

影像處理 Digital Image Processing

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Text/ Reference Books and Lecture Notes

Textbook:

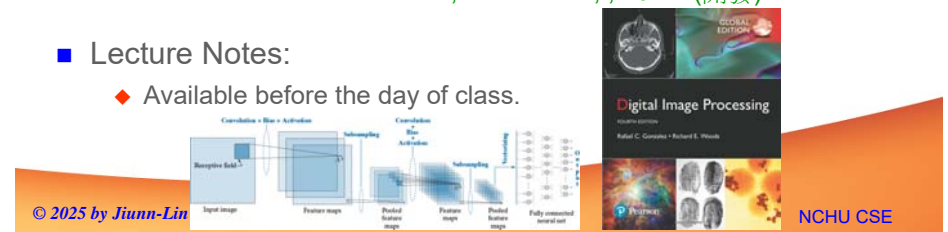
- ◆ “Digital Image Processing” by R. C. Gonzalez and R. E. Woods, 4th Edition, Prentice Hall, 2017. (開發)
- ◆ **DIGITAL IMAGE PROCESSING** has been the world's leading textbook in its field for more than 40 years. As in the 1977 and 1987 editions by Gonzalez and Wintz, and the 1992, 2002, and 2008 editions by Gonzalez and Woods.

Reference:

- ◆ “Digital Image Processing Using MATLAB” by R. C. Gonzalez, R. E. Woods and S. L. Eddins, 2nd Edition, , 2011. (開發)

Lecture Notes:

- ◆ Available before the day of class.



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Course Outline

1. Introduction to digital image processing

- ◆ Examples of Fields that Use Digital Image Processing
- ◆ Fundamental Steps in Digital Image Processing

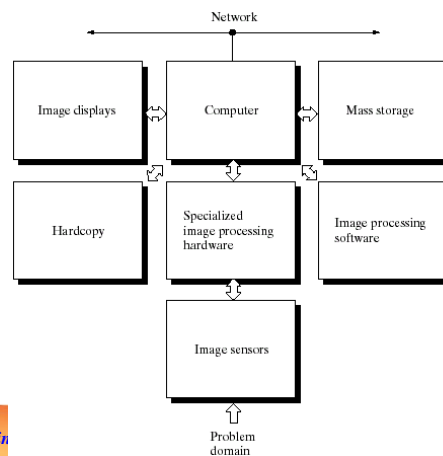


FIGURE 1.24 Components of a general-purpose image processing system.

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Examples of Fields that Use DIP

- Images based on radiation from the EM spectrum are the most familiar, especially image in the X-ray and visual bands of the spectrum.

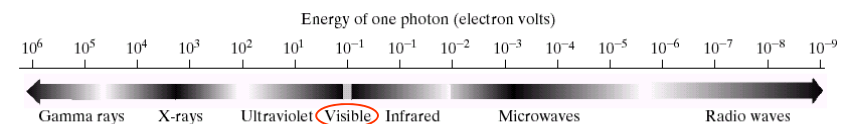
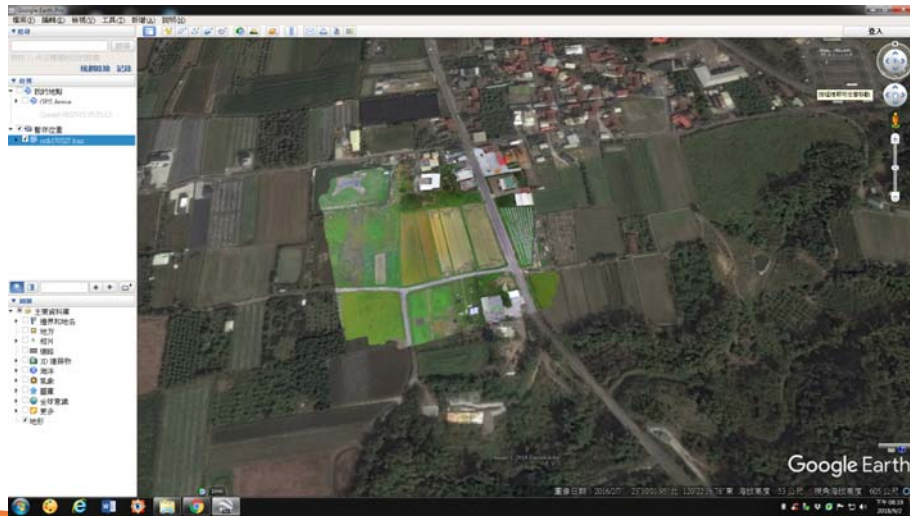


FIGURE 1.5 The electromagnetic spectrum arranged according to energy per photon.

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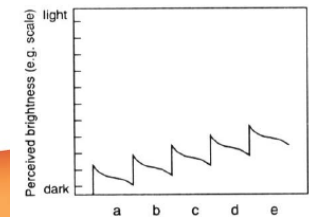
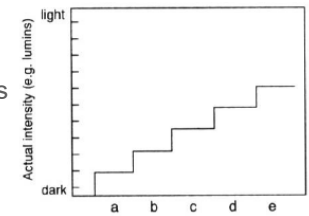
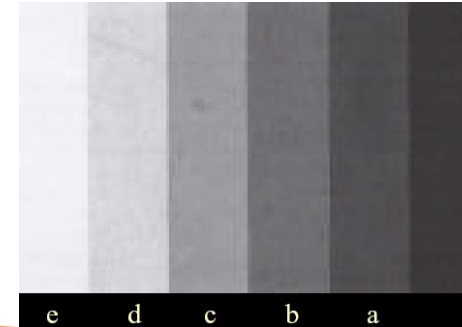
Google Earth



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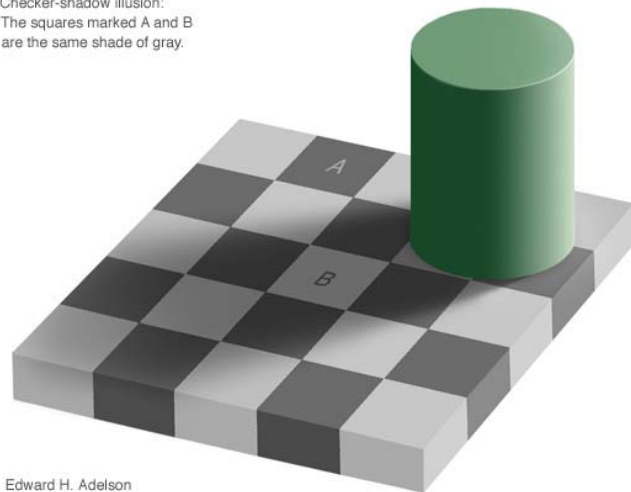
2. Digital Image Fundamentals

- ◆ Elements of Visual Perception
- ◆ Image Sampling and Quantization
- ◆ Some Basic Relationships Between Pixels



Checker-Shadow Illusion

Checker-shadow illusion:
The squares marked A and B
are the same shade of gray.



