

# UNIT-I

## DIGITAL IMAGE FUNDAMENTALS

\* An image contains descriptive information about the object it represents.

\* An image is defined as a 2-dimensional fn,  $f(x, y)$  that carries some information, where  $x$  &  $y$  known as spatial plane co-ordinates.

Image Processing:-

The Process of analyzing & manipulating images using a computer.

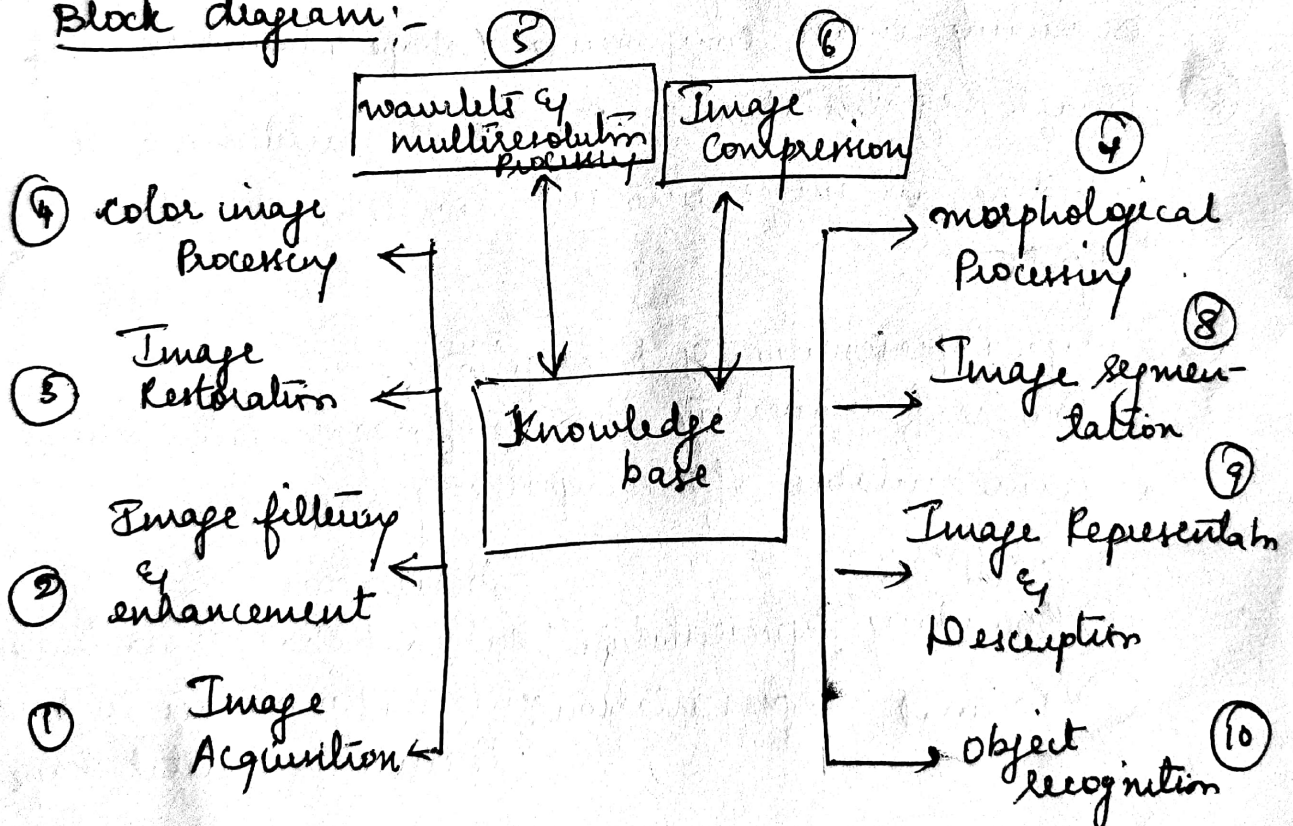
I Steps in Digital image Processing:-

\* 2 categories

1) Methods whose i/p & o/p are images

2) Methods whose i/p are images but o/p's are attributes.

Block diagram:-



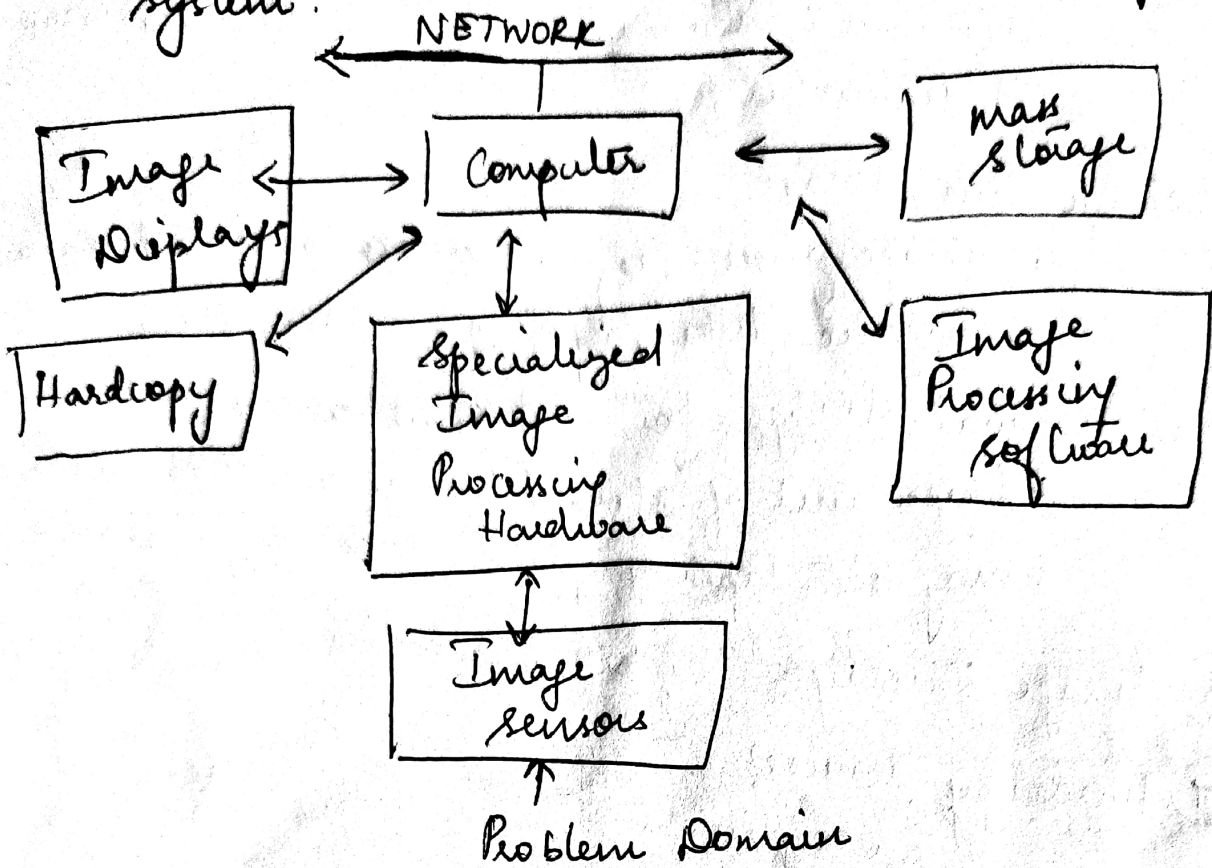
① Image Acquisition: Process of capturing or generating digital image using image sensors. (Preprocessing)

② Image enhancement: Process of manipulating an image to improve its visual quality. (Preprocessing)

image so that the result is more suitable than the original image for specific application (subjective)

- ③ Image Restoration :- Process of improving the appearance of an image. (objective)
- ④ color image Processing :- Process an image considering its color as one of the important attribute in addition.
- ⑤ wavelets & multiresolution Processing :
  - \* It is used for
  - a) Image data compression
  - b) Pyramidal representation - subdividing image into smaller region
- ⑥ Image compression :- Process of reducing the storage required to save an image or reducing Bw to transmit an image
  - a) Lossless compression
  - b) Lossy compression
- ⑦ Morphological Processing :- Deals with the tools for extracting image components. (shape & boundary)
- ⑧ Image segmentation :- Process of partitioning or dividing an image into its constituent parts or objects
- ⑨ Image Representation & Description :-  
Process of converting the o/p of segmentation process into a form suitable for computer processing.  
2 types.
  - ① Boundary Representation : external shape characteristics
  - ② Regional Representation : internal properties such as texture or skeletal shape.
- ⑩ Image Recognition :-  
Process assigns a label or name of an object identified from an image.

## ii Components (or) Elements of image Processing system.



- ① Image sensors:- 2 elements:
- i) Physical device - sensitive to the energy radiated by energy eg: digital video camera.
  - ii) Digitizer: convert o/p of physical sensing device into digital form.

- ② Specialized Image processing hardware:-
- \* H/w consist. of digitizer & some H/w to perform other basic operations.

③ Computer:- It is general purpose system

④ Image Processing software:- write code

⑤ Mass storage:- Large amount of storage space, mass storage capability is important.

→ Types :-

\* 3 categories of digital storage.

- (a) (1) Short-term storage:
- a) Computer memory
  - b) Frame buffer

1024 x 1024 pixels

(b) (2) On-line storage

- \* storage gives frequent access to stored data
- \* magnetic disks & optical-media storage

(c) (3) Archival storage for infrequent access.

- \* large amt of storage space & stored data
- \* magnetic tapes & optical disk → jukeboxes

(6) Image Displays:- color TV monitors

(7) Hardcopy devices:

- (i) Laser printers
- (ii) Film cameras
- (iii) Heat-sensitive devices
- (iv) Inkjet units
- (v) Digital unit like optical & CD-ROM disk.

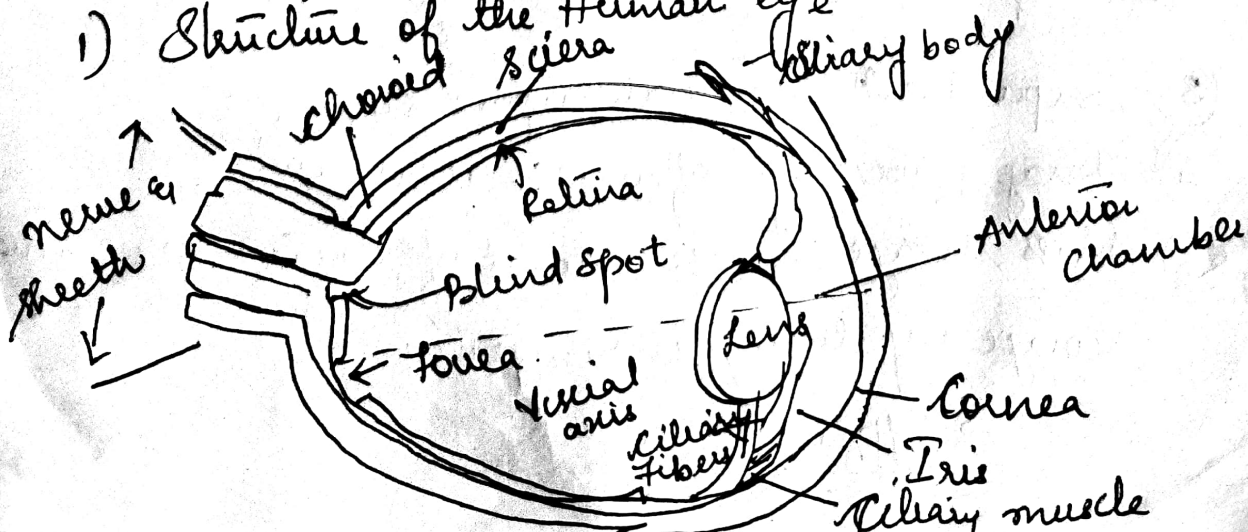
(8) Network:

Image processing application need large amount of data.

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Elements of Visual Perception :-

1) Structure of the Human eye



① a) The cornea & sclera outer cover:-

- \* Tough, Transparent tissue
- \* Sclera is an opaque

② b) The choroid:-

\* N/W of blood vessels which are major nutrition source.

divided into 2 anterior extreme,

i) <sup>The</sup> Ciliary Body

ii) The Iris Diaphragm.

Iris Diaphragm:-

\* central opening of iris known as pupil, diameter varies 2 to 8mm.

Lens:-

\* layers of fibrous cells.

\* Contains 60% to 70% fat & more protein.

Cataracts:-

\* Excessive clouding of lens happen in extreme cases known as cataracts.

③ The Retina:-

\* Inner most membrane of eye.

a) Fovea; central portion of retina.

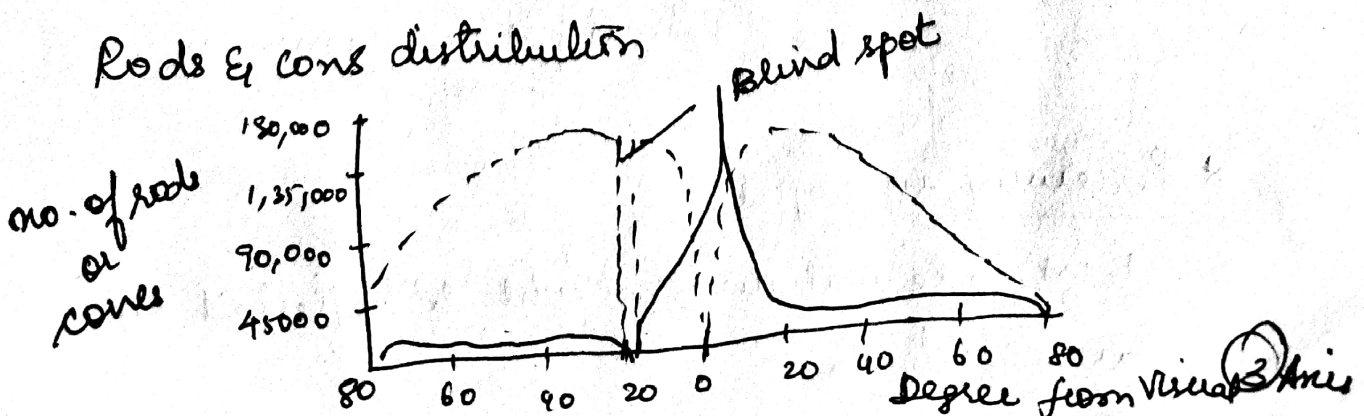
b) light receptors:

\* provide pattern vision

i) Cones — 6 to 7 million (Photopic)

ii) Rods — 75 to 159 million

Rods & cones distribution



Blind spot: The area in which is no presence of light receptors called blind spot.

2) Image formation in the eye: -

\* Role of length: The lens of the eye is flexible, whereas ordinary optical lens is not.

\* radius of curvature of anterior surface of lens > radius of posterior surface.

\* The lens in fiber follows certain things.

i) focus distance objects (> 3m) lens made flatted.

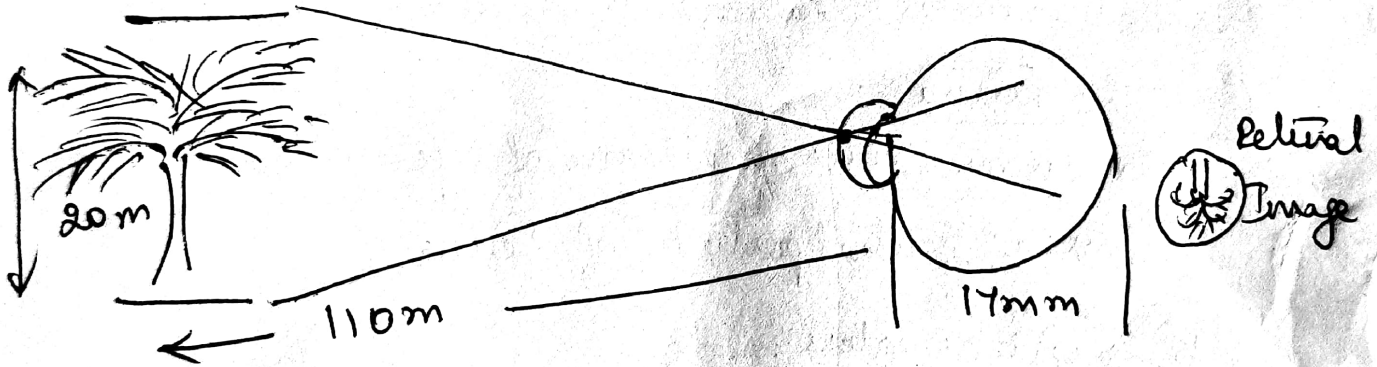
ii) focus nearer object, muscles allow lens to become thicker & most strongly refractive.

\* Focal length: -

Distance b/w center of lens & retina called

focal length

\* To calculate Retinal image size: -



→ Object distance > 3m

→ Focal length = 17mm

$$= \frac{20}{110} = \frac{h}{17 \times 10^{-3}}$$

Size of Retinal  $h = 3.09 \text{ mm}$

\* Perceiving an object: -

→ 1st → Retinal image height 'h' reflected in area of fovea.

- i) Perception takes place by the relative excitation of light.
- ii) Receptors transform the relative excitation of light receptors.
- iii) Receptors transform the radiant energy into electrical impulses.
- iv) These electrical impulses are decoded by brain.

### 3) Brightness Adaptation :-

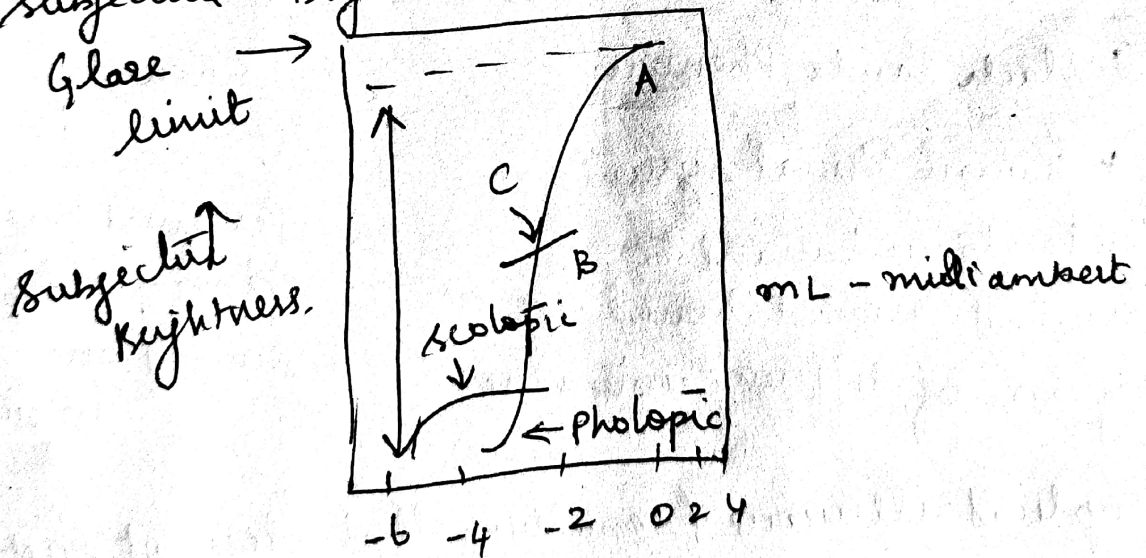
Large variation is accomplished by changing its overall sensitivity. The phenomenon is known as 'Brightness adaptation'.

i) Brightness Adaptation level :

Current sensitivity level of visual system for given set of condition called brightness adaptation level.

ii) Adaptable Range : order  $10^{10}$ .

iii) Subjective Brightness : Human visual system known a subjective brightness.



- A → Represents range of intensities
- (B-c) → range of subjective
- Double branches → scotopic to photopic vision

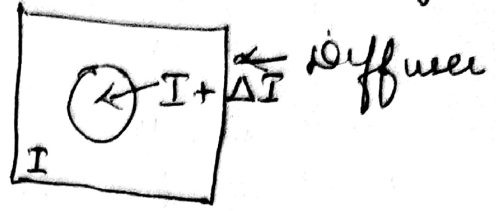
#### 4) Brightness Discrimination

\* Total range of intensity levels can be discriminated simultaneously into smaller total adaptation range.

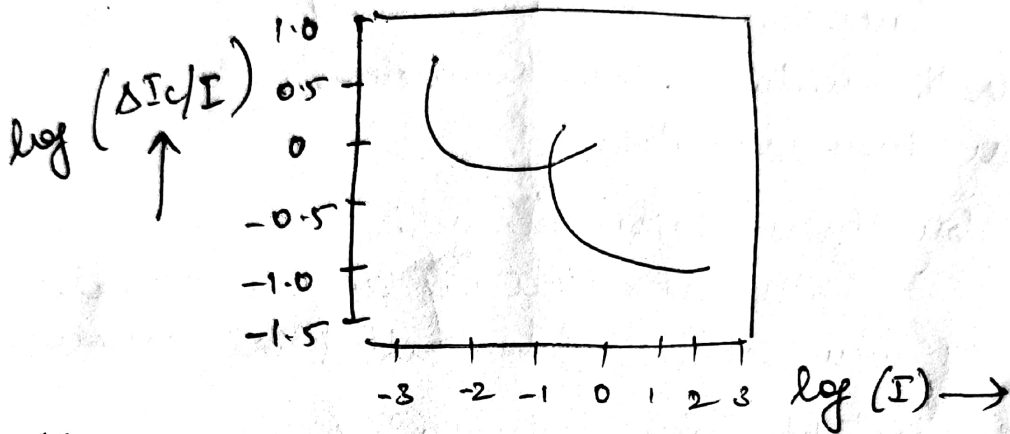
##### i) Experimental setup:-

Case i):-

$$\text{Field} = I + \Delta I$$



weber ratio =  $\frac{\Delta I_c}{I}$  - Increment of illumination 50% of time



Case ii) Observer can see 24 different intensity change.

##### ii) Perceived Brightness & Intensity:-

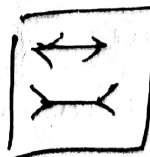
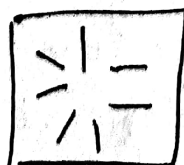
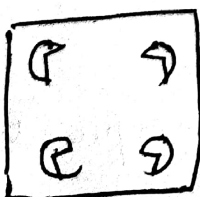
###### i) Mach Bands Phenomena

\* Human Visual System tends to undershoot to overshoot around boundary regions of different intensities

###### ii) Simultaneous Contrast

Perceived brightness does not depend simply on intensity.

##### iii) optical illusions (something that does not exist)



# IV Image sensing & Acquisition :-

\* Process of capturing or generating digital images using imaging sensors.

\* Combination of 2 things in images.

- (i) Illumination source
- (ii) Reflection or absorption of elements.

## Types of sensors:

- (i) single imaging sensor
- (ii) Line sensor
- (iii) Array sensor

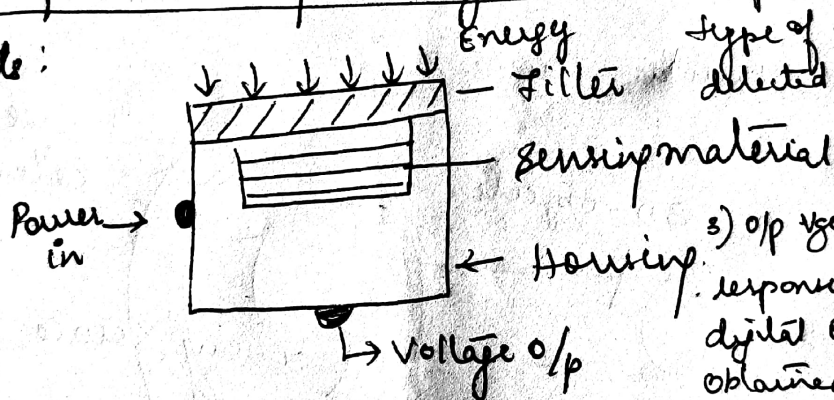
Sensor working Mtd.

