



# LA-SIGMA

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*Implementing I-Books into Classroom Instruction*

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# *History*

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# *Working with I-books*



Creating an I-book is simple and you can create your lessons while capturing the students attention.

# *Integrating I-books into various disciplines*

You can create a simple I-book before each lesson and have the students re-create what you have already done.

Studies have shown that students who use technology excel at a higher rate on standardized test than those who do not.

This incorporates technology into your lesson and creativity. This teaches students independence in learning.



# *Integrating I-books into various disciplines*



- In I-Books you can take this photo spin and zoom it in for a close up on smaller structures in the heart.
- Utilizing a model of the heart gives an in depth look at the heart, it integrates your teaching strategies creating a virtual classroom

# *Integrating I-books into various disciplines*

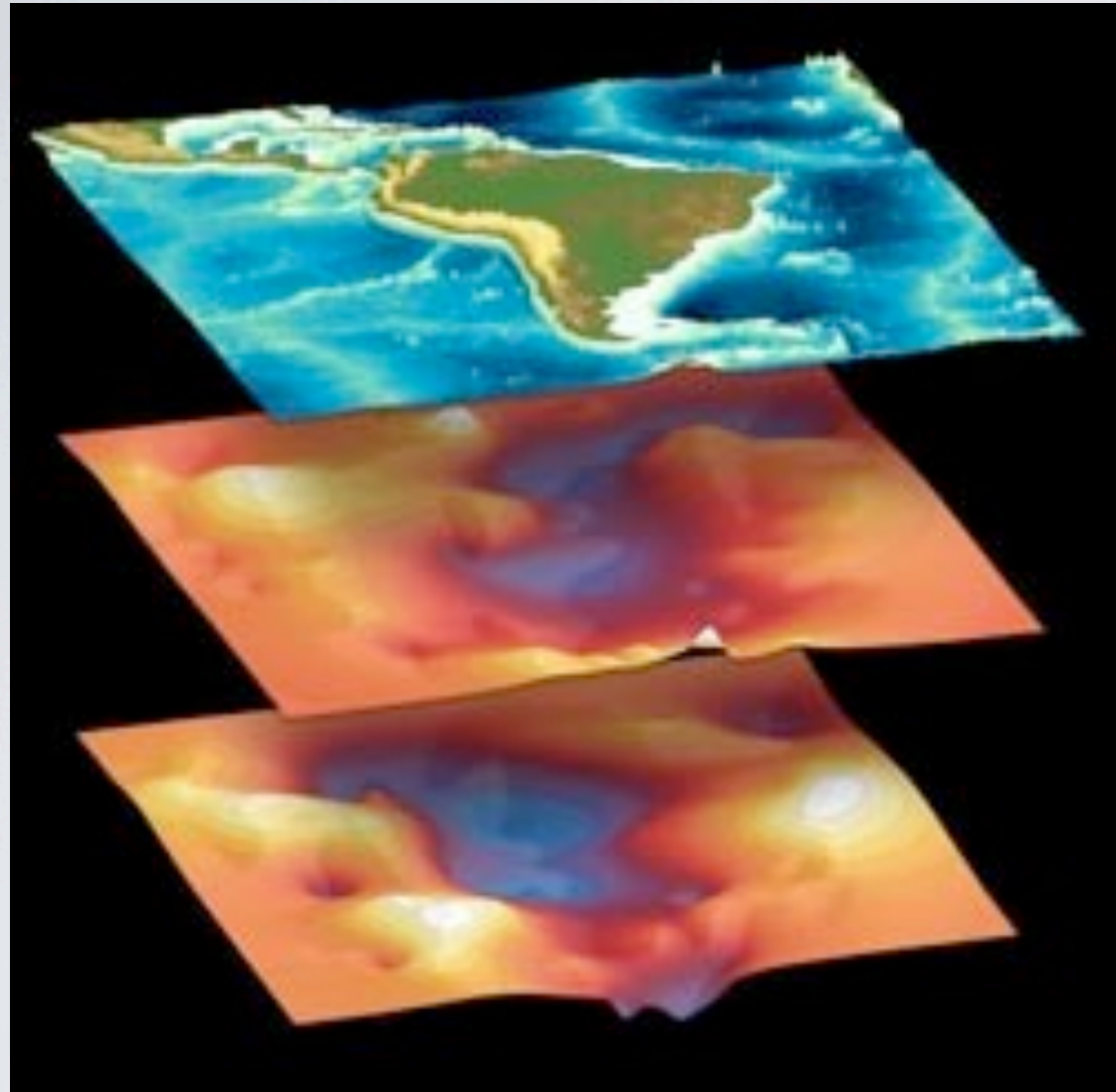
Teachers can do an activity that allows the students to be creative with the Unit you are working on.

