



# Signals Analysis Project 2024

## Image Compression & Decompression

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# Chapter 1

## Extract Colors Channels

We extracted every channel separately and got the following results:

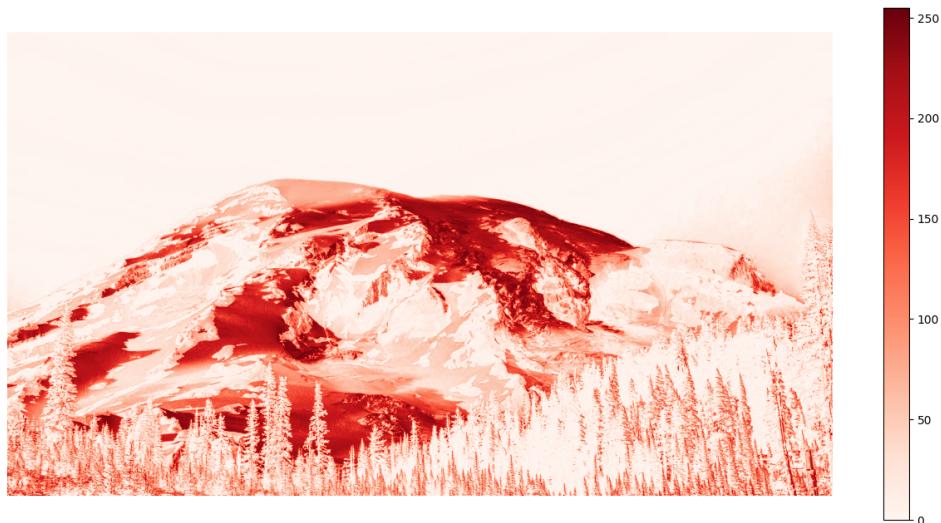


Figure 1.1: R component

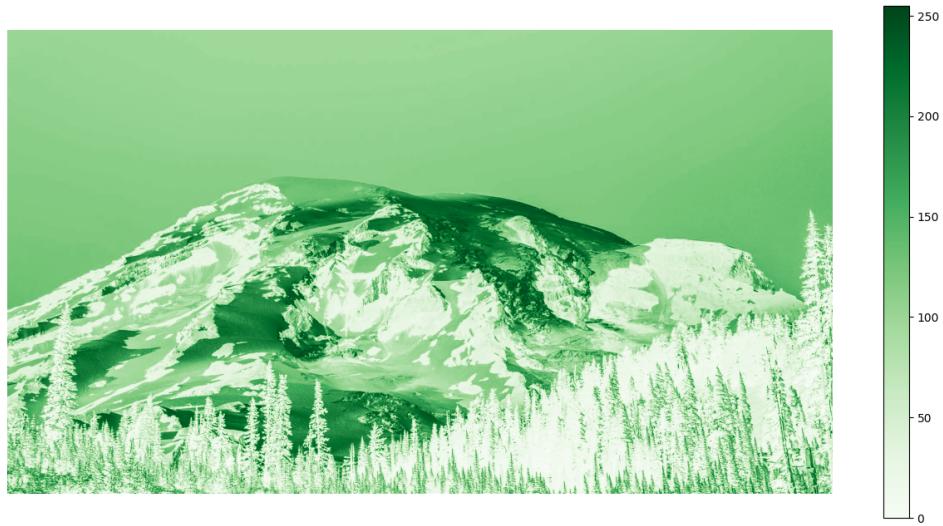


Figure 1.2: G component



Figure 1.3: B component

# Chapter 2

## Image Processing

### 2.1 Compressing & Decompressing

#### 2.1.1 2D DCT Formula

$$C(u, v) = a_u a_v \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} c(u, v) \cos\left(\frac{2x+1}{2M} u\pi\right) \cos\left(\frac{2y+1}{2N} v\pi\right) \quad (2.1)$$

where  $0 \leq u \leq M - 1$  and  $0 \leq v \leq N - 1$ .

The formula for  $a_u$  is given by:

$$a_u = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}, & \text{if } u = 0 \\ \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}}, & \text{if } 1 \leq u \leq N - 1 \end{cases} \quad (2.2)$$

Similar for  $a_v$

#### 2.1.2 Inverse 2D DCT Formula

$$c(u, v) = \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} a_u a_v C(u, v) \cos\left(\frac{2x+1}{2M} u\pi\right) \cos\left(\frac{2y+1}{2N} v\pi\right) \quad (2.3)$$

where  $0 \leq u \leq M - 1$  and  $0 \leq v \leq N - 1$ .

