

The Cinema Project

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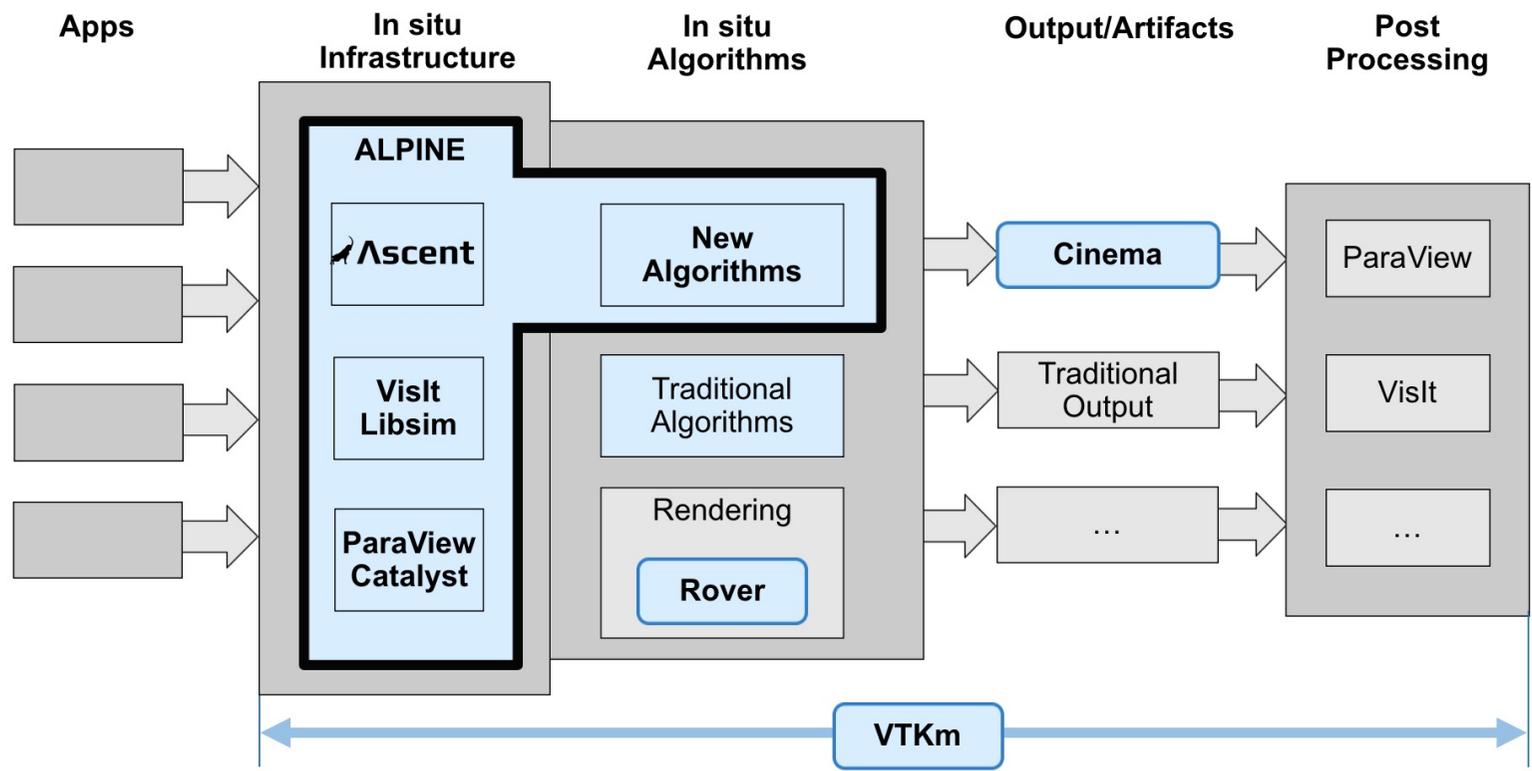
And with thanks to the many users, students, and collaborators who have expanded Cinema functionality and capabilities over the years.

