

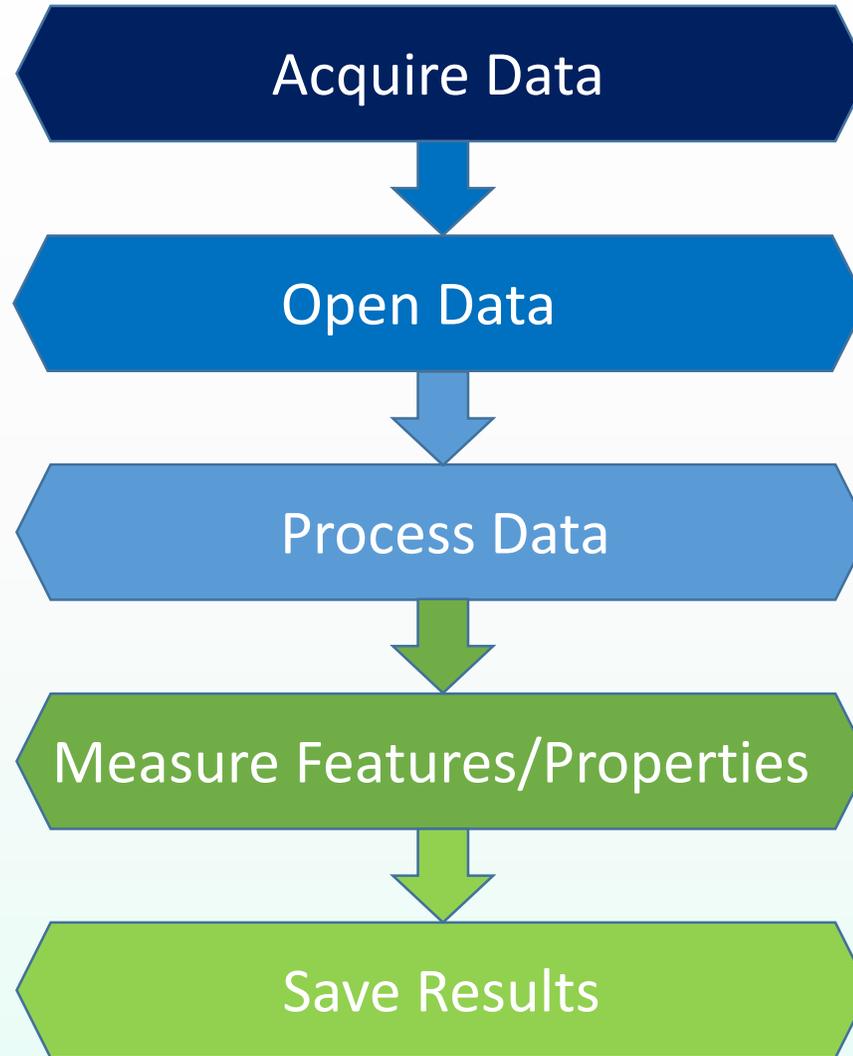
Image Analysis with OMERO

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Example: Counting nuclei after segmentation with Stardist

1. Apply Stardist 2D Model on Local Image

This notebook demonstrates how to apply a Stardist 2D model on local image. We start by importing the necessary Python libraries.

```
import numpy as np
from pathlib import Path
from stardist.models import StarDist2D
from csbdeep.utils import normalize
from skimage.io import imread, imsave, imshow
```

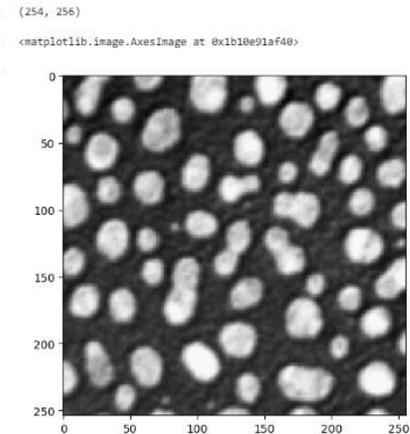
1. Opening Image

Then, we specify the path to the input image and store the file name.

```
image_path = Path(r"C:\Users\mazo268\Desktop\blobs.tif")
file_name = image_path.stem
```

Now, we read the image as a numpy array and print its shape.

```
image = imread(image_path)
print(image.shape)
imshow(image)
```



2. Loading Pre-trained Model

Stardist has a few pre-trained models available. We will use the `2D_versatile_fluo` model in this notebook, selected from a list of available model names.

```
stardist_model_names = ['2D_versatile_fluo', '2D_versatile_he', '2D_paper_dsb2018']
chosen_model = stardist_model_names[0]
print("Chosen Model: ", chosen_model)
model = StarDist2D.from_pretrained(chosen_model)
```

Chosen Model: 2D_versatile_fluo
Found model '2D_versatile_fluo' for 'StarDist2D'.
Loading network weights from 'weights_best.hs'.
Loading thresholds from 'thresholds.json'.
Using default values: prob_thresh=0.479871, nms_thresh=0.3.

