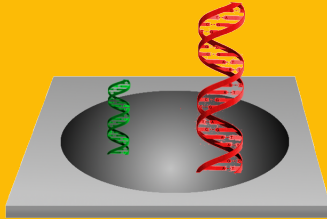


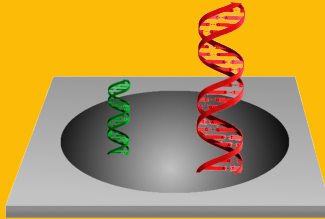
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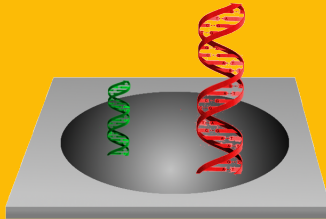


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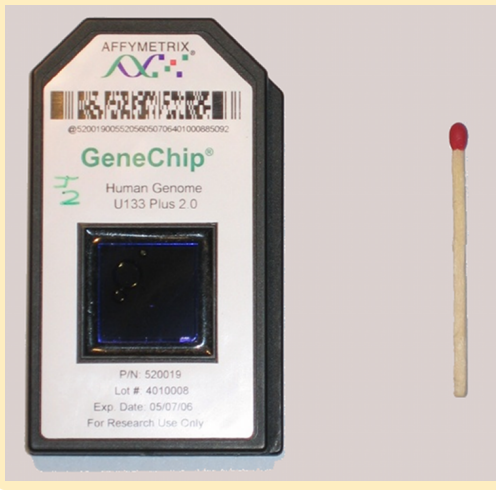
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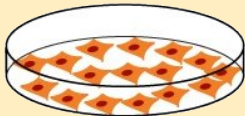
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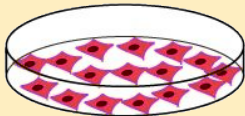
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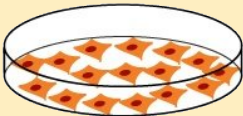
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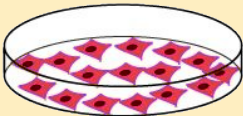
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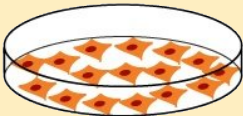
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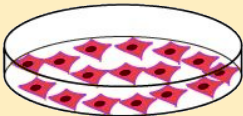
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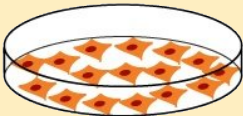
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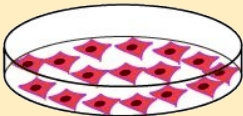
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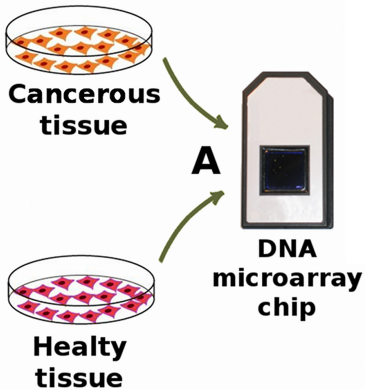
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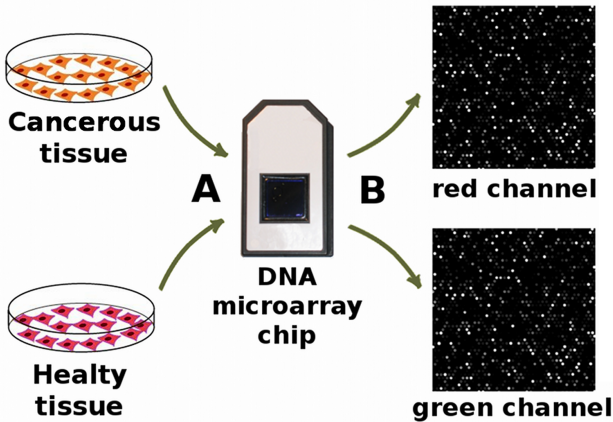
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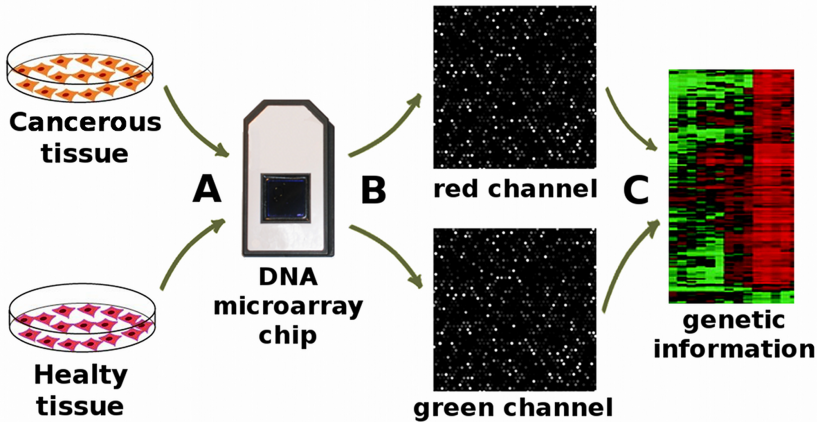
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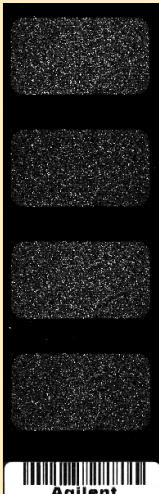
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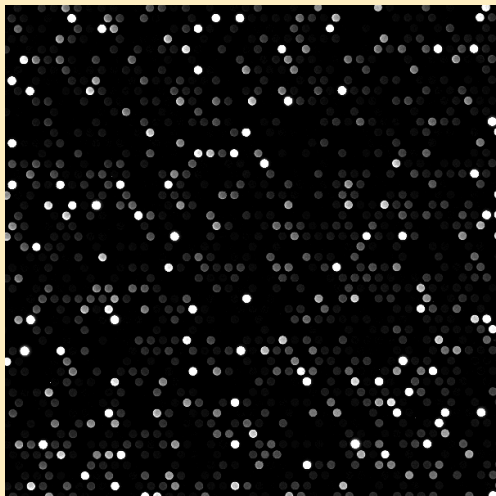


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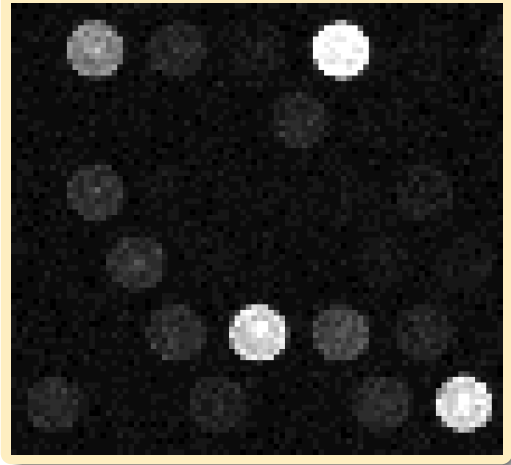


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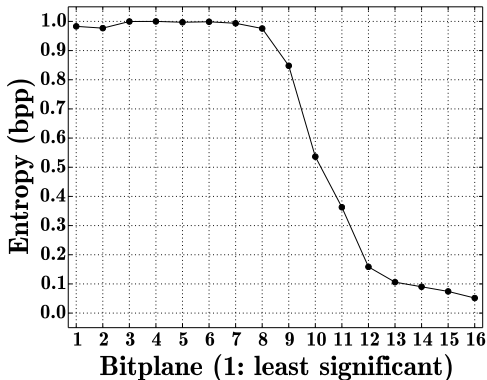
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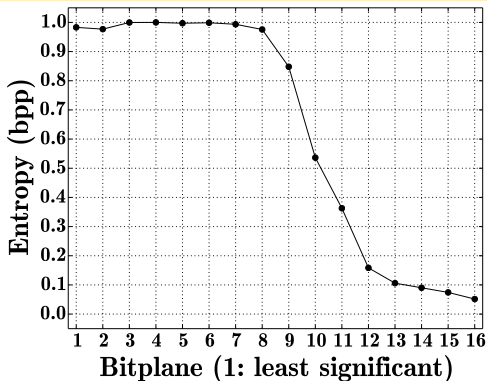


