

Widening the Spectral Processing Aperture with ENVI and Open-Source Tools

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Agenda

Simplified Analysis
Workflow



Entry Points



Example



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Farmland True Color To Principal Components

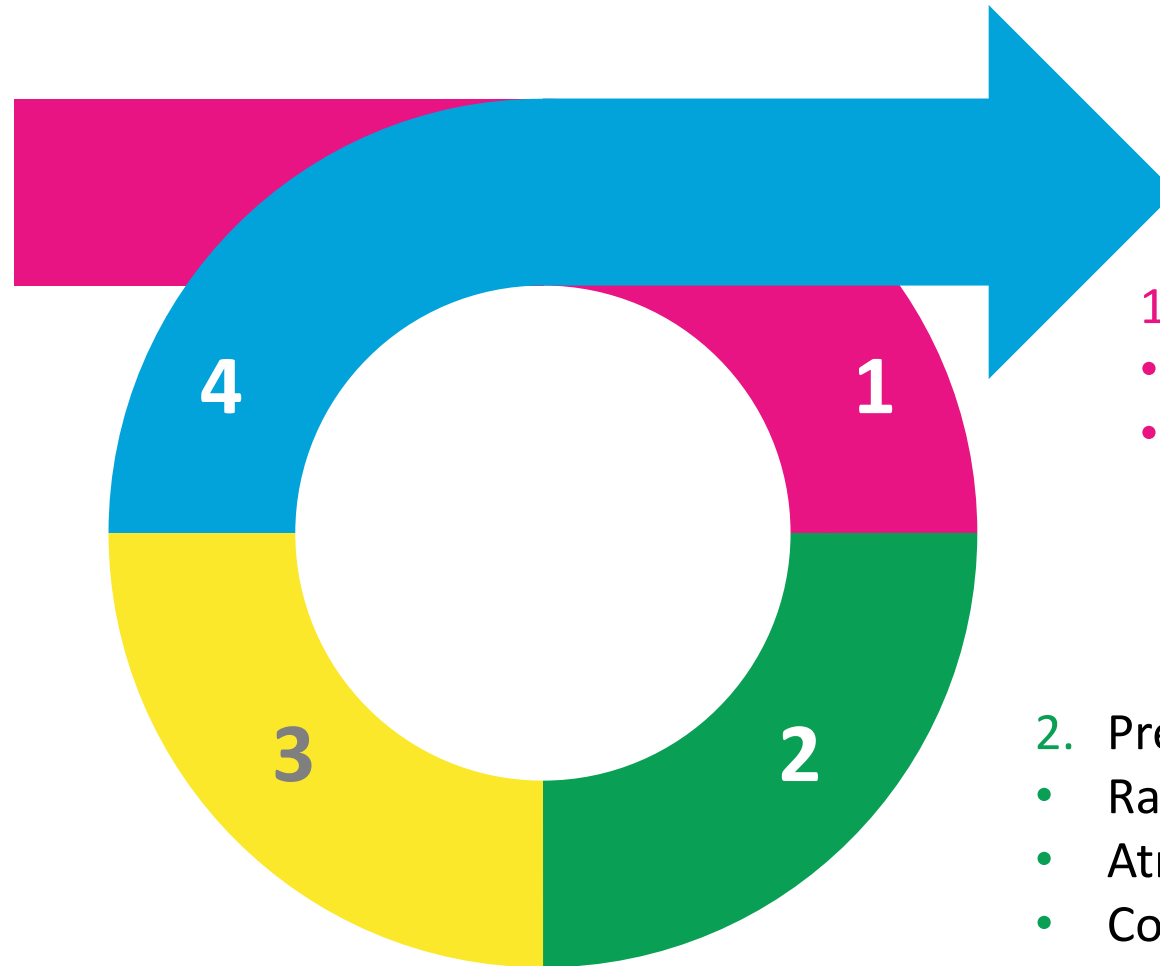
Simplified Analysis Workflow

4. Results and Validation

- Image Cleanup
- Final QA/QC
- Product generation

3. Data Processing

- Hardcore math



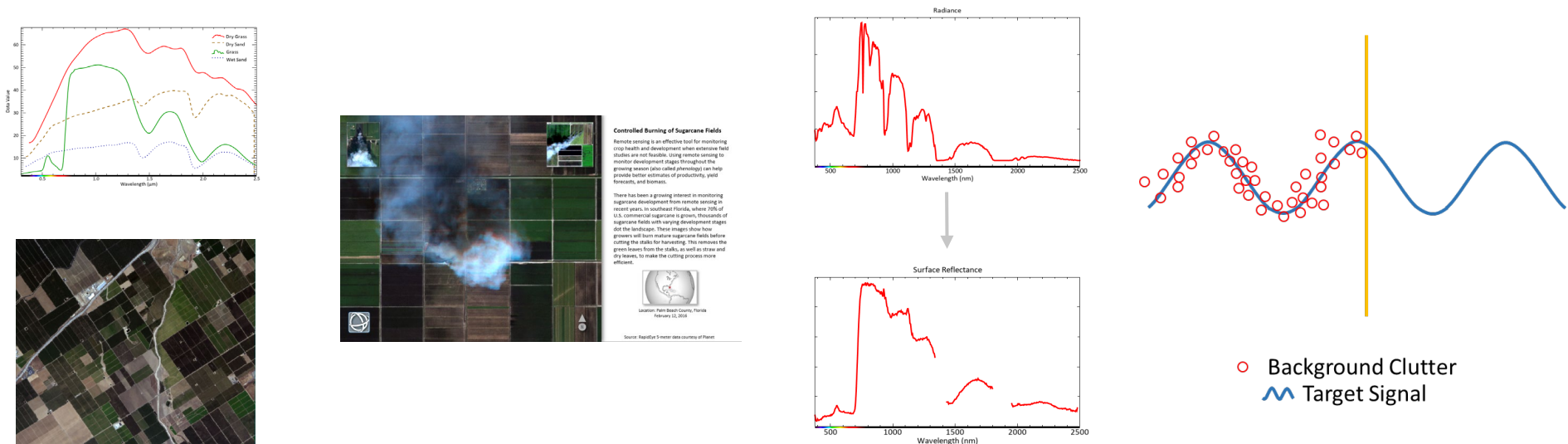
1. Data Exploration

- Literal image interpretation
- Manual spectral analysis

2. Preprocessing / Data Prep

- Radiometric calibration
- Atmospheric correction
- Coregistration

How ENVI Users Incorporate Open Source



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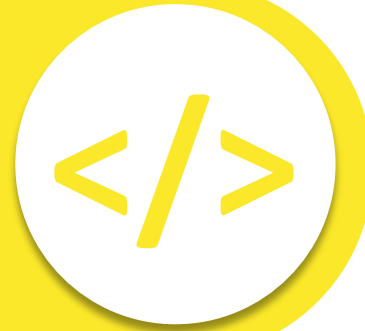
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How Does Open Source Want to Interact with ENVI



