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# Depolarized Dynamic Speckle

*From our planet to the laboratory*

**Elise Colin**

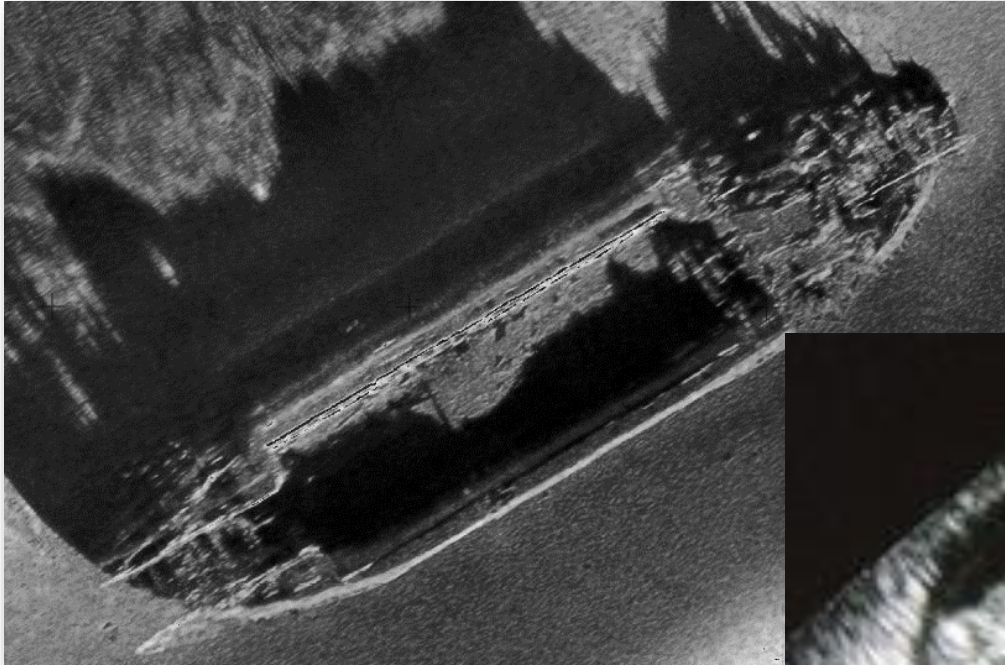


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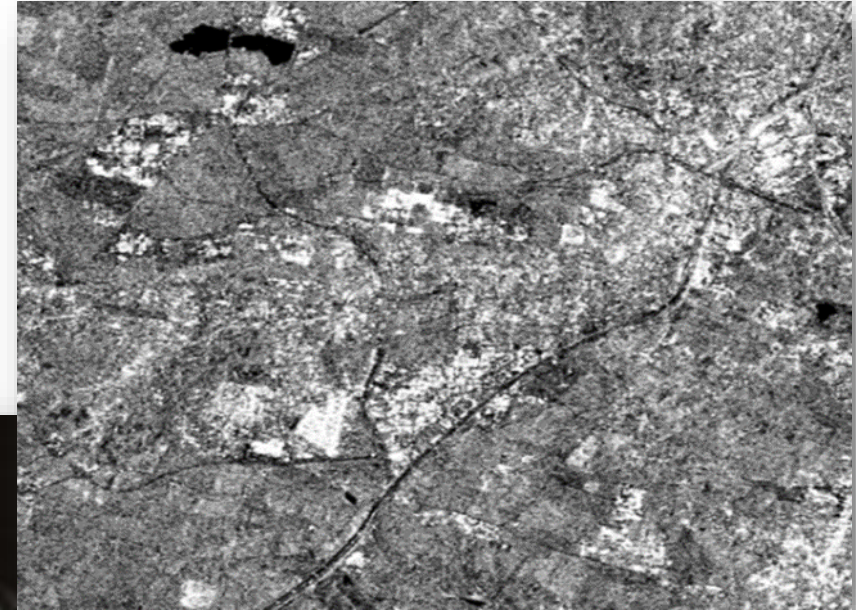


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# What is speckle?



Sonar



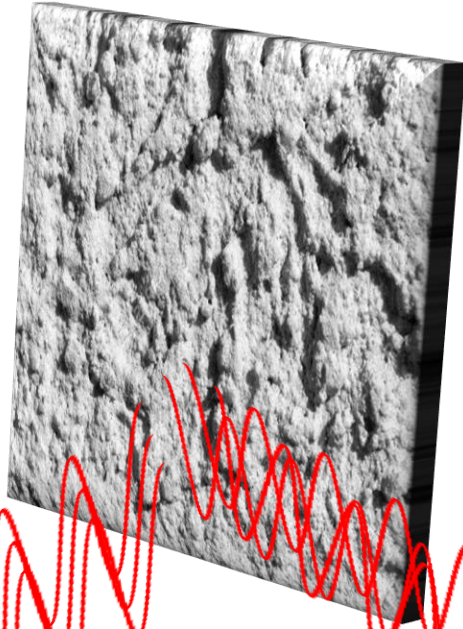
SAR (radar) images



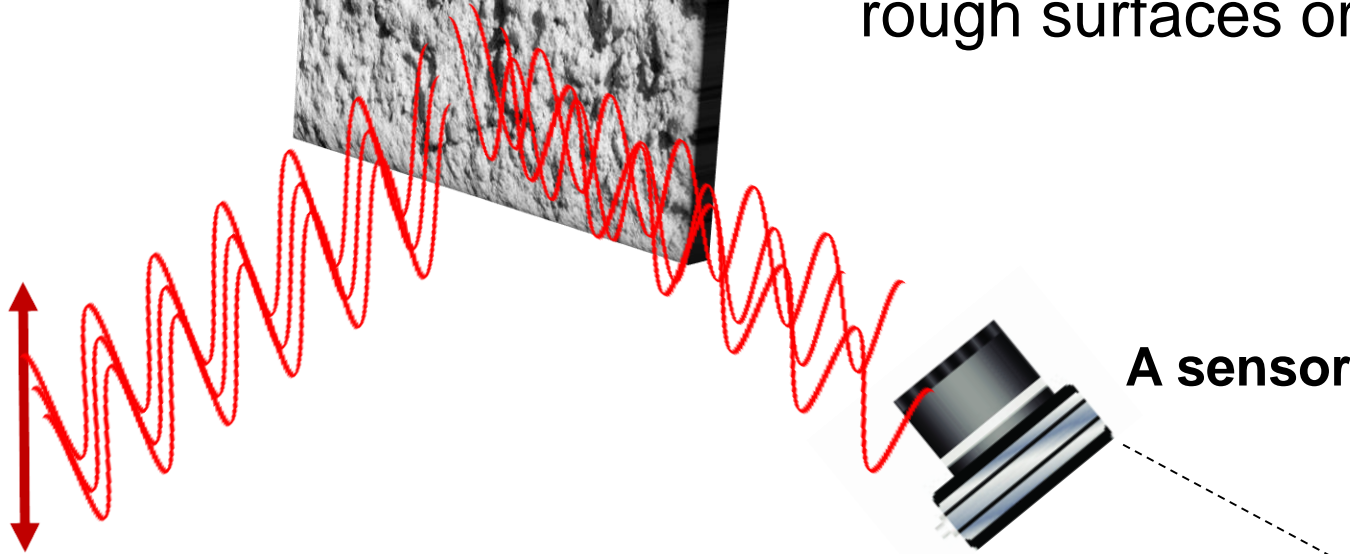
Echography

# What is speckle?

A rough surface or a diffusing volume

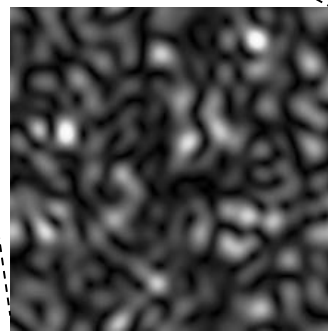


Interference phenomenon observable in images obtained by coherent imaging systems observing rough surfaces or volumes

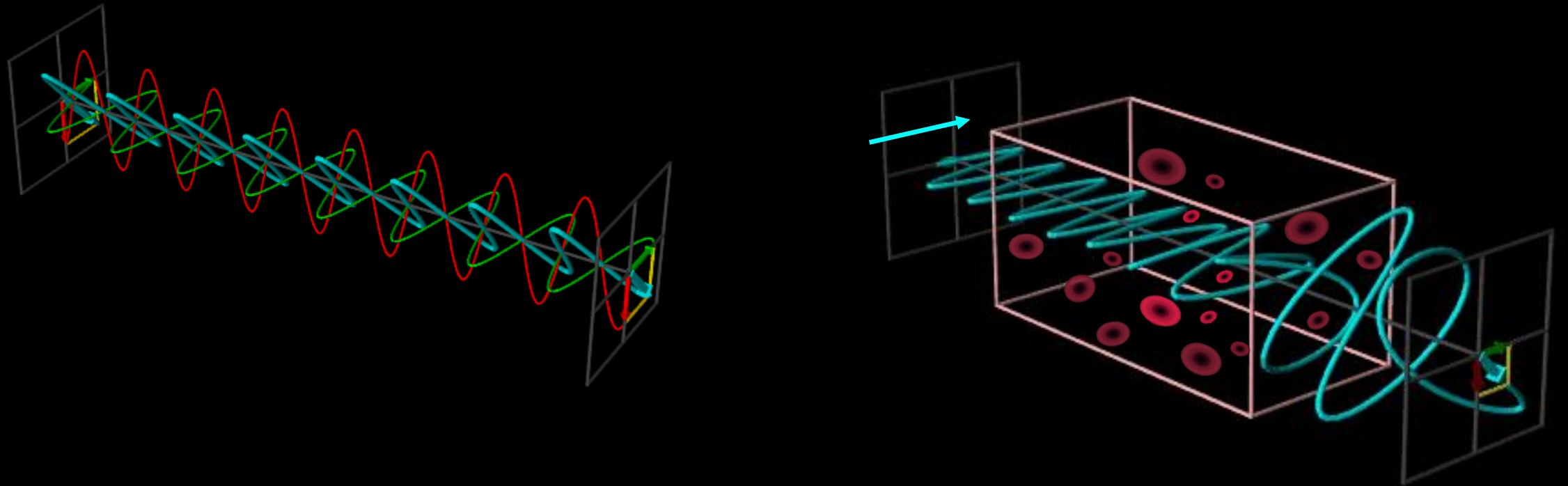


A coherent source

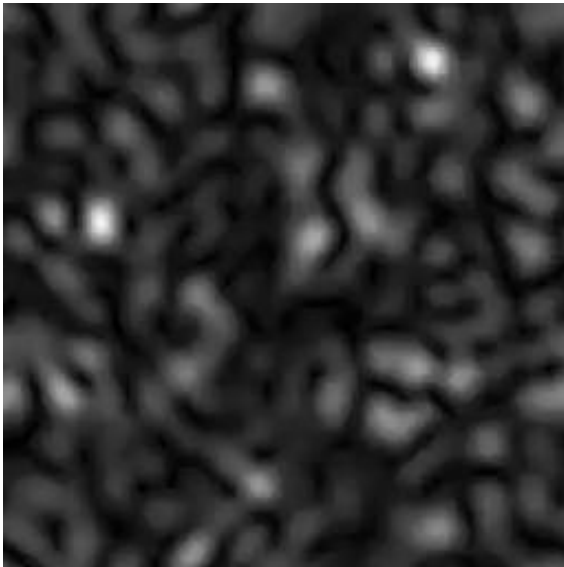
A sensor



# polarization



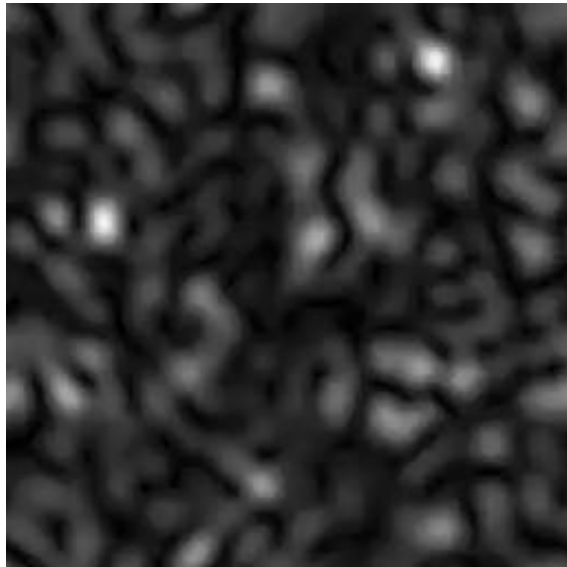
# What is dynamic speckle



$$A(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

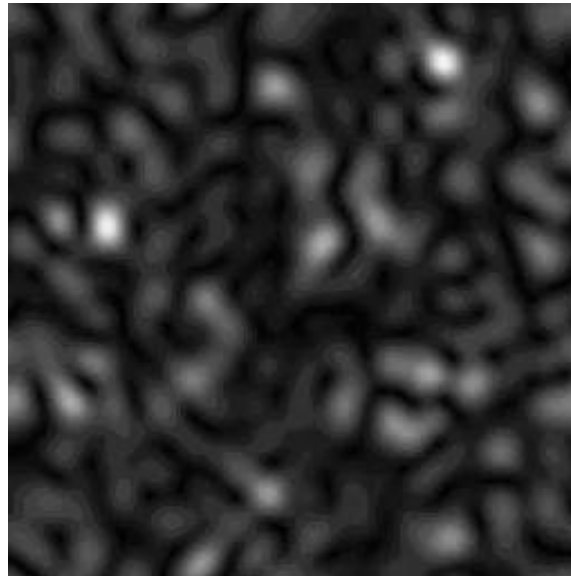
Physical Phenomenon

# What is dynamic speckle



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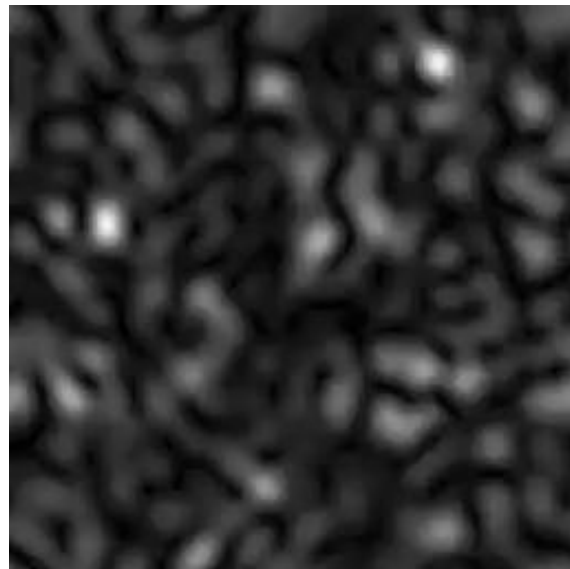
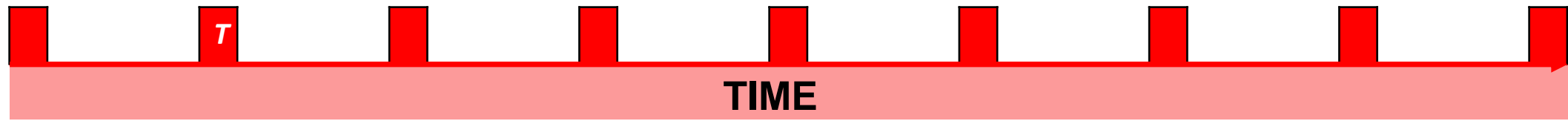
Physical Phenomenon



$$I_k(\mathbf{x}) = \int_{t_k - \frac{T}{2}}^{t_k + \frac{T}{2}} \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^*(\mathbf{x}, \tau) d\tau$$

