

# Extraction et Gestion Automatique de la sémantique dans les nuages de points

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**Hyper-  
Automation**

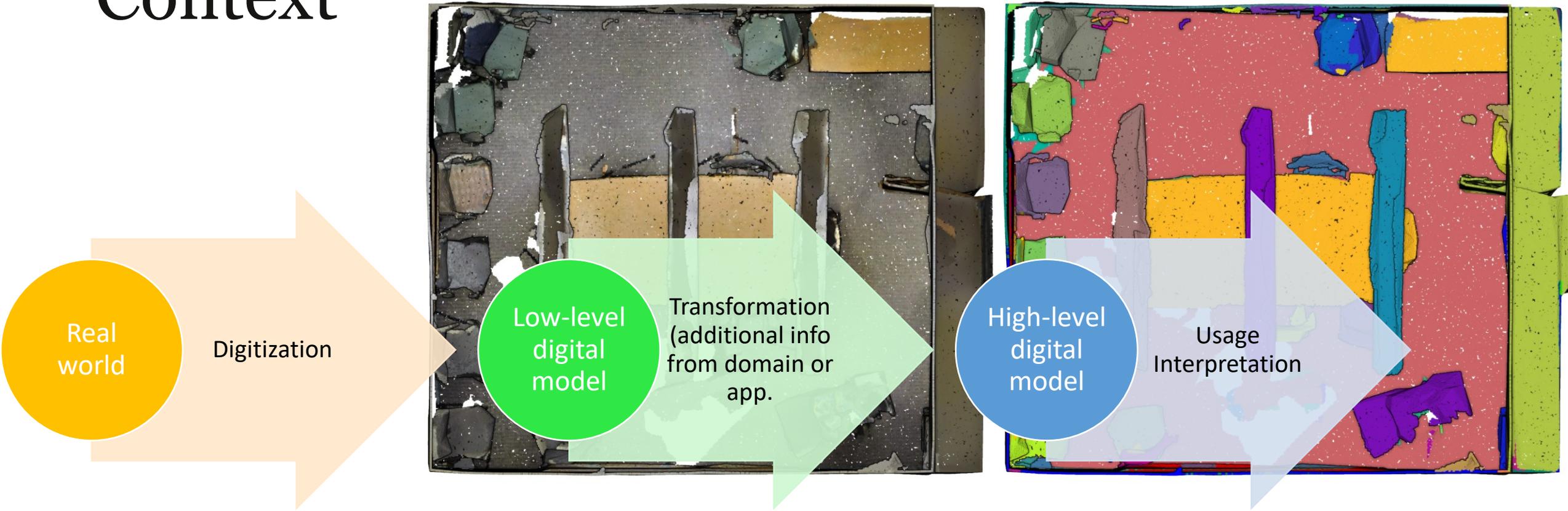
**Reality /  
Virtuality**

Key concepts  
**Point Cloud**

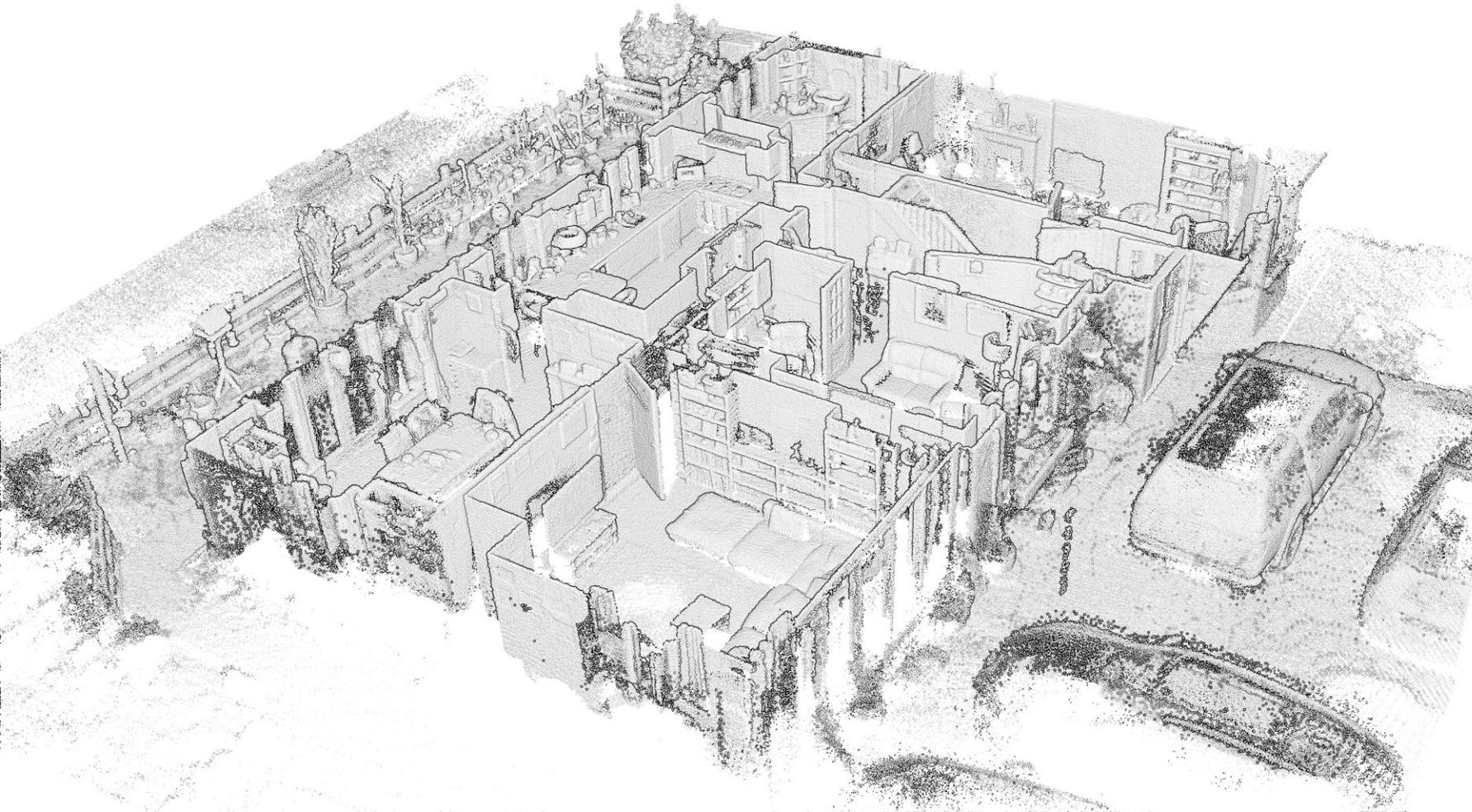
**Added-value**

**Generalization**

# Context



# Automation



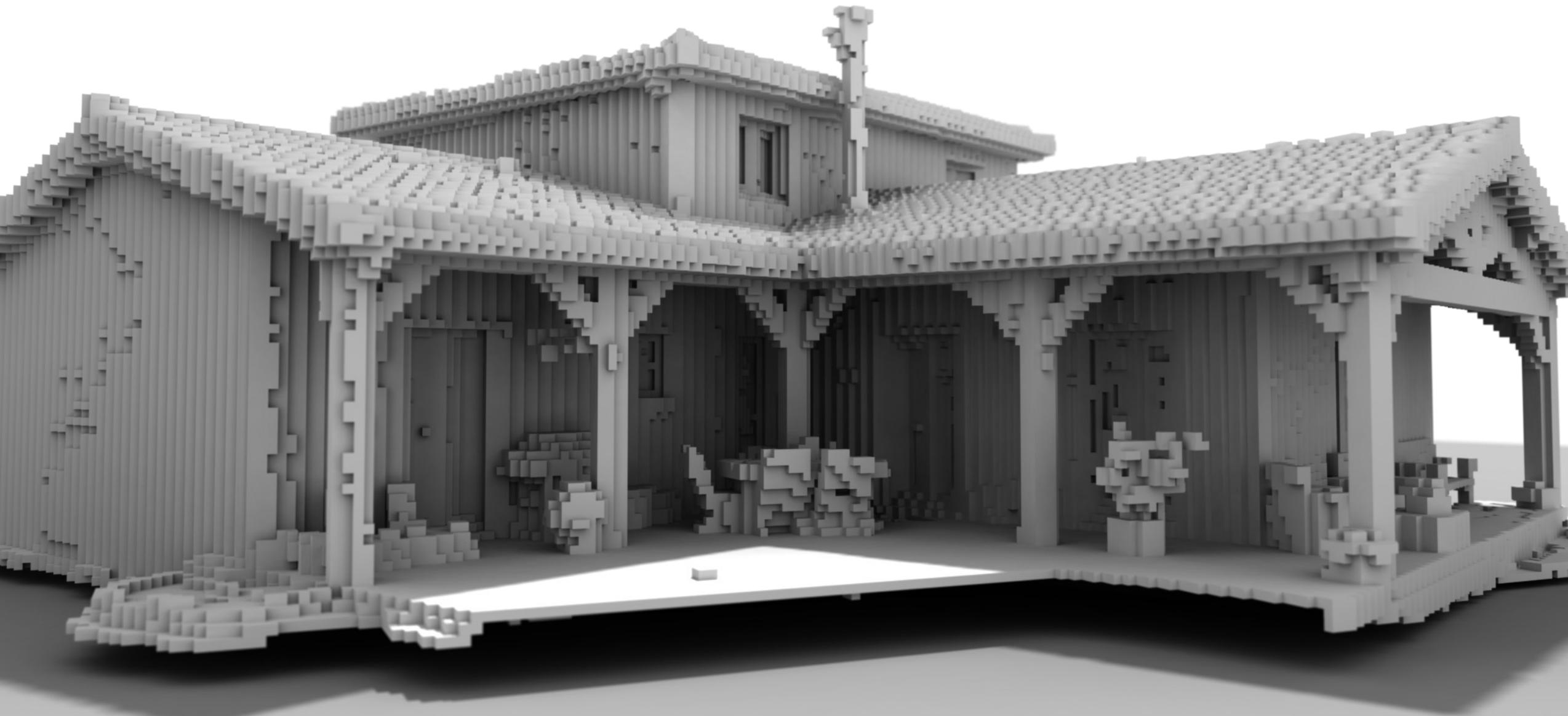
- + Increased productivity
- + Higher quality output
- + Shorter workweeks

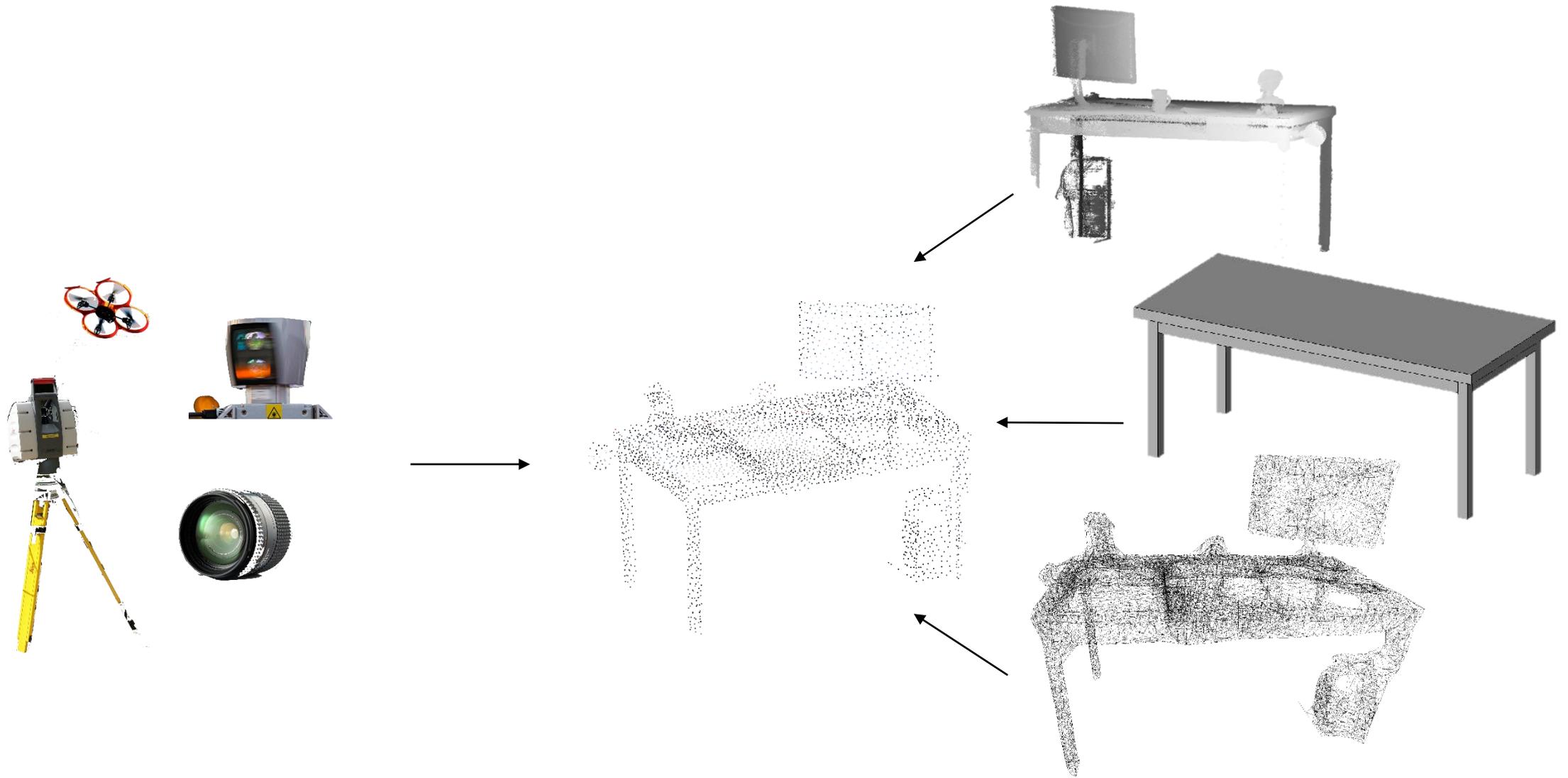


# 3D Point Cloud Specificities



# Representation & Structuration



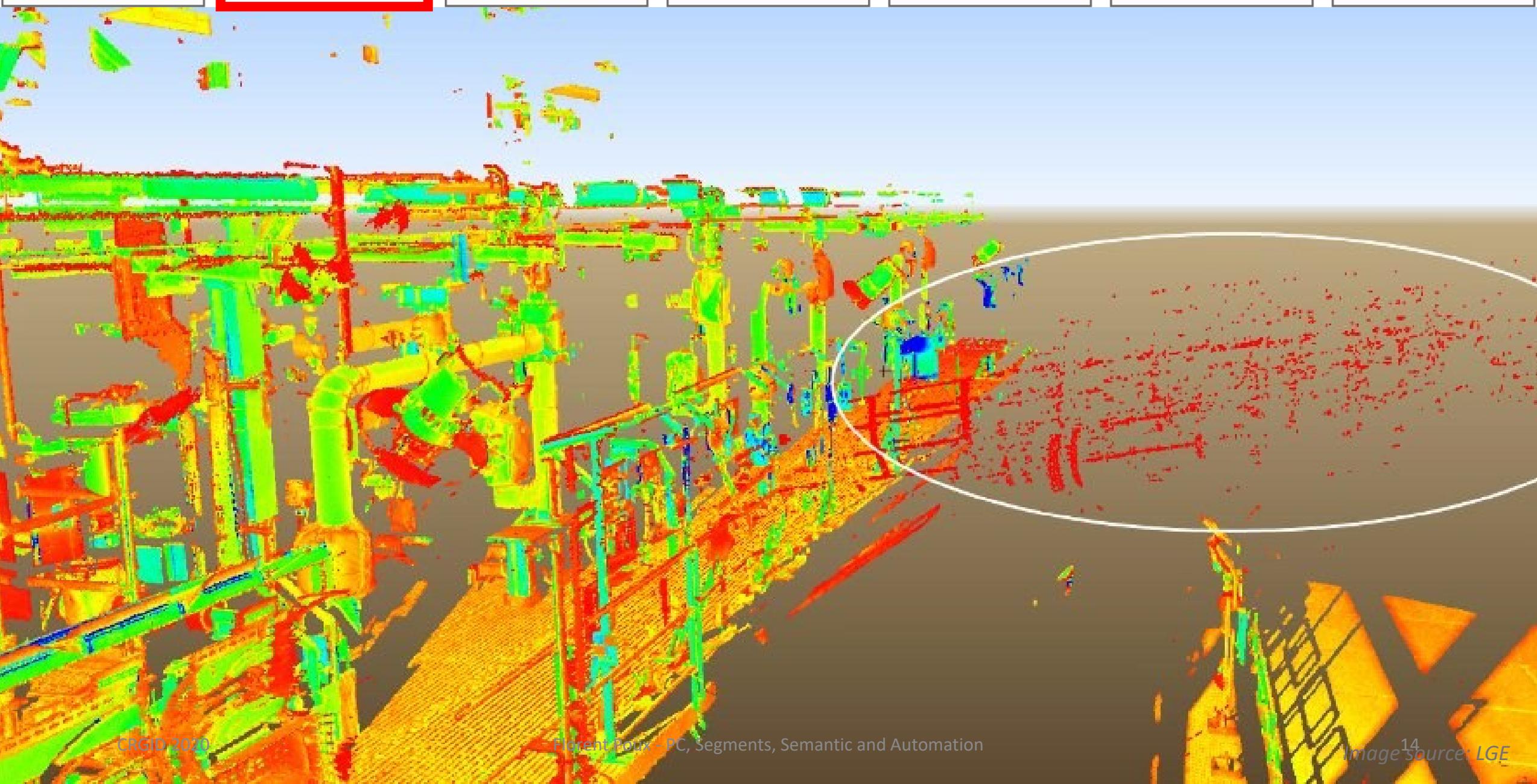


# Automation

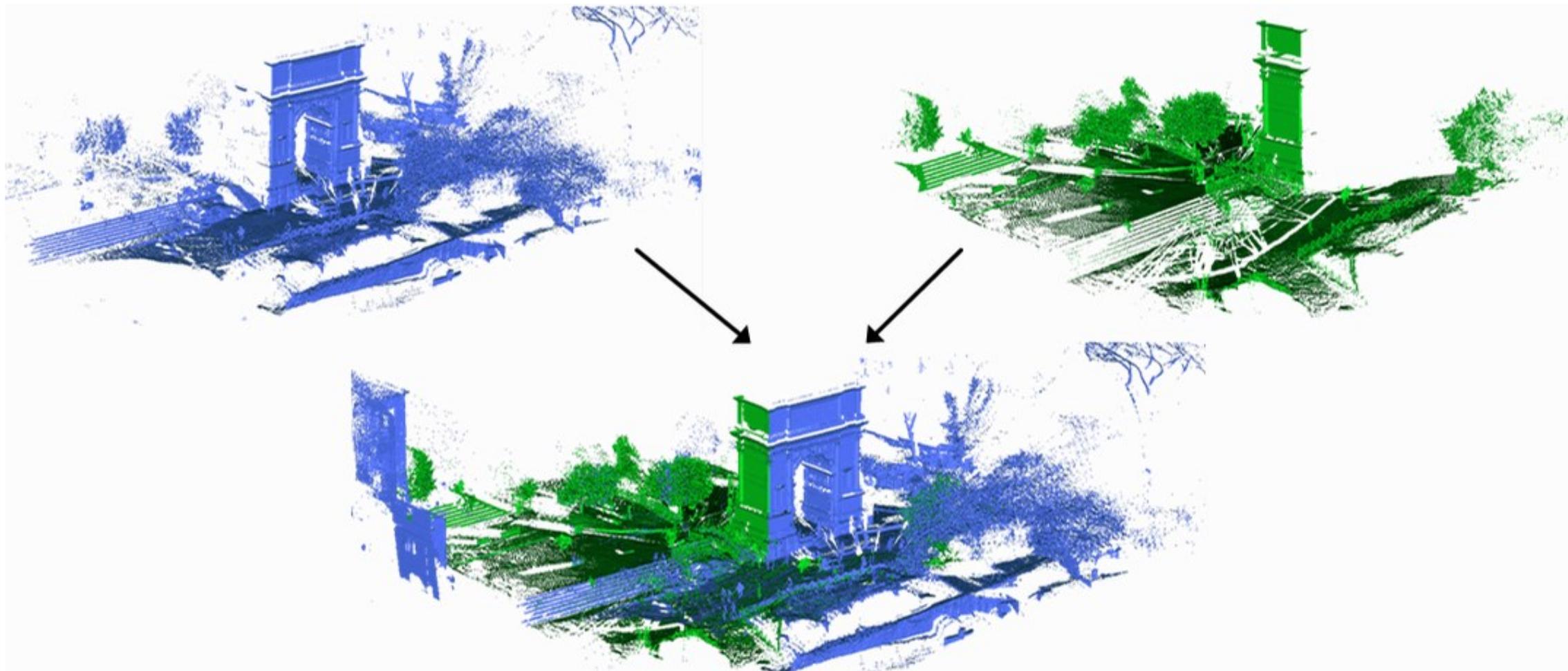
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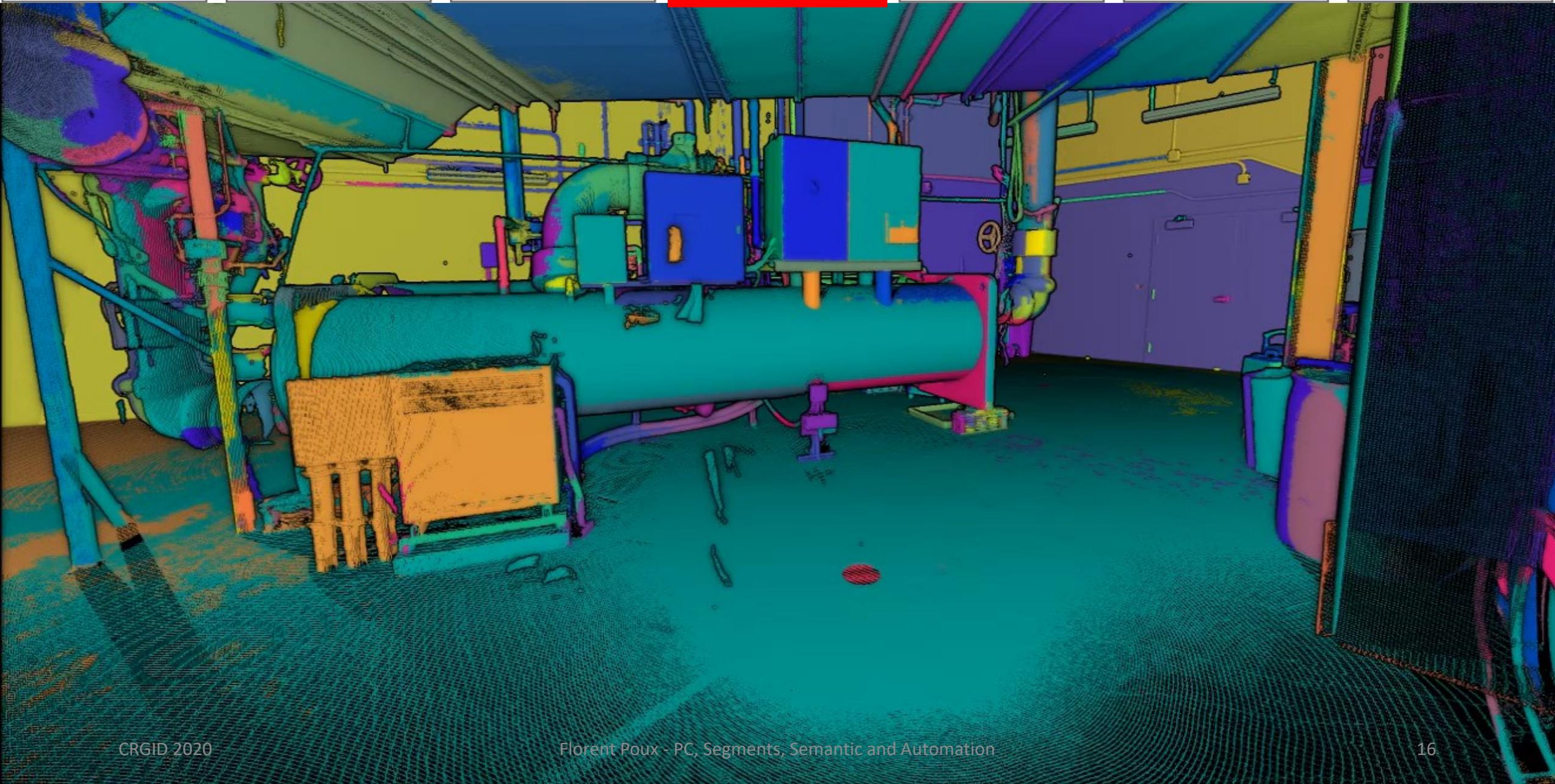
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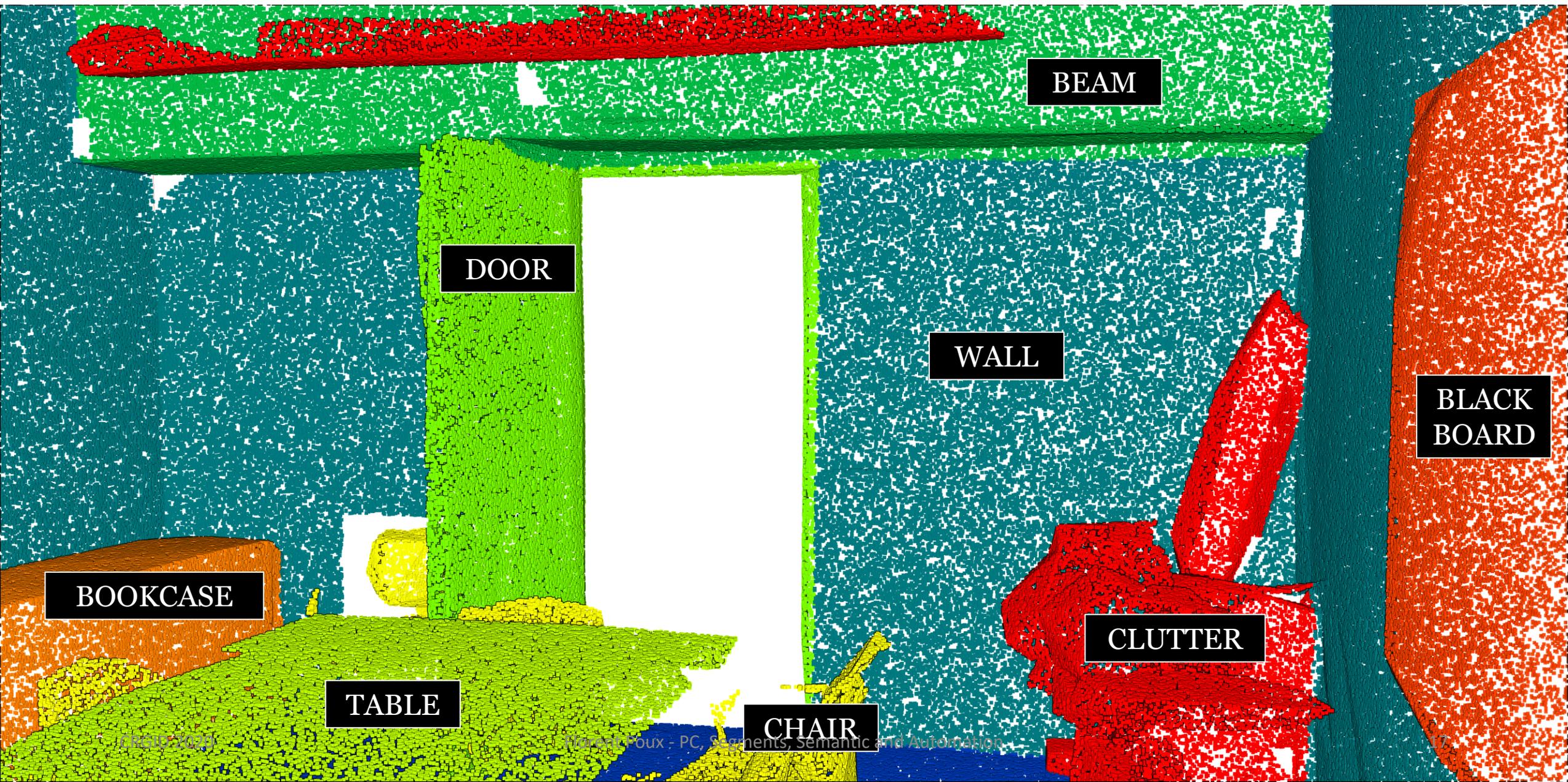
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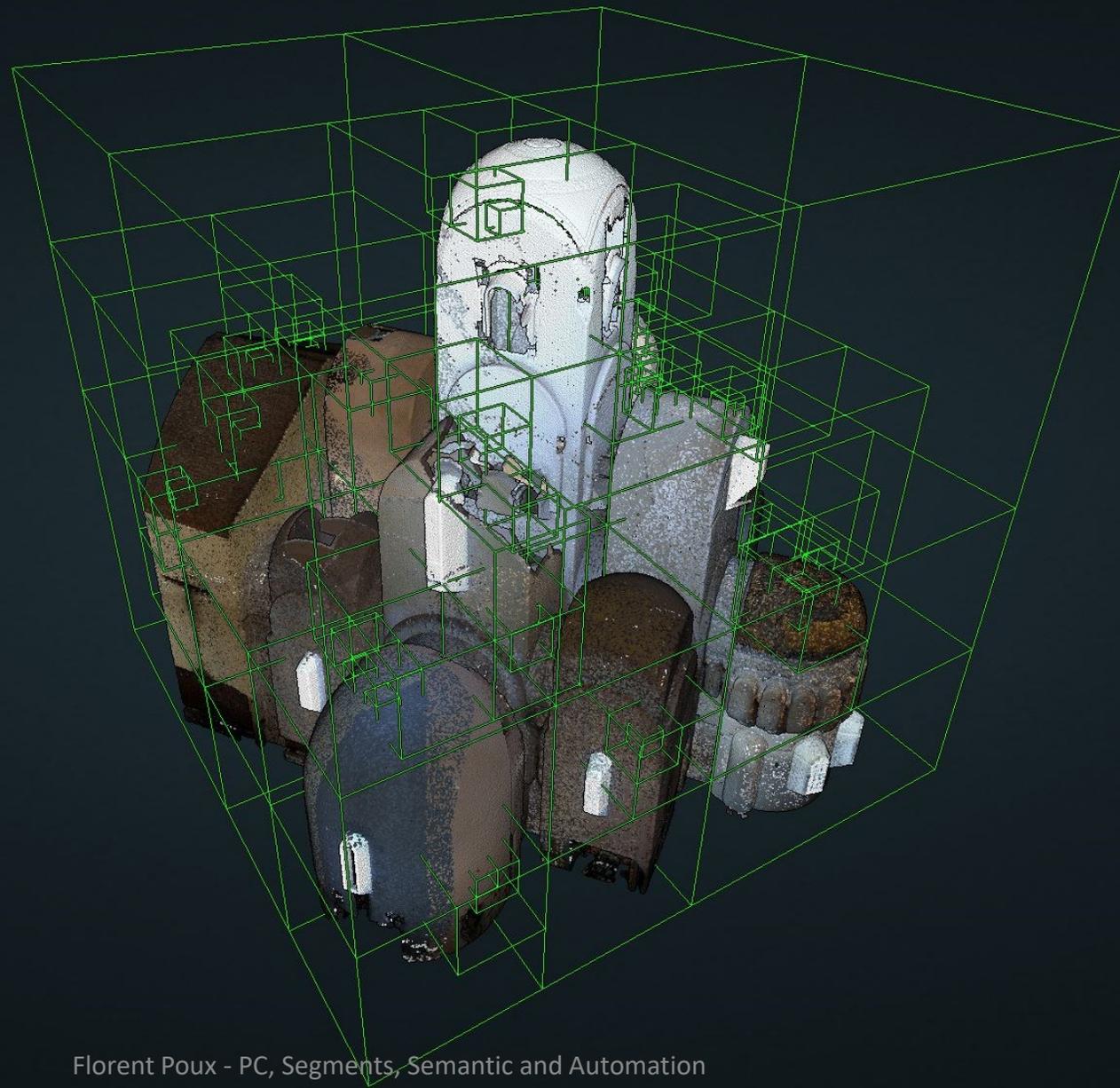