The formula for  $a_u$  is given by:

$$a_u = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}, & \text{if } u = 0 \\ \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}}, & \text{if } 1 \leq u \leq N - 1 \end{cases} \quad (2.4)$$

Similar for  $a_v$

### 2.1.3 Results

We handle every color channel within the image matrix as a set of 8x8 pixels blocks. Applying the 2D Discrete Cosine Transform (2D DCT) on each block enables us to isolate the lower frequencies. Consequently, we can disregard the remaining frequencies and solely retain the significant ones for storage. Then, we perform the inverse 2D DCT to obtain the decompressed images for every value of  $m$  (1, 2, 3, 4) and got the following results:



Figure 2.1: Decompressed Image For  $m = 1$



Figure 2.2: Decompressed Image For  $m = 2$



Figure 2.3: Decompressed Image For  $m = 3$



Figure 2.4: Decompressed Image For  $m = 4$

## 2.1.4 PSNR

Table 2.1: PSNR

M value	PSNR in dB
m=1	19.86
m=2	21.91
m=3	23.77
m=4	25.94

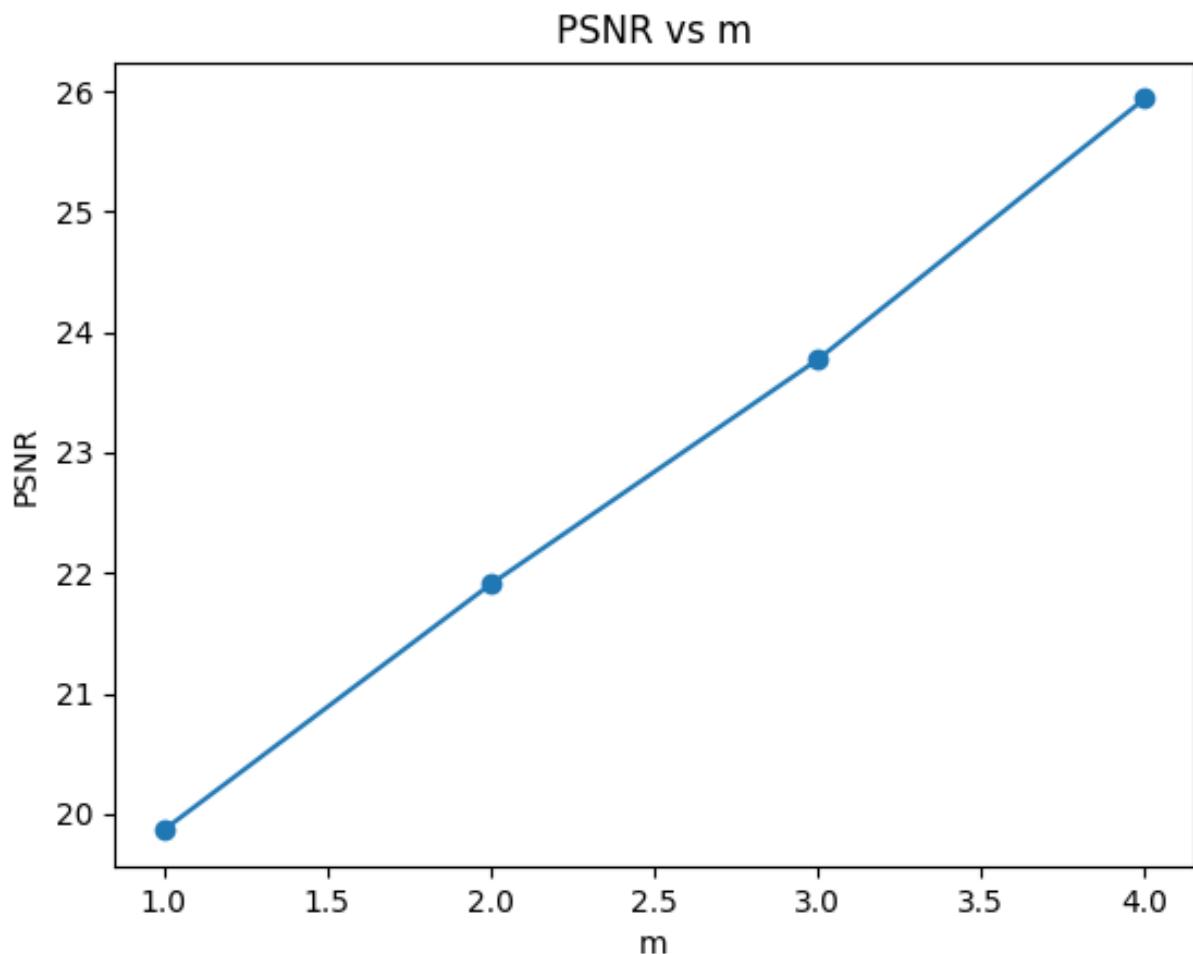


Figure 2.5: PSNR vs m

### 2.1.5 Compare Sizes

Table 2.2: Sizes Table

File	Size In Bytes	Size Ratio
Original image	3588902	1
Compressed image (m=1)	139871	0.03897
Compressed image (m=2)	454405	0.12661
Compressed image (m=3)	856028	0.23852
Compressed image (m=4)	1375337	0.38321