3. Running Predictions

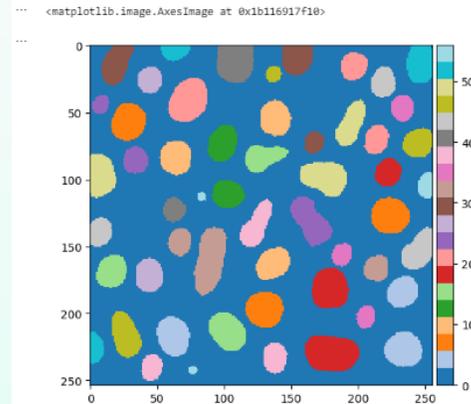
We run the predictions on the image using the loaded model.

```
labels, _ = model.predict_instances(normalize(image))
```

1/1 [=====] - 8s 8s/step

```
print("Number of Nuclei: ", labels.max())
imshow(labels, cmap="tab20")
```

Number of Nuclei: 56
matplotlib_plugin.py (150): Low image data range; displaying image with stretched contrast.



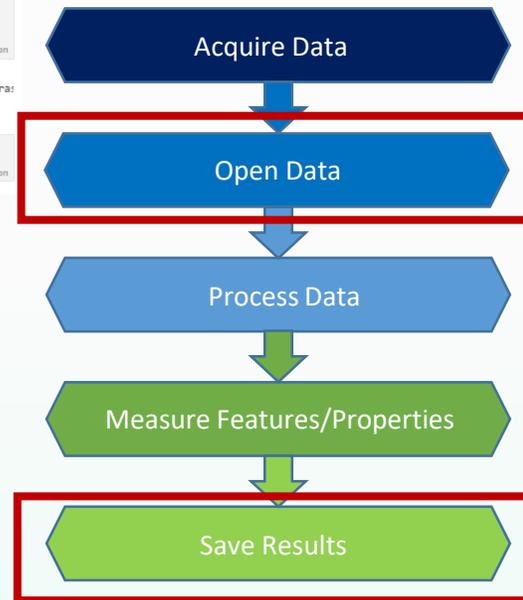
4. Saving Outputs

Finally, we save the predicted label as '.tif' file.

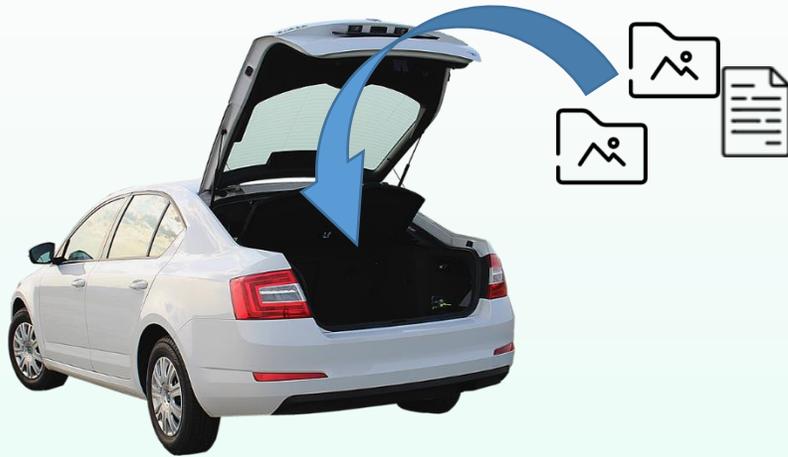
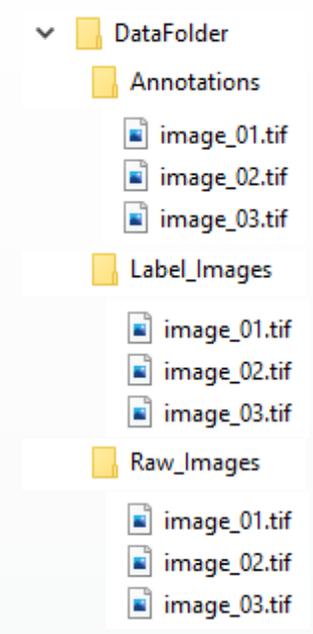
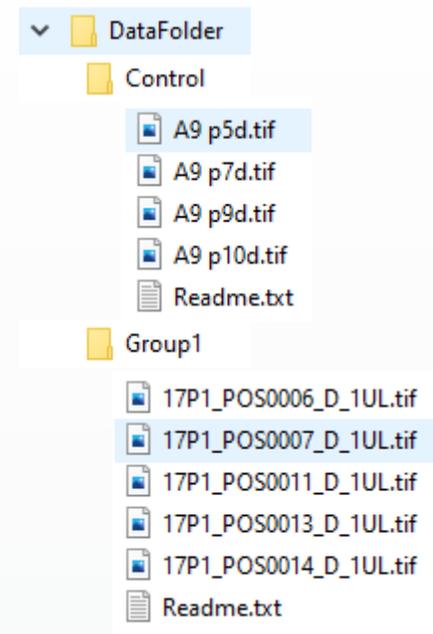
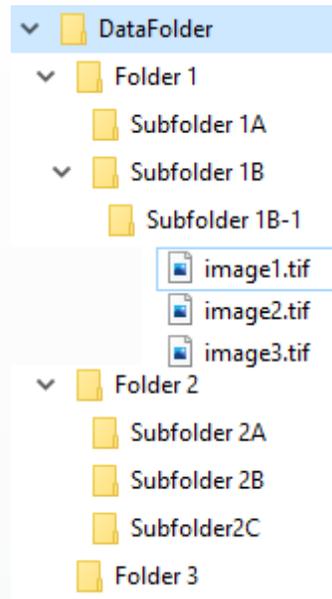
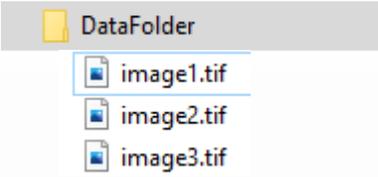
```
label_image_name = file_name + "_label_" + chosen_model
```

