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Text book: Gonzalez & Woods . Digital Image Processing

Reference books: i) Sonka, Kakarla & Boyle , Image Processing, Analysis & Machine vision.

- ii) Anil K. Jain, Fundamentals of Digital Image Processing
- iii) Gonzalez, Woods & Eddins, Digital Image processing using MATLAB.

Image → A subset of signal (1D, 2D, 3D)

An image is a function of spatial parameters that conveys information about an object or its attributes.

Defects to be corrected in a bad image →

Colour Fringing

Noise

Exposure problems.

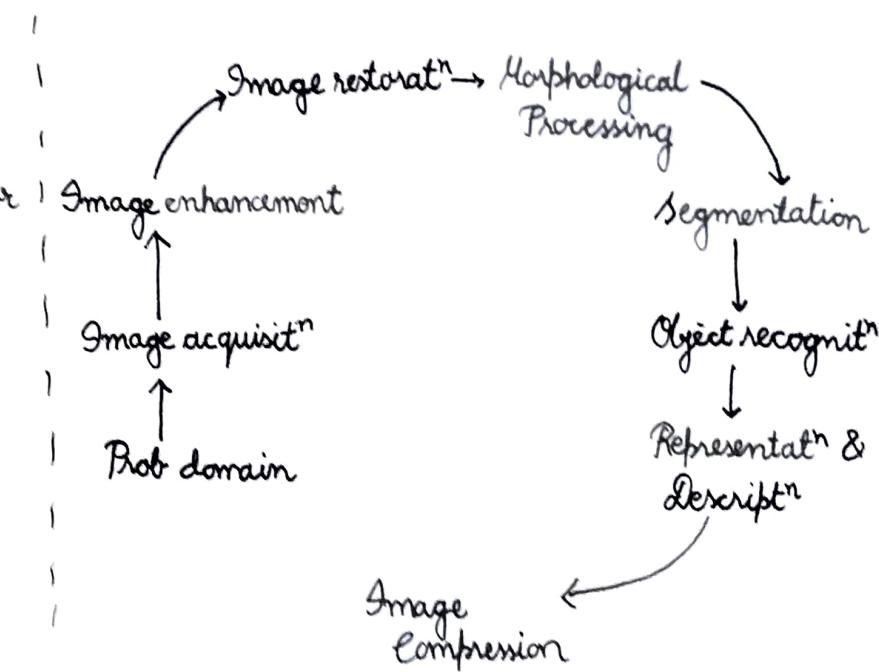
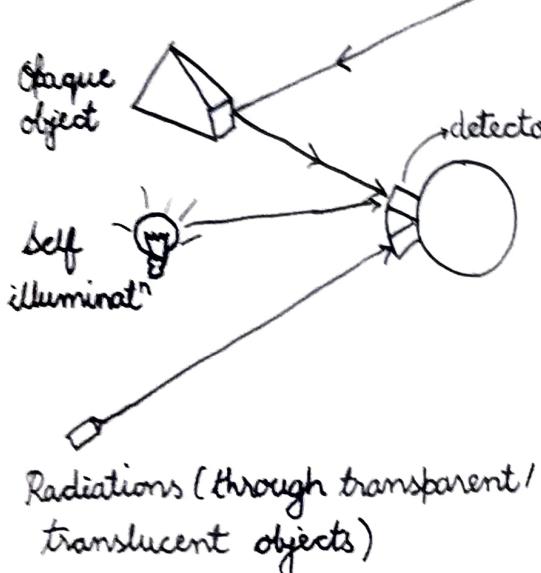
Flash defect

Blur

JPEG artefacts

Colour Imbalance

A video: A set of images played in time



### Evaluation Scheme

<u>Component</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>Weightage</u>	<u>Date &amp; Time</u>	<u>Nature of component</u>
Test 1	50 min	15%	-	-
Test 2	"	15%	-	-
Test 3	"	15%	-	-
Comprehensive exam	2 h	35%	-	-
Quiz /Assignment / MATLAB Coding	-	20%	Announced in class	Closed/Open

$\lambda$ (in $\mu\text{m}$ )	Visible 0.4-0.75	Near-IR 0.75-1.1	SWIR 1-3	MWIR 3-5	LWIR 7-14
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{ Scanning an image in different wavelengths → can help us get more info about a situat<sup>n</sup>: such as forensic applicat<sup>n</sup>s, MRI & X-rays  
 → Understanding & Interpreting them requires image processing

6/6 vision → Snellen fraction → means one can normally <sup>clearly</sup> see at 6m for what should be seen at 6m.

Human eye & its structure (Rods & Cones - cells) <sup>b/w dim color & bright</sup>

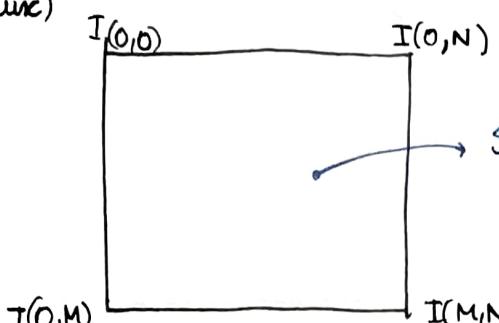
Visible range → 400-750nm of light

3 types of cones → R, B & G sensitive

Blind spot → base of the optic nerve.

30fps → video ; >30fps

Source of Light → incident light → reflected light → projection → sensor → electrical signal (Emitit lunc)



Quantizat<sup>n</sup> for a digital image

If image is b/w →  $I(m, n)$  is a single value in grayscale ( $2^8$ ) {0 - 255}

If image is colored →  $I(m, n)$  → triplet vector {HSV} → {Blue, Saturation & Value of Intensit y}

### Image Resolut<sup>n</sup>

→ Spatial resolut<sup>n</sup>

>  $256 \times 256$  (pixel × pixel)  
 $1024 \times 1024$

> 1250 DPI (dots per inch)

The pixel density should be twice the highest spatial freq. in the image. In practice, 2.5 times is used to compensate for the dist. across the diagonal of the pixel.

The Image Digitizat<sup>n</sup> (mapping cont. signal to discrete pixels)

→ Spatial quantizn

→ Bit resolut<sup>n</sup>

→ Temporal resolut<sup>n</sup>

Nyquist sampling th. or Shannon's sampling th. is applicable in image (spatial frequency & not temporal frequency as in videos) Acquired info  $\geq 2$ (freq)

Quantizat<sup>n</sup> introduces a distortion into images called "aliasing"

Forms of aliasing → spatial, intensity or temporal

### Spatial Quant

→ Chess board effect

### Intensity Quant

→ False contouring effect

### Temporal Quant

No. of images captured in a given time period (fps)

E.g. Apparent backward motion of wagon wheels in western movies, because it's a sequence of still frames.

Image  $\rightarrow$  gray image as a  $N \times M$  matrix ,  $0 \leq N, M \leq 255$   
A matrix  $A(i,j)$   $i = 1, \dots, M$   
 $j = 1, \dots, N$

MATLAB IP functions  $\rightarrow$  imread, imwrite, iminfo, imshow, image, colormap  
iminfo('')

IM = imread('')  
imwrite(IM,'')  
imshow(IM);  
image(IM);  
axis image;  
axis off;  
colormap.

Image of ramp

```
for i = 1:256  
    for j = 1:256  
        A(i,j) = j-1  
    end  
end
```

```
image(IM)  
colormap(gray(256));  
axis('image')
```

Fan speed > 30fps  $\rightarrow$  reversed direction

(human brain can  
process only 30fps)

Biasing  $\downarrow$   
(not enough sampling)

Image of circle

```
for  
    for  
        dist = ((i-128)^2 + (j-128)^2)^0.5  
        if (dist < 80)  
            B(i,j) = 255;  
        else  
            B(i,j) = 0;  
        end  
    end  
end  
image(B);  
colormap(gray(256))  
axis('image')
```

## Weber Ratio

Sampling & Quantization, "Brightness Adaptation" & Discrimination

curve

Basic relationship b/w pixels & Interpolation

DIY → Take your picture

→ Change resolution of the image

Display image, obtain printout in pdf

Convert your image to 8 bit gray shade

## Brightness Adaptation & Discrimination

→ Range of light intensity levels to which HVS can adapt - order of  $10^{10}$

→ Intensity is perceived by HVS → a log fn.

→ HVS cannot operate over such a range simultaneously

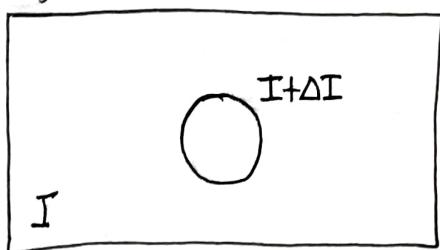
→ Current sensitivity level of human eye → brightness adaptation level.

Weber's law → 'The ratio of the increment threshold to the background intensity is a const'.

The eye discriminates b/w level changes in brightness at any specific adaptation level by Weber ratio:

$$\text{Weber ratio} = \frac{\Delta I_c}{I}$$

Basic experimental setup used to characterize brightness discrimination



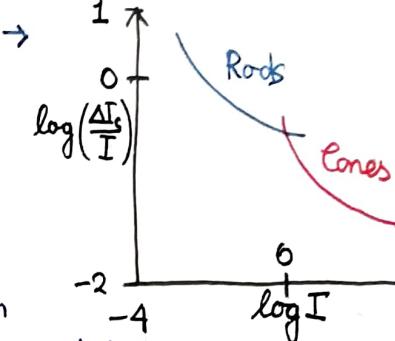
→ Perceived brightness is not a fn of intensity  
↓ → Mach bands → Perception

↓ → Simultaneous Contrast

**Brightness is subjective matter**

→ Overall intensity discriminatn is broad due to different set of incremental changes to be detected at each new adaptatn level

→ Small values of Weber ratio → good brightness discrimination



→ A typical observer → 12-24 different intensity changes; i.e. the no. of different intensities a person can see @ any one pt. in a monochrome image

## Vary both sampling & Quantization

Mapping of continuous signals to a discrete no. of spatially organized pts. (pixels)

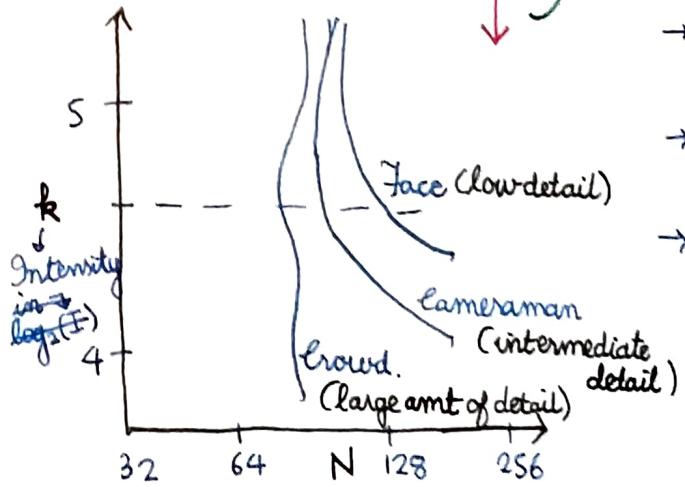
→ Spatial Quant & Chessboard effect

→ Gray level quantizatn & contour effect

Intensity  $k$  bits for  $N$  pixels

Iso-preference curves

Points on this correspond to images of equal subjective quality Remarks



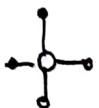
- Iso-preference curves tend to shift right & upward. (i.e. better image quality)
- In images with a large amt. of detail, only a few gray levels are need.
- In the other two image categories, the perceived quality remained the same in some intervals in which  $N$  was increased & actually dec.

Zooming, Shrinking

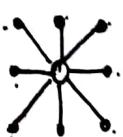
Using digital interpolations

Interpol<sup>n</sup> → Process of using known data to estimate values at unknown locations data.

Neighbors of pixels & Adjacency



$$N_4(p) = \{(i-1, j), (i+1, j), (i, j-1), (i, j+1)\}$$



$$N_8(p) = \{(i+1, j+1), (i, j+1), (i-1, j+1), (i-1, j), (i-1, j-1), (i, j-1), (i+1, j-1), (i+1, j)\}$$

Distance measures D

a)  $D(p, q) \geq 0$  ( $D(p, q) = 0$  when  $p = q$ )

b)  $D(p, q) = D(q, p)$

c)  $D(p, z) \leq D(p, q) + D(q, z)$

Examples

- Euclidean:  $D_e(p, q) = \sqrt{(x_s - x_t)^2 + (y_s - y_t)^2}$

-  $D_a$  (city block or Manhattan)  $\Rightarrow D_a(p, q) = |x_s - x_t| + |y_s - y_t|$

-  $D_b$  (chessboard)  $\Rightarrow D_b(p, q) = \max\{|x_s - x_t|, |y_s - y_t|\}$

Interpolat<sup>n</sup> → Shrinking, zooming, rotating & geometric correction

How to interpolate? →

↳ Linear Interpolation →  $f(x, y)$  at  $P(x, y)$

↳ Nearest Neighbour

↳ Bilinear

Value of  $x$  at  $P(x, y)$

Assume we know

$$f(x_1, y_1) = Q_{11} \text{ &}$$

$$F(x_1, y_1) = \alpha Q_{11} \text{ (Intensity)}$$

$$f(x_2, y_1) = Q_{21} \text{ &}$$

$$F(x_2, y_1) = b Q_{21} \text{ (Intensity)}$$

| Decrease in 'k'  $\Rightarrow$  Increase in the apparent contrast

| which is why Lena & photographer's images have dec. in gray levels as quality inc

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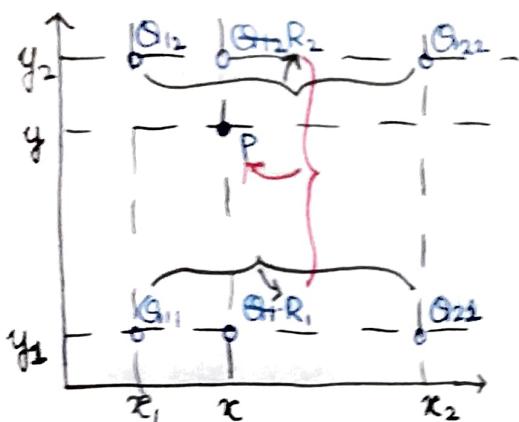
Pixels with  $\rightarrow$  no values when an image is enlarged  $\rightarrow$  their grayscale values have to be interpolated such that the image is enlarged properly.

$\hookrightarrow$  Reqd to reconstruct a continuous signal

4x4  $\xrightarrow[\text{enlarge by}]{\text{400%}}$  8x8 (contains only 25% info when its not interpolated)

### Bilinear interpolation ( $\alpha \rightarrow$ intensity)

$$P = (1-c)(1-r)G_{12} + (1-c)rG_{22} + c(1-r)G_{11} + crG_{21}$$



$$R_1 = (1-r)G_{11} + rG_{21}$$

$$R_2 = (1-r)G_{12} + rG_{22}$$

using  $R_1$  &  $R_2$

$$P = (1-c)R_2 + cR_1$$

of dist  
Ratio b/w the pts

r = row

c = column

### Example

$$\begin{matrix} 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 4 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{matrix} \xrightarrow{\text{8x8}}$$

assume  $c=r=0.5$

$$\begin{matrix} 2 & 1.5 & 1 & 2.5 & 4 & 3 & 2 & - \\ 2.5 & 1.75 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 2.25 & 1.5 & - \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 1.5 & 2 & 1.5 & 1 & - \\ 2 & 1.75 & 1.5 & 1.5 & 1.5 & 2 & 2.5 & - \\ 1 & 1.5 & 2 & 1.5 & 1 & 2.5 & 4 & - \\ 2.5 & 2 & 1.5 & 1.5 & 1.5 & 2.5 & 3.5 & - \\ 4 & 2.5 & 1 & 1.5 & 2 & 2.5 & 3 & - \\ - & - & - & - & - & - & - & - \end{matrix}$$

$\rightarrow$  This is a simple & computationally efficient.

Advanced, e.g.  $\rightarrow$  bicubic, B-spline, edge orientation based interpolation, transform domain etc.

Zoom in, Zoom out

Scaling factor  $> 1 \rightarrow$  Zoom out      Scaling factor  $< 1 \rightarrow$  Zoom in.

$\rightarrow$  For binary images  $\rightarrow$  just replicate pixels while scaling  $\rightarrow$  up.  
 $\rightarrow$  downscale by simple subsampling.

## Interpolation artifacts

Scale factor  $> 1 \rightarrow$  Upscaling      Scale factor  $< 1 \rightarrow$  Downscaling

→ Downscale: simple subsampling & take chances with aliasing.

→ Apply a lowpass filter before subsampling

→ Digital zoom & Optical zoom

Image  $\xrightarrow{\text{Upscaling}}$

Image

↳ Problems  $\begin{cases} \text{Aliasing} \\ \text{Blurring} \\ \text{Edge halo} \end{cases}$

## MATLAB functions

`imresize()` → Image resize (interpolation is used)

`tic()` / `toc()` funct<sup>n</sup> → calculates computation time

## Interpolation methods

{'nearest'  
'bilinear'  
'bicubic'} } Methods

Kernels { ('box')  
'triangle'  
'cubic'  
'lanczos2'  
'lanczos3'

## Application of Interpolat<sup>n</sup>

Super resolution img reconstruct<sup>n</sup> → Produces high res. img, using the existing low-cost img devices from a single img or few snapshots of low-res imgs.

## Image Enhancement

Process of making images more suitable for a particular application

- Highlight details → highlighting edges
- Visual appeal inc. → improve contrast
- Sharpening / deblurring → removing noise

Enhancement of an image is very subjective & domain dependent, & not generic at all. (different for each image)

- Digital data is rigid & once acquired, and once acquired it cannot be perfected with more info than it had originally.

Unnoticed details

Enhancements are present in the image & they are enhanced by removal of noise. The nature of noise is usually additive.

NO extra visual info is added during enhancement

## Methods of enhancement

- Spatial Domain  
(direct manipulat<sup>n</sup>)

### Spatial domain techniques

- a) Single-pixel operation. (Pt transform)
- b) Neighbourhood operations (Local t/f)
- c) Global operation (Global transform)

## PIXEL LEVEL PROCESSING

Point Transformation: The o/p value at a specific coordinate is dependent only on the i/p value at the same coordinate

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Global Transformation: The o/p value at a specific coordinate is dependent on all values in the i/p image.

