

Frequency Domain Steerable Pyramid Filter Design

Second derivative, k = 3 filter

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$$N := 16$$

$$a := \text{floor}\left(\frac{N}{2}\right)$$

$$i := 0..N$$

$$k := 0..N$$

$$j := \sqrt{-1}$$

Define smooth-edged lowpass and highpass functions (raised cosine).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LP}(x1, x2, x) &:= \text{if}\left[x < x1, 1, \text{if}\left[x > x2, 0, \sqrt{0.5 \cdot \left[1 + \cos\left[\pi \cdot \frac{x - x1}{x2 - x1}\right]\right]}\right]\right] & \theta_{i,k} &:= \text{angle}(i + 0.001 - a, k - a) \\ \text{HP}(x1, x2, x) &:= \text{if}\left[x < x1, 0, \text{if}\left[x > x2, 1, \sqrt{0.5 \cdot \left[1 - \cos\left[\pi \cdot \frac{x - x1}{x2 - x1}\right]\right]}\right]\right] & \rho_{i,k} &:= \sqrt{(i - a)^2 + (k - a)^2} & c &:= \sqrt{\frac{8}{9}} \\ \text{sign}(x) &:= \text{if}(x < 0, -1, 1) & f1 &:= 0 \cdot a & f2 &:= \frac{5}{8} \cdot a \end{aligned}$$

Define the transfer functions of the one highpass, two lowpass and three bandpass filters.

The constants f1 and f2 control the steepness of the cutoffs, and c is a required fudge factor.

The LP(f3, f4) filter is not required, but it makes the kernels smaller.

$$L0_{i,k} := \text{LP}(f2, a, \rho_{i,k}) \quad H0_{i,k} := \text{HP}(f2, a, \rho_{i,k}) \quad L1_{i,k} := \text{LP}\left(f1, \frac{a}{2}, \rho_{i,k}\right) \quad f3 := \frac{6}{8} \cdot a \quad f4 := 1.2 \cdot a$$

$$B1_{i,k} := c \cdot \text{LP}(f3, f4, \rho_{i,k}) \cdot \text{HP}\left(f1, \frac{a}{2}, \rho_{i,k}\right) \cdot \cos(\theta_{i,k})^2 \cdot \text{sign}(\cos(\theta_{i,k}))$$

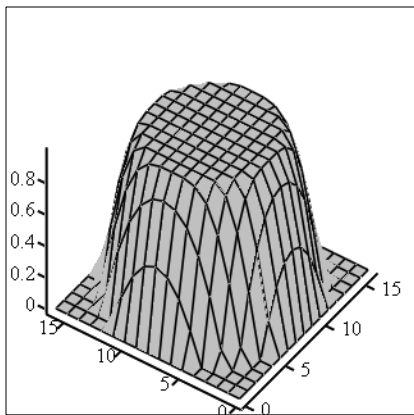
$$B2_{i,k} := c \cdot \text{LP}(f3, f4, \rho_{i,k}) \cdot \text{HP}\left(f1, \frac{a}{2}, \rho_{i,k}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\theta_{i,k} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)^2 \cdot \text{sign}\left(\cos\left(\theta_{i,k} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right)$$

$$B3_{i,k} := c \cdot \text{LP}(f3, f4, \rho_{i,k}) \cdot \text{HP}\left(f1, \frac{a}{2}, \rho_{i,k}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\theta_{i,k} - \frac{2 \cdot \pi}{3}\right)^2 \cdot \text{sign}\left(\cos\left(\theta_{i,k} - \frac{2 \cdot \pi}{3}\right)\right)$$

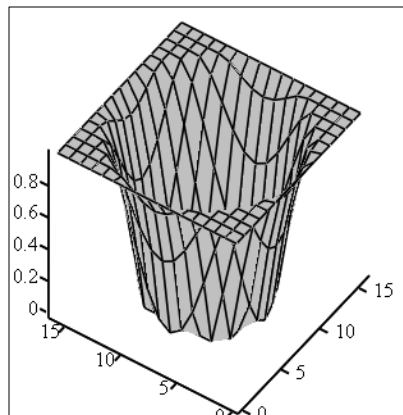
Compute functions to show that the constraints are satisfied.

$$M1_{i,k} := (B1_{i,k})^2 + (B2_{i,k})^2 + (B3_{i,k})^2 \quad M2_{i,k} := (H0_{i,k})^2 + (L0_{i,k})^2 \quad M2_{N,N} := 0 \quad M3_{i,k} := M1_{i,k} + (L1_{i,k})^2$$

