

# Rapid Prototyping with Inviwo for Medical Applications

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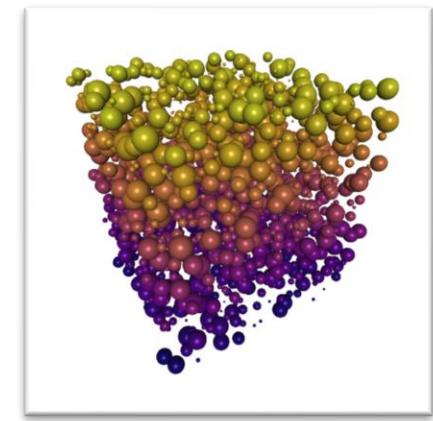
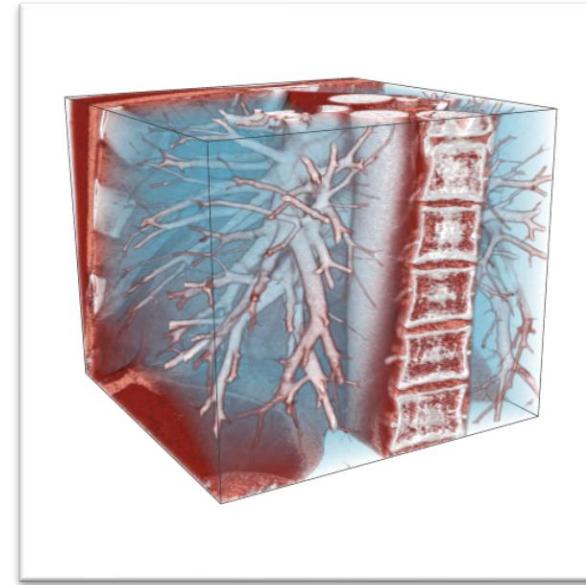
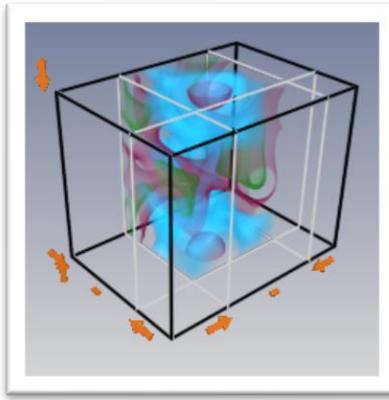
Inviwo

# What can one do with Inviwo?

– Quick demonstration –

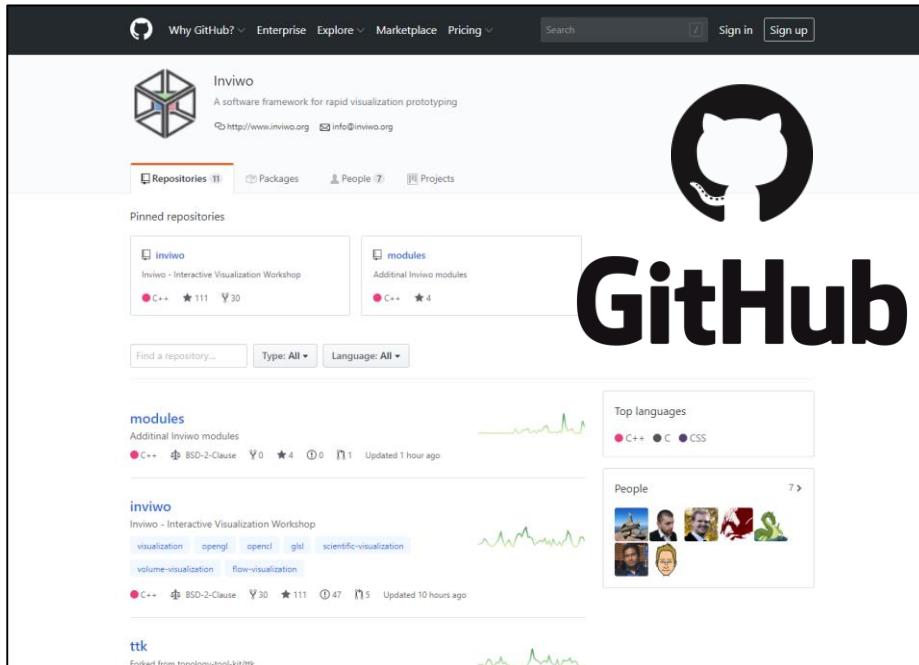
# Outline

- Getting started
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- High-level abstractions
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- Mid-level abstractions
  - Python
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- Low-level abstractions
  - Data handling
  - C++
- Application use cases

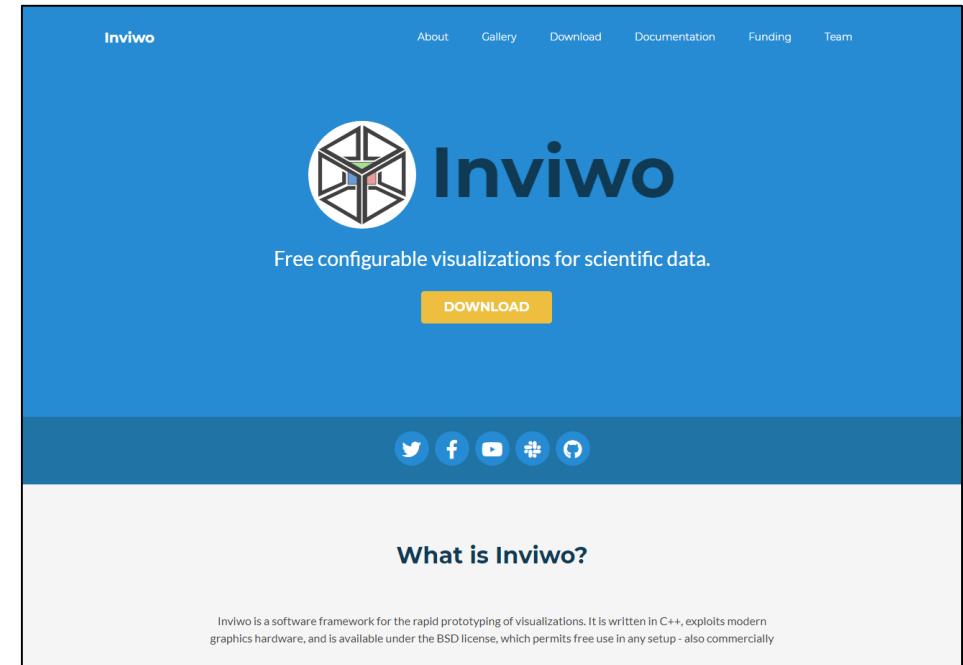


# Getting started

- Recommended way: [github.com/inviwo](https://github.com/inviwo)
- Just wanna try it out (binaries): [inviwo.org](https://inviwo.org)



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# Building from source

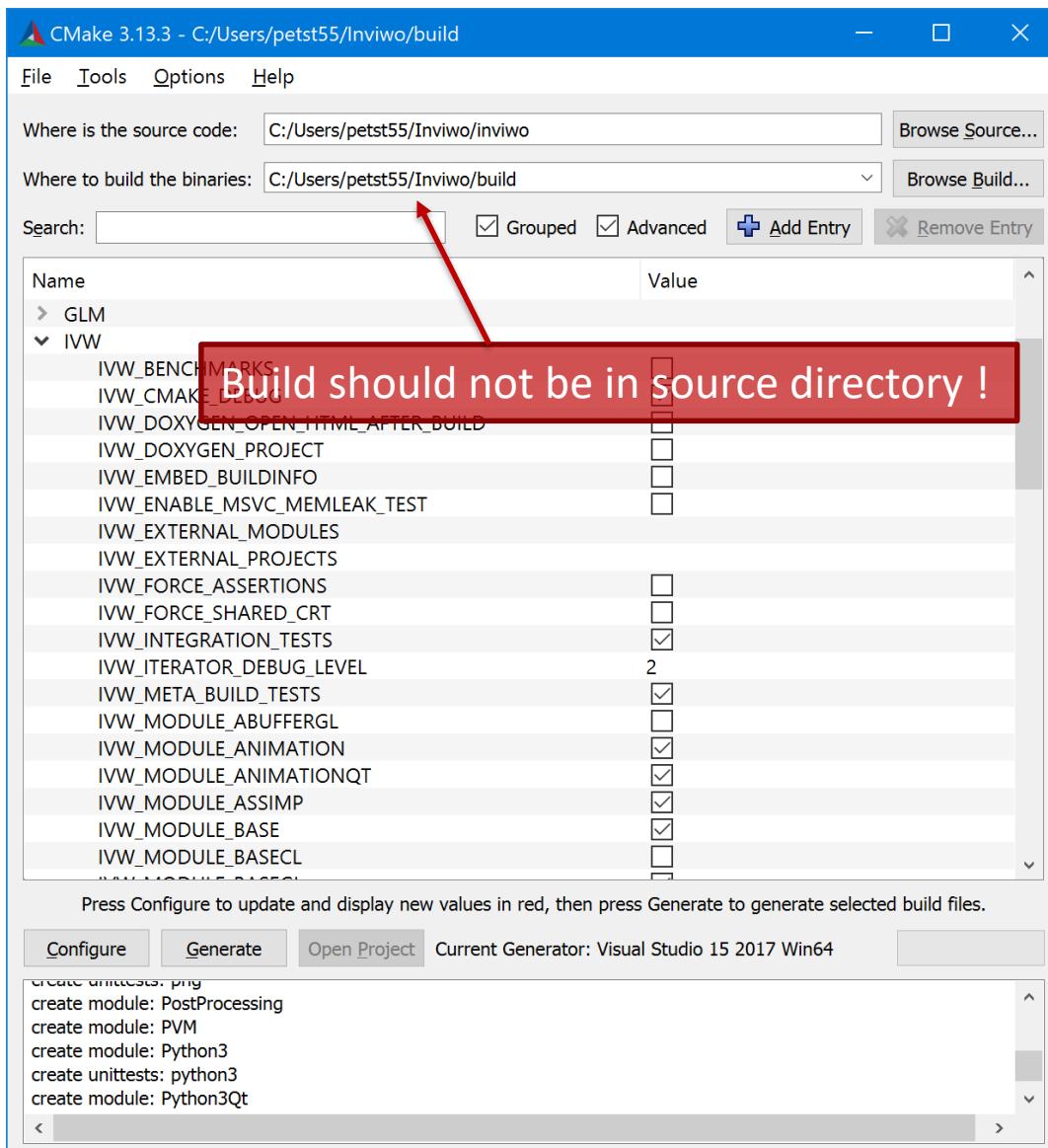
- a. Setup software environment
  - 1. Git client (SourceTree, GitKraken...)
  - 2. CMake [cmake.org/download/](https://cmake.org/download/)
  - 3. Qt [www.qt.io/download](https://www.qt.io/download)
  - 4. C++17 compiler of your choice (MSVC/Clang/Gcc)
  - 5. Optional: Python 3.x
- b. Get source code

```
git clone --recurse-submodules https://github.com/inviwo/inviwo.git
```

# Building from source (cont.)

## c. Run CMake

1. Specify source/build directories
  2. Configure and generate project
- ## d. Open in chosen developer IDE
1. Compile
  2. Run and make magic ☺



# Overview

# Overview

- Research software
- Developed by Visualization groups at
  - LiU, KTH, UULM
- Liberal license (Simplified BSD)
  - you can use it commercially



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## Inviwo — A Visualization System with Usage Abstraction Levels

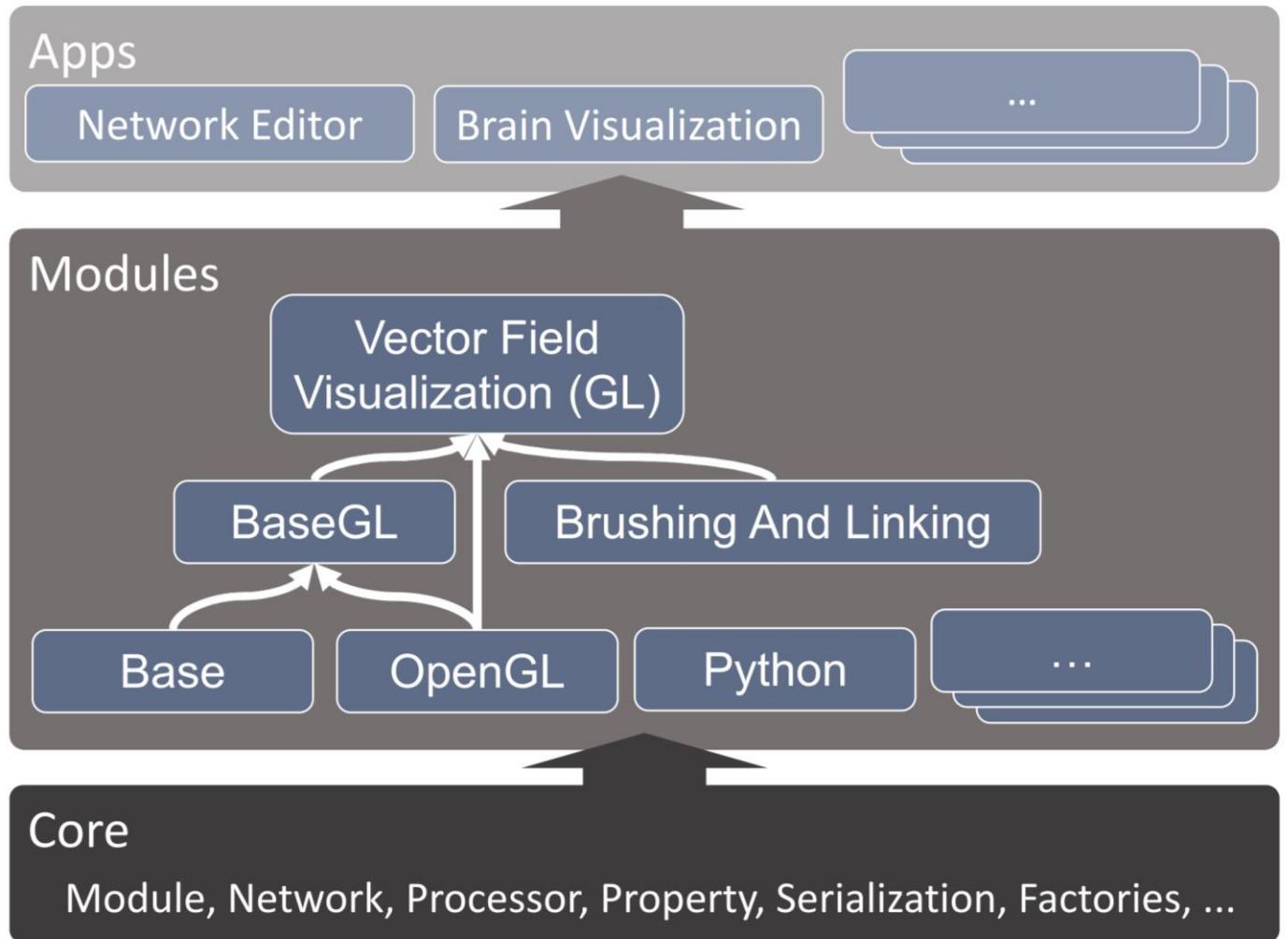
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**Abstract**—The complexity of today's visualization applications demands specific visualization systems tailored for the development of these applications. Frequently, such systems utilize levels of abstraction to improve the application development process, for instance by

