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Digital Image Processing

Lecture 1: Course Overview and Introduction

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# Outline

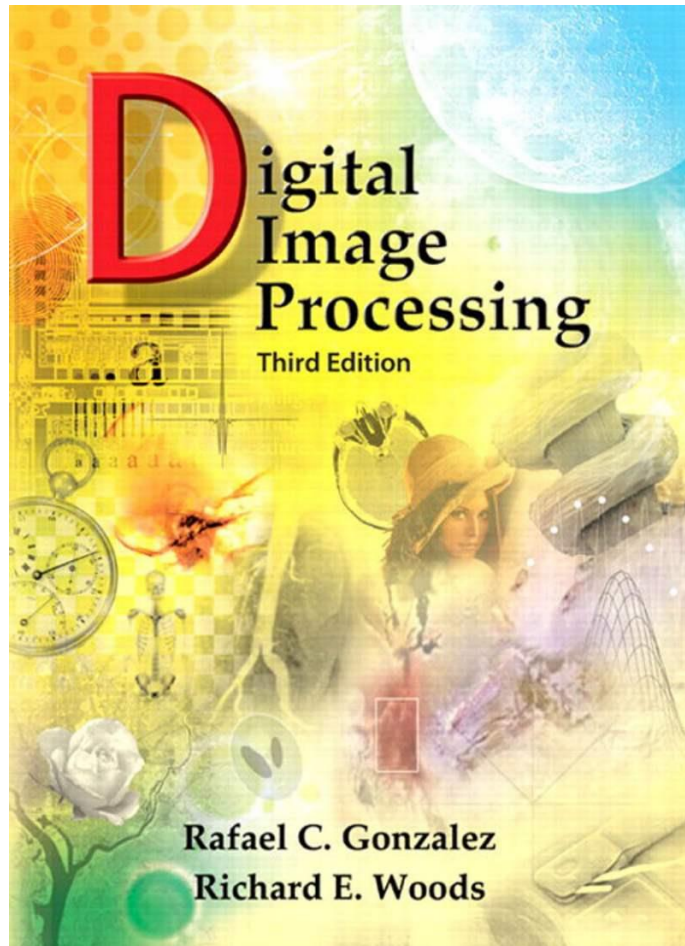
- Course information
- Overview of digital image processing
- Digital image fundamentals

# Course information

- Instructor: Guoxu Liu ([liuguoxu@wfust.edu.cn](mailto:liuguoxu@wfust.edu.cn))
- Time:
  - Wednesday (8:00 am – 9:40 am): two sessions with a 10-min break
  - Friday (10:00 am – 11:40 am): two sessions with a 10-min break
  - Course website:  
[https://vlg-wfust.github.io/course/digital\\_image\\_processing/index\\_en.html](https://vlg-wfust.github.io/course/digital_image_processing/index_en.html)
- Office hour: Wednesday 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm at Room ?

Textbook: Gonzalez and Woods

<http://www.imageprocessingplace.com/>



# Prerequisites & Enrollment

- All enrolled students should have taken the Linear Algebra course, Probability course, and Digital Signal Processing course.
- Better to master a programming language (Matlab, Python, C, C++, Java, etc)

# What we will cover

- Fundamentals of DIP: image acquisition, image sampling and quantization, image representation, mathematical tools in DIP, etc.
- DIP algorithms: spatial and frequency filtering, restoration and reconstruction, segmentation, etc
- High level applications: object recognition

# Course objective

- Knowledge on the foundation and practice of DIP
- Basic capacity for dealing with digital image processing problems

# Grading

- Attendance: 20%
- 3 assignments: 30%
- Exam: 50%



# Course Schedule website

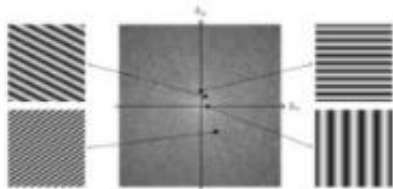


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## Digital Image Processing

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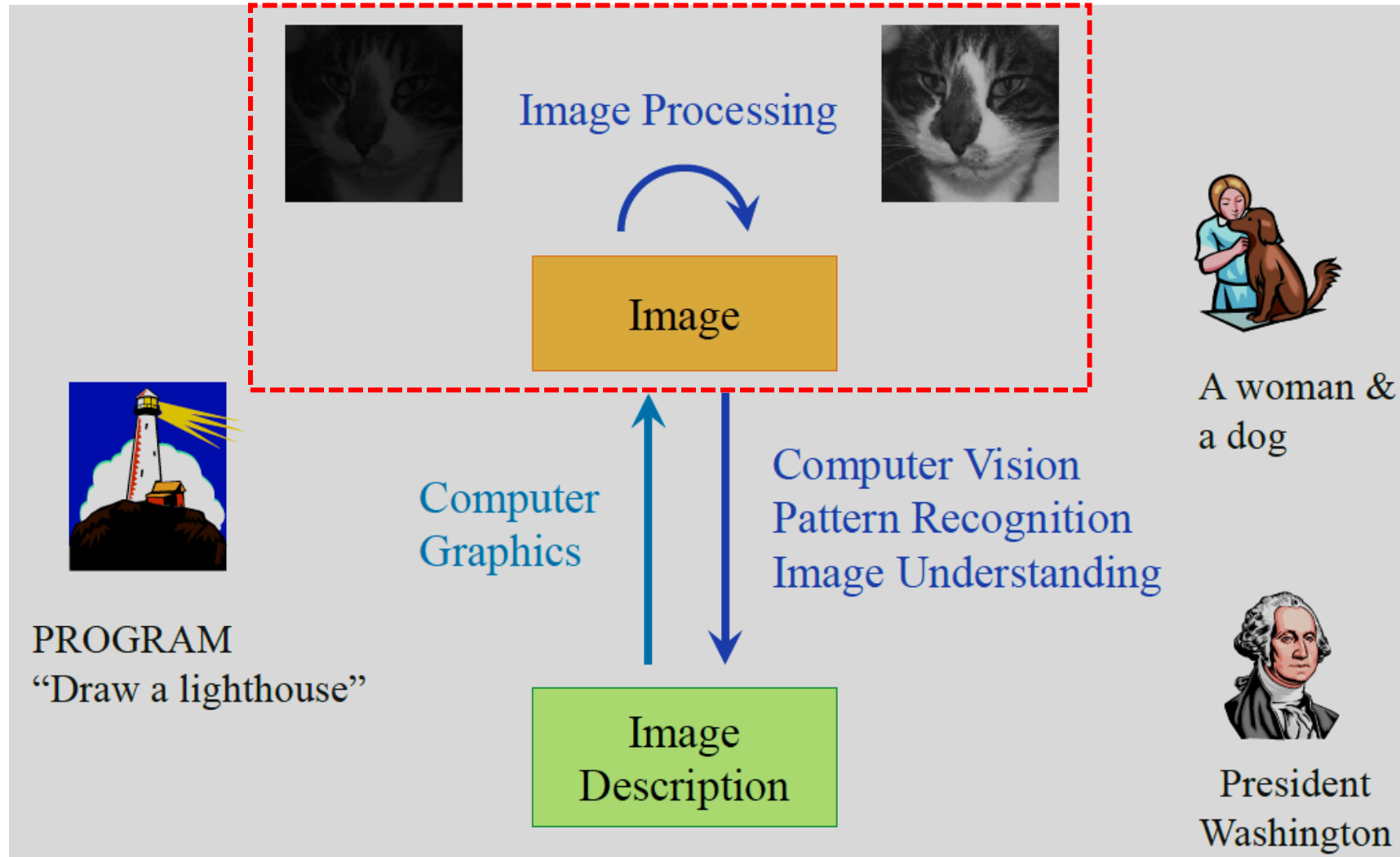
### Course Overview

The goal of computer vision is to compute properties of the three-dimensional world from images and video. Problems in this field include identifying the 3D shape of a scene, determining how things are moving, and recognizing familiar people and objects. This course provides an introduction to computer vision, including such topics as image processing, feature extraction, object description, image segmentation, object recognition, and object tracking.

