



# MIDTERM 1 ASSIGNMENT 6

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# EDGE DETECTION

# EDGE DETECTION CODE

```
1 % read the image and take its gray representation
2 T = rgb2gray(imread('./dataset/2_13_s.bmp'));
3
4 % ----- Filtering
5 % Reduce possible noise in the image
6 % Trade-off between edge strength and noise reduction
7 GF = getfilter('gaussian');
8 TGF = convolution(T, GF);
9
10 % ----- Enhancement
11 % Determine changes in intensity in the neighbourhood of a point
12 % Compute the gradient magnitude, using the gradients along X-Y
13 SFX = getfilter('sobel', 'X');
14 SFY = getfilter('sobel', 'Y');
15 TSFX = convolution(T, SFX);
16 TSFY = convolution(T, SFY);
17 MTSF = uint8(sqrt(double((TSFX.^2)+(TSFY.^2))));
18
19 % ----- Detection
20 % Filter out only strong edges
21 RMTSF = rescale(MTSF,'InputMin',0,'InputMax',255);
22 threshold = 180/255;
23 TRMTSF = RMTSF;
24 TRMTSF(RMTSF < threshold) = 0;
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# GETFILTER CODE

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1 function [F] = getfilter(varargin)
2 %GETFILTER Return the requested filter
3 % Give the name of the filter return the matrix of its representation.
4 % This version produces filters of default size [3x3].
5 % Certain parameters only apply to certain filters.
6 %Input:
7 % - FN : string, filter name
8 % - A : string, for gradient filters specify the axis (X, Y)
9 % - S : float, for gaussian filter specify standard deviation
10 % - N : integer, specify filter dimension
11 %Output:
12 % - F : NxN matrix representing the filter
13
14 % input checking
15 [FN, A, S, N] = parseparameters(varargin{:});
16 % Assign to F the correct filter
17 switch FN
18     case 'roberts'
19         if A == 'X'; F = [1 0 ; 0 -1]; else; F = [0 -1 ; 1 0]; end
20     case 'sobel'
21         if A == 'X'; F = [1 0 -1; 2 0 -2; 1 0 -1]; else; F = [1 2 1; 0 0 0; -1 -2 -1]; end
22     case 'prewitt'
23         if A == 'X'; F = [-1 0 1; -1 0 1; -1 0 1]; else; F = [1 1 1; 0 0 0; -1 -1 -1]; end
24     case 'average'
25         F = ones(N)/(N*N);
26     case 'gaussian'
27         r = N;c = N;
28         [row, col] = meshgrid(-(r-1)/2:(r-1)/2, -(c-1)/2:(c-1)/2);
29         F = exp(-(row.^2+col.^2)/(2*S^2));
30         F = F./sum(F(:));
31     case 'log' % Laplacian of Gaussian
32         % gaussian filter
33         r = N;c = N;
34         [row, col] = meshgrid(-(r-1)/2:(r-1)/2, -(c-1)/2:(c-1)/2);
35         F = exp(-(row.^2+col.^2)/(2*S^2));
36         F = F./sum(F(:));
37         % laplacian filter
38         F1 = F.*((row.*row + col.*col - 2*S^2)/(S^4));
39         F = F1 - sum(F1(:))/prod(r*c);
40     end
41 end
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# CONVOLUTION CODE

```
1 function [C] = convolution(I, K, P)
2 %CONVOLUTION Compute 2D-Convolution between an image I and kernel K
3 % Computes convolution between the Image and the Kernel. If provided the
4 % algorithm uses Matlab ParPool to compute the result.
5 %Input:
6 % - I : matrix [ N x M ], Image
7 % - K : matrix [ N x N ], Kernel
8 % - P : boolean, parallel computation
9 %Output:
10 % - C : Convolution Matrix
11
12 % cast I to int32 to avoid data type problems during computation
13 I = cast(I, 'int32');
14
15 % Create result matrix
16 [IR,IC] = size(I);
17 [KR,KC] = size(K);
18 C = zeros(1, IR*IC);
19
20 % Compute padding of original image (replicate)
21 Xpad = floor(KR/2);
22 Ypad = floor(KC/2);
23 upad = repmat(I(1, :), Xpad, 1);
24 bpad = repmat(I(end, :), Xpad, 1);
25 PI = [upad ; I ; bpad];
26 lpad = repmat(PI(:, 1), 1, Ypad);
27 rpad = repmat(PI(:, end), 1, Ypad);
28 PI = [lpad PI rpad];
29 [~, PIC] = size(PI);
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31 % linearize the matrixes for better parrallel computation
32 LPI = reshape(PI', 1, []);
33 LK = reshape(K', 1, []);
34 % reverse the kernel
35 LK = flip(LK);
36
37 % Compute convolution
38 if P
39     parfor index=0:IR*IC-1
40         C(index+1) = computeconv(index, IC, PIC, LPI, KR, KC, LK, Xpad, Ypad);
41     end
42 else
43     for index=0:IR*IC-1
44         C(index+1) = computeconv(index, IC, PIC, LPI, KR, KC, LK, Xpad, Ypad);
45     end
46 end
47
48 % un-linearize C
49 C = reshape(C, [IC, IR])';
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```
1 function[sum] = computeconv(index, IC, PIC, LPI, KR, KC, LK, XP, YP)
2     x = floor(index/IC);
3     y = mod(index, IC);
4     sum = 0;
5     for i=0:KR-1
6         for j=0:KC-1
7             ImX = x + i - floor(KR/2);
8             ImY = y + j - floor(KC/2);
9             sum = sum + LK(i*KR+j+1)*LPI((ImX+XP)*PIC+ImY+YP+1);
10        end
11    end
12 end
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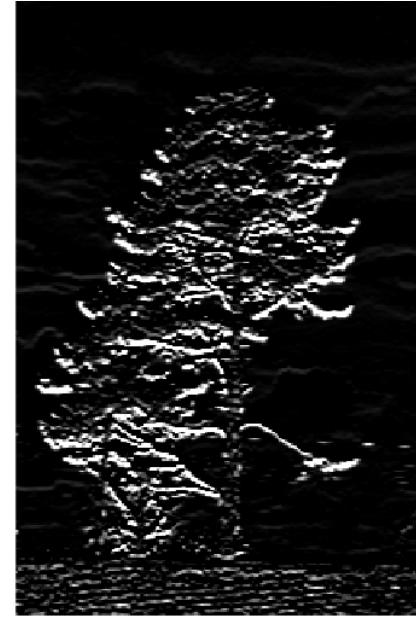
# TREE