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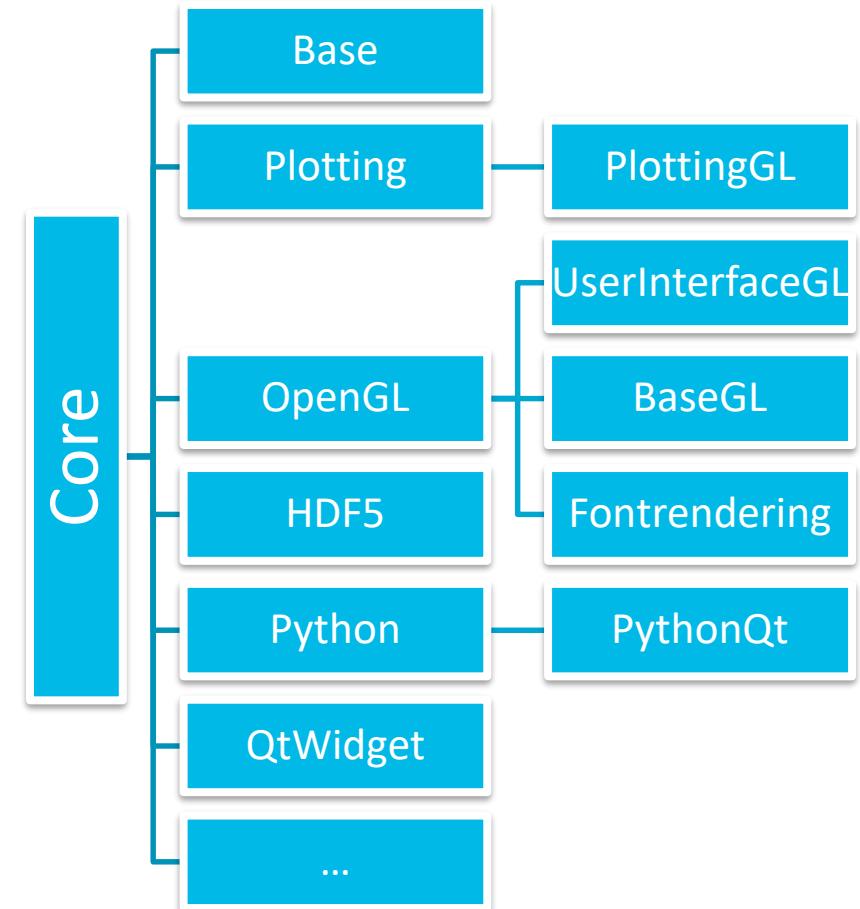
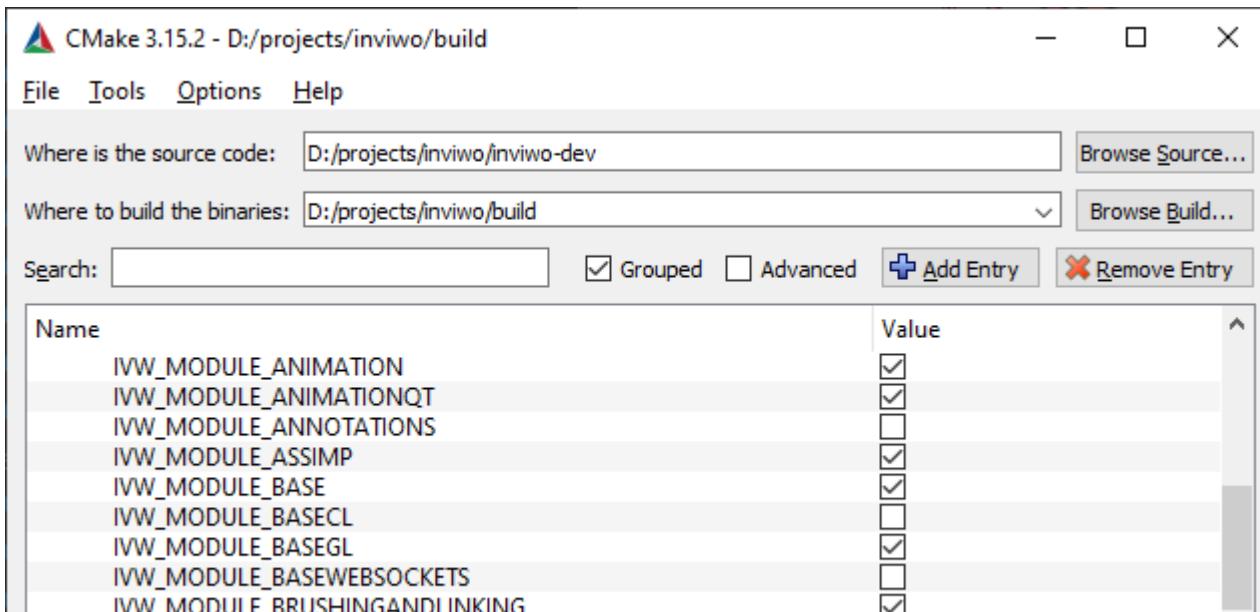
# Architecture

- Pure C++ Core
- Modular system (plugins)
- Multiple Apps



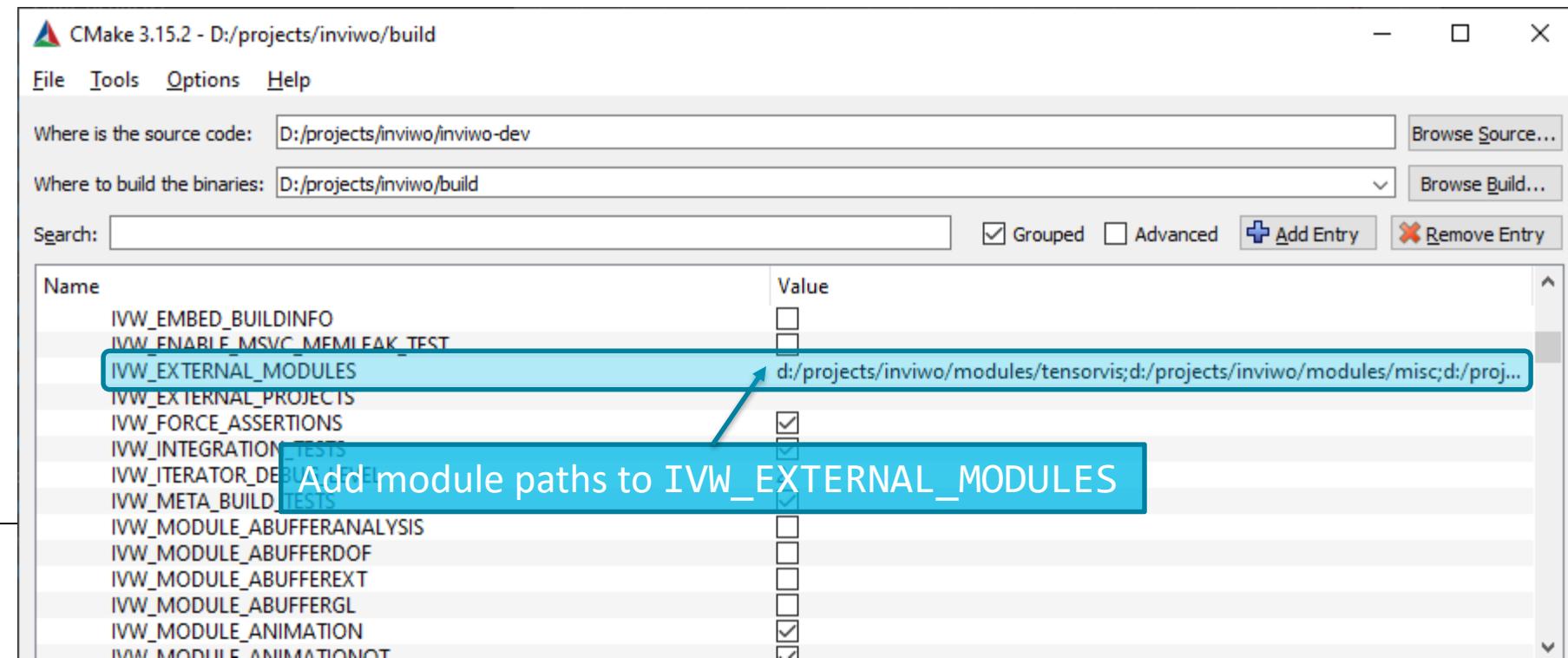
# Module system (plugins)

- Modules depend on Core and/or other modules
- Modules can wrap external libs
  - Data readers, OpenGL, ...
- Enable them in CMake (`IVW_MODULE_...`)



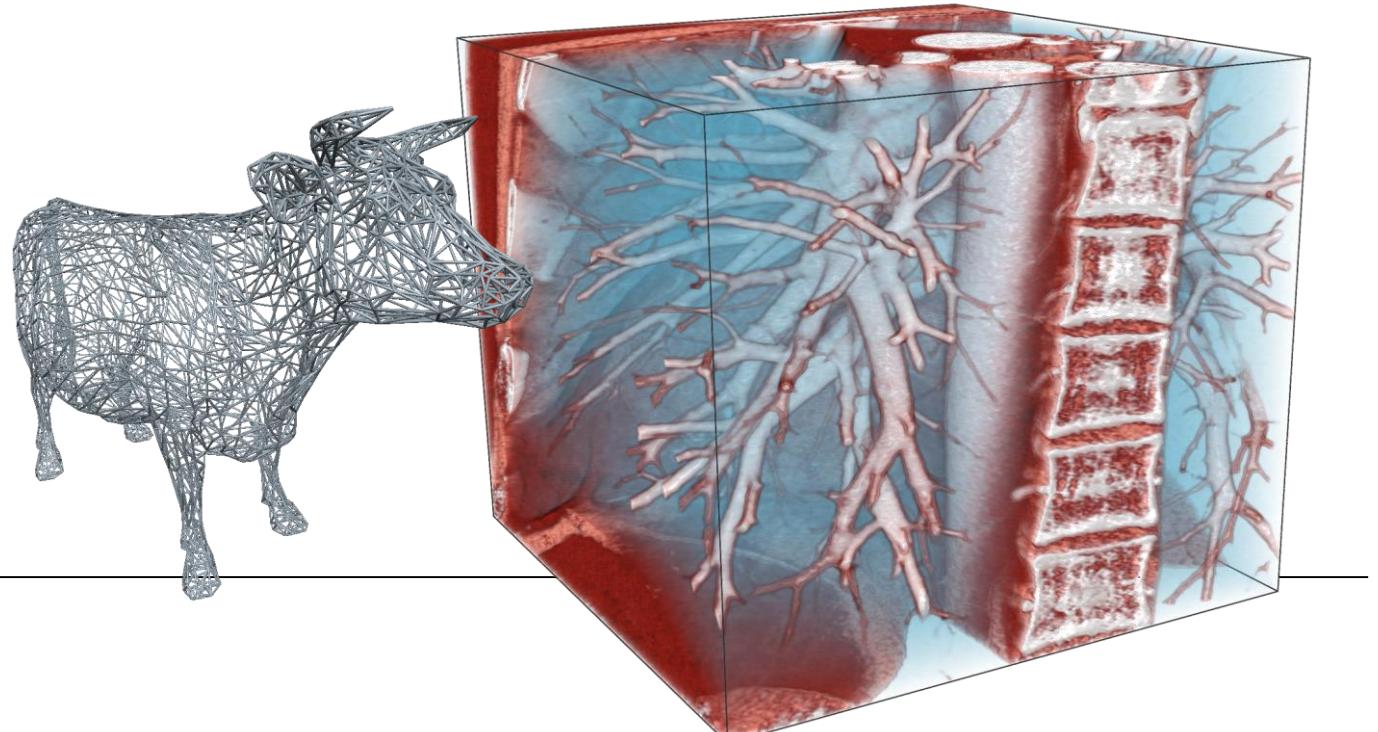
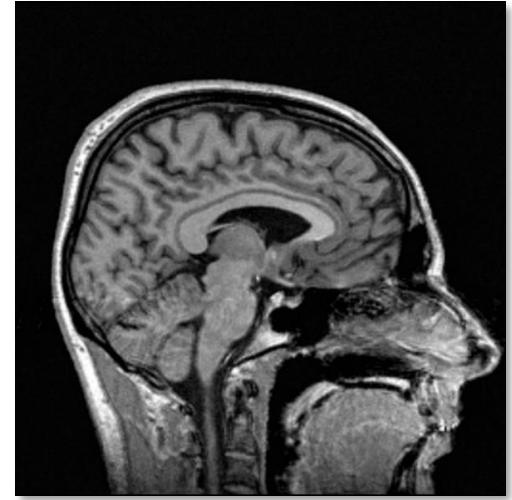
# External modules – [github.com/inviwo/modules](https://github.com/inviwo/modules)

- Useful modules with external dependencies (e.g. boost)
  - OpenMesh
  - DICOM (Grassroots)
  - Topology Toolkit (TTK)
  - Tensor vis



# Supported data formats in existing modules

- Imaging data
  - DICOM, H5, TIFF stack, RAW, nifty, pvm, ...
- Mesh data via Assimp
  - Collada, 3Ds, fbx, obj, ...
- Various image formats
  - Jpeg, TIFF, PNG, ...
- Not enough?
  - Write your own!

