

# Project Introduction

Programming Language: Python

Software Requirements : Anaconda + cuda

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```
DeepEM
└── image
    ├── element_sort
    │   └── • element.py
    ├── strain
    │   ├── • pkg.py
    │   └── • strain.py
    ├── test
    │   └── • remove_background.py
    ├── • remove_denoise.py
    └── • pkg.py
└── video
    ├── • crop.py
    └── • refine.py
└── model
    └── unet
        ├── unet3
        │   ├── • denoise
        │   └── • segment
        ├── unet5
        │   ├── • denoise
        │   └── • segment
        └── • pkg.py
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```

Image background removal, denoising, element analysis, strain analysis

Video cropping, frame extraction (denoising and drift correction will be added later)

Neural networks and parameters

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## 1、STEM Image Processing

### **1.1 Background Removal**

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# STEM Image Background Removal

```
remove_background.py ×  
1  from image.pkg import Backgroundremover, load_img  
2  
3  image = load_img()  
4  
5  # remove background  
6  # Define the scaling parameters and remove the background from the image  
7  remover = Backgroundremover(image, max_scale=2048, min_scale=32)  
8  image = remover.remove()  
9  remover.visualize() # 可视化去背景后的图像  
10 remover.save() # 保存去背景后的图像
```

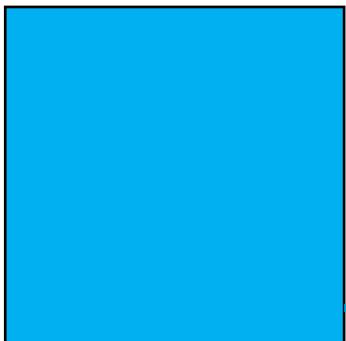
Scope of Application: STEM, TEM images (any size)

Adjust Parameters: Maximum and minimum image sizes

▶ 运行 'remove\_background (1...)(U) Ctrl+Shift+F10

Principle: Background-removed image (C) = A - B

Original image (A)



max\_scale (w)

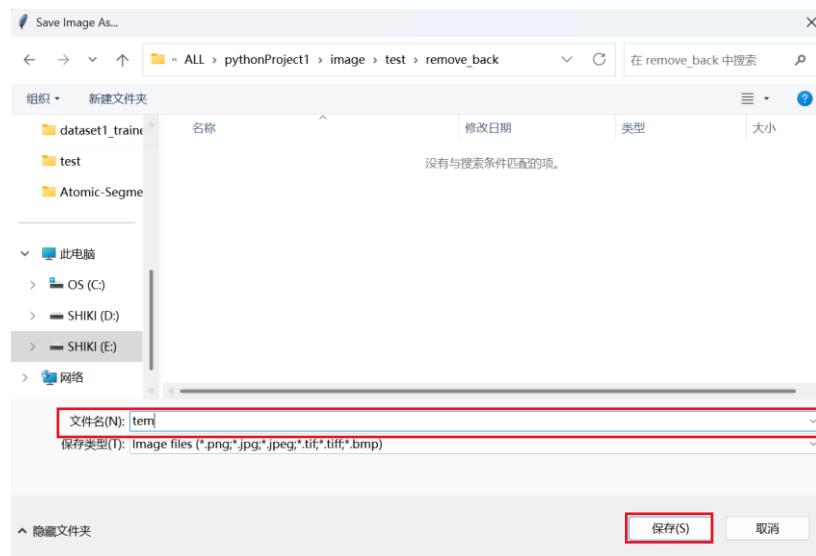
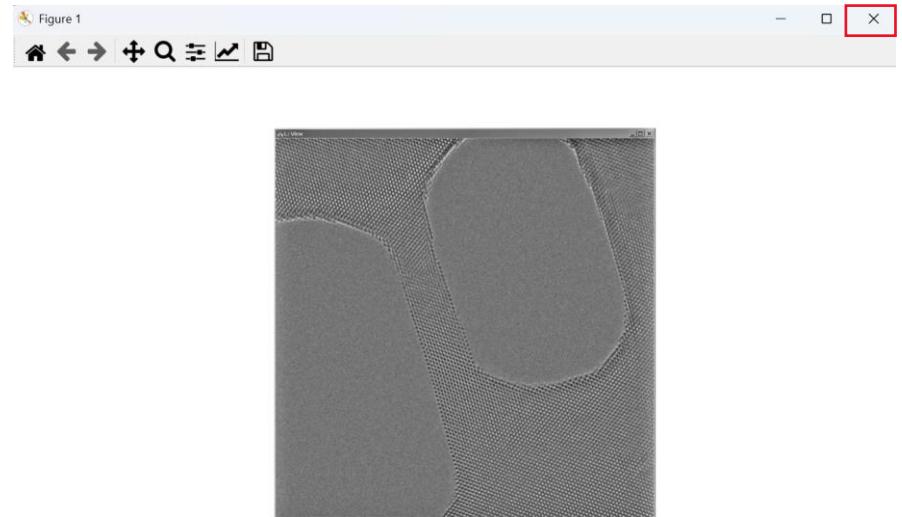
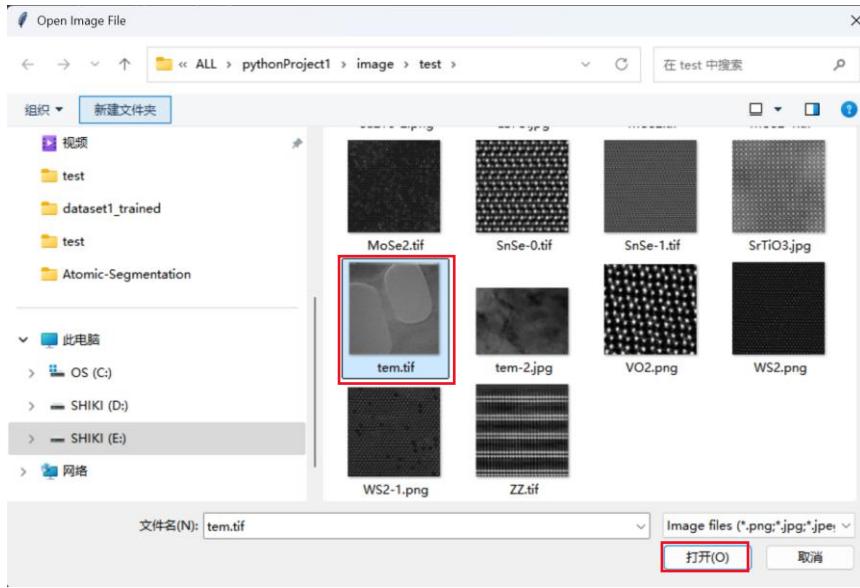
Background (B)



max\_scale (w)

..... →  → .....  
min\_scale ( $\frac{w}{2^n}$ )

# STEM Image Background Removal



Process:

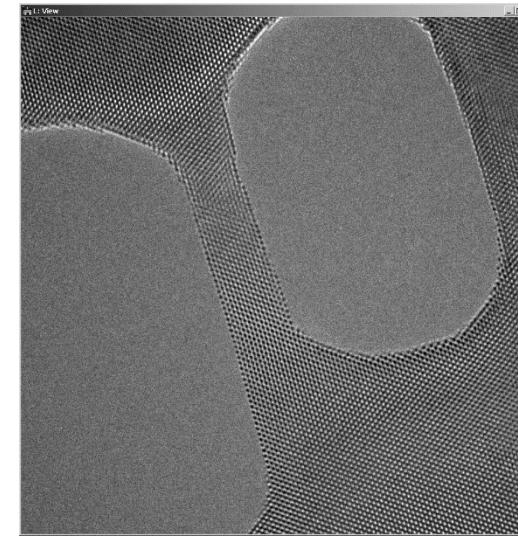
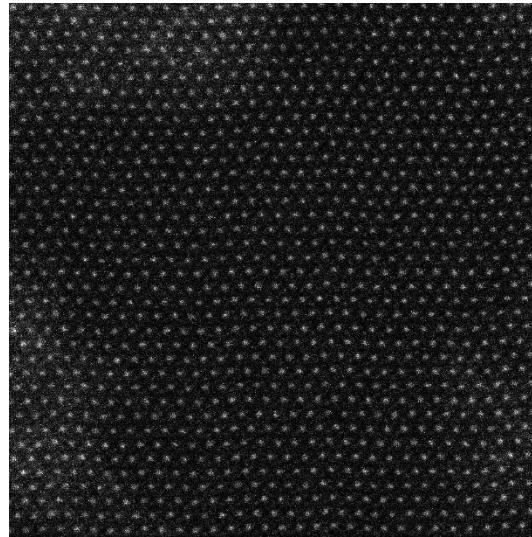
Select image - Preview output image -  
Select storage path

