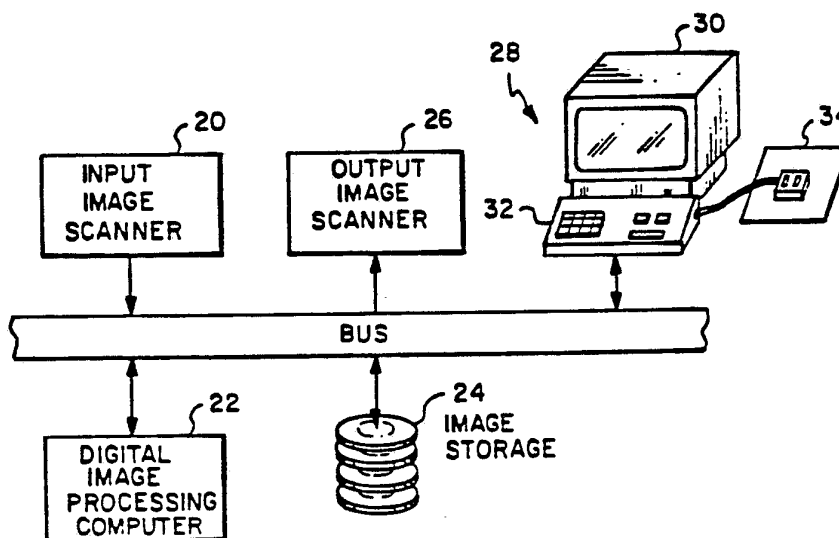




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(54) Title: DIGITAL IMAGE SHARPENING METHOD USING SVD BLOCK TRANSFORM



(57) Abstract

A block transform image sharpening method employs singular value decomposition to boost texture and edge detail while not boosting shaded (uniform) areas of the image characterized by a lower signal-to-noise ratio while at the same time reducing noise in other areas of the same image not containing much edge detail or texture.

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DIGITAL IMAGE SHARPENING METHOD  
USING SVD BLOCK TRANSFORM

## 5 Related Applications

This application contains subject matter related to PCT Patent Application Serial No. US88/00519 entitled "DIGITAL IMAGE NOISE SUPPRESSION METHOD USING SVD BLOCK TRANSFORM" filed February 22,  
10 1988.

## TECHNICAL FIELD OF THE INVENTION

The invention relates to block transform digital image processing methods for increasing the sharpness of a digital image.

## 15 Background of the Invention

The invention includes a noise suppression algorithm and a sharpening algorithm. The sharpening algorithm of the present invention is closely related to the noise suppression algorithm  
20 of the invention, since the success of these algorithms depends upon their ability to separate image detail from noise. Uniformly blurring the image (as in the prior art) achieves noise suppression, but unfortunately it also blurs image  
25 detail. Simple unsharp masking (as in the prior art) sharpens image detail but it also boosts noise. Hence, one goal of the invention is to distinguish image detail from noise while  
intelligently controlling the image components so as  
30 to perform both noise suppression and sharpening in the same image. The goal of the noise suppression algorithm of the invention is to suppress noise while leaving image detail untouched. The goal of the sharpening algorithm of the invention is to  
35 sharpen the image detail without boosting the noise.

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In the present invention, the method used for noise suppression to discriminate image detail from noise is also employed to do the image sharpening, with appropriate modifications. A  
5 singular value decomposition (SVD) block transformation method has been shown in the related application referenced above to discriminate between image detail and noise, and is consequently used in the present invention to perform noise suppression.  
10 The same SVD noise suppression algorithm is employed in the invention with appropriate modifications to sharpen the image as well. For image sharpening, the invention does not need to work with the large block sizes disclosed in the related application.  
15 It is sufficient to use smaller block sizes (5x5 or 7x7 kernels).

Another embodiment of the invention includes the application of a non-linear gain function which will be described in detail later.

20 SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The present invention is a block transform image sharpening process. In arriving at the present invention, we found it helpful to consider the statistical properties of the noise being  
25 removed from an image, and the statistical properties of the image details such as texture and edges that were to be preserved in the processed image. In particular, we examined the statistical properties of the noise, and image detail in the  
30 transformed coordinate space. For a spatial transformation of the Walsh-Hadamard type, a transform coefficient of the noise is characterized by a Gaussian-like distribution around a mean value of zero. This is shown by Curve 10 in Fig. 2. The  
35 transform coefficients of the picture detail,

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including edges and texture, form a Lapacian-like distribution, also centered about zero (shown by Curve 12 in Fig. 2.)

The transform coefficients from the picture detail have generally higher amplitude in absolute terms than the ones from the noise. Noise suppression is achieved by thresholding the transform coefficients or by modifying them through a non-linear gain function. This will remove most of the noise but unfortunately it will remove the low amplitude transform coefficients from the image detail which will create artifacts. The artifacts are most noticeable and objectionable in low contrast fine textured area.

We also examined the variance distributions of the image components such as noise, texture, and edges, and noted that there was a much better separation of the statistics of the image components when plotted against variance of small regions. Fig. 3 is a graph showing variance plotted against distribution (number of occurrences) for film grain noise (Curve 14), texture (Curve 16), and edge detail (Curve 18) for a typical digital image produced by scanning a photograph.

It will be appreciated from a comparison of Fig. 2 with Fig. 3, that a noise reduction technique that discriminates based upon the variances of image detail will have a much better chance of reducing noise without affecting texture extensively. We also came to realize that there exists an image transformation called singular value decomposition (SVD) that decomposes an image into a set of singular vectors and singular values that are closely analogous to the concept of principal component analysis in statistics. This can be

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appreciated from the following analysis:

If an  $m \times n$  matrix is treated as a set of  $n$   $m$ -dimensional column vectors and the mean column vector is set to zero by subtracting it from every  
5 column vector of the matrix, then the singular values of the resulting matrix are the square roots of the variances of the  $m$  vector components in a rotated space. The rotated space is such that there is no correlation between any two components of the  
10 sample vectors in the rotated space. The distribution of the singular values for noise is a slowly decreasing function when they are ordered in decreasing order. The distribution of the singular values for the picture detail will be quite  
15 different from the noise. Also, the singular values for the picture detail will be much higher than those of the noise. And as mentioned above, discrimination of the noise from the picture detail will be much better.

20 According to the method of the present invention, a digital image is processed in a computer to increase sharpness by performing the following steps. First a non-linear gain function is produced, based upon the measured statistics of  
25 the singular values of the noise in the image. A detail image, and a low pass filtered image are produced from the digital image to be processed. The detail image is divided into blocks and the blocks are transformed into singular vectors and a  
30 diagonal array of singular values. The non-linear gain function is applied to the singular values to produce an array of singular values which have been modified so as to boost those regions of the detail image containing "edges" and characterized by a  
35 higher signal-to-noise ratio than other regions. An

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inverse SVD transform is performed on the singular  
vectors and the modified singular values to produce  
blocks of processed detail image values. Finally,  
the processed detail image is added to the low pass  
5 image to generate a sharpened image.

#### BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Fig. 1 is a schematic diagram showing a  
digital image processing system suitable for  
practicing the method of the present invention;

10 Fig. 2 is a graph useful in describing the  
statistics of image features processed according to  
the prior art;

Fig. 3 is a graph useful in describing the  
statistical features of an image processed according  
15 to the present invention;

Fig. 4 is a block diagram illustrating the  
method of digital image processing according to the  
present invention;

Fig. 5 is a block diagram illustrating the  
20 step of generating the table of factors described in  
Fig. 4;

Fig. 6 is a graph showing the values of a  
typical table of factors generated according to the  
steps shown in Fig. 5;

25 Fig. 7 is a block diagram showing a block  
overlap method of processing a digital image  
according to the present invention;

Fig. 8 is a diagram useful for describing  
the image processing method shown in Fig. 7;

30 Fig. 9 is a block diagram showing a digital  
image processing method according to the present  
invention;

Figs. 10a-10c are diagrams showing the  
values of the coefficients employed in the digital  
35 filter shown in Fig. 9;

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Fig. 11 is a diagram showing a digital image processing method according to the present invention employing block overlap and a spatial frequency band pass image signal;

5 Fig. 12 is a diagram showing a mode of practicing the invention including means for processing diagonal edge information; and

10 Fig. 13 is a diagram useful in describing the operation of the digital image processing method shown in Fig. 12.

#### MODES OF CARRYING OUT THE INVENTION

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20 The digital image signal referred to in the following description is generated by scanning and sampling an original image. For purposes of describing the preferred embodiments, the input signal is generated from a photographic negative or  
25 transparency. The digital image signal represents a variety of spatial components of the image, including an average brightness level, fine detail such as lines and textures, intermediate detail such as small features, and coarse details such as  
30 shading on smooth surfaces and other gradually varying features. In addition, the signal includes a noise component affecting most of the spatial components of the image to some degree.

35 With a photographic negative or transparency, much of the noise is film grain



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noise. While the invention will be described in connection with sampled data from a photograph, it should be understood that the input signal can represent other information or data such as would be derived from directly scanning an object, from a composite video signal or from image information stored in optical or magnetic storage media. In such cases, the noise may originate in other characteristics of the image signal generating system. Since the singular values mentioned above measure correlations, the method of the invention can discriminate noise originating from a wide variety of noise sources so as to selectively sharpen "edge" features in the image while avoiding any "sharpening" of noise.

Fig. 1 is a schematic diagram showing a digital image processing facility useful for practicing the present invention. The digital image processing facility includes an input image scanner 20, such as a CCD scanner or a graphic arts flat bed or drum scanner. A digital image signal generated by an input scanner 20 is processed by the digital image processing computer 22. The digital image processing computer 22 can be a general purpose digital computer, or a special purpose computer specifically designed for processing images (e.g., a parallel multi-processor computer with 16 micro-processors and local memory). The original digital image from the scanner, and/or the processed digital image may be stored in a mass image storage memory 24, comprising for example magnetic or optical disk storage media.

The original and/or processed image may be displayed by means of an output image scanner 26, such as a CRT or laser film scanner. The system is

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controlled by an operator from a work station 28 such as the Sun work station manufactured and sold by Sun Microsystems Inc. The work station includes a CRT 30 for temporarily displaying an image, a keyboard 32, and graphics input device such as a mouse and graphics tablet 34.

Fig. 4 is a block diagram showing the major steps implemented by the image processing computer 22 in carrying out one mode of digital image processing according to the present invention. A low pass digital filter (e.g. a 11x11 pixel Gaussian Filter) is applied (36) to the digital image signal Z to produce a low pass digital image signal G. The low pass digital image signal G is subtracted (38) from the suitably delayed digital image signal Z to produce a detail image signal H. The detail image signal H is processed, employing SVD transformation (40), as described in detail below to produce a selectively sharpened detail signal H'.

In the SVD process the detail image signal H is block SVD transformed (44), employing the well known SVD computer program listed in Appendix F attached hereto and described on pages 229 to 235 of the book: Computer Methods for Mathematical Computations by G. E. Forsythe, M. A. Malcolm, and C. B. Moler published by Prentice-Hall Inc., Englewood Cliffs, N.J., 1977, to produce singular vector matrices  $U, V^T$ , and a diagonal matrix D of singular values  $d_i$  arranged in order of descending amplitude where:

$$H = UDV^T \quad (1)$$

where: H is an nxn sub block (e.g. 5x5 pixels) of the image,  
 U contains the eigenvectors of  $HH^T$ ,  
 D is a diagonal matrix which contains

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singular values  $d_1 d_2 \dots d_n$  in order of descending amplitude, and  $V$  contains the eigenvectors of  $H^T H$ .

The singular values in the diagonal matrix (array)  $D$  are modified in a non-linear fashion (46) by respective individual factors  $f_i$  stored in look-up table (LUT) 48 to produce an array  $D'$  of modified singular values. The generation of the factors stored in the look-up table 48 will be described in more detail below. The array of modified singular values  $D'$  and singular vectors  $U, V^T$  are inversely transformed (50) to produce a selectively boosted detail signal  $H'$  which is then added to the low-pass filtered image  $G$  to produce a sharpened image  $Z'$ . It is the generation of the factors  $f_i$  which is the key to selectively boosting just those regions of the detail image containing edges or characterized by a higher signal-to-noise ratio than the other regions of the detail image.

The generation of the factors  $f_i$  from a non-linear gain function (52 in Fig. 4) will now be described with reference to Fig. 5. A digital noise image  $N$  generated for example by scanning a uniformly exposed and developed film is low pass filtered (54) for example by a 11 x 11 pixel Gaussian digital filter, to produce a low pass filtered noise image  $L$ .

The low pass filtered noise image  $L$  is subtracted (56) from the suitably delayed noise image  $N$  to produce a noise detail image signal. The noise detail image signal is block SVD transformed (58) to produce singular vectors and arrays of singular values  $d_i$  for the noise image blocks. The singular values  $d_i$  from each block of the

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transformed noise detail image are accumulated and the means  $\mu_i$  and standard deviations  $\sigma_i$  of the singular values in the respective positions of the array are calculated (60) as follows:

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$$\mu_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n d_{i,j} ; \quad (2)$$

$$\sigma_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n (d_{i,j} - \mu_i)^2 \quad (3)$$

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where  $i$  is an index for the order of singular values, and  $j$  is an index for different blocks.

A factor  $f_i$  for each singular value  $d_i$  is then generated (62) by considering the following facts. The singular values of the noise will be centered at  $\mu_i$  with standard deviation  $\sigma_i$ . The singular values of the shading areas of the image (where little or no sharpening is desired) will have slightly higher values than those of the areas dominated by noise. The singular values of the textured areas of the image (where some sharpening is desired) will have even higher values depending on the texture. The singular values of the edges in the image (where the greatest sharpening is desired) will have much higher values than those of the noise.

Considering the above, each singular value  $d_i$ , is multiplied by a factor  $f_i$  through a non-linear function  $F(d_i, \mu_i, \sigma_i)$  defined as below to produce the output singular value  $d'_i$ .

$$d'_i = f_i * d_i,$$

where

$$f_i = F(d_i, \mu_i, \sigma_i).$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 F(d_i, \mu_i, \sigma_i) &= f_{\min} \\
 &+ (f_{\max} - f_{\min}) * (1 - \exp[-a * (\frac{d_i - \mu_i - thl * \sigma_i}{\sigma_i})^p]), \\
 &\text{if } d_i > (\mu_i + thl * \sigma_i); \\
 &= f_{\min}, \text{ if } d_i < (\mu_i + thl * \sigma_i). \quad (4)
 \end{aligned}$$

$f_{\max}$  is a constant chosen for image sharpening and has a value (for example) in the range of one to three.  $f_{\min}$  is a constant chosen for the desired noise discrimination, which has a value between zero and one. The parameters  $a$ ,  $p$ , and  $thl$  are determined such that a good noise discrimination in the shading and textured area is achieved. The parameter  $thl$  controls a threshold level. The parameters  $a$  and  $p$  control the transition between  $f_{\max}$  and  $f_{\min}$ .

For noise suppression, one would have  $f_{\min} = 0$  and  $f_{\max} = 1$ . For sharpening,  $f_{\min} = 1$  and  $f_{\max} = 3$ , a choice which leaves noise as it is while boosting the image detail. By combining both features, for example selecting  $f_{\min} = 0$  and  $f_{\max} = 3$ , one achieves sharpening with noise suppression. The noise suppression is not as good as that achieved using larger sized blocks or kernels (as disclosed in the above-referenced related application) but it does provide a second advantage in an algorithm which performs both noise suppression and sharpening simultaneously in the same image.

The formula mentioned above is only one form of many possible formulas that can be used as a factor for sharpening. From equation 4, the resulting behavior of  $f_i$  as a function of  $d_i$  is illustrated as a curve in Fig. 6. The effect is to threshold the noise, reduce the singular values for

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shading area, and boost those singular values corresponding to texture and edges. The selection of thresholding level and curve shape depends on the artifacts one might tolerate.

5           The values  $f_i$  of the non-linear gain functions  $F(d_i, \mu_i, \sigma_i)$  are calculated for each singular value  $d_i$  to produce a table of factors  $f_i$  for each singular value. The factors  $f_i$  are digitized in the form of look up tables and  
10 stored in look up table 48 shown in Fig. 4.

          A Fortran program for implementing, in a general purpose digital computer, the basic SVD digital image processing method described with reference to Figs. 4 and 5 is listed in List 1 with  
15 reference to the attached appendices.

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LIST 1

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20 This is a basic version of the method which is described in Figs. 4 and 5.

1. Get a low pass filter ---filter.for...APPENDIX A
  2. Convolve with a filter ---convol.for...APPENDIX B
  3. Get a band-passed image---imgn.for.....APPENDIX C
  - 25 4. Get SVD noise data ---svdnoi.for...APPENDIX D
  5. Basic version of SVD ---svd\_basic.for APPENDIX E
  6. Subroutines for above programs  
   ---svd\_util.for..APPENDIX F
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          According to the presently preferred mode of practicing the invention, the block SVD processing is performed using a moving average technique employing block overlap to reduce the  
35 appearance of blocking artifacts. Fig. 7 is a

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schematic block diagram showing the major steps involved in the block overlap SVD processing.

For the purpose of simplifying the description, processing incorporating a 4 x 4 pixel block, with a 2 pixel step in the horizontal and vertical directions will be described. Such a block overlap pattern is shown in Fig. 8. In the actual practice, a 5 x 5 pixel block is employed with 1 or more pixel steps, depending on the tolerance of the blocking artifacts. Referring to Fig. 7, an image detail signal H, generated as shown in Fig. 4, is processed by a block SVD process 40 (as shown in Fig. 4) to produce a processed image detail signal  $H_1'$ . Simultaneously, the image detail signal H is delayed by 2 pixels (64) and block SVD processed 40' to produce a processed image detail signal  $H_2'$ . The 2 pixel delay has the effect of shifting the blocks that are processed by 2 pixels, as shown by the blocks of pixels labeled 66 and 68 in Fig. 8. The image detail signal is similarly delayed by 2 lines (70), and 2 lines plus 2 pixels (72) and block SVD processed (40'') and (40''') to produce processed image detail signals  $H_3'$  and  $H_4'$  respectively. The 2 line and 2 line plus 2 pixel delays have the effect of shifting the blocks as shown by the blocks of pixels labelled (74) and (76) respectively in Fig. 8. The processed detail signals  $H_1'$ ,  $H_2'$ ,  $H_3'$  and  $H_4'$  are registered, summed, and averaged (78) to produce the processed image detail signal  $H'$ . The processed image detail signal  $H'$  is added to the low pass filtered image signal G to produce the processed image signal Z' as shown in Fig. 4. It will be readily apparent that the processing method may be extended to larger blocks with different amounts of block overlap. A moving

average SVD Fortran program for implementing the processing method described with reference to Fig. 7 in a general purpose digital computer, is listed in List 2 with reference to the attached appendices.

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LIST 2

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This version of the method includes the block moving average described in Fig. 7.

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- 1. SVD with moving average---svd\_move.for..APPENDIX G
  - 2. Subroutines.....---svd\_util.for..APPENDIX F
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15           Multistage processing is not necessary, although on a more complicated scheme one might want to boost different frequency bands differently. A processed image with only a single stage (as shown in Fig. 4) shows good results for most applications.

20           The SVD processing method according to the present invention can be extended to a processing method of the type disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 4,442,454 issued April 10, 1984 to Powell, wherein the processing employs a detail signal representing  
 25 a pass band of spatial frequencies. The processed digital image signal is obtained, whereby noise from certain spatial frequency content is effectively removed from the image. As shown in Fig. 9 an input digital image Z is filtered through a 3 x 3 pixel  
 30 low pass filter 80 to obtain the low pass filtered image S. S is subtracted from Z (82) to obtain the difference image Z-S which is a bandpass filtered version of image Z. The difference image signal Z-S is a bandpass version of the original image Z. The  
 35 bandpass image is processed by the SVD process 40 to







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example) a 4 x 4 block of pixels  $P_{n,m}$  can be sampled in three different grid orientations,  $-45^\circ$  (shown by dotted lines),  $0^\circ$  (shown by solid lines), and  $+45$  degrees (shown by dashed lines). Note that

5 the three differently oriented sampling patterns have a sub-block of 4 common pixels ( $P_{4,2}$ ,  $P_{5,2}$ ,  $P_{4,3}$  and  $P_{5,3}$ ) in the center. As shown in Fig. 12, the SVD transform is performed on each of the three blocks of different orientations.

