

# Coupled Dictionary Learning for Multi-modal Image Super-resolution

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# Introduction/ Motivation

- ▶ Multi-modal data available
  - e.g., remote sensing, medical imaging, relic digitalization.
  - exhibiting relationship, such as similarity and complementarity



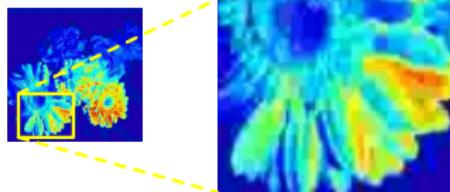
Remote Sensing



Medical Imaging



Relic Digitalization



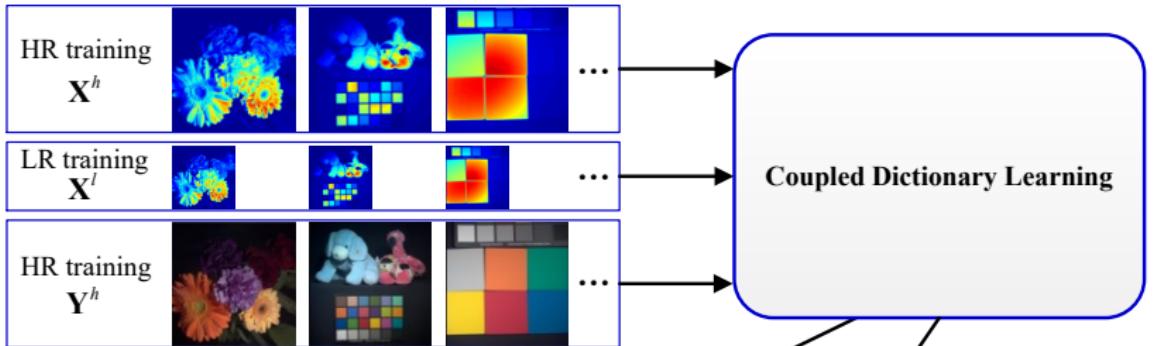
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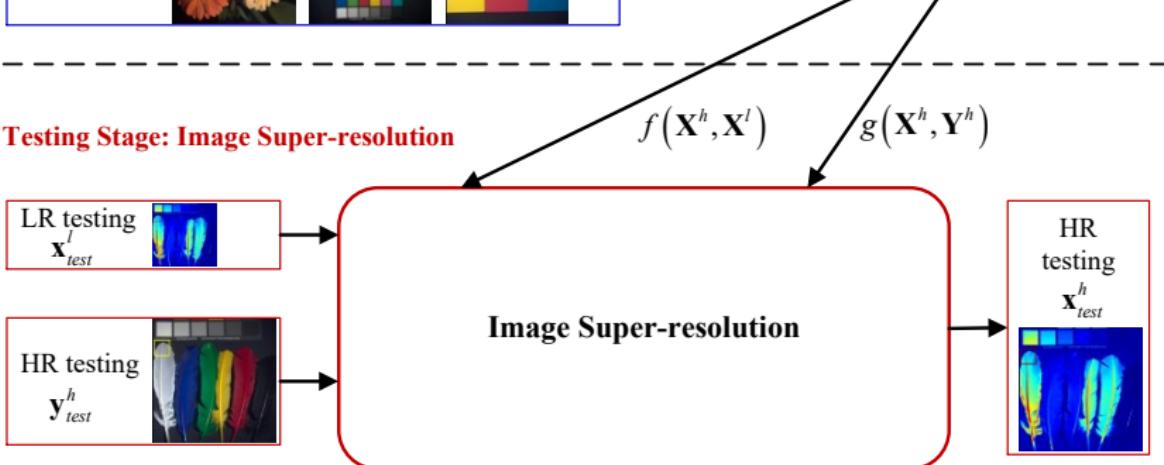
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# Overview: Multi-modality Image Super-resolution

