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Multi-Agent Consensus Equilibrium for Range Compressed Holographic Surface Reconstruction

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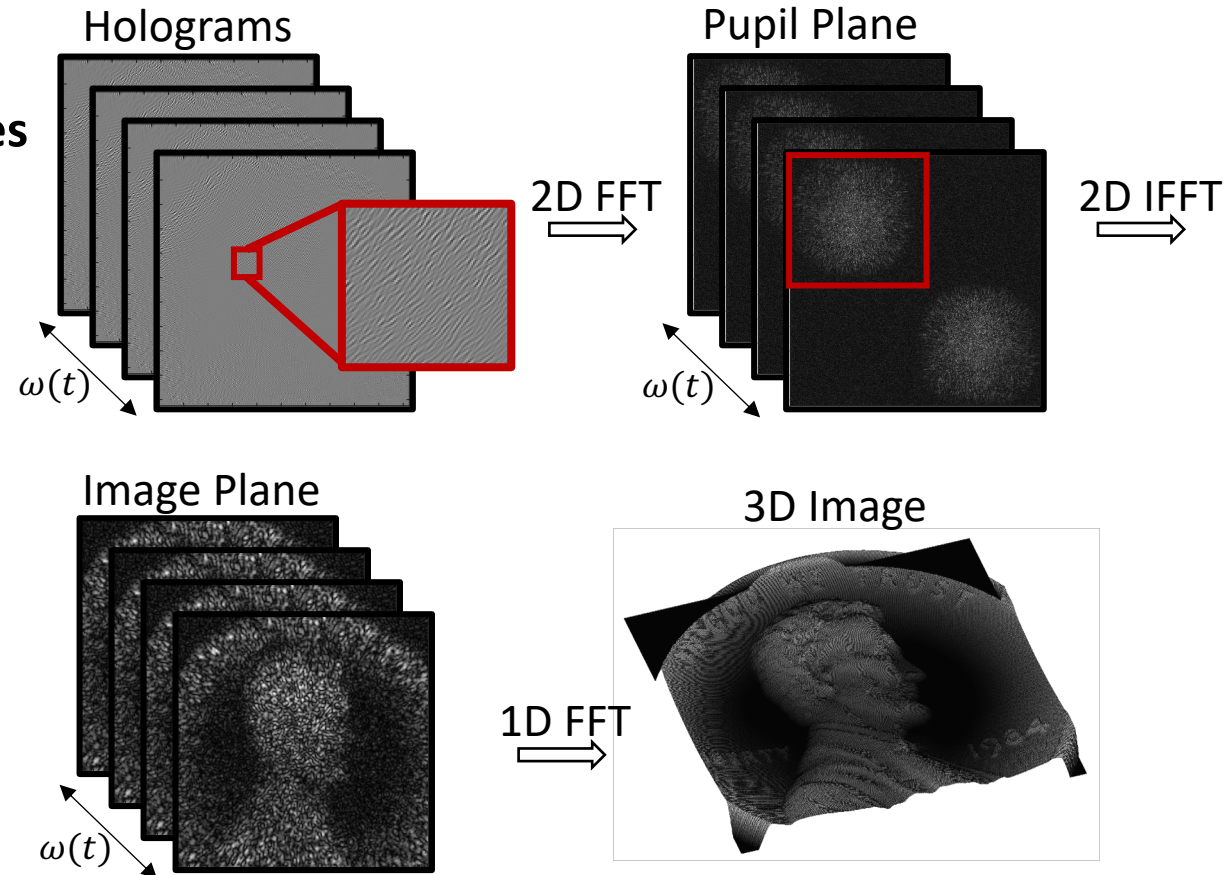
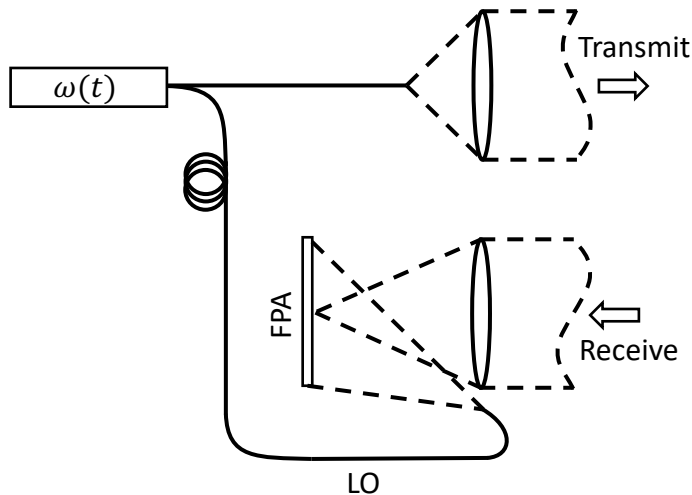
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Range Compressed Holography Background

- **Form Holograms by interfering signal with off-axis reference**
 - Strong reference beam enables shot-noise limited detection
- **Use frequency diversity to increase range resolution**
 - $\Delta z = c/2B$ and $z_{amb} = c/2\Delta\omega$
- **Numerically process & filter to obtain complex images**
 - Access to phase allows for aberration correction
 - Current methods limited in low SNR regimes



RCH Model

- Last slide summarized as a linear equation

$$y = Ag + w$$

$y \in \mathbb{C}^N$ - measured complex field

$A \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times N}$ - propagation matrix

