

Image Data Analysis

- Image is a special kind of data format where data is stored in the form of matrices.
- When we have image in the form numbers arranged in a matrix, we can do all matrix operations.

```
In [11]: import numpy as np
        from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

List

In [12]: l = [[1, 2, 3, 4, 5], [3, 4, 5, 6, 1]]

In [13]: print(l)

[[1, 2, 3, 4, 5], [3, 4, 5, 6, 1]]

In [14]: type(l)

list

Out[14]: list

In [15]: l * 3

[[1, 2, 3, 4, 5],
 [3, 4, 5, 6, 1],
 [1, 2, 3, 4, 5],
 [3, 4, 5, 6, 1],
 [1, 2, 3, 4, 5],
 [3, 4, 5, 6, 1]]

In [16]: lm = []
        for i in l:
            r = []
            for j in i:
                r.append(j * 3)
            lm.append(r)

In [17]: lm

[[3, 6, 9, 12, 15], [9, 12, 15, 18, 3]]

Out[17]: [[3, 6, 9, 12, 15], [9, 12, 15, 18, 3]]
```

NumPy Matrix

```
In [18]: mat = np.matrix
        mat = np.matrix([[1, 2, 3, 4, 5],
                        [3, 4, 5, 6, 1]])

In [19]: print(mat)

[[1 2 3 4 5]
 [3 4 5 6 1]]

In [10]: type(mat)

numpy.matrix

Out[10]: numpy.matrix

In [11]: print(mat * 3)

[[ 3  6  9 12 15]
 [ 9 12 15 18  3]]

In [12]: mat.shape

(2, 5)

Out[12]: (2, 5)
```

Transpose Operation

```
In [13]: print(mat)

[[1 2 3 4 5]
 [3 4 5 6 1]]

In [14]: print(mat.T)

[[1 3]
 [2 4]
 [3 5]
 [4 6]
 [5 1]]

In [15]: iden = np.eye(N=5, M=5)
        print(iden)

[[1. 0. 0. 0. 0.]
 [0. 1. 0. 0. 0.]
 [0. 0. 1. 0. 0.]
 [0. 0. 0. 1. 0.]
 [0. 0. 0. 0. 1.]]

In [16]: plt.imshow(iden, cmap='Oranges')
        plt.axis("off")
        plt.show()
```

Can we convert matrix into image?

`imshow()` of `plt`

```
In [17]: mat

Out[17]: matrix([[1, 2, 3, 4, 5],
                [3, 4, 5, 6, 1]])

In [18]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 3))
        image_mat = plt.imshow(mat, cmap='gist_rainbow')
        plt.colorbar(image_mat)
        plt.axis("off")
        plt.show()
```

Convert large matrix into image

- There should be 30 rows and 50 columns
- Each row of the matrix should have 50 numbers in the range of 1 and 200

```
In [19]: big_mat = np.random.randint(low=1, high=200, size=(30, 50))

In [20]: big_mat

Out[20]: array([[136, 170, 78, ..., 93, 118, 105],
                [ 45, 100, 64, ..., 165, 29, 49],
                [ 97,  3, 131, ..., 106, 13, 66],
                ...,
                [149, 123, 192, ..., 188, 27, 117],
                [199, 139, 87, ..., 30, 62, 29],
                [185, 41, 193, ..., 50, 110, 54]])

In [21]: big_mat.shape

Out[21]: (30, 50)
```

Matrix to Image

```
In [22]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
        image_mat = plt.imshow(big_mat, cmap='gist_rainbow')
        plt.colorbar(image_mat)
        plt.axis("off")
        plt.show()
```

Transpose matrix to Image

```
In [23]: sorted_mat = np.sort(big_mat)

In [24]: sorted_mat

Out[24]: array([[ 4, 12, 28, ..., 192, 195, 195],
                [ 1, 7, 9, ..., 191, 19, 193],
                [ 2, 3, 3, ..., 189, 196, 197],
                ...,
                [ 6, 10, 13, ..., 195, 198, 199],
                [ 7, 14, 16, ..., 197, 199, 199],
                [ 1, 10, 11, ..., 185, 192, 193]])

In [25]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
        image_mat = plt.imshow(sorted_mat, cmap='gist_rainbow')
        plt.colorbar(image_mat)
        plt.axis("off")
        plt.show()
```

Transpose matrix to Image

```
In [26]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
        trans_mat = big_mat.T
        timage_mat = plt.imshow(trans_mat, cmap='gist_rainbow')
        plt.colorbar(timage_mat)
        plt.show()
```

grayscale image

```
In [28]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
        gray_image = plt.imshow(big_mat, cmap='gray_r')
        plt.colorbar(gray_image)
        plt.show()
```

Can we convert image into matrix?

