

Computer Vision

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Lab - 1 : Basic Image processing operations.

Objectives:

The objective of this lab is to introduce the student to OpenCV/python, especially for image processing.

- 1. Reading an image in python
- 2. Convert Images to another format
- 3. Convert an Image to Grayscale
- 4. Perform Image enhancement operations

1. Reading and displaying an image in python

```
In [30]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.image as mpimg
image = mpimg.imread('content/saturn (1).tif')
plt.imshow(image)

Out[30]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x79b8592e3950>
```



2. Convert Images to another format and compare them

```
In [2]: from PIL import Image
import os
img = Image.open('/content/saturn (1).tif')
img.save('saturn (1).tif')
img.save('saturn (1).jpg')
img.save('saturn (1).png')
img.save('saturn (1).jpeg')
img.save('saturn (1).gif')
print('size of file in tiff',round(os.path.getsize('saturn (1).tif')/1024,2),'KB')
print('size of file in jpg',round(os.path.getsize('saturn (1).jpg')/1024,2),'KB')
print('size of file in png',round(os.path.getsize('saturn (1).png')/1024,2),'KB')
print('size of file in gif',round(os.path.getsize('saturn (1).gif')/1024,2),'KB')

size of file in tiff 300.17 KB
size of file in jpg 22.32 KB
size of file in png 22.32 KB
size of file in png 112.16 KB
size of file in gif 113.26 KB
```

3. Convert an Image to Grayscale and display

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In [3]: from PIL import Image
img = Image.open('/content/saturn (1).tif').convert('L')
img.save('saturn_gray.tif')
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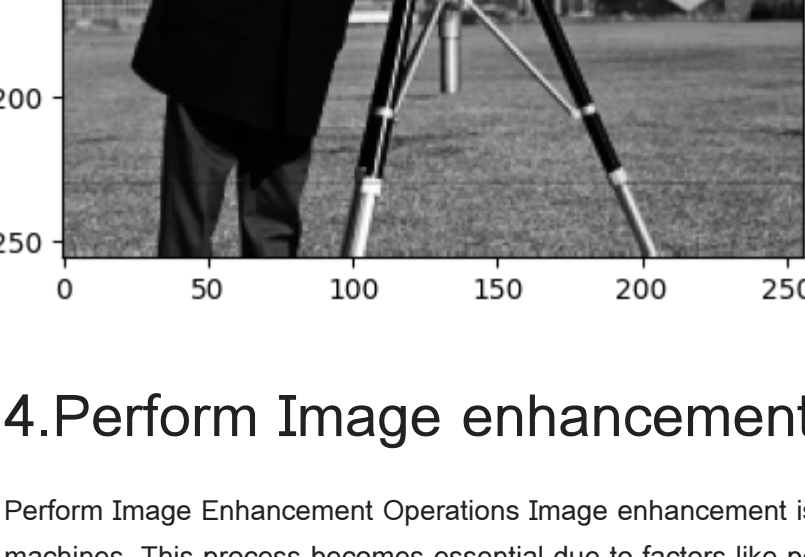
```
In [4]: plt.subplot(1,2,1)
plt.imshow(mpimg.imread('saturn_gray.tif'))
plt.title('saturn_color')
plt.subplot(1,2,2)
plt.imshow(img, cmap='gray')
plt.title('grey')
```

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Out[4]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'grey')
```



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In [5]: img = mpimg.imread('/content/camexanan (1).tif')
plt.imshow(img, cmap='gray')
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Out[5]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x79b884f8b10>
```



4. Perform Image enhancement operations

Perform Image Enhancement Operations Image enhancement is a vital step in image processing that focuses on improving the visual quality of an image or converting it into a format that is more suitable for interpretation by humans or analysis by machines. This process becomes essential due to factors like poor lighting, low contrast, noise, or other types of degradation that can negatively affect image clarity.

Common image enhancement techniques include:

Histogram Equalization: Enhances image contrast by redistributing the most frequent intensity values across the entire range. This is especially useful for images where both the foreground and background are either too dark or too bright.

Contrast Stretching: Improves contrast by expanding the range of pixel intensity values to cover the full spectrum. It's especially helpful for images that suffer from low contrast.

Smoothing: Used to reduce noise and eliminate fine details, smoothing is often applied in the preprocessing stage to suppress high-frequency noise.

