

# Localizomics

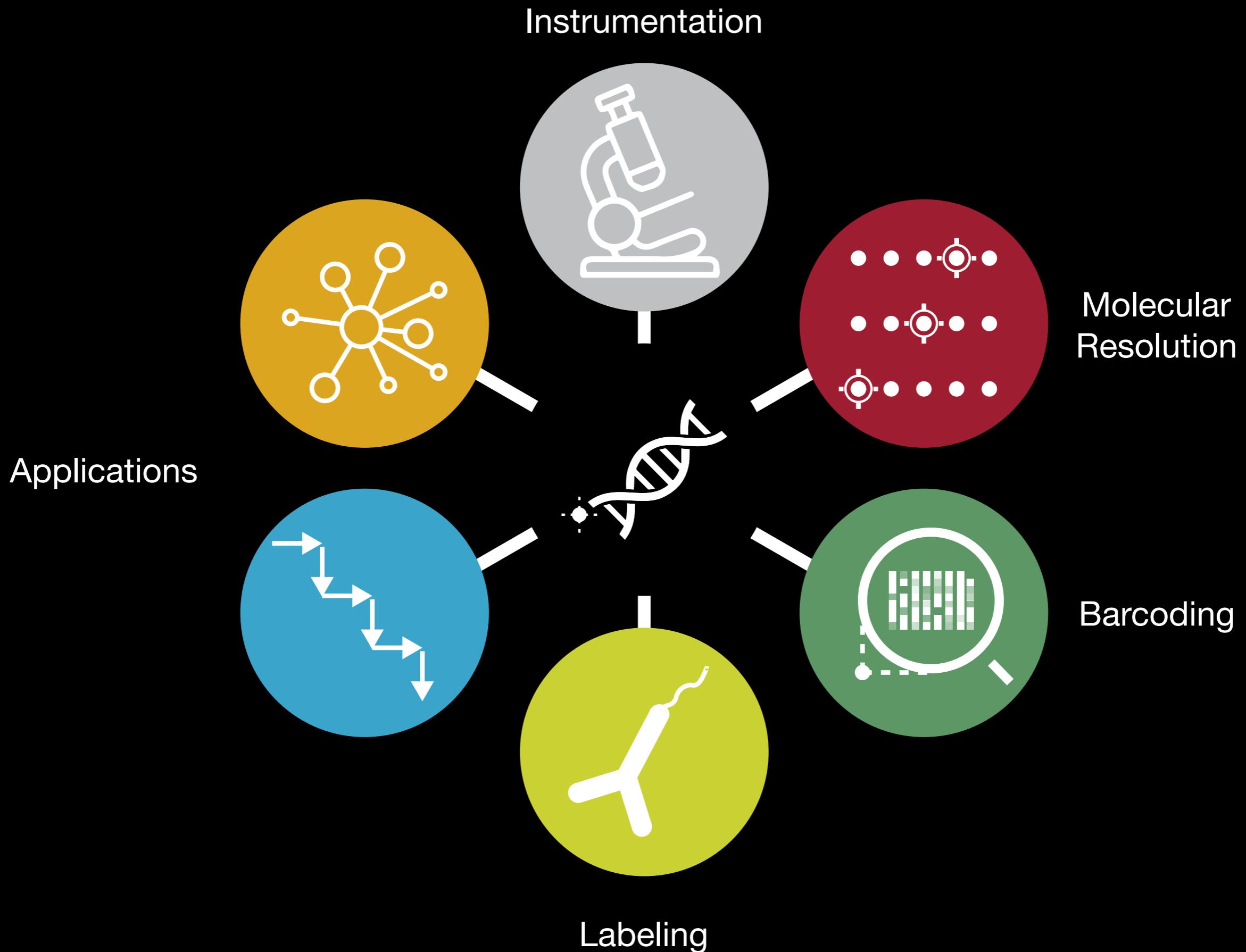


Super-resolution microscopy with DNA molecules

# Localizomics using DNA probes

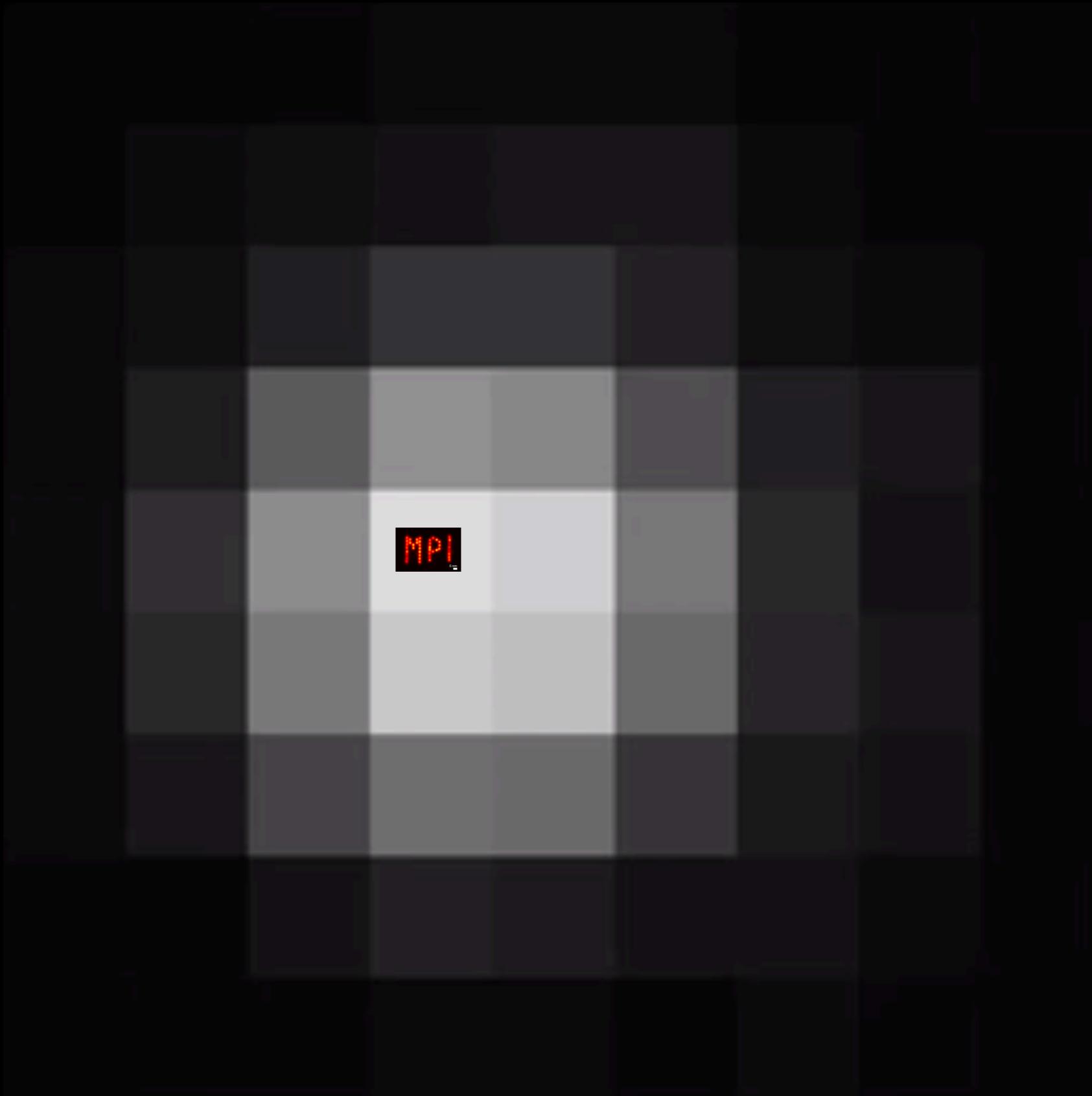


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**This is how it's done**

# Molecular Resolution