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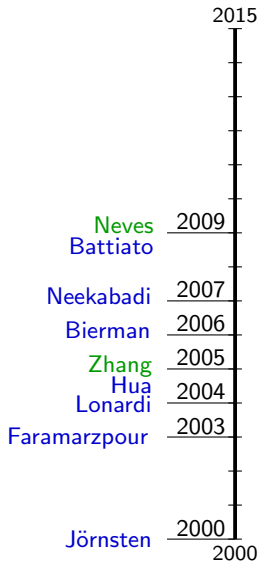
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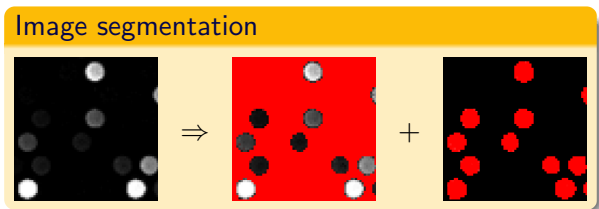
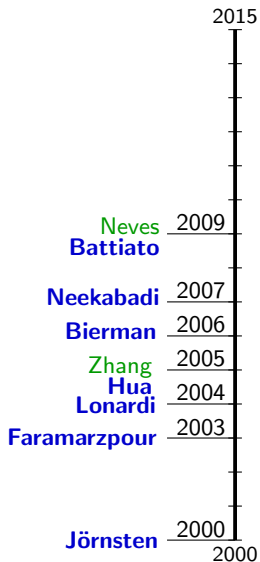
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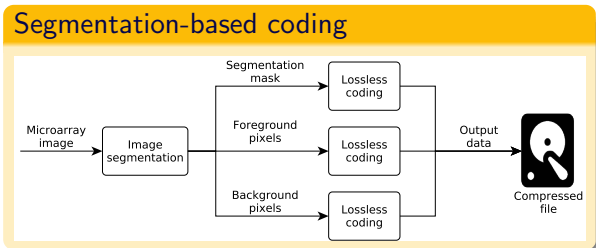
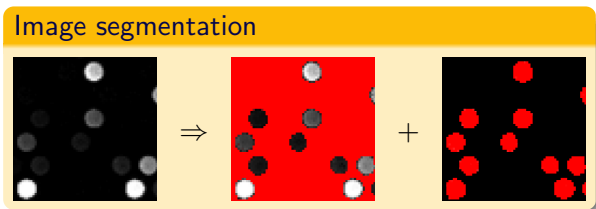
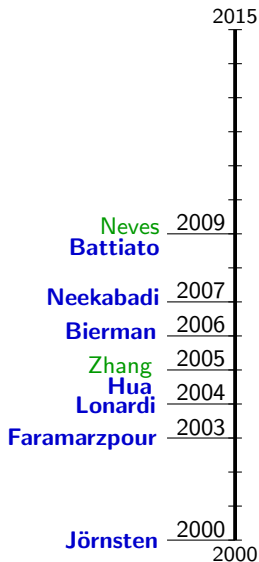
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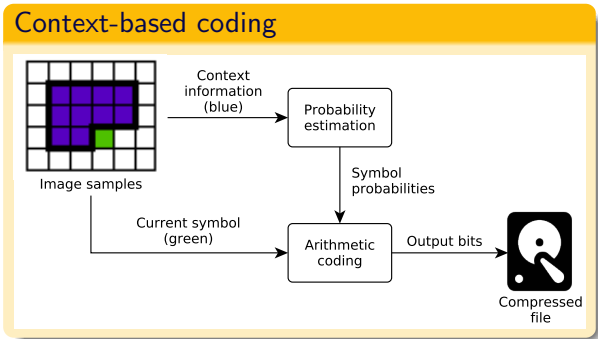
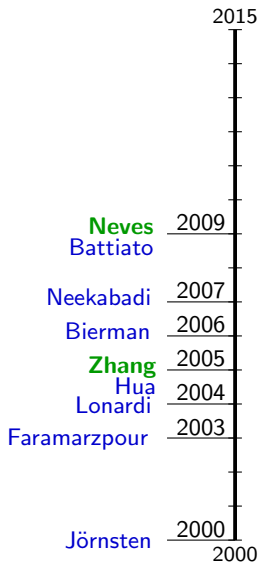
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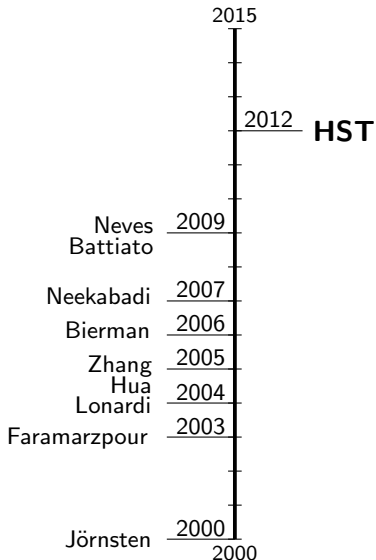
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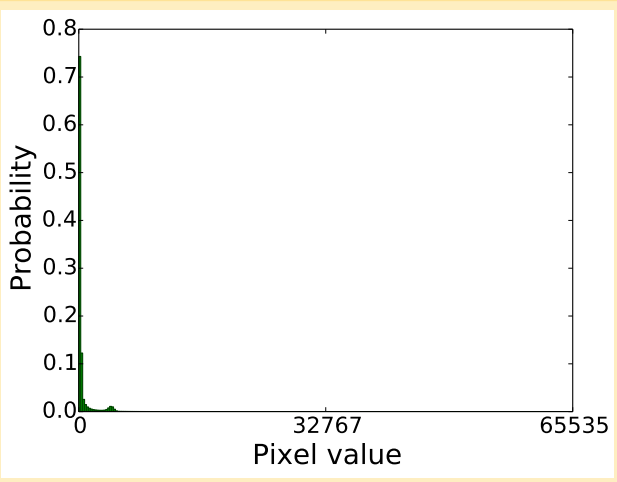
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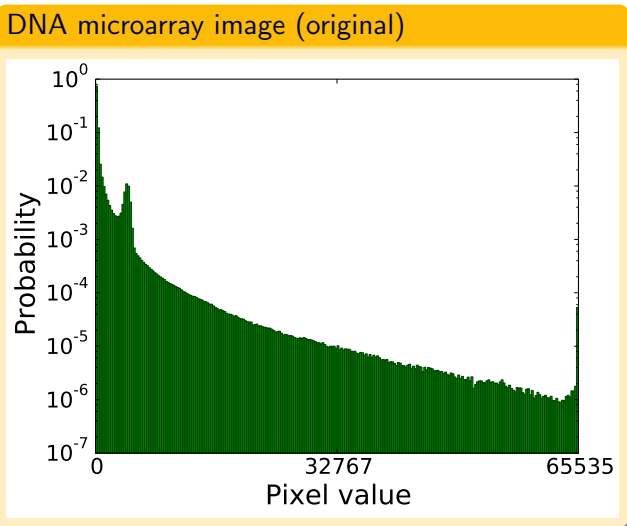


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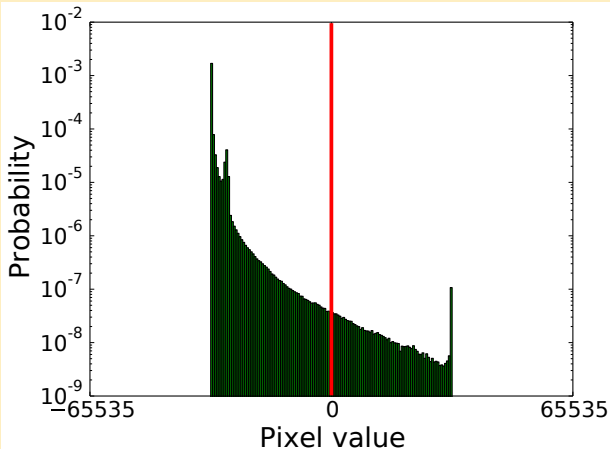


