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Additional info for worm project

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Hi Rajeev,

Thanks so much for helping us with this project! I've created a directory for you on the connectomix server that should contain all relevant files: /home/heather/worm

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connectomix:

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|---/home/heather/worm
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|----probs
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|----probs_by_z
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|----skeleton
|
|----EM
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Each of the directories in /home/heather/worm/ contains x,y,z values stored in various file formats which must be mapped to absolute coordinate values. We'll call these absolute coordinates X_i, Y_i, and Z_i (zero-based). Z_i corresponds to a specific slice of the worm along the z-axis.

Ranges of absolute coordinates:

Z_i : 0-1051 X_i: 0-101631 Y_i: 0-45567

For each directory listed below, I've included the conversion needed to map the x,y,z coordinates from each of the file formats to the desired absolute coordinates, X_i,Y_i, and Z_i.

EM directory

- contains directories of EM images for each Z_i
- within a given Z_em directory, files are labeled as:
 - Yem_Xem_1.jpg where 1 corresponds to the resolution
- Z_i = Z_em
- Y_i = [Yem*512, (Yem+1)*512-1]
- X i = [Xem*512, (Xem+1)*512-1]

probs directory

- contains directories labeled Block_Zsection_Ysection_Xsection (Zsection is zero-based, Ysection and Xsection are not)
- within each Block_Zsection_Ysection_Xsection directory, membrane probability outputs are labeled as:

Depth_id-xnn-out-ch-01.png (Depth_id is zero-based)

- Z i = 100*Zsection + Depth id
- Y_i = [(Ysection-1)*1024, (Ysection*1024)-1]
- X_i = [(Xsection-1)*1024, (Xsection*1024)-1]

For example, the file /home/heather/worm/probs/Block_000004_000009_000028/forward/0034-xnn-out-ch-01.png

contains membrane probability outputs for:

- Z i = 434
- Y_i = [8*1024, 9*1024-1]
- X i = [27*1024, 28*1024-1]

skeleton directory

- · contains txt files containing seed locations for each skeleton ID
- · filename corresponds to the skeleton ID
- each row of a skeleton ID .txt file corresponds to X catmaid Y catmaid Z catmaid (zero-based)
- To map the seeds to our images, our index values are found by:
 - X_i = X_catmaid / 2
 - Y i = Y catmaid / 2
 - Z i = Z catmaid / 30

probs by z directory

You might find it easier to access full membrane probability outputs for a specific slice on the z axis. We have outputs for 200 slices located at /home/heather/worm/probs_by_z

- each .mat file is a matrix of the entire membrane probability map for the z id corresponding to the filename
- o z=400-699

Please let me know if you have any questions! I will be at MIT tomorrow; assuming classes are canceled, I will be free to meet anytime during the day. Otherwise, I'm available 11-2 or after 5pm.

Best.

Heather