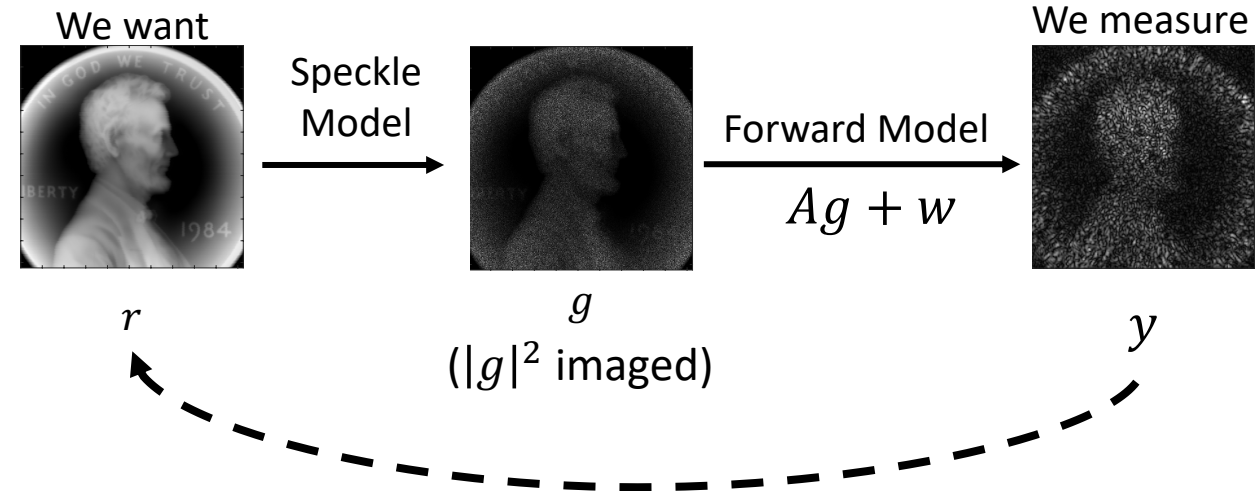
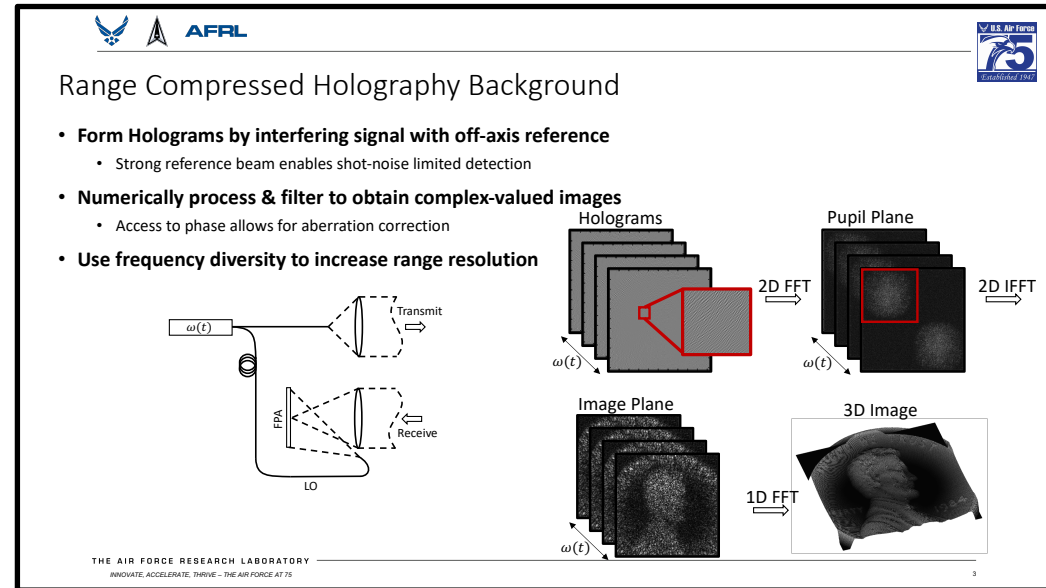
$g \in \mathbb{C}^M$ - complex reflectance

$w \in \mathbb{C}^N$ - measurement noise (normal)

- Combine this with a statistical model of speckle
 - Ideally, we want $r = E[|g|^2]$ (infinite speckle realizations)
 - Great benefit == high spatial correlation

- Base inversion off MAP Estimate

$$\hat{r}_{MAP} = \arg \min_r \{-\log p(r|y)\}$$

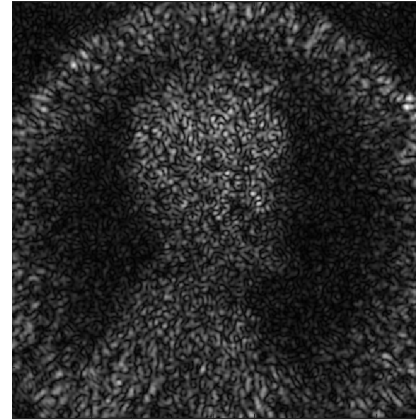


Bayesian Inversion Background

Core Problem: How to reconstruct object of interest x from noisy measurements y (e.g. from a physical system)?



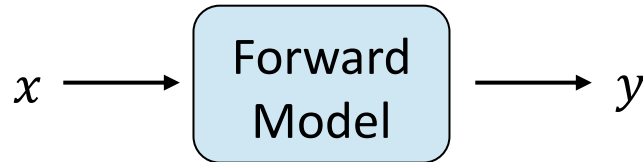
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Measurements: y

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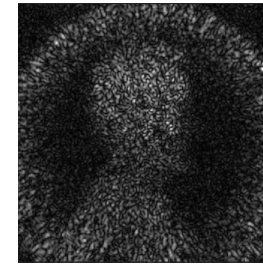
Bayesian perspective:

- A forward model describes distribution of the output y given the input x : $p(y|x)$

- A prior model describes distribution of the input x : $p(x)$



Obj. of interest: x



Measurements: y

MAP Estimation:

$$\hat{x}_{MAP} = \arg \max_x \{p(x|y)\}$$

$$= \arg \min_x \{ -\log p(y|x) - \log p(x) \}$$

Strike balance between fitting data & fitting prior knowledge

Regularized Inversion

$$\hat{x}_{MAP} = \arg \min_x \{ \underbrace{-\log p(y|x)}_{f(x)} - \underbrace{\log p(x)}_{h(x)} \}$$

E.g. $y = Ax + w, w \sim N(0, \sigma_w^2 I)$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\sigma_w^2} \|y - Ax\|^2$$

