

# A Graph Framework for Manifold-valued Data

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# Introduction

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# The graph

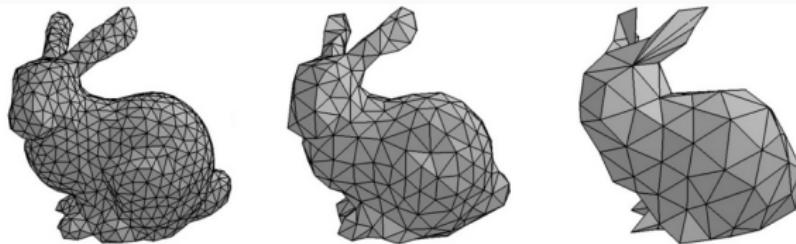
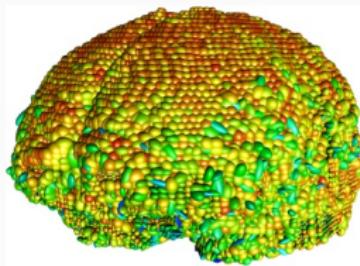
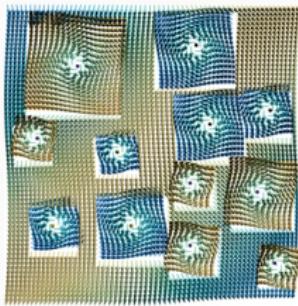


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Same setting as in the last talk by Daniel:  
Data given on a directed graph  $G = (V, E, w)$  with

- a finite set of nodes  $V$
- a finite set of directed edges  $E \subset V \times V$
- a (symmetric) weight function  $w : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ ,  
$$w(u, v) = 0 \text{ for } v \not\simeq u.$$

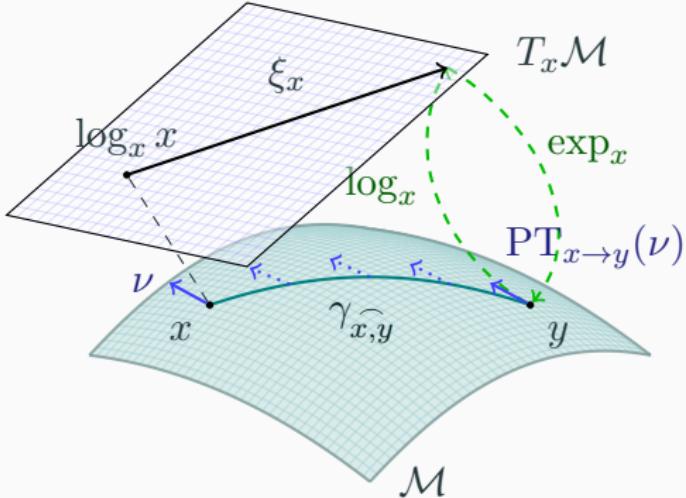
# Manifold-valued functions



Our data  $f: V \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  is **manifold-valued**, e.g.,

- $\mathbb{S}^1$  InSAR, HSI(HSV) color space, phase space
- $\mathbb{S}^2$  directions, chromaticity-brightness colorspace
- $\text{SO}(3)/\mathcal{S}$  orientations, electron backscattered diffraction
- $\mathcal{P}(s)$  DT-MRI, covariance matrices

# Notations on a Riemannian manifold $\mathcal{M}$



**geodesic**  $\gamma_{x,y}$  shortest path (on  $\mathcal{M}$ ) connecting  $x, y \in \mathcal{M}$ .

**tangential plane**  $T_x \mathcal{M}$  at  $x$ ,  $T\mathcal{M} := \cup_{x \in \mathcal{M}} T_x \mathcal{M}$

**logarithmic map**  $\log_x y = \dot{\gamma}_{x,y}(0)$ , “velocity towards  $y$ ”

**exponential map**  $\exp_x \xi_x = \gamma(1)$ , where  $\gamma(0) = x$ ,  $\dot{\gamma}(0) = \xi_x$

**parallel transport**  $\text{PT}_{x \rightarrow y}(\nu)$  of  $\nu \in T_x \mathcal{M}$  along  $\gamma_{x,y}$

# The Graph Framework

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# The basic idea

Real-valued case

$$\mathcal{H}(V; \mathbb{R}^m) = \{f: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m\}$$

