

CSE6706:
Advanced Digital Image Processing

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Spectral/Frequency Domain Analysis of Images



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Recall: DFT of a Sampled Function for a Single Period

Review

$$F(u) = \sum_{x=0}^{x=M-1} f(x) e^{-j2\pi ux/M} \quad \text{for } u = 0, 1, 2, \dots, M-1$$

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2D DFT and Its Inverse

Review

- Forward transform:

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)}, \text{ for } u = 0, 1, \dots, M-1 \\ \text{and } v = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

- Inverse transform:

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} F(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)}, \text{ for } x = 0, 1, \dots, M-1 \\ \text{and } y = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$



Review: 1D FT and Convolution

$$\mathcal{F}\{f(t) * h(t)\} = H(u)F(u)$$

$$f(t)h(t) = H(u) * F(u)$$

$$f(t) * h(t) \Leftrightarrow H(u)F(u)$$

$$f(t)h(t) \Leftrightarrow H(u) * F(u)$$



2D FT and Convolution

$$\Im\{f(x, y) * h(x, y)\} = H(u, v)F(u, v)$$

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Properties of DFT: Translation

$$f(x - x_0, y - y_0) \Leftrightarrow F(u, v)e^{-j2\pi(x_0u/M + y_0v/N)}$$

$$f(x, y)e^{j2\pi(u_0x/M + v_0y/N)} \Leftrightarrow F(u - u_0, v - v_0)$$



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Properties of DFT: Rotation

Let,

$$x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta, u = \omega \cos \varphi, v = \omega \sin \varphi$$

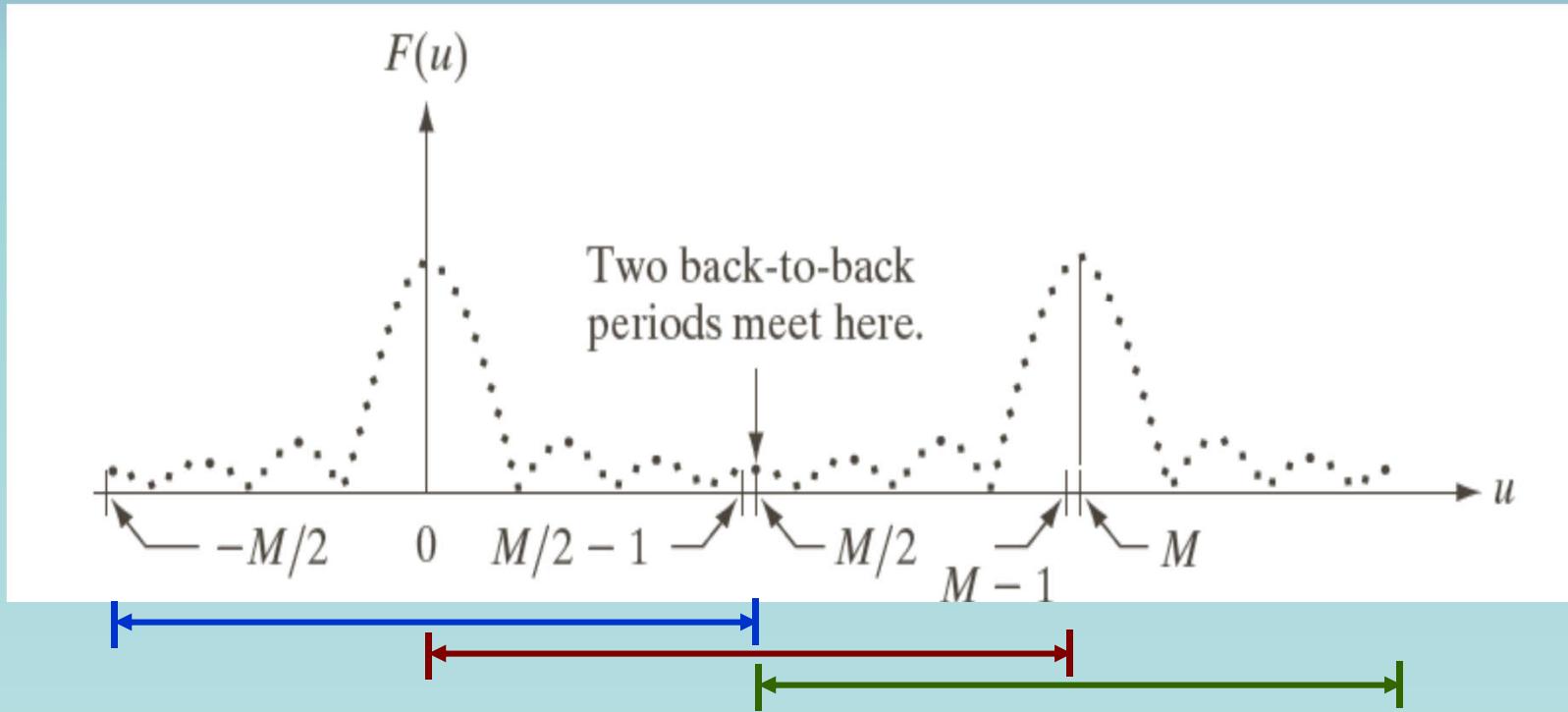
Now, if $f(r, \theta) \Leftrightarrow F(\varphi, \omega)$

Then,

$$f(r, \theta + \theta_0) \Leftrightarrow F(\varphi, \omega + \theta_0)$$



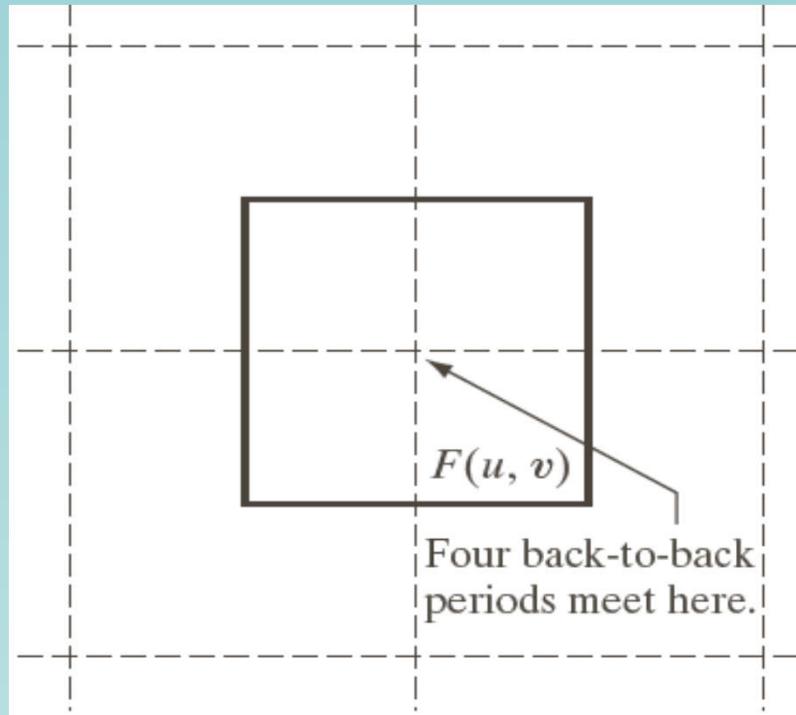
Properties of DFT: Periodicity (1D)



$$F(u) = F(u + kM)$$



Properties of DFT: Periodicity (2D)

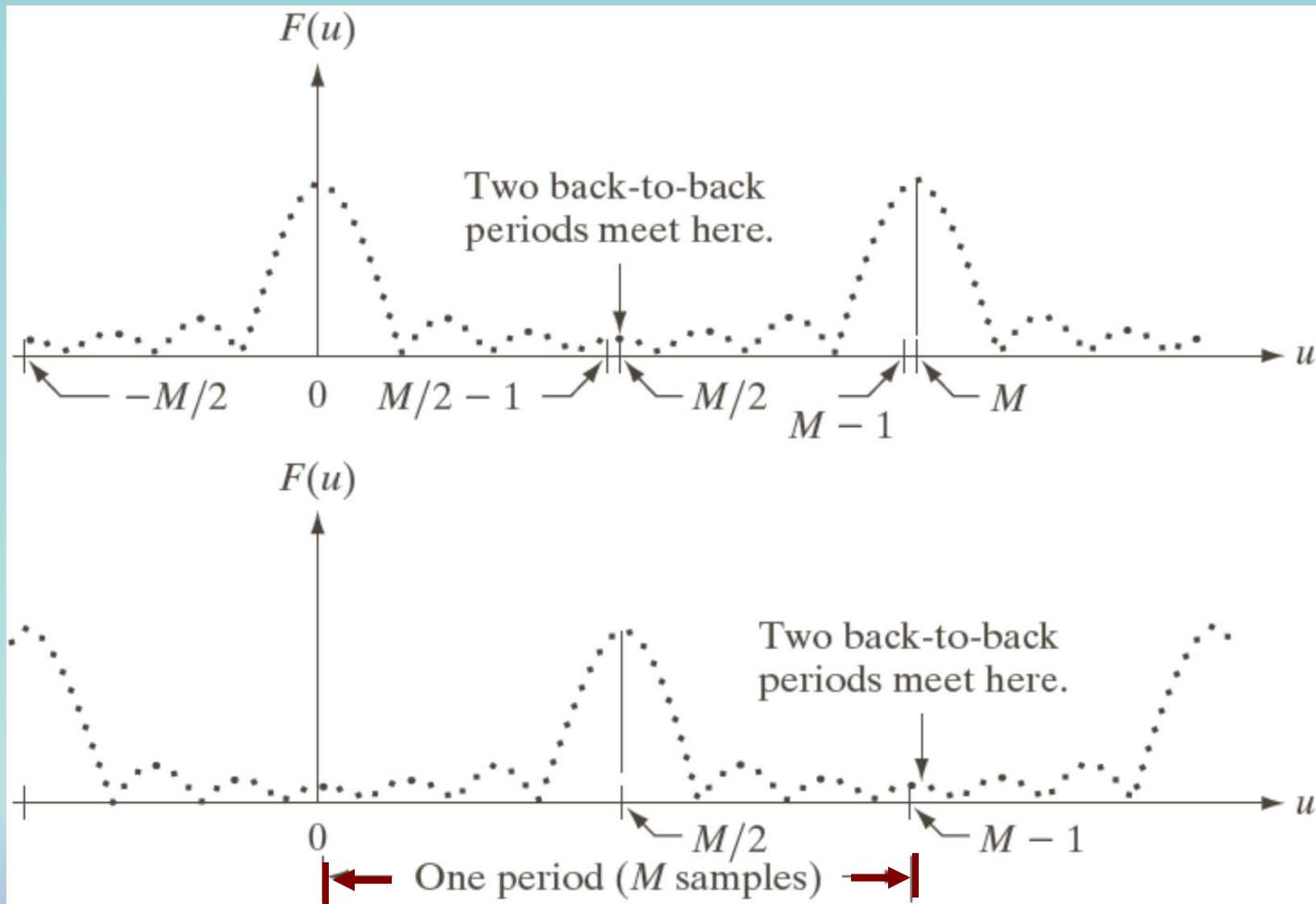


$$\begin{aligned}F(u, v) &= F(u + k_1 M, v) \\&= F(u, v + k_2 N) \\&= F(u + k_1 M, v + k_2 N)\end{aligned}$$

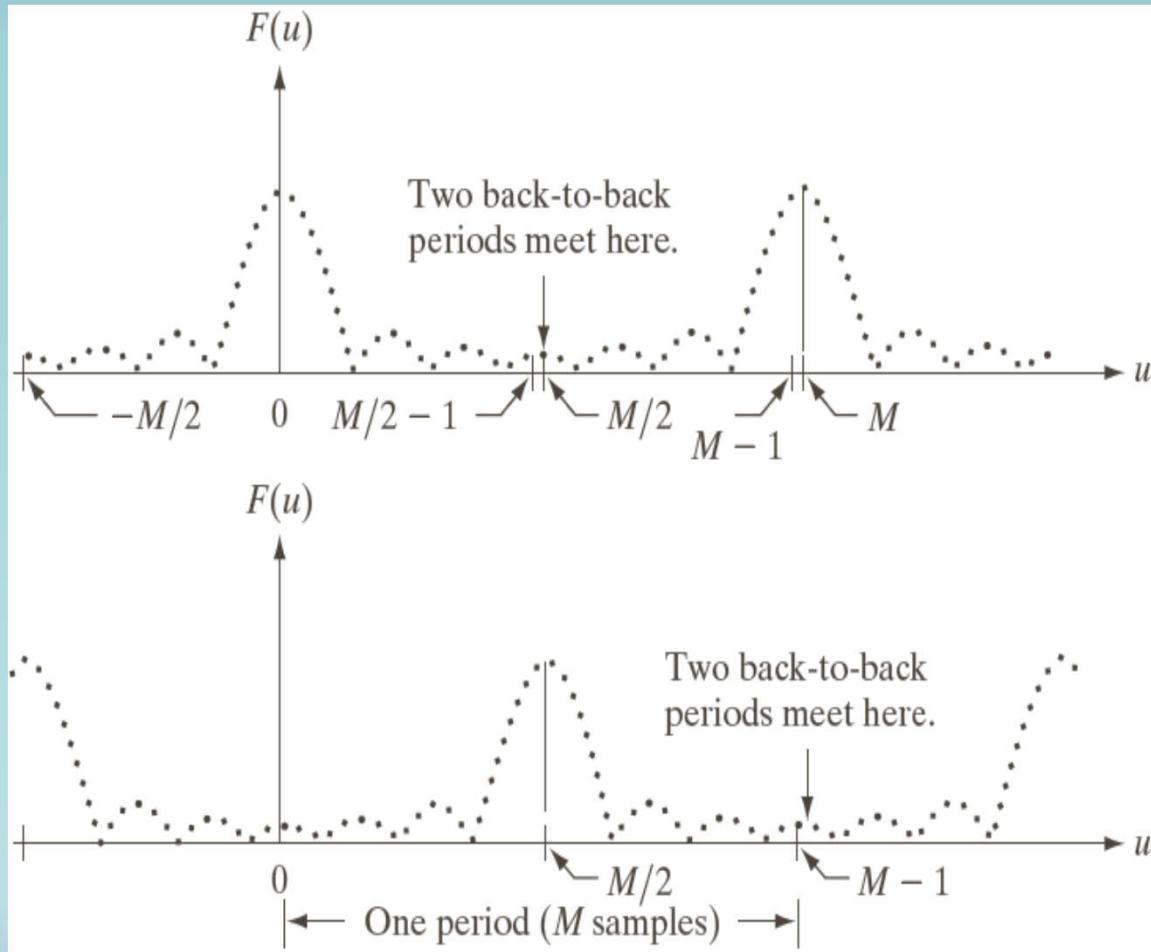
$\boxed{}$ = Periods of the DFT.

\blacksquare = $M \times N$ data array, $F(u, v)$.

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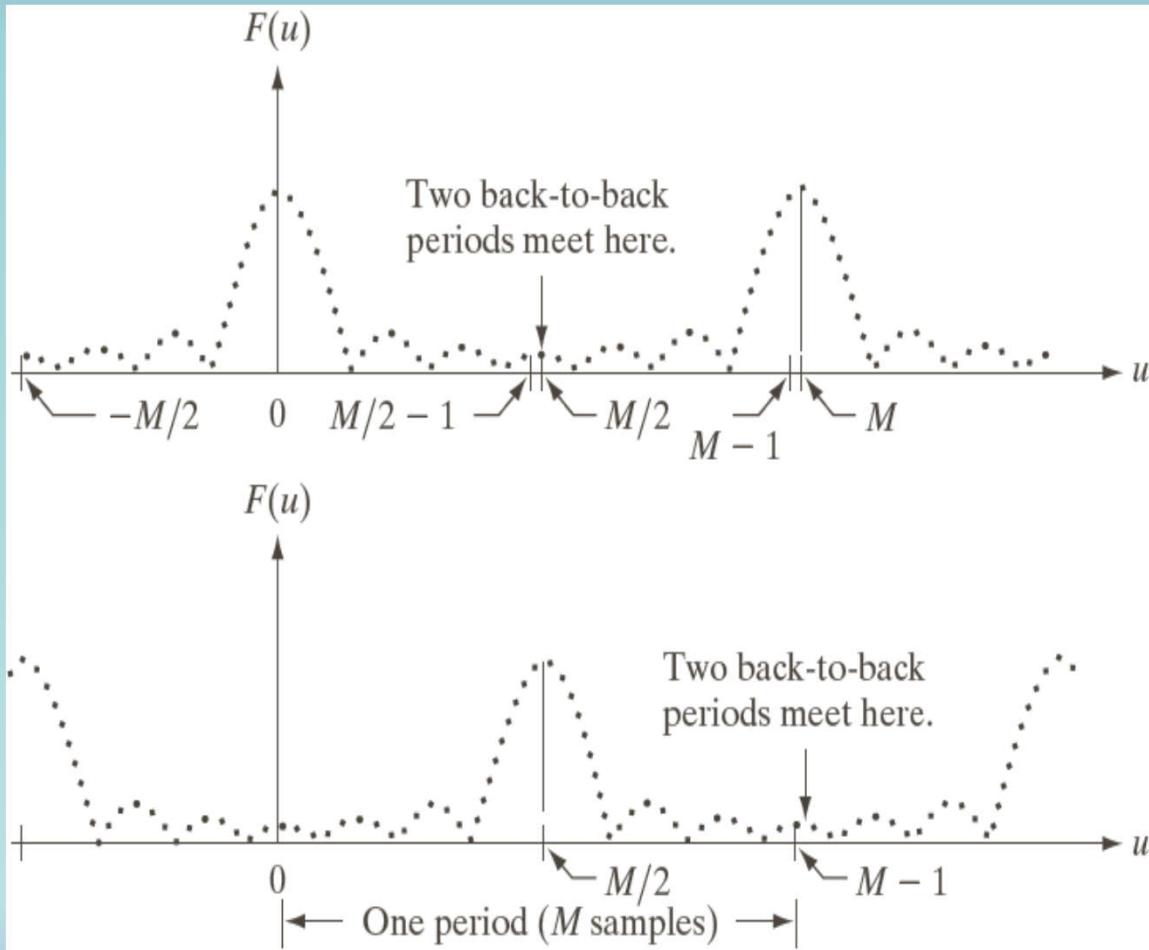


$$f(x)e^{j2\pi(u_0x/M)} \Leftrightarrow F(u - u_0)$$

where, $u_0 = M / 2$



Properties of DFT: Periodicity (1D)

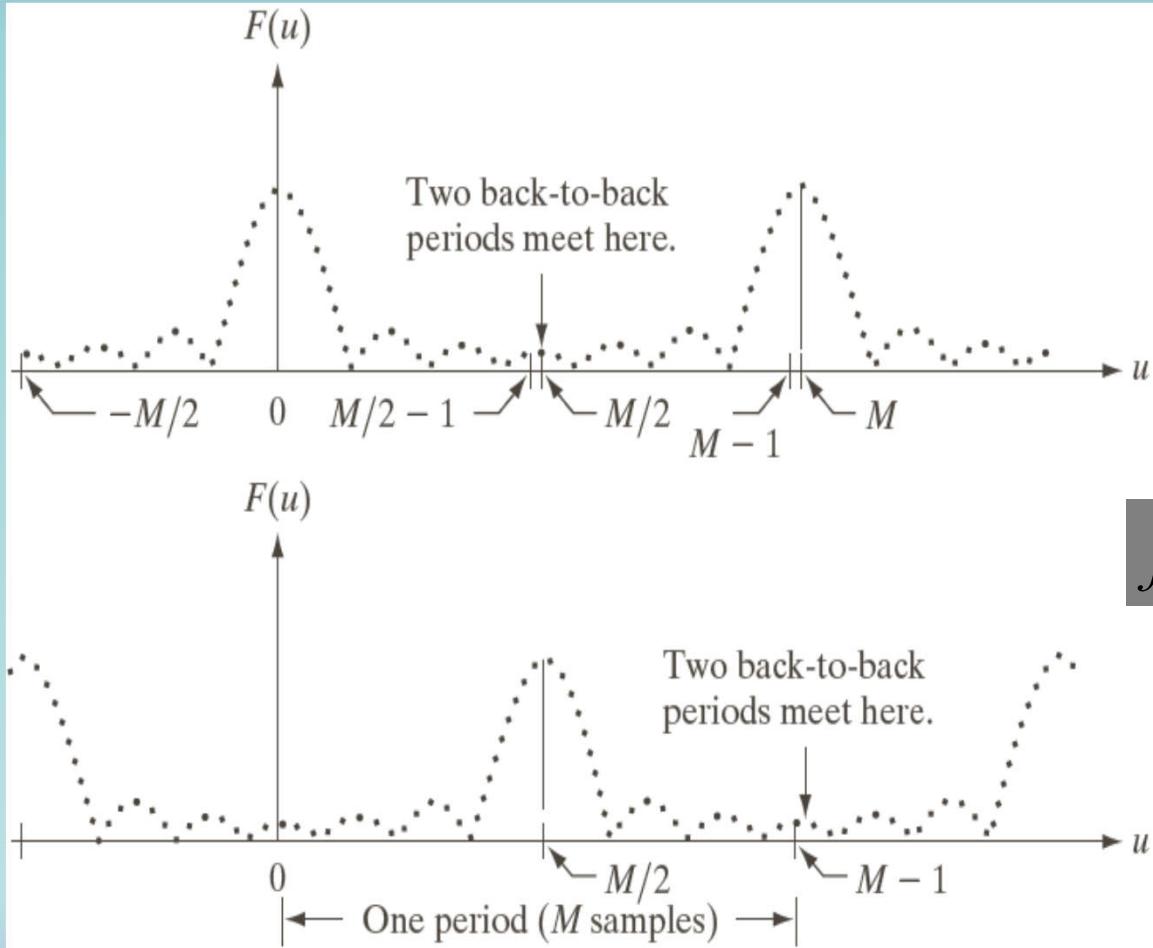


$$f(x)e^{j2\pi(u_0x/M)} \Leftrightarrow F(u - u_0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & f(x)e^{j2\pi(u_0x/M)} \\ &= f(x)e^{j2\pi(Mx/2M)} \\ &= f(x)e^{j\pi x} \\ &= f(x)(e^{j\pi})^x = f(x)(-1)^x \end{aligned}$$



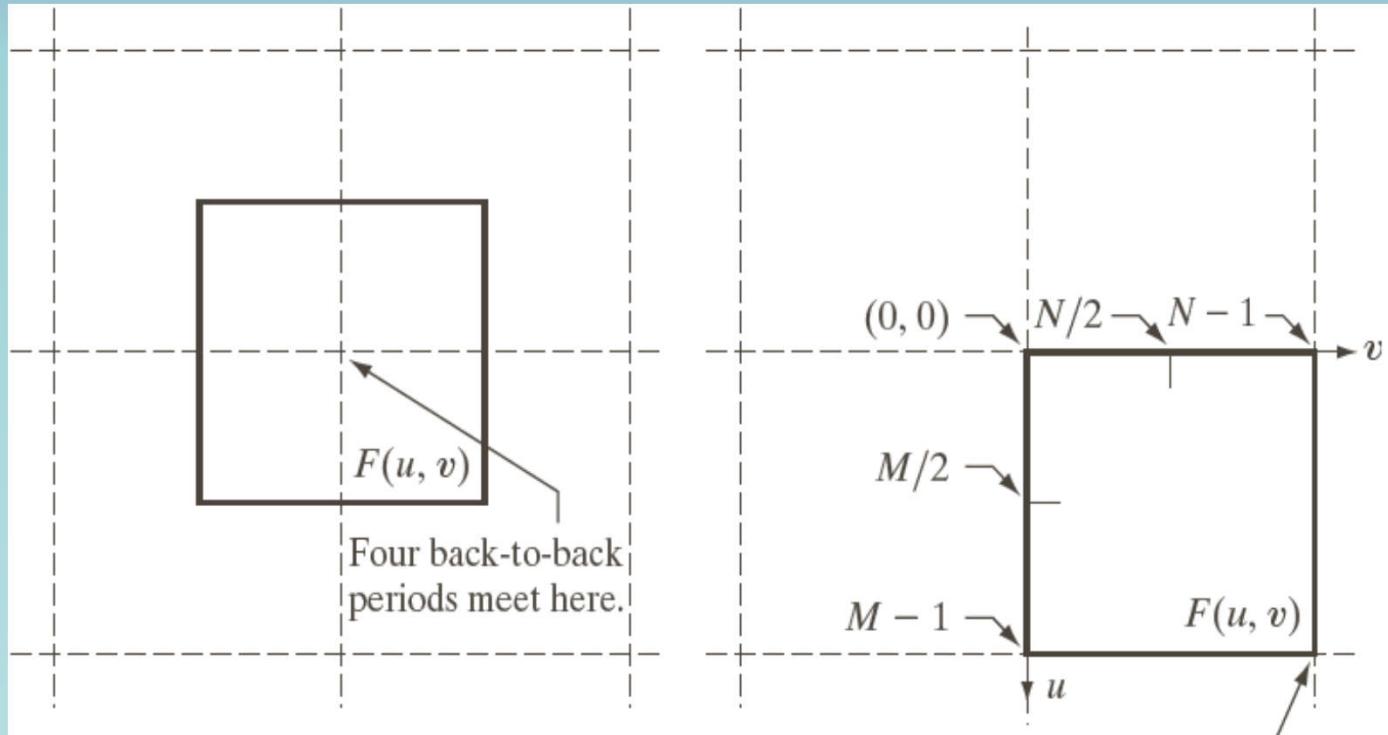
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Properties of DFT: Periodicity (2D)



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$$f(x, y)(-1)^{x+y} \Leftrightarrow F(u - M/2, v - N/2)$$

Useful Terms in 2D DFT

$F(u, v)$ can be written as $|F(u, v)|e^{-j\phi(u, v)}$

where,

$$|F(u, v)| = \left[R^2(u, v) + I^2(u, v) \right]^{1/2} \text{ and } \phi(u, v) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{I(u, v)}{R(u, v)} \right)$$

Fourier
spectrum

and $R(u, v)$ and $I(u, v)$ are **real** and **imaginary** components of $F(u, v)$



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Useful Terms in 2D DFT

Power spectrum:

$$P(u, v) = |F(u, v)|^2 = R^2(u, v) + I^2(u, v)$$



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Coefficients of 2D DFT

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)}$$

- The FT coefficient at $u = 0, v = 0$:

$$F(0, 0) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y)$$



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Coefficients of 2D DFT

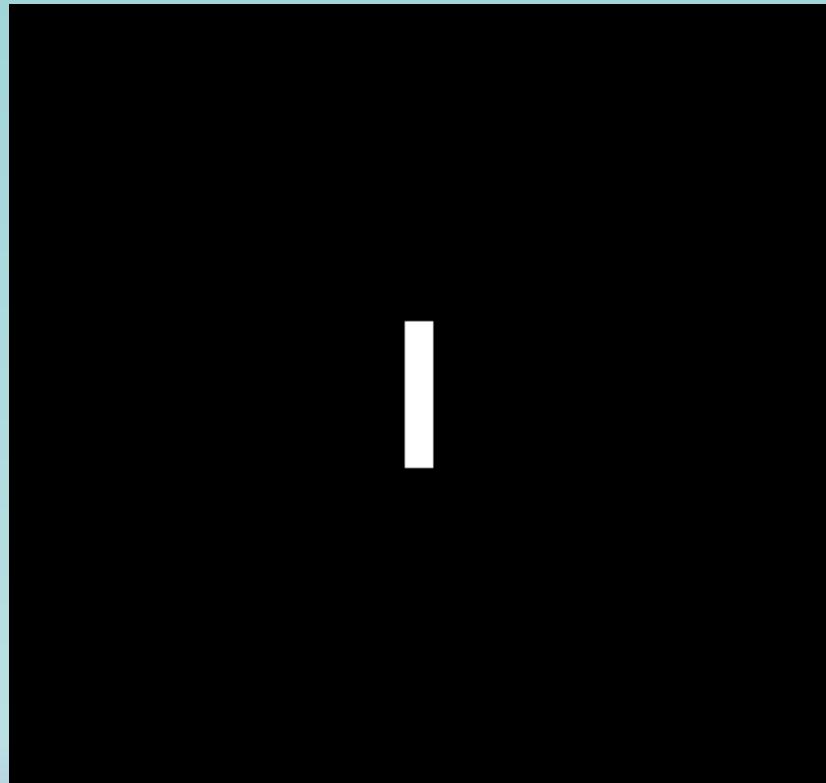
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- The FT coefficient at other u 's and v 's ?