Least-squares data fit

E.g. $x \sim N(0, I)$

$$h(x) = \frac{1}{2} \|x\|^2$$

L_2 -regularization

Regularized Inversion – Thin Manifold View

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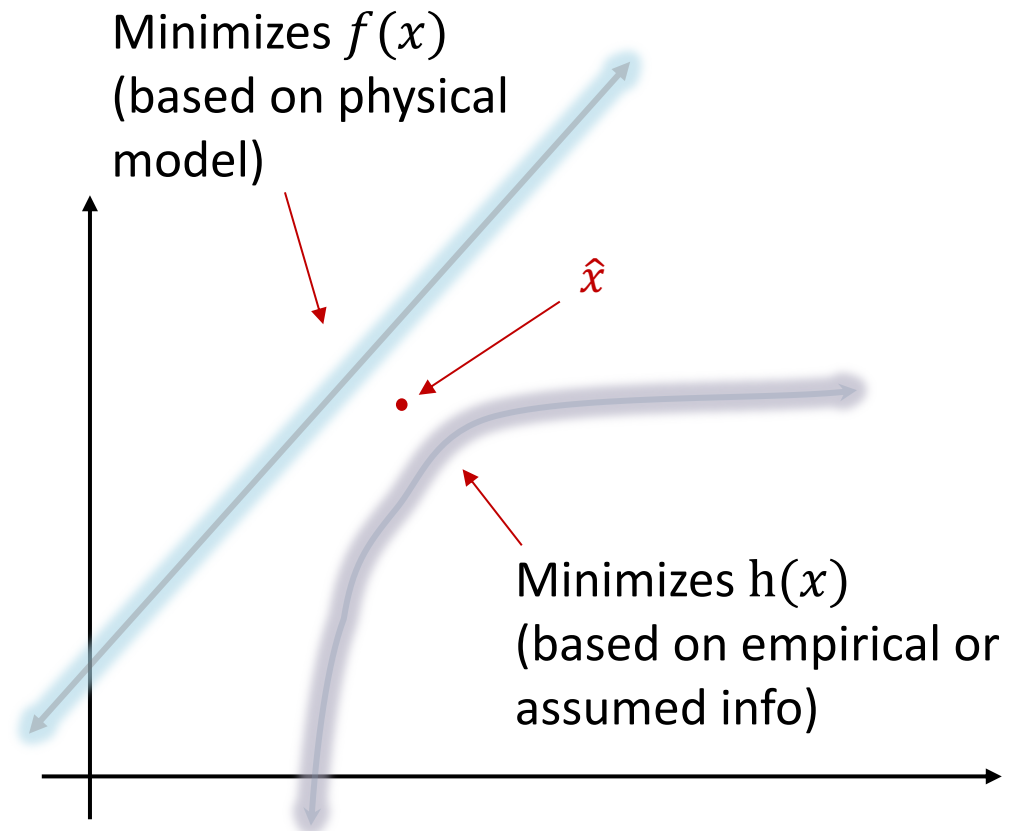
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Variable Splitting

$$\hat{x} = \arg \min_{x=v} \{f(x) + h(v)\}$$

- Decouple optimization of $f(x)$ and $h(x)$

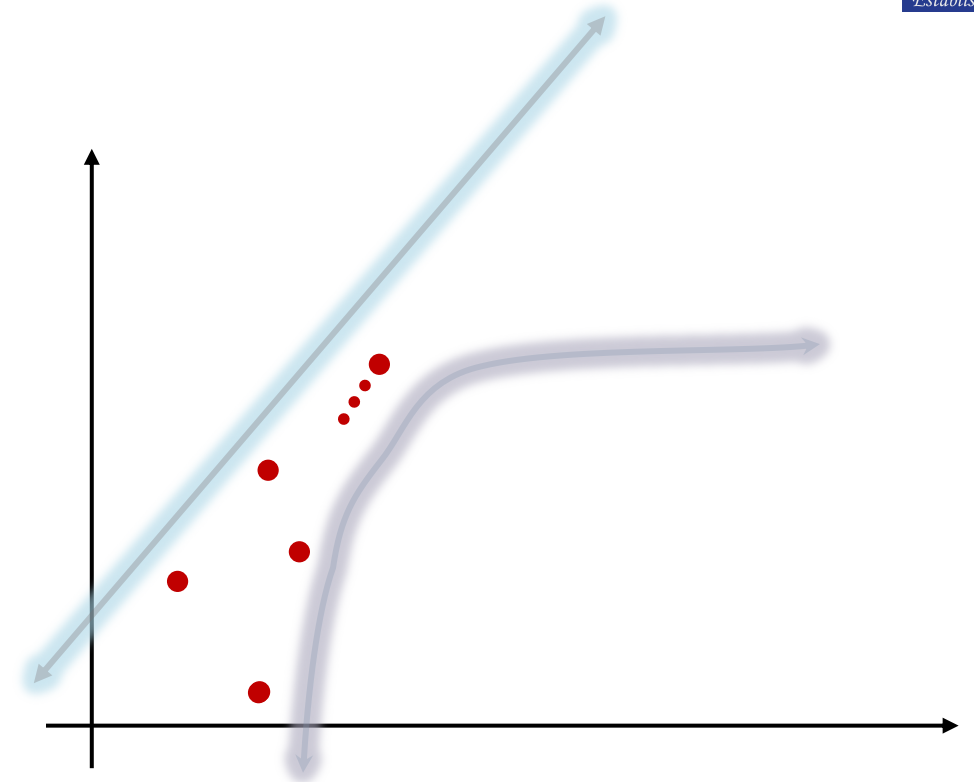
ADMM

- Alternate minimization of $f(x)$ and $h(x)$ with augmented Lagrangian term for communication
- Uses **Proximal Maps**

$$F(v) = \arg \min_x \{f(x) + \lambda \|x - v\|^2\}$$

$$H(x) = \arg \min_v \{h(v) + \lambda \|v - x\|^2\}$$

Interpretation:
Take input, return
something “better”



