

# A QUASI-LINEAR ALGORITHM TO COMPUTE THE TREE OF SHAPES OF $n$ D IMAGES

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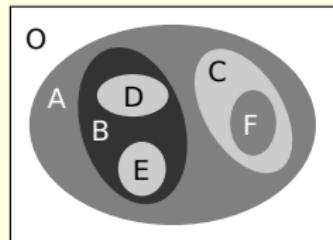
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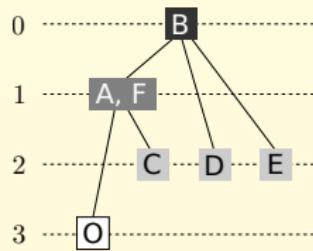
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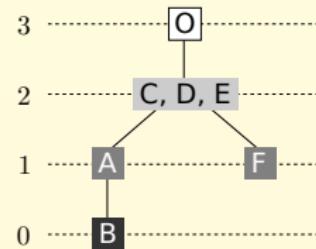
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## CONNECTED OPERATORS

Those operators are powerful:

- they filter (simplify) images while preserving (i.e., do not shift) contours
- some of them are based on component trees

Examples:

- algebraic openings and closings
- leveling
- ...

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- “object contours belong to the set of level lines”
  - ▶ so there are many applications...



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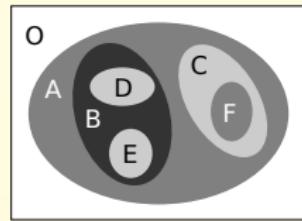
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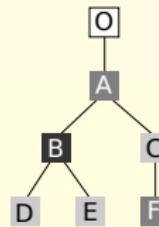
we have  $\mathfrak{S}(-u) = \mathfrak{S}(u)$  (whereas  $\mathcal{T}_\geq(-u) = \mathcal{T}_<(u)$ )

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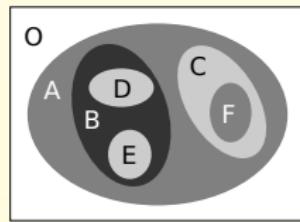


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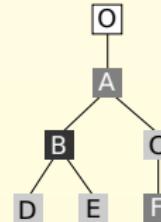


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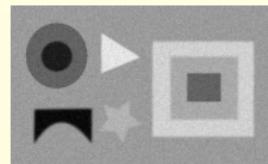
the shapes are

- the cavities of upper and lower cuts
- the interior regions of level lines.

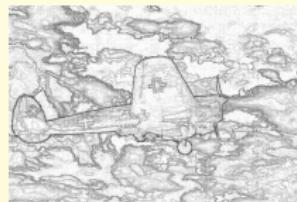
# APPLICATIONS 1/2



grain filter ( $\approx (\phi\gamma + \gamma\phi)/2$ )



object detection

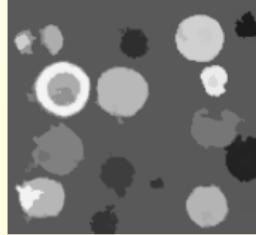
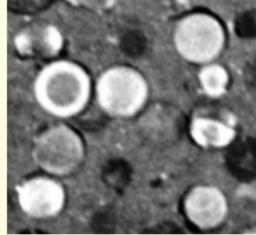


contour saliency  $\rightsquigarrow$  extinction  $\rightsquigarrow$  (hierarchical) segmentation

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image simplification



morphological “shaping”



local feature detection

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Several issues:

- their time complexity is  $O(N^2)$ ...    $\leftarrow$  that is bad
- they are unusable for  $nD$  images (limited to 2D images)    $\leftarrow$  that is a pity
- they are hard to implement

$\rightsquigarrow$  so eventually they are merely used!

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- works on  $n$ D images
- very easy to implement

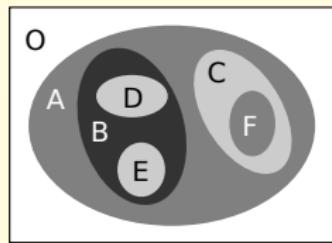
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if we succeed in sorting the pixels such as descending the tree of shapes,  
then we have a simple and efficient algorithm.

# COMPUTING THE TREE OF SHAPES: 2ND PASS

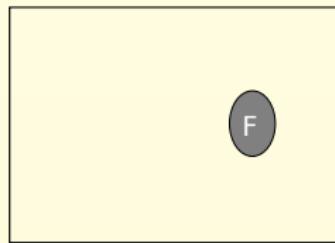
sort : -  →



Now let us browse the pixels in the reserve sort order...

