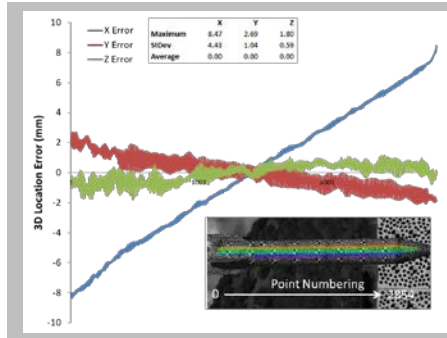


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# The evolution of high and ultra-high speed imaging from qualitative to quantitative

“Seeing is Believing”  
“Measuring is Understanding”

Phillip L. Reu and Mark Nissen

BSSM High Speed Imaging – London England



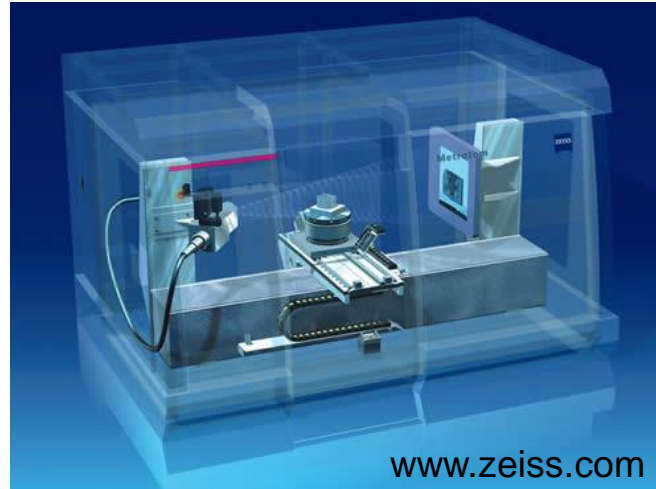
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# Imaging technology is improving DIC. This is both a gift and a problem.

## SEM/AFM



## CT Scanner



## High Resolution Machine Vision



## High and Ultra-high Speed Imaging



[www.visionresearch.com](http://www.visionresearch.com)



[www.photron.com](http://www.photron.com)

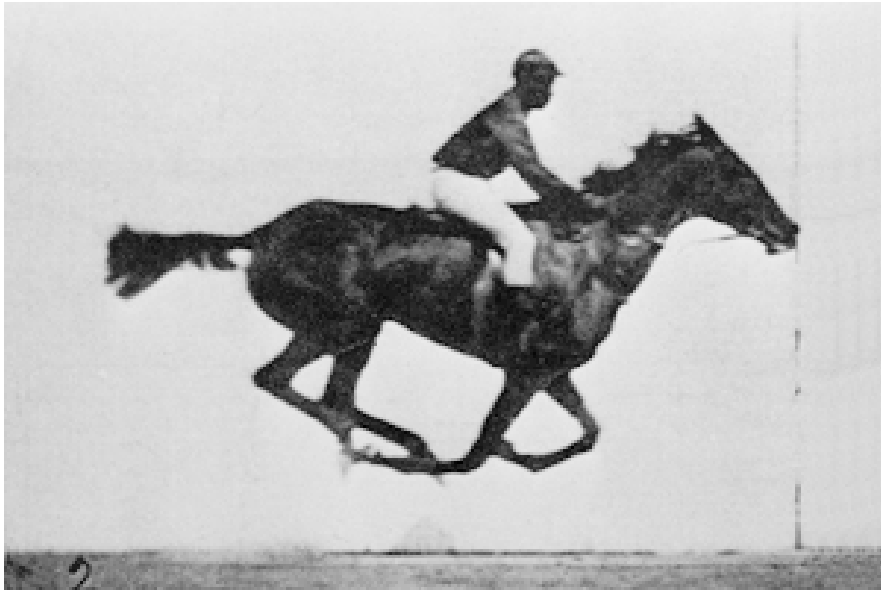


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# Why we need high speed.

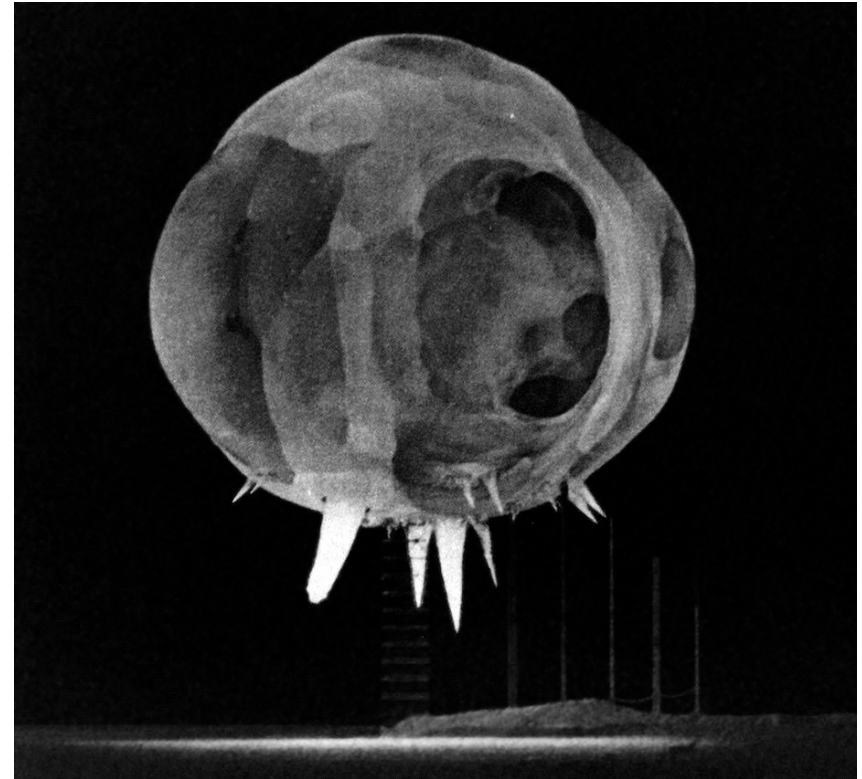


# High speed helps to understand things too fast for human perception.



## Eadweard Muybridge (1878)

- Multiple cameras lined up and triggered by a thread.
- Later used clock work timing.



## Harold Edgerton (1940s)

- Nanosecond to microsecond exposures.
- Done with polarization and Faraday or Kerr cells for shuttering.

# Some vintage high-speed cameras

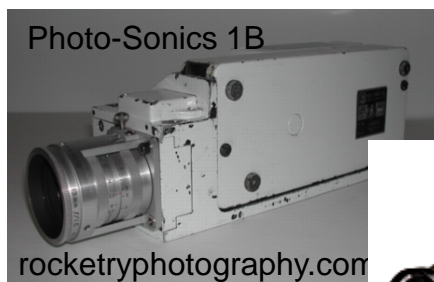


## Cameras in picture:

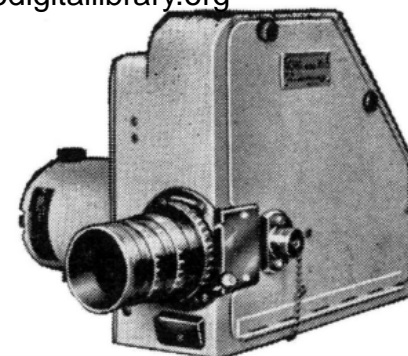
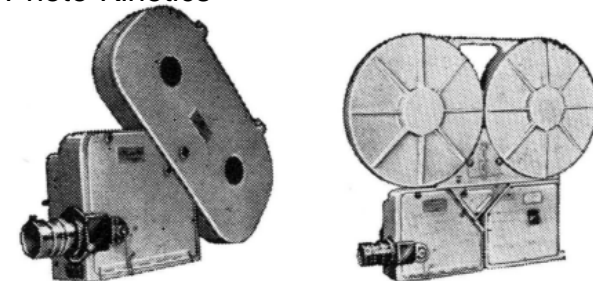
1. Redlake Hycam II (16-mm @ 1000fps)
2. Sandia Image Motion (127-mm film)
3. Fastax Camera (35-mm also streak)
4. Kodak HG2000 Digital 1000 fps (512x386)