Edward H. Adelson

Image Sensing and Acquisition

Image acquisition using sensor arrays

- ◆ This is the predominant arrangement found in digital cameras.

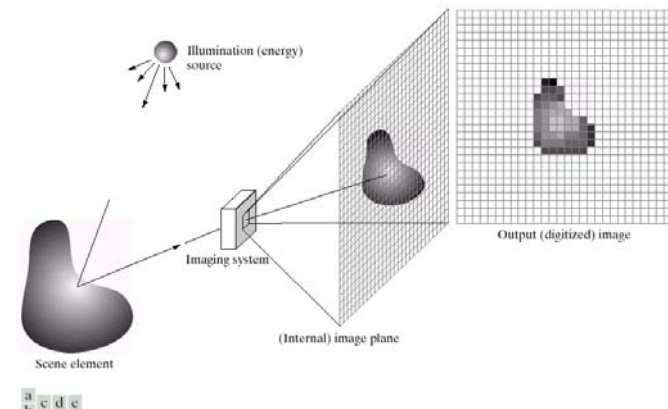


FIGURE 2.15 An example of the digital image acquisition process. (a) Energy ("illumination") source. (b) An element of a scene. (c) Imaging system. (d) Projection of the scene onto the image plane. (e) Digitized image.

Sampling and Quantization

- **Sampling:** digitizing the spatial coordinates values.
- **Quantization:** digitizing of the amplitude values.

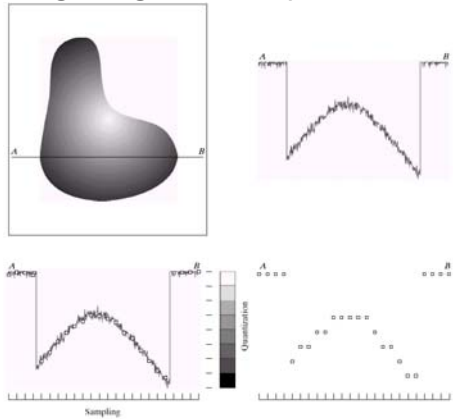


FIGURE 2.16 Generating a digital image. (a) Continuous image. (b) A scan line from A to B in the continuous image, used to illustrate the concepts of sampling and quantization. (c) Sampling and quantization. (d) Digital scan line.

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FIGURE 2.21 (Continued) (c)-(h) Image, displayed in 16, 8, 4, and 2 gray levels. (Original courtesy of Dr. David R. Pickens, Department of Radiology & Radiological Sciences, Vanderbilt University Medical Center.)

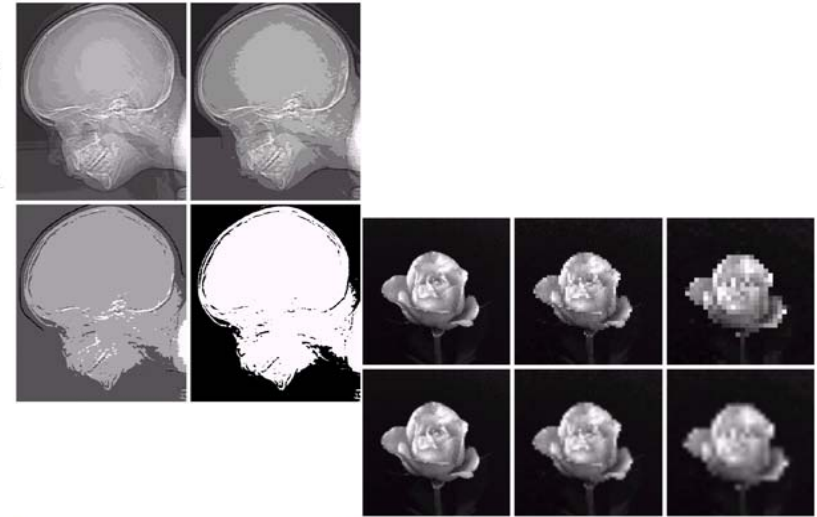


FIGURE 2.25 Top row: images zoomed from 128×128 , 64×64 , and 32×32 pixels to 1024×1024 pixels, using nearest neighbor gray-level interpolation. Bottom row: same sequence, but using bilinear interpolation.

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Aliasing-Moiré Pattern



FIGURE 4.17 Illustration of aliasing on resampled images. (a) A digital image with negligible visual aliasing. (b) Result of resizing the image to 50% of its original size by pixel deletion. Aliasing is clearly visible. (c) Result of blurring the image in (a) with a 3×3 averaging filter prior to resizing. The image is slightly more blurred than (b), but aliasing is not longer objectionable. (Original image courtesy of the Signal Compression Laboratory, University of California, Santa Barbara.)

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Panorama

- Single-row Stitching – Manual



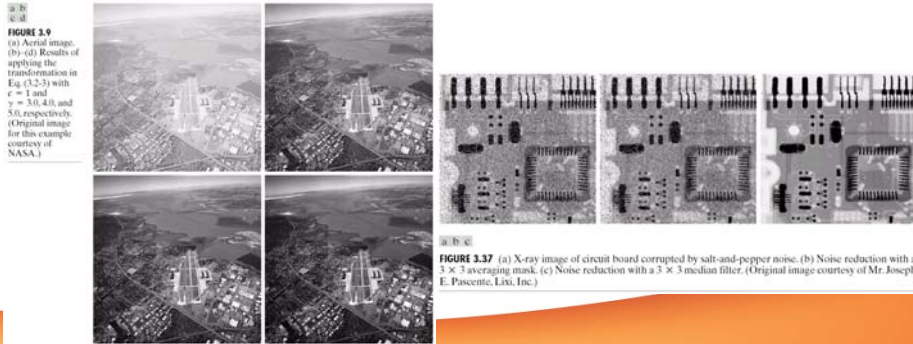
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3. Intensity Transformations and Spatial Filtering

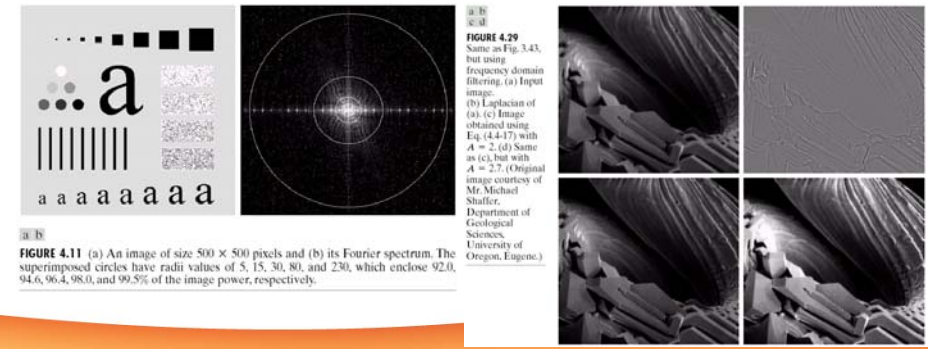
- ◆ Basic Gray Level Transformations
- ◆ Histogram Processing
- ◆ Enhancement Using Arithmetic/Logic Operators
- ◆ Basics of Spatial Filtering (Smoothing, Sharpening)



