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## Creating the Human Organ Atlas with HiP-CT

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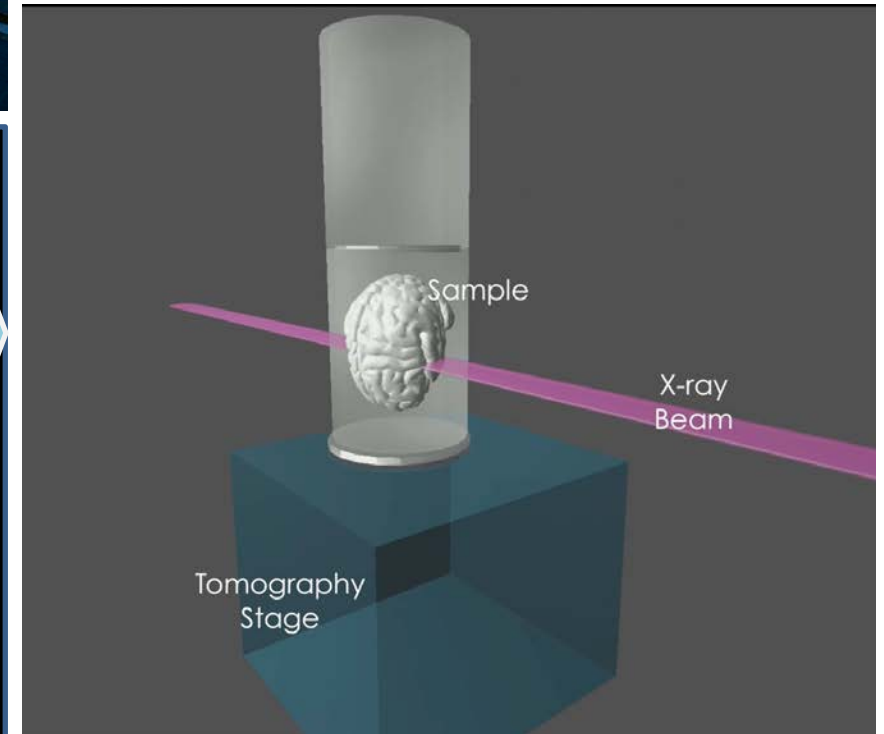