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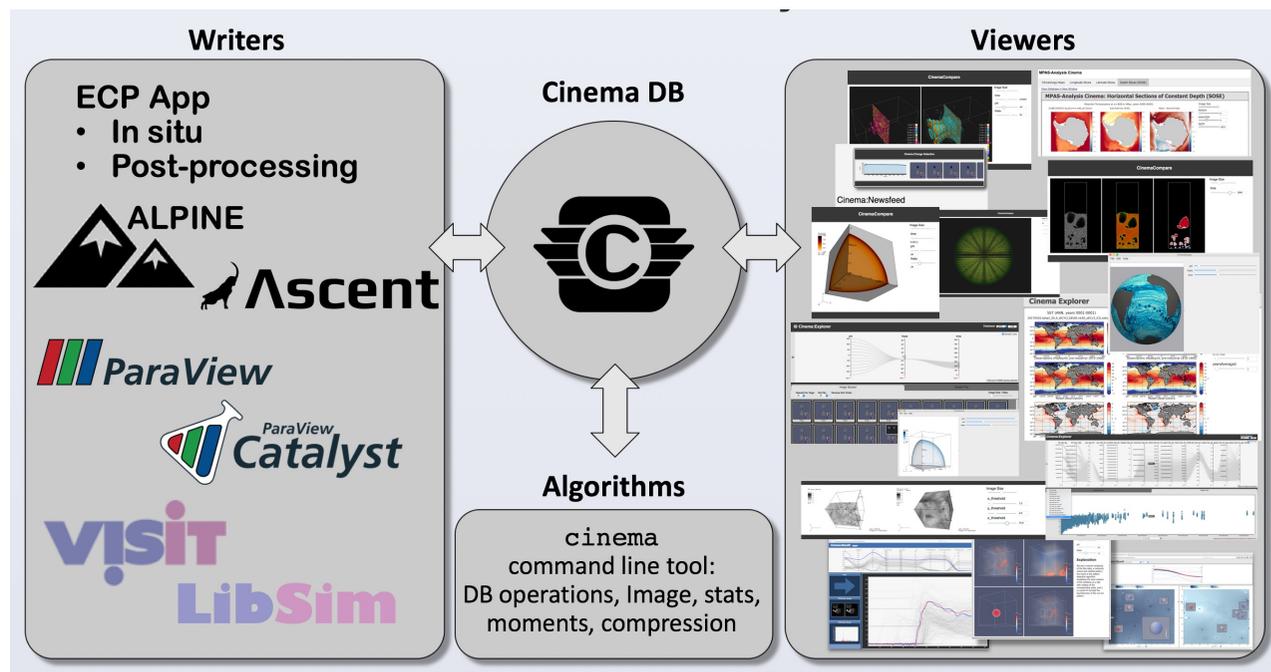


Cinema within the ECP In Situ Workflow



The Cinema Ecosystem

- Database Specifications
 - CSV format
 - Heterogeneous data extracts
- Database Writers
 - In Situ
 - Post hoc
- Database Viewers
- Algorithms



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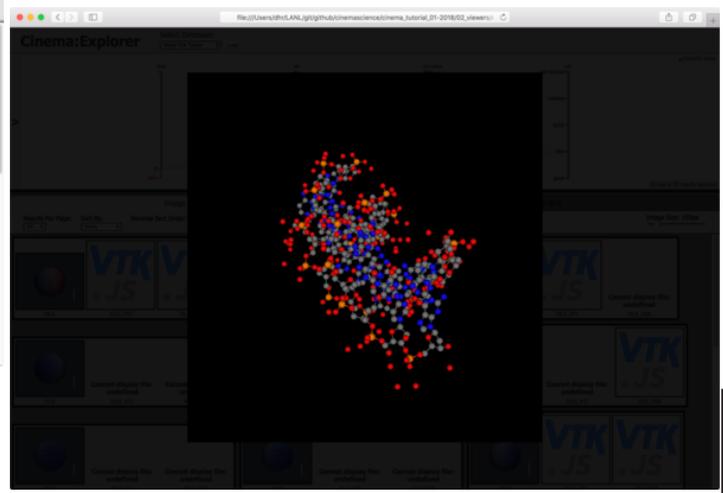
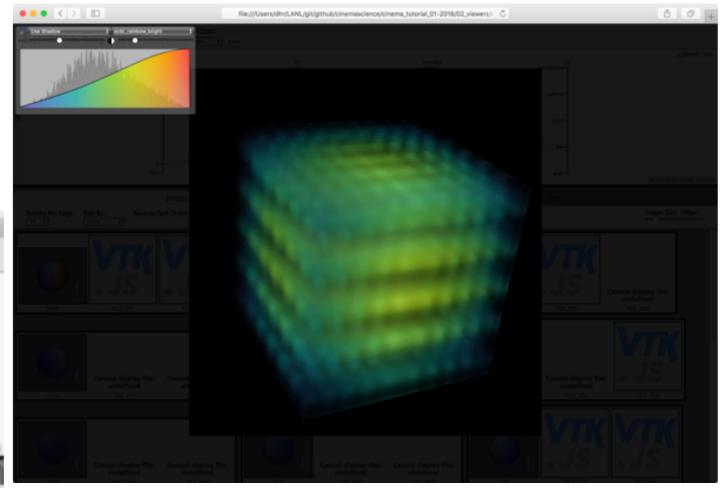


The Cinema database specification

- CSV format
- Row \Leftrightarrow observation
- Column \Leftrightarrow metadata parameter, data variable, data extract, etc.
- Heterogeneous data extracts
 - Images and visualizations
 - Small simulation grids (.vti, .vtk, .pbd, etc.)
 - Output graphs and plots
 - Other relevant data files (.csv, .txt, .xlsx, etc.)

