

# Homework #3

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CECS 627: Digital Image Processing

Consider the images shown. The image on the right was obtained by:

- multiplying the image on the left by  $(-1)^{(x+y)}$
- computing the DFT
- taking the complex conjugate of the transform
- computing the inverse DFT
- (3) multiplying the real part of the result by  $(-1)^{(x+y)}$ .

Explain mathematically why the image on the right appears as it does.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{F}[F(u,v)^*] &= \sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} F(u,v) e^{-j2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)} \\
 \Rightarrow &= \sum_u \sum_v F(u,v) e^{j2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)} \\
 \Rightarrow &= \sum_u \sum_v F(u,v) e^{j2\pi(u(-x)/M + v(-y)/N)} \\
 \Rightarrow \mathcal{F}[F(u,v)^*] &= f(-x, -y) \therefore \text{This mirrors } f(x,y) \text{ about the origin.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Consider the sequence of images shown below. The image on the left is a segment of an X-ray image of a commercial printed circuit board. The images following it are, respectively the results of subjecting the image to 1, 10, and 100 passes of a gaussian highpass filter with  $D_0 = 30$ . The images are of size  $3030 \times 334$  pixels, with each pixel being represented by 8 bits of gray. The images were scaled for display, but this has no effect on the problem statement.

- (a) It appears from the images that changes will cease to take place after a finite number of passes. Show whether or not this is the case. You may ignore computational round-off errors. Let  $c_{min}$  denote the smallest possible number representable in the machine in which the computations are conducted.
- (b) If you determined in (a) that changes would cease after a finite number of iterations, determine the minimum value of that number.

a.)

Gaussian High Pass Filter

$$\begin{aligned} G(u,v) &= H_{HP}(u,v) F(u,v) \\ &= [1 - H_{LP}(u,v)] F(u,v) \\ &= [1 - e^{-KD^2(u,v)/2D_0^2}] F(u,v) \end{aligned}$$

⇒ after several passes, the filter will only pass one frequency centered at  $F(0,0)$ . This is the average value of all pixels.

b.)

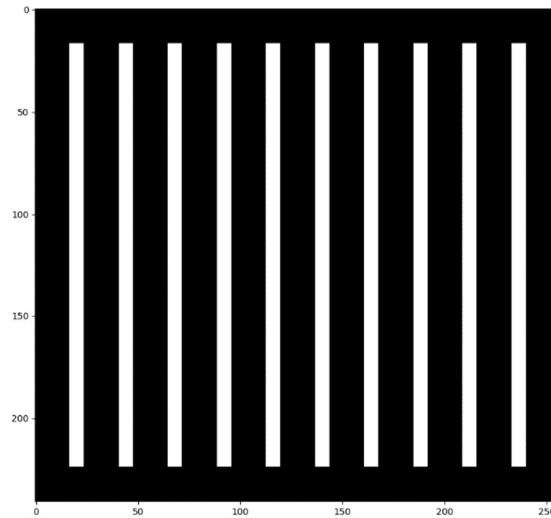
$$1 - e^{-KD^2(u,v)/2D_0^2} > 0.5c_{min}$$

