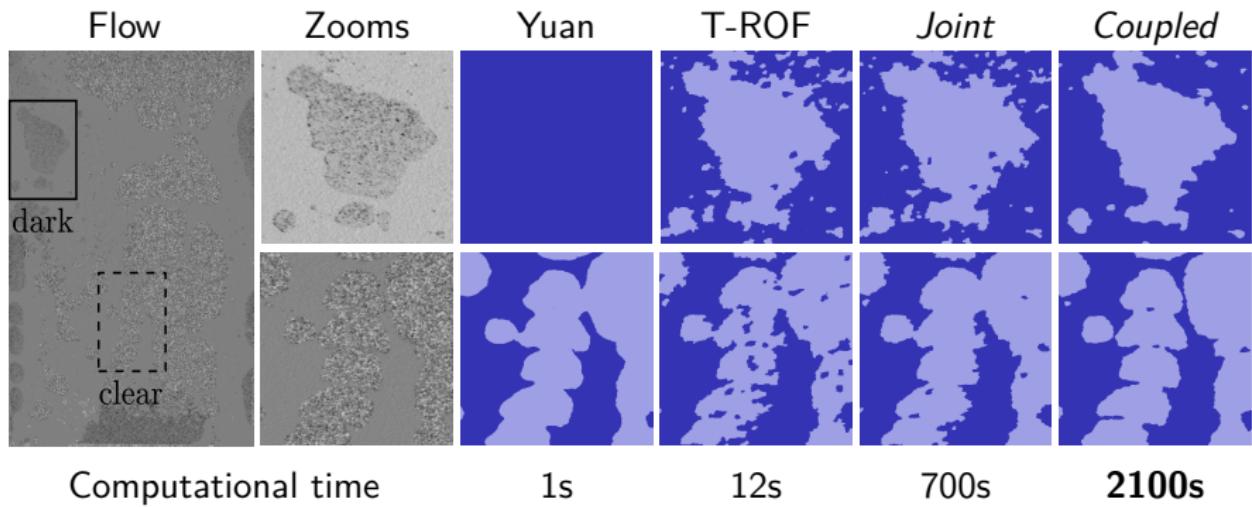


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3. Multiphasic flow segmentation



4. Regularization parameters tuning

Texture's attributes estimation

Hyperparameters tuning

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Lin. Reg. $\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\text{LR}}$



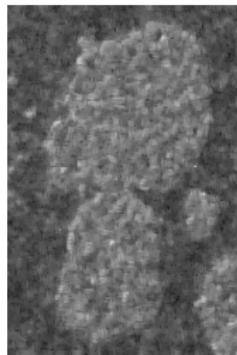
Texture's attributes estimation

Hyperparameters tuning

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Lin. Reg. $\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\text{LR}}$

Too small



Texture's attributes estimation

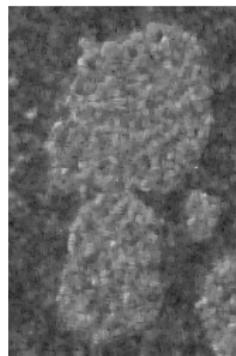
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Lin. Reg. $\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\text{LR}}$



Too small



Too large



Texture's attributes estimation

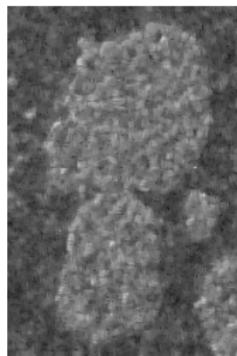
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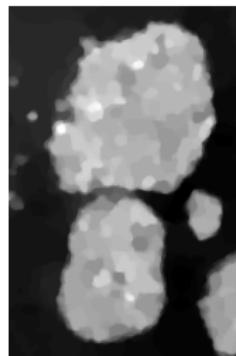
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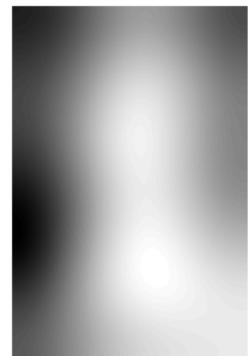
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Optimal