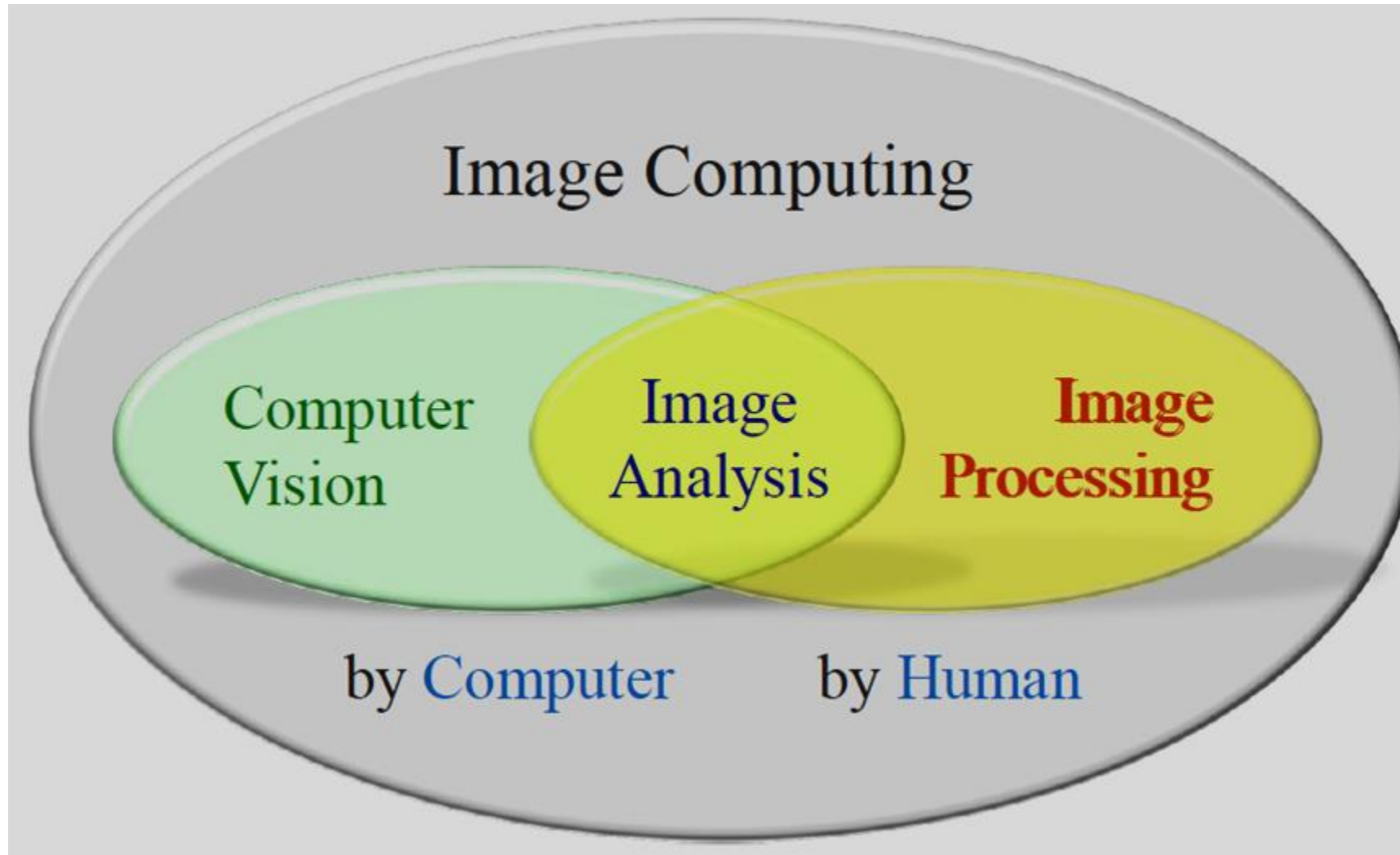
One picture is worth more than ten thousand words.



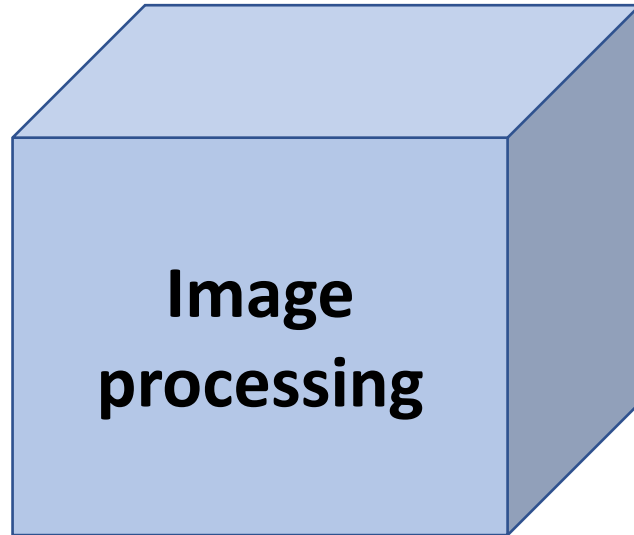
# Overview of Image Processing



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# What is digital image processing and why we care?