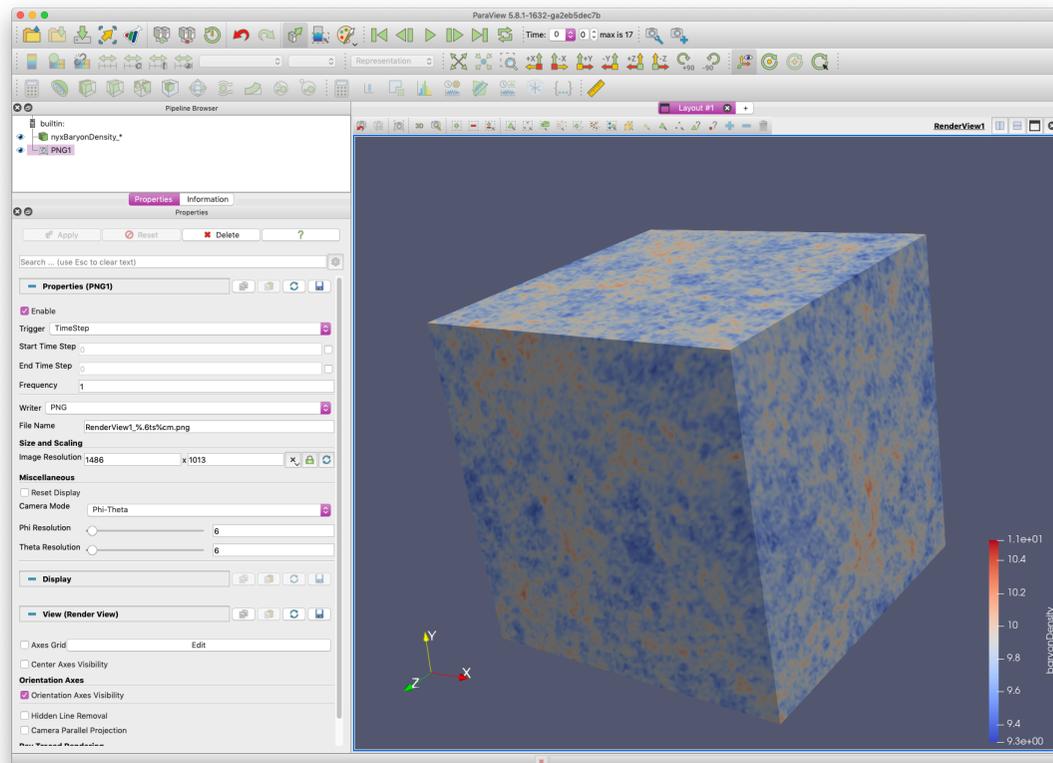


Multiple artifact example



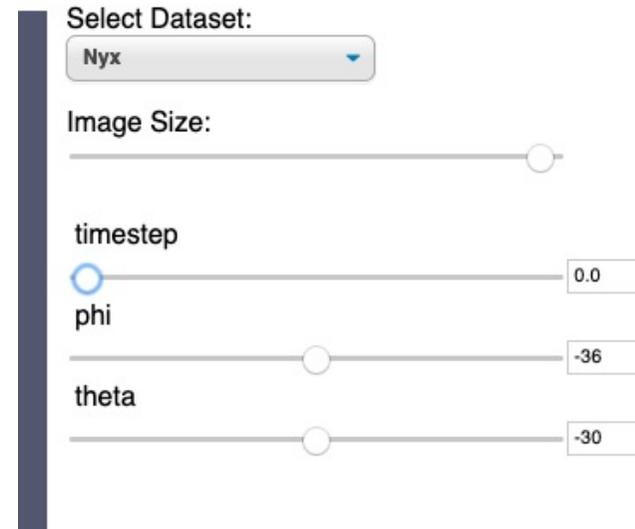
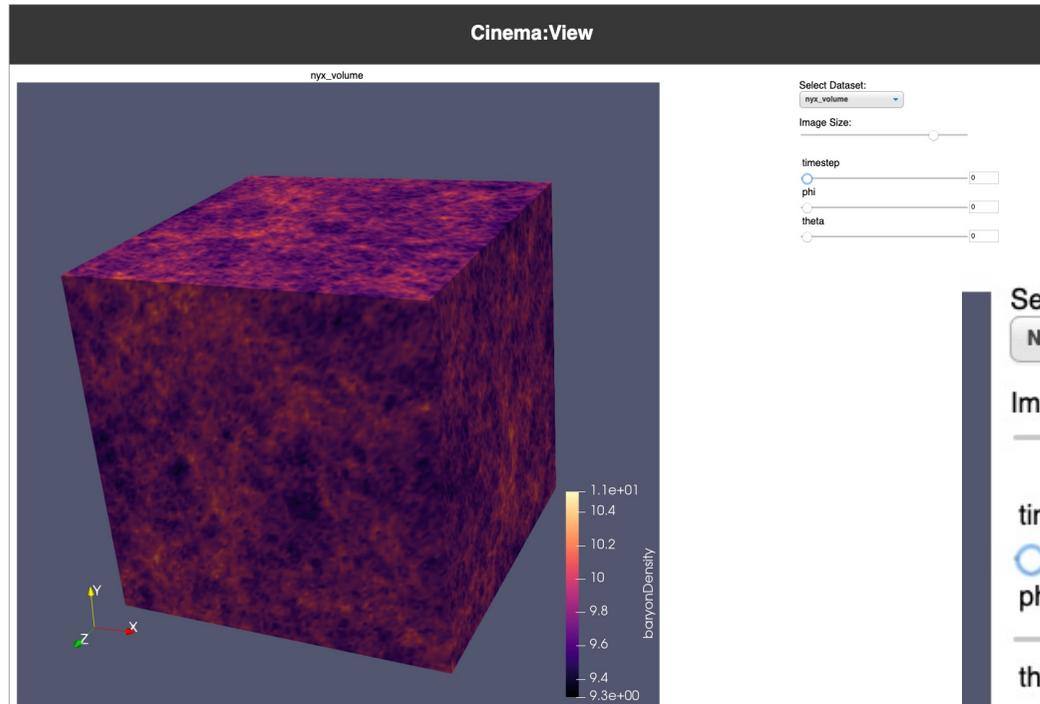
Exporting a Cinema database

