

Part 1 – Verifying an Image's Source Using JPEG Quantization Tables

1. What are the camera manufacturer and camera model reported in the metadata tags (Exif) for each image?
2. Does each image have metadata tags specifying the camera manufacturer and model?
3. What are the luminance and chrominance quantization tables for each image?
4. Do these quantization tables match the camera reported in each image's metadata?
5. If not, does JPEGsnoop report that these quantization tables match those used by any image editing software?
6. Furthermore, if JPEGsnoop doesn't find a match between the quantization tables and the metadata tags, does this mean that the image's origin has been falsified? Why or why not?

If JPEGsnoop doesn't find a match between the quantization tables and metadata tags, this does not mean that the image was falsified. It is possible that the metadata tags have been removed or that there is no entry in the built-in database that matches. It is possible that someone may have opened or re-saved the original image using a program or editor that removes the header data without editing any piece of the original image.

imageOrigin1.jpg

1. Canon PowerShot A75
2. Yes, metadata tags specify camera manufacturer and model
- 3.

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*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance)
DQT, Row #0:  1  1  1  2  3  6  8 10
DQT, Row #1:  1  1  2  3  4  8  9  8
DQT, Row #2:  2  2  2  3  6  8 10  8
DQT, Row #3:  2  2  3  4  7 12 11  9
DQT, Row #4:  3  3  8 11 10 16 15 11
DQT, Row #5:  3  5  8 10 12 15 16 13
DQT, Row #6:  7 10 11 12 15 17 17 14
DQT, Row #7: 14 13 13 15 15 14 14 14
Approx quality factor = 92.96 (scaling=14.08 variance=5.28)
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Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance)
DQT, Row #0:  4  4  5  9 15 26 26 26
DQT, Row #1:  4  4  5 10 19 26 26 26
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DQT, Row #2:  5  5  8  9 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #3:  9 10  9 13 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #4: 15 19 26 26 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #5: 26 26 26 26 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #6: 26 26 26 26 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #7: 26 26 26 26 26 26 26 26
Approx quality factor = 88.24 (scaling=23.52 variance=21.42)
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*** Embedded JPEG Thumbnail ***

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Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance, typically)
DQT, Row #0:  9  6  5  9 13 22 29 35
DQT, Row #1:  6  6  8 11 15 33 34 30
DQT, Row #2:  8  7  9 13 22 33 39 31
DQT, Row #3:  8  9 12 16 28 49 45 34
DQT, Row #4: 10 12 21 32 39 61 58 42
DQT, Row #5: 13 19 31 36 45 58 63 51
DQT, Row #6: 28 36 44 49 58 68 66 55
DQT, Row #7: 41 52 54 55 62 56 57 54
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Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance, typically)
DQT, Row #0:  9  9 12 20 15 26 79 79
DQT, Row #1:  9 10 12 10 26 26 79 79
DQT, Row #2: 12 12 10 10 26 79 79 79
DQT, Row #3: 20 10 10 10 26 79 79 79
DQT, Row #4: 15 26 26 79 79 79 79 79
DQT, Row #5: 26 26 79 79 79 79 79 79
DQT, Row #6: 79 79 79 79 79 79 79 79
DQT, Row #7: 79 79 79 79 79 79 79 79
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4. No, quantization tables do not match
5. No, no reported image editing software

