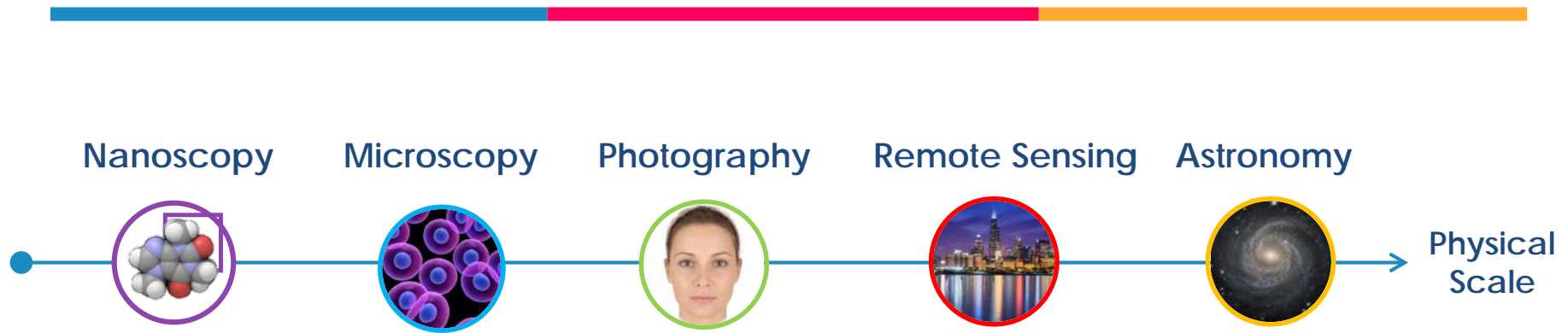


Computational Imaging from Nanoscopic to Astronomical Scales

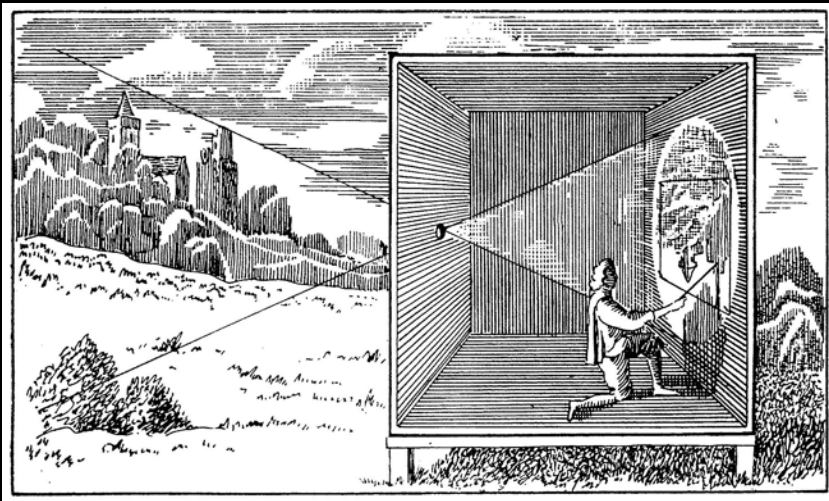


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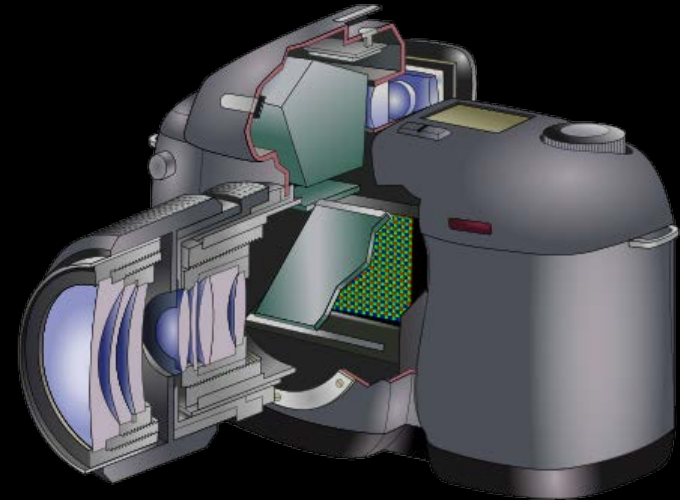
A Centuries Old Design

Camera Obscura



<http://www.camerapixela.net>

Digital Camera



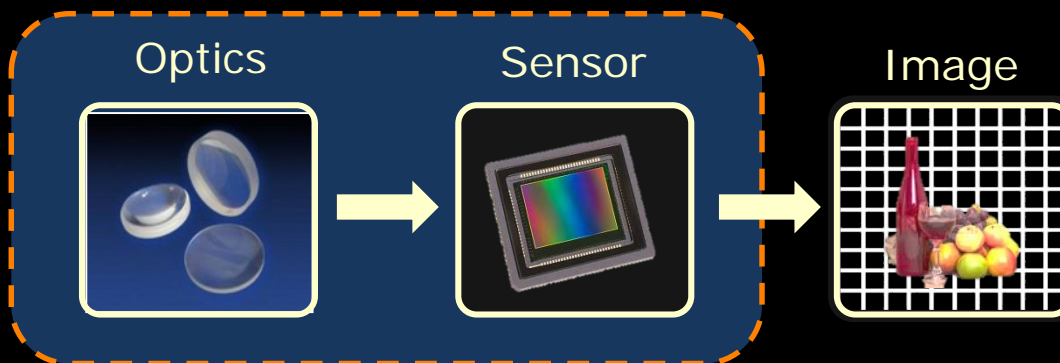
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Both cameras produce perspective images

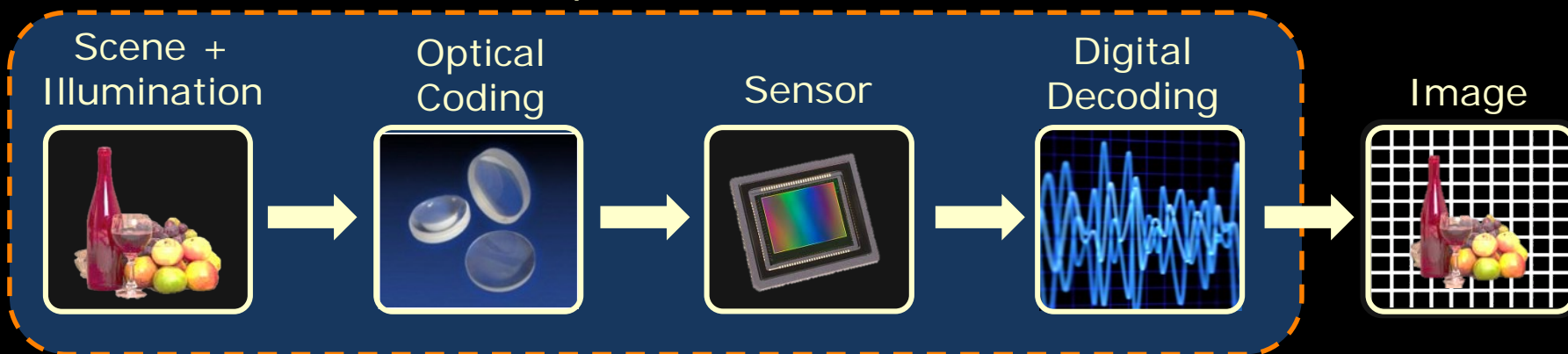


Traditional vs. Computational Imaging

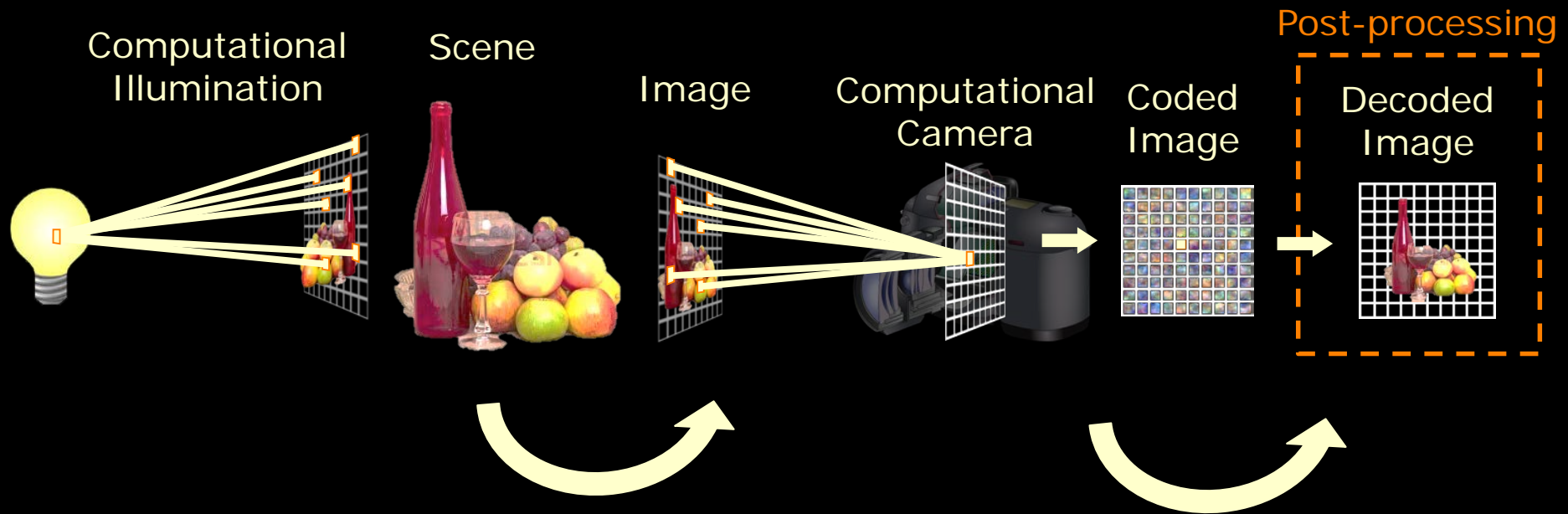
Traditional Camera



Computational Camera



A Generalized Camera Model



Coded Image

Coding Function

Noise

Decoded Image

Coded Image

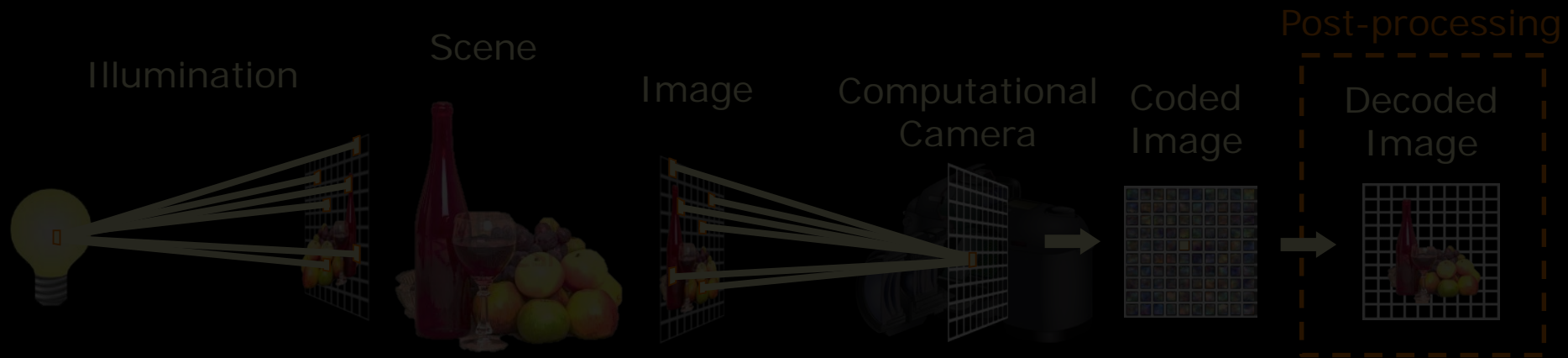
$$y = A(x) + n \quad \hat{x} = A^{-1}(x)$$

Optical Coding Equation

Decoding Equation



A Generalized Camera Model



Incoherent Imaging
(e.g. sun, incandescent, LEDs)

$$y \in \mathbb{R}_+^M$$

Coded
Image

Coding
Matrix

Noise

$$x \in \mathbb{R}_+^N$$

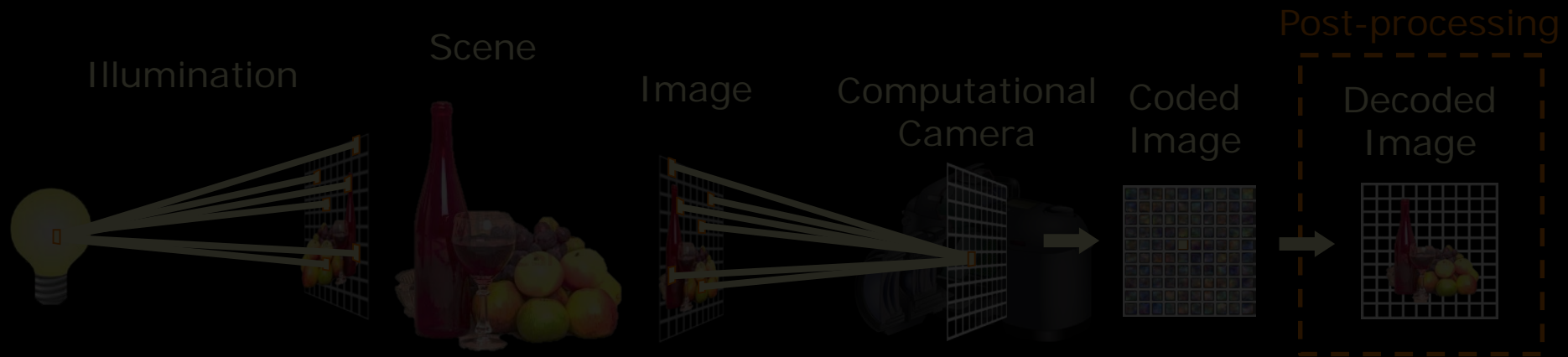
$$y = A \cdot x + n$$

$$A \in \mathbb{R}_+^{M \times N}$$

Optical Coding Equation



A Generalized Camera Model



Coherent Imaging
(e.g. LASER illumination)

$$y \in \mathbb{R}_+^M$$

Coded
Image

Coding
Matrix

Noise

$$x \in \mathbb{C}^N$$

$$y = |A \cdot x|^2 + n$$

$$A \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times N}$$

Optical Coding Equation

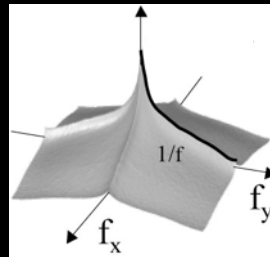


Decoding and Image Priors

Assume we have a PDF for images, e.g.

$$P(x) = \exp\left(-\|B \cdot x\|^\alpha\right)$$

Power Spectra Prior



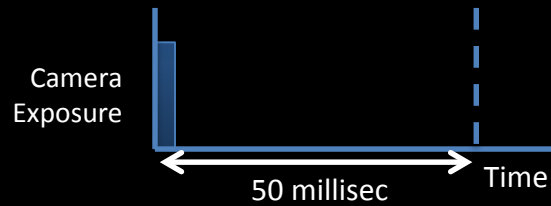
Other priors

- Total Variation (TV)
- Wavelet/sparsity prior
- Learned priors (K-SVD, DNN)

Compute the Maximum A Posteriori (MAP) estimate

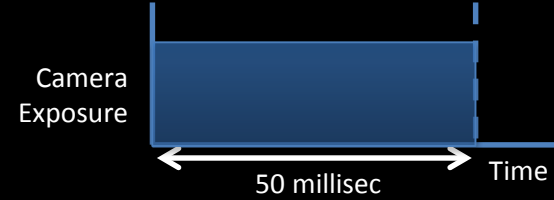
$$x^* = \underset{x}{\operatorname{argmax}} \left(\underbrace{\|y - H \cdot x\|^2}_{\text{Data term}} + \underbrace{\|B \cdot x\|^\alpha}_{\text{Prior term}} \right)$$

Previous Work: CI Performance



Short Exposure

Vs.



Long Exposure

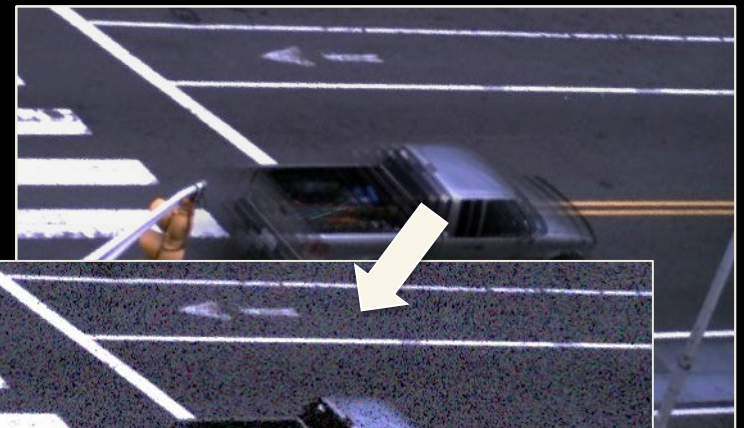


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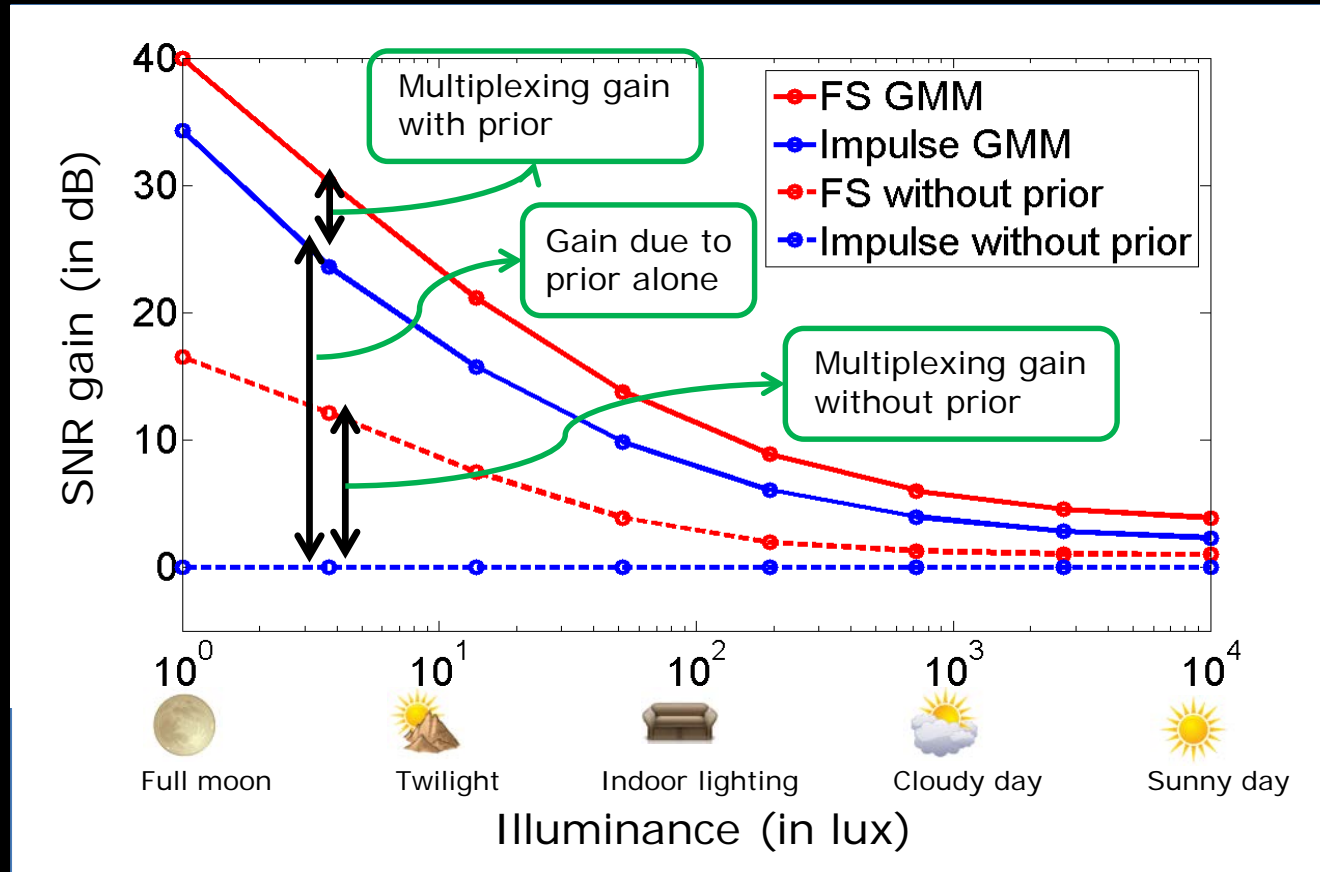
Deblurred Image

When does computational imaging improve performance?



What are the limits of CI Performance?