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) [\cos 2\pi(ux/M + vy/N) - j \sin 2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)]$$



Examples of 2D DFT (1)

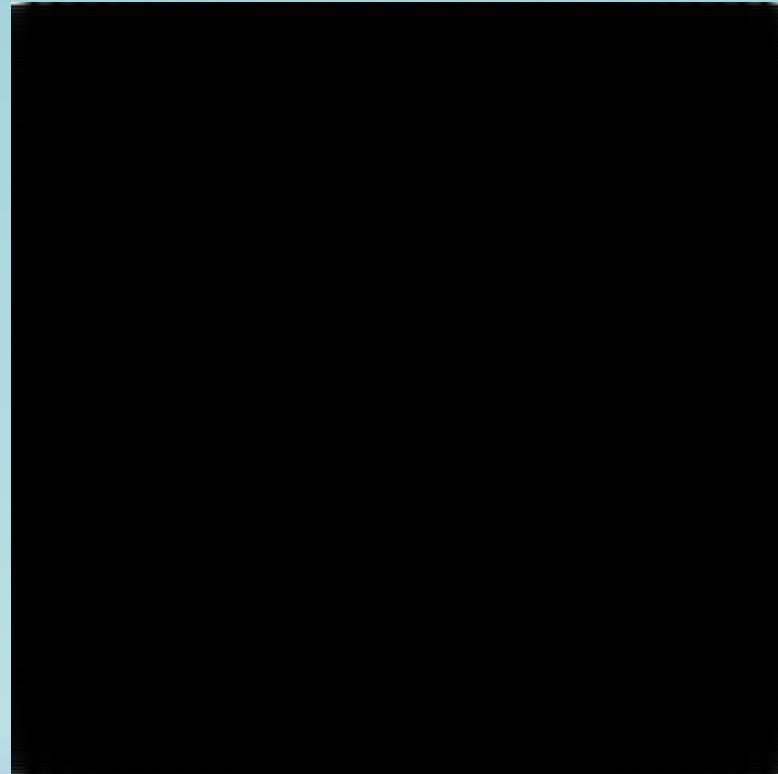


An image with a
rectangular object



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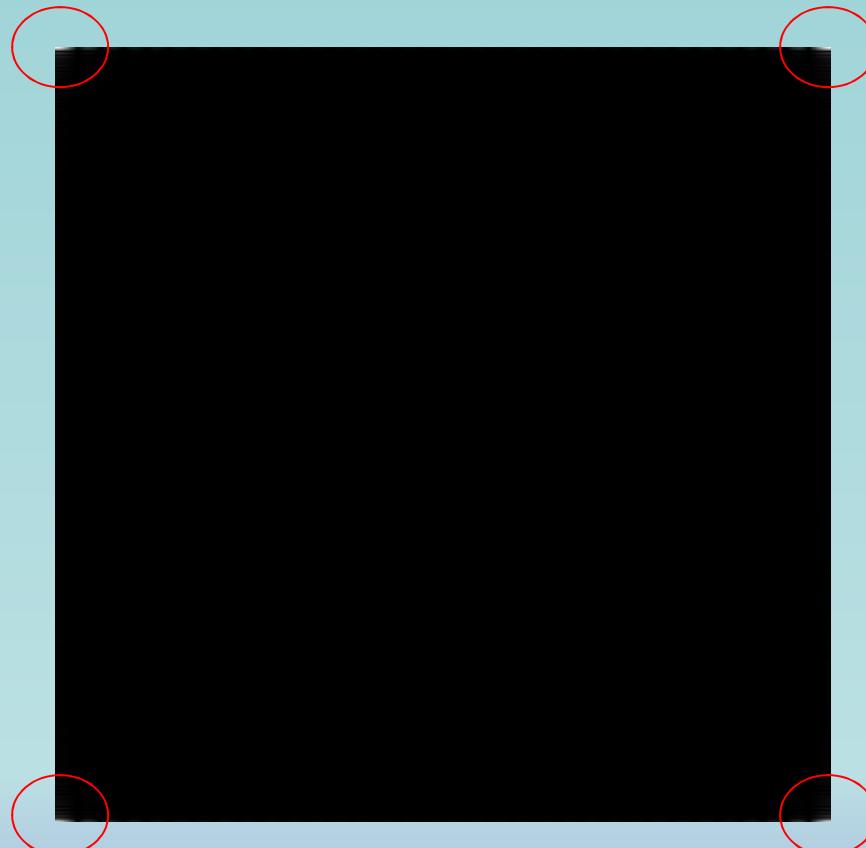


FT of the image with
a rectangular object



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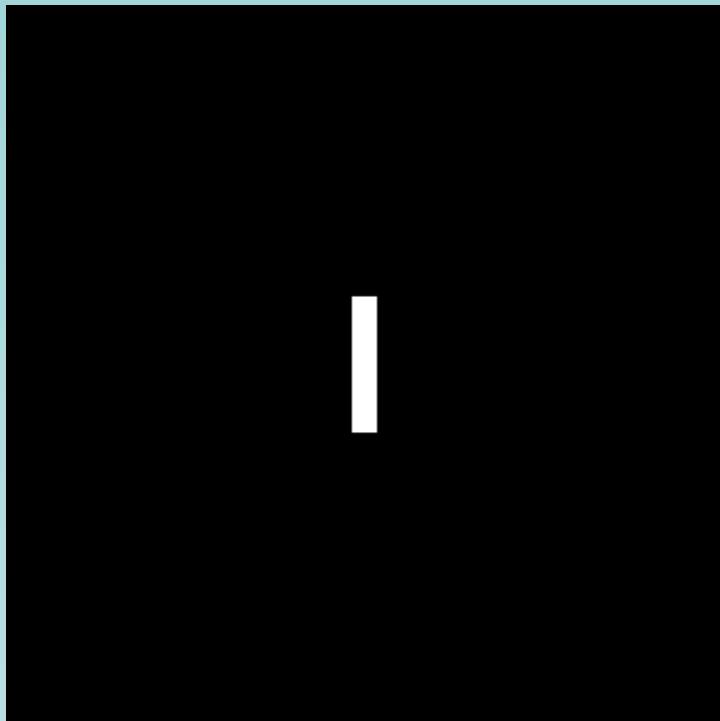
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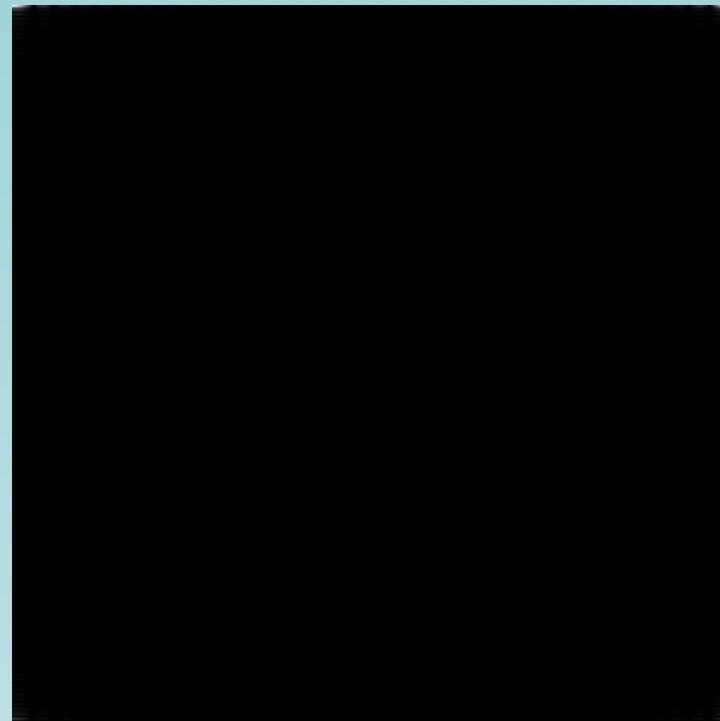
Spectrum is visible
only in corners



Examples of 2D DFT (1)



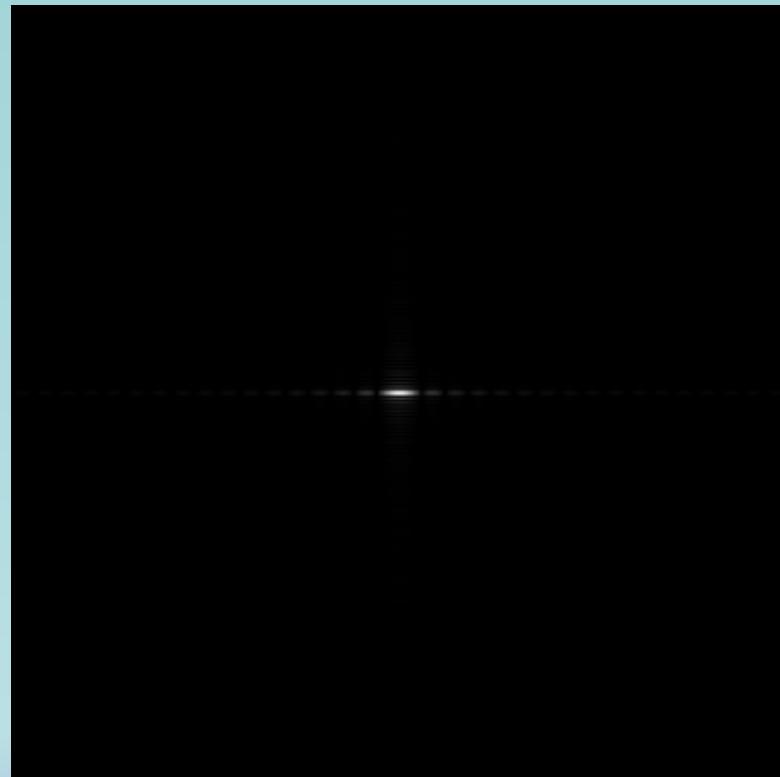
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Spectrum



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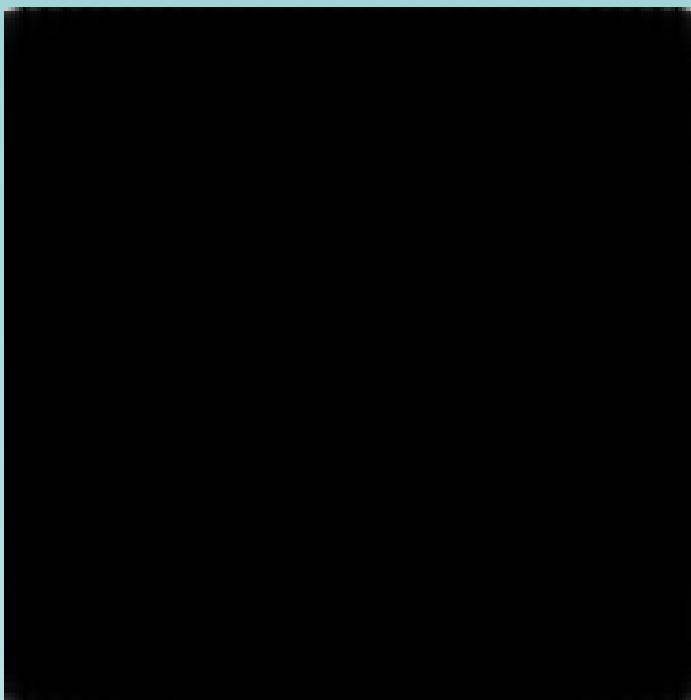


Centered

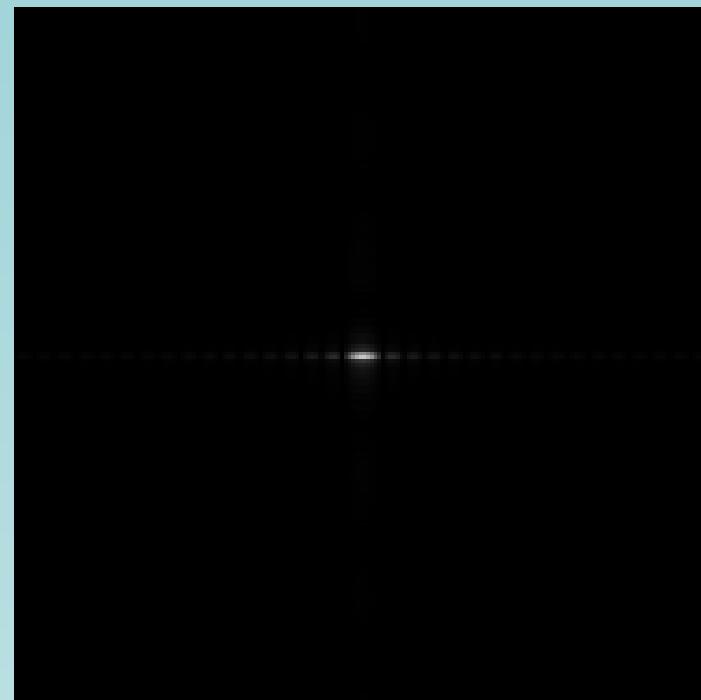


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Examples of 2D DFT (1)



Before centering

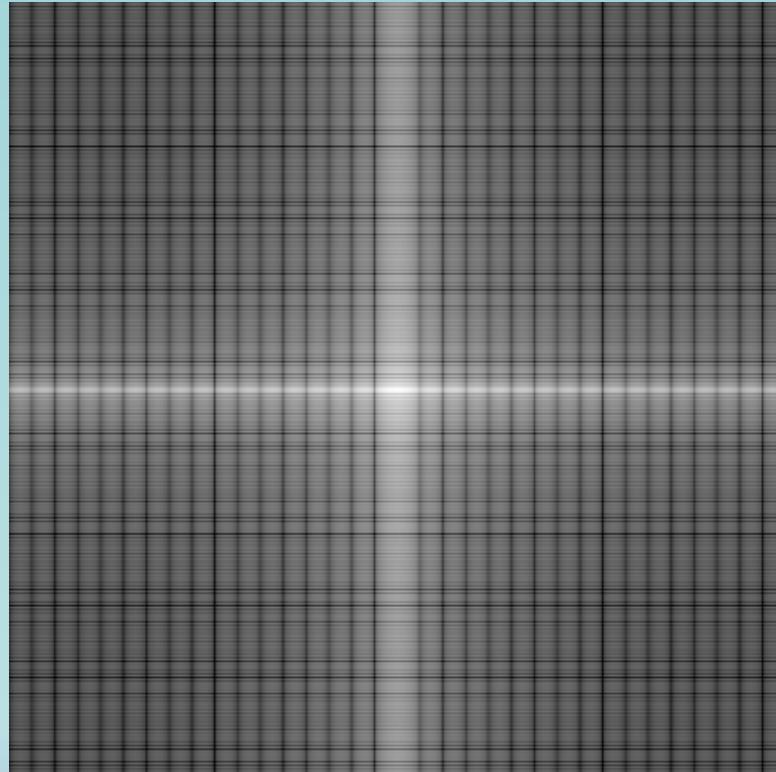


After centering



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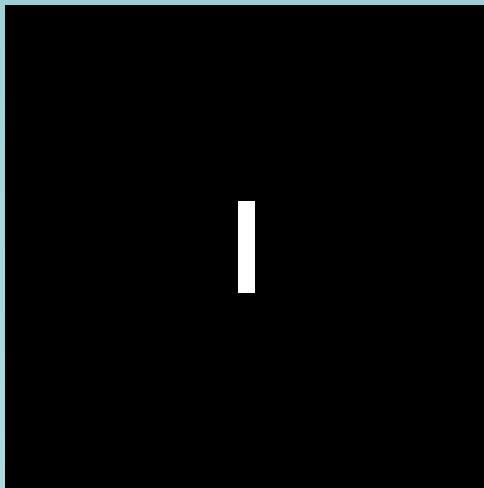


After Log transform

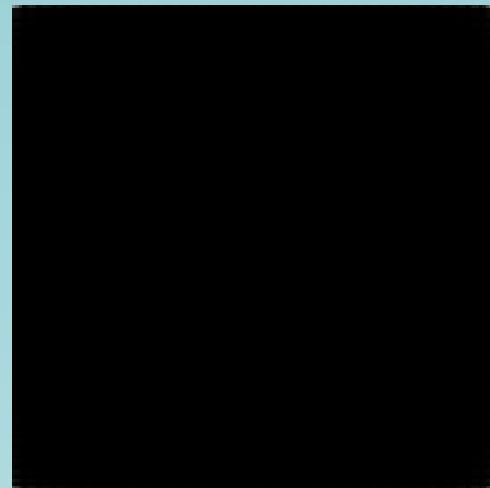


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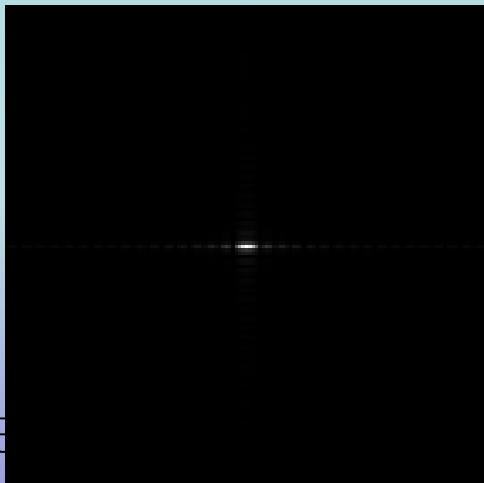
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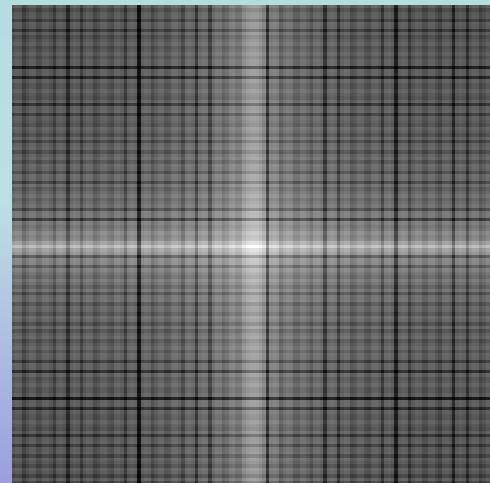
Spectrum before centering



Spectrum after centering

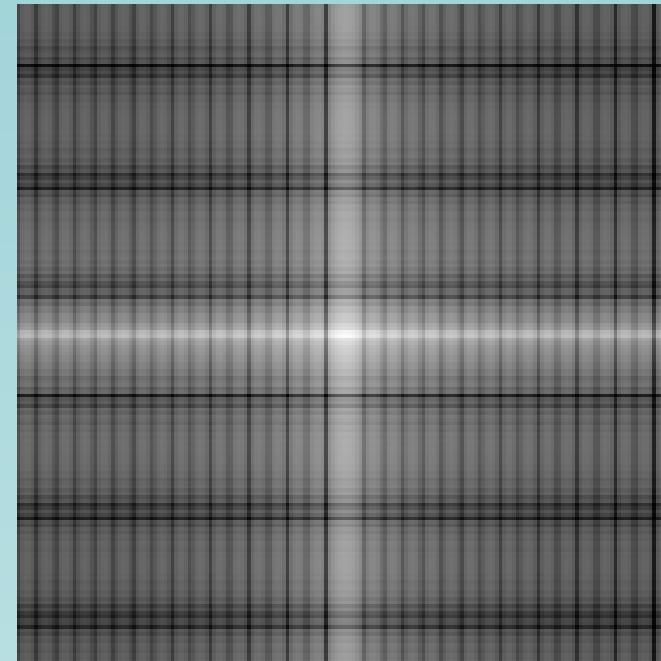
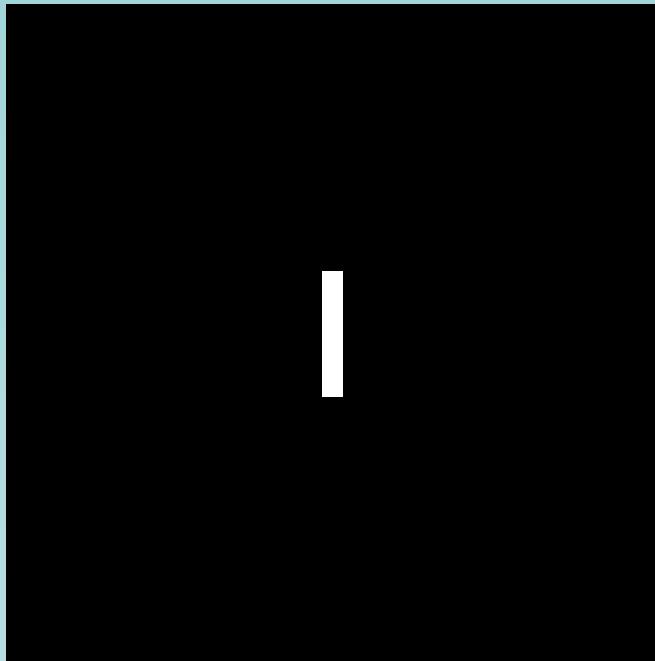


Spectrum after Log Transform



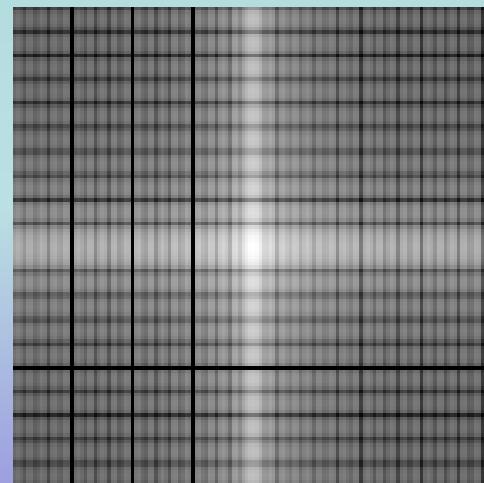
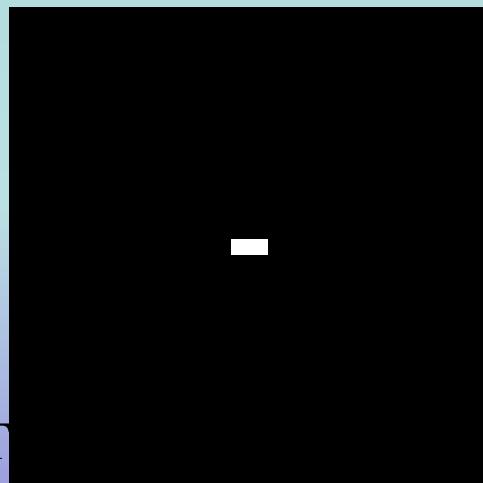
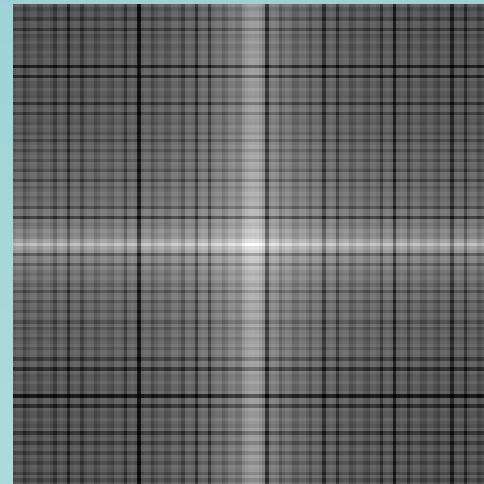
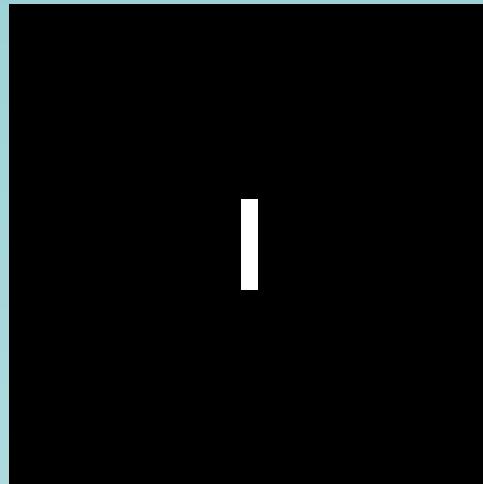
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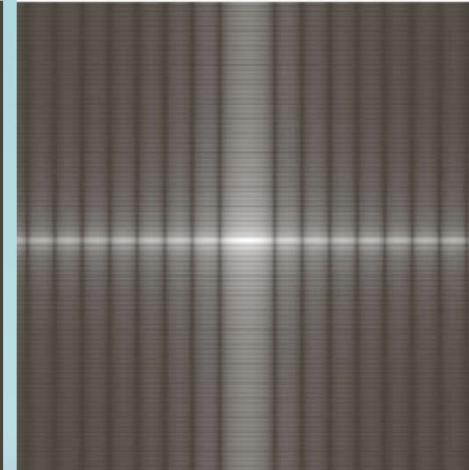
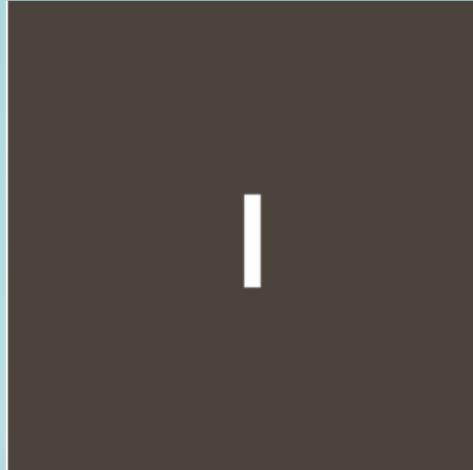
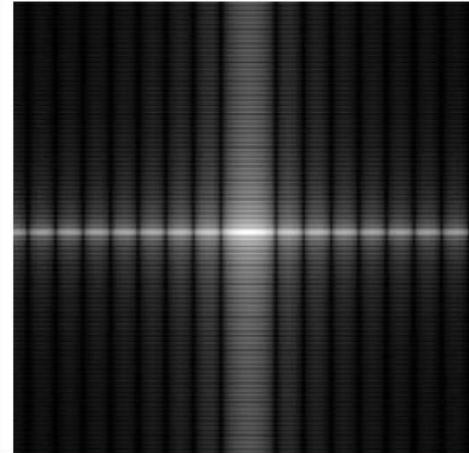
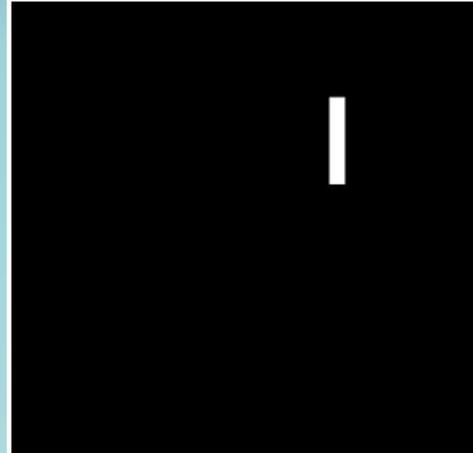
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Examples of 2D DFT (2)

