# *Image Processing I*
# *Exercise Class*

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# Assignment #2

1. It was noted in the lecture that it is possible to compute the variance of the image in one run over the image. Starting with the formula you learned in the lecture, derive a formula that allows you to do so.

$$\sigma_I^2 = \frac{1}{N_{cols} \cdot N_{rows}} \sum_{x=1}^{N_{cols}} \sum_{y=1}^{N_{rows}} [I(x,y) - \mu_I]^2$$

2. Write your own MATLAB function to compute the variance. Use this function to compute the variance of any gray-scale image and compare the result to the MATLAB built in **var** function.

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3. Implement a function hist_dist_Euclidean which takes as an input two histograms h1 and h2 and return the Euclidean distance between them.

$$D_{L2} = \sqrt{\sum_i (h_1(i) - h_2(i))^2}$$

4. Implement a function hist_dist_Manhattan which takes as an input two histograms h1 and h2 and returns the Manhattan distance between them

$$D_{L1} = \sum_i |h_1(i) - h_2(i)|$$

5. Implement a function hist_dist_intersection which takes as an input two histograms h1 and h2 and returns their intersection

$$D_\cap = \sum_i \min(h_1, h_2)$$

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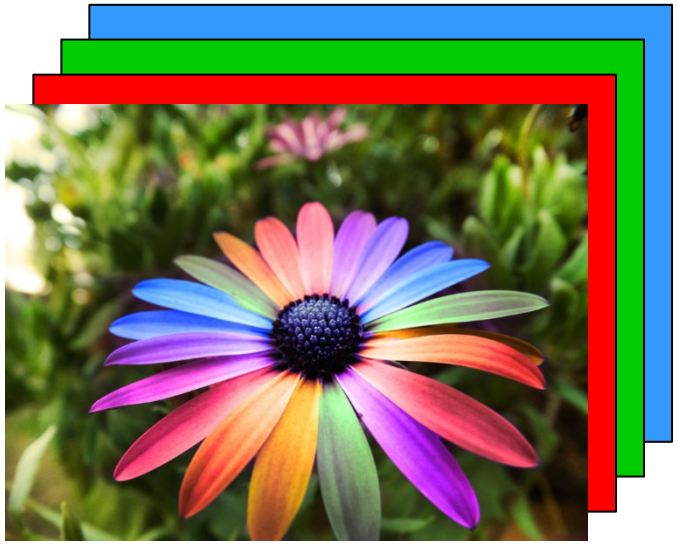

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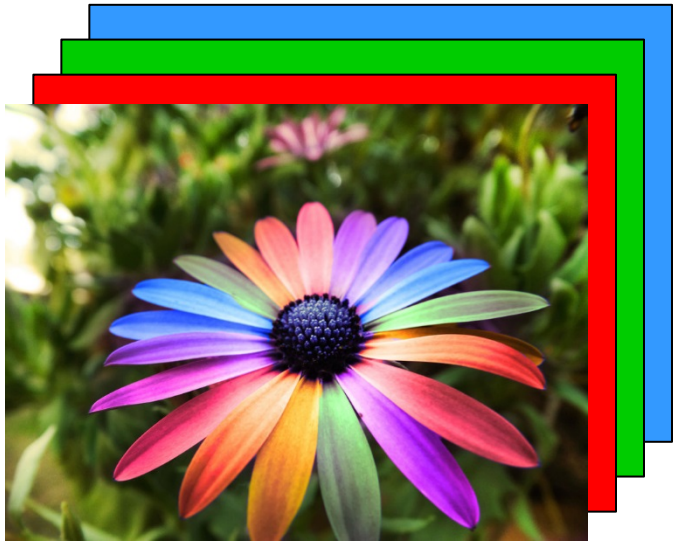

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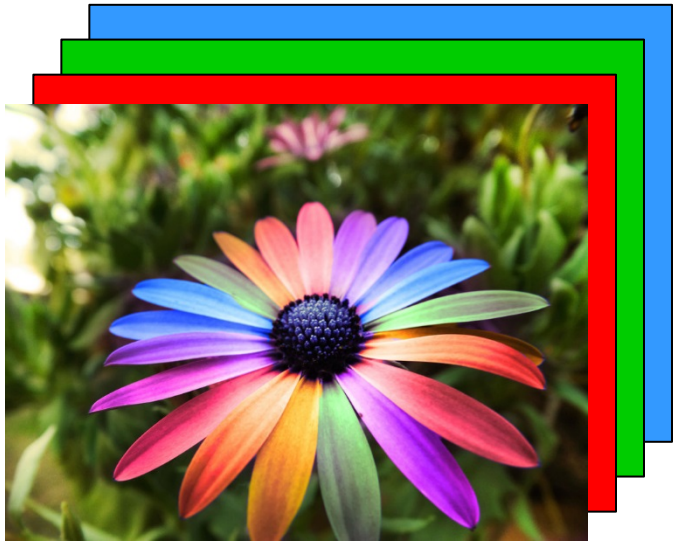

# Histogram of color images

- Create a histogram for each color channel.
- ```
  img = imread ('peppers.png');
  figure (1), imhist(img(:, :, 1));
  figure (2), imhist(img(:, :, 2));
  figure (3), imhist(img(:, :, 3));
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    - Plot the histogram of the image. What is the most suitable range for thresholding?

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Try it with "coins.png"

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**Task 1**

- Appearance-based classification
- Download the CIFAR-10 dataset (MATLAB version)
  - https://www.cs.toronto.edu/~kriz/cifar.html
- Convert all images to grayscale
- We will work only on the **first batch** and the **test batch,** and on only **three** class, namely "**automobiles**", "**deer**", and "**ships**"
- Training:
  - Extract the first 30 images from each class from the first batch.
  - Get their histograms and store it

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- Testing:
  - Test using the first 10 images of each class in the test batch
  - Get the histogram of a certain test image, and compare it to all stored histograms from the training phase using the Euclidean distance measure
  - Classify this image according to the nearest distance measure.
  - Calculate the accuracy = number of correctly classified samples / total number of test samples

## Task 2

- Consider the images of the Latin letter "**T**" *(found on the next slide)*
- Use the Euclidean distance, measure the distances between the histograms of the query image and each of the training images.
- Specify the closest match to the query image.
- Use 4-bin histograms (and plot them too!)

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
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Unknown query input image (*I*)

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|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
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Training image ($T_1$)

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|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

Training image ($T_2$)

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
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| 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Training image ($T_3$)