## Other early Sandia Cameras:

1. Photo-Sonics 1B (16-mm @ 1000fps)
2. Photo-Kinetics Nova (film)



## Photo-Kinetics





# Film cameras



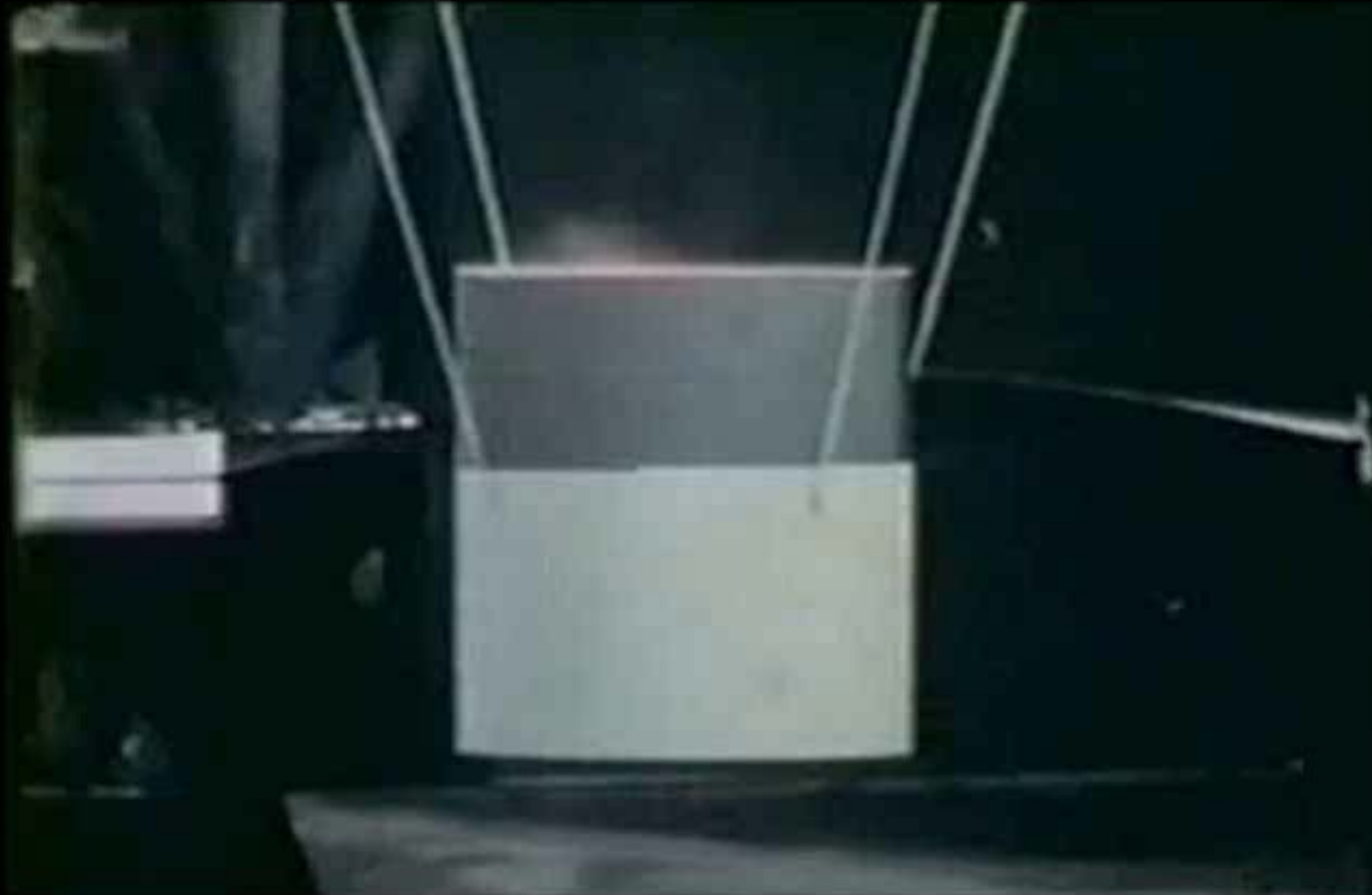


# Rocket rail tests.



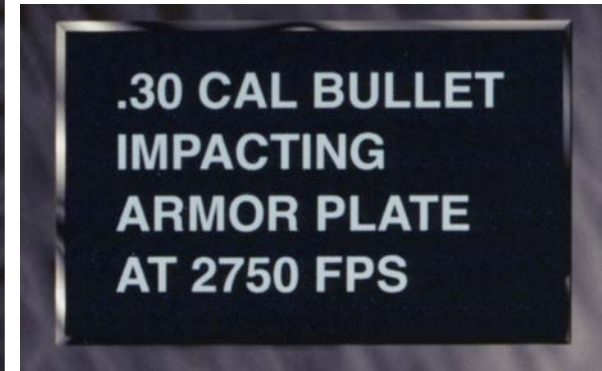
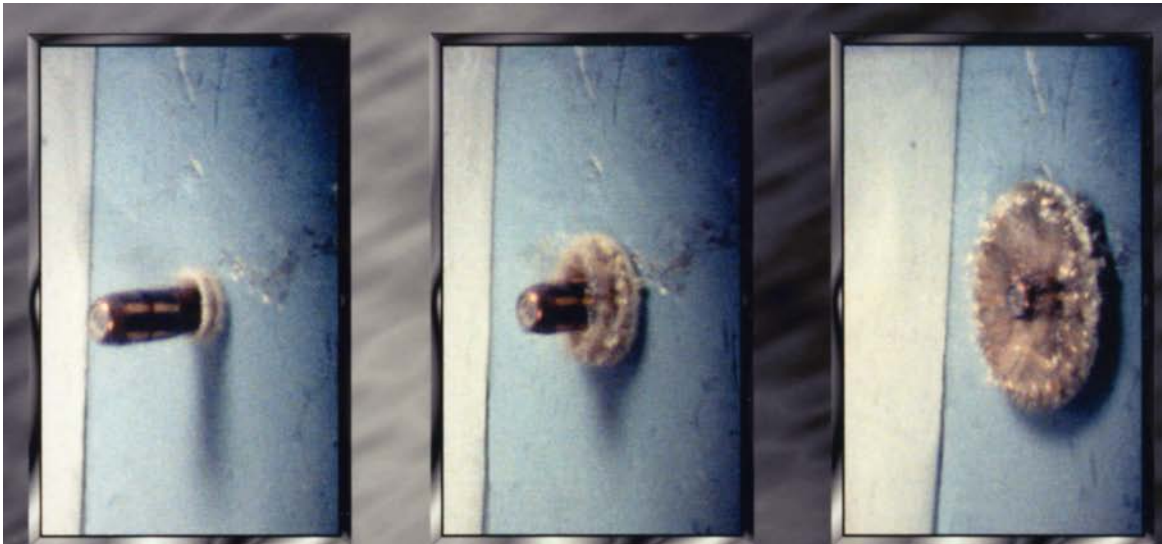


# Tests using Film





# 1-Mfps film camera.

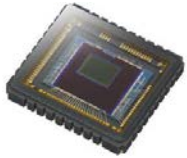


# Scanning of film and extraction of fiducials was used for a few years.



# Digital high speed imaging technology is quite varied.

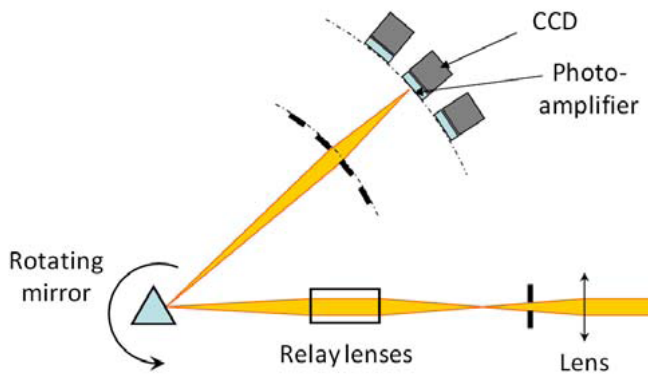
## High-Speed Imaging



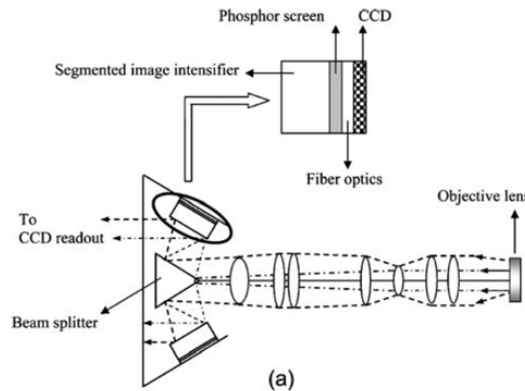
High-speed CMOS detector. Image off load rate from chip is the limiting factor.

## Ultra High-Speed Imaging

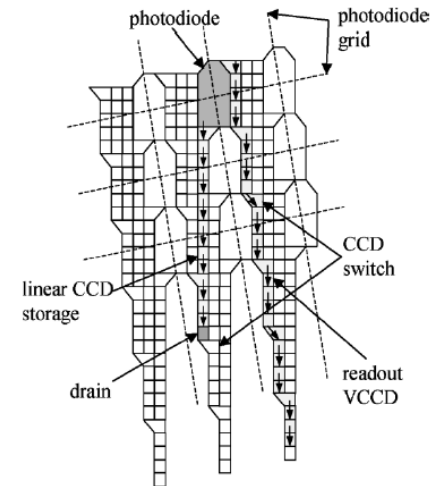
### Rotating mirror (CORDIN)



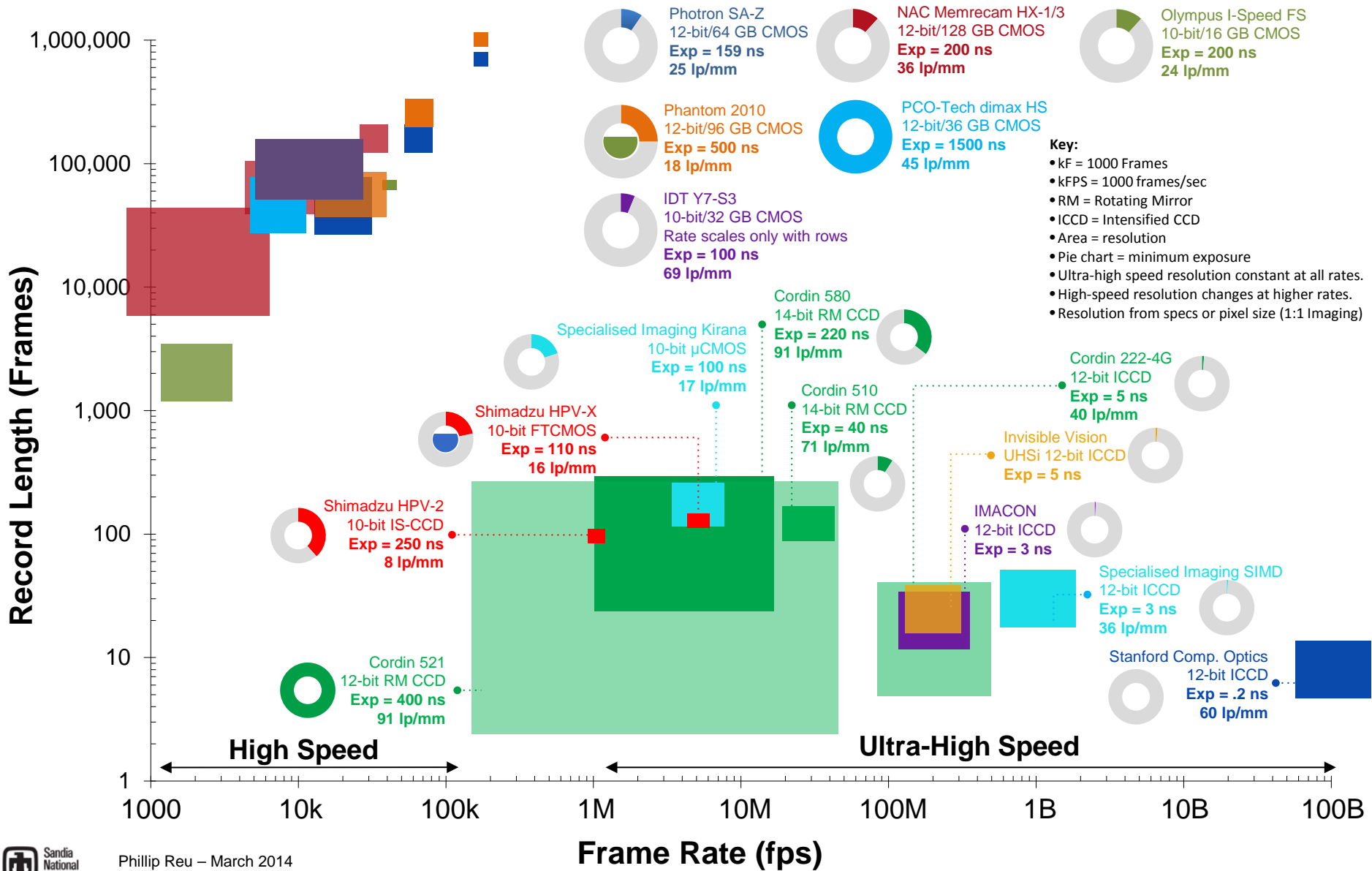
### Beam splitting



### On chip storage

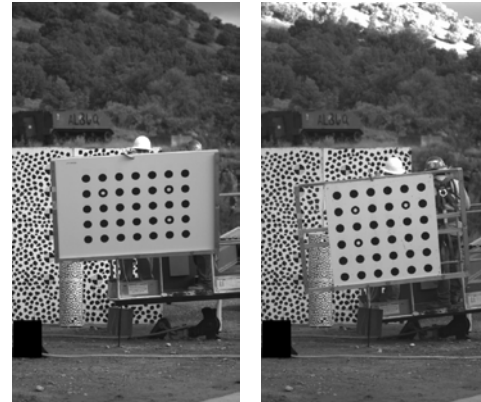


# The state of high-speed imaging



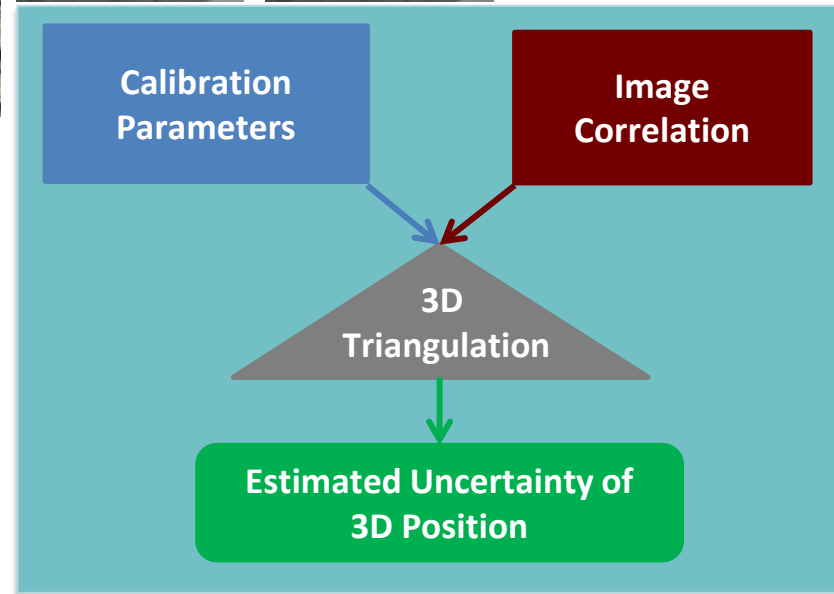
Photogrammetry and DIC have moved high speed imaging from qualitative to quantitative.

The difference is uncertainty quantification!



### Possible stereo-rigs

1. V1610 – 181-mm & 184-mm Calibration
2. V611 – 181-mm & 184-mm Calibration
3. You could also combine one of each camera.



