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Homework Assignment H2

Problem 1 (Cooccurrence Matrices)

8 Points

Compute the cooccurrence matrix of the 4×4 image

0	3	2	1
1	1	3	2
0	0	2	1
3	0	1	0

with $\mathbf{d} = (-1, -1)^{\mathsf{T}}$. Assume that the x-axis points to the right and the y-axis downwards.

- a) Determine the highest probability as well as the contrast of the cooccurrence matrix.
- b) Assume $\mathbf{d} = (1,1)^{\top}$. Would this yield the same highest probability? Would it yield the same contrast? You may either compute the solution or answer with logical arguments.

Problem 2 (Lucas and Kanade)

8 Points

Minimising the local energy that corresponds to the approach of Lucas and Kanade requires to solve the following linear system of equations:

$$\left(\begin{array}{cc} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \end{array}\right) \left(\begin{array}{c} u \\ v \end{array}\right) = \left(\begin{array}{c} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{array}\right) ,$$

with the abbreviations

$$a_{11} = \int_{B_{\rho}} f_x^2 \, dx dy \,, \qquad b_1 = -\int_{B_{\rho}} f_x f_z \, dx dy \,,$$

$$a_{12} = \int_{B_{\rho}} f_x f_y \, dx dy \,, \qquad b_2 = -\int_{B_{\rho}} f_y f_z \, dx dy \,,$$

$$a_{22} = \int_{B_{\rho}} f_y^2 \, dx dy \,.$$

Derive closed form solutions for the unknowns u and v, i.e. come up with formulae how to compute u and v from $a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}, b_1$ and b_2 .

Hint: Use Cramer's rule: For a linear system $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$, the components of \mathbf{x} are given by

$$x_i = \frac{\det\left(\mathbf{A}_{i \to \mathbf{b}}\right)}{\det\left(\mathbf{A}\right)} \;,$$

where $\mathbf{A}_{i\to\mathbf{b}}$ is obtained by replacing column *i* in matrix \mathbf{A} by vector \mathbf{b} .

Problem 3 (Lucas and Kanade)

8 Points

Please download the required file $cv13_ex03.tgz$ from the lecture webpage. To unpack the data, use $tar xvfz cv13_ex03.tgz$.

The programme lkTemplate.c should be extended to the method of Lucas and Kanade. Starting the program with two frames of a sequence yield two output images: the magnitude of the optic flow and a flow classification. This classification distinguishes three cases:

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no information (black) – only normal flow (grey) – full flow (white)
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- (a) In the method create_eq_systems, supplement the missing code such that it computes the entries of the linear system of equations solved in the Lucas/Kanade approach.
- (b) The aim of the method lucas_kanade is to reuse the entries calculated before and to solve the linear system of equations. The method should distinguishe the three cases given above. The normal flow or the full flow should be calculated if possible, otherwise u and v should be set to zero. Supplement the missing code. You can use the result from Problem 2 to compute the full flow, if possible.
- (c) Compile the program using gcc -03 older lkTemplate.c -lm and test the program with the image pairs pig1,2.pgm and sphere1,2.pgm. What is the influence of the integration scale ρ ? You can use a threshold $\varepsilon = 0.1$ for testing.

Submission:

The theoretical Problems 1 and 2 have to be submitted in handwritten form before the next tutorial (November 21). For the practical Problem 3, please submit you files as follows: Rename the main directory cv13_ex03 to cv13_ex03_<your_name> and use the command

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tar cvfz cv13_ex03_<your_name>.tgz cv13_ex03_<your_name>
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to pack the data. The directory that you pack should contain the following files:

- the source code of Problem 3
- the created images of part (c) for at least two different values of ρ (eight images)
- a text file readme.txt that contains
 - information on all people working together for this assignment
 - selected parameters for part (c)
 - answers to the question in part (c)

Please make sure that only the final version of the code files and the images are included. Submit the archive via e-mail to your tutor via the address volz@vis.uni-stuttgart.de.

Deadline for Submission is Tuesday, November 21th, 2:00 pm (before the tutorial)

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Classroom Assignment C3

Problem 1 (Affine Lucas and Kanade)

Derive the matrix $J_0 = \mathbf{r} \ \mathbf{r}^{\top}$ for the affine Lucas and Kanade model.