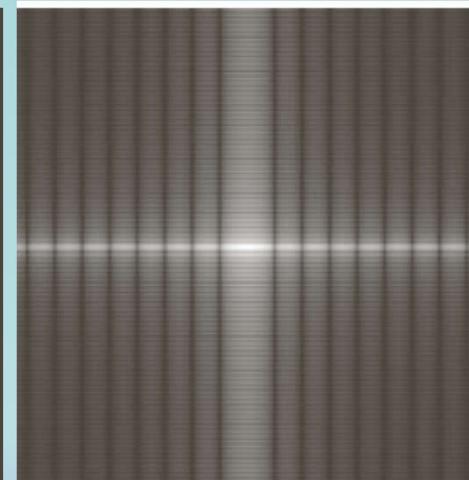
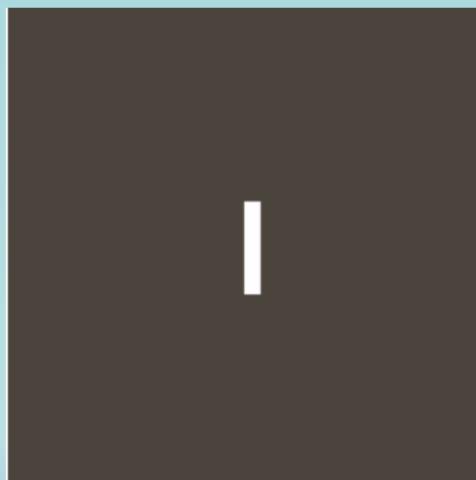
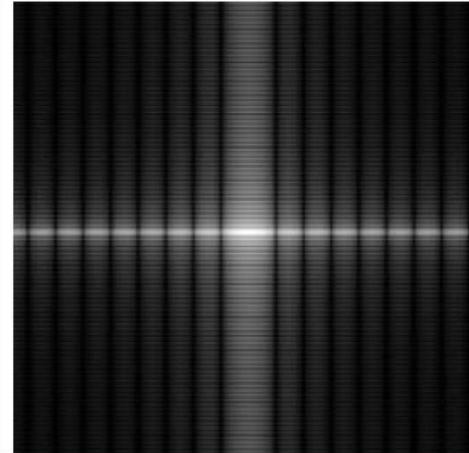
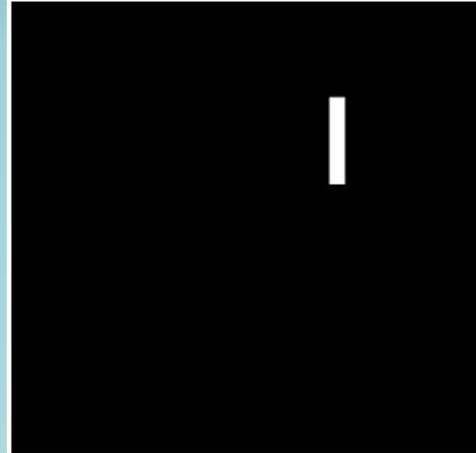


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Translation



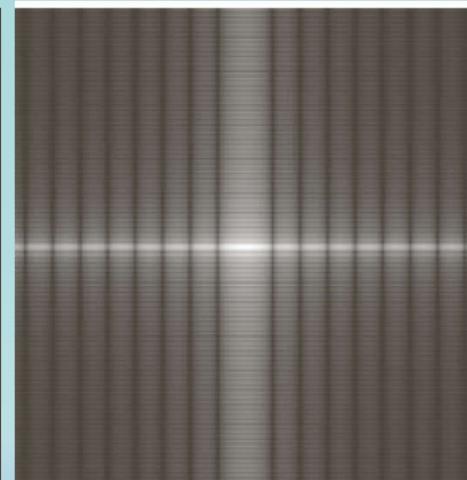
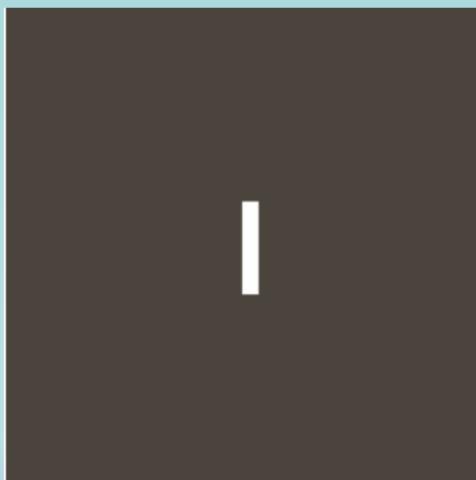
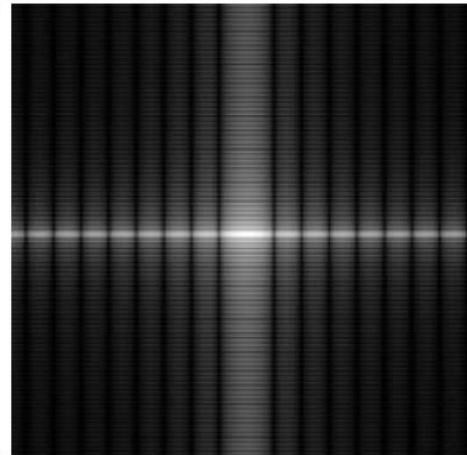
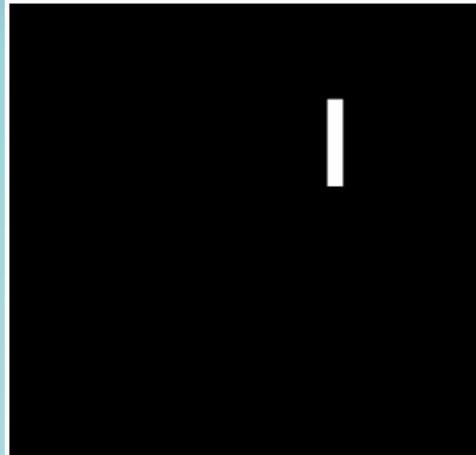
Translation



$$f(x - x_0, y - y_0) \Leftrightarrow F(u, v) e^{-j2\pi(x_0 u/M + y_0 v/N)}$$

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Translation

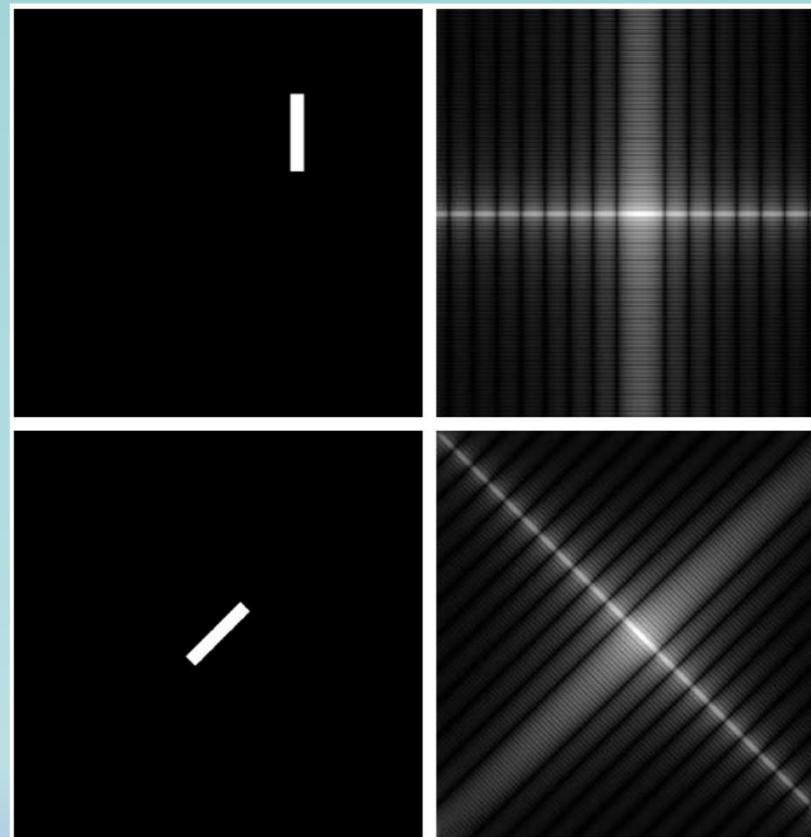


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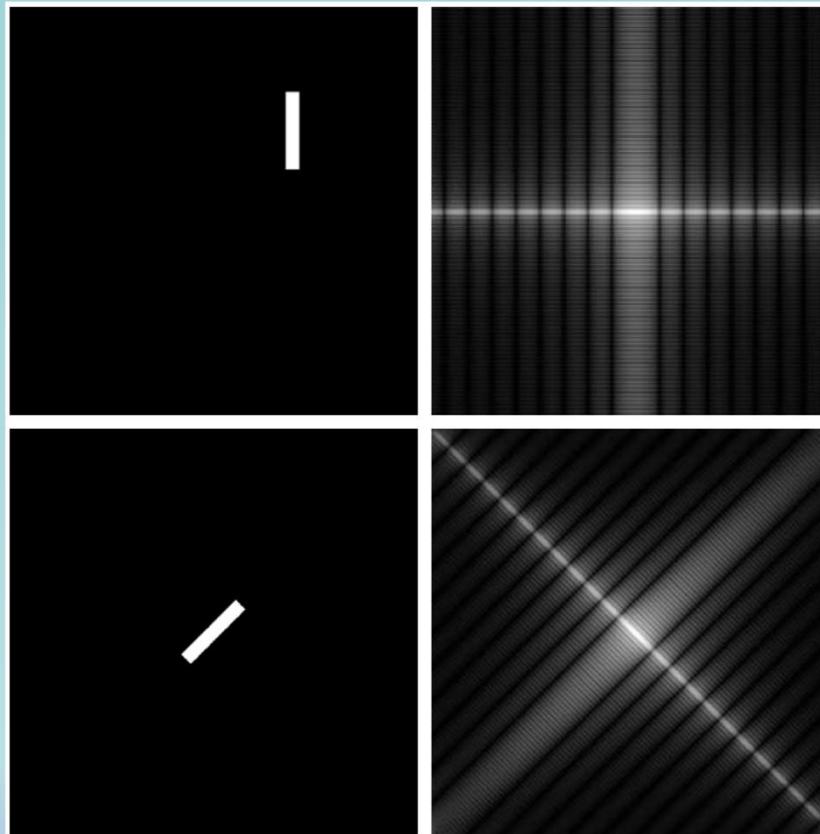
$$f(x - x_0, y - y_0) \Leftrightarrow F(u, v) e^{-j2\pi(x_0 u/M + y_0 v/N)}$$

$$\text{as } |e^{i\theta}| = 1, \quad |F(u, v) e^{-j2\pi(x_0 u/M + y_0 v/N)}| = |F(u, v)| \times 1 = |F(u, v)|$$

Rotation



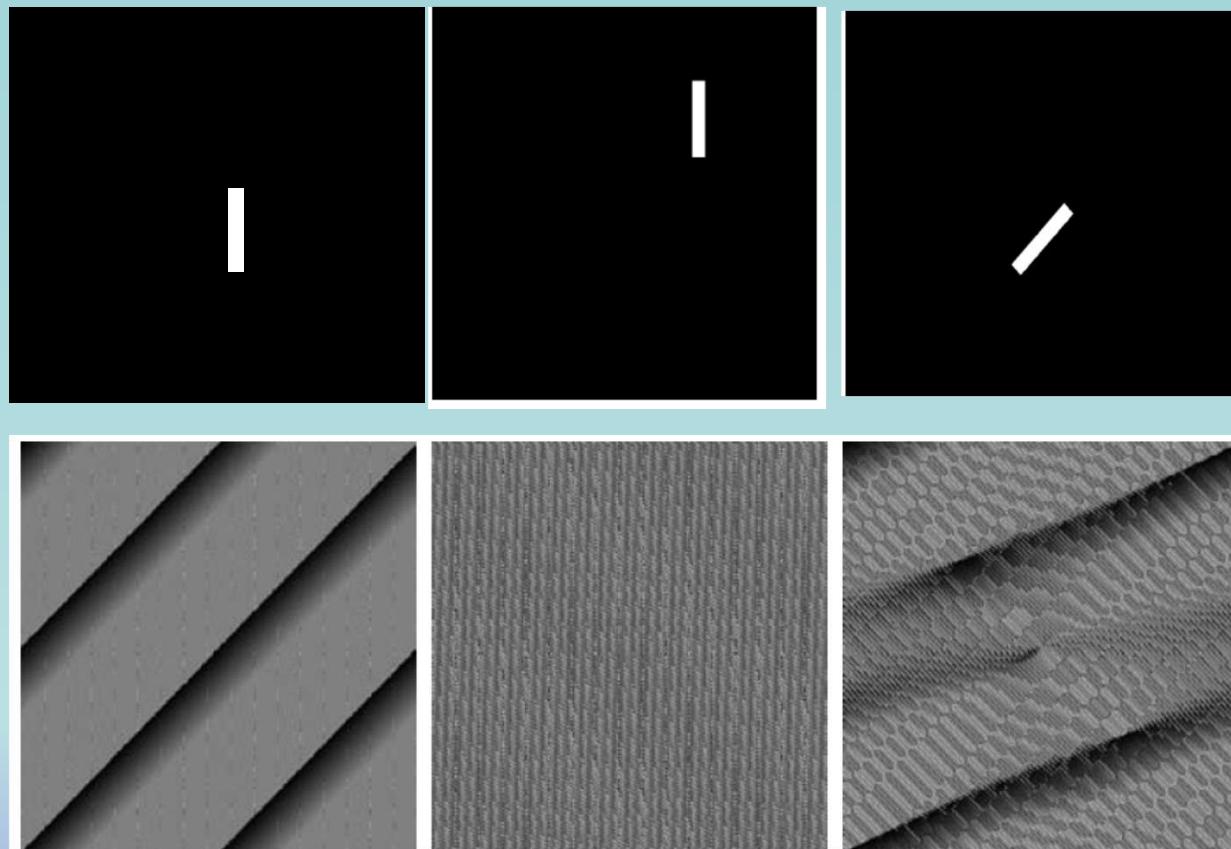
Rotation



$$f(r, \theta + \theta_0) \Leftrightarrow F(\varphi, \omega + \theta_0)$$



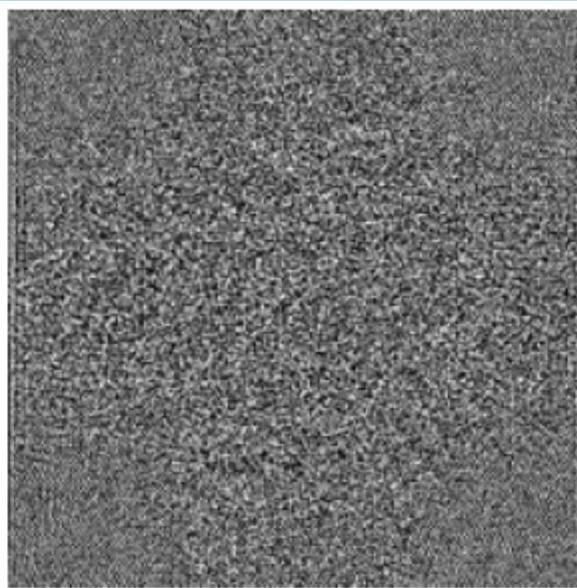
Phase Angle of 2D DFT



Phase Angle of 2D DFT



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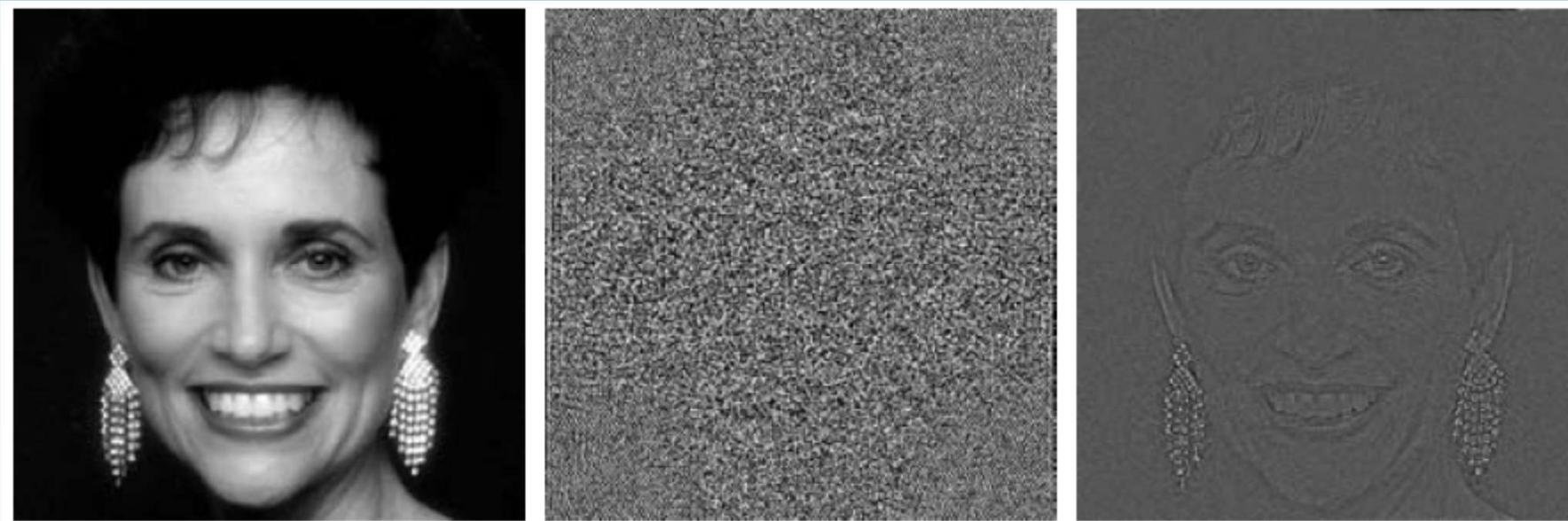


Phase angle



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Phase Angle of 2D DFT



Original image

Phase angle, $\phi(u, v)$

Reconstructed **only**
from Phase angle

Let, $|F(u, v)| = 1$

$$f(x, y) \Leftrightarrow |F(u, v)| e^{j\phi(u, v)} = e^{j\phi(u, v)}$$

$$f(x, y) \Leftrightarrow e^{j\phi(u, v)}$$



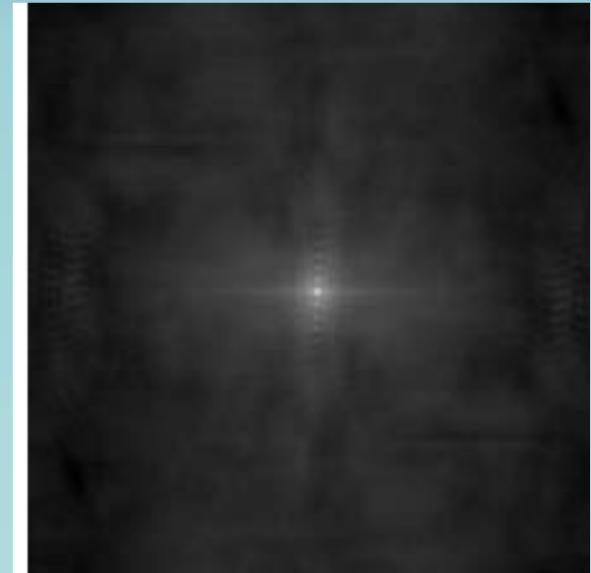
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Reconstructed **only**
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Reconstructed **only**
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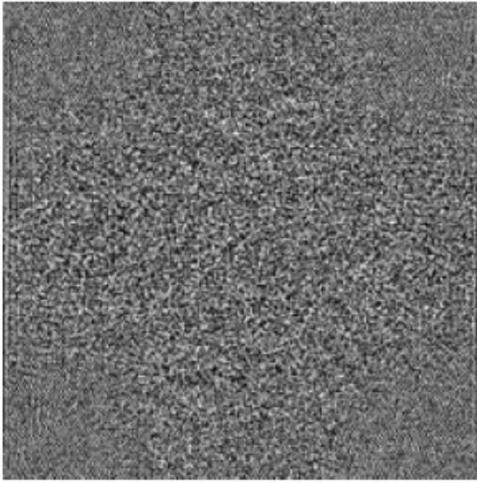
Let, $\phi(u, v) = 0$

$$f(x, y) \Leftrightarrow |F(u, v)| \times 1 = |F(u, v)|$$

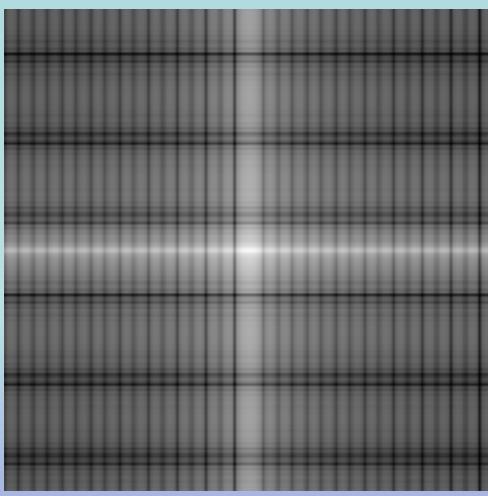
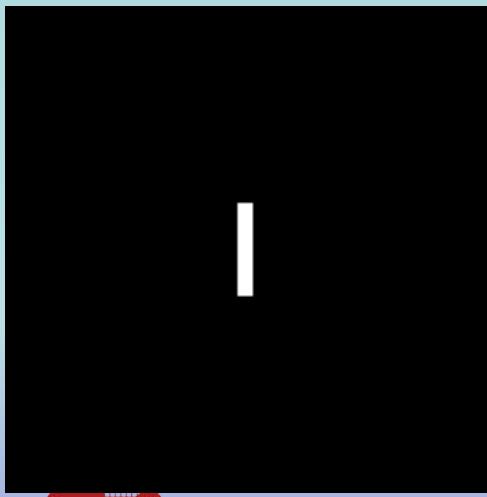
$$f(x, y) \Leftrightarrow |F(u, v)|$$



Phase Angle of 2D DFT

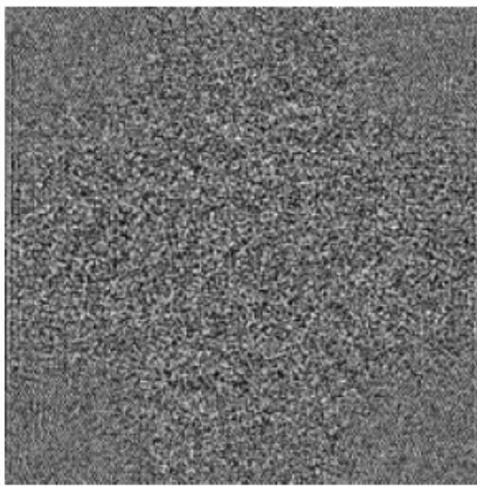


Use this
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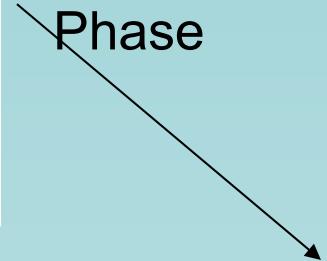


Use this
Spectrum

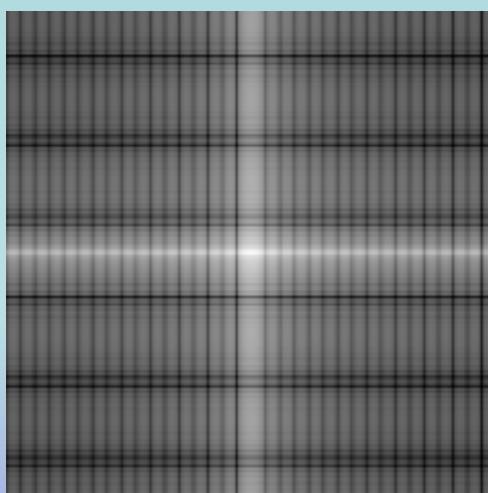
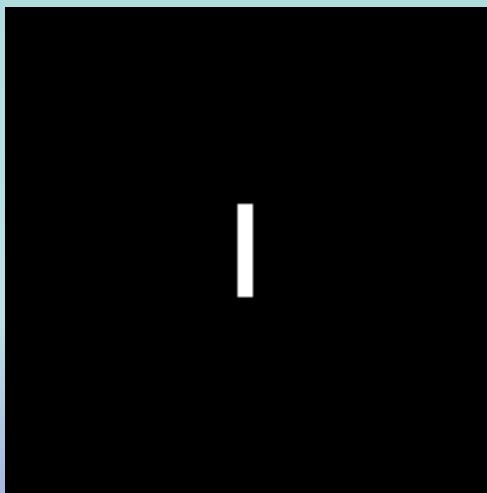
Phase Angle of 2D DFT



Phase



Result

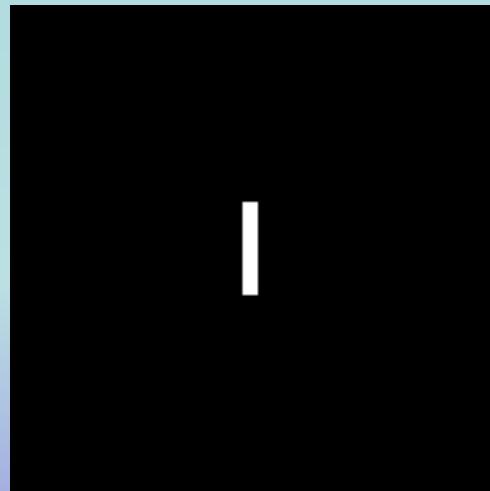


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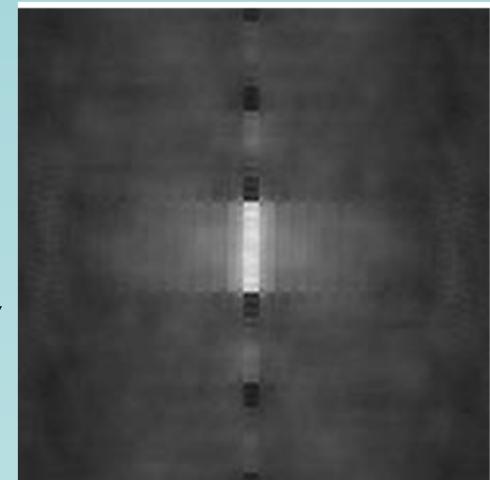
Phase Angle of 2D DFT