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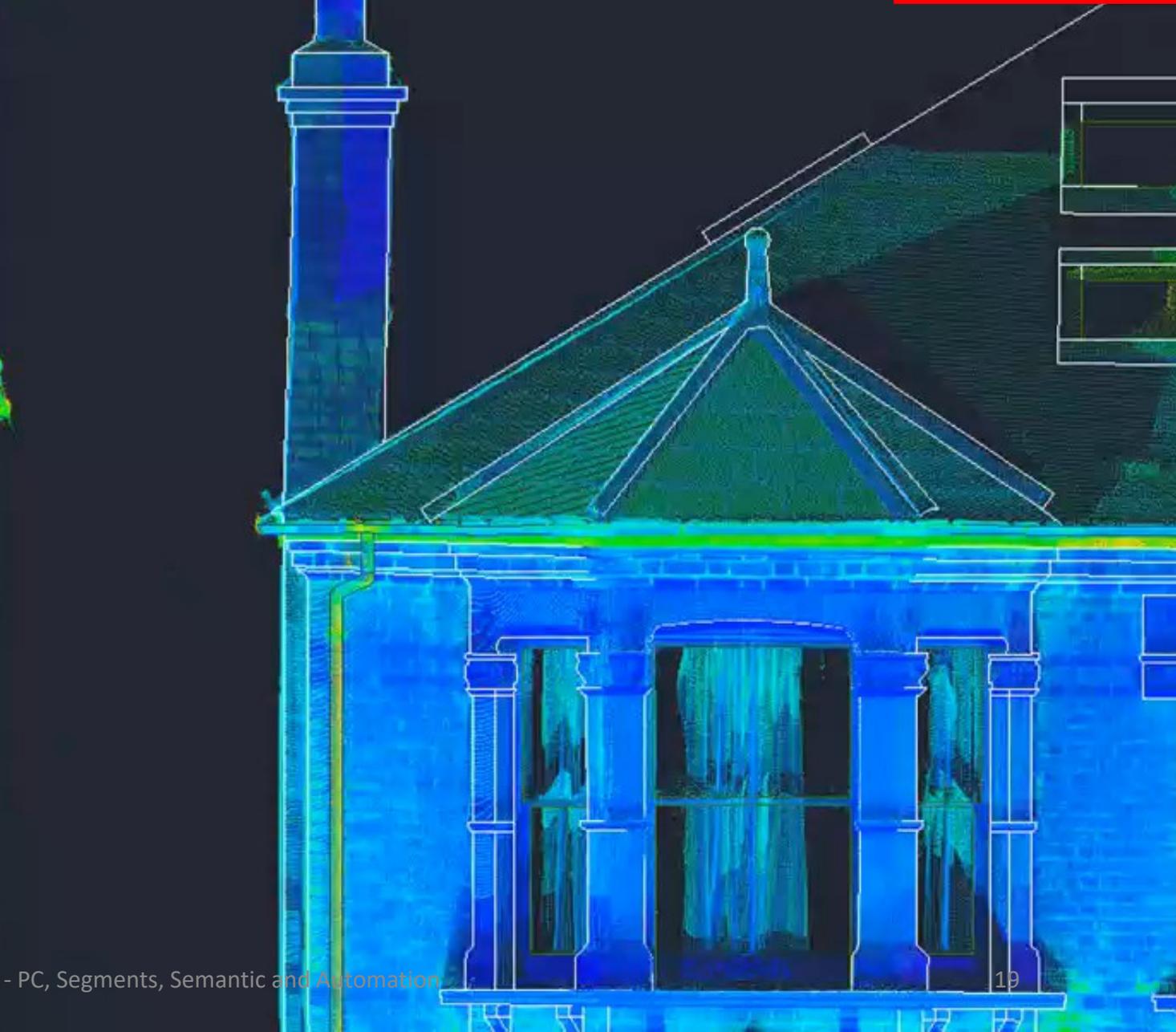


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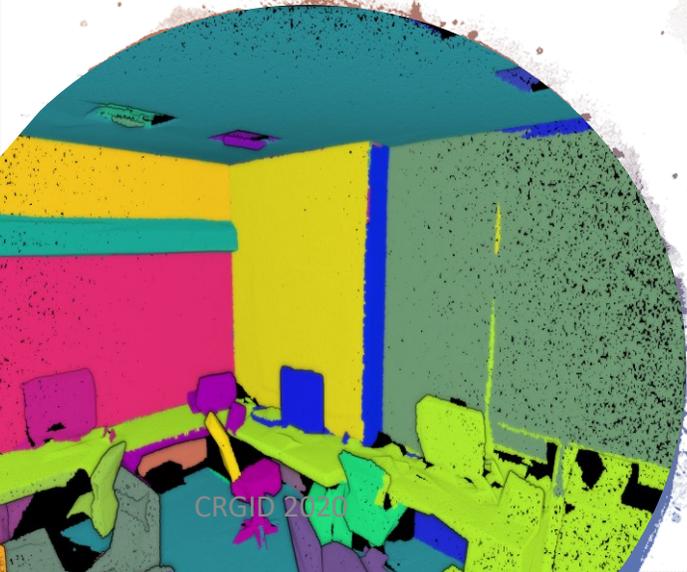
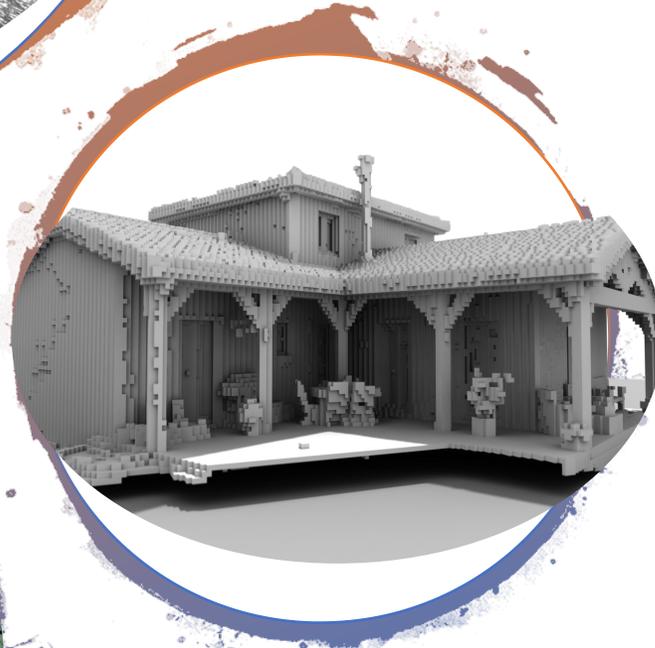
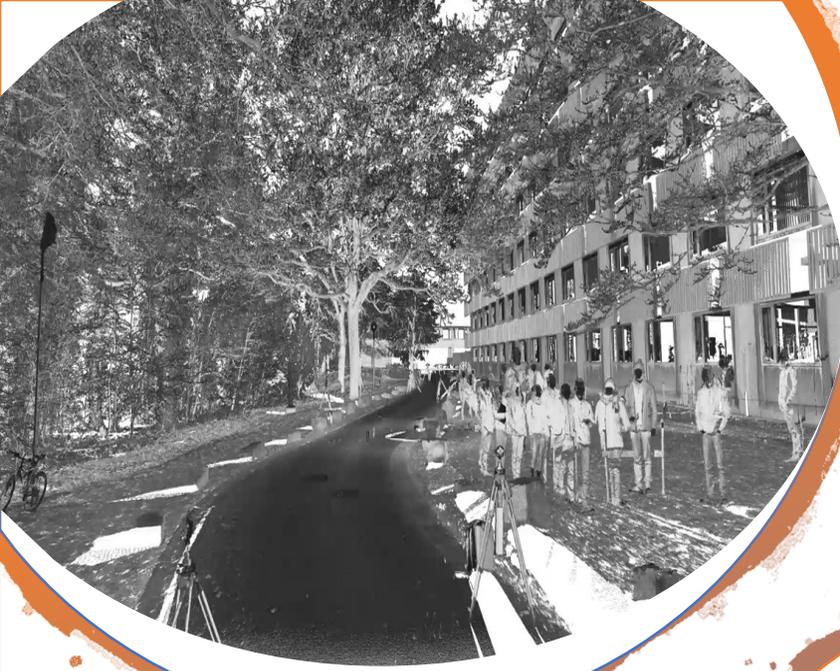


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# Point Clouds

1. Specificities
2. Representation
3. Automation



1 Acquisition

2 Pre-processing

3 Registration

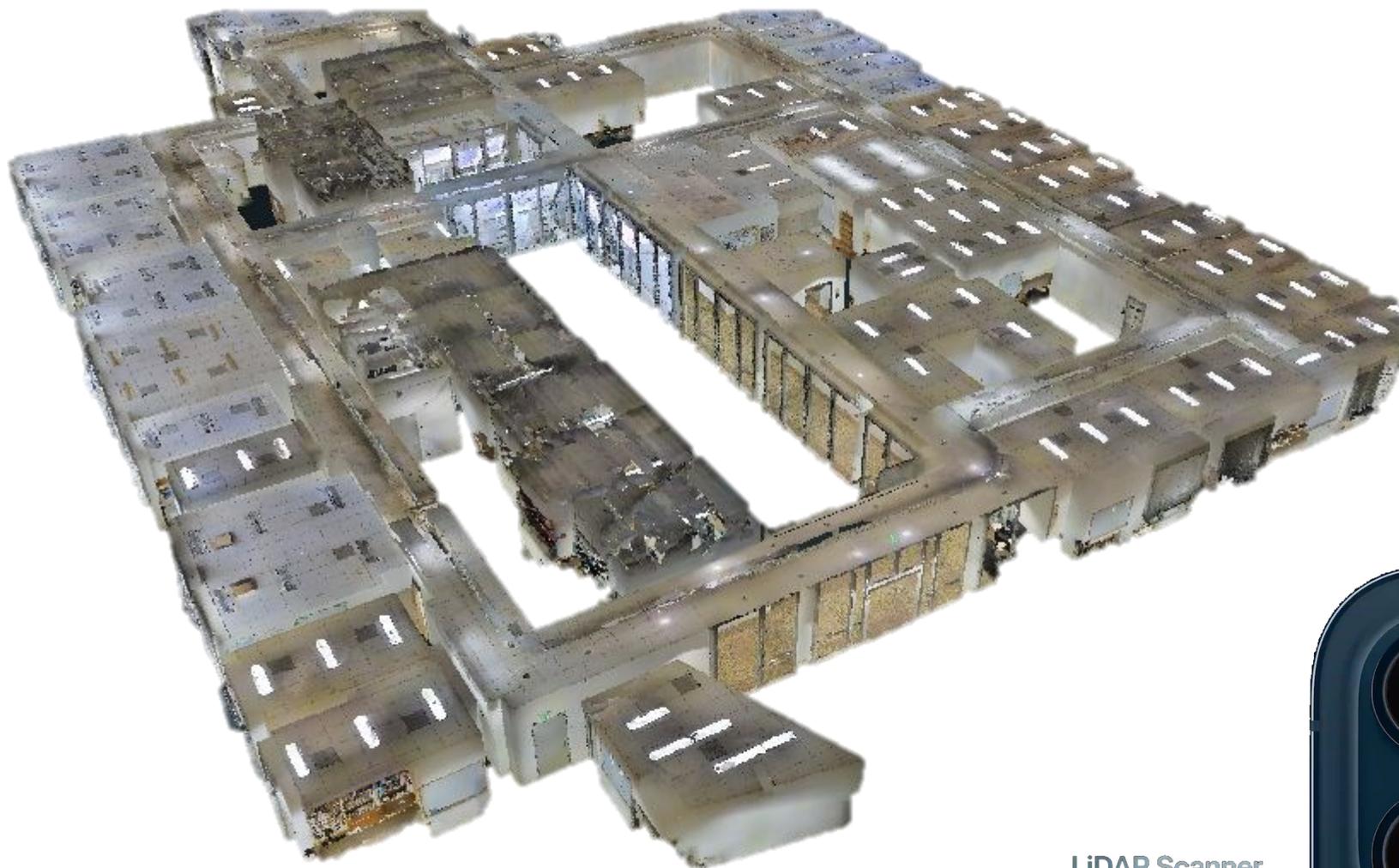
4 Segmentation

5 Classification

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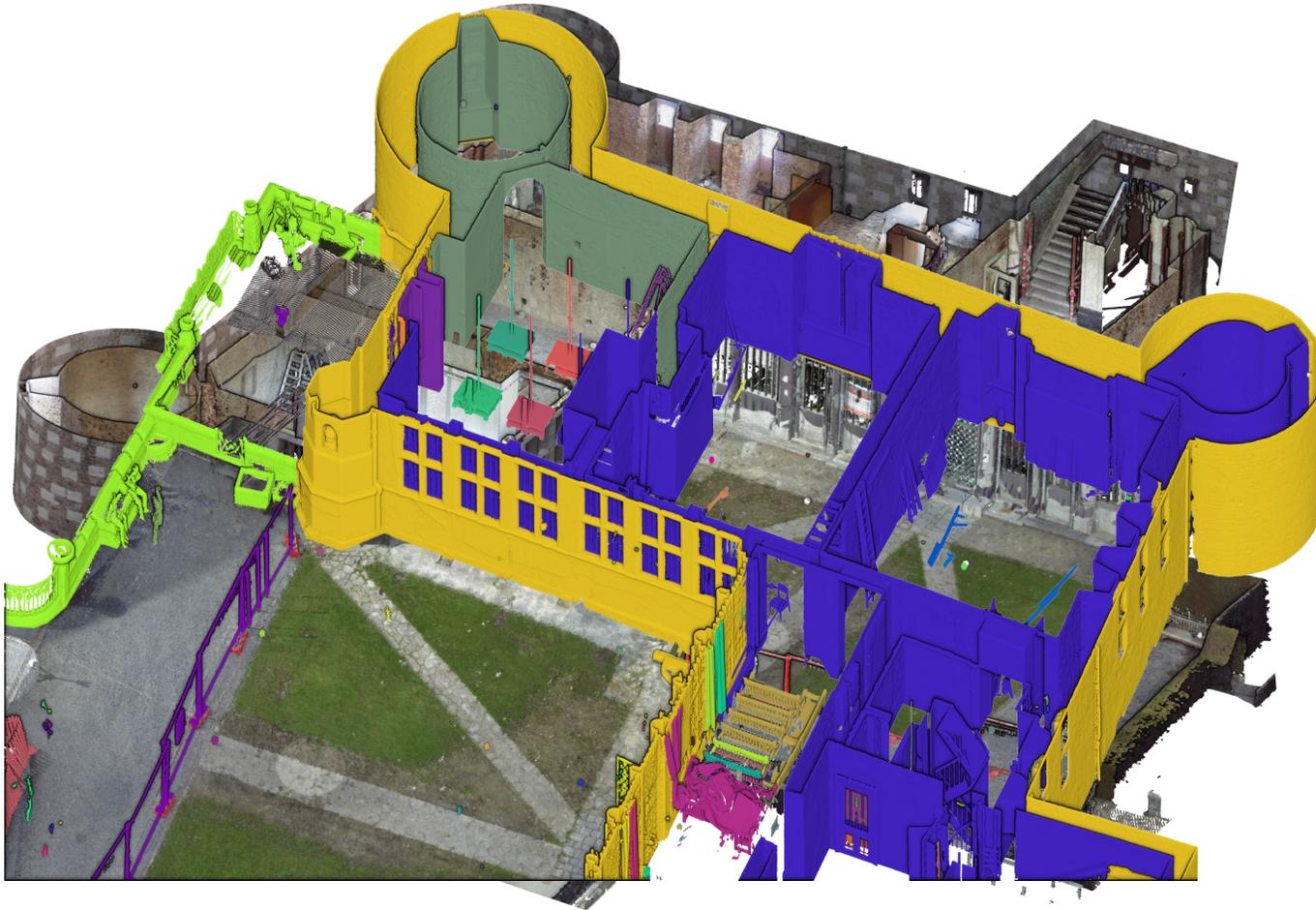
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digital  
model



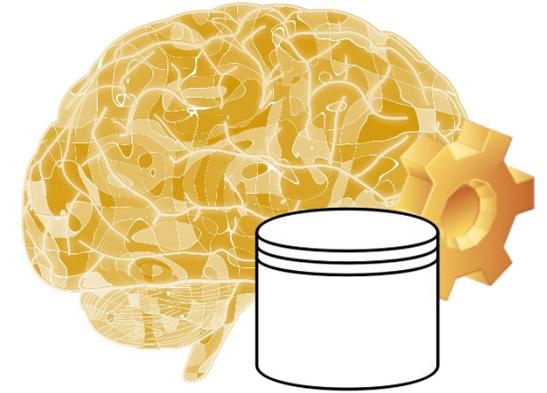
LiDAR Scanner



# Semantics & Knowledge Integration



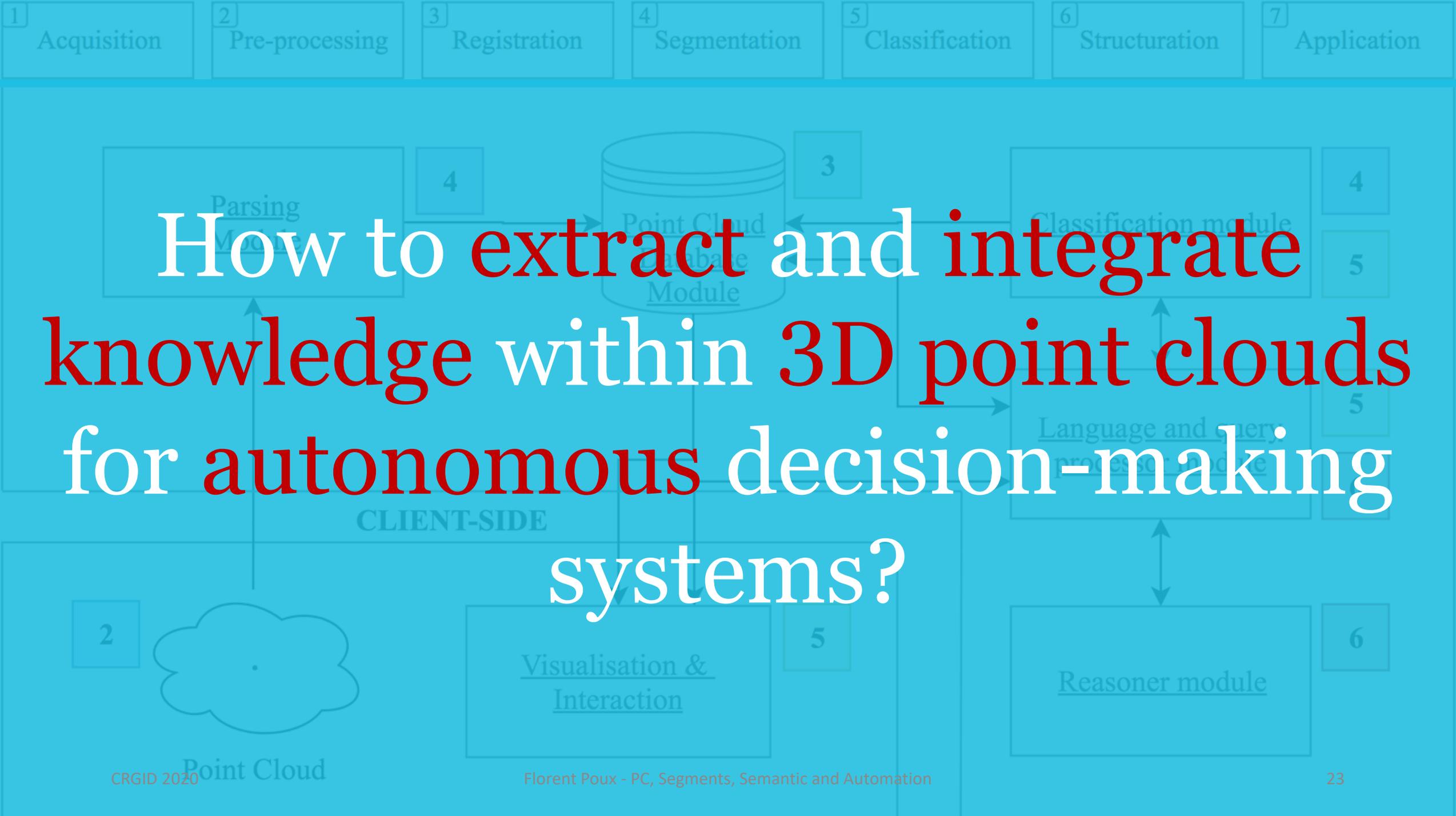
TODAY  
←→  
WHAT WE WANT



KNOWLEDGE



DELIMITATION  
EXTRACTION, ...  
SIMULATION, ...



How to extract and integrate knowledge within 3D point clouds for autonomous decision-making systems?