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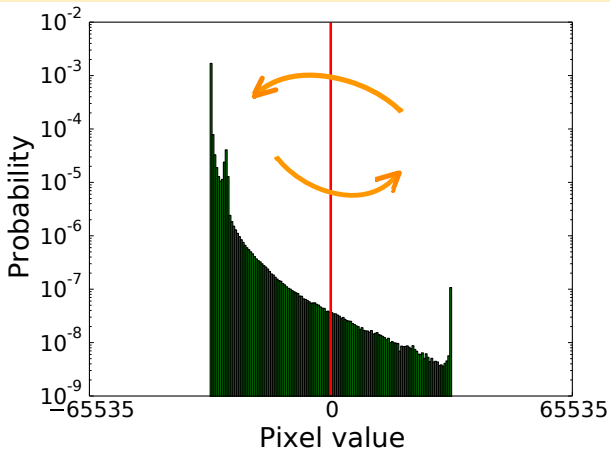
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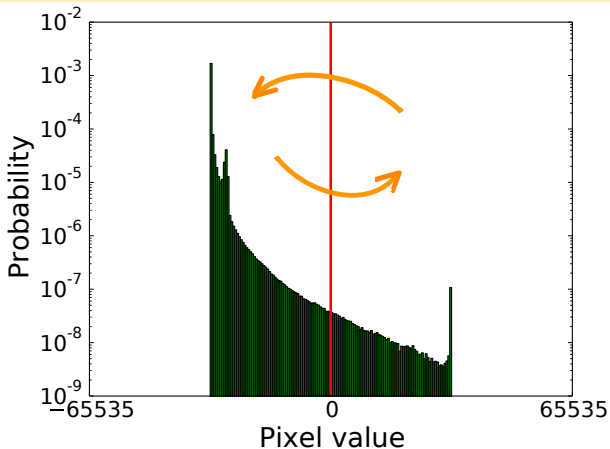
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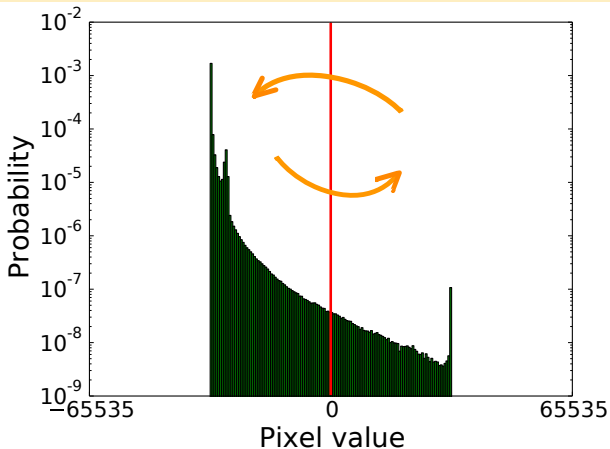
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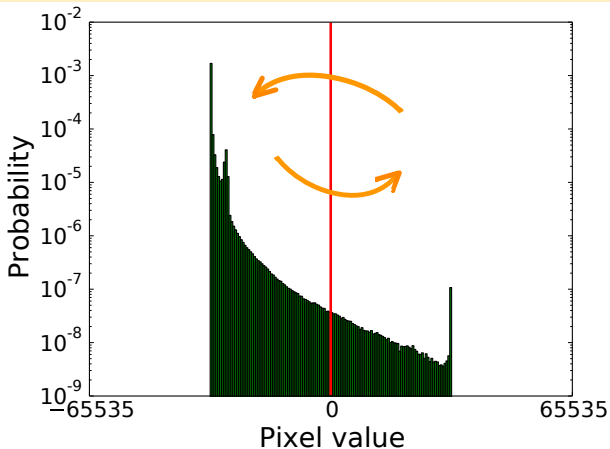
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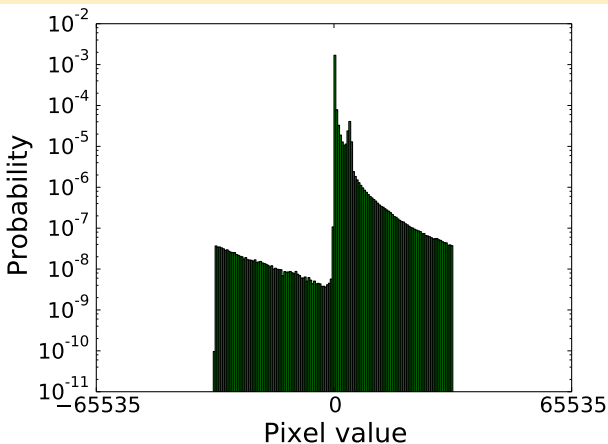
Histogram Swap Transform (before)



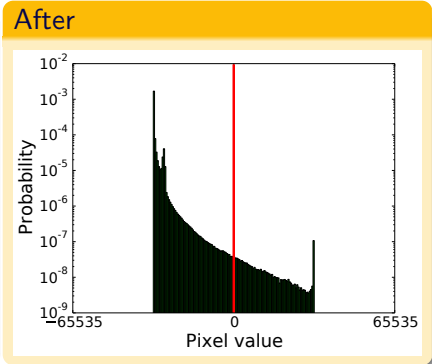
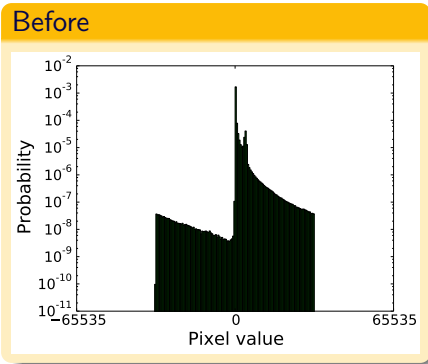
- Reversible
- Fast
- JPEG2000 Compatible

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Histogram Swap Transform (after)



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JPEG2000 compression results (bpp)

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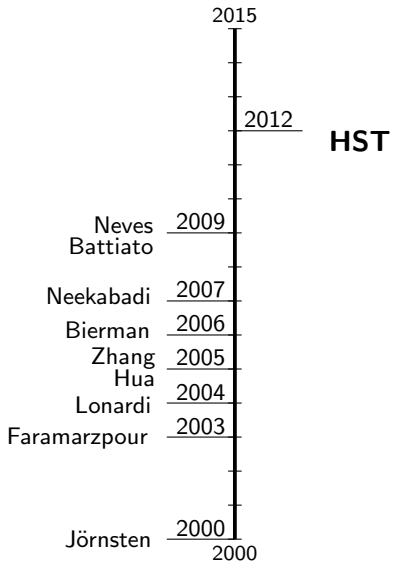
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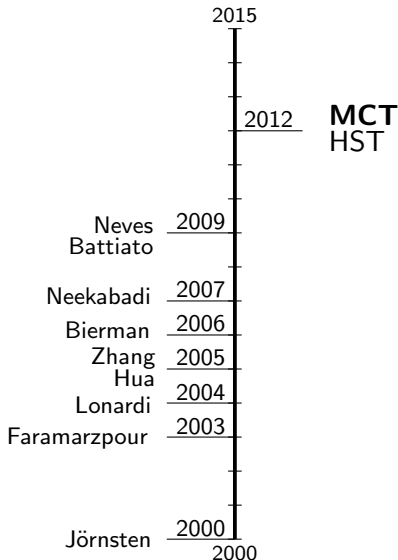
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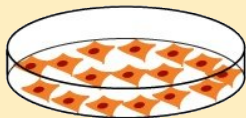
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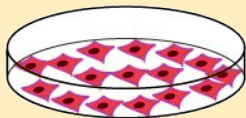
- “Multicomponent compression of DNA microarray images,” Miguel Hernández-Cabronero *et al.*
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Biological samples



Tumoral tissue



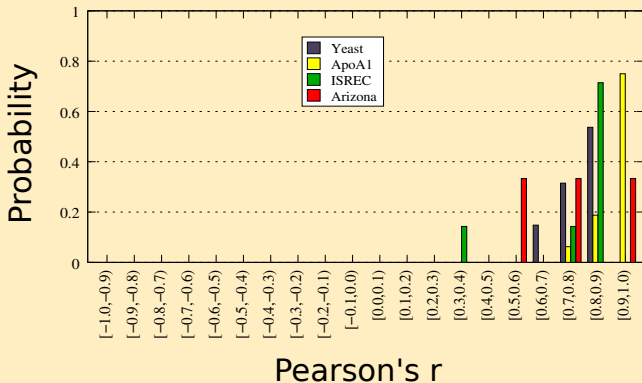
Healthy tissue

Questions:

- Similar images?
- Compress together?

Contribution 2: Multicomponent compression

Correlation (Reg/green pairs only)



