



## Space-time Tomography for Continuously Deforming Objects

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## **Tomography in graphics**



Gas Flows capture [Atcheson et al. 2008]



[Gregson et al. 2012]



Velocity reconstruction [Gregson et al. 2014]



Transparent reconstruction [Trifonov et al. 2006]



Multi-layer 3D display [Wetzstein et al. 2011]



Flower modeling [ljiri et al. 2014]

#### **Motivation**





#### **Unknowns:** ~ 500<sup>3</sup> voxels **Equations:** 2M pixels × Number of projections

#### Large number of projections + priors

#### Motivation



Time for one projection: ~ 5 s

#### Is it possible to scan continuously deforming objects ?











#### Classical reconstruction using 5520 projections (duration: 9h32m)



Before scan





After scan

#### Wilting rose



#### **Related work**

#### **Discrete deformations / Key framing**



Growing plant animation

[Kato et al. 2017]



## Digital Volume Correlation to retrieve the deformation field

[Hild et al. 2014]



#### **Related work**





Electrocardiography (ECG)



#### **Related work**



**General deformations** (parametric approach)



Use of basis-functions approach (e.g. finite element framework)



The volume is advected from a reference, using an estimated displacement.



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## Objective

Space-time tomography reconstruction







After scan

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#### **Assumption:** relatively slow deformations (less than 6 voxels/minute)













Frame 01

Frame 02

Frame 46

Frame 91

Frame 92







Frame 91





Frame 92











- Data acquisition
- 4D tomographic reconstruction
- Results





Classical acquisition strategy





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#### Low-discrepancy acquisition strategy

(Van der Corupt sequence)





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$$\int_{\Omega_i} f(x) \, \mathrm{d}\Omega_i = \underbrace{-\log(I_i/I_0)}_{p_i}$$







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$$A_t f_t = p_t$$

Negligible deformation in sequential projections!







## Linear system





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Non-parametric and matrix-free

#### Memory consuming

• Alternating, multi-scale optimization

#### III-posed problem

• Flexibility: priors incorporating and implementation

Radon Transform

#### **Priors**





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**Priors** 





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Converged ?







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Input













#### Overview

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## Wilting rose

#### Photo

#### Before



#### Projection



After







## Wilting rose





#### **Baseline method**

Ours



Ours

## Wilting rose

Baseline method









## Wilting rose







Baseline method

Ours

#### High viscosity fluid flow



Before









After

#### High viscosity fluid flow







#### **Mushroom re-hydration**





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#### **Baseline method**



Ours

#### **Mushroom re-hydration**







## **Rising dough**



# Before After

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Baseline method



Ours



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#### **Baseline method**

Ours

#### Lentil/lupin seeds hydration





#### Before







After



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#### **Baseline method**

Ours

#### **Crystal sugar dissolution**





#### Before





After





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#### **Baseline method**

Ours

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## **Summary**

• A new sampling strategy

A new 4D framework for tomography

• Well suited to graphics



360

270

180







#### **Next steps**

- Extension to faster deformation
- Extension to other imaging modalities (e.g. electron microscope)
- Re-Simulation (e.g. domain modification)



# Thank you !

#### Code & Data









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