# Examples of Digital Image Processing

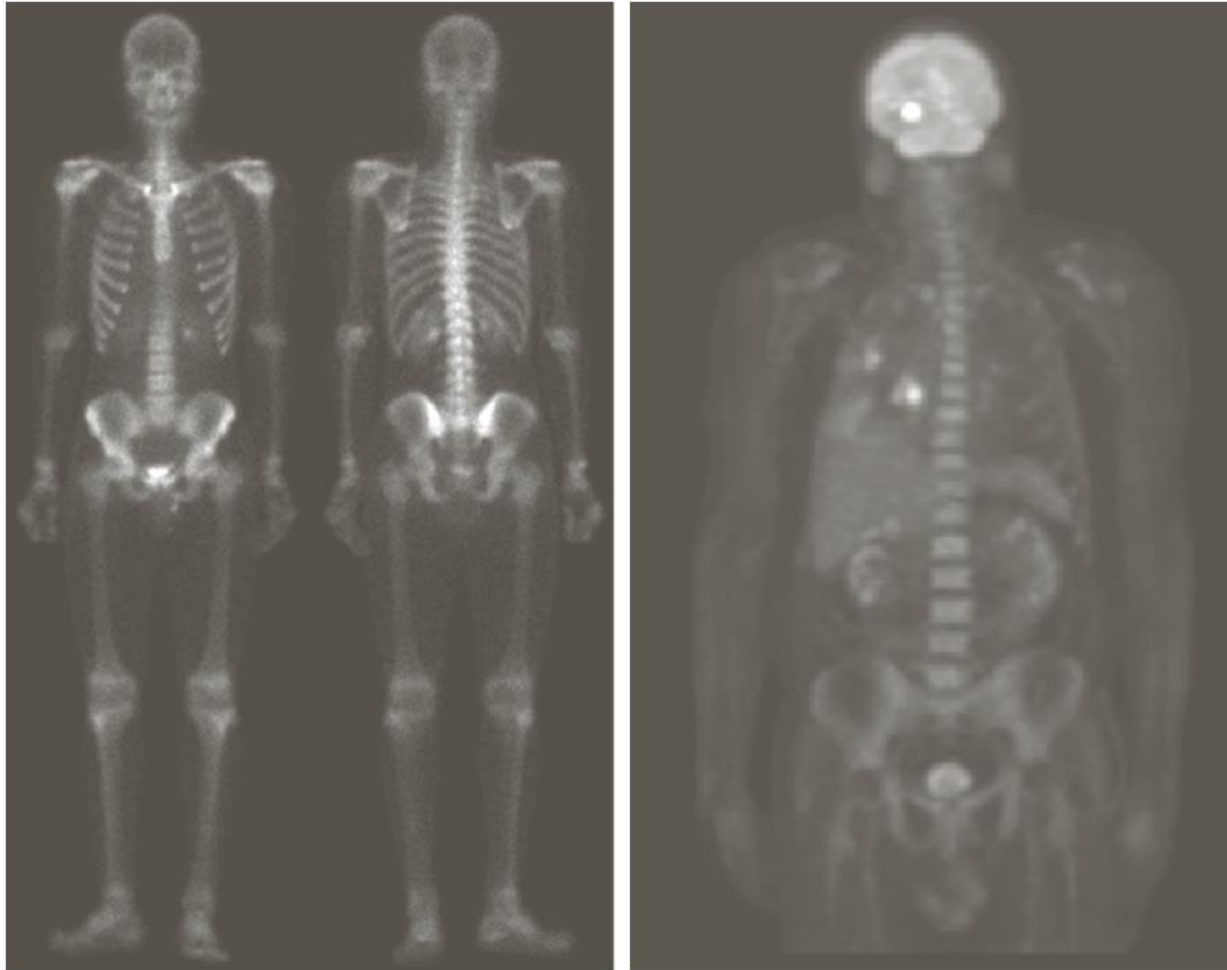


Fig 1. Gamma-ray imaging

# Examples of Digital Image Processing

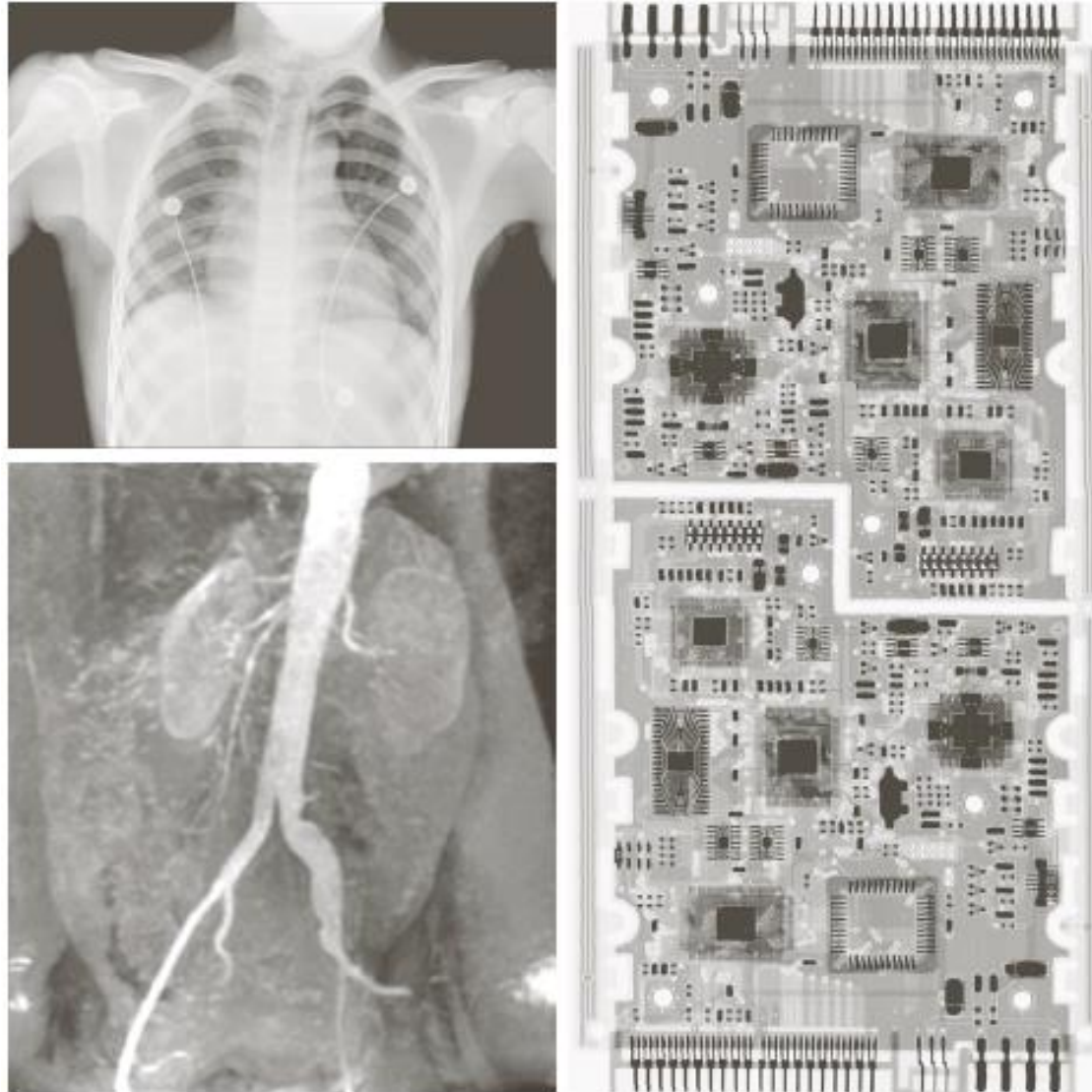


Fig 2. X-ray imaging

# Examples of Digital Image Processing

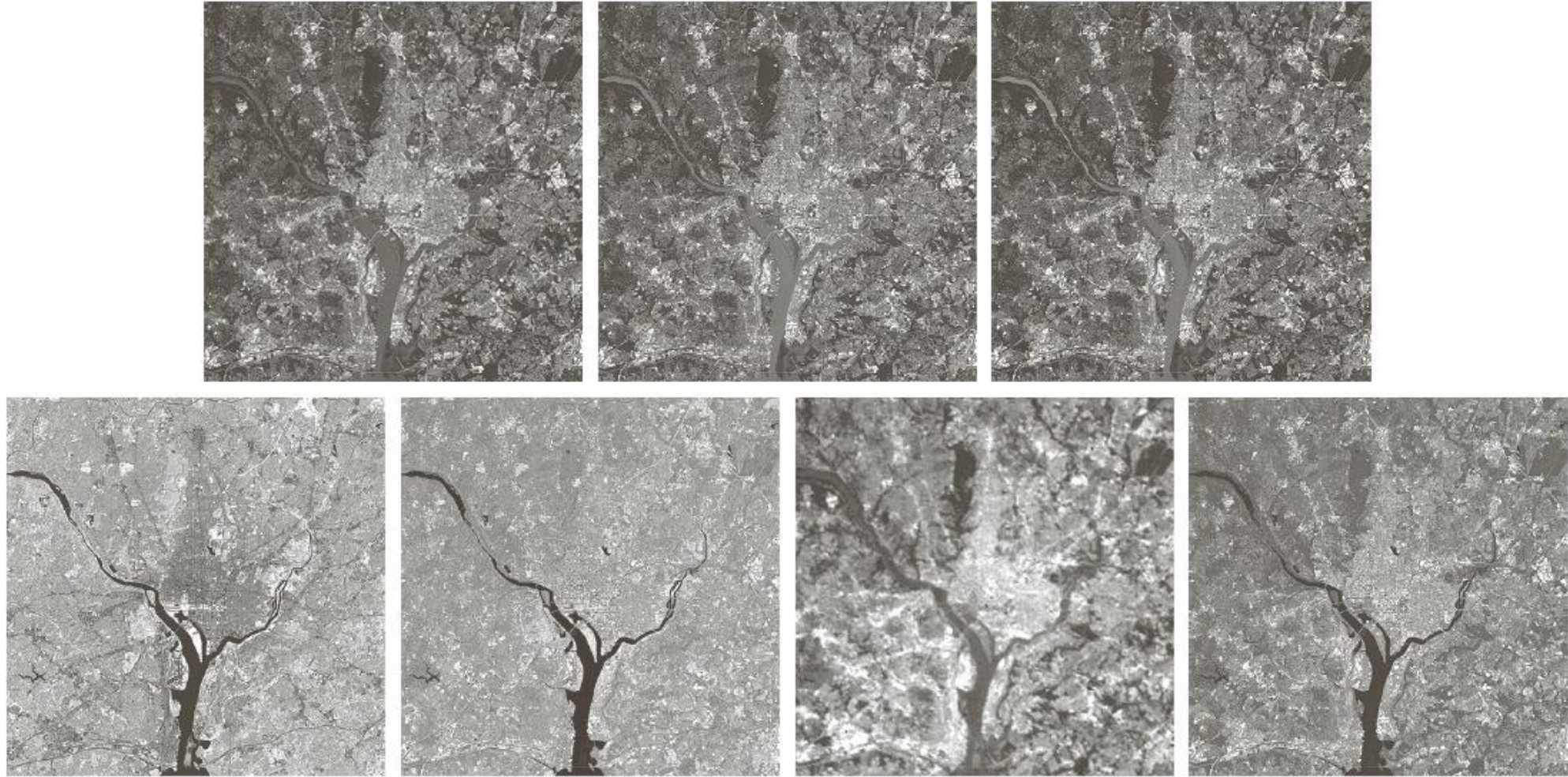


Fig 3. LANDSAT satellite images of the Washington, D.C. area.



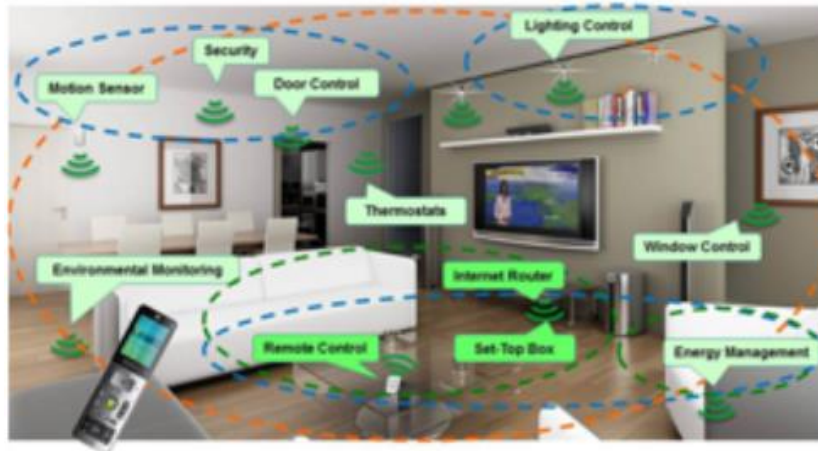
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Autonomous driving