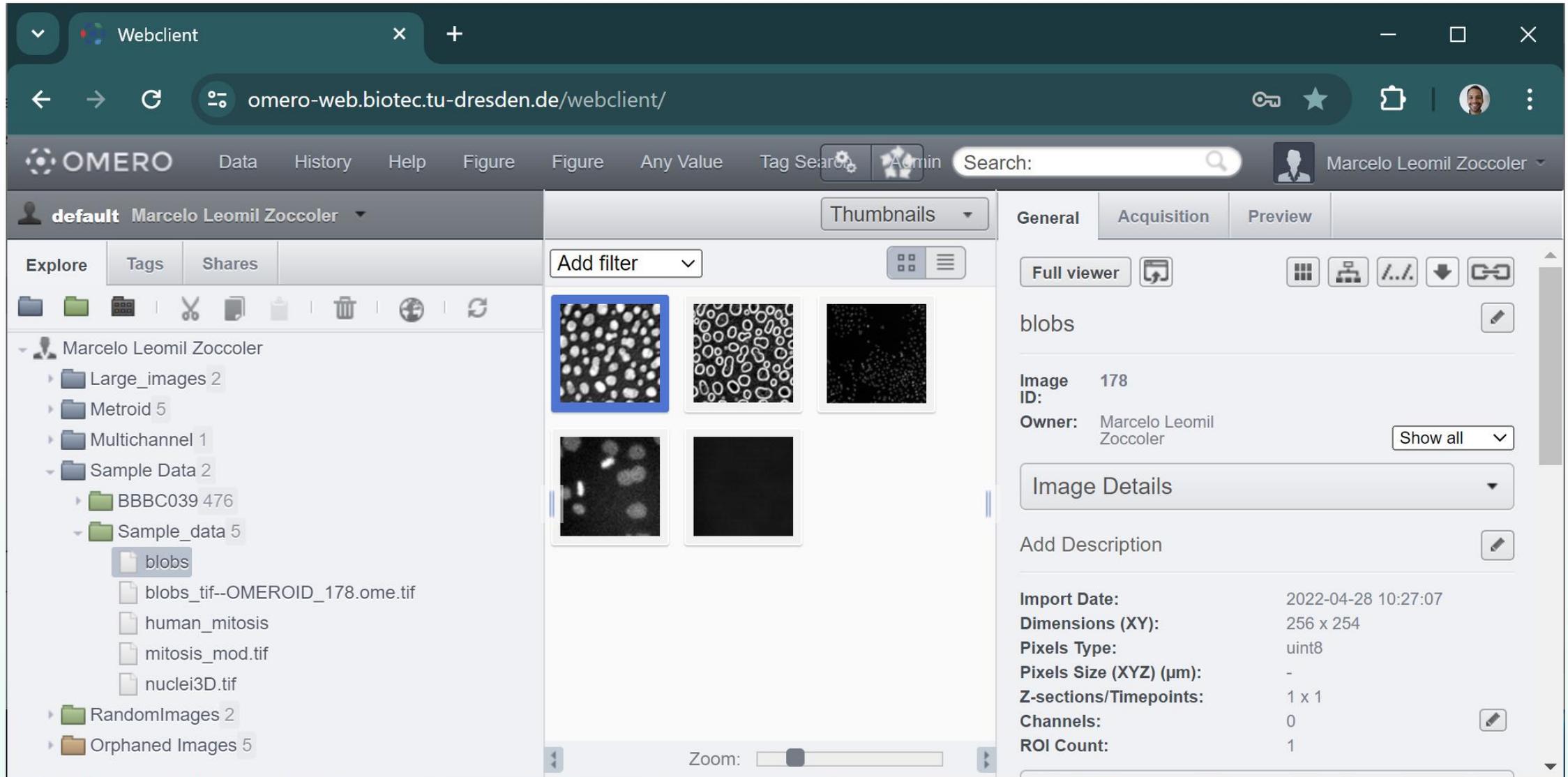
```
output_path = image_path.parent / (label_image_name + ".tif")
imsave(output_path, labels)
```

C:\Users\mazo268\Desktop\blobs_label_2D_versatile_fluo.tif
1787286441.py (3): C:\Users\mazo268\Desktop\blobs_label_2D_versatile_fluo.tif is a low contrast



Neat! Let's run it for another image!
Let me just plug my external HD...