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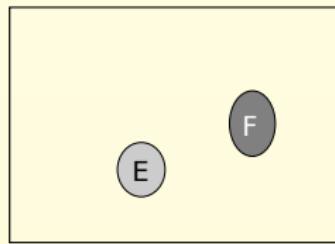
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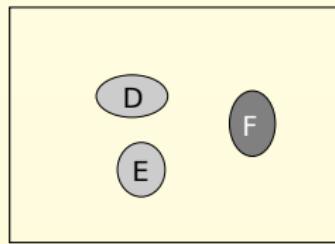
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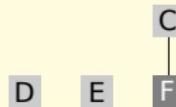
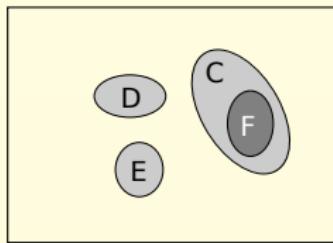
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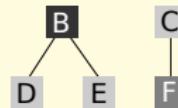
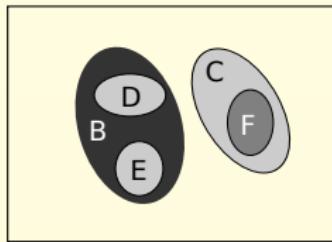
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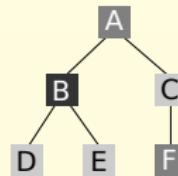
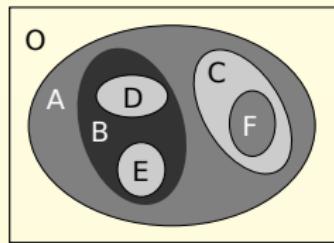
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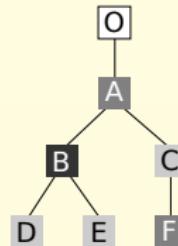
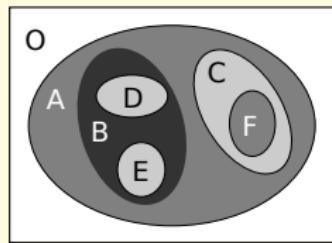
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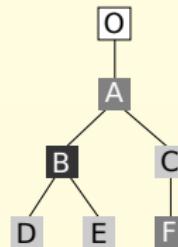
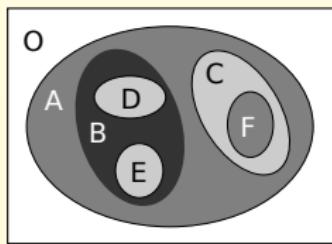
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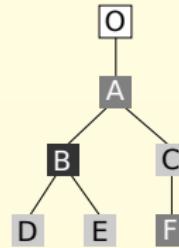
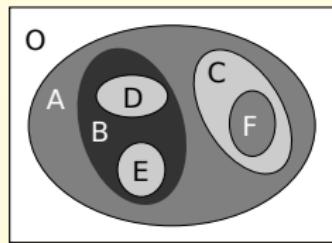
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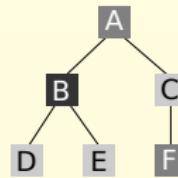
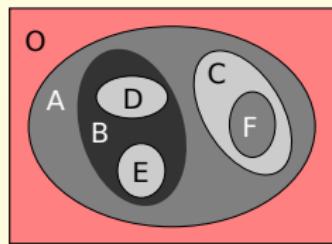
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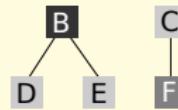
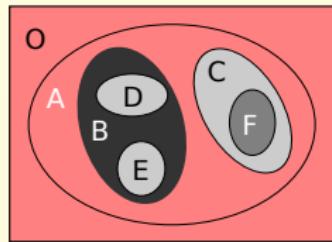
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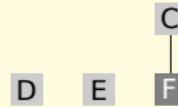
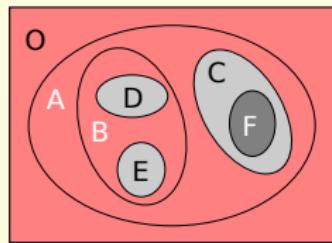
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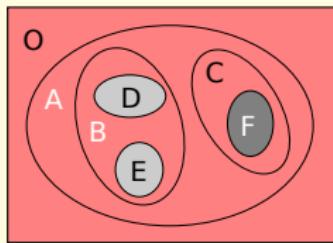
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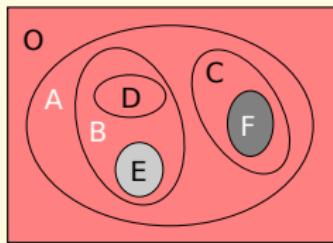
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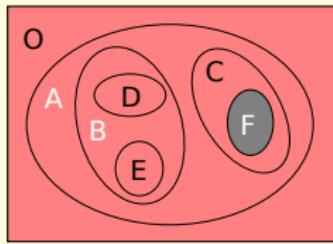
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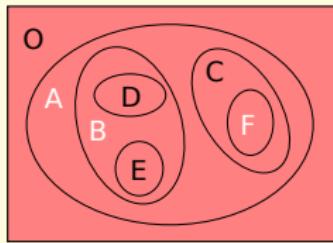
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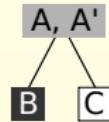
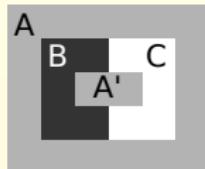
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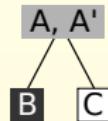
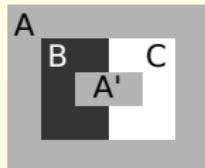


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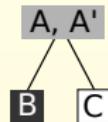
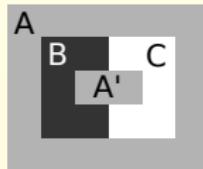
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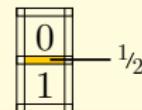
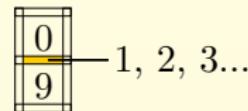
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- cubical complexes / Khalimsky grid
- set-valued maps

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Consider  $h \in H^n$  being the  $\times$  product of  $d$  elements of  $H_1^1$  and  $n - d$  elements of  $H_0^1$

- we have  $h \subset \mathbb{Z}^n$
- we say that  $h$  is a  $d$ -face and that  $d$  is the dimension of  $h$

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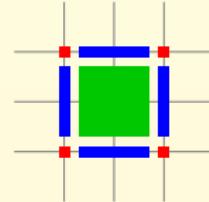
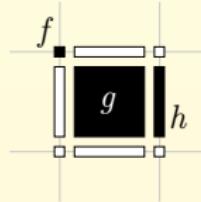
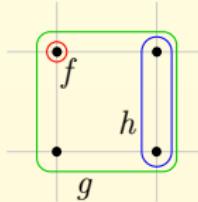
$$H^1 = H_0^1 \cup H_1^1$$

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$$H^n = \times_n H^1$$

Consider  $h \in H^n$  being the  $\times$  product of  $d$  elements of  $H_1^1$  and  $n - d$  elements of  $H_0^1$

- we have  $h \subset \mathbb{Z}^n$
- we say that  $h$  is a  $d$ -face and that  $d$  is the dimension of  $h$



Two representations of a set of faces...