- a) Single Pixel Processing Operat<sup>n</sup> → Scaling, histogram manipulat<sup>n</sup>, thresholding
- b) Neighbourhood operat<sup>n</sup> → Neighbourhood op: edge detection, smoothing
- c) geometric spatial t/f → ...
- d) global operations. → Fourier, Gabor, Principal component wavelet

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Pt t/f



Local t/f



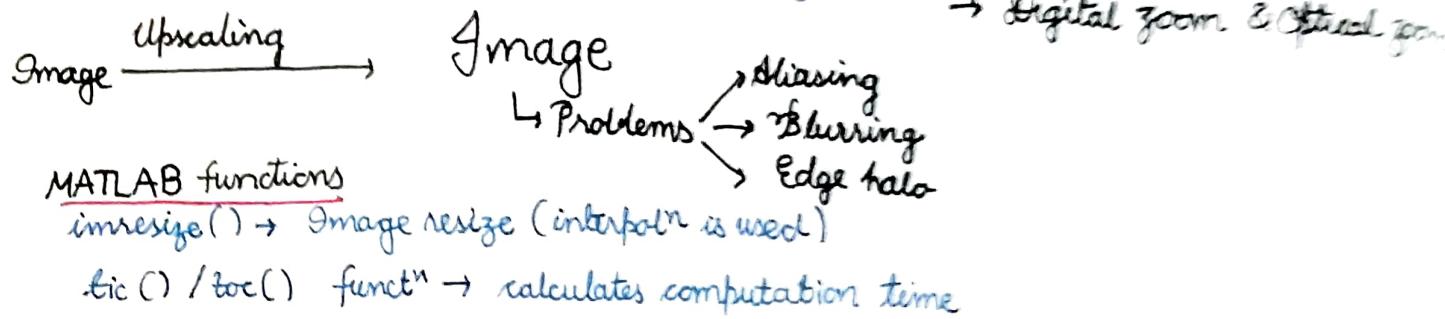
Global t/f

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→ Transform domain other artifacts &  
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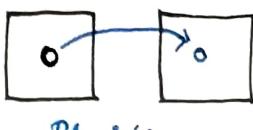
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Pt t/f



Local t/f



Global t/f

{ Negative Image:  $\tilde{f}(x,y) = 255 - f(x,y)$

Brightness Adjustment:  $\tilde{f}(x,y) = C + f(x,y)$ ;  $C \rightarrow$  Intensity (DC level analogy)

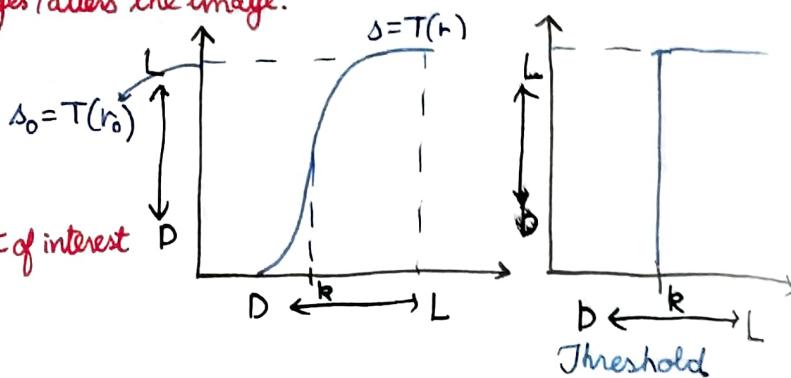
↳ For a 8 bit image if we don't take care of the limit of 255 max size, then there's an overflow & it damages/alters the image.

### Intensity transformation:

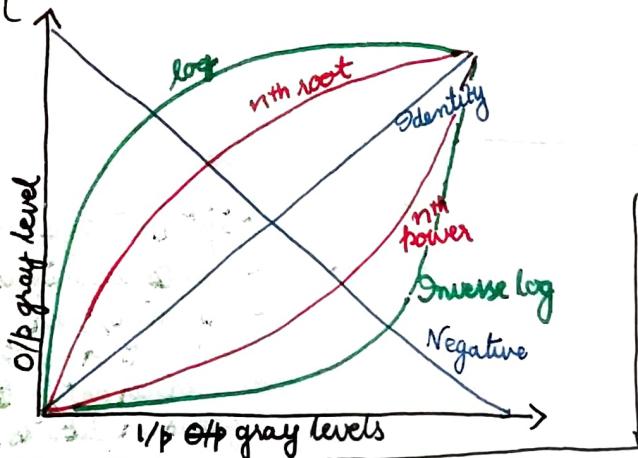
$$s = T(r)$$

$$\text{Threshold} \rightarrow s = 1 \quad r > k$$

$s = 0 \quad r \leq k$   
useful for segmentation in which an object of interest is isolated from the background.



### Gray level transformation



### Log transformation

$$s = c * \log(1+r)$$

### Power law, gamma transform

$$s = C \cdot r^\gamma$$

$\gamma < 1 \rightarrow$  darker details are revealed  
(image gets lighter)

$\gamma > 1 \rightarrow$  lighter details are revealed.

{ Gamma correction is required so that the image appears as seen by the eye & not a digital camera.

### Point processing techniques

→ Negative Images

→ Brightness Adjustment

→ Thresholding Images

→ Logarithmic t/f

→ Power law t/f

→ grey level slicing

→ Bit plane slicing

→ Log transformations are particularly useful when the i/p gray level values have an extremely large range of values.

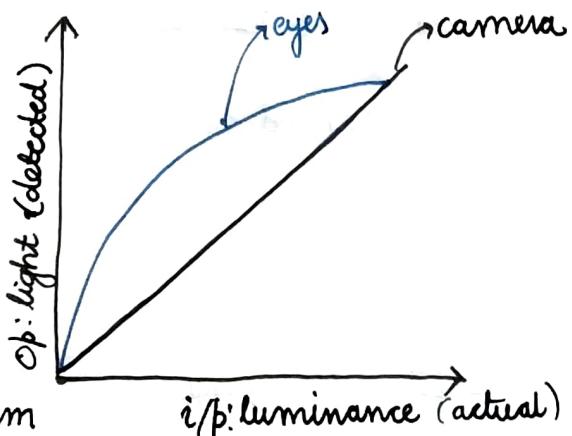
→ Inverse log transform does the opposite → enhances the lighter parts varyingly keeping darker parts const.

### Gamma correction

→ Our eyes don't perceive light the way cameras acquire it.

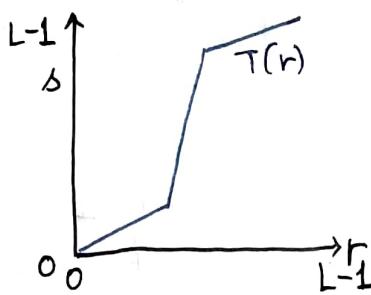
→ Therefore monitors & displays use  $\gamma$  correction s.t. it appears natural to the human eye

→ It can be corrected to a log transform

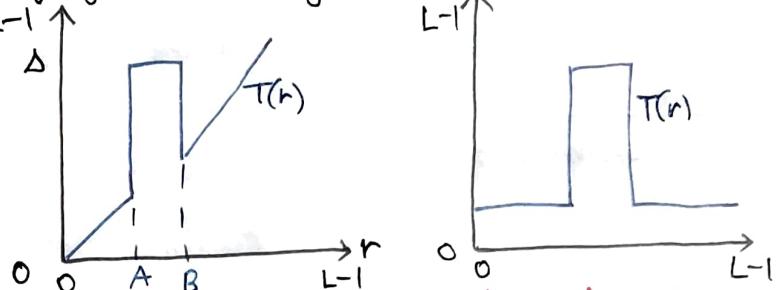


## Piecewise Linear Transforms

Using piecewise fns to enhance certain intensities & not using absolute thresholds.



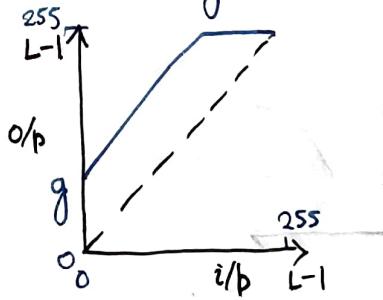
→ gray level slicing



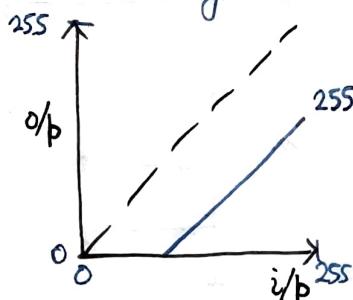
→ useful in highlighting features of an image.

## Point processing: Image editing

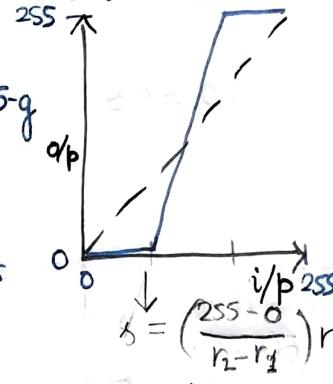
1. Inc. brightness



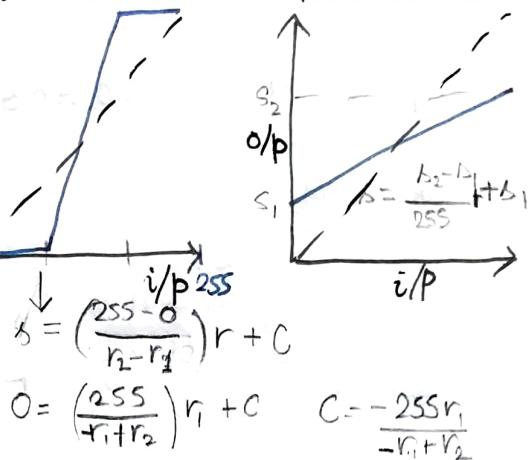
2. Dec. brightness



3. Dec. contrast



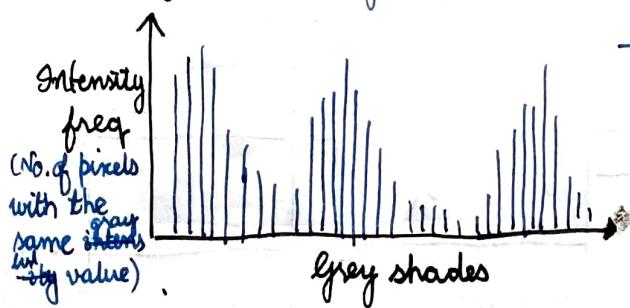
4. Inc. contrast



Info is lost by Image editing!

Image histograms:

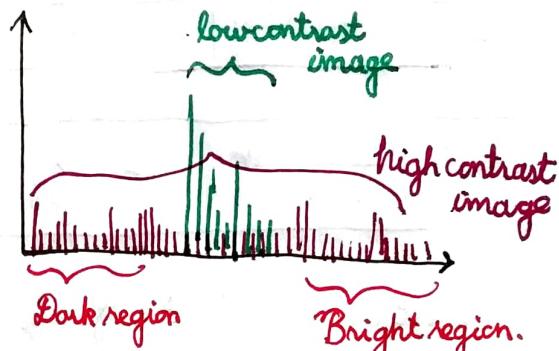
The histogram of an image shows us the distribution of gray levels in the image. Massively useful in image processing.



→ A good image

High contrast image : best quality, evenly distributed histogram

low contrast image



Histogram equalization

- Based on mathematical fn & simple to implement & acceptable approach for enhancement
- Automatically determines a transfer function T.

If we reshuffle all pixels within the image, <sup>it</sup> doesn't change the histogram but destroys the image.

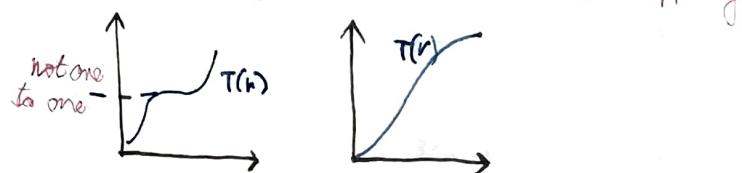
- > Images contain a lot of spatial information & it is important.
- Histogram is a global descriptor & reflect no structural or spatial info of pixel
- If we apply histogram equalization then pixels' spatial location should be preserved
- An image whose pixels tend to occupy the entire range of possible gray level values & tends to be distributed uniformly, will have a high contrast and a range (wide) of gray tones.*
- We can enhance the images that have a poor contrast by applying a pretty simple contrast specification (Histogram equalizer)

### BASIC RULES

Transformations (intensity mappings) of the form:  $s = T(r)$   $0 \leq r \leq 1$  that produce an output intensity level 's' for every pixel in the i/p image having intensity 'r'.

Assume that:

- $T(r)$  is single valued & monotonically increasing fn in the interval  $0 \leq r \leq 1$
- $0 \leq T(r) \leq 1$  for  $0 \leq r \leq 1$



### Algorithm

The gray levels in an img may be viewed as a random variable. The fundamental descriptor of random variable is the probability density function. The PDF of the transformed variable 's' can be obtained by.

$$P_s(s) = Pr(r) \left| \frac{dr}{ds} \right|$$

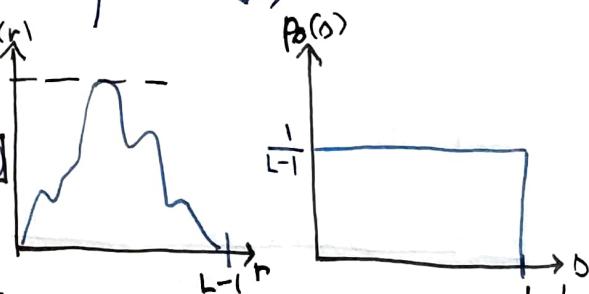
$$s = T(r) = \int_0^r Pr(w).dw$$

Now by definition rule:  $\frac{ds}{dr} = \frac{dT}{dr} = \frac{d}{dr} \left( \int_0^r Pr(w).dw \right)$  then  $\rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow P_s(s) = Pr(r) \left| \frac{dr}{ds} \right| = Pr(r) \left| \frac{1}{Pr(r)} \right| = 1 \text{ for } 0 \leq s \leq 1$$

Histogram equalization transform:

$$s_k = \int_{r_k}^{r_{k+1}} \frac{Pr(r)}{P_s(s)} dr = (L-1) \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \frac{n_j}{n}$$



3 bit image: ( $L=8$ ) of size  $64 \times 64$  pixels ( $n=4096$ ) has the intensity dist.

$r_k$	$n_k$	→ Applying histogram equalization transform	$Pr(r_k) = n_k/MN$	$r_k$
$r_0 = 0$	790		0.19	$r_0$
$r_1 = 1$	1023		0.25	$r_1$
:	850		0.21	$r_2$
656	656		0.16	...
329	329		0.08	
245	245		0.06	
122	122		0.03	
$r_7 = 7$	81		0.02	$r_7$

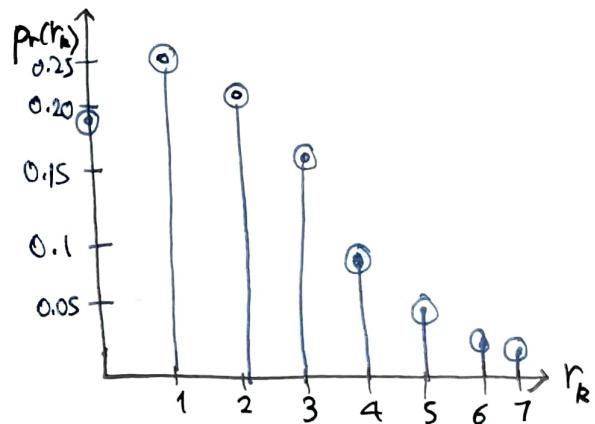
Here  $Pr(r) = \frac{n_k}{n}$ ;  $P_s(s) = \frac{1}{L-1}$

$$\Rightarrow s_k = (L-1) \sum_{j=0}^k \frac{n_j}{n}, k=0, 1, \dots, L-1$$

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→ Recap of histogram equalization algorithm

Intensity values			$\rightarrow \frac{1}{7} = 0.142$
$r_k$	$n_k$	$Pr(r_k) = n_k/MN$	$\downarrow$ values
$r_0=0$	790	$0.19 \rightarrow 0.19 \times 7 = 1.3$	$\frac{2}{7} = 0.285$
$r_1=1$	1023	$0.25 \rightarrow 0.44 \times 7 = 3.1$	$\frac{3}{7} = 0.426$
$r_2=2$	850	$0.21 \rightarrow 0.65 \times 7 = 4.5$	$\frac{4}{7} = 0.568$
$r_3=3$	656	$0.16 \rightarrow 0.81 \times 7 = 5.6$	$\frac{5}{7} = 0.71$
$r_4=4$	329	$0.08 \rightarrow 0.89 \times 7 = 6.2$	$\frac{6}{7} = 0.856$
$r_5=5$	245	$0.06 \rightarrow 0.95 \times 7 = 6.65$	
$r_6=6$	122	$0.03 \rightarrow 0.98 \times 7 = 7$	
$r_7=7$	81	$0.02 \rightarrow 1 \times 7 = 7$	

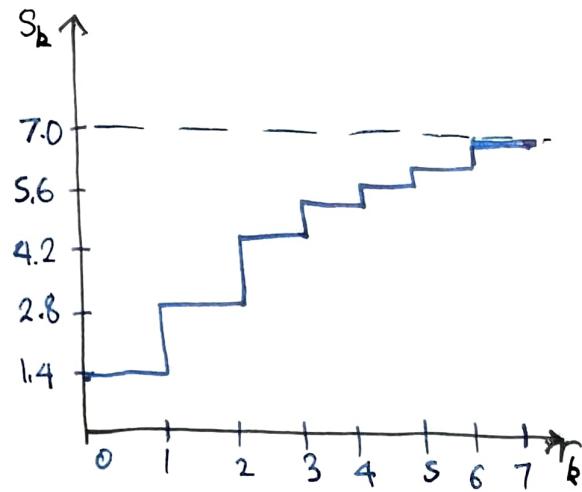


Processed pixel intensity value:

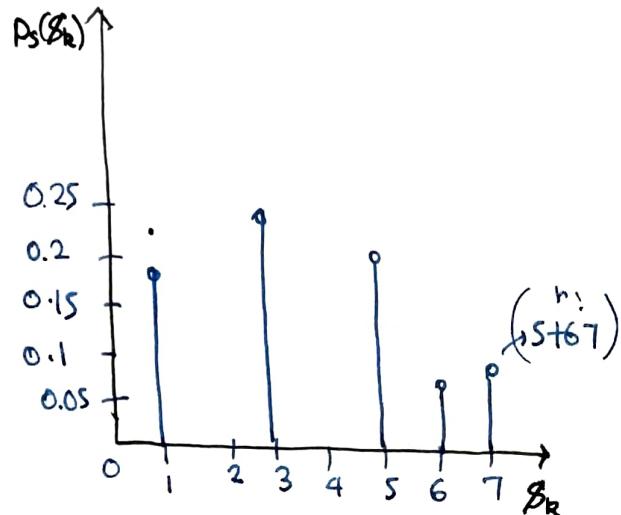
$$s_k = (L-1) \sum_{j=0}^k \frac{n_j}{n}; \text{ for } k=0, 1, 2, \dots, (L-1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_0 &= 133 = 1; S_1 = 4.55 = 5; S_2 = 6.23 = 6; S_3 = 6.86 = 7; \\ S_4 &= 8.08 = 3; S_5 = 5.67 = 6; S_6 = 6.65 = 7; S_7 = 6.86 = 7; \end{aligned}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{llll} S_0=1 & s_2=5 & s_4=6 & s_6=7 \\ S_1=3 & s_3=6 & s_5=7 & s_7=7 \end{array} \right\} \text{ Mapping}$$



r	s
0	1
1	3
2	5
3	6
4	6
5	7
6	7
7	7



## Histogram matching / Specification

(For local enhancement, we have to modify histogram on the basis of local requirements or specifications.)

→ Histogram matching / specification enables us to "match the grayscale distribution in one image to the grayscale distribution in another image."

