

Color Processing

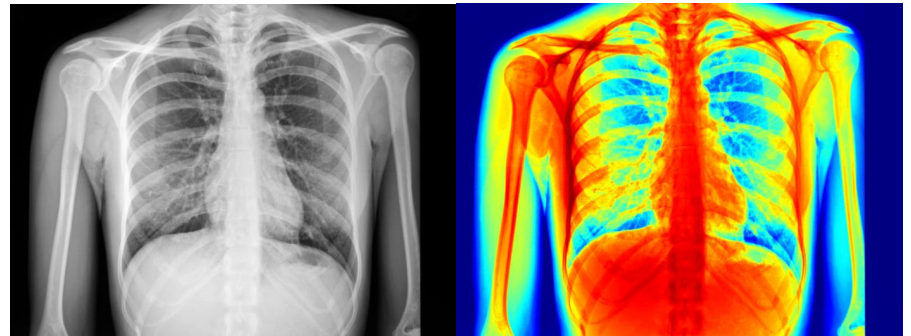
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- Usage of HSI
 - Intensity images is decoupled
 - Can change the intensity of the image only
 - Color Slicing
 - Find the pixels in the range of the desired color in the **Hue**-channel
 - Set all the other pixels to 0 in the **Saturation**-channel
 - Color Conversion
 - By accessing the **Hue**-channel we can change the regions of colors



- Pseudo Coloring

- The eye can distinguish between only about 30-50 different shades of gray.
- But can distinguish about 100k ~ 10m colors.
- Useful to display gray scale images using color to visualize the information better
- Important to include a color scale in the images to understand what the colors illustrate
- Example of pseudo-coloring :
 - Intensity Slicing
 - Each intensity is assigned a color



- Definition
 - Global adjustment of the intensities of the colors



- Simple way of color balancing
 - Scale R,G,B components so that objects which are believed to be neutral appear so

$$\begin{bmatrix} R \\ G \\ B \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 255/R'_w & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 255/G'_w & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 255/B'_w \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} R' \\ G' \\ B' \end{bmatrix}$$

Color Balancing

- Using color checker



- Estimate white color in an image
 - Gray world assumption
 - In a normal well color balanced photo, the average of all the colors is a neutral gray
 - White pixels are also brightest

■ Example code:

```
int main() {
    Mat image = imread("colorful.jpg");
    Mat HSV, intensity_change, mask_out, change_color;
    vector<Mat> ic(3);
    vector<Mat> mo(3);
    vector<Mat> cc(3);

    int rows = image.rows;
    int cols = image.cols;
    uchar* h;
    uchar* s;
    uchar* v;

    cvtColor(image, HSV, CV_BGR2HSV);
    split(HSV, ic);
    split(HSV, mo);
    split(HSV, cc);

    //equalizing the histogram of I mat
    equalizeHist(ic[2], ic[2]);

    //masking out except orange
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        h = mo[0].ptr<uchar>(i);
        s = mo[1].ptr<uchar>(i);
        for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
            if (h[j] > 9 && h[j] < 23) s[j] = s[j];
            else s[j] = 0;
        }
    }
}
```

```
//changing all colors
for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
    h = cc[0].ptr<uchar>(i);
    s = cc[1].ptr<uchar>(i);
    for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
        if (h[j] + 50 > 255) h[j] = h[j] + 50 - 255;
        else h[j] += 50;
    }
}

merge(ic, intensity_change);
merge(mo, mask_out);
merge(cc, change_color);
cvtColor(intensity_change, intensity_change, CV_HSV2BGR);
cvtColor(mask_out, mask_out, CV_HSV2BGR);
cvtColor(change_color, change_color, CV_HSV2BGR);

imshow("image", image);
imshow("intensity change", intensity_change);
imshow("mask out", mask_out);
imshow("change color", change_color);

waitKey(0);
return 0;
}
```


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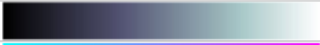