- 1) Incoming energy is transformed into a Vge by the combination of i/p electrical power
- 2) Sensor material is responsive to particular type of energy being detected
- 3) o/p Vge waveform is response of sensor & digital o/p is obtained from each sensor by digitizing its response.

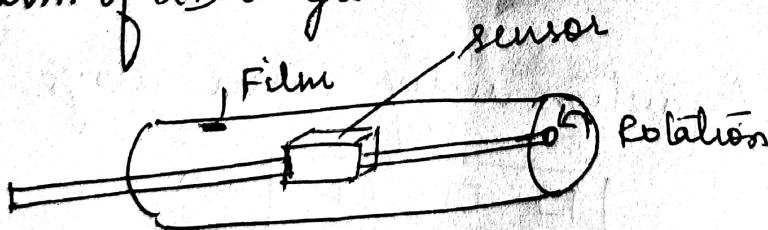
## Imaging process

### 1) Image Acquisition using a single sensor

Components:

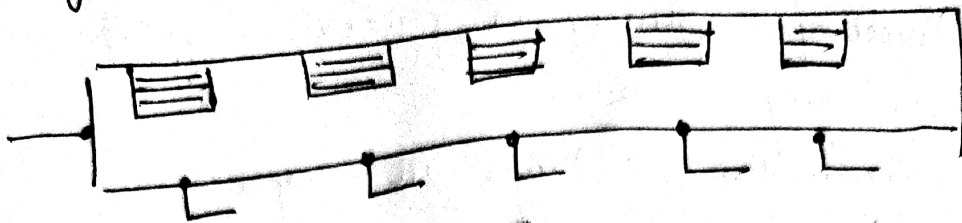


### Generation of 2D images



other arrangement:

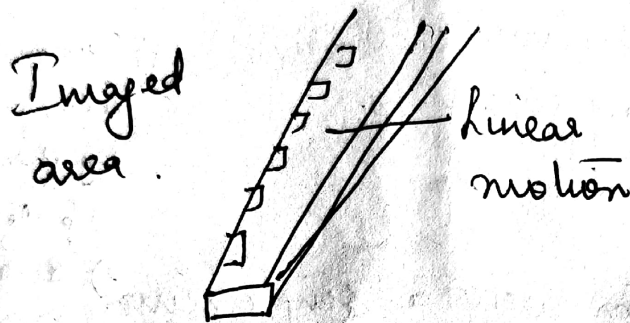
## 2) Image Acquisition using sensor strips



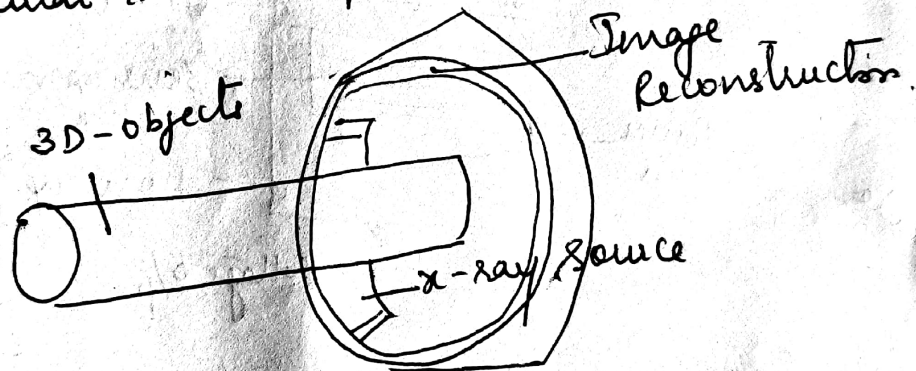
i) linear sensor strip

ii) circular sensor strip

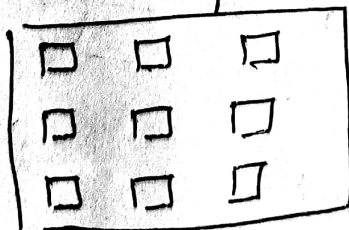
iii) linear sensor strip



iv) circular sensor strip

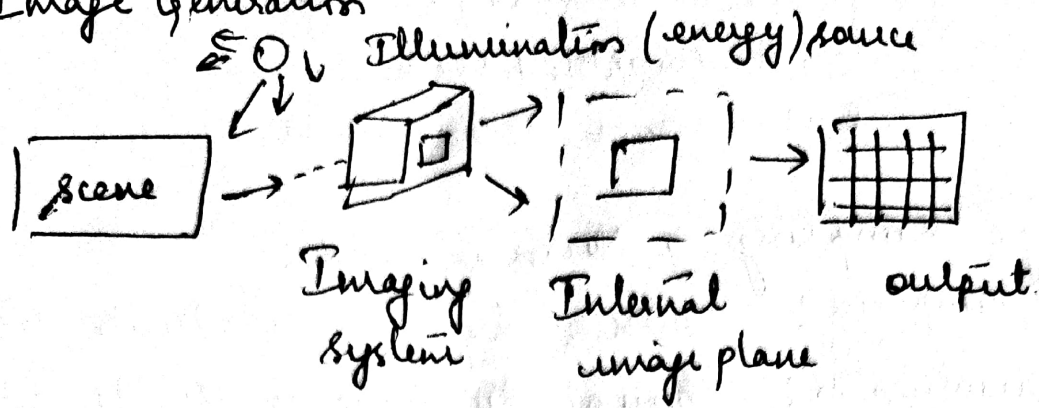


## 3) Image Acquisition using sensor arrays:



\* sensor array used in digital cameras & other light sensing instruments is known as 'CCD array'

## ↓ Image Generation



## \* Image formation model:-

\* 2 dimensional image is denoted by  $f(x, y)$  for.

$$i.e.; 0 < f(x, y) < \infty$$

### Components:

i) Illumination  $i(x, y)$ : amount of source illumination incident on scene.

ii) Reflectance  $r(x, y)$ : amt of illumination reflected in scene.

$$f(x, y) = i(x, y) \cdot r(x, y)$$

$$0 < i(x, y) < \infty$$

$$0 < r(x, y) < 1 \text{ (Represents reflectance component is bounded by total absorption)}$$

\* Intensity or gray level of monochrome image

$$l = f(x_0, y_0)$$

$$\text{Range } l \text{ is } L_{\min} \leq l \leq L_{\max}$$

$$\text{In practice } L_{\min} = i_{\min} \cdot r_{\min}$$

$$L_{\max} = i_{\max} \cdot r_{\max}$$

$[L_{\min}, L_{\max}]$  called gray scale or intensity scale

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Range of  $l = [L_{min}, L_{max}] = [0, L-1]$

$l = 0$  - considered black

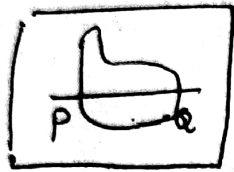
$l = L-1$  - considered white

## Image sampling & Quantization :-

Sampling: Process of digitizing coordinate values

Quantization: Process of digitizing amplitude values.

### 1) Generating a Digital Image:



Continuous image

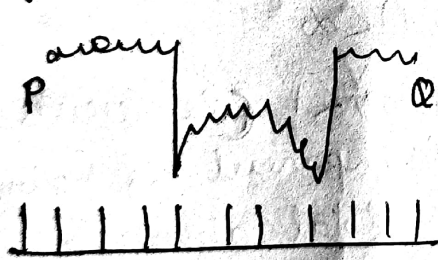


gray level point

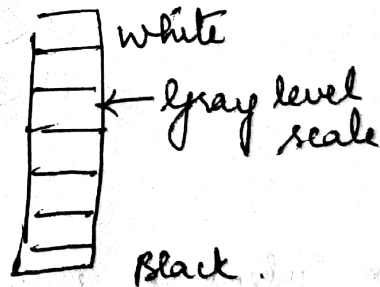
### Sampling & Quantization:

\* equally spaced samples taken along line PQ  
samples

\* Discrete samples are Quantized



Sampling



Black

### Methods of Image Acquisition :-

\* methods differ in sensor arrangement.

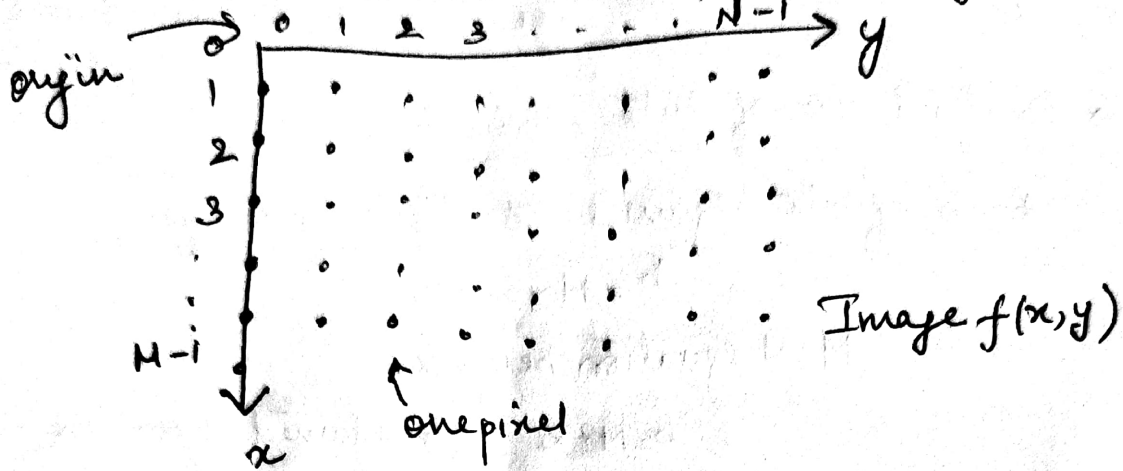
- ① Image used in single sensing elements combined with mechanical motion
- ② Sensing slip for image acquisition
- ③ Sensing array for acquisition: no. of array establishes sampling limitations.

## 2) Digital Image Representation:

\* 2 ways represent digital images

\*  $f(x, y)$  result digital image  $M$  rows,  $N$  columns

\* coordinate conventions represent digital images



\* Value of origin  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

\* 2nd coordinate  $(x, y) = (0, 1)$  1st row

\* 2nd value  $(x, y) = (1, 0)$  1st column.

Method 1:

$$f(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} f(0,0) & f(0,1) & \dots & f(0,N-1) \\ f(1,0) & f(1,1) & \dots & f(1,N-1) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ f(M-1,0) & f(M-1,1) & \dots & f(M-1,N-1) \end{bmatrix}$$

\* matrix array called image element, picture element, pixel.

Method 2:  $M \times N$  digital image,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{0,0} & a_{0,1} & \dots & a_{0,N-1} \\ a_{1,0} & a_{1,1} & \dots & a_{1,N-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{M-1,0} & a_{M-1,1} & \dots & a_{M-1,N-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a_{ij} = f(x=i, y=j) = f(i, j)$$

→ To find the no. of gray levels:-

\* Integral power of 2

$$L = 2^k$$

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\*  $2^k$  gray level is k-bit image.

→ Dynamic Range :-

+ Gray scale  $[0, L-1]$  called dynamic range of image

\* Dynamic range is high → contrast

\* " " low → dull washed out gray look.

→ To find no. of bits required :-

\* no. of bits required to digitized image,

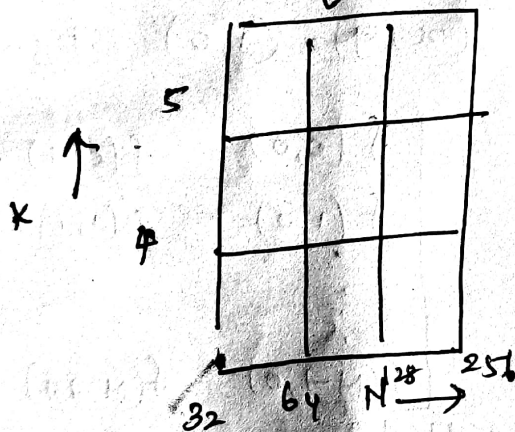
$$b = M \times N \times k$$

$M=N$  equation becomes

$$b = N^2 k, \quad k \rightarrow \text{obtained from eqn.}$$

Isopreference curves :-

values of  $N$  &  $k$ , a set of curves generated



3) Spatial Resolution :-

\* A smallest no. of discernible i.e.; recognizable line

Pairs per unit distance.

\* image of size  $M \times N$  with 2 gray levels.

\* line pair per unit distance  $\approx \frac{1}{2W}$

False contouring !

#### 4) Gray-level Resolution:-

- \* Defined as smallest discernible change in gray level.
- \* Gray level depends on human perception "subjective process"

\* L-level digital image size  $M \times N = L$  levels.

#### 5) Aliasing Effect:

##### a) Band-limited functions:

\* It represents in terms of sine & cosine of various frequencies. The sine & cosine component have highest frequency determines 'highest frequency content of function'.

##### b) sampling rate:

no. of samples taken per unit distance.

##### c) Shannon's sampling theorem:

It states that if  $f_n$  is sampled at a rate greater or equal to twice its highest frequency, original  $f_n$  completely recovered from samples.

$$f_s \geq 2f_{\max} \text{ — highest i/p frequency}$$

↑  
sampling frequency.

Aliasing:- A  $f_n$  is undersampled if sample freq is very low, so it cannot satisfy the Shannon theorem. In Additional frequency components introduced into the sampled  $f_n$  which sampled images. This effect is called aliasing.

##### b) Moire patterns:

$f_n$  of finite duration can be sampled over finite interval without violating Shannon (8)

## Shannon sampling theorem

7) Zooming of Digital images:  
Zooming indicates oversampling.

Steps: 2 steps  
a) Creation of new pixel location  
b) assignment of gray level location.

Methods: 1) Nearest neighbor interpolation

2) Pixel replication

3) Bilinear interpolation

Pixel replication  $\rightarrow$  duplication

Bilinear interpolation  $\rightarrow$  4 nearest neighbors pt.  
( $x, y$ ) co-ordinates of points,  $v(x, y)$  grey level  
assigned to that point.

$$v(x', y') = ax' + by' + cx'y' + d.$$

8) Shrinking of Digital images:-

Viewed by under sampling, applied to image

of digitizing

Method I:

\* Row - column detection method

\* Pixel replication method in zooming

\* Required size of image.

Method II:-

\* grid analogy for zooming.

i) Keep an imaginary grid of required size over original image.

ii) Expand the grid to fit over original image

- iii) Gray level assignment
- iv) Shrink the grid back to its original specified size which gives shrink image of required size.

VII Relationships between pixels:-

\* Image  $f(x, y)$  are explained.

1) Neighbors of a pixel.

3 types

- 1) 4- Neighbors,  $N_4(P)$
- 2) Diagonal Neighbors  $N_D(P)$
- 3) 8- neighbors  $N_8(P)$

① 4- Neighbors  $N_4(P)$

$(x+1, y), (x-1, y), (x, y+1), (x, y-1)$

$x-1$ $y-1$	$x-1$ $y$	$x-1$ $y+1$
$x$ $y-1$	$x, y$	$x$ $y+1$
$x+1$ $y-1$	$x+1$ $y$	$x+1$ $y+1$

② Diagonal Neighbors,  $N_D(P)$ :

$(x+1, y+1), (x+1, y-1), (x-1, y+1), (x-1, y-1)$

③ 8- Neighbors,  $N_8(P)$

\* 4 neighbors called 8- neighbors.

2) Adjacency:

Values 0 to 255

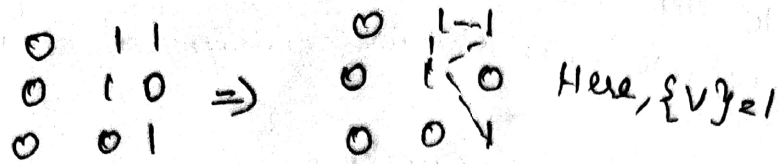
① 4- Adjacency:

$P$  &  $q$  values from  $\{V, N_4(P)\}$

② 8- Adjacency:

③

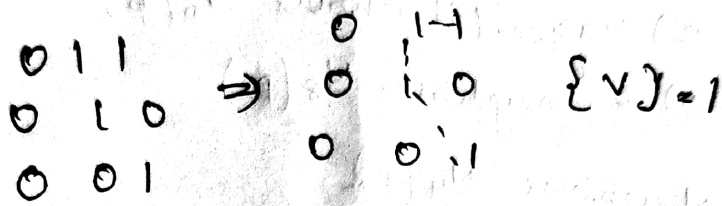
\* Two pixels  $p$  &  $q$  with values  $\{V\}$  images 8-adjacent



③ m-Adjacency (mixed Adjacency) :-  
2 pixels

a)  $q \in N_4(p)$  or

b)  $q \in N_p(p)$  set  $\{N_4(p) \cap N_8(q)\}$



3) Path

\* known as digital path or curve.

\* pixel  $p$  with coordinates  $(x, y)$  with pixel  $q$

$(x_0, y_0), (x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n)$

where  $(x_0, y_0) = (x, y)$

$(x_n, y_n) = (s, t)$

Path length: no. of pixels present in a path

closed path:  $(x_0, y_0) = (x_n, y_n)$

Types: ① 4-path

② 8-path

③ m-path

4) Connectivity:

condition: - 2 pixels said to connected,

a) they are neighbors

b) their gray levels satisfy a specified

similarity criterion.

Def: 'S' represent a subset of pixels in an unigue connected set:

For pixel p, the set pixels that are connected p called connected component of S.

5) Region:-

Let R represent a subset of pixels in an image.

6) Boundary:-

\* Known as border (or) contour.

\* Boundary of a finite region forms a closed path, it is a global concept.

7) Edge:-

\* gray level or intensity discontinuities  
Edge segments.

8) Distance measures

Distance b/w different pixels.

conditions

$$a) D(p, q) \geq 0, [D(p, q) = 0 \text{ if } p = q]$$

$$b) D(p, q) = D(q, p) \text{ and}$$

$$c) D(p, z) \leq D(p, q) + D(q, z)$$

Types:

① Euclidean distance  $= D_e(p, q) = \sqrt{(x-s)^2 + (y-t)^2}$

② city - Block (or)  $D_4$  distance  $= D_4(p, q) = |x-s| + |y-t|$

③ chessboard (or)  $D_8$  distance

④  $D_m$  distance.

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9) Image operations on a pixel basis:-

\* Image are represented in form of matrices

\* Dividing one image by another.

\* Arithmetic operation.

$$\text{Addition} = p + q$$

$$\text{subtraction} = p - q$$

$$\text{multiplication} = p * q \text{ (or) } p \cdot q \text{ (or) } p \times q$$

$$\text{Division} = p \div q$$

\* Principal of logic operation.

vii color Image Fundamentals:-

\* 2 broad categories:-

i) Pseudo color processing.

\* monochrome intensity or range of intensities

ii) Full color processing:

\* Full color sensors.

i) characterization of light:-

i) Achromatic (or) monochromatic light:

\* " is light seen on a black & white television set.

\* characterized by one attribute called intensity or amount or graylevel

ii) chromatic light

3 basic quantities:

a) Radiance - Total amount of energy flow from light source.

b) luminance - measures amount of energy perceived from a light source by observer

c) Brightness: Key factor of discussing color sensation which is an achromatic notion of intensity.

iii) colors;

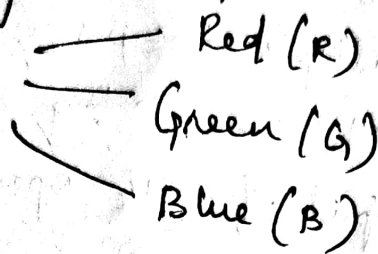
\* Brightness

\* Hue

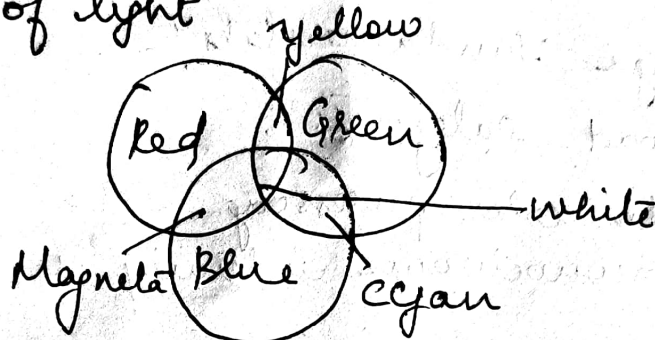
\* Saturation

2) Primary & secondary colors

Primary colors

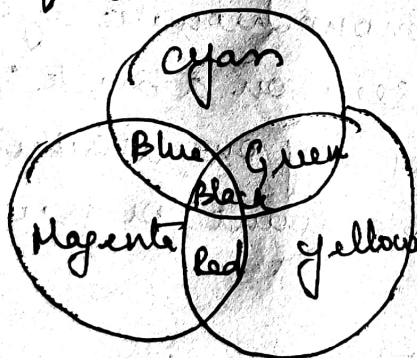


i) mixtures of light



additive primaries

ii) Mixture of pigments



subtractive primaries

3) Trichromatic coefficients:

\* Red, green, blue needed any particular color called Tristimulus values.

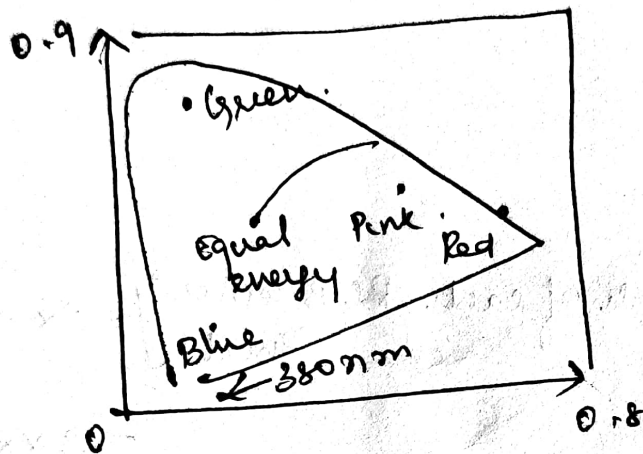
$$r = \frac{R}{R+G+B}$$

$$g = \frac{G}{R+G+B}$$

$$b = \frac{B}{R+G+B}$$

Eqn as,  $r+g+b=1$ .

4) Chromaticity Diagram:-  
 \* Value of  $b$  (blue) for any value of  $r$  &  $g$ .



uses:-

- \* color mixing as a straight
- \* center pt of chart to any pt on boundary will give all shades.
- \* Range of color acquired 3 given colors.

IV) color models:-

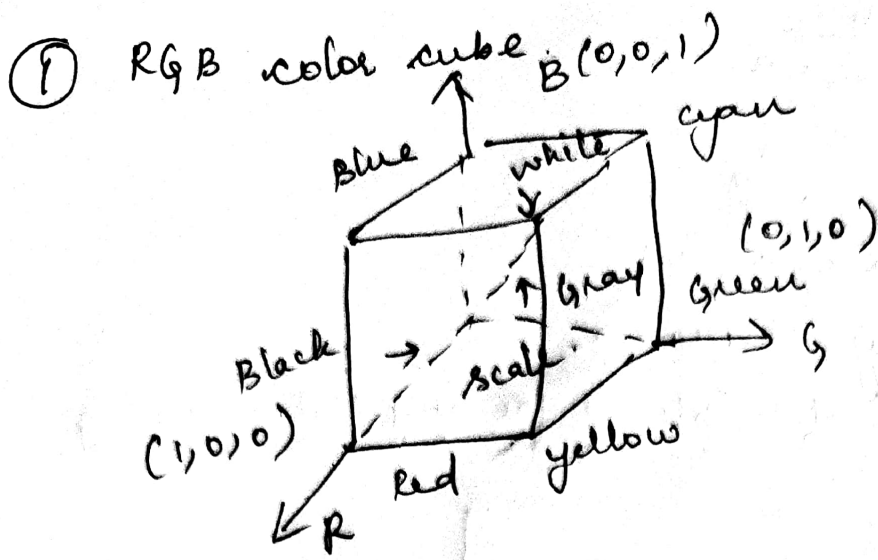
- \* A specification of a coordinate system & subspace within that system
- \* Color model called color space or color system.

classification

- i) RGB (Red, Green, Blue)
- ii) CMY (Cyan, magenta, yellow) & CMYB (Black)
- iii) HSI (Hue, saturation, Intensity) model

RGB:-

- \* Color appears in Primary spectral components



Pixel Depth:

Pixel Depth of each RGB color =  $3 \times \text{no. of bits / plane}$

$$= 3 \times 8 = 24$$

Full color image:-

Total no. of colors =  $(2^8)^3 = 16,777,216$

② Safe RGB colors:-

\* application of few hundred or fewer colors.  
256 colors.