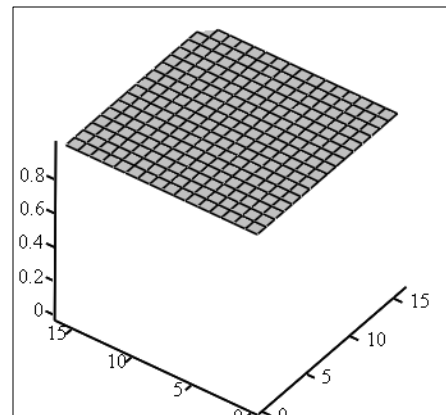
Plot $L_0(u,v)$, $H_0(u,v)$ and the sum of their squared magnitudes



L0

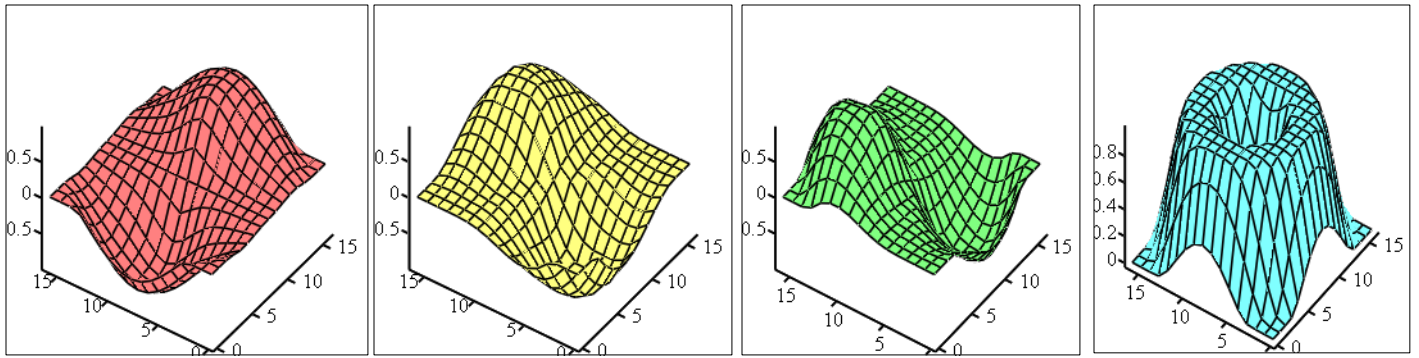


H0



M2

Plot the three steerable bandpass filters and their sum of squared magnitudes.



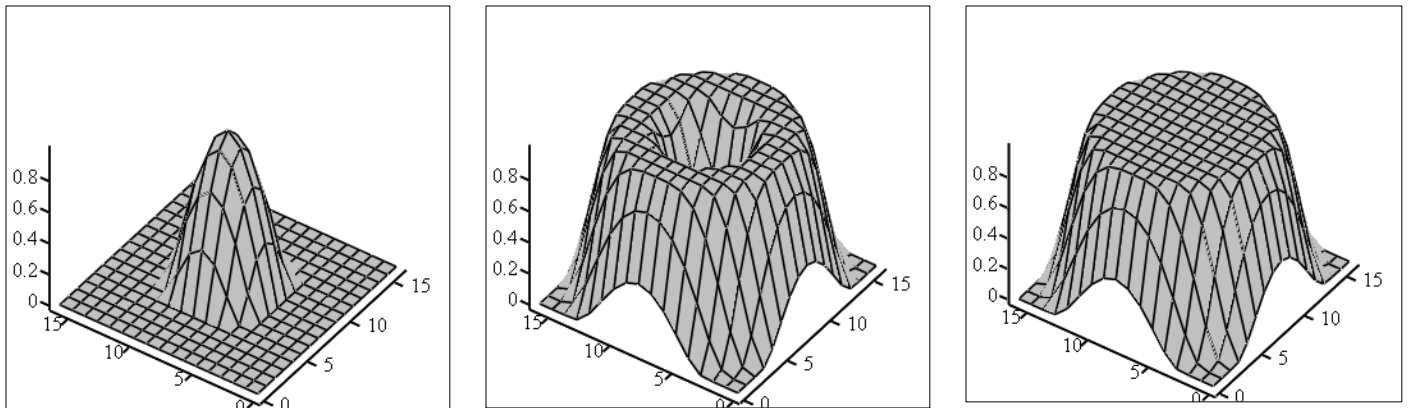
B1

B2

B3

M1

Plot $L_1(u,v)$ and the sum of its squared magnitude plus that of the three bandpass filters.



