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ABSTRACT

This report describes how to use an automatic target recognition system (version 14). In separate volumes are a general description of the ATR system, *Automatic TLI Recognition System, General Description*, and a programmer's manual, *Automatic TLI Recognition System, Programmer's Guide*.

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Automatic TLI Recognition System, User's Guide

INTRODUCTION

This user's manual is the second of three volumes describing an automatic target recognition (ATR) system. This volume is intended to provide enough information and instruction to allow individuals to use the ATR system for their own applications. It is assumed here that the potential user has the first volume¹ of this set, which contains basic descriptions and some of the figures referred to in the appendices of this volume. The third volume² is a programmer's manual for people who want to change the ATR software, not intended for people who want to use the ATR system without changing it. The software described here is version 14 of programs E, F, and G, and version 7 of TSCSI.

SOFTWARE CONCEPTS

The user must be aware of a few basic concepts and limitations inherent in this ATR system. These are described here.

User-Accessible Variables

Programs E, F, and G (described later) allow the user to define 32-bit integer and 32-bit floating point scalar variables and arrays, print their values, and use them as parameters in feature calculation commands. Some user-accessible variables are pre-defined and their values are automatically set by certain operations. The pre-defined scalar variables are named \$N, \$NCOL, \$NROW, \$SCENE, \$MINI, \$MAXI, \$MINJ, \$MAXJ (integers), and \$AVG, \$SIG, \$MAX, \$MIN, \$A, \$B, \$AVGX, \$AVGY, \$SIGX, \$SIGY, and \$COXY (floating). The program DOES distinguish between upper and lower case characters in variable names. The program sets \$SCENE equal to the current scene number, the first scene being number 1. \$SCENE is 0 if the program mode does not analyze individual scenes. The other pre-defined variables are set by the program as specified in the individual command descriptions. The arithmetic operations defined for these variables allow mixing of integer and floating types.

Kernels and Excluded Edge Regions

A common image analysis operation is convolution of the image with a small "kernel" or "operator". A kernel is like a small image, in that it is a two-dimensional array of values, or pixels. This convolution operation is defined by $D_{m,n} = \sum S_{m+i,n+j} K_{i,j}$, where $D_{m,n}$ is the row m , column n pixel in the destination image, $S_{m,n}$ is the m,n pixel in the source image, $K_{i,j}$ is the i,j pixel in the kernel, and the sum is over all values of i and j for which $K_{i,j}$ is defined. (This is not strictly a convolution calculation, which would require subtracting instead of adding to get the indices of S .) Intuitively, this can be thought of as positioning the kernel so that its $i=0,j=0$ pixel coincides with the m,n pixel of S , summing the products of the S and K pixel values for all the pixels in K , and assigning this sum value to the m,n pixel in D . Usually, the $i=0,j=0$ pixel is in the center of the kernel, but this is not always the case. In fact, the $i=0,j=0$ pixel may not even be part of the kernel. The kernel could be defined, for example, for $-3 \leq i \leq 2$ and $1 \leq j \leq 4$, so that $i=0,j=0$ is not part of the kernel's domain and there would be no $i=0,j=0$ term in the sum.

This definition of convolution is not valid for edge pixels of the destination image D , for values of m,n such that $S_{m+i,n+j}$ is not defined for some of the i,j values for which $K_{i,j}$ is defined. We refer to these edge pixels of D , for which the kernel K would extend past the edge of the source image S , as *excluded edge* pixels. These pixel values are not defined by the convolution operation. For the example kernel domain just mentioned, the excluded edge region would comprise the leftmost 3 columns of pixels (for $i_{\min}=-3$ which is less than 0), the rightmost 2 columns (for $i_{\max}=2$ which is greater than 0), and the bottom 4 rows (for $j_{\max}=4$ which is greater than 0; j is positive downward); no rows would be excluded at the top, because $j_{\min}=1$ is not less than 0 so no part of the kernel will ever extend past the top of the source image. This concept of excluded edge pixels is not limited to convolution calculations, of course. It is equally applicable to any operation involving a kernel or a similarly-defined local region that must be contained entirely within the source image to produce a well-defined result for the destination image. Examples of operations in this ATR system which result in excluded edge regions are convolution (CONVOLVE), median filtering (MED1X, MED1Y, MEDIAN), local sum of squares

(SSQ), quadratic polynomial fitting (QUADXY and QUADUV), and gradient calculations (GRADT, XGRAD, YGRAD). Perhaps contrary to one's expectation, NTRP00, NTRP01 do not produce excluded edge regions; these operations do not require that there be a source image pixel for every kernel pixel.

Often, when an operation like convolution forms an image with undefined pixel values at the edges, we would like to exclude those edge pixels from later operations. Some operations, such as SCALE, allow the user to exclude these edge pixels by telling the operation which kernel produced, or would have produced, the undefined edge region. Kernel 0 is always defined to have a one-pixel domain, with $i_{\min}=i_{\max}=j_{\min}=j_{\max}=0$, so that specifying kernel 0 in this context implies that no pixels are excluded. It is permissible to define a kernel of the desired size solely for the purpose of specifying an excluded edge region, without ever using the kernel for any other purpose.

Overlap Rows

Parallel computing is accomplished in this system by dividing each image among several nodes. Each node is a computer which has its own memory and can do computations on the data in its own memory. In the simplest cases, the images could be distributed among the nodes in any manner, as long as all the images are distributed in the same way. One approach is to treat each row of pixels as one unit, and assign different rows to different nodes. This approach is illustrated in the Table 1 example, for which each image comprises 19 rows (with some unspecified number of columns) of pixels which are distributed among 5 slave nodes. This simple approach serves very well for calculations such as adding two images, in which the calculations for one pixel do not involve any neighboring pixel's values. However, for some calculations, such as smoothing, convolution, and median filtering, the result for one pixel requires input of values of neighboring pixels. For some of the pixels, the required neighboring pixels will be in different nodes. This problem could be handled by having the nodes request the necessary pixel values from other nodes as required. Or, as is done here, we could have each node store the necessary neighboring pixel values in its own memory along with its "own" pixel values. In this system, each node may store extra rows of pixels, which we call *overlap* rows, in addition to its own "*primary*" rows. The values in these overlap rows do need to be updated sometimes, by requesting current values from the node in which these rows are the primary rows. However, this updating of overlap row values does not need to be done very frequently, and it is more efficient to exchange a previously specified block of data (all the overlap rows) in one operation than to exchange each neighboring pixel value as required in a separate operation. Tables 2 and 3 illustrate how an image is distributed among several nodes with 1 and 2 overlap rows respectively. In the Table 2 example, before doing an operation that required nearest neighbor pixel values, node 2 should request the current values of the row 4 pixels from node 1 and the row 9 pixel values from node 3. The user causes this exchange of overlap row values with the OVERLAP command.

**Table 1: Normal Distribution of 19 Image Rows
among 5 Nodes with 0 Overlap Rows**

NODE =	1	2	3	4	5
IMAGE ROW:					
0	x				
1	x				
2	x				
3	x				
4		x			
5		x			
6		x			
7		x			
8			x		
9			x		
10			x		
11			x		
12				x	
13				x	
14				x	
15				x	
16					x
17					x
18					x

An "x" in a row of this table indicates that the corresponding image row is in the node whose number is above the x. Thus, image rows 0 through 3 are in node 1; rows 4 through 7 are in node 2; etc. The different nodes may have different numbers of image rows.

**Table 2: Normal Distribution of 19 Image Rows
among 5 Nodes with 1 Overlap Row**

NODE =	1	2	3	4	5
IMAGE ROW:					
0	x				
1	x				
2	x				
3	x				
4	x	o			
5	o	x			
6		x			
7		x			
8		x	o		
9		o	x		
10			x		
11			x	o	
12			o	x	
13				x	
14				x	o
15				o	x
16					x
17					x
18					x

An "o" in the table indicates that the node has space for, and sometimes actually holds data for, that image row which is referred to as an overlap row. Thus, node 1 has space for image rows 0 through 5; it always holds the current values for rows 0 through 4, and it may or may not hold the current values for row 5, the overlap row. In node 2, row 4 and row 9 are overlap rows.

**Table 3: Normal Distribution of 19 Image Rows
among 5 Nodes with 2 Overlap Rows**

NODE =	1	2	3	4	5
IMAGE ROW:					
0	x rlo, slo				
1	x				
2	x				
3	x	o rlo			
4	x shi	o			
5	o	x slo			
6	o rhi	x	o rlo		
7		x shi	o		
8		o	x slo		
9		o rhi	x	o rlo	
10			x shi	o	
11			o	x slo	
12			o rhi	x	o rlo
13				x shi	o
14				o	x slo
15				o rhi	x
16					x
17					x
18 nrow-1					x shi, rhi

The slave node receives all primary and overlap rows, rows **rlo** through **rhi**, from the master when an image is loaded into memory. The slave node sends only its primary rows, rows **slo** through **shi**, when an image is copied from memory to a disk file. **nrow** is the number of rows in the whole image, 19 in this example.

**Table 4: Alternate Distribution of 19 Image Rows
among 5 Nodes with 0 Overlap Rows**

NODE =	1	2	3	4	5
IMAGE					
ROW:					
0	x				
1	x				
2	x				
3	x				
4	x				
5		x			
6		x			
7		x			
8			x		
9			x		
10			x		
11				x	
12				x	
13				x	
14					x
15					x
16					x
17					x
18					x

The distributions of Tables 1, 2, and 3 would be produced by the normal image definition command DEFIMG, which tries to make the total (primary + overlap) number of rows the same in all the nodes. This Table 4 distribution would not be produced by defimg, but could be produced by the image definition copy command COPDEF with the Table 3 distribution in the source image and with 0 overlap rows specified.

**Table 5: Alternate Distribution of 19 Image Rows
among 5 Nodes with 2 Overlap Rows**

NODE =	1	2	3	4	5
IMAGE ROW:					
0	x				
1	x				
2	x	o			
3	x	o			
4	o	x			
5	o	x			
6		x	o		
7		x	o		
8		o	x		
9		o	x		
10			x	o	
11			x	o	
12			o	x	
13			o	x	
14				x	o
15				x	o
16				o	x
17				o	x
18					x

This alternative to the Table 3 distribution optimizes calculation efficiency at the expense of storage space efficiency. This configuration would not occur via a simple image definition command in this system, but it could be created by an image definition copy command (COPDEF) by starting with the Table 1 distribution and specifying an image definition copy with 2 overlap rows in the destination. Calculations with this distribution would typically take 4/5 as long as the same calculations on the Table 3 distribution, because this Table 5 distribution has a maximum of 4 primary rows in a node while the Table 3 distribution has a maximum of 5. This distribution in effect occupies 8/7 as much memory as the Table 3 distribution.

Operations such as CONVOLVE require that the appropriate overlap rows be present and that the pixels in these overlap rows are set to the correct current values. The number of overlap rows must be enough to accommodate the kernel being used, so that the kernel never extends beyond the overlap rows of any node when the $i=0, j=0$ pixel of the kernel is in a primary row. That is, the number of overlap rows should be at least as large as the larger of j_{\max} or $-j_{\min}$ for the kernel being used. The presence of overlap rows can be accomplished by specifying an appropriate value for the number of overlap rows (usually called **novl**) when defining an image using commands like DEFIMG and RESAMPLE. Ensuring that the overlap rows have the correct values requires a little more care. Most operations (ADD, CONVOLVE, RESAMPLE, and many others) do not set the values of the overlap rows. That is, when we add two images, for example, the overlap rows of the destination image will not be set to the current, correct values. The overlap row values are set only by the operations READIMAGE, READSCENE, ZEROIMAGE, INSERT, EXTRACT, and OVERLAP. The user must be sure that one of these six operations (normally OVERLAP) is done on each image requiring overlap rows, before the operation that requires the overlap rows and after any previous operation that changes primary rows without changing overlap rows.

Image Compatibility

For two images to be compatible for most image operations, such as adding two images or smoothing an image, the two images must be the same size, having the same number of rows and the same number of columns, and their primary rows (not their overlap rows) must be distributed in the same way among the several nodes. The two images represented in Tables 1 and 5 are compatible, and the two in Tables 3 and 4 are compatible; all other image pairs from Tables 1 through 5 are incompatible. We cannot add images 1 and 2, nor can we use image 2 as a destination for an addition operation that uses image 1 as one of the sources. In this system, the user does not have much detailed control over how an image is distributed among the nodes. However, the user can be sure that a new image that he defines is compatible with an already-defined image by copying that image definition using the COPDEF command. In this copying process, the number of overlap rows may be different (at the user's discretion) without affecting compatibility. Image 4 could be formed by copying the definition of image 3, or vice versa. Generally, any two images that are the same size and were defined by the same command with the same number of overlap rows and the same source image (if there is a source image), are compatible for two-image operations.

PROGRAMS

Mask Creation Program G

Program G is used to create the 3-level mask used by the training process for each training scene. A person who can select examples of targets and background regions uses program G to load a scene image from each scene, mark examples of target or background or both on each scene image, and save the resulting mask image for use by program F.

Training Program F

The training processes is implemented in program F. The training program F inputs the training scene images and masks, calculates feature images according to an operator-supplied list of instructions in the feature calculation (.fc) file, and finds the optimum values of coefficients to be used with these features in the surveillance program E. There are three main parts of the program F: feature calculation, sum calculation, and coefficient calculation.

Feature Calculation

Feature calculation typically starts with a single scene image and calculates several feature images. This may involve arithmetic or logical operations on a pixel-by-pixel basis; convolution in two dimensions with a template that is typically much smaller than the scene image; morphological operations; local order sorting operations, such as are done in a median filter; local co-occurrence matrix calculation; and others, limited only by the imagination of the operator. Of course, a given computer program can implement only a finite number of operations. The operations currently in this F program are listed in Appendix F.

The final step in the calculation of a single feature is writing the feature image to a disk file. Of course, it would be much faster to store all the feature images in memory. However, image storage requires a lot of memory, and this in-memory storage approach would require that the number of features be limited according to the amount of memory available. To make the program as general as possible and avoid unnecessary restrictions on the number of features, this approach of writing the feature images to disk was adopted. Feature images are not written automatically; the user must write each feature image, preferably with the WRITEFEAT command. In some cases, it is not necessary to write a feature image to a disk. If the desired feature image already exists in a disk file, the user can simply enter the name of that file into the F program's internal list of feature image files, using the FEATFIL command. If a feature is the product of two previously defined features, the product feature image does not need to exist as a disk file, and the user can simply enter a product code into the F program's internal list of feature image files, using the FEAT * command.

Because of the format in which the feature images are written, each feature image pixel value must be between 0 and 255. This imposes a restriction, that the feature images must be non-negative. The other restriction, requiring values less than 255, is easily handled by simply using a SCALE command immediately before writing each feature image to disk. This scales the image to the acceptable range and includes the scale factor in the disk file, so that when the feature image is later read from the disk file it is automatically rescaled to the original values.

Along with the real feature images for each training scene, there must be a mask. This mask must contain the same information that is in the mask output by the mask creation program G, and it must be of the same size as the feature images. If the feature images are the same size

as the scene images, the same file output by the mask creation program G will serve as the mask for these feature images, and the FEATFIL command is useful for telling the F program to use that file as the feature image mask. On the other hand, if the feature images are not the same size as the scene images, a new mask of the correct size must be created for the feature images. This can normally be done very easily by simply resampling the scene mask that was output by the mask creation program G, using RESAMPLE or UNDERSAMPLE, and writing the resampled image using WRITEFEAT. The mask for the feature images must always be the first feature image (number 0), whether it is written using WRITEFEAT or referenced using FEATFIL. The mask should not be scaled (using SCALE) before it is written.

Sums Calculation

This ATR training process in the F program assumes (with some justification) that the distributions of result image pixel values are approximately Gaussian, both for the target pixels and for the background pixels. One result of this is that the error minimization process requires sums of pixel values from every product of two feature images. It would be more convenient to calculate these products and sums if all the feature images could be in memory at one time, but this would limit the number of features depending on memory availability. The approach used here is to read one row of pixels from every feature image into memory, and calculate the products and accumulate the sums from that row before replacing it with the next row from all feature images. This means that the program must repeatedly access a series of disk files, which is somewhat time consuming, but this seems to be the best alternative.

Program F automatically accumulates the sums after calculating and writing the feature images for each scene. (F also zeroes the sums before the first scene.) After the sums are accumulated, the feature images are no longer needed. One result of this is that successive training scenes can all use the same names for feature image disk files without conflict, unless the user for his own reasons wants to preserve all the feature images for the several training scenes. The sums are all that is required to complete the training procedure. In addition to being used in the last part of the F program, the sums are written to a disk file to save the effort of re-accumulating them if they are needed in later runs of F.

Coefficient Calculation

After the sums are calculated for a given set of training data, program F calculates the optimum values of the coefficients for the full set of features and for certain feature subsets. It will often happen that a substantially smaller subset will give error rates that are essentially the same as the error rate for the full original feature set. It is important to know this, because efficiency of the surveillance process (the analysis of images in the field) is greater for smaller feature sets. Therefore, the F program is arranged to look for the best feature subsets. For each case, F calculates the optimal coefficient value for each included feature, and F also calculates the importance of keeping each feature included in that case. Then, a new case is formed by deleting the least important feature from the old set. The results for each case are written to the F output file. This process of forming successively smaller subsets by deleting one feature at a time does, in effect, yield a graph of total error rate versus number of features, like the example in Figure 1. The user can then see how many features he must include in the surveillance process to attain the desired error rate, and he can judge the trade-off between increased error rate and increased number of features.