Students can create their own projects in I-books and present them to the class.

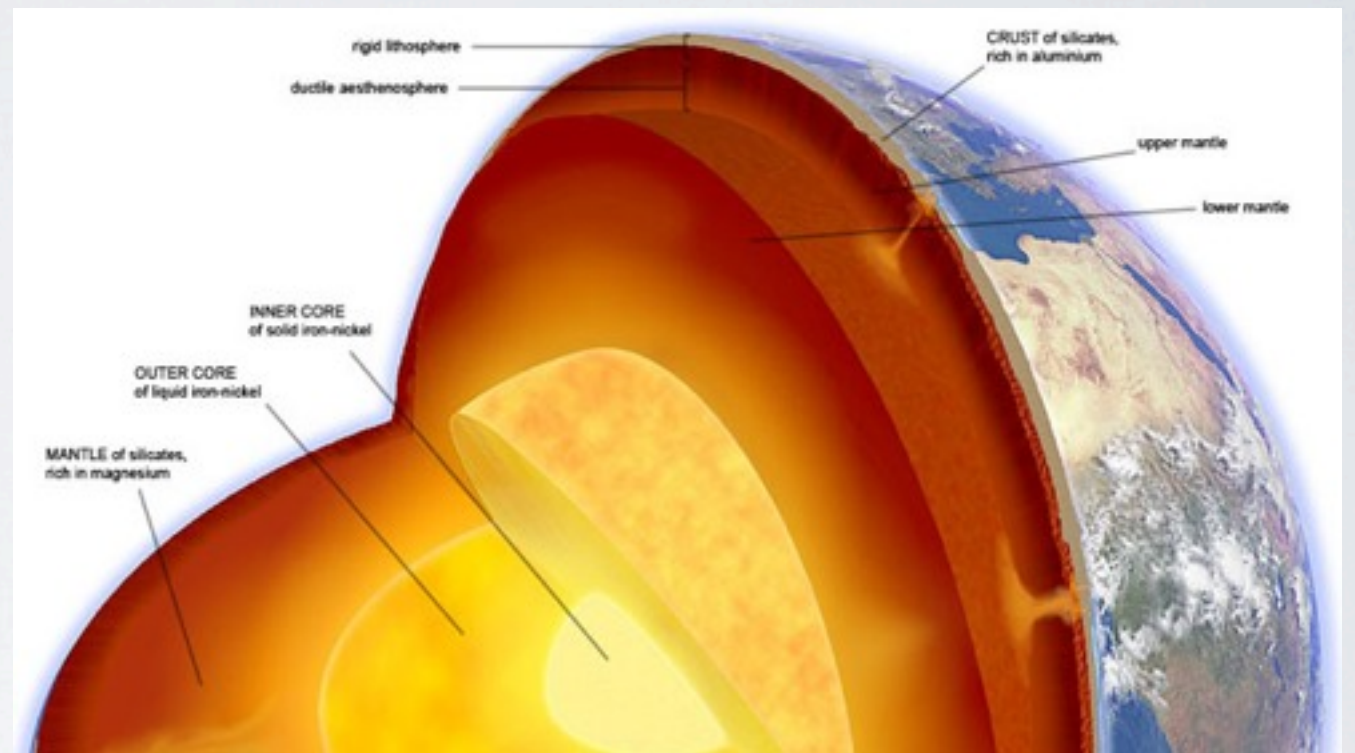
Teachers can create mini lessons in I-books with questions the students can answer themselves, video tutorials, and 3D images. Teachers can utilize I-books for differentiated instruction and create various tutorials for the 4 learning styles.