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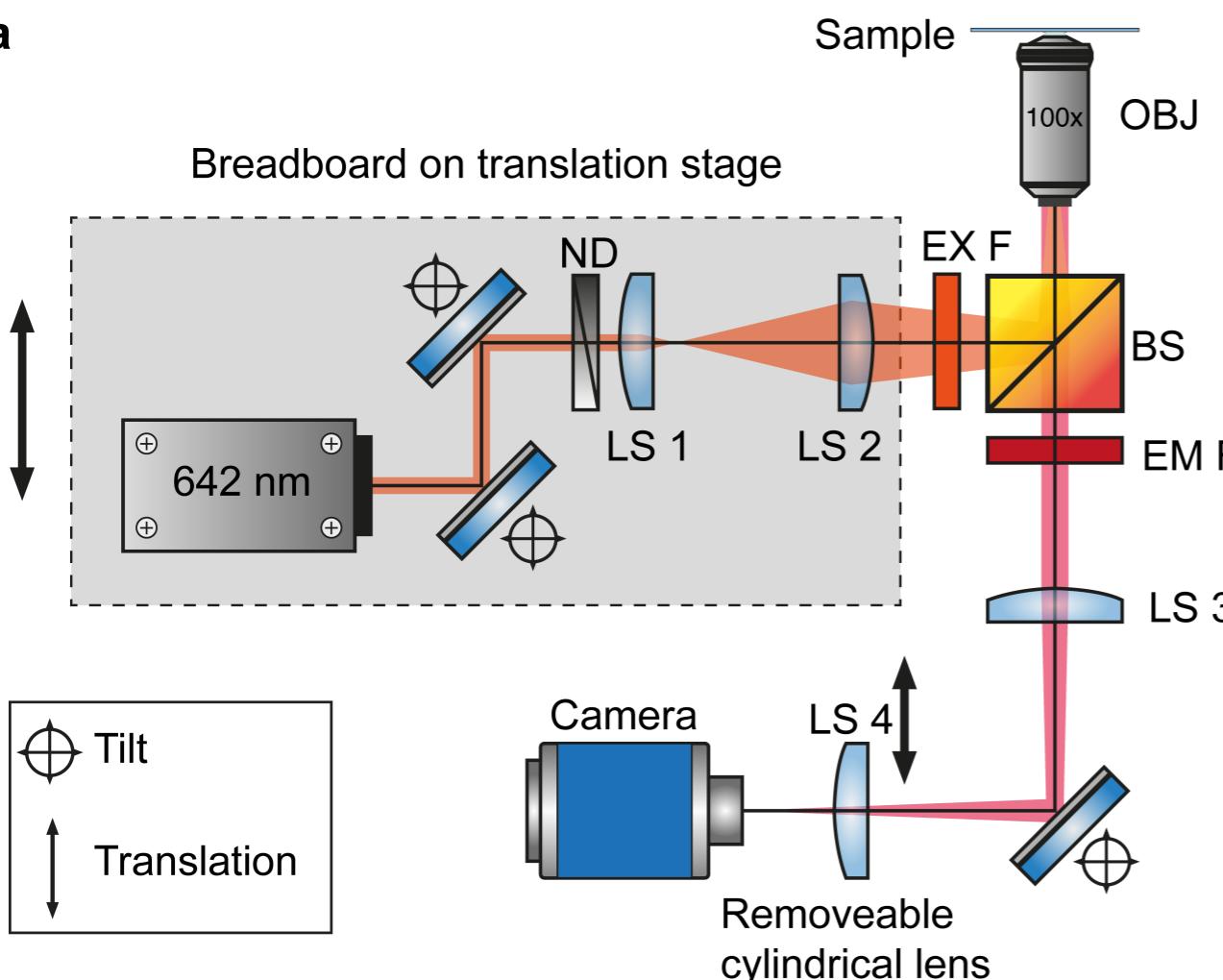


Average of ~300 particles  
Localization Precision ~1 nm

5 nm



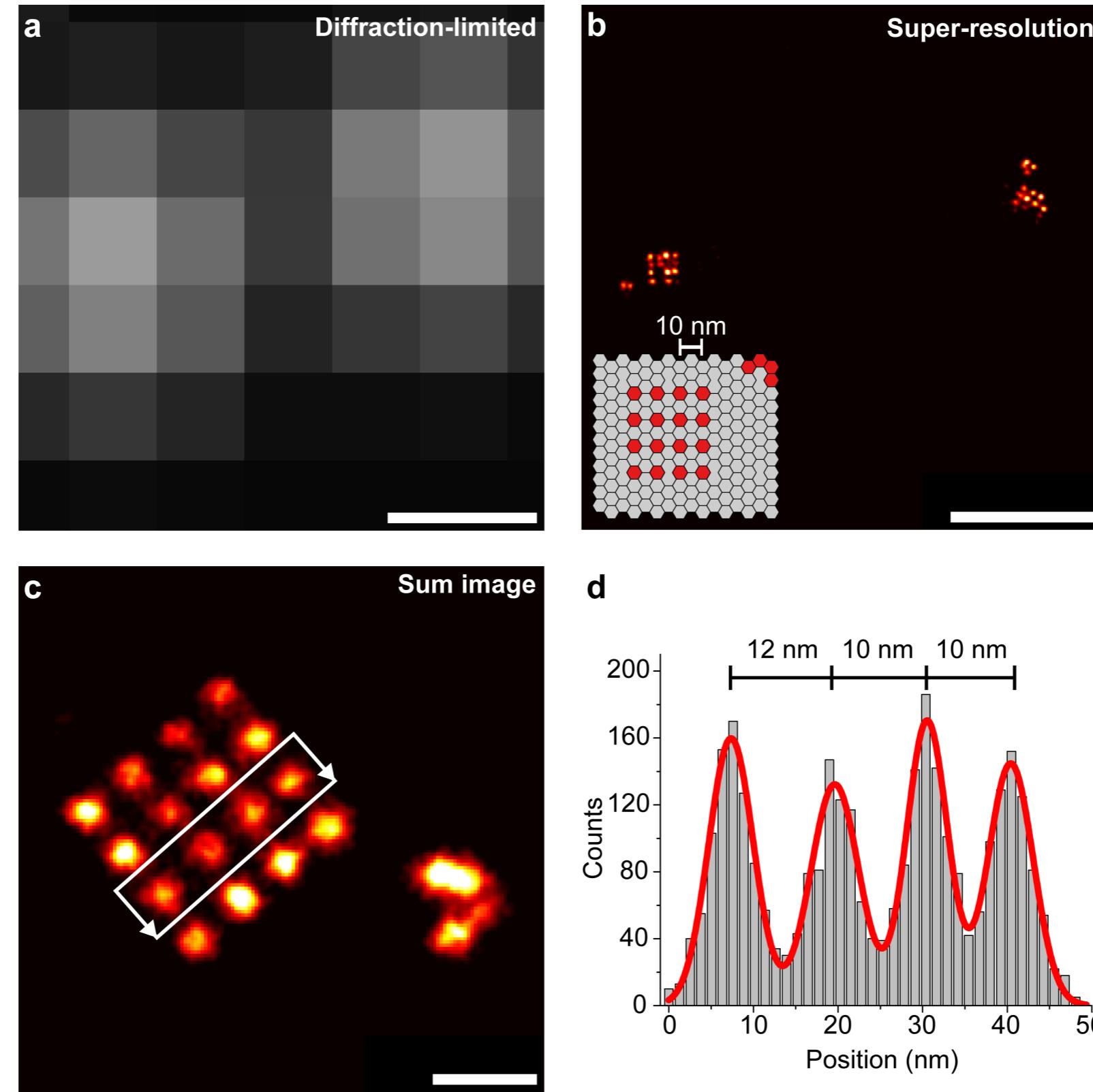
# **What's “Open Source”?**

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## High performance super-resolution microscope



