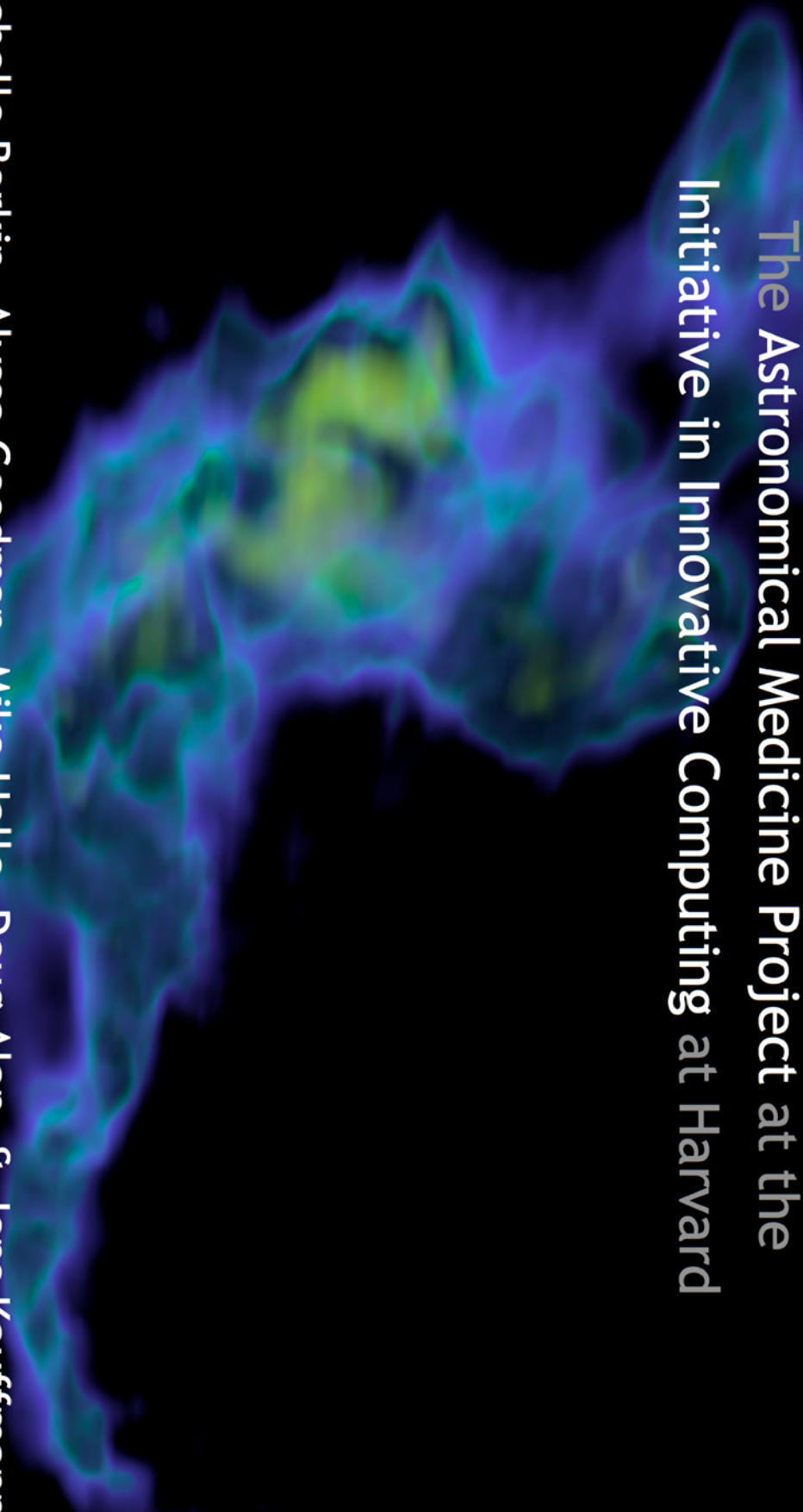


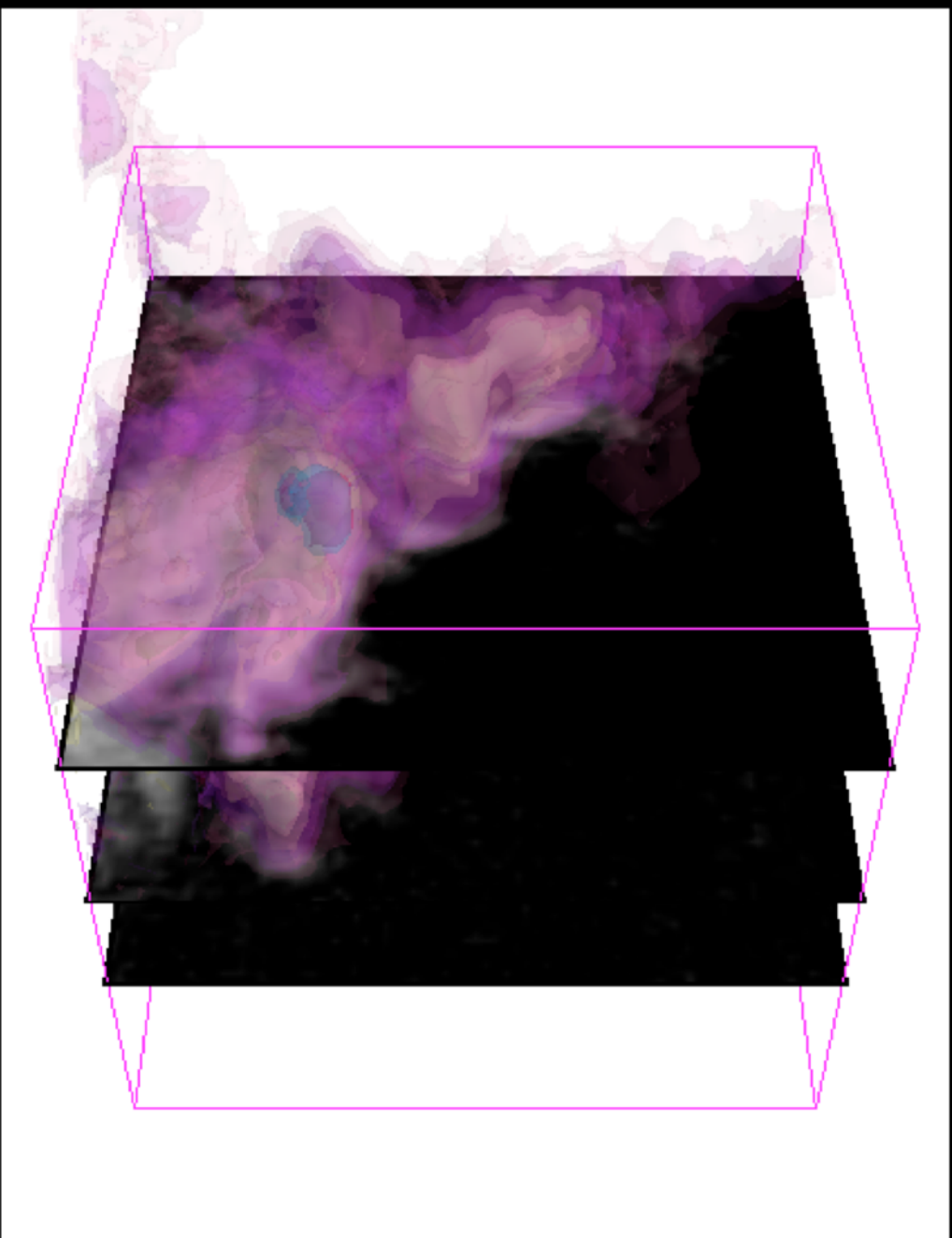
