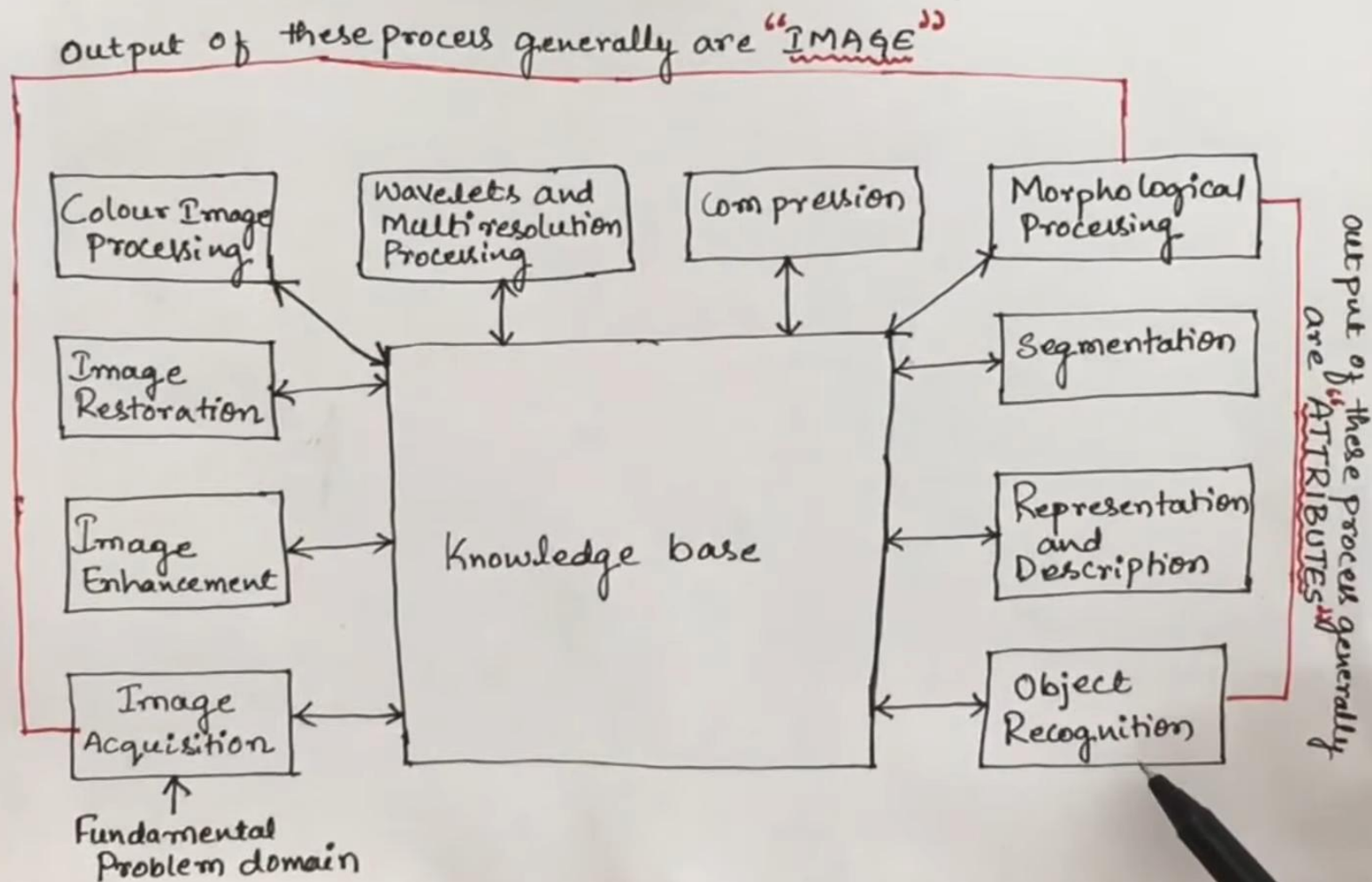


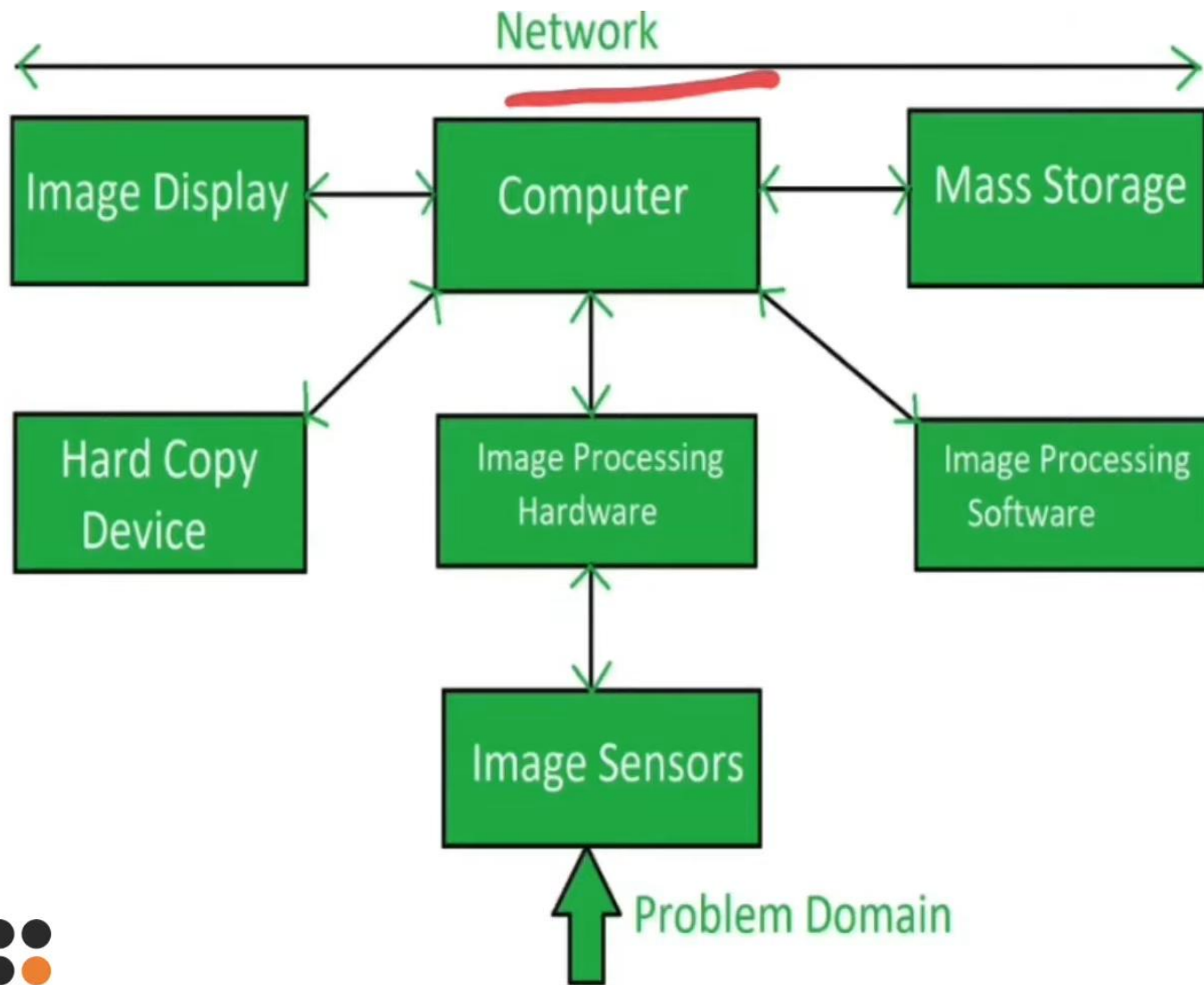
## Origin of Digital Image Processing

- News Paper Industry → Image of picture
- Were sent by Submarine Cable
- London & New York.
- Bartlane Cable - 1920s - reduced transmission time - Image to 3 hours from more than one week - Atlantic.
- Reproduced by telegraph printer with special face.
- This method was abundant - 1921
- New technique - photographic repro-duction made from tapes.
- Early Bartlane slms - coding image in 5 distinct gray level.
- Capability - increased to 15 distinct levels of gray - 1929
- Idea - Modern digital computers - 1940s
- John Von Neumann - two key concepts
  - (i) Memory (ii) Conditional branching
  - Foundation of CPU

- Key advances - Computer - powerful
- Digital image processing.
- \* Transistors - Bell Labs - 1948
- \* high level programming language
- \* IC - Texas Instruments - 1958
- \* OS - early 1960s
- \* MP - Intel - 1970s
- \* PC - IBM - 1981
- \* Large scale ICs - late 1970s
- \* VLSI - 1980s [ULSI - Present]
- \* IC technology, Mass storage & display slms.
- First Computer - Image Processing - 1960s
- First Pic. of moon - US space craft Ranger 7 - July 31 1964 at 9:09 AM.
- In late 60s & early 70s - Image Processing Applications.
  - \* Medical Imaging \* Remote earth resource & Astronomy.
- From - 60s to present - IP - broad range of Applications.
  - \* Contrast Enhancement
  - \* Image Enhancement & Restoration.

