

Chapter 5

Image Restoration and Reconstruction

- Image Restoration

- attempts to reconstruct or recover an image that has been degraded by using a *pro iori* knowledge of the degradation
- model the degradation, then apply the inverse process

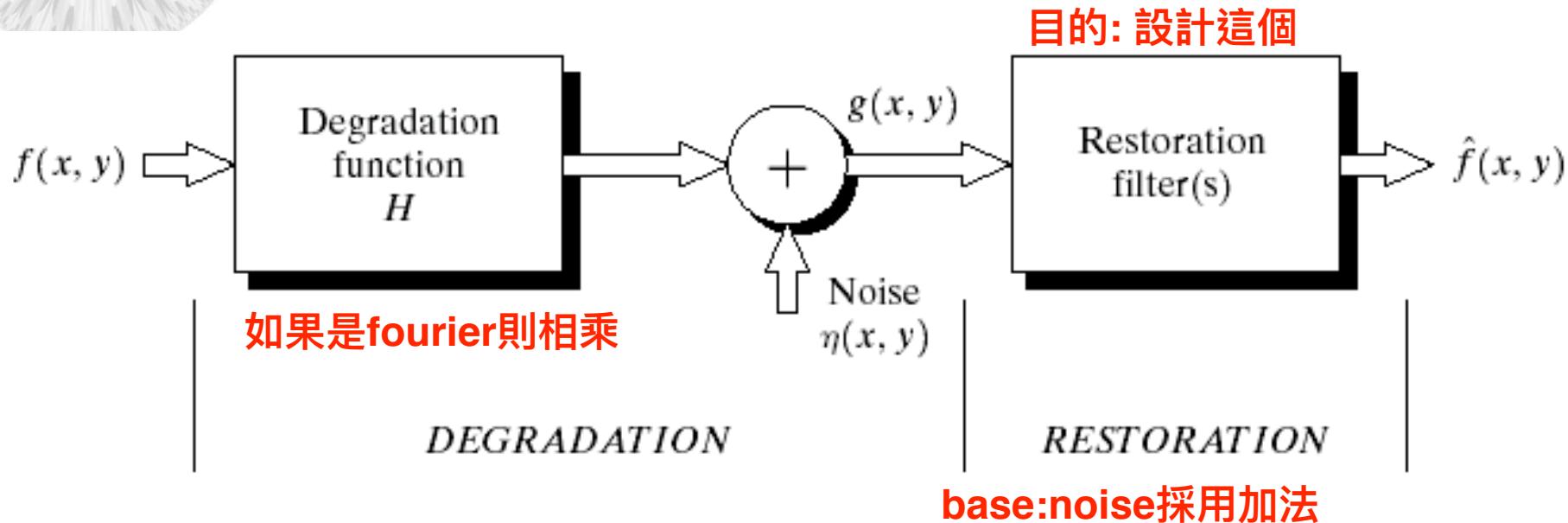
Image Enhancement → largely subjective

→ basically heuristic procedure

Image Restoration → more objective

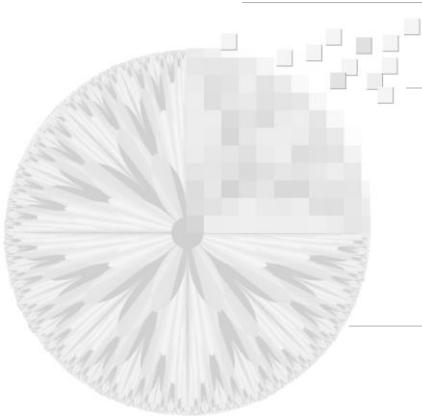
→ usually formulate a criterion of goodness

A Model of the Image Degradation/Restoration Process



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

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



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5.1 Noise Models

5.2 Restoration in the Presence of Noise Only

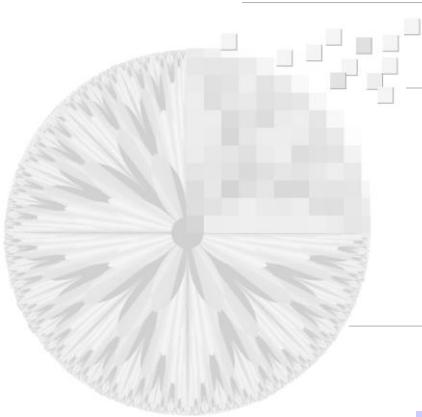
– Spatial Filtering

5.3 Periodic Noise Reduction by Frequency Domain
Filtering

5.4 Inverse Filtering

5.5 Minimum Mean Squared Error (Weiner) Filtering

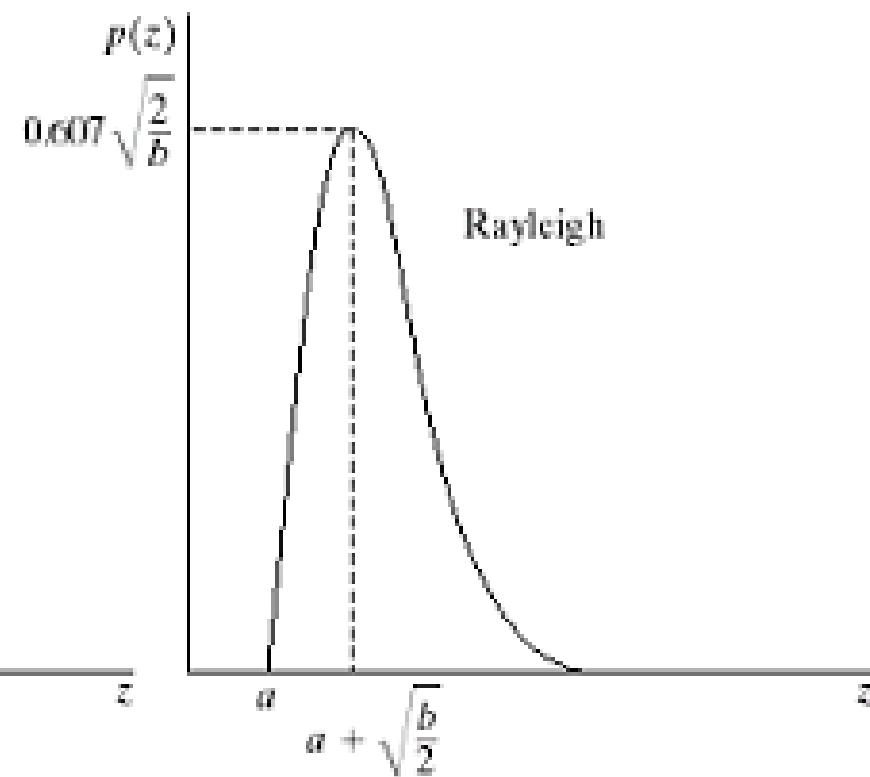
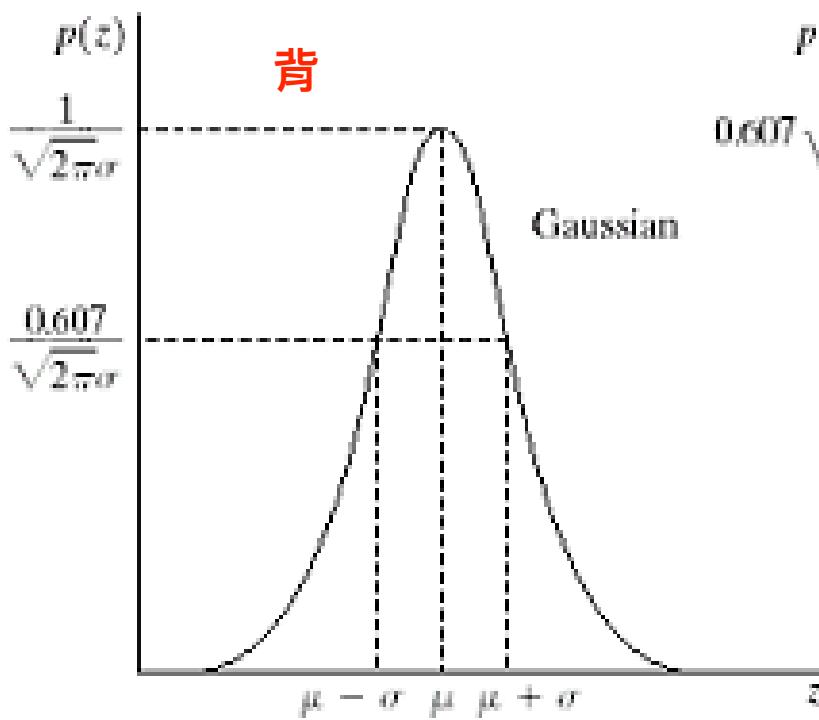
CT: Computed Tomography (section 5.11), not covered in this course



5.1 Noise Models

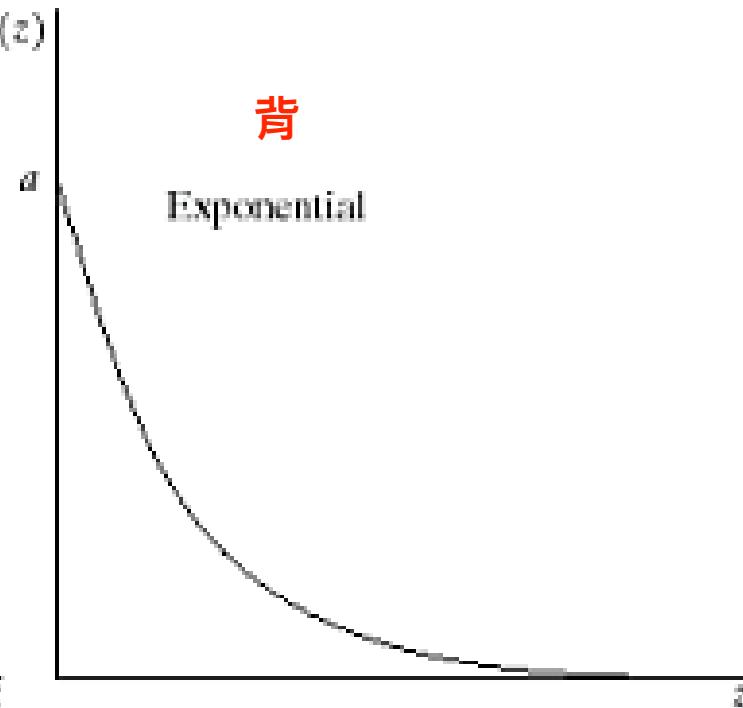
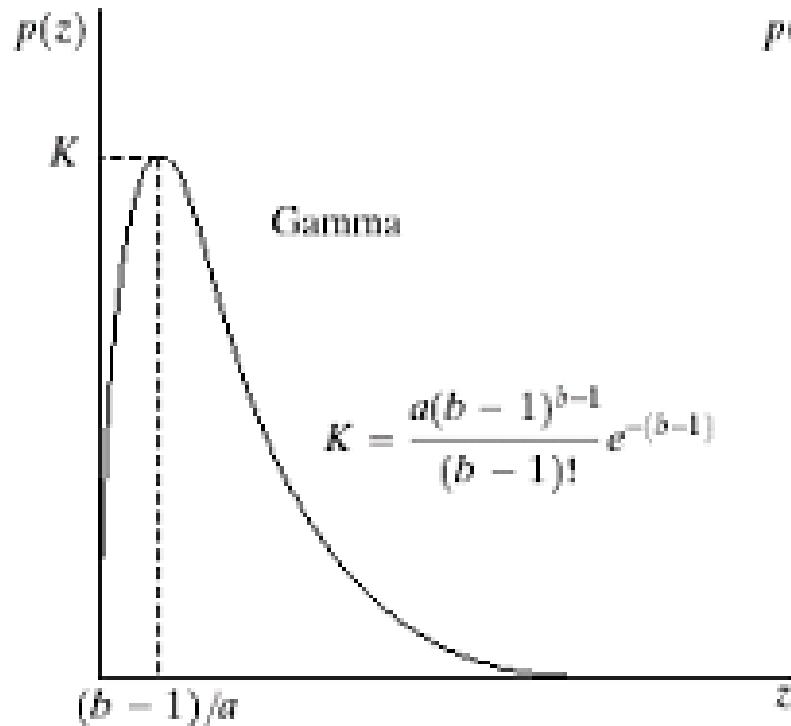
- Gaussian Noise
- Rayleigh Noise
- Gamma (Erlang) Noise
- Exponential Noise
- Uniform Noise
- Impulse (Salt-and-Pepper) Noise

- Consider only: 假設獨立
 - Spatially-independent (except periodic noise)
 - Signal-uncorrelated
相關係數=0