10 The image detail signal  $H$ , generated as shown in Fig. 4, is processed by a  $0^\circ$  block SVD transform 44,  $+45^\circ$  block SVD transform 44', and a  $-45^\circ$  block SVD transform 44'', to produce sets of singular vector matrices  $U$  and  $V^T$  and singular values  $d_i$ .

15 The singular values  $d_i$  are noise normalized (100, 102, 104) according to:

$$z_i = (d_i - \mu_i) / \sigma_i \quad (5)$$

20 where  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ; and  $\mu_i$  and  $\sigma_i$  are the mean and standard deviations, respectively of the noise singular values  $d_i$ , generated for each block orientation ( $0^\circ$ ,  $45^\circ$ , and  $-45^\circ$ ) as described previously with reference to Fig. 5. The block

25 orientation most closely corresponding to the orientation of an edge is selected (106) on the basis of the values of the noise normalized singular value  $z_i$ . Generally, if the orientation of the SVD blocks transform corresponds to the orientation

30 of an edge in the image, its noise normalized singular values  $z_i$  decrease faster as the index  $i$  increases, and the first few values  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are higher than those of blocks not oriented with an edge.

35 The selection is performed as follows.

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Starting from  $i=1$ ,  $z_i$  from each block is compared with the noise level say  $3.5\sigma_i$  for the block orientation. The lowest index  $i$  where the normalized singular value falls within the noise level is noted and denoted  $i_n$ . If  $i_n$  for all 3 block orientations (i.e.,  $0^\circ$ ,  $45^\circ$  and  $-45^\circ$ ) are each different, the block orientation with the lowest  $i_n$  is selected. If the lowest  $i_n$  is the same for two orientations, then the orientation with the largest value of  $(z_1 + z_2)$  is selected. If  $i_n$  is identical for all three orientations, and  $i_n$  is 1, then the region is most likely dominated by noise, and the  $0^\circ$  orientation is selected. If  $i_n$  is the same for all three orientations and  $i_n$  is equal to 2, then the orientation with the largest value of  $z_1$  is selected. If  $i_n$  is the same for all three orientations and  $i_n$  is greater than 2, then an orientation with the largest  $(z_1 + z_2)$  is selected.

An orientation chosen in this way provides the best representation of the local image detail. A look up table 48 of factors  $f_i$  for modifying the singular values is prepared as was described with reference to Fig. 5 for each block orientation. The appropriate factors  $f_i$  are applied (46) to the singular values  $d_i$  from the block having the selected orientation to produce modified singular values  $d_i'$ . The modified singular values  $d_i'$  and singular vector matrices  $U$  and  $V^T$  are inverse transformed (50) to produce a sharpened image detail signal. The 4 pixels ( $P_{4,2}$ ,  $P_{5,2}$ ,  $P_{4,3}$  and  $P_{5,3}$ ) common to all three block orientations are extracted from each processed block to produce the sharpened image detail signal  $H'$ . Finally, the sharpened image detail signal  $H'$  is added back to

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the low pass image signal G to form the processed image signal Z' as shown in Fig. 4. Although the diagonal block SVD processing method was described with reference to 4 x 4 block of pixels for ease of description, the presently preferred block size is 5 x 5 pixels.

The diagonal block SVD processing method is preferably implemented using the multi-stage block overlap technique described with reference to Fig. 11, and the center common block portion of 4 pixels is extracted from the SVD processed block of that orientation.

A Fortran program for implementing in a general purpose digital computer, the diagonal block SVD processing method described with reference to Fig. 12 is listed in List 5 with reference to the attached appendices.

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LIST 5

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- 20 This version of the method includes the block moving average and 3-orientation described in Fig. 12.
1. Get the low pass filter---filter.for....APPENDIX A
  - 25 2. Convolve with a filter ---convol.for....APPENDIX B
  3. Get a band-passed image---imgn.for.....APPENDIX C
  4. Get SVD noise data ---svdnoi.for....APPENDIX D
  5. SVD with moving average and  
and 3-orientations ---svd\_move\_3ori.  
for.....APPENDIX I
  - 30 6. Subroutines for above  
programs ---svd\_util.for..APPENDIX F
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35 The method of the present invention can be

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applied to processing digital color images in a variety of ways. In one mode, the digital color image is separated into red, green, and blue color separation images, and each color separation image is processed using a block SVD transform method as described above. In the preferred mode of practicing the invention with a color image, the red, green, and blue color image is transformed into a luminance Y (e.g.  $Y = 3/8 R + 4/8 G + 1/8 B$ ) and two color difference components (R-Y and B-Y). Each of these images is processed using any one of the SVD block transform methods described above to produce processed luminance and color difference signals. The processed luminance and color difference signals are recombined to produce the processed color image. In an alternative method, the red, green, blue color images are transformed into a luminance (Y), and two color difference components (R-Y and B-Y). Only the luminance image Y is processed using the block SVD transform method and the processed luminance image is recombined with the color difference components to produce a processed color image. This approach reduces the processing time compared with the method discussed immediately above.

#### Industrial Applicability and Advantages

The image processing method according to the present invention is useful in graphic arts digital image processing and photographic digital image processing. The method has the advantages of producing a sharpened image, having reduced noise, and free from undesirable artifacts in areas of texture. The method has the further advantage that image detail is not perceptibly degraded by the sharpening process.

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APPENDIX A  
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5  c      filter.for
   c      generate filter(mask) file

   c      oct-26-87
   c      link with svd_util.for
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      character*32 text,fname,fname2
      dimension table(0:999)

      data ir,iw/5,6/
15     data iu,iu2/99,98/

      write(iw,10)
20     format(/,' filter: generates filter file',/)

   c      input

      text='filter file'
      call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname)
      call blksiz(ir,iw,nbe,nbl)
25     call smplx(iw,iw,ixsmpl,iysmpl)

      write(iw,32)
32     format(' mode options:'
30     1,/,14x,'0:gauss'
      2,/,14x,'1:exp'
      3,/,14x,'2:uniform'
      4,/,14x,'3:user input'
      5,/,14x,'4:input from disk, ascii file'
35     1,/, ' mode, sigma_x,sigma_y')
      read(ir,*) mode,sigmax,sigmay
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34      format(1,2f)

c      user input mask

5      if(mode.eq.3) then
      write(iw,112)
112     format(' type line by line: max 10x10 by hand
           input')
      do 801 j=0,nbl-1
10     write(iw,114) j
114     format(lx,i5,' th line ?')
      read(ir,*) (table(j*nbe+1),i=0,nbe-1)
116     format(10f)
801     continue
15 c    enddo  loop j

      else if(mode.eq.4) then
      call clasc(32,text)
      text='user input disk file'
20     call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname2)
      open(unit=iu2,file=fname2,status='old')
      read(iu,*) nbe,nbl,ixsmpl,iysmpl
216     format(4i)
      do 802 j=0,nbl-1
25     read(iu,*) (table(j*nbe+1),i=0,nbe-1)
218     format(10f)
802     continue
c      enddo  loop j

30     else if(mode.eq.0.or.mode.eq.1.or.mode.eq.2)
           then

      xc=(nbe-1)/2.
      yc=(nbl-1)/2.

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```
do 803 iy=0,nbl-1
do 804 ix=0,nbe-1

x=float(ix)-xc
5 y=float(iy)-yc

c gaussian,exponential,and uniform masks

if(mode.eq.0) then
10 table(iy*nbe+ix)=gauss(x,sigmax)*gauss
(y,sigmay)
else if(mode.eq.1) then
table(iy*nbe+ix)=exp(-abs(x)/sigmax)*
exp(-abs(y)/sigmay)
15 else if(mode.eq.2) then
table(iy*nbe+ix)=1.
endif
c mode

20 804 continue
c enddo loop ix
803 continue
c enddo loop iy

25 endif
c mode

c output
open (unit=iu,file=fname,status='new')
30
write(iu,102) nbe,nbl,ixsmpl,iysmpl,sigmax,
sigmay
102 format(1x,4i5,2e15.5)
do 805 i=0,nbe*nbl-1
35 write(iu,104) i,table(i)
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104  format(lx,i5,e15.5)
805  continue
c    enddo

5    close(iu)

end

10   function gauss(x,sigma)

      data pi/3.1415926535/

      if(sigma.eq.0.) then
15         if(x.eq.0.) then
              gauss=1.
            else if(x.ne.0.) then
              gauss=0.
            endif
20   else if(sigma.ne.0.) then
              arg=(x**2)/(2.*(sigma**2))
              gauss=exp(-arg)/(sqrt(2.*pi)*sigma)
            endif

25   return
      end

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```
5  c      convol.for
   c      convolution of an image with a mask(filter)

   c      oct-26-87
   c      link with svd_util.for
10
   c      assumes picture is one layer

      character*1 com
      character*32 fname1,fmask,fname3
15  character*32 text

      dimension bufi(0.99999)
      dimension bufo(0:1999)
      dimension work1(0:2100),work2(0:2100)
20  dimension lp(0:59)
      dimension wt(0:899)

      data ir,iw/5,6/
      data iu1,iu2,iu3/51,52,53/
25

   c      ne: number of pixels per line (max:2000
           pixels)
   c      nl: number of lines of the image
   c      nbe: # of elements per block (block size in x)
30  c      nbl: # of lines per block (block size in y)

      write(iw,10)
10  format(/,' convol: makes a convolution of an
           image',/)
35
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```

call picsiz(ir,iw,'i',nc,ne,nl)
call recsiz(ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)
call winsiz(ir,iw,ne,nl,ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh)
call picnam(ir,iw,l,'i',fname1)
5  call picopn(iu1,fname1,lrec,'old',' ')
   c  input file sequential

text='convolution mask file'

10  call ascopn(iu2,fmask,'old',' ')
   c  readonly

call picnam(ir,iw,l,'o',fname3)
call picopn(iu3,fname3,lrec,'new',' ')
15

write(iw,52)
52  format(' normalization by sum of masks
        (y:d/n) ?')
read(ir,54) com
20 54  format(a1)

read(iu2,*) nbe,nbl,ixsmpl,iysmpl,dum,dum
114  format(lx,4i5,2e15.5)
do 801 j=0,nbl-1
25      do 802 i=0,nbe-1
        k=j*nbe+1
        read(iu2,116) iorder,wt(k)
        write(iw,118) iorder,wt(k)
116  format(lx,i5,e15.5)
30 118  format(ix,i5,'th weight = ',e15.5)
802  continue
   c  enddo loop i
801  continue
   c  enddo loop j
35

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```
close(iu2)

sum=0.

5      do 803 k=0,nbe*nbl-1
      sum=sum+wt(k)
803    continue
c      enddo      loop k

10     nbec=(nbe-1)*ixsmp1/2
c      !center of nbe
      nblc=(nbl-1)*iysmp1/2
      !center of nbl
      msizx=ixsmp1*(nbe-1)+1
15     msizy=iysmp1*(nbl-1)+1
      nbsizx=ixsmp1*nbe
      nbsizy=iysmp1*nbl

      write(iw,202) ix0,iy0,ixsmp1,iysmp1
20     1,msizx,msizy,nbsizx,nbsizy
202    format(' main: ix0,iy0 = ',2i8
1,/, ' main: ixsmp1,iysmp1 = ',2i8
1,/, ' main: support size = ',2i8
1,/, ' main: nbe*ixsmp1,nbl*iysmp1 = ',2i8)

25     write(iw,*) 'ok '

c      let's take care of the border area here

30     do 810 iy=1,jy0+nblc
c      do not bother to do (jy0+nblc-1) lines
      irec=iy
      read(iu1,rec=irec) (bufi(i),i=0,ne-1)
      write(iu3,rec=irec) (bufi(i),i=0,ne-1)
35 c      same one back
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810  continue
c    enddo  loop iy

      lextra=0
5    do 811 iys=0,iysmpl-1
      jy0=iy0+iys
      nytry=(nl-jy0-(nbl-1)*iysmpl)/iysmpl
c    number of loops in y direction

10   ll=nl-nytry*iysmpl-jy0-nblc
c       remaining extra lines
      if(ll.gt.lextra) lextra=ll
811  continue
c    enddo  loop iys

15   c    write out remaining lines

      if(lextra.gt.0) then
          line3=nl-lextra+1
20   c    starting line for lextra
          do 812 iy=0,lextra-1
              irec=line3+iy
              read(iu1,rec=irec) (bufi(i),i=0,ne-1)
25   write(iu3,rec=irec) (bufi(i),i=0,ne-1)
812  continue
c    enddo  loop iy
      endif
c    lextra

30   c    ok now run the engine

      do 820 iys=0,iysmpl-1
          jy0=iy0+iys
35   jx0=ix0
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      mseq=iys

      call engine(ir,iw,iul,iu3,ne,nl,nbe,nbl,
5          ixsmpl,iysmpl
      1,bufi,bufo,lp,work1,work2
      2,jx0,jy0,mseq,wt,nbsizx,nbsizy,nbec,nblc,lrec)

      820  continue
10  c     enddo  loop iys

      c     normalize by the sum of weights

      if(com.eq.'n'.or.com.eq.'N') then
15  write(iw,*) ' as you chose, the normalization
           was not done. '
      else
      denom=sum
      call dskdiv(iu3,iu3,lrec,bufi,ne,nl,denom)
20  endif
      c     !com

      close(iul)
      close(iu3)
25

      end

c-----

30  subroutine engine(ir,iw,iul,iu3,ne,nl,nbe,nbl,
           ixsmpl,iysmpl
      1,bufi,bujo,lp,work1,work2
      2,jx0,jy0,mseq,wt,nbsizx,nbsizy,nbec,nblc,lrec)

35  dimension bufi(0:ne*nbl-1)

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c      for nbl lines
      dimension bufo(0:ne-1)
          output buffer
      dimension lp(0:nbl-1)
5      dimension work1(0:ne+nbe-2)
      dimension work2(0:ne-1)
      dimension wt(0:nbe*nbl-1)

      if(mseq.eq.0) then
10     write(iw,802) nbe,nbl,ixsmpl,iysmpl
      802  format(' engine: nbe,nbl,ixsmpl,iysmpl=',4i5)
      write(iw,804)
      804  format(' weights:')
      do 901 k=0,nbe*nbl-1
15     write(iw,806) k,wt(k)
      806  format(lx,i5,e15.5)
      901  continue
      c    enddo    loop k

20     endif

      nytry=(nl-jy0-(nbl-1)*iysmpl)/iysmpl
      c    number of loops in y direction

25     write(iw,800) jx0,jy0,nytry
      800  format(/,' engine: jx0,jy0,nytry:',3i5)

      call ptr0(nbl,lp)
      c    initialize pointer lp(k)
30     c    initially read in nbl lines
      do 910 j=0,nbl-1
      linei=jy0+j*iysmpl+1
      c    irec starts from 1
35     read(iul,rec=linei)
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(bufi(ne\*lp(j)+i),i=0,ne-1)

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910  continue
c    enddo  loop j
5
      line1=jy0+(nbl-1)*iysmpl+1
c      offset for input line
      line11=jy0+nblc+1
c      offset for output line
10
      do 911 iy=0,nytry-1

          linei=line1+iy*iysmpl
c          !iysmpl
15      if(iy.ne.0) then
          read(iul,rec=linei) (bufi(ne*lp(nbl-1)+i),
              i=0,ne-1)
c          always read into lp(nbl-1)
          endif
20  c    iy

          do 912 ix=0,ixsmpl-1
          ixoff=jx0+ixs
          nxtry=(ne-jx0-ixs)/ixsmpl
25  c    number of data in x

c-----beginning of convolution calculation

          call clr(nxtry+nbe-1,work1)
30  c    clear working area
          call clr(nxtry,work2)
c    temporaty place to hold sampled result

          nbec=(nbe-1)/2
35  do 913 j=0,nbl-1

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call movxs(nxtry,ixsmpl,bufi(ne*lp(j)+ixoff),
          workl(nbec))

c      get data into the working area with offset
5      nbec
      do 914 i=0,nbe-1
      k=j*nbe+1
      wtij=wt(k)
      call mulcy(nxtry,wtij,workl(i),work2)
10
c      accumulate result in work2
914   continue
c      enddo   loop i

15   call movxsi(nxtry,ixsmpl,work2,bufo(ixoff))
c      get sampled output from the
      convolution result

913   continue
20   c      enddo   loop j

c-----end of convolution calculation

912   continue
25   c      enddo   loop ix

      lineo=linell+iy*iysmpl
      write(iu3,rec=lineo) (bufo(i),i=0,ne-1)

30   call ptr(nbl,lp)
c      update pointer

911   continue
c      enddo   loop iy
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return  
end

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5  c   imgn.for
    c   arithmetic operations:(add/subtract,multiply,
        and divide)
    c   in n image layers

10  c   sep-2-87
    c   link with iputil.for

    c   assumes picture is a one layer image.

15  character*1 com
    character*32 fname(0:9)

    dimension buf(0:3999,0:9)
    dimension iu(0:9)
20  dimension f(0:9)

    data ir,iw/5,6/
    data iu0/50/

    c   starting unit number

25  ne: number of pixels per line
    c   nl: number of lines of the image
    c   n: number of input files

30  write(iw,10)
    10  format(/,' imgn: arithmetic in n image
        layers',/)
    call picsiz(ir,iw,'i',nc,ne,nl)
    call recsiz(ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)
35  call winsiz(ir,iw,ne,nl,ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh)
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      write(iw,22)
*      22      format(' how many images as an input (max=9)
              ?')
*      5      read(ir,") n
      24      format(i)

      do 801 ifile=0,n
      iu(ifile)=iu0+ifile
10  801      continue
      c      assign unit number

      call picnam(ir,iw,n,'i',fname(1))

15  c      read n input file names starting fname(1)

      do 803 ifile=1,n
      call picopn(iu(ifile),fname(ifile),
                lrec,'old',' ')
20  803      continue
      c      enddo    loop ifile

      call picnam(ir,iw,1,'o',fname(0))
      c      output file
25

      call picopn(iu(0),fname(0),lrec,'new',' ')

      write(iw,52)
      52      format(' a(add),m(mul),d(div) ?')
30      30      read(ir,54) com
      54      format(al)

      do 804 i=1,n
      write(iw,56) i
35  56      format(lx,i5,' th factor (real) ?')
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      read(ir,*) f(i)
58      format(f)
804     continue

5  c     enddo   loop i

      write(iw,62)
60      format(' overall normalizationn factor
62              (real) ?')
10     read(ir,*) f(0)
64     format(f)
      if(f(0).eq.0.) go to 60

      call engine(ir,iw,iu,lrec,fname
15      1,ne,nl,ixl,ixh,ihl,iyh,buf,n,f,com)

      do 821 ifile=0,n
      close(iu(ifile))
821     continue
20  c     enddo   !loop ifile

      end

c-----
25

      subroutine engine(ir,iw,iu,lrec,fname
      1,ne,nl,ixl,ixh,ihl,iyh,buf,n,f,com)

      character*1 com
30     character*32 fname(0:n)
      dimension buf (0:ne-1,0:n),iu(0:n),f(0:n)

      write(iw,12) com,n
12     format(' engine: com,n =',a1,i5)
35

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do 801 i=1,n
write(iw,14) f(i)
14 format(9x),'f(i) = ',t35,e15.5)
801 continue
5 c enddo loop i

write(iw,16) f(0)
16 format(,9x,'overall normalization =',e15.5)
write(iw,705) ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh
10 705 format(' ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh = ',4i5)

do 802 iy=iyl+1,iyh+1
c since irec starts from 1

15 do 803 ifile=1,n
read(iu(ifile),rec=iy) (buf(i,ifile),i=0,ne-1)
803 continue
c enddo loop ifile

20 do 804 ix=ixl,ixh
buf(ix,0)=f(1)*buf(ix,1)
804 continue
c enddo !loop ix

25 do 805 ifile=2,n
if(com.eq.'l'.or.com.eq.'A') then
do 811 ix=ixl,ixh
buf(ix,0)=buf(ix,0)+f(ifile)*buf
(ix,ifile)
30 811 continue
c enddo loop ix
else if(com.eq.'m'.or.com.eq.'M') then
do 812 ix=ixl,ixh
buf(ix,0)=buf(ix,0)*f(ifile)*buf
35 (ix,ifile)
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812          continue
c          enddo   loop ix
          else if(com.eq.'d'.or.com.eq.'D') then
5          do 813 ix=ixl,ixh
          if(f(ifile)*buf(ix,ifile).ne.0.)
          then
          buf(ix,0)=buf(ix,0)/(f(ifile)*buf
          (ix,ifile))
          endif
10 c          divide by zero ?