...and Khalimsky's grid.

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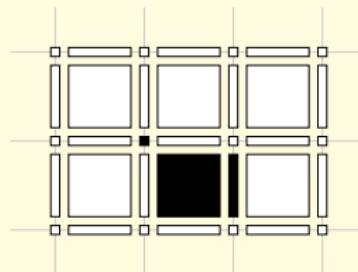
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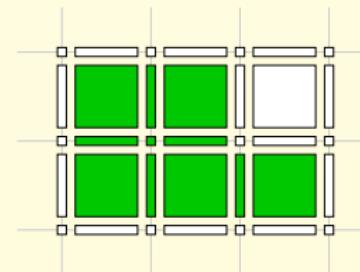
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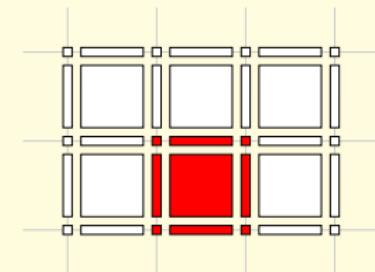
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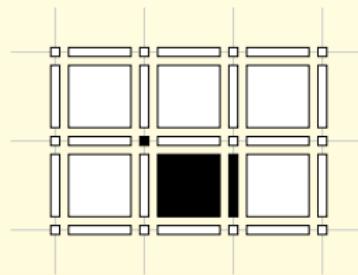
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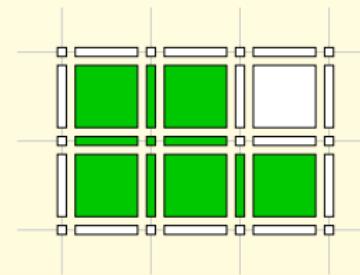
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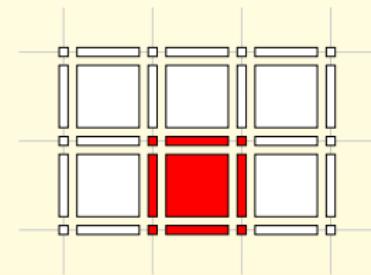
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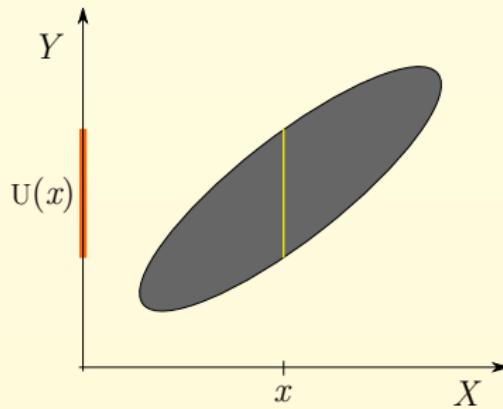
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At that point:

- we have to change  $u$  into  $U = \mathfrak{I}(u)$   
*so that  $\mathfrak{I}(u)$  is suitable to compute the tree of shapes*
- we need to define cuts of set-valued maps  
*so that we can have the notion of shapes of  $\mathfrak{I}(u)$*

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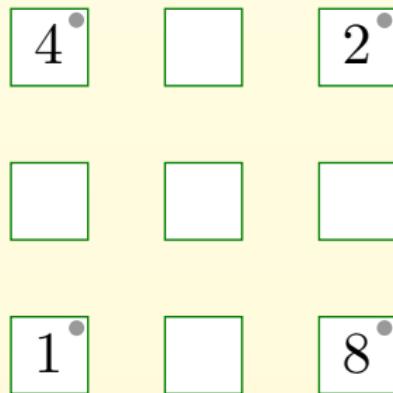
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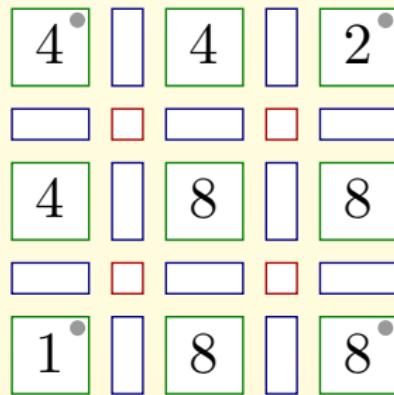
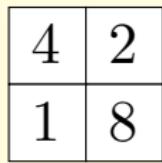


we subdivide  $\mathbb{Z}^n$  into  $\frac{1}{2}\mathbb{Z}^n$

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the max operator allows to “simulate” the  $c_{2n} / c_{3^n-1}$  connectivities

From  $u$  to  $\mathfrak{I}(u)$ :from  $\frac{1}{2}\mathbb{Z}^n$  to  $\frac{1}{2}H^n$  (introducing  $d$ -faces,  $d < n$ )

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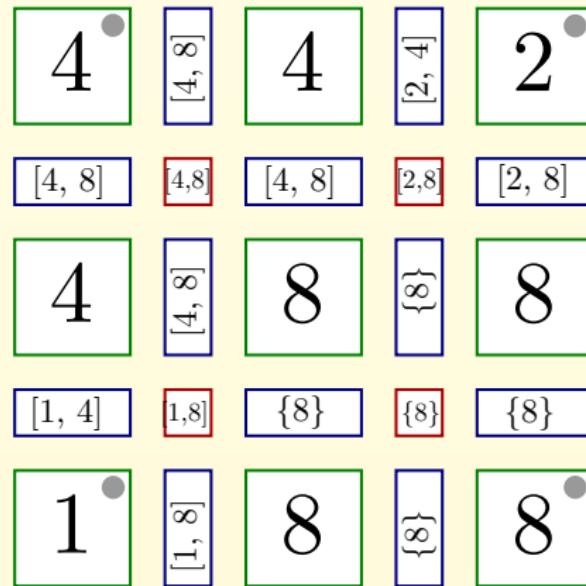
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the span operator makes this set-valued map continuous