Spectrum



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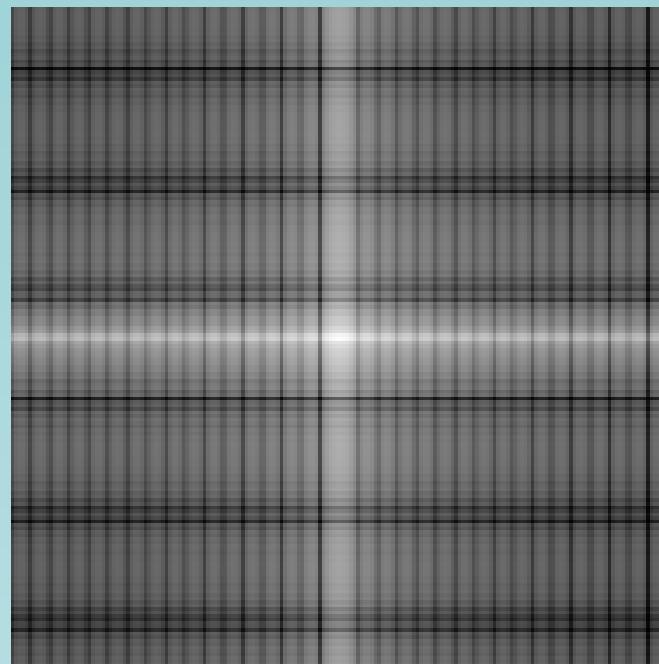
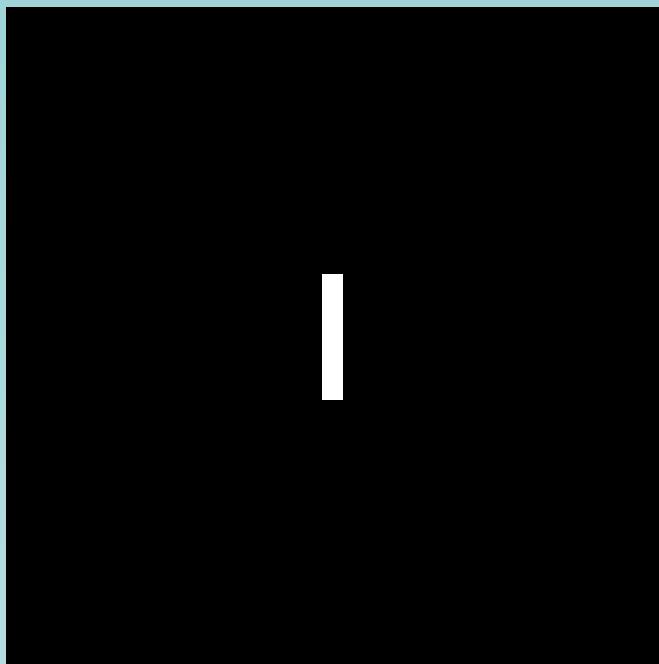


Result



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Other Characteristics in Frequency Domain



- spatial and frequency domain terms: difficult to relate directly
- However, general statements can be made, because
 - Frequency is related to spatial rate of change



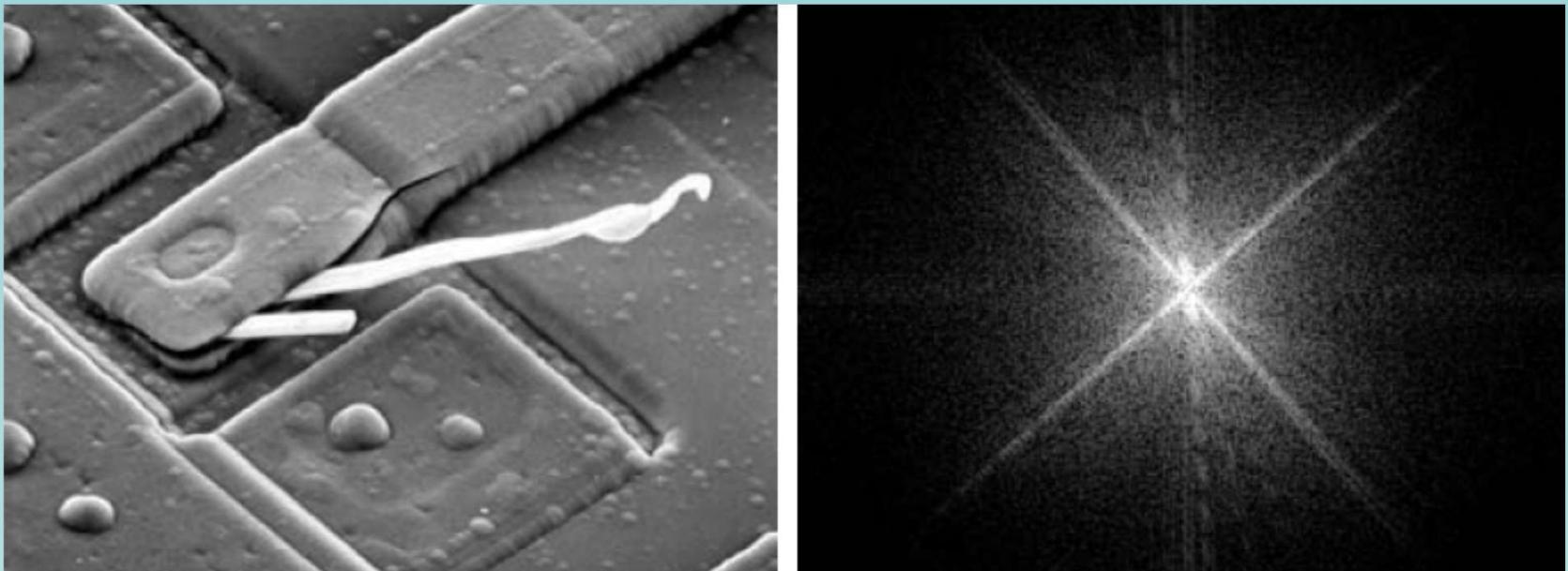
Other Characteristics in Frequency Domain

$$F(0,0) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x,y) = MN \frac{\sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x,y)}{MN} = MN\bar{f}(x,y)$$

- Lowest frequency component is proportional to average gray level



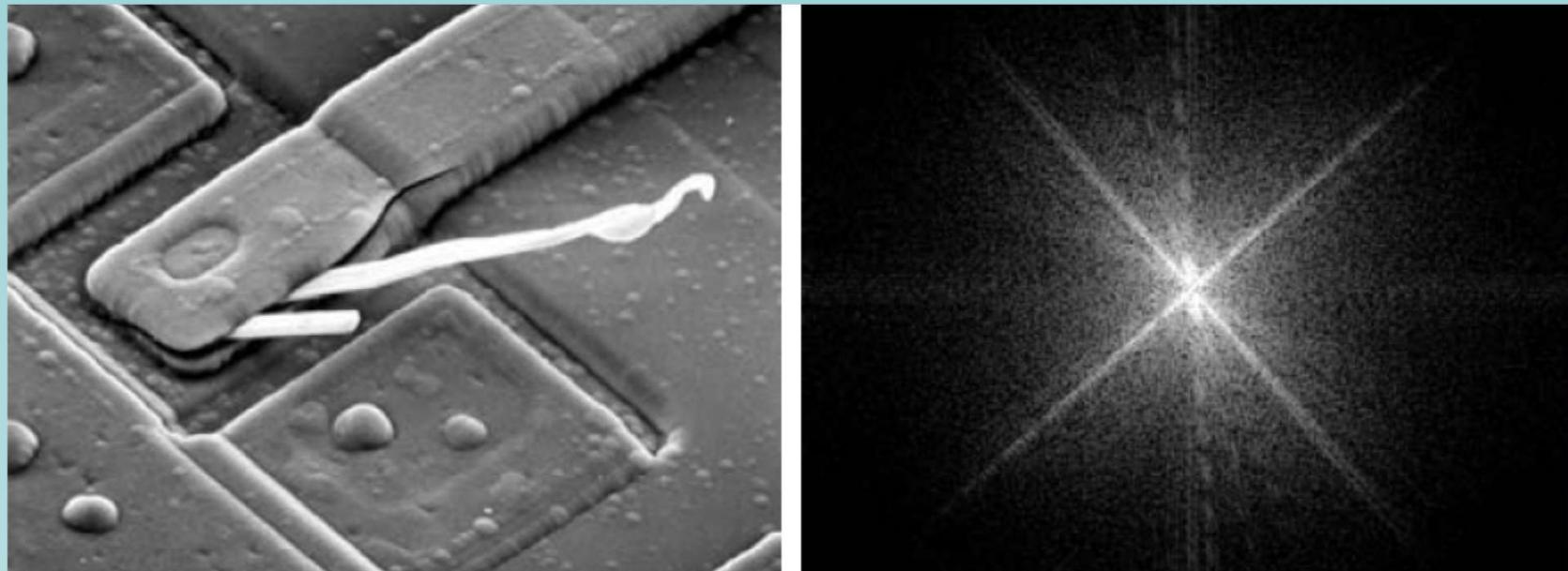
Other Characteristics in Frequency Domain



- Moving away from the origin, low frequencies correspond to slowly varying intensities
- Further away, high frequencies correspond to sharp changes in the intensities



Filtering in Frequency Domain



- Filter
 - Low frequencies
 - High frequencies
 - A particular band of frequencies



Filtering in Frequency Domain

Filtering is done by convolution

$$\Im\{f(x, y) * h(x, y)\} = H(u, v)F(u, v)$$

$$f(x, y) * h(x, y) = \Im^{-1}\{F(u, v)H(u, v)\}$$

- Filter
 - Low frequencies: set $H(u, v) = 0$ for low u, v
 - High frequencies : set $H(u, v) = 0$ for high u, v
 - A particular band of frequencies : set $H(u, v) = 0$ for other u, v



Filtering in Frequency Domain

Filtering is done by convolution

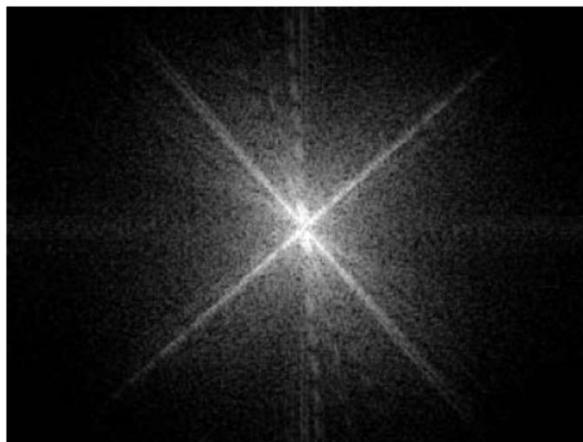
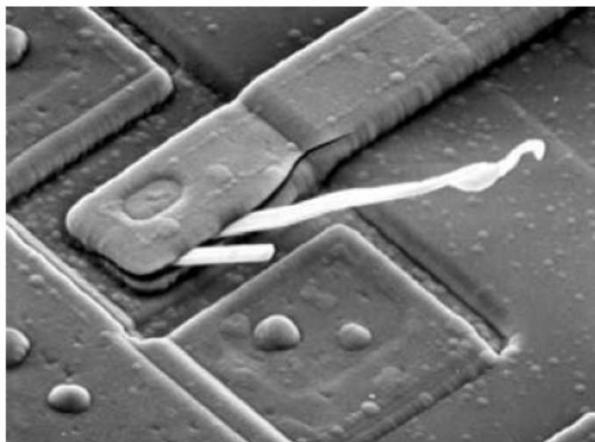
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- $H(u, v)$ is the **filter** or transfer function
- Both $H(u, v)$ and $F(u, v)$ are centered



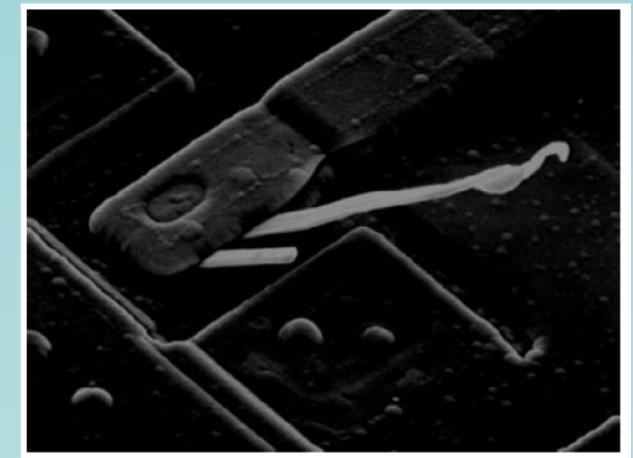
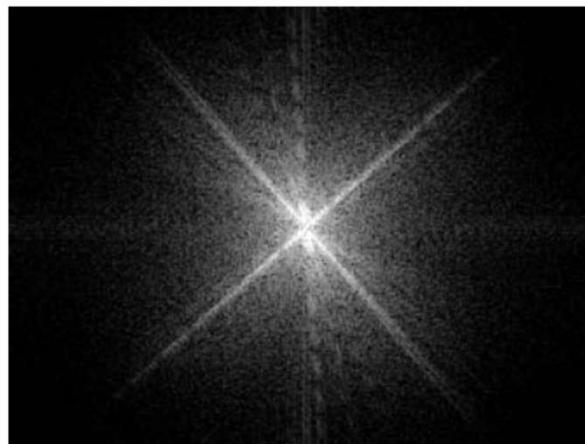
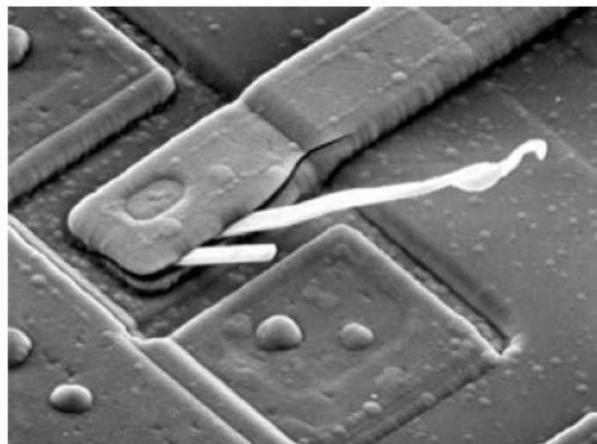
Filtering Example



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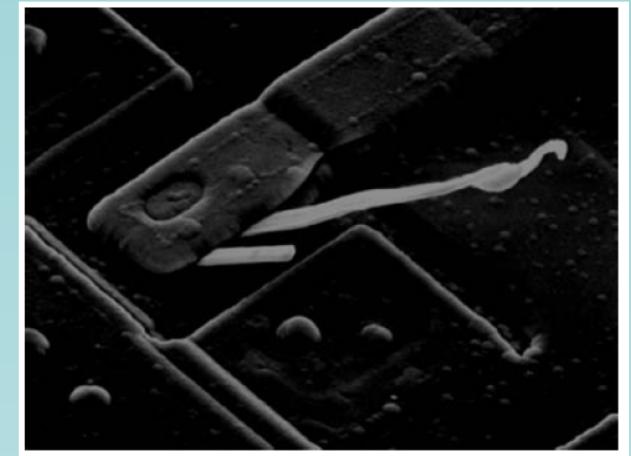
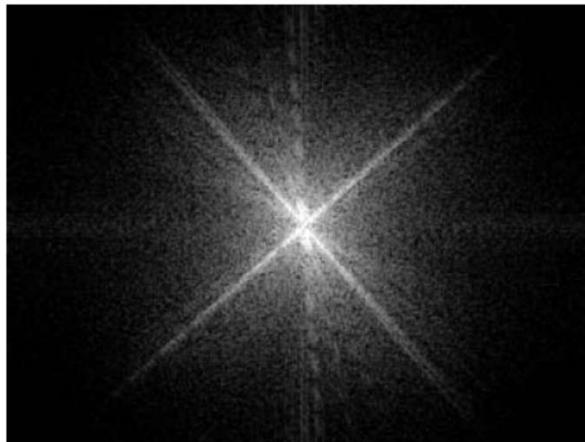
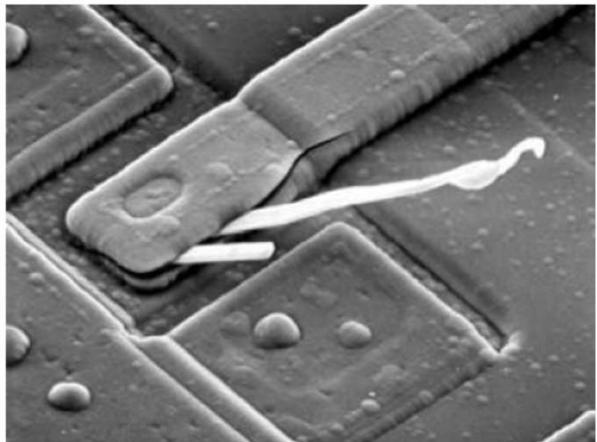
Filtering Example

Setting, $H(M/2, N/2)=0$,
others unchanged,
then IDFT



Filtering Example

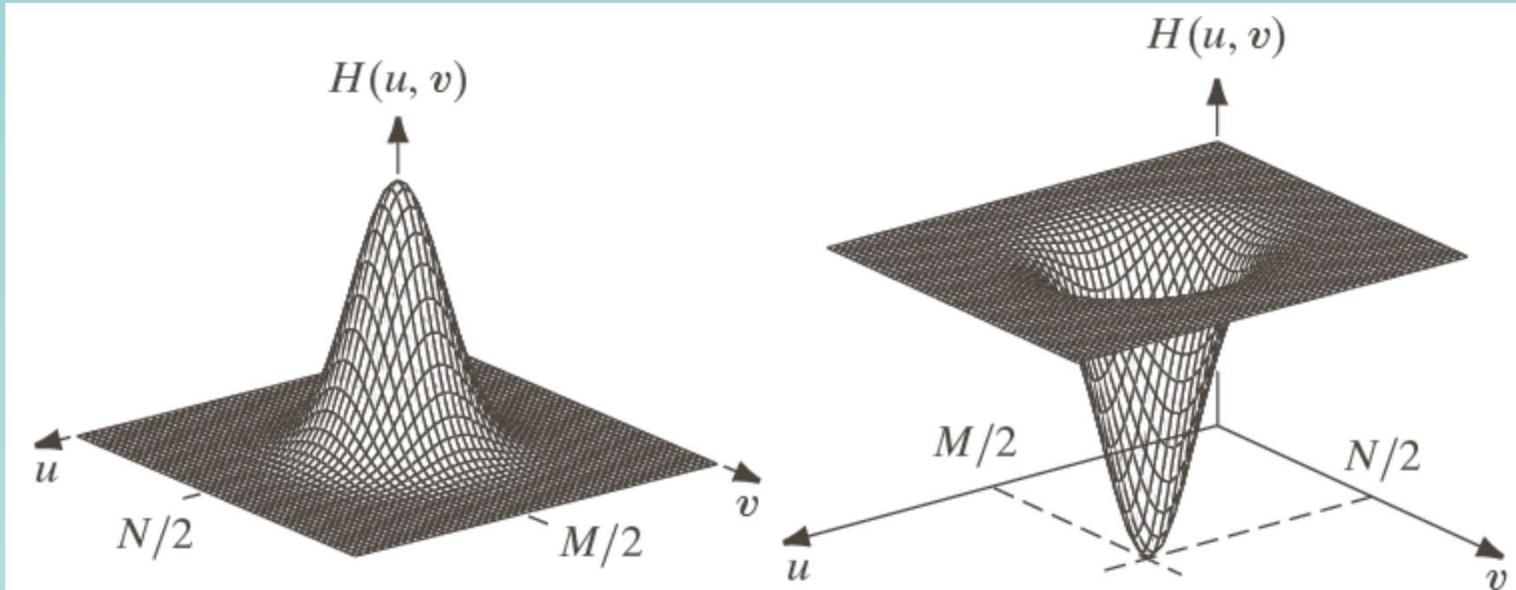
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- Average of the output image should be zero as $H(M/2, N/2)=0$
- That means,
 - there are many negative coefficient in the image



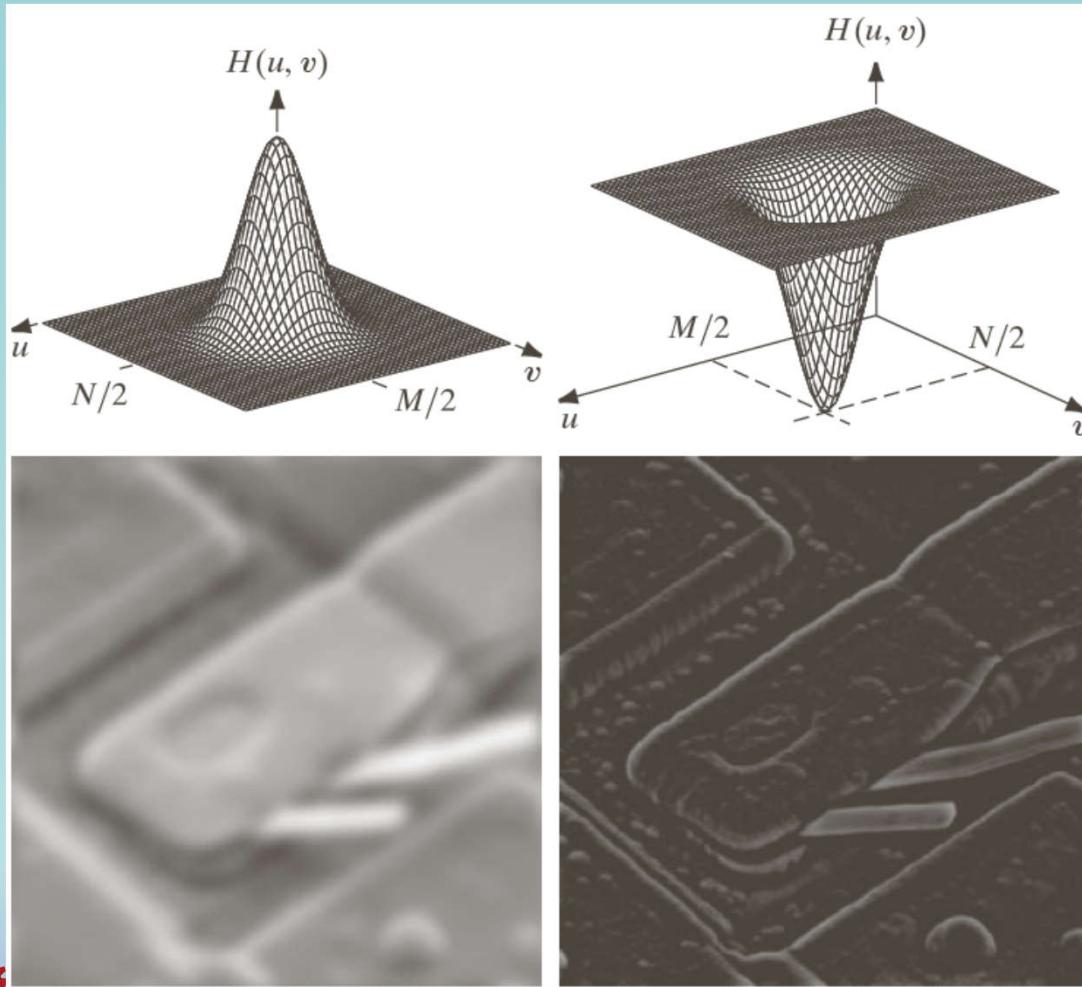
Lowpass and Highpass Filters



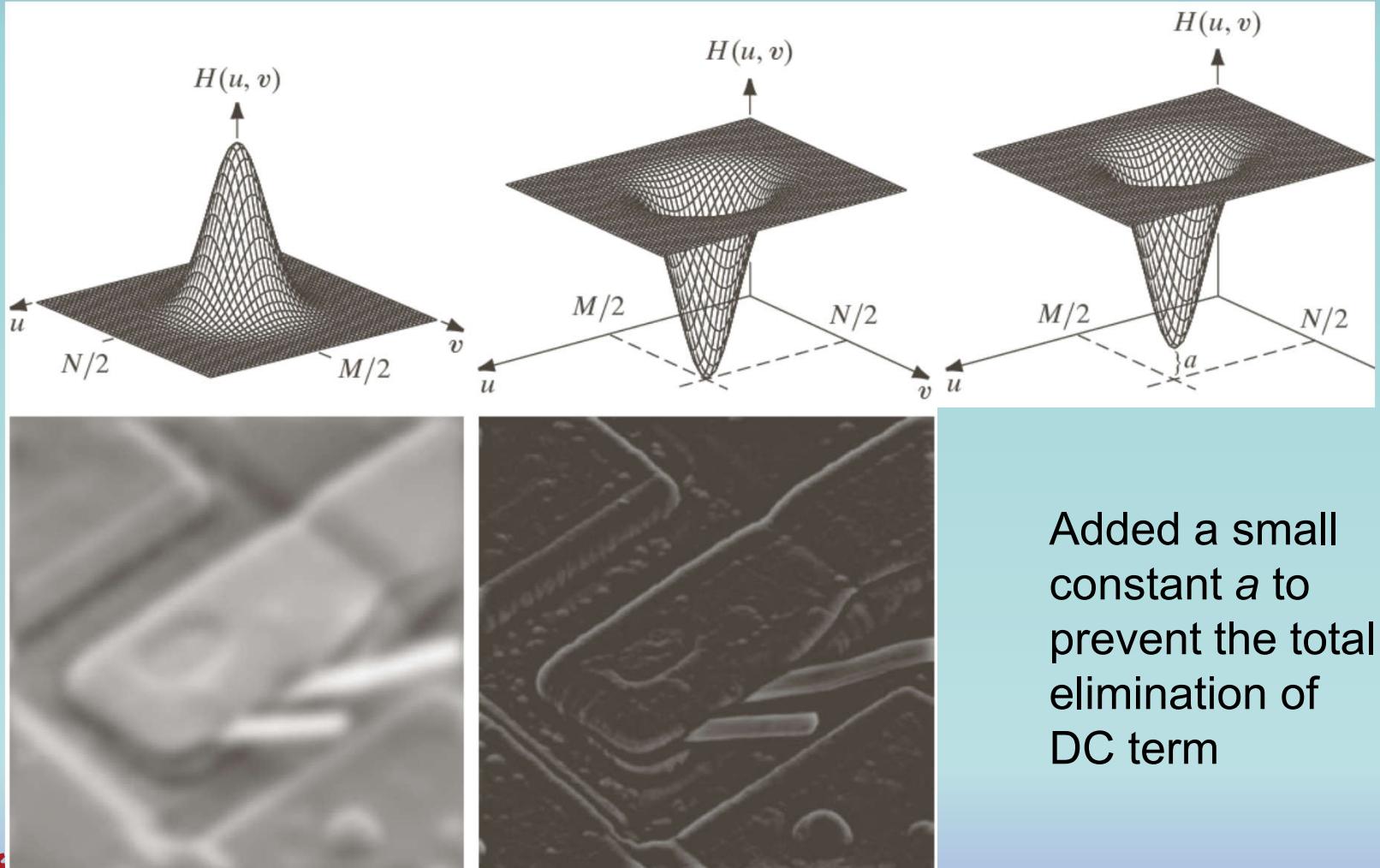
- Low pass filter: attenuates high frequencies
 - smoothes an image
- High pass filter: attenuates low frequencies
 - sharpens an image



