

Assignment 3

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All the source codes are available [here](#).

1 MMSE estimation

For the noise model:

$$Y = X + Z \quad (1)$$

The MMSE estimate is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{X} &= E(X|Y) \\ &= \frac{\int X * P_{y|x}(Y|X)P_x(X)dX}{\int P_{y|x}(Y|X)P_x(X)dX} = \frac{\int X * P_z(Y - X)P_x(X)dX}{\int P_z(Y - X)P_x(X)dX} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_x\sigma_z} \int x \exp -\frac{(y-x)^2}{2\sigma_z^2} \exp -\frac{|x|}{\sigma_x} dx}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_x\sigma_z} \int \exp -\frac{(y-x)^2}{2\sigma_z^2} \exp -\frac{|x|}{\sigma_x} dx} = \frac{\int x \exp -\frac{(y-x)^2}{2\sigma_z^2} \exp -\frac{|x|}{\sigma_x} dx}{\int \exp -\frac{(y-x)^2}{2\sigma_z^2} \exp -\frac{|x|}{\sigma_x} dx} \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where $X \sim L(0, \sigma_x)$ and $Z \sim N(0, \sigma_z)$ and $\sigma_z = \sqrt{0.1}$

- The expectation value has no closed form solution, so I have integrated it numerically
- I have used quad function of scipy for numerical integration
- For X given Y, as the value of X is in neighbourhood of Y, we are integrating from -Y to Y and the Y is varied from -4*Vx to 4*Vx.
- The estimate \hat{x} as a function of y is shown in Fig. 1.

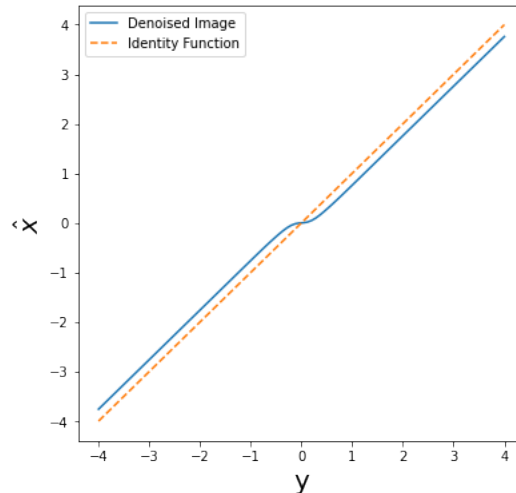


Figure 1: Value of \hat{x}

2 Question 2

2.1 Part 1

- I have read the "lighthouse2.bmp" image and converted it into Gray scale and saved it as "gray-image.png"
- A gaussian noise with $\sigma_z^2 = 100$ is added to the Gray scale image. I have generated this noise with randn function of cv2
- The noisy image is clipped between 0 and 255
- Original, Grayscale, Noisy images are shown in Fig. 2a, 2b, 2c



(a) Original Image

(b) Gray Image



(c) Noisy Image

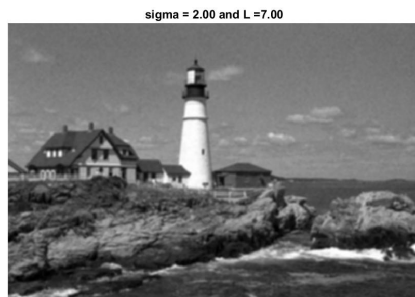
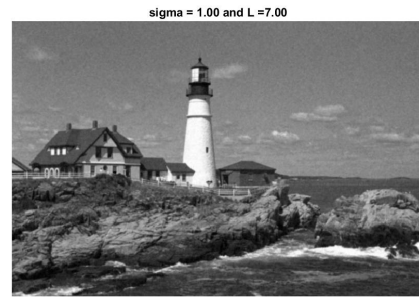
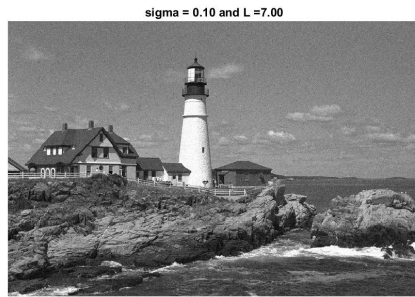
The noisy image is filtered with different low pass filters of kernel size $L = [3, 7, 11]$ and $\sigma = [0.1, 1, 2, 4, 8]$. The mean square error for different combination of σ and L are shown in table 1