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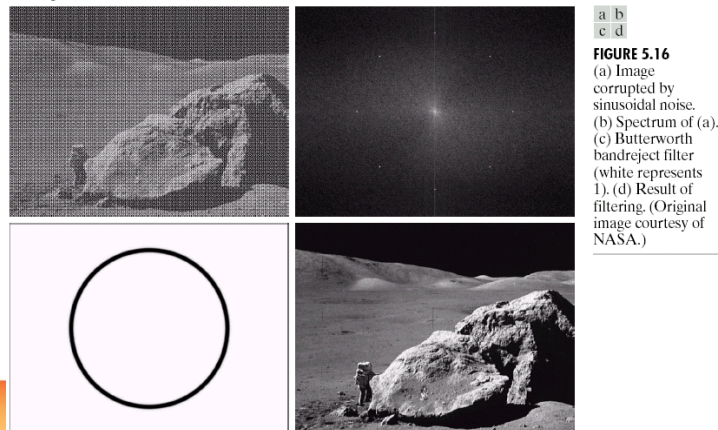
4. Filtering in the Frequency domain

- ◆ Fourier Transform and the Frequency Domain
- ◆ Frequency-Domain Filter (Smoothing and Sharpening)
- ◆ Homomorphic Filtering
- ◆ FFT based Image Registration (Optional)



Periodic Noise Reduction by Freq. Domain Filtering

- ◆ One of the principle applications of bandreject filtering is for noise removal in applications where the general location of the noise components in the frequency domain is approximately known.



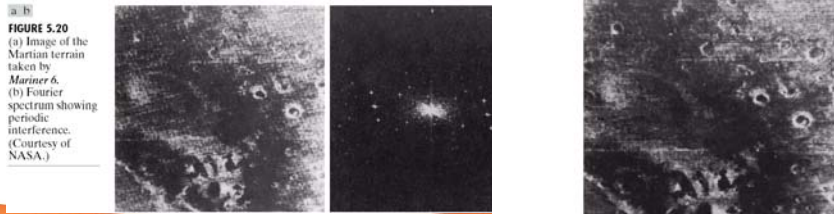
FFT-Based Image Registration



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5. Image Restoration and Reconstruction

- ◆ A model of the Image Degradation/Restoration Process
- ◆ Periodic Noise Reduction by Frequency Domain Filtering
- ◆ Linear, Position-Invariant Degradations
- ◆ Inverse Filter
- ◆ Wiener Filtering
- ◆ Constrained Least Square Filtering
- ◆ Geometric Transform



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FIGURE 5.23 Processed image. (Courtesy of NASA.)

A Model of the Image Degradation/Restoration Process

- The objective of restoration is to obtain an estimate $\hat{f}(x, y)$ of the original image.
- The more we know about H and η , the closer $\hat{f}(x, y)$ will be to $f(x, y)$.

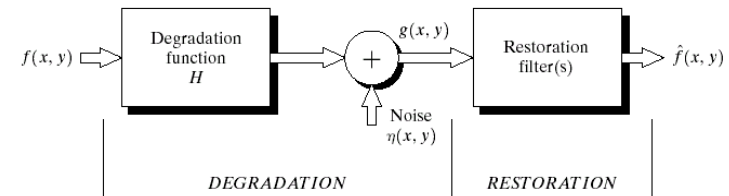
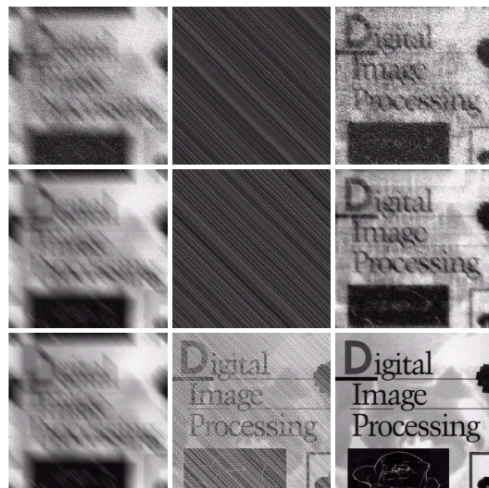


FIGURE 5.1 A model of the image degradation/restoration process.

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Minimum Mean Square Error (Wiener) Filtering



a b c
d e f
g h i

FIGURE 5.29 (a) Image corrupted by motion blur and additive noise. (b) Result of inverse filtering. (c) Result of Wiener filtering. (d)–(f) Same sequence, but with noise variance one order of magnitude less. (g)–(i) Same sequence, but noise variance reduced by five orders of magnitude from (a). Note in (h) how the deburred image is quite visible through a "curtain" of noise.

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Image Restoration

- High-Resolution Image Reconstruction From Multiple Differently Exposed Images

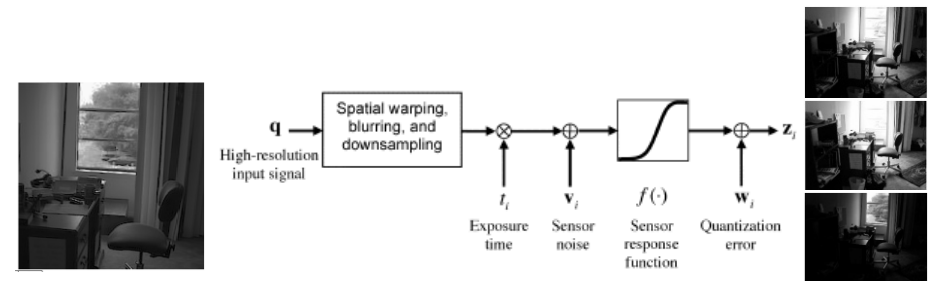


Fig. 1. Proposed super-resolution algorithm uses an imaging model that includes dynamic range and spatial domain effects.

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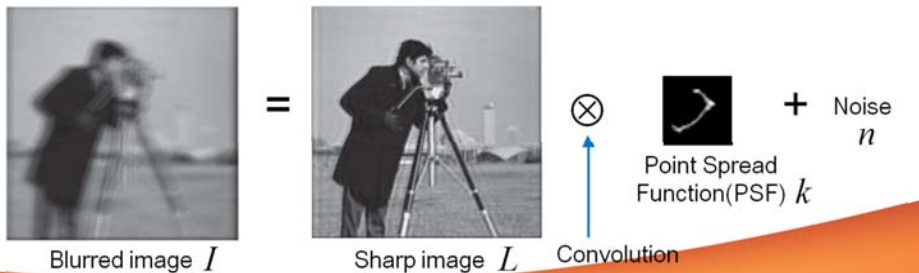
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Image Deblurring

- Camera movement during the exposure progress lead to blurred images. We can model the blurred image as follow:

$$I = L \otimes k + n$$

- The process of recovering sharp image from blurred image is called image deblurring.