- ParaView
- VisIt
- ALPINE Ascent
- Direct from user code per specification
- Post hoc via shell script or python script



Nyx cosmology simulation: A. S. Almgren, J. B. Bell, M.J. Lijewski, Z. Lukic, E. Van Andel, "Nyx: A Massively Parallel AMR Code for Computational Cosmology" *Astrophysical Journal*, 765, 39, 2013. <https://amrex-astro.github.io/Nyx/index.html>

Cinema Viewers

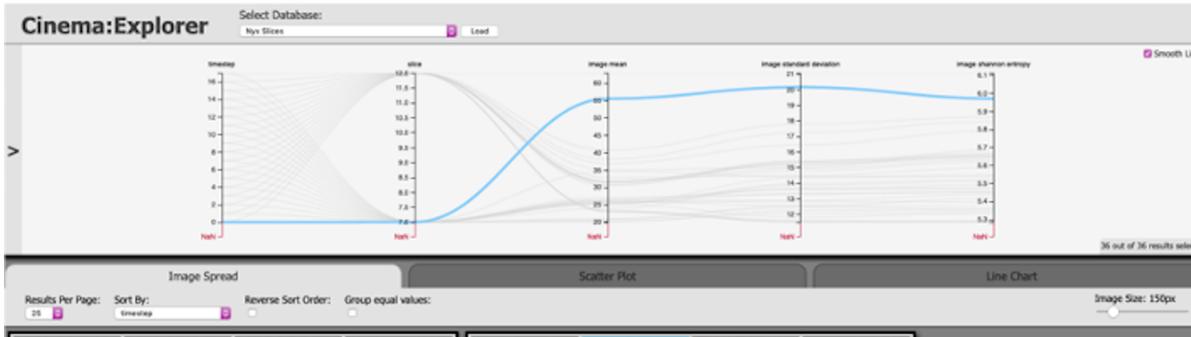


Cinema:View – Single or multiple databases can be viewed at same time. Typical usage: phi/theta/time

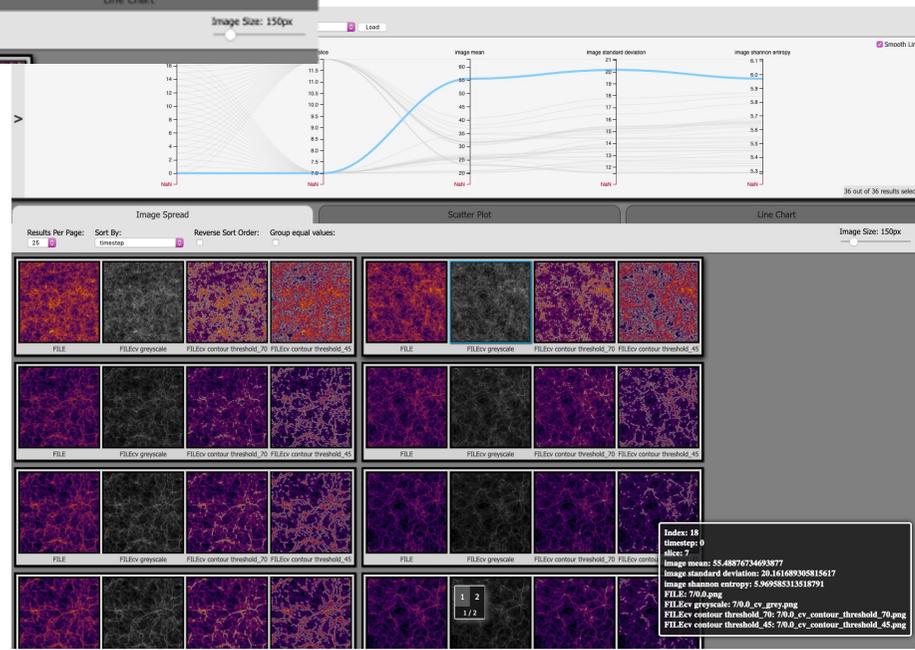


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Cinema Viewers



Cinema:Explorer – Parallel Coordinate view allows user to select, threshold, and interactively explore.