Lowpass and Highpass Filters



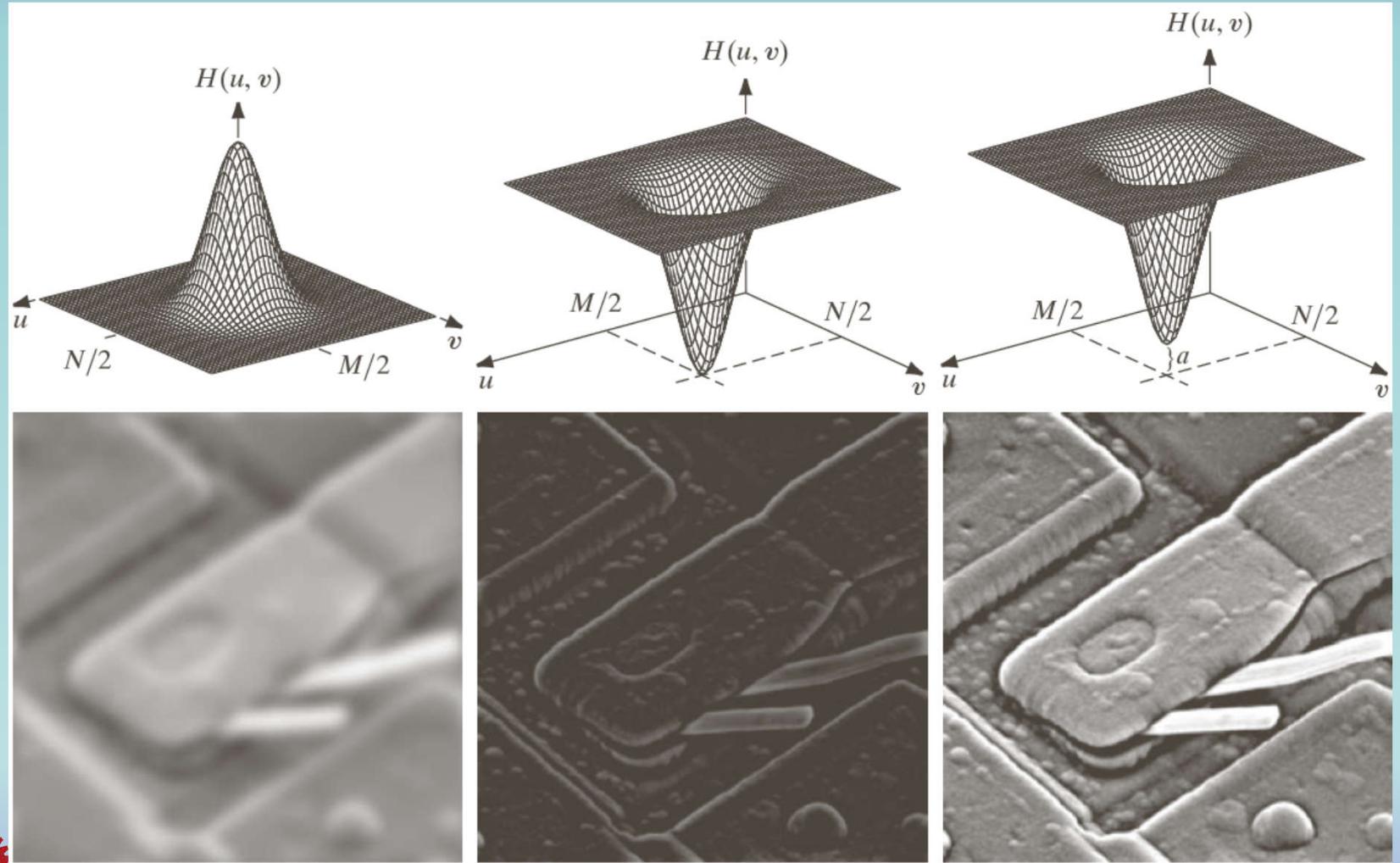
Lowpass and Highpass Filters



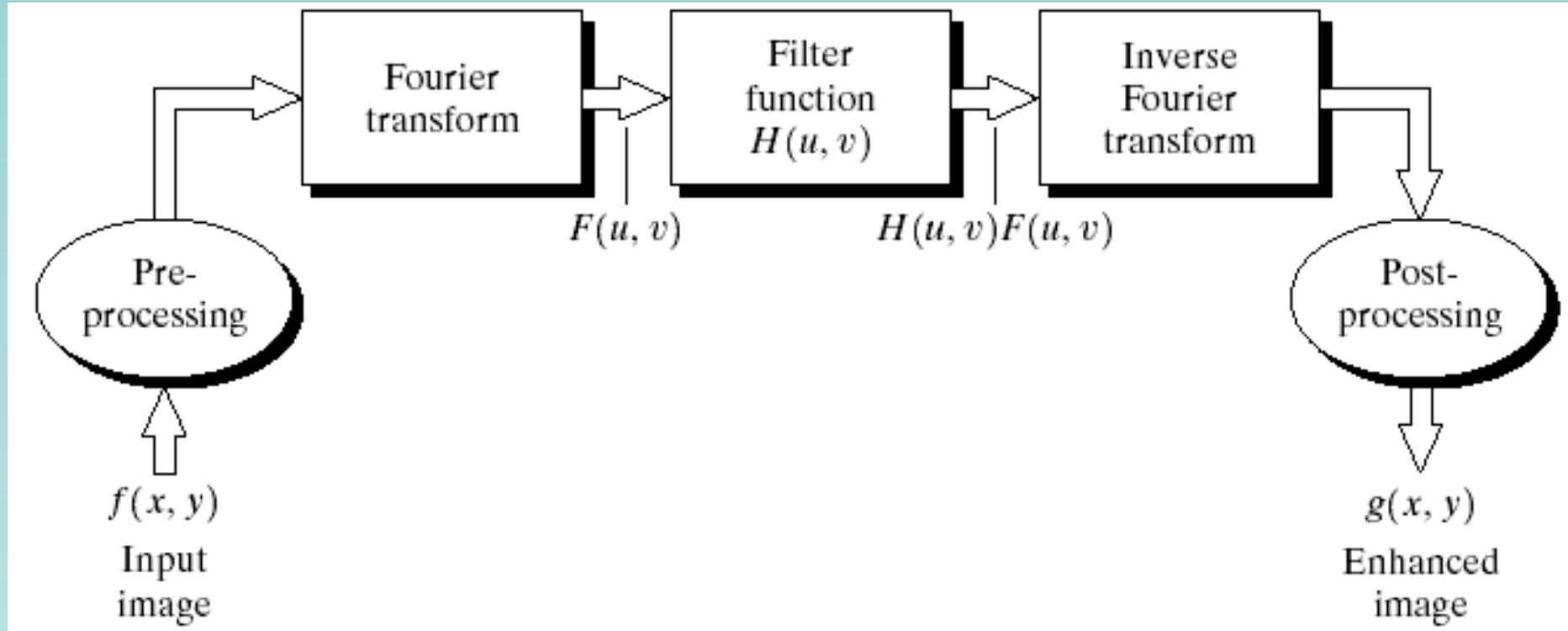
Added a small constant a to prevent the total elimination of DC term



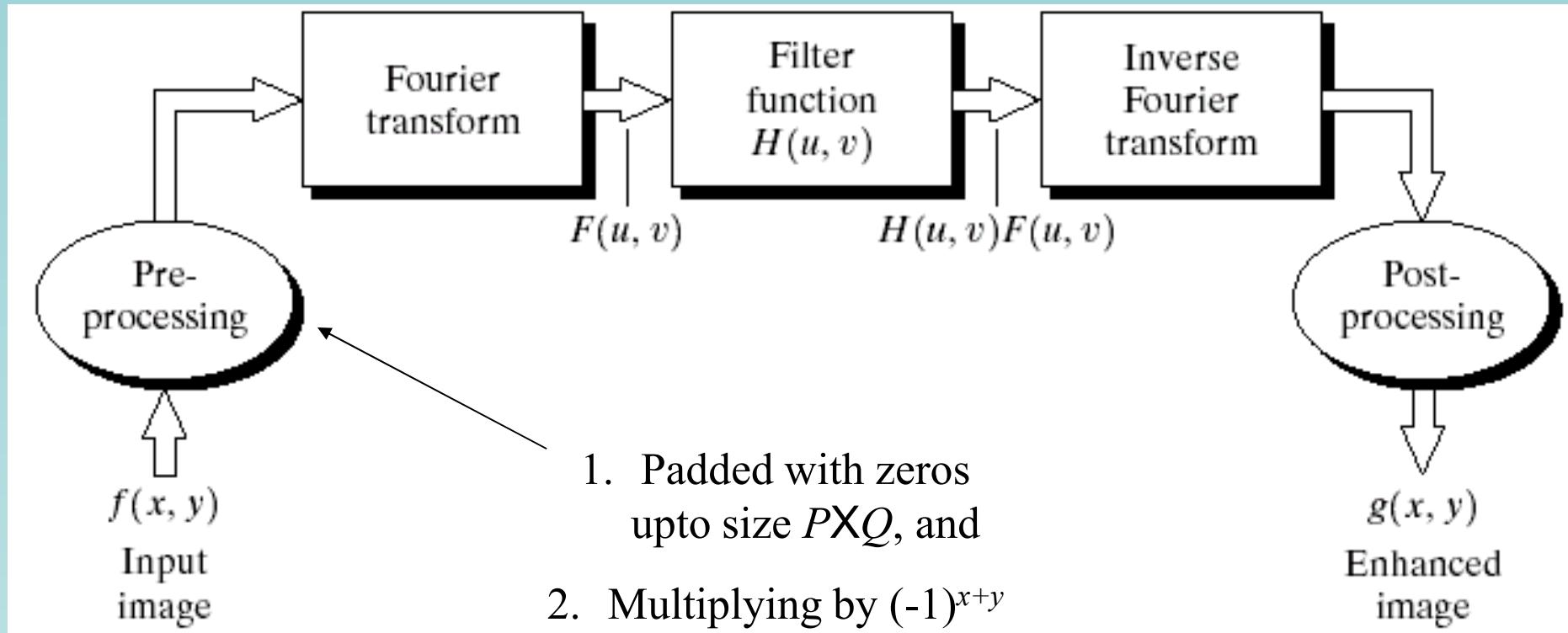
Lowpass and Highpass Filters



Filtering Steps in Frequency Domain



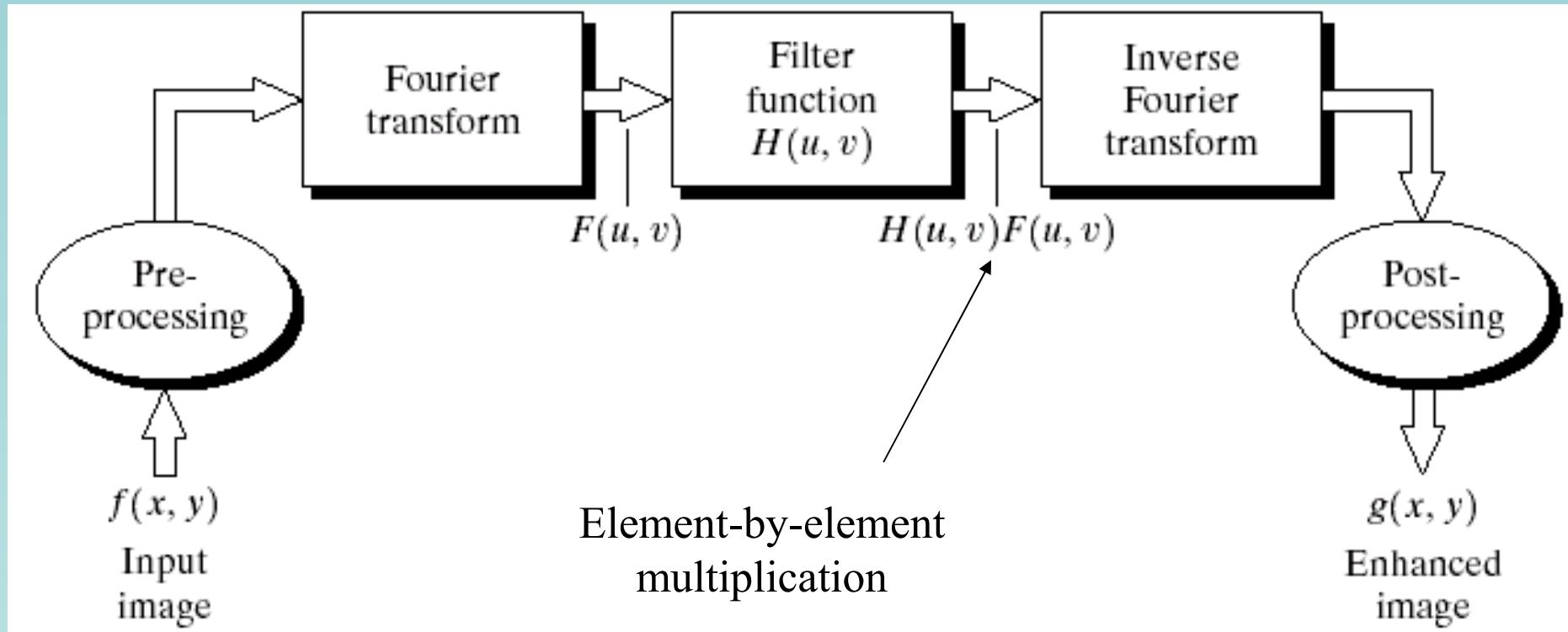
Filtering Steps in Frequency Domain



where, $P \geq 2M-1, Q \geq 2N-1$,



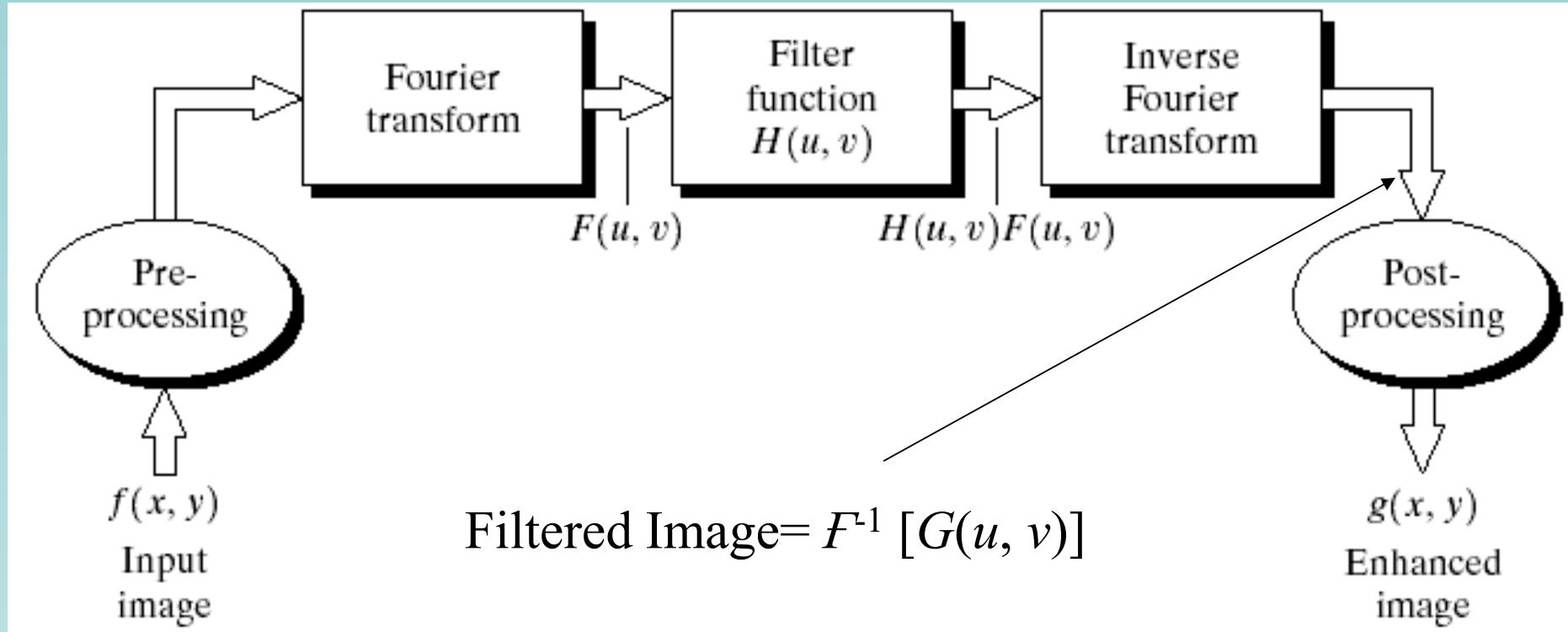
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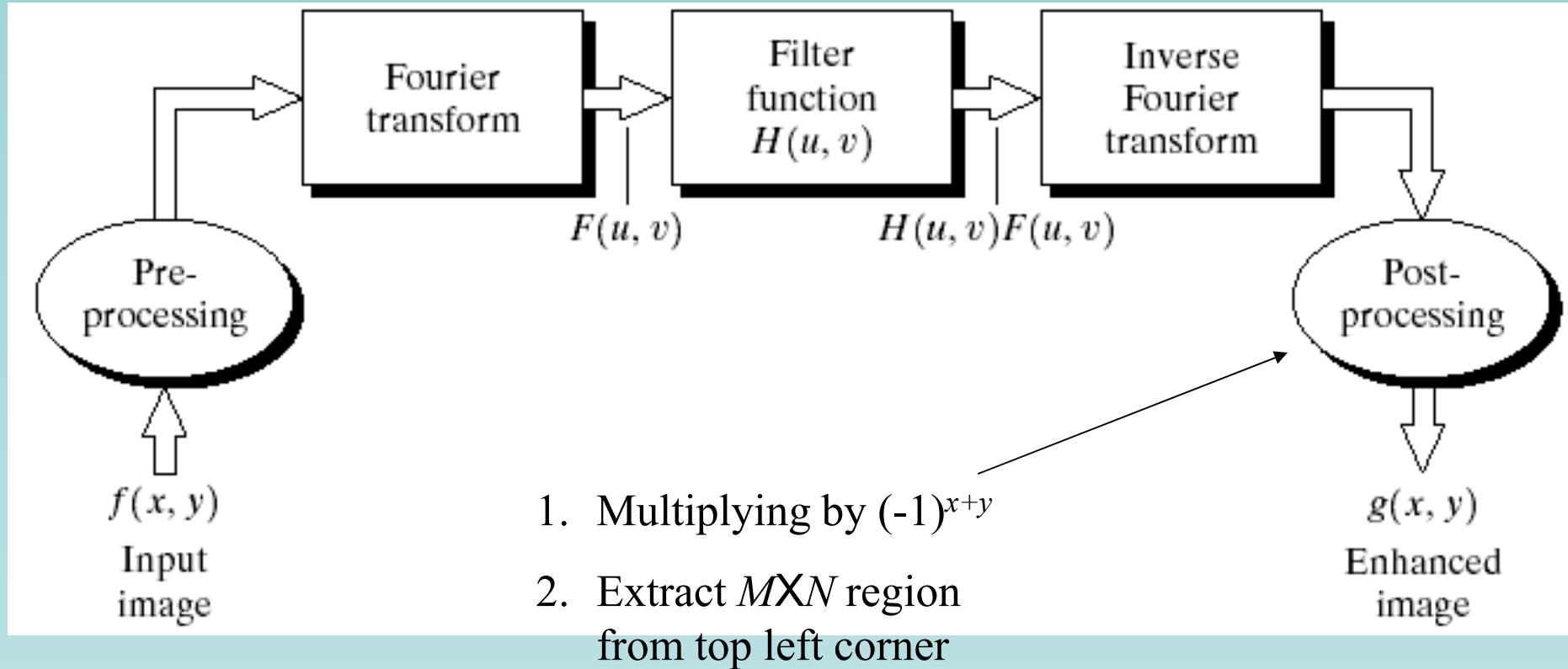
The Result is $G(u, v) = F(u, v)H(u, v)$



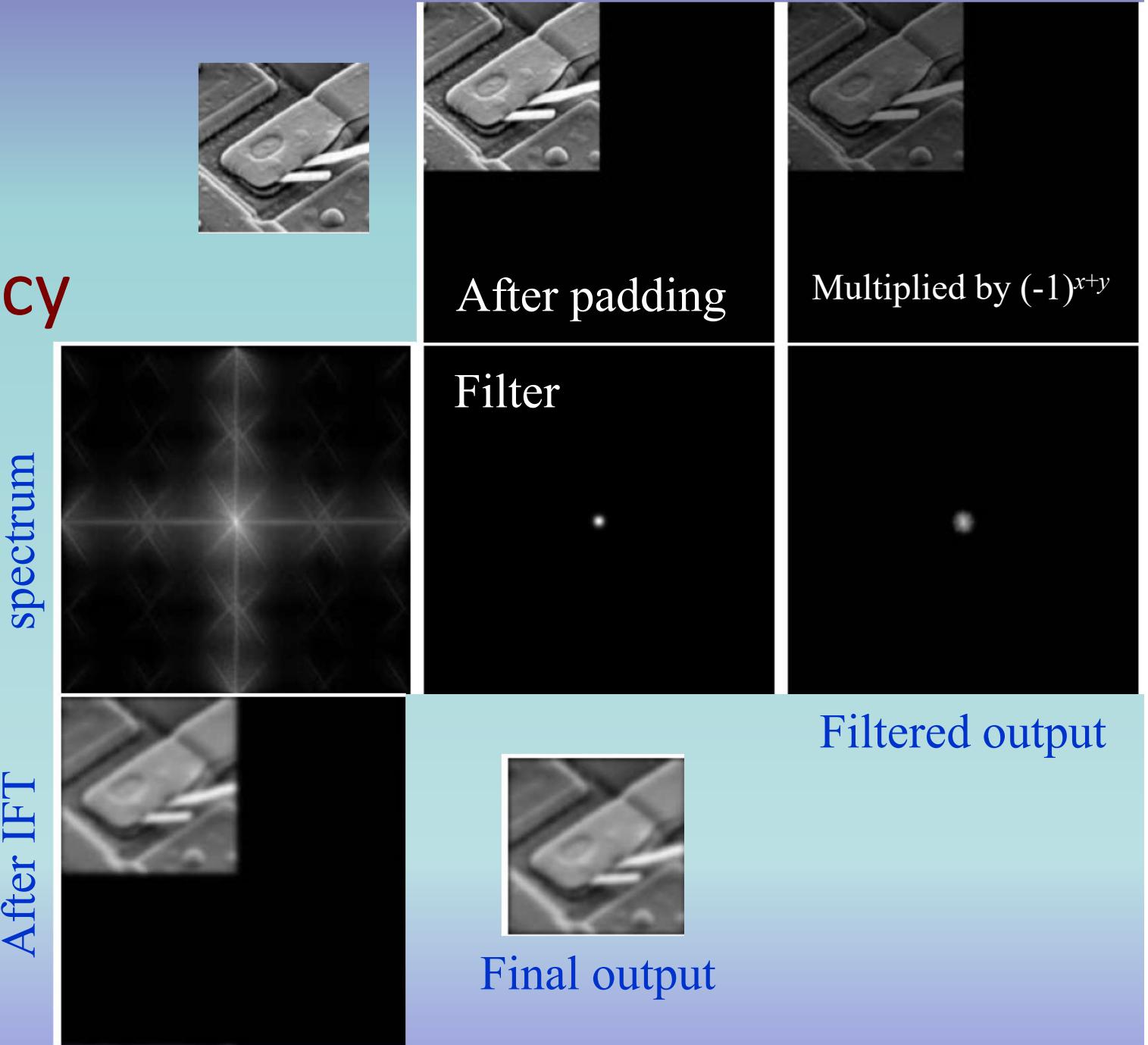
Filtering Steps in Frequency Domain



Filtering Steps in Frequency Domain



Filtering Steps in Frequency Domain



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

$$g(x, y) = f(x, y) * h(x, y) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{H(u, v)F(u, v)\}$$



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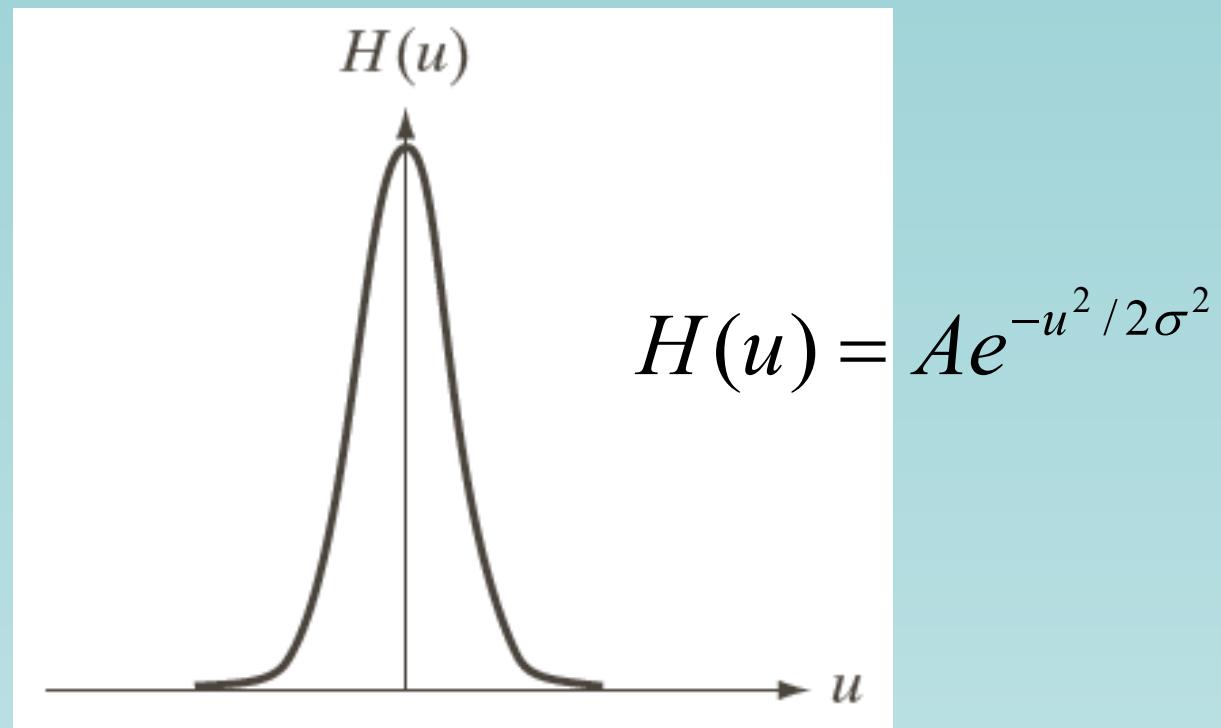
Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

$$g(x, y) = f(x, y) * h(x, y) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{H(u, v)F(u, v)\}$$
$$h(x, y) \Leftrightarrow H(u, v)$$

