

Task Progress Update Report

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1. Overview of Assigned Tasks

Task 1: Line Information Box for Detect and Remove Line function

- **Objective:** Display information about detected and removed lines to facilitate tracking of total lines detected and removed.
- **Current Status: Completed**
- **Details:**
 - The detected lines display includes coordinates, width, and line type (e.g., isolated or within-object lines).
 - The removed lines display includes details such as the removal method, line types, initial quantity of lines, removed line data, remaining line data, and a summary of remaining lines.
- **Image:**

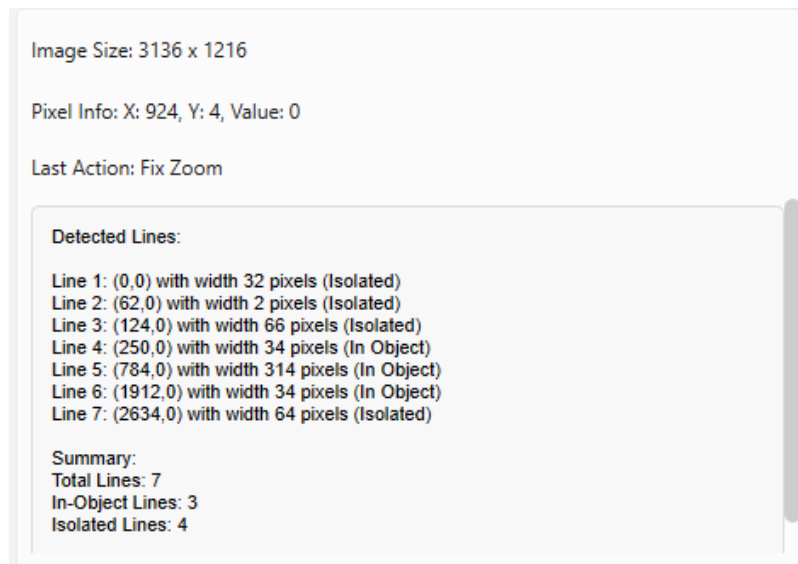


Figure 1.1 The line information box when detecting the lines

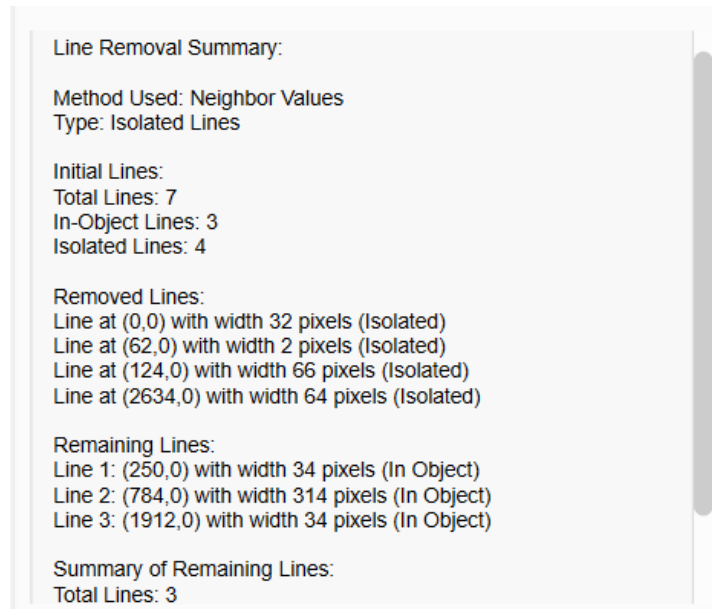


Figure 1.2 Line information box after removed line

Task 2: Remove Line Method

- **Objective:** Enable removal of lines with larger widths through a direct stitch method.
- **Current Status:** Completed
- **Details:**
 - The function now supports two removal methods:
 - **Use Neighbor Values:** Detects line width automatically and dynamically sets the `SEARCH_RADIUS` to 1.5 times the actual line width, ensuring that neighboring values are replaced efficiently.
 - **Direct Stitch:** Removes the line directly, decreasing the image size if it exceeds a specific width (recommended for wide images).
 - Users can select line types, removal methods, and specific lines to process (applicable for in-object lines):

- **For Neighbor Values:** Users can select individual lines or use the “Select All Lines” option.
- **For Direct Stitch:** Only a single line can be processed at once to avoid affecting the output quality.