MFiX-Exa Cinema Workflow

With thanks to J. Musser, A. Almgren, and the MFiX-Exa team

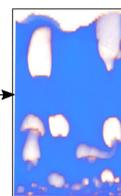
CFD-DEM simulation of a chemical looping reactor (CLR) - 5×10^9 particles for 5 minutes of simulation time

Post hoc bubble dynamics analysis using in situ extracts generated from ALPINE statistical feature detection algorithm

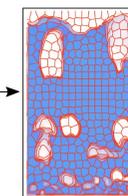
ALPINE in situ statistical feature algorithm identifies bubbles and extracts feature descriptors



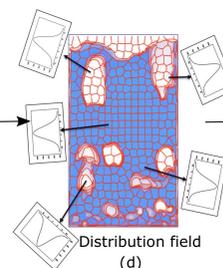
Raw Particle data (a)



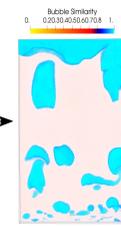
Particle Density field (b)



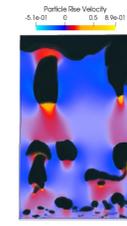
SLIC based partitioning (c)



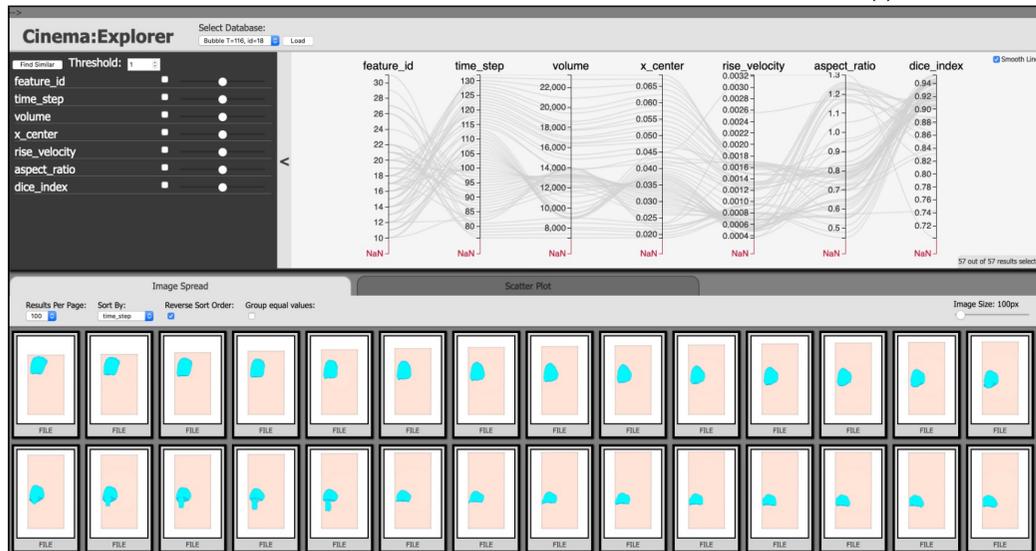
Distribution field (d)



Bubble Similarity field (e)