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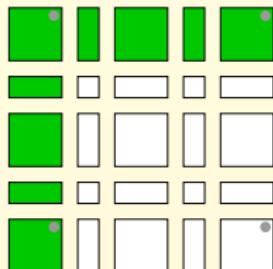
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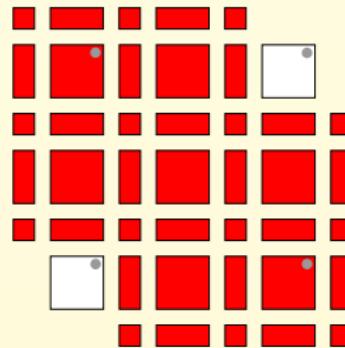
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We have

- components and shapes of  $U$  are open sets
- for any tree, couples of components coincide:  $\Gamma_U \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = \Gamma_u$
- $\mathfrak{S}(u) = \mathfrak{S}(U)|_{\mathbb{Z}^n}$

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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# ASCII ART: PROPAGATION / SORTING (1ST PASS)

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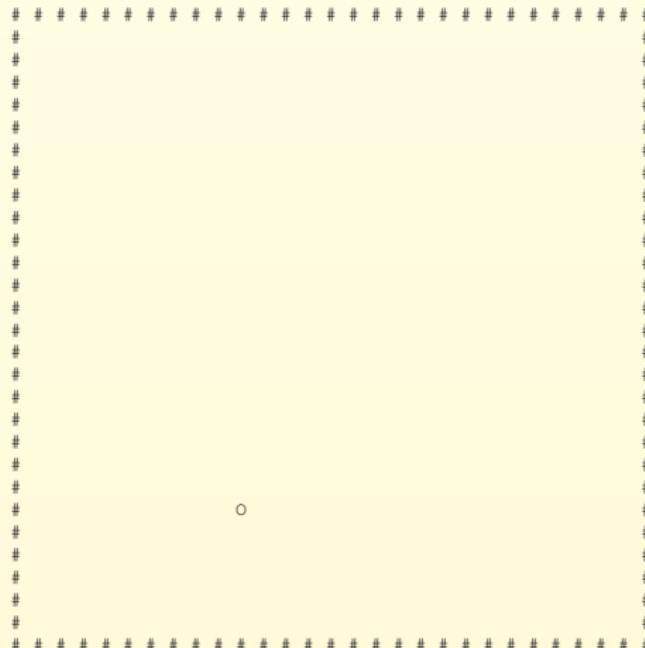
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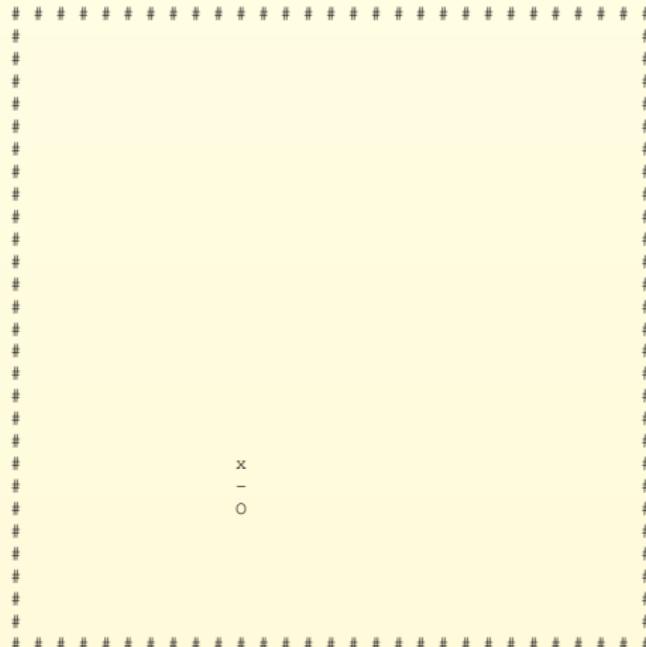
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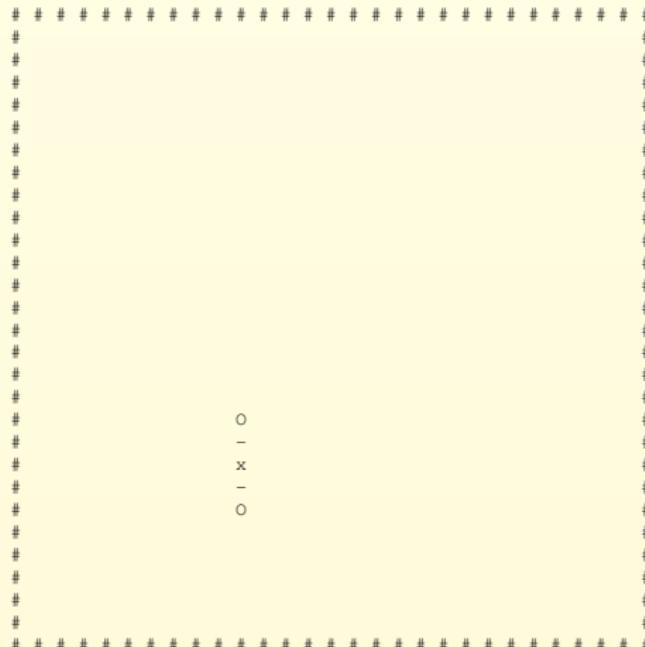
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A 2D grid of '#' characters. In the center, there is a vertical column of shapes: an 'x' at the top, followed by a '-' character, then an 'o', another '-' character, another 'x', another '-' character, and finally another 'o'. The grid is approximately 40 columns wide and 50 rows high.

