CS 280 – Homework #2

Problem 1: Hybrid Images

1. (a) (b) (c) Code: See Appendix 1

2. ...

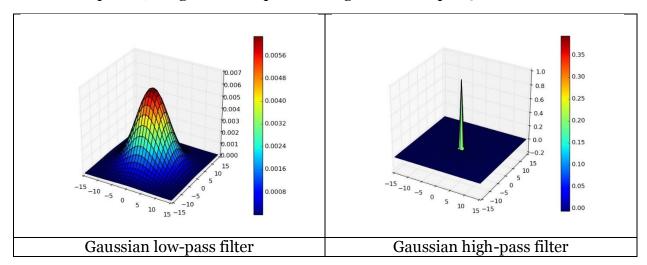
- (a) Algorithm: The algorithm is based on the facts that:
 - The human eye can only see high frequencies from a close distance and cannot see high frequencies from a far distance.
 - The human eye can only see low frequencies from a far distance and cannot see low frequencies from a close distance.

In brief, human eyes can see high frequencies from a close distance and can see low frequencies from a far distance. So, we low-pass filter image 1 and eliminate its high frequencies so that human eyes can see it from a far distance; we high-pass filter image 2 and eliminate its low frequencies so that human eyes can see it from a close distance. Subsequently, we linearly combine the filtered image 1 and the filtered image 2 to create a hybrid image from which human eyes can see the image 2 from a close distance and the image 1 from a far distance.

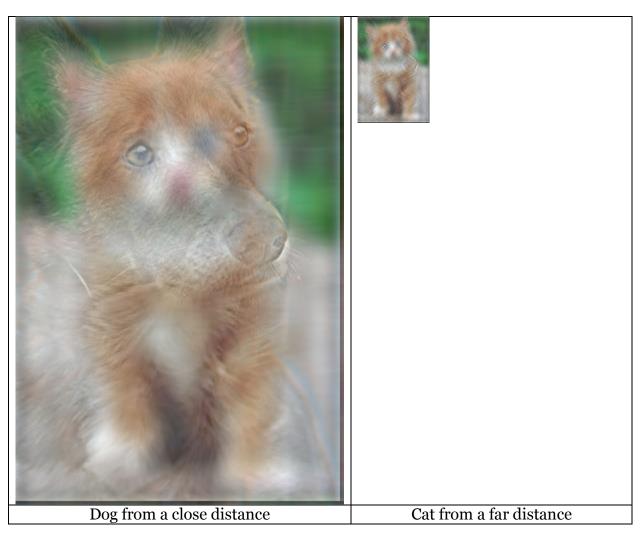
The parametric from of low-pass and high-pass filters are:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}}e^{-\frac{x^2+y^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

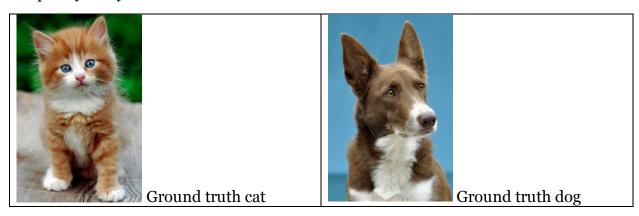
where $\sigma = 5$ for both Gaussian filters, the cutoff frequencies are 10 and 5 for image 1 and image 2, respectively (i.e. image 1 has frequencies less than or equal 10, image 2 has frequencies larger than or equal 5).

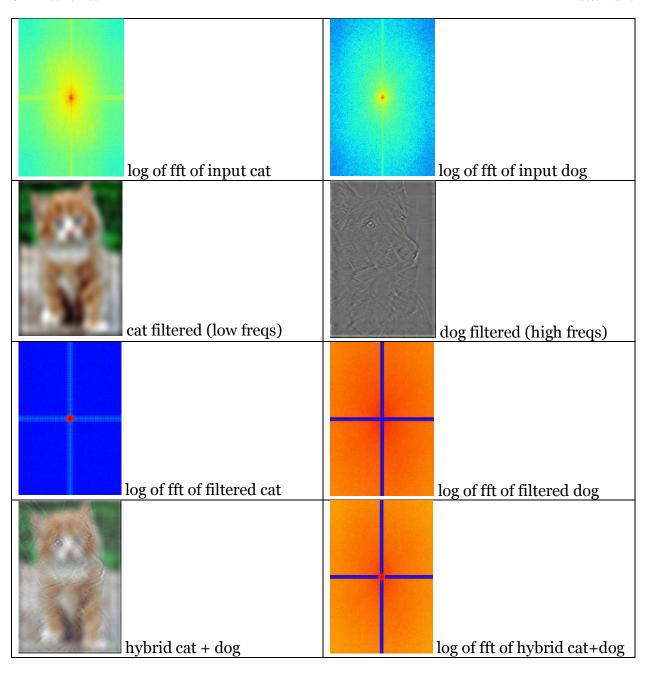


(b) Favorite result:

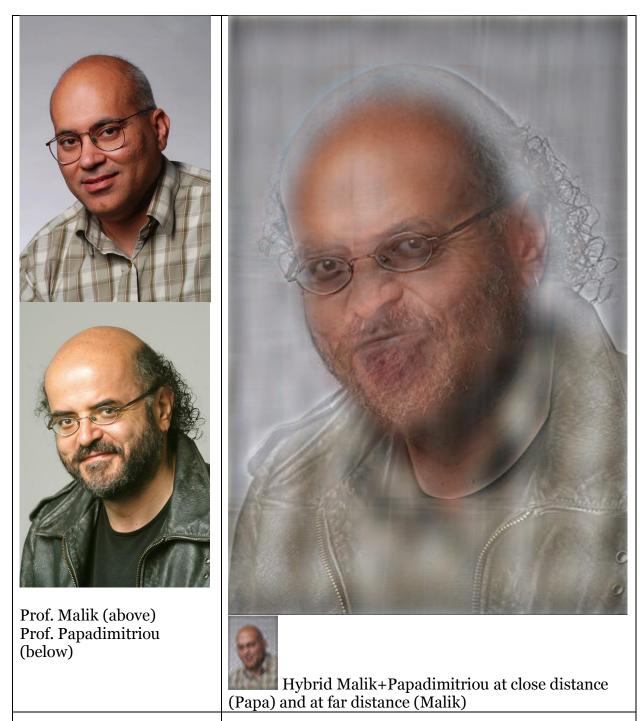


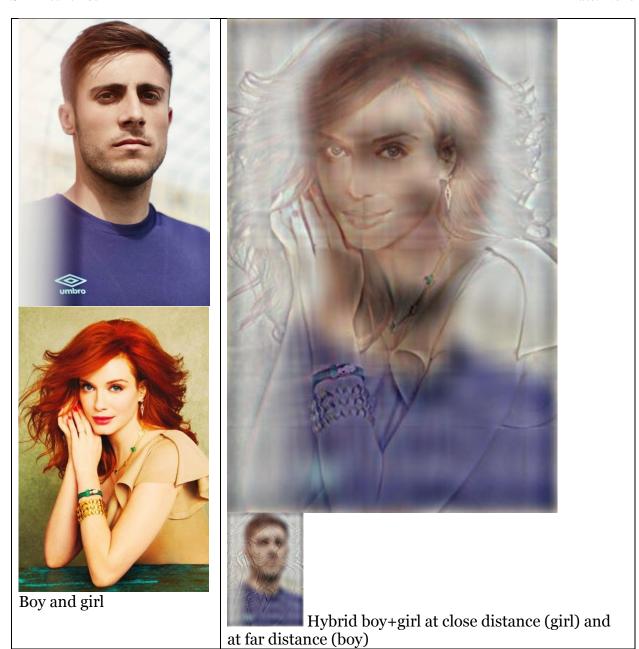
Frequency analysis:





(c) Two more results:





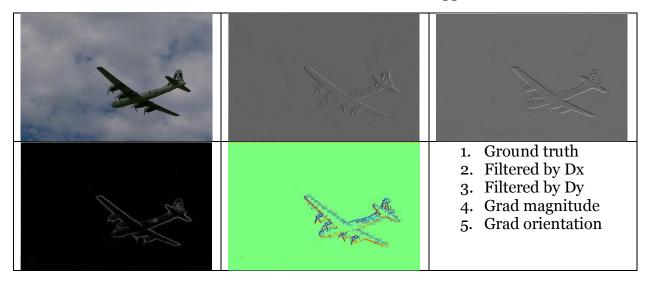
After a lot of trials and errors, I got some tricks to create a good hybrid:

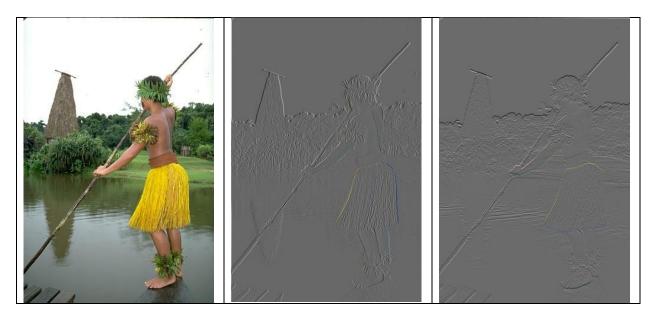
- Cutoff frequencies: should be chosen so that the remaining information of both images should be relatively equal, i.e. image 1 is not too dim compared to image 2 and vice versa. Usually, the one without low frequencies is dimmer than the other, so we should choose its cutoff frequency not too large.
- Alignment: should match eyes and mouth, or pose.
- Linear combination: adjust the weight when adding up two images.
- Selection of images: they should have relatively similar size. Etc.

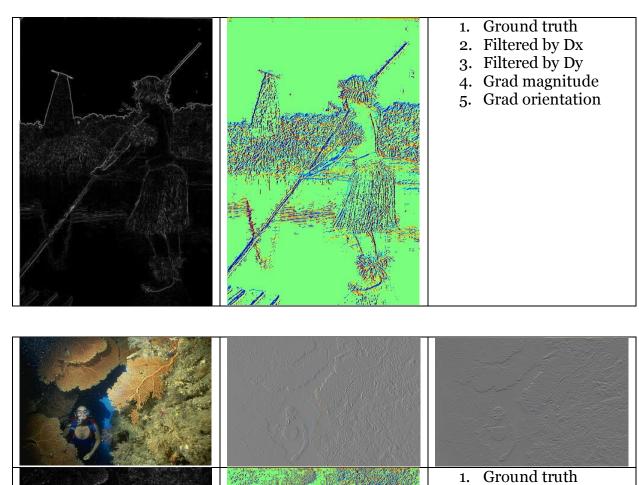
Problem 2: Edge Detection

1. Finite operator

Code [mag, theta] = difference filter(img): see Appendix 2



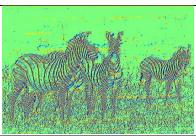




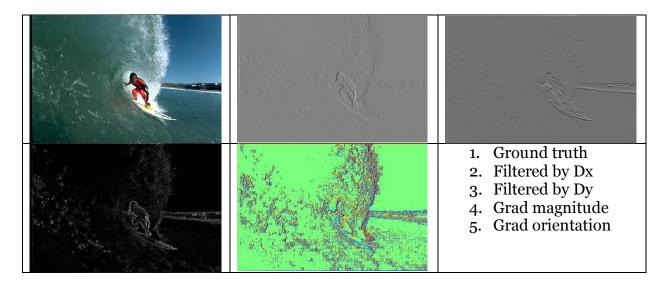


Filtered by Dx
 Filtered by Dy
 Grad magnitude
 Grad orientation





- 1. Ground truth
- 2. Filtered by Dx
- 3. Filtered by Dy
- 4. Grad magnitude
- 5. Grad orientation

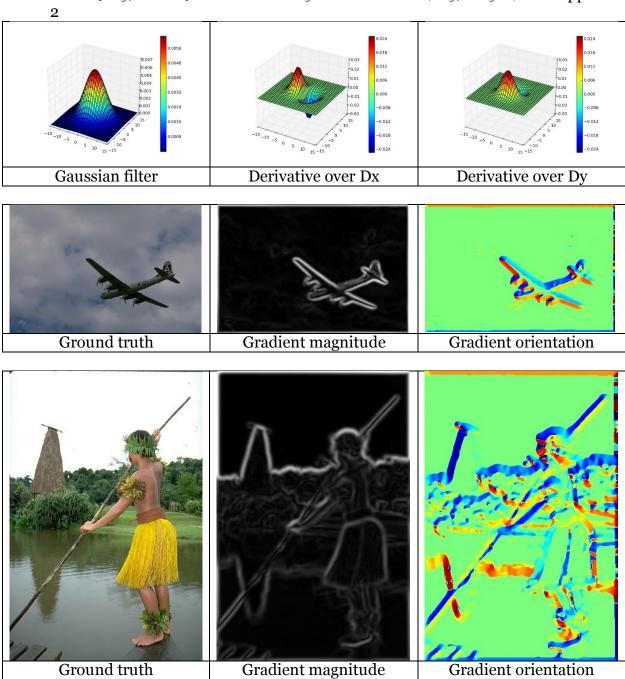


To compute the gradient orientation from x and y filter response: We call the response Rx and Ry, the gradient orientation is given by atan(Ry/Rx).