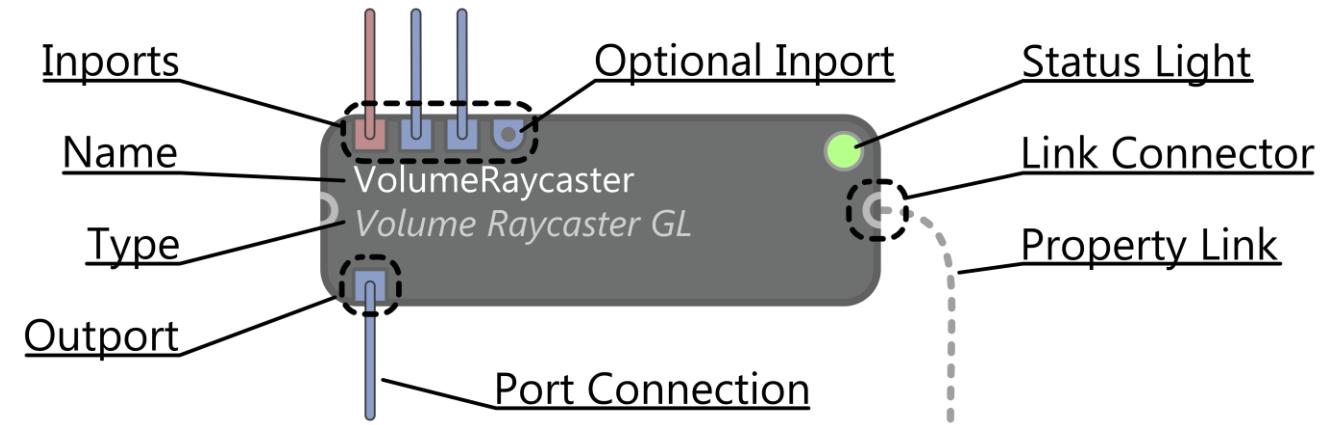


# High-level abstractions

- The network editor

# Processor

- Uses data from imports
- Operates on data
- Outputs result on outports

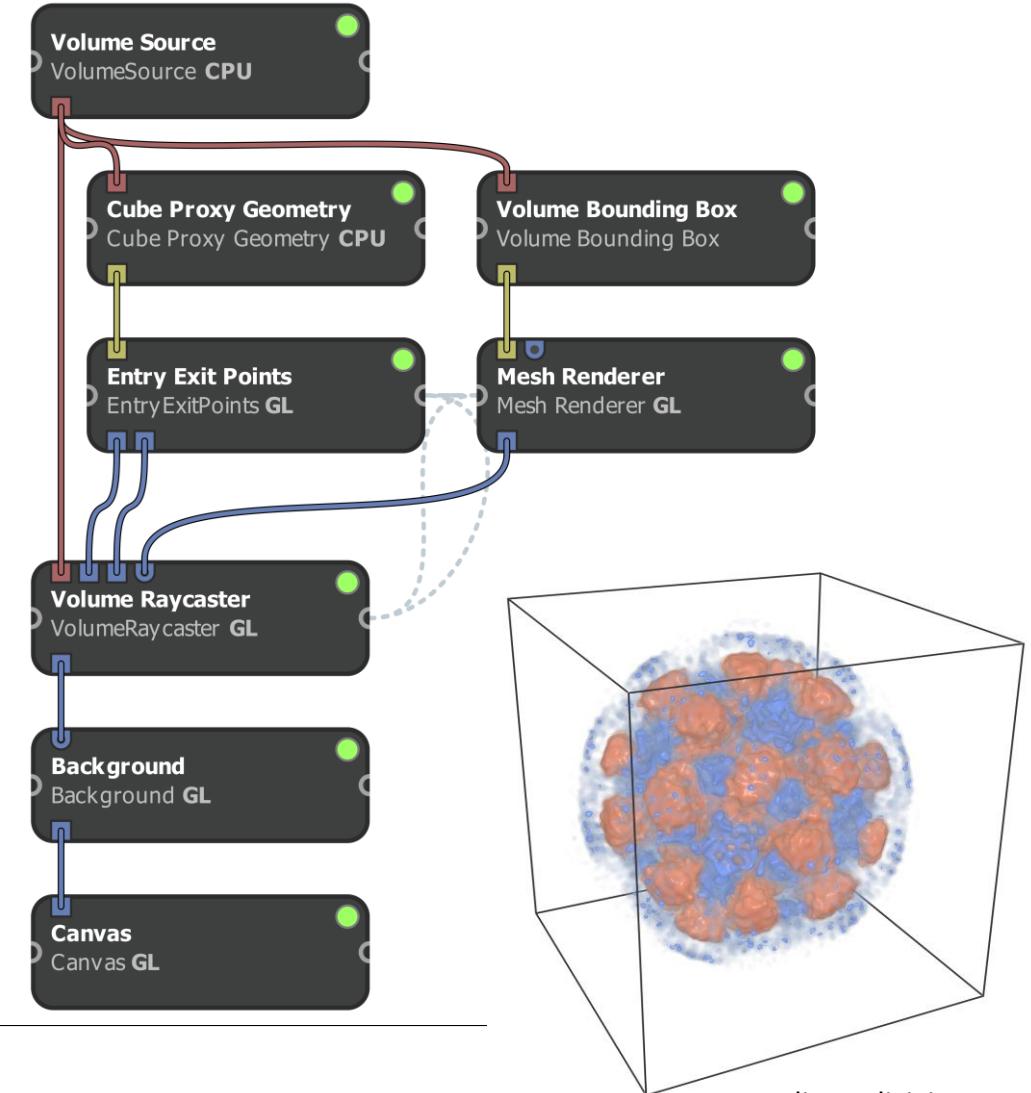


- Source Processor has no imports
- Sink Processor has no outports
- Evaluation starts at Source Processor and ends at Sink Processors

# Visualization pipeline – processor network

- Models a data-flow graph
- Data enters at the top
- Result at the bottom
- “Stateless”

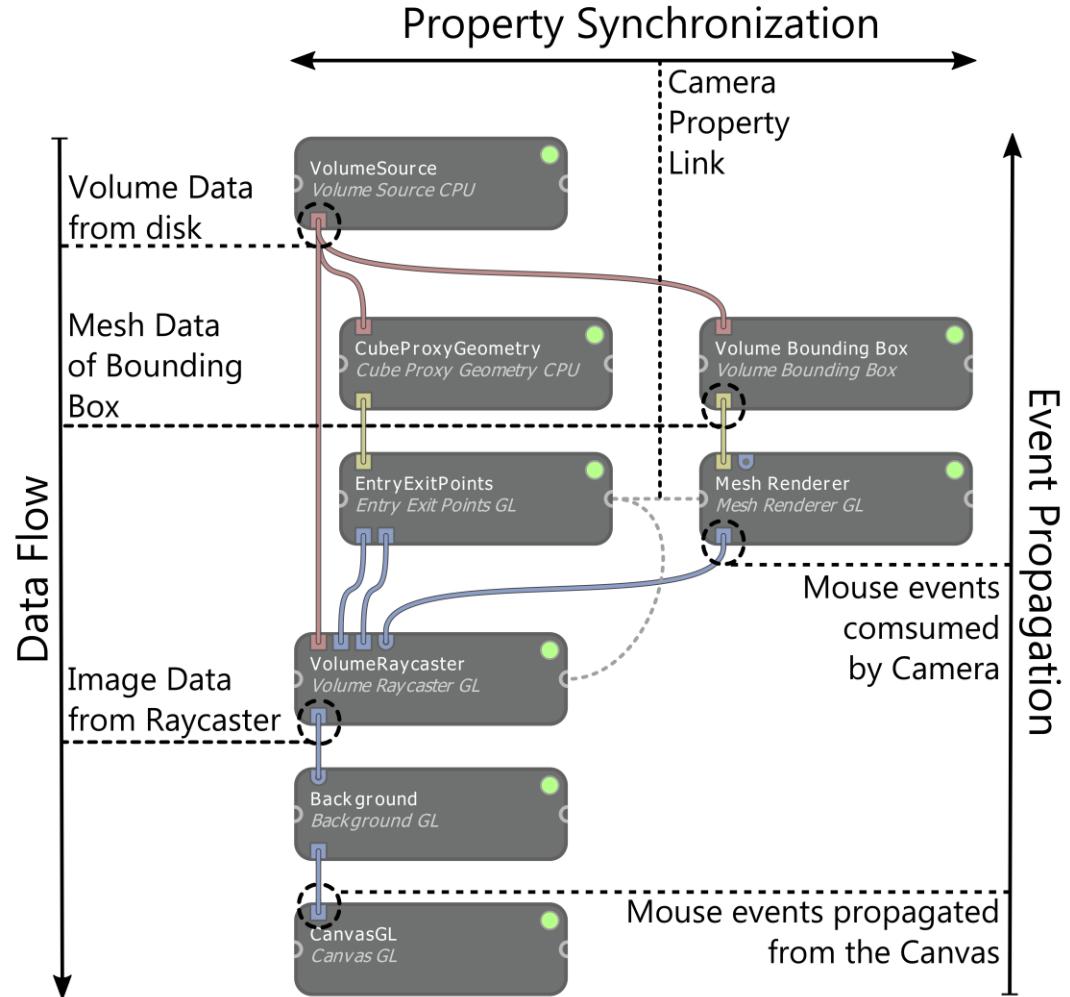
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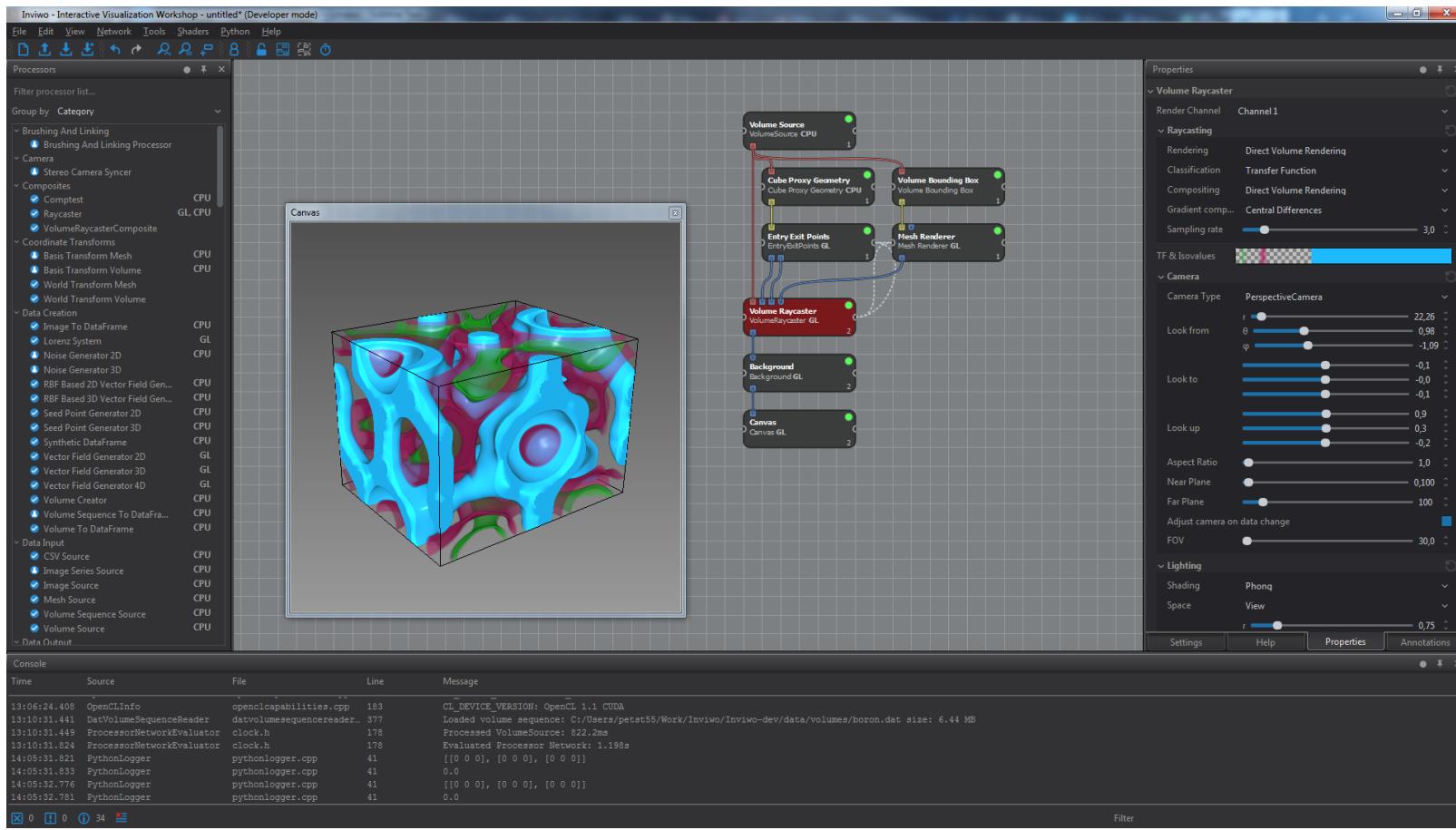
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# Data/information flow

- Processors
  - Lazy evaluation
- Connections
  - Pass data downwards
  - Pass events upwards
- Links
  - Synchronize property states between processors



# Network editor – Create/edit visualization pipelines



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Processors

Filter processor list...

Group by Category

- Brushing And Linking
  - Brushing And Linking Processor
- Camera
  - Stereo Camera Syncer
- Composites
  - Competest
  - Raycaster
  - VolumeRaycasterComposite
- Coordinate Transforms
  - Basis Transform Mesh
  - Basis Transform Volume
  - World Transform Mesh
  - World Transform Volume
- Data Creation
  - Image To DataFrame
  - Lorenz System
  - Noise Generator 2D
  - Noise Generator 3D
  - RBF Based 2D Vector Field Gen...
  - RBF Based 3D Vector Field Gen...
  - Seed Point Generator 2D
  - Seed Point Generator 3D
  - Synthetic DataFrame
  - Vector Field Generator 2D
  - Vector Field Generator 3D
  - Vector Field Generator 4D
  - Volume Creator
  - Volume Sequence To DataFra...
  - Volume To DataFrame
- Data Input
  - CSV Source
  - Image Series Source
  - Image Source
  - Mesh Source
  - Volume Sequence Source
  - Volume Source
- Data Output

Canvas

Properties

Volume Raycaster

- Render Channel Channel1
- Raycasting
  - Rendering Direct Volume Rendering
  - Classification Transfer Function
  - Compositing Direct Volume Rendering
  - Gradient comp... Central Differences
- Sampling rate 3,0

TF & Isovalues

Volume Raycaster

Volume Source VolumeSource CPU

Cube Proxy Geometry Cube Proxy Geometry CPU

Volume Bounding Box Volume Bounding Box

Entry Exit Points EntryExitPoints GL

Mesh Renderer Mesh Render GL

Volume Raycaster VolumeRaycaster GL

Background Background GL

Canvas Canvas GL

Camera

Camera Type PerspectiveCamera

Look from

Look to

Look up

Aspect Ratio 1,0

Near Plane 0,100

Far Plane 100

Adjust camera on data change

FOV 30,0

Lighting

Shading Phong

Space View

Settings Help Properties Annotations

Console

Time	Source	File	Line	Message
13:06:24.408	OpenCLInfo	openclcapabilities.cpp	183	CL_DEVICE_VERSION: OpenCL 1.1 CUDA
13:10:31.441	DatVolumeSequenceReader	datvolumesequencereader...	377	Loaded volume sequence: C:/Users/petst55/Work/Inviwo/Inviwo-dev/data/volumes/boron.dat size: 6.44 MB
13:10:31.449	ProcessorNetworkEvaluator	clock.h	178	Processed VolumeSource: 822.2ms
13:10:31.824	ProcessorNetworkEvaluator	clock.h	178	Evaluated Processor Network: 1.198s
14:05:31.821	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.cpp	41	[[0 0 0], [0 0 0], [0 0 0]]
14:05:31.833	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.cpp	41	0.0
14:05:32.776	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.cpp	41	[[0 0 0], [0 0 0], [0 0 0]]
14:05:32.781	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.cpp	41	0.0

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Processor List

Filter processor list...