# STEM Image Background Removal

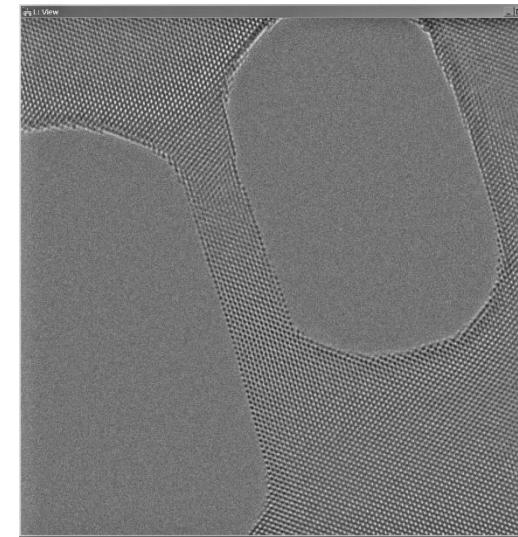
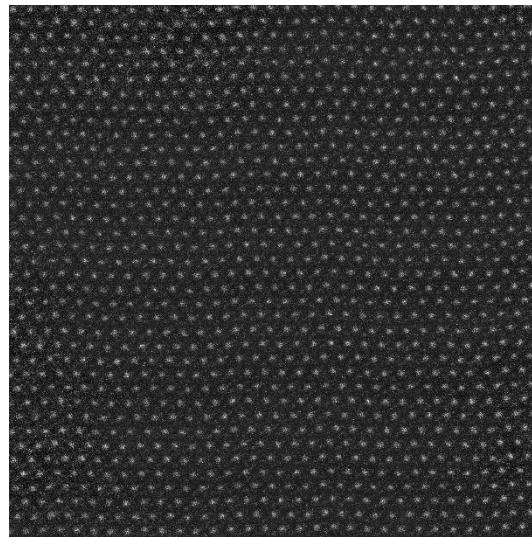
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Display:

Original  
image



Processed  
image



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# STEM Image Denoising

remove\_denoise.py

```
1  from image.pkg import Backgroundremover, load_img, Prediction, Average_img
2  from model.unet.unet import Unet
3  from model.unet.unet3 import Unet as Unet3
4
5  # load Image
6  image = load_img()
7
8  # remove background:
9  # Define the scaling parameters and remove the background from the image
10 remover = Backgroundremover(image, max_scale=2048, min_scale=16)
11 image = remover.remove()
12 remover.visualize() # 可视化去背景后的图像
13
14 periodicity = 2
15 stride = 6/8
16 batch_size = 8
17 # periodicity: number of boxes in one row or column; stride: stride of the sliding window;
18 # model: Unet(n_classes=1); batch_size: batch size for prediction
19 denoiser = Prediction(image, periodicity, stride, Unet(n_classes=1), batch_size)
20 ori_image, denoised_image = denoiser.denoise()
21 denoiser.visualize(denoised_image) # 可视化去噪后的图像
22 # denoiser.save(denoised_image)
23
24 Average_img(denoised_image, ori_image, windows_size=768)
```

Background removal  
(omitted))

Denoising

Image superposition

Scope of Application: STEM images (any size)

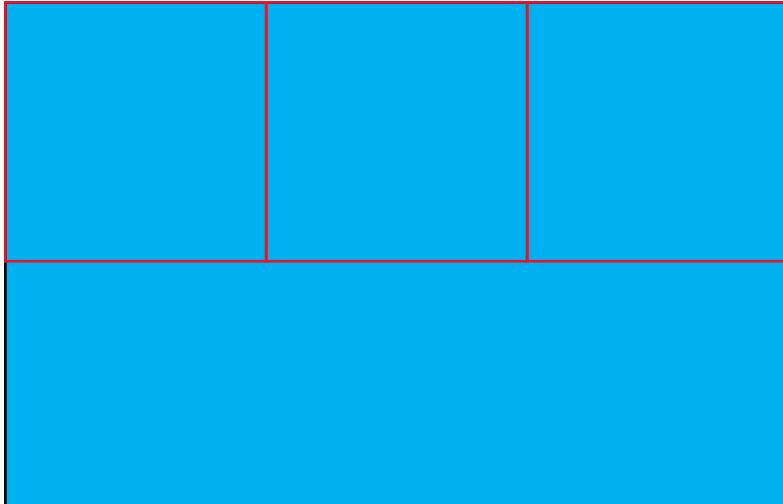
Usage: Right-click - Run

# STEM Image Denoising

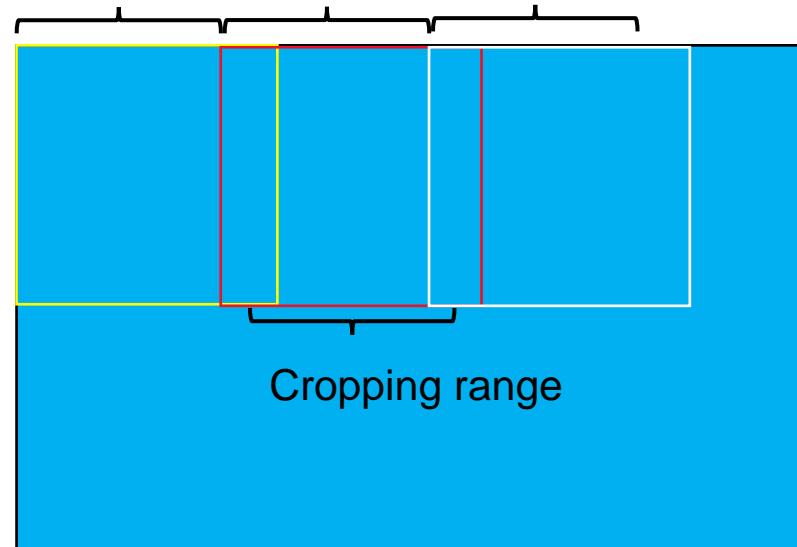
## Main Parameters

```
14     periodicity = 2  
15     stride = 6/8  
16     batch_size = 8
```

periodicity (eg.3 as below)



stride

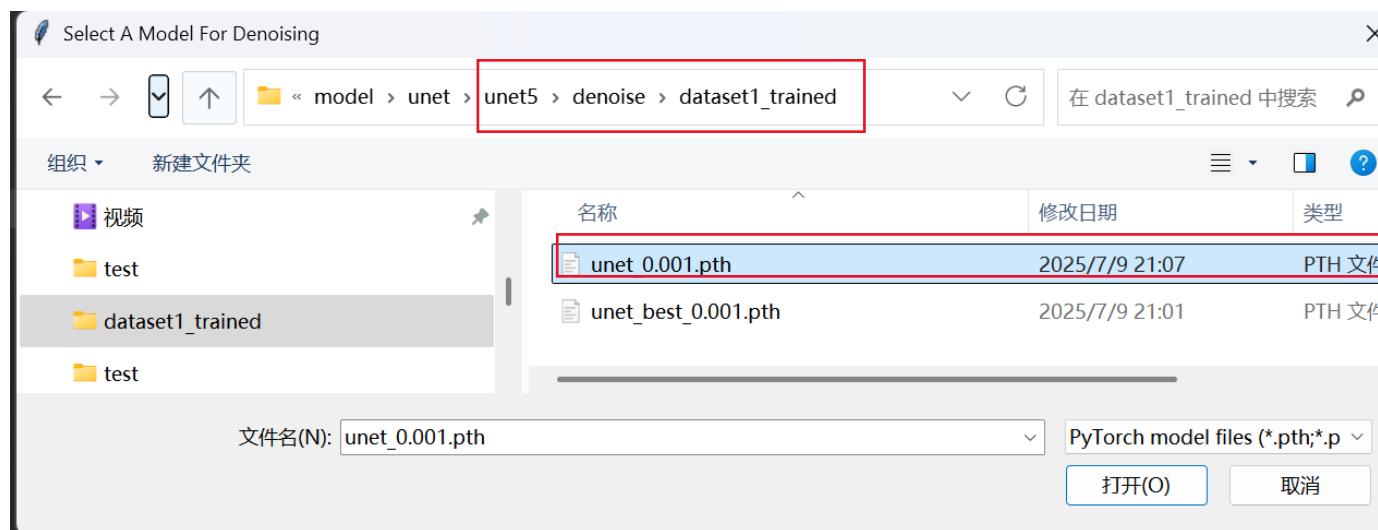


Cropping range

# STEM Image Denoising

Process:

1. Select image
2. Preview background-removed image
3. Select model weights (weights correspond to the selected model)
4. Preview denoised image

