

# Computer Vision

Numerical Image Understanding

# Plan



## ➤ Image analysis

- Pixel notions
- Image histogram

## ➤ Image filtering

- Convolution filtering
- Spatial frequency

## ➤ Mathematical morphology operations

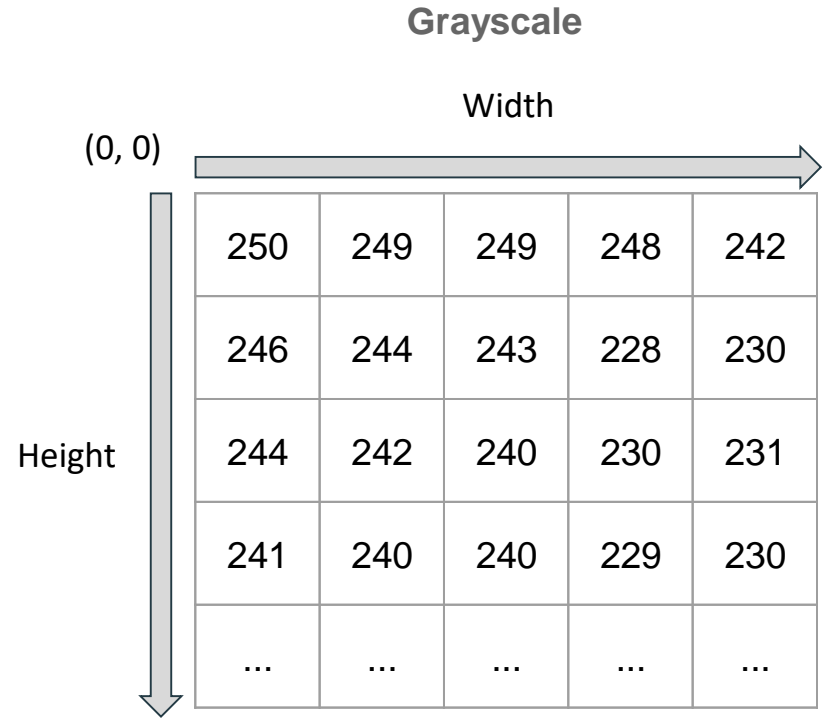
- Erosion / dilation
- Opening / closing

# Image Analysis

Pixel notions & histograms

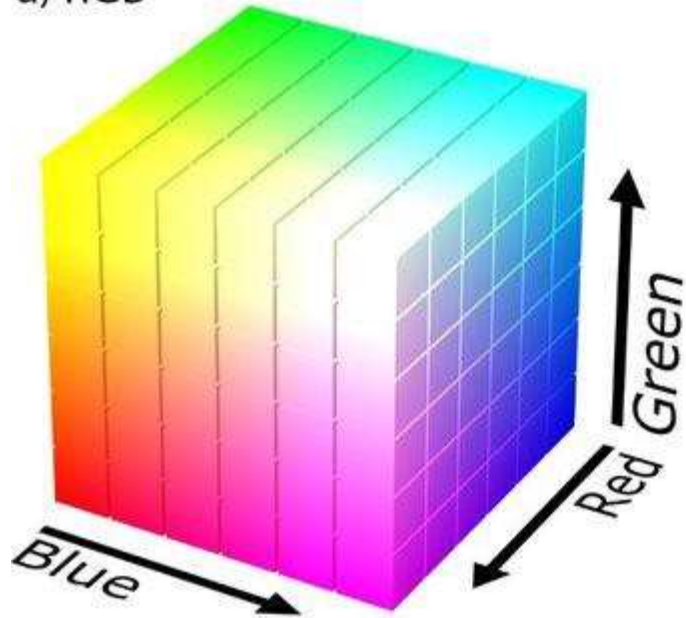
# Pixel notions

- Image sampling : **divide** image in **small areas** (pixels) containing a **value** (or a list of values)
- Coordinates : Line / **Width** & Column / **Height**
- Quantification : number of **possible values**
- Definition : W X H
- Resolution : Pixels / Length unit
- Compression

