Image Analysis and Object Recognition

Summer Semester 2024



Assignment 4

Submission Deadline: 12.06.24, 11:00 pm

Topics:

- Filtering in frequency domain
- Shape recognition using Fourier descriptors

A) Image filtering in frequency domain

- a. Read the input image taskA.png and convert it to a grayscale image (double values between 0.0 and 1.0).
- b. Add Gaussian noise to the image (imnoise, parameters e.g. M=0, V=0.01) and plot the result.
- c. Filter the noisy image with a **self-computed** 2D Gaussian filter in the frequency-domain (fft2, ifft2). Which σ is suitable to remove the noise? Plot the result.
- d. Plot the logarithmic centered image spectra of the noisy image, the (padded) Gaussian filter and the filtered image (imagesc, log, abs and fftshift)

B) Shape recognition using Fourier descriptors

- a. Read the image trainB.png and convert it to a grayscale image (double values between 0.0 and 1.0)
- b. Derive a binary mask (data type logical) of the image where 1 represents the object of interest and 0 represents background (graythresh and im2bw).
- c. Build a Fourier-descriptor D_f based on the binary mask of b.
 - i. Extraction of boundaries of the binary mask (bwboundaries).
 - ii. Use n = 24 elements for the descriptor.
 - iii. Make the descriptor invariant to translation, orientation and scale.
- d. Apply steps a.-c. on the images test1B.jpg, test2B.jpg and test3B.jpg in order to identify all potential object boundaries in the images. Note that here more than one boundaries will be identified by bwboundaries.
- e. Identify the object of interest by comparig the trained Fourier-descriptor (result of step c) with all identified descriptors of the test images from step d. Use the Euclidean distance of the Fourier-descriptors for identification, i.e.

$$norm(D_{f,train} - D_{f,test}) < 0.09$$

f. Plot the identified boundaries on your mask (result of task b.) in order to validate the results (imshow, hold on and plot)