Acquisition

Pre-processing

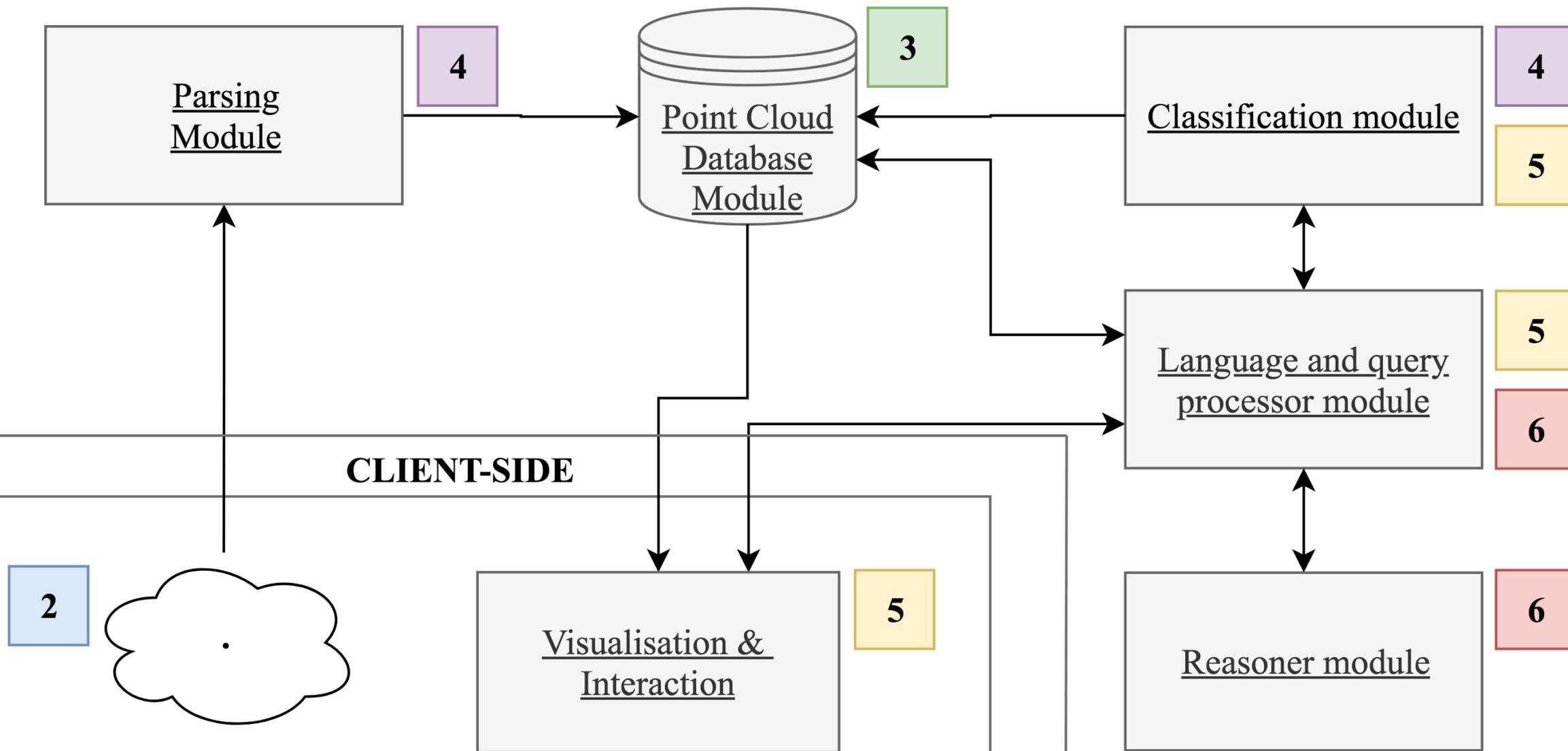
Registration

Segmentation

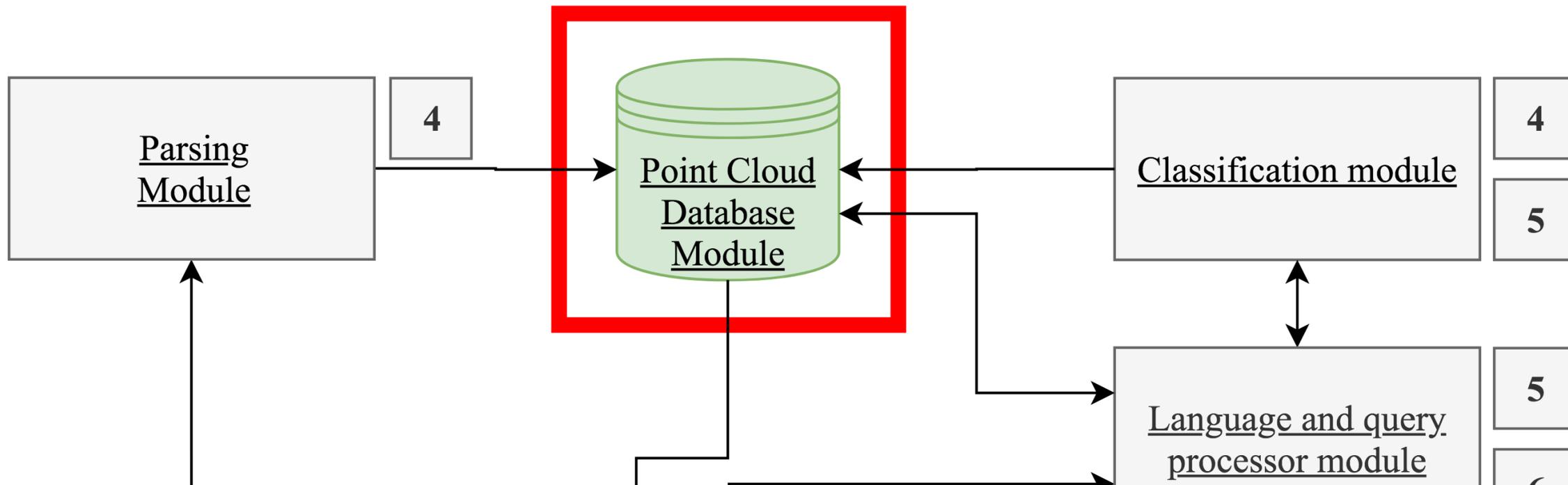
Classification

Structuration

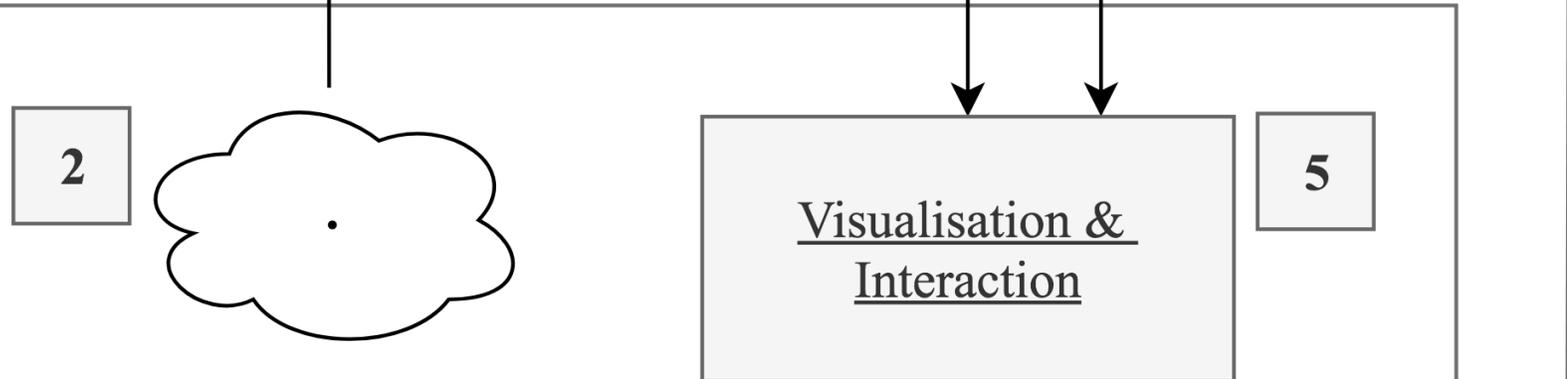
Application



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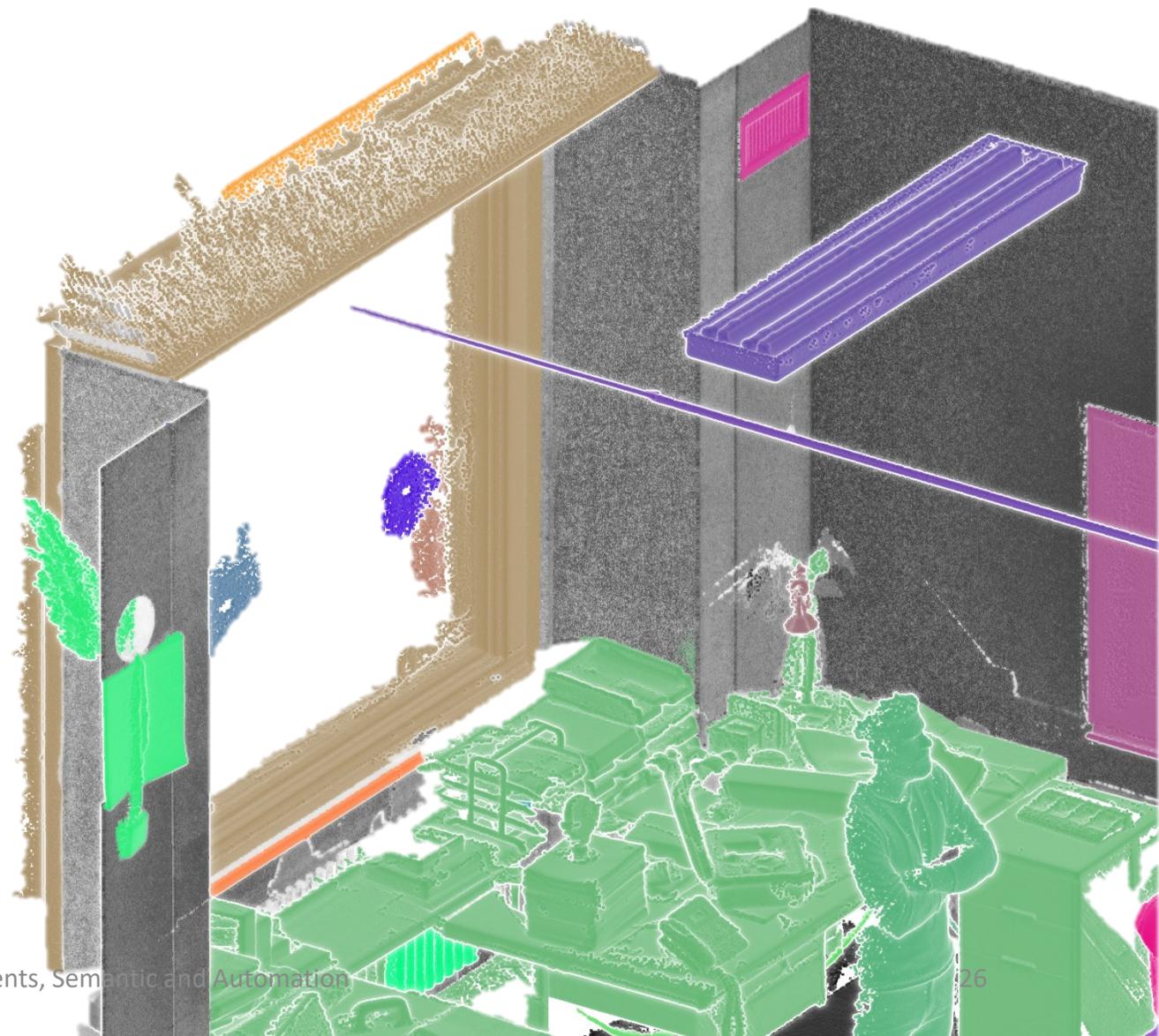
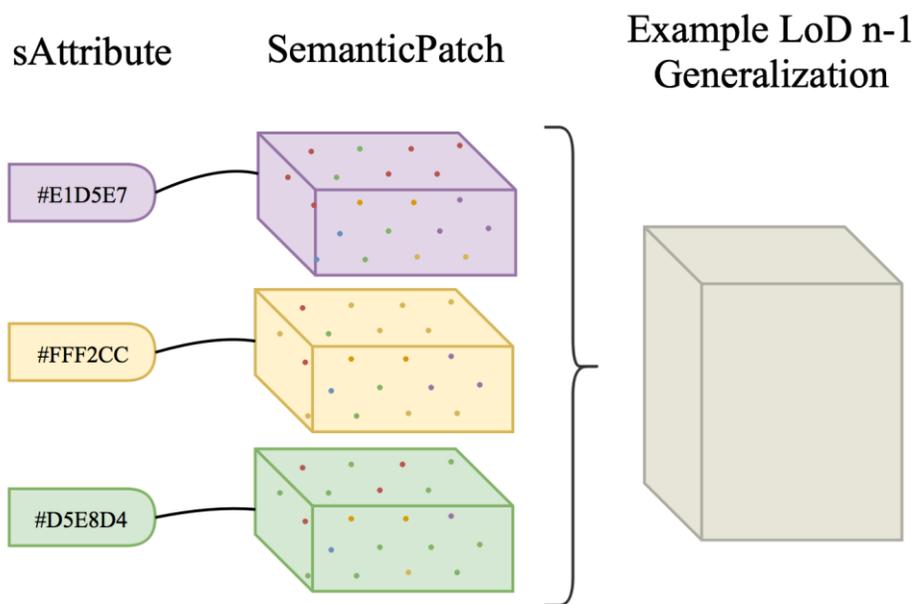


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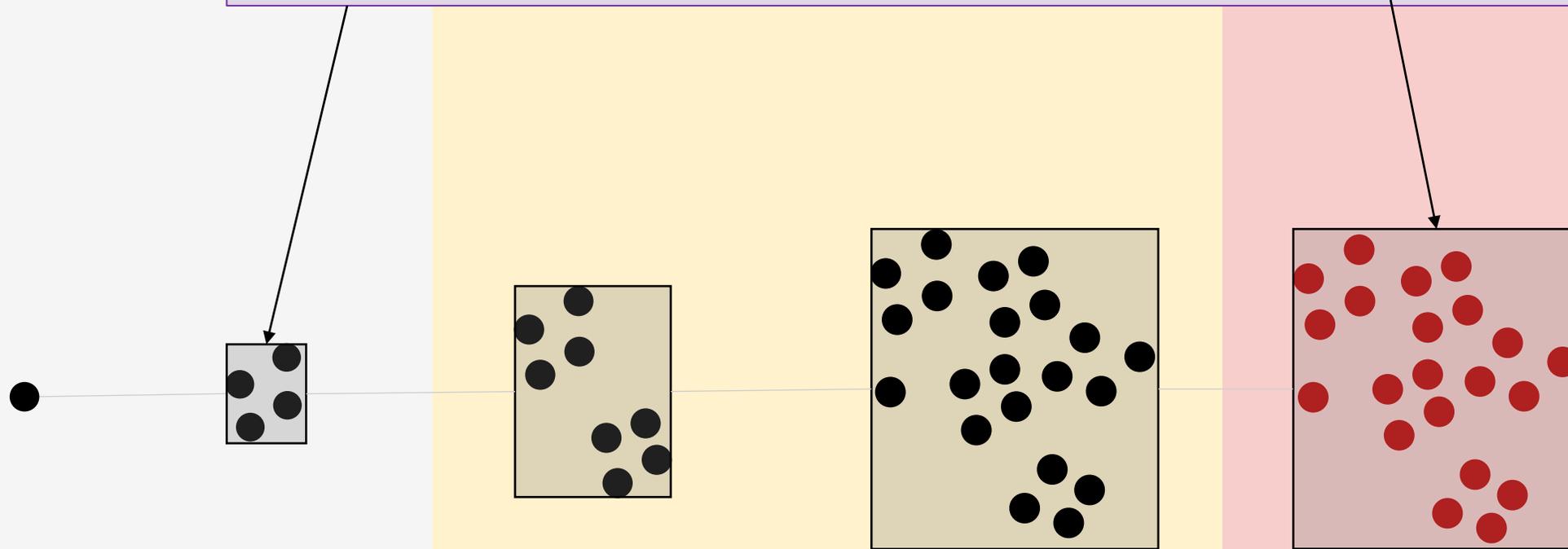


# Point Cloud Specificity

*Unstructured and too sparse for DBMS per-row insertion*



# Knowledge



Point

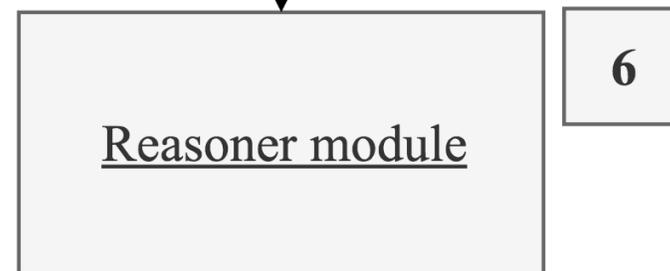
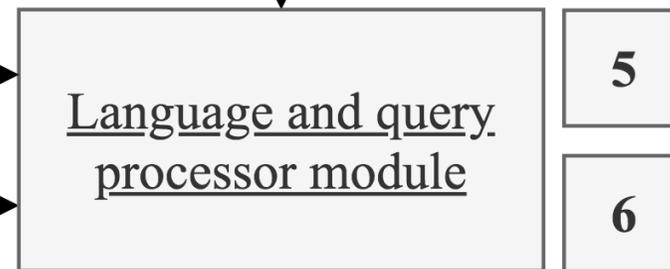
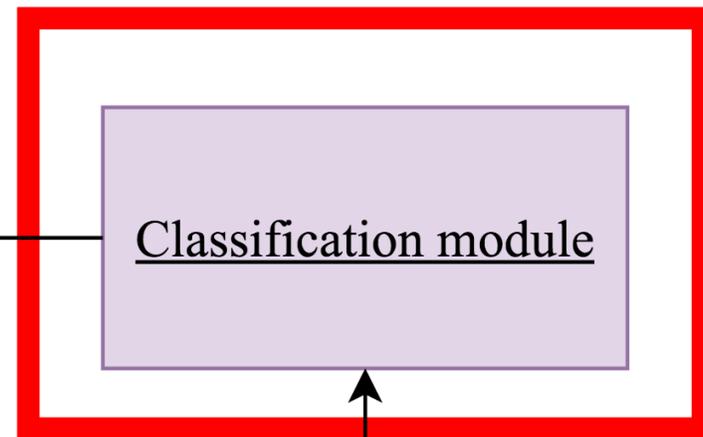
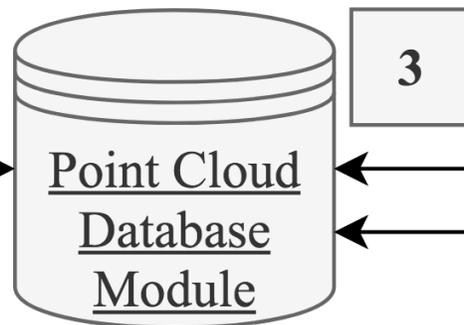
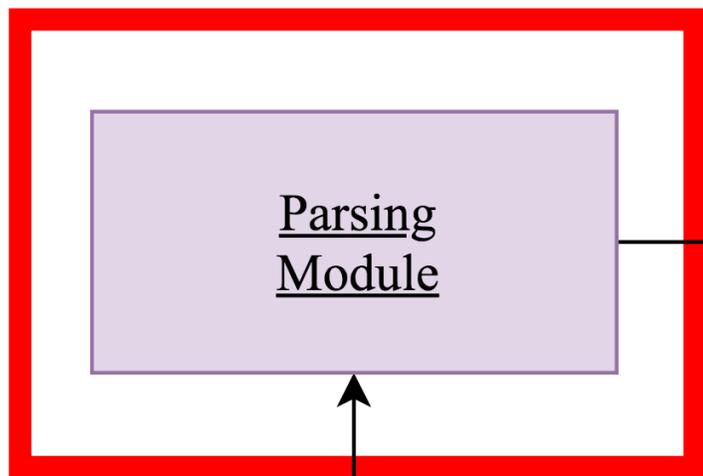
Semantic  
Patch

Connected  
Element

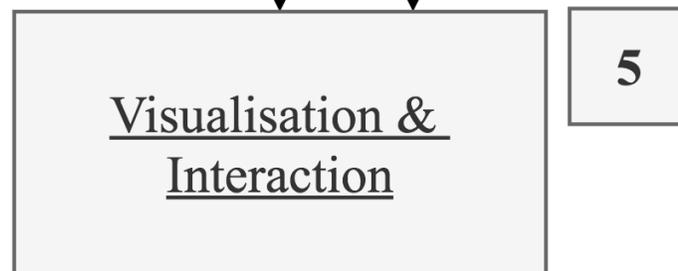
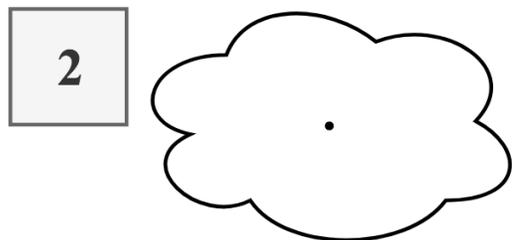
Aggregated  
Element

Class  
Instance

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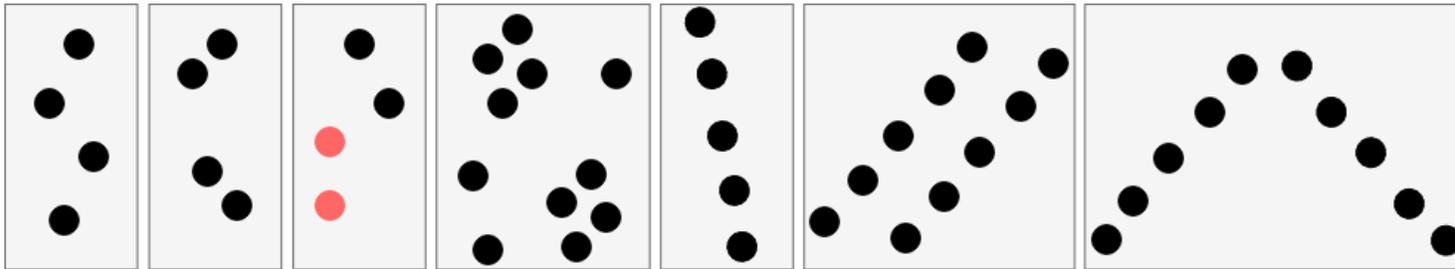
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CRGID 2010 Point Cloud

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# Gestalt's theory



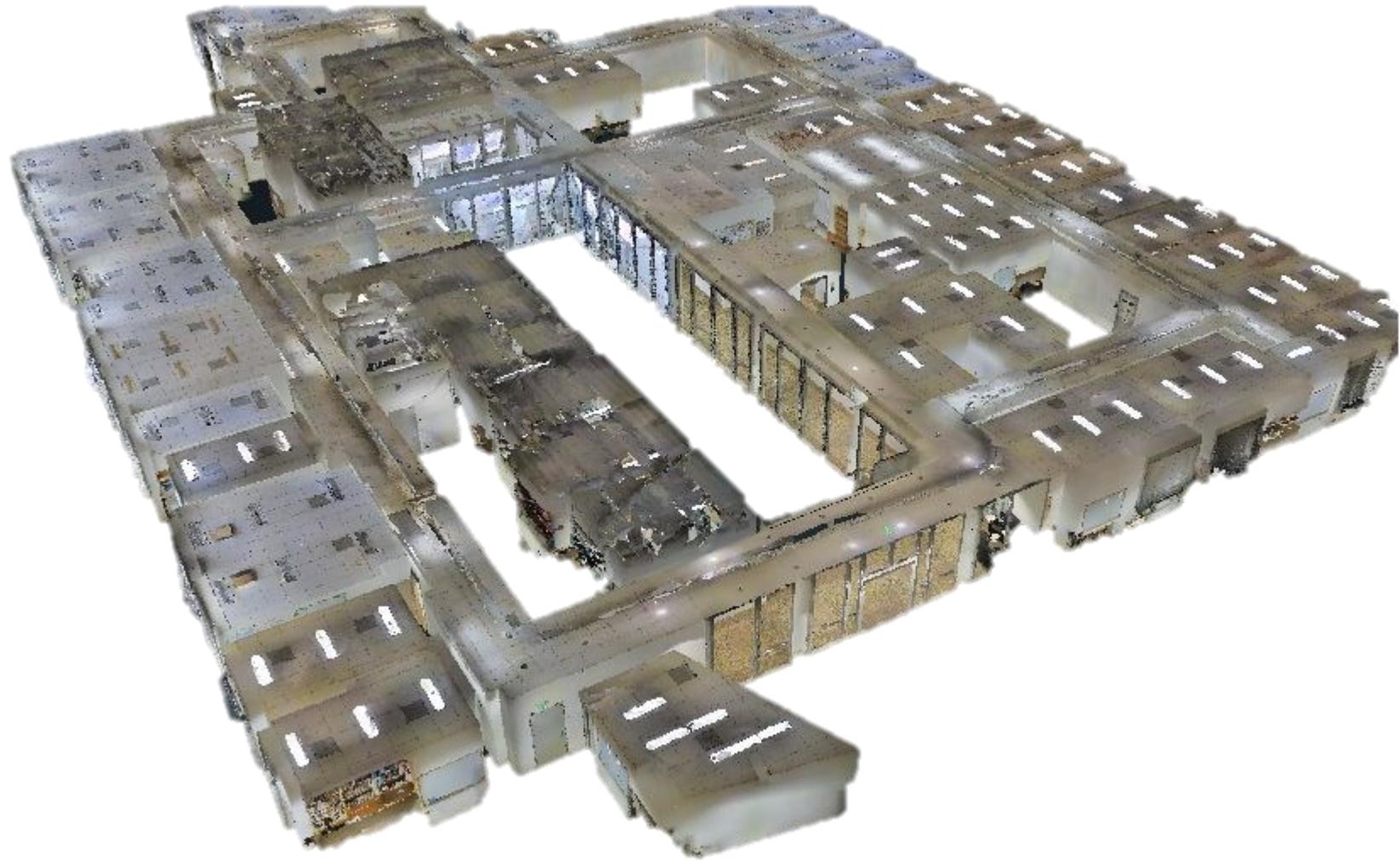
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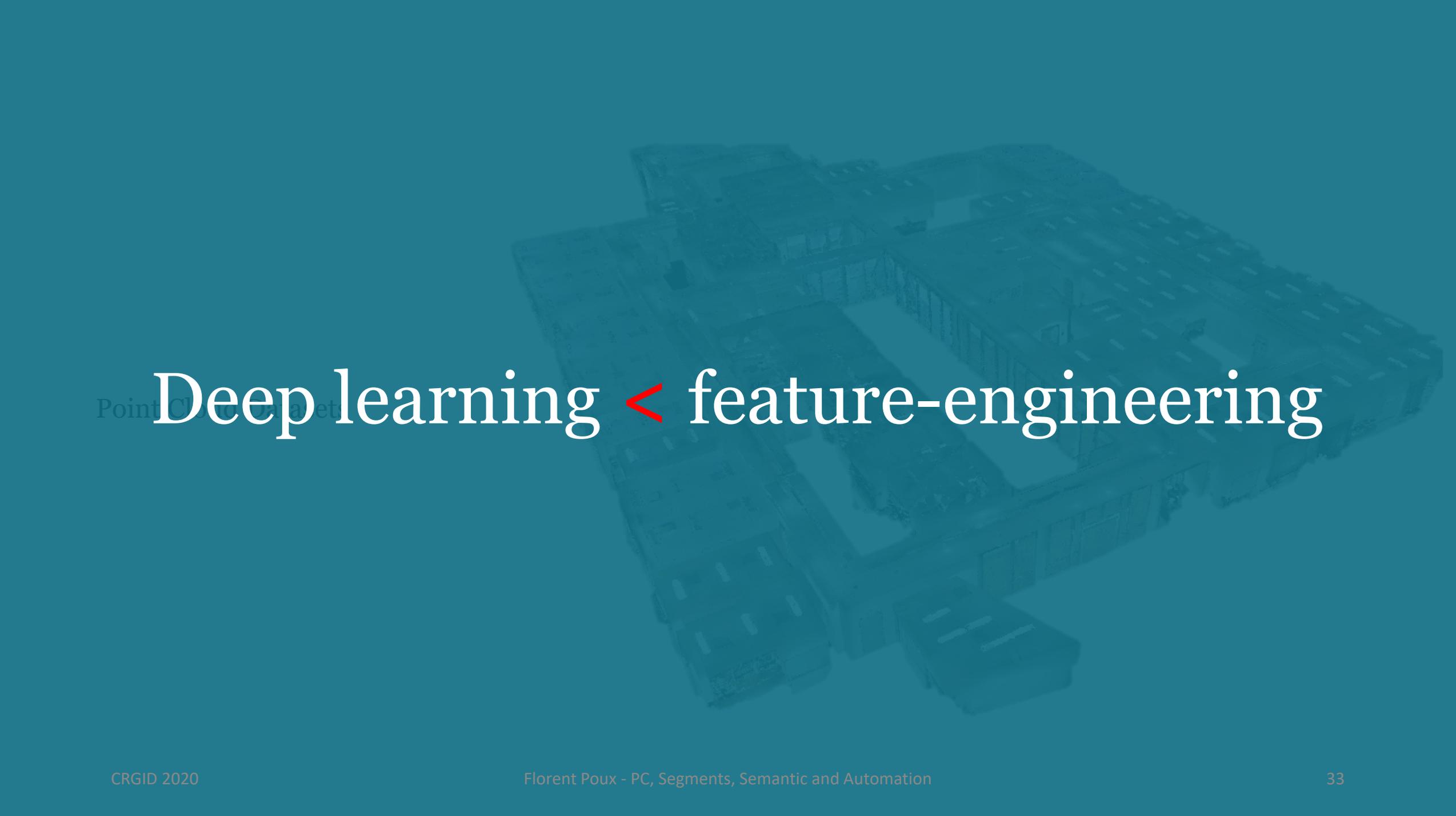