Table 1: Comparison of MSE for different kernel size and σ

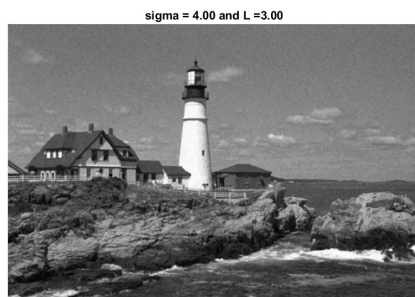
MSE(L, σ)	0.1	1	2	4	8
3	30.3924	43.6770	45.7789	46.3646	46.4587
7	30.3924	46.1494	52.3061	54.3864	54.8935
11	30.3924	46.1379	53.4426	57.2564	58.3677

We can see that the least MSE is with $\sigma = 0.1$ and $L = 3$. It is noticed that with increase in the size for filter keeping σ fixed or vice-versa or both, the sharpness of the image increase and the image

becomes more and more blurry. Here I am showing the comparison for $L = 7$ and vary σ . As the value of σ increases the image gets more blurred losses details. As increase in σ decreases the bandwidth of LPF in frequency domain.



Here I am showing the comparison for fixed $\sigma = 4$ and varying L . It can be seen that with varying L as well the image gets more and more blurry



2.2 Part 2: MMSE filter

We split the noisy image Y into Y_1 and μ_Y

$$Y_1 = Y - \mu_Y \quad (3)$$

where Y_1 is the high pass image, μ_Y is the low pass image, MMSE estimate of X i.e \hat{X} is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{X} &= \hat{X}_1 + \mu_Y \\ \hat{X}_1 &= \frac{\sigma_{X1}^2}{\sigma_{Y1}^2} Y_1 \\ \sigma_{X1}^2 &= \sigma_{Y1}^2 - \sigma_{Z1}^2 \\ \sigma_{Z1}^2 &= \sigma_Z^2 \left(1 + \sum_{i=-1}^1 \sum_{j=-1}^1 h[i, j]^2 - 2h[0, 0] \right) \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Noisy Image after MMSE



2.3 Part 3: Adaptive MMSE filter

In this part we use the MMSE filter on small patches of images of size 11X11 and shift the patches by 5 pixels. The pixels which belong to multiple patches will be averaged out to get the final value. **** The technique used is similar to the ones used in question above with slight modification.

- If in any patch $\sigma_{Y1}^2 < \sigma_{Z1}^2$, then $\sigma_{Y1}^2 = \sigma_{Z1}^2$
- In above case $\sigma_{X1}^2 = 0$



Adaptive MMSE filtered noisy image



3 Ques 3

3.1 Part 1:

The output of the low pass gaussian filter as shown in Fig. ?? is sharpened using the high pass filter. MSE is calculated for different values of gain and the minimum $MSE = 69.3721$ is achieved for $gain = 1$. The output for $gain = 1$ is shown in Fig. 3



Figure 3: Low pass filtered image



Figure 4: Sharpened image

3.2 Part 2:

In the sharpened image the smoother region has become rough. It doesn't look good in terms of the perception of quality. Here I am showing the images with a larger gain for a better comparison.

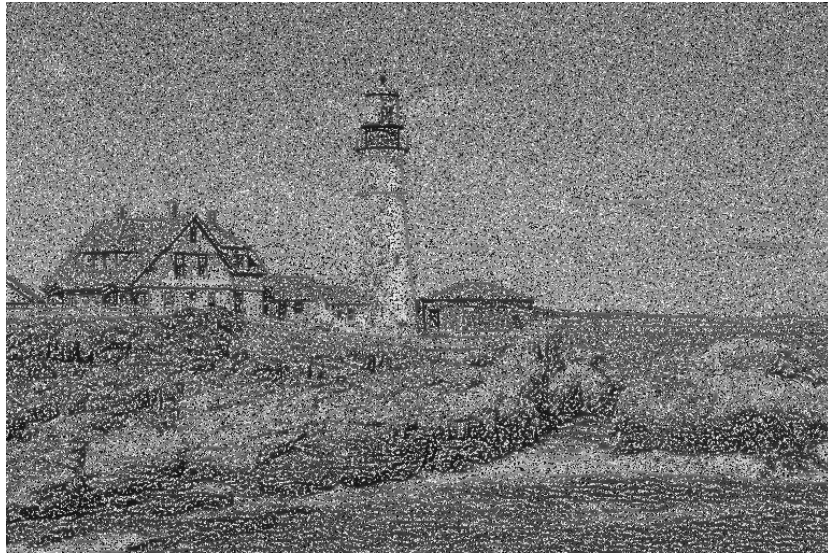


Figure 5: Sharpened Image with a larger gain = 50

As we increase the gain, the image is becoming more noisy and doesn't look good.