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# Step 1 optional: Mount Google Drive
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')
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Drive already mounted at /content/drive; to attempt to forcibly remount, call drive.mount("/content/drive", force_remount=True)
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# Step 2: Import necessary libraries
import cv2 # or use PIL
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from google.colab.patches import cv2_imshow
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# Step 3: Define the path to your image
# Example path: '/content/drive/MyDrive/your_folder/your_image.jpg'
image_path = '/content/drive/MyDrive/TUD/Na Li/lab6/horsek.jpeg'
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# Step 4: Read the image using OpenCV
image = cv2.imread(image_path)
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# Optional: Convert color from BGR to RGB (because OpenCV reads images in BGR format)
image = cv2.cvtColor(image, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
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# Step 5: Display the image
plt.imshow(image)
plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
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# print sharp your image data
print(image.shape)
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(225, 300, 3)
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# Read the image normally
image = cv2.imread(image_path)
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# Convert it to grayscale
gray_image = cv2.imread(image_path, cv2.IMREAD_GRAYSCALE)
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```
# Display
plt.imshow(gray_image, cmap='gray')
plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
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new_width = 500
new_height = 300
# resize your image by cv2
resized_image = cv2.resize(image, (new_width, new_height))
# show your image
cv2_imshow(resized_image)
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print(resized_image.shape)

(300, 500, 3)
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scale_factor = 0.5 #x and y
resized_image_scale = cv2.resize(image, (0,0), fx=scale_factor, fy=scale_factor)
cv2_imshow(resized_image_scale)
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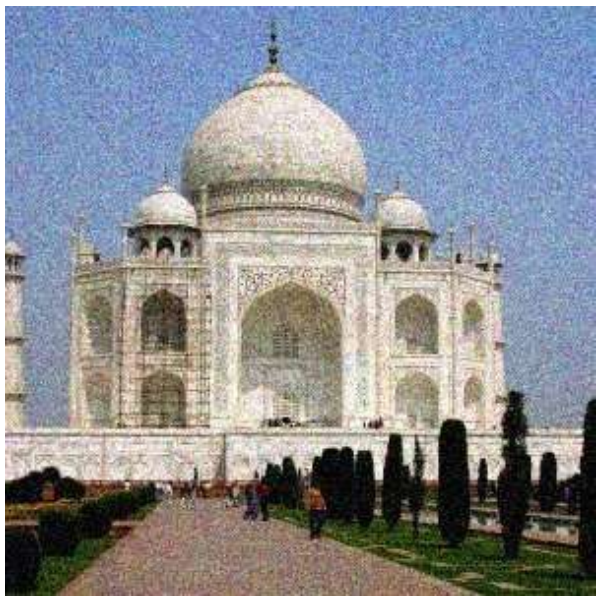


```
print(image.shape)
print(resized_image_scale.shape)
print(resized_image.shape)
print(gray_image.shape)

(225, 300, 3)
(112, 150, 3)
(300, 500, 3)
(225, 300)
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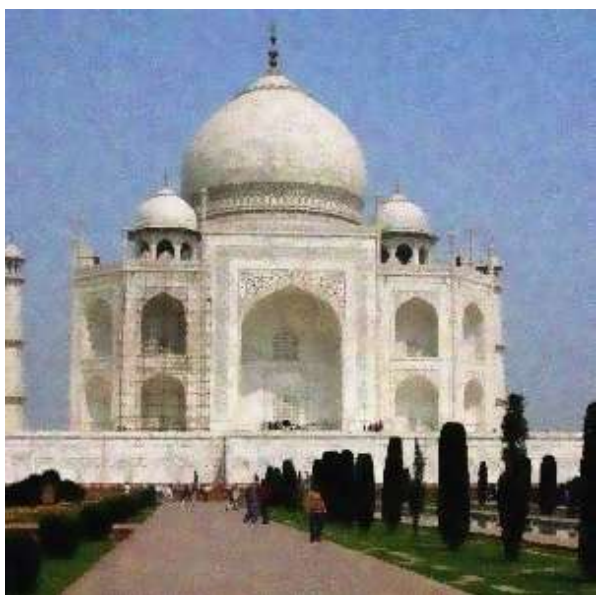
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# Gaussian Blur image
blurred_img = cv2.imread('/content/drive/MyDrive/TUD/Na Li/lab6/taj-rgb-noise.jpg')
cv2_imshow(blurred_img)
