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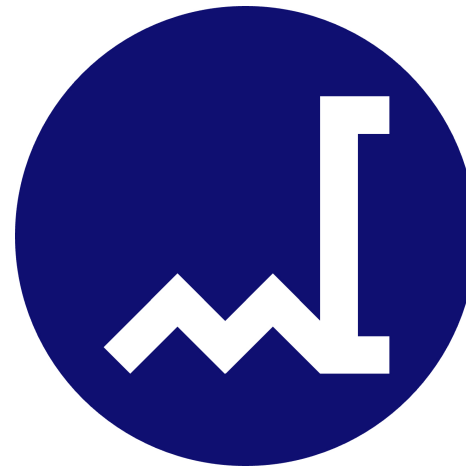
Image Compression

What is PNG Filtering?

- PNG file format supports a precompression step called filtering
- Filtering is a method of reversibly transforming the image data so that the main compression engine can operate more efficiently



JPEG, 188KB



PNG, 133KB

Simplified Image Compression

- The input will be a grayscale image
 - Pixel in grayscale image represents only an amount of light
 - Use unsigned integers with 8 bits per pixel (0~255)
- We will use a simplified Paeth filtering algorithm in the PNG format
 - Paeth filtering: record only the difference from the neighboring pixel values, since value of pixels changes gradually in most cases

Phases for Simple Image Compression

- Phase 1: Apply a simplified Paeth filtering algorithm to the grayscale image to reduce the range of pixel values
- Phase 2: Encode those values in a more compact binary representation

Phase I: Simplified Paeth Filtering

- Find the average of three neighboring pixels in left, upper, and upper-left positions
 - When neighboring pixel doesn't exist, exclude it from the calculation

		B	C
	D	E	F
	G	H	I

Input Image S

$$\text{Avg}[0][0] = 0$$

$$\text{Avg}[0][1] = (S[0][0]) / 1 = A / 1$$

$$\text{Avg}[0][2] = (S[0][1]) / 1 = B / 1$$

$$\text{Avg}[1][0] = (S[0][0]) / 1 = A / 1$$

$$\text{Avg}[1][1] = (S[1][0] + S[0][1] + S[0][0]) / 3 = (D + B + A) / 3$$

Phase I: Simplified Paeth Filtering

2. Get the filtered value by computing the difference between pixel value and average value
 - To prevent getting a negative value, if pixel value is smaller than average value, add 256 before subtracting

```
Filter[i][j] = S[i][j] - Avg[i][j]      if S[i][j] >= Avg[i][j]
               S[i][j] + 256 - Avg[i][j] otherwise
```

Example: Phase I

0	0	0	0
50	75	100	120
75	100	120	0

Input Image S

$$\text{Avg}[0][0] = 0$$

$$\text{Avg}[0][1] = 0/1 = 0$$

$$\text{Avg}[0][2] = 0/1 = 0$$

$$\text{Avg}[0][3] = 0/1 = 0$$

$$\text{Avg}[1][0] = 0/1 = 0$$

$$\text{Avg}[1][1] = (50 + 0 + 0)/3 = 16$$

$$\text{Avg}[1][2] = (75 + 0 + 0)/3 = 25$$

$$\text{Avg}[1][3] = (100 + 0 + 0)/3 = 33$$

$$\text{Avg}[2][0] = 50/1 = 50$$

$$\text{Avg}[2][1] = (75 + 75 + 50)/3 = 66$$

$$\text{Avg}[2][2] = (100 + 100 + 75)/3 = 91$$

$$\text{Avg}[2][3] = (120 + 120 + 100)/3 = 113$$

$$\text{Filter}[0][0] = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$$\text{Filter}[0][1] = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$$\text{Filter}[0][2] = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$$\text{Filter}[0][3] = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$$\text{Filter}[1][0] = 50 - 0 = 50$$

$$\text{Filter}[1][1] = 75 - 16 = 59$$

$$\text{Filter}[1][2] = 100 - 25 = 75$$

$$\text{Filter}[1][3] = 120 - 33 = 87$$

$$\text{Filter}[2][0] = 75 - 50 = 25$$

$$\text{Filter}[2][1] = 100 - 66 = 34$$

$$\text{Filter}[2][2] = 120 - 91 = 29$$

~~$$\text{Filter}[2][3] = 0 - 113 = -113$$~~

$$S[2][3] < \text{Avg}[2][3]$$

$$\text{Filter}[2][3] = 0 + 256 - 113 = 143$$

$$113 + 143 = 256 = 1\underbrace{00000000}_{0}(2)$$

Phase 2: Encoding Filtered Values

3. Use minimum filtered value as base value of the row & calculate the deltas from the base value

0	0	0	0
50	75	100	120
75	100	120	0

Input Image S[3][4]