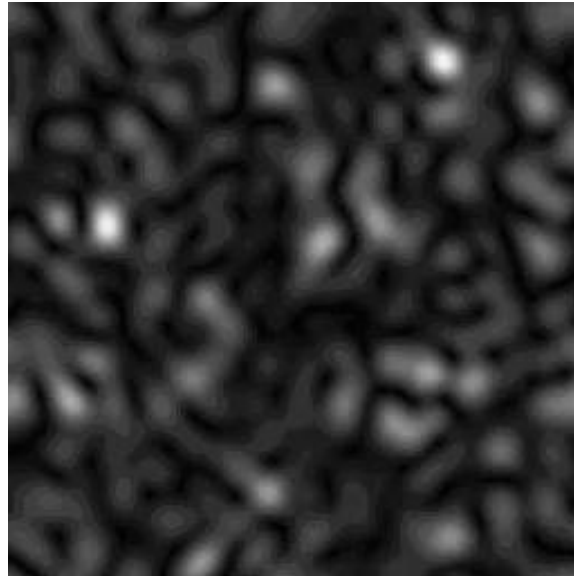
Measurement

# What is dynamic speckle



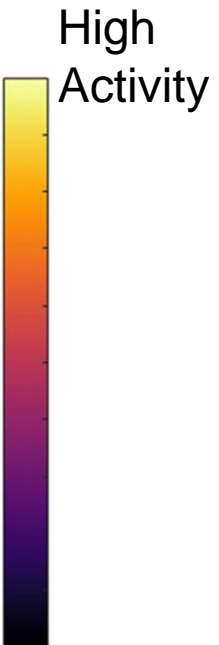
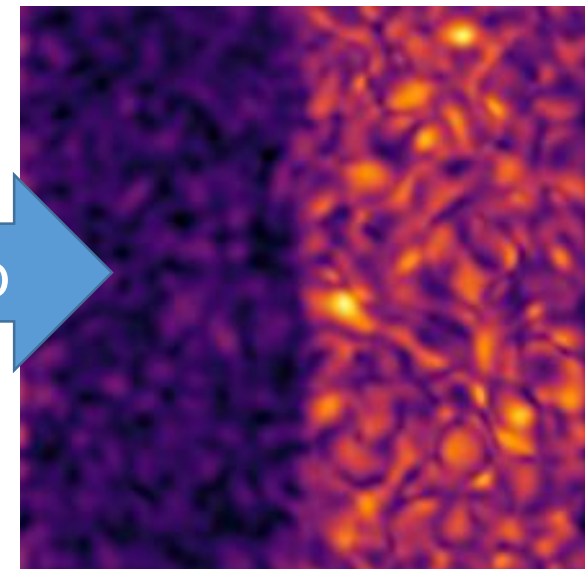
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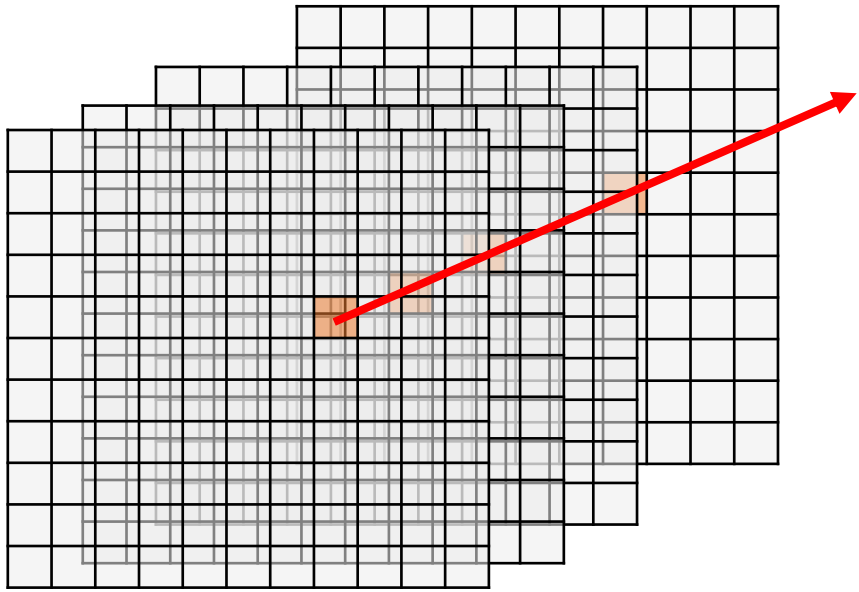
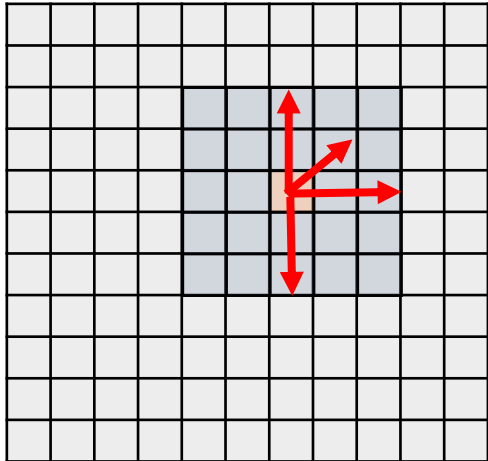
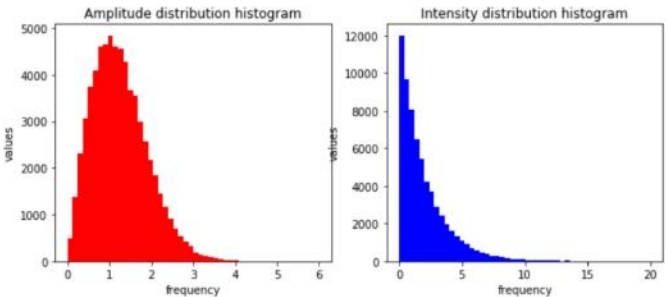
Construction of an index

# Statistics

The speckle constitutes a distinct field of statistics

- A reference model: the Godman speckle.
- Study of the distribution laws of positive real magnitudes or complex signals
- Widely employed ergodic properties:

$$Z = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{n=1}^N a_n e^{i\theta_n}$$



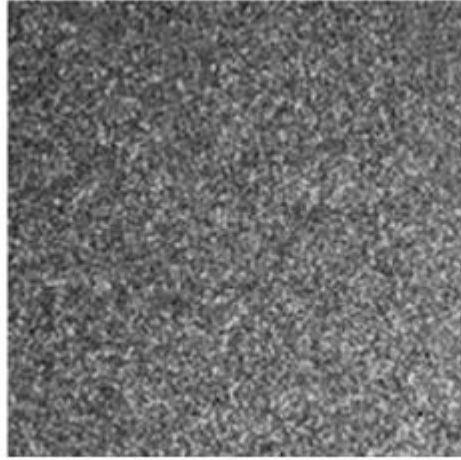


**T=1s**



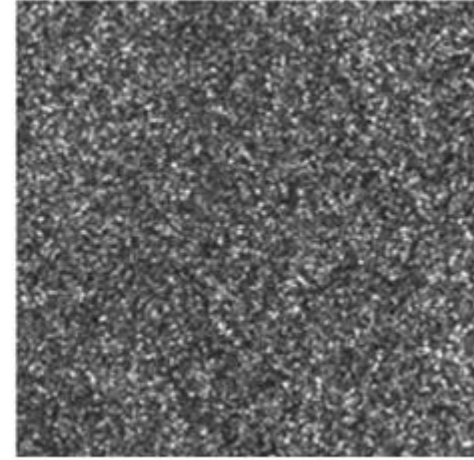
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**T=5ms**



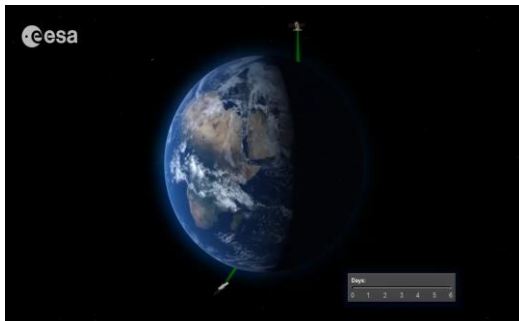
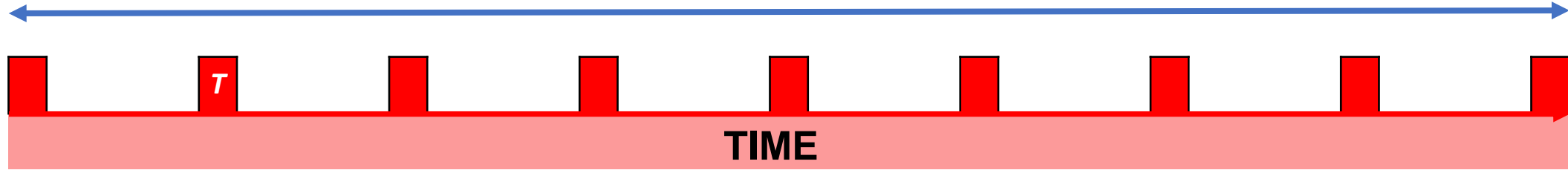
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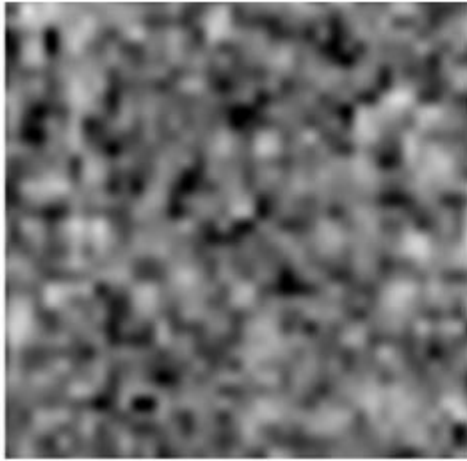


