

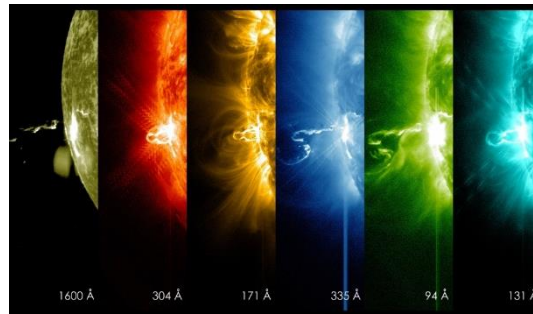
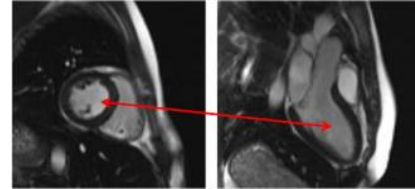
Characterizing shapes and motions

Some applications of AI to analysing physics and medical data

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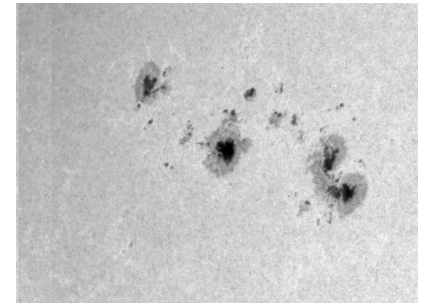
Visual perception

- Images
- Videos
- Multi-modal data



Modelling

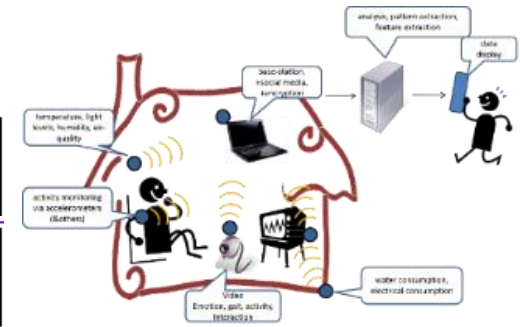
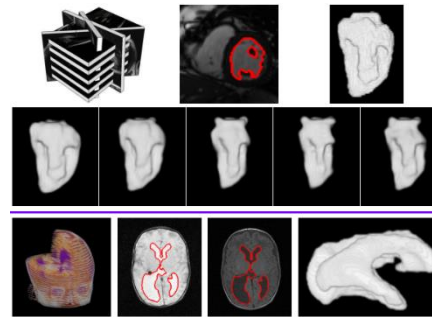
- Machine learning
- Deep learning
- Data-driven models
- Hybrid data- and knowledge-driven models



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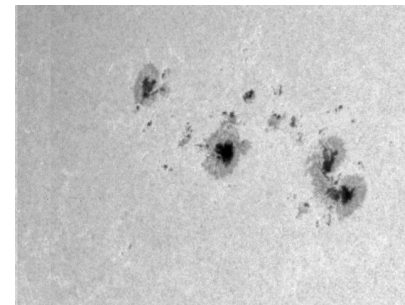
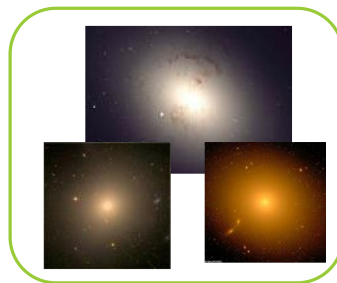
Healthcare applications

- Medical image analysis
- Diagnosis & assistive technologies



Astrophysics applications

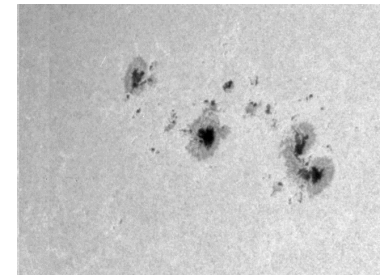
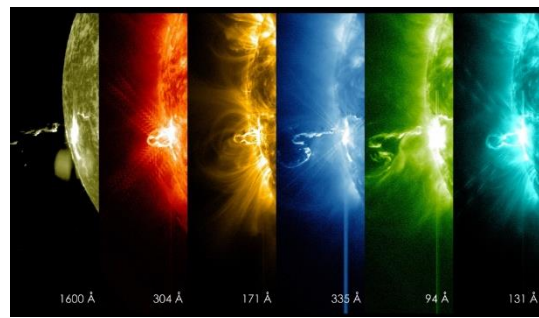
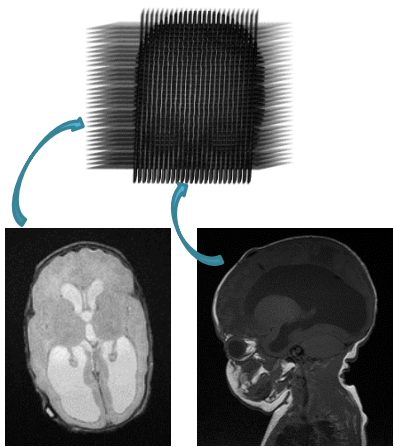
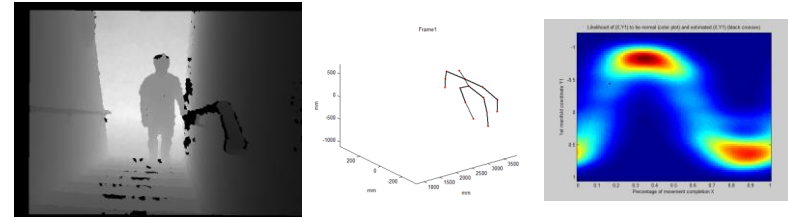
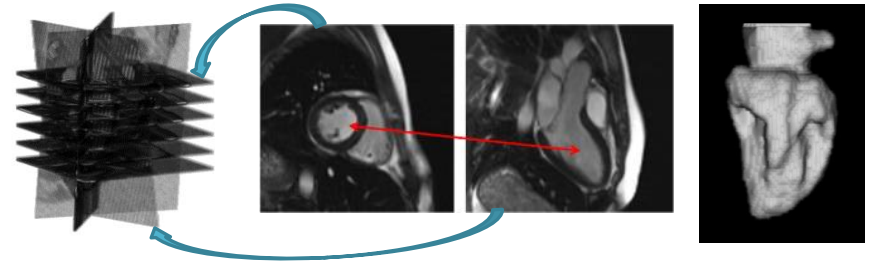
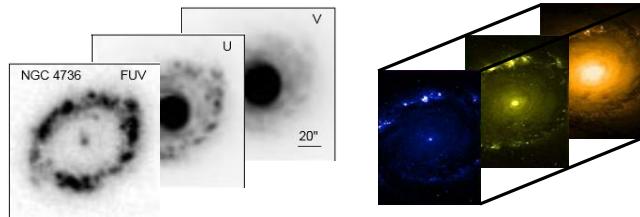
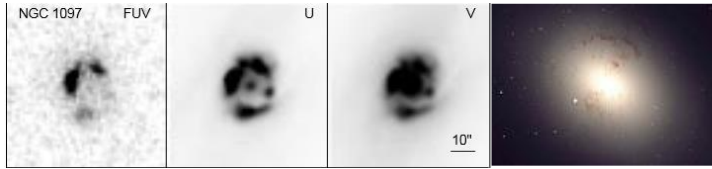
- Catalogue generation from grand surveys
- Detection and monitoring of transient events