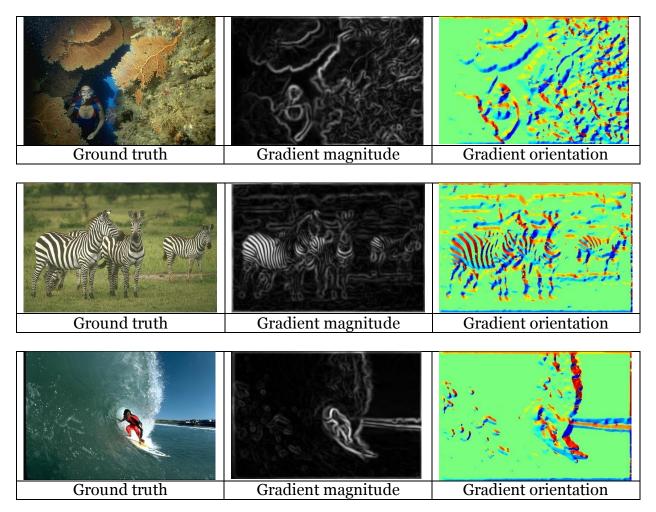
In python, we just simply write them in the complex form (Rx + ij*Ry) and call the function numpy angle on this complex array.

2. Derivative of Gausian

 $\begin{array}{ll} Code & \texttt{[mag, theta]} = \texttt{derivative gaussian filter(img, sigma): See Appendix} \\ \mathbf{2} \end{array}$



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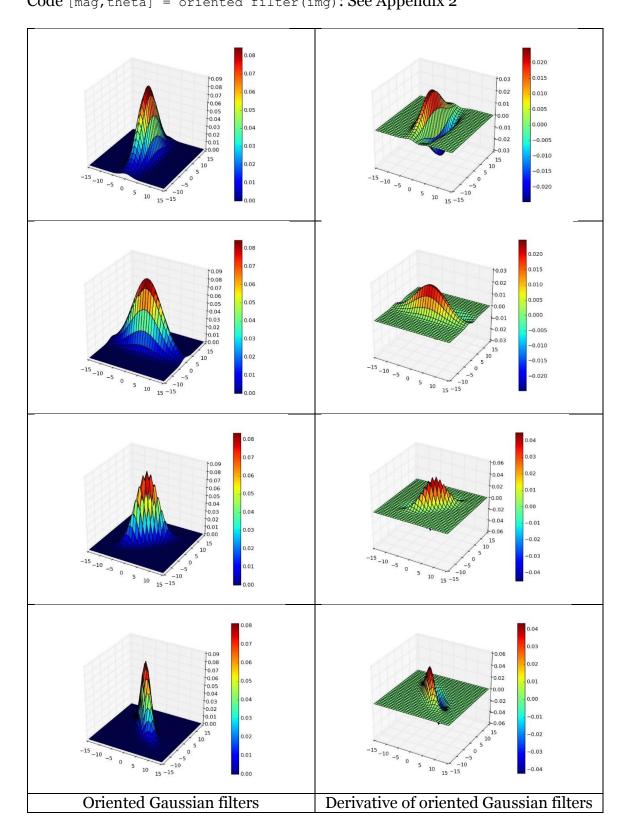


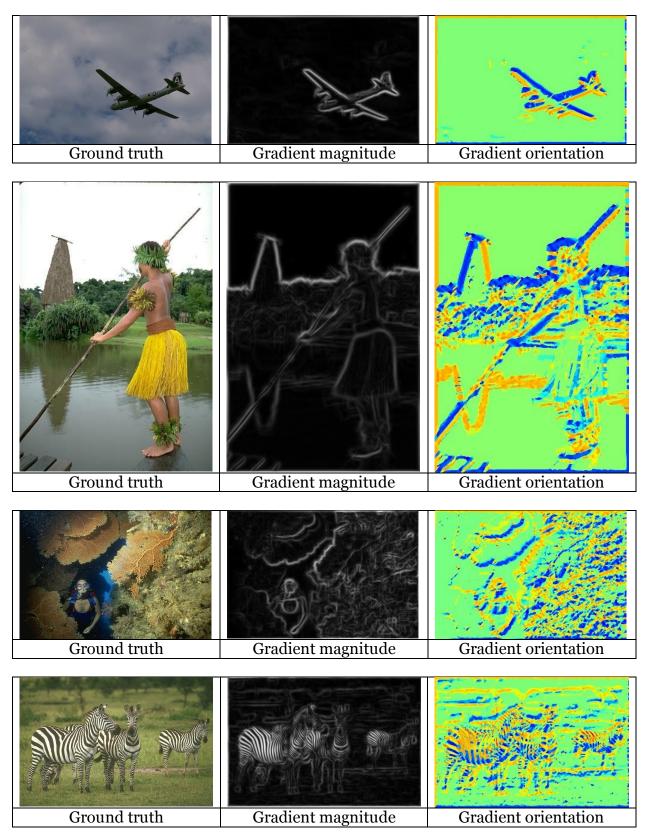
Observations: compared to the gradient magnitude and orientation of the simple derivative filters, the derivative Gaussian filter produces clearer edge boundary and orientation. The edges are thicker and the orientation has less noises. It is because the image is smoothened before the edges are detected.