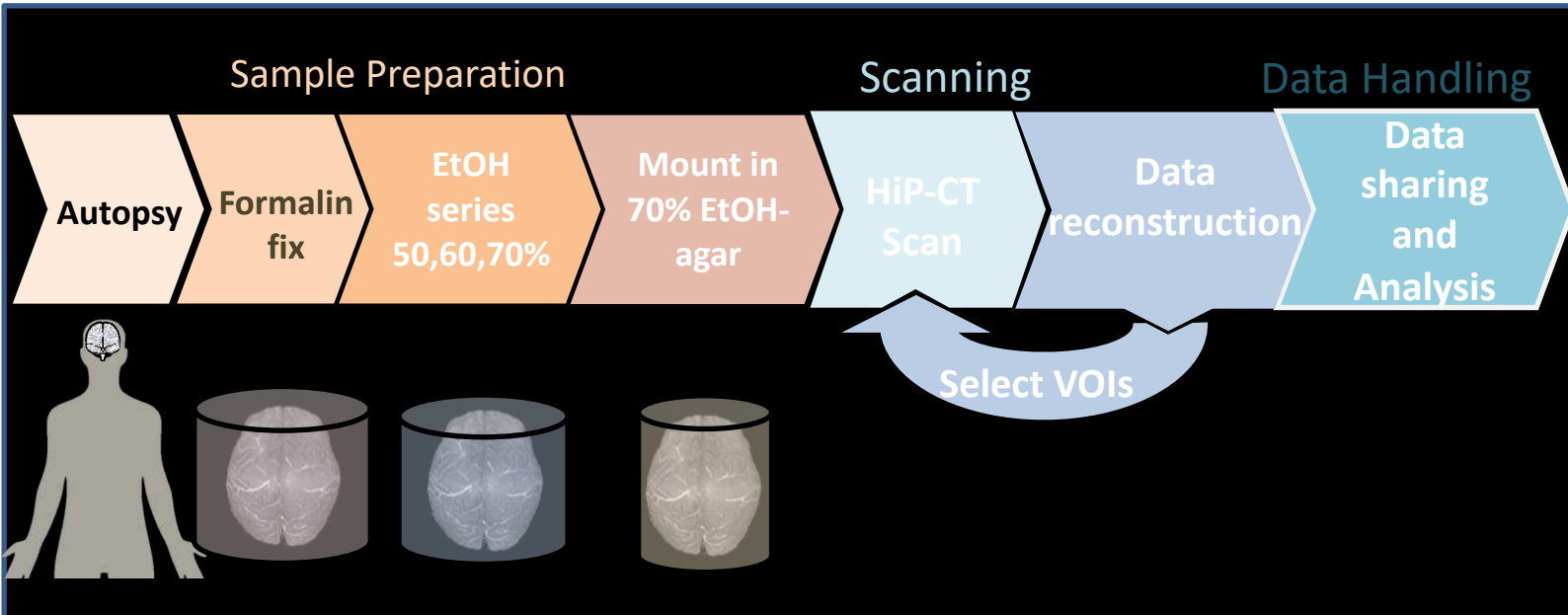
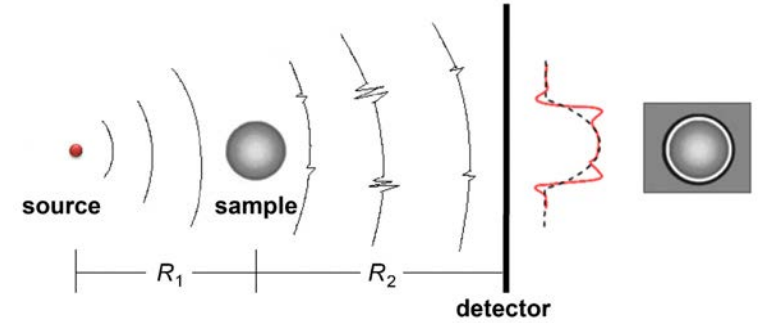
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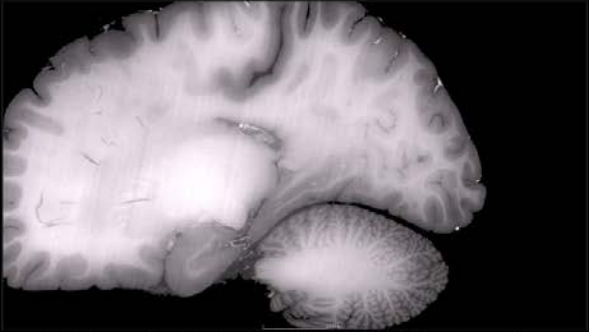
**Human Organ Atlas** EXPLORE SEARCH HELP