imageOrigin2.jpg

1. Minolta Co., Ltd. DiIMAGE S304
2. Yes, metadata tags specify camera manufacturer and model
- 3.

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*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
OFFSET: 0x000047B5
Table length = 132
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance)
DQT, Row #0:  1  1  4  5  6  5  2  5
DQT, Row #1:  1  2  6  5  1  2  8  5
DQT, Row #2:  1  1  2  1  1  8  3  6
DQT, Row #3:  1  1  1  1  6  2  8 12
DQT, Row #4:  1  2  5  1  7 10 10 12
DQT, Row #5:  4  6  2 10 11  8 10 11
DQT, Row #6:  5  3 10  9  7  7  9 10
DQT, Row #7:  5  6  4  6  9  9 10  9
Approx quality factor = 94.65 (scaling=10.71 variance=62.00)
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Precision=8 bits
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Destination ID=1 (Chrominance)
DQT, Row #0:  1  1  9  9  9  9  9  9
DQT, Row #1:  2  9  9  9  2  9  9  9
DQT, Row #2:  4  1  9  2  6  9  9  9
DQT, Row #3:  2  6  5  4  9  9  9  9
DQT, Row #4:  2  9  9  9  9  9  9  9
DQT, Row #5:  9  9  9  9  9  9  9  9
DQT, Row #6:  9  9  9  9  9  9  9  9
DQT, Row #7:  9  9  9  9  9  9  9  9
Approx quality factor = 94.92 (scaling=10.16 variance=47.37)
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4. Yes, the quantization tables match
5. n/a

imageOrigin3.jpg

1. Canon PowerShot SD400
2. Yes, metadata tags specify camera manufacturer and model
- 3.

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*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
OFFSET: 0x00001E0D
Table length = 132
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance)
DQT, Row #0:  1  1  2  2  3  3  7 14
DQT, Row #1:  1  1  2  2  3  5 10 13
DQT, Row #2:  1  2  2  3  8  8 11 13
DQT, Row #3:  2  3  3  4 11 10 12 15
DQT, Row #4:  3  4  6  7 10 12 15 15
DQT, Row #5:  6  8  8 12 16 15 17 14
DQT, Row #6:  8  9 10 11 15 16 17 14
DQT, Row #7: 10  8  8  9 11 13 14 14
Approx quality factor = 92.73 (scaling=14.53 variance=19.39)
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Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance)
DQT, Row #0:  4  4  5  9 15 26 26 26
DQT, Row #1:  4  4  5 10 19 26 26 26
DQT, Row #2:  5  5  8  9 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #3:  9 10  9 13 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #4: 15 19 26 26 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #5: 26 26 26 26 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #6: 26 26 26 26 26 26 26 26
DQT, Row #7: 26 26 26 26 26 26 26 26
Approx quality factor = 88.24 (scaling=23.52 variance=21.42)
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*** Embedded JPEG Thumbnail ***
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance, typically)
DQT, Row #0:  9  6  8  8 10 13 28 41
DQT, Row #1:  6  6  7  9 12 19 36 52
DQT, Row #2:  5  8  9 12 21 31 44 54
DQT, Row #3:  9 11 13 16 32 36 49 55
DQT, Row #4: 13 15 22 28 39 45 58 62
DQT, Row #5: 22 33 33 49 61 58 68 56
DQT, Row #6: 29 34 39 45 58 63 66 57
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DQT, Row #7:  35  30  31  34  42  51  55  54
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Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance, typically)
DQT, Row #0:   9   9  12  20  15  26  79  79
DQT, Row #1:   9  10  12  10  26  26  79  79
DQT, Row #2:  12  12  10  10  26  79  79  79
DQT, Row #3:  20  10  10  26  79  79  79  79
DQT, Row #4:  15  26  26  79  79  79  79  79
DQT, Row #5:  26  26  79  79  79  79  79  79
DQT, Row #6:  79  79  79  79  79  79  79  79
DQT, Row #7:  79  79  79  79  79  79  79  79
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4. No, the quantization tables do not match
5. No, no reported image editing software