Correlation between 0.75-0.92

Contribution 2: Multicomponent transform

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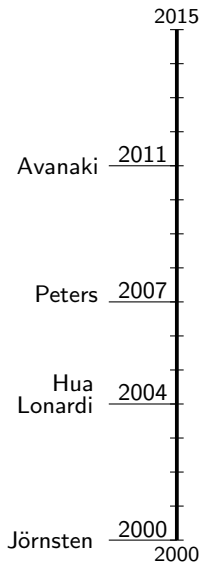
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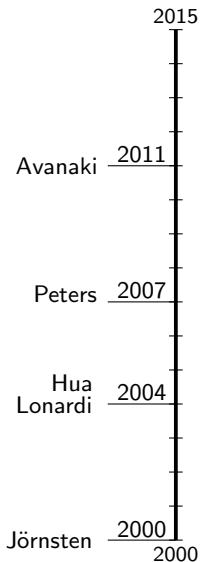
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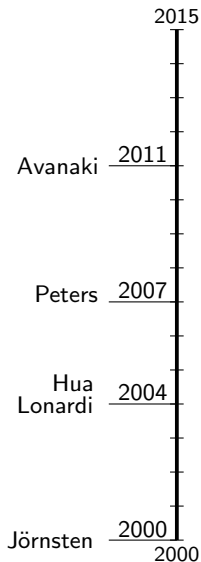
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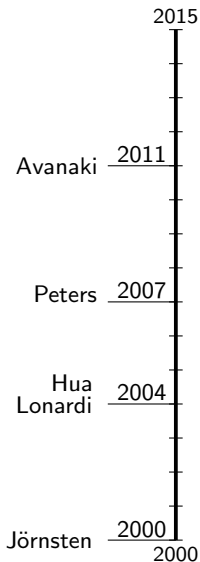
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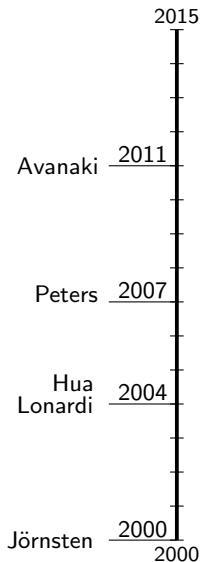
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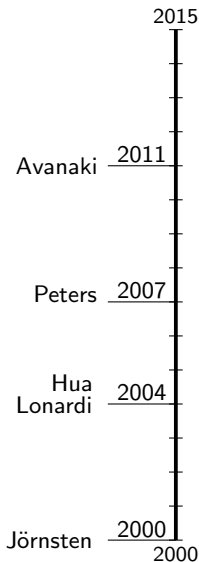
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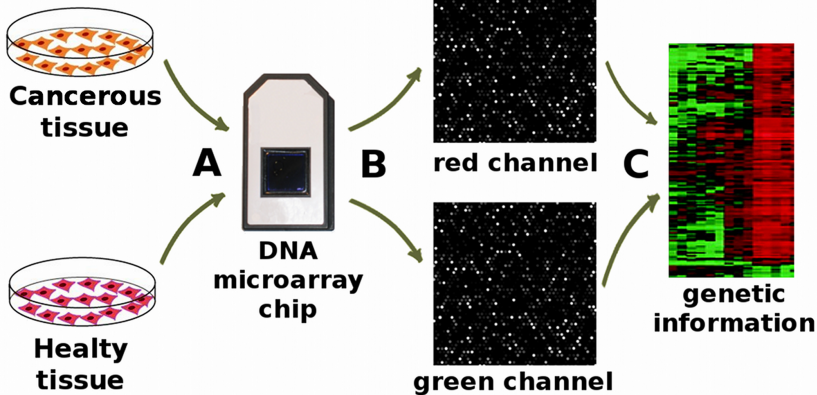
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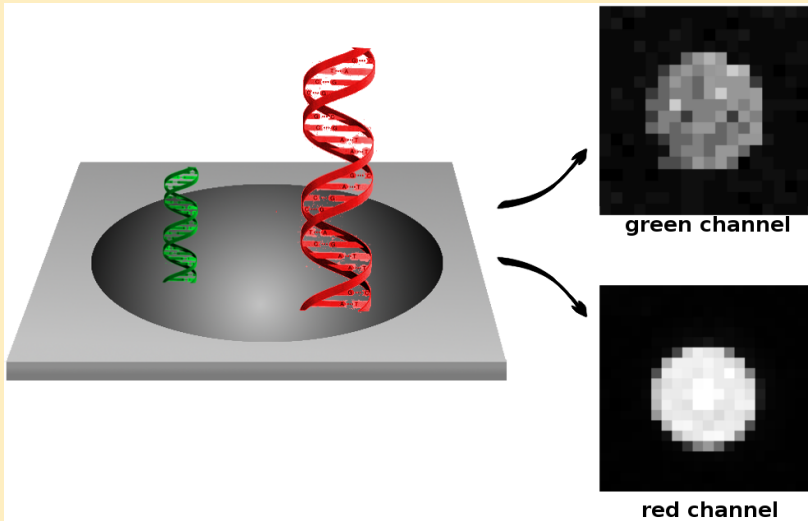
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Gene	Expression intensity		Intensity ratio
	Sample 1	Sample 2	
	μ_1	μ_2	μ_1/μ_2
Gene 1	245	249	0.98
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⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮
Gene N	100	103	0.97

How are they obtained?

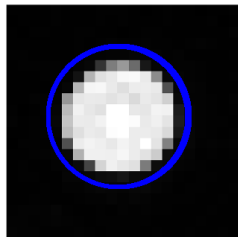
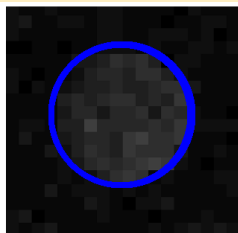
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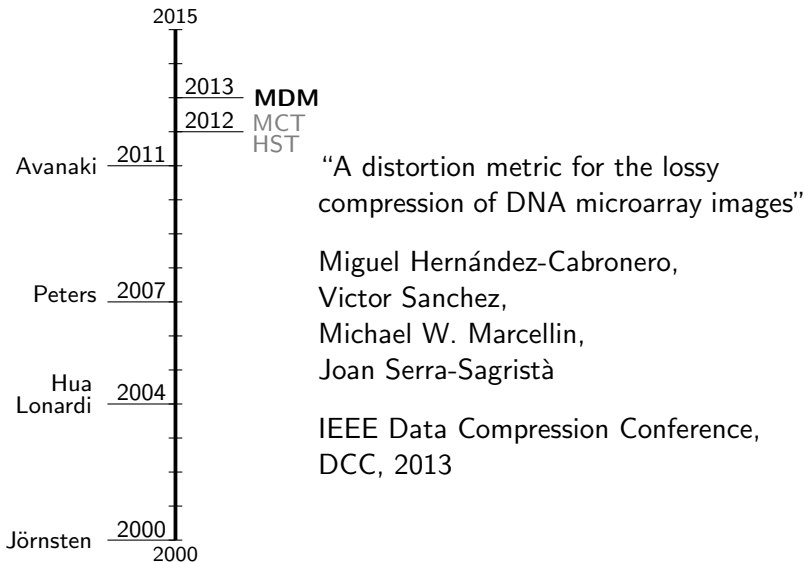
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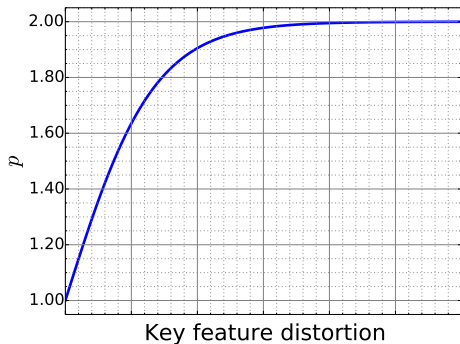
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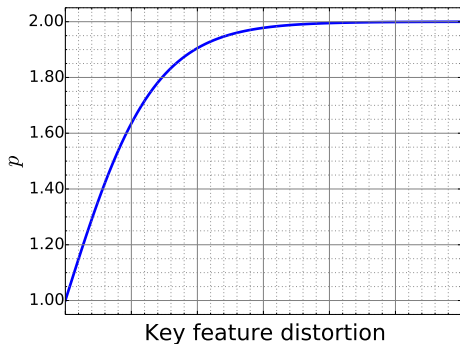
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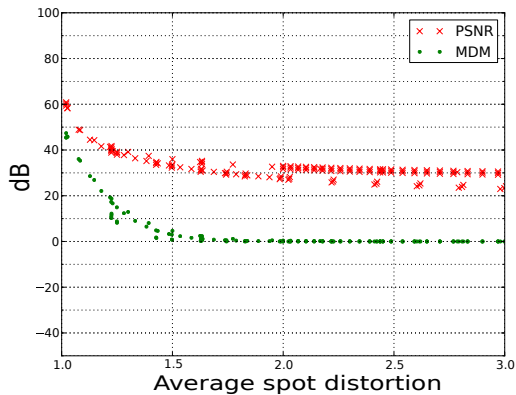
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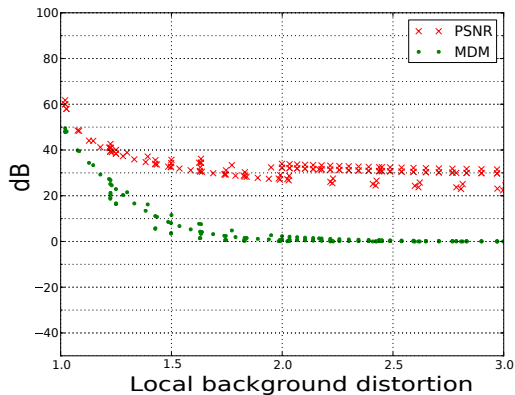
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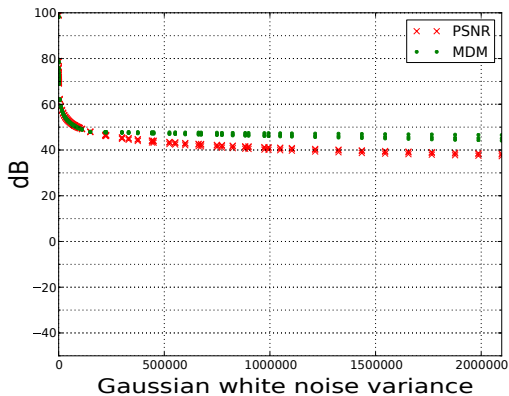
Results (local background)