## Training Stage: Coupled Dictionary Learning



## Testing Stage: Image Super-resolution

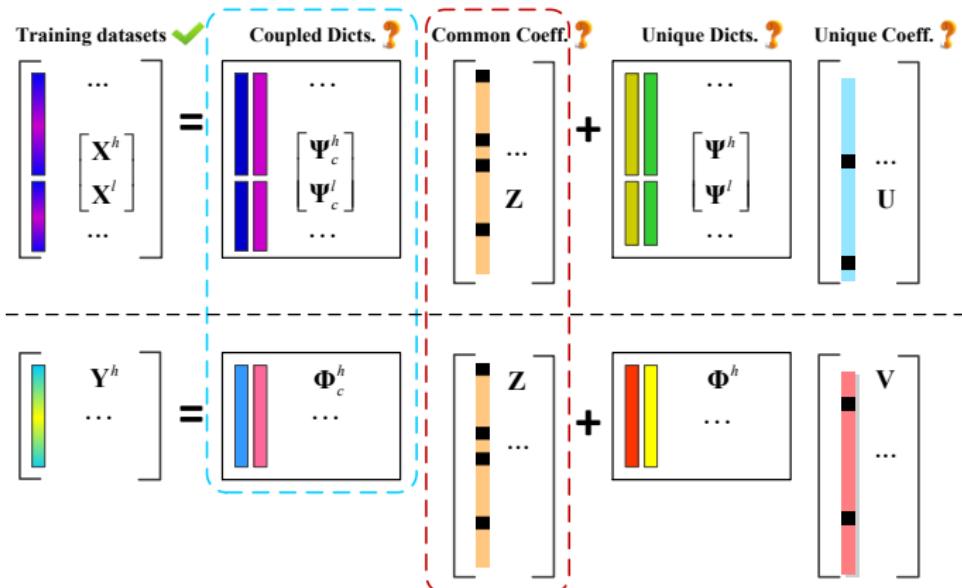


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**Multi-modal Data Model:**  $\mathbf{X}^h = \Psi_c^h \mathbf{Z} + \Psi^h \mathbf{U}$  (1)

$\mathbf{X}^l = \Psi_c^l \mathbf{Z} + \Psi^l \mathbf{U}$  (2)

$\mathbf{Y}^h = \Phi_c^h \mathbf{Z} + \Phi^h \mathbf{V}$  (3)



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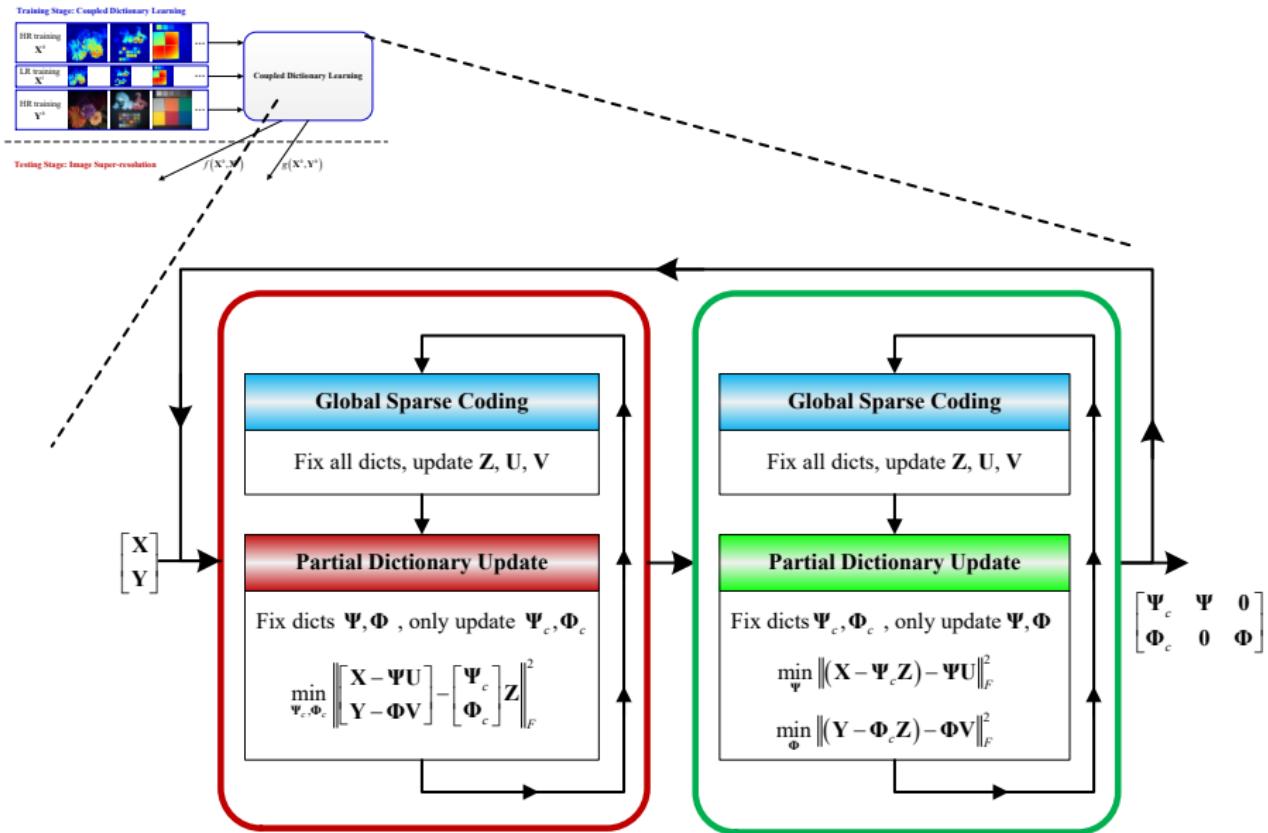
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$$\underset{\Psi_c, \Phi_c}{\min} \quad \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} - \Psi \mathbf{U} \\ \mathbf{Y} - \Phi \mathbf{V} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \Psi_c \\ \Phi_c \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{Z} \right\|_F^2$$