Group by Category

- Brushing And Linking Brushing And Linking Processor
- Camera Stereo Camera Syncer
- Composites Compositor CPU
- Raycaster Raycaster GL, CPU
- VolumeRaycasterComposite VolumeRaycasterComposite
- Coordinate Transforms Basis Transform Mesh CPU
- Basis Transform Volume CPU
- World Transform Mesh CPU
- World Transform Volume CPU
- Data Creation Image To DataFrame CPU
- Noise System Noise Generator 2D CPU
- Noise Generator 3D CPU
- RBF Based 2D Vector Field Generator CPU
- RBF Based 3D Vector Field Generator CPU
- Seed Point Generator 2D CPU
- Seed Point Generator 3D CPU
- Synthetic DataFrame CPU
- Vector Field Generator 2D GL
- Vector Field Generator 3D GL
- Vector Field Generator 4D GL
- Volume Creator CPU
- Volume Sequence To DataFrame CPU
- Volume To DataFrame CPU
- Data Input CSV Source CPU
- Image Series Source CPU
- Image Source CPU
- Mesh Source CPU
- Volume Sequence Source CPU
- Volume Source CPU
- Data Output

Processor

Volume Source (VolumeSource CPU)

Color Proxy Rendering (ColorProxyRendering CPU)

Volume Rendering (VolumeRendering CPU)

Volume Rendered (VolumeRendered CPU)

Volume Raycaster (VolumeRaycaster GPU)

Background (Background GPU)

Camera (Camera GPU)

Canvas

Properties

Volume Raycaster

- Render Channel Channel 1
- Reprojecting
- Rendering Direct Volume Rendering
- Classification Transfer Function
- Compositing Direct Volume Rendering
- Gradient comp. Constant Differences
- Sampling rate 3.8

IF & Iterations

Camera

Camera Type PerspectiveCamera

- Look From 0.00
- Look To -0.00
- Look Up 0.00
- Aspect Ratio 1.0
- Near Plane 0.000
- Far Plane 1000
- Adjust camera on data change
- FOV 30.0

Lighting

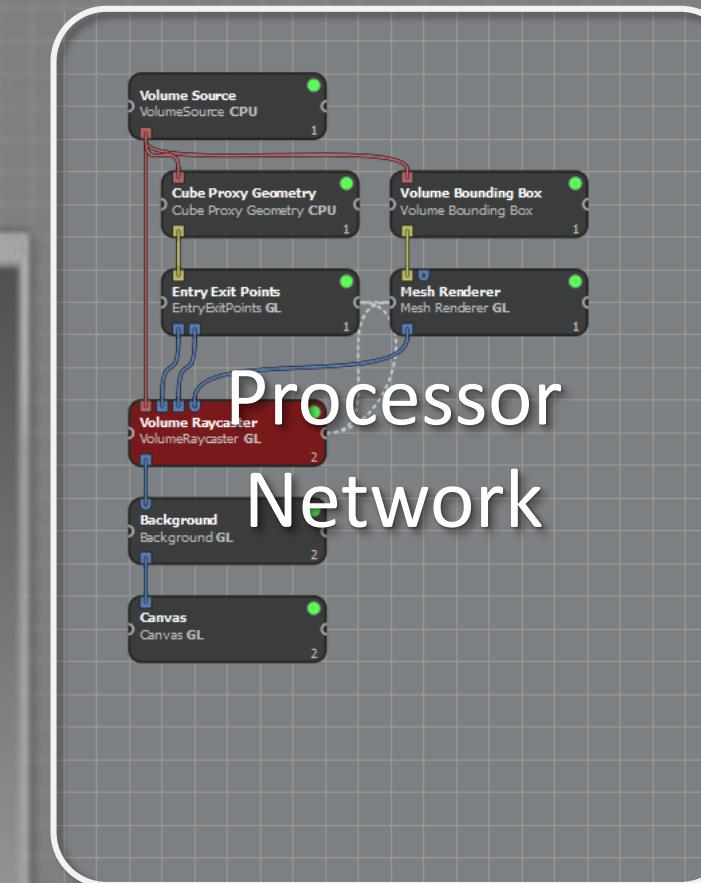
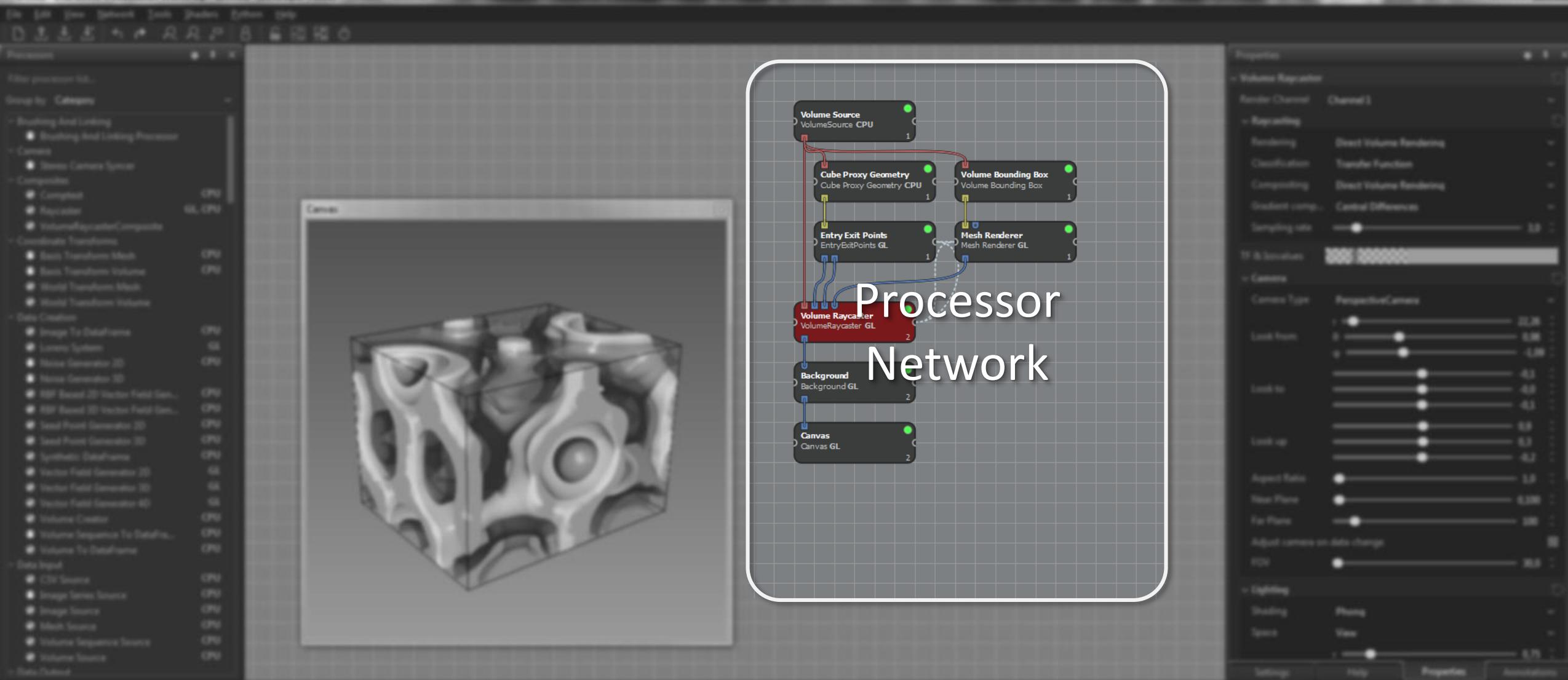
Shading Phong

Specular View

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Console

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2019/01/24, 00:01	BackendServerLogger	backendserverlogger.py	277	Loaded module: backendserverlogger (C:\Users\gerardts\Work\Tomviz\Tomviz-dev\data\mocca\backendserverlogger.py) at 0.00 00
2019/01/24, 00:01	ProcessorInitializationLogger	processorinitializationlogger.py	179	ProcessorInitializationLogger 00:00
2019/01/24, 00:01	ProcessorInitializationLogger	processorinitializationlogger.py	179	ProcessorInitializationLogger 00:00
2019/01/24, 00:01	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.py	41	(0.0, 0.0), (0.0, 0.0), (0.0, 0.0)
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2019/01/24, 00:01	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.py	41	(0.0, 0.0), (0.0, 0.0), (0.0, 0.0)
2019/01/24, 00:01	PythonLogger	pythonlogger.py	41	0.0



Blender - Interactive Visualizer [Untitled] (Developer mode)

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Properties

Filter processes list...

Group by Categories

- > Brushing And Lifting
  - Brushing And Lifting Processor
- > Camera
  - Scene Camera Spawner
- > Compositing
  - Compositor
  - Recomposer
  - VolumeRecomposer
  - VolumeRecomposerComposite
- > Coordinate Transformations
  - Basic Transform Mesh
  - Basic Transform Volume
  - World Transform Mesh
  - World Transform Volume
- > Data Creation
  - Image To Dataframe
  - Linear System
  - Noise Generator 2D
  - Noise Generator 3D
  - RBM Based 2D Vector Field Gen.
  - RBM Based 3D Vector Field Gen.
  - Seed Power Generator (2D)
  - Seed Power Generator (3D)
  - Synthetic Dataframe
  - Vector Field Generator (2D)
  - Vector Field Generator (3D)
  - Vector Field Generator (4D)
  - Volume Creator
  - Volume Sequence To Dataframe
  - Volume To Dataframe
- > Data Input
  - CDW Source
  - Image Series Source
  - Image Source
  - Noise Source
  - Volume Sequence Source
  - Volume Source
- > Tools

Canvas

Output

Volume Reshape  
VolumeReshape (CPU)

Color Privacy Resampling  
ColorPrivacyResample (CPU)

Volume Resampling Step  
VolumeResamplingStep

Color Cast Process  
ColorCastProcess (CPU)

Smooth Resampler  
SmoothResampler (CPU)

Volume Resampler  
VolumeResampler (CPU)

Background

Camera  
Camera (CPU)

Properties

Volume Resampler

Render Channel Channel 1

Recoloring

Rendering

Classification

Compositing

Direct Volume Rendering

Gradient comp...

Sampling rate

17.8 Iterations

<- Camera

Camera Type

Look From

Look To

Look Up

Aspect Ratio

Near Plane

Far Plane

Adjust camera on job change

Fit

<- Lighting

Shading

Phong

Specular

Properties

Annotations

Console

Type	Source	File	Time	Message
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2023-06-24, 00:01	DevToolsLogProcessor	DevToolsLogProcessor.py	17:1	Received volume response: 0.0000000000000000
2023-06-24, 00:01	VolumeResampler	volume.h	17:1	Received VolumeResponse: 0.0000000000000000
2023-06-24, 00:01	VolumeResampler	volume.h	17:1	Received VolumeResponse: 0.0000000000000000
2023-06-24, 00:01	SystemLogger	systemlogger.py	4:1	0.0 0.0, 0.0 0.0, 0.0 0.0
2023-06-24, 00:01	SystemLogger	systemlogger.py	4:1	0.0 0.0, 0.0 0.0, 0.0 0.0
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  - World Transform Volume
- Data Creation
  - Image To Dataframe
  - Latency System
  - Noise Generator 2D
  - Noise Generator 3D
  - RDF Based 2D Vector Field Generator
  - RDF Based 3D Vector Field Generator
  - Seed Point Generation 2D
  - Seed Point Generation 3D
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- Data Input
  - CSV Source
  - Image Series Source
  - Image Source
  - Mesh Source
  - Volume Sequence Source
  - Volume Source
- Stats/Output

Console

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2019-04-24, 14:49	ProcessorInitialization	processor.py	179	Processor VolumeRescaler 603_000
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Properties

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- Render Channel Channel1
- Raycasting
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  - Classification Transfer Function
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Camera

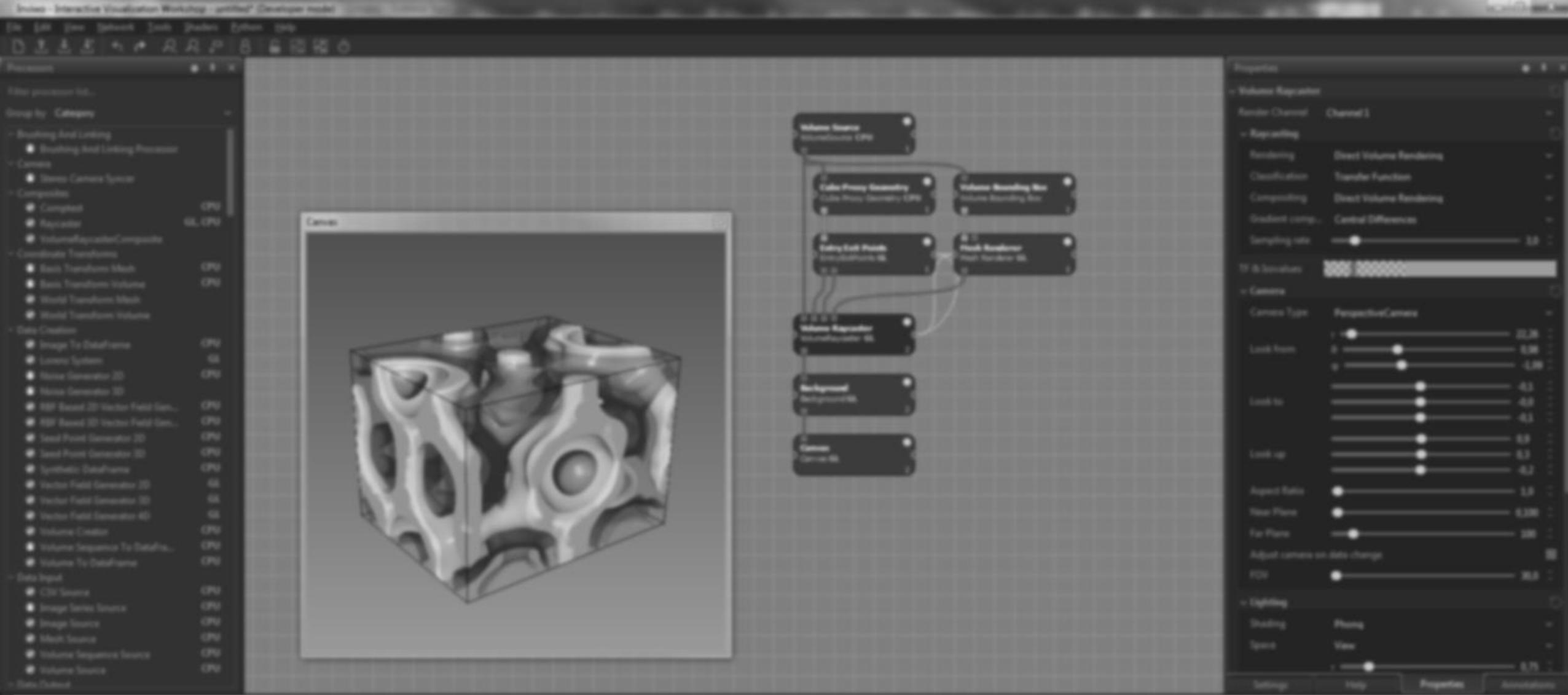
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- Look from
  - Look from X 22,26
  - Look from Y 0,98
  - Look from Z -1,09
- Look to
  - Look to X -0,1
  - Look to Y -0,0
  - Look to Z -0,1
- Look up
  - Look up X 0,9
  - Look up Y 0,3
  - Look up Z -0,2
- Aspect Ratio 1,0
- Near Plane 0,100
- Far Plane 100
- Adjust camera on data change
- FOV 30,0

