

Test/ Debugger: imgCropMULTI

Summary: Works through step by step the preprocessing and cropping stages. Useful for code debugging and investigating preprocessing quality of a particular frame.

User notes:

- 1) Make sure relevant function files, videos and individual video frames are located in the same folder as this live script. So far, only works on horizontal flow videos.
- 2) There are some user-defined inputs, particularly video/ image file name. Other processing parameters can also be adjusted as see fit.

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1) Load video

```
% vid_file_name = 'WAT004_S05_17umL-13Wat_umL-10kfps
x4mag_sh50_C001H001S0016.avi'; %<----- user-defined input!!
vid_file_name = 'DYE003_52%G1_W_0.003_Ink_SO_SPAN80_0.003_2kfps_.avi';
vid = VideoReader(vid_file_name); %read video
totframes = vid.NumFrames %check total num of frames in video
```

```
totframes = 5741
```

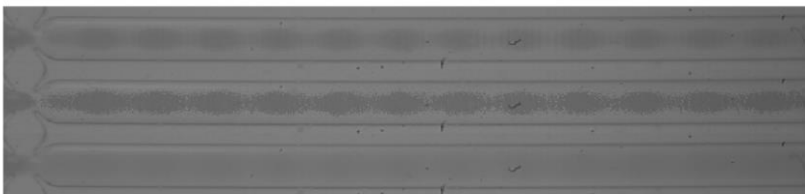
2a) Background generation - 'Basic' Statistical Approach

Shows 3 methods: i) Median, ii) Mode and iii) Mean

```
n = 200; % number of frames to use for background generation <-----
user-defined input!!
```

```
[med_bg mod_bg avg_bg] = bgGenBasic(vid_file_name,n);
```

```
Processed video: DYE003_52%G1_W_0.003_Ink_SO_SPAN80_0.003_2kfps_.avi
Median; Elapsed time = 4.91
Mode; Elapsed time = 5.48
Mean; Elapsed time = 6.29
```



2b) Background generation - 'Complex' Statistical Approach

(Adapted from ADM method)

```
n = 40;    % number of frames to use for background generation <----- user-  
defined input!!
```

```
bg = bgGenCmplx(vid_file_name,n,'original');
```

```
Processed video: DYE003_52%Gl_W_0.003_Ink_SO_SPAN80_0.003_2kfps_.avi  
Using standard algorithm...  
Elapsed time is 10.126524 seconds.
```

```
% 'original': for WAT, TRI, SDS, DYE.
```

```
% 'modified': for C12Tab.
```

```
figure; imshow(bg);
```



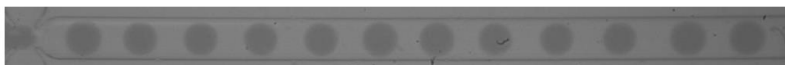
3) Load test image

```
% Load images
```

```
I = imread('DYE003_19.jpg');    %<----- user-defined input!!
```

```
% check images loaded correctly
```

```
figure; imshow(I);
```



4) Background Subtraction

```
%% From Mean background generation
```

```
subMean = rescale(1-(double(I) - double(avg_bg))); % std diff with inversion
```

```
subMean2 = rescale(abs(double(I) - double(avg_bg))); % abs subtraction
```

```
%% From Median background generation
```

```
subMed = rescale(1-(double(I) - double(mod_bg))); % std diff with inversion
```

```
subMed2 = rescale(abs(double(I) - double(mod_bg))); % abs diff
```

```
%% From Mode background generation
```

```
subMax = rescale(1-(double(I) - double(mod_bg))); % std diff with inversion
```