Similar tasks

Characterising shapes

Characterising motions

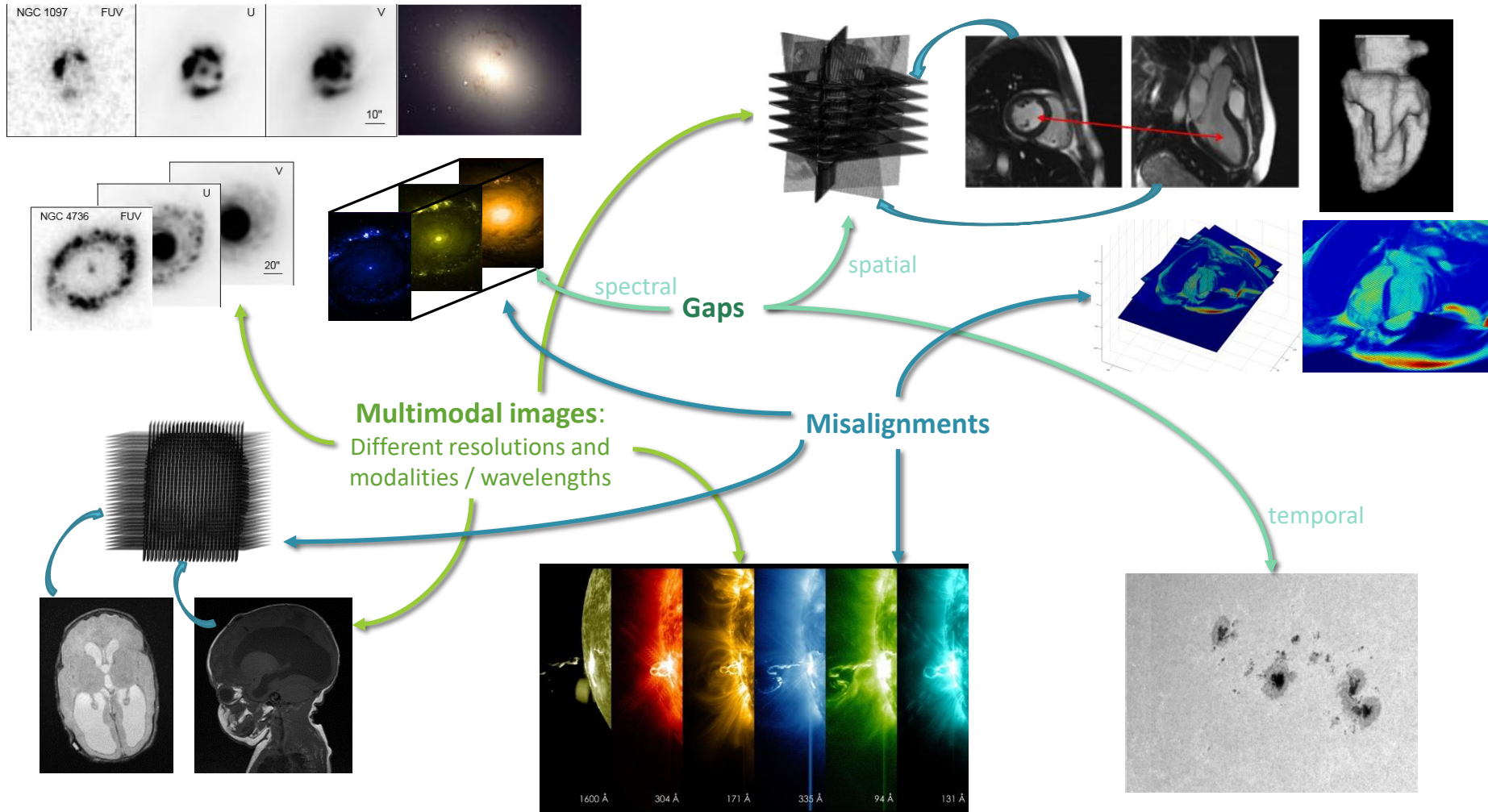


Similar challenges

Big data

Ground truth

Interpretability

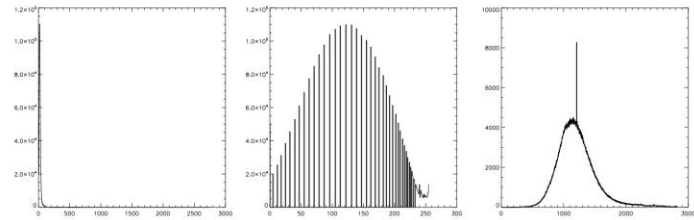
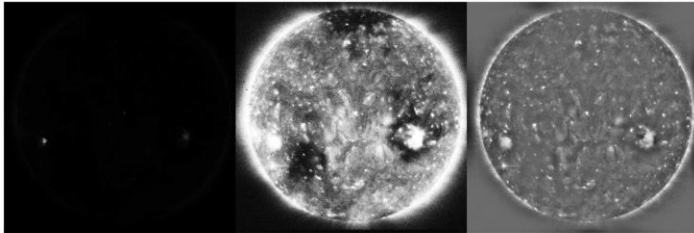


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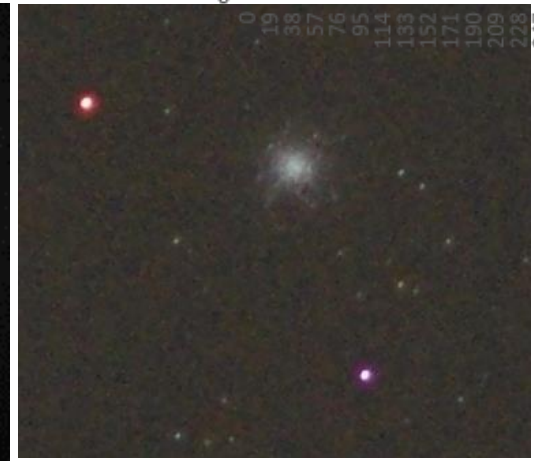
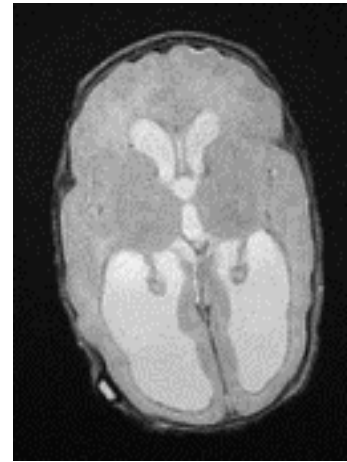


Scientific vs natural images

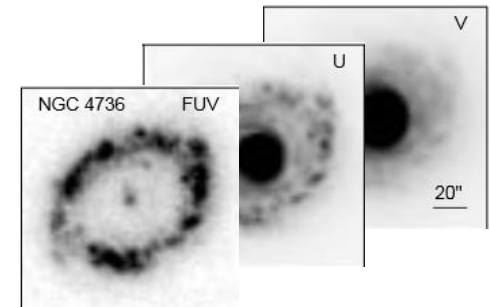
- High dynamic ranges, low contrasts



- Noise



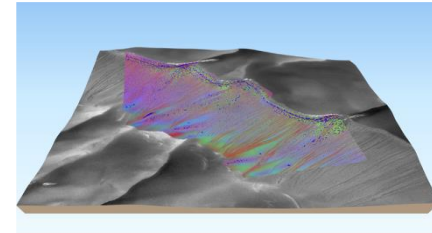
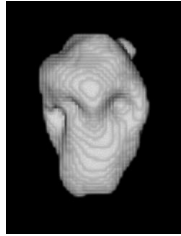
- Meaning of the intensity value



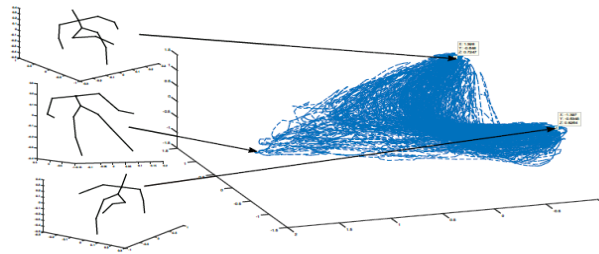
- Need specifically designed algorithms

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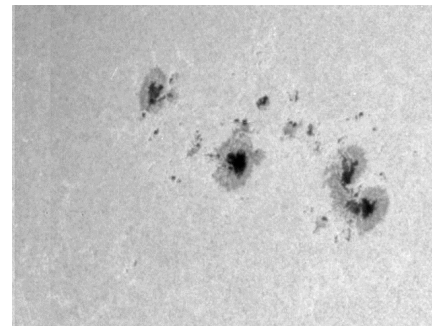
Shape reconstruction



Shape analysis



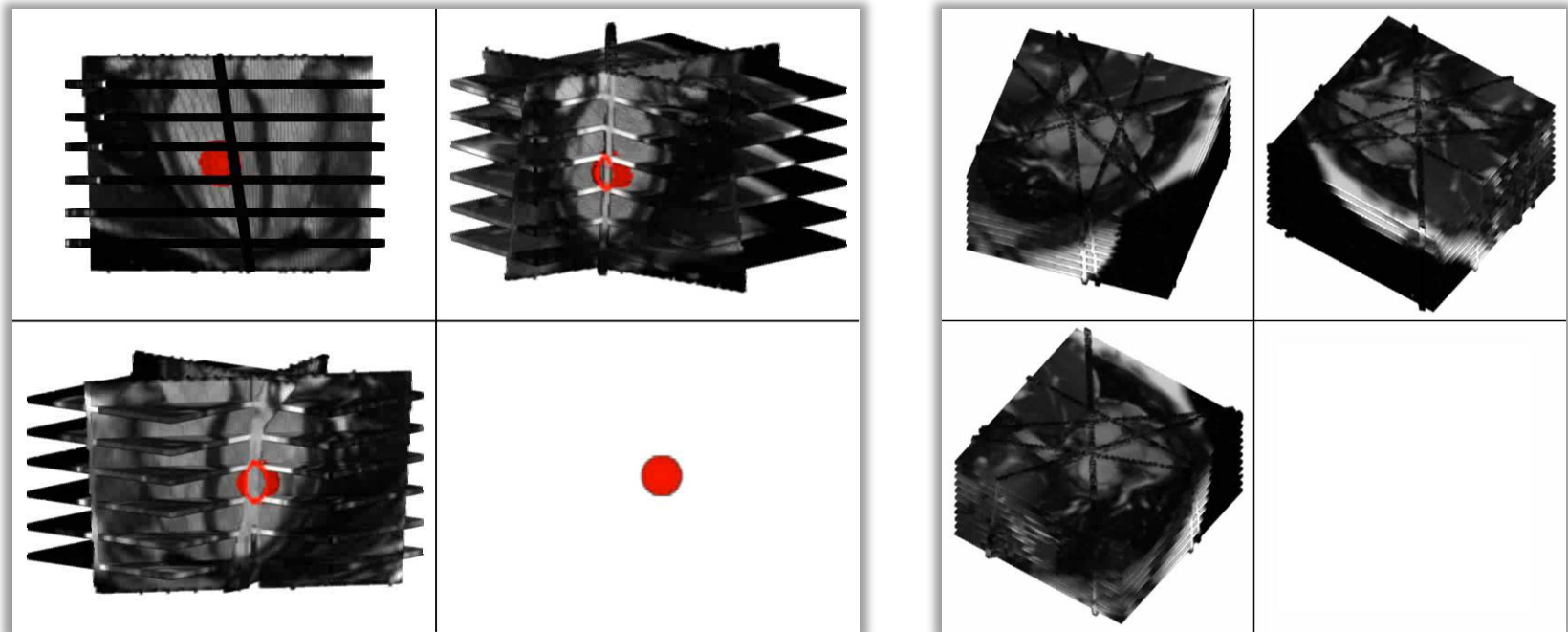
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Trust issues