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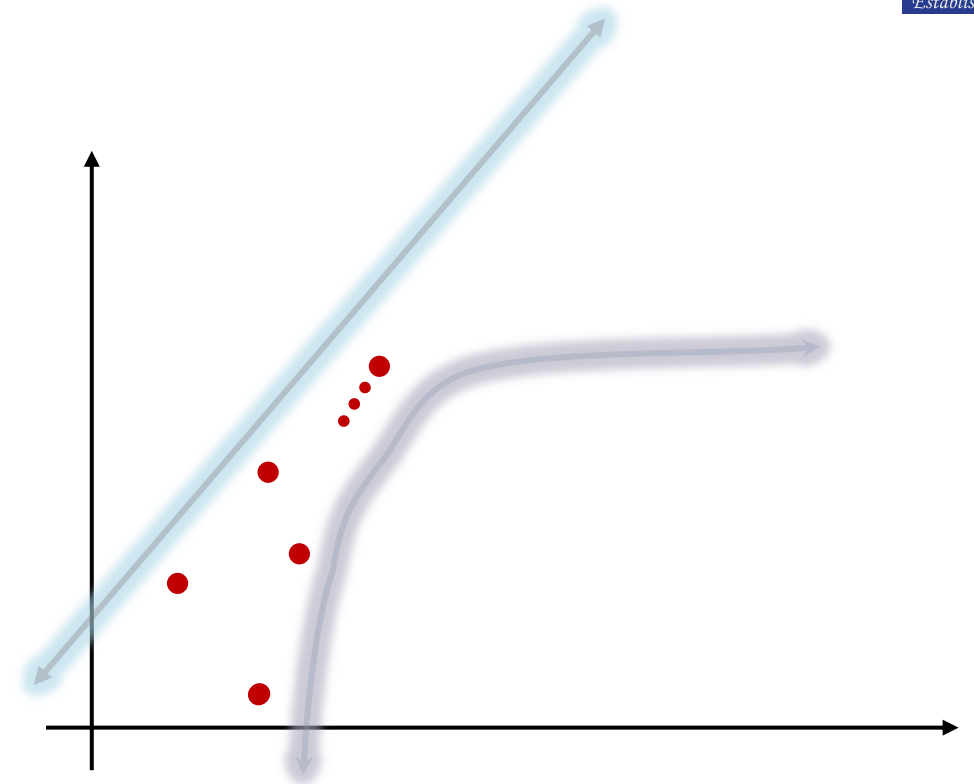
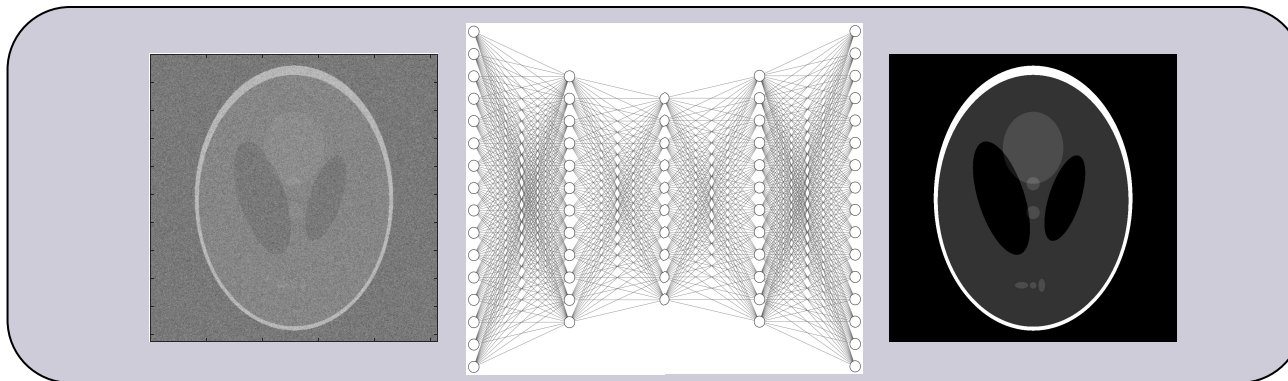
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Plug and Play

- Replace proximal map(s) with algorithmic model(s), “agents” (e.g. Neural Networks, NLM, BM3D)

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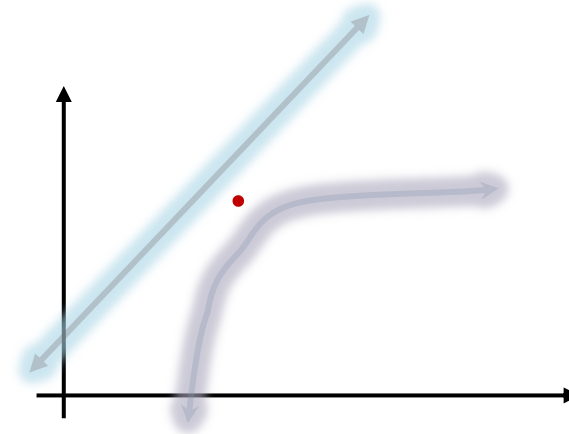
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Consensus Equilibrium

No longer solves optimization problem

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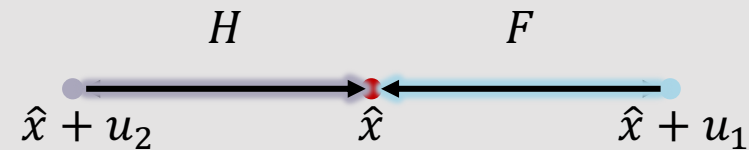
What problem are we solving?