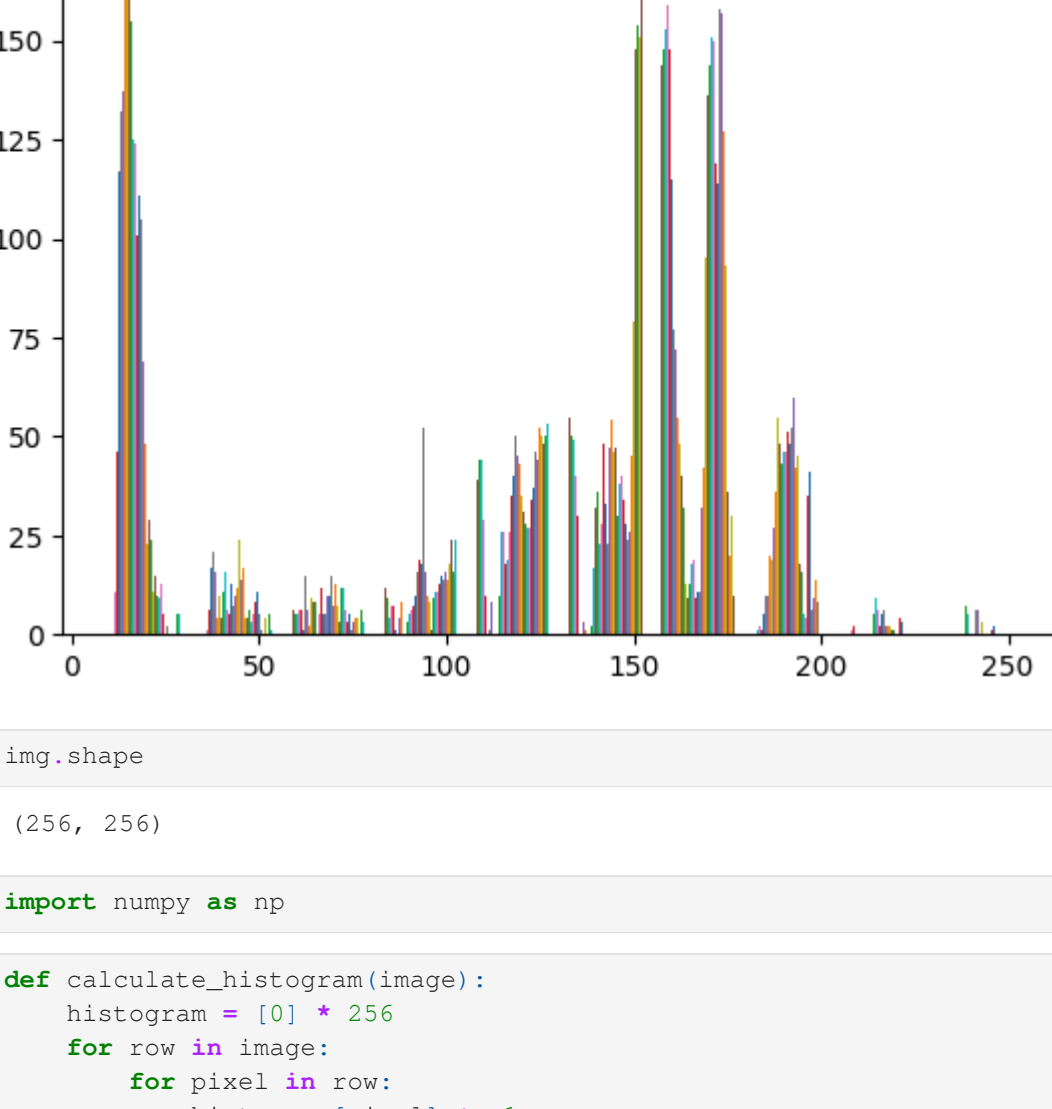
Sharpening: This technique highlights edges and fine details, making important features in the image more pronounced.

Filtering: A variety of filters (e.g., Gaussian, median) can be used to enhance images by reducing noise or emphasizing edges, depending on the desired outcome.