**TD=5s**

**Total Duration TD**

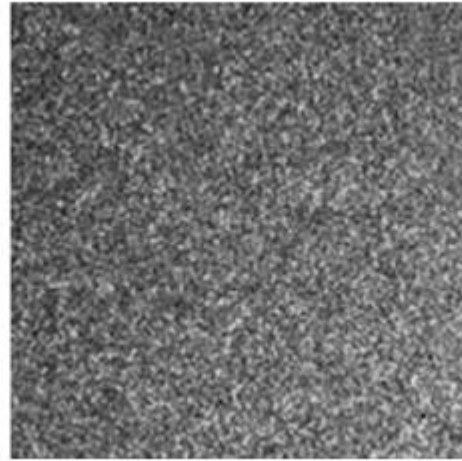


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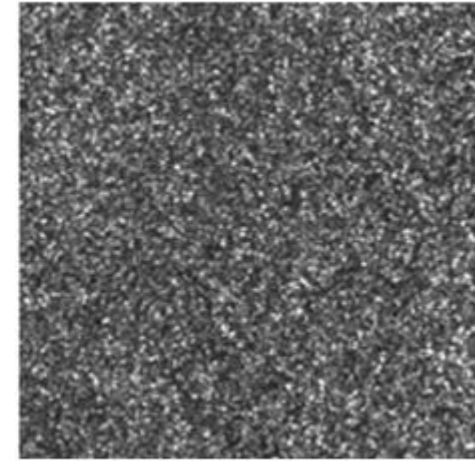
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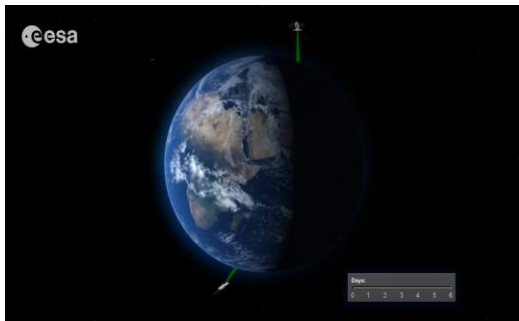
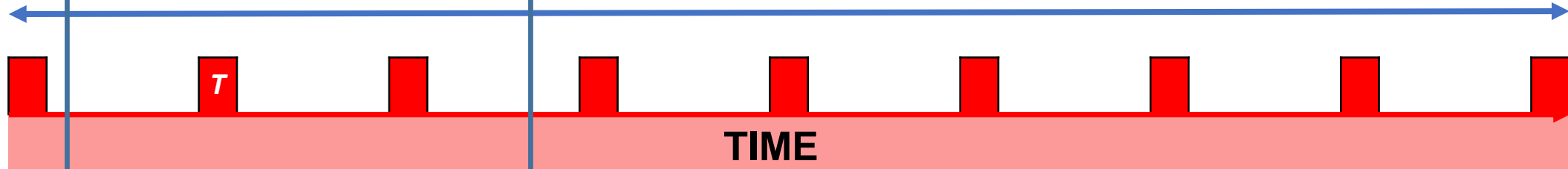
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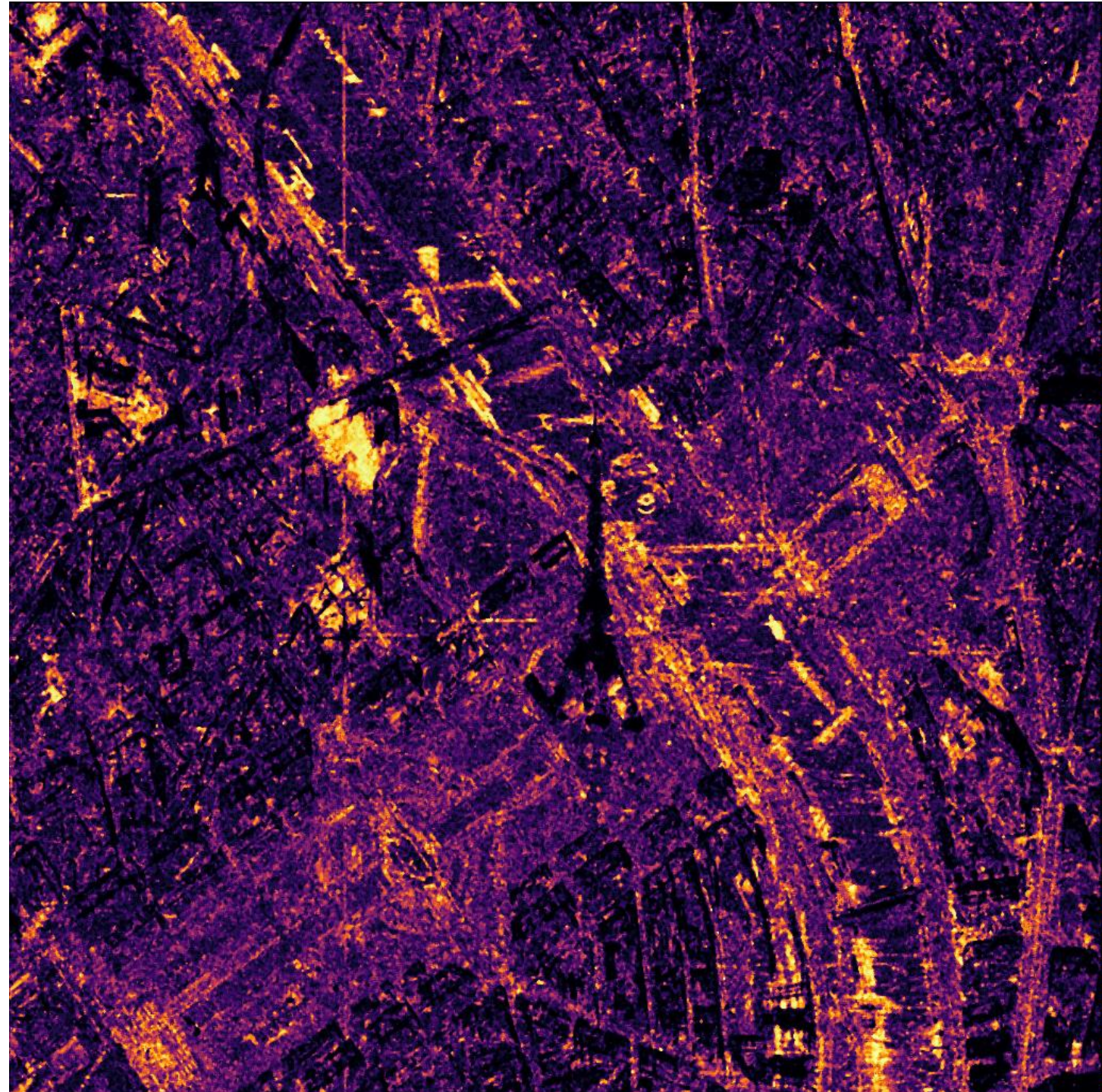
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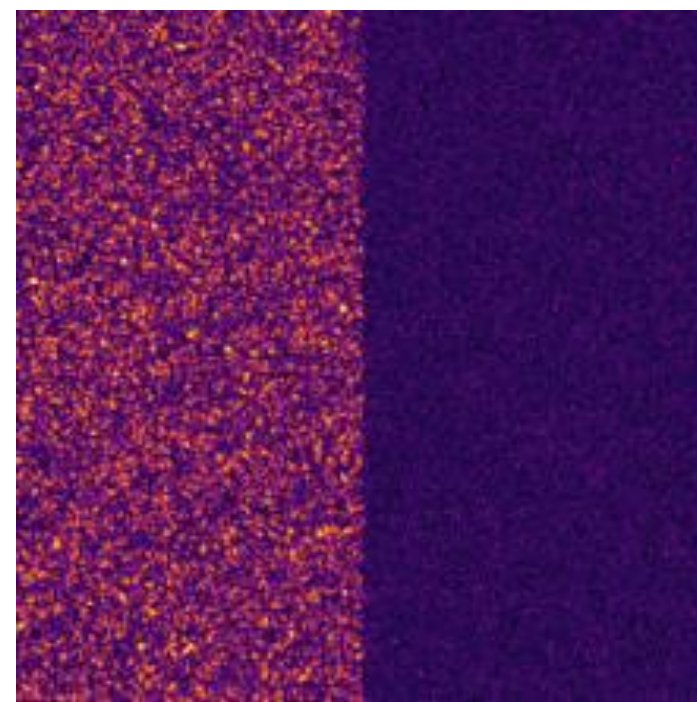
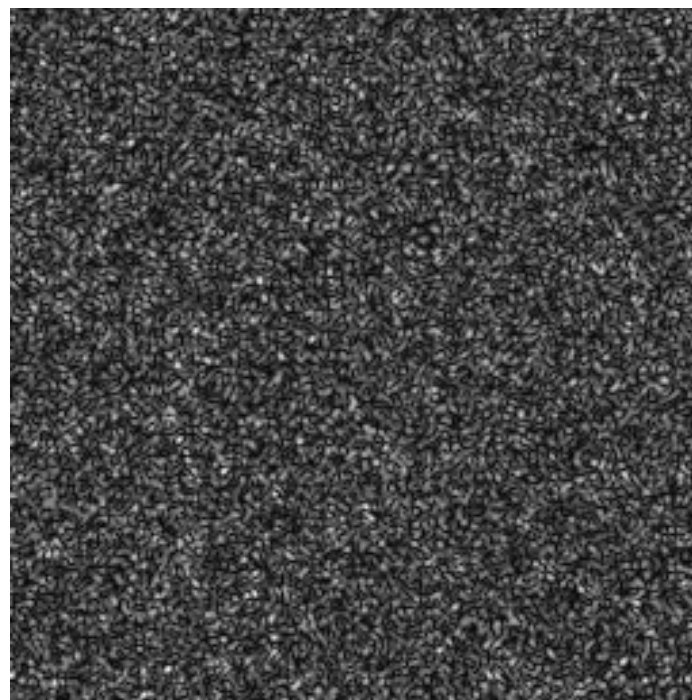
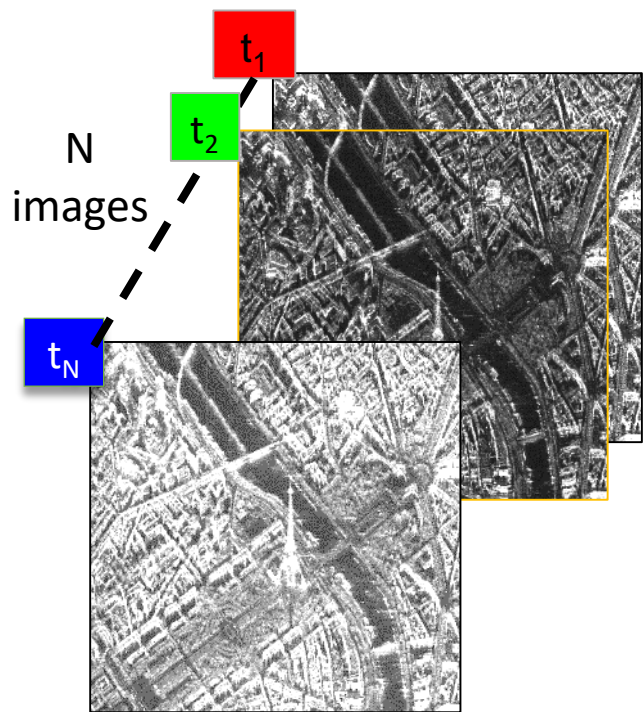
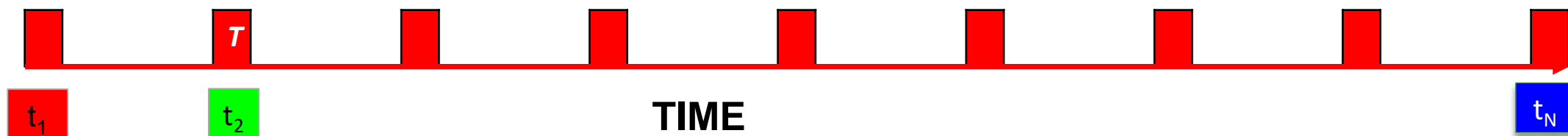




$$C_A(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\sigma(A_k(\mathbf{x}))}{\mu(A_k(\mathbf{x}))}$$



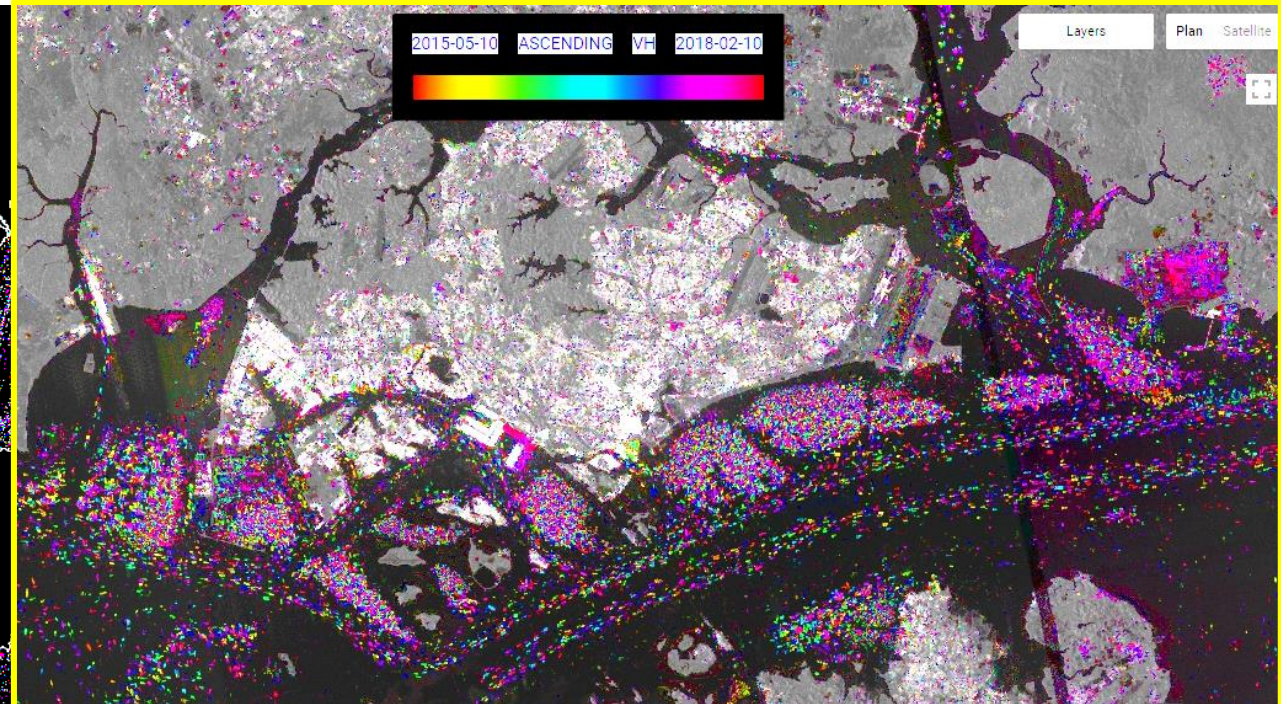
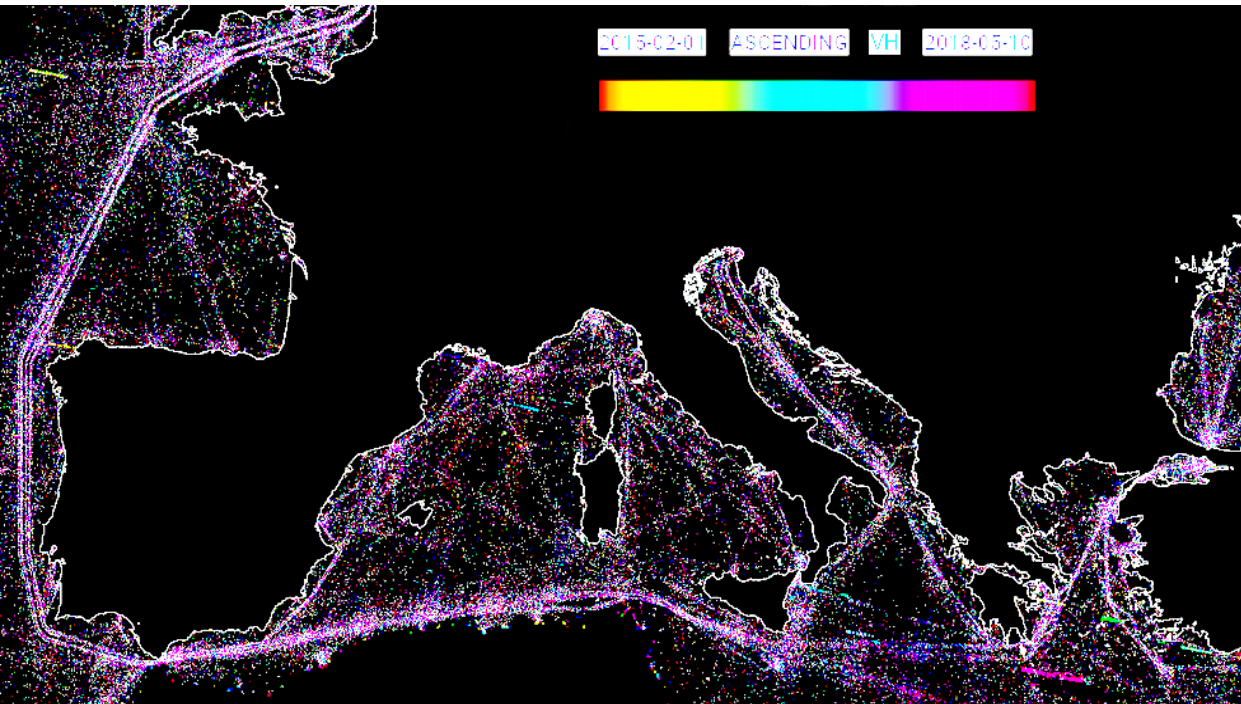
# Change detection in radar for Earth Observation



