

# **Self-Similarity Prior**

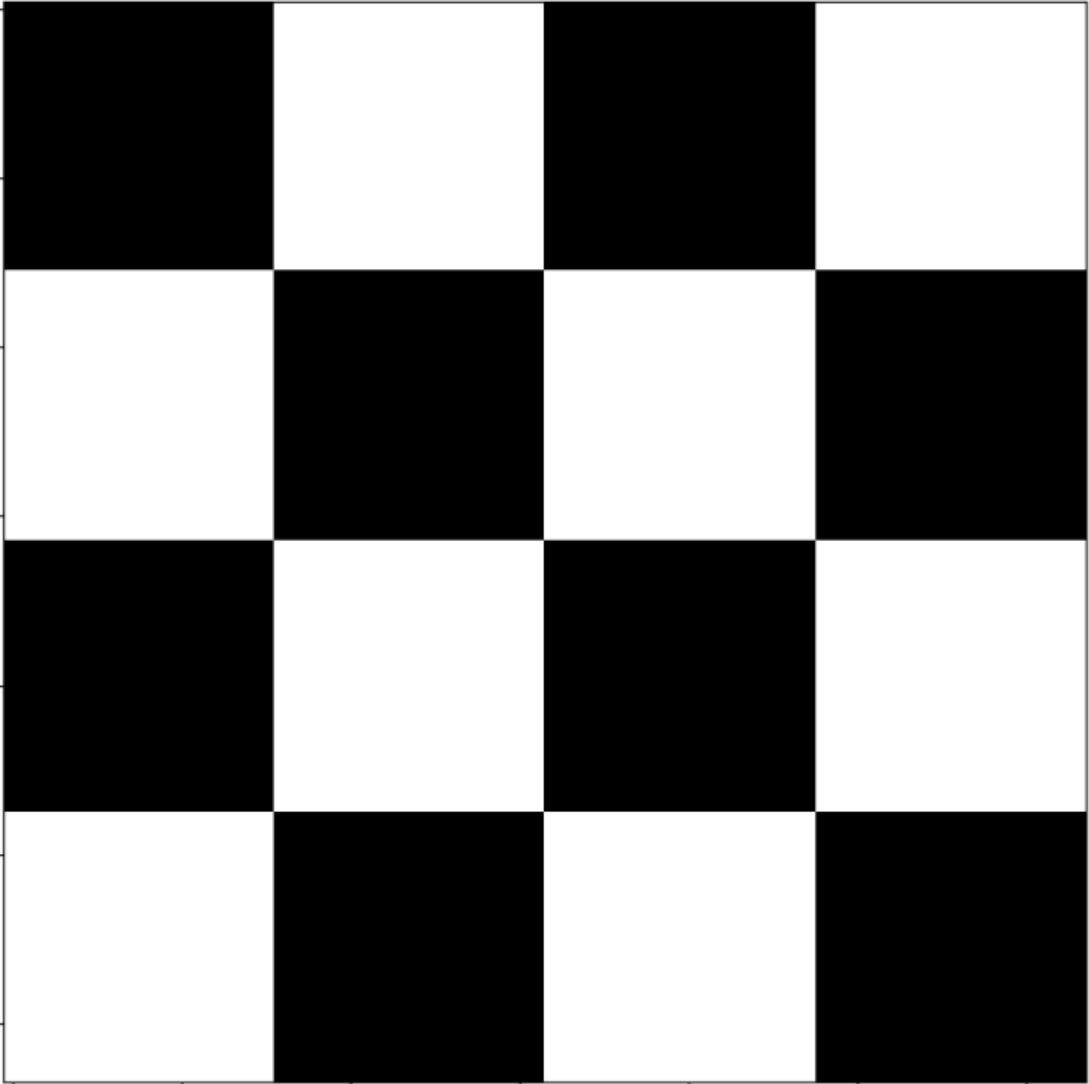
**Mathematical Models and Methods for Image  
Processing**