# 3D- IMAGES

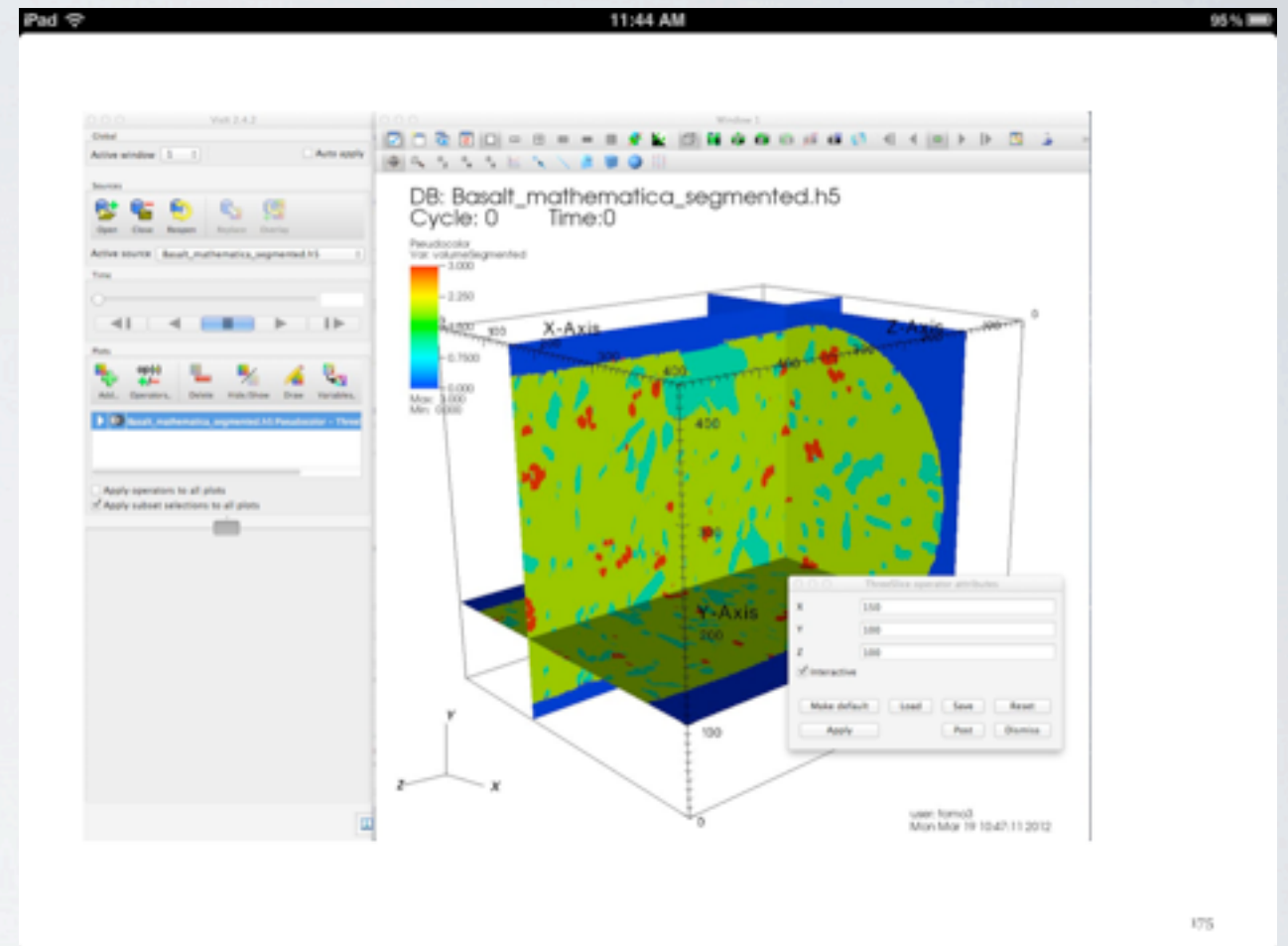
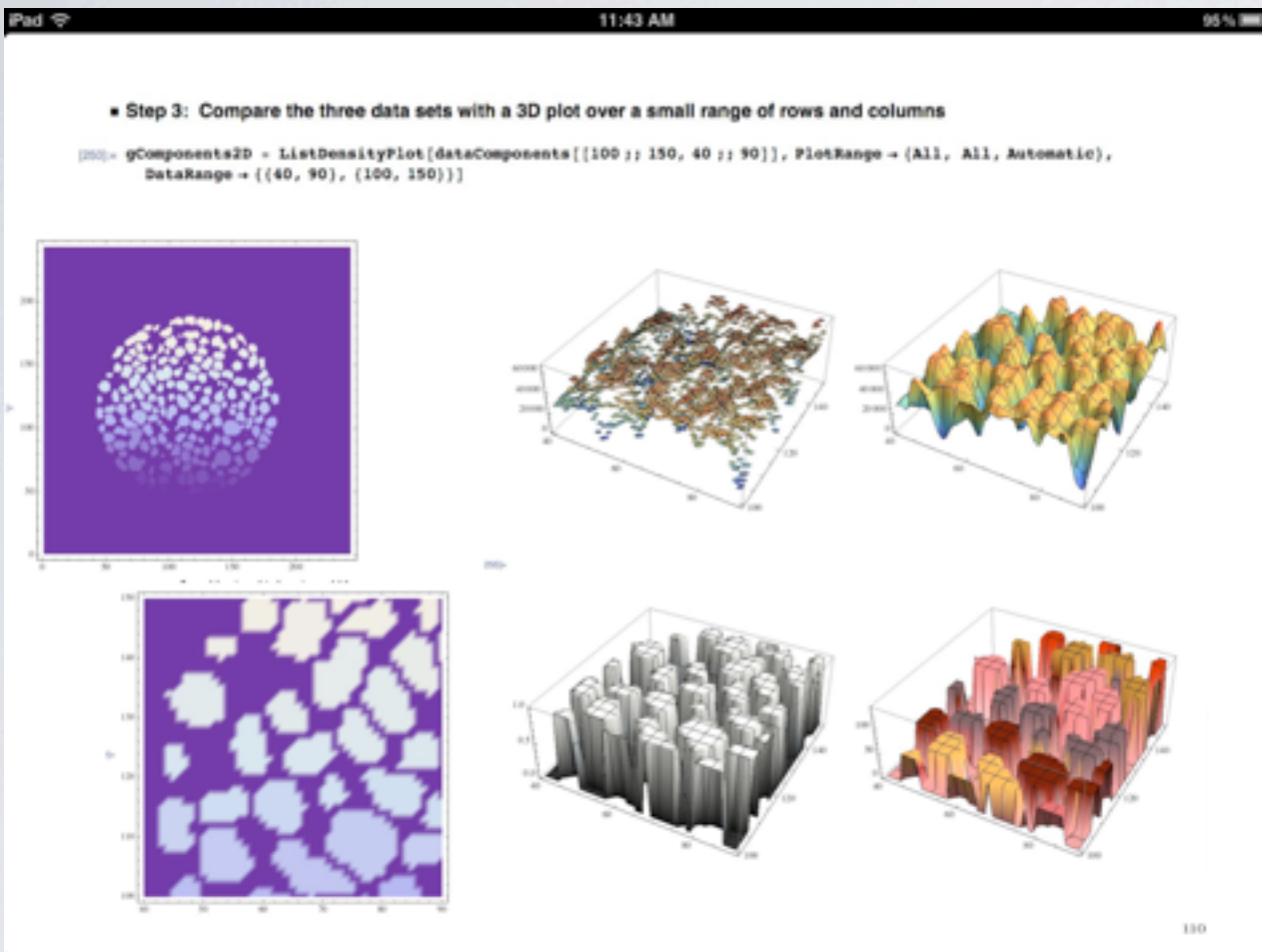


## *Earth's Interior*



Using images in 3D makes concepts come to LIFE!