$$\underset{\Psi}{\min} \quad \|(\mathbf{X} - \Psi_c \mathbf{Z}) - \Psi \mathbf{U}\|_F^2$$

$$\underset{\Phi}{\min} \quad \|(\mathbf{Y} - \Phi_c \mathbf{Z}) - \Phi \mathbf{V}\|_F^2$$

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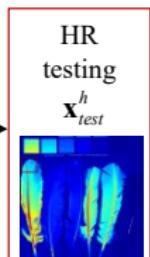
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## Image Super-resolution

$$f(\mathbf{X}^h, \mathbf{X}^l) = \{\Psi_c^h, \Psi^h, \Psi_c^l, \Psi^l\}$$
$$g(\mathbf{X}^h, \mathbf{Y}^h) = \{\Psi_c^h, \Psi^h, \Phi_c^h, \Phi^h\}$$



## Sparse Coding

$$\min_{\mathbf{z}, \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}} \|\mathbf{z}\|_0 + \|\mathbf{u}\|_0 + \|\mathbf{v}\|_0$$

$$\text{s.t. } \mathbf{x}_test^l = \Psi_c^l \mathbf{z} + \Psi^l \mathbf{u}$$

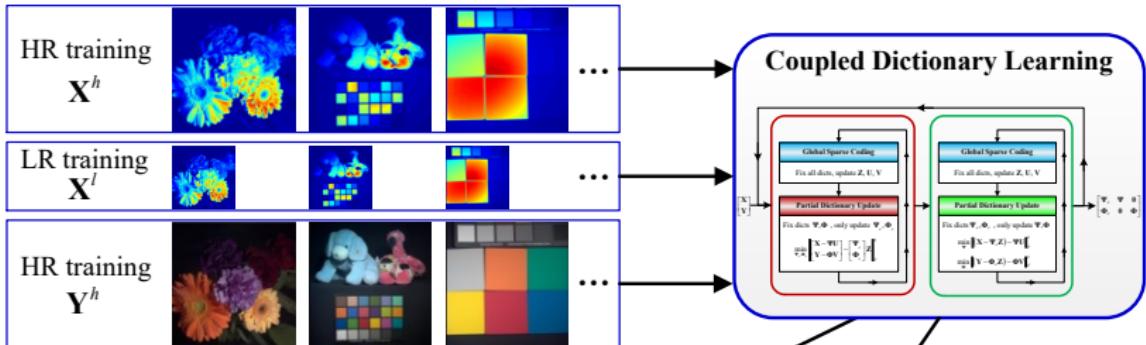
$$\mathbf{y}_test^h = \Phi_c^h \mathbf{z} + \Phi^h \mathbf{v}$$

