Algorithm for Implementing Lee and Gradient-Inverse filter using MATLAB

To load an image

>> ***begin***

>>browse for path and select an image ***input_image(i,j)***;

#In MATLAB image is stored as 2-D matrix.

>>compute ***image_size***;

#Required for padding image

>>show it in user-interface;

>>***end***

To implement Lee filter

>>***begin***

>>Select the ***kernel size***;

>>Obtain weight of center pixel ***weight_function***;

*# for a 3*3 kernel, value of center pixel will be defined by 8 neighborhood pixels*

>>***Repeat***

#Kernel will traverse through whole image

>> ***Mean***= Mean of all elements of kernel at a position;

>>***output_image***= ***Mean***+(***weight_function****(***input_image***- ***Mean***));

>>Show ***output_image***;

>>***end***

>>***end***

To implement Gradient-Inverse filter

>>***begin***

>>Select the ***kernel size***;

>>***Repeat***

>>***If***

input_image(i+k,j+l) ~= ***input_image(i,j)***

u(i,j,k,l) = 1/(| ***input_image(i+k,j+l) -input_image(i,j)***|;

#Traversing through each neighbor and through whole image.

>>***Else***

u(i,j,k,l) = 2.0

>>End

>>End

>>Obtain weight of center pixel ***weight_center***;

#Weight can be any arbitrary value. Generally, it is takes as 0.5. Here, it is obtained as user input.

>>***Repeat***

>>***h(I,j,k,l)***= ***weight_function*** * ***(u(I,j,k,l)/ sum of all elements in window)***;

>>***output_image*** = ***convolution of h(I,j,k,l) and f(i,j)***;

>>***end***

>>Show ***output_image***;

>>***end***

To compare both outputs

>>***begin***

>>compute histograms of both the output images;

>>show images and their histograms in a single screen;

#Histogram shows the number of pixels in a particular gray-level.

>>***end***