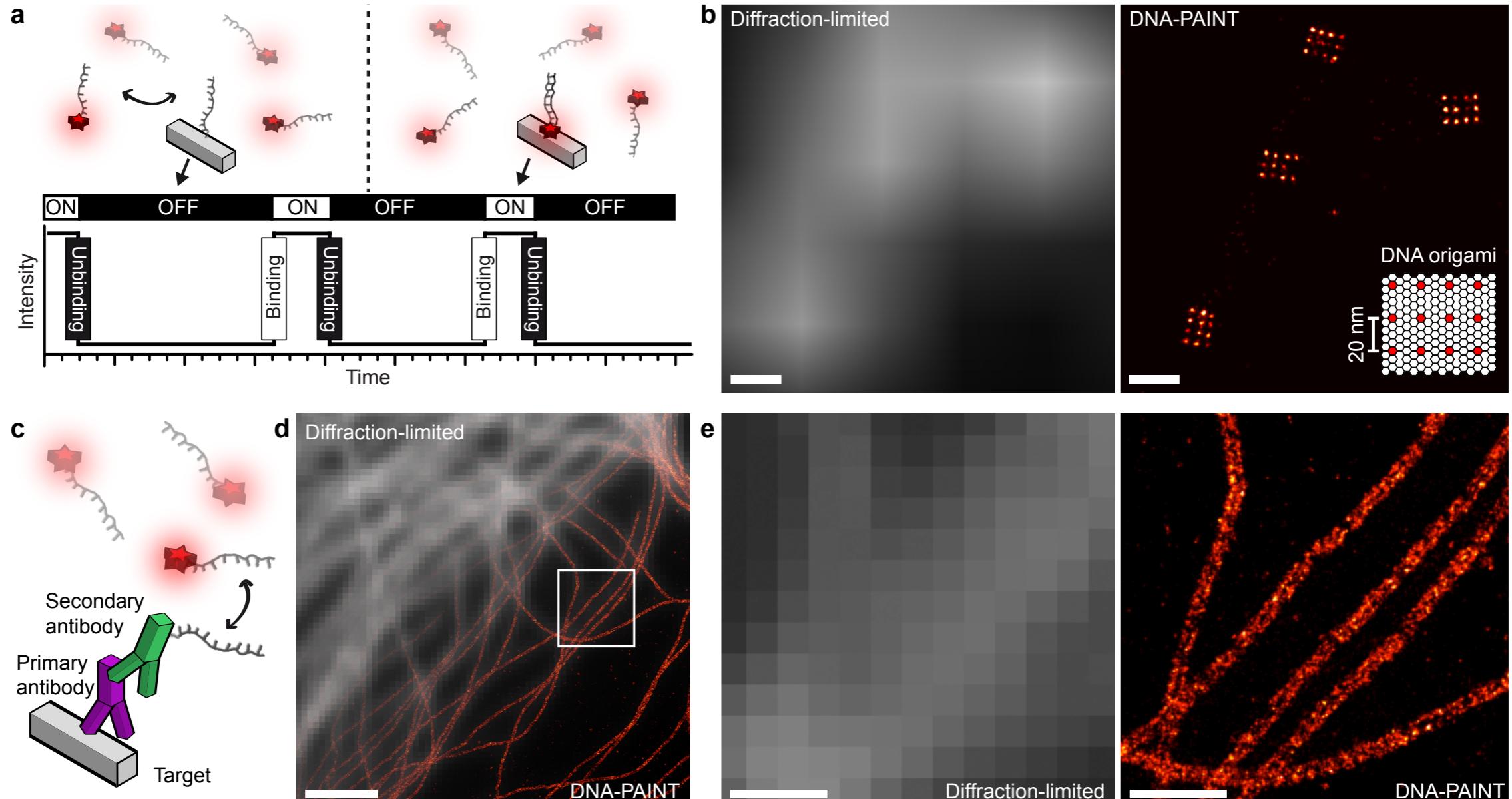
- 10 nm cellular resolution
- Spectrally-unlimited multiplexing
- ~20000 Euro component cost



# Picasso

A collection of tools for painting super-resolution images.  
Learning how to write software as a researcher.  
OpenScience Days 2019  
Maximilian Thomas Strauß