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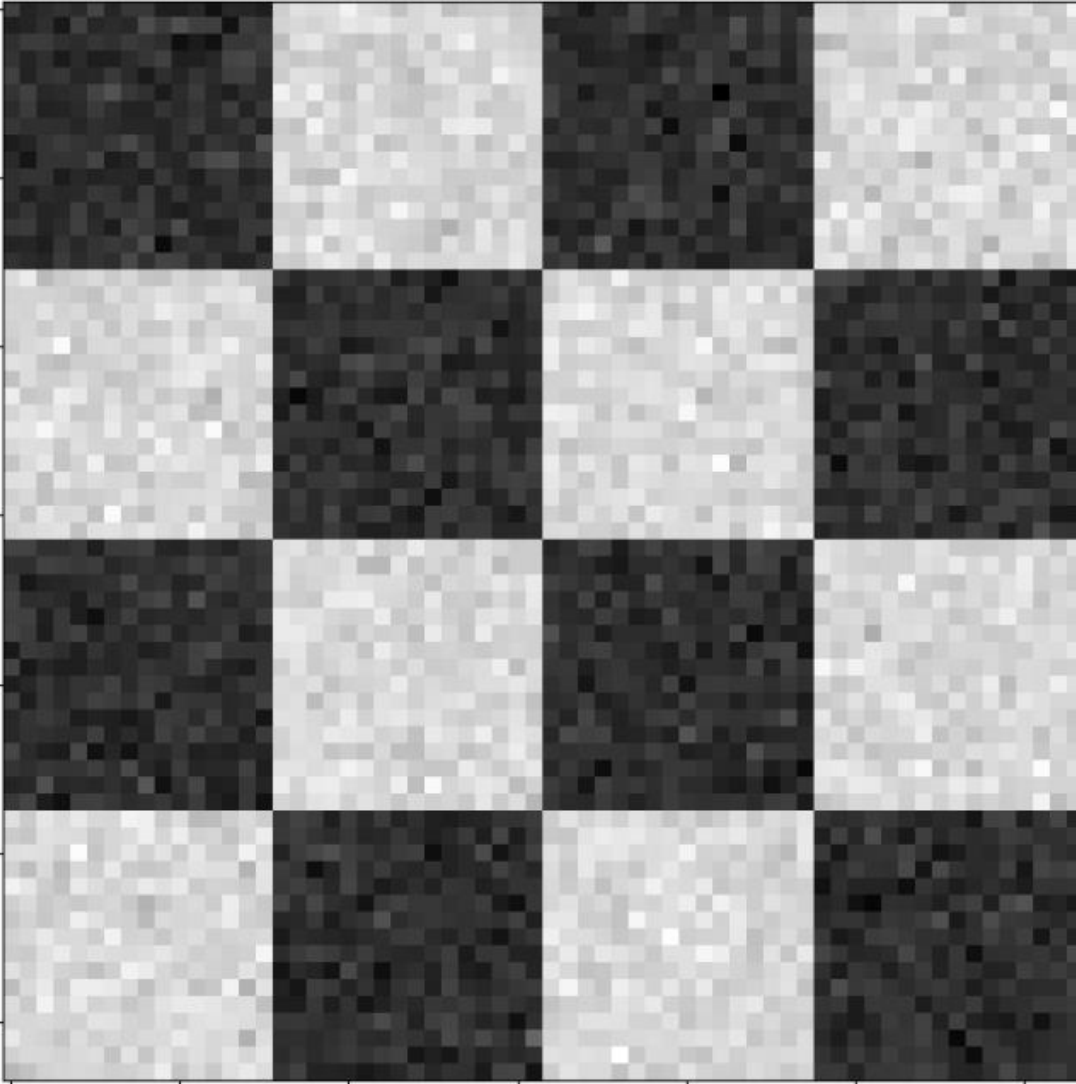
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# Denoising by convolution