The screenshot shows the OMERO webclient interface. The browser address bar displays `omero-web.biotec.tu-dresden.de/webclient/`. The user is logged in as **Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler**. The interface is divided into several sections:

- File Browser (Left):** Shows a tree view of the user's data. The selected folder is `blobs` under `Sample_data 5`. The files listed are `blobs_tif--OMEROID_178.ome.tif`, `human_mitosis`, `mitosis_mod.tif`, and `nuclei3D.tif`.
- Image Viewer (Center):** Displays a grid of image thumbnails. The first thumbnail is selected and highlighted with a blue border. A zoom slider is visible at the bottom of the viewer.
- Metadata Panel (Right):** Shows details for the selected image. The image is named `blobs` and has an ID of `178`. The owner is `Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler`. The **Image Details** section shows the following information:

Import Date:	2022-04-28 10:27:07
Dimensions (XY):	256 x 254
Pixels Type:	uint8
Pixels Size (XYZ) (µm):	-
Z-sections/Timepoints:	1 x 1
Channels:	0
ROI Count:	1

- Example: Counting nuclei after segmentation with Cellpose

Apply Cellpose 2D Model on Image in OMERO

This notebook demonstrates how to apply a Cellpose 2D model on an image stored in a OMERO server.

We start by importing the necessary Python libraries.

```
import numpy as np
from skimage.io import imread
from getpass import getpass
import ezomero
from cellpose import models
from omero.constants import metadata
```

1. Connect to OMERO server

```
HOST = 'omero-int.biotec.tu-dresden.de'

conn = ezomero.connect(host=HOST, user=input("Username: "),
                      password=getpass("OMERO Password: "), port=4064, group='', secure=True)
```

2. Opening Image

With OMERO, we need the image ID to open the image.

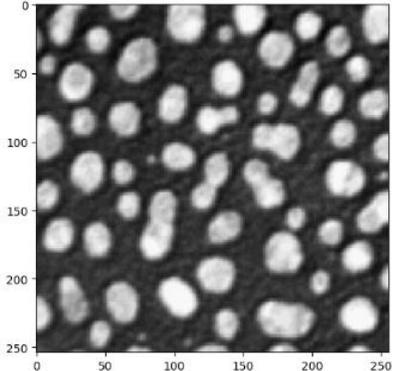
```
image_id = 178
```

We can open the image with `get_image` from `ezomero` and print its shape. Notice now that the shape is standardized to `(T, Z, X, Y, C)`.

```
omero_image, image = ezomero.get_image(conn, image_id, no_pixels=False)
print(image.shape)

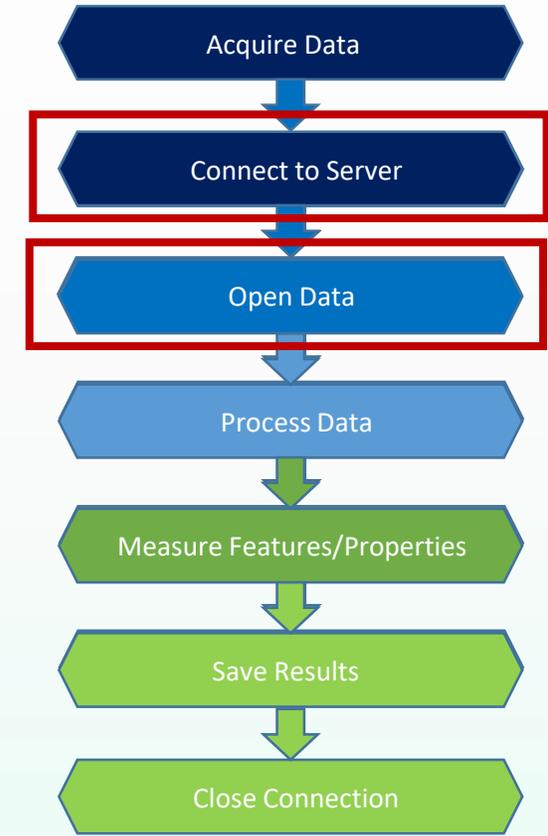
name = omero_image.getName()
print(name)
```

```
imshow(np.squeeze(image))
```



It may be useful to also get the dataset ID to save the results.

```
dataset = omero_image.getParent()
dataset_id = dataset.getId()
print("Dataset ID: ", dataset_id)
```



- Example: Counting nuclei after segmentation with Cellpose

3. Loading Pre-trained Model

```
Cellpose models.  
  
cellpose_model_names = models.MODEL_NAMES  
chosen_model = cellpose_model_names[1]  
print("Chosen model: ", chosen_model)  
model = models.Cellpose(gpu=True, model_type=chosen_model)
```

[7] ✓ 0.2s Python

... Chosen model: nuclei

4. Running Predictions

We run the predictions on the image using the loaded model.

```
labels, flows, styles, diams = model.eval(image, diameter=15)
```