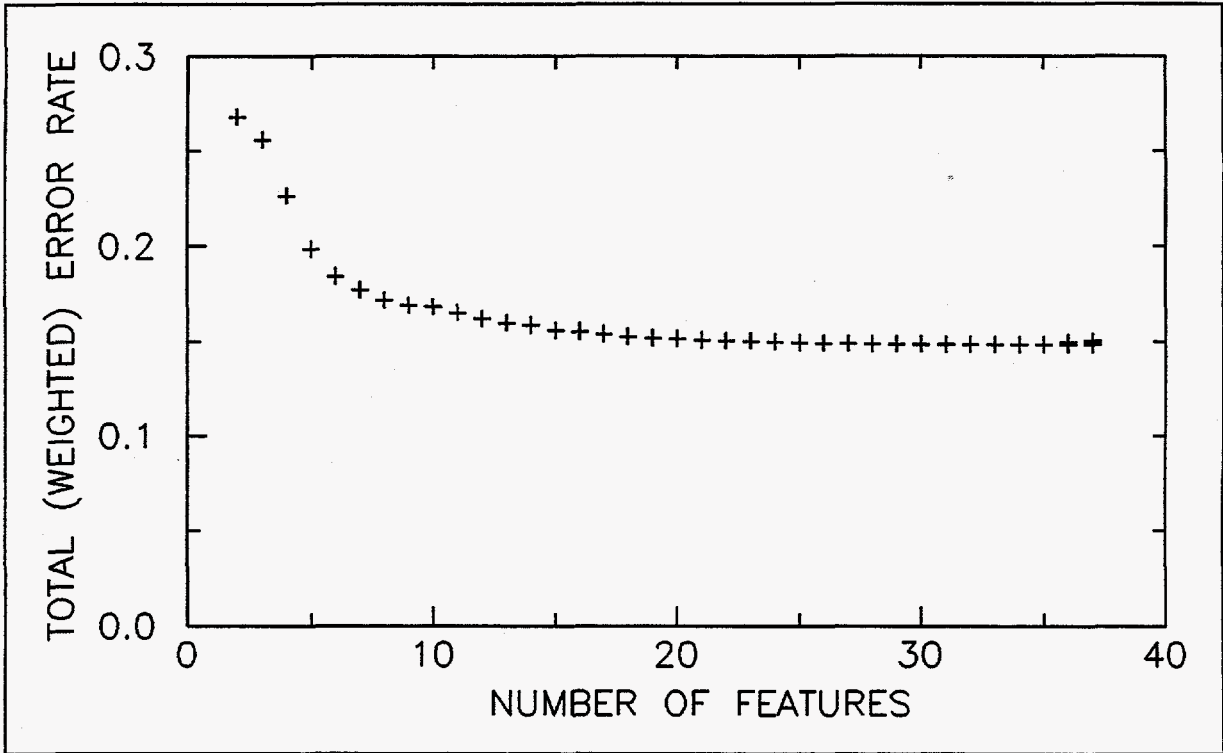


Figure 1: Example of total (weighted sum) error rate versus number of features. The optimization calculation tried several times, with slightly different resulting error rates, for some numbers of features; this is apparent from the double points plotted for 36 and 37 features.

For each case, the optimum coefficient values are determined by minimizing the total error rate. Program F does this minimization by using a linear approximation of the non-linear equations. This is an iterative, successive approximation procedure, and it requires a first guess for the coefficient values. A first guess can be obtained from a simple linear least squares fitting process; or, in the F program, a first guess can sometimes be obtained from the results of a previously calculated case which includes most of the same features as the present case. As is usually the case in this type of calculation, it is possible that the process will not find the desired absolute minimum in the error rate, but will converge to a substantially different relative minimum point. Sometimes this is evidenced by a smaller subset of included features giving a smaller error rate than a larger, previously calculated feature set. When this occurs, program F uses the coefficient values from the smaller subset, smaller error rate case as a first guess and restarts with the full original set of features included. This procedure sometimes leads to the discovery of optimal points with error rate minima that are substantially smaller than those associated with the first-indicated optimal point for a given number of features.

Surveillance Program E

The surveillance program E is used in the field to analyze a set of scene images (no mask) and report on whether there is a target present in the scene. Program E inputs scene images and normally creates a result image. Program E does not need to be used in the trainable mode; it can be used as a general purpose, script-driven image manipulation program.

For the trainable mode, the feature calculation file for program E must have built into it the values of the coefficients determined by a previous run of the training program F. The program E feature calculation file must specify calculation of the required feature images as they were calculated for the F program, and it must multiply each of these feature images by the appropriate coefficient from the F program output. All of these feature images must then be added to produce a result image. Usually, the constant feature image, $f=0$, must also be added to the result image. This is done by adding to the result image a constant, equal to the feature number 0 coefficient from the F program output. If the value of any pixel in the result image is greater than the Q value supplied by the training program F, that pixel is interpreted as an indication of the presence of a target. The result image can be written to a disk file with the Q value embedded in the file so that the image can be displayed later with obvious indications of any targets that may be present. For output and display purposes, the result image should be clipped, so that there are no values greater than 255 or less than 0.

ATR1 SCSI Software

The ATR1 system has a SCSI bus that is interfaced directly to the transputer network, not to the host computer. One result of this is that the SCSI devices (disk drive and tape drive) are not controlled by the host DOS operating system. Separate file handling software is used for the SCSI devices. The SCSI disk may be used by programs E and F and G very much as if it were a DOS disk with the device name SCSIDISK: (instead of a usual DOS disk name like A: or C:).

A separate program, TSCSI, was written to allow more specific access to the SCSI devices. This program allows such operations as copying files to and from the SCSI devices, reading the disk directory, deleting files, extracting TAR files, and certain diagnostic operations.

PROGRAM USAGE

Loading and Executing Programs

For ATR1 and ATR2, program E is loaded and executed in a single step by typing "run E", with the obvious analogs for programs F, G, and TSCSI. For ATR3, the program must be loaded with a script such as "load4e" and then executed by typing the name of the MASTER program on the host, such as "em", for program E for example. The ATR3 program can be executed repeatedly after one load operation, as long as there are no error conditions that cause loss of synchronization of message transmission among the nodes.

Mask Creation Program G

Program G accepts two types of keyboard input: word commands, with parameters, while not in the image display mode; and, single-key-stroke commands, while in the image display mode. The word commands include most of those listed in Appendix F, as well as a few special commands listed here.

Word Commands

DEFIMG **ncol nrow**

This tells the program the size of the images you will be using. **ncol** is the number of columns, the width of the image in pixels, and **nrow** is the number of rows, the height of the image in pixels. This command should usually be used before any other command, and this command must be used again if you change from working with one size to a different size of image. To use this command, type "defimg", followed by a space, followed by the numerical value of **ncol**, followed by a space, followed by the numerical value of **nrow**, followed by the Enter or Carriage Return key. The word "defimg" may be in upper case or lower case.

INS **filename row0 col0 ncols header bpp**

This tells the program to get a scene image from a disk file. This command uses the same subroutine as the READIMAGE command of the E and F programs, but the parameters are (obviously) listed in different orders for the INS command and the READIMAGE command. For the INS command, if the last 5 or fewer parameters are missing from the command line, the values used in the previous INS command are used again here. Therefore, if you are working with a series of images of the same format, you can give values for the parameters **row0**, **col0**, **ncols**, **header**, and **bpp** for the first image input and not bother repeating these parameter values on later image input commands. If "." is given instead of a file name, the previous input file name is used again. If "+" is given instead of a file name, the previous input file name is incremented and then used here. After the scene image is input, the program automatically enters the image display mode.

INM **filename row0 col0 ncols header bpp**

This tells the program to get a mask image. The parameters and operation of this INM command are like those of the INS command.

MARK

This initiates the image display mode that allows marking target (region 2) and background (region 1) and unspecified (region 0, default) regions on the scene image.

OUTS **filename**

This copies the scene image from memory to the disk file **filename**, with a header. The "." and "+" codes can be used to repeat the previous scene image output file name.

OUTM **filename**

This copies the mask from memory to the disk file **filename**, with a header. The "." and "+" codes can be used to repeat the previous mask output file name.

CLR

This destroys any stored image definition information.

STOP

This stops execution of the mask creation program G.

Single-Key-Stroke Commands

cursor keys

The cursor keys are used either with or without the shift key to move the cursor in steps of 25 pixels or 1 pixel, in the obvious manner. The numeric keypad cursor keys should be used.

, (comma)

The comma is a command to either start drawing a polygon at the cursor location or, if a polygon is already started, to continue the polygon with a line from the last-specified vertex to the cursor location.

. (period)

The period is a command to complete the polygon by drawing a line from the last-specified vertex to the first-specified vertex. This command does not move the cursor. You will then be asked to designate the type of region inside the polygon, 2 or 1 or 0. If you hit any other key, the mask will not be changed.

- (minus or dash)

The present polygon, which may be only partly complete, will be discarded.

; (semicolon)

The image and any existing polygon will be re-drawn. This may be desirable to remove the ashes of a discarded polygon.

! (exclamation point)

This is a command to leave the image display mode; it should be used when you have marked all the regions you want marked. The program will query you for a name for a mask output file; you may enter "nul" if you do not want the mask written to a disk file. The file name codes "." and "+" may be used here. This file output function is the same as that

accomplished with the "OUTM" command.

Training Program F

This training program F is controlled by a set of user-created ASCII files that contain instructions and data for the training processes. These files are described in the following paragraphs. The file name extensions used in these discussions are not required; they are used here to help clarify the descriptions.

Command File (extension .cmd)

When program F executes, it asks the operator for the name of a command file. The command file must contain the following information:

- line 1: an integer to set the operating mode. This value is not used in F, but it must be present in this file.
- line 2: the name of a scene list file (.sl) (input).
- line 3: the name of a feature calculation file (.fc) (input).
- line 4: the name of a sums file (.sum) (output).
- line 5: the name of a result file (.out) (output).
- line 6: W_1 , the relative weight for type 1 errors, a value between 0.0 and 1.0.

If an input file is not needed, or if an output file is not desired, the dummy file name "NUL" may be used on the appropriate line in this command file. F always requires a real scene list file (.sl). A feature calculation file (.fc) is not always needed, as indicated later. The operator always has the option of suppressing the generation of output files (.sum or .out) by using "NUL" as the file name.

Scene List File (.sl)

The program F gets the name of this scene list file from line 2 of the command (.cmd) file. In the most obvious mode of operation, this scene list file gives the number of training scenes, the number of images per scene, and the names of files containing the masks and images:

- line 1: number of scenes, an integer greater than 0.
- line 2: number of images per scene (not including mask).
- following lines, one set per scene:
 - line a: file name for the mask for this scene.
 - line b: file name for the first image for this scene.
 - following lines: file names for other images for this scene.

A feature command file (.fc) is required in this mode of operation.

In the second mode of operation, program F reads feature images rather than scene images, and a feature command file (.fc) is not required. This mode is indicated by representing the number of scenes by a negative number in this scene list file (.sl):

- line 1: negative of the number of scenes, integer less than 0.
- line 2: number of feature images per scene.
- following lines, one set per scene:
 - line a: file name for feature mask for this scene.
 - line b: file name for first feature image for this scene.
 - following lines: file names for other feature images for this scene.

In the third mode of operation, program F does not use any images. Instead, F simply reads the sums that were calculated in a previous run of F. This mode is indicated by a value

of 0 for the number of scenes in this scene list file (.sl):

line 1: the integer value 0.

line 2: the number of features (not including the feature mask or the unit feature in which all pixels have the value 1).

following lines: values of sums.

The sums output file (.sum) created by earlier runs of F can be used as the scene list input file (.sl) for this mode; it contains the correct information in the correct format. In this mode, a feature calculation file (.fc) is not required.

Feature Calculation File (.fc)

Program F gets the name of this feature calculation file from line 3 of the command (.cmd) file. This feature calculation file contains a list of instructions which cause the generation of feature images from scene images. Each instruction in this feature calculation file comprises one line containing a key word command which indicates the operation to be done, followed by values for whatever parameters the command requires, in free format. Appendix F lists the currently available commands. A remark can be added to the line, after all the parameter values are given. Such a remark must start with a semicolon ";". A remark can also appear on a line by itself, starting with either a semicolon or with the command "REM".

Program F executes this sequence of instructions from this feature calculation file once for each scene, if the number of scenes given on line 1 of the scene list file (.sl) is greater than 0; otherwise, this feature calculation file is not used, and the dummy file name "NUL" may be used on line 3 of the command file (.cmd).

Sums File (.sum)

Program F generates a sums file (.sum) with the file name specified on line 4 of the command file (.cmd). The sums file is a set of numeric data that summarizes all the relevant information from the feature images and is used to calculate the optimal values of the coefficients to be used in the surveillance program E. The sums file would not normally be used except for one purpose: to execute F with the same set of features used in the F run that generated the sums file but with a different value for the error weight W_1 or with some variant of the F program. In such a repeated F run situation, it is much faster to simply read the sums file than to read all the scene images, calculate the feature images, and calculate the sums. As mentioned previously, the output sums file (.sum) from one run of program F can be used as the input scene list file (.sl) in later runs of F. The operator can suppress the generation of the sums file (.sum) by using "NUL" as the name of the sums file in line 4 of the command file (.cmd).

Result File (.out)

The essential results of program F are written to a result file. The data that is written for each set of features is: the number of features, the error rates (type 1, type 2, and weighted sum), the value of the coefficient Q, the values of the coefficients C_f , and the importance for each feature in the set. The values of the coefficients are used by program E. The weighted sum error is a simple estimate of this case's uncertainty in target identification. It is an estimate of the fraction of training scene pixels that were incorrectly classified by program F during the training process. This result file normally includes results for several cases with different numbers of features. It may include several cases with the same number of features but with the included features being different in the different cases. It may even include two or more cases with exactly the same features but with different results, which different results may obtain from

different first guesses at the coefficient values in calculating each case. (It is possible that the program may find different local minima instead of the desired absolute minimum in its search for the minimum error conditions for each case.) The operator must peruse the result file and decide which, if any, of the cases represented are best or acceptable for use with the E program. The operator can suppress the generation of the result file (**.out**) by using "NUL" as the name of the result file in line 5 of the command file (**.cmd**).

Surveillance Program E

Program E uses ASCII files similar to those used by F:

Command File (.cmd)

When program E executes, it asks the operator for the name of a command file. The command file must contain the following information:

- line 1: an integer to set the operating mode. This value is not used in E, but it must be present in this file.
- line 2: the name of a scene list file (**.sl**) (input).
- line 3: the name of a feature calculation file (**.fc**) (input).
- line 4: the name of an output file (**.out**) (output). Use "NUL" for this version of E.

E always requires both a scene list file (**.sl**) and a feature calculation file (**.fc**). The current version of the software does not write to the output file (**.out**); "NUL" should be given in line 4 of this command file (**.cmd**).

Scene List File (.sl)

The program E gets the name of this scene list file from line 2 of the command (**.cmd**) file. This scene list file gives the number of scenes to be analyzed, the number of images per scene, and the names of files containing the images:

- line 1: number of scenes, an integer greater than 0.
- line 2: number of images per scene.
- following lines, one set per scene:
 - line a: file name for result image to be output for this scene.
 - line b: file name for the first image for this scene.
 - following lines: file names for other images for this scene.

Feature Calculation File (.fc)

Program E always requires a feature calculation file, the name of which is specified in line 3 of the command file (**.cmd**). The feature calculation files for E are similar to those used for F, although the details of the content will be a little different. The E feature calculation file must contain instructions to read the scene images, calculate the required feature images, use the coefficients obtained from program F to multiply the feature images, add the feature images to create a result image, and display or write the result image. This feature calculation file is used once for each scene analyzed by E.

ATR1 Program TSCSI

The program TSCSI allows manipulation of the disk drive and the tape drive on the SCSI bus, which cannot be accessed via the host computer's DOS file handling system. This program is executed by typing "run TSCSI". It accepts commands from the keyboard. These commands can be typed in upper case or lower case. In the following descriptions, the parameter **id** is the SCSI device identification number, which in this system is 1 for the disk drive or 2 for the tape drive. If the SCSI system detects an error condition, an error message appears on the host computer monitor. The commands are as follows:

COPY srcfile dstfile

This is a general copy command, copying from file **srcfile** to file **dstfile**. Both file names must include a SCSI device name: SC SIDISK:, SC SITAPE:, or SC SIHOST:. To copy from a SCSI disk file to a host file on disk drive C, for example, the command is of the form

```
COPY SC SIDISK:\spath\sfile.ext SC SIHOST:C:\cpath\cfile.ext
```

or perhaps

```
COPY SC SIDISK:sfile.ext SC SIHOST:cfile.ext
```

if the files are in the current directories. The SCSI host device name SC SIHOST: must immediately precede the normal DOS device&path&file&extension string for host files. This COPY command cannot be used to copy from a host file to a host file.

TART TARfile

TART prints on the user's console monitor a directory of the files in a TAR. **TARfile** is the name of the file containing the TAR, which name must include the SCSI device name. **TARfile** cannot reside on the host.