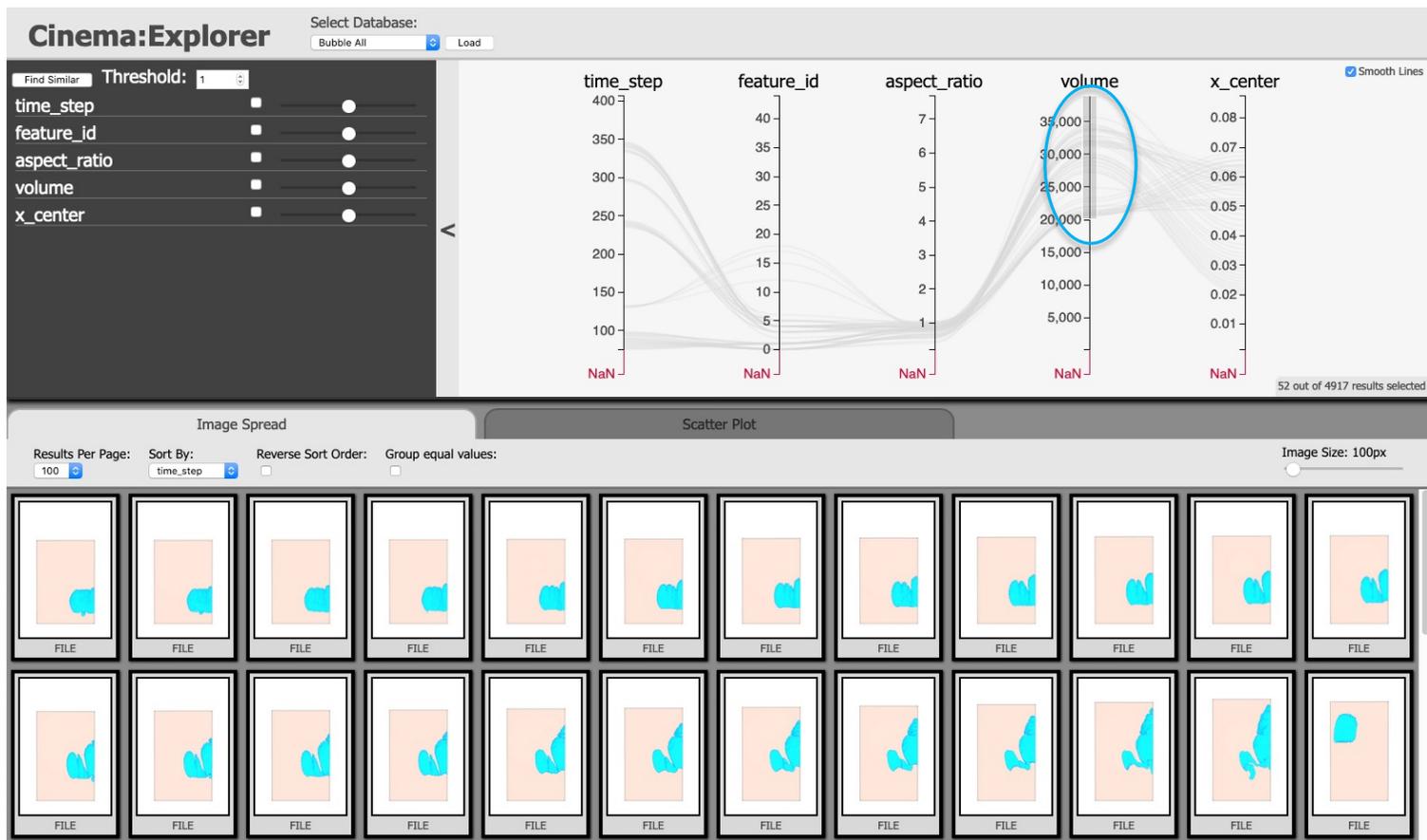
Particle Rise Velocity field (f)



Post hoc analysis extracts bubbles and bubble properties into a Cinema Database; use Cinema:Explorer to threshold, identify, & interactively explore bubble dynamics



MFiX-Exa Cinema Workflow



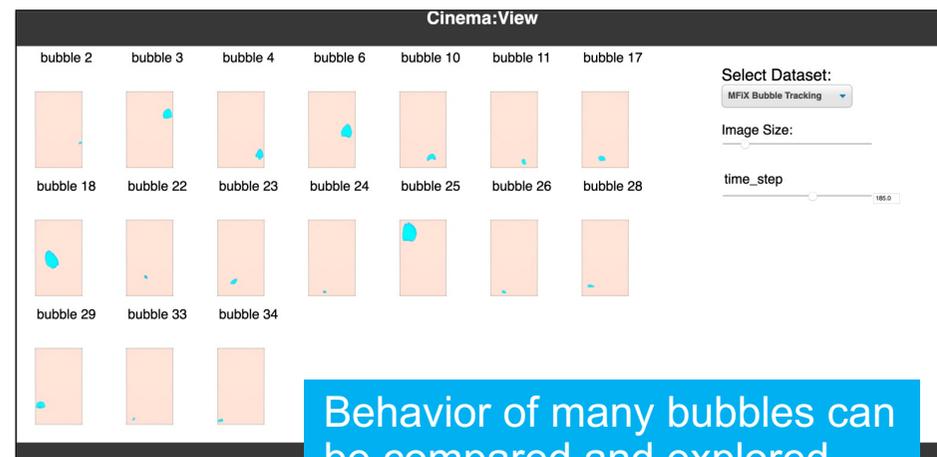
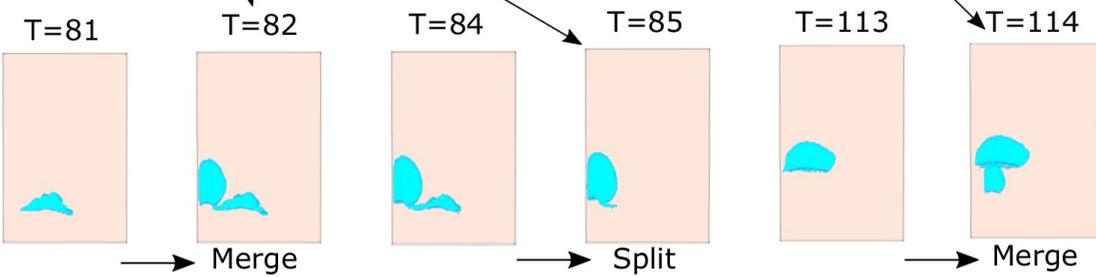
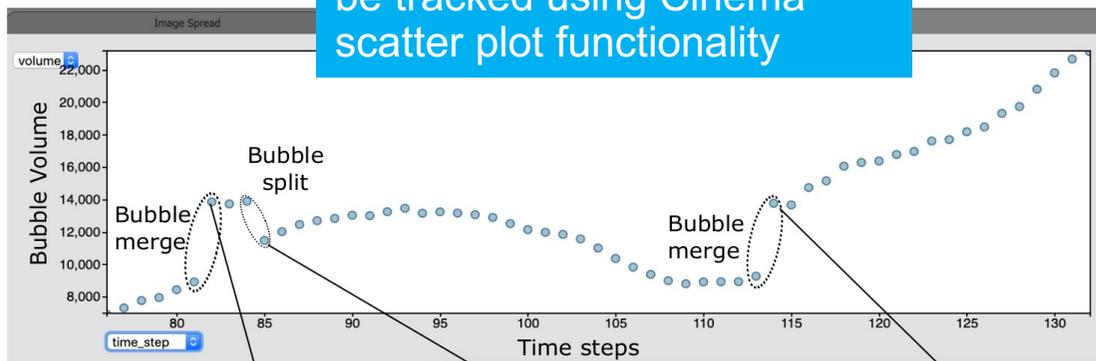
Use parallel coordinates to select on bubble volume and display specific bubble properties