# Deep learning > feature-engineering

Visual patterns on points

## Point Cloud Datasets





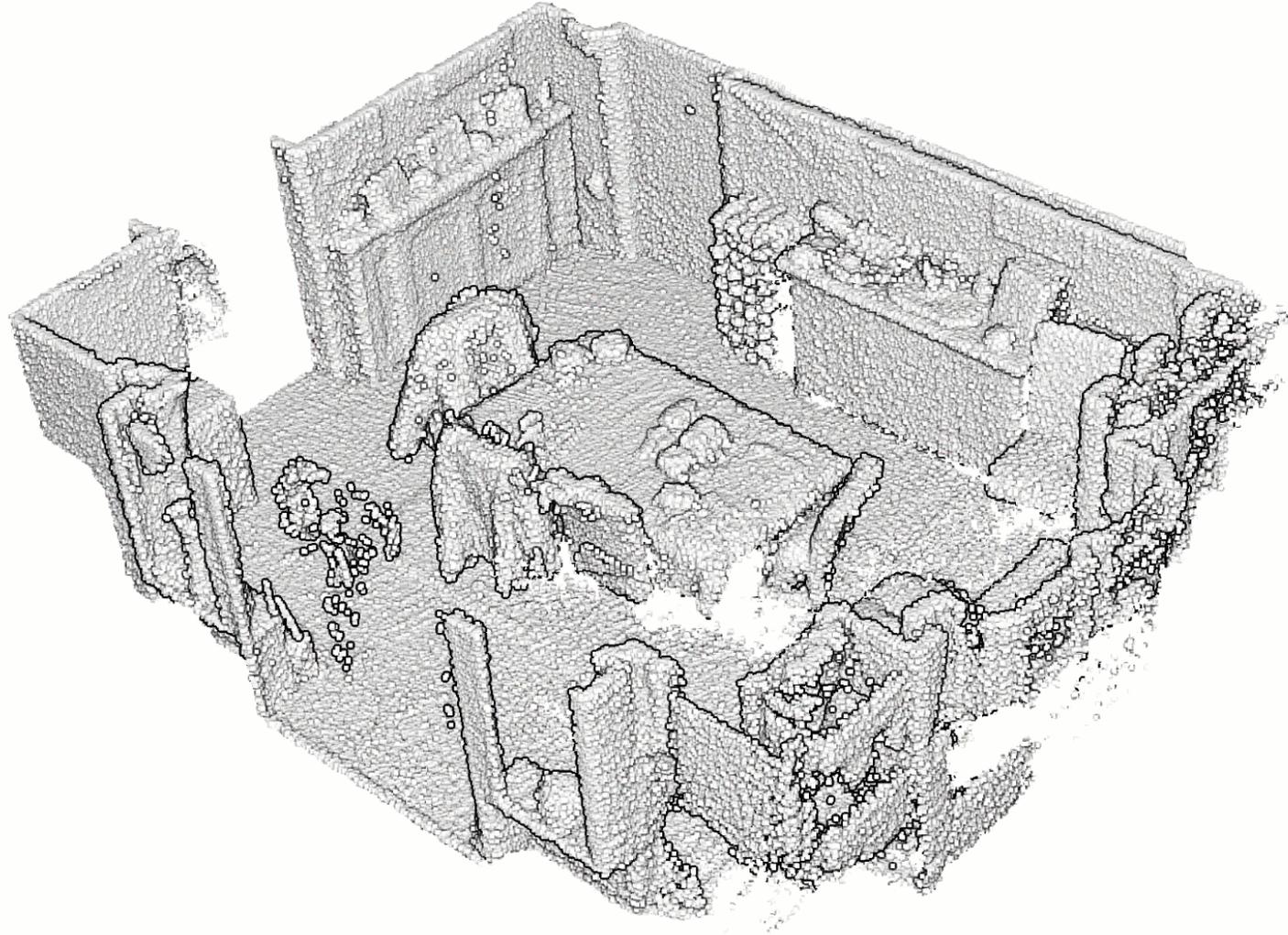
Point Cloud Dataset

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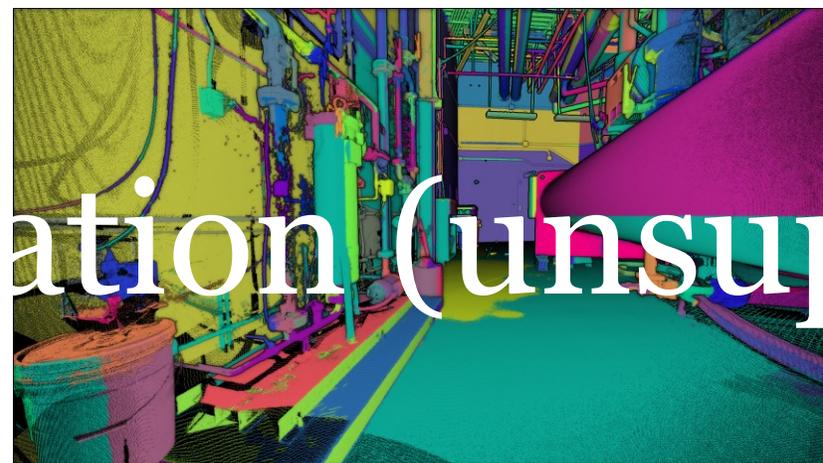
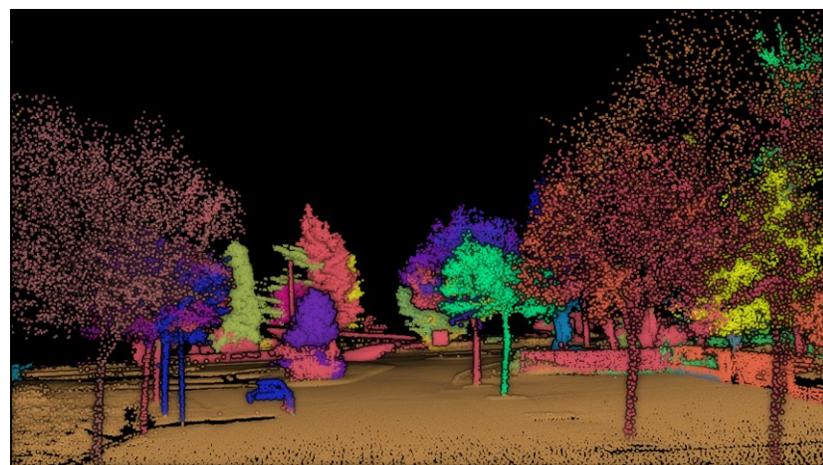
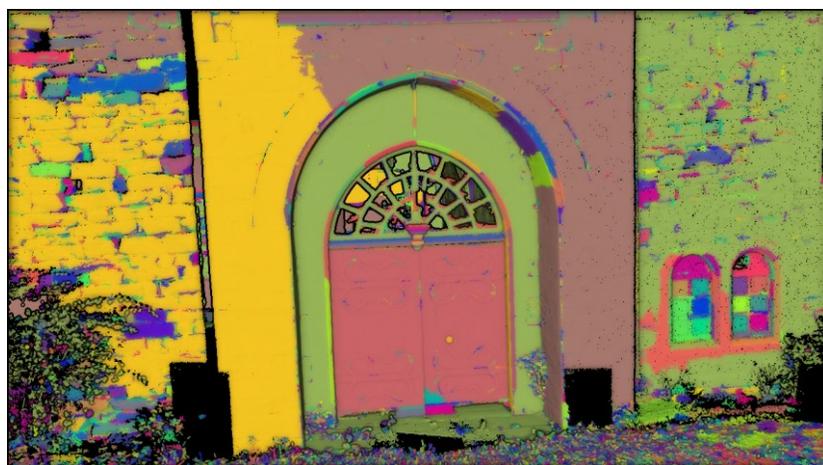
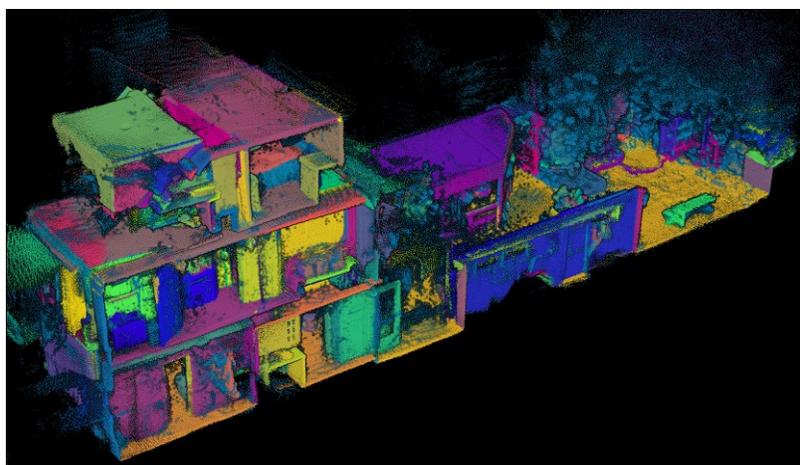
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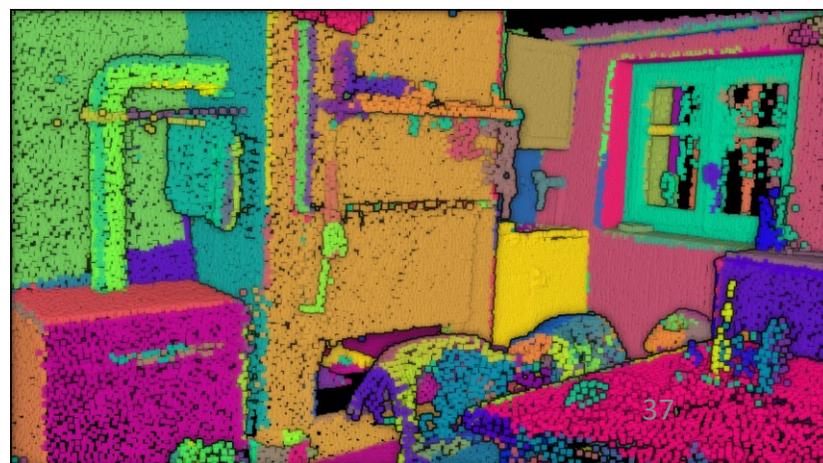
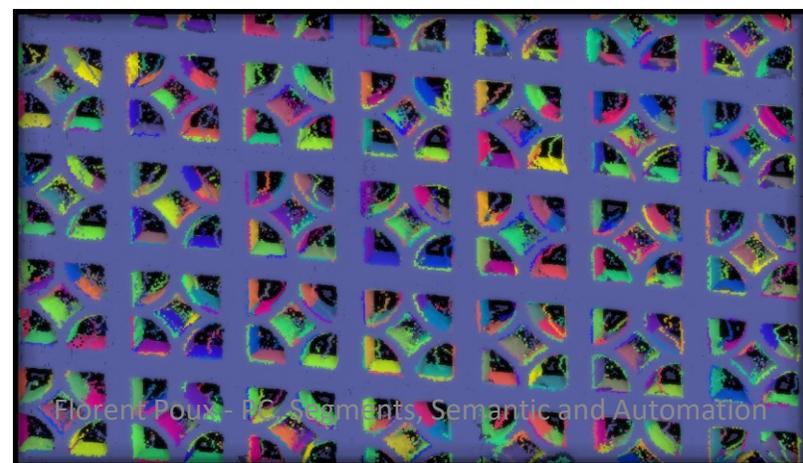
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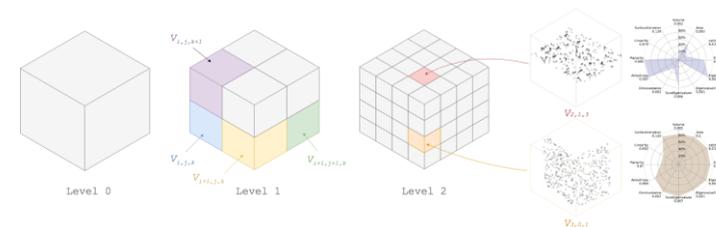
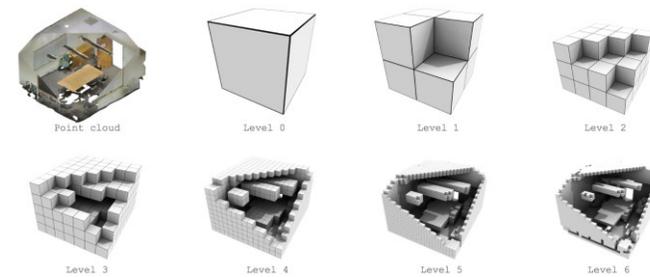
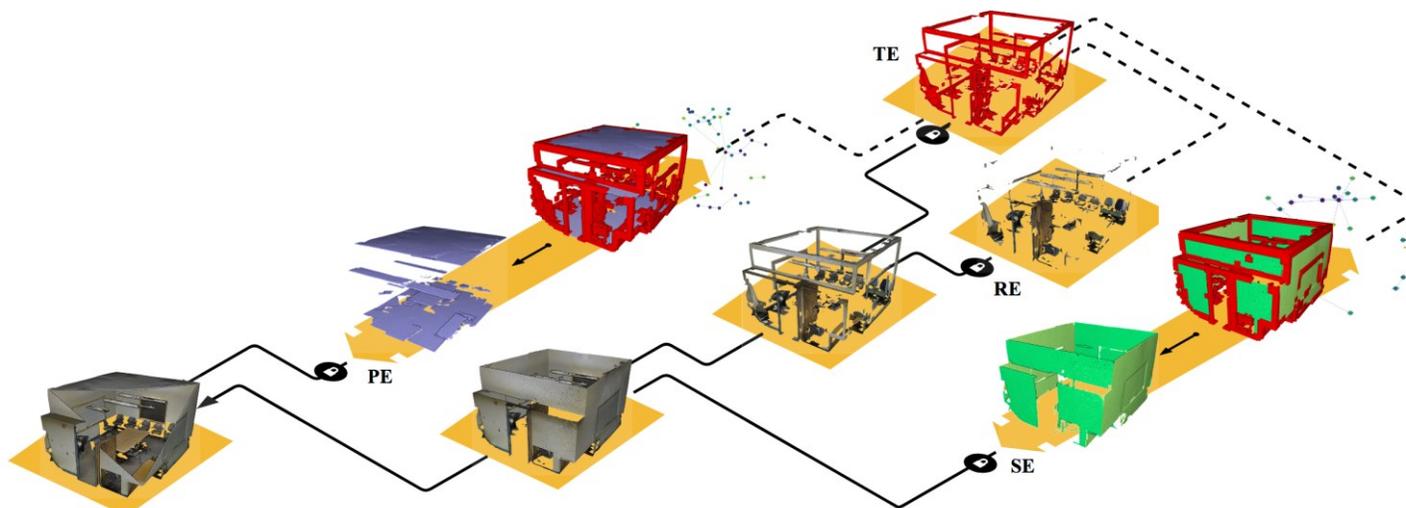




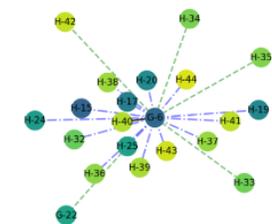
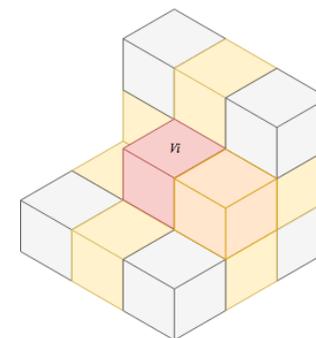
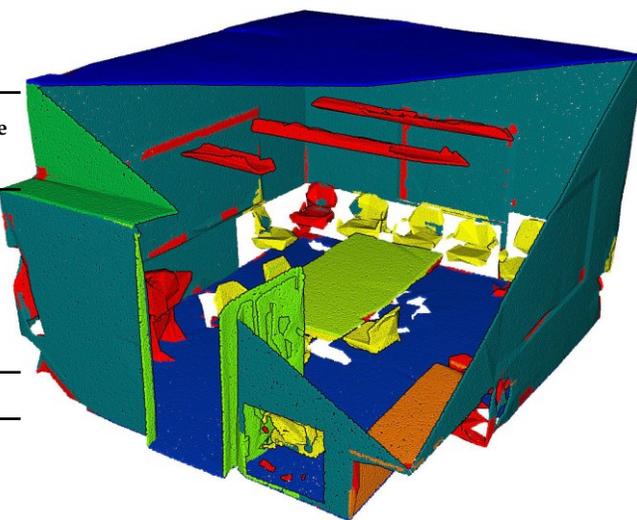


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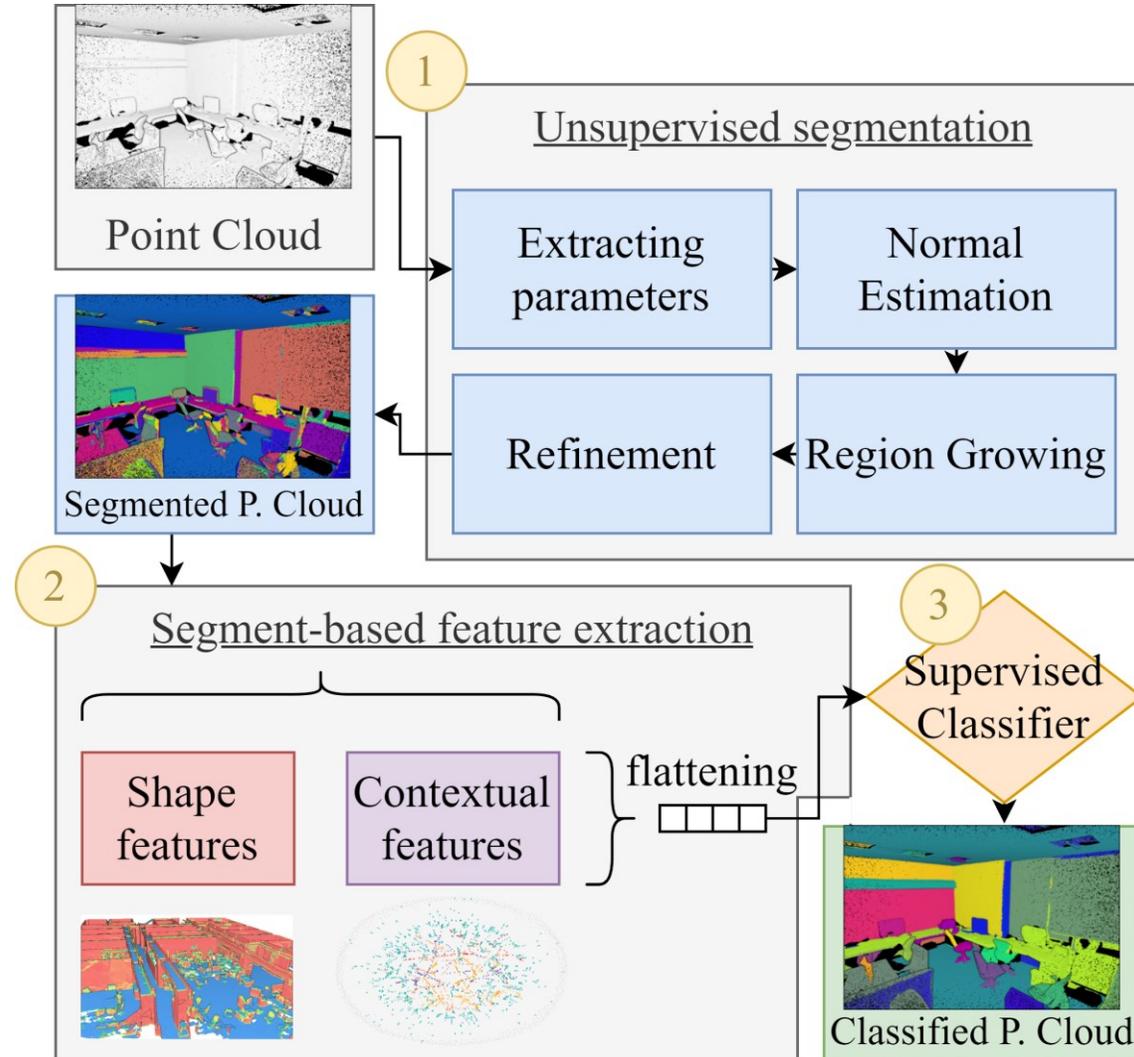




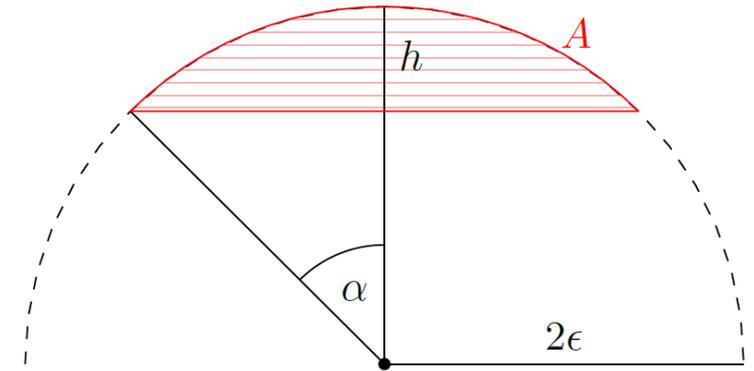
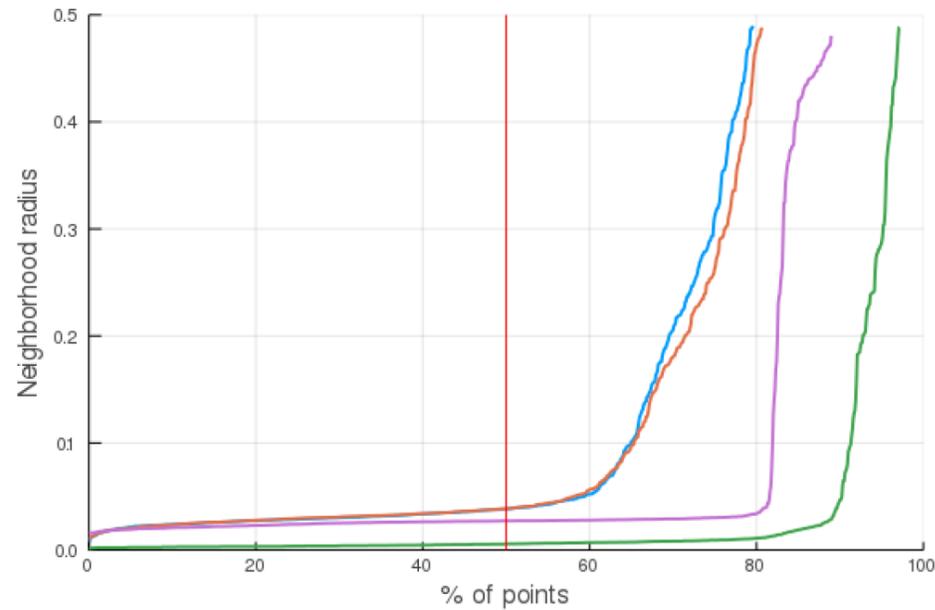
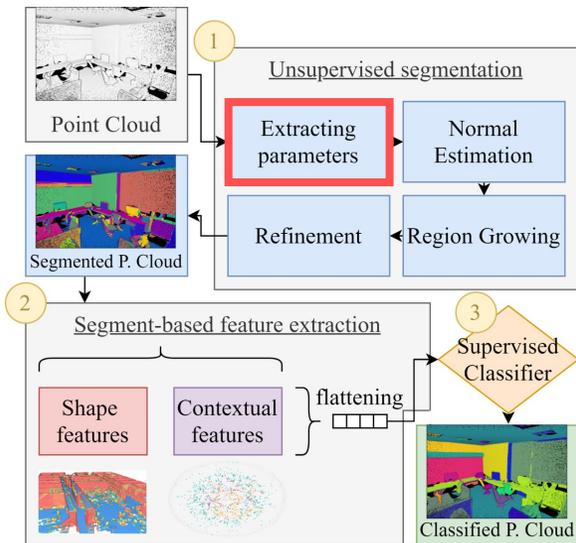
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Baseline (no colour) [16]	0.48	0.81	0.68	0.68	0.44	0.51	0.12	0.52
Baseline (full) [16]	0.72	0.89	0.73	0.67	0.54	0.46	0.16	0.55
Ours	<b>0.94</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>0.79</b>	0.53	0.19	<b>0.88</b>	<b>0.72</b>	0.2



# Methodology

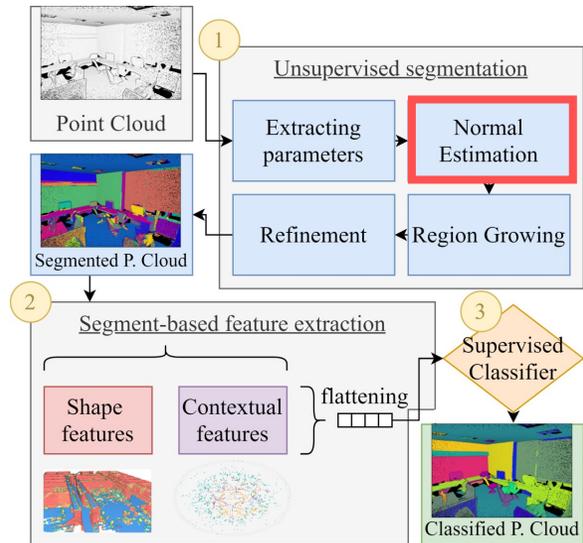
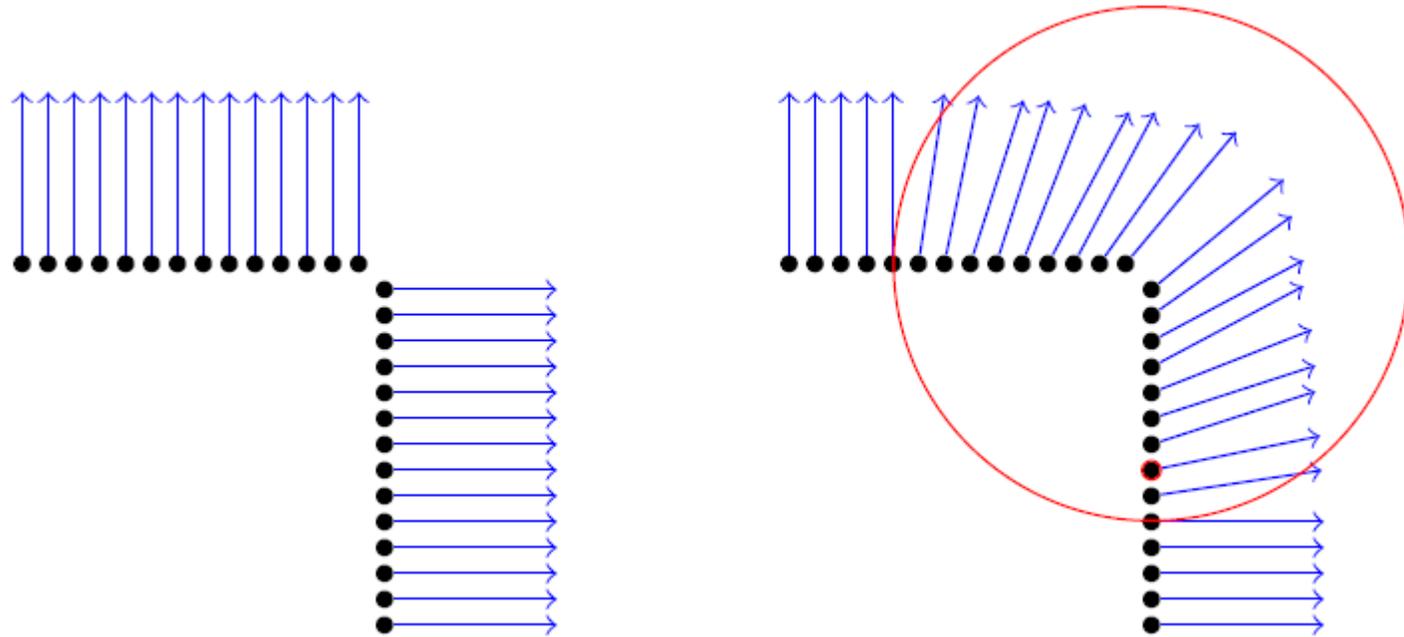


# Data analysis

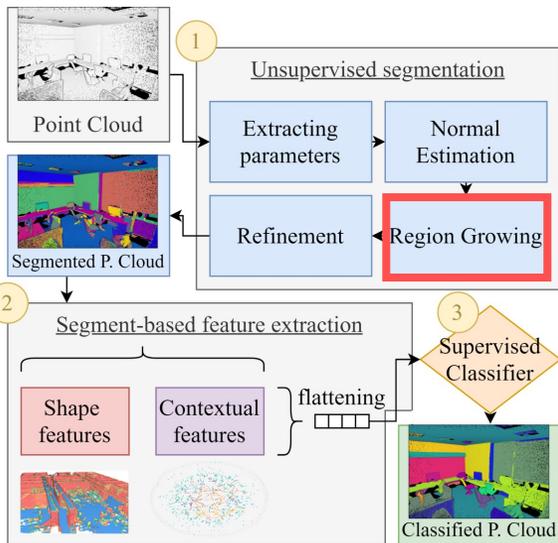
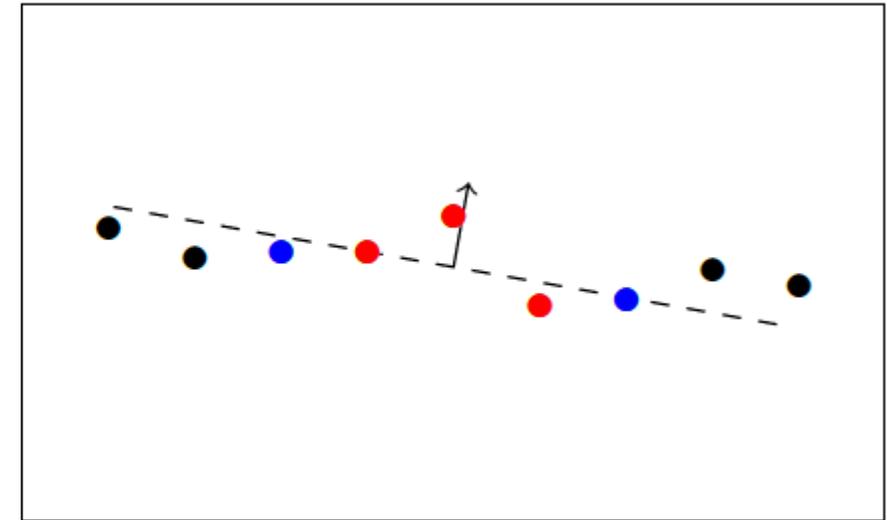
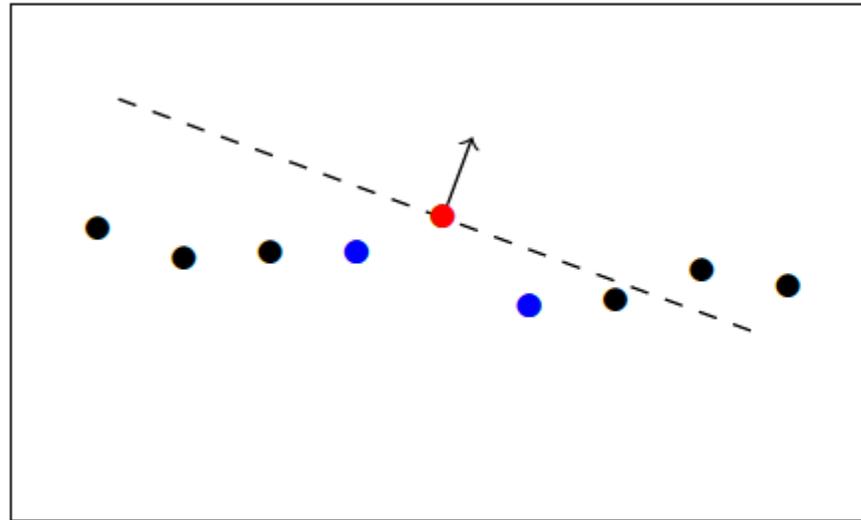