IReSISD: shape modelling for multimodal data

Modelling from multimodal data with heterogeneous resolutions, misalignments, and gaps

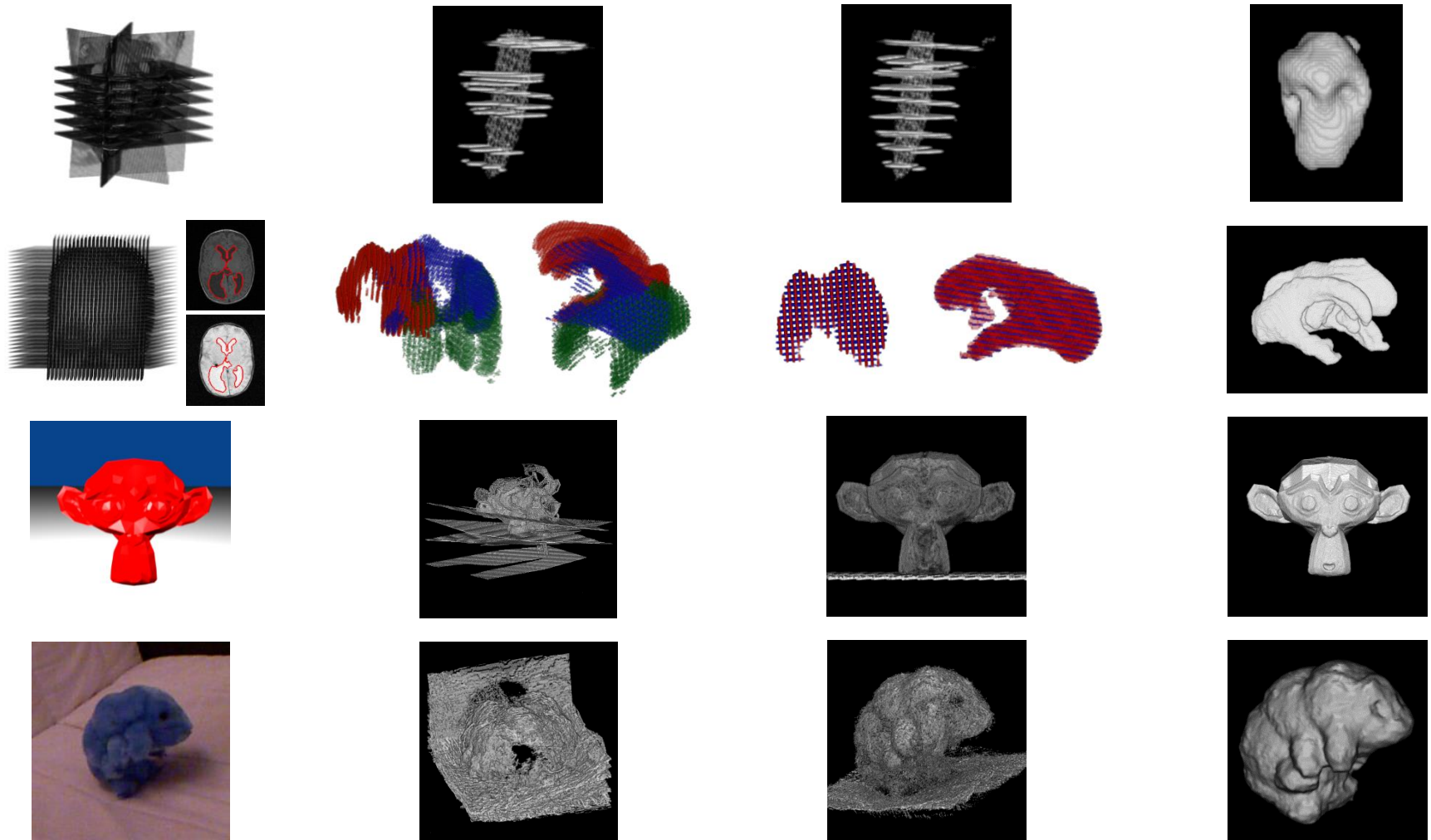


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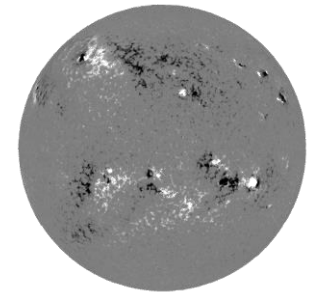
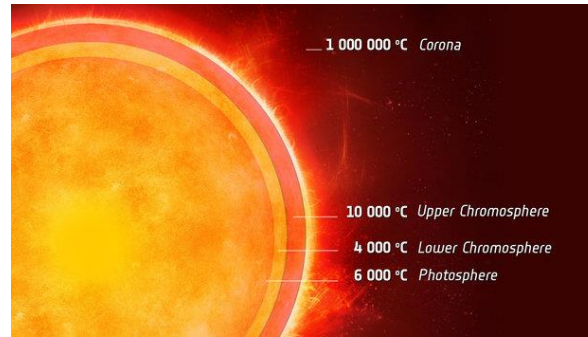
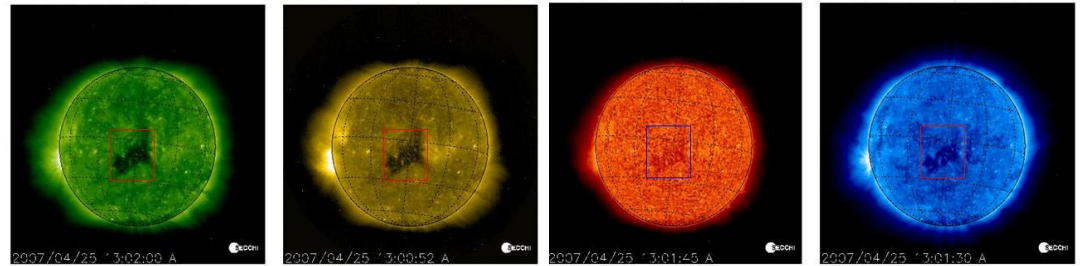
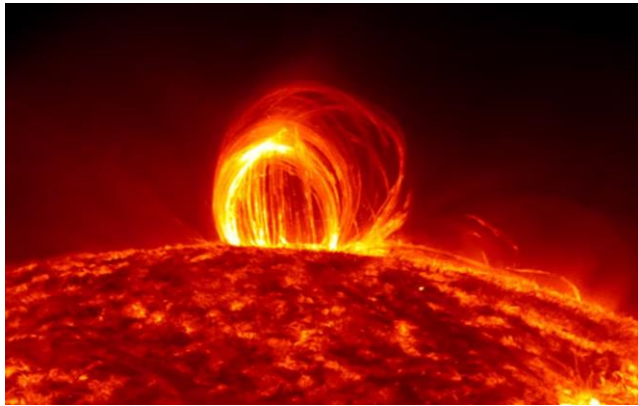
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Some results on images and point clouds



Some examples of applications in astrophysics

- Reconstruction of solar active regions from multispectral images



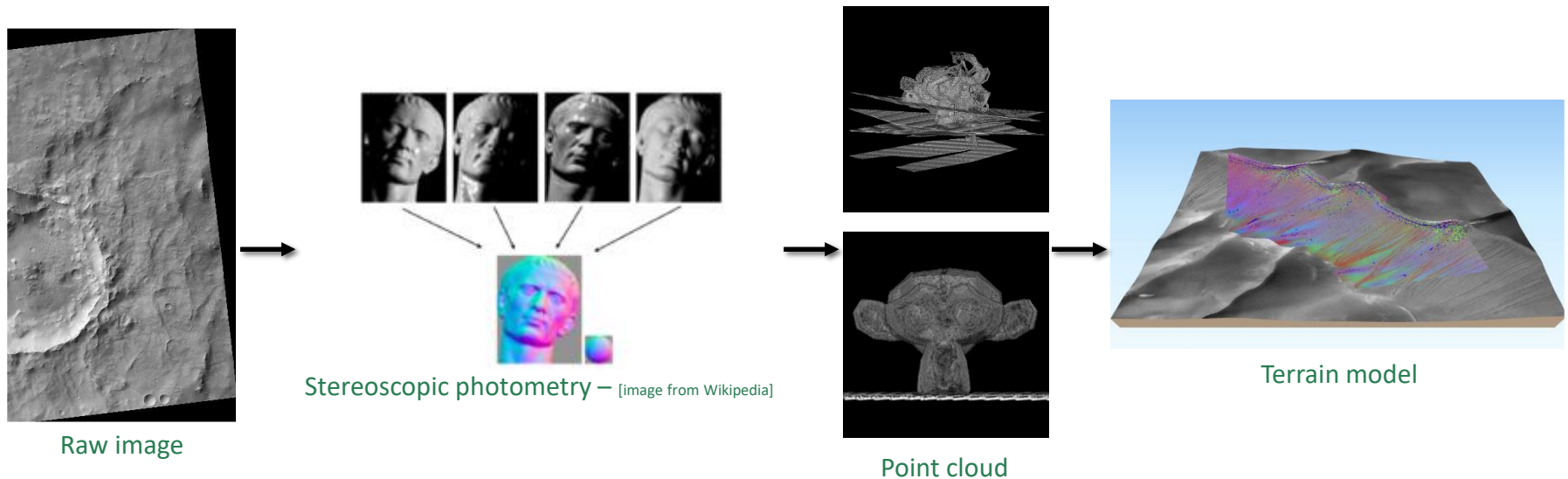
End goal:

- Understanding the mechanisms of the solar activity
- Predicting solar activity

Collaboration with Paris-Meudon Observatory

Some examples of applications in astrophysics

- Modelling of the Martian terrain from orbital multispectral images



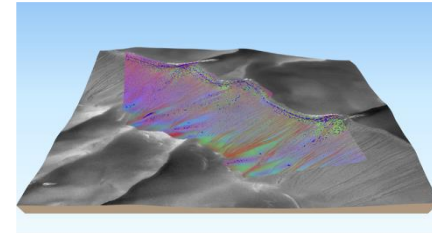
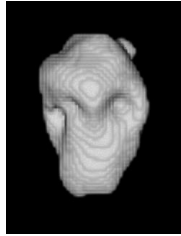
End goals:

- Identification of typical and abnormal geological properties

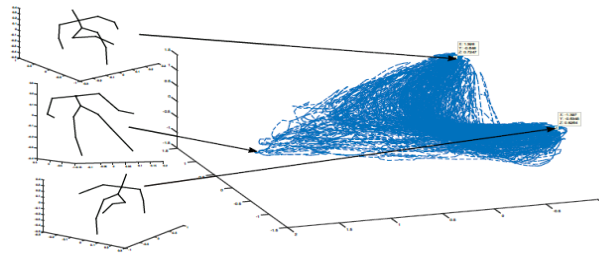
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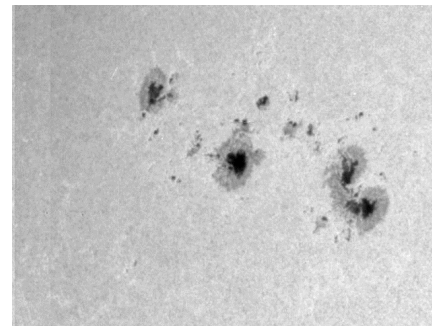
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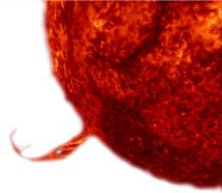


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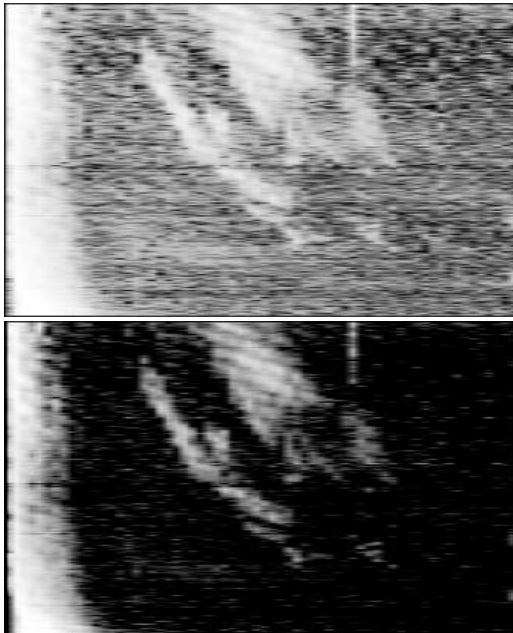
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Joint solving of interdependent tasks

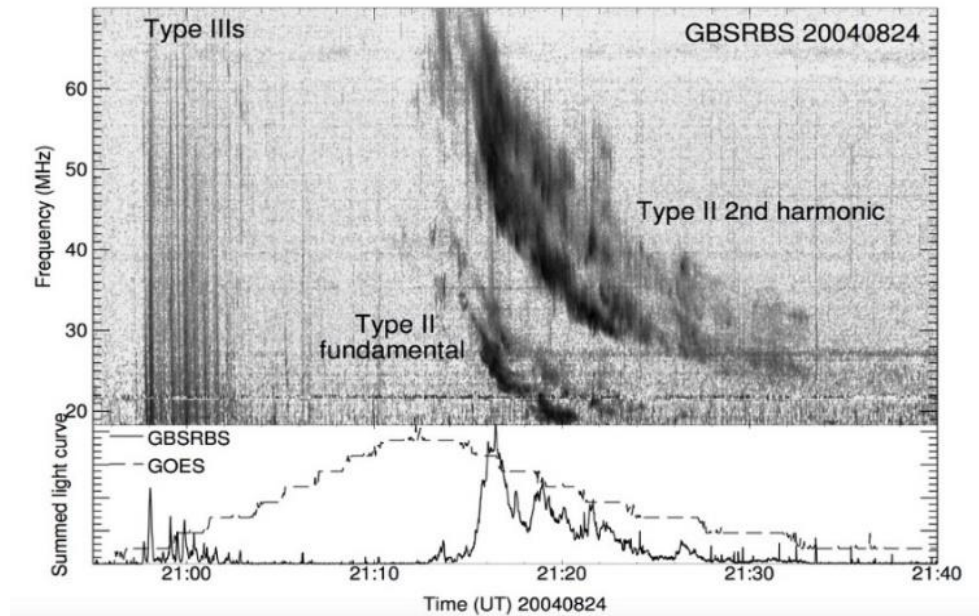


Solar radio bursts

- Detection
- Classification (types II and III)
- Regression of properties (duration, decrease rate, harmonic)



Truncated histogram

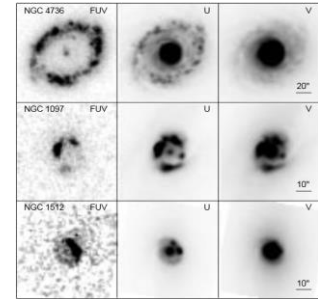
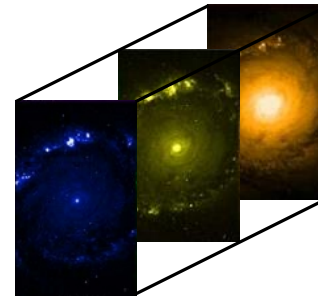


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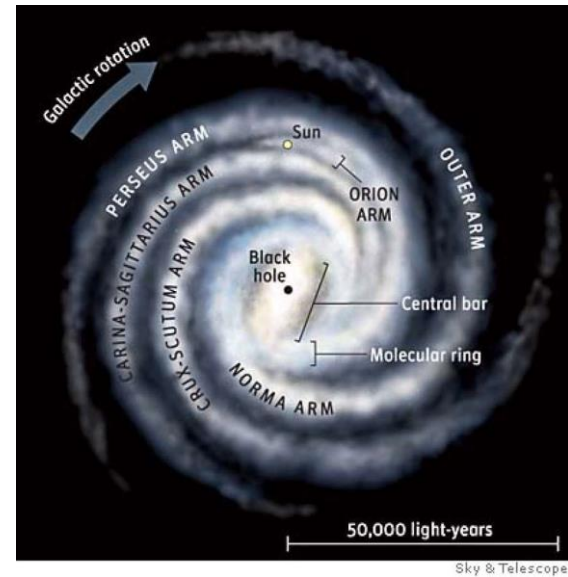
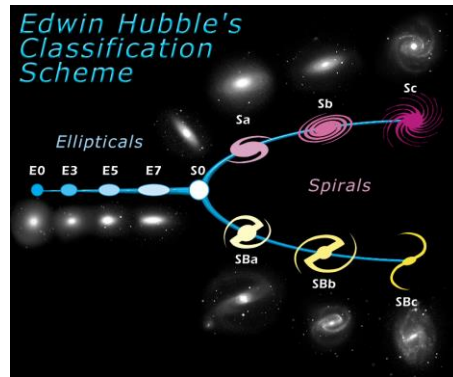
Joint solving of interdependent tasks

Galaxy morphology:

- Classification of morphology types
- Regression of morphology parameters
- Including N/A params