\* set of all systems safe colors.

→ Standard safe colours;

→ component values of safe colors;

∴ Total no. of possible values =  $6 \times 6 \times 6 = 216$ .

→ Hexadecimal Representation:-

Decimal	Hexadecimal
0	00

51	33
102	66
153	99
204	CC
255	FF

③ Applications

- i) color monitors
- ii) color video cameras

④ Advantages :-

- \* Image code generation
- \* other models such as CMY straight forward

⑤ Disadvantages:

- \* Combining 3 primary images
- \* not suitable for describing colors in a way which is practical for human interpretation

2) The HSV (Hue saturation Intensity) color model :-

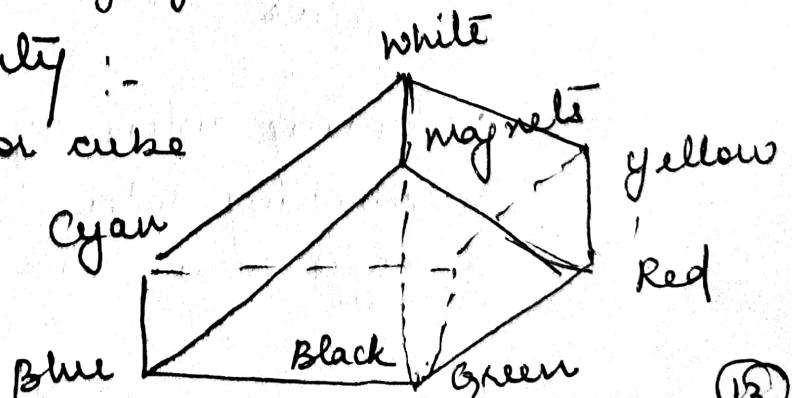
Hue: a color that describe a pure color

Saturation: a measure of degree to which a pure color is diluted by white light

Intensity: monochromatic images also called gray level.

⑥ To find intensity :-

- \* RGB color cube



Intensity axis: black vertex  $(0,0,0)$  & white vertex  $(1,1,1)$

Determining Intensity component:

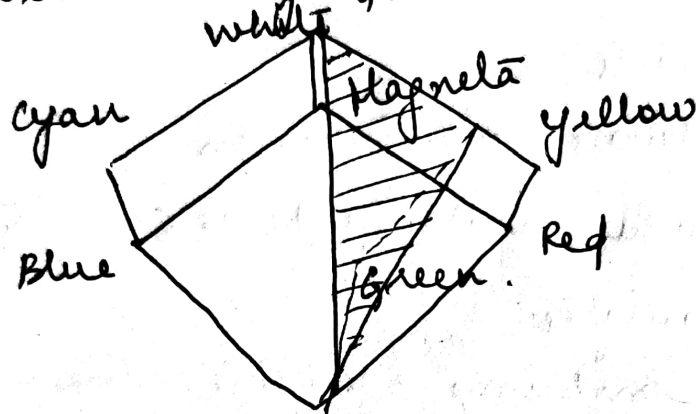
\* Intensity value range  $[0,1]$

② To find Saturation:

\* intensity axis are gray means saturation.

③ To find Hue:

\* Determine by RGB color cube

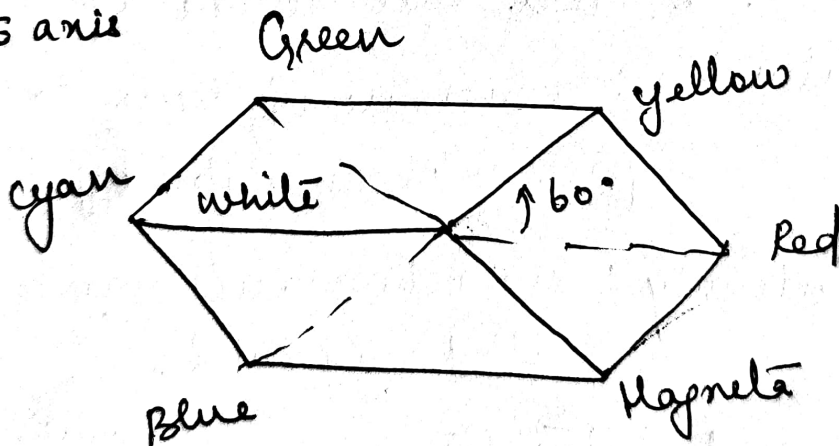


④ HSI color space:

\* A vertical intensity axis &

\* The locus of color points that lie on planes

are to axis



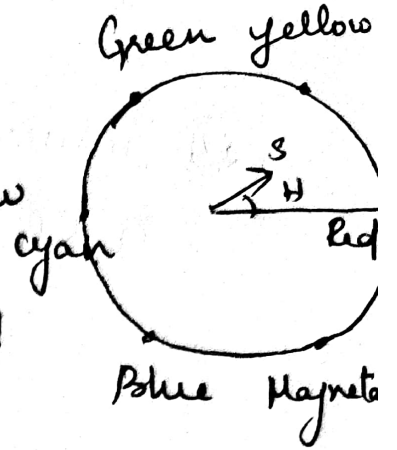
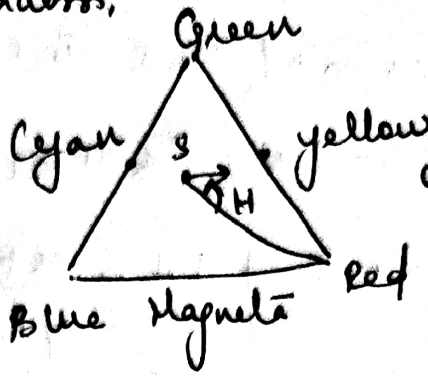
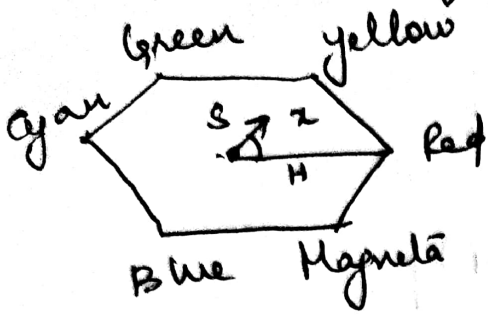
\* Primary colors separated by  $120^\circ$

\* secondary color by  $120^\circ$

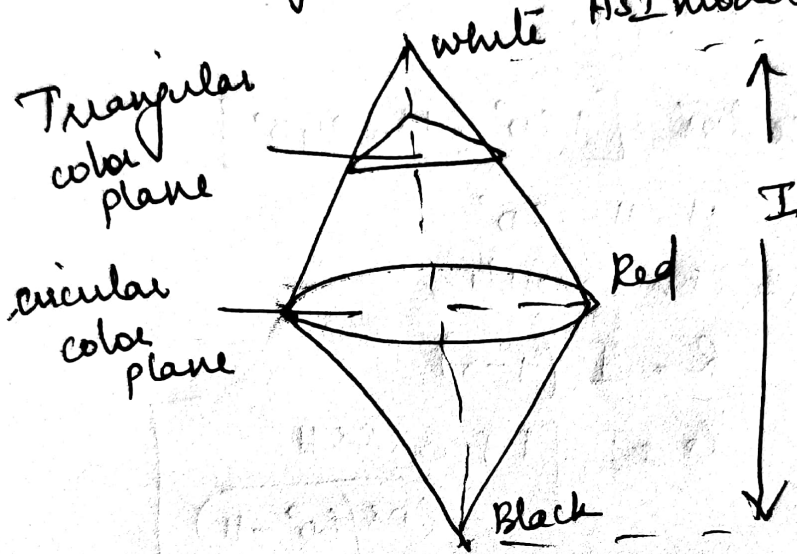
\* angle b/w secondaries & primaries is  $60^\circ$

→ Representation of Hue;

→ Representation of saturation;



Triangular & circular color planes in HSI models.



### 3) Image format conversion

① Conversion of RGB to HSI.

a) Hue component, H of each RGB pixel as,

$$H = \begin{cases} \theta & , B \leq G \\ 360 - \theta & , B > G \end{cases}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\frac{1}{2} [(R-G) + (R-B)]}{[(R-G)^2 + (R-B)(G-B)]^{1/2}} \right\}$$

b) Saturation component, S

$$S = 1 - \left\{ \frac{3}{(R+G+B)} \cdot (R, G, B)_{\min} \right\}$$

c) Intensity component  $I$ ,

$$I = \frac{1}{3} (R + G + B)$$

② conversion of HSI to RGB:

① RGB sector  $[0^\circ \leq H < 120^\circ]$

$$R = I \left[ 1 + \frac{s \cos H}{\cos(60^\circ - H)} \right]$$

$$G = I - (R + B)$$

$$B = I (1 - s)$$

② GB sector  $[120^\circ \leq H < 240^\circ]$

$$H = H - 120^\circ$$

RGB components,

$$R = I (1 - s)$$

$$G = I \left[ 1 + \frac{s \cos H}{\cos(60^\circ - H)} \right]$$

$$B = I - (R + G)$$

③ BR sector  $[240^\circ \leq H < 360^\circ]$

$$H = H - 240^\circ$$

RGB component

$$R = I - (G + B)$$

$$G = I (1 - s)$$

$$B = I \left[ 1 + \frac{s \cos H}{\cos(60^\circ - H)} \right]$$

④ Modifying RGB images: -

① To change the hue of individual color:

(b) To change the saturation or Purity of a color.

(c) To change Average intensity.

Two Dimensional mathematical Preliminaries:-

1) Array versus Matrix operations.  
array product

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}b_{11} & a_{12}b_{12} \\ a_{21}b_{21} & a_{22}b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

matrix product of 2 images,

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{21} & a_{11}b_{12} + a_{12}b_{22} \\ a_{21}b_{11} + a_{22}b_{21} & a_{21}b_{12} + a_{22}b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

2) Linear versus non-linear operations:

\* H produces an o/p image  $g(x, y)$ , i/p image  $f(x, y)$

$$H[f(x, y)] = g(x, y)$$

\* Property of additivity & homogeneity,

$$\begin{aligned} H[a_i f_i(x, y) + a_j f_j(x, y)] &= a_i H[f_i(x, y)] + a_j H[f_j(x, y)] \\ &= a_i g_i(x, y) + a_j g_j(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

→ Additivity Property,

$$H[f_i(x, y) + f_j(x, y)] = H[f_i(x, y)] + H[f_j(x, y)]$$

(15)

Homogeneity property:

$$H[a f(x, y)] = a H[f(x, y)] \\ = a g(x, y)$$

3) Arithmetic operations:-

\* Basic operations are,

$$S(x, y) = f(x, y) + g(x, y)$$

$$d(x, y) = f(x, y) - g(x, y)$$

$$P(x, y) = f(x, y) \times g(x, y)$$

$$q(x, y) = f(x, y) \div g(x, y)$$

4) Logical operations:-

\* Basic are,

$$C = (A) \text{ OR } (B) - \text{Union}$$

$$D = (A) \text{ AND } (B) - \text{Intersection}$$

$$E = \text{NOT } (A) - \text{Complement}$$

2D Transforms - DFT, DCT :-

\* It works by spatial domain,

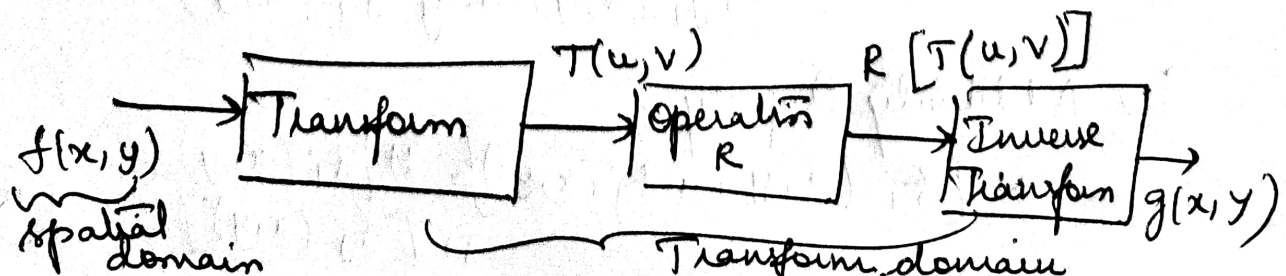
\* 2-D linear transforms, denoted  $T(u, v)$  can be as,

$$T(u, v) = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y) \kappa(x, y, u, v)$$

f/p  
image

fwd Transformation  
Kernel

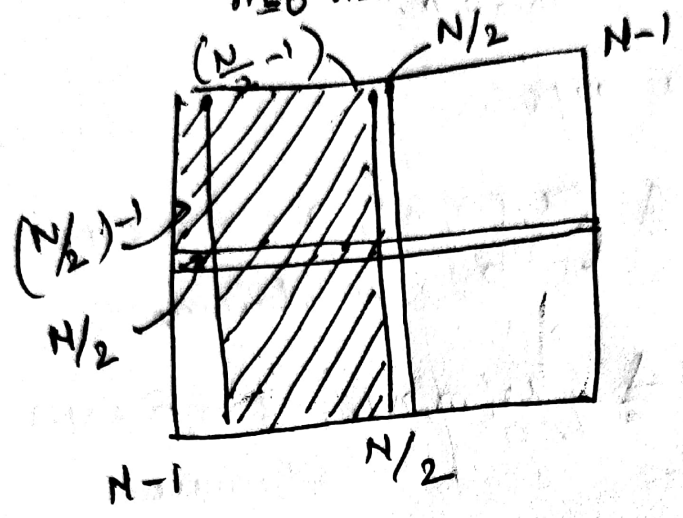
$T(u, v) \rightarrow$  forward transform of  $f(x, y)$ .



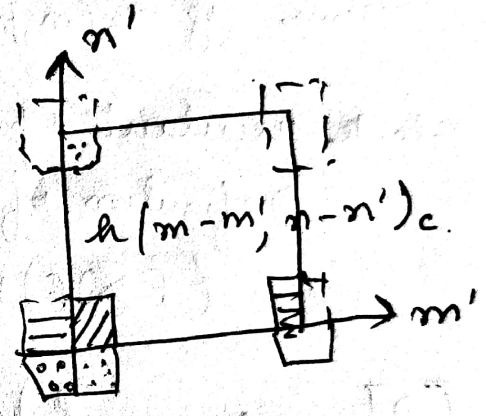
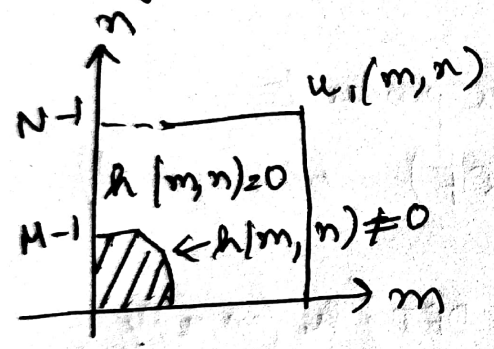
1) 2-dimensional DFT,

\* Two dimensional DFT as,  $\{u(m, n)\}$

$$V(k, l) = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} u(m, n) W_N^{km} W_N^{ln}, \quad 0 \leq k, l \leq N-1$$



Array  $h(m, n)$



\*  $N \times N$  region with  $u_1(m, n)$ .

$$\sum_{m=0}^{N-1} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} h(m-m', n-n')_c W_N^{(mk+nl)}$$

$$= W_N^{(m'k+n'l)} \sum_{i=-m'}^{N-1-m'} \sum_{j=-n'}^{N-1-n'} h(i, j)_c W_N^{(ik+jl)}$$

$$= W_N^{(m'k+n'l)} \text{DFT}\{h(m, n)\}_N$$

DFT of both sides,

$$\text{DFT}\{u_2(m, n)\}_N = \text{DFT}\{h(m, n)\}_N \text{DFT}\{u_1(m, n)\}_N$$

Calculating 2 dimensional convolution,

$$x_3(m, n) = \sum_{m'=0}^{H-1} \sum_{n'=0}^{H-1} x_2(m-m', n-n') x_1(m', n')$$

define  $N \times N$  arrays

$$\bar{h}(m, n) \triangleq \begin{cases} x_2(m, n), & 0 \leq m, n \leq H-1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$u_1(m, n) \triangleq \begin{cases} x_1(m, n), & 0 \leq m, n \leq H-1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

from fig  $x_3(m, n) = u_2(m, n), 0 \leq m, n \leq 2H-2$

Block circulant operation:

Definition of Kronecker product

$$(F \otimes F)_{H^2} = D(F \otimes F) \quad D(\text{diagonal})$$

$$[D]_{(KN+l, KN+l), (K, l)} \triangleq d_{k, l} = \text{DFT}\{h(m, n)\}_N,$$

$$0 \leq k, l \leq N-1$$

Block Toeplitz operations:

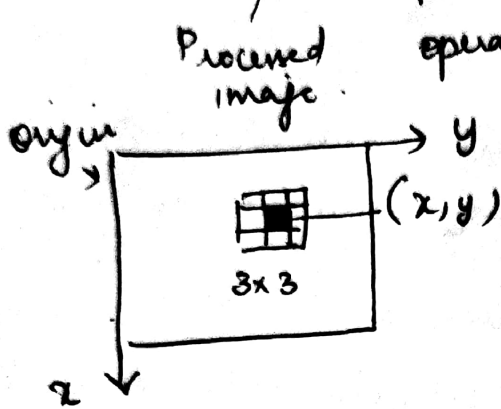
\* doubly block circulant operation.

# UNIT - II

## IMAGE ENHANCEMENT

### I SPATIAL DOMAIN METHODS:

\* spatial domain process are denoted by expression,  $g(x,y) = T[f(x,y)]$  / process



### II Gray level transformation :-

1) Basic Gray level Transformation function.

\* neighborhood of size  $1 \times 1$ , functions as,  
 $S = T(r)$

$r$  - denotes gray level  $f(x,y)$

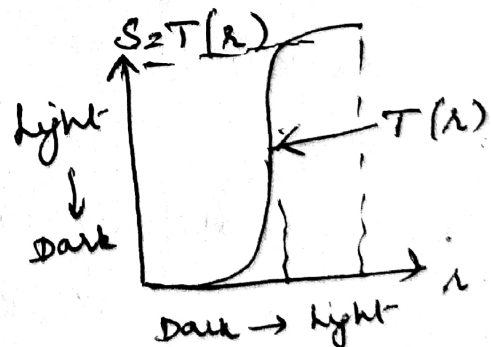
$S$  = denotes gray  $g(x,y)$  at pt  $(x,y)$ .

① Contrast stretching

② Thresholding

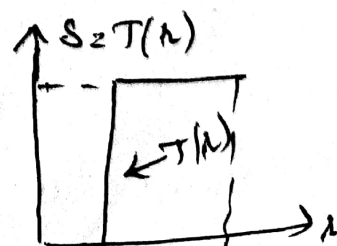
① Contrast stretching :-

\* Darkening of level below  $m$ ,  
 & brightening the level  $m$ .



② Thresholding function

\*  $T(r)$  produces a two level binary images



①

### ⑧ Point processing: -

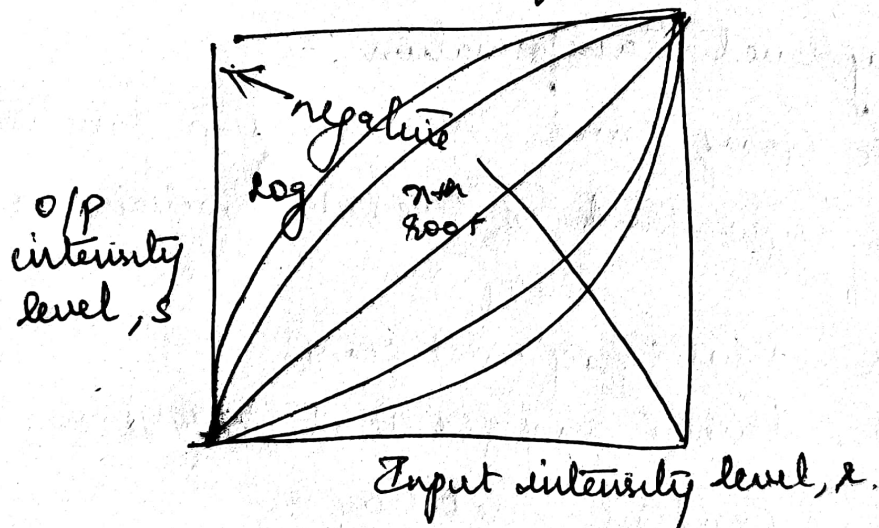
The contrast stretching & thresholding process are called point processing.

### 2) Basic Gray level Transformation

\* simplest image processing technique,  
 $S = T(r)$

\* 3 Basic types of fn,

1. Linear (-ve & identity transformation)
2. Logarithmic (log an inverse log transformation)
3. Power law (n<sup>th</sup> power & n<sup>th</sup> root)
4. Piece wise linear transformation functions



### ① Image negatives: -

range  $[0, L-1]$ ,  $S = L-1-r$

### ② Log Transformations:

$$S = c \log(1+r)$$

$c$  - constant

$$r \geq 0$$

### ③ Power law (Gamma) Transformations:

$$S = Cr^\gamma$$

\* I map a narrow range of dark i/p values

Gamma correction:

$$\gamma > 1$$

$$\gamma < 1$$

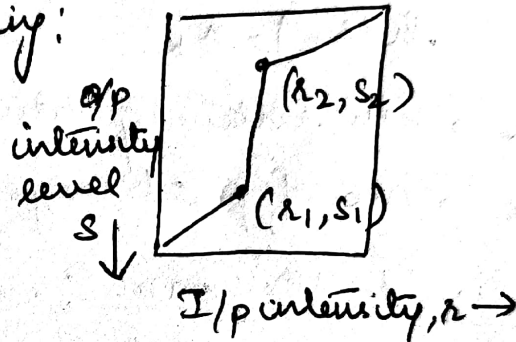
uses of Gamma correction:

④ Piecewise linear Transformation Functions:

\* Complementary approach for image negatives, log transformation & power law transformation

Types:

① Contrast stretching:



\* Location of pts  $(r_1, s_1)$  &  $(r_2, s_2)$

a)  $r_1 = r_2$  &  $s_1 = s_2 \rightarrow$  Transformation is linear for

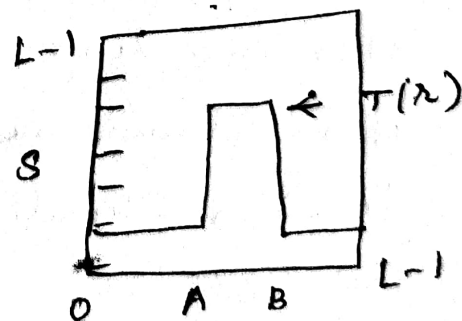
b)  $r_1 = s_1, s_1 = 0, \text{ & } s_2 = L-1$

c) Intermediate values  $(r_1, s_1)$  &  $(r_2, s_2)$

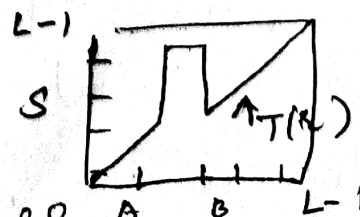
② Gray level slicing:-

2 ways

i) 1st mtd  $\rightarrow$  high value of all gray level in range of interest & low value all gray level

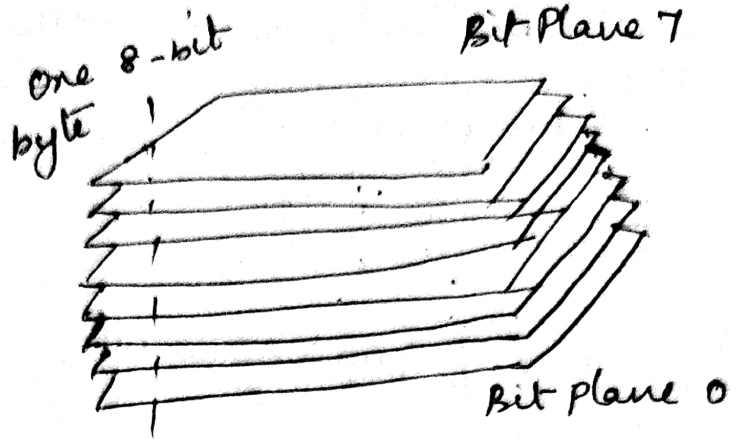


ii) 2nd mtd: desired range of gray level preserve like background & star level



### ⑧ Bit plane slicing

- \* 8 bit bytes.
- \* 7 contain all high order bit



### iii Histogram Processing:-

- \* Basis for numerous spatial domain processing techniques. It is used for image enhancement.
- \* gray level  $[0, L-1]$  is discrete for,

$$h(r_k) = n_k$$

$r_k \rightarrow k$ th intensity value.