MFiX-Exa Cinema Workflow

Post hoc bubble dynamics analysis using in situ extracts generated from ALPINE statistical feature detection algorithm

Single bubble evolution can be tracked using Cinema scatter plot functionality



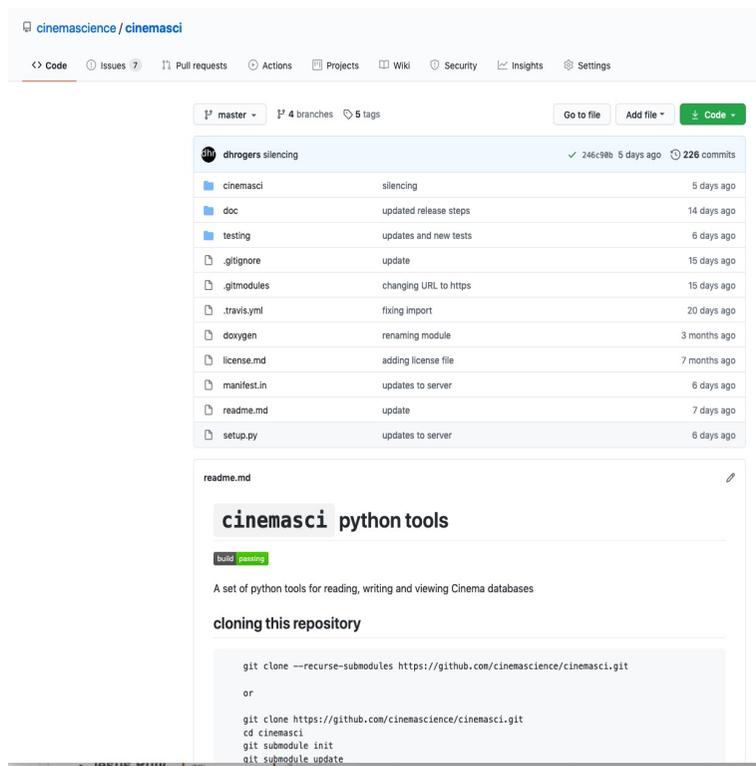
Behavior of many bubbles can be compared and explored over time with Cinema:View



New Python `cinemasci` module

=> notebook workflow:

<https://github.com/cinemascience/cinemasci>



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readme.md	update	7 days ago
setup.py	updates to server	6 days ago