Multispectral images

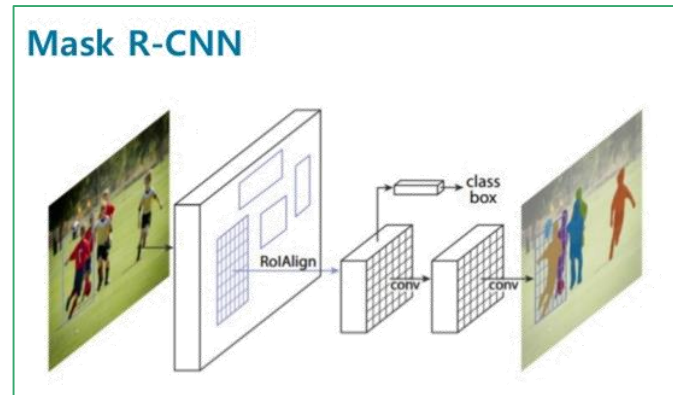
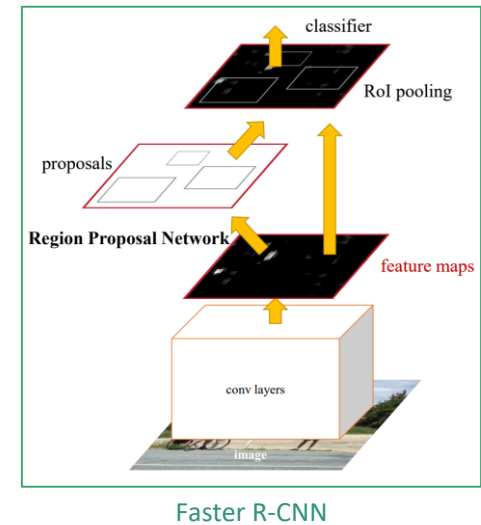
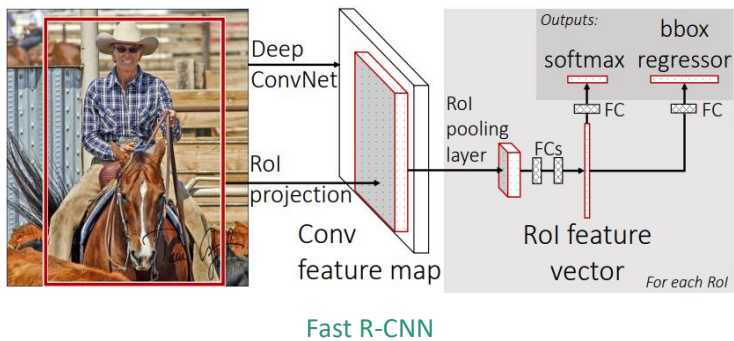


Collaboration with Strasbourg Observatory

Joint solving of interdependent tasks

Typical answer nowadays: **Multi-branch deep neural network**

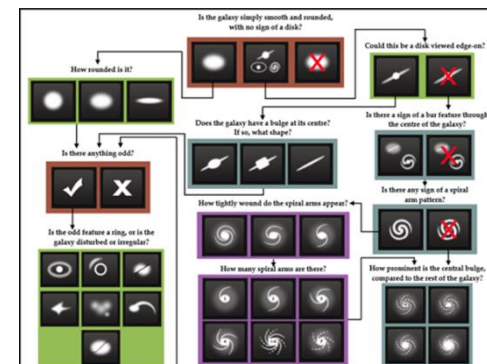
✓ Tasks share features



Structured analysis that integrates *prior knowledge*

1. Characterisation as a simple multi-label classification problem [1]

Does not account for relations between parameters!

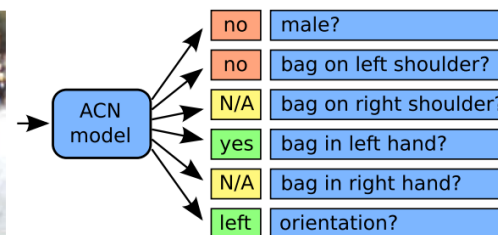


2. Hierarchical loss function [2]

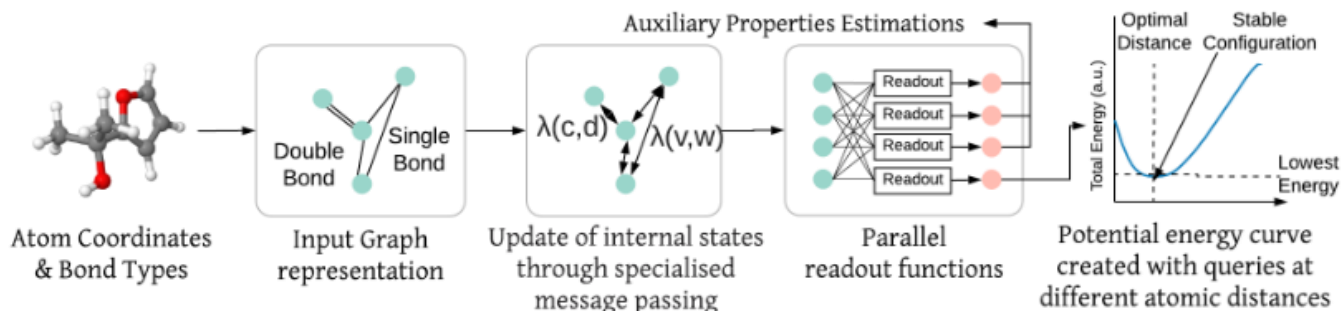
$$p(A, B) = p(B|A) \cdot p(A)$$

Visible Value Probability of the attribute value: softmax loss

Probability that attribute is visible: logistic loss



3. Architecture designed to match the problem's structure [3]



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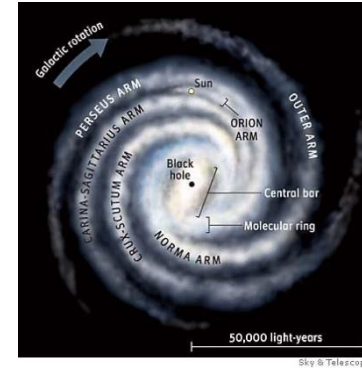
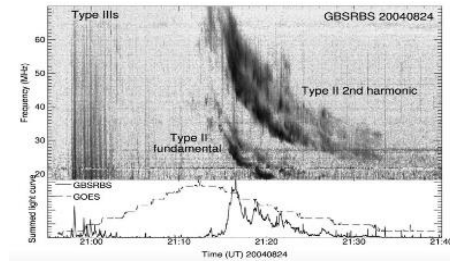
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The question of representation

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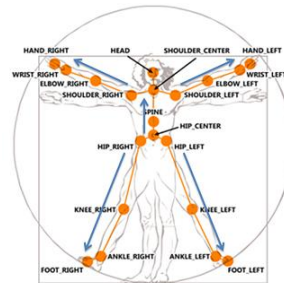
- Naturally defined:



- Hard to define:

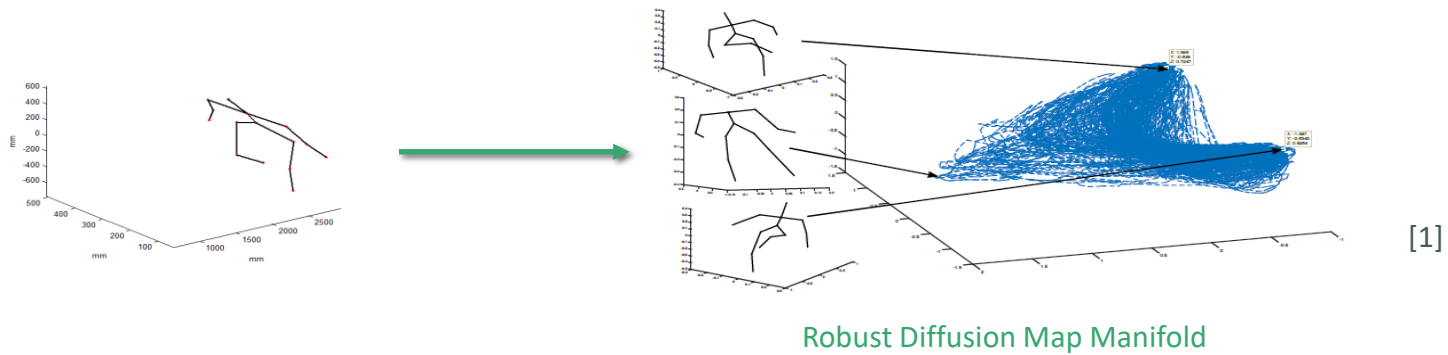


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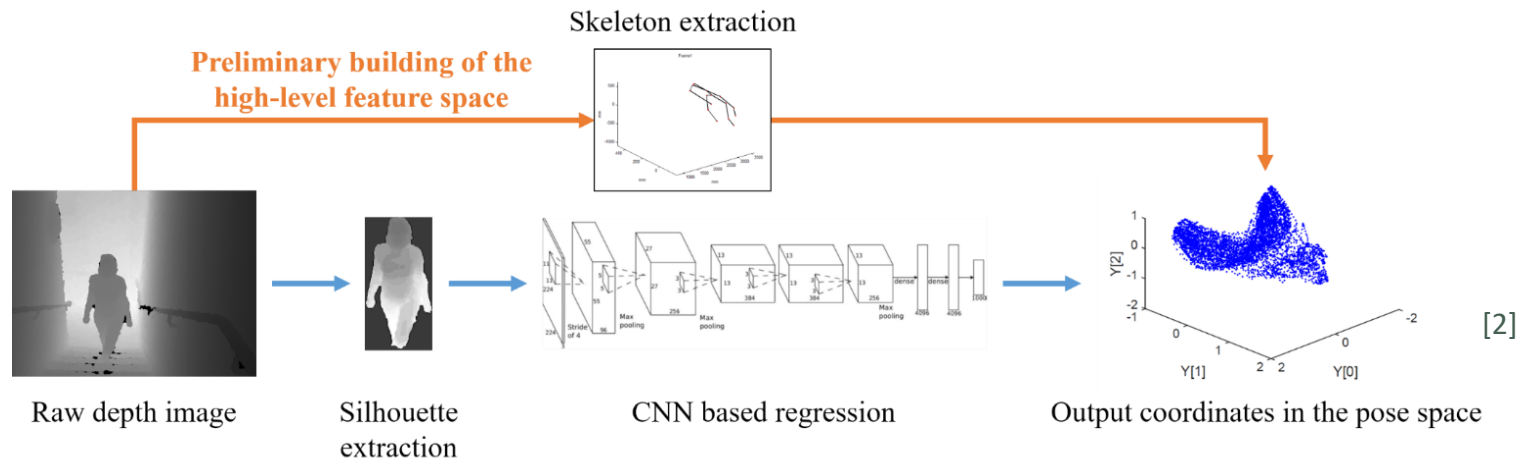