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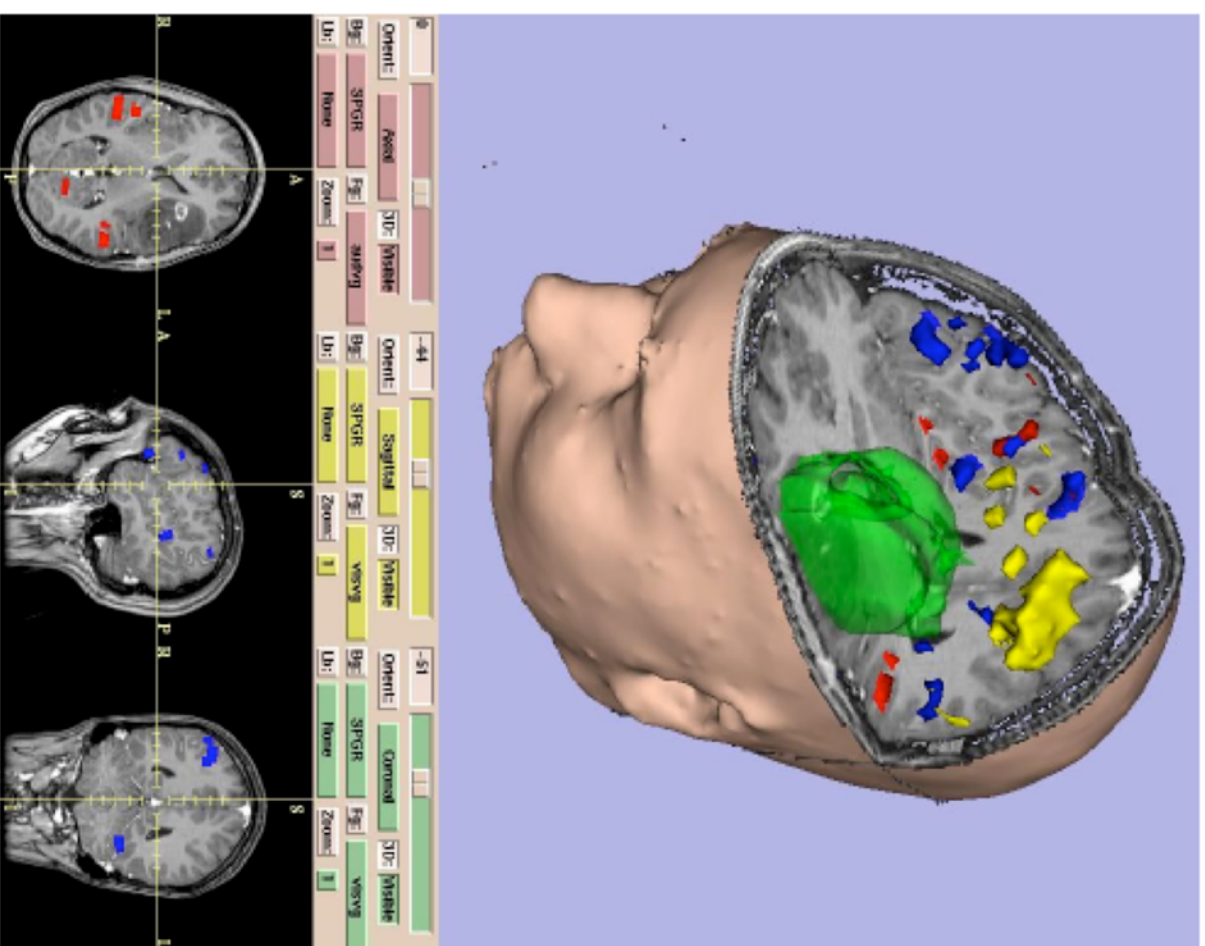
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2D vs. 3D