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Robust Motion Deblurring

- Two-Phase Kernel Estimation for Robust Motion Deblurring

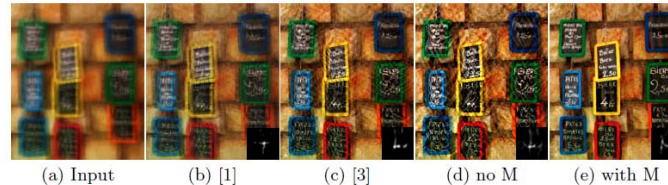


Fig. 6. Small objects such as the characters and thin frames are contained in the image. They greatly increase the difficulty of motion deblurring. (d)-(e) show our results using and not using the M map. The blur kernel is of size 51×51 .

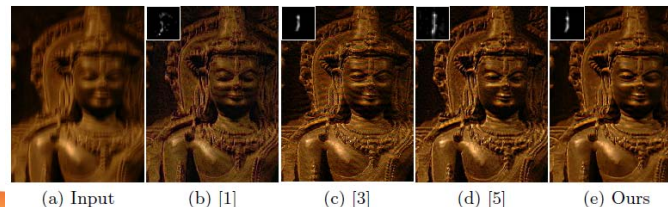
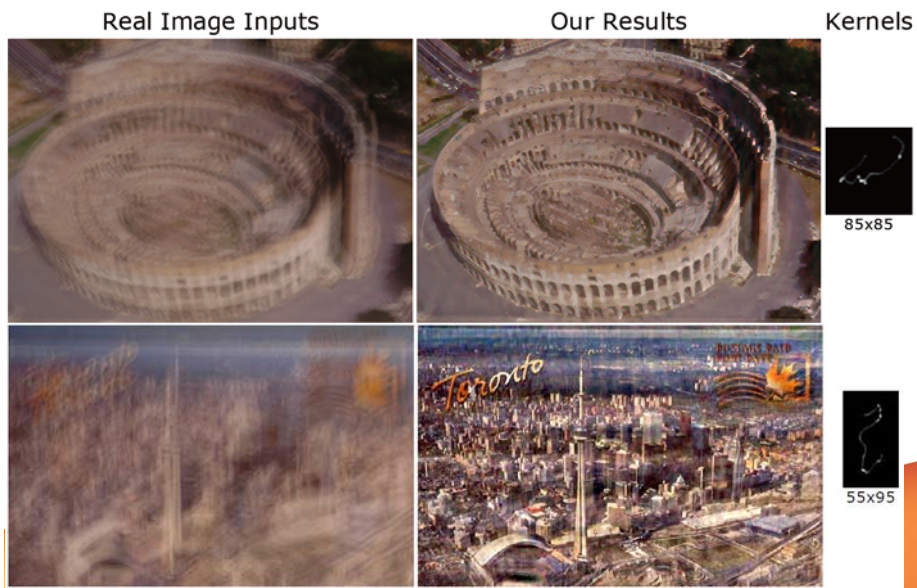


Fig. 7. Comparison of state-of-the-art deblurring methods

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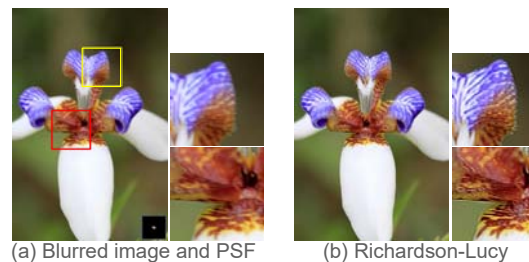
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Robust Motion Deblurring



Experimental Results-Real Blurred Images

- The size of "Flower" is 533×800 , and PSF size is 31×31 .



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Experimental Results-Real Blurred Images



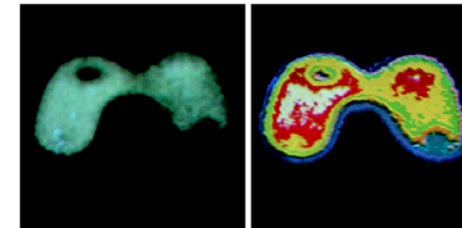
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6. Color Image Processing

- ◆ Color Fundamentals / Color Models
- ◆ Pseudocolor Image Processing
- ◆ Color Transform
- ◆ Color Segmentation
- ◆ Color Image Enhancement / White Balance
- ◆ Color Image Compression



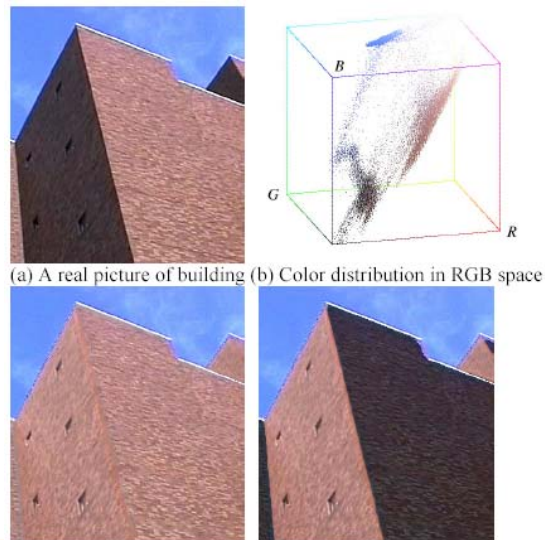
(a) (b)

FIGURE 6.20 (a) Monochrome image of the Picker Thyroid Phantom. (b) Result of density slicing into eight colors. (Courtesy of Dr. J. L. Blankenship, Instrumentation and Controls Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory.)

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Shadow Removal from A Real Picture



(a) A real picture of building (b) Color distribution in RGB space

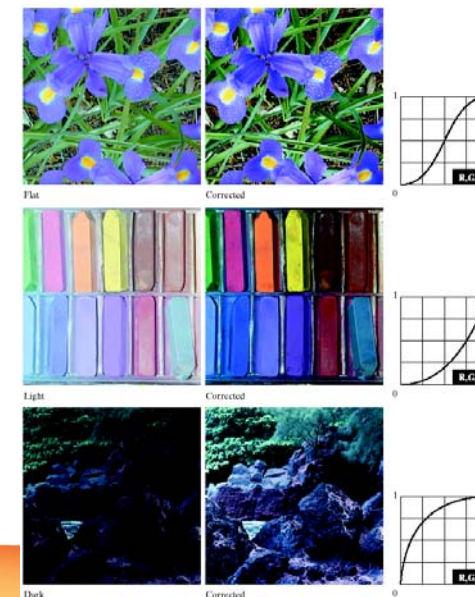
(c) Result of shadow removal (d) Result of shadow addition

Figure 1. Shadow removal and addition.

