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# Basic Image Operations

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# pixel operation

- 点操作 (Point operation)
- 代数操作 (Algebraic operation)
- 几何操作 (Geometric operation)

# Point Operation

- Point operation:
  - Output pixel's gray level depends only upon the gray level of the corresponding input pixel.
  - Contrast enhancement; contrast stretching; gray scale transformation;
  - pixel-by-pixel copying operations, except that the gray levels are modified according to the transformation function.

$$B(x,y) = f[A(x,y)]$$

# Point Operation

- **Linear point operations:**

$$D_B = f(D_A) = aD_A + b$$

$a > 1$ : contrast increased;  $0 < a < 1$ : contrast reduced

$a = 1$  &  $b \neq 0$ : shift gray level;  $a < 0$ : reverse the contrast.

- **Nonlinear monotonic point operations:**

$$f(x) = x + Cx(D_m - x)$$

$D_m$ : *maximum gray level;*

$C$ : *determine the amount of increase ( $C > 0$ ) or decrease ( $C < 0$ ) in the midlevel gray range.*

# Application

- Photometric calibration
- Contrast enhancement
- thresholding
- Contour lines
- clipping

# Algebraic operation

- Algebraic operation:
  - Produce an output image which is the pixel-by-pixel sum, difference, product, or quotient of two or more images.
  - If one of the input image is a constant, it can be treated as a linear point operation.

# Definition

- The four algebraic image-processing operations are expressed mathematically as:

$$C(x,y) = A(x,y) + B(x,y)$$

$$C(x,y) = A(x,y) - B(x,y)$$

$$C(x,y) = A(x,y) \times B(x,y)$$

$$C(x,y) = A(x,y) \div B(x,y)$$

Where,  $A(x,y)$  and  $B(x,y)$  are the input images

$C(x,y)$  is the output image.

# Application

- Image Addition:
  - Averaging for noise reduction
  - *Double-exposure* effect
- Image Subtraction:
  - Background subtraction
  - Motion detection
  - Gradient magnitude
- Multiplication and division



# Geometric Operation

- Geometric operation:
  - Change the spatial relationships among the objects in an image.
  - Moving things around within the image.
  - Two algorithms are required:
    1. Spatial transformation
    2. Gray level interpolation

# Transformation

- Simple transform:
  - Suppose the coordinate before and after the transform are  $(x,y)$  and  $(x',y')$

- Translation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{bmatrix}$$

- Rotation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

# Transformation

- Scale change: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

- Order of transform

- Translation followed by scale change

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = k \left( \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} kx + k\Delta x \\ ky + k\Delta y \end{bmatrix}$$

- Scale change followed by translation

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} kx + \Delta x \\ ky + \Delta y \end{bmatrix}$$

# Typical Transformations

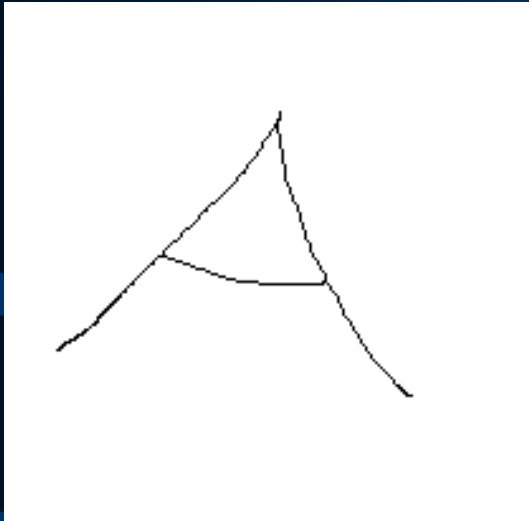
- Scale change followed by rotation

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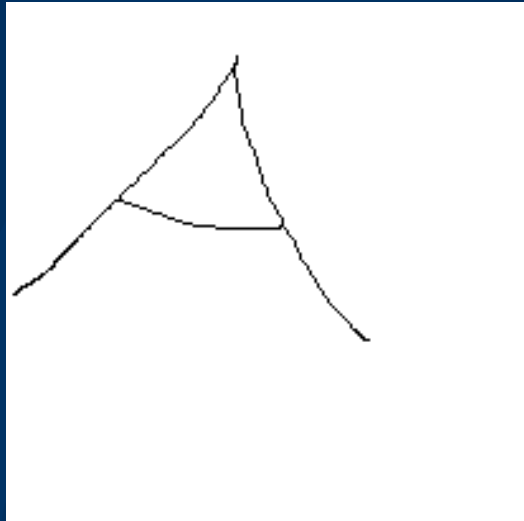
- Rotation followed by scale change