Original

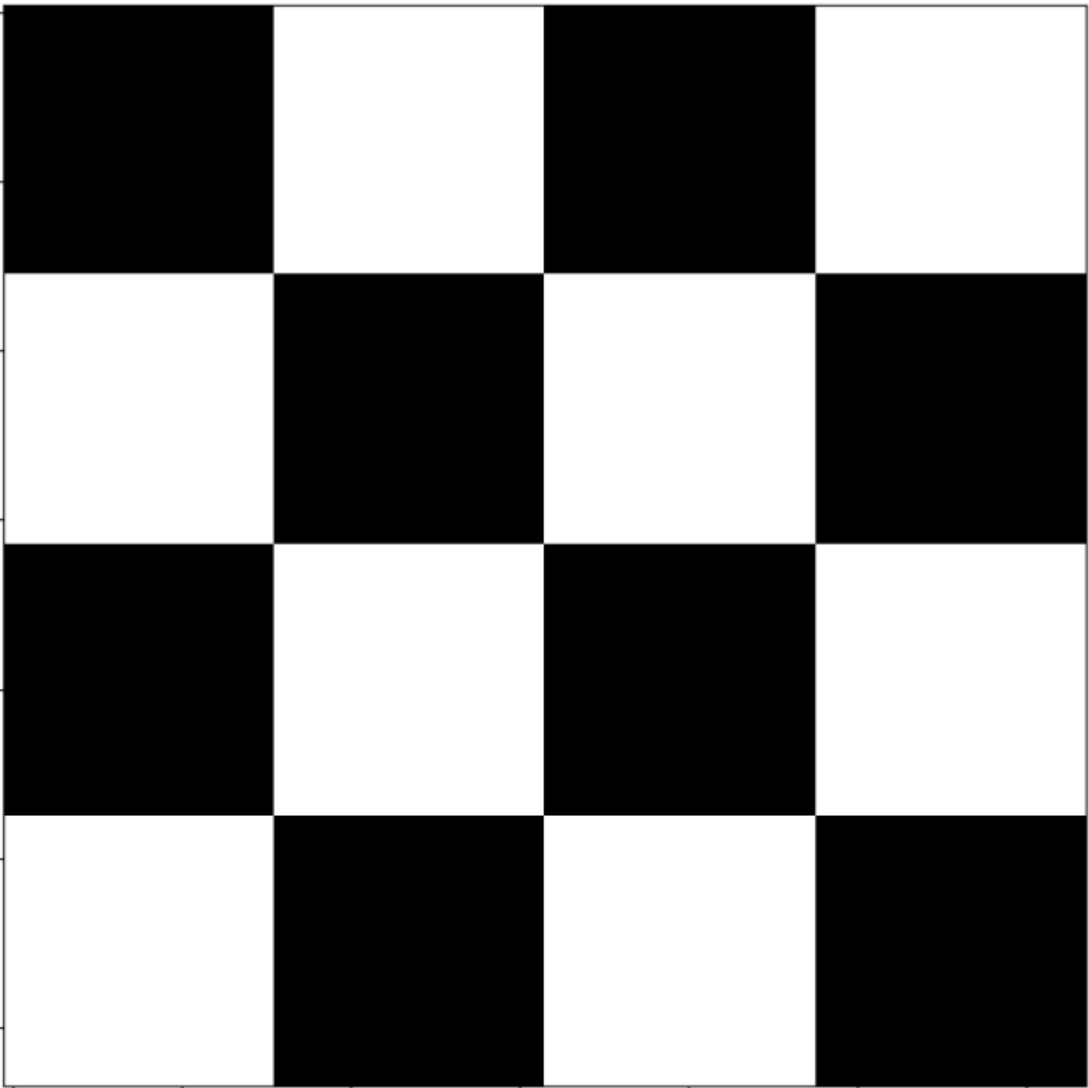


Noisy

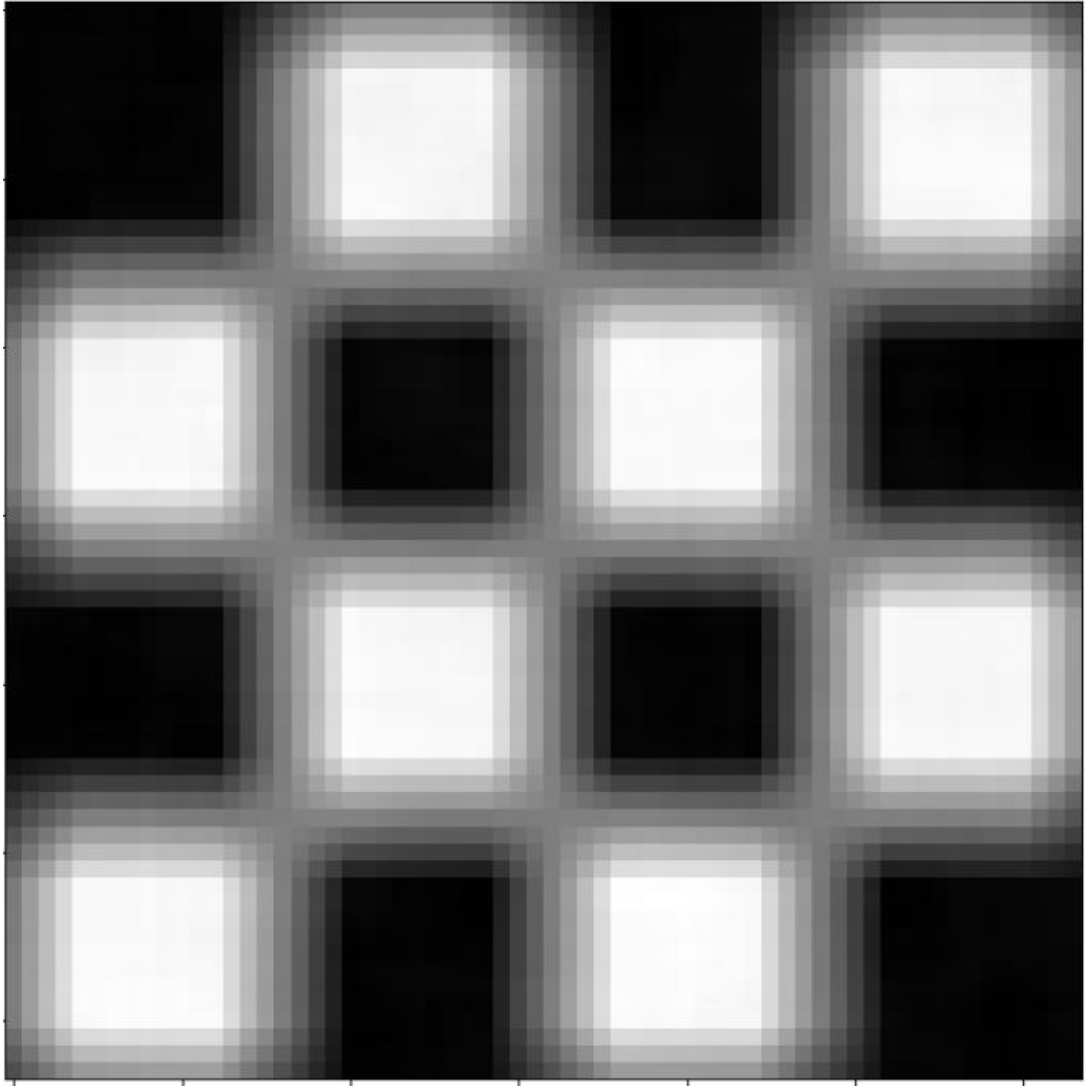