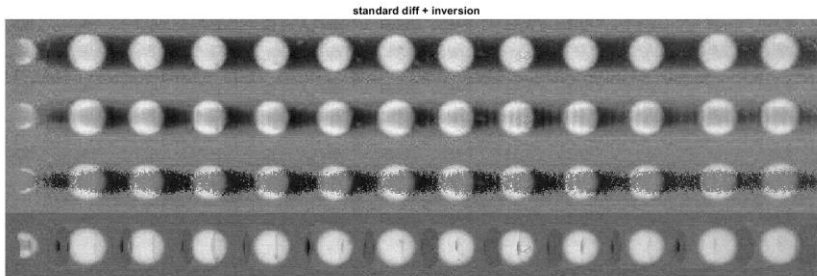
```
subMax2 = rescale(abs(double(I) - double(mod_bg))); % abs diff
```

```

%% From complex background generation method
subCom = rescale(1-(double(I) - double(bg))); % std diff with inversion
subCom2 = rescale(abs(double(I) - double(bg))); % absdiff

figure; montage({subMean subMed subMax subCom}, 'Size', [4 1]); title('standard
diff + inversion');

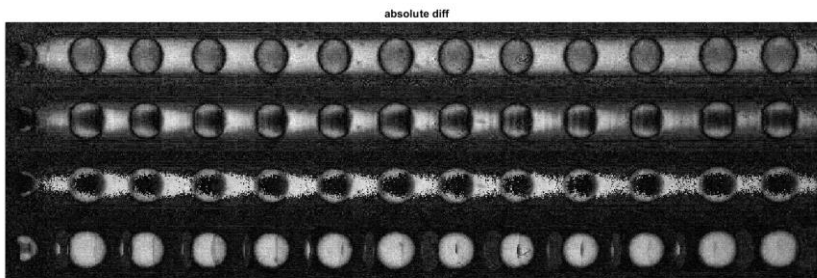
```



```

figure; montage({subMean2 subMed2 subMax2 subCom2}, 'Size', [4 1]);
title('absolute diff');

```



```

% figure; imshow(subMean); title('mean')
% figure; imshow(subMed); title('median')
% figure; imshow(subMax); title('mode')
% figure; imshow(subCom); title('complex')

```

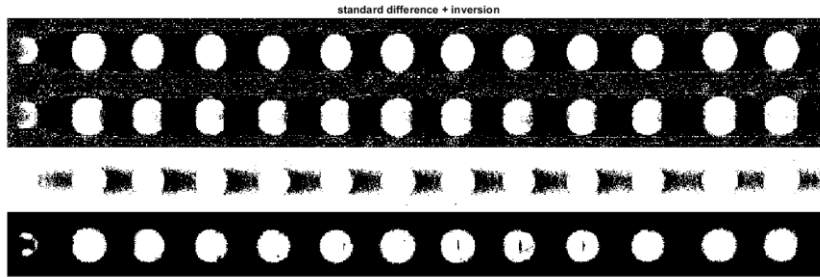
5) Convert to binary image

```

bin1 = imbinarize(imadjust((subMean)), graythresh(subMean)); %graythresh uses
Otsu's Method
bin2 = imbinarize(imadjust((subMed)), graythresh(subMed));
bin3 = imbinarize(imadjust((subMax)), graythresh(subMax));
bin4 = imbinarize(imadjust((subCom)), graythresh(subCom));

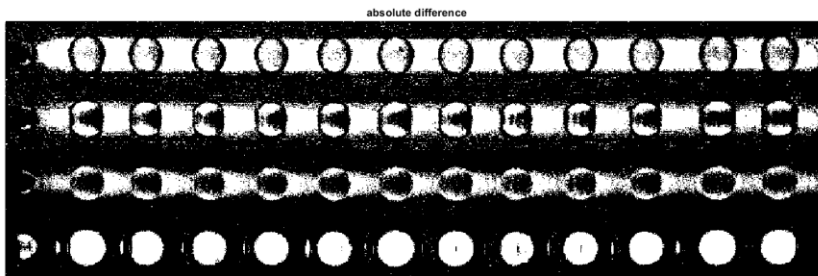
figure; montage({bin1 bin2 bin3 bin4}, 'Size', [4 1]); title('standard
difference + inversion');

```



```
bin21 = imbinarize(imadjust((subMean2)), graythresh(subMean2));
bin22 = imbinarize(imadjust((subMed2)), graythresh(subMed2));
bin23 = imbinarize(imadjust((subMax2)), graythresh(subMax2));
bin24 = imbinarize(imadjust((subCom2)), graythresh(subCom2));

figure; montage({bin21 bin22 bin23 bin24}, 'Size', [4 1]); title('absolute
difference');
```



6) Morphological fill

- only use best result from previous parts

```
Img = bin4; % choose a binary image to process

fill1 = imfill(Img, 'holes'); %fill fully closed drops
figure; imshow(fill1)
```



```
minA = 50; % anything with area less than this will be treated as noise object
cfill1 = bwareaopen(fill1,minA); %noise object removal
figure; imshow(cfill1);
```



```
rg = regionprops('table',cfill1,'Area') %detect ROI
```

```
rg = 14x1 table
```