Consensus Equilibrium conditions

Find \hat{x}, u_1, u_2 such that

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} F(\hat{x} + u_1) = H(\hat{x} + u_2) = \hat{x} & \text{Consensus} \\ u_1 + u_2 = 0 & \text{Equilibrium} \end{array} \right.$$

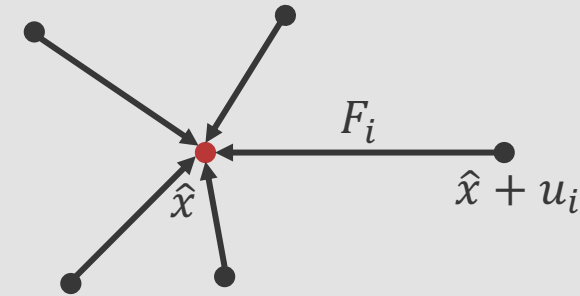


Multi-Agent Consensus Equilibrium

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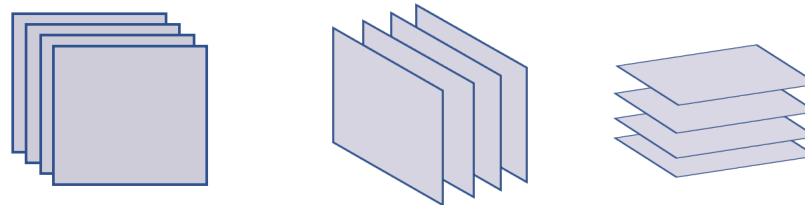
Find \hat{x}, u_1, \dots, u_n such that

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} F_1(\hat{x} + u_1) = \dots = F_n(\hat{x} + u_n) = \hat{x} & \text{Consensus} \\ u_1 + \dots + u_n = 0 & \text{Equilibrium} \end{array} \right.$$



Benefit of Multiple Agents:

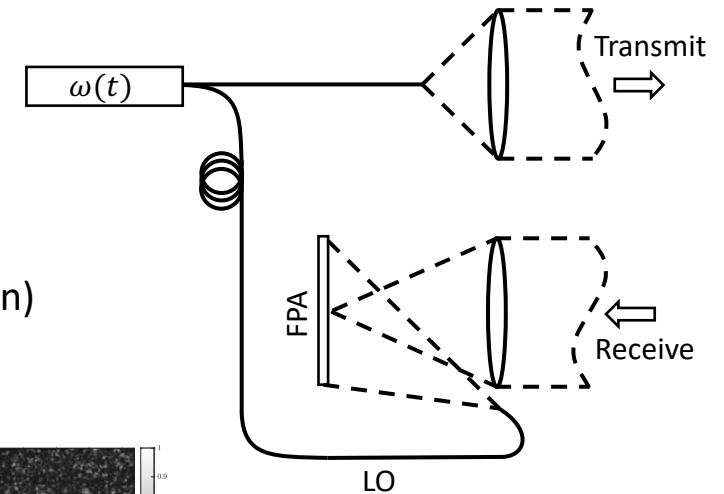
- Fit multiple data collections in parallel (better than speckle averaging)
- Combination of prior models (e.g. Multi Slice Fusion)



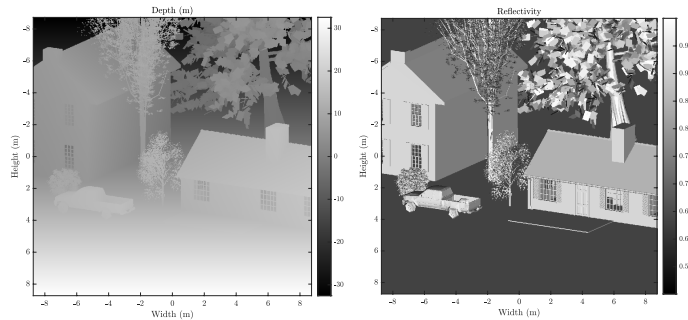
Simulated Experiment

- **Simulated RCH detection under various conditions**

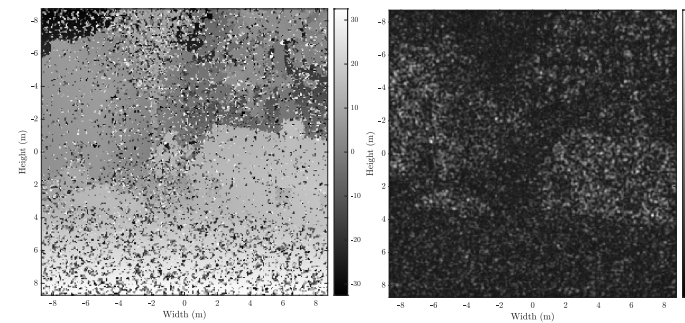
- Number of Looks (speckle realizations)
- SNR, characterized by mean photoelectrons per pixel (pre compression gain)
- Note: **NO** turbulent phase errors modeled