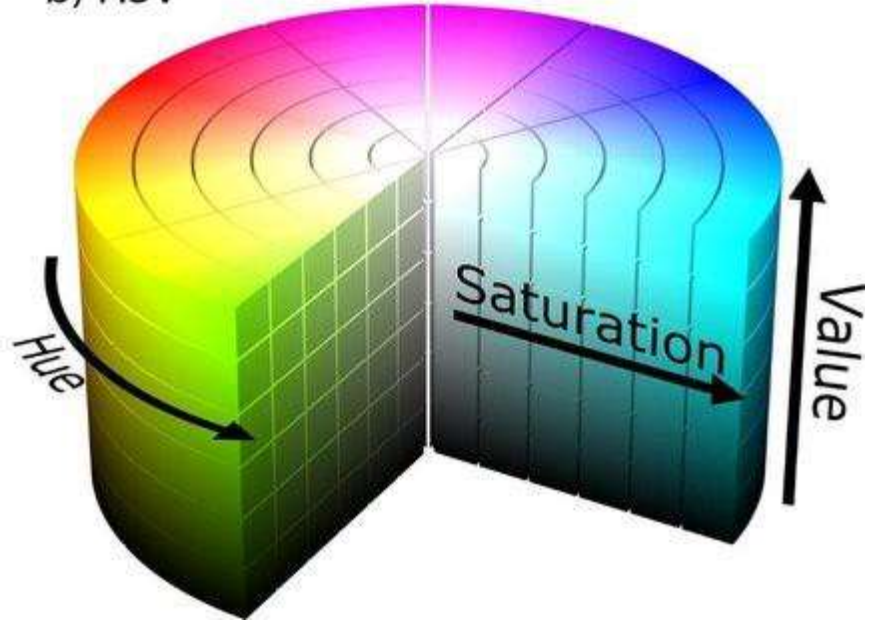


# Colors

a) RGB

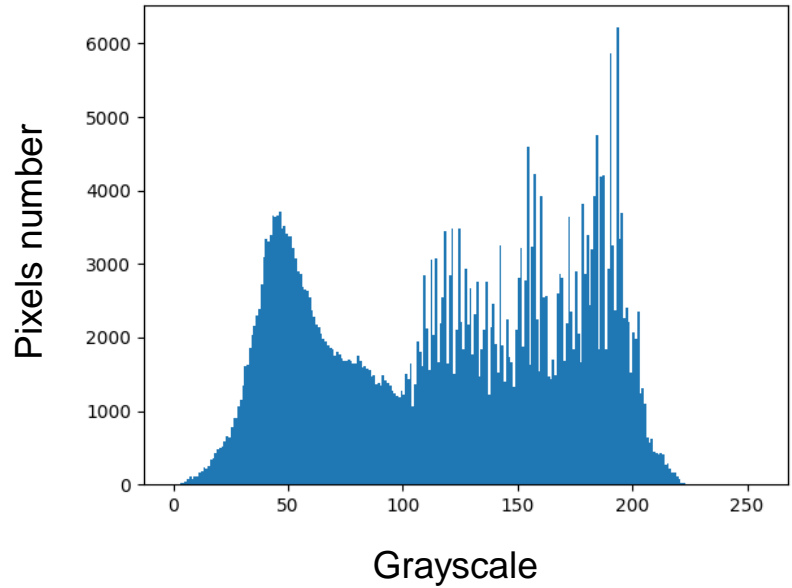


b) HSV



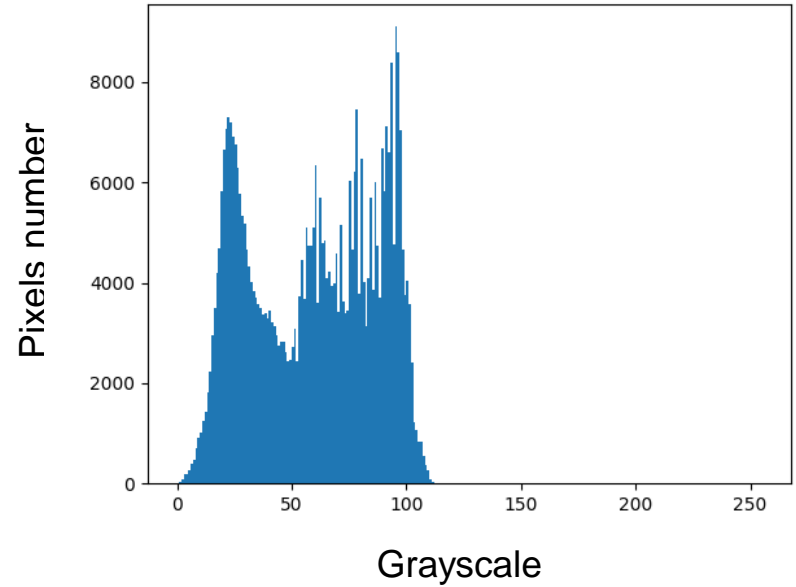
# Image Histogram

Original



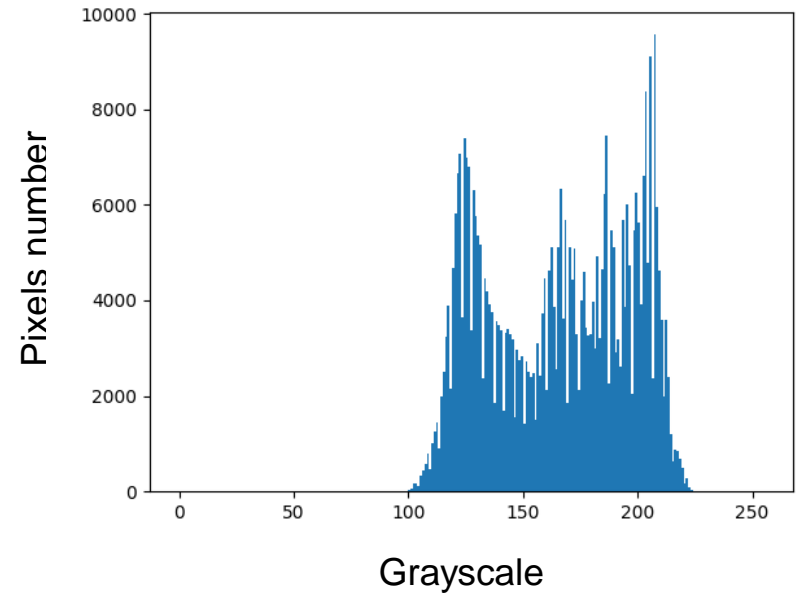
# Image Histogram

Under exposed



# Image Histogram

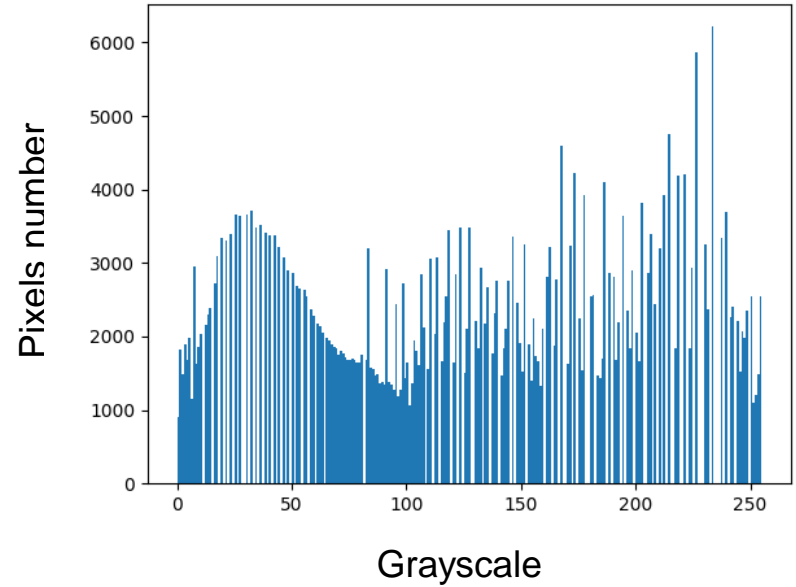
Over exposed





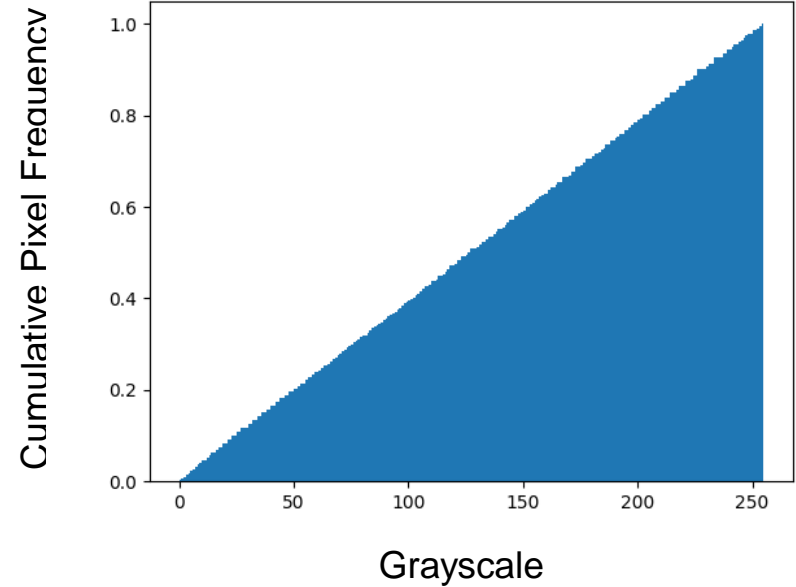
# Histogram Equalization

Contrast adjusted



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Contrast adjusted



# Classical transformations

- Brightness: intensity measure (dark vs. fade / bright)
- Contrast : difference in brightness between dark and bright pixels
  - Histogram equalization
- Geometrical: translation / zoom / rotation
- Image compression
- Filtering : Noise removal / adding

