

# Medical Image Processing

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## Instructions:

- All your code should be uploaded in a folder named as 'Code'.
- The report should be in a '.pdf' format with your roll number as the filename.
- In the case of computing-based questions, the pdf should clearly report the experimental settings, results/observations and a discussion/conclusions based on the results.
- Upload the code and report in a single .zip file which has the following naming format: r\_An where r is your full roll no; n is the assignment number.
- Any report without conclusions/recommendations will get only 50% marks.

**Outline:** *In this assignment, you will implement algorithms on Image Conditioning and Illumination Correction that are discussed in the class.*

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**DATA:** The data required for this assignment can be downloaded from the following link:  
[https://iiitaphyd-my.sharepoint.com/:f:/g/personal/prathyusha\\_akundi\\_research\\_iiit\\_ac\\_in/Ej1FphgA2jh0lm3j5WxS6kgB-dtvcS0zoD83XYZ0oqTYPw?e=vrPajo](https://iiitaphyd-my.sharepoint.com/:f:/g/personal/prathyusha_akundi_research_iiit_ac_in/Ej1FphgA2jh0lm3j5WxS6kgB-dtvcS0zoD83XYZ0oqTYPw?e=vrPajo)

**Question 1:** Take the CT\_scan.dcm and implement Windowing/Leveling operation under different window settings. Report your observations with recommendations and conclusion.

**Question 2:** Implement the first version of MUSICA algorithm on xray.bmp and chest.jpg images provided in the given link.

**Question 3A:** Implement Retinex algorithm on following images: 1) retina.JPG 2) skin.jpg and 3) Image of your choice

**Question 3B:** Read and implement the following paper: *Colour Retinal Image Enhancement Based on Domain Knowledge*[1] (PDF can be downloaded from the given link) on retina.JPG. Compare your results with the Retinex algorithm and report which algorithm you would recommend along with reasons.

## [Note]

1. DICOM stands for Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine. It is a standard, internationally accepted format to view, store, retrieve and share medical images.
2. You can also view the metadata of the image that contains information on the acquisition equipment, encrypted patient details, dimensions of the scan etc.
3. DICOM images can be read directly in Matlab or install pydicom package if you are programming in Python.

4. You can also view DICOM images using ITK-SNAP software. Follow the instructions given in <http://www.itksnap.org/pmwiki/pmwiki.php?n=Downloads.SNAP3> to install the software.

## References

- [1] G. D. Joshi and J. Sivaswamy, “Colour retinal image enhancement based on domain knowledge,” in *2008 Sixth Indian Conference on Computer Vision, Graphics Image Processing*, 2008, pp. 591–598.