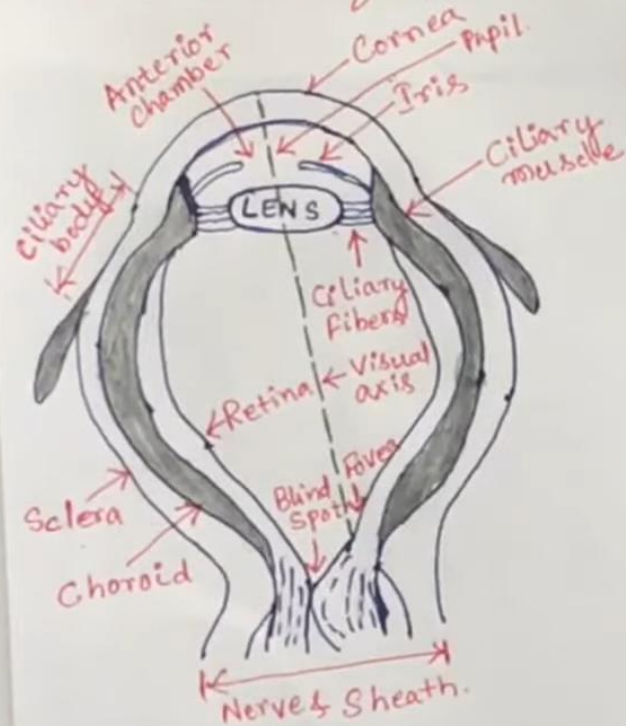
## Fundamental Steps in DIP:







## Structure of Human Eye:-



- Shape → Sphere, diameter → 20mm
- Enclosed → Various Membranes  
Cornea & Sclera → outer cover.
- Cornea → Convex exterior portion.  
→ It covers Iris & pupil
- Sclera → tough white fibrous  
cover entire eye ball except Cornea.

→ Choroid → lies below Sclera. → n/w of blood Vessels  
→ divided → Ciliary body & Iris diaphragm  
→ Iris → Contracts ⊗ Expand → Control light.  
→ Central opening → PUPIL → 2 to 8 mm.  
Front → visible pigment, Back → black pigment.

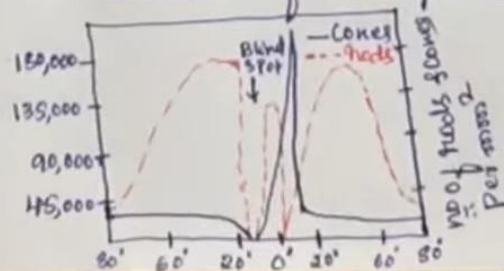
→ Lens → Concentric layers of fibrous cells → Suspended by Fibers.  
→ 60% to 70% water, 6% fat, Protein.  
→ Coloured → Slightly yellow pigment. → Absorbs 8% visible light.

→ Retina → Innermost membrane of eye → Object → Imaged  
→ discrete light receptors → CONES & RODS  
→ pattern vision.

→ Cones → 6 to 7 million → located → Central portion of Retina → Fovea. → Vision → Photopic ⊗ bright light Vision

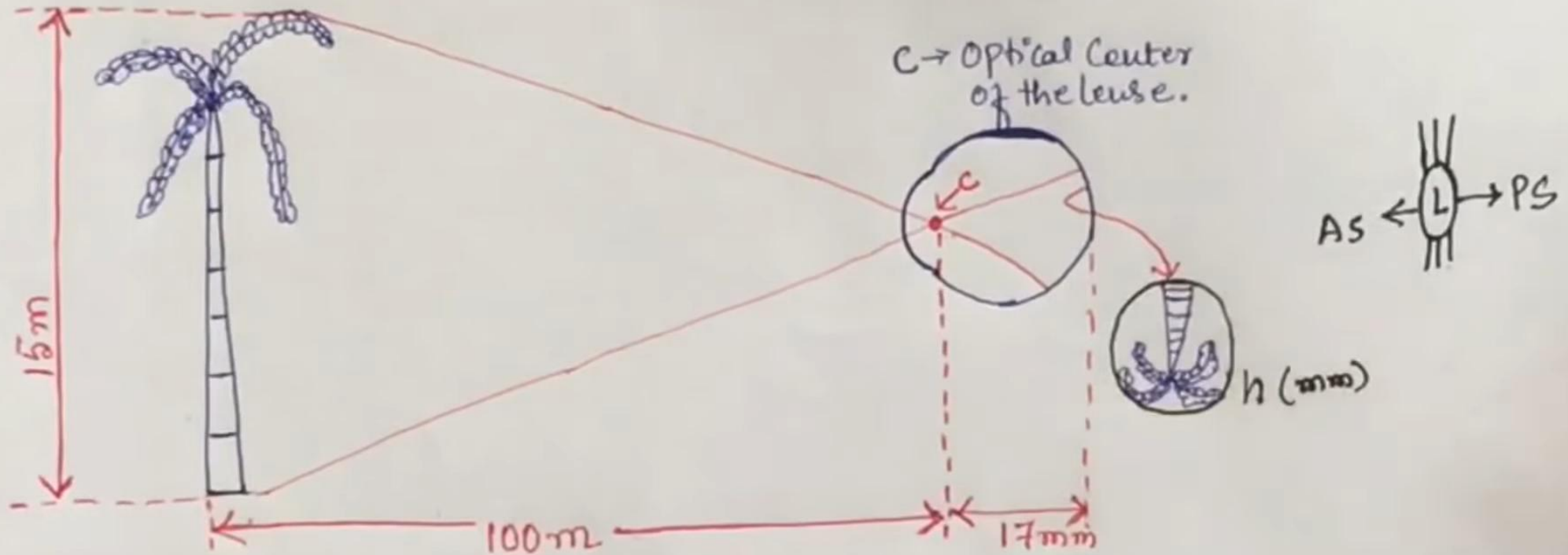
→ Rods → 75 to 150 million → distributed → surface of Retina.  
→ not involved in Colour Vision.

→ Absence of Receptors → BLIND SPOT



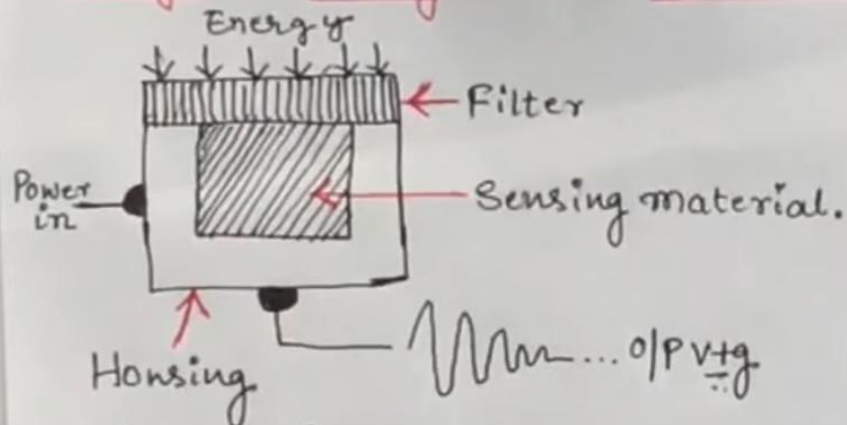
→ Fovea → 1.5mm X 1.5mm  
density 150,000/mm²  
highest vision → 3,37,000/mm²