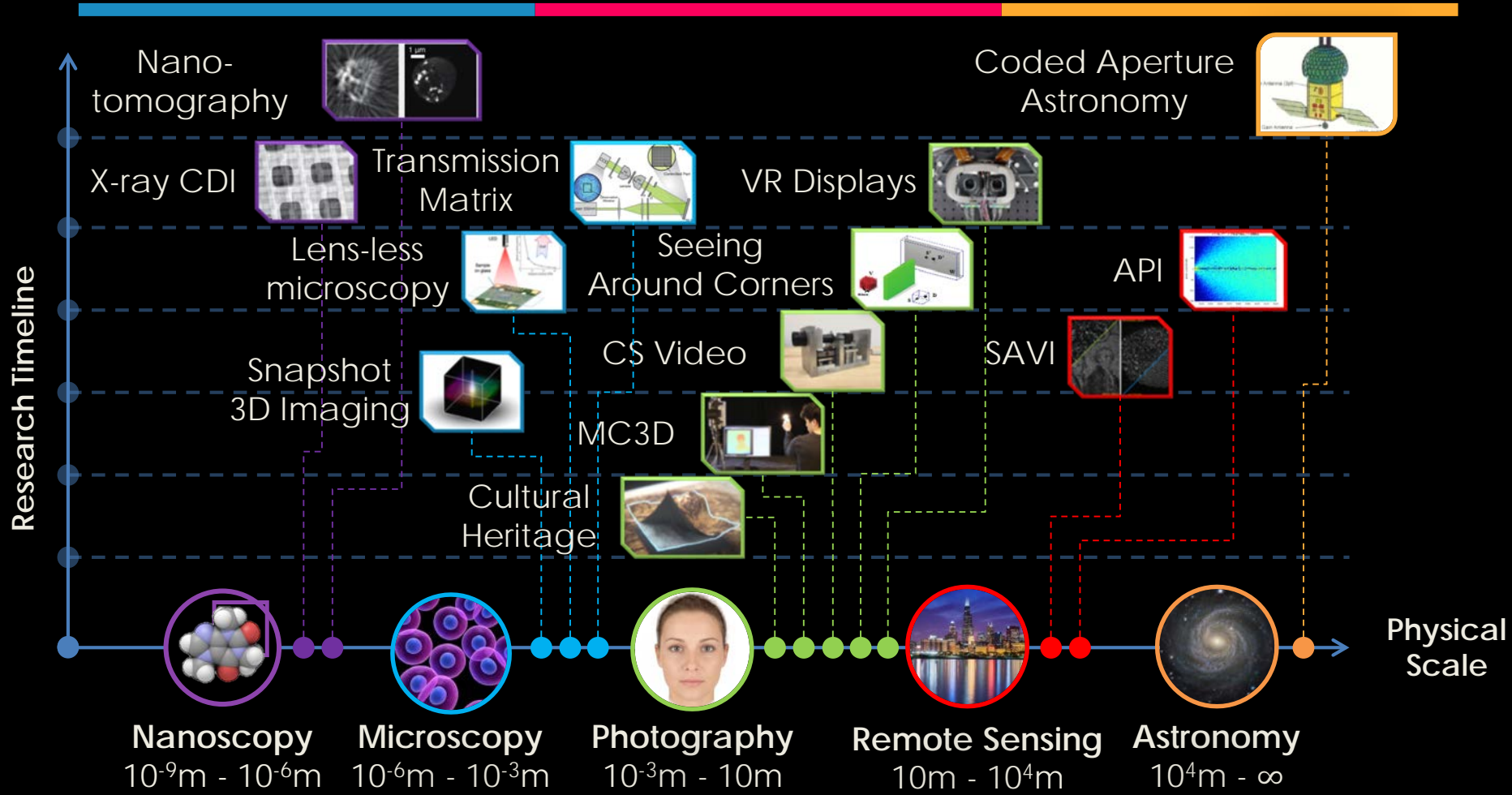
Stopped Down Camera: $F/11$, Focal Sweep: $F/1$ $q=.5, R = .5, t=6ms, p = 1\mu m, \sigma_r = 4e^{-}$



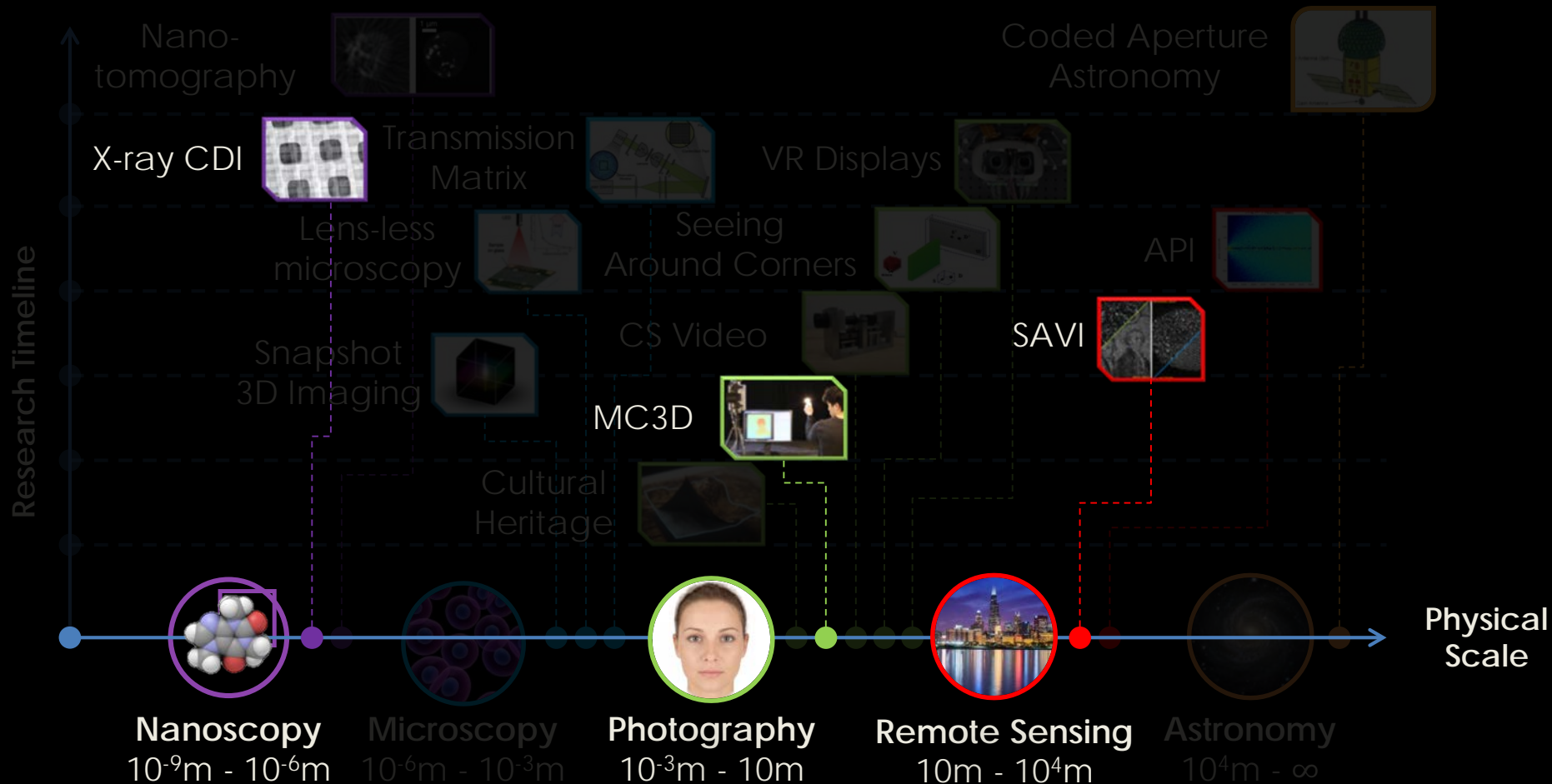
[Mitra et al., PAMI '13]



In this Talk: CI Across Scale



Talk Outline

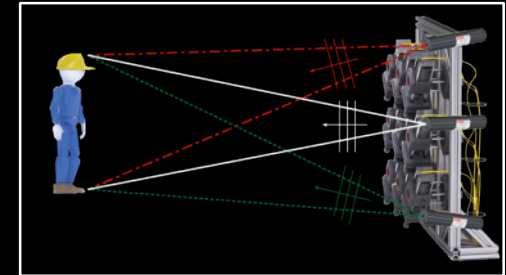


Talk Outline

X-ray CDI



Synthetic Aperture Visible Imaging (SAVI)

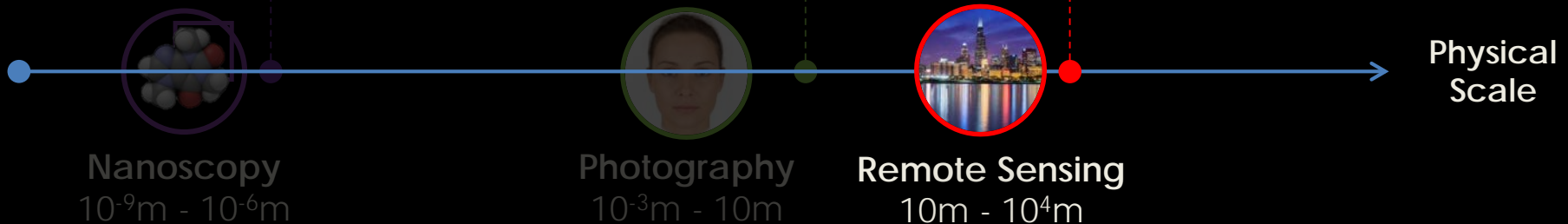
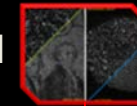


"SAVI: Synthetic apertures for long-range, subdiffraction-limited visible imaging using Fourier ptychography", Holloway et al. *SCIENCE ADVANCES*, 14 APR 2017.

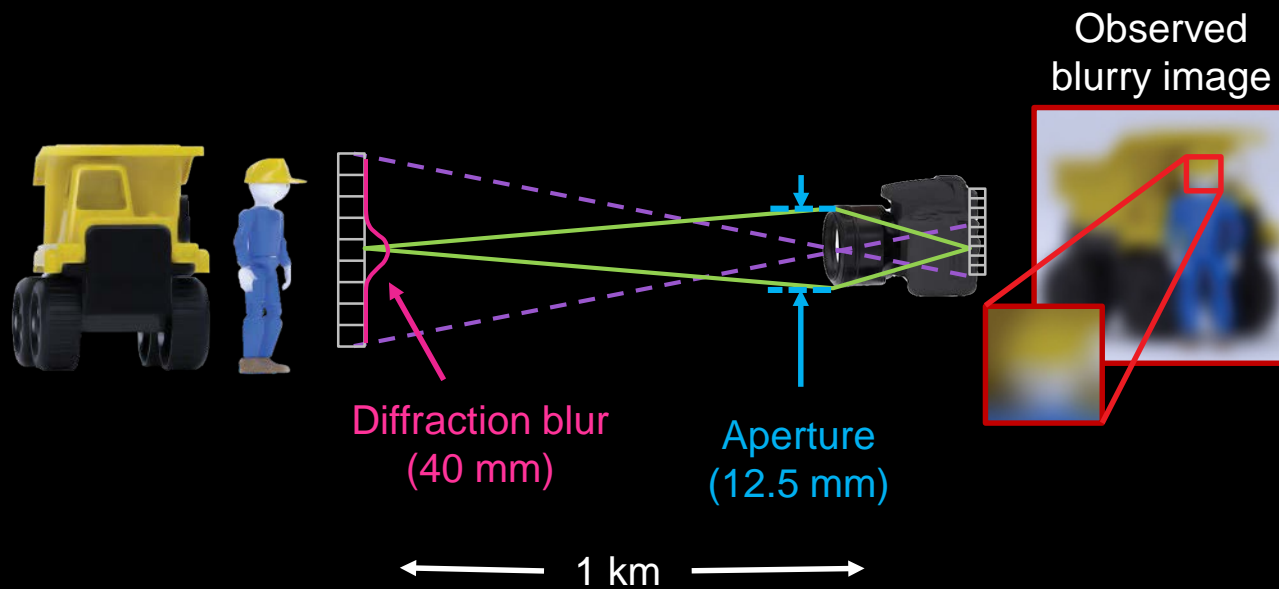
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"PtychNet: CNN-based Fourier Ptychography", Kappeller et al. *IEEE Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)* 2017.

SAVI



Goal: Long Distance Imaging



Diffraction Limits Resolution

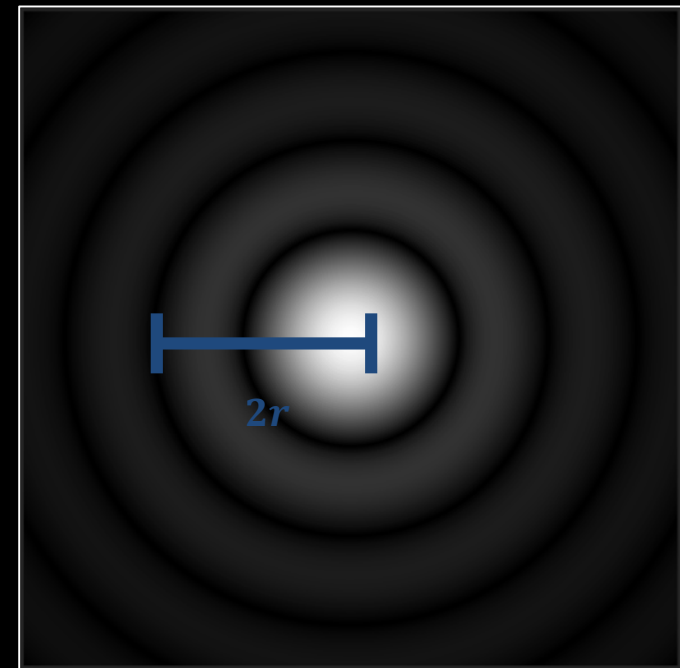
- Light diffracts at the edge of the aperture instead of focusing to a point
- Diffraction is represented by an Airy disk, radius r (m)

λ : wavelength of light (m)

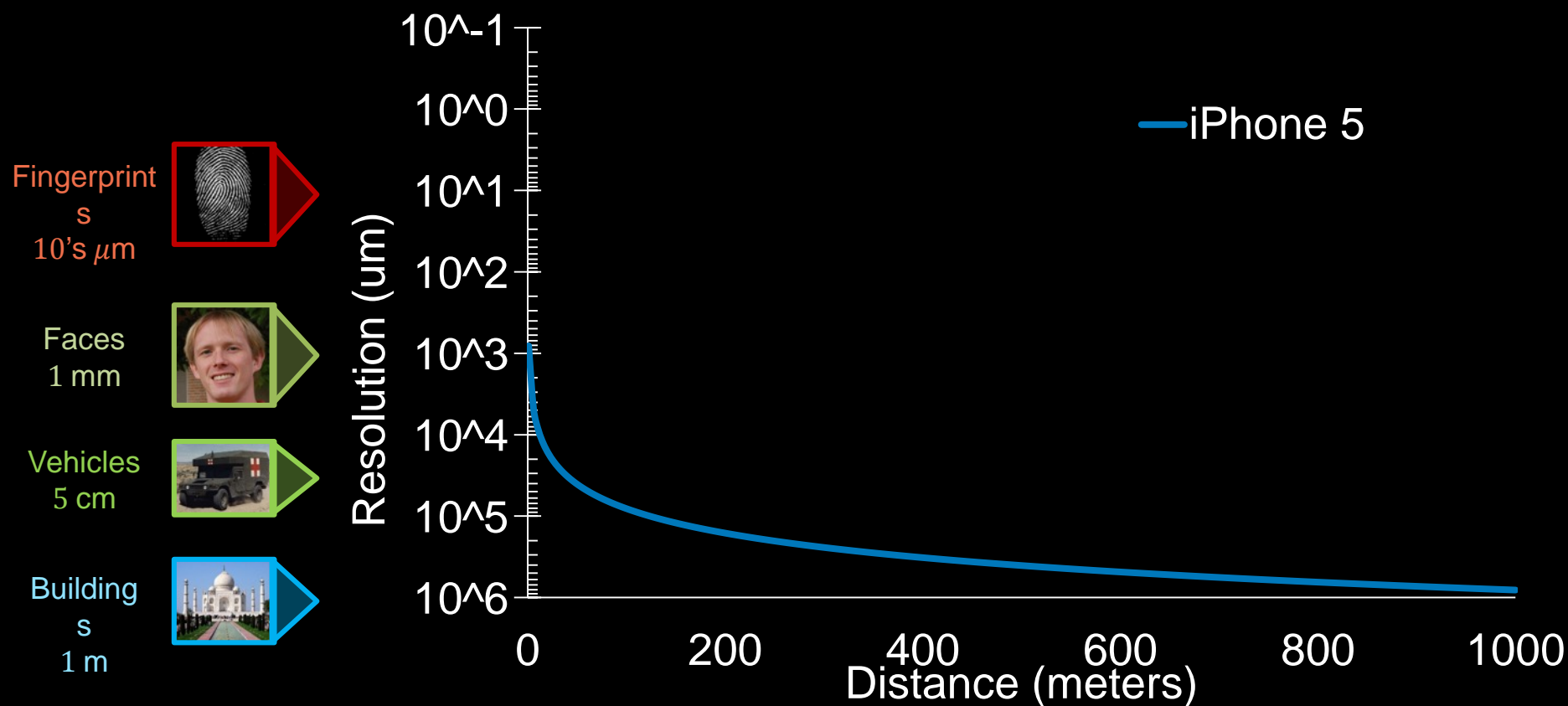
z : distance to object (mm)

D : aperture diameter (mm)