Manifold-valued case

$$\mathcal{H}(V; \mathcal{M}) := \{f: V \rightarrow \mathcal{M}\}$$

Space of edge functions

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}(E; \mathbb{R}^m) = & \{H: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m, \\ & H(u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^m, (u, v) \in E\}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}(E; T_f \mathcal{M}) = & \{H_f: E \rightarrow T\mathcal{M}, \\ & H_f(u, v) \rightarrow T_{f(u)} \mathcal{M}, (u, v) \in E\}\end{aligned}$$

Gradient

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla f(u, v) \\ = \sqrt{w(u, v)}(f(v) - f(u))\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla f(u, v) \\ := \sqrt{w(u, v)} \log_{f(u)} f(v) \\ \in T_{f(u)} \mathcal{M}\end{aligned}$$

Local variation

$$\begin{aligned}\|\nabla f\|_{p, f(u)}^p \\ = \sum_{v \sim u} \sqrt{w(u, v)}^p \|f(v) - f(u)\|^p\end{aligned}$$

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## (Local) divergence

What is  $\langle \nabla f, H \rangle = \langle f, \nabla^* H \rangle$ ,  $\nabla^* = -\operatorname{div}$ , on a manifold?

# (Local) divergence

## Theorem [RB, Tenbrinck, 2017]

For  $f \in \mathcal{H}(V; \mathcal{M})$ ,  $H_f \in \mathcal{H}(E; T_f \mathcal{M})$ , we have

$$\langle \nabla f, H_f \rangle_{\mathcal{H}(E; T_f \mathcal{M})} = \sum_{u \in V} \sum_{v \sim u} \langle \log_{f(u)} f(v), -\operatorname{div} H_f(u) \rangle_{f(u)},$$

where the **local divergence** is given by

$$\operatorname{div} H_f(u)$$

$$:= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{v \sim u} \sqrt{w(v, u)} \operatorname{PT}_{f(v) \rightarrow f(u)} H_f(v, u) - \sqrt{w(u, v)} H_f(u, v)$$

## Remark

By antisymmetry  $\nabla f(u, v) = -\operatorname{PT}_{f(v) \rightarrow f(u)} \nabla f(v, u) \in T_{f(u)} \mathcal{M}$   
we get

$$\operatorname{div}(\nabla f)(u) = - \sum_{v \sim u} w(u, v) \log_{f(u)} f(v)$$

# The manifold-valued graph $p$ -Laplacians

We define the  $p$ -Graph-Laplacians:

- **anisotropic**  $\Delta_p^a: \mathcal{H}(V; \mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}(V; T\mathcal{M})$  by

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_p^a f(u) &\coloneqq \operatorname{div}(\|\nabla f\|_{f(\cdot)}^{p-2} \nabla f)(u) \\ &= - \sum_{v \sim u} \sqrt{w(u, v)}^p d_{\mathcal{M}}^{p-2}(f(u), f(v)) \log_{f(u)} f(v)\end{aligned}$$

- **isotropic**  $\Delta_p^i: \mathcal{H}(V; \mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}(V; T_f \mathcal{M})$  by

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_p^i f(u) &\coloneqq \operatorname{div}(\|\nabla f\|_{2, f(\cdot)}^{p-2} \nabla f)(u) \\ &= - b_i(u) \sum_{v \sim u} w(u, v) \log_{f(u)} f(v),\end{aligned}$$

where

$$b_i(u) \coloneqq \|\nabla f\|_{2, f(u)}^{p-2} = \left( \sum_{v \sim u} w(u, v) d_{\mathcal{M}}^2(f(u), f(v)) \right)^{\frac{p-2}{2}}.$$

# Variational optimization problems

**Goal:** A Minimizer of a Variational Model  $\mathcal{E}: \mathcal{H}(V; \mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

the **anisotropic** energy functional

[Lellmann, Strekalovskiy, Kötters, Cremers, '13; Weinmann, Demaret, Storath, '14; RB, Persch, Steidl, '16]

$$\mathcal{E}_a(f) := \frac{\lambda}{2} \sum_{u \in V} d_{\mathcal{M}}^2(f_0(u), f(u)) + \frac{1}{p} \sum_{(u,v) \in E} \|\nabla f(u, v)\|_{f(u)}^p,$$

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# Optimality conditions

For  $e \in \{a, i\}$  and any  $u \in V$  we have for a minimizer

$$0 \stackrel{!}{=} \Delta_p^e f(u) - \lambda \log_{f(u)} f_0(u) \in T_{f(u)} \mathcal{M}.$$