0	0	0	0
50	59	75	87
25	34	29	143

Filter[3][4]

0	0	0	0
0	9	25	37
0	9	4	118

Delta[3][4]

base(0): 0

base(1): 50

base(2): 25

Phase 2: Encoding Filtered Values

4. Find the number of bits needs for representing the delta

- Can be calculated from the maximum delta value for each row

```
n(i) = 0      if max(Delta[i]) == 0,  
1          else if max(Delta[i]) == 1,  
2          else if max(Delta[i]) < 4,  
3          else if max(Delta[i]) < 8,  
4          else if max(Delta[i]) < 16,  
5          else if max(Delta[i]) < 32,  
6          else if max(Delta[i]) < 64,  
7          else if max(Delta[i]) < 128,  
8          otherwise
```

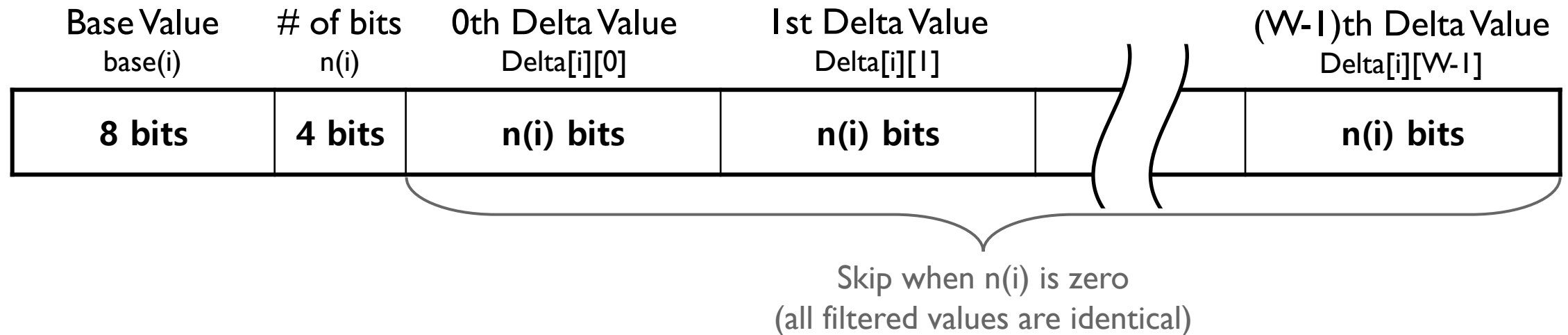
of bits $n(i)$ needs to encode delta values with unsigned integers

0	0	0	0	$n(0) = 0$
0	9	25	37	$n(1) = 6$
0	9	4	118	$n(2) = 7$

Delta[3][4]

Phase 2: Encoding Filtered Values

5. Now encode each row at a time using the format below



Delta[3][4]

