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The presented exam questions are organized to overcome course material through 6 questions.  
The *all questions* are compulsory requested to be answered.

## Marking Assignments

**Question 1** This question is attributed with 7 marks if answered properly; the answers are as following:

- 1) **Computer vision defined as a discipline in which -----**
  - a) Both the input and output of a process are images.
  - b) The input of a process is an image description and the output is image
  - c) Both the input and output of a process are descriptions.
  - d) **The input of a process is an image and the output is an image description.**
- 2) **MRI Technology used ----- band.**
  - a) Gamma Rays
  - b) CT Scan
  - c) Visible
  - d) **Radio waves**
- 3) **-----Filter cannot be implemented using convolution mechanism.**
  - a) Average
  - b) Gaussian
  - c) **Median**
  - d) Disk
- 4) **To remove "salt-and-pepper" noise without blurring we use**
  - a) Max Filter
  - b) **Median Filter**
  - c) Min Filter
  - d) Smoothing Filter
- 5) **Edge detection in images is commonly accomplished by performing a spatial ---  
---of the image field.**
  - a) Smoothing Filter
  - b) Integration
  - c) **Differentiation**
  - d) Min Filter
- 6) **Both the ----- and ----- filters are used to enhance horizontal edges (or  
vertical if transposed).**
  - a) **Prewitt and Sobel**
  - b) Sobel and Gaussian
  - c) Prewitt and Laplacian
  - d) Sobel and Laplacian
- 7) **Transforming the pixel values of an image using the log ( ) transformation is an  
example of contrast compression of the dark pixels**
  - a) True
  - b) **False**

**Question 2:** This question is attributed with 13 marks if answered properly, the answers are as following:

**Solution**

### Question 2.a

(2 marks)

- Boundary Representation
- Region Representation

### Question 2.b

(3 marks)

- a) 4-connectivity:  
Two pixels p and q with values from  $V$  are 4-connected if q is in the set  $N_4(p)$
- b) 8- connectivity:  
Two pixels p and q with values from  $V$  are 8-connected if q is in the set  $N_8(p)$
- c) m- connectivity:  
Two pixels p and q with values from  $V$  are m-connected if
  - i. q is in  $N_4(p)$  or
  - ii. q is in  $N_D(p)$  and the set  $N_4(p) \cap N_4(q) \neq \emptyset$

### Question 2.c

(3 marks)

- 1) Prewitt filter.
- 2) Roberts filter
- 3) Sobel filter.
- 4) Unsharp filter

### Question 2.d

(2 marks)

$D_4$  Distance (city block distance) is defined by

$$D_4(p, q) = |x - s| + |y - t|$$

$D_8$  Distance (chess board distance) is defined by

$$D_8(p, q) = \max(|x - s|, |y - t|).$$

### Question 2.e

(3 marks)

#### Unsharp masking:

The process of subtracting an unsharp (smoothed) version of an image from the original images to get sharpened images (high pass filtering).

The process consists of the following steps:

- Blur the original image.
- Subtract the blurred image from the original (the resulting difference is called the mask).
- Add the mask to the original image.

Unsharp masking is expressed in equations form as follows:

$$g(x, y) = f(x, y) - \bar{f}(x, y)$$

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

$f(x, y)$  – Blurred image,  $f(x, y)$  – original image,  $g_{mask}(x, y)$  – unsharp mask.

Then we add a weighted portion of the mask back to the original image:

**Question 3:** This question is attributed with 4 marks if answered properly, the answers are as following:

The complete code for this question as the following:

```
f = imread('pout.tif');
h = imhist(f);
h1 = h(1:10:256);
horiz = 1:10:256;
bar(horiz, h1);
xlabel('Intensity Level', 'fontsize', 12);
ylabel('Count of Pixels', 'fontsize', 12);
title('Image Histogram');
axis([0 255 0 1500]);
set(gca, 'xtick', [0:50:255]);
set(gca, 'ytick', [0:200:1500]);
```

(2 marks)

(2 marks)

**Question 4:** This question is attributed with 4 marks if answered properly, the answers are as following:

The complete code for this question as the following:

```
f = imread('pout.tif');
f = im2double(f);
m = input('Enter the value of m ');
E = input('Enter the value of m '); %
g = 1 ./ (1 + (m ./ (f + eps)).^E);
figure, imshow(f), title('Original Image');
figure, imshow(g),
title('Contrast stretched Image');
```

(1 mark)

(2 marks)

(1 mark)

**Question 5:** This question is attributed with 6 marks if answered properly, the answers are as following:

The complete code for this question as the following:

```
function [mx, mm] = immaxmin(f)
%IMMAXMIN Computes the new Max and Min images
%[MX, MM] = IMMAXMIN(F) Computes MX and MM images
%obtained using 3x3 operations for each pixel
%(one operation: the max of the 3x3 pixel environment
%and the second operation is the min of the 3x3).
%MX- the image obtained from the MAX Filter processing.
%MM - the image obtained from the MIN Filter processing.
[M N d] = size(f);
%preallocating arrays for images
mx = uint8(zeros(M, N));
mm = uint8(zeros(M, N));
%using low-level processing
for x = 2:M-1
```

(2 marks)

```

    for y=2:N-1
        fr = [f(x-1,y-1) f(x-1,y) f(x-1,y+1)];
        sr = [f(x,y-1) f(x,y) f(x,y+1)];
        tr = [f(x+1,y-1) f(x+1,y) f(x+1,y+1)];
        mafm = [fr sr tr];
        mx(x,y) = max(mafm);
        mm(x,y) = min(mafm);
    end;
end;
imshow(mx), figure,
imshow(mm), figure, imshow(f);

```

(3 marks)

(1 mark)

**Question 6:** This question is attributed with 6 marks if answered properly, the answers are as following:  
The complete code for this question as the following:

```

function Noise_EdgeFilter (filename)
%Read and display the input image
f = imread(filename);
f = im2double(f);
subplot(2,2,1);
imshow(f,[]);
title('Input Image');
%Noise Reduction using Gaussian filter
h1 = fspecial('gaussian',[5 5],0.5); %create the Gaussian mask
g1 = imfilter(f,h1,'replicate');
subplot(2,2,2);
imshow(g1,[]);
title('image using Gaussian filter');
%Edge Detection using Laplacian filter
h2 = fspecial('laplacian',0.5);
g2 = imfilter(g1,h2,'replicate');
subplot(2,2,3);
imshow(g2,[]);
title('Laplacian image');
g3 = g1 - g2;
subplot(2,2,4);
imshow(g3,[]);
title('image using Laplacian filter');

```

(2 marks)

(1 mark)

(2 marks)

(1 mark)