          813          continue
c          enddo   loop ix
          endif
15 c          com

          805          continue
c          enddo   !loop ifile

20          do 806 ix=ixl,ixh
          buf(ix,0)=buf(ix,0)/f(0)
          806          continue
c          enddo   loop ix

25          write(iu(0),rec=iy) (buf(ix,0),ix=0,ne-1)

          802          continue
c          enddo   loop iy

30          return
          end

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APPENDIX D  
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```
5  c      svdnoi.for
   c      calculate svd distribution for a noise patch

   c      oct-26-87
   c      link with svd_util.for
10
   c      this program includes the mode options

   c      get a random block starting (ix0,iy0)
   c      input band-pass noise patch (random file)
15  c      output : block size,ixsmpl,iysmpl
   c              order,mean svd,sigma svd,ratio

   c      block size up to 40x40

20
   character*32 text,fname1,fname2

   dimension buf(0:1999,0:39)
   dimension a(0:39,0:39),u(0:39,0:39),
           v(0:39,0:39)
25
   data ir,iw/5,6/
   data iul,iu2/51,52/

   c      nbe: # of elements per block (block size)
30  c      ne: number of pixels per linbe (e.g. 400
           pixels, or 1136 pixels)
   c      nl: number of linbes of the image

   write(iw,10)
35 10  format(/' svdnoi: calculate svd distribution
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for a noise patch'/)

call picsiz(ir,iw,'i',nc,ne,nl)
call recsiz(ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)
5 call picnam(ir,iw,l,'i',fname1)
call picopn(iul,fname1,lrec,'old',' ')

call blksiz(ir,iw,nbe,nbl)
call smplx(iw,iw,ixsmpl,iysmpl)
10 nbsize=nbe*ixsmpl

text='output mean svd file'
call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname2)
call ascopn(iu2,fname2,'new',' ')
15

write (iw,122)
122 format(' mode'
1,/,t25,'0: 0 degree or 90 degree'
2,/,t25,'1: 45 degree'
20 3,/,t25,'2: 135 degree')
write(iw,110)
110 format(' mode ?')
read(ir,*) mode
111 format(i)
25

write(iw,140)
140 format(' ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry ?')
read(ir,*) ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry
142 format(4i)
30

call hui(ir,iw,iul,lrec,buf,nc,ne,nl,a,u,v
1,nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,nbsize,ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry,
mode 2,iu2,fname1,fname2)

35 close(iul)
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close(iu2)

end

5 c-----

      subroutine hui(ir,iw,iul,lrec,buf,nc,ne,nl,
          a,u,v
10      1,nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,nbsize,ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry,
          mode
      2,iu2,fname1,fname2)

c      this subroutinbe does all the actual
          processing.
15 c      main program just sets up array sizes for a
          given picture.

      character*32 fname1,fname2

20      dimension buf(0:ne-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
          0:nbe-1)

25      dimension work(100)
      dimension sigma(0:39),id(0:39)
      dimension fmean(0:39),fsigma(0:39),
          ratio(0:39)

30      dimension fsum1(0:39),fsum2(0:39)

c      parameters for svd subroutinbe
      n=nbe
      m=nbe
35      nm=nbe
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ftot=nxtry*nytry
ftot=ftot*ixsmp1*iysmp1

5      call clrx(nbe+1,fmean)

      c      last of nbe for sum of singular values
      call clrx(nbe+1,fsigma)
      call clrx(nbe+1,fsum1)
10     call clrx(nbe+1,fsum2)

      write(iw,800) mode,ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry
      1,nbe,ixsmp1,iysmp1,nbsize
800    format(' hui: mode,ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry =
15          ',5i5,/
      1,6x,'nbe,ixsmp1,iysmp1,nbsize = ',4i5)

      ln=iy0

20    c      skip (iy0-1) lines

      do 901 iy=0,nytry-1
      c      number of loops in y direction
      line1=iy0+iy*nbsize+1
25

      do 902 iys=0,iysmp1-1
      line2=line1+iys

          do 903 j=0,nbe-1
30    c      read nbe linbes
          irec=line2+j*iysmp1
          read(iul,rec=irec) (buf(i,j),i=0,
              ne-1)
      c      just read ne elements
35 903 continue
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c          enddo          loop nbe

do 904 ix=0,nxtry-1
      number of loops in x direction
5
      ixoff1=ix0+nbsize*ix
      if(mode.eq.1) then
          ixoff1=ixoff1+nbsize/2
      else if(mode.eq.2) then
10          ixoff1=ixoff1=nbsize/2
      endif

do 905 ix=0,ixsmp1-1
      ixoff2=ixoff1+ixs
15

          do 906 j=0,nbe-1
c          get a block into a(k,j)
          do 907 k=0,nbe-1
              kk=ixoff2+k*ixsmp1
20              if(mode.eq.0)then
                  a(k,j)=buf(kk,j)
c          straight
              else if(mode.eq.1)then
                  a(k,j)=buf(kk-j,j)
25 c          45 degree slant
              else if(mode.eq.2)then
                  a(k,j)=buf(kk+j,j)
c          135 degree slant
              endif
30 c          mode?
          907 continue
          906 continue
c          end of loop j
c          end of loop k
35
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```

call svd(nm,m,n,a,sigma,.false.,u,.false.,
        v,ierr,work)
c      no need to calculate U and V matrix. so the
        input is .false.
5
if(ierr.ne.0) write(iw,20) ierr,line2,ixoff2
20  format(' trouble. ierr= ',i4,' at line2,ixoff2
        = ',2i5)

10  call sort(nbe,sigma,id)
c      sort in descending order

c      sigma(i,l(id)): ith singular value

15          toteig=0.
c          sum of eigen values
          do 911 l=1,nbe-1
          toteig=toteig+sigma(l)
911  continue
20  c      end of loop 1

          do 912 l=0,nbe
          if(l.eq.nbe) then
          fsum1(l)=fsum1(l)+toteig
25  fsum2(l)=fsum2(l)+toteig**2
          else
          fsum1(l)=fsum1(l)+sigma(l)
          fsum2(l)=fsum2(l)+sigma(l)**2
          endif

30  912  continue
c      end of loop 1

905  continue
c      end of loop ix
35  904  continue

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      c      end of loop ix

      902    continue
      c      end of loop iys
5  901    continue
      c      end of loop iy

      ok now calculate statistics

10      write(iw,100)
      100    format(3x,1,10x,'fmean',10x,'fsigma')

      do 913 l=0,nbe
      fmean(1)=fsum1(1)/ftot
15      fsigma(1)=fsum2(1)/ftot-fmean(1)**2
           if(fsigma(1).lt.0.) then
           write(5,105) 1,fmean(1),fsigma(1)
           fsigma(1)=0.
           endif
20  105    format(' 1,fmean(1),fsigma(1) = ',i5,2e15.5)

      fsigma(1)=sqrt(fsigma(1))

           if(fsigma(1).eq.0.) then
25      ratio(1)=0.
           else
           ratio(1)=fmean(1)/fsigma(1)
           endif
      c      fsigma(1) ?
30
      913    continue
      c      end of loop l

      write(iu2,108) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl
35  108    format(lx,3i10)
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do 921 l=0,nbe
c   write final result
   if(l.eq.nbe) then
5     write(iw,110) fmean(1),fsigma(1),ratio(1)
     write(iu2,110) fmean(1),fsigma(1),ratio(1)
110    format(//,6x,3e15.5)
     else
10     write(iw,120) 1,fmean(1),fsigma(1),ratio(1)
     write(iu2,120) 1,fmean(1),fsigma(1),ratio(1)
120    format(lx,i5,3e15.5)
     endif
921   continue
c   enddo
15

     write(iu2,130) fname2,fname1
130    format('/' svd noise file name = ',a32
1,/, ' from data file: ',a32)

20     write(iu2,140) nc,ne,nl
140    format(//, ' input parameters were: nc,ne,nl =
        ',3i5)
     write(iu2,150) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,mode,ix0,iy0,
        nxtry,nytry
25 150    format(' nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl = ',3i5
1,/, ' mode,ix0,iy0,nxtry,nytry = ',5i5)

     return
     end
30
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APPENDIX E  
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5  
C SHARPENING AND NOISE SUPPRESSION BY SINGULAR  
VALUE DECOMPOSITION

C SVD\_BASIC.FOR -- BASIC VERSION

10 C link with svd\_util.for

C DEC-20-88

15 C maximum svd block size : 0x40

dimension BUFI(0:1999,0:39)  
dimension BUFO(0:1999,0:39)  
dimension A(0:39,0:39),U(0:39,0:39),  
20 V(0:39,0:39)  
dimension WT(0:39)  
dimension FC(0:39),DFC(0:39),RATIO(0:39)

data IR,IW/5,6/

25 data iui,iuo,iun/51,52,53/  
data iuw/61/  
data a,u,v/1600\*0.,1600\*0.,1600\*0./,  
data wt/40\*0./

30 data fc,dfc,ratio/40\*0.,40\*0.,40\*0./

C NBE: # of elements per block (BLOCK SIZE)  
C NE: number of pixels per line(e.g. 500 pixels)  
C NL: number of lines of the image

35 C ixsmpl,iysmpl : sampling in x and y directions

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```
C      INPUT

c      define image size : nc,ne,nl
5      call picsiz (ir,iw,'I',nc,ne,nl)

c      define image record size
      call recsiz (ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)

10     c      open input image file
      call ifile (ir,iw,iui,lform,lrec)

c      read noise data file
      call nfile (ir,iw,iun,nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,fc,
15          dfc,ratio)

c      open output image file
      call ofile (ir,iw,iuo,lform,lrec)

20     c      get pre/post processing weights
      call wfile (ir,iw,iuw,modew,nbe,wt,sum )

      write (iw,122)
122     format (' Starting pixel position: IX0,IYO ?')
25     read (ir,*) ix0,iy0

c      block orientation mode = 0 (0 or 90 degree)

      modeb=0

30     write (iw,151)
151     format (' Boost formula'
35          3,/, ' 6: THRESHOLD1 ,EXP(-A*X**4) AND FMIN,FMAX')

      write (iw,152)
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152  format (' Boost formula(I) ?')
      read (ir,*) iform

      write (iw,162)
5  162  format (' THRSH1(R),POWER(R),FMIN,FMAX,
             COEFF(FOR 6:) ?')
      read (ir,*) thrsh1,power,fmin,fmax,coeff

      msize = ixsmpl*(nbe-1)+1
10     nbsize = ixsmpl*nbe

      write (iw,202) nbe,ix0,iy0,ixsmpl,iysmpl,
             msize,nbsize
202    format (' MAIN: NBE,IX0,IY0 = ',T30,3I8
15     1,/, ' MAIN: IXSMPL,IYSMPL = ',T30,2I8
      2,/, ' MAIN: SUPPORT SIZE = ',T30,I8
      3,/, ' MAIN: NBE*IXSMPL = ',T30,I8)
204    format (' MODEW, SUM OF WEIGHTS = ',I5,E15.5)

20     if (modew.ne.0) then
          write (iw,204) modew,sum
      endif

      jy0 = iy0
25     jx0 = ix0

      call hui (ir,iw,iui,iuo,nc,ne,nl,nbe,
             ixsmpl,iysmpl
1         ,bufi,bufo,a,u,v,fc,dfc,ratio
30     2         ,iform,thrsh1,coeff,power,fmin,fmax
      3         ,jx0,jy0,modew,wt,lrec)

      if (modew.eq.1.or.modew.eq.2) then
          denom = (sum*sum)/(nbe*nbe)
35     call dskdiv (iuo,iuo,lrec,bufo,ne,nl,denom)
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        endif
c       close (iui)
c       close (iuo)

5       end

c-----

subroutine hui(ir,iw,iui,iuo,nc,ne,nl,nbe,
10      ixsmpl,iysmpl
1      ,bufi,bufo,a,u,v,fc,dfc,ratio
2      ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax
3      ,jx0,jy0,modew,wt,lrec)

15  C   THIS SUBROUTINE DOES ALL THE ACTUAL PROCESSING.
C     MAIN PROGRAM JUST SETS UP ARRAY SIZES FOR A
      GIVEN PICTURE.

      dimension  bufi(0:ne-1,0:nbe-1)
20     dimension  bufo(0:ne-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension  a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension  u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),
           v(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension  work(100)
25     dimension  fc(0:39),dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)
      dimension  id(0:39),sigma(0:39)
      dimension  wt(0:nbe-1)

      n          = nbe
30     m          = nbe
      nm         = nbe
      nbrxs      = nbe*ixsmpl

      nxtry     = (ne-jx0-nbe)/nbrxs-1
35     nytry     = (nl-jy0-nbe)/nbrxs

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if (((nytry-1)*nbrxs +nbe).gt.nl) then
    nytry = nytry-1
endif
lextra = nl-nytry*nbrxs-jy0
5
write (iw,802) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl
1 ,iform,thrshl,power,fmin,fmax,coeff
802 format(' HUI: nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl= ',3i5,/
1 ' boost formula,thrshl,power,fmin,fmax,
10      coeff = '
2 ,/,lx,I5,5E15.5)
write (iw,835) jx0,jy0,nxtry,nytry
835 format (/, ' HUI: jx0,jy0,nxtry,nytry',4i5)

15 c skip jy0 lines

if (jy0.ge.1)then
do 840, iy = 0,jy0 -1
irec = iy+1
20 read (iui,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
write (iu0,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
840 continue
endif
c processing the input image block by block
25
do 910, iy = 0,nytry-1
line1 = jy0+1+iy*nbrxs

do 910, iys = 0,iysmpl-1
30 line2 = line1+iys

c read in nbe lines from the input image into
bufi
do 850, j = 0,nbe-1
35 linei = line2+j *iysmpl

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      read (iui,rec=linei) (bufi(i,j),i=0,ne-1)

c      initialize the output buffer -- bufo

5      do 845, jj = 0,nbe-1
        do 845, ii = 0,ne-1
          bufo(ii,jj) = 0.
845      continue
850      continue

10     c      set up array A(i,j)

        do 900, ix = 0,nxtry-1
          ixoff1 = jx0 +nbrxs*ix

15           do 900, ixs = 0,ixsmp1-1
             ixoff2 = ixoff1+ixs+(nbe/2)*ixsmp1
               do 860, j = 0,nbe-1
                 do 860, i = 0,nbe-1
20                   ii = ixoff2+i*ixsmp1
                     a(i,j) = bufi(ii,j)
860                  continue
                   call svd (nm,m,n,a,sigma,.true.,u,
                             .true.,v,ierr,work)

25                   if (ierr.ne.0) then
                       write (iw,20) ix,iy,ierr
20                       format (' TROUBLE. IX,IY,IERR= ',3I6)
                       do 865, l = 0,nbe-1
30                           write (iw,22) l,sigma(l)
22                           format (lx,i3,'th singular value =
                               ',E15.5)
865                          continue
                       do 866 i=0,ierr-1
35                           sigma(i)=0.

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866         continue
           endif

c          sort sigma(==singular values) in descending
5          order

           call sort (nbe,sigma,id)

c          SIGMA(I,L(ID)): Ith SINGULAR VALUE
10         C
           C COMPUTE NEW A(I,J) ACCORDING TO CORING
           C FORMULAR(IFORM) FROM SIGMA, U, AND V.
           call newaij (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,fc,
15         1          ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)

           if (modew.eq.-1) then
               do 885, j = 0,nbe-1
                   do 885, i = 0,nbe-1
20                 a(i,j) = a(i,j)/wt(i)/wt(j)
885             continue
           else if (modew.eq.1) then
               do 890, j = 0,nbe-1
                   do 890, i = 0,nbe-1
25                 a(i,j) = a(i,j)*wt(i)*wt(j)
890             continue
           endif

c          UPDATE OUTPUT BUFFER : BUFO
30         C

           do 895, j = 0,nbe-1
               jj = j
                   do 895, i = 0,nbe-1
                       ii =ixoff2+i*ixsmp1
35                 bufo(ii,jj) = bufo(ii,jj)+a(i,jj)
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895     continue

900     continue

5  C     WRITE LINES OUT TO DISK (AFTER NN LINES, MM
        BLOCKS ARE PROCESSED)

        do 905, j =0,nbe-1
            lineo = line2+j*iysmpl
10      write (iuo,rec=lineo) (bufo(i,j),
                i=0,ne-1)
905     continue

910     continue

15  C     WRITE OUT REMAINING LINES

        if (lextra.gt.0) then
            line3 = nl-lextra+1
            do 915, iy = 0,lextra-1
20      irec = line3+iy
            read (iui,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
            write (iuo,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
915     continue
        endif

25      return
        end

30  -----

        subroutine newaij (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
            fc,dfc,ratio
            l,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)

35      logical first

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dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
dimension sigma(0:nbe-1),id(0:nbe-1)
dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
      0:nbe-1)
5 dimension fc(0:39),dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)

      data first/.true./

      if(first) then
10 write (iw,8888) iform,thrshl,power,fmin,
      fmax,coeff
      8888 format (' newaij: iform,t1,p,t2,c = ',
      i5,4f6.2)
      first=.false.
15 endif

      do 100, j = 0,nbe-1
      do 100, i = 0,nbe-1
      a(i,j) = 0.
20 100 continue

      c determine threshold formula

      if(iform.eq.6) then
25 call iform6(ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,fc,
      dfc,ratio
      l,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)
      endif

30 return
end

c -----
c Boost formula 6
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subroutine iform6 (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
                  fc,dfc,ratio
1,iform,shrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)

5   dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension sigma(0:nbe-1),id(0:nbe-1)
      dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
          0:nbe-1)
      dimension fc(0:39),dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)
10
      do 120, l = 0,nbe-1

c     depending on IFORM choose threshold level

15     ff = 1.

      if (sigma(l).ge.0.) then
          zz = (sigma(l)-fc(l))/dfc(l)

20     if (zz.le.thrshl) then
          ff = fmin
      else if (zz.gt.thrshl) then
          arg = coeff*((zz-thrshl)**power)
          if (arg.le.0.000000001) then
25             delf = delf*(1.+arg)
          else if (arg.gt.0.000000001.and.arg.
              le.10.) then
              delf = delf*(1.-exp(-arg))
          else if (arg.gt.10.) then
30             delf = delf
          endif

c             end of arg ?

          ff = fmin + delf
35     endif

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      enf of (zz...
      else if(sigma(1).eq.0.) then
        ff=1.
5      else if (sigma(1).lt.0.) then
        write (iw,505) ix,iy,l,sigma(1)
505      format (' ix,iy,l,sigma(1)',3i5,e15.5)
        ff = 1.
      endif
10 c      end of (sigma(1)...