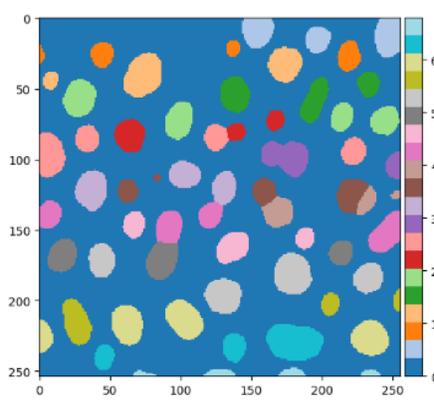
[8] ✓ 2.8s Python

```
print("Number of Nuclei: ", labels.max())  
imshow(labels, cmap='tab20')
```

[9] ✓ 0.2s Python

... Number of Nuclei: 68
c:\Users\mazo260d\nameforge\envs\omero-cellpose-python\lib\site-packages\skimage\io_plugins\io, hi, cmap = _get_display_range(image)

... <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x2b0e68e6e20>



5. Saving Outputs

Finally, we save the predicted label back to OMERO in the same dataset as the original image.

```
labels = np.expand_dims(labels, axis=[2, 3, 4])  
print(labels.shape)  
label_image_name = name + "_label_" + chosen_model  
print(label_image_name)
```

[10] ✓ 0.0s Python

... (254, 256, 1, 1, 1)
blobs_label_nuclei

```
im_id = ezomero.post_image(conn, labels, label_image_name,  
dataset_id=dataset_id,  
dim_order = 'xyzct') # xyzct led to rotated
```

[11] ✓ 1.2s Python

... WARNING:root:Using this function to save images to OMERO is not recommended when `transfer=ln_`

6. Adding Metadata

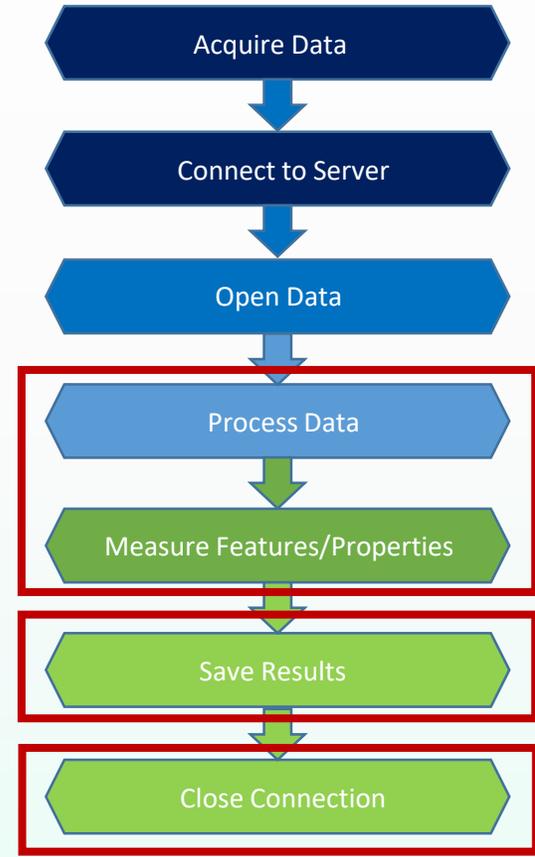
```
ns = metadata.NSCLIENTMAPANNOTATION  
dict1 = {'Number of Nuclei': labels.max(),}  
ezomero.post_map_annotation(conn, "Image", image_id, dict1, ns)  
dict2 = {'Cellpose Model': chosen_model,  
        'Number of Nuclei': labels.max(),}  
ezomero.post_map_annotation(conn, "Image", im_id, dict2, ns)
```