## Image Formation in an eye:

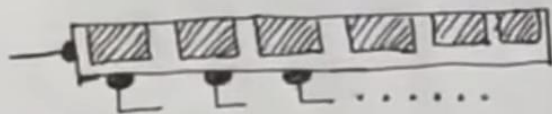


$$\frac{15}{100} = \frac{h}{17} \Rightarrow \boxed{h = 255 \text{ mm}}$$

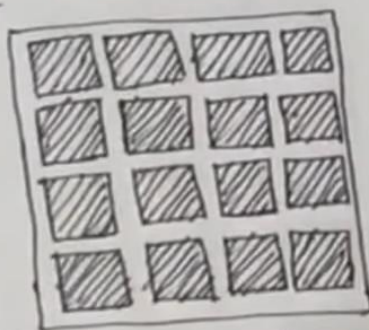
# Image Sensing and Acquisition



(a) Single Image Sensor

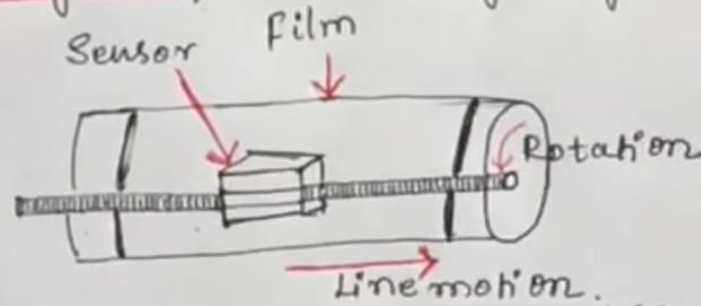


(b) Line Sensor

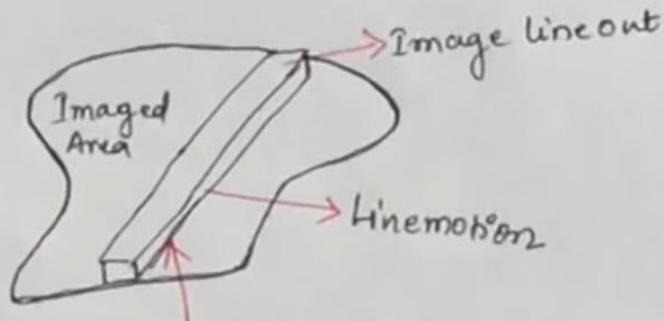


(c) Array of Sensor

## Image acquisition using Single Sensor

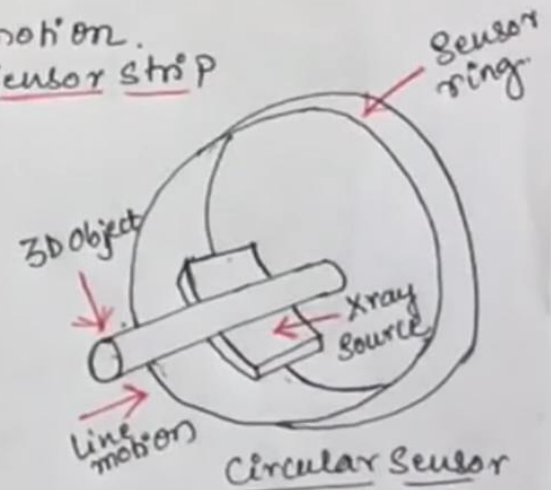


## Image acquisition using Sensor strip



Sensor Strip  
Line Sensor (or) Linear Sensor

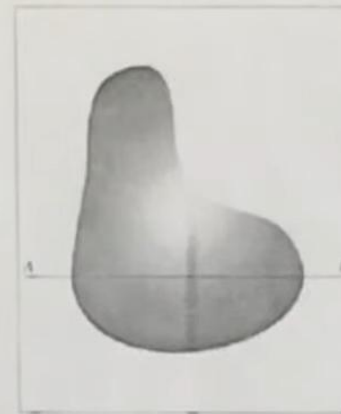
## Image acquisition using Array sensor



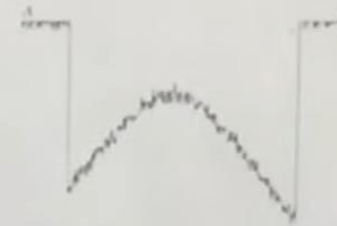


## Image Sampling & Quantization:

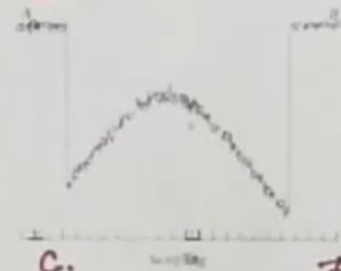
- o/p sensor → Continuous  $V+g$
- Convert → Continuous sensed data  
↓  
digital form.
- Image → Continuous →  $x$  &  $y$   
↓  
Amplitude.
- Digital form → Sample →  $x$  &  $y$   
↓  
Amplitude.
- Digitizing • Co-ordinate Values  
↓  
"SAMPLING"
- Digitizing Amplitude values.  
↓  
"QUANTIZATION"



a.



b.



c.

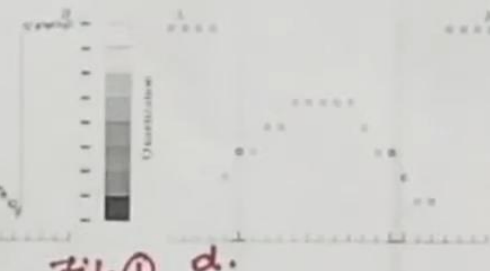
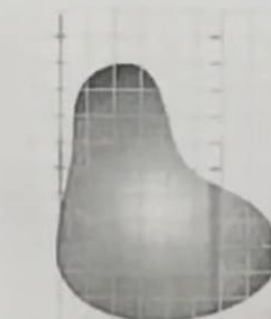
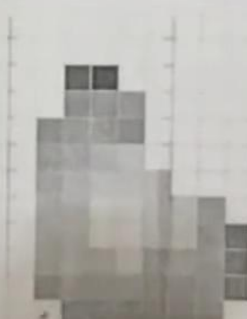


Fig ① d.



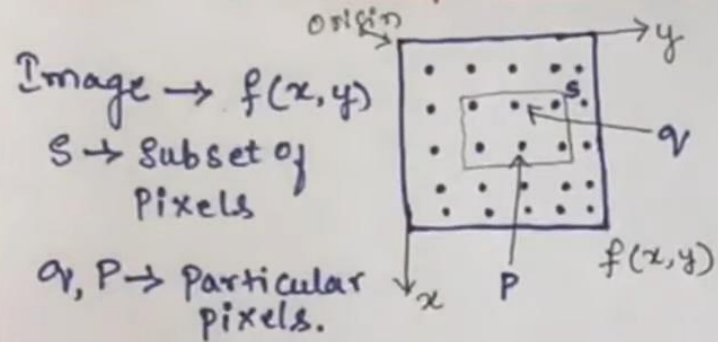
a.



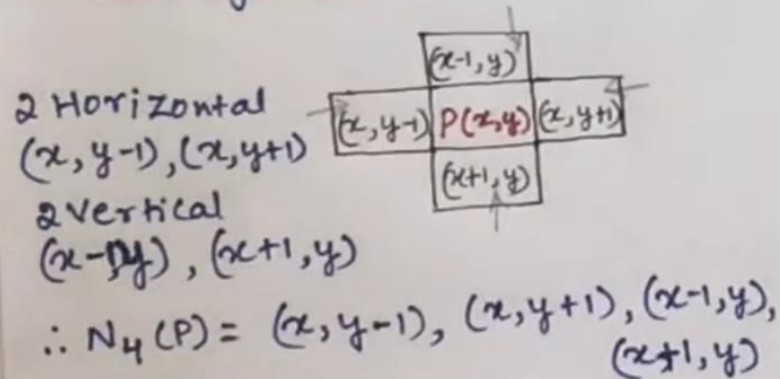
b.

Fig ②

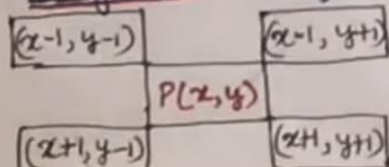
## Basic Relationship between Pixels.



### 4- Neighbours $[N_4(P)]$



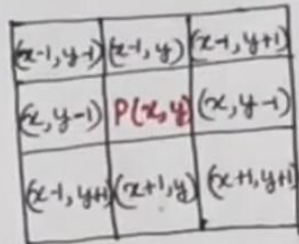
### Diagonal Neighbours $[N_D(P)]$



$$N_D(P) = (x+1, y-1), (x-1, y-1), (x-1, y+1), (x+1, y+1)$$

### 8 neighbour $[N_8(P)]$

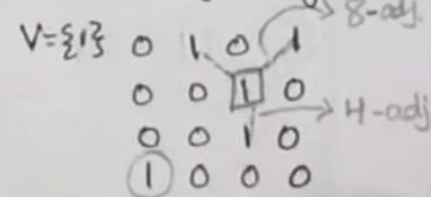
$$N_8(P) = N_4(P) + N_D(P)$$



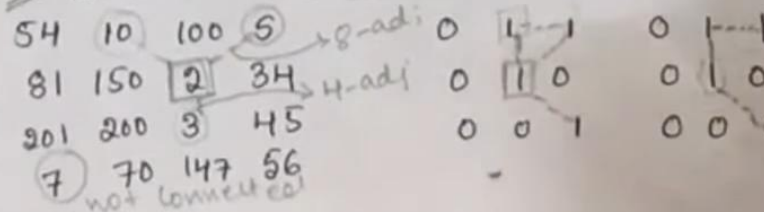
### Connectivity / Adjacent

1. 4-adjacency
2. 8-adjacency
3. m-adjacency [mixed-adjacency]

#### Binary Image



#### Gray scale Image

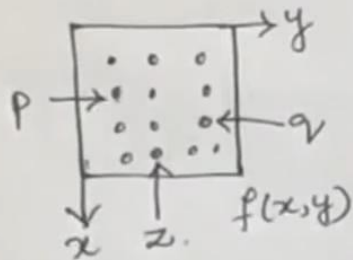




## DISTANCE MEASURE:

Image  $\rightarrow f(x, y)$

$P, q, z \rightarrow$  Particular pixels.



## Distance function D

Properties of D

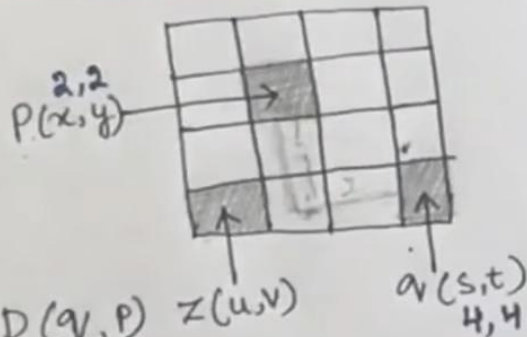
(i)  $D(P, q) \geq 0$

(ii)  $D(P, q) = 0$

if  $P = q$

(iii)  $D(P, q) = D(q, P)$   $z(u, v)$   $q(s, t)$   $4, 4$

(iv)  $D(P, z) \leq D(P, q) + D(q, z)$



Ex:-  
①  $D_E(P, q) = [(2-4)^2 + (2-4)^2]^{1/2}$   
 $= [8]^{1/2}$

②  $D_4(P, q) = |2-4| + |2-4| = 2+2$   
 $= 4$

4		2		4
	2	1	2	
2	1	0	1	2
	2	1	2	
4		2		4

③  $D_8(P, q) = \max\{|2-4|, |2-4|\}$   
 $= \max\{2, 2\}$   
 $= 2$

## Distance measure

(i) Euclidean:  $D_E(P, q) = [(x-s)^2 + (y-t)^2]^{1/2}$

(ii) City Block:  $D_4(P, q) = |x-s| + |y-t|$

(iii) Chess board:  $D_8(P, q) = \max\{|x-s|, |y-t|\}$

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

$\max\{2, 1\}$   
 $= 2$

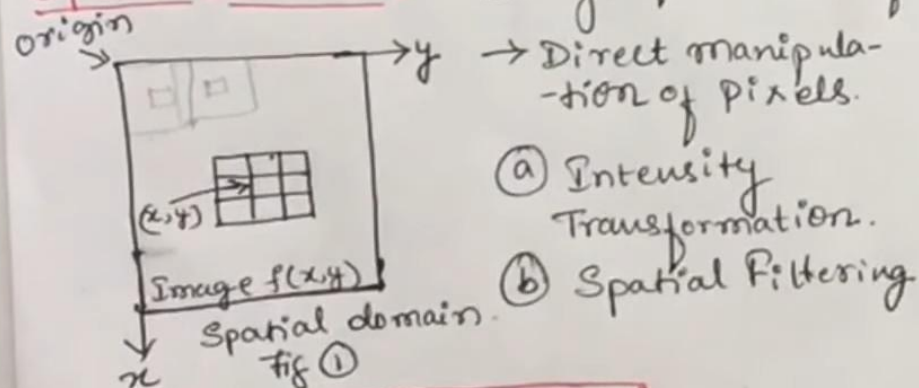
# ●●●● Introduction to Image Enhancement using Spatial domain.