Too large



Texture's attributes estimation

Hyperparameters tuning

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$$\mathcal{R}(\lambda, \alpha) = \left\| \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}_{\lambda, \alpha} - \bar{\boldsymbol{h}} \right\|^2$$

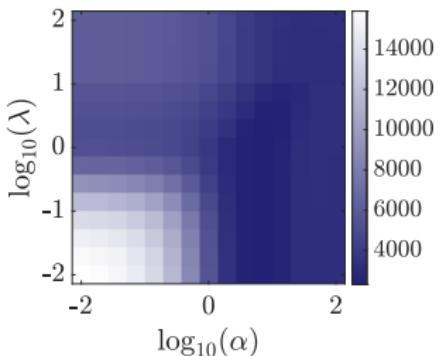
Texture's attributes estimation

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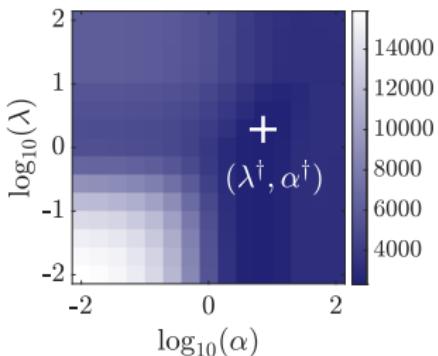
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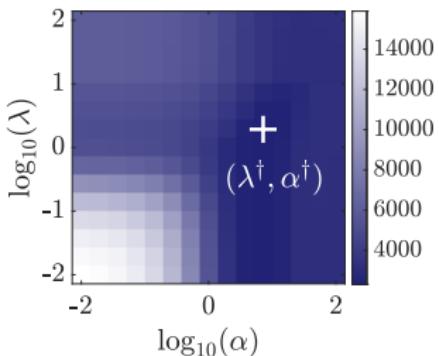
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$\bar{\boldsymbol{h}}$: unknown!

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Texture's attributes estimation

Hyperparameters tuning

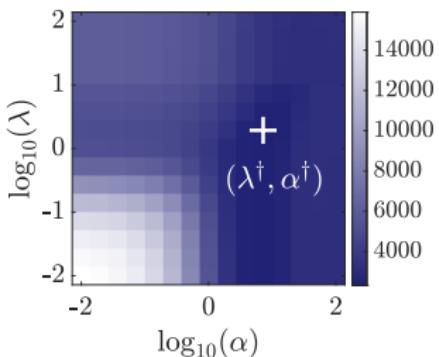
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Stein Unbiased Risk Estimate

$$\mathbb{E}[\widehat{\mathcal{R}}(\lambda, \alpha)] = \mathcal{R}(\lambda, \alpha)$$

ind. of $\bar{\boldsymbol{h}}$

Texture's attributes estimation

Hyperparameters tuning

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Texture's attributes estimation

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Texture's attributes estimation

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Hyperparameters tuning

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Texture's attributes estimation

Hyperparameters tuning

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- Fractal model: $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$ Gaussian with covariance matrix \mathcal{S}

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Thank you for your attention!

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3. Multiphasic flow segmentation



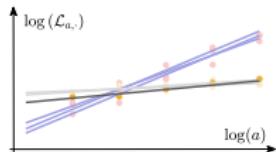
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Texture's attributes estimation

Fine tuning of regularization parameters

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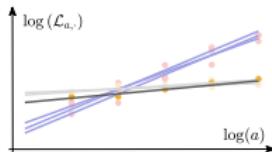


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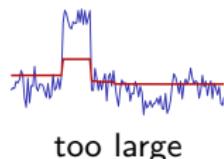
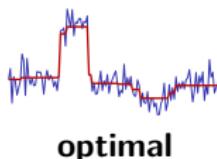
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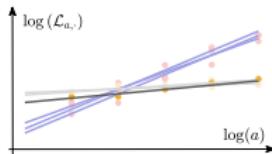