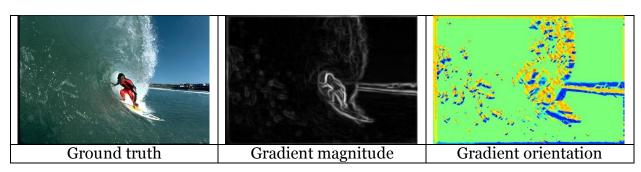
$$G_{\sigma} * (D_x * I) = D_x * (G_{\sigma} * I)$$

 $G_{\sigma}*(D_x*I)=D_x*(G_{\sigma}*I)$ It is because the convolution is the multiplication in frequency domain. The multiplication is commutative so the convolution is commutative in spatial domain. It is important because it allows us to apply as many Gaussian filters as we want (i.e. smoothing image many time) before we take the gradient. By this way, we can combine the Gaussian filters to save computational cost.

3. Oriented Filters
 Code [mag,theta] = oriented filter(img): See Appendix 2







Explanation of choosing filters: two elongated derivative Gaussian filters Dx and Dy to capture edges in horizontal and vertical directions, two elongated derivative Gaussian filters Dxy and Dyx to capture edges in forward and backward diagonal directions.

To combine the filter responses: we combine them in pairs, two perpendicular filters make a pair. We use L2-norm rule to combine a response pair into magnitude and use complex argument rule to combine the pair into orientation (see problem 2, question 1 answer). Subsequently, we add pairs up equally because we deliberately choose equally distributed directions.

4. Comparison

The result in 3 is close to the 2014 state-of-the-art result from Isola et al. It is not as sharp as the Isola' but if we increase the number of filters in various direction, we can capture more edges and make our result approach the Isola's. The human annotations have clear boundary at different levels from few to many details.

Our best algorithm does well in detecting edges in various directions. It does struggle with reducing noise and balancing between the sharpness of detected edge and the smoothening effect of filters.

Some challenges and difficulties with edge detection:

- Distinguish between noise and edge
- Some images have many details (ex: hair, grass, etc.)
- Smoothening makes losing information
- Computational time increases when we use many oriented filters
- Etc.