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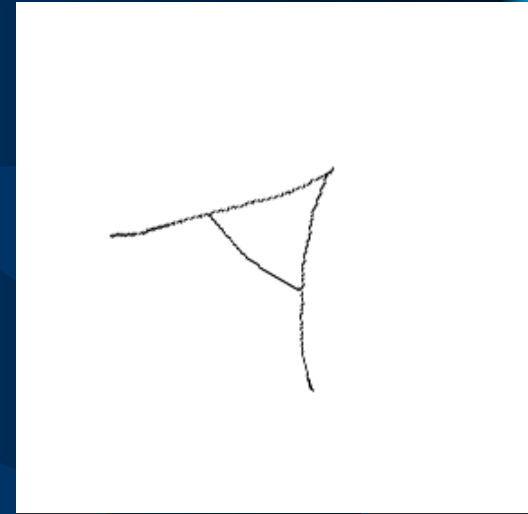
# Application



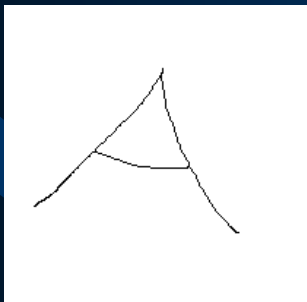
Original



Translation



Rotation ( $30^{\circ}$ )



Scale change (60%)

# Interpolation Algorithm

- Nearest Neighbor Interpolation:
- Bilinear Interpolation (square interpolation):  
see detail at pp.118~119
- Higher Order Interpolation:
  - 样条函数 (B-Spline)
  - 多项式函数 (Polynomials)

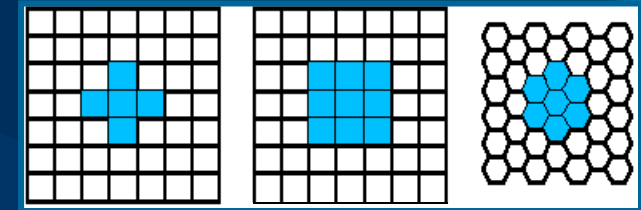
# Neighbourhood Operators

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# Neighbourhood Operators

- Pixel Connectivity:

for a pixel  $P(x,y)$



- ❖ 4-neighbours:

$$N_4(P) = \{(x+1,y), (x-1,y), (x,y+1), (x,y-1)\}$$

- ❖ 8-neighbours :

$$N_8(P) = N_4(P) \cup \{(x+1,y+1), (x+1,y-1), \\ (x-1,y+1), (x-1,y-1)\}$$

- ❖ 4(8)-connected:

two pixels within  $N_4(P)$  or  $N_8(P)$



# Connected Component Labeling

- Connected components labeling:
  - groups the pixels in an image into components based on pixel connectivity
  - Labels components with a gray level or a color (color labeling)
- Connected component labeling works by scanning an image, pixel-by-pixel (from top to bottom and left to right) in order to identify connected pixel regions
- Intensity criterion(IC): the same set of intensity values ( 1 for a binary image; a value range for a gray level image)



# Labeling Algorithm

- Labeling algorithm: for a pixel  $P$  satisfy IC
  1. Step 1 (First Scan):
    - ❖ If all neighbors do not satisfy IC, assign a new label to  $P$
    - ❖ if only one neighbor satisfy IC, assign its label to  $P$
    - ❖ if one or more of the neighbors satisfy IC, assign one of the labels to  $P$  and make a note of the equivalences.
  2. Step2 (Resolve equivalence) : The equivalent label pairs are sorted into equivalence classes by a equivalence resolve algorithm ( e.g. Floyd-Warshall algorithm) and a unique label is assigned to each class
  3. Step3 (Second scan) : Each label is replaced by the label assigned to its equivalence classes

# Labeling Algorithm

- Examples:

%banner S	Labels	%banner C	Labels
#####	00000	#####	00000
# #	1 2	# #	1 2
#	1	#	1
#####	33333	#	1
# #	4 4	#	1
# #	5 4	# #	1 3
#####	66666	#####	44444



# Region Property

- Region Properties are important features for the region analysis (or measurement) after the regions have been labeled (segmented)
- Region Properties:
  - ❖ Perimeter and Area
  - ❖ Center, Radius and Diameter
  - ❖ Centroid Moments and Orientation
  - ❖ Extreme Points and Curvature
  - ❖ Intensity Properties

# Region Property

- Perimeter and Area:

- ❖ Perimeter: The length of the contour of a connected component (region).

- calculated from the chain-code of the contour, or
    - estimated by the number of pixels on the contour.

- ❖ Area: The number of unit squares contained.

- Pick's formula:  $A(P) = n_I + n_B/2 - 1$

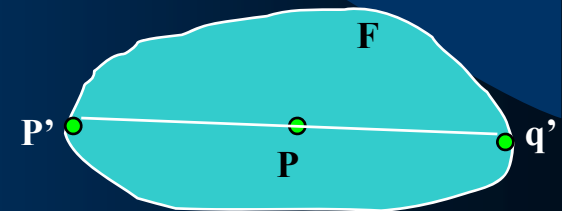
- $n_I, n_B$  : number of interior points or the points lie on borders, respectively.