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# median blur image
median_blurred_img = cv2.medianBlur(blurred_img, 5)
cv2_imshow(median_blurred_img)
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# Bilateral filtering image
bilateral_filter_img = cv2.bilateralFilter(blurred_img, 9, 75, 75)
cv2_imshow( bilateral_filter_img)
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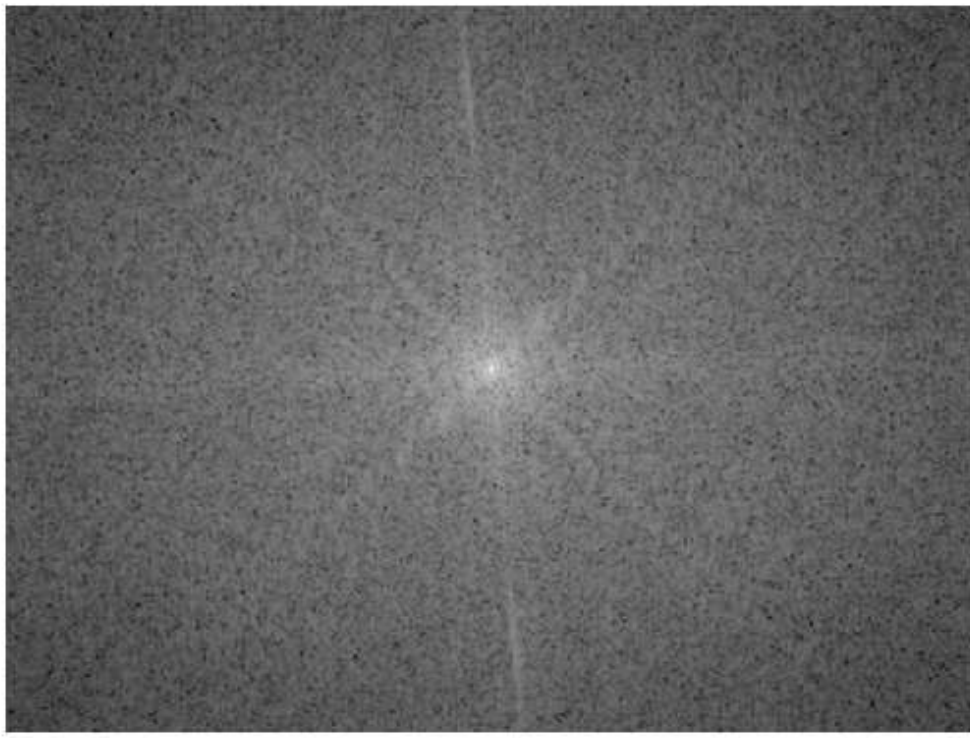


Notes on bilateral filtering: d (diameter=9) The diameter of the pixel neighborhood used for filtering. Larger values consider more surrounding pixels, resulting in stronger smoothing. sigmaColor=75 How much intensity differences influence the filter. Higher values mean that pixels with larger intensity differences can still affect each other (more smoothing across colors). sigmaSpace=75 How much spatial distance influences the filter. Larger values mean distant pixels (within the neighborhood) are considered more strongly.

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import numpy as np
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```
# Fourier Transform your image
f = np.fft.fft2(gray_image)
fshift = np.fft.fftshift(f)
magnitude_spectrum = 20*np.log(np.abs(fshift))
plt.imshow(magnitude_spectrum, cmap='gray')
plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
```



Notes: `np.fft.fft2()` Fourier Transform Converts image to frequency space Spatial \rightarrow Frequency `np.fft.fftshift()` Shift zero frequency to center Re-centers the spectrum Frequency `np.abs()` + `np.log()` Magnitude spectrum Converts to visible intensity scale Frequency (for visualization)

```
#Create a mask for filtering (a low pass filter)
rows, cols = gray_image.shape # Use dimensions of the blurred image
crow, ccol = rows // 2, cols // 2
mask = np.zeros((rows, cols, 2), np.uint8)
radius = 30 #adjust radius for filter size
cv2.circle(mask, (ccol, crow), radius, 255, -1)
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```
gray_image.shape  
  
(225, 300)
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Notes: Concept: Frequency-Domain Filtering

When you apply a Fourier Transform to an image, you convert it from the spatial domain (pixels) to the frequency domain. Each point in this new domain represents a particular spatial frequency:

Low frequencies → smooth variations (broad shapes, gradual intensity changes)

High frequencies → sharp details, edges, fine textures, and noise

A low-pass filter (LPF) allows low frequencies to pass through but blocks (attenuates) high frequencies. This effectively smooths or blurs the image when transformed back to spatial space.

Step-by-Step Explanation

- 1. rows, cols = gray_image.shape
- 2. Gets the dimensions of the grayscale image.

For example, if your image is 512×512 pixels:

rows = 512 cols = 512

crow, ccol = rows // 2, cols // 2

- 3. Finds the center coordinates of the image.
