

M. Sc. Computer Science III Semester

Subject Reference no CSC503 Subject Title Computer Vision

No of Credits 4 Theory, 2 Practical Assignment/Sectionals (Internal) 20%

Total Contact Hrs/Week 4 Theory, 4 Practical External (Semester Exam) 80%

Objective: To provide the mechanics for representation and analysis of Multispectral data.

Prerequisite: Student must have knowledge of Signal Processing, Image Processing, Neural Networks and Artificial Intelligence.

UNIT I:

CAMERAS: Pinhole Cameras, Perspective Projection, Affine Projection, **GEOMETRIC CAMERA MODELS:** Elements of Analytical Euclidean Geometry, Coordinate Systems and Homogeneous Coordinates, Coordinate System Changes and Rigid Transformations, Camera Parameters and the Perspective Projection, Intrinsic Parameters, Extrinsic Parameters, A Characterization of Perspective Projection Matrices, Affine Cameras and Affine Projection Equations, Affine Cameras, Affine Projection Equations, A Characterization of Affine Projection Matrices, **GEOMETRIC CAMERA CALIBRATION:** Least-Squares Parameter Estimation, Linear Least-Squares Methods, Nonlinear Least-Squares Methods, A Linear Approach to Camera Calibration, Estimation of the Projection Matrix, Estimation of the Intrinsic and Extrinsic Parameters, Degenerate Point Configurations, Taking Radial Distortion into Account, Estimation of the Projection Matrix, Estimation of the Intrinsic and Extrinsic Parameters, Degenerate Point Configurations, Analytical Photogrammetry, An Application: Mobile Robot Localization. **RADIOMETRY MEASURING LIGHT:** Light in, Foreshortening, Solid Angle, Radiance, Light at Surfaces, Simplifying Assumptions, The Bidirectional Reflectance Distribution Function, Example: The Radiometry of Thin Lenses, Important Special Cases, Radiosity, Directional Hemispheric Reflectance, Lambertian Surfaces and Albedo, Specular Surfaces, The Lambertian + Specular Model. **SOURCES, SHADOWS, AND SHADING:** Qualitative Radiometry, Sources and Their Effects, Radiometric, Properties of Light Sources, Point Sources, Line Sources, Area Sources, Local Shading Models, Local Shading Models for Point

Sources, Area Sources and Their Shadows, Ambient Illumination, Application: Photometric Stereo, Normal and Albedo from Many Views, Shape from Normals, Interreflections: Global Shading Models, An Interreflection Model, Solving for Radiosity, The Qualitative Effects of Interreflections, **COLOR:** The Physics of Color, Radiometry for Colored Lights: Spectral Quantities, The Color of Sources, The Color of Surfaces, Human Color Perception, Color Matching, Color Receptors, Representing Color, Linear Color Spaces, Non-linear Color Spaces, Spatial and Temporal Effects, A Model for Image Color, Cameras, A Model for Image Color, Application: Finding Specularities, Surface Color from Image Color, Surface Color Perception in People, Inferring Lightness, Surface Color from Finite-Dimensional Linear Models

UNIT II:

LINEAR FILTERS: Linear Filters and Convolution, Shift Invariant Linear Systems, Discrete Convolution, Continuous Convolution, Edge Effects in Discrete Convolutions, Spatial Frequency and Fourier Transforms, Fourier Transforms, Sampling and Aliasing, Sampling, Aliasing, Smoothing and Resampling, Filters as Templates, Convolution as a Dot Product, Changing Basis, Technique: Normalized Correlation and Finding Patterns, Controlling the