TARX TARfile listfile

TARX extracts files from the TAR in the file **TARfile**. **TARfile** and **listfile** should both include the name of the SCSI device. Either **TARfile** or **listfile**, but not both, may be on the host. The file **listfile** contains a list of pairs of file names, tarname-space-dstname, one pair on each line. The first of each pair, tarname, is the name of a file in the TAR, and the second of each pair, dstname, is the name of the destination file to which the TAR file should be extracted. The destination file names should include a SCSI device name. No destination file can be on the host. The program scans through **TARfile** in the forward direction only, never backing up, until it finds the next TAR file in the list, which it then extracts to the indicated destination file. If "+" is given as the name of a TAR file, the next TAR file encountered is used. If "*" is given as the name of a TAR file, all the remaining TAR files are extracted to destination files with the same names as the TAR files; in this case, the destination file name should also be "*", preceded by the SCSI device name (for example, "SC SIDISK: *"). The list in **listfile** should be terminated with a blank line. **listfile** can be "SC SIHOST:", in which case tarname-dstname pairs are typed in to the keyboard.

COPT2D filename

Copy one file from the SCSI tape drive to SCSI disk file **filename**. The program will ask for the number of records and the record length. The tape should be positioned at the beginning of the source file before this command is issued. **filename** should NOT include the device name SC SIDISK:.

COPD2H SCSIdiskfile hostfile

Copy file **SCSIdiskfile** from the SCSI disk to the host file **hostfile**. The file names **SCSIdiskfile** and **hostfile** should NOT include SCSI device names.

COPH2D hostfile SCSIdiskfile

Copy the host file **hostfile** to the SCSI disk file **SCSIdiskfile**. The file names **SCSIdiskfile** and **hostfile** should NOT include SCSI device names.

DIR [filename]

This command displays a SCSI disk directory. The **filename** parameter is optional. If **filename** is absent, the current directory is displayed. If **filename** is present and comprises only a path (no base file name), the directory specified in that path is displayed. Wild characters are not allowed in paths. If **filename** includes a file name, in addition to or instead of a path, only those directory entries with names that match **filename** are displayed. In this case, **filename** may contain the two wild characters "?" and "*" in the base name and its extension. The "?" in **filename** is construed as matching any single character in a directory file name. The "*" is construed as matching any substring without delimiters in the directory file name. A delimiter is any of ":" (colon), "\" (backslash), or "." (period). When the "*" appears in **filename**, characters in the directory file name are skipped until (1) a delimiter is encountered; (2) the end of the directory file name is encountered; or (3) the character following the "*" in **filename** is encountered in the directory file name.

File names are NOT case sensitive. File names may have as many as 8 characters in the base name plus 3 characters in the extension. The SCSI device name SCSIIDISK: should NOT be included in **filename**.

DEL filename

This deletes from the SCSI disk all files with names matching **filename**. This command uses the same wild character conventions that are used in the DIR command. An empty subdirectory can be deleted with the DEL command by appending a "\" at the end of the subdirectory name. Wild characters are not allowed in paths. The SCSI device name SCSIIDISK: should NOT be included in **filename**.

REN oldname newname

REN changes the name of the existing SCSI disk file **oldname** to **newname**. Wild character constructions are permitted; any wild character in **oldname** must be matched by the same character in **newname**. This REN command may be used to change subdirectory names as well as standard file names, using the "\" character at the end of the subdirectory name. The SCSI device name SCSIIDISK: should NOT be included in either **oldname** or **newname**.

CD pathname

CD changes the current directory for the SCSI disk. The SCSI device name SCSIIDISK: should NOT be included as part of **pathname**.

INIT id

Initialize device **id**. For the disk, this command will DELETE ALL DATA and initialize the directory and the file allocation table. For the tape drive, this command merely rewinds the tape and resets some internal program pointers.

BUSRESET

SCSI BUS RESET command.

READY id

SCSI DEVICE READY command to device **id**.

REWIND id

SCSI REWIND command to device **id**.

REQSENSE id

SCSI REQUEST SENSE command to device **id**. Device response data appears on the host monitor in hexadecimal format.

INQUIRY id

SCSI INQUIRY command to device **id**. Device response data appears on the host monitor in hexadecimal format.

MODESENSE id

SCSI MODE SENSE command to device **id**. Device response data appears on the host monitor in hexadecimal format.

CAPACITY id

SCSI READ CAPACITY command to device **id**. Device response data appears on the host monitor with capacity values in hexadecimal format.

LOCATE id N

For the tape, this is the SCSI LOCATE command, which positions the tape at block **N**. This command should not be used for the disk.

SPACE id N kode

SCSI SPACE command. Skip over **N** logical blocks if **kode** = 0, or skip over **N** filemarks of **kode** = 1, or skip to the end of data if **kode** = 3. This is for the tape drive only.

WFILMARK id N

SCSI WRITE FILE MARK command. Write **N** file marks. This is for the tape drive only.

READPOS id

SCSI READ POSITION command for device **id**. Device response data is displayed on the host monitor with data values in hexadecimal.

SETBL id bl

Sets the logical block length equal to **bl** bytes for the tape drive. This should not be used for the disk drive. This command may be necessary before reading a tape.

READ id N

For the disk, this reads logical block **N** and prints the contents (512 bytes) on the host

monitor in hexadecimal format. This command should not be used for the tape drive.

TWRIT id

Writes 9 files to device **id**, for testing and diagnostic purposes.

TREAD id

Reads the 9 files written by TWRIT, for testing and diagnostic purposes.

STOP

Stops execution of TSCSI.

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APPENDIX A

EXAMPLE 1: Median Filter Testing

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This sample application is presented primarily for the benefit of the prospective ATR system user, to illustrate the use of the system. In this example, we use only one training scene, and we have only one image per scene. The features used are based on one-dimensional median filtering. More specifically, the difference between the result of median filtering with a window of N pixels and with a window of N+2 pixels is used as the meaningful feature. The goal in this application is to find medium-sized lettering and reject large lettering, small lettering, and other kinds of texture.

This example was written for ATR1, and it includes references to the SCSI disk that is available only on ATR1. This example, and any other application of the ATR software, should run equally well on any of the hardware systems if the file names are adjusted to make sense on the system being used.

The training scene image is in file \IMG\DEMO4.IMG on the PC system disk. This image, color coded to indicate the target and background regions specified by the user with program G, is shown in Figure A1 (in Reference 1, Appendix A). The region selection information is in the mask file \IMG\M4D.IMG, created by program G. The regions designated as targets for the training program include only the medium-sized lettering, in the top left and the bottom right corners of the scene. The regions designated as background include the larger lettering, in the top right corner and at the left edge; some of the small lettering, at the bottom of the scene; and, a large amount of the picture engraving. Note that it is not necessary to mark all of the small lettering, for example, as background; if some of it is marked as background and none of it is marked as target, that should be sufficient. Similarly, it is not necessary to mark every target that may appear in the training scenes. All that is required is that a representative set of examples of targets and of background be marked in the training scenes.

The F command file (.cmd) is fmedflh.cmd, which contains:

```
1 mode value is not used
fmedfl.sl
fmedflh.fc
fmedflh.sum
fmedflh.out
0.5
```

The scene list file (.sl) is fmedfl.sl:

```
1 = number of scenes
1 = number of images per scene
\img\m4d.img
\img\demo4.img
```

The feature calculation file (.fc) is fmedflh.fc:

```
REM USE TYPE 1 MEDIAN FILTERS. fmedflh.fc
REM Detect positive & negative peaks separately.
REM Use square of peak amplitude also.
REM Use a median filter in the perpendicular direction
REM to reduce noise.

defimg 1 512 480 0 ; define image 1, 512x480, no overlap rows.
copdef 3 1 6 ; define image 3 like image 1 but with 6 overlap rows.
copdef 4 1 6 ; images 3, 4, and 5 are distributed the same as image
```

copdef 5 1 6 ; 1 and are compatible for multi-image operations.

```
REM Generate the MASK feature image, feature image 0,  
REM from the scene mask image:  
readscene 1 ; read from the file listed first in the .sl file.  
undersample 2 1 0 2.0 2.0 0 ; decimate by 2 in each direction.  
writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI 2 ; write MASK feature image (number 0)  
; to SCSI disk file (ATR1 only)
```

```
REM Read the single scene image:  
readscene 1 ; read from next file listed in .sl file.
```

```
REM run length measurements in y (vertical) direction:  
copy 3 1 ; copy image 1 to image 3.  
REM for run length = 1:  
overlap 3 ; share overlap values among nodes.  
medly 4 3 3 ; image 4 = image 3 median filtered, 1-D, 3 pixels.  
sub 5 3 4 ; image 5 = raw - median filtered.  
medlx 3 5 3 ; eliminate 1-pixel wide noise.  
REM negative peaks with y-direction run length = 1:  
mulcon 3 3 -1.0 ; multiply by -1.  
maxcon 5 3 0.0 ; remove negative values.  
smthx 5 5 2.0 4 ; smooth in x direction.  
smthy 5 5 4.0 4 ; smooth in y direction.  
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0 ; decimate, to already-defined image 2.  
scale 2 2 ; scale in preparation for writing.  
writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI 2 ; write next feature image (number 1)  
REM for run length = 2:  
overlap 4 ; do more filtering on once-filtered image:  
medly 3 4 5 ; 5-pixel window median filter.  
sub 5 4 3 ; difference, 3-pix - 5-pix filtered.  
medlx 4 5 3 ; noise reduction.  
REM negative peaks:  
mulcon 4 4 -1.0  
maxcon 5 4 0.0  
smthx 5 5 2.0 4  
smthy 5 5 4.0 4  
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0  
scale 2 2  
writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI 2  
REM for run length = 3:  
overlap 3  
medly 4 3 7 ; 7-pixel window.  
sub 5 3 4  
medlx 3 5 3  
mulcon 3 3 -1.0  
maxcon 5 3 0.0  
smthx 5 5 2.0 4  
smthy 5 5 4.0 4  
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0  
scale 2 2  
writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\Y3N.FI 2  
  
REM for run length in x (i, horizontal) direction:  
copy 3 1  
medlx 4 3 3  
sub 5 3 4  
overlap 5  
medly 3 5 3  
mulcon 3 3 -1.0  
maxcon 5 3 0.0  
smthx 5 5 2.0 4  
smthy 5 5 4.0 4  
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0  
scale 2 2
```



```

writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI 2
medlx 3 4 5
sub 5 4 3
overlap 5
medly 4 5 3
mulcon 4 4 -1.0
maxcon 5 4 0.0
smthx 5 5 2.0 4
smthy 5 5 4.0 4
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0
scale 2 2
writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\X2N.FI 2
medlx 4 3 7
sub 5 3 4
overlap 5
medly 3 5 3
mulcon 3 3 -1.0
maxcon 5 3 0.0
smthx 5 5 2.0 4
smthy 5 5 4.0 4
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0
scale 2 2
writefeat SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI 2 ; write feature image number 6

```

```

REM new feature images = products of old ones:
feat* 1 4 ; product of features 1 and 4.
feat* 2 5
feat* 3 6
feat* 1 5
feat* 2 6
feat* 2 4
feat* 3 5

```

STOP

This feature calculation file contains instructions that first create a mask which is the same size as the feature images and store the mask as if it were the first (number 0) feature image. The later instructions define 13 feature images, 6 of which are stored on the SCSI disk as image files and 7 of which are defined as products of the others and are not actually stored as files.

The training program F uses these input files and generates files fmedflh.sum and fmedflh.out, as specified in the command file. The result output file fmedflh.out includes optimal coefficient values for each of several sets of included features, and an uncertainty estimate (estimated total error rate) for each set. The graph in Figure A2 summarizes these results. The result output file fmedflh.out is long, and is listed in part here:

```

for 14 active features:          0.175471
0.175471 = 0.500 * 0.056746 + 0.500 * 0.294196
96.413246 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  6.905470e+01  0.07501  SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
1 -1.230949e+01 -0.00922  SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI
2  6.688059e+00 -0.01022  SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI
3 -6.544309e+00 -0.00922  SCSIDISK:\FI\Y3N.FI
4  2.173096e+01 -0.00570  SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
5  9.023728e+00  0.02863  SCSIDISK:\FI\X2N.FI
6 -1.139377e+01  0.06507  SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
7  9.544310e+00 -0.00920  !*001004
8  1.365871e+00 -0.00704  !*002005
9 -2.541479e+00 -0.00860  !*003006
10 2.975932e+00 -0.00922  !*001005
11 2.677683e+00 -0.00935  !*002006

```

12 1.240894e+01 -0.00472 !*002004
13 7.573971e+00 -0.00738 !*003005

ABNORMAL ERROR DECREASE:

for 13 active features: 0.165250
 $0.165250 = 0.500 * 0.032445 + 0.500 * 0.298054$
 $91.966316 = Q = \text{target criterion.}$

f	C[f]	
0	6.297519e+01	SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
1	-3.901356e+00	SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI
3	-2.926445e+00	SCSIDISK:\FI\Y3N.FI
4	2.314094e+01	SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
5	6.831545e+00	SCSIDISK:\FI\X2N.FI
6	-8.239699e+00	SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
7	-1.702130e+00	!*001004
8	5.421373e+00	!*002005
9	-4.044115e+00	!*003006
10	-1.274309e+00	!*001005
11	7.129105e-01	!*002006
12	2.498617e+01	!*002004
13	7.000552e+00	!*003005

RESTART:

for 14 active features: 0.164748
 $0.164748 = 0.500 * 0.027901 + 0.500 * 0.301596$
 $90.807426 = Q = \text{target criterion.}$

f	C[f]	import.	
0	6.165407e+01	0.08525	SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
1	-1.997215e+00	0.00045	SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI
2	-1.405803e+00	0.00040	SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI
3	-2.365844e+00	0.00035	SCSIDISK:\FI\Y3N.FI
4	2.329933e+01	0.02221	SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
5	5.318080e+00	0.01103	SCSIDISK:\FI\X2N.FI
6	-6.925702e+00	0.04903	SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
7	-5.237159e+00	0.00026	!*001004
8	7.290884e+00	0.02268	!*002005
9	-3.500515e+00	0.00060	!*003006
10	-1.582983e+00	-0.00007	!*001005
11	-9.228410e-01	-0.00001	!*002006
12	2.825508e+01	0.04749	!*002004
13	6.175331e+00	0.00115	!*003005

FILE TEXT IS MISSING HERE

for 6 active features: 0.170221
 $0.170221 = 0.500 * 0.033679 + 0.500 * 0.306763$
 $93.000191 = Q = \text{target criterion.}$

f	C[f]	import.	
0	6.063261e+01	0.07979	SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
1	-3.885988e+00	0.00298	SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI
4	4.440161e+01	0.06733	SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
6	-7.864605e+00	0.05273	SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
8	1.664656e+01	0.08818	!*002005
9	-2.005543e+00	0.00027	!*003006

for 5 active features: 0.170490
 $0.170490 = 0.500 * 0.034567 + 0.500 * 0.306414$
 $93.142075 = Q = \text{target criterion.}$

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  6.006615e+01  0.07953 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
1 -3.642586e+00  0.00286 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI
4  4.433332e+01  0.06753 SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
6 -8.006670e+00  0.05427 SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
8  1.626991e+01  0.05714 !*002005

```

```

for 4 active features:      0.173354
0.173354 = 0.500 * 0.035825 + 0.500 * 0.310883
93.122307 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  5.473910e+01  0.07667 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
4  4.621682e+01  0.06988 SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
6 -7.831959e+00  0.05222 SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
8  1.643995e+01  0.05579 !*002005

```

```

for 3 active features:      0.225576
0.225576 = 0.500 * 0.159022 + 0.500 * 0.292130
86.924637 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  4.786732e+01  0.02599 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
4  4.702850e+01 -0.02771 SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
8  1.672868e+01  0.08130 !*002005

```

```

for 2 active features:      0.197867
0.197867 = 0.500 * 0.033910 + 0.500 * 0.361824
98.398445 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  5.563923e+01  9.99990 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
8  2.536514e+01  9.99990 !*002005

```

there are no acceptable smaller feature subsets.

At this point, a new coefficient calculation is done for a different value of the type 1 error weight, 0.90. The command file (.cmd) is fmedflh2.cmd:

```

1 mode value is not used
fmedflh.sum
NUL
NUL
fmedflh2.out
0.9

```

This command file gives the name of the sum file output by the previous F calculation, in place of a scene list file. The result of this is that this F calculation does not access any image files and does not calculate any feature images, thereby saving a lot of time. This F calculation merely uses the sums from a previous calculation and does a new optimization for the new value of the type 1 error weight. This F calculation outputs its results to file fmedflh2.out, which is listed in part here:

```

for 14 active features:      0.039632
0.039632 = 0.900 * 0.002812 + 0.100 * 0.371013
106.356369 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  6.240343e+01  0.01038 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI

```

```

1 -4.529906e+00 -0.00146 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y1N.FI
2 2.635504e+00 -0.00144 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI
3 -4.813251e+00 -0.00154 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y3N.FI
4 2.167990e+01 0.00541 SCSIDISK:\FI\X1N.FI
5 6.383419e+00 0.00403 SCSIDISK:\FI\X2N.FI
6 -7.766041e+00 -0.00092 SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
7 2.323600e+00 -0.00143 !*001004
8 3.679545e+00 -0.00058 !*002005
9 -2.296764e+00 -0.00144 !*003006
10 -9.088939e-01 -0.00158 !*001005
11 -1.956589e+00 -0.00133 !*002006
12 2.865775e+01 0.01126 !*002004
13 7.252297e+00 0.00331 !*003005

```

FILE TEXT IS MISSING HERE