imageOrigin4.jpg

1. Minolta Co., Ltd. DiIMAGE S304
2. No, metadata tags do not specify camera manufacturer and model
- 3.

```
*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
OFFSET: 0x000047B5
Table length = 132
-----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance)
DQT, Row #0:   4   3  11  14  17  15   8  14
DQT, Row #1:   2   6  17  16   4   6  24  15
DQT, Row #2:   4   3   7   3   4  22  10  18
DQT, Row #3:   3   5   4   4  17   6  23  34
DQT, Row #4:   4   6  16   5  22  29  29  34
DQT, Row #5:  11  19   6  29  32  24  28  32
DQT, Row #6:  16  10  31  26  22  20  28  28
DQT, Row #7:  16  19  14  18  26  27  29  28
Approx quality factor = 83.81 (scaling=32.39 variance=477.61)
-----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance)
DQT, Row #0:   4   5  28  28  28  28  28  28
DQT, Row #1:   6  28  28  28   6  28  28  28
DQT, Row #2:  13   5  28   7  18  28  28  28
DQT, Row #3:   6  18  16  13  28  28  28  28
DQT, Row #4:   7  28  28  28  28  28  28  28
DQT, Row #5:  28  28  28  28  28  28  28  28
DQT, Row #6:  28  28  28  28  28  28  28  28
DQT, Row #7:  28  28  28  28  28  28  28  28
Approx quality factor = 84.00 (scaling=32.00 variance=450.51)
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4. Yes, the quantization tables match
5. No reported image editing software but JPEGsnoop indicates that it is uncertain if the image is processed or original

imageOrigin5.jpg

1. Sony DSC-V1
2. Yes, metadata tags specify camera manufacturer and model
- 3.

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*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
OFFSET: 0x00001887
Table length = 132
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance)
DQT, Row #0:  1  1  1  1  2  3  4  5
DQT, Row #1:  1  1  1  2  2  5  5  4
DQT, Row #2:  1  1  1  2  3  5  6  4
DQT, Row #3:  1  1  2  2  4  7  6  5
DQT, Row #4:  1  2  3  4  5  9  8  6
DQT, Row #5:  2  3  4  5  6  8  9  7
DQT, Row #6:  4  5  6  7  8 10 10  8
DQT, Row #7:  6  7  8  8  9  8  8  8
Approx quality factor = 96.06 (scaling=7.87 variance=0.69)
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance)
DQT, Row #0:  1  1  2  4  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #1:  1  2  2  5  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #2:  2  2  4  8  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #3:  4  5  8  8  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #4:  8  8  8  8  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #5:  8  8  8  8  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #6:  8  8  8  8  8  8  8  8
DQT, Row #7:  8  8  8  8  8  8  8  8
Approx quality factor = 96.02 (scaling=7.97 variance=0.33)
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*** Embedded JPEG Thumbnail ***
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance, typically)
DQT, Row #0: 16 11 10 16 24 40 51 61
DQT, Row #1: 12 12 14 19 26 58 60 55
DQT, Row #2: 14 13 16 24 40 57 69 56
DQT, Row #3: 14 17 22 29 51 87 80 62