Television by Finding Hands by Normalized Correlation, Technique: Scale and Image Pyramids, The Gaussian Pyramid, Applications of Scaled Representations, **TEXTURE:** Representing Texture, Extracting Image Structure with Filter Banks, Representing Texture Using the Statistics of Filter Outputs, Analysis (and Synthesis) Using Oriented Pyramids, The Laplacian Pyramid, Filters in the Spatial Frequency Domain, Oriented Pyramids, Application: Synthesizing Textures for Rendering, Homogeneity,, Synthesis by Sampling Local Models, **THE GEOMETRY OF MULTIPLE VIEWS:** Two Views, Epipolar Geometry, The Calibrated Case, Small Motions, The Uncalibrated Case, Weak Calibration, Three Views, Trifocal Geometry, The Calibrated Case, The Uncalibrated Case, Estimation of the Trifocal Tensor, **STEREOPSIS:** Reconstruction, Image Rectification, Human Stereopsis, Binocular Fusion, Correlation, Multi-Scale Edge Matching, Using More Cameras Three Cameras, Multiple Cameras, **AFFINE STRUCTURE FROM MOTION:** Elements of Affine Geometry, Affine Spaces and Barycentric Combinations, Affine Subspaces and Affine Coordinates, Affine Transformations and Affine Projection Models, Affine Shape, Affine Structure and Motion from Two Images, Geometric Scene Reconstruction, Algebraic Motion Estimation, Affine Structure and Motion from Multiple Images, The Affine Structure of Affine Image Sequences, A Factorization Approach to Affine Structure from Motion, From Affine to Euclidean Images, Euclidean Constraints and Calibrated Affine Cameras, Computing Euclidean Upgrades from Multiple Views, Affine Motion Segmentation, The Reduced Row-Echelon Form of the Data Matrix, The Shape Interaction Matrix, **PROJECTIVE STRUCTURE FROM MOTION:** Elements of Projective Geometry, Projective Spaces, Projective Subspaces and Projective Coordinates, Affine and Projective Spaces, Hyperplanes and Duality, Cross-Ratios and Projective Coordinates, Projective Transformations, Projective Shape, Projective Structure and Motion from Binocular Correspondences, Geometric Scene Reconstruction, Algebraic Motion Estimation, Projective Motion Estimation from Multilinear Constraints, Motion Estimation from Fundamental Matrices, Motion Estimation from Trifocal Tensors, Projective Structure and Motion from Multiple Images, A Factorization Approach to Projective Structure from Motion, Bundle Adjustment, From Projective to Euclidean Images

UNIT III:

APPLICATION: IMAGE BASED RENDERING: Constructing 3D Models from Image Sequences, Scene Modeling from Registered Images, Scene Modeling from Unregistered Images, Transfer-Based Approaches to Image-Based Rendering, Affine View Synthesis, Euclidean View Synthesis, The Light Field, **SEGMENTATION BY CLUSTERING** What Is Segmentation? Model Problems, Segmentation as Clustering, Human Vision: Grouping and Gestalt, Applications: Shot Boundary Detection and Background Subtraction, Background Subtraction, Shot Boundary Detection, Image Segmentation by Clustering Pixels, Segmentation Using Simple Clustering Methods, Clustering and Segmentation by K-means, Segmentation by Graph-Theoretic Clustering, Terminology for Graphs, The Overall Approach, Affinity Measures, Eigenvectors and Segmentation, Normalized Cuts, **SEGMENTATION BY FITTING A MODEL:** The Hough Transform, Fitting Lines with the Hough Transform, Practical Problems with the Hough Transform, Fitting Lines, Line Fitting with Least Squares, Which Point Is on Which Line?, Fitting Curves, Implicit Curves, Parametric Curves, Fitting as a Probabilistic Inference Problem, Robustness, Mestimators, RANSAC, Example: Using RANSAC to Fit Fundamental Matrices, An Expression for Fitting

Error, Correspondence as Noise, Applying RANSAC, Finding the Distance, Fitting a Fundamental Matrix to Known Correspondences.