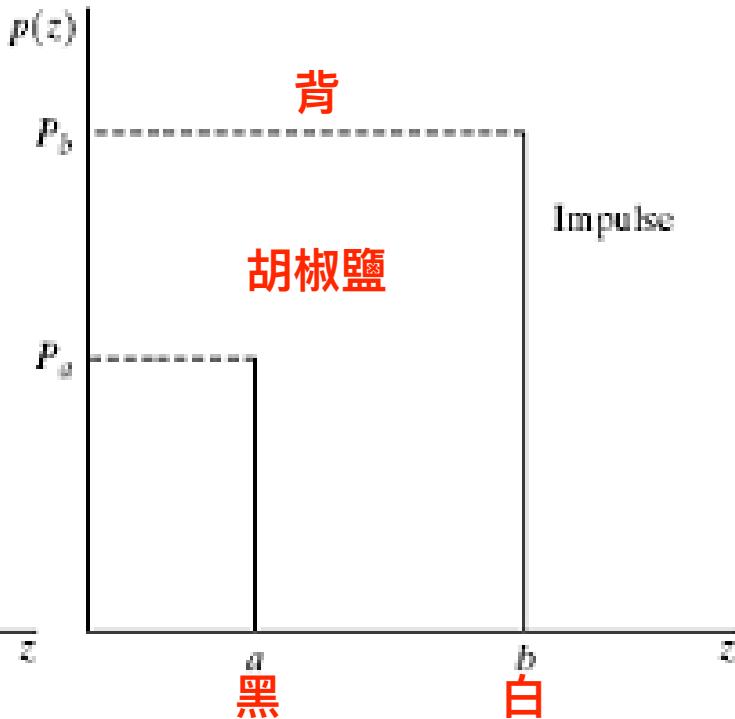
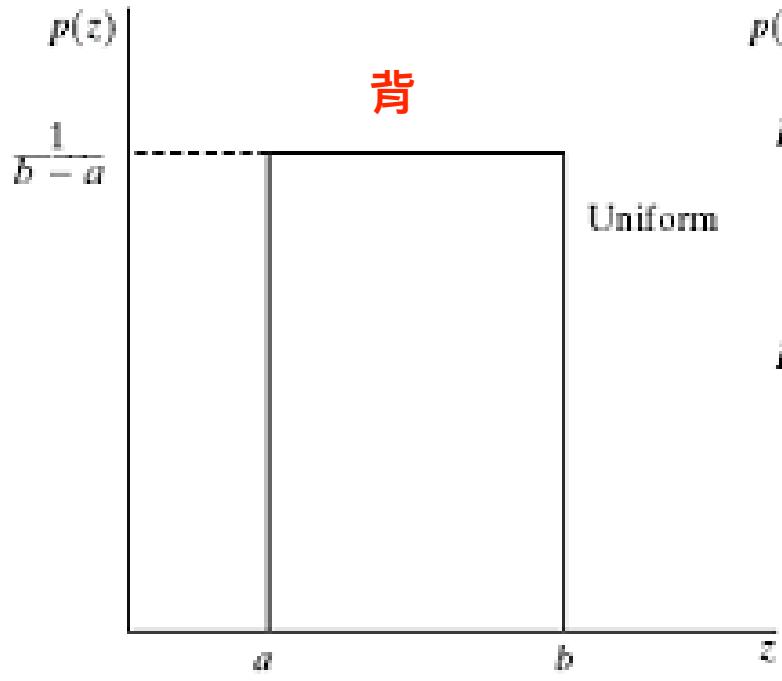
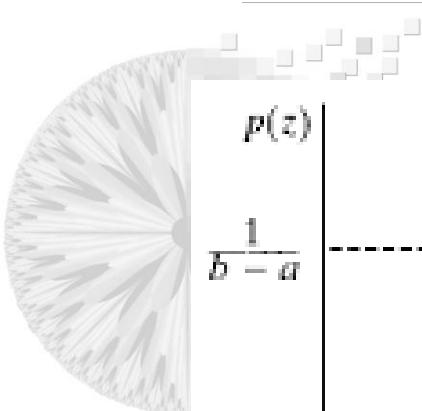
$$p(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-(z-\mu)^2/2\sigma^2}$$

$$p(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{b} (z - a) e^{-(z-a)^2/b} & \text{for } z \geq a \\ 0 & \text{for } z < a. \end{cases}$$



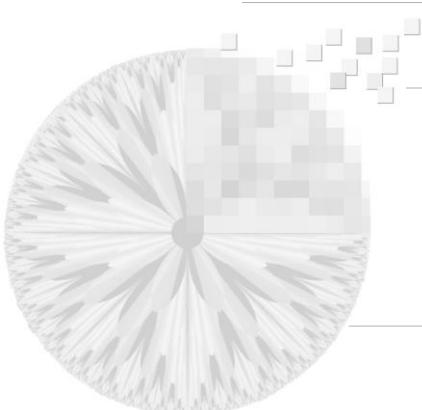
$$p(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{a^b z^{b-1}}{(b-1)!} e^{-az} & \text{for } z \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{for } z < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$p(z) = \begin{cases} ae^{-az} & \text{for } z \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{for } z < 0 \end{cases}$$



$$p(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{b-a} & \text{if } a \leq z \leq b \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$p(z) = \begin{cases} P_a & \text{for } z = a \\ P_b & \text{for } z = b \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Test Pattern

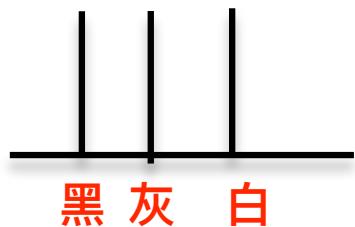
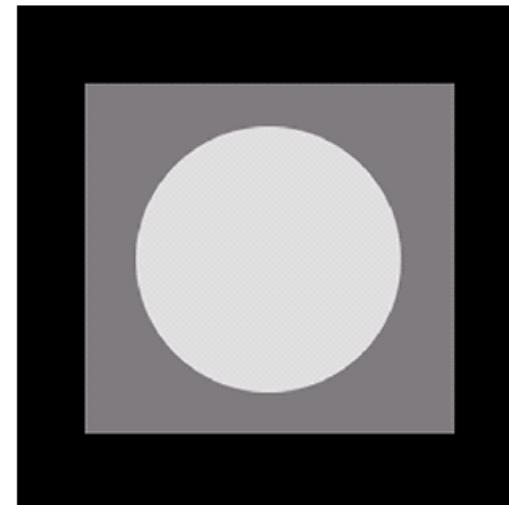
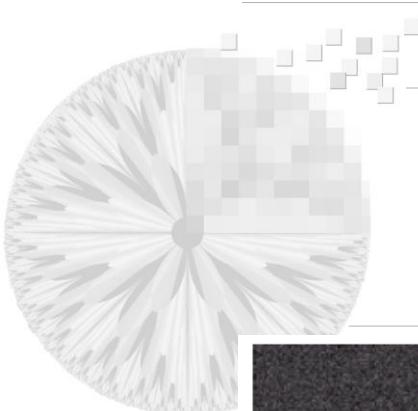
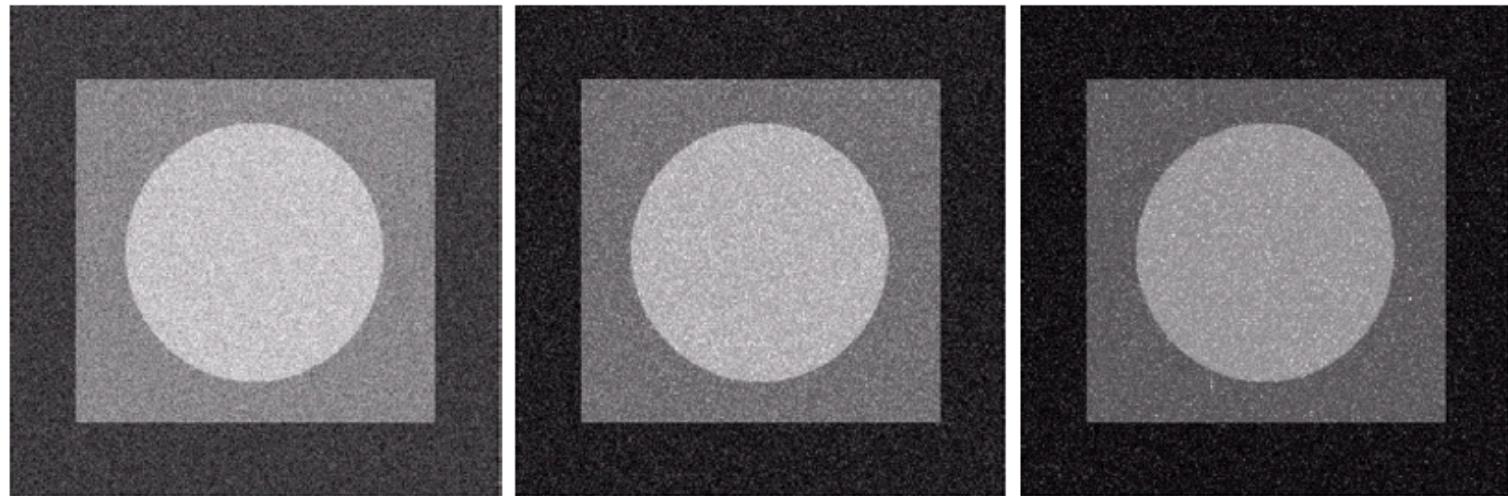


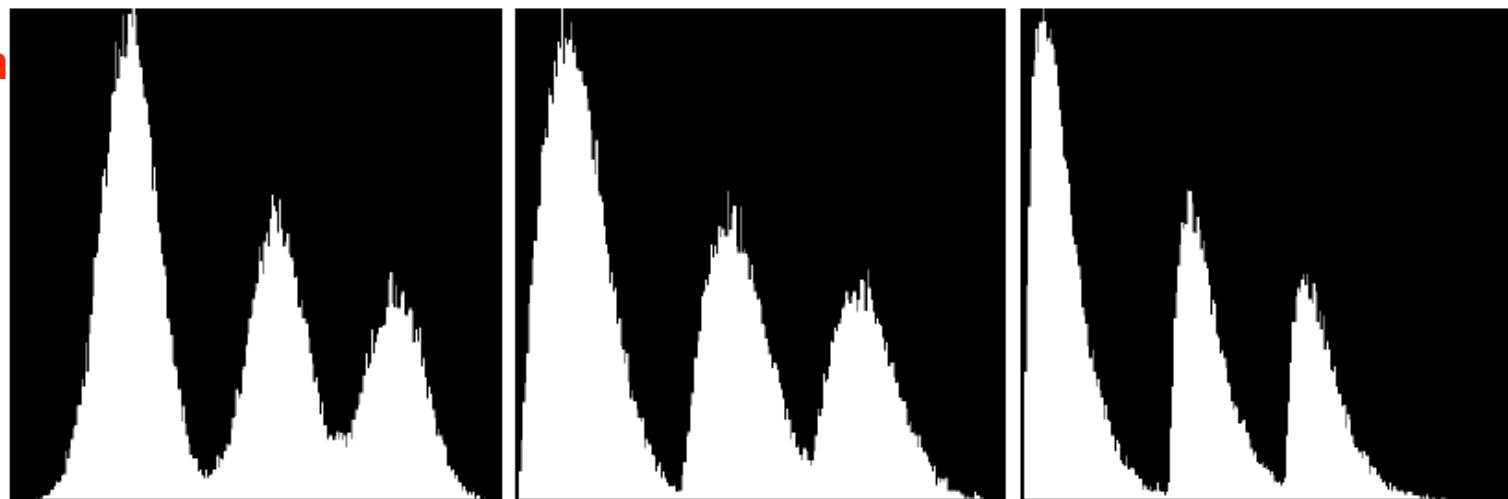
FIGURE 5.3 Test pattern used to illustrate the characteristics of the noise PDFs shown in Fig. 5.2.