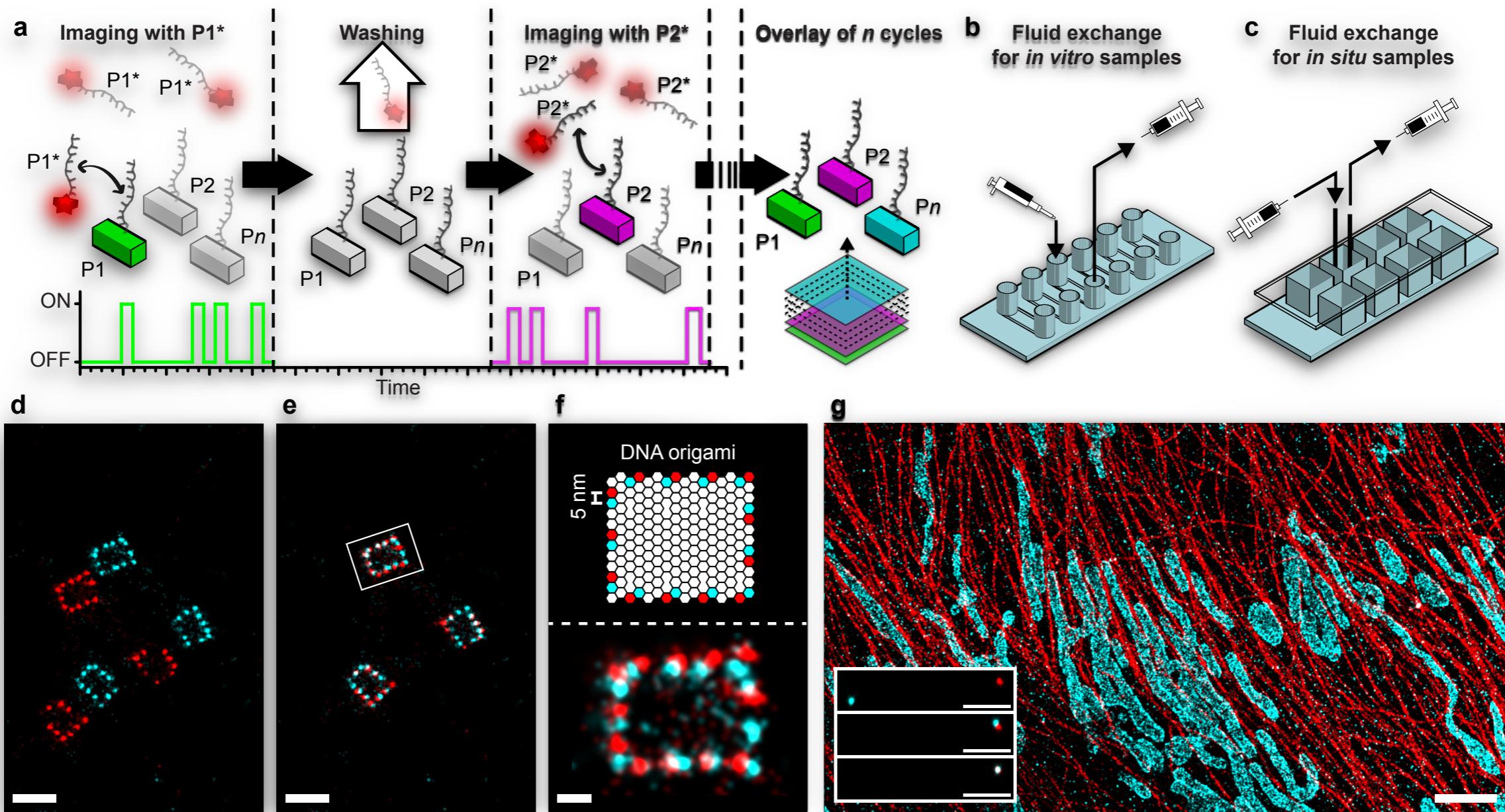
# DNA-PAINT



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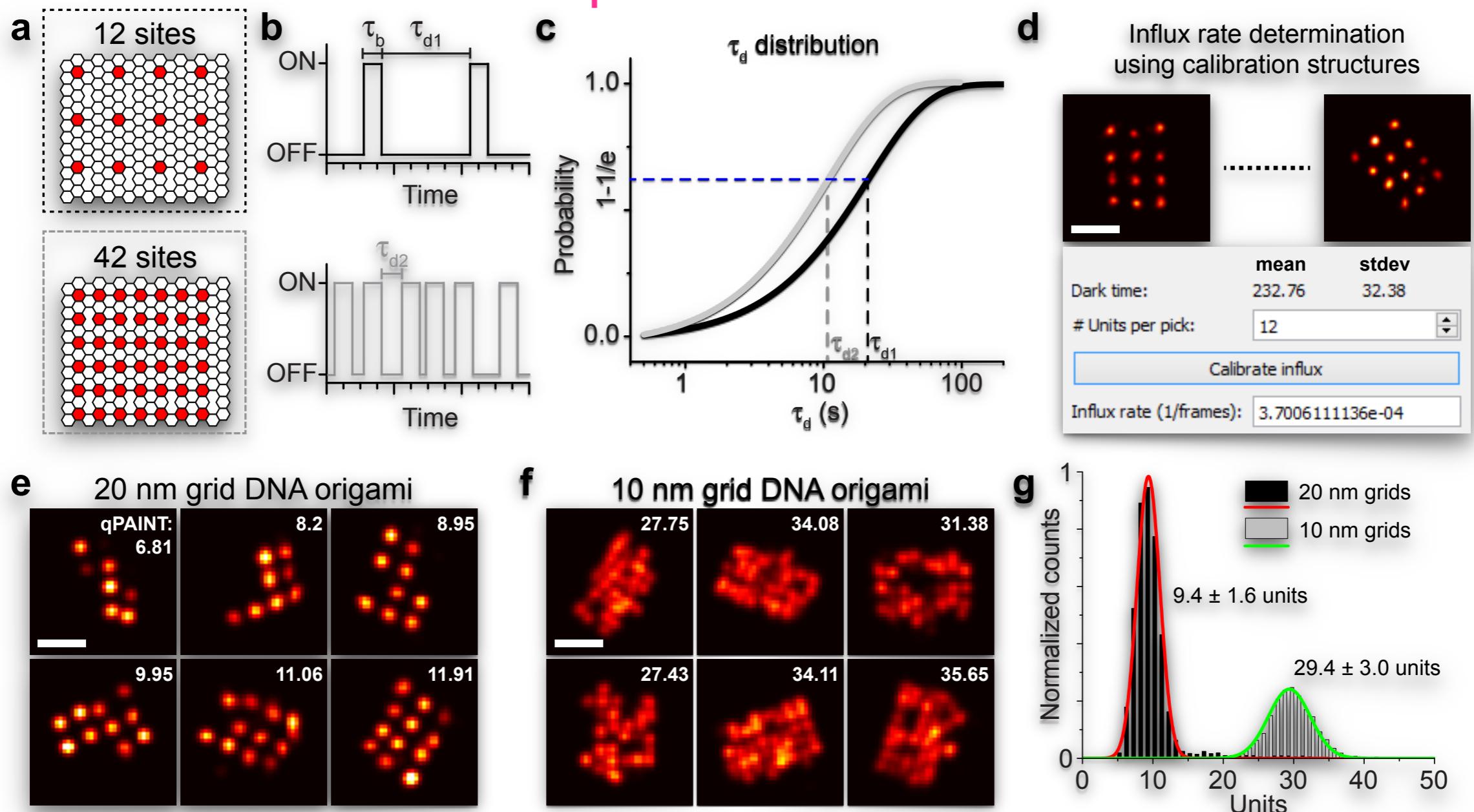
# EXCHANGE-PAINT



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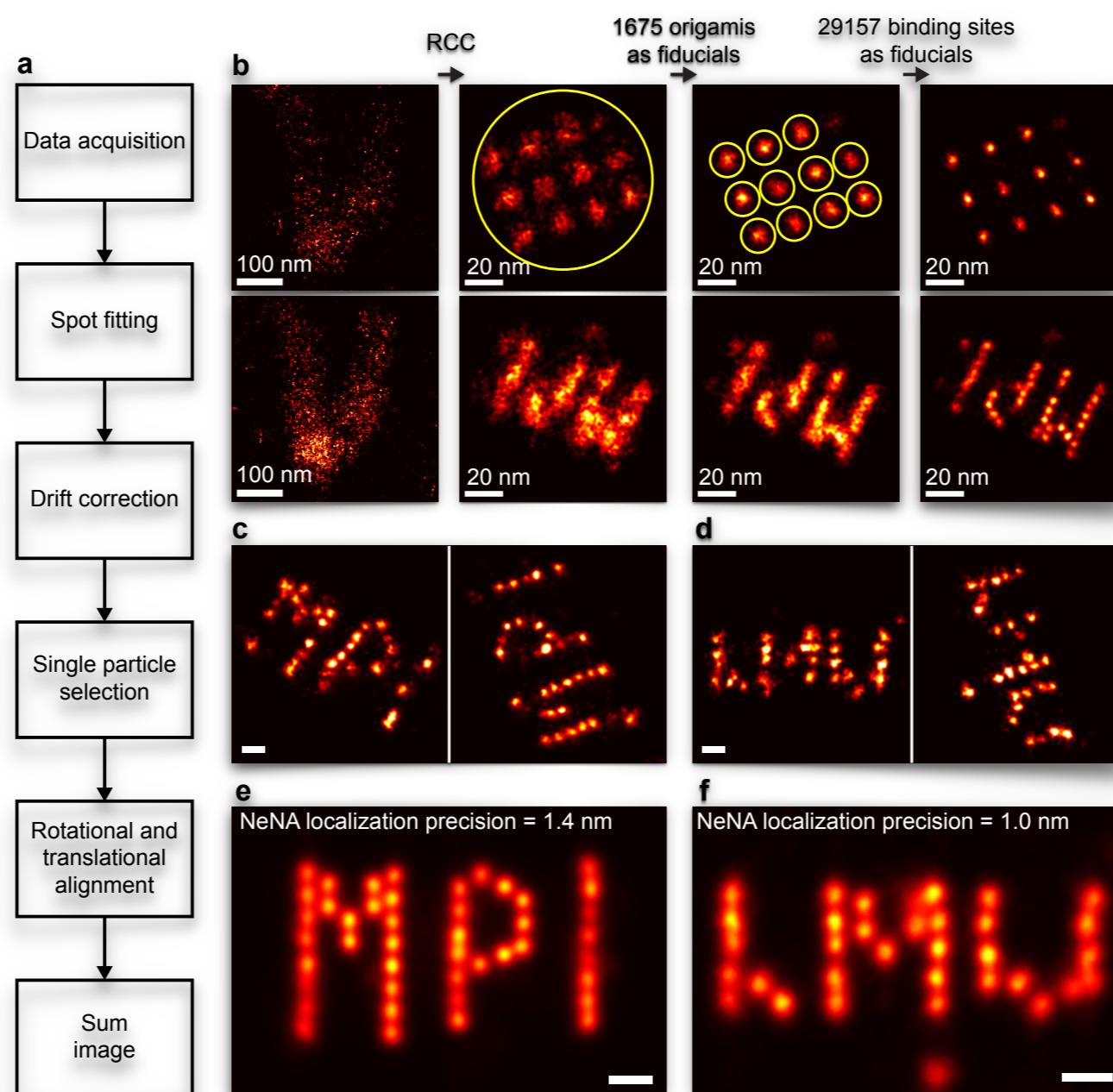
# qPAINT