DQT, Row #4: 18 22 37 56 68 109 103 77
DQT, Row #5: 24 35 55 64 81 104 113 92
DQT, Row #6: 49 64 78 87 103 121 120 101
DQT, Row #7: 72 92 95 98 112 100 103 99
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance, typically)
DQT, Row #0: 17 18 24 47 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #1: 18 21 26 66 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #2: 24 26 56 99 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #3: 47 66 99 99 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #4: 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #5: 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #6: 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99
DQT, Row #7: 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99
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4. No, the quantization tables do not match

5. GIMP, IrfanView, idlMager, FastStone Image Viewer, NeatImage, Paint.NET, Photomatix, XnView

imageOrigin6.jpg

1. Sony Cybershot U
2. Metadata shows that there is a subsamp match to the Sony Cybershot U camera
- 3.

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*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
OFFSET: 0x00000014
Table length = 67
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=0 (Luminance)
DQT, Row #0:  8   6   5   8  12  20  26  31
DQT, Row #1:  6   6   7  10  13  29  30  28
DQT, Row #2:  7   7   8  12  20  29  35  28
DQT, Row #3:  7   9  11  15  26  44  40  31
DQT, Row #4:  9  11  19  28  34  55  52  39
DQT, Row #5: 12  18  28  32  41  52  57  46
DQT, Row #6: 25  32  39  44  52  61  60  51
DQT, Row #7: 36  46  48  49  56  50  52  50
Approx quality factor = 74.75 (scaling=50.51 variance=0.81)

*** Marker: DQT (xFFDB) ***
Define a Quantization Table.
OFFSET: 0x00000059
Table length = 67
----
Precision=8 bits
Destination ID=1 (Chrominance)
DQT, Row #0:  9   9  12  24  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #1:  9  11  13  33  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #2: 12  13  28  50  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #3: 24  33  50  50  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #4: 50  50  50  50  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #5: 50  50  50  50  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #6: 50  50  50  50  50  50  50  50
DQT, Row #7: 50  50  50  50  50  50  50  50
Approx quality factor = 74.74 (scaling=50.52 variance=0.19)
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4. No
5. Adobe Photoshop 7.0, Apple Quicktime, Digital Photo Professional, IJG Library, MS Paint, MS Visio, ZoomBrowser EX, GIMP, IrfanView, idlMager, FastStone Image Viewer, NeatImage, Paint.NET, Photomatix, XnView

Part 2

The histogram values for Z' and Z'' should be different after any form of image compression. The reason for this is because compression will save the most important bits, which tend to be around the middle of the image. The values of Z'' should be lower than that of the uncompressed image. Compression can be lossless, but the values calculated for Z' can show small differences.