- We can get the spatial filter than find its frequency domain equivalent
- However, filtering is more intuitive in frequency domain
- So, alternatively, get a filter in frequency domain, find its IDFT



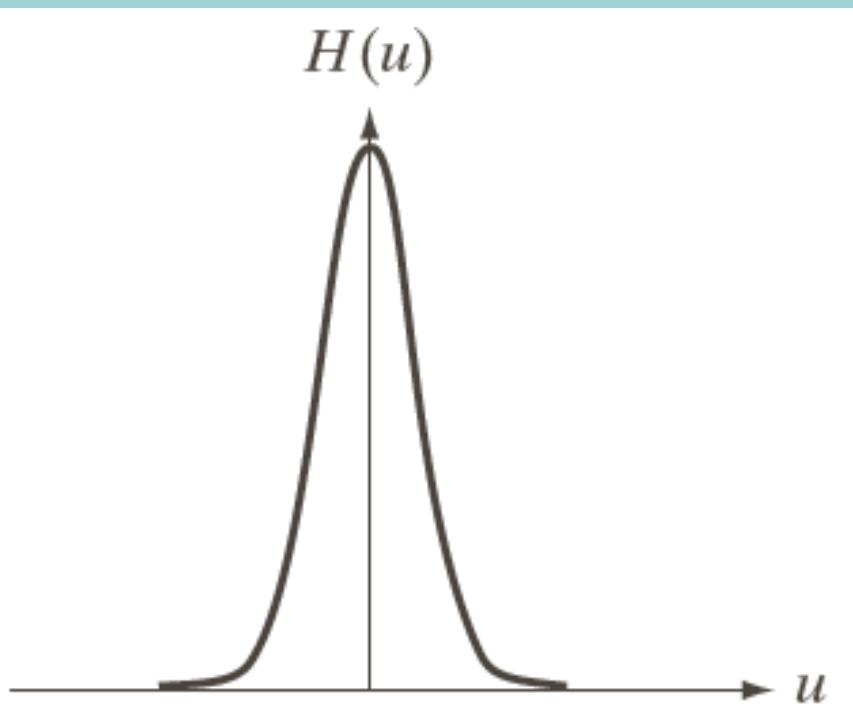
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Gaussian 1D filter in
Frequency domain



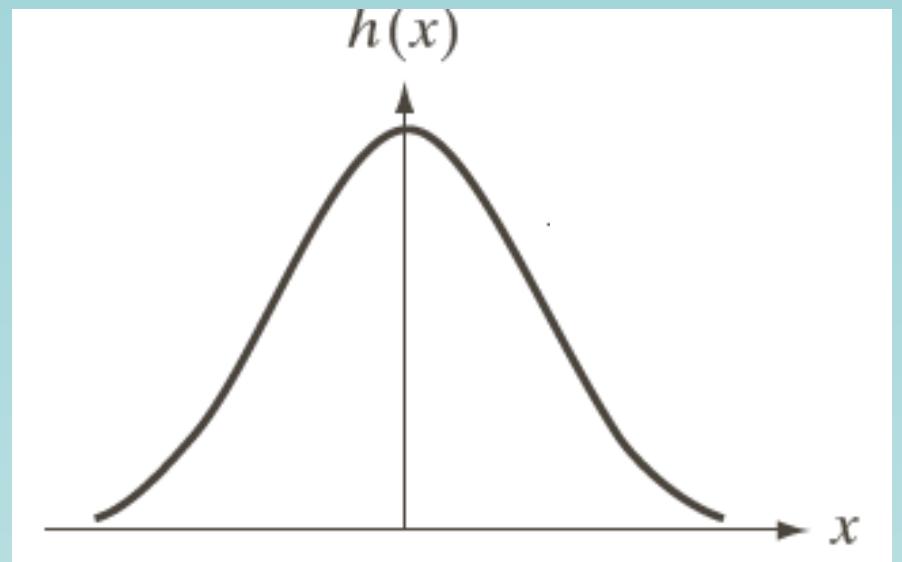
Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters



$$H(u) = Ae^{-u^2/2\sigma^2}$$



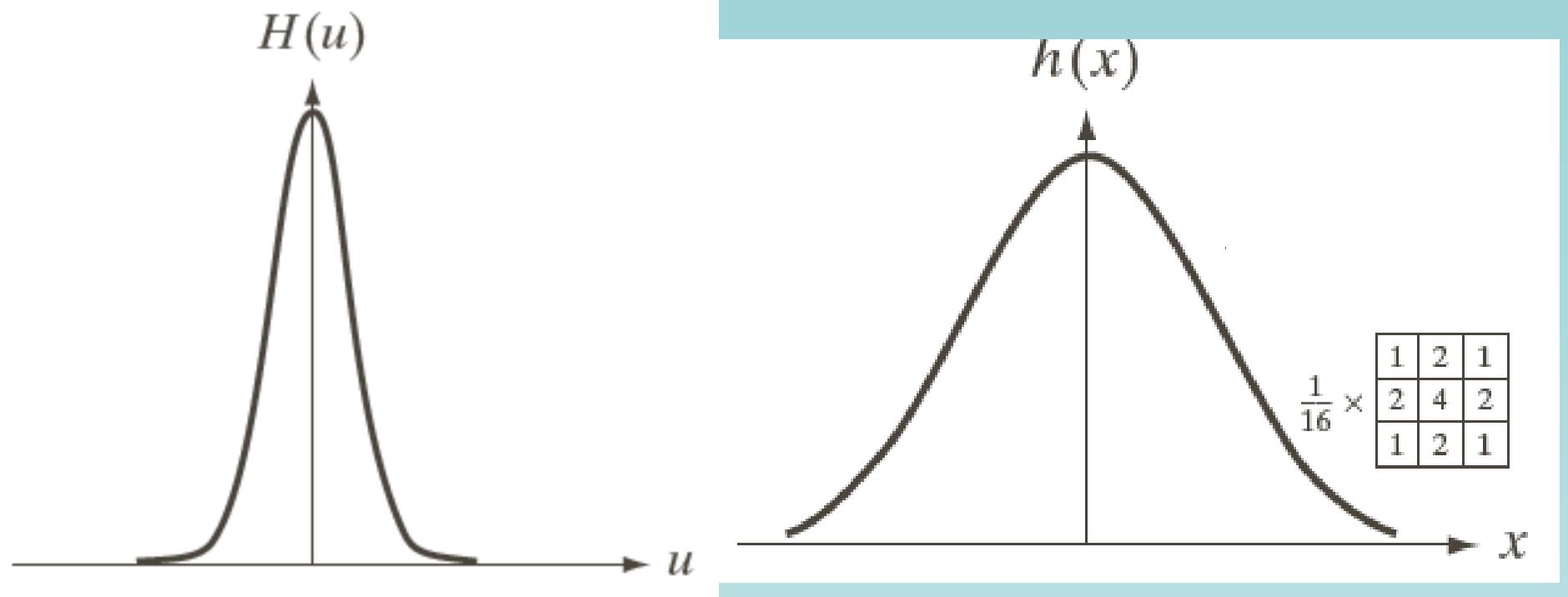
Gaussian 1D filter in
Frequency domain



$$h(x) = 2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma A e^{-2\pi^2\sigma^2x^2}$$

Gaussian 1D filter in
Spatial domain

Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters



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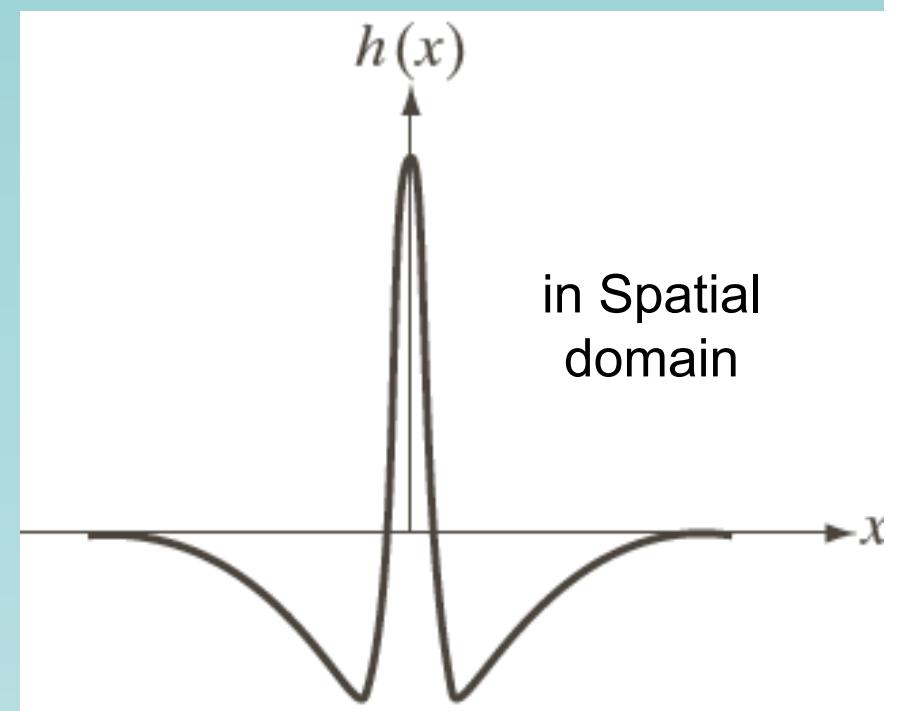
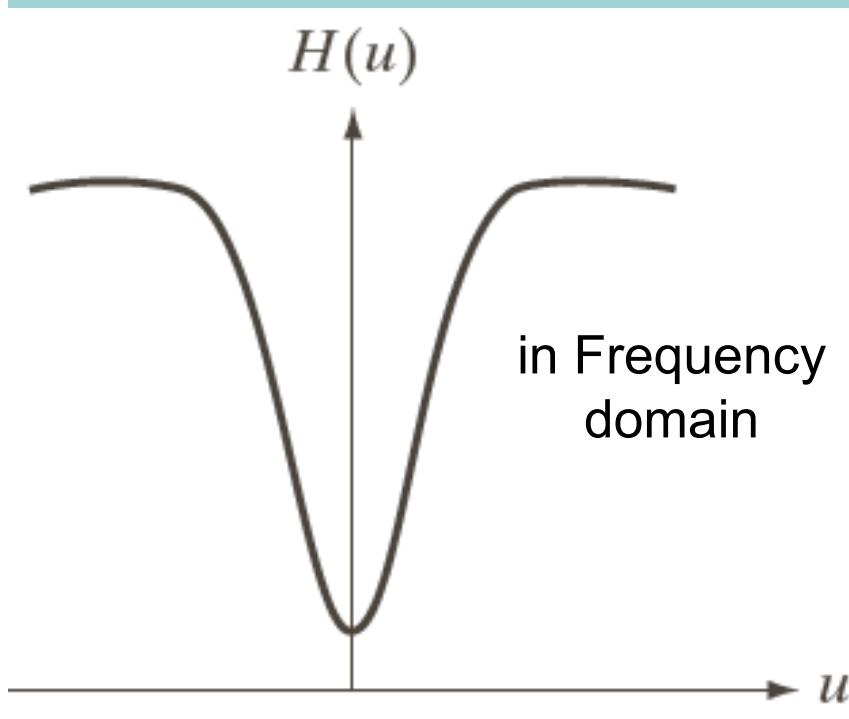


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Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

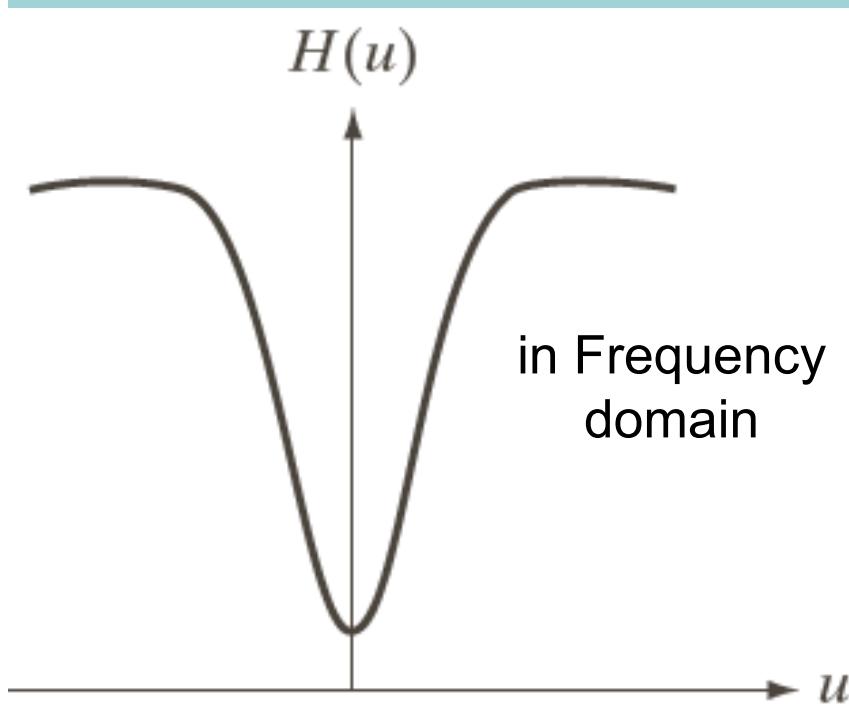


$$H(u) = Ae^{-u^2/2\sigma_1^2} - Be^{-u^2/2\sigma_2^2}$$

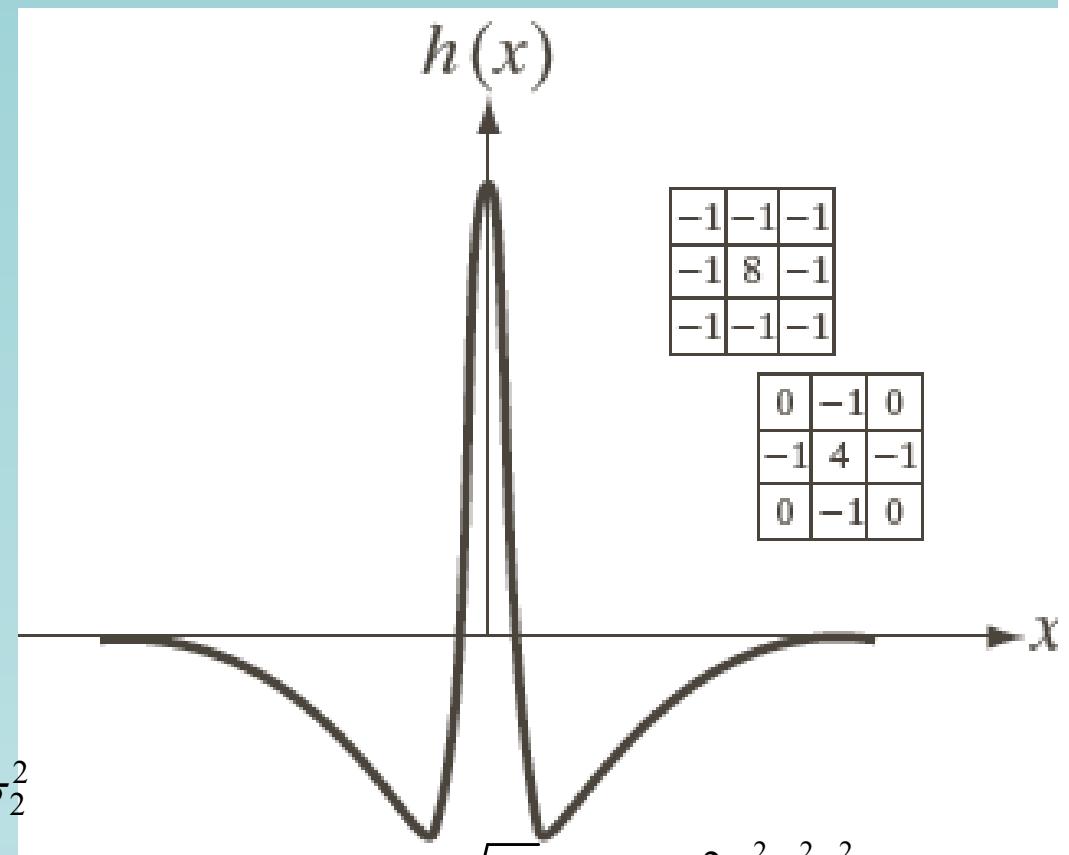
$$h(x) = 2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma_1 A e^{-2\pi^2\sigma_1^2 x^2} \\ - 2\sqrt{\pi}\sigma_2 B e^{-2\pi^2\sigma_2^2 x^2}$$



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters



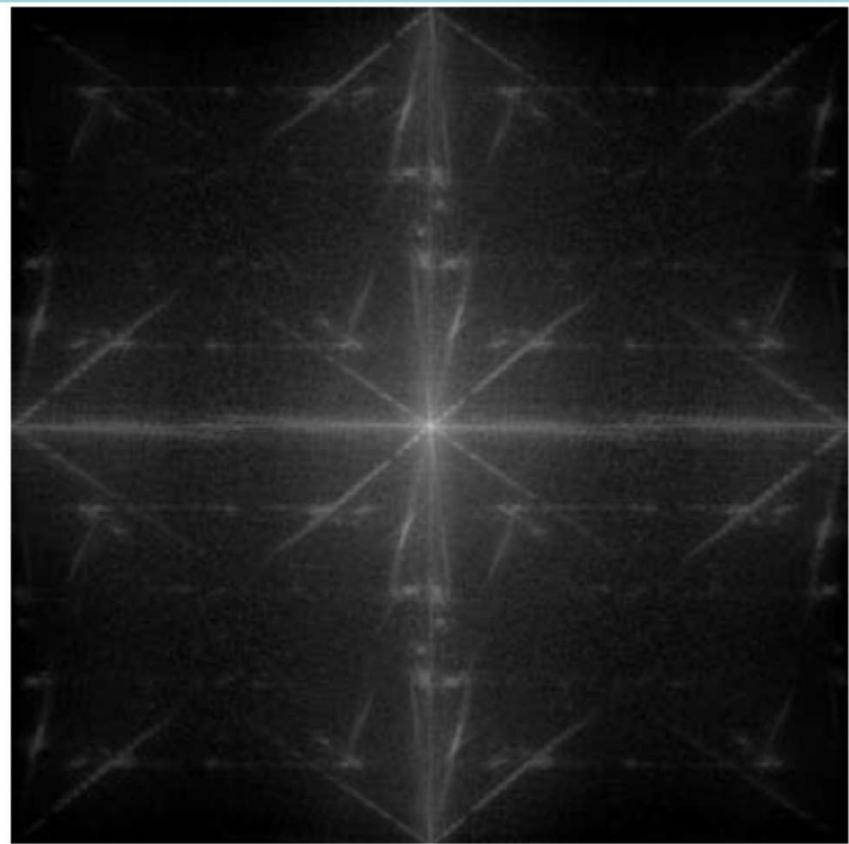
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Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters



600X600

Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

-1	0	1
-2	0	2
-1	0	1

Spatial domain
Sobel Mask of
size 3X3



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

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.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
.....	0	0	0	-1	0	1	0	0	0
.....	0	0	0	-2	0	1	0	0	0
.....	0	0	0	-1	0	1	0	0	0
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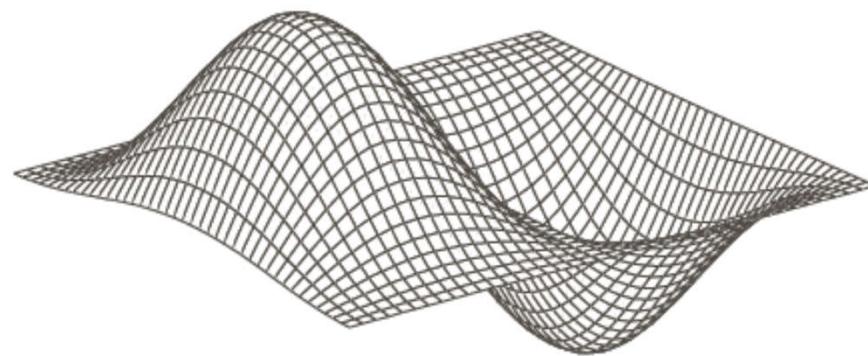
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Padding
 $\text{dim} \geq 600 + 3 - 1$



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

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-1	0	1

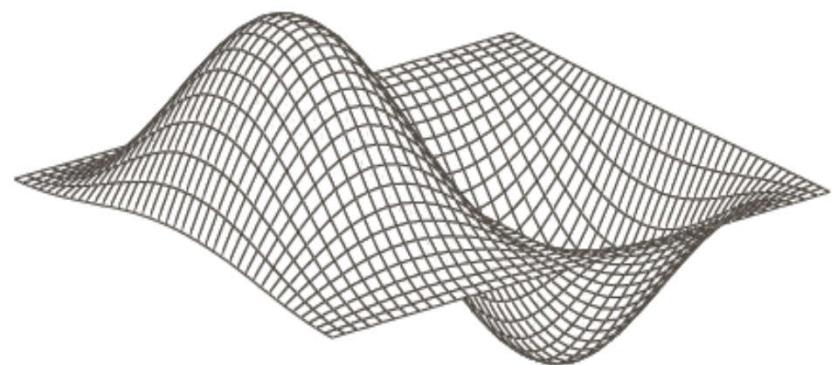


Surface view
after padding



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

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Surface view
after padding

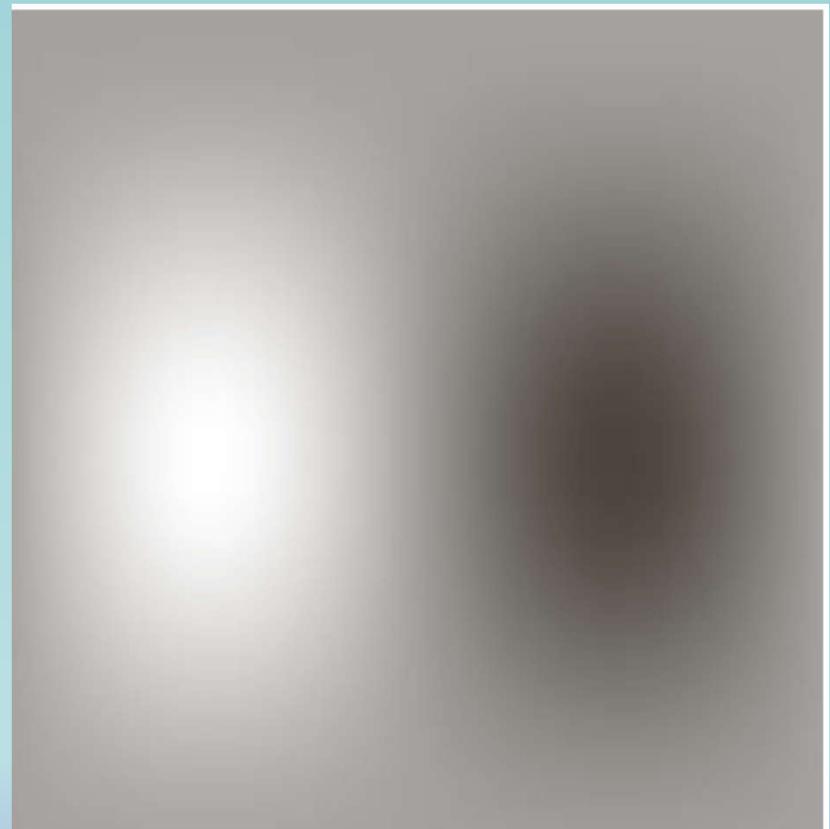


Image View



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters

Steps to find the frequency
domain filter:

- Multiply the extended sobel filter by $(-1)^{x+y}$
- Find its FT
- Set its real part to zero [to remove the **parasitic** components]
- Multiply the Frequency domain filter by $(-1)^{u+v}$



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters



Result of applying the
frequency domain filter



Correspondence Between Spatial and Frequency Domain Filters



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Result of applying the
frequency domain filter

Result of applying the
Sobel filter directly

Image Smoothing in Frequency Domain

3 types of Smoothing filters:

- Ideal Low Pass Filter (ILPF)
- Butterworth Low Pass Filter
- Gaussian Low Pass Filter (GLPF)



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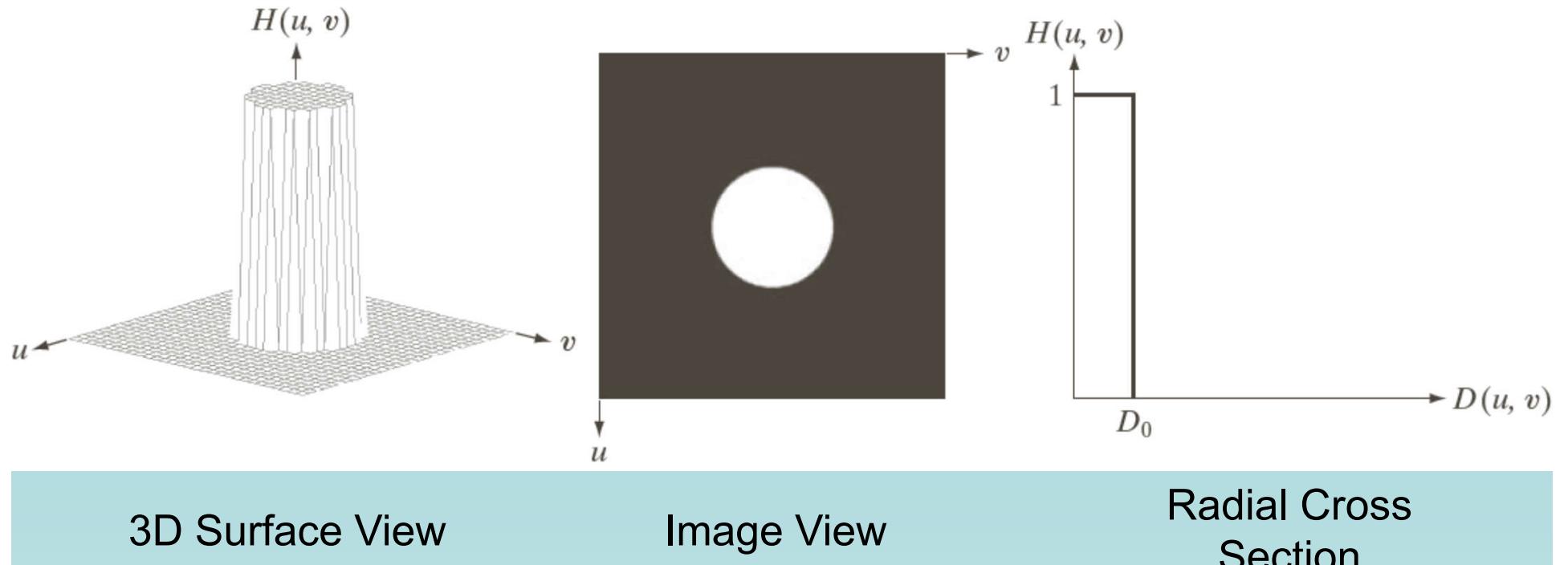
Ideal Low Pass Filter