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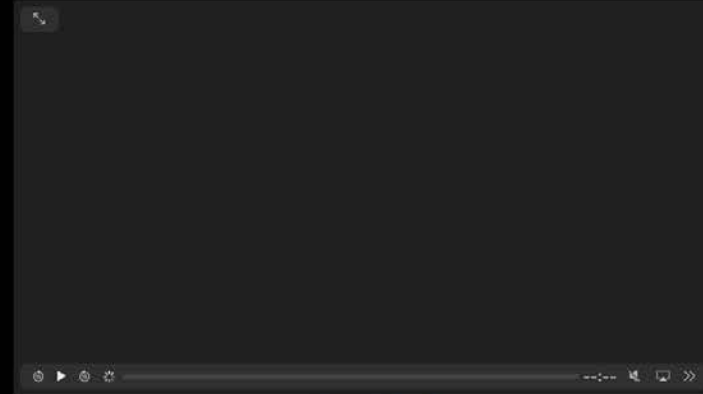
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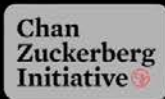


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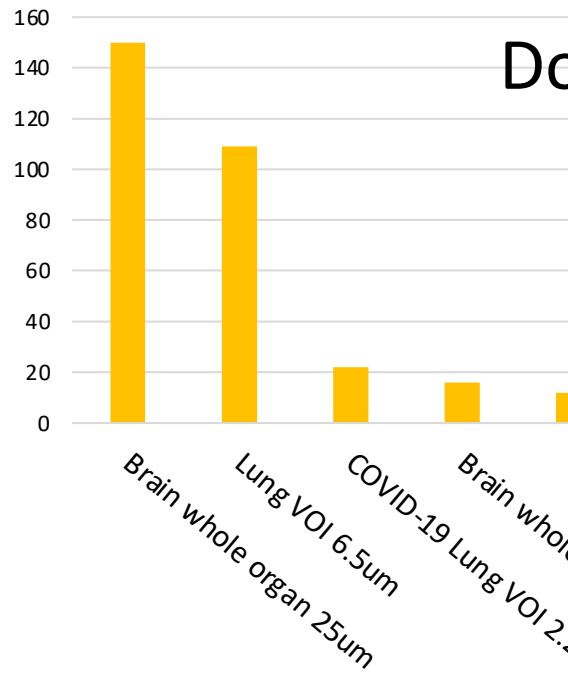


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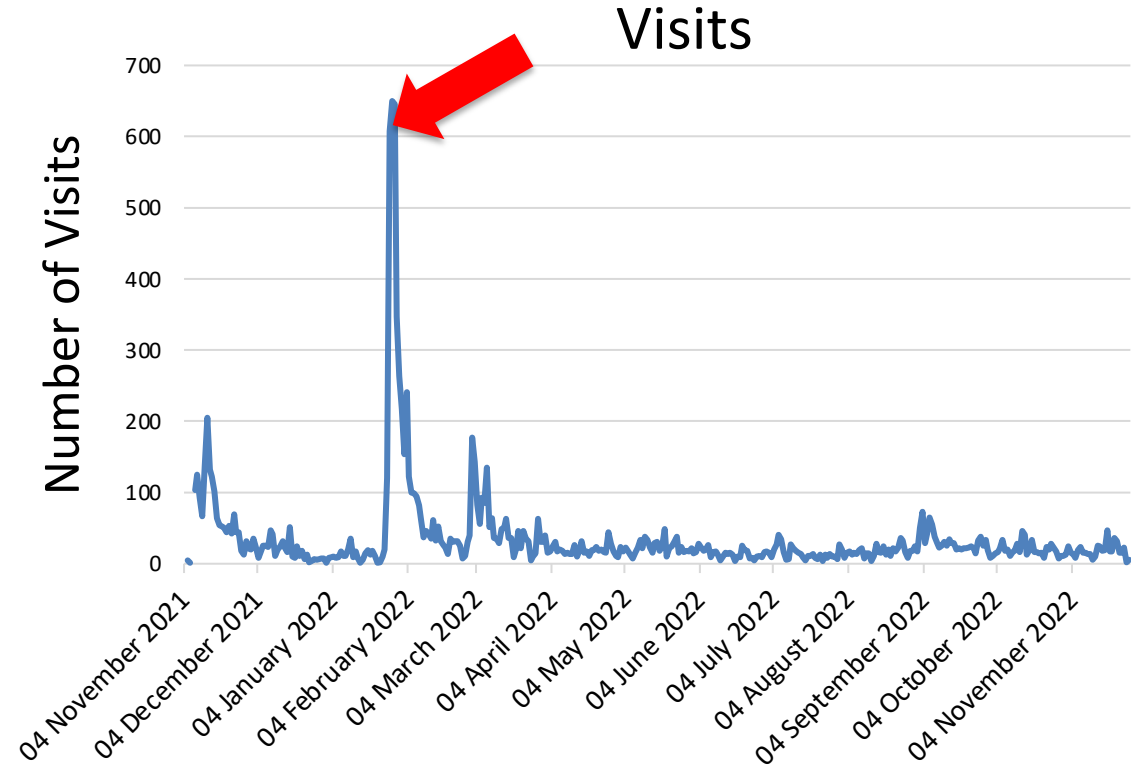