The question of representation

Learnt representation



- ... as a basis for deep learning analysis

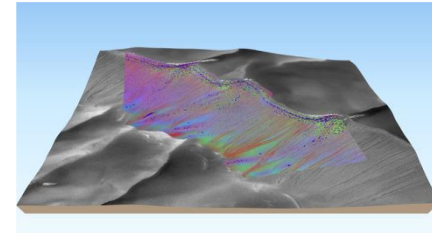
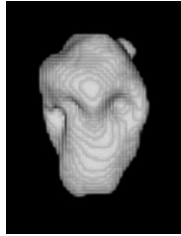


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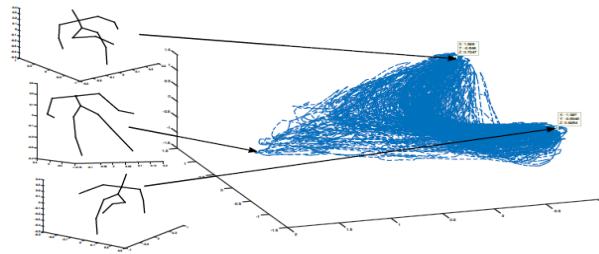
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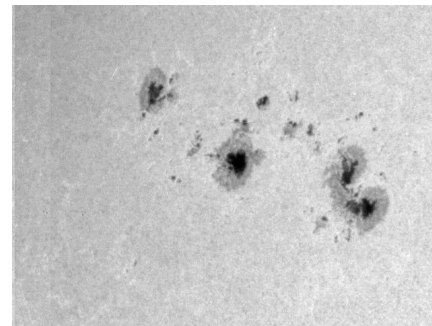
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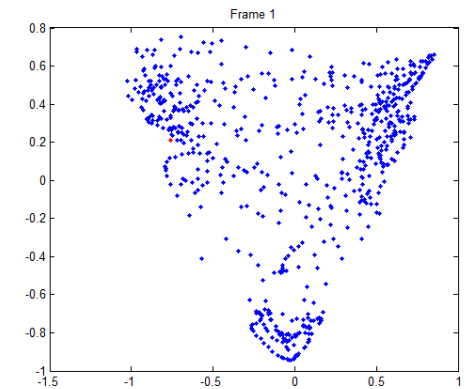
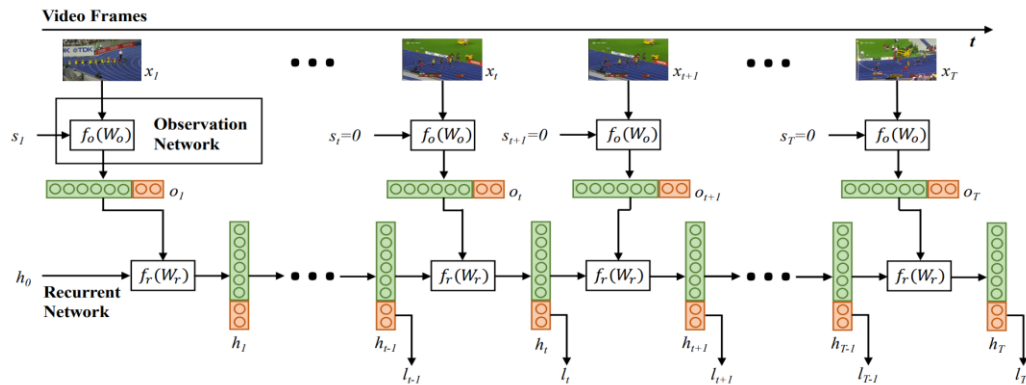
Trust issues

Joint tracking and characterization of near-Earth objects



Tracking in space...

... and in physical parameters' space

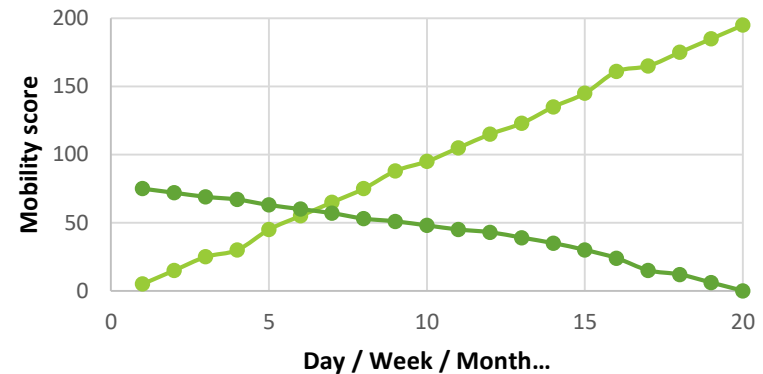


Collaboration with NASA/JPL

Mobility assessment from Kinect data

Scoring of movement quality from depth images

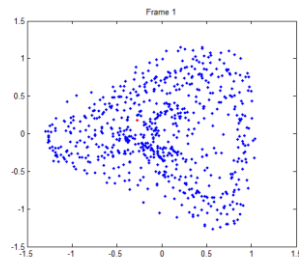
1. Model normal movements
2. Quantify deviations from the model



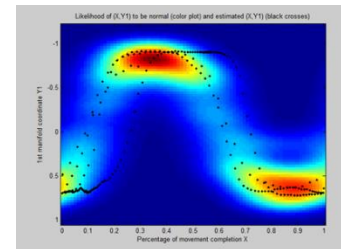
Kinect depth image



Pose representation



Statistical model of kinematics



Measure of
kinematics'
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Statistical model of pose

Measure of
pose's quality

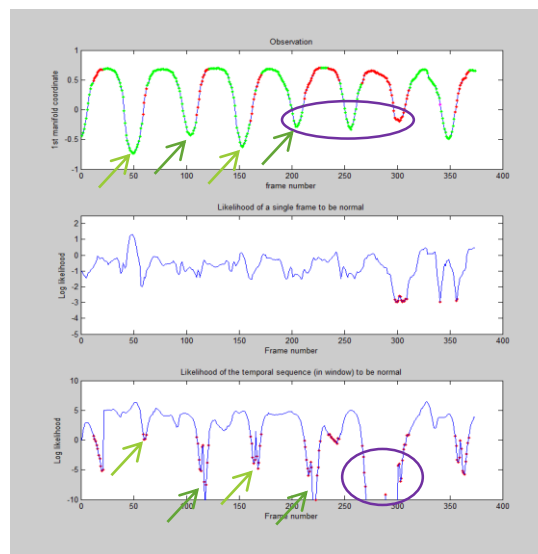
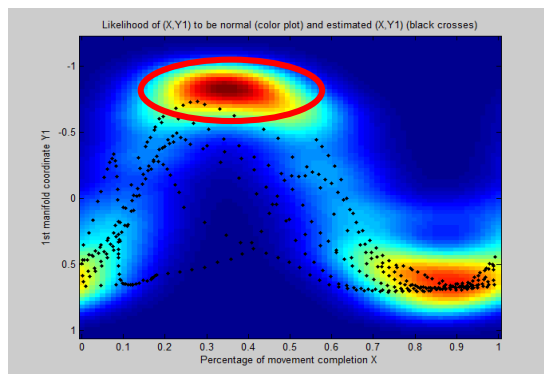
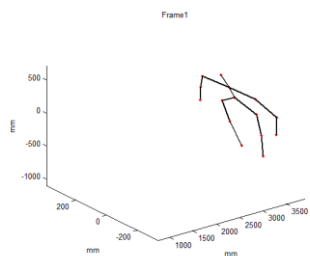
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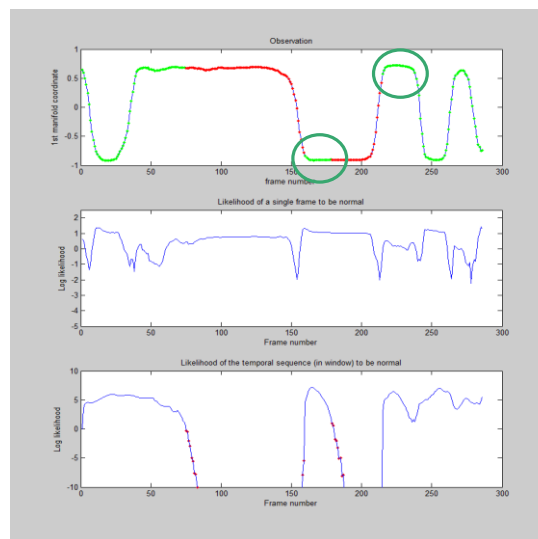
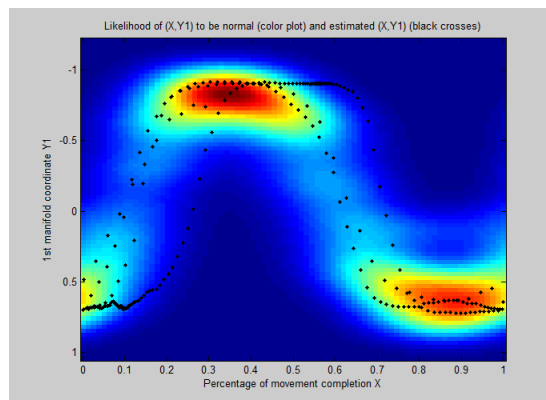
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Some examples of abnormal movements