```

for 6 active features: 0.038530
0.038530 = 0.900 * 0.001673 + 0.100 * 0.370237
100.068092 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f C[f] import.
0 6.154808e+01 0.01147 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
2 -5.170771e+00 0.00154 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI
6 -3.419756e-01 0.00004 SCSIDISK:\FI\X3N.FI
8 1.368567e+01 0.01216 !*002005
11 -8.860680e+00 0.00167 !*002006
12 4.439417e+01 0.01622 !*002004

```

```

for 5 active features: 0.038571
0.038571 = 0.900 * 0.001691 + 0.100 * 0.370489
100.089783 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f C[f] import.
0 6.126400e+01 0.01143 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
2 -5.171503e+00 0.00150 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI
8 1.372271e+01 0.01019 !*002005
11 -8.929868e+00 0.00195 !*002006
12 4.443060e+01 0.01425 !*002004

```

```

for 4 active features: 0.040074
0.040074 = 0.900 * 0.001952 + 0.100 * 0.383173
103.289093 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f C[f] import.
0 5.779496e+01 0.00993 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
8 1.293844e+01 0.01008 !*002005
11 -9.245314e+00 0.00216 !*002006
12 4.276791e+01 0.01099 !*002004

```

```

for 3 active features: 0.042236
0.042236 = 0.900 * 0.002378 + 0.100 * 0.400960
108.795937 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f C[f] import.
0 5.654004e+01 0.00779 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
8 1.004776e+01 0.00780 !*002005
12 3.924446e+01 0.00362 !*002004

```

```

for 2 active features: 0.045858
0.045858 = 0.900 * 0.003053 + 0.100 * 0.431104
115.866432 = Q = target criterion.

```

```

f      C[f]      import.
0  5.563923e+01  9.99990 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
8  2.536514e+01  9.99990 !*002005

```

there are no acceptable smaller feature subsets.

Figure A2 shows the error rate versus number of features for both of the two F runs. The error rate values above 0.15 are for the first run, and the values below 0.05 are for the second run.

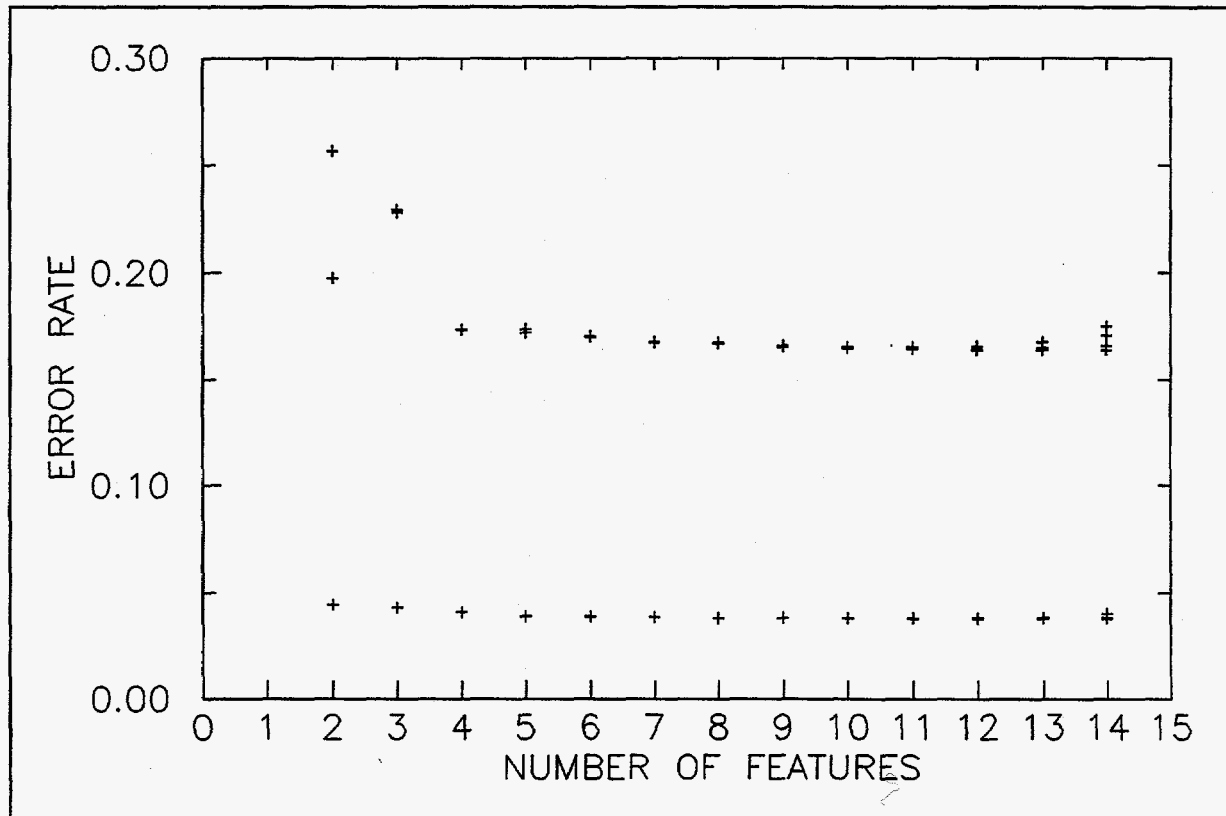


Figure A2: Total (weighted sum) error rate versus number of features for two program F optimization calculations.

In this example, the coefficients chosen for use in the surveillance process are those for 5 features in the second F calculation. The E command file (.cmd) is emedflh.cmd:

```

1 = mode. this parameter is not used in E.
emedflh.sl
emedflh.fc
NUL

```

This E command file specifies "NUL" for the output file. The current version of E does not use an output file, but an output file name should still be specified.

The E scene list file (.sl) is emedflh.sl:

```

4 = number of scenes
1 = number of images per scene
\ri\demo1.ri
\img\demo1.img
+
+
+
+
+
+

```

This scene list file gives "demo1" as the base file name for both the output result image file and the input scene image file for the first scene. For the next 3 scenes, these file names are incremented, so that the base file names for the next 3 scenes are "demo2", "demo3", and "demo4".

The E feature calculation file (.fc) is emedflh.fc:

```

REM USE TYPE 1 MEDIAN FILTERS. fmedflh.fc
REM Detect positive & negative peaks separately.
REM Use square of peak amplitude also.
REM Use a median filter in the perpendicular direction
REM to reduce noise.

defimg 1 512 480 0 ; define image 1, 512x480, no overlap rows.
copdef 3 1 6 ; define image 3 like image 1 but with 6 overlap rows.
copdef 4 1 6 ; images 3, 4, and 5 are distributed the same as image
copdef 5 1 6 ; 1 and are compatible for multi-image operations.
undersample 7 1 0 2.0 2.0 0 ; half-size result image.
copdef 6 7 0
copdef 2 7 0

zeroimage 7 ; initiallize result image.

REM 0 6.126400e+01 0.01143 SCSIDISK:\FI\MASK.FI
addcon 7 7 61.264 ; feature 0, additive constant.

REM Read the single scene image:
readscene 1 ; read from next file listed in .sl file.
resample 2 1 0 0 0 0 ; image 2 = decimated scene image 1.
disp . 2 50 128 0.0 ; display decimated scene image; why not?

REM run length measurements in y (vertical) direction:
copy 3 1 ; copy image 1 to image 3.
REM for run length = 1:
overlap 3 ; share overlap values among nodes.
medly 4 3 3 ; image 4 = image 3 median filtered, 1-D, 3 pixels.
REM for run length = 2:
overlap 4 ; do more filtering on once-filtered image:
medly 3 4 5 ; 5-pixel window median filter.
sub 5 4 3 ; difference, 3-pix - 5-pix filtered.
medlx 4 5 3 ; noise reduction.
REM negative peaks:
mulcon 4 4 -1.0
maxcon 5 4 0.0
smthx 5 5 2.0 4
smthy 5 5 4.0 4
resample 6 5 0 0 0 0 ; image 6 = feature 2.
REM 2 -5.171503e+00 0.00150 SCSIDISK:\FI\Y2N.FI
mulcon 2 6 -5.171503 ; image 2 = feature 2 * coefficient.
add 7 7 2 ; accumulate to result image, image 7.

REM for run length in x (i, horizontal) direction:
copy 3 1

```

```

medlx 4 3 3
sub 5 3 4
overlap 5
medly 3 5 3
mulcon 3 3 -1.0
maxcon 5 3 0.0
smthx 5 5 2.0 4
smthy 5 5 4.0 4
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0 ; image 2 = feature 4.
mul 2 2 6 ; image 2 = feature 4 * feature 2 = feature 12.
REM 12 4.443060e+01 0.01425 !*002004
mulcon 2 2 44.4306 ; image 2 = feature 12 * coefficient.
add 7 7 2

medlx 3 4 5
sub 5 4 3
overlap 5
medly 4 5 3
mulcon 4 4 -1.0
maxcon 5 4 0.0
smthx 5 5 2.0 4
smthy 5 5 4.0 4
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0 ; feature 5.
mul 2 2 6 ; feature 8 = feature 5 * feature 2.
REM 8 1.372271e+01 0.01019 !*002005
mulcon 2 2 13.72271 ; feature 8 * coefficient.
add 7 7 2

medlx 4 3 7
sub 5 3 4
overlap 5
medly 3 5 3
mulcon 3 3 -1.0
maxcon 5 3 0.0
smthx 5 5 2.0 4
smthy 5 5 4.0 4
resample 2 5 0 0 0 0 ; feature 6.
mul 2 2 6 ; feature 11 = feature 6 * feature 2.
REM 11 -8.929868e+00 0.00195 !*002006
mulcon 2 2 -8.929868 ; feature 11 * coefficient.
add 7 7 2

REM Eliminate false positives from median filter edge effects:
defkern 1 -3 3 -3 3
zeroimage 2
copyedges 7 2 1 ; copy zeroed edges from image 2 to image 7.

maxcon 7 7 0.0 ; remove values < 0.
mincon 7 7 255.0 ; remove values > 255.
REM 100.089783 = Q = target criterion.
writeresult 7 1 100.089783 ; write result image.
disp . 7 50 768 100.089783 ; display result image.

STOP

```

This E feature calculation file is used for each of the four scenes specified in the scene list file. It includes the values of the coefficients from the F result output file for 5 features.

This E calculation generates four result images. These result images are smaller than the scene images, having half as many pixels in each direction. This of course implies half the spatial resolution in each direction, but result images usually do not require much spatial resolution so time and disk space can be saved by using the lower resolution for result images. The four result images are shown in Figures A3 - A6, along with their corresponding scene

images decimated to the same size as the result images. (The combination of decimation and reproduction for this report greatly degrades the quality of these scene images.) In the result images, the bright, green to pale green to white, regions indicate targets; the dark, red to black, regions indicate background. The lighter regions are stronger indications of target. Figure A6 shows that the ATR system did correctly designate the medium-sized lettering as target, and it did correctly reject the larger letters as background. The results are mixed for the small letters at the bottom center of the scene, some being correctly rejected as background and some being incorrectly identified as targets. A few other regions in the DEMO4 scene, as well as a few small regions in the other scenes, are incorrectly identified as targets by this ATR system. These incorrect identifications simply mean that this ATR system, with the particular features which were chosen for this application, cannot distinguish between medium-sized lettering and whatever is shown in the scene images at those regions incorrectly identified as targets. Presumably, the operator could choose a better set of features and reduce the incidence of errors in this ATR application. Note, however, that this relatively small set of relatively simple features did quite well: there are essentially no type 1 errors (incorrect designation of targets as background), and there are not many type 2 errors (incorrect designation of background as target). The absence of type 1 errors is largely due to the large value (0.9) chosen for the type 1 error weight in the F optimization calculation.

APPENDIX B

EXAMPLE 2: Roads and Riverbanks

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This simple example illustrates fusion of image data, as well as some aspects of using the software. We have two images of the same scene, one visible light and one infrared image. (These images are part of a set supplied by Karen Steinmaus of Battelle, Pacific Northwest Laboratories, one of the participants in the Department of Energy's Airborne Multisensor Pod System project.) The visible light image (Figure B1) shows roads quite clearly, but it also shows riverbanks and it is difficult to distinguish between the two features in this image. The infrared image (Figure B2) does not show the roads very well, but it clearly indicates where the river is. The two images together should allow us to find roads and reject riverbanks. Note, however, that this cannot be done by looking for roads in each of the two images separately and then simply adding or averaging the two results; a more sophisticated approach to image data fusion, such as that used in this ATR system, is required.

For this illustration, we do a very simple analysis using only 4 features. For the first feature, we do a convolution of the visible light image with a 13x13 pixel kernel in which the pixel values are proportional to X^2 with the mean subtracted out, clip the result to keep only negative values, and take the absolute value. This convolution kernel is in file `c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\pnlxx.opr`:

```
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
22. 11. 2. -5. -10. -13. -14. -13. -10. -5. 2. 11. 22.
```

This first feature indicates the presence of both vertical roads and vertical riverbanks.

For the third feature, we do a convolution of the infrared image with a 13x13 pixel kernel in which the pixel values are proportional to X , and square the result. This kernel is in file `c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\pnlx.opr`:

```
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
-6. -5. -4. -3. -2. -1. 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.
```

This third feature is insensitive to roads, but shows vertical riverbanks very well.

The second and fourth features are analogous to the first and third, using kernels with dependence on the Y coordinate instead of the X coordinate to detect roads and riverbanks that

run horizontally in the images instead of vertically.

Figures B1 and B2 both show the operator-selected target (green) and background (red) regions. Note that these regions do not need to be marked on both of the scene images separately; it is sufficient to use either one of the scene images with the program G to mark the target and background regions.

The F program command file is

```
0 unused mode code
fpnl1.sl
fpnl2.fc
fpnl2.sum
fpnl2.out
0.5
```

and the scene list file (fpnl1.sl) is

```
1 scene
2 images per scene
SCSIDISK:PNLmsk03.img
SCSIDISK:PNL1s01.img
SCSIDISK:PNL6s01.img
```

and the feature calculation file (fpnl2.fc) is

```
echo PNL01 test
defimg 1 512 512 6; image 1 has 512 rows, 512 columns, 6 overlap
defkern 1 -6 6 -6 6; operator (kernel) 1 is 13x13 pixels.
copdef 3 1 0; image 3 is the same size as image 1, zero overlap.
zeroimage 3

featfil ; use scene mask as feature mask.

readscene 1; image 1 is first scene image.
readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLxx.opr 1; read convolution operator (kernel).
convolve 3 1 1; image 3 = image 1 convolved with kernel 1.
mincon 3 3 0.0; keep only negative results, set positive to zero.
abs 3 3; absolute value.
scale 3 3 1; prepare image 3 for output as a feature image.
writefeat D:tem1.img 3; output to disk, put file name in internal list.

readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLy.opr 1; new kernel, same old scene image.
convolve 3 1 1
mincon 3 3 0.0
abs 3 3
scale 3 3 1
writefeat + 3; automatically select feature image file name:

readscene 1; new scene image.
readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLx.opr 1; new kernel.
convolve 3 1 1
mul 3 3 3; multiply result by itself.
scale 3 3 1
writefeat + 3

readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLy.opr 1
convolve 3 1 1
mul 3 3 3
scale 3 3 1
writefeat + 3

STOP
```

The part of the F program output file that is used for the E program is

```
for 5 active features: 0.168050
0.168050 = 0.500 * 0.023600 + 0.500 * 0.312500
90.007324 = Q = target criterion.
```

```
f      C[f]      import.
0  5.957882e+01  0.08195 scsidisk:PNLmsk03.img
1  2.562973e-03  0.02468 D:tem1.img
2  1.270594e-02  0.12367 D:tem2.img
3  -7.132083e-08  0.01399 D:tem3.img
4  -1.236135e-07  0.00208 D:tem4.img
```

The surveillance program E command file is

```
1 mode value is not used
epnl2.sl
epnl2.fc
NUL
```

and the scene list file (epnl2.sl) is

```
4 four scenes
2 two images per scene
\ri\epnl2a.ri
SCSIDISK:PNLtape1\image1a
SCSIDISK:PNLtape1\image6a
+
+1
+2
+
+1
+2
+
+1
+2
```

This scene list file specifies 4 scenes, with the names of corresponding files for each scene being the previous file names incremented.

The E feature calculation file (epnl2.fc) is

```
echo PNL01 test

sdefF32 Q COEF0 COEF1 COEF2 COEF3 COEF4; feature coefficients:
REM The following 6 lines are copied from the F output file
REM and modified to define coefficient values:
seq Q 90.007324 = Q = target criterion.
seq COEF0 5.957882e+01 0.08195 scsidisk:PNLmsk03.img
seq COEF1 2.562973e-03 0.02468 D:tem1.img
seq COEF2 1.270594e-02 0.12367 D:tem2.img
seq COEF3 -7.132083e-08 0.01399 D:tem3.img
seq COEF4 -1.236135e-07 0.00208 D:tem4.img

sdefI32 PNLxx PNLyy PNLx PNLy; kernel numbers:
seq PNLxx 1
seq PNLyy 2
seq PNLx 3
seq PNLy 4
defkern PNLxx -6 6 -6 6
defkern PNLyy -6 6 -6 6
defkern PNLx -6 6 -6 6
```