3D Slicer



3D Slicer

The screenshot displays the 3D Slicer 2.4 software interface. The main window shows a 3D volume rendering of a galaxy, with a black plane intersecting it. The axes are labeled RA (Right Ascension), DEC (Declination), and Velocity. A pink wireframe box highlights a region of interest. The interface includes a top menu bar (File, View, Help, Modules), a right sidebar with buttons for Data, Volumes, Editor, ModelMaker, and Anno, and a bottom control panel with various settings for Origin, Background, and Label. A small plot in the top right corner shows Antenna Temperature (K) vs. LSR Velocity (km/s).

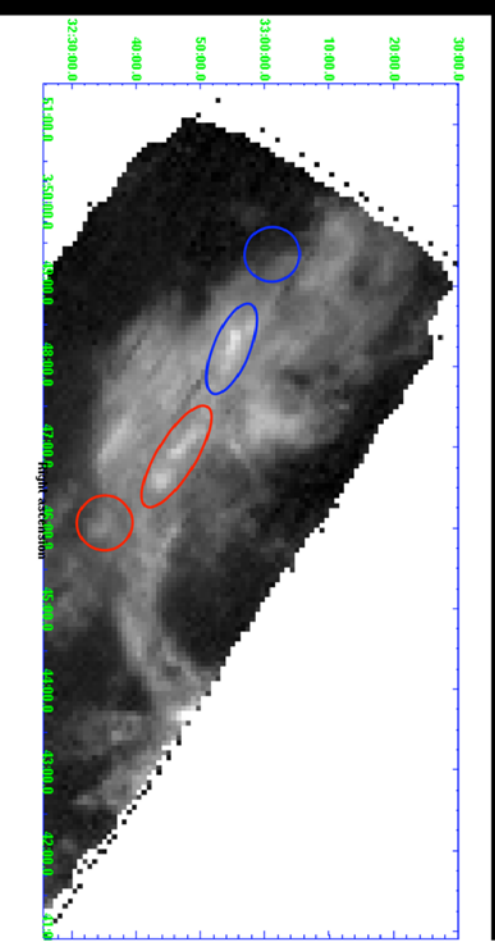
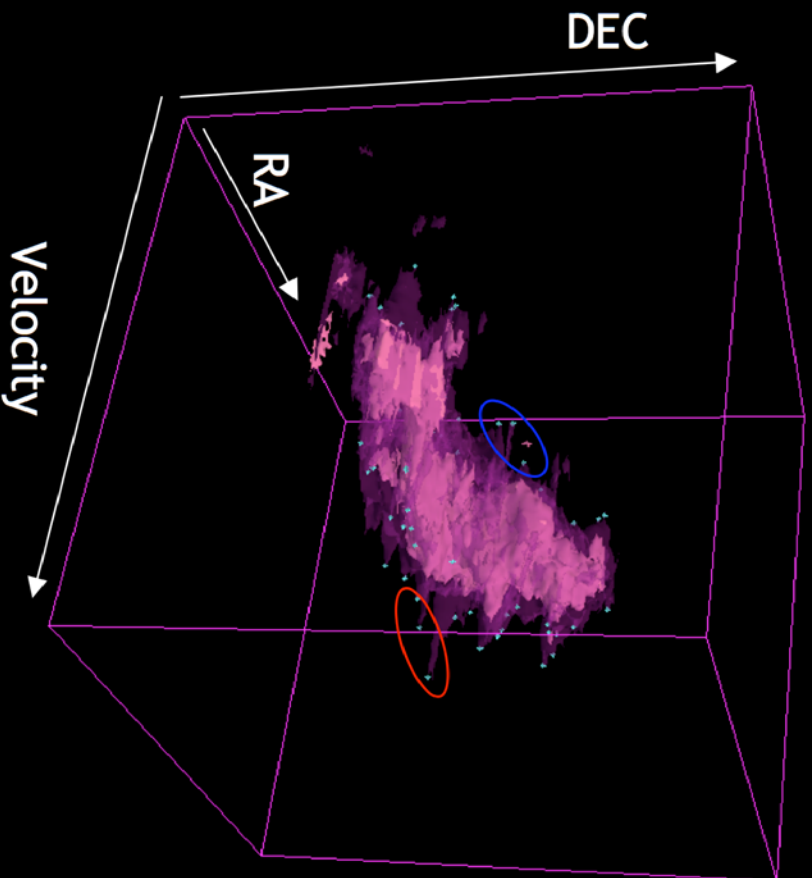
Antenna Temperature (K) vs. LSR Velocity (km/s)