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Stable  
Speckle

# Applications to surveillance



**Best paper award:** "Visualisation des changements sur séries temporelles radar : méthode REACTIV évaluée à l'échelle mondiale sous Google Earth Engine" CFPT/RFIAP 2018 workshop



**Sentinel Hub**  
Custom Script Contest

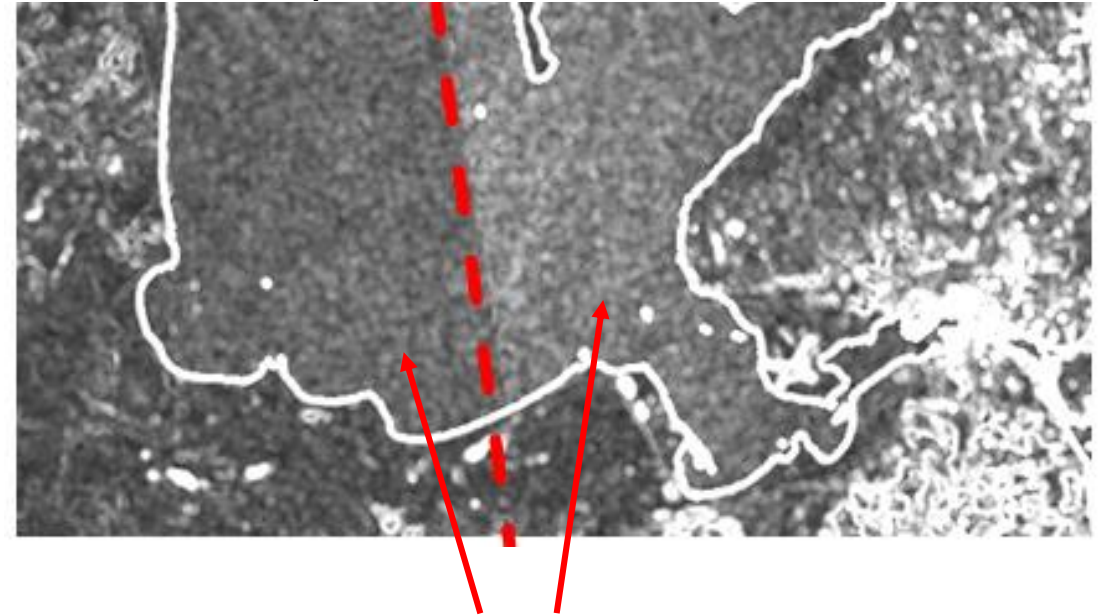


Early Bird Prize winner of the [@sentinel\\_hub](https://www.sentinel-hub.com/) Hub Custom Script Contest (2020, October)  
First Place: [@sentinel\\_hub](https://www.sentinel-hub.com/) 3d Custom Script Contest (2021, January)

# And now...towards a new video mode



speckle contrast

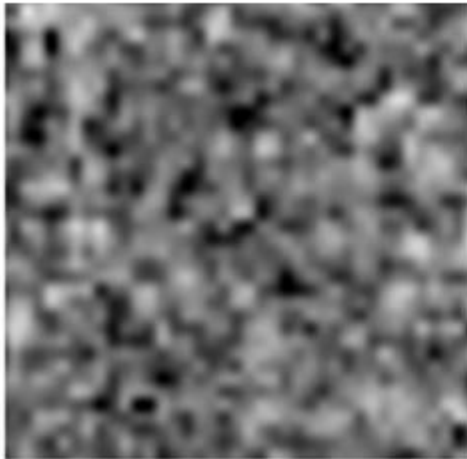


Images captured on different dates on a Lake.

- identical speckle contrast was anticipated
- but noticeable differences were measured.

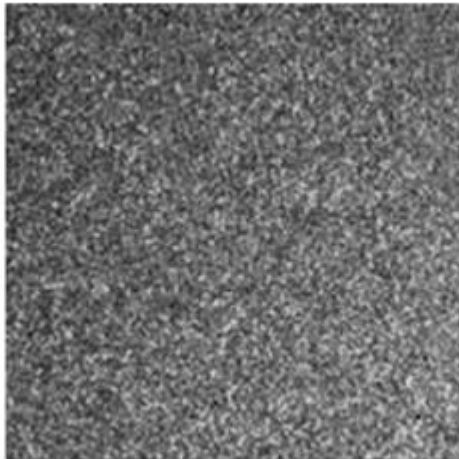
**What is going on when movement during the Time of Integration can not be neglected?**

**T=1s**



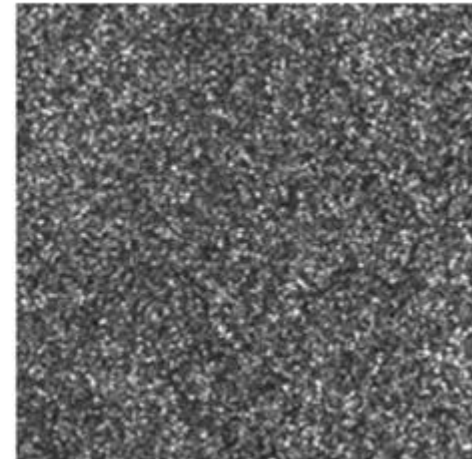
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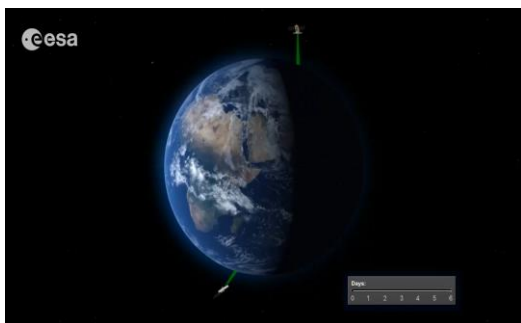
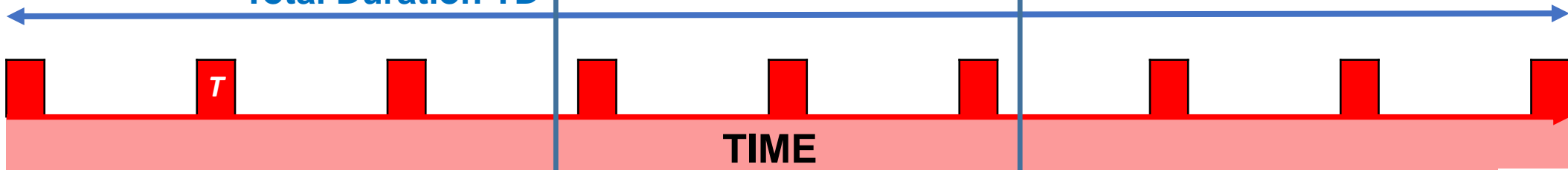
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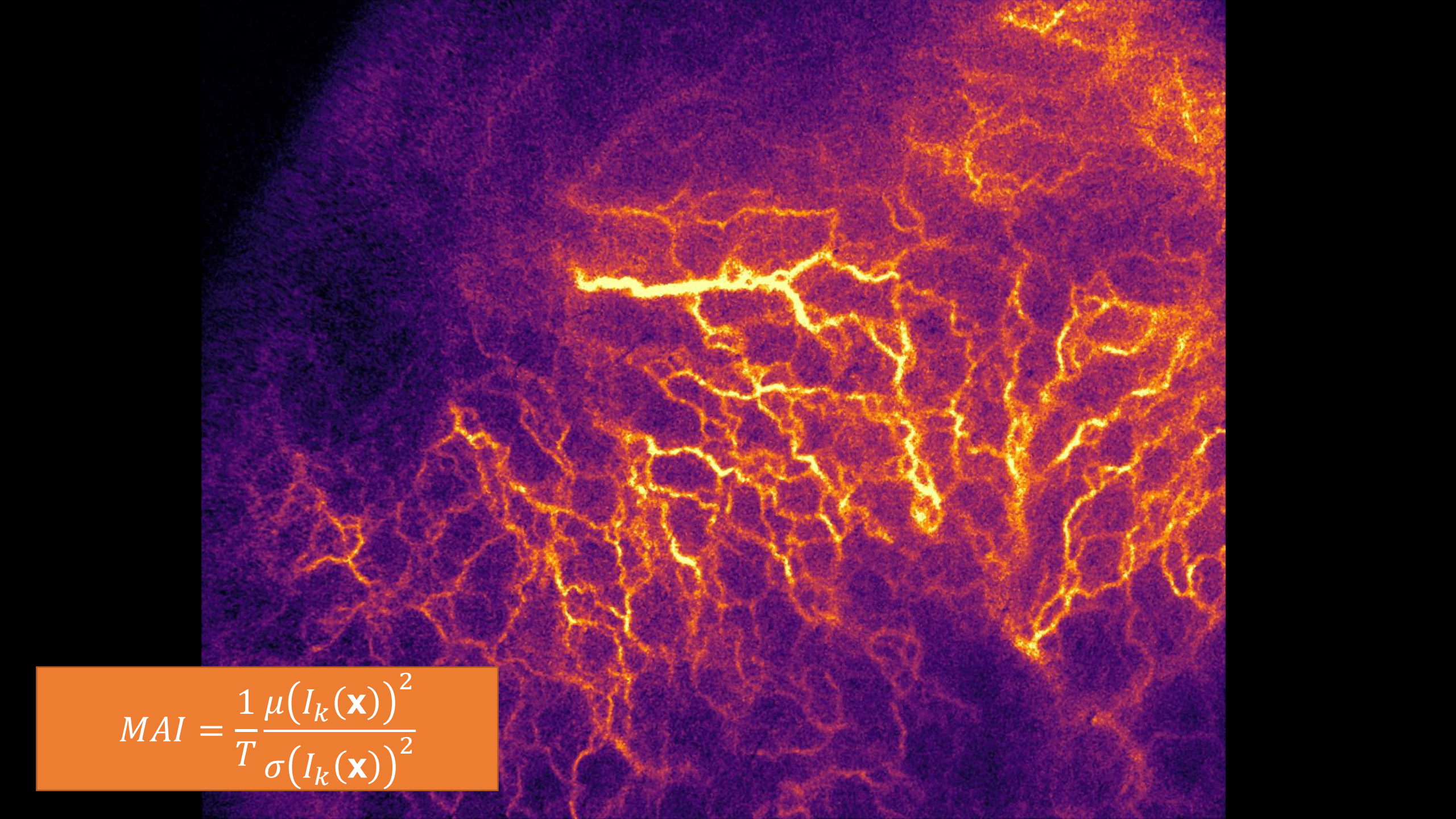
**TD=5s**