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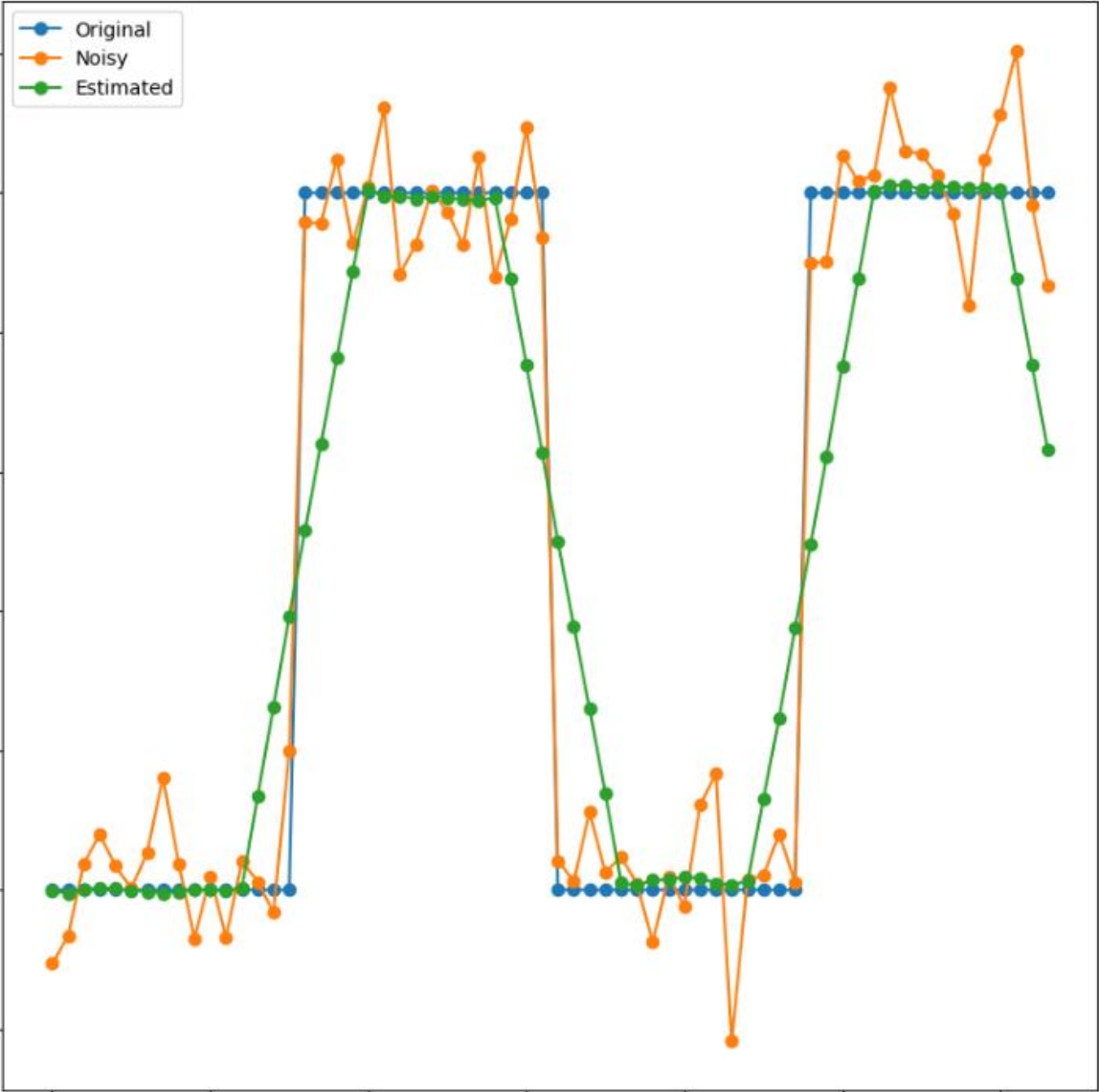
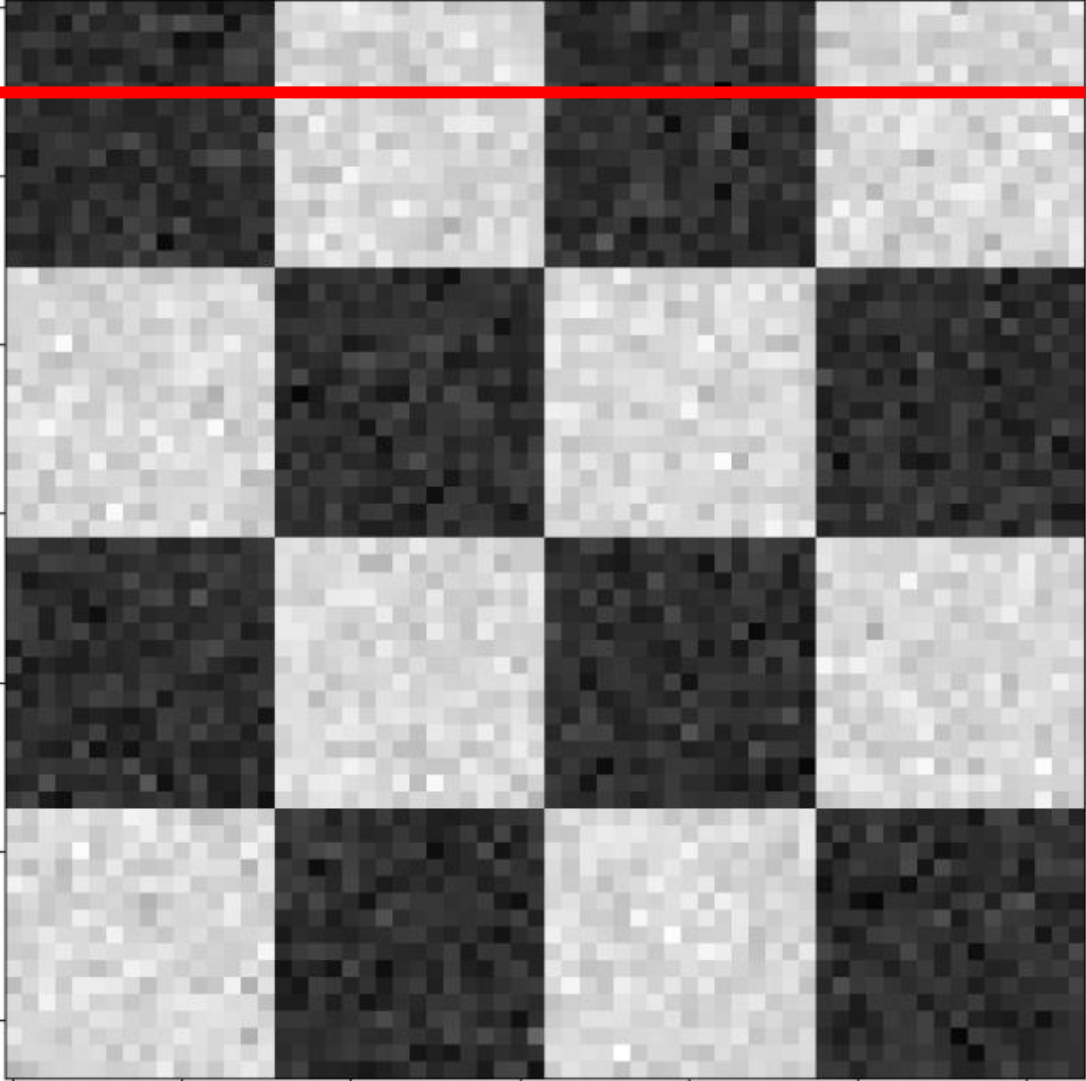
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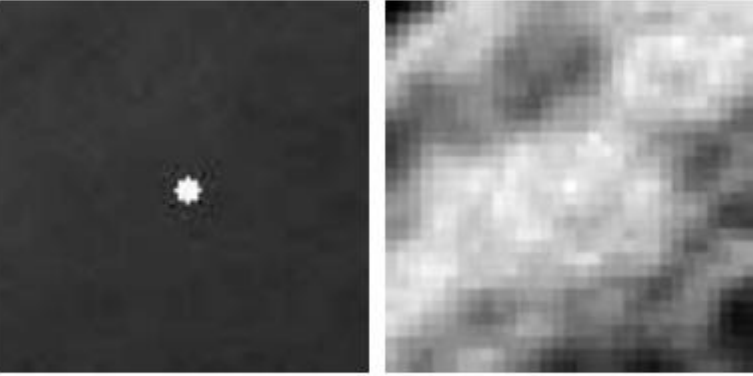
Estimated