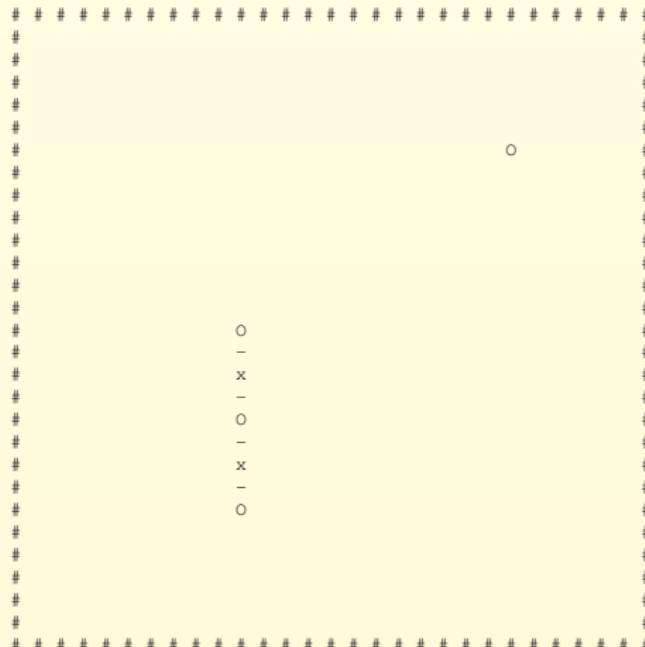
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#      o
#      -
#      x
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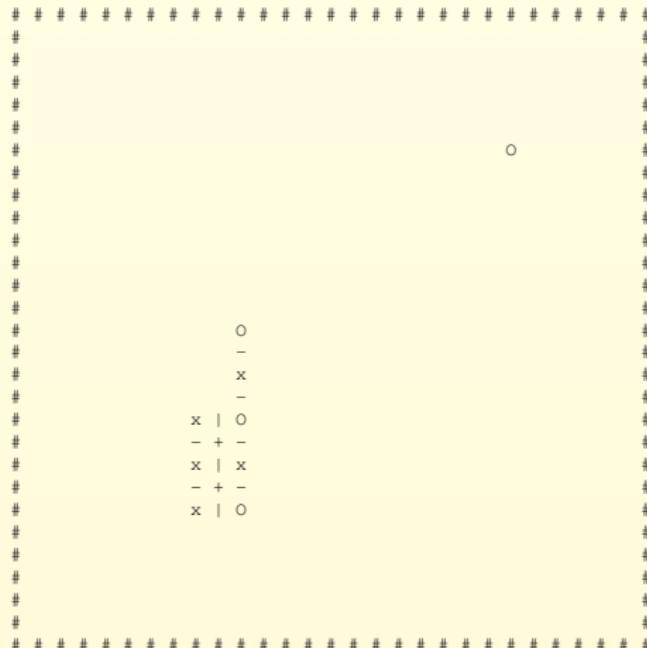
A scatter plot showing two data series. The x-axis is labeled with integers from 1 to 10. The y-axis is also labeled with integers from 1 to 10. The first data series is plotted using open circles (o), and the second data series is plotted using crosses (x). The points are arranged in a grid-like pattern across the plot area.