L1

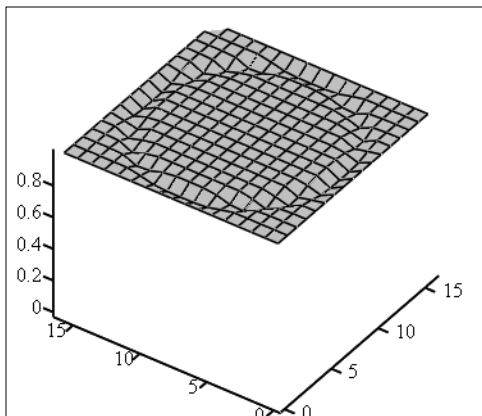
M1

M3

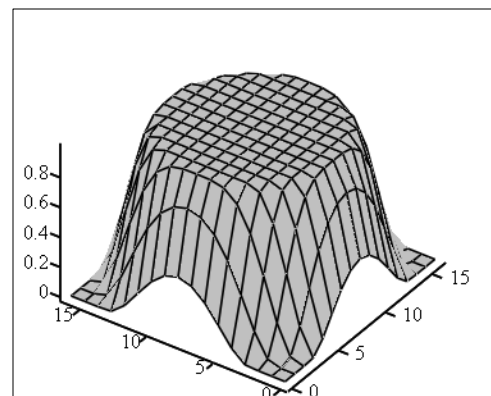
$$M4_{i,k} := (H0_{i,k})^2 + (L0_{i,k})^2 \cdot \left[(L1_{i,k})^2 + (B1_{i,k})^2 + (B2_{i,k})^2 + (B3_{i,k})^2 \right] \quad M5_{i,k} := \left[(L1_{i,k})^2 + (B1_{i,k})^2 + (B2_{i,k})^2 + (B3_{i,k})^2 \right]$$

$$M4_{N,N} := 0 \quad M5_{N,N} := 0$$

$M4 = 1$ is Simoncelli's constraint.



M4



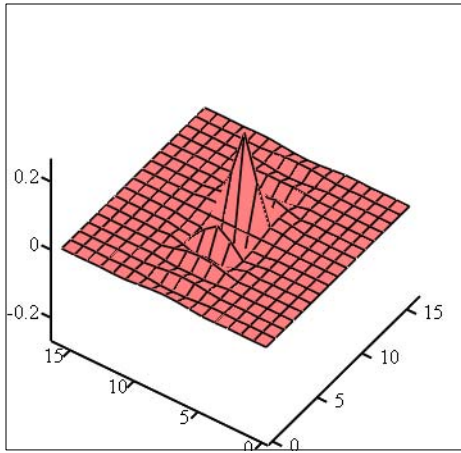
M5

Compute the convolution kernels using the centered DFT.

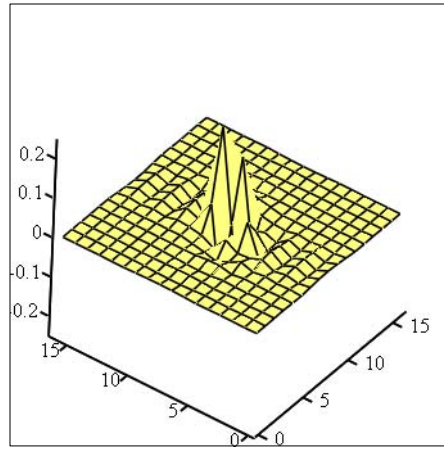
$$W_{i,k} := \frac{1}{N+1} \cdot \exp \left[-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot (i-a) \cdot \frac{k-a}{N+1} \right]$$

$$b1 := W \cdot (j \cdot B1) \cdot W \quad b2 := W \cdot (j \cdot B2) \cdot W \quad b3 := W \cdot (j \cdot B3) \cdot W \quad h0 := W \cdot H0 \cdot W \quad l0 := W \cdot L0 \cdot W \quad l1 := W \cdot L1 \cdot W$$

