Hadamard Submatrix

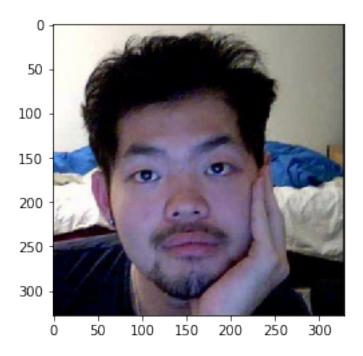
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0.1 Problem

What happens when you start with a matrix M, and you define $M'_{\{ij\}}$ to be the Hadamard product (sum of the element products) of M by a matrix which is mostly 0 except for a 3x3 submatrix of all (1/9) centered around (i,j)? (this is simultaneously done for all i, j. Yikes!) Test your hypothesis by doing it to an image file of your face.

0.1.1 Setup

Import libraries and load the image.



We have a 328x328 image with 3 color channels, dtype is unsigned 8 bit integer.

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In [3]: type(image_tensor), image_tensor.shape, image_tensor.dtype
Out[3]: (numpy.ndarray, (328, 328, 3), dtype('uint8'))
In [4]: w = image_tensor.shape[0]
        h = image_tensor.shape[1]
        D = image_tensor.shape[2]
In [5]: # twobytwo = image_tensor[0:2,0:2,0] * 1/4
        # print(twobytwo)
        # np.sum(twobytwo)
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0.1.2 Create a function to apply the transformation

For each pixel in the image, apply the transformation individually on each rgb layer. Note that values are capped at 255.

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In [6]: def apply_transformation(size):
    """

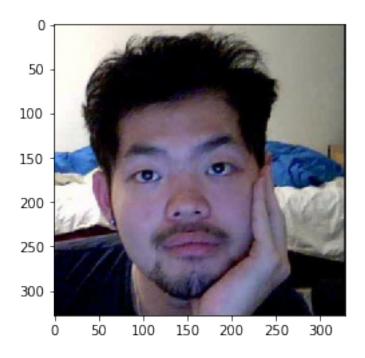
    Applies a transformation to each pixel by averaging from pixels in its surrounding
    size: size of the matrix, positive odd integer. if even, will effectively round up
    """

    margin = int(size/2)
    transformed = np.zeros(image_tensor.shape, dtype=np.uint8) # setting dtype=np.uint
    for x in range(w):
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for y in range(h):
                    # define the region to sample from
                    x_min = x-margin if x-margin >= 0 else 0
                    x_max = x+margin+1 if x+margin+1 < w else w</pre>
                    y_min = y-margin if y-margin >= 0 else 0
                    y_max = y+margin+1 if y+margin+1 < h else h</pre>
                    factor = 1 / ((x_max - x_min) * (y_max-y_min)) # set the factor to properl
                    # apply the transformation per rgb layer
                    layers = []
                    for z in range(D):
                        submatrix = np.sum(image_tensor[x_min:x_max, y_min:y_max, z] * factor)
        #
                          print(submatrix) DEBUG
                        # cap the value at 255
                        submatrix = np.clip(submatrix, 0, 255)
                        layers.append(submatrix)
                    transformed[x_min:x_max, y_min:y_max] = np.asarray(layers)
            return transformed
In [7]: # def save_image(image, size, fa3ctor):
              "Saves an image with the filename transform_sizexsize_1-factor"
        #
              filename = f'transform_{size}x{size}_1-{1/factor}.jpg'
              savable = Image.fromarray(image, 'RGB')
              image.save(savable)
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0.1.3 Try the transformation with different parameters.

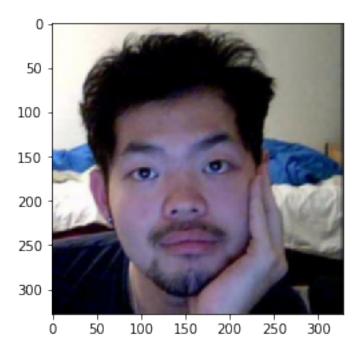
A transformation with submatrix size 1 should return back the same image.



Nice. How about for size 3?

In [9]: three = apply_transformation(3)
 imshow(three)

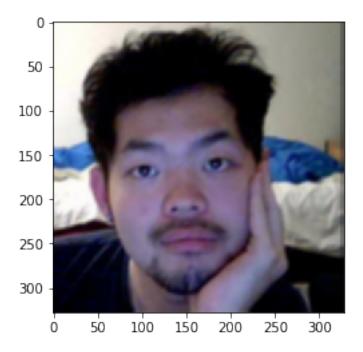
Out[9]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f16f6d33c18>



Hm... not much difference. What if we go bigger?

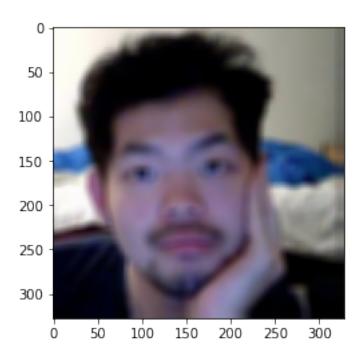
In [10]: five = apply_transformation(5)
 imshow(five)

Out[10]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f16f6c99080>



In [11]: eleven = apply_transformation(11)
 imshow(eleven)

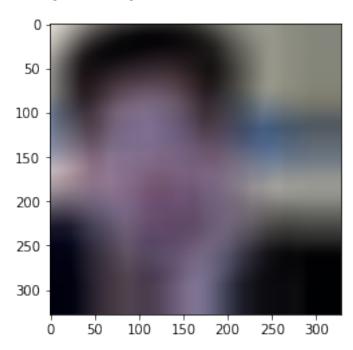
Out[11]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f16f6c7b400>



We're starting to get some significant results!

In [12]: imshow(apply_transformation(65))

Out[12]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f16f6bd7860>



Conclusion: The transformation blurs the image. Win!