

Deconvoluting Convolutions

DATA SCIENCE MEETUP

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The 2018 Data Science Bowl

Puppy bowl

- Image processing basics
- The simple approach

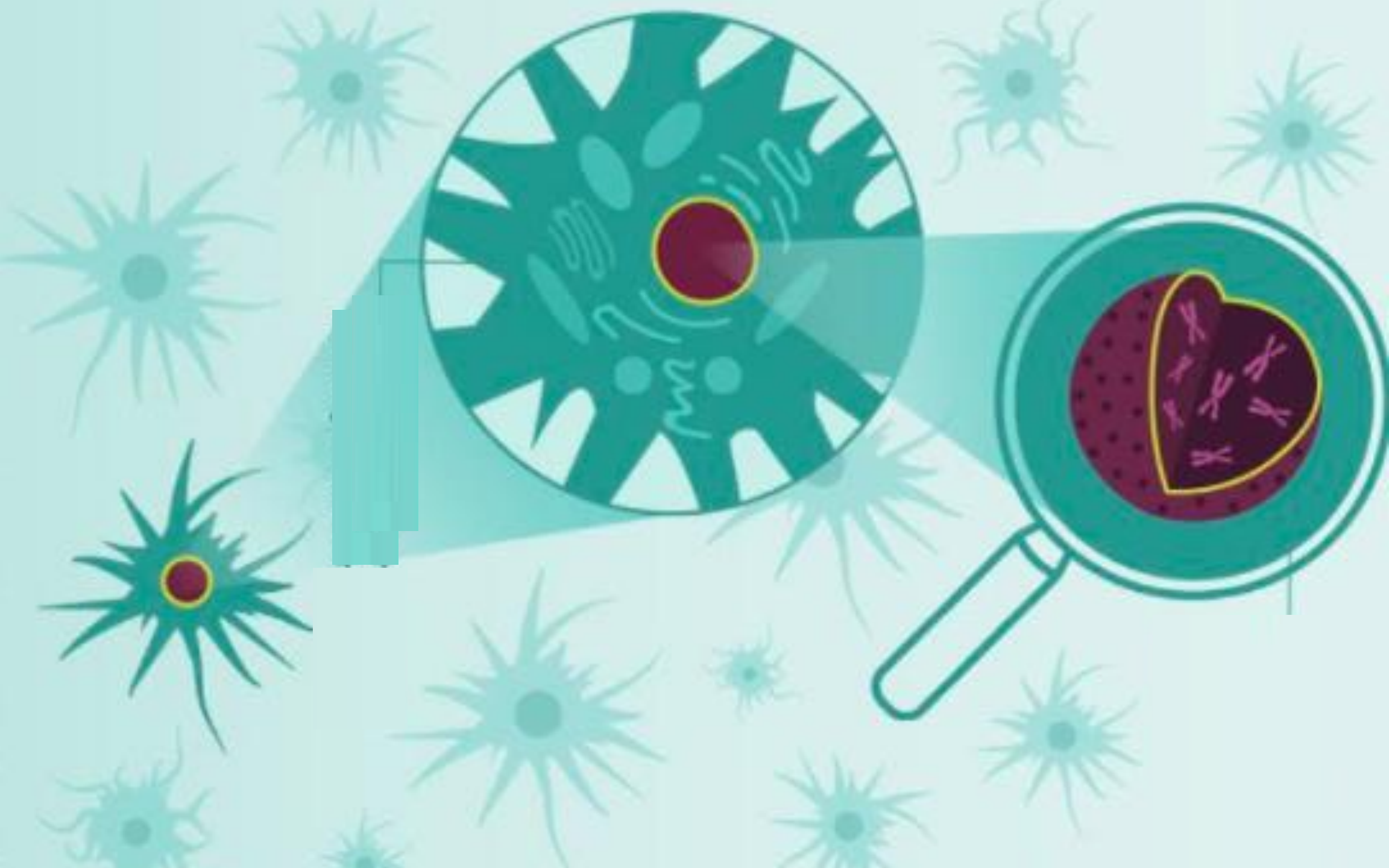
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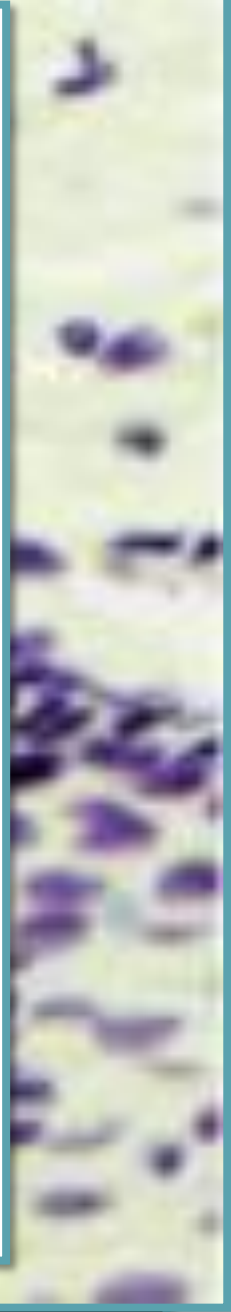
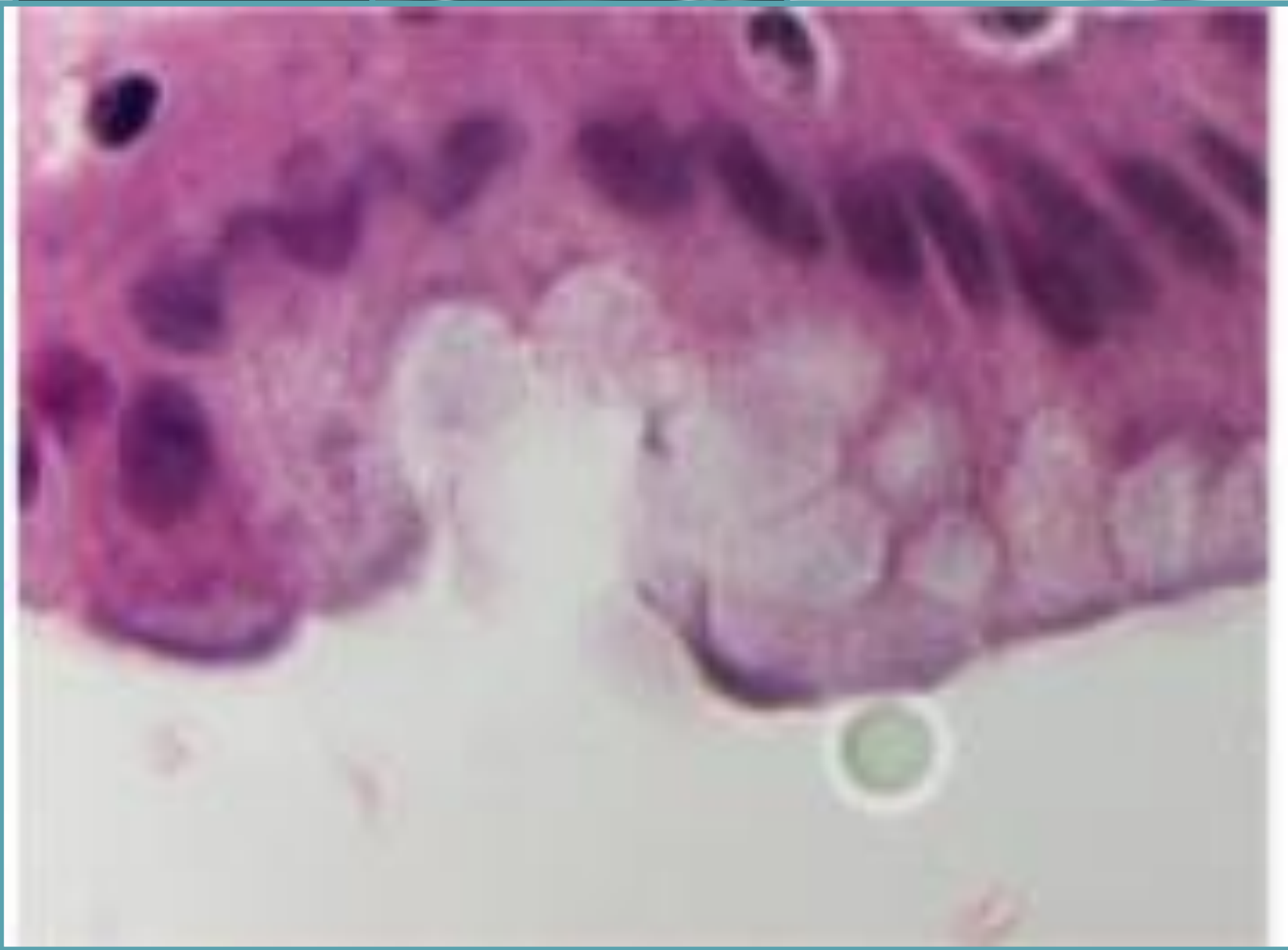
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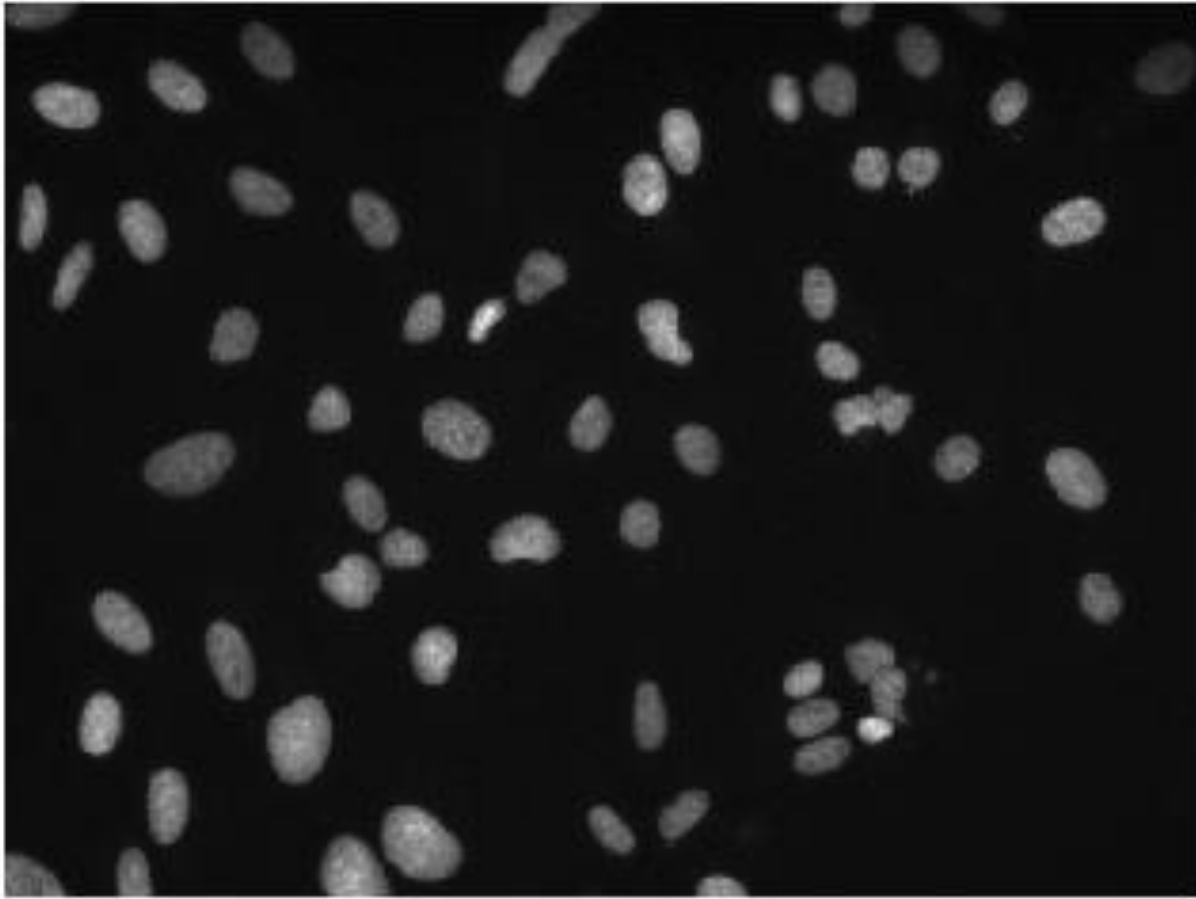
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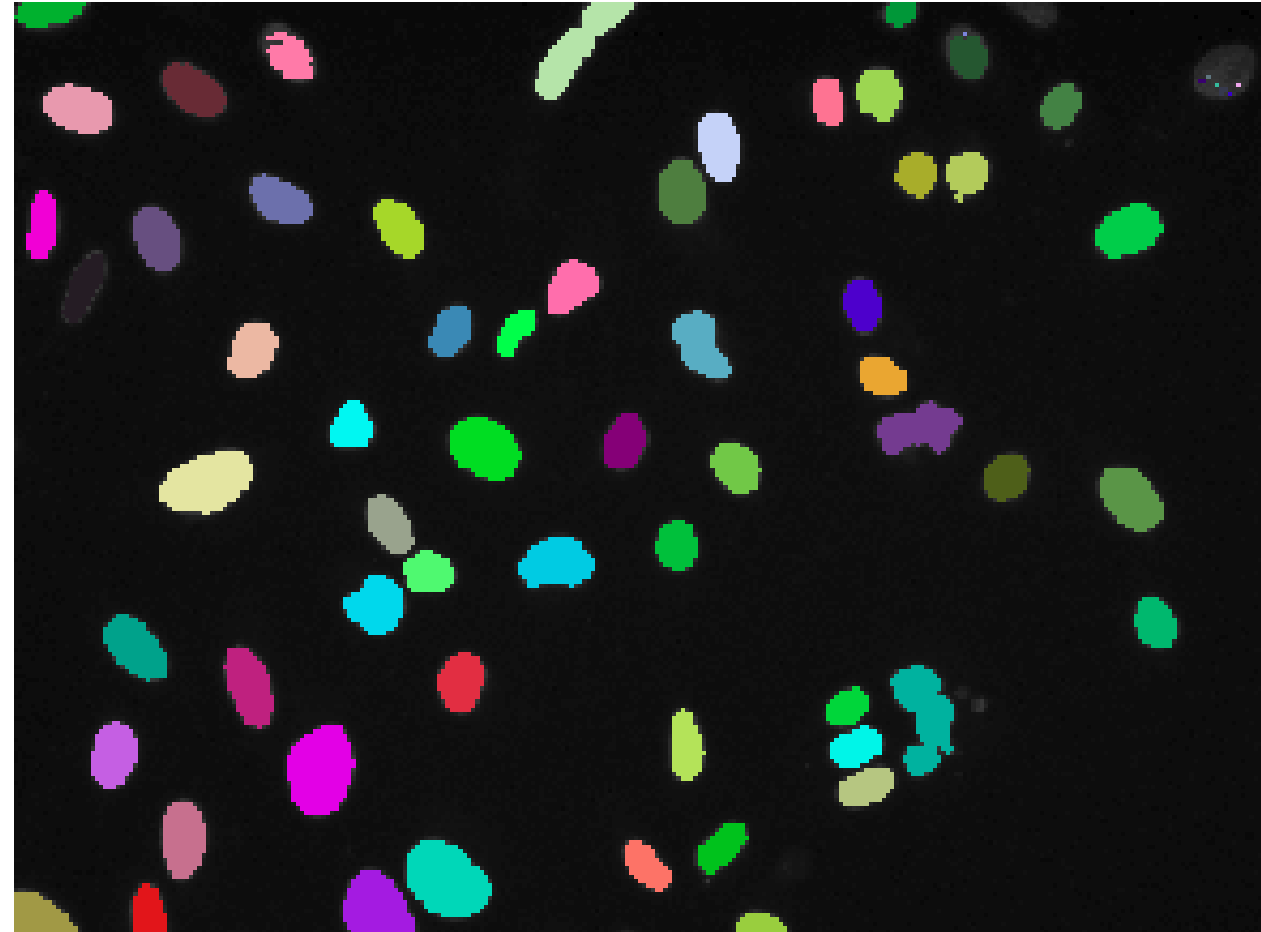






Competition metric:
Intersection of the Union

Competition goal:
Separate mask for each nucleus



Competition challenges

Variety of colors, microscopy types

Variety of sizes and scales

Different background tissue / nuclei types

****Overlapping nuclei****

Small training set (~700)

Errors in training set

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Image:
Intensity data with meaningful order