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Tone and Color Corrections



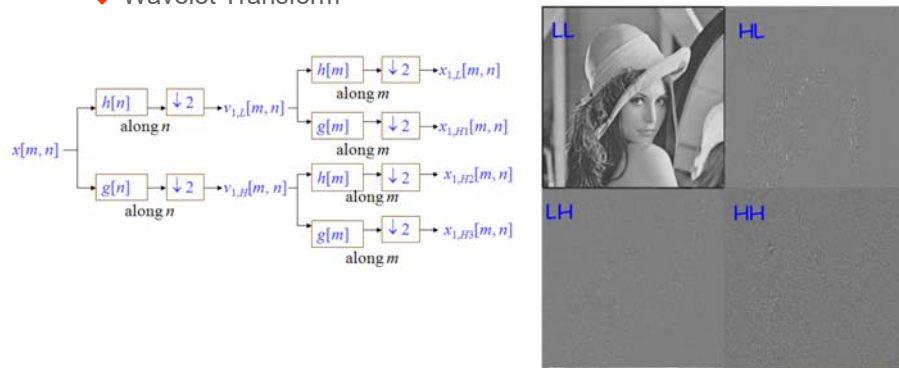
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7. Wavelets and multiresolution processing

- ◆ Multiresolution Expansions
- ◆ Wavelet Transform



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Wavelet Decomposition

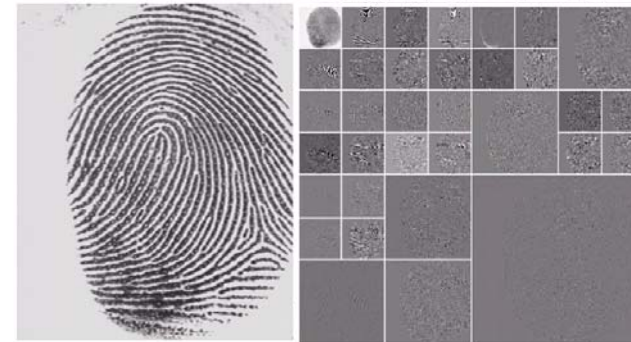


FIGURE 7.34 (a) A scanned fingerprint and (b) its three-scale, full wavelet packet decomposition. (Original image courtesy of the National Institute of Standards and Technology.)

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FIGURE 7.35 An optimal wavelet packet decomposition for the fingerprint of Fig. 7.34(a).

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8. Image compression and Watermarking

- ◆ Image Compression Models
- ◆ Elements of Information Theory
- ◆ Error-Free Compression
- ◆ Lossy Compression
- ◆ Image Compression Standard
- ◆ Fractal Image Compression

◆ More details in the class "Data Compression"



FIGURE 8.34 Approximations of Fig. 8.23 using 25% of the DCT coefficients: (a) and (b) 8×8 subimage results; (c) zoomed original; (d) 2×2 result; (e) 4×4 result; and (f) 8×8 result.

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Multimedia Compression

- ◆ More details in the class "Data Compression" and "Multimedia Systems"

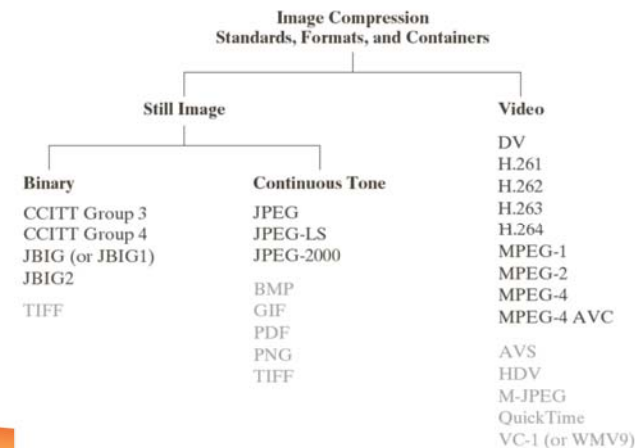


FIGURE 8.6 Some popular image compression standards, file formats, and containers. Internationally sanctioned entries are shown in black; all others are grayed.

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Image Compression - JPEG



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26614 bytes, Cr=29.55

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Image Compression – JPEG2000



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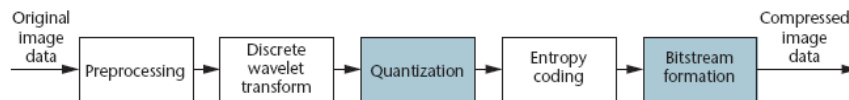
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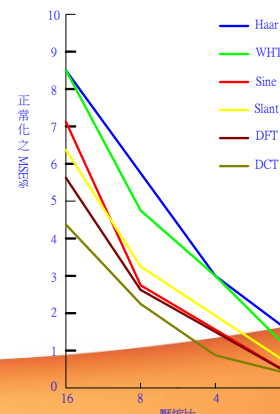
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Lossy Example: Transform Encoding

■ Transform coding



■ Rate-Distortion Curve



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■ 9. Morphological Image Processing

- ◆ Preliminaries
- ◆ Dilation and Erosion
- ◆ Some Basic Morphological Algorithm



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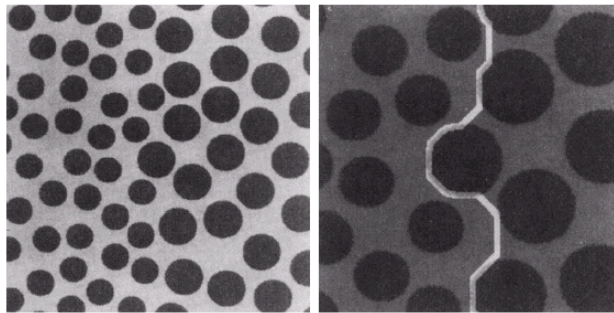
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Textural Segmentation

a b

FIGURE 9.35

(a) Original image. (b) Image showing boundary between regions of different texture. (Courtesy of Mr. A. Morris, Leica Cambridge, Ltd.)



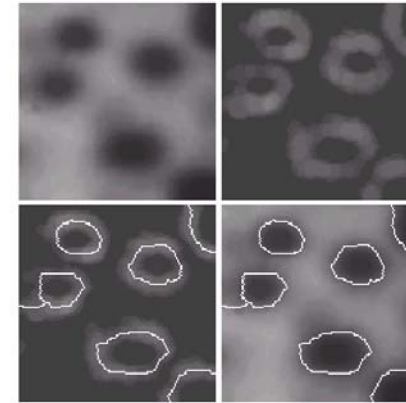
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10. Image Segmentation

- ◆ Edge Linking and Boundary Detection
- ◆ Thresholding
- ◆ Region-Based Segmentation

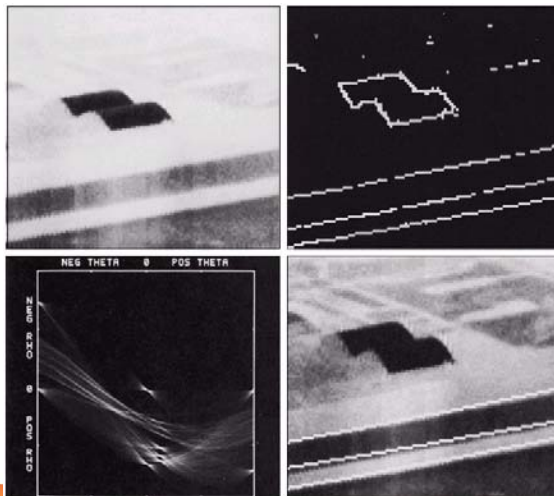
a b
c d

FIGURE 10.46
(a) Image of blobs. (b) Image gradient. (c) Watershed lines. (d) Watershed lines superimposed on original image. (Courtesy of Dr. S. Beucher, CMM/Ecole des Mines de Paris.)