$\epsilon$	$t$	$1 - n \cdot \bar{n}_0$
0.005	1.19s	0.81
0.01	2.24s	0.40
0.02	2.32s	$1.5 * 10^{-2}$
0.03	2.65s	$1.7 * 10^{-3}$
0.05	3.38s	$1.88 * 10^{-4}$
0.1	5.48s	$1.12 * 10^{-5}$

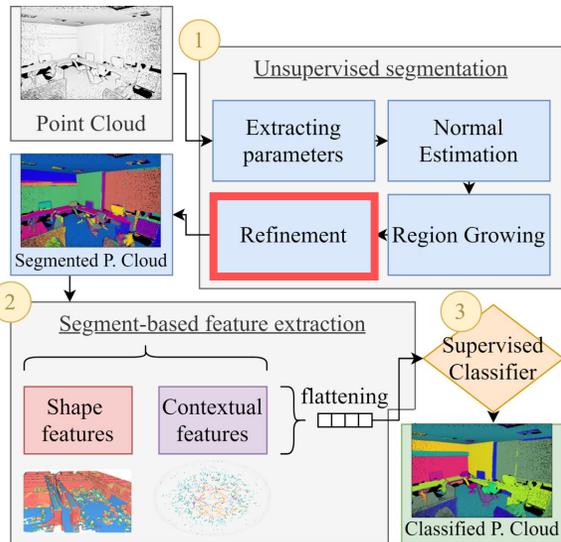
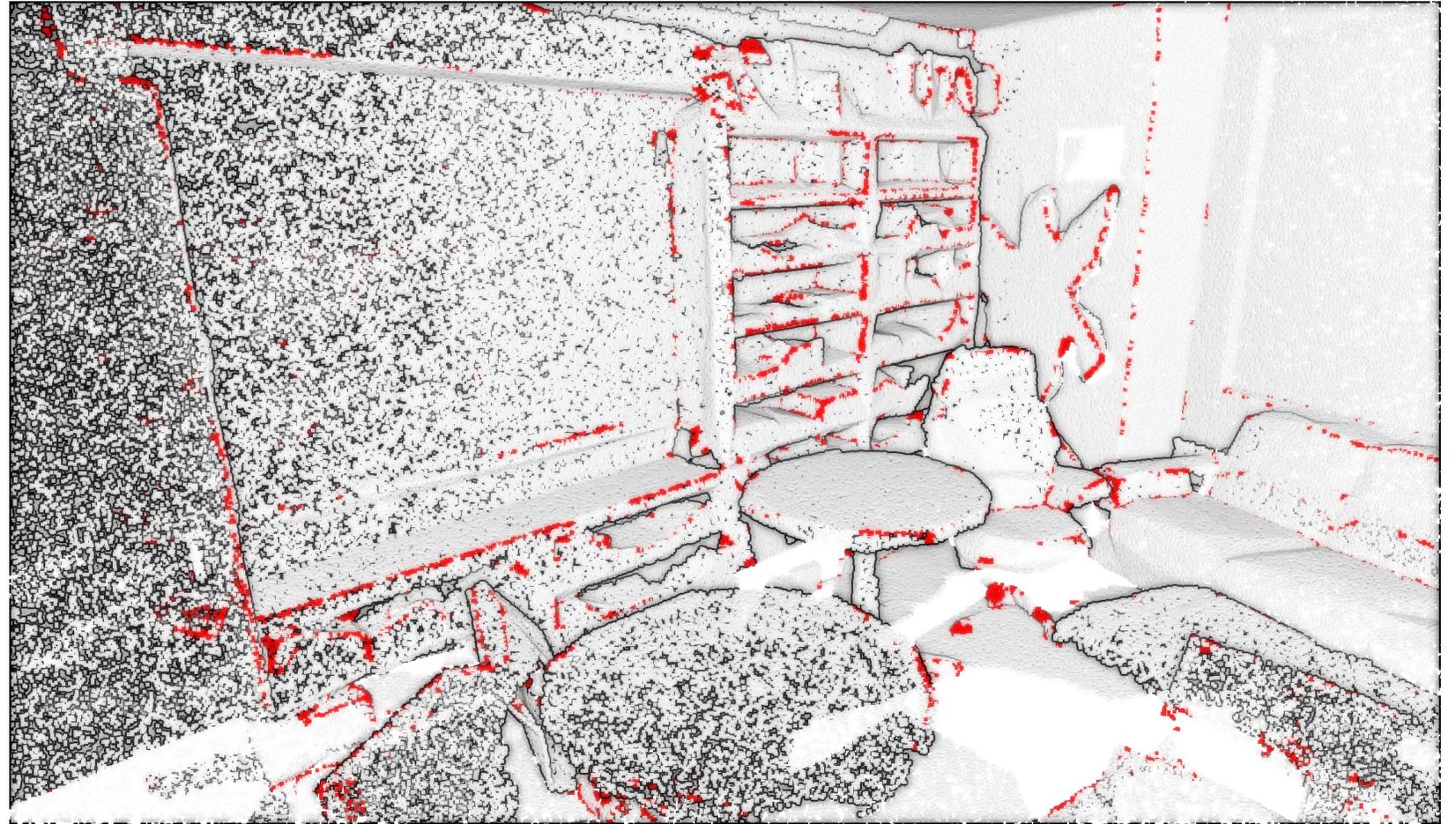
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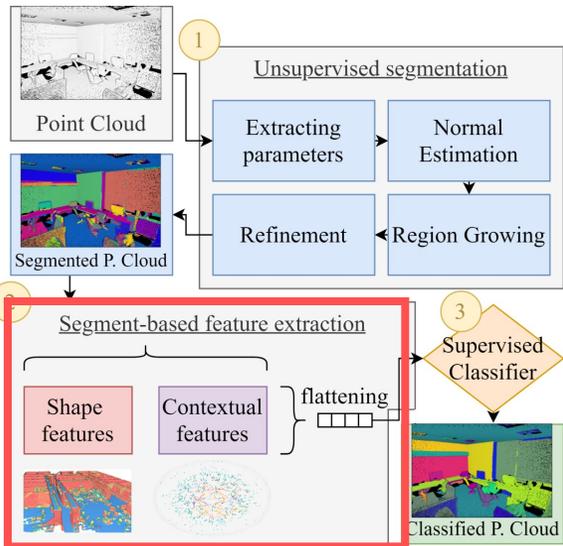
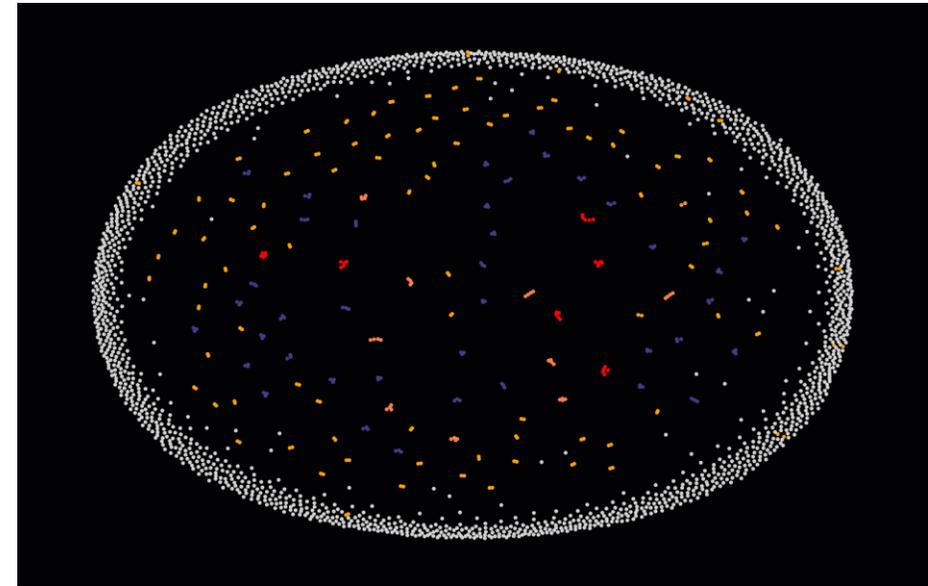
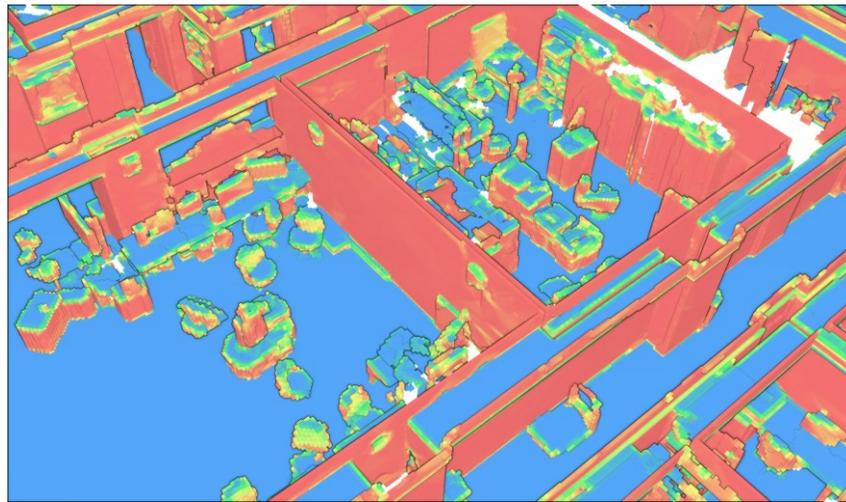
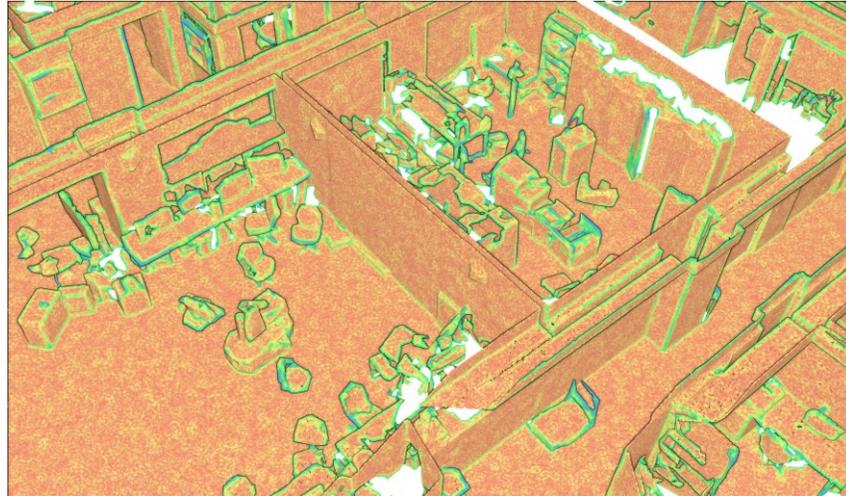
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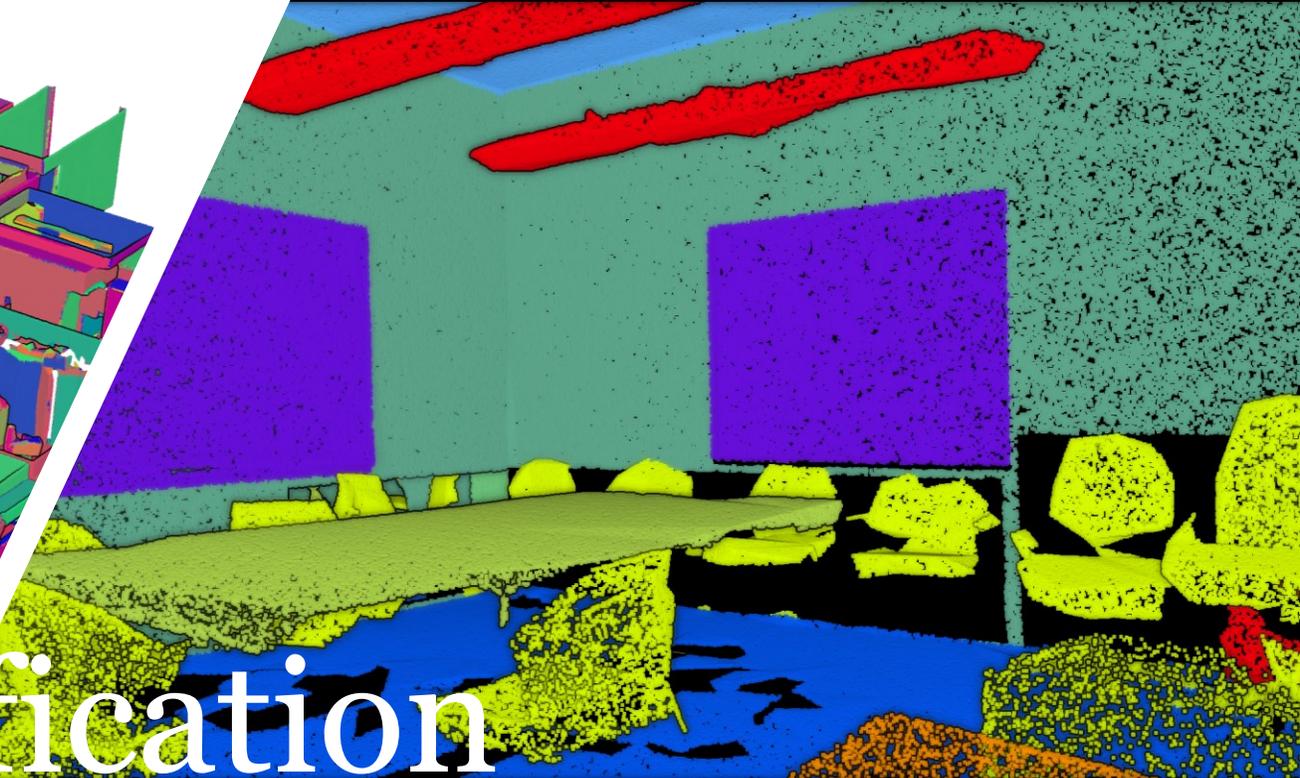
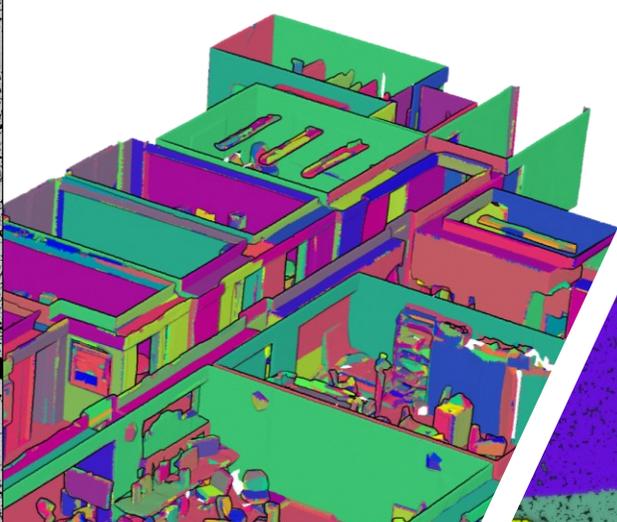
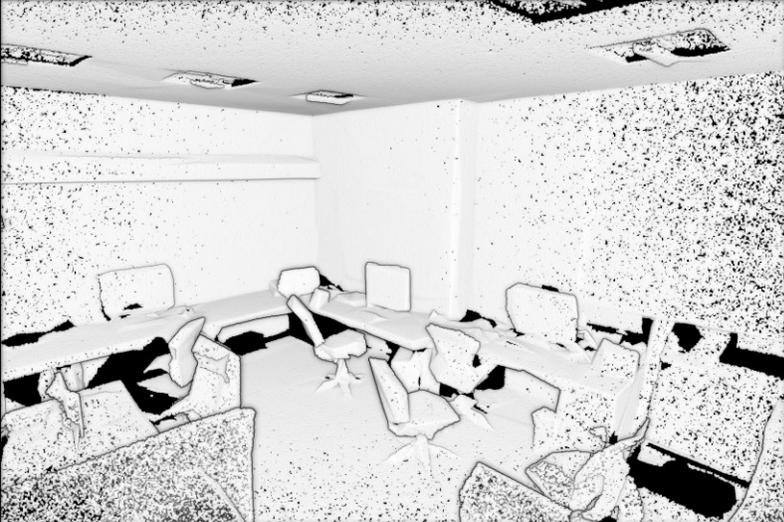


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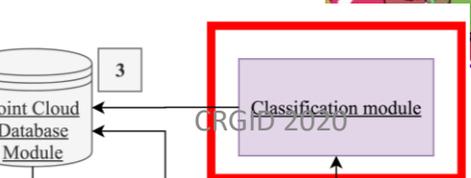
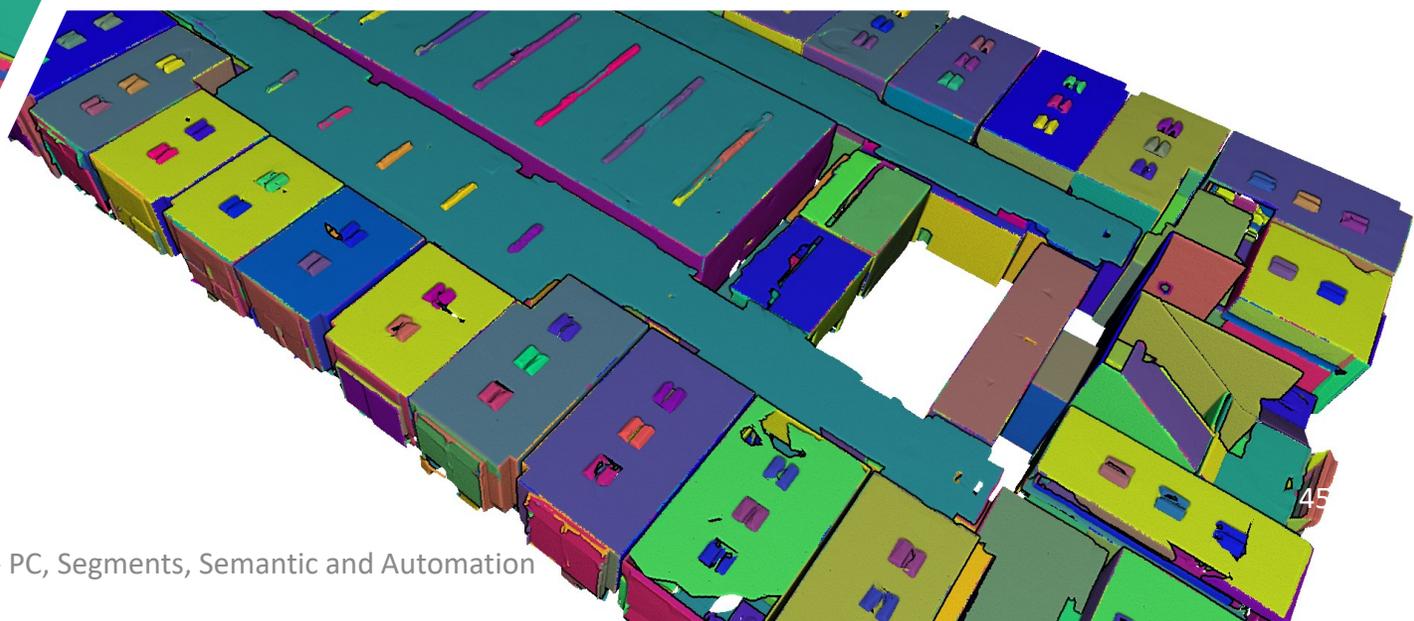
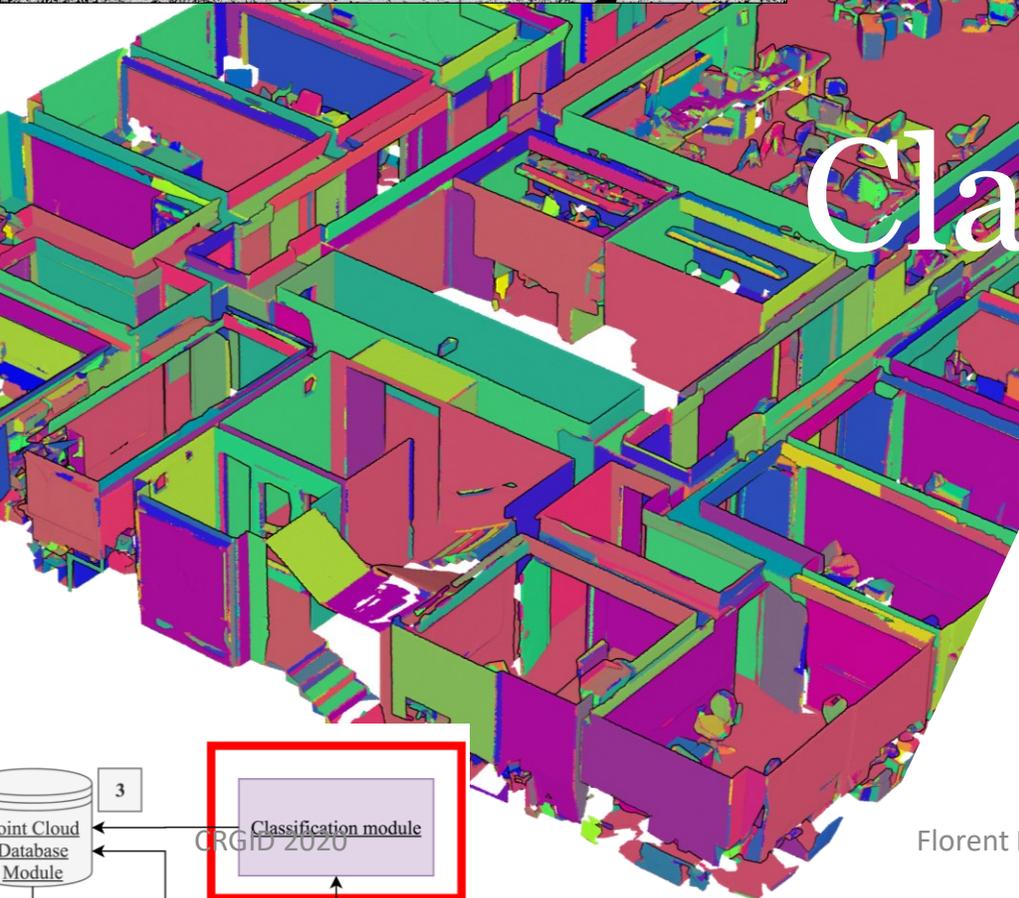


# Segment-based feature extraction





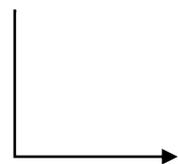
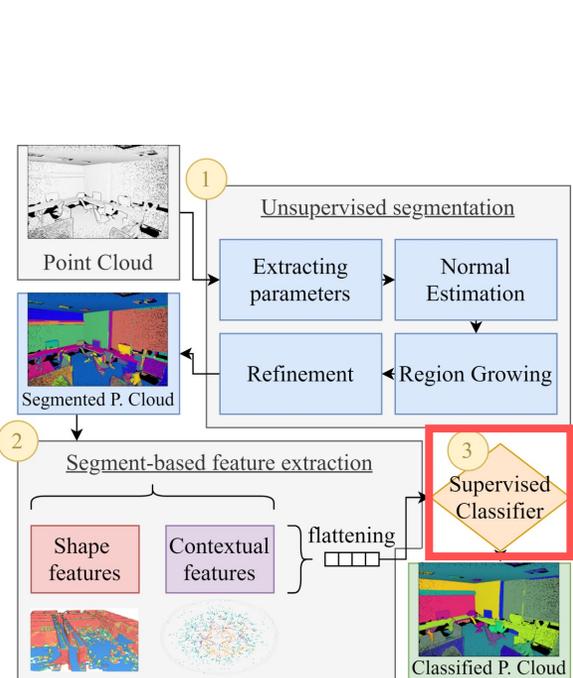
# Classification



# Supervised classification

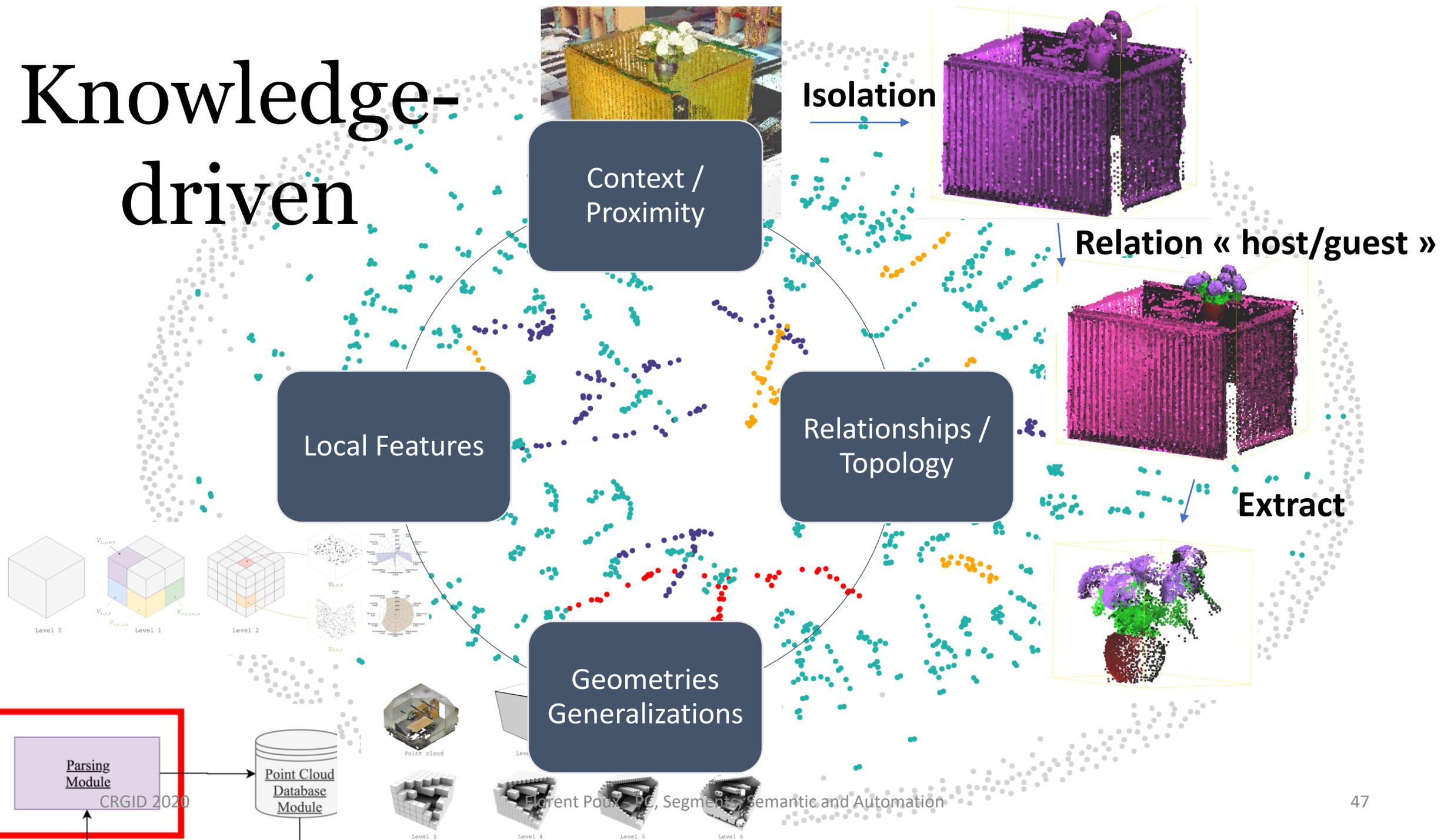
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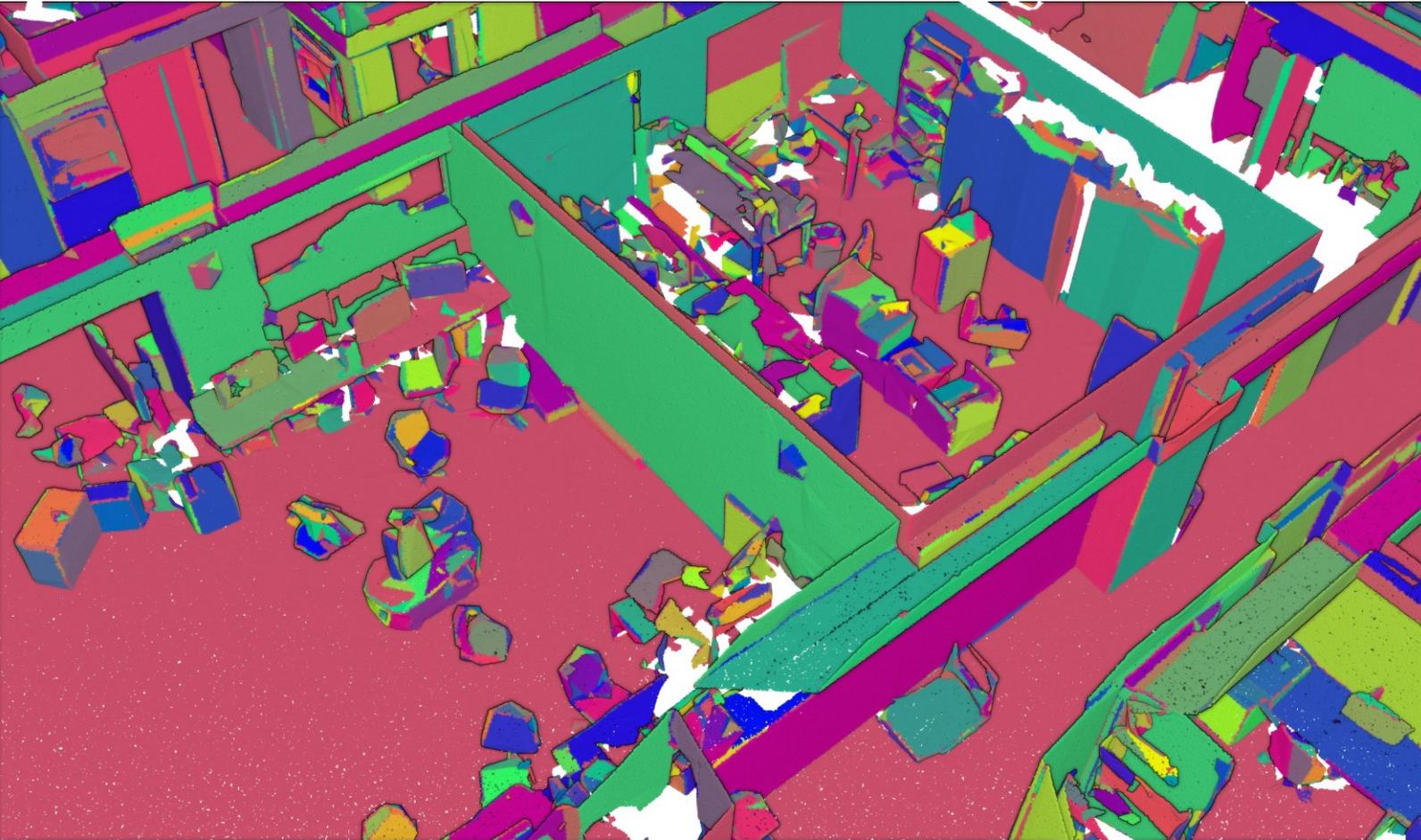


