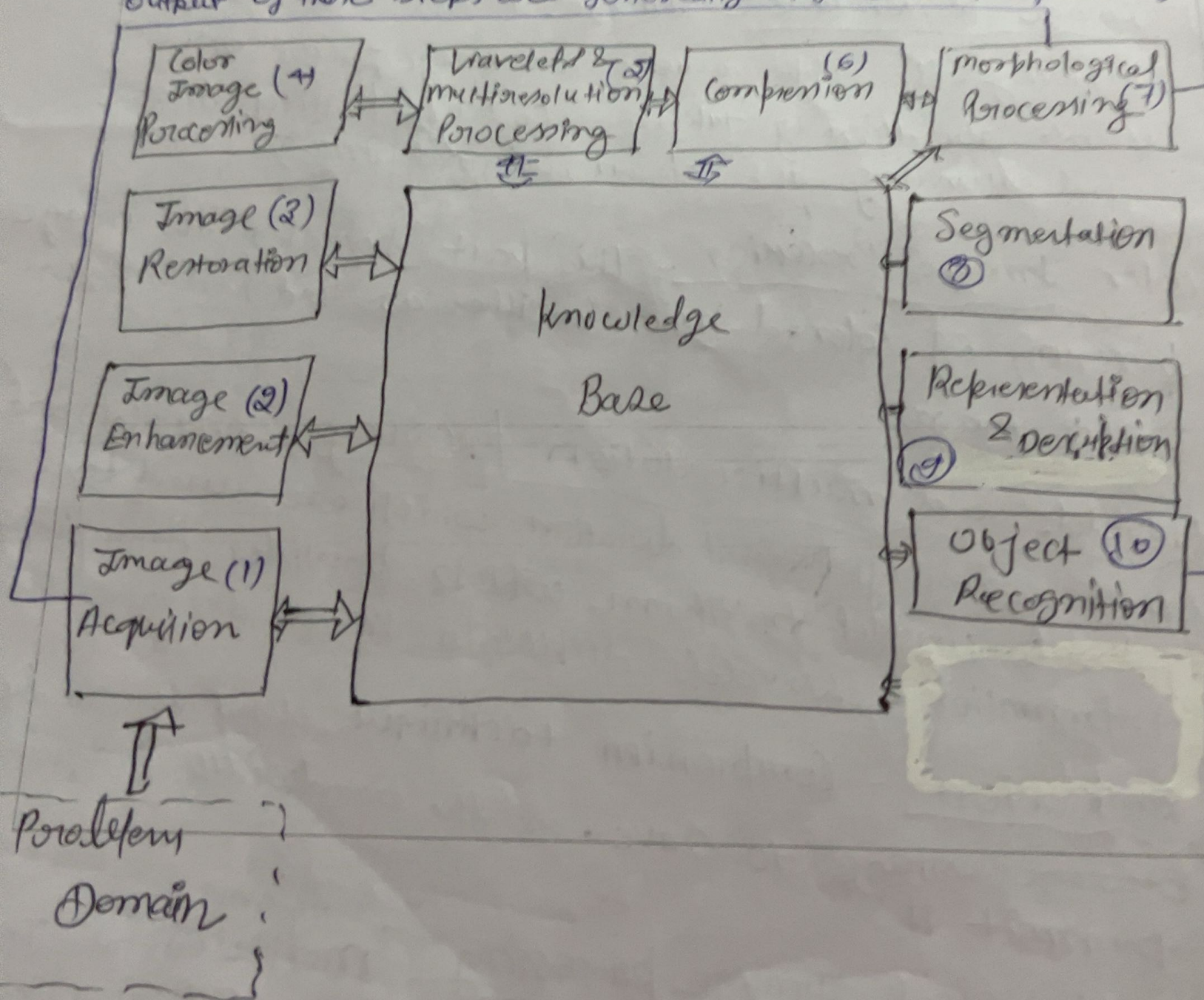




Unit - I

Steps in Image Processing

Fundamental Steps of Digital Image Processing –
Output of these steps are generally defined as pre processing



1) Image Acquisition -

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Image acquisition refers to action of retrieving an image from particular source. Without an image no processing is possible. The image that is acquired is completely unprocessed.

2) Image Enhancement - Image enhancement means adjusting digital images so that results are more suitable for display or further image analysis. Image enhancement means brightness, contrast and removal of noise.

3) Image Restoration - Image Restoration defines improving the appearance of an image. In the other words operation of taking corrupt (noisy) image and estimating the clean, original image.

4) Color Image Processing - This part handles the image processing of colored images. Either as indexed images or RGB images.

5) Wavelets and multiresolution processing - Wavelets are small waves of limited duration which are used to calculate wavelet transform which provides time frequency information. Wavelets display in various degree of resolution.

6) Compression - Compression technique used to reduce storage image to save or the bandwidth require to transmit it.

7) Morphological Image processing \rightarrow erosion dilation
morphological Image processing set of operations that process digital image based on their shapes. Output of morphological



processing generally are image attributes.

8) Segmentation - It is the process of partitioning a digital image into multiple segments. It involves dividing an image in regions or image, each of which corresponds to specific object or feature in the image.

9) Representation & Description - Representation deals with converting the data into suitable form of computer processing. It is basically involves -

- Boundary Representation - It is used when the focus on external shape
- Regional Representation - It is used when the focus on internal properties like texture.

10) Object Recognition - It is the process that assigns a label to an object based on description (Identification, color, shape & size) and specify with ~~data~~ label.