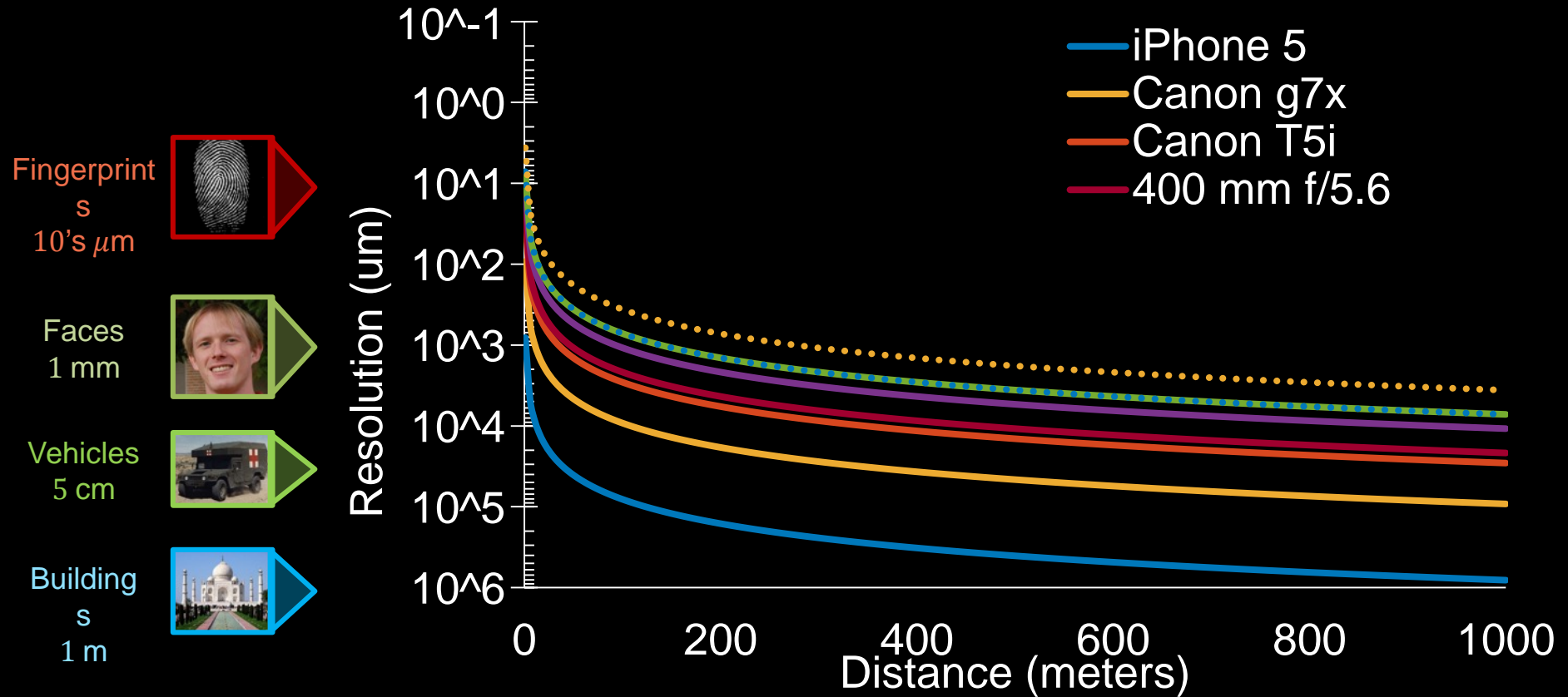
Simulated Airy pattern



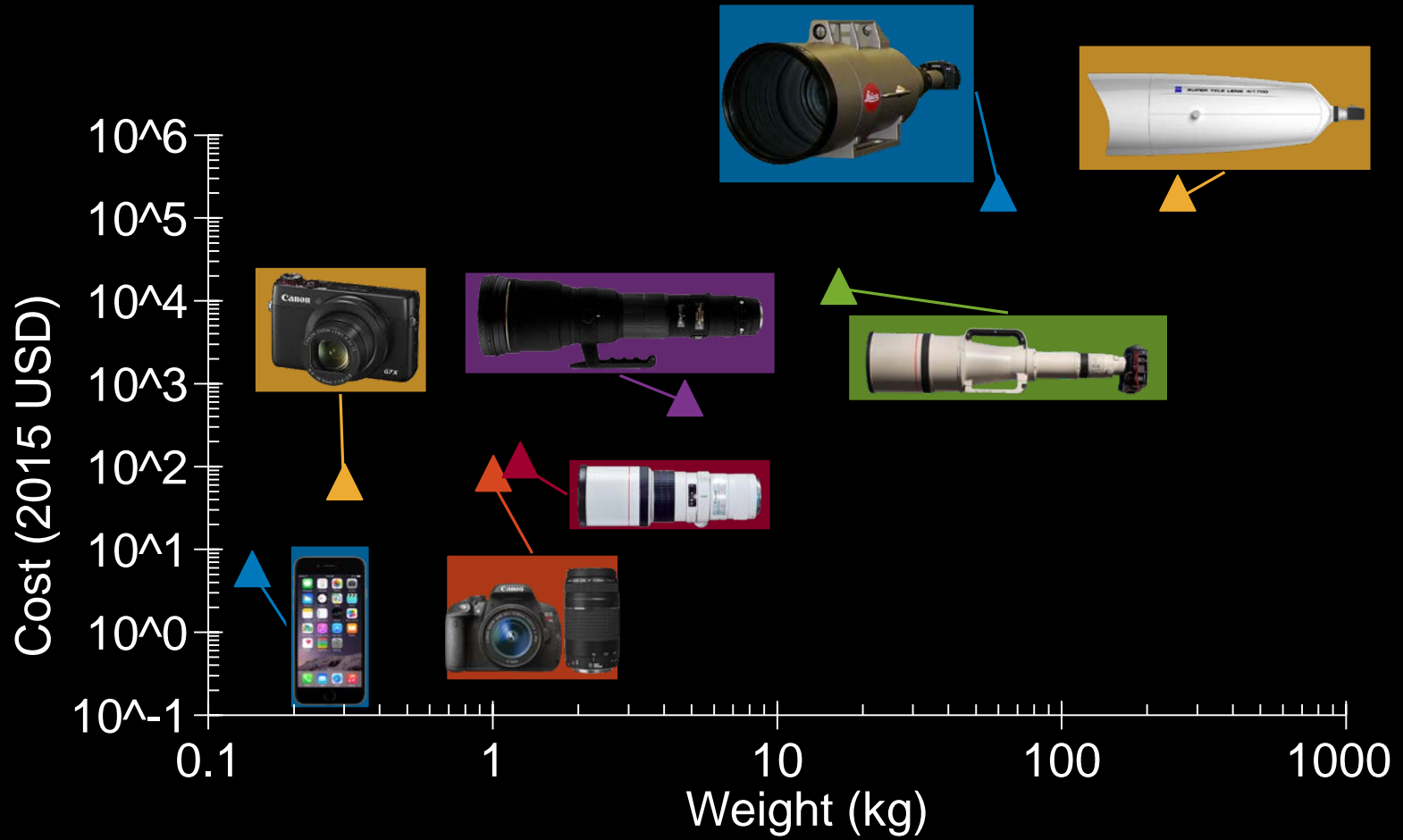
Diffraction Blur For Different Cameras



Diffraction Blur For Different Cameras



Cost Of Using Larger Lenses



Remote Fourier Ptychography Imaging

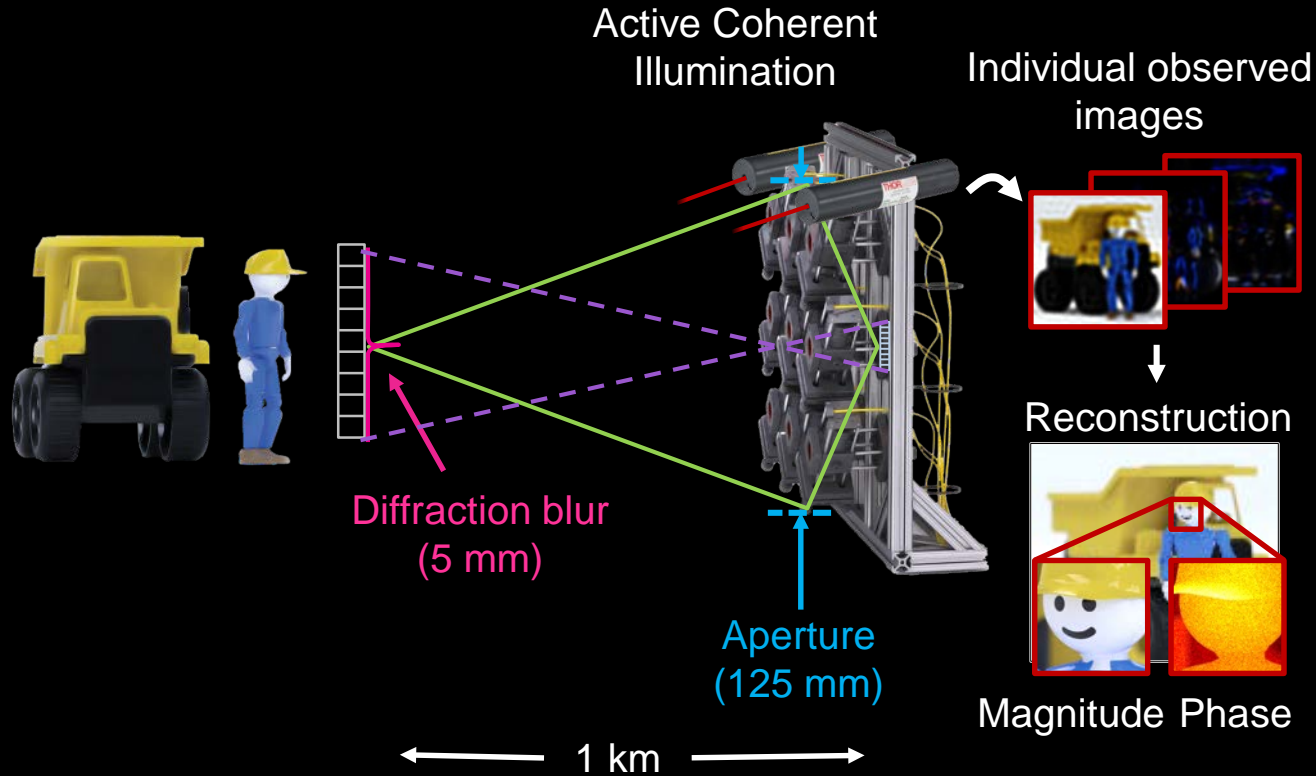
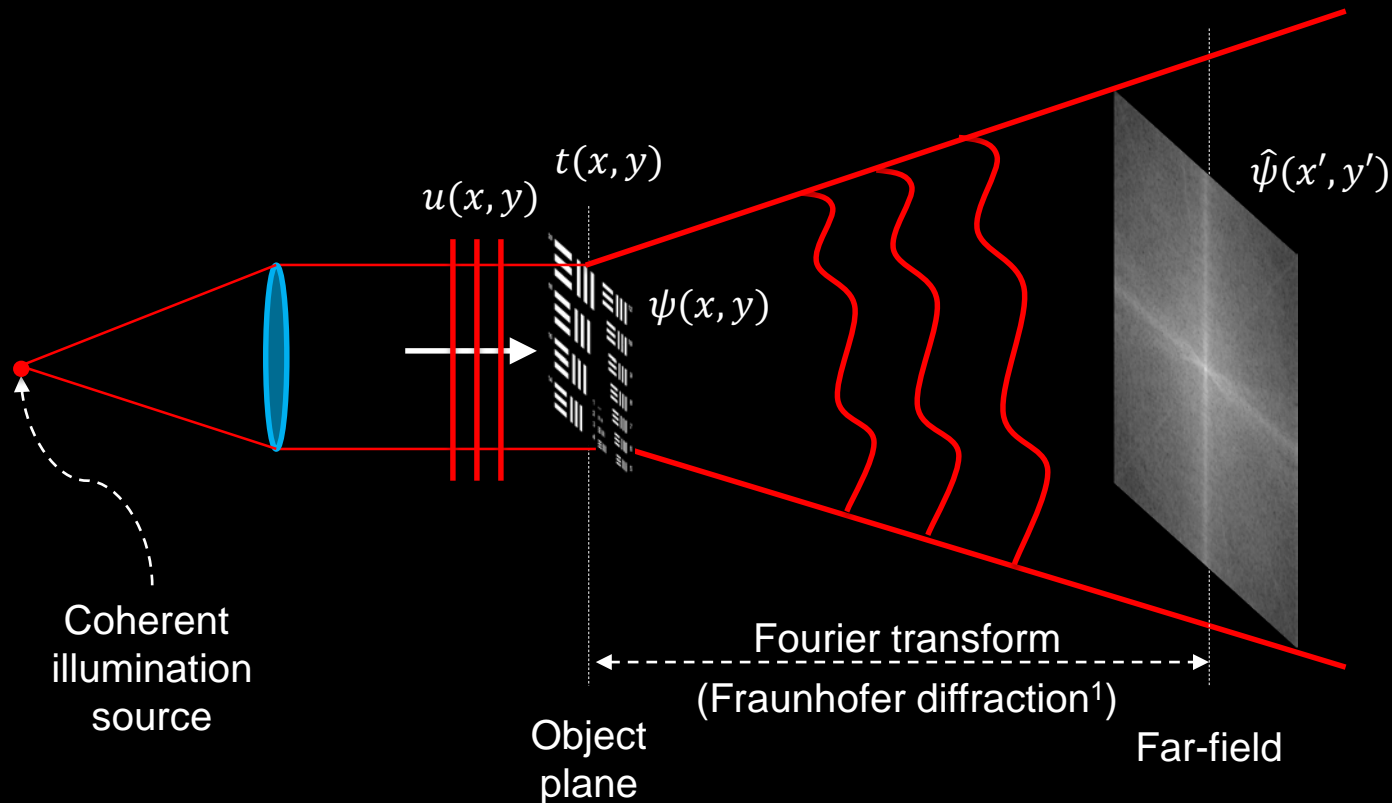


Image Formation Model



¹Goodman, Joseph W. *Introduction to Fourier optics*. 2005.



Image Formation Model

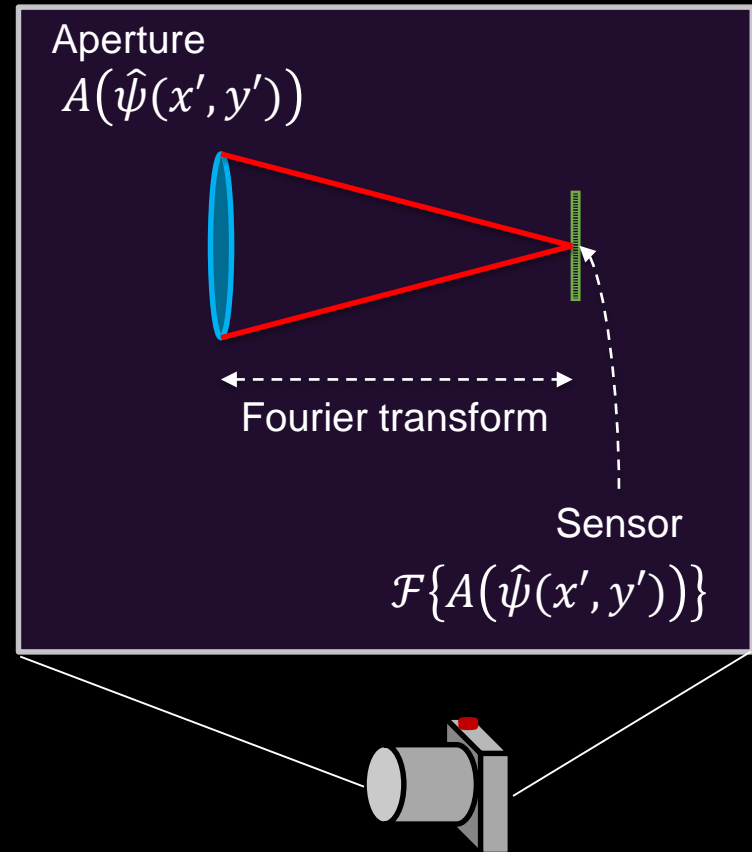
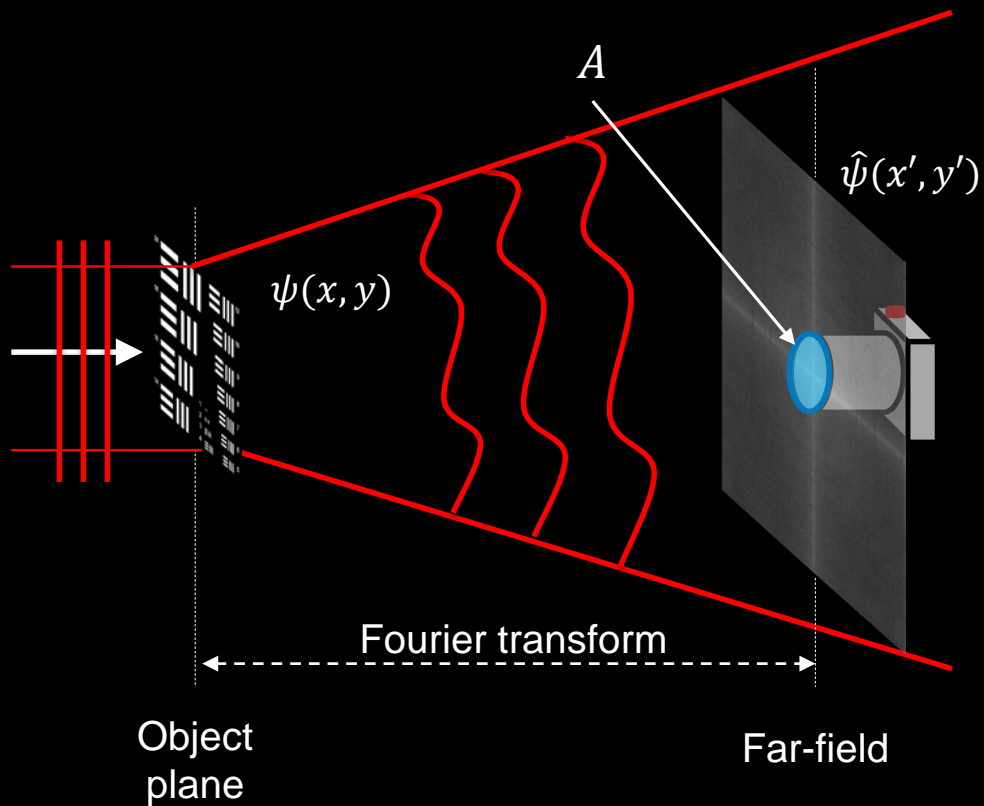


Image Formation Model

- Lens forms the Fourier transform at the sensor plane

$$\mathcal{F}\{A(\hat{\psi}(x', y'))\}$$

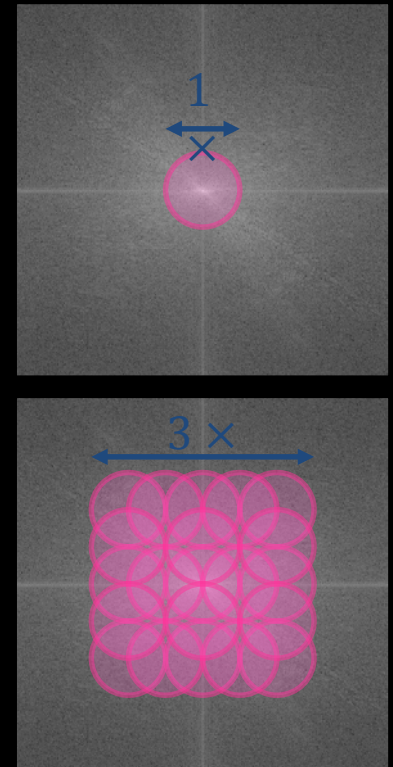
- Sensor captures the squared magnitude

$$I(x', y') \propto |\mathcal{F}\{A(\hat{\psi}(x', y'))\}|^2$$

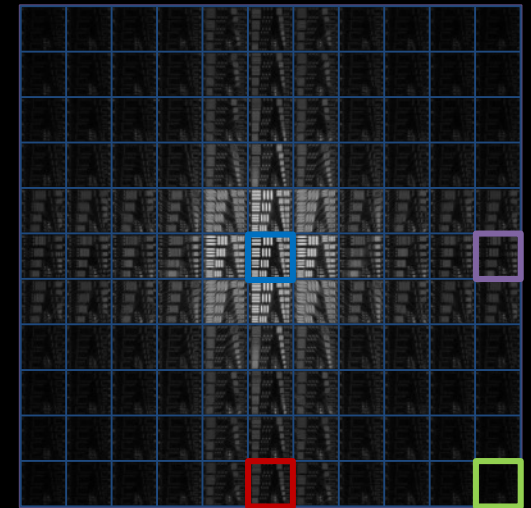
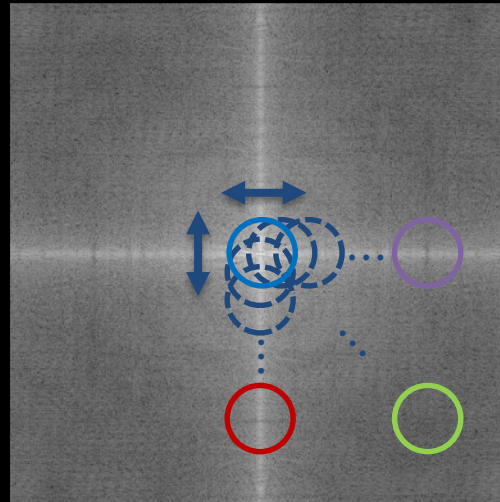
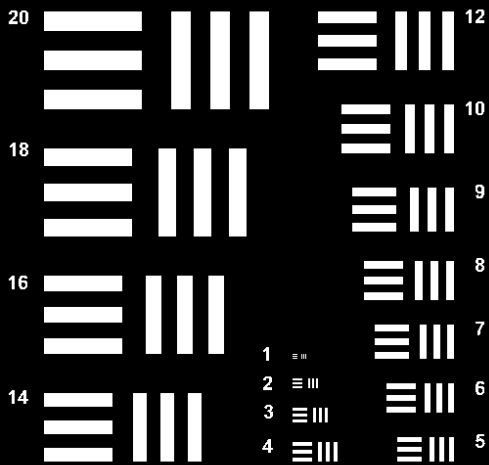


Improving Resolution With FP

- Individual images are low resolution, combine multiple bandpass regions to improve resolution
- Move aperture in the Fourier domain to synthetically increase aperture size



Sampling the Fourier domain



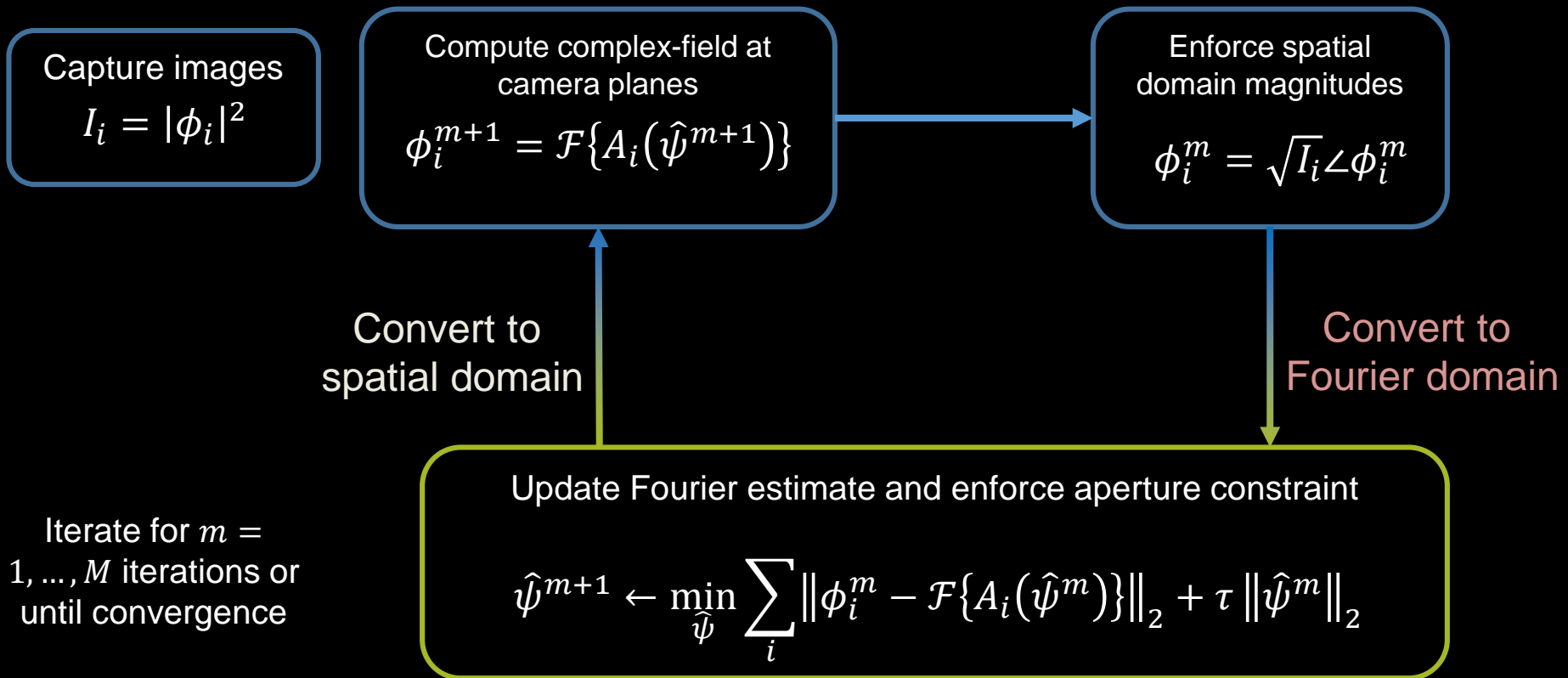
Gerchberg-Saxton Phase Retrieval

- high-resolution Fourier field at the aperture plane
- bandpass operator
- complex field at the camera sensor
- measured image
- index of aperture positions

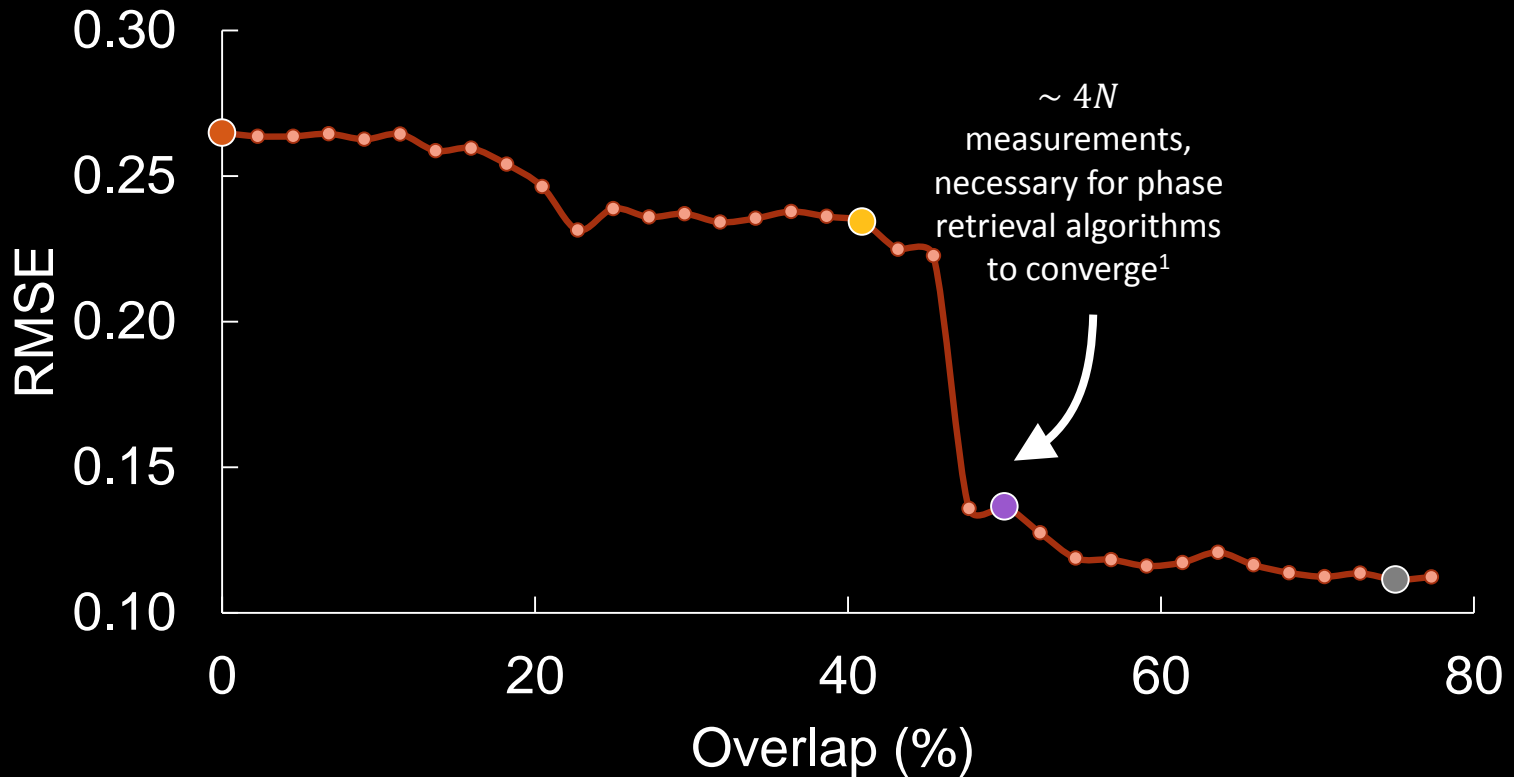
Goal: Recover



Gerchberg-Saxton Phase Retrieval



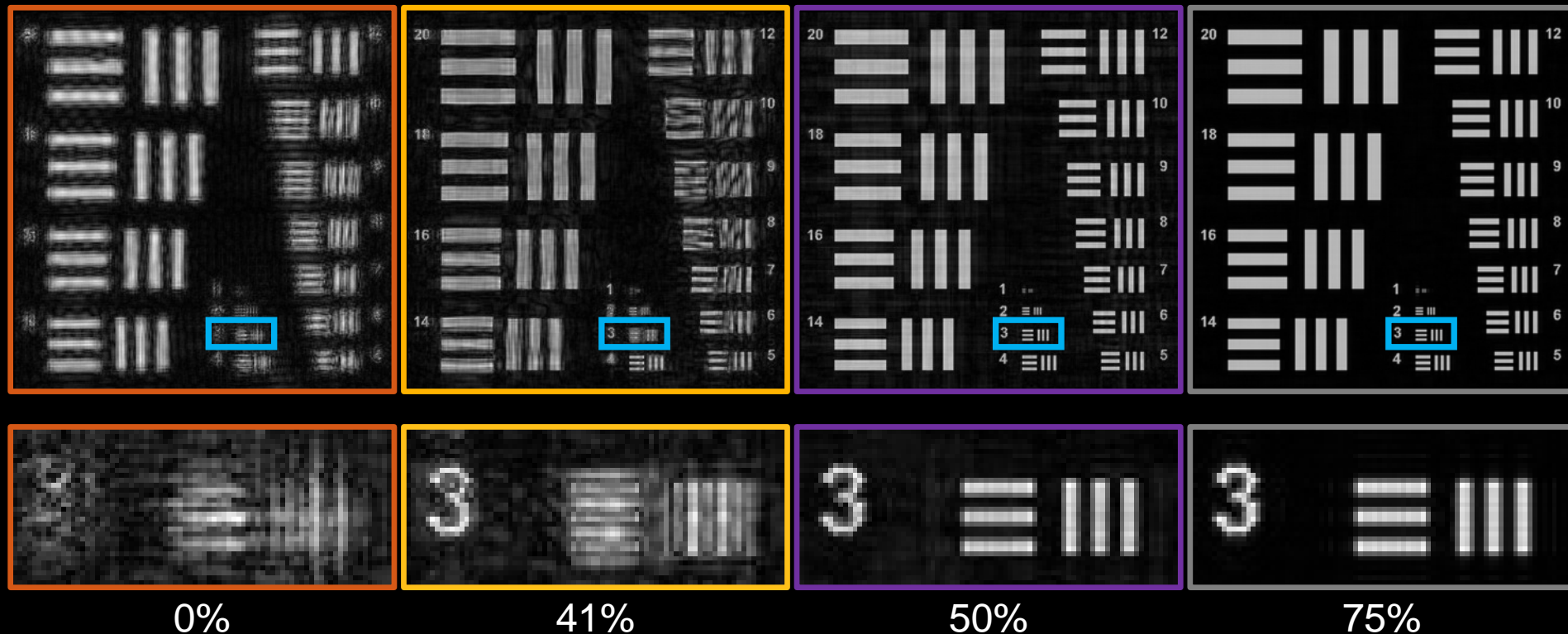
Effect Of Overlap On Reconstruction



¹Bodmann, Bernhard G., and Nathaniel Hammen. "Stable phase retrieval with low-redundancy frames." *Advances in computational mathematics* 41.2 (2015): 317-331.