```

defkern PNLy -6 6 -6 6
readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLxx.opr PNLxx
readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLyy.opr PNLyy
readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLx.opr PNLx
readkernel c:\imanal\opr\pnlopr\PNLy.opr PNLy

sdefi32 SRC1 SRC2 RESULT SKR1; image numbers:
seq SRC1 1; first scene image.
seq SRC2 2; second scene image.
seq RESULT 3; result image.
seq SKR1 4; scratch image.
defimg SRC1 512 512 6
copdef SRC2 SRC1 6
copdef RESULT SRC1 0
copdef SKR1 SRC1 0

readscene SRC1
readscene SRC2
zeroimage RESULT
zeroimage SKR1

convolve SKR1 SRC1 PNLxx; convolve scene image with kernel.
mincon SKR1 SKR1 0.0
abs SKR1 SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF1; feature 1.
add RESULT RESULT SKR1; accumulate feature*coefficient to result.

convolve SKR1 SRC2 PNLx
mul SKR1 SKR1 SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF3; feature 3.
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

convolve SKR1 SRC1 PNLyy
mincon SKR1 SKR1 0.0
abs SKR1 SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF2; feature 2.
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

convolve SKR1 SRC2 PNLy
mul SKR1 SKR1 SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF4; feature 4.
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

addcon RESULT RESULT COEF0; additive constant, feature 0.

maxcon RESULT RESULT 0.0; limit result pixel values, > 0
mincon RESULT RESULT 254.0; and < 255.
zeroimage SKR1; zero edge rows and columns in result;
copyedges RESULT SKR1 PNLx; they don't mean anything.
writeresult RESULT 1 Q; write with header type 1.
disp . RESULT 0 0 Q; display result, label = filename:

STOP

```

This feature calculation file uses some user-defined variables to make the file more readable and to make it easier to change the values of the coefficients from the F program.

The result image for one of the scenes, the same scene which was used as the training scene, is shown in Figure B3. In this result image, the white is the strongest indication of roads, darker green is a weaker indication of roads, black is the strongest indication of background (non-road), and lighter red is a weaker indication of background. This result does distinguish clearly between road and riverbank, thus satisfying the goal for this illustration: the two images analyzed jointly give a clear indication of a result that is not obvious in either image separately. This

result indicates horizontal roads more strongly than vertical roads; this is because the horizontal roads appear narrower in these images, and the convolution calculations used here are more sensitive to narrower features. This result also indicates as roads some regions that are neither road nor riverbank; this is not surprising, since no significant effort was made to exclude miscellaneous clutter from being identified as target in this very simple example.

APPENDIX C

EXAMPLE 3: Buried Waste Location

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This example illustrates a more intensive use of user-defined scalar variables; some image manipulation methods; and, the use of a completely naive but still quite effective analysis method in which the ATR system's capabilities replace operator understanding of the data. The primary purpose of this study was to assess the utility of this ATR system in buried waste recovery operations.

Data

In this application, as many as 7 sensors acquired different types of data. This data is not image data in the traditional sense. Rather, each "image" is merely a set of values measured at a two-dimensional array of points on the surface of the ground. Sensor S1A is the vertical component of the earth's magnetic field, and S1B is the gradient (derivative with respect to vertical position) of the vertical component of the magnetic field. S2A, S3A, S4A, and S5A are measurements of the electrical conductivity of the soil, like eddy current measurements, taken with different combinations of field orientation and phase shift. S6A is a volatile chemical sensor. Most scenes include measurements from the first six sensors. Because data from the seventh sensor S6A was available for only 3 of the 35 scenes, and for one of these three scenes no other sensor data was available, this seventh sensor data was not used in this brief study.

There were 5 experiments, referred to as E1, E2, E3, E5, and E6. The different experiments represent data recorded over five different areas with different buried objects. The five rectangles on the left of Figure C1 indicate the *approximate* sizes and locations of buried objects in the five experiments, as seen from above. (North is to the left.) In these sketches, the solid objects are magnetic, and the objects drawn with outlines only are, at least mostly, not magnetic. In E2, for example, there are a magnetic barrel (object 7) and a wooden box (object 6). Objects 9 and 10 in E3 are two boxes, one above the other, with some magnetic material in the top box. The top box was removed between L3 and L4 (to be described later). Similarly, object 20 (a vertical barrel) in E5 was removed between L2 and L3, and object 27 (a vertical steel pipe) in E6 was removed between L2 and L3.

For each experiment, there are several different levels or vertical positions of the sensors. The number of different levels is not the same for all experiments. The several levels are referred to as L0, L1, L0 is the highest level, and the sensors are 6 inches lower for each successive level. In some cases, layers of soil were removed between successive measurement levels. In these analyses, any one level of any one experiment is treated as a separate *scene*. Different scenes are expected to give different results for any measurement, because they contain different objects or because the objects are at different distances from the sensors. There are a total of 34 usable scenes in this data set.

The scene images in this data have 43 columns (43 x values, spaced 3 inches apart) and 25 rows (25 y values, spaced 6 inches apart). Some of the data sets did not have this many rows or columns, and some were missing a few data points from what was expected to be a regularly-spaced array. In all of these cases, the missing data points were filled in using a linear interpolation or extrapolation procedure, NTRP01, so that each scene image used in this study had a full 43x25=1075 data points. The interpolation was done separately and is not included in the feature calculation files listed here.

Analyses

Perhaps the simplest analysis we can use with this ATR system for a set of data with 6

sensors is a linear combination of the 6 raw data images (augmented with the "constant" $f=0$ image which is always included for mathematical completeness). This simple linear analysis was tried with the buried waste data. The training was done with 4 scenes: E2L7, E5L2, E5L5, and E6L5. The masks used were M2A, M5A, M5B, and M6A, shown in Figure C1. In this figure, the red (actually more brown) areas of the masks are designated as background, the green areas are target, and the black areas are not used in the training process. These masks mark barrels as targets and other regions as background; that is, this analysis is a search for barrels. The results of this training process were used to analyze 30 scenes from experiments E2, E3, E5, and E6; experiment E1 was not included in this analysis because this analysis uses 6 sensors and only 4 sensors were used in experiment E1. The results are indicated in Figure C3. In this figure, as in any of the result images, lighter regions are stronger indications of targets, and darker regions are stronger indications of background. Green and white (that is, very light green) indicate what the ATR system classifies as targets. Red and brown and black (dark red) indicate what the ATR system classifies as background. Figure C3 shows that this analysis did correctly identify the barrel (object 7) as a target in E2 when the sensors were close to the barrel, levels L6-L8. It also incorrectly identified a box (object 6) as a target in these same scenes. It similarly identified barrels (objects 17 and 20) and mis-identified other objects in other scenes. We must conclude that this simple linear analysis is very poor at distinguishing between barrels and other objects.

The next obvious level of complication in analysis is to add quadratic terms to the linear analysis, adding 21 product terms to the linear and constant terms in the previous analysis. This was tried using the same training set described for the linear case, with the result shown in Figure C4. This quadratic analysis is better than the linear analysis at distinguishing barrels from background, but it is still not as good as one would like.

We list here some files associated with this quadratic analysis. The F command file is f4i.cmd:

```
0 this mode code is not used by F8
f4g.sl
f4i.fc
f4i.sum
f4i.out
0.5
look for barrels
```

The F scene list file is f4g.sl:

```
4 scenes
6 images per scene

```

```

\img\bwid1\e5l5s2a.img
\img\bwid1\e5l5s3a.img
\img\bwid1\e5l5s4a.img
\img\bwid1\e5l5s5a.img
\img\bwid1\m6a.big
\img\bwid1\e6l5s1b.img
\img\bwid1\e6l5s1a.img
\img\bwid1\e6l5s2a.img
\img\bwid1\e6l5s3a.img
\img\bwid1\e6l5s4a.img
\img\bwid1\e6l5s5a.img

```

The F feature calculation file is f4i.fc:

```

; look for barrels.
; use all quadratic combination of measured values, min subtracted.

```

```

;minimum sensor readings:

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```

sdefF32 S1MIN S2MIN S3MIN S4MIN S5MIN S6MIN S7MIN
  seq S1MIN -300000. -270801.
  seq S2MIN 0.0 6472.7
  seq S3MIN -300. -201.8
  seq S4MIN -10. -9.
  seq S5MIN -1000. -807.1
  seq S6MIN -80. -57.
  seq S7MIN -30. -21.9

```

```

sdefI32 NCOL NROW NOVL ; scene image size

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```

  seq NCOL 43
  seq NROW 25
  seq NOVL 2

```

```

sdefI32 BIGMASK MASK SI1 SI2 SI3 SI4 SI5 SI6 SKR1 ; image numbers

```

```

  seq BIGMASK 1
  seq MASK 2
  seq SI1 1
  seq SI2 2
  seq SI3 3
  seq SI4 4
  seq SI5 5
  seq SI6 6
  seq SKR1 7

```

```

; input, resample (resize), and output mask:
readscene BIGMASK
resample MASK BIGMASK 0 NCOL NROW 0
writefeat d:MASK.img MASK ; feature image 0 = mask
defimg BIGMASK 0 0 0 ; un-define image
defimg MASK 0 0 0

```

```

; input all scene images, reading and using scale factors:

```

```

readscene SI1
;since image SI1 is not previously defined, and no header code is
;given in this READSCENE command, the read operation sets the
;values of the user-accessible variables $A and $B. Use these
;values to restore the original numeric data values:
subcon SI1 SI1 $A
divcon SI1 SI1 $B
;subtract minimum value, make all readings positive:
subcon SI1 SI1 S1MIN
readscene SI2
subcon SI2 SI2 $A
divcon SI2 SI2 $B
subcon SI2 SI2 S2MIN
readscene SI3
subcon SI3 SI3 $A

```

```
divcon SI3 SI3 $B
subcon SI3 SI3 S3MIN
readscene SI4
subcon SI4 SI4 $A
divcon SI4 SI4 $B
subcon SI4 SI4 S4MIN
readscene SI5
subcon SI5 SI5 $A
divcon SI5 SI5 $B
subcon SI5 SI5 S5MIN
readscene SI6
subcon SI6 SI6 $A
divcon SI6 SI6 $B
subcon SI6 SI6 S6MIN
```

```
;define a scratch image compatible with the scene images:
copdef SKR1 SI1 NOVL
```

```
; use absolute magnitude as a feature:
scale SKR1 SI1
stats SKR1
writefeat d:RAW1.img SKR1 ; feature image 1, = scene image 1
scale SKR1 SI2
writefeat + SKR1 ; feature image 2
scale SKR1 SI3
writefeat + SKR1
scale SKR1 SI4
writefeat + SKR1
scale SKR1 SI5
writefeat + SKR1
scale SKR1 SI6
writefeat + SKR1
```

```
;that is all the linear features.
;now do quadratic features, products of linear:
```

```
feat* 1 1
feat* 2 2
feat* 3 3
feat* 4 4
feat* 5 5
feat* 6 6
feat* 1 2
feat* 1 3
feat* 1 4
feat* 1 5
feat* 1 6
feat* 2 3
feat* 2 4
feat* 2 5
feat* 2 6
feat* 3 4
feat* 3 5
feat* 3 6
feat* 4 5
feat* 4 6
feat* 5 6
```

```
stop
```

The E command file is e4i.cmd:

```
0
e4h.sl
e4i.fc
```

NUL
look for barrels

The E scene list file is e4h.sl, for which we list only the first 16 of 212 lines, representing the first 2 of 30 scenes:

```
30 scenes
6 images per scene
\ri\e2l0.img
\img\bwid1\e2l0s1b.img
\img\bwid1\e2l0s1a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l0s2a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l0s3a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l0s4a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l0s5a.img
\ri\e2l1.img
\img\bwid1\e2l1s1b.img
\img\bwid1\e2l1s1a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l1s2a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l1s3a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l1s4a.img
\img\bwid1\e2l1s5a.img
```

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The E feature calculation file is e4i.fc:

```
; look for barrels.
; use all linear & quadratic combinations of
; measurement - minimum.

echo_off

;coefficients from the F program:
sdefF32 Q COEF0 COEF1 COEF2 COEF3 COEF4 COEF5 COEF6
sdefF32 COEF7 COEF8 COEF9 COEF10 COEF11 COEF12
sdefF32 COEF13 COEF14 COEF15 COEF16 COEF17 COEF18
sdefF32 COEF19 COEF20 COEF21 COEF22 COEF23 COEF24
sdefF32 COEF25 COEF26 COEF27

seq Q 96.469131 = Q = target criterion.
seq COEF0 1.451913e+03 0.21729 d:MASK.img
seq COEF1 4.511122e-04 0.15536 d:RAW1.img
seq COEF2 -2.152343e-02 0.20731 d:RAW2.img
seq COEF3 -8.356287e-01 0.23020 d:RAW3.img
seq COEF4 -6.656775e+00 0.18433 d:RAW4.img
seq COEF5 -7.544662e-01 0.40221 d:RAW5.img
seq COEF6 -8.950671e+00 0.25411 d:RAW6.img
seq COEF7 -2.263084e-09 0.04445 !*001001
seq COEF8 -2.028773e-08 0.12799 !*002002
seq COEF9 5.670000e-06 0.00007 !*003003
seq COEF10 -5.817067e-02 0.22490 !*004004
seq COEF11 1.921685e-04 0.08690 !*005005
seq COEF12 -4.608979e-03 0.16511 !*006006
seq COEF13 1.234254e-09 0.00172 !*001002
seq COEF14 -2.278859e-06 0.21065 !*001003
seq COEF15 3.241597e-05 0.24932 !*001004
seq COEF16 6.679167e-07 0.13909 !*001005
seq COEF17 7.707375e-06 0.20176 !*001006
seq COEF18 1.938664e-05 0.23094 !*002003
seq COEF19 5.569089e-05 0.32228 !*002004
seq COEF20 3.303353e-06 0.22565 !*002005
seq COEF21 1.574620e-04 0.20425 !*002006
seq COEF22 1.766409e-03 0.23673 !*003004
```

```

seq COEF23 2.299110e-04 0.17680 !*003005
seq COEF24 1.658469e-03 0.20599 !*003006
seq COEF25 -2.399434e-04 0.00106 !*004005
seq COEF26 -1.575718e-02 0.17891 !*004006
seq COEF27 -1.076411e-03 0.26856 !*005006
REM The preceding lines are easily installed in this file
REM by extracting lines from the F output file and editing
REM them to put in the characters "seq COEF".

```

```

; measurement value extrema:
sdefF32 S1MIN S2MIN S3MIN S4MIN S5MIN S6MIN S7MIN
seq S1MIN -300000. -270801.
seq S2MIN 0.0 6472.7
seq S3MIN -300. -201.8
seq S4MIN -10. -9.
seq S5MIN -1000. -807.1
seq S6MIN -80. -57.
seq S7MIN -30. -21.9

```

```

sdefI32 NCOL NROW NOVL ; scene image size
seq NCOL 43
seq NROW 25
seq NOVL 2
sdefI32 RESULT BIG1 BIG2 ; image numbers
seq RESULT 8 ; result image
seq BIG1 9
seq BIG2 10
sdefI32 SI1 SI2 SI3 SI4 SI5 SI6 SKR1 ; more image numbers
seq SI1 1
seq SI2 2
seq SI3 3
seq SI4 4
seq SI5 5
seq SI6 6
seq SKR1 7

```

```

; input all scene images, reading and using scale factors:
readscene SI1
subcon SI1 SI1 $A
divcon SI1 SI1 $B
subcon SI1 SI1 S1MIN
readscene SI2
subcon SI2 SI2 $A
divcon SI2 SI2 $B
subcon SI2 SI2 S2MIN
readscene SI3
subcon SI3 SI3 $A
divcon SI3 SI3 $B
subcon SI3 SI3 S3MIN
readscene SI4
subcon SI4 SI4 $A
divcon SI4 SI4 $B
subcon SI4 SI4 S4MIN
readscene SI5
subcon SI5 SI5 $A
divcon SI5 SI5 $B
subcon SI5 SI5 S5MIN
readscene SI6
subcon SI6 SI6 $A
divcon SI6 SI6 $B
subcon SI6 SI6 S6MIN

```

```

copdef RESULT SI1 0
copdef SKR1 SI1 NOVL

```

```

; use constant feature, feature 0:

```

zeroimage RESULT
addcon RESULT RESULT COEF0

; use absolute magnitude as a feature:

mulcon SKR1 SI1 COEF1
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SI2 COEF2
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SI3 COEF3
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SI4 COEF4
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SI5 COEF5
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SI6 COEF6
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

;use quadratic features:

mul SKR1 SI1 SI1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF7
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI2 SI2
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF8
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI3 SI3
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF9
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI4 SI4
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF10
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI5 SI5
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF11
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI6 SI6
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF12
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI1 SI2
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF13
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI1 SI3
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF14
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI1 SI4
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF15
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI1 SI5
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF16
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI1 SI6
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF17
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI2 SI3
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF18
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI2 SI4
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF19
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI2 SI5
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF20
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI2 SI6
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF21
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI3 SI4
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF22
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI3 SI5

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mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF23
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI3 SI6
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF24
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI4 SI5
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF25
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI4 SI6
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF26
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SI5 SI6
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF27
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

mincon RESULT RESULT 255.0
maxcon RESULT RESULT 0.0

```

```
writeresult RESULT 1 Q
```

```
STOP
```

```

; display result:
resample BIG1 RESULT 0 100 100 0
disp . BIG1 50 50 Q
copdef BIG2 BIG1 0
resample BIG2 SI1 0 100 100 0
scale BIG2 BIG2
echo_on
dispres . BIG2 50 200 Q BIG1

```

```
stop
```

Running E with these files generates 30 result images. These can be combined into one composite image for display, as in the figures printed here, with the following E program commands:

Program E command file:

```

0
e4i2.sl
e4i2.fc
NUL
look for barrels

```

Program E scene list file:

```

1 scene
30 images
\ri\com4i2.img
\ri\E2L0.IMG      1587 02-24-94   3:47p
\ri\E2L1.IMG      1587 02-24-94   3:47p

```

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This scene list file was conveniently constructed by editing a directory listing. The file size and date information, being separated from the file name by white space, is ignored by the ATR program.