Applying these techniques can significantly enhance image quality, making the images more appropriate for detailed analysis and interpretation.

```
In [6]: plt.hist(img)
```

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Out[6]: [array([[ 0.,  0.,  5., ...,  0.,  0.,  0.],
 [ 0.,  0.,  5., ...,  0.,  0.,  0.],
 [ 0.,  0.,  5., ...,  0.,  0.,  0.],
 ...,
 [ 2.,  4.,  6., ...,  0.,  0.,  0.],
 [ 3.,  3., 12., ...,  0.,  0.,  0.],
 [ 5.,  1., 12., ...,  0.,  0.,  0.]])
array([ 7.,  31.6, 56.2, 80.8, 105.4, 130., 154.6, 179.2, 203.8,
       228.4, 253. ],
      <a list of 256 BarContainer objects>)
```



```
In [7]: img.shape

Out[7]: (256, 256)
```

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In [8]: import numpy as np
```

```
In [9]: def calculate_histogram(image):
    histogram = [0] * 256
    for row in image:
        for pixel in row:
            histogram[pixel] += 1
    return histogram
```

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In [10]: hist=calculate_histogram(img)
```

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In [11]: print(np.array(hist))

[ 0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  4 423 1477 1259 1175 1456 1529
1685 1338 968 471 261 187 169 140 107 109 104 96 99 114
86 108 92 76 99 92 83 105 85 100 98 97 81 86
80 106 68 59 72 77 65 70 61 67 50 64 74 67
59 70 85 80 68 72 74 86 87 76 67 61 67 62
43 57 55 43 67 52 33 36 47 52 50 45 64 52
68 69 64 55 82 92 88 75 110 78 101 86 116 135
144 145 180 154 179 179 231 203 196 225 245 236 266 266
276 307 286 285 284 285 286 331 256 340 351 351 360 359
410 374 391 417 434 417 421 407 412 376 365 406 379 353
354 357 375 377 404 396 463 524 524 517 601 569 566 547
538 683 397 688 744 773 900 916 1221 1174 1206 1187 1104 958
994 924 778 729 704 674 669 632 668 668 690 631 676 706
635 639 539 345 439 330 232 183 127 75 83 49 50 49
45 35 28 34 33 15 25 29 38 26 17 22 19 21
19 11 13 26 24 18 14 8 9 9 14 15 16 19
14 22 14 13 14 15 14 11 9 17 8 14 17 11
26 22 22 14 11 6 7 2 4 7 7 12 13 5
3 1 0 0]
```

```
In [12]: len(hist)

Out[12]: 256
```

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In [13]: def calculate_cdf(histogram):
    cdf = [0] * len(histogram)
    cdf[0] = histogram[0]
    for i in range(1, len(histogram)):
        cdf[i] = cdf[i - 1] + histogram[i]
    return cdf
```

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In [14]: cdf=calculate_cdf(hist)
```

```
In [15]: print(np.array(cdf))

[ 0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  4 427 1904 3163 4338
5794 7323 9008 10346 11314 11785 12046 12233 12402 12542 12649 12758
12862 12958 13057 13151 13255 13365 13466 13561 13658 13755 13852 13951
13998 14096 14194 14291 14372 14458 14538 14644 14732 14771 14843 14920
14985 15055 15116 15183 15233 15297 15371 15438 15497 15567 15632 15732
15780 15872 15946 16032 16119 16195 16262 16330 16390 16452 16495 16552
16607 16650 16717 16769 16822 16858 16905 16957 17007 17052 17116 17168
17236 17305 17369 17424 17506 17598 17686 17761 17871 17949 18050 18136
18252 18387 18531 18676 18836 19010 19189 19388 19598 19802 19988 20223
20468 20704 20970 21236 21512 21819 22115 22400 22684 22979 23275 23606
23932 24272 24623 24974 25334 25693 26103 26477 26868 27285 27739 28136
28557 28984 29316 29586 29913 30283 30602 31025 31466 31924 32411 32718
33122 33518 33981 34505 35029 35446 36147 36716 37282 37829 38365 39028
39603 40237 40810 42710 43626 44847 46021 47227 48414 49518 50476
51470 52394 53172 53802 54405 54948 55494 56052 56748 57516 58406 59231
59913 60619 61254 61893 62432 62977 63416 63746 63978 64161 64288 64363
64484 64655 64845 64944 64939 64714 64702 64736 64769 64788 64813 64842
64860 64886 64903 64925 64944 64965 64984 64995 65008 65034 65058 65076
65090 65098 65107 65116 65130 65145 65161 65180 65194 65216 65230 65243
65257 65272 65286 65297 65306 65323 65332 65346 65363 65374 65400 65422
65444 65458 65469 65475 65482 65484 65488 65495 65502 65514 65527 65532
65535 65536 65536 65536]
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```
In [16]: len(cdf)

Out[16]: 256
```

```
In [17]: def normalize_cdf(cdf):
    cdf_normalized = [0] * len(cdf)
    min_cdf = min([x for x in cdf if x > 0])
    max_cdf = max([x for x in cdf if x > 0])
    for i in range(len(cdf)):
        cdf_normalized[i] = int(((cdf[i] - min_cdf) / (max_cdf - min_cdf)) * 255)
    return cdf_normalized
```