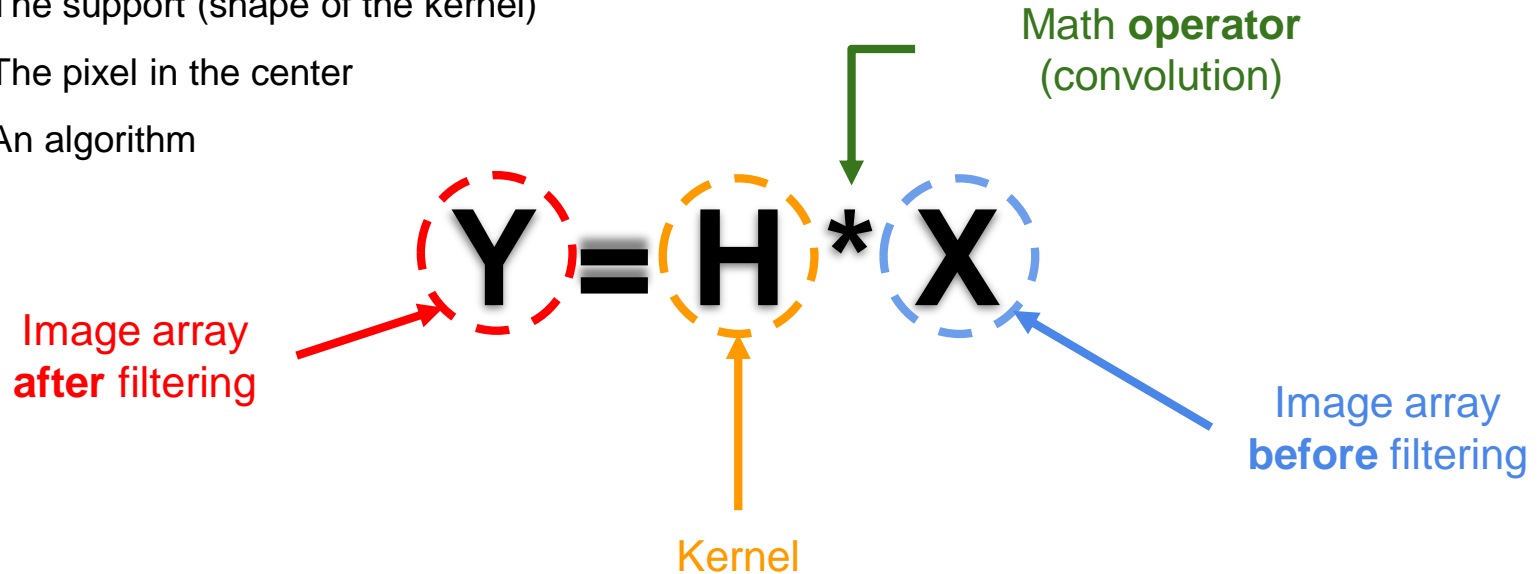
# Image Filtering

Convolution & Spatial Frequency

# Convolution (or linear) Filtering

Defined by:

- The support (shape of the kernel)
- The pixel in the center
- An algorithm



# Neighbors Averager Filter

Kernel

1/9	1/9	1/9
1/9	1/9	1/9
1/9	1/9	1/9

Convolution

$$(1*141+1*158+1*174+1*184+1*90+1*205+1*175+1*129+1*113) / 9$$

141	158	174	170	168
184	90	205	196	204
175	129	113	125	201
155	164	195	145	109
169	222	235	146	182

Before

141	158	174	170	168
184	152	205	196	204
175	129	113	125	201
155	164	195	145	109
169	222	235	146	182

After

# Neighbors Averager Filter

Kernel

1/9	1/9	1/9
1/9	1/9	1/9
1/9	1/9	1/9

Convolution

$$(1*158+1*174+1*170+1*90+1*205+1*196+1*129+1*113+1*125) / 9$$

141	158	174	170	168
184	90	205	196	204
175	129	113	125	201
155	164	195	145	109
169	222	235	146	182

Before

141	158	174	170	168
184	152	151	196	204
175	129	113	125	201
155	164	195	145	109
169	222	235	146	182

After

# Gaussian Filter

## Convolution

$$(1*141+2*158+1*174+2*184+4*90+2*205+1*175+2*129+1*113) / 16$$

Kernel

1/16	2/16	1/16
2/16	4/16	2/16
1/16	2/16	1/16

141	158	174	170	168
184	90	205	196	204
175	129	113	125	201
155	164	195	145	109
169	222	235	146	182

Before

141	158	174	170	168
184	145	205	196	204
175	129	113	125	201
155	164	195	145	109
169	222	235	146	182

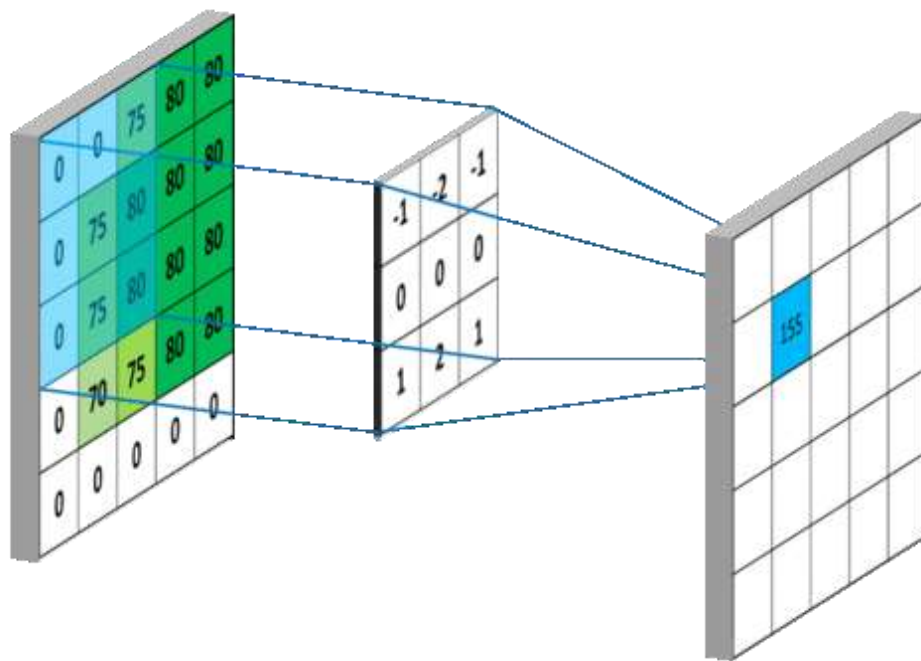
After



# Borders management

- Zero padding
- Duplication
- Partial convolution

	141	158	174	170	168
	184	90	205	196	204
	175	129	113	125	201
	155	164	195	145	109
	169	222	235	146	182