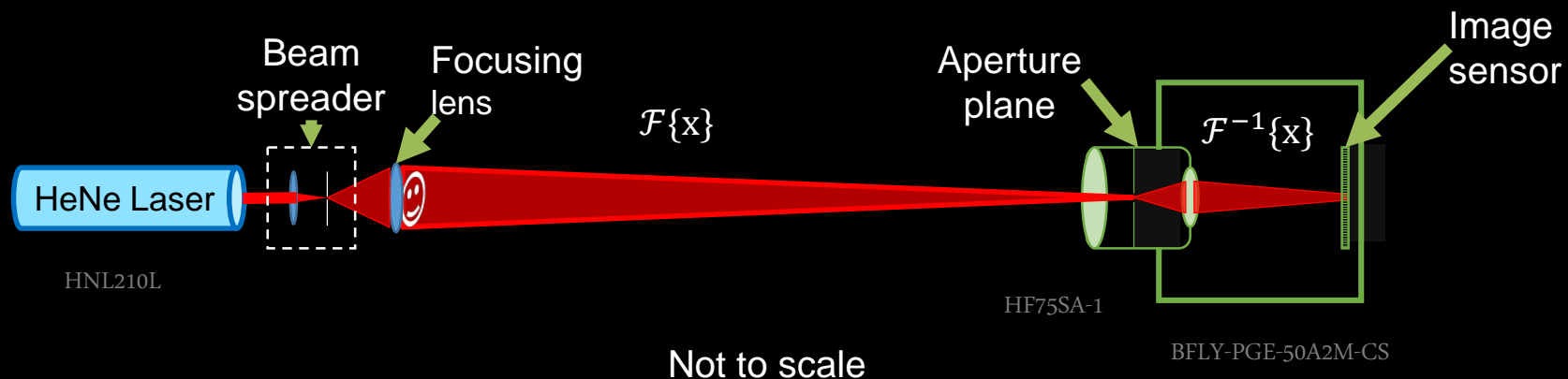


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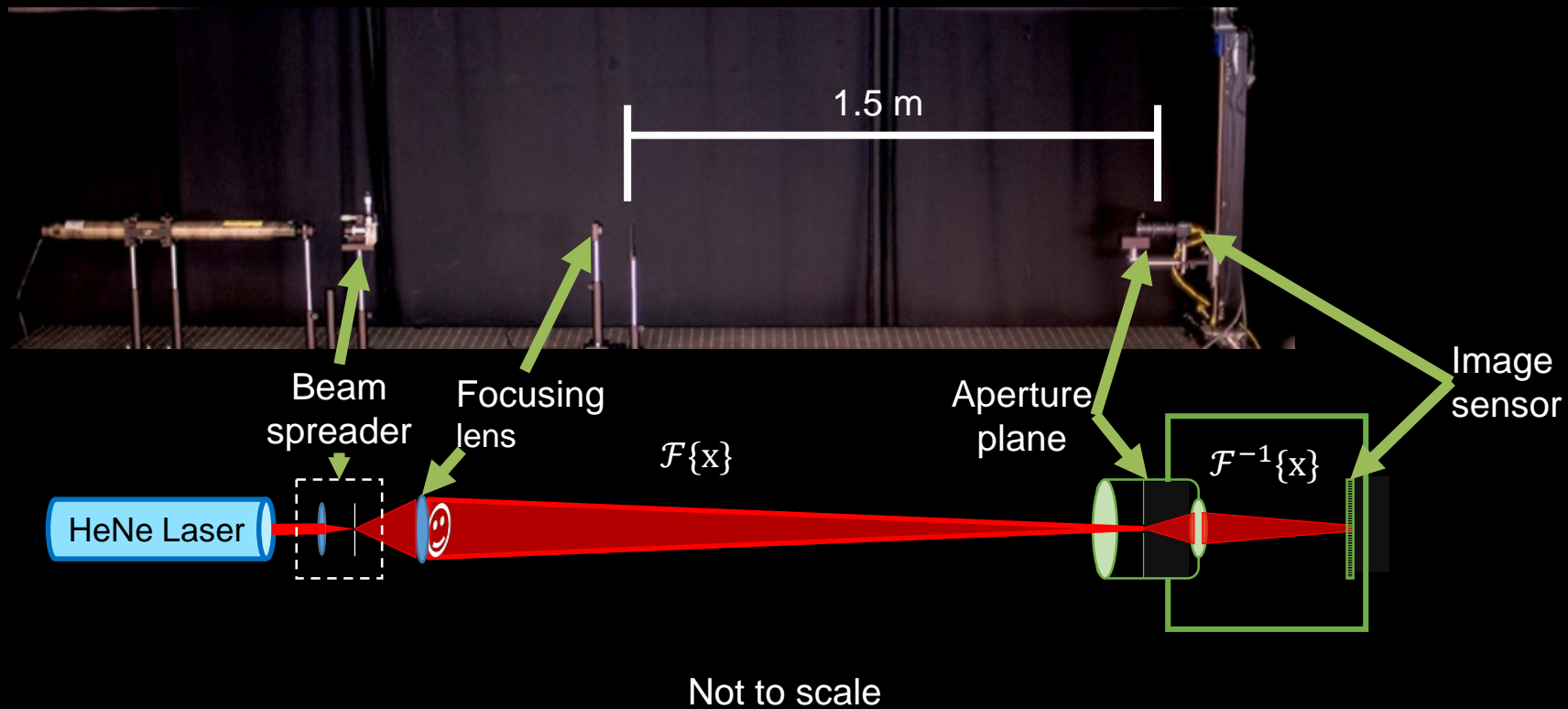


Experimental Setup For Macroscopic FP

- Camera: Blackfly Camera from Point Grey, $2.2 \mu\text{m}$ pixels
- Fujinon Lens: 75 mm focal length, 2.3 mm aperture ($f/32$)
- Laser: Helium Neon laser from Thorlabs, $\lambda = 633 \text{ nm}$
- Diffraction: Spot size on sensor = $49 \mu\text{m} \sim 20$ pixels



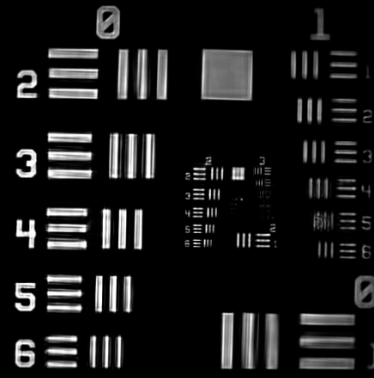
Experimental Setup For Macroscopic FP



USAF Target



Observed Image
 $f/32$



Recovered Image
 $f/4.4$

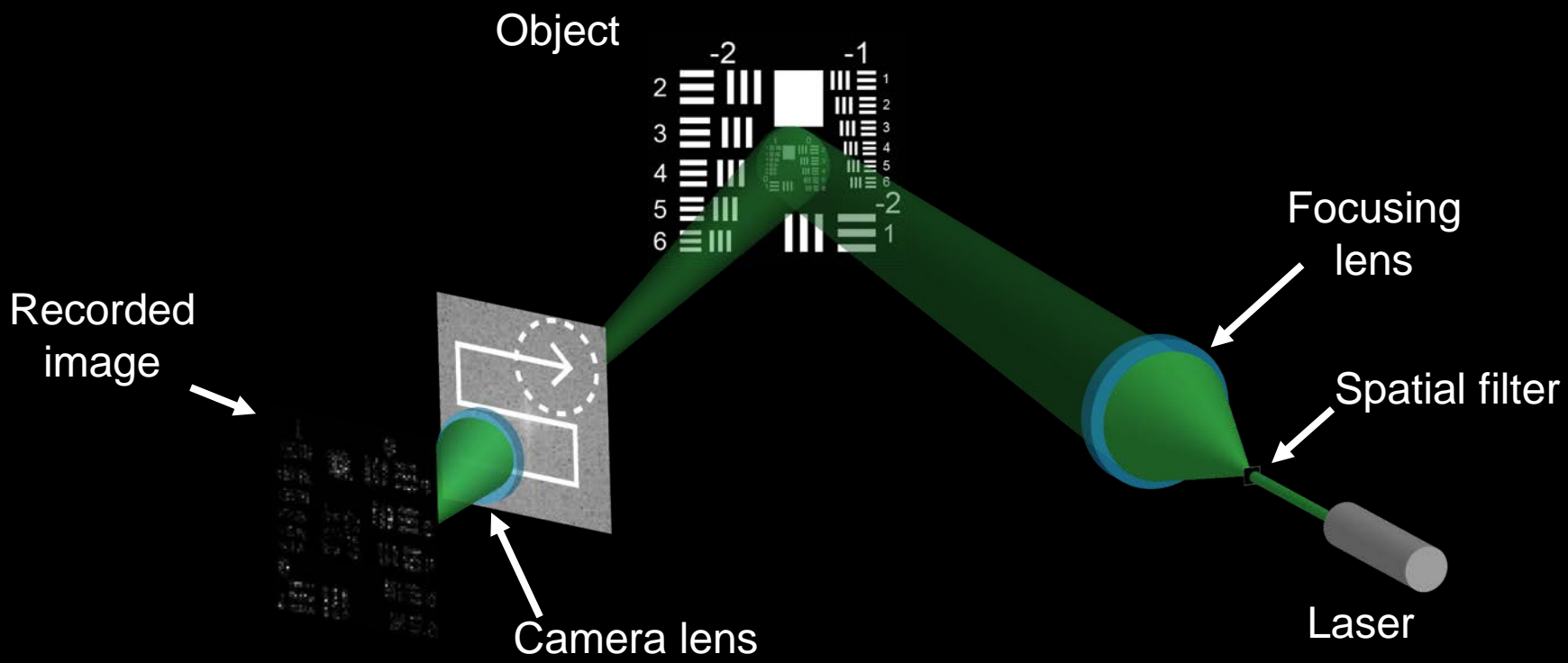
- Overlap: 72%

SAS	2.53 lp/mm 2x gain	5.04 lp/mm 4x gain	8.98 lp/mm 7.12x gain
1.00			
2.12			
4.36			
5.48			
7.16			

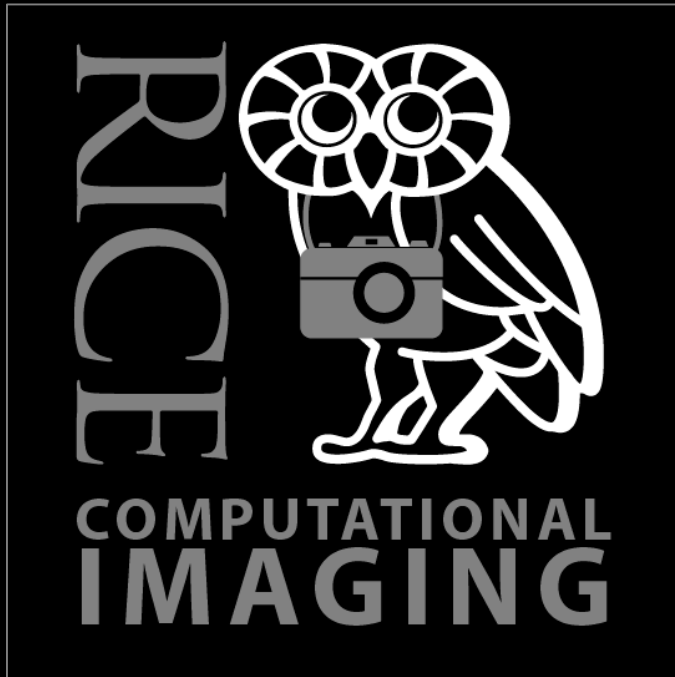
- Resolution Gain: $1 \times - 7.12 \times$



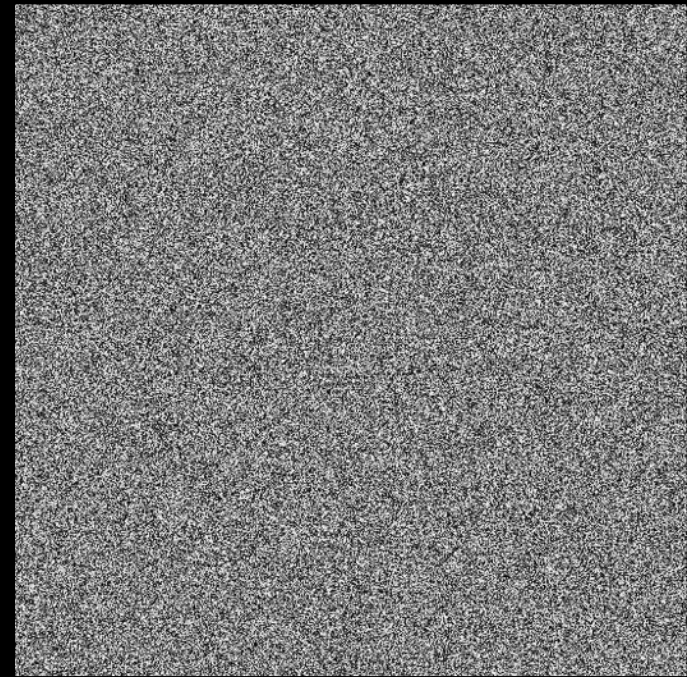
Reflection Mode Imaging Geometry



Rough Surfaces and Random Phase



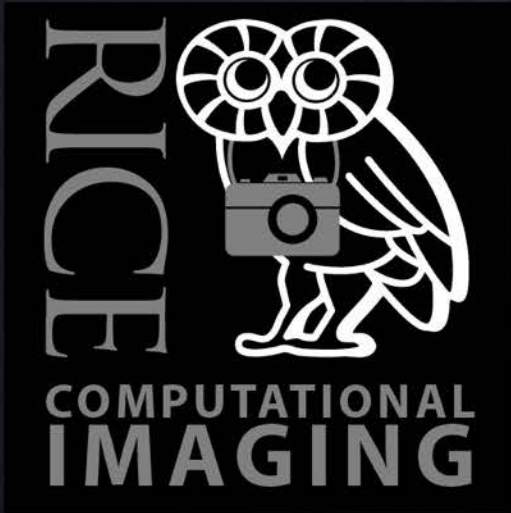
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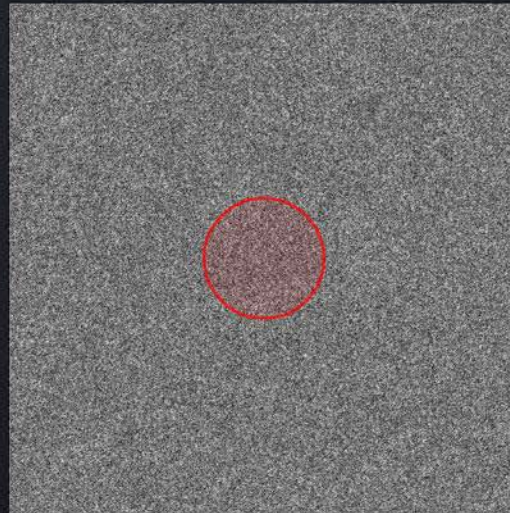
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Rough Surfaces and Random Phase

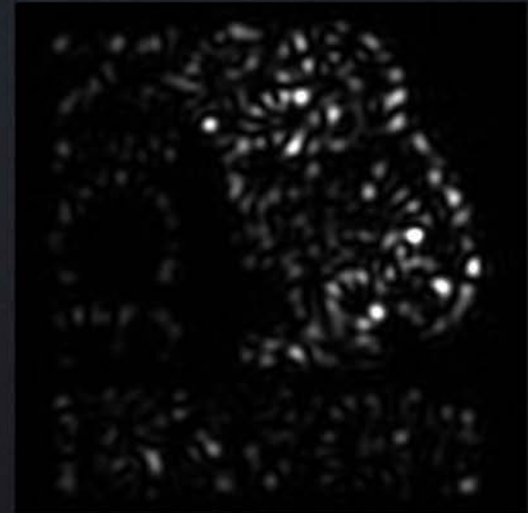
True amplitude (random phase)