Program E feature command file:

```

; collect and compose results from e4i.
echo off
sdefI32 LEVELS EXPS
  seq LEVELS 9
  seq EXPS 4
sdefI32 INN BIG1 BIG3
sdefI32 NCOL0 NROW0 NCOL1 NROW1
  seq NCOL0 43 ; size of raw result image
  seq NROW0 25
  seq NCOL1 43 ; size of displayed result image
  seq NROW1 50
sdefI32 ROW0 COL0 DELROW DELCOL ROW COL ; screen coordinates etc.
  seq ROW0 0
  seq COL0 0
  seq INN 1 ; image number, raw result image
  seq BIG1 11 ; image number, displayed result image
  seq BIG3 13 ; image number, composite image
sdefF32 Q

```

```

; defimg INN NCOL0 NROW0 0
; defimg BIG1 NCOL1 NROW1 0
sadd DELCOL NCOL1 3 ; allow 3 columns
sadd DELROW NROW1 6 ; and 6 rows between images
smul COL DELCOL LEVELS
smul ROW DELROW EXPS
defimg BIG3 COL ROW 0
zeroimage BIG3
addcon BIG3 BIG3 255.1 ; white background

```

```

; row 1, experiment 2, 9 levels:
seq ROW ROW0
seq COL COL0

```

```

readscene INN
  seq Q $A ; get Q value
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL

```

```

readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL

```

```

readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL

```

```

readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL

```

```

readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL

```

```

readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL

```

```

readscene INN

```



```
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL
```

```
readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL
```

```
readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL
```

```
; row 2, experiment 3, 8 levels:
sadd ROW ROW DELROW
seq COL COL0
```

```
readscene INN
resample BIG1 INN 0 NCOL1 NROW1 0
compoz BIG3 ROW COL BIG1
sadd COL COL DELCOL
```

```
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```

```
writeresult BIG3 1 Q ; write composite image
disp . BIG3 100 100 q ; display composite image
stop
```

The same quadratic analysis procedure was used to try to find boxes instead of barrels. In this analysis, the training process used two training scenes, E5L5 with mask M5C and E2L7 with mask M2B. These masks select only boxes without ferrous metal contents as targets. The results of this analysis for 30 scenes are shown in Figure C5. This analysis was repeated using only the first training scene, with results shown in Figure C6. Obviously, the results of this type of analysis can depend significantly on the choice of training data. In both of these two analyses, boxes (objects 6, 9, 10, 21, 22, 23, and 24) were correctly identified as targets, and a few other objects were incorrectly identified as targets, with the single-training-scene result a little better than the two-training-scene result. This result is reasonably good.

The files needed for doing this quadratic analysis for boxes are almost the same as those used for the quadratic analysis for barrels. Only the F scene list file and the coefficient values are different.

An interesting aspect of these linear and quadratic analyses is that they require no understanding of the measurements, except for a knowledge of the minimum numerical values for each of the 6 measurement types.

In an effort to more accurately identify barrels, we tried a more sophisticated analysis that made use of some understanding of the measurement processes. In this analysis, we made an effort to find peaks in the magnetic field and its gradient, and to discriminate on the basis of the widths of the peaks, on the assumption that barrels should cause peaks of a certain width in magnetic field measurements. This analysis used only sensors S1B and S1A; the other sensor data was ignored. The training process used the same training scenes as were used for the quadratic function search for barrels. The results of this analysis are shown in Figure C7. Note

that experiment 1 is included, since this analysis does not require the sensors that are not included in experiment 1. This analysis was repeated with a different set of training data, using scenes E2L8, E5L2, E5L5, and E6L6 with the same masks as before. This gave slightly better results, shown in Figure C8. These results generally show the barrels as targets, which is good. They also show other ferromagnetic objects as targets, which we had hoped to avoid. However, it is not surprising that we are not able to distinguish well between barrels and other magnetic objects, since the peak width which we tried as the distinguishing feature is not really unique to barrels. Surprisingly, this analysis also shows as targets some presumed non-magnetic objects, such as a box (object 6) in E2. This is interpreted as a fairly strong indication that these boxes do in fact include some ferromagnetic material. Listings of some files relevant to this analysis follow:

F program feature command file:

```
; look for barrels.
; try finding peaks and their widths.

sdefF32 S1ZERO S2ZERO
  seq S1ZERO -1000.
  seq S2ZERO 51000.

sdefI32 NCOL NROW NOVL
  seq NCOL 43
  seq NROW 25
  seq NOVL 2
sdefI32 BIGMASK MASK SCENE SKR1
  seq BIGMASK 1
  seq MASK 2
  seq SKR1 2
  seq SCENE 3
sdefI32 C1 CU CUU WIDTH WEIGHT
  seq C1 4
  seq CU 5
  seq CUU 6
  seq WIDTH 7
  seq WEIGHT 1

defkern WEIGHT -2 2 -2 2
readkernel \imanal\opr\opr21a\mask.opr WEIGHT

; input, resample (resize), and output mask:
readscene BIGMASK
resample MASK BIGMASK 0 NCOL NROW 0
writefeat d:MASK.img MASK ; feature 0
defimg BIGMASK 0 0 0
defimg MASK 0 0 0

defimg SCENE 0 0 0
readscene SCENE
subcon SCENE SCENE $A
divcon SCENE SCENE $B
subcon SCENE SCENE S1ZERO

copdef SKR1 SCENE NOVL
copdef C1 SCENE 0
copdef CU SCENE 0
copdef CUU SCENE 0
copdef WIDTH SCENE 0

copy SKR1 SCENE
overlap SKR1
```

```

quaduv SKR1 WEIGHT C1 CU 0 CUU 0 0 ; quadratic function fit
maxcon SKR1 C1 0.0
overlap SKR1
median C1 SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; positive z only
copy SKR1 CU
overlap SKR1
median CU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; smoothed linear coefficient
mulcon SKR1 CUU -1.0
overlap SKR1
median CUU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3
maxcon CUU CUU 0.0 ; dome
mul WIDTH CU CU
div WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
addcon WIDTH WIDTH 4.0
mul WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
rephi SKR1 WIDTH 1.0e5 0.0
overlap SKR1
median WIDTH SKR1 WEIGHT 0 4
sqrt WIDTH WIDTH

```

```

scale CUU CUU
writefeat d:DOME1.img CUU
scale WIDTH WIDTH
writefeat d:WIDTH1.img WIDTH
feat* 2 2
feat* 1 2
feat* 1 3

```

```

defimg SCENE 0 0 0
readscene SCENE
subcon SCENE SCENE $A
divcon SCENE SCENE $B
subcon SCENE SCENE S2ZERO
copy SKR1 SCENE
overlap SKR1
quaduv SKR1 WEIGHT C1 CU 0 CUU 0 0 ; quadratic function fit
maxcon SKR1 C1 0.0
overlap SKR1
median C1 SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; positive z only
copy SKR1 CU
overlap SKR1
median CU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; smoothed linear coefficient
mulcon SKR1 CUU -1.0
overlap SKR1
median CUU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3
maxcon CUU CUU 0.0 ; dome
mul WIDTH CU CU
div WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
addcon WIDTH WIDTH 4.0
mul WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
rephi SKR1 WIDTH 1.0e5 0.0
overlap SKR1
median WIDTH SKR1 WEIGHT 0 4
sqrt WIDTH WIDTH

```

```

scale CUU CUU
writefeat d:DOME2.img CUU
scale WIDTH WIDTH
writefeat d:WIDTH2.img WIDTH
feat* 7 7
feat* 6 7

```

feat* 6 3

```
;skip over unused scene images:
;(this is very inefficient, not recommended!)
;(change the scene list file, you lazy toad!)
readscene SCENE
readscene SCENE
readscene SCENE
readscene SCENE
```

stop

E program feature command file:

```
; look for barrels.
; find peaks and their widths.
```

echo_off

```
sdefF32 Q COEF0 COEF1 COEF2 COEF3 COEF4 COEF5 COEF6
sdefF32 COEF7 COEF8 COEF9 COEF10
```

```
seq Q 95.624916 = Q = target criterion.
seq COEF0 5.861998e+01 0.19509 d:MASK.img
seq COEF1 -5.521925e-02 0.19809 d:DOME1.img
seq COEF2 6.935584e+00 0.24768 d:WIDTH1.img
seq COEF3 -1.539143e-01 0.00885 !*002002
seq COEF4 1.111876e-02 0.34271 !*001002
seq COEF5 -3.884335e-04 0.07713 !*001003
seq COEF6 1.896816e-01 0.33799 d:DOME2.img
seq COEF7 5.446849e+00 0.24136 d:WIDTH2.img
seq COEF8 -1.921345e-01 0.05092 !*007007
seq COEF9 -6.553839e-03 0.00110 !*006007
seq COEF10 -2.992128e-03 0.07640 !*006003
```

```
sdefF32 S1ZERO S2ZERO
seq S1ZERO -1000.
seq S2ZERO 51000.
```

```
sdefI32 NCOL NROW NOVL
seq NCOL 43
seq NROW 25
seq NOVL 2
```

```
sdefI32 SCENE SKR1
seq SKR1 2
seq SCENE 3
```

```
sdefI32 C1 CU CUU WIDTH WEIGHT
seq C1 4
seq CU 5
seq CUU 6
seq WIDTH 7
seq WEIGHT 1
```

```
sdefI32 RESULT BIG1 BIG2
seq RESULT 8
seq BIG1 9
seq BIG2 10
```

```
defkern WEIGHT -2 2 -2 2
readkernel \imanal\opr\opr21a\mask.opr WEIGHT
```

```
defimg SCENE 0 0 0
readscene SCENE
subcon SCENE SCENE $A
divcon SCENE SCENE $B
subcon SCENE SCENE S1ZERO
```

```

copdef SKR1 SCENE NOVL
copdef C1 SCENE 0
copdef CU SCENE 0
copdef CUU SCENE 0
copdef WIDTH SCENE 0
copdef RESULT SCENE 0
zeroimage RESULT
; use constant feature:
addcon RESULT RESULT COEF0
copy SKR1 SCENE
overlap SKR1
quaduv SKR1 WEIGHT C1 CU 0 CUU 0 0 ; quadratic function fit
maxcon SKR1 C1 0.0
overlap SKR1
median C1 SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; positive z only
copy SKR1 CU
overlap SKR1
median CU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; smoothed linear coefficient
mulcon SKR1 CUU -1.0
overlap SKR1
median CUU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3
maxcon CUU CUU 0.0 ; dome
mul WIDTH CU CU
div WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
addcon WIDTH WIDTH 4.0
mul WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
rephi SKR1 WIDTH 1.0e5 0.0
overlap SKR1
median WIDTH SKR1 WEIGHT 0 4
sqrt WIDTH WIDTH ; width
mulcon SKR1 CUU COEF1 ; dome
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 WIDTH COEF2 ; width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SKR1 SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF3 ; width*width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SKR1 CUU
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF5 ; dome*width*width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 CUU WIDTH
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF4 ; dome*width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

```

```

defimg SCENE 0 0 0
readscene SCENE
subcon SCENE SCENE $A
divcon SCENE SCENE $B
subcon SCENE SCENE S2ZERO
copy SKR1 SCENE
overlap SKR1
quaduv SKR1 WEIGHT C1 CU 0 CUU 0 0 ; quadratic function fit
maxcon SKR1 C1 0.0
overlap SKR1
median C1 SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; positive z only
copy SKR1 CU
overlap SKR1
median CU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3 ; smoothed linear coefficient
mulcon SKR1 CUU -1.0
overlap SKR1
median CUU SKR1 WEIGHT 3 3
maxcon CUU CUU 0.0 ; dome
mul WIDTH CU CU

```

```

div WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
addcon WIDTH WIDTH 4.0
mul WIDTH WIDTH C1
div WIDTH WIDTH CUU
rephi SKR1 WIDTH 1.0e5 0.0
overlap SKR1
median WIDTH SKR1 WEIGHT 0 4
sqrt WIDTH WIDTH ; width
mulcon SKR1 CUU COEF6 ; dome
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mulcon SKR1 WIDTH COEF7 ; width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SKR1 SKR1
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF8 ; width*width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 SKR1 CUU
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF10 ; dome*width*width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1
mul SKR1 CUU WIDTH
mulcon SKR1 SKR1 COEF9 ; dome*width
add RESULT RESULT SKR1

```

```

readscene SCENE
readscene SCENE
readscene SCENE
readscene SCENE

```

```

mincon RESULT RESULT 255.0
maxcon RESULT RESULT 0.0

```

```
writeresult RESULT 1 Q
```

```
STOP
```

```

; display result:
resample BIG1 RESULT 0 100 100 0
disp . BIG1 50 50 Q

```

```
STOP
```

```

copdef BIG2 BIG1 0
resample BIG2 SI1 0 100 100 0
scale BIG2 BIG2
echo_on
dispres . BIG2 50 200 Q BIG1

```

```
stop
```

Kernel file \imanal\opr\opr21a\mask.opr:

0.00000	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.00000
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
0.00000	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.00000

APPENDIX D

EXAMPLE 4: Finding Airplanes

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This example indicates some techniques for using the ATR system, and it includes an instance of a feature being classified as unimportant.

We start with a fairly simple training procedure. The feature calculation file is flb.fc:

```
; Find airplanes.

ECHO flb.fc

sdefI32 NOVL
seq NOVL 7
sdefI32 RAW SMOOTH RUFF CROSS TEMP ; image numbers
seq RAW 1
seq SMOOTH 2
seq RUFF 3
seq CROSS 4
seq TEMP 5
defimg RAW 512 512 NOVL ; raw scene image
copdef SMOOTH RAW ; smoothed
copdef RUFF RAW NOVL ; smoothed - raw
copdef CROSS RAW ; crosses
copdef TEMP RAW ; scratch

sdefI32 KERNEL1 ITEM
seq KERNEL1 1
ssub ITEM 0 NOVL
defkern KERNEL1 ITEM NOVL ITEM NOVL

featfil ; use scene mask for feature mask

readscene RAW 1 0 0 0

sdefF32 SIG1
seq SIG1 7.0 ; smoothing width, pass 1
smthx SMOOTH RAW SIG1 5 0
smthy SMOOTH SMOOTH SIG1 5 0
writefeat SCSIDISK:EX3\SMOOTHED SMOOTH ; already close enough to scaled

sub RUFF SMOOTH RAW
maxcon RUFF RUFF 0.0 ; keep only dark spots of raw image
scale TEMP RUFF 0
writefeat SCSIDISK:EX3\RUFF TEMP

feat* 1 2

readkernel C:\imanal\opr\scopr\c4t15.opr KERNEL1
convolve TEMP RUFF KERNEL1
mul CROSS TEMP TEMP
readkernel C:\imanal\opr\scopr\s4t15.opr KERNEL1
convolve TEMP RUFF KERNEL1
mul TEMP TEMP TEMP
add CROSS CROSS TEMP
scale TEMP CROSS KERNEL1
writefeat SCSIDISK:EX3\SC4 TEMP ; 4*theta, crosses

STOP
```

This calculates and uses as features a smoothed scene image (SMOOTH), a feature image that indicates how much darker a small local region is than the smoothed image (RUFF), their product, and the indicator of cross patterns in the RUFF image (SC4). The calculation of the first

three feature images is quite obvious, but the last may bear a little explanation. The two kernels c4t15.opr and s4t15.opr are both zero in the centers and in the corners, being non-zero only in a circular annular region that is intended to overlap the wings and nose and tail of an airplane image but not the center of the airplane. The non-zero elements of the kernels are proportional to the cosine and sine respectively of four times the angle from the x axis. Thus, when convolved with an image, the cosine kernel will indicate the presence of four-lobed patterns with the lobes aligned with the x and y axes, and the sine kernel will indicate those rotated by 45 degrees, and the sum of the squares will indicate the square of the magnitude of the four-lobed pattern independent of its orientation. That is, this procedure finds cross-shaped patterns. It is, of course, also sensitive to certain other patterns, including straight lines.

The relevant part of the training program output file flb.out is:

RESTART:

```
for 5 active features: 0.008626
0.008626 = 0.980 * 0.001352 + 0.020 * 0.365078
Q = 118.414795 = target criterion.
```

f	C[f]	import.
0	6.563824e+01	0.00158 c:\imanal\cims\ex3\maskd.img
1	-3.993893e-02	0.00006 SCSIDISK:EX3\SMOOTHED
2	-3.119725e+00	0.00650 SCSIDISK:EX3\RUFF
3	3.075633e-02	0.14078 !*001002
4	1.127659e-03	0.00001 SCSIDISK:EX3\SC4

The significant quantity here is the very low value, 0.00001, for the importance of the crosses feature. This indicates that it would not make any difference if this feature were not included. The SMOOTHED feature also has a low importance. However, we cannot conclude from this information alone that it is safe to remove both the SC4 and the SMOOTHED features; removing either one might greatly increase the importance of the other. In this example, the importance of the SMOOTHED feature after the SC4 feature is deleted is indicated by the next part of the output file:

```
for 4 active features: 0.008633
0.008633 = 0.980 * 0.001353 + 0.020 * 0.365364
Q = 118.561653 = target criterion.
```

f	C[f]	import.
0	6.650915e+01	0.00158 c:\imanal\cims\ex3\maskd.img
1	-4.337708e-02	0.00007 SCSIDISK:EX3\SMOOTHED
2	-3.185944e+00	0.00554 SCSIDISK:EX3\RUFF
3	3.145166e-02	0.07333 !*001002

This indicates that the SMOOTHED feature is still not important, even after the removal of the SC4 feature, so the SMOOTHED feature could be removed without significantly affecting the accuracy of the target recognition process.

Imposing stringent size constraints on the non-zero areas of the RUFF image that are candidates for targets is not a trivial procedure. The process used here is to treat local regions of the RUFF image as if the intensity versus x and y were actually an un-normalized probability density function (distribution), and to use the two principal moments of each peak in the distribution as indicators of the width of the peak. Experimentation gives the values of the maximum and minimum acceptable widths. Implementation of this procedure is shown in the listing of the surveillance feature calculation file e1b.fc:

ECHO elb.fc

```
sdefF32 Q COEF0 COEF1 COEF2 COEF3 COEF4 COEF5 COEF6 COEF7 COEF8
seq COEF0 0.0
seq COEF1 0.0
seq COEF2 0.0
seq COEF3 0.0
seq COEF4 0.0
seq COEF5 0.0
seq COEF6 0.0
seq COEF7 0.0
seq COEF8 0.0
seq Q 118.561653 = target criterion.
seq COEF0 6.650915e+01 0.00158 c:\imanal\cims\ex3\maskd.img
seq COEF1 -4.337708e-02 0.00007 SCSIDISK:EX3\SMOOTHED
seq COEF2 -3.185944e+00 0.00554 SCSIDISK:EX3\RUFF
seq COEF3 3.145166e-02 0.07333 !*001002
```

```
sdefI32 NOVL
seq NOVL 7
defimg 1 512 512 NOVL
copdef 2 1 0
copdef 3 1 NOVL
copdef 4 1 0
copdef 5 1 0
copdef 6 1 0
copdef 7 1 0
copdef 8 1 NOVL
copdef 9 1 NOVL
```

```
sdefI32 KERNEL1 TEMP
seq KERNEL1 1
ssub TEMP 0 NOVL
defkern KERNEL1 TEMP NOVL TEMP NOVL
```

```
sdefI32 RESULT
seq RESULT 9
zeroimage RESULT
addcon RESULT RESULT COEF0
seq TEMP 8
```

```
sdefI32 RAW ; raw scene image
seq RAW 1
readscene RAW 1 0 0 0
disp RAW_SCENE RAW 0 767 0.0
```

```
sdefF32 SIG
seq SIG 7.0 ; smoothing width, pass 1
sdefI32 SMOOTH ; smoothed scene image
seq SMOOTH 2
smthx SMOOTH RAW SIG 5 0
smthy SMOOTH SMOOTH SIG 5 0
mulcon TEMP SMOOTH COEF1
add RESULT RESULT TEMP
```

```
sdefI32 RUFF ; rough part, smoothed-raw
seq RUFF 3
sub RUFF SMOOTH RAW
maxcon RUFF RUFF 0.0 ; keep only dark spots of raw image
mulcon TEMP RUFF COEF2
add RESULT RESULT TEMP
```

```
mul TEMP SMOOTH RUFF
mulcon TEMP TEMP COEF3
add RESULT RESULT TEMP
```

```
mul TEMP RUFF RUFF
mulcon TEMP TEMP COEF4
add RESULT RESULT TEMP
```

```
mul TEMP SMOOTH SMOOTH
mulcon TEMP TEMP COEF5
add RESULT RESULT TEMP
```

```
readkernel C:\imanal\opr\scopr\c4t15.opr KERNEL1
convolve TEMP RUFF KERNEL1
mul CROSS TEMP TEMP
readkernel C:\imanal\opr\scopr\s4t15.opr KERNEL1
convolve TEMP RUFF KERNEL1
mul TEMP TEMP TEMP
add CROSS CROSS TEMP
mulcon TEMP CROSS COEF6
add RESULT RESULT TEMP
```

```
maxcon RESULT RESULT 0.0
mincon RESULT RESULT 255.0
;writeresult RESULT 1 Q
disp RESULT,NO_MOMUV_MASK RESULT 0 255 Q
dispres RESULT,NO_MOMUV_MASK RAW 512 255 Q RESULT
```

```
;Calculate peak width limit mask:
```

```
readkernel C:\imanal\opr\scopr\avg15.opr KERNEL1
```

```
sdefi32 MOMU MOMV MOMUU MOMVV ; moments of PDF
seq MOMU 7
seq MOMV 6
seq MOMUU 5
seq MOMVV 4
overlap RUFF
momuv RUFF KERNEL1 0 MOMU MOMV MOMUU MOMVV
; convert from second moment about 0 to variance:
seq TEMP 8
mul TEMP MOMU MOMU
sub MOMUU MOMUU TEMP
mul TEMP MOMV MOMV
sub MOMVV MOMVV TEMP
```

```
sdefF32 MAXMANDIST ; maximum Manhattan distance to centroid
seq MAXMANDIST 1.0
REM MAXMANDIST should be at least 0.9
sdefi32 MANDIST ; Manhattan distance to centroid of PDF
seq MANDIST 8
abs MOMU MOMU
abs MOMV MOMV
max MANDIST MOMU MOMV ; not really Manhattan distance
rephi MANDIST MANDIST MAXMANDIST -1.0
rephi MANDIST MANDIST 0.01 1.0
repl0 MANDIST MANDIST 0.5 0.0
mul MOMUU MOMUU MANDIST
mul MOMVV MOMVV MANDIST
```

```
sdefF32 MAXMOMUU ; maximum allowable UU moment
sdiv MAXMOMUU NOVL 2.1 ; max sigma <= NOVL / sqrt(3)
REM Trials indicate that this number should be <= 2.1 for NOVL = 7.
smul MAXMOMUU MAXMOMUU MAXMOMUU
rephi MOMUU MOMUU MAXMOMUU 0.0
```

```
sdefF32 MINMOMUU ; minimum UU moment
smul MINMOMUU 2.7 2.7
```

```

REM Trials indicate that this number should be >= 2.7 .
repl0 MOMUU MOMUU MINMOMUU 0.0

sdefI32 RATIO ; MOMVV/MOMUU
seq RATIO MOMVV
div RATIO MOMVV MOMUU
rephi RATIO RATIO 2.00 0.0 ; eliminate division by 0 effects

sdefF32 MINRATIO
seq MINRATIO 0.4
repl0 RATIO RATIO MINRATIO 0.0
rephi RATIO RATIO 0.01 1.0
; image RATIO is a mask, values either 1.0 or 0.0 .

; broaden non-zero mask regions:
copy TEMP RATIO
overlap TEMP
convolve RATIO TEMP KERNEL1
rephi RATIO RATIO 0.0001 1.0

; apply mask:
mul RESULT RESULT RATIO
; image RESULT is a standard type 1 result image.

; delete too-small target indications:
seq SIG 5.0
repl0 TEMP RESULT Q 0.0
rephi TEMP TEMP 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 0 or 255.
smthx TEMP TEMP SIG 5
smthy TEMP TEMP SIG 5
repl0 TEMP TEMP 45.0 0.0
rephi TEMP TEMP 1.0 1.0
mul RESULT RESULT TEMP

; Image RESULT is standard type 1 result file.
;writeresult RESULT 1 Q
disp RESULT\MOMUV_MASK RESULT 0 767 Q

dispres . RAW 512 767 Q RESULT

; Standard type 2 result file sequence:
; draw loops around targets:
sdefI32 RESULT2
seq RESULT2 3
seq SIG 5.0 ; minimum loop radius [pixels]
repl0 RESULT2 RESULT Q 0.0
rephi RESULT2 RESULT2 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 0 or 255.
smthx RESULT2 RESULT2 SIG 5
smthy RESULT2 RESULT2 SIG 5
smul SIG SIG SIG
sdiv SIG 24.61575 SIG
zeroimage TEMP
overlap RESULT2 ; RESULT2 should have at least 1 overlap row!
contour TEMP RESULT2 SIG 255.0 ; loops 1 pixel wide.
defkern KERNEL1 -1 1 -1 1
readkernel c:\imanal\cims\med3i.opr KERNEL1 ; kernel is 3x3, all pixels are 1.
overlap TEMP ; TEMP should have at least 1 overlap row!
convolve RESULT2 TEMP KERNEL1
rephi RESULT2 RESULT2 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 3-pix-wide loops.
sub RESULT2 RESULT2 TEMP ; binary, double 1-pix-wide loops.
;writeimage LOOPS.img RESULT2 1
;disp . RESULT2 0 767 0.0
sub TEMP RAW TEMP

```

```
maxcon TEMP TEMP 0.0 ; scene with black 1-pix-wide loops.  
mincon TEMP TEMP 254.0  
max RESULT2 RESULT2 TEMP ; scene with white-black-white loops.  
writeresult RESULT2 1 Q  
disp . RESULT2 512 767 254.0 ; standard type 2 result display.
```

STOP

This feature calculation file includes a lot of diagnostic and experimental stuff that would be removed from a real production feature calculation file, and it shows a method for drawing circles around targets to make them very noticable to a human analyst.

APPENDIX E

EXAMPLE 5: Stack Shadows

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This example is more complicated than the previous one. It illustrates a technique for dividing large images into blocks small enough to be analyzed; it uses a two-step search algorithm, with the first step using no training process; and it includes an example of a script subroutine.

For program E, the surveillance process, the .cmd file is ess8b.cmd:

```
0
ess8b.sl
ess8b.fc
NUL
analyze big Daedalus images for stack shadows.
ess8b is an updated version of ess8.
```

The scene list file is ess8b.sl:

```
13 valid Daedalus scenes
 1 row-banded image per scene (3 bands each)
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2303.raw  WPPSS
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2304.raw  WPPSS
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2305.raw  ALE
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2306.raw  ALE
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2605.raw  TRA
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2606.raw  TRA
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2607.raw  CPP
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2608.raw  CPP
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2609.raw  RWMC
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2610.raw  Middle Butte
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2611.raw  Moonshiner
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2612.raw  TRA
+
E:\AMPS04\WPPSS\D2613.raw  TRA
```

This scene list file lists 13 scene image files. Each file contains a 3-band multispectral image, or 3 different wavelength images of the same scene. Each file comprises too much data to be loaded into the available memory and analyzed in one step; each file must be broken into overlapping blocks for analysis. A method for doing this is shown in the feature calculation command file is ess8b.fc:

```
echo_off
;ess8b.fc
; this is ess8.fc modified for new readkernel format, and with other changes.
; find stack shadows.
; reject very narrow shadows.
; use average angle for each pixel in a line.
; use XLIN01 and PMOMUV.
```

prints \$SCENE ; give the user a hint of the program's progress

```
sdefF32 Q COEF0 COEF1 COEF2 COEF3 COEF4 COEF5 COEF6 COEF7
seq COEF0 0.0 ; additive constant
seq COEF1 0.0 ; SMOOTH (smoothed RAWa)
seq COEF2 0.0 ; SHADOW
seq COEF3 0.0 ; LINES
seq COEF4 0.0 ; RAWb
seq COEF5 0.0 ; RAWc
seq COEF6 0.0 ; 3*2
seq COEF7 0.0 ; 3*1
```

```
; MINWID=2.0, MAXWID=4.0, MINLEN=50.0 .
; extend peak pixels in direction of shadows in F.
;RESTART:
;for 8 active features: 0.001133
; 0.001133 = 0.500 * 0.000324 + 0.500 * 0.001942
seq Q 75.831810 = target criterion.
seq COEF0 1.336207e+02 0.24887 SCSIDISK:\fi\modmsk.fi
seq COEF1 -2.810382e-01 0.17412 SCSIDISK:\fi\smooth.fi
seq COEF2 2.113311e+00 0.18280 SCSIDISK:\fi\shadow.fi
seq COEF3 1.148430e-04 0.00000 SCSIDISK:\fi\bright.fi
seq COEF4 9.275218e-01 0.23917 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b2.img
seq COEF5 -1.327113e+00 0.42992 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c2.img
seq COEF6 -6.112969e-06 0.00003 !*003002
seq COEF7 -6.394235e-07 -0.00000 !*003001
```

```
sdefF32 MINWID ; minimum width of a stack shadow [pixels]
seq MINWID 2.0
sdefF32 MAXWID ; maximum width of a stack shadow [pixels]
seq MAXWID 5.0
sdefF32 MINLEN ; minimum length of a stack shadow [pixels]
seq MINLEN 40.0
```

```
sdefF32 NOMA ; nominal angle of stack shadow [radians]
; set the nominal shadow angle for each scene:
; for later AMPS missions, the image file headers will contain
; time, date, position, and heading data that will allow direct
; calculation of shadow angles.
```

```
if $SCENE == 1 seq NOMA -1.34 ; 2303, WPPSS
if $SCENE == 2 seq NOMA -1.20 ; 2304, WPPSS
if $SCENE == 3 seq NOMA 1.093 ; 2305, ALE
if $SCENE == 4 seq NOMA 1.151 ; 2306, ALE
if $SCENE == 5 seq NOMA 1.00 ; 2605, TRA
if $SCENE == 6 seq NOMA 0.96 ; 2606, TRA
if $SCENE == 7 seq NOMA 1.085 ; 2607, CPP
if $SCENE == 8 seq NOMA 1.15 ; 2608, CPP
if $SCENE == 9 seq NOMA -0.39 ; 2609, RWMC, approx
if $SCENE == 10 seq NOMA 0.0 ; 2610, Middle Butte, default
if $SCENE == 11 seq NOMA 0.0 ; 2611, Moonshiner, default
if $SCENE == 12 seq NOMA 1.33 ; 2612, TRA
if $SCENE == 13 seq NOMA 1.35 ; 2613, TRA
if $SCENE == 14 seq NOMA -1.34 ; 2303, WPPSS, same as scene 1
if $SCENE == 15 seq NOMA -1.20 ; 2304, WPPSS
if $SCENE == 16 seq NOMA 1.093 ; 2305, ALE
if $SCENE == 17 seq NOMA 1.151 ; 2306, ALE
```

```
sdefF32 MINA MAXA
ssub MINA NOMA 0.15 ; minimum angle
sadd MAXA NOMA 0.15 ; maximum angle
; the angle range is quite wide, to allow for variations due to
; uncorrected s-bend distortions. A proper search would correct for
; the s-bend distortion and use a smaller angle range.
```

```
; define and read kernels:
sdefI32 L, L4, L12, L32, L52, L76, L120
sdefI32 K, K9, K21, K37, K69, K97, K137, KMAX, KMIN, KLAST
```



```

seq K 0
seq L 0
sadd L K 1
seq L12 L
defkern L12 -1 2 -1 2
readkernel kernels\L12.opr L12
sadd K L 1
seq K21 K
defkern K21 -2 2 -2 2
readkernel kernels\K21.opr K21
sadd L K 1
seq L32 L
defkern L32 -2 3 -2 3
readkernel kernels\L32.opr L32
sadd K L 1
seq K37 K
defkern K37 -3 3 -3 3
readkernel kernels\K37.opr K37
sadd L K 1
seq L52 L
defkern L52 -3 4 -3 4
readkernel kernels\L52.opr L52
sadd K L 1
seq K69 K
defkern K69 -4 4 -4 4
readkernel kernels\K69.opr K69
sadd L K 1
seq L76 L
defkern L76 -4 5 -4 5
readkernel kernels\L76.opr L76
sadd K L 1
seq K97 K
defkern K97 -5 5 -5 5
readkernel kernels\K97.opr K97
sadd L K 1
seq L120 L
defkern L120 -5 6 -5 6
readkernel kernels\L120.opr L120
sadd K L 1
seq K137 K
defkern K137 -6 6 -6 6
readkernel kernels\K137.opr K137
smax KLAST K L
sadd K KLAST 1
seq K9 K
defkern K9 -1 1 -1 1
readkernel kernels\K9.opr K9

```

```

; define images:

```

```

; NROW is the number of rows in a memory image, the number of rows in one
; block of an image. NROW is smaller than the number of rows in a file image.
; We load NROW rows, one block, of an image into memory and analyze it,
; then load and analyze the next, slightly overlapping, block, etc.
; NCOL is the number of columns in a memory image and in a file image.

```

```

sdefi32 NROW NCOL

```

```

seq NROW 800 ; I choose this small enough to make everthing fit in my memory
seq NCOL 714 ; standard width for Daedalus images

```

