

Chapter-4

Digital Image Transforms

Review Questions

1. What is the complex conjugate and the Hermitian matrix of T?

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 + 2j & 3 \\ -2 & 7 - j \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution

Complex conjugate of $T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 - 2j & 3 \\ -2 & 7 + j \end{pmatrix}$

Hermitian matrix of $T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 - 2j & -2 \\ 3 & 7 + j \end{pmatrix}$

2. Check whether the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$ is orthogonal or not.

Solution

If $A^{-1} = A^T$, then A is said to be orthogonal.

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

(Since $\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$)

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = A^T$$

So, matrix **A is orthogonal**.

3. Prove that the product of two orthogonal matrices is another orthogonal matrix.

Solution

Let A and B be two orthogonal matrices. So, $A^{-1} = A^T$ and $B^{-1} = B^T$.

$$\therefore (AB)^{-1} = A^{-1} \cdot B^{-1} = A^T \cdot B^T = (AB)^T$$

If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ then,

$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(AB)^{-1} = -1 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(AB)^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore (AB)^{-1} = (AB)^T$$

Thus, the product of two orthogonal matrices is another orthogonal matrix.

Numerical Problems

1. Check whether the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is orthogonal or not.

Solution

If $A^{-1} = A^T$, then A is said to be orthogonal.

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} \neq A^T$$

So, matrix **A is not orthogonal.**

2. What is the complex conjugate and Hermitian matrix of F.

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 1+j & 1-j \\ -2 & 7+j \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 1-j & 1+j \\ -2 & 7-j \end{pmatrix}$$

3. Consider the basis images in given in text book, show that the original image can be reconstructed for the given image.

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

What is the reconstructed image if only two largest factors are retained?

Solution:

Let the basis images are given as

$$H_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}; H_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix};$$

$$H_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}; H_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix};$$

Show that for the image $f = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$, the image can be constructed using basis images.

The transformed coefficient can be calculated by performed element wise product of the original image and the basis images.

$$t_1 = \langle H_1, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2}[1*1 + 2*1 + 3*1 + 8*1] = \frac{1}{2}[14] = 7$$

$$t_2 = \langle H_2, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2}[1*1 + 2*-1 + 3*1 + 8*-1] = \frac{1}{2}[-6] = -3$$

$$t_3 = \langle H_3, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2}[1*1 + 2*1 - 3*1 - 8*1] = \frac{1}{2}[-8] = -4$$

$$t_4 = \langle H_4, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2}[1*1 - 2*1 - 3*1 + 8*1] = \frac{1}{2}[4] = 2$$

The reconstructed image is the product of the transformed coefficients and the basis image.

$$= 7 * \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{3}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{4}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} + 2 * \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

4. Apply DFT to the following sequences:

a. { 2, 4, 6, 1 }

b. { 1, 2, 8, 9 }

and prove that the inverse transform works. What is the need for Fourier transforms?

Solution

$$W_{4 \times 4} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{pmatrix}$$

a)Applying DFT,

$$F(u) = W \cdot f(x)$$

$$F(u) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ -4 - 3j \\ 3 \\ -4 + 3j \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying IDFT,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{N} \cdot W^* \cdot F(u)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ -4 - 3j \\ 3 \\ -4 + 3j \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 16 \\ 24 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, DFT works for the given sequence.

b)Applying DFT,

$$F(u) = W \cdot f(x)$$

$$F(u) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -7 - 7j \\ -2 \\ -7 + 7j \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying IDFT,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{N} \cdot W^* \cdot F(u)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -7 - 7j \\ -2 \\ -7 + 7j \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 8 \\ 32 \\ 36 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, DFT works for the given sequence.