ORIGINAL



SOBEL GRADIENT X



SOBEL GRADIENT Y

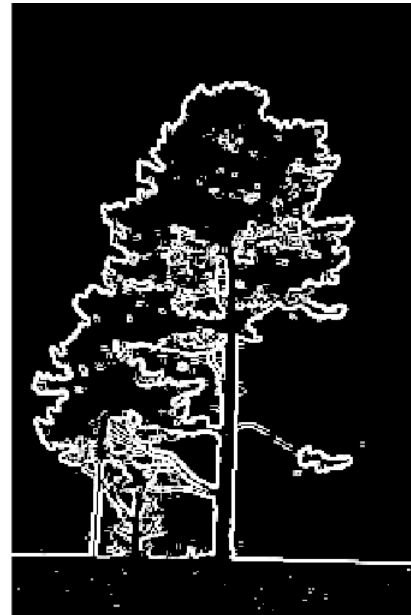


SOBEL GRADIENT MAGNITUDE

ROBERTS



PREWITT



SOBEL



# FACE



ORIGINAL



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PREWITT



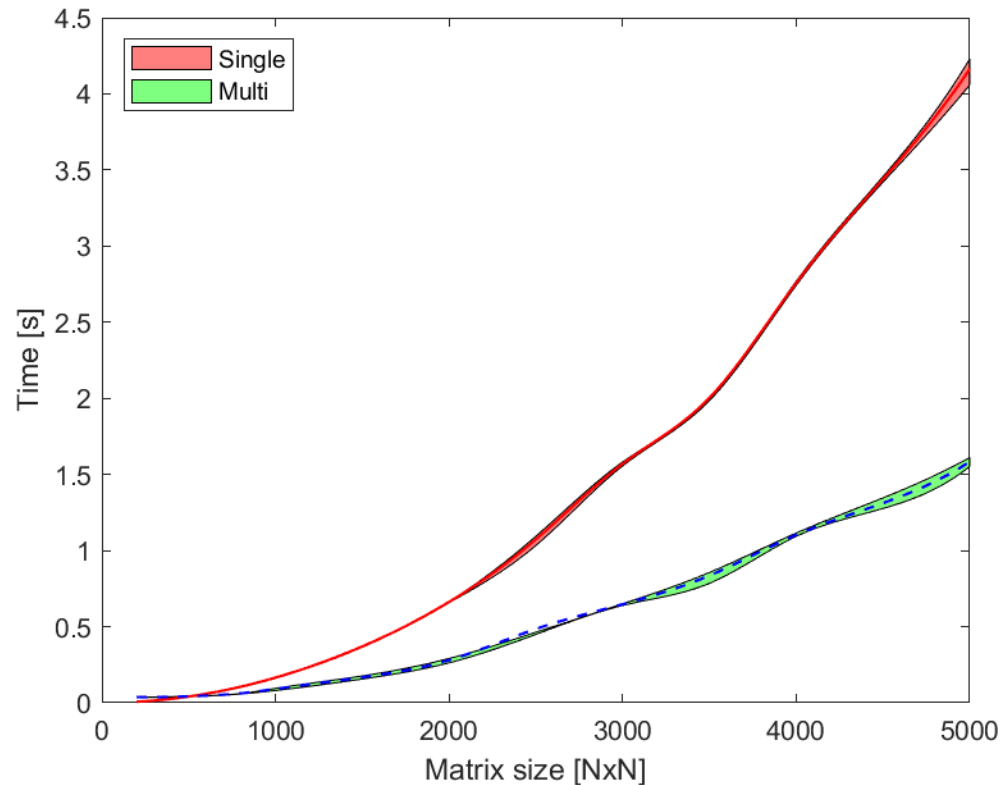
SOBEL



# CAN WE IMPROVE?

## COMPUTATIONAL POINT OF VIEW

Use parallel computation to compute convolution of different cells at the same time.



## MODEL POINT OF VIEW

We have seen only filters that compute the gradient, so they consider only the first derivative information.

*What if, we try to exploit second derivative information?*  
**Laplacian of Gaussian**

