

## Averages

$N^2$  is number of pixels in the window

1. Arithmetic Mean  $= \frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{r,c} d(r,c)$       low pass, blurs images

reduces all noise, best for Gaussian & uniform

2. Geometric Mean:  $= \left[ \prod_{r,c} d(r,c) \right]^{\frac{1}{N^2}}$       best with Gaussian

sharper than arithmetic, doesn't work on pepper

3. Harmonic mean:  $= \frac{N^2}{\sum_{r,c} \frac{1}{d(r,c)}}$       good on salt - bad on pepper

4.  $Y_p$  mean  $= \left[ \sum_{r,c} \frac{d^p(r,c)}{N^2} \right]^{\frac{1}{p}}$       for  $p > 0$  good on salt - bad on pepper

for  $p < 0$  bad on salt - good on pepper

5. Contra-harmonic mean  $= \frac{\sum_{r,c} d^{R-1}(r,c)}{\sum_{r,c} d^R(r,c)}$        $R > 0$  eliminates salt

$R < 0$  eliminates pepper

6. alpha - trim ( $T$ )  $= \frac{1}{N^2 - 2T - 1} \sum_{j=T+1}^{N^2-T} I_j$       between arithmetic and median

7. Nonlinear mean  $= u^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sum a_{ij} u[g_{ij}]}{\sum a_{ij}} \right\}$

- Arithmetic mean  $u(g) = g$
- Harmonic mean  $u(g) = \frac{1}{g}$
- Geometric mean  $u(g) = \log(g)$

8. Minimum Mean-Square Error (MMSE)

$$MMSE = d(r, c) - \frac{\sigma_n^2}{\sigma_l^2} (d(r, c) - m_l(r, c))$$

- $\sigma_n^2$  = noise variance
- $\sigma_l^2$  = local variance inside window
- $m_l(r, c)$  = mean inside window

## Bilateral Filter

Use some weighted average

$$\hat{x}_k = \frac{\sum_n w_{kn} g_{k-n}}{\sum_n w_{kn}}$$

1.  $w_{kn}^s = e^{-\frac{d_{k,k-n}^2}{2\sigma_s^2}}$  Gaussian, physical distance
2.  $w_{kn}^r = e^{-\frac{(g_k - g_{k-n})^2}{2\sigma_r^2}}$  Gaussian, gray value distance

$$w_{kn} = w_{kn}^s w_{kn}^r$$

$\sigma_s, \sigma_r$  large implies uniform non-adaptive, degrades signal

$\sigma_s, \sigma_r$  small implies no smoothing

## Weighted Least Squares

X=measured image  
Y=desired image

$$\varepsilon_{\text{WLS}} = \frac{1}{2} (X - Y)^T (X - Y) + \underbrace{\frac{\lambda}{2} L(X)^T W(Y) L(X)}_{\text{penalty}}$$

L(X) can be first or second derivative

Robust Estimation:

$$\varepsilon_{\text{WLS}} = \frac{1}{2} (X - Y)^T (X - Y) + \frac{\lambda}{2} \underbrace{\rho(X)}_{\text{nonlinear}}$$