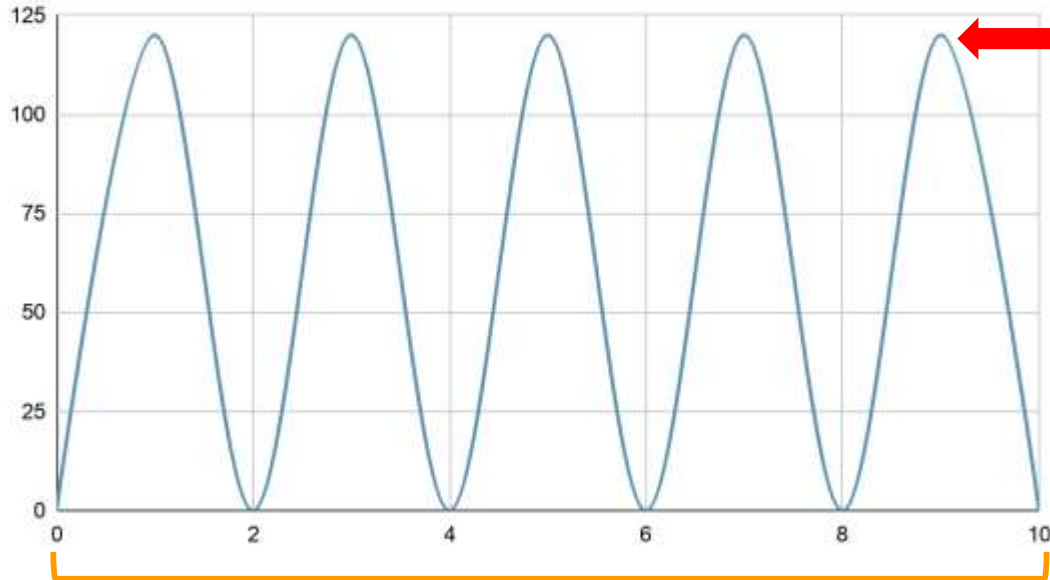


# Filters

- **Averager** (linear) : spread the noise to the neighbors
- **Gaussian** (linear): preserves better the surrounding of the corrected noise
- **Median** (non-linear): great to correct isolated pixels
- **Bilateral** :
  - An operation on neighbors
  - Classical convolution kernel

