

Q2

For 1D case,

$$g = h * f \leftarrow \text{original image.}$$

↑
Convolution
kernel to
represent
gradient
operation

↑
Gradient
image

Taking fourier transform, The convolution will get converted to multiplication.

$$\therefore G = HF$$

$$F = G/H$$

we shall get original image after taking inverse fourier transform of (G/H) .

$h \rightarrow$ Gradient kernel $\Rightarrow H \rightarrow$ High pass filter

At low frequencies High pass filters tend to zero and hence the calculation of F will be problematic, even if H is not exactly equal to zero but very close to it, it will add up noise to f .

for 2D case,

We have been given image's gradient in both x and y direction,
we can write,

$$\cancel{G_x(x,y)} \quad g_x(x,y) = (h_x * f)(x,y)$$

$$g_y(x,y) = (h_y * f)(x,y)$$

Similar to 1D case, taking fourier transforms,

$$G_x(u,v) = H_x(u,v) F(u,v)$$

$$G_y(u,v) = H_y(u,v) F(u,v)$$

$$\therefore F(u,v) = \frac{G_x(u,v)}{H_x(u,v)}, \quad F(u,v) = \frac{G_y(u,v)}{H_y(u,v)}$$

$H_x(u,v)$, $H_y(u,v)$ are high pass filters as in part ①
i.e. 1D case. at ~~low~~ low u , $H_x(u,v)$ will tend to zero
and at low v $H_y(u,v)$ will tend to zero. we might
be able to calculate F if any one of u, v is large
enough to have $H \neq 0$. but if both of them
are tending to zero i.e. have small values, the
noise ~~will~~ will get amplified.

i.e. if u is low, v is high,

$$f = f^{-1}(F(u,v)) = f^{-1}\left(\frac{G_y}{H_y}\right)$$

if u is high, v is low

$$f = f^{-1}(F(u,v)) = f^{-1}\left(\frac{G_x}{H_x}\right)$$