One cell from train image

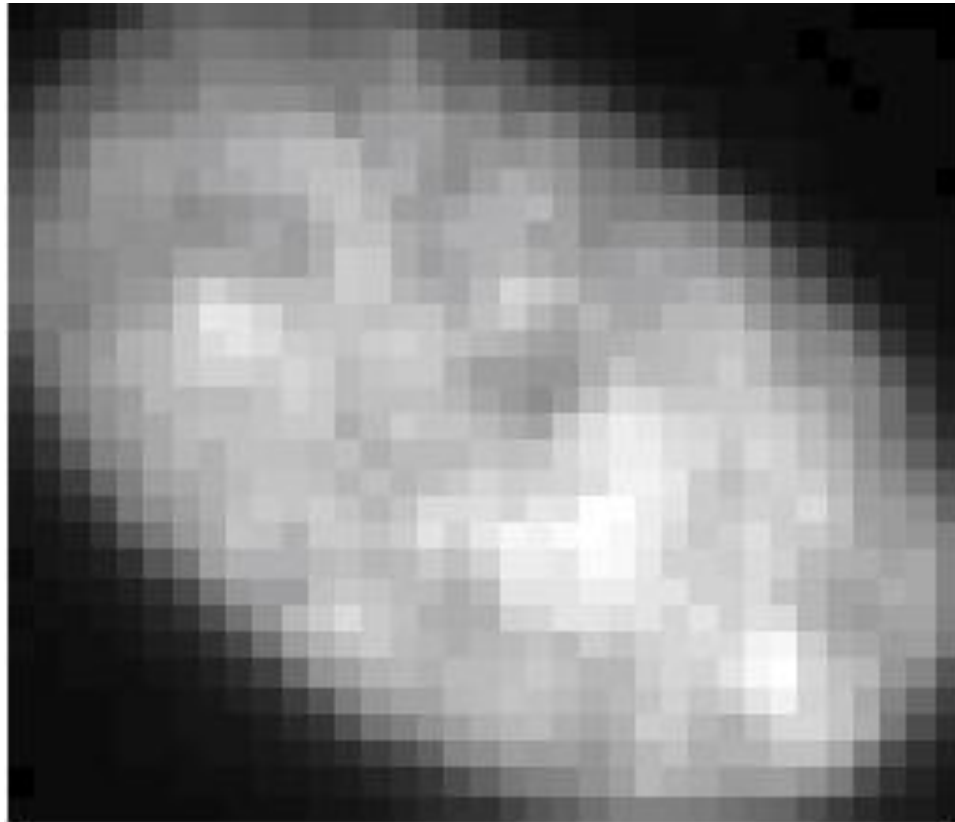
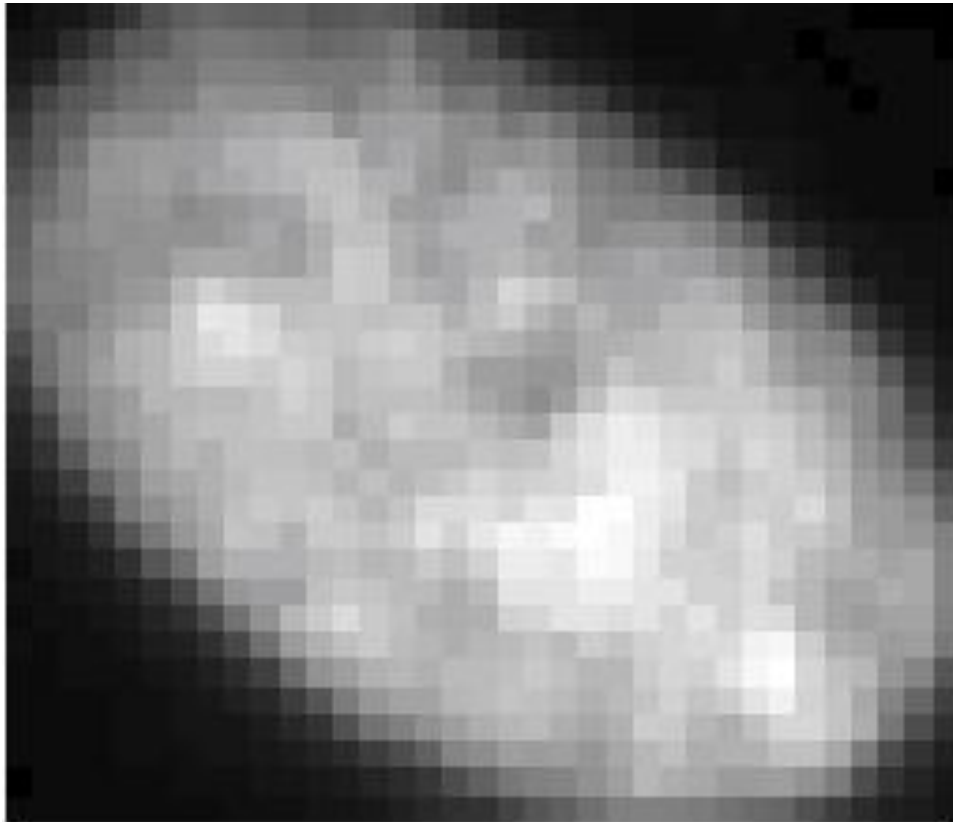


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Data with 3 color channels

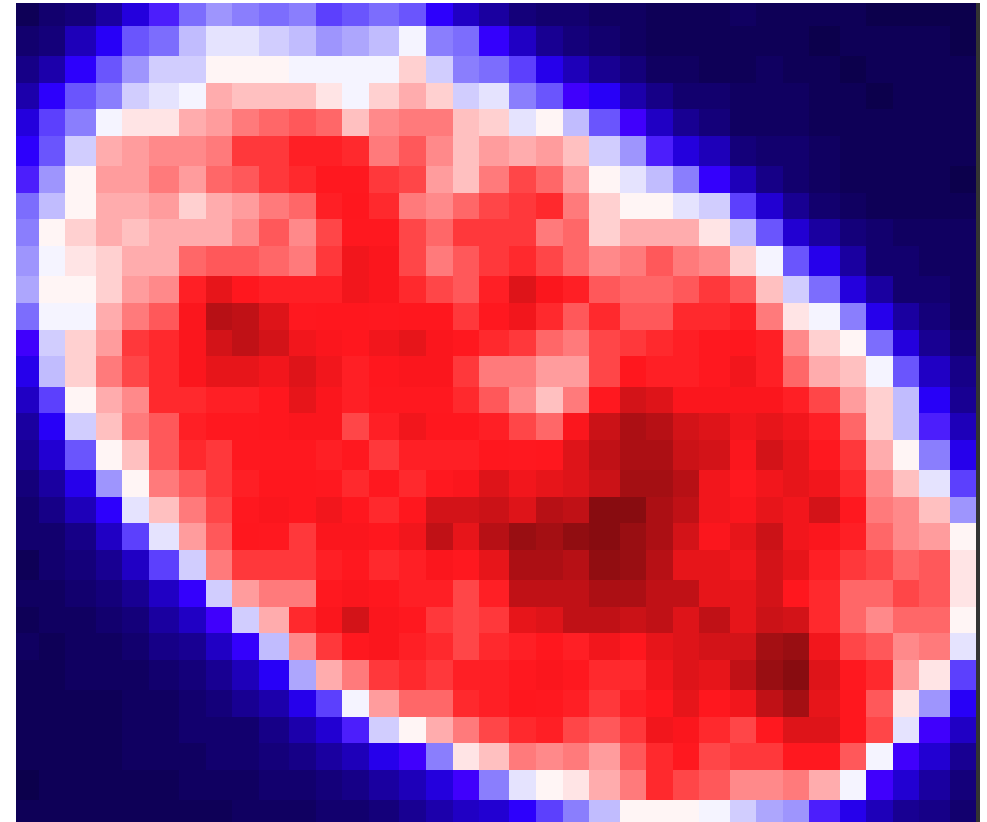
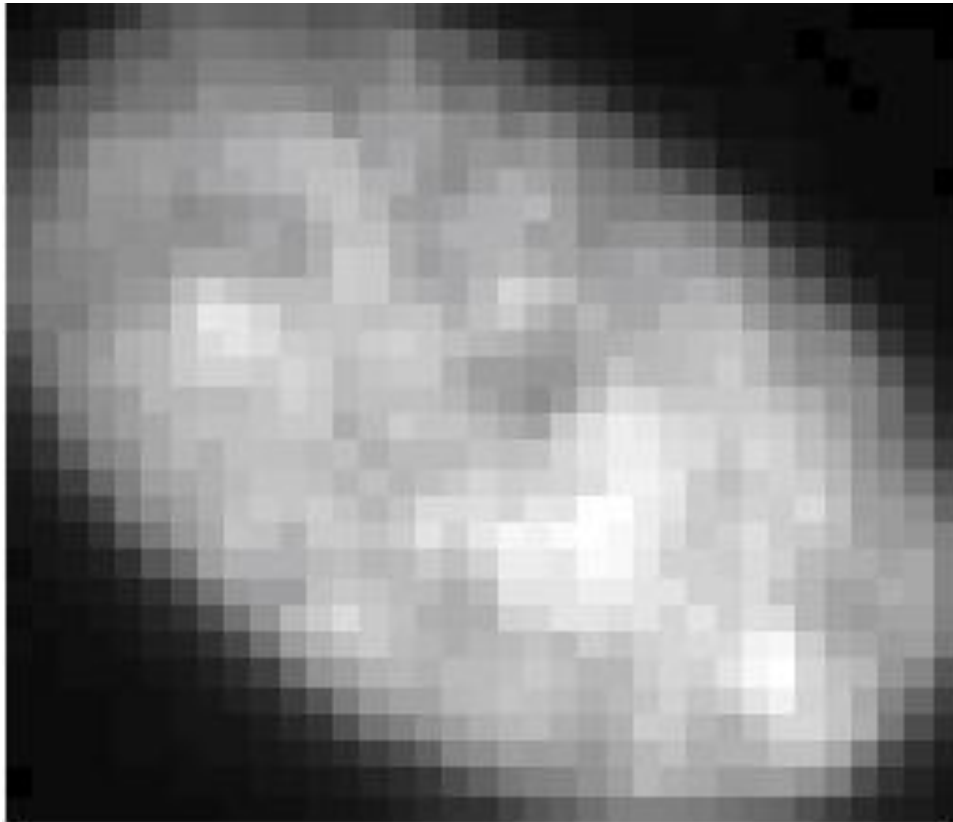
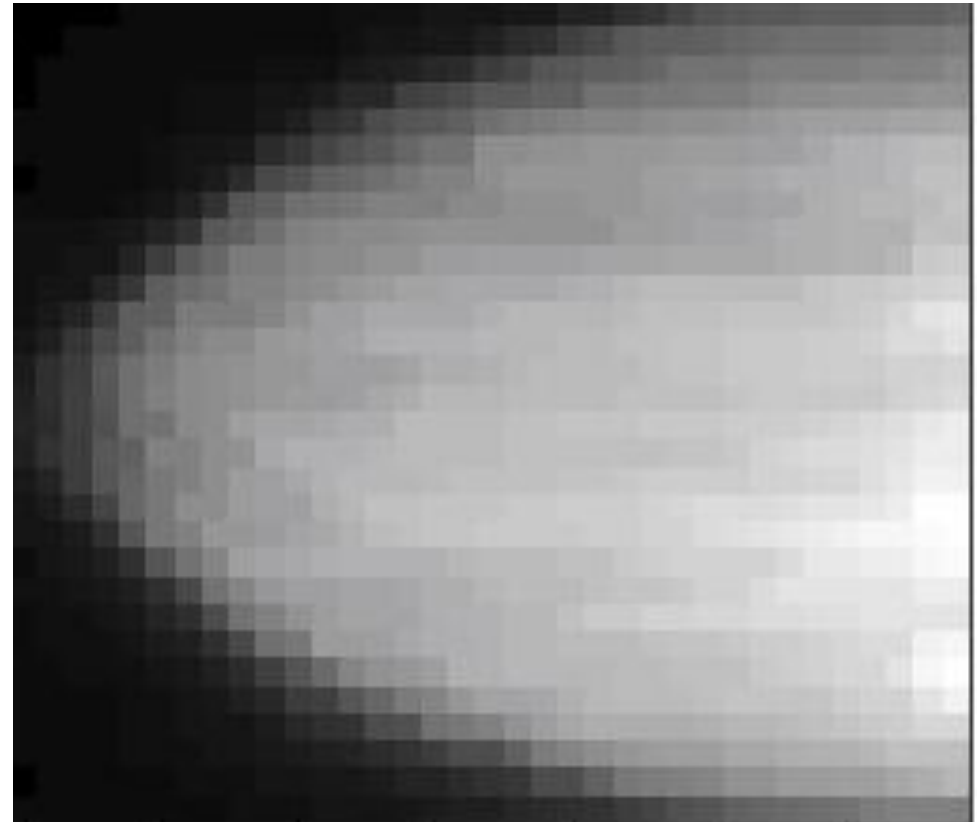


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Data sorted along rows



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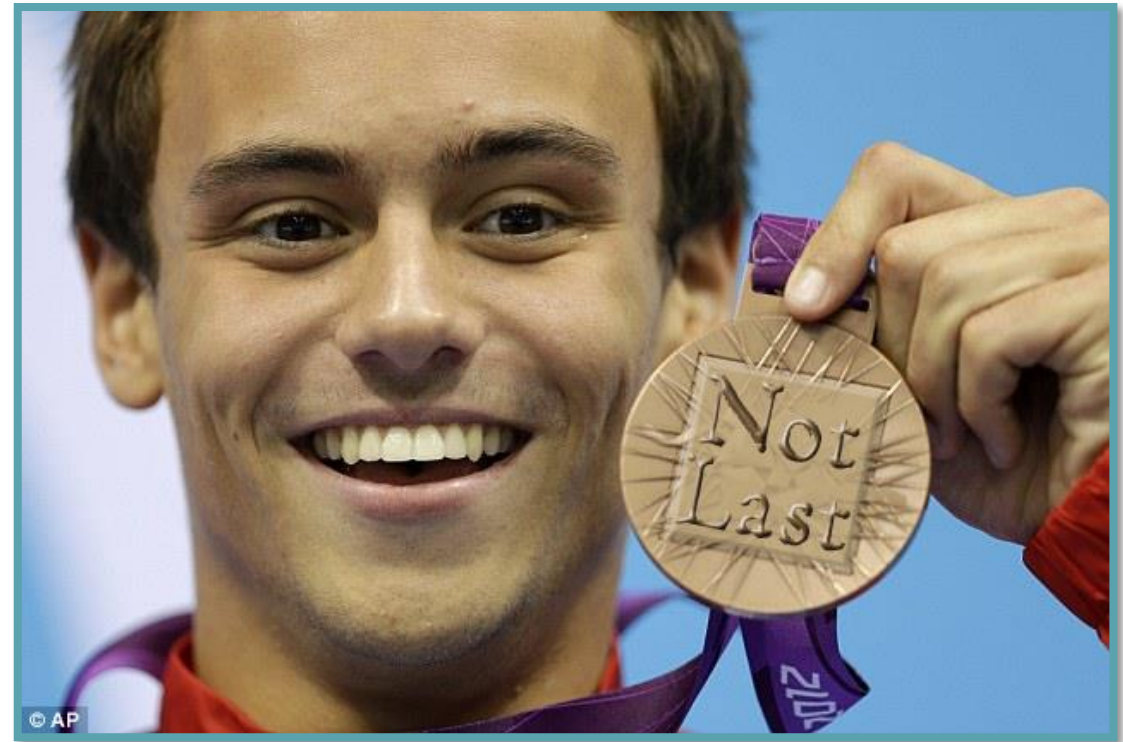
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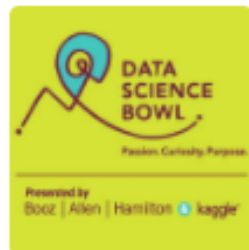
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Notebook

This kernel will implement classical image techniques and will hopefully serve as a useful primer to people who have never worked with image data before. Ultimately, we will develop a simple pipeline using `scipy` and `numpy` (and a little bit of