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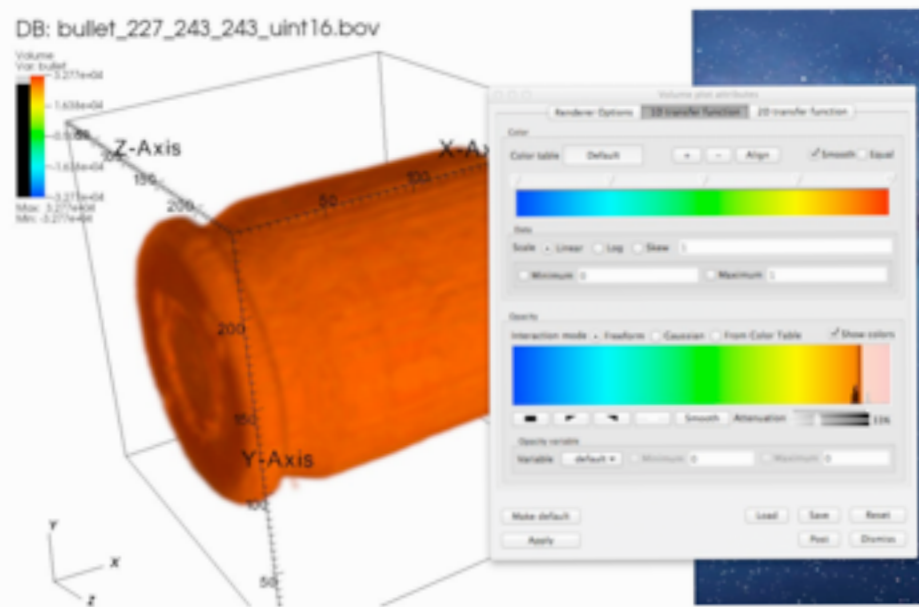


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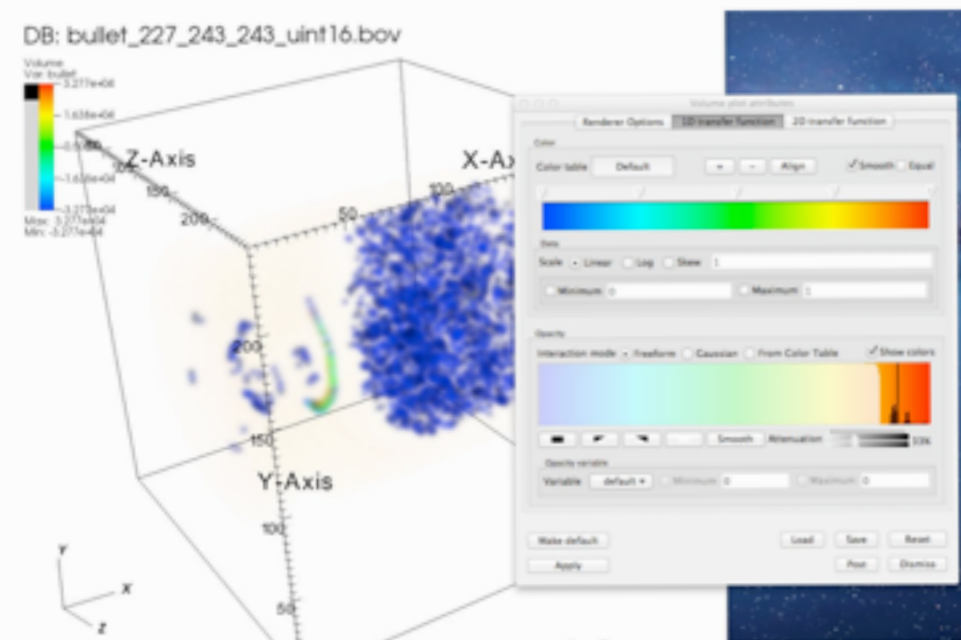


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First, show the very high-intensity numbers. Looks ok at first.



Second, show the low-intensity numbers. Problem: the propellant grains are supposed to be the highest intensity voxels. The numbers above  $2^{31}$  were converted to negative values.



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