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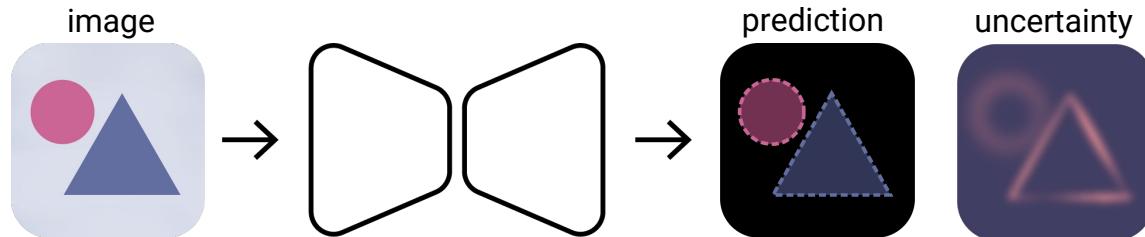
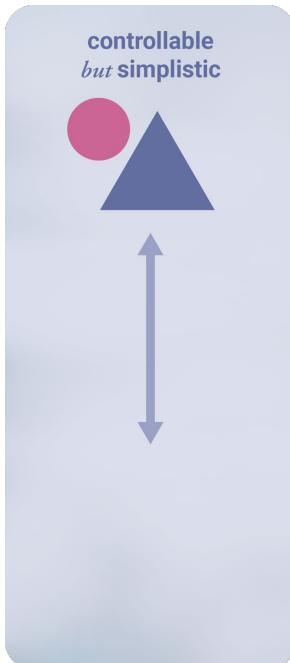
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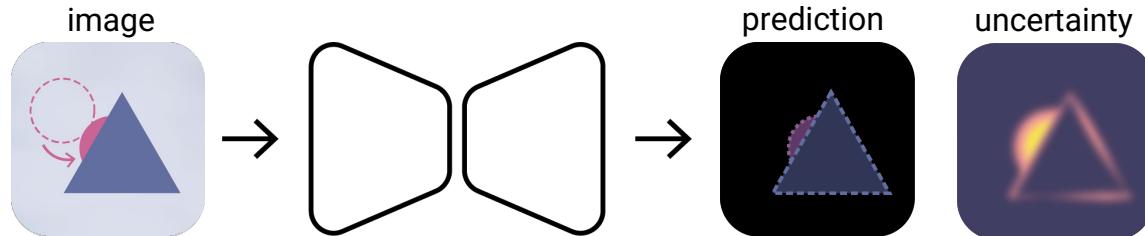
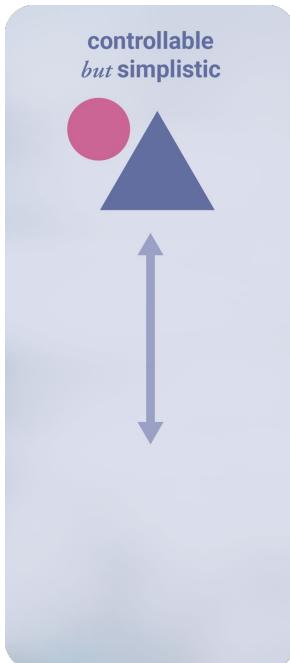
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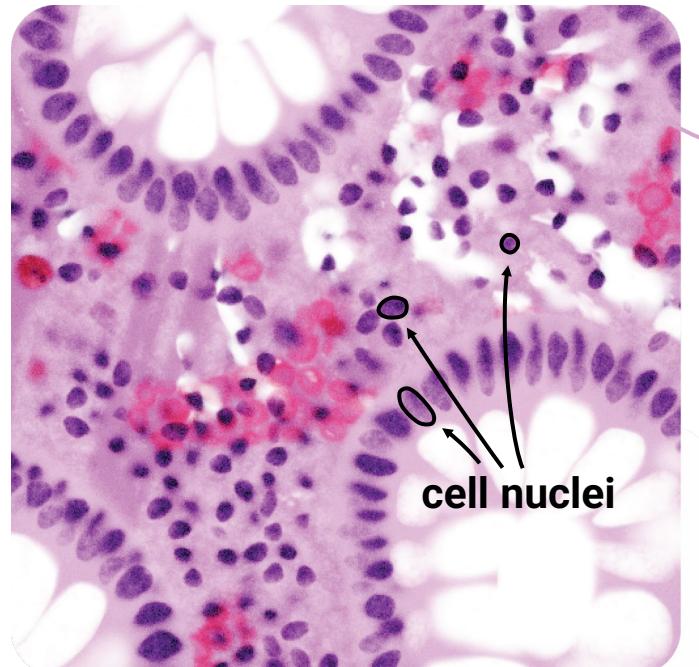
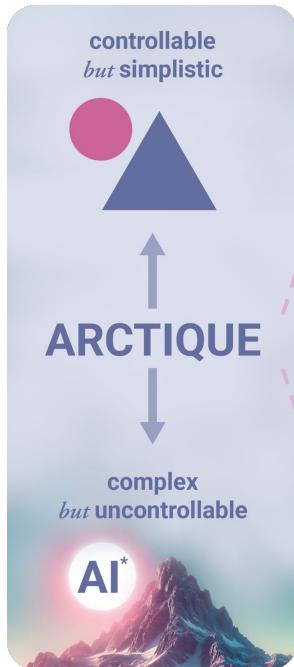


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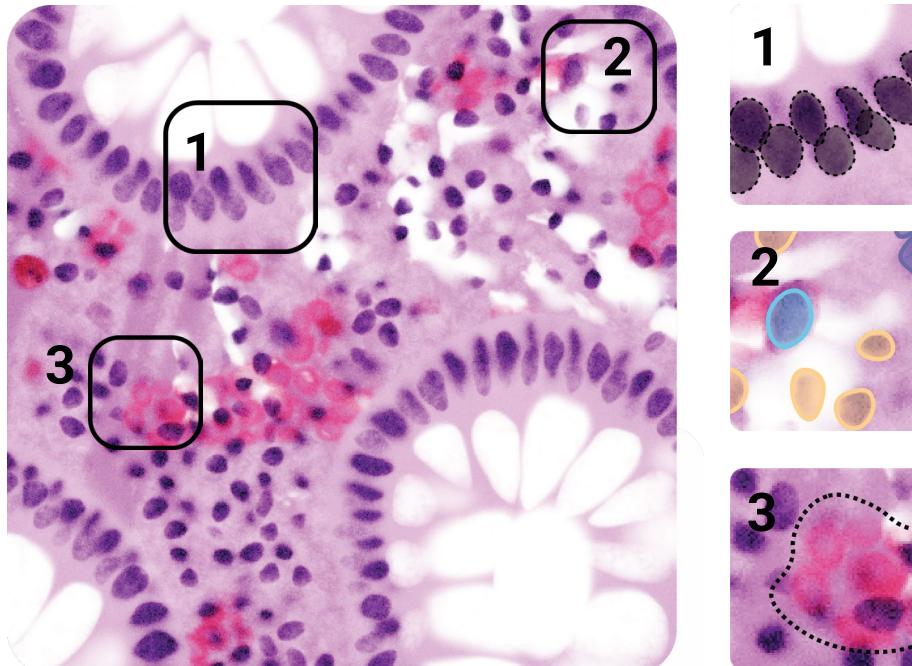
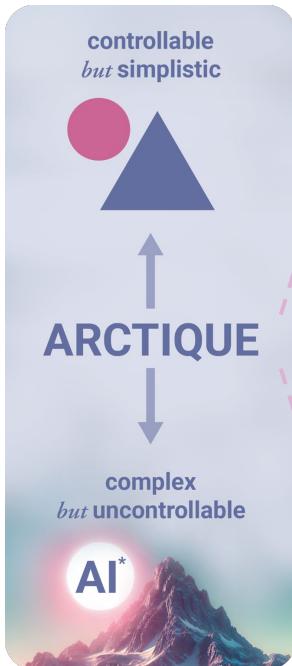


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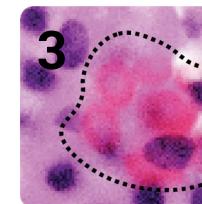
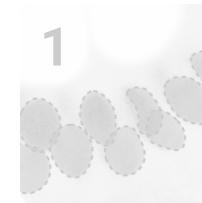
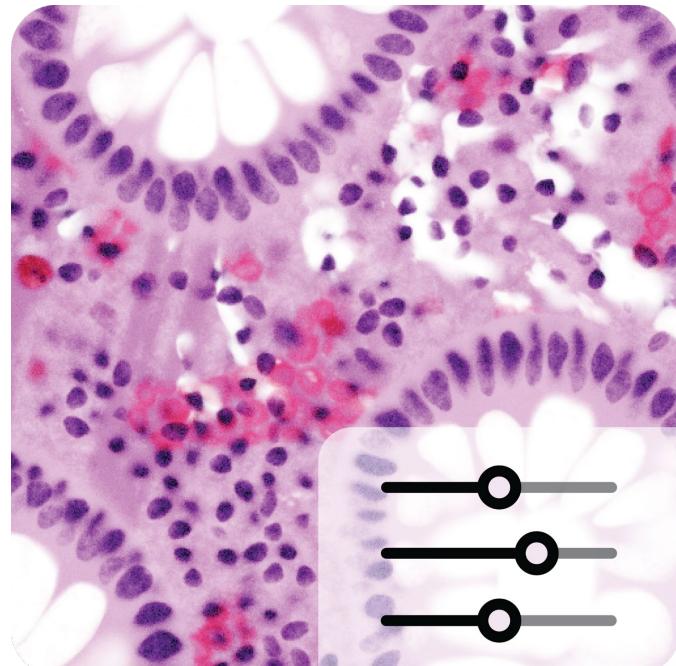
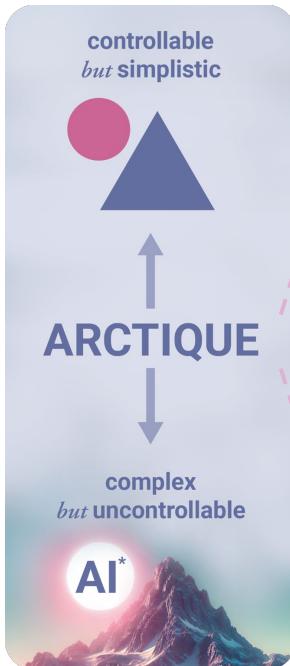


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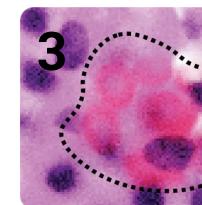
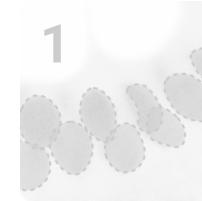
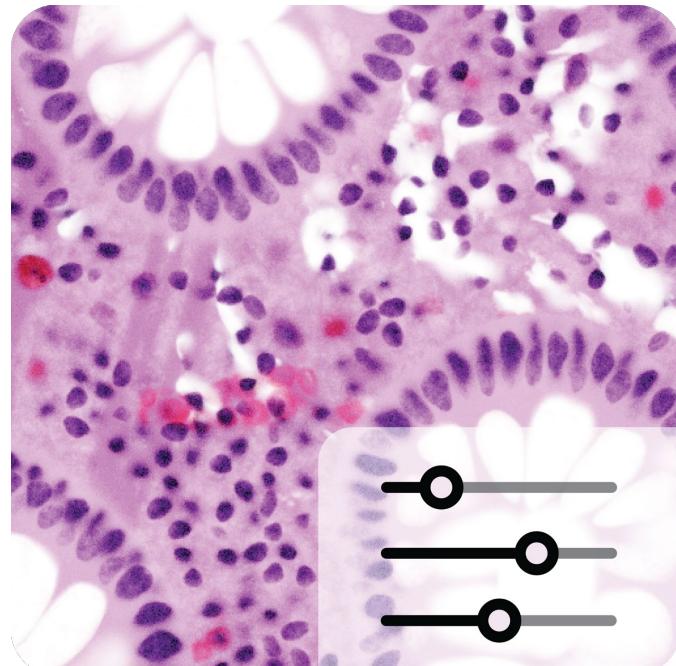
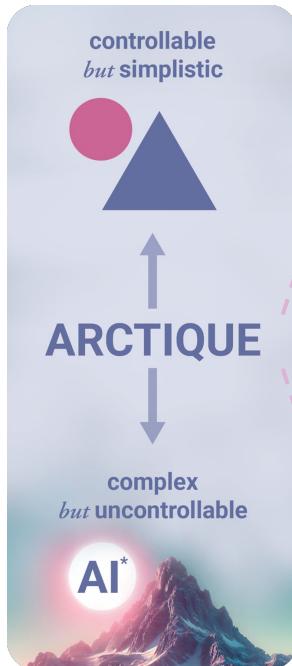


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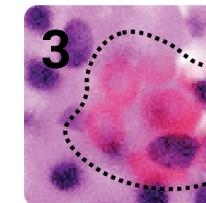
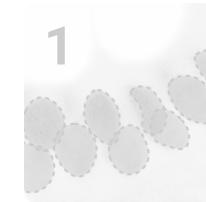
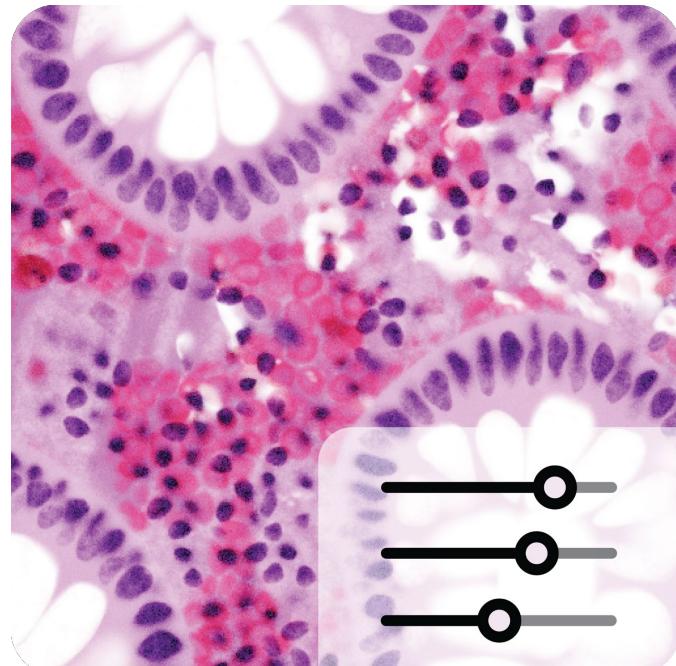
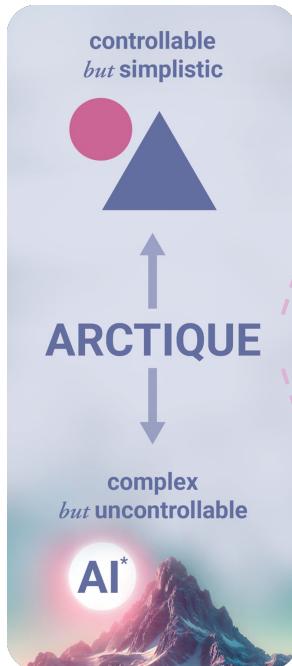


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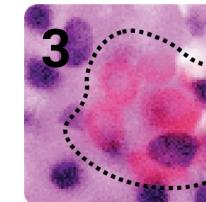
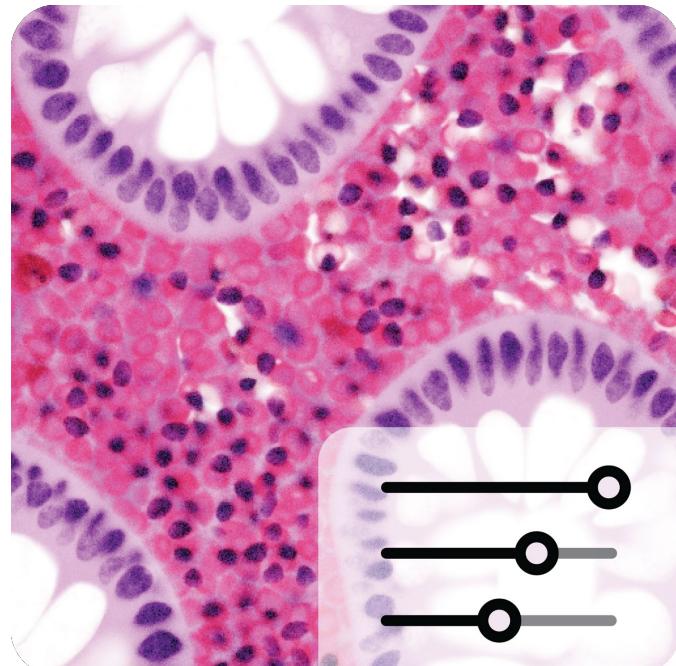
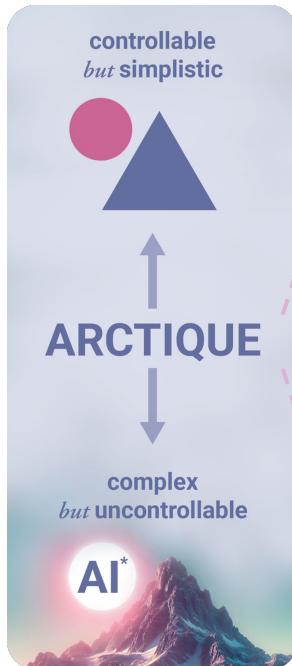


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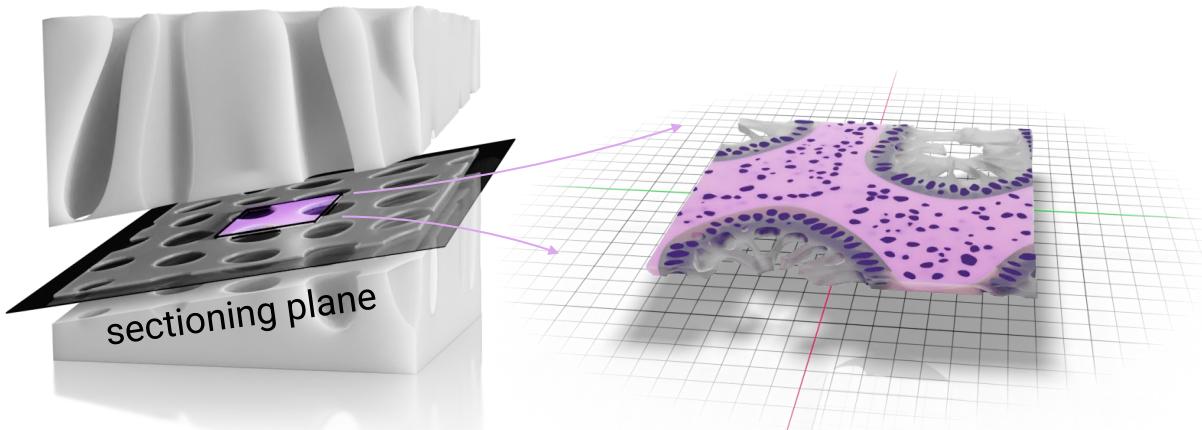
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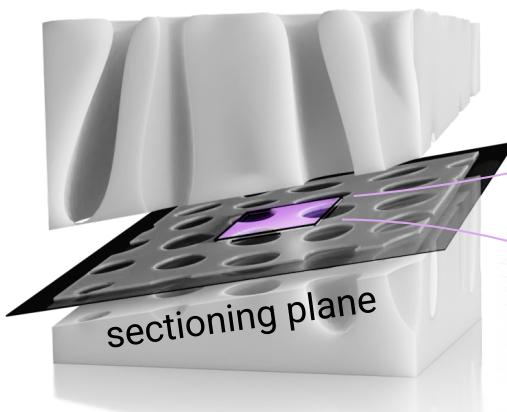
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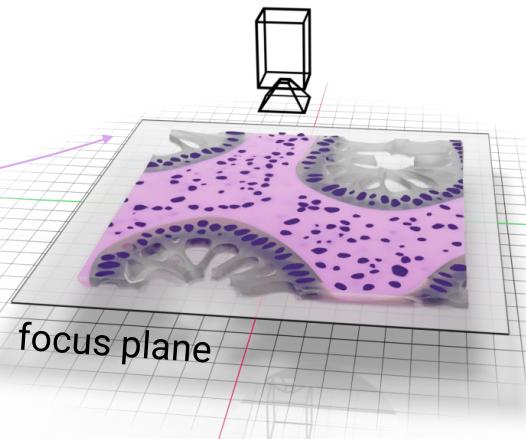
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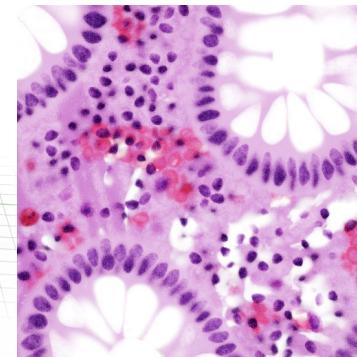


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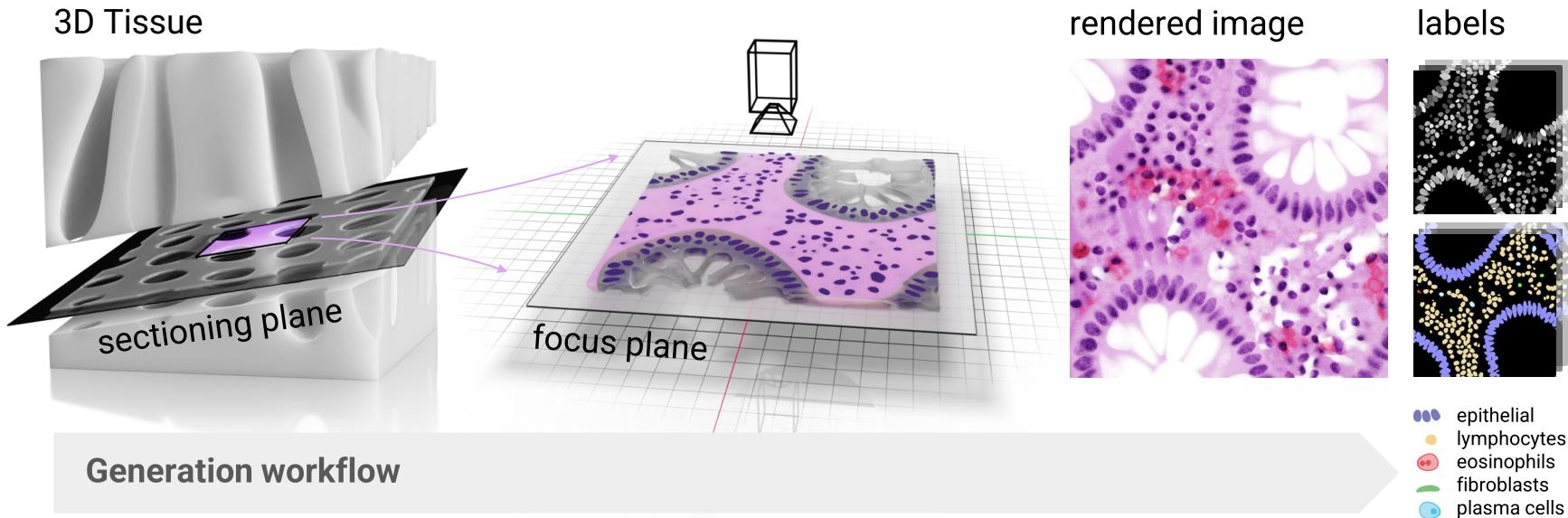


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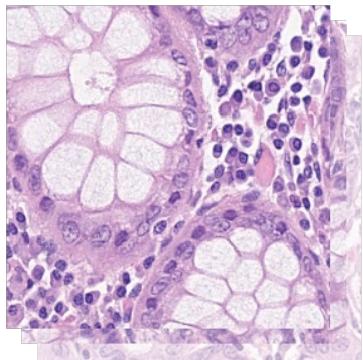


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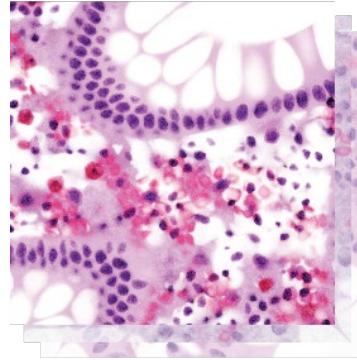


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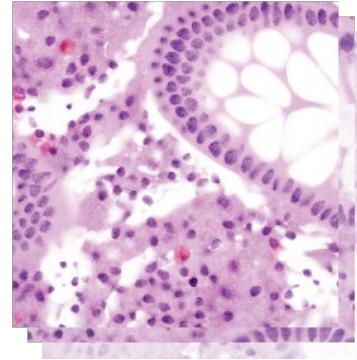
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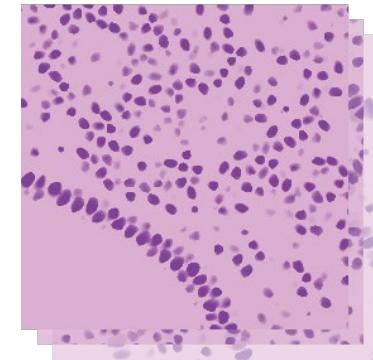
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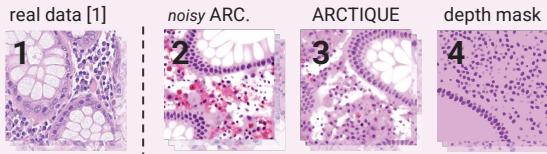
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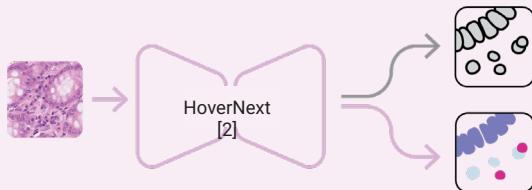
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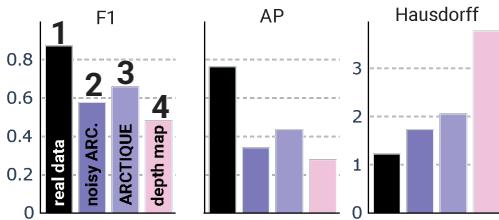
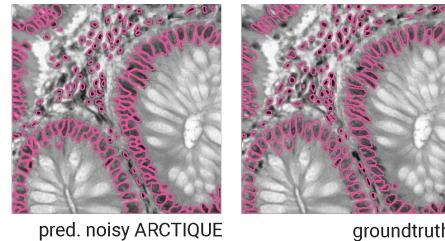
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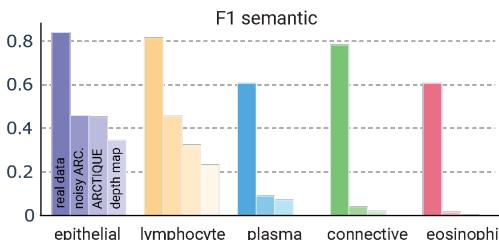
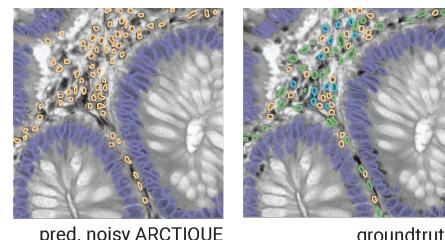
## Inference on real data



## Instance Segmentation



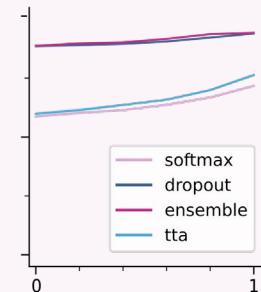
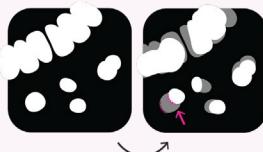
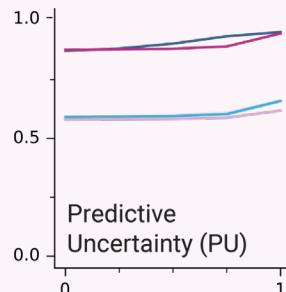
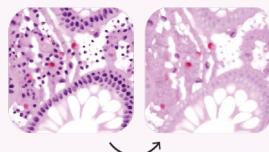
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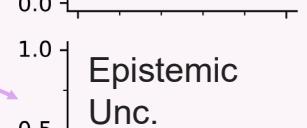
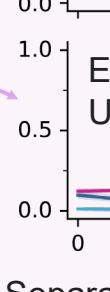
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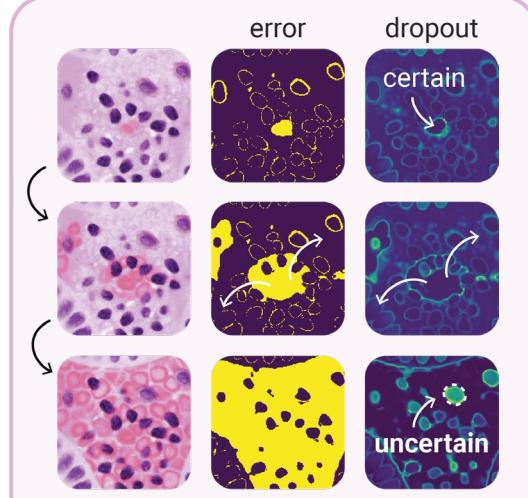
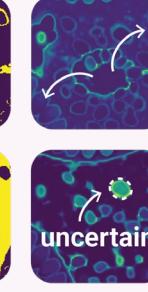
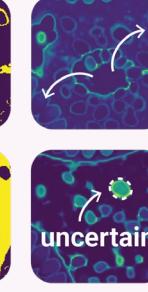
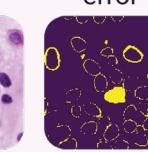
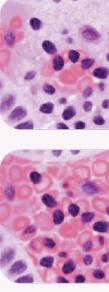
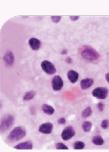
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**Response of uncertainty quantification** methods to gradual changes in images and labels



Separate manipulation of images and labels to study **decomposition into aleatoric and epistemic components**



Exact labels for **qualitative assessment** via error maps and **uncertainty maps**



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