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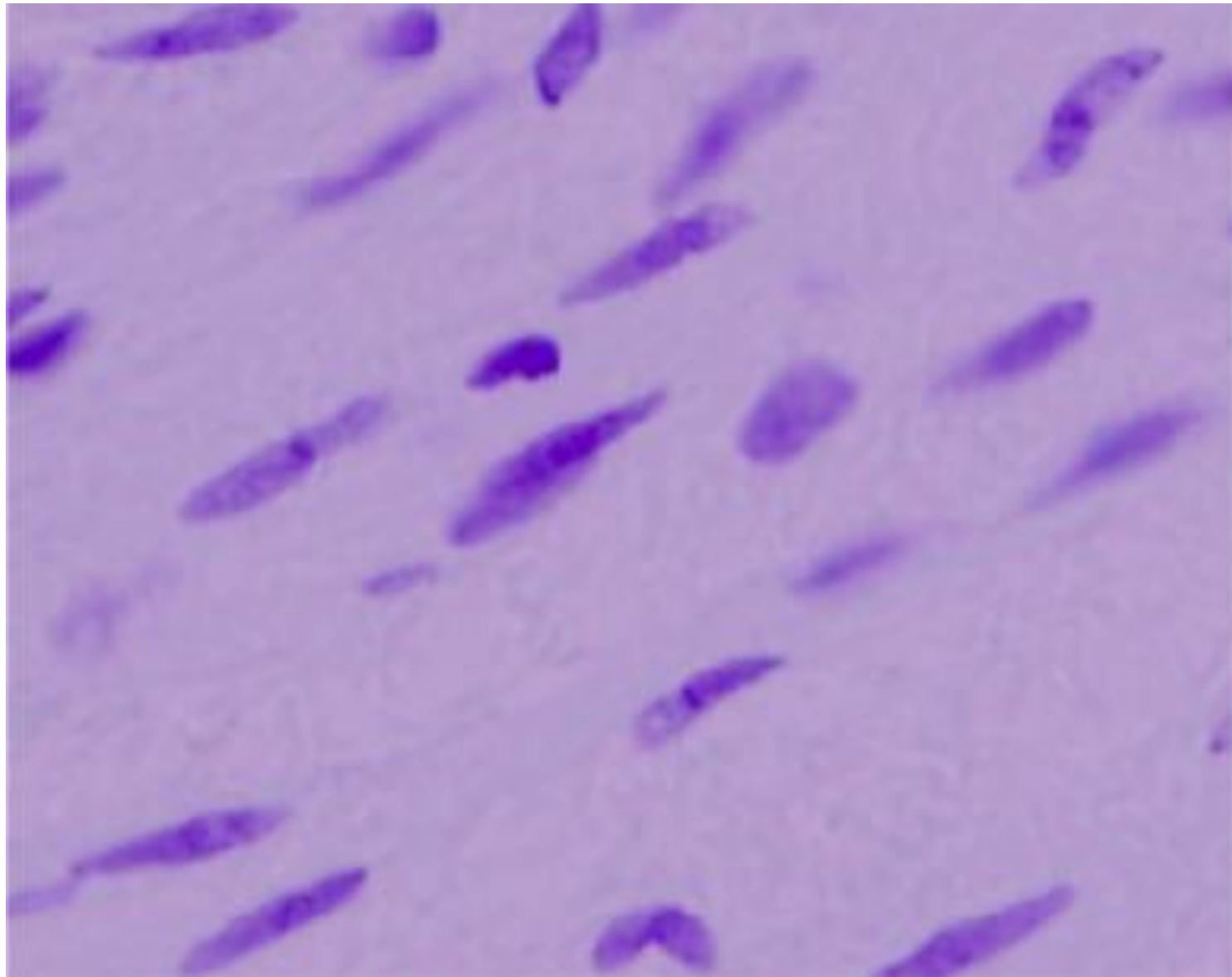
Different background tissue

Overlapping nuclei

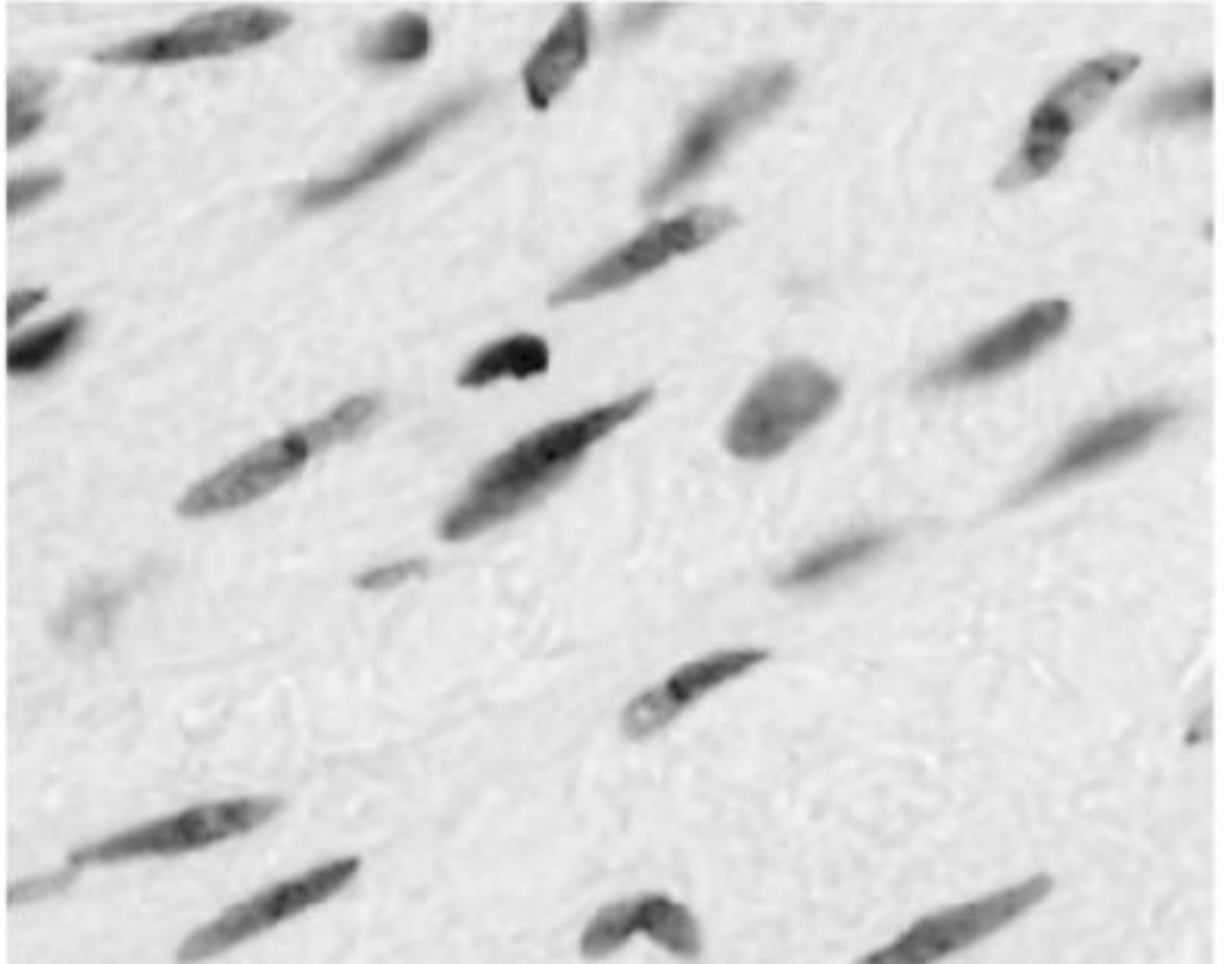
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Step one:
Convert to
grayscale image.



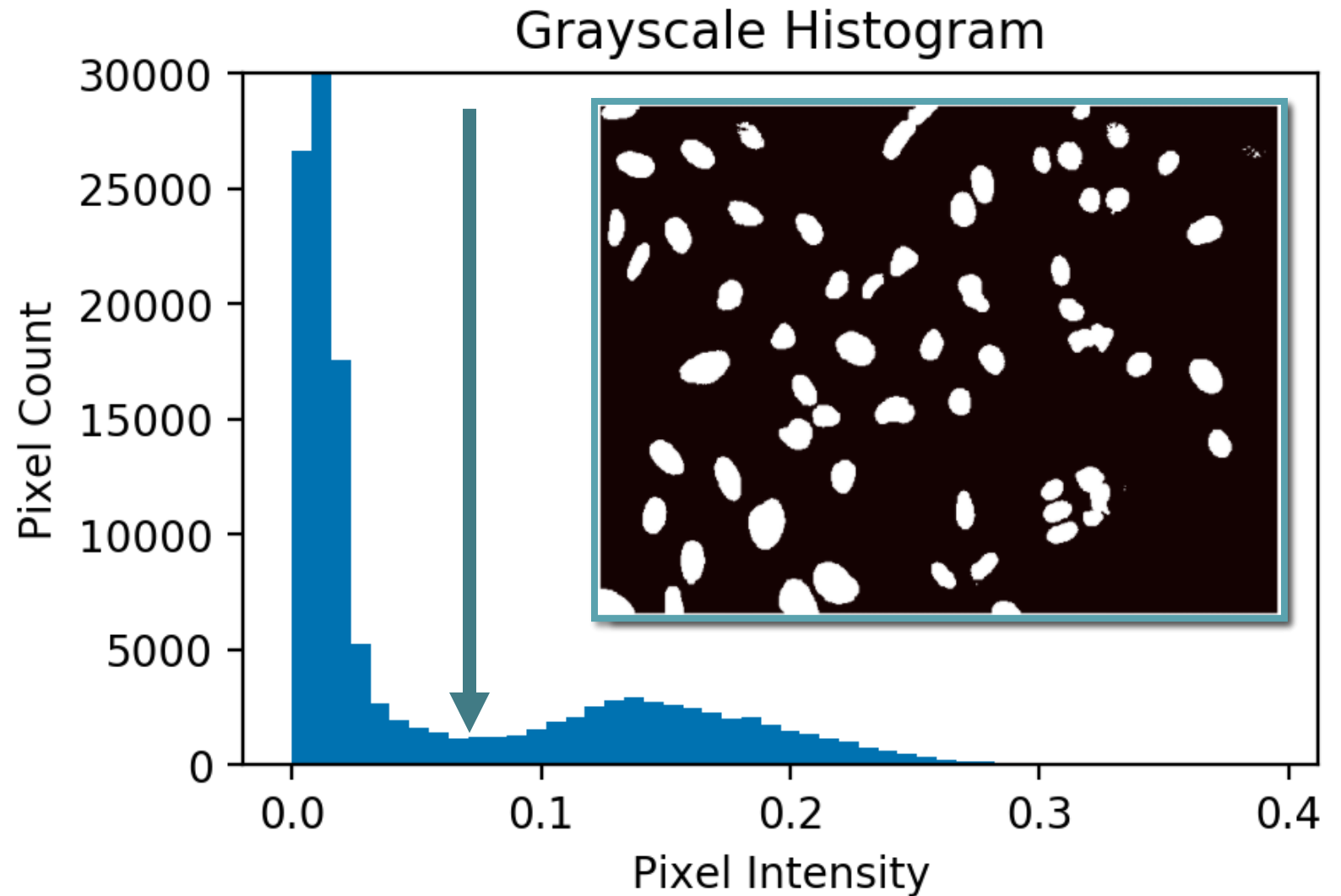
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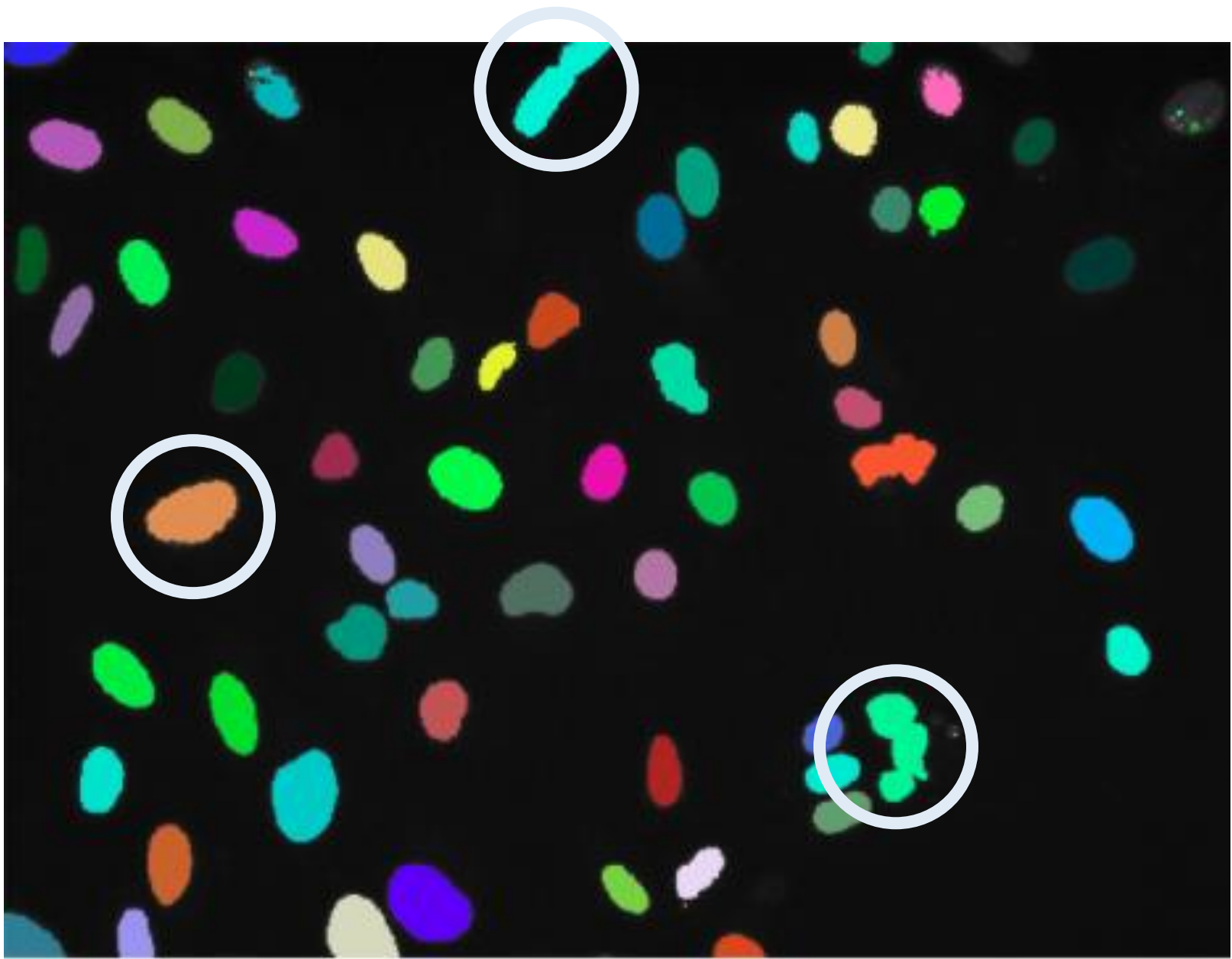
Step two: Threshold background

Assume there are
two pixel types in
the image:

- Nuclei
- Background.