○ Left leg lead

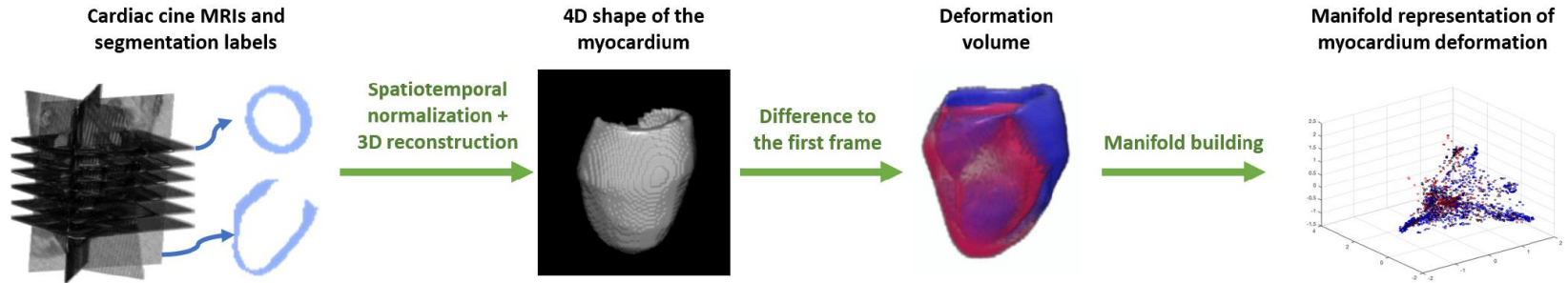


○ Freeze



Heart function assessment

1. Manifold representation of heart deformations [1]



2. Modelling of a normal heart deformation sequence (in progress)

❖ Trust of clinicians:

- Integration of, and mapping to, current proxy measures

Collaboration with Bristol Heart Institute

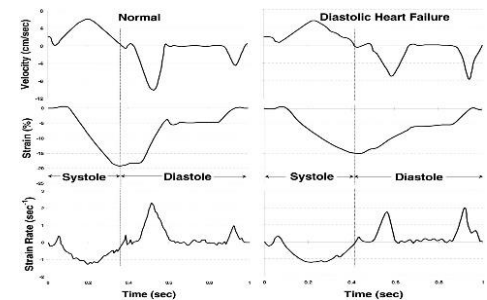
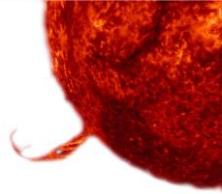
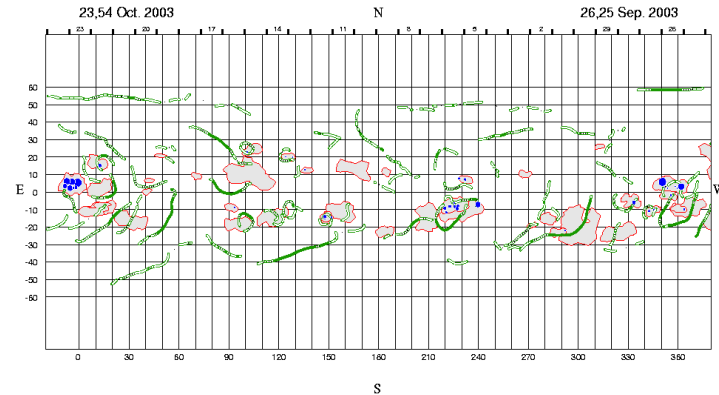
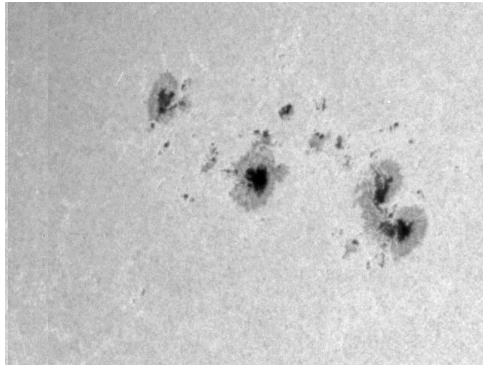


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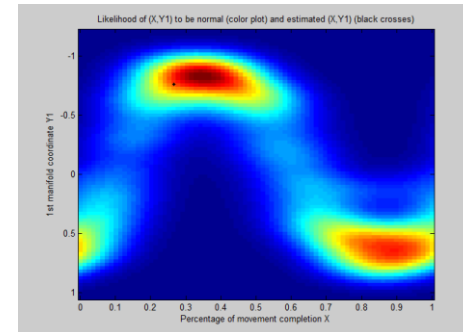
Predicting solar activity



1. Tracking of solar features and their interactions



2. Modelling of evolutions and behaviours

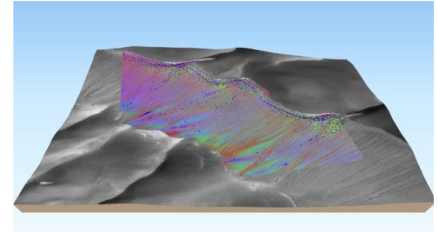
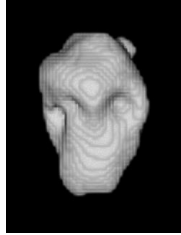


3. Prediction that integrates physics knowledge (e.g. magnetic properties)

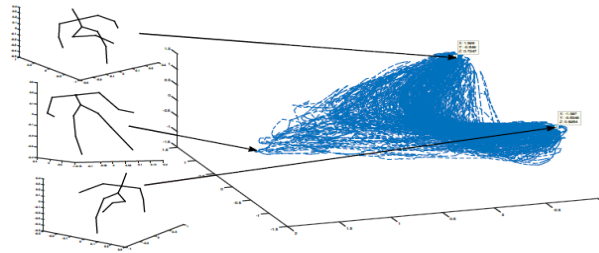
Collaboration with solar physicist at Paris-Meudon Observatory

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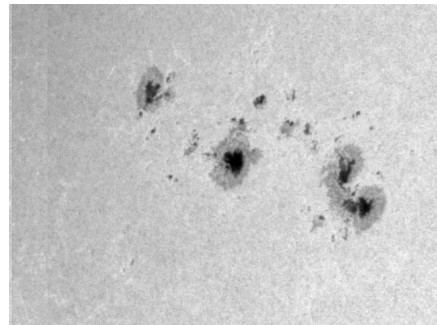
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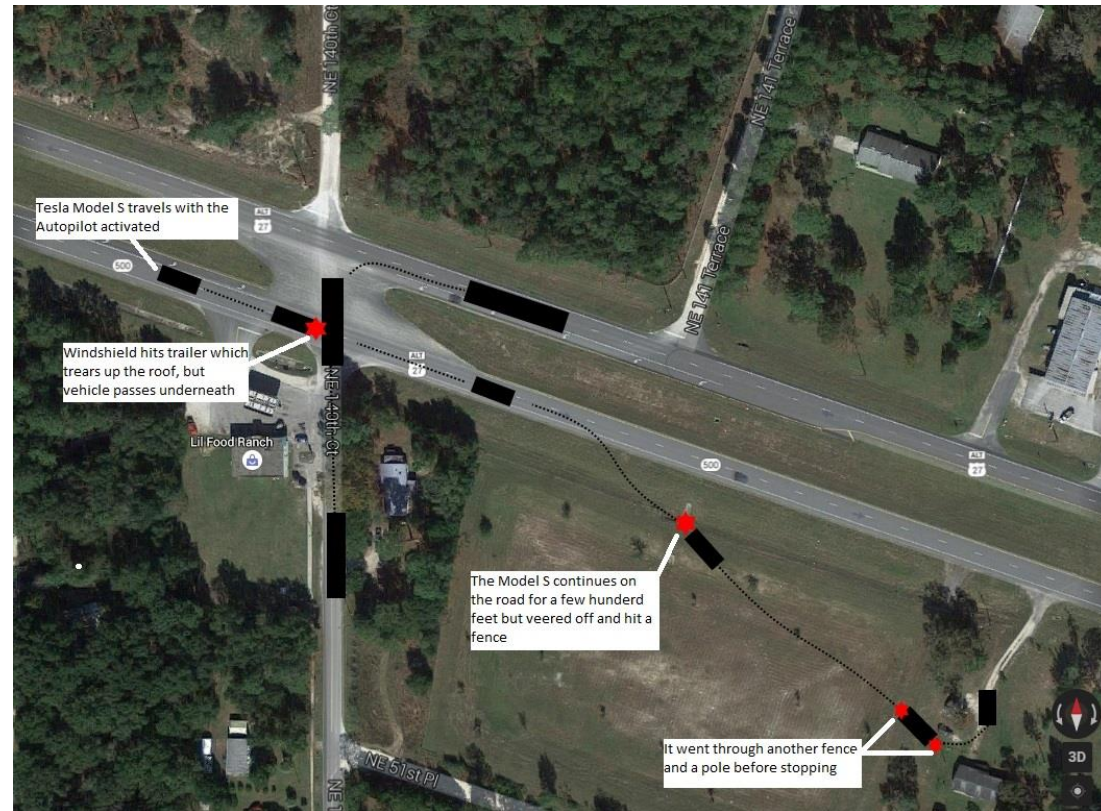


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Issue #1: we don't have all the possible data in the world

➤ Generalisation problem



How much can we trust the models and their predictions?