- > Given images - i/p A & desired B, using pt processing we would like to generate an image C from a such that  $p_C(i) \sim p_B(i)$ ;  $i = 0, \dots, 255$ .
- > More generally, given an image A & a histogram  $h_B(i)$ , we would like to generate an image C s.t.  $p_C(i) \sim p_B(i)$ ; ( $i = 0, \dots, 255$ )

$$\text{i/p transform : } s = T(r) = \int_0^r p_r(w) dw ; p_r(r) \text{ for a given image}$$

$$\text{o/p desired : } G(z) = \int_0^z p_z(t) dt, p_z(z) \text{ for desired image}$$

$$s = G(z)$$

Inverse transform to get output for specified histogram :

$$G(z) = T(r) = s \Rightarrow z = G^{-1}(s) = G^{-1}(T(r))$$

Example 3.7 TB Assume continuous intensity values, suppose that an image has intensity PDF  $p(r) = 2r/(L-1)^2$  &  $p(r) = 0$  for other values.

Find  $T(r)$  which will produce an image whose intensity PDF is  $p(z) = 3z^2/(L-1)^3$ . &  $p(z) = 0$  for other values of  $z$ .

$$s = T(r) = (L-1) \int_0^r p(w) dw = \frac{r^2}{(L-1)} = G(z)$$

$$G(z) = (L-1) \int_0^z p(w) dw = \frac{z^3}{(L-1)^2} = G(z) \Rightarrow z = G^{-1}(s)$$

$$G^{-1}(s) = z = ((L-1)^2 s)^{1/3} \Rightarrow z = \left[ (L-1)^2 \frac{s^2}{(L-1)} \right]^{1/3} = [r^2(L-1)]^{1/3}$$

## Procedure

- 1 → Obtain  $s = T(r)$  using histogram equalization to be specified histogram
  - 2 → Obtain  $G(z)$  by histogram equalizing to specified histogram.
  - 3 → For every value of  $s_k$ ,  $k = 0, 1, \dots, L-1$ , use stored values of  $G$  from 2 such that corresponding value of  $z$  gives  $G(z)$  closest to  $s_k$  & store these mapping from  $s$  to  $z$ .
  - 4 → Obtain the output image by applying  $G(z)$  to all pixels in i/p image
- Obtaining analytical expressions for  $T(r)$  &  $G(z)$  is hard.**

Check example 3.8 from textbook

complete > Page 133

Given:  $\mu = 0.0001 \text{ N/m}^2$ ,  $h = 10 \text{ cm}$ ,  $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$ ,  $g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

Find:  $P_{\text{bottom}}$

Solution:

Using the formula for hydrostatic pressure at a depth  $h$ :

$$P = \rho gh + P_0$$

where  $P_0$  is atmospheric pressure at the surface.

At the bottom of the tank, the total pressure is:

$$P_{\text{bottom}} = \rho gh + P_0$$

Substituting the given values:

$$P_{\text{bottom}} = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3 \times 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2 \times 0.1 \text{ m} + 101325 \text{ Pa}$$
$$P_{\text{bottom}} = 9810 \text{ Pa} + 101325 \text{ Pa}$$
$$P_{\text{bottom}} = 111135 \text{ Pa}$$

Converting to kPa:

$$P_{\text{bottom}} = 111.135 \text{ kPa}$$

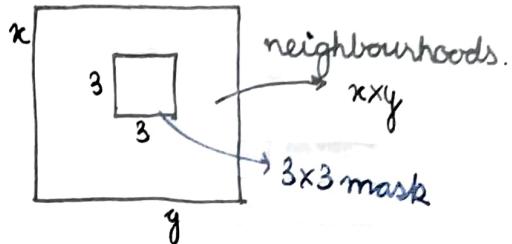
Converting to mmHg:

$$P_{\text{bottom}} = 8.37 \text{ mmHg}$$

## > Fundamentals of spatial filtering

- > One of the principal tools used in image processing for image enhancement
- > Its mechanics consist of neighbourhood and a predefined operat<sup>n</sup> are performed on neighbourhood pixels.
- > A filtered image is generated as the center of the spatial filter moves across each pixel in the i/p image.
- > Spatial filters can be used for linear & non linear filtering.

$$g(x,y) = \sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s,t) f(x+s, y+t)$$



→ The neighbourhood of a pt  $f(x,y)$  can be defined using a square / rectangular (commonly used) or circular sub image area centered at  $(x,y)$ .

→ The center of the sub image is moved from pixel to pixel starting at the top corner  $g(x,y) = T(f(x,y))$

→ Here  $f(x,y)$  is i/p image,  $g(x,y)$  is the processed image &  $T$  is an operator on  $f$ , defined over some neighbourhood of  $(x,y)$ .

## Spatial Correlation & Convolution > Refer figure 3.29 ; pg 147 for conv. & correlations

- Spatial correlation is the process of moving a filter mask over the image & computing the sum of products at each locat<sup>n</sup>
- In spatial convolution, the filter is first rotated by  $180^\circ$  then moving over the image similar to spatial correlation & computing the sum of products at each locat<sup>n</sup>.

Convolution is associated with filtering

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The masks look like impulse responses.

Correlation is associated with pattern recognition

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The masks look like objects to be searched for.

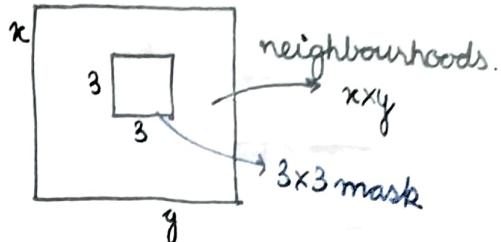
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## Smoothing Spatial filters

$$g(x,y) = \frac{\sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s,t) f(s+x, y+t)}{\sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s,t)} = \frac{1}{g} \sum_{i=1}^g f_i$$

$w(-1,-1)$     $w(-1,0)$     $w(-1,1)$   
 $w(0,-1)$     $w(0,0)$     $w(0,1)$   
 $w(1,-1)$     $w(1,0)$     $w(1,1)$

→ Noise reduction

→ Reduction of false contours

→ " " irrelevant details

### Averaging filters (Low pass filter)

> Box filter

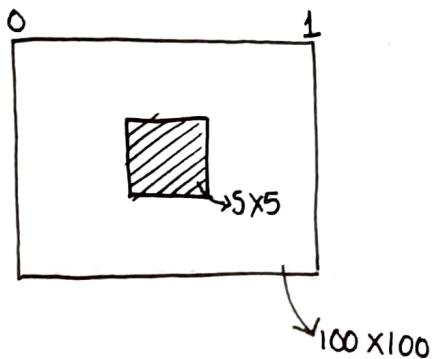
$$\frac{1}{9} \times \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

> Weighted avg filter

$$\frac{1}{16} \times \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline 2 & 4 & 2 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

A human eye cannot distinguish a change in intensity of upto 5 gray levels.

Size of the smallest square averaging mask which when applied on image will make the black square indistinguishable from the background for a human observer



Refer figures 3.34 (pg 156) & 3.33 (pg 155)

## Non linear filter

Usually uses conditional operations (if, then..) & statistical (sorting pixel val in the neighbourhood etc)

→ Median filter      → Max & min filter      → Midpt filter

Refer figure 3.35 (pg 157) for the uses of median filter (salt & pepper noise)

## Order statistic filters

→ Median: Selects middle value of the distribution & is good for dist. with outliers  
 > Excellent at noise removal, w/o smoothing effects (impulse noise)  
 > Doesn't blur the edges (as much as simple averaging filters)

→ Max & min:

$$\text{Max} \rightarrow \hat{f}(x,y) = \max_{(s,t) \in S_{x,y}} \{ g(s,t) \}$$

$$\text{Min} \rightarrow \hat{f}(x,y) = \min_{(s,t) \in S_{x,y}} \{ g(s,t) \}$$

Max filter → good for pepper noise

Min " " " salt "

## Image Sharpening

It's to enhance detail that has been blurred (perhaps due to noise or other defects, such as motion during image acquisition) or by enhancing the high frequency components

Geometric events → Surface orientation (boundary) discontinuity, depth, color & texture discontinuities.

Non geometric events

Illumination changes, singularities, shadows, inter-reflections

→ The objective of sharpening is to highlight the details in the image that has been, either in error or a natural effect of the method of image acquisition

→ It can be done by: ←→ enhancing discontinuity in intensity

\*←→ Edges represent borders between regions on an object or in a scene and has a significant intensity change in image.

### Type of discontinuities in intensity



Step edge



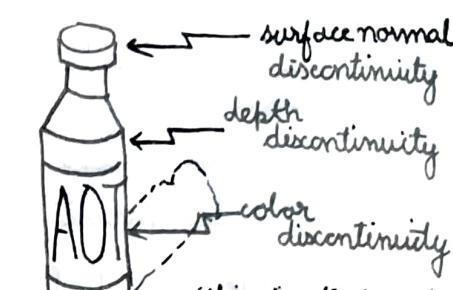
Ramp edge



Line



Roof



### Derivatives of Intensity

Intensity discontinuity is detected by differentiating with neighbouring pixels.



Find maxima of derivatives of intensities

- First derivative is non zero along the entire ramp, while second derivative is non zero only at the onset & end of ramp.
- For a pt, response is much stronger for the 2nd derivative than the first.
- For a step the 2nd derivative gives rise to a double response. This is used to detect edges
- 2nd derivative is better suited than the first derivative for enhancing fine detail

### First & Second derivative

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + h \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \frac{h^2}{2!} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \dots$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f(x) + \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f(x+1) - f(x) \quad (\text{for small } h \rightarrow \text{step of 1})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f(x+1) + f(x-1) - 2f(x)$$

First derivative mask

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f(x+1) - f(x)$$

-1	1
-1	1

estimate gradient

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = f(y+1) - f(y)$$

estimate grad

-1	-1
1	1

smoothing

Figure 3.36

2<sup>nd</sup>  
First derivative mask  
 Approx. discrete  $f'$  mask

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f(x+1, y) - 2f(x, y) + f(x-1, y)$$

0	0	0	0	1	0
1	-2	1	0	-2	0
0	0	0	0	1	0

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = f(x, y+1) - 2f(x, y) + f(x, y-1)$$

### Derivative spatial mask

- > Combined horizontal & vertical edge estimates are also used.
- > A number of edge operators are described by a collection of masks
- > Simplest: Roberts edge detector & inaccurate localization

1	0
0	-1

0	1
-1	0

→ Robert operator.

Refer to slides for an example on Robert op & First derivative operators  
 " " " " another " " 2nd order derivative operators

### Laplacian derivative operator

$$\nabla^2 f = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}$$

$$\nabla^2 f = f(x+1, y) + f(x-1, y) + f(x, y+1) + f(x, y-1) - 4f(x, y)$$

0	1	0
1	-4	1
0	1	0

→ Since sum of all weights is 0, the resulting signal has a 0 DC value.

- The Laplacian derivative operator is used to highlight gray level discontinuity in an image & de-emphasizes regions with slowly varying gray levels.
- Background features can be recovered while still preserving the sharpening effect of the Laplacian operator by simply adding the original & the Laplacian images.

$$g(x, y) = \begin{cases} f(x, y) - \nabla^2 f(x, y) & (\text{if center coeff is -ve}) \\ f(x, y) + \nabla^2 f(x, y) & (\text{if center coeff is +ve}) \end{cases}$$

Refer Fig 3.37 in the Text book. For practical applications → check Fig 3.40 & 3.41

### Unsharp masking & high boost filtering

Subtracting a blurred version of an image from the image itself

$$g_{\text{mask}}(x, y) = f(x, y) - \bar{f}(x, y)$$

$$g(x, y) = \bar{f}(x, y) + k * g_{\text{mask}}(x, y); k=1$$

$$\text{High boost filtering: } g(x, y) = \bar{f}(x, y) + k * g_{\text{mask}}(x, y), k > 1$$

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Robert & Sobel operators.

Refer to fig. 3.41 &amp; 3.42.

Prewitt operator

smooth  $\downarrow$  gradient estimate

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

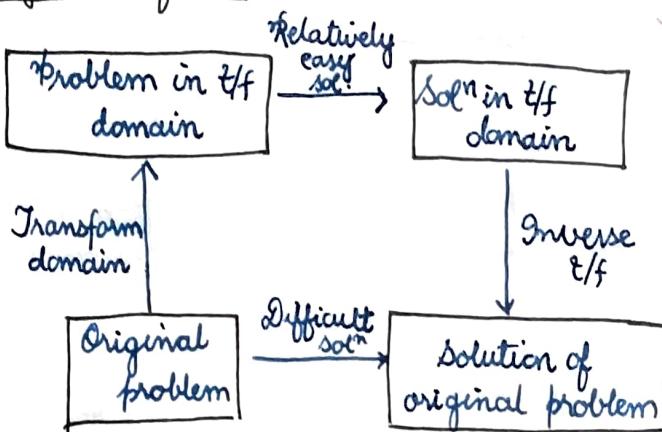
smoothing

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \end{matrix}$$

gradient

Combining spatial enhancement

- Laplacian to highlight fine detail → Refer Fig 3.46
- Gradient to enhance prominent edges
- Smoothed version of the gradient image used to mask the Laplacian image.
- Inc. the dynamic range of the gray levels by using a gray-level transform

Image transformNeed of image t/f

- Better image processing
- Take into account long-range correlation in space.
- Conceptual insight on spatial freq. info.
- Fast computatn
- Alternative representatn
- Transformed data maybe compressed
- Efficient storage & transformatn
- Energy compactn
- Pick a few representatives
- Store / send the contributn from representatives

Desired properties of transform

- Reversible
- Small no. of transform coeffs
- Transform coeffs → uncorrelated
- Transform : orthonormal
- Low computational complexity of computing coeffs etc.

DFTAdvantage of working in freq. domain

- Freq coeffs are segregated into low & high image freq.
- Our visual system is less sensitive to distortion around edges
- Transition associated with edge → marks our ability to perceive the noise

2D - FT

$$F(u,v) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x,y) e^{-j2\pi(ux/M + vy/N)} \quad u=0,1,2\dots M-1 \\ v=0,1,2\dots N-1$$

2D - IFT

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 $u, v \rightarrow$  Freq / Transform var. $x, y \rightarrow$  The spatial or image var.

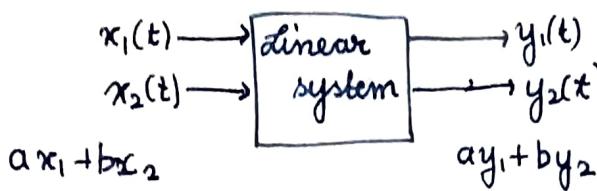
Fourier spectrum :  $|F(u,v)| = [R^2(u,v) + I^2(u,v)]^{1/2}$

Phase :  $\phi(u,v) = \arctan\left(\frac{I(u,v)}{R(u,v)}\right)$

Power spectrum :  $P(u,v) = |F(u,v)|^2 = R^2(u,v) + I^2(u,v)$

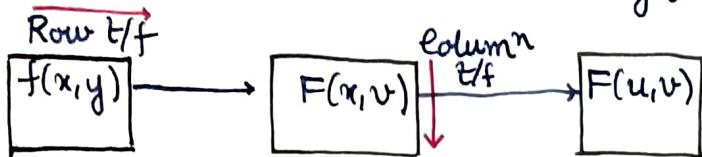
### Properties of DFT

> Linearity :



FT is a linear image processing method.

> Separability :  $F(u,v) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x,y) e^{-2\pi j(ux/M + vy/N)}$



> Rotation

> Expansion : Expanding the original f image by a factor of n, filling the new values with zeros results in same DFT.

↔ Functions : Sine, rect, gaussian, impulse

> Averaging :  $F(u,v) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x,y) e^{-2\pi j(ux/M + vy/N)}$

$$f(x,y) = \sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} F(u,v) e^{2\pi j(ux/M + vy/N)}$$

$$\mathcal{F}(x,y) = F(0,0)$$

$|F(u,v)| = [R^2(u,v) + I^2(u,v)]^{1/2}$  : Fourier spect.

$\phi(u,v) = \tan^{-1}\left[\frac{I(u,v)}{R(u,v)}\right]$  : Phase spect

Power spect :  $P(u,v) = |F(u,v)|^2 = R^2(u,v) + I^2(u,v)$

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DFT recap

$$F(u, v) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) e^{-2\pi j (ux/M + vy/N)}$$

$$\text{So using } F_{uv} = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} e^{-2\pi j (ux/M + vy/N)}$$

$F_{u,v}$  &  $F_{-u,-v}$  have similar frequencies but inverted shifts

Matlab:  $\stackrel{F=}{\text{ifft2}}(f)$  → has complex entries

$D = \log(1+abs(F))$ ; reduce dynamic range of  $|F(u, v)|$

$\text{fshift}(D)$ ; cyclically rotate the image so.  $F(0,0)$  is @ center

> Visualization of Fourier image using MATLAB.

% 30x30 black image

$f = zeros(30, 30);$

$f(5:24, 13:17) = 1;$

$\text{imshow}(f);$

% calculate the fft

$F = \text{fft2}(f);$

$F2 = abs(F);$

$\text{figure, imshow}(F2, [ ]);$

$F = \text{fft2}(f, 256, 256);$

$F2 = abs(F);$

$\text{figure, imshow}(F2, [ ]);$

For better visualization (adjusted as per human vision)

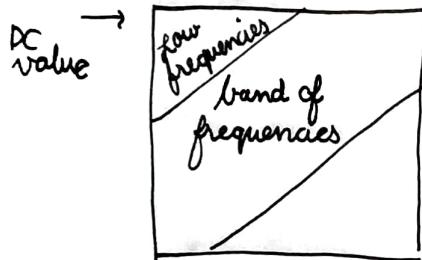
→  $F2 = abs(F2)$

$F2_{\text{new}} = \log(1+F2);$

$\text{figure, imshow}(F2_{\text{new}}, [ ]);$

Discrete cosine transforms

DCT helps to separate the image into parts or spectral sub-band



Formula

$$r(x, y, u, v) = s(x, y, u, v)$$

$$= \alpha(u) \alpha(v) \cos\left[\frac{(2x+1)u\pi}{2N}\right] \cos\left[\frac{(2y+1)v\pi}{2M}\right]$$

where  $\alpha(u) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} & \text{for } u=0 \\ \sqrt{\frac{2}{N}} & \text{for } u=1, 2, \dots, n-1 \end{cases}$

DCT implementation

$$F(u, v) = \frac{\alpha(u)\alpha(v)}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) \cos\left(\frac{(2x+1)u\pi}{2N}\right) \cos\left(\frac{(2y+1)v\pi}{2M}\right)$$

DCT basis functions

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \cos\left(\frac{(2x+1)u\pi}{2N}\right) \cos\left(\frac{(2y+1)v\pi}{2M}\right) \rightarrow \text{Normalized values}$$

- > For most images, most energy  $\rightarrow$  in low-freq., upper left corner of DCT.
- > Compression is achieved since: higher freq. are often small and in lower right corner, small enough to be neglected with little visible distortion.

Decorrelation: Low redundancy b/w neighbour pixels  $\rightarrow$  uncorrelated coeffs which can be coded independently.

Energy compactness: packing i/p data in as few coeffs as possible

Separability  $\div$  2D DCT can be calc. ~~independently~~ in 2 steps by applying 1D formula in the lines & columns of an image.

Example in slides ① ②

Relat'n b/w DCT & FFT:

- Only real part of FFT  $\rightarrow$  computationally simpler than FFT
- Effective for multimedia compression.