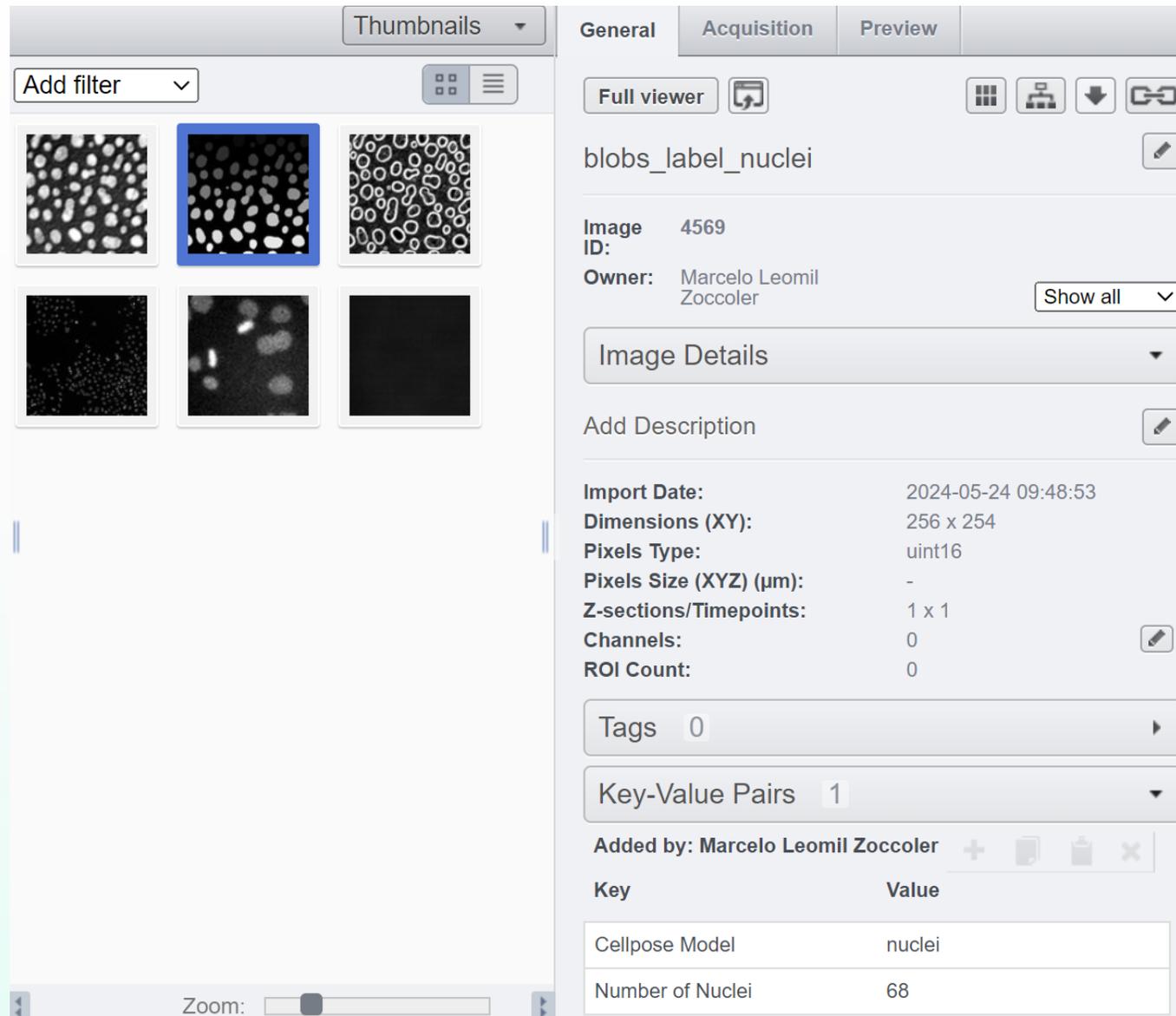
[12] ✓ 1.5s Python

7. Closing Connection

```
conn.close()
```

[13] Python





The screenshot displays the OMERO web interface. On the left, a 'Thumbnails' panel shows a grid of image thumbnails, with the second one in the top row highlighted. The main area is divided into 'General', 'Acquisition', and 'Preview' tabs. The 'General' tab is active, showing the image name 'blobs_label_nuclei' and its ID '4569'. The owner is listed as 'Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler'. Below this, the 'Image Details' section provides technical specifications: Import Date (2024-05-24 09:48:53), Dimensions (256 x 254), Pixels Type (uint16), Pixels Size (none), Z-sections/Timepoints (1 x 1), Channels (0), and ROI Count (0). The 'Tags' section shows 0 tags, and the 'Key-Value Pairs' section shows 1 pair: 'Cellpose Model' with the value 'nuclei'. A table below lists 'Number of Nuclei' as 68. The interface also includes a 'Zoom' slider at the bottom.