Model = Random Forests  
 Hyperparameters = standard (no fine-tuning)  
 Training = 1 Area  
 Testing = the other 5 areas

# Knowledge-driven

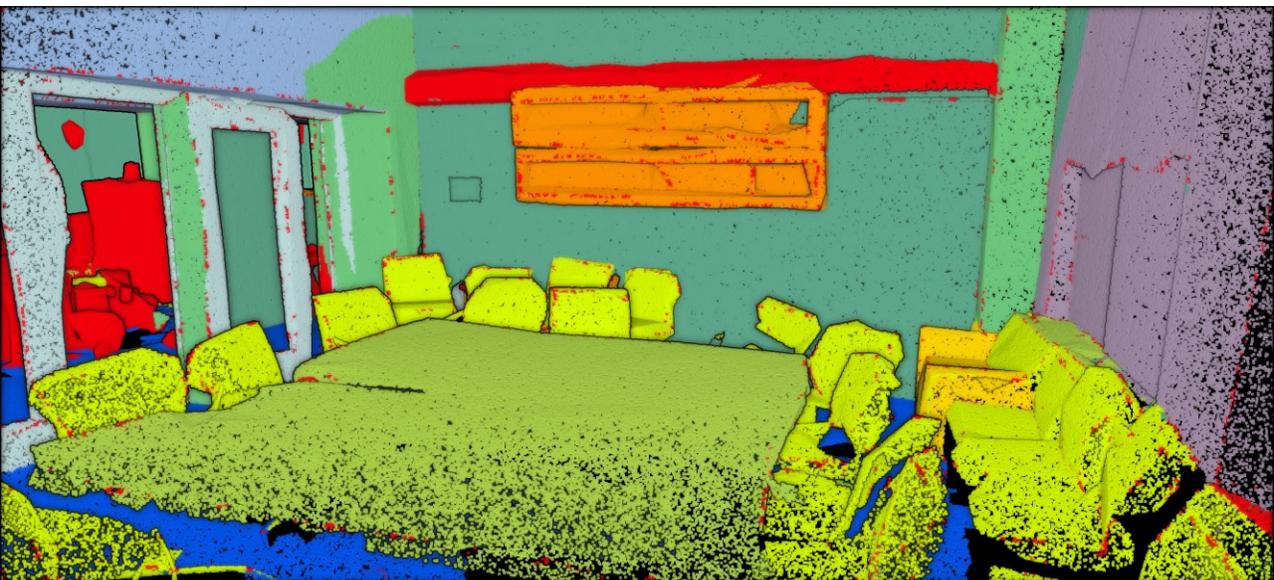


# Segmentation results

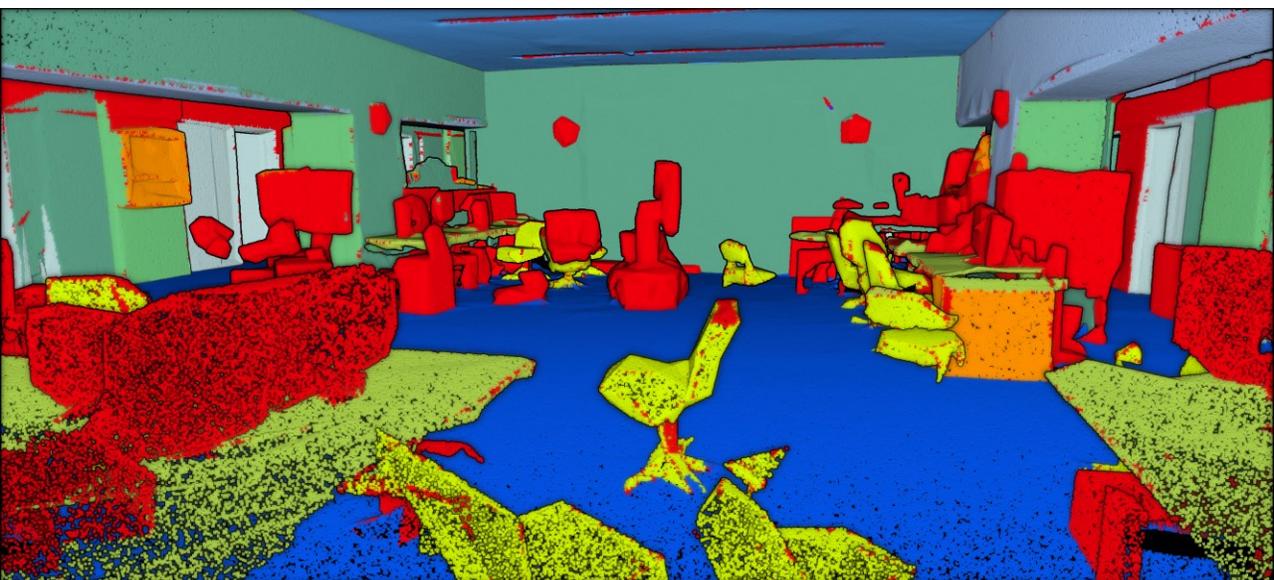


Data set	Over Seg.			Under Seg.		Sharpness
	Median	75%	Max	99%	Max	
1	11	17	3883	1	9	89.92%
2	12	20	644	1	13	90.34%
3	11	21	427	1	9	91.25%
4	9	19	896	1	15	89.86%
5	10	18	1525	1	21	86.10%
6	11	18	794	1	9	90.61%

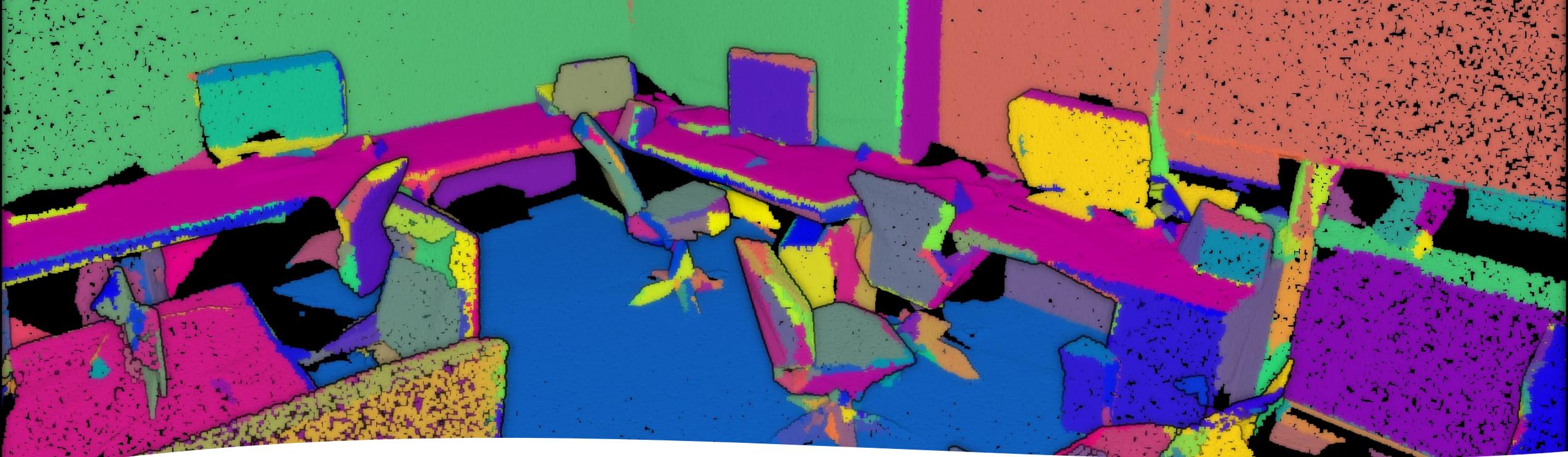
# Classification results



Areas	Ceil.	Floor	Wall	Win.	Door	Table	Chair	Board	Clutter
	0	1	2	5	6	7	8	11	13
A-1	98.8	98.4	86.8	80.0	73.8	84.6	83.9	33.1	83.1
A-2	97.0	89.2	89.0	97.6	67.9	87.6	97.2	33.4	67.2
A-3	98.5	99.3	87.0	72.8	79.0	88.5	93.1	30.4	78.0
A-4	95.3	98.8	89.4	82.5	79.5	86.6	89.9	16.3	71.5
A-5	97.6	99.0	89.4	69.0	83.7	85.9	81.3	4.1	71.7
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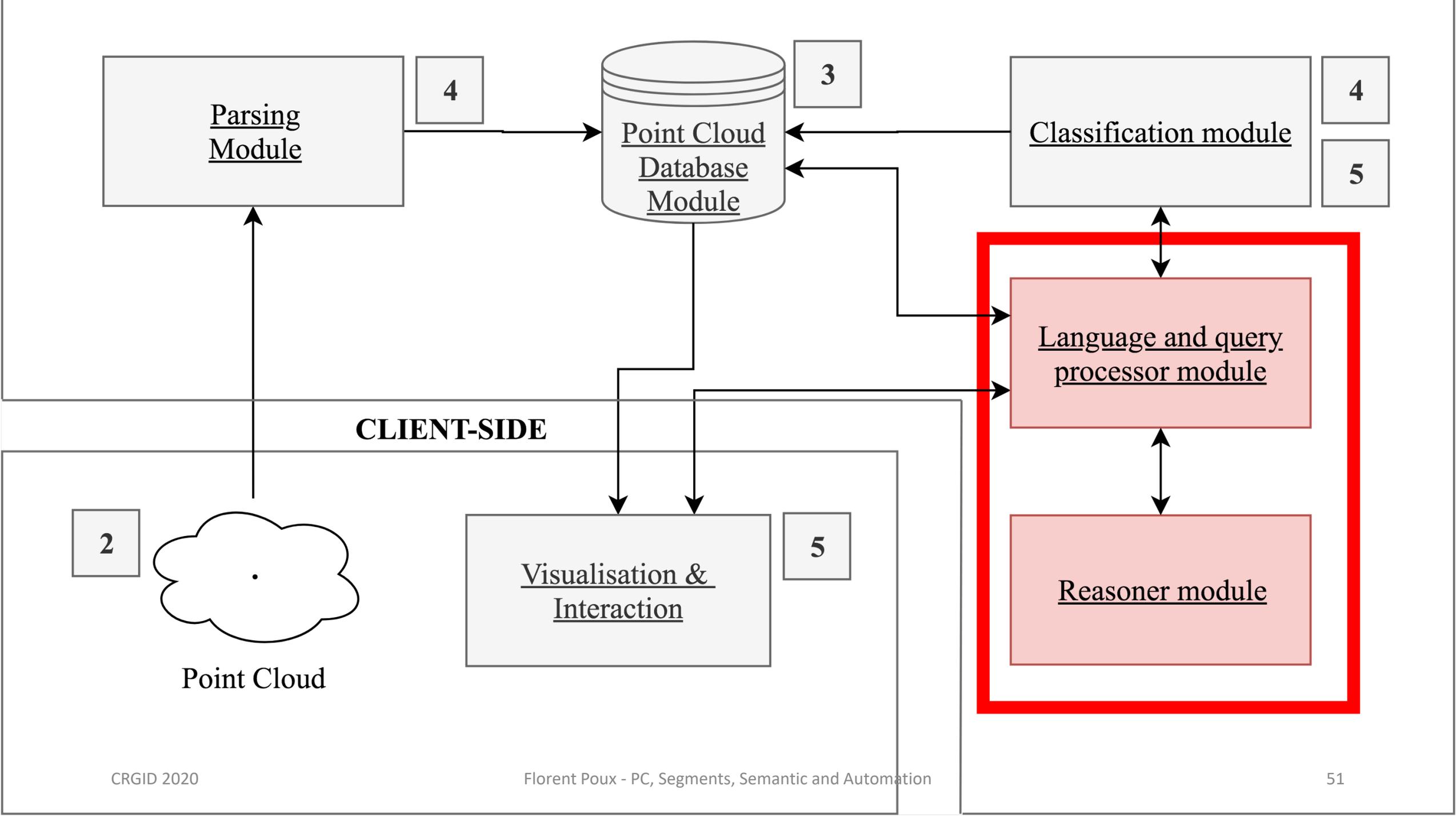


Weighted F1-score = 88.1%



## Key take-aways

- + Relatively simple approach (good replication)
- + Object-based classification = high scalability
- + Good performances (both in terms of accuracy and comp. d.)
- + High potential for semi-automated classification
- + Usable for a large panel of applications (registration, modelling ...)
- + In-test for highly variable scenes





# A classified entity



chair

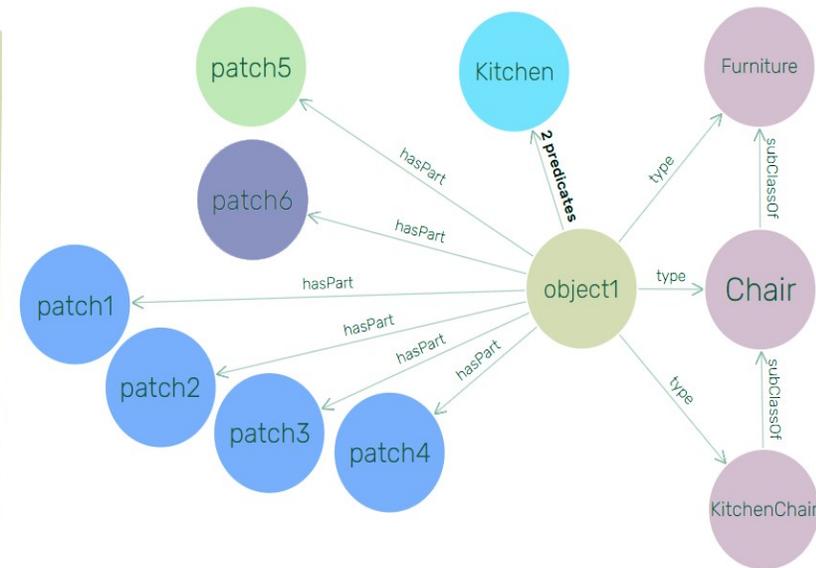
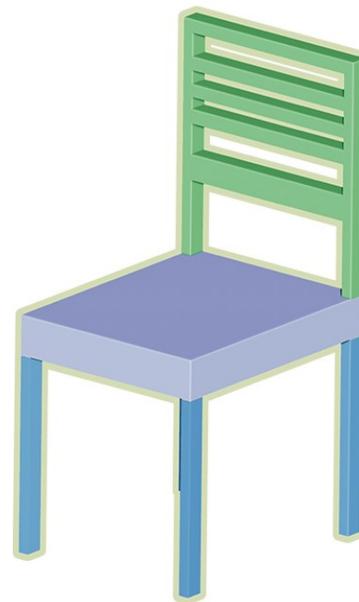
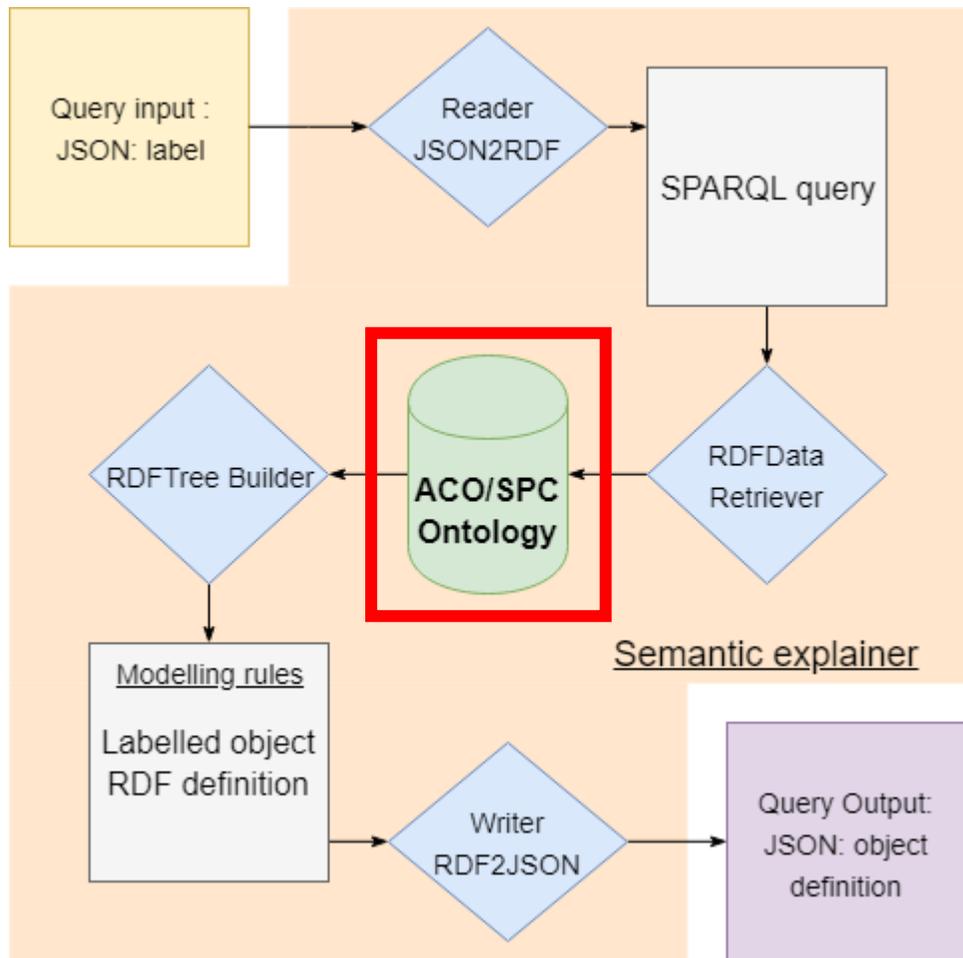


## About: Chaise

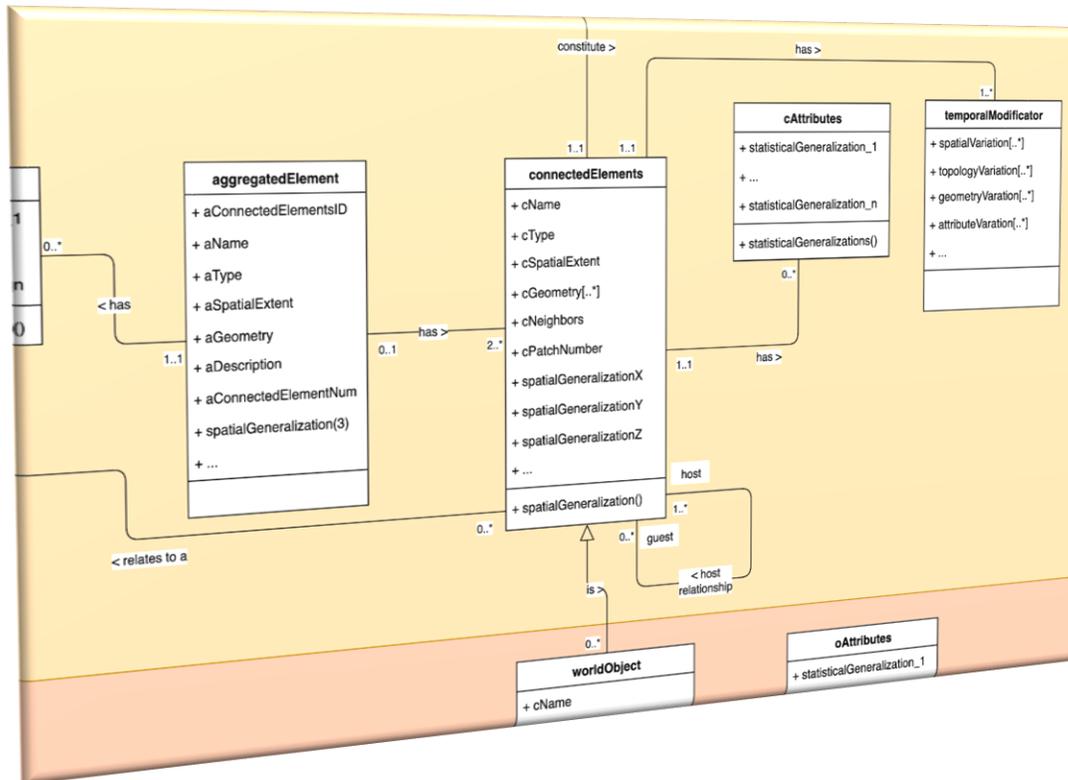
An Entity of Type : Œuvre musicale, from Named Graph : <http://dbpedia.org>, within Data Space : [dbpedia.org](http://dbpedia.org)

Une chaise est un type de siège, c'est-à-dire de meuble muni d'un dossier et destiné à ce qu'une personne s'assoie dessus. Un siège pour une personne sans dossier ni repose-bras est un tabouret ; pour plus d'une personne c'est un sofa ou un banc. Un repose-pieds séparé pour une chaise s'appelle un ottoman. La chaise comporte : \* un piètement, généralement composé de quatre pieds, parfois renforcé par une entretoise ; \* une assise, la profondeur d'assise d'une chaise est comprise entre 45 et 55 cm, et sa hauteur est normalement de 45 cm ; \* un dossier.

Property	Value
<span>dbo:abstract</span>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A chair is a piece of furniture with a raised surface, commonly used to seat a single person. Chairs are supported most often by four legs and have a back; however, a chair can have three legs or can have a different shape. Chairs are made of a wide variety of materials, ranging from wood to metal to synthetic material (e.g., plastic), and they may be padded or upholstered in various colors and fabrics, either just on the seat (as with some dining room chairs) or on the entire chair. Chairs are used in a number of rooms in homes (e.g., in living rooms, dining rooms and dens), in schools and offices (with desks), and in various other workplaces. A chair without a back or arm rests is a stool, or when raised up, a bar stool. A chair with arms is an armchair and with upholstery, reclining action, and a fold-out footrest, a recliner. A permanently fixed chair in a train or theater is a seat or, in an airplane, airline seat; when riding, it is a saddle and bicycle saddle, and for an automobile, a car seat or infant car seat. With wheels it is a wheelchair and when hung from above, a swing. An upholstered, padded chair for more than one person is a couch, sofa, settee, or "loveseat", or if is not upholstered, a bench. A separate footrest for a chair, usually upholstered, is known as an ottoman, hassock or pouffe. <sup>(en)</sup></li><li>Une chaise est un type de siège, c'est-à-dire de meuble muni d'un dossier et destiné à ce qu'une personne s'assoie dessus. Un siège pour une personne sans dossier ni repose-bras est un tabouret ; pour plus d'une personne c'est un sofa ou un banc. Un repose-pieds séparé pour une chaise s'appelle un ottoman. Le dossier s'élève parfois au-dessus de la hauteur de la tête, et souvent ne s'étend pas jusqu'au siège, permettant une circulation d'air. Le dossier et parfois l'assise sont souvent faits de matériaux poreux ou sont ajourés à fins de décoration et de ventilation. Il y a quelquefois des repose-têtes séparés. La chaise comporte : * un piètement, généralement composé de quatre pieds, parfois renforcé par une entretoise ; * une assise, la profondeur d'assise d'une chaise est comprise entre 45 et 55 cm, et sa hauteur est normalement de 45 cm ; * un dossier. Elle ne comprend que très rarement des accotoirs (bras) réservés aux fauteuils, mais elle peut comporter un accoudoir sur le haut du dossier comme pour le Prie-Dieu ou la chaise ponteuse. <sup>(fr)</sup></li></ul>
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# Connected Elements



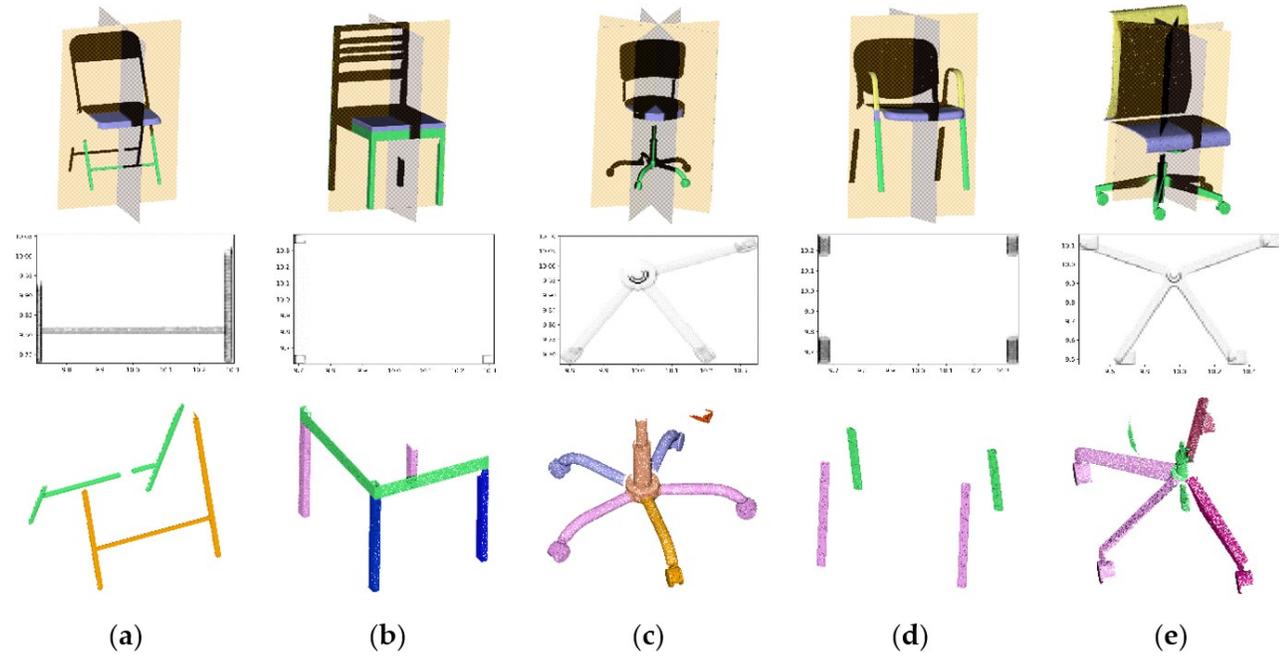
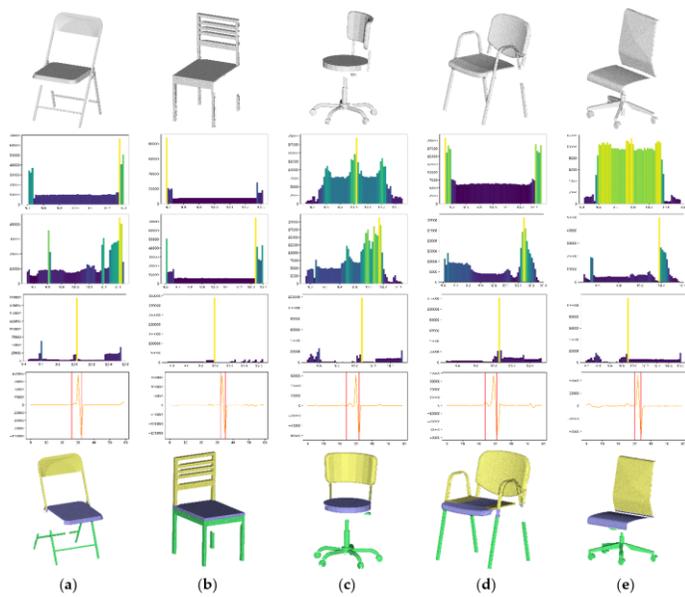
- Aggregated-Element
- Normal-Element
- Sub-Element