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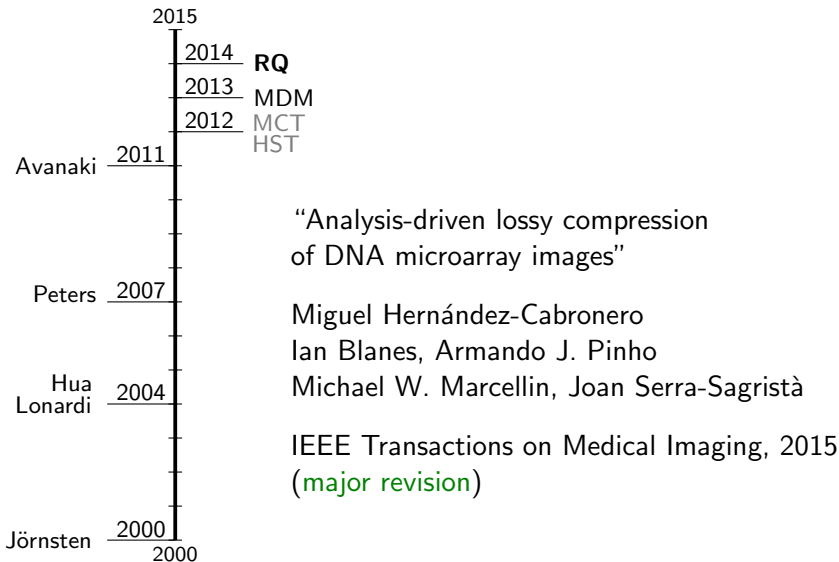
Results (Gaussian white noise)



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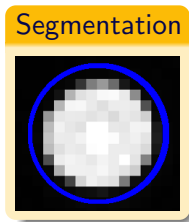
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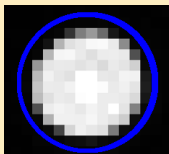


(contrast)

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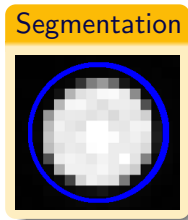
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Our approach:

Control pixel relative error \Rightarrow $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Preserve edge detection} \\ \text{Limit CRM relative error} \end{array} \right.$

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MSB	0	0	0
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	1	0	0
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LSB	1	1	1

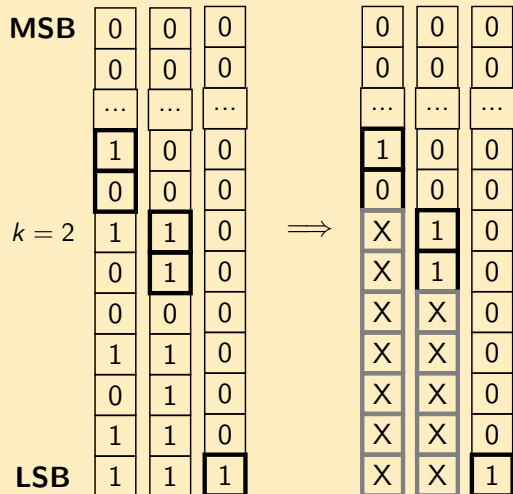
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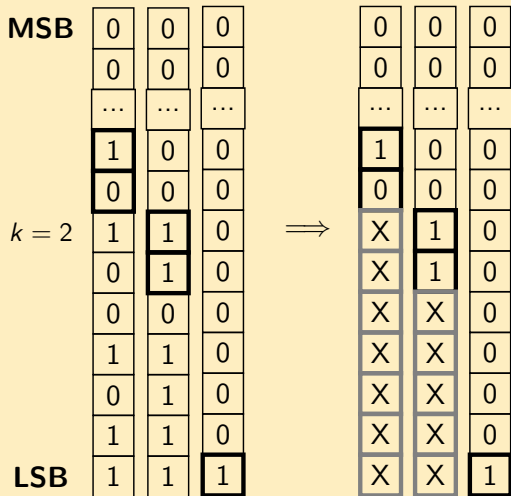
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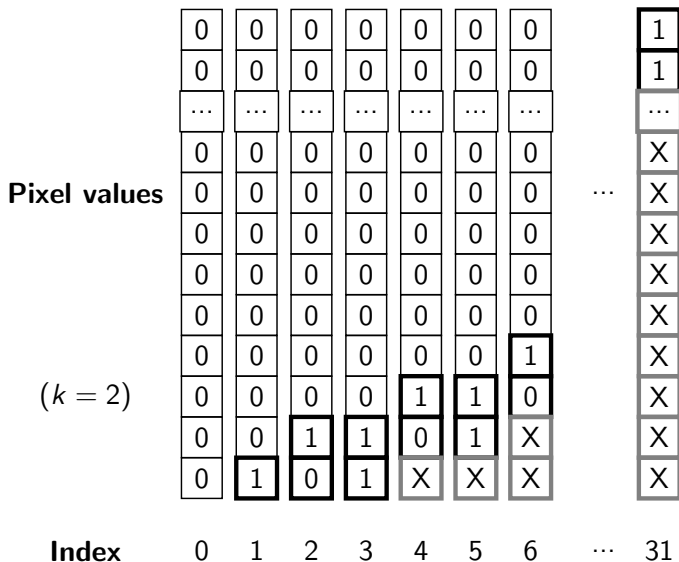
k	maximum rel error (2^{-k})
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5	0.031
6	0.016
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Why call it Relative *Quantization*?

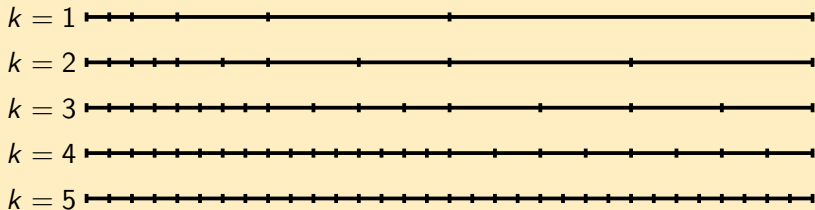
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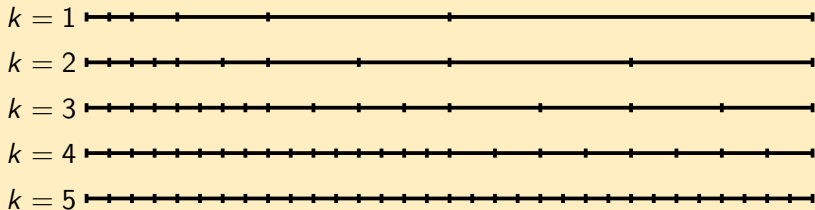
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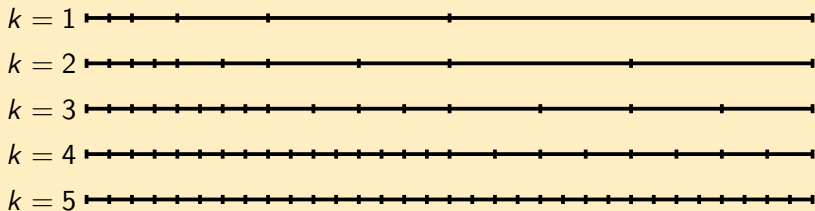
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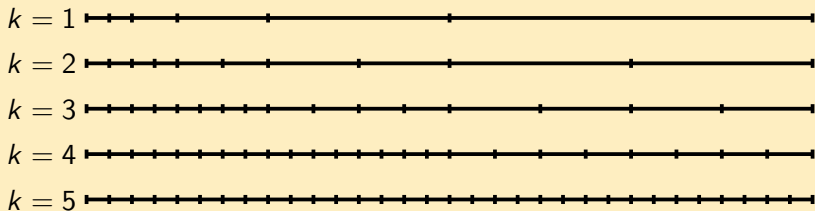
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JPEG2000	2.01	2.75	3.60	4.53	5.51	6.48	7.39	9.76
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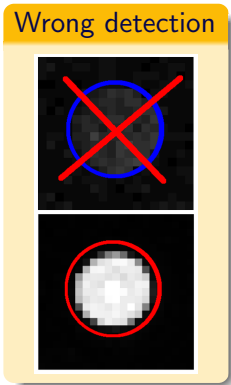
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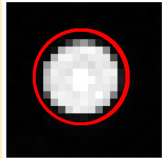
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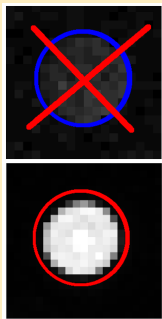
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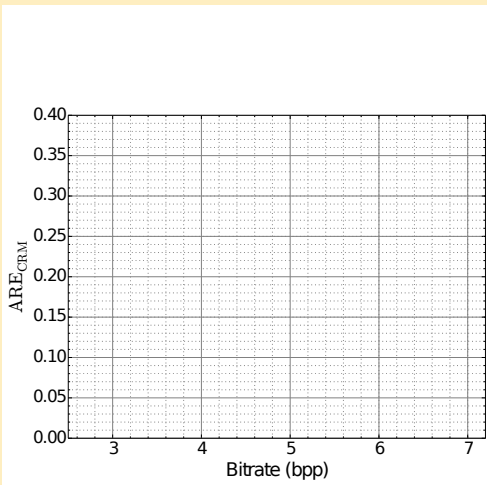
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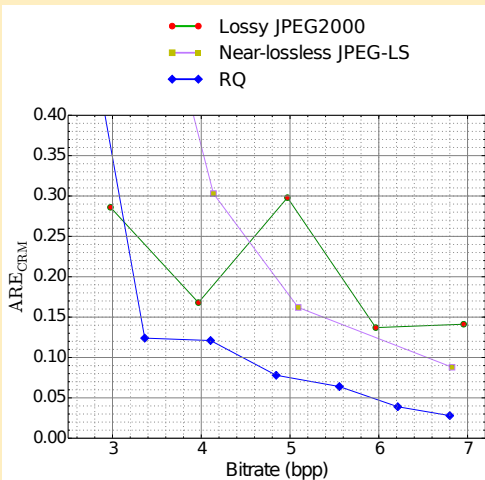
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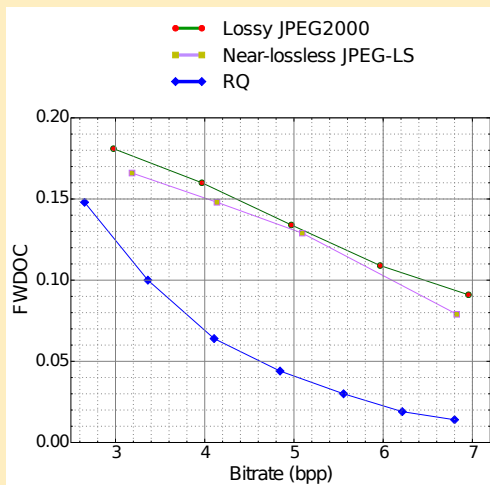
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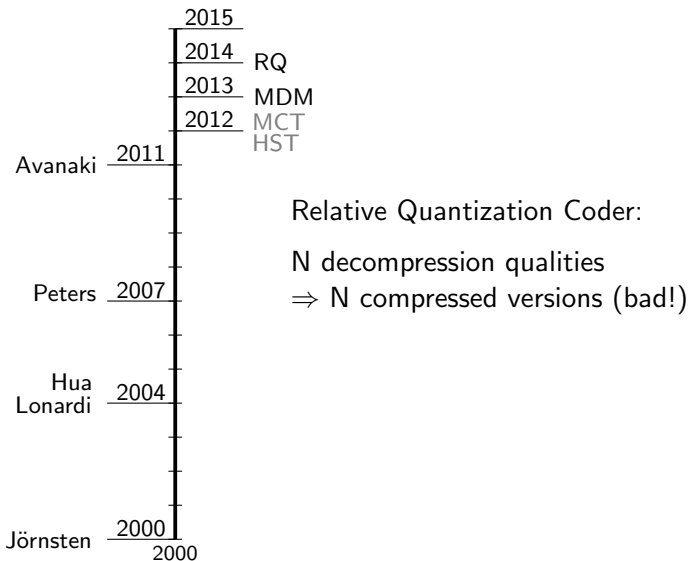