## Image Reconstruction

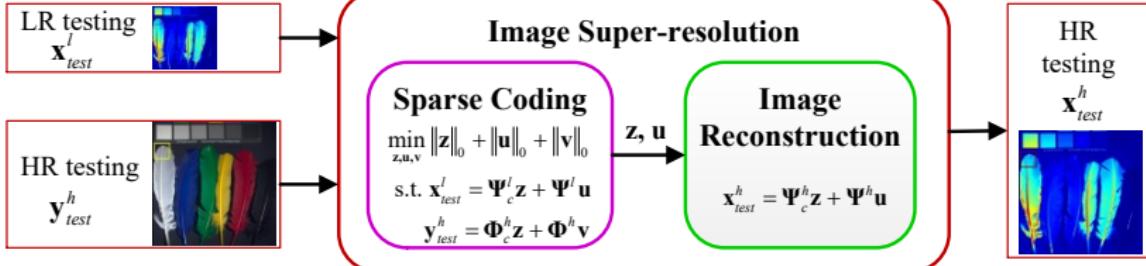
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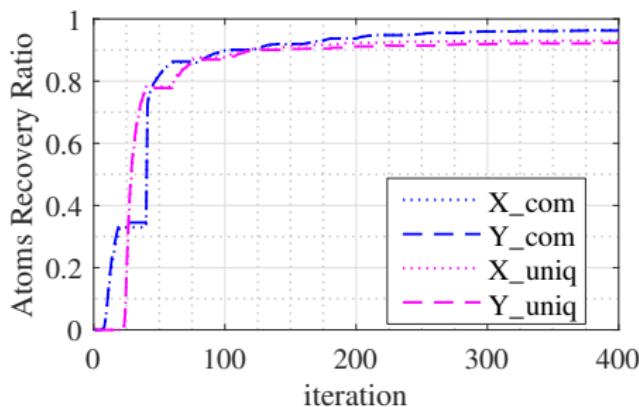
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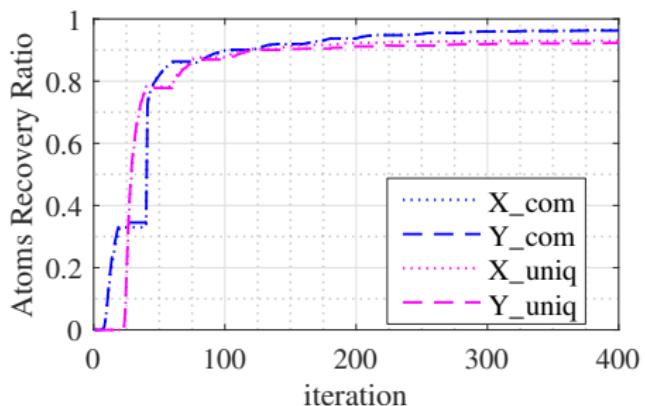


## Experiments/ Simulation Results

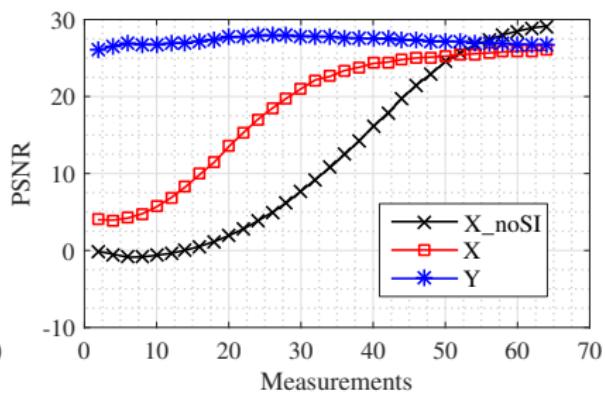


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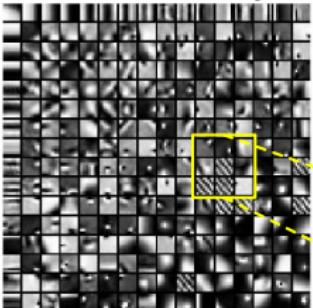