- DCT basis functions  $\rightarrow$  Normalized values
- DCT coefficient variance is less

### Ch7) Wavelets & Multi-resolution processing.

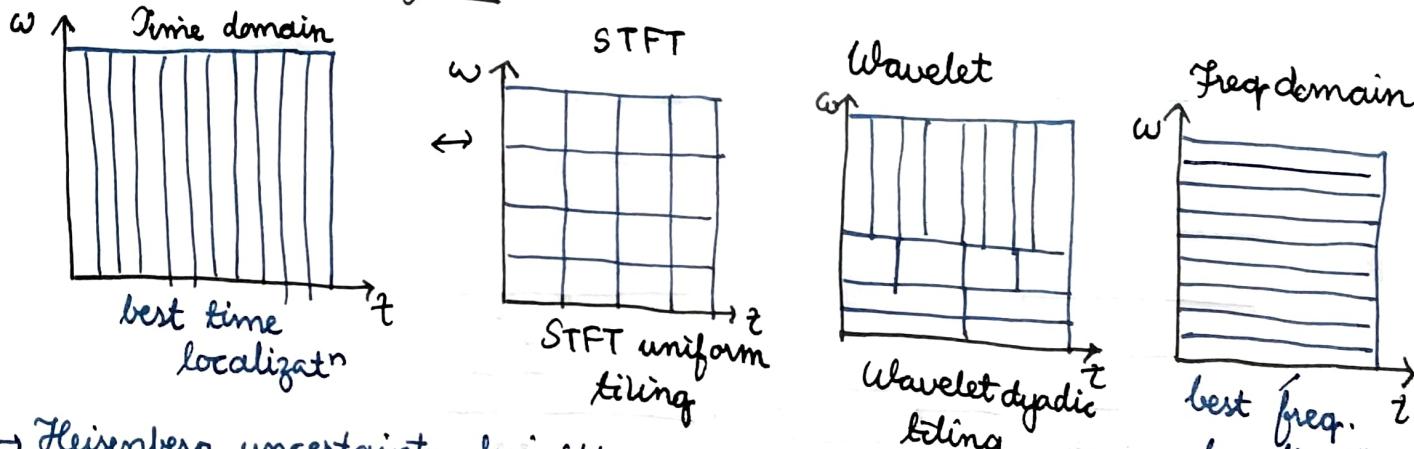
Local histograms can vary from one part of the image to another making statistical modelling over the span of entire image is difficult or impossible.

- FT cannot tell where a particular feature rises
- Short time FT : sliding window is used to find spectrogram  $\rightarrow$  which gives info of both spatial & freq. domain. The length of the window limits the resolution in freq.

Wavelet t/f represents image in multi-resolutions.

Its eq. to a musical score, which reveals what notes to play & when to

#### Time - Freq Localization



- Heisenberg uncertainty principle  $\rightarrow$  bound on T-F product. ( $S_W \omega \geq 1/4T$ )
- Wavelets provide flexibility & good time freq trade off.
- > Low freq : wide window (because signal changes slowly)  
High " : thin "
- Flexibility can be achieved in wavelet domain by multi resolut<sup>n</sup> analysis.

#### History of wavelet transform

- Slides & TB.

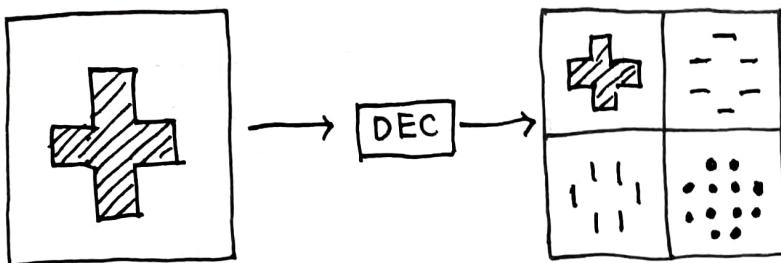
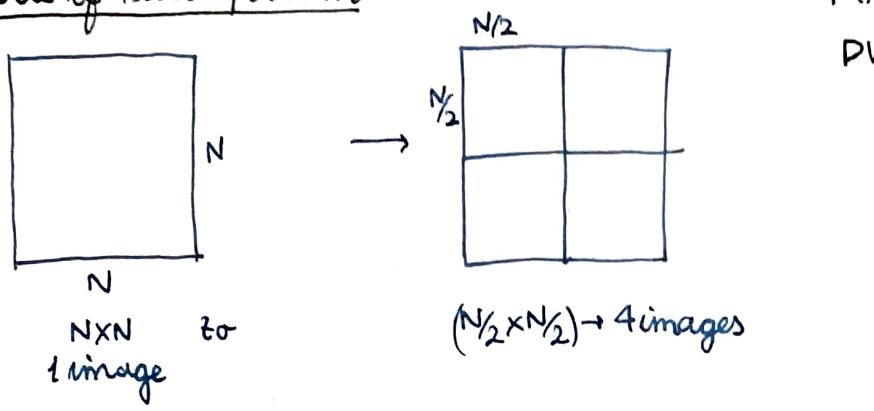
#### DWT

Fourier: basis fns are sines & cosines ; Wavelet: set of wavelet fns

## Wavelets

- > Wavelet t/f performs a "correlat" analysis, therefore the o/p is expected to be maximal when the s/i/p signal resembles the mother wavelet
- Decompose a signal into component parts
  - > Fourier analysis: signal as a sum of sine & cosine fns.
  - > Signal becomes a set of wavelet coeffs. Coeffs represent features of a signal
  - > Signal → completely constructed back from all coeffs
  - > " → partially " " " some "
- > Small size objects or low contrast: normally examined at high resoln.
- > Large " " " high " : a low res or coarse view is reqd.

## Levels of decomposition:

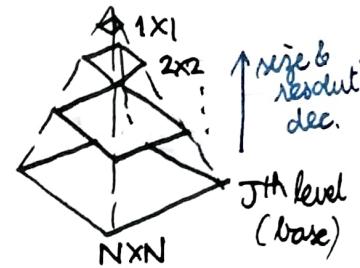
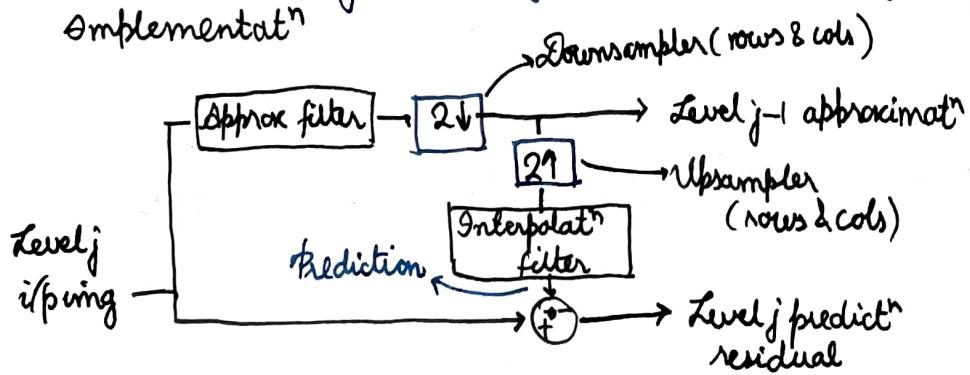


- > Inherent multi-resolution nature
- > Image coding standard: JPEG-2000

## Image Pyramid.

- A powerful structure to represent images @ more than one resolutn.
- Dec resolutn images arranged in the shape of a pyramid.

Implementation



DWT2(I, 'db2')

↓  
wavelet specs.

→ Decomposition &amp; edge detection example.

Freq. domain filtering

To filter in freq. domain →

- > Compute  $F(u,v)$ , the DFT of the image.
- > Multiply  $F(u,v)$  by a filter fn  $H(u,v)$
- > Compute inverse DFT of the result.

Convolution propertiesSpatial component

$$f(x,y) \rightarrow \boxed{h(x,y)} \rightarrow g(x,y)$$

Freq. component

$$F(u,v) \rightarrow \boxed{H(u,v)} \rightarrow G(u,v)$$

$$g(x,y) = f(x,y) * h(x,y)$$

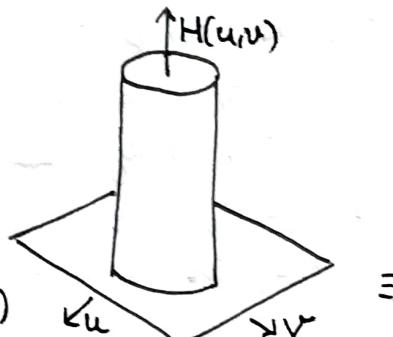
$$G(u,v) = F(u,v) \cdot H(u,v)$$

Types of filters

- High pass
- Low pass
- Band pass
- Band stop

Low pass filter

allow low freq to pass, stop the high freq.

Ideal low-pass $H(u,v)$  $D(u,v)$ 

Example: Design ILPF (Ideal LPF) of size  $4 \times 4$  & centre  $(2,2)$  & cutoff radius of 1.9.

$$H(u,v) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } D(u,v) \leq D_0 \\ 0 & \text{" } D(u,v) \geq D_0 \end{cases}$$

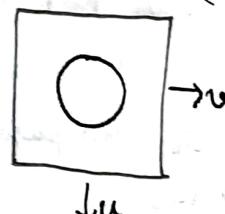
$$H(k,l) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D(k,l) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2.8284 & 2.2361 & 2.0000 & 2.2361 \\ 1 & 2.2361 & 1.4142 & 1.0000 & 1.4142 \\ 2 & 2.0000 & 1.0000 & 0 & 1.6000 \\ 3 & 2.2361 & 1.4142 & 1.0000 & 1.4142 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H(u,v) = \begin{cases} 1 & D(u,v) \leq D_0 \\ 0 & D(u,v) \geq D_0 \end{cases}$$

where

$$D(u,v) = [(u-M/2)^2 + (v-N/2)^2]^{1/2}$$



$$\begin{array}{ccccc} 0 & 2.8284 & 2.2361 & 2.0000 & 2.2361 \\ 1 & 2.2361 & 1.4142 & 1.0000 & 1.4142 \\ 2 & 2.0000 & 1.0000 & 0 & 1.6000 \\ 3 & 2.2361 & 1.4142 & 1.0000 & 1.4142 \end{array}$$

2D DFT of averaging spatial filter

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F(u,v) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x,y) e^{-j2\pi \left(\frac{ux}{M} + \frac{vy}{N}\right)}$$

$$u = 0, 1, \dots, M-1 ; v = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F(u,v) = F(0,0) = 1 \rightarrow DC value$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

### Ideal LPF

$$P_T = \sum_{u=0}^{p-1} \sum_{v=0}^{q-1} P(u,v) \rightarrow \alpha = 100 \left[ \sum_u \sum_v P(u,v)/P_T \right] \rightarrow \text{circle enclosing specified amt. of total img power.}$$

Fig 4.41 & Fig 4.42 from the text

### Drawback: Ideal LPF

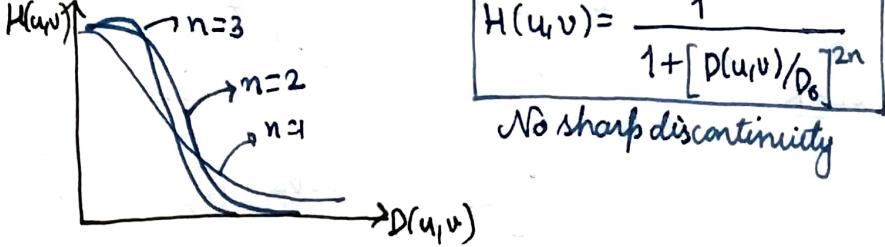
→ Cutoff freq is sharp & hence cannot be realised by electronic components, although can be simulated in a computer.

$$H(k,l) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Effects of using such non physical filters on a digital image causes ringing effect  
 → Most of the sharp details in 13% power removed by the filter

blob: binary large objects?

Butterworth low pass filter

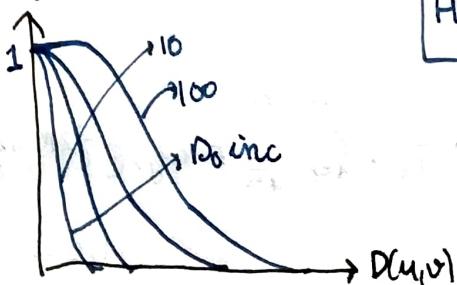


$$H(u,v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D(u,v)/D_0]^{2n}}$$

No sharp discontinuity

Ringing with  $n$   
 $n=1 \rightarrow$  no ringing

### Gaussian LPF



$$H(u,v) = e^{-D^2(u,v)/2\sigma^2}$$

Table 4.4 LPFs.  
 Fig 4.19  
 to  
 Fig 4.24

Ideal HPF

$$H(u,v) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } D(u,v) \geq D_0 \\ 1 & \text{if } D(u,v) < D_0 \end{cases}$$

$$D(k,l) = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{8} & \sqrt{5} & \sqrt{4} & \sqrt{5} \\ \sqrt{5} & \sqrt{2} & \sqrt{1} & \sqrt{2} \\ \sqrt{4} & \sqrt{1} & 0 & \sqrt{1} \\ \sqrt{5} & \sqrt{2} & \sqrt{1} & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

ILPF  $\rightarrow 4 \times 4$ , centre (2,2) rad = 1.9

$$H(u,v) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } D(u,v) \leq D_0 \\ 1 & \text{if } D(u,v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow H_h(k,l) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = I - H_{\text{LP}}(k,l)$$

- > Point processing
- > Spatial processing
- > Freq. processing.

Image Restoration

- > Identify the degradation process & attempt to reverse it.

Enhancement

- $\rightarrow$  Subjective process
- $\rightarrow$  Priori ~~image~~ knowledge abt the img is not a must
- $\rightarrow$  Procedures are heuristic & take advantage of HVS & psychophysical aspect

Ex.) contrast stretching

Restoration

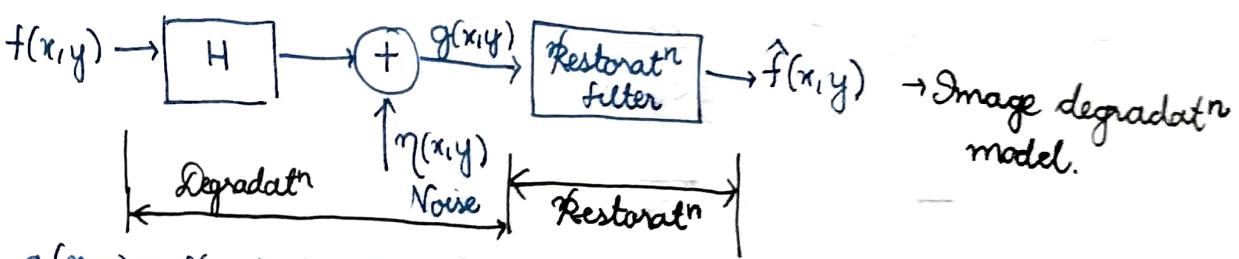
- $\rightarrow$  More of an objective process
- $\rightarrow$  Images are degraded
- $\rightarrow$  Images recovered by using the knowledge abt the degradation process

Ex.) Deblurring

Sources of degradatn.

- $\rightarrow$  Ambient conditions
- $\rightarrow$  Atm. noise
- $\rightarrow$  CCD & stepper motor noise

- $\rightarrow$  Interference while transmission
- $\rightarrow$  Film grain noise
- $\rightarrow$  Network transmission errors.



$$g(x,y) = f(x,y) * h(x,y) + \eta(x,y)$$

Image restoration : spatial or freq domain

- 1) Spatial  $\rightarrow$  noise is additive
- 2) Freq domain  $\rightarrow$  image blur

Noise: index of spatial coord.

component,

↳ Uncorrelated w.r.t. the image (if no correln b/w pixel values & noise)

Additive noise:

$$g(x,y) = f(x,y) + \eta(x,y) \quad h(x,y) = g(x,y)$$

↓ noisy pixel      ↓ noise

Noise models

- Gaussian (common)
- Rayleigh
- Gamma
- Exp.
- Uniform
- Impulse. (salt & pepper noise)

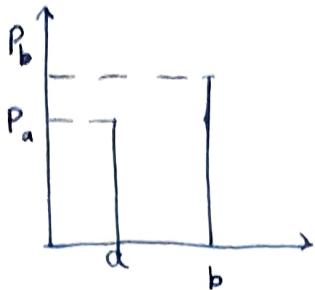
also called Erlang

Noises: defined as random var. following a PDF as a spatial descriptor

→ The mathematical model for Rayleigh noise

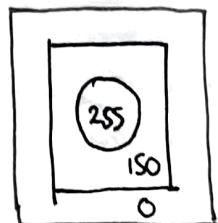
$$P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{b} (z-a) e^{-(z-a)^2/b} & ; \text{ for } z \geq a \\ 0 & ; \text{ for } z < a \end{cases}$$
$$\bar{z} = \frac{b}{a}, \sigma^2 = \frac{b}{a^2}$$

→ Impulse (S&P noise)



$$P(z) = \begin{cases} P_a & z=a \\ P_b & z=b \\ 0 & \text{o/w.} \end{cases}$$

For 8bit gray image  
a=0  
b=255



→ Test Image

Gaussian →  $p(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} e^{-(z-\mu)^2/2\sigma^2} ; z \geq a$

0

$z < a$

Gamma →  $p(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{a^b z^{b-1}}{(b-1)!} e^{-az} & ; z \geq 0 \\ 0 & ; z < 0 \end{cases}$

Exp →  $p(z) = \begin{cases} a e^{-az} & z \geq 0 \\ 0 & z < 0 \end{cases}$

Uniform noise →  $p(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{b-a} & ; a \leq z \leq b \\ 0 & ; \text{o/w.} \end{cases}$

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Noise will be assumed to be:

→ indep of spatial coordinates

Noise models:  $\eta(x, y)$

→ gaussian

→ Uniform

→ Rayleigh

→ Impulse.

→ uncorrelated w.r.t. the image

→ Gamma

→ Exponential (Erlang)

### Estimat<sup>n</sup> of Noise Parameters

Case 1: Imaging system is available : capture images of flat environment

Case 2: Imaging system is available: Capture multiple images

Case 3: Noisy images available :

- > Take a strip from const. area
- > Draw histogram & observe it
- > Measure the mean & variance.

#### Rayleigh Noise

$$p(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{b} (z-a) e^{-(z-a)^2/b} & ; z \geq a \\ 0 & ; z < a \end{cases} \quad \bar{z} = \frac{1}{a}, \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{a^2}$$

#### Impulse Noise

$$p(z) = \begin{cases} P_a & z=a \\ P_b & z=b \\ 0 & \text{o/w} \end{cases}$$

Histogram is an estimate of noise PDF

$$\mu = \sum_{z_i \in S} z_i p(z_i) \quad \sigma^2 = \sum_{z_i \in S} (z_i - \mu)^2 p(z_i)$$

Arithmetic mean filter:  $\tilde{f}(x, y) = \frac{1}{mn} \sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)$   $g(s, t) \rightarrow$  noisy image

Implemented as simple smoothing filter, blurs  $mxn \rightarrow$  size of filter. the image.

Geometric mean filter:  $\tilde{f}(x, y) = \left[ \prod_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t) \right]^{1/mn}$

Achieves blurring like smoothing (avg-filter : AM) but loses less image detail

Harmonic mean filter:  $\tilde{f}(x, y) = \frac{mn}{\sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)}$

→ Works well for salt noise but not for pepper noise. Does well for Gaussian noise as well.