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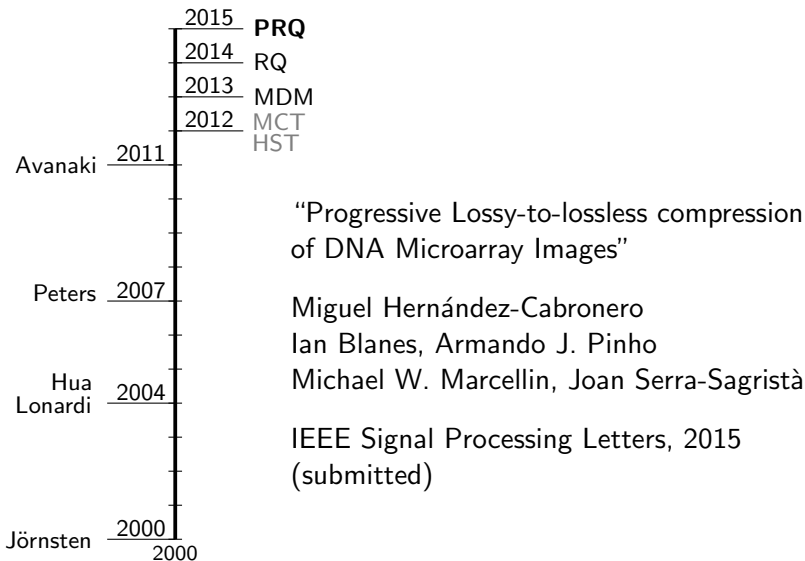
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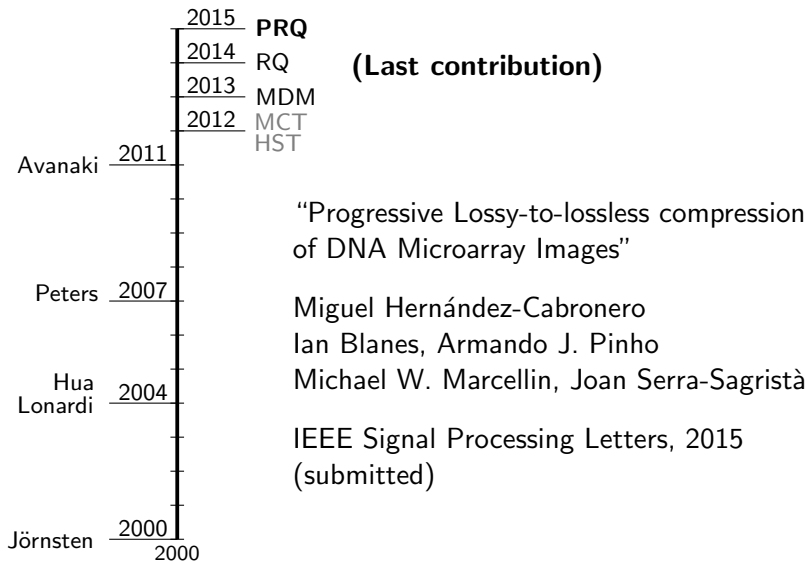
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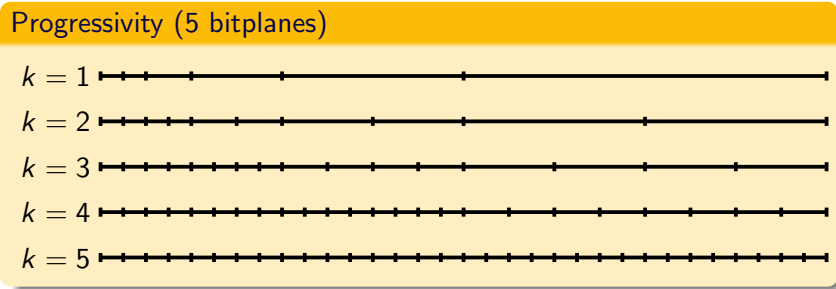
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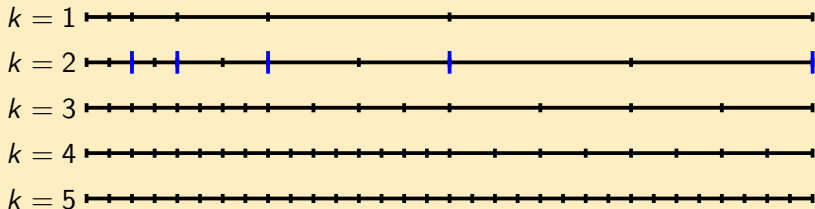
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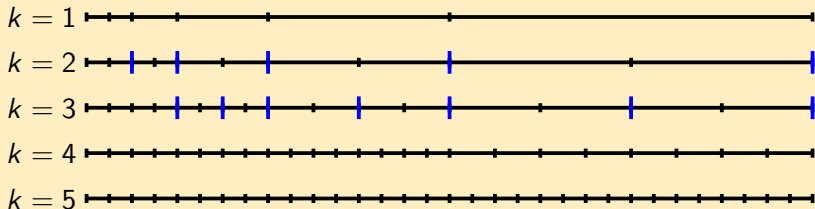
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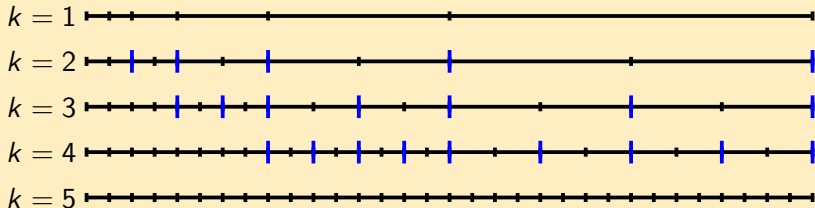
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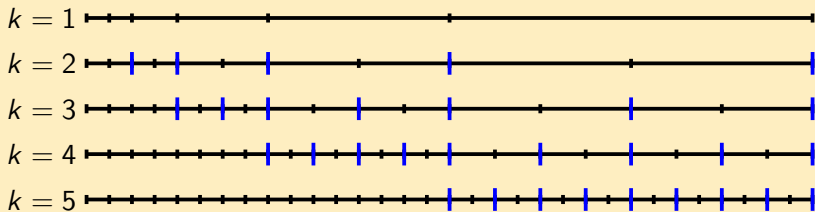
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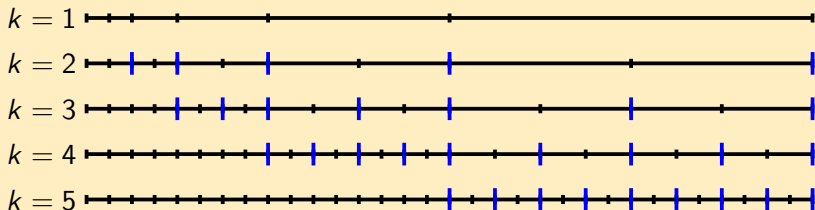
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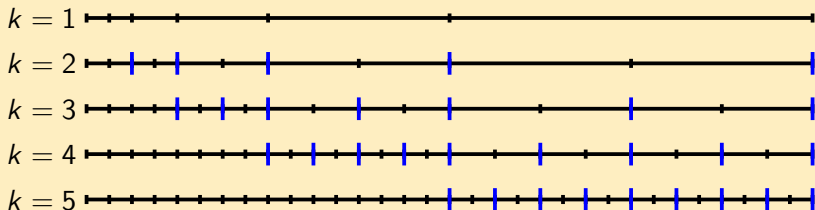
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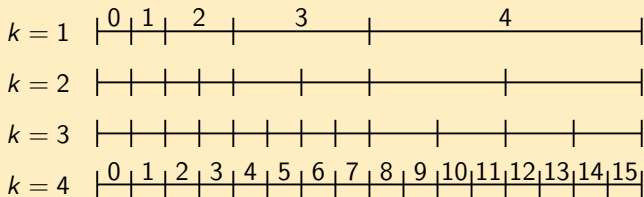
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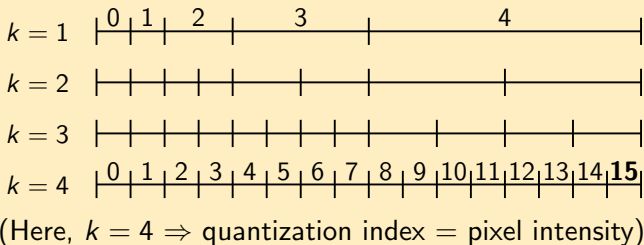
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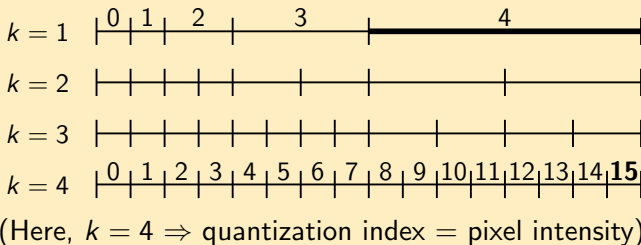
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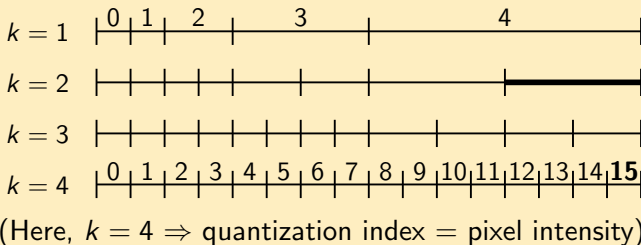
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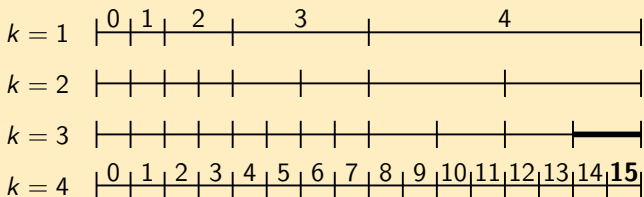
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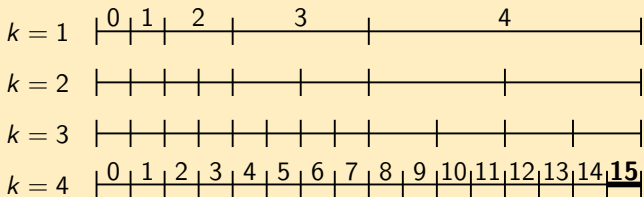