**Algorithm I.** Forward difference or explicit scheme:

$$f_{n+1}(u) = \exp_{f_n(u)} (\Delta t (\Delta_p^e f_n(u) - \lambda \log_{f_n(u)} f_0(u)))$$

! to meet CFL conditions: small  $\Delta t$  necessary

**Algorithm II.** Jacobi iteration

$$f_{n+1}(u) = \exp_{f_n(u)} \left( \frac{\sum_{v \sim u} b(u, v) \log_{f_n(u)} f_n(v) + \lambda \log_{f_n(u)} f_0(u)}{\lambda + \sum_{v \sim u} b(u, v)} \right),$$

$$b(u, v) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{w(u, v)}^p d_{\mathcal{M}}^{p-2}(f(u), f(v)), & e = a, \\ b_i(u), & e = i. \end{cases}$$

## Numerical Examples

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# Evolution for the graph $p$ -Laplacian

- $\mathcal{M} = \mathbb{S}^2$
- $V = \{1, \dots, 64\} \times \{1, \dots, 64\}$  pixel grid
- $E$  is the 4-neighborhood, Neumann boundary



$f_0$

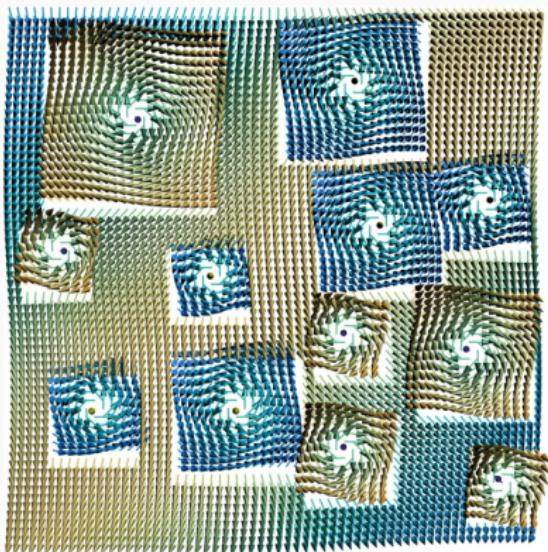
$\lambda = 0$  (no data term)