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"The images were awe-inspiring."  
 @NatGeo have published an article on the development of @hip\_ct's Human Organ Atlas, a project from UCL MechEng and @esrfsynchrotron, supported @cziscience.  
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## TINC: Tree-structured Implicit Neural Compression

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### Abstract

Implicit neural representation (INR) can describe the target scenes with high fidelity using a small number of parameters, and is emerging as a promising data compression technique. However, INR is intrinsically of limited spec-

28]. Due to its powerful representation capability, INR can describe nature scenes at high fidelity with a much smaller number of parameters than raw discrete grid representation, and thus serves as a promising data compression technique.

In spite of the big potential, INR based compression is quite limited, confronted with large sized data [10].

## SCI: A Spectrum Concentrated Implicit Neural Compression for Biomedical Data

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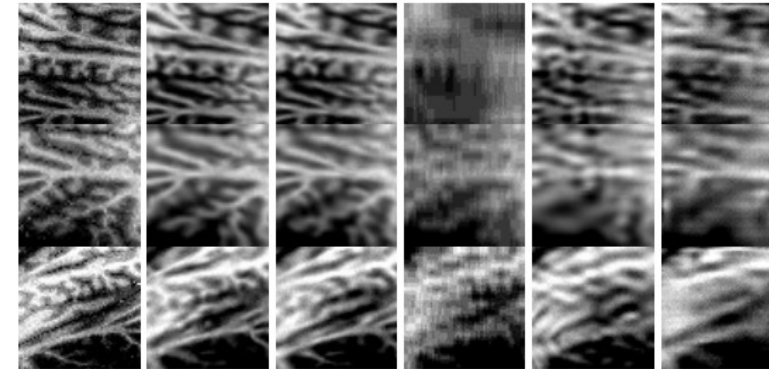
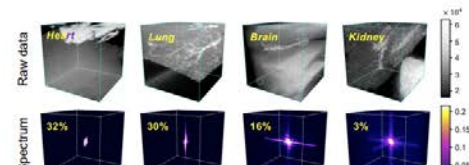
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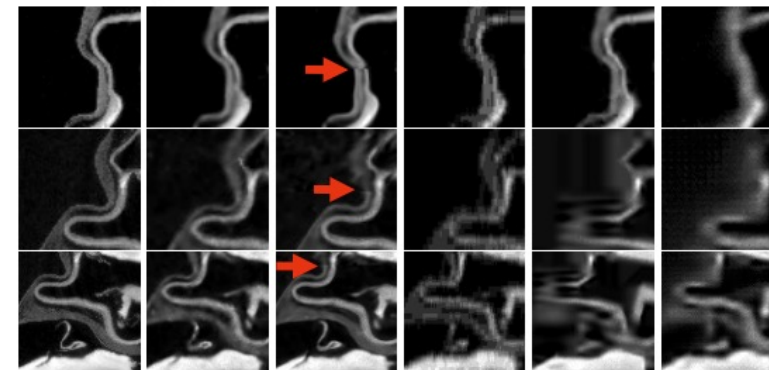
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Massive collection and explosive growth of biomedical data, demands effective compression for efficient storage, transmission and sharing. Readily available visual data compression techniques have been studied extensively but tailored for natural images/videos, and thus show limited performance on biomedical data, which are of



