

Statistical Inference for Poisson-Laguerre tessellation: inversion, reconstruction and stereology

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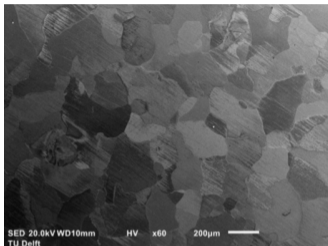
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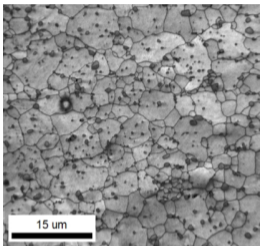
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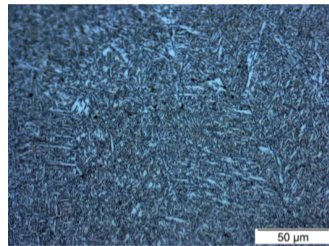
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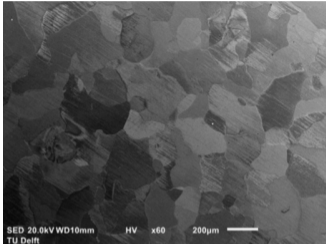


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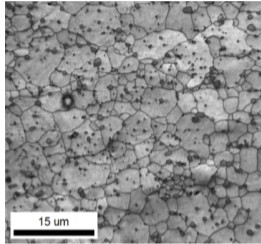


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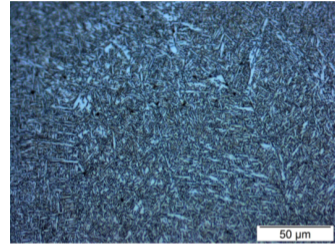
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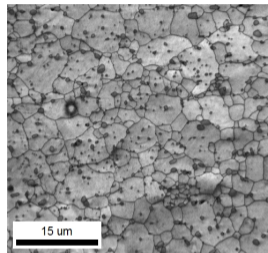


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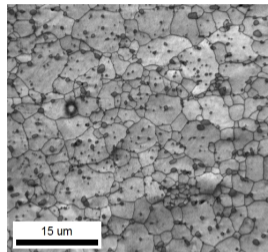
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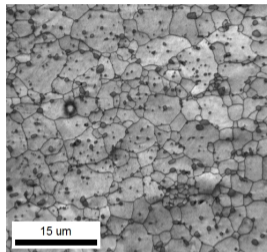
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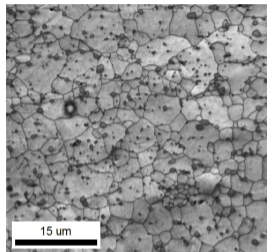
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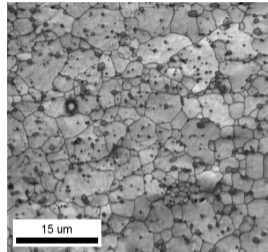
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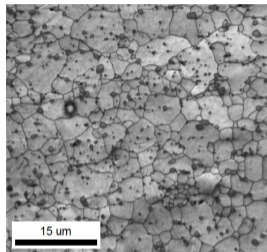
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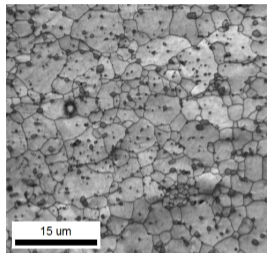
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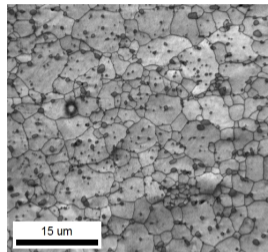
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Mechanical properties: hardness, strength, hole expansion capacity, etc.

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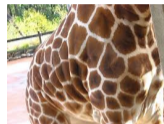
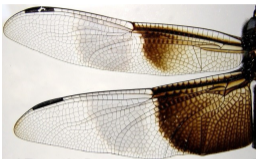
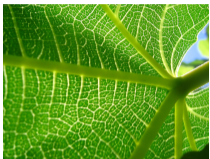
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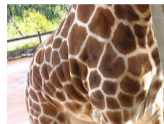
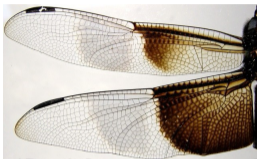
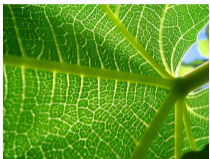
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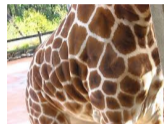
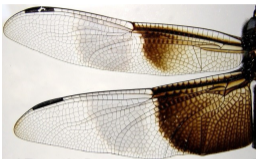
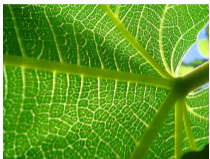


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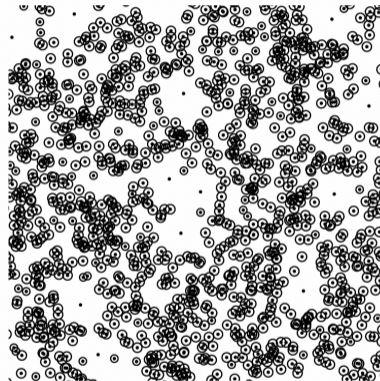
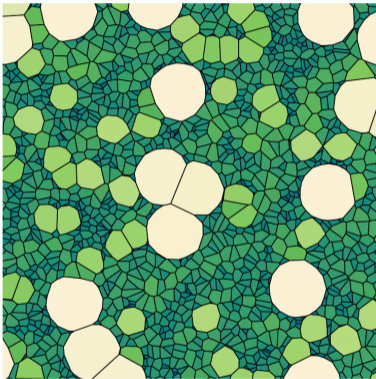
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A realization of a planar Poisson-Laguerre tessellation and the corresponding extreme points with circle with radius proportional to the weight of the point.

Voronoi growth comparison

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the distribution function of $\mathbb{F} \rightarrow$ this is the only parameter in this model to be estimated.

Statistical inference for Laguerre tessellation

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Stereology

Infer three-dimensional characteristics from lower-dimensional observations, such as planar sections. ([Gusakova & Wolde-Lübke 2025](#), [Lautensack & Zuyev 2008](#))

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$$\eta^y := \{(x, h) \in \eta : x + y \in C((x, h), \eta)\}.$$

Note that $\eta^y \subset \eta^* \subset \eta$.

Lemma (van der Jagt, Jongbloed, V., 2025)

Let $B \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $y \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and $z \geq 0$, the intensity measure Λ^y of η^y satisfies:

$$\Lambda^y(B \times (0, z]) = \nu_d(B) \int_0^z \exp\left(-\kappa_d \int_0^{\|y\|^2+h} (\|y\|^2 + h - t)^{\frac{d}{2}} dF(t)\right) dF(h).$$

This intensity measure can be computed via the Mecke equation ([Mecke, J.\(1967\)](#)).

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Proof based on a variant of the Grönwall inequality.

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Inference via the volume-biased weight distribution

Volume-biased weight distribution

Let η be a Poisson process on $\mathbb{R}^d \times (0, \infty)$, $d \geq 2$ with intensity measure $\nu_d \times \mathbb{F}$ and \mathbb{F} a locally finite measure concentrated on $(0, \infty)$. Let $A \in \mathcal{B}(\mathbb{R})$, define the following probability measure:

$$\mathbb{F}^V(A) := \mathbb{E} \left(\sum_{(x,h) \in \eta} \mathbb{1}_{[0,1]^d}(x) \mathbb{1}_A(h) \nu_d(C((x,h), \eta)) \right).$$

\mathbb{F}^V describes the distribution of the random weight associated with a randomly chosen Laguerre cell, the probability of picking any given cell being proportional to its volume.

Inference via the volume-biased weight distribution

Theorem (van der Jagt, Jongbloed, V., 2025)

Let η be a Poisson process and let $z \geq 0$. Define $F(z) := \mathbb{F}((0, z])$ and $F^V(z) := \mathbb{F}^V((0, z])$, the distribution functions corresponding to \mathbb{F} and \mathbb{F}^V respectively. The measure \mathbb{F}^V is a probability measure and F^V is given by:

$$F^V(z) = 1 - \exp\left(-\kappa_d \int_0^z (z-t)^{\frac{d}{2}} dF(t)\right) + \frac{d\kappa_d}{2} \int_z^\infty \exp\left(-\kappa_d \int_0^u (u-t)^{\frac{d}{2}} dF(t)\right) \int_0^z (u-h)^{\frac{d}{2}-1} dF(h) du$$

Corollary (van der Jagt, Jongbloed, V., 2025)

Let $z \geq 0$, if $d = 2$ the CDF F^V is given by:

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Volume-biased weight distribution induced by F

For $z \geq 0$, $F \in \mathcal{F}_+$ and $m \geq 0$, we define:

$$V(z; F, m) := 1 - \exp\left(-\pi \int_0^z F(t) dt\right) + \pi F(z) \left(m - \int_0^z \exp\left(-\pi \int_0^u F(t) dt\right) du\right).$$

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Consistency

After proving consistency for m_F , we can prove consistency of \hat{F}_n

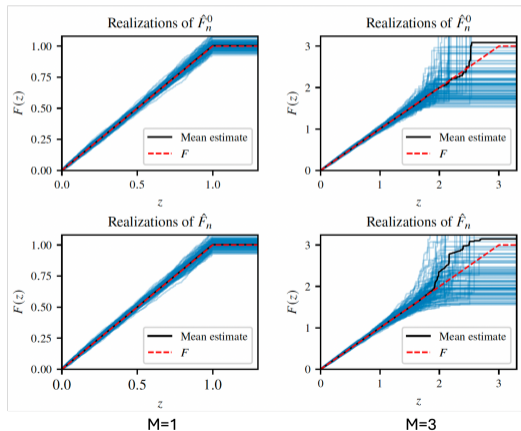
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The generator points of the sectional Laguerre diagram

Lemma (van der Jagt, Jongbloed, V., 2025)

Let $\varphi \subset \mathbb{R}^d \times (0, \infty)$ be an at most countable set. Let $\theta \in \mathbb{S}^{d-1}$ and $s \in \mathbb{R}$. Define the hyperplane $T := \{y \in \mathbb{R}^d : \langle \theta, y \rangle = s\}$. For $(x, h) \in \varphi$, with $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and $h > 0$ let:

$$x' := x - (\langle \theta, x \rangle - s)\theta$$

$$h' := h + \|x' - x\|^2 = h + (\langle \theta, x \rangle - s)^2.$$

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Preliminaries

- For $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$ write $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d)$.
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- η is again a Poisson process on $\mathbb{R}^{d-1} \times (0, \infty)$ with intensity measure $\mathbb{E}(\Psi(\tau^{-1}(\cdot)))$.
- Let $B \subset \mathbb{R}^{d-1}$ be a Borel set and $z \geq 0$

$$\tau(x, h) \in B(0, z] \Leftrightarrow x \in B \times \left[-\sqrt{z-h}, \sqrt{z-h} \right] \text{ and } h \leq z.$$

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Via the Campbell formula we find:

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Hence, we obtain

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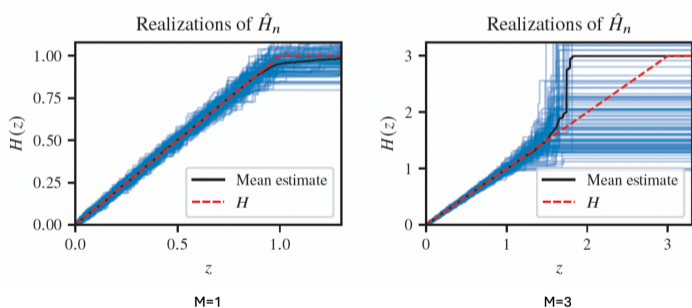
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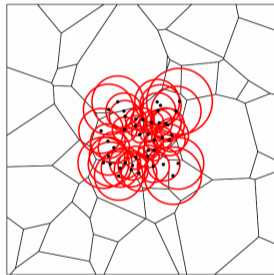
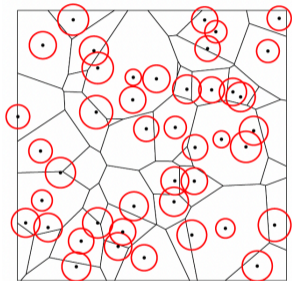
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Theorem (*Consistent inversion*) (van der Jagt, Jongbloed, V.,2026)

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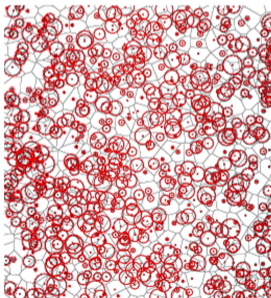
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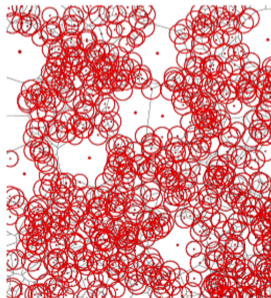
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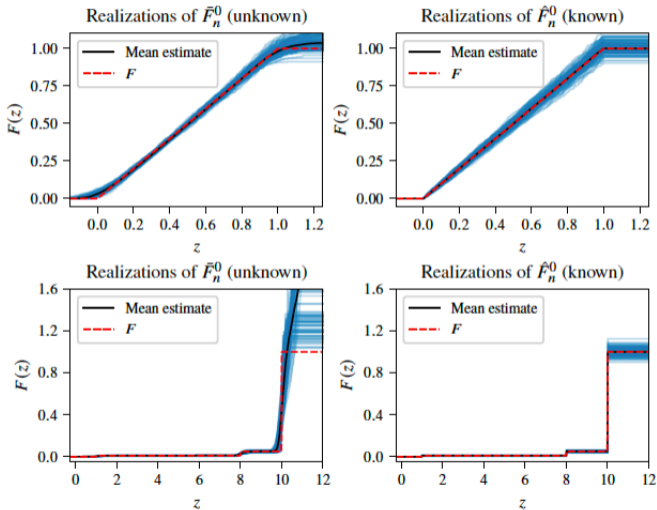
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