Lighting

- Shading Phong
- Space View

Property List

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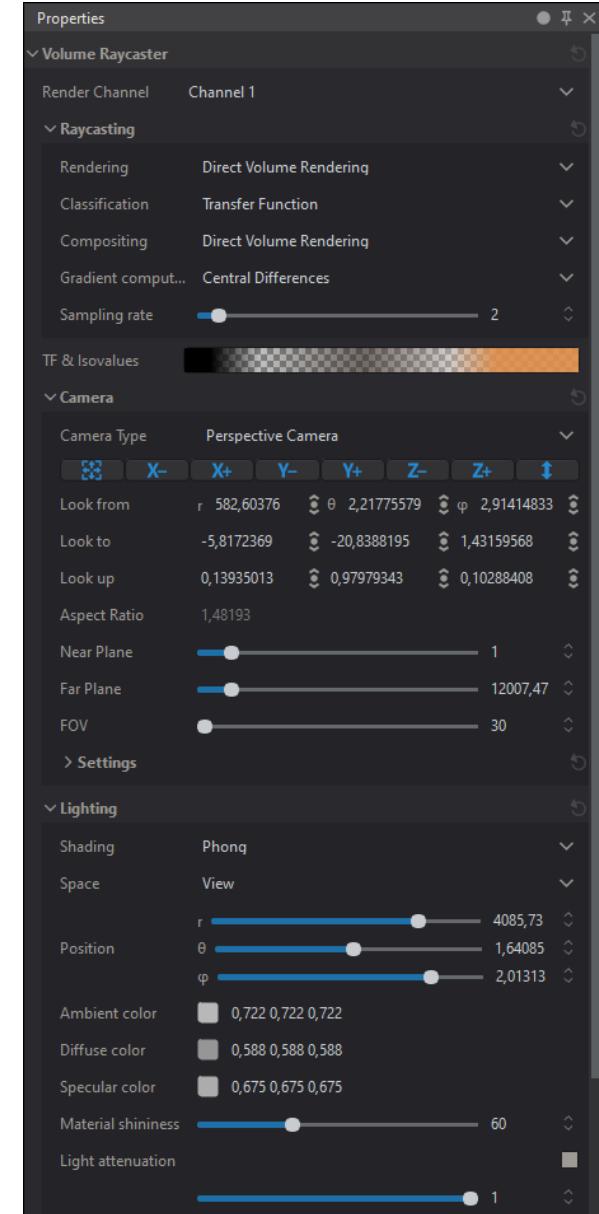
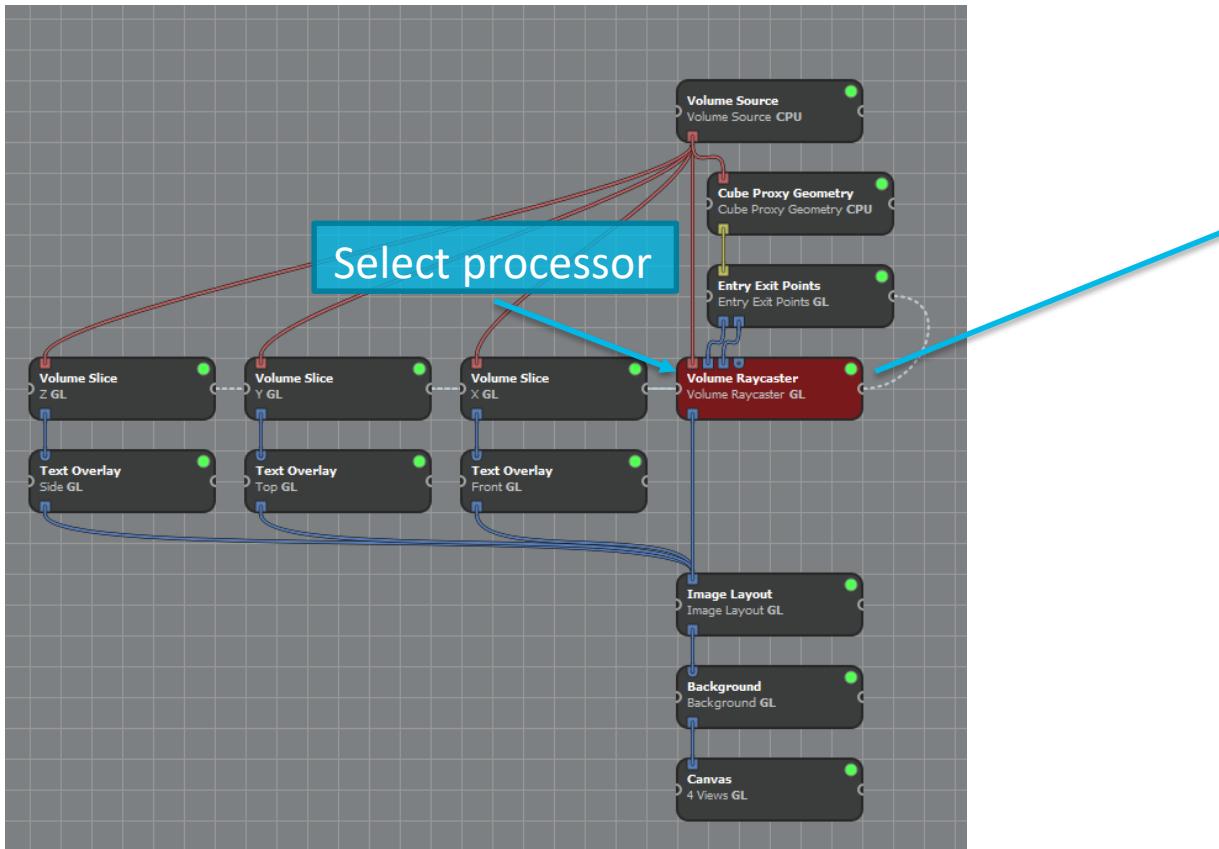


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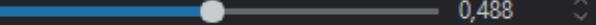
- Configurable processor parameters



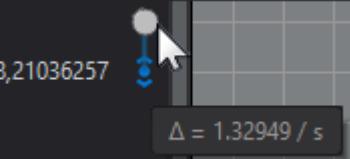
Property	Data types	Description
StringProperty	String	Text input
BoolProperty	Boolean	Checkbox
OptionProperty	enum, string, float/double, integer	List item selection
OrdinalProperty	float/double, integer, vector {2,3,4} , matrix{2,3,4}{2,3,4}	Bounded number input
MinMaxProperty	float/double, integer, vector {2,3,4}	Range with start-end values
ButtonProperty	-	Callback action on click
TransferFunctionProperty	TransferFunction/Iso-values	Map values to colors and opacity. Colormap
FileProperty DirectoryProperty FilePatternProperty	string(s)	File/folder paths. Also with pattern matching (image###.*)
EventProperty	Event	Map user input to callbacks
ListProperty	Any property type	User can add/remove properties dynamically
CameraProperty	Camera (position, direction...)	Camera interaction
CompositeProperty		Group of properties

# Property Semantics

Ordinal double property

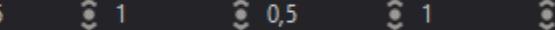
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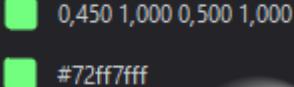
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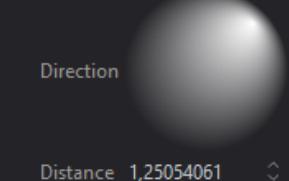
Spinbox   
8,21036257  
 $\Delta = 1.32949 / s$

Angle  75.6°

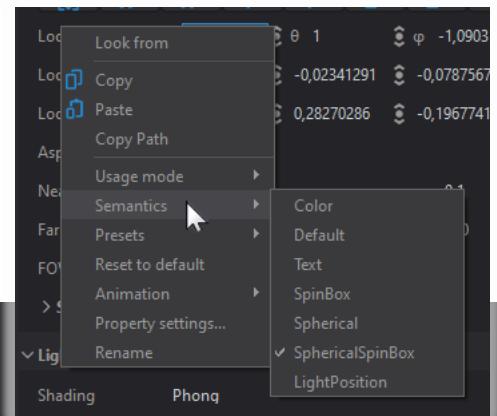
Ordinal vec4 property

Spinbox 0,45 

Color   
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Position   
Direction  
Distance 1,25054061

Accessible via context menu of the property



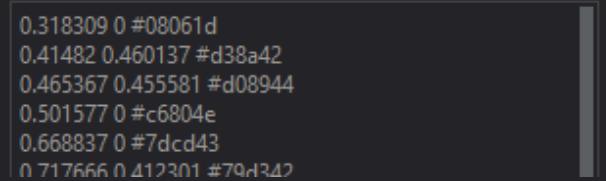
Min max property

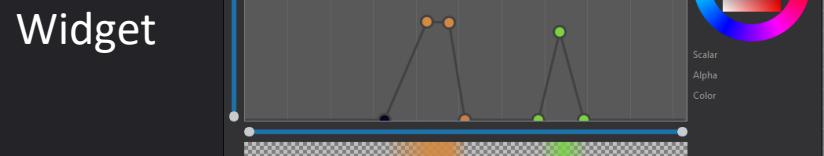
Default  0,46

Text Min: 0,45 Max:

Transfer function property

Default 

Text   
0.318309 0 #08061d  
0.41482 0.460137 #d38a42  
0.465367 0.455581 #d08944  
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0.668837 0 #7dc4d3  
0.717666 0 #12301 #79d3d2



# Property Linking

Edit Property Links

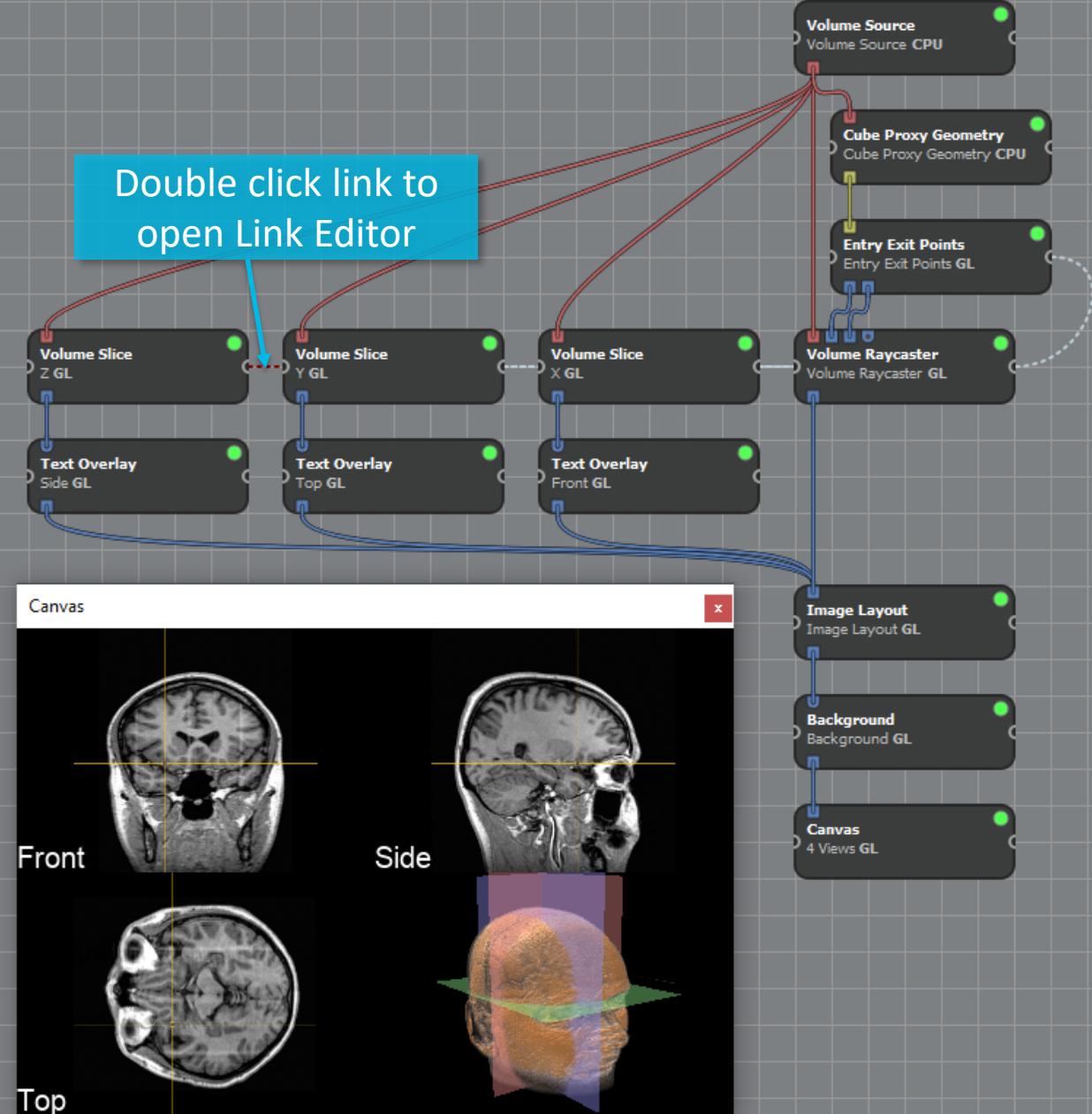
**Volume Slice Z**

- Slice along axis *org.inviwo.OptionInt*
- X Volume Position *org.inviwo.Int*
- Y Volume Position *org.inviwo.Int*
- Z Volume Position *org.inviwo.Int*
- Plane Normal *org.inviwo.FloatVec3*
- Plane Position *org.inviwo.FloatVec3*
- Transformations *org.inviwo.Composite*
- Position Selection *org.inviwo.Composite*
- Transfer Function Properties *org.inviwo.Composite*
- Sampling Query *org.inviwo.BoolComposite*
- World Position *org.inviwo.FloatVec3*
- Handle Interaction Events *org.inviwo.Bool*
- Key Slice Up *org.inviwo.Event*
- Key Slice Down *org.inviwo.Event*

**Volume Slice Y**

- Slice along axis *org.inviwo.OptionInt*
- X Volume Position *org.inviwo.Int*
- Y Volume Position *org.inviwo.Int*
- Z Volume Position *org.inviwo.Int*
- Plane Normal *org.inviwo.FloatVec3*
- Plane Position *org.inviwo.FloatVec3*
- Transformations *org.inviwo.Composite*
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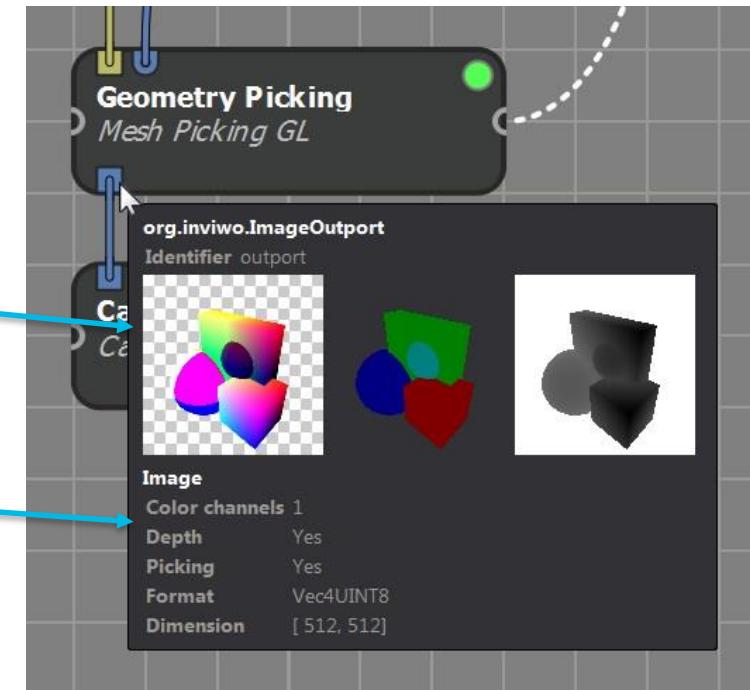
Show Hidden SmartLink Delete All Expand/Collapse



# Visual debugging

- Concept: **Port inspector**
  - Is an Inviwo workspace
- Concept: **Port trait**
  - Programmatically show data attributes
  - Defines port color
- Easily add one for your port type
  - yourmodule/data/workspaces/portinspectors
  - Register in module constructor

```
registerPortInspector(PortTraits<ImageOutport>::classIdentifier(),
    app->getPath(PathType::PortInspectors,
    "/imageportinspector.inv"));
```