Appendix 1

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D
from matplotlib import cm
from align image code import align images
import numpy as np
from scipy.signal import convolve2d
from skimage import color
def standard_gaussian(X, Y, sigma):
  return 1 / (2 * np.pi * sigma**2) ** 0.5 * np.exp(-(X**2. + Y**2.) / (2 * sigma**2))
def normalize(x):
  return (x - np.min(x)) / (np.max(x) - np.min(x))
def hybrid image(im1 aligned, im2 aligned, sigma1, sigma2):
  filter factor = 15
 threshold 1 = sigma1
 threshold 2= sigma2
  std 1 = 5
  std 2 = 5
 x = np.arange(-filter_factor, filter_factor + 1)
  y = np.arange(-filter factor, filter factor + 1)
 X, Y = np.meshgrid(x, y)
 low pass filter = standard gaussian(X, Y, std 1)
 low pass filter /= np.sum(low pass filter)
 impulse filter = np.zeros((2 * filter factor + 1, 2 * filter factor + 1))
 impulse filter[filter factor, filter factor] = 1
 high pass filter = standard gaussian(X, Y, std 2)
  high pass filter /= np.sum(high pass filter)
 high_pass_filter = impulse_filter - high_pass_filter
 fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot_surface(X, Y, low_pass_filter, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
  fig.colorbar(surf)
  plt.savefig("gaussian low pass filter.jpg")
 fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, high pass filter, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
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fig.colorbar(surf)
  plt.savefig("gaussian high pass filter.jpg")
  im1 filtered = np.zeros(im1 aligned.shape)
  im2 filtered = np.zeros(im2 aligned.shape)
  for i in range(3):
    im1 filtered[:,:,i] = convolve2d(im1 aligned[:,:,i], low pass filter,
mode="same")
    im1_filtered_fft = np.fft.fft2(im1_filtered[:, :, i])
    # im1 filtered fft[(threshold 1+1):(-threshold 1), (threshold 1+1):(-
threshold 1) = 0
    im1 filtered fft[(threshold 1 + 1):(-threshold 1),:] = 0
    im1 filtered fft[:, (threshold 1 + 1):(-threshold 1)] = 0
    im1 filtered[:,:,i] = np.real(np.fft.ifft2(im1 filtered fft))
    im2_filtered[:,:,i] = convolve2d(im2_aligned[:,:,i], high pass filter,
mode="same")
    im2 filtered fft = np.fft.fft2(im2 filtered[:,:,i])
    # im2 filtered fft[1:(threshold 2+1), 1:(threshold 2+1)] = 0
    # im2_filtered_fft[-threshold_2:, -threshold_2:] = 0
    im2 filtered fft[1:(threshold 2+1),:] = 0
    im2_filtered_fft[-threshold_2:,:] = 0
    im2 filtered fft[:, 1:(threshold 2+1)] = 0
    im2 filtered fft[:, -threshold 2:] = 0
    im2 filtered[:,:,i] = np.real(np.fft.ifft2(im2 filtered fft))
  im1 filtered = normalize(im1 filtered)
  plt.imsave(common name + "im1 filtered.jpg", im1 filtered, format="jpg")
  plt.figure()
  plt.imshow(im1 filtered)
  plt.show()
  im1 filtered fft log =
np.log(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft2(color.rgb2gray(im1_filtered)))))
  plt.imsave(common name + "im1 filtered fft log.jpg", im1 filtered fft log,
format="jpg")
  plt.imshow(im1 filtered fft log)
  plt.show()
  im2 filtered = normalize(im2 filtered)
  plt.imsave(common name + "im2 filtered.jpg", im2 filtered, format="jpg")
  plt.imshow(im2 filtered)
  plt.show()
  im2 filtered fft log =
np.log(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft2(color.rgb2gray(im2_filtered)))))
  plt.imsave(common name + "im2 filtered fft log.jpg", im2 filtered fft log.
format="jpg")
  plt.imshow(im2 filtered fft log)
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Due: Tue, Mar 6th, 2018, 11:55PM Student: Ninh DO SID#25949105 Late: None plt.show() hybrid = 0.5 * im1 filtered + 0.5 * im2 filtered return normalize(hybrid) if name == " main ": image pairs = [("malik.png", "papadimitriou.png"), ("cat.png", "dog.png"), ("boy.png", "girl.png")] for im1 name, im2 name in image pairs: common_name = im1_name.split('.')[0] + '+' + im2_name.split('.')[0] + '_' # First load images # high sf im1 = plt.imread(im1 name) im1 = im1[:,:,:3]im1 input fft log = np.log(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft2(color.rgb2grav(im1))))) plt.imsave(common name + "im1 input fft log.jpg", im1 input fft log, format="jpg") plt.imshow(im1_input_fft_log) plt.show() # low sf im2 = plt.imread(im2 name) im2 = im2[:,:,:3]im2 input fft log = np.log(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft2(color.rgb2gray(im2))))) plt.imsave(common name + "im2 input fft log.jpg", im2 input fft log, format="jpg") plt.imshow(im2 input fft log) plt.show() # Next align images (this code is provided, but may be improved) im1 aligned, im2 aligned = align images(im1, im2) ## You will provide the code below. Sigma1 and sigma2 are arbitrary ## cutoff values for the high and low frequencies

hybrid = hybrid image(im1 aligned, im2 aligned, sigma1, sigma2)

sigma1 = 10sigma2 = 5

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plt.show()
plt.imsave(common_name + "hybrid.jpg", hybrid, format="jpg")
plt.imshow(hybrid)
plt.show()
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Appendix 2