        do 110, j = 0,nbe-1
          do 110,i = 0,nbe-1
            a(i,j) = a(i,j)+ff*sigma(1)*u(i,id(1))*
15              v(j,id(1))
110      continue

120      continue
        return
20      end

c-----

25      subroutine nfile(ir,iw,iun,nbe,ixsmpl,
           iysmpl,fc,dfc,ratio)

           character*32      text,fname

           dimension fc(0:nbe-1),dfc(0:nbe-1),
30             ratio(0:nbe-1)

           text='svd noise file for      0 degree'
           call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname)
           call ascopn(iun,fname,'old',' ')
35

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read(iun,*) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl

write(iw,115) fname
115   format(' noise file:',a32,/
5     1 lx,'order',10x,' mean',10x,'sigma',10x,
      'ratio')

do 802 1-0,nbe-1
10   read(iun,*) iorder,fc(1),dfc(1),ratio(1)
     write(iw,116) iorder,fc(1),dfc(1),ratio(1)
116   format(lx,i5,3e15.5)
802   continue
c     enddo           !loop 1
     close(unit=iun)

15   return
     end

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5  c   svd_util.for
   c   subroutines called by :
   c       filter.for, convol.for, ingn.for
   c       svd_basic.for, svd_move.for
10  c       svdnoi.for, and svd_move_3ori.for
   c
   c   OCT-26-87
   c -----
   c   subroutine svd(nm,m,n,a,w,matu,u,matv,v,
15         ierr,rvl)
           compute svd
   c   sort(n,s,id)           sort svd
   c   ifile(ir,iw,iui,lform,  open input picture
           lrec)              file
20  c   ofile(ir,iw,iuo,lform, open output picture
           lrec)              file
   c   wfile(ir,iw,iuw,modew,  get pre/post
           nbe,wt,sum)        processing weights
   c   picsiz(ir,iw,mode,nc,   asks picture size
25         ne,nl)
   c   recsiz(ir,iw,ne,lform,  asks record size
           lrec)
   c   winsiz(ir,iw,ne,nl,ixl, asks window size
           iyl,ixh,iyh)
30  c   boxesiz(ir,iw,ix0,iy0, asks box size
           nx,ny)
   c   xyorig(ir,iw,ix0,iy0)  asks xy origin
   c   blksize(ir,iw,nbe,nbl) asks block size
   c   smplx(ir,iw,ixsmpl,    asks sampling steps
35         iysmpl)

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	c	dirnam(ir,iw,dname)	asks directory name
	c	picnam(ir,iw,nfiles, mode,fname)	asks file names
5	c	picopn(iu,fname,lrec, status,com)	opens a picture file
	c	ascopn(iu,fname,status, com)	opens an ascii file
	c	ascnam(ir,iw,text, fname)	asks an ascii file name
10	c	clrasc(n,text)	clears an ascii array
	c	rdlin(iu,n,buf,com, irec)	read a line
	c	wrlin(iu,n,buf,com, irec)	write a line
15	c	ptr0(n,lp)	pointer initialization
	c	ptr(n,lp)	update a line pointer
	c	clr(n,z)	z(i)=0
20	c	movxs(n,ixs,buf,pic)	pic(i) gets sampled buf(i)
	c	movxsi(n,ixs,pic,buf)	inverse of movxs
	c	mulcy(n,c,y,z)	z(i)=z(i)+c*y(i)
	c	dskdiv(iuil,iu2,lrec, buf,ne,nl,fdiv)	
25	c		read a line, div by const and write back
	c	-----	
	c		
30		subroutine svd(nm,m,n,a,w,matu,u,matv,v,ierr, rvl)	
		integer i,j,k,l,m,n,ii,il,kk,kl,ll,ln,mn,nm, its,ierr	
		real a(nm,n),w(n),u(nm,n),v(nm,n),rvl(n)	
		real c,f,g,h,s,x,y,z,scale,anorm	
35		logical matu,matv	

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c  
c this subroutine is from the book "computer methods  
c for mathematical computations" by g.e. forsythe,  
c m.a. malcolm, and c.b. moler, 1977. prentice-hall,  
5 c inc., englewood cliffs, new jersey 07632. pp. 229-  
c 235.  
c  
c this subroutine determines the singular value  
c decomposition  
10 c t  
c a=usv of a real m by n rectangular matrix.  
c householder  
c bidiagonalization and a variant of the qr  
c algorithm are used.  
15 c  
c on input:  
c nm must be set to the row dimension of two-  
c dimensional array  
c parameters as declared in the calling program  
20 c dimension statement.  
c note that nm must be at least as large as the  
c maximum of m and n.  
c  
c m is the number of rows of a (and u).  
25 c n is the number of columns of a (and u) and the  
c order of v.  
c a contains the rectangular array to be  
c decomposed.  
c  
30 c matu should be set to .true. if the u matrix in  
c the decomposition is desired, and to .false.  
c otherwise.  
c  
c matv should be set to .true. if the v matrix in  
35 c the decomposition is desired, and to .false.

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        otherwise.
c   on output:
c   a is unaltered (unless overwritten by u or v).
c
5  c   w contains the n (non-negative) singular values
c     of a (the diagonal elements of s). they are
c     unordered. if an error exit is made, the
c     singular values should be correct for indices
c     ierr+1, ierr+2, ..., n.
10 c
c   u contains the matrix u (orthogonal column
c     vectors of the decomposition if matu has been
c     set to .true. otherwise, u is used as a
c     temporary array. u may coincide with a. if an
15 c   error exit is made, the columns of u
c     corresponding to indices of correct singular
c     values should be correct.
c
c   v contains the matrix v (orthogonal) of the
20 c   decomposition if matu has been set to .true.
c     otherwise, v is not referenced. v may also
c     coincide with a if u is not needed. if an
c     error exit is made, the columns of v
c     corresponding to indices of correct singular
25 c   values should be correct.
c
c   ierr is set to
c     zero   for normal return
c     k     if the k-th singular values has not
30         been determined after 30 iterations.
c
c   rvl is a temporary storage array.
c
        ierr=0
35         do 100 j=1,n
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      do 100 i=1,m
        u(i,j)=a(i,j)
100      continue
c     householder reduction to bidiagonal form
5      g=0.0
        scale=0.0
        anorm=0.0
c
      do 300 i=1,n
10      l=i+1
        rv1(i)=scale*g
        g=0.0
        s=0.0
        scale=0.0
15      if(i.gt.m) goto 210
c
        do 120 k=i,m
120      scale=scale+abs(u(k,i))
c
20      if(scale.eq.0.0) goto 210
c
        do 130 k=i,m
          u(k,i)=u(k,i)/scale
          s=s+u(k,i)**2
25 130      continue
c
          f=u(i,i)
          g=-sign(sqrt(s),f)
          h=f*g-2
30      u(i,i)=f-g
          if(i.eq.n) goto 190
c
          do 150 j=1,n
            s=0.0
35 c
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do 140 k=i,m
    s=s+u(k,i)*u(k,j)
c
    f=s/h
5 c
do 150 k=i,m
    u(k,j)=u(k,j)+f*u(k,i)
150 continue
c
10 190 do 200 k=i,m
200 u(k,i)=scale*u(k,i)
c
210 w(i)=scale*g
g=0.0
15 s=0.0
scale=0.0
if(i.gt.m.or.i.eq.n) goto 290
c
do 220 k=1,n
20 220 scale=scale+abs(u(i,j))
c
if(scale.eq.0.0) goto 290
c
do 230 k=1,n
25 u(i,k)=u(i,k)/scale
s=s+u(i,k)**2
230 continue
c
f=u(i,1)
30 g=-sign(sqrt(s),f)
h=f*g-s
u(i,1)=f-g
c
do 240 k=1,n
35 240 rv1(k)=u(i,k)/h
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      c
      if(i.eq.m) goto 270
      c
      do 260 j=1,m
5      s=0.0
      c
      do 250 k=1,n
250      s=s+u(j,k)*u(i,k)
      c
10     do 260 k=1,n
      u(j,k)=u(j,k)+s*rvl(k)
260     continue
      c
270     do 280 k=1,n
15 280     u(i,k)=scale*u(i,k)
      c
290     anorm=amax1(anorm,abs(w(i))+abs(rvl(i)))
300     continue
      c ... accumulation of right-hand transformation .....
20     if(.not.matv) goto 410
      c ... for i=n step -1 until 1 do ....
      do 400 ii=1,n
      i=n+1=ii
      if(i.eq.n) goto 390
25     if(g.eq.0.0) goto 360
      c
      do 320 j=1,n
      c ... double division avoids possible underflow ....
320     v(j,i)=(u(i,j)/u(i,1))/g
30     c
      do 350 j=1,n
      s=0.0
      c
      do 340 k=1,n
35 340     s=s+u(i,k)*v(k,j)
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c
      do 350 k=1,n
      v(k,j)=v(k,j)+s*v(k,i)
350      continue
5  c
      360      do 380 j=1,n
      v(i,j)=0.0
      v(j,i)=0.0
      380      continue
10 c
      390      v(i,i)=1.0
      g=rvl(i)
      l=i
      400      continue
15 c ... accumulation of left-hand transformations ...
      410      if(.not.matu) goto 510
c ... for i=min(m,n) step -1 until 1 do ...
      mn=n
      if(m.lt.n) mn=m
20 c
      do 500 ii=1,mn
      i=mn+1-ii
      l=i+1
      g=w(i)
25      if(i.eq.n) goto 430
c
      do 420 j=1,n
      420      u(i,j)=0.0
c
30 430      if(g.eq.0.0) goto 475
      if(i.eq.mn) goto 460
c
      do 450 j=1,n
      s=0.0
35 c
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      do 440 k=1,m
440          s=s+u(k,i)*u(k,j)
c ... double division avoids possible underflow
      f=(s/u(i,i))/g
5  c
      do 450 k=i,m
      u(k,j)=u(k,j)+f*u(k,i)
450          continue
      c
10 460          do 470 j=i,m
470          u(j,i)=u(j,i)/g
      c
      goto 490
      c
15 475          do 480 j=i,m
480          u(j,i)=0.0
      c
490          u(i,i)=u(i,i)+1.0
500          continue
20  c
c diagonalization of the bidiagonal form ...
c for k=n step -1 until 1 do ...
510          do 700 kk=1,n
      kl=n-kk
25          k=kl+1
      its=0
c test for splitting
c for l=k step -1 until 1 do ...
520          do 530 ll=1,k
30          ll=k-ll
      l=ll+1
      if(abs(rv1(l))+anorm.eq.anorm) goto 565
c rv1(l) is always zero, so there is no exit
c through the bottom of the loop ...
35          if(abs(w(ll))+anorm.eq.anorm) goto 540
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```
530          continue
c  cancellation of rvl(1) if 1 greater than 1 ...
540          c=0.0
           s=1.0
5  c
           do 560 i=1,k
           f=s*rvl(i)
           rvl(i)=c*rvl(i)
           if(abs(f)+anorm.eq.anorm) goto 565
10          g=w(i)
           h=sqrt(f*f+g*g)
           w(i)=h
           c=g/h
           s=-f/h
15          if(.not.matu) goto 560
           c
           do 550 j=1,m
           y=u(j,11)
           z=u(j,i)
20          u(j,11)=y*c+z*s
           u(j,i)=-y*s+z*c
           550          continue
           c
           560          continue
25  c  test for convergence ..
           565          z=w(k)
           if(1.eq.k) goto 650
c  shift from bottom 2x2 minor ...
           if(its.eq.30) goto 1000
30          its=its+1
           x=w(1)
           y=w(k1)
           g=rvl(k1)
           h=rvl(k)
35          f=((y-z)*(y+z)+(g-h)*(g+h))/(2.0*h*y)
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```
      g=sqrt(f*f+1.0)
      f=((x-z)*(x+z)+h*(y/(f+sign(g,f))-h))/x
c   next qr transformation ...
      c=1.0
5      s=1.0
c
      do 600 il=1,kl
      i=il+1
      g=rvl(i)
10     y=w(i)
      h=s*g
      g=c*g
      z=sqrt(f*f+h*h)
      rvl(il)=z
15     c=f/z
      s=h/z
      f=x*c+g*s
      g=-x*s+g*c
      h=y*s
20     y=y*c
      if(.not.matv) goto 575
      do 570 j=1,n
      x=v(j,il)
      z=v(j,i)
25     v(j,il)=x*c+z*s
      v(j,i)=-x*s+z*c
570     continue
c
575     z=sqrt(f*f+h*h)
30     w(il)=z
c   rotation can be arbitrary if z is zero ...
      if(z.eq.0.0) goto 580
      c=f/z
      s=h/z
35 580     f=c*g+s*y
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```

      x=-s*g+c*y
      if(.not.matu) goto 600
c
      do 590 j=1,m
5      y=u(j,il)
      z=u(j,i)
      u(j,il)=y*c+z*s
      u(j,i)=-y*s+z*c
      590      continue
10     c
      600      continue
c
      rv1(1)=0.0
      rv1(k)=f
15     w(k)=x
      goto 520
c convergence ...
      650      if(z.ge.0.0) goto 700
c w(k) is made non-negative ...
20     w(k)=-z
      if(.not.matv) goto 700
c
      do 690 j=1,n
      690      v(j,k)=-v(j,k)
25     c
      700      continue
c
      goto 1001
c set error .. no convergence to a singular value
30     c after 30 iterations ...
      1000      ierr=k
      1001      return
      end
35 c-----
```



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```

subroutine sort(n,s,id)
dimension s(0:49),id(0:49)
c
5 c   array id contains index of array s after
      sorting permutation
c
do 20 i=0,n-1
      id(i)=i
10 20 continue

do 30 j=1,n-1
      v=s(j)
      idv=id(j)
15 do 40 i=0,j-1
          if(v.lt.s(i)) goto 40
          do 50 k=i,j-1
              il=j+i-k
              i2=il-1
20          s(il)=s(i2)
              id(il)=id(i2)
50          continue
          s(i)=v
          id(i)=idv
25          go to 30
40          continue
30          continue

return
end
30

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C-----

```

subroutine ifile(ir,iw,iui,lform,lrec)
35 character*32          fnamei

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```

    call picnam(ir,iw,l,'i',fnamei)
    call picopn(iui,fnamei,lrec,'old',' ')
c    !readonly
5
    return
    end

c-----
10
    subroutine ofile(ir,iw,iuo,lform,lrec)

    character*32      fnameo

15    call picnam(ir,iw,l,'o',fnameo)
    call picopn(iuo,fnameo,lrec,'new',' ')

    return
    end

20
c-----

    subroutine wfile(ir,iw,iuw,modew,nbe,wt,sum)

25    character*32 text,wname

    dimension wt(0:nbe-1)

    write(iw,402)
30 402    format(' weight option(-1:2)'
1,/, ' -1: pre weighting'
1,/, ' 0: no weighting'
1,/, ' 1: post weighting'
1,/, ' 2: pre and post weighting'
35 1,/, ' weight mode ?')
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```
      read(ir,*) modew
c408      format(i)

      if(modew.ne.0) then
5
      text='1-dim weight file'
      call ascnam(ir,iw,text,wname)
      call ascopn(iuw,wname,'old',' ')

10      read(iuw,*) nbew,idum,idum,idum,gsigma,dummy
           if(nbew.ne.nbe) then
           write(iw,*) 'nbe.ne.nbew'
           stop
           endif

15      do 801 i=0,nbe-1
           read(iuw,*) iorder,wt(i)
c424      format(lx,i5,e15.5)
801      continue
c      enddo          !loop i

20      sum=0.
           do 802 i=0,nbe-1
           sum=sum+wt(i)
802      continue
25 c      enddo          !loop i

           endif
c      !modew ?

30      return
      end

c-----

35      subroutine picsiz(ir,iw,mode,nc,ne,nl)
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```

character*1 mode

if(mode.eq.'i'.or.mode.eq.'I') then
5  1  write(iw,2)
      2  format(' input image size: colors,
                elements,lines ?')
else if(mode.eq.'o'.or.mode.eq.'O') then
write(iw,4)
10  4  format(' output image size: colors,
                elements,lines ?')
endif

read(ir,*) nc,ne,nl
15

write(iw,20) nc,ne,nl
20  format(' picsiz: nc,ne,nl = ',3i7)

return
20  end

-----c-----
subroutine recsiz(ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)

25  1  write(iw,10)
      10  format(' format 69 or 81 or 99(sun) or 77
                (cray) (i) ?')
read(ir,*) lform

30  if(lform.eq.69) then
      lrec=ne
      else if(lform.eq.77) then
      lrec=ne*8
      else if(lform.eq.99) then
35  lrec=ne*4

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c      !since sun recordlength is in bytes
      else if(lform.eq.81) then
        lrec=((ne*4-1)/512+1)*512/4
c      !(ne*4) bytes
5      endif
      write(iw,20) lform,lrec
20     format(' recsiz: lform = ',i5,' lrec =
           ',i5)

10     return
      end

c-----
15     subroutine winsiz(ir,iw,ne,nl,ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh)

10     write(iw,12)
12     format(' window size: ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh ?')
      read(ir,*) ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh
20

      if(ixl.eq.0.and.ixh.eq.0) then
        ixl=0
        ixh=ne-1
      endif
25 c      !ixl,ixh

      if(iyl.eq.0.and.iyh.eq.0) then
        iyl=0
        iyh=nl-1
30     endif
c      !iyl,iyh

      write(iw,20) ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh
20     format(' window: ixl,ixh,iyl,iyh = ',4i5)
35

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```
return
end
```

```
C-----
5  subroutine boxsiz(ir,iw,ix0,iy0,nx,ny)

    write(iw,10)
10  format(' ix0,iy0,nx,ny ?')
    read(ir,*) ix0,iy0,nx,ny
10

    write(iw,20) ix0,iy0,nx,ny
20  format(' boxsiz: ix0,iy0,nx,ny = ',4i5)

    return
15  end
```

```
C-----

20  subroutine xyorig(ir,iw,ix0,iy0)

    write(iw,10)
10  format(' ix0,iy0 ?')
    read(ir,*) ix0,iy0

25  write(iw,20) ix0,iy0
20  format(' xyorig: ix0,iy0 = ',2i5)

    return
    end
```

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30  C-----

    subroutine blksiz(ir,iw,nbe,nbl)

    write(iw,10)
35 10 format(' block size nbe,nbl ?')
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```
      read(ir,*) nbe,nbl

      write(iw,20) nbe,nbl
20      format(' blksiz: nbe,nbl = ',2i5)
5
      return
      end

-----c-----
10
      subroutine smplx(iw,ixsmpl,iysmpl)

      write(iw,10)
10      format(' sampling ixsmpl,iysmpl ?')
15      read(ir,*) ixsmpl,iysmpl

      write(iw,20) ixsmpl,iysmpl
20      format(' smplx: ixsmpl,iysmpl = ',2i5)

20      return
      end

-----c-----

25      subroutine picnam(ir,iw,nfiles,mode,fname)

      character*1 mode
      character*32 fname(0:nfiles-1)

30      do 1 ifile=0,nfiles-1

      if(mode.eq.'i'.or.mode.eq.'I') then
      write(iw,22) ifile
22      format(lx,i3,'th input picture file
35      (a32) ?')
```

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```
else if (mode.eq.'o'.or.mode.eq.'O') then
write(iw,24) ifile
24   format(lx,i3,'th output picture file
      (a32) ?')
5     endif
c     !mode?

      read(ir,25) fname(ifile)
25   format(a32)
10  1   continue

      return
      end

15  c-----

      subroutine picopn(iu,fname,lrec,status,com)

      character*1 com
20   character*3 status
      character*32 fname
      data iw/6/

      if(com.eq.'s'.or.com.eq.'S') then
25   open(unit=iu,file=fname,access='sequential',
        recl=lrec)
      else
      open(unit=iu,file=fname,access='direct',
30   recl=lrec)
      endif

      write(iw,30) fname
30   format(' picopn: file = ',a32)

35   return
```



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end

c-----

```
5      subroutine ascopn(iu,fname,status,com)

      character*1 com
      character*3 status
      character*32 fname
10     data iw/6/

      open(unit=iu,file=fname)

      write(iw,30) fname
15 30   format(' ascopn: file = ',a32)

      return
      end
```

20 c-----

```
      subroutine ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname)

      character*32 text,fname
25

      write(iw,10) text
10     format(lx,a32,' name (a32) ?')
      read(ir,12) fname
12     format(a32)

30

      return
      end
```

35 c-----

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```
subroutine clasc(n,text)

character*1 text(0:n-1)

5   do 1 i=0,n-1
    text(i)=' '
1   continue

    return
10  end

c-----
c   read and write routines
c-----

15

subroutine rdlin(iu,n,buf,com,irec)

character*1 com
dimension buf(0:0)

20

if(com.eq.'s'.or .com.eq.'S') then
read(iu) (buf(i),i=0,n-1)
else
25 read(iu),rec=irec) (buf(i),i=0,n-1)
endif

return
end

30 c-----

subroutine wrlin(iu,n,buf,com,irec)

character*1 com
35 dimension buf(0:0)
```

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```

    if(com.eq.'s'.or .com.eq.'S') then
    write(iu) (buf(i),i=0,n-1)
    else
5      write(iu,rec=irec) (buf(i),i=0,n-1)
    endif

    return
    end
10
c-----

    subroutine ptr0(n,lp)

15      dimension lp(0:0)

        do 1 i=0,n-1
          lp(i)=i
          1      continue
20      c      !loop i

        return
        end

25 c-----

    subroutine ptr(n,lp)

c      rotate the pointer by one
30 c      lp(0) will have the oldest data
c      lp(n-1) will have the newest data
c      first lp(0)=0, lp(1)=1,lp(2)=2,lp(3)=3,.....
c      then lp(0)=1,lp(1)=2,lp(2)=3,lp(3)=4,.....