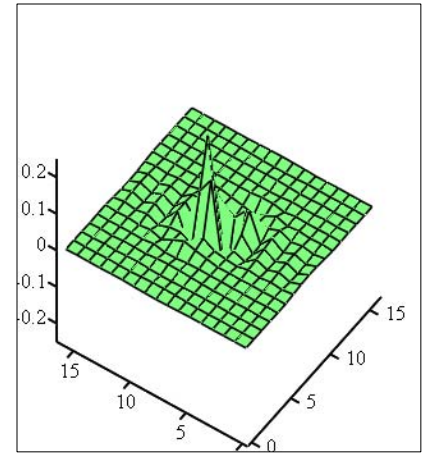
Plot the three bandpass filter impulse responses.



b1

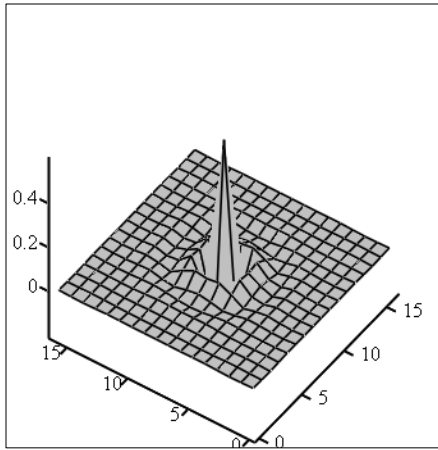


b2

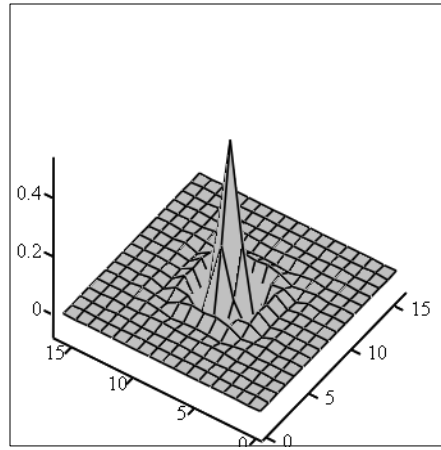


b3

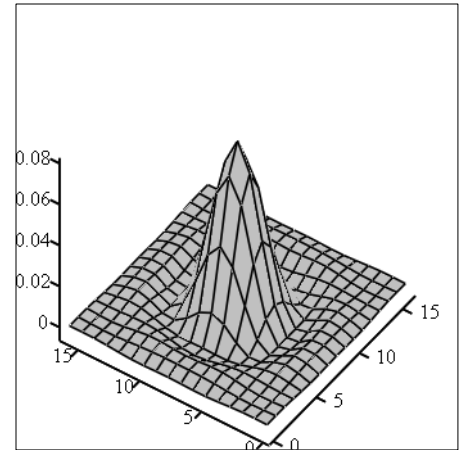
Plot the highpass and the two lowpass filter impulse responses.



h0



l0



l1

Round off to four digits and scale the values for writing out the kernel files.

b := 1

$$K3_L0_{i,k} := \frac{\text{floor}(10000 \cdot \text{Re}(l0_{i,k}) + 0.5)}{b} \quad K3_L1_{i,k} := \frac{\text{floor}(10000 \cdot \text{Re}(l1_{i,k}) + 0.5)}{b} \quad K3_H0_{i,k} := \frac{\text{floor}(10000 \cdot \text{Re}(h0_{i,k}) + 0.5)}{b}$$

$$K3_B1_{i,k} := \frac{\text{floor}(10000 \cdot \text{Re}(b1_{i,k}) + 0.5)}{b} \quad K3_B2_{i,k} := \frac{\text{floor}(10000 \cdot \text{Re}(b2_{i,k}) + 0.5)}{b} \quad K3_B3_{i,k} := \frac{\text{floor}(10000 \cdot \text{Re}(b3_{i,k}) + 0.5)}{b}$$

$$\sum_i \sum_k K3_L0_{i,k} = 9996 \quad \sum_i \sum_k K3_L1_{i,k} = 10005 \quad \sum_i \sum_k K3_H0_{i,k} = 0 \quad d := \begin{pmatrix} N+1 & N+1 \\ a & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sum_i \sum_k K3_B1_{i,k} = 0 \quad \sum_i \sum_k K3_B2_{i,k} = 0 \quad \sum_i \sum_k K3_B3_{i,k} = 0 \quad d = \begin{pmatrix} 17 & 17 \\ 8 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

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