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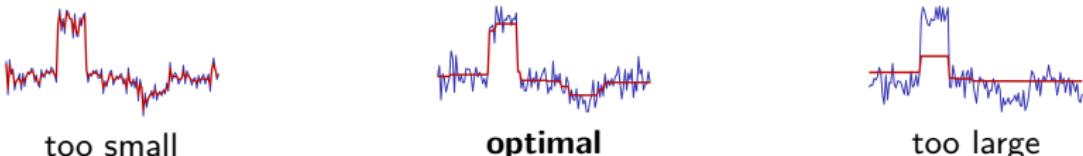
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In practice, we explore a log-spaced grid of $15 \times 15 = 225$ hyperparameters (λ, α) .

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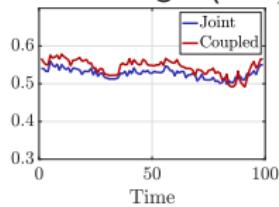
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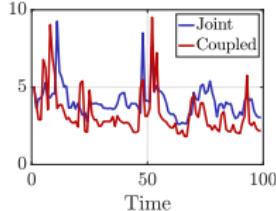
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Fraction of gas (area)



Liquid/gas contact perimeter

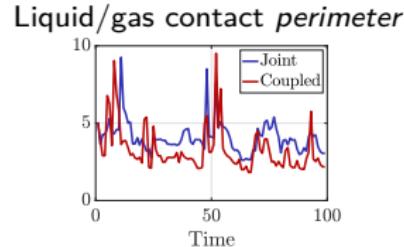
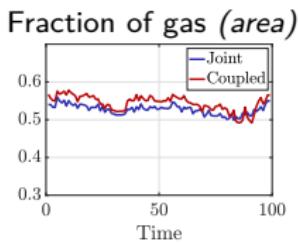


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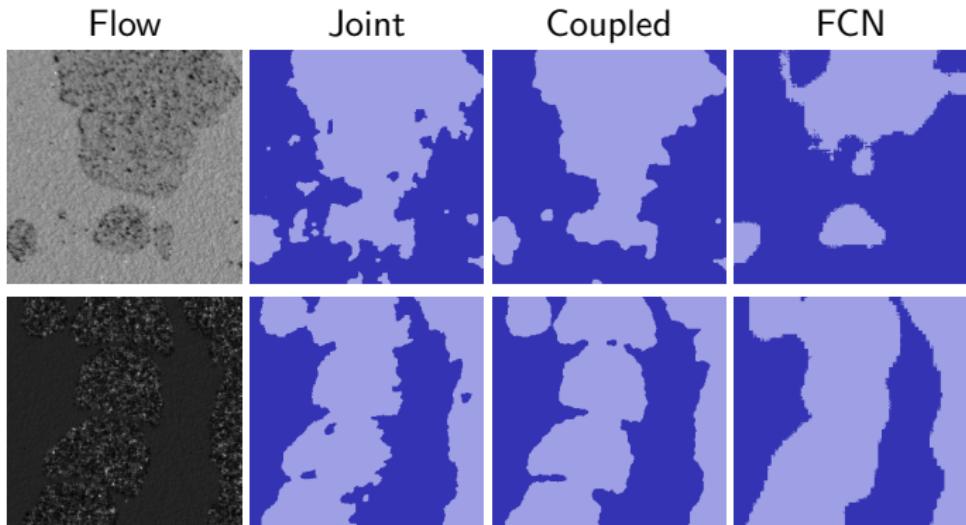