We should use `cv2` (opencv-python) package in python to compute matrix operations on images.

`pip install opencv-python --user`

A typical **colored image** is comprised of pixels (which are represented as RGB pixels).

- A pixel is simply a number in the range of 0 to 255 for all R, G, and B.
- R → Red → 0 to 255
- G → Green → 0 to 255
- B → Blue → 0 to 255



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Some important colors and their RGB values -

Pixel	R	G	B
White	255	255	255
Red	255	0	0
Green	0	255	0
Blue	0	0	255
Black	0	0	0
Yellow	255	255	0

- All colors → <https://www.colorhexa.com/color-names>

Let's read the image and convert into matrix

The image that we will read is -

[Image Link → lena_image.png](#)

Read the image in the form of **matrix**

```
In [29]: import cv2

BGR

In [30]: image_mat = cv2.imread('lena_image.png')

The image matrix would be like -

[[[159 183 255] ... [142 282 255]]
 [[140 169 255] ... [ 87 74 159]]
 [[118 164 255] ... [ 62 14 81]]
 ...
 [[ 64 30 96] ... [ 61 33 119]]
 [[ 61 27 92] ... [ 74 65 178]]
 [[ 60 25 89] ... [ 80 72 282]]]

In [31]: plt.imshow(image_mat)
        plt.show()
```

- By default, the image is read in BGR format.
- We need to convert it into RGB format for our convenience.

BGR → to → RGB format

```
In [32]: image_mat = cv2.cvtColor(image_mat, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)

The image matrix would be like -

[[[255 183 159] ... [255 282 142]]
 [[255 169 140] ... [159 74 87]]
 [[255 164 118] ... [ 81 14 62]]
 ...
 [[ 96 30 64] ... [119 33 61]]
 [[ 92 27 61] ... [178 65 178]]
 [[ 89 25 60] ... [282 72 88]]]

In [33]: plt.imshow(image_mat)
        plt.show()
```

Shape of the image matrix - **rows** and **columns**

```
In [34]: image_mat.shape

Out[34]: (128, 128, 3)

In [35]: rows, cols, p = image_mat.shape
        print(rows)
        print(cols)
        print(p)

128
128
3

How many pixels are there in the above image?
```

```
In [36]: pixels = rows * cols

In [37]: pixels

Out[37]: 16384

How many pixel values are there including R, G, and B values?
```

```
In [38]: pixel_values = rows * cols * p

In [39]: pixel_values

Out[39]: 49152
```