**Total Duration TD**

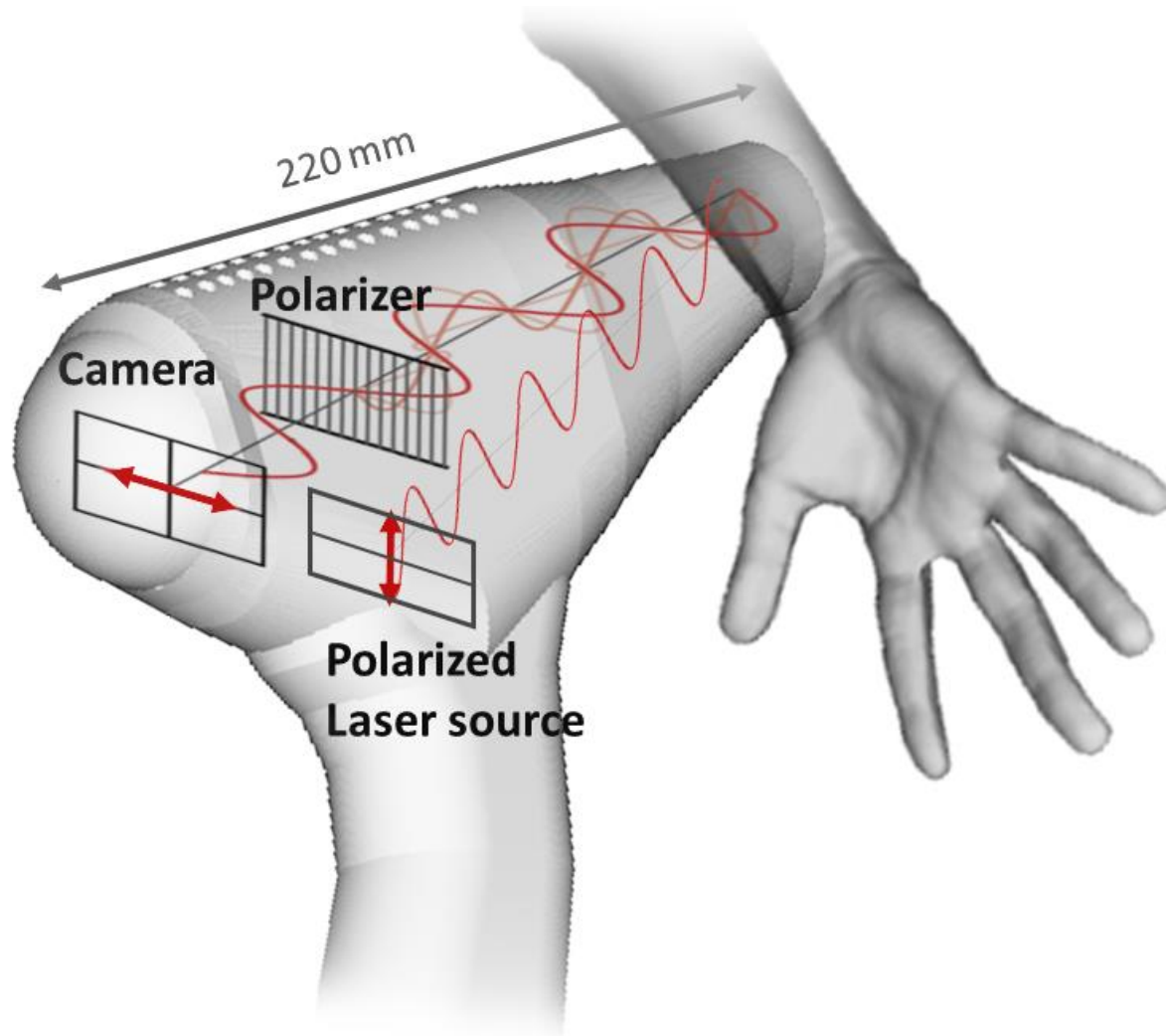







$$MAI = \frac{1}{T} \frac{\mu(I_k(\mathbf{x}))^2}{\sigma(I_k(\mathbf{x}))^2}$$

# The Vasculoscope : depolarized dynamic speckle

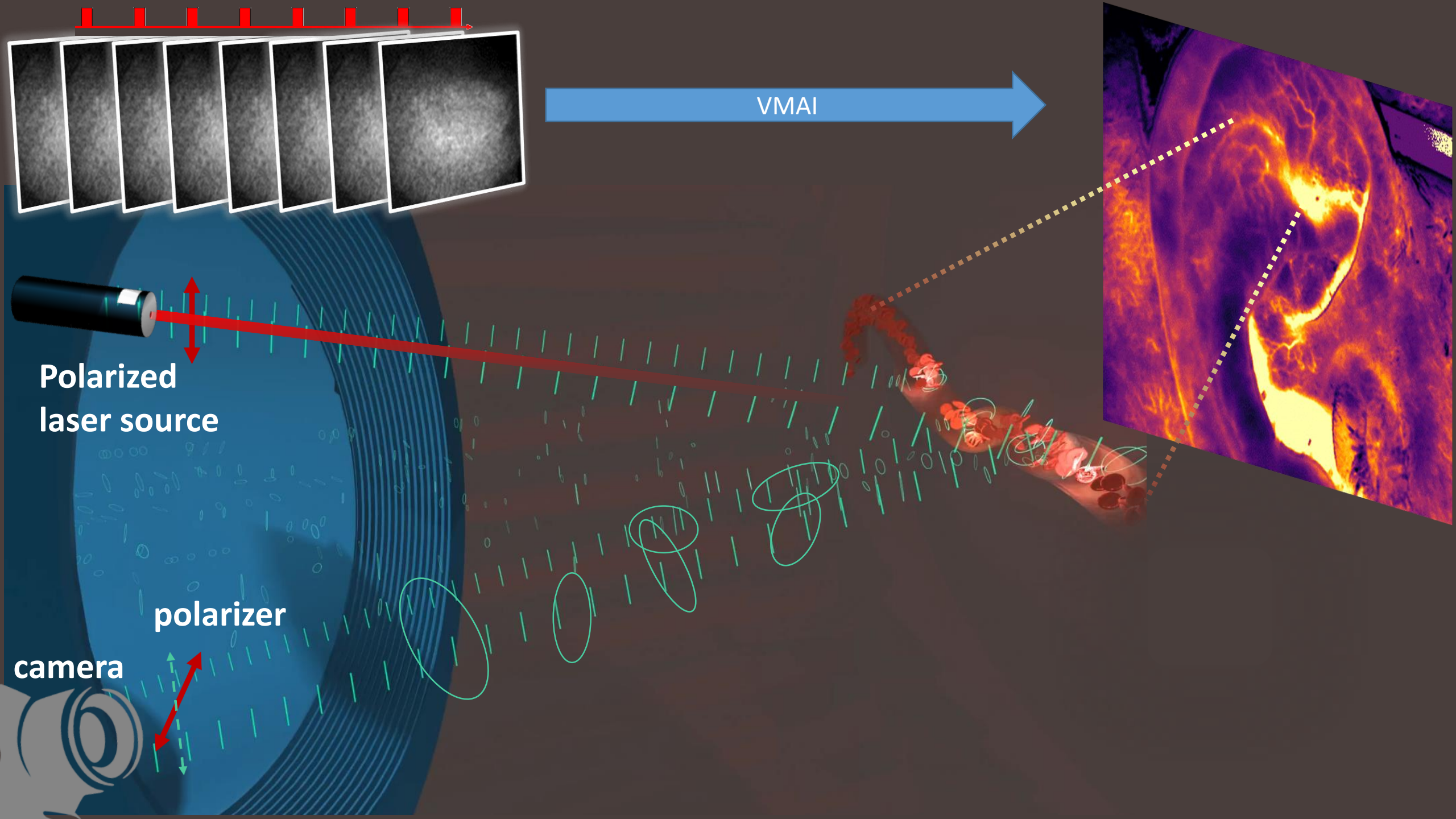


Orthogonal Polarizer  
filter (patent):

Attenuate first-order scattering

Encourage multiple scattering

- which take place at greater depths
- Could amplify perceptible activity



VMAI

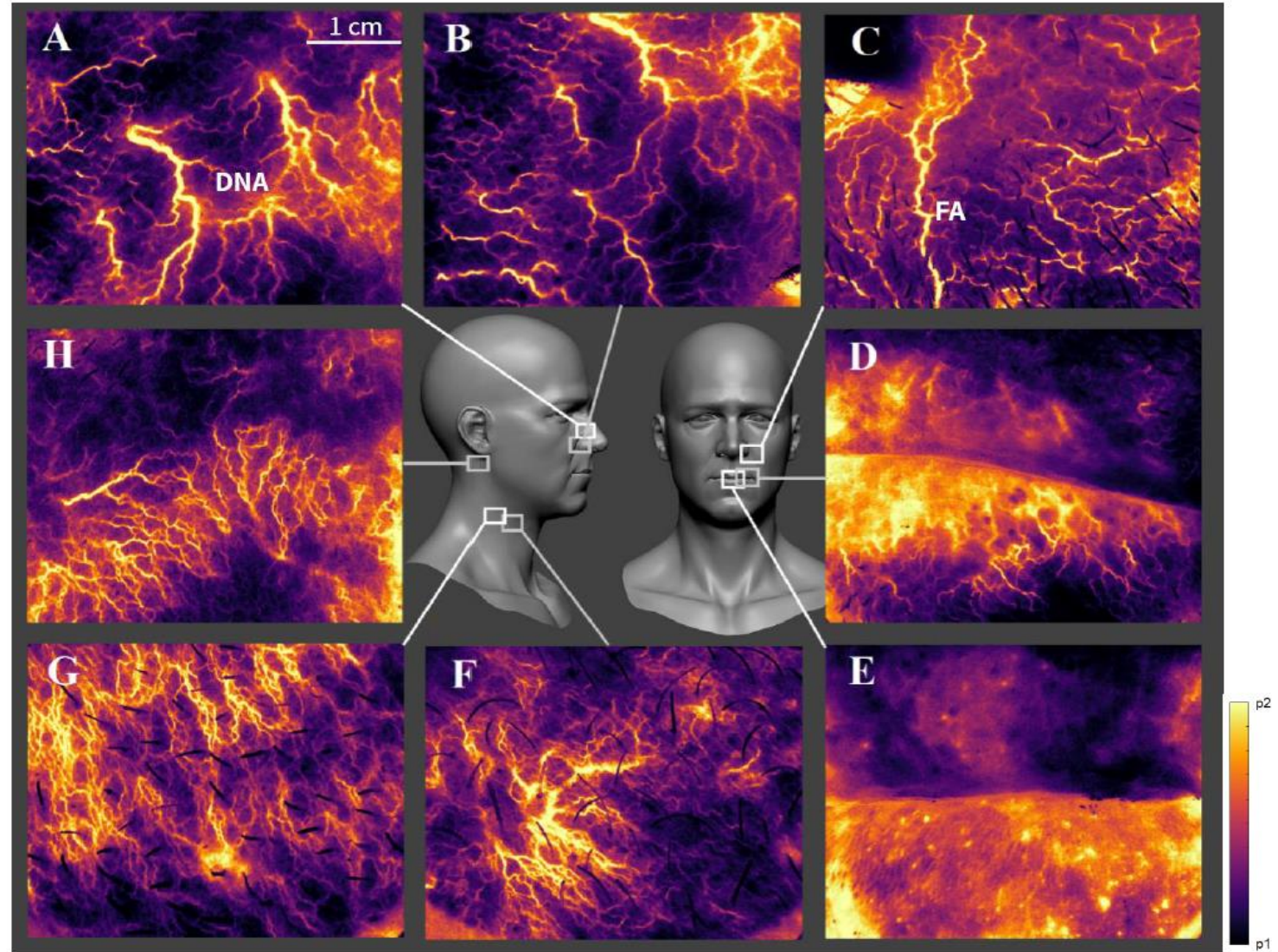
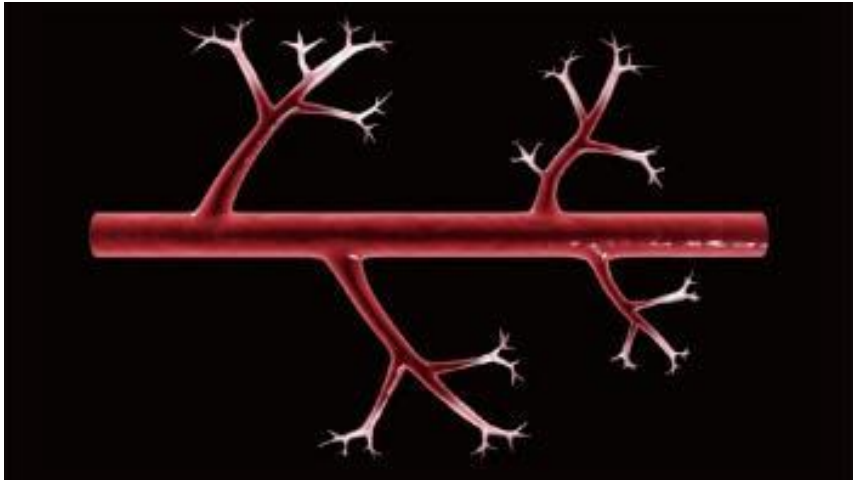
Polarized  
laser source

polarizer

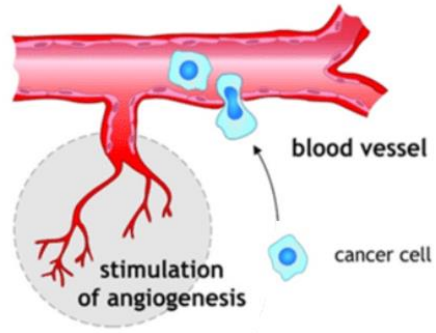
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# Applications to dermatology

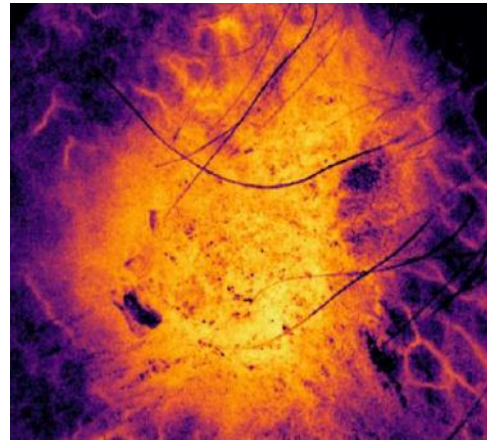
- Activity is linked to blood micro-circulation