- 4. Since the FFT-shifted image has the low frequencies centered, we use these as the mask’s center point.

So:

crow → center row index

ccol → center column index

mask = np.zeros((rows, cols, 2), np.uint8)

- 5. Creates an empty (black) mask with the same spatial dimensions as the image.

Why the third dimension is 2)?

Because the Fourier-transformed image fshift often has two channels — one for the real part and one for the imaginary part, or when processing color/grayscale in OpenCV, it expects a 2-channel representation.

Thus, the mask is initialized with zeros (black), meaning no frequency components allowed yet.

radius = 30

This defines the size of the circular area in the center of the mask that will allow frequencies to pass.

Larger radius → more low frequencies kept → less blur Smaller radius → fewer frequencies kept → more blur / smoother image

cv2.circle(mask, (ccol, crow), radius, 255, -1)

Draws a filled white circle (-1 means filled) centered at (ccol, crow) with the specified radius.

What this does conceptually:

White (255) area → frequencies allowed to pass (low frequencies)

Black (0) area → frequencies blocked (high frequencies)

So, the circular region in the center corresponds to low frequencies, and everything outside (high frequencies) is zeroed out.

Resulting Mask

Visually:

[Dark edges — high frequencies blocked] [Bright circle in center — low frequencies kept]

When this mask is multiplied elementwise with the shifted Fourier transform (fshift), it:

Keeps only the low-frequency components inside the circle.

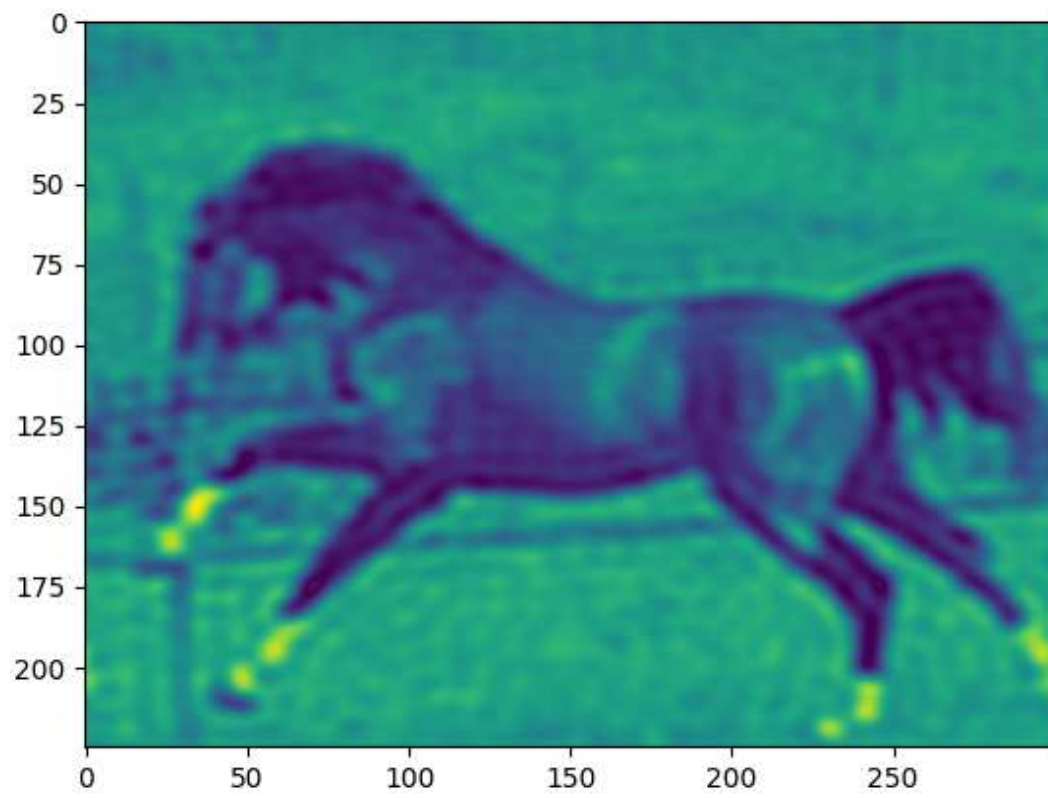
Zeros out all high-frequency components outside it.

```
#Apply the mask to the frequency domain  
mask = mask[:, :, 0]  
fshift_filtered =fshift*mask
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# Inverse shift and inverse fourier transform  
f_ishift = np.fft.ifftshift(fshift_filtered)
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img_back = np.fft.ifft2(f_ishift)
img_back = np.abs(img_back)

# show your back image
plt.imshow(img_back)
axiss = plt.gca()
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