$n_k \rightarrow$  no. of pixel image with intensity  $r_k$ .

#### normalized histogram :-

- \* obtained by dividing each component by total no. of pixels in image.

$$P(r_k) = \frac{n_k}{MN} \text{ for } k=0, 1, 2, \dots, L-1$$

Total no. of pixels in image

$M \rightarrow$  Row dimension of image

$N \rightarrow$  Column dimension of image.

$P(r_k) \rightarrow$  estimate of probability of occurrence, of gray level  $r_k$ .

- \* Histogram may view graphically by  $h(r_k) = n_k$

$$P(r_k) = \frac{n_k}{MN} \text{ versus } r_k$$

### ⑨ Histogram Equalization.

\* Enhancing the appearance of images.

\* Range is  $[0, 1]$ ,  $r=0$  &  $r=1$ .

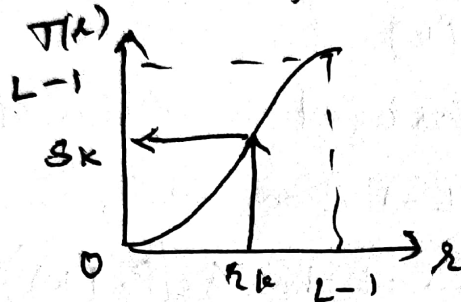
\* Transformation fn,

$$s = T(r) \quad 0 \leq r \leq L-1$$

\* 2 condition:

a)  $T(r)$  is monotonically increasing fn in interval  $0 \leq r \leq L-1$ .

b)  $0 \leq T(r) \leq L-1$  for  $0 \leq r \leq L-1$ .



$$r = T^{-1}(s), \quad 0 \leq s \leq L-1$$

### ① Probability Density Function (PDF) :-

\* Interval  $[0, 1]$

\*  $P_r(r)$  &  $P_s(s)$  denote probability density for.

$$P_s(s) = P_r(r) \left| \frac{dr}{ds} \right|$$

\* Transformation fn of particular importance in image processing is,

$$s = T(r) = (L-1) \int_0^r P_r(w) \cdot dw$$

\* Cumulative distribution fn (CDF) of Random Variable  $r$ .

$$\frac{ds}{dr} = P_r(r)$$

sub expression for  $P_s$ ,

$$P_s(s) = P_r(r) \frac{1}{P_r(r)} = 1$$

\* Probability occurrence of gray level  $r_k$

$$P_r(r) = \frac{n_k}{MN}, \quad k=0, 1, 2, \dots, L-1.$$

\* discrete Transformation,

$$S_k = T(r_k) = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^k n_i}{\sum_{i=0}^k MN}$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^k P_r(r_i)$$

## ② Histogram Matching (specification)

Algorithm:

S1: Compute  $S_k = P_f(k)$  where  $k=0, 1, \dots, L-1$ , cumulative normalized histogram of  $f$

S2:  $G(k), k=0, 1, \dots, L-1$  from histogram  $h_z$

S3:  $G_L(S_k), k=0, 1, \dots, L-1, G_L(P_f(k))$

S4: Transform  $f$  using  $G_L(P_f(k))$

## ③ Local Histogram Processing (Local Enhancement)

i) Calculate histogram of the pts in the neighborhood

ii) obtain histogram equalization / specification fn.

iii) Map gray level of pixel centered in neighborhood

iv) center of neighborhood region is then moved

to an adjacent pixel location & procedure is repeated

## ④ using Histogram statistics for image enhancement.

\* Let  $r$  denote discrete random variable integer

values in range  $[0, L-1]$ . The  $n$ th moment of  $r$

its mean,

$$\mu_n(r) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (r_i - m)^n P(r_i)$$

where,

$m$  is the mean value of  $r$ .

$$m = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} r_i P(r_i)$$

2nd moment,

$$\mu_2(r) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (r_i - m)^2 P(r_i)$$

\* Intensity Variance  $\sigma^2$  denoted by  $\sigma^2$ ,

$$\sigma^2 = \mu_2(r) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (r_i - m)^2 P(r_i)$$

\* working with mean & variance,

$$m = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f(x, y)$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} [f(x, y) - m]^2$$

$$x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, M-1$$

$$y = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

\* mean value of pixels,

$$m_{sxy} = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} r_i P_{sxy}(r_i)$$

\* Variance of pixels,

$$\sigma_{sxy}^2 = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (r_i - m_{sxy})^2 P_{sxy}(r_i)$$

$$\therefore g(sxy) = \begin{cases} \epsilon \cdot f(x, y), & \text{if } m_{sxy} \leq k_0 m_0 \text{ \& } \sigma_{sxy} \leq k_1 \sigma_0 \\ f(x, y), & \text{otherwise } k_1 \sigma_0 \leq \sigma_{sxy} \leq k_2 \sigma_0 \end{cases}$$

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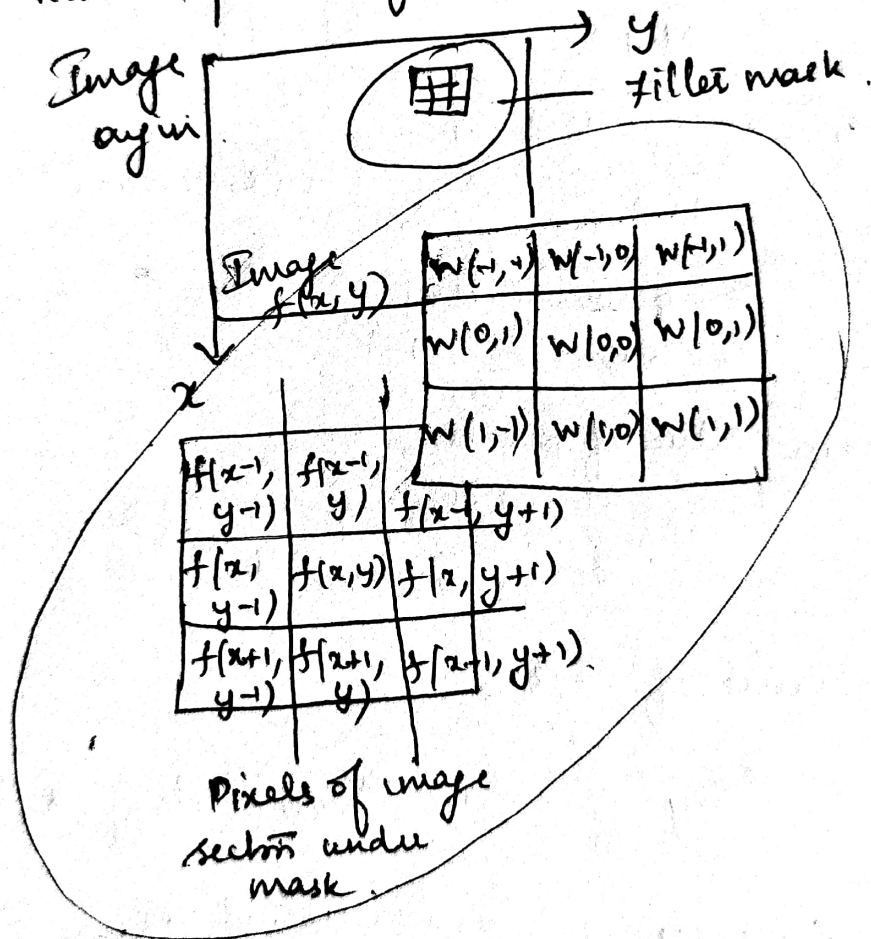
## Basics of Spatial Filtering:-

- \* It is used in broad spectrum of applications.
- \* Filter passes low frequency called low pass filter.

### (1) Mechanics of spatial filtering:

- \* spatial filtering is of neighborhood operations; the operations are done at values of image pixels,
- \* sub image called a filter, mask, kernel, template or window.

#### i) Linear spatial filter.



\* The Result  $R$  of linear filtering, with filter mask at pt  $(x, y)$

$$R = w(-1,-1) f(x-1, y-1) + w(-1,0) f(x-1, y) + \dots + w(0,0) f(x, y) + \dots + w(1,0) f(x+1, y) + w(1,1) f(x+1, y+1)$$



e) 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
 1 2 3 2 8  
 Position after 4 shifts

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
 8 2 3 2 1

f) 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
 1 2 3 2 8

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
 8 2 3 2 1

g) Full correlation result.  
 0 0 0 8 2 3 2 1 0 0 0 0

Full convolution result.

0 0 0 1 2 3 2 8 0 0 0 0

h) Cropped correlation result.  
 0 8 2 3 2 1 0 0

cropped convolution result.

0 1 2 3 2 8 0 0

\* solution for the problem,

1. Pad  $f$  with enough 0's on either side to allow each pixel in  $w$  to visit every pixel in  $f$ .

2. Filter of size  $m$ , need  $m-1$ , 0's on either side of  $f$ .

\* correlation of filter  $w(x, y)$  of size  $m \times n$  of image  $f(x, y)$ ,

$$w(x, y) * f(x, y) = \sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s, t) f(x+s, y+t)$$

the manner,

$$w(x, y) * f(x, y) = \sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s, t) f(x-s, y-t)$$

3) Vector representation of linear filtering: -

\* sum of product,

$$R = W_1 Z_1 + W_2 Z_2 + \dots + W_{mn} Z_{mn}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{mn} W_k Z_k$$

$$R = W^T Z$$

∴ 3x3 filter mask.

$w_1$	$w_2$	$w_3$
$w_4$	$w_5$	$w_6$
$w_7$	$w_8$	$w_9$

$$R = w_1 z_1 + w_2 z_2 + \dots + w_9 z_9$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^9 w_k z_k$$

$$R = W^T Z$$

(\*) Generalizing spatial filter masks:-

\*  $m \times n$  linear spatial filter requires  $m \cdot n$  masks

coefficients.

\* Let  $z_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, 9$ , average is

$$R = \frac{1}{9} \sum_{i=1}^9 z_i \quad [w_i = \frac{1}{9}]$$

Gaussian function:

2 Variables:

$$h(x, y) = e^{-\frac{x^2 + y^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

Non linear filter:-

1. size of a neighborhood
2. operation(s) to be performed on image pixels.

CS / Smoothing Spatial filtering :-  
 \* It is used for blurring & for noise reduction.  
 Blurring :- Removal of small details from a image  
 small gaps in lines or curves  
 Noise Reduction: linear filter & also by non-linear filtering.

① Smoothing by linear filters:  
 \* avg of pixel contained in neighborhood of filter mask.

Operation:-  
 Replacing the value of every pixel in image by average of gray levels.

Types :

1. Box Filter
2. weighted average filter.

i, Box Filter :

Spatial averaging filter in which all co-efficients are equal called box filter.

$$\frac{1}{9} \times \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Sum of all co-efficients = 1 + 1 + ... + 1 = 9

$$R = \frac{1}{9} \sum_{i=1}^9 Z_i$$

ii, weighted Average filter.

A w.avg. filter is one in which pixels are multiplied by different coefficients.

$$= \frac{1}{16} \times \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline 2 & 4 & 2 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Sum = 16

$$g(x, y) = \sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s, t) f(x+s, y+t)$$


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$$\sum_{s=-a}^a \sum_{t=-b}^b w(s, t)$$

② Smoothing by non-linear filters: -  
 \* Types of non-linear spatial filters are known as order statistic filters.

1) Median filter:

The value of pixel by the median filter

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

2) Max & Min filter: -

\* median filter for the order statistic filter.  
 both Percentile results.

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

③ Sharpening spatial filters

\* To highlight fine details in an image or to enhance details.

\* Common practice to approximate the magnitude of gradient by using absolute values instead of square & square roots.

④ 1st order Derivative: -

1. Must be zero in areas of constant intensity
2. non-zero at the onset of intensity step or ramp
3. Must be non-zero along ramps

④

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = f(x+1) - f(x)$$

② 2nd order Derivative:

1. Must be zero in constant area
2. Must be non-zero at onset & end of intensity
3. Must be zero along ramps of constant slope

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f(x+1) - f(x-1) - 2f(x)$$

③ Using the 2nd Derivative for image sharpening - the Laplacian.

\* The 2 dimensional fn  $f(x, y)$  is defined as,

x direction  $\nabla^2 f = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f(x+1, y) + f(x-1, y) - 2f(x, y)$$

Similarly y direction

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = f(x, y+1) + f(x, y-1) - 2f(x, y)$$

\* Two dimensional Laplacian obtained by,

$$\nabla^2 f = [f(x+1, y) + f(x-1, y) + f(x, y+1) + f(x, y-1) - 4f(x, y)]$$

Eqn as,

0	1	0
1	-4	1
0	1	0

1	1	1
1	-8	1
1	1	1

0	-1	0
-1	4	-1
0	-1	0

-1	-1	-1
-1	8	-1
-1	-1	-1

\* Laplacian for image sharpening,  
 $g(x, y) = f(x, y) + c [\nabla^2 f(x, y)]$

(A) Unsharp Masking and High Boost filtering.

(i) Blur the original image

(ii) Subtract the blurred image from original

(iii) Add mask to the original.

\*  $\bar{f}(x, y)$  denote the blurred image,

$$g_{\text{mask}}(x, y) = f(x, y) - \bar{f}(x, y)$$

\* weighted portion of mask back to original image

$$g(x, y) = f(x, y) + k^* g_{\text{mask}}(x, y)$$

(B) using 1st order Derivatives for (non-linear) image sharpening - the gradient.

\* two dimensional column vectors,

$$\nabla f = \text{grad}(f) = \begin{bmatrix} g_x \\ g_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix}$$

\* magnitude of vector  $\nabla f$ , denoted as  $H(x, y)$

$$H(x, y) \approx |g_x| + |g_y|$$

$$\text{or}; H(x, y) = \text{mag}(\nabla f) = \sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2}$$

\* 3x3 region

$z_1$	$z_2$	$z_3$
$z_4$	$z_5$	$z_6$
$z_7$	$z_8$	$z_9$

↓ Robert cross gradient operator :-

-1	0
0	1

0	-1
1	0

(B)

\* Robert cross gradient as,

$$g_x = (z_7 - z_5)$$

$$g_y = (z_8 - z_6)$$

$$M(x, y) = \sqrt{|z_7 - z_5|^2 + |z_8 - z_6|^2}$$

ii) Sobel operators:

$g_x$  &  $g_y$  using  $3 \times 3$  neighborhood centered on  $z_5$  are

$$g_x = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = (z_7 + 2z_8 + z_9) - (z_1 + 2z_2 + z_3)$$

$$g_y = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = (z_3 + 2z_6 + z_9) - (z_1 + 2z_4 + z_7)$$

-1	-2	-1
0	0	0
1	2	1

-1	0	1
-2	0	2
-1	0	1

vii) Frequency domain: Introduction to Fourier transform:

1) ~~2~~ Fourier transform of frequency domain.

\* sum of sines & cosines of diff. frequencies multiplied by diff. co-efficients.

① 1D Fourier Transformations & its inverse

\* Fourier Transformation  $f(u)$

$$F\{f(x)\} = F(u) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \exp(-j2\pi ux) \cdot dx$$

$$j = \sqrt{-1} \quad \text{--- ①}$$

and reverse process to recover  $f(x)$  from  $F(u)$  is,

$$F^{-1}\{F(u)\} = f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(u) \exp(j 2\pi u x) \cdot du$$

From above 2 eqn, (1) & (2)  $\rightarrow$  (3)

$$f(x), x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m-1$$

$$F(u) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} f(x) \exp[-j 2\pi u x / N] \text{ for}$$

$$u = 0, 1, \dots, N-1 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Obtain  $f(x)$  from  $F(u)$

$$f(x) = \sum_{u=0}^{N-1} F(u) \exp[j 2\pi u x / N] \text{ for } \text{--- (4)}$$

$$x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

\* Euler's formula,

$$e^{jx} = \cos x + j \sin x. \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Sub (5) in (3).

$$F(u) = \sum f(x) \left[ \cos \frac{2\pi u x}{N} + j \sin \frac{2\pi u x}{N} \right] \text{ for}$$

$$u = 0, 1, \dots, N-1. \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

\*  $F(u)$  in polar co-ordinates,

$$F(u) = R(u) + j I(u)$$

$$F(u) = |F(u)| e^{j\phi(u)}$$

$$[\phi(u) = \tan^{-1} \frac{I(u)}{R(u)}]$$

(2) 2D-Fourier transformation & its inverse  $\text{--- (7)}$

\* Size  $M \times N$  is given by,

$$F\{f(x, y)\} = F(u, v) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) \exp[j 2\pi (ux + vy)] dx dy$$

$$\text{--- (8)}$$

$$\text{--- (9)}$$

## Smoothing By frequency domain filters:-

\* Edges & other sharp transitions of gray levels of an image contribute significantly to high frequency contents of its fourier transform.

\* frequency domain,

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

\* 3 types of low pass filters

- ① Ideal
- ② Butterworth
- ③ Gaussian.

① Ideal low pass filter:-

\* It cuts all high freq. component of fourier transform are at distance > than specified distance away from origin.

$$* \text{ILPF, } H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 0, & \text{if } D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

④ Ideal low pass filter.

$$* H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 0, & \text{if } D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

\*  $D(u, v)$  distance from point  $(u, v)$

$$D(u, v) = \left[ (u - P/2)^2 + (v - Q/2)^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

\* Frequency Rectangle  $(u, v) = (M/2, N/2)$ ,

$$D(u, v) = (u^2 + v^2)^{1/2}$$

\* Point of Transition b/w  $H(u, v) = 1$  &  $H(u, v) = 0$ , called cut-off frequency.

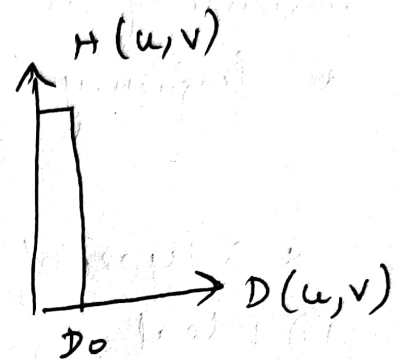
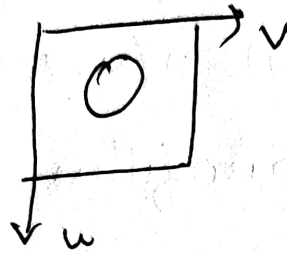
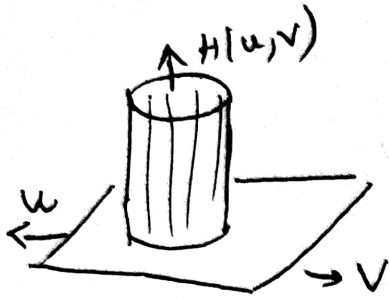
\* Power spectrum,

$$P_f = \sum_{u=0}^{P-1} \sum_{v=0}^{Q-1} P(u, v)$$

⑩

\* A circle of radius  $D_0$ , at center of frequency rectangle encloses,

$$L = 100 \left[ \sum_u \sum_v \frac{P(u,v)}{P_T} \right]$$

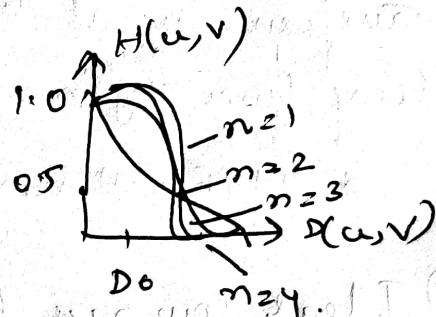
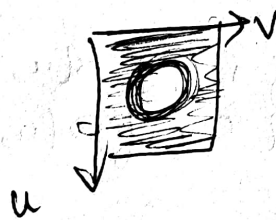


2) Butterworth low pass filter.

\* distance  $D_0$  from origin is defined as

$$H(u,v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D(u,v)/D_0]^{2n}}$$

value of  $n$  is 2.

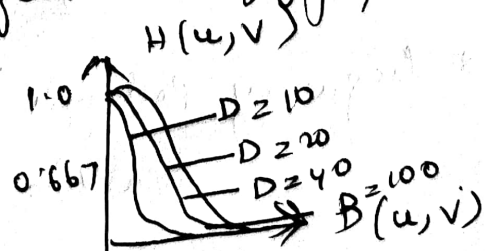


3) Gaussian low pass filter.

$$H(u,v) = e^{-D^2(u,v)/2\sigma^2}$$

\* where  $D(u,v)$  distance of pt  $(u,v)$  from center of Transform,

$\sigma = D_0$  - specified cut-off frequency.



① Sharpening frequency domain filters - Ideal, Butterworth & Gaussian filters:-  
 + Image sharpening by high pass filtering process

\*  $H_{HP}(u, v) = 1 - H_{LP}(u, v)$

\*  $H_{LP}(u, v)$  is Transfer fn of low pass filter.

① Ideal High pass filter

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } D(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 1, & \text{if } D(u, v) > D_0 \end{cases}$$

$D_0 \rightarrow$  cut-off frequency

② Butterworth High pass filter (BHPP)

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{1 + [D_0/D(u, v)]^{2n}}$$

③ Gaussian high pass filter,

$$H(u, v) = 1 - e^{-D^2(u, v)/2D_0^2}$$

$$H(u, v) = 1 - e^{-D^2(u, v)/2\sigma^2}$$

## Homomorphic filtering :-

\* As per model, image  $f(x, y)$  2 components,

- 1) amt of source light incident on the scene being viewed
- 2) Amt of light reflected by objects in the scene

\* for  $i(x, y)$  &  $r(x, y)$ .

$$f(x, y) = i(x, y) \cdot r(x, y)$$

\* Illumination & reflectance because Fourier Transform  $f(x, y)$ ,

$$F[f(x, y)] = F[i(x, y)] \cdot F[r(x, y)]$$

\* 2 components taking logarithm 2 sides,

$$\ln f(x, y) = \ln i(x, y) + \ln r(x, y)$$

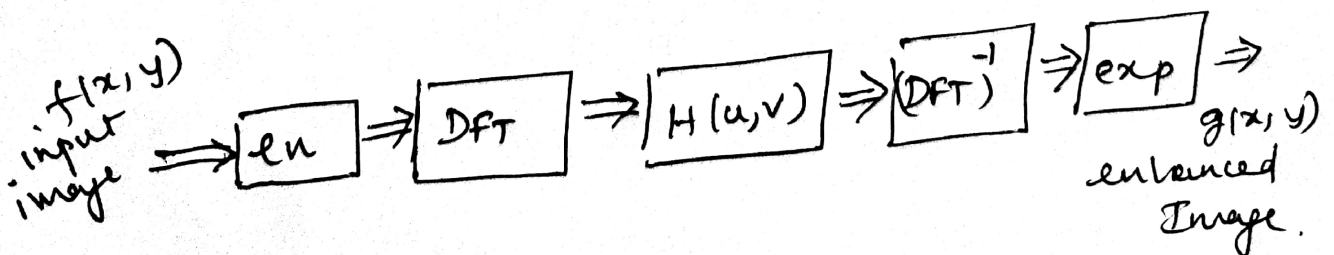
Taking Fourier Transform both sides,

$$F[\ln f(x, y)] = F[\ln i(x, y)] + F[\ln r(x, y)]$$

$$F(x, y) = I(x, y) + R(x, y)$$

\* sum of 2 images,

1. low frequency illumination image
2. High frequency reflectance image.