- Automatic tuning of hyperparameters

Stein's Unbiased Risk Estimate $\widehat{\mathcal{R}}(\lambda, \alpha)$

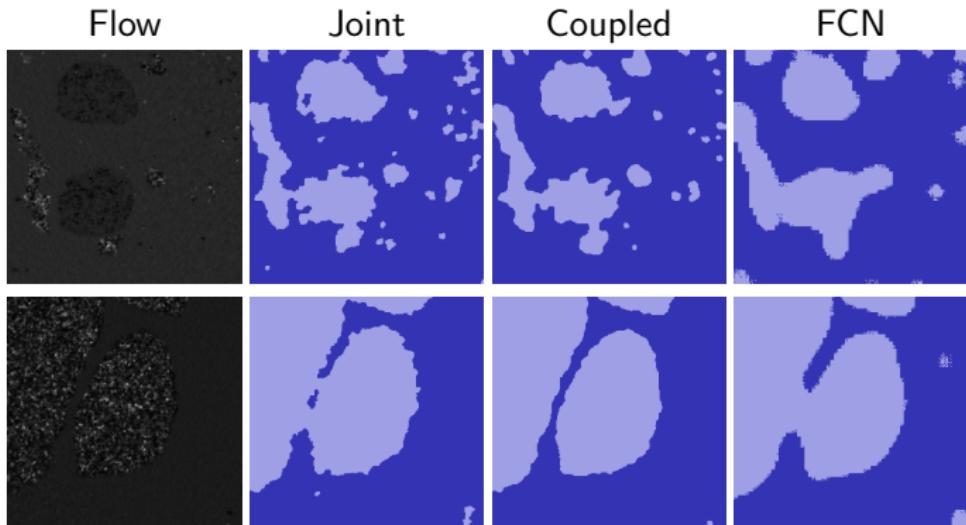
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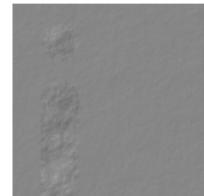
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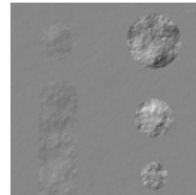
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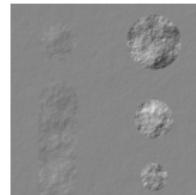
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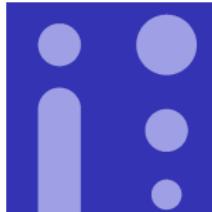


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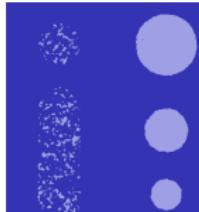


Segmentation performance

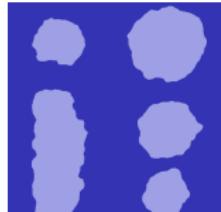
'Gas/Liquid'



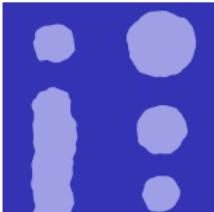
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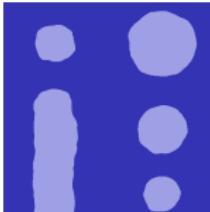
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Coupled 95%



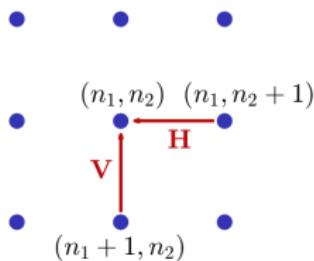
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aim: enforce piecewise behavior of estimate

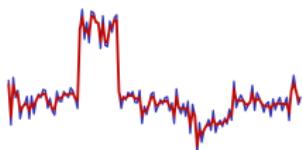


Discrete difference operator

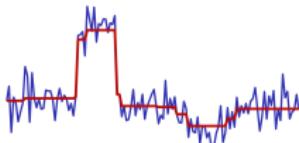
$$(\mathbf{D}\mathbf{x})_{n_1, n_2} := \begin{pmatrix} x_{n_1, n_2+1} - x_{n_1, n_2} \\ x_{n_1+1, n_2} - x_{n_1, n_2} \end{pmatrix} := \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x} \\ \mathbf{V}\mathbf{x} \end{bmatrix}_{n_1, n_2}$$