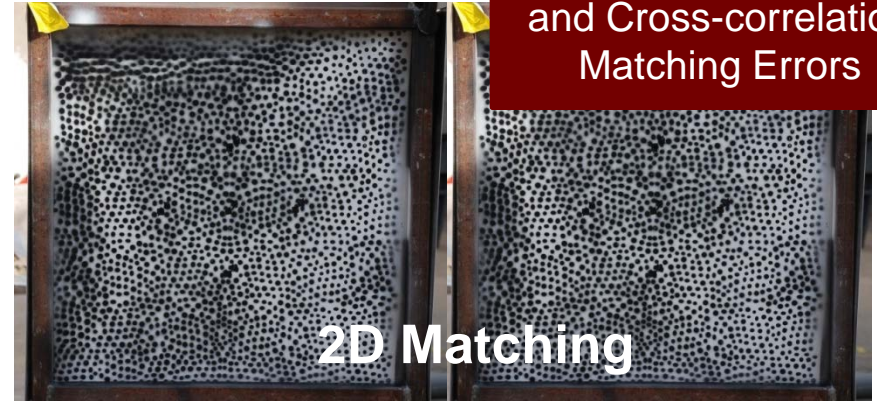
# How do you turn camera images into quantitative measurements?

Monte Carlo  
determination of  
Calibration Parameters

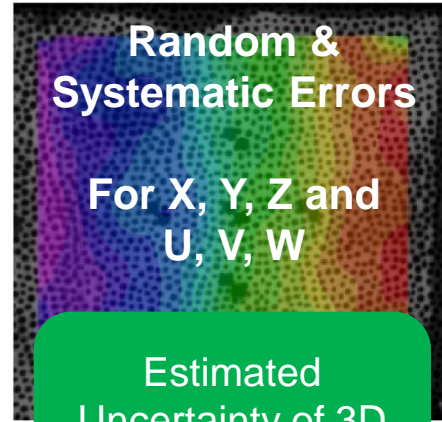
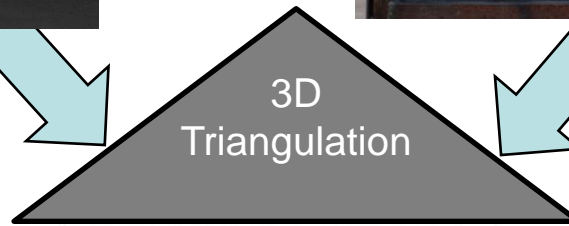


Random & Systematic  
Errors

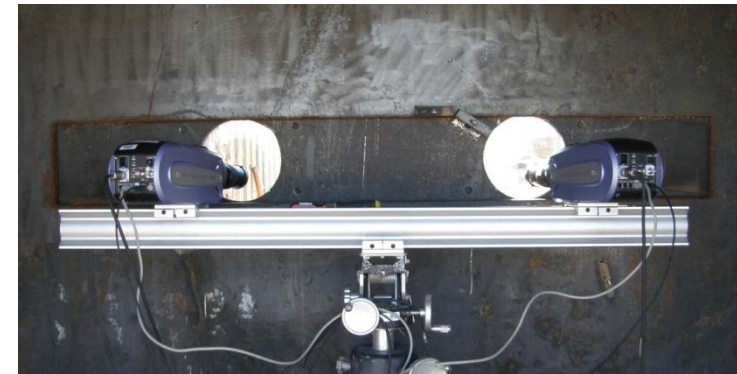
Determination of 2D  
and Cross-correlation  
Matching Errors



Random & Systematic  
Errors



Estimated  
Uncertainty of 3D  
Position

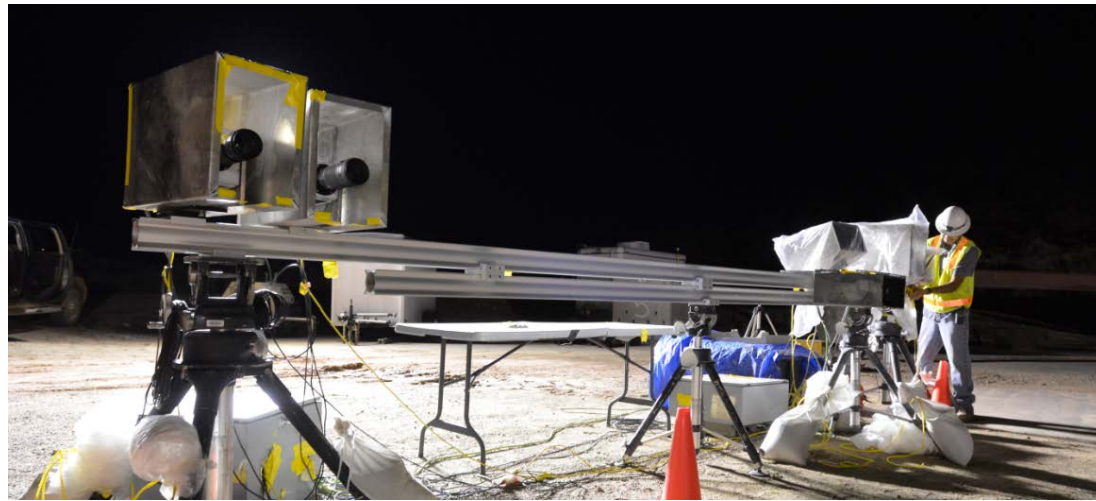


- Ignoring:**
1. Camera model problems
  2. Shape function bias
  3. Aliasing bias
  4. Unknown unknowns

# Example: Quantitative high speed measurements at 6 kHz

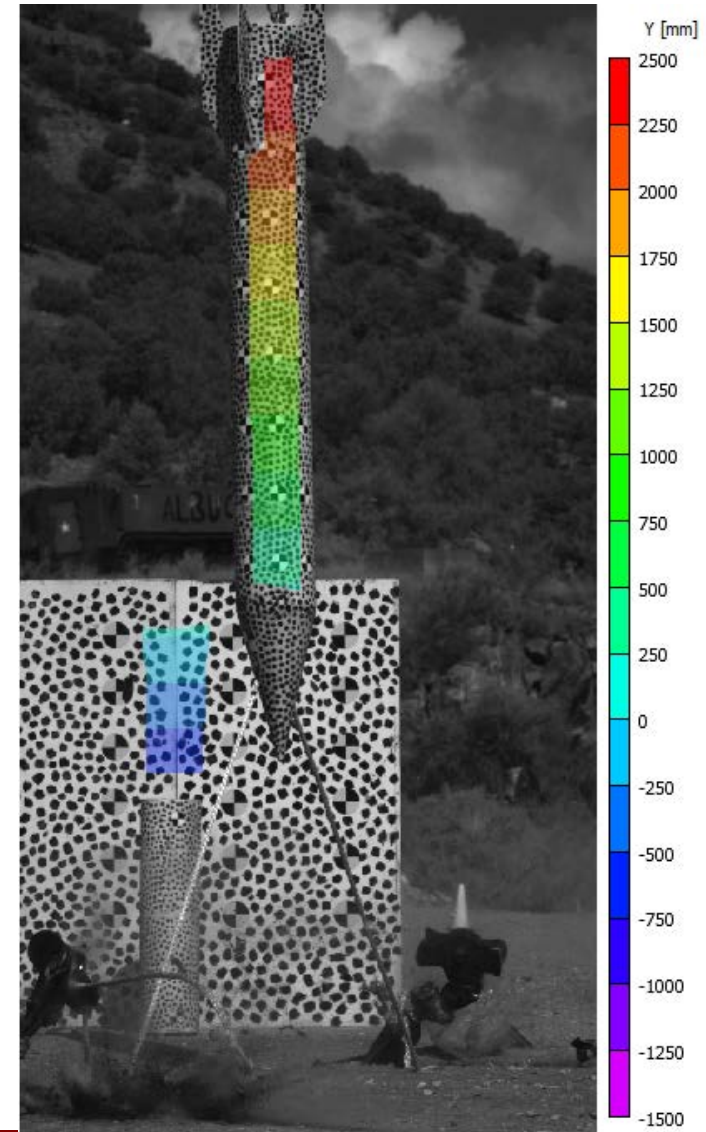


# 3D-DIC has a complicated measurement chain from calibration to 3D-Position.



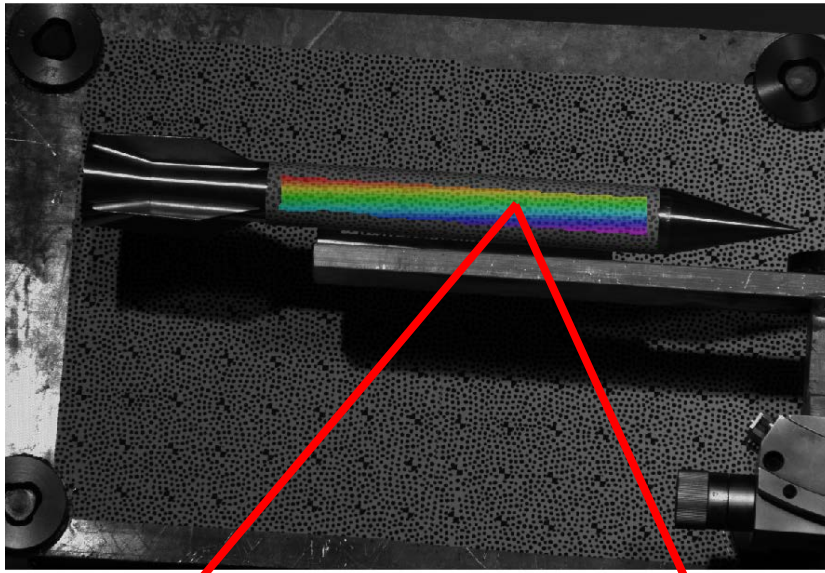
## Goal: 1-mm resolution in 6 meters

- That is 0.02% error.
- 180 parts-per-million
- 0.25 pixel error (with the given setup)
- Can this be achieved?
- More importantly, can the actual error be quantified?

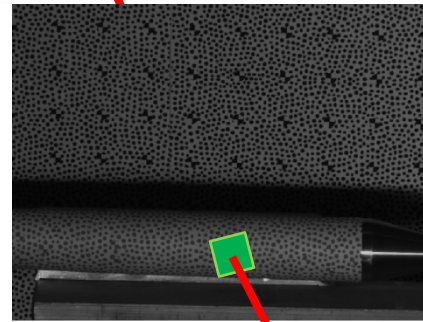
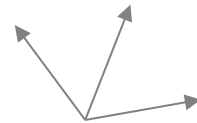
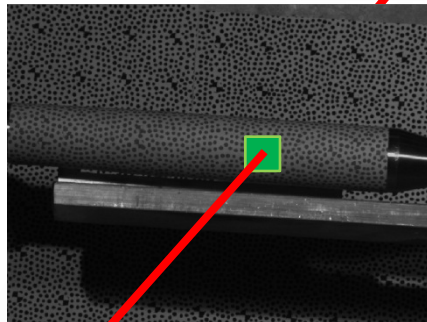




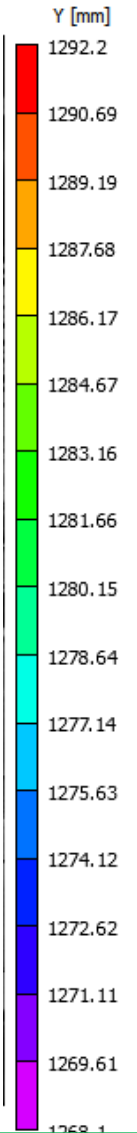
# The simulation repeatedly triangulates while varying one or more parameters



- X, Y and Z are calculated for each run
- Triangulation uses the calibration parameters and sensor positions.