Step three:
Separate
individual
objects



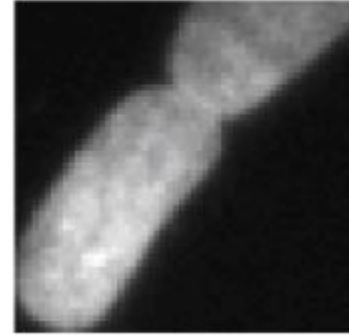
Step four: Post-process individual objects

Eliminate tiny objects

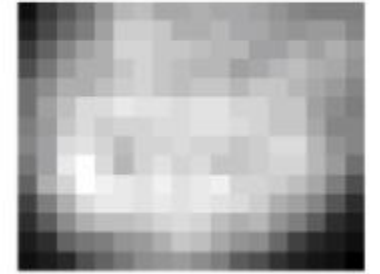
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Size: (14, 39)



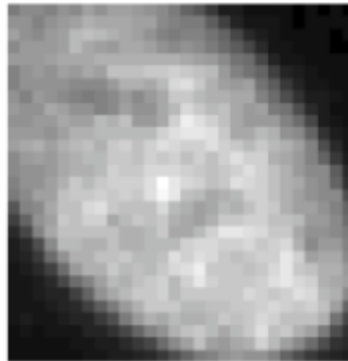
Label #2
Size: (55, 57)



Label #3
Size: (14, 18)



Label #4
Size: (29, 28)



Label #5
Size: (1, 1)



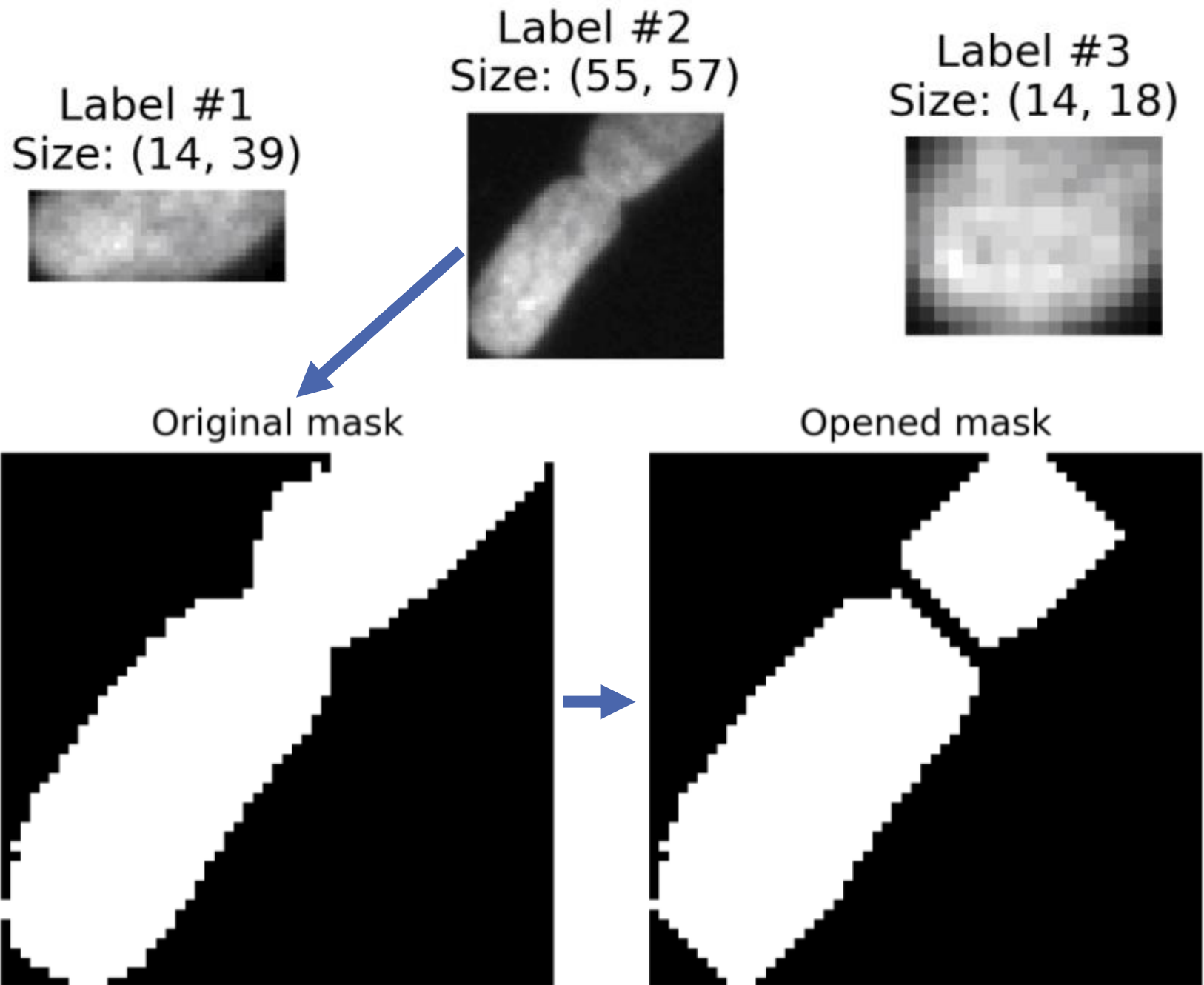
Label #6
Size: (1, 1)



Step four: Post-process individual objects

Eliminate tiny objects

Open connected objects



A close-up shot from the movie Inception showing Leonardo DiCaprio and Matt Damon. DiCaprio is on the left, looking slightly down and to the right with a serious expression. Damon is on the right, leaning in towards DiCaprio. The lighting is dim and warm, typical of the film's aesthetic.

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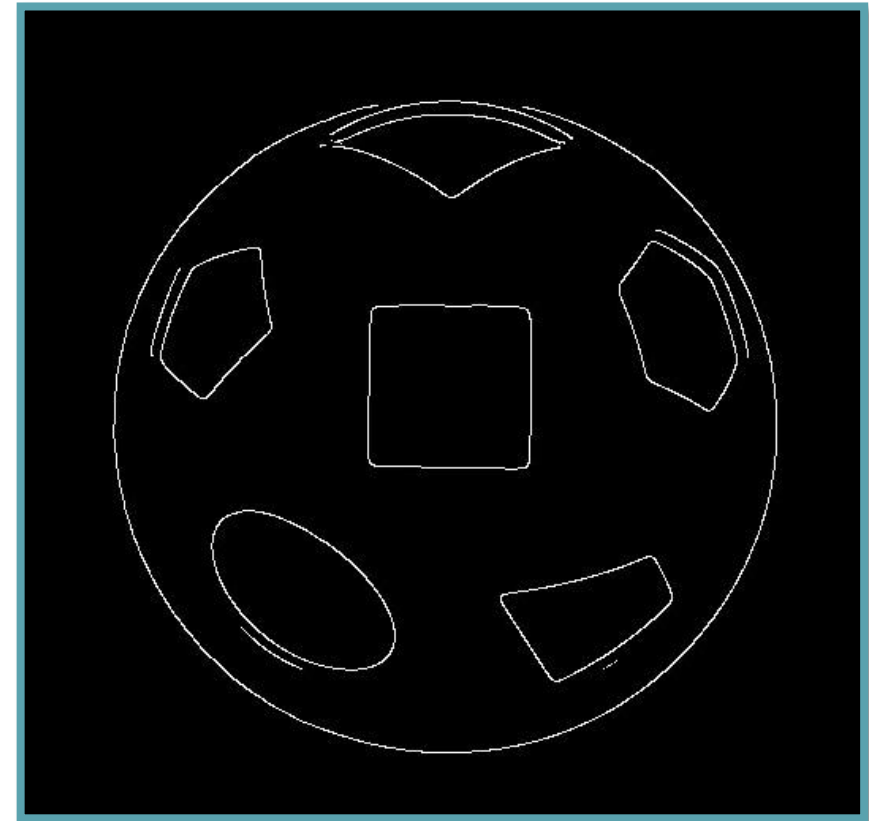
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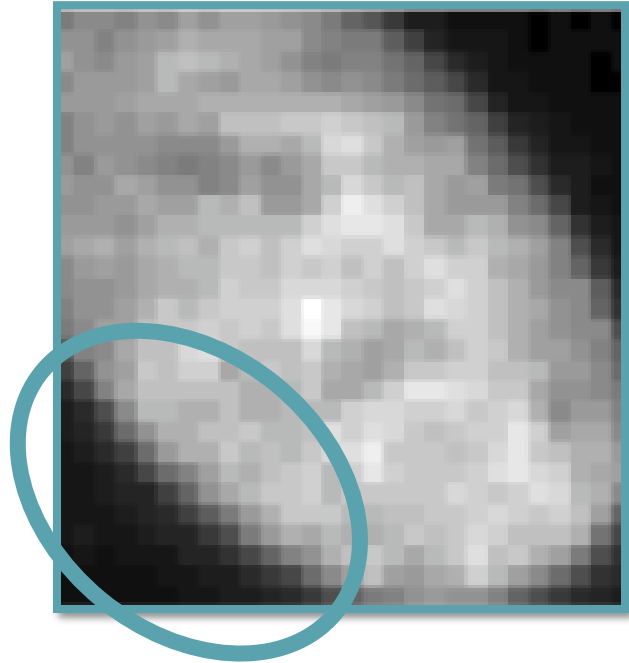
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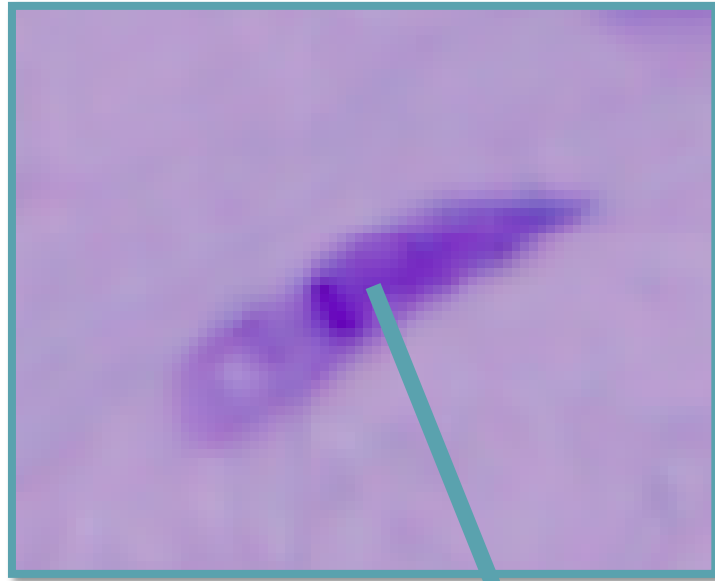
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Humans recognize objects from patterns



Edges

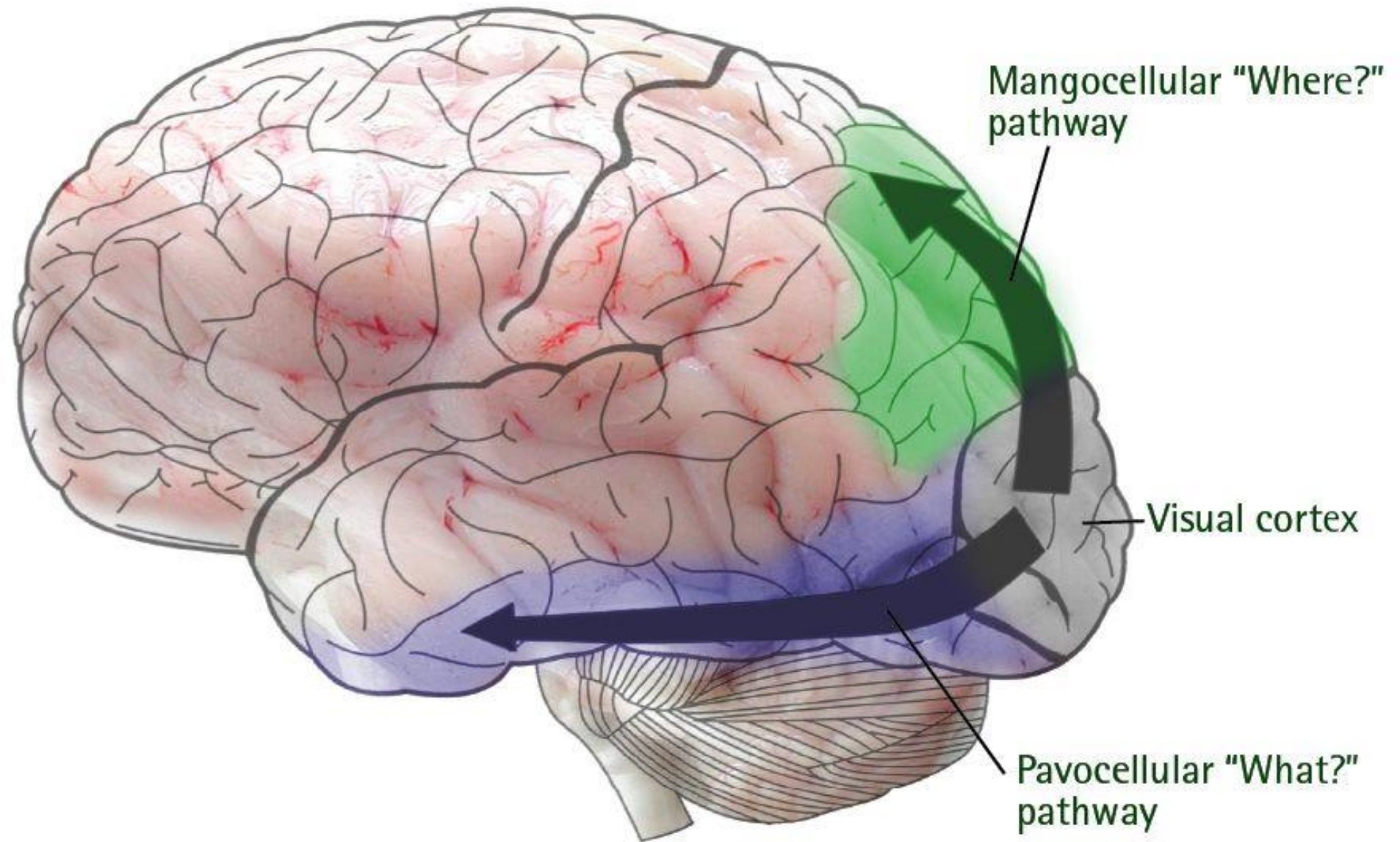


Color

Ratios





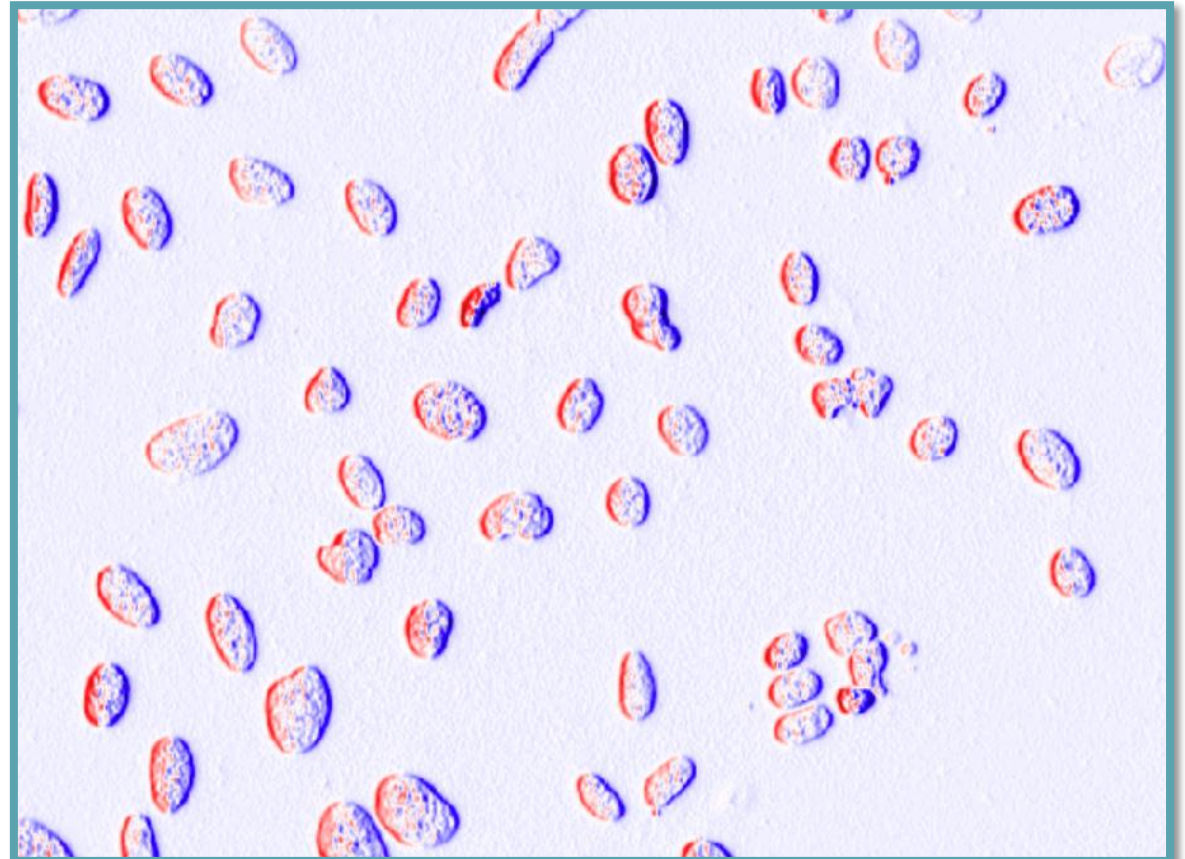


Convolution:

Weighting an image by a pattern.