Synthetic Noise Added



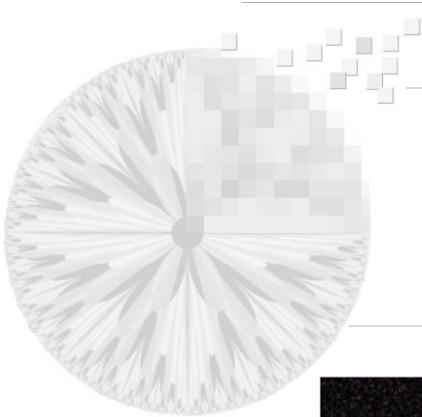
histogram



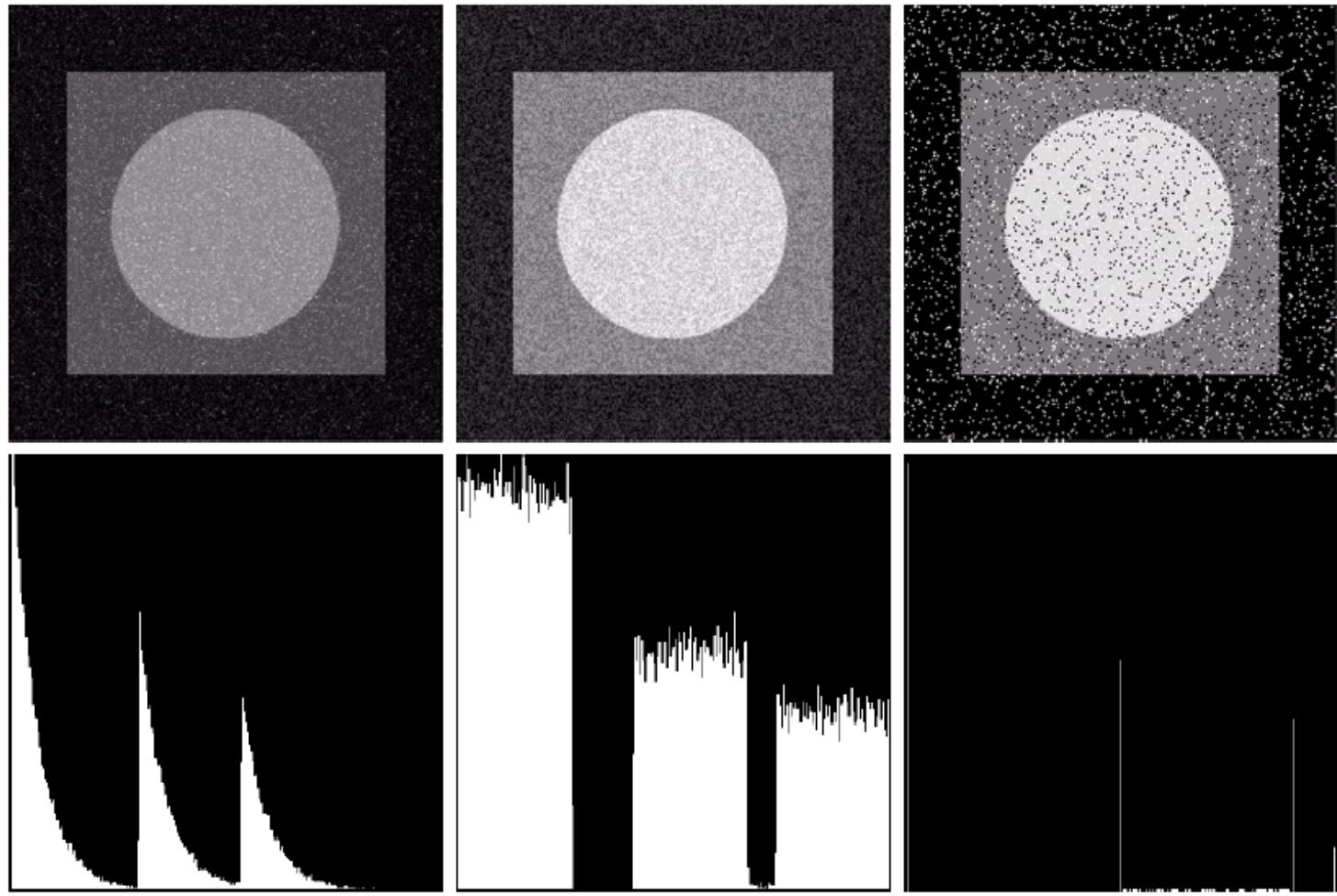
Gaussian

Rayleigh

Gamma



Synthetic Noise Added



Exponential

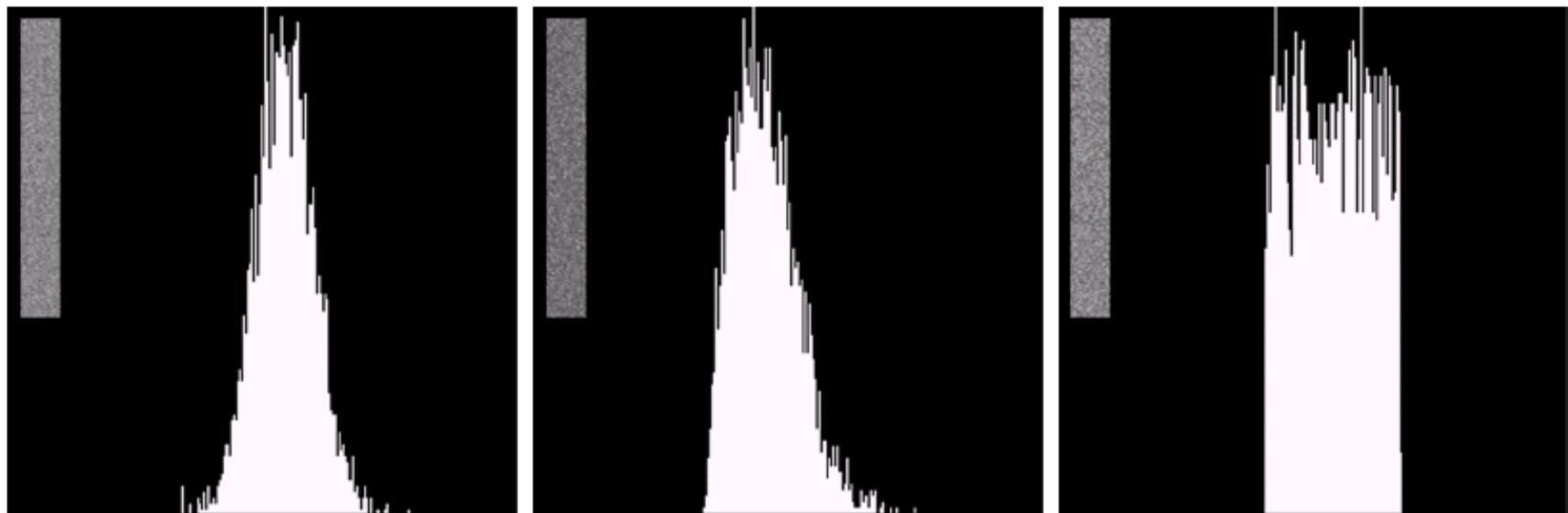
Uniform

Salt & Pepper



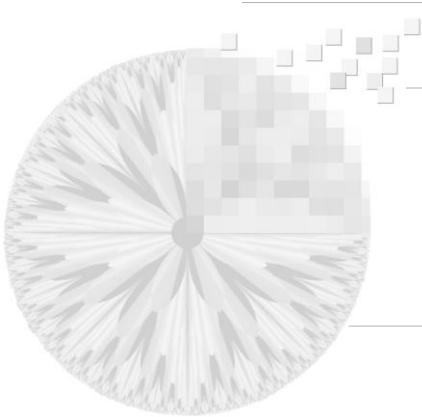
Estimation of Noise Parameters

一般estimation noise會先找一個比較uniform的地方，再去fix



a b c

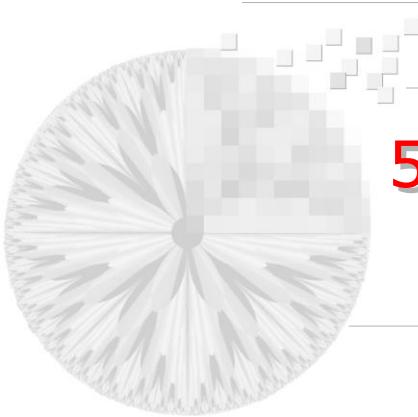
FIGURE 5.6 Histograms computed using small strips (shown as inserts) from (a) the Gaussian, (b) the Rayleigh, and (c) the uniform noisy images in Fig. 5.4.



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5.2 Restoration in the Presence of Noise Only

– Spatial Filtering

H=I



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

原來的影像 noise

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

- Mean Filters
- Order-Statistics Filters
- Adaptive Filters



Mean Filters

- Arithmetic Mean Filter

算術平均

robust也滿常用的 $\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{1}{mn} \sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)$

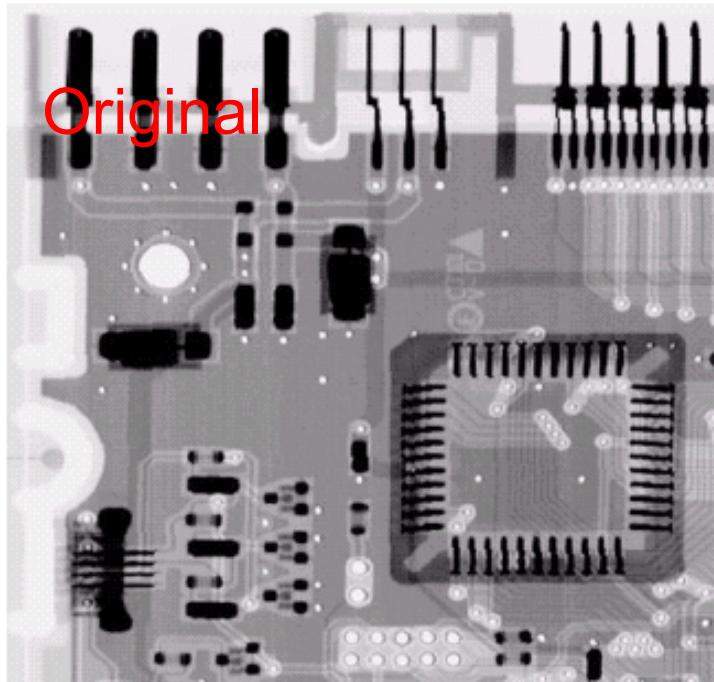
- Geometric Mean Filter

幾何平均

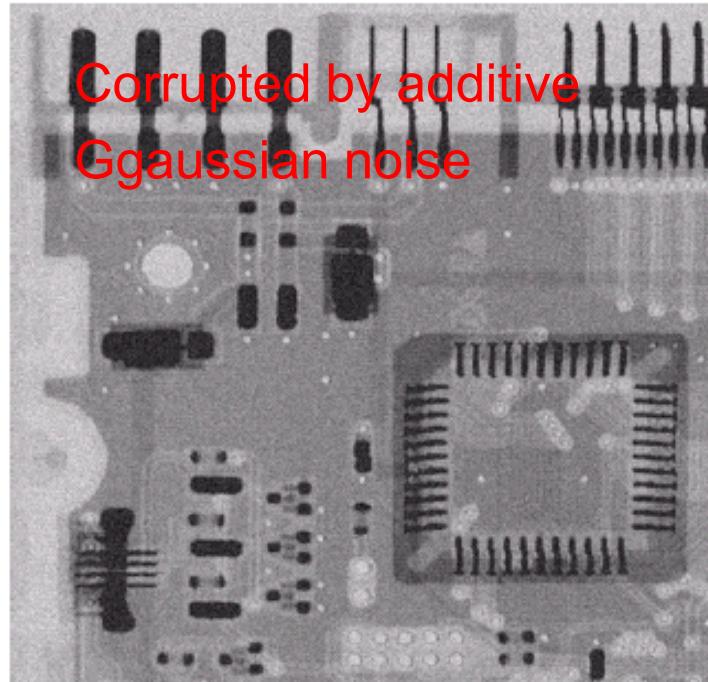
$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \left[\prod_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t) \right]^{\frac{1}{mn}}$$

a
b
c
d

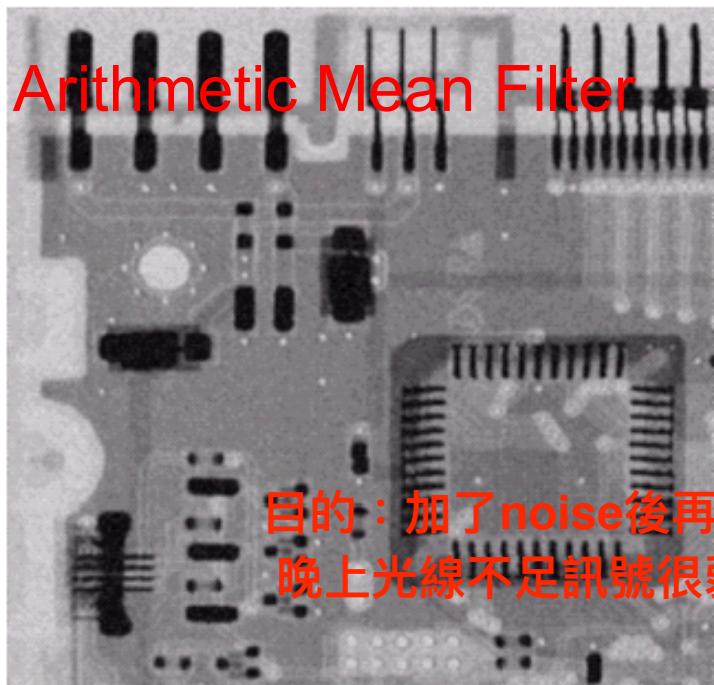
FIGURE 5.7 (a) X-ray image. (b) Image corrupted by additive Gaussian noise. (c) Result of filtering with an arithmetic mean filter of size 3×3 . (d) Result of filtering with a geometric mean filter of the same size. (Original image courtesy of Mr. Joseph E. Pascente, Lixi, Inc.)