Camera Coordinate System



Determination of 2D and Cross-correlation Matching Errors

Monte Carlo determination of Calibration Parameters

3D Triangulation

Estimated Uncertainty of 3D Position

# The errors can be propagated to calculate a 3D uncertainty.

Includes Calibration and Sensor

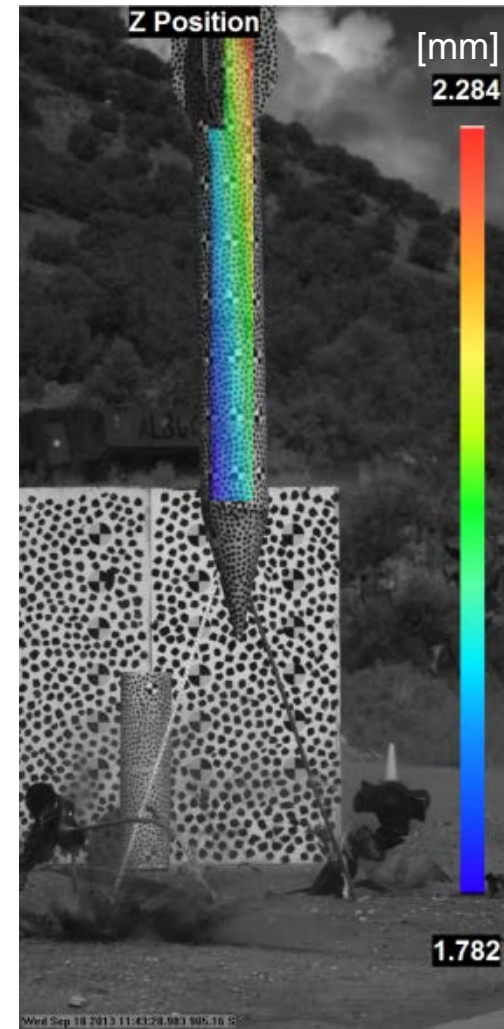
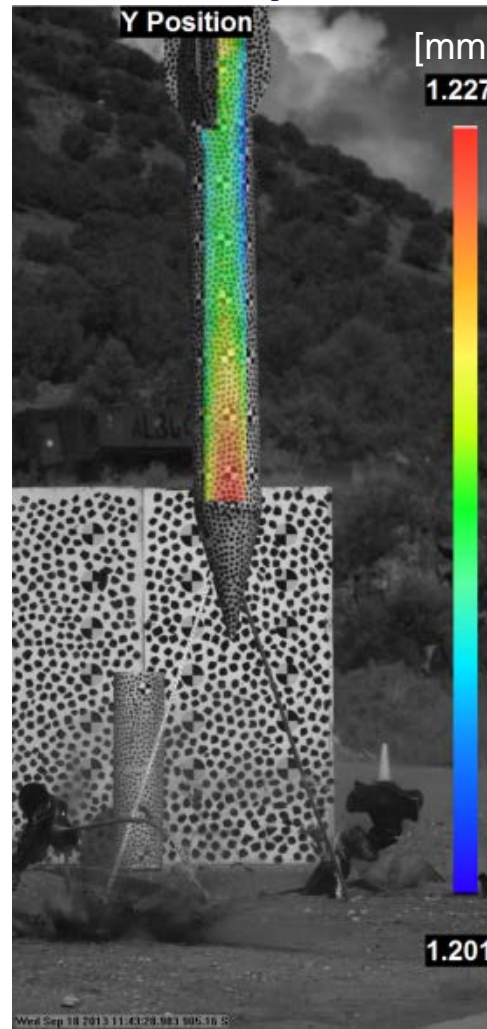
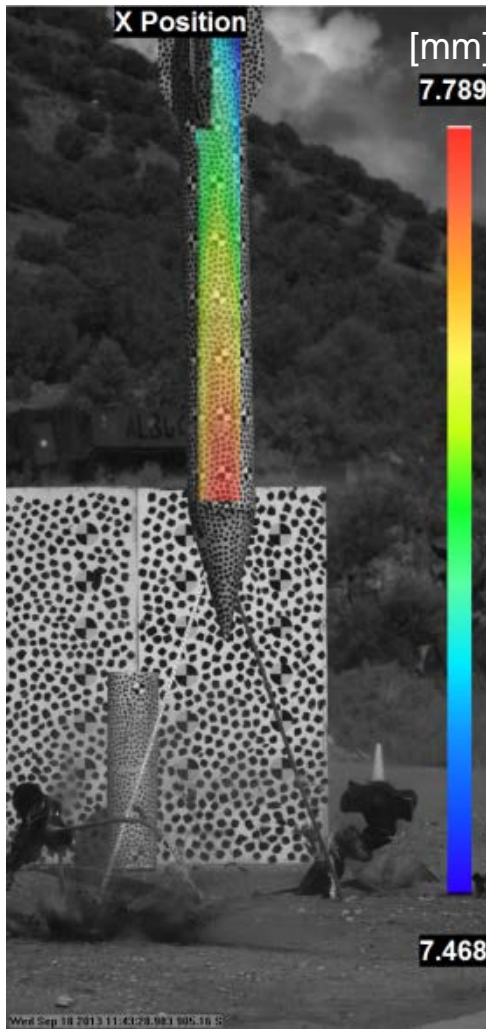


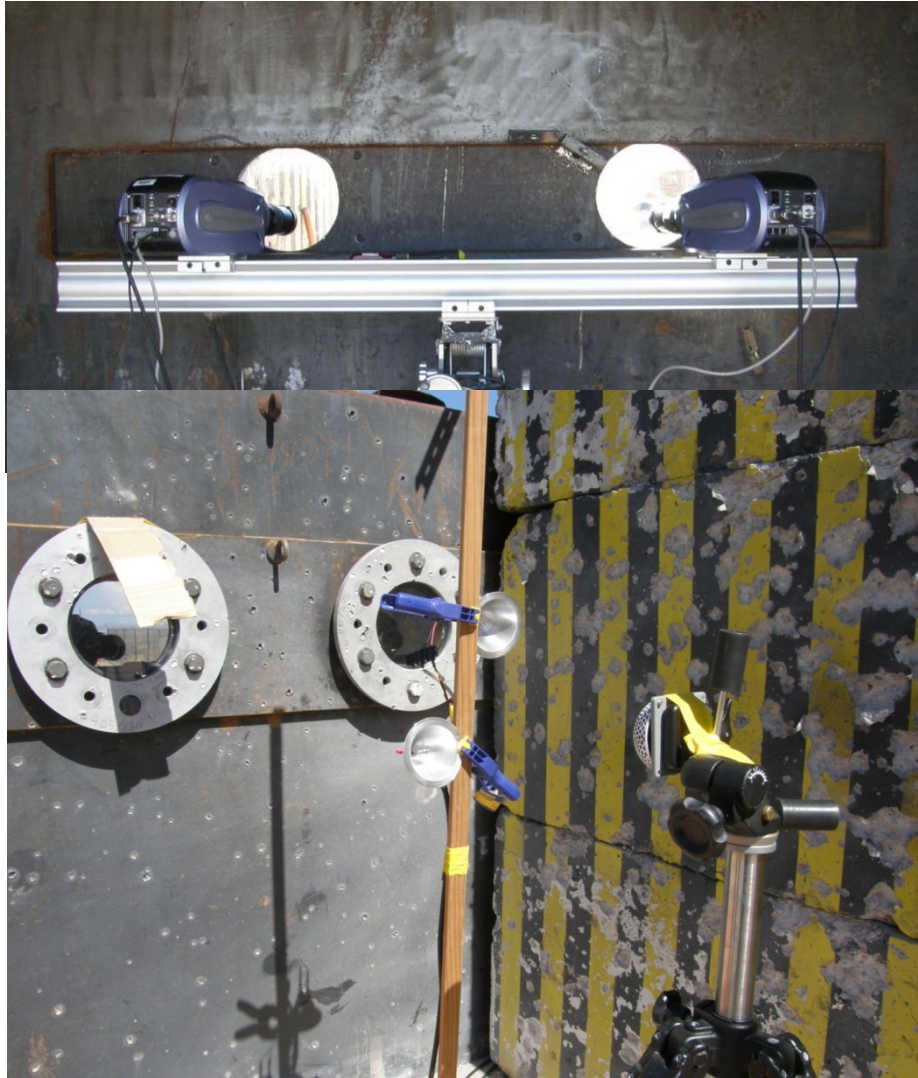
Image Correlation

Calibration parameters

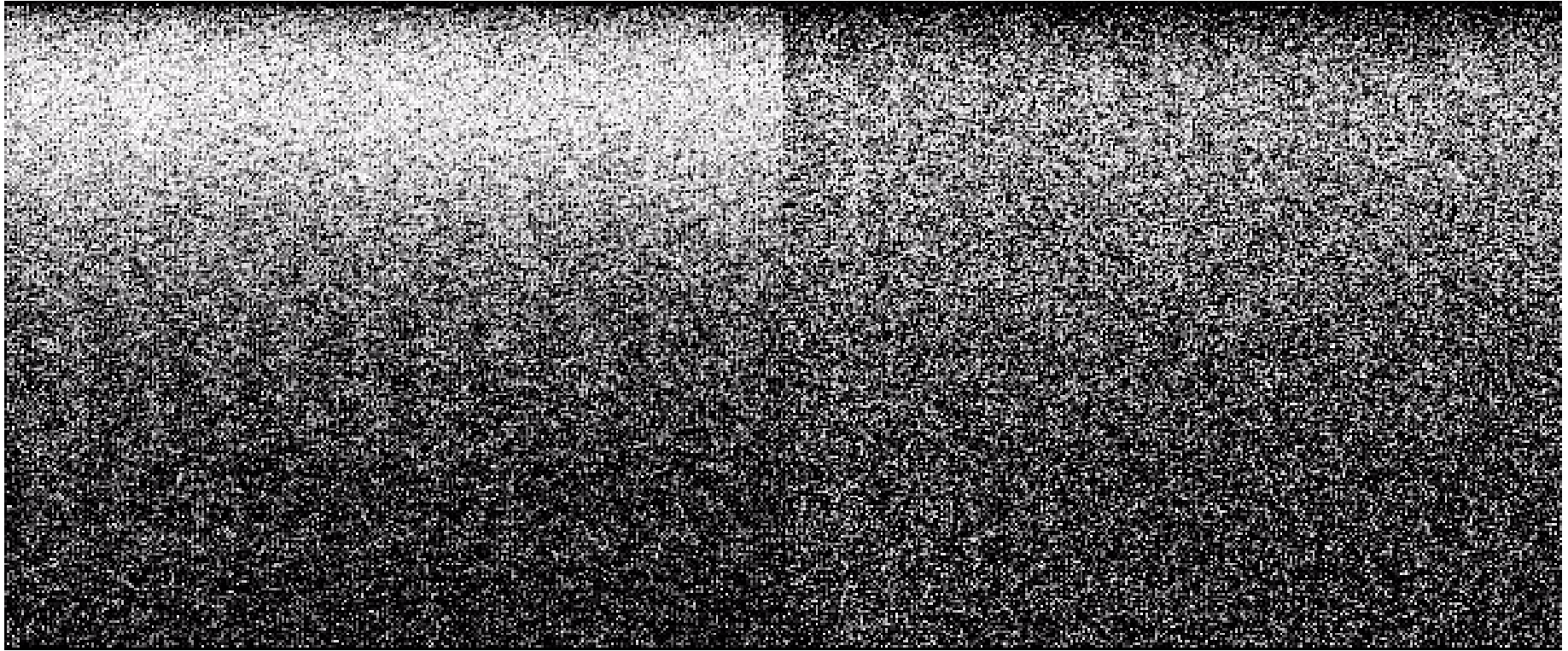
3D Triangulation

Estimated Uncertainty of 3D Position

# Example: Cased explosive at 1 MHz



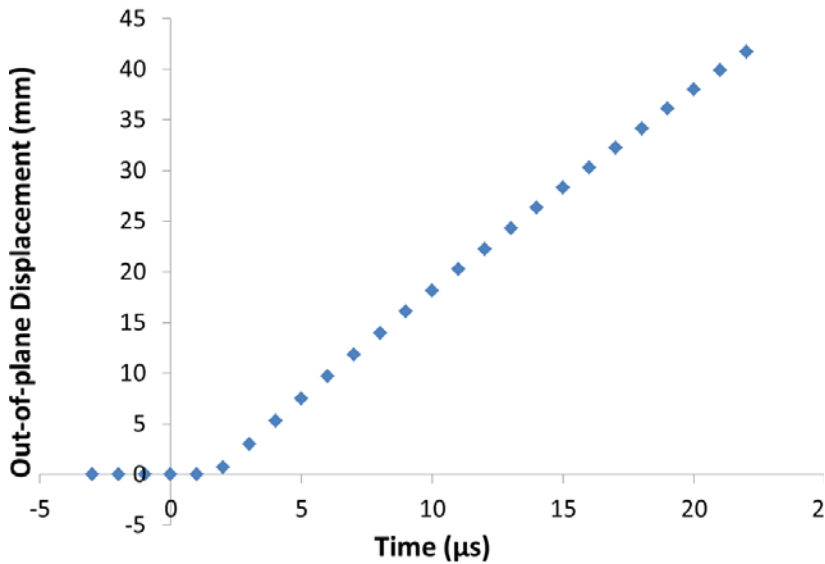
# Optical distortions must be considered beyond the lens.