35      dimension lp(0:0)
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```

    ll=lp(0)
c    !save

5    do 1 i=0,n-2
    lp(i)=lp(i+1)
1    continue
c    !enddo      !loop i

10   lp(n-1)=ll

    return
    end

15  c-----
c    arithmetic operation
c-----

    subroutine addc(n,c,z)
20
    dimension z(0:n-1)

    do 1 i=0,n-1
    z(i)=z(i)+c
25  1  continue
c    !enddo

    return
    end

30  c-----

    subroutine clr(n,z)

35  dimension z(0:0)
```

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```
do 1 i=0,n-1
z(i)=0.
  continue
5
return
end
c-----

10  subroutine movxs(n,ixs,buf,pic)

      dimension buf(0:0),pic(0:0)

      if(ixs.eq.1) then
15      do 1 i=0,n-1
          pic(i)=buf(i)
          continue
1
      else
c          !sample buf and put into pic
20      do 2 i=0,n-1
          pic(i)=buf(i*ixs)
          continue
2
      endif

25      return
      end

c-----

30  subroutine movxsi(n,ixs,pic,buf)

      dimension pic(0:0),buf(0:0)

      if(ixs.eq.1) then
35      do 1 i=0,n-1
```

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```
          buf(i)=pic(i)
1         continue
          else
c           !put pic into sampled buf
5         do 2 i=0,n-1
          buf(i*ixs)=pic(i)
2         continue
          endif
10        return
          end
```

-----

```
15        subroutine mulcy(n,c,y,z)

          dimension y(0:0),z(0:0)

          do 1 i=0,n-1
20        z(i)=z(i)+c*y(i)
1         continue
c         !loop z

          return
25        end
```

-----

```
30        subroutine clrx(n,data)

          dimension data(0:0)

          do 1 i=0,n-1
35        data(i)=0.
1         continue
```

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```

c      loop i

      return
      end
5
c-----

      subroutine dskdiv(iu1,iu2,lrec,buf,ne,nl,
10                      fdiv)
c      read a direct access file,
c      divide each pixel by fdiv and
c      write back

15      dimension buf(0:0)

      do 1 irec=1,nl
      read(iu1,rec=irec) (buf(i),i=0,ne-1)
          do 2 i=0,ne-1
20              buf(i)=buf(i)/fdiv
          2          continue
c      loop i
      write(iu2,rec=irec)
      (buf(i),i=0,ne-1)231          continue
25 c      loop irec

      return
      end

30

35
```

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APPENDIX G  
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5 C SHARPENING AND NOISE SUPPRESSION BY SINGULAR  
VALUE DECOMPOSITION

C SVD\_MOVE.FOR -- SVD WITH MOVING AVERAGE

10 C link with svd\_util.f

C DEC-20-88

C maximum svd block size: 40x40

15 dimension bufi(0:1999,0:39)  
dimension bufo(0:1999,0:39)  
dimension a(0:39,0:39),u(0:39,0:39),  
v(0:39,0:39)

20 dimension wt(0:39)

dimension fc(0:39,dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)

25 data ir,iw/5,6/

data iui,iuo,iun/51,52,53/  
data iuw/61/  
data a,u,v/1600\*0.,1600\*0.,1600\*0./  
data wt/40\*0./

30 data fc,dfc,ratio/40\*0.,40\*0.,40\*0./

C NBE: # of elements per block (BLOCK SIZE)

C NE: number of pixels per linbe (e.g. 500  
pixels)

35 C NL: number of linbes of the image



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```
c      ixsmpl,iysmpl : sampling in x and y directions

c      INPUT

5  c      define image size : nc,ne,nl
      call picsiz (ir,iw,'I',nc,ne,nl)

c      define image record size
      call recsiz (ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)
10

c      open input image file
      call ifile (ir,iw,iui,lform,lrec)

c      read noise data file
15  call nfile (ir,iw,iun,nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,fc,
      dfc,ratio)

c      open output image file
      call ofile (ir,iw,iuo,lform,lrec)
20

c      get pre/post processing weights
      call wfile (ir,iw,iuw,modew,nbe,wt,sum)

      write (iw,122)
25 122  format (' Starting IX0,IY0 ?')
      read (ir,*) ix0,iy0

c      block orientation mode = 0 (0 or 90 degree)
      modeb=0
30

      write (iw,140)
140  format(' idx,idy: No. of pixels to be moved '
1, 'in X and Y directions'/)
      read (ir,*)idx,idy
35
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```
write (iw,151)
151 format (' Boost formula'
3,/, ' 6: THRESHOLD1 ,EXP(-A*X**4) AND FMIN,
      FMAX')
5
write (iw,152)
152 format (' Boost FORMULA(I) ?')
read (ir,*) iform
10
write (iw,162)
162 format (" THRSH1(R),POWER(R),FMIN,FMAX,
      COEFF(FOR 6:) ?')
read (ir,*) thrsh1,power,fmin,fmax,coeff
15
msize = ixsmpl*(nbe-1)+1
nbsize = ixsmpl*nbe
nbsiz2 = ixsmpl*nbe/2
nxmove = nbsize/idx
nymove = nbsize/idy
20
write (iw,202)nbe,ix0,iy0,ixsmpl,iysmpl
1      ,msize,nbsize,idx,idy,nxmove,nymove
if (mode.ne.0) then
25   write (iw,204) modew,sum
endif
202 format (' MAIN: NBE,IXO,IYO = ',T30,3I8
1,/, ' MAIN: IXSMPL,IYSMPL = ',T30,2I8
30 2,/, ' MAIN: SUPPORT SIZE = 'T30,I8
3,/, ' MAIN: NBE*IXSMPL = ',T30,I8
4,/, ' MAIN: IDX,IDY = ',T30,2I8
5,/, ' MAIN: NX ,NY = ',T30,2I8)
204 format (' MODEW, SUM OF WEIGHTS = ',I5,E15.5)
35
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```

do 305, mj = 0, nymove-1
  jy0 = iy0+mj*idy
  do 305, mi = 0, nxmove-1
    jx0 = ix0+mi*idx
5      mseq = mj*nxmove+mi
      call hui (nsvd, ir, iw, iui, iuo, nc, ne, nl, nbe,
                ixsmpl, iysmpl
1          , bufi, bufo, a, u, v, fc, dfc, ratio
2          , iform, thrshl, coeff, power, fmin,
10         fmax
3          , jx0, jy0, idx, idy, mseq, modew, wt,
                lrec)

      if (mseq.eq.mseq/10*10) then
15         write (iw, 304) mi, mj
304        format (1X, ' MAIN: BLOCK X,Y = ', 2I5, '
                DONE')
      endif
305     continue
20     write(iw, 333) nsvd
333     format(1X, ' *** total number of svd called :
           ', i10)
C     ALL THE SUM IS ACCUMULATED IN OUTPUT FILE
     READ IT AND DIVIDE BY NXMOVE*NYMOVE
25

     denom = float(nxmove*nymove)
     if (modew.eq.1.or.modew.eq.2) then
       denom = (sum*sum*denom)/(nbe*nbe)
     endif
30

     call dskdiv (iuo, iuo, lrec, bufo, ne, nl, denom)

