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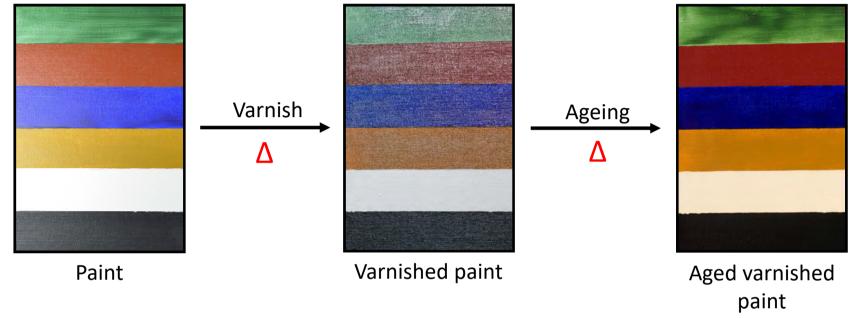
How can one detect changes of appearance during the process of conservation?

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Different appearances



△ Appearance modifications

- Gloss → Glossmeter
- Colour → Hyperspectral imaging
- Geometry → 3D microscope Keyence

Measurements of common appearance changes

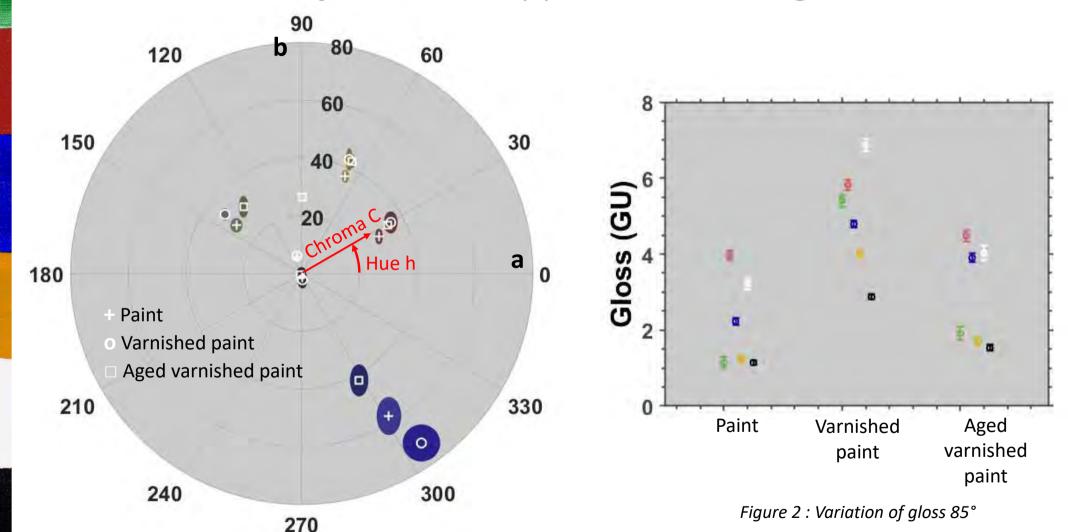
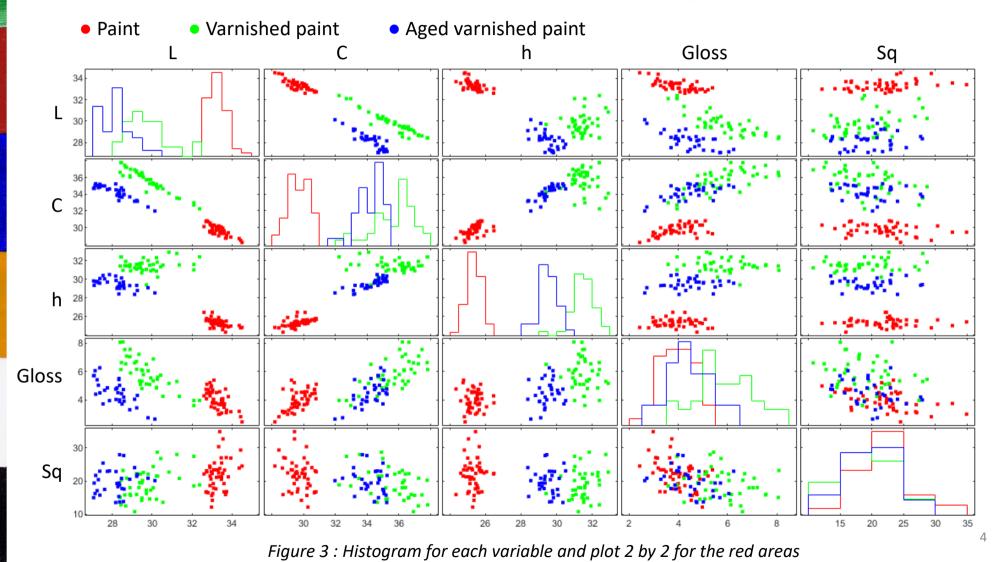
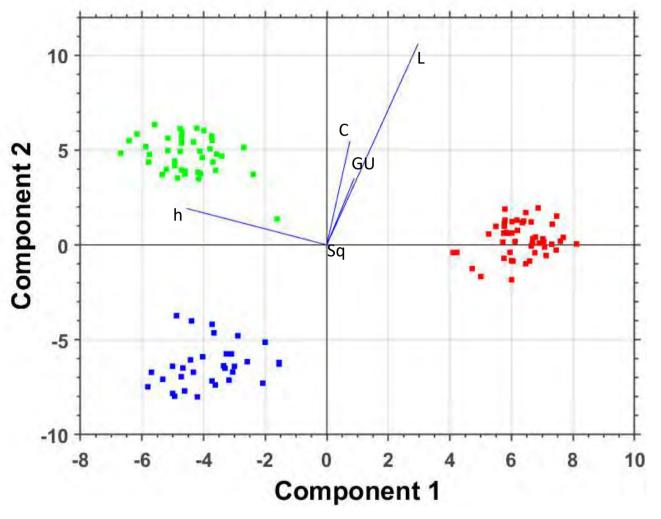


Figure 1 : Variation of chroma and hue in the ab plane (D65, 2° observer)

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- Paint
- Varnished paint
- Aged varnished paint

- h et L differentiate paint group from others
- L, C and Gloss differentiate varnished paint from aged varnished paint

Figure 4 : Linear discriminant analysis for red areas

Prospects

- Apply this method on unvarnished mock-up: Which attribute(s) or combination of attributes best correspond to conservator's perception?
 - → Questionnaire to link perception and measurements
- Characterisation of homogeneity?
- New tool to help conservators for decision making and traceability

Thank you for your attention