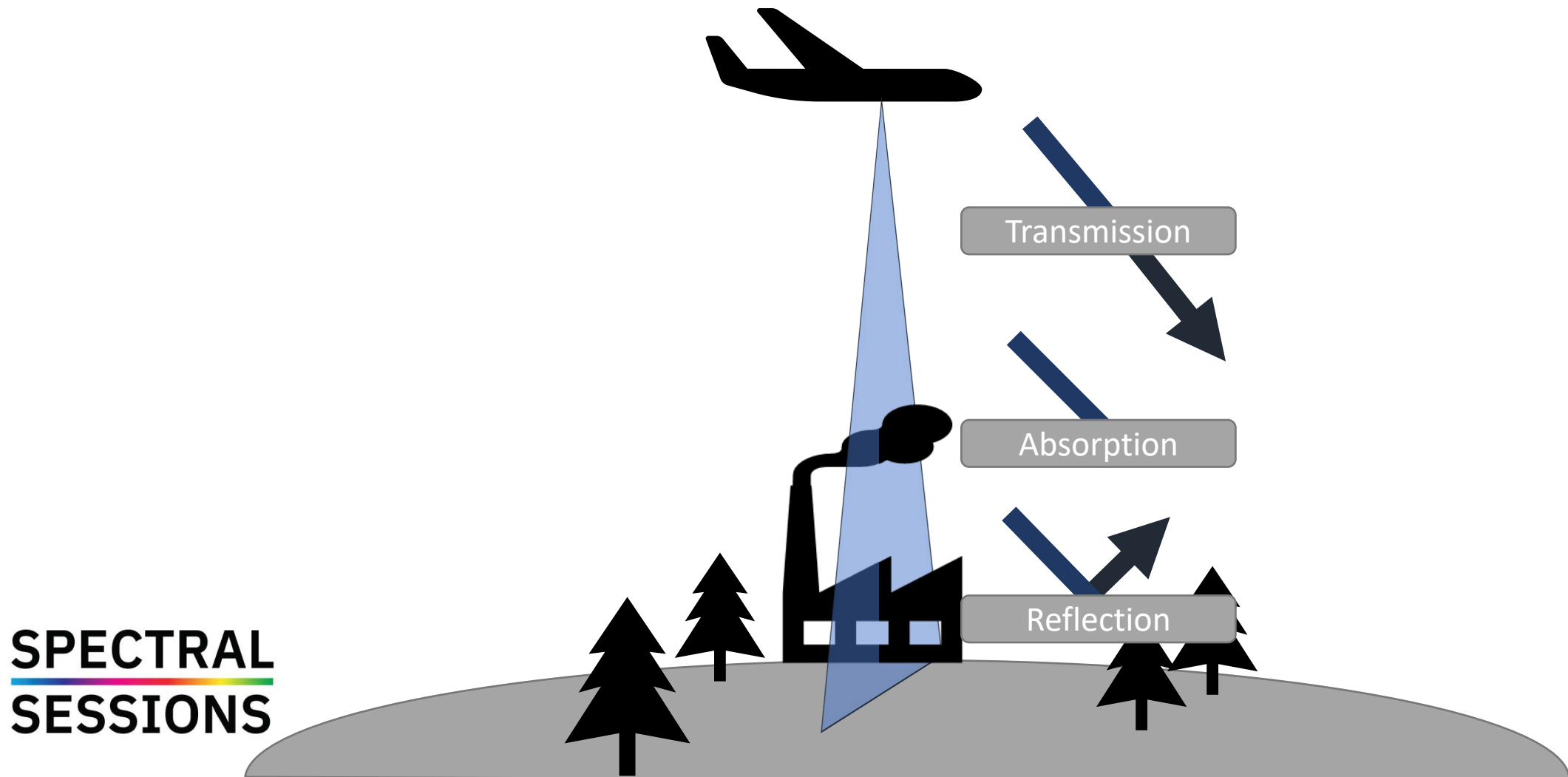
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Generalization of Methane Detection Process



Thank You!



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Fast and Accurate Retrieval of Methane Concentration From Imaging Spectrometer Data Using Sparsity Prior

Foote, M. D., Dennison, P. E., Thorpe, A. K., Thompson, D. R., Jongaramrungruang, S., Frankenberg, C., & Joshi, S. C. (2020). **Fast and accurate retrieval of methane concentration from imaging spectrometer data using sparsity prior.** *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, 58(9), 6480-6492.