Ec A Image Enhancement - Process  $\rightarrow$  Improves the Quality of an Image.  
 $\rightarrow$  To highlight the Important details  
 $\rightarrow$  To remove noise  $\rightarrow$  Image  $\rightarrow$  more appealing.

## Methods:

1. Spatial domain:- Manipulation of pixel values.
2. Frequency domain:- Modifying the F.T. of Image.
3. Combination method:- Combination of First two method.

Spatial domain:-  $\rightarrow$  Image plane itself

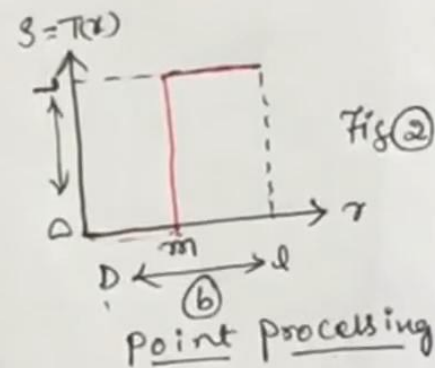
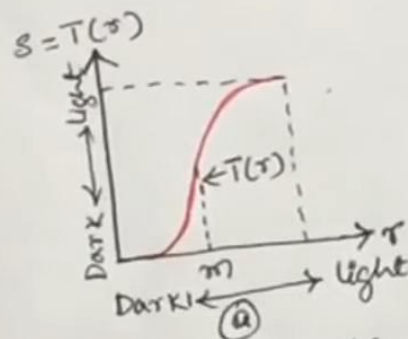


$$g(x, y) = T\{f(x, y)\} \quad T \rightarrow \text{operator}$$

Simplest form  $\rightarrow$  neighbourhood - size  $1 \times 1$   
 $T \rightarrow$  grey level transformation [intensity  $\odot$  mapping].

$$S = T(r)$$

$S \rightarrow$  o/p Image pixel Value  
 $r \rightarrow$  i/p Image pixel Value



## Contrast Stretching

mask  $\rightarrow$  Small  $[3 \times 3]$  2D array  
 $\rightarrow$  [Filters, kernels, Templates  $\odot$  window]  
 $\rightarrow$  Mask processing  $\odot$  Filtering.

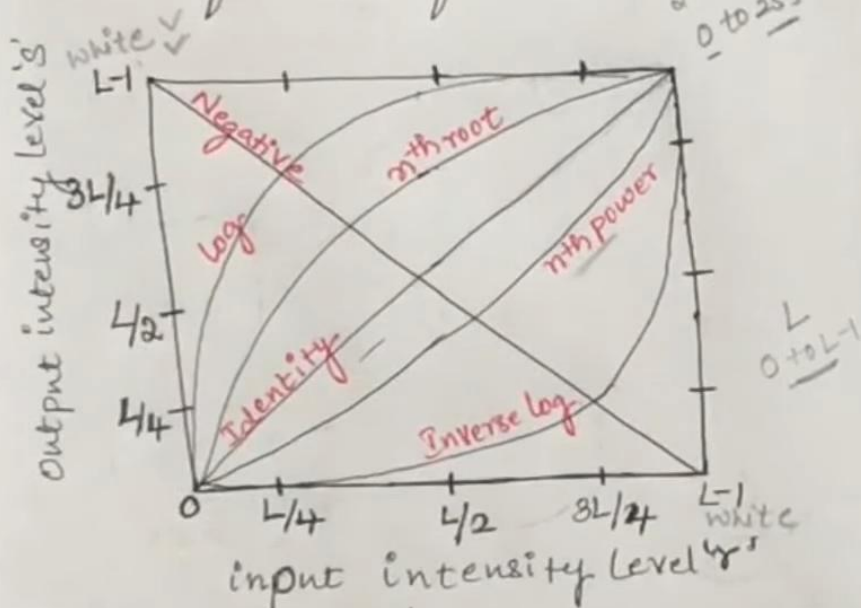
## Basic Intensity transformation function:

Gray level transformation.

$$S = T(r)$$

$r \rightarrow$  Value of pixel before processing  
 $S \rightarrow$  Value of pixel after processing.

$T \rightarrow$  Transformation function.



Some Basic transformation functions

- (a) Linear [Negative & Identity]
- (b) Logarithmic [log and Inverse log.]
- (c) Power law [nth power & nth root]

### (a) Image Negative

Intensity level  $\rightarrow [0, L-1]$

$$S = L-1-r$$

Ex:  $r=0 \checkmark$   
 $S=L-1$

$r=L-1 \checkmark$   
 $S=0 \checkmark$

### (b) Log Transformation.

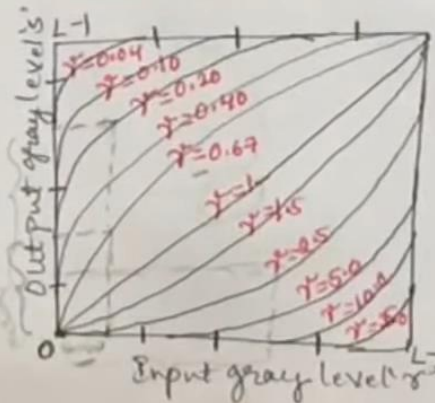
$$S = C \log(1+r)$$

$C \rightarrow$  Constant  
 $r \geq 0$   $\log 0 = 0$

### (c) Power law [gamma correction]

$$S = C r^{\gamma}$$

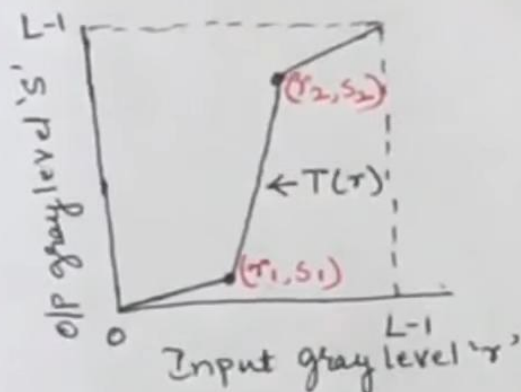
$\gamma > 1 \rightarrow$  nth power  
 $\gamma < 1 \rightarrow$  nth root





## Piecewise - Linear Transformation fun:

### ① Contrast Stretching:

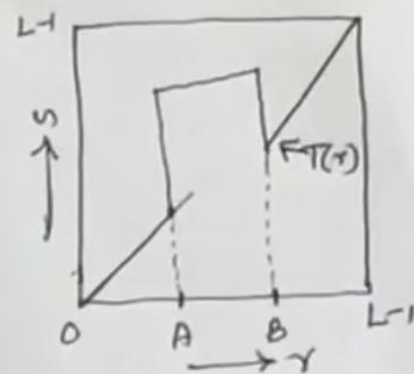
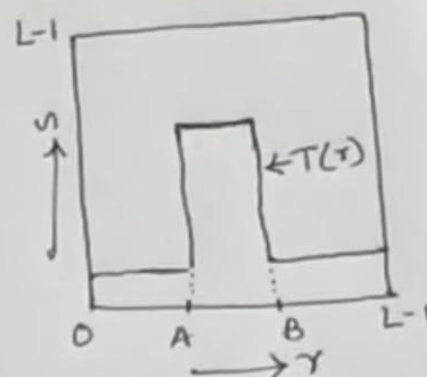


make  
 → Dark portion, darker  
 → bright portion, brighter

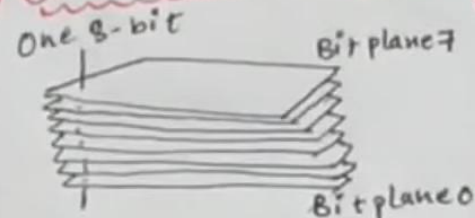
1.  $r_1 = s_1$  &  $r_2 = s_2 \rightarrow$  Linear Transformation
2.  $r_1 = r_2$  &  $s_1 = 0, s_2 = L-1 \rightarrow$  Thresholding
3. Intermediate values  $(r_1, s_1)$  &  $(r_2, s_2) \rightarrow$  Various degrees of spread in gray levels
4. Generally,  $r_1 \leq r_2$  &  $s_1 \leq s_2 \rightarrow$  Single Valued & monotonically increasing

