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INTRODUCTION

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Method for supervised segmentation of volumetric data. The method is trained from manual annotations, and these annotations make the method very flexible, which we demonstrate in our experiments. Our method infers label information locally by matching the pattern in a neighborhood around a voxel to a dictionary, and hereby accounts for the volume texture.

DATA

Two different data sets to demonstrate the flexibility of the method.

1. Glass fiber

GOAL Extract centers and determine diameters



2. Solid Oxide Fuel Cell Phantom

GOAL

Extract the three phases





RESULTS

Fiber center detection results are compared to a well established image analysis method, 2D scale space blob detection [2]. Circles are plotted around the center coordinates.

Reference Image



Blob detection TPR=0.8339



2D dictionary TPR=0.9953



3D dictionary TPR=0.9980 Segmentation over a stack of 100 slices



Highly flexible and accurate method for



SOFC three phase classification results are compared to a well established image analysis method, Markov Random Fields (MRF) [3, 4].



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