Fourier Bandpass Sampling



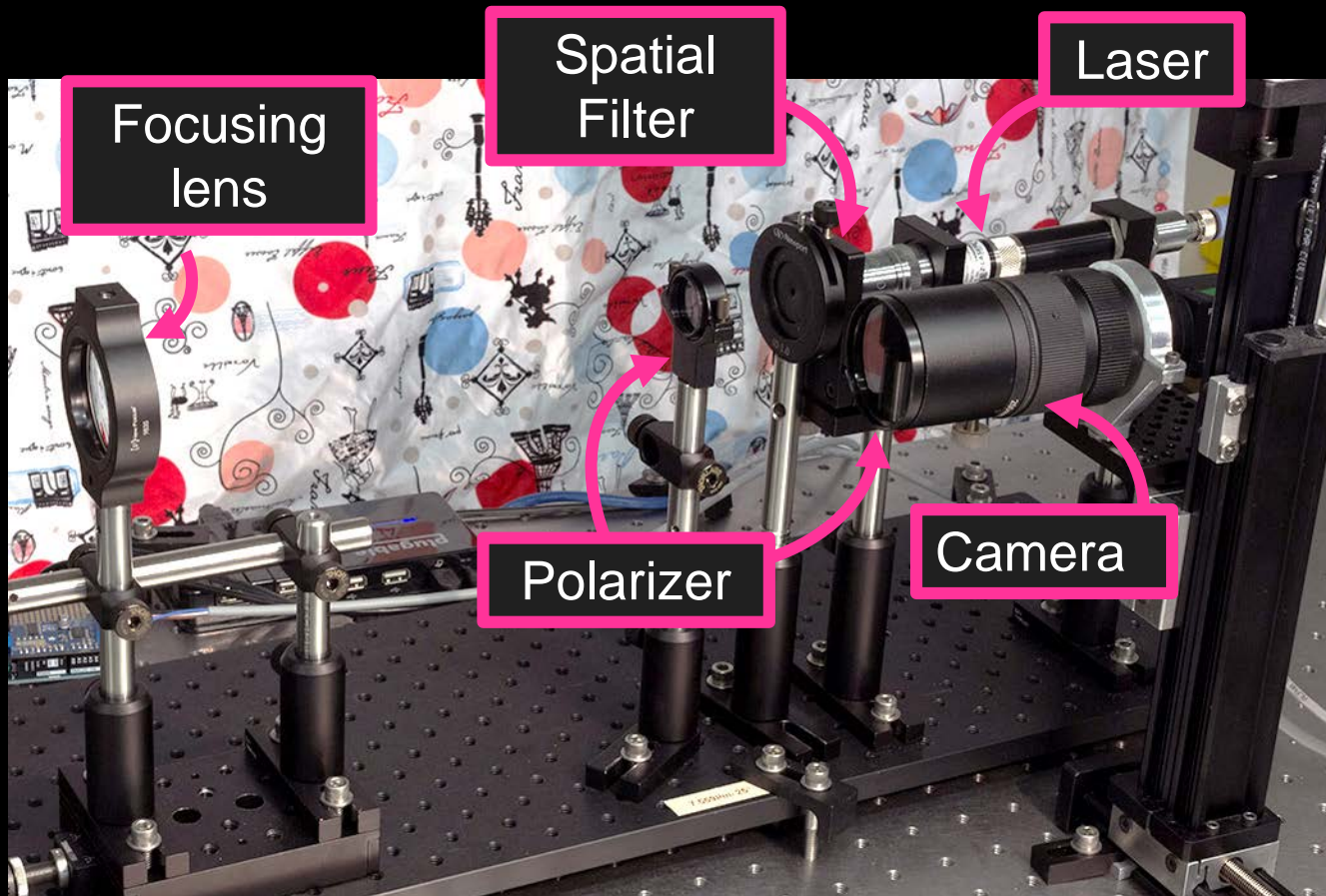
Observed Image



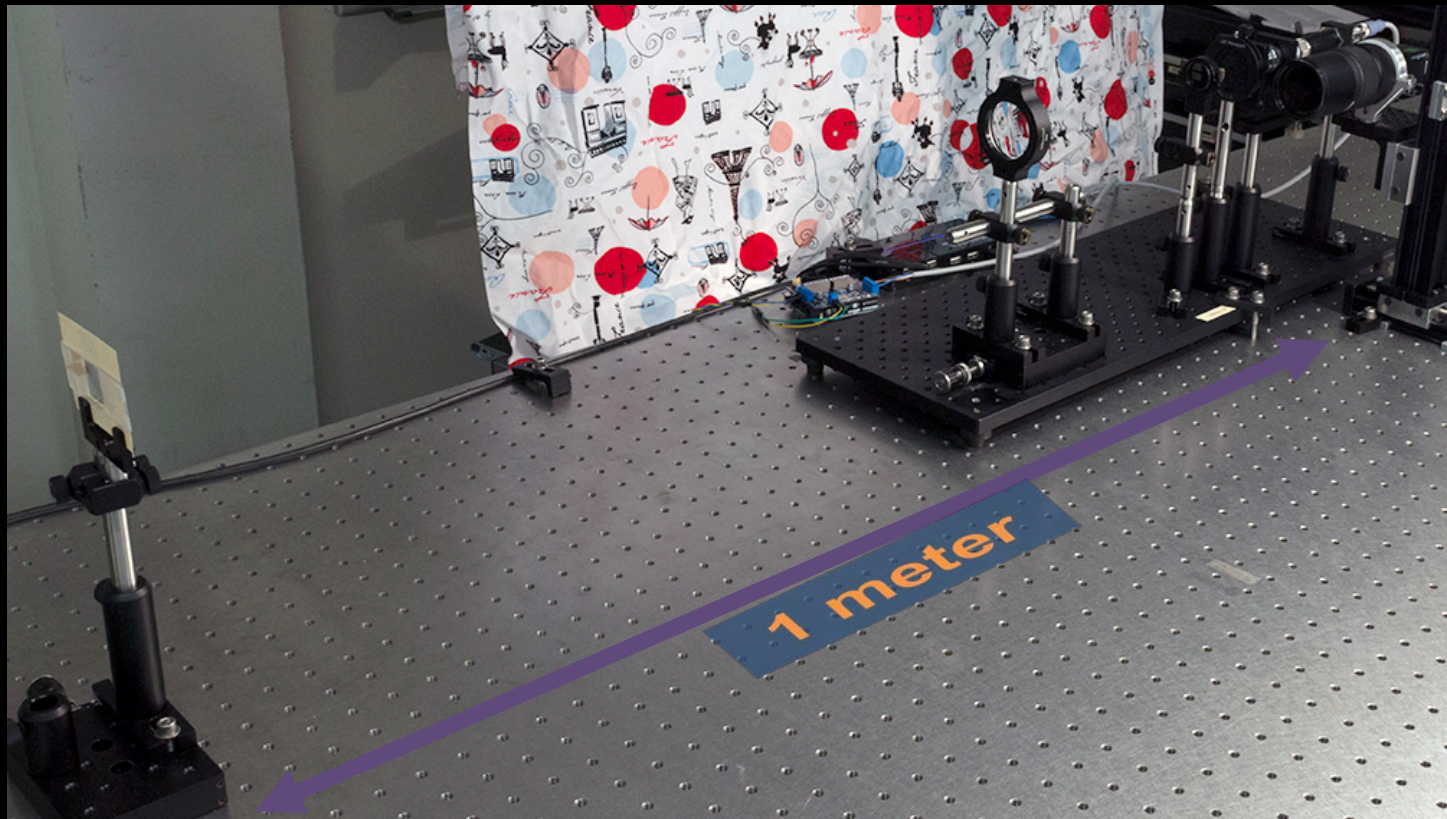
Captured Images for a Diffuse Object



Experimental Setup

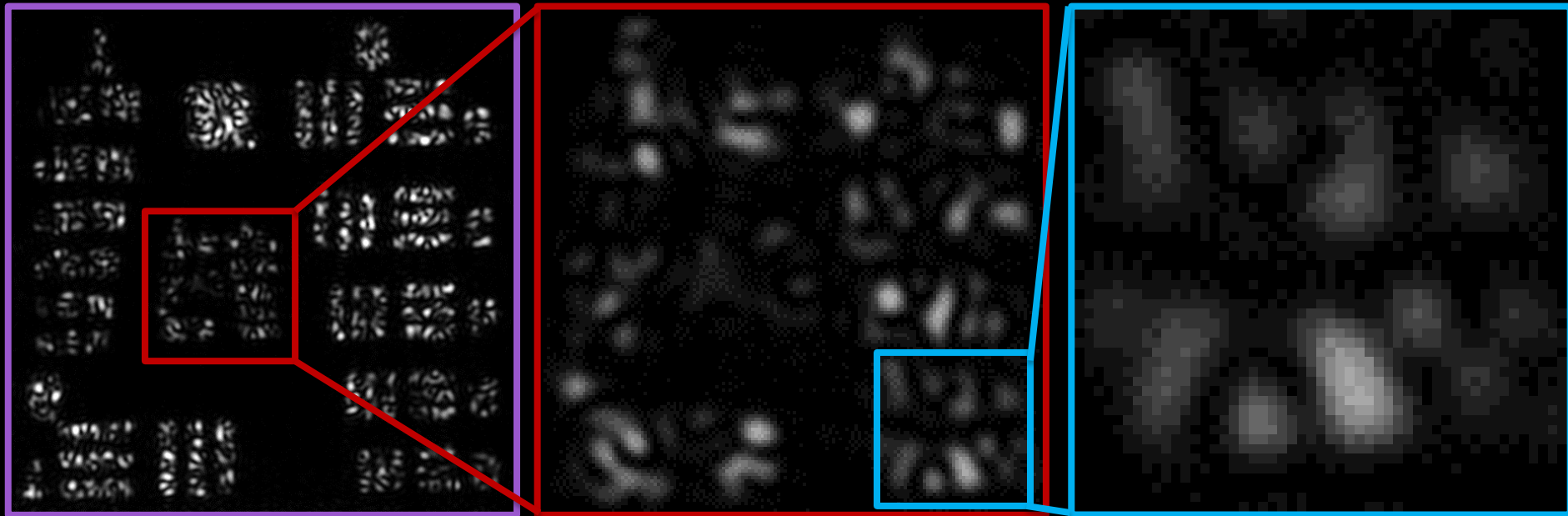


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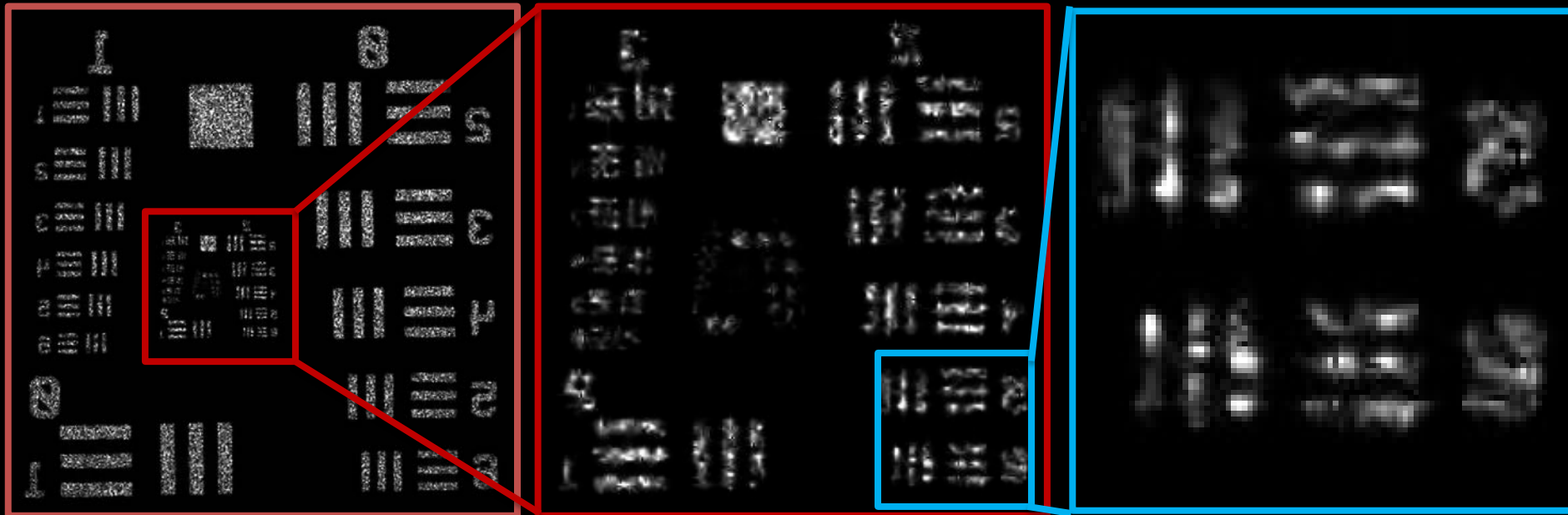
Diffuse USAF Resolution Target

Example captured image

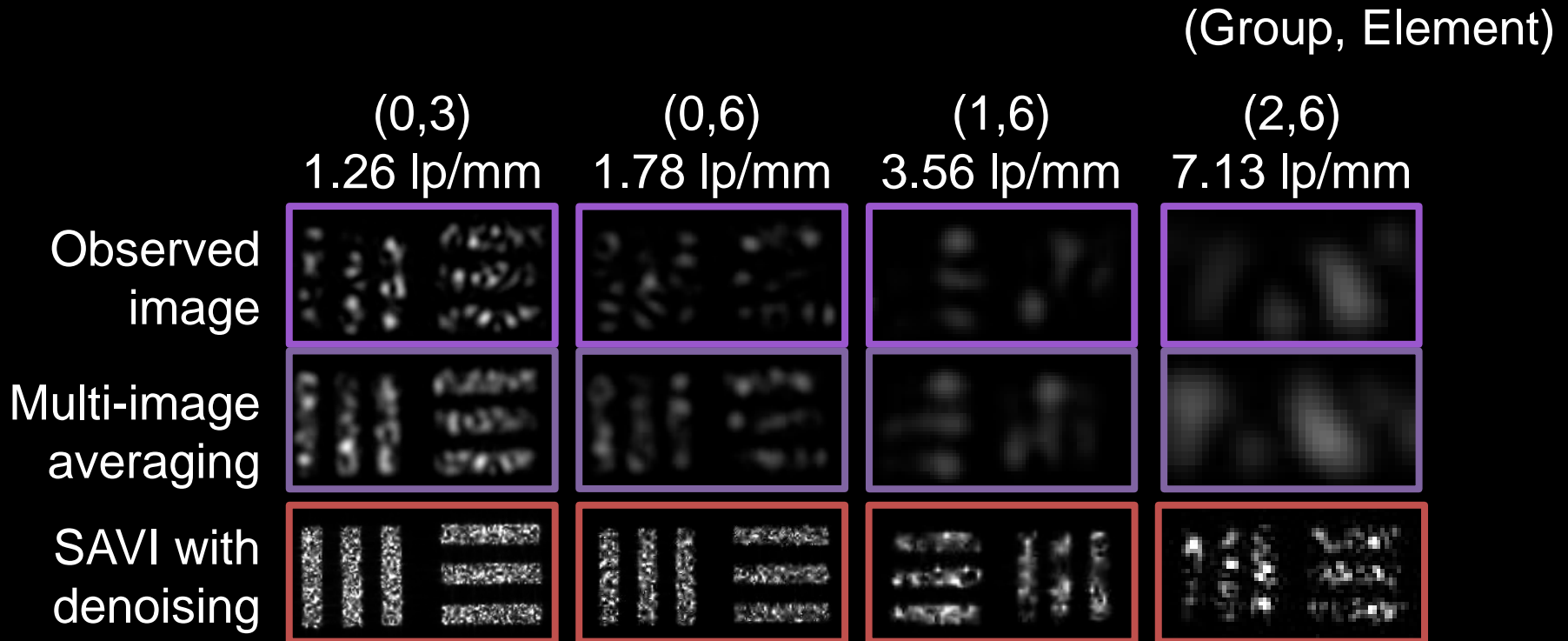


Diffuse USAF Resolution Target

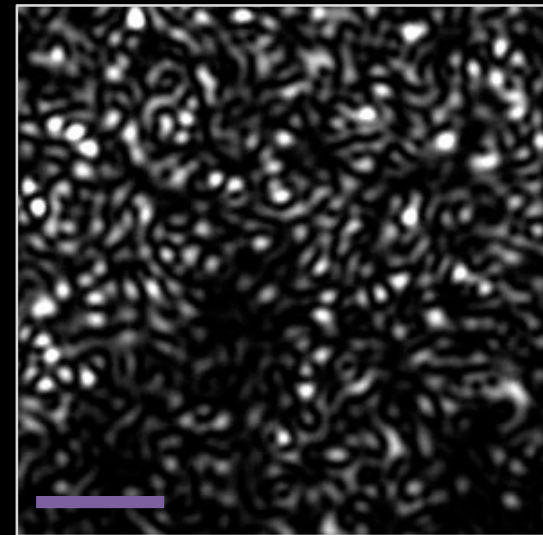
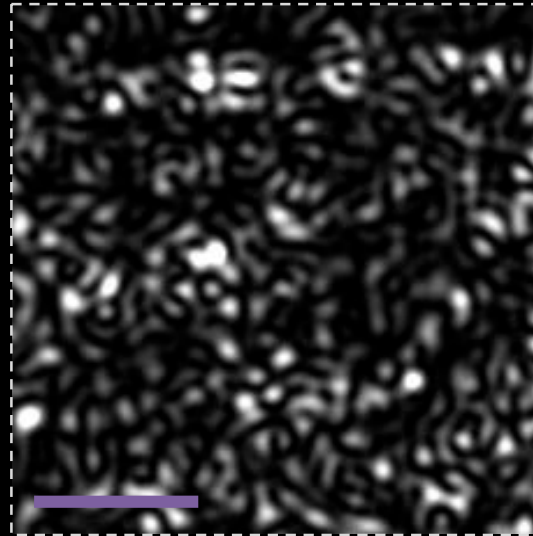
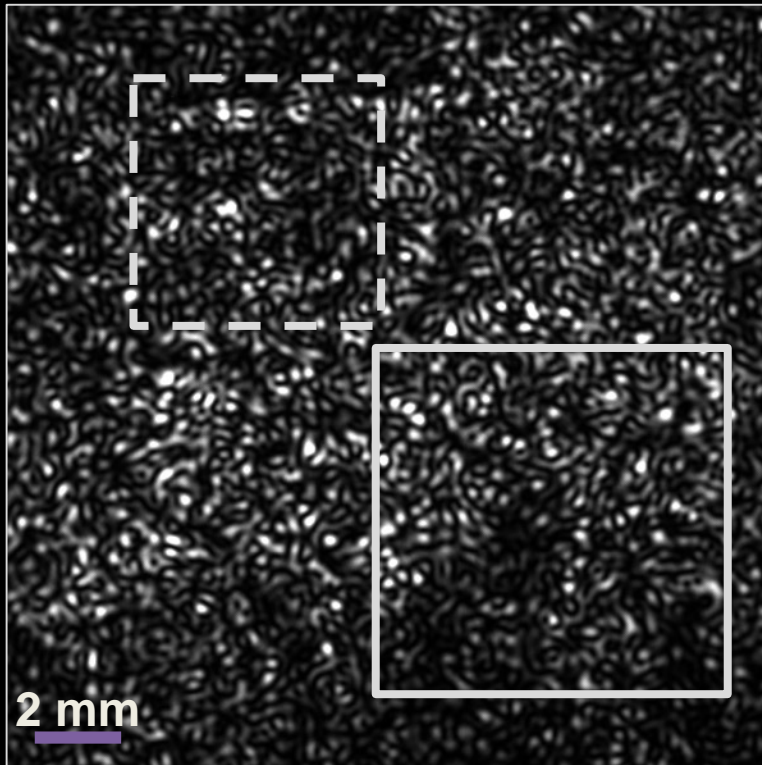
SAVI reconstruction



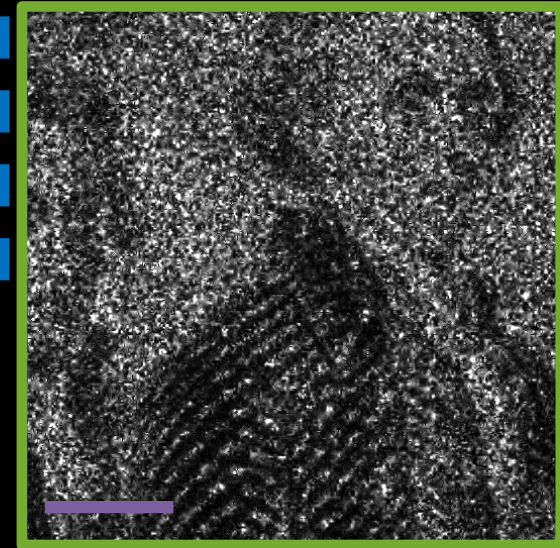
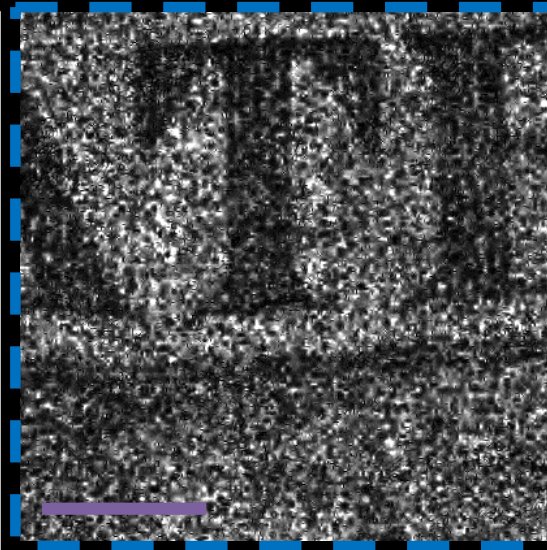
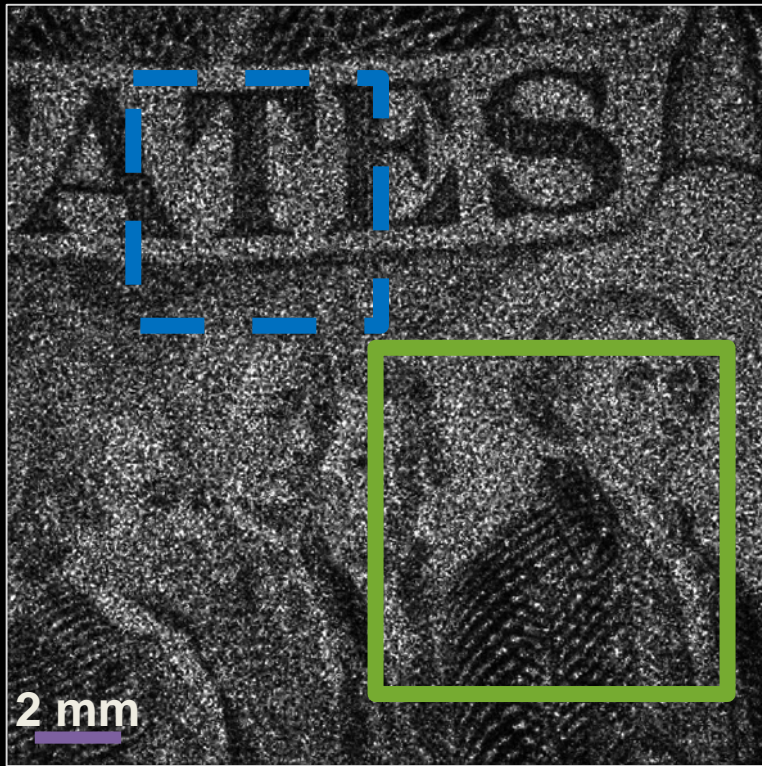
Resolution Improvement with SAVI



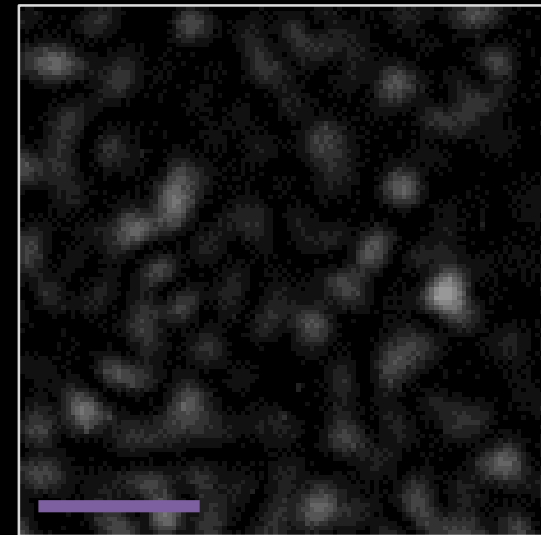
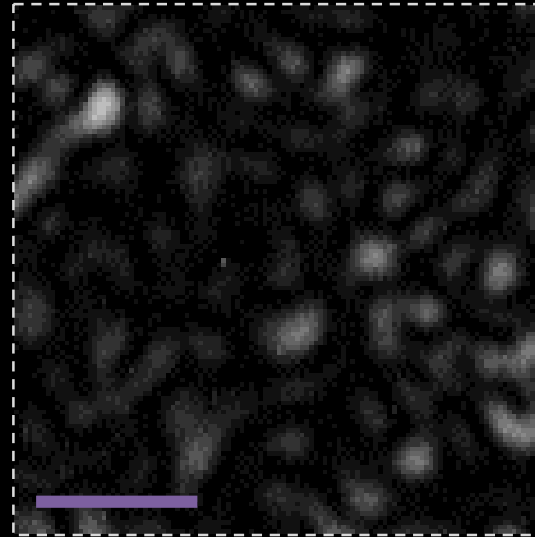
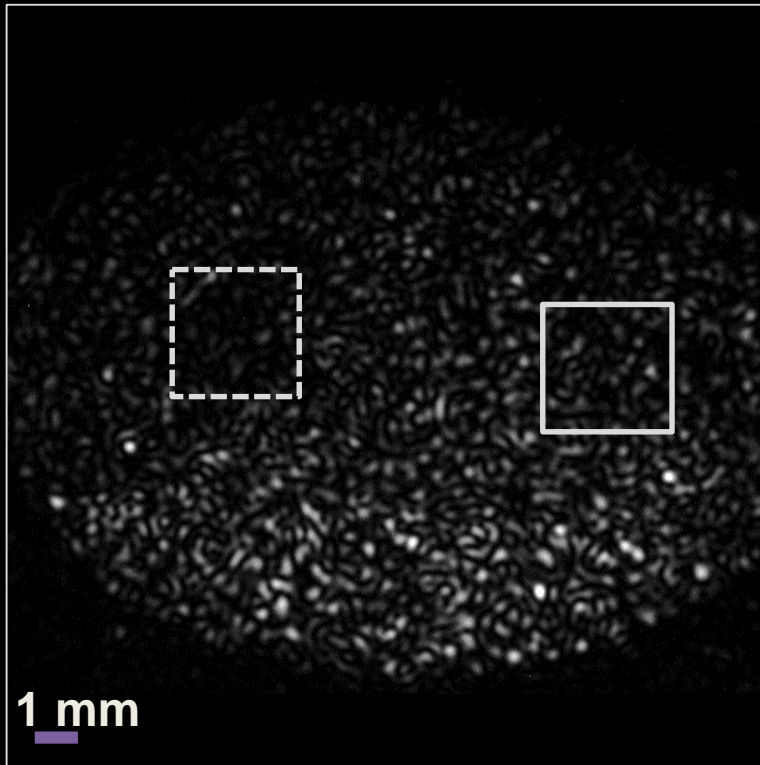
Diffuse Everyday Objects – Mystery Object #1



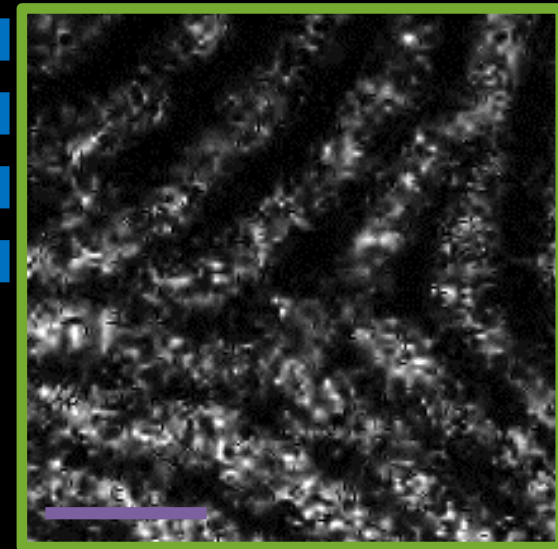
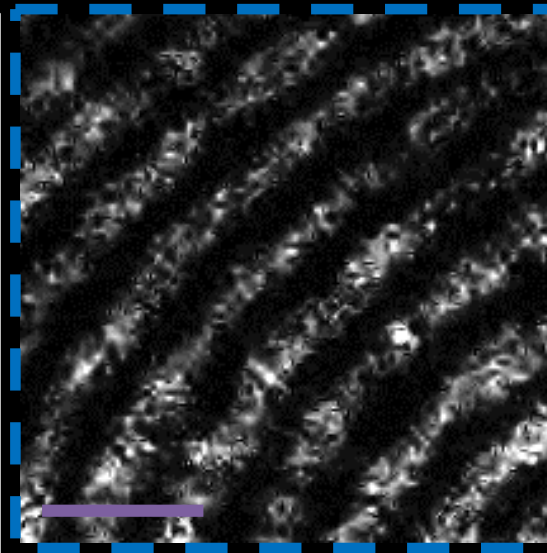
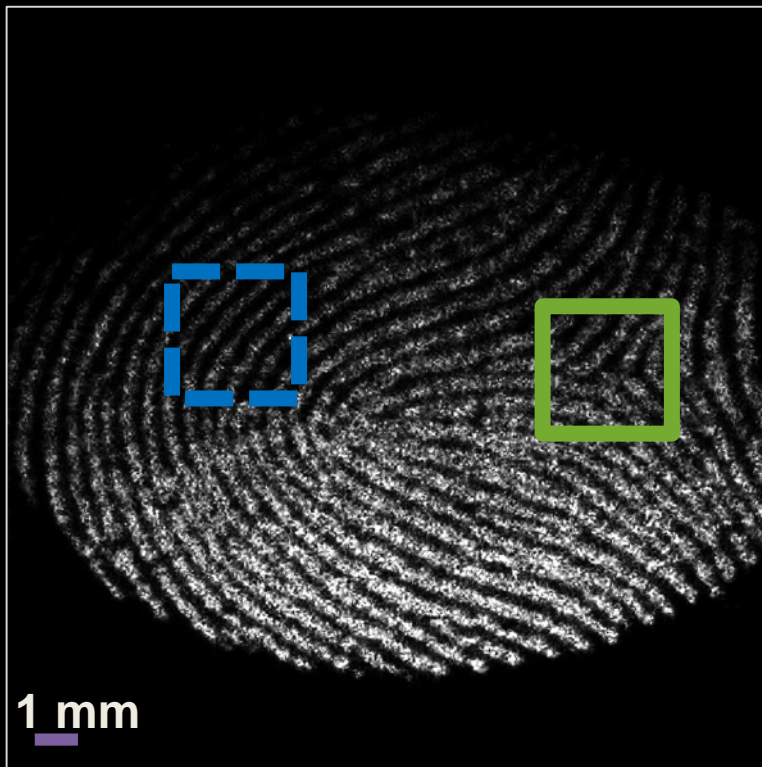
Diffuse Everyday Objects – Mystery Object #1