LSR Velocity (km/s)	Antenna Temperature (K)
0	0.5
5	1.5
10	2.5
15	1.5
20	0.5

3D Slicer 2.4 Interface Elements:

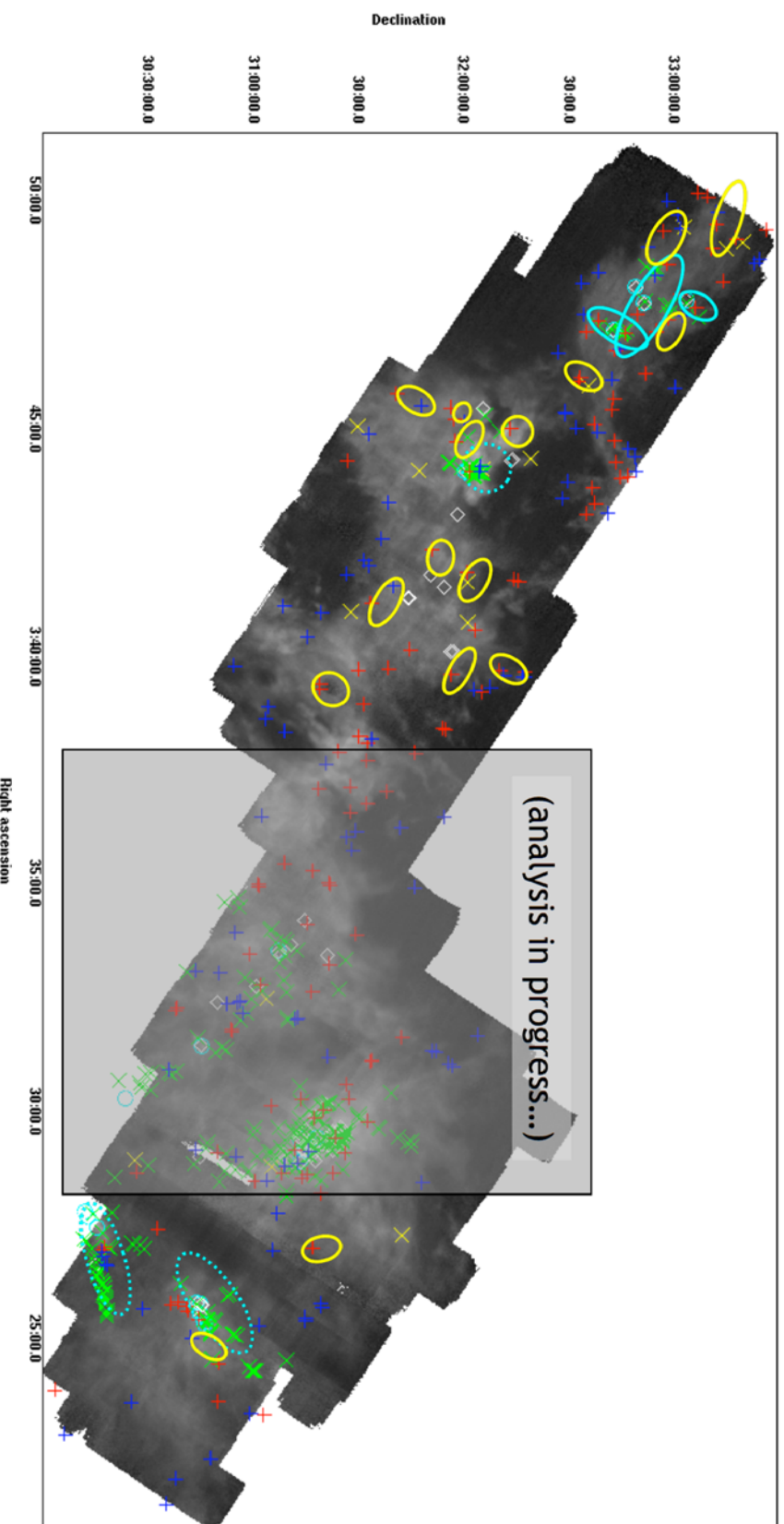
- Top Menu:** File, View, Help, Modules
- Right Sidebar:** Data, Volumes, Editor, ModelMaker, Anno
- Bottom Control Panel:** Origin (Or), Background (Bg), Label (Lb) settings for different axes (A, S, V).
- 3D View:** Galaxy volume, black plane, axes (RA, DEC, Velocity), pink wireframe box.
- Left Panel:** Visibility and Opacity settings for various contours (contour12 to contour20).
- Top Right Plot:** Antenna Temperature (K) vs. LSR Velocity (km/s).