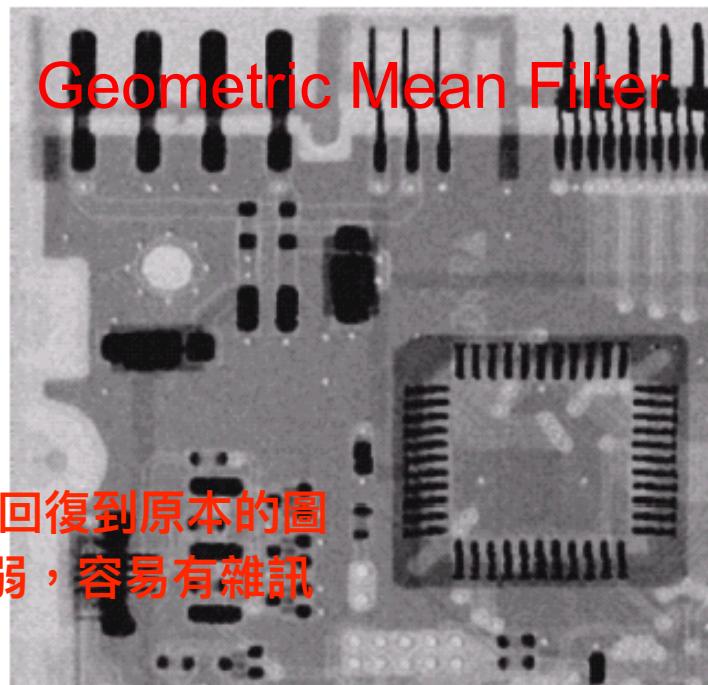
Original



Corrupted by additive Gaussian noise



Arithmetic Mean Filter



Geometric Mean Filter

目的：加了noise後再回復到原本的圖
晚上光線不足訊號很弱，容易有雜訊



- Harmonic Mean Filter

- good for salt noise, not good for pepper

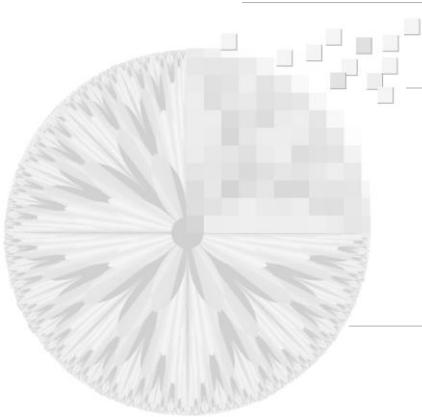
$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{mn}{\sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \frac{1}{g(s, t)}}$$

- Contraharmonic Mean Filter (see Fig 5.8)

- $Q > 0$ good for pepper noise; $Q < 0$ good for salt noise

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{\sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)^{Q+1}}{\sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s, t)^Q}$$

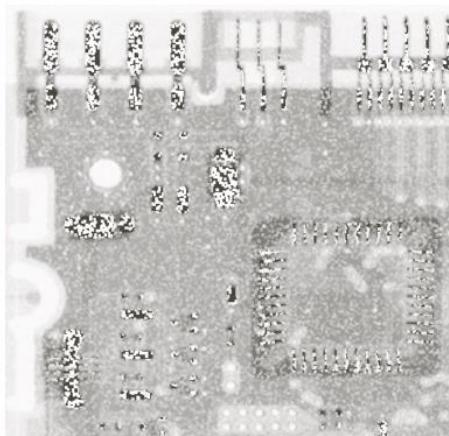
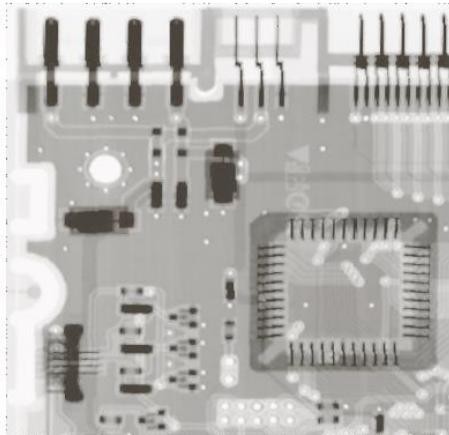
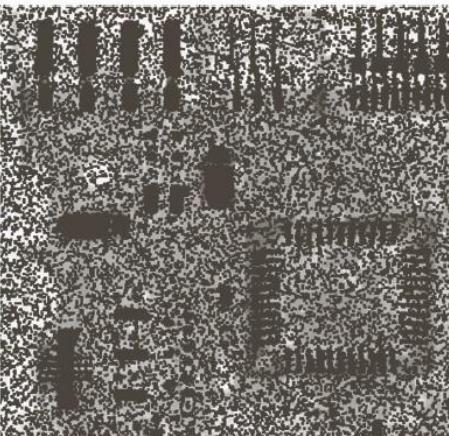
order
 $Q = 0 ?$
 $Q = -1 ?$



a b

FIGURE 5.9
Results of selecting the wrong sign in contraharmonic filtering.

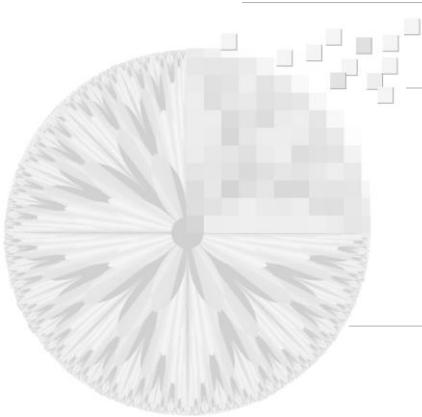
- (a) Result of filtering Fig. 5.8(a) with a contraharmonic filter of size 3×3 and $Q = -1.5$.
(b) Result of filtering 5.8(b) with $Q = 1.5$.



a
b
c
d

FIGURE 5.8

- (a) Image corrupted by pepper noise with a probability of 0.1. (b) Image corrupted by salt noise with the same probability. (c) Result of filtering (a) with a 3×3 contraharmonic filter of order 1.5. (d) Result of filtering (b) with $Q = -1.5$.



Order-Statistics Filters

- Median Filter

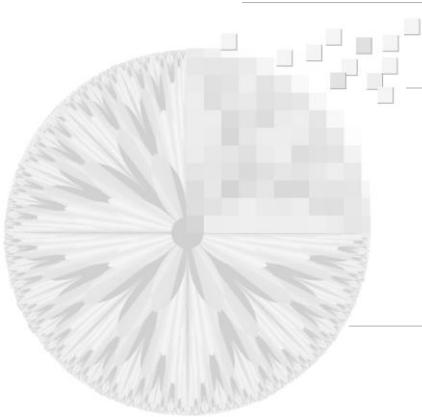
$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \operatorname{median}_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s, t)\}$$

取中位數，對胡椒鹽雜訊好

- Max and Min Filter

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

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



■ Midpoint Filter

mean vs median vs midpoint

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\max_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s, t)\} + \min_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s, t)\} \right]$$

■ Alpha-trimmed mean Filter

The remaining
mn-d pixels

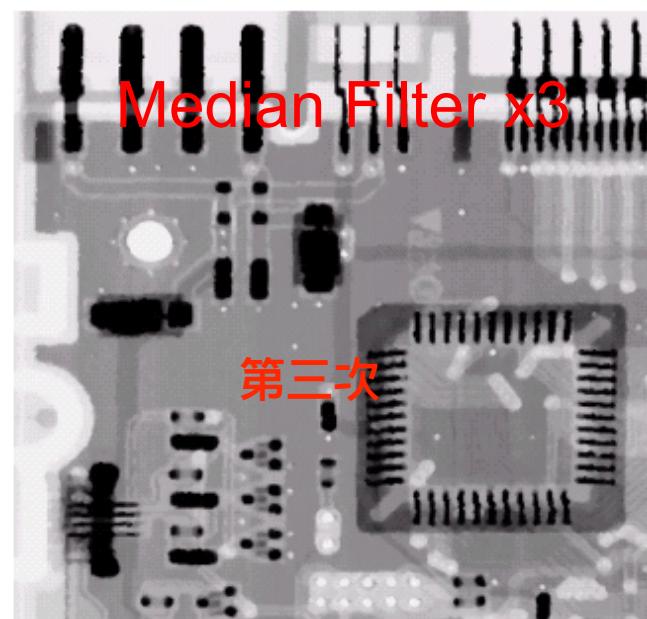
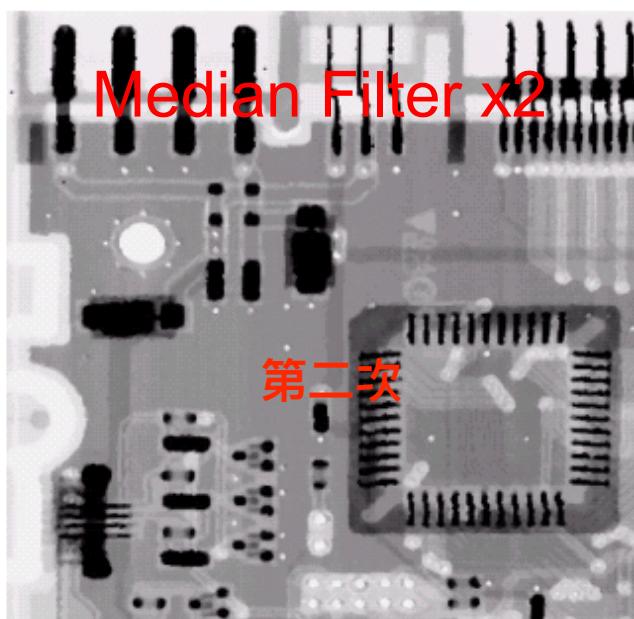
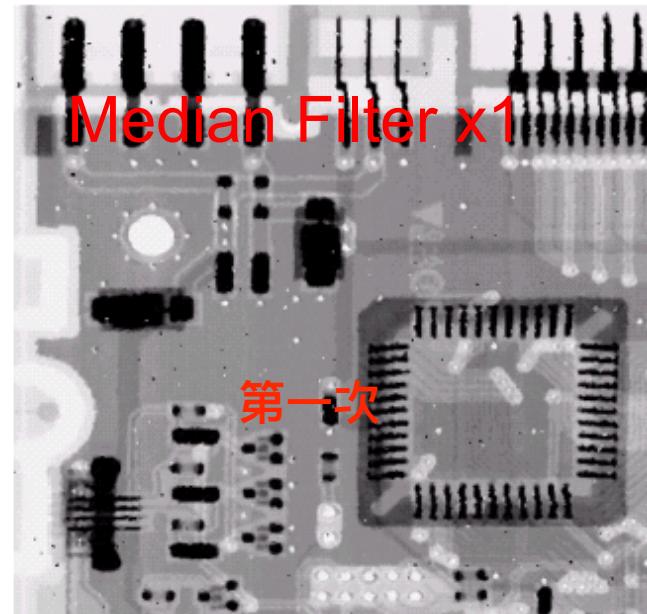
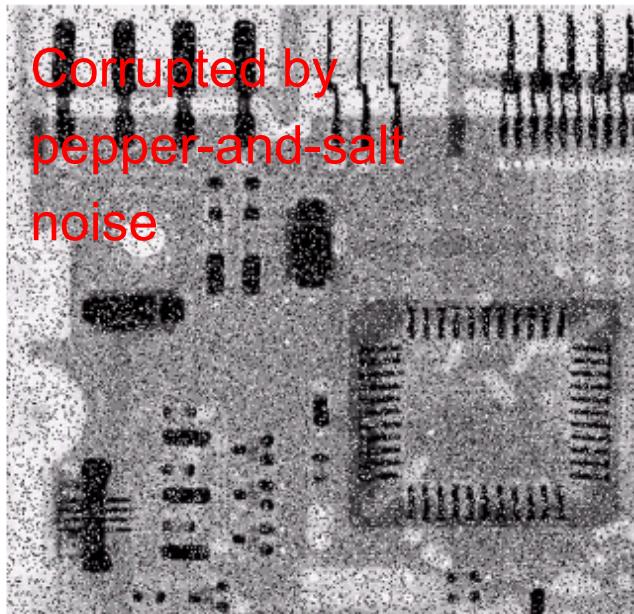
$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{1}{mn - d} \sum_{(s, t) \in S_{xy}} g_r(s, t)$$

What if $d \rightarrow mn-1$? 中位數

a
b
c
d

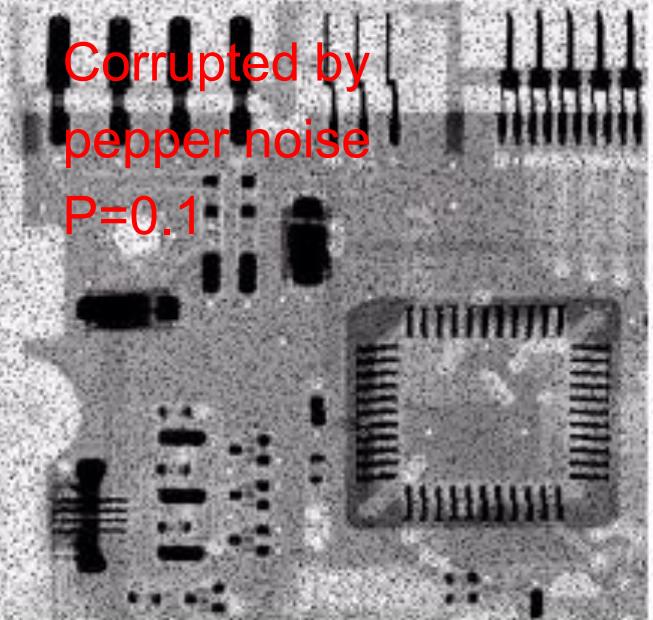
FIGURE 5.10

- (a) Image corrupted by salt-and-pepper noise with probabilities $P_a = P_b = 0.1$.
(b) Result of one pass with a median filter of size 3×3 .
(c) Result of processing (b) with this filter.
(d) Result of processing (c) with the same filter.

