

EE 641 DIGITAL IMAGE PROCESSING II  
Assignment #2 - Spring 1996  
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In this assignment you will use a C program to compute the optimal causal predictor for the image contained in the file:

/home/yake/bouman/images/pix/achromatic/img15\_base.pgm

**1)** Copy the example C program contained in the directory

/home/albrecht/bouman/bouman/public-web/ee641/C\_example

by using the command

cp -r /home/albrecht/bouman/bouman/public-web/ee641/C\_example .

Use this example program as a template for future C programs.

**2)** Compute the empirical mean and spatial autocorrelation function for the image img15\_base.pgm . More specifically, compute

$$\begin{aligned}\mu &= E[Y_{i,j}] \\ r_{k,l} &= E[(Y_{i,j} - \mu)(Y_{i+k,j+l} - \mu)]\end{aligned}$$

for  $|k| \leq p$  and  $|l| \leq p$  and  $p = 4$ .

**3)** Compute the optimal prediction filter for  $p = 1, \dots, 4$  using the result of part 2).

**4)** Compute the image of prediction errors for  $p = 1, \dots, 4$ . Remember that the prediction filter assumes a zero mean image so subtract off the mean first. Display and print your results by adding 127 to the prediction error image and writing it out as a PGM image.

**5)** Compute the spatial autocorrelation for the prediction error images. Plot the autocorrelation functions using Matlab.