Type B  
Optical Distortions

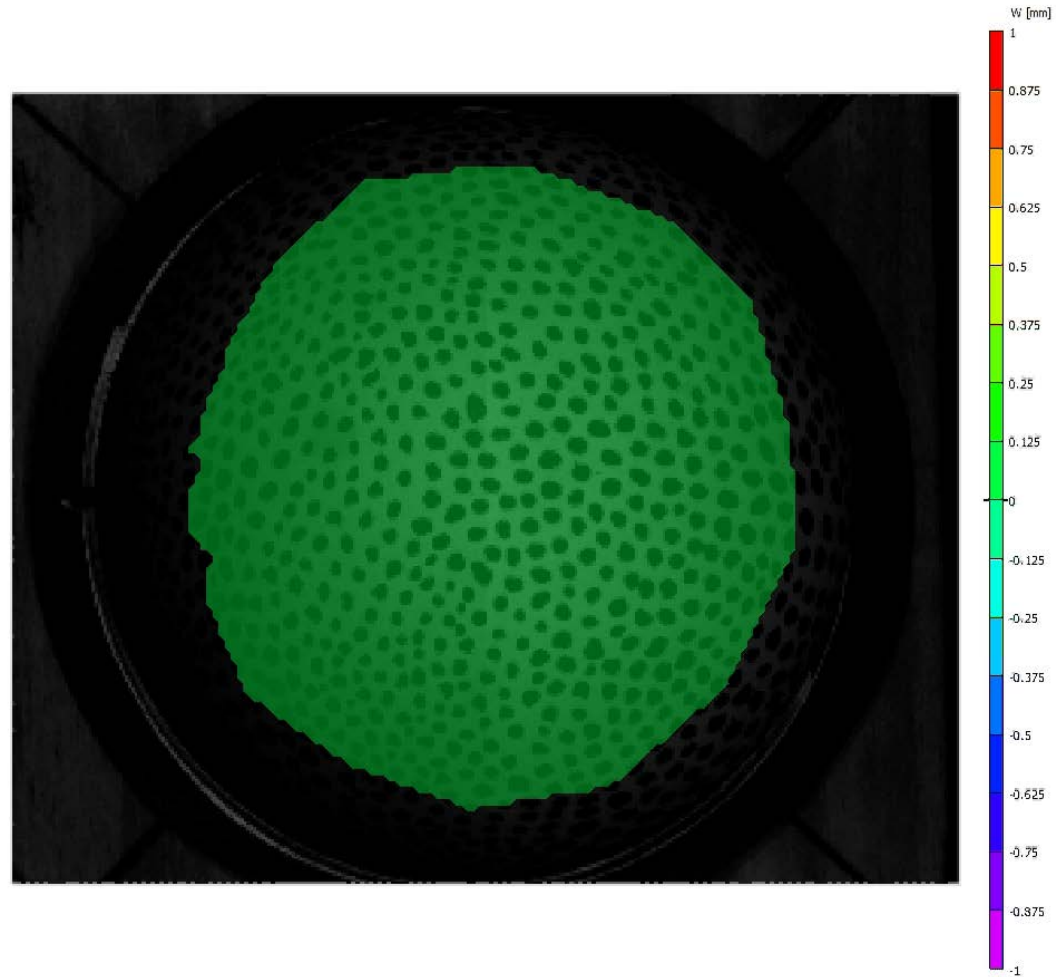
Estimated  
Uncertainty of 3D  
Position

# Typical displacement results at 1 Million frames per second

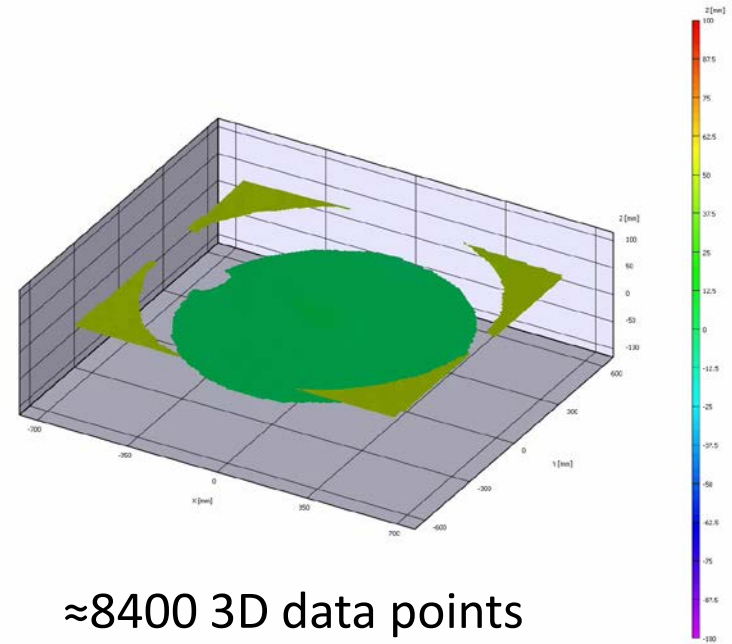
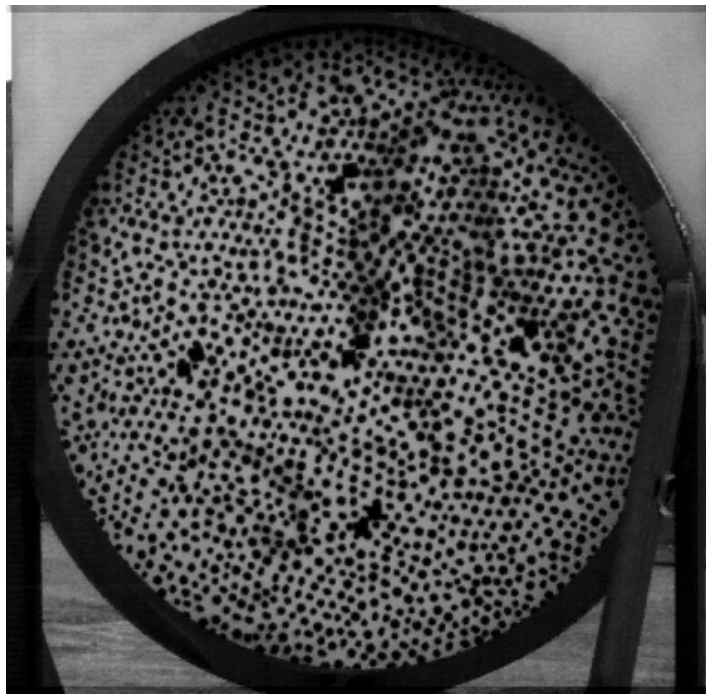


You can also get:

- 3D velocity
- Strain
- Strain rate



# Example: Blast loaded plate at 35-kHz



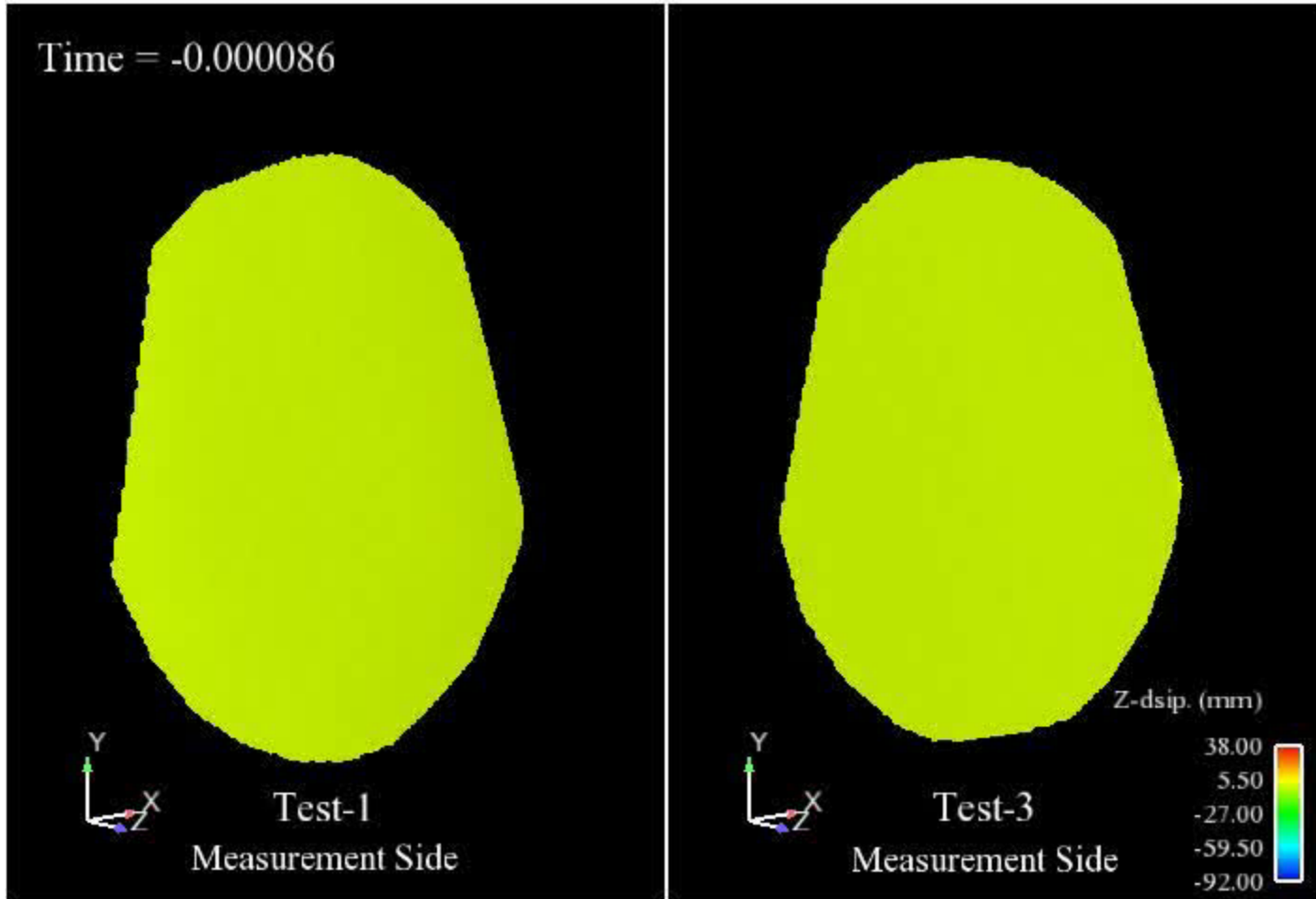
≈8400 3D data points

≈25 ft

1 Stereo-DIC System  
≈37,000 fps 368×360 Wide View

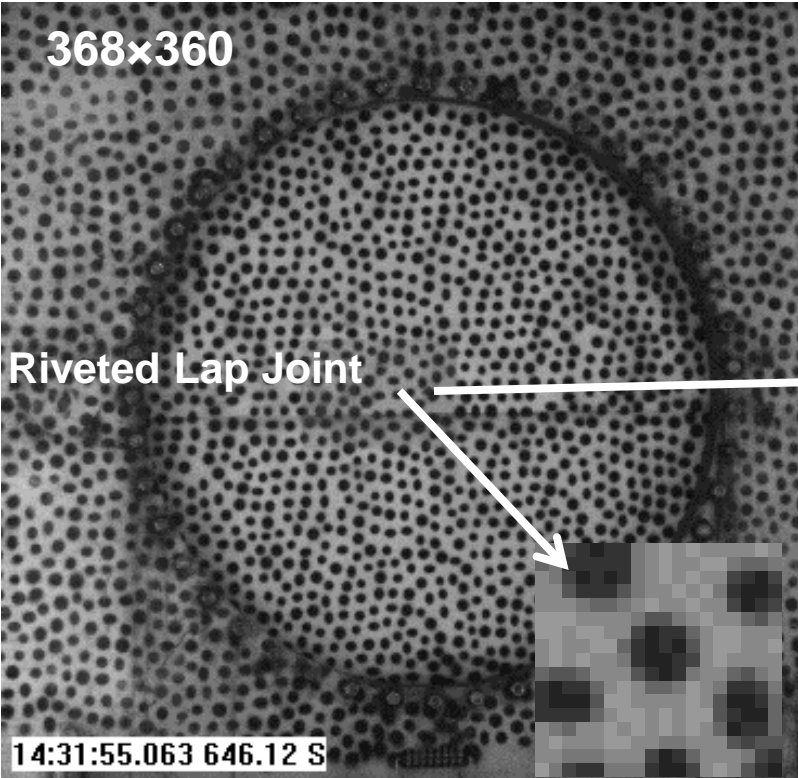


Full-field data helps with understanding the experiment.