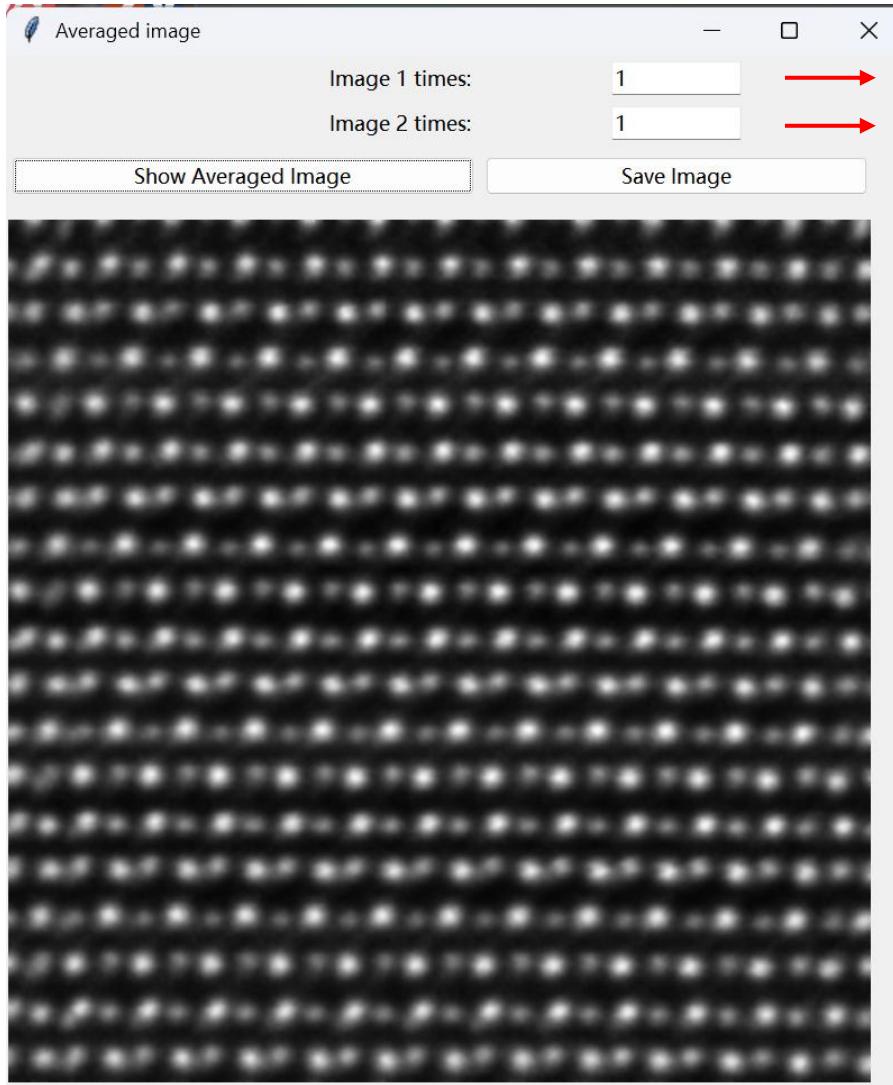


```
19 denoiser = Prediction(image, periodicity, stride, Unet5(n_classes=1), batch_size)|
```

Unet3 or Unet5

# STEM Image Denoising

## 5. Image superposition



Number of denoised image superpositions

Number of original image superpositions

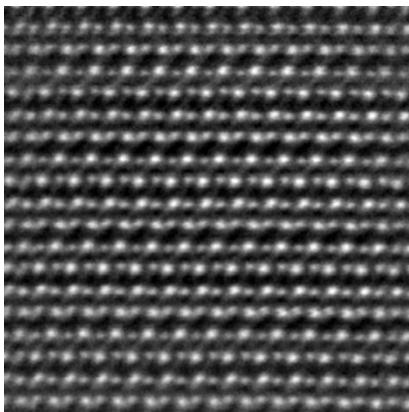
Show Averaged Image

Save Image

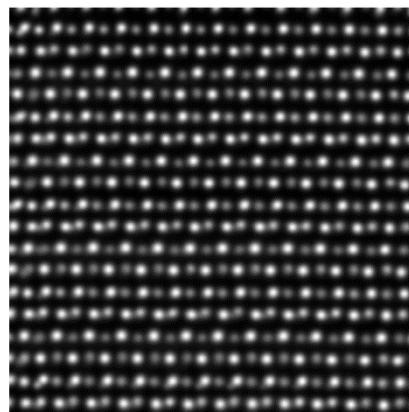
# STEM Image Denoising

Display:

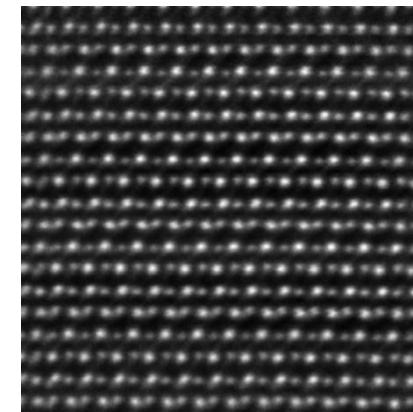
Original image (SnSe)



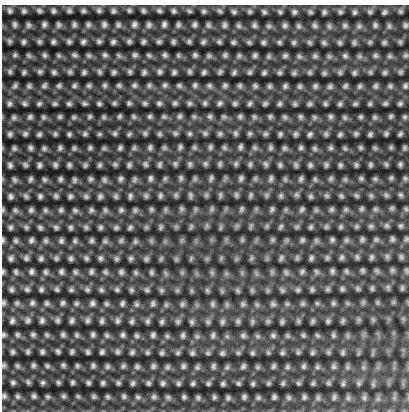
Denoised Image



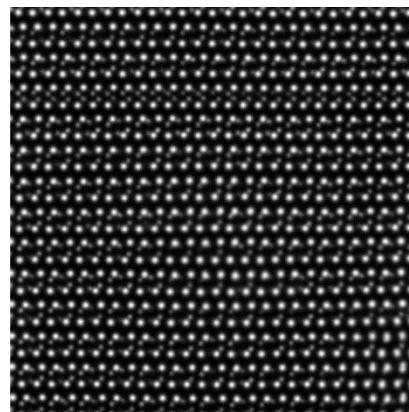
1:1 superposition



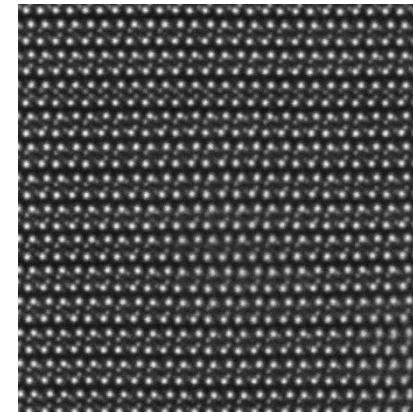
Original image (Cu<sub>2</sub>Te)



Denoised Image



1:1 superposition



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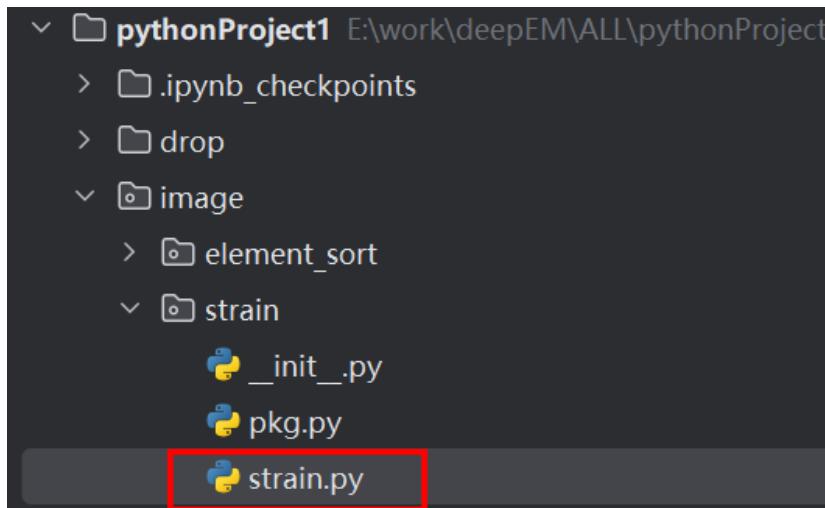
### 1.1 Background Removal

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### 1.4 Element Analysis

# Strain Analysis



## 1、Select image - Remove background (omitted)

```
5 # Load the original STEM image
6 image = load_img()
7
8 # Step 1: Remove the background from the image
9 # max_scale and min_scale define the scale range for background removal
10 remover = Backgroundremover(image, max_scale=2048, min_scale=32)
11 image = remover.remove()
12 remover.visualize() # Visualize the image after background removal
```