# Spatial Frequency

Sinusoidal signal



Amplitude

Period = 2

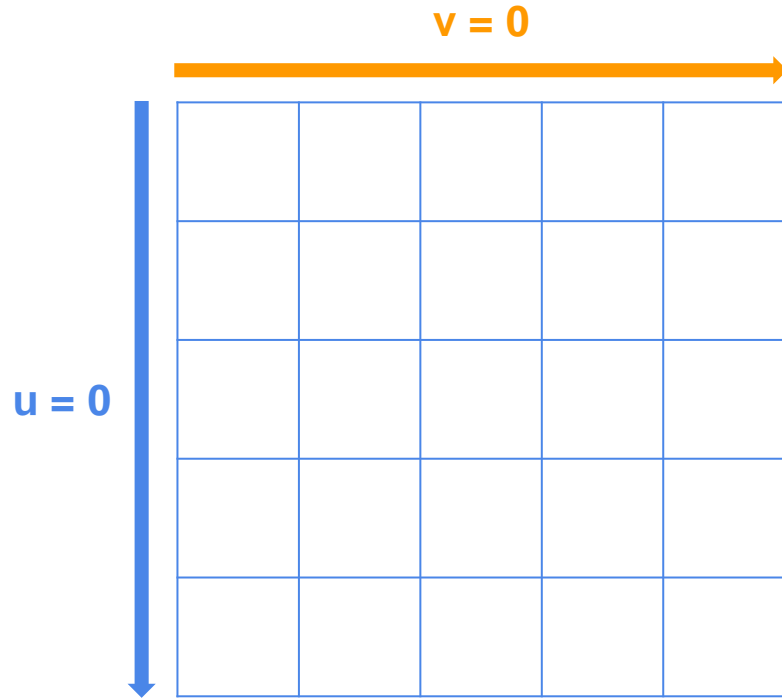
Frequency =  $5/10 = 1/2$

Period

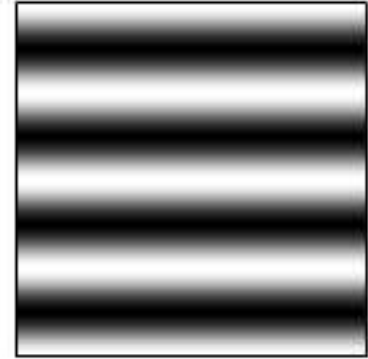
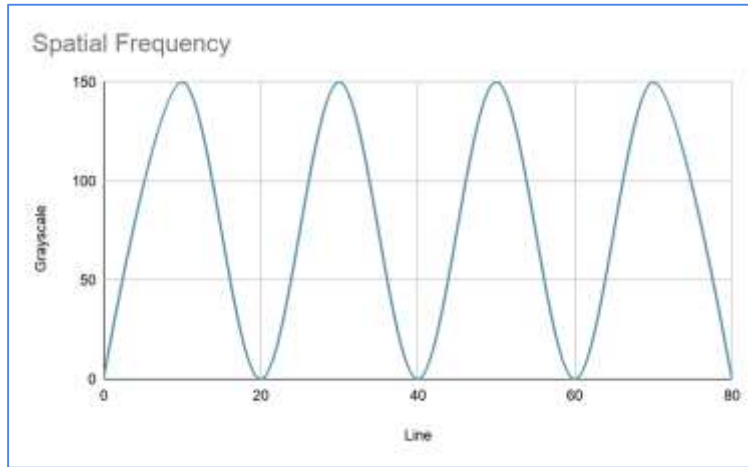
Frequency

# Spatial Frequency

- 2 dimensions = **2 spatial frequencies**:
  - 1 following the u axis
  - 1 following the v axis

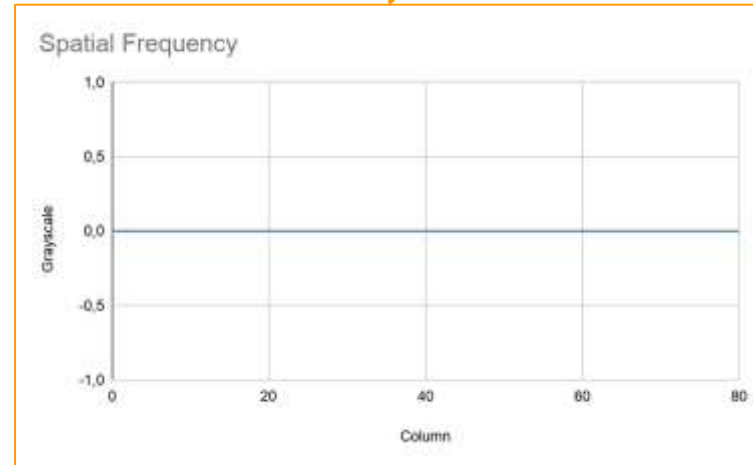


# Spatial Frequency



$u = 4$

$V = 0$



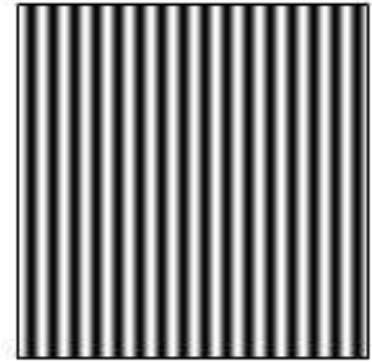
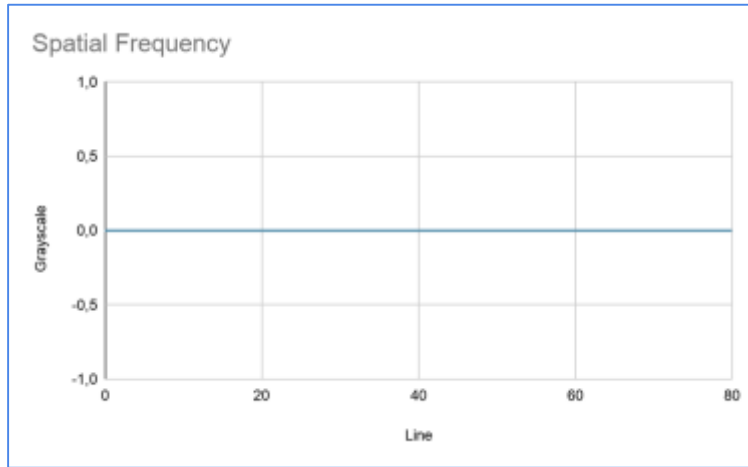
$$\text{Period}(u) = \text{Line}/u = 20$$

$$\text{Frequency}(u) = u/\text{Line} = 0.2$$

$$\text{Period}(v) = \text{Column}/v = 0$$

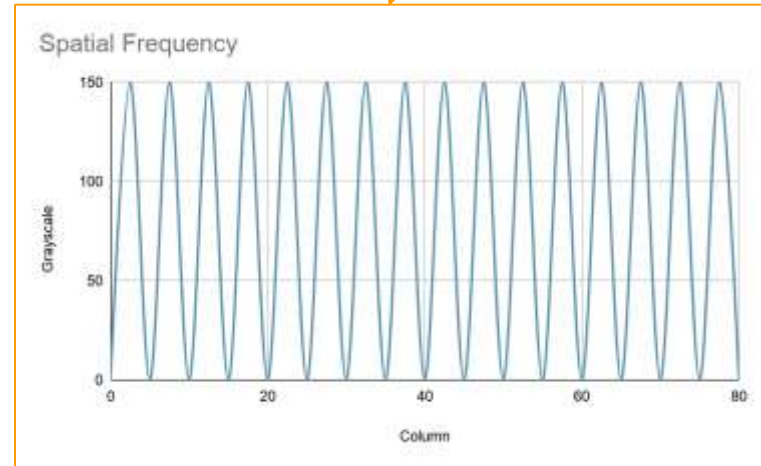
$$\text{Frequency}(v) = v/\text{Column} = 0$$