x	y	Series
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3	1	o
4	1	o
5	1	o
6	1	o
7	1	o
8	1	o
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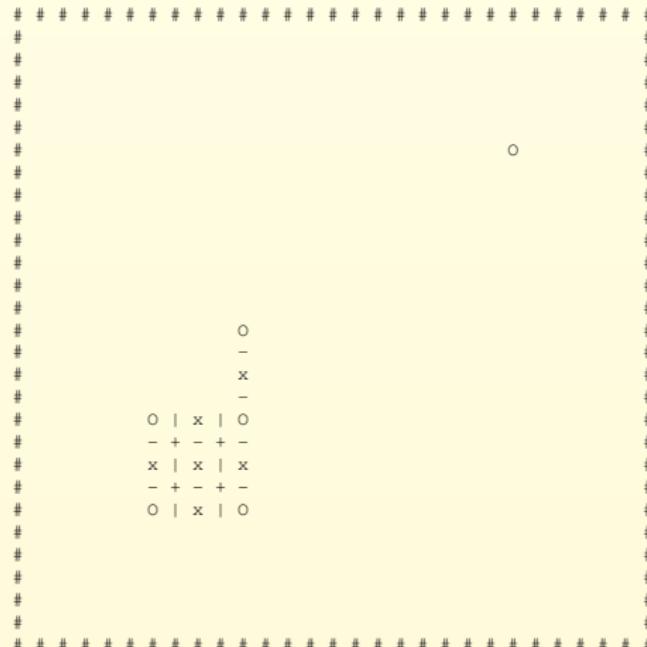
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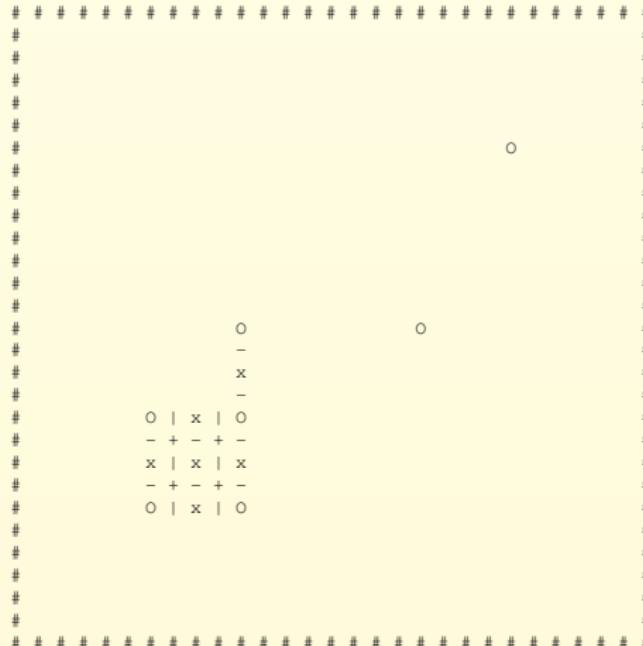
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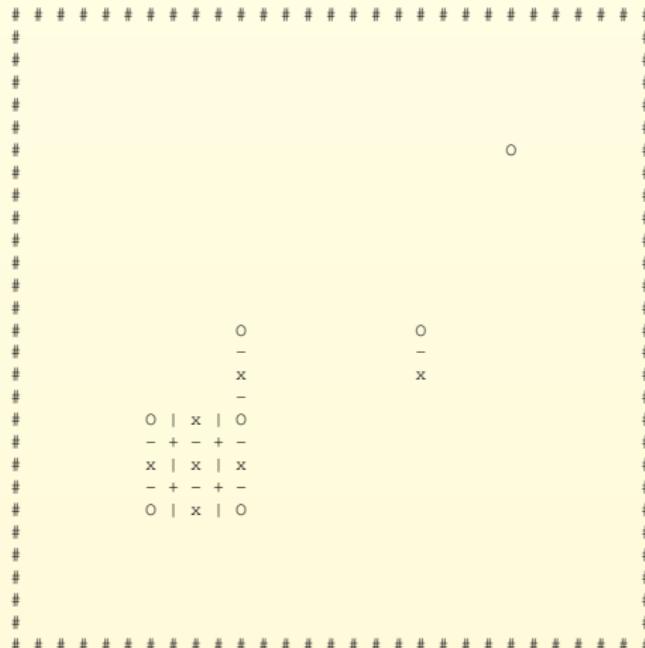
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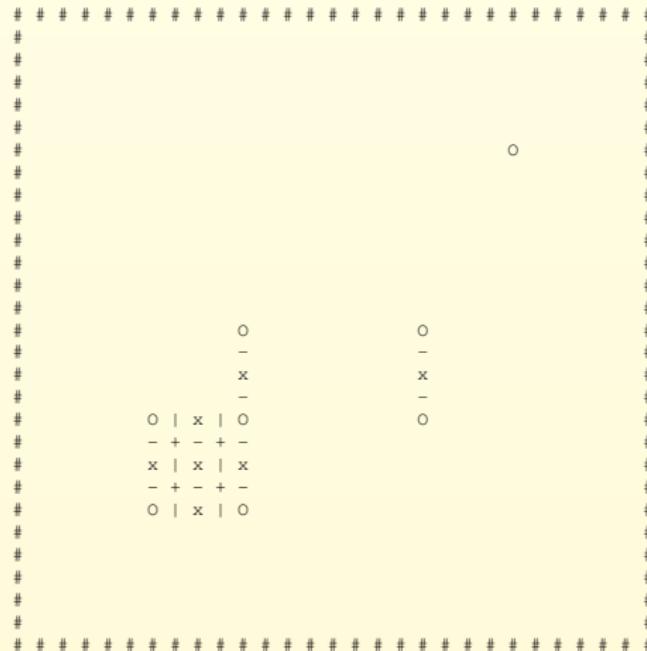
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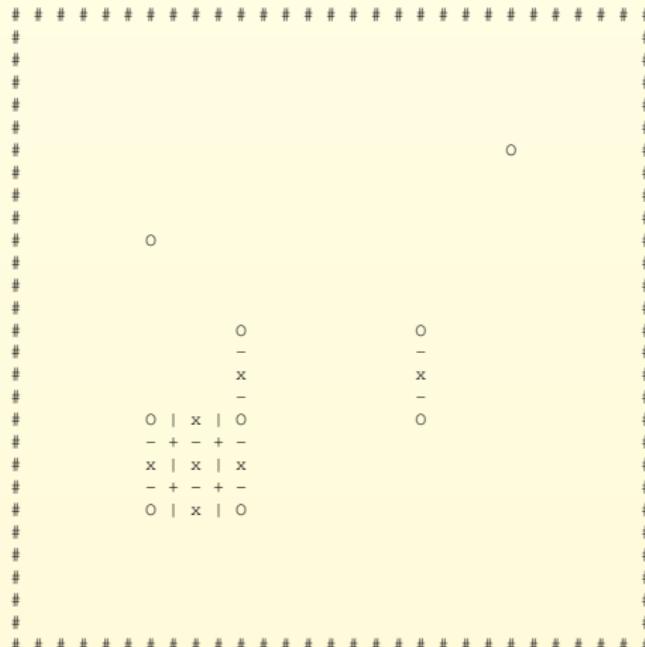