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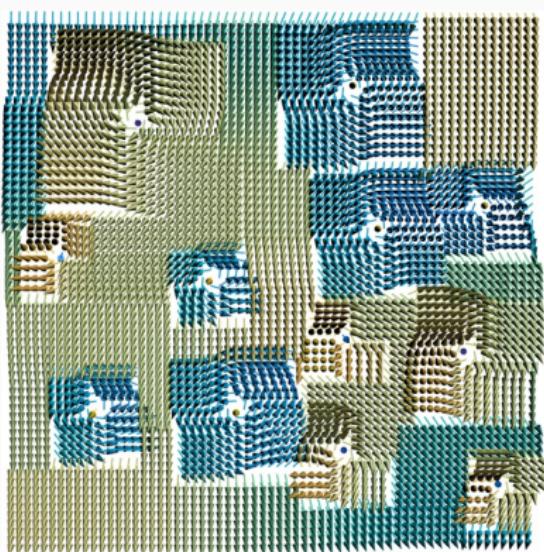
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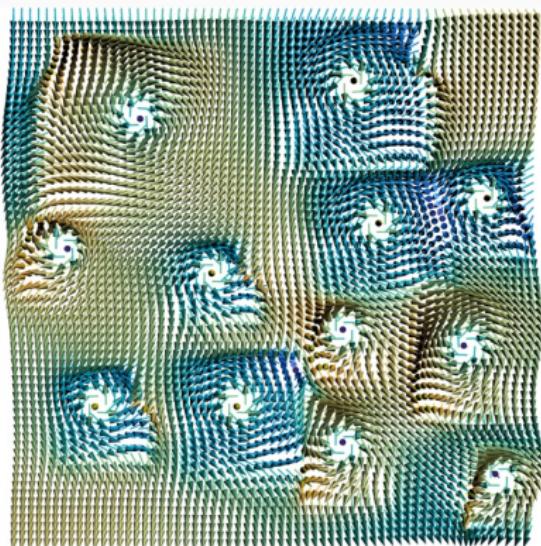
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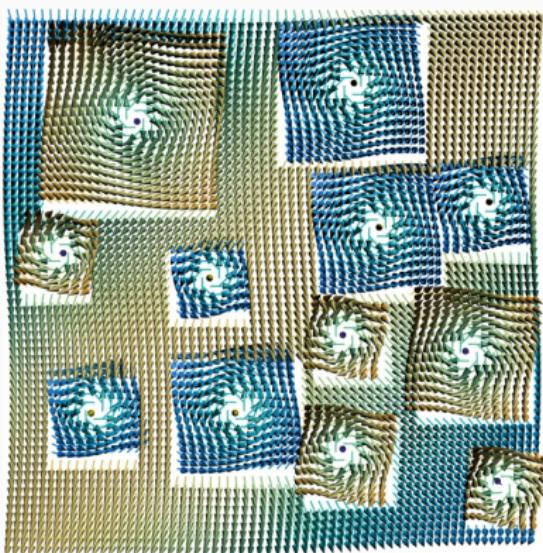
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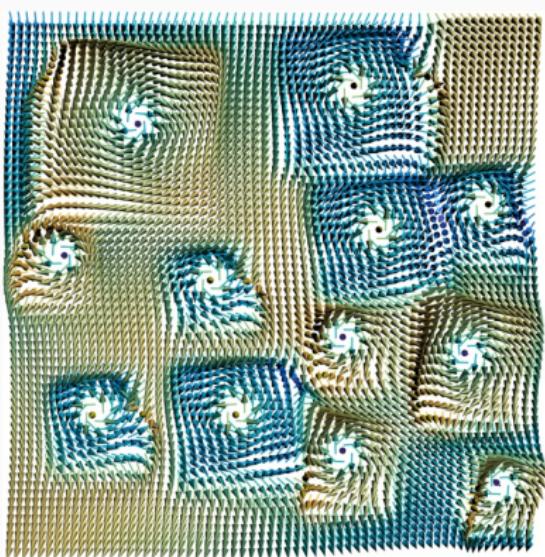
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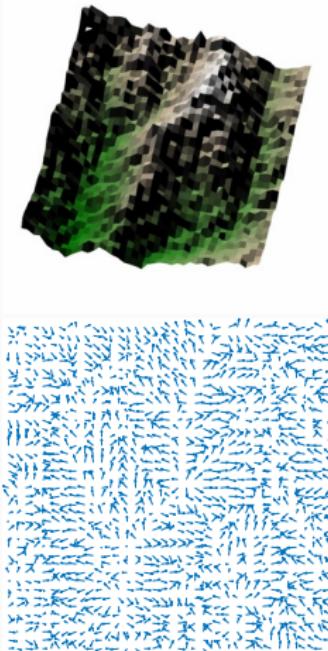
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# Local image denoising