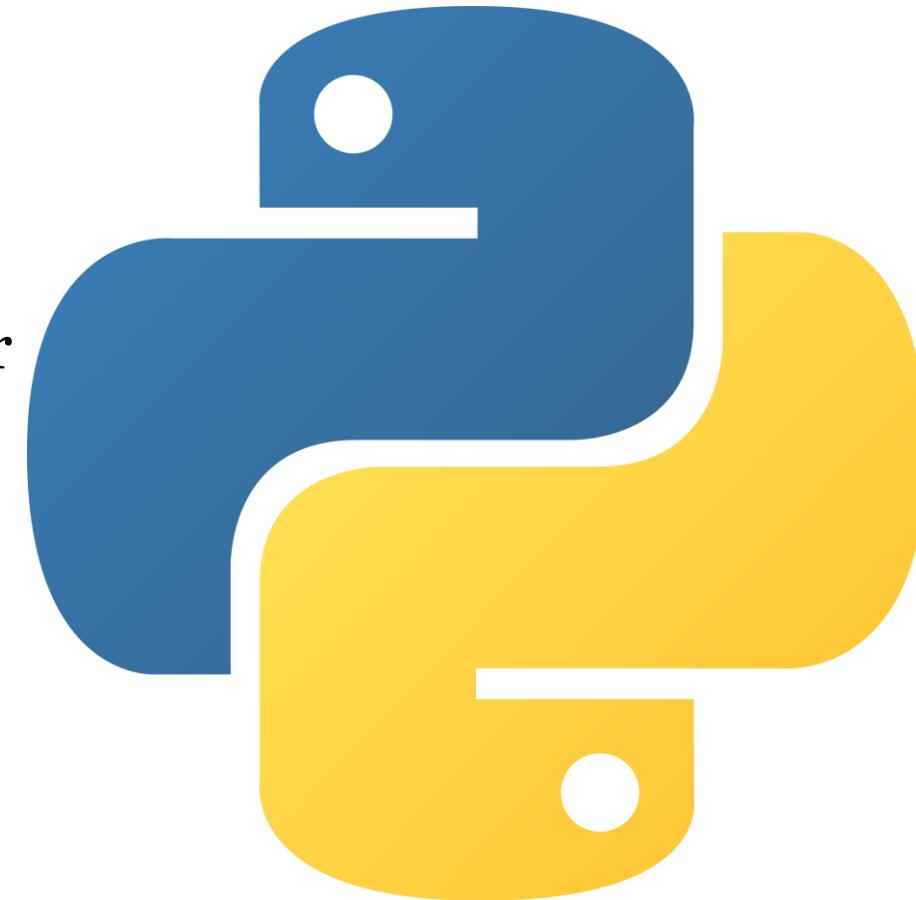


# Mid-level abstractions

- Python and Web integration

# Python

- Network-level scripting
  - Built-in Python editor for running scripts
- Processor-level
  - Interactive prototyping via PythonProcessor
    - Processor from a python script
- Python package
  - Run Inviwo from within python
- Integrated data handling
  - volume/image/layer/buffer <-> numpy



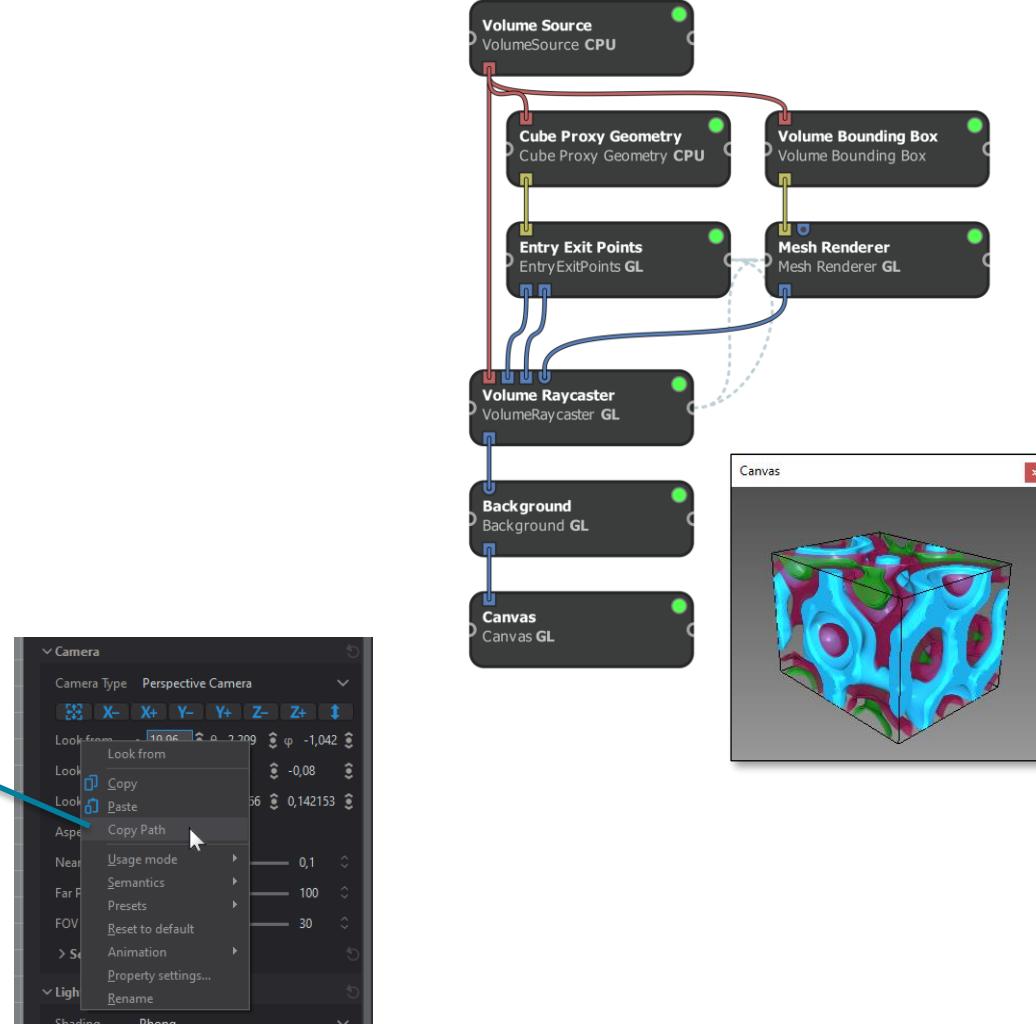
# Python Editor

Python Editor - D:/projects/inviwo/inviwo-dev/data/scripts/canvassnapshot.py\*

```
1 # Inviwo Python script
2 import inviwopy
3
4 network = inviwopy.app.network
5
6 # change camera position
7 network.VolumeRaycaster.camera.lookFrom = inviwopy.glm.vec3(0, 0, -20)
8
9 # adjust a transfer function
10 tf = network.VolumeRaycaster.isotfComposite.tf
11 for p in tf.value:
12     print(p)
13     p.alpha = min(p.alpha + 0.2, 1)
14
15 # take a snapshot
16 network.Canvas.snapshot("snapshot.png")
17 
```

```
1 <TFPrimitive: 0.0277578, #00000000>
2 <TFPrimitive: 0.0319476, #1bc92468>
3 <TFPrimitive: 0.0416367, #09090900>
4 <TFPrimitive: 0.107889, #0e0e0e00>
5 <TFPrimitive: 0.127136, #ba1a657d>
6 <TFPrimitive: 0.14599, #16161600>
7 <TFPrimitive: 0.343699, #1d1d1d00>
8 <TFPrimitive: 0.358112, #1eba0fff>
```

Executed Successfully (153.933 ms)

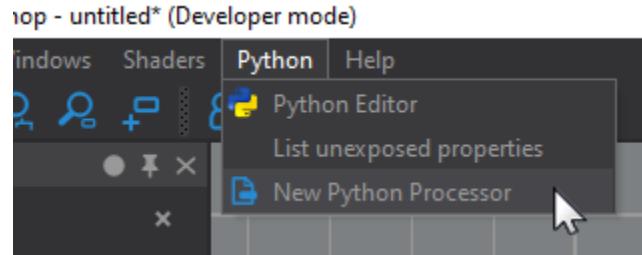


Access property path  
via context menu

More examples in inviwo/data/scripts/

# Python processor

- Utilizing everything python offers
  - data import, parsing, ...
- Skeleton processor via menu
  - Ports and properties can be added



```
# Name: PythonTestProcessor
import inviwopy as ivw

class PythonTestProcessor(ivw.Processor):
    def __init__(self, id, name):
        ivw.Processor.__init__(self, id, name)
        self.inport = ivw.data.ImageInport("inport")
        self.addInport(self.inport, owner=False)
        self.outport = ivw.data.ImageOutport("outport")
        self.addOutport(self.outport, owner=False)

        self.slider = ivw.properties.IntProperty("slider", "slider", 0, 0)
        self.addProperty(self.slider, owner=False)

    @staticmethod
    def processorInfo():
        return ivw.ProcessorInfo(
            classIdentifier = "org.inviwo.pythontestprocessor",
            displayName = "PythonTestProcessor",
            category = "Python",
            codeState = ivw.CodeState.Stable,
            tags = ivw.Tags.PY
        )

    def getProcessorInfo(self):
        return test.processorInfo()

    def initializeResources(self):
        print("init")

    def process(self):
        print("process: ", self.slider.value)
        self.outport.setData(self.inport.getData())
```

# Python processor demo

# Python processor – flickr\_api

```
# Name: FlickrImportMinimal

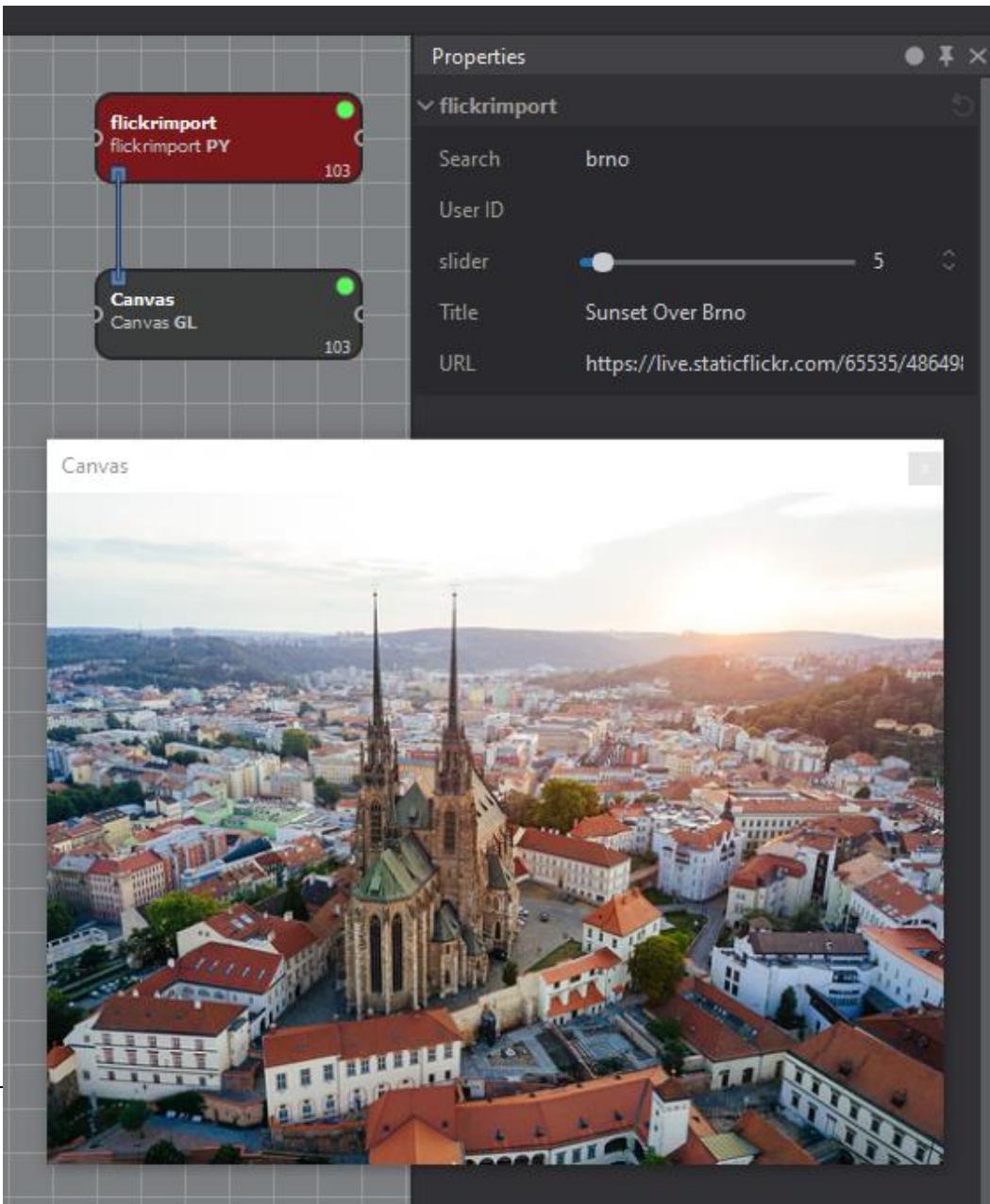
import inviwopy as ivw

import numpy as np
import flickr_api

import requests
from PIL import Image

class FlickrImportMinimal(ivw.Processor):
    def __init__(self, id, name):
        # flickr authentication (see flickr_api docs)

        flickr_api.enable_cache()
        self.photos = []
        ...
```



# Python processor – flickr\_api (cont.)

```
...
def initializeResources(self):
    self.photos = []
    w = flickr_api.Walker(flickr_api.Photo.search, tags="brno", media="photos")
    for i,photo in enumerate(w):
        self.photos.append({'url' : photo.getPhotoFile('Medium'), 'title' : photo.title})

    self.slider maxValue = len(self.photos) - 1

def process(self):
    r = requests.get(self.photos[self.slider.value]['url'], stream=True)
    r.raw.decode_content = True

    img = Image.open(r.raw).transpose(Image.FLIP_TOP_BOTTOM)
    npImg = np.array(img).transpose((1, 0, 2))

    image = ivw.data.Image(ivw.data.Layer(npImg))

    self.outport.setData(image)
```

# Python package – run Inviwo in Python

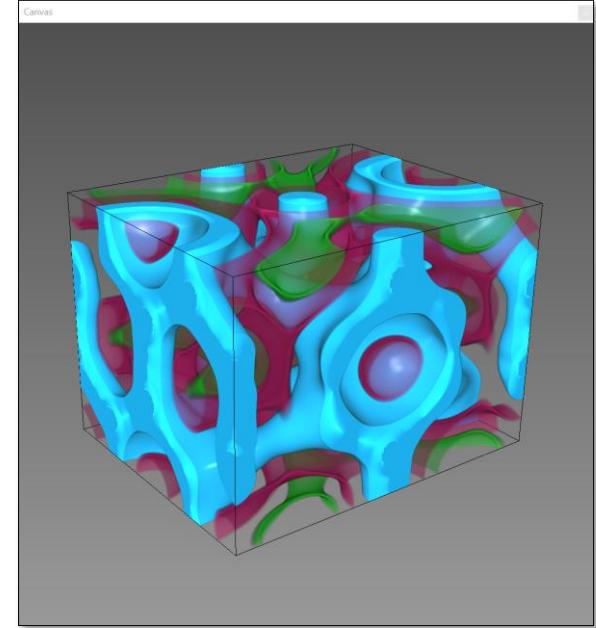
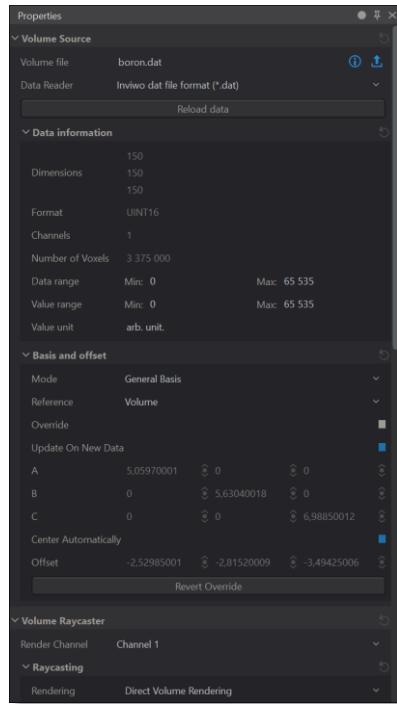
```
import inviwopy as ivw
import inviwopyapp as qt

if __name__ == '__main__':
    # Inviwo requires a LogCentral
    lc = ivw.LogCentral()
    # create and register a console Logger
    cl = ivw.ConsoleLogger()
    lc.registerLogger(cl)

    # create the inviwo application
    app = qt.InviwoApplicationQt()
    app.registerModules()

    # Load a workspace
    app.network.load(app.getPath(ivw.PathType.Workspaces) + "/boron.inv")

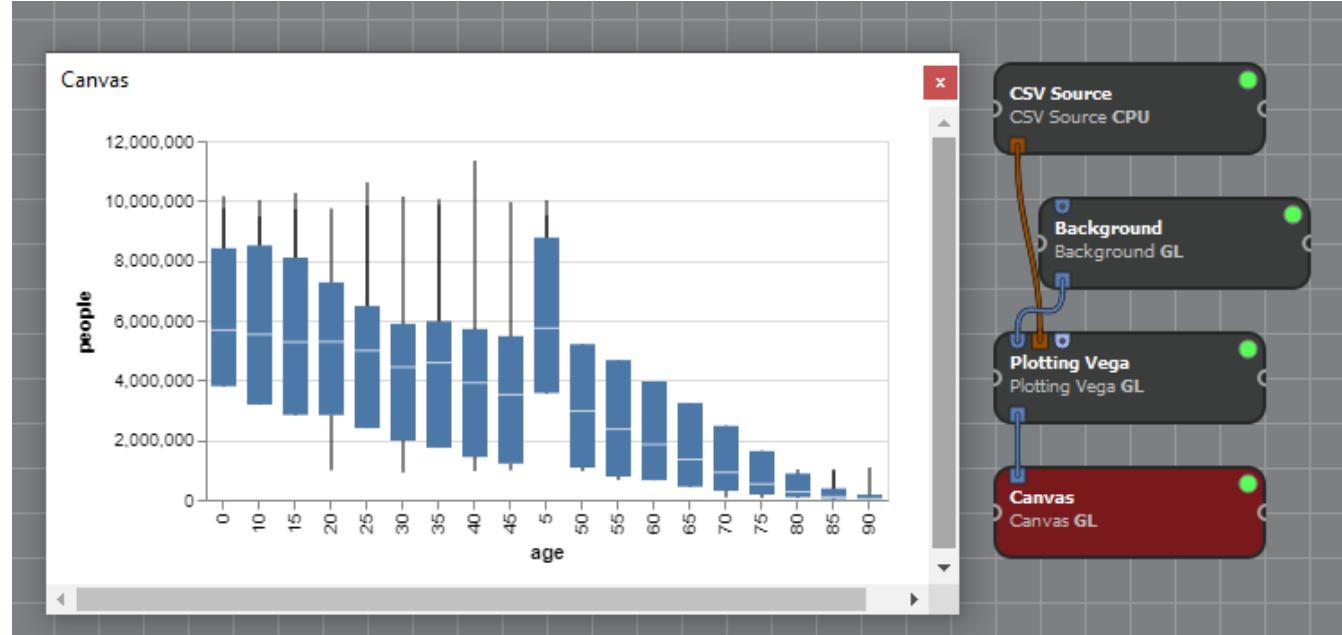
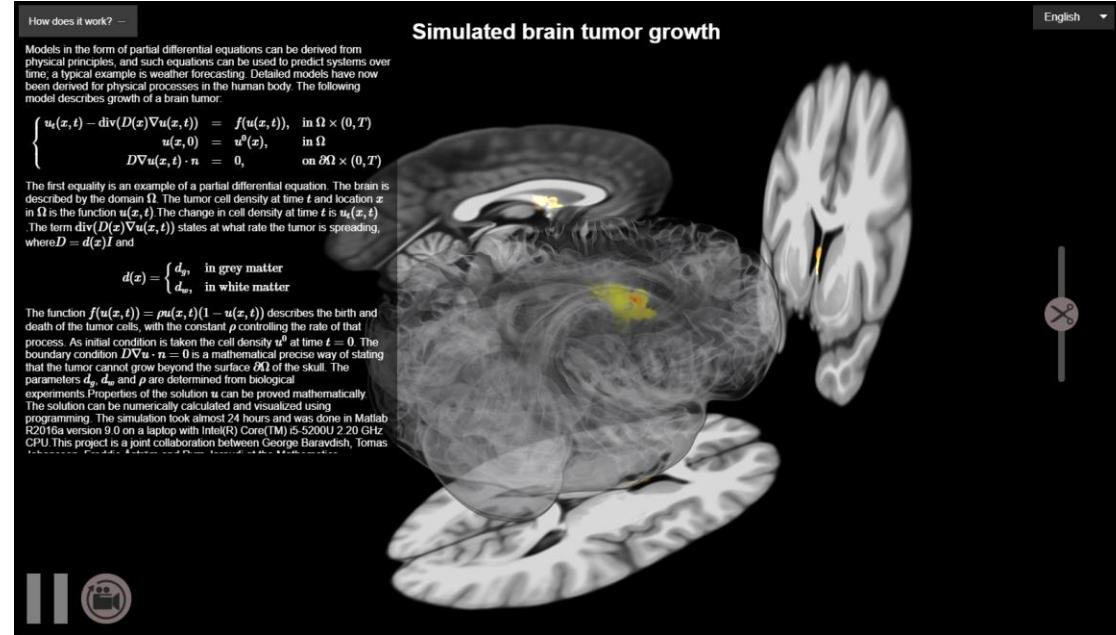
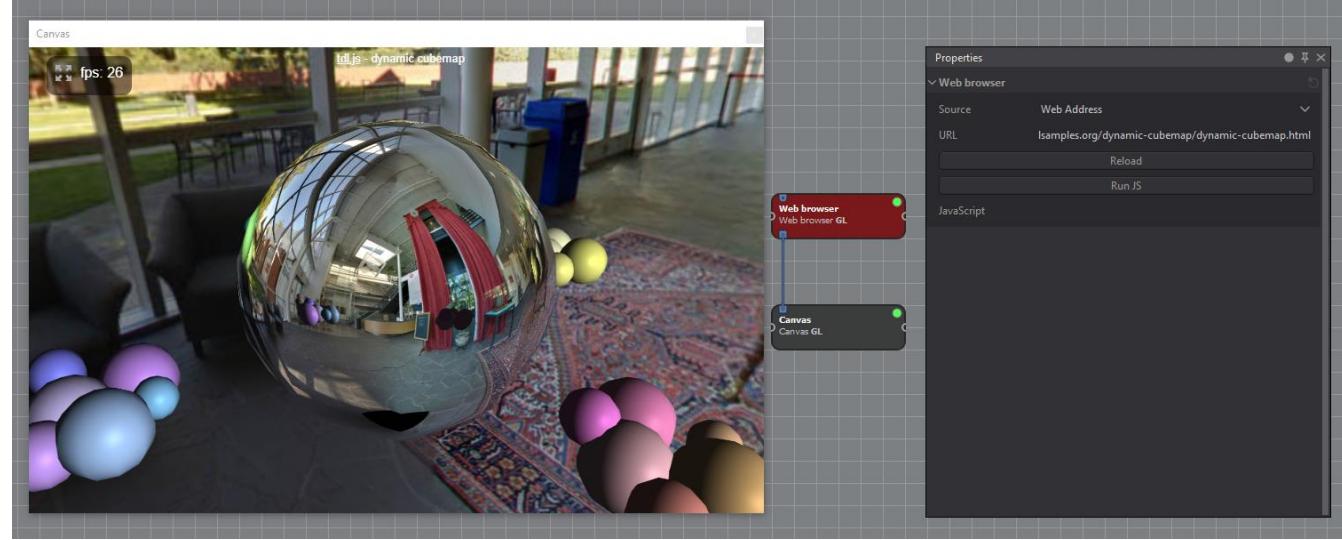
    # start the event loop
    app.run()
```



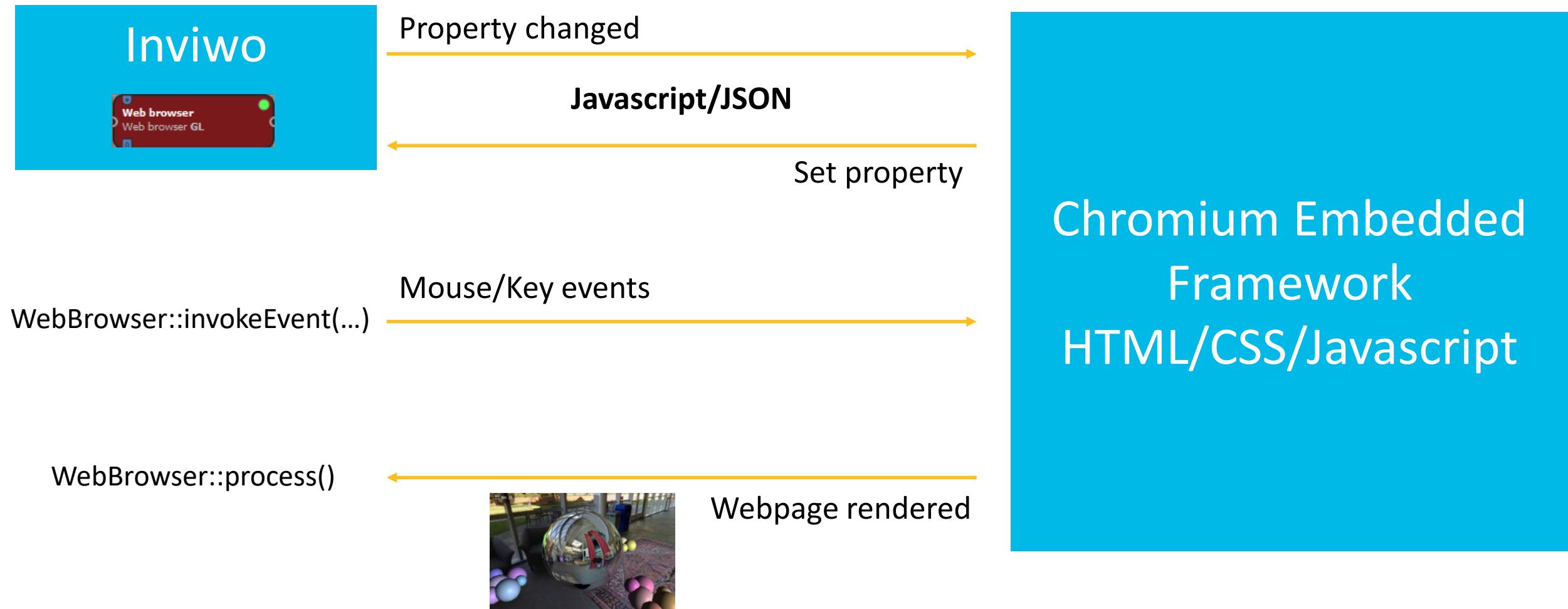
For full example see [inviwo/apps/inviwopyapp/inviwo.py](#)

# Web integration

- Run HTML5/WebGL in Inviwo
  - User interface
  - Plotting
  - Etc.

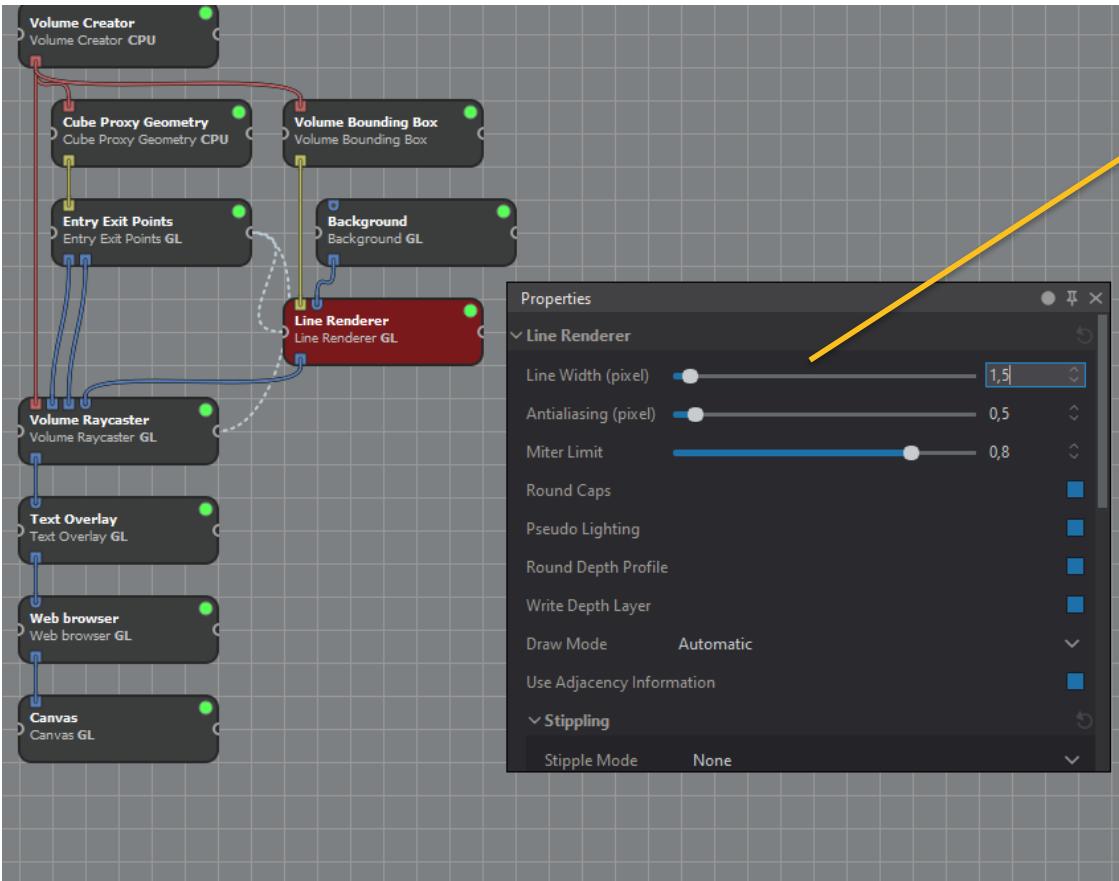


# How does it work?



# Code example

See: File->Example Workspaces->WebBrowser



```
<html>
...
<body>


Line width<input type="range" min="1" max="100" value="50" class="slider" id="lineWidth"></p>

<script language="JavaScript">
// Initialize Inviwo API so that we can use it to synchronize properties
var inviwo = new InviwoAPI();

// Example: Get property from Inviwo
inviwo.getProperty("LineRenderer.lineWidth",
    function(prop) {
        // Get HTML element and set its value
        var elem = document.getElementById("lineWidth");
        elem.value = prop.value;
    }
);

// Example: Subscribe to property changes

// Callback for property changes, need to be in global scope.
function syncLineWidth(prop) {
    var elem = document.getElementById("LineRenderer.lineWidth");
    elem.min = prop.minLength;
    elem.max = prop.maxLength;
    elem.step = prop.increment;
    elem.value = prop.value;
}
// Update html element when the corresponding Inviwo property changes
inviwo.subscribe("LineRenderer.lineWidth", syncLineWidth);
</script>

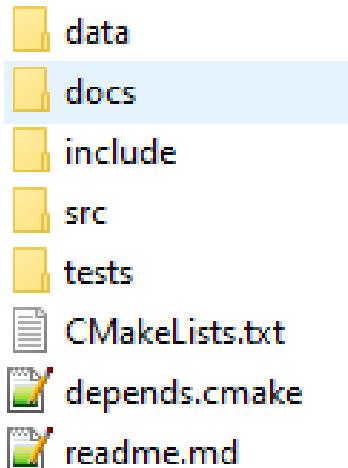
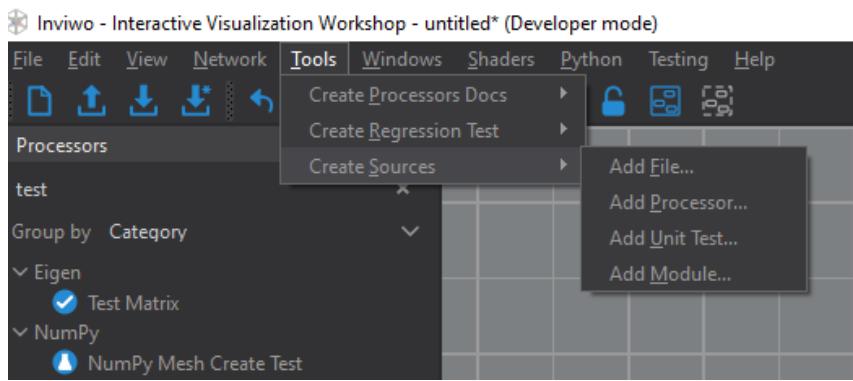

```

# Low-level abstractions

– the C++ world

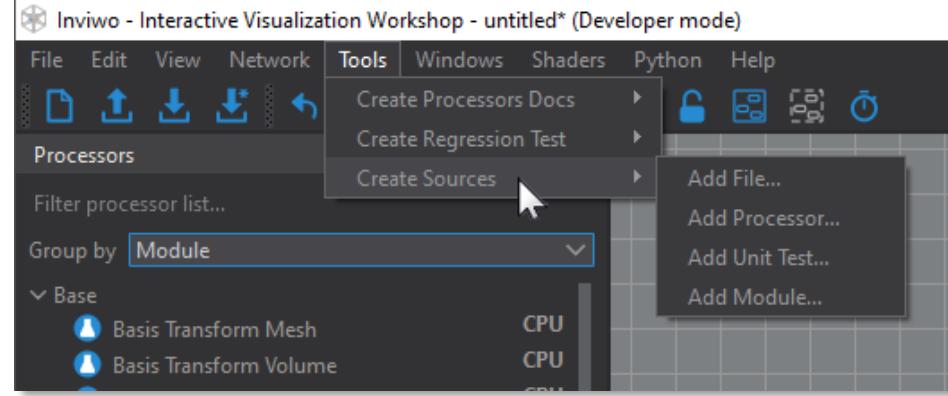
# Creating a module

- Option 1: Tools->Create Sources->Add Module
  - Go to `yourrepo/modules/` and specify module name (`MyModule`)
  - Run Cmake
- Option 2: Command line
  - Go to `build/bin/<config>/`
  - Run `./inviwo-meta-cli -m path/MyModule`
  - Run CMake
- Creates module structure and CMake file



# Creating a processor

- Option 1: Tools->Create Sources->Add Processor
  - Go to **yourmodule/src/processors** and specify Processor name (**FancyProcessor**)
  - Run CMake
- Option 2: Command line
  - Go to **build/bin/<config>/**
  - Run **./inviwo-meta-cli -p path/FancyProcessor**
  - Run CMake
- Creates header and source files
  - Added to **mymodule/CMakeLists.txt**
  - Processor registered in **MyModule** constructor



# Processor – skeleton (cont.)

```
#pragma once

#include <inviwo/fancything/fancythingmoduledefine.h>
#include <inviwo/core/common/inviwo.h>
#include <inviwo/core/processors/processor.h>
#include <inviwo/core/properties/ordinalproperty.h>
#include <inviwo/core/ports/imageport.h>

class IVW_MODULE_FANCYTHING_API FancyProcessor : public Processor {
public:
    FancyProcessor();
    virtual ~FancyProcessor() = default;

    virtual void process() override;

    virtual const ProcessorInfo getProcessorInfo() const override;
    static const ProcessorInfo processorInfo_;

private:
    ImageOutport outport_;
    FloatVec3Property position_;
};
```

# Processor – skeleton (cont.)

```
// The Class Identifier has to be globally unique. Use a reverse DNS naming scheme
const ProcessorInfo FancyProcessor::processorInfo_{
    "org.inviwo.FancyProcessor", // Class identifier
    "Fancy Processor",         // Display name
    "Undefined",               // Category
    CodeState::Experimental,   // Code state
    Tags::None,                // Tags
};

const ProcessorInfo FancyProcessor::getProcessorInfo() const { return processorInfo_; }

FancyProcessor::FancyProcessor()
: Processor()
, outport_("outport")
, position_("position", "Position", vec3(0.0f), vec3(-100.0f), vec3(100.0f)) {

    addPort(outport_);
    addProperty(position_);
}

void FancyProcessor::process() { outport_.setData(myImage); }
```

# Documentation

```
/** \docpage{org.inviwo.Background, Background}
 * 
 * Adds a background to an image.
 * The following mixing is applied
 *
 *     out.rgb = in.rgb + color.rgb * color.a * (1.0 - in.a)
 *     out.a = in.a + color.a * (1.0 - in.a)
 *
 * ### Imports
 * * __ImageImport__ Input image.
 *
 * ### Outports
 * * __ImageOutput__ Output image.
 *
 * ### Properties
 * * __Style__ The are three different styles to choose from Linear gradient, uniform color,
 * or checker board.
 * * __Color1__ Used as the uniform color and as color 1 in the gradient and checkerboard.
 * * __Color2__ Used as color 2 the gradient and checkerboard.
 * * __Checker Board Size__ The size of the rectangles in the checker board.
 * * __Switch colors__ Button to switch color 1 and 2.
 */
 */

/** \brief Adds a background to an image.
 */
class IVW_MODULE_BASEGL_API Background : public Processor {
public:
    Background();
    virtual ~Background();
```



**Background**

Adds a background to an image. The following mixing is applied

```
out.rgb = in.rgb + color.rgb * color.a * (1.0 - in.a)  
out.a = in.a + color.a * (1.0 - in.a)
```

**Imports**

- \* **ImageImport** Input image.

**Outports**

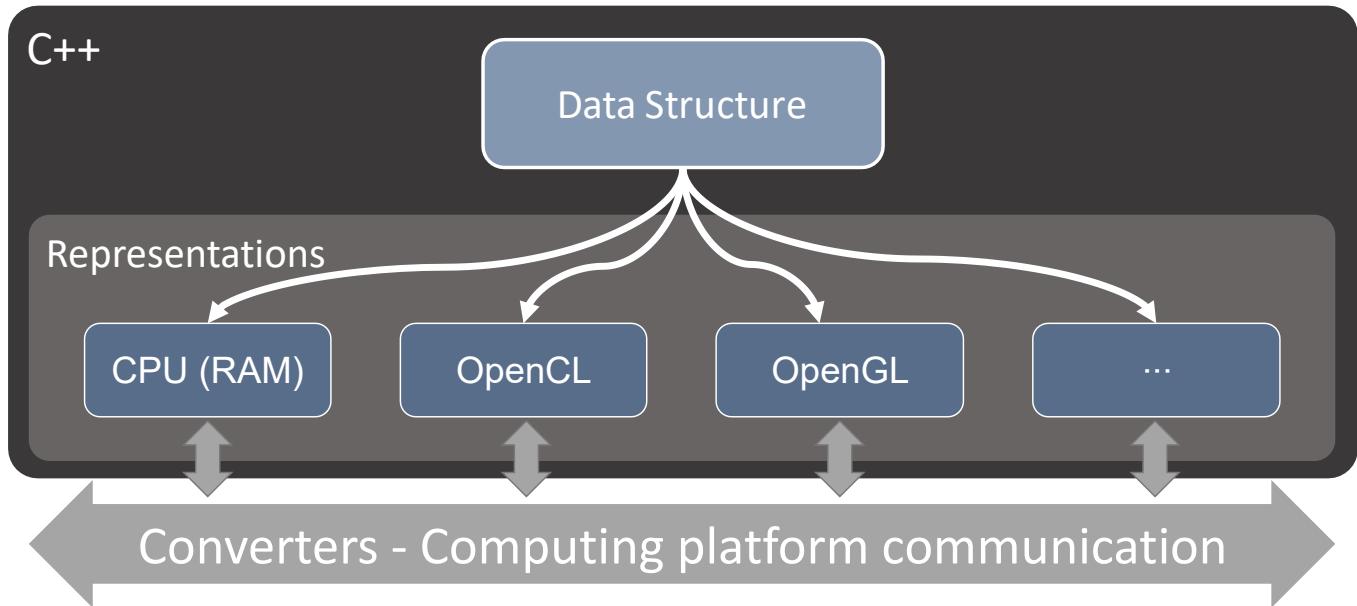
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**Properties**

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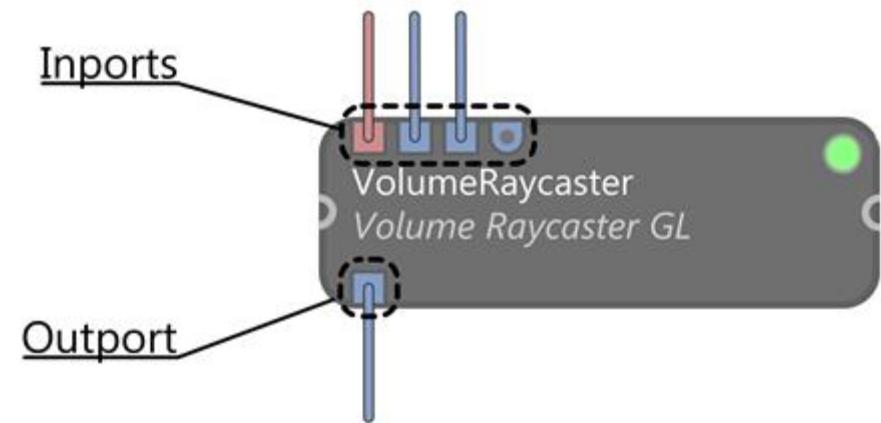
# Data structures

- Volume
- Layer
- Image
  - Consists of layers
  - Color, depth, picking
- Buffer
- Mesh
  - Buffers
  - Index Buffers



# How to access data

- Ports hold data (shared pointer)
  - Import is const (`std::shared_ptr<const Volume>`)
  - Assign new data to outport (`std::shared_ptr<Volume>`)
- Data representations
  - Type-erased data (`void*`, and size)
  - `VolumeRAMPrecision<type>`
  - `VolumeGL`
  - `VolumeCL`
- Dispatching to obtain types (similar to VTK)



# How to access data – VolumeRAM

```
auto scaleVolume = [](auto ram) {
    using ValueType = util::PrecisionValueType<decltype(ram)>;
    const size3_t dims = ram->getDimensions();

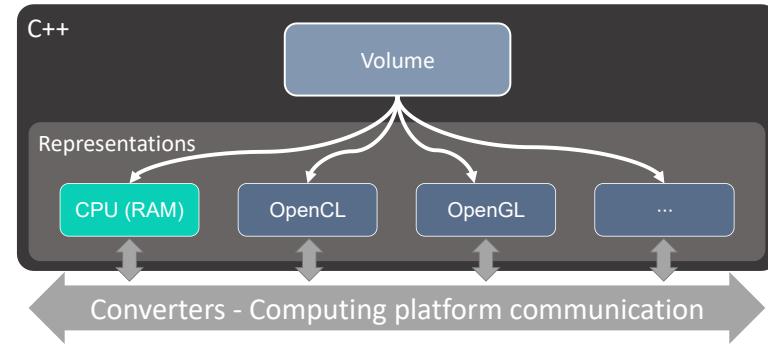
    auto dstRam = std::make_shared<VolumeRAMPrecision<typename ValueType>>(dims);

    const ValueType* srcData = ram->getDataTyped();
    ValueType* dstData = dstRam->getDataTyped();
    for (size_t i = 0; i < (dims.x * dims.y * dims.z); ++i) {
        dstData[i] = srcData[i] * ValueType(2);
    }
    return std::make_shared<Volume>(dstRam);
};
```

```
auto volume = inport_.getData()->getRepresentation<VolumeRAM>()
    ->dispatch< std::shared_ptr<Volume> >(&scaleVolume);
outport_.setData(volume);
```

Return type of dispatch

Dispatch function;  
gets called with correctly deduced type



```
VolumeImport inport_("inport");
VolumeOutput outport_("outport");
```

# How to access data – VolumeGL

- Access OpenGL texture ID

```
auto volume = import.getData();
const VolumeGL* volumeGL = volume->getRepresentation<VolumeGL>();

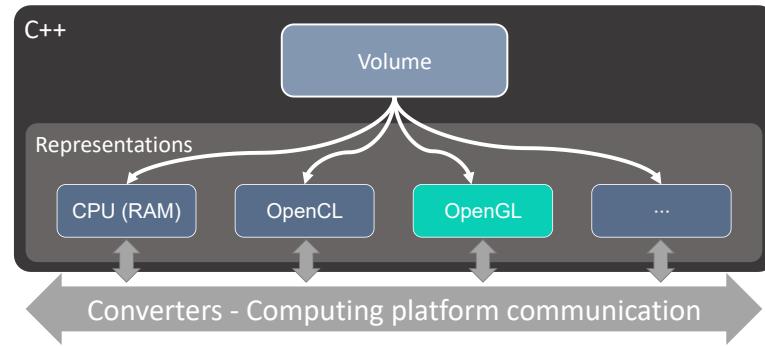
std::shared_ptr<const Texture3D> tex = volumeGL->getTexture();
GLuint textureID = tex->getID();

glBindTexture(GL_TEXTURE_3D, textureID);
```

- Upload data

```
auto dstVolume = std::make_shared<Volume>(size3_t(1, 1, 1), DataFormat<float>::get());

VolumeGL* volumeGL = dstVolume->getEditableRepresentation<VolumeGL>();
float* data = ...;
volumeGL->getTexture()->uploadAndResize(data, size3_t(32, 32, 32));
```



# Application show cases

– what's possible



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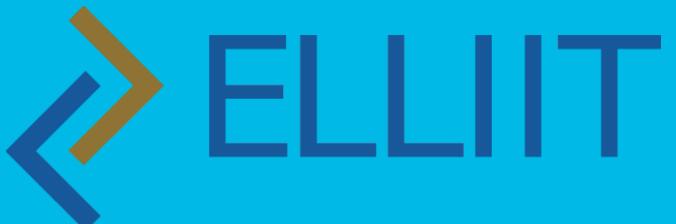
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