Super-resolution Simulation

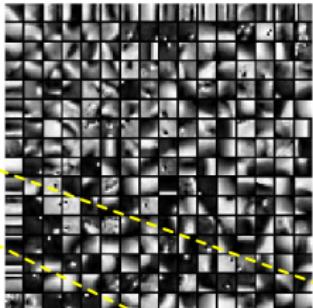
## Experiments/ Practical CDL and DL results

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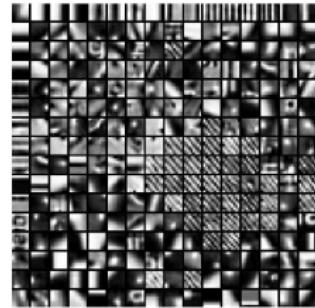


Unique Dict  $\Psi^h$

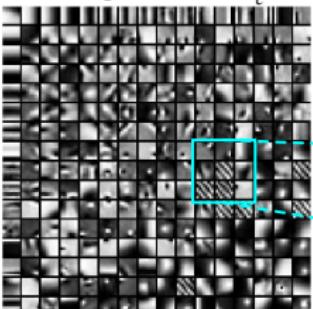


Dictionary Learning

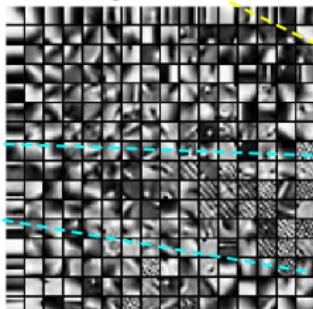
Dict  $\mathbf{D}$



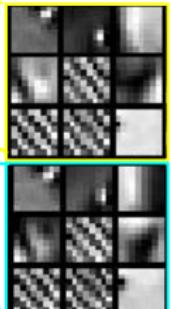
Coupled Dict  $\Phi_c^h$



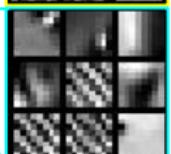