Global Processing via the Hough Transform

- Note the disappearance of the gaps as a result of linking.



a b
c d

FIGURE 10.21

(a) Infrared image. (b) Thresholded gradient image. (c) Hough transform. (d) Linked pixels. (Courtesy of Mr. D. R. Cate, Texas Instruments, Inc.)

AOI Using Hough Transform

- Automated optical inspection using Hough Transform

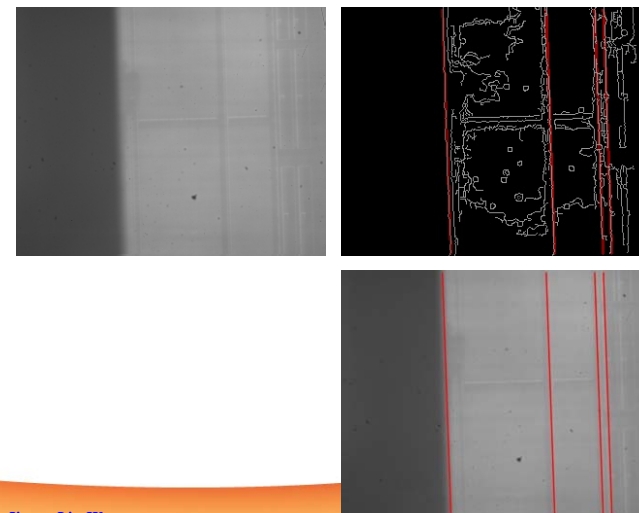
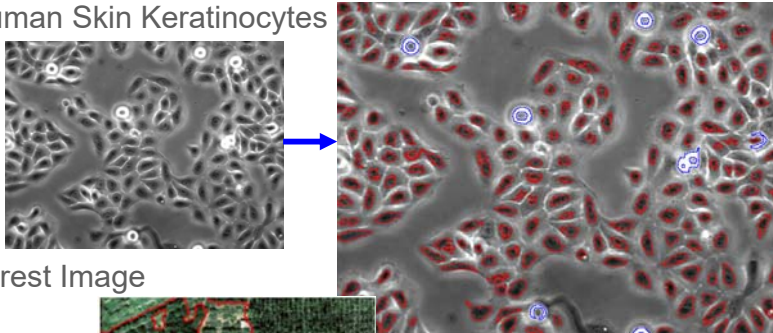
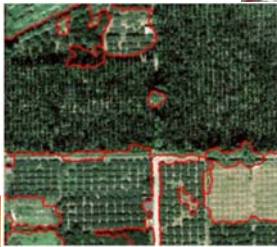


Image Segmentation

- An Automatic Counting System for Microscopic Images of Human Skin Keratinocytes

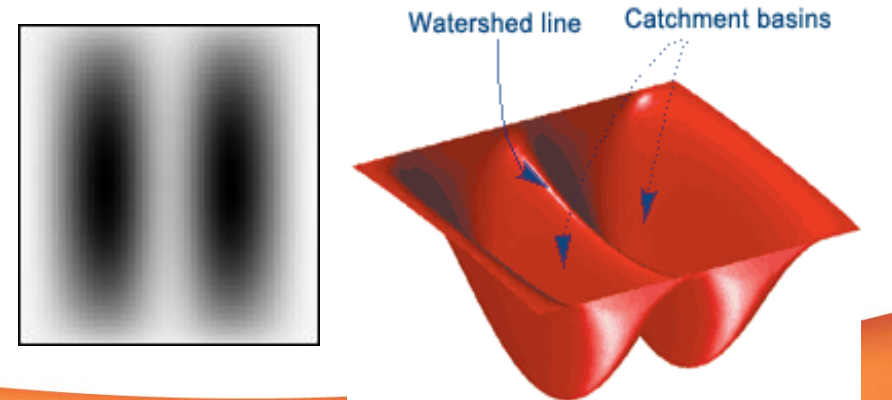


- Forest Image



Segmentation by Morphological Watersheds

- The concept of watersheds is based on visualizing an image in three dimensions: two spatial coordinates versus gray levels. (Topographic surface)



Watershed Segmentation

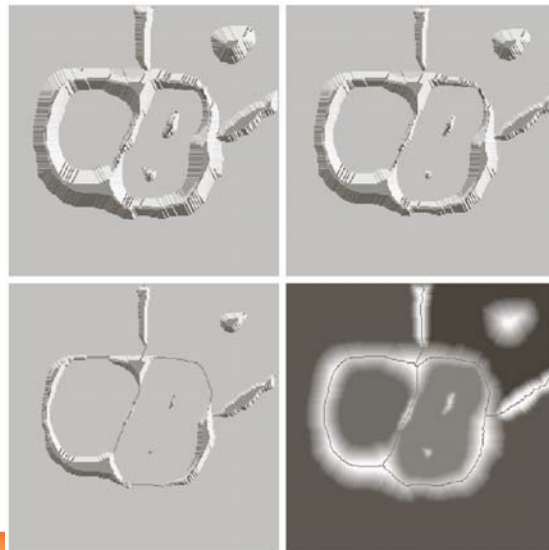
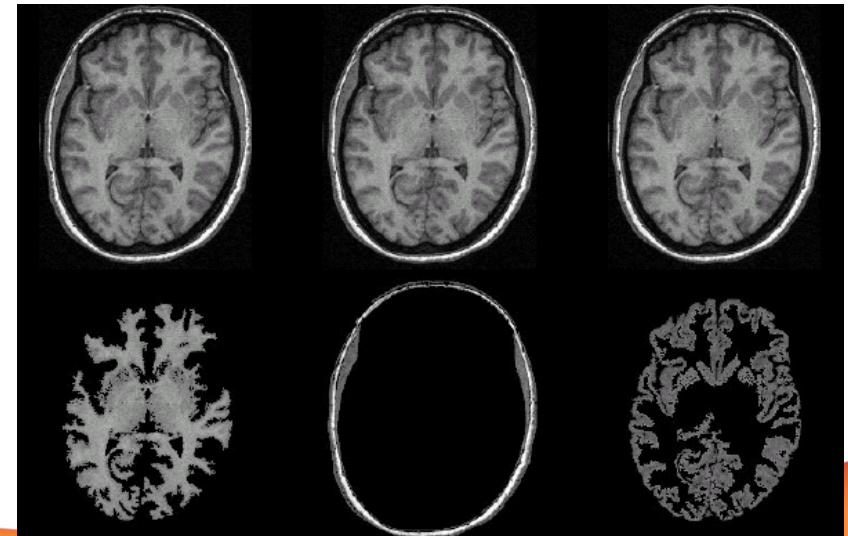


FIGURE 10.54
(Continued)
(e) Result of further flooding.
(f) Beginning of merging of water from two catchment basins (a short dam was built between them). (g) Longer dams (h) Final watershed (segmentation) lines.
(Courtesy of Dr. S. Beucher, CMM/Ecole des Mines de Paris.)