     close (iui)
     close (iuo)
35

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end

C-----

```

5      subroutine hui(nsvd,ir,iw,iui,iuo,nc,ne,nl,
          nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl

1          ,bufi,bufo,a,u,v,fc,dfc,ratio
2          ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax
10     3          ,jx0,jy0,idx,idy,mseq,modew,wt,lrec)

C      GIVEN JXO,JYO(STARTING POINT), IT WILL MAKE
          IXSMPL*IYSMPL
C      MOVES OF BLOCK TRANSFORM

15     C      THIS SUBROUTINE DOES ALL THE ACTUAL
          PROCESSING
C      MAIN PROGRAM JUST SETS UP ARRAY SIZES FOR A
          GIVEN PICTURE.

20     dimension  bufi(0:ne-1,0:nbe-1)
          dimension  bufo(0:ne-1,0:nbe-1)
          dimension  a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
          dimension  u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),
25           v(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
          dimension  work(100)
          dimension  fc(0:39),dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)
          dimension  id(0:39),sigma(0:39)
          dimension  wt(0:nbe-1)

30     n          = nbe
          m          = nbe
          nm         = nbe
          nbrxs     = nbe*ixsmpl
35

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nxtry    = (ne-jx0-nbe)/nbrxs-1
nytry    = (nl-jy0-nbe)/nbrxs
if (((nytry-1)*nbrxs+nbe).gt.nl) then
  nytry = nytry-1
5  endif
lextra = nl-nytry*nbrxs-jy0

if (mseq.eq.0) then
  write (iw,802) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,
10  1      iform,thrshl,power,fmin,fmax,coeff
802      format (' HUI:nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl=',3i5,/,
1      ', ' boost formula, thrshl,power,fmin,fmax,
        coeff = '
2      ,/,lx,I5,5E15.5)

15  endif

c  skip jy0 lines
  if (jy).ge.1)then
20  do 840, iy = 0,jy0-1
    irec = iy+1
    read (iui,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
    write (iuo,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
840  continue
25  endif

c  processing the input image block by block

do 910, iy = 0,nytry-1
30  line1 = jy0+1+iy*nbrxs

    do 910, iys = 0,iysmpl-1
      line2 = line1+iys

35  c  read in nbe lines from the input image into

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      bufi

      do 850, j = 0,nbe-1
        linei = line2+j*iysmpl
5      read (iui,rec=linei) (bufi(i,j),i=0,ne-1)

c      if it is a first path :
c          initialize the output buffer -- bufo
c      otherwise : read in output buffer -- bufo
10
        if (mseq.eq.0) then
          do 845, jj = 0,nbe-1
            do 845,ii = 0,ne-1
              bufo(ii,jj) = 0.
15 845      continue
          else if (mseq.ne.0) then
            read (iuo,rec=linei) (bufo(i,j),i=0,ne-1)
            endif
20 850      continue

c      set up array a(i,j)

      do 900, ix = 0,nxtry-1
        ixoff1 = jx0+nbrxs*ix
25
        do 900, ixs = 0,ixsmp1-1
          ixoff2 = ixoff1+ixs+(nbe/2)*ixsmp1
            do 860, j = 0,nbe-1
              do 860, i = 0,nbe-1
30 860      ii = ixoff2+i*ixsmp1
              a(i,j) = bufi(ii,j)
            continue

      call svd (nm,m,n,a,sigma,.true.,u,.true.,v,
35      ierr,work)

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nsvd=nsvd+1

if (ierr.ne.0) then
  write (iw,20) ix,iy,ierr
5  20  format (' TROUBLE. IX,IY,IERR= ',3I6)
      do 865, l = 0,nbe-1
          write (iw,22) l,sigma(1)
22     format (lx,i3,'th singular value =
           ',E15.5)
10  865  continue
      do 866 i=0,ierr-1
          sigma(i)=0.
866     continue
      endif

15
      c      sort sigma(==singular values) in descending
           order

           call sort (nbe,sigma,id)
20  c
      c      SIGMA(I,L(ID)): Ith SINGULAR VALUE

      C      COMPUTE NEW A(I,J) ACCORDING TO CORING FORMULA
      C      (IFORM) FROM
25  C      SIGMA, U, AND V.

           call newaij (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
           fc,dfc,ratio
30  l      ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)

           if (modew.eq.-1) then
               do 885, j = 0,nbe-1
                   do 885, i = 0,nbe-1
                       a(i,j) = a(i,j)/wt(i)/wt(j)
35  885  continue

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    else if (modew.eq.1) then
      do 890, j = 0,nbe-1
      do 890, i = 0,nbe-1
        a(i,j) = a(i,j)*wt(i)*wt(j)
5  890      continue
      endif

C      UPDATE OUTPUT BUFFER : BUFO

10      do 895, j = 0,nbe-1
        jj = j
        do 895, i = 0,nbe-1
          ii = ixoff2+1*ixsmp1
          bufo(ii,jj) = bufo(ii,jj)+a(i,j)
15  895      continue

        900      continue

C      WRITE LINES OUT TO DISK (AFTER NN LINES, MM
20      BLOCKS ARE PROCESSED)

        do 905, j = 0,nbe-1
          lineo = line2+j*iysmp1
          write (iuo,rec+lineo) (bufo(i,j),i=0,ne-1)
25  905      continue

        910      continue

C      WRITE OUT REMAINING LINES
30

        if (lextra.gt.0) then
          line3 = nl=lextra+1
          do 915, iy = 0,lextr-1
            irec = line3+iy
35          read (iui,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
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          write (iuo,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
915      continue
        endif
5        return
        end

C-----

10      subroutine newaij (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
          fc,dfc,ratio
          l,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)

          logical first
15      dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
          dimension sigma(0:nbe-1,id(0:nbe-1))
          dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
          0:nbe-1)
          dimension fc(0:39),dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)
20
          data first/.true./

          if(first) then
          write (iw,8888) iform,thrshl,power,fmin,
25          fmax,coeff
8888      format (' newaij: iform,t1,p,t2,c =
          ',i5,4f6.2)
          first=.false.
          endif

30      do 100, j = 0,nbe-1
          do 100, i = 0,nbe-1
          a(i,j) = 0.
100      continue
35

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```
c      determine threshold formula

      if(iform.eq.6) then
      call iform6(ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,fc,
5         dfc,ratio
      l,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)
      endif

      return
10     end

c-----
c      Boost formula 6

15     subroutine iform6 (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
      fc,dfc,ratio
      l,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax)

      dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
20     dimension sigma(0:nbe-1),id(0:nbe-1)
      dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
      0:nbe-1)
      dimension fc(0:39),dfc(0:39),ratio(0:39)

25     do 120, l = 0,nbe-1

c      depending on IFORM choose threshold level

      ff = 1.

30     if (sigma(l).ge.0.) then
      zz = (sigma(l)-fc(l))/dfc(l)

      if (zz.le.thrshl) then
35     ff = fmin
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```
else if (zz.gt.thrsh1) then
  arg = coeff*((zz-thrsh1)**power)
  if (arg.le.0.000000001) then
    delf = delf*(1.+arg)
  else if (arg.gt.0.000000001.and.arg.
    le.10.) then
    delf = delf*(1.-exp(-arg))
  else if (arg.gt.10.) then
    delf = delf
  endif
end of arg ?

ff = fmin + delf
endif

end of (zz...

else if(sigma(1)eq.0.) then
ff=1.

else if (sigma(1).lt.0.) then
  write (iw,505) ix,iy,l,sigma(1)
  format (' ix,iy,l,sigma(1)',3i5,e15.5)
  ff = 1.
endif
end of (sigma(1)...

do 110, j = 0,nbe-1
  do 110, i = 0,nbe-1
    a(i,j) = a(i,j)+ff*sigma(1)*u(i,id(1))*
      v(j,id(1))
  110 continue
120 continue
return
end
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```

c-----
subroutine nfile(ir,iw,iun,nbe,ixsmpl,
5      iysmpl,fc,dfc,ratio)

character*32      text, fname

dimension fc(0:nbe-1),dfc(0:nbe-1),
10      ratio(0:nbe-1)

text='svd noise file for      0 degree'

call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname)
15 call ascopn(iun,fname,'old',' ')

read(iun,*) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl

write(iw,115) fname
20 115      format(' noise file:',a32,/
1 5x,'order',5x,' mean',5x,'sigma',5x,'ratio')

do 802 l=0,nbe-1
read(iun,*) iorder,fc(1),dfc(1),ratio(1)
25 write(iw,116) iorder,fc(1),dfc(1),ratio(1)
116      format(lx,i5,3e15.5)
802      continue
c          end of loop 1
close(unit=iun)
30

return
end

35

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```
5  c      sml_filter.for
   c      generate s,m and l low-pass filters
   c      output filter file names: s.msk -- 3x3
   c                                     m.msk -- 5x5
   c                                     l.msk -- 7x7
10
   c      OCT-26-87

      character*32 fname(0:2)
      dimension s(0:8),ixsmpl(0:2),iysmpl(0:2)
15
      data ir,iw/5,6/
      data iu,iu2/99,98/
      data s/1.,2.,1.,2.,4.,2.,1.,2.,1./
      data fname/'s.msk','m.msk','l.msk'/
20
      data ixsmpl/1,2,4/
      data iysmpl/1,2,4/

      write(iw,10)
10     format(/,' : generates s.msk, m.msk and
25           l.msk '
      l , 'low pass filter files',/))

   c      input

30     sigmax=0.
      sigmay=0.
      nbe=3
      nbl=3

35  c      output
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do 90 l=0,2

    open (unit=iu,file=fname(l))

5      write(iu,102) nbe,nbl,ixsmp1(l),iysmp1(l),
        sigmax,sigmay
102     format(lx,4i5,2e15.5)
        do 50 i=0,nbe*nbl-1
10      write(iu,104) i,s(i)
104     format(lx,i5,e15.5)
50      continue
        close(iu)
90      continue

15      end

20

25

30

35
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## APPENDIX I

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```
5 C      SHARPENING AND NOISE SUPPRESSION BY SINGULAR
      VALUE DECOMPOSITION

      C      SVD_MOVE_3ORI.F -- SVD WITH MOVING AVERAGE
      and 3 ORIENTATIONS

10      C      link with svd_util.f

      C      DEC-20-88

15 C      maximum svd block size : 40x40

      C      WITH THREE MODES:0--STRAIGHT
      C      1-45 DEGREE SLANT
      C      2-135 DEGREE SLANT

20 C      MOVING BLOCK AVERAGE
      C      WITH SAMPLING IXSMPL,IYSMPL
      C      IXO,IYO,AND SCALE FACTOR FOR NOISE
      C      MAXIMUM BLOCK SIZE 40x40

25      dimension bufi(0:1999,0:39)
      dimension bufo(0:1999,0:39)
      dimension a(0:39,0:39),u(0:39,0:39),
      v(0:39,0:39)
      dimension wt(0:39)

30      dimension iun(0:2)
      dimension fc(0:39,0:2),dfc(0:39,0:2),
      ratio(0:39,0:2)

35      data ir,iw/5,6/
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data iui,iuo,iun/51,52,53,54,55/
data iuw/61/
data a,u,v/1600*0.,1600*0.,1600*0./
5 data wt/40*0./
data fc,dfc,ratio/120*0.,120*0.,120*0./

C NBE: # of elements per block (BLOCK SIZE)
C NE: number of pixels per linbe (e.g. 400
10 pixels, or 1136 pixels)
C NL: number of linbes of the image

c INPUT

15 c define image size : nc,ne,nl
call picsiz (ir,iw,'I',nc,ne,nl)

c define image record size
call recsiz (ir,iw,ne,lform,lrec)
20

c open input image file
call ifile (ir,iw,iui,lform,lrec)

c read noise data files
25 call nfile (ir,iw,iun,nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,fc,