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# RESOLUTION



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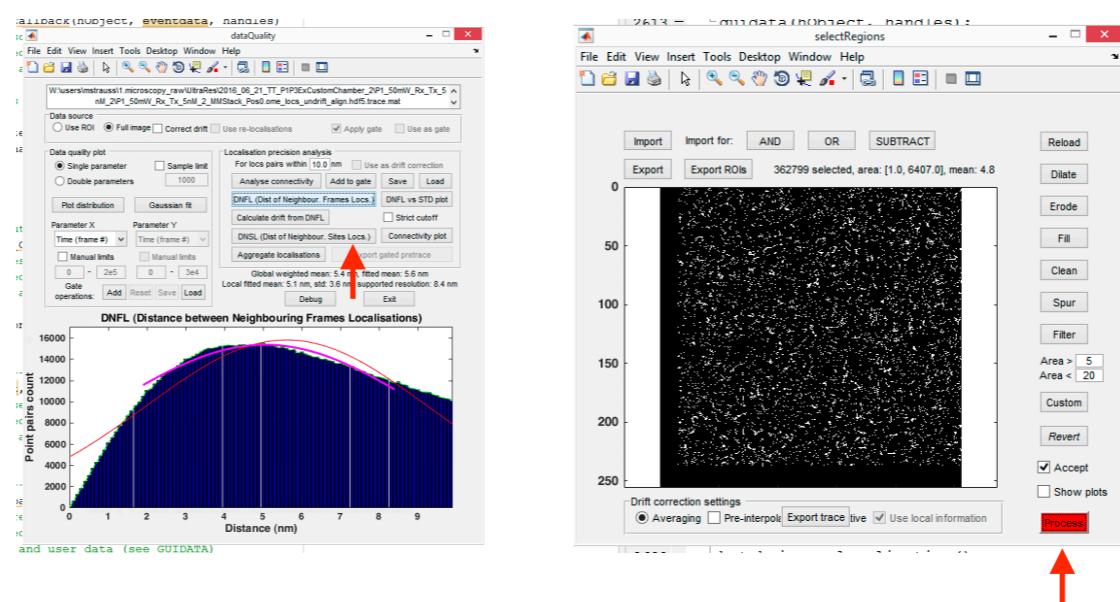
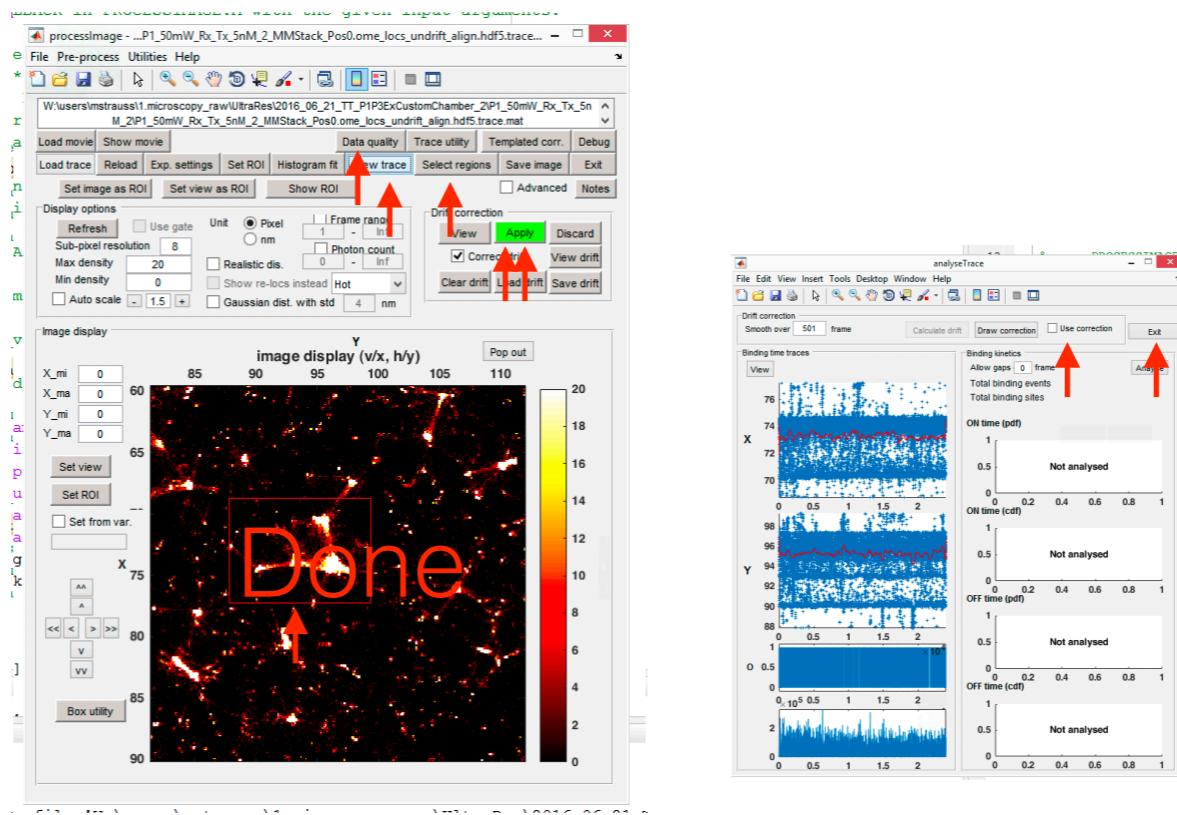
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# The old SOFTWARE



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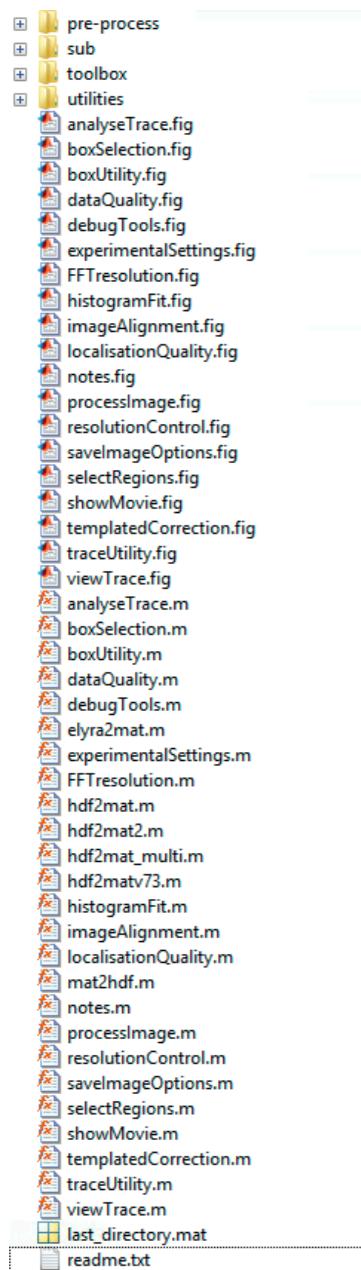


Joerg Schnitzbauer

By the time I have mastered these tools  
I could just write my own.

# The old SOFTWARE

367 files for functions



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handles = get_roi_ptrace( handles );
[avg_std_nm, avg_locs, avg_d_ratio, avg_std_detected_nm] = learnSitesDetection( handles.ptrace_roi, handles.expSettings );

%pretrace = drift_corrected_ptrace(handles);
%pretrace = extract_and_filter_trace(handles);
pretrace = handles.ptrace_disp;
[driftTrace, drift_profiles, centers, pretraces] = templatedCorrection( pretrace(:,1:3), handles.expSettings, handles.boxes, avg_std_nm, avg_locs

f = localisationQuality( pretraces, handles.expSettings );

if size(driftTrace,1) < handles.expSettings.movie_length_frames
    range = (size(driftTrace,1)+1):handles.expSettings.movie_length_frames;
    driftTrace(range,1:2) = nan;
    driftTrace(range,3:4) = inf;
end
driftTrace(:,1:2) = linear_interp( driftTrace(:,1:2) );

handles = set_new_trace(handles, driftTrace(:,1:2) + handles.driftTrace,'templated correction');
%handles = set_new_trace(handles, driftTrace(:,1:2),'templated correction');
handles.drift_profiles = drift_profiles;
handles.centers = centers;
handles.pretraces = pretraces;
handles.templatedDriftTrace = driftTrace;

handles.avg_std_nm = avg_std_nm;
handles.avg_locs = avg_locs;
handles.avg_d_ratio = avg_d_ratio;
handles.avg_std_detected_nm = avg_std_detected_nm;

guidata(hObject, handles);
figure(handles.figure1);
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# Available software packages