Gaming

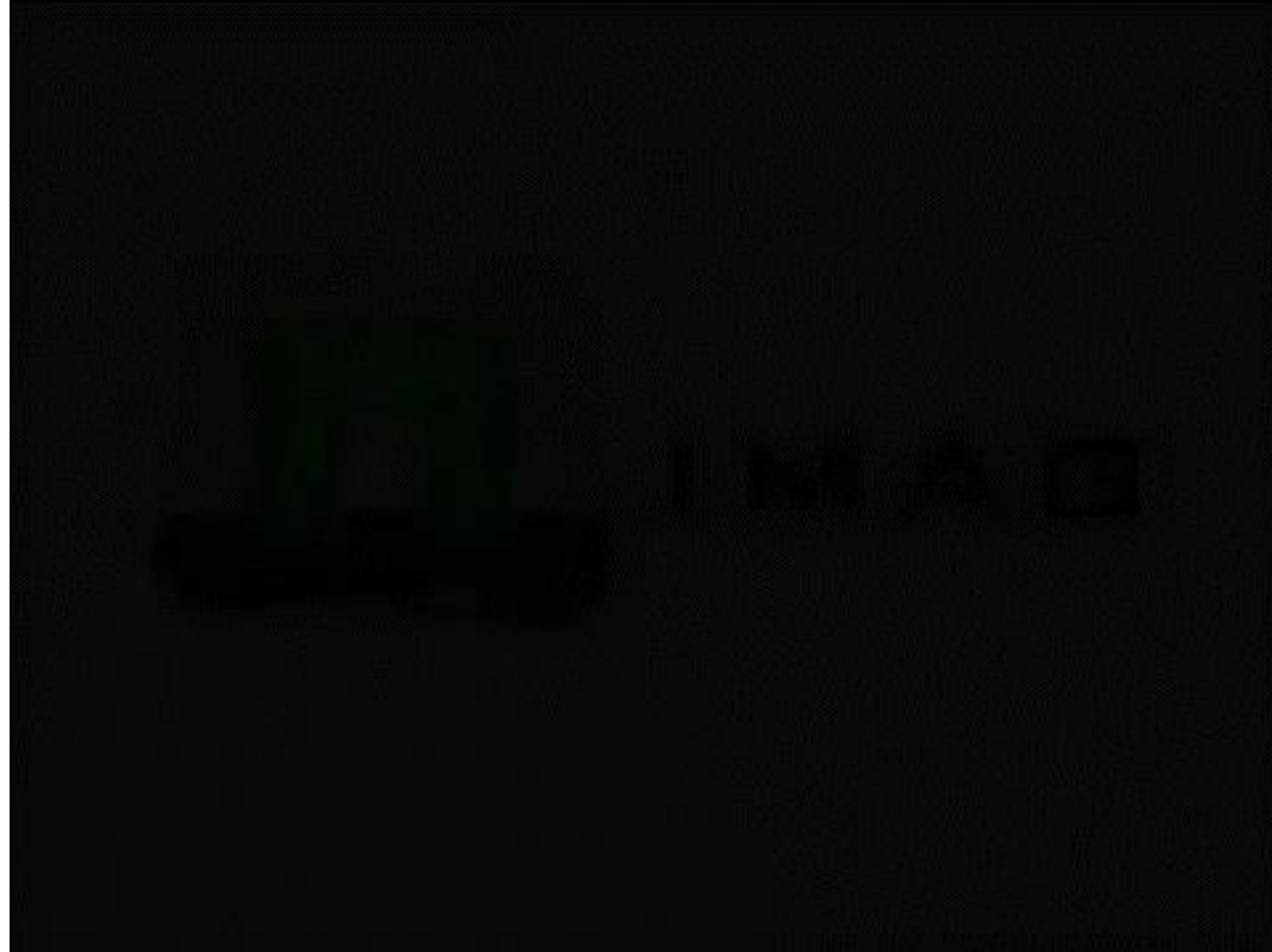


Smart homes

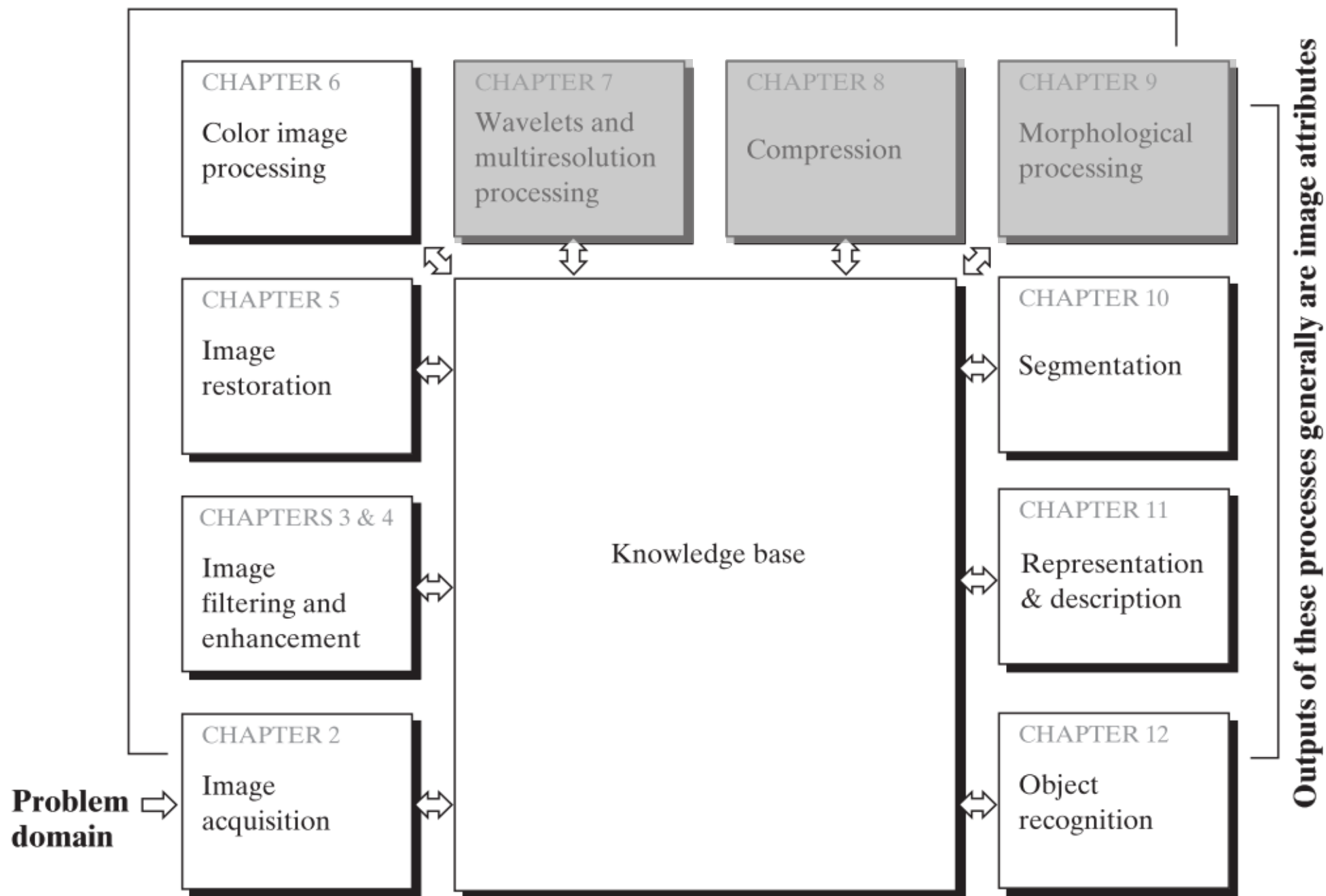


Factory automation

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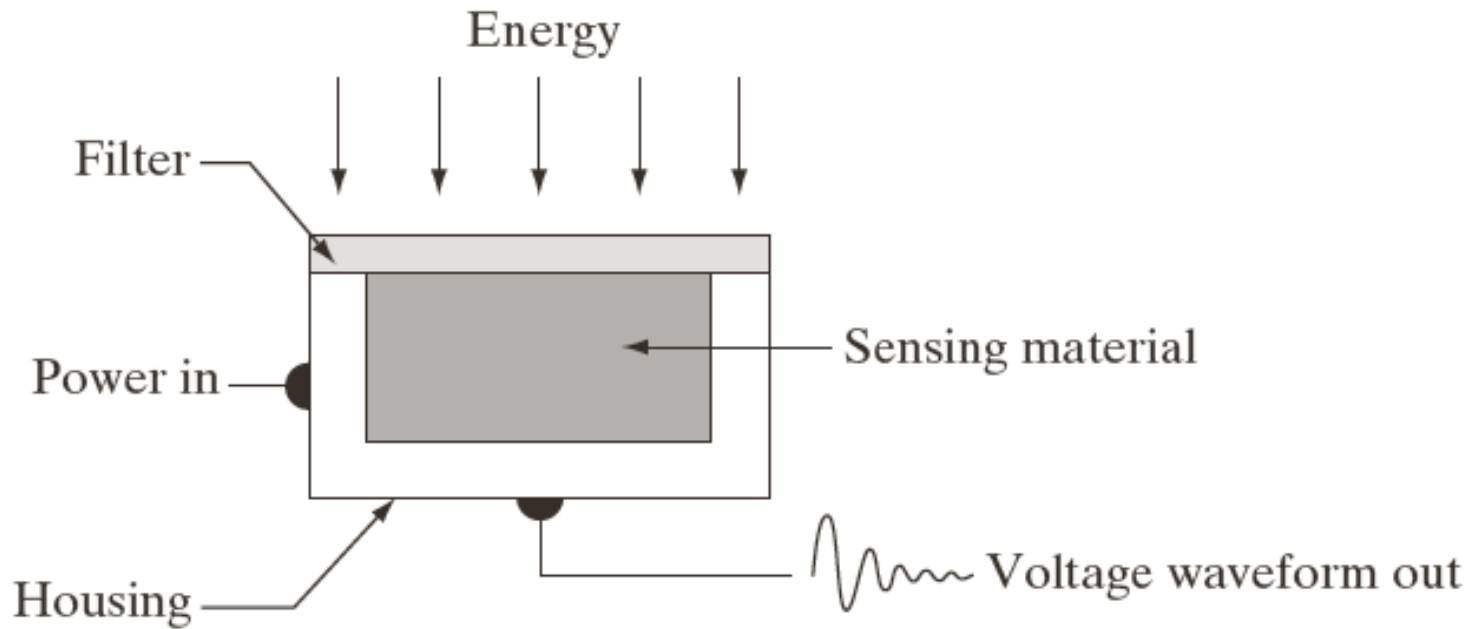


**Outputs of these processes generally are images**



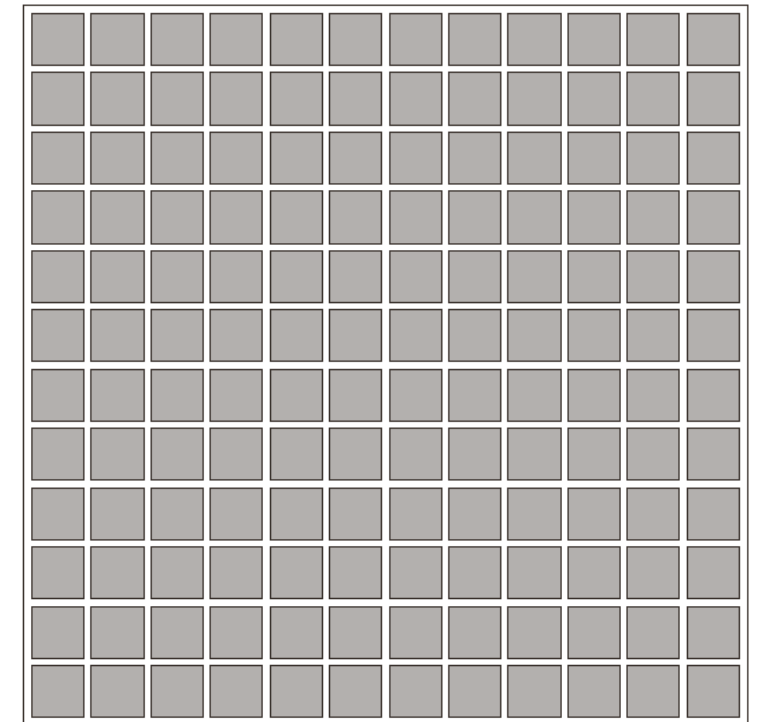
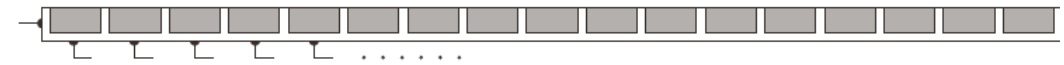
# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Imaging Sensor