Light Detection and Ranging data (LiDaR),  $40 \times 40$  pixel

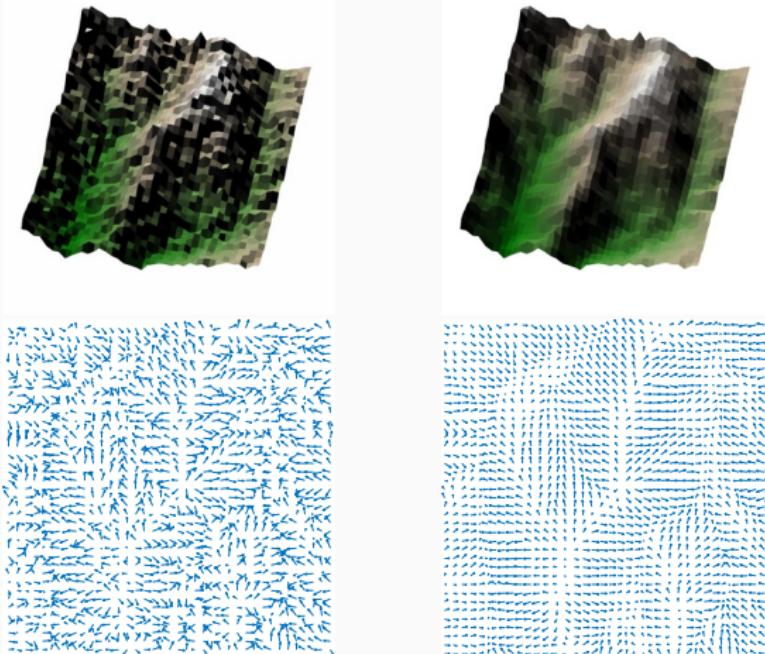


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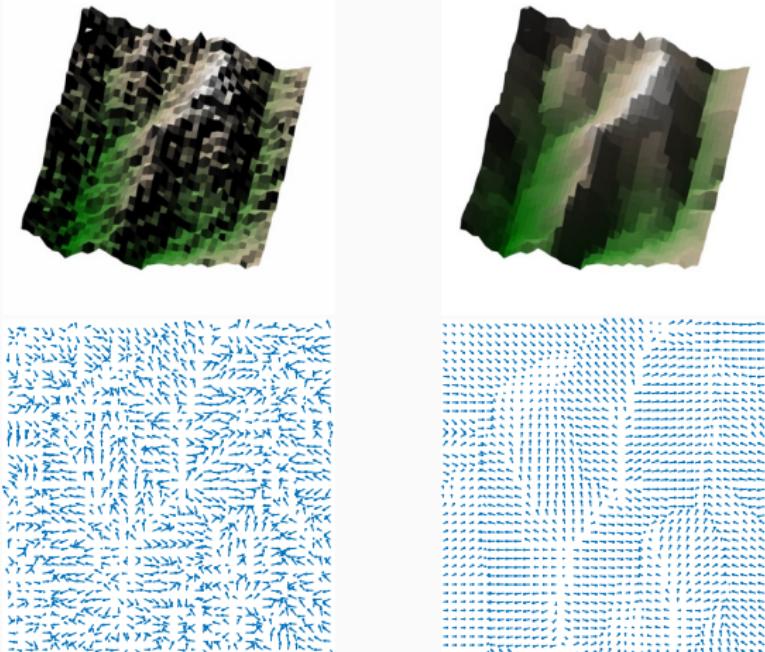
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$p = 2, \lambda = 0.5,$   
(an)isotrop.

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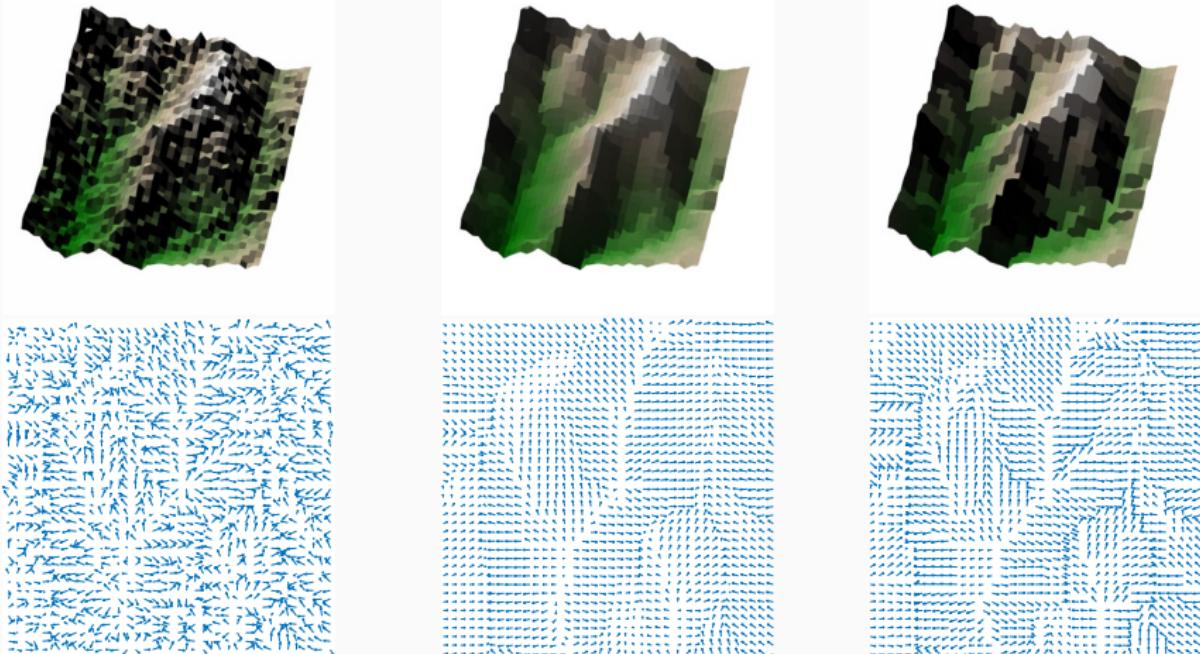
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anisotrop.