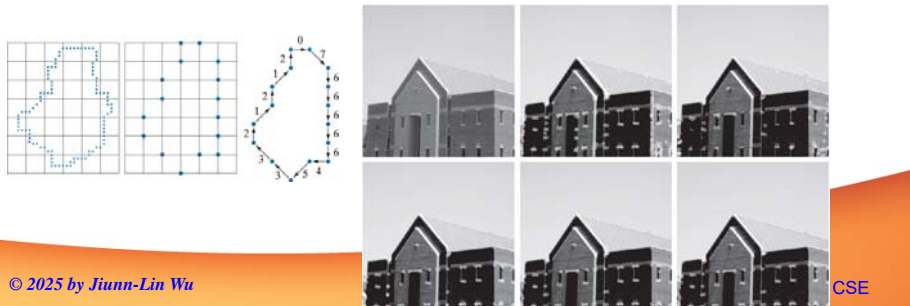
Segmentation by Region Growing



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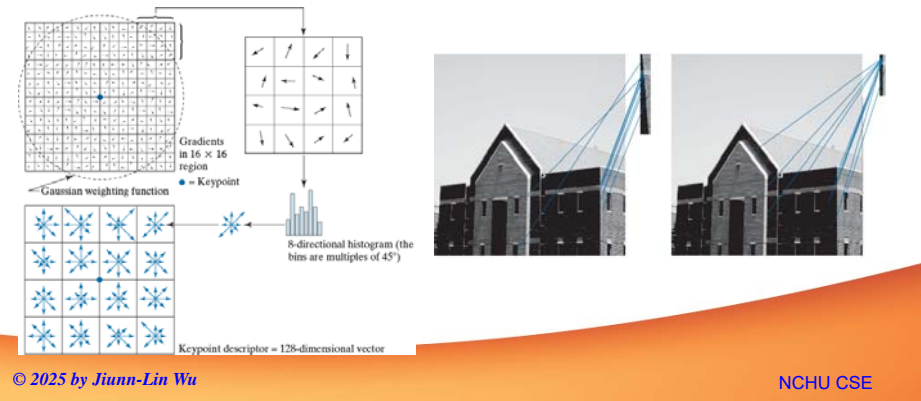
11.Feature Extraction

- ◆ Boundary feature descriptors
- ◆ Region feature descriptors
- ◆ Principal components as feature descriptors (*More details in the PR class*)
- ◆ Whole-image features
- ◆ Scale-invariant feature transform(SIFT)

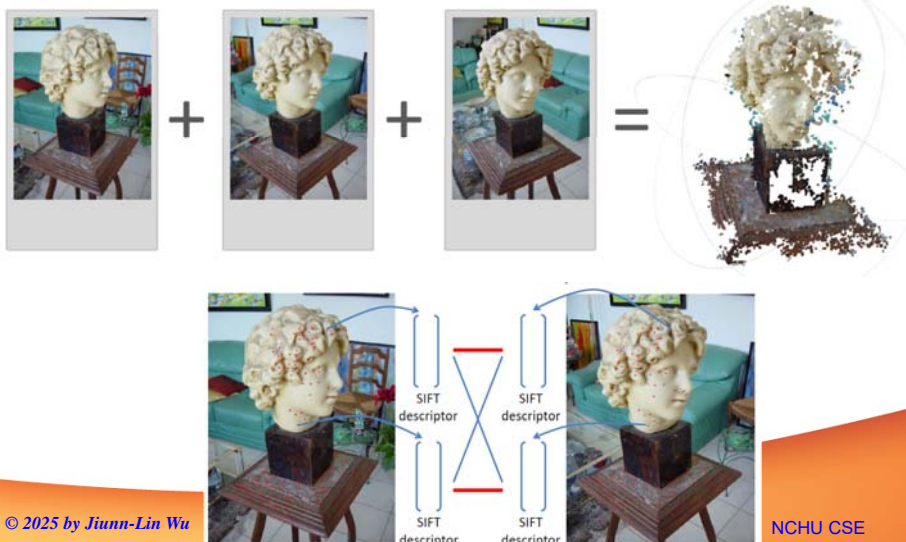


Scale-Invariant Feature Transform(SIFT)

- It is an algorithm used to detect and describe local features in digital images. It locates certain key points and then furnishes them with quantitative information (so-called descriptors) which can for example be used for object recognition. The descriptors are supposed to be invariant against various transformations which might make images look different although they represent the same object(s).

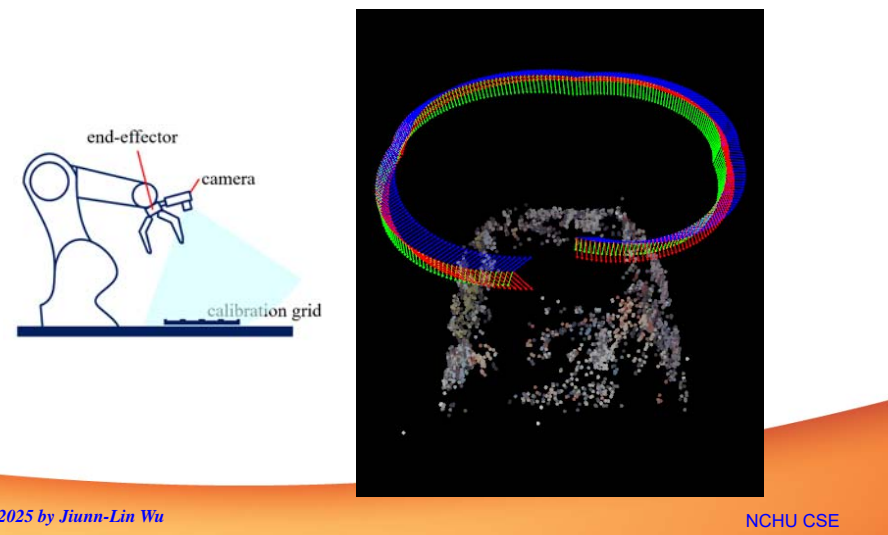


Multi-view 3D Reconstruction



SFM

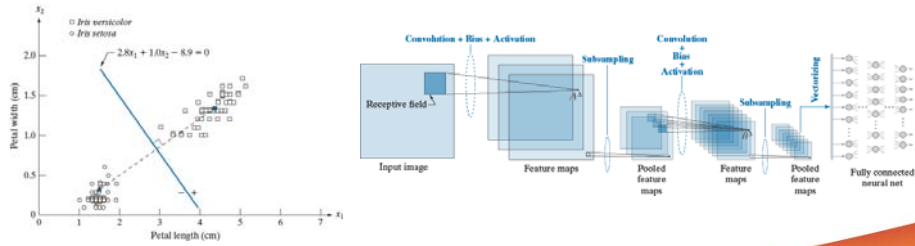
- SFM = Get the Point Cloud from Moving Cameras



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12. Image Pattern Classification

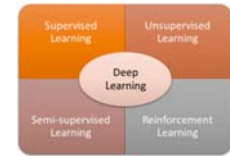
- Expanded coverage of neural networks to include deep neural networks, backpropagation, deep learning, and, especially, deep convolutional neural networks.