# Strain Analysis

## 2. Denoising and position detection

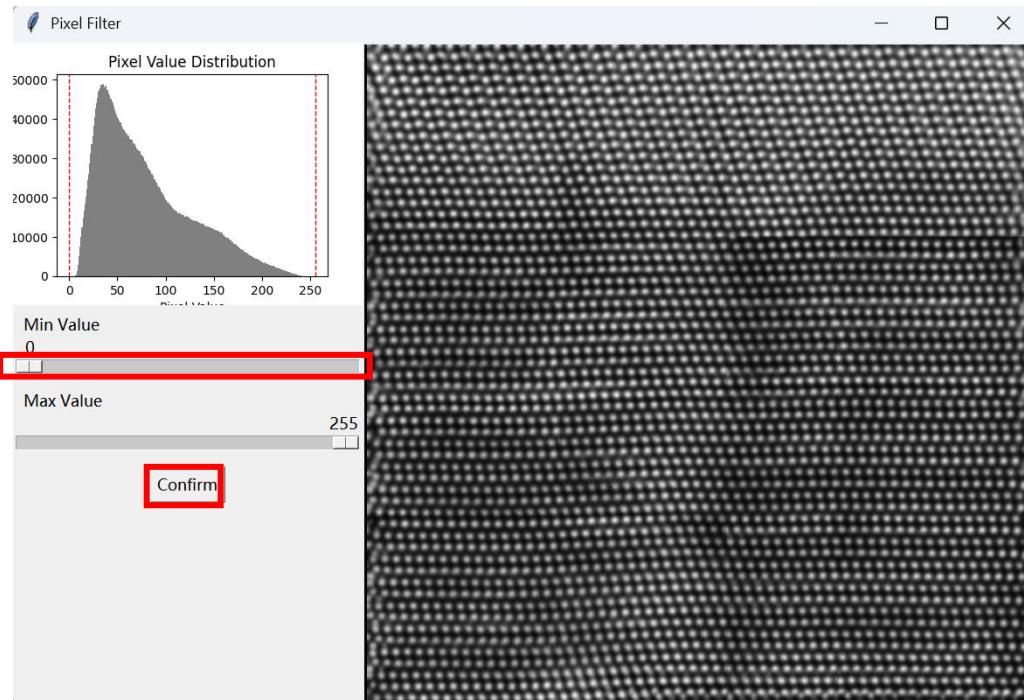
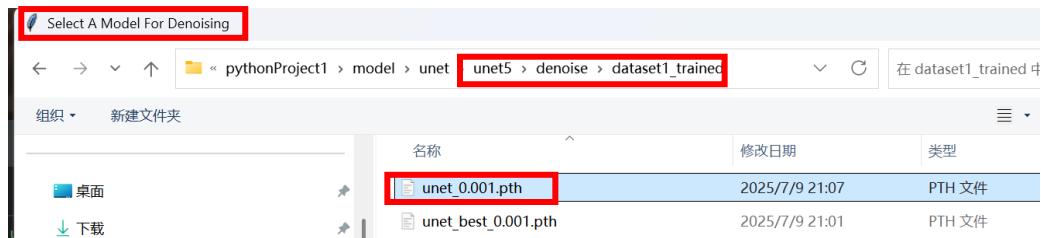
```
# Step 2: Denoise the image and detect atomic positions
# periodicity: number of boxes per row/column (the bigger one) for denoising and segmentation
# stride: step size of sliding window
# batch_size: batch size for the denoising model
# model: model type for denoising ('unet' or 'unet3')
# split_method: method to split denoised regions ('watershed' or 'floodfill')
# min_distance: minimum distance between detected atoms
# filter_ratio: ratio threshold to filter weak detections (usually 0.5-1)
# I: intensity metric to consider ('i_peak' or 'i_mean')
denoised_image, filtered_image, cropped_image, filtered_cropped_image, atoms, atoms_crop = Denosie_Position(
    image,
    periodicity=3,
    stride=6/8,
    batch_size=8,
    model='unet',
    split_method='floodfill',
    min_distance=3,
    filter_ratio=0.8,
    I='i_peak',
    save=False
)
```

图像去噪和分割参数设置

原子识别参数设置

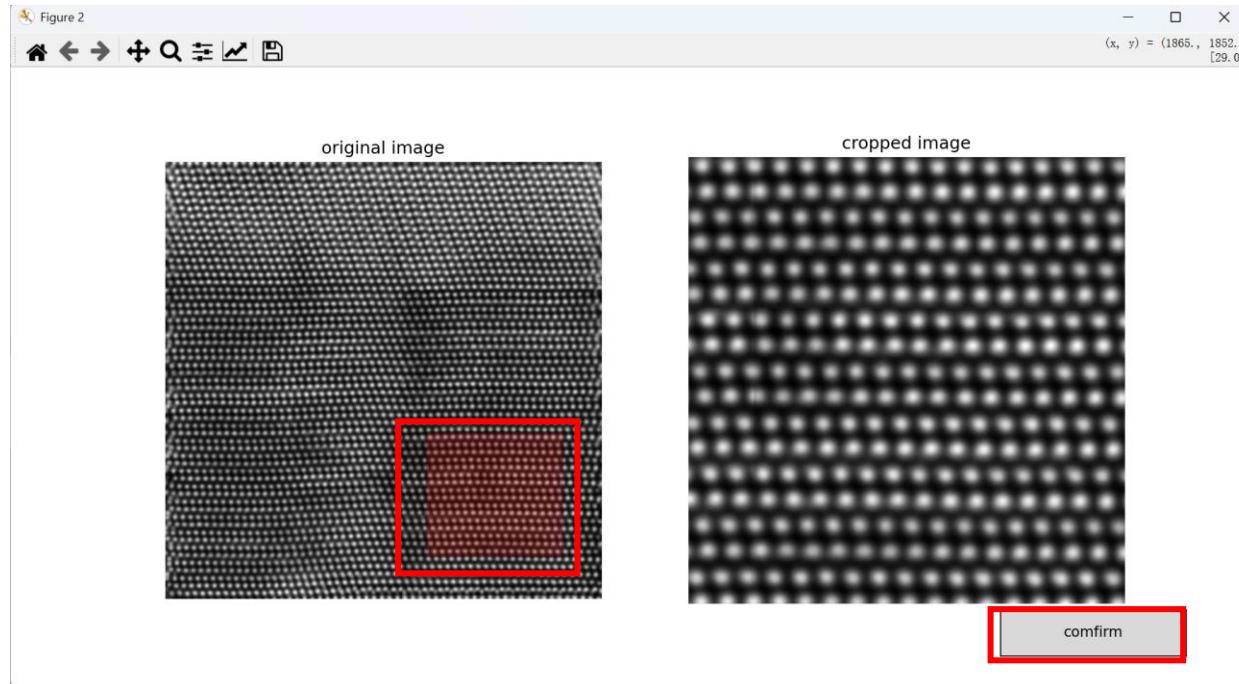
# Strain Analysis

## 2.1、Denoising - Pixel filtering (filter out non-frame atoms as much as possible)



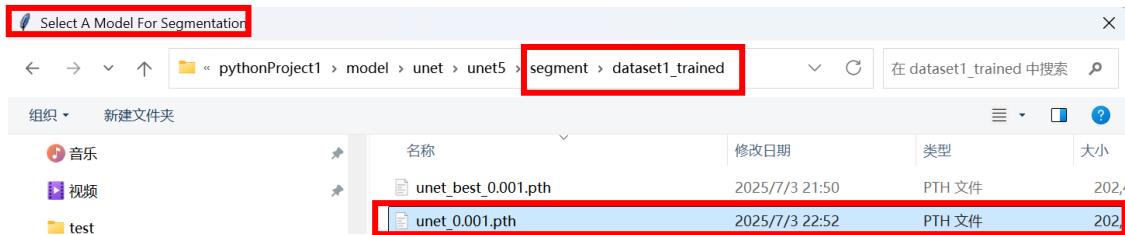
# Strain Analysis

## 2.2、Select standard region (region with minimal distortion)

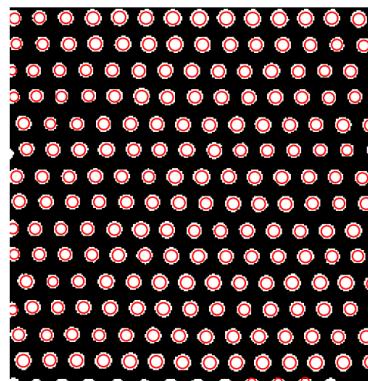
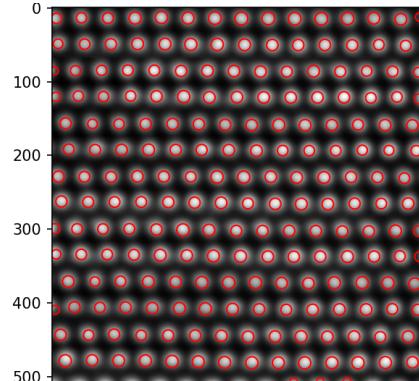
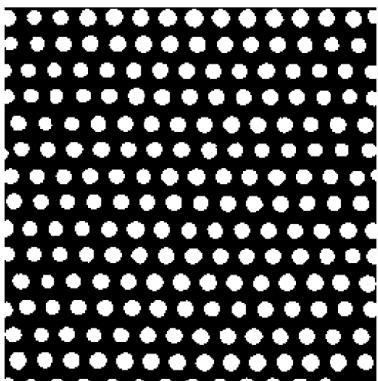


# Strain Analysis

## 2.3、Atomic recognition model weights

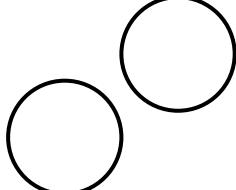
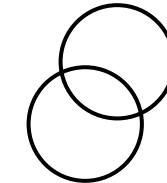


Preview of atomic recognition results in standard region



watershed

floodfill



Parameters:

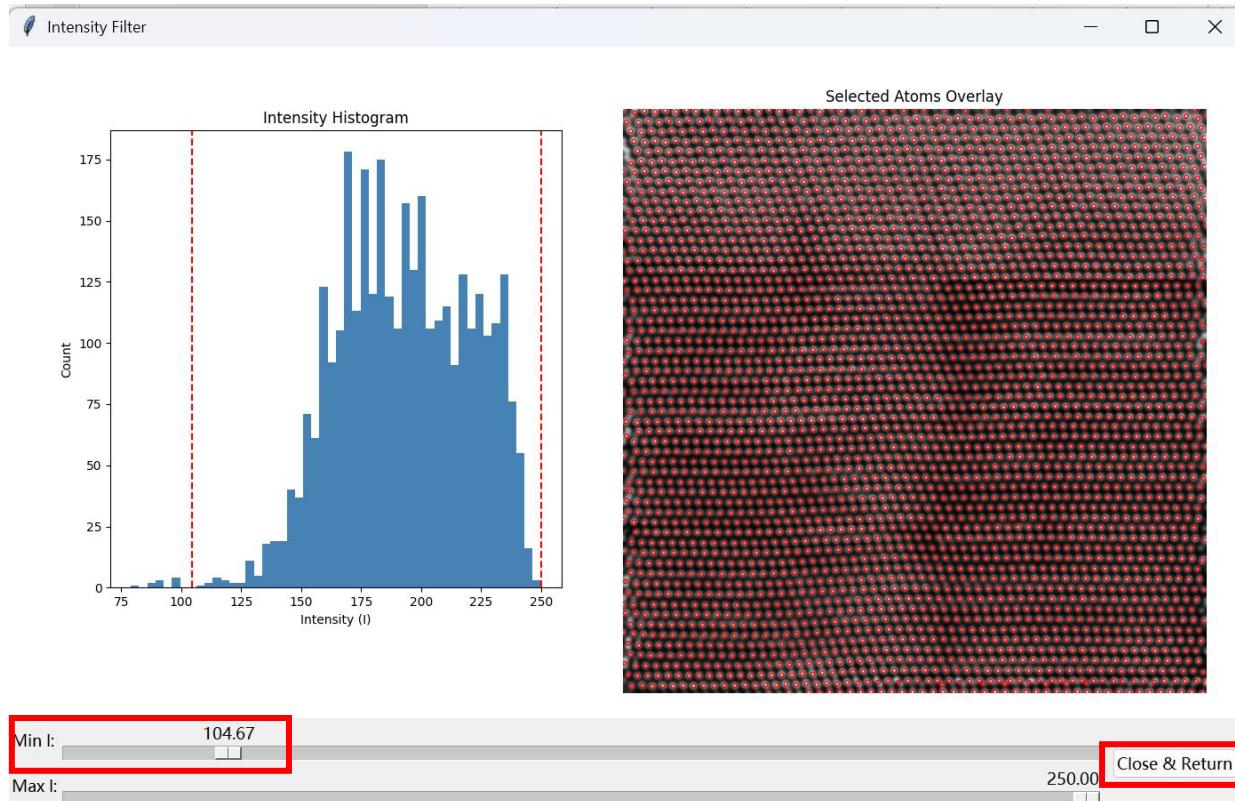
split\_method: Detection algorithm ('watershed' or 'floodfill' )

min\_distance: Minimum distance between atoms

filter\_ratio: Filter out atoms with radii exceeding the limit  $\bar{r} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{k}{2}\right) < r < \bar{r} \cdot (1+k)$

# Strain Analysis

## 2.4、Select atoms with pixels in a certain range (filter out non-frame atoms as much as possible)



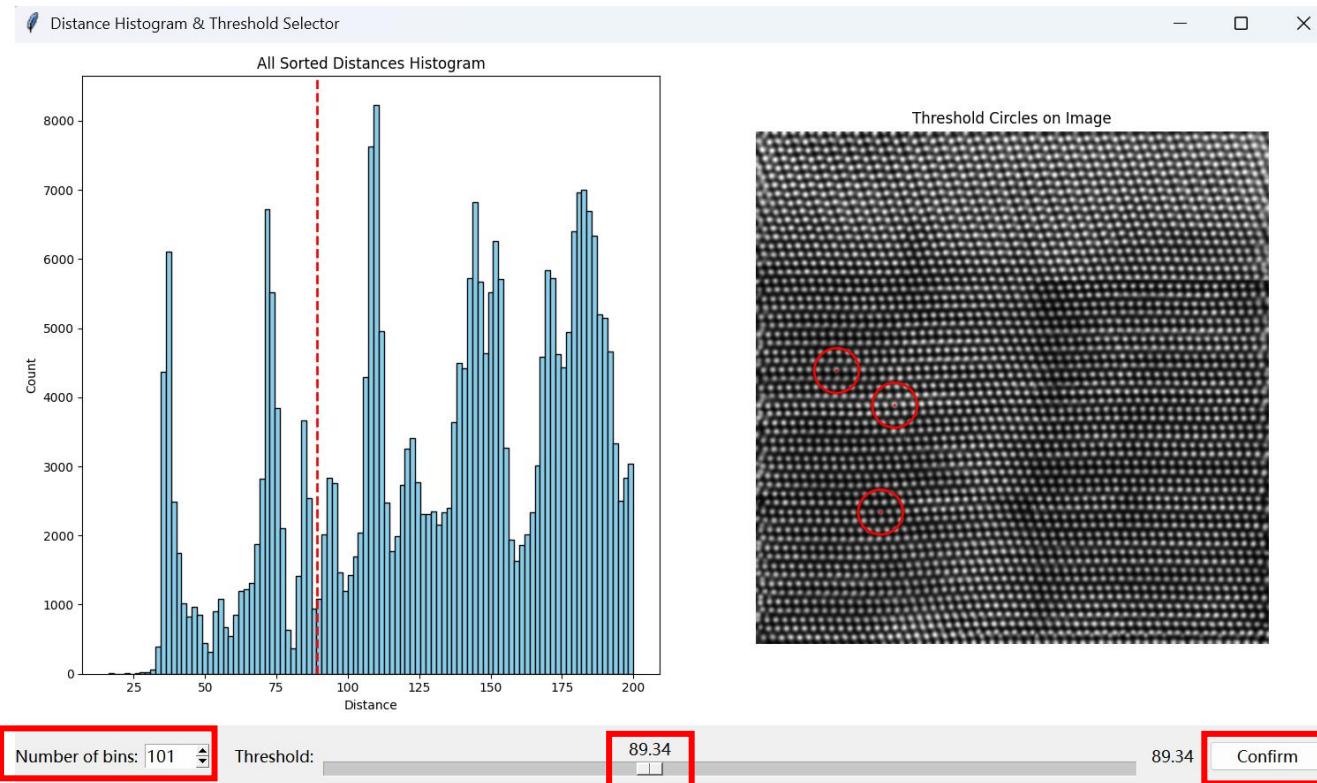
| Adjustment of relevant input parameters:

| I: Filter based on peak pixels or average pixels (i\_peak or i\_mean)

# Strain Analysis

3. Select the range of neighboring atoms (must be larger than one period in the direction of a set of basis vectors)

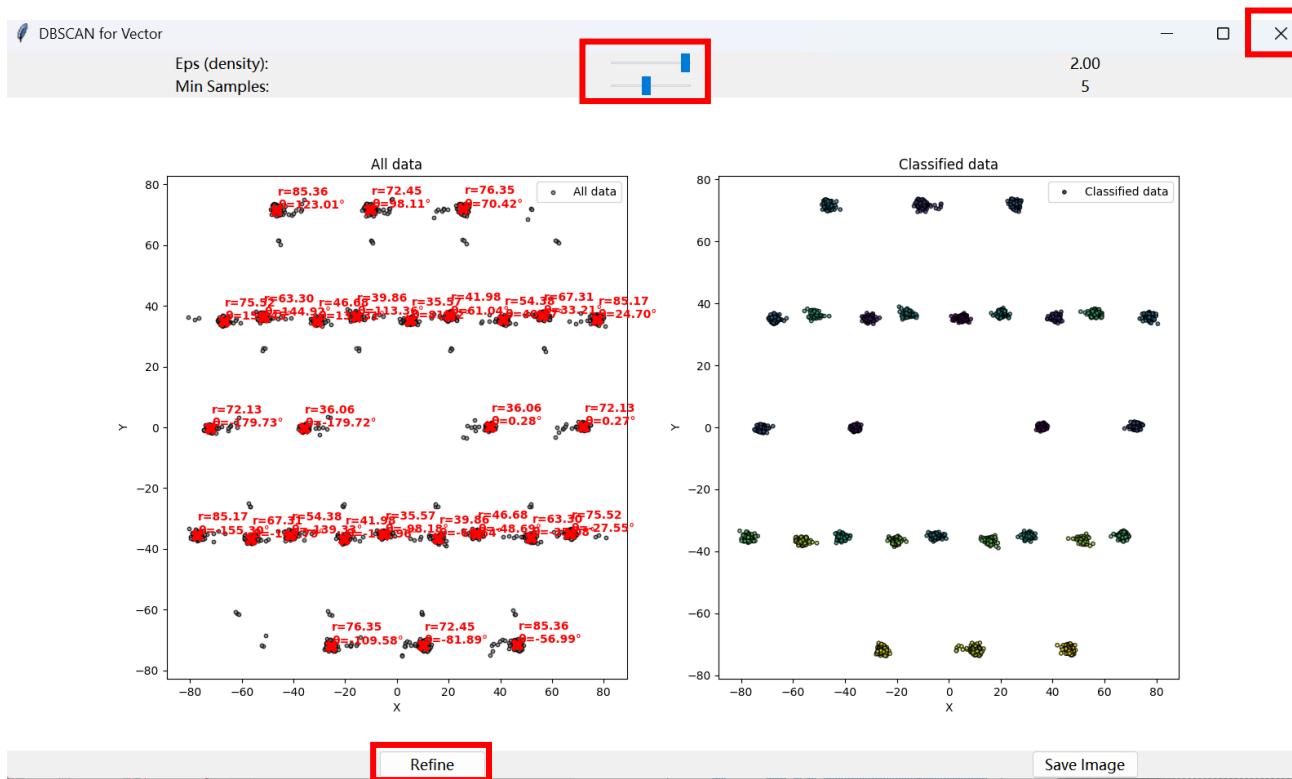
```
36 # Step 3: Calculate neighboring atoms for each detected atom within radius r
37 # neighbor_dis: distances to neighbors
38 # neighbor_pos: neighbor positions
39 # cutoff: distance cutoff threshold
40 r = 200          # Neighbor search radius in pixels (or unit matching image scale)
41 neighbor_dis, neighbor_pos, cutoff = Calculate_neighbor(atoms.to_numpy(), r, denoised_image)
42 neighbor_dis_crop, neighbor_pos_crop, _ = Calculate_neighbor(atoms_crop.to_numpy(), r, cropped_image, if_crop=True)
```



