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```
clear;close all;clc
I=double(imread('barbara.png'));
figure('Name','I');imshow(I,
[],'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title('I');
title('Original image');
f=4; % should be even % f stands for down sampling factor tht will be
      used for ceating down resolved images
aff=1; % boolean for display
```



Part 1.1 Simulation of a stack of images

```
Nim=50;
% Nim is the number of images that are interpolated to form
% the super resolved images: These are used to create a stack
% containing 50
% images

%Initializing matrices I1 & I2 for creating the image stack...
I1=zeros(size(I,1),size(I,2),Nim);
I2=zeros(round(size(I,1)/f),round(size(I,2)/f),Nim);

txty=f*rand(2,Nim)-(f/2);
txty(:,1)=[0,0];
if aff==1 ,figure('Name','pile d''images'),end

% Creating a stack of low resolved images

for c=1:Nim
    xform = [ 1 0 0;          0 1 0;   txty(1,c) txty(2,c) 1 ]; %??
    tform_translate = maketform('affine',xform); %??
    I1(:, :,c)= imtransform(I, tform_translate, 'XData',[1
size(I,2)], 'YData',[1 size(I,1)], 'FillValues',mean(I(:)));%??
    I2(:, :,c)=I1(1:f:end,1:f:end,c);%??
    if aff==1,      imshow(I2(:, :,c),
[], 'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title(sprintf('image
n° %d',c));pause(0.1),end
        title('Stack of the low resolved images');
%      figure; imshow(I2(:, :,c));
end

% There are artifacts in the pants and scarf on the down sampled image
% because
% the stripes in the original image appear as uneven overlap of the
% pixels creating
% a more of the metaphorical paint in some places than others which
% causes
% hence showing artifacts in the down sampled image compared to the
% original image.
```



Part 2.1 Pixel super-resolution of the image stack

```
%
[X,Y]=meshgrid(1:f:size(I,2),1:f:size(I,1));
[Xi,Yi]=meshgrid(1:size(I,2),1:size(I,1));
Xt=zeros(size(X,1),size(X,2)*Nim);Yt=Xt;datat=Xt;

% Interpolating 10 low resolved to create a super resolved image
for c=1:10 % NimSR is the number of images considered to calculate
% the SR image
Xt(:,(size(X,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(X,2)*(c)))=X-txty(1,c);
Yt(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=Y-txty(2,c);
datat(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=I2(:, :, c);
end

% Building the super resolved image
ISR = griddata(Xt,Yt,datat,Xi,Yi,'cubic');

[x_i,y_i] = size(ISR);
figure; imshow(ISR,
[],'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title('');pause(0.1);
title('SRI of a 10 stack images');
```

Warning: Duplicate x-y data points detected: using average values for duplicate points.



Computing the super resolution with 50 images

```
%
[X,Y]=meshgrid(1:f:size(I,2),1:f:size(I,1));
[Xi_50,Yi_50]=meshgrid(1:size(I,2),1:size(I,1));
Xt=zeros(size(X,1),size(X,2)*Nim);Yt=Xt;datat=Xt;

% Interpolating 30 low resolved to create a super resolved image
for c=1:50 % NimSR is the number of images considered to calculate
% the SR image
Xt(:,(size(X,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(X,2)*(c)))=X-txty(1,c);
Yt(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=Y-txty(2,c);
datat(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=I2(:, :, c);
end

% Building the super resolved image
ISR_50 = griddata(Xt,Yt,datat,Xi_50,Yi_50,'cubic');

[x_i_50,y_i_50] = size(ISR);
figure; imshow(ISR_50,
[],'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title('');pause(0.1);
title('SRI of a stack of 50 images');
```



Part 2.2

Comments: Here, the increase in the number of the low resolved images used in creation of the super resolves increases the overall appearance of the image: This is observed as an image stack of 10 was used followed by a 50 image stack: The 50 image stack shows less artifacts around the pants as well as the scarf. There are also better details of the shadows on the super resolved image created from 50 image stack compared to that of 10 image stack. This is because the more lower resolved images used; the more is the proper interpolation of pixels preventing uneven overlap of the pixels hence decreasing the error of correlation

Part 2.3 Calculating the mean squares:

```
% Displaying the mean square evolution
NimSR = 50;
X_plot = zeros(NimSR,2);

hold on;
for c=10:10:NimSR % NimSR is the number of images considered to
    calculate
    % the SR image
    Xt(:,(size(X,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(X,2)*(c)))=X-txty(1,c);
    Yt(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=Y-txty(2,c);
    datat(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=I2(:, :, c);
    ISR = griddata(Xt,Yt,datat,Xi,Yi,'cubic');
    I_h = I(1:(x_i-3),1:(y_i-3));
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ISR = ISR(1:(x_i-3),1:(y_i-3));

end
Meansquare = sqrt (mean(mean((I_h-ISR).^2)));
Meansquare

Meansquare =

    6.1025

```

Part 3 Influence of the noise on pixel super-resolution

```

clear all;

I=double(imread('barbara.png'));
f=4; % should be even % f stands for ????
aff=1; % boolean for display

Nim=10;
% Nim is the number of images that are interpolated to form
% the super resolved images: These are used to create a stack
% containing 50
% images

%Initializing matrices I1 & I2 for creating the image stack...
I1=zeros(size(I,1),size(I,2),Nim);
I2=zeros(round(size(I,1)/f),round(size(I,2)/f),Nim);

txty=f*rand(2,Nim)-(f/2);
txty(:,1)=[0,0];
if aff==1 ,figure('Name','pile d''images'),end

% Creating a stack of low resolved images

for c=1:Nim
    xform = [ 1 0 0;          0 1 0;   txty(1,c) txty(2,c) 1 ]; %??
    tform_translate = maketform('affine',xform);
    I1(:,:,c)= imtransform(I, tform_translate,'XData',[1
size(I,2)], 'YData',[1 size(I,1)], 'FillValues',mean(I(:)));
    I2(:,:,c)= I1(1:f:end,1:f:end,c);
    % adding noise to the image

    I2(:,:,c) = imnoise (I2(:,:,c)/255, 'gaussian', 0.2);
    if aff==1,

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        imshow(I2(:,:,c),
[], 'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title(sprintf('image
n° %d',c));pause(0.1),end
        title('Stack of the low resolved images with noise');
%     figure; imshow(I2(:,:,c));
end

% super-resolution of the image stack

%
[X,Y]=meshgrid(1:f:size(I,2),1:f:size(I,1));
[Xi,Yi]=meshgrid(1:size(I,2),1:size(I,1));
Xt=zeros(size(X,1),size(X,2)*Nim);Yt=Xt;datat=Xt;