# Region Property

- Center, Radius and Diameter :
  - ❖ Eccentricity of a point  $P$  in  $F$  is the maximum of distance  $d(p,q)$  for all points  $q \in F$ :

$$ecc(p) = \max d(p,q) \mid q \in F$$

- ❖ Center: The set of points  $P$  of *least eccentricity*
- ❖ Radius: The value of the *least eccentricity*  $d(p,p')$
- ❖ Diameter: The value of the *greatest eccentricity*  $d(p',q')$



# Region Property

- Centroid Moments and Orientation:

- ❖ Centroid: Given  $F$ , a set of  $n$  connected pixels  $(x_i, y_i)$ , we can define a centroid  $c$  as:

$$x_c = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \quad y_c = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i$$

- ❖ Moments: The discrete  $(k,l)$ -order central moment is defined as:

$$\mu_{k,l} = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - x_c)^k (y_i - y_c)^l$$

- ❖ Orientation: Orientation is defined here as an angle  $\theta$  :

$$\theta = \frac{1}{2} \arctan \left( \frac{2\mu_{1,1}}{\mu_{2,0} - \mu_{0,2}} \right)$$

# Projects

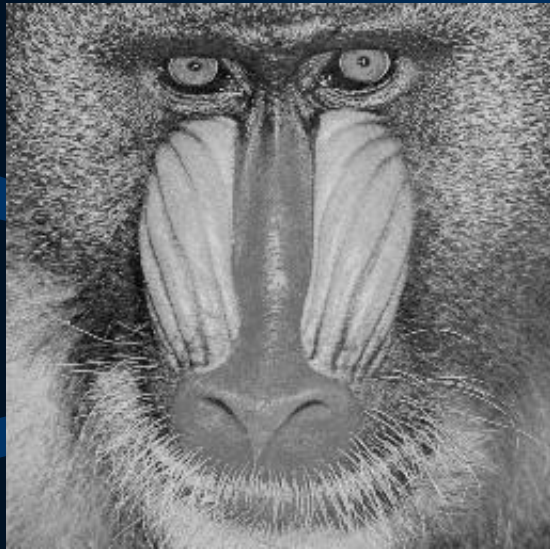
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# Project -1

- Histogram and threshold:
  - Requirement:
    - Program to realize Histogram analysis and threshold operation
    - Design UI and function buttons
    - Threshold operation can be manual or automatic (Otsu and Entropy)
  - Choose your favorite language

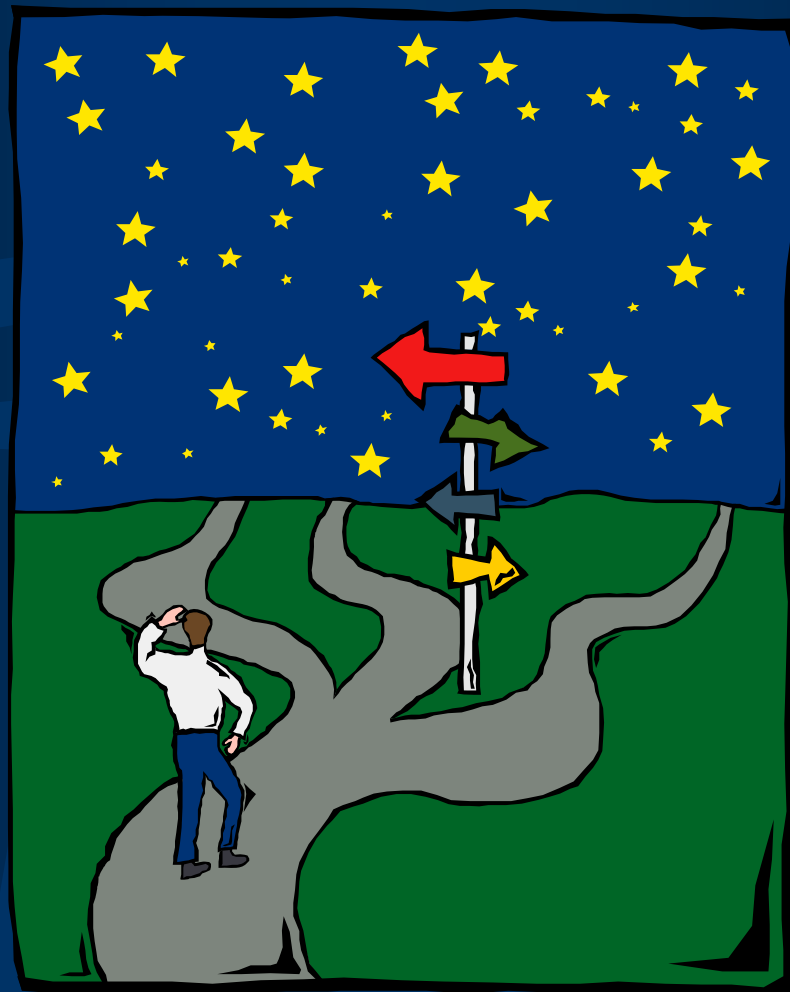
# Classic Image Samples



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# Discussion



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