Contraharmonic mean filter:  $\tilde{f}(x, y) = \frac{\sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)^{Q+1}}{\sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)^Q}$

Look up examples in the TB for all these filters.

$Q \rightarrow$  order of the filter

$Q > 0 \rightarrow$  eliminate pepper noise

$Q < 0 \rightarrow$  " salt "

Can't eliminate both simult.

**Order statistics filter:** Based on ordering / ranking of pixels that make up the neighbourhood defined by filter support.

→ Median filter

$$f(x,y) = \text{median}_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s,t)\}$$

→ Excellent noise removal,  
no smoothing filters.

→ Very good for S & P  
noise

Applicn in TB.

→ Max & min filter

$$\hat{f}(x,y) = \max_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s,t)\}$$

$$\hat{f}(x,y) = \min_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s,t)\}$$

Max → S Noise

Min → P noise

→ Midpt filter

Midpt b/w

max & min  
values of intensity  
values calc.

→ good for Gaussian  
& Noisy

→ alpha trimmed  
mean filter

$$\hat{f}(x,y) = \frac{1}{mn-d} \sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s,t)$$

### Estimating the degradat'n fn

- > estimat'n by image observat'n
- > " " experiment
- > " " modelling

$$g(x,y) = f(x,y) * h(x,y) + \eta(x,y)$$

$$G(u,v) = F(u,v)H(u,v) + N(u,v)$$

Observat'n: degradat'n fn can be estimated by  $\rightarrow H(u,v) \approx H_s(u,v) = \frac{G_0(u,v)}{F_0(u,v)}$

Expt: Obtain an impulse response of the degradat'n using the system setting  
A linear space invariant system is characterized by its impulse response.

$$H(u,v) = \frac{G(u,v)}{A}$$

Modelling: Hufnagel & Stanley (1964)  $\rightarrow H(u,v) = e^{-k(u^2+v^2)^{5/6}}$   
(due to atm turbulence)

$k \rightarrow$  determined by expts

## Estimation by modelling

Motion blurring : camera vel  $\Rightarrow x_0(t) \& y_0(t)$

Blurred image obtained by :  $g(x, y) = \int_0^T f(x + x_0(t), y + y_0(t)). dt$   $T \rightarrow$  exposure time  
 $g(x, y) \leftarrow G(u, v)$

$$G(u, v) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)}. dx dy = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \int_0^T f(x + x_0(t), y + y_0(t)) dt \right] e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)}. dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^T \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x + x_0(t), y + y_0(t)) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)}. dx dy \right] dt = F(u, v) H(u, v)$$

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T e^{-j2\pi(ux_0(t)+vy_0(t))}. dt$$

Examples in slides & TB

Motion blur mask coeffs.

X	X		
X	X		
X	X	X	X
	X	X	
X		X	

- X → Horizontal
- X → Vertical,
- X → Diagonal

Blur mask coeff typical examples in slides.

## Image compression

→ Reduce redundancy of the img & store or transmit in efficient form,  
 Amt of data reqd to represent 2hr long std def TV movie using 720x480x24 bit pixel arrays.

$$30 \text{ frames} \times (720 \times 480) \text{ pixels/sec} \times 3 \text{ bytes/frame/pixel} = 31,104,000 \text{ bytes/sec}$$

$$31,104,000 \text{ bytes/sec} \times 60^2 \text{ sec/hr} \times 2 \text{ hrs} \approx 2.24 \times 10^{11} \text{ bytes} = 224 \text{ GB !!}$$

$$\text{Compression ratio: } C_R = \frac{n_1}{n_2} \quad R_D = 1 - \frac{1}{C_R} = 1 - \frac{n_2}{n_1}$$

$$n_1 = n_2 \rightarrow C_R = 1, R_D = 0 \quad \text{no redundant info}$$

$$n_2 \ll n_1 \rightarrow C_R \rightarrow \infty, R_D \rightarrow 1 \quad \text{highly redundant data: significant compression}$$

$$n_1 \ll n_2 \rightarrow C_R \rightarrow 0, R_D \rightarrow -\infty \quad (\text{undesirable}) \rightarrow \text{data expansion.}$$

→ Coding redundancy → Interpixel redundancy → Psychovisual redundancy.

Example for coding redundancy

Gray val.	0	1/7	2/7	3/7	4/7	5/7	6/7	1
P(r)	0.13	0.25	0.21	0.16	0.08	0.06	0.03	0.02
Codes	000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111
Var len.	11	01	10	001	0001	00001	000001	000000

Avg code length → 3 bits/pixel  
 Memory req'd →  $512 \times 512 \times 3 = 7,864,320$  bits

Var len code :  $L_{avg} = \sum_i p_i l_i = 2.7$  bits/pixel

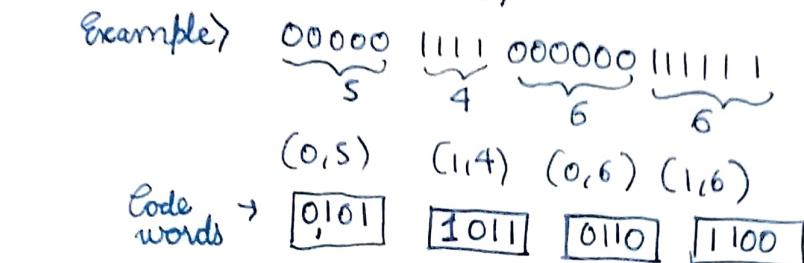
Memory req'd →  $512 \times 512 \times 2.7 = 7,07,788.8$  bits

$$C_R = \frac{n_1}{n_2} \Rightarrow R_D = 1 - \frac{1}{C_R}$$

## Image Compression

Inter pixel redundancy → Parts of an image are highly correlated  
 ↗ Pixel intensity can be predicted from its neighbour  
 (Autocorrelation)

(RLE) Run length encoding → Runs of data are stored as a single data value & count rather than the original run. (Run → seq. in which 1 data val occurs in many consecutive data elements)

Example) 

Applictn - binary image, fax etc

Q)  $343 \times 1024$  image → binary  
 Non-compressed →  $343 \times 1024 \times 1 = 351232$   
 RLE →  $12166 \times 10 = 121660$

No. of runs given → 12166  
 Raster scanning →   
 2D info → 1D.

Line 100: (1,63) (0,87) (1,37) (0,5) (1,4) (0,55) (1,62) (0,210)  
 ↗ 10 bit + 1 bit

Image isn't completely binary → check slide. Therefore we select a threshold value to demarcate into black & white. Threshold value → 125

$$C_R = \frac{n_1}{n_2} = 2.63, R_D = 1 - \frac{1}{C_R} = 0.62$$

Psychovisual redundancy → Non linear response of the eye to all visual info.  
 8bit grayscale → 4 bit grayscale (compression)

256 GS Val → 16 GS Val.  
 (False contouring)

4 bit IGS  
 (No false contouring)

Improved grayscale quant.

- 1) Add 4-LSB to previous value of sum to 8 bit current pixel. If 4-MSB is 1111, then add 0000 instead, keep the result in sum.
- 2) Keep only the 4-MSB of sum for IGS code.

Example

Pixel	gray level.
i-1	N/A
i	0110 1100
i+1	1000 1011
i+2	1000 0111
i+3	1111 0100

Pixel	gray level	Sum	IGS code
$i-1$	N/A	0000 0000	N/A
$i$	0110 1100	0110 1100	0110
$i+1$	1000 1011	1001 0111	1001
$i+2$	1000 0111	1000 1110	1000
$i+3$	1111 0100	1111 0100	1111

## Measuring image information:

The entropy  $H(S)$  represents a fundamental limit on the avg. no. of bits or code length  $L$  per source symbol, necessary to represent a discrete memoryless source (DMS).

$$\text{Law} \geq H(S)$$

This measure gives us with a theoretical min. for avg. no. of bits per pixel that could be used to code the image.

An info source cannot be determined if  $\text{Law} < H(S)$

1948: noiseless coding (Shannon's first theorem)

$$I(E) = \log_2 \left( \frac{1}{P(E)} \right) = -\log_2 P(E) \text{ bits}$$

$I \rightarrow$  Information in the event  
or self information of  $E$

$$\rightarrow P(E) = 1, I(E) = 0 \text{ bit}$$

$$\rightarrow P(E) = \frac{1}{2}, I(E) = 1 \text{ bit}$$

$$\rightarrow P(E) = 0, I(E) = \text{infinite}$$

Predictable signal conveys no info.

Source alphabet:  $A\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_J\}; \sum_{j=1}^J P(a_j) = 1$

$$\pi = [P(a_1), P(a_2), \dots, P(a_J)]^\top$$

The avg. info per source o/p  $\rightarrow$

$$H(\pi) = -\sum_{j=1}^J P(a_j) \log_2(P(a_j))$$

Example: Entropy

A binary image has equiprobable black & white pixels. Find the info content of bt. b & w pixels

$$P(b) = P(w) = \frac{1}{2}$$

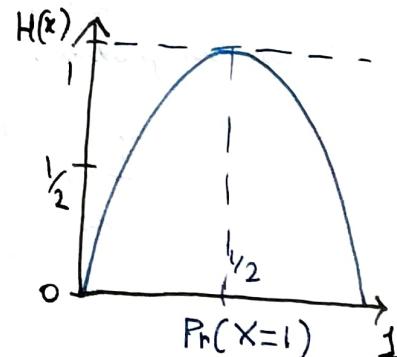
$$I(E) = -\log_2(P(E)) = +1 \text{ bit each}$$

$$H(\pi) = -\sum_{j=1}^J P(a_j) \log_2(P(a_j)) = \frac{2}{2} = 1 \text{ bit}$$

$$\text{If } P(w) = 0.95 \rightarrow H(\pi) = 0.45 \text{ bits/pixel}$$

$$P(a_1) = 0.95$$

$$P(a_2) = 0.05$$



Example:

$$\begin{aligned} 21 &\rightarrow 00 \\ 95 &\rightarrow 01 \\ 169 &\rightarrow 10 \\ 243 &\rightarrow 11 \end{aligned}$$

$$H = 2 \text{ bits/pixel}$$

optimal code for that image

Example.

$r_k$	$P(r_k)$	$H = - \sum_j p(y_j) \log_2 p(y_j)$
$r_{97} = 87$	0.25	$= 1.6614 \text{ bits/pixel}$
$r_{128} = 128$	0.47	
$r_{186} = 186$	0.25	
$r_{255} = 255$	0.03	

Example 8.10>

$$P(a_{21}) = \frac{12}{32} \quad P(a_{45}) = \frac{4}{32} \quad P(a_{69}) = \frac{4}{32} \quad P(a_{248}) = \frac{12}{32}$$

$$H = - \sum_j p(y_j) \log_2 p(y_j) = 1.81 \text{ bits/pixel}$$

Example 8.11> Differential coding scheme.

$$H = 1.41 \text{ bits/pixel}$$

Fidelity criteria:

Objective Fidelity criterion

RMSE

MS-SNR PSNR

Subjective Fidelity criterion

→ Human rating

$$\text{Error: } E(x,y) = \hat{f}(x,y) - f(x,y) \text{ in compression}$$

RMSE

$$E_{\text{rmse}} = \left[ \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} [\hat{f}(x,y) - f(x,y)]^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} [\hat{f}(x,y) - f(x,y)]$$

MS-SNR

$$SNR_{\text{ms}} = \frac{\sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}(x,y)^2}{\sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} [\hat{f}(x,y) - f(x,y)]^2}$$

Image compression standards.

Binary Cont. tone

Still image

Video

Image comp. stds, formats  
& containers

## Basic Compression methods.

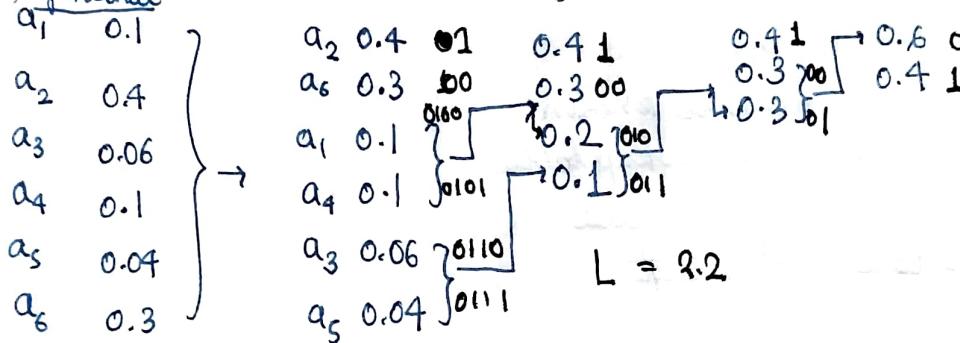
- > Huffman Coding <sup>→ 1952</sup> → Application examples → JPEG, MPEG, MP3
- Source prob. model should be known.
- It's systematic method to find codes of source events
- Codes need not be unique.

Procedure →

- > Source symbols listed in descending order
- > Merge the two least probable outputs into <sup>one</sup> composite code whose prob. is sum of the two corresponding probs.
- > If the number of remaining symbols is 2, then go to next step otherwise go to step 2.

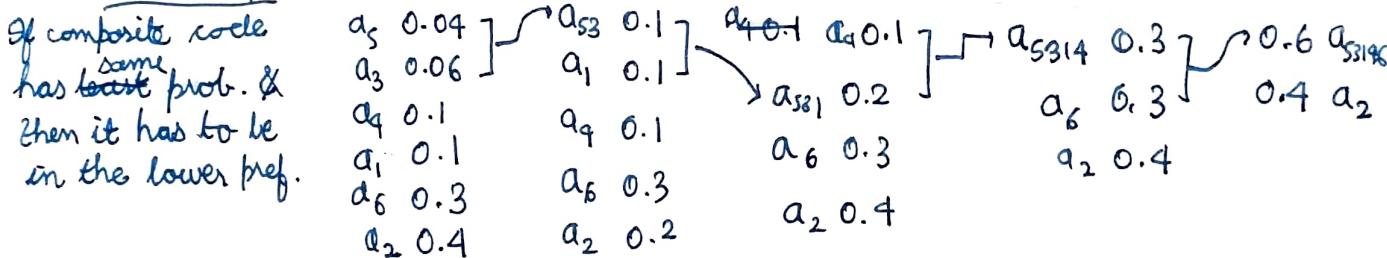
Example:  $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_6\}$        $P = \{0.1, 0.4, 0.06, 0.1, 0.04, 0.3\}$   
 6 gray shades in img.

My method

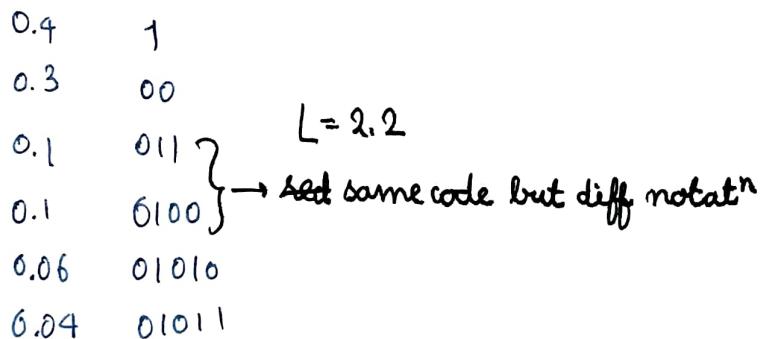


$$L = 2.2$$

Sir's example



Slide



Source extension:  $\{a_1, a_2\} \rightarrow \{a_1a_1, a_1a_2, a_2a_1, a_2a_2\}$

Source extension improves efficiency.

	<u>1<sup>st</sup> extension</u>	P	I	l	Code	Code length
a <sub>1</sub>	$\alpha_1$	$2/3$	0.59	1	0	1
a <sub>2</sub>	$\alpha_2$	$1/3$	1.58	2	1	1

### 2<sup>nd</sup> extension

a <sub>1</sub> a <sub>1</sub>	$\alpha_1$	$4/9$	1.17	2	0	1
a <sub>1</sub> a <sub>2</sub>	$\alpha_2$	$2/9$	2.17	3	10	2
a <sub>2</sub> a <sub>1</sub>	$\alpha_3$	$2/9$	2.17	3	110	3
a <sub>2</sub> a <sub>2</sub>	$\alpha_4$	$1/9$	3.17	4	111	3

$$H = 0.918$$

$$H = 1.83$$

$$L_{av} = 1$$

$$L_{av} = 1.89$$

$$\eta = 0.918$$

$$\eta = 0.97$$

→ Drawbacks:

- > Poor efficiency for skewed prob. dist.
- > Prob. dist. of intensities must be known.
- > Need to store code words as lookup tables.
- > Efficiency is improved by block code
- > Hard to adapt to changing stats.

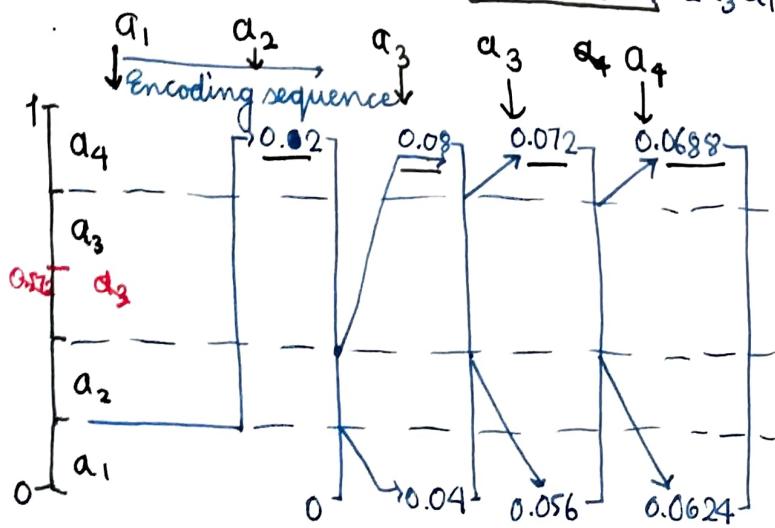
## Arithmetic coding

- The entire sequence of pixel intensities are assigned a single arithmetic code word in the form of a number in an interval of a real number b/w 0 & 1.
- String / sequence coding
- Example: Sequence of intensities  $\{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5\} \rightarrow a_1 a_1 a_3 a_3 a_4 \dots$
- > Assume all pixels are concatenations of gray shades from Gray level values.
- >  $f_m$  maps random intensity values variables & sequences of random intensity variables to CDFs.  $f_n$ .
- > This is done by a set of interval ranges determined by the prob.
- > A unique identifier or tag is generated for the intensity sequence to be coded.
- > The tag corresponding to binary fractn.  $\rightarrow$  no. are b/w in  $[0, 1)$  & finite
- > The number is unique & in order to map this, we need a fn that'll map seq. of intensities in

Example: 10x10 image, Intensities

	Prob.	Sub interval	the unit interval
$a_1$	0.2	$[0.0, 0.2)$	
$a_2$	0.2	$[0.2, 0.4)$	
$a_3$	0.4	$[0.4, 0.8)$	
$a_4$	0.2	$[0.8, 1)$	

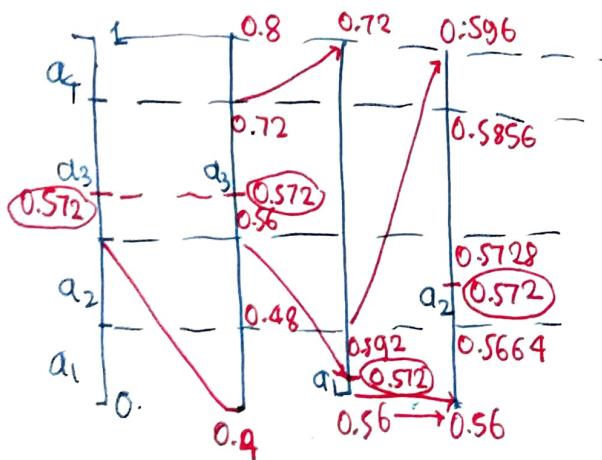
Code for 1st row:  $a_1 a_2 a_3 a_3 a_4 a_2 a_3 a_3 a_1 a_4 a_2$



Decode the sequence 0.572

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &\rightarrow 0.2 \\ a_2 &\rightarrow 0.2 \\ a_3 &\rightarrow 0.4 \\ a_4 &\rightarrow 0.2 \end{aligned}$$

$a_3 a_3 a_2 \dots \&$  so on.