Ground Truth

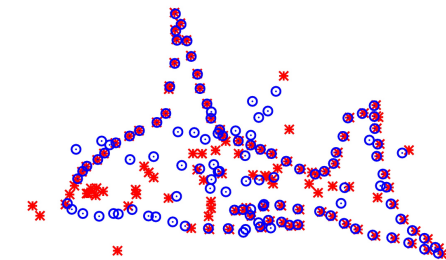


Mean 2 pe's over 8 speckles



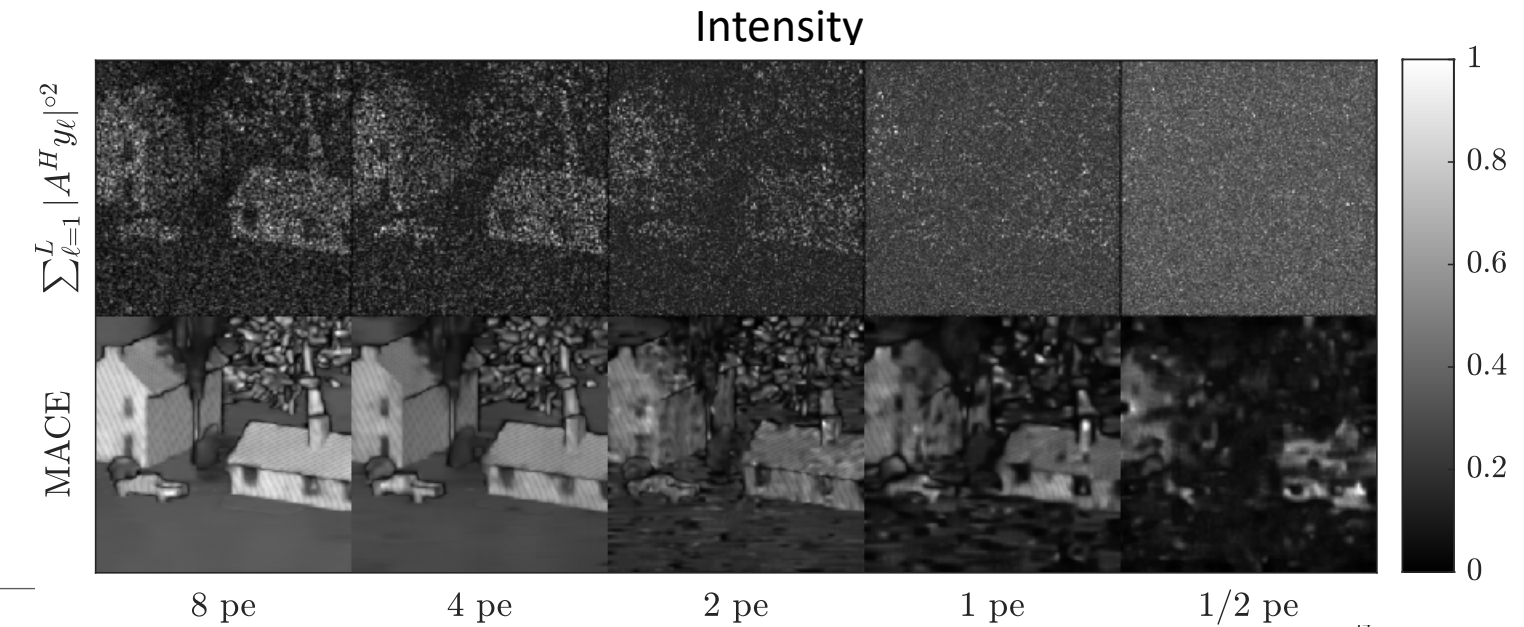
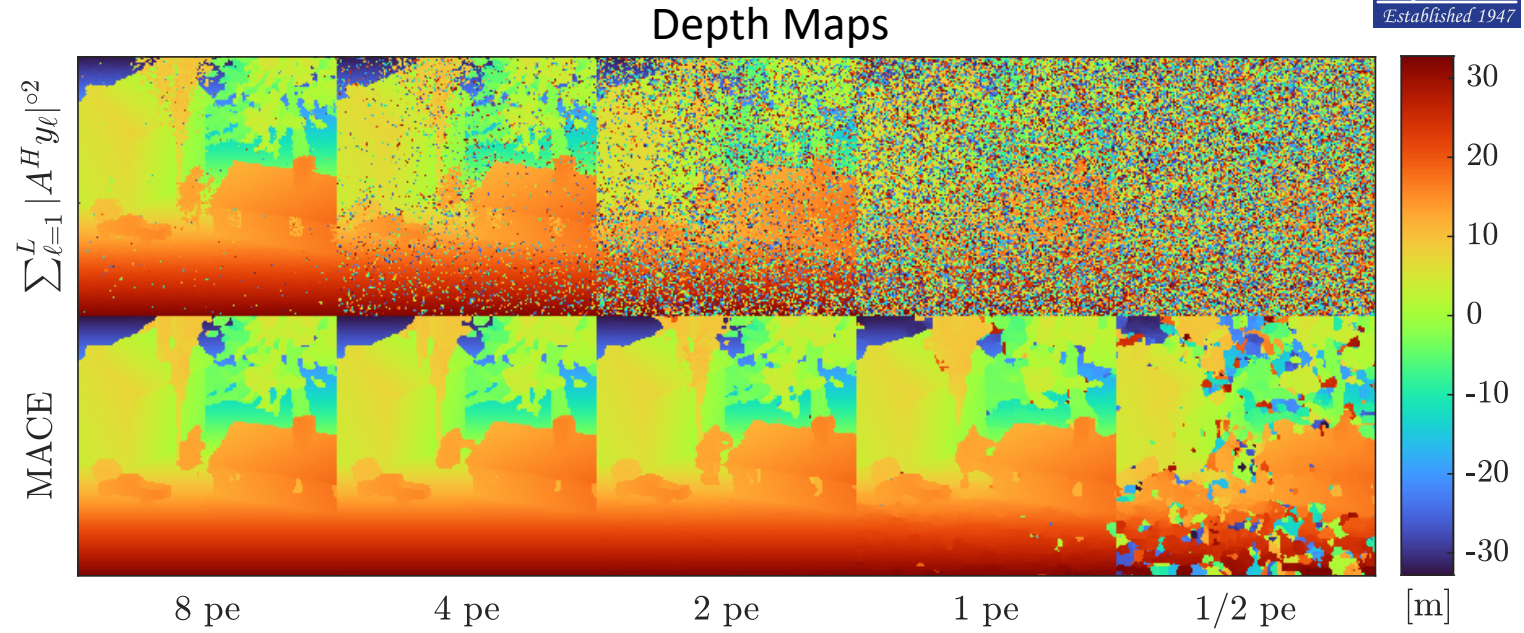
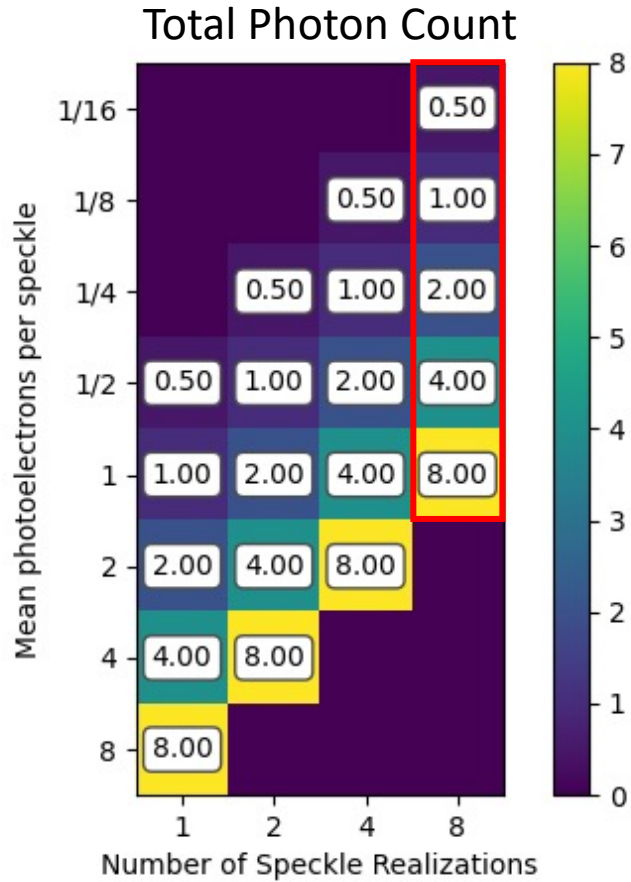
- **Quality Metric: Point Cloud Root Mean Squared Error (PC-RMSE)**