Horizontal Edges
3 x 3

1	0	-1
1	0	-1
1	0	-1



Convolution sums the element-wise product of an image window and filter

Image Window

5	4	3
5	4	3
5	4	3

*

Filter

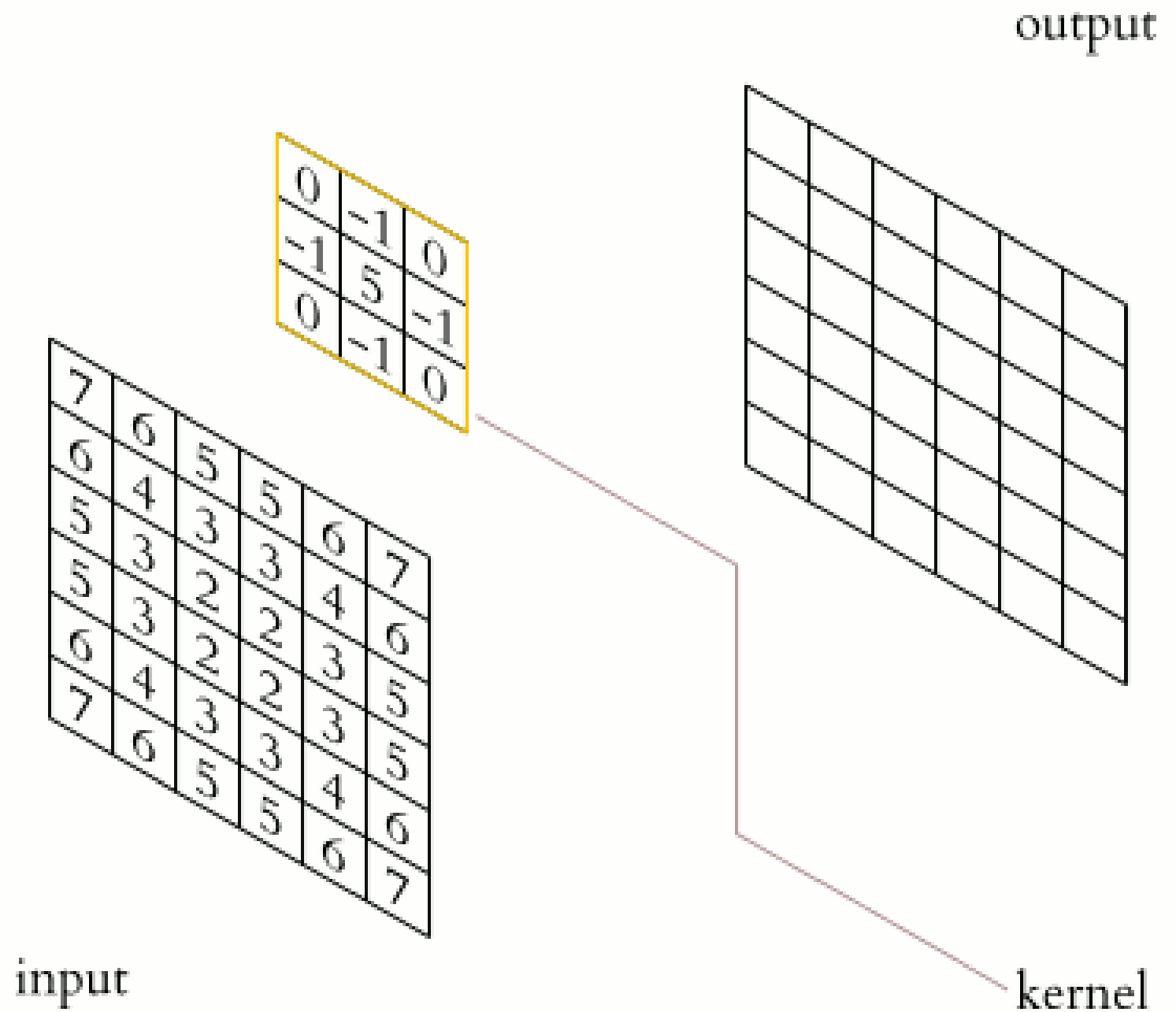
1	0	-1
1	0	-1
1	0	-1

= SUM

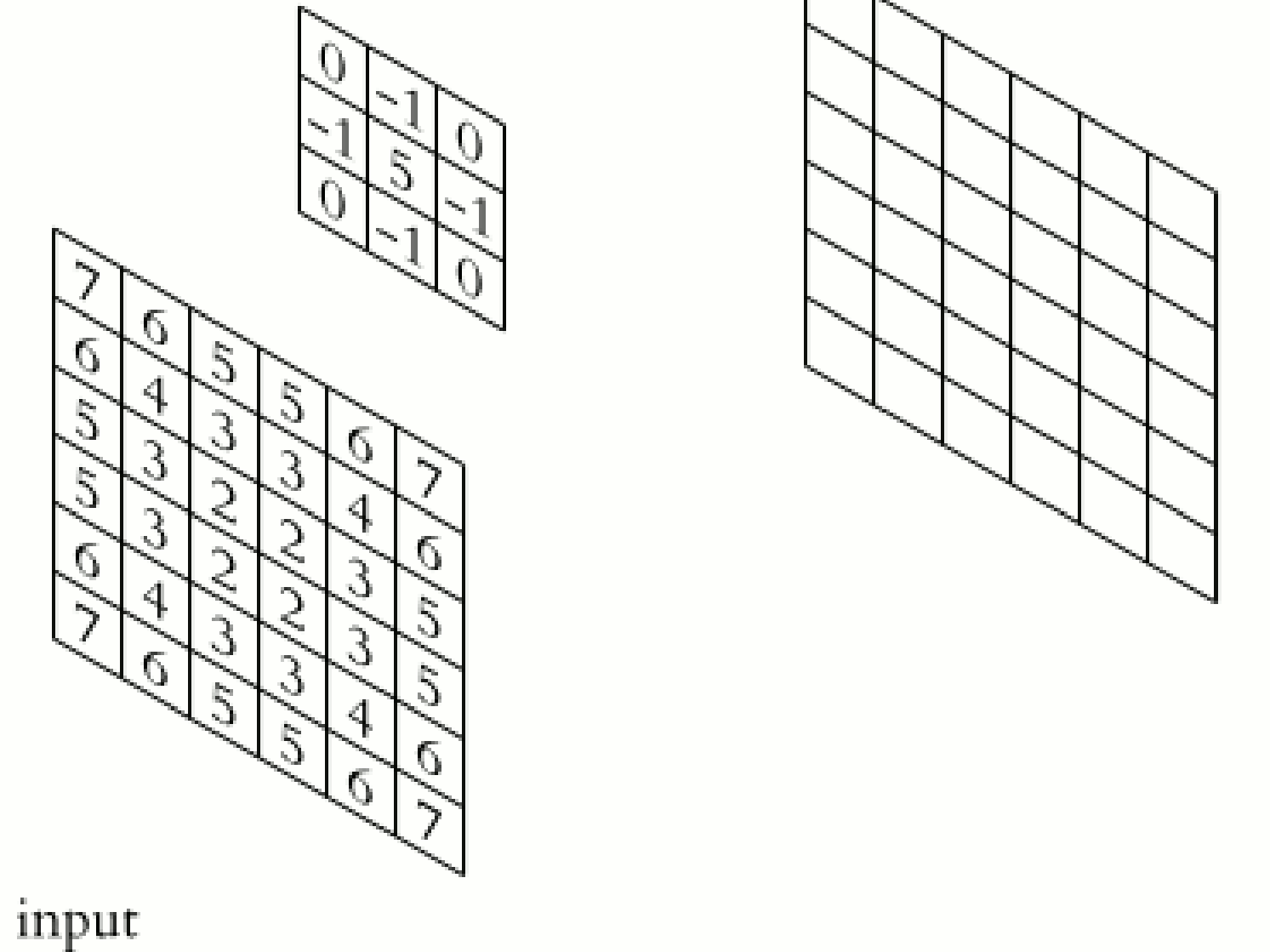
$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 \cdot 1 \\ 5 \cdot 1 \\ 5 \cdot 1 \\ 4 \cdot 0 \\ 4 \cdot 0 \\ 4 \cdot 0 \\ 3 \cdot -1 \\ 3 \cdot -1 \\ 3 \cdot -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

= 6

A separate convolution is performed for each pixel.

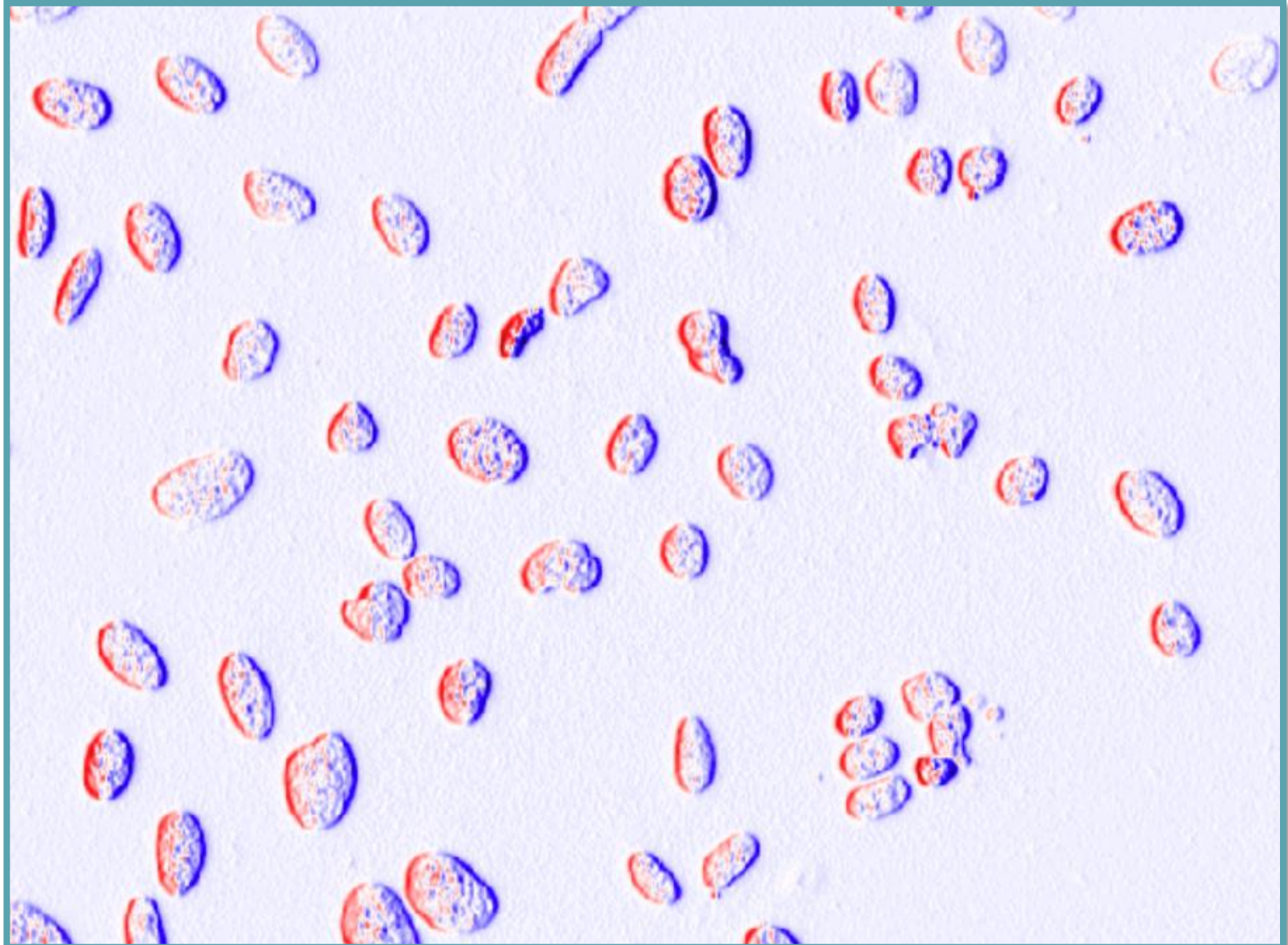


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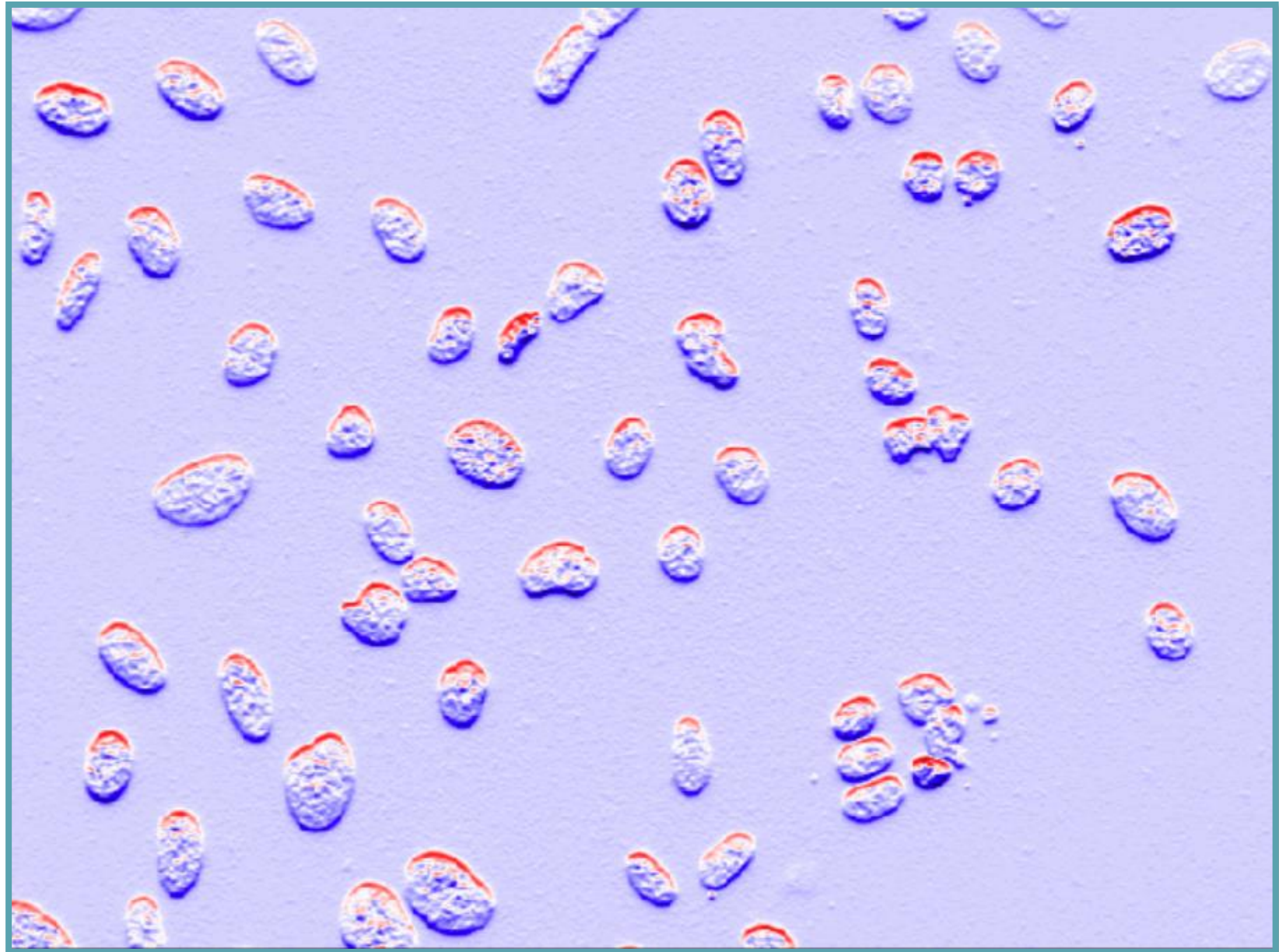
Results:
Horizontal Edges

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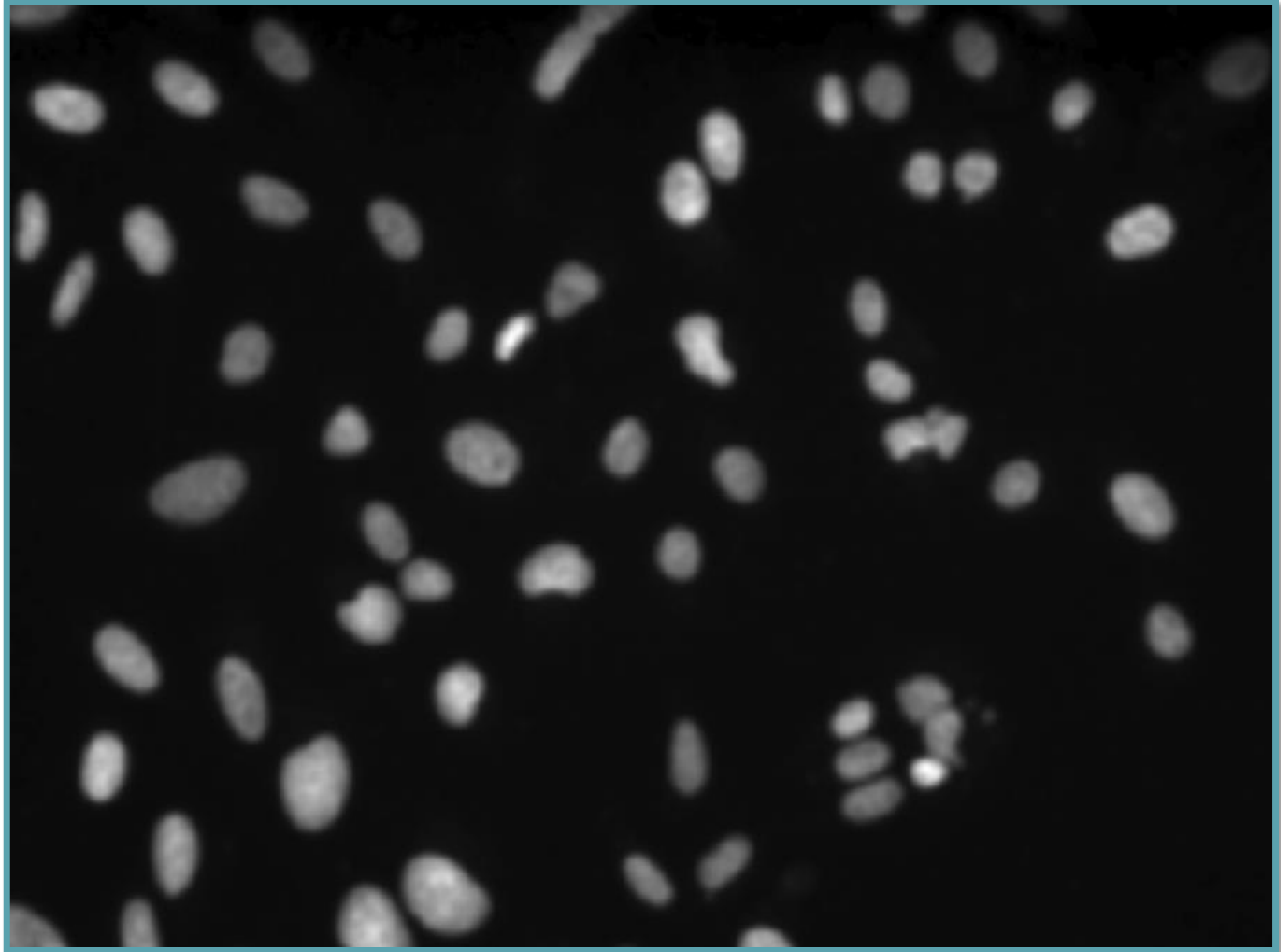
Results:
Vertical Edges