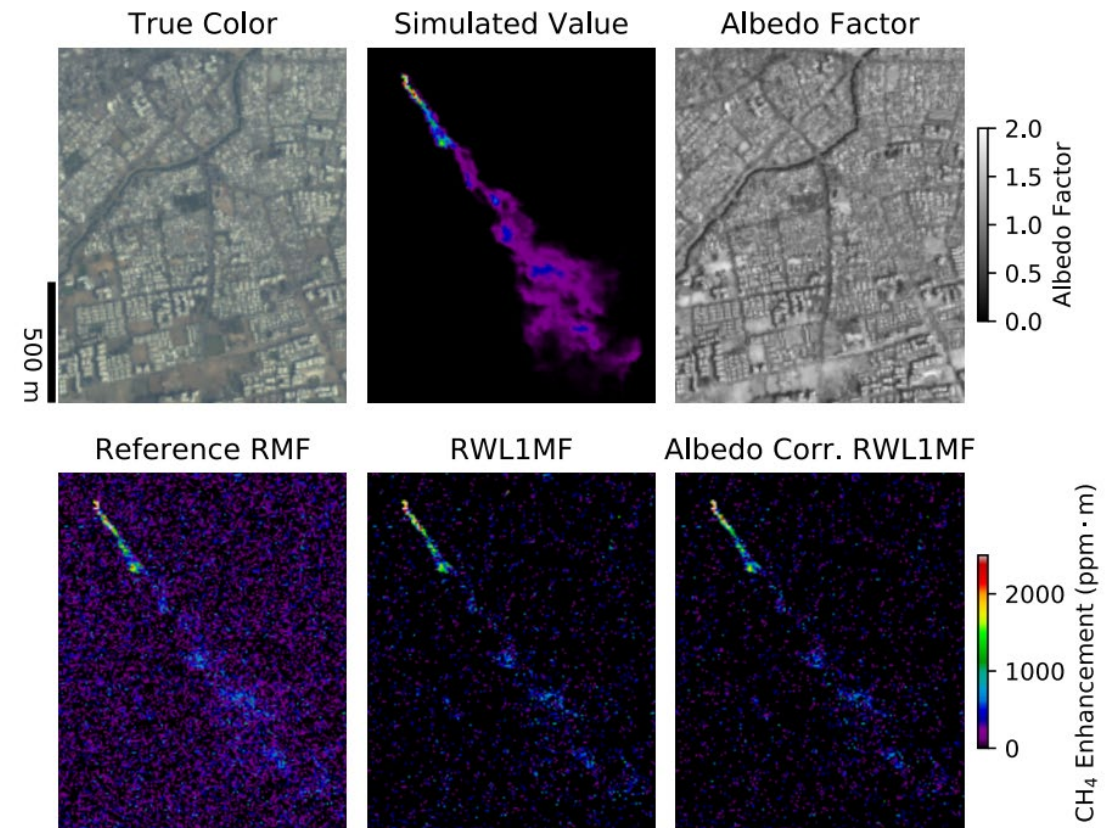
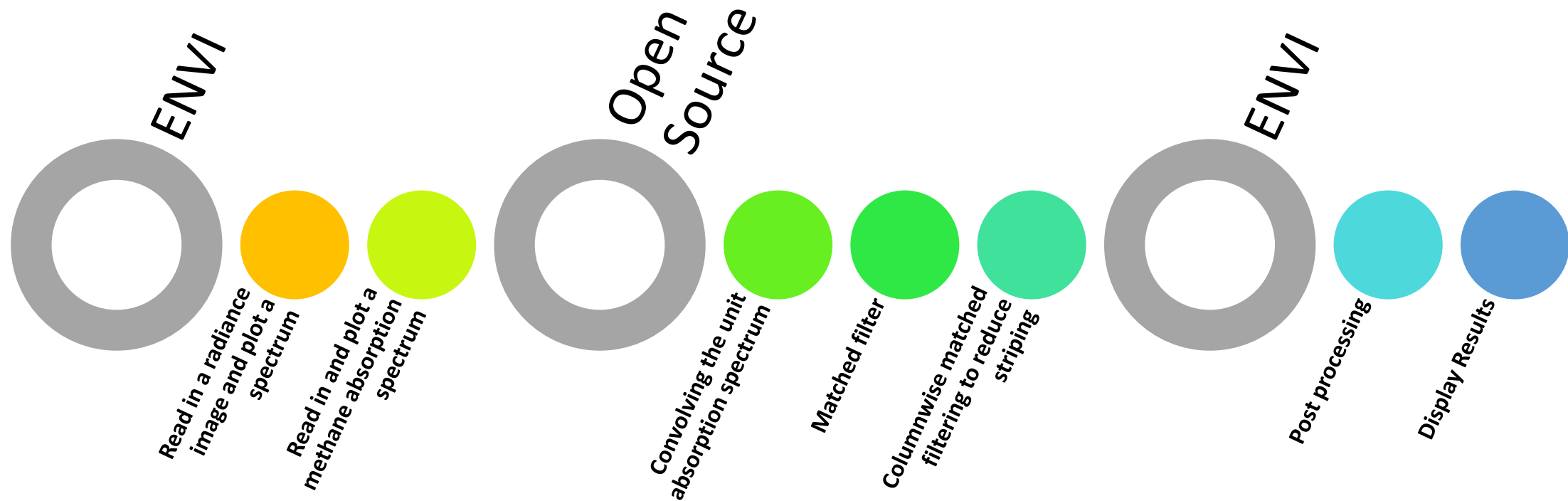


Fig. 6. Example retrievals of simulated methane plumes using each retrieval method.

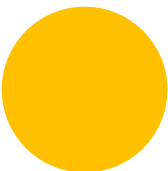
Workflow



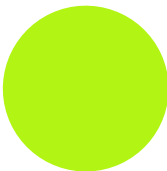
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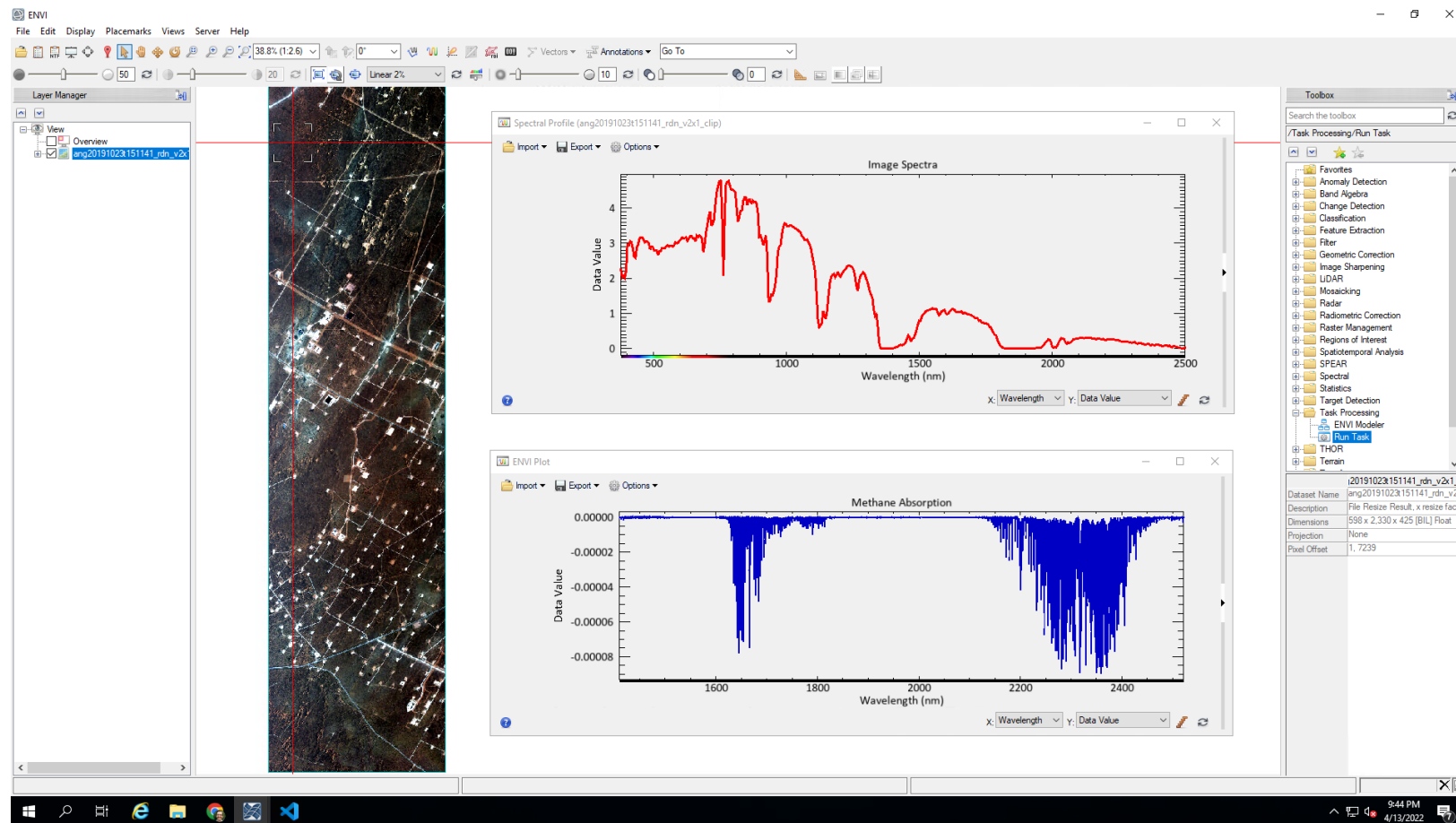
Read in a radiance
image and plot a
spectrum