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D
from matplotlib import cm
from scipy.signal import convolve2d
def normalize(x):
  return (x - np.min(x)) / (np.max(x) - np.min(x))
def standard gaussian(X, Y, a, b, c, d, sigma 1, sigma 2):
  return 1 / (np.pi * (sigma_1**2 + sigma_2**2)) ** 0.5 * np.exp( -(a * X + b * Y) ** 2. /
(2 * sigma_1**2) - (c * X + d * Y) ** 2. / (2 * sigma_2**2))
def difference filter(I):
  Dx = np.array([[1, -1]])
  Dy = np.array([[1], [-1]])
  I filtered Dx = np.zeros(I.shape)
  I filtered Dy = np.zeros(I.shape)
  for i in range(3):
    I filtered Dx[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], Dx, mode="same")
    I filtered Dv[:::i] = convolve2d(I[:::i], Dv, mode="same")
  return I filtered Dx, I filtered Dy
def derivative gaussian filter(I, sigma):
  Dx = np.array([[1, -1]])
  Dy = np.array([[1], [-1]])
  filter factor = 15
  x = np.arange(-filter factor, filter factor + 1)
  y = np.arange(-filter factor, filter factor + 1)
  X, Y = np.meshgrid(x, y)
  gaussian filter = standard gaussian(X, Y, 1, 0, 0, 1, sigma, sigma)
  gaussian filter Dx = convolve2d(gaussian filter, Dx, mode="same")
  gaussian filter Dy = convolve2d(gaussian filter, Dy, mode="same")
  fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter Dx, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
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fig.colorbar(surf)
  plt.savefig("derivative gaussian filter Dx.jpg")
  fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot_surface(X, Y, gaussian_filter_Dy, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
  fig.colorbar(surf)
  plt.savefig("derivative gaussian filter Dy.jpg")
  I filtered Dx = np.zeros(I.shape)
  I filtered Dy = np.zeros(I.shape)
  for i in range(3):
    I filtered Dx[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], gaussian filter Dx, mode="same")
    I filtered Dy[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], gaussian filter Dy, mode="same")
  return I filtered Dx, I filtered Dy
def oriented filter(I):
  Dx = np.array([[1, -1]])
  Dy = np.array([[1], [-1]])
  Dxy = np.array([[0, 1], [-1, 0]])
  Dyx = np.array([[1, 0], [0, -1]])
  filter factor = 15
  x = np.arange(-filter factor, filter factor + 1)
  y = np.arange(-filter_factor, filter_factor + 1)
  X, Y = np.meshgrid(x, y)
  gaussian filter x = \text{standard gaussian}(X, Y, 1, 0, 0, 1, 2, 6)
  gaussian filter Dx = convolve2d(gaussian filter x, Dx, mode="same")
  fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot_surface(X, Y, gaussian_filter_x, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
  fig.colorbar(surf)
  plt.savefig("oriented gaussian filter Dx.jpg")
  fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter Dx, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
  fig.colorbar(surf)
  plt.savefig("derivative_oriented_gaussian filter Dx.jpg")
  gaussian filter y = \text{standard gaussian}(X, Y, 1, 0, 0, 1, 6, 2)
  gaussian_filter_Dy = convolve2d(gaussian_filter_y, Dy, mode="same")
  fig = plt.figure()
  ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
  surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter y, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
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fig.colorbar(surf)
plt.savefig("oriented gaussian filter Dy.jpg")
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter Dy, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
fig.colorbar(surf)
plt.savefig("derivative oriented gaussian filter Dv.jpg")
gaussian filter xy = standard gaussian(X, Y, 1, -1, 1, 1, 2, 6)
gaussian filter Dxy = convolve2d(gaussian filter xy, Dxy, mode="same")
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter xy, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
fig.colorbar(surf)
plt.savefig("oriented gaussian filter Dxy.jpg")
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter Dxy, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
fig.colorbar(surf)
plt.savefig("derivative oriented gaussian filter Dxy.jpg")
gaussian filter yx = standard gaussian(X, Y, 1, -1, 1, 1, 6, 2)
gaussian_filter_Dyx = convolve2d(gaussian_filter_yx, Dyx, mode="same")
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter yx, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
fig.colorbar(surf)
plt.savefig("oriented gaussian filter Dyx.jpg")
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.gca(projection='3d')
surf = ax.plot surface(X, Y, gaussian filter Dyx, rstride=1, cstride=1, cmap=cm.jet)
fig.colorbar(surf)
plt.savefig("derivative oriented gaussian filter Dyx.jpg")