dfc,ratio)

c open output image file
call ofile (ir,iw,iuo,lform,lrec)
30

c get pre/post processing weights
call wfile (ir,iw,iuw,modew,nbe,wt,sum)

write (iw,122)
35 122 format (' Starting IX0,IY0 ?')
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read (ir,*) ix0,iy0

write (iw,140)
140  format ('NBR: No. of pixels to be replaced in
5      the block'
1/' IDX,IDY: No. of pixels to be moved in X
      and Y directions'/)

write (iw,142)
10 142 format (' NBR,IDX,IDY ?')
      read (ir,*) nbr,idx,idy

c      get block orientation mode
      write (iw,171)
15 171 format (' Block selection mode:'
1,/, ' 0:      0 degree'
1,/, ' 1:      45 degree'
1,/, ' 2:      135 degree'
1,/, ' 3:      best of the above three'
20 1,/, ' MODEB ?')
      read (ir,*) modeb

write (iw,151)
151  format (' Boost formula'
25 3,/, ' 6: THRESHOLD1 , EXP(-A*X**4) AND
      FMIN,FMAX')

write (iw,152)
152  format (' Boost FORMULA(I) ?')
30  read (ir,*) iform

write (iw,162)
162  format (' THRSH1(R),POWER(R),FMIN,FMAX,
      COEFF(FOR 6:) ?')
35  read (ir,*) thrsh1,power,fmin,fmax,coeff
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msize = ixsmpl*(nbe-1)+1
nbsize = ixsmpl*nbe
nbsiz2 = ixsmpl*nbe/2
5   nxmove = nbsize/idx
    nymove = nbsize/idy

write (iw,202) nbr,ix0,iy0,ixsmpl,iysmpl
10  1      ,msize,nbsize,idx,idy,nxmove,
    nymove

    if (modew.ne.0) then
        write (iw,204) modew,sum
    endif

15
204  format (' MAIN: NBR,IX0,IY0, = ',%30,3I8
    1,/, ' MAIN: IXSMPL,IYSMPL = ',T30,2I8
    1,/, ' MAIN: SUPPORT SIZE = ',T30,I8
    1,/, ' MAIN: NBE*IXSMPL = T30,I8
20  1,/, ' MAIN: IDX,IDY = ',T30,2I8)
    2,/, ' MAIN: NX ,NY = 'T30,2I8)
204  format (' MODEW, SUM OF WEIGHTS = ',I5,E15.5)

do 305, mj = 0,nymove-1
25  jy0 = iy0+mj*idy
    do 305, mi = 0,nxmove-1
        jx0 = ix0+mi*idx
        mseq = mj*nxmove+mi
        call hui (nsvd,ir,iw,iui,iuo,nc,ne,nl,
30  nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl
1      ,bufi,bufo,lp,a,u,v,fc,dfc,
        ratio
2      ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,
        fmax
35  3      ,jx0,jy0,idx,idy,mseq,nbr,modew,

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                                wt,lrec,modeb)

                                if (mseq.eq.mseq/10*10) then
                                write (iw,304) mi,mj
5  304                          format (lx' MAIN: BLOCK X,Y = '2I5,'
                                DONE')
                                endif
                                305  continue

10                               write(iw,333)nsvd
                                333  format(lx," *** total number of svd called :
                                ',i10)

C                               ALL THE SUM IS ACCUMULATED IN OUTPUT FILE
15 C                            READ IT AND DIVIDE BY NXMOVE*NYMOVE

                                denom = float(nxmove*nymove)
                                if (modew.eq.1.or.modew.eq.2) then
                                denom = (sum*sum*denom)/(nbe*nbe)
20                               endif

                                call dskdiv (iuo,iuo,lrec,bufo,ne,nl,denom)

                                close (iui)
25                               close (iuo)
                                end

C-----
30                               subroutine hui(nsvd,ir,iw,iui,iuo,nc,ne,nl,
                                nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl
1                               ,bufi,bufo,lp,a,u,v,fc,dfc,
                                ratio
2                               ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,
35                              fmin,fmax

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3          ,jx0,jy0,idx,idy,mseq,nbr,
          modew,wt,lrec,modeb)

C      GIVEN JX0,JY0(STARTING POINT), IT WILL MAKE
5      IXSMPL*IYSMPL
C      MOVES OF BLOCK TRANSFORM

C      THIS SUBROUTINE DOES ALL THE ACTUAL
      PROCESSING.
10 C      MAIN PROGRAM JUST SETS UP ARRAY SIZES FOR A
      GIVEN PICTURE.

      dimension bufi(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension bufo(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
15      dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
      dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
          0:nbe-1)
      dimension temps(0:39,0:2),tempu(0:39,0:39,
          0:2)
20      dimension tempv(0:39,0:39,0:2),idtemp(0:39,
          0:2)
      dimension work(100)
      dimension fc(0:39,0:2),dfc(0:39,0:2),
          ratio(0:39,0:2)
25      dimension id(0:39,sigma(0:39))
      dimension wt(0:nbe-1)

      n      = nbe
      m      = nbe
30      nm     = nbe
      nbr2   = (nbe-nbr)/2
      nbr3   = nbr2+nbr
      nbrxs  = nbr*ixsmpl

35      nxtry = (ne=jx0-nbe)/nbrxs-1

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nytry = (nl-jy0-nbe)/nbrxs
if (((nytry-1)*nbrxs+nbe).gt.nl) then
  nytry = nytry-1
endif
5  lextra = nl-nytry*nbrxs-jy0+nbr2

if (mseq.eq.0) then
  write (iw,802) modeb,nbe,nbr,ixsmpl,iysmpl,
1      iform,thrshl,power,fmin,fmax,coeff
10 802 format ('HUI: modeb,nbe,nbr,ixsmpl,iysmpl=
      ',5i5,/
1      ', 'boost formula,thrshl,power,fmin,
      fmax,coeff = '
2  ,/,lx,I5,5E15.5)
15  write (iw,804) lrec,ir,iw,iui,iuo
804 format (' hui: lrec,ir,iw,iui,iuo = ',5i5)

endif

20 c skip jy0 lines

if ((jy0+nbr2).ge.1)then
  do 840, iy = 0,jy0+nbr2-1
  irec = iy+1
25  read (iui,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
  write (iuo,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
840  continue
endif

30 c processing the input image block by block

do 910 iy = 0,nytry-1
  line1 = jy0+1+iy*nbrxs

35  do 910, iys = 0,iysmpl-1

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line2 = line1+iys

c   read in nbe lines from the input image into
    bufi
5
    do 850, j = 0,nbe-1
        linei = line2+j*iysmpl
        read (iui,rec=linei) (bufi(i,j),i=0,ne-1)

10  c   if it is a first path :
    c       initialize the output buffer -- bufo
    c   otherwise: read in output buffer    -- bufo

        if (mseq.eq.0) then
15            do 845, jj = 0,nbe-1
                do 845, ii = 0,ne-1
                    bufo(ii,jj) = 0.
20            845        continue
        else if (mseq.ne.0) then
            read (iuo,rec=linei) (bufo(i,j),i=0,
                ne-1)
        endif
850        continue

25  c   set up array a(i,j)

        do 900, ix = 0,nxtry-1
            ixoff1 = jx0+nbrxs*ix

30            do 900, ixs = 0,ixsmpl-1
                ixoff2 = ixoff1+ixs

        if (modeb.eq.3) then
35            modell = 0
            model2 = 2

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else
  modell = modeb
  model2 = modeb
endif
5
do 875, mode = modell,model2

C COMPUTE SVD FOR 3 MODES:
C 0 : STRAIGHT BLOCK
10 C 1 : 45 DEG SLANT
C 2 : 135 DEG SLANT

if (mode.eq.0) ixoff3 = ixoff2+
  (nbe/2)*ixsmp1
15
if (mode.eq.1) ixoff3 = ixoff2+
  nbe*ixsmp1
if (mode.eq.2) ixoff3 = ixoff2
C
if (mode.eq.0) then
20
  do 860, j = 0,nbe-1
  do 860, i = 0,nbe-1
  ii = ixoff3+i*ixsmp1
  a(i,j) = bufi(ii,j)
25 860 continue
  else if (mode.eq.1) then
  do 861, j = 0,nbe-1
  do 861, i = 0,nbe-1
  ii = ixoff3+i*ixsmp1
30 a(i,j) = bufi(ii-j,j)
861 continue
  else if (mode.eq.2) then
  do 862, j = 0,nbe-1
  do 862, i = 0,nbe-1
35 ii = ixoff3+i*ixsmp1

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871          continue

C
C      SIGMA(I,L(ID)): Ith SINGULAR VALUE
5
875          continue

          if (modeb.eq.0.or.modeb.eq.1.or.modeb.
              eq.2) then
10             kmode = modeb
          else if (modeb.eq.3) then
              call bmode(iw,nbe,temps,fc,dfc,kmode)
          else
15             write (iw,*) ' HUI;MODEB IS NOT RIGHT'
              stop
          endif

          do 880, i = 0,nbe-1
20             sigma(i) = temps(i,kmode)
              id(i) = idtemp(i,kmode)

          do 880, j = 0,nbe-1
              u(i,j) = tempu(i,j,kmode)
              v(i,j) = tempv(i,j,kmode)
25 880          continue

C      COMPUTE NEW A(I,J) ACCORDING TO CORING
              FORMULAR(IFORM) FROM
C      SIGMA, U, AND V.
30

          call newaij (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
              fc,dfc,ratio
1              ,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,
              fmax,kmode)
35
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```

if (modew.eq.-1) then
  do 885, j = 0,nbe-1
  do 885, i = 0,nbe-1
    a(i,j) = a(i,j)/wt(i)/wt(j)
5 885    continue
else if (modew.eq.1) then
  do 890, j = 0,nbe-1
  do 890, i = 0,nbe-1
    a(i,j) = a(i,j)*wt(i)*wt(j)
10 890    continue
endif

C      UPDATE OUTPUT BUFFER : BUFO
C      REPLACE NBR LINES AND ELEMENTS.
15
C      NBR2 = (NBE-NBR)/2,NBR3=NBR2+NBR

if(nbr.le.nbe/2) then
  ixoff4 = ixoff2+(nbe/2)*ixsmpl+nbr2*
20    ixsmpl
  if (kmode.eq.0) then
  do 895, j = 0,nbr-1
    jj = nbr2+j
    do 895, i = 0,nbr-1
25      ii = ixoff4+i*ixsmpl
        bufo(ii,jj) = bufo(ii,jj)+
          a(nbr2+i,jj)
895    continue
  else if (kmode.eq.1) then
30  do 896, j = 0,nbr-1
    jj = nbr2+j
    do 896, i = 0, nbr-1
    ii = ixoff4+i*ixsmpl
    bufo(ii,jj) = bufo(ii,jj)+
35      a(nbe/2-nbr+i+j,jj)

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896      continue
          else if (kmode.eq.2) then
do 897, j = 0,nbr-1
      jj = nbr2+j
5      do 897, i = 0,nbr-1
          ii = ixoff4+i*ixsmpl
          bufo(ii,jj) = bufo(ii,jj)+
              a(nbe/2+i-j,jj)
897      continue
10     endif
c      end of kmode ?

else if(nbr.eq.nbe) then
    if (kmode.eq.0) then
15        ixoff4=ixoff2+(nbe/2)*ixsmpl
        do 995, j = 0,nbr-1
            jj = nbr2+j
            do 995, i = 0,nbr-1
                ii = ixoff4+i*ixsmpl
20                bufo(ii,jj) = bufo(ii,jj)+a(i,j)
995            continue
        else if (kmode.eq.1) then
            ixoff4=ixoff2+nbe*ixsmpl
            do 996, j = 0,nbr-1
25                jj = nbr2+j
                do 996, i = 0,nbr-1
                    ii = ixoff4+i*ixsmpl
                    bufo(ii-j,jj) = bufo(ii-j,jj)+a(i,j)
996                continue
            else if (kmode.eq.2) then
30                ixoff4=ixoff2
                do 997, j = 0,nbr-1
                    jj = nbr2+j
                    do 997, i = 0,nbr-1
35                        ii = ixoff4+i*ixsmpl
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                                bufo(ii+j,jj) = bufo(ii+j,jj)+a(i,j)
997      continue
      endif
c      end of kmode ?
5      else
write(iw,*) ' nbr should be .le.(nbe/2).
           or .eq.nbe'
stop
endif
10 c      end of nbr ?

900      continue

C      WRITE LINES OUT TO DISK (AFTER NN LINES, MM
15      BLOCKS ARE PROCESSED)

do 905, j = nbr2,nbr3-1
lineo = line2+j*iysmpl
write (iuo,rec=lineo) (bufo(i,j),
20      i=0,ne-1)
905      continue

910      continue

25 C      WRITE OUT REMAINING LINES

if (lextra.gt.0) then
line3 = nl-lextra+1
do 915, iy = 0,lextra-1
30      irec = line3+iy
read (iui,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
write (iuo,rec=irec) (bufi(i,0),i=0,ne-1)
915      continue
endif
35

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return
end

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5      C-----
