## **Project 0 Questions**

## **Instructions**

- Compile and read through the included MATLAB tutorial.
- 3 questions.
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## **Questions**

**Q1:** Please find and read the course collaboration policy on the course website, and write a paraphrased version.

**A1:** Your answer here.

**Q2:** We wish to set all pixels that have a brightness of 10 or less to 0, to remove sensor noise. However, our code is slow when run on a database with 1000 grayscale images.

Image: grizzlypeakg.png

```
1  A = imread('grizzlypeakg.png');
2  [m1,n1] = size( A );
3  for i=1:m1
4     for j=1:n1
5         if A(i,j) <= 10
6             A(i,j) = 0;
7         end
8     end
9  end</pre>
```

- **Q2.1:** How could we speed it up?
- **A2.1:** Your answer here.

**Q2.2:** What factor speedup would we receive over 1000 images? Please measure it.

Ignore file loading; assume all images are equal resolution; don't assume that the time taken for one image  $\times 1000$  will equal 1000 image computations, as single short tasks on multitasking computers often take variable time.

## **A2.2:** Your answer here.

**Q2.3:** How might a speeded-up version change for color images? Please measure it.

Image: grizzlypeak.jpg

**A2.3:** Your answer here.

**Q3:** We wish to reduce the brightness of an image but, when trying to visualize the result, all we sees is white with some weird "corruption" of color patches.

Image: gigi.jpg

```
I = double(imread('gigi.jpg'));
I = I - 20;
imshow(I);
```

- **Q3.1:** What is incorrect with this approach? How can it be fixed while maintaining the same amount of brightness reduction?
- **A3.1:** Your answer here.

**Q3.2:** Where did the original corruption come from? Which specific values in the original image did it represent?

**A3.2:** Your answer here.