5. Apply DFT to the following matrices:

a. $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

b. $\begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Solution

a) Applying DFT,

$$y = W \cdot F \cdot W^T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying IDFT,

$$F = W^* \cdot y \cdot W^{*T} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$F = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 8 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, DFT works for the given image.

b) Applying DFT,

$$y = W \cdot F \cdot W^T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 7 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 11 & 9 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying IDFT,

$$F = W^* \cdot y \cdot W^{*T} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 11 & 9 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$F = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 20 & 2 \\ 8 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 28 & 0 \\ 12 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, DFT works for the given image.

6. Apply DCT to the following sequences:

a. $\{ 2, 4, 6, 1 \}$

b. $\{ 1, 2, 8, 9 \}$

Solution

The 4x4 DCT matrix, $C = \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.65 & 0.27 & -0.27 & -0.65 \\ 0.50 & -0.50 & -0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.27 & -0.65 & 0.65 & -0.27 \end{pmatrix}$

a)Applying DCT,

$$y = C \cdot F$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.65 & 0.27 & -0.27 & -0.65 \\ 0.50 & -0.50 & -0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.27 & -0.65 & 0.65 & -0.27 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} 6.50 \\ 0.11 \\ -3.50 \\ 1.57 \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying IDCT,

$$F = C^T \cdot y$$

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.65 & 0.27 & -0.27 & -0.65 \\ 0.50 & -0.50 & -0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.27 & -0.65 & 0.65 & -0.27 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 6.50 \\ 0.11 \\ -3.50 \\ 1.57 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, DCT works for the given image.

b)Applying DCT,

$$y = C \cdot F$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.65 & 0.27 & -0.27 & -0.65 \\ 0.50 & -0.50 & -0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.27 & -0.65 & 0.65 & -0.27 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} 10.00 \\ -6.85 \\ 0 \\ 1.74 \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying IDCT,

$$F = C^T \cdot y$$

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.65 & 0.27 & -0.27 & -0.65 \\ 0.50 & -0.50 & -0.50 & 0.50 \\ 0.27 & -0.65 & 0.65 & -0.27 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 10.00 \\ -6.85 \\ 0 \\ 1.74 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus, DCT works for the given image.

5. Show that the Walsh transform works for the following image

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution:

The forward transform is given as

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

The inverse transform is as shown below

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

6. Prove that the Hadamard transform works for the following images:

a. $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Solution:

The forward transform is given as

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 3.5 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & -0.5 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

The inverse transform is given as

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3.5 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & -0.5 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

b. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Solution: Same as the previous problem

7. Prove that the Slant transform holds for the image $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$.

Solution:

2 X 2 Slant transform kernel is same as Hadamard kernel.

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The inverse transform is given as

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

8. Find the Eigen values and the Eigen vector for the following images:

$$(a) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} & \begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda & 2 \\ 2 & 1-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = 0 \\ &= (1-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 4 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

The characteristic equation is $\lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 3 = 0$

So λ is 3 or -1.

when $\lambda = -1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-(-1) & 2 \\ 2 & 1-(-1) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The equations obtained are

$$2x_1 + 2x_2 = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$2x_1 + 2x_2 = 0$$

Many solutions are possible, but simplest is $x_1 = -1$, hence $x_2 = 1$

So the first eigen vector is $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

when $\lambda = 3$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1-3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1-3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The equations obtained are

$$-2x_1 + 2x_2 = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$2x_1 - 2x_2 = 0$$

Many solutions are possible, but simplest is $x_1 = 1$, hence $x_2 = 1$

So the first eigen vector is $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

The normalized eigen vectors are given as

$$\begin{pmatrix} -0.7071 & 0.7071 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.7071 & 0.7071 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution: The eigen values of this matrix is given 0, 3 and 15.

The normalized eigen vectors are given as

$$0.3333 \quad -0.6667 \quad 0.6667$$

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$$0.6667 \quad 0.6667 \quad 0.3333$$

9. Let two of three Eigen values of a 3×3 matrix are -1 and 2 and if the determinant value equals 4 . What is the third Eigen value?

Solution:

The product of the eigen values is equal to the determinant value.

$$\text{Therefore } -1 * 2 * x = 4$$

$$x = -4/2 = -2.$$