**Table 1 | Description of SMLM software**

Software	Molecule detection	PSF	Method	Platform	Acc.	Affiliation
3D-DAOSTORM <sup>28</sup>	Adaptive threshold—update on residual images	Gauss	LS	Python	+	Harvard Univ., USA
a-livePALM <sup>29</sup>	Denoising, SNR threshold, adaptive histogram equalization	Gauss	MLE	Matlab	+	Karlsruhe IT, Germany
Auto-Bayes	Generalized minimum-error threshold (GMET), local maximum	Gauss, Weibull	LS	Stand-alone	+	NCNST, Beijing, China
B-recs	Detection: n/a; fit: Bayesian inference framework	Arbitrary	MMSE, MAP	Stand-alone	-	Janelia Farm, HHMI, USA
CSSTORM <sup>30</sup>	No explicit localization; convex optimization problem (HD)	Gauss	Compressed sensing	Matlab	+	UCSF, USA
DAOSTORM <sup>31</sup>	Gaussian filtering, local maximum (HD)	Measured,	LS	Python	+	Univ. Oxford, UK
FacePALM <sup>32</sup>	No explicit localization; background estimation	arbitrary	-	Python	-	Univ. Amsterdam, the Netherlands
FALCON <sup>33</sup>	Deconvolution with sparsity prior, local maximum (HD)	Taylor approx.	ADMM	Matlab	+	KAIST, Daejeon, Republic of Korea
Fast-ML-HD <sup>34</sup>	Sparsity constraint, concave-convex procedure (HD)	Gauss	MLE	Matlab	-	KAIST, Daejeon, Republic of Korea
FPGA <sup>35</sup>	Adaptive threshold	Gauss	MLE, CoMass	Stand-alone	-	Univ. Heidelberg, Germany
Gauss2DCirc <sup>36</sup>	Fixed SNR threshold	Gauss	REG	Matlab	+	Univ. Illinois, USA
GPUgaussMLE <sup>37</sup>	Simple (unspecified) methods to select subregions	Gauss	MLE	Matlab	+	TU Delft, Delft, the Netherlands
GraspJ <sup>38</sup>	Peak finding: fixed threshold value	Gauss	MLE	ImageJ	+	ICFO, Barcelona, Spain
Insight3	Low-pass filtering, local maximum	Arbitrary	LS	Stand-alone	-	UCSF, USA
L1H <sup>39</sup>	No explicit localization; L1 homotopy, FIST deconvolution	Gauss, arbitrary	Compressed sensing	Python	+	Harvard Univ., USA
M2LE <sup>40</sup>	Adaptive threshold	Gauss	MLE	ImageJ	+	Cal Poly Pomona, USA
Maliang <sup>41</sup>	Annular averaging filters, denoising by convolution	Gauss	MLE	ImageJ	+	WUST, Wuhan, China
Micro-Manager LM	Adaptive threshold	Gauss	LS	ImageJ	+	UCSF, USA
MrSE <sup>42</sup>	Band-pass filtering, local maximum	Radial	CoSym	Stand-alone	-	WUST, Wuhan, China
Octane <sup>43</sup>	Watershed maximum	Gauss	LS	ImageJ	+	Univ. Connecticut, USA
PeakFit	Band-pass filtering, local maximum	Gauss	LS	ImageJ	+	Univ. Sussex, UK
PeakSelector <sup>44</sup>	Time-domain filtering, adaptive threshold	Gauss	LS	IDL, Matlab	-	HHMI, USA
PYME <sup>27</sup>	Wiener filtering, adaptive threshold	Arbitrary	LS	Python	+	Univ. Auckland, New Zealand
QuickPALM <sup>45</sup>	Band-pass filtering, fixed SNR threshold	Gauss	CoMass	ImageJ	+	Institut Pasteur, France
RadialSymmetry <sup>46</sup>	Filtering, local max., minimal distance to gradient	Radial	CoSym	Matlab	+	Univ. Oregon, Eugene, USA
rapidSTORM <sup>12</sup>	Low-pass filtering, local maximum	Gauss	LS, MLE	Stand-alone	+	Univ. Würzburg, Germany
SimplePALM <sup>47</sup>	Variance stabilization denoising, DoG, probabilistic threshold	n/a	Mean-shift	Stand-alone	-	Molecular Genetics Center, Gif-sur-Yvette, France
simpleSTORM <sup>14</sup>	Self-calibration, noise normalize, background subtraction, P value	Gauss, measured	Interpolation	Stand-alone	+	Univ. Heidelberg, Germany
SNSMIL	Gaussian filtering, fixed contrast threshold	Gauss	LS	Stand-alone	+	NCNST, Beijing, China
SOSplugin	Wavelet transform, local maximum, Gaussian mixture	Gauss	LS	ImageJ	+	Erasmus MC, Rotterdam, the Netherlands
ThunderSTORM <sup>15</sup>	Extensive collection of methods, preview, filtering, local maximum	Gauss	LS, MLE	ImageJ	+	Charles Univ., Prague, Czech Republic
W-fluoroBancroft <sup>48</sup>	Wavelet, adaptive threshold	Gauss	fb	Matlab	+	Boston Univ., USA
WaveTracer <sup>49</sup>	Wavelet, watershed maximum	Gauss	LS	Metamorph	-	Univ. Bordeaux, France
WTM <sup>50</sup>	Wedge template matching (HD)	Wedge	Match.	Stand-alone	-	Hamamatsu Photonics, Japan

The software packages whose manufacturers participated in our study are listed. The study is ongoing, and this list will be updated at <http://bigwww.epfl.ch/smlm/software/>. Software marked ‘ImageJ’ runs on compatible products ImageJ, Fiji, Icy and ImageJ2. Abbreviations for PSF: Gauss, Gaussian, elliptical Gaussian or averaged Gaussian. Abbreviations for methods: ADMM, alternating direction method of multipliers; CoMass, center of mass; CoSym, center of symmetry; fb, fluoroBancroft; LS, least-squares; MAP, maximum a posteriori; MLE, maximum-likelihood estimator; MMSE, minimum mean-square error; REG, regression. Abbreviations regarding open access: +, available online (sometimes upon request); -, not available or included in commercial package.

# How could we sell this?

## PROTOCOL

### Super-resolution microscopy with DNA-PAINT

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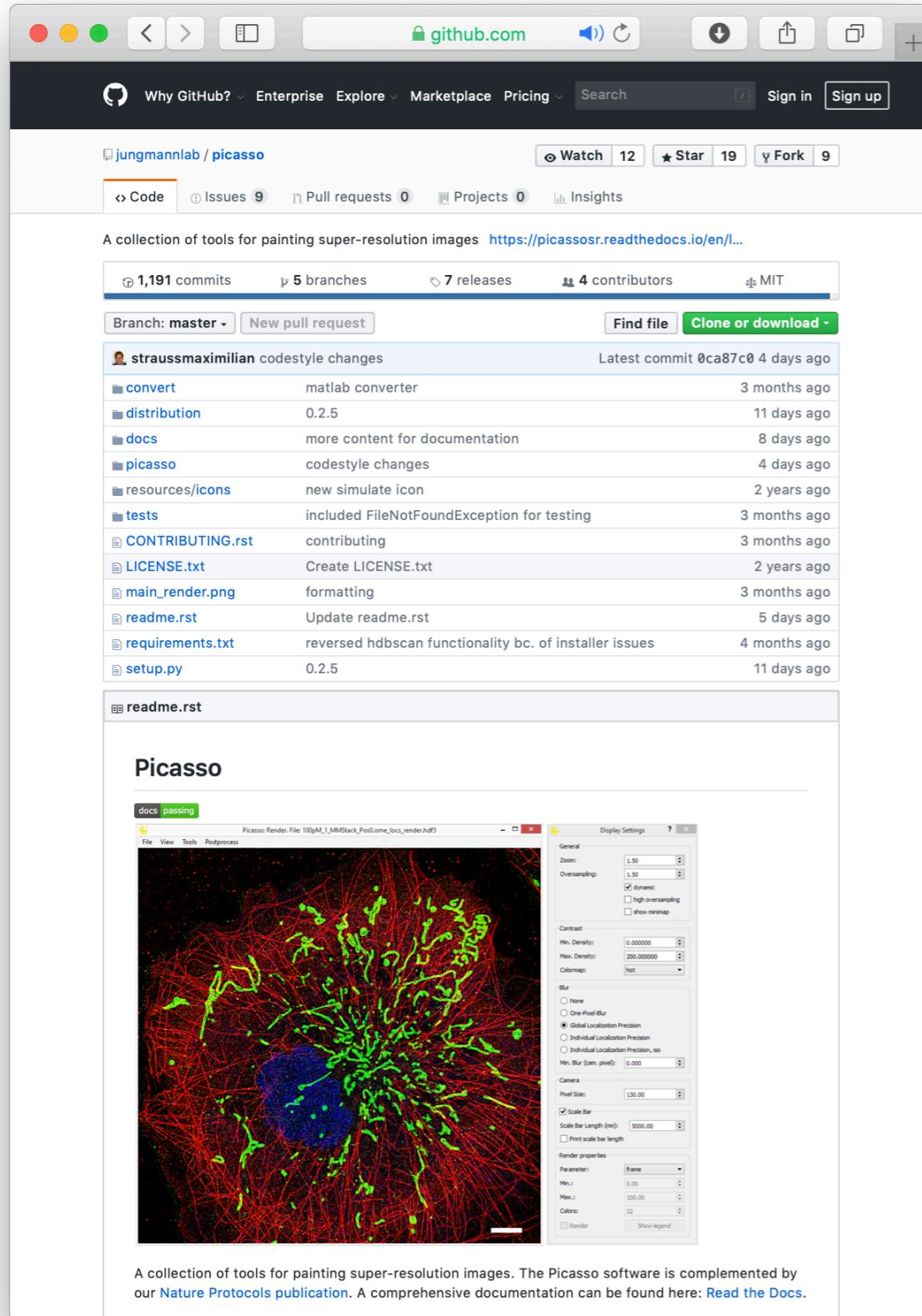
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Super-resolution techniques have begun to transform biological and biomedical research by allowing researchers to observe structures well below the classic diffraction limit of light. DNA points accumulation for imaging in nanoscale topography (DNA-PAINT) offers an easy-to-implement approach to localization-based super-resolution microscopy, owing to the use of DNA probes. In DNA-PAINT, transient binding of short dye-labeled ('imager') oligonucleotides to their complementary target ('docking') strands creates the necessary 'blinking' to enable stochastic super-resolution microscopy. Using the programmability and specificity of DNA molecules as imaging and labeling probes allows researchers to decouple blinking from dye photophysics, alleviating limitations of current super-resolution techniques, making them compatible with virtually any single-molecule-compatible dye. Recent developments in DNA-PAINT have enabled spectrally unlimited multiplexing, precise molecule counting and ultra-high, molecular-scale (sub-5-nm) spatial resolution, reaching ~1-nm localization precision. DNA-PAINT can be applied to a multitude of *in vitro* and cellular applications by linking docking strands to antibodies. Here, we present a protocol for the key aspects of the DNA-PAINT framework for both novice and expert users. This protocol describes the creation of DNA origami test samples, *in situ* sample preparation, multiplexed data acquisition, data simulation, super-resolution image reconstruction and post-processing such as drift correction, molecule counting (qPAINT) and particle averaging. Moreover, we provide an integrated software package, named Picasso, for the computational steps involved. The protocol is designed to be modular, so that individual components can be chosen and implemented per requirements of a specific application. The procedure can be completed in 1–2 d.

