IMAGE PROCESSING I

Getting Started

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OVERVIEW

- · Course organization
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- · Levels of image processing
- · Doing image processing with computer programs
- Python

COURSE ORGANIZATION

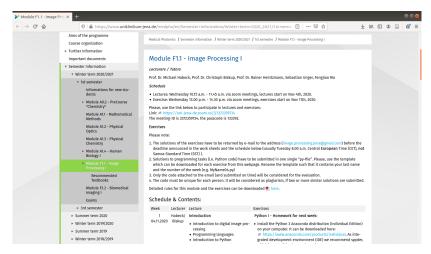
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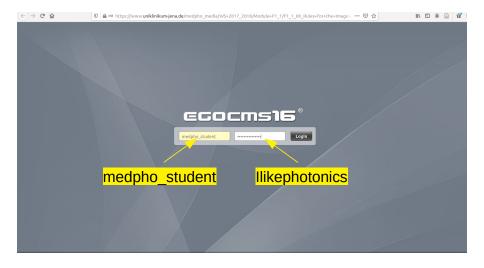
- · Michael Habeck (Microscopic Image Analysis)
- · Christoph Biskup (Biomolecular Photonics)
- · Fengjiao Ma, Rainer Heintzmann (Institute of Physical Chemistry, Bio-Nanoimaging Group)

Course organization

- · weekly lecture (Wednesday 10:15 11:45)
- · and exercise (Wednesday 13:00 14:30) via zoom
- · visit the course page for material and links to exercise, zoom meeting, etc.

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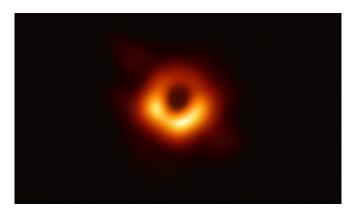


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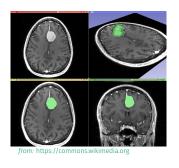


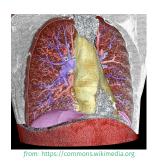
Image processing is cross-disciplinary and essential in many fields of science



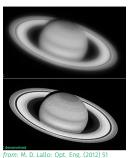
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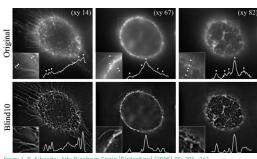
Segmentation in medical imaging





Sharpening images by deconvolution

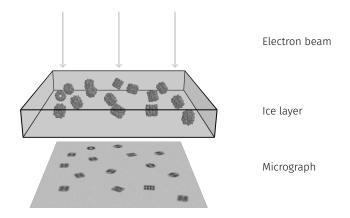




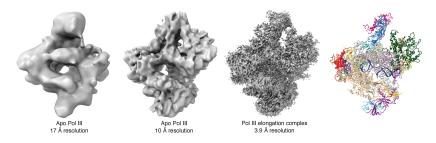
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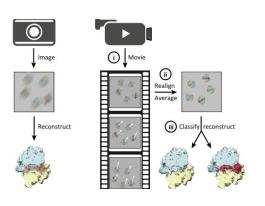


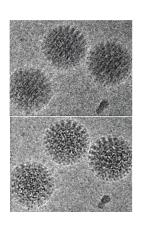
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Motion correction





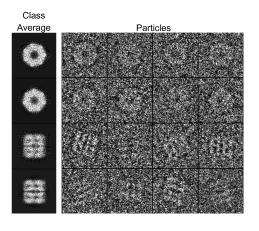
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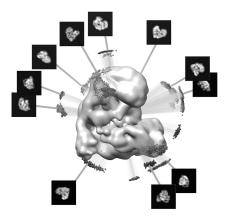
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Class averaging



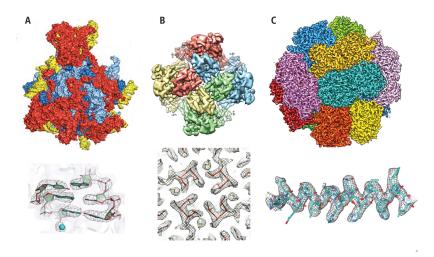
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Ab initio reconstruction



from: P. Joubert & M. Habeck: Biophys. J. (2015) 108:1165-1175

Structure refinement



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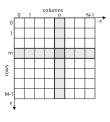
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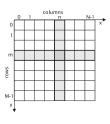
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- · image analysis
- · cognitive functions associated with human vision

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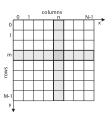
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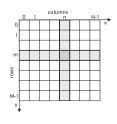