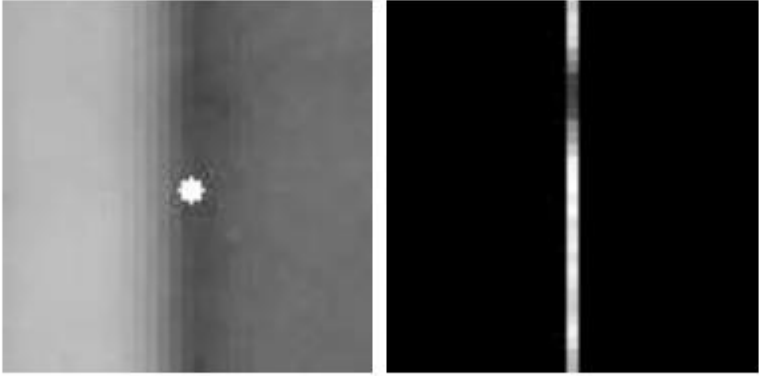
# Cross Section



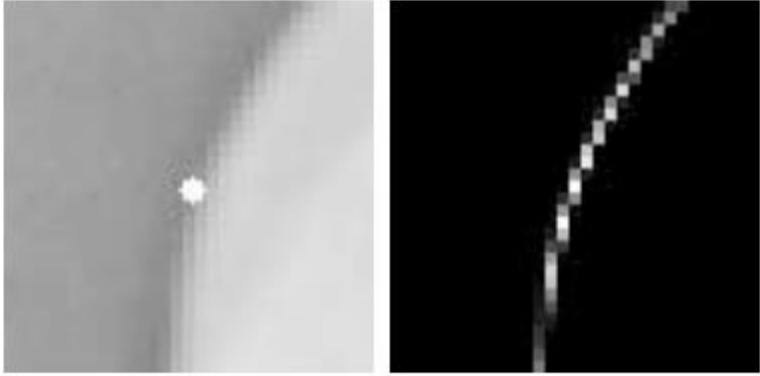
# Weights in Nonlocal Means



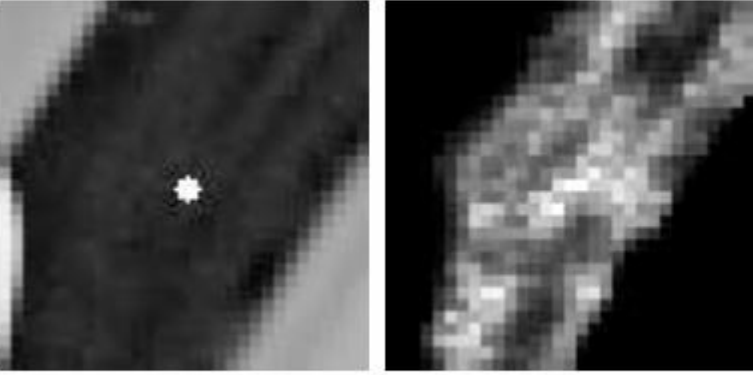
(a)



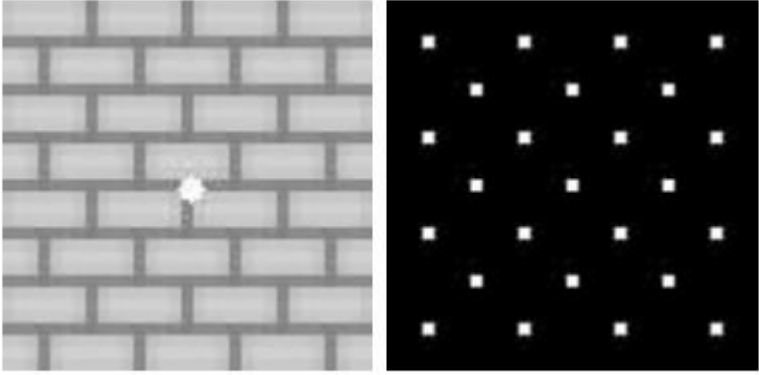
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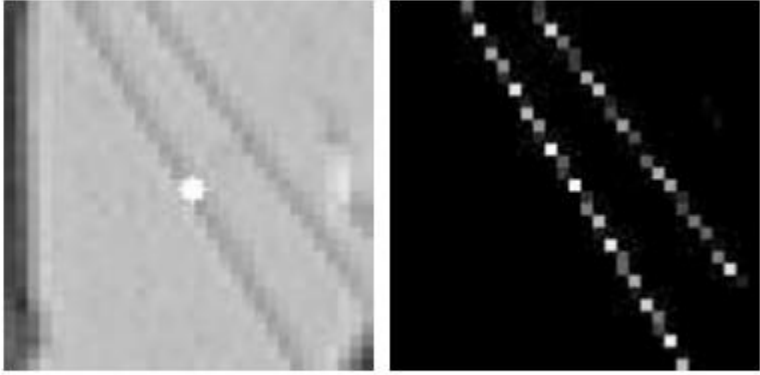
(c)



(d)



(e)



(f)

Buades, Antoni, Bartomeu Coll, and J-M. Morel. "A non-local algorithm for image denoising." *2005 IEEE Computer Society Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR'05)*. Vol. 2. IEEE, 2005.

# Assignment: implement the Nonlocal means algorithm

- The estimate is point-wise: you cannot use the step to speed up computation
- Try using:
  - $\sigma = 20$
  - $H = 15$
  - $M = 49$  (7x7 patches)
- To develop and debug, start by cropping a portion of image

Estimated Image,  
PSNR = 28.67