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 0 & \text{if } D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where, } D(u, v) = [(u - M/2)^2 + (v - N/2)^2]^{1/2}$$



Ideal Low Pass Filter



3D Surface View

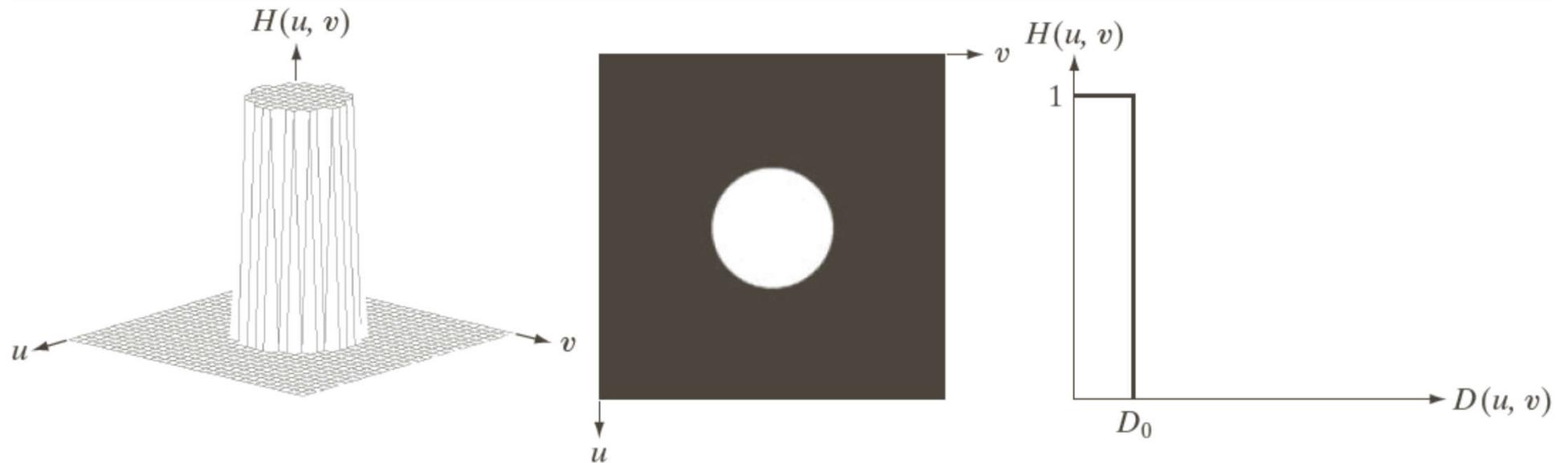
Image View

Radial Cross
Section

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 0 & \text{if } D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$



Ideal Low Pass Filter



- D_0 is cutoff frequency
- Different filters can be designed by changing D_0
- Changing D_0 means allowing different amount of energy



Ideal Low Pass Filter

Total Energy:

$$F_T = \sum_{u=0}^{u=M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{v=N-1} |F(u, v)|^2$$

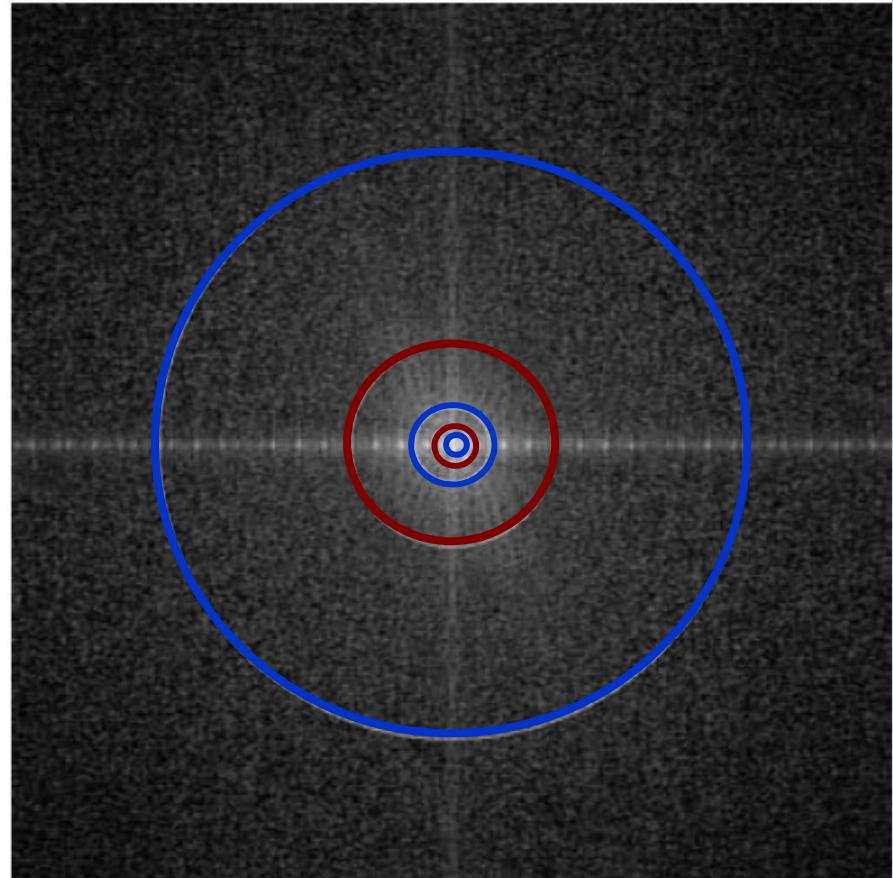
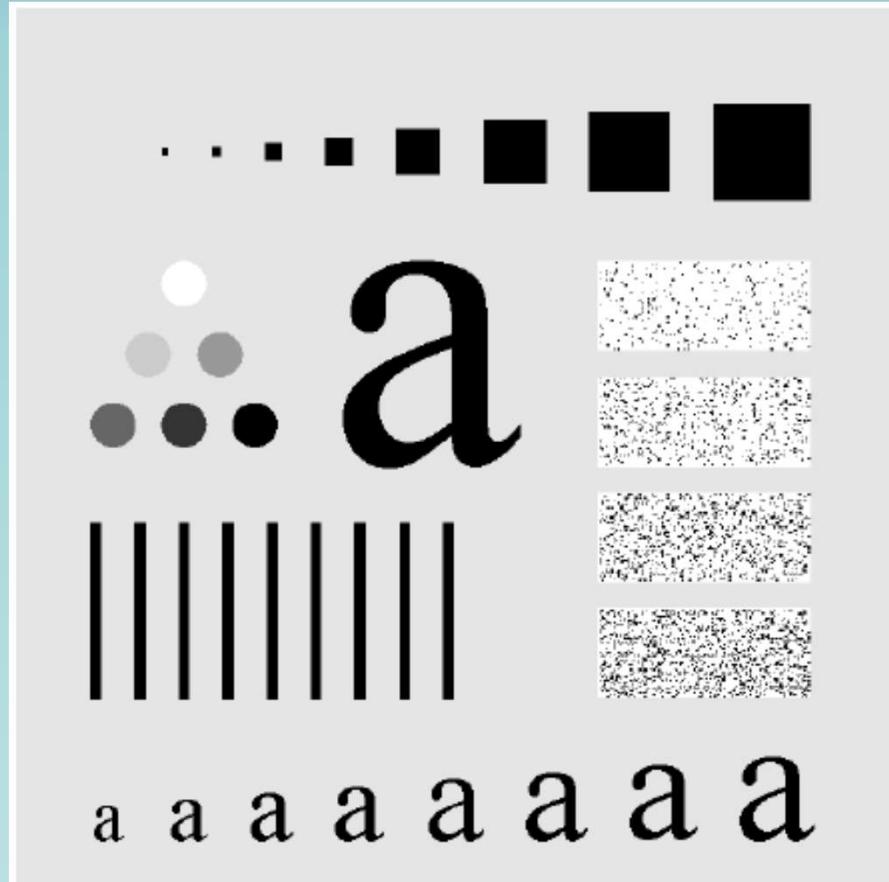
A filter with radius
 D_0 capture $\alpha\%$ of
energy:

$$\alpha = 100 \sum_u \sum_v |F(u, v)|^2 / F_T$$



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Ideal Low Pass Filter

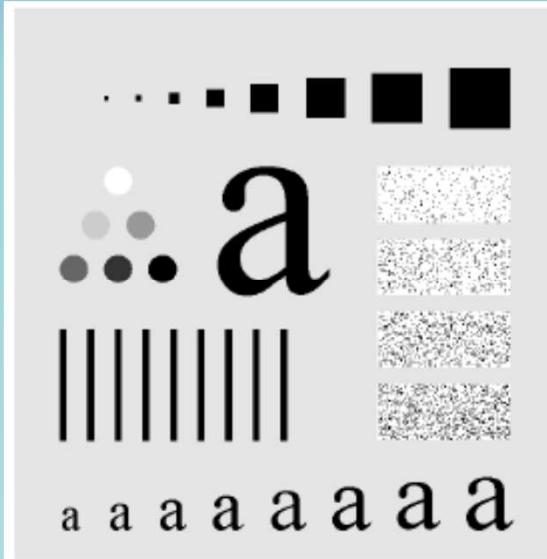


The superimposed circles have radius 10, 30, 60, 160, 460 and enclose 87.0, 93.1, 95.7, 97.8 and 99.2% energy

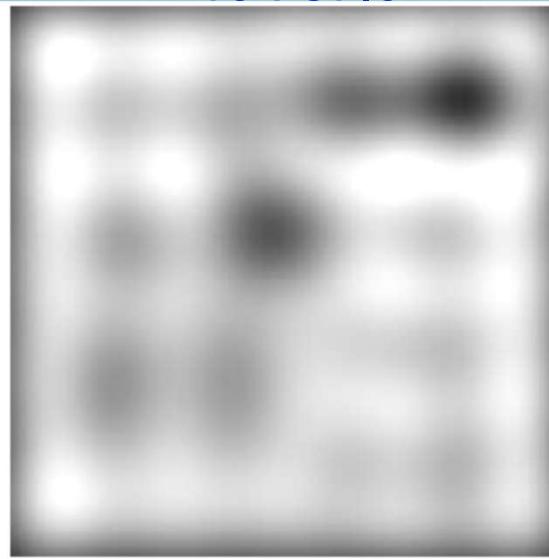


Ideal Low Pass Filter

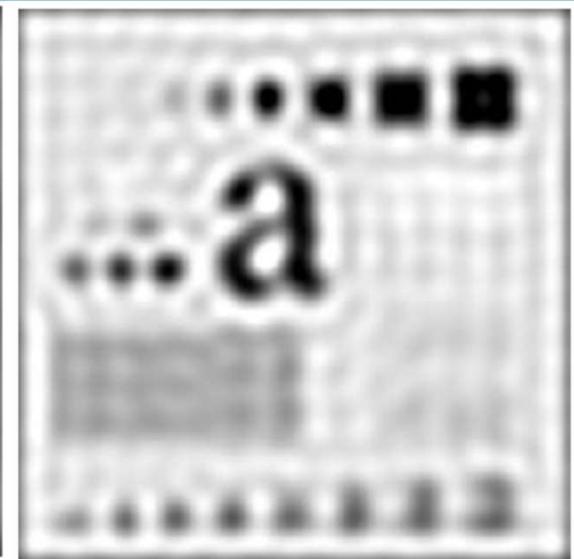
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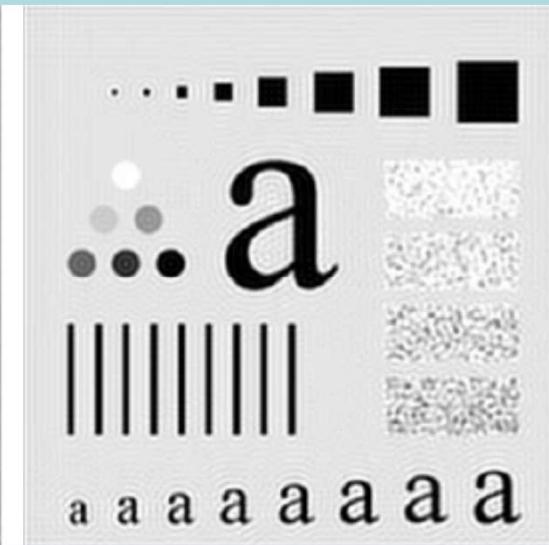
10 : 87.0



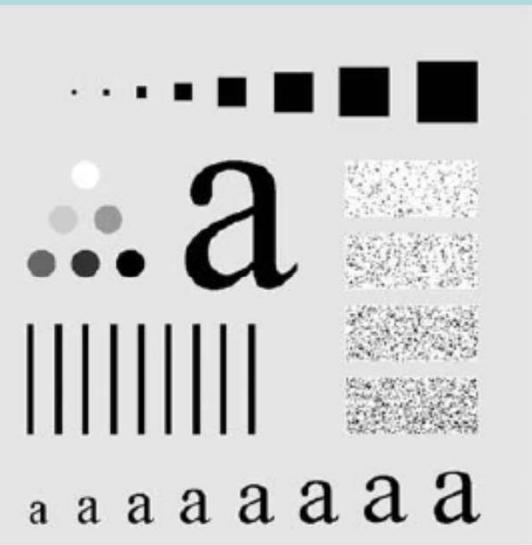
30 : 93.1



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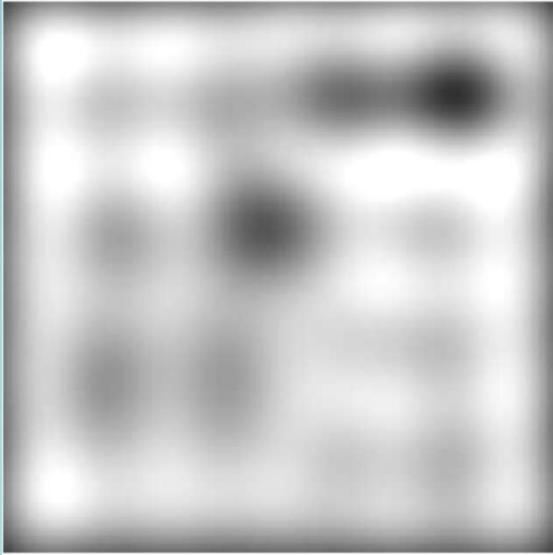
160 : 97.8



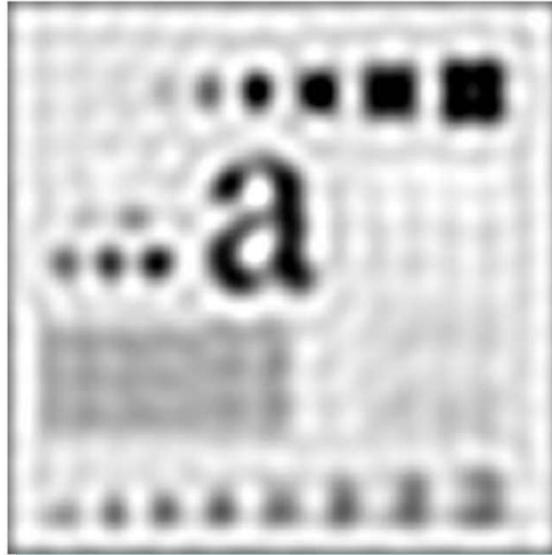
460 : 99.2

Ideal Low Pass Filter

10 : 87.0



30 : 93.1



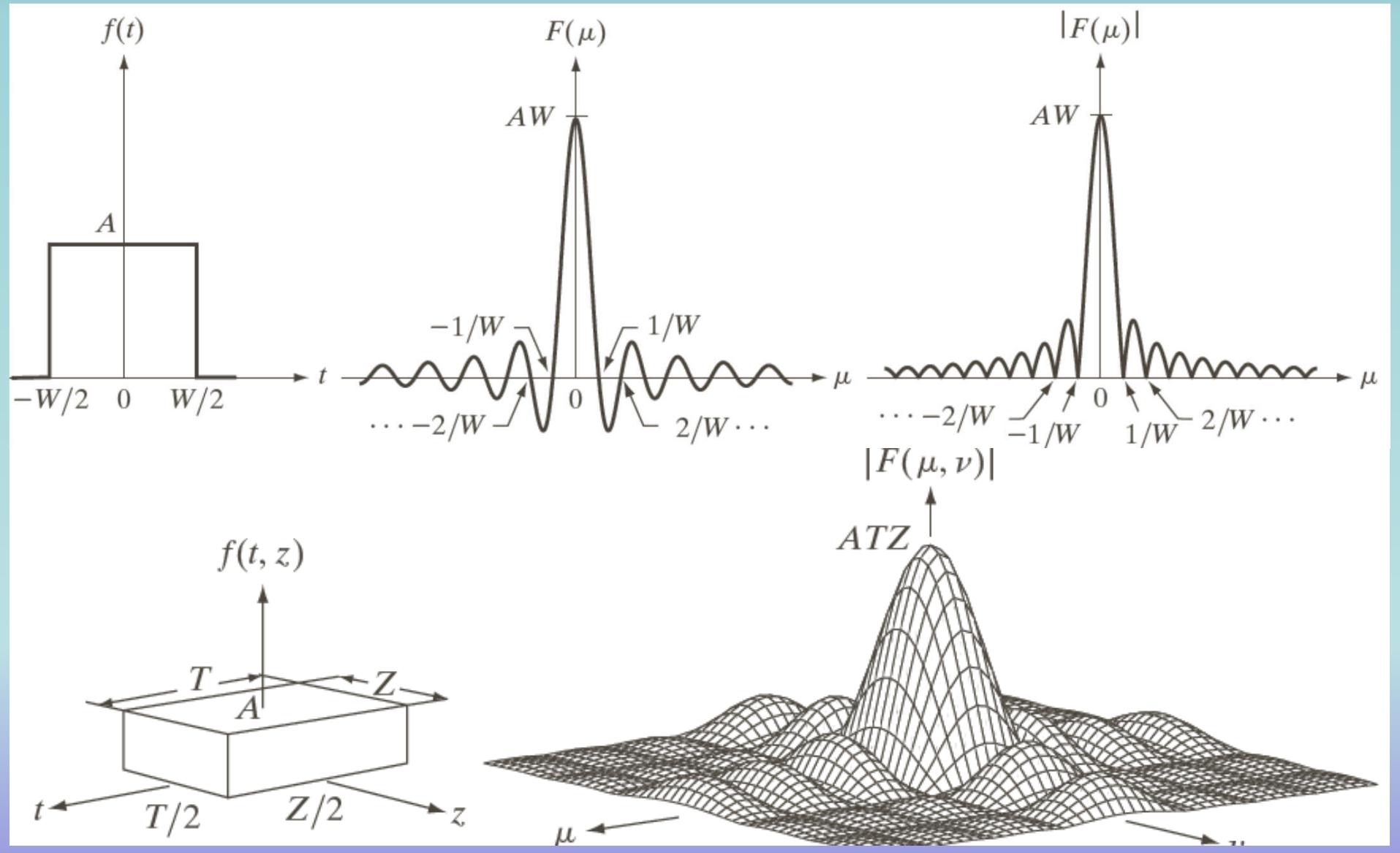
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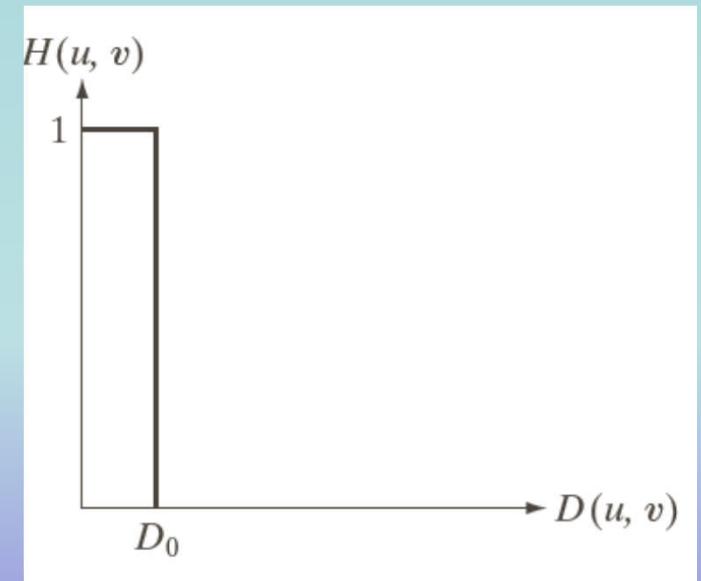
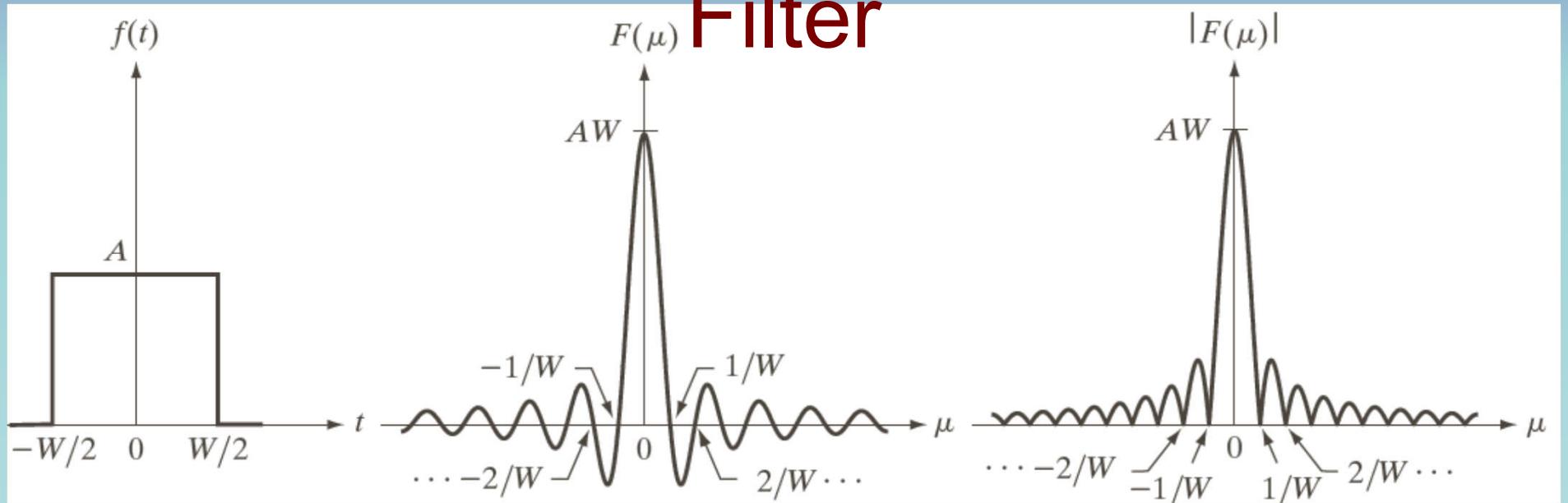
- Blurring and ringing effect increases as D_0 decreases



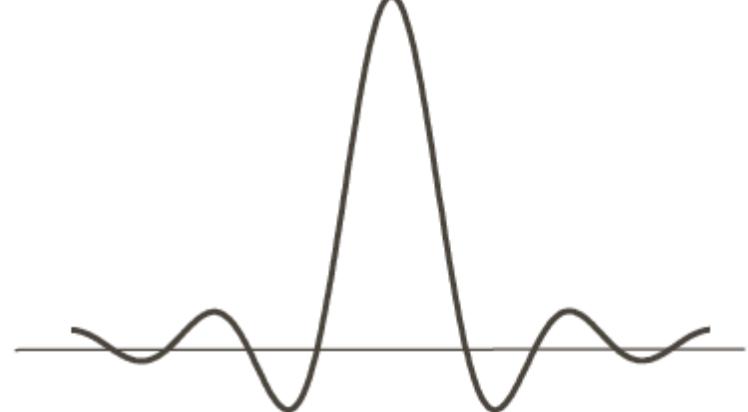
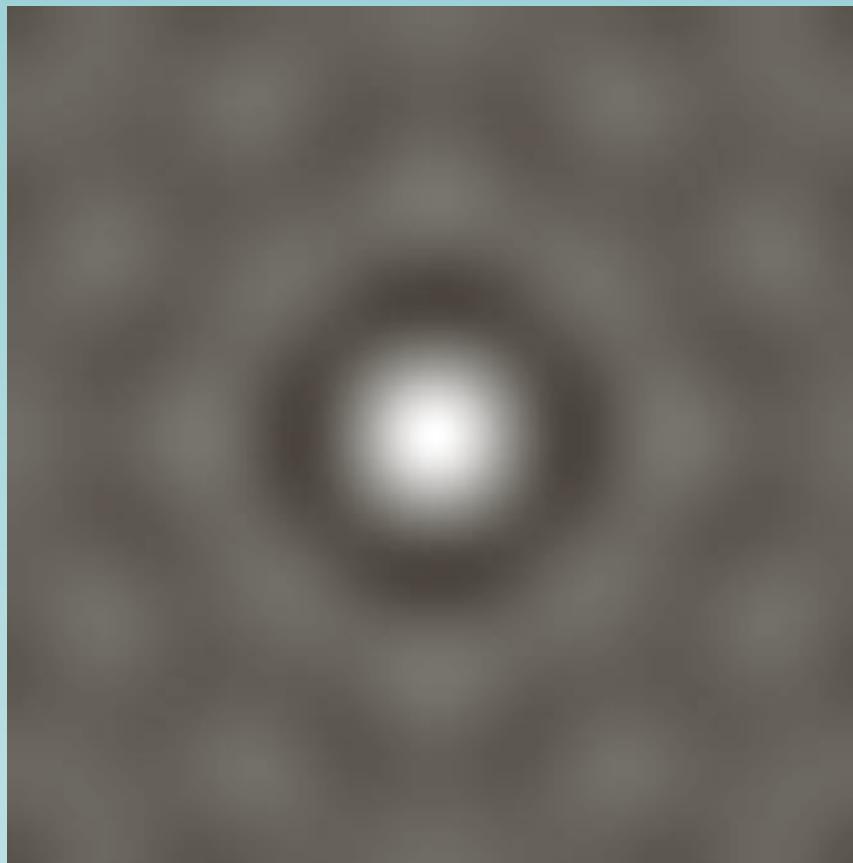
Box and Sinc Function