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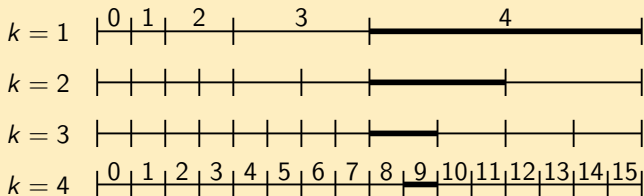


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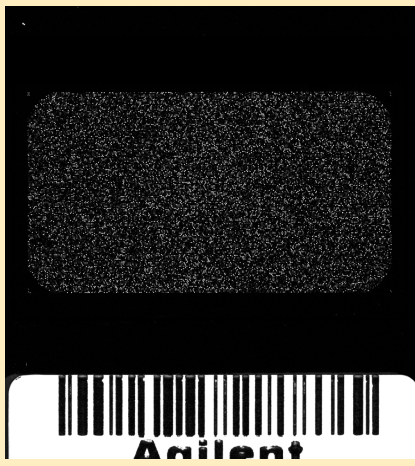
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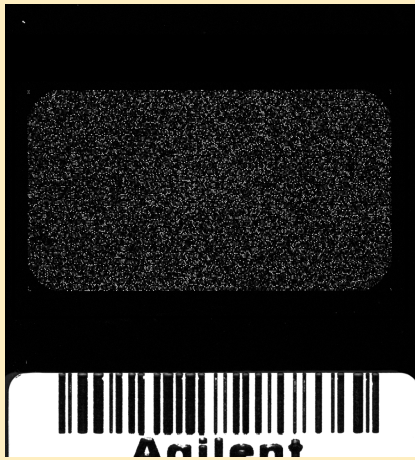
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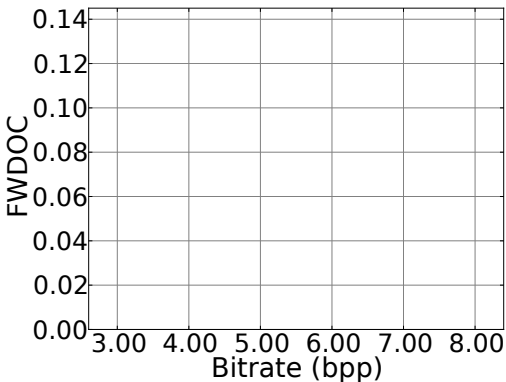
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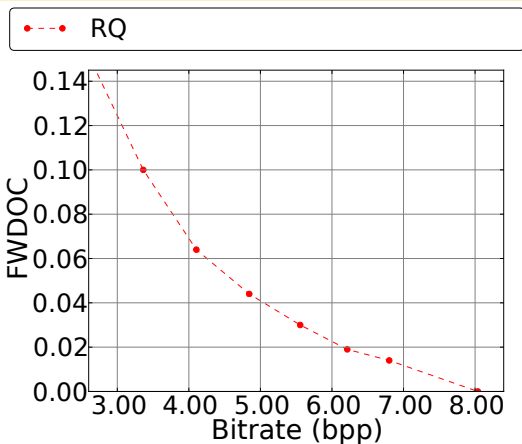
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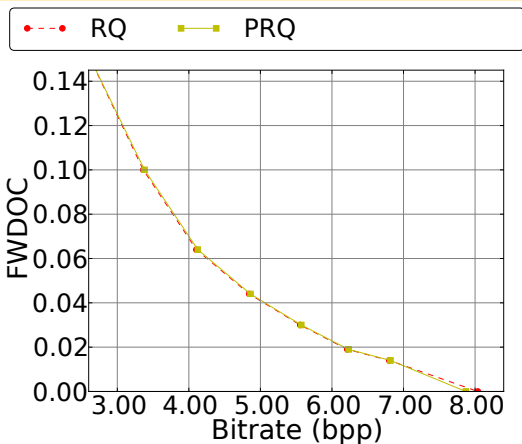
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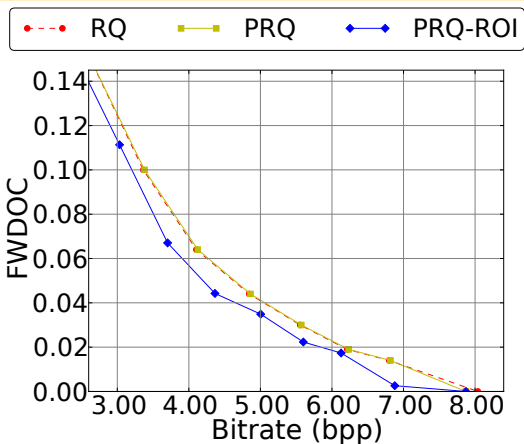
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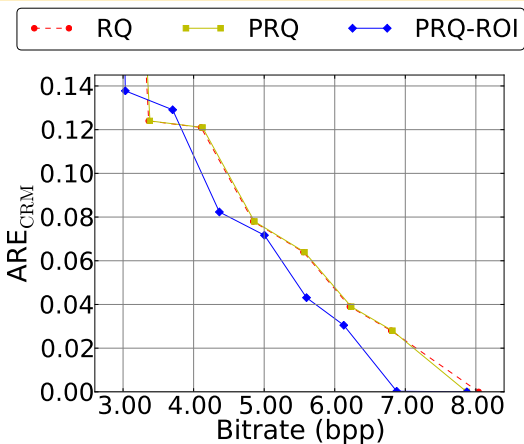