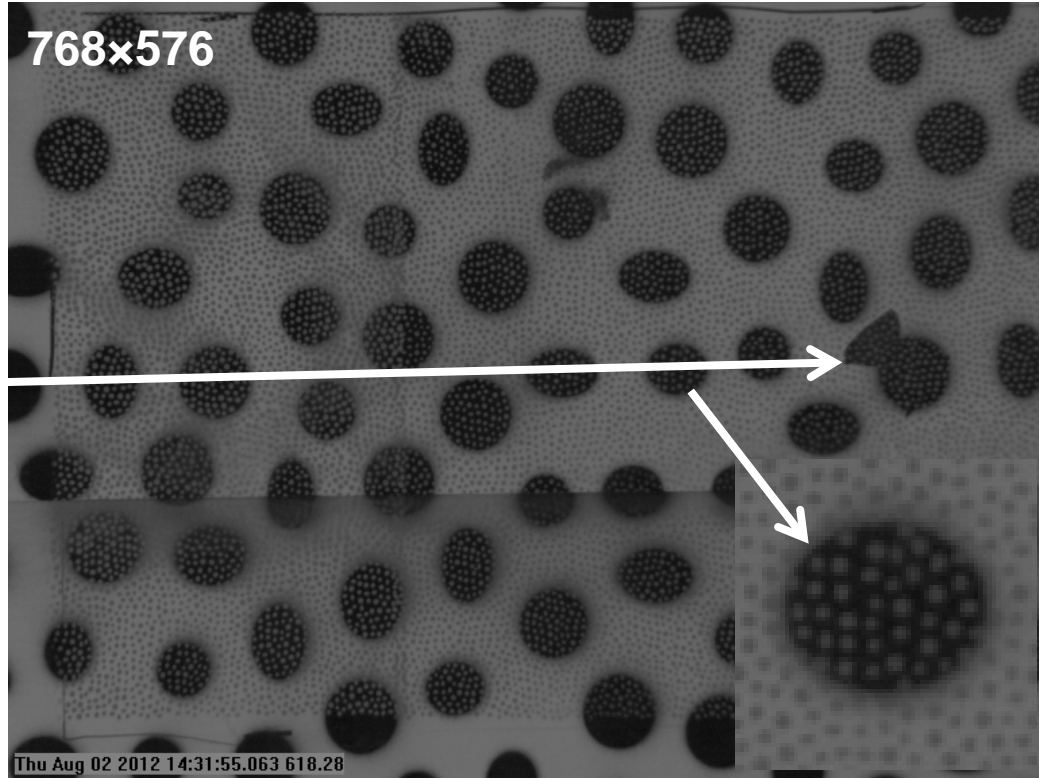




# Example: Simultaneous strain and displacement at 36 kHz.



4 mm/pixel

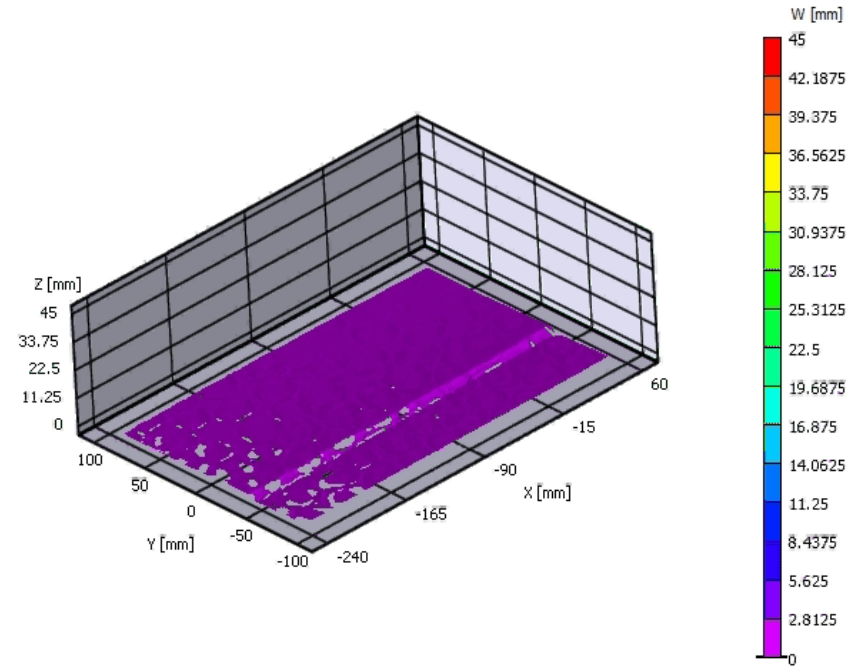
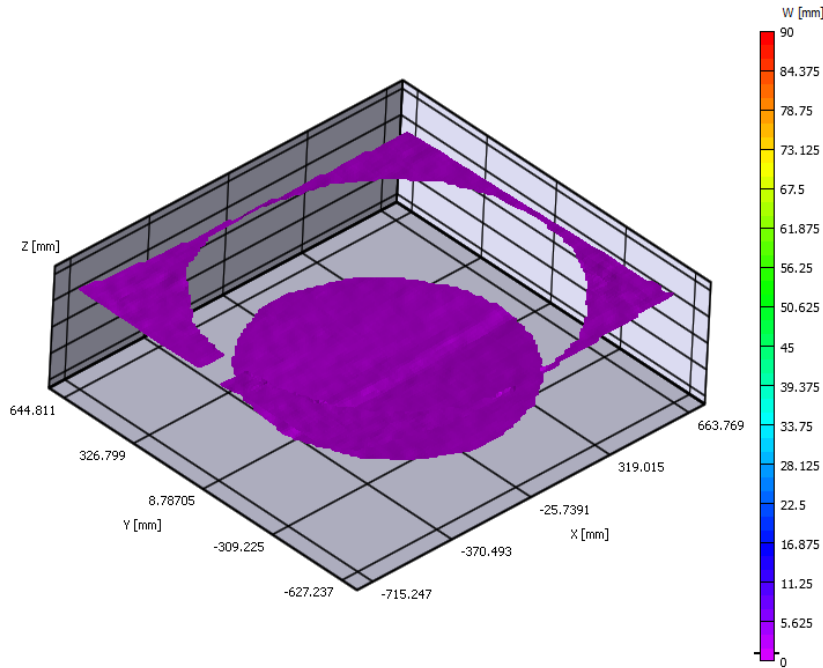


0.4 mm/pixel

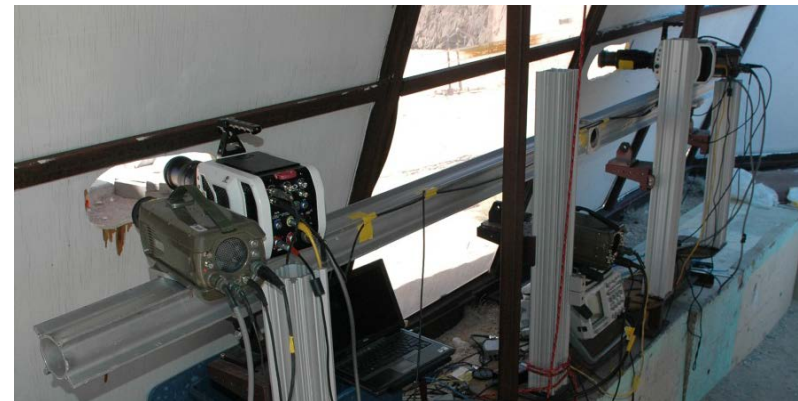
This works because the small speckles are severely aliased in the wide FOV.



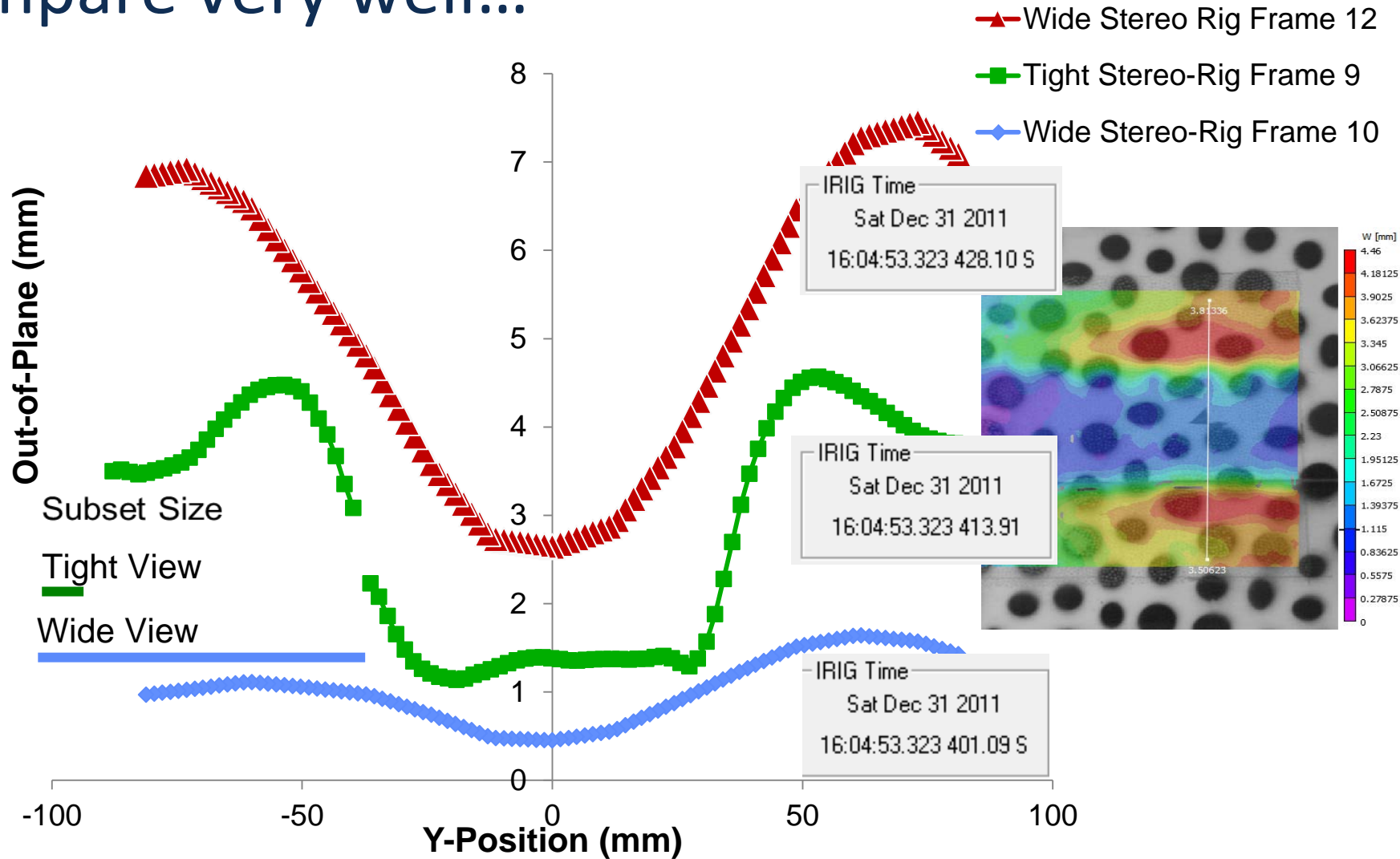
# We have two systems to measure at two different spatial resolutions.