Box Function and Ideal Low Pass Filter



Ideal Low Pass Filter with *Radius* 10



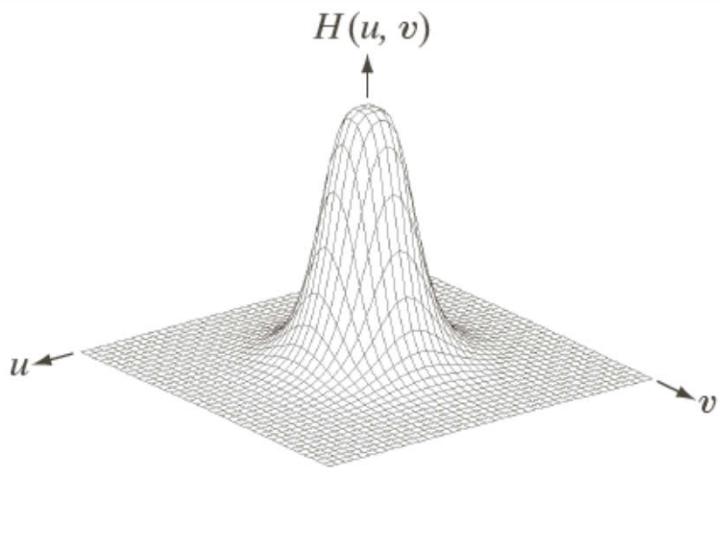
Intensity profile through
the centre: $h(x)$

Spatial Domain Representation: $h(x, y)$



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Butterworth Low Pass Filter



3D Surface View

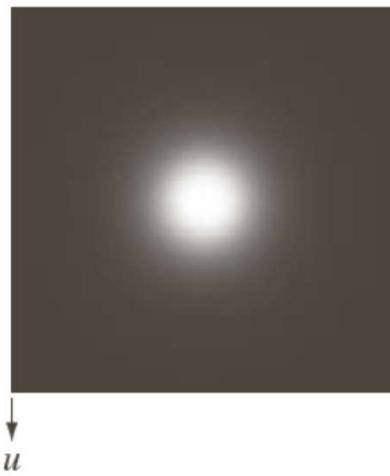
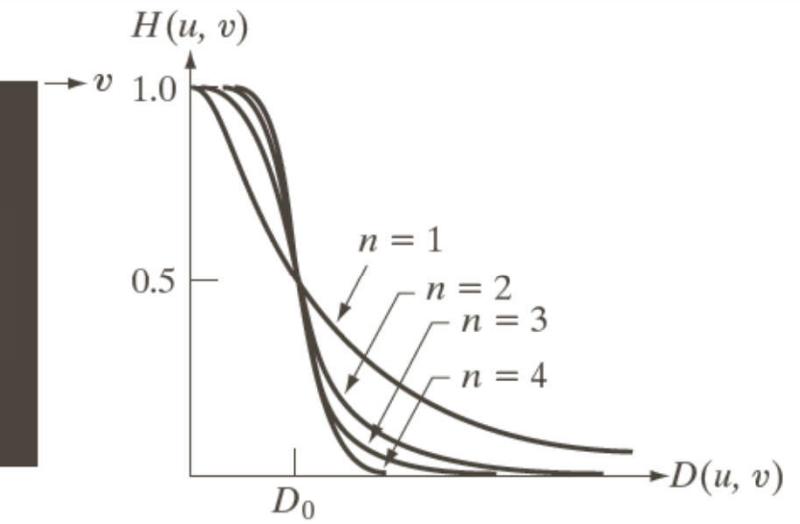


Image View

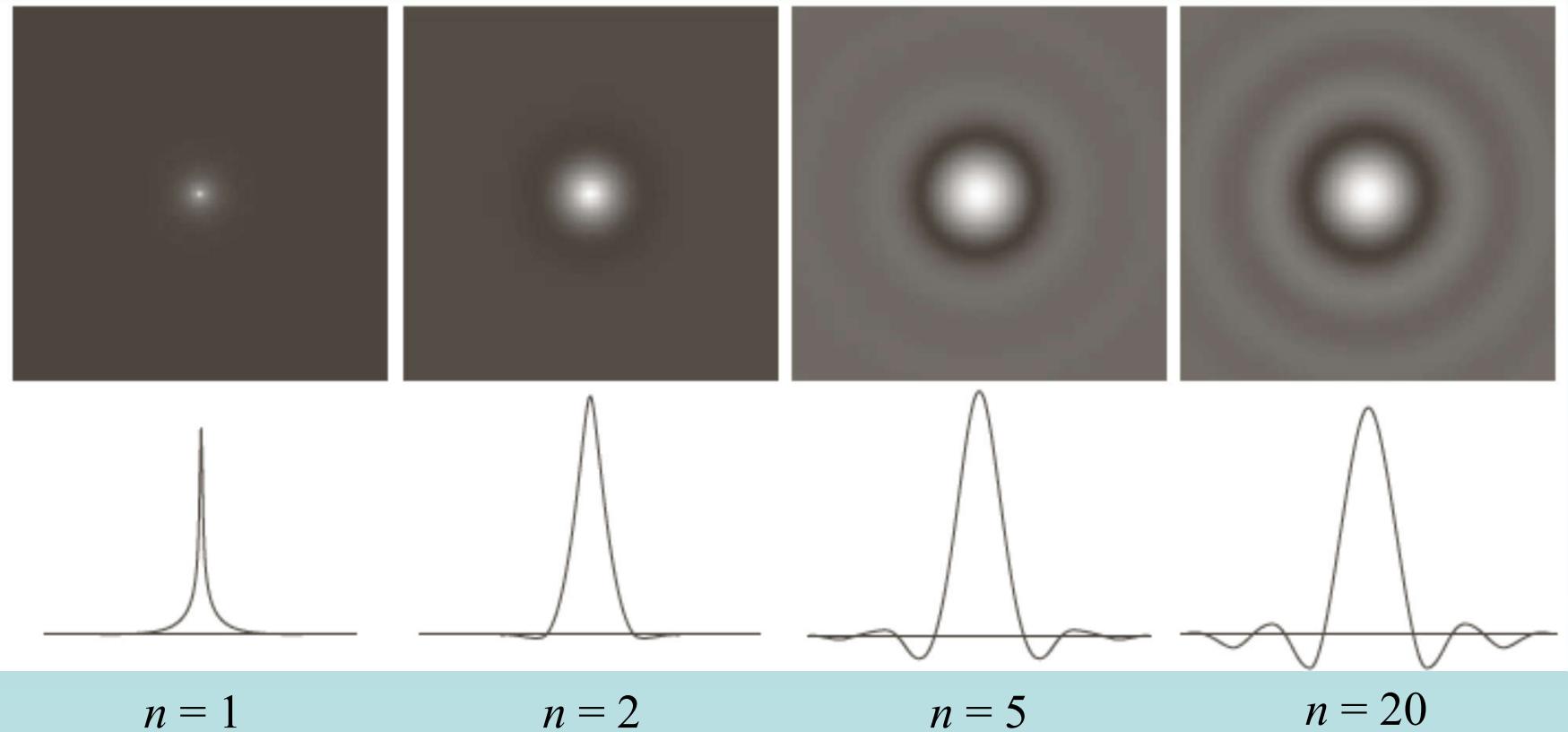


Radial Cross
Section

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D(u, v)/D_0]^{2n}}$$



Butterworth Low Pass Filter



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$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D(u, v) / D_0]^{2n}}$$

Butterworth Low Pass Filter with $n = 2$

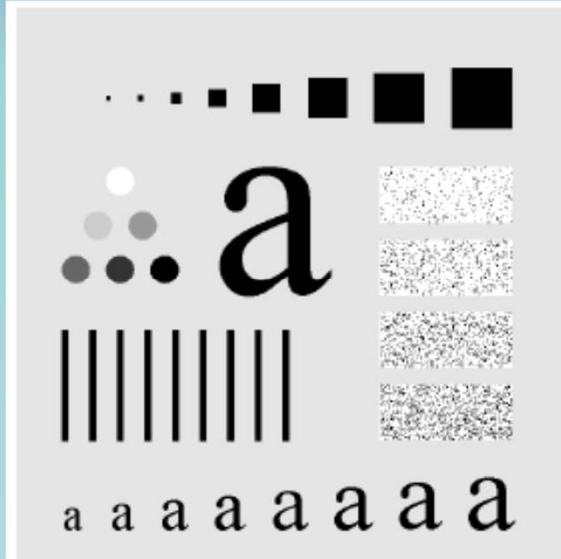
10 : 87.0

30 : 93.1

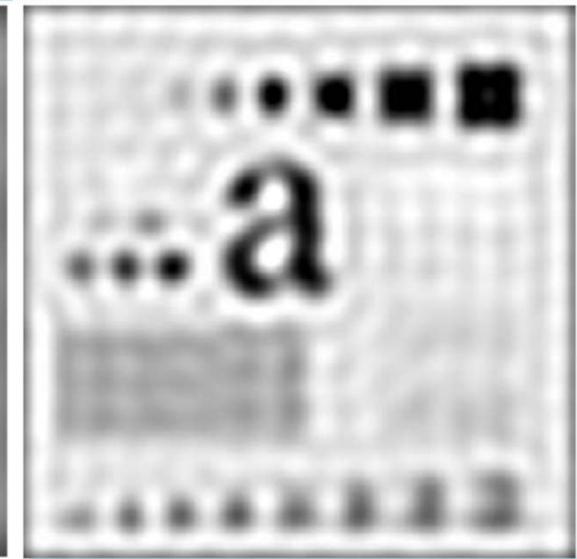


Ideal Low Pass Filter

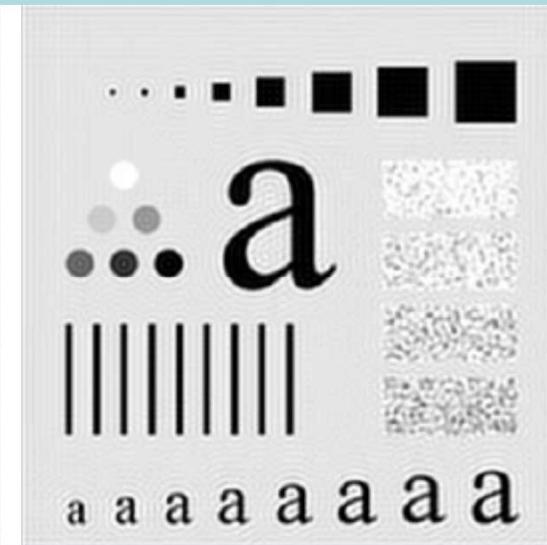
10 : 87.0



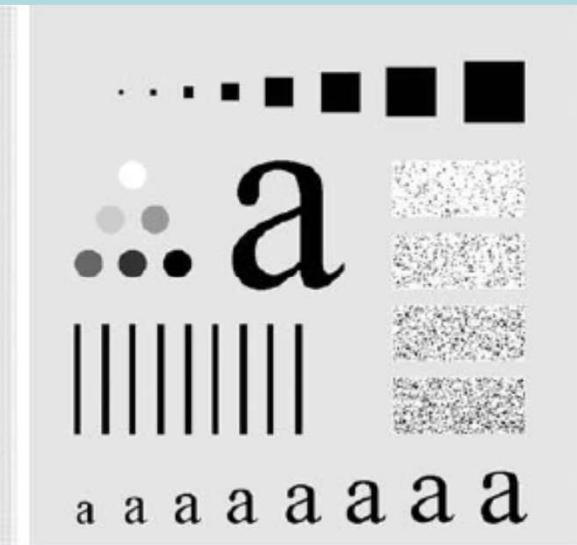
30 : 93.1



60 : 95.7

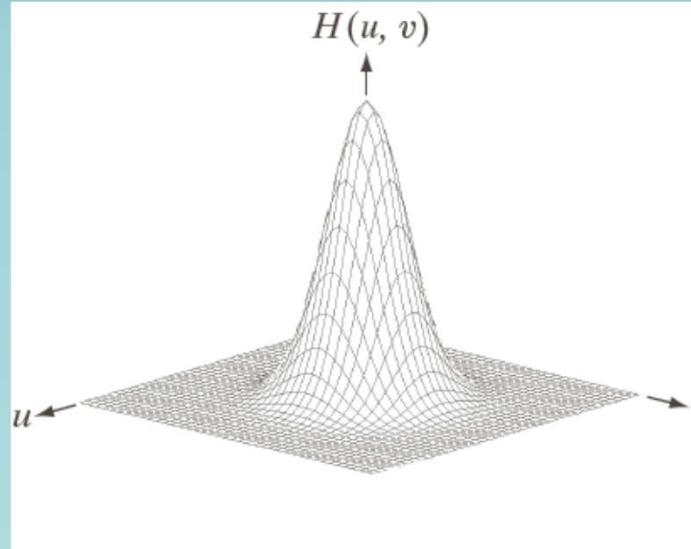


160 : 97.8



460 : 99.2

Gaussian Low Pass Filter



3D Surface View

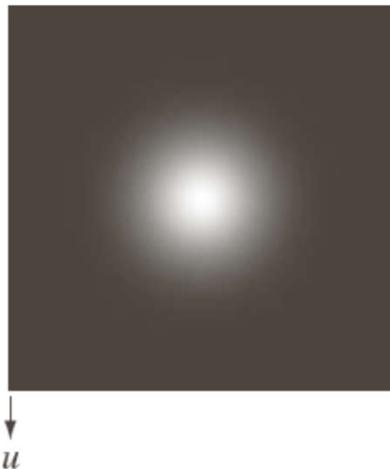
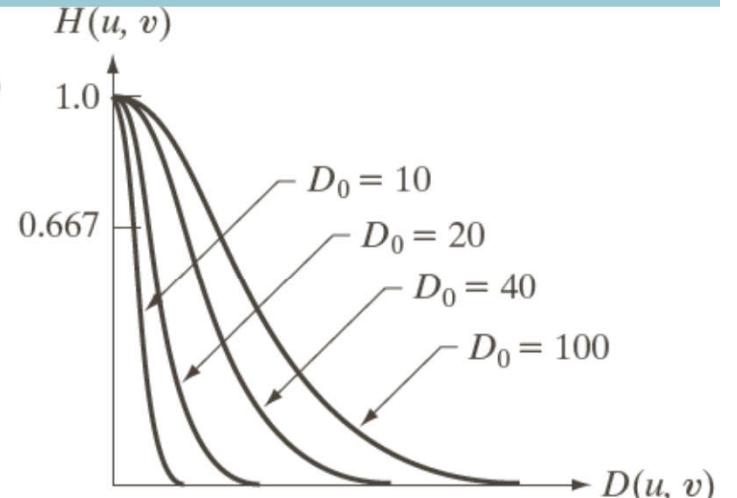


Image View



Radial Cross
Section

$$H(u, v) = e^{-D^2(u,v)/2\sigma^2}$$

or

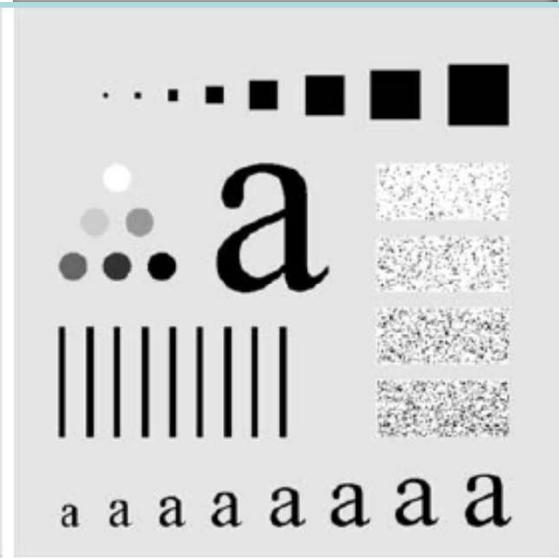
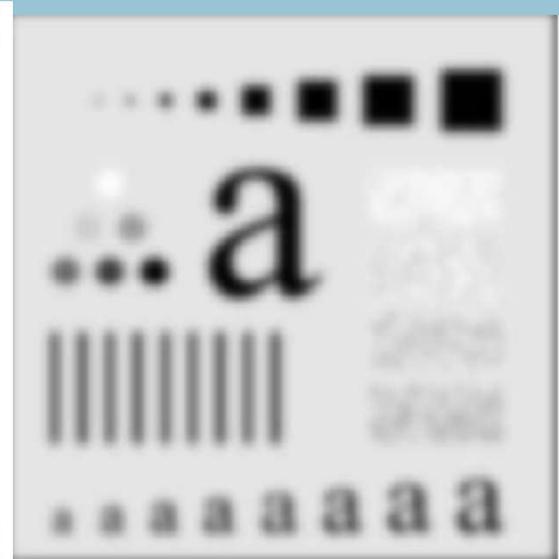
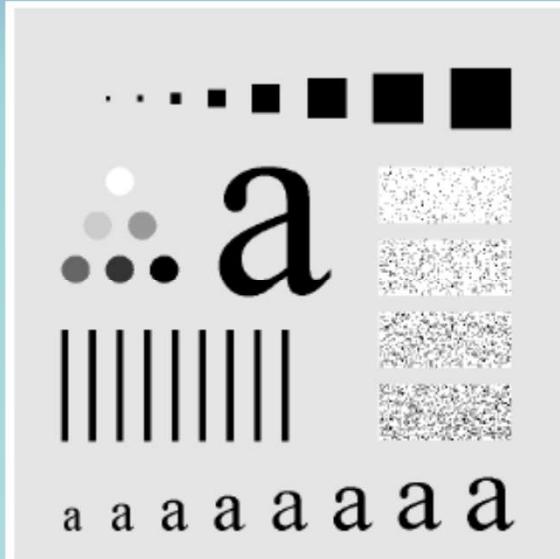
$$H(u, v) = e^{-D^2(u,v)/2D_0^2}$$



Gaussian Low Pass Filter

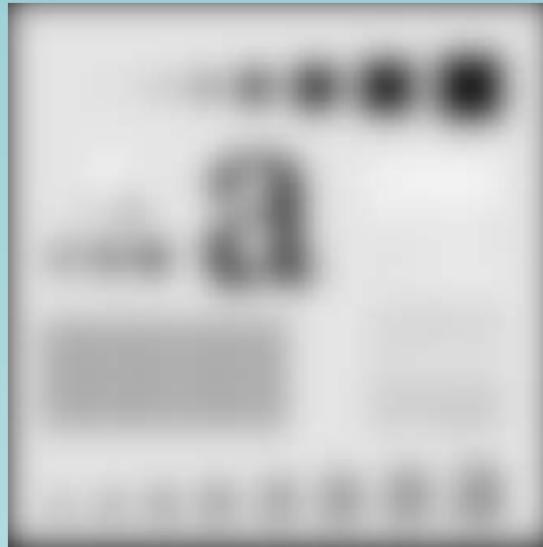
10 : 87.0

30 : 93.1

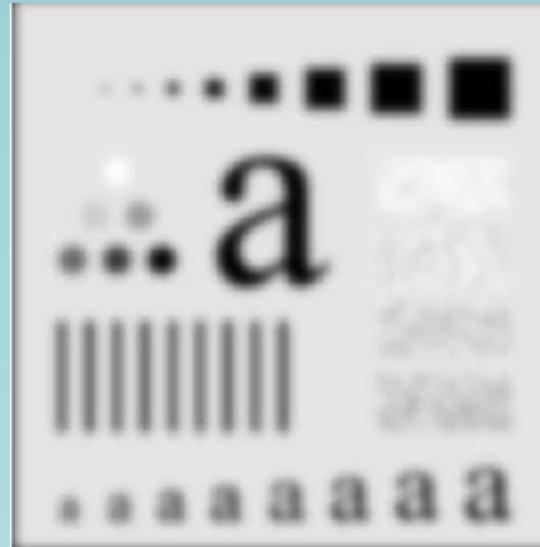


Comparison Betn GLPF and BLPF

10 : 87.0



30 : 93.1



60 : 95.7



Gaussian

Butterworth

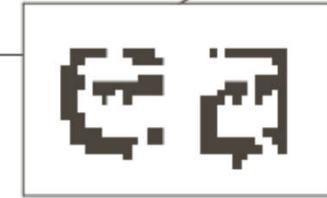


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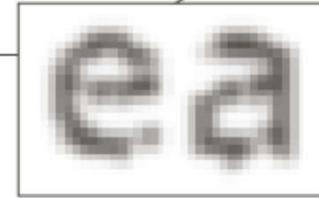
Application of Low Pass Filtering

Applying GLPF with $D_0 = 80$

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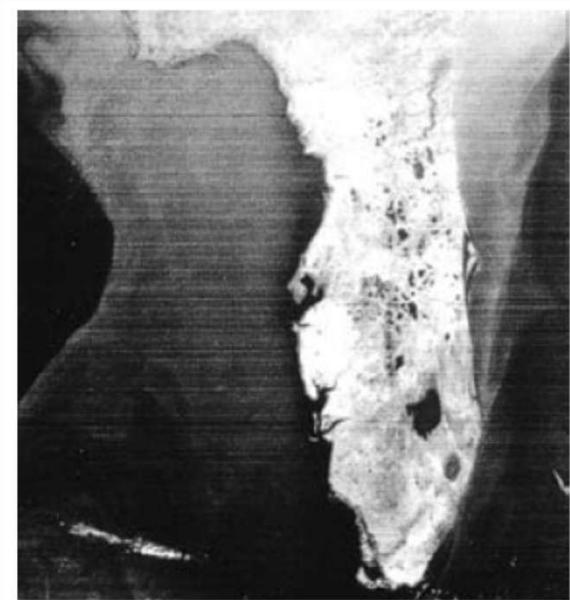
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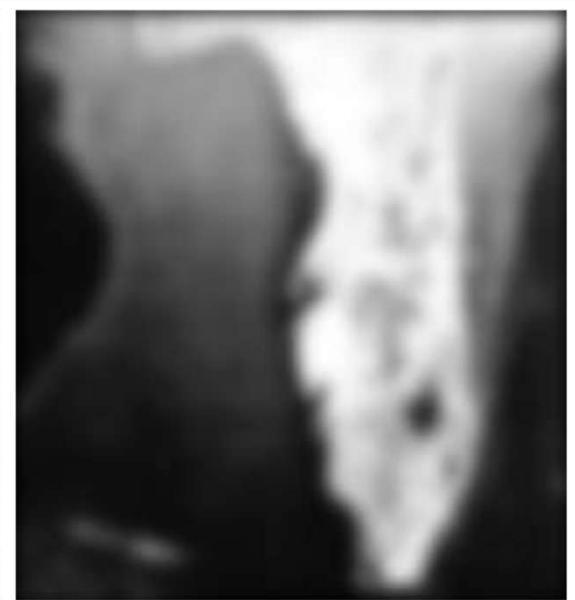
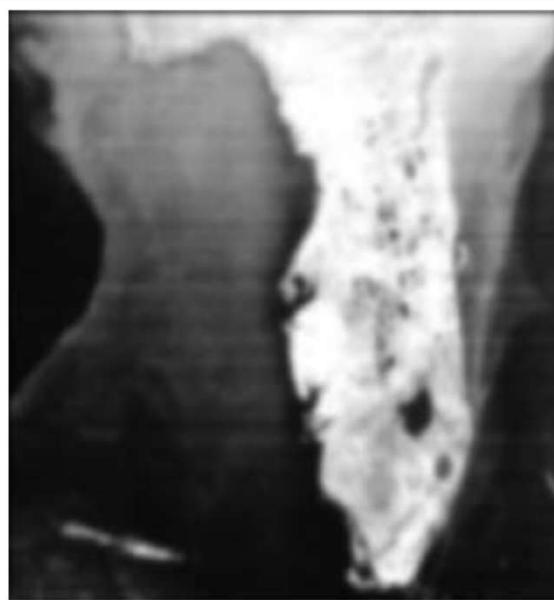
Application of Low Pass Filtering

In satellite imagery:

GLPF with $D_0 = 50$



GLPF with $D_0 = 20$



Many horizontal lines
produced by the
scanning sensor

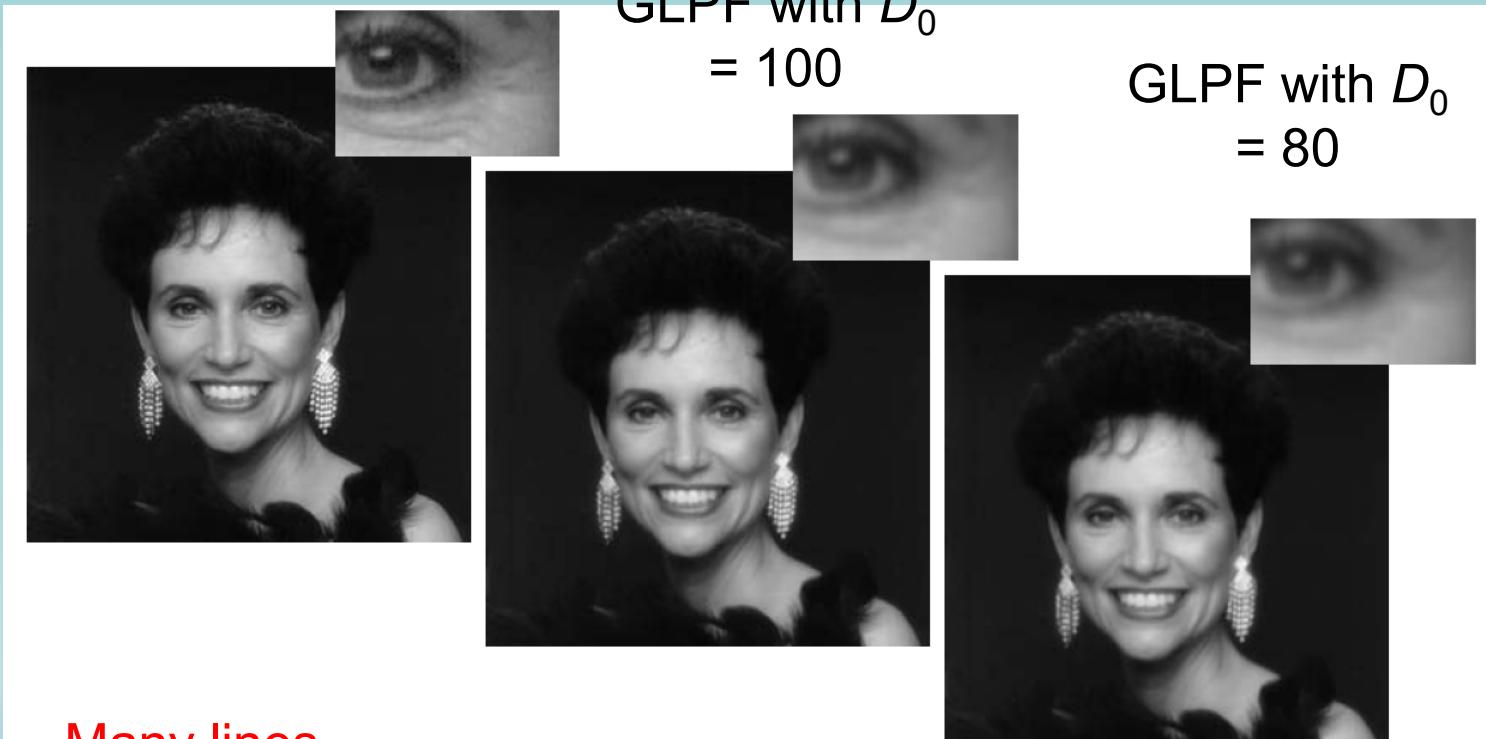


Reduction in
horizontal lines

Removing fine
details

Application of Low Pass Filtering

‘Cosmetic’ processing:



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Many lines
near the eye

Lines reduced, looking softer