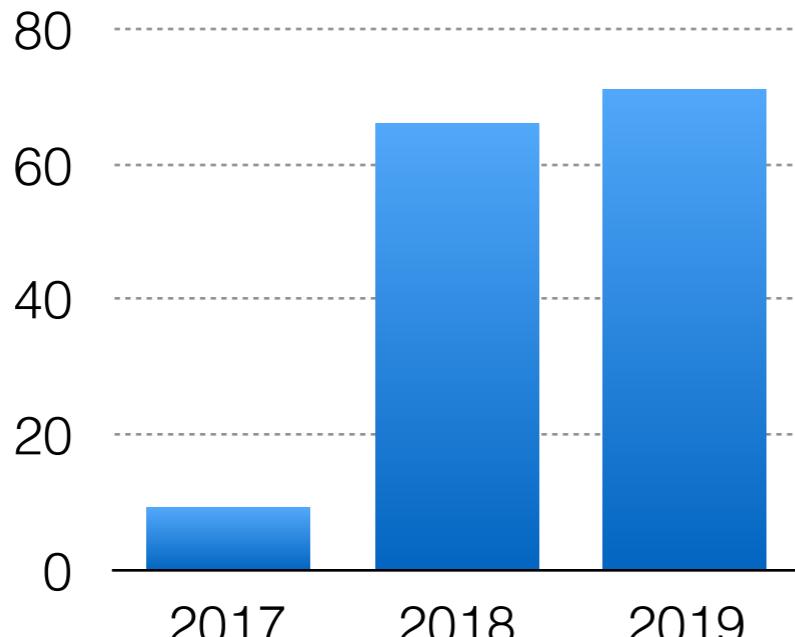
# The current state of Picasso



Python based  
available on GitHub  
one-click installer for windows  
~ 20.000 lines of code

# Some Statistics

## Citation count



Currently 71 citations



~ 9 unique clones in the last two weeks

## Support requests

- Wyss Institute - Harvard University
- University of Wuerzburg
- University of New South Wales
- University of Glasgow
- University of Cambridge
- University of Baltimore
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- Technical University of Munich
- TU Vienna
- Osaka University
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- Max Planck Institute for Brain Research
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- Montpellier Cell Biology Research Center
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How did we get there?  
or: What did we learn?

# Why open-source?



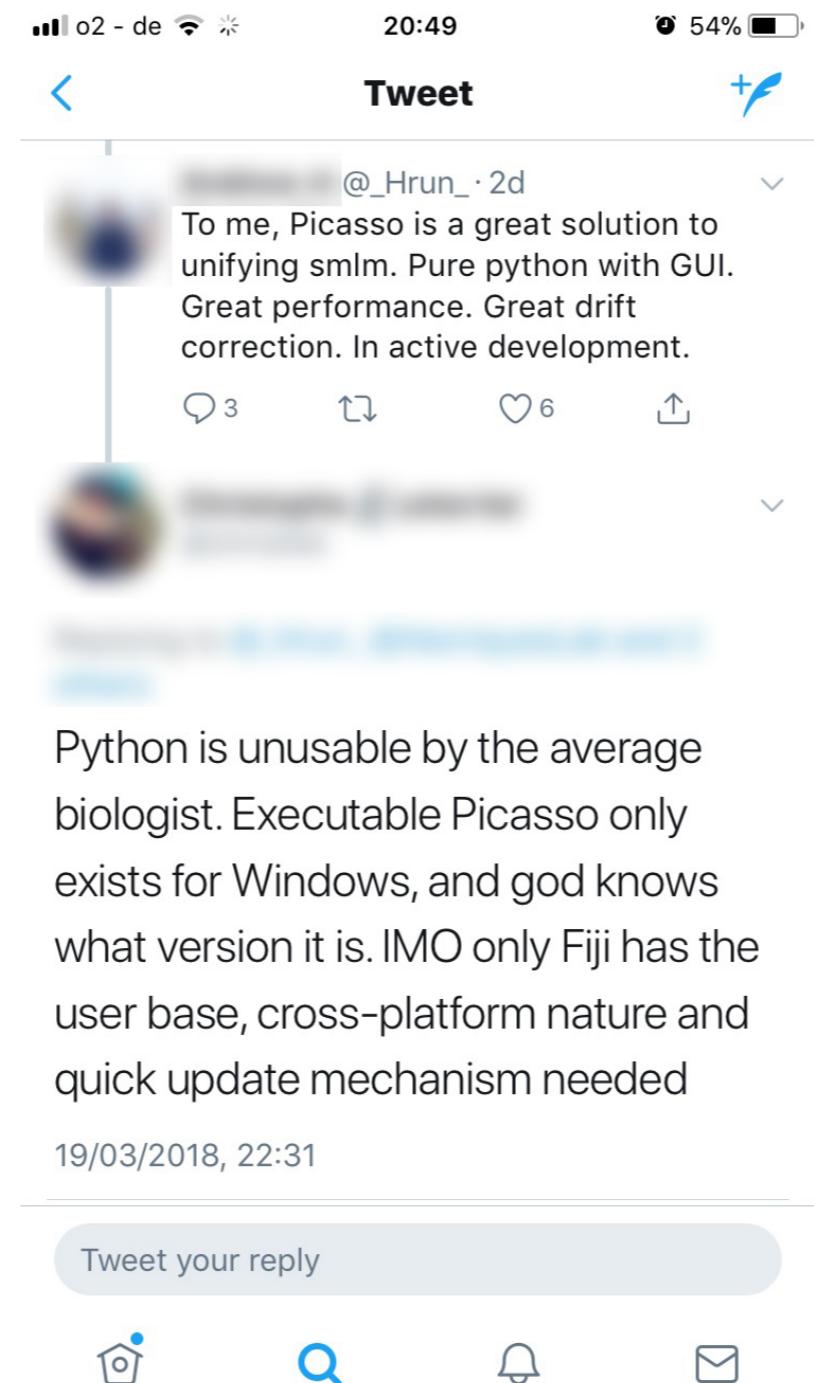
# GitLab

Main Motivation: version control

vulnerable to get scooped?