(a) Three ROIs from *Brain* data; compression ratio:  $\sim 87\times$

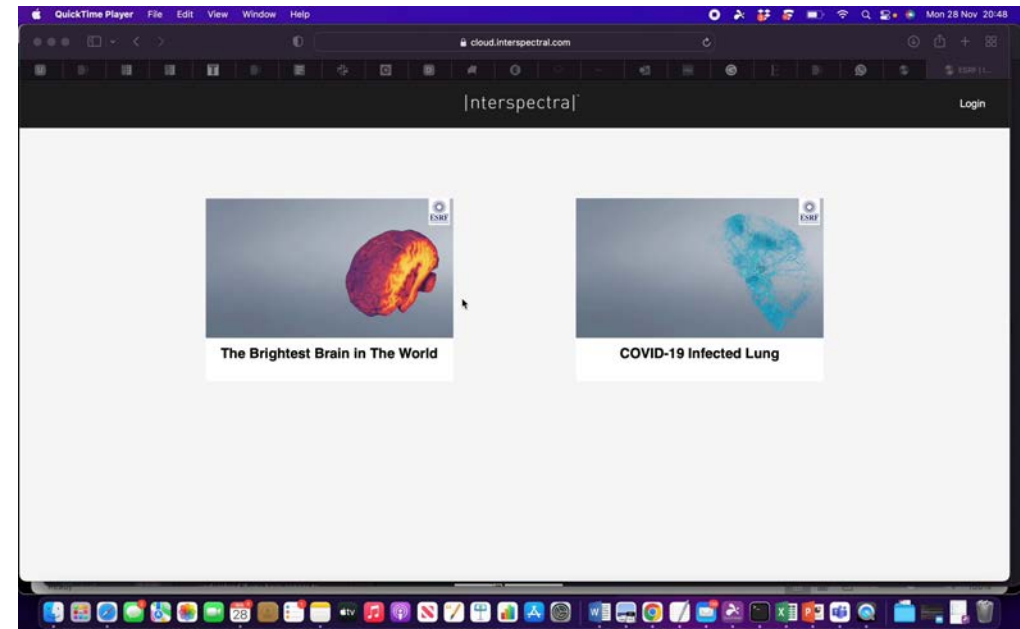
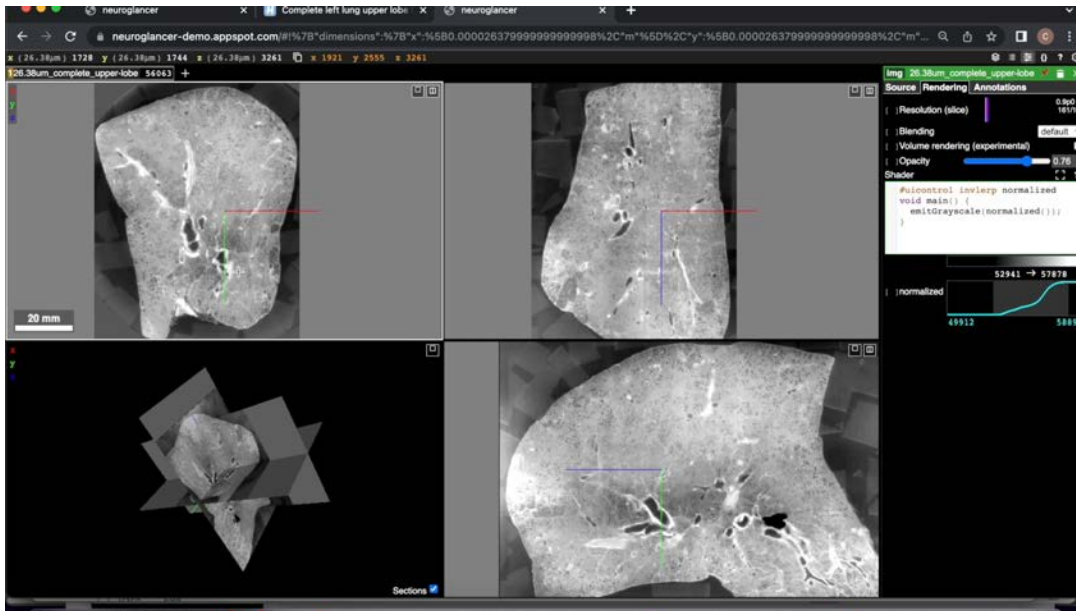
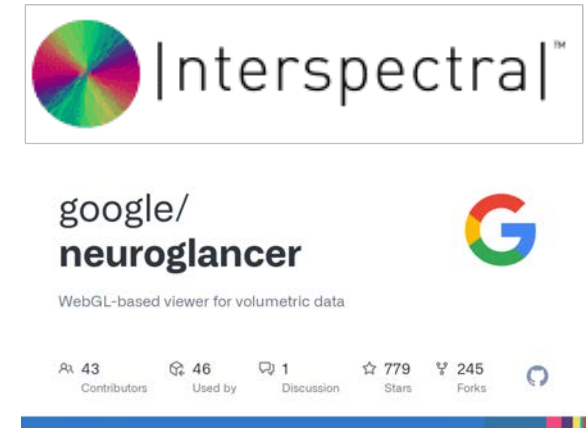