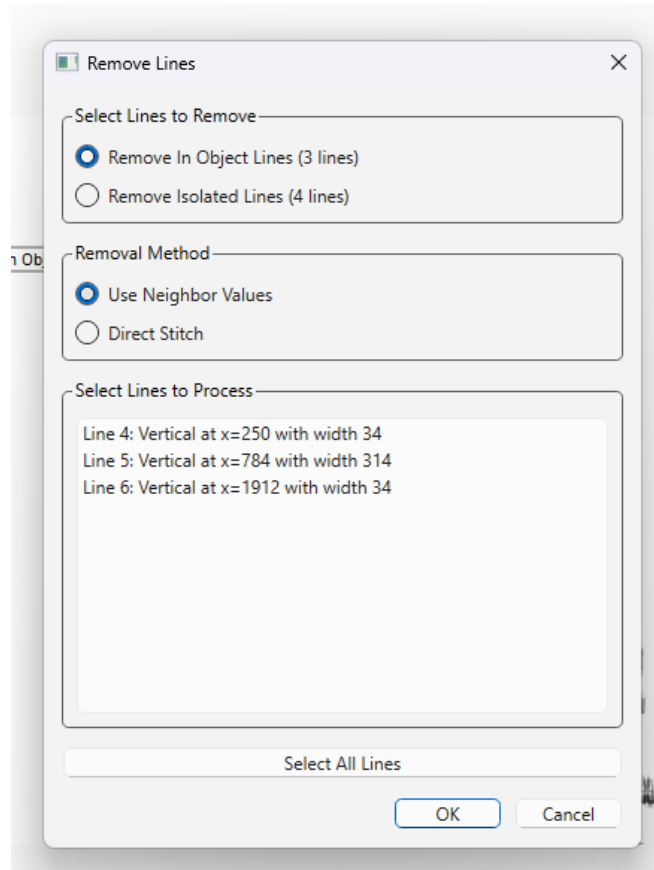


Figure 1.3 Control Panel for Removing Line

Task 3: Zoom Mode Updating

- **Objective:** Allow users to zoom in or out, fix the image at a specific zoom level, and view processing results without scrolling.
- **Current Status:** Completed
- **Details:**
 - Implemented zoom functionality with zoom-in, zoom-out, and reset features. When zoom mode is active, other process buttons are disabled to prevent conflicts.
 - Once zoom mode is fixed, users can proceed with processing at the desired zoom level.
 - Visual cues for zoom status: “Zoom” button changes to blue when activated and red when fixed; “Fix Zoom” button also changes to blue when fixed. These indicators help users easily identify the current zoom status.
- **Image:**

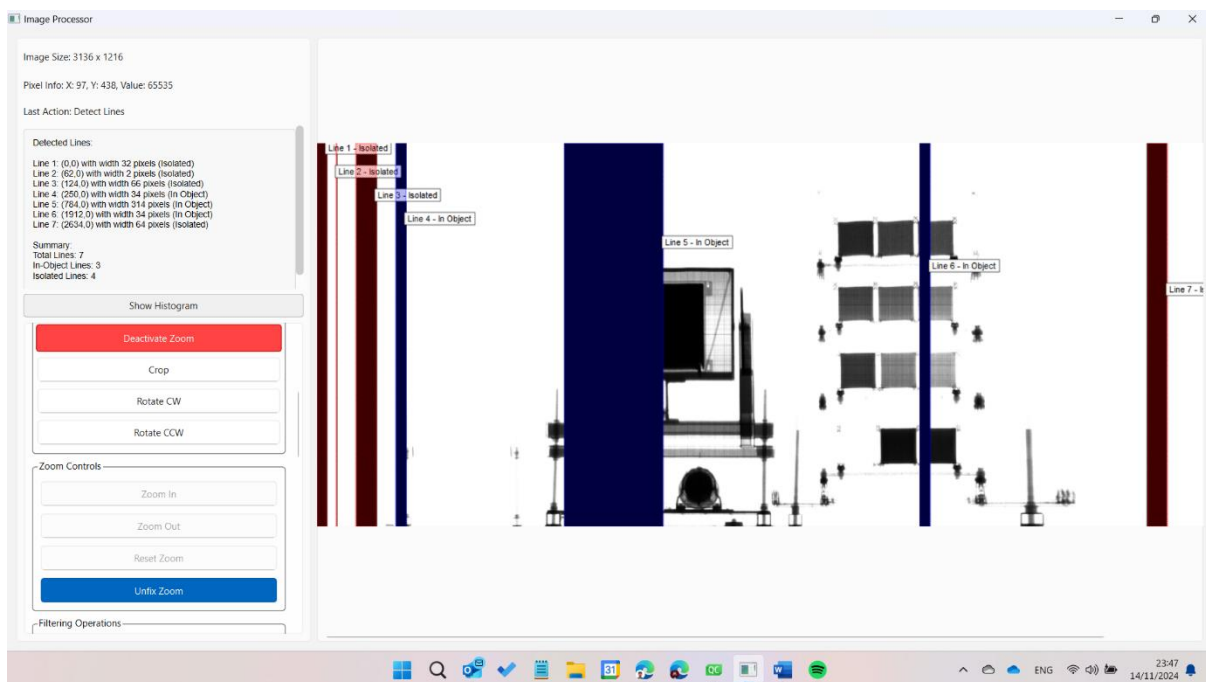


Figure 1.4 Zoom Mode and Detect Line function

Task 4: Restructure Detect and Remove line into double 2D Pointer method

- **Objective:** Enhance the detect and remove line function by integrating a double 2D pointer structure and incorporating it into the existing system.
- **Current Status:** In Progress
- **Details:**
 - The function has been restructured into `ImageData`, a struct for storing double 2D pointers and integer values for rows and columns.
 - Successfully integrated the current detect and remove functionality.
 - Output remains consistent with the previous implementation.
 - Dark lines are stored using a vector; confirmation on this storage approach is pending.

2. Roadblocks/Challenges

- `updateImageDisplay()` Reconstruction: Required to modify `updateImageDisplay()` to accommodate the detected line functionality in a new method, as the detected line label size was affected.
- Pointer Linkage Issues: Encountered frequent crashes due to pointer linkage with the control panel.
- Zoom Button Color Change: Initial challenges with color change for zoom buttons were resolved by implementing a logic-based approach to detect button names, enabling accurate color changes.
- Control Panel Testing: Multiple tests are necessary to ensure smooth functionality of the Control Panel for removing lines, along with verifying the processing logic to maintain image integrity.

3. Conclusion

- Successfully implemented enhancements for line detection and removal, including a detailed line information display.
- Refined line removal methods to support both neighbor-value replacement and direct stitch, expanding versatility for different line types and widths.
- Updated zoom mode to allow users to fix the zoom level during processing, with clear visual indicators for zoom status.

- Overcame challenges related to:
 - **updateImageDisplay()** adjustments for new line detection methods,
 - Pointer linkage issues causing crashes,
 - Zoom button color change inconsistencies, and
 - Control panel testing for line removal functions.
- Remaining tasks include finalizing the 2D pointer-based approach for line detection and removal and conducting additional tests to ensure performance and user-friendliness.