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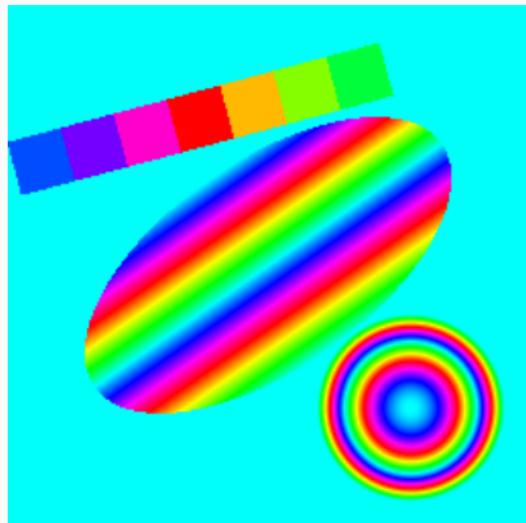
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$p = 1, \lambda = 2,$   
anisotrop.

$p = 0.1, \lambda = 1,$   
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# Nonlocal image denoising

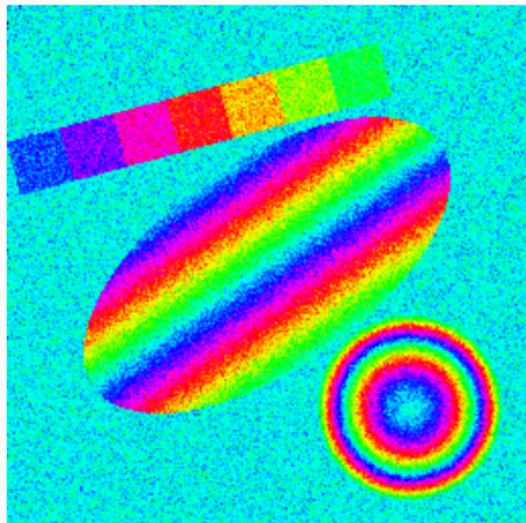
- $\mathcal{M} = \mathbb{S}^1$ , phase in  $[-\pi, \pi)$ , color: hue
- $V = \{1, \dots, 256\} \times \{1, \dots, 256\}$  pixel grid
- $E$  from 12 most similar pixels w.r.t.  $17 \times 17$  patch distances



original.

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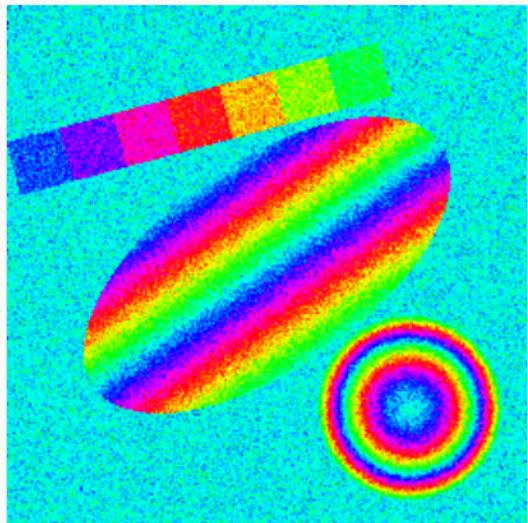
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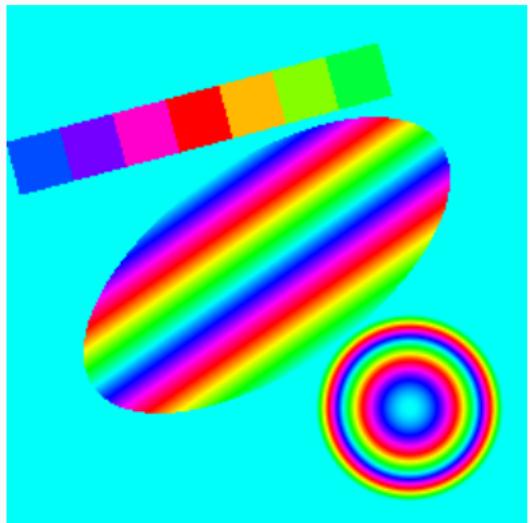
wrapped Gaussian,  $\sigma = 0.3$ .