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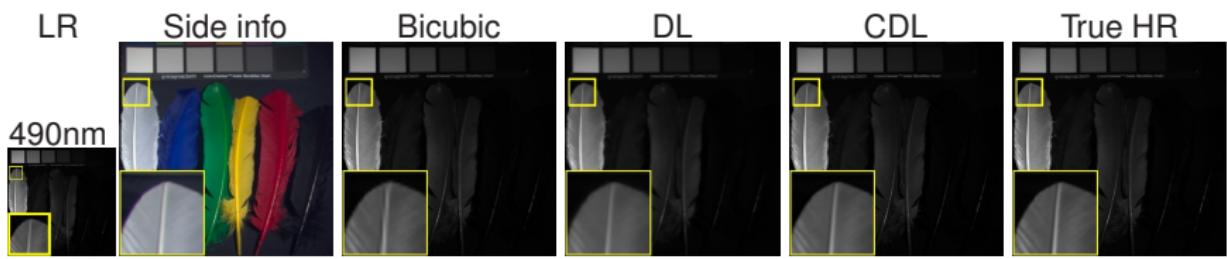
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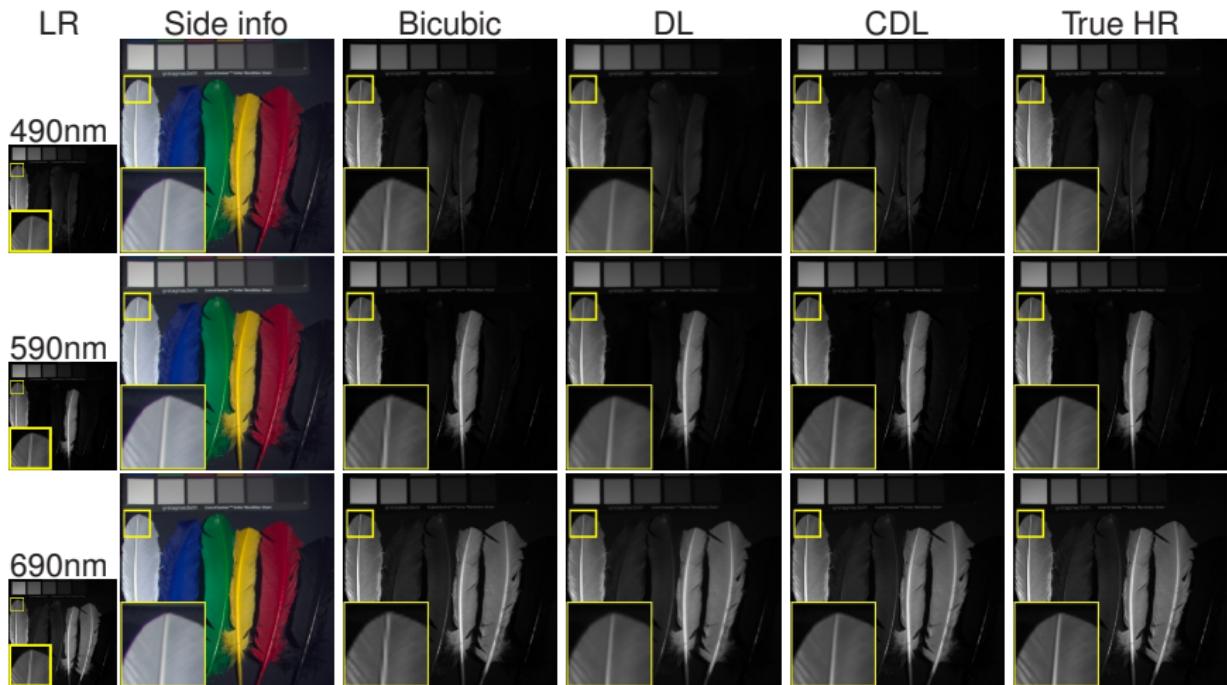
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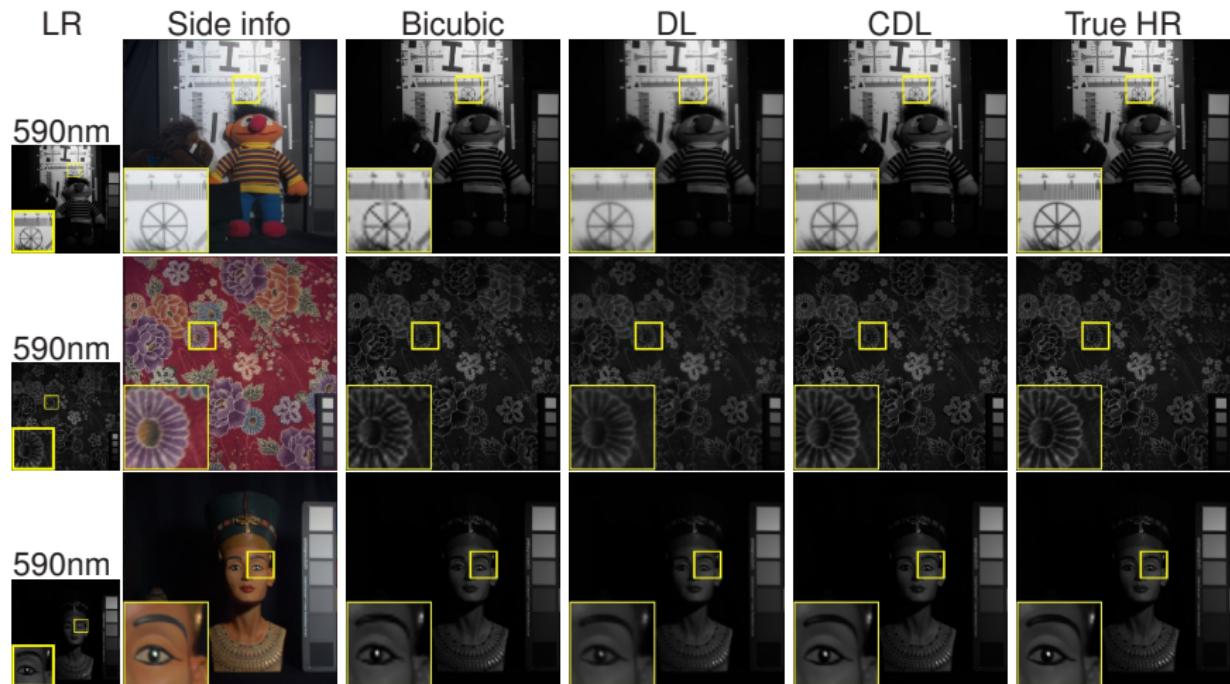
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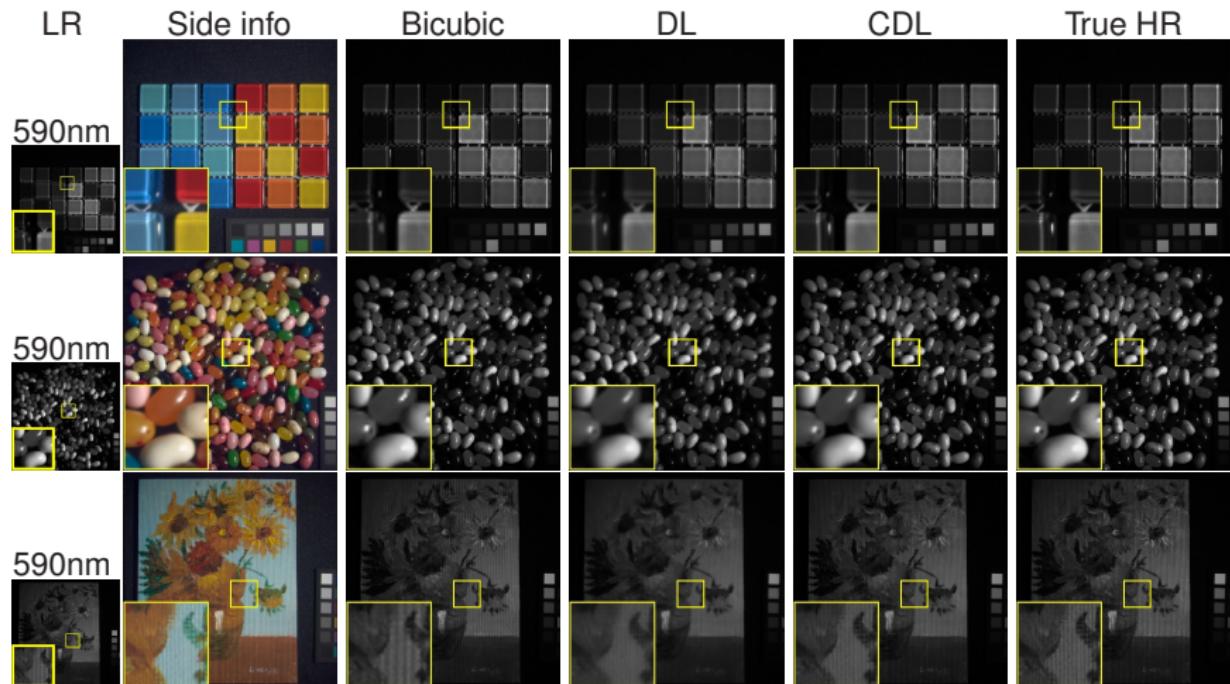
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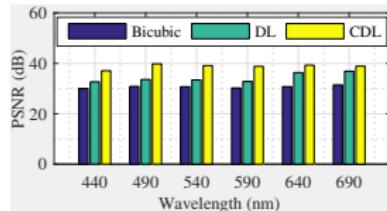