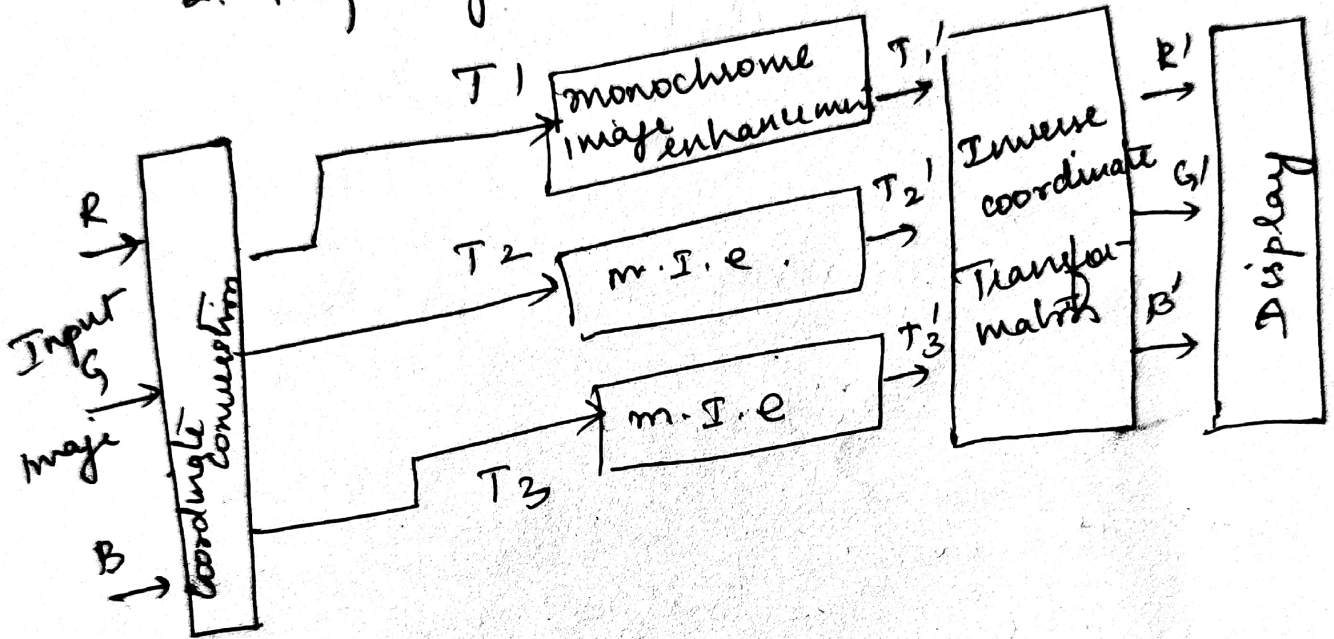


# XI Edge image enhancement:-

\* Enhancement techniques can be process an image so that the final result is more suitable than original image.

\* 2 Broad categories,

1. Spatial domain Techniques
2. Frequency domain Techniques



# UNIT-III IMAGE RESTORATION;

## I Image Restoration:-

\* IR refers to a class of methods that aim to remove or reduce the degradation that have occurred while digital image.

\* some sort of degradation.

- a) During Display mode
- b) Acquisition mode
- c) Processing mode.

\* Degradation due to,

- a) Sensor noise
- b) Blur due to camera mis-focus
- c) Relative object camera motion
- d) Random atmospheric turbulence.

Types:

- 1) spatial domain techniques
- 2) Frequency domain techniques.

## II Degradation model.

\* Degradation fn that operates on an i/p with additive noise level.

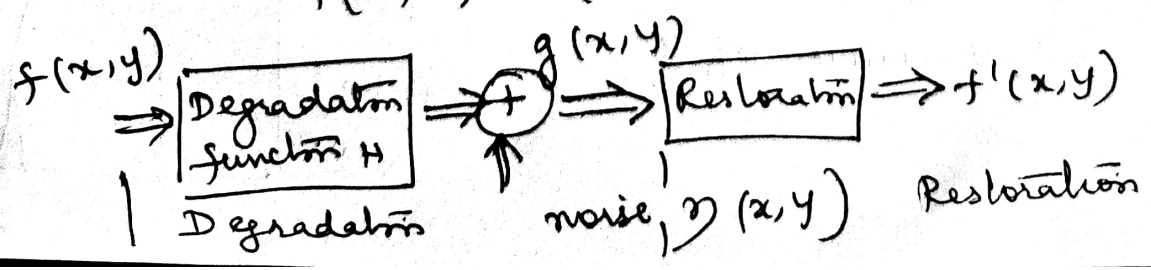
\* Input image notation  $f(x, y)$  noise, can be  $\eta(x, y)$ .  
two terms combined as  $g(x, y)$ .

\* If linear position invariant process as,

$$g(x, y) = h(x, y) * f(x, y) + \eta(x, y) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

\* frequency domain of equation as,

$$G(u, v) = H(u, v) F(u, v) + N(u, v) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$



\* Image Restoration process as,

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

### III Properties, noise models:-

\* source of noise in digital images arises during image acquisition and/or transmission.

\* Assumptions are made as,

→ noise model is spatial invariant

→ noise model is uncorrelated with object functions.

#### 1) Spatial & Frequency properties of noise:-

\* Frequency property refers to frequency content of noise in fourier sense

\* fourier spectrum of noise is constant called white noise.

#### 2) Probability density functions:-

##### ① Gaussian noise:

\* Tractability in both spatial & frequency domain called normal noise model.

PDF,  $z$  is given by,

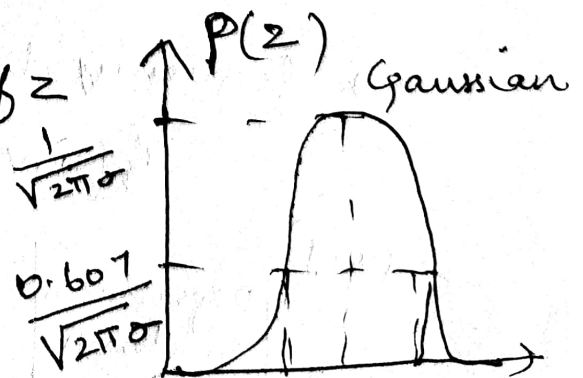
$$P(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(z-\bar{z})^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$z$  - gray level

$\bar{z}$  → mean of avg. value of  $z$

$\sigma$  - std deviation

$\sigma^2$  variance of  $z$



② Rayleigh noise:-

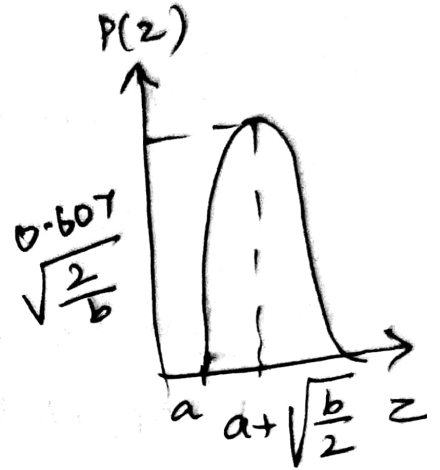
\* It is not symmetric,

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{b}(z-a)e^{-(z-a)^2/b} & \text{for } z \geq a \\ 0 & \text{for } z < a \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

\* The mean & Variance of density,

$$\bar{z} = a + \sqrt{\frac{\pi b}{4}} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$\sigma^2 = b \frac{(4-\pi)}{4} \quad \text{--- (6)}$$



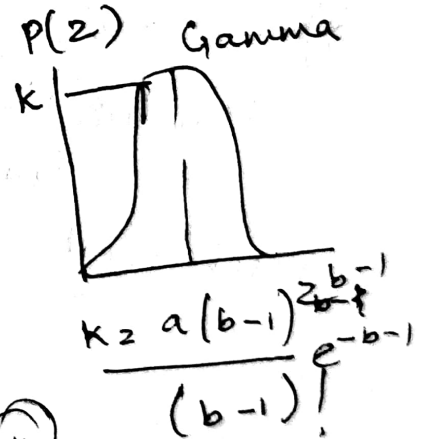
③ Erlang (gamma) Noise:

\* PDF of erlang noise,

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{a^b z^{b-1}}{(b-1)!} e^{-az} & \text{for } z \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{for } z < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (7)}$$

mean & variance

$$\bar{z} = \frac{b}{a}, \quad \sigma^2 = \frac{b}{a^2} \quad \text{--- (8)}$$

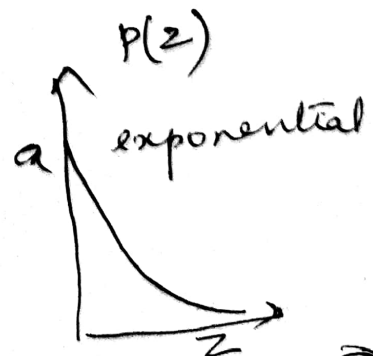


④ Exponential Noise:-

$$P(z) = \begin{cases} ae^{-az} & \text{for } z \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{for } z < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (10)}$$

\*  $a > 0, \bar{z} = \frac{1}{a}$  --- (11)

$$\bar{z} = \frac{1}{a}, \quad \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{a^2} \quad \text{--- (12)}$$



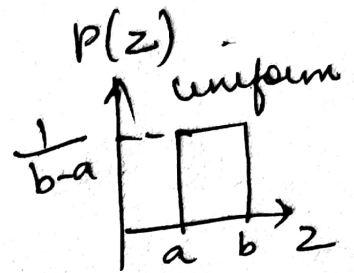
②

5) uniform noise

\*  $P(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{b-a}, & \text{if } a < z < b \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  — (13)

\* mean of density,  
 $\bar{z} = \frac{a+b}{2}$  — (14)

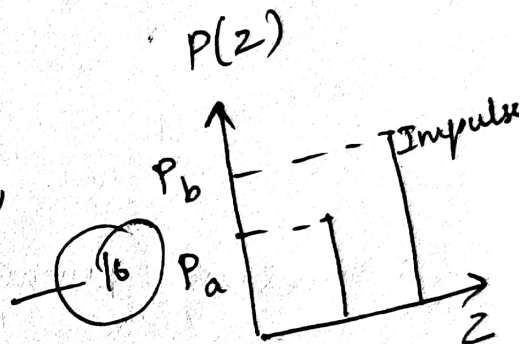
\* Variance,  $\sigma_z^2 = \frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$  — (15)



6) Impulse noise:-

\* PDF of bipolar noise given by,

$P(z) = \begin{cases} P_a, & z = a \\ P_b, & z = b \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  — (16)



3) Comparison B/W various noise:-

Periodic Noise:-

Image arises from electrical or electro-mechanical interference during image acquisition

Restoration in the Presence of noise only -  
spatial filtering:-

\* Degradation present in image can have,

$$g(x,y) = h(x,y) * f(x,y) + \eta(x,y) \text{ into}$$

$$g(x,y) = f(x,y) + \eta(x,y) \quad (17)$$

$$G(u,v) = H(u,v) * F(u,v) + N(u,v) \text{ into}$$

$$G(u,v) = F(u,v) + N(u,v) \quad (18)$$

### IV Mean Filters:-

1. Arithmetic mean filter
2. Geometric mean filter
3. Harmonic Mean filter
4. Contra Harmonic mean filter.

#### ① Arithmetic mean filter:-

\*  $S_{xy}$  represents set of coordinates in sub image  $m \times n$ ,  
\* Restored image  $\hat{f}$  at point  $(x,y)$ , defined as  $S_{x,y}$ ,

$$\hat{f}(x,y) = \frac{1}{mn} \sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s,t) \quad (19)$$

$$\text{coefficient} = \frac{1}{mn}$$

$$\text{weight } w_k = \frac{1}{mn}$$

#### ② Geometric Mean filter:-

$$\hat{f}(x,y) = \left[ \prod_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s,t) \right]^{\frac{1}{mn}} \quad (20)$$

#### ③ Harmonic Mean filter:-

③

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{mn}{\sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \frac{1}{g(s,t)}} \quad \text{--- (21)}$$

(4) Contra Harmonic mean filter: -

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \frac{\sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s,t)^{q+1}}{\sum_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} g(s,t)^q} \quad \text{--- (22)}$$

$q \rightarrow$  called order of filter.

$q + ve \rightarrow$  pepper noise eliminated

$q - ve \rightarrow$  salt noise eliminated

$q = 0 \rightarrow$  arithmetic mean filter

$q = -1 \rightarrow$  harmonic mean filter.

Order statistics filters: -

(1) median filter: -

\* best order statistic filter, replaces value of a pixel by median of gray level.

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \text{median}_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s,t)\} \quad \text{--- (23)}$$

(2) max & min filters: -

\* 100th percentile of ranked set of no's called max filter

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \max_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s,t)\} \quad \text{--- (24)}$$

\* 0th percentile filter of min filter

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = \min_{(s,t) \in S_{xy}} \{g(s,t)\} \quad \text{--- (25)}$$

③ Midpoint filter :-  
 \* max & min values,

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

↳ ②b

④ Alpha trimmed mean filter :-  
 \* delete the  $\frac{d}{2}$  lowest &  $\frac{d}{2}$  highest intensity values of  $g(s, t)$  in neighbourhood  $S_{xy}$ .

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

\* If  $d = mn - 1$ , filter becomes a median filter.

⑤ Adaptive filter :-

\* Capable of performance superior, behaviour changes based on statistical characteristics

⑥ Adaptive, local noise reduction filter.

\* Filter operate on local region  $S_{xy}$ ,  
 It has 4 Quantities,

- a)  $g(x, y)$  value of noisy image at  $(x, y)$
- b)  $\sigma_n^2$  variance of noise corrupting  $f(x, y)$  to form  $g(x, y)$
- c)  $m_L$ , local mean of pixels in  $S_{xy}$ .
- d)  $\sigma_L^2$  local variance pixels in  $S_{xy}$ .

\* Behavior of filter :-

- 1.  $\sigma_n^2$  is zero should return value  $g(x, y)$ , (in case of zero noise case  $g(x, y)$  equal to  $f(x, y)$ )
- 2. Local Variance high relative to  $\sigma_n^2$ .



3.2 Variance are equal, we want filter to return arithmetic mean value of pixel  $S_{xy}$ .

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = g(x, y) - \frac{\sigma_g^2}{\sigma_L^2} [g(x, y) - m_L] \quad (28)$$

(2) Adaptive median filter :-

\* It works in rectangular window, area  $S_{xy}$  & size of  $S_{xy}$  during filter operation,

$Z_{min}$  = min intensity value in  $S_{xy}$

$Z_{max}$  = max " " "  $S_{xy}$

$Z_{med}$  = median " "  $S_{xy}$

$Z_{xy}$  = intensity value at coordinates  $(x, y)$

$S_{max}$  = max allowed size of  $S_{xy}$ .

Algorithm :-

\* works in 2 stages,

Stage A,  $A_1 = Z_{med} - Z_{min}$

$A_2 = Z_{med} - Z_{max}$

$A_1 > 0$  &  $A_2 < 0$

Stage B  $B_1 = Z_{xy} - Z_{min}$

$B_2 = Z_{xy} - Z_{max}$

If  $B_1 > 0$  and  $B_2 < 0$ , output  $Z_{xy}$ .

Output  $Z_{med}$

3 main purposes,

1. To remove salt & pepper noise
2. To provide smoothing to other noise that may not be impulsive
3. To reduce distortion

# Periodic noise reduction by frequency domain

Filtering:-

VIII  
Band reject filter :-

\* Removes band of frequencies about the origin of fourier transformer.

\* 3 types

- Ideal band reject filter
- Butterworth band reject filter
- Gaussian band reject filter.

① Ideal band reject filter:

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 1 & , D(u, v) < D_0 - \frac{W}{2} \\ 0 & , D_0 - \frac{W}{2} \leq D(u, v) \leq D_0 + \frac{W}{2} \\ 1 & , D(u, v) > D_0 + \frac{W}{2} \end{cases}$$

② Butterworth Bandreject filter:

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{\left[ 1 + \left( \frac{D(u, v)W}{D^2(u, v) - D_0^2} \right)^{2n} \right]}$$

③ Gaussian Bandreject filter.

$$H(u, v) = 1 - \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{D^2(u, v) - D_0^2}{D(u, v)W} \right)^2 \right]$$

VIII  
Bandpass filter :-

\* Opp to Bandreject filter.

\* Transfer fn,  $H_{BP}(u, v) = 1 - H_{BR}(u, v)$

## Notch filters :-

\* A notch filter rejects frequencies in pre-defined neighborhoods about a center frequency.

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} 0, & D_1(u, v) \leq D_0 \text{ or } D_2(u, v) \leq D_0 \\ 1, & \end{cases}$$

where,

$$D_1(u, v) = \sqrt{\left(u - \frac{M}{2} - u_0\right)^2 + \left(v - \frac{N}{2} - v_0\right)^2}$$

$$D_2(u, v) = \sqrt{\left(u - \frac{M}{2} + u_0\right)^2 + \left(v - \frac{N}{2} + v_0\right)^2}$$

Butterworth notch reject filter of order  $n$ ,

$$H(u, v) = 1 - \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{D_1(u, v) D_2(u, v)}{D_0^2}\right)^n\right]$$

\* Gaussian notch reject filter formula,

$$H(u, v) = \frac{1}{\left[1 + \left(\frac{D_0^2}{D_1(u, v) D_2(u, v)}\right)^n\right]}$$

\* Transfer fn given as,

$$H_{NP}(u, v) = 1 - H_{NR}(u, v)$$

Tf of pass filter

Tf of notch reject filter.

## Optimum notch filtering :-

\* minimize local variances of restored estimate

$$\hat{f}(x, y)$$

i) 1st step is to extract principal freq. components of interference pattern.

ii) Filter constructed to pass only components associated with interference pattern.

$$N(u, v) = HNP(u, v) G(u, v)$$

↳ F/T corrupted image.

\* Particular filter selected as,

$$\mathcal{D}(x, y) = \ln^{-1} \{ HNP(u, v), G(u, v) \}$$

$$\therefore \hat{f}(x, y) = g(x, y) - w(x, y) \mathcal{D}(x, y)$$

where  $w(x, y)$  called a weighting or modulation function.

$$w(x, y) = \frac{g(x, y) \mathcal{D}(x, y) - \bar{g}(x, y) \bar{\mathcal{D}}(x, y)}{\bar{\mathcal{D}}^2(x, y) - \bar{\mathcal{D}}^2(x, y)}$$

XI Inverse filtering:-

\* Process of restoring an image degraded by a degradation fn  $H$ .

\* Inverse filtering provides estimate  $F(u, v)$ , degraded image  $G(u, v)$  of degradation fn

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

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

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

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

\* If degradation value has zero or very small values value,  $\frac{N(u, v)}{H(u, v)}$ .

Wiener Filtering (a) minimum mean square error :-

\* Filter incorporates both degradation & statistical behavior of noise into restoration process.

$$\hat{f}(x) = \sum_{s=-\infty}^{\infty} h_w(x-s)g(s)$$

error measure,

$$e^2 = E\{(f - \hat{f})^2\} \quad [\because E\{\cdot\} \text{ expected value of argument}]$$

\* min. error fn as,

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

\* Bracket is min. mean square error filter.

$H(u, v)$  = FT of degradation fn

$H^*(u, v)$  = Complex conjugate of  $H(u, v)$

$|H(u, v)|^2 = H^*(u, v)H(u, v)$

$S_n(u, v) = |N(u, v)|^2$  = Power spectrum of noise

$S_f(u, v) = |F(u, v)|^2$  = power spectrum of undegraded image

$G(u, v)$  = F.T of degraded image.

\* Mean square error,

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

\*  $k$  is specified constant of  $|H(u, v)|^2$ .

\* Signal to noise ratio

$$SNR = \frac{\sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} |F(u, v)|^2}{\sum_{u=0}^{M-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N-1} |N(u, v)|^2}$$

\* mean square error,

$$MSE = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} [f(x, y) - \hat{f}(x, y)]^2$$

\* SNR in spatial domain,

$$SNR = \frac{\sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}(x, y)^2}{\sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} [f(x, y) - \hat{f}(x, y)]^2}$$

## IMAGE SEGMENTATION:-

\* Image is preprocessed to remove noise & artifacts  
Segmentation is often key step in interpreting the image.

\* Region based techniques on common patterns in intensity values. Cluster is referred as region.

\* Edge base techniques discontinuities in image values b/w distinct region.

Detection of Discontinuities:

① Point detection: Pt in which gray level or intensity is entirely diff from background.

② Line detection: boundaries b/w region distinct gray levels.  
The Hough Transform is used to detect lines.

③ Edge detection: identifying edges in images.

1. step discontinuities
2. line discontinuities.

I Edge detection:-

\* Process of identifying edges in an image to be used as fundamental asset in image analysis.

Step discontinuities:-

Image intensity abruptly changes from one value on one side of discontinuity to a different value on opposite side.

Line discontinuities:-

\* changes value but then returns to starting value with short distance.

→ step edge:-

Involves a transition b/w two intensity ①

- levels occurring ideally over the distance of 1 pixel.
- Ideal edges: - occurs over the distance of 1 pixel, no additional processing to make "real".
  - Roof edges: nothing more than a 1 pixel thick line running ~~over~~ region.
  - \* 2nd derivative is +ve at the beginning of ramp  
-ve at end of ramp.

1) Image gradient and its properties,  
\* Image gradient tool used for edge strength & direction at location  $(x, y)$  of image  $f$ ,

$$\nabla f \equiv \text{grad}(f) \equiv \begin{bmatrix} g_x \\ g_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \end{bmatrix}$$

\* magnitude length of vector  $\nabla f$ , denoted  $M(x, y)$

$$M(x, y) = \text{mag}(\nabla f) = \sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2}$$

\* direction of gradient vector,  
 $\alpha(x, y) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{g_y}{g_x} \right]$

Roberts operator:-

\* diagonal edge direction of interest, a 2D mask.

$$g_x = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = (z_9 - z_5)$$

$$g_y = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = (z_8 - z_6)$$

$z_1$	$z_2$	$z_3$
$z_4$	$z_5$	$z_6$
$z_7$	$z_8$	$z_9$

3x3 image

-1	0
0	1

Mask

0	-1
1	0

Mask

## Prewitt operators:-

\* To find  $g_x$  and  $g_y$ ,

$z_1$	$z_2$	$z_3$
$z_4$	$z_5$	$z_6$
$z_7$	$z_8$	$z_9$

-1	+1	-1
0	0	0
1	1	1

-1	0	1
-1	0	1
-1	0	1

$$g_x = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = (z_7 + z_8 + z_9) - (z_1 + z_2 + z_3)$$

$$g_y = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = (z_3 + z_6 + z_9) - (z_1 + z_4 + z_7)$$

Edge linking and Boundary detection :- Via Hough transform:-  
 \* Pixels lying on boundaries b/w regions.  
 (i) noise (ii) Breaks in boundary due to uneven illumination

(iii) other effects that introduce spurious discontinuities in intensity value.