# Strain Analysis

## 4. Cluster the basis vectors (standard region)

```
44  # Step 4: Classify standard lattice vectors and label atoms in the cropped region
45  # vector_centers: centers of standard lattice vectors
46  # atoms_labels_cropped: labels assigned to atoms in cropped region based on vector classification
47  vector_centers, atoms_labels_cropped = Vector_centers(
48      atoms_crop.to_numpy(), neighbor_dis_crop, neighbor_pos_crop, cutoff
49  )
```

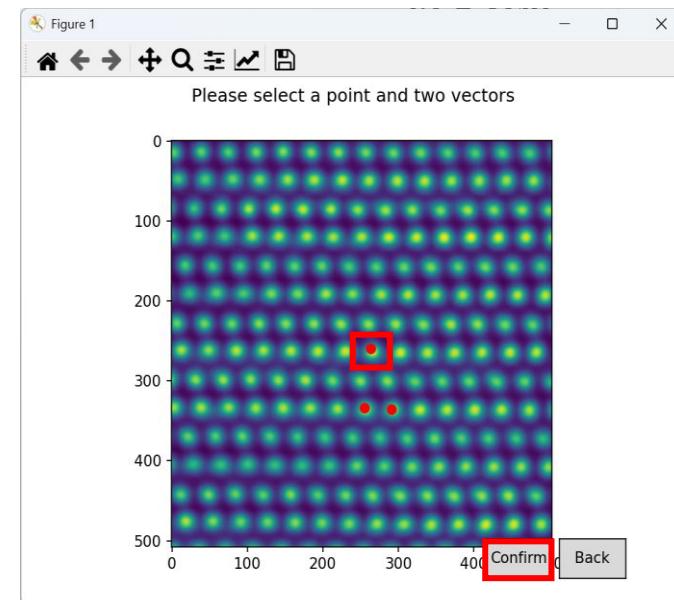
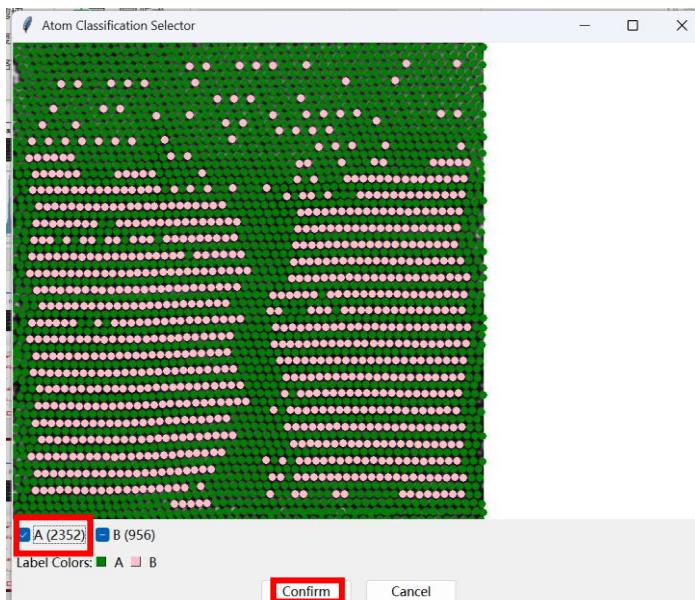


# Strain Analysis

5-6. Classify atoms according to basis vectors and select one class for strain analysis (different spatial positions of the same element)

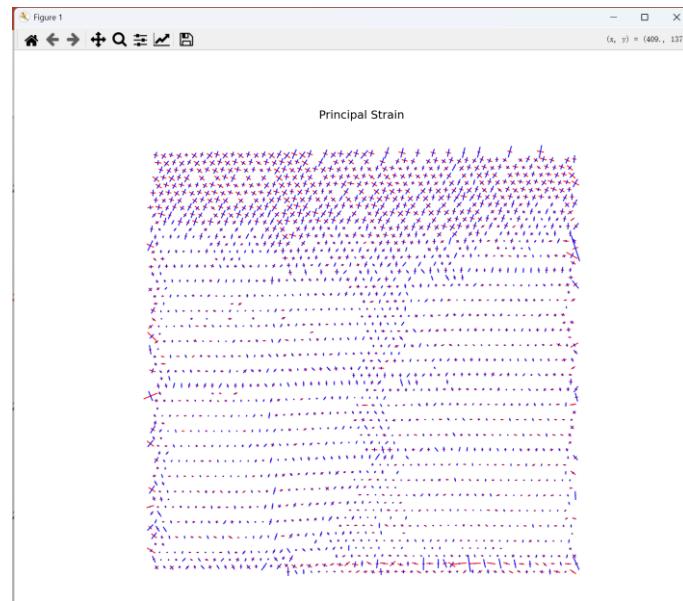
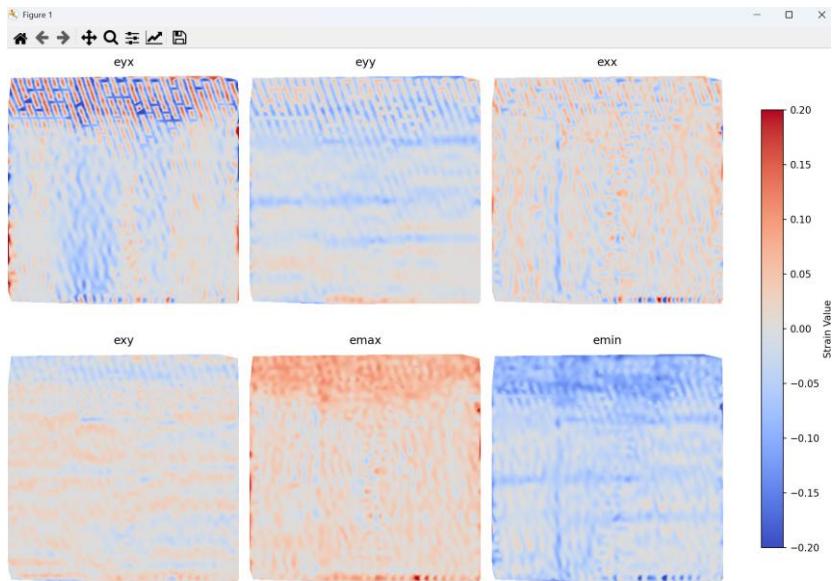
7. Select a set of basis vectors (the first point is O, the second and third are A, B, forming OA, OB basis vectors)

```
 31 # Step 5: Extract lattice vectors for all atoms in the original image and classify them
 32 # vectors_list: list of lattice vectors for each atom
 33 # vector_labels_list: labels for each lattice vector
 34 # atoms_labels: atom labels based on lattice vector classification
 35 vectors_list, vector_labels_list, atoms_labels = classify_vectors(
 36     vector_centers, atoms.to_numpy(), neighbor_dis,
 37     neighbor_pos, cutoff, dist_mult=1)
 38
 39
 40 # Step 6: Interactive atom selector GUI for the user to select specific lattice vector classes
 41 # selected_vectors_list: lattice vectors selected by user
 42 # selected_vector_labels_list: labels of selected vectors
 43 # selected_atoms: atom positions corresponding to the selected vectors
 44 atomselector = AtomSelector(vectors_list, vector_labels_list, atoms_labels, denoised_image)
 45 selected_vectors_list, selected_vector_labels_list, selected_atoms = atomselector.get_result()
 46
 47
 48 # Step 7: Define a set of standard lattice vectors for strain calculation
 49 standard_a, standard_b, label_a, label_b = standard_vector(cropped_image, vector_centers)
```



# Strain Analysis

## 8. Strain analysis results



## 9. Redraw by changing the maximum value of the color bar

```
***** Calculate Strain *****  
Enter new color bar max value (or press Enter to exit): 0.15  
Enter new color bar max value (or press Enter to exit): 0.2
```

