







### **WORKSHOP ON ALBASICS** FOR IMAGE PROCESSING

**SESSION 3: IMAGE CLASSIFICATION AND SEGMENTATION** 

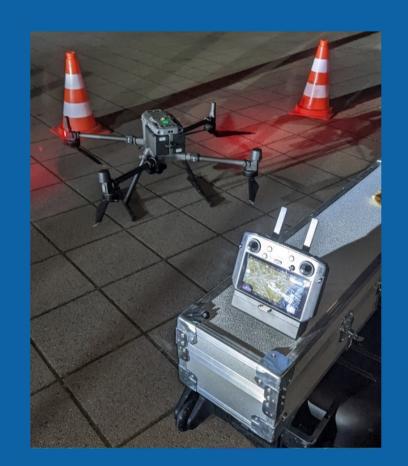
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# **UAV-based Thermography:** Using AI with Multispectral Data

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### Agenda

- Motivation: What is thermography and how can we use it in the urban energy context?
- 2. Deep learning models to aid in urban infrastructure maintenance
  - TBBRDet thermal bridges on building rooftops detection
  - TUFSeg thermal urban feature segmentation
- 3. AI4EOSC project & training platform





## **Motivation**



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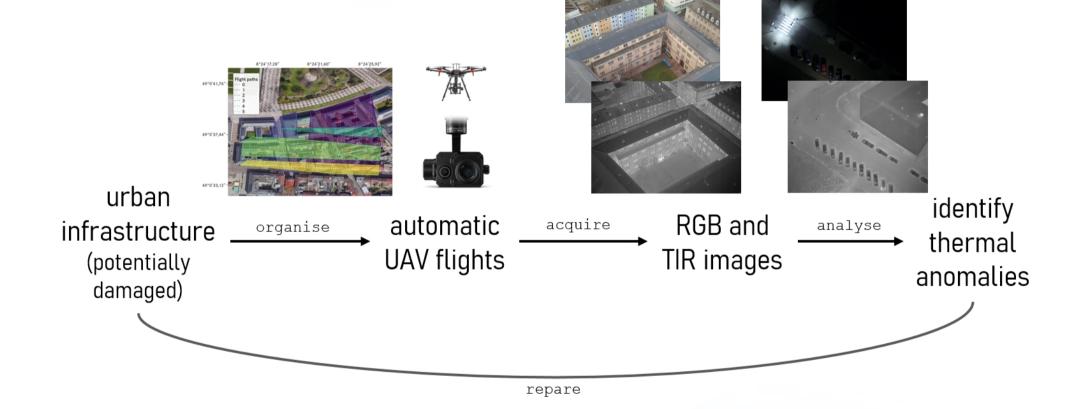


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### Motivation







## Deep learning models: Case descriptions

#### **TBBRDet**

(Thermal Bridges on Building Rooftops Detection)

Energy use: Buildings

Find thermal bridges on building rooftops → provide pointers for energy retrofitting measures

single-class object detection or instance segmentation



Dual camera<sup>1</sup>: RGB + TIR

UAV-based<sup>2</sup>: 45° pitch, high overlap

Day-time flights in Karlsruhe (DE)



### **TUFSeq**

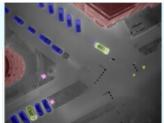
(Thermal Urban Feature Segmentation)

Energy supply: District heating networks (underground)

Identify common thermal features in urban settings → sort out false alarms while searching for leakages

multi-class semantic segmentation





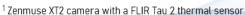
Dual camera<sup>1</sup>: RGB + TIR

UAV-based<sup>2</sup>: 90° pitch, high overlap

Night-time flights in Karlsruhe & Munich (DE)

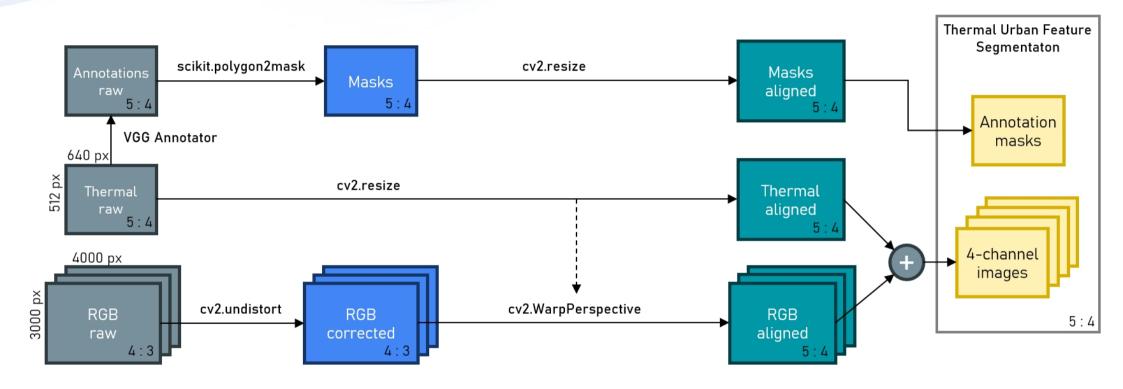






<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> DJI M600 and DJI M300 UAVs

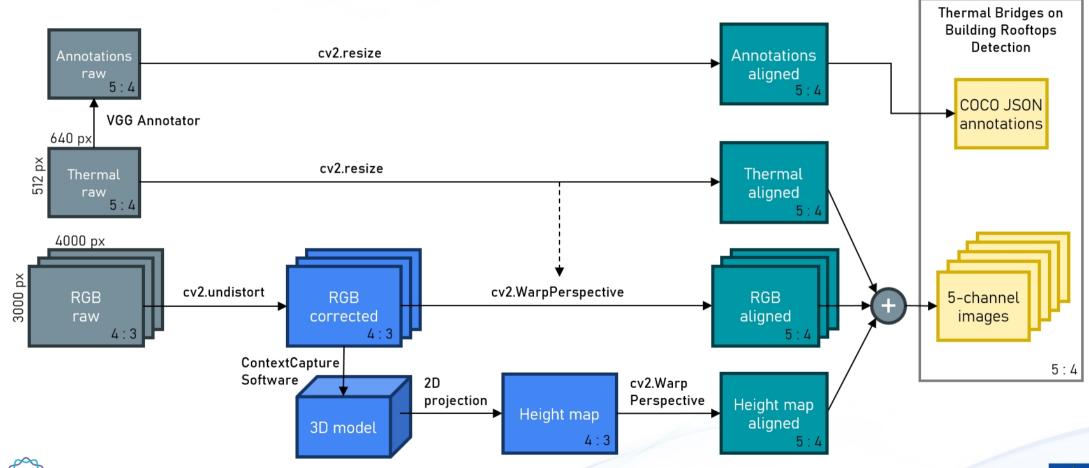
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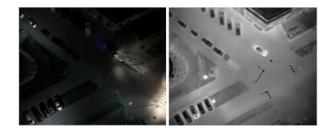
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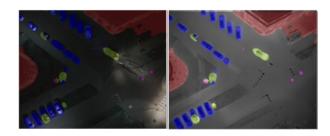
TBBRDet
(Thermal Bridges on Building Rooftops Detection)





TUFSeg (Thermal Urban Feature Segmentation)









### Deep learning models: Case descriptions

#### **TBBRDet**

(Thermal Bridges on Building Rooftops Detection)

723 train, 203 test images

single-class object detection or instance segmentation:

- MaskRCNN ResNet-18 backbone
- MaskRCNN ResNet-50 backbone
- MaskRCNN Swin-T Transformer backbone
- TridentNet\*
- Feature Selective Anchor-Free (FSAF)\*

Detectron2 and MMDetection toolboxes using PyTorch Energy monitoring through HPC https://www.scc.kit.edu/en/services/horeka.php

Model ablation study

Evaluation: average recall

### **TUFSeg**

(Thermal Urban Feature Segmentation)

634 train, 159 test images

multi-class semantic segmentation:

U-Net ResNet-152 backbone

Segmentation\_models toolbox using Tensorflow

Energy monitoring with Perun https://github.com/Helmholtz-AI-Energy/perun IN WORK

Data pre-processing study

Evaluation: precision, weighted precision, IoU, w IoU, F1





## AI4EOSC project

- AI / DL / ML services for the european open science cloud
- computing resources from pan-European e-Infrastructures



#### Project AI4EOSC

- Evolution of the DEEP Hybrid DataCloud platform
- HORIZON-INFRA-2021-EOSC-01-04 call
- Runs September 1st 2022 August 2025 (36 months)
- 7 academic + 2 SME + 1 non-profit organization





















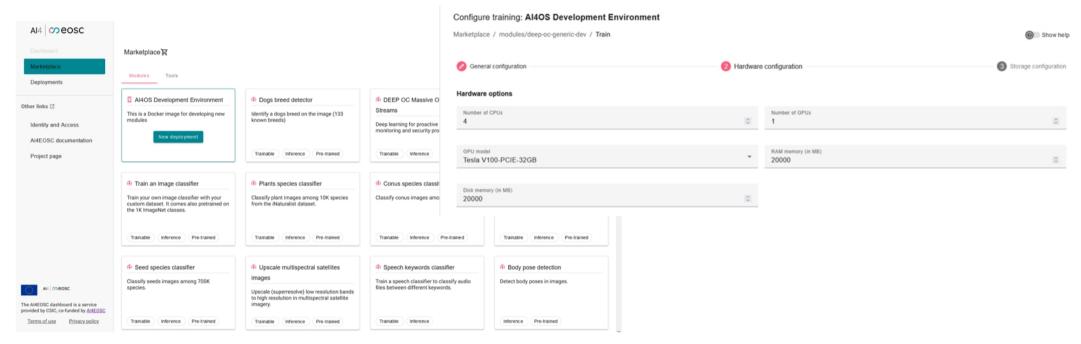
Advanced features for distributed, federated, composite learning, metadata provenance, MLOps, event-driven data processing, and provision of AI/ML/DL services

Websites: https://ai4eosc.eu/; https://dashboard.cloud.ai4eosc.eu/marketplace





## AI4EOSC project: Training platform

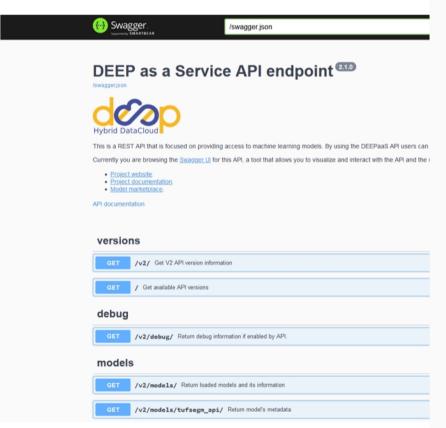


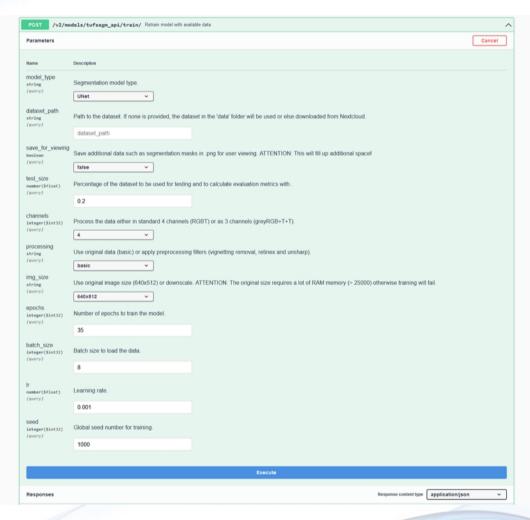
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## AI4EOSC project: Training platform









## Thank you for your attention.

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