Diffuse Everyday Objects – Mystery Object #2

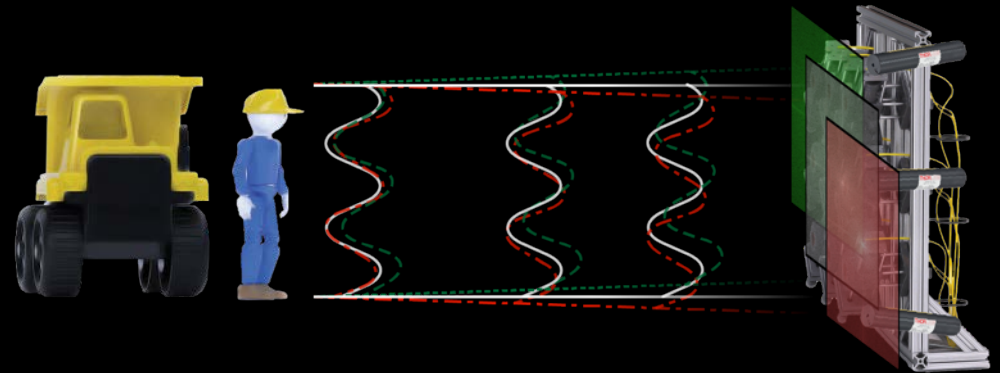
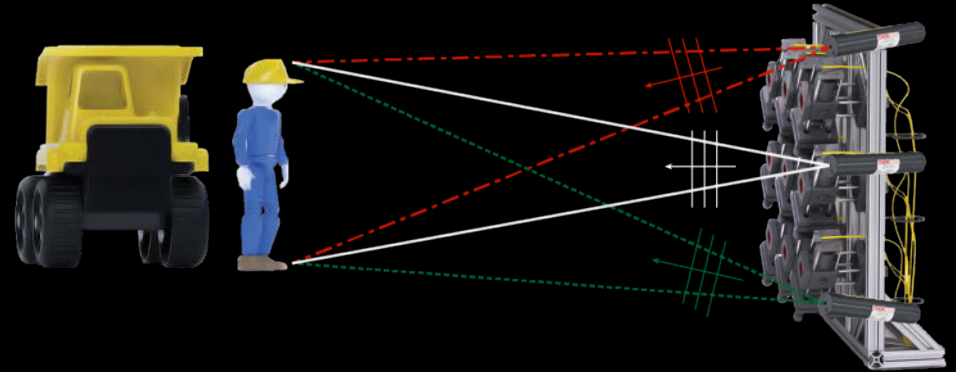


Diffuse Everyday Objects – Mystery Object #2



Future Work

- Capturing long distance FP data in a snapshot
- Camera array to simultaneously acquire images
- Multiplexed lasers to fill in gaps in Fourier domain



Talk Outline

Motion Contrast 3D Scanning (MC3D)



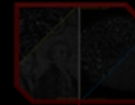
X-ray CDI



"MC3D: Motion Contrast 3D Scanning", Matsuda et al., IEEE Conference on Computational Photography (ICCP), 2016.

"Fluorescence lifetime estimation using a dynamic vision sensor." I et al., Proc. SPIE, Computational Imaging II, 2017.

SAVI



Physical Scale

Nanoscopy
 $10^{-9}\text{m} - 10^{-6}\text{m}$

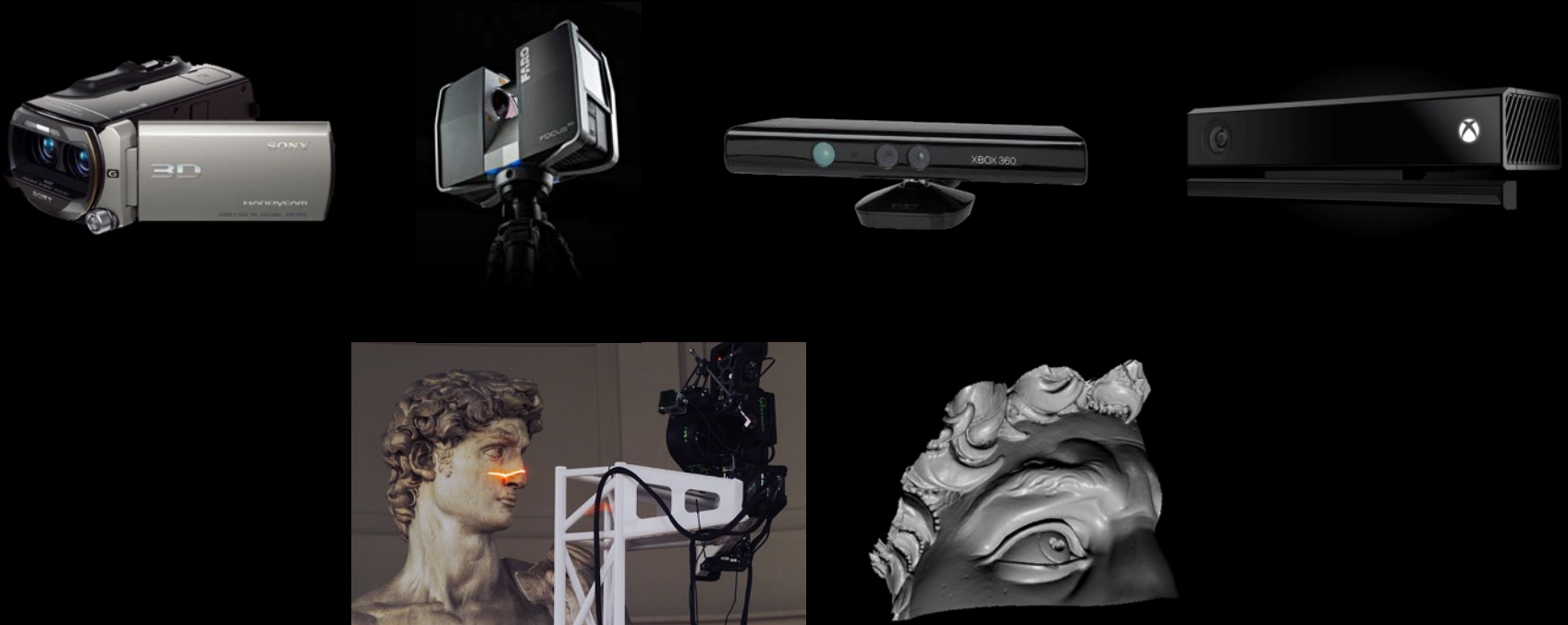
Photography
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Remote Sensing
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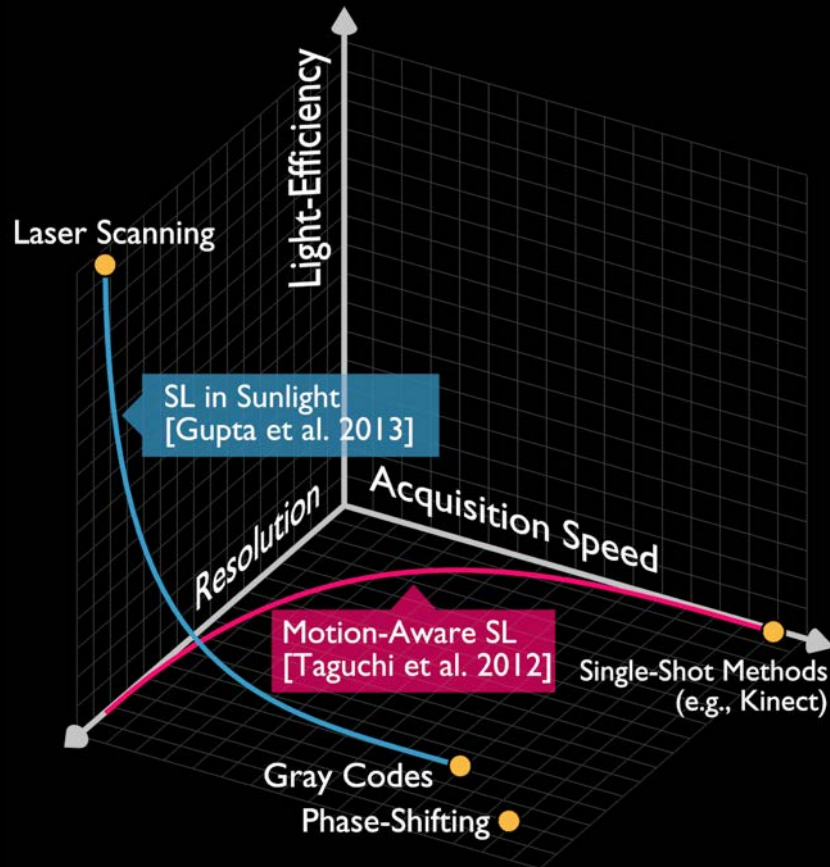


Different Methods for 3D capture

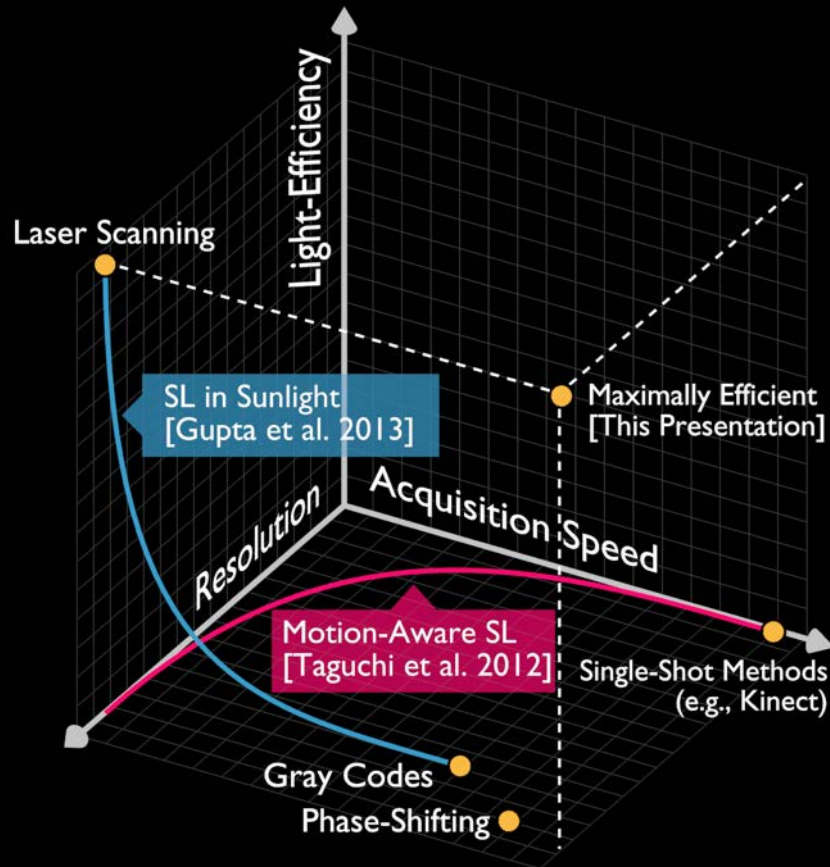
- Passive – stereo, DFF/DFD
- Active – Scanning, Structured Light (SL), ToF



Tradeoffs in SL

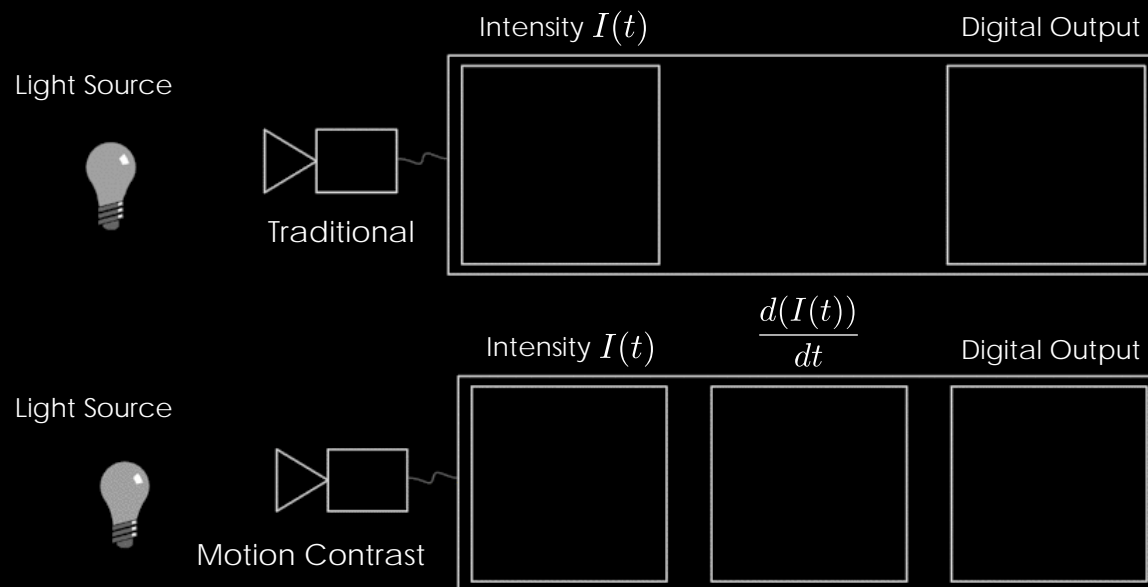


Optimal SL System



Motion Contrast Principle

- Traditional photo sensor continually outputs values
- Motion contrast sensor measures temporal changes

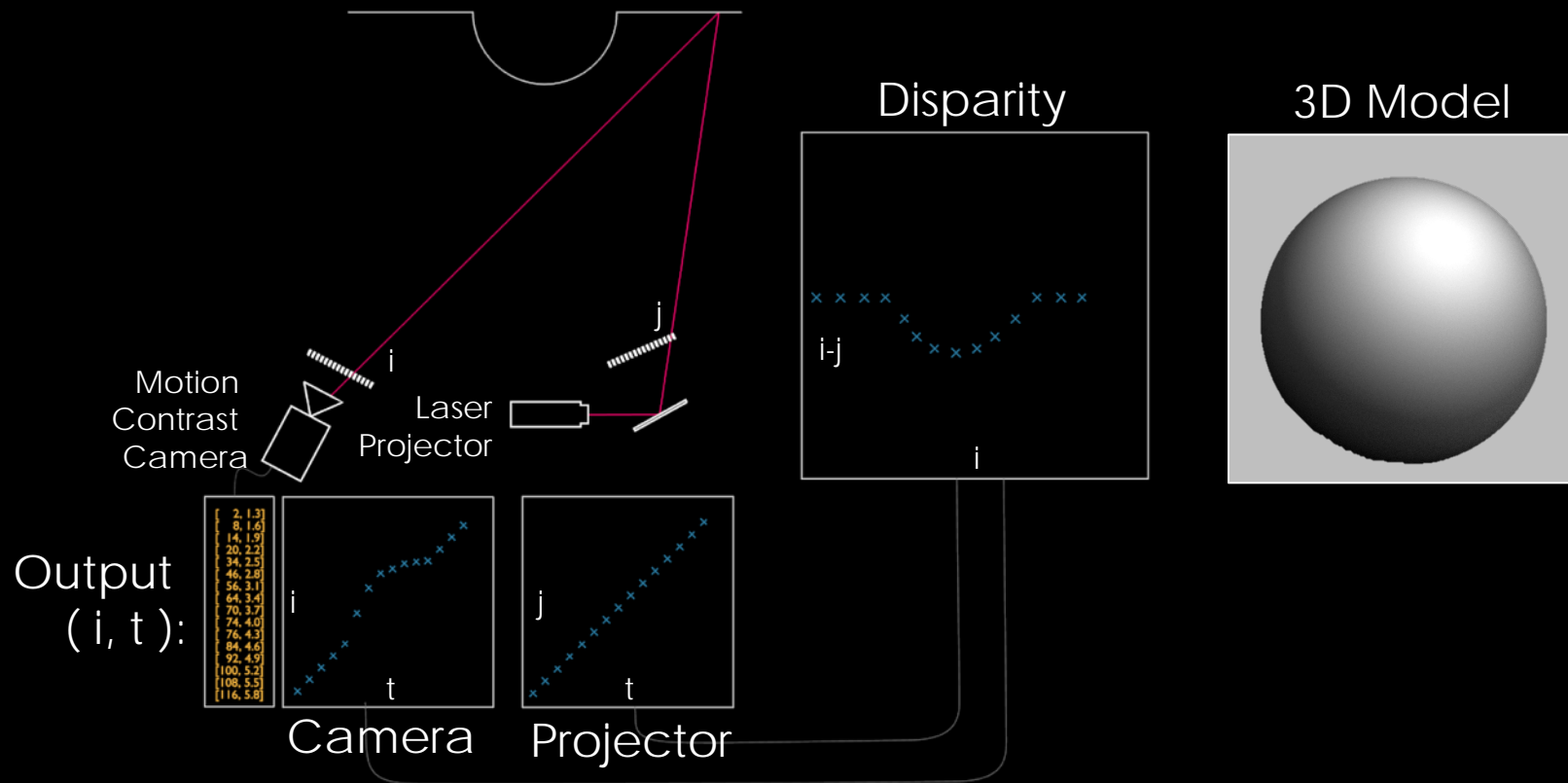


Motion Contrast Capture

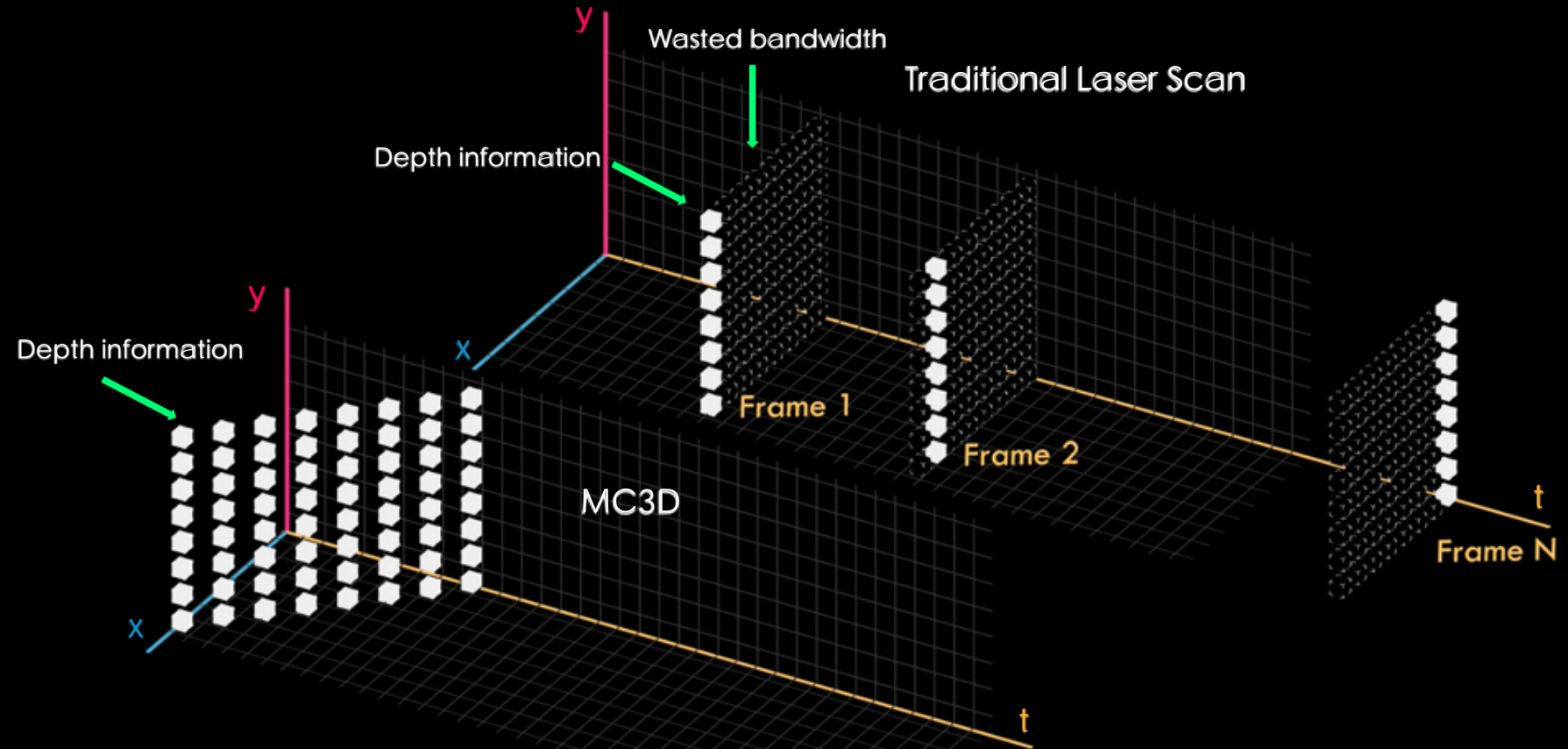
- Same bandwidth for Video and motion contrast
- Video frames are dense, temporal resolution is low
- Motion contrast stream is sparse in space and time