### ② Gray level slicing:

→ Highlight specific range of gray levels

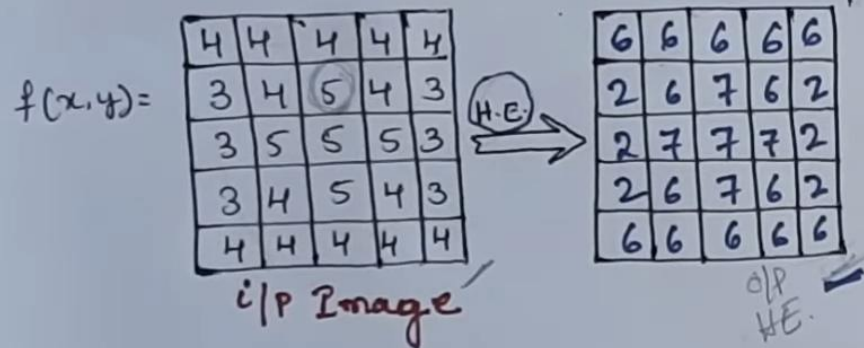


### ③ Bit plane slicing:



- Highlights → contribution → specific bits
- 8 bit image → 8 1-bits
- Top 4 bits → Majority of visually significant data
- Useful → Analyzing the relative importance → each bit
- Image compression

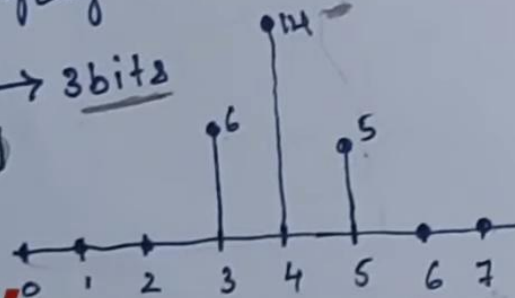
## Example:



Gray levels	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
no. of pixels $n_k$	0	0	0	6	14	5	0	0

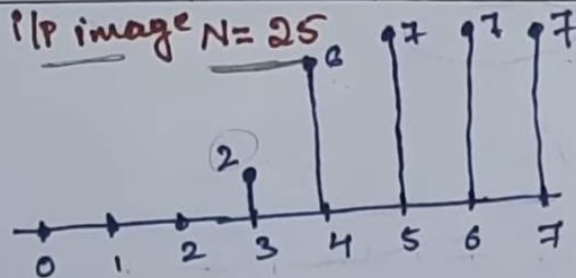
Highest gray value = 5

$2^3 = 8 \rightarrow 3 \text{ bits}$   
[0 to 7]



Gray level	no. of pixels $n_k$	PDF = $n_k/\text{sum}$	CDF = $S_k$	$S_k \times 7$	Histogram equal. level
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0	0
3	6	$6/25 = 0.24$	0.24	1.68	2
4	14	$14/25 = 0.56$	0.8	5.6	6
5	5	$5/25 = 0.2$	1.0	7	7
6	0	0	1.0	7	7
7	0	0	1.0	7	7

i/p image  $N = 25$



O/P

# HISTOGRAM EQUALIZATION → Image Enhancement.

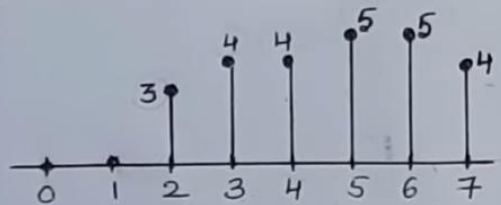
→ Graphical Representation → Data.

→ Image Processing → Data related to the Digital Image.

→ Representation → Frequency of occurrence of Various gray levels.

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

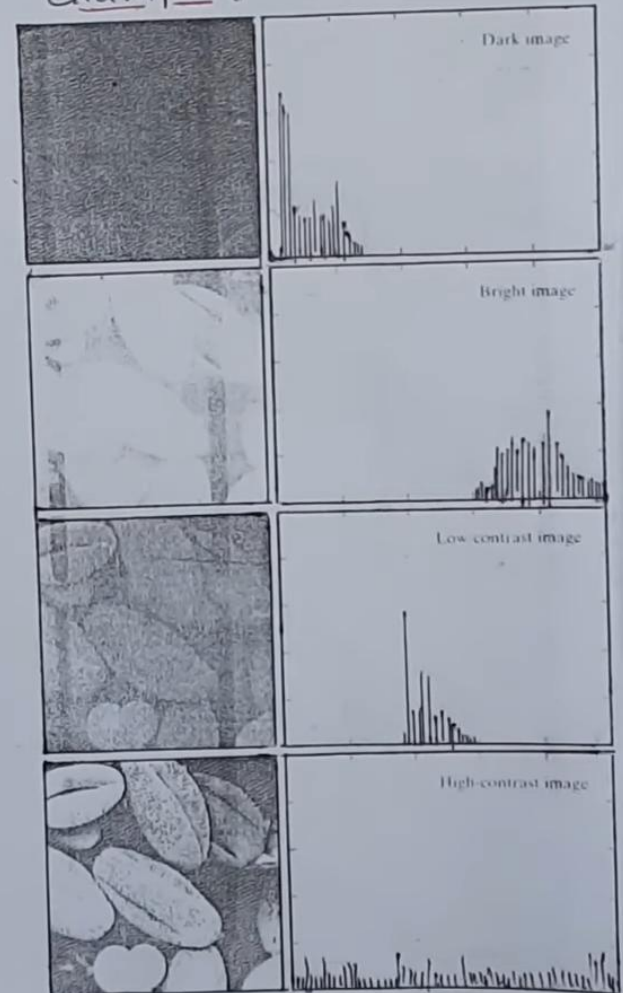
0 → 0  
1 → 0  
2 → 3  
3 → 4  
4 → 4  
5 → 5  
6 → 5  
7 → 4



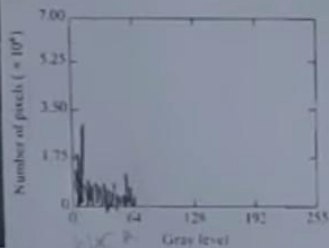
→ Used → Manipulating Contrast & Brightness.

→ Quality → Normalizing → Histogram → Flat profile

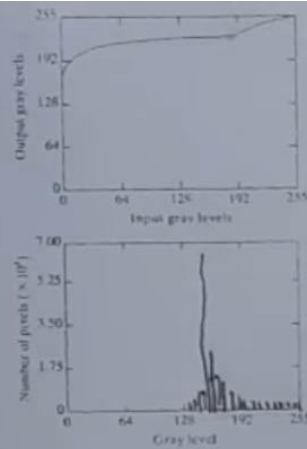
Example:





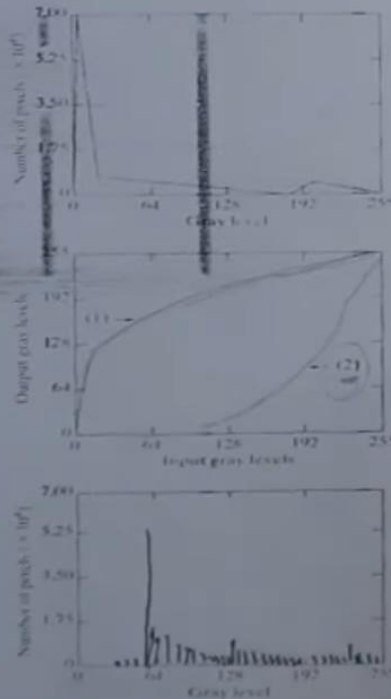


**FIGURE 3.20** (a) Image of the Mars moon Phobos taken by NASA's Mars Global Surveyor. (b) Histogram. (Original image courtesy of NASA.)



**FIGURE 3.21** (a) Transformation function for histogram equalization. (b) Histogram-equalized image (note the washed-out appearance). (c) Histogram of (b).

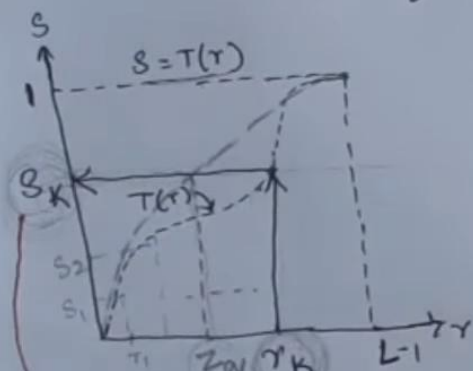
**FIGURE 3.22** (a) Specified histogram. (b) Curve (1) is from Eq. (3.3.14), using the histogram in (a). (c) Enhanced image using mappings from curve (2). (d) Histogram of (c).



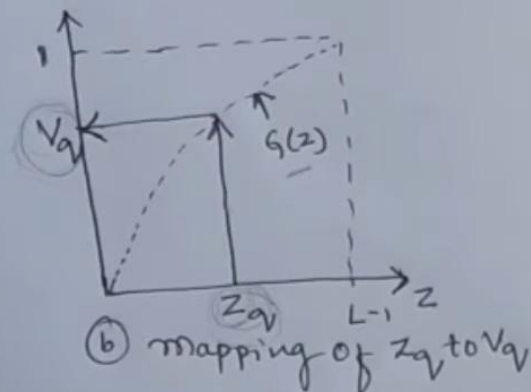
## Histogram Matching:

→ Histogram Equalization → not applicable  
→ Some applications.