If someone is so good that  
by reading the source-code they  
can figure out what one is working on and still be faster  
they deserve credit.

# Communication



Python is unusable by the average biologist. Executable Picasso only exists for Windows, and god knows what version it is. IMO only Fiji has the user base, cross-platform nature and quick update mechanism needed

19/03/2018, 22:31

Tweet your reply



## Twitter-Discussions

- can give helpful input

# Teaching

## Versuch R3b: Super-resolution microscopy and DNA nanotechnology

### Location

**Jungmann Lab**  
**MPI of Biochemistry**  
**Am Klopferspitz 18**  
**82152 Martinsried**

### Supervisor

Alexander Auer  
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 [aauer@biochem.mpg.de](mailto:aauer@biochem.mpg.de)

### Description

In this one-day lab course you will combine DNA nanotechnology e.g. DNA origami with super-resolution microscopy. It starts with designing DNA origami structures for a DNA-PAINT experiment using our lab software 'Picasso'. Afterwards, the DNA origami structures are synthesized and imaged with a custom TIRF microscope. The course constitutes an intensive training in a number of DNA nanotechnology and single molecule fluorescence techniques including DNA origami folding, gel electrophoresis, slide preparation, super-resolution imaging, and image analysis and post-processing.

### Downloads

 [Practical Course Biophysics Program – Experiment R3b-1](#) (7 MByte)

# What did we get from making it open-source?

- Quality control
- Bug Reports
- Documentation
- Contributions

www.nature.com/scientificreports

# SCIENTIFIC REPORTS



**OPEN** **Gpufit: An open-source toolkit for GPU-accelerated curve fitting**

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We present a general purpose, open-source software library for estimation of non-linear parameters by the Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm. The software, Gpufit, runs on a Graphics Processing Unit (GPU) and executes computations in parallel, resulting in a significant gain in performance. We measured a speed increase of up to 42 times when comparing Gpufit with an identical CPU-based algorithm,

computation before the nnai image is obtained.

We integrated Gpufit into a recently published software package, Picasso<sup>12</sup>, which may be used to process raw STORM data into a super-resolved image of the sample. The Picasso software is written in Python, and is optimized to carry out the fit using a multi-threaded process running on all cores of the CPU. Moreover, Picasso uses

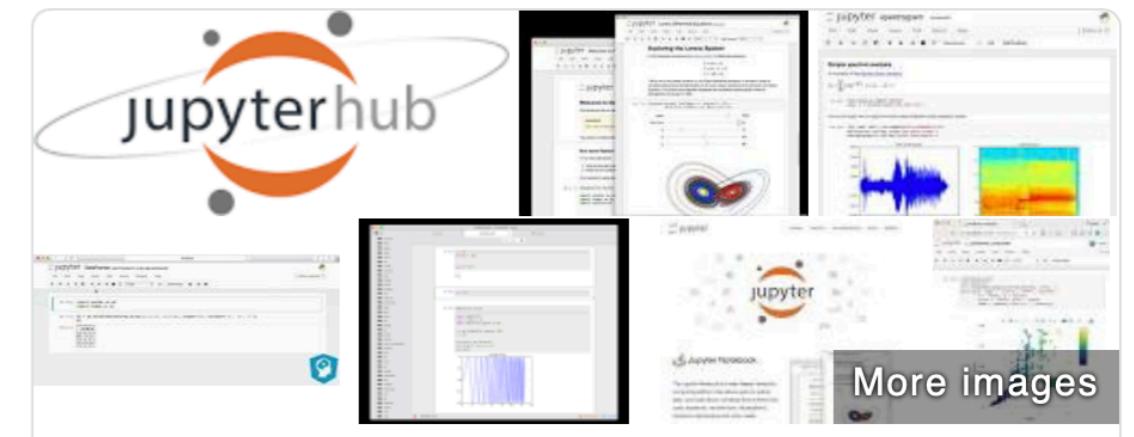
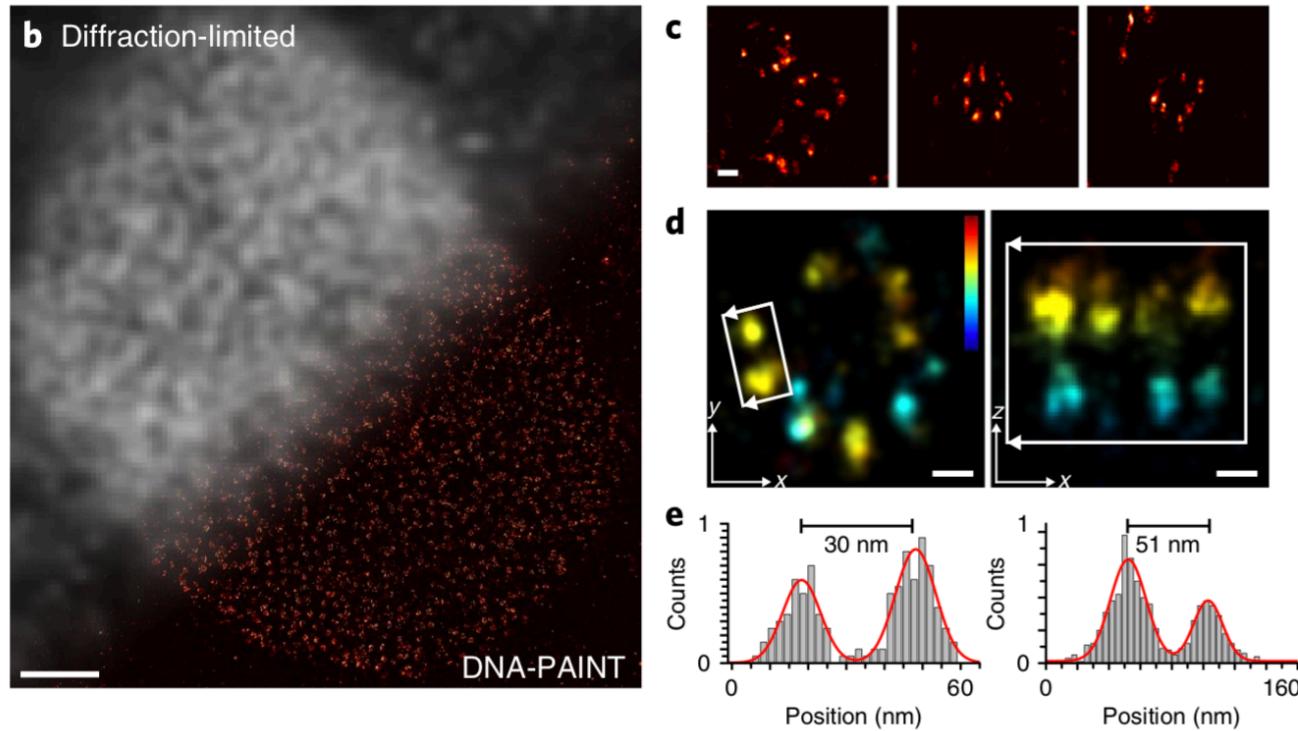
# Where is this heading?

- Better documentation
- Encourage contributions
- Implement automated tests

> Research **Software Engineer**

What could be next?

# How could it be?



## Project Jupyter

Software

Project Jupyter is a nonprofit organization created to "develop open-source software, open-standards, and services for interactive computing across dozens of programming languages". Spun-off from IPython in 2014 by Fernando Pérez, Project Jupyter supports execution environments in several dozen languages. [Wikipedia](#)

**Purpose:** To support interactive data science and scientific computing across all programming languages.

- Make raw data available
- Include scripts on how each figure was created
- Automated reproducibility of the evaluation

Thank you for your attention.