# Appendix A

## Appendix

### A.1 Code

```
1 #!/usr/bin/python3
2 """Image Compression using DCT for signals course."""
3 # ===== IMPORTS =====
4 # ===== FUNCTIONS =====
5
6 import os # file size comparison
7 import cv2 # image reading showing writing etc
8 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # plotting
9 import numpy as np # array / image manipulation
10 from scipy.fft import dctn, idctn # DCT and IDCT
11
12 # ===== FUNCTIONS =====
13
14
15 # ===== FUNCTIONS =====
16 # ===== FUNCTIONS =====
17 # ===== FUNCTIONS =====
18 def process_image(image, m):
19     """
20         Compresses and Decompresses an image by applying 2D DCT and retaining top-left coefficients.
21
22     Args:
23         image: The image as a NumPy array.
24         m: The number of top-left coefficients to retain.
25
26     Returns:
27         The decompressed image as a NumPy array.
28     """
29     compressed_image = np.zeros_like(image)
30     decompressed_image = np.zeros_like(image)
31     # NOTE: we will compress each channel separately
32     for channel in range(3):
33         channel_image = image[:, :, channel]
34         block_height, block_width = 8, 8
35         for i in range(0, image.shape[0], block_height):
36             for j in range(0, image.shape[1], block_width):
37                 block = channel_image[i : i + block_height, j : j + block_width]
38                 dct_block = dctn(block)
39
40                 dct_block[m:, :] = 0
41                 dct_block[:, m:] = 0
42
43                 # NOTE: this is the decompression part
44                 idct_block = idctn(dct_block)
45
46                 # remove overflow values
47                 idct_block[idct_block < 0] = 0
48                 idct_block[idct_block > 255] = 255
49
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50         compressed_image[
51             i : i + block_height, j : j + block_width, channel
52         ] = dct_block
53         decompressed_image[
54             i : i + block_height, j : j + block_width, channel
55         ] = idct_block
56     # NOTE: saving this to file system is unnecessary made just for simulation
57     cv2.imwrite(f"compressed_m_{m}.png", compressed_image)
58     cv2.imwrite(f"decompressed_m_{m}.png", decompressed_image)
59     return decompressed_image
60
61
62 def compare_sizes(m):
63     """
64     Compare the sizes of the original and compressed images.
65
66     Args:
67         m: The number of top-left coefficients to retain.
68     """
69     original_size = os.path.getsize("image1.png")
70     compressed_size = os.path.getsize(f"compressed_m_{m}.png")
71     print(
72         f"Original Size: {original_size} byte Compressed Size: {compressed_size} byte image size
73         ratio: {compressed_size/original_size}"
74     )
75
76 def calculate_psnr(original, decompressed):
77     """
78     Calculate Peak Signal-to-Noise Ratio (PSNR).
79
80     Args:
81         original: The original image as a NumPy array.
82         decompressed: The decompressed image as a NumPy array.
83
84     Returns:
85         The PSNR value in dB.
86     """
87     return cv2.PSNR(original, decompressed)
88
89
90 # =====
91
92 def main():
93     """Do Main Function."""
94     # 1. image reading
95     image = cv2.imread("image1.png")
96     cv2.imshow("Original", image)
97     waitForEnter()
98
99     # 2. Extract each color components
100    # FIXME: this is a silly way to extract channels with reserving zeros
101    red = np.zeros_like(image)
102    green = np.zeros_like(image)
103    blue = np.zeros_like(image)
104    red[:, :, 2] = image[:, :, 2]
105    green[:, :, 1] = image[:, :, 1]
106    blue[:, :, 0] = image[:, :, 0]
107    cv2.imshow("Red", red)
108    cv2.imshow("Green", green)
109    cv2.imshow("Blue", blue)
110    waitForEnter()
111
112
113    # 3. Loop Compress -> compare size -> decompress -> calc PSNR
114    psnr_values = []
115    for m in range(1, 5):
116        print(f"Compressing with m={m}")
117        decompressed_image = process_image(image.copy(), m)
118        compare_sizes(m)
119        psnr = calculate_psnr(image, decompressed_image)

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120     psnr_values.append(psnr)
121     print(f"PSNR (m={m}): {psnr:.2f} dB")
122     cv2.imshow(f"Decompressed m={m}", decompressed_image)
123     waitForEnter()
124
125 # 4. plot PSNR values
126 plt.plot(range(1, 5), psnr_values, marker="o")
127 plt.xlabel("m")
128 plt.ylabel("PSNR")
129 plt.title("PSNR vs m")
130 plt.show()
131
132
133 def waitForEnter():
134     """Wait for enter key to be pressed."""
135     while True:
136         if cv2.waitKey(1) == 13:
137             break
138     cv2.destroyAllWindows()
139
140
141 if __name__ == "__main__":
142     main()

```

Listing A.1: project code