# Spatial Frequency



$u = 0$

$V = 16$



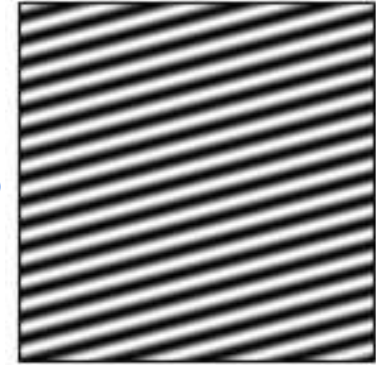
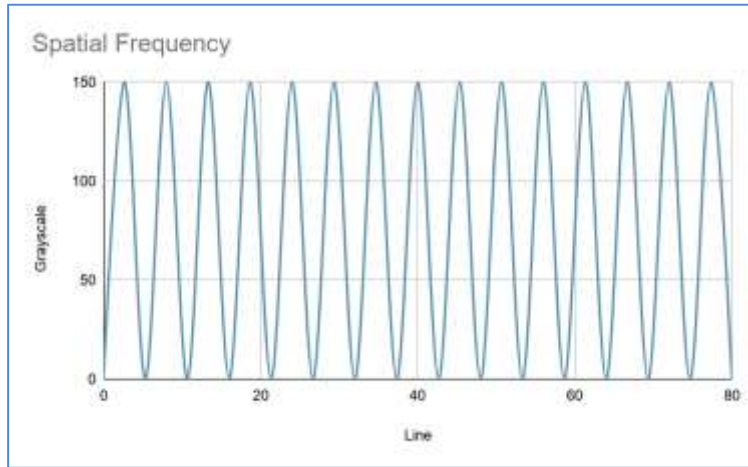
$$\text{Period}(u) = \text{Line}/u = 0$$

$$\text{Frequency}(u) = u/\text{Line} = 0$$

$$\text{Period}(v) = \text{Column}/v = 5$$

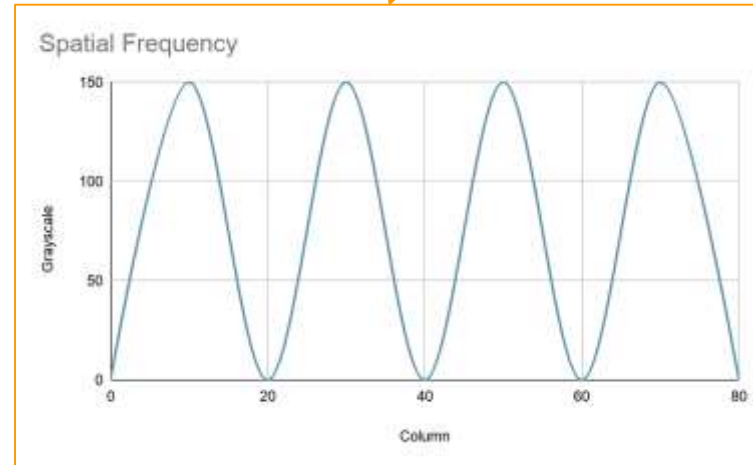
$$\text{Frequency}(v) = v/\text{Column} = 0.2$$

# Spatial Frequency



$u = 15$

$v = 4$



$$\text{Period}(u) = \text{Line}/u = 5.33$$

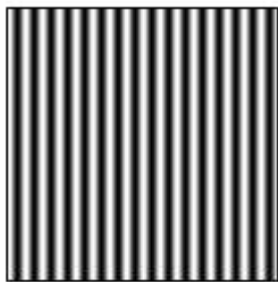
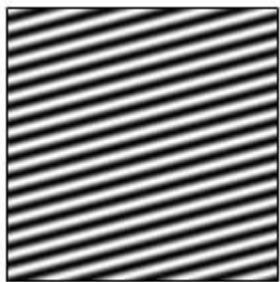
$$\text{Frequency}(u) = u/\text{Line} = 0.19$$

$$\text{Period}(v) = \text{Column}/v = 20$$

$$\text{Frequency}(v) = v/\text{Column} = 0.2$$



# Spatial Frequency



... (weighted sum of  
Line X Column images)



# Spatial Frequency Filtering

- **Low-pass** filter : keeps only low frequencies. The tinier the filter, the blurrier the image.
- **High-pass** filter: Keeps high frequencies. Useful to extract edges and remove content.
- **Enhancing** filter: keeps low frequencies and amplify high ones.

# Mathematical Morphology Operations

Erosion, dilation, opening & closing

# Mathematical Morphologie: Principle

- Using a **convolution kernel** of various shape.
- Change **the shape** of an item **inside** an image.
- **Remove** some **noise without** main image content **alteration**.