MC3D Principle



MC3D Advantage: Bandwidth



- Requires only one measurement per pixel



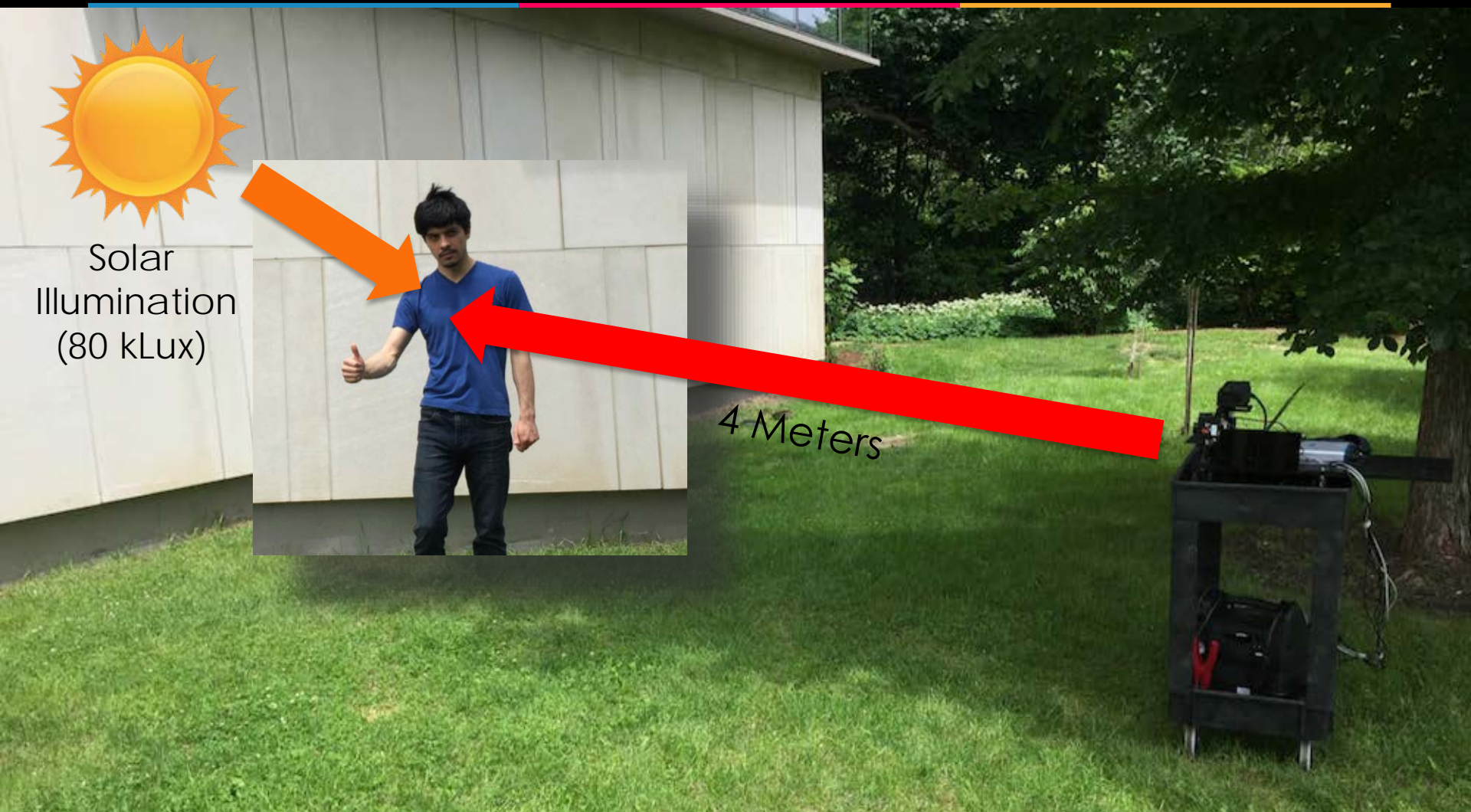
Results: Ambient Illumination



- Second Generation MC3D works with 50,000lux



Live Outdoor 3D Scanning

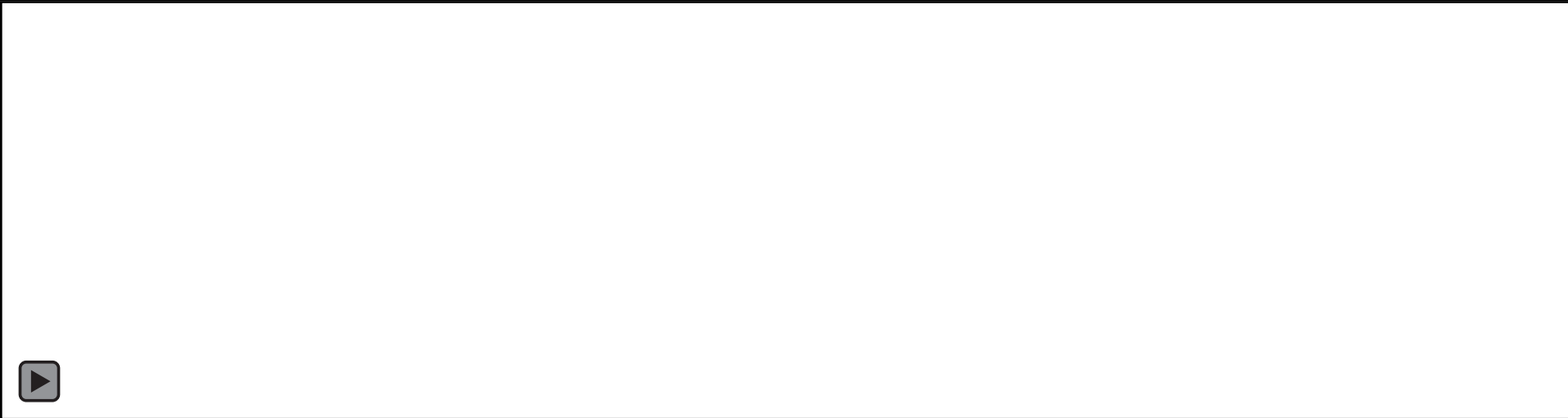


Live Outdoor 3D Scanning

Kinect2

MC3D (Zoom Lens)

IR Image



- MC3D works with 80,000 lux at 4m stand-off distance

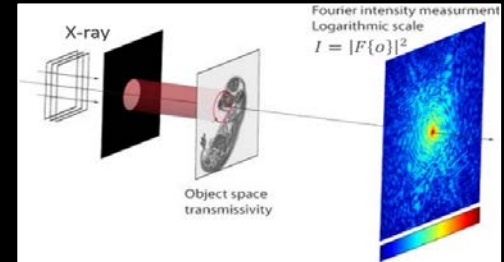


Talk Outline

X-ray CDI



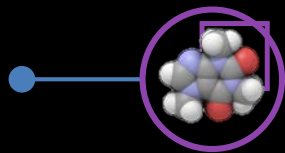
X-Ray Coherent Diffraction Imaging



"High Dynamic Range Coherent Imaging Using Compressed Sensing", He et al., Optics Express, November 2015.

"A Compressed Sensing Approach to Solving the Dynamic Range Problem in Fourier Transform Holography", He et al., Imaging and Applied Optics 2015, OSA Technical Digest (online) (Optical Society of America, 2015), paper CW2F.3.

"Nanoscale x-ray imaging of circuit features without wafer etching", Deng et al. PHYSICAL REVIEW B 95, 104111 (2017).



Nanoscopy
 $10^{-9}\text{m} - 10^{-6}\text{m}$



Photography
 $10^{-3}\text{m} - 10\text{m}$

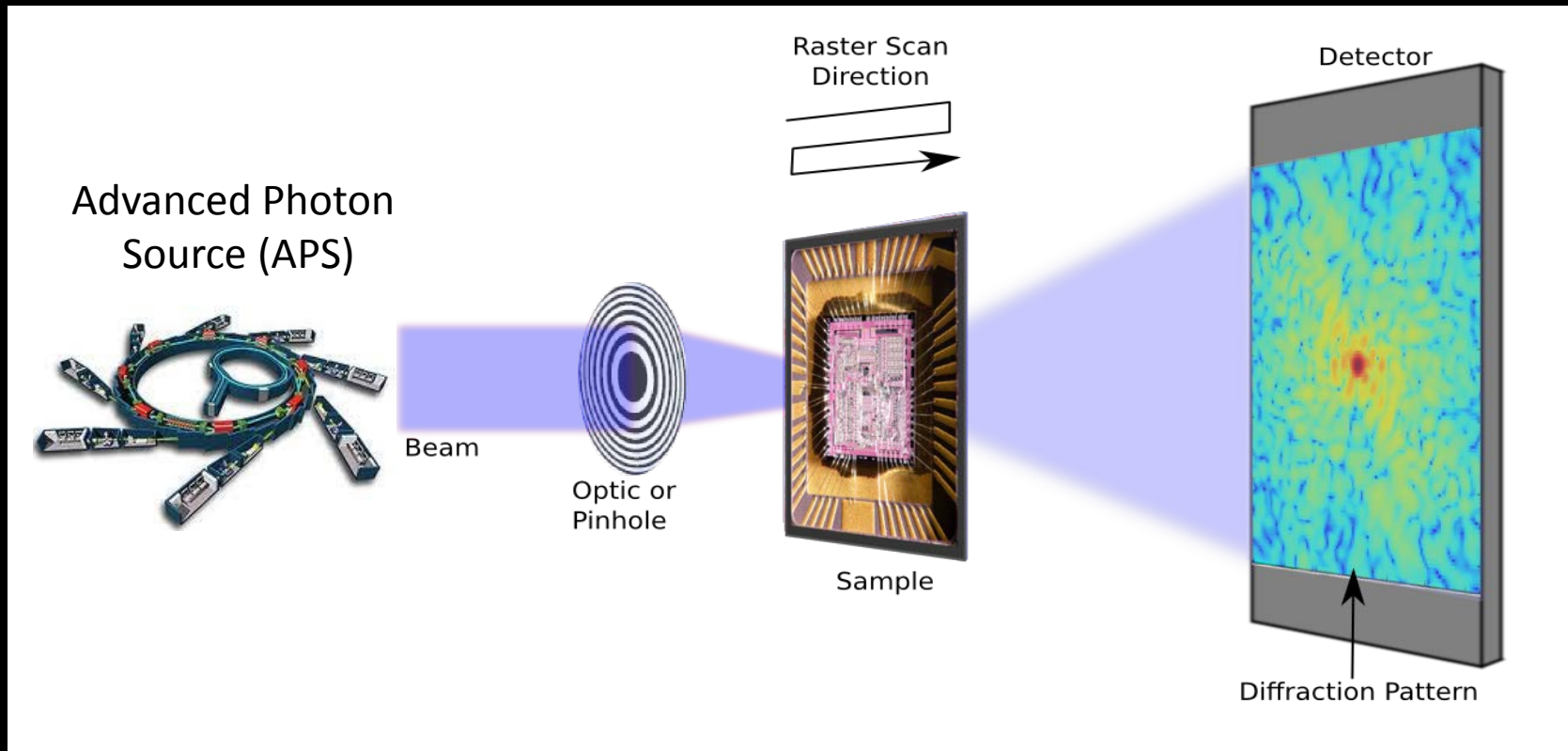


Remote Sensing
 $10\text{m} - 10^4\text{m}$

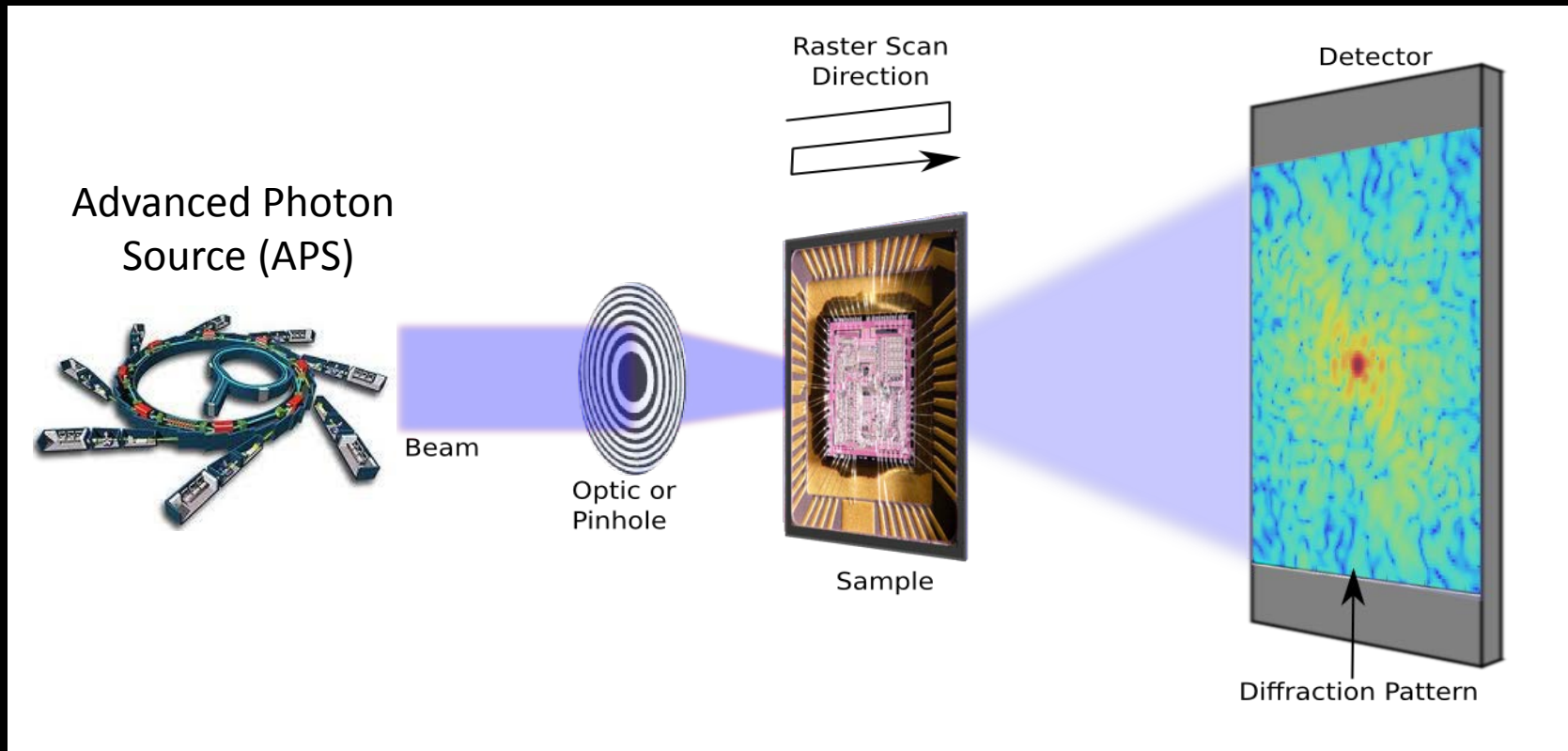
Physical Scale



X-ray Ptychography at ANL



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technology.
um. (b)
scaling
22nm

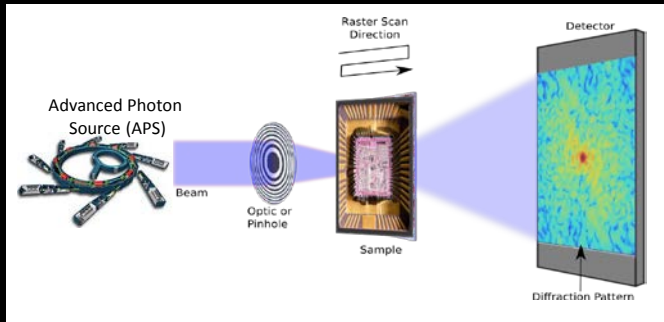




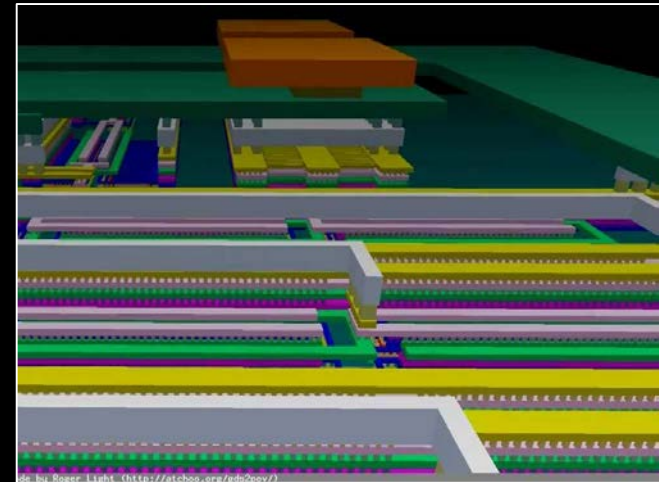
IARPA RAVEN / PRISMA



X-Ray Ptychography



GDSII Design File

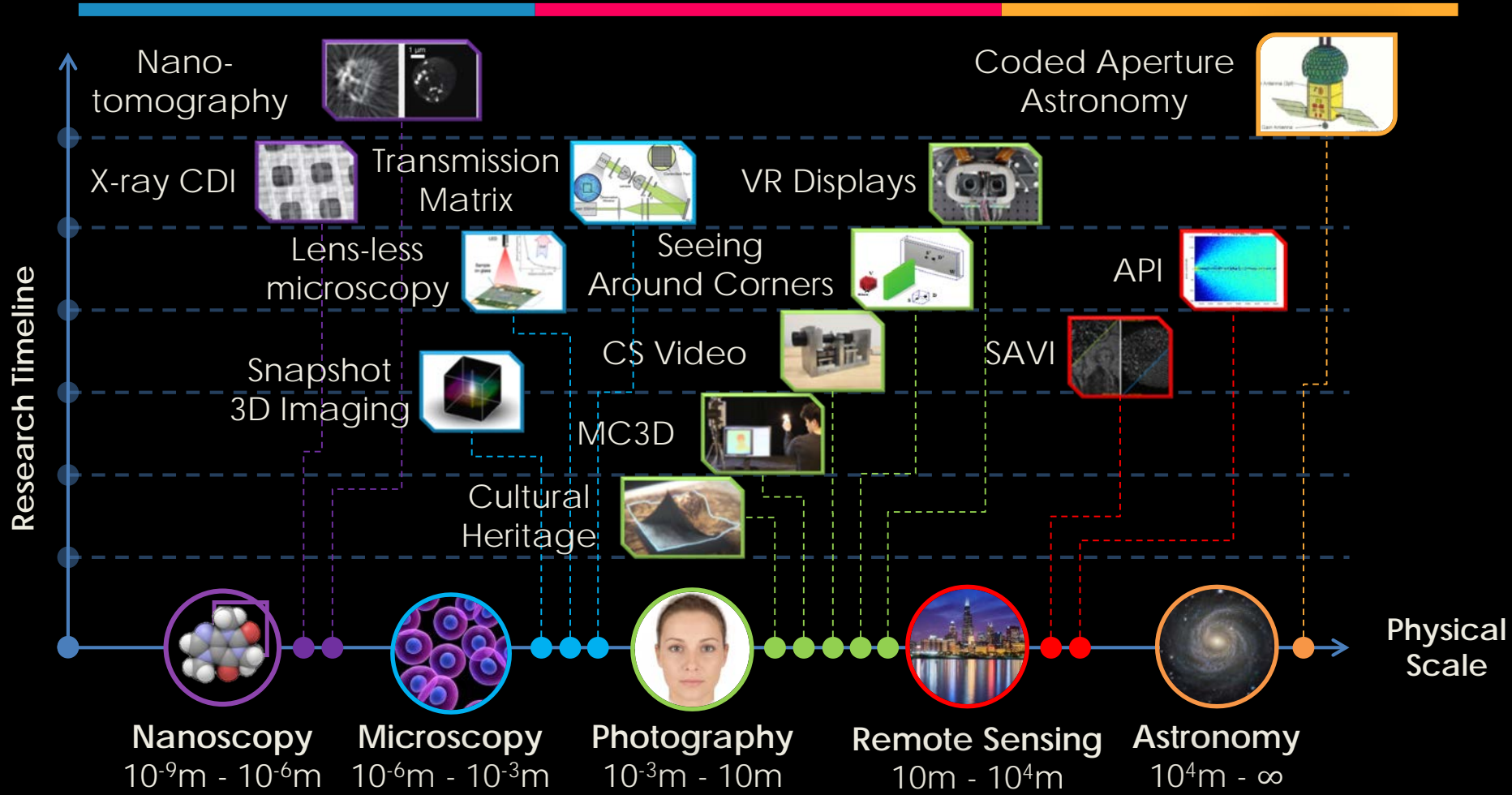


RAVEN / PRISMA Goals:

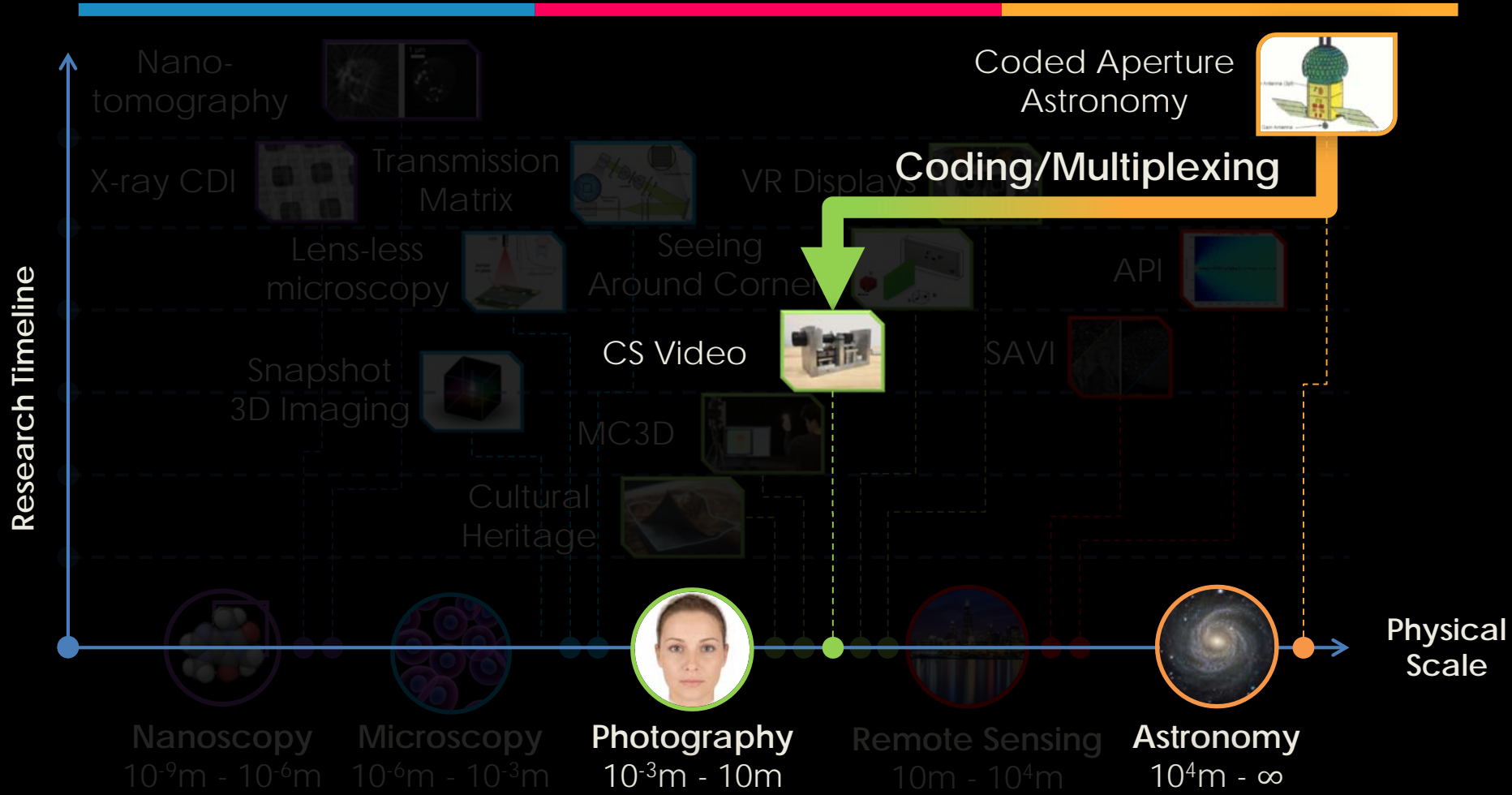
- Non-invasive IC chip imaging.
- 10nm resolution over 1cm x 1cm FoV.
- 3D reconstruction of 10-15 layers.
- Capture + Reconstruction within 25 days.



