

# Breast Ultrasound Image Segmentation: an optimization approach based on super-pixels and high-level descriptors

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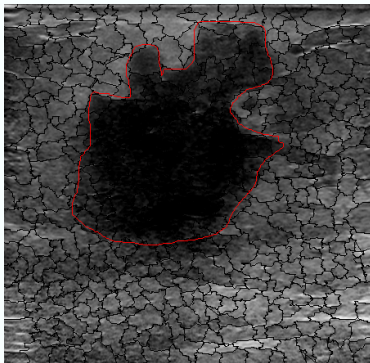


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Data 12CVB InterIntraObserver  
ComputerAidedDiagnosisCAD  
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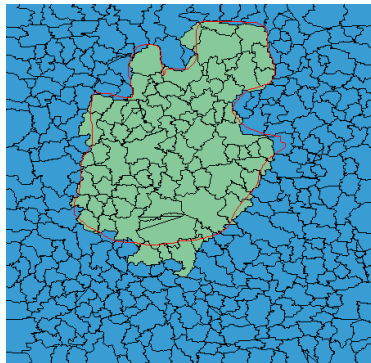


## Qualitative results

### Super-pixel classification vs Area-Overlap



(a) Original Image, Ground Truth and Super-Pixels delineation.

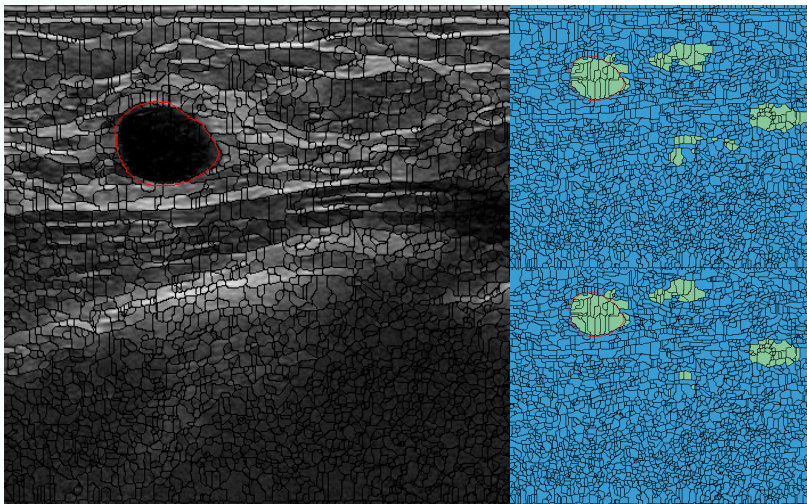


(b)  $\{\text{lesion}, \overline{\text{lesion}}\}$  labeling results, GT and SP delineation.



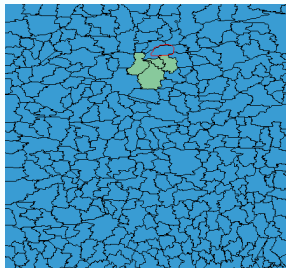
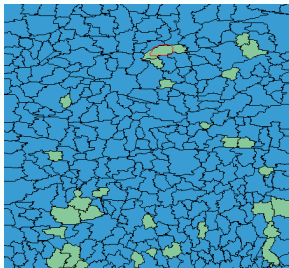
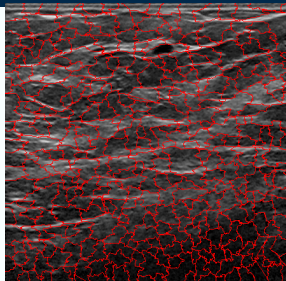
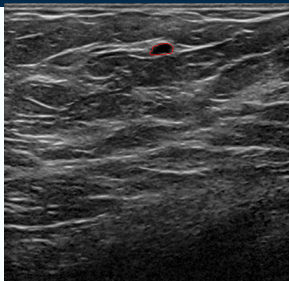
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### Influence of the Smoothing Term to False Positive Ratio





## Qualitative results When False Negative Emerge





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Method Id:	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o	p
Dataset size:	76	20	32	20	42	480	347	352	25	120	6	400	50	20	118	488
technology used for:																
detection																
segmentation																
post-processing																
AOV (in %):	88.1	86.3	88.3	85.2	62.0	75.0	84.0	54.9	64.0	83.1	73.3	73.0	85.0	78.6	77.6	74.5