(b) Three ROIs from *Heart* data; compression ratio:  $\sim 87\times$

Ground Truth TINC (ours) SCI NeRV HEVC SGA+BB

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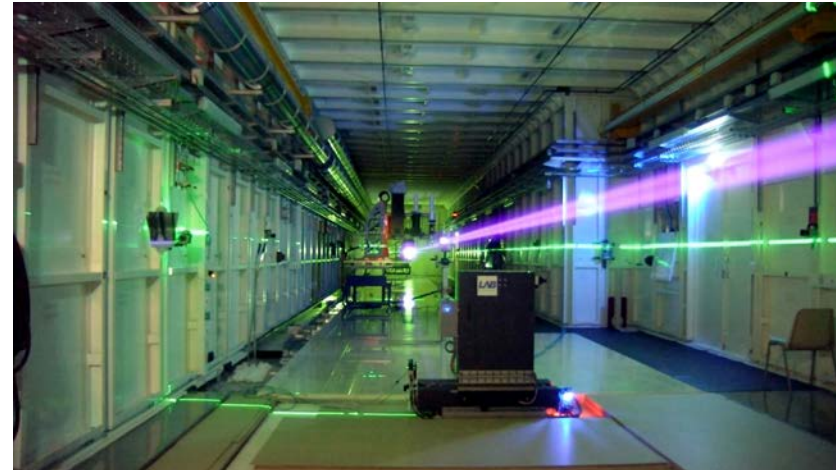
- Visualize before download
- Increase accessibility
- Who are the users what do they need?
- Testing Integration of Interspectra and Neuroglancer
- Highlighted data curation process flaws that we have to fix.





BM05

BM18





**We are now routinely producing 1TB per/hr (raw data)**

**Latest intact organ data sets are 10x larger than before - 805GB for a single organ in JP2000 compressed form**

- Imaging at 3 resolutions:
- Final image sizes are in JPG2000 with compression x10
  - Whole organ @18-25 $\mu$ m: **5-80GB**
  - Region of interest @6 $\mu$ m : **20-100GB**
  - Region of interest @1-2.5 $\mu$ m: **20-150GB**
- **Entire multiresolution datasets can be >1.5TB**



We are expanding



# Town Hall Meeting: Proposal for a Human Organ Atlas Hub at ESRF

16:00 EU time, 15:00UK, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>, via Zoom

Register at [https://bit.ly/HiP-CT-  
Workshop01](https://bit.ly/HiP-CT-Workshop01)



- We have made the HOA open to many
- Data is being used and resulting in publications – Very Cool!
- Enabling visualization will make it more accessible (we are told) – interaction with cloud based object storage at affordable prices, this is challenging.
- We plan to release more data but data curation pipelines are HARD! – Help needed
- We are growing, how do we expand to keep pace with expanding interest and expanding datasets?





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