UNIT IV:

SEGMENTATION AND FITTING USING PROBABILISTIC METHODS: Missing Data Problems, Fitting, and Segmentation, Missing Data Problems, The EM Algorithm, The EM Algorithm in the General Case, The EM Algorithm in Practice, Example: Image Segmentation, Revisited, Example: Line Fitting with EM, Example: Motion Segmentation and EM, Example: Using EM to Identify Outliers, Example: Background Subtraction Using EM, Example: EM and the Fundamental Matrix, Difficulties with the EM Algorithm, Model Selection: Which Model Is the Best Fit? Basic Ideas, AIC-An Information Criterion, Bayesian

Methods and Schwartz' BIC, Description Length, Other Methods for Estimating Deviance,

APPLICATION: FINDING IN DIGITAL LIBRARIES: Background: Organizing Collections of Information, How Well Does the System Work?, What Do Users Want?, Searching for Pictures, Structuring and Browsing, Summary Representations of the Whole Picture, Histograms and Correlograms, Textures and Textures of Textures, Representations of Parts of the Picture, Segmentation, Template Matching, Shape and Correspondence, Clustering and Organizing Collections, Video

TRACKING WITH LINEAR DYNAMIC MODELS: Tracking as an Abstract Inference Problem, Independence Assumptions, Tracking as Inference, Overview, Linear Dynamic Models, Drifting Points, Constant Velocity, Constant Acceleration, Periodic Motion, Higher Order Models, Kalman Filtering, The Kalman Filter for a 2D State Vector, The Kalman Update Equations for a General State Vector, Forward-Backward Smoothing, Data Association, Choosing the Nearest-Global Nearest Neighbours, Gating and Probabilistic Data Association, Applications and Examples, Vehicle Tracking

UNIT V:

MODEL BASED VISION: Initial Assumptions, Obtaining Hypotheses, Obtaining Hypotheses by Pose Consistency, Pose Consistency for Perspective Cameras, Affine and Projective Camera Models, Linear Combinations of Models, Obtaining Hypotheses by Pose Clustering, Obtaining Hypotheses Using Invariants, Invariants for Plane Figures, Geometric Hashing, Invariants and Indexing, Verification, Edge Proximity, Similarity in Texture, Pattern and Intensity, Application: Registration in Medical Imaging Systems, Imaging Modes, Applications of Registration, Geometric Hashing Techniques in Medical Imaging, Curved Surfaces and Alignment

FINDING TEMPLATES USING CLASSIFIERS: Classifiers, Using Loss to Determine Decisions, Overview: Methods for Building Classifiers, Example: A Plug-in Classifier for Normal Class-conditional Densities, Example: A Nonparametric Classifier Using Nearest Neighbors, Estimating and Improving Performance, Building Classifiers from Class Histograms, Finding Skin Pixels Using a Classifier, Face Finding Assuming Independent Template Responses, Feature Selection, Principal Component Analysis, Identifying Individuals with Principal Components Analysis, Canonical Variates, Neural Networks, Key Ideas, Minimizing the Error, When to Stop Training, Finding Faces Using Neural Networks, Convolutional Neural Nets, Support Vector Machines for Linearly Separable Datasets, Finding Pedestrians Using Support Vector Machines

ASPECT GRAPHS: Visual Events: More Differential Geometry, The Geometry of the Gauss Map, Asymptotic Curves, The Asymptotic Spherical Map, Local Visual Events, The Bitangent Ray Manifold, Multilocal Visual Events, Computing the Aspect Graph, Step 1: Tracing Visual Events, Step 2:

Constructing the Regions, Remaining Steps of the Algorithm, An Example, Aspect Graphs and Object Localization

Books:

1. Computer Vision: A Modern Approach, Forsyth Ponce , Pearson Education
2. Image Processing, Analysis and Machine Vision, Milan Sonka, Thomson Learning

References:

1. Machine Vision, Jain R C Kasturi R, McGrawHill
2. Three Dimensional Computer Vision, Y Shirai, Springer Verlag
3. Computer And Robot Vision Vo I and II, Haralick R M And Shapiro L G, Addison Wesley
4. Computational Vision, Wechsler, Academic Press
5. Robot Vision, Horn B K P, Cambridge MIT press
6. Digital Image Processing & Computer Vision, Robert J Schalkoff, John Willey Publication

Lab Exercise: CSC553 Practical based on CSC503

At least two experiments should be carried out on each unit.