Total Variation penalization

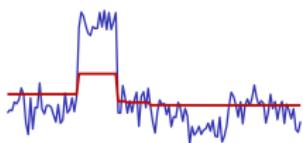
$$\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}) = \|\mathbf{D}\mathbf{x}\|_{2,1} = \sum_{n_1=1}^{N-1} \sum_{n_2=1}^{N-1} \sqrt{(\mathbf{H}\mathbf{x})_{n_1, n_2}^2 + (\mathbf{V}\mathbf{x})_{n_1, n_2}^2}$$



Too small



Optimal



Too large

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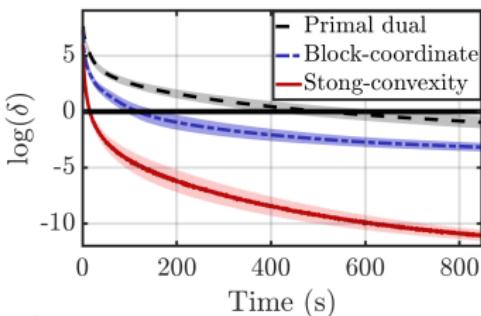
State-of-the-art - Segmentation on \boldsymbol{h} only

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{h}}{\text{minimize}} \|\boldsymbol{h} - \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\text{LR}}\|_2^2 + \lambda \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{h})$$

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{h}, \boldsymbol{\omega}}{\text{minimize}} \|\boldsymbol{h} - \sum_a \boldsymbol{\omega}_a \mathcal{L}_{a,.}\|_2^2 + \lambda \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{h}, \boldsymbol{\omega}; \alpha_a)$$

- ✓ only one parameter λ
- ✓ fast algorithms [Pascal2018]

- ✗ additional constraints on $\{\boldsymbol{\omega}\}_a$
- ✗ time and memory consuming



✗ poor segmentation performance

✓ very good accuracy [Pustelnik2016]

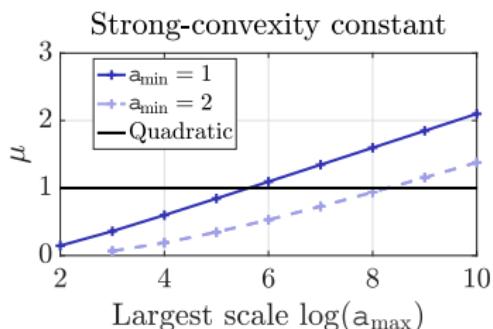
Strong convexity of data fidelity term

$$\text{LS}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) = \sum_{a=a_{\min}}^{a_{\max}} \|\log \mathcal{L}_{a,.} - \mathbf{v} - \log(a)\mathbf{h}\|^2 = \|\log \mathcal{L} - \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h})\|^2$$

where $\mathbf{A} : (\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) \mapsto \{\mathbf{v} + \log(a)\mathbf{h}\}_{a=a_{\min}}^{a_{\max}}$ is linear.

$$\mathbf{HLS}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) = \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{A}_0 \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}_1 \mathbf{I} \\ \mathbf{A}_1 \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{I} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}_m = \sum_{a=a_{\min}}^{a_{\max}} (\log a)^m, \quad \forall m \in \{0, 1, 2\}.$$

Prop: $\text{LS}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h})$ is μ -strongly convex, μ the smallest eigenvalue of $\mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A}$.