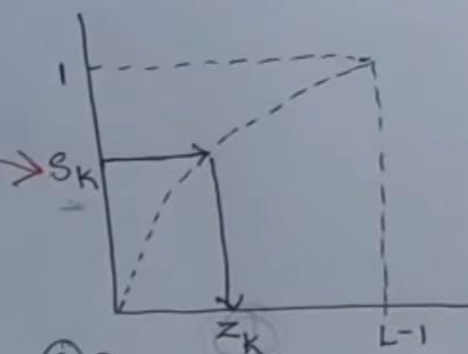
→ Histogram Mating (or) Histogram Specification  
→ Method → Generate processed image → Specified histogram.  $H_1 = H_2$



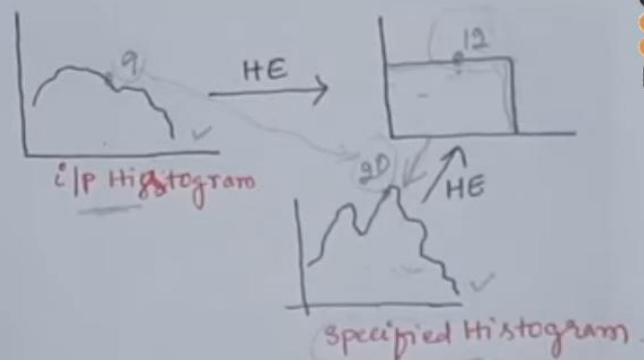
(a) mapping from  $r_k$  to  $s_k$



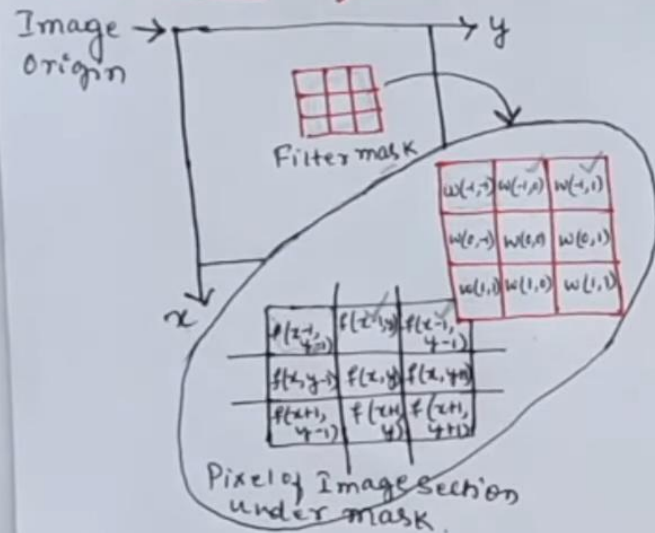
(b) mapping of  $z_q$  to  $v_q$



(c) Inverse mapping of  $s_k$  to  $z_k$



## Fundamentals of Spatial Filtering:



### → Response of Linear Filter

$$R = w(-1,-1)f(x-1,y-1) + w(-1,0)f(x-1,y) + \dots + w(0,0)f(x,y) + \dots + w(1,0)f(x+1,y) + w(1,1)f(x+1,y+1) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

→ mask  $m \times n \Rightarrow m = 2a+1$  &  $n = 2b+1$   $a=1$   
 $b=1$

Linear Filtering of Image of size  $M \times N$  and mask size  $m \times n$

$$g(x,y) = \sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s,t) f(x+s, y+t) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

where  $a = \frac{m-1}{2}$  &  $b = \frac{n-1}{2}$

eqn (2)  $\Rightarrow$  Convolution mask (or) Convolution Kernel.

by simplifying

$$R = w_1 z_1 + w_2 z_2 + \dots + w_{mn} z_{mn}$$

$w \rightarrow$  mask Co-efficients

$z \rightarrow$  the values of the image gray level.

$m \times n \rightarrow$  total no of Co-efficients

$$R = \sum_{i=1}^{mn} w_i z_i \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

For  $3 \times 3$  general mask

$$R = w_1 z_1 + w_2 z_2 + \dots + w_9 z_9$$

$$R = \sum_{i=1}^9 w_i z_i \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$z_1$	$z_2$	$z_3$
$z_4$	$z_5$	$z_6$
$z_7$	$z_8$	$z_9$

Sub image.

$w_1$	$w_2$	$w_3$
$w_4$	$w_5$	$w_6$
$w_7$	$w_8$	$w_9$

mask Co-efficients



## Smoothing Spatial Filters:

- Used for Blurring & Noise reduction
- Blurring: Removal of small details from an image. Prior to object extraction.
- Noise reduction: blurring with a linear (or) Non linear filters.

### SMOOTHING LINEAR FILTERS:

- O/P → Average of pixels contained in the neighborhood → Filter mask.
- Averaging Filters (or) low pass Filters

Ex:-

①  $\frac{1}{9} \times$ 

1	1	1
1	1	1
1	1	1

②  $\frac{1}{16} \times$ 

1	2	1
2	4	2
1	2	1

3x3 Smoothing Filter mask

- Replacing → each pixel → by avg of gray levels.
- Application → Noise reduction.
- Side effect → blur edges.

→ Fig (a) → Standard average of pixel values

→ m x n mask →  $(1/m \times n)$

→ Box Filters.

→ Fig (b) → weighted avg

→ Pixel at the center of mask → more importance

→ This is to reduce blurring during smoothing process.

→ general Implementation for Image →  $M \times N$  & mask →  $m \times n$

$$g(x, y) = \frac{\sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s, t) f(x+s, y+t)}{\sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s, t)}$$

$$x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, M-1 \text{ \& } y = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

## ORDER-STATISTICS Filters:

- non Linear Spatial Filters
- Response → ordering [Ranking] the pixels → Image
- Replacing the Center pixel value with Value determined by ranking result.

### 1. Median Filter:

- Replaces the value of a pixel by the median of the gray level.
- Most popular → excellent noise reduction
- less blurring
- Effective for Impulse noise  
↓  
Salt and Pepper noise

Ex:

10	20	20
20	15	20
20	25	100



10	20	20
20	20	20
20	25	100

10, 15, 20, 20, 20, 20, 20, 25, 100  
↑

### 2. Max filter:

- Finding the brightest point.

$$R = \max \{Z_k \mid k=1, 2, 3, \dots, 9\}$$

### 3. Min filter:

- Finding the darkest point.

$$R = \min \{Z_k \mid k=1, 2, 3, \dots, 9\}$$

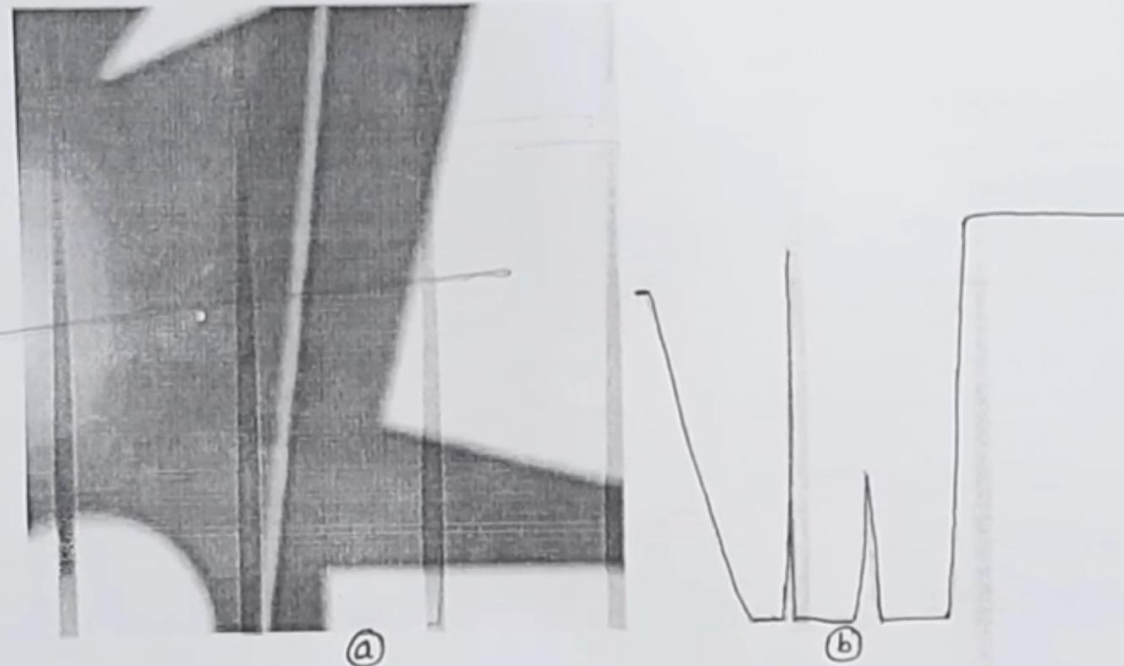
Ex:

max. Value : 100 - brightest point.  
min. Value : 10 - darkest point.

a b  
c

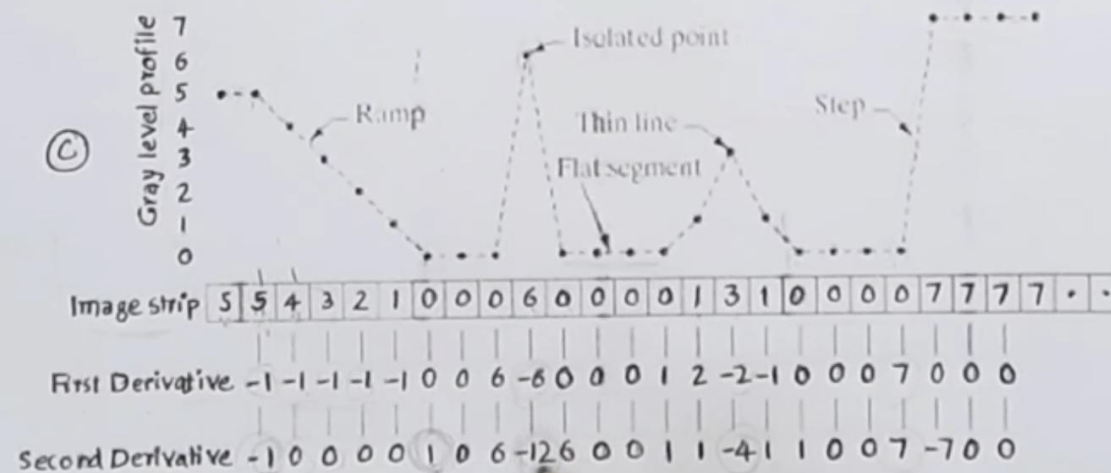
FIGURE 3.38

(a) A simple image. (b) 1-D horizontal gray-level profile along the center of the image and including the isolated noise point. (c) Simplified profile (the points are joined by dashed lines to simplify interpretation).