**Chair = AE**

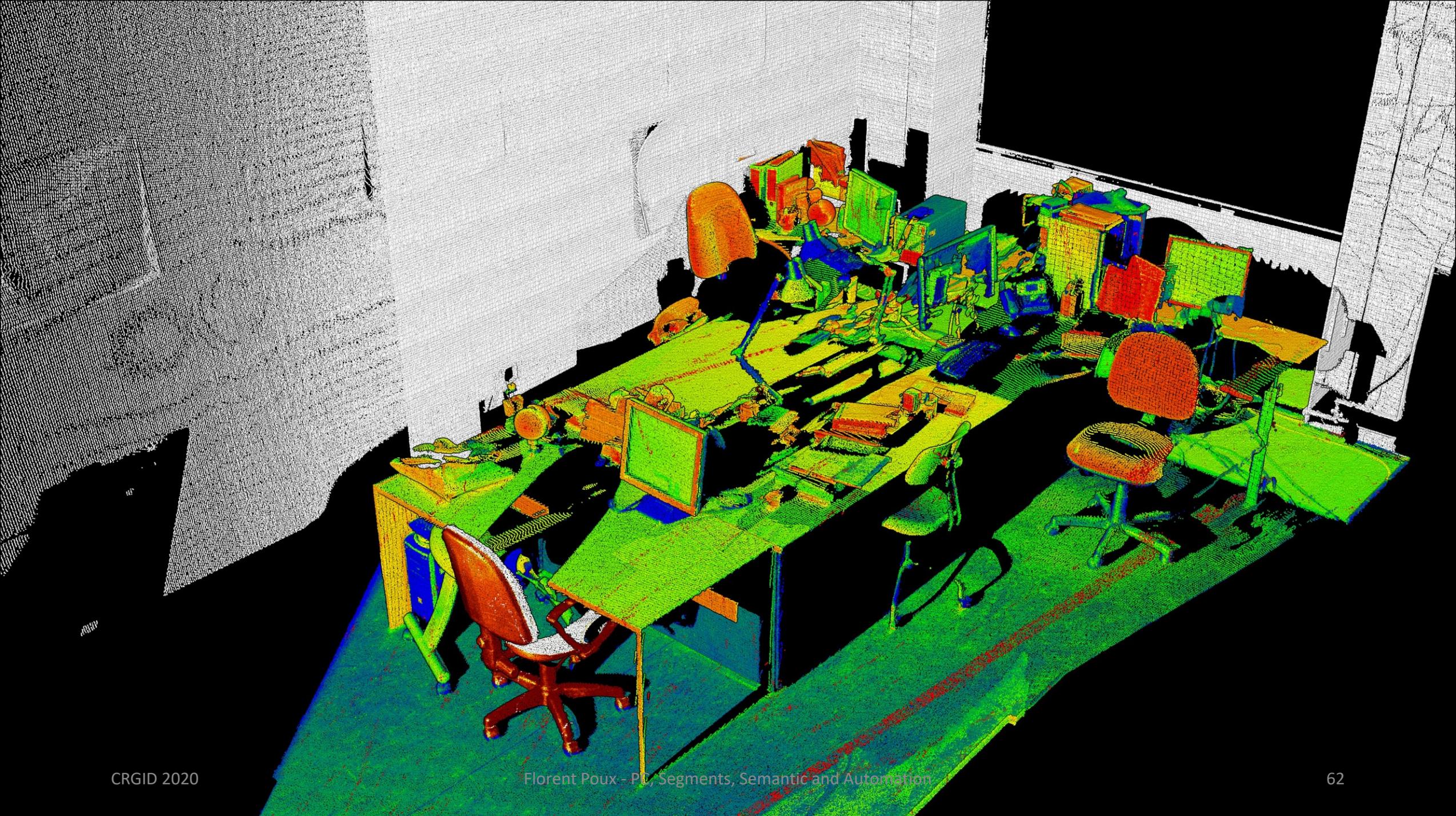


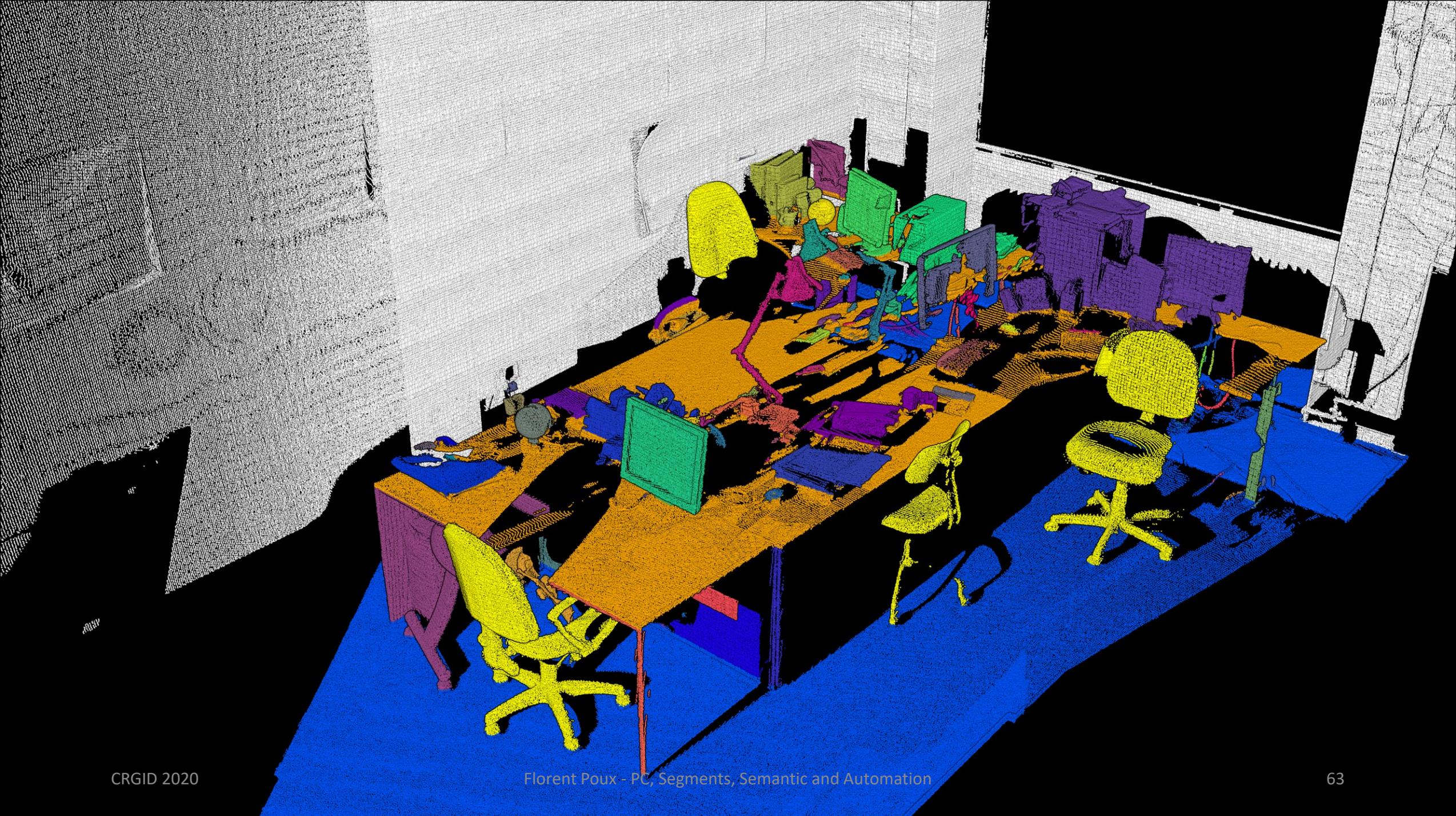
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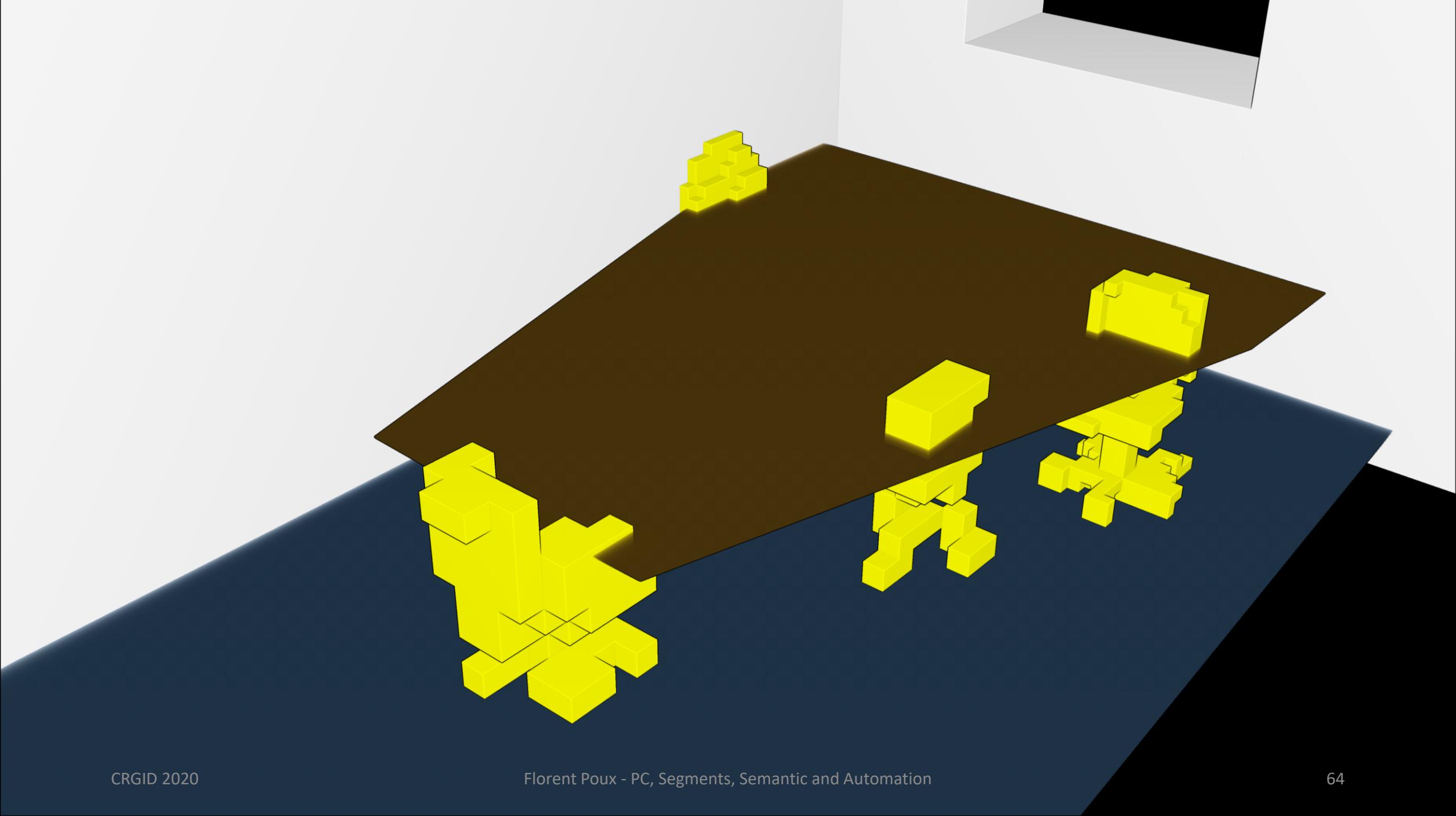


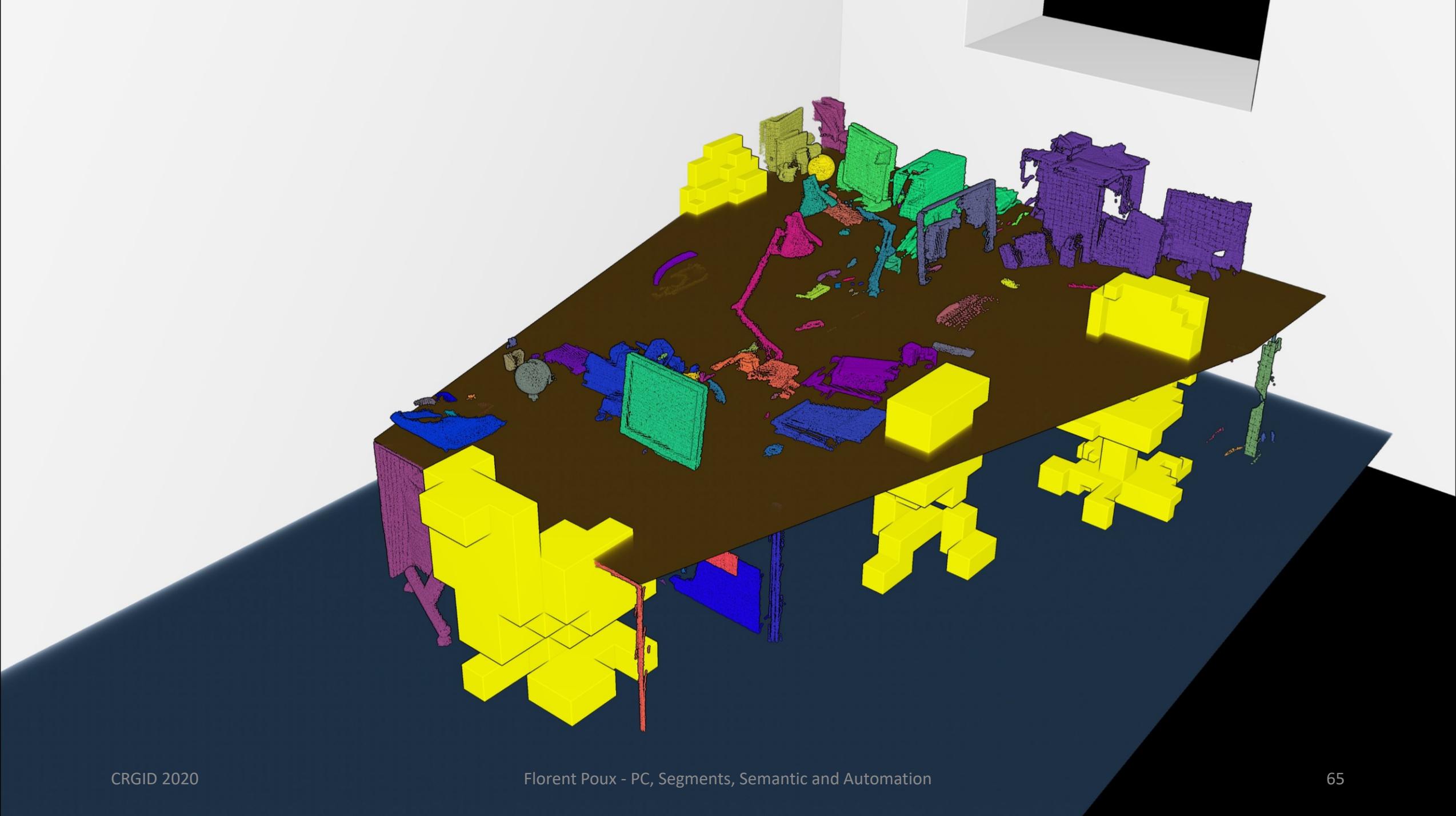


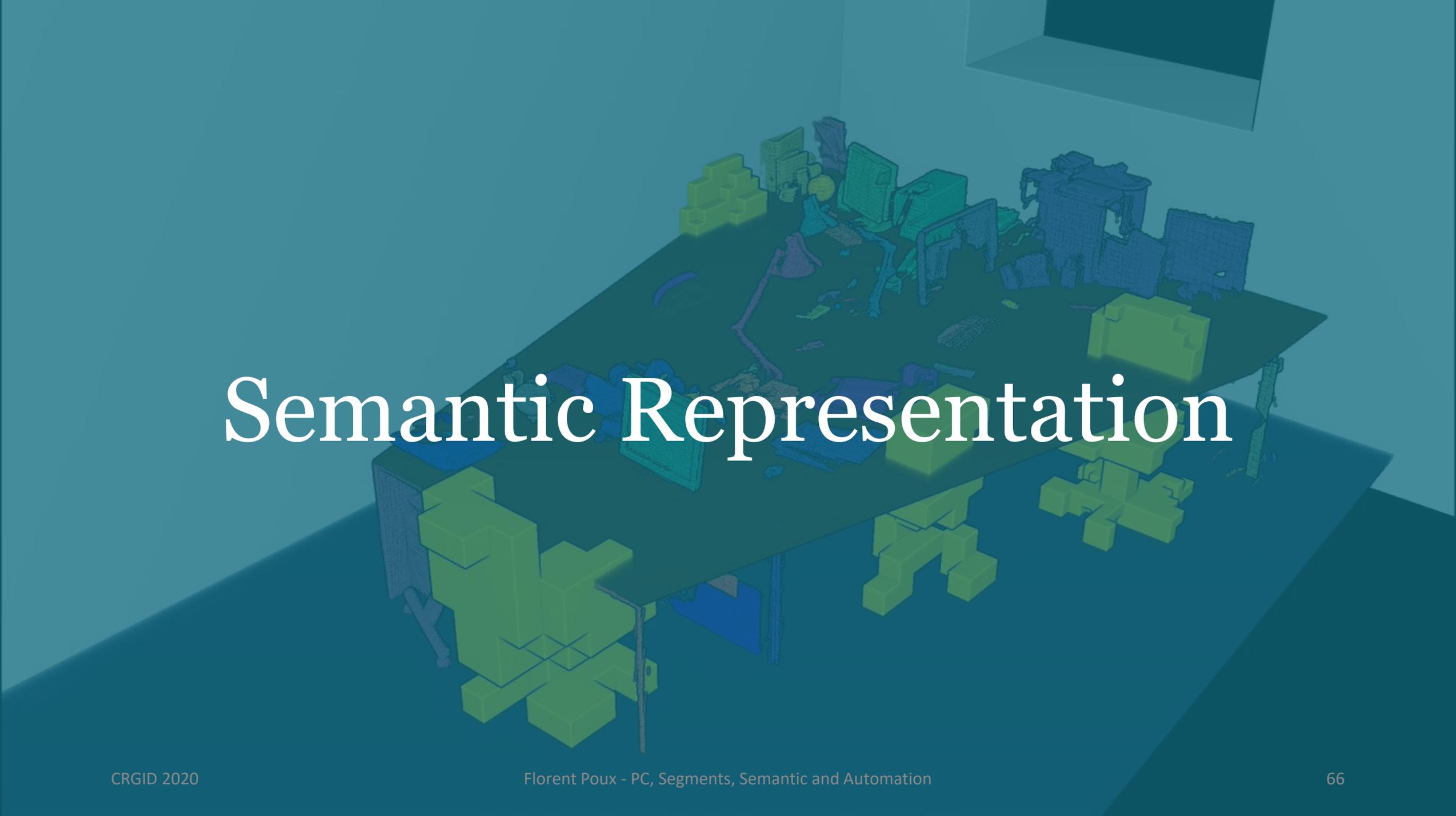
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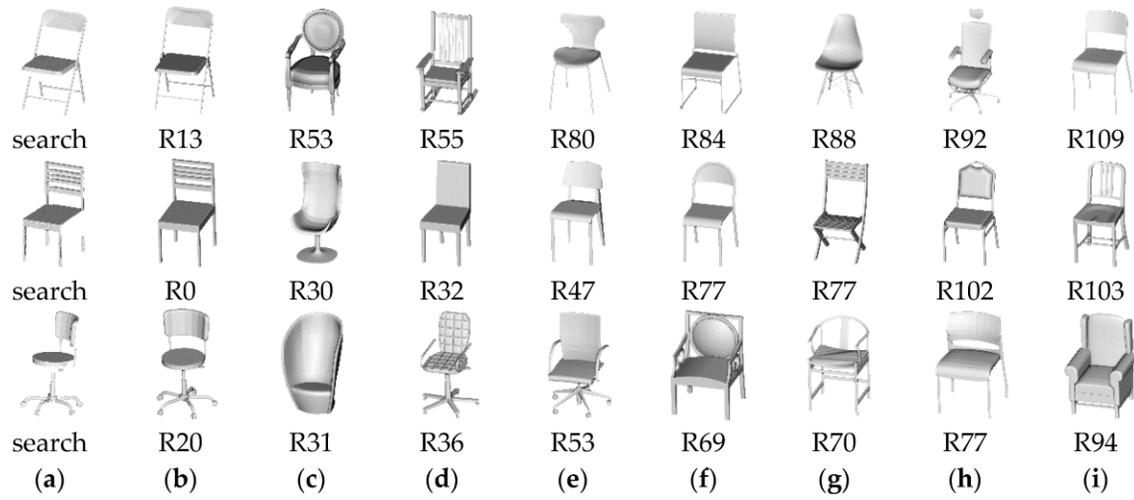




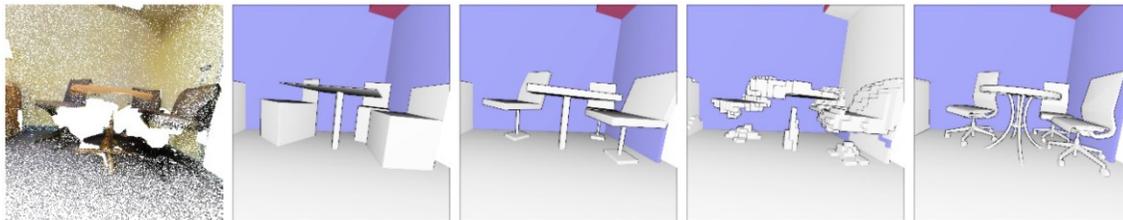
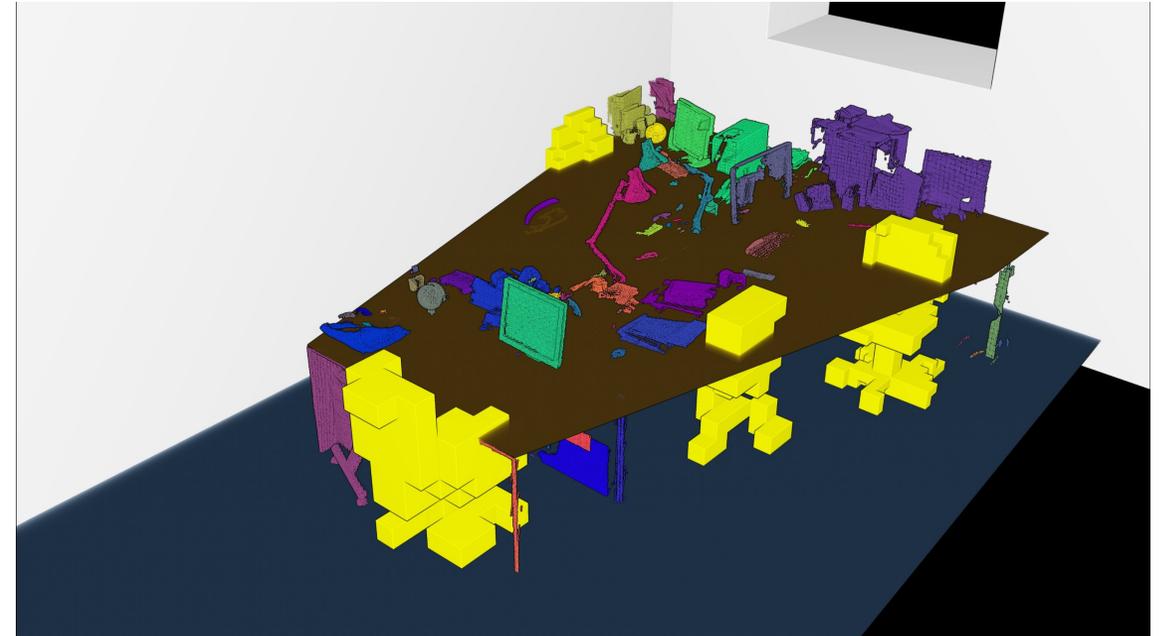