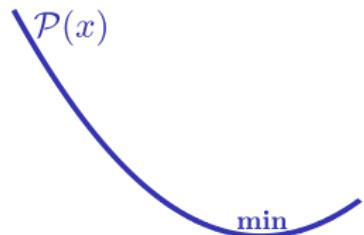


Convergence speed and stopping criterion

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Primal problem

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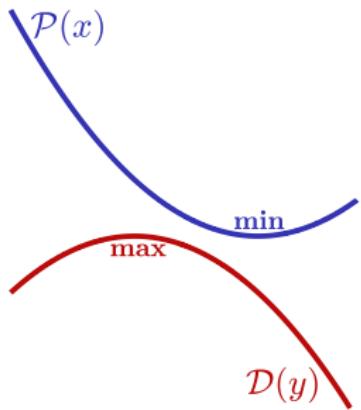
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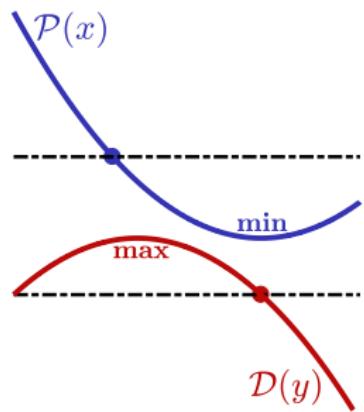
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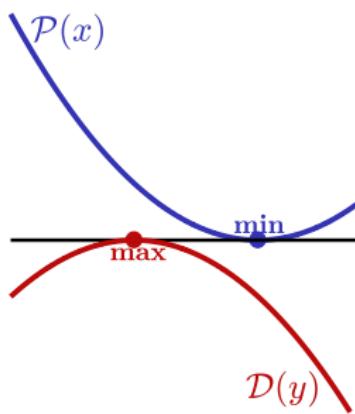
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Characterization of the solution

$$\delta(\hat{x}; \hat{y}) \underset{\text{prop.}}{=} 0$$



Computing the duality gap

For Joint penalization

$$\delta(\quad; \quad)$$

$$= +$$

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$$\delta(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}; \quad)_{\text{primal}} \\ = \text{LS}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) + \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{D}\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{D}\mathbf{h}) +$$

Data fidelity

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Penalization

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$$\begin{aligned} & \delta_{\text{primal dual}}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}; \mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\ell}) \\ = & \text{LS}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) + \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{D}\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{D}\mathbf{h}) + \text{LS}^*(-\mathbf{D}^*\mathbf{u}, -\mathbf{D}^*\boldsymbol{\ell}) + \mathcal{N}^*(\mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\ell}) \end{aligned}$$

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$$\text{LS}^*(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h})$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \langle (\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}), (\mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A})^{-1}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{N}^*(\mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\ell}) = \iota_{B_{2,\infty}(\lambda)}(\mathbf{u}) + \iota_{B_{2,\infty}(\lambda\alpha)}(\boldsymbol{\ell})$$

$B_{2,\infty}(\lambda)$: ball of radius λ w.r.t. $\|\cdot\|_{2,\infty}$.

$$+ \langle (\mathcal{S}, \mathcal{T}), (\mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A})^{-1}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) \rangle$$

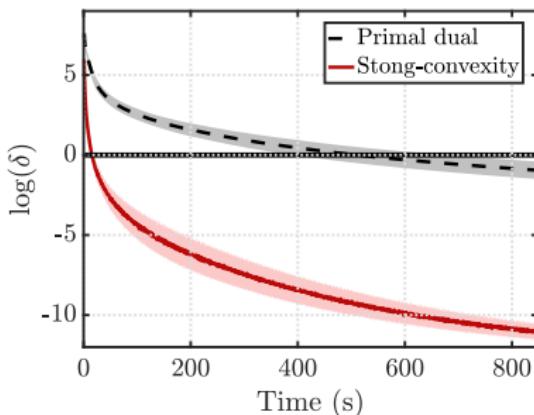
$$+ \mathcal{C}$$

where \mathcal{C} constant term only
depending on $\mathcal{L}_{a,.}$

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- ✓ Significant convergence acceleration
- ✓ Good stopping criterion: $\underline{\delta(\mathbf{v}^n, \mathbf{h}^n; \mathbf{u}^n, \boldsymbol{\ell}^n) \leq 10^{-3}}$

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$$\text{LS}^*(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) = \frac{1}{4} \langle (\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}), (\mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A})^{-1}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) \rangle + \langle (\mathcal{S}, \mathcal{T}), (\mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A})^{-1}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) \rangle + \mathcal{C}$$

where \mathcal{C} constant term only depending on $\mathcal{L}(X)$.

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