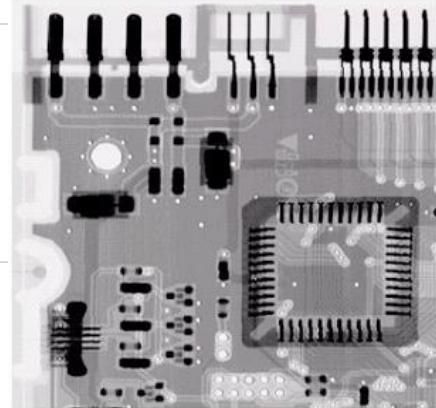
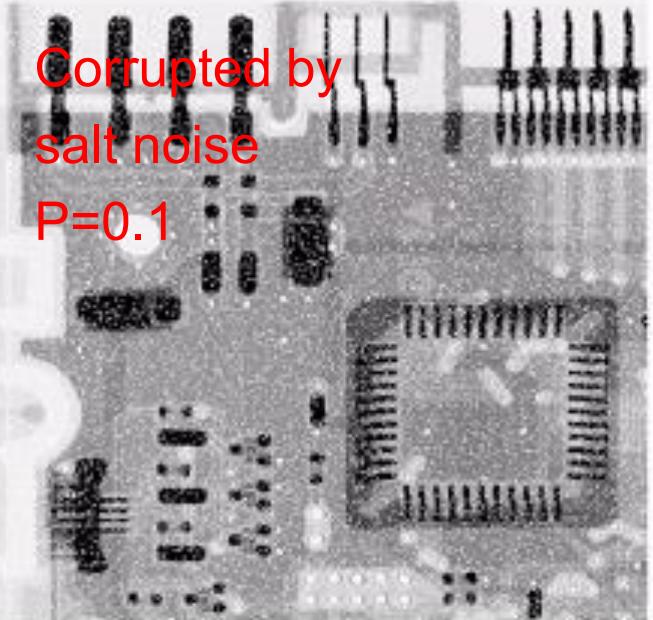


median,smooth做
越多次越有差

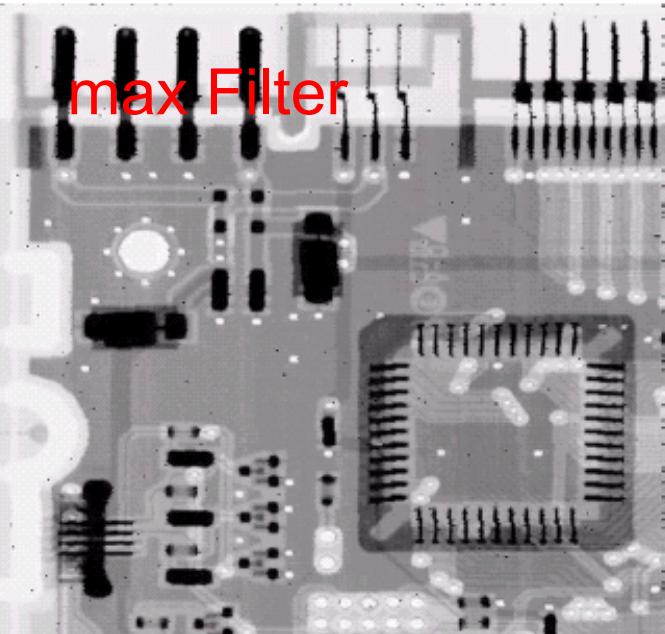
Corrupted by
pepper noise
 $P=0.1$



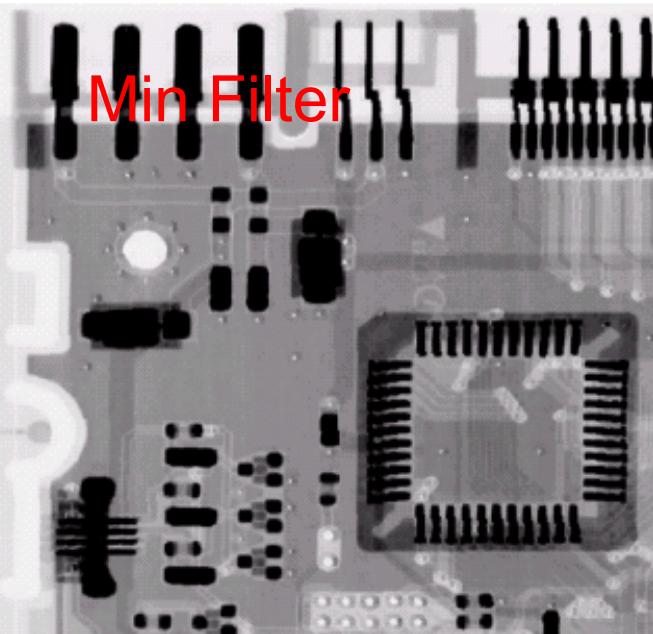
Corrupted by
salt noise
 $P=0.1$



max Filter



Min Filter

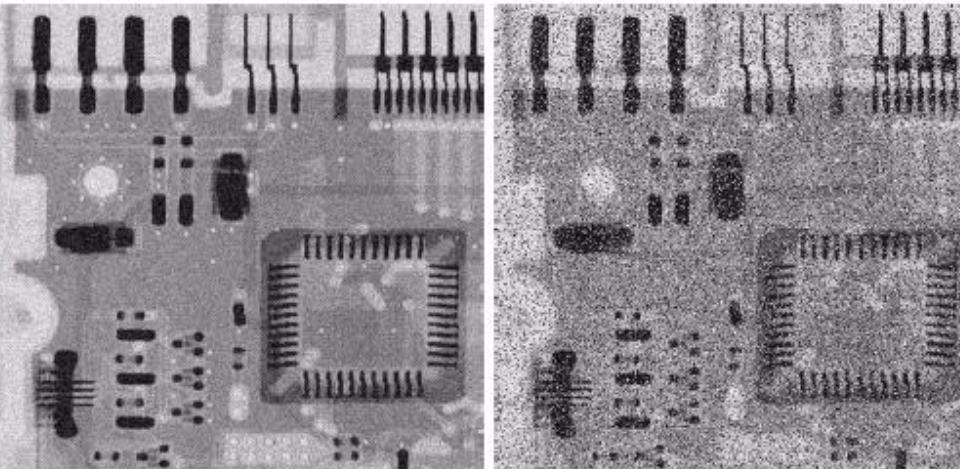


a b

FIGURE 5.11

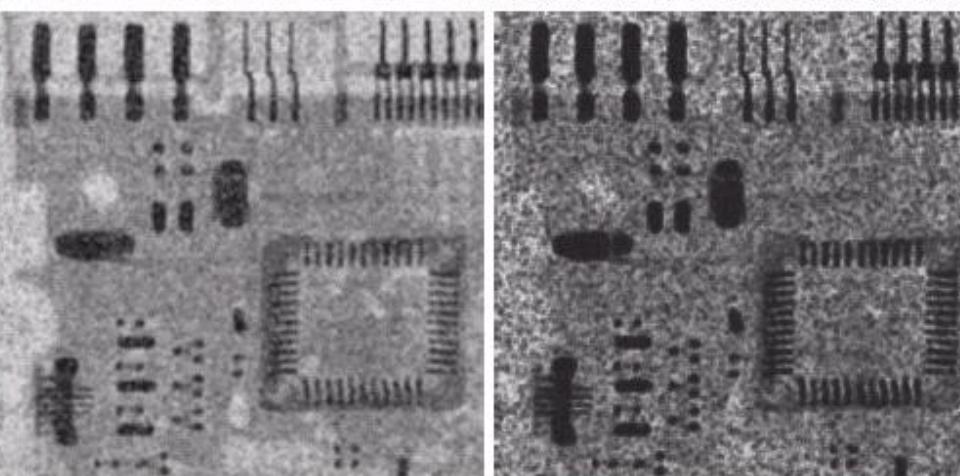
(a) Result of filtering Fig. 5.8(a) with a max filter of size 3×3 . (b) Result of filtering 5.8(b) with a min filter of the same size.

Corrupted by
additive uniform
noise



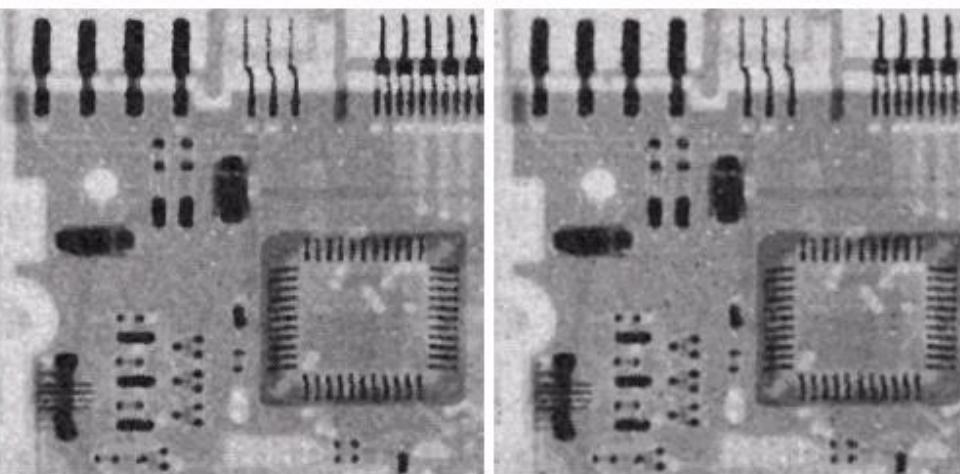
Extra salt-and-pepper noise

Arithmetic
Mean Filter

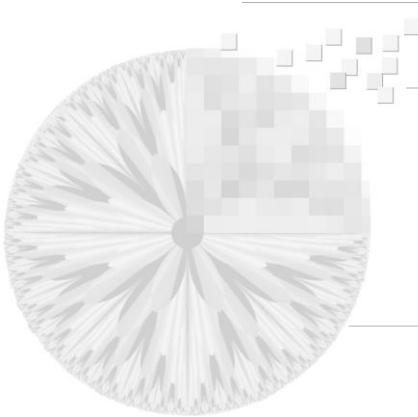


Geometric
Mean Filter

Median Filter



Alpha-trimmed
Mean Filter
類似median



Adaptive Filters

類似高斯

- Adaptive, Local Noise Reduction Filter
(Adaptive Mean Filter)
- Adaptive Median Filter



Adaptive Mean Filter

- local variance >> noise variance (eg., near edge)
→ return a value close to $g(x,y)$

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = g(x, y) - \frac{\sigma_\eta^2}{\sigma_L^2} [g(x, y) - m_L]$$

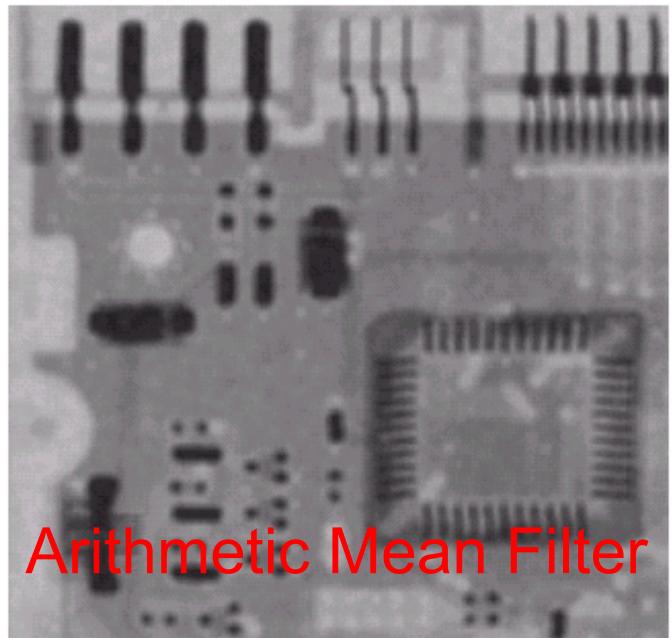
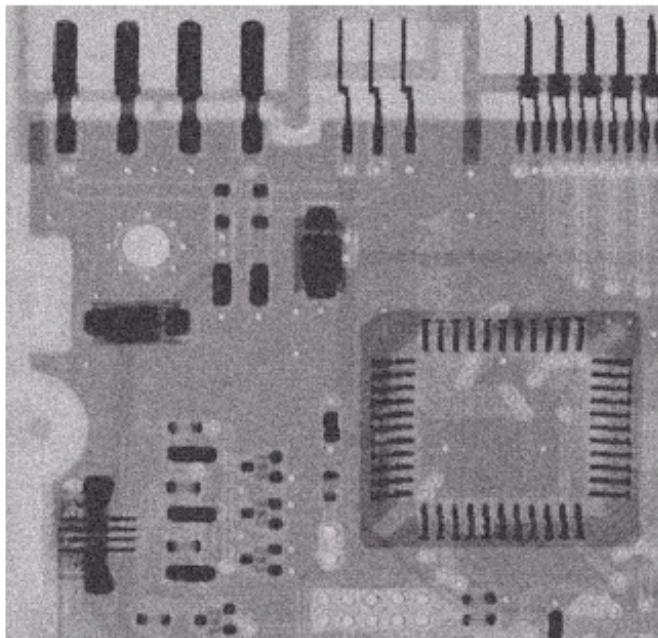
if $\sigma_L^2 > \sigma_\eta^2$

- local variance ~ noise variance
→ return mean

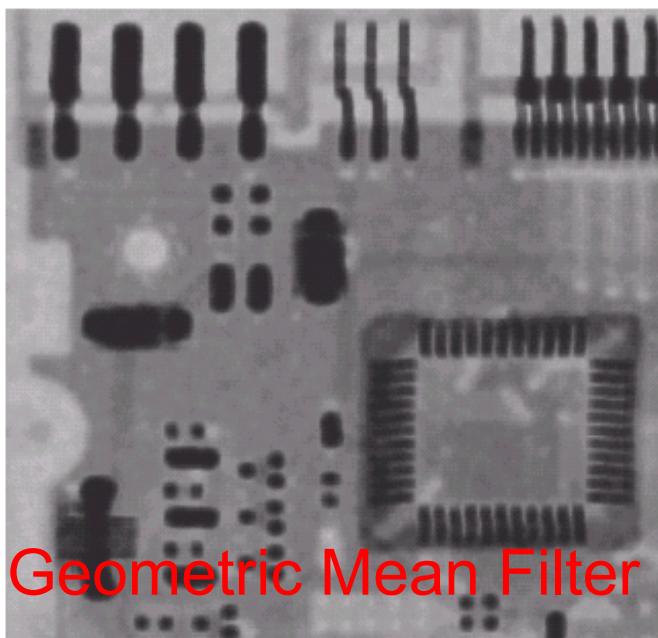
a
b
c
d

FIGURE 5.13

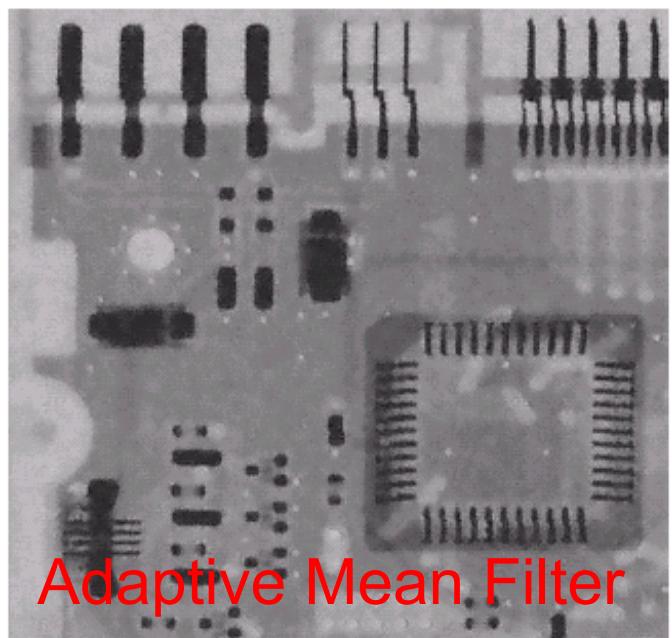
- (a) Image corrupted by additive Gaussian noise of zero mean and variance 1000.
(b) Result of arithmetic mean filtering.
(c) Result of geometric mean filtering.
(d) Result of adaptive noise reduction filtering. All filters were of size 7×7 .