I filtered Dx = np.zeros(I.shape)
I filtered Dy = np.zeros(I.shape)
I filtered Dxy = np.zeros(I.shape)
I filtered Dyx = np.zeros(I.shape)
for i in range(3):
  I filtered Dx[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], gaussian filter Dx, mode="same")
  I filtered Dy[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], gaussian filter Dy, mode="same")
  I_filtered_Dxy[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], gaussian_filter_Dxy, mode="same")
  I filtered Dyx[:,:,i] = convolve2d(I[:,:,i], gaussian filter Dyx, mode="same")
return I filtered Dx, I filtered Dy, I filtered Dxy, I filtered Dyx
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if name == " main ":
 image name list = ["bsds 3096.jpg", "bsds 300091.jpg", "bsds 253027.jpg",
"bsds 156065.jpg", "bsds 101087.jpg"]
 for image name in image name list:
   name = image_name.split('.')[o] + " "
   im = plt.imread(image name)
    # Simple derivative filters
   im filtered Dx, im filtered Dy = difference filter(im)
   im filtered Dx normalized = normalize(im filtered Dx)
   plt.imsave(name + "im filtered Dx.jpg", im filtered Dx normalized,
format="ipg")
   plt.imshow(im_filtered_Dx_normalized)
   plt.show()
   im filtered Dv normalized = normalize(im filtered Dv)
   plt.imsave(name + "im filtered Dy.jpg", im filtered Dy normalized,
format="ipg")
   plt.imshow(im filtered Dy normalized)
   plt.show()
   im gradient magnitude = (im filtered Dx ** 2 + im filtered Dv ** 2) ** 0.5
   im_gradient_magnitude_2d = np.sum(im_gradient_magnitude, axis=2)
   plt.imsave(name + "im gradient magnitude.jpg", im gradient magnitude 2d,
format="jpg", cmap="gray")
   plt.imshow(im gradient magnitude 2d, cmap="gray")
   plt.show()
   im_gradient_orientation = np.angle(im_filtered_Dx + 1j * im_filtered_Dy)
   im gradient orientation[np.where(im gradient magnitude < 10)] = 0
   im gradient orientation 2d = np.sum(im gradient orientation, axis=2)
   plt.imsave(name + "im gradient orientation.jpg", im gradient orientation 2d,
format="jpg")
   plt.imshow(im gradient orientation 2d)
   plt.show()
    # Derivative Gaussian filters
   im gaussian filtered Dx, im gaussian filtered Dy =
derivative gaussian_filter(im, 3)
   im gaussian filtered Dx normalized = normalize(im gaussian filtered Dx)
    plt.imsave(name + "im_gaussian_filtered_Dx.jpg",
im gaussian filtered Dx normalized, format="ipg")
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im_oriented_gaussian_filtered_Dy_normalized =
normalize(im_oriented_gaussian_filtered_Dy)
    plt.imsave(name + "im_oriented_gaussian_filtered_Dy.jpg",
im_oriented_gaussian_filtered_Dy_normalized, format="jpg")
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plt.imshow(im oriented gaussian filtered Dy normalized)
    plt.show()
    im oriented gaussian filtered Dxy normalized =
normalize(im_oriented_gaussian_filtered Dxy)
    plt.imsave(name + "im_oriented_gaussian_filtered_Dxy.jpg",
im oriented gaussian filtered Dxy normalized, format="ipg")
    plt.imshow(im_oriented_gaussian_filtered Dxy normalized)
    plt.show()
    im oriented gaussian filtered Dyx normalized =
normalize(im oriented gaussian filtered Dyx)
    plt.imsave(name + "im_oriented_gaussian filtered Dyx.ipg",
im oriented gaussian filtered Dyx normalized, format="jpg")
    plt.imshow(im oriented gaussian filtered Dyx normalized)
    plt.show()
    im oriented gaussian gradient magnitude = (im oriented gaussian filtered Dx
** 2 + im oriented gaussian filtered Dy ** 2
                          + im oriented gaussian filtered Dxy ** 2 +
im oriented gaussian filtered Dyx ** 2) ** 0.5
    im oriented gaussian gradient magnitude 2d =
np.sum(im_oriented_gaussian_gradient_magnitude, axis=2)
    plt.imsave(name + "im oriented gaussian gradient magnitude.jpg",
im oriented gaussian gradient_magnitude_2d, format="jpg", cmap="gray")
    plt.imshow(im oriented gaussian gradient magnitude 2d, cmap="grav")
    plt.show()
    im oriented gaussian gradient orientation =
np.angle(im oriented gaussian filtered Dx + 1j * im oriented gaussian filtered Dv)
                          + np.angle(im oriented gaussian filtered Dxy + 1j *
im oriented gaussian filtered Dyx)
im oriented gaussian gradient orientation[np.where(im oriented gaussian gradien
t magnitude < 20)] = 0
    im oriented gaussian gradient orientation 2d =
np.sum(im oriented gaussian gradient orientation, axis=2)
    plt.imsave(name + "im oriented gaussian gradient orientation.jpg",
im oriented gaussian gradient orientation 2d, format="jpg")
    plt.imshow(im oriented gaussian gradient orientation 2d)
    plt.show()
```