Thumbnails

Add filter

blobs_label_nuclei

Image ID: 4569

Owner: Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler

Show all

Image Details

Add Description

Import Date: 2024-05-24 09:48:53

Dimensions (XY): 256 x 254

Pixels Type: uint16

Pixels Size (XYZ) (µm): -

Z-sections/Timepoints: 1 x 1

Channels: 0

ROI Count: 0

Tags 0

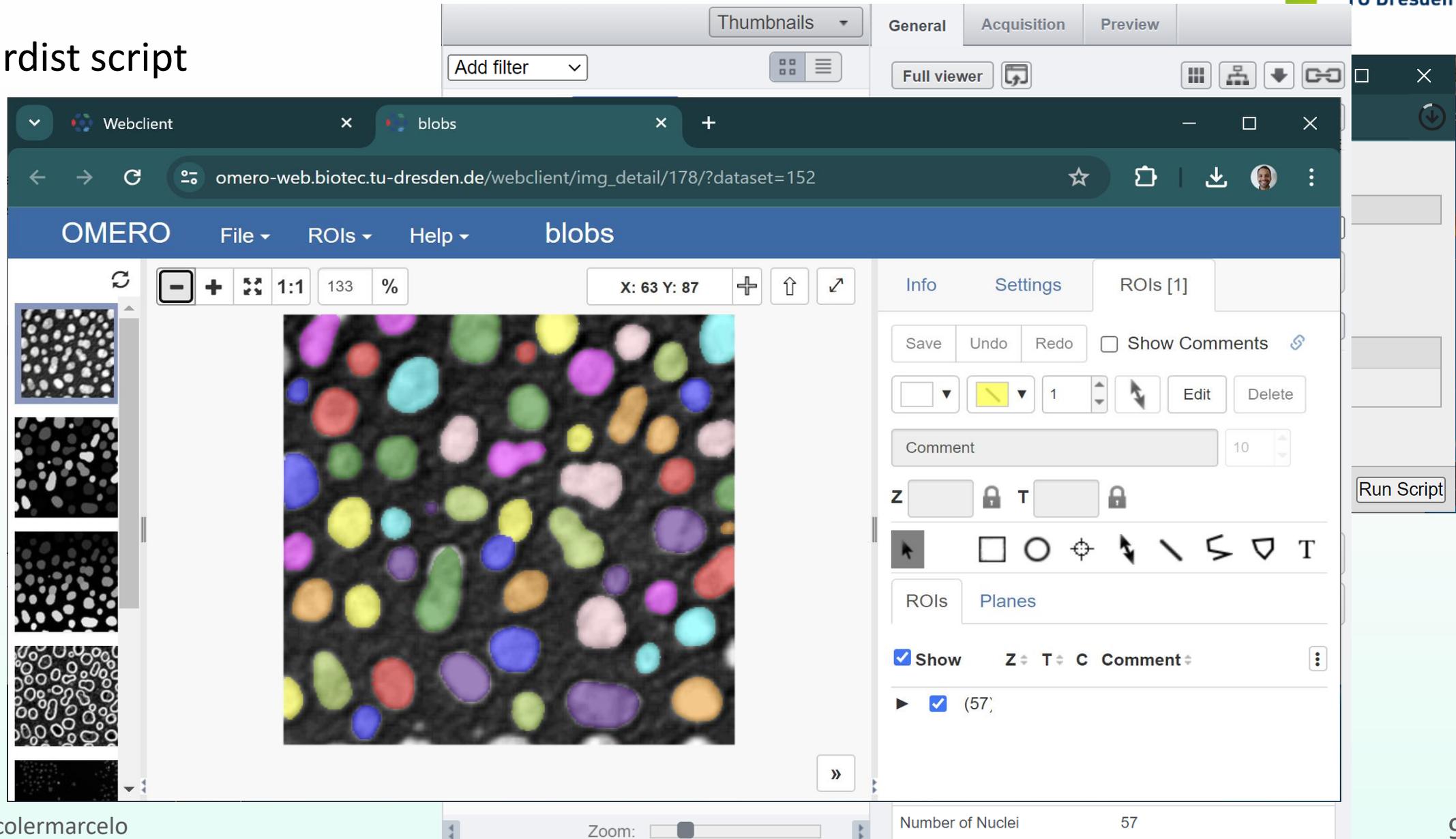
Key-Value Pairs 1

Added by: Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler

Key	Value
Cellpose Model	nuclei
Number of Nuclei	68

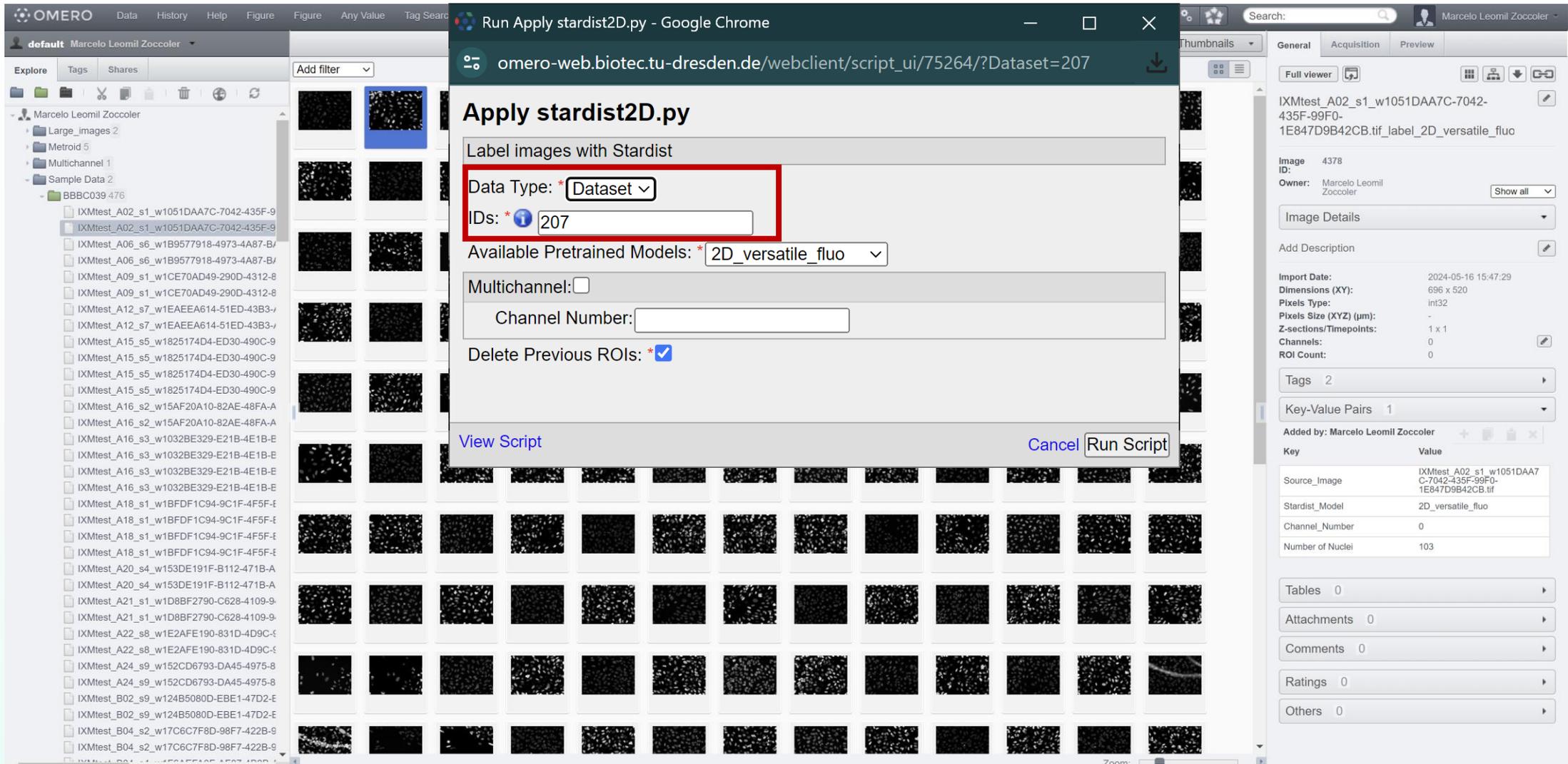
Zoom: [Slider]