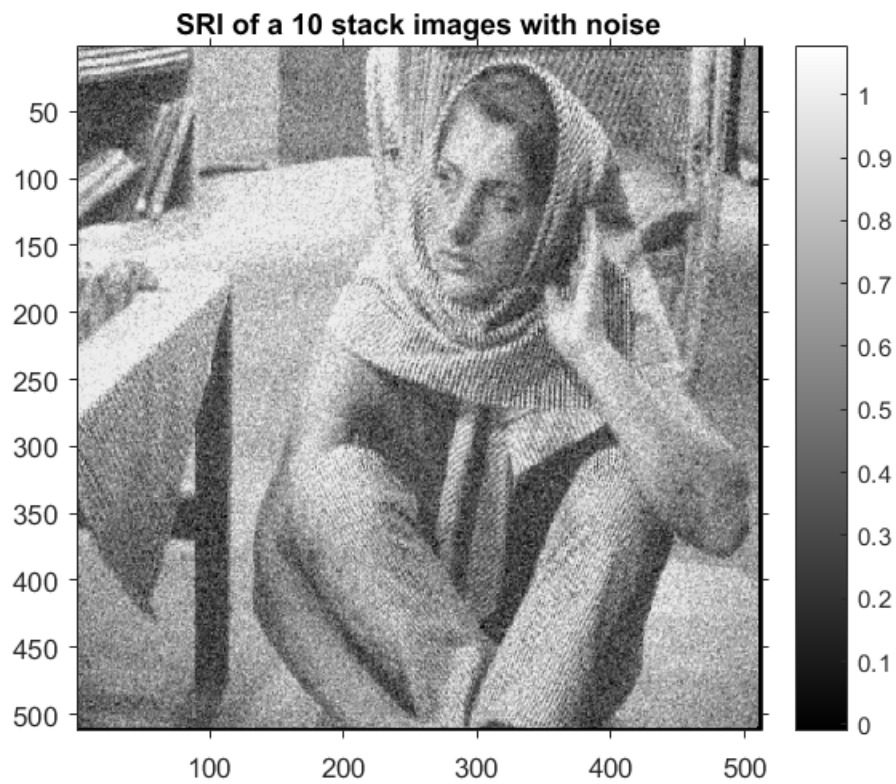
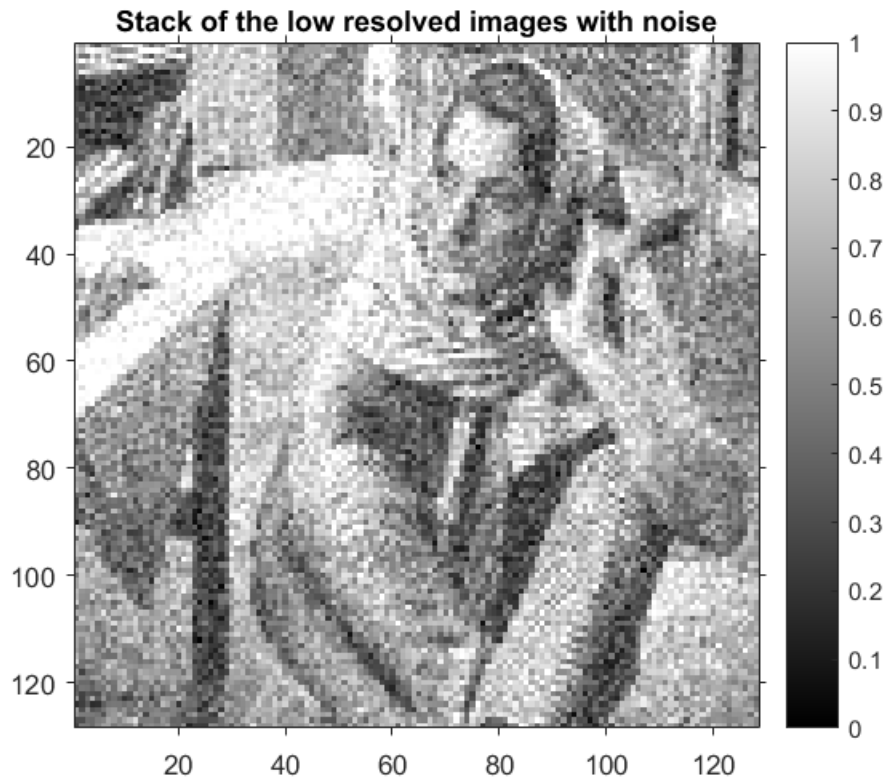
% Interpolating 10 low resolved to create a super resolved image
for c=1:10 % NimSR is the number of images considered to calculate
% the SR image
Xt(:,(size(X,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(X,2)*(c)))=X-txty(1,c);
Yt(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=Y-txty(2,c);
datat(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=I2(:,:,c);
end

% Building the super resolved image
ISR = griddata(Xt,Yt,datat,Xi,Yi,'cubic');

[x_i,y_i] = size(ISR);
figure; imshow(ISR,
[], 'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title('');pause(0.1);
title('SRI of a 10 stack images with noise');

% Adding noise to the images cause a drop in the performance
% especially as
% the noise level increases.However increase in the noise causes a
% reduction in the super resolution of the resultng image
% The resulting calculated super resolved image however
% improves the image and shows better result with reduced noise
% compared
% to the original image stack....

