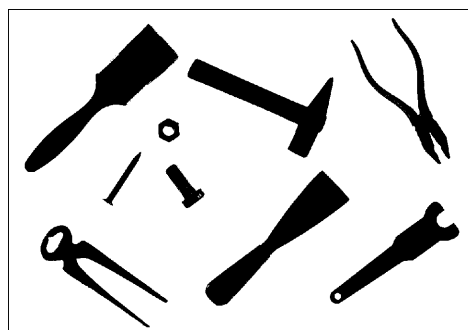


## VC3 – Image Processing Regionen in Binärbildern

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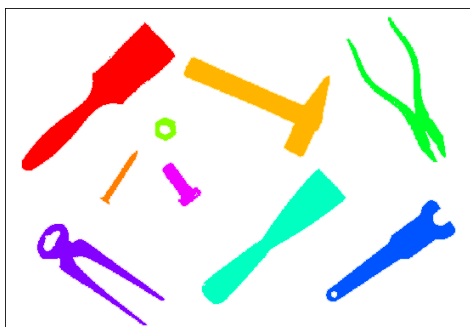
## Auffinden von Bildregionen



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## Ziel: Objekte identifizieren

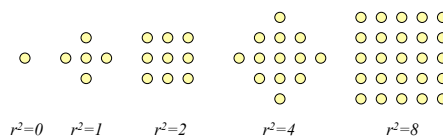


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## Definition von Zusammenhang über Nachbarschaft

$$N_r(i, j) = \left\{ (u, v) \mid (u - i)^2 + (v - j)^2 \leq r^2 \right\}$$



$r^2=0$   $r^2=1$   
**Vier-  
nachbar-  
schaft**

$r^2=2$   $r^2=4$   $r^2=8$   
**Achter-  
nachbar-  
schaft**

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## Beispiel Nachbarschaft

0 Hintergrund 1 Vordergrund

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

4er Nachbarschaft

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

8er Nachbarschaft

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## Markierung durch Flood Filling

$$I(u, v) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{Hintergrund} \\ 1 & \text{Vordergrund} \\ 2, 3, \dots & \text{Regionenmarkierung} \end{cases}$$

- 1: REGIONLABELING( $I$ )  
 $I$ : binary image (0 = background, 1 = foreground)  
 The image  $I$  is labeled (destructively modified) and returned.
- 2: Initialize  $m \leftarrow 2$  (the value of the next label to be assigned).
- 3: Iterate over all image coordinates  $(u, v)$ .
- 4: if  $I(u, v) = 1$  then
- 5:     FLOODFILL( $I, u, v, m$ )      $\triangleright$  use any of the 3 versions below
- 6:      $m \leftarrow m + 1$ .
- 7: return the labeled image  $I$ .

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## 1. Rekursives Flood Filling

```

8: FLOODFILL( $I, u, v, label$ )                                > Recursive Version
9:   if coordinate  $(u, v)$  is within image boundaries and  $I(u, v) = 1$  then
10:     Set  $I(u, v) \leftarrow label$ 
11:     FLOODFILL( $I, u+1, v, label$ )
12:     FLOODFILL( $I, u, v+1, label$ )
13:     FLOODFILL( $I, u, v-1, label$ )
14:     FLOODFILL( $I, u-1, v, label$ )
15:   return.
  
```

} 4er Nachbarschaft

- Vorteil: Einfach zu implementieren
- Nachteil: Stack-Speicher schnell erschöpft
  - Nur für kleine Bilder geeignet

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## 2. Depth-First Flood Filling

```

16: FLOODFILL( $I, u, v, label$ )                                > Depth-First Version
17:   Create an empty stack  $S$ 
18:   Put the seed coordinate  $(u, v)$  onto the stack: PUSH( $S, (u, v)$ )
19:   while  $S$  is not empty do
20:     Get the next coordinate from the top of the stack:
21:      $(x, y) \leftarrow POP(S)$ 
22:     if coordinate  $(x, y)$  is within image boundaries and  $I(x, y) = 1$ 
23:       then
24:         Set  $I(x, y) \leftarrow label$ 
25:         PUSH( $S, (x+1, y)$ )
26:         PUSH( $S, (x, y+1)$ )
27:         PUSH( $S, (x, y-1)$ )
28:         PUSH( $S, (x-1, y)$ )
29:   return.
  
```

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## 2. Depth-First Flood Filling

- Verwendung einer Datenstruktur
  - Stack von Koordinatenpunkten  $(u, v)$ 
    - Z.B. Java Klasse `Stack`
  - Dynamische Speicherallozierung vom Heap
- Vorteil:
  - Keine Probleme mit dem Stack-Speicher
- Nachteil:
  - Stack kann lang werden, wenn die Objekte sehr groß sind

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## 3. Breadth-First Flood Filling

```

28: FLOODFILL( $I, u, v, label$ )                                > Breadth-First Version
29:   Create an empty queue  $Q$ 
30:   Insert the seed coordinate  $(u, v)$  into the queue: ENQUEUE( $Q, (u, v)$ )
31:   while  $Q$  is not empty do
32:     Get the next coordinate from the front of the queue:
33:      $(x, y) \leftarrow DEQUEUE(Q)$ 
34:     if coordinate  $(x, y)$  is within image boundaries and  $I(x, y) = 1$ 
35:       then
36:         Set  $I(x, y) \leftarrow label$ 
37:         ENQUEUE( $Q, (x+1, y)$ )
38:         ENQUEUE( $Q, (x, y+1)$ )
39:         ENQUEUE( $Q, (x, y-1)$ )
40:         ENQUEUE( $Q, (x-1, y)$ )
41:   return.
  
```

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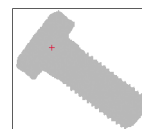
## 3. Breadth-First Flood Filling

- Verwendung einer Datenstruktur
  - Queue von Koordinatenpunkten  $(u, v)$ 
    - Z.B. mit Java Klasse `java.util.LinkedList`
    - DEQUEUE mit `removeLast()`
    - ENQUEUE mit `addFirst()`
  - Dynamische Speicherallozierung vom Heap
- Vorteile:
  - Keine Probleme mit dem Stack-Speicher
  - Geringerer Speicherbedarf als bei Depth-First

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## Vergleich

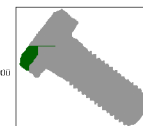
Original mit  
Startpunkt



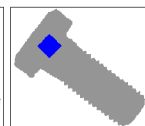
(b)

 $K = 1,000$ 

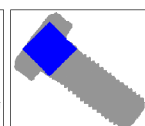
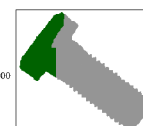
depth-first



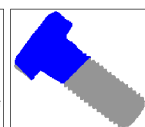
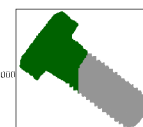
breadth-first



(c)

 $K = 5,000$ 

(d)

 $K = 10,000$ 

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## Sequentielle Regionenmarkierung

- Auch als „region labeling“ bezeichnet
- „Gleichzeitiges“ Markieren aller Regionen
- Zwei Schritte
  1. Vorläufiges Markieren
  2. Auflösung von Kollisionen

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## Vorläufiges Markieren (1/3)

(b) only background neighbors

new label (2)

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

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## Vorläufiges Markieren (2/3)

(c) exactly one neighbor label

neighbor label is propagated

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	0	0	0	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

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## Vorläufiges Markieren (3/3)

(d) two different neighbor labels

one of the labels (2) is propagated

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	3	3	0	4	0	0	0
0	5	5	5	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
0	1	1	0	0	0	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

Kollisionen vermeiden: Hier (2, 5)

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## Algorithmus

```

1: SEQUENTIALLABELING(I)
   I: binary image (0 = background, 1 = foreground)
2: PASS 1 - ASSIGN INITIAL LABELS:
3: Initialize  $m \leftarrow 2$  (the value of the next label to be assigned).
4: Create an empty set  $C$  to hold the collisions:  $C \leftarrow \{\}$ .
5: for  $v \leftarrow 0 \dots H-1$  do ▷  $H$  = height of image  $I$ 
6:   for  $u \leftarrow 0 \dots W-1$  do ▷  $W$  = width of image  $I$ 
7:     if  $I(u, v) = 1$  then do one of:
8:       if all neighbors are background pixels (all  $n_i = 0$ ) then
9:          $I(u, v) \leftarrow m$ .
10:         $m \leftarrow m + 1$ .
11:       else if exactly one of the neighbors has a label value
12:          $n_k > 1$  then
13:         set  $I(u, v) \leftarrow n_k$ .
14:       else if several neighbors have label values  $n_j > 1$  then
15:         Select one of them as the new label:
16:          $I(u, v) \leftarrow k \in \{n_j\}$ .
17:         for all other neighbors with label values  $n_i > 1$  and
18:            $n_i \neq k$  do
19:             register the pair  $\langle n_i, k \rangle$  as a label collision:
20:              $C \leftarrow C \cup \{\langle n_i, k \rangle\}$ .

```

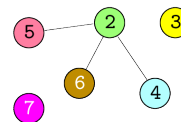
Remark: The image  $I$  now contains label values  $0, 2, \dots, m-1$ .

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## Verbleibende Kollisionen

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	3	3	0	4	0	0	0
0	5	5	5	2	2	2	0	0	3	3	0	4	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
0	6	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0
0	7	7	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

(a)



(b)

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## Kollisionen Auflösen

```

17: PASS 2 – RESOLVE LABEL COLLISIONS:
18: Let  $\mathcal{L} = \{2, 3, \dots, m-1\}$  be the set of preliminary region labels.
19: Create a partitioning of  $\mathcal{L}$  as a vector of sets, one set for each label
    value:  $\mathcal{R} \leftarrow [\mathcal{R}_2, \mathcal{R}_3, \dots, \mathcal{R}_{m-1}] = [\{2\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \dots, \{m-1\}]$ , so
     $\mathcal{R}_i = \{i\}$  for all  $i \in \mathcal{L}$ .
20: for all collisions  $\langle a, b \rangle \in \mathcal{C}$  do
21:     Find in  $\mathcal{R}$  the sets  $\mathcal{R}_a, \mathcal{R}_b$  containing the labels  $a, b$ , resp.:
         $\mathcal{R}_a \leftarrow$  the set which currently contains label  $a$ 
         $\mathcal{R}_b \leftarrow$  the set which currently contains label  $b$ 
22:     if  $\mathcal{R}_a \neq \mathcal{R}_b$  ( $a$  and  $b$  are contained in different sets) then
23:         Merge sets  $\mathcal{R}_a$  and  $\mathcal{R}_b$  by moving all elements of  $\mathcal{R}_b$  to  $\mathcal{R}_a$ :
             $\mathcal{R}_a \leftarrow \mathcal{R}_a \cup \mathcal{R}_b$ 
             $\mathcal{R}_b \leftarrow \{\}$ 

    Remark: All equivalent label values (i.e., all labels of pixels in the
    same region) are now contained in the same sets within  $\mathcal{R}$ .
  
```

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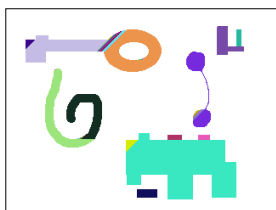
## Bild neu Indizieren

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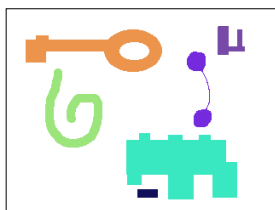
24: PASS 3: RELABEL THE IMAGE:
25: Iterate through all image pixels  $(u, v)$ :
26:     if  $I(u, v) > 1$  then
27:         Find the set  $\mathcal{R}_i$  in  $\mathcal{R}$  which contains label  $I(u, v)$ .
28:         Choose one unique, representative element  $k$  from the set  $\mathcal{R}_i$ 
            (e.g., the minimum value,  $k \leftarrow \min(S)$ ).
29:         Replace the image label:  $I(u, v) \leftarrow k$ .
30: return the labeled image  $I$ .
  
```

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## Beispiel



einzelne Regionen



verbundene Regionen

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