- Stardist script



The screenshot displays the OMERO web client interface. At the top, a browser window shows the URL `omero-web.biotec.tu-dresden.de/webclient/img_detail/178/?dataset=152`. The OMERO header includes a menu with 'File', 'ROIs', and 'Help', and the current dataset name 'blobs'. The main image area shows a microscopy image with 57 segmented nuclei, each assigned a unique color. The toolbar above the image includes zoom controls, a 1:1 magnification, and coordinates (X: 63 Y: 87). On the left, a vertical stack of thumbnails shows different processing steps. On the right, a panel contains a 'Run Script' button, an 'Info' tab, and a list of ROIs with a 'Show' checkbox and a count of '(57)'. The bottom status bar indicates 'Number of Nuclei 57'.

Batch Processing with OMERO



Run Apply stardist2D.py - Google Chrome

omero-web.biotec.tu-dresden.de/webclient/script_ui/75264/?Dataset=207

Apply stardist2D.py

Label images with Stardist

Data Type: * Dataset ▾

IDs: * 207

Available Pretrained Models: * 2D_versatile_fluo ▾

Multichannel:

Channel Number:

Delete Previous ROIs: *

[View Script](#) [Cancel](#) [Run Script](#)

General Acquisition Preview

Full viewer

IXMtest_A02_s1_w1051DAA7C-7042-435F-99F0-1E847D9B42CB.tif_label_2D_versatile_fluo

Image ID: 4378

Owner: Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler [Show all](#) ▾

Image Details ▾

Add Description

Import Date: 2024-05-16 15:47:29

Dimensions (XY): 696 x 520

Pixels Type: int32

Pixels Size (XYZ) (µm): -

Z-sections/Timepoints: 1 x 1

Channels: 0

ROI Count: 0

Tags 2 ▾

Key-Value Pairs 1 ▾

Added by: Marcelo Leomil Zoccoler

Key	Value
Source_Image	IXMtest_A02_s1_w1051DAA7C-7042-435F-99F0-1E847D9B42CB.tif
Stardist_Model	2D_versatile_fluo
Channel_Number	0
Number of Nuclei	103

Tables 0 ▾

Attachments 0 ▾

Comments 0 ▾

Ratings 0 ▾

Others 0 ▾

- Fixed 2-level hierarchy forces researchers to structure their data from start
- Extra levels of complexity could get achieved by adding tags
- Data, metadata and results from analysis can be all in the same place and linked (FAIR)
- OMERO scripts are very handy for light simple algorithms
- Complex algorithms that require lots of computational resources, like deep-learning, would need special servers and would be best loaded and processed in HPCs or powerful workstations
- Tiled processing for large images is not straight-forward (bandwidth limitations for writing whole large images)
- ezomero library eases a lot programming with OMERO compared to default Python bindings, but it does not have some functionalities yet (like write tiles)

- OMERO guide Python: <https://github.com/ome/omero-guide-python>
- OMERO Python Language Bindings:
<https://docs.openmicroscopy.org/omero/5.4.5/developers/Python.html>
- ezomero: <https://thejacksonlaboratory.github.io/ezomero/>

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