# Strain Analysis

## Supplementary: Output log

```
运行 strain (1) ×
E:\conda\Anaconda3\envs\video\python.exe E:\work\deepEM\ALL\pythonProject1\image\strain\strain.py
Image has been read: E:/work/deepEM/ALL/pythonProject1/image/test/Cu2Se.tif

***** Start denoising and position detection *****
Model loaded from: E:/work/deepEM/ALL/pythonProject1/model/unet/unet5/denoise/dataset1_trained/unet_0.001.pth
Total denoise cost time: 6.996891975402832 s; Number of patches:16
E:\work\deepEM\ALL\pythonProject1\image\strain\pkg.py:45: UserWarning: Attempting to set identical low and high
    ax2.imshow(cropped_img, cmap='gray')
E:\work\deepEM\ALL\pythonProject1\image\strain\pkg.py:45: UserWarning: Attempting to set identical low and high
    ax2.imshow(cropped_img, cmap='gray')
Model loaded from: E:/work/deepEM/ALL/pythonProject1/model/unet/unet5/segment/dataset1_trained/unet_0.001.pth
Number of patches: 16
Total segmentation cost time: 0.9736247062683105 s; Number of patches:16
Model loaded from: E:/work/deepEM/ALL/pythonProject1/model/unet/unet5/segment/dataset1_trained/unet_0.001.pth
Number of patches: 1
Total segmentation cost time: 0.36517810821533203 s; Number of patches:1
检测到3318个原子
检测到205个原子
Filtered atoms in original image: 3308, Filtered atoms in cropped image: 205
***** Denoising and position detection completed *****

***** Atoms Classify *****
Selected cut-off distance: 89.34
The number of vectors: 2
Selected point: [255 334]
Vector 1: [36  1]
Vector 2: [ 8 -75]

***** Calculate Strain *****

Enter new color bar max value (or press Enter to exit): 0.15

Enter new color bar max value (or press Enter to exit): 0.2
```

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# Element Analysis

Select image - Remove background - Denoise - Atomic recognition (omitted)

```
element.py ×

1  from image.pkg import Backgroundremover, Prediction, Position, Element, load_img
2  from model.unet.unet import Unet as Unet
3  from model.unet.unet3 import Unet as Unet3
4  import numpy as np
5
6  image = load_img()
7
8  #remove background
9  remover = Backgroundremover(image, max_scale=2048, min_scale=32)
10 image = remover.remove()
11 remover.visualize() # 可视化去背景后的图像
12
13 periodicity = 2
14 stride = 6/8
15 batch_size = 8
16 # periodicity: number of boxes in one row or column; stride: stride of the sliding window;
17 # batch_size: batch size for prediction
18 denoiser = Prediction(image, periodicity, stride, Unet3().__classes__=1), batch_size)
19 ori_image, image = denoiser.denoise()
20 denoiser.visualize(image) # 可视化去噪后的图像
21
22 segmenter = Prediction(image, periodicity, stride, Unet3(), batch_size)
23 image, output = segmenter.segment()
24 segmenter.visualize(output) # 可视化分割后的图像
25
26 #二值化,检测原子位置
27 output_np = np.array(output.convert("L")).astype(np.uint8)
28 ori_image_np = np.array(ori_image.convert("L")).astype(np.float32)
29 #atoms为一个DataFrame: x, y, r, fit_area, ori_area, i_mean, i_peak
30 #split_method = 'watershed'/'floodfill'
31 position_detector = Position(ori_image_np, output_np, erosion_iter = 0,
32                             split_method = 'floodfill', min_distance = 5, filter_ratio = 0.8)
33 atoms = position_detector.position_detect()
34 position_detector.visualize(atoms, save_path = None)
```

# Element Analysis

## Element Analysis

```
36 # 检测元素
37 element_detector = Element(ori_image_np, atoms, I='i_peak', start_bins=20, bin_step=20,
38                         min_prominence_ratio=0.25, smooth_sigma=.2)
39 atoms = element_detector.element_detect()
40 element_detector.visualize(save_path=None,
41                             colors=['red', 'blue', 'orange', 'green', 'purple', 'brown', 'pink'])
```

Adjustment of relevant input parameters:

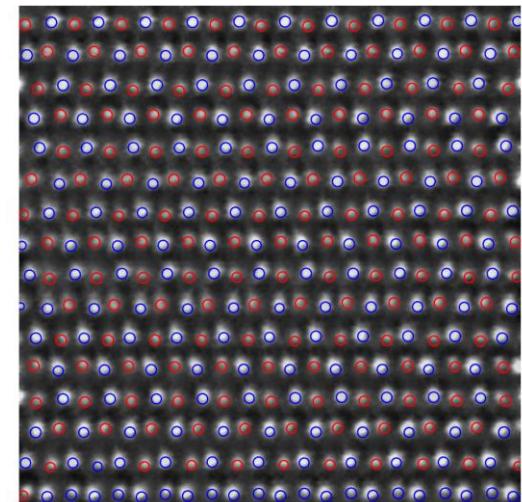
I: Classify based on peak pixels or average pixels (i\_peak or i\_mean)

start\_bin: Initial number of bins in the histogram

bin\_step: Bin increment step

min\_prominence\_ratio: Filter out smaller peaks

smooth\_sigma: Gaussian fitting parameter



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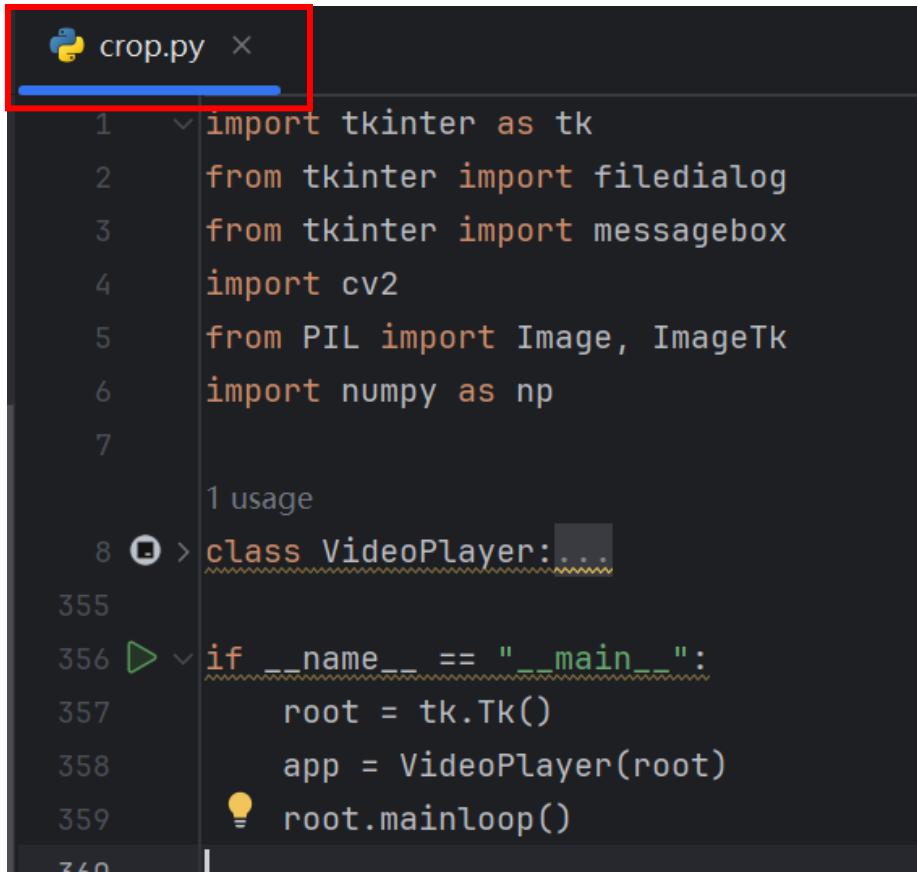
---