Big Picture



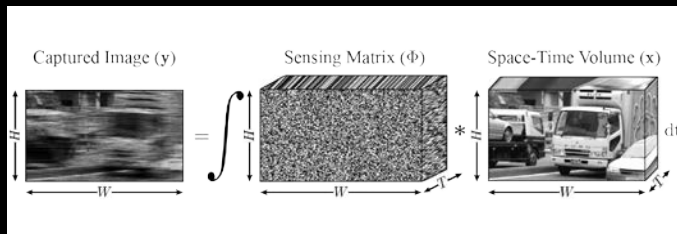
Connection 1: Coding



Connections I: Coding

Compressed Sensing Video

Measurement Model:



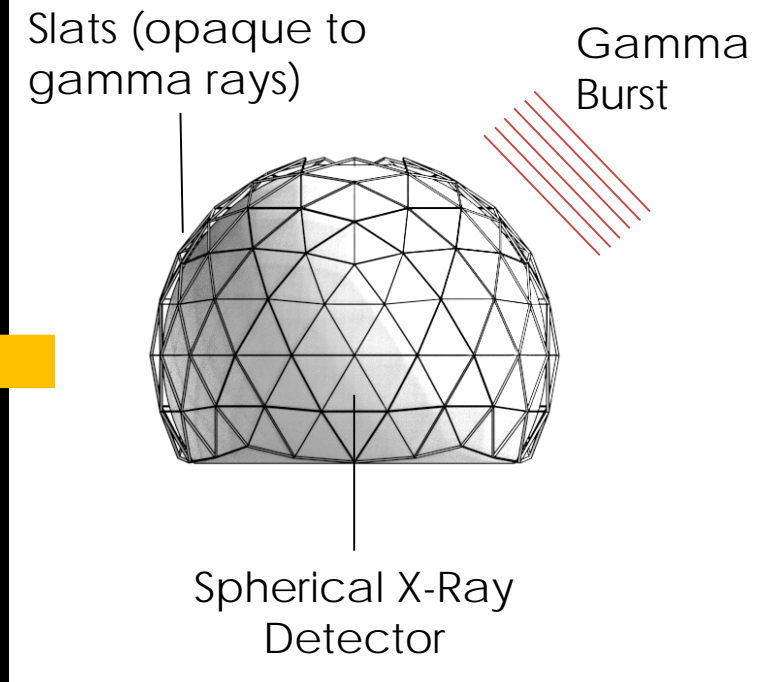
CS Video Camera:



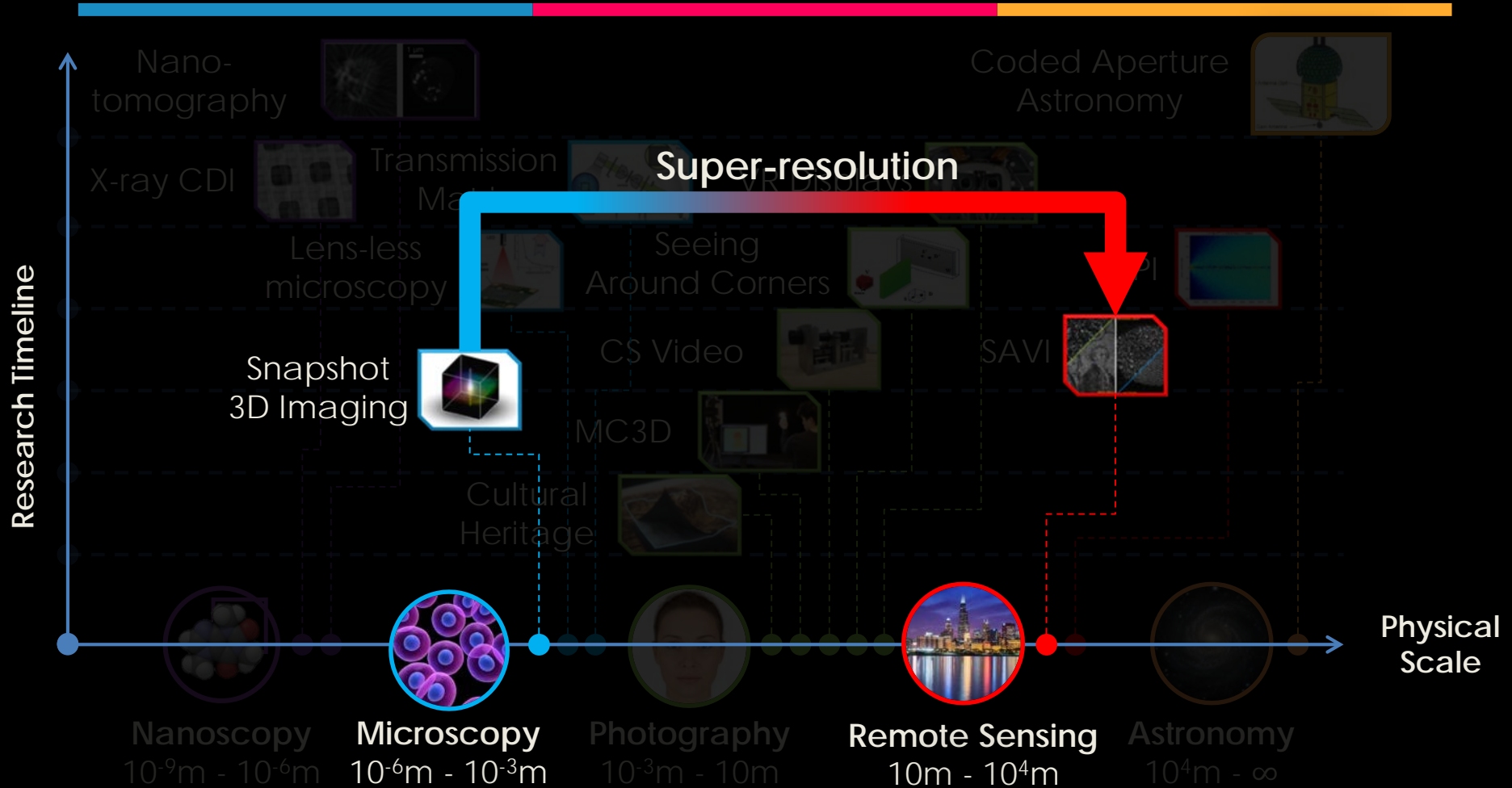
Snapshot Video Reconstructions:



Coded Aperture Astronomy



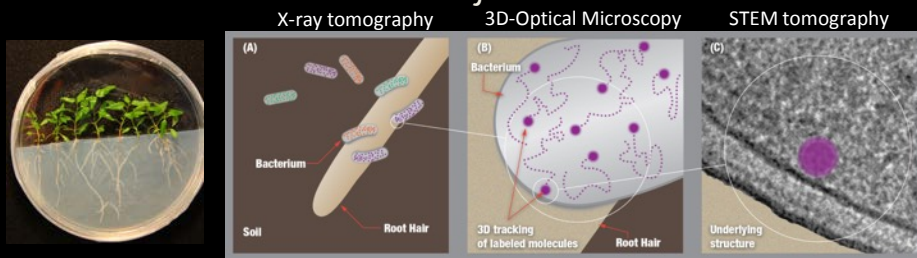
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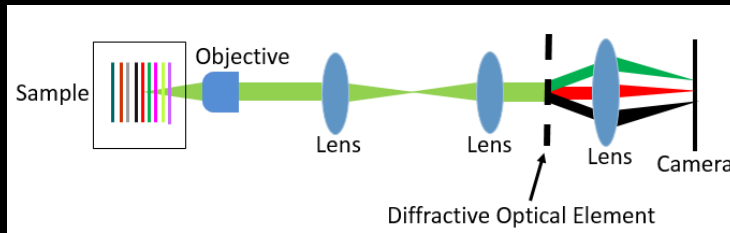
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Snapshot 3D Microscopy

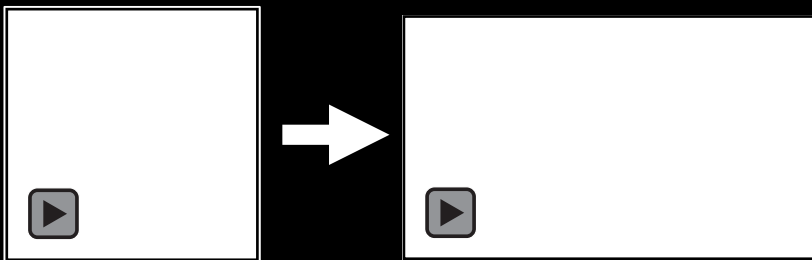
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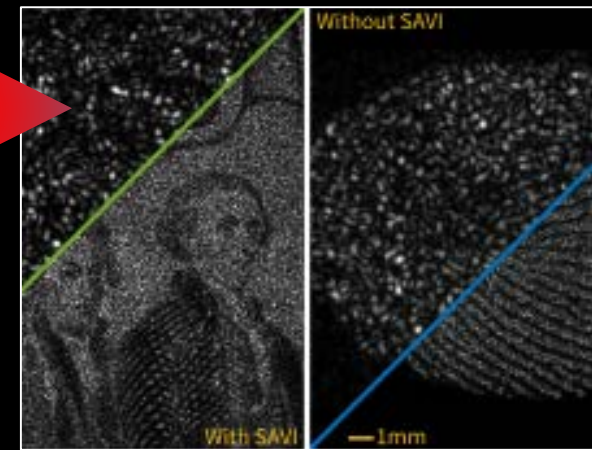
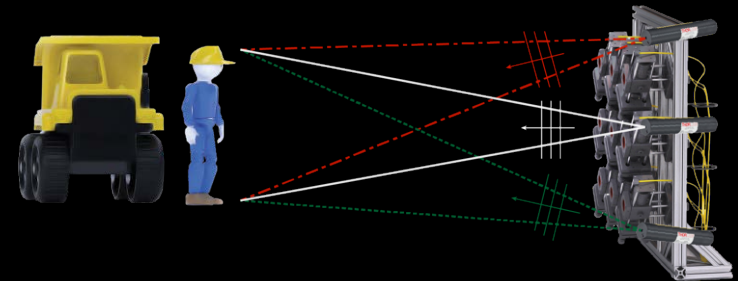
MultiFocal Microscopy (MFM):



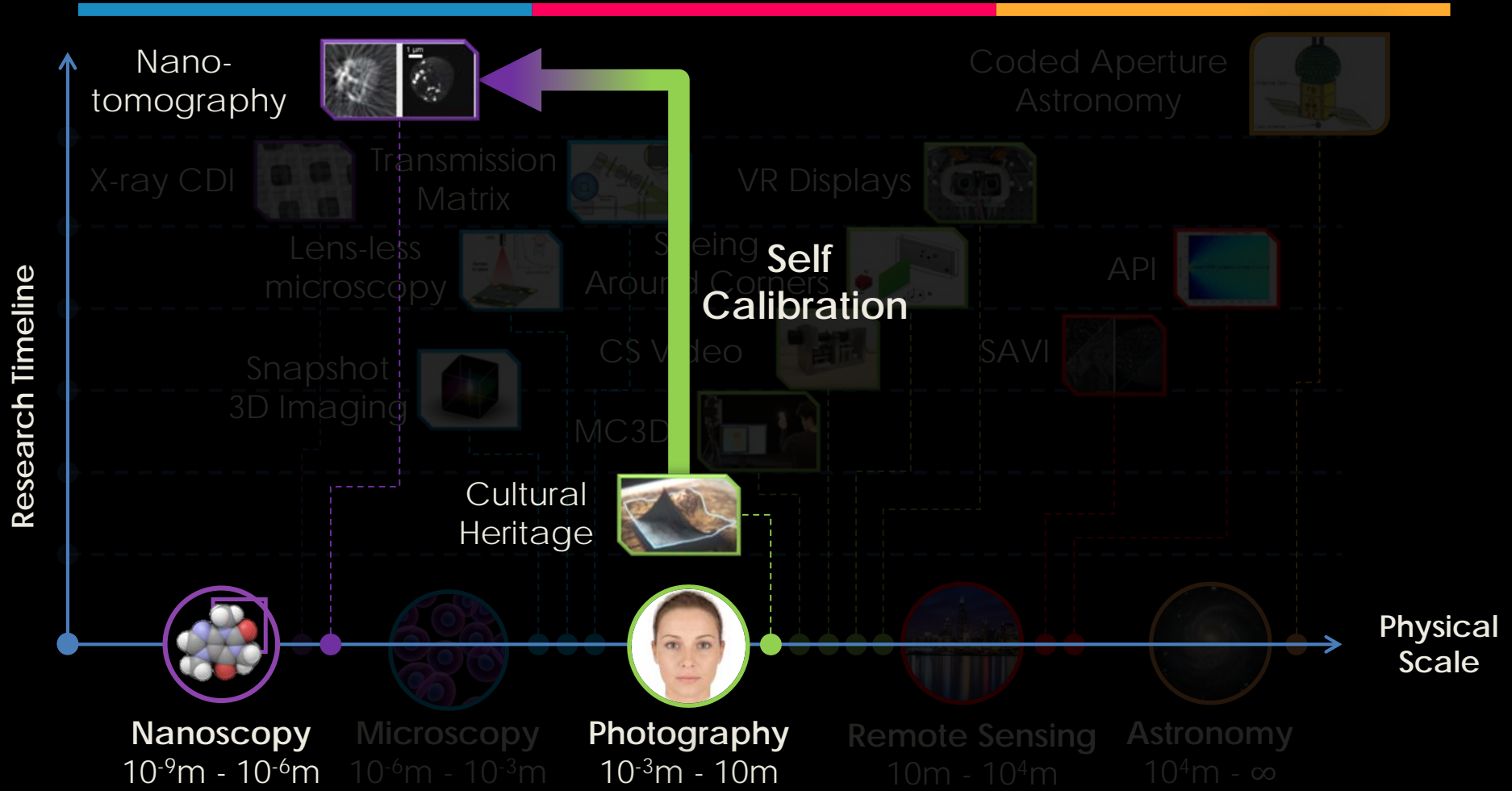
Snapshot 3D Reconstructions:



Synthetic Aperture Visible Imaging



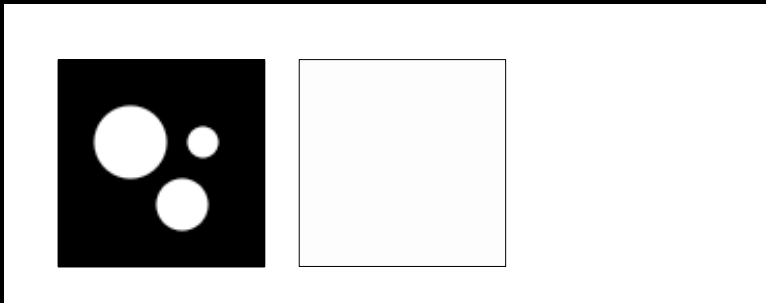
Connections 3: Self-calibration



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Uncalibrated X-Ray Tomography

Unknown Projection Angles:

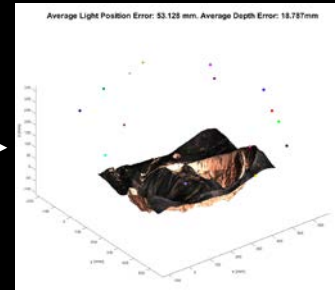
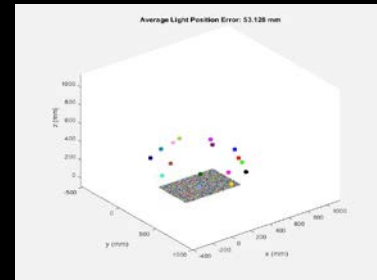


Calibrated Projection Angles



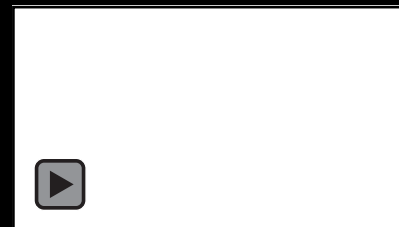
Cultural Heritage Imaging

Uncalibrated Photometric Stereo:



Gauguin Surface Measurement:

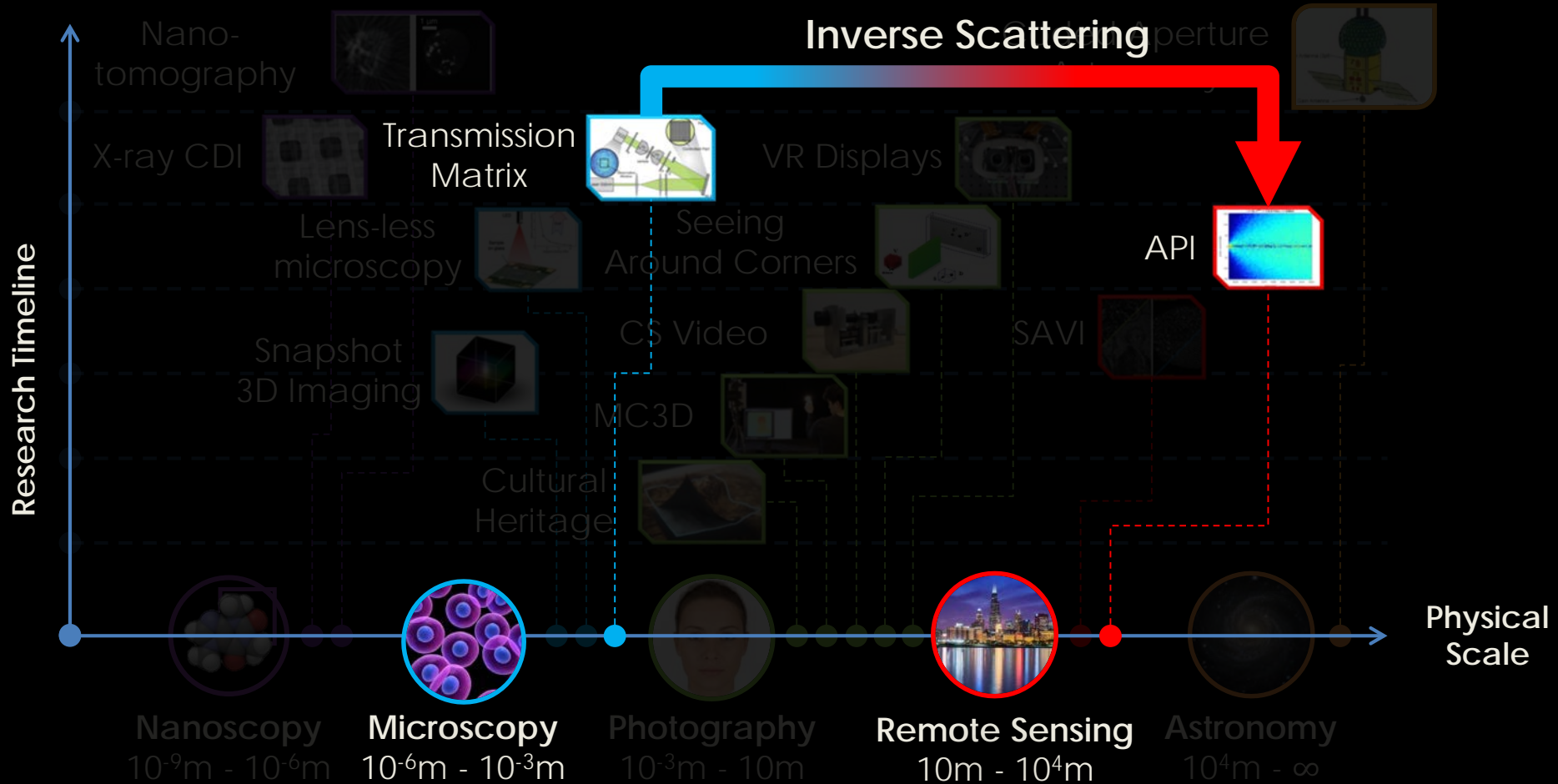
3D Surface Reconstruction



Drawing Reconstruction



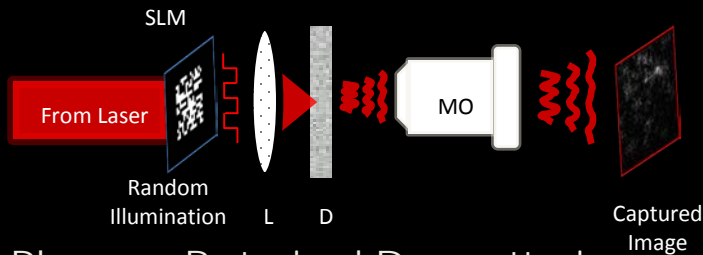
Connections 4: Scattering



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Transmission Matrix Descattering

Experimental TM Measurement :

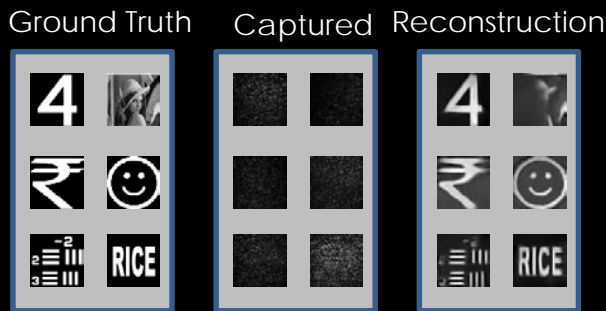


Phase + Retrieval Descattering:



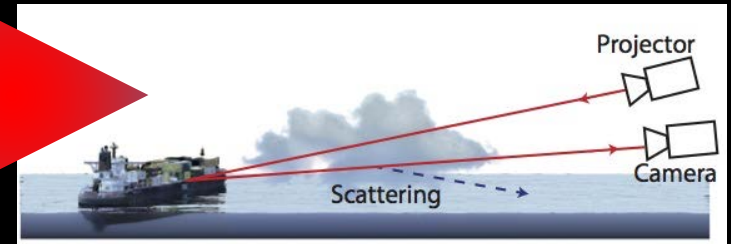
$$y = |Ax| \quad \hat{x} = PR(y, \hat{A})$$

Results:

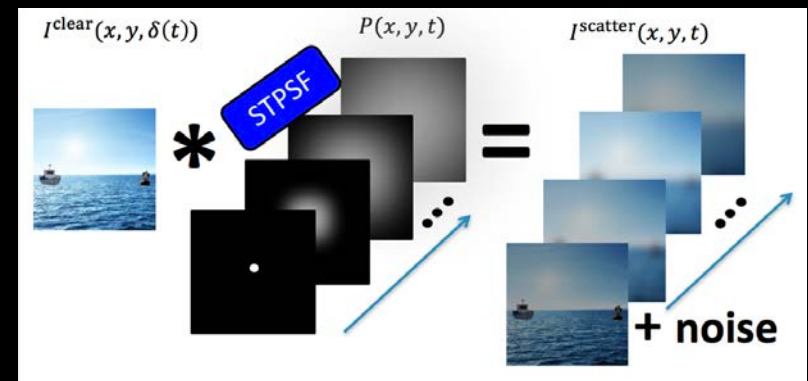


All Photon Imaging

ToF Imaging through Fog/Rain:



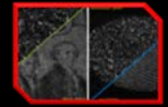
Model 3D STPSF Response:



Summary

- Advantages of Computational Imaging
 - Reduce hardware complexity
 - Photon efficient imaging
 - Introduce new functionality

SAVI



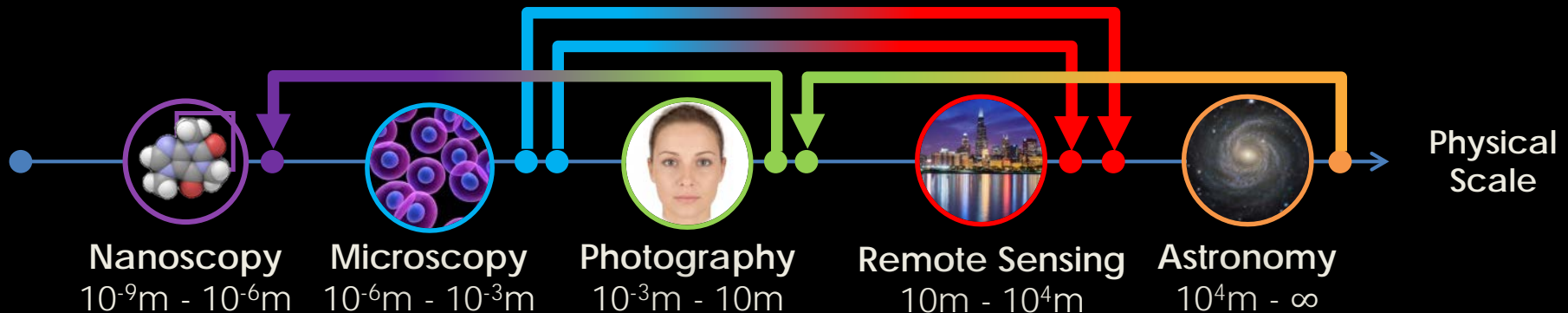
MC3D



X-ray CDI



Many common problems across large range of physical scales



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