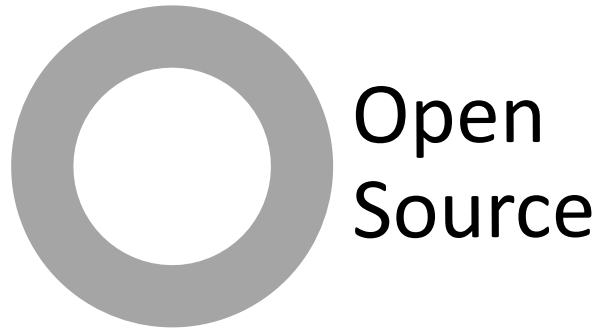
Read in and plot a
methane absorption
spectrum



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Convolving the Unit Absorption Spectrum

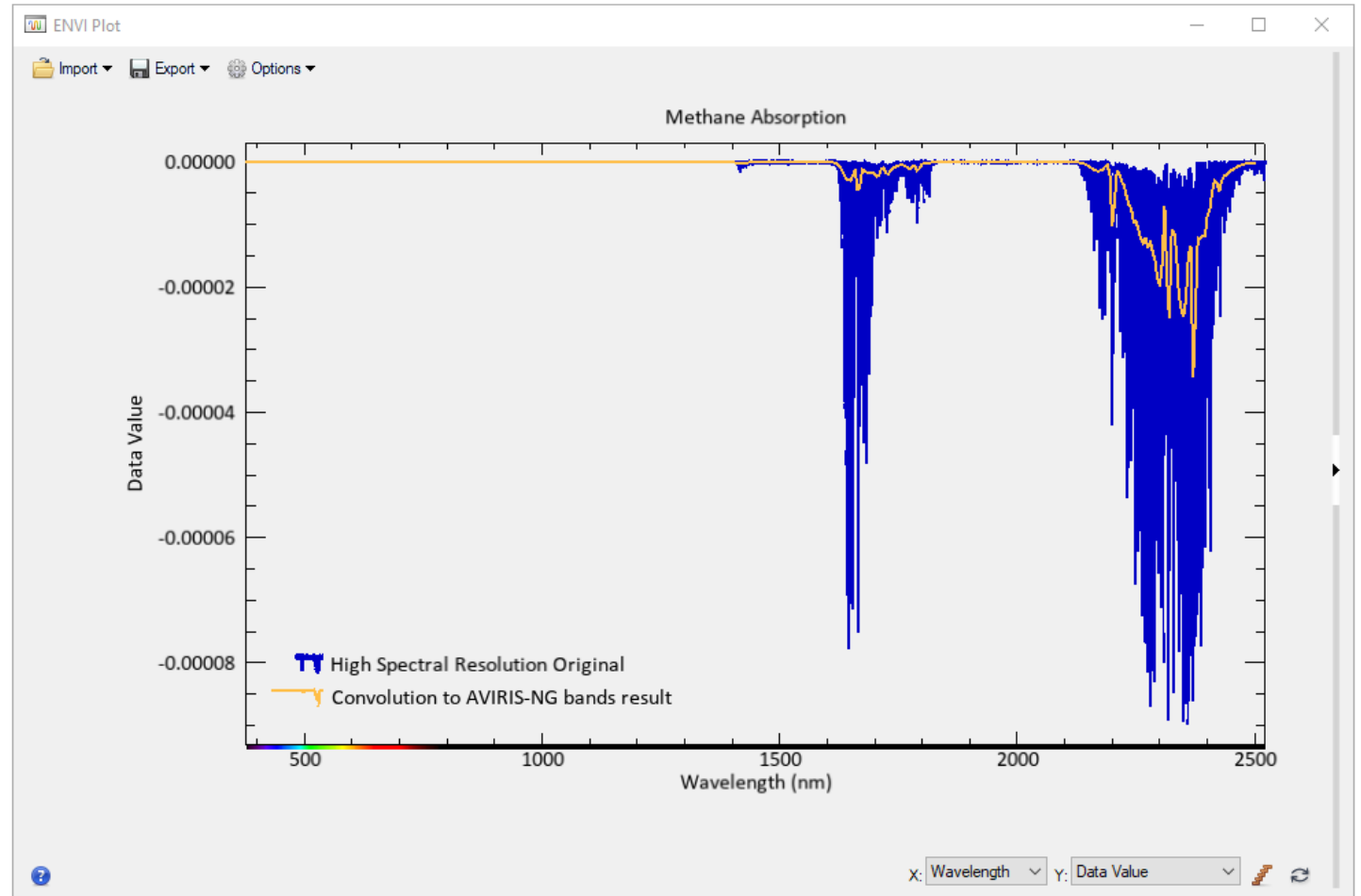


Convolving the unit
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spectrum

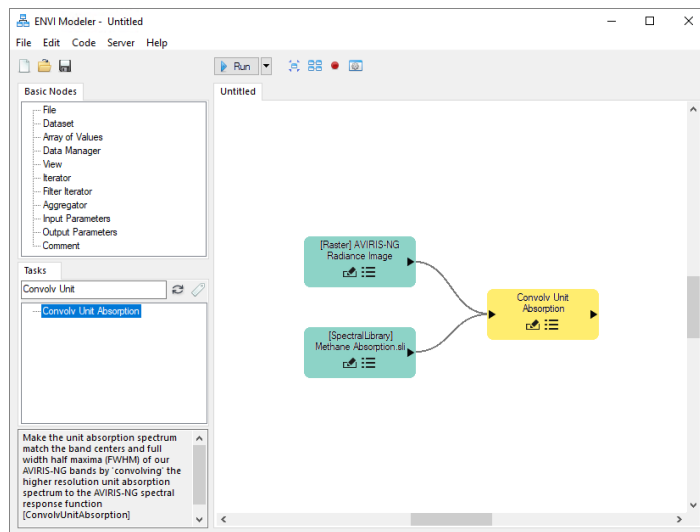
Matched filter

Columnwise
matched filtering to
reduce striping

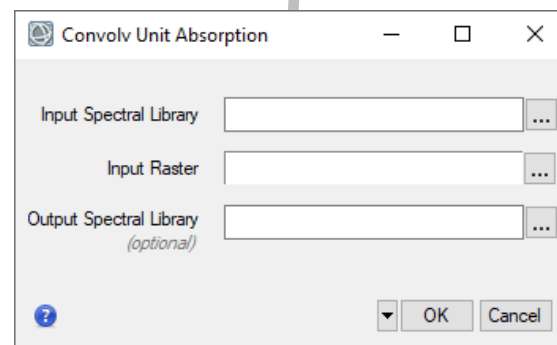
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Write Code
Within IDL

General Format of Tool Wrapper



Convolving the Unit Absorption Spectrum (IDL Code)

Package Requirements

```
; Wrap the Python Task
Python.Run, "def CUA(rast_fwhm, specLib_wl, rast_centers, specLib_vals):\n" + $

    ; Import Numpy
    " import numpy as np\n" + $

    ; Convert FWHM into standard deviation
    ; Build the new library
    " sigma = rast_fwhm / (2.0 * np.sqrt(2.0 * np.log(2.0)))\n" + $
    ; Get the file name
    if N_ELEMENTS(output_filename) eq 0 then output_filename = e.GetTemporaryFilename('sli')
    ; Assign Gaussian function weights corresponding to each AVIRIS-NG band
    rast_fwhm = input_raster.METADATA['FWHM']
    response = np.exp(-(specLib_wl[:, None] - rast_centers[None, :])**2 / (2*(sigma**2))) /
    rast_centers = input_raster.METADATA['WAVELENGTH']
    np.sqrt(2*np.pi*(sigma**2))\n" + $
    output_spectral_library = EnviSpectralLibrary(output_filename)
    input_spectral_library.GetSpectrum((input_spectral_library.SPECTRA_NAMES)[0])
    ; Force weights to sum to 1
    specLib_wl = absorptionSpectrum.Wavelengths
    response = np.divide(response, response.sum(axis=0), where=response.sum(axis=0) > 0)
    output_spectral_library.AddSpectrum(SpecPartsSpecWL=rast_centers, WAVELENGTH_UNITS = (input_raster.METADATA)['WAVELENGTH UNITS']
    out=response)\n" + $

    ; add the spectra
    ; Implement resampling 'convolution' as matrix multiply
    output_spectral_library.AddSpectra, 'Spectra # 1', uas_val_avg
    " uas_val_avg = specLib_vals.squeeze().dot(response)\n" + $

    ; Return the convolved spectra
    " return uas_val_avg"

; Run the Python code
uas_val_avg = Python.CUA(rast_fwhm, specLib_wl, rast_centers, specLib_vals)
```

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Convoluting The Unit Absorption Spectrum (IDL Code)

Define Inputs

```
; Get the data
rast_fwhm = (input_raster.METADATA)['FWHM']
rast_centers = (input_raster.METADATA)['WAVELENGTH']
absorptionSpectrum = input_spectral_library.GetSpectrum((input_spectral_library.SPECTRA_NAMES)[0])
specLib_wl = absorptionSpectrum.Wavelengths
specLib_vals = absorptionSpectrum.Spectrum
```

Run Tool

```
; Wrap the Python Task
Python.Run, "def CUA(rast_fwhm, specLib_wl, rast_centers, specLib_vals):\n" + $

; Import Numpy
" import numpy as np\n" + $

; Convert FWHM into standard deviation
" sigma = rast_fwhm / (2.0 * np.sqrt(2.0 * np.log(2.0)))\n" + $

; Assign Gaussian function weights corresponding to each AVIRIS-NG band
" response = np.exp(-(specLib_wl[:, None] - rast_centers[None, :])**2 / (2*(sigma**2))) /\n  np.sqrt(2*np.pi*(sigma**2))\n" + $

; Force weights to sum to 1
" response = np.divide(response, response.sum(axis=0), where=response.sum(axis=0) > 0, out=response)\n" + $

; Implement resampling 'convolution' as matrix multiply
" uas_val_avg = specLib_vals.squeeze().dot(response)\n" + $

; Return the convolved spectra
" return uas_val_avg"

; Run the Python code
uas_val_avg = Python.CUA(rast_fwhm, specLib_wl, rast_centers, specLib_vals)
```

Package Results

```
; Build the new library
; Get the file name
if N_ELEMENTS(output_filename) eq 0 then output_filename = e.GetTemporaryFilename('sli')

; create the library
output_spectral_library = EnviSpectralLibrary(output_filename)

; add the wavelengths
output_spectral_library->SetProperty, WL=rast_centers, WAVELENGTH_UNITS = (input_raster.METADATA)['WAVELENGTH UNITS']

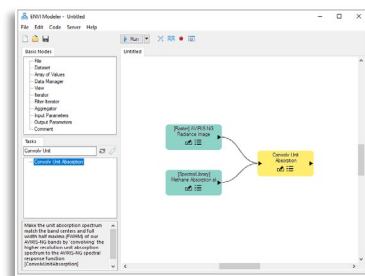
; add the spectra
output_spectral_library.AddSpectra, 'Spectra # 1', uas_val_avg
```

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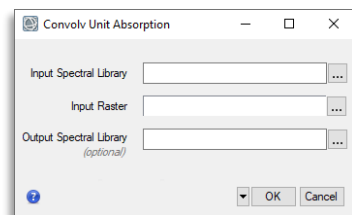
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ENVI Custom Task Creation

- The ENVI Modeler allows ENVI Tasks to be used as building blocks for creating custom workflows.



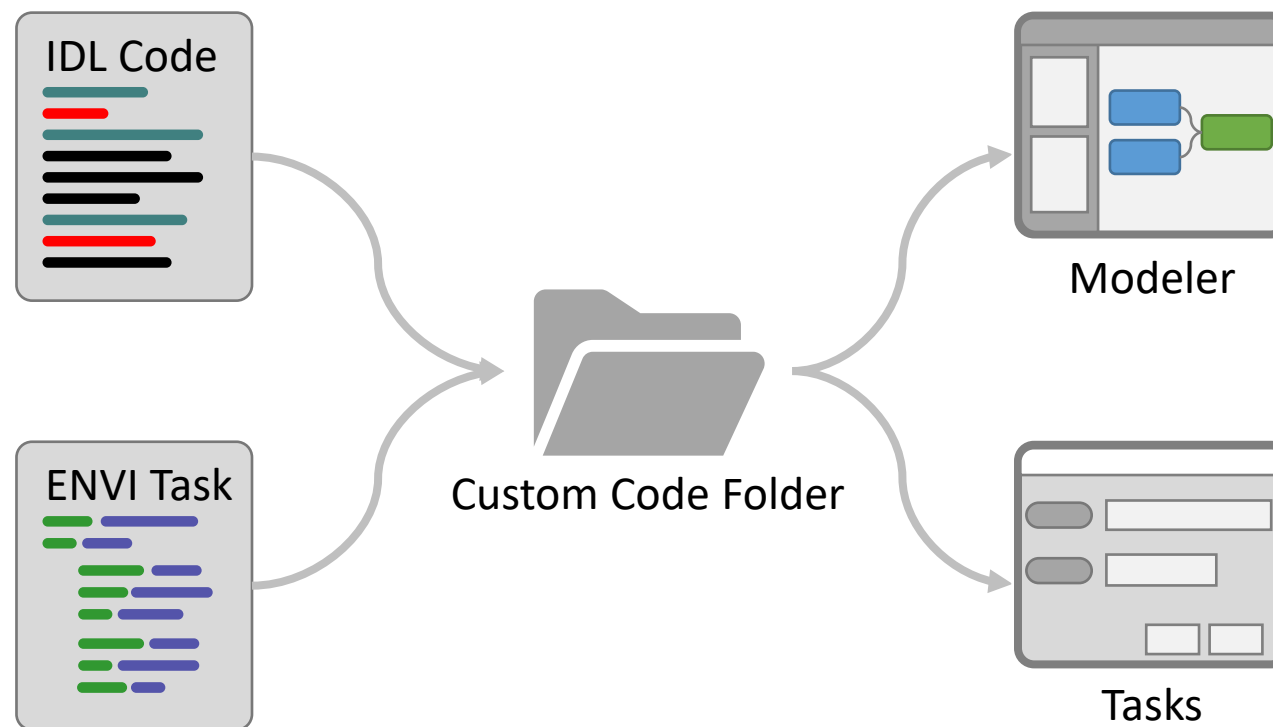
- Tasks automatically generate a dynamic user interfaces.



- Parameters are automatically validated.

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```

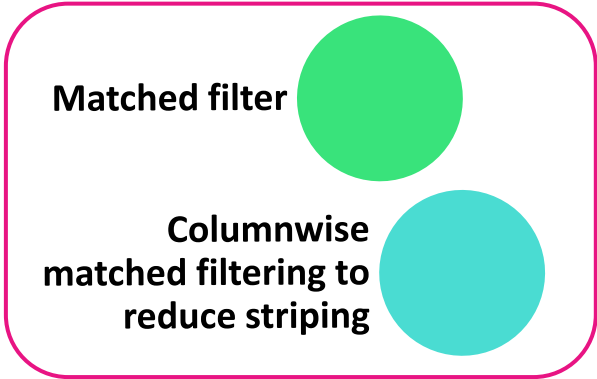
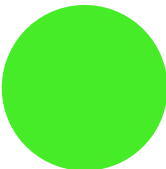
Quick Recap of ENVI Task



Matched Filter



Convolving the unit
absorption
spectrum



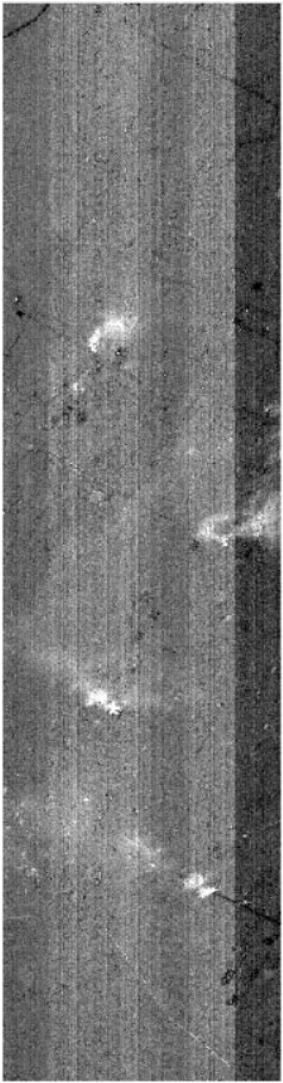
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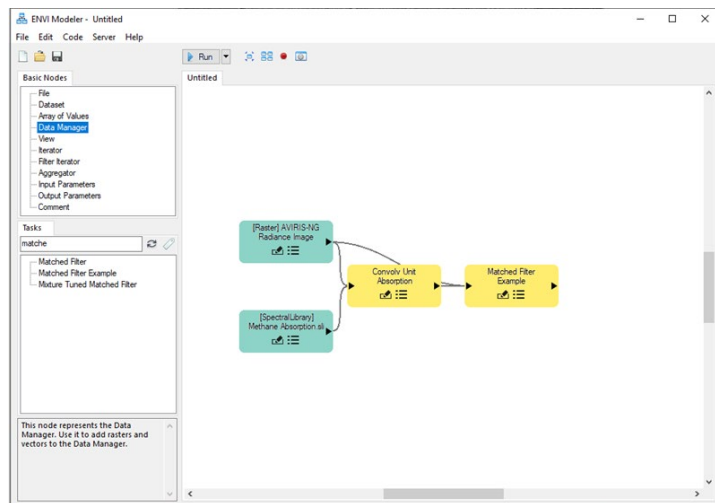
True Color Image



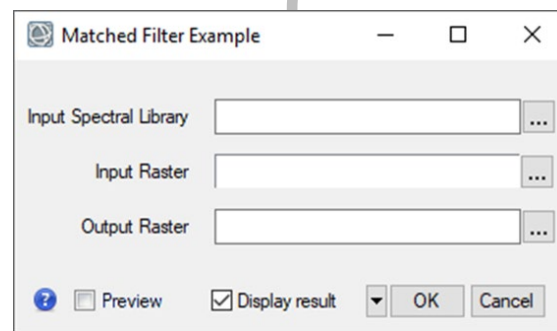
Methane Detection Image



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IDL Call Out
To Code

Columnwise Matched Filtering to Reduce Striping (IDL Code)

Package: `defilter`

```
; Get the data that we will be using
; Add the current directory to the python path
hdr_fname = fix_path((input_raster.AUXILIARY_URI)[0])
!null = Python.Run('import sys')
img_fname = fix_path(input_raster.URI)
!null = Python.Run('sys.path.append("'" + current_dir + "'")')
uas_val_avg = ...
output_raster = e.create_raster(output_filename, result)
(input_spectral_library.GetSpectrum((input_spectral_library.SPECTRA_NAMES)[0])).Spectrum
output_raster.save_reference
MatchFilterExample = Python.import('MatchFilterExample')
; get the path to where this routine is located
result = MatchFilterExample.match_filter(hdr_fname, img_fname, uas_val_avg)
current_dir = ROUTINE_DIR()
current_dir = fix_path(current_dir)
```