0	0	0	0
0	9	25	37
0	9	4	118

base(0) = 0, n(0) = 0

base(1) = 50, n(1) = 6

base(2) = 25, n(2) = 7

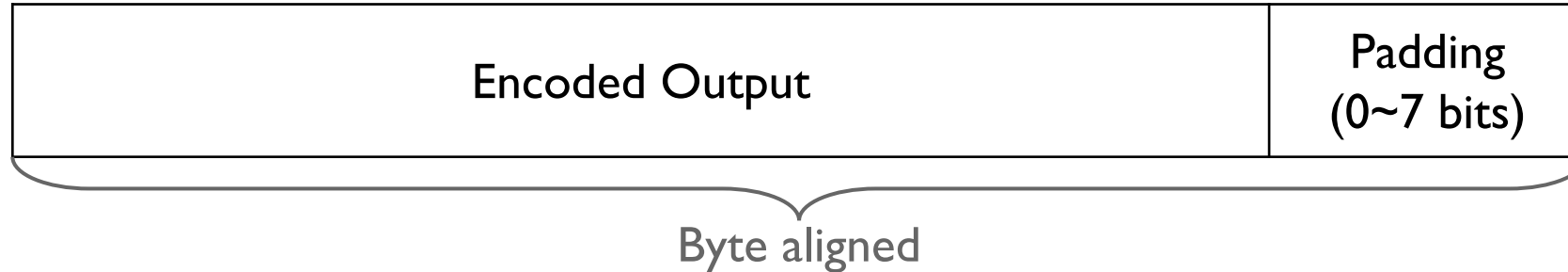
base(i) n(i)
Row 0: 00000000 0000

Row 1: 00110010 0110 000000 001001 011001 100101

Row 2: 00011001 0111 0000000 0001001 0000100 1110110

Phase 2: Encoding Filtered Values

6. If the total number of output bits is not a multiple of 8, pad 0's until it becomes a multiple of 8



	base(i)	n(i)				
Row 0:	00000000	0000				
Row 1:	00110010	0110	000000	001001	011001	100101
Row 2:	00011001	0111	0000000	0001001	0000100	1110110

	row 0	row 1				row 2					
Output:	00000000	00000011	00100110	00000000	10010110	01100101	00011001	01110000	00000010	01000010	01110110
	0x00	0x02	0x26	0x00	0x96	0x65	0x19	0x70	0x02	0x42	0x76

Example (2)

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Input Image S[5][10]

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Filter[5][10]

	base(i)	n(i)
Row 0:	00000000	0000
Row 1:	00000000	0000
Row 2:	00000000	0000
Row 3:	00000000	0000
Row 4:	00000000	0000

Output:

row 0	row 1	row 2	row 3
00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000
00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000
00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000
00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000

row 4
00000000 00000000 = 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x00

Padding

Specification

- All you need to do is to write `encode()` function given in `pal.c`
- `int encode(const u8* src, const int width, const int height, u8* dst);`
`{ /* fill this function */ }`
 - `src` points to the memory address of the input data
 - `width` and `height` are the width & height of input data (in bytes)
 - `dst` points to the memory address for encoded result
 - It returns the length of the output (in bytes)
 - If `width` or `height` is zero, return zero

Restrictions

- Contents of the buffer after the encoded output should not be corrupted

dst buffer for example (2): 11111111 11111111 11111111 11111111 11111111
11111111 11111111 11111111 11111111 11111111

Output for example (2): 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000
00000000 00000000 00000000 00111111 11111111

Contents after the encoded output is corrupted!

- You are not allowed to use any array
- You are not allowed to use any library functions
- Your solution should finish within a reasonable time

Submission

- Due: 11:59PM, September 18 (Sunday)
 - 25% of the credit will be deducted for every single day delay
- Only submit the `pal.c` file to the submission server
 - You don't have to write a report in this assignment

Slip Days

- You can use up to 4 slip days during this semester
 - To use slip days, please post how many slip days you want to use on QnA board
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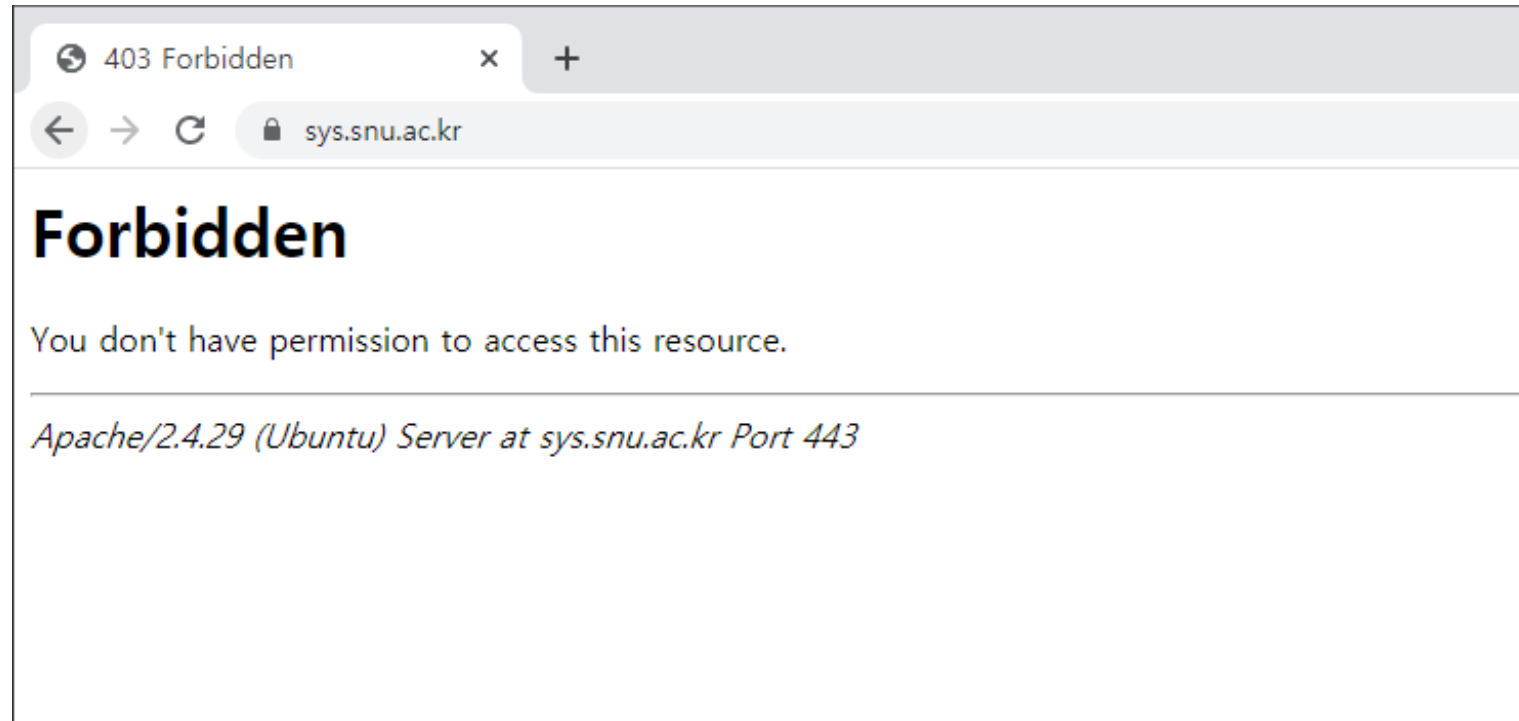
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How to Access the Submission Server