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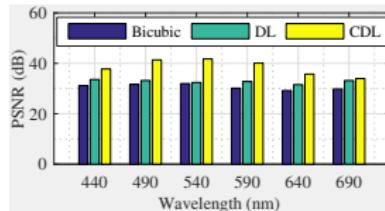
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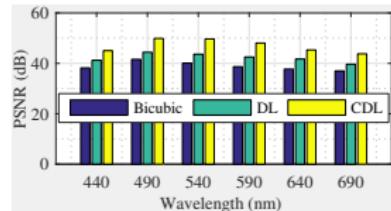
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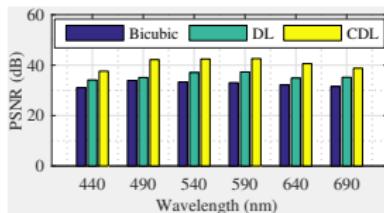
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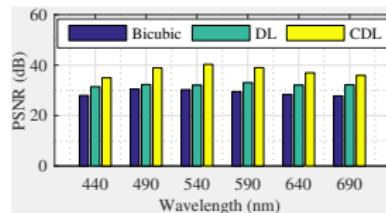
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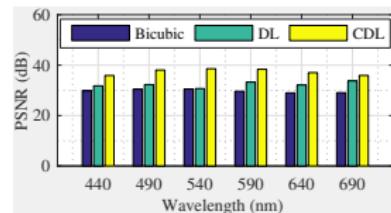
(c) Img No.3