Deep Learning

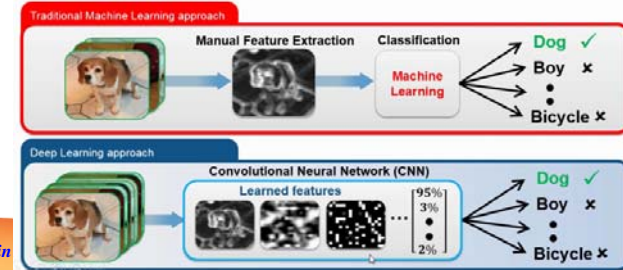
Deep Learning

- Convolutional Neural Networks (卷积神经网络)
- Deep Auto-Encoders
- Residual Net
- Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN/LSTM/GRU)
- Generative Adversarial Networks (GAN)



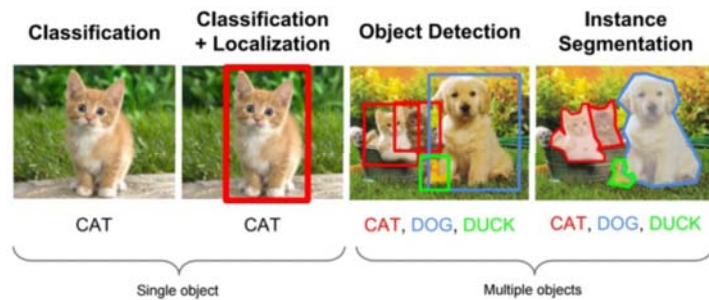
Deep Learning

Deep learning is a machine learning technique that can learn useful representations or features directly from images, text and sound



Object Localization and Detection

- We can use convolution neural networks to localize and detect objects on images.



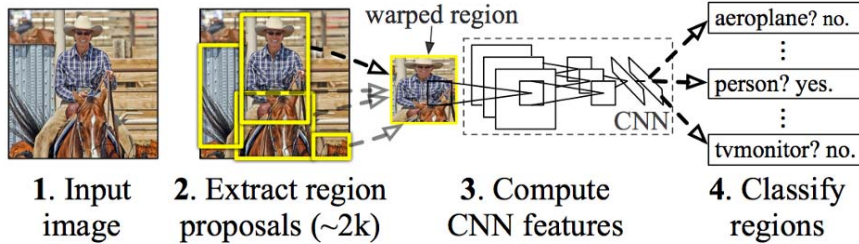
Object Detectors

- Two stage object detectors:** they have one part of their network dedicated to providing region proposals followed by a high quality classifier to classify these proposals.
 - R-CNN
 - Fast R-CNN
 - Faster R-CNN
 - R-FCN
 - Libra R-CNN
- One-stage object detectors:** doing object detection is by combining these two tasks into one network
 - YOLO
 - SSD
 - RetinaNet

Two-Stage Object Detectors

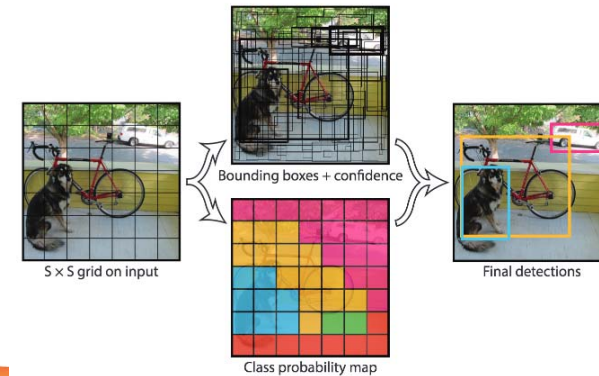
- R-CNN, or **Region-based Convolutional Neural Network**, consisted of 3 simple steps:
 - ◆ Scan the input image for possible objects using an algorithm called Selective Search, generating ~2000 **region proposals**
 - ◆ Run a convolutional neural net (**CNN**) on top of each of these region proposals
 - ◆ Take the output of each **CNN** and feed it into a) an SVM to classify the region and b) a linear regressor to tighten the bounding box of the object,

R-CNN: Regions with CNN features



One-Stage Object Detectors

- YOLO: The input image is divided into an $S \times S$ grid, B bounding boxes are predicted (regression) and a class is predicted among C classes (classification) over the most confident ones. Source: J. Redmon and al. (2016)



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Deep Learning - Unet Architecture

- We used improved 3D U-Net as the network frame for the segmentation of pulmonary fibrosis.



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DIP 3E - New Features

- A revision of introductory concepts that provides readers with foundation material much earlier in the book than before.
- A revised and updated discussion of intensity transformation, spatial correlation, convolution, and their application to spatial filtering.
- New discussion of **fuzzy sets** and their application to image processing.
- A new chapter on the **discrete Fourier transform** and frequency domain processing.
- New coverage of computerized tomography.
- A revision of the **wavelets** chapter.

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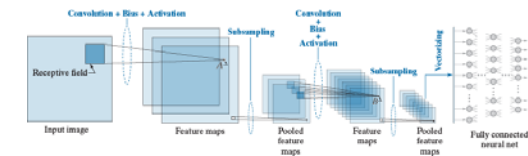
- A new chapter on **data compression**, including **new compression techniques**, **digital video compression**, **standards**, and **watermarking**.
- New coverage of **morphological reconstruction**, **gray-scale morphology**, and advanced morphological algorithms.
- New coverage of **the Marr-Hildreth** and **Canny edge detection algorithms**.
- Expanded coverage of image **thresholding**. (**Otsu's method**)
- New examples and illustrations involving over 400 new images and more than 200 new drawings and tables.
- Expanded homework sets, including over 80 new problems.
- Updated bibliography.

DIP 4E - New Features

- New material related to histogram matching.
- Expanded coverage of the fundamentals of spatial filtering.
- A more comprehensive and cohesive coverage of image transforms.
- A more complete presentation of finite differences, with a focus on edge detection.
- A discussion of clustering, superpixels, graph cuts, and their use in region segmentation.
- New material on **active contours** that includes **snakes** and level sets, and their use in image segmentation.

DIP 4E - New Features

- Coverage of maximally stable extremal regions.
- Expanded coverage of feature extraction to include the **Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT)**.
- Expanded coverage of neural networks to include **deep neural networks, backpropagation, deep learning, and, especially, deep convolutional neural networks.**



- More homework problems at the end of the chapters.
- MATLAB computer projects.

Grading

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| ■ Homework | 50% |
| ■ Final exam | 30% |
| ■ Final project | 20% |