- <http://sys.snu.ac.kr>
- Need to access via in-school IP or authorized IP
 - In-school IP: 147.46.X.X or 147.47.X.X



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- Please submit your IP through Google Form
(<https://forms.gle/rbWD2ZV2mAxRTIAr5>)
- To get your IP address, search “what is my ip” in Google
 - Note that virtual IP addresses are not valid
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 - 172.16.0.0 ~ 172.31.255.255
 - 192.168.0.0 ~ 192.168.255.255

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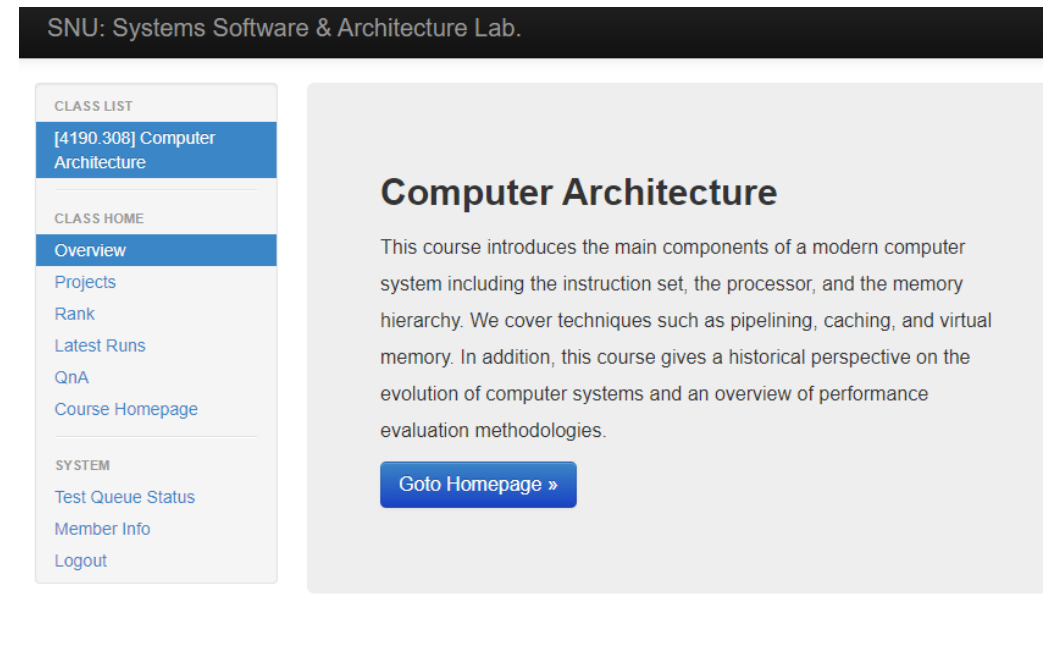
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