- Usage of HSI - results

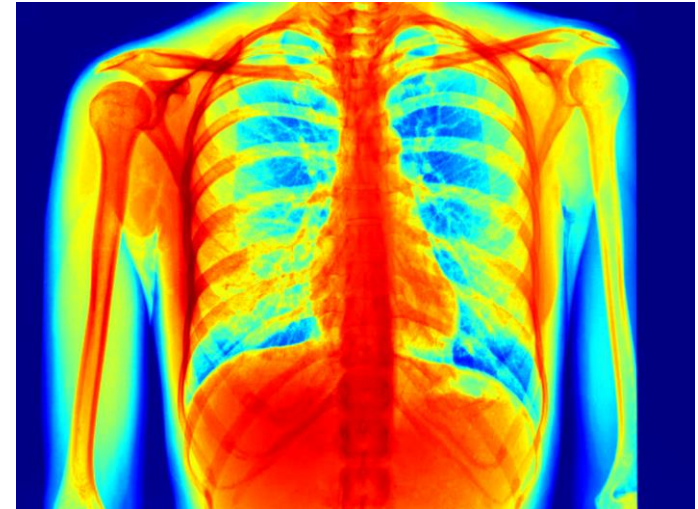


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■ Pseudo coloring

```
int main() {  
    Mat gray = imread("xray.jpg", 0);  
    Mat color;  
    // Applies a colormap on a given image  
    // gray: src, color: dst, COLORMAP_JET: the color map to apply  
    applyColorMap(gray, color, COLORMAP_JET);  
    imshow("gray", gray);  
    imshow("image", color);  
    waitKey(0);  
    return 0;  
}
```

Class	Scale
COLORMAP_AUTUMN	
COLORMAP_BONE	
COLORMAP_COOL	
COLORMAP_HOT	
COLORMAP_HSV	
COLORMAP_JET	
COLORMAP_OCEAN	
COLORMAP_PINK	
COLORMAP_RAINBOW	
COLORMAP_SPRING	
COLORMAP_SUMMER	
COLORMAP_WINTER	



■ Example code

```
int main() {
    Mat image = imread("lena.png");
    Mat result;
    vector<Mat> ch(3);
    int b_sum = 0, g_sum = 0, r_sum = 0;
    int b_avg, g_avg, r_avg, b_tmp, g_tmp, r_tmp;
    if (image.empty()) {
        cerr << "read fail" << endl;
        exit(-1);
    }
    int rows = image.rows;
    int cols = image.cols;
    int pixno = rows * cols;

    // split by B, G, R channel
    split(image, ch);
    uchar* b;
    uchar* g;
    uchar* r;
    // calculate each channel's average
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        b = ch[0].ptr<uchar>(i);
        g = ch[1].ptr<uchar>(i);
        r = ch[2].ptr<uchar>(i);
        for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
            b_sum += b[j];
            g_sum += g[j];
            r_sum += r[j];
        }
    }
}
```

```
b_avg = b_sum / pixno;
g_avg = g_sum / pixno;
r_avg = r_sum / pixno;

// color balancing using gray world assumption
for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
    b = ch[0].ptr<uchar>(i);
    g = ch[1].ptr<uchar>(i);
    r = ch[2].ptr<uchar>(i);
    for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
        // to prevent overflow
        b_tmp = (128 * b[j]) / b_avg;
        if (b_tmp > 255) {
            b[j] = 255;
        }
        else {
            b[j] = b_tmp;
        }

        g_tmp = (128 * g[j]) / g_avg;
        if (g_tmp > 255) {
            g[j] = 255;
        }
        else {
            g[j] = g_tmp;
        }
    }
}
```

Color Balancing

■ Example code

```
        r_tmp = (128 * r[j]) / r_avg;
        if (r_tmp > 255) {
            r[j] = 255;
        }
        else {
            r[j] = r_tmp;
        }
    }

    // merge 3 channel's image
    merge(ch, result);

    imshow("image", image);
    imshow("result", result);
    waitKey(0);
    return 0;
}
```