```

; image numbers:

```

```

sdefi32 SKR1 SKR2

```

```

sdefi32 RAWa RAWb RAWc RESULT SMOOTH SHADOW LINES AVGANG

```

```

sdefi32 BRIGHT TANGLE ANGLE

```

```

sdefi32 MOM0 AVGU AVGV LENGTH WIDTH MASK RESULT2

```

```

;#1

```

```

seq RAWa 1 ; raw scene image, first Daedalus band

```

```

defimg RAWa NCOL NROW 6

```

```

;#2
seq RAWb 2 ; raw scene image, second Daedalus band
copdef RAWb RAWa 1
seq RESULT RAWb ; result image
seq RESULT2 RESULT
;#3
seq RAWc 3 ; raw scene image, third Daedalus band
copdef RAWc RAWa 1
seq SMOOTH RAWc
;#4
seq SKR1 4
copdef SKR1 RAWa 6
seq AVGU SKR1 ; peak displacement
;#5
seq SKR2 5
copdef SKR2 RAWa 1
seq AVGV SKR2 ; peak displacement
;#6
seq SHADOW 6 ; all shadows
copdef SHADOW RAWa 1
;#7
seq LINES 7 ; sum of brightnesses of lines
copdef LINES RAWa 1
;#8
seq AVGAN 8 ; weighted average angle of line
copdef AVGAN RAWa 1
seq MOMO AVGAN ; sum of pixels in peak
;#9
seq BRIGHT 9 ; line brightness
copdef BRIGHT RAWa 1
seq LENGTH BRIGHT ; peak length
;#10
seq TANGLE 10 ; tangent of line angle
copdef TANGLE RAWa 6
seq ANGLE TANGLE ; line angle
seq MASK TANGLE
;#11
seq WIDTH 11
copdef WIDTH RAWa 1 ; peak width

sdefF32 SIGMA MINL MAXW F1
sdefI32 OPSIZ SKIP I1 I2

; RGB screen display positions:
; this assumes that the screen is larger than one image.
sdefI32 DROW[4] DCOL[4] ; ignore element 0, use 1, 2, & 3 for 3 bands
disp ; get screen size into $MAXI and $MAXJ
ssub I1 $MAXI NCOL ; screen size - image size
ssub I2 $MAXJ NROW ; screen size - image size
ssub I2 I2 $MINJ ; - caption size
ssub I2 I2 5 ; - a few extra
sdiv I1 I1 2 ; 2 = 3 - 1, 3 = number of images to be displayed overlapping
sdiv I2 I2 2
seq DROW[1] 0 ; top of screen
sadd DROW[2] DROW[1] I2 ; a little lower
sadd DROW[3] DROW[2] I2 ; a little more lower
seq DCOL[1] 0 ; left edge of screen
sadd DCOL[2] DCOL[1] I1
sadd DCOL[3] DCOL[2] I1

; set up to read 3 row-interleaved images from one file:
bandr 3
bandr 1 RAWa -1 NCOL 1
bandr 2 RAWb -1 NCOL 1
bandr 3 RAWc -1 NCOL 1

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seq SKIP 0 ; number of file image row for the first row of this block

label SUBSCENE ; start each block, each "subscene", here

zeroimage RAWa
if SKIP == 0 echo on ; tell operator we are starting a new image
; notation: "#RAWa start" means image number RAWa is beginning to be used here,
; "#RAWb end" means image number RAWb is no longer needed after this, etc.
readscene -1 5 -1 NROW SKIP ; #RAWa start, #RAWb start, #RAWc start
; since the scene list (.sl) file lists only one image per scene,
; repeated uses of the READSCENE command keep accessing the same file.
stats RAWa
echo off
prints SKIP ; tell operator we are starting a new block
if $MAX == 0.0 if $MIN == 0.0 jump SCENEND ; test for end of file
if $SCENE > 13 mulcon RAWa RAWa 2.0
mincon RAWa RAWa 255.0
disp . RAWc DROW[RAWc] DCOL[RAWc] 0.0 ; because of their values,
disp . RAWb DROW[RAWb] DCOL[RAWb] 0.0 ; the scene image numbers
disp . RAWa DROW[RAWa] DCOL[RAWa] 0.0 ; can be used as indexes here

mulcon RESULT RAWb COEF4 ; #RESULT start, #RAWb end
mulcon SKR2 RAWc COEF5 ; #RAWc end
add RESULT RESULT SKR2
; logically, this RESULT is not needed until later and may not be needed at all,
; but it is more efficient to construct it here.

; delete too-narrow shadows (noise):
sadd I1 MINWID MINWID ; maximum kernel diameter
seq K 0
label LOOP2
sadd K K 1
if K > KLAST abort
sadd OPSIZ K 3 ; kernel diameter
; kernels were chosen to make diameter = 3 + kernel number.
if OPSIZ < I1 jump LOOP2 ; (done with I1)
copy SKR1 RAWa
overlap SKR1
median SMOOTH SKR1 K ; smoothed scene image, #SMOOTH start

; find shadows:
sadd F1 MAXWID MAXWID
sadd F1 F1 1.0 ; minimum kernel diameter
seq K 0
label LOOP1
sadd K K 1
if K > KLAST abort
sadd OPSIZ K 3 ; kernel diameter
if OPSIZ < F1 jump LOOP1 ; (done with F1)
copy SKR1 SMOOTH
overlap SKR1
median SKR2 SKR1 K
sub SHADOW SKR2 SKR1 ; #SHADOW start
maxcon SHADOW SHADOW 0.0 ; shadows are > 0, bright spots = 0

; find line segments, which may be shorter than MINLEN:
seq KMAX K69
copy SKR1 SHADOW
zeroimage LINES ; #LINES start
zeroimage AVGANG ; #AVGANG start
seq K 0
label LOOPK
sadd K K 1
sadd OPSIZ K 3
sadd MINL OPSIZ -1.0 ; min length of acceptable line
sadd MAXW OPSIZ -4.0 ; max width of acceptable line

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if MAXW < MINWID  jump LOOPK
;;;prints K
;;;ssub I1 OPSIZ 1
;;;overlap SKR1
;;;median SKR2 SKR1 K 0 I1
;;;copy SKR1 SKR2
overlap SKR1
lin01 BRIGHT TANGLE SKR1 K MINL MAXW ; #BRIGHT start, #TANGLE start
ready
;;;prints MINL MAXW
;select lines with correct angle:
atan ANGLE TANGLE ; #ANGLE start, #TANGLE end temp
if MINA > -1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 3.14
maxcon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
if MAXA < 1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 -3.14
mincon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
rephi SKR2 ANGLE MAXA 99.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 MINA 99.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 9.0 1.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 8.0 0.0
mul BRIGHT BRIGHT SKR2
add LINES LINES BRIGHT
mul ANGLE ANGLE BRIGHT ; #BRIGHT end
add AVGAN AVGAN ANGLE ; #ANGLE end temp
if K < KMAX  jump LOOPK

; extend line segments, maybe concatenate (fill in gaps):
div ANGLE AVGAN LINES ; average angle for each line pixel
tan TANGLE ANGLE ; #ANGLE temp, #TANGLE start temp
copy SKR1 LINES
overlap SKR1
overlap TANGLE
xlin01 LINES SKR1 TANGLE K9 ; extend lines
; #TANGLE end temp

; modify extended lines to more uniform brightness:
stats LINES
if $MAX <= 0.0  jump SUBDONE
smul F1 $MAX 9.0
rephi SKR2 LINES 0.0 F1
add LINES LINES SKR2
sadd F1 F1 $MAX
sdiv F1 254.0 F1
mulcon LINES LINES F1

; characterize each extended (concatenated) line:
overlap LINES
pmomuv LINES MOM0 AVGU AVGV LENGTH WIDTH TANGLE 255.0.
; #MOM0 start, #LENGTH start, #WIDTH start, #TANGLE start temp
; #AVGU start, #AVGU end, #AVGV start, #AVGV end
mulcon LENGTH LENGTH 12.0
sqrt LENGTH LENGTH
mulcon WIDTH WIDTH 12.0
sqrt WIDTH WIDTH
atan ANGLE TANGLE ; #ANGLE start temp, #TANGLE end
; discriminate:
zeroimage SKR1 ; peak acceptance mask
addcon SKR1 SKR1 1.0 ; tentatively accept everything
rephi SKR2 LENGTH MINLEN 0.0 ; #LENGTH end
rephi SKR2 SKR2 0.0 254.0
min SKR1 SKR1 SKR2 ; reject too short
rephi SKR2 WIDTH 3.0 0.0 ; #WIDTH end

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rephi SKR2 SKR2 0.0 254.0
min SKR1 SKR1 SKR2 ; reject too wide
if MINA > -1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 3.14
maxcon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
if MAXA < 1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 -3.14
mincon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
rephi SKR2 ANGLE MAXA 99.0 ; #ANGLE end
rephi SKR2 SKR2 MINA 99.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 9.0 1.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 8.0 0.0
min MASK SKR1 SKR2 ; reject wrong angle, #MASK start
; MASK is 1 for accept, 0 for reject.
stats MASK
if $MAX <= 0.0 jump SUBDONE
; if there are no correct length/width/angle line shadows,
; go on to the next block;
; otherwise, do multispectral analysis of this block:

mulcon SKR2 SMOOTH COEF1
add RESULT RESULT SKR2
mul SKR2 MOM0 SMOOTH ; #SMOOTH end
mulcon SKR2 SKR2 COEF7
add RESULT RESULT SKR2
mulcon SKR2 SHADOW COEF2
add RESULT RESULT SKR2
mul SKR2 MOM0 SHADOW ; #SHADOW end
mulcon SKR2 SKR2 COEF6
add RESULT RESULT SKR2
mulcon SKR2 MOM0 COEF3 ; #MOM0 end
add RESULT RESULT SKR2

addcon RESULT RESULT COEF0

mul RESULT RESULT MASK ; #MASK end
; RESULT image is done.

stats RESULT
if $MAX < Q jump SUBDONE

maxcon RESULT RESULT 0.0
mincon RESULT RESULT 255.0
;scale SKR2 RESULT
;smul F1 Q $B
;prints Q $B F1
;disp RESULT_SCALED SKR2 000 000 F1
;dispres RESULT_CODED_RAWa RAWa 000 000 Q RESULT

gosub DRAW_LOOPS RAWa RESULT ; #RAWa end, #RESULT end

label SUBDONE
sadd SKIP SKIP NROW ; tentative first row of next block
ssub SKIP SKIP MINLEN ; back up a little, allow some overlap of blocks
ssub SKIP SKIP 20 ; allow a little more overlap
jump SUBSCENE ; do next block in this file

label SCENEND ; go here when the whole file (whole scene) is done

STOP ; logical end of script

subdef DRAW_LOOPS I32 SIMG I32 RIMG
; Standard type 2 result file sequence;

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; draw loops around targets:
; SIMG is the scene image number.
; RIMG is the result image number.
; Q is assumed to be defined externally as type F32,
; the standard target/background pixel value criterion.
; I1 and I2 are assumed to be defined externally as type I32 scratch.
; F1 is assumed to be defined externally as type F32 scratch.
; K9 is assumed to be a type I32 variable that is the number of the
; 9-pixel kernel, all pixels = 1.0, already loaded into memory.
seq F1 15.0 ; sigma, approx. minimum loop radius [pixels]
newimg I1 ; get a not-yet-used image number
copdef I1 RIMG 1
newimg I2
copdef I2 RIMG 1
zeroimage I2
replo I1 RIMG Q 0.0
rephi I1 I1 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 0 or 255.
smthx I1 I1 F1 5
smthy I1 I1 F1 5
smul F1 F1 F1 ; sigma*sigma
sdiv F1 24.61575 F1 ; 255/2/pi/sigma/sigma*exp(-1/2)
overlap I1
contour I2 I1 F1 255.0 ; contour at distance=sigma
overlap I2
convolve I1 I2 K9
rephi I1 I1 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 3-pix-wide loops.
sub I1 I1 I2 ; binary, double 1-pix-wide loops.
sub I2 SIMG I2
maxcon I2 I2 0.0 ; scene with black 1-pix-wide loops.
mincon I2 I2 253.0
max I1 I1 I2 ; scene with white-black-white loops.
echo_on
writeresult I1 1 Q
echo_off
disp . I1 20 20 254.0 ; standard type 2 result display.
;dispres . I1 20 20 Q RIMG ; display as type 1 scene\result.
defimg I2 0 0 0 ; destroy image number I2, de-allocate memory.
defimg I1 0 0 0
return ; logical end of subroutine DRAW_LOOPS

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END ; absolute end of script

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; MINWID=2.0, MAXWID=4.0, MINLEN=50.0 .
; Two alternative sets of coefficients, from same F run:
; This set works:
;for 8 active features: 0.000001
; 0.000001 = 0.500 * 0.000000 + 0.500 * 0.000002
seq Q 73.598640 = target criterion.
seq COEF0 1.240973e+02 0.02390 SCSIDISK:\fi\modmsk.fi
seq COEF1 -8.669008e-02 0.00001 SCSIDISK:\fi\smooth.fi
seq COEF2 2.326697e+00 0.19999 SCSIDISK:\fi\shadow.fi
seq COEF3 1.533059e-03 0.02813 SCSIDISK:\fi\bright.fi
seq COEF4 1.835334e-02 0.00000 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b2.img
seq COEF5 -4.768633e-01 0.00502 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c2.img
seq COEF6 -1.585815e-05 0.00003 !*003002
seq COEF7 -2.098707e-05 0.02049 !*003001

; This set does not work; it indicates no targets: WHY???
;for 8 active features: 0.000001
; 0.000001 = 0.500 * 0.000000 + 0.500 * 0.000001
seq Q 86.156410 = target criterion.
seq COEF0 5.119688e+01 0.08687 SCSIDISK:\fi\modmsk.fi
seq COEF1 6.255224e-01 0.00014 SCSIDISK:\fi\smooth.fi
seq COEF2 2.943419e+00 0.31271 SCSIDISK:\fi\shadow.fi

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seq COEF3 2.846793e-03 0.21013 SCSIDISK:\fi\bright.fi
seq COEF4 7.534531e-01 0.23986 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b2.img
seq COEF5 -1.077132e+00 0.33333 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c2.img
seq COEF6 -3.600505e-05 0.00007 !*003002
seq COEF7 -3.447299e-05 0.24040 !*003001

; MINWID=2.0, MAXWID=4.0, MINLEN=50.0 .
; extend peak pixels in direction of shadows in F.
;for 8 active features: 0.001391
; 0.001391 = 0.500 * 0.000495 + 0.500 * 0.002286
seq Q 78.206581 = target criterion.
seq COEF0 1.369082e+02 0.24861 SCSIDISK:\fi\modmsk.fi
seq COEF1 -2.388816e-01 0.19052 SCSIDISK:\fi\smooth.fi
seq COEF2 2.014497e+00 0.18546 SCSIDISK:\fi\shadow.fi
seq COEF3 6.643848e-04 -0.00015 SCSIDISK:\fi\bright.fi
seq COEF4 9.107037e-01 0.24868 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b2.img
seq COEF5 -1.355251e+00 0.44652 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c2.img
seq COEF6 -6.830224e-06 -0.00010 !*003002
seq COEF7 -8.674217e-06 -0.00021 !*003001

; MINWID=2.0, MAXWID=4.0, MINLEN=50.0 .
; extend peak pixels in direction of shadows in F.
;RESTART:
;for 8 active features: 0.001133
; 0.001133 = 0.500 * 0.000324 + 0.500 * 0.001942
seq Q 75.831810 = target criterion.
seq COEF0 1.336207e+02 0.24887 SCSIDISK:\fi\modmsk.fi
seq COEF1 -2.810382e-01 0.17412 SCSIDISK:\fi\smooth.fi
seq COEF2 2.113311e+00 0.18280 SCSIDISK:\fi\shadow.fi
seq COEF3 1.148430e-04 0.00000 SCSIDISK:\fi\bright.fi
seq COEF4 9.275218e-01 0.23917 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b2.img
seq COEF5 -1.327113e+00 0.42992 SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c2.img
seq COEF6 -6.112969e-06 0.00003 !*003002
seq COEF7 -6.394235e-07 -0.00000 !*003001

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As usual, the entire .fc file is executed once for each scene, with a scene in this case being one image file. The .fc file contains a loop which is executed once for each block of a scene, starting at the "label SUBSCENE" command and ending at the "jump SUBSCENE" command. Each block comprises NROW rows; the user-defined variable NROW is set small enough to allow the entire process for one block to be executed in the available memory. Each block starts with row SKIP of the scene image file, with the value of SKIP being incremented from one block to the next. Before a block is read into memory, every pixel in the memory image is set to zero. If none of the pixels is changed from its zero value by the read process, the script assumes that the end of the file has been passed and the scene is finished. A result image for a block is written to a file only if a target is found in the block. All the result image files for all the scenes have names in one single sequence, because of the use of "+" for the result image file names in the .sl file. The operator will not know from the result image file names which result image file came from which scene image file, but this information is available from the data printed on the operator's screen while the script is being executed.

The first part of the analysis for each block looks for shadows of the correct geometry. This does not use the result of any training process or any of the COEFn values; it uses only user-chosen values for acceptable shadow sizes and values for shadow angles which can be calculated from image header data such as date, time, location, and heading of the aircraft carrying the imaging system (in this example, the angle values are put into the .fc file explicitