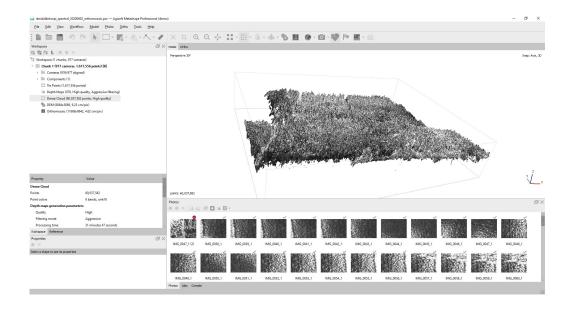
Agisoft Metashape in cPouta virtual machine

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Agisoft Metashape

 Desktop software for generating 3D models and point clouds from images using photogrammetry





Example use case

- Forest research
- Generating orthomosaic and dense cloud from photos taken using drone
 - Pictures have high overlap
- RGB, thermal and multispectral cameras
- Study site is approximately 500 x
 500 meters in size

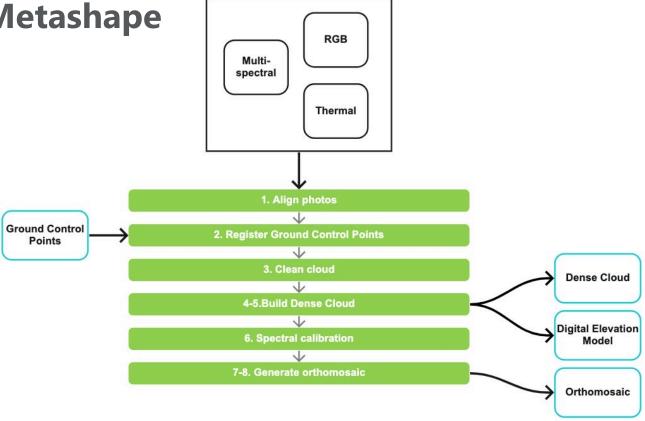






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Workflow in Metashape





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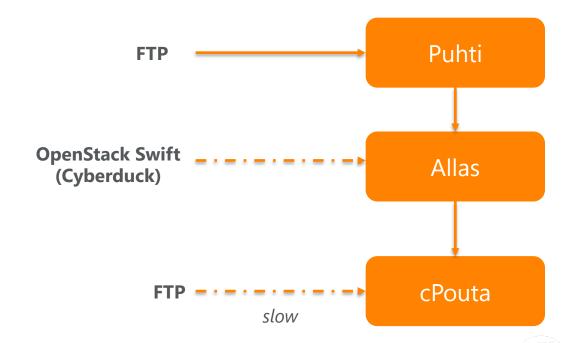
cPouta Virtual Machine

- gpu.1.1gpu
 - 14 cores
 - 112 GB RAM
 - 1 NVIDIA Tesla P100 GPGPU
 - 1 TB persistent storage
 - Ubuntu 16.4 (to support GPU)
 - Connection using SSH tunnel using MobaXterm
 - Authentication with ssh-keys and ip whitelisting



Data transfer

- Using a-commands
 - a-put
 - a-get
- Transfer speeds with Allas are fast





Observations

Pros

- Sufficient computing speed, different flavors available
- No need for local computing power
- Available for multiple users

Cons

- Data transferring requires multiple steps
- For larger data sets, more storage and possibly more power might be needed
- For other software, newer Ubuntu version would be useful