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Part 4 Pixel super-resolution of the image stack assuming that shifts are not known accurately estimated

```
clear all;

I=double(imread('barbara.png'));
f=4; % should be even % f stands down sampling factor
aff=1; % boolean for display
alpha = 20;

Nim=10;
% Nim is the number of images that are interpolated to form
% the super resolved images: These are used to create a stack
% containing 50
% images

%Initializing matrices I1 & I2 for creating the image stack...
I1=zeros(size(I,1),size(I,2),Nim);
I2=zeros(round(size(I,1)/f),round(size(I,2)/f),Nim);

txty= f*rand(2,Nim)-(f/2);
txty(:,1)=[0,0];

% Shifting the txty values, ie adding noise to this in the stack
txty = txty + alpha*randn(size(txty));
if aff==1 ,figure('Name','pile d''images'),end

% Creating a stack of low resolved images

for c=1:Nim
    xform = [ 1 0 0;          0 1 0;  txty(1,c) txty(2,c) 1 ]; %??
    tform_translate = maketform('affine',xform);
    I1(:,:,c)= imtransform(I, tform_translate,'XData',[1
size(I,2)],'YData',[1 size(I,1)],'FillValues',mean(I(:)));
    I2(:,:,c)= I1(1:f:end,1:f:end,c);

    if aff==1,
        imshow(I2(:,:,c),
[, 'InitialMagnification','fit'];colorbar;axis on;title(sprintf('image
n° %d',c));pause(0.1),end
        title('Stack of the low resolved images with x-y-shift');
    %     figure; imshow(I2(:,:,c));
end

% super-resolution of the image stack

%
[X,Y]=meshgrid(1:f:size(I,2),1:f:size(I,1));
[Xi,Yi]=meshgrid(1:size(I,2),1:size(I,1));
```

```

Xt=zeros(size(X,1),size(X,2)*Nim);Yt=Xt;datat=Xt;

% Interpolating 10 low resolved to create a super resolved image
for c=1:10 % NimSR is the number of images considered to calculate
% the SR image
Xt(:,(size(X,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(X,2)*(c)))=X-txty(1,c);
Yt(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=Y-txty(2,c);
datat(:,(size(Y,2)*(c-1)+1):(size(Y,2)*(c)))=I2(:, :, c);
end

% Building the super resolved image
ISR = griddata(Xt,Yt,datat,Xi,Yi,'cubic');

[x_i,y_i] = size(ISR);
figure; imshow(ISR,
[],'InitialMagnification','fit');colorbar;axis on;title('');pause(0.1);
title('SRI of a 10 stack images with x-y-shifts');

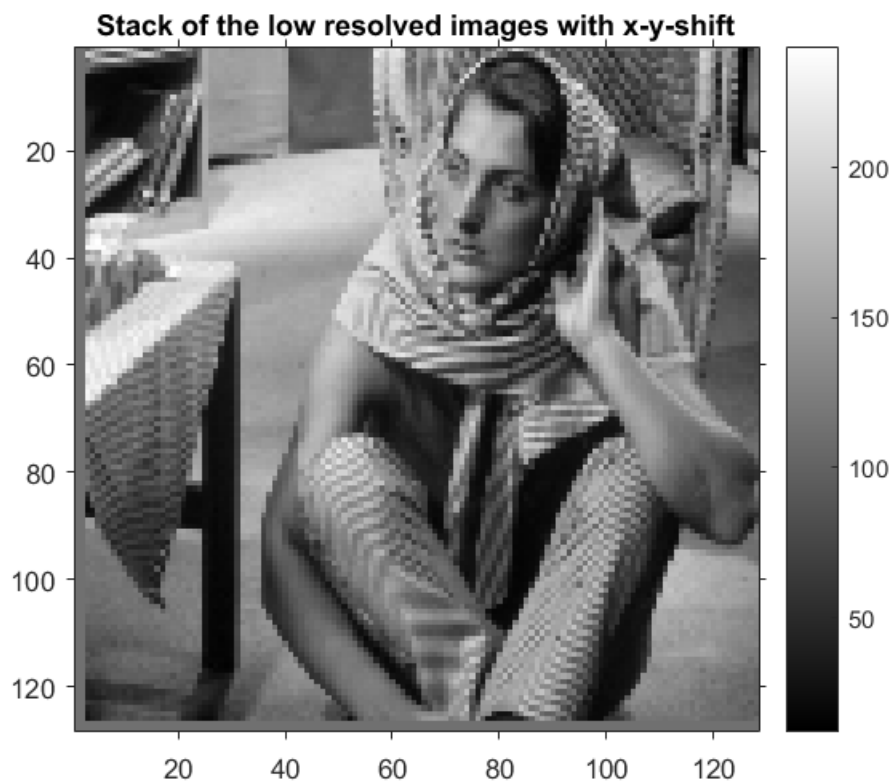
Meansquare = sqrt (mean(mean((I-ISR).^2)));
Meansquare

% The change of the x-y-shift matrix, causes a change on the position
of
% the low undersampled images but there seems no practice effect
observed
% resulting super resolved image: while the MSE decreases gradually
with
% the value of the used sigma

Meansquare =

12.2359

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