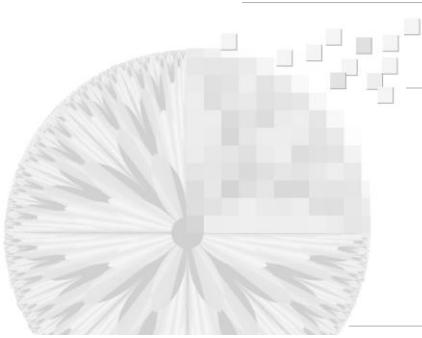
Arithmetic Mean Filter



Geometric Mean Filter



Adaptive Mean Filter



Adaptive Median Filter

Level A:

$$A1 = z_{\text{med}} - z_{\min}$$

$$A2 = z_{\text{med}} - z_{\max}$$

If $A1 > 0$ AND $A2 < 0$, Go to level B

Else increase the window size

If window size $\leq S_{\max}$ repeat level A

Else output z_{xy} .

Level B:

$$B1 = z_{xy} - z_{\min}$$

$$B2 = z_{xy} - z_{\max}$$

If $B1 > 0$ AND $B2 < 0$, output z_{xy}

Else output z_{med} .

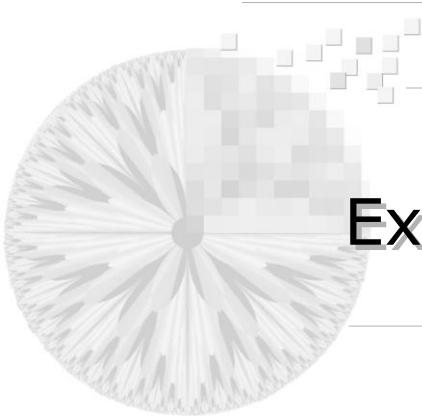
z_{\min} = minimum gray level value in S_{xy}

z_{\max} = maximum gray level value in S_{xy}

z_{med} = median of gray levels in S_{xy}

z_{xy} = gray level at coordinates (x, y)

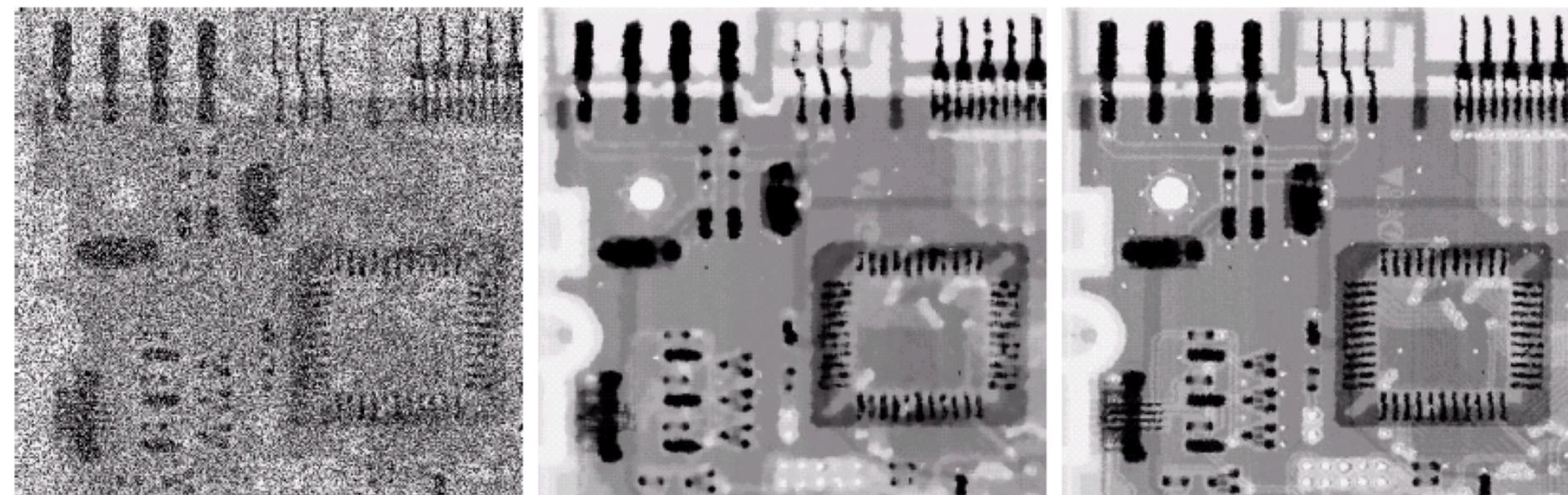
S_{\max} = maximum allowed size of S_{xy} .



Example for adaptive median filter

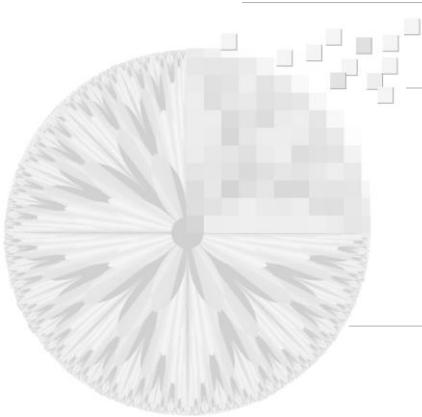
Median Filter

Adaptive Median Filter



a b c

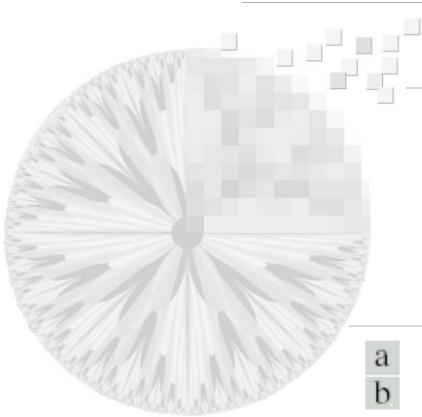
FIGURE 5.14 (a) Image corrupted by salt-and-pepper noise with probabilities $P_a = P_b = 0.25$. (b) Result of filtering with a 7×7 median filter. (c) Result of adaptive median filtering with $S_{\max} = 7$.



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5.3 Periodic Noise Reduction by Frequency Domain Filtering

a
b

FIGURE 5.5

(a) Image corrupted by sinusoidal noise.
(b) Spectrum (each pair of conjugate impulses corresponds to one sine wave).
(Original image courtesy of NASA.)

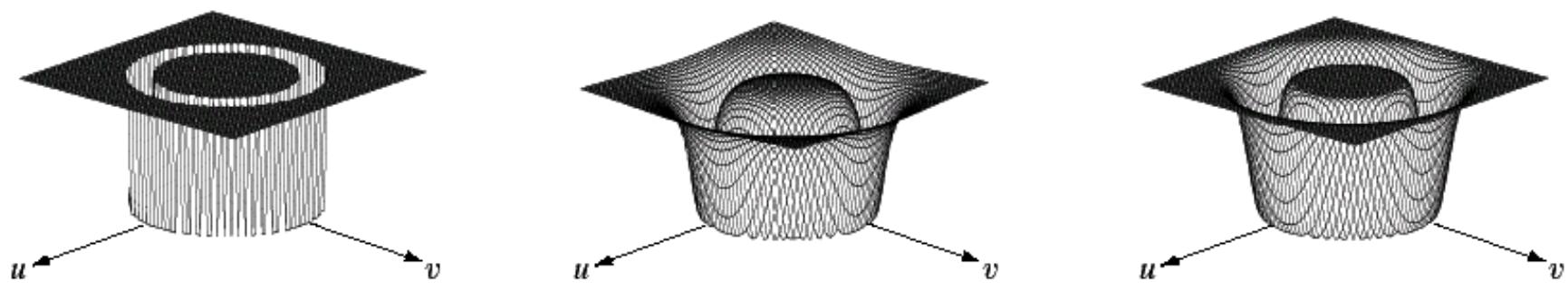
正弦雜訊



Periodic Noise

Bandreject Filters

拿掉這一圈



a b c

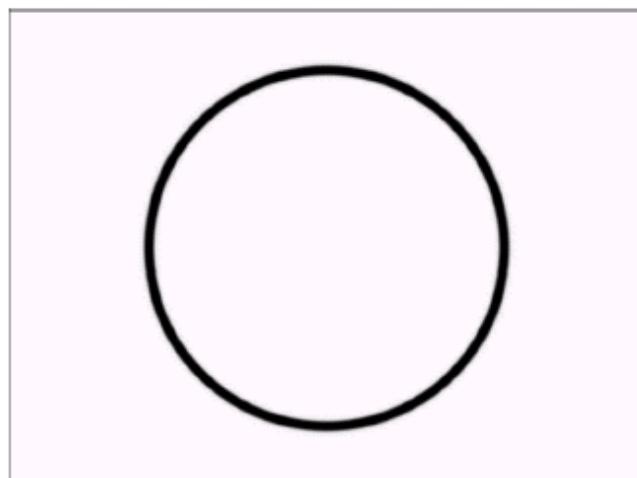
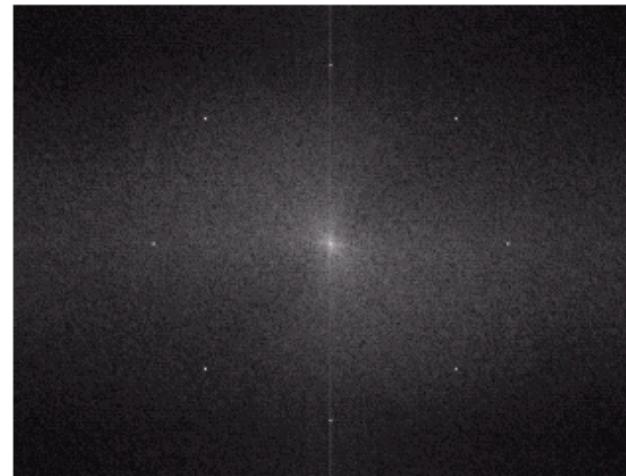
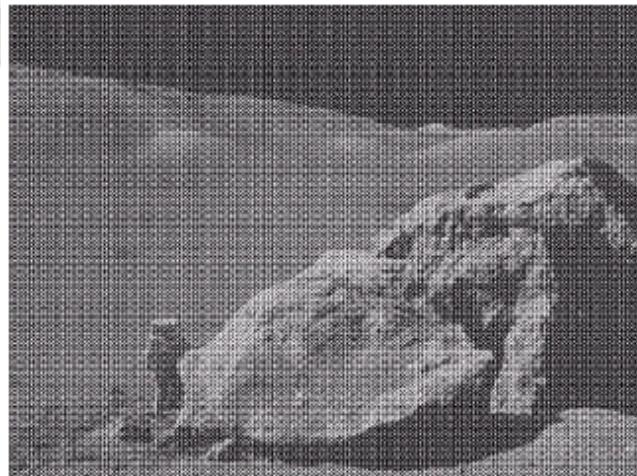
FIGURE 5.15 From left to right, perspective plots of ideal, Butterworth (of order 1), and Gaussian bandreject filters.