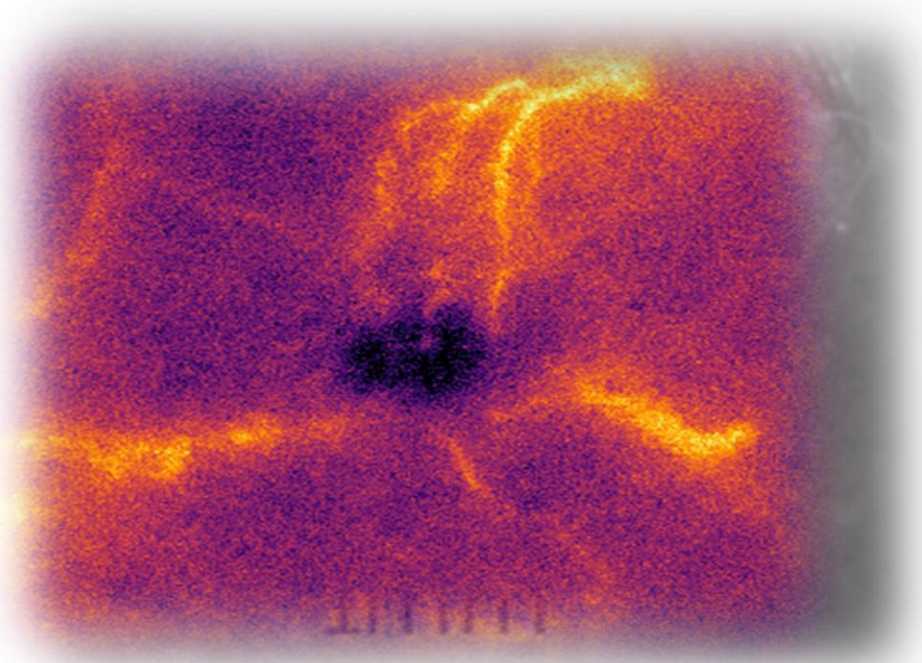
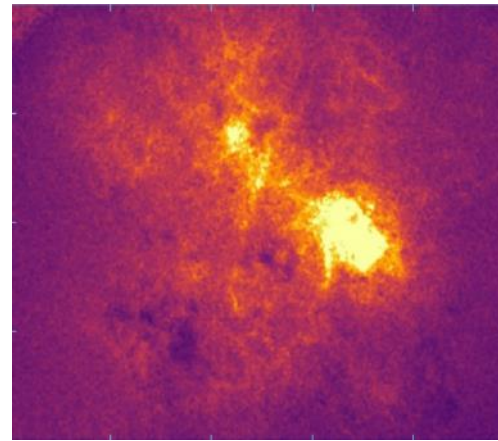
# Study of a therapy



carcinoma



melanoma

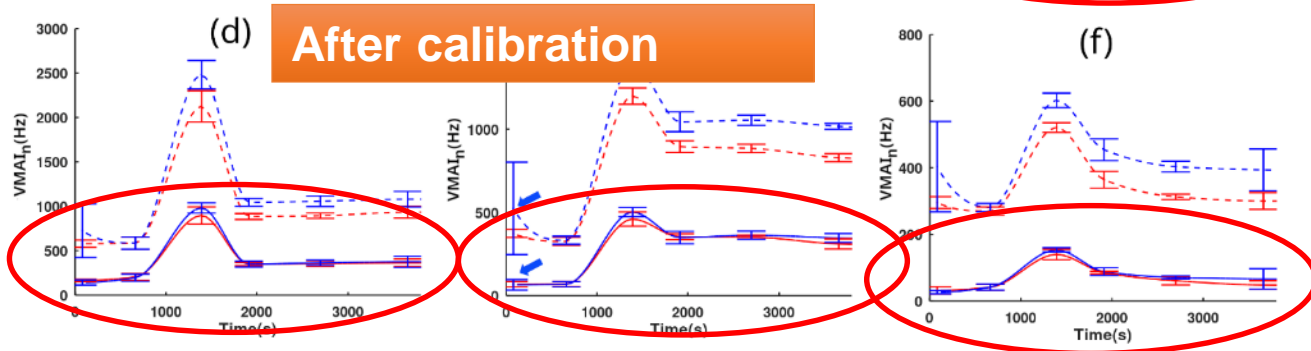
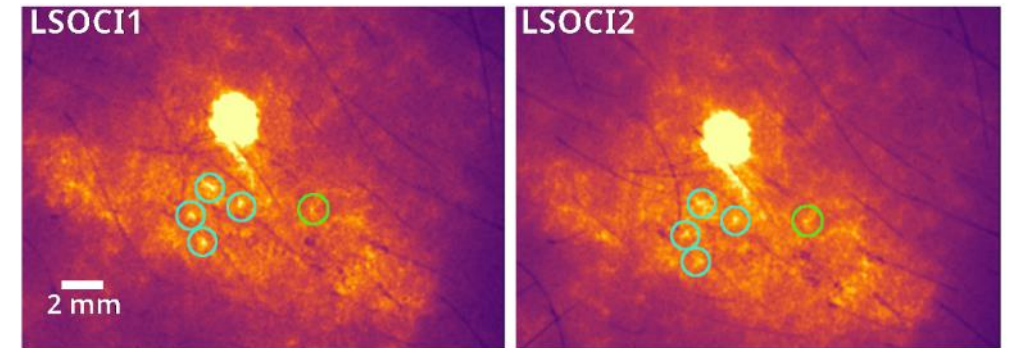
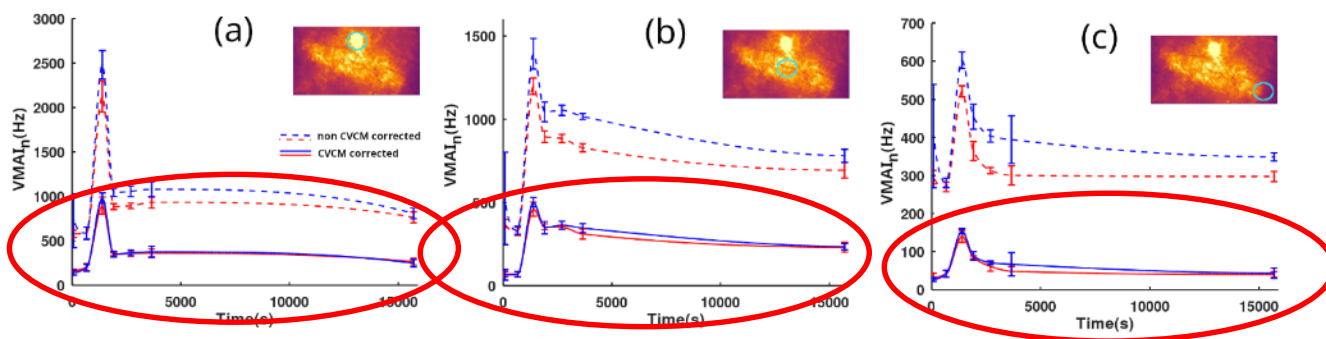
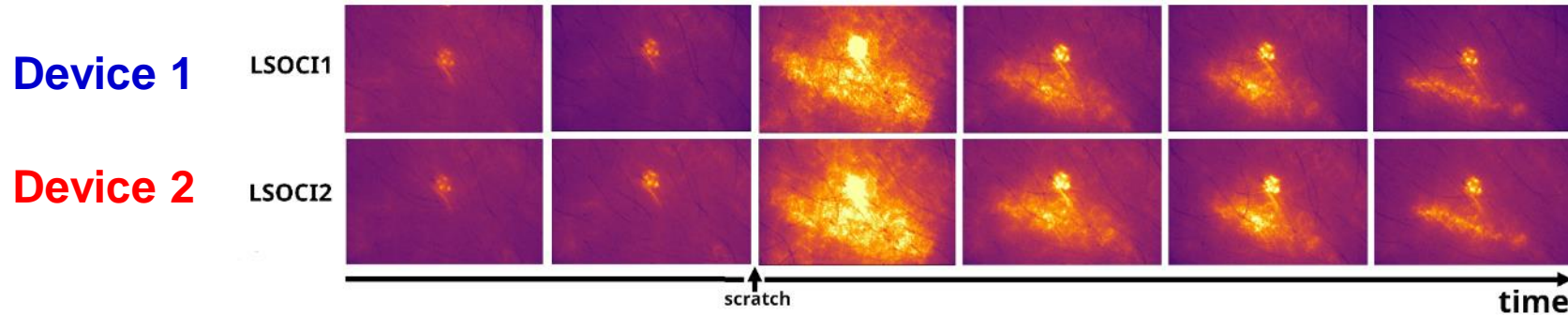


Melanoma cells  
inside a mouse

IPBS (CNRS)

# Towards quantification

Comparison of dynamics for two independent devices



$$\text{Activity index: } \frac{1}{T} \left( \left( \frac{C}{C_{\max}} \right)^2 - 1 \right)$$

Patent on laser stability check for calibration

# Compensate macro movements

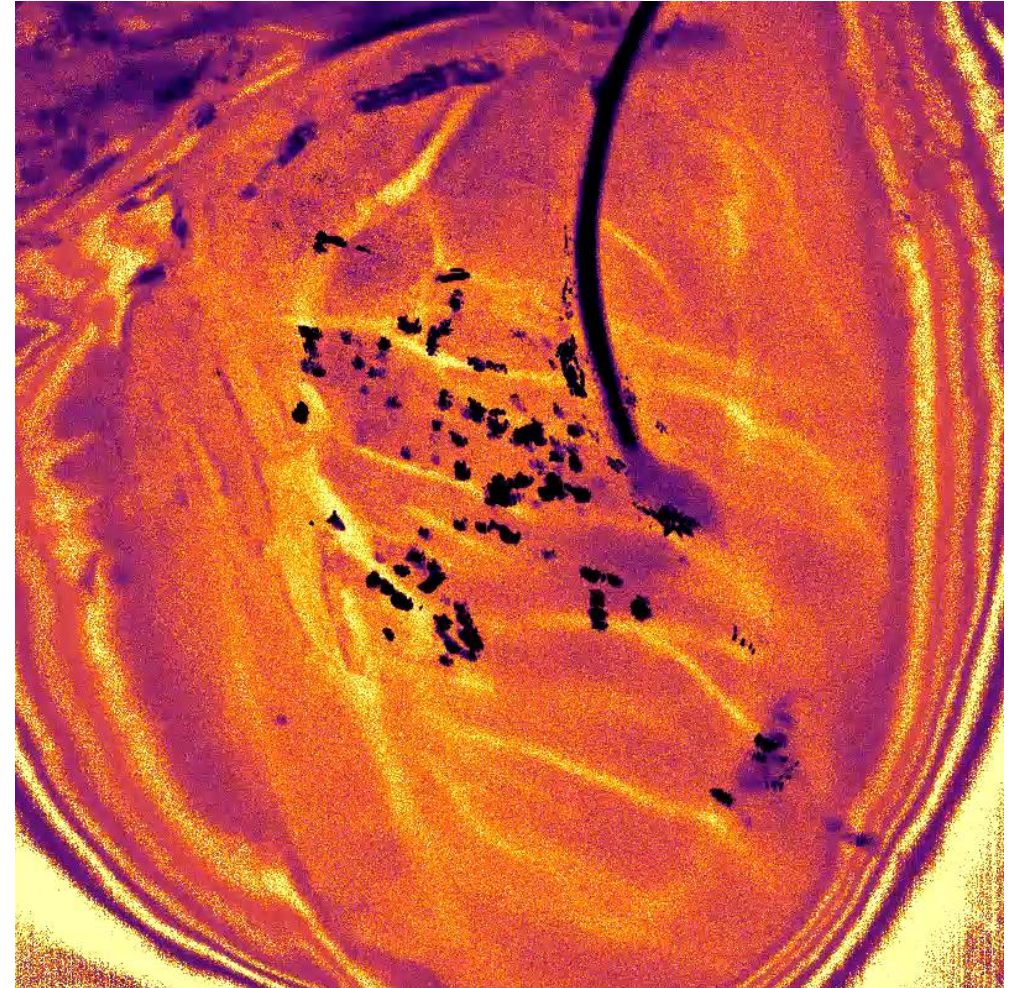
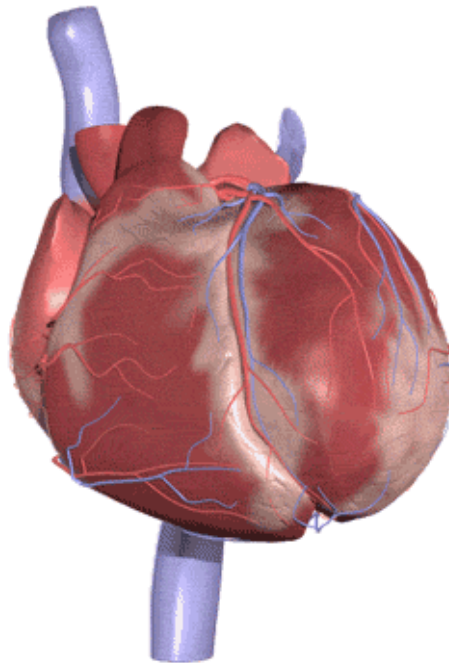


**Project Echoronex**, Hôpital Marie Lannelongue,  
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**Subject: Study of a perfused heart**

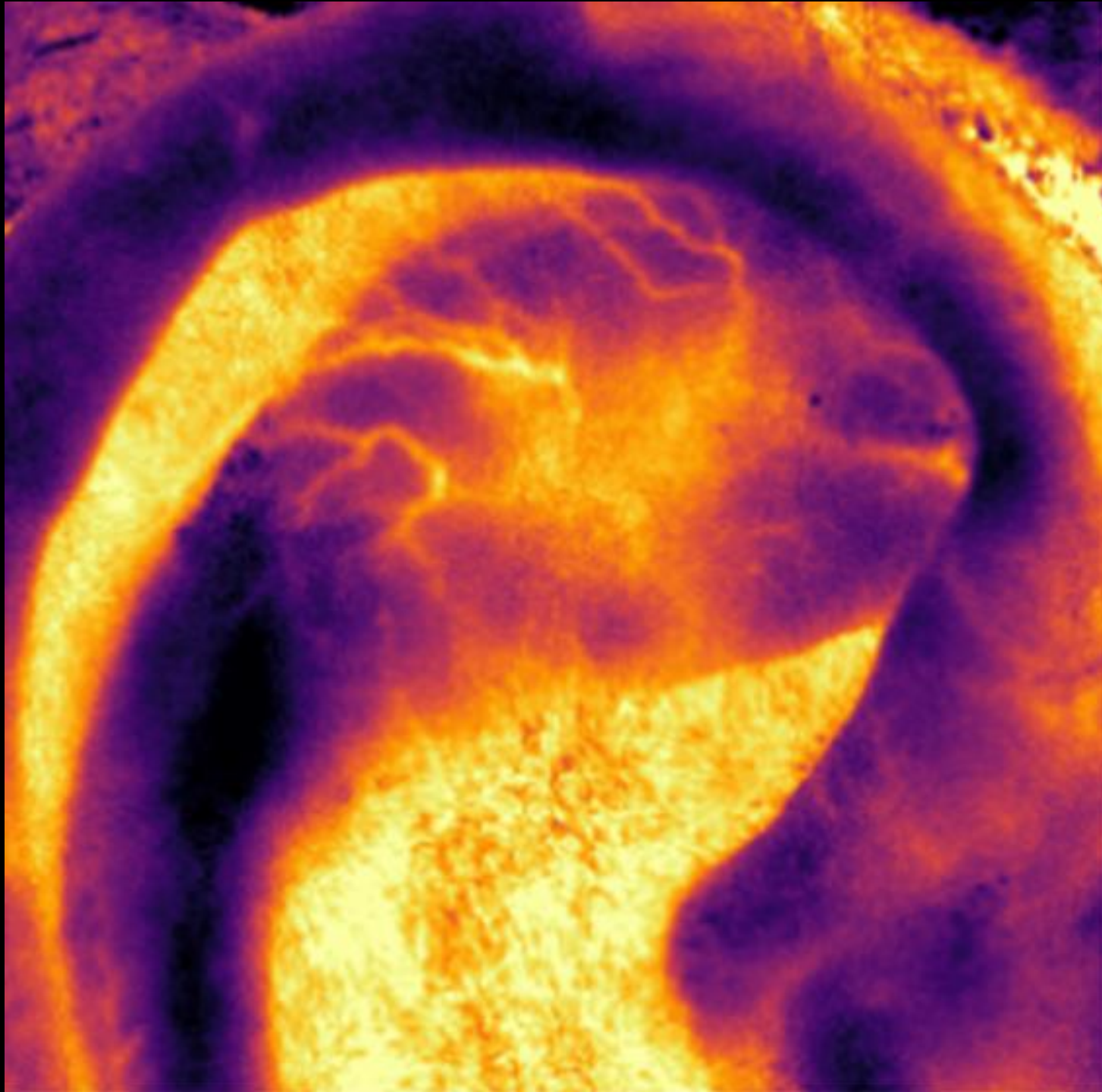
Objectif :