Difficulty  $\rightarrow$  shrinking the interval requires very high precision

## Lempel Ziv Coding (LZ)

- > Huffman & Arithmetic → sequence of indep symbols generated
- > Src coding can be compressed more if we use correlatn or structural info. of the data
- > LZ technique : used for structural info of data
- > Based on 'code book' → build a list of commonly occurring patterns & encode those patterns by transmitting the index to the book.
- > It doesn't require source statistics.
- > Assign ~~as~~ fixed length code words to var. length sequences of source symbols.

R<sub>1</sub>    39 39    126 126    24 24    150 150  
 same pattern as R<sub>1</sub>    "    "    "

Let's consider the 4x4 part of this image:    39 39 126 126  
 Convert 2D data to 1D by Raster scanning.    {  
 {39, 39, 126, 126, 39, 39, 126, 126, ... }    same as R<sub>1</sub> }

- S1 → Initialize a dictionary by noting all possible gray values (0-255)  
 S2 → I/p current pixel  
 S3 → If 'current pixel + previous' pixel' forms one of existing dictionary entries  
Then

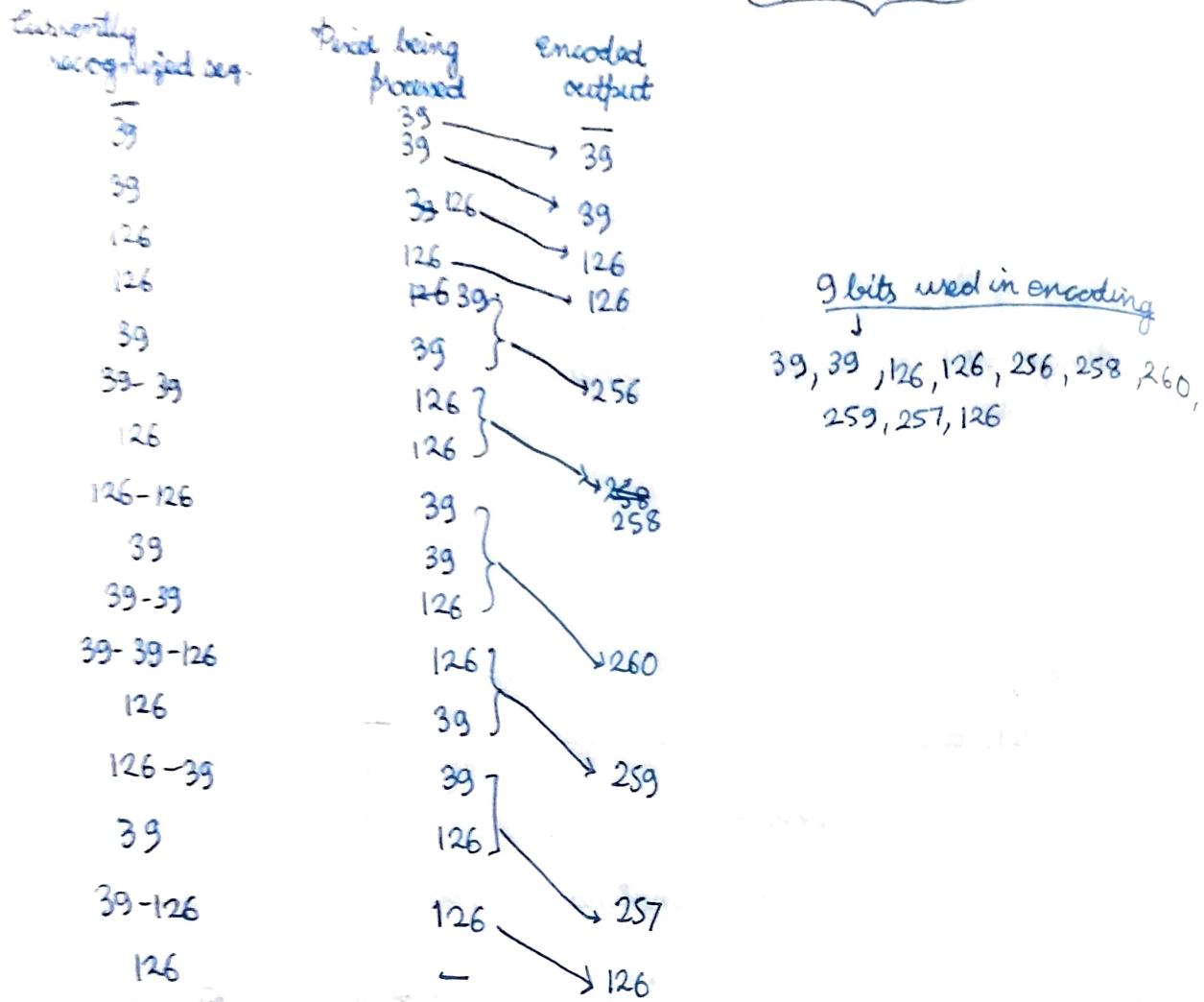
- 2.1 → Move to next pixel & go to S1.
- 2.2 → Else : 0/p the dictionary locatn of the currently recognized sequence in 2.2 with the current pixel.
- 2.3 → Create a new dictionary entry by appending ~~entry~~ by appending the currently recognized sequence in 2.2 with the current pixel.
- 2.4 → Move to next pixel & repeat S1.

Parsing patterns in 1-D data

(39, 39) (39, 126), (126, 39) (126, 39), (39, 39, 126) (126, 126, 39), (39, 39, 126, 126)

Locatn	Dictionary Entry
0	0
1	1
255	255
256	39-39
257	39-126
258	126-126
259	126-39
⋮	⋮

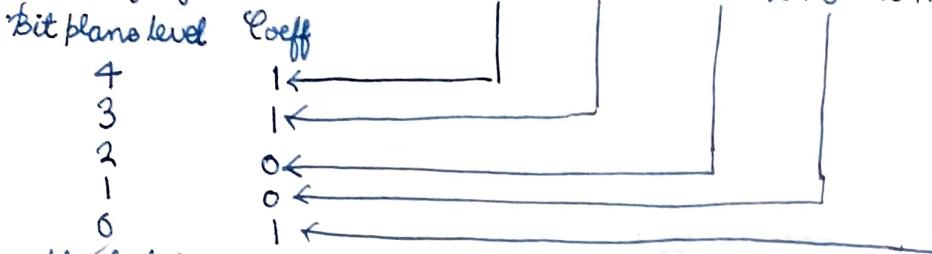
Input → 39 39 126 126 39 39 126 126 39 39 126 126



## Bit plane compression

Binary bit plane compression method.

Original gray level:  $11001 = 2^4 \times 1 + 2^3 \times 1 + 2^2 \times 0 + 2^1 \times 0 + 2^0 \times 1$



Example of binary compression  $\rightarrow$  run length coding

graycoded bit-planes:  $g_i = a_i \otimes a_{i+1}$  for  $0 \leq i \leq 6$  &  $g_7 = a_7$   
 $\otimes \rightarrow \text{XOR}$

Less transitions in gray coded bit planes  $\Rightarrow$  more efficient for coding.

JPEG: Joint photographic experts group:  $\rightarrow$  ISO/IEC/JTC1/SC29/WG10

JPEG old: based on pred. rules

JPEG base line: lossy coding of cont. tone still images  $\rightarrow$  based on DCT

JPEG LS  $\rightarrow$  predictive & entropy coding

JPEG 2000  $\rightarrow$  based on DWT

## JPEG old

$\rightarrow$  lossless as well as lossy.

$\rightarrow$  29 distinct coding schemes.

$\rightarrow$  7 predictive schemes

$\rightarrow$  Three based on 1-D pred.

$\rightarrow$  Four based on 2-D pred.

### Predictive schemes:

$$1D \rightarrow 1. \hat{I}(i,j) = I(i-1,j)$$

$$2. \hat{I}(i,j) = I(i,j-1)$$

$$3. \hat{I}(i,j) = I(i-1,j-1)$$

$$2D \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 4. \hat{I}(i,j) = I(i,j-1) + I(i-1,j) - I(i-1,j-1) \\ 6. \hat{I}(i,j) = I(i-1,j) + [I(i,j-1) - I(i-1,j-1)] \end{array} \right.$$

$$5. \hat{I}(i,j) = I(i,j-1) + [I(i-1,j) - I(i-1,j-1)]$$

$$7. \hat{I}(i,j) = \frac{[I(i,j-1) + I(i-1,j)]}{2}$$

$\rightarrow$  In offline process, all predictors are tested.

$\rightarrow$  3 bit headers are added for predictor info

$\rightarrow$  The residual images are coded by adaptive arithmetic coding.

JPEG based on transform  $\rightarrow$

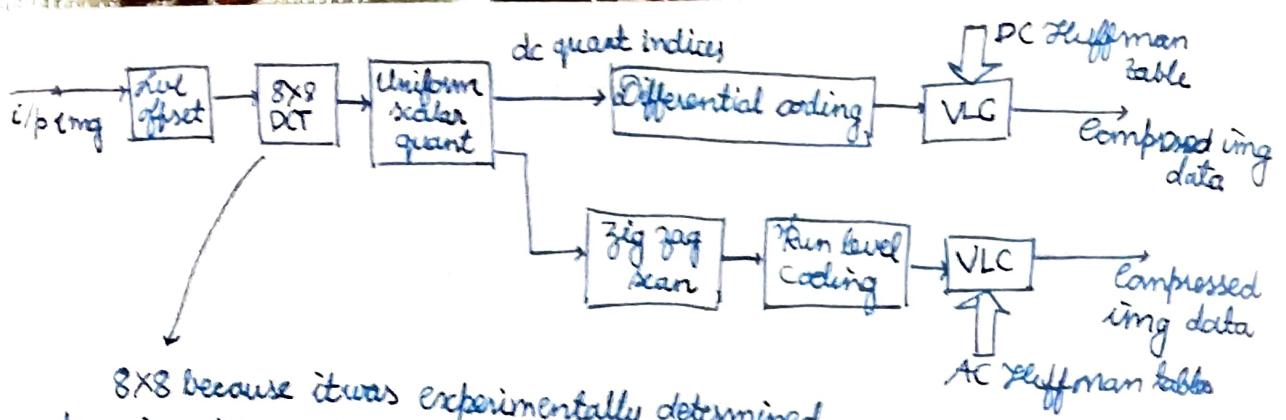
A general compression technique independent of

> Image resolution

> Color system

> Image & pixel aspect ratio

> Image complexity



HEVC → High efficiency video coder (64x64 DCT)

## Image processing & JPEG

### Block Transform coding

JPEG is effective because of the following three observations.

1. Image data usually changes slowly across an image, esp within an  $8 \times 8$  block.
2. Therefore images contain much redundancy.
3. Experiments indicate that humans are not very sensitive to high freq data images. Hence we can remove much of it using transform coding.

#### Example 8.17

$$Q_{val} = \text{round}\left(\frac{dct2}{q_{mt}}\right)$$

(-26) -3 1 -3 -2 -6 2 -4 1 -4 1 1 5 0 2  
DC value.

0 0 -1 2 0 0 0 0 -1 -1 EOB

DC value of previous DCT block: -17

$-26 - (-17) = -9 \rightarrow$  Check the table : DC table category +

Base code: 101 → length of the code is 7, remaining 4 bits will be LSBs of -9 which  
is 0110

Final code → 1010110

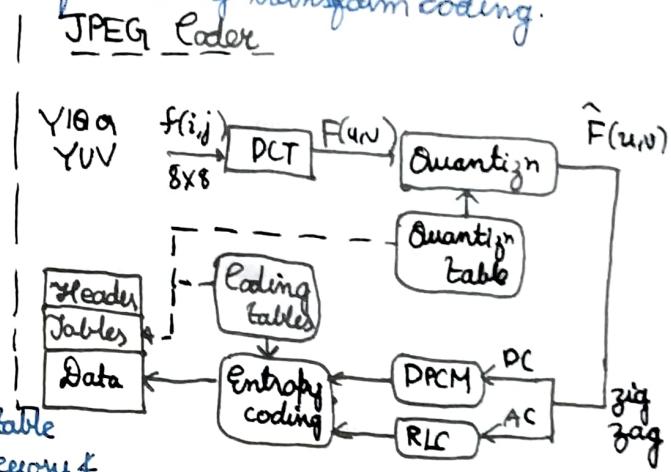
-3 → 11  
↓  
00

From table  
01 00

8 → 1000

9 → 1001 → 2's compl. → 0110

Finally we get : →  $C_R = \frac{(8 \times 8) \times 8}{92} = 5.6$        $R_D = 1 - \frac{1}{5.6} = 0.82$



→ Revision of JPEG coding ; JPEG 2000: ~~few slides~~

### Disadvantages of DCT compression:

- > DCT based JPEG uses blocks of image, there's correlation across the blocks.
- > Block boundaries are noticeable in some cases.
- > Blocking artifacts at high compression
- > Block overlap
- > Computationally expensive

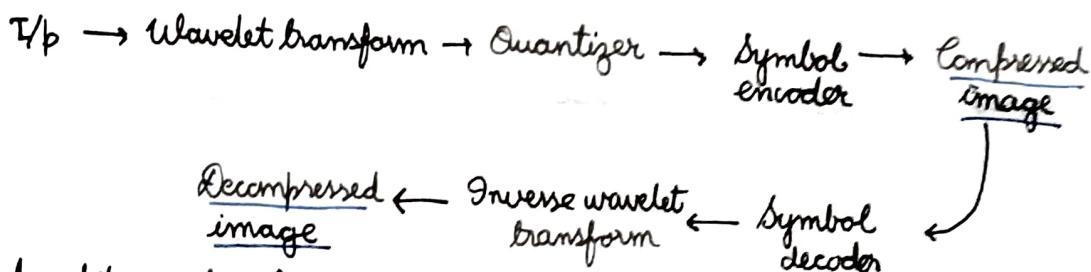
### JPEG DCT compression artifacts:

- One common artifact of block based T/f coding is the "blocking" effect or "grid noise".  
The blocking effect is a result of the approx. of the coeff during quantiz.
- Becomes more pronounced as the quantiz steps are coarsened to reduce the data rate.  
It's a particularly problematic issue along the edges or color boundaries in the image or in areas of image that are relatively uniform in colour.

### Ringing artifacts:

- Ringing artifacts are the result of quantiz error of high spatial freq.
- 1D case: If we zero-out the higher freq coeffs, some fuzziness is observed in the recovered signal.
- Most likely to occur along strong edges in an image & is common in text because of the prevalence of strong edges. Ringing artifacts would manifest as fuzzy gray lines in vicinity of an edge & detectable only if surrounding pixels have a relatively higher luminance.

### Wavelet & encoder & decoder



### Wavelet compression

- "Modern" lossy wavelet coding exploits multi-resolution & self-similar nature of wavelet decomposition
  - > Energy is compacted into a small number of coeff.
  - > Significant coeff. tend to cluster at the same spatial locat in each frequency sub-band.
- Two set of info to code:
  - Where are the significant coeffs?
  - > What values are significant coeffs?
- Parent children relatn among coeff.
  - Each parent coeff @ level k spatially correlates with 4 coeff at k-1 of same orient.
  - A coeff at lowest band correlates with coeff.

- Coding significance map via zero tree
  - » Encoding only needs the high energy coeffs, no need to send info "locat"; large overhead
  - » Encode insignificance map with zero tree
- successive approx quantizat
  - » send MSB first & then refine coeff values
  - » Embedded nature of coded bit-stream : get hi-fi image by adding extra refining bits

## Image Morphology Processing

Morphological processing is constructed with operat<sup>n</sup> on sets of pixels.

Binary morphology is used to extract image components that are useful in the representat<sup>n</sup> & descript<sup>n</sup> of region shape, such as:

- |                                  |              |                |
|----------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1. Boundary extract <sup>n</sup> | 2. Skeletons | 3. Convex Hull |
| 4. Morphological filtering       | 5. Thinning  | 6. Pruning     |

## Morphological IP Smg Processing

- A collect<sup>n</sup> of non linear operat<sup>n</sup> related to shape or morphology features in an image.
- Probing an img with a shape or template called structuring element.

→ Based on algebraic set theory

- Sets in mathematical morphology  $\equiv$  objects in image
- A tool for extracting image components that are useful in the represent<sup>n</sup>.
- Morphological operator: defined by structuring element & the applied set operator
- If 2 sets of elements match the cond<sup>n</sup> defined by the set operator, the pixel neighbouring the origin of the structuring element is set to a pre defined value (0 or 1 for binary images)

Structure element : small binary image Refer Fig 9.2 TB

A: hit

C: neither hit nor fit

B: hit

## Set theory in pictures

Let  $A$  be a set in  $\mathbb{Z}^2$ , if  $a = (a_1, a_2)$  is an element of  $A$  then.

If  $a \notin A$

> Null or empty set

Subset:  $A \subset B$

Disjoint:  $A \cap B = \emptyset$

Translat<sup>n</sup>:  $(A)_z = \{c | c = a + z, \text{ for } a \in A\}$

Reflect<sup>n</sup>:  $\hat{B} = \{w | w = -b, \text{ for } b \in B\}$

Union:  $A \cup B$

Complement:  $\bar{A}$

Intersect<sup>n</sup>:  $A \cap B$

Difference:  $A - B (A \cap B)$

## Dilation

→ To compute dilation, we consider each <sup>pixel</sup> element in the background in the ip image.

→ For each bckgd pixel, we superimpose the structuring elements on top of the ip image so that the origin of the structuring element coincides with ip pixel posn

>  $A \oplus B = \{z | z = x + y, x \in A, y \in B\}$  → dilat<sup>n</sup> of  $A \oplus A$  by  $B$ .

where  $B$  is the structuring element

> The dilat<sup>n</sup> of  $A$  by  $B$  is the set of all displacements,  $z$ , such that  $\hat{B} \oplus A$  overlap atleast on element.

If atleast one pixel in the structuring element coincides with a foreground pixel in the image ~~under~~ underneath, then the ip pixel is set to the foreground value. If all the corrept. pixels in the image are bckgd, however, the ip pixel is left at the background value.

## Bridging gaps:

→ The max length of the breaks is known to be 2 pixels.