Outflow Identification in B5



RA-DEC integrated map of ^{12}CO

Outflow Identification

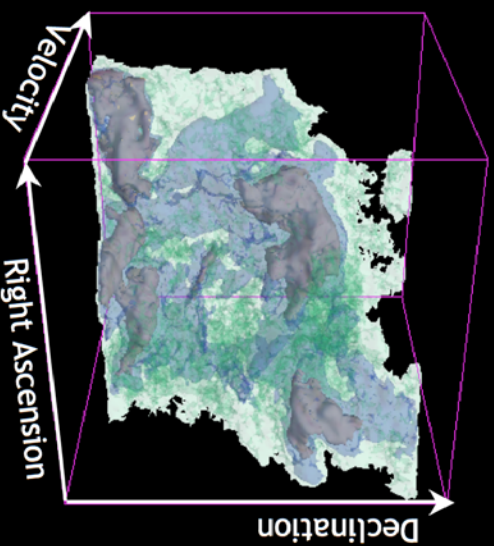


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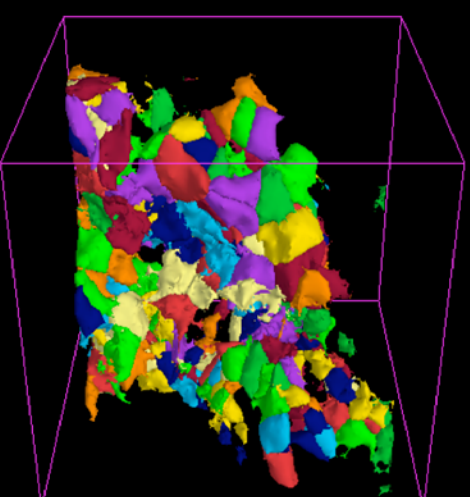
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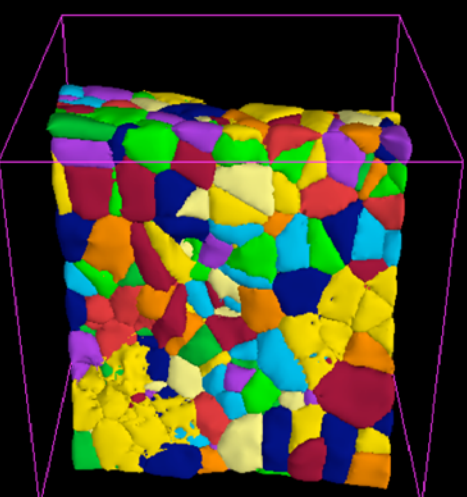
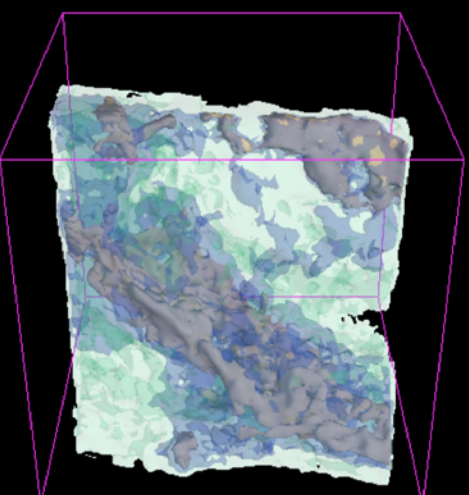
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