Columnwise Matched Filtering to Reduce Striping (IDL Code)

Define Inputs

```
; Get the data that we will be using
hdr_fname = fix_path((input_raster.AUXILIARY_URI)[0])
img_fname = fix_path(input_raster.URI)
uas_val_avng =
(input_spectral_library.GetSpectrum((input_spectral_library.SPECTRA_NAMES)[0])).Spectrum

; get the path to where this routine is located
current_dir = ROUTINE_DIR()
current_dir = fix_path(current_dir)
```

Run Tool

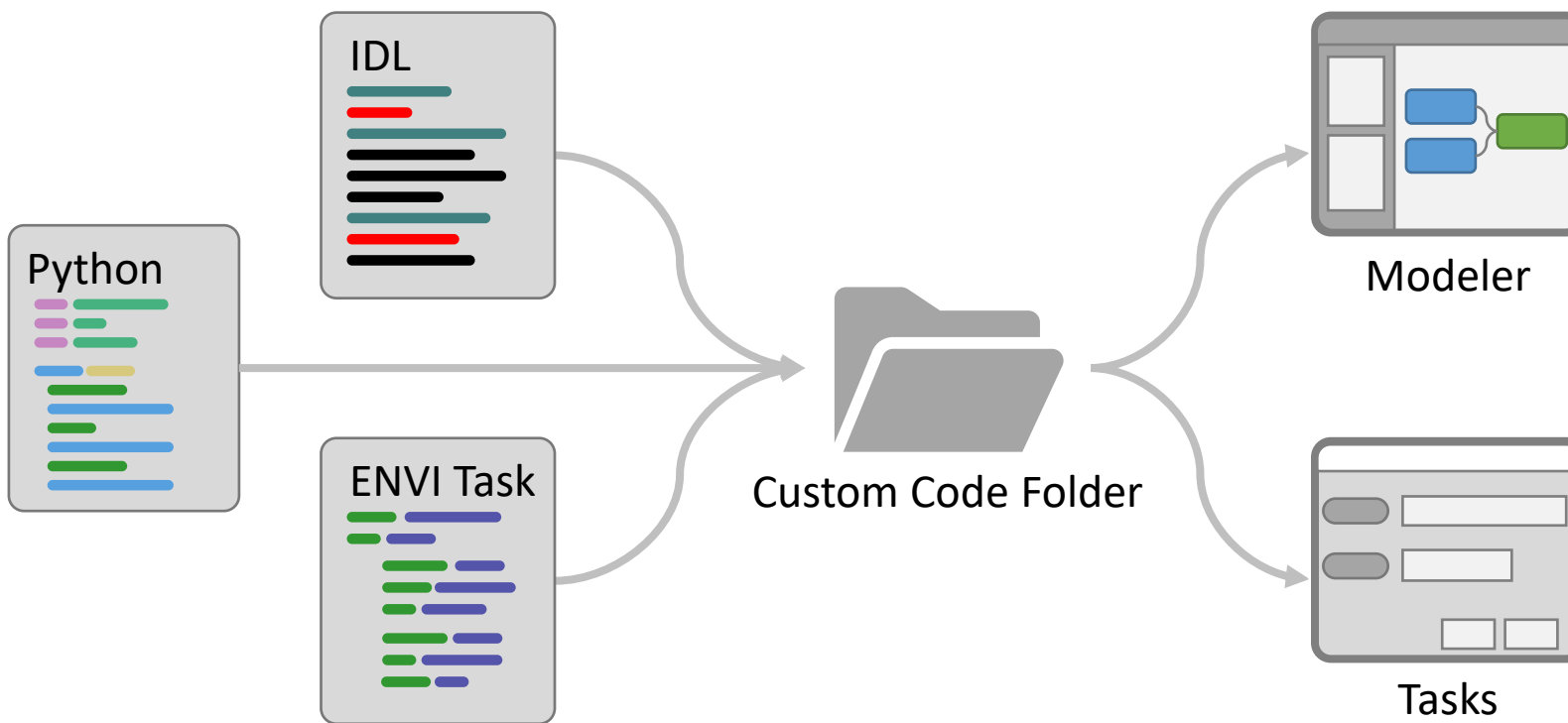
```
; Add the current directory to the python path
!null = Python.Run('import sys')
!null = Python.Run("sys.path.append('"+current_dir+"')")

; Create the IMG reference
MatchFilterExample = Python.import('MatchFilterExample')
result = MatchFilterExample.match_filter(hdr_fname, img_fname, uas_val_avng)
```

Package Results

```
; write out the new image
output_raster = e.createraster(output_filename, result)
output_raster.save
```