      subroutine newaij (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
          fc,dfc,ratio
1,iform,thrshl,coeff,power,fmin,fmax,kmode)
10     logical first
        dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
        dimension sigma(0:nbe-1),id(0:nbe-1)
        dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),
            v(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
15     dimension fc(0:39,0:2),dfc(0:39,0:2),
            ratio(0:39,0:2)

        data first/.true./

20     if(first) then
        write (iw,8888) iform,thrshl,power,fmin,
            fmax,coeff,kmode
8888     format (' newaij: iform,t1,p,t2,c,
            kmode = ',i5,4f6.2,i5)
25     first=.false.
        endif

        do 100, j = 0,nbe-1
            do 100, i = 0,nbe-1
30         a(i,j) = 0.
100    continue

        if(iform.eq.6) then
35     call iform6(ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
            fc,dfc,ratio

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1,iform,thrsh1,coeff,power,fmin,fmax,kmode)
endif

return
end
5
c-----

subroutine iform6 (ir,iw,nbe,id,a,sigma,u,v,
10 fc,dfc,ratio
1,iform,thrsh1,coeff,power,fmin,fmax,kmode)

dimension a(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1)
dimension sigma(0:nbe-1),id(0:nbe-1)
dimension u(0:nbe-1,0:nbe-1),v(0:nbe-1,
15 0:nbe-1)
dimension fc(0:39,0:2),dfc(0:39,0:2),
ratio(0:39,0:2)

delf = fmax - fmin
20
do 120, l = 0,nbe-1

c depending on IFORM choose boost level

25 ff = 1.

if (sigma(l).gt.0.) then
zz = (sigma(l)-fc(l,kmode))/dfc(l,kmode)

30 if (zz.le.thrsh1) then
ff = fmin
else if (zz.gt.thrsh1) then
arg = coeff*((zz-thrsh1)**power)
if (arg.le.0.000000001) then
35 delf = delf*(1.-arg)

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else if (arg.gt.0.000000001.and.arg.
      5      le.10.) then
      delf = delf*exp(-arg)
      else if (arg.gt.10.) then
      delf = delf
      endif
      c      end of arg ?

      ff = fmin + delf
10      endif
      c      end of (zz...

else if(sigma(1).eq.0.) then
ff=1.
15

else if(sigma(1).lt.0.) then
      write (iw,505) ix,iy,l,sigma(1)
505      format (' ix,iy,l,sigma(1)',3i5,e15.5)
      f = 1.
20      endif
      c      end of (sigma(1)...

      do 110, j = 0,nbe-1
      do 110, i = 0,nbe-1
25      a(i,j) = a(i,j)+ff*sigma(1)*u(i,id(1))*
      v(j,id(1))
110      continue
120      continue
      return
30      end

c-----

subroutine bmode (iw,nbe,temps,fc,dfc,kmode)
35 C      SELECT THE MODE WHICH IS THE BEST

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dimension temps(0:39,0:2)
dimension fc(0:39,0:2),dfc(0:39,0:2)
dimension lzero(0:2),modeid(0:2)
5   dimension zval(0:2)

C   GET THE ORDER WHICH IS CLOSE TO NOISE VALUE

do 110, mode = 0,2
10   lzero(mode) = 0
do 100, l = 0,nbe-1
    zz = (temps(l,mode)-fc(l,mode))/
        dfc(l,mode)
    if (abs(zz).lt.3.5) then
15     lzero(mode) = 1
        go to 110
    endif
110   continue
110   continue
20

C   DETERMINE THE MODE WHICH HAS THE LOWEST ORDER
C   SEE IF ANY OF THE TWO ARE THE SAME

lmin = nbe-1
25   do 120, mode = 0,2
    if (lzero(mode).le.lmin) then
        lmin = lzero(mode)
    endif
120   continue

30   lflag = 0
do 130, mode = 0,2
    if (lzero(mode).eq.lmin) then
35     modeid(lflag) = mode
        lflag = lflag+1

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endif
130 continue

if (lflag.eq.1) then
5   kmode = modeid(0)

else if (lflag.eq.2) then
   call clrx(2,zval)
   do 140, k = 0,1
10  kk = modeid(k)
   do 140, i = 0,1
      zval(k) = zval(k)+temps(i,kk)-
                fc(i,kk))/dfc(i,kk)
140  continue
15

   kmode = modeid(0)
   if (zval(1).gt.zval(0)) kmode = modeid(1)

else if (lflag.eq.3) then
20

   if (modeid(0).eq.0) then
      kmode = 0

   else if (modeid(0).eq.1) then
25  zmax = -999.
      kmode = -1
      do 150, k = 0,2
         zz = (temps(0,k)-fc(0,k))/dfc(0,k)
         if (zz.gt.zmax) then
30  kmode = k
         endif
150  continue

else
35  call clrx(3,zval)
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do 160, k = 0,2
  do 160, l = 0,1
    zval(k) = zval(k)+(temps(1,k)-fc(1,k))/
              dfc(1,k)
5  160    continue

        zmax = -999.
        kmode = -1
        do 165, k = 0,2
10         if (zval(k).gt.zmax) then
            kmode = k
        endif
165        continue

15        endif

        if (kmode.eq.-1) then:
            write (iw,170) (zval(k),k = 0,2)
170         format (' WARNING !!! BMODE: LFLAG = 3,
20             ZVAL =',3F10.2)

            kmode = 0
        endif

        endif

25        return
        end

30  C-----

subroutine norm(ne,nl,buf,denom)

dimension buf(0:ne-1,0:nl-1)

35. do 1 j=0,nl-1

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do 1 i=0,ne-1
  buf(i,j)=buf(i,j)/denom
1    continue

5    return
end

c-----

subroutine nfile(ir,iw,iun,nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl,
10      fc,dfc,ratio)

character*32      text,fname(0:2)

dimension fc(0:nbe-1,0:2),dfc(0:nbe-1,0:2),
15      ratio(0:nbe-1,0:2)
dimension iun(0:2)
c    dimension mode(0:2)

text='svd noise file for      0 degree'
20  call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname(0))
call ascopn(iun(0),fname(0),'old',' ')

text='svd noise file for      45 degree'
call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname(1))
25  call ascopn(iun(1),fname(1),'old',' ')

text='svd noise file for      135 degree'
call ascnam(ir,iw,text,fname(2))
call ascopn(iun(2),fname(2),'old',' ')
30

do 801 ifile = 0,2
read(iun(ifile),*) nbe,ixsmpl,iysmpl
c114  format(3i)
write(iw,115) fname(ifile)
35 115  format(' noise file:',a32,/'
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1 5x,'order',5x,' mean',10x,'sigma',5x,'ratio')

      do 802 l=0, nbe-1
      read(iun(ifile),*) iorder
5     1,fc(l,ifile),dfc(l,ifile),ratio(l,ifile)
      write(iw,116) iorder,fc(l,ifile),dfc(l,ifile),
          ratio(l,ifile)
116     format(lx,i5,3e15.5)
802     continue
10    c         end of loop 1
      close(unit=iun(ifile))

801     continue
c     end of loop ifile
15

      return
      end
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## CLAIMS:

1. A method of processing an image in a digital computer for sharpening the image, comprising the steps of:
  - 5 a. generating a non-linear gain function based upon the measured statistics of the SVD singular values for image noise, said non-linear gain function being characterized by boosting factors applicable wherever there is a high  
10 signal-to-noise ratio;
  - b. filtering the digital image to produce a detail image and a low pass filtered image;
  - c. dividing the detail image into blocks;
  - d. transforming the blocks employing an  
15 SVD transformation to produce singular vectors and arrays of singular values;
  - e. applying the non-linear gain function to the arrays of singular values to produce arrays of modified singular values whereby to boost those  
20 singular values corresponding to a higher signal-to-noise ratio;
  - f. performing an inverse SVD on the singular vectors with modified singular values to produce blocks of processed detail image values;
  - 25 g. combining the processed image detail values with the low pass filtered image values to produce a sharpened digital image.
2. The method of processing a digital image claimed in claim 1, wherein said step of  
30 generating a non-linear gain function comprises the steps of:
  - a. producing a noise digital image having only a noise component;
  - b. filtering the noise digital image to  
35 produce a noise detail image and a low pass filtered

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noise image;

c. dividing the noise detail image into a plurality of blocks;

d. performing an SVD transformation on the  
5 blocks of the noise detail image to produce singular vectors and an array of singular values for each block;

e. calculating the means and standard deviations for respective singular values of the  
10 blocks;

f. generating a non-linear gain function for each of the singular values based upon the respective means and standard deviations.

3. The method of processing a digital  
15 image claimed in claim 1, further including the steps of:

a. operating the method in a plurality of stages, wherein each stage employs blocks overlapping with blocks of another stage;

20 b. generating the processed digital image from the average values of the processed image values from the overlapping blocks, whereby the processed image is generated without visible block structure.

25 4. The method of processing a digital image claimed in claim 1, further including the steps of:

a. operating the method in a stage, wherein said stage employs an image detail signal  
30 representing a certain pass band of spatial frequencies, and generating the process digital image from the processed detail signal from said stage, whereby noise from different sources characterized by certain spatial frequency content  
35 is effectively removed from the image.

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5. The method of processing a digital image claimed in claim 4, further including the steps of:

a. operating the method in a plurality of stages, wherein each stage employs blocks overlapping with blocks of another stage; and

b. generating the processed digital image from the average values of the processed image values from the overlapping blocks, whereby the processed image is generated without a visible block-like structure.

6. The method of processing a digital image claimed in claim 1, further including the steps of:

a. dividing the detail image into blocks having diagonally oriented edges;

b. performing the SVD transform on the diagonally oriented blocks;

c. employing the blocks having the highest singular values for processing the image.

7. The method of processing a digital image claimed in claim 1, wherein the digital image is a color digital image, and wherein the method is applied to each color component of the digital image to produce a processed color digital image.

8. The method of processing a digital image claimed in claim 1, wherein the image is a color digital image having a luminance component and two color components, wherein the method is applied to the luminance component of the digital image to produce a processed color digital image.

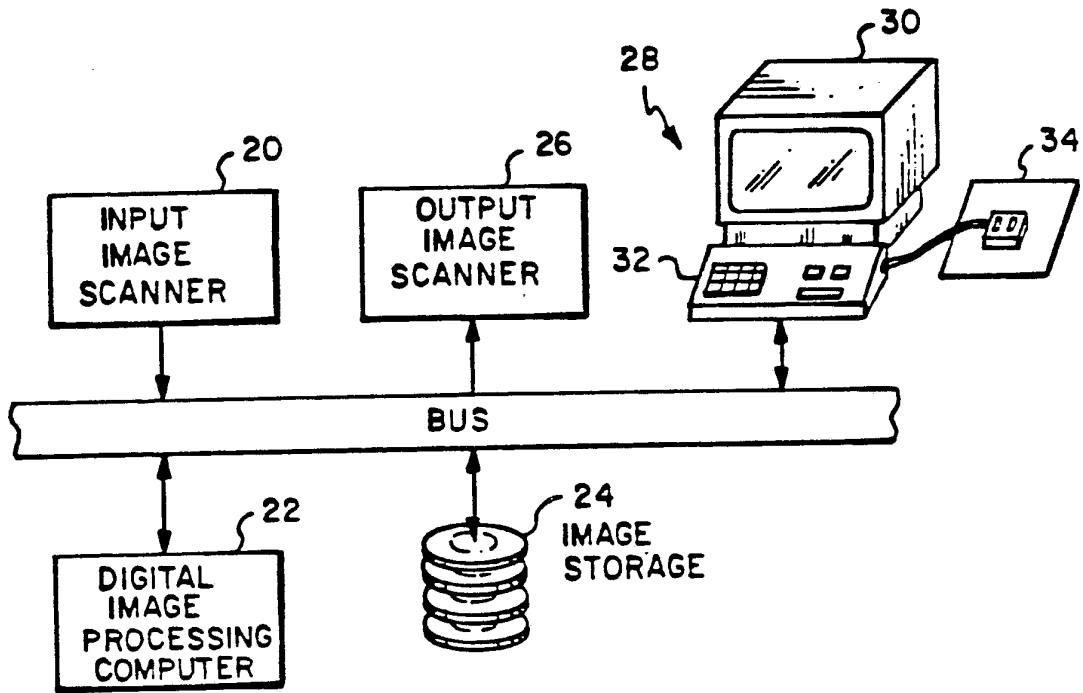


FIG. 1

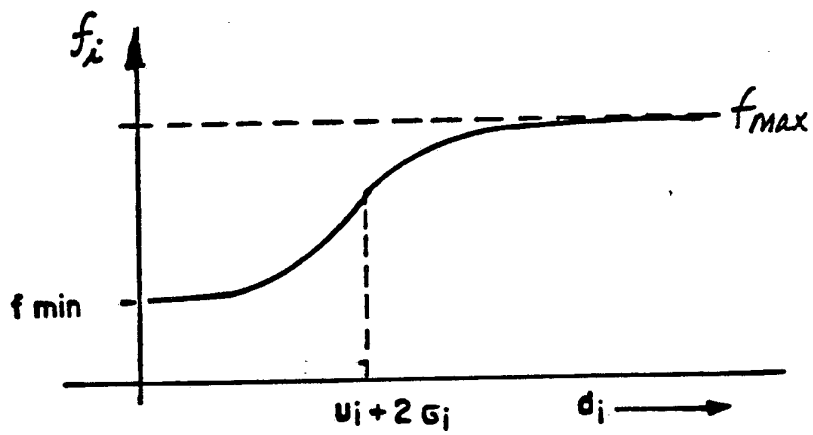
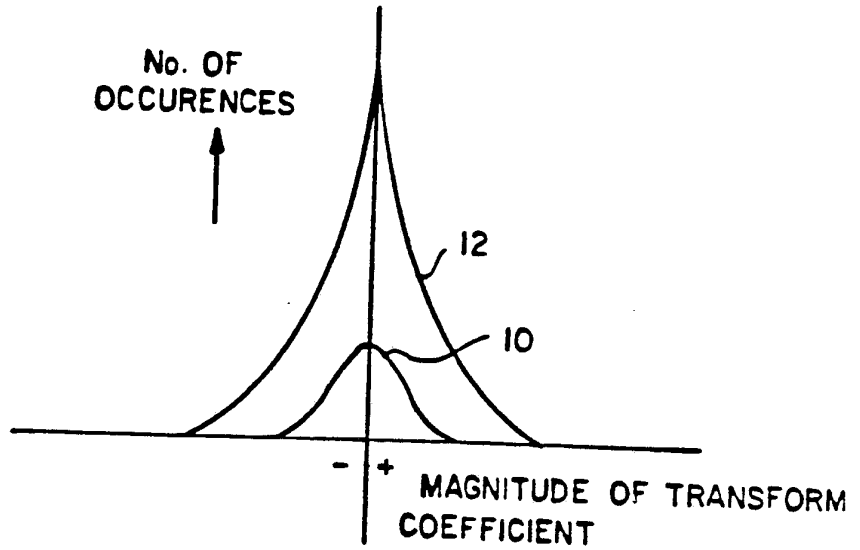


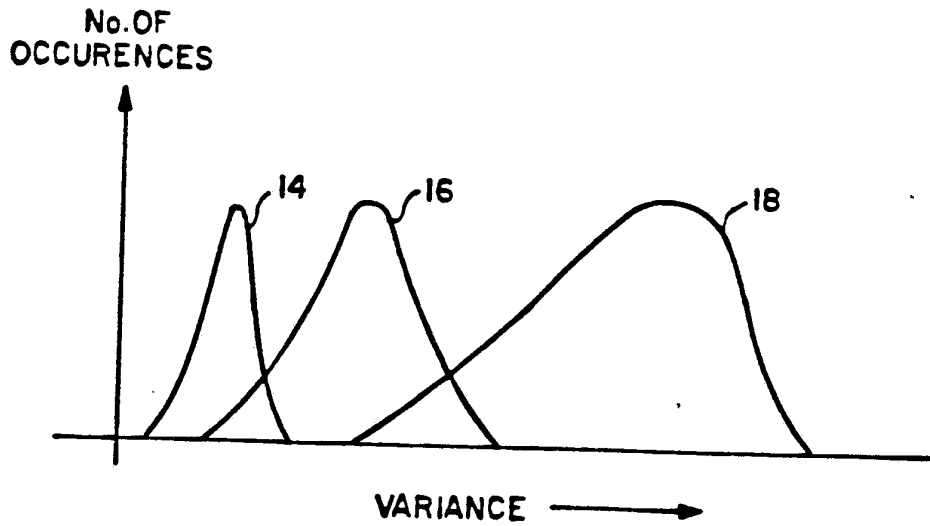
FIG. 6





PRIOR ART

**FIG. 2**



**FIG. 3**

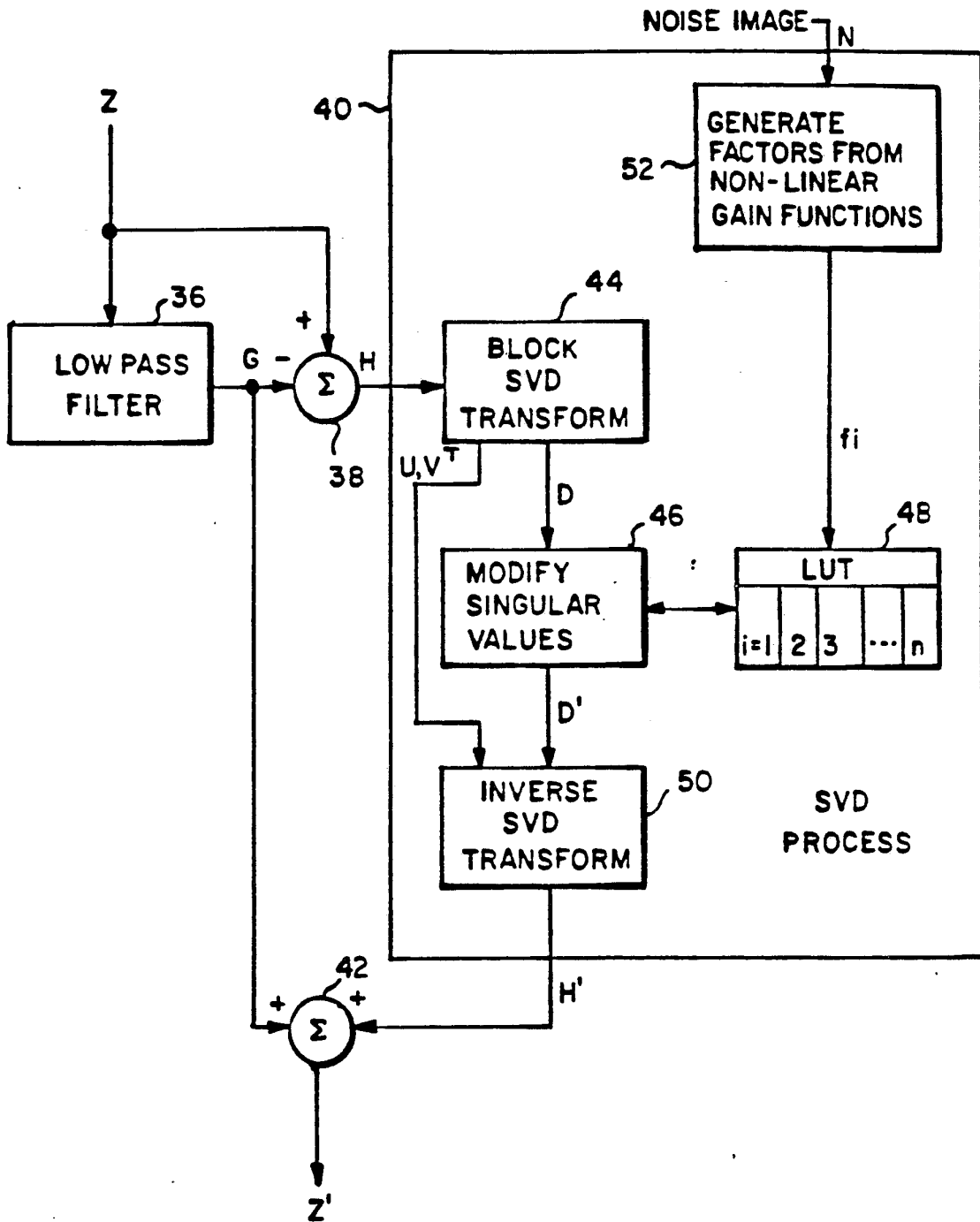
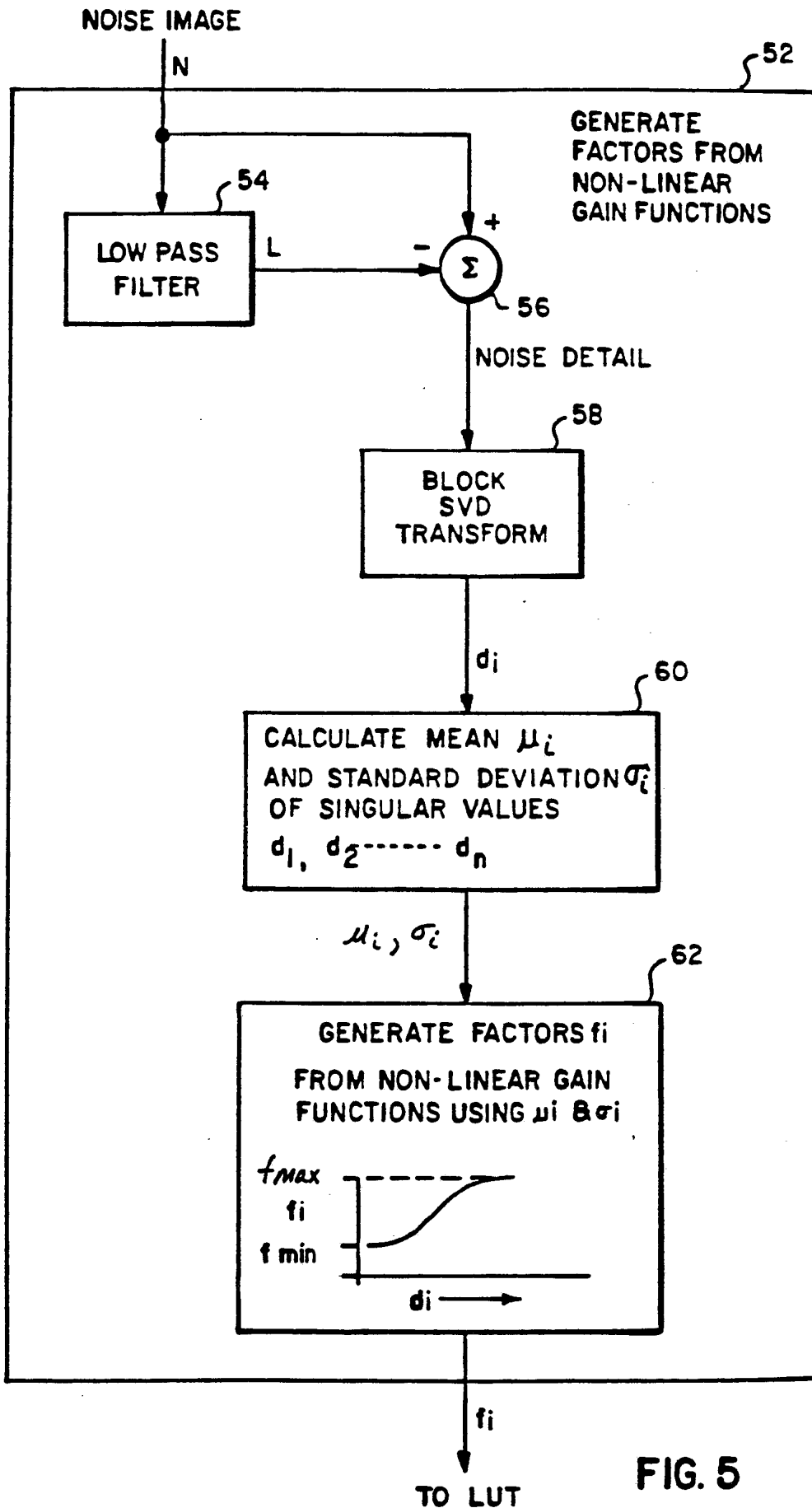


FIG. 4



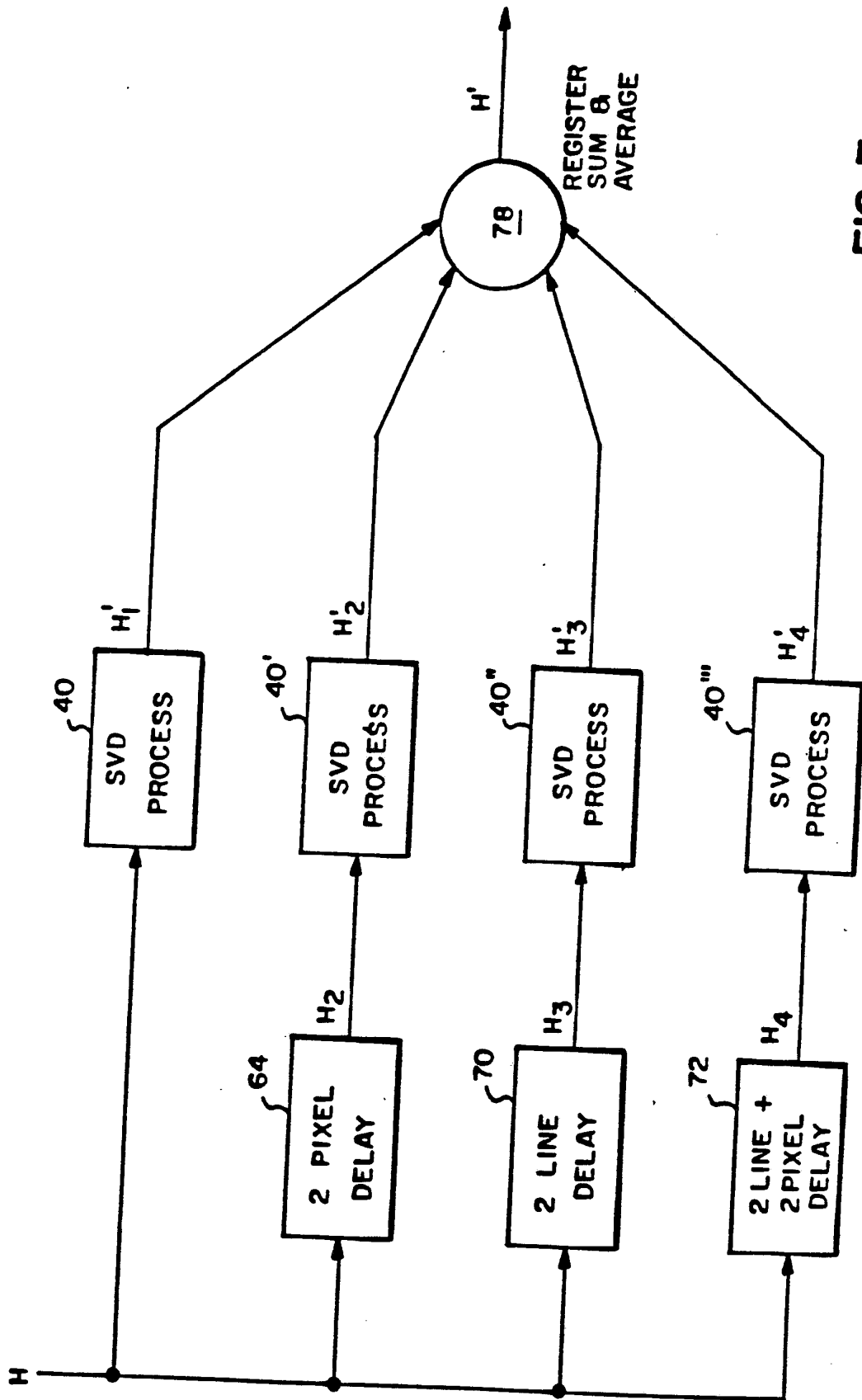


FIG. 7

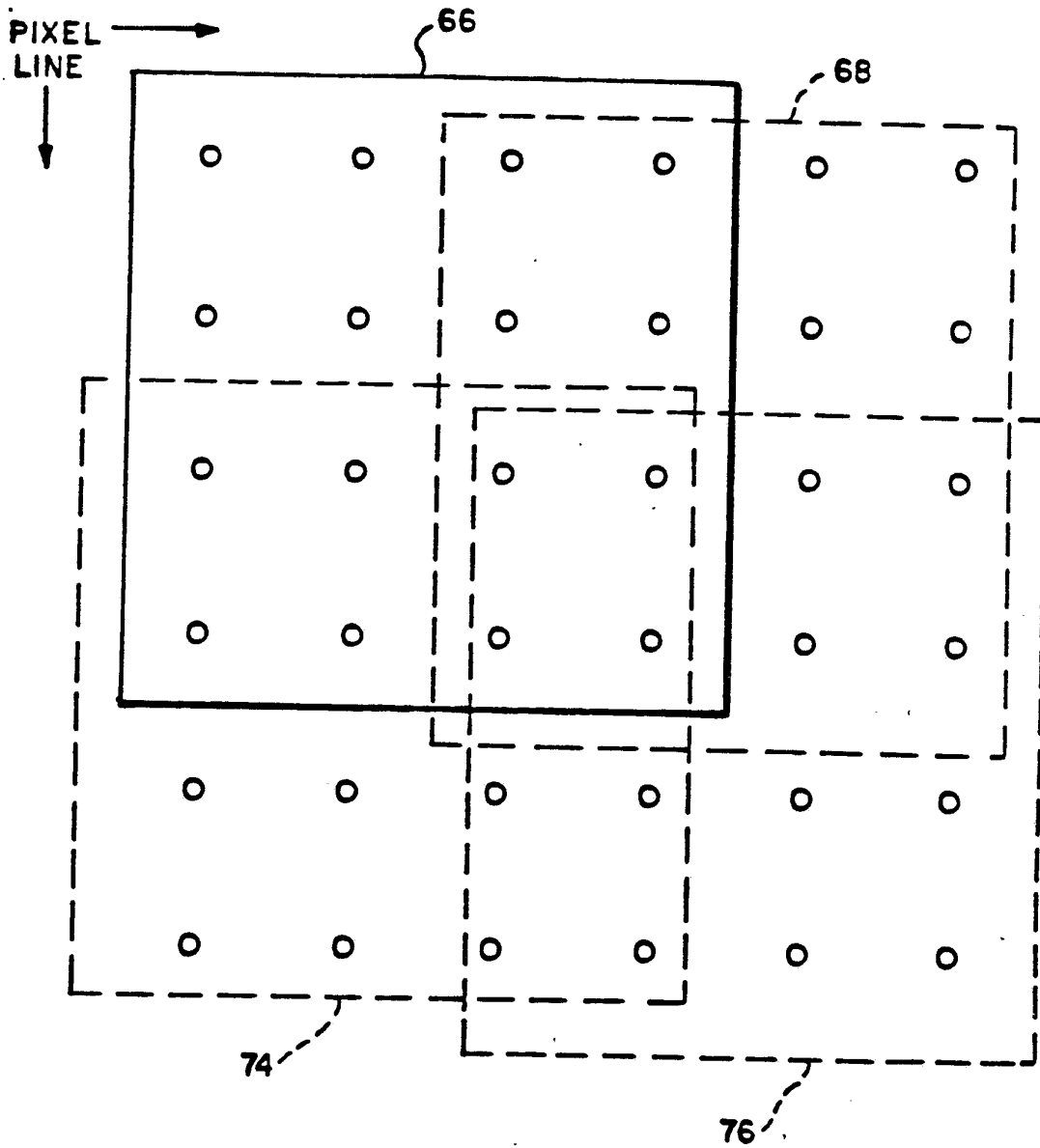


FIG. 8

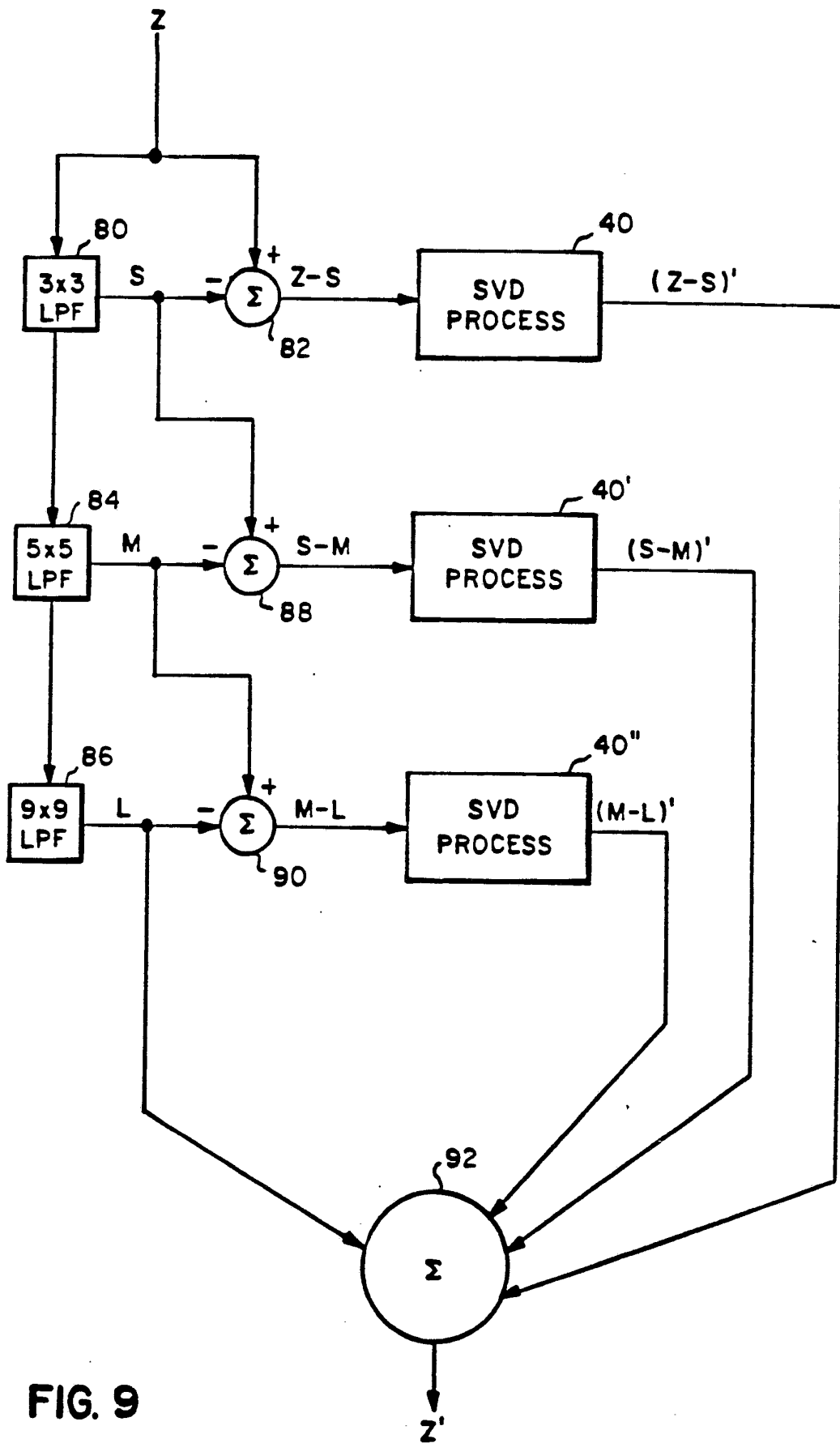


FIG. 9

1	2	1
2	4	2
1	2	1

FIG. 10a

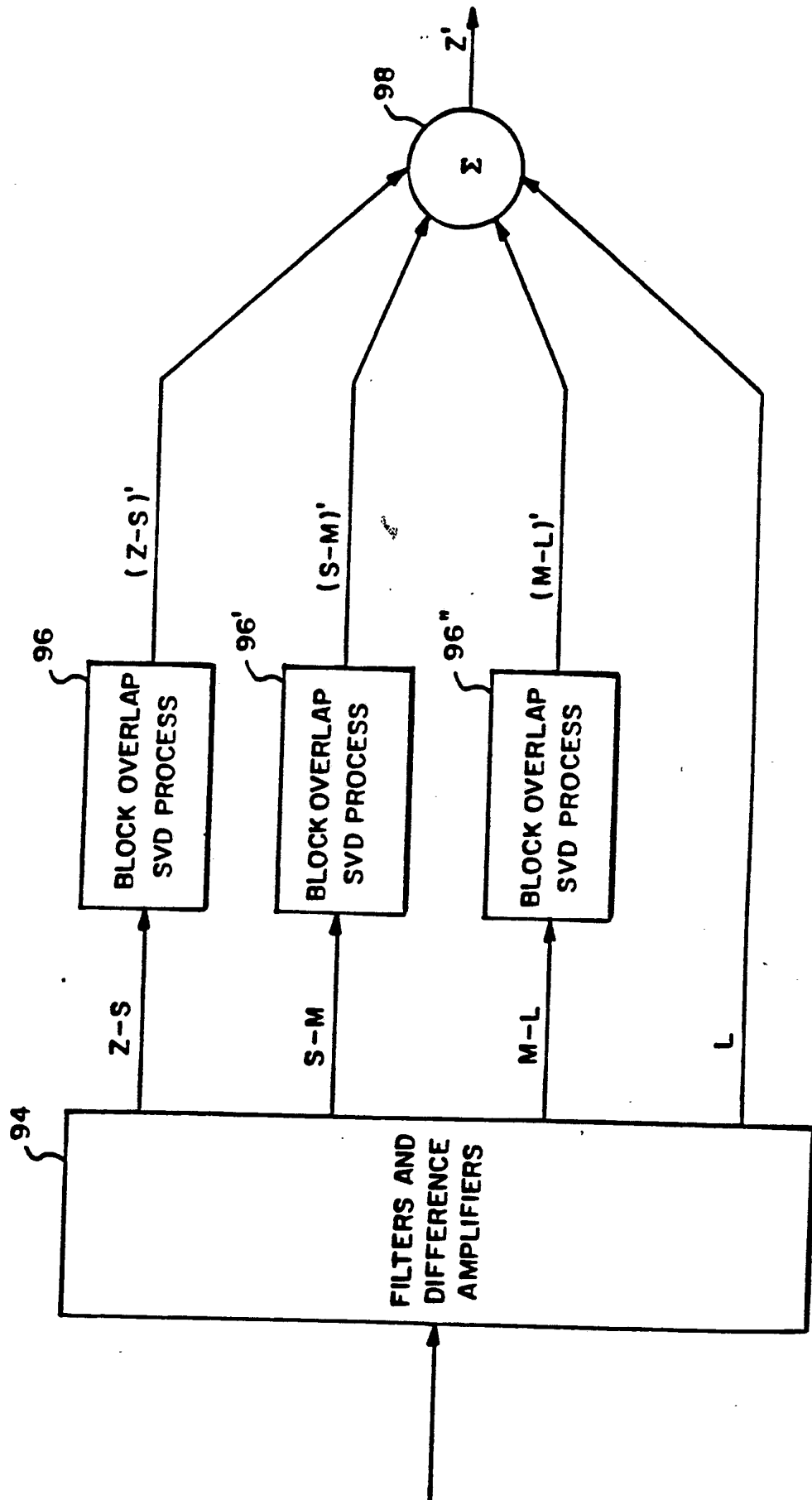
1	0	2	0	1
0	0	0	0	0
2	0	4	0	2
0	0	0	0	0
1	0	2	0	1

FIG. 10b

1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	2
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1

FIG. 10c

FIG. II





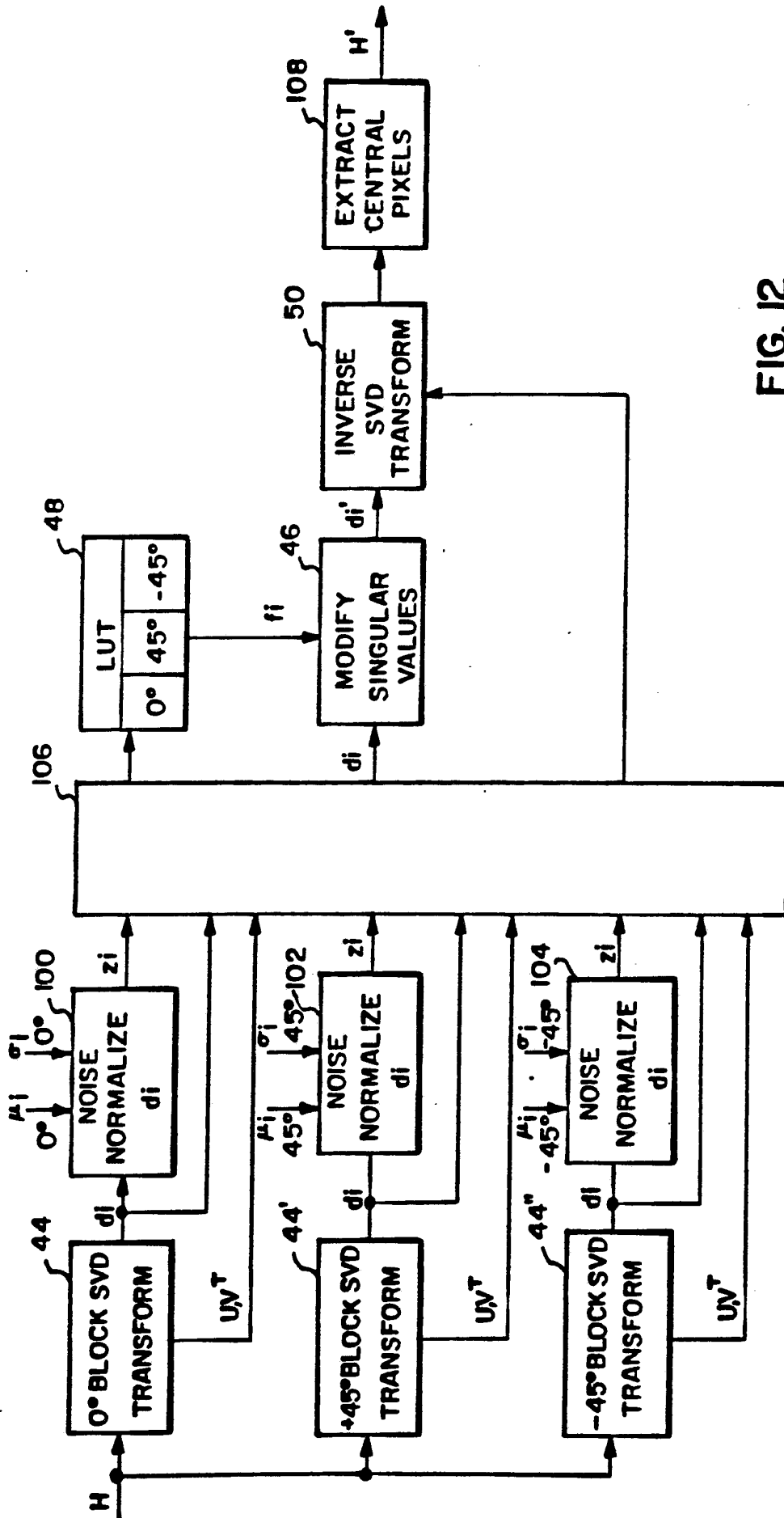


FIG. 12

SELECT BLOCK ORIENTATION CORRESPONDING TO EDGE

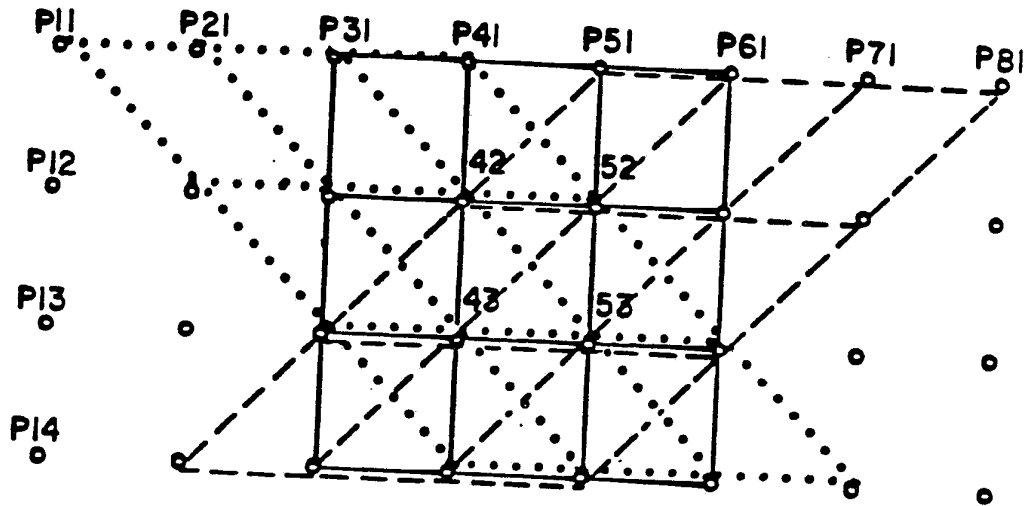


FIG. 13

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