For “blockArtifacts1.tif” the attached code, *compressdetect*, determined that this image has a history of compression. The code determined the K value was .4029. The histogram for Z' and Z'' can be seen in figure 1. For “blockArtifacts2.tif”, the code determined that this image has no history of compression. The code determined the K value was 0.0925 which is below the threshold. The histogram for Z' and Z'' can be seen in figure 2. For “blockArtifacts3.tif”, the code determined that this image has a history of compression. The code determined the K value was .3566. The histogram for Z' and Z'' can be seen in figure 3.

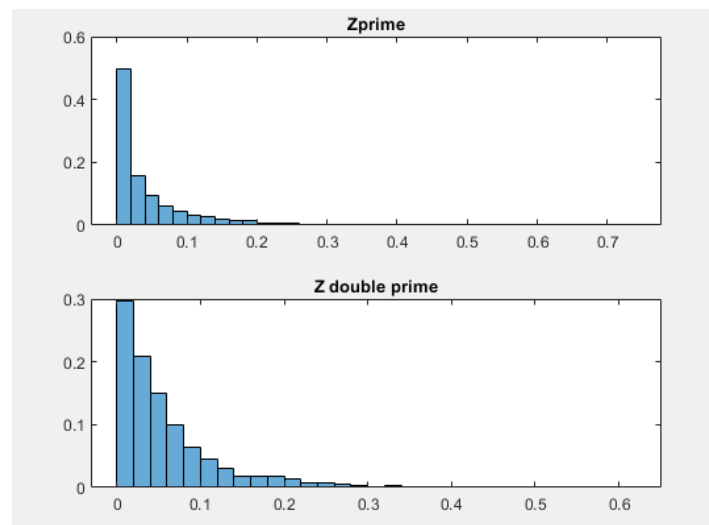


Figure 1: Histogram plot for Z' and Z'' of blockArtifacts1.tif

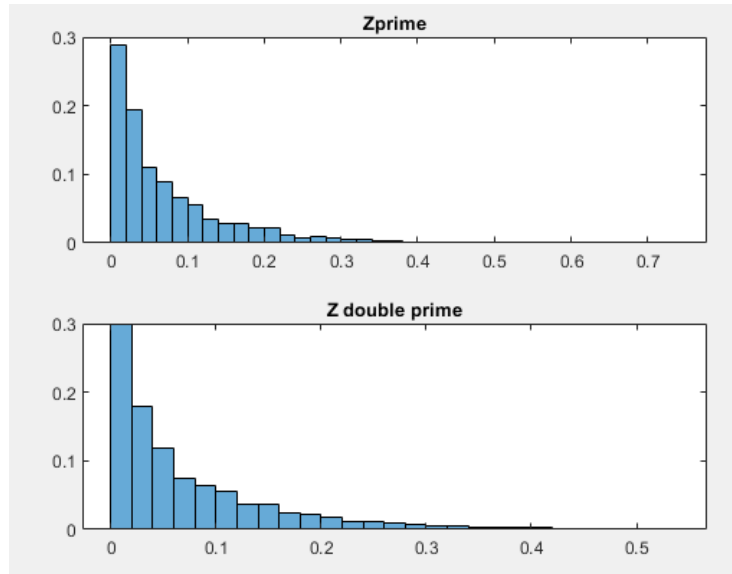


Figure 2: Histogram plot for Z' and Z'' of blockArtifacts2.tif

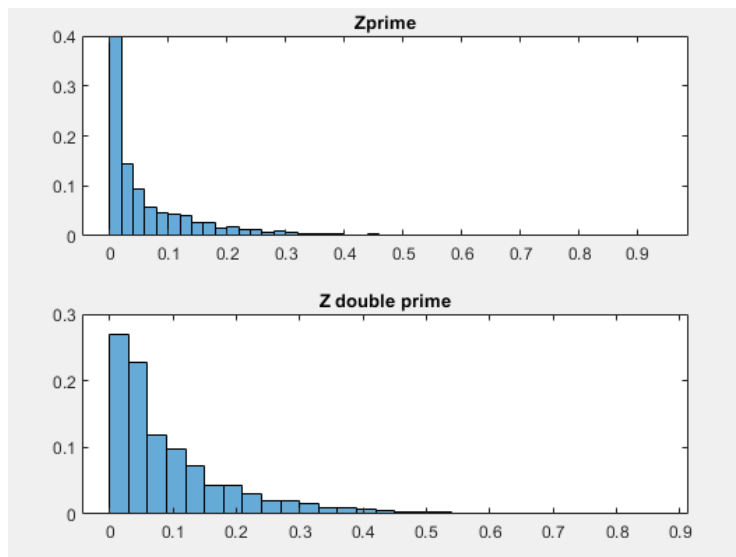


Figure 3: Histogram plot for Z' and Z'' of blockArtifacts3.tif


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%ECES 435 Assignment #4
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%The purpose of this code is to determine if an image has a history of image
%compression by way of the Fan and De Quieroz method

function detection = compressdetect(image)

imd = im2double(image); %converts image to a double
[r,c]= size(imd); %gets size of image
r = r/8; % gets the number of 8x8 rows
c = c/8; %gets the number of 8x8 columns
shape = reshape(imd,8,r, 8, c); %creates the 8x8 blocks
blocks = permute(shape, [1 3 2 4]); %concatenates the blocks to form the image
made of 8x8 blocks

%calculates the Z' values
for j = 1:c-1
    for i = 1:r-1
        A = blocks(4,4,i,j);
        B = blocks(4,5,i,j);
        C = blocks(5,4,i,j);
        D = blocks(5,5,i,j);
        Zprime(i,j) = abs(A-B-C+D);
    end
end

%calculates the Z'' values
for j = 1:c-1
    for i = 1:r-1
        E = blocks(8,8,i,j);
        F = blocks(8,1,i,j+1);
        G = blocks(1,8,i+1,j);
        H = blocks(1,1,i+1,j+1);
        Zdprime(i,j)= abs(E-F-G+H);
    end
end

%Plot the normalized Histogram of Z' and Z''
subplot(2,1,1)
H1 = histogram(Zprime,'Normalization', 'probability');
title('Zprime')
hold on
subplot(2,1,2)
H2 = histogram(Zdprime,'Normalization', 'probability');
title('Z double prime')
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```
hist1 = H1.Values;
hist2 = H2.Values;

K = 0;
for i = 1: length(hist2)
    K = K + abs(hist1(i) - hist2(i)); %calculate the Strength value
end

disp(K)
if K > 0.25 %checks the threshold value to see if there was compression
    output = 1;
else
    output = 0;
end

if output == 1
    detection = 'There is evidence of JPEG compression'; %output if K is larger
    than thresh hold
else
    detection = 'There is no evidence of JPEG compression'; %%output if K is
    not larger than thresh hold
end
```