- Convert 3D image to point cloud
- Register with ground truth (match closest points)
- Compute average distance
 - Drop distances > threshold (False Positive)

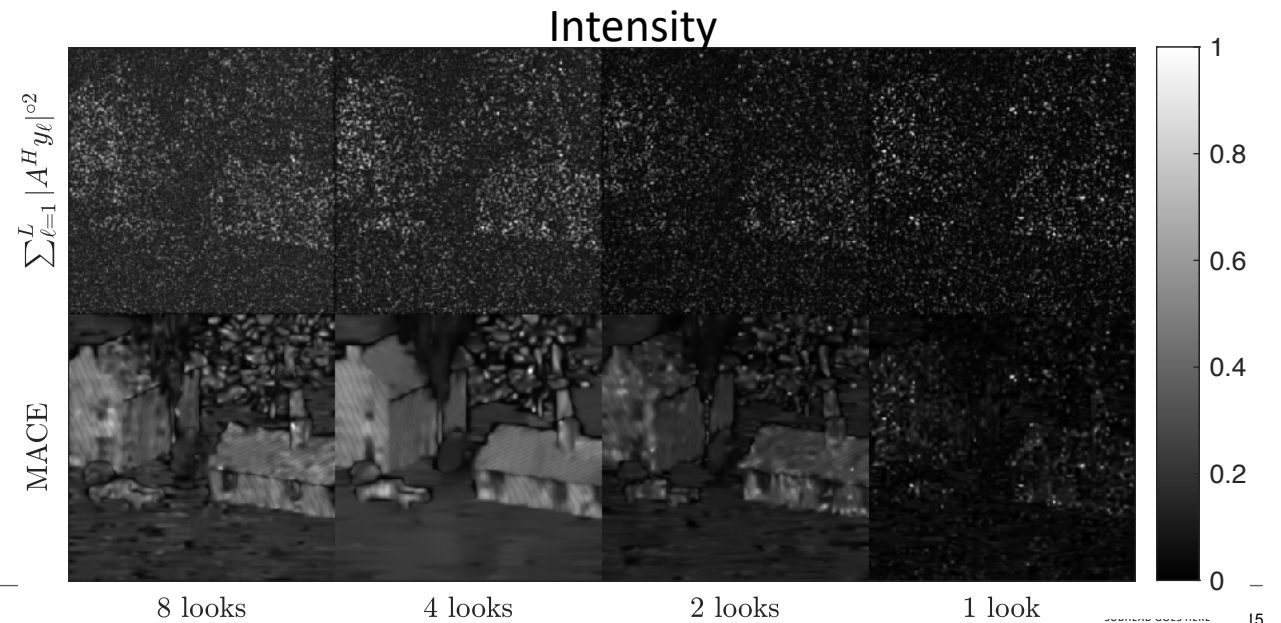
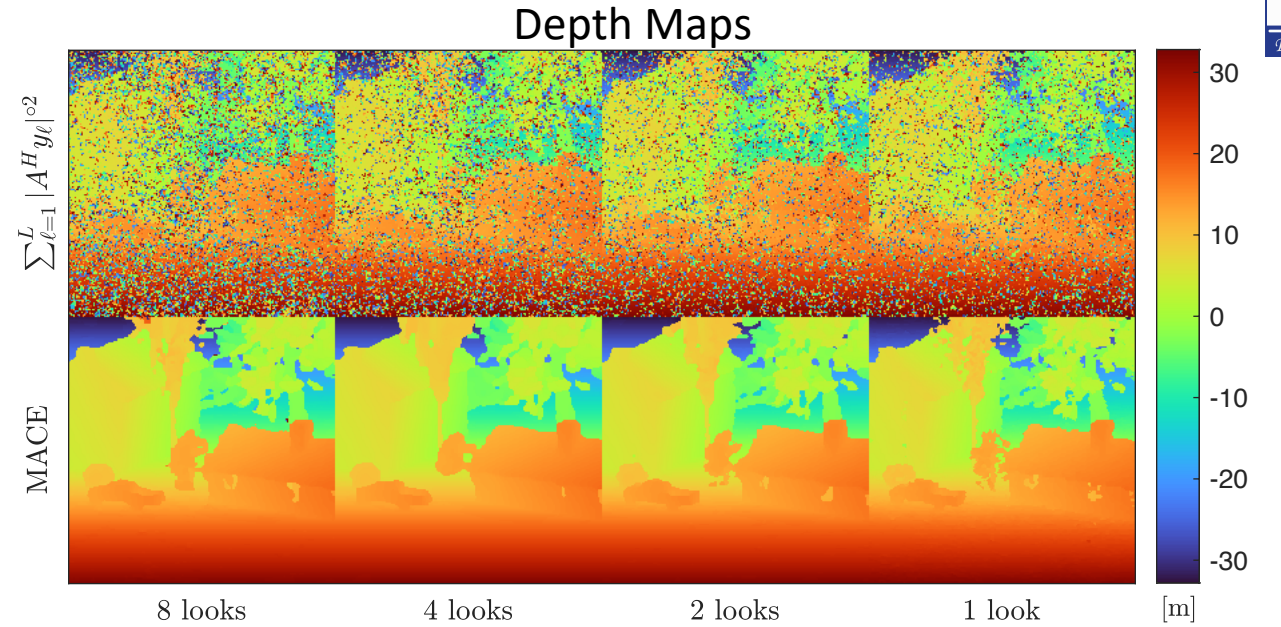
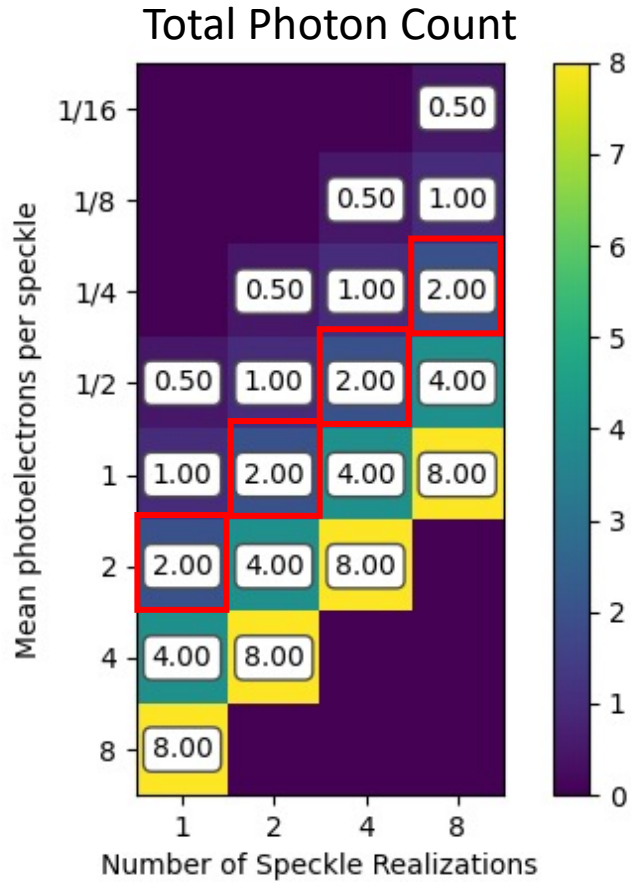