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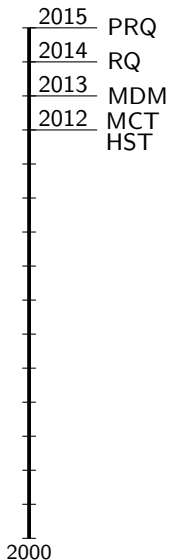
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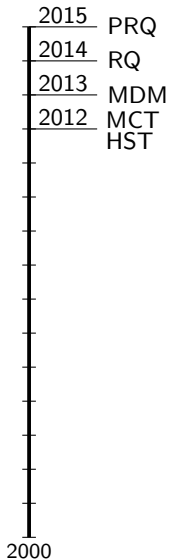
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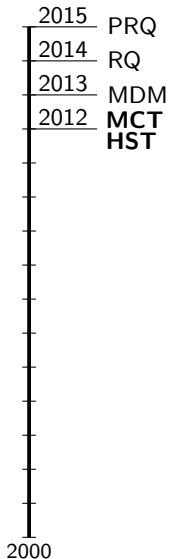
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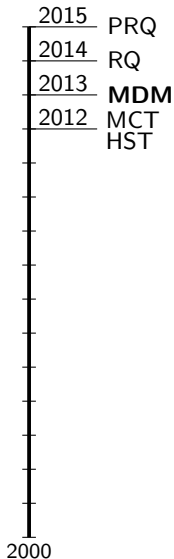
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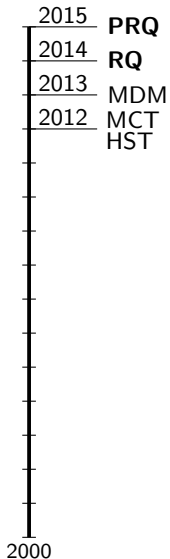
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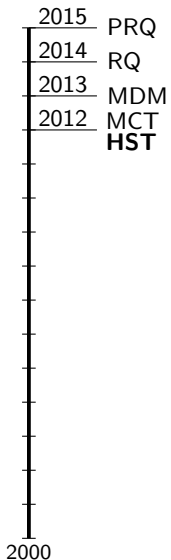
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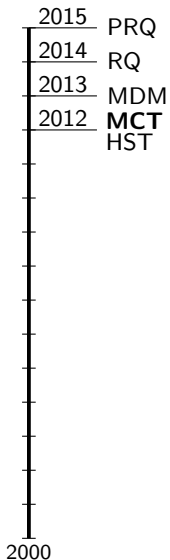
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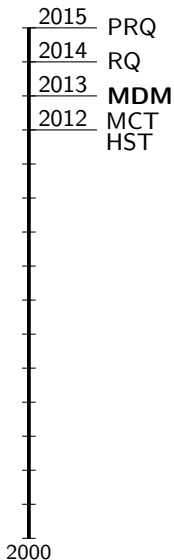
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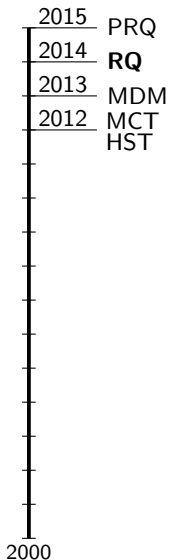
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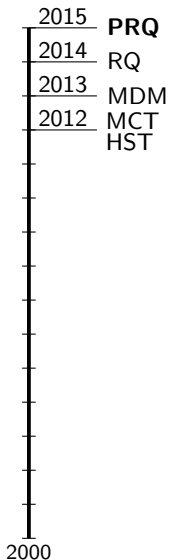
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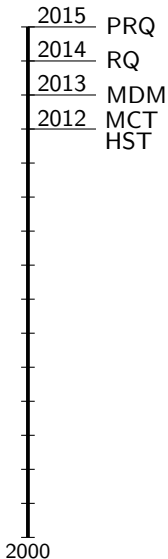
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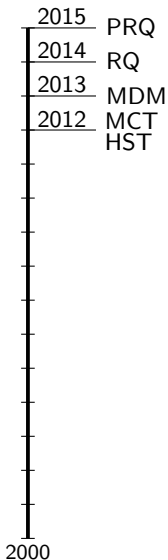
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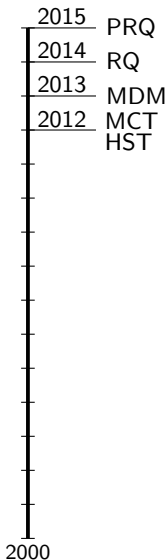
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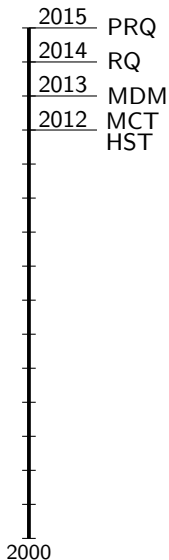
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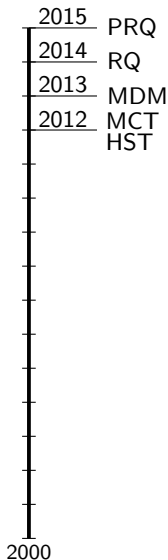
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- Margin to
Improve rate-distortion

Reflections

Lossless compression

- Performance \sim limit
- Standard - Specific: 0.5 bpp

\Rightarrow Difficult to improve



Lossy compression

- Image changes
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- HST Definition
- HST + DWT?
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HST definition

Left part

1st bit was 0



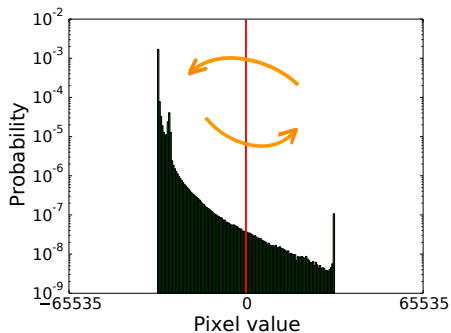
add 8000H

Right part

1st bit was 1



subtract 8000H



Histogram Swap Transform

Why not HST + DWT?

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- Range expansion

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Why not HST + DWT?

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- Higher % intensities used
- Abrupt changes

Detail after HST



MDM definition

$$\text{MDM} = 10 \log_{10} \frac{(\text{max_val})^2}{\text{ME}}$$

$$\text{ME} = (\text{max_val})^p - \text{max_val} + \min(\text{max_val}, \text{MSE}_{\text{image}}).$$

$$p = 2 / (1 + \exp(-\alpha(r_{\text{spot}} + r_{\text{localBG}} + r_{\text{global}} - 3))),$$

$$r_{\text{spot}} = \max(\text{max_spot_ratio}, 1/\text{min_spot_ratio}),$$

$$r_{\text{localBG}} = \max(\text{max_localBG_ratio}, 1/\text{min_localBG_ratio}),$$

$$r_{\text{global}} = \max(\text{global_intensity_ratio}, 1/\text{global_intensity_ratio}).$$

RQ Definition

- 2^k intervals of size 1
- 2^{k-1} intervals of size 2
- 2^{k-1} intervals of size 2^2
- ...
- 2^{k-1} intervals of size 2^{B-k}

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RQ vs PRQ vs PRQ-ROI

Compression results (IBB, bpp)

Algorithm	k = 1	k = 2	k = 3	k = 4	k = 5	k = 6	k = 7	Original
RQ	2.653	3.363	4.105	4.844	5.556	6.214	6.800	8.039
PRQ	2.652	3.375	4.119	4.857	5.566	6.230	6.815	8.001
PRQ-ROI	2.380	3.032	3.703	4.365	5.004	5.600	6.128	6.878

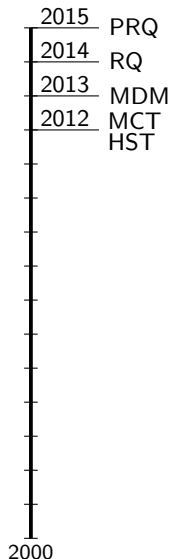
Analysis results (IBB, ARE_{CRM})

Algorithm	k = 1	k = 2	k = 3	k = 4	k = 5	k = 6	k = 7	Original
RQ	0.526	0.136	0.123	0.073	0.076	0.041	0.029	0
PRQ-ROI	1.356	0.146	0.135	0.076	0.080	0.044	0.032	0

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Contribution summary



- **Histogram Swap Transform**

- Improvements 1.97%-15.53%
- JPEG2000 close to microarray-specific

- **Multicomponent compression**

- Best grouping: red/green pairs
- No “golden” transform

- **Microarray Distortion Metric**

- Predict analysis distortion
- Important vs unimportant changes

- **Relative Quantization**

- Acceptable distortion
- Good compression

- **Progressive RQ**

- Lossy to lossless
- Improved rate-distortion