(a) Single imaging sensor

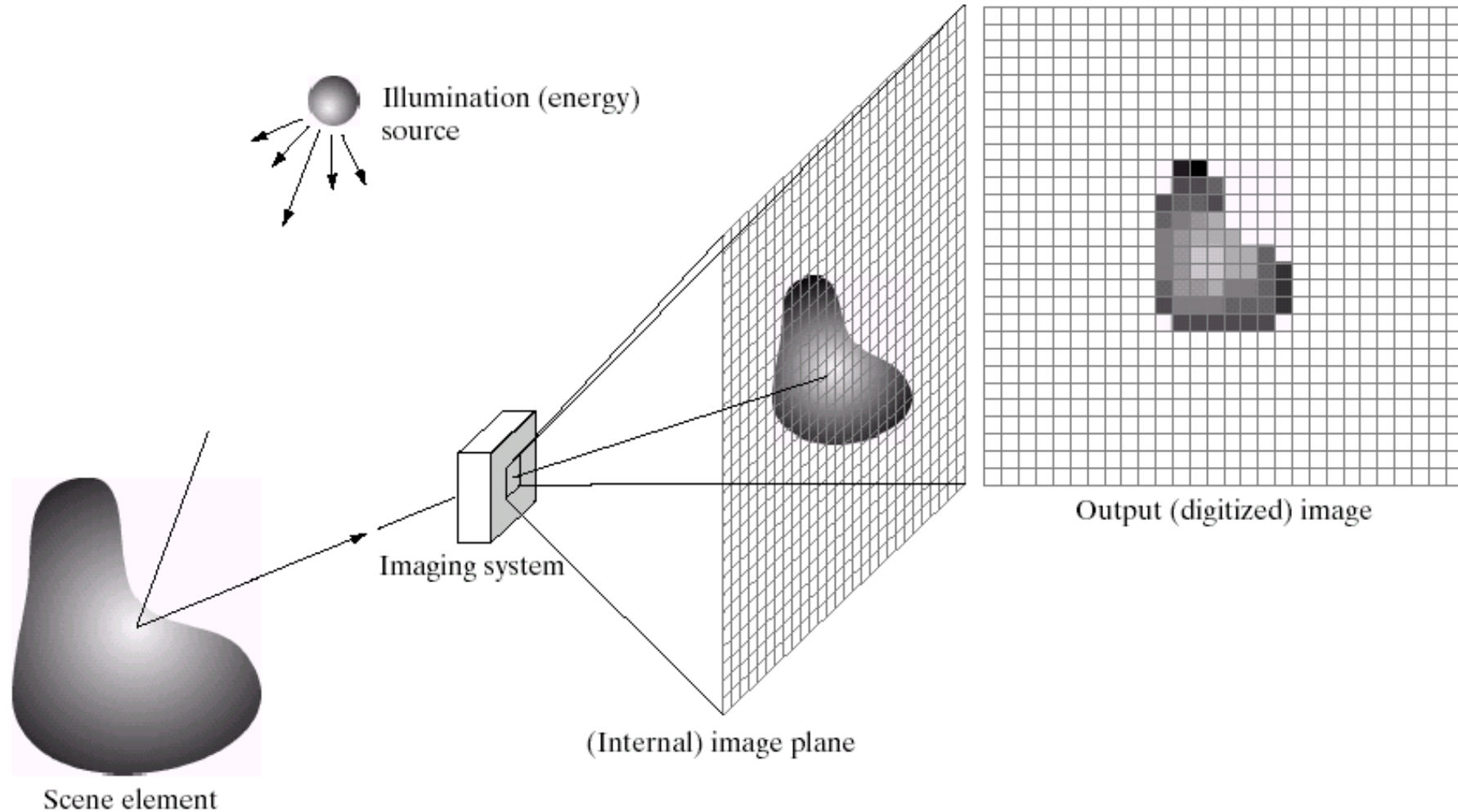
(b) Linear sensor



(c) Array sensor

# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Imaging Formation



# Digital Image Fundamentals

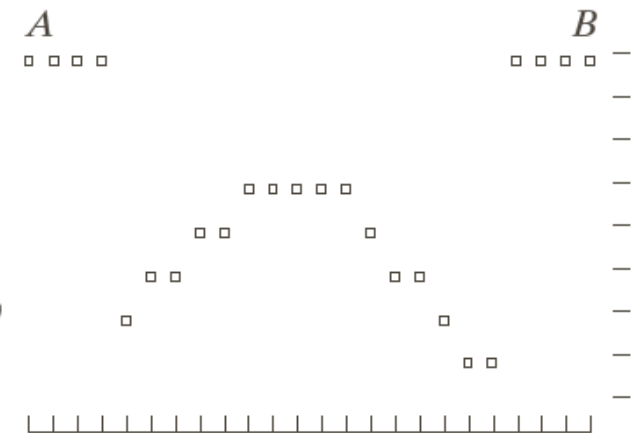
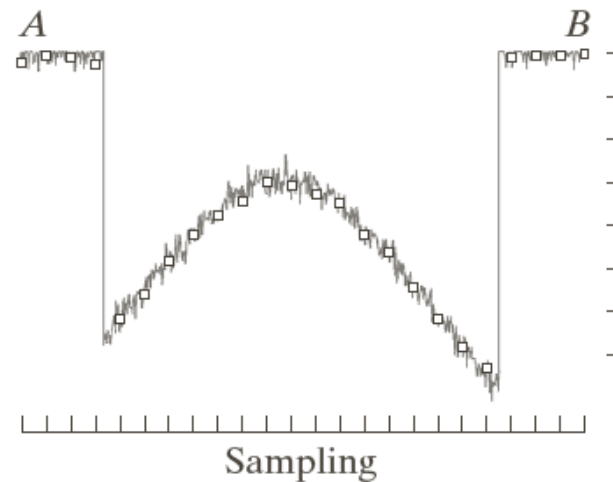
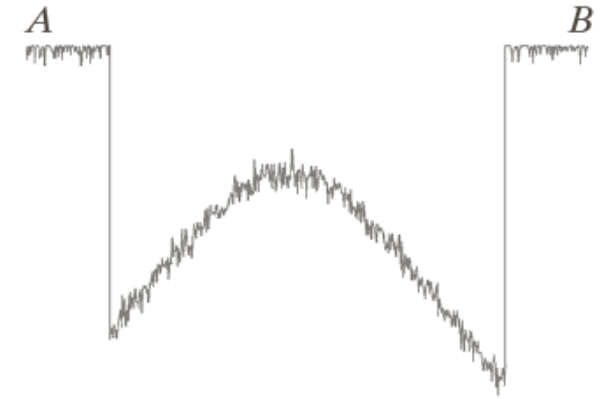
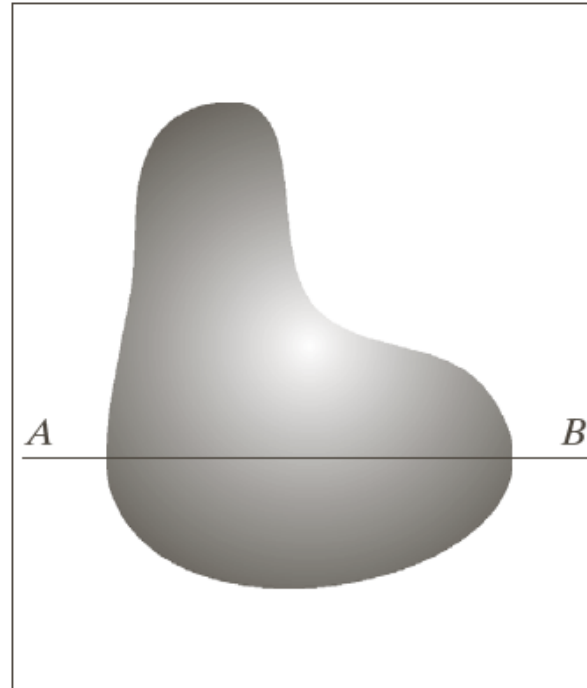
- Image could be denoted by a two-dimensional functions of the form  $f(x, y)$



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

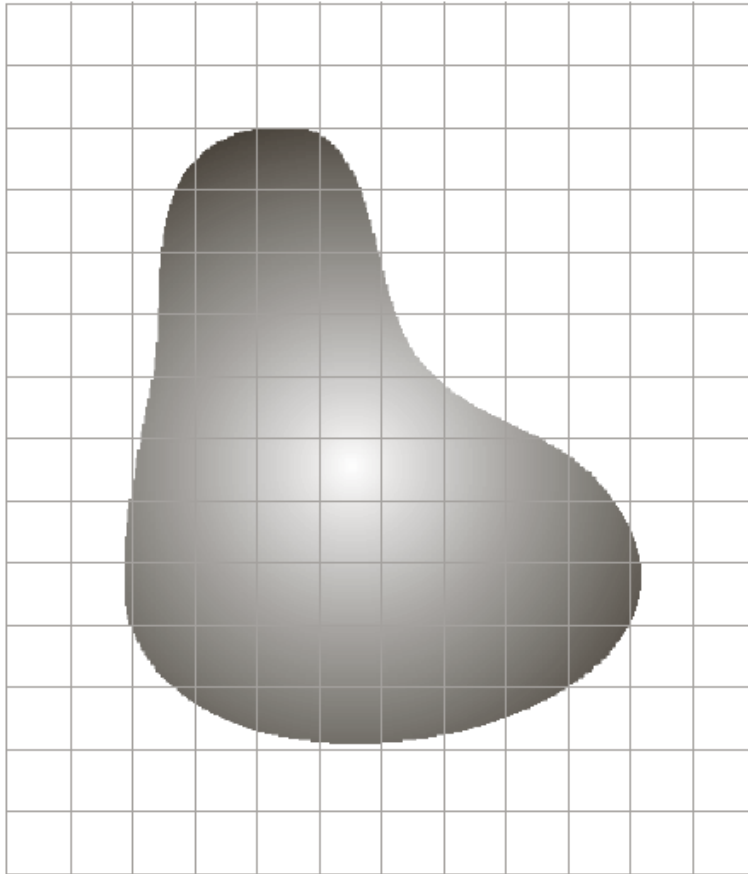
# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Image Sampling and Quantization