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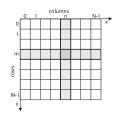
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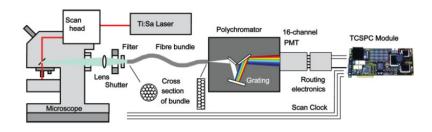
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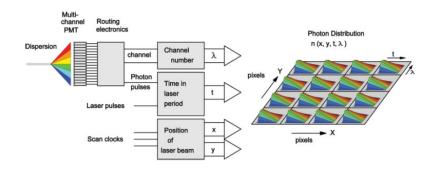
These elements are referred to as *image* elements, picture elements or simply pixels



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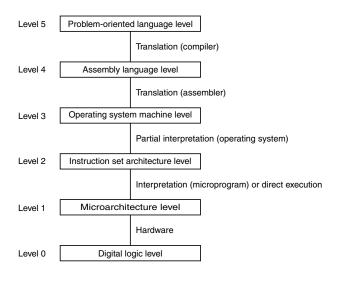


DOING IMAGE PROCESSING WITH COMPUTER PROGRAMS

Developing programs for image processing involves several steps:

- · Definition of the problem
- · Draft of an algorithm to solve the problem
- · Draft of the structure of the program
- · Writing the actual program in a suitable programming language (coding)

CONTEMPORARY MULTILEVEL MACHINES



from: A. S. Tannenbaum & T. Austin: Structured Computer Organization, 6th edition

FUNCTIONALITY OF MICROCODE

- · Instructions for integer multiplication and division
- · Floating-point arithmetic instructions
- · Instructions for calling and returning from procedures
- · Instructions for speeding up looping
- · Instructions for handling character strings
- Indexing and indirect addressing
- · Relocation facilities
- · Interrupt systems
- Process switching
- · Processing audio, image, multimedia files

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

Procedural languages

- · ALGOL
- · Basic, Fortran, Pascal
- · C

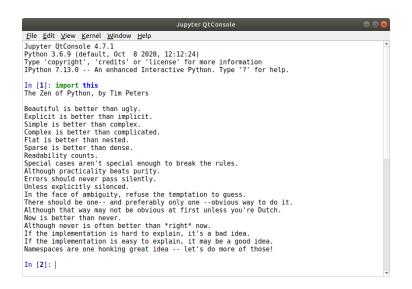
Object-oriented languages

- · Simula
- · Smalltalk
- · C++, C#, Java
- · Python

PYTHON

- · It's free and open-source
- · Among the most widely used programming languages, there is a huge community of developers
- · Very simple and clearly structured syntax
- Powerful libraries for: array processing (numpy), scientific computing (scipy, skimage, sklearn), plotting and visualization (matplotlib, seaborn)
- · Features: interpreted (interactive use), object-oriented
- · Powerful tools: IPython interpreter, jupyter notebook and console
- · Extending Python: C/C++ extensions, Cython
- · Be aware: Python 2 vs Python 3

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If Python 3 is not yet installed on your computer the easiest is to install the Anaconda distribution from *Continuum Analytics*, freely available at:

https://www.anaconda.com/products/individual

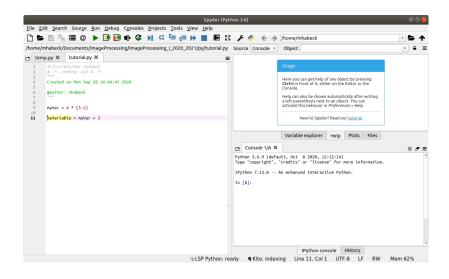
The integrated development environment (IDE) Spyder is part of Anaconda:

https://docs.anaconda.com/anaconda/user-guide/...
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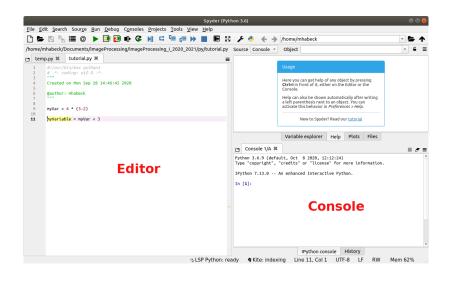
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- Integrated Development Environment (IDE) Spyder (Scientific PYthon Development EnviRonment) for the development of Python programs
- · Spyder offers editors, consoles, tools to organize suites of programs and libraries, automatic spell-checking, and debugging
- · Spyder is a free, interactive IDE that is included with Anaconda
- After installing Anaconda, one can start Spyder on MacOS, Linux, or Windows by opening a terminal or a command prompt window and entering the command spyder
- · Spyder is also pre-installed in the graphical Anaconda Navigator included in Anaconda

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