### Conclusions

- 1<sup>st</sup> → thicker edges
- 2<sup>nd</sup> → Fine details.
- 1<sup>st</sup> → gray level step.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> → double response at step changes



$$f(x+1) - f(x)$$

$$f(x+1) + f(x-1) - 2f(x)$$



## Sharpening Spatial Filters:

- highlight the finite detail (or) to enhance details
- Applications → Electronic printing, Medical imaging, Industrial Inspections and Autonomous Guidance in military spms.
- Image blurring → pixel averaging.
  - ↳ Integration
- Sharpening → "Spatial differentiation".
- Image differentiation → enhances edges and noise & deemphasizes areas with slowly varying gray-level values.

### Foundation:

- First order and second order derivatives.
- Derivatives → defined in terms of differences
- definition for First derivative.
- (a) must be zero in flat segments.
- (b) must be non zero at onset of a gray level step (or) ramp
- (c) must be non zero along ramp.

→ Similarly, definition for Second derivative

- (a) must be zero in flat area.
- (b) must be non zero at the onset & end of gray-level step (or) ramp.
- (c) must be zero along ramps of constant slope.

→ The shortest distance over which change can occur is b/w adjacent pixels.

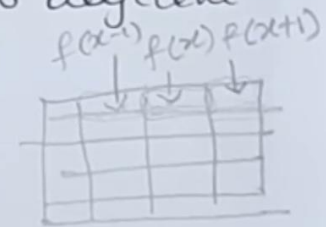
The basic definition.

1<sup>st</sup> order derivative

$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = f(x+1) - f(x)$$

2<sup>nd</sup> order derivative

$$\frac{\delta^2 f}{\delta x^2} = f(x+1) + f(x-1) - 2f(x)$$



## Use of Second order derivatives for Enhancement - The Laplacian

→ Laplacian Filter →  $\nabla^2 f$

Definition

$$\Delta^2 f = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}$$

In x-direction

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f(x+1, y) + f(x-1, y) - 2f(x, y)$$

In y-direction

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = f(x, y+1) + f(x, y-1) - 2f(x, y)$$

$$\therefore \Delta^2 f = [f(x+1, y) + f(x-1, y) + f(x, y+1) + f(x, y-1)] - 4f(x, y)$$

Filter:

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f(x+1) + f(x-1) - 2f(x)$$

$f(x-1, y)$	$f(x, y)$	$f(x+1, y)$
$f(x-1, y)$	$f(x, y)$	$f(x+1, y)$
$f(x-1, y)$	$f(x, y)$	$f(x+1, y)$

0	1	0
1	-4	1
0	1	0

Different filters:

0	1	0
1	-4	1
0	1	0

1	1	1
1	-8	1
1	1	1

0	-1	0
-1	4	-1
0	-1	0

-1	-1	-1
-1	8	-1
-1	-1	-1

## Image Enhancement in frequency domain.

- From Spatial domain to Frequency domain then processed
- Inverse transform is applied to bring back into Spatial domain.
- Filters → Smoothing & Sharpening
  - Removing high & low freq
- Change → whole image.



Types of Filters →

(a) Low Pass Filter

↳ ~~Sharpening~~  
Smoothens

(b) High Pass Filter.

↳ ~~Smoothens the image.~~  
Sharpening.

Ideal.  
Butterworth  
Gaussian.



## Fourier Transform:

- Relation b/w Spatial & Freq domain.
- Image Enhancement in freq domain.

## 1D Discrete Fourier Transform

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x(n) & \xleftrightarrow{\text{DFT}} & X(K) \\ \downarrow \text{Spatial domain} & & \downarrow \text{Freq domain} \end{array}$$

$N \rightarrow$  no of samples.

$$\therefore X(K) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j2\pi \frac{K}{N} n}; 0 \leq K \leq N-1$$

$$X(K) \xleftrightarrow{\text{IDFT}} x(n)$$

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{K=0}^{N-1} X(K) e^{j2\pi \frac{K}{N} n}; 0 \leq n \leq N-1$$

## Fourier Spectrum

$$|F(u)| = [R^2(u) + I^2(u)]^{1/2}$$

## Phase Angle

$$\phi(u) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{I(u)}{R(u)} \right]$$

## Power Spectrum

$$P(u) = |F(u)|^2 = R^2(u) + I^2(u)$$

## 2D Discrete Fourier Transform [2D DFT]

$$f(x, y) \xleftrightarrow{\text{2D DFT}} F(u, v) e^{-j2\pi \left( \frac{ux}{M} + \frac{vy}{N} \right)}$$

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi \left( \frac{ux}{M} + \frac{vy}{N} \right)}$$

$$f(u, v) \xleftrightarrow{\text{2D IDFT}} f(x, y) e^{j2\pi \left( \frac{ux}{M} + \frac{vy}{N} \right)}$$

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} F(u, v) e^{j2\pi \left( \frac{ux}{M} + \frac{vy}{N} \right)}$$

$u$  &  $v \rightarrow$  transform  $\odot$  gray variables  
 $x$  &  $y \rightarrow$  spatial  $\odot$  image variables

## Fourier Spectrum

$$|F(u, v)| = [R^2(u, v) + I^2(u, v)]^{1/2}$$

## Phase Angle

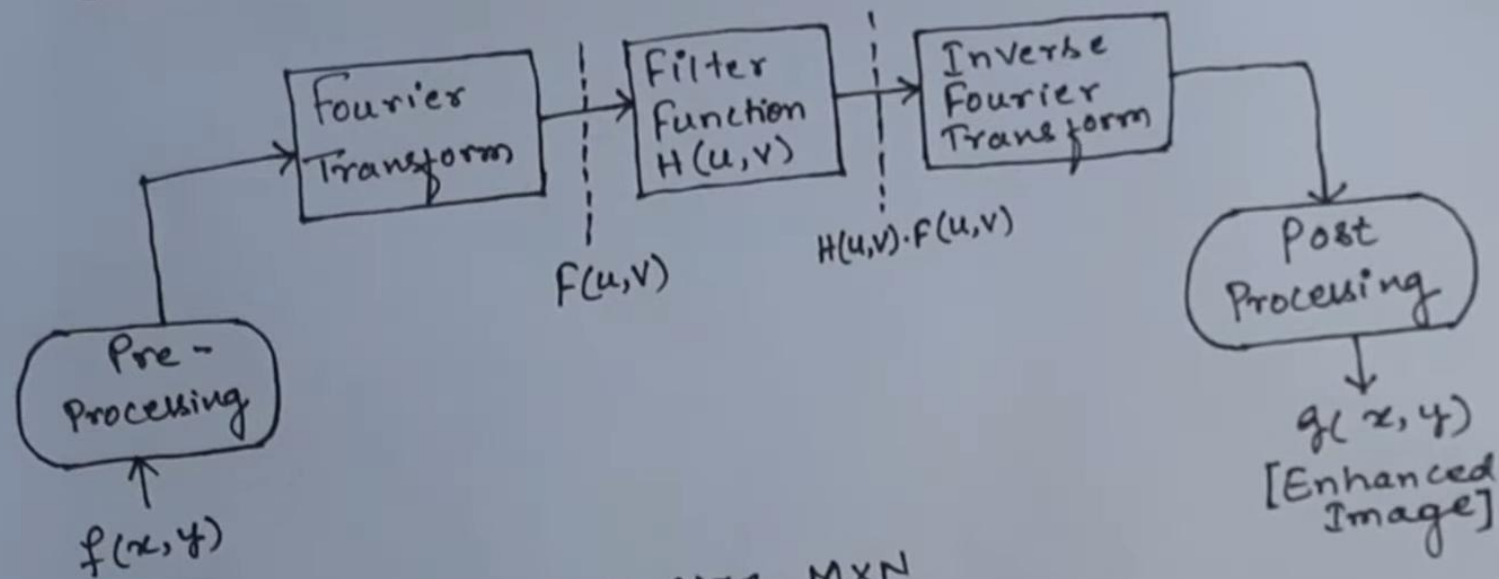
$$\phi(u, v) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{I(u, v)}{R(u, v)} \right]$$

## Power Spectrum

$$P(u, v) = |F(u, v)|^2 = R^2(u, v) + I^2(u, v)$$



## Steps for Filtering in Frequency domain:



1. Image  $f(x, y)$  of size  $M \times N$
2.  $f(x, y) (-1)^{x+y}$
3.  $F(u, v) \rightarrow$  F.T. of  $f(x, y)$   
 $\xrightarrow{\text{DFT}}$
4.  $H(u, v) \rightarrow$  Filter in freq domain.  
 $G(u, v) = H(u, v) \cdot F(u, v)$
5.  $g(x, y) = \text{IFT}[G(u, v)] (-1)^{x+y}$

# Image Smoothing & Sharpening using Frequency domain Filters:

## (a) Low pass Filters → Smoother

### (i) Ideal Low pass Filter

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 1 & ; D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 0 & ; D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

$D_0$  → non negative quantity.