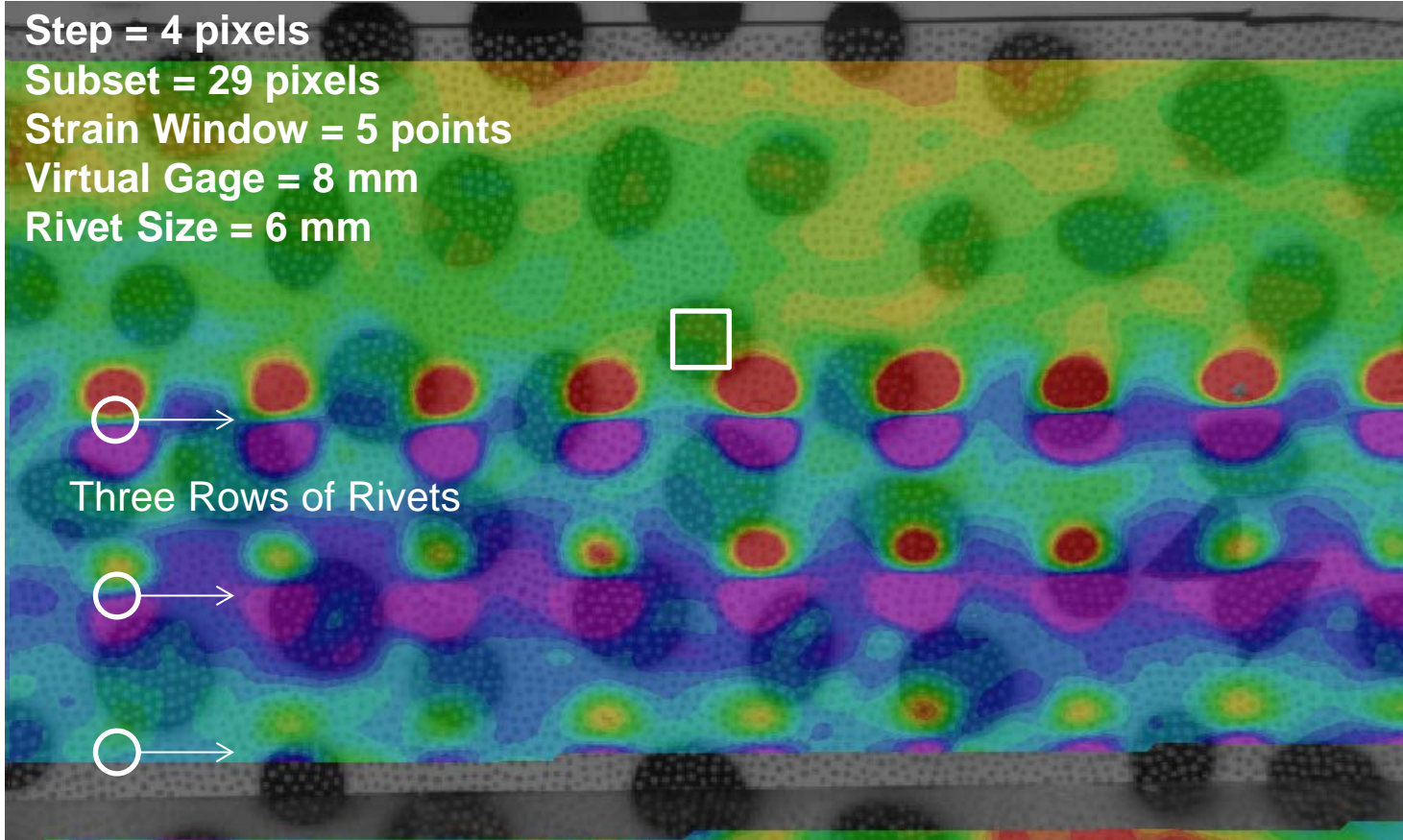
2 Stereo-DIC Systems  
≈37,000 fps 368×360 Wide View  
≈33,000 fps 768×576 Tight View



# The overall and tight results compare very well...



# With proper experimental design small virtual gage regions can be measured.

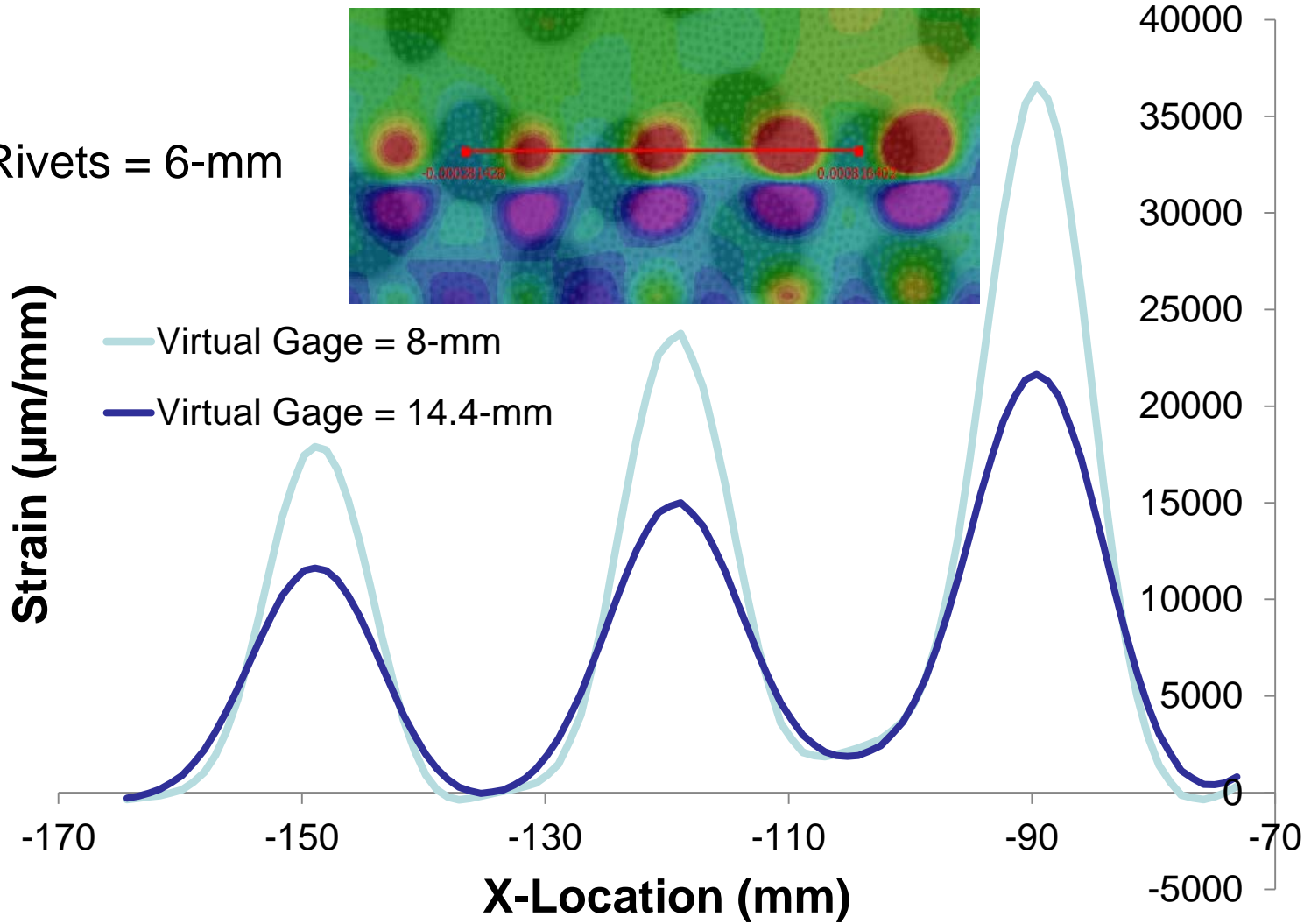


Estimated Uncertainty  
of 3D Position

Calculation of  
Strain

# Strain profiles across rivets.

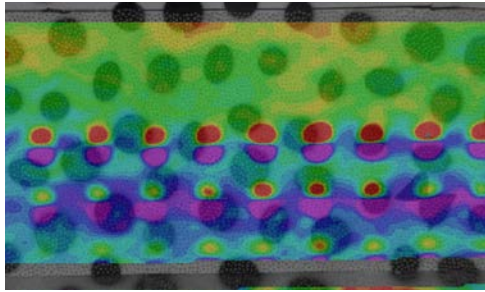
Rivets = 6-mm



Estimated Uncertainty  
of 3D Position

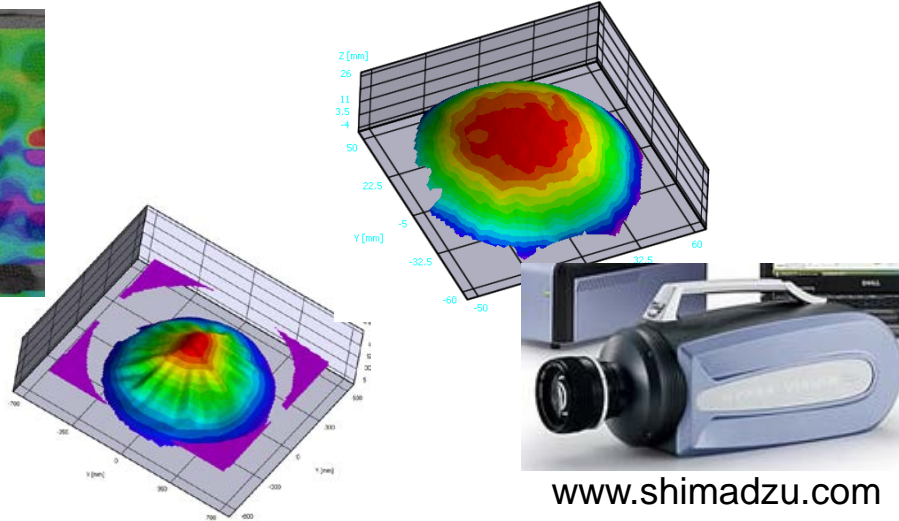
Calculation of  
Strain

# Imaging equipment has revolutionized experimental measurements.



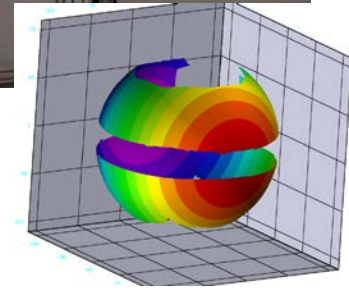
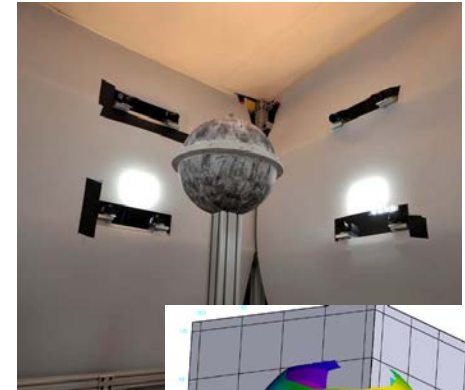
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High Speed Displacement and Strain