	Area
1	91
2	89
3	1434
4	1241
5	1249
6	1272
7	1293
8	1445
9	1406
10	1216
11	1254
12	1247
13	1397
14	1350

```
[bw1 n] = bwlabel(cfill1,8); %assign label to each detected ROI  
minA = 0.4*max(rg.Area)
```

```
minA = 578
```

```
pos = find(rg.Area < minA); %find ROIs that have holes so have not been filled;
```

```
bw12 = ismember(bw1,pos); %segment out ROIs that need further manipulation  
(morphological close)  
% figure; imshow(bw12);
```

```
bw12 = imclose(bw12,strel('disk',20)); %morphological close  
fill12 = imfill(bw12,'holes'); %fill fully closed drops (drops at border not  
filled!)  
% figure; imshow(fill12)
```

```
fill12_bord = fill_border_drops(bw12); % fill objects at border  
% figure; imshow(fill12_bord)
```

```
fill12 = fill12 | fill12_bord; %resulting filled image
figure; imshow(fill12);
```



```
L = cfill11 | fill12; %combine to form a final mask
figure; imshow(L);
```



7) Drop Segmentation

- attempt to separate drops that were wrongly fused together from previous steps

```
L2 = imerode(L, strel('diamond',3));
figure; imshow(L2)
```



8) Identify Bounding Box of ROI

```
ROI = regionprops('table', L2)
```

ROI = 13×3 table

	Area	Centroid		...
1	164	25.5793	40.1829	
2	1064	102.5714	41.6353	
3	889	176.5872	42.1507	
4	874	253.4073	42.1304	
5	909	331.3256	43.1738	
6	942	409.1645	43.1656	
7	1073	485.9049	42.8546	
8	1041	559.5255	42.8770	
9	886	635.2494	42.6862	

	Area	Centroid		...
10	917	714.3097	42.6412	
11	904	795.4093	42.3053	
12	1017	884.3402	41.7168	
13	979	960.8274	41.1879	

```
% first entry in ROI table is the drop nearest to left frame border
leadEdge = ROI.Centroid(1,1) + 1.4*(ROI.BoundingBox(1,3) /2) % estimate point
of entrance to main channel
```

```
leadEdge = 32.5793
```

```
% remove any drops outside of main flow channel
ROI(ROI.Centroid(:,1) < leadEdge, :) = []
```

```
ROI = 12x3 table
```

	Area	Centroid		...
1	1064	102.5714	41.6353	
2	889	176.5872	42.1507	
3	874	253.4073	42.1304	
4	909	331.3256	43.1738	
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Assumptions:

- horizontal flow in main channel
- entrance region is captured in video (i.e., video does not just purely show a segment of main flow)
- drop identified as that nearest to left frame border is not a random noise object (and thus the width is not representative of a regular drop)

9) Plot results

```
figure; imshow(I);
hold on
```

```

% visualise centroid
plot(ROI.Centroid(:,1), ROI.Centroid(:,2), 'b+')

% visualise bounding box
for i=1:height(ROI)
    rectangle('Position',ROI.BoundingBox(i,:), 'EdgeColor', 'b')
end

% visualise estimated leading edge for analysed region
plot([leadEdge leadEdge], [0 vid.Height])

```



6) Crop and show individual drops

```

roiTable = ROI.BoundingBox;
cropSize = [128 128];

for i = 1: height(roiTable)
    dim = 1.5*max([roiTable(i,3:4)]); % this will be the width/ height of
    square cropped area

    % x-coord of centroid of cropping region
    cx = roiTable(i,1) + roiTable(i,3)/2;
    % y-coord of centroid of cropping region
    cy = roiTable(i,2) + roiTable(i,4)/2;

    % coordinates of bottom-left vertex of intended crop region
    xmin = cx - dim/2 ;
    ymin = cy - dim/2 ;

    % crop region defined as [x-coord of bottom left point, y-coord of
    % bottom left point, width, height]
    Img = imcrop(I, [xmin, ymin, dim, dim]);

    % resize cropped image
    Img = imresize(Img, cropSize);

    %show image
    figure; imshow(Img)
end

```