# Semantic Representation



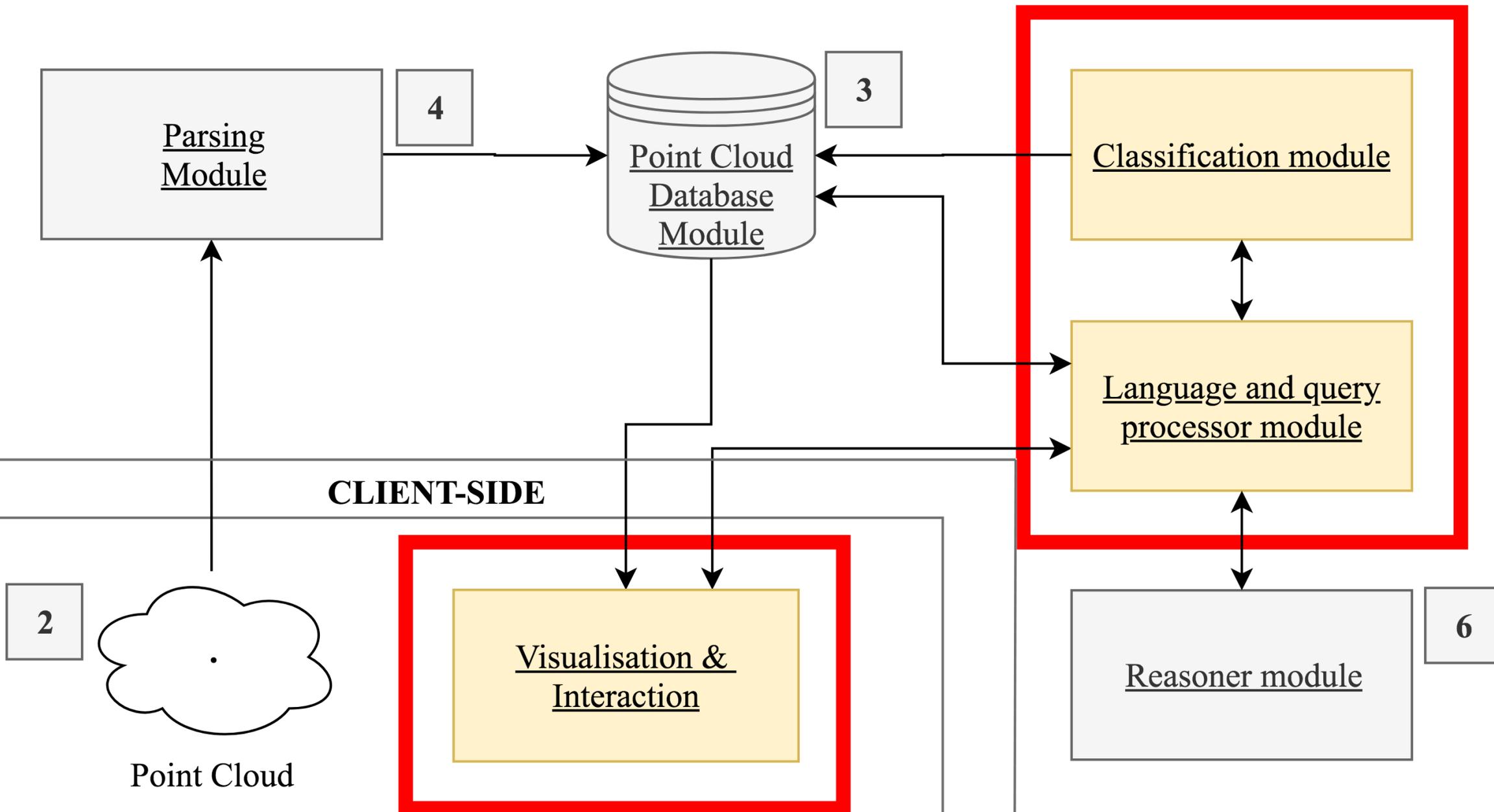
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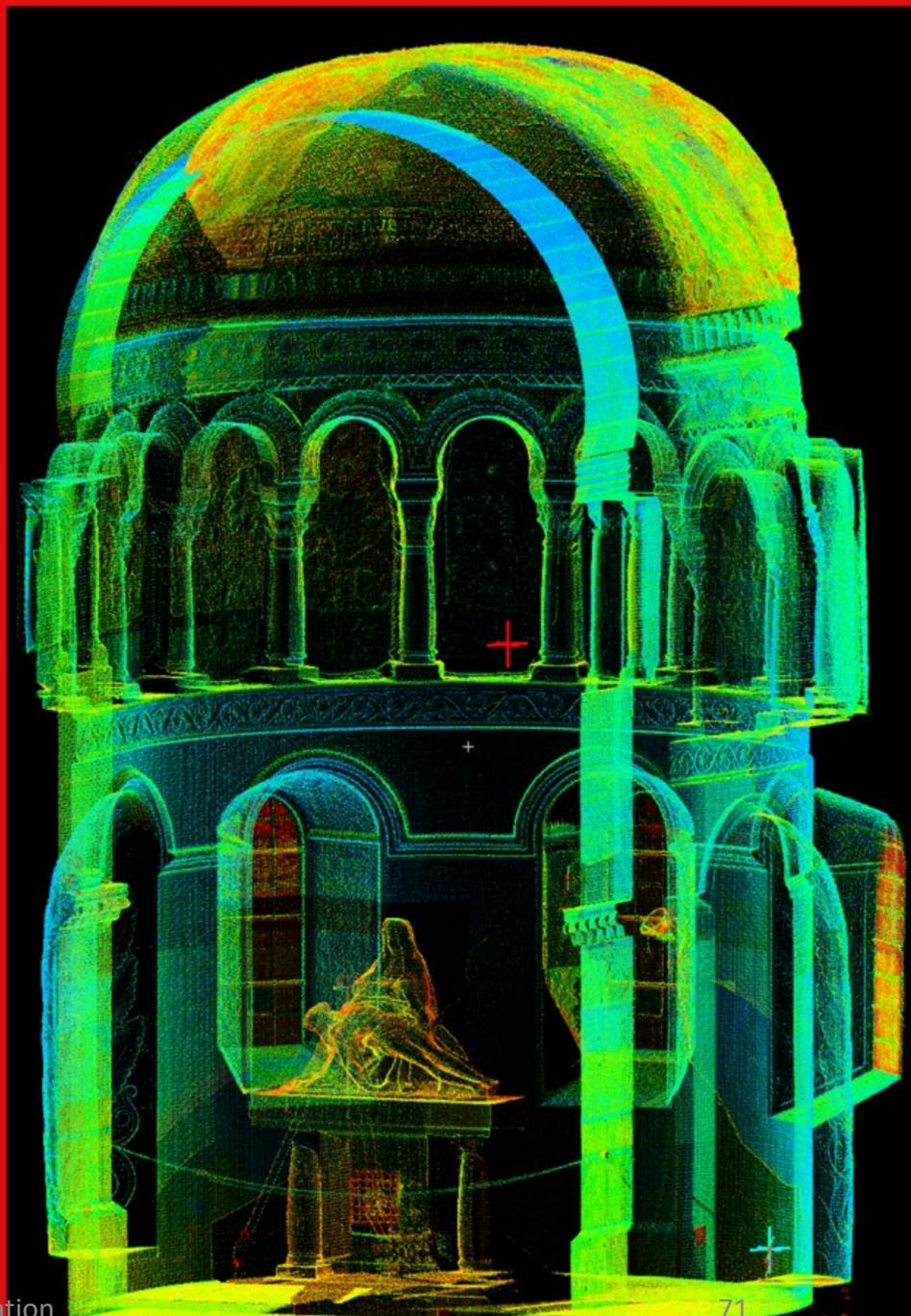
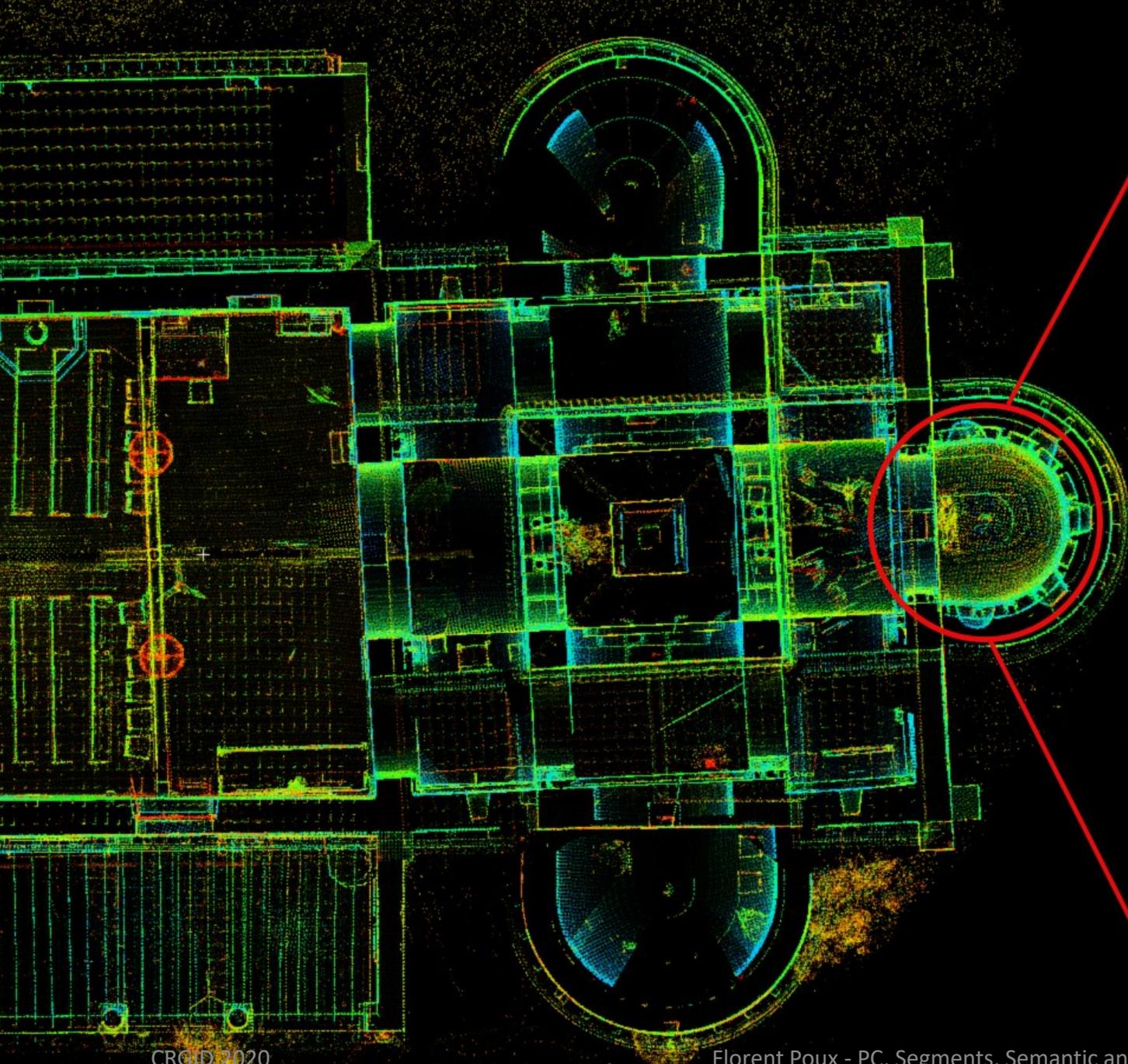


How to **extract** and **integrate**  
**knowledge** within **3D** point clouds  
for **autonomous** decision-making  
systems?

1. Using a multi-level conceptual structure
2. Parsing PC at the lowest possible level
3. Plug a domain formalization through an ontology of classification
4. Generate a modular semantic representation

... Automatically ...







INITIAL

GOLD

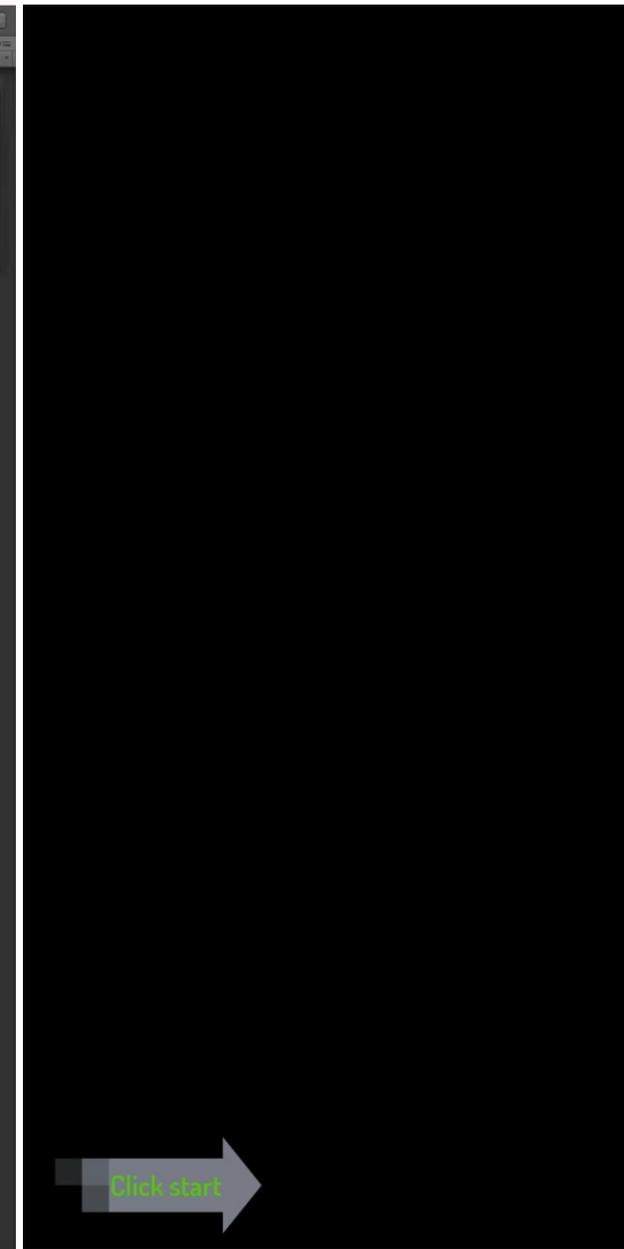
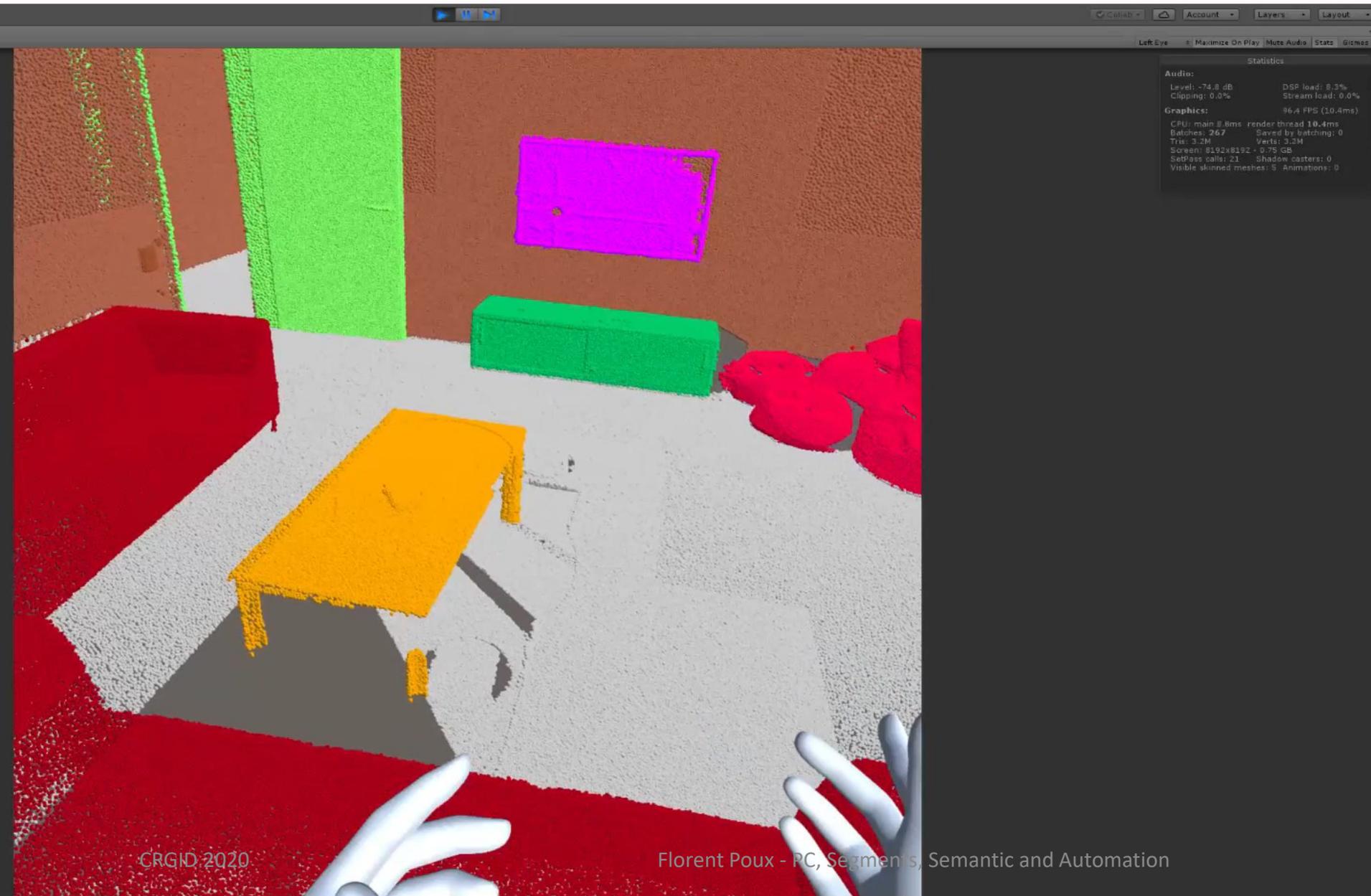
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# VR APPILCATION

# AR APPLICATION



# The SPC in 5 points

Double right-click to select a point.

Activate selection mode :



Multiple selection

VALIDATE

- Interoperable point cloud data structure...
- ... leveraged for automated object detection...
- ... providing a large domain connectivity...
- ... unsupervised and robust to variability...
- ... modular and efficient.

Loading Octree of LAS files

Double right-click to select a point.

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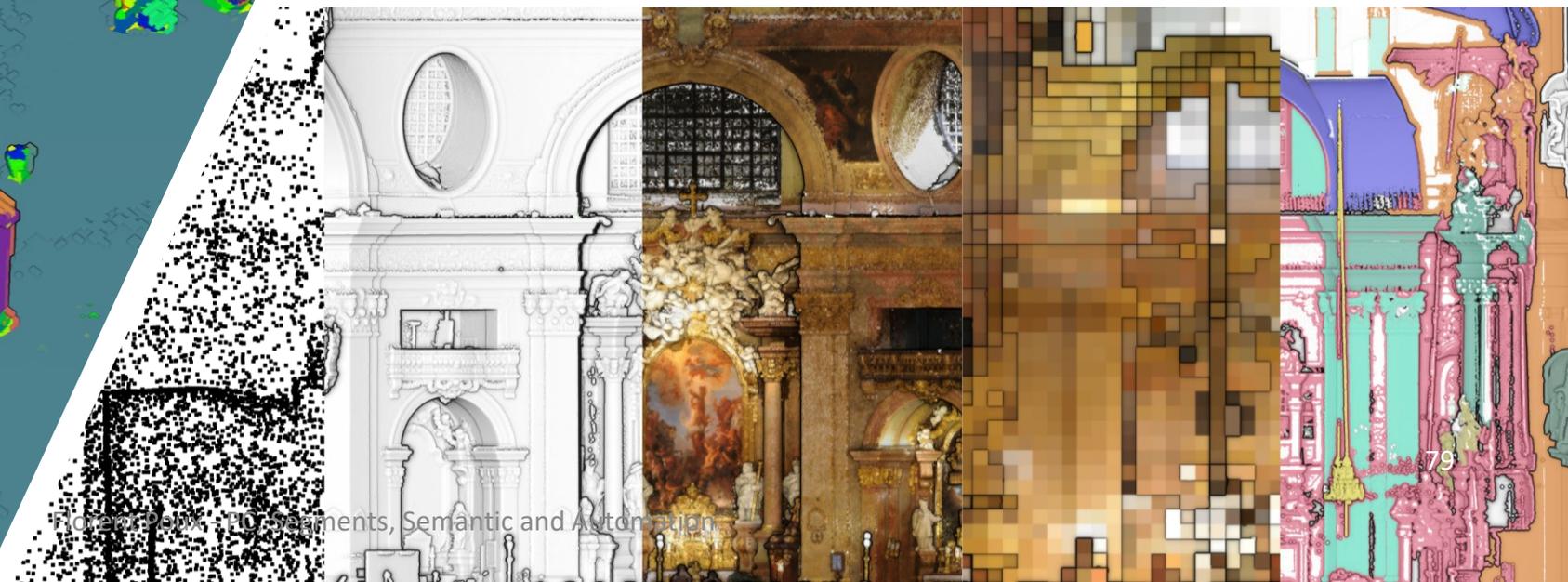
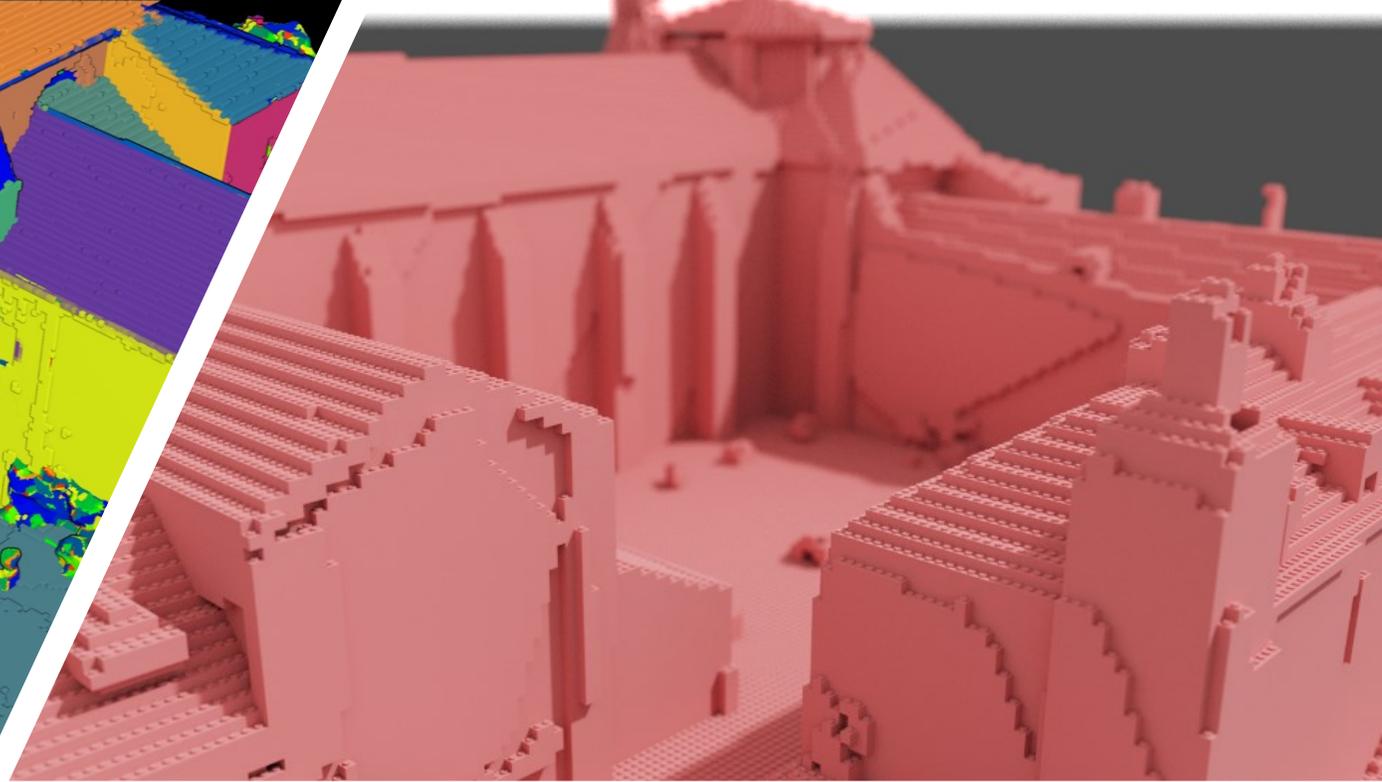
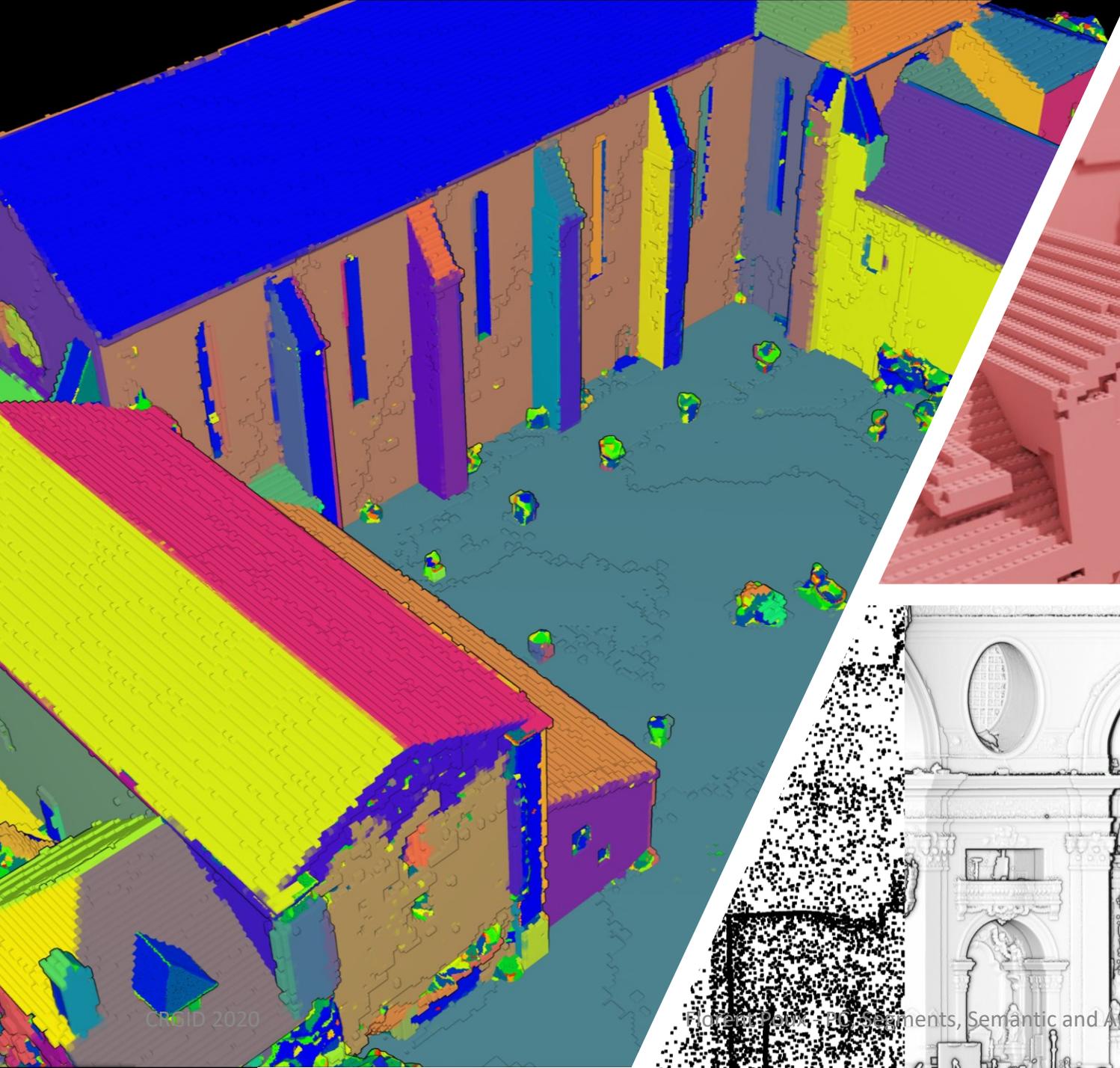
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MULTIPLE SELECTION

Query Form

(c) Florent POUX - Smart Point Cloud - BUILD PRE-ALPHA

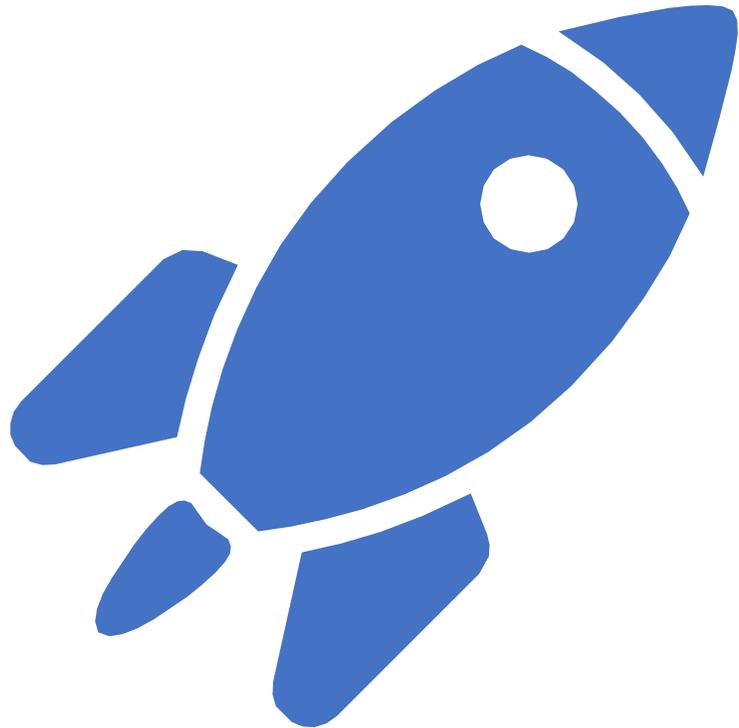
- Define powerful SPC-based AI Agents
- Increase generalization / specialization
- Dynamic data and LoD management
- Enhance unsupervised segmentation
- Enhance classification
- Integrate natural processes



# Projet 1

Création d'une plateforme en ligne  
pour les professionnels

Statut: Ouvert à la BETA

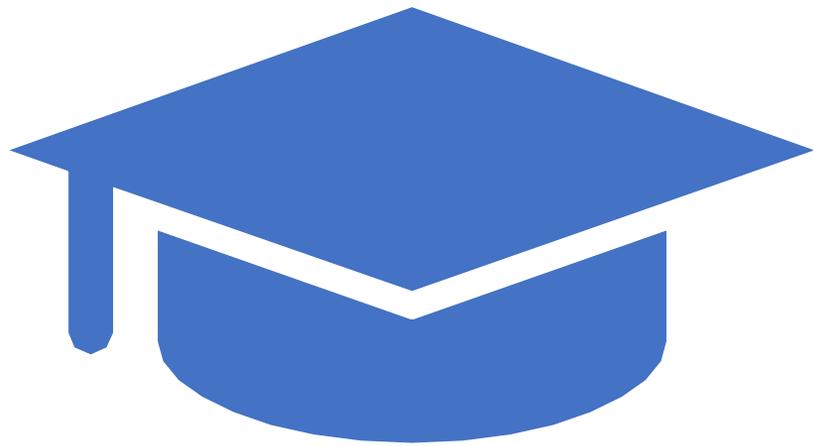


# Projet 2

Création d'une plateforme  
d'entraînement pour la  
communauté (gratuit)

Statut: Recherche de financement  
(sponsors, projets, autre)





# Projet 3

Formation en ligne 3D Geodata  
pour les sociétés,  
entrepreneurs et étudiants.

Statut ouvert:  
[learngeodata.eu](http://learngeodata.eu)

Segmentor 3D en pre-order



[fpoux@uliege.be](mailto:fpoux@uliege.be) – [learngeodata.eu](http://learngeodata.eu)





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