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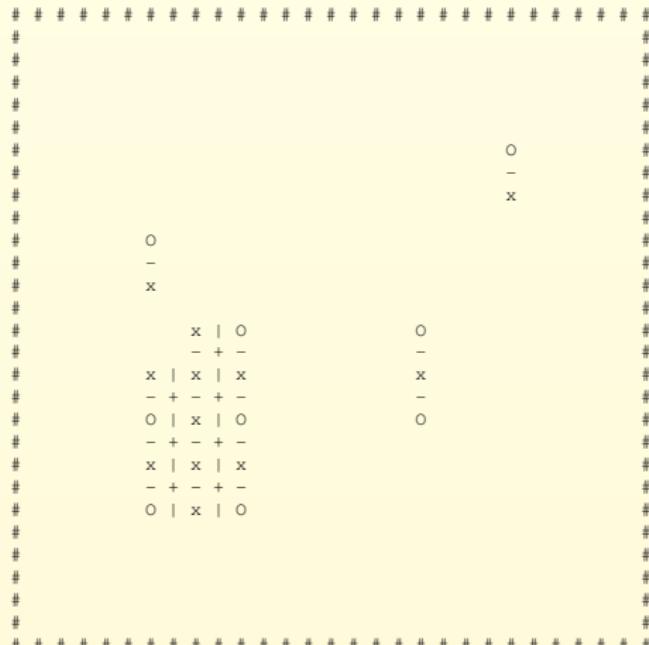
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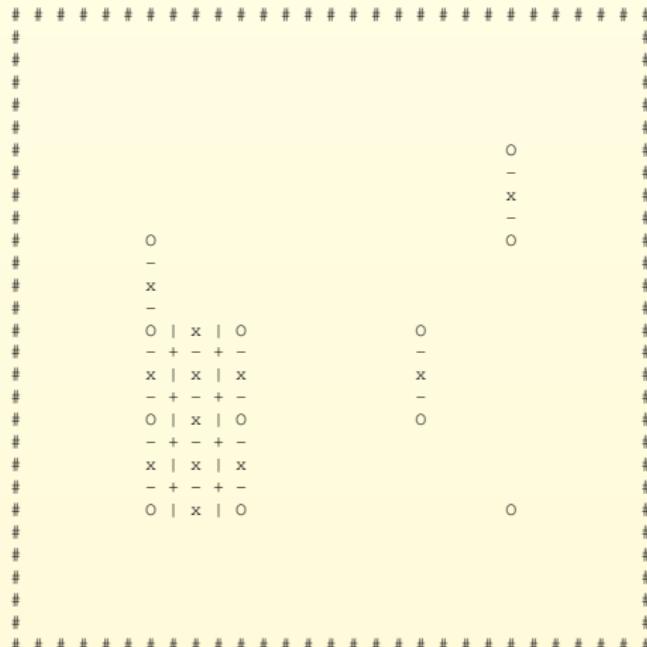
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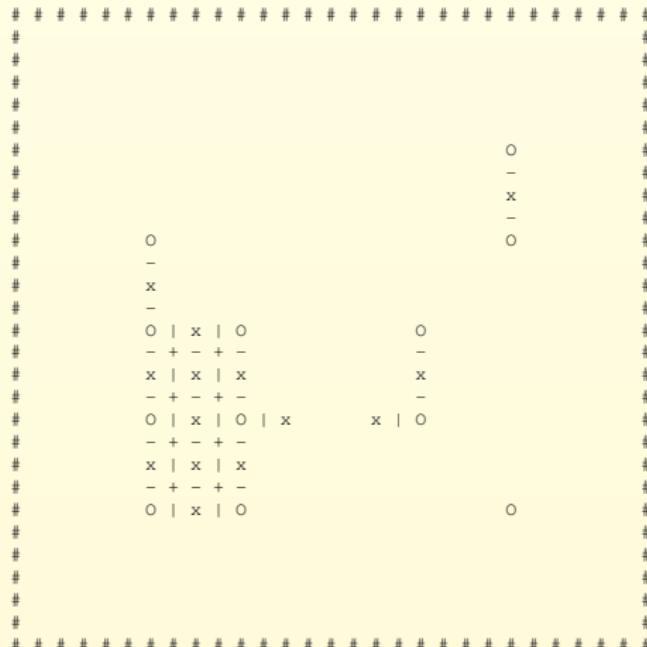
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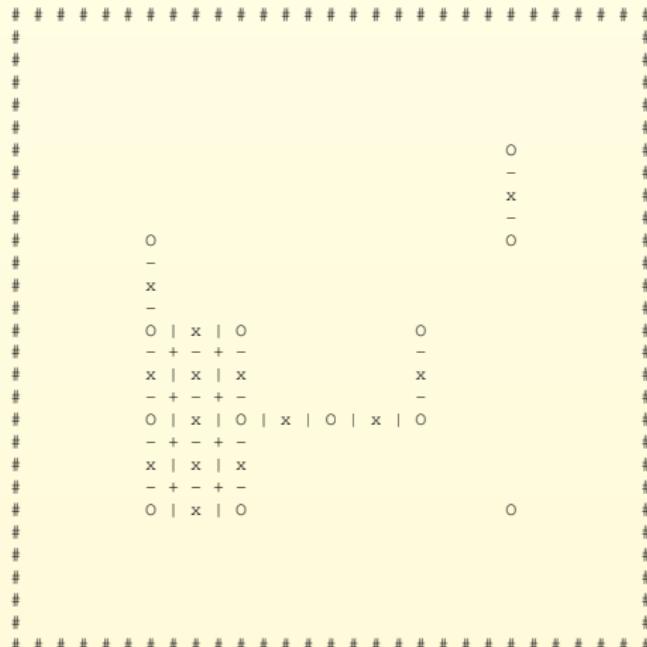
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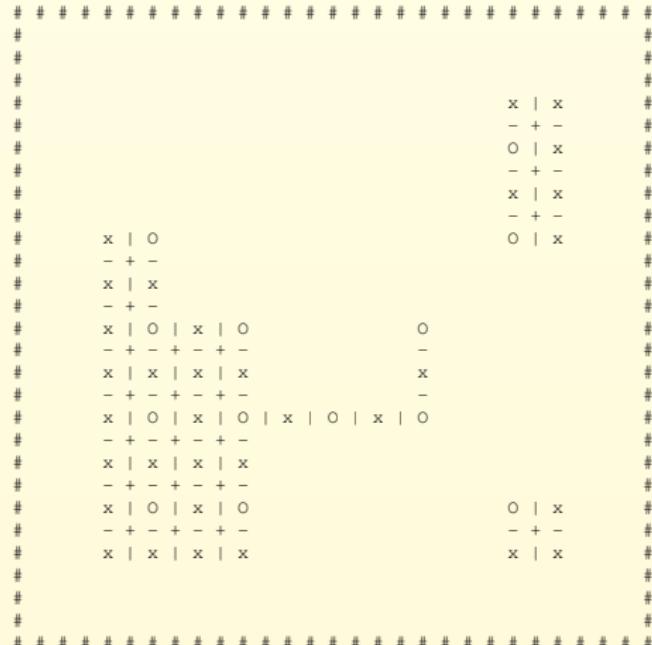
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# REPRODUCIBLE RESEARCH ⇒ OPEN SRC SOFTWARE!