(d) Img No.4



(e) Img No.5



(f) Img No.6

Figure 1 : SR performance in terms of PSNR

Time spent in dictionary training phase (64 x 256 size):

DL — 3.82 min, CDL — 34.88 min.

Time spent in image super-resolution phase (one 512 x 512 image):

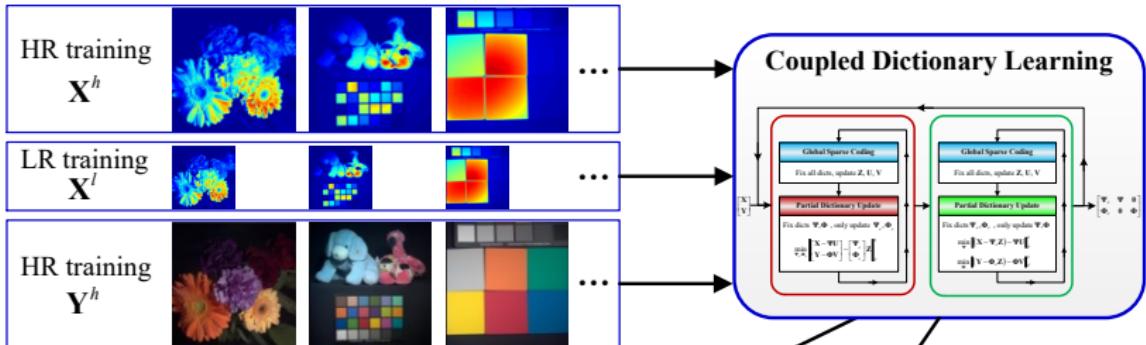
bicubic — 0.0035s, DL based SR — 59.89s, CDL based SR — 259.5s.

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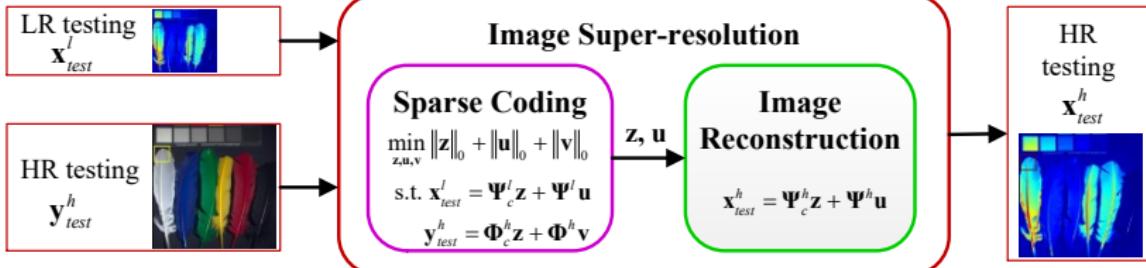
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- ▶ Outperform Bicubic interpolation and DL-based image SR
- ▶ Shortcoming: highly non-convex, time consuming, more computing resources.

Thanks!