1	1	1
0	0	0
-1	-1	-1



Results:
Mean Filter

1	1	1
1	1	1
1	1	1

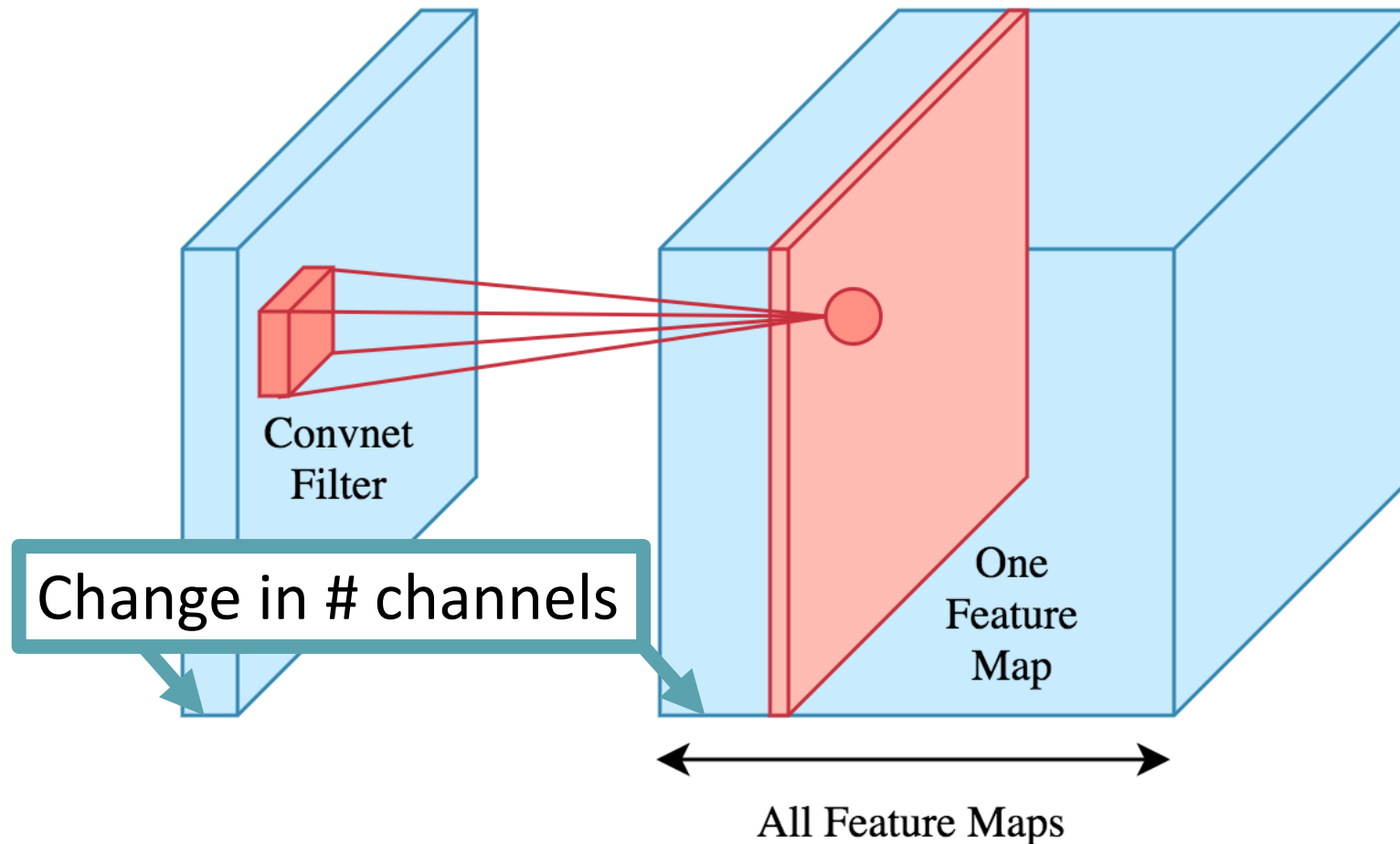


Convolve image with multiple filters



Input

Convolve image with many filters



- Horiz. edges
- Vert. edges
- Diag. edges
- Flat areas
- Smooth areas
- High color
- ...

Convolutional neural networks

Don't impose filter weights... learn them!

Horizontal Edges

3 x 3

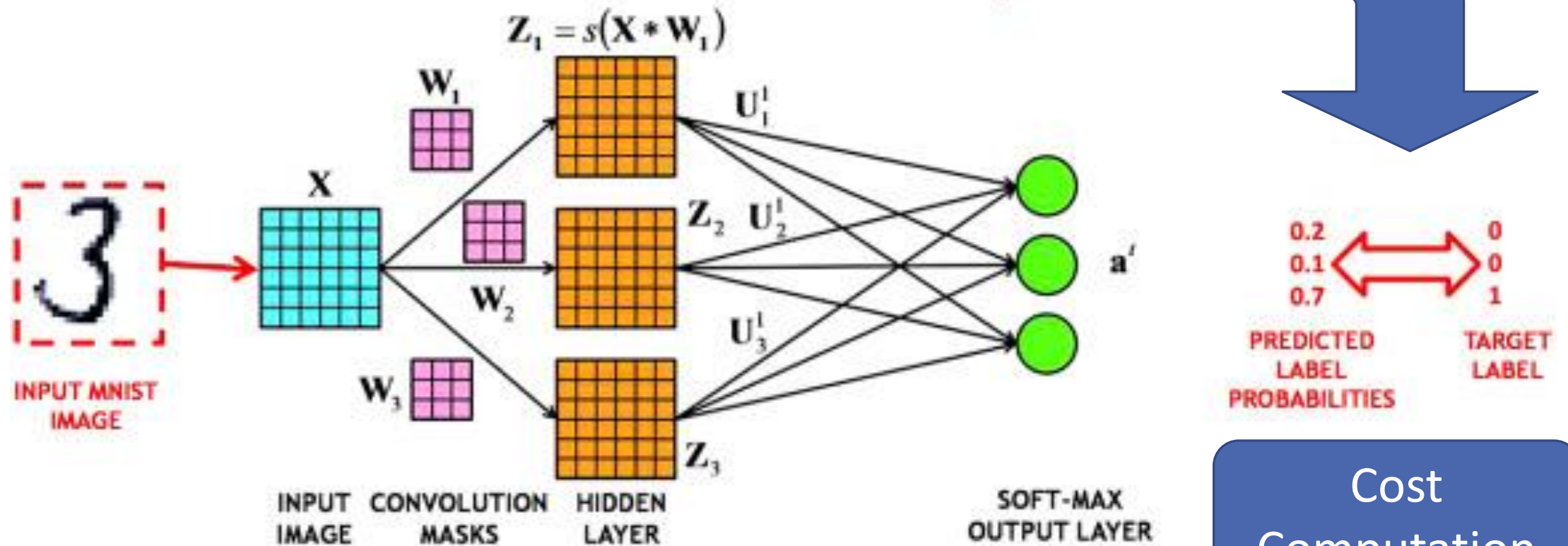
1	0	-1
1	0	-1
1	0	-1

Conv2D Weights [0]

3 x 3

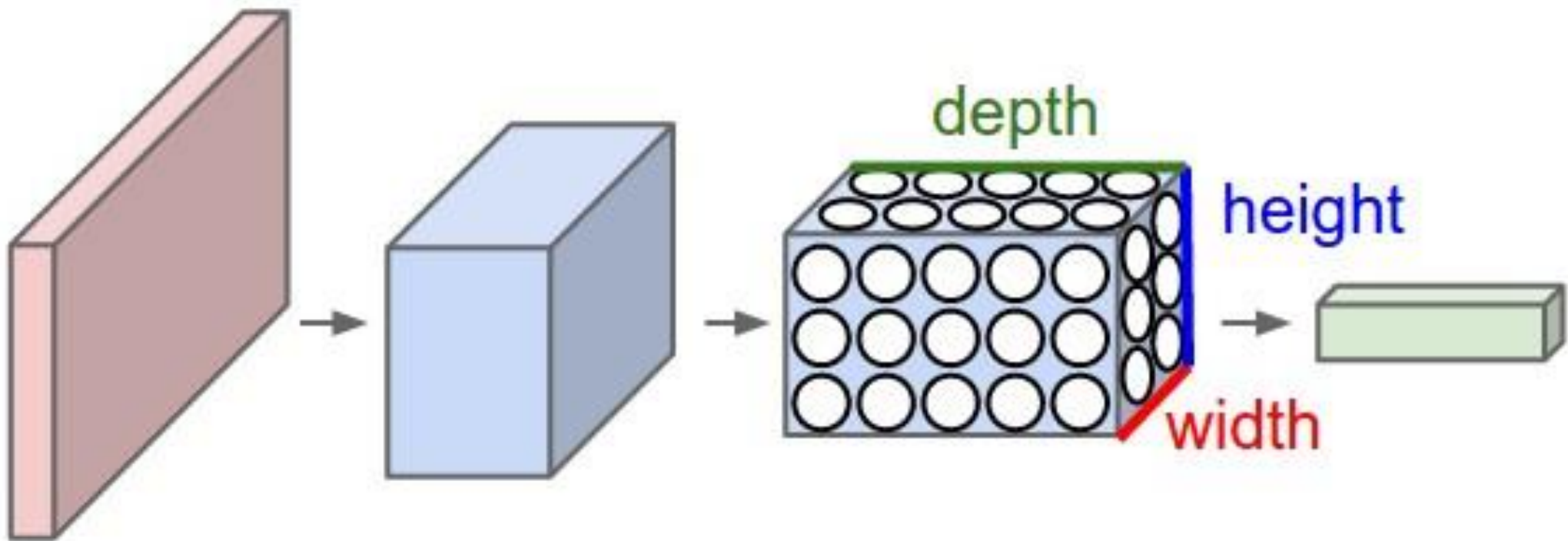
1.2	-0.3	-1.3
1.8	0.1	-1.6
1.1	0.2	-0.4

Forward Propagation



Backward Propagation

Rule of thumb:
Layers get more compact but deeper.



Rule of thumb:
Filters become
sensitive to
higher level
features in
deeper layers