→ A simple structuring element that can be used for repairing gaps → ref to fig 9.5b (TB)

## Erosion

Erosion of  $A$  by  $B$ , denoted by  $A \ominus B$ ;  $A \ominus B = \{z | z - B \subseteq A\}$   
where  $B$  is referred to as the structuring element

Erosion of  $A$  by  $B$ : set of all pts  $z$  s.t.  $B$ , translated by  $z$  is contained in  $A$

Fig 9.3 (TB)

Fig 9.5 (TB)

## Opening operat<sup>n</sup>s:

ip image is subjected to both dilat<sup>n</sup> & erosion: opening operat<sup>n</sup> opens small gaps b/w touching objects in an image.

$A \circ B = (A \ominus B) \oplus B \rightarrow A$  opened using  $B \rightarrow$  generally smoothes the contour of an object.

Closing operat<sup>n</sup>:  $A \bullet B = (A \oplus B) \ominus B \rightarrow A$  closed by B.  
See examples in TB.



## Image Segmentation

Thresholding is subjective!

Goal is to find individual objects in an image & we stop once the object of interest is isolated

- > Segmentation → Partition into disjoint regions
- > Various methods find interiors of the border of an object
- > Border of a region is found by using edge detection
- > The interior of the region is determined by distinct properties of pixels comprising the region
- > Thresholding, watershed, region-based methods.

Partitioning into a set of N connected regions  $R(n) = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

$$P(R) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } f(R) \in H \\ 0 & \text{o/w} \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{determining the interior of an image}$$

1. Sum of all regions → equal to image
2. A pixel of img belongs to only one of the regions
3. Properties of one region is same for all pixels
4. Properties of adjacent regions must be different

See Fig 10.1 for reference.

Applications: Count no. of objects, geometric property measurement of objects in image, study properties of individual objects (intensity, texture, etc)

Two basic properties of pixel intensities

### Discontinuities

- > Pt detection
- > Line detection
- > Edge "
- > Object boundary

### Similarities

- > Thresholding
- > Region growing
- > Region split & merge.

Detectn of discontinuities

$$\begin{matrix} w_1 & w_2 & w_3 \\ w_4 & w_5 & w_6 \\ w_7 & w_8 & w_9 \end{matrix}$$

$$R = w_1 z_1 + \dots + w_9 z_9 = \sum_{i=1}^9 w_i z_i$$

Point detection:  $R = \sum_{i=1}^9 w_i z_i$

-1	-1	-1
-1	8	-1
-1	-1	-1

→ Laplacian mask

$$|R| \geq T \rightarrow pt \text{ detected @ center}$$

→ T is a non-ve threshold

## Line detect<sup>n</sup>

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Horizontal  
line detect<sup>n</sup>

R<sub>1</sub>

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

+45° line  
detect<sup>n</sup>

R<sub>2</sub>

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Vertical  
line detect<sup>n</sup>

R<sub>3</sub>

-45° line  
detect<sup>n</sup>

R<sub>4</sub>

Apply all 4 masks on the image,

If at a certain pt  $|R_i| > |R_j| \forall i, j$  then that pt is said to be associated with mask i (more likely)

The pts left are the strongest responses, which, for lines one pixel thick, correspond to closest to the direct<sup>n</sup> defined by the mask.

gray lvl profile



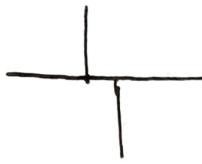
-ve 2<sup>nd</sup> der → bright regn  
+ve " " → dark regn

TB Fig 10.7 & before.

First derivative



Second derivative



- A little amt of noise can have significant impact on the two key derivatives used for edge detect<sup>n</sup> in images.
- Image smoothing should be done before using derivatives for an image where noise is likely to be present.

## Thresholding

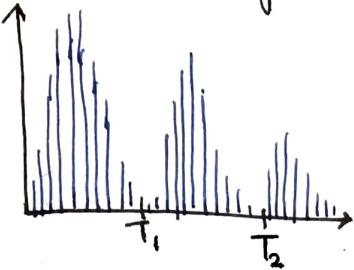
Purpose → divide an image into non-overlapping regions

Segmentation based on thresholding: —

> Intensity values are different in different regions.

> With each region, which represents the object, the intensity values are similar.

## Global thresholding



$$T_1 < f(x,y) < T_2 \rightarrow \text{object 1}$$

$$T_2 \geq f(x,y) \rightarrow \text{object 2}$$

$$f(x,y) < T_1 \rightarrow \text{background}$$

$$f(x,y) = i(x,y) r(x,y)$$

illumination  $f_i$  → reflectance  $f_r$

Slide 13 → Example.

→ Select an estimate for  $T$  initially.

→ Segment the img using  $T$ ,  $G_1 \rightarrow \text{graylevel} > T$ ;  $G_2 \rightarrow \text{graylevel} < T$

→ Find avg. gray level values in  $m_1$  &  $m_2$  in  $G_1$  &  $G_2$ .

→ Find  $T_{\text{new}} = \frac{1}{2}(m_1 + m_2)$

→ Repeat the process till  $T_i - T_{i-1} < \epsilon$ ; where  $\epsilon$  is a small number.

## Otsu's method (1979)

> Segmentation based on "region homogeneity". Region homogeneity can be measured using variance

> Otsu's thresholding chooses the threshold to min. the intraclass variance of thresholded black & white pixels.

→ Find the th. that minimizes the weighted within class variance.

→ This turns out to be the same as maximizing the b/w class variance.

→ Operates directly on gray level histogram so it is fast.

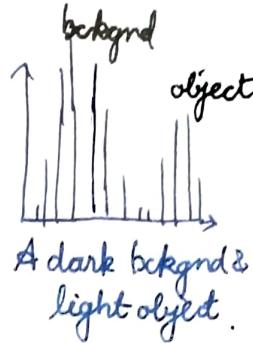
$$P_1(T) = \sum_{i=0}^T p(i) \quad \& \quad P_2(T) = \sum_{i=T+1}^{L-1} p(i) \quad p(i) \rightarrow \text{normalized freq. of } i^{\text{th}} \text{ intensity}$$

$$P_1(T) + P_2(T) = 1$$

B/w class variance:  $\sigma_B^2(z) = P_1(z)[m_1(z) - m_g]^2 + P_2(z)[m_2(z) - m_g]^2$

Indiv. class variance:  $\sigma_1^2(z) = \sum_{i=0}^z [i - m_1(z)]^2 \frac{P_1}{P_1(z)} ; \sigma_2^2(z) = \sum_{i=z+1}^{L-1} [i - m_2(z)]^2 \frac{P_2}{P_2(z)}$

where  $m_1(z) = \sum_{i=0}^z \frac{i P(i)}{P_1(z)}$  ;  $m_2(z) = \sum_{i=z+1}^{L-1} \frac{i P(i)}{P_2(z)}$   $\rightarrow P_1 m_1 + P_2 m_2 = m_g \Rightarrow m_g = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} i p(i)$



Pick the value that minimizes  $\sigma^2$  throughout the image.

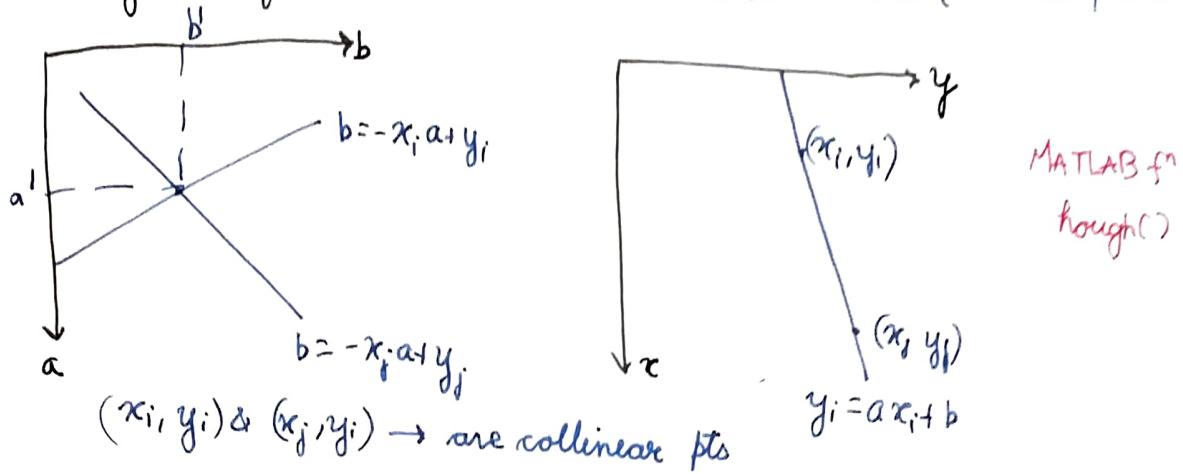
$$\text{For faster scale: } \boxed{\sigma_B^2(t) = P_1(t)[m_1(t)-m_q]^2 + P_2(t)[m_2(t)-m_q]^2}$$

Example : slide 24

### Drawbacks:-

- > Assumes histogram is bimodal (2 classes)
  - > Method breaks down when hist. is over classes are very unequal (i.e., the classes have very different sizes)
    - $\hat{\sigma}_B^2(z)$  may have 2 maxima
    - local maxima may not be global max
  - > Doesn't work well with variable illuminat<sup>n</sup>

Hough Transform (1962) → A method to detect lines (or other parametric objects)



MATLAB fn  
hough()

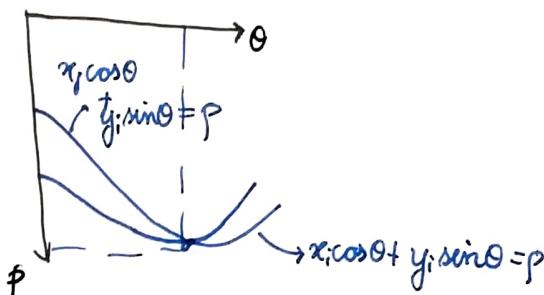
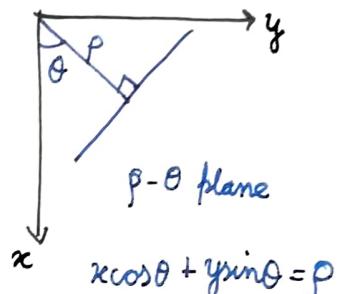
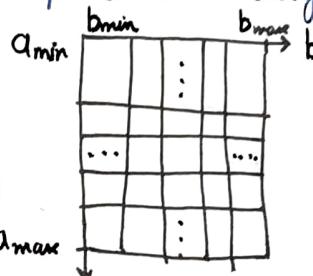
### Procedure

- Divide the parameter space into cells. Problem: vertical line  $\rightarrow a = \infty$
- Plot parameter space lines corresponding to all pts  $(x_k, y_k)$
- Identify the pts in which parameter space where large numbers of parameter space lines intersect.

### For $p$ - $\theta$ plane

Pairs of  $\theta$  &  $p$  will look like a sine wave. It's done for all apt. locat's

Fig 10.32 TB



### Procedure

- > For each data pt., a number of lines at diff  $\angle$  are plotted through it @ diff angles.
- > For each solid line a line is plotted which is  $\perp$  to it & which intersects the origin
- > The length & and angle of each dashed line is measured.
- > Repeat for each data pt.

Count  $p$  &  $\theta$  at intersectn is noted & the count of the corresponding bin is inc by 1.

In the end if the value of a bin is  $P$ , then it means  $P$  pts in  $x$ - $y$  plane lie on the line  $x \cos \theta_j + y \sin \theta_j = p_i$

### Drawbacks:

computationally very expensive

For  $n$  pts in an image  $\rightarrow \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$  possible lines

Then we have to do  $(n-2) \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$  computations / comparisons to see each of those 2 pts lie on some line joining  $^2$  the other 2 pts.

Applicat's: Check slides & TB.

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> Revision of Hough transform  
Segmentat<sup>n</sup> by watershed algorithm

Based on visualizing an image in 3-D. Two spatial coordinates vs gray levels

3 types of pts:

> pts belonging to regional min.

> pts at which a drop of water would fall with certainty to a single min.  
(watershed or catchment basin)

> pts at which water would be equally likely to fall to more than one such min.

(crest lines or watershed divide line)

> Watershed line form a connected path, thus giving cont. boundaries b/w regions

> Watershed segmentat<sup>n</sup> is in the extract<sup>n</sup> of nearly uniform (blob like) objects from the background.

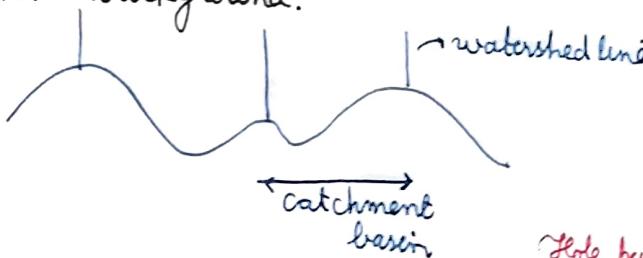
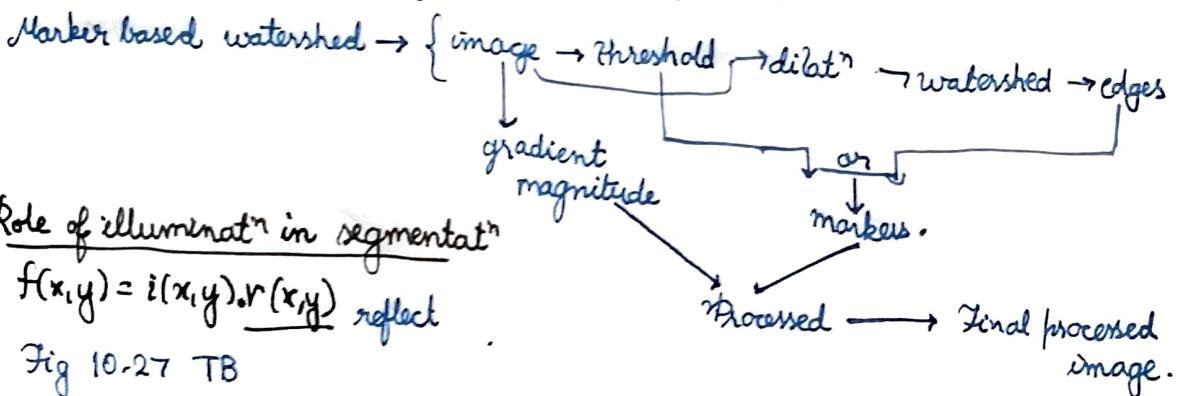


Image as a topological surface  
All pixels in catchment basin are connected by a monotonically dec. path.

Procedure in slides along with an example. *Hole punched in @ minima & water floods in at a fixed rate*



Role of illumination in segmentat<sup>n</sup>

$$f(x,y) = i(x,y) \cdot r(x,y) \text{ reflect}$$

Fig 10-27 TB

Basic adaptive thresholding.

$$g(x,y) = \begin{cases} 1 & ; f(x,y) > T \\ 0 & ; f(x,y) \leq T \end{cases}$$

→ binary img.

$$T = T[(x,y), p(x,y), f(x,y)]$$

Region based segmentat<sup>n</sup>.

$$\rightarrow \bigcup_{i=1}^n R_i = R \quad (\text{Every pixel in a regn})$$

→  $R_i$  is a connected regn,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  (*pts in a regn must be connected in some predefined sense*)

→  $R_i \cap R_j = \emptyset$  for all  $i \neq j$ ,  $i \neq j$  (*Regns must be disjoint*)

→  $P(R_i) = \text{TRUE } \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ . (*The properties must be satisfied by the pixels in a segmented region*)

→  $P(R_i \cup R_j) = \text{FALSE } \forall i \neq j$  (*Regns  $R_i$  &  $R_j$  are diff in sense of predicate  $P$* )

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## Image processing

Acquisition → Enhancement → Restorat<sup>n</sup> → Segmentat<sup>n</sup>.

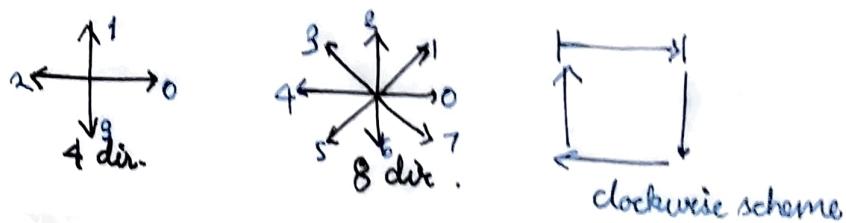
### Image representat<sup>n</sup> & descript<sup>n</sup>

- When features describe the shape, characteristic & it should be insensitive to variat<sup>n</sup> in size, translat<sup>n</sup>, rotat<sup>n</sup>.
- when the features described enclosed region characteristics such as color, texture etc.

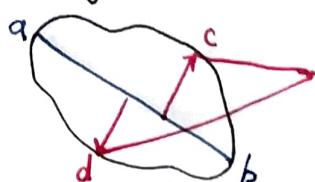
### Shape representat<sup>n</sup> by using chain code

Chain code presents an object boundary by a sequence of straight line segments of specified length & direction

Examples in slides

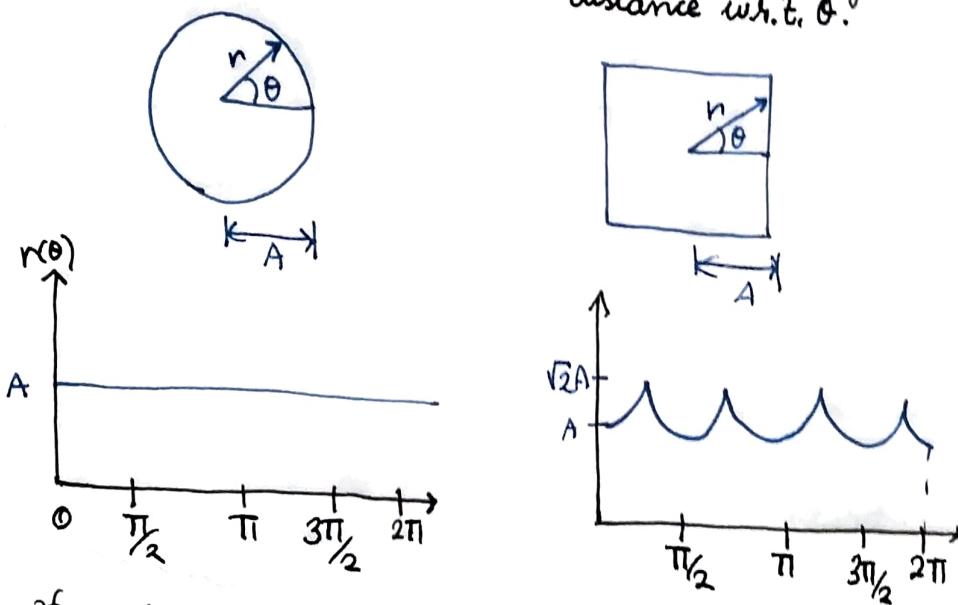


### Splitting techniques



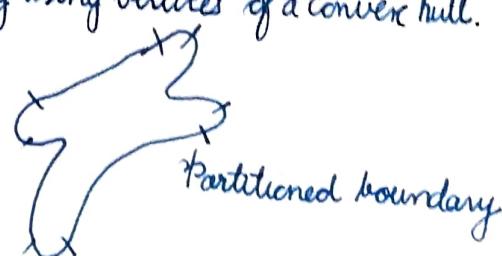
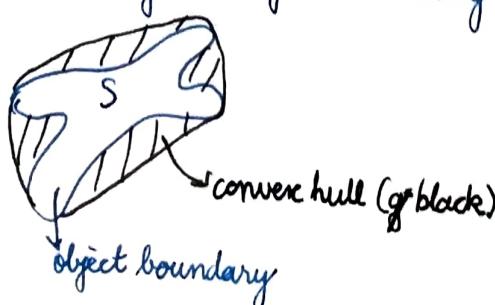
- Find the line joining 2 extreme pts
- Find the farthest pts from the line

Distance vs angle signatures : 2D object boundary in terms of a 1-D f<sup>n</sup> of radial distance wr.t.  $\theta$ .



### Boundary segments

Partitioning an object boundary by using vertices of a convex hull.



Objective → To represent & describe segmented or extracted Feature info in an image in other forms that are more suitable than the image itself

Benefits → Easier to understand

Requires fewer units of memory, easy to understand & fast processing



## Boundary descriptors

Simple geometric measures used to define a boundary.

→ simple descriptors → shape numbers → fourier desc. → statistical moments

## Simple descriptors

> Length

> Eccentricity

> Diameters

> Curvature

> Major-minor axis

> Convex-concave

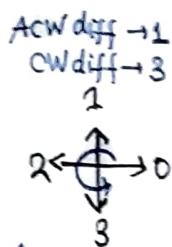
> Basic rectangle

> corner ( $\geq 90^\circ$ )

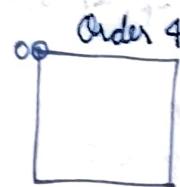
Length → no. of pixels along a boundary approx.

Size of circle of box (smallest) → that encloses the object

Curvature → rate of change of slope.



## Shape numbers and order of feature →



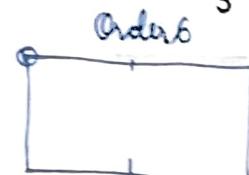
Shape no. → the first diff of smallest magnitude

Order(n) → number of digits in seq.

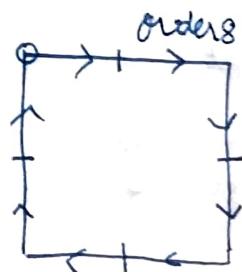
Chain code: 0 3 2 1

Diff: 3 3 3 3

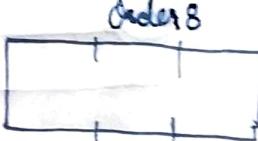
Shape no.: 3 3 3 3



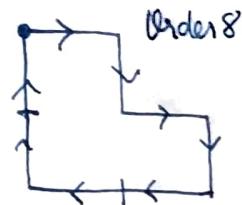
0 0 3 2 2 1  
3 0 3 3 0 3  
0 3 3 0 3 3



Chain 0 0 3 3 2 2 1 1  
Diff 3 0 3 0 3 0 3 0  
Shape 0 3 0 3 0 3 0 3



Chain 0 0 0 3 2 2 2 1  
Diff 3 0 0 3 3 0 0 3  
Shape 0 0 3 3 0 0 3 3



Chain 0 3 0 3 2 2 1 1  
Diff 3 3 1 3 3 0 3 0  
Shape 0 3 0 3 3 1 3 3

## Example 11.2

- 1 > Original boundary
- 3 > Create grid

- 2 > Find smallest rect that fits the shape.
- 4 > Find nearest grid.

## Fourier descriptor

Coordinate as a complex no. ( $x = \text{Real part}$ ,  $y = \text{Imag. part}$ )

$$s(k) = x(k) + jy(k)$$

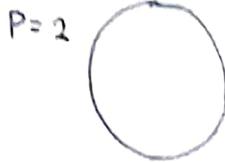
$$a(u) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} s(k) e^{-j2\pi uk/K} \quad \text{DFT}$$

Approx reconstructn from F.Dsc.

$$\tilde{s}(k) = \frac{1}{P} \sum_{u=0}^{P-1} a(u) e^{j2\pi uk/P}$$

IPFT

Example 11.3 >  $P = 2, 4, 8, \dots, 32, \dots, 64$ ,  $K = 64$

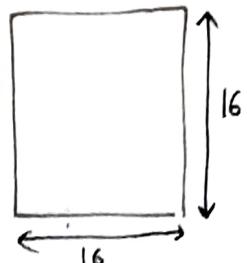


$P = 2$



$P = 8$

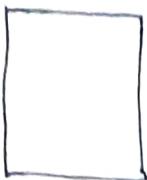
no. of samples Fourier coeff  
to reconstruct  
 $\dots P = 61$



16

16

$P = 62$



→ ~~approximate the same.~~

Fourier Descriptor properties

T/F

Identity

Rotat<sup>n</sup>

Translat<sup>n</sup>

Scaling

Starting pt.

Boundary

$\delta(k)$

$\delta_r(k) = \delta(k)e^{j\omega}$

$\delta_t(k) = \delta(k) + \Delta_{xy}$

$\delta_s(k) = \alpha \delta(k)$

$\delta_p(k) = \delta(k - k_0)$

Fourier descriptor

$a(u)$

$a_r(u) = a(u)e^{j\theta}$

$a_t(u) = a(u) + \Delta_{xy} \delta(u)$

$a_s(u) = \alpha a(u)$

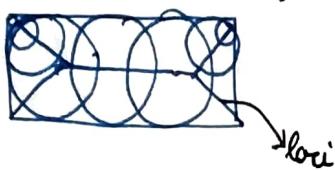
$a_p(u) = a(u)e^{-j2\pi k_0 u/k}$

### Skeletons

Reduce binary image objects to a set of thin strokes. Represent structural state of a plane regn to reduce it to a graph. Retains important info abt the original object.

Medial axis transformation or SAT (Symmetry Axis ff)

Medial axis is the locus of centers of maximal disks that fit within the shape.



Prairie fire analogy → the boundary of an object is set on fire & the skeleton is the loci where the fire fronts meet & quench each other

### Applicat<sup>n</sup>: Skeletons

→ Skeletonizat<sup>n</sup> is used in letter & character recogn. Letters & chars are recog. by center lines of its strokes & is unrelated to width of the stroke lines.

### Statistical moments

$r \rightarrow$  RV,  $g(r_i) \rightarrow$  normalized RV.

The  $n^{\text{th}}$  moment:  $\mu_n(r) = \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} (r_i - m)^n g(r_i)$  where  $m = \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} r_i g(r_i)$

First<sup>th</sup> moment: mean ; 2<sup>nd</sup> order: Variance.

Order 0: no. of pts in the data

→ Convert boundary segment into 1D graph

Order 1: sum → used to get mean.

→ View 1D graph as PDF fn

Order 2: related to variance.

→ Compute  $n^{\text{th}}$  order moment of the graph.

Order 3: skewness of data.

## Regional descriptors: Statistical properties

- > Area of regn: no. of pixels in a regn
- > Perimeter: length of its boundary
- > Compactness:  $(\text{perimeter})^2 / \text{area}$

- > Mean & median of gray levels
- > Min & max gray level values
- > Number of pixels with values below & above the mean

Example: Slides (Infrared image of "अमरिका")

→ For area.

$$A(R) = \sum_m \sum_n x(m, n)$$

→ number of pixels in the region.

$$\begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

→ For perimeter

$$P(R) = \sum_k \sqrt{[x(k) - x(k-1)]^2 + [y(k) - y(k-1)]^2}$$

$$\frac{P^2(R)}{A(R)}$$

→ Area = 5

$$\text{Perimeter} = 1+1+1+1+\sqrt{2} = 4+\sqrt{2}$$

$$C = \frac{(4+\sqrt{2})^2}{5} = \frac{16+2+8\sqrt{2}}{5} = \frac{18+8\sqrt{2}}{5}$$

8x8 image on slides: same exercise

Feature '2' →



→ Area = 5

$$\text{Perimeter} = 4+\sqrt{2}$$

$$C(2) = \frac{18+8\sqrt{2}}{5}$$

Feature '1' →



→ Area = 15

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Perimeter} &= 3(1) + 3(1) + 8\sqrt{2} \\ &= 6+8\sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$C(1) = \frac{36+128+96\sqrt{2}}{225}$$

## Topological descriptors:

Property 1: the number of holes.

" 2: the number of connected components

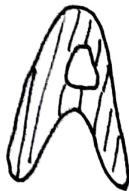
" 3: Euler number:  $E = C - H$  (#Connected component - # holes)



→ No. of holes = 2



→ No. of connected components = 3.



$$E = 1 - 1$$

$$= 0$$

$$(C=1, H=1)$$

$$E = 1 - 2$$

$$= -1$$

$$(C=1, H=2)$$

Property 4: Largest connected component  
(Example in slide)

## Texture Descriptors

Texture  $\rightarrow$  smoothness or roughness of a surface

Types: Random, Regular

Random: described statistically, not by words or eqns.  $\rightarrow$  Analyzed by stat. methods

Regular: " by words or eqns or repeating patterns with primitives (patterns)  
 $\rightarrow$  Analyzed by structural or spectral (Fourier) methods.

$$\mu_n(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} (z_i - m)^n p(z_i) \quad z \rightarrow \text{Intensity}$$

$p(z)$   $\rightarrow$  PDF or hist. of  $z$ .

$$m \bar{z} = \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} z_i p(z_i) \quad \sigma^2(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} z_i^2 p(z_i)$$

> relative smoothness:  $\rightarrow R = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + \sigma^2(z)}$  > Average entropy

> Uniformity  $\rightarrow U = \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} p^2(z_i)$   $e = - \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} p_i(z_i) \log_2(p_i(z_i))$

Statistical approaches for Texture descriptors

Example: slide.

Regular texture: Structural approach.

$S \rightarrow aS$   $\rightarrow$  here  $a$  represents the primitive element

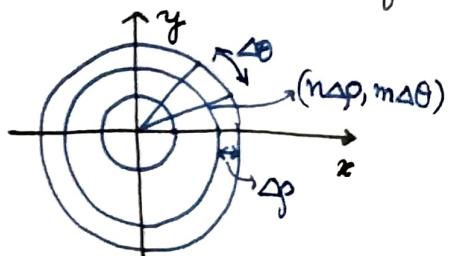
Rule for the  
structural appro  
ach

000000  $\rightarrow$  aaaaaa  $\rightarrow$  string

## Distance vs angle signatures

Yuan Tang → extract<sup>n</sup> of rotat<sup>n</sup> invariant signature based on practical geometry  
(IEEE 2001)

CPT → Central project<sup>n</sup> transform



$$f(\theta) = \sum_n f(p \cos \theta_m, p \sin \theta_m)$$

$\theta \rightarrow$  segmented into  $m$  components  
 $\theta_m \in [0, 2\pi], m = 1, 2, \dots, 360$

CPT done to extract contour; which can be then unfolded to get Y vs X variat<sup>n</sup>

## Principal components for descriptors

- 1000 images of a subject, each one differs from each other in some aspect.
- Then extracting principal components saves a lot of time & computat<sup>n</sup>.
- It reduces image data to smaller dim to represent image variability
- Involves a procedure that t/f a number of possibly correlated variables into small number of uncorrelated variables called principal components
- PCA: orthogonal linear t/f that transforms data to new coordinate system s.t. the greatest variance by any project<sup>n</sup> of data that comes to lie in first coordinate (1st PC), second greatest variance & so on.

Let  $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n]^T$ ; mean:  $m_x = E\{x\} = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K x_k$

Covariance matrix  $\Sigma_x (x = E\{(x-m_x)(x-m_x)^T\}) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K x_k x_k^T - m_x m_x^T$

Let  $y = A(x-m_x)$ ; then  $m_y = E\{y\} = 0$  &  $\Sigma_y = A \Sigma_x A^T$

Find  $A$  s.t.  $\Sigma_y = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \vdots & \dots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$

$\Rightarrow y = A(x-m_x)$ . are uncorrelated. The component of  $y$  with greatest  $\lambda$  is called principal component.

Consider  $x_1 = (0 \ 0 \ 0)^T, x_2 = (1 \ 0 \ 0)^T, x_3 = (1 \ 1 \ 0)^T, x_4 = (1 \ 0 \ 1)^T$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow m_x = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma_x = \frac{1}{4} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{cov}(x_1, x_1) & \text{cov}(x_1, x_2) & \text{cov}(x_1, x_3) \\ \text{cov}(x_2, x_1) & \text{cov}(x_2, x_2) & \text{cov}(x_2, x_3) \\ \text{cov}(x_3, x_1) & \text{cov}(x_3, x_2) & \text{cov}(x_3, x_3) \end{bmatrix}$$

$\text{cov} > 0 \rightarrow$  both dim inc together  
 $\text{cov} < 0 \rightarrow$  one inc, other dec.  
 $\text{cov} = 0 \rightarrow$  indep of each other

$$x - m_x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 - \frac{3}{4} & 1 - \frac{3}{4} & 1 - \frac{3}{4} & 1 - \frac{3}{4} \\ 0 - \frac{1}{4} & 0 - \frac{1}{4} & 1 - \frac{1}{4} & 0 - \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 - \frac{1}{4} & 0 - \frac{1}{4} & 0 - \frac{1}{4} & 1 - \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{4} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{13}{16} & \frac{4}{16} & \frac{4}{16} \\ \frac{4}{16} & \frac{12}{16} & -\frac{4}{16} \\ \frac{4}{16} & -\frac{4}{16} & \frac{12}{16} \end{bmatrix} = C_x$$

## Object & Pattern Recognition (Chapter 12)

Norbert Wiener → " "

A pattern → arrangement of descriptors.

Pattern class → A family of patterns with common properties

Pattern recogn → Assign patterns to their respective classes.

- Image indexing is done to reduce computat<sup>n</sup>s in authentication & verificat<sup>n</sup> process.
- Pattern template regularized to produce few feature vectors s.t. embedding space of same subjects are close, while those belonging to different subjects lie far.
- Clustering applied to get reps of index entries for index table.
- Probe image presented to system, its feature vector is computed.

## Patterns & features

Pattern: A set of consistent, characteristic form, style of an object ; signature, color, shape, entropy.

### Recogn of patterns:

- > Observe environment
- > Learn to distinguish patterns of interest
- > Make sound decisions & reasonable assignments of patterns to possible classes.

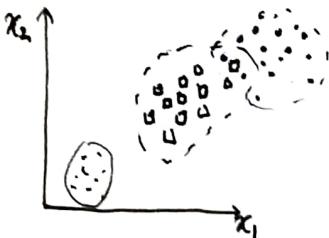
## Three common pattern recogn.

→ Vectors

Iris flowers

Edgar Anderson: Annals  
of Missouri Botanical garden,  
Vol 15, No. 3.

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} x_1 &\rightarrow \text{Petal width} \\ x_2 &\rightarrow \text{Petal length} \\ x_3 &\rightarrow \text{Sepal width} \\ x_4 &\rightarrow \text{Sepal length.} \end{aligned}$$



→ Strings

→ Vector patterns  
(Fig 12.2)

String descriptors: generate patterns of objects & entities whose structure is based on relatively simple connectivi -ty of primitives, usually associated with boundary shape.

(Fig 12.3)

Fractal diagram

→ Trees

More powerful than string patterns. Hierarchical ordering schemes usually lead to tree structures.

(Fig 12.4, 12.5)

RCA → eigenphases.

## Recognition based on decision

Decision theoretic approaches to recogn are based on the use of decision fns.

$x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)^T \rightarrow n$  dimensional pattern vector . For  $W$  pattern classes,  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_W$  we wanna find  $W$  decision fns  $d_1(x), d_2(x), \dots, d_W(x)$  with the property that :

If a pattern belongs to class  $w_j$ , then:  $d_i(x) \geq d_j(x) \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, W; i \neq j$   
 The decision boundary separating  $w_i$  &  $w_j$  is:  $d_i(x) = d_j(x)$  or  $d_i(x) - d_j(x) = 0$

(Fig 12.1)

Nir distance classifier:  $m_j = \frac{1}{n_j} \sum_{x \in w_j} x \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, W$

$$d_j(x) = \|x - m_j\| \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, W ; \quad d_j(x) = x^T m_j - \frac{1}{2} m_j^T m_j \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, W$$

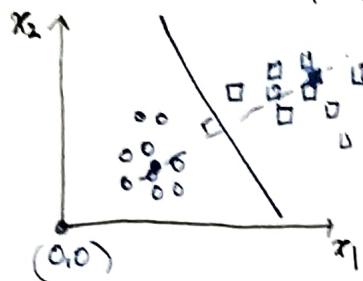
$$d_{ij} = d_i(x) - d_j(x) = x^T (m_i - m_j) - \frac{1}{2} (m_i - m_j)^T (m_i + m_j) = 0$$

Surface given by this eqn is Lm bisector of line segment joining  $m_i, m_j$ .

If  $n=2 \rightarrow$  line ;  $n=3 \rightarrow$  plane ;  $n=4$  or more  $\rightarrow$  hyperplane.

Example:

$$\begin{aligned} d_1(x) &= x^T m_1 - \frac{1}{2} m_1^T m_1 \\ &= 4.3x_1 + 1.3x_2 - 10.1 \\ d_2(x) &= x^T m_2 - \frac{1}{2} m_2^T m_2 \\ &= 1.5x_1 + 0.3x_2 - 8.9 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{where } m_1 = (4.3, 1.3)^T \text{ & } m_2 = (1.5, 0.3)^T \\ \rightarrow d_{12}(x) = d_1(x) - d_2(x) \\ = 2.8x_1 + 1.0x_2 - 8.9 = 0 \end{array} \right.$$



Now say we have a pt  $(x_1, x_2) = (3, \frac{1}{2})$

Then puttin' it in  $d_{12}$  we get

$$2.8 \times 3 + 1.0 \times \frac{1}{2} - 8.9 \rightarrow < 0 \rightarrow \text{Towards origin} \checkmark$$

Theoretic methods: matching by correlatn

$$C(x, y) = \sum_s \sum_t f(s, t) w(x+s, y+t) \quad x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, M-1 \\ y = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

Refer Fig (12.8)  
TB)

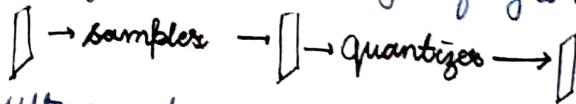
$$\gamma(x, y) = \frac{\sum_s \sum_t [w(s, t) - \bar{w}] \sum_s \sum_t [f(x+s, y+t) - \bar{f}(x+s, y+t)]}{\left\{ \sum_s \sum_t [w(s, t) - \bar{w}]^2 \sum_s \sum_t [f(x+s, y+t) - \bar{f}(x+s, y+t)] \right\}}$$

Correlat'n  
coeff

Fig 12.9

Medical Imaging

Diff. for each wavelength of light used for imaging.



Ultrasound

MRI

CT

PET

X Ray

MRI

Nuclear medicine

} em waves outside visible spectrum

Ultrasound → sound waves.

Interaction of energy waves with tissues

> Absorption

> Attenuation

> Scattering.

Medical Image processing

X Ray Imaginary system

1 PHz  $\rightarrow$   $10^{15}$  Hz      30 to 30,000 PHz. ( $\lambda \sim 0.01$  to 10nm)

"X Ray product" using e- collision (99% heat, 1% Xrays)

Properties in slides.

$$I_d = I_0 e^{-\int \mu(x, y, z) dz} \quad \text{Attenuation coeff} \rightarrow \mu(x, y, z) =$$

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Lecture slides