TABLE 4.6

Bandreject filters. W is the width of the band, D is the distance $D(u, v)$ from the center of the filter, D_0 is the cutoff frequency, and n is the order of the Butterworth filter. We show D instead of $D(u, v)$ to simplify the notation in the table.

| Ideal | Butterworth | Gaussian |
|--|--|--|
| $H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } D_0 - \frac{W}{2} \leq D \leq D_0 + \frac{W}{2} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ | $H(u, v) = \frac{1}{1 + \left[\frac{DW}{D^2 - D_0^2} \right]^{2n}}$ | $H(u, v) = 1 - e^{-\left[\frac{D^2 - D_0^2}{DW} \right]^2}$ |

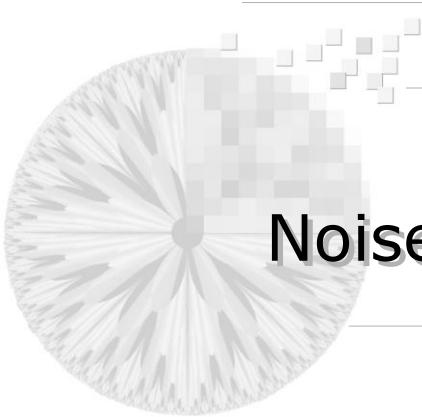
Example for Butterworth bandreject filter



| | |
|---|---|
| a | b |
| c | d |

FIGURE 5.16

- (a) Image corrupted by sinusoidal noise.
- (b) Spectrum of (a).
- (c) Butterworth bandreject filter (white represents 1).
- (d) Result of filtering. (Original image courtesy of NASA.)

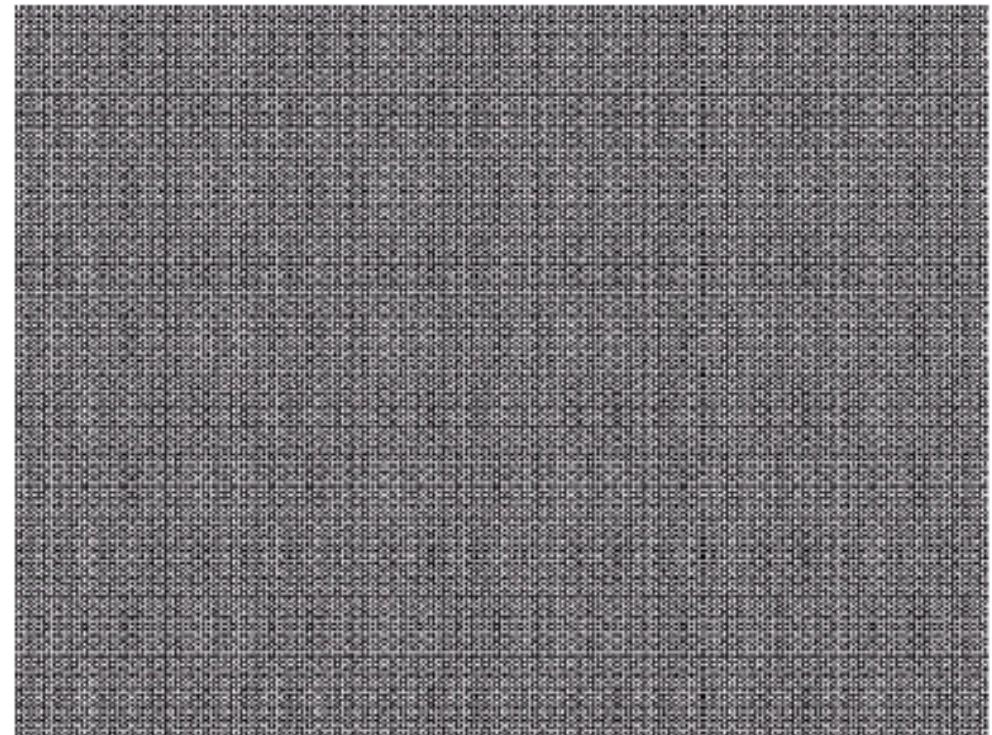


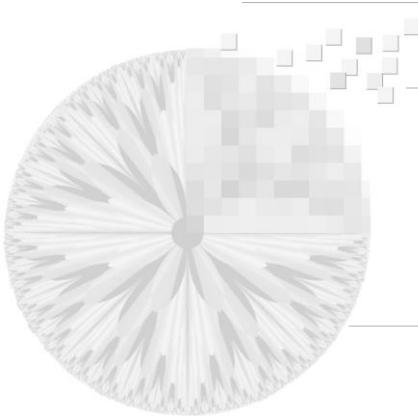
Noise pattern obtained by bandpass filter

FIGURE 5.17

Noise pattern of
the image in
Fig. 5.16(a)
obtained by
bandpass filtering.

See Eq 5.4-1





Notch Filters

Notch reject filter
vs
Notch pass filter

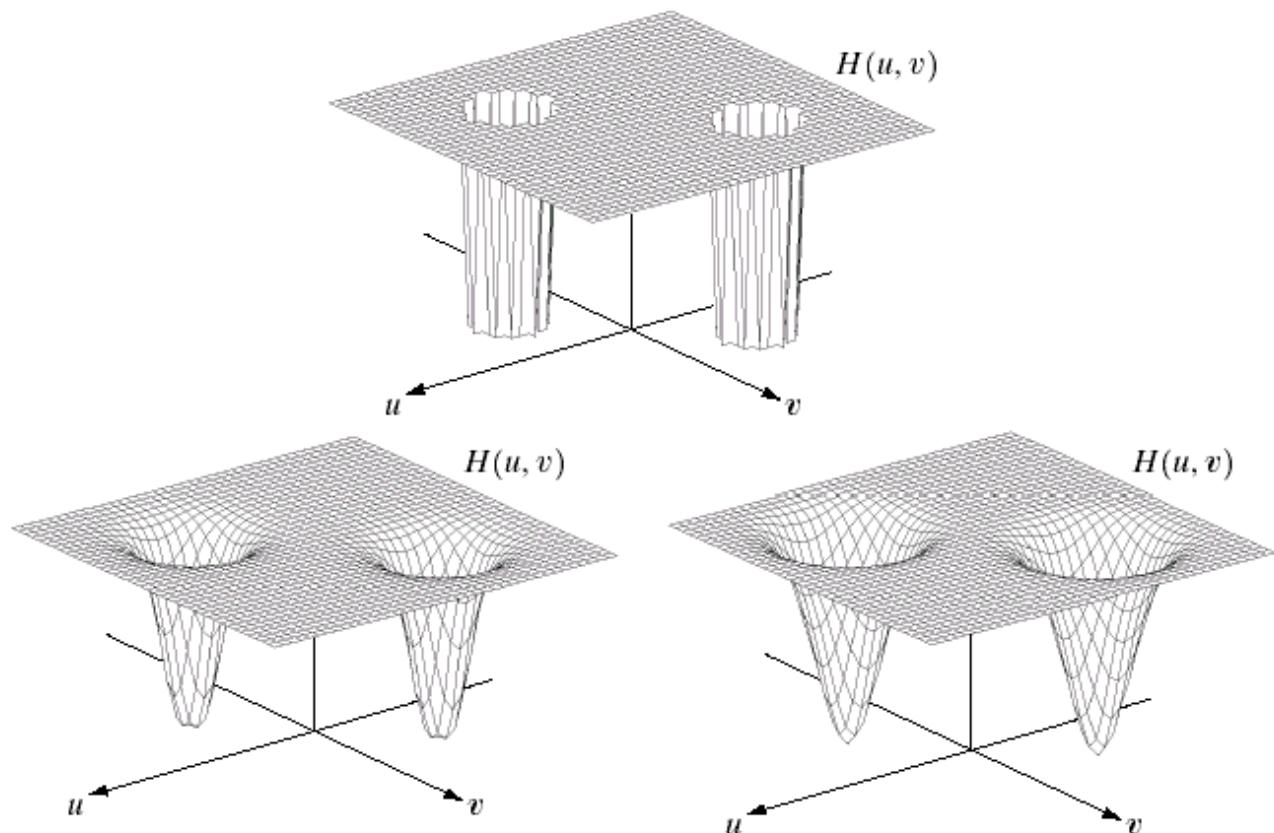
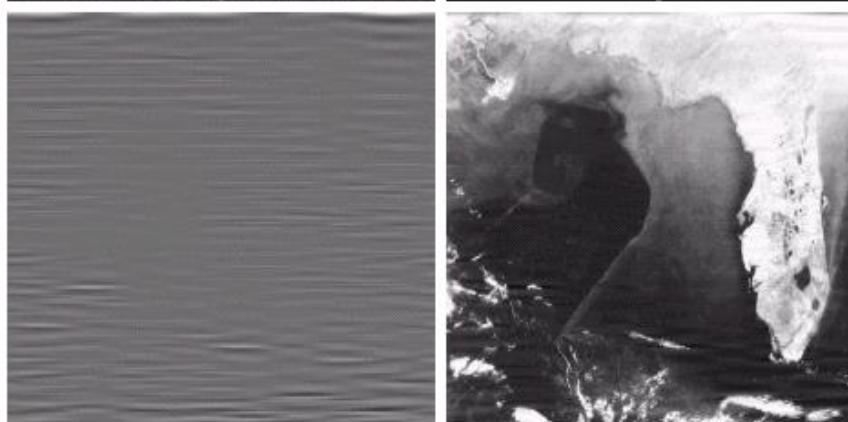
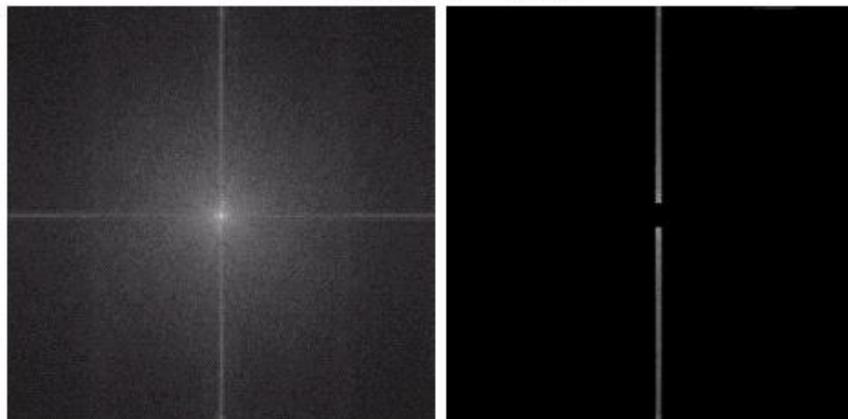
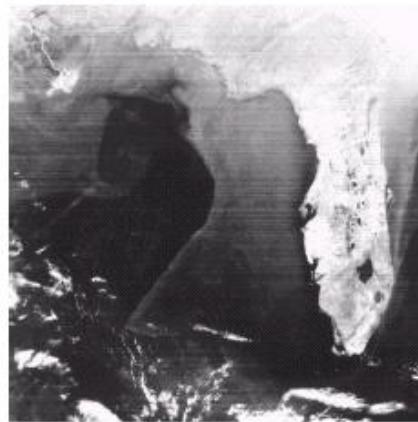
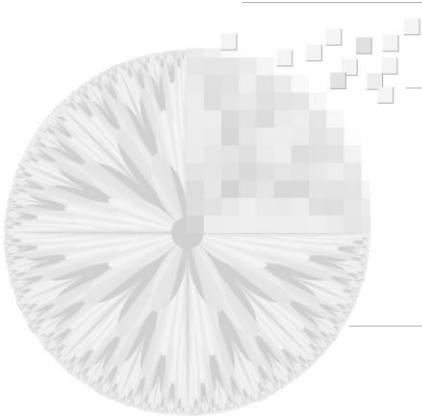


FIGURE 5.18 Perspective plots of (a) ideal, (b) Butterworth (of order 2), and (c) Gaussian notch (reject) filters.



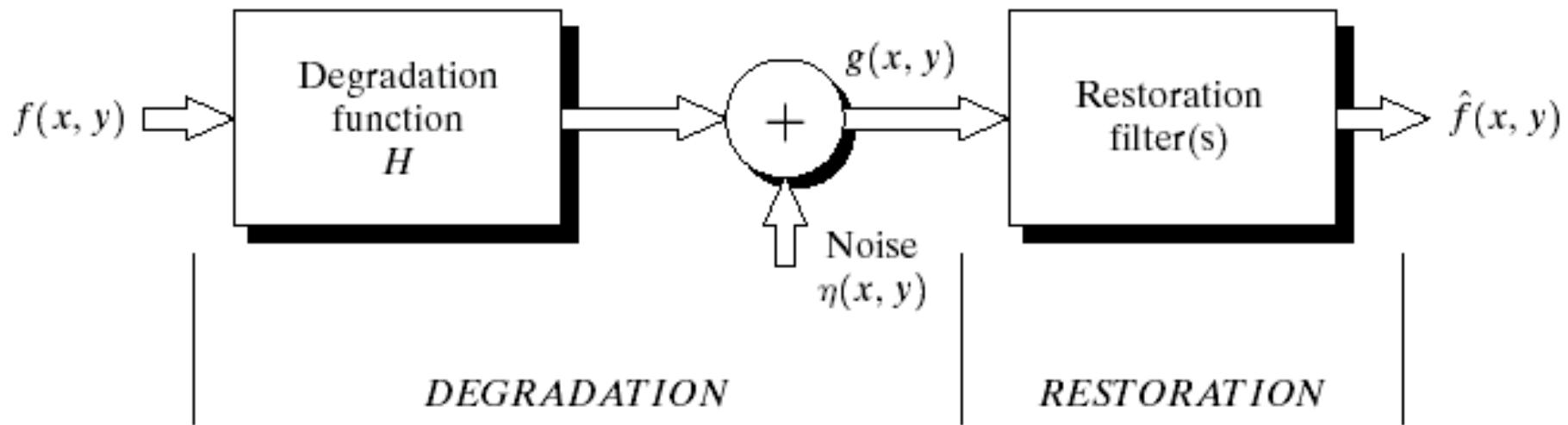


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A Model of the Image Degradation/Restoration Process