Separate R, G, and B from the image

We make use of `cv2.split()` method to separate the **RGB** pixels from the image.

```
In [40]: rimage_mat, gimage_mat, bimage_mat = cv2.split(image_mat)

In [41]: print("R → \n\n", rimage_mat)

R →
[[255 255 255 ... 212 255 255]
 [255 255 247 ... 227 227 159]
 [255 246 232 ... 190 103 81]
 ...
 [ 96 100 100 ... 105 100 119]
 [ 92 97 95 ... 105 124 178]
 [ 89 96 91 ... 115 136 202]]

In [42]: print("G → \n\n", gimage_mat)

G →
[[183 174 167 ... 99 203 202]
 [169 158 149 ... 137 126 74]
 [164 142 136 ... 82 25 141]
 ...
 [ 30 33 34 ... 32 26 33]
 [ 27 30 28 ... 33 43 65]
 [ 25 29 24 ... 42 64 72]]

In [43]: print("B → \n\n", bimage_mat)

B →
[[159 148 142 ... 101 163 142]
 [140 130 124 ... 107 113 87]
 [118 115 113 ... 83 64 62]
 ...
 [ 64 66 71 ... 63 58 61]
 [ 61 63 67 ... 62 68 74]
 [ 60 62 64 ... 72 82 80]]

Plot R, G, and B separately
```

```
In [44]: l = [1, 2, 3, 4]
        g = [5, 6, 7, 8]

        # [(1, 5), (2, 6), (3, 7), (4, 8)]
        f = list(zip(l, g))
        print(f)

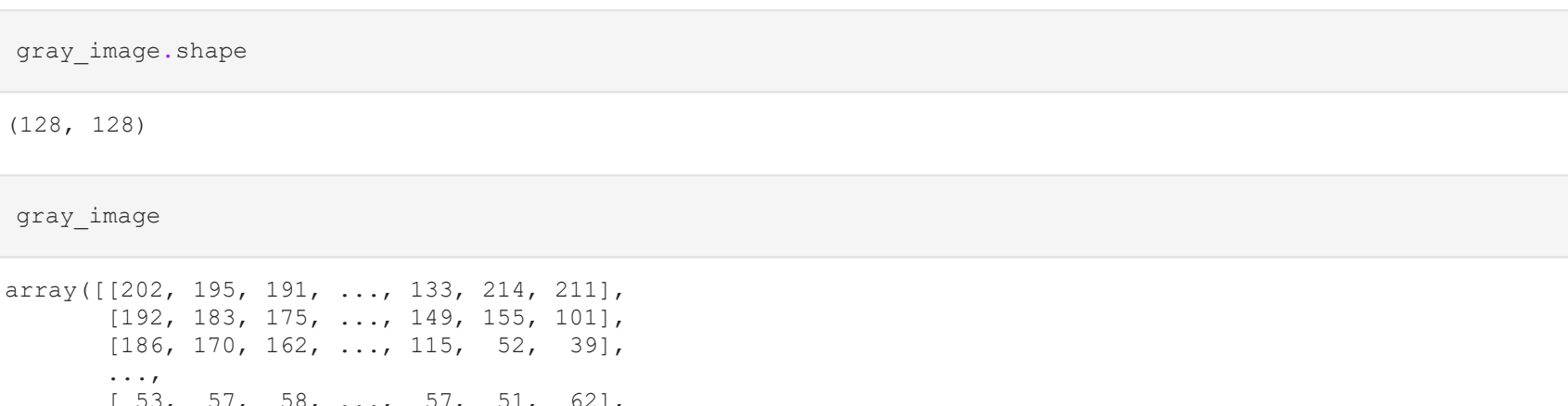
[(1, 5), (2, 6), (3, 7), (4, 8)]

In [45]: cmap_values = (None, 'Reds', 'Greens', 'Blues')
        titles = ('Original', 'Red Lenna', 'Green Lenna', 'Blue Lenna')
        image_matrices = [image_mat, rimage_mat, gimage_mat, bimage_mat]

        fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=1, ncols=4, figsize=(15, 10))

        for i, ax in zip(range(4), axes):
            ax.axis("off")
            ax.set_title(titles[i])
            ax.imshow(image_matrices[i], cmap=cmap_values[i])

        plt.show()
```



Some matrix operations

- Let's take grayscale matrix of original image

```
In [46]: gray_image = cv2.imread('lena_image.png', 0)

In [47]: gray_image.shape

Out[47]: (128, 128)

In [48]: gray_image

Out[48]: array([[202, 195, 191, ..., 133, 214, 211],
                [192, 183, 175, ..., 149, 155, 101],
                [186, 170, 162, ..., 115, 52, 39],
                ...,
                [ 53, 57, 58, ..., 57, 51, 62],
                [ 50, 54, 52, ..., 58, 70, 100],
                [ 48, 53, 48, ..., 67, 93, 112]], dtype=uint8)

In [49]: plt.imshow(gray_image, cmap='gray')
        plt.show()
```

Transpose gray lenna

```
In [50]: trans_lenna = gray_image.T

In [51]: plt.imshow(trans_lenna, cmap='gray')
        plt.show()
```

How can we transpose a colored image?

Since each pixel is a combination of 3 values, we have to -

- separate R, G, and B matrices
- apply **transpose** operation to all the 3 matrices
- merge R, G, and B matrices as a one single matrix

```
In [52]: # separation of R, G, and B
        rimage_mat, gimage_mat, bimage_mat = cv2.split(image_mat)

        # transpose operation to all the 3 matrices
        trans_r = rimage_mat.T
        trans_g = gimage_mat.T
        trans_b = bimage_mat.T

        # merging R, G, and B matrices into one single matrix
        trans_color_lenna = cv2.merge((trans_r, trans_g, trans_b))

        # plotting the transposed colored image
        plt.imshow(trans_color_lenna)
        plt.show()
```

Other operations

- Image Flipping
- Image Mirroring
- Image Equalization (One of the mind blowing operations)
 - Used for enhancing the contrast of an image
- Image Binarization
- Image Inversion
- Image Cropping
- Image Bordering
- Image Convolution with kernels (One of the mind blowing operations)
 - Used for Smoothing, Blurring, Edge detection etc

PS: All you can find in my blog websites.

- GitHub → <https://github.com/msameeruddin/image-app>
- Hashnode → <https://msameeruddin.hashnode.dev/>

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