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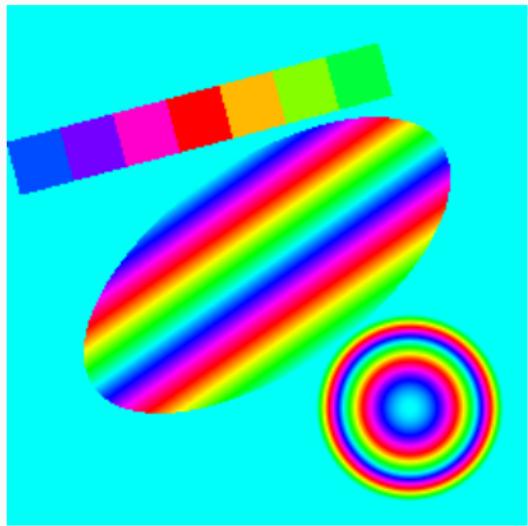
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[Laus et al., 2017]

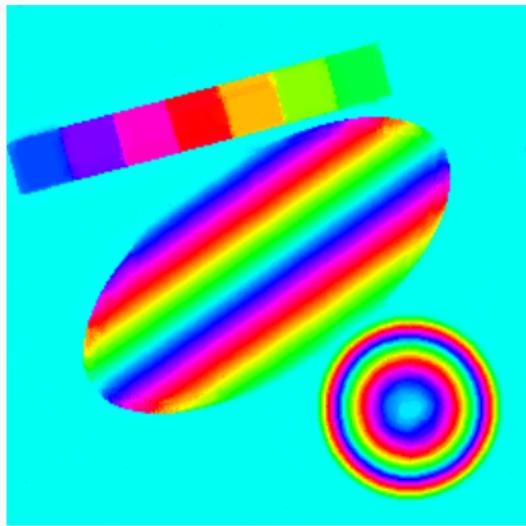
$$\varepsilon = 2.50 \times 10^{-3}$$

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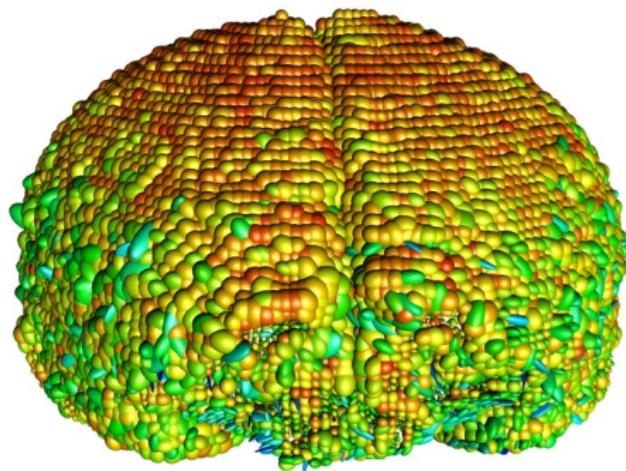
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anisotropic,  $p = 1$ ,  $\lambda = 2^{-8}$ ,  
 $\varepsilon = 2.67 \times 10^{-3}$ .

## Local denoising on a surface

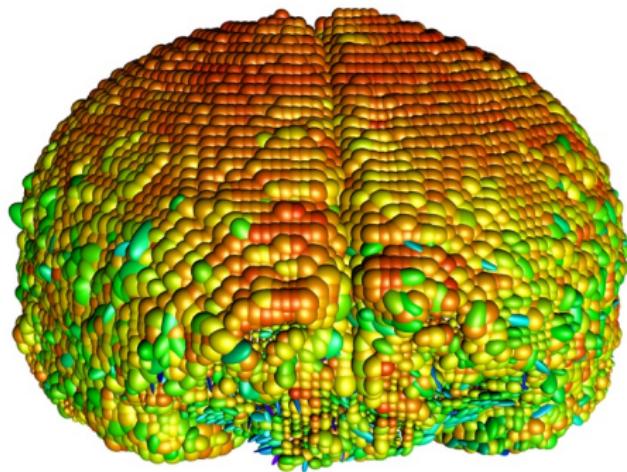
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$\lambda = 50$ , anisotropic 1-Laplace.

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## Future work

- other graph based PDEs (Eikonal,  $\infty$ -Laplacian)
- other image processing tasks (segmentation, inpainting)
- other numerical schemes

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