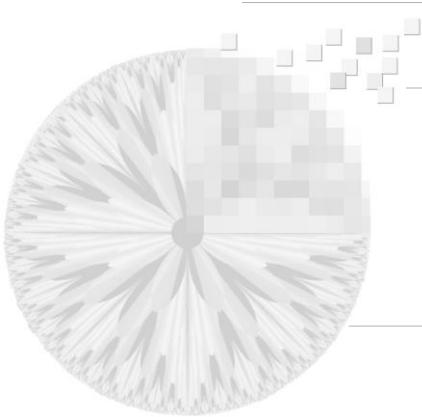


$$g(x, y) = h(x, y) * f(x, y) + \eta(x, y)$$

degradation

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

degradation



5.4 Inverse Filtering

convolution of multiple

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

Let $\hat{F}(u, v) = \frac{G(u, v)}{H(u, v)}$ 有 G 想找 F

→ $\hat{F}(u, v) = F(u, v) + \frac{N(u, v)}{H(u, v)}$

- Even if H is known, can not recover F exactly due to N
- If H is 0 or very small, N/H will dominate

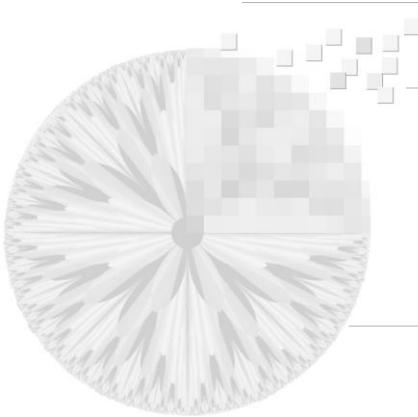
-- pseudoinverse filtering

$$H^-(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{H(\omega_1, \omega_2)}, & H \neq 0 \\ 0, & H = 0 \end{cases}$$

pseudo inverse

[Jain89] p.276

-- In practice, H^- is set to zero when $|H|$ is too small



Example of atmospheric turbulence model

a b
c d

FIGURE 5.25
Illustration of the atmospheric turbulence model.
(a) Negligible turbulence.
(b) Severe turbulence,
 $k = 0.0025$.
(c) Mild turbulence,
 $k = 0.001$.
(d) Low turbulence,
 $k = 0.00025$.
(Original image courtesy of NASA.)



找出一個適合的cut-off

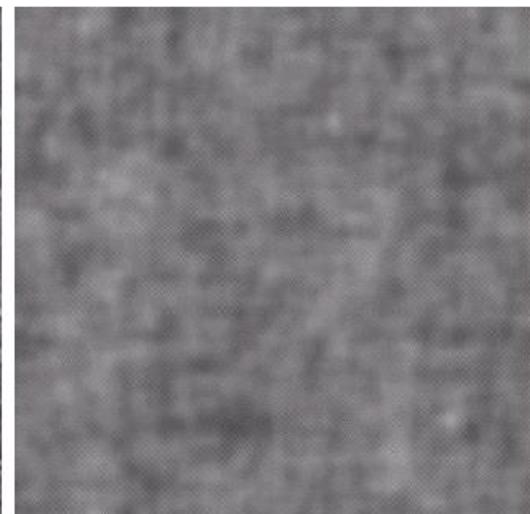
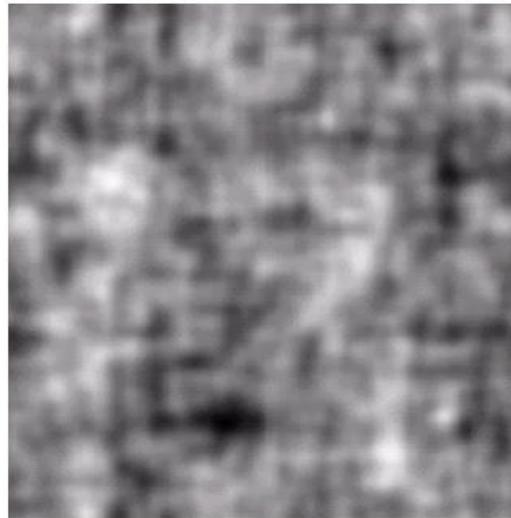
$$H(u, v) = e^{-k(u^2 + v^2)^{5/6}}$$

Example of Inverse Filtering

Another Solution: apply **cut-off radius** (p.351 in textbook)

a b
c d

FIGURE 5.27
Restoring
Fig. 5.25(b) with
Eq. (5.7-1).
(a) Result of
using the full
filter. (b) Result
with H cut off
outside a radius of
40; (c) outside a
radius of 70; and
(d) outside a
radius of 85.

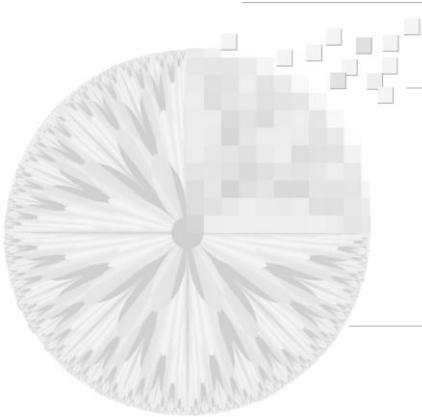


*radially limited
inverse filter*

Butterworth LP
of order 10

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

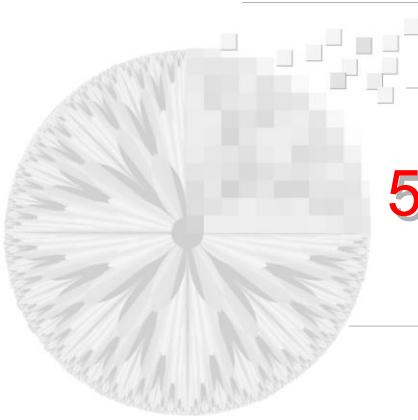
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5.5 Minimum Mean Squared Error (Wiener) Filtering

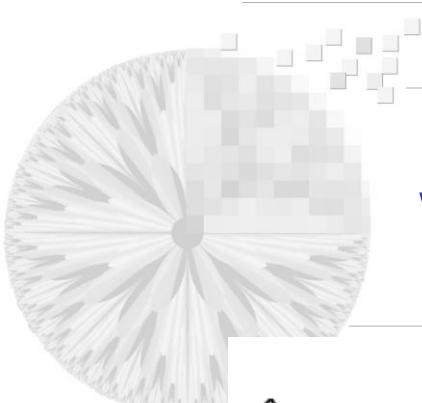
$$g(x, y) = h(x, y) * f(x, y) + \eta(x, y)$$

Given g , want to find an estimate of f such that
the *mean square error* is minimum

$$e^2 = E\{(f - \hat{f})^2\}$$



Solution: Wiener filter !!!



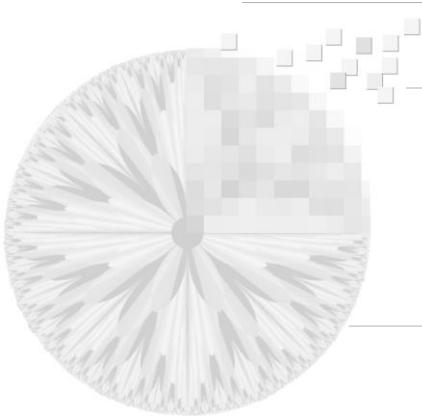
Wiener Filter, MMSE filter, LSE filter (1942)

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{F}(u, v) &= \left[\frac{H^*(u, v)S_f(u, v)}{S_f(u, v)|H(u, v)|^2 + S_\eta(u, v)} \right] G(u, v) \\ &= \left[\frac{H^*(u, v)}{|H(u, v)|^2 + S_\eta(u, v)/S_f(u, v)} \right] G(u, v) \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{H(u, v)} \frac{|H(u, v)|^2}{|H(u, v)|^2 + S_\eta(u, v)/S_f(u, v)} \right] G(u, v)\end{aligned}$$

$S_\eta(u, v)/S_f(u, v)$ unknown?

power spectrum of the noise

Usually assume
spectrally white noise



$$\hat{F}(u, v) = \left[\frac{1}{H(u, v)} \frac{|H(u, v)|^2}{|H(u, v)|^2 + S_\eta(u, v)/S_f(u, v)} \right] G(u, v)$$

approximation



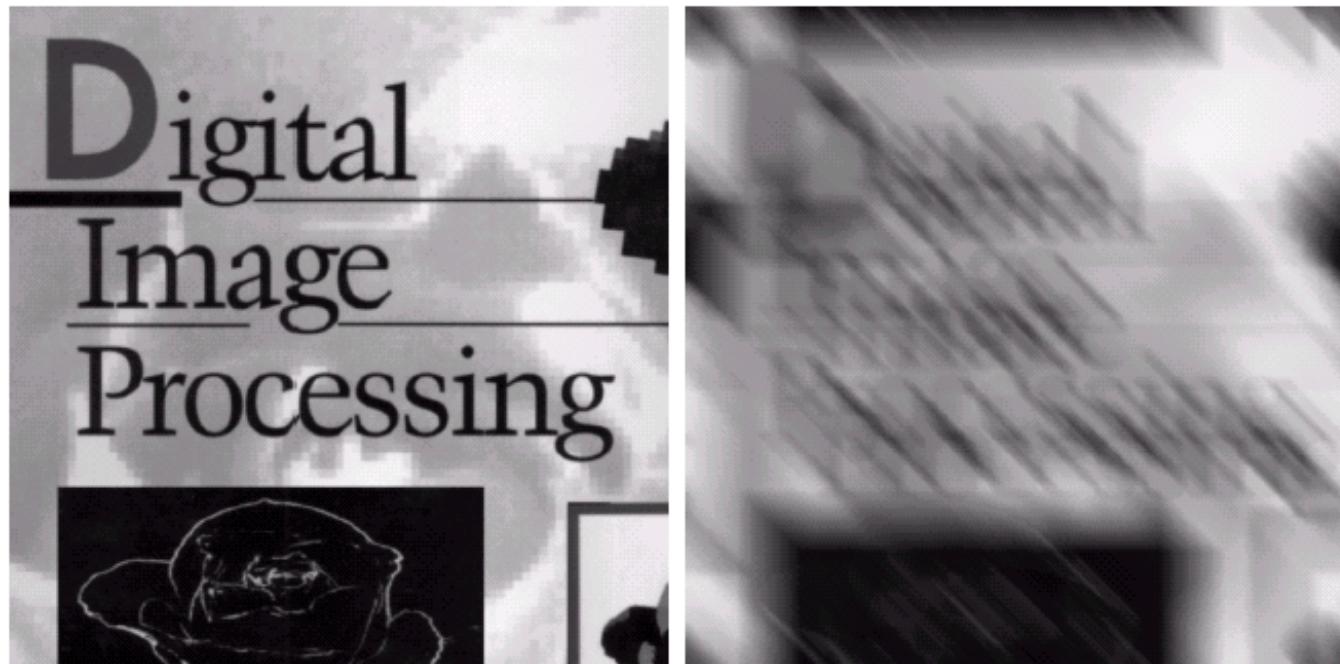
$$\hat{F}(u, v) = \left[\frac{1}{H(u, v)} \frac{|H(u, v)|^2}{|H(u, v)|^2 + K} \right] G(u, v)$$



try interactively

Example: Image blurring by uniform linear motion

每一點都是很多點的積分



a b

FIGURE 5.26 (a) Original image. (b) Result of blurring using the function in Eq. (5.6-11) with $a = b = 0.1$ and $T = 1$.

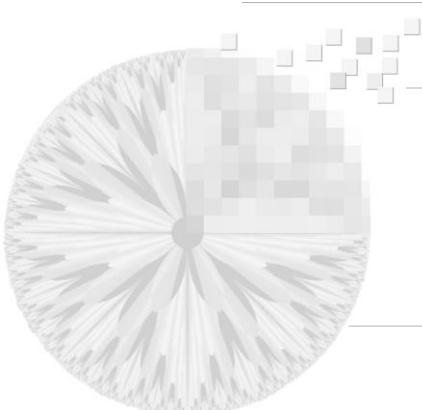


Image blurring by uniform linear motion

$$g(x, y) = \int_0^T f[x - x_0(t), y - y_0(t)] dt$$

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

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



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

$$\begin{aligned} G(u, v) &= \int_0^T F(u, v) e^{-j2\pi[u x_0(t) + v y_0(t)]} dt \\ &= F(u, v) \int_0^T e^{-j2\pi[u x_0(t) + v y_0(t)]} dt \end{aligned}$$

→ $G(u, v) = H(u, v)F(u, v)$

where $H(u, v) = \int_0^T e^{-j2\pi[u x_0(t) + v y_0(t)]} dt$



$$\begin{aligned} H(u, v) &= \int_0^T e^{-j2\pi ux_0(t)} dt & x_a(t) = a t/T \\ &= \int_0^T e^{-j2\pi uat/T} dt & (5.6-10) \\ &= \frac{T}{\pi ua} \sin(\pi ua) e^{-j\pi ua}. \end{aligned}$$

HW

→ $H(u, v) = \frac{T}{\pi(ua + vb)} \sin[\pi(ua + vb)] e^{-j\pi(ua + vb)}$

考題！

Results of inverse filtering and Wiener filtering



a b c

FIGURE 5.28 Comparison of inverse- and Wiener filtering. (a) Result of full inverse filtering of Fig. 5.25(b). (b) Radially limited inverse filter result. (c) Wiener filter result.

Another example: inverse filtering vs Wiener filtering