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In [18]: n_cdf=normalize_cdf(cdf)
```

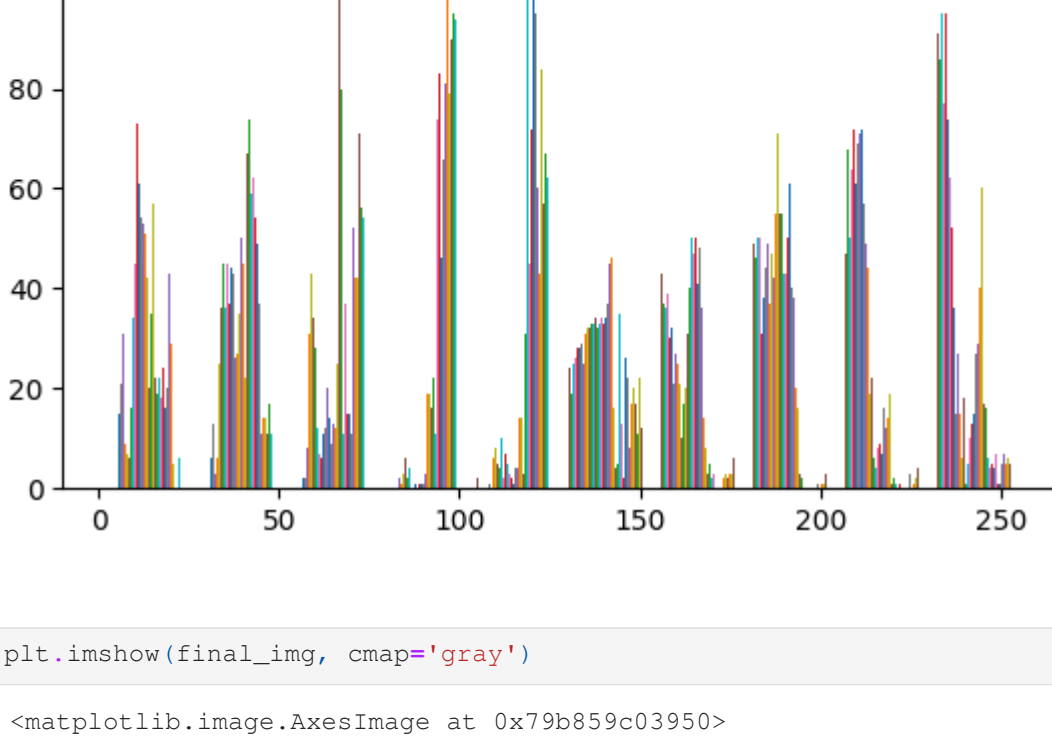
```
In [19]: print(np.array(n_cdf))

[ 0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  1 7 12 16 22 28 35 40 44 45
46 47 48 48 49 49 50 50 50 51 51 51 52 52 53 53 54
54 54 55 55 55 56 56 56 57 57 57 58 58 58 58 59 59
59 60 60 60 60 61 61 61 62 62 62 63 63 63 64 64 64
64 64 65 65 65 65 65 66 66 66 66 67 67 67 67 68 68
68 69 69 70 70 71 71 72 72 73 73 73 74 75 76 77 77 78
79 80 81 82 83 84 86 87 88 89 90 91 93 94 95 97 98 99
101 103 104 106 107 109 111 112 114 115 117 118 120 123 122 124 125 127
128 130 132 134 136 138 140 142 145 147 149 151 154 156 159 162 168 169
174 179 180 188 192 196 200 203 206 209 212 215 217 220 222 225 228 230
233 235 238 240 242 245 246 248 248 249 250 250 250 251 251 251 251
251 251 252 252 252 252 252 252 252 252 252 252 252 252 253 253 253
253 253 253 253 253 253 253 253 253 253 253 253 254 254 254 254
254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254 254
254 255 255 255]
```

```
In [20]: def apply_histogram_equalization(image, cdf_normalized):
    equalized_image = []
    for row in image:
        new_row = []
        for pixel in row:
            new_row.append(cdf_normalized[pixel])
        equalized_image.append(new_row)
    return equalized_image
```

```
In [21]: final_img=apply_histogram_equalization(img,n_cdf)
```

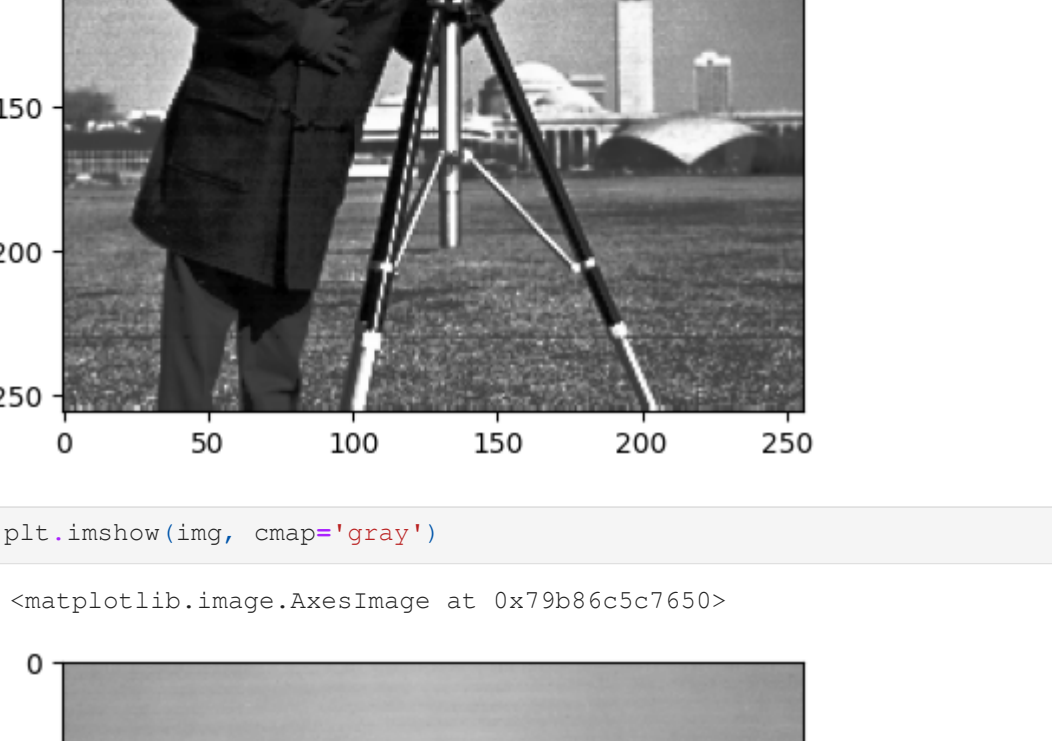
```
In [22]: plt.hist(img)
plt.savefig('histogram_plot.png')
```



```
In [23]: print(np.array(final_img))

[[154 162 159 ... 142 145 145]
 [148 149 154 ... 149 151 147]
 [154 162 159 ... 142 145 145]
 ...
 [ 86 111 97 ... 115 118 86]
 [ 94 101 107 ... 112 107 84]
 [ 94 101 107 ... 112 107 84]]
```

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In [24]: plt.hist(final_img)
plt.savefig('final_histogram.png')
```



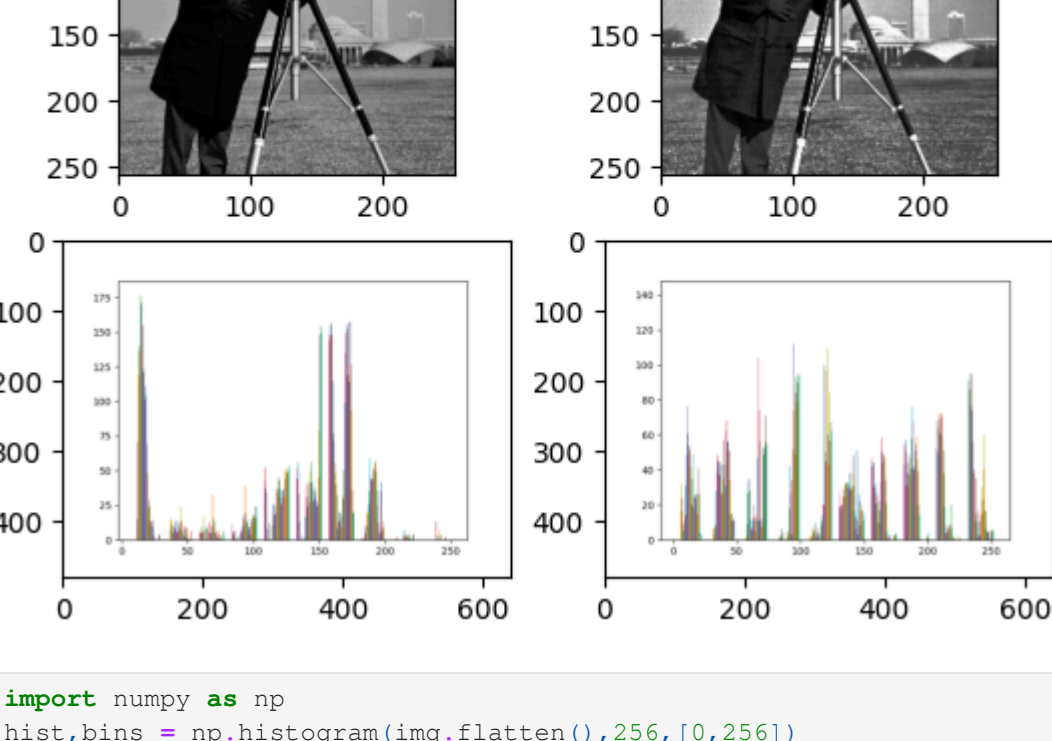
```
In [25]: plt.imshow(final_img, cmap='gray')
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```
Out[25]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x79b8598c37650>
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```
In [26]: plt.imshow(img, cmap='gray')
```

```
Out[26]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x79b8598c37650>
```



```
In [28]: import numpy as np
hist, bins = np.histogram(img.flatten(),256,[0,256])
```

```
Out[28]: hist
```

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Out[29]: array([ 0.,  0.,  0.,  0.,  0.,  0.,  0.,  0.,  4, 423, 1477, 1259,
1175, 1456, 1529, 1685, 1338, 968, 471, 261, 187, 169, 140,
107, 109, 104, 96, 99, 114, 86, 108, 91, 76, 99,
92, 83, 105, 85, 100, 98, 97, 81, 86, 80, 106,
68, 59, 72, 77, 65, 70, 61, 67, 50, 64, 74,
67, 59, 70, 85, 80, 68, 72, 74, 86, 87, 76,
67, 61, 67, 62, 43, 57, 55, 43, 67, 52, 33,
36, 47, 52, 50, 45, 64, 52, 68, 69, 64, 55,
82, 92, 88, 75, 110, 78, 101, 86, 116, 135, 144,
145, 180, 154, 179, 179, 231, 203, 196, 225, 245, 236,
266, 266, 276, 307, 286, 285, 286, 285, 286, 331, 256,
296, 340, 351, 351, 360, 359, 410, 374, 391, 417, 434, 417,
421, 407, 412, 376, 365, 406, 379, 353, 354, 357, 375,
377, 404, 396, 463, 524, 524, 517, 601, 569, 566, 547,
538, 683, 397, 688, 744, 773, 900, 916, 1221, 1174, 1206,
1187, 1104, 958, 991, 924, 778, 729, 704, 674, 669, 632,
668, 668, 690, 631, 676, 706, 635, 639, 539, 545, 439,
330, 232, 183, 127, 75, 83, 49, 50, 49, 45, 35,
28, 34, 33, 15, 25, 29, 38, 26, 17, 22, 19,
21, 19, 11, 13, 26, 24, 18, 14, 8, 9,
14, 22, 14, 13, 14, 15, 14, 11, 9, 17,
14, 26, 22, 22, 14, 11, 6, 7, 2, 4, 7, 7, 12, 13,
11, 6, 7, 2, 4, 7, 7, 12, 13, 5, 3,
1, 0, 0])
```


Conclusion

In this notebook, we explored various fundamental image processing operations using Python and popular libraries such as OpenCV, PIL, and Matplotlib. We started by reading and displaying images using `matplotlib.pyplot` and `matplotlib.image`. We then converted images to different formats and compared their file sizes to understand the impact of different formats on storage. Next, we converted an image to grayscale and displayed both the original and grayscale images using subplots for comparison. We performed image enhancement operations, including histogram equalization, to improve the visual quality of the images. We calculated the cumulative distribution function (CDF) and applied it to enhance the image contrast. Throughout this notebook, we learned how to manipulate and enhance images, understand the importance of different image formats, and apply various image processing techniques to improve image quality. These skills are essential for any computer vision task and provide a solid foundation for more advanced image processing and analysis. By implementing these operations, we gained hands-on experience with image processing, which is crucial for practical applications in computer vision and related fields.