Layer 2

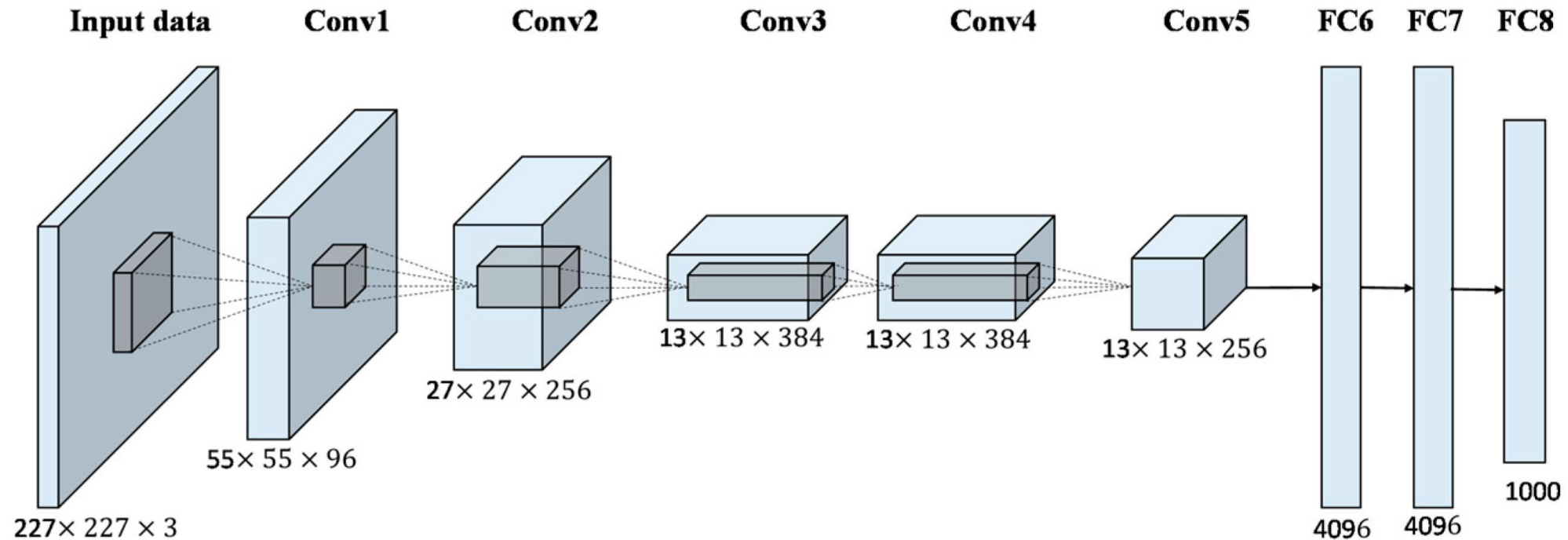


Layer 3



faces

Rule of thumb: Use a pre-built architecture



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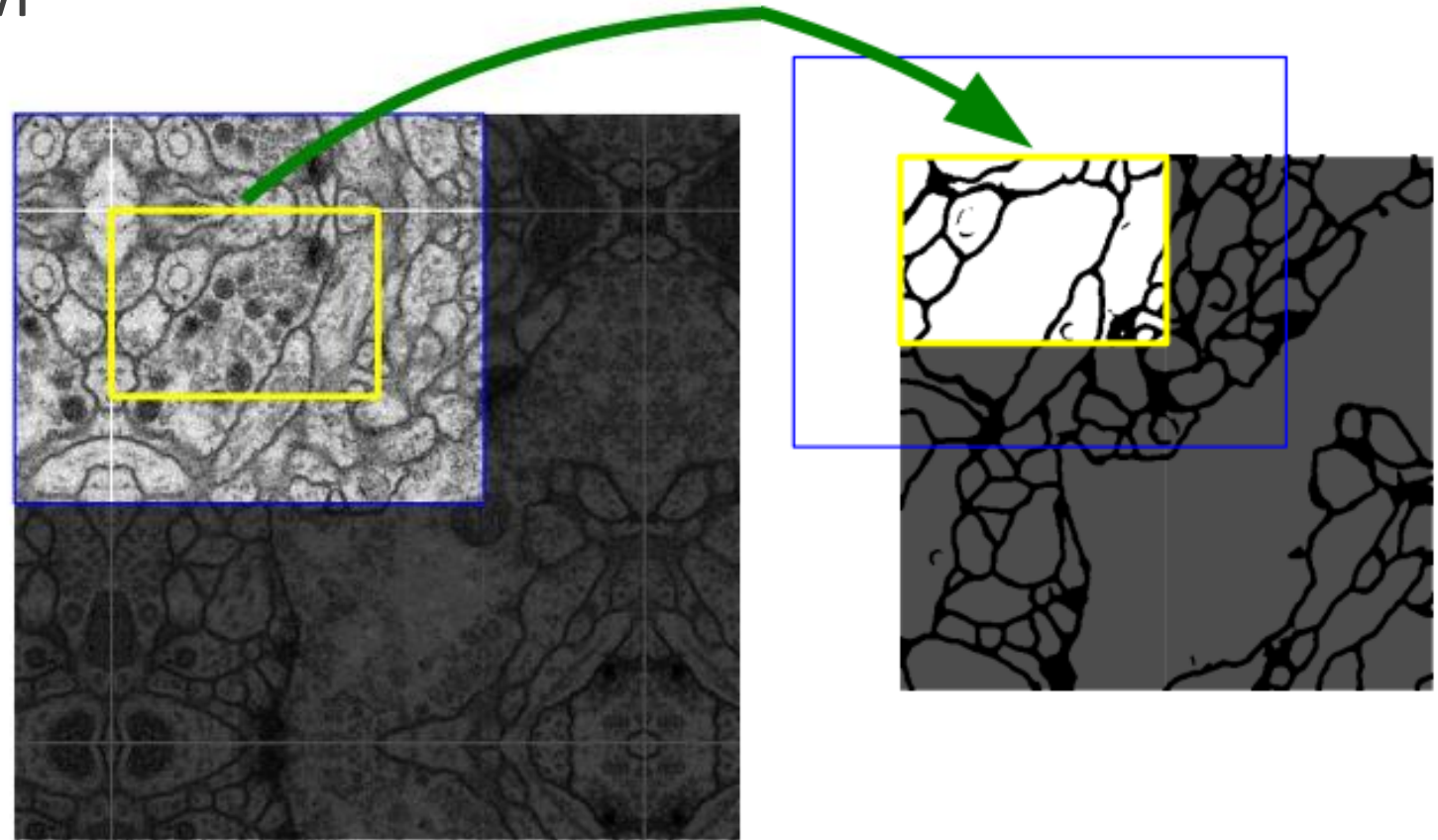
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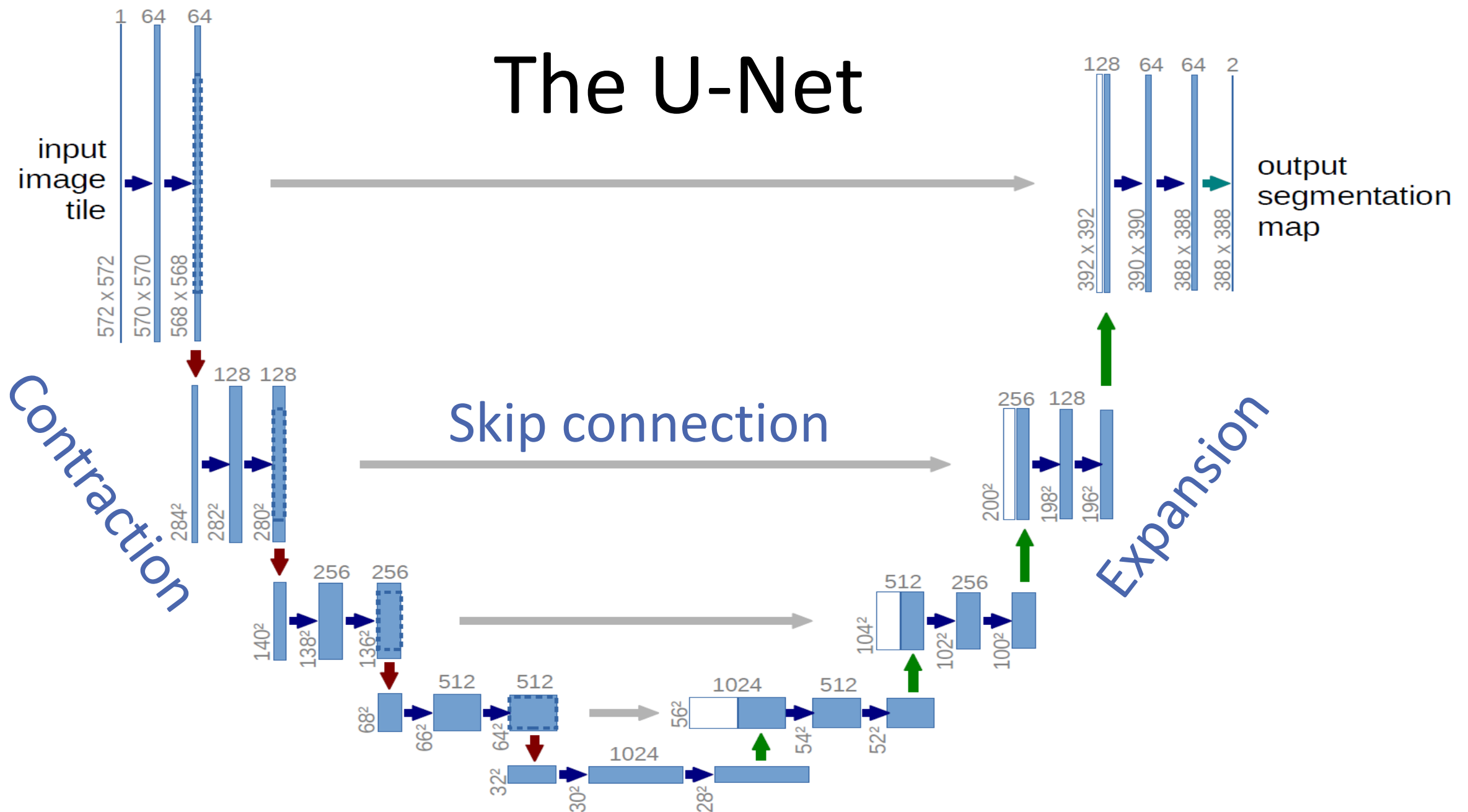
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Layer Types

Convolutions

- 3 x 3 Filter Size
- “Valid” padding

Max Pooling

Up-convolutions

Skip Connections

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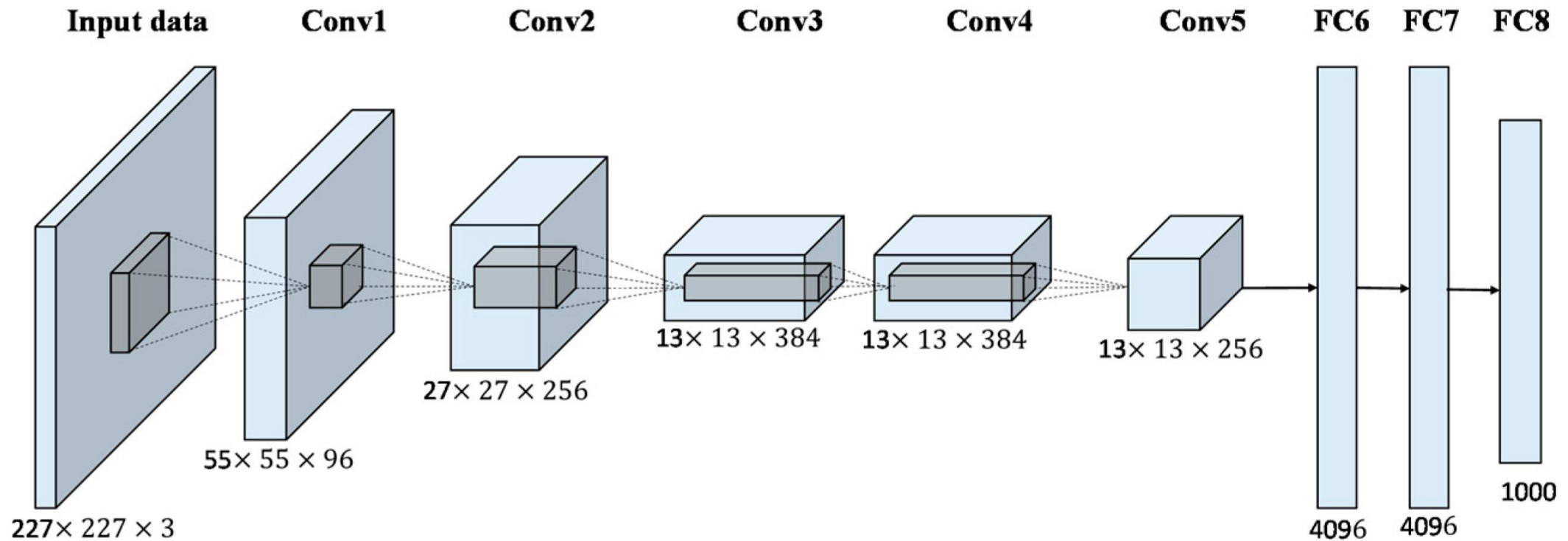
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1	3	2	9
7	4	1	5
8	5	2	3
4	2	1	4

Convolutions change depth, Pooling changes height / width



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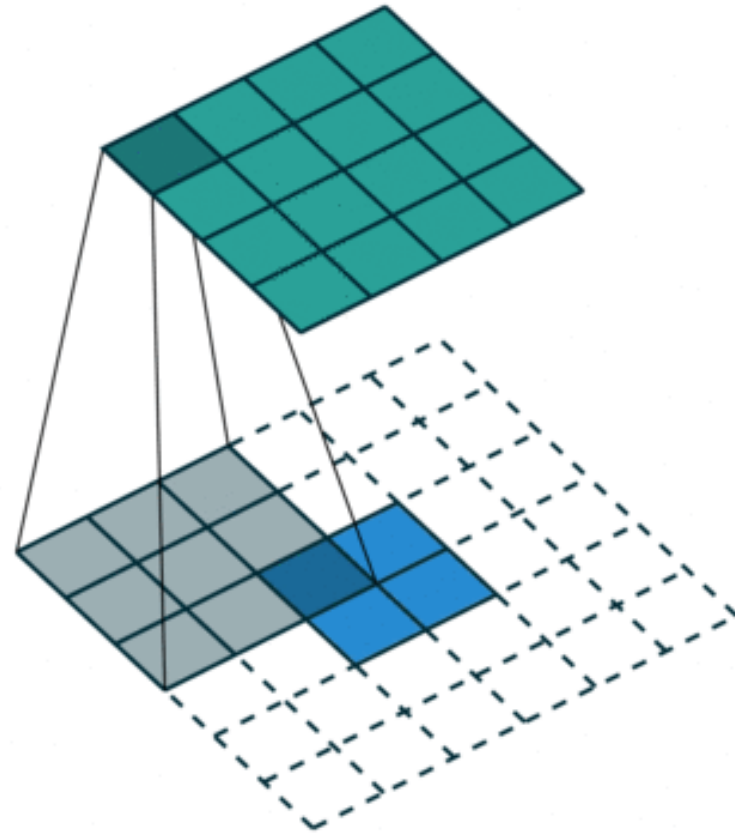
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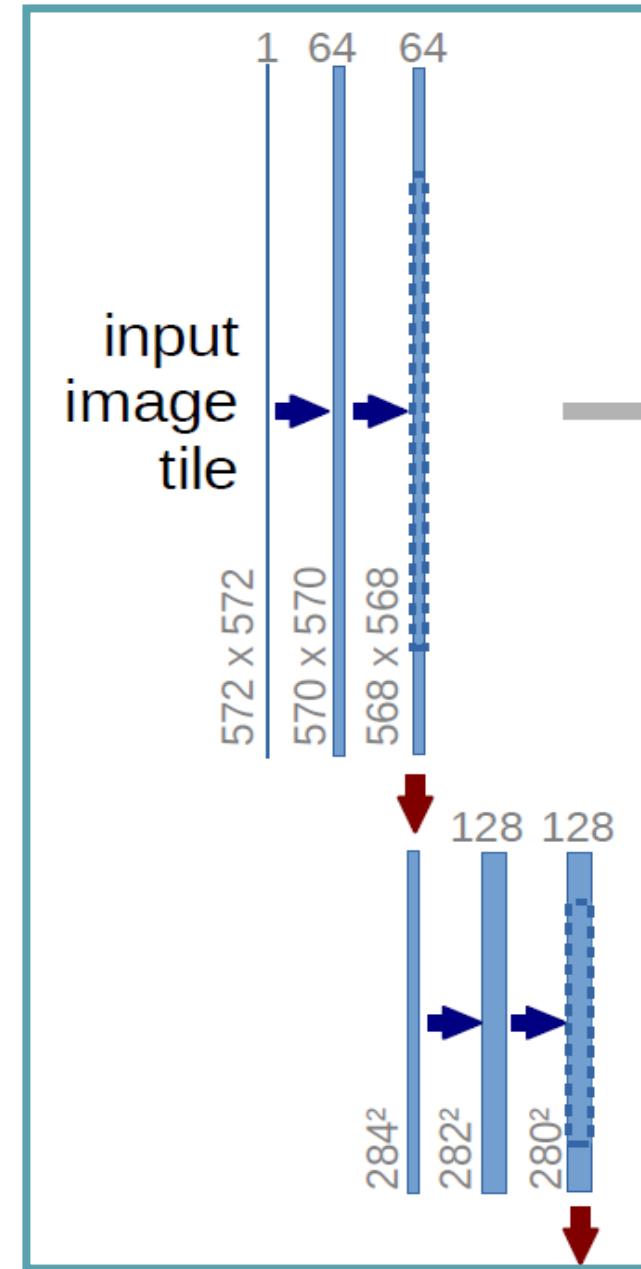
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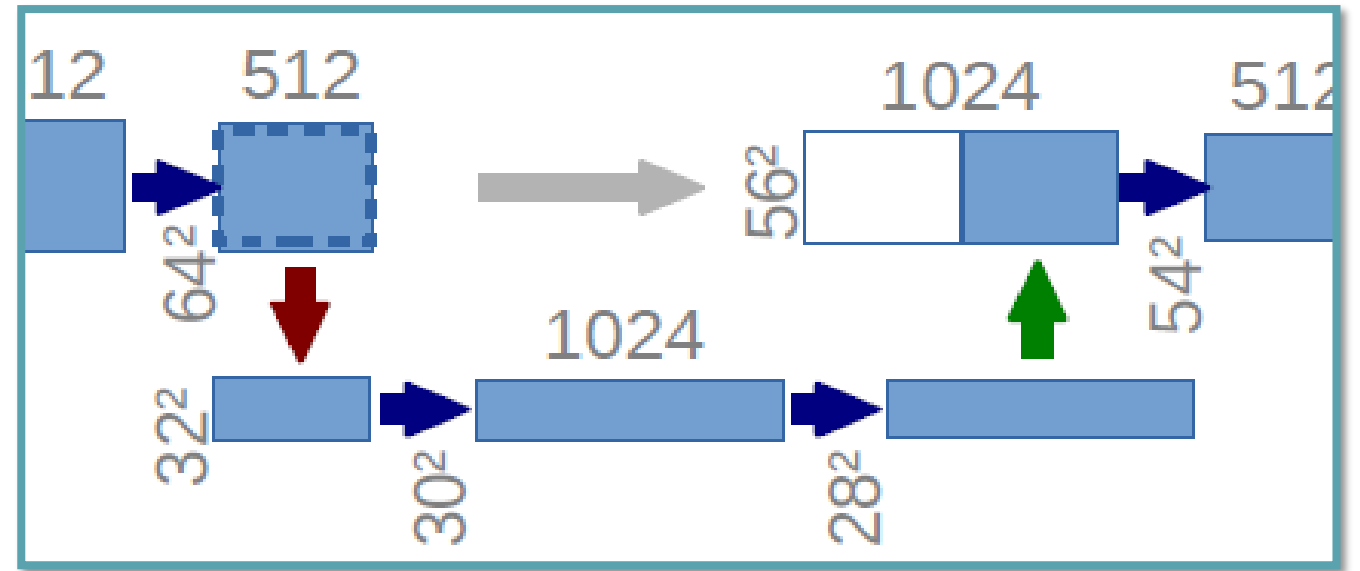
Contraction Path

Layer	Area	Depth
Input	572^2	1
Conv1	570^2	64
Conv2	568^2	64
MaxPool1	284^2	64
Conv3	282^2	128
Conv4	280^2	128
MaxPool2	140^2	128