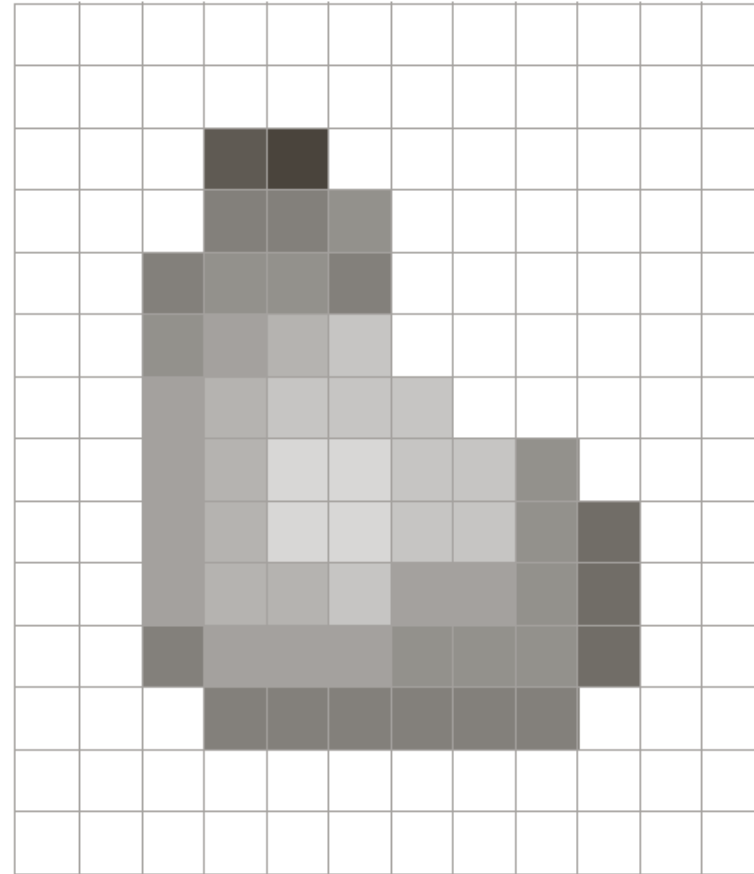


# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Image Sampling and Quantization



(a) Continuous image projected onto a sensor array

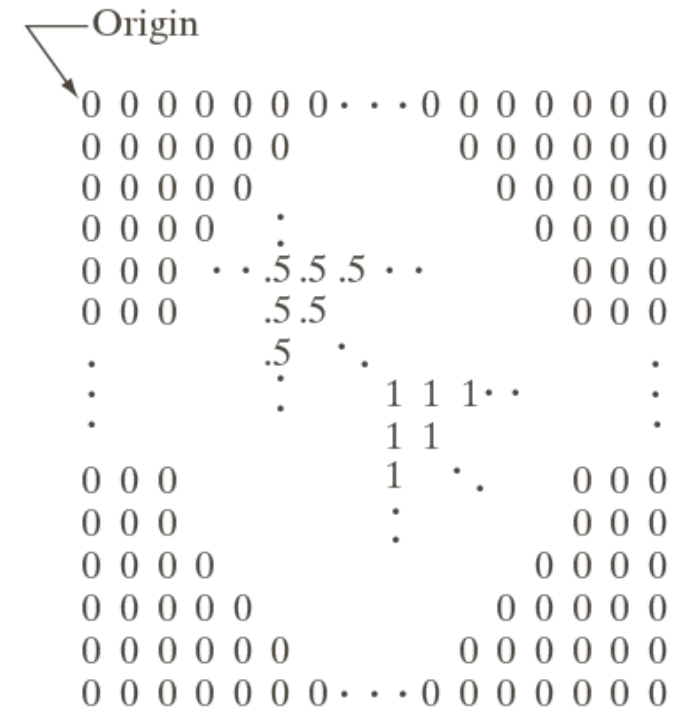
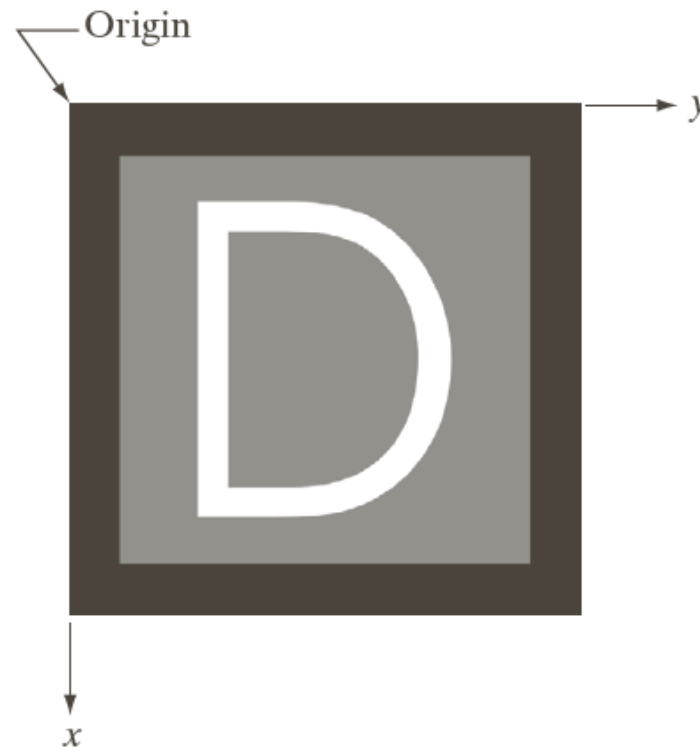
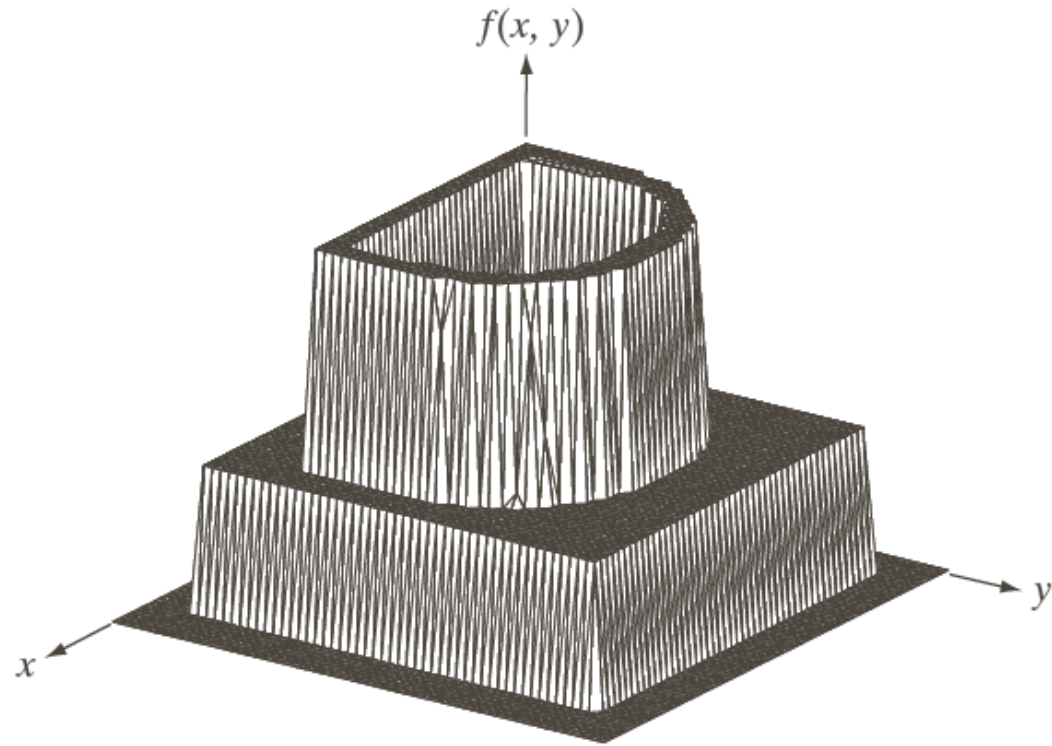


(b) Result of image sampling and quantization.



# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Digital Image Representation



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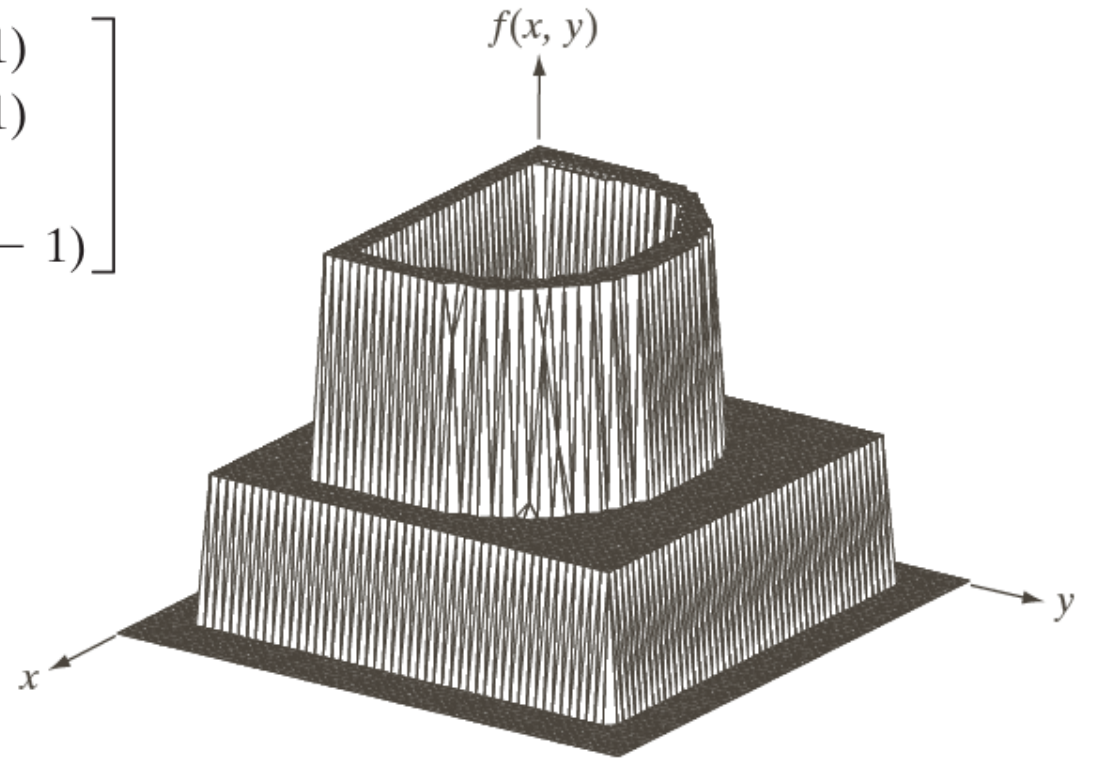
$$f(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} f(0, 0) & f(0, 1) & \cdots & f(0, N - 1) \\ f(1, 0) & f(1, 1) & \cdots & f(1, N - 1) \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ f(M - 1, 0) & f(M - 1, 1) & \cdots & f(M - 1, N - 1) \end{bmatrix}$$

The number of discrete intensity level:  $L$

$$L = 2^k$$

$k$  bits

The intensity range:  $(0, L - 1)$



# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Digital Image Representation
- **Question:** If an image size is  $M \times N$ , each pixel is represented by  $k$  bits, how many bits are required to store this image?