- Propose a non-invasive imaging method for graft activity under perfusion









$$1 - r_1 = \frac{m_2 - P}{m_2 - m_1^2}$$

$$m_1 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N I_k$$

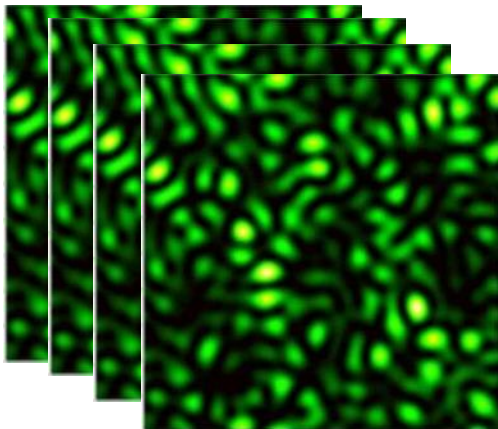
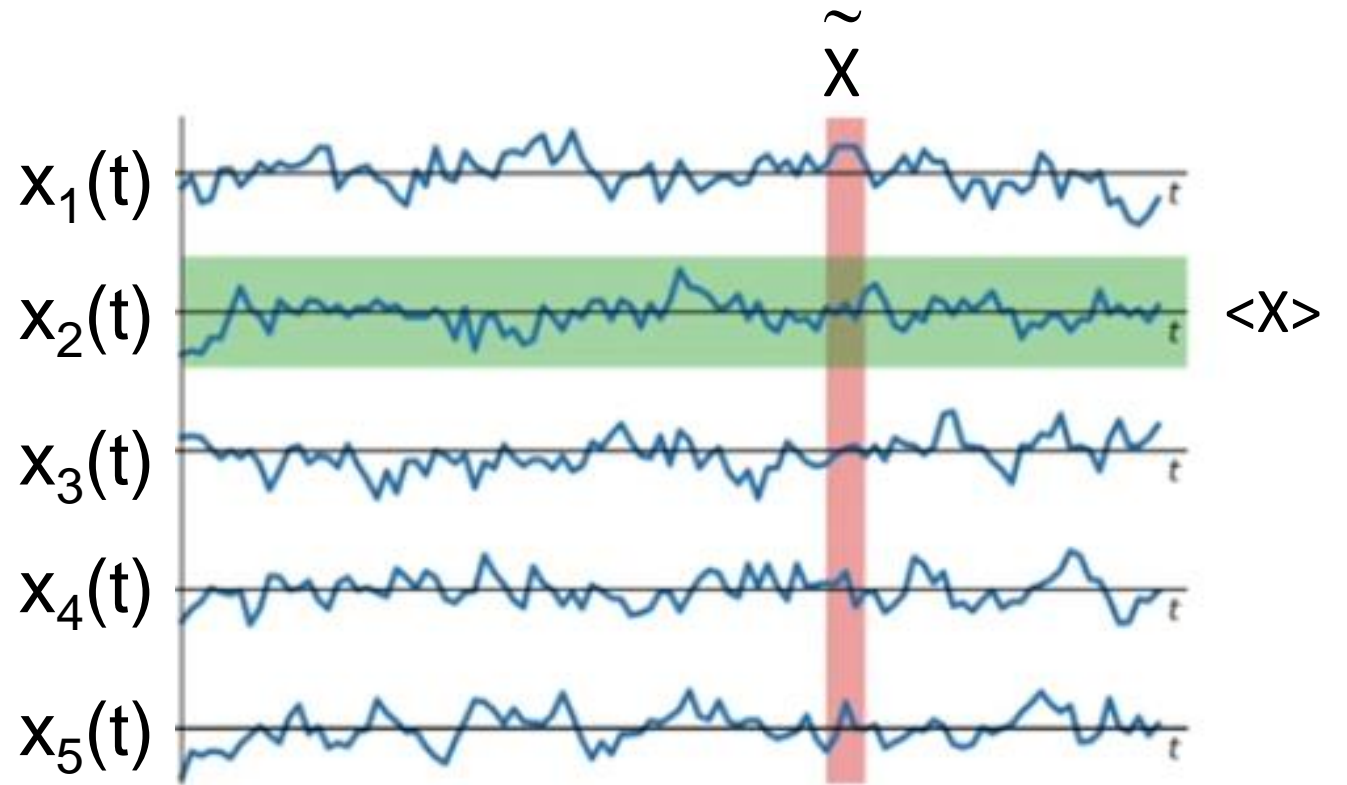
$$m_2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N I_k^2$$

$$P = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N I_k I_{k+1}$$

# When ergodicity fails

time average  $\neq$  ensemble average

$$\langle X \rangle \neq \tilde{X}$$



Very low movement

Spatial Contrast  $\approx 1$

Temporal Contrast  $\approx 0$

Question

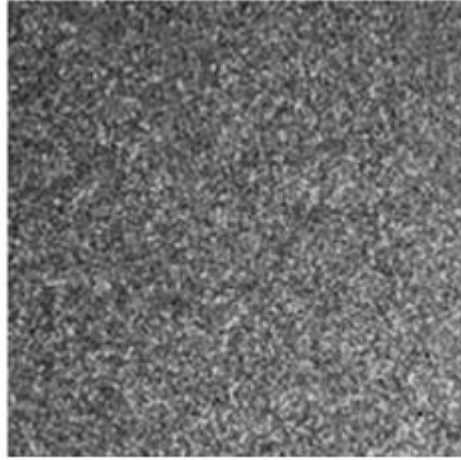
Where ergodicity?

**T=1s**



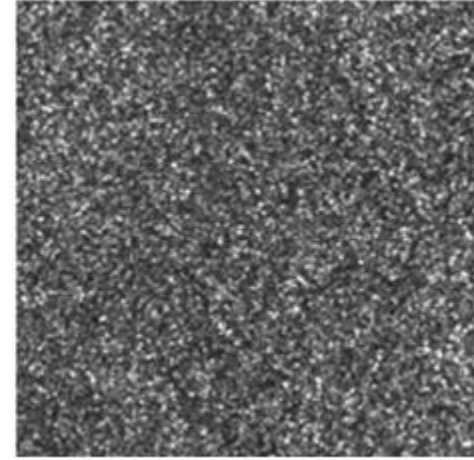
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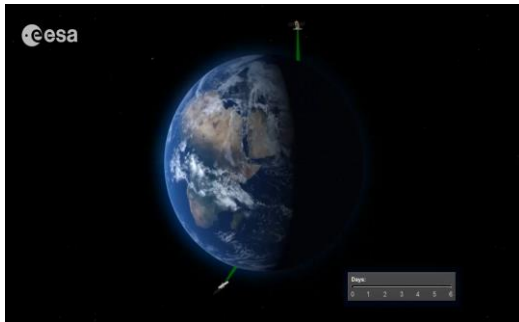
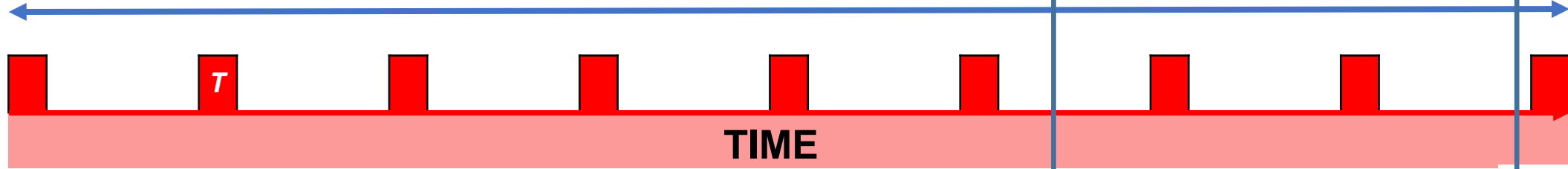
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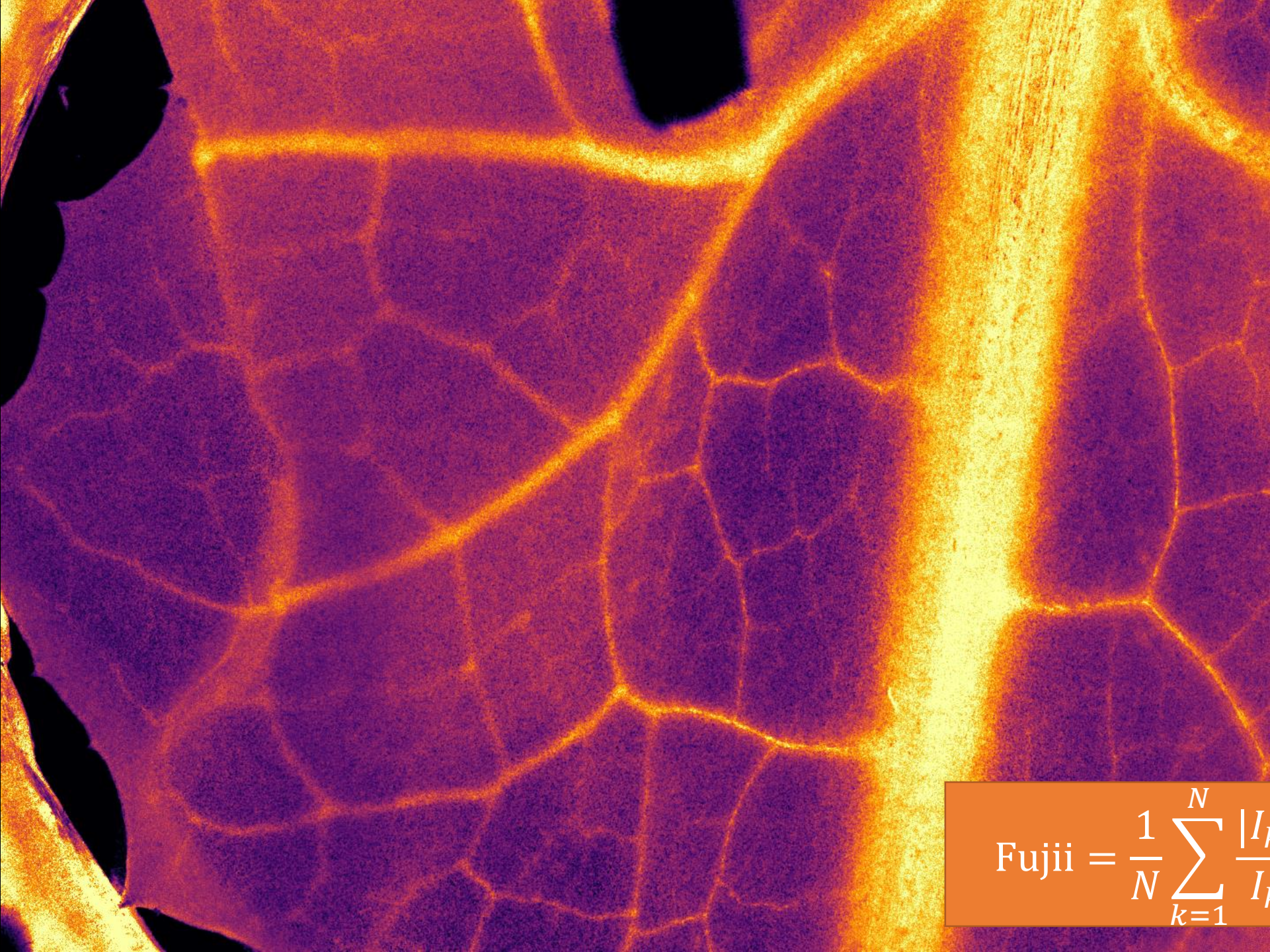


**TD=5s**

**Total Duration TD**







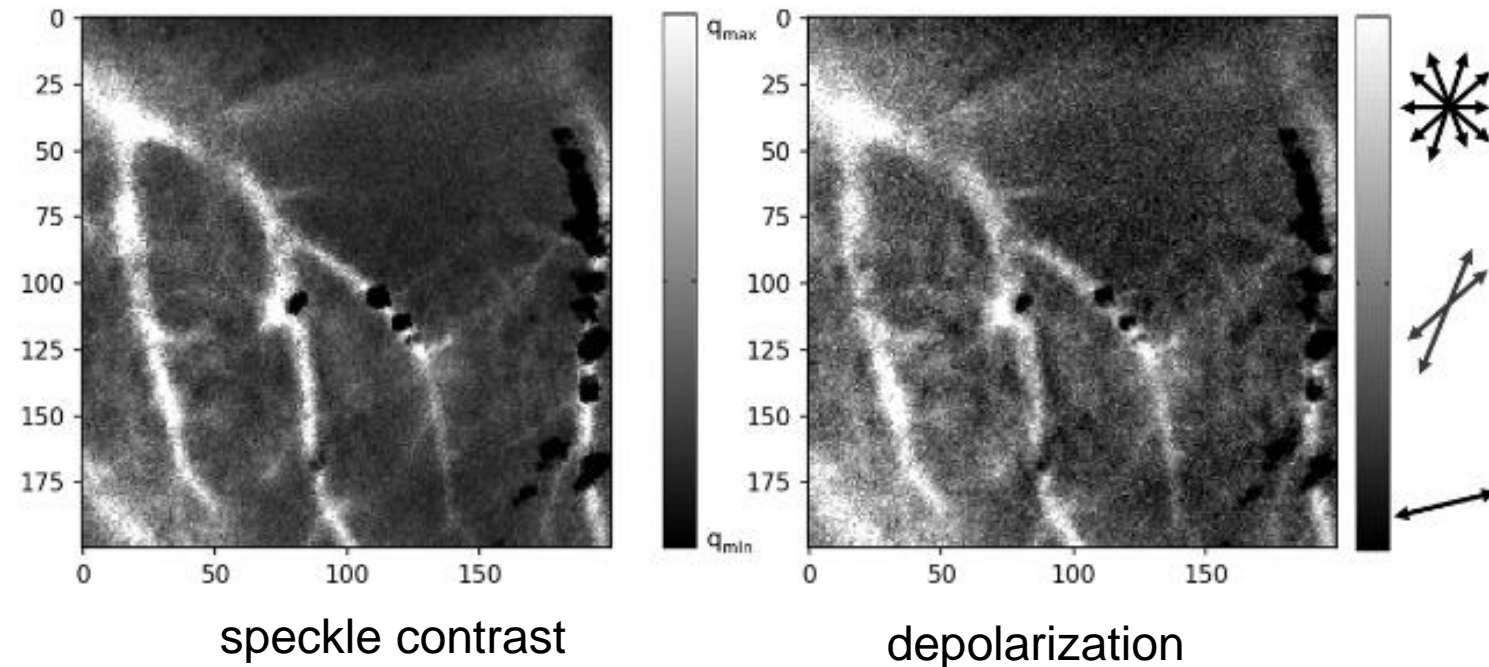
$$F_{\text{uji}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{|I_k - I_{k+1}|}{I_k + I_{k+1}}$$