\* Edge linking & Boundary detection.

## ① Local processing:-

\* Analyze the characteristics of pixels in a small neighborhood ( $3 \times 3$ ,  $5 \times 5$  etc).

### Principal properties:

1. The strength of response of gradient operator used to produce edge pixels

2. direction of gradient  
 $\alpha(x, y) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{g_y}{g_x} \right]$

\* An edge pixel coordinates  $(s, t)$  in  $S_{xy}$ ,

$$|M(s, t) - M(x, y)| \leq E$$

\* An edge pixel with co-ordinates  $(s, t)$  in  $S_{xy}$  to pixel  $(x, y)$ ,

②

$$|\alpha(s, t) - \alpha(x, y)| \leq A.$$

1. Compute the gradient magnitude & angle arrays  $M(x, y)$  &  $\alpha(x, y)$  of I/P image  $f(x, y)$ .

2. Form a binary image  $g$ ,  

$$g(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } M(x, y) > T_M \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$T_M$  is Threshold.

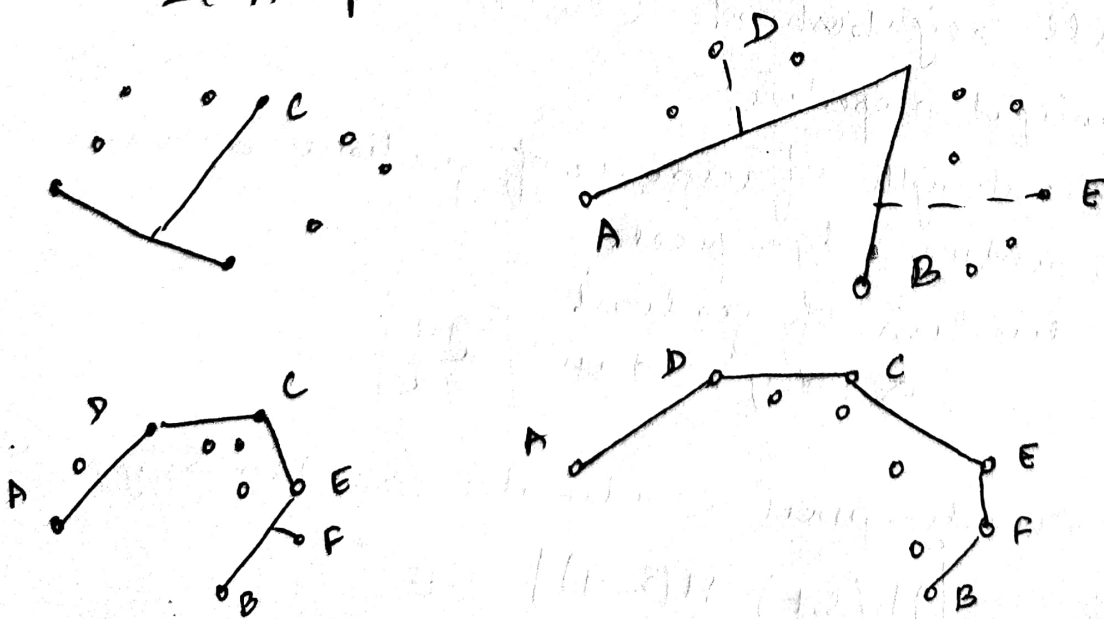
3. Scan the rows of  $g$  & fill (set to 1) all gaps (sets of 0s) in each row, do not exceed a specified length  $k$ .

4. To detect gaps in other directions,  $\odot$  rotate  $g$  by the angle  $\alpha$  & apply horizontal scanning.

② Regional processing:-

\* 2 important requirements for polygonal,

1. Starting pt must be specified
2. All points must be ordered



Algorithm :-

- S1: Let  $P$  be sequence of ordered, distinct, values of binary image
- S2: Specify a Threshold  $T$  & 2 empty stacks
- S3: If pt  $P$  correspond to closed curve.
- S4: Compute the parameters of line passing from last vertex in CLOSED to last vertex OPEN
- S5: Compute the distance from line  $S_4$  to all pts in  $P$ .
- S6:  $D_{max} > T$ , place  $V_{max}$  at end of OPEN stack. Go to  $S_4$
- S7: Remove the last vertex from OPEN & insert it as last vertex of CLOSED
- S8: OPEN is not empty, go to  $S_4$ .
- S9: Else exit. The vertices of polygonal fit into pts in  $P$ .

③ Global Processing using the Hough Transform :-

\* Finding straight-line points :-

\* Give  $n$  pt in image, we want to find subsets of these pts that lie on straight line.

\* 2 possible soln,

Mtd 1: \* First, find all lines determined by every pair of pts  
\* Next find all subsets of pts that are close to Particular line.

Drawback :-

Finding  $n(n-1)/2 \sim n^2$  lines & performing  
 $(n)(n(n-1))/2 \sim n^3$  comparison at every point  
to all lines.

Q2: Hough Transform is an alternative approach.

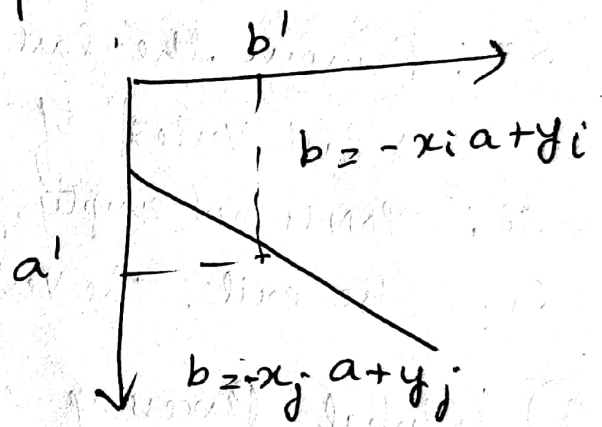
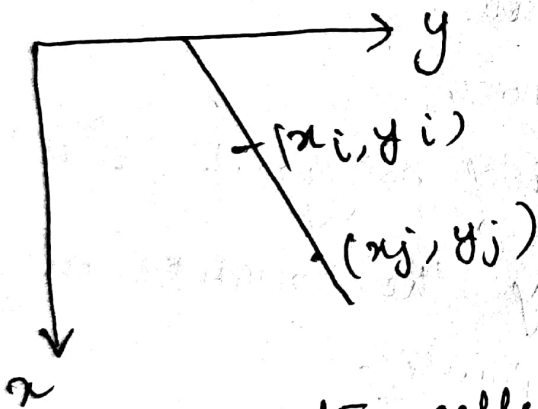
Hough Transform:-

\* Consider pt  $(x_i, y_i)$  in  $xy$ -Plane & general eqn of st line in slope-intercept form  $y_i = ax_i + b$ .  
 Infinitely many lines pass through  $(x_i, y_i)$  eqn as,

$$y_i = ax_i + b$$

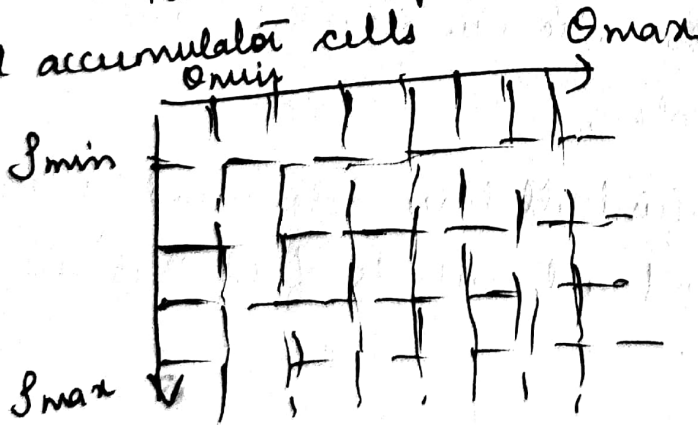
\* Single line for fixed pair  $(x_i, y_i)$   
 $b = -x_i a + y_i$

\* 2nd pt  $(x_j, y_j)$  also line parameter space associated



→ Accumulator cells:

\* Parameter space can be subdivided into cells called accumulator cells



\* where  $(S_{min}, S_{max})$  &  $(\theta_{min}, \theta_{max})$  are expected range of Parameters values

\* Solve corresponding S eqn,  $S = x_k \cos \theta + y_k \sin \theta$

\* Transform is applicable at any fn  $g(v, c) = 0$ ,

$v$  is vector of coordinates  
 $c$  is vector of co-efficients.

Approach based on Hough Transform as follows.

- i) obtain a binary edge image
- ii) specify subdivisions in  $\theta$ -plane
- iii) Examine the counts of the accumulator cells for high pixel concentrations.
- iv) Examine the relationship.

## II Thresholding :-

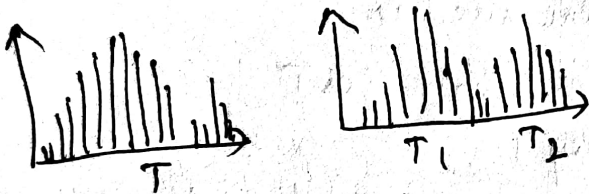
\* simple form of image segmentation.

\* Thresholding is a technique for partitioning image directly into region based on intensity value & property of value

→ Because of intuitive property

→ simplicity of implementation

→ Computational speed.



### 1) Thresholding foundation:

\* Grey level corresponds to image  $f(x, y)$

\* Threshold  $T$  that separates these modes,  $p(x, y)$  for which  $f(x, y) > T$  called object points, The  $p(x, y)$  called background modes.

$$g(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & f(x, y) < T \\ 1 & f(x, y) \geq T \end{cases}$$

\* 2 modes

1) histogram has to be partitioned by multiple thresholds.

2) Multilevel thresholding classifies  $p(x, y)$

$$\text{if } T_1 < f(x, y) \leq T_2$$

(4)

\* other object if  $f(x,y) > T_2$

\* background,  
 $f(x,y) \leq T_1$

\* segmented image,

$$g(x,y) = \begin{cases} a, & \text{if } f(x,y) \in > T_2 \\ b, & \text{if } T_1 < f(x,y) \leq T_2 \\ c, & \text{if } f(x,y) \leq T_1 \end{cases}$$

2) Basic Global & local thresholding:-

$$* T_2 T [x, y, P(x, y), f(x, y)]$$

$f(x, y) \rightarrow$  gray level &  $P(x, y) \rightarrow$  local property.

\* Thresholding schemes compare each pixel gray level with single global threshold it is as global Thresholding

\* Iterative algorithm used as,

1. Select an initial estimate for  $T$

2. Segment image using  $T$

3. Compute the average gray level values  $\mu_1$  &  $\mu_2$  in regions  $G_1$  &  $G_2$

4. Compute new threshold value  $T = \frac{1}{2} [\mu_1 + \mu_2]$

3) Optimum global thresholding using Otsu's Method:-

\* To minimize the avg error incurred in assigning pixels to two or more group called classes.

\* The total number  $MN$  of pixel in image

$$MN = n_0 + n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_{L-1}$$

\* Normalized Histogram has Component  $P_i = n_i / MN$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{L-1} P_i = 1, P_i \geq 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$P_1(k) = \sum_{i=2k}^k P_i \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Probability of  $C_1$  occurring,  $C_2$  occurring,

$$P_2(k) = \sum_{i=2k+1}^{L-1} P_i = 1 - P_1(k) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

\* mean intensity value of pixels to class  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$ ,

$$m_1(k) = \sum_{i=2k}^k i P(i/C_1)$$

$$= \sum_{i=2k}^k i P(C_1/i) P(i) / P(C_1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{P_1(k)} \sum_{i=2k}^k i P_i \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

\* 2nd line of equation as,  $P(A/B) = P(B/A) P(A) / P(B)$

\* mean intensity value of pixels to class  $C_2$ ,

$$m_2(k) = \sum_{i=2k+1}^{L-1} i P(i/C_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{P_2(k)} \sum_{i=2k+1}^{L-1} i P_i \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

\* cumulative mean upto level  $k$ ,  $m(k) = \sum_{i=2k}^k i P_i \quad \text{--- (6)}$

\* avg intensity of entire image,  $m_G = \sum_{i=2k}^{L-1} i P_i \quad \text{--- (7)}$

\* Validity of 2 eqn as,  $P_1 m_1 + P_2 m_2 = m_G \quad \text{--- (8)}$

$$P_1 + P_2 = 1 \quad \text{--- (9)}$$

\* Dimensionless metric  $\gamma = \frac{\sigma_B^2}{\sigma_G^2} \quad \text{--- (10)}$

\*  $\sigma_G^2$  is global variance,  $\sigma_G^2 = \sum_{i=2k}^{L-1} (i - m_G)^2 P_i \quad \text{--- (11)}$

\*  $\sigma_B^2$  is b/w class variance,  $\sigma_B^2 = P_1 (m_1 - m_G)^2 + P_2 (m_2 - m_G)^2 \quad \text{--- (12)}$

\* Expression written as,  $\sigma_B^2 = P_1 P_2 (m_1 - m_2)^2 \quad \text{--- (5)}$

$$= \frac{(m_g P_1 - m)^2}{P_1(1-P_1)} \quad (13)$$

$$\therefore \sigma^2(k) = \frac{\sigma_B^2(k)}{\sigma_g^2}$$

$$\sigma_B^2(k) = \frac{[m_g P_1(k) - m(k)]^2}{P_1(k)[1-P_1(k)]}$$

4) Multiple Thresholds:-

\* It can be extended by arbitrary no of Threshold because measure on which based also extends to an arbitrary no. of classes.

$$\sigma_B^2 = \sum_{k=1}^K P_k (m_k - m_g)^2$$

where

$$P_k = \sum_{i \in C_k} P_i$$

$$m_k = \frac{1}{P_k} \sum_{i \in C_k} i P_i$$

\*  $m_g$  is global mean,

$$\sigma_B^2(k_1^*, k_2^*, \dots, k_{k-1}^*) = \sum_{k=1}^K 0 < k_1 < k_2 < \dots < k_{k-1} < L-1$$

(  $k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{k-1}$  )

\* 3 classes consisting of 3 intensity interval,

$$\sigma_B^2 = P_1 (m_1 - m_g)^2 + P_2 (m_2 - m_g)^2 + P_3 (m_3 - m_g)^2$$

$$\text{where, } P_1 = \sum_{i=0}^{k_1} P_i, \quad P_2 = \sum_{i=k_1+1}^{k_2} P_i, \quad P_3 = \sum_{i=k_2+1}^{L-1} P_i$$

$$\& \quad m_1 = \frac{1}{P_1} \sum_{i=0}^{k_1} i P_i, \quad m_2 = \frac{1}{P_2} \sum_{i=k_1+1}^{k_2} i P_i, \quad m_3 = \frac{1}{P_3} \sum_{i=k_2+1}^{L-1} i P_i$$

\* The following,  $P_1 m_1 + P_2 m_2 + P_3 m_3 = m_g$

$$\text{and } P_1 + P_2 + P_3 = 1$$

\* Threshold image,  $g(x, y) = \begin{cases} a, & \text{if } f(x, y) \leq k_1^* \\ b, & \text{if } k_1^* < f(x, y) \leq k_2^* \\ c, & \text{if } f(x, y) > k_2^* \end{cases}$

$$\therefore \mathcal{D}(k_1^*, k_2^*) = \frac{\sigma_B^2(k_1^*, k_2^*)}{\sigma_G^2}$$

5) Variable Thresholding:-

\* Noise & non-uniform play major role performance, of a thresholding algorithm.

\* Local Thresholds,  $T_{xy} = a\sigma_{xy} + b m_{xy}$

\* a and b non-negative constant,

$$T_{xy} = a\sigma_{xy} + b m_g$$

\*  $m_g$  global image mean,  $g(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } f(x, y) > T_{xy} \\ 0 & \text{if } f(x, y) \leq T_{xy} \end{cases}$

\* Parameters computed in neighborhoods of  $(x, y)$ ,

$$g(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & Q \text{ is True} \\ 0 & Q \text{ is False} \end{cases}$$

\* Standard deviation,

$$Q(\sigma_{xy}, m_{xy}) = \begin{cases} \text{True}, & \text{if } f(x, y) > a\sigma_{xy} \text{ and } f(x, y) > b m_{xy} \\ \text{False}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Local Thresholding using moving averages:-

\* moving avg (mean) at this pt,

$$m(k+1) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=k+2-n}^{k+1} z_i$$

$$= \frac{m(k) + 1}{n}$$

$$= \frac{z_{k+1} - z_{k-n}}{n}$$

\* Thresholding based on moving average

(6)



$$g(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1, & f(x, y) > T_{xy} \\ 0, & f(x, y) \leq T_{xy} \end{cases}$$

### III Region based segmentation :-

\* Segmentation is process of partitioning an image into multiple regions group of connected pixels with similar properties.

- \* Properties are
- (i) Connectivity & compactness
  - (ii) Regularity of boundaries
  - (iii) Homogeneity in terms of color & textures
  - (iv) Differentiation from neighbor regions.

\* we want partition  $R$  into  $n$ ,

- a) Summation  $R_i = R$  - all pixel belong to a region
- b)  $R_i$  connected region  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  - pixels
- c)  $R_i \cap R_j = \emptyset$ , for  $i \neq j$
- d)  $P(R_i)$
- e)  $P(P_i \cup R_j) = \text{False}$ .

2 Types ——— Region Growing  
 ——— Region splitting & merging.

### IV Region growing :-

\* Procedure that group pixels or sub region into larger region based on predefined criteria for growth.

#### Region Growing algorithm :-

$f(x, y)$  denote i/p array  $s(x, y)$  denote seed array

- S1: Find all connected component in  $s(x, y)$
- S2: merge to pair of coordinates  $(x, y)$ ,  $f(x, y) = 1$

S3: Let  $g$  be an image formed from appending to each seed point in  $s$  all the 1-valued pt in  $f$

S4: Label each connected component in  $g$  with different region label.

### Simultaneous Region Growing:

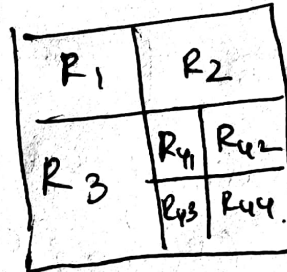
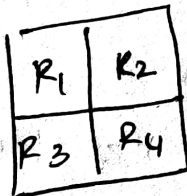
- \* neighboring regions are taken into account in growing process.
- \* no single region is allowed
- \* no. of regions is allowed to grow @ same time.
- \* all regions will gradually coalesce into expanding region.

### Region splitting & merging:-

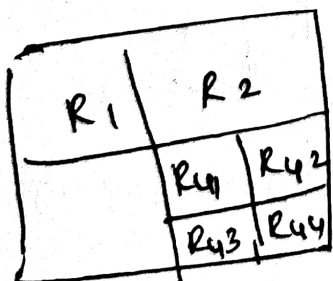
\* It is segmentation process in which an image is initially subdivided into set of arcs.

Notes:

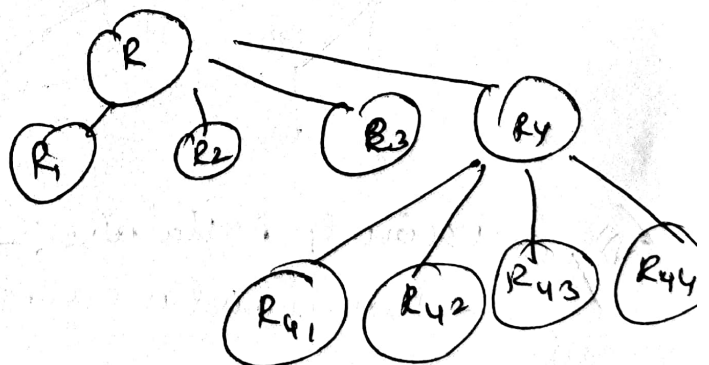
- 1)  $R$  represents whole image
- 2) Not all the pixels are similar. so region split is  $Q(R) = \text{FALSE}$
- 3) All pixel regions  $R_1, R_2$  &  $R_3$  are similar,  $R_4$  not.
- 4)  $R_4$  split next.



### Quadtree:



$\Rightarrow$



$Q(R_j \cup R_k) = \text{TRUE}$

### Split & Merge algorithm:-

S1:  $Q(R_i) = \text{FALSE}$

S2:  $Q(R_j \cup R_k) = \text{TRUE}$

S3: Stop when no further merging

(4)

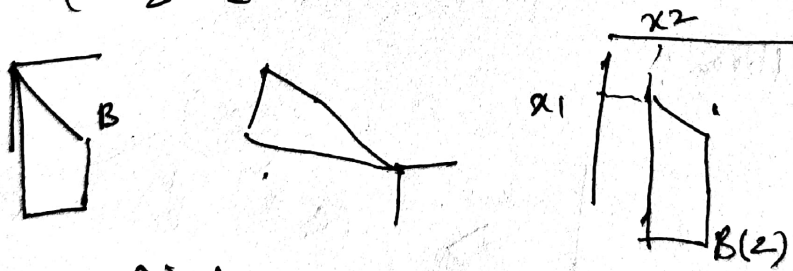
VI

Morphological processing:-

- \* Refers to scientific branch that deals the form & structure of animals & plants.
- \* Tool for extracting unique component.

1) Basis of set theory:-

- \* Let A be set in  $Z^2$ , &  $a = (a_1, a_2)$ , a is element A:  $a \in A$ .
- \* a is not element of A,  $a \notin A$
- \* If every element of set A also element of set B,  $A \subseteq B$
- \* Union A & B are collection of all elements,  $C = A \cup B$
- \* Intersection of A & B,  ~~$A \cup B$~~   $D = A \cap B$
- \* No common element in A and B,  $A \cap B = \emptyset$
- \* Complement of set A,  $\bar{A} = \{w/w \notin A\}$
- \* Diff of two set  $A - B = \{w/w \in A, w \notin B\}$
- \* Reflection of two set B,  $\hat{B} = \{w/w = -b \text{ for } b \in B\}$
- \* Translation of set B by pt  $Z = (z_1, z_2)$ ,  $(B)_Z = \{c | c = b + z \text{ for } b \in B\}$



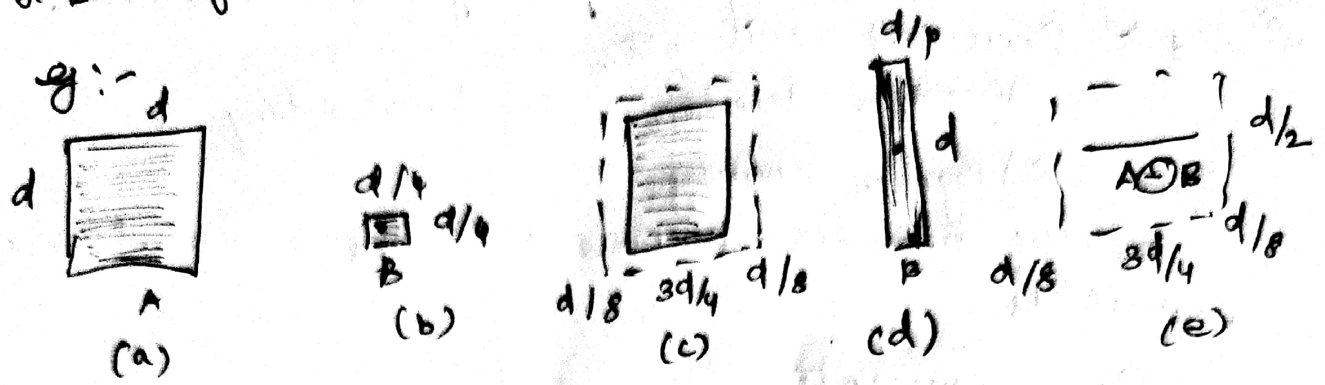
III/ Erosion & Dilation:-

- \* Two fundamental operations used in image processing.