readme.md

cinemasci python tools

`build` `testing`

A set of python tools for reading, writing and viewing Cinema databases

cloning this repository

```
git clone --recurse-submodules https://github.com/cinemascience/cinemasci.git
or
git clone https://github.com/cinemascience/cinemasci.git
cd cinemasci
git submodule init
git submodule update
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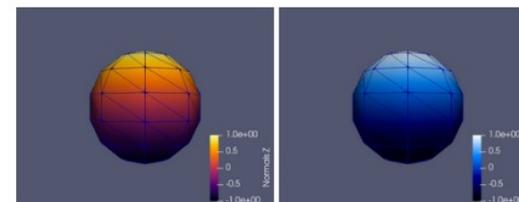


Python notebook workflow

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In [1]: import cinemasci

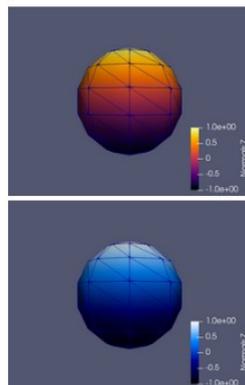
# create a viewer object
viewer = cinemasci.pynb.CinemaViewer()
# optionally set the layout of the viewer
viewer.setLayoutToHorizontal()
# optionally set the height of the viewer
viewer.setHeight(250)
# load one or more cinema databases
viewer.load("data/sphere_red.cdb data/sphere_blue.cdb")
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 producer cview_0
 phi -180.0
 theta -90.0
 image size 213



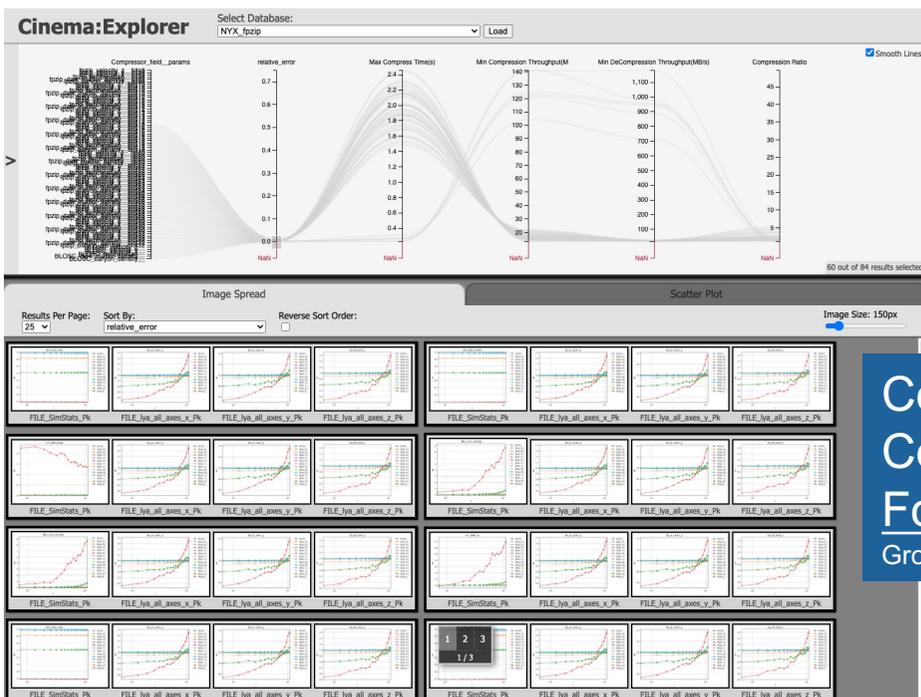
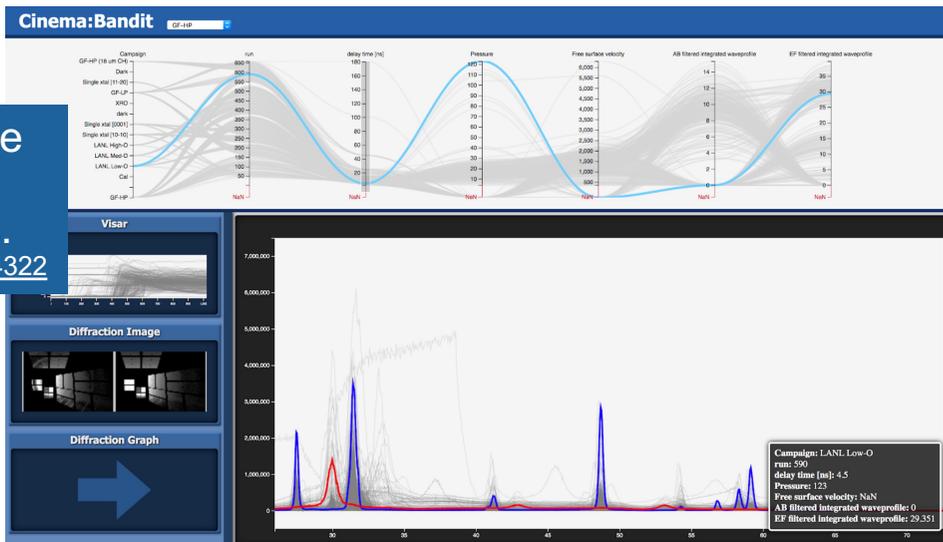
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In [2]: # example with defaults
viewer2 = cinemasci.pynb.CinemaViewer()
viewer2.load("data/sphere_red.cdb data/sphere_blue.cdb")
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Cinema Viewers

Modular components can be combined to design application-specific viewers.
Orban et al. DOI: 10.1107/S1600577519014322



Cosmology Simulation
Compression study using
Foresight
Grosset et al. DOI:10.1109/SC41405.2020.00087

NERSC Science Portal
radiography data set



Additional Resources

- Cinema github
 - <https://github.com/cinemascience>

- Cinema website
 - <https://www.cinemascience.org>