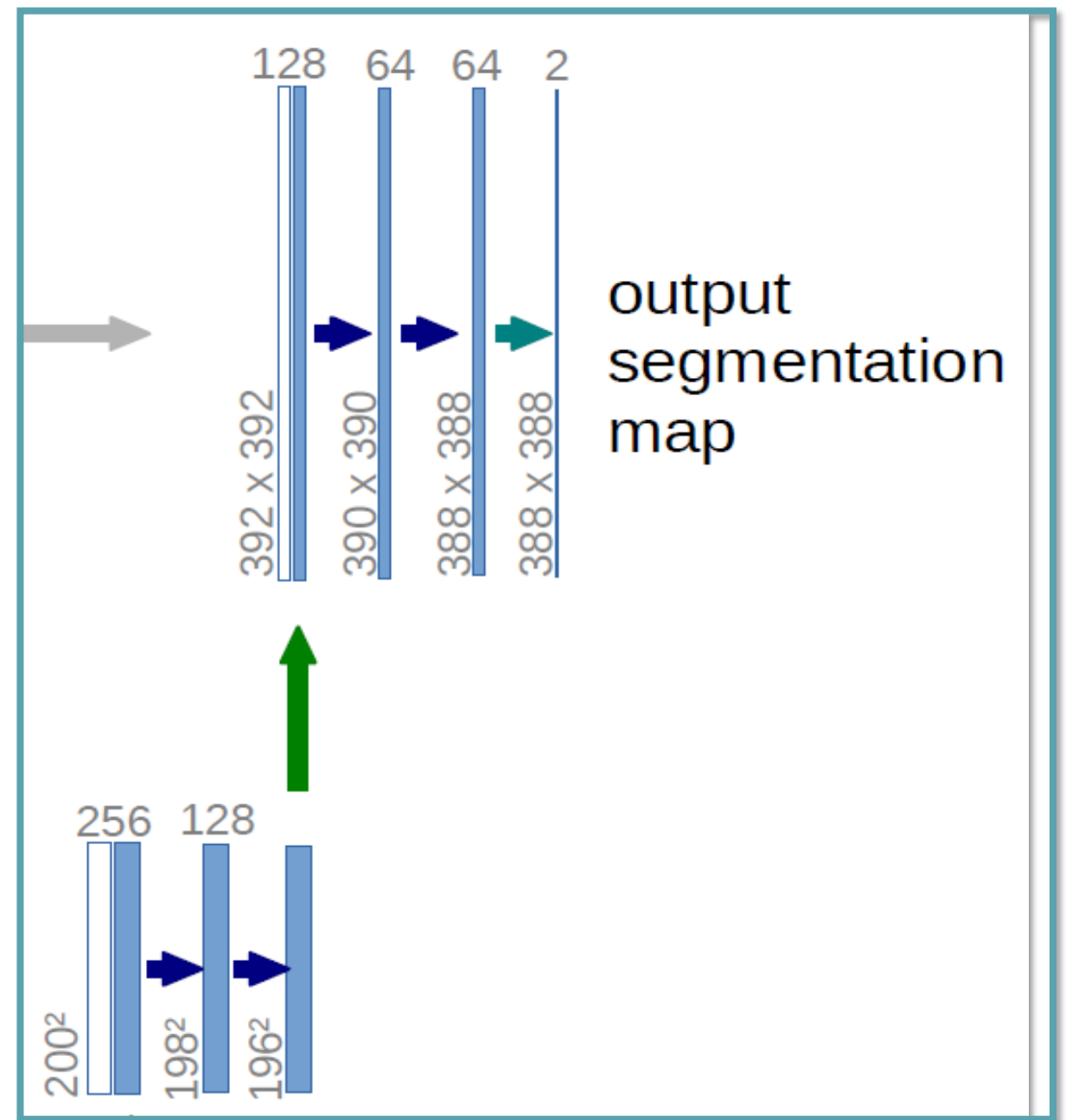
Basin

Layer	Area	Depth
MaxPool4	32^2	512
Conv9	30^2	1024
Conv10	28^2	1024
UpConv1	56^2	512



Expansion Path

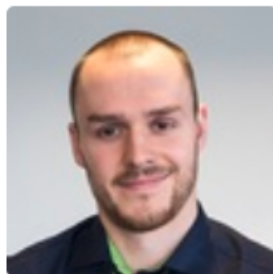
Layer	Area	Depth
UpConv3	200^2	256
Conv15	198^2	128
Conv16	196^2	128
UpConv4	392^2	128
Conv17	390^2	64
Conv18	388^2	64
Output	388^2	2



Skip Connections



Crops and copies information from earlier in the network to deeper layers
Allows final resolution to remain high



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Keras U-Net starter - LB 0.277

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Notebook


```
# Build U-Net model
```

```
inputs = Input((IMG_HEIGHT, IMG_WIDTH, IMG_CHANNELS))
```

```
s = Lambda(lambda x: x / 255) (inputs)
```

```
c1 = Conv2D(8, (3, 3), activation='relu', padding='same') (s)
```

```
c1 = Conv2D(8, (3, 3), activation='relu', padding='same') (c1)
```

```
p1 = MaxPooling2D((2, 2)) (c1)
```

```
c2 = Conv2D(16, (3, 3), activation='relu', padding='same') (p1)
```

```
c2 = Conv2D(16, (3, 3), activation='relu', padding='same') (c2)
```

```
p2 = MaxPooling2D((2, 2)) (c2)
```

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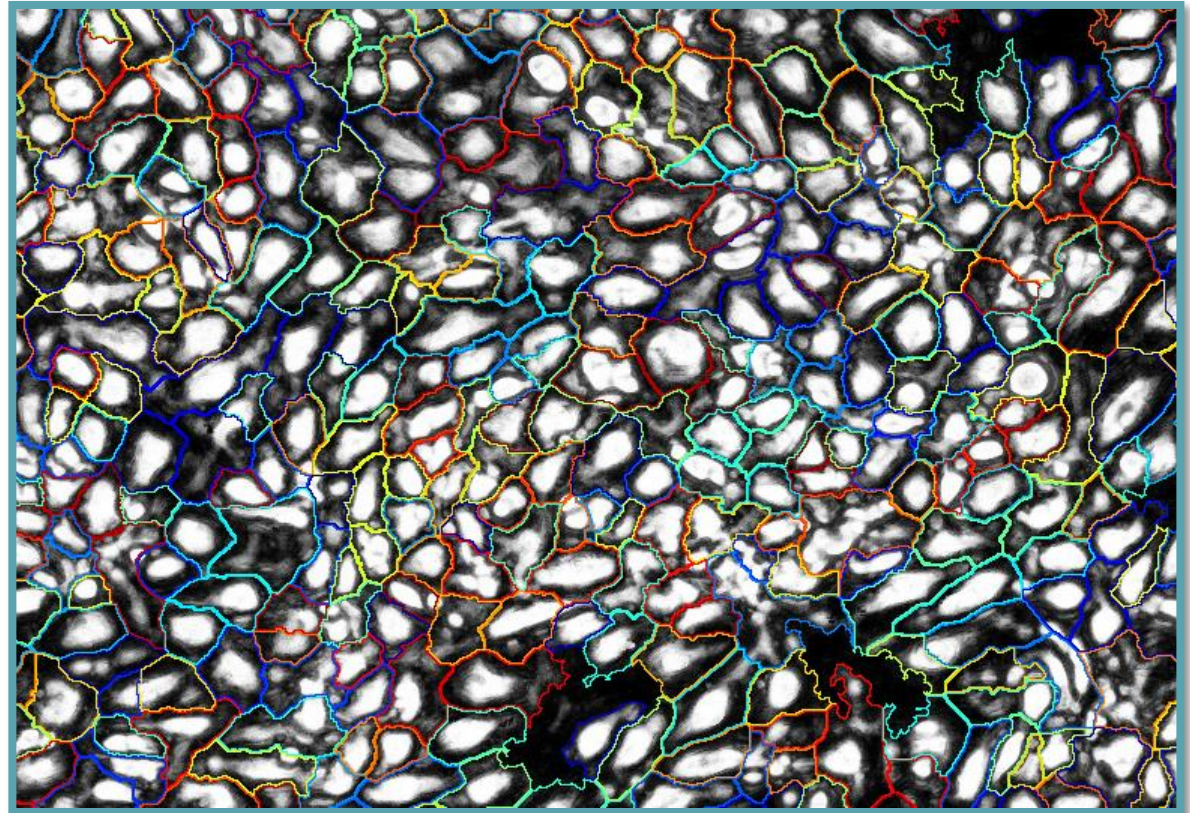
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Model performance (0.0 – 0.6)

Approach	Mean Average Precision
1. Vanilla image processing	0.20 – 0.28
2. Vanilla U-Net	0.25 – 0.42
3. Vanilla Mask R-CNN	0.37 – 0.50
4. U-Net + Deep Watershed	0.45 – 0.55
5. Winning model	~ 0.65

Insight 1:

Data augmentation is critical.

1. Add gaussian noise
2. Color to gray
3. Contrast and brightness
4. Random crop
5. Mosaics
6. Random rotate

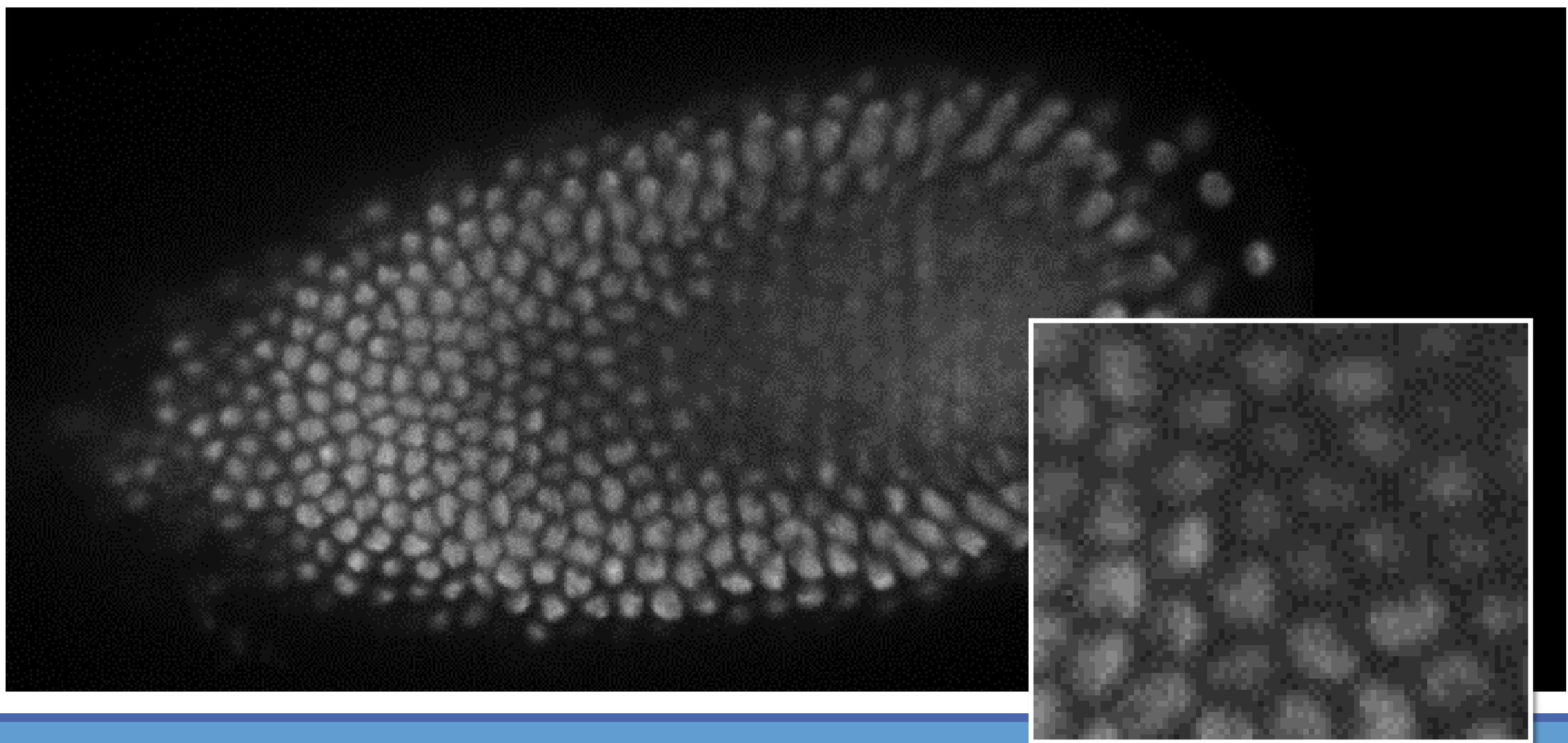
Insight 2:

Neural networks don't do it all.

Output of models was treated as “candidate nuclei” ... still need to post-process data!

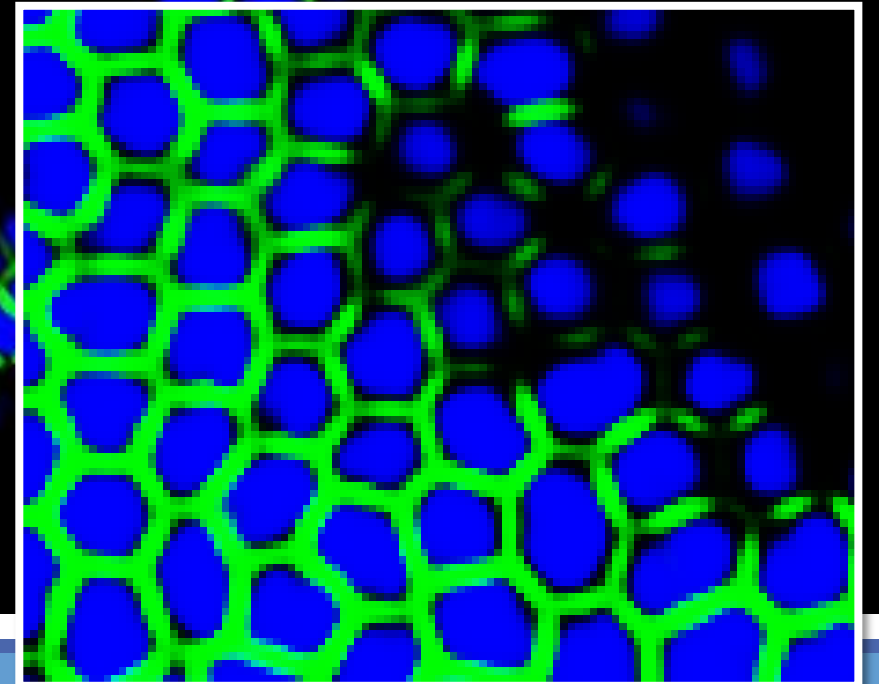
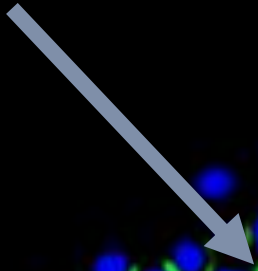
- e.g., Use morphological features such as solidity, circularity, convexity, area, neighbors median, count, etc. to calculate “predicted IOU” for each mask.

Insight 3: Pick the right target...

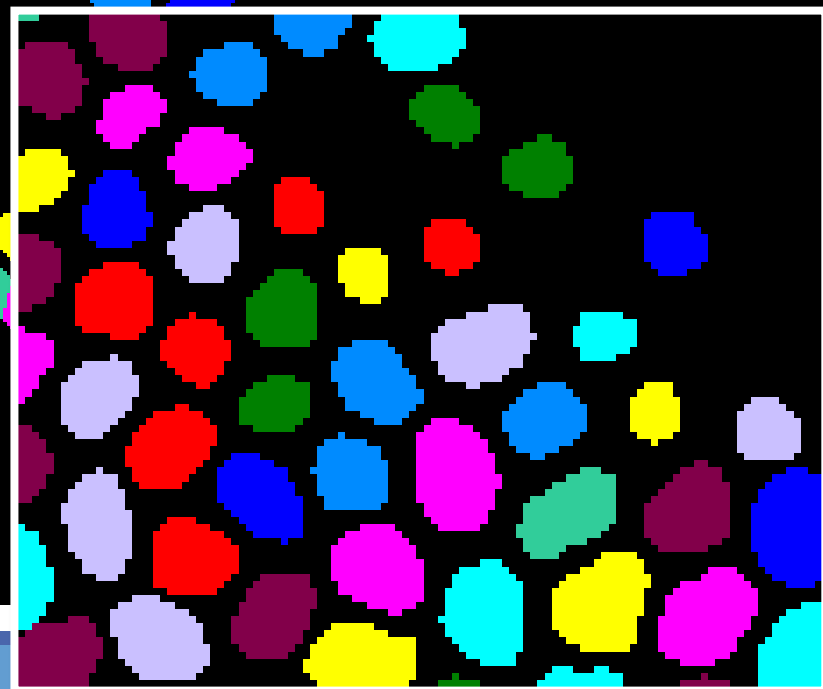


Insight 3: Pick the right target...

Predict borders, not cells



Insight 3: Pick the right target...





For further reference...

1. Coursera's [Deep learning specialization](#)
2. [“U-Net: Convolutional Networks for Biomedical Image Segmentation”](#) by Ronneberger, Fischer and Brox
3. Kaggle's [Data Science Bowl 2018](#)
 1. [1st Place Solution](#) from *ods.ai*
 2. [4th Place U-Net + Watershed](#) from *Nuclear Vision*
 3. [11th Place Open Solution](#) from Zheng Li