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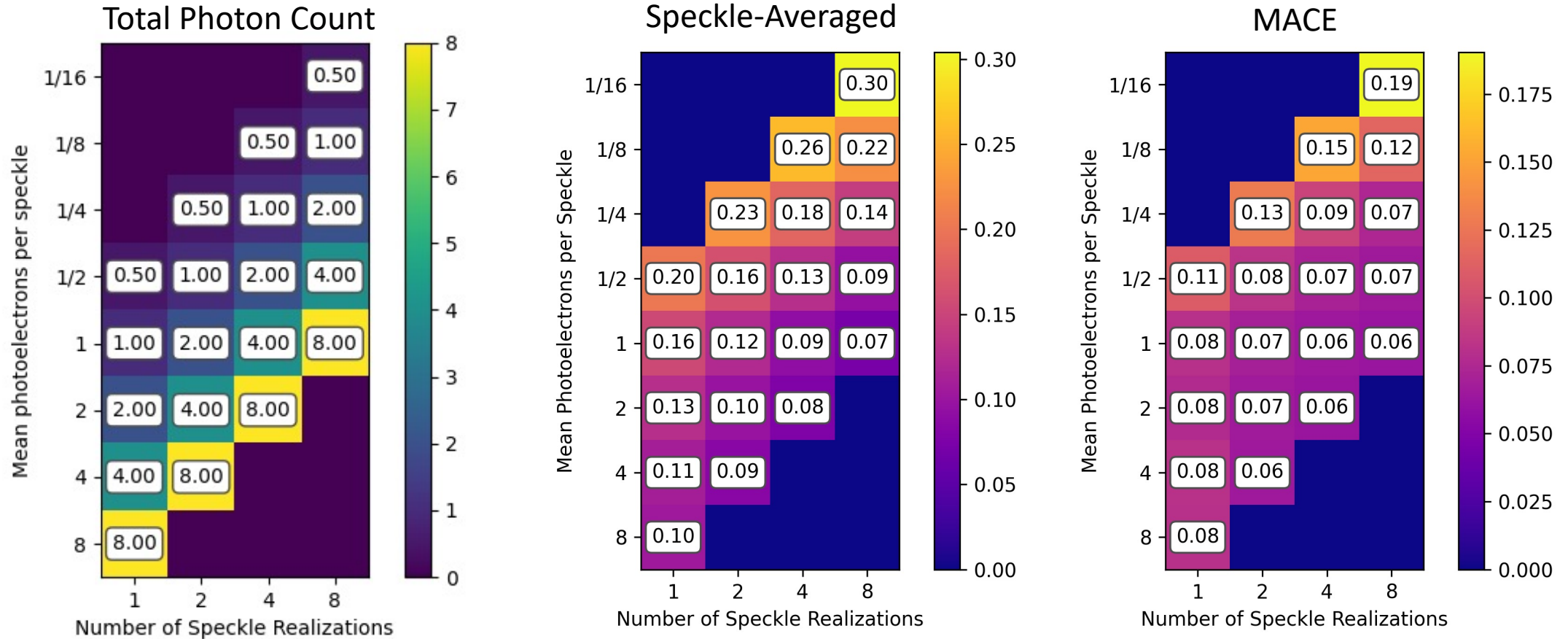
Results – Fixed # of Looks



Results – Fixed total photons



Results – Point Cloud RMSE



QUESTIONS?

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