Erosion:

Erosion shrinks an image object. The erosion of sets A by B denoted  $(A \ominus B)$

\* B is defined as,  $A \ominus B = \{z | (B)z \subseteq A\}$



Structuring elements:

\* Also called kernel. It consist of pattern specified as co-ordinates of a no of discrete points.  
 \* 2 main character, i) shape ii) size.

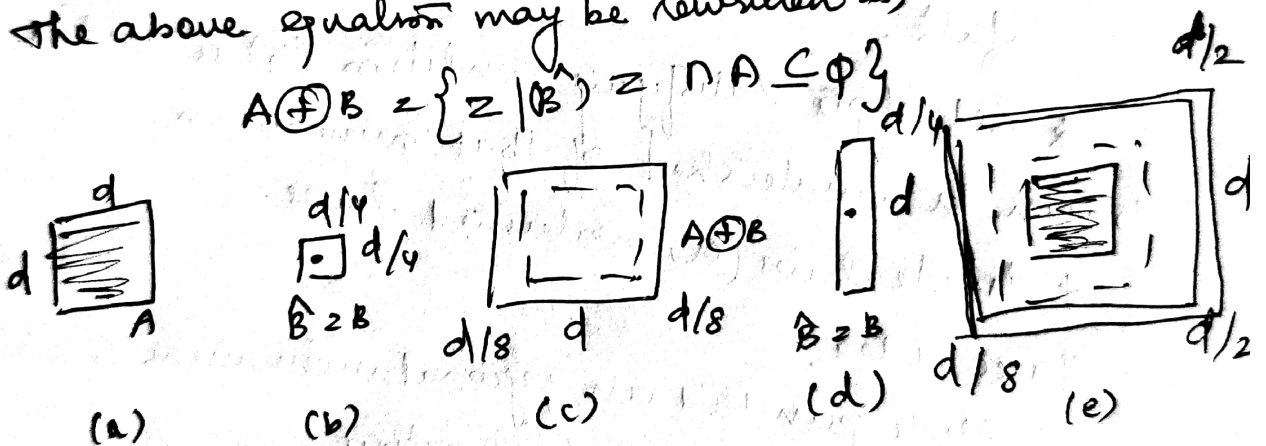
Shape:- \* element may be ball or line, convex or ring

size  $\rightarrow 3 \times 3$  or a  $21 \times 21$  square.

Dilation  $\rightarrow A \oplus B = \{z | (\hat{B})z \cap A \neq \emptyset\}$

The above equation may be rewritten as,

$$A \oplus B = \{z | (\hat{B})z \cap A \subseteq \emptyset\}$$



### 3) Duality:-

\* Erosion & dilation are duals of each other to set complementation & reflection,

$$(A \ominus B)^c = A^c \oplus \hat{B}$$

$$(A \oplus B)^c = A^c \ominus \hat{B}$$

VIII

Segmentation by morphological watershed:-

\* 3 Principal concepts;

a) edge detection      b) Thresholding

c) Region growing.

\* approach based concept called morphological watershed.

Basic concepts:-

\* Visualizing an image in 3 dimensions, two spatial coordinates versus intensity. In such "Topographic" interpretation, we have 3 types.

a) Pt belonging to regional minimum.

b) Pt at which a drop of water, fall to replace at location at any points.

c) Pt at which water would equally likely to fall.

\* Set of pts satisfying condition (b) is called catchment basin or watershed of that minimum.

\* divide lines (or) watershed lines.

Basic idea:

1. A hole is punched in regional minimum & entire topography is flooded from below

2. when the rising water in distinct catchment basins is about to merge.

3. Flooding will eventually reach a stage.

4. Dam line corresponds to ~~the~~ divide line of watershed.

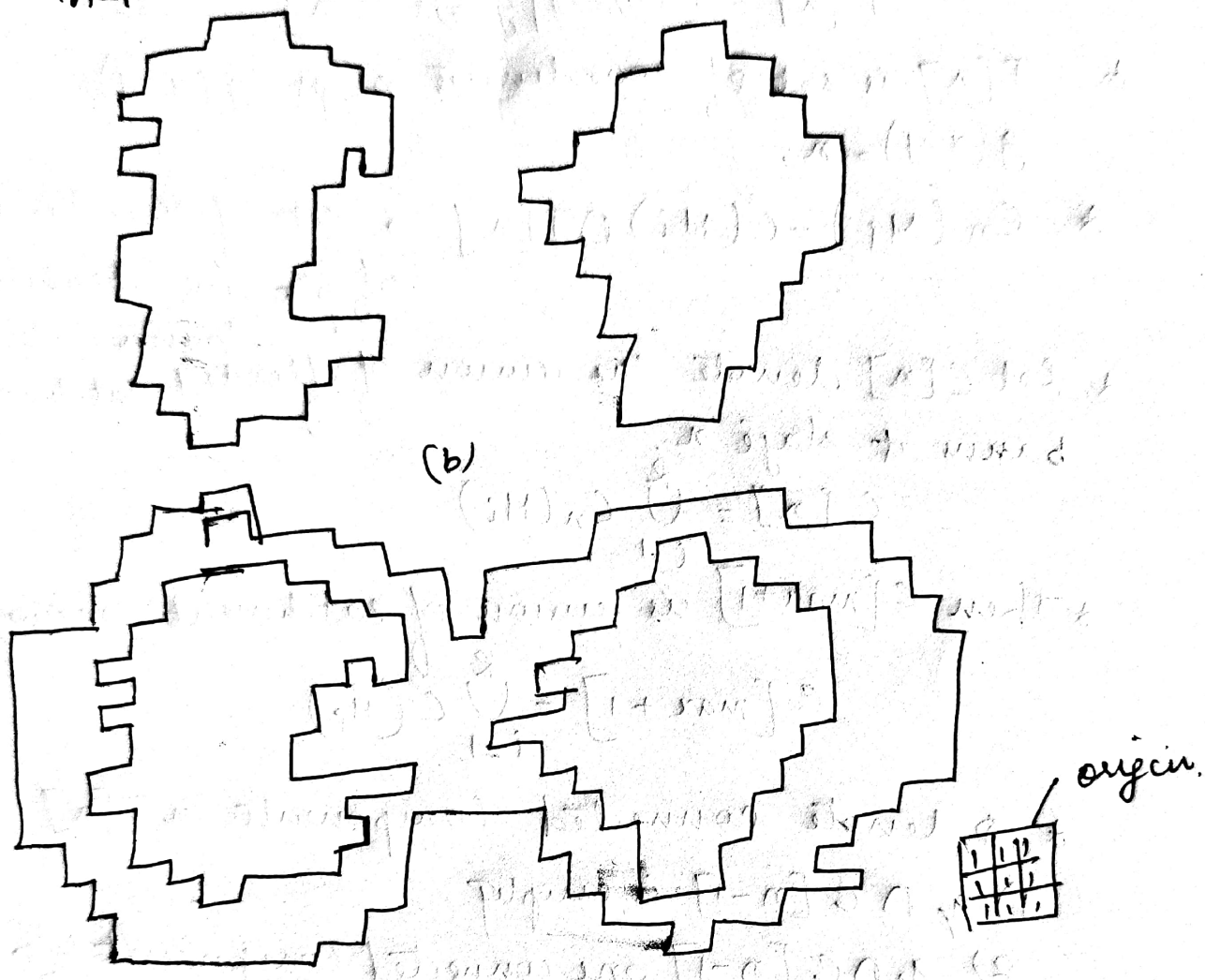
IX

# Dam construction

\* Based on binary images, which are members of 2D integer space  $Z^2$ .

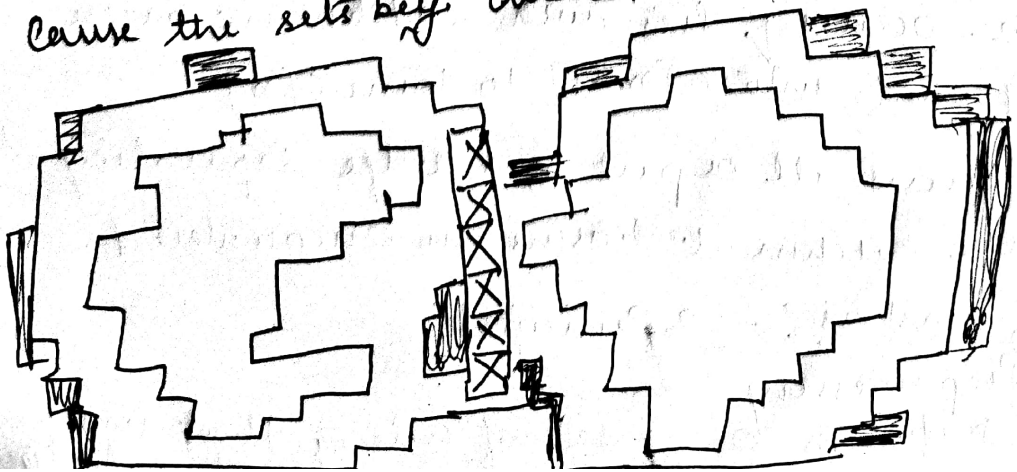
a) Two catchment basins at flooding step

$n-1$



## 2 condition

1. dilation has to be constrained to  $q$
2. dilation cannot be performed on pts that would cause the sets being dilated to merge.



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# UNIT-V IMAGE COMPRESSION & RECONSTRUCTION:-

- \* Two types of digital image compression are
  - 1) Lossless (or error free)
  - 2) Lossy compression

## I Need for data compression:-

\* Data compression can dramatically decrease the amount of storage a file takes up.

\* Compression optimizes backup storage performance & has recently shown up in primary storage data reduction.

## II Huffman coding:-

\* Variable length coding is used to reduce only coding redundancy.

Huffman coding:

\* It provides smallest possible no. of code symbols per source symbol, when coding of an information source.

Steps:-

1) Create series of source reductions by ordering the Probability of symbols.

\* Source symbols,

$$\{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5, a_6\} = \{0.1, 0.4, 0.06, 0.1, 0.04, 0.3\}$$

1st source reduction formed by combining 0.06 & 0.04

$$0.06 + 0.04 = 0.1$$

(1)

Original Source		Source Reduction			
Symbol	Probability	Source reduction			
		1	2	3	4
a <sub>2</sub>	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6
a <sub>1</sub>	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	
a <sub>1</sub>	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4
a <sub>4</sub>	0.1	0.1			
a <sub>5</sub>	0.06	0.1			
a <sub>6</sub>	0.04				

S2: minimal length binary codes used 0, 1

Symbol	Probability	code	S.R			
			1	2	3	4
a <sub>2</sub>	0.4	1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6
a <sub>1</sub>	0.3	00	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
a <sub>1</sub>	0.1	011	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
a <sub>4</sub>	0.1	0100	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
a <sub>3</sub>	0.06	01010		0.1	0.1	0.1
a <sub>5</sub>	0.04	01011				

average length of this code,

$$L_{avg} = (0.4)(1) + (0.3)(2) + (0.1)(3) + (0.1)(4) + (0.06)(5) + (0.04)(5)$$

$$= 2.2 \text{ bits/pixel}$$

### iii Run length Encoding:-

\* RLE is technique used to reduce the size of repeating string of characters. This repeating string is called a Run.

\* Typically RLE encodes a run of symbols into two bytes,

→ \* count

→ symbol

\* RLE can compress any type of data regardless of information content.

\* Black white document images, cartoon images etc are quite suitable for RLE.

Principle: Run character is replaced with no. of same characters & a single character.

eg :- R T A A A A S D E E E E E

RLE representation: RT \* 4 A S D \* 5 E

\* 3 symbol encoding strategy to represent a repetitive cluster.

→ CTRL → COUNT → CHAR

### iv Shift codes / Binary shift code:-

\* popular technique for removing coding redundancy is Huffman coding, when coding symbols of an information source individually.

\* Binary shift algorithm:-

1) The source symbols are arranged so that their probabilities are monotonically

2) The total no. of source symbols is divided

(2)

into symbol blocks of equal size.

- The individual source symbols within all blocks are coded identically with natural binary code. Let's designate the Huffman code of hypothetical symbol as  $C$ .
- Unique prefix sequence  $C$  is chosen and  $C_{k-1}$  is concatenated with symbols of block  $k$  to identify the symbols within this block.

source symbol	$P_i$	Binary code
$A_0$	0.3	00
$A_1$	0.2	01
$A_2$	0.15	100
$A_3$	0.1	110
$A_4$	0.08	1010
$A_5$	0.06	1011
$A_6$	0.05	1110
$A_7$	0.04	1111
$A_8$	0.02	2.81

Lang  $H = 2.778$

average length of Huffman code is,

$$L_{avg} = \sum_{i=0}^8 P_i l_i$$

$$= 0.5 \times 2 + 0.25 \times 3 + 0.19 \times 4 + 0.06 \times 5$$

$$= 2.81 \text{ bit/symbol}$$

∴ Efficiency of Shannon - Fano code,

$$\eta = \frac{H}{L_{avg}}$$

$$= \frac{2.778}{2.81}$$

$$= 98.86\%$$

### V Arithmetic coding :-

\* Arithmetic coding by Elias in 1963. Variable length coding Mtd which is used to reduce the coding redundancies present in an image.

\* 2 changes happen.

1) The interval used to represent the message becomes smaller according to probability of each symbol.

2) no. of information units required to represent the interval becomes larger.

Procedure :-

4 symbols  $a_1, a_2, a_3, \& a_4$ .

S1: message is assumed to occupy entire half-open interval  $[0, 1]$

S2: interval divided into 4 regions

Source symbol      Probability

$a_1$       0.2

$a_2$       0.2

$a_3$       0.4

$a_4$       0.2

Initial sub interval

$[0.0, 0.2]$

$[0.2, 0.4]$

$[0.4, 0.8]$

$[0.8, 1.0]$

S3: 1st symbol  $a_1$  of the msg is narrowed to initial subinterval  $[0, 0.2]$

S4: Interval  $[0, 0.2]$  subdivided to next symbol  $a_2$

ie;  $\text{min value} + [\text{Diff} \times \text{subinterval}] = \text{new interval}$

$$= 0 + [(0.2) \times 0.2] = 0.04$$

$$0 + [(0.2 - 0) \times 0.4] = 0.08. \quad a_2 [0.04, 0.08]$$

S5:  $a_2$  subdivided according probability  $a_3$ ,

$$0.04 + [(0.08 - 0.04) \times 0.8] = 0.072$$

$$S6: \text{last msg symbol } a_4 = 0.04 + [(0.072 - 0.056) \times 0.4] \\ = 0.0624$$

S7: Finally

$$0.0624 + [(0.0688 - 0.0624) \times 1] = 0.0688$$

$$0.0624 + [(0.0688 - 0.0624) \times 0.8] = 0.06752$$

Limitations:

1. Addition of end of msg indicator that is needed to separate one msg from another

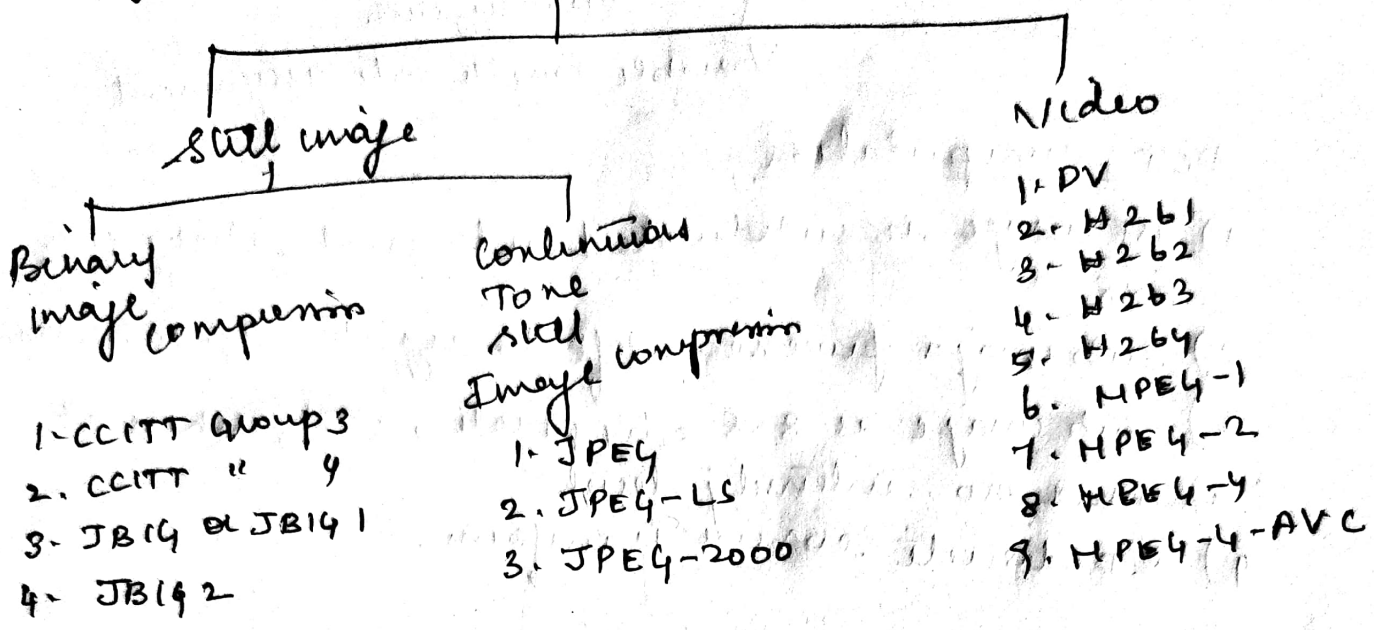
2. use of finite Precision arithmetic.

Scaling strategy: renormalizes each subinterval to  $[0, 1]$  range before subdividing

Rounding strategy: represent the coding subintervals by preventing the transaction effects of finite

Precision arithmetic.

# Image compression standard:



## JPEG standard :-

It has 3 different coding systems:

1. A lossy baseline coding system.
2. An extended coding system.
3. A lossless independent coding system.

Based on DCT and is used in almost compression applications.

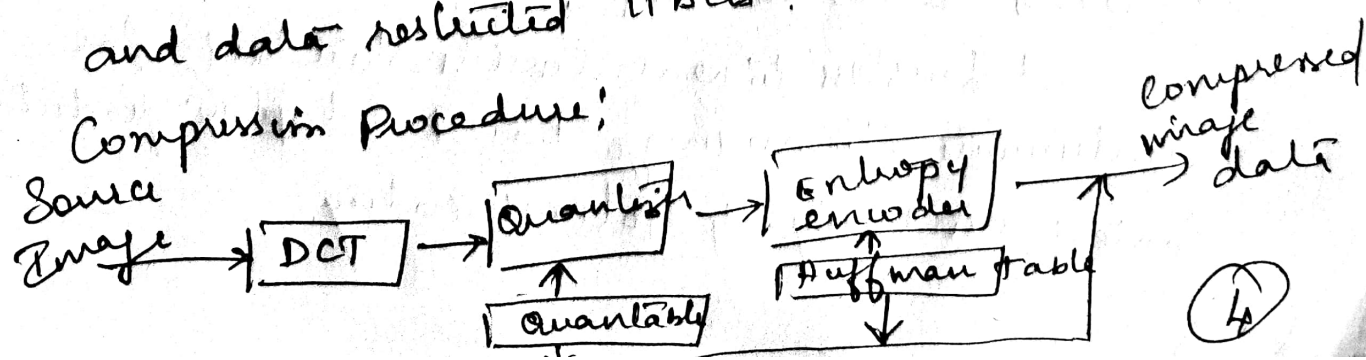
It is used in greater compression, higher precision & progressive reconstruction applications.

It is used for reversible compression.

### Baseline coding system :-

Sequential baseline system based on Discrete cosine Transform (DCT). data precision 8 bits and data restricted 11 bits.

### Compression Procedure:



3 sequential steps — DCT Computation  
 | — Quantization  
 | — Variable length code assignment

DCT computation :-

- 1) 1st image is subdivided into pixel blocks size 8x8
- 2) sub images processed left to right, top to bottom
- 3) sub image as 8x8 = 64 pixels,  $2^{k-1}$ , where  $2^k$  is max no. intensity level
- 4) 2D discrete cosine transform.

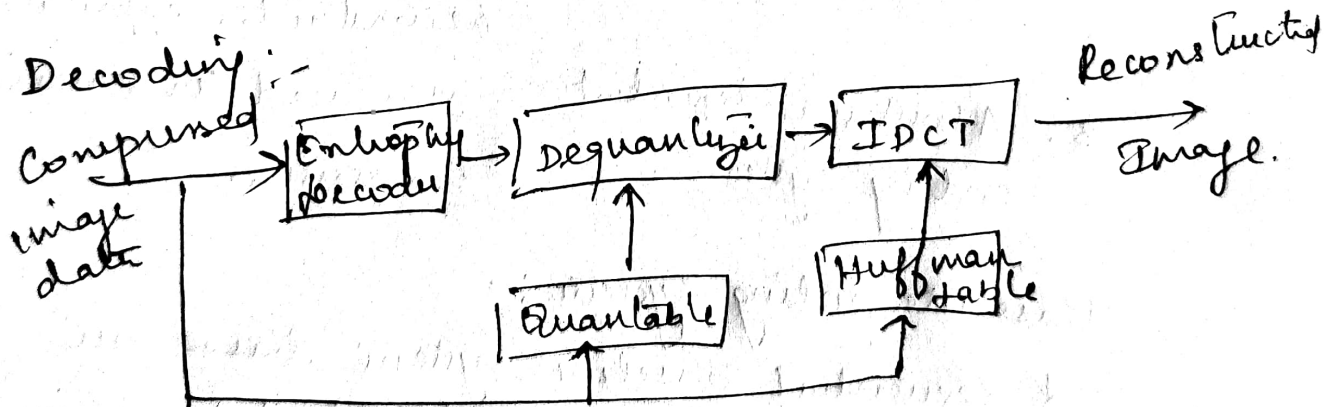
Quantization :-

$$\hat{T}(u,v) = \text{round} \left[ \frac{T(u,v)}{Z(u,v)} \right] \quad (\text{Zig Zag Pattern})$$

Variable length code assignment :-

non zero AC coefficients are coded using variable length code.  
 DC coefficient is difference coded relative to DC coefficient

Decoding :-



① JPEG - LS standard :

\* Lossless to near lossless standard for continuous to no image based adaptive prediction, context modeling & Golomb coding.

## ② JPEG - 2000 standard:

\* Used flexibility

- 1) Compression of continuous tone still images
- 2) Access to compressed data.

### JPEG encoding:-

S1: Level shifting

S2: optional decorrelation

S3: Tiling

S4: Transformation

\* Six sequential 'lifting & scaling' operations.

$$Y(2n+1) = X(2n+1) + \alpha [X(2n) + X(2n+2)]$$

$$Y(2n) = X(2n) + \beta [Y(2n-1) + Y(2n+1)]$$

$$Y(2n+1) = Y(2n+1) + \gamma [Y(2n) + Y(2n+2)]$$

$$Y(2n) = X(2n) + \delta [Y(2n-1) + Y(2n+1)]$$

$$Y(2n+1) = -k \cdot Y(2n+1)$$

$$Y(2n) = Y(2n) / k.$$

S5: Quantization:

$$q_b(u, v) = \text{sign}[a_b(u, v)] \cdot \text{floor} \left[ \frac{|a_b(u, v)|}{\Delta_b} \right]$$

Quantization step size  $\Delta_b$ ,

$$\Delta_b = 2^{R_b - q_b} \left( 1 + \frac{u_b}{2^q} \right)$$

86: co-efficient-bit modeling

87: Arithmetic coding

88: Bit stream layering

89: Packetizing

JPEG-2000 decoding:

81: Reconstruction of tile components.