# How to understand better non ergodicity domain?

By controlled measurement (optical)

innovative optical setup for conducting polarized dynamic speckle measurements in either Stokes or Mueller polarimetric modes, with LPICM

By including polarimetric studies



*Preprint - The speckle contrast extended to the polarimetric case: applications to radar and Laser images (E. Colin)*

*Submitted- **Towards a Unified Formalism of Multivariate Coefficients of Variation** -- Application to the Analysis of Polarimetric Speckle Time Series (E. Colin, R. Ossikovski)*

# Synthesis

## From Micro to Macro: A Holistic View of Speckle Dynamics Across Optics and Radar

- **Diverse Applications:**

health, planetary environment, biology, materials, and flow in wind tunnels

- **Extreme Spatial and Temporal Scales:**

Measurements spanning scales with ratios up to one million,

- **Diversity of Physical Hypotheses:**

Identification and clarification of physical hypotheses that vary across application areas, crucial for accurate measurement interpretation.





# Identification and clarification of physical hypotheses

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stationnary  
process ?**

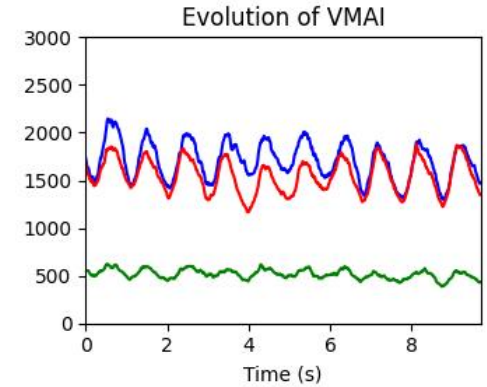
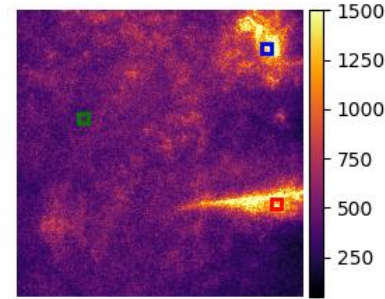
**$T \ll \tau_c$  :  
is speckle  
frozen during  
integration?**

**$\tau_c \ll T_R$  :  
are pulses  
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decorrelated**

# New domains to explore for new applications



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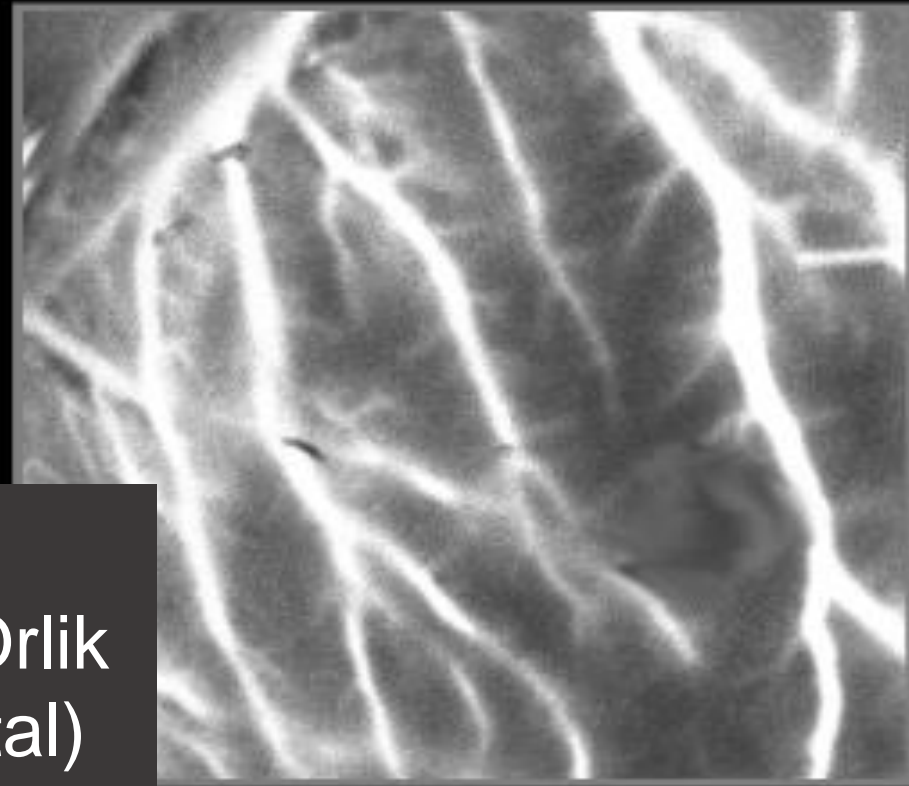
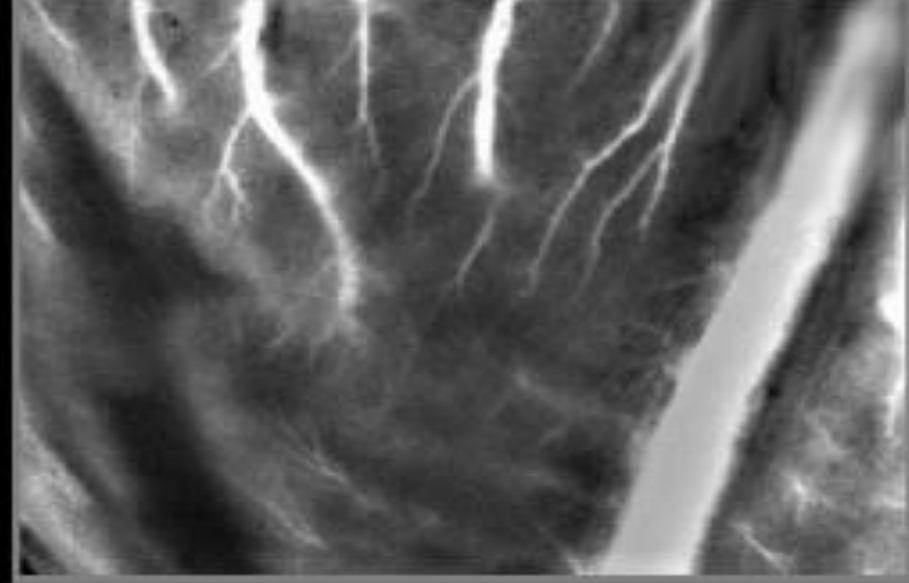
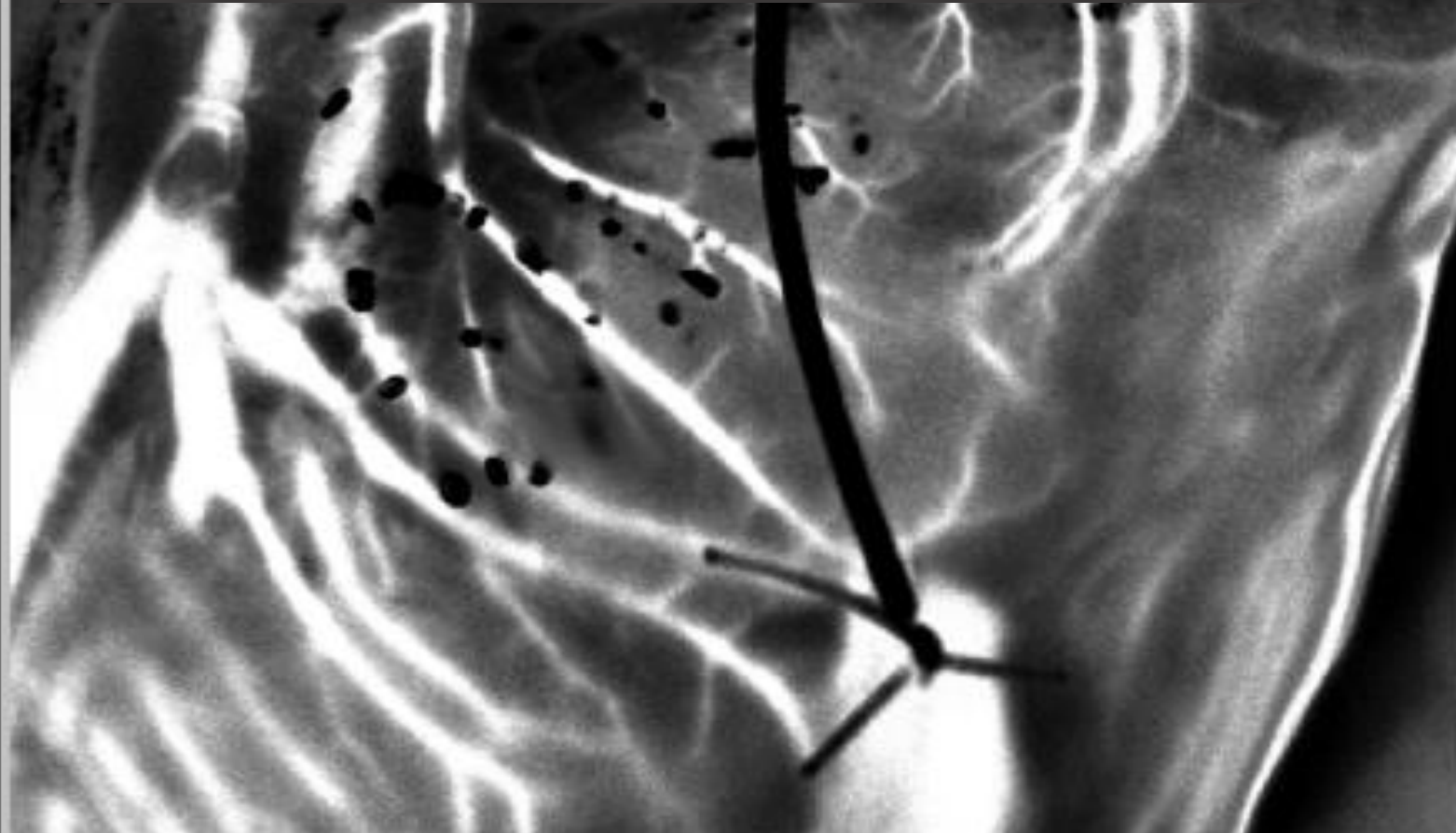


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**Thank you for your attention...**



**And thanks to...**

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- Julien Guihaire (Marie Lannelongue hospital)

## Publication International peer-reviewed journals

- ❑ Plyer, A., Colin, E., Orlik, X., Akamkam, A., Guihaire, X - *Imaging the vasculature of a beating heart by dynamic speckle: the challenge of a quasi-periodic motion*, *Journal of biomedical Optics*, under review, 2022 October
- ❑ Colin, E., Plyer, A., Golzio, M., Meyer, N., Favre, G., & Orlik, X. (2022). *Imaging of the skin microvascularization using spatially depolarized dynamic speckle*. *Journal of Biomedical Optics*, 27(4), 046003.
- ❑ Erdmann, S., Weissgerber, F., Koeniguer, É. C., & Orlik, X. (2022). *Dynamic speckle imaging of human skin vasculature with a high-speed camera*. *Optics Express*, 30(7), 11923-11943.
- ❑ *Preprints, submitted under review*

## Workshop

- ❑ **JIONC 2023** - Imagerie de la **circulation de sève** d'une feuille par **speckle dynamique**
- ❑ **JIONC 2022** - Le vasculoscope : **speckle dynamique polarisé** pour l'imagerie d'un indice d'activité microvasculaire volumique
- ❑ **NIH / IRSN Meeting 2022** – The vasculoscope : Depolarized dynamic speckle
- ❑ **GSO17th** - The transcutaneous Microvasculoscope: Observation of the tumoral microvasculature
- ❑ **EBTT 2021** - New non-invasive and real-time imaging modality to evaluate the effects of electrochemotherapy on melanoma

## National Journals

- ❑ **Revue des Mines, 2023**
- ❑ **Aerospatium, 2023**

## **Awards**

**Nomination Prix Jerphagnon 2023, Société Française d'Optique  
Jury présidé par Alain Aspect, Prix Nobel 2022**

## **Video ressources**

### **TED-X Paris Saclay 2022**

Cohérence de la lumière, de notre planète à la vascularisation.

[https://youtu.be/6\\_rR3DDTGjU](https://youtu.be/6_rR3DDTGjU)

### **Prix Jean Jerphagnon - Nominée 2023 - Elise COLIN**

<https://youtu.be/y9UfQzymESI?si=M8F9x-1hMF5fxF0x>

### **ITAE au forum des Innovations Paris Saclay 2022**

<https://youtube.com/clip/UgkxIsJEZredRNzDBff23fFtJecd2Eto5X18?si=IXROH0vIBTfw4dM2>