$D(u, v)$  → distance from point  $(u, v)$

$f(x, y) \rightarrow M \times N$   $D(u, v) = \left[ u - \frac{M}{2} \right]^2 + \left[ v - \frac{N}{2} \right]^2$

### (ii) Butterworth LPF

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D(u, v)/D_0]^{2n}}$$

Advantage: useful in defining the edges.

### (iii) Gaussian LPF

$$H(u, v) = e^{-D^2(u, v)/2D_0^2}$$

removes low freq noise

## (b) High pass Filters

→ Sharpen

### (i) Ideal High Pass Filter

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 1 & ; D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

Disadvantage: blurred edges.

### (ii) Butterworth HPF

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D_0/D(u, v)]^{2n}}$$

### (iii) Gaussian HPF

$$H(u, v) = 1 - e^{-D^2(u, v)/2D_0^2}$$

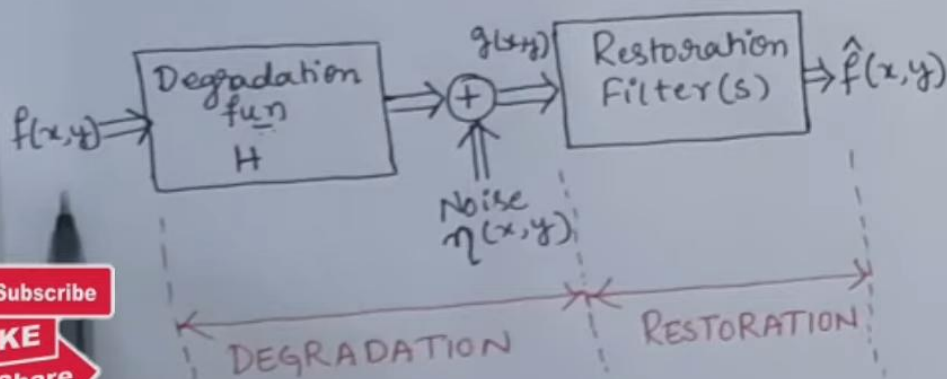
removes high freq noise



## Image Restoration:

- Reconstruct (or) Recover an Image
  - degraded → using Prior Knowledge
- Restoration → modeling the degradation
  - Applying Inverse process → Recover
- Restoration techniques.
  - (i) Spatial domain      (ii) Frequency domain.
  - Additive Noise              Image blur.

## A Model of Image Degradation / Restoration Process:



$$g(x, y) = h(x, y) * f(x, y) + \eta(x, y) \rightarrow (1)$$

$$G(u, v) = H(u, v) F(u, v) + N(u, v) \rightarrow (2)$$



## Periodic Noise

- Electrical (or) electromechanical interference → Image Acquisition.
- Spatially dependent noise.
- Reduced ⇒ Frequency domain Filtering.

## Estimation

- Inspection of Fourier spectrum.
- Automated Analysis → Knowledge → General location of ~~freq~~ components
- If Images are available → Study char's of spm noise → Capture a set of images → "Flat"

→ Use the data from Image Strips → Calculating → mean & Variance of gray level.

→ Strip (subimage) →  $S$

$$\mu = \sum_{z_i \in S} z_i p(z_i) \rightarrow \textcircled{i}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \sum_{z_i \in S} (z_i - \mu)^2 p(z_i) \rightarrow \textcircled{ii}$$

$z_i$  → gray level values of pixels's  
 $p(z_i)$  → normalized histogram values.

→ Histogram shape → closest PDF match.

→ If the shape is gaussian → mean & Variance.

## Restoration in Presence of Noise Only - Spatial Filtering:

Degradation  $\rightarrow$  Only due to noise.

$$g(x, y) = f(x, y) + n(x, y)$$

$$\& G(u, v) = F(u, v) + N(u, v)$$

### I. MEAN FILTERS:

(i) Arithmetic mean Filter:  
 $\rightarrow$  Simplest mean Filter.

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{1}{mn} \sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t) \rightarrow (i)$$

$S_{xy} \rightarrow$  Set of co-ordinates in a rectangular subimage window of size  $m \times n$ .  
Centered at point  $(x, y)$

$\rightarrow$  Avg of Corrupted image  $g(x, y)$  in the area defined by  $S_{xy}$ .

$\rightarrow$  Smoothens local variation

$\rightarrow$  Noise is reduced due to blurring.

(ii) Geometric mean Filter:

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \left[ \prod_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t) \right]^{\frac{1}{mn}} \rightarrow (ii)$$

$\rightarrow$  Product of Pixels in the subimage window  $\rightarrow$  raised to power  $\frac{1}{mn}$

$\rightarrow$  Smoothing similar to arithmetic mean Filter.

$\rightarrow$  lose less image details.

(iii) Harmonic mean Filter:

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{mn}{\sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} \frac{1}{g(s, t)}} \rightarrow (iii)$$

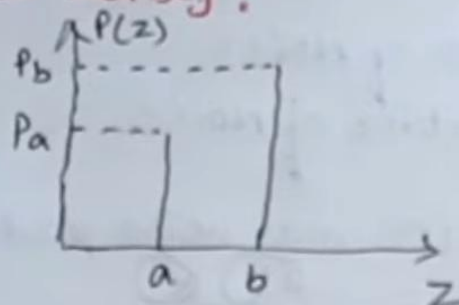
$\rightarrow$  Works well for Salt & Pepper noise

$\rightarrow$  also works well for Gaussian noise. Fails for Pepper noise



## (Vi) Salt & Pepper noise [Impulse noise]:

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} P_a & ; z = a \\ P_b & ; z = b \\ 0 & ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



→  $b > a \Rightarrow$  gray level  $b \rightarrow$  light dot  
gray level  $a \rightarrow$  dark dot

→  $P_a = 0$  or  $P_b = 0 \rightarrow$  unipolar

→  $P_a \neq P_b \rightarrow$  salt & pepper granules.

shot & spike noise.

-ve impulses  $\rightarrow$  black (pepper) point  
+ve impulses  $\rightarrow$  white (salt) point.

8-bit  $\Rightarrow a = 0$  (black)  
 $b = 255$  (white)

## Important Noise Probability Density fun: [PDF] (iii) Erlang [Gamma] noise:

Noise → Image acquisition and/or transmission.

→ Spatial properties of Noise.

→ Frequency properties of Noise.

### (i) Gaussian Noise: [Normal noise model]

$$\text{PDF, } P(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

$z \rightarrow$  gray level

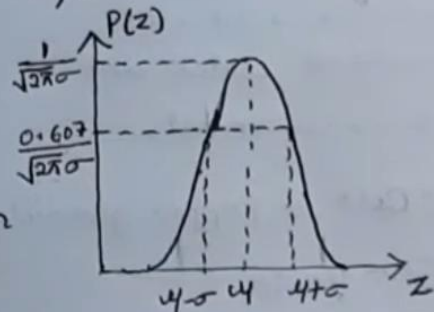
$\mu \rightarrow$  mean of avg of  $z$

$\sigma \rightarrow$  Standard deviation

$\sigma^2 \rightarrow$  Variance.

70% of Values  $\rightarrow [\mu - \sigma, \mu + \sigma]$

95% of Values  $\rightarrow [\mu - 2\sigma, \mu + 2\sigma]$

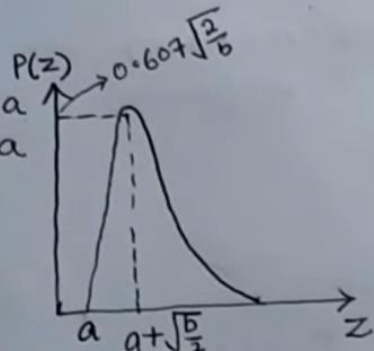


### (ii) Rayleigh noise:

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{b}(z-a)e^{-(z-a)^2/b}; & z \geq a \\ 0 & ; z < a \end{cases}$$

mean:  $\mu = a + \sqrt{\pi b/4}$

Variance:  $\sigma^2 = \frac{b(4+\pi)}{4}$

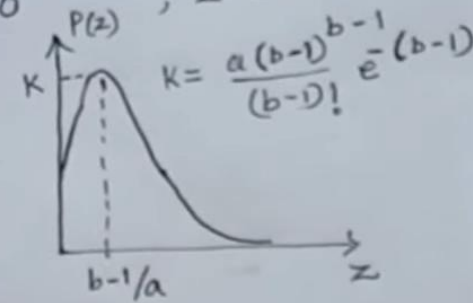


### (iii) Erlang [Gamma] noise:

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{a^b z^{b-1}}{(b-1)!} e^{-az}; & z \geq 0 \\ 0 & ; z < 0 \end{cases}$$

mean:  $\mu = \frac{b}{a}$

Variance:  $\sigma^2 = \frac{b}{a^2}$

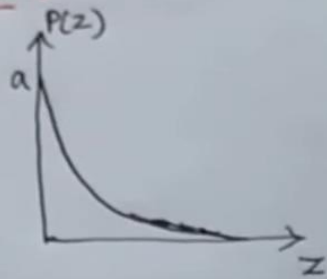


### (iv) Exponential noise:

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} a \cdot e^{-az}; & z \geq 0 \\ 0 & ; z < 0 \end{cases}$$

$\mu = \frac{1}{a}$

$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{a^2}$



### (v) Uniform noise:

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{b-a}; & a \leq z \leq b \\ 0 & ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$\mu = \frac{a+b}{2}$

$\sigma^2 = \frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$