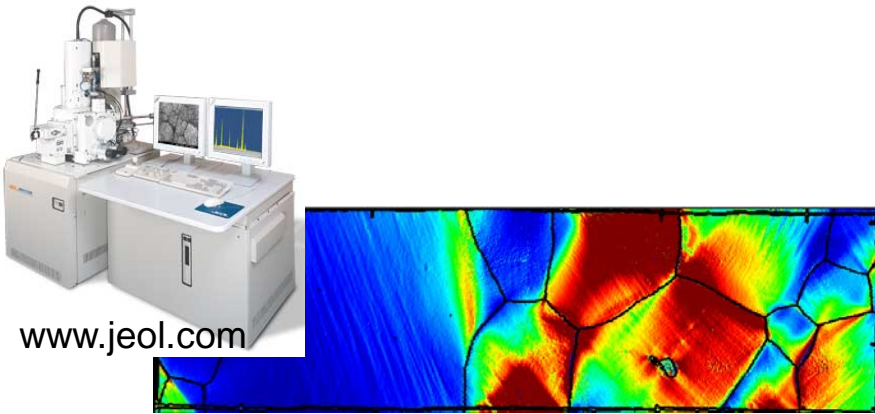


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1 Million FPS



Multi-System



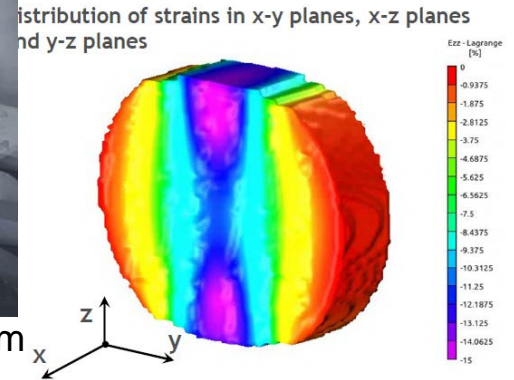
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Grain scale strain measurement (optical)



[www.exactmetrology.com](http://www.exactmetrology.com)

Volumetric strain fields

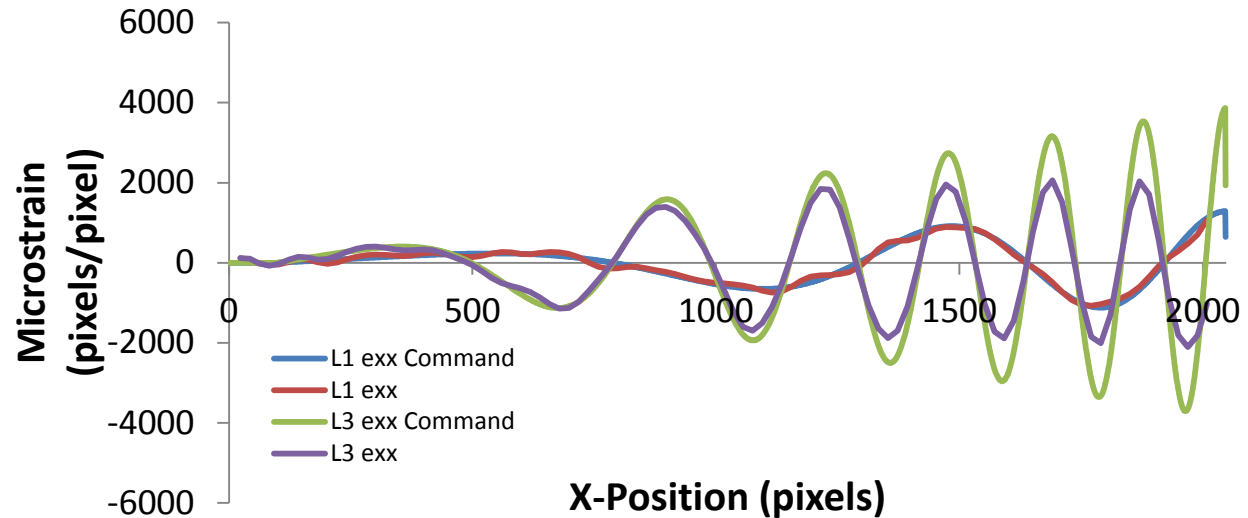


# The DIC community needs, training, standardization and guidelines.

- Publication requirements to provide important DIC information.

Strain	
Smoothing technique	Local polynomial - affine
VSG	10 data points, 8.5 mm
Spatial resolution	111 pixels, 9.4 mm
Resolution	$2.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$

- A real definition of spatial resolution is needed.



- Improved training beyond vendor provided – and agnostic of DIC software.



# DIC Challenge

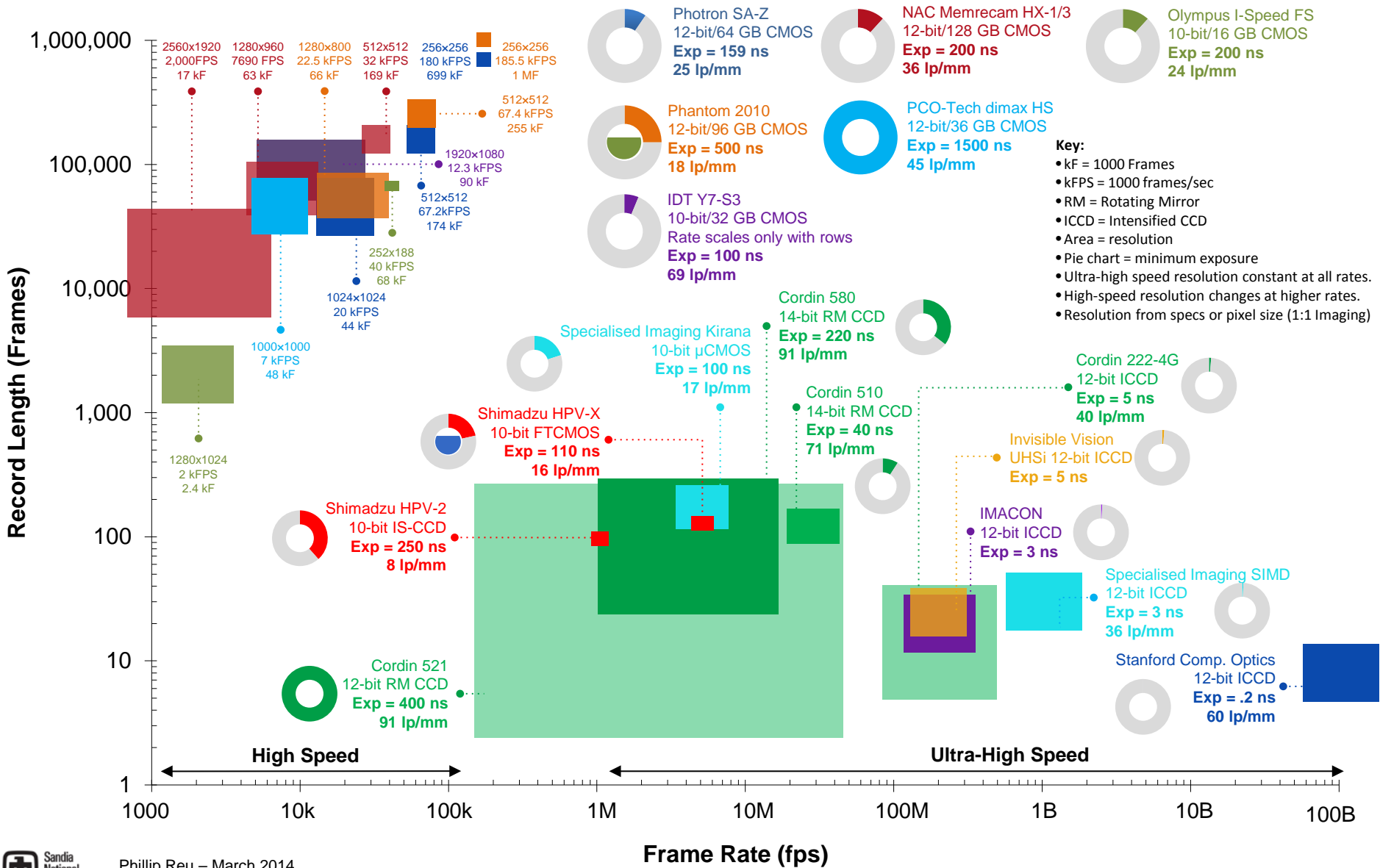
The DIC Challenge seeks to:

- Provide sample images for code verification and development.
- Benchmarked results for the sample images – published and peer-reviewed.
- A forum for the discussion and improvement of DIC.

- Phillip Reu – Chairman (US – FFT Shifting)
- Bertrand Wattrisse
- Evelyne Toussaint (EU – Data Analysis)
- Wei-Chung Wang (Asia)
- Laurent Robert (EU - TexGen)
- Hugh Bruck (US)
- Sam Daly (US)
- Ramon Rodriguez-Vera (Latin/South America)

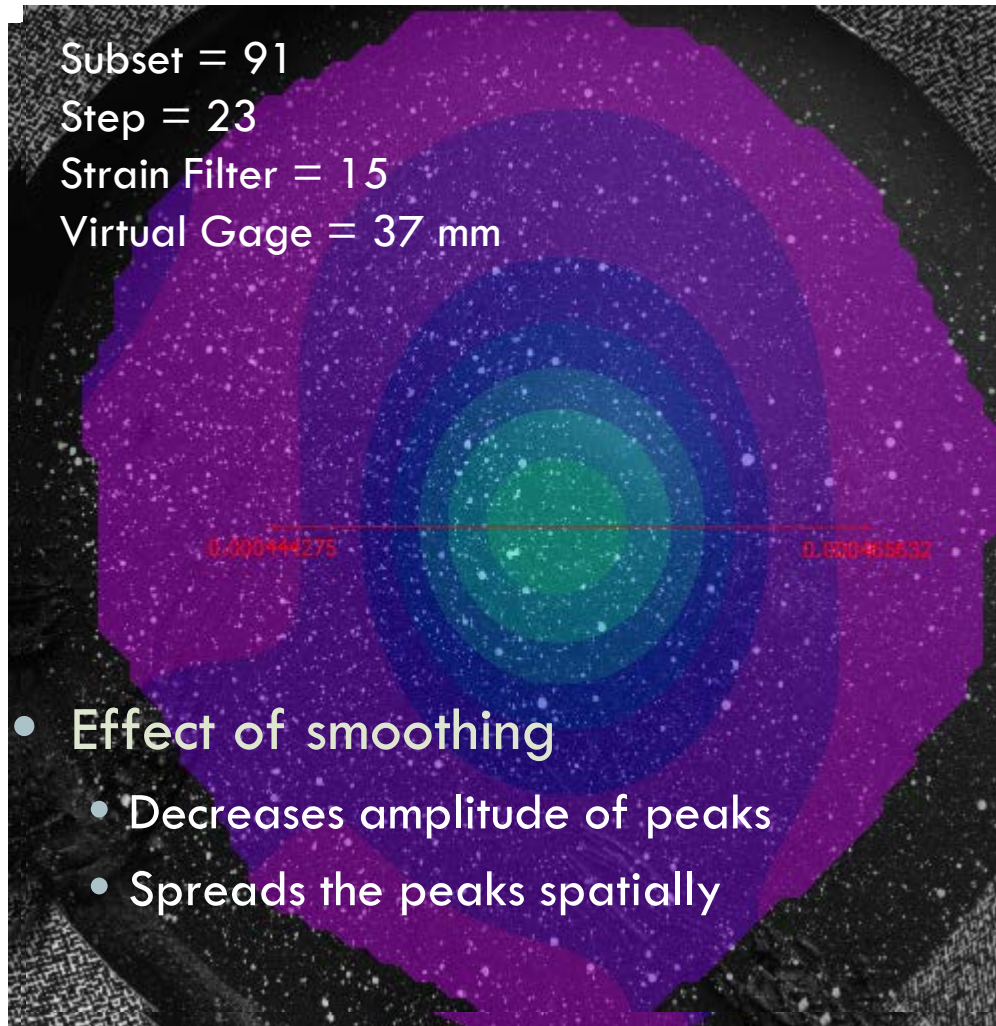
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Varying Strain	Sample 14	FFT	0 to 200	User	5	N/A	4
Varying Strain	Sample 15	TexGen	80 to 180	User	2	N/A	9

# The state of high-speed imaging





# Strain sensitivity case study using real data



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