## 2、STEM Video Processing

### 2.1 Cropping

### 2.2 Frame Extraction

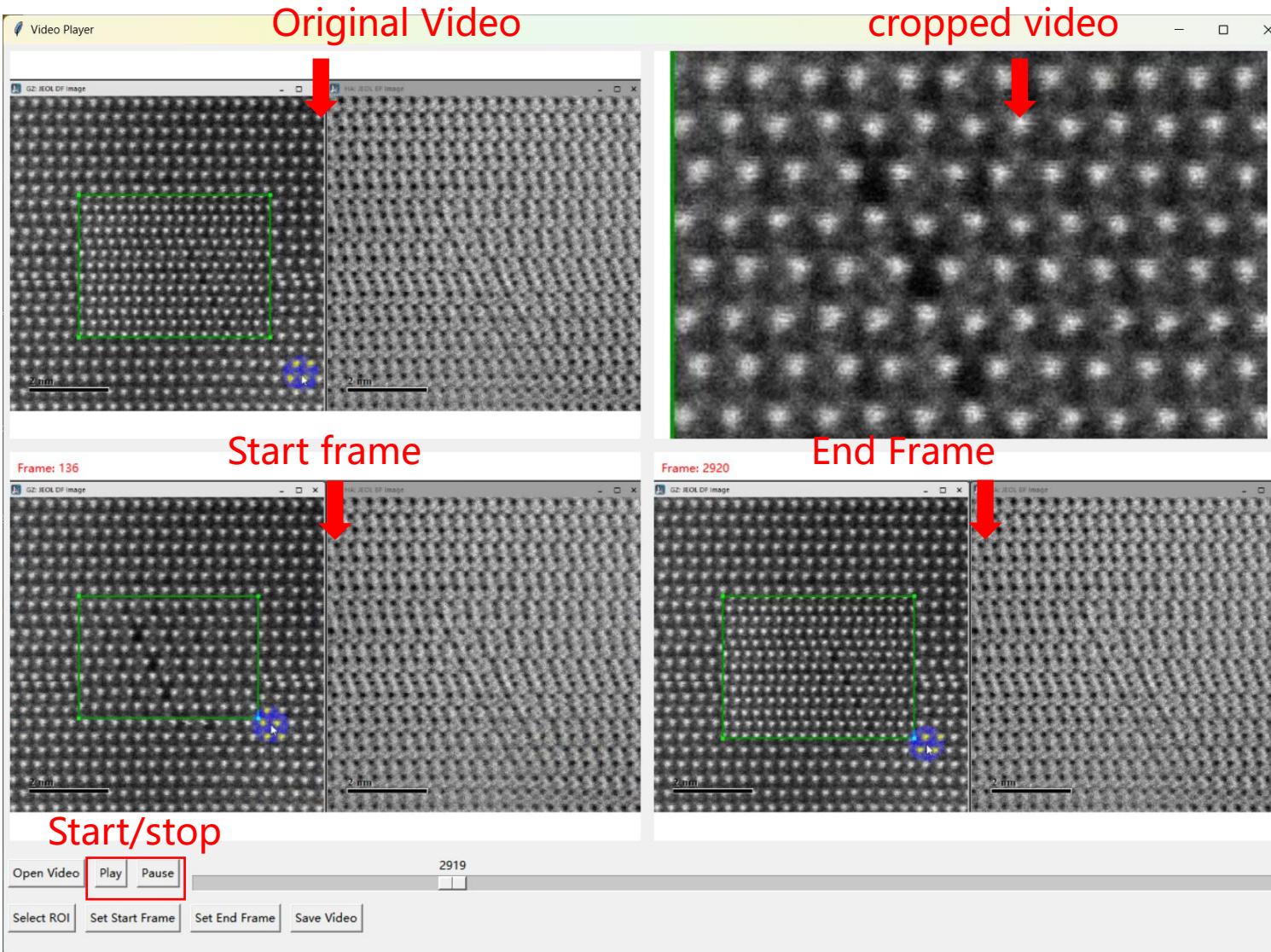
# STEM Video Cropping



```
crop.py ×  
1  import tkinter as tk  
2  from tkinter import filedialog  
3  from tkinter import messagebox  
4  import cv2  
5  from PIL import Image, ImageTk  
6  import numpy as np  
7  
1 usage  
8  class VideoPlayer:  
355  
356 if __name__ == "__main__":  
357     root = tk.Tk()  
358     app = VideoPlayer(root)  
359     root.mainloop()  
360
```

Scope of Application: STEM videos (any size)  
Usage: Right-click - Run

# STEM Video Cropping



- Process
- 1、Open Video  
(Load video)
  - 2、Select ROI  
(Select cropping area)
  - 3、Set Start Frame
  - 4、Set End Frame
  - 5、Save Video

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## **2、STEM Video Processing**

### **2.1 Cropping**

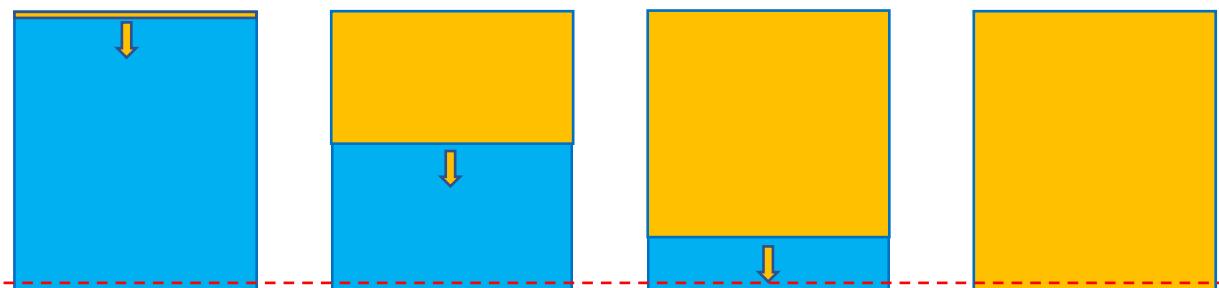
### **2.2 Frame Extraction**

# STEM Video Frame Extraction

```
refine.py x
1 > import ...
9
1 usage
10 > def calculate_bottom_difference(frame1, frame2, num_rows=3):...
15
1 usage
16 > def refine_video(input_path, threshold=1, num_rows=3):...
48
1 usage
49 > class VideoApp:...
382
383 > if __name__ == '__main__':...
387
```

Scope of Application: STEM videos  
(any size)  
Usage: Right-click - Run

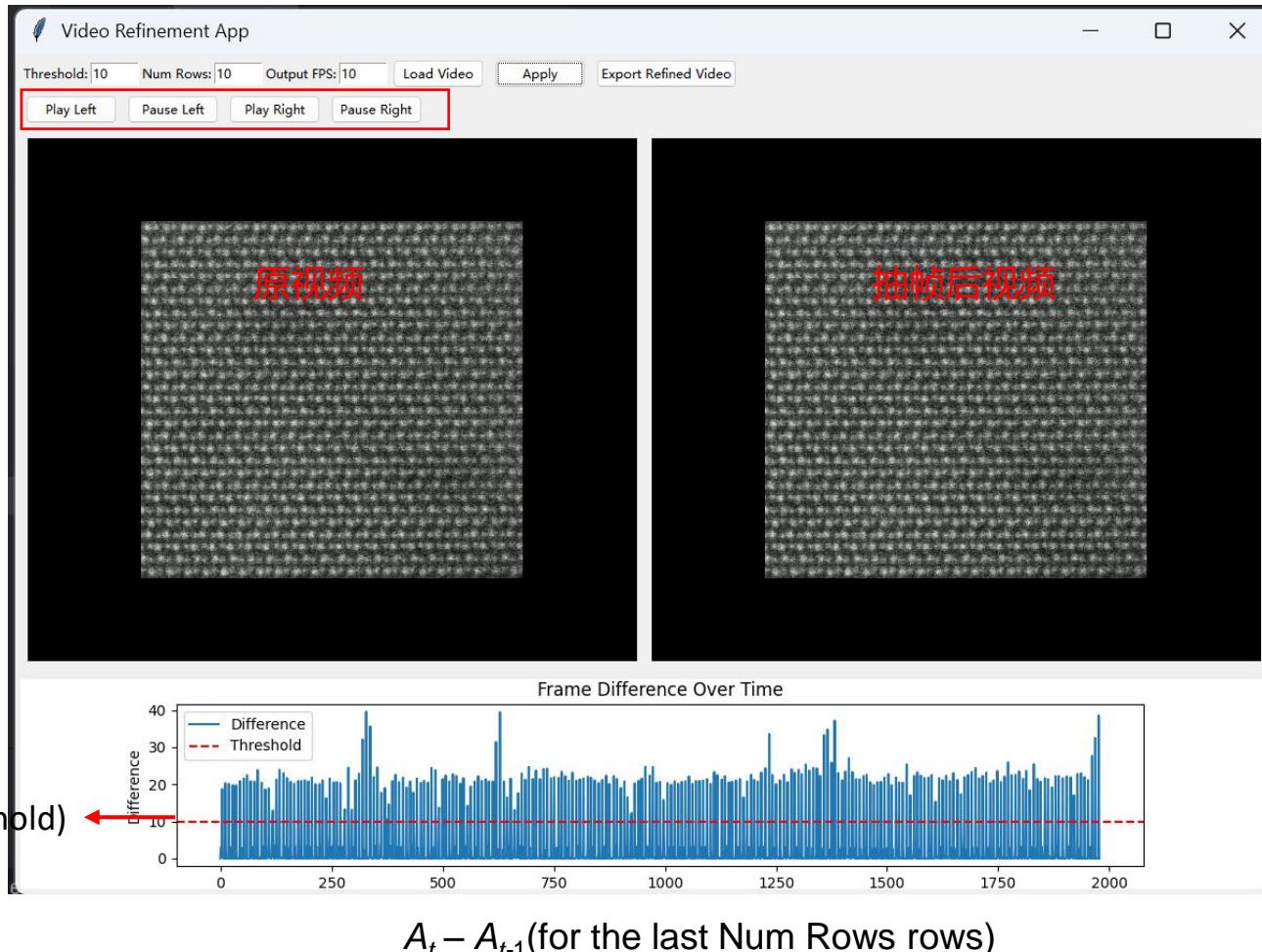
Principle:



$$A_t - A_{t-1} > \Delta$$

# STEM Video Frame Extraction

Video playback



Process

- 1、Load Video
- 2、Adjust Threshold and Num Rows
- 3、Apply
- 4、Adjust Output FPS
- 5、Export