

# **Multi-Sensor Inversion via Rigorous Analysis of Underlying Waves**

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- Through-Wall Imaging Results
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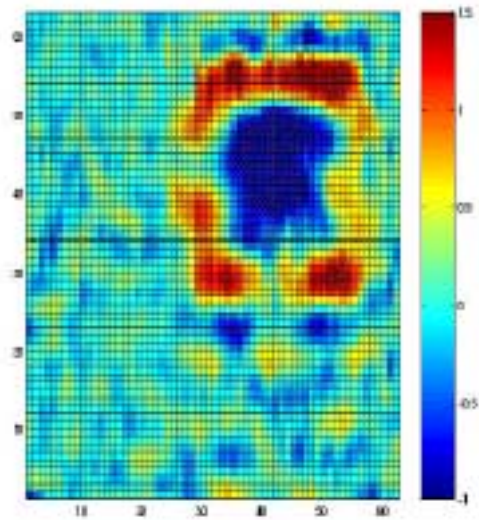
# Summary of Research Progress

- Objective: To use the wave physics with fast algorithms to enhance multi-modality inversion and imaging.
- Developed
  - PSTD and spectral discontinuous Galerkin method for time domain simulation
  - Forward and inverse scattering methods for 3D objects in layered earth
  - Joint electromagnetic and acoustic inversion method with mutual information method
  - Novel diagonal tensor approximation (DTA)
  - Nonuniform fast Fourier transform (NUFFT) for imaging
- Inversion of measured 2D and 3D data sets

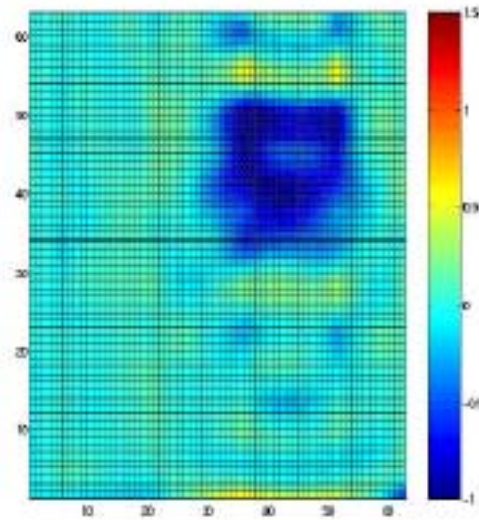
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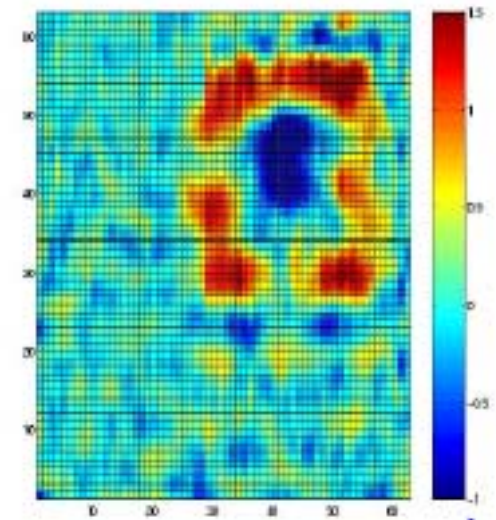
# Seismic/Electromagnetic Joint Inversion with Mutual Information Method



Joint Image  $\alpha A + B$ .



Seismic Image  $A$ .



EM Image  $B$ .

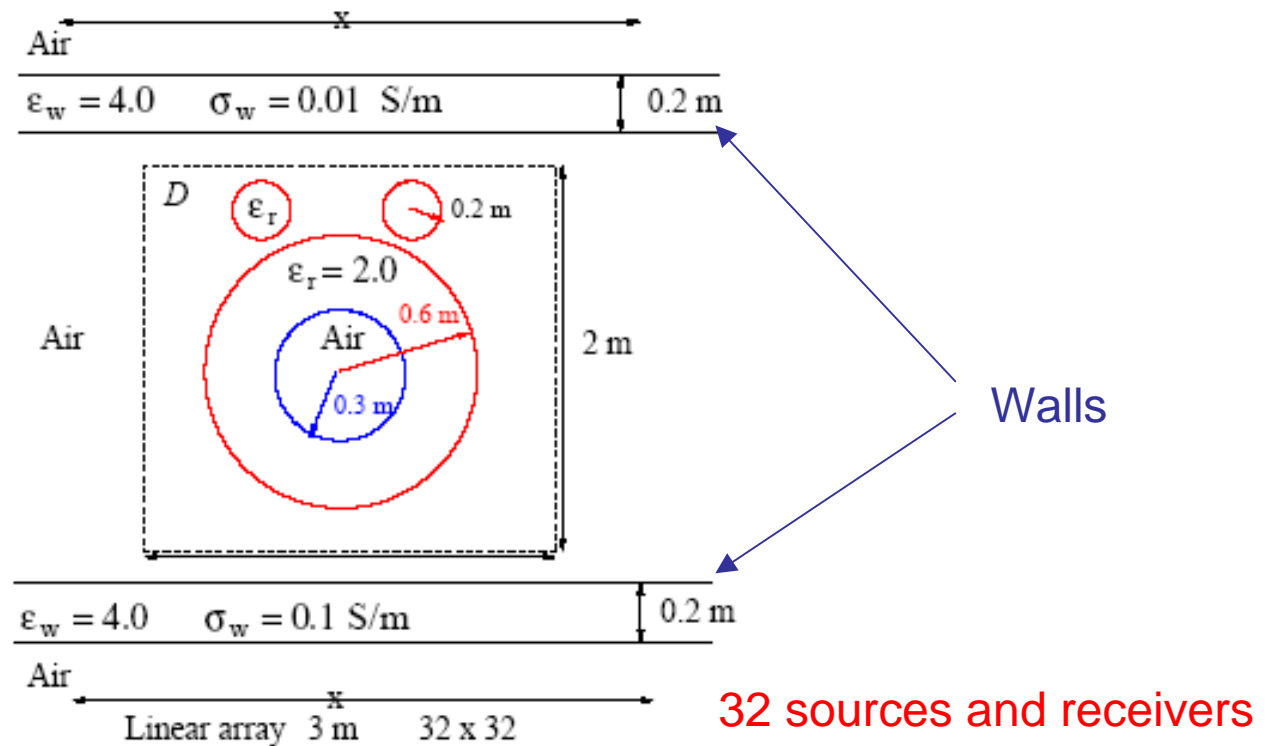
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# Through-Wall Imaging Results

## Wall Imaging: Austria Profile in a 5-layer model

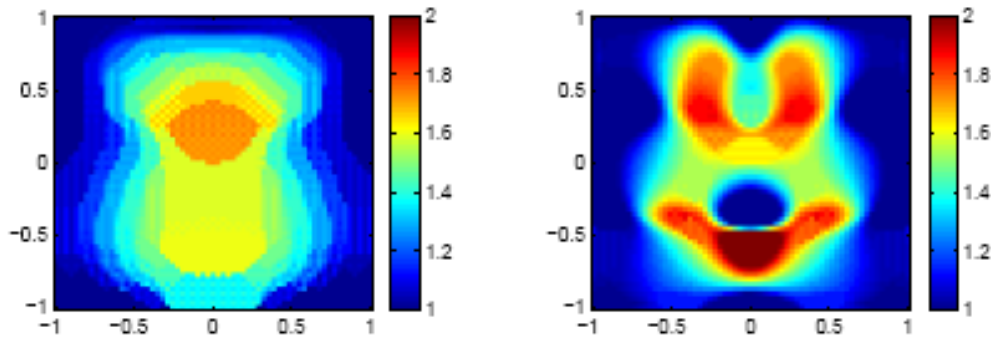
Configuration, source/receiver interval = 0.20 m



# Single-Frequency Imaging

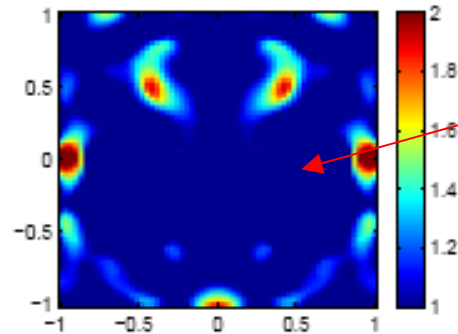
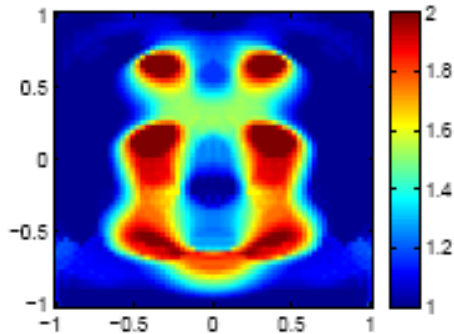
## Single-frequency Wall Imaging: Austria Profile

The aperture size  $L = 3$  m, a 2-side linear array



100 MHz

200 MHz



300 MHz

400 MHz

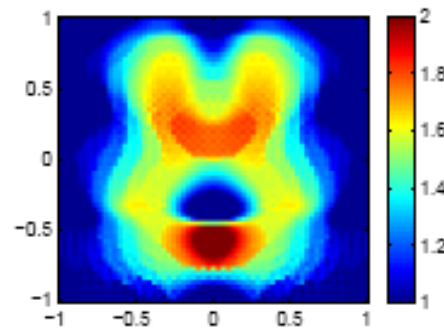
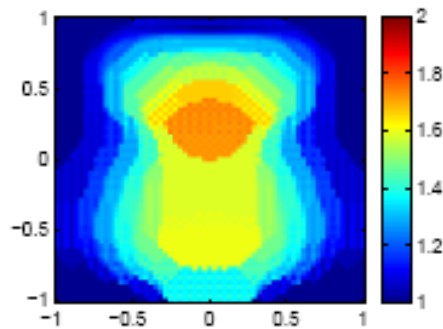
Poor due to  
Inadequate #  
of sensors



# Multi-Frequency Adaptivity

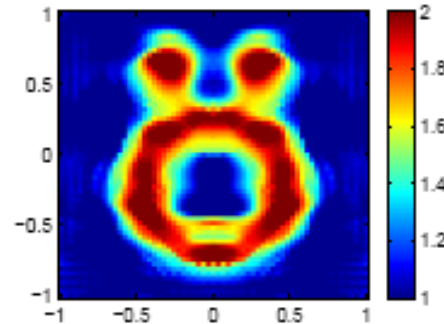
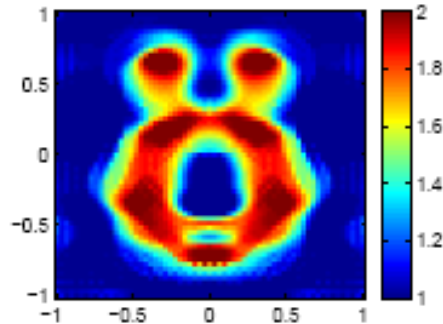
## Multifrequency Wall Imaging: Austria Profile

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100 MHz  $\rightarrow$  200 MHz



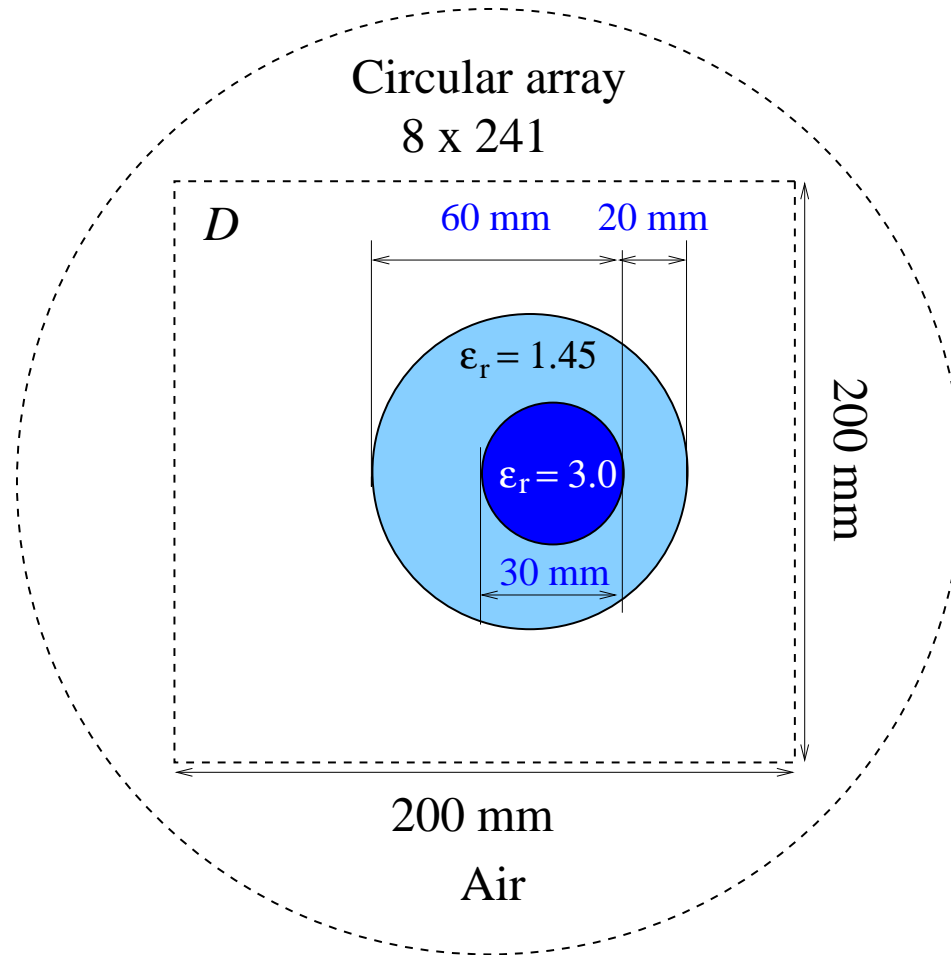
200 MHz  $\rightarrow$  300 MHz

300 MHz  $\rightarrow$  400 MHz

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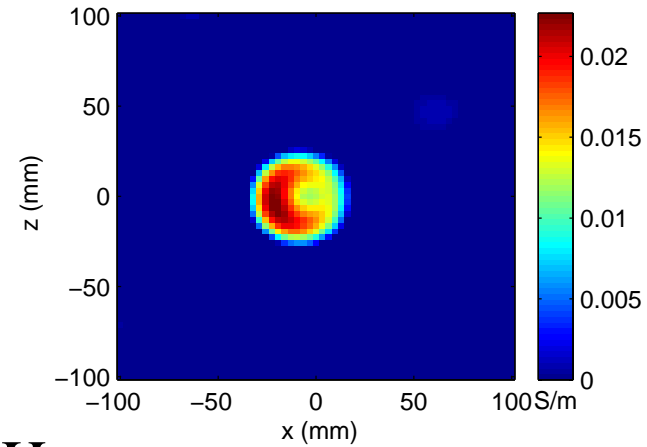
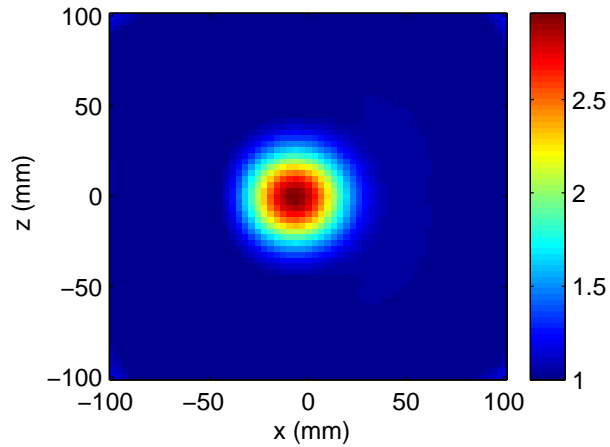
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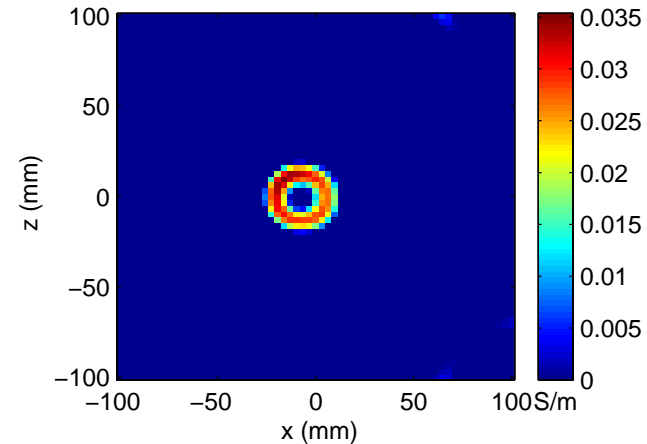
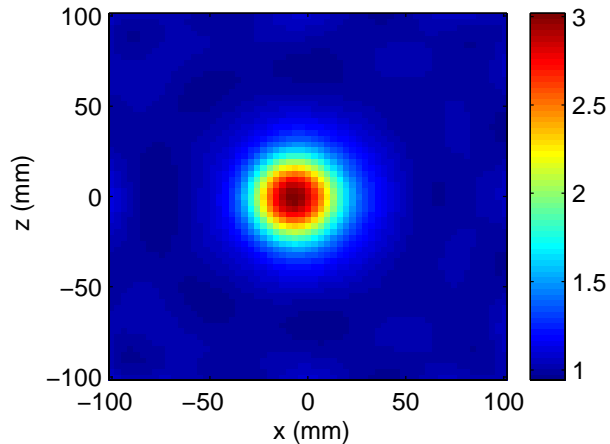
# Multi-Frequency Inversion of Target I

Left:  $\epsilon_r$

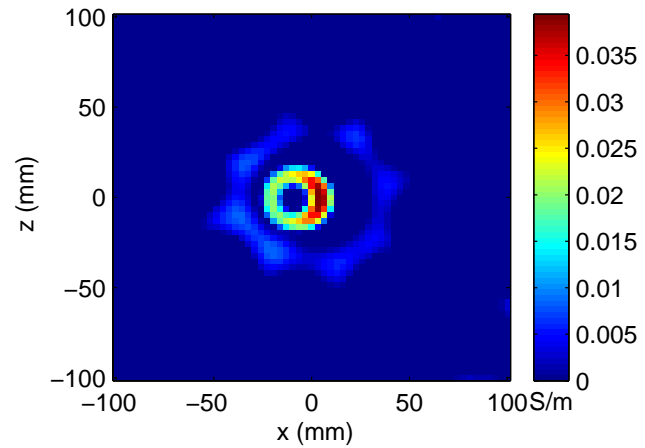
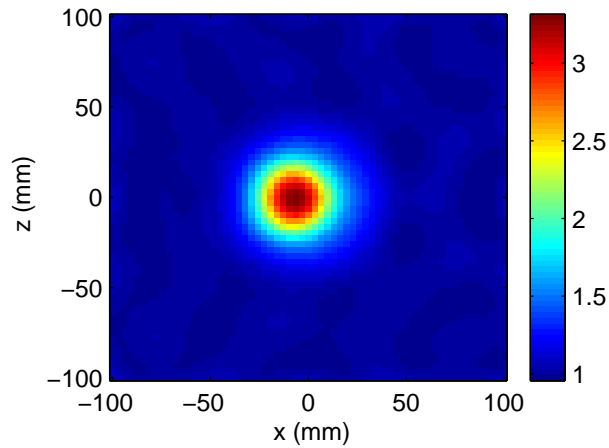
Right:  $\sigma$



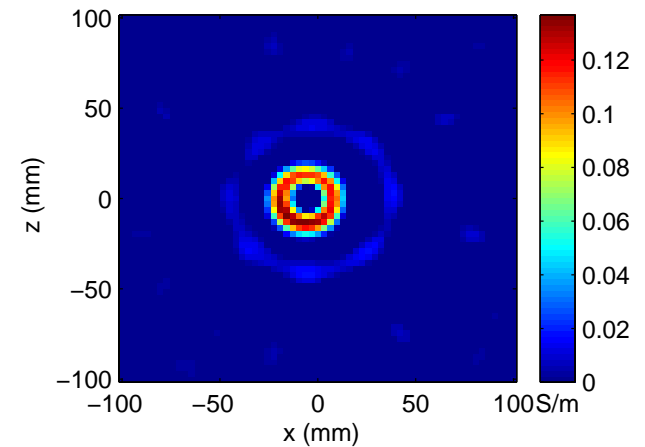
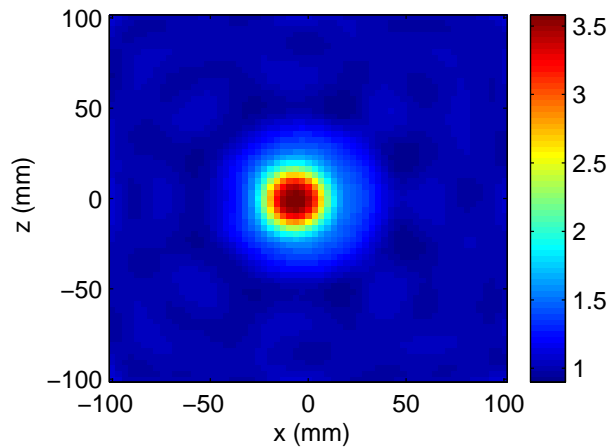
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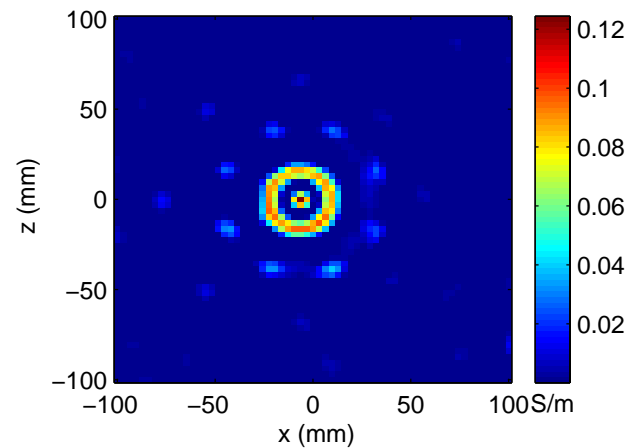
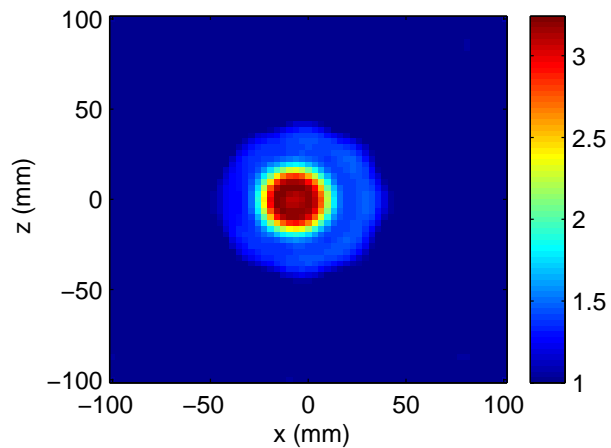
$f = 2\text{GHz} \rightarrow 3\text{GHz}$



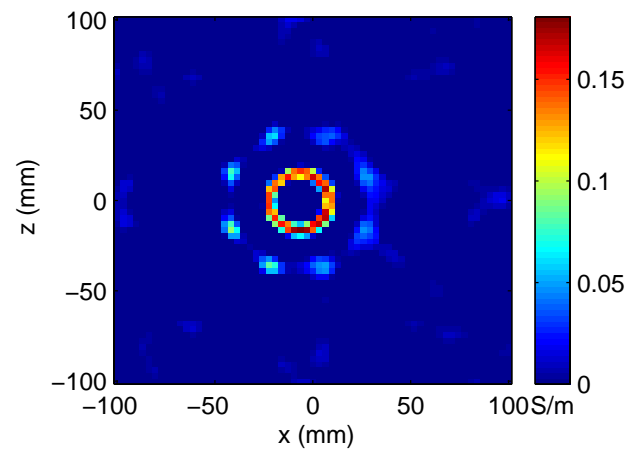
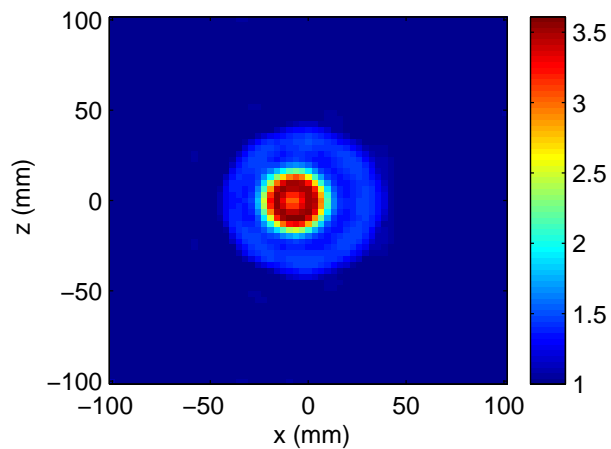
$f = 3GHz \rightarrow 4GHz$



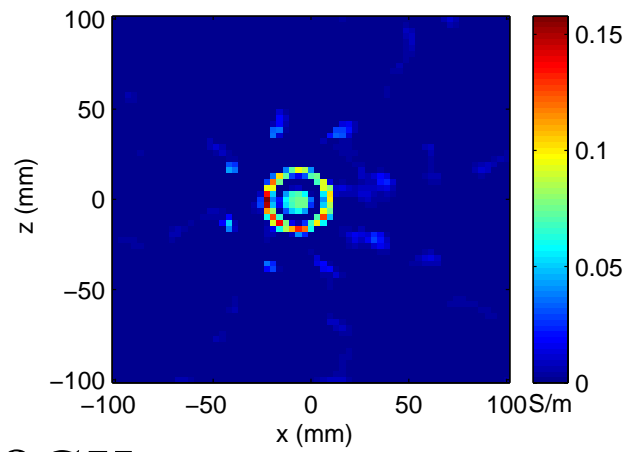
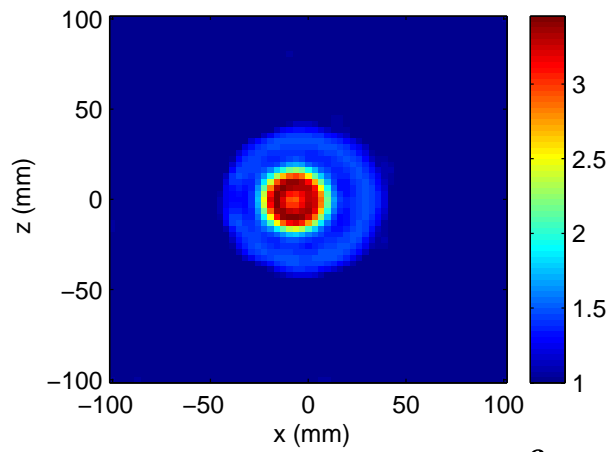
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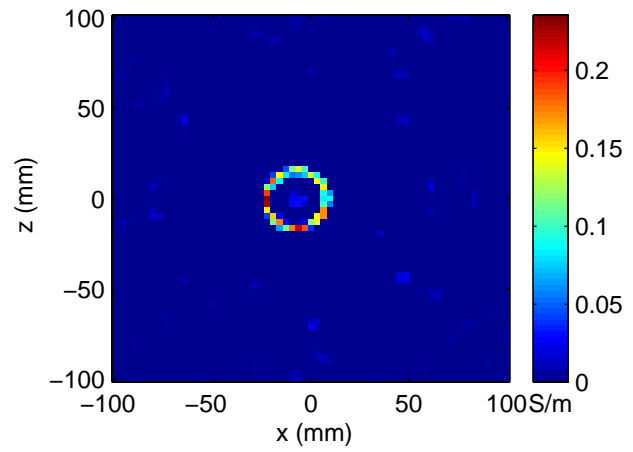
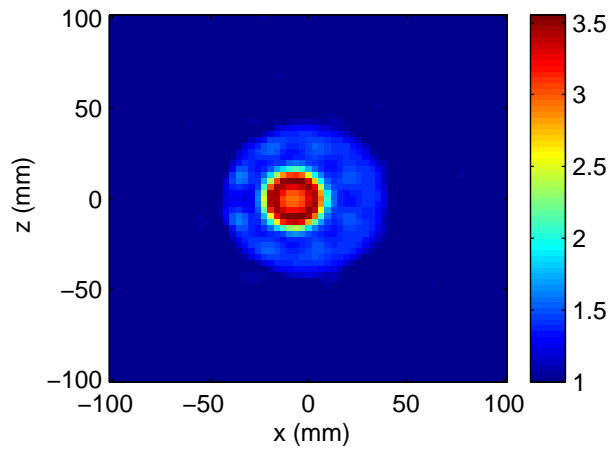
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$f = 6\text{GHz} \rightarrow 7\text{GHz}$

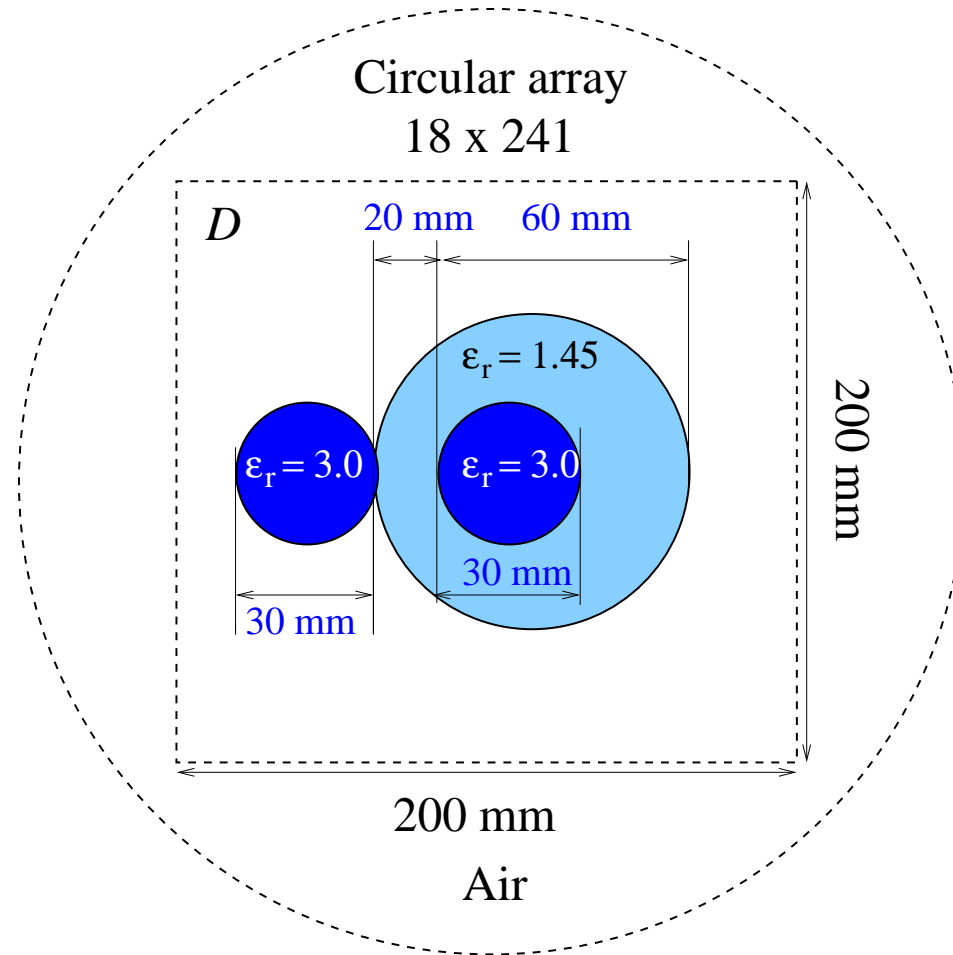


$f = 7GHz \rightarrow 8GHz$



$f = 8GHz \rightarrow 9GHz$

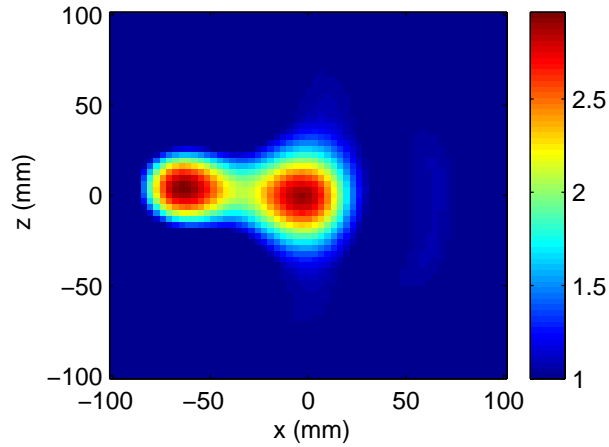
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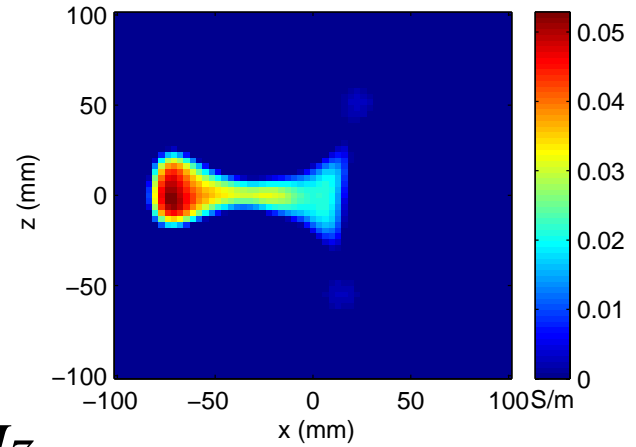


# Inversion Results: Target III

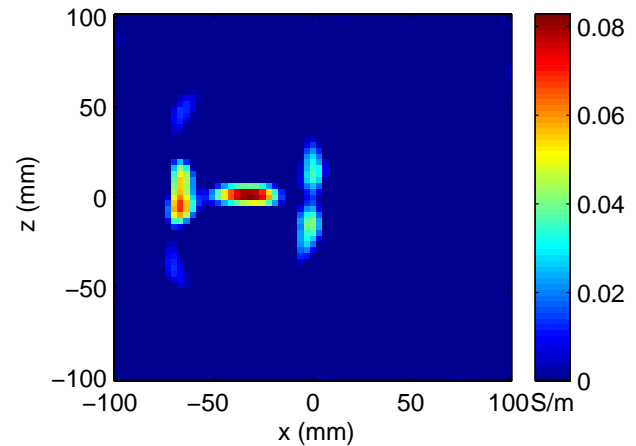
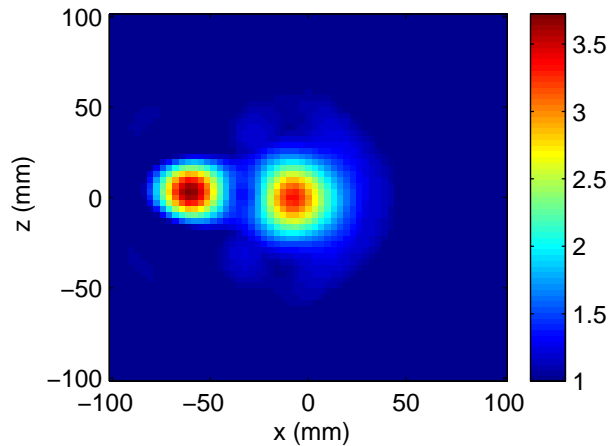
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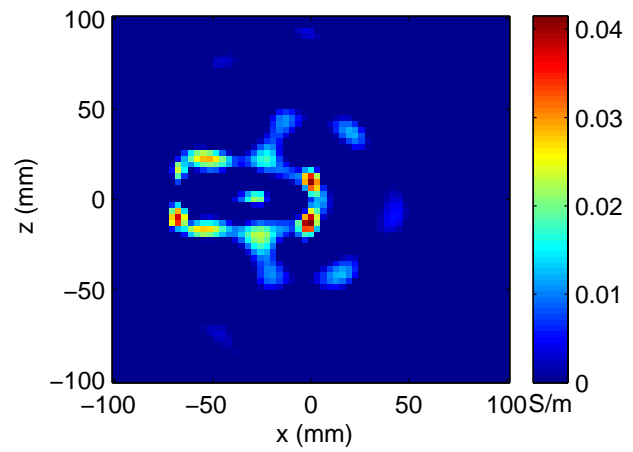
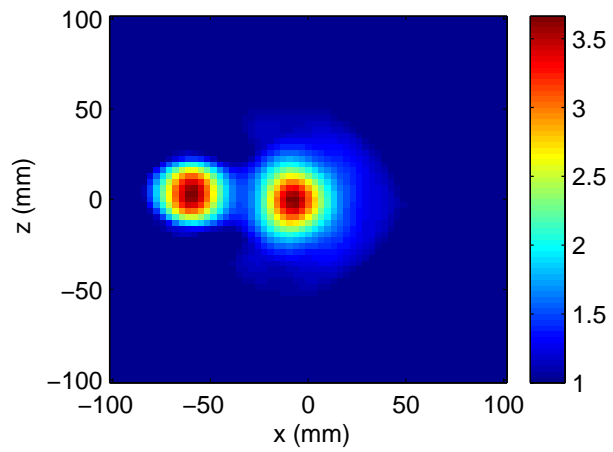
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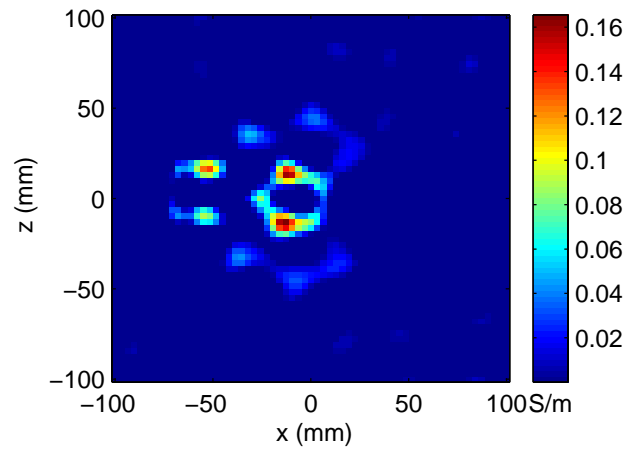
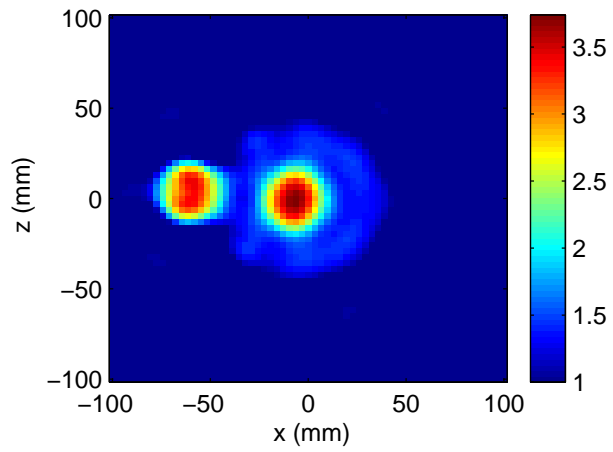
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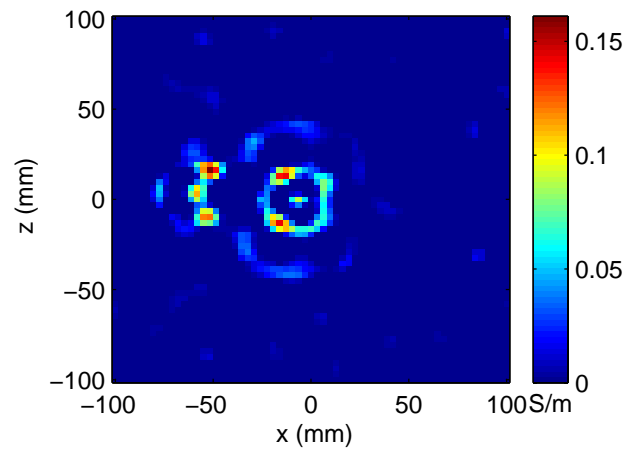
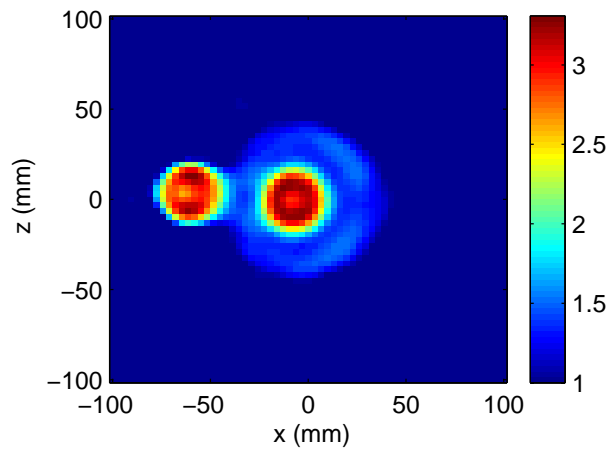
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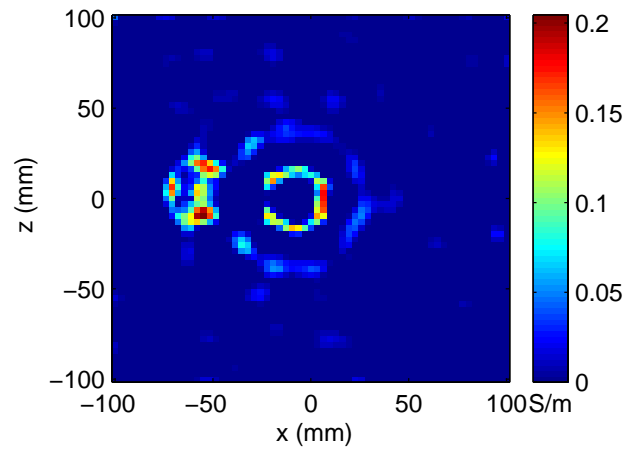
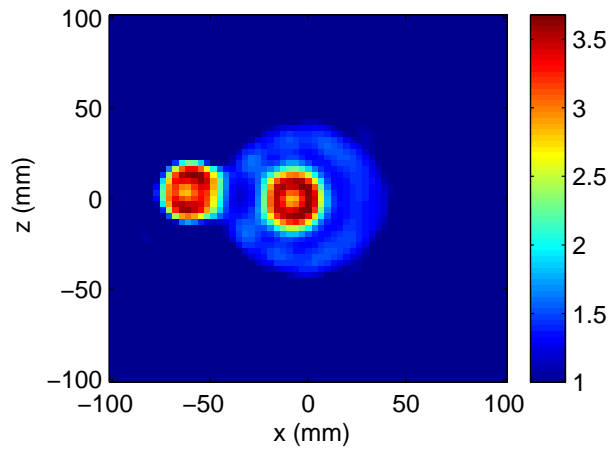
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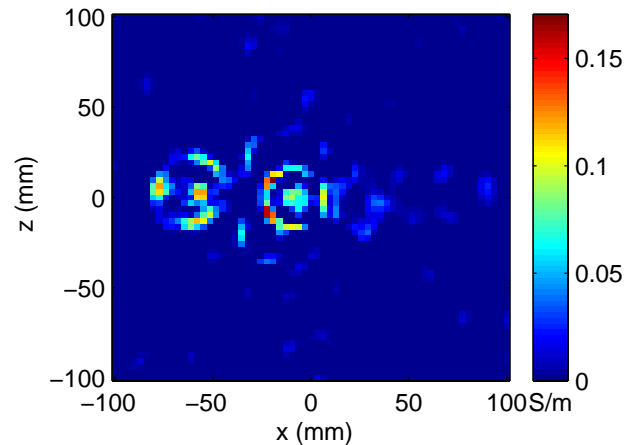
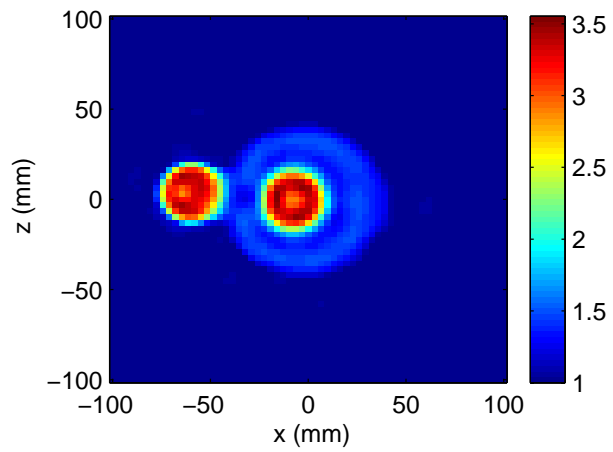
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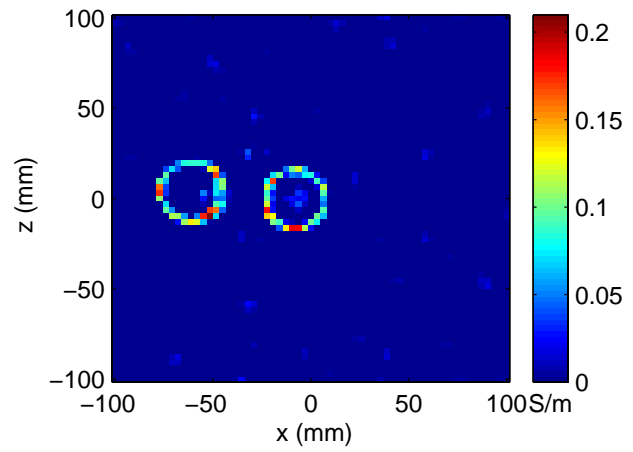
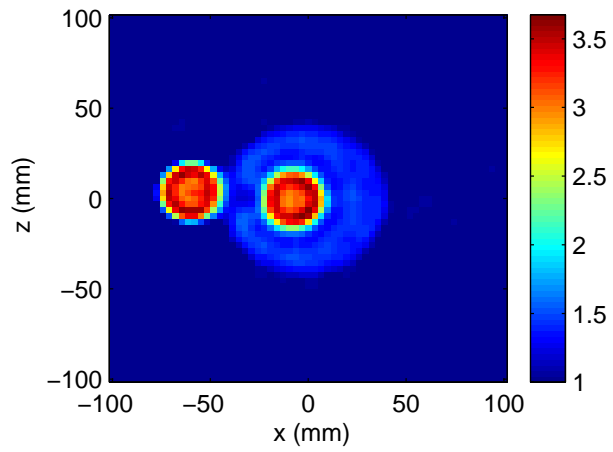
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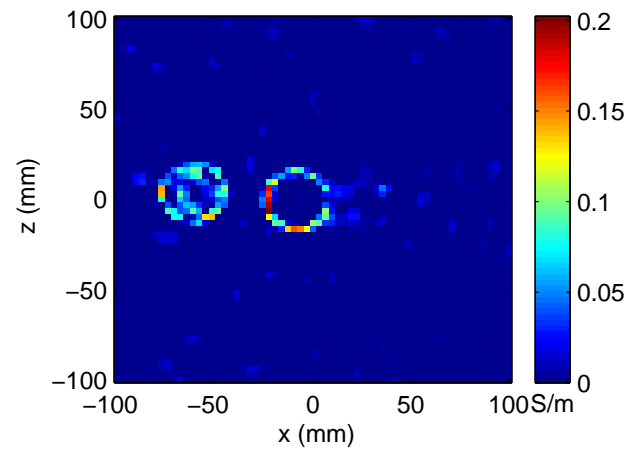
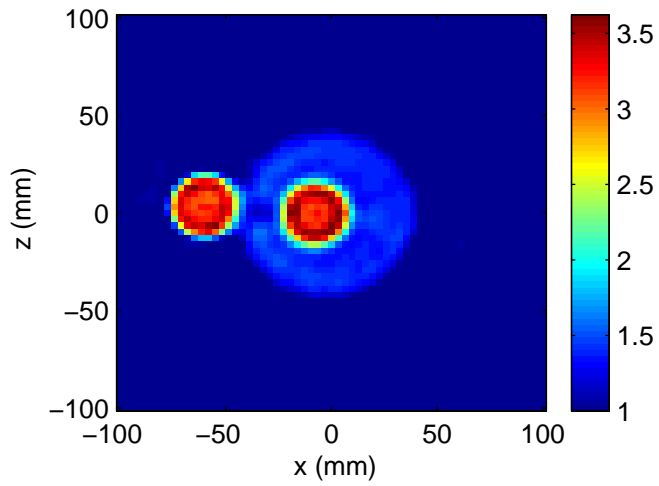
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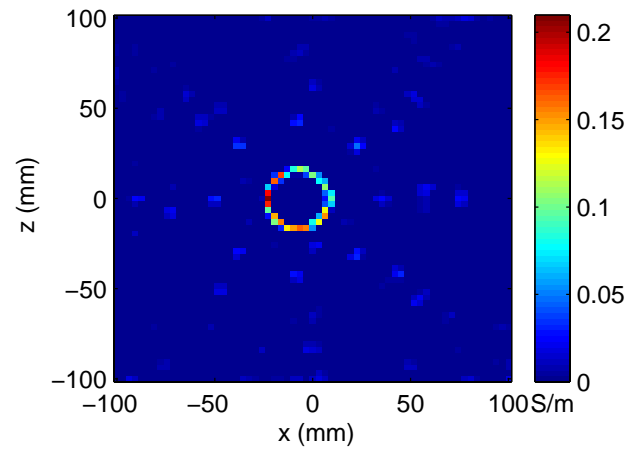
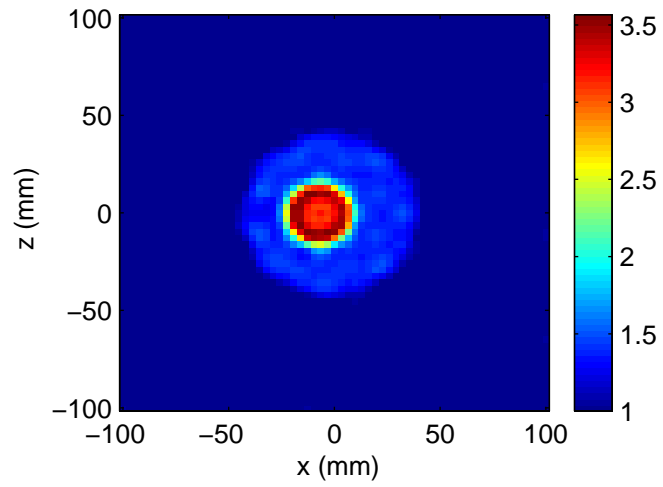
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$f = 8\text{GHz} \rightarrow 9\text{Hz}$



$$f = 9GHz \rightarrow 10Hz$$



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# NUFFT for Subsurface Imaging

## Nonuniform Fast Fourier Transform (NUFFT)

- To enable the discrete Fourier analysis of non-uniformly sampled data
- To take advantage of the Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) algorithm
- To retain the accuracy of DFT

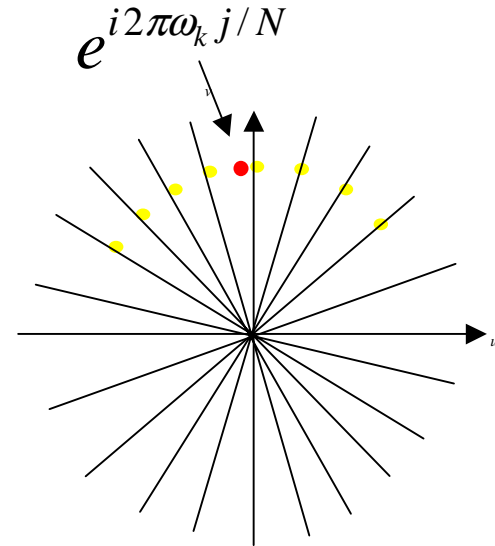
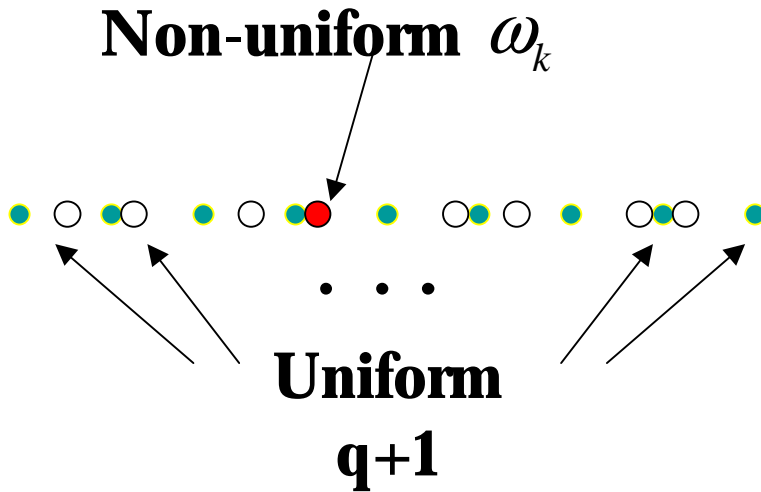
## Application in GPR Migration Signal Processing

- To enable Fourier reconstruction directly without linear interpolation
- To retain the computation accuracy with down-sampled data



# NUFFT Method

**DFT**  $f_j = \sum_{k=0}^N \alpha_k e^{i\omega_k \cdot 2\pi t_j}$   $\omega_k \in [-N/2, N/2], t_j = j/N$



$$\min \left| W_0^{m\omega_k j} - s_j^{-1} \sum_{l=[m\omega_k]-q/2}^{[m\omega_k]+q/2} \rho_{k-[m\omega_k]} W_0^{lj} \right|$$

$$W_0 = e^{i2\pi/mN}$$

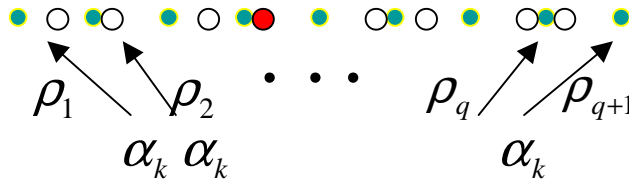
# NUFFT Method

Approximate each  $W_0^{m\omega_k j}$  in terms of a  $q+1$ -term Fourier series

$$S_j W_0^{m\omega_k j} = \sum_{l=[m\omega_k]-q/2}^{[m\omega_k]+q/2} \rho_{k-[m\omega_k]} W_0^{lj}$$

Approximate the value of a Fourier series at each  $j$  in terms of values at the nearest  $q$  uniform nodes

**New Fourier coefficient:**

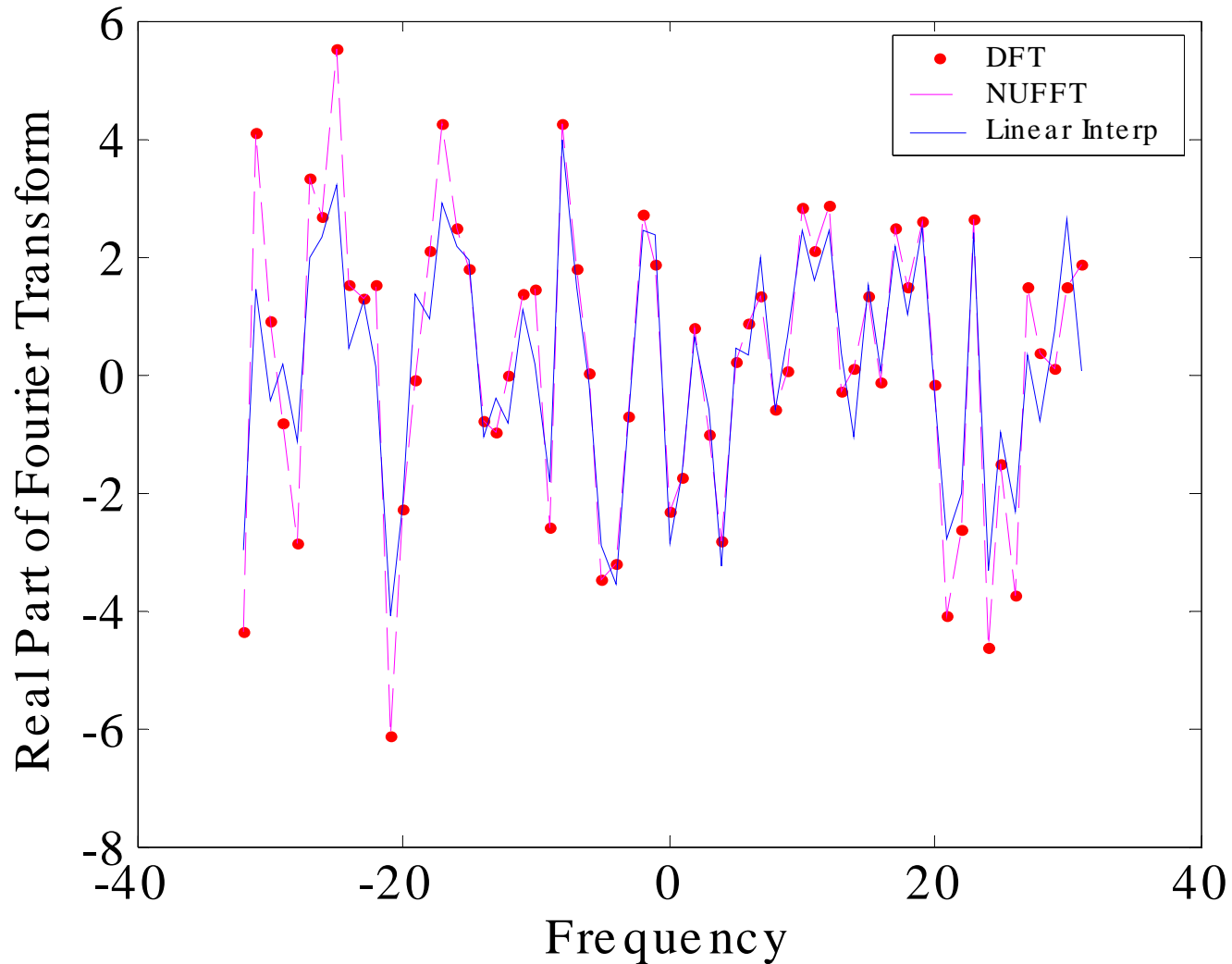


$$\tau_l = \sum \alpha_k \rho_{k-[m\omega_k]}$$

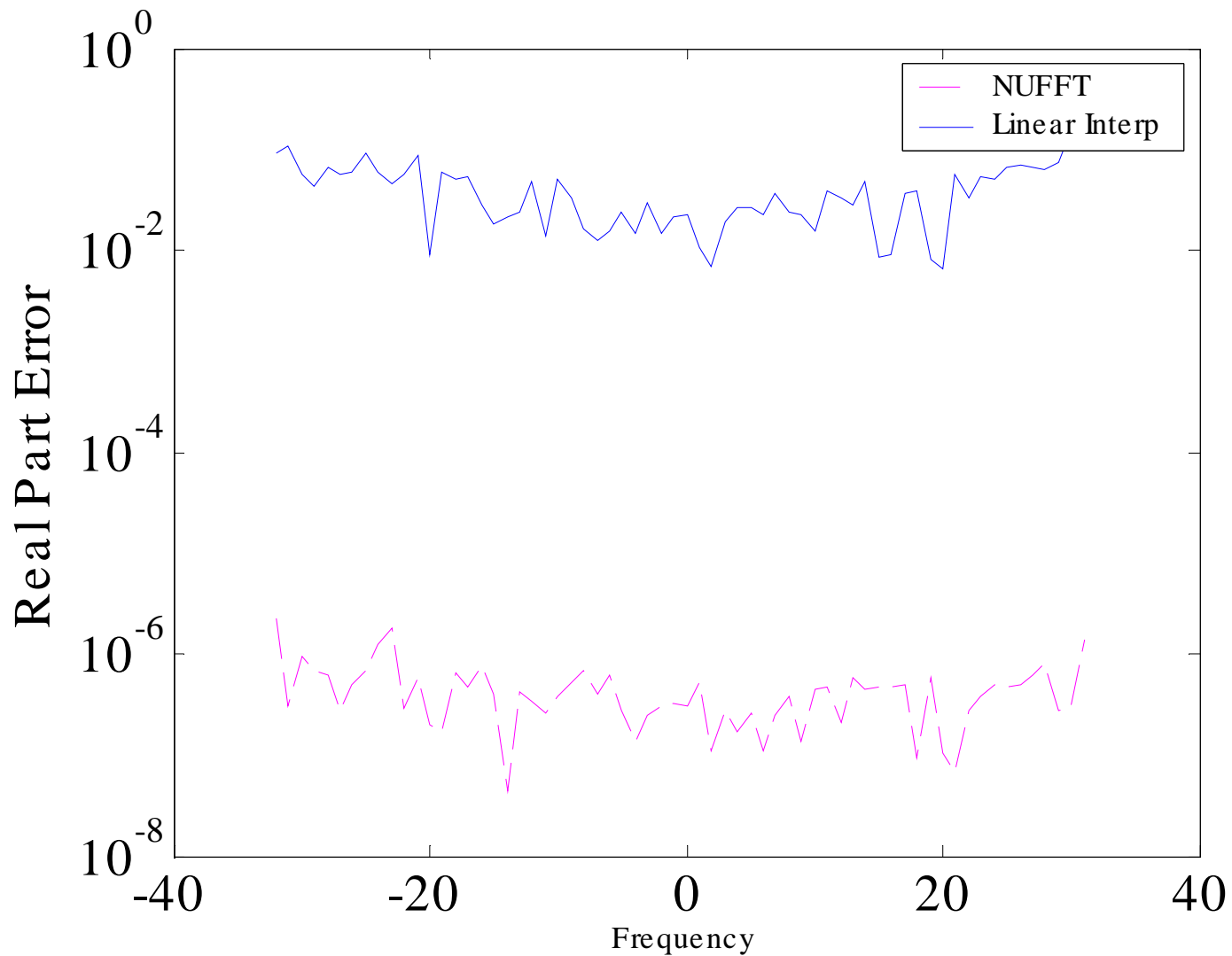
**Regular FFT:**

$$\{\tau_l\} \rightarrow \{T_j\}$$

# NUFFT Numerical Results

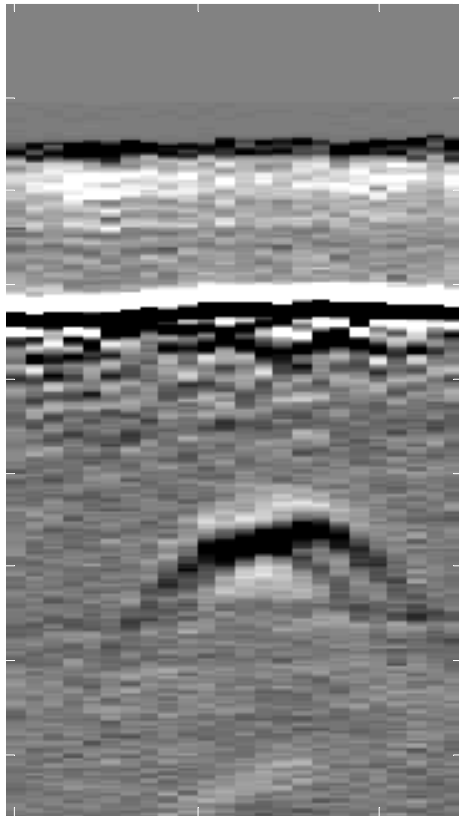


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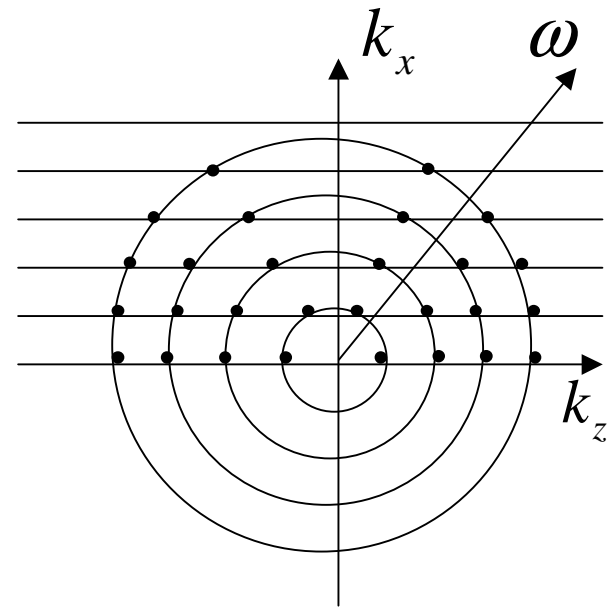
# Formulation

$$U(k_x, 0, \omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x, 0, t) e^{-i(k_x x - \omega t)} dx dt$$



**Fourier  
Transform**

**Wave-number Space  
(Non-uniform\*)**



$$\omega^2 = v_0^2 (k_x^2 + k_z^2)$$

# Formulation (Cont)

- Inverse 2D Fourier Transform

$$u(x, z, t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} U(k_x, z, \omega) \exp[i(k_x x - \omega t)] dk_x d\omega$$

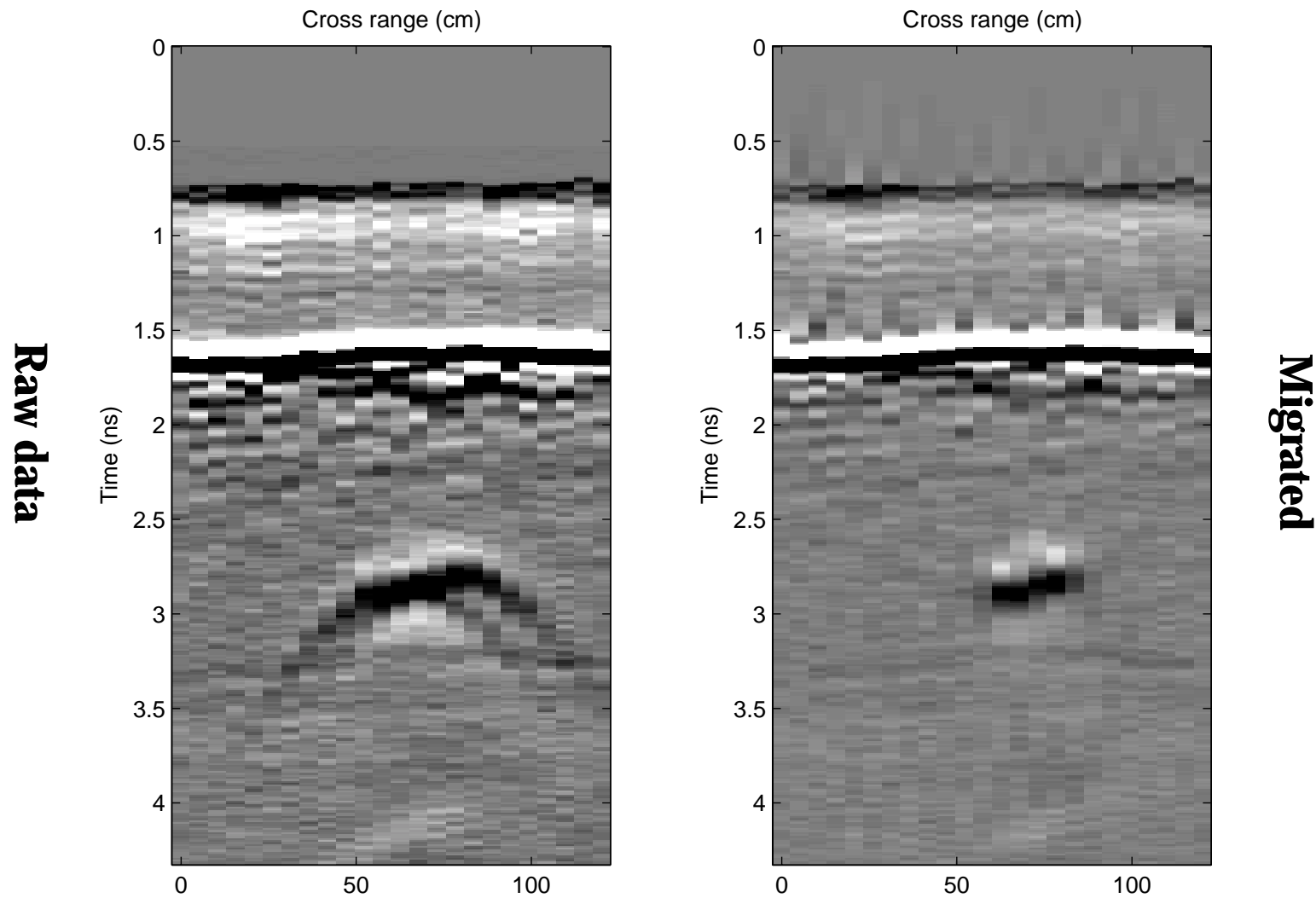
**Phase Shift**  $U(k_x, z, \omega) = U(k_x, 0, \omega) \exp[i \int k_z dz] = U(k_x, 0, \omega) \exp[ik_z z]$

**Migration**  $u(x, z, 0) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} U(k_x, 0, \omega) \exp[i(k_x x + k_z z)] dk_x d\omega$

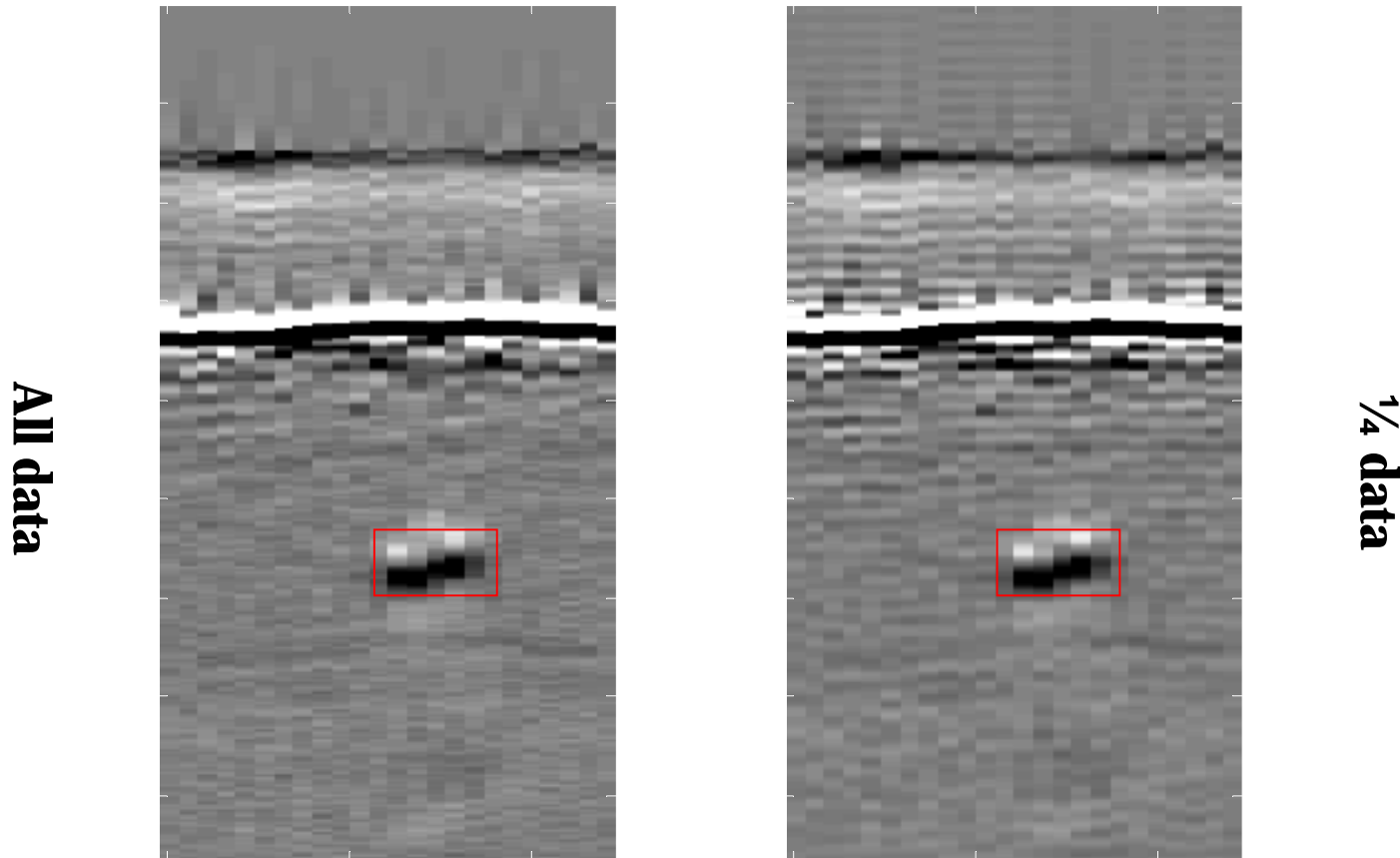
**NUFFT**

$$u(x, z, 0) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} U(k_x, 0, \omega) \exp[ik_z z] d\omega \right) \exp[ik_x x] dk_x$$
$$= FFT \{ NUFFT [U(k_x, 0, \omega)] \}$$

# 2D Results (Niitek)



# Fast data acquisition by NUFFT



\*NUFFT migration has good performance with down-sampled data, due to the non-uniformity of the wave-number space



# 3D NUFFT Imaging Results

- Niitek data: metallic and plastic landmines
- Georgia Tech data: GT plywood and chamber
- Cross section (horizontal plane) interested
- 3D animation



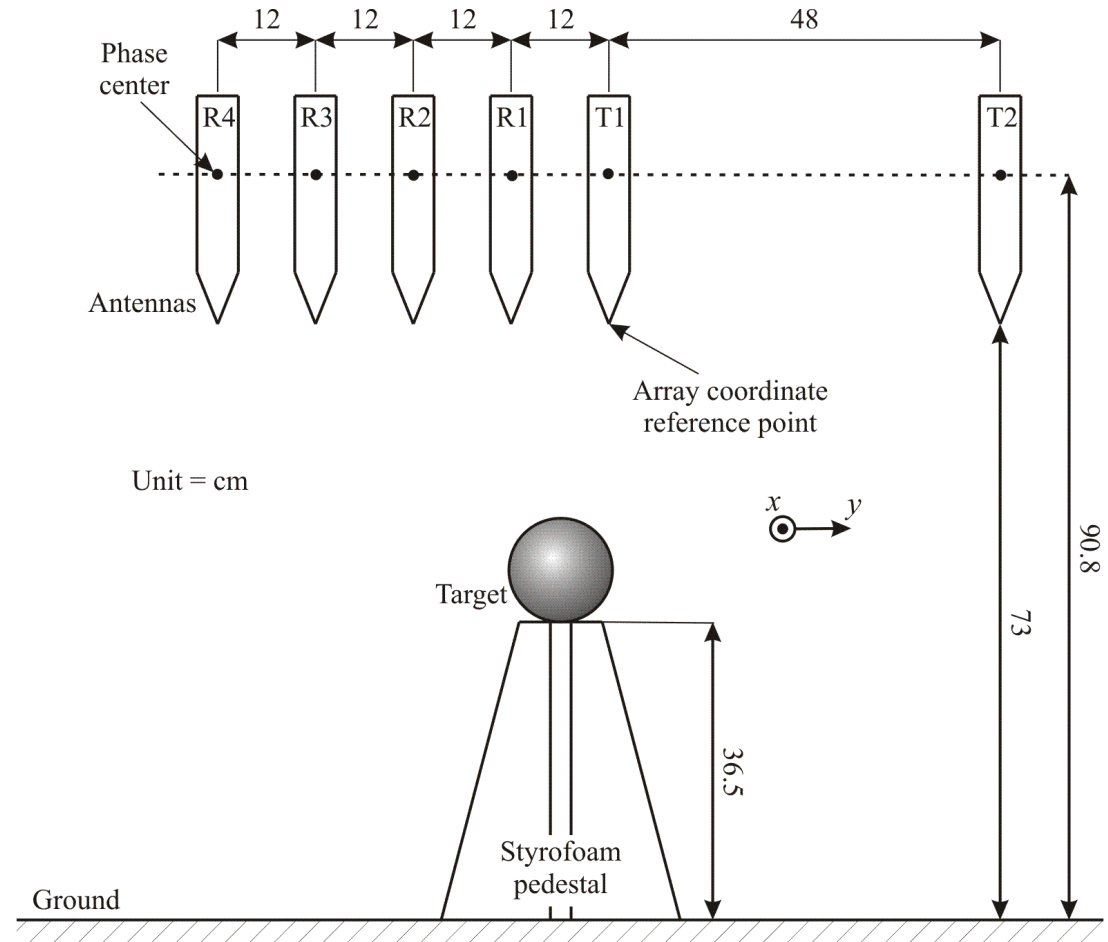
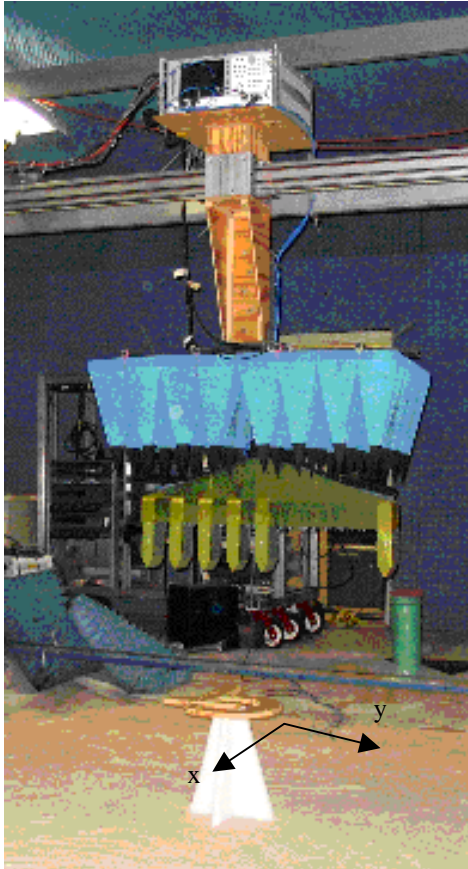
**GT plywood**



**Chamber in sand**

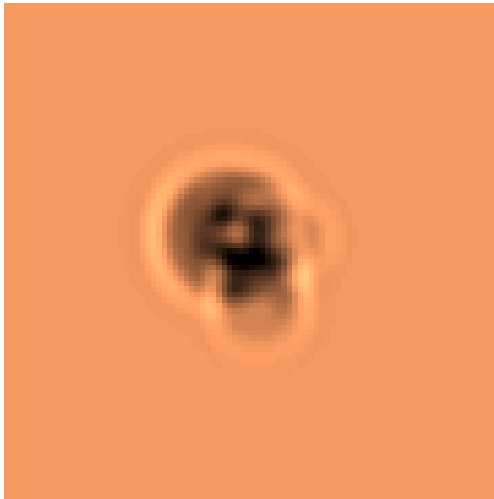
# Acquisition Configuration (Georgia Tech)

## Free space acquisition



# 3D Results (GT plywood)

**Raw data**



**Migration**

**Migrated image**



# 3D Results (GT plywood)

## Numerical verification

	Actual	Estimated
width	38.5cm	38cm
height	46.5cm	44cm
thick	1.8cm	1.76cm

## 3D animation



\* **Note: 1 pixel resolution = 2 cm (horizontal), 0.29cm (vertical)**

# Acquisition Configuration (Georgia Tech)

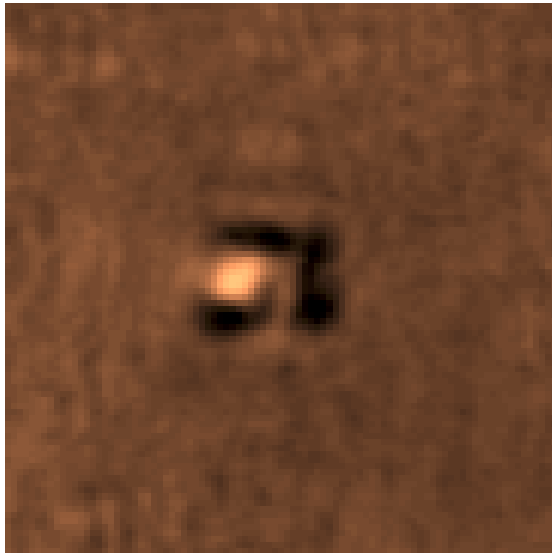
## Buried object acquisition



**Chamber**

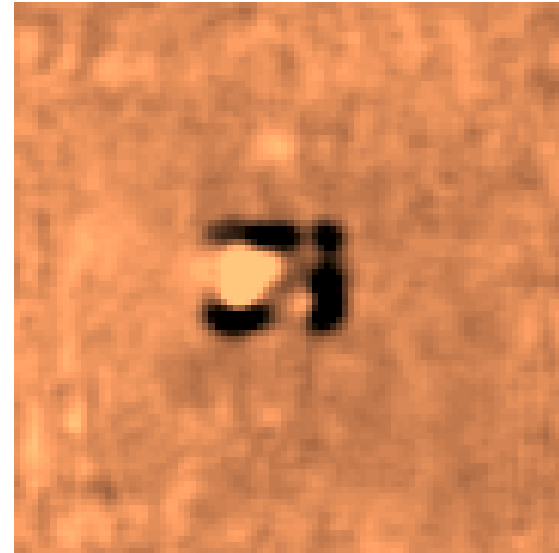
# 3D Results (Buried chamber)

**Raw data**



**Migration**

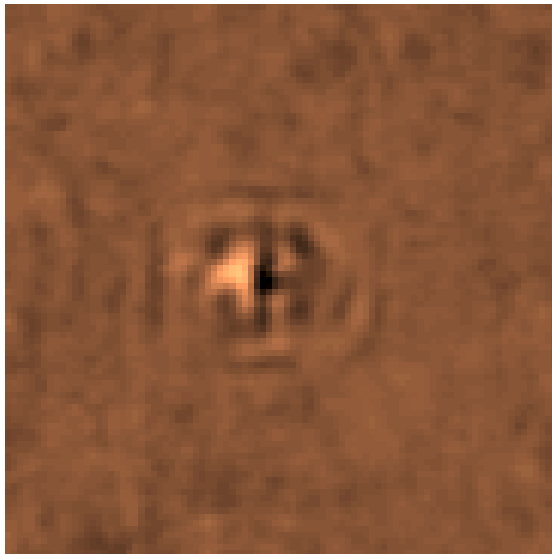
**Migrated image**



**At an estimated depth of 12cm from interface**

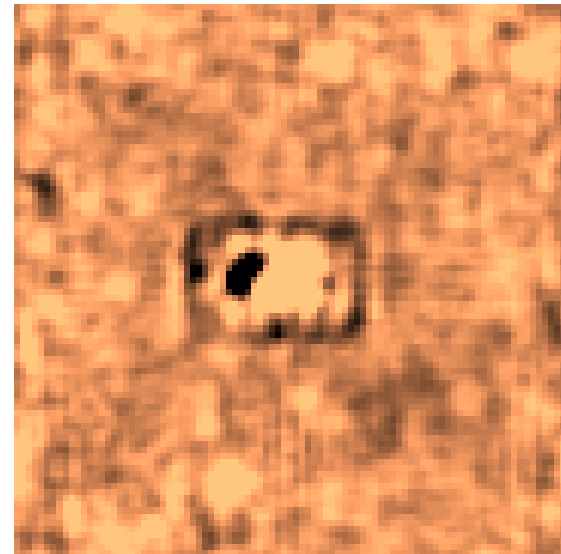
# 3D Results (Buried chamber)

**Raw data**



**Migration**

**Migrated image**



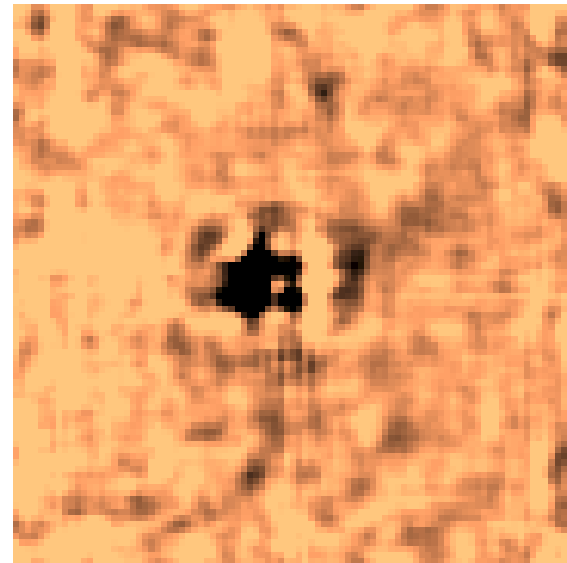
**At an estimated depth of 17cm from interface**

# 3D Results (Buried Chamber)

## Numerical verification

	Actual	Estimated
<b>Width</b>	<b>40.64cm</b>	<b>42cm</b>
<b>length</b>	<b>30.48cm</b>	<b>34cm</b>
<b>height</b>	<b>20.32cm</b>	<b>16.1cm</b>
<b>depth</b>	<b>9.5cm</b>	<b>10.5cm</b>

## 3D animation



\* Note: 1 pixel resolution = 2 cm (horizontal), 0.16cm (vertical)



# Summary

- 2D, 3D and multimodality inversion methods have been developed
- Inversion methods have been successfully applied to image some difficult targets from Institut Fresnel. These are 2D measured results for TM polarization.
- NUFFT has been applied to obtain high-fidelity 3D images from Georgia Tech data
- Through-wall imaging is investigated and is highly promising.