Quick Recap of ENVI Task



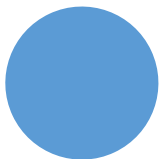
Final Display



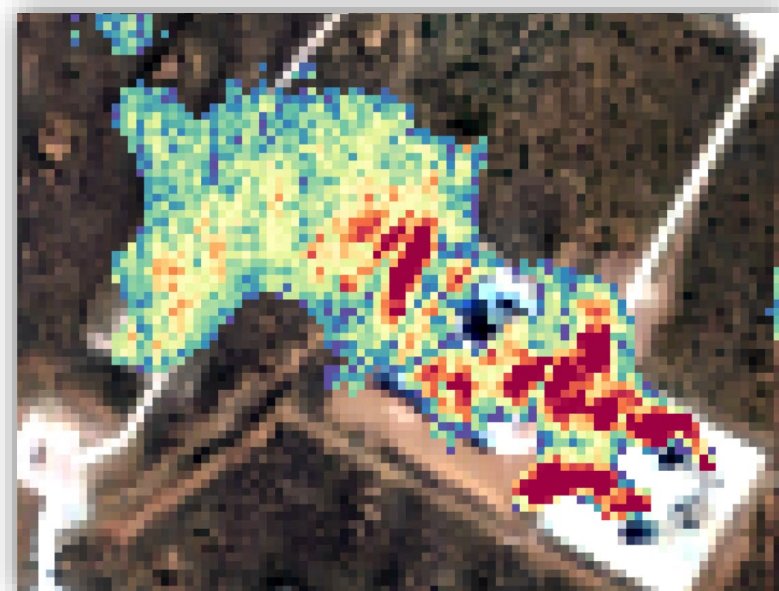
Post processing



Display Results

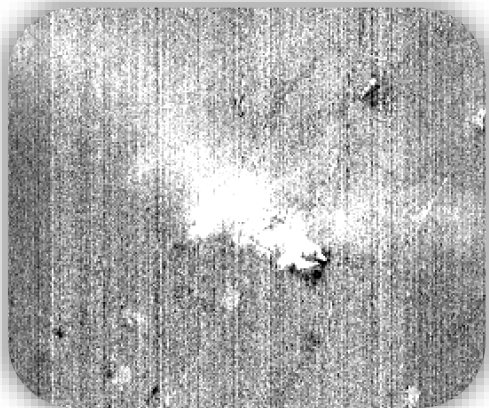


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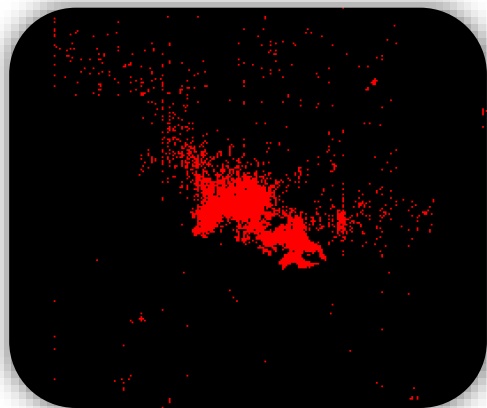


Final Display

Methane Concentration



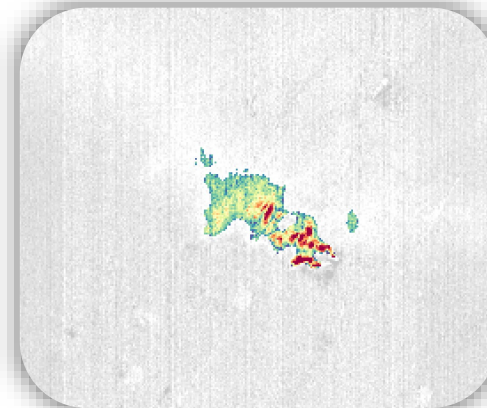
Regions of Interest (ROIs)



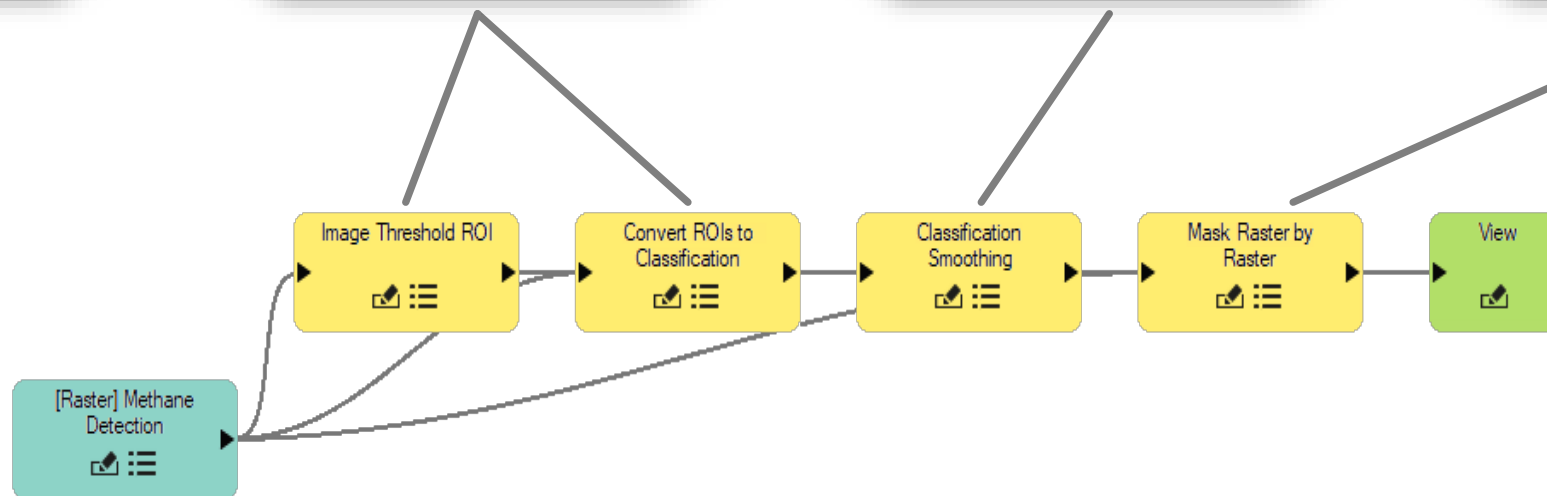
Filtered ROIs



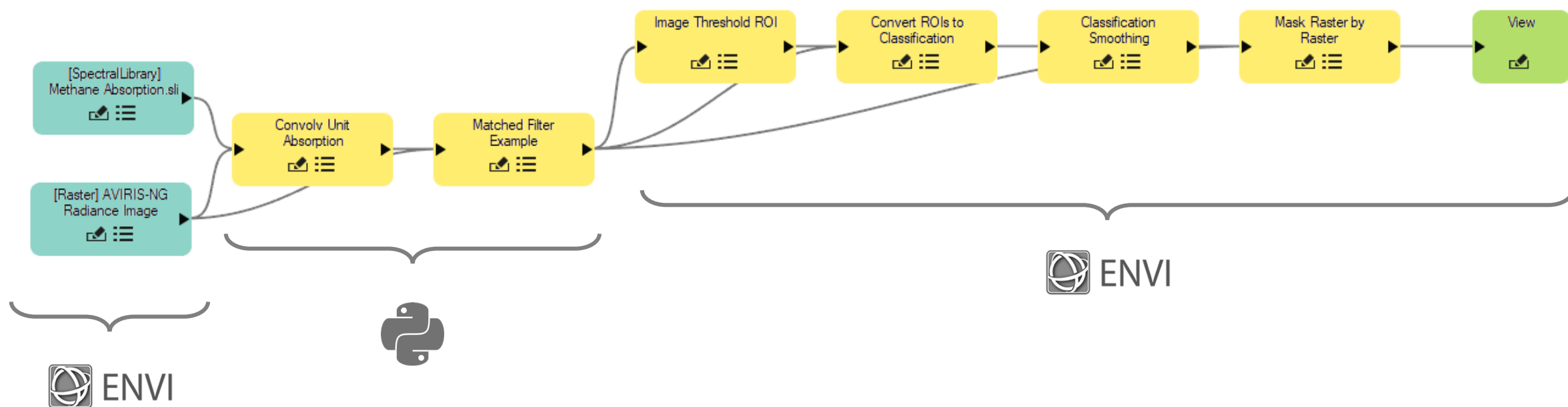
Color Sliced Results



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Full Model



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ENVI Task Framework