Issue #1: we don't have all the possible data in the world

Issue #2: the data may be biased

➤ Biased data → biased models!



How much can we trust the models and their predictions?

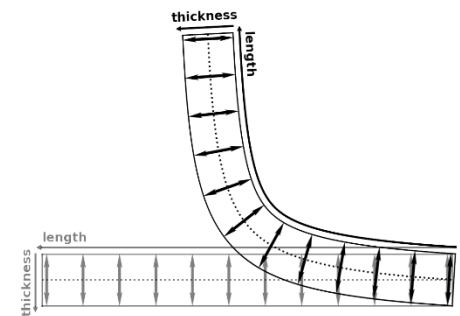
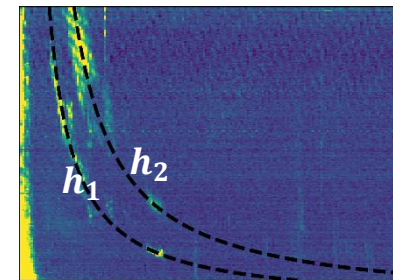
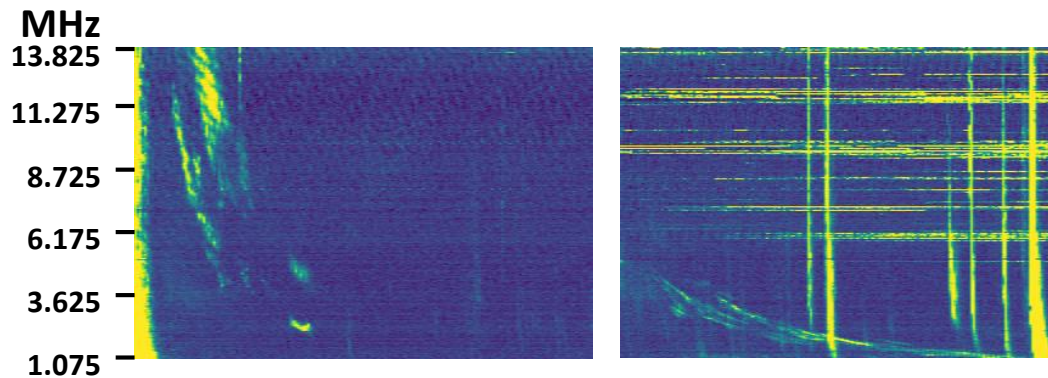
Issue #1: we don't have all the possible data in the world

Issue #2: the data may be biased

Issue #3: supervised learning requires lots of expert annotated data

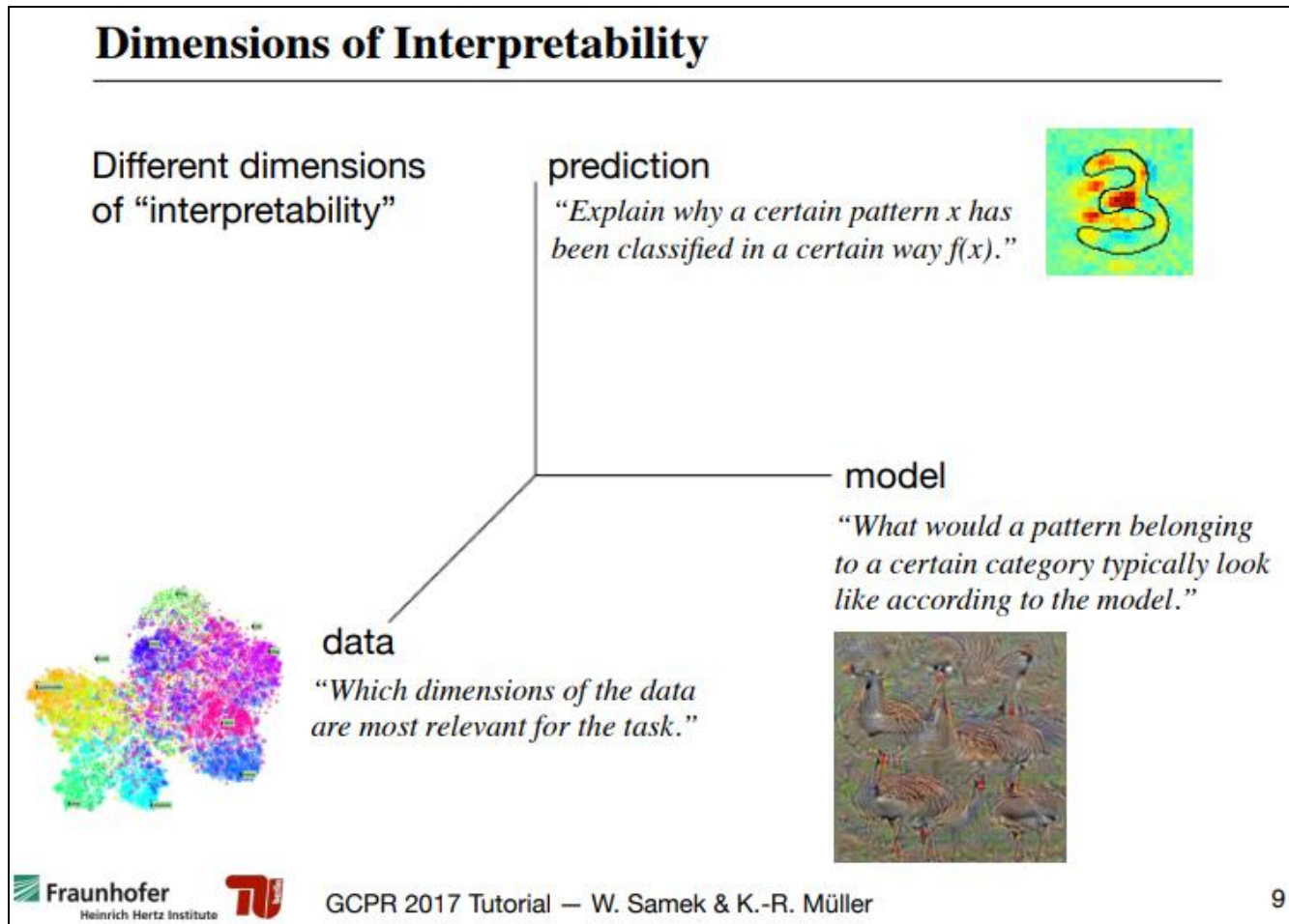
➤ constraints from prior knowledge (e.g. from physics) may:

- reduce the model's freedom
- help its learning from fewer examples



How do we know what neural networks actually do?

Visualisation methods



The next (foreseeable) big developments in AI...

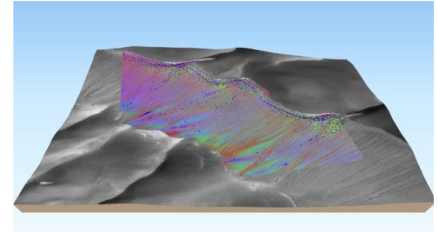
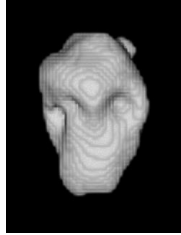
Explainable neural networks



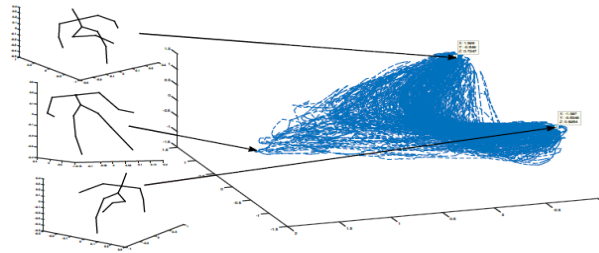
Hybrid **data-** and **knowledge-**driven models

Summary: Characterising shapes and motions

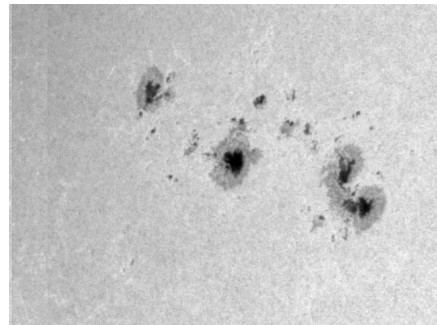
Shape reconstruction



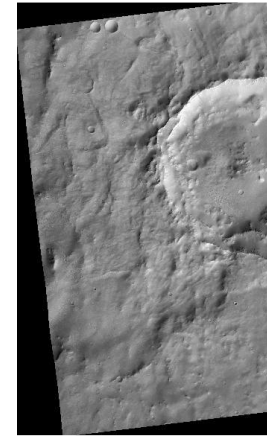
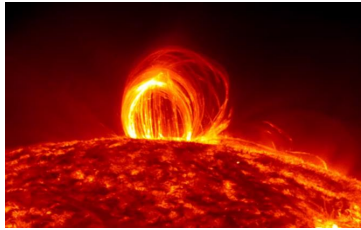
Shape analysis



Motion analysis



Trust issues



Thank you for your attention