# Digital Image Fundamentals

- Spatial and Intensity Resolution
  - Spatial resolution – pixels per unit distance, dots per inch (dpi)



1250dpi



300dpi



150dpi

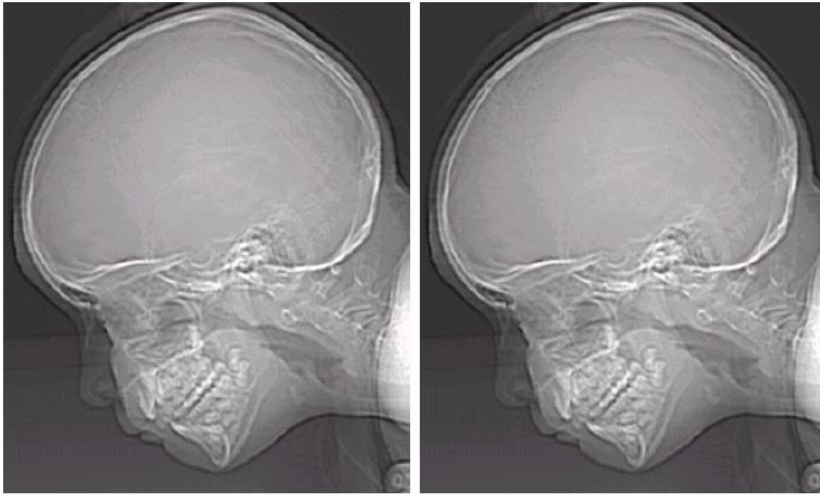


72dpi

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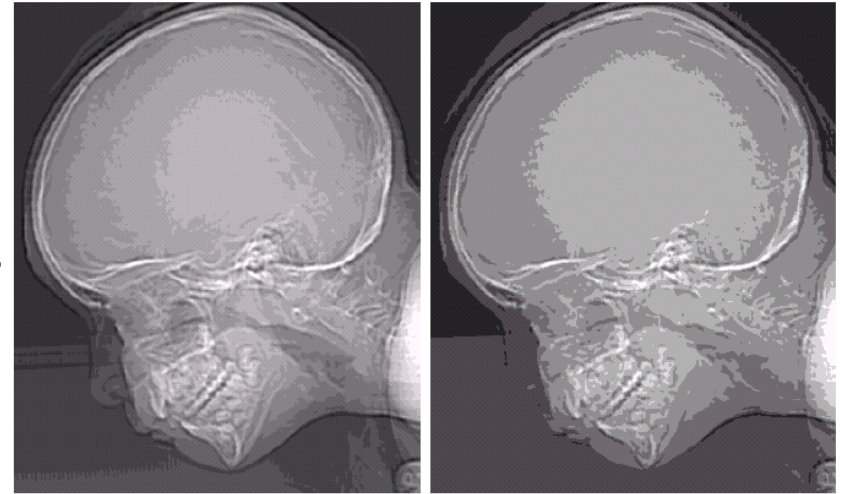
- Spatial and Intensity Resolution
  - Intensity resolution – number of bits

