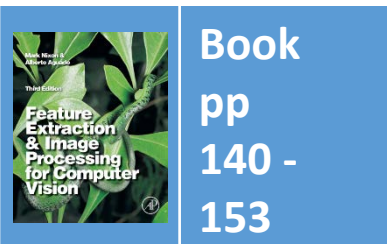


Lecture 6 Edge Detection

COMP3204 & COMP6223 Computer Vision

What are edges and how do we find them?

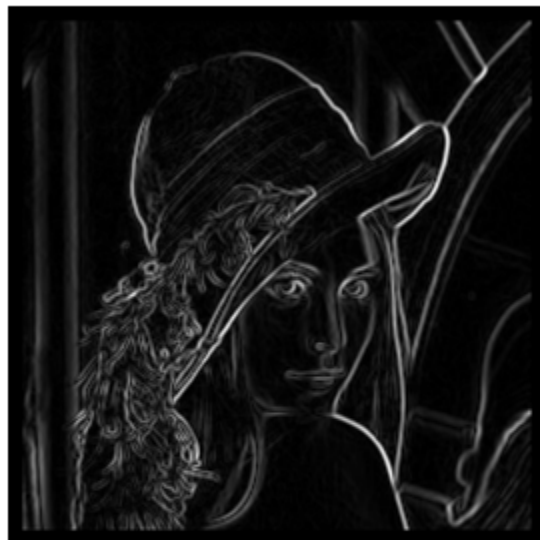


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(a) original image



(b) Sobel edge magnitude



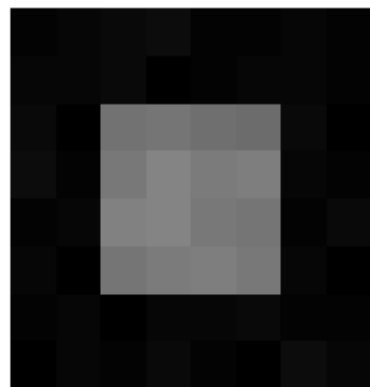
(c) thresholded magnitude

Applying the Sobel Operator

U2's Edge can't detect edges



<http://metro.co.uk/2015/05/15/the-edge-falls-off-the-edge-of-the-stage-in-spectacular-style-during-u2s-world-tour-5199503/>



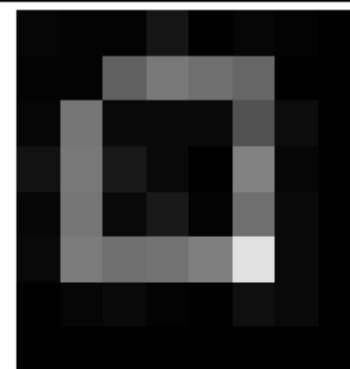
(a) original image



(b) vertical edges



(c) horizontal edges,



(d) all edges

First Order Edge Detection

2	-1
-1	0

Template for First Order Difference

```

edge(pic) :=
    newpic ← zero(pic)
    for x ∈ 0 .. cols(pic) - 2
        for y ∈ 0 .. rows(pic) - 2
            newpicy,x ← | 2 · picy,x - picy,x+1 - picy+1,x |
    newpic

```

First Order Edge Detection

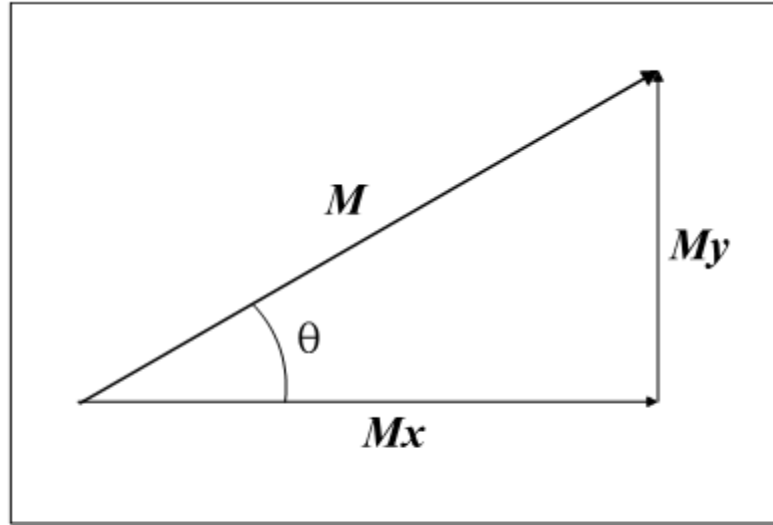
1	0	-1
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(a) M_x

1
0
-1

(b) M_y

Templates for Improved First Order Difference



Edge Detection in Vectorial Format

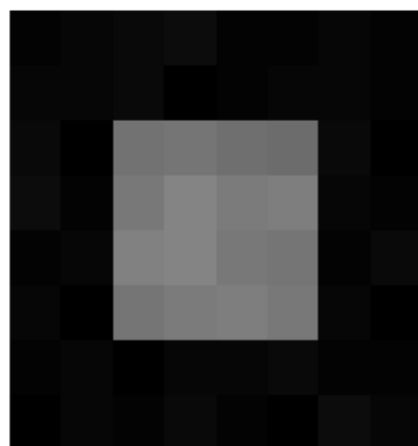
1	0	-1
1	0	-1
1	0	-1

(a) M_x

1	1	1
0	0	0
-1	-1	-1

(b) M_y

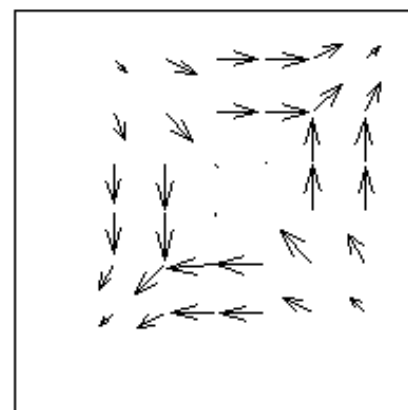
Templates for Prewitt Operator



(a) original image



(b) edge magnitude



$\text{prewitt_vec}_{0,1}, \text{prewitt_vec}_{0,0}$

(c) vector format

$$\text{dir} = \begin{bmatrix} 313 & 331 & 3 & 3 & 24 & 47 \\ 298 & 315 & 1 & 2 & 42 & 63 \\ 273 & 276 & 13 & 43 & 88 & 88 \\ 269 & 268 & 199 & 117 & 91 & 92 \\ 242 & 225 & 181 & 178 & 133 & 116 \\ 225 & 210 & 183 & 179 & 155 & 132 \end{bmatrix}$$

(d) edge direction

Applying the Prewitt Operator

1	0	-1
2	0	-2
1	0	-1

(a) M_x

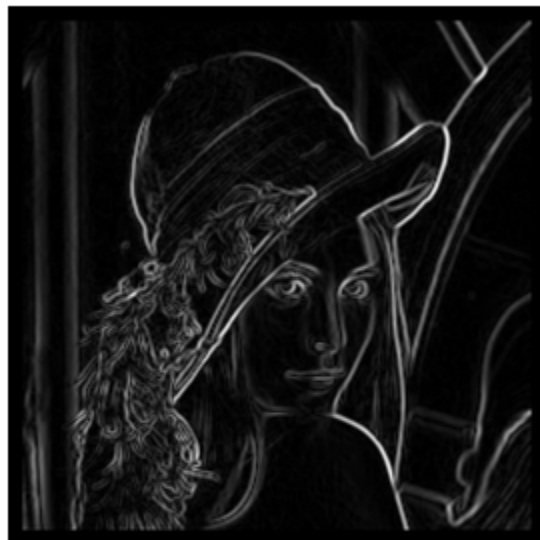
1	2	1
0	0	0
-1	-2	-1

(b) M_y

Templates for Sobel Operator



(a) original image



(b) Sobel edge magnitude



(c) thresholded magnitude

Applying the Sobel Operator

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