# Mathematical Morphologie: Erosion

Convolution  
Kernel

0	1	0
1	1	1
0	1	0

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Central pixel** remains the same if **the whole kernel is included**. Else, the pixel changes to **the min** of the kernel area.

# Mathematical Morphologie: Erosion

Convolution  
Kernel

0	1	0
1	1	1
0	1	0

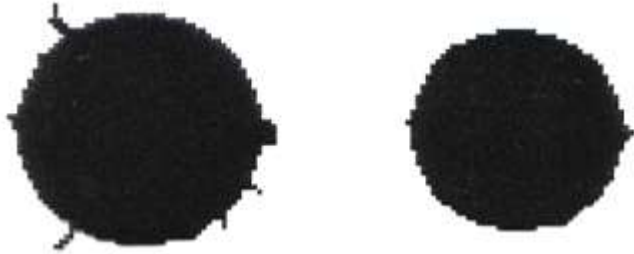
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Central pixel** remains the same if **the whole kernel is included**. Else, the pixel changes to **the min** of the kernel area.

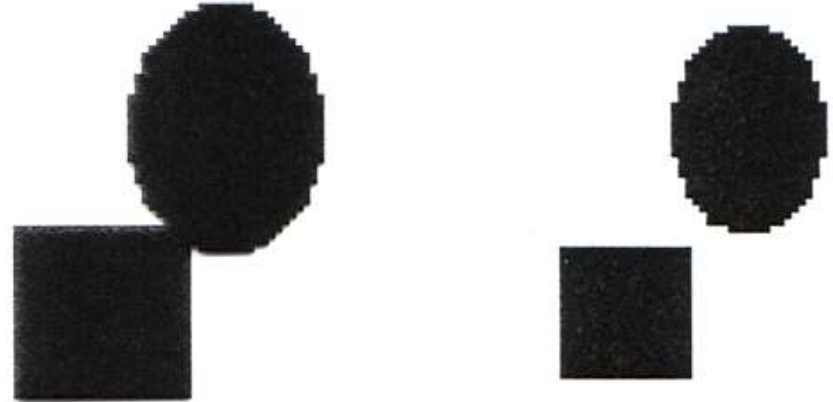
# Mathematical Morphologie: Erosion

Useful ? Why ?

Exemple 1



Exemple 2



# Mathematical Morphologie: Dilation

Convolution  
Kernel

1	1	1
1	1	1
1	1	1

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

For each pixel that has a value of 1, apply the kernel.



# Mathematical Morphologie: Dilation

Convolution  
Kernel

1	1	1
1	1	1
1	1	1

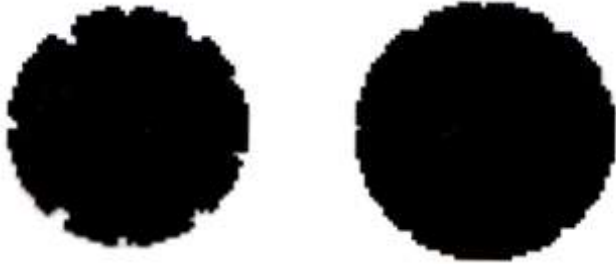
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
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For each pixel that has a value of 1, apply the kernel.

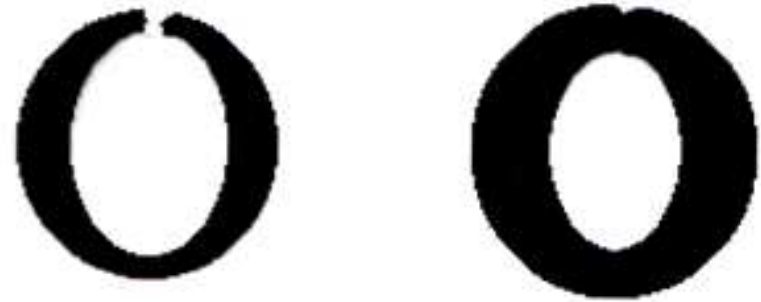
# Mathematical Morphologie: Dilation

Useful ? Why ?

Exemple 1



Exemple 2



# Mathematical Morphologie: Opening

Opening



Erosion



Dilation

Convolution  
Kernel

0	1	0
1	1	1
0	1	0

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
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0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Useful to remove small size **elements** while keeping the global item shape.

# Mathematical Morphologie: Closing

$$\text{Closing} = \text{Dilation} + \text{Erosion}$$

Convolution  
Kernel

0	1	0
1	1	1
0	1	0

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
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0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Useful to remove small size **holes** while keeping the global item shape.

# Exercices

Coding games & images filtering

# Quizz Kahoot !



- Link: <https://kahoot.it/>
- Pin: xxxx

# Let's play some Codingame !



- easy:
  - flip the sign
  - Reverse minesweeper
  - sudoku validator
  - lumen
  - pirate's treasure
- medium:
  - forest fire
  - battleship

# Filtering: take your favorite image and...

- Detect objects inside of them
- Example: [Coke can detector](#)