256  
levels



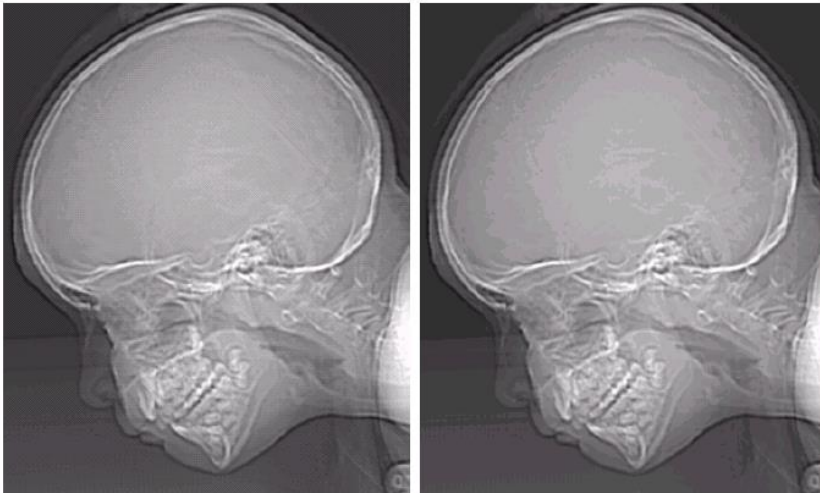
128  
levels

16  
levels



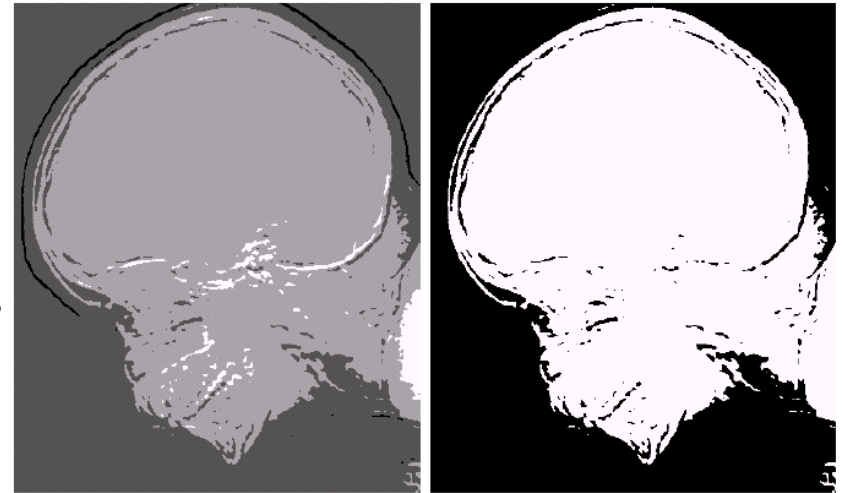
8  
levels

64  
levels



32  
levels

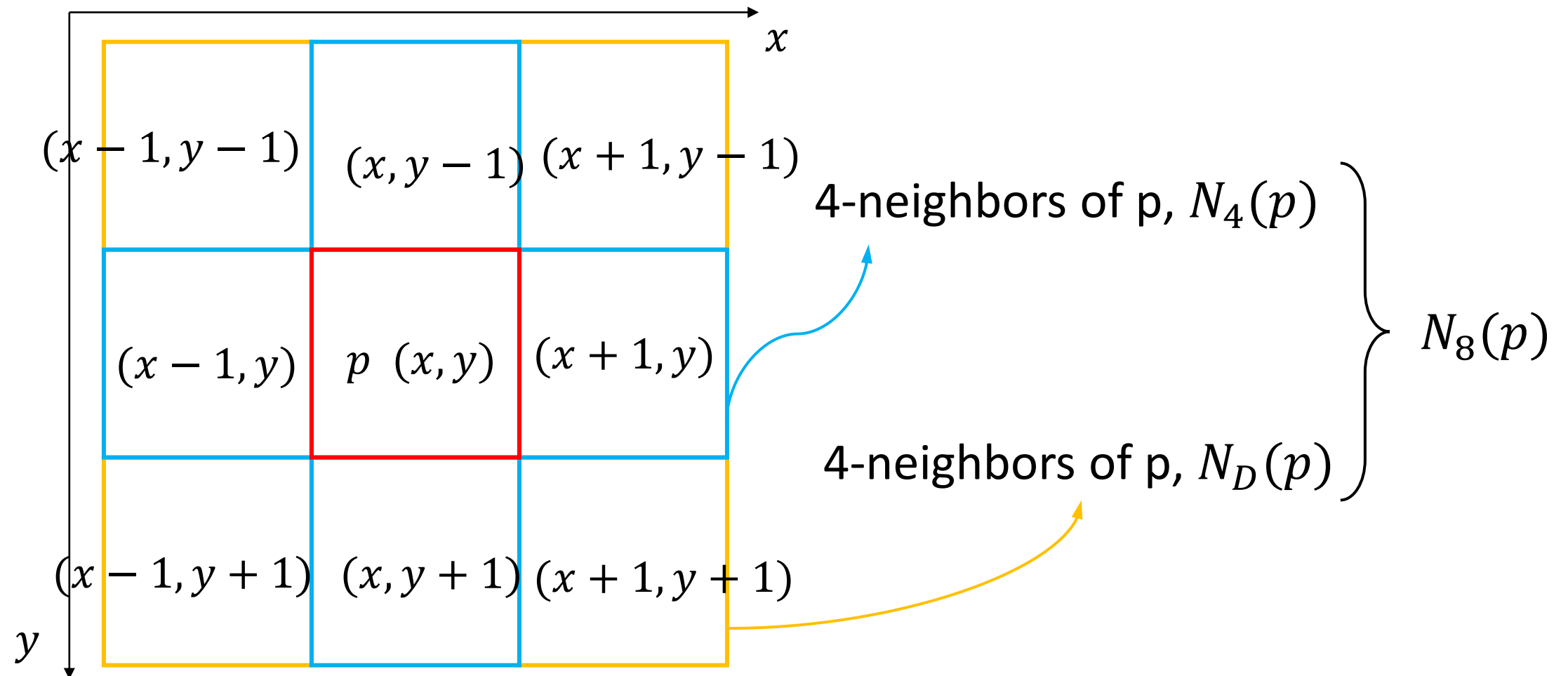
4  
levels



2  
levels

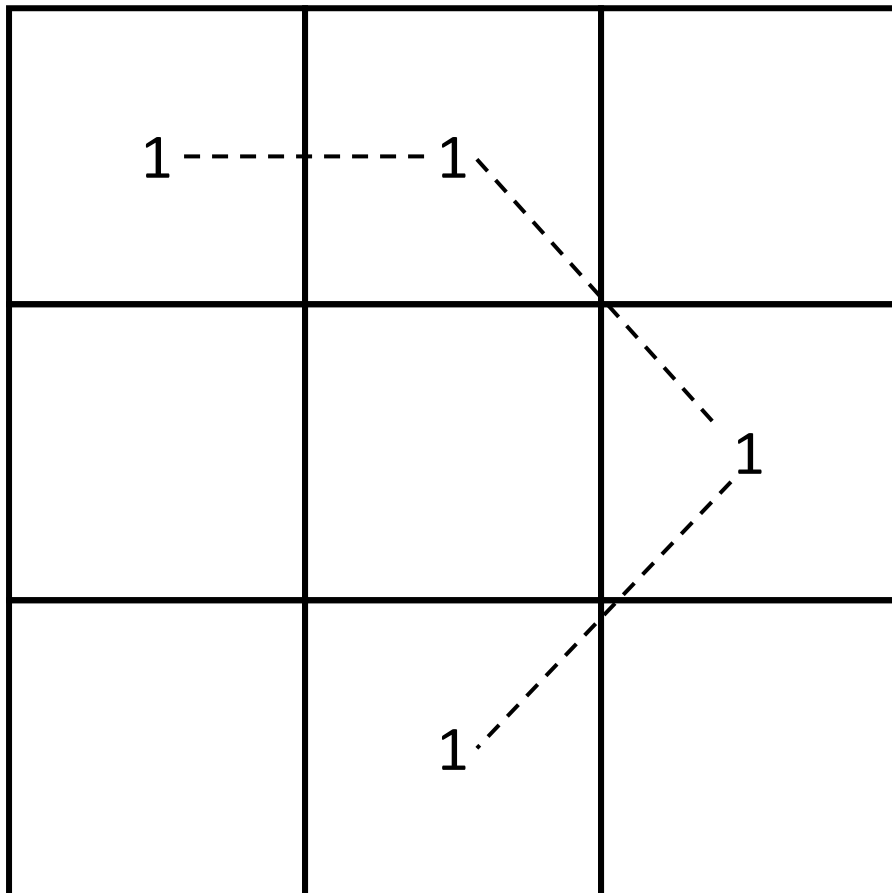
# Some Basic Relationships between Pixels

- Neighbors of a pixel

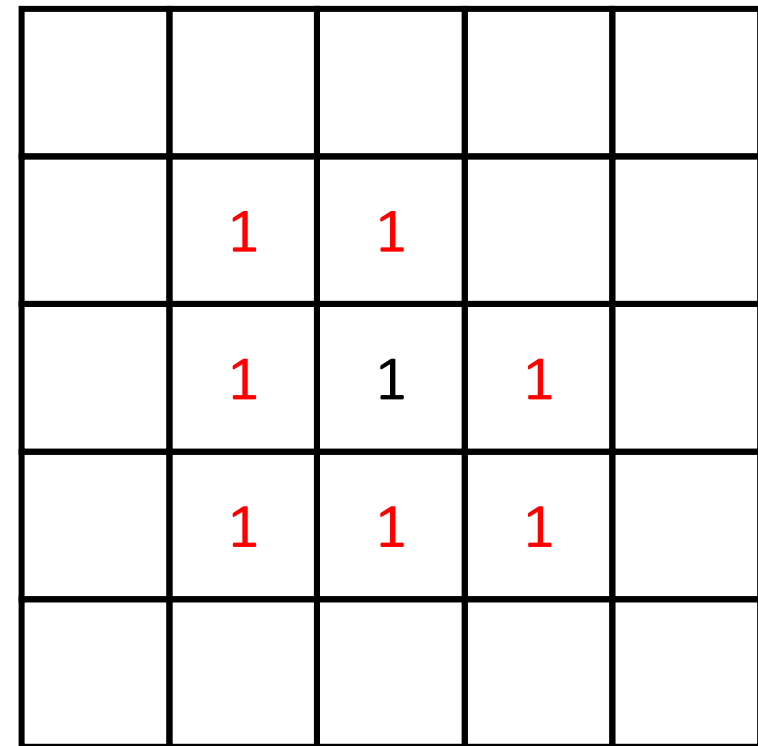


# Some Basic Relationships between Pixels

- Path, Region and boundary



8-path



boundary

# Some Basic Relationships between Pixels

- Distance Measures

3 pixels  $p$ ,  $q$ ,  $z$ , with coordinates  $(x, y)$ ,  $(s, t)$ , and  $(v, w)$ ,  $D$  is a distance function if

(a)  $D(p, q) \geq 0$  ( $D(p, q) = 0$  iff  $p = q$ )

(b)  $D(p, q) = D(q, p)$ , and

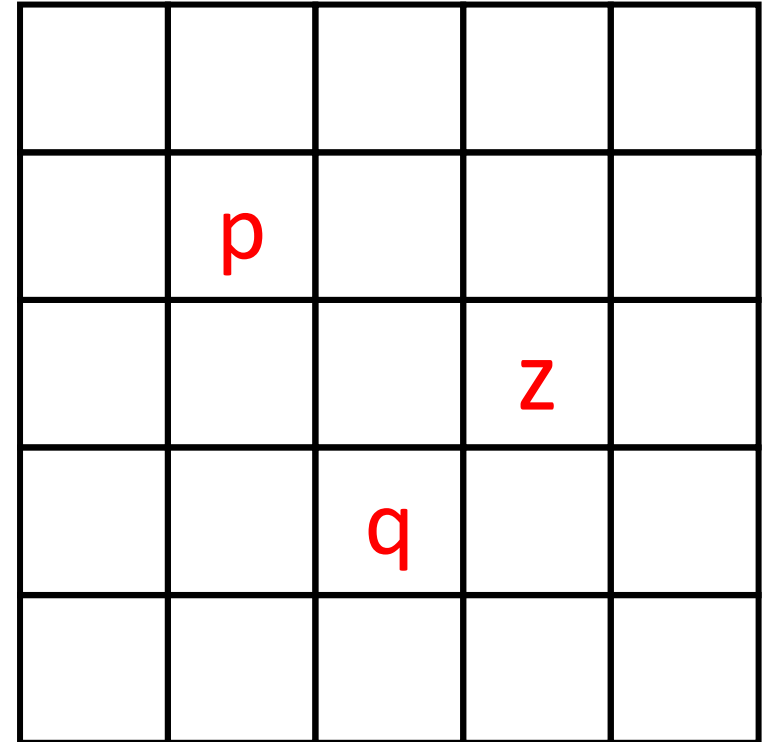
(c)  $D(p, z) \leq D(p, q) + D(q, z)$

- Euclidean distance

$$D_e(p, q) = [(x - s)^2 + (y - t)^2]^{1/2}$$

- City-block distance

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





# Summary

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Lecture 2: Intensity Transformations

# Test of Background

# Background

- Linear Algebra
- Calculus
- Probability
- Python
  
- For each question
  - Write down the answer
  - Self-assess your confidence: scale of 1 (lowest) to 5 (highest)

# Linear Algebra

1(a) What is the rank of a matrix?

Consider the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} x & x^2 \\ y & y^2 \end{bmatrix}$

1(b) What is the rank of A when  $x=1, y=2$ ?

1(c) What is the rank of A when  $x=0, y=1$ ?

1(d) What is the null space of A when  $x=2, y=2$ ?

1(e) Rate your confidence

1: Null space? Where Jedi master Yoda goes to sleep?

3: I kind of know, but not sure.

5: I can do this in my sleep!

# Linear Algebra

Consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

2(a) What is the transpose of A?

2(b) Define eigenvalues and eigenvectors of a matrix.

2(c) What are the eigenvalues of A?

2(d) Rate your confidence

1: Transpose? My phone autocorrects it to transport.

3: I kind of know, but not sure.

5: Transcended it!

# Linear Algebra

Given two vectors,  $a = [1, 2, 3]$  and  $b = [-1, 0, 1]$

3(a) What is the dot product  $a \cdot b$ ?

3(b) What is the cross product  $a \times b$ ?

3(c) Rate your confidence

1: Transpose? My phone autocorrects it to transport.

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# Probability

4(a) If  $P(A) = 0.5$ ,  $P(B) = 0.4$  and  $P(AB) = 0.2$ , what is  $P(A \cup B)$ ?

4(b) In the above, what is  $P(A|B)$ ?

4(c) State the Bayes rule.

4(d) Rate your confidence

1: Probability? It's a coin toss.

3: I kind of know, but not sure.

5: Keep the dice rolling!

# Calculus

5(a) What is the derivative of  $f(x) = x^2$  ?

5(b) What is the partial derivative of  $f(x, y) = x^2y$  with respect to  $y$ ?

5(c) What is the gradient of  $f(x, y) = x^2y$  ?

5(d) State the chain rule of differentiation.

4(e) Rate your confidence

1: Gradient? Seems a steep climb.

3: I kind of know, but not sure.

5: Top of the hill!



# Python

6(a) Have you used Python in the past?

6(b) Briefly describe a program or project you wrote in Python.

6(c) Write a snippet: use a loop to print numbers from 1 to 10.

6(d) Have you used NumPy in the past?

6(e) Rate your confidence

1: NumPy? Does it taste like ApplePie?

3: I kind of know, but not sure.

5: I breathe and eat code!