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**B.E. (IT) (Semester - VIII) Examination, May 2011**  
**IMAGE PROCESSING AND PATTERN RECOGNITION**

Duration : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 100

- Instructions :*
- 1) Answer any five questions, selecting one from each Module.
  - 2) Make suitable assumptions, wherever necessary.
  - 3) Assume suitable data wherever required.

**MODULE - I**

- Q1)**
- a) List and explain the elements of a general purpose digital image processing system. [8]
  - b) With the help of graphs explain how the graylevels of the given image (r) are transformed to the graylevels of processed image (s) for the following techniques.
    - i) image negatives.
    - ii) log transformations.
    - iii) power law transformations. [8]
  - c) What do you understand by contrast of an image? What is contrast stretching? [4]
- Q2)**
- a) For the image given below, calculate the final processed image when the following filters are applied : [6]
    - i) Median filter.
    - ii) Max filter.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b) Explain the following image enhancement techniques :
  - i) Image subtraction and averaging. [4]
  - ii) Gray-level slicing. [3]
- c) How do you define gradient in an image? Explain the approximations in gradient used in sobel operators. How are there operators used in edge detection? [7]

**MODULE - II**

- Q3)**
- a) Define the fourier transform of an image function and its inverse transform. [4]
  - b) Explain the periodicity and conjugate symmetry property of the Fourier transform. [3]
  - c) Explain the following low pass filters in the frequency domain : [8]
    - i) Butterworth low pass filter.
    - ii) Gaussian low pass filter.

d) What is the goal of image restoration? Explain the system model for image restoration process. [5]

Q4) a) Define convolution and correlation operations between two two-dimensional discrete functions. State the applications of these operations in image processing. [6]

b) Explain how inverse filtering can be used for restoration of an image. [6]

c) Explain Wiener filtering technique for image restoration. [8]

### MODULE - III

Q5) a) Discuss the HSI color model. Given that the R, G, B colors for a pixel are (100, 200, 50) respectively compute the corresponding H, S, I values of the pixel. [7]

b) Explain the color slicing enhancement technique. [5]

c) Explain the basic formulation of region-oriented segmentation. Hence, explain the region growing by pixel aggregation segmentation technique. [8]

Q6) a) Explain the detection of straight lines using Hough transform with suitable examples. [8]

b) Define the opening and closing morphological operations with a structuring element on an image. Explain the physical significance of these operations. What is the effect of these operations on an image? [8]

c) Define and explain the effect of the following morphological operations on a binary image : [4]

i) Dilation.

ii) Erosion.

### MODULE - IV

Q7) a) Explain the following schemes for representation of boundary of an image.

i) Chain codes. [4]

ii) Signatures. [4]

b) Briefly describe the following techniques.

i) Pattern matching by minimum distance qualifier. [6]

ii) Pattern matching by using correlation. [6]

Q8) a) Explain the following boundary descriptors.

i) Fourier Descriptors. [5]

ii) Statistical Moments. [5]

b) Explain with examples the use of vector, string and tree data structures for pattern representation. [7]

c) Explain topological regional descriptors. [3]