Source code available in the next release of Milena:

- generic and efficient image processing C++ library
- free software under the GPL v2 licence
- including many pieces of mathematical morphology in it...

Try Milena!

- “*Since I use Milena, I feel different,*” Steve Jobs
- “*Google is named after Milena, yet we change some letters,*” L. Page and S. Brin
- “*Milena just leaves me speechless,*” M. Wilkinson



<http://olena.lrde.epita.fr>

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  - ▶ working on  $n$ D images
  - ▶ quasi-linear for low quantized data
  - ▶ very easy to implement
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# WHAT IS *not* PRESENTED HERE

In a journal paper (in preparation):

- a formal proof of our algorithm
- a discussion about propagation initialization (root node)
- how to reduce the memory bloat ( $\times 4^n$  from  $u$  to  $\mathfrak{I}(u)$ )
- a comparison of execution times of existing algorithms
- parallelization strategy

# CONTRIBUTIONS



Thierry Géraud: funny ideas and lead



Edwin Carlinet: algorithm design, seminal implementation



Sébastien Crozet: tests, algorithm proof, parallelization



Laurent Najman: good ideas and references

# THE END

Yet another killing app: food detection



Thanks for your attention. Any question?

# STEP 1: “UNION-FIND”-BASED TREE COMPUTATION

FIND\_ROOT( $zpar, x$ ) : P

```
begin
  if  $zpar(x) = x$  then
    return  $x$ 
  else
     $zpar(x) \leftarrow \text{FIND\_ROOT}(zpar, zpar(x))$ 
    return  $zpar(x)$ 
```

UNION\_FIND( $\mathcal{R}$ ) : T

```
begin
  for all p do
     $zpar(p) \leftarrow \text{undef}$ 
  for  $i \leftarrow N - 1$  to 0 do
     $p \leftarrow \mathcal{R}[i]$ 
     $parent(p) \leftarrow p$ 
     $zpar(p) \leftarrow p$ 
    for all  $n \in \mathcal{N}(p)$  such as  $zpar(n) \neq \text{undef}$  do
       $r \leftarrow \text{FIND\_ROOT}(zpar, n)$ 
      if  $r \neq p$  then
         $parent(r) \leftarrow p$ 
         $zpar(r) \leftarrow p$ 
  return  $parent$ 
```

# STEP 1: SORTING (“CONTINUOUS” PROPAGATION)

```
PRIORITY_PUSH( $q$ ,  $h$ ,  $U$ ,  $\ell$ )
```

```
/* modify  $q$  */
```

```
begin
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    [ $lower$ ,  $upper$ ]  $\leftarrow U(h)$  if  $lower > \ell$  then  
         $\ell' \leftarrow lower$ 
```

```
    else if  $upper < \ell$  then  
         $\ell' \leftarrow upper$ 
```

```
    else  
         $\ell' \leftarrow \ell$ 
```

```
    PUSH( $q[\ell']$ ,  $h$ )
```

```
PRIORITY_POP( $q$ ,  $\ell$ ) :  $H$ 
```

```
/* modify  $q$ , and sometimes  $\ell$  */
```

```
begin
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```
    if  $q[\ell]$  is empty then  
         $\ell' \leftarrow$  level next to  $\ell$  such as  $q[\ell']$  is not empty  
         $\ell \leftarrow \ell'$ 
```

```
    return POP( $q[\ell]$ )
```

```
SORT( $U$ ) : Pair(Array[ $H$ ], Image)
```

```
begin
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```
    for all  $h$  do
```

```
         $deja\_vu(h) \leftarrow$  false
```

```
     $i \leftarrow 0$ 
```

```
    PUSH( $q[\ell_\infty]$ ,  $p_\infty$ )
```

```
     $deja\_vu(p_\infty) \leftarrow$  true
```

```
     $\ell \leftarrow \ell_\infty$  /* start from root level */
```

```
    while  $q$  is not empty do
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```
         $h \leftarrow$  PRIORITY_POP( $q$ ,  $\ell$ )
```

```
         $u^b(h) \leftarrow \ell$ 
```

```
         $\mathcal{R}[i] \leftarrow h$ 
```

```
        for all  $n \in \mathcal{N}(h)$  such as  $deja\_vu(n) =$  false
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        do
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```
            PRIORITY_PUSH( $q$ ,  $n$ ,  $U$ ,  $\ell$ )
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```
             $deja\_vu(n) \leftarrow$  true
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```
         $i \leftarrow i + 1$ 
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```
        /* if  $q[\ell]$  is empty we are done with level  $\ell$  */
```

```
    return ( $\mathcal{R}$ ,  $u^b$ )
```

# TREE OF SHAPE COMPUTATION

COMPUTE\_TREE\_OF\_SHAPES ( $u$ ) : Pair(Array[P], T)

**begin**

```
     $U \leftarrow \text{INTERPOLATE}(u)$ 
     $(\mathcal{R}, u^\flat) \leftarrow \text{SORT}(U)$ 
     $\text{parent} \leftarrow \text{UNION\_FIND}(\mathcal{R})$ 
     $\text{CANONICALIZE\_TREE}(u^\flat, \mathcal{R}, \text{parent})$ 
    return UN-INTERPOLATE( $\mathcal{R}$ ,  $\text{parent}$ )
```

# END OF THE SLIDE SET...

# ANSWER TO MICHAEL'S QUESTION

low quantized data:

- appropriate data structure = hierarchical queue
- time complexity  $O(N)$
- $K$  (number of quanta) is a multiplicative constant

oddity:

- having high-bit-depth data...
- ...and using a hierarchical queue (unappropriate data structure!)
- time complexity is quasi-polynomial:  $O(K N)$
- nobody wants that!

high-bit-depth data:

- appropriate data structure = Y-fast trie
- time complexity  $O(N \log K)$
- space complexity  $O(N)$