82: Dequantization

\*  $M_b$  bit planes,  $N_b$  bit planes

$$R_{q,b}(u,v) = \begin{cases} (\bar{q}_{N_b}(u,v) + \lambda \cdot 2^{M_b - N_b(u,v)}) \cdot \Delta_b \\ (\bar{q}_{N_b}(u,v) - \lambda \cdot 2^{M_b - N_b(u,v)}) \cdot \Delta_b \\ 0 \end{cases}$$

83: Inverse Transformation

84: Reconstruction for Tiles

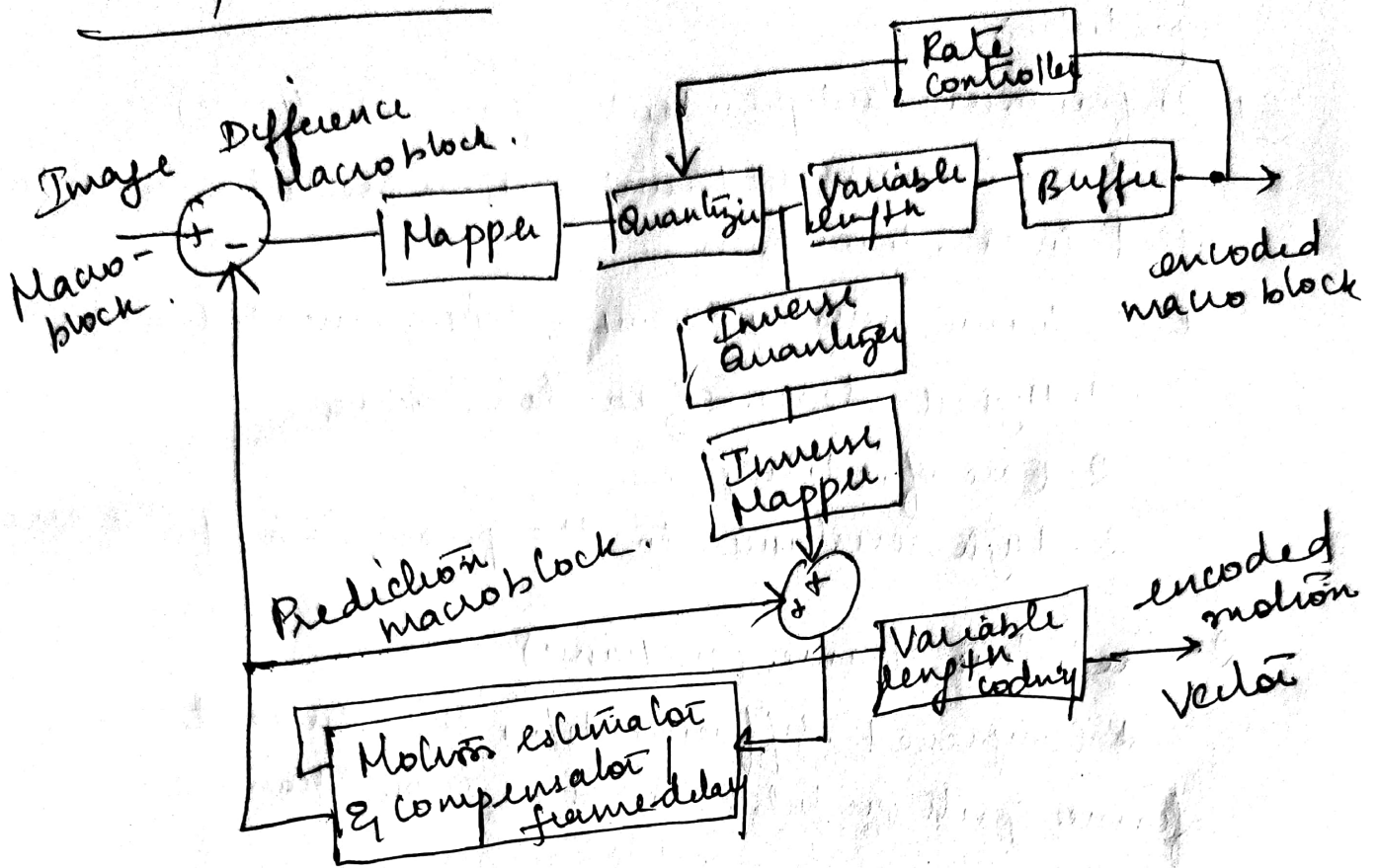
85: Inverse Component Transformation

86: DC level shifting.

MPEG :-

- 1) MPEG-1 → motion picture expert group standard CD-ROM applications with video 1.5 Mb/s
- 2) MPEG-2 → MPEG1 → DVD with transfer rate 15 Mb/s HDTV
- 3) MPEG-4 → \* It is extension of MPEG-2.  
\* bit rate 5 to 64 kbits/sec.

## MPEG encoder :-



\* Based on a DPCM / DCT coding scheme.

1. Redundancies within & b/w adjacent video frames
2. Motion uniformity between frames
3. The Psycho visual properties of the human visual system.

\* 2 kind of i/p can be given to encoder such as,

1. conventional macro block of image data
2. Difference b/w conventional image block & its Prediction based on previous / future video frames.

\* 3 types of encoded o/p frame,

1. I-frame
2. P-frame
3. B-frame.

## Decoding :-

Decoder access the areas of the reference (6)

frames that were used in encoder to form prediction.

### 1. Inframe (a) Independent frame (I-frame)

\* Frame compressed without a prediction residual called Intra frames.  $\cup$

\* I-frame usually resemble JPEG encoded images.

1. Highest degree of random access

2. Ease of editing

3. High resistance to the propagation of Tx error.

### 2. Predictive frame (P-frame)

\* Compressed difference b/w the current frame & its prediction based on I or P frame.

### 3. Bi-directional frame:

\* Encoded frame based on subsequent frame.

## C M / Boundary Representation:-

\* Representation deals with computation of segmented data into representations that facilitate the computation of descriptors.

### ① Boundary (Border) following:-

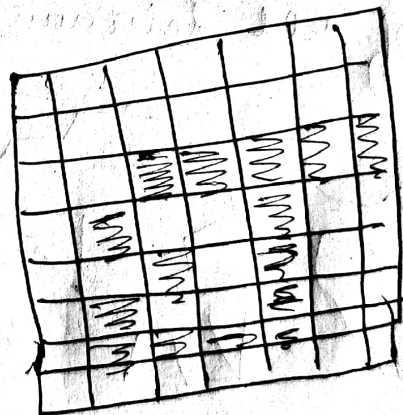
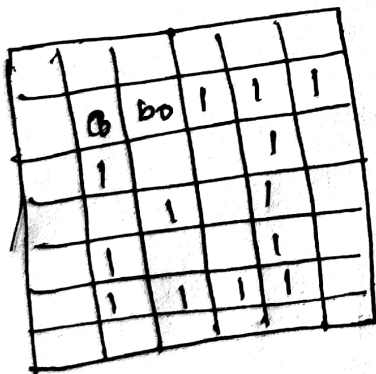
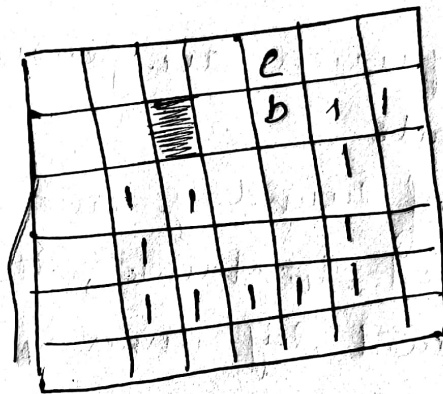
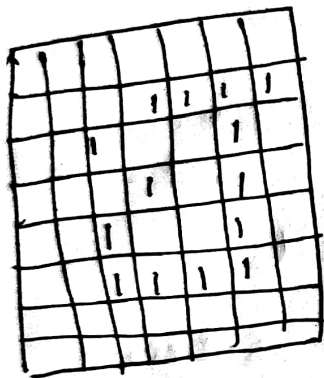
\* Algorithm require the pts of region in clockwise direction

Algm: - 1. we work with binary image with object & background 1 & 0.

2. Images are padded with borders of 0's to eliminate the possibility of object merging with image border.

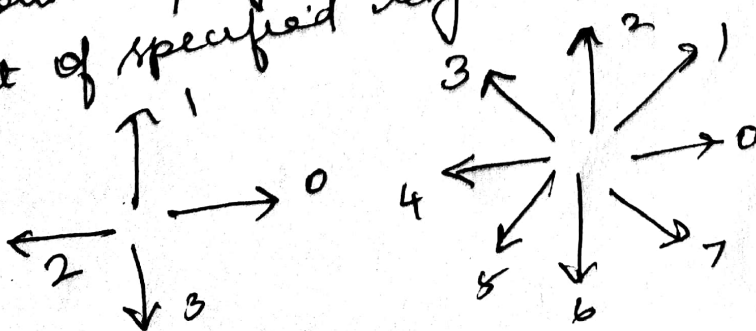
Steps:

1. Starting pt  $b_0$  be uppermost, leftmost point in the image labelled 1.
  2. let  $b = b_0$ ,  $c = c_0$ ,
  3. Let 8 neighbours of  $b$ , starting at  $c$  & proceeding in clockwise direction, denoted  $n_1, n_2, \dots, n_8$
  4.  $b = n_k, c = n_{k-1}$
  5. Repeat 3 & 4 until  $b = b_0$
- Moore boundary tracking algorithm:-



② Chain codes.

\* Boundary by connected sequence of slight line segment of specified length & direction.



## 2 Principal reasons

1. Resulting chain tends to be quite long
2. Any small disturbances along the boundary due to noise or imperfect segmentation can cause change in code.

③ Polygonal approximation using minimum Perimeter Polygons.

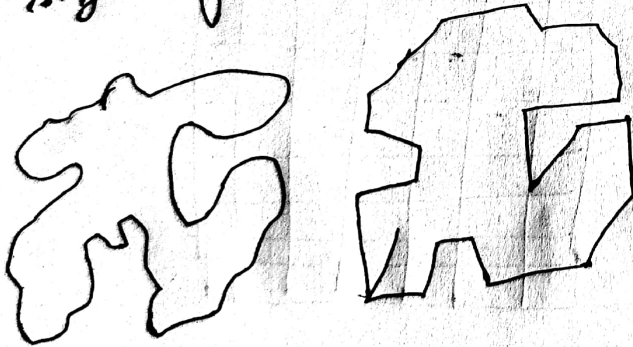
$$MPP = \sqrt{2d}$$

MPP:-

\* An approach is generally an algorithm to compute

\* Think of boundary as a rubber band  
\* allowed to shrink, the rubber band will be constrained by inner & outer wall.

\* size of cell determine shape of a polygon.



IX Boundary description :-  
\* the boundary of a region using the features of the boundary.

\* 2 types  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{simple descriptors} \\ \text{Fourier descriptors.} \end{array} \right.$

\* 2 Quantities, 1. shape numbers  
2. statistical moments.

① simple Descriptors :-

\* length of a boundary is simple descriptor.  
The no. of pixels along a boundary gives a rough approximation of its length.

$$\text{length} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{no. of vertical} \\ \text{Horizontal} \\ \text{components} \end{array} \right\} + \sqrt{2} \{ \text{no. of diagonal components} \}$$

\* diameter of boundary B,

$$\text{Diam}(B) = \max_{i, j} [D(P_i, P_j)]$$

\* major axis defined as line segment connecting the two extreme pts

\* minor axis defined as line  $\perp$  to major axis

\* Ratio of major axis as called efficiency of a boundary.

$$\text{Efficiency} = \frac{\text{Major axis}}{\text{Minor axis}}$$

\* curvature is defined as rate of change of slope.

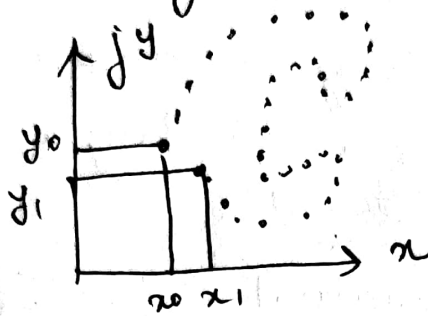
Boundary in clockwise can be determined,

⑧

1. If change in slope at P is non-negative, vertex P is said convex segment
2. If change in slope at P is negative  $\rightarrow$  concave segment
3. If change is less than  $10^\circ$ , vertex P.
4. If change is greater than  $90^\circ$ .

Fourier descriptors :-

\* digital boundary is as a complex sequence.



\* Boundary points  $(x_0, y_0)$ , coordinate points,  $(x_0, y_0) (x_1, y_1) (x_2, y_2) \dots (x_{k-1}, y_{k-1})$ .

\* co-ordinates can be expressed,

$$x(k) = x_k$$

$$y(k) = y_k$$

\* sequence of co-ordinates

$$s(k) = [x(k), y(k)] \text{ for } k = 0, 1, 2 \dots k-1.$$

\* co-ordinate pair can be treated as complex,

$$s(k) = x(k) + jy(k) \text{ for } k = 0, 1, 2 \dots k-1$$

\*  $s(k) = x(k) + jy(k)$  for  $0, 1, 2 \dots k-1$ .

x-axis treated as the real axis.

\* DFT of  $s(k)$ ,

$$a(u) = \sum_{k=0}^{k-1} s(k) e^{-j2\pi uk/k}$$

\* Complex coefficients  $a(u)$  called Fourier descriptors.

\* Finite Fourier Transforms (FFT).

$$S(k) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{u=0}^{K-1} a(u) \cdot e^{-j 2\pi u k / K} \text{ for}$$

$$k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, K-1.$$

\* equivalent setting,  $a(u) = 0$  for  $u > P-1$

- Basic properties:
1. Translation
  2. Rotation
  3. Scale change
  4. Starting point

1. Rotation :-

$$a_r(u) = \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} s(k) \cdot e^{j\theta} \cdot e^{-j 2\pi u k / K}$$

$$= a(u) \cdot e^{j\theta}$$

2. Translation :-

$$s_t(k) = s(k) + \Delta xy$$

$$\Delta xy = \Delta x + j \Delta y$$

3. Starting pt :-

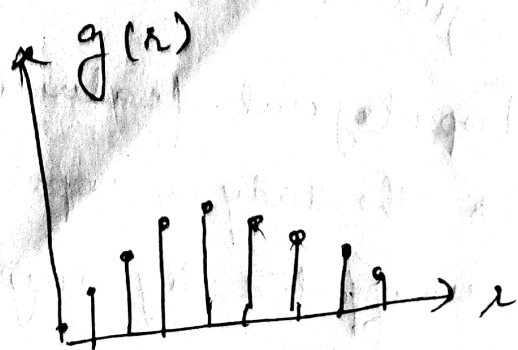
$$s_p(k) = s(k - k_0)$$

$$= x(k - k_0) + j y(k - k_0)$$

(A) Statistical moments



Boundary segment



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\* random variable,

$$\ln(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} (x_i - m)^n g(x_i)$$

$$m = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} x_i g(x_i)$$

✓ Regional descriptors:-

\* Describe image region,

1. Simple descriptors
2. Topological descriptors
3. Texture
4. Moment invariants

1. Simple descriptors;

\* no. of pixels in the region.

\* 2 descriptors used to measure compactness of a region,

$$\text{Compactness} = \frac{(\text{Perimeter})^2}{\text{area}}$$

\* circularity ratio,

$$R_c = \frac{4\pi A}{P^2}$$

— area of region  
— length of perimeter.

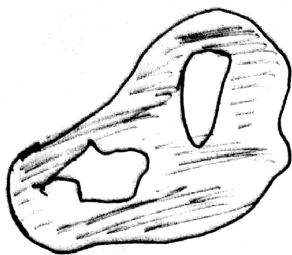
\* Value of measure 1 for circular region &  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  for a square.

Topological features / Descriptors:-

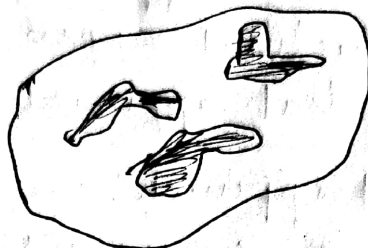
\* The study on properties of an image that are unaffected by any deformation

\* Two Topological Properties,

1. no. of holes in region
2. no. of connected component of region



\* A region of 3 connected components



\* no. of holes H and connected components C,

$$E = C - H$$

connected component

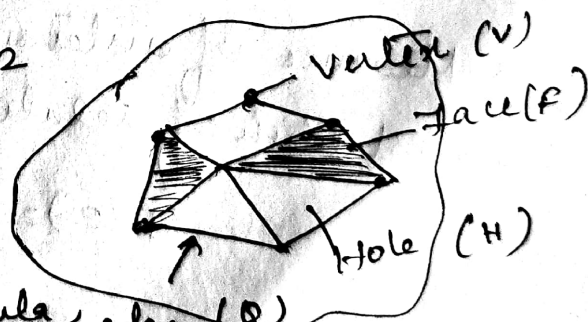
Holes

Region in euler no's equal to 0 & -1



For A,  $E = C - H$ ,  $C = 1, H = 1$

For B,  $E = C - H$ ,  $C = 1, H = 2$



\* no. of edges by E & no. of faces by F called euler formula, edge (E)

$$V - E + F = C - H$$

$$E = C - H$$

$$V - E + F = E$$

## Texture :-

Properties,

1. Smoothness
2. Coarseness
3. Regularity.

3 principal approaches,

1. statistical approach
2. structural approach
3. spectral approach.

① Statistical approach :-  
smooth, coarse, grainy.

1) Statistical moments :-

\*  $Z$  random variable,

$P(z_i)$  histogram for  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, L-1$ .

\*  $n$ th moment of  $Z$ ,  $\mu_n(Z) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (z_i - m)^n P(z_i)$

\*  $m$  mean value of  $Z$ ,  $m = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} z_i P(z_i)$

2) second moment :-

\* Measure of intensity contrast can be used to establish of relative smoothness.

$$R(Z) = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + \sigma^2(Z)}$$

$$\sigma^2(Z) = \mu_2(Z)$$

3rd moment :-

$$\mu_3(Z) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (z_i - m)^3 P(z_i)$$

4th moment :-

$$\mu_4(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} (z_i - m)^4 P(z_i)$$

5th & Higher moments

uniformity :  $V(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} P^2(z_i)$

Entropy :  $e(z) = - \sum_{i=0}^{L-1} P(z_i) \log_2 P(z_i)$

① Gray level co-occurrence matrix  $G$   
\* Total no ( $n$ ) of pixel  $q$  is equal to sum of elements of  $G$ ,

$$P_{ij} = \frac{g_{ij}}{n}$$

Proceeding eqn as,

$$m_x = \sum_{i=1}^k i P(i)$$

$$m_c = \sum_{j=1}^k j P(j)$$

$$\sigma_x^2 = \sum_{i=1}^k (i - m_x)^2 P(i)$$

$$\sigma_c^2 = \sum_{j=1}^k (j - m_c)^2 P(j)$$

② Structural approaches :-

\* Arrangement of image primitives, such as texture based on regularly spaced line lines.

$$A \rightarrow bs$$

$$S \rightarrow a$$

③ Special approaches :-

\* Fourier spectrum ideally suited for a periodic or almost periodic 2D-pattern in an image.

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## \* Texture description

1. Prominent peaks in the spectrum give the Principal direction of texture patterns.

2. Location of peak in the frequency plane gives fundamental spatial period of patterns

3. Eliminating any periodic components via filtering leaves are simplified by non-periodic image elements.

$S(k, \theta)$  / Spectrum  
 / direction Variable  
 / freq. variable

$$S(k) = \sum_{\theta=0}^{\pi} S_0(k)$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{K_0} S_n(\theta)$$

## (4) Moment Invariants :-

\* 2D-moment of order  $(p+q)$ , digital image  $f(x, y)$  of size  $M \times N$ ,

$$m_{pq} = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} x^p y^q f(x, y)$$

\* central moment of order  $(p+q)$  is defined as,

$$\mu_{pq} = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} (x-\bar{x})^p (y-\bar{y})^q f(x, y)$$

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## Pattern & Pattern classes:-

- \* Pattern classes are denoted  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n$ , where  $n$  is no. of classes.
- \* Pattern recognition by machine involves techniques for assigning patterns to their respective classes automatically

1. Vectors
2. Strings
3. Trees

### 1) Pattern Vectors:-

\* Bold letters  $X, Y \in Z$ ,  $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$

$x_i = i^{\text{th}}$  descriptor

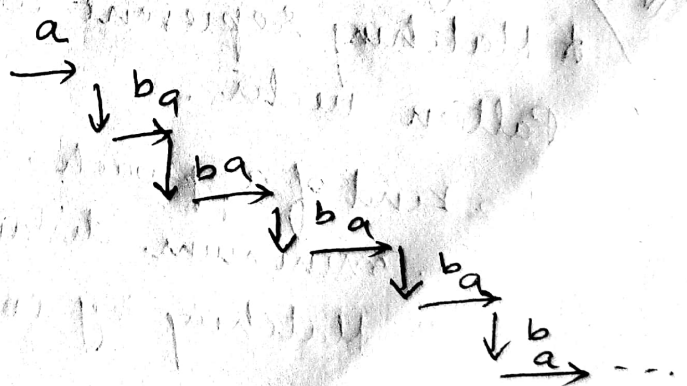
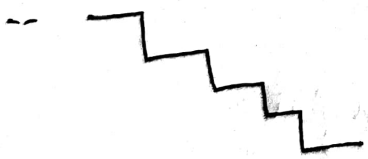
$n \rightarrow$  Total no. of descriptors.

$$X = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)^T$$

\* 2-D pattern vector form  $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$

\*  $x_1$  &  $x_2$  correspond to pixel length & width.

### 2) Pattern Strings:-



\* Strings are 1-D structure, their application to image description require.

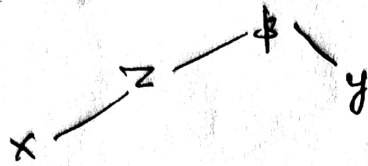
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### 3) Pattern Tree :

\* A Tree  $T$  is finite set of one or more nodes,

a) unique nodes & designated the root

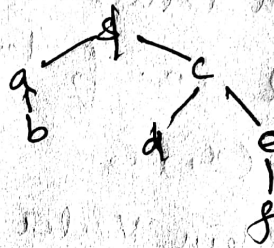
b) Remaining nodes in disjointed  $T_1, \dots, T_m$ , each with is a tree called tree of  $T$ .



\* 2 types of information.

1. Information about a node stored as a set of words describing the node.

2. Information relating a node to its neighbors, stored as a set of pointers to neighbors.



### IV) Recognition based on matching:-

\* Matching represent each class by prototype Pattern vector.

\* 2 kind of approach,

1. minimum distance classifier.

2. Matching by correlation.

#### 1) Minimum distance classifier:

\* Mean Vector of pattern,  $m_j = \frac{1}{N_j} \sum_{x \in W_j} x_j \quad j=1, 2, \dots, W$

$N_j \rightarrow$  no. of pattern vectors

$W \rightarrow$  no. of pattern classes.

\* Euclidean distance to distance to determine closeness reduces the problem to computing the distance measures.

$$D_j(x) = \|x - m_j\| \text{ for } j=1, 2, \dots, W$$

\* smallest distance is equivalent to evaluating the fn's

$$d_j(x) = x^T m_j - \frac{1}{2} m_j^T m_j \text{ for } j=1, 2, \dots, W$$

\* Decision boundary b/w classes  $w_i$  &  $w_j$ , min distance,

$$\begin{aligned} d_{ij}(x) &= d_i(x) - d_j(x) \\ &= x^T (m_i - m_j) - \frac{1}{2} (m_i - m_j)^T (m_i + m_j) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

② Matching By correlation:-

\* Fourier Transform of fn's via convolution theorem, spatial correlation is related to Transform,

$$f(x, y) \star w(x, y) \Rightarrow F^*(u, v) W(u, v)$$

Spatial convolution,  $F^*$  is complex conjugate of  $F$ .