$$\Rightarrow K > \frac{2D_0^2 \ln(1 - 0.5c_{min})}{D^2(u,v)}$$

$$\Rightarrow K > - \frac{2D_0^2 \ln(0.5c_{min})}{D^2(u,v)}$$

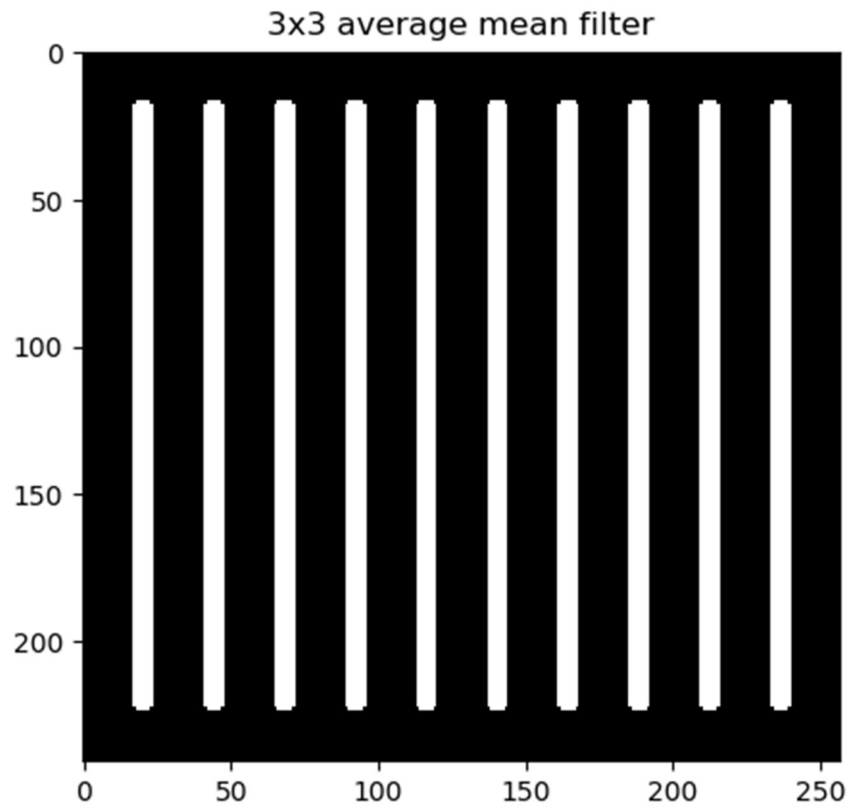
$$\Rightarrow K > -2D_0^2 \ln(0.5c_{min})$$

**The white bars in the test pattern shown are 7 pixels wide and 210 pixels high.  
The separations between bars is 17 pixels.**

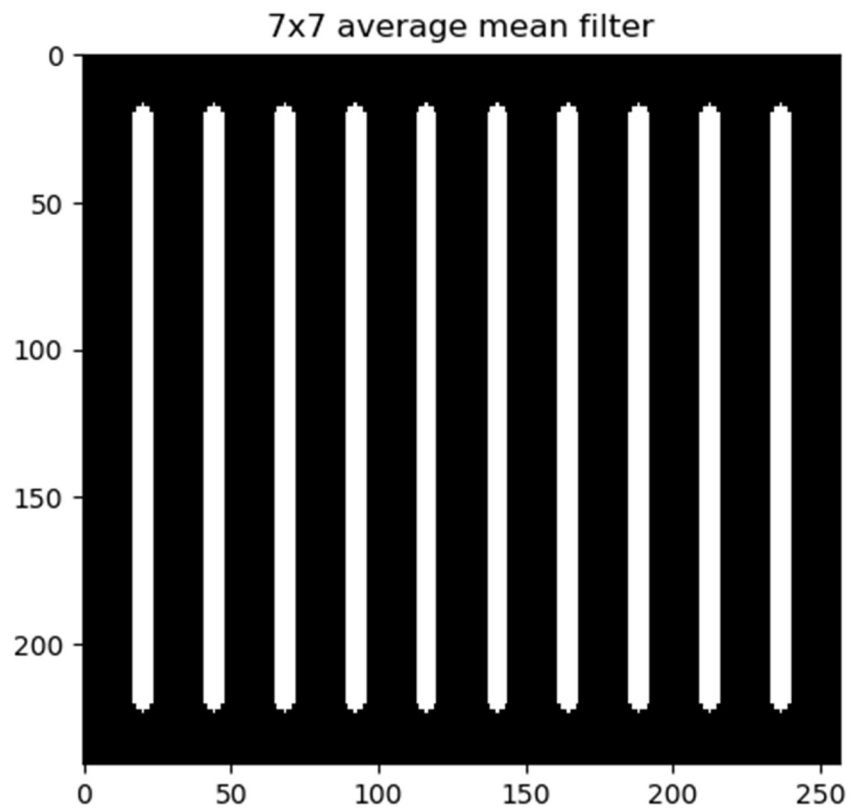


What would this image look like after application of:

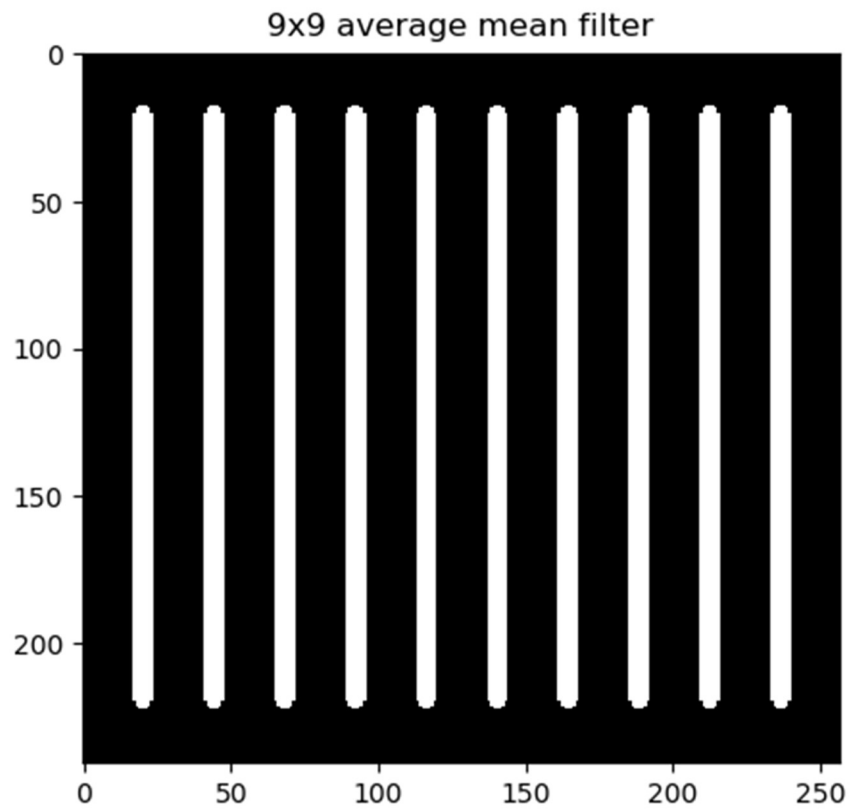
(a) A 3x3 arithmetic mean filter?



**(b) A 7x7 arithmetic mean filter?**



(c) A 9x9 arithmetic mean filter?



Consider an 8-pixel line of intensity data, {108, 139, 135, 244, 172, 173, 56, 99}. If it is uniformly quantized with 4-bit accuracy, compute the rms error and rms signal-to-noise ratios for the quantized data.

Intensity	Quantized Intensity	Difference
108	96	12
139	128	11
135	128	7
244	240	4
172	160	12
173	160	13
56	48	8
99	96	3

$$\text{Error}_{\text{RMS}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{8} \sum (F - \hat{F})^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{8} (12^2 + 11^2 + 7^2 + 4^2 + 12^2 + 13^2 + 8^2 + 3^2)}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{8} \{716\}}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Error}_{\text{RMS}} = 9.46}$$

$$\text{SNR}_{\text{RMS}} = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{8} \sum (F)^2}}{\text{Error}_{\text{RMS}}} = \frac{\sqrt{96^2 + 128^2 + 128^2 + 240^2 + 160^2 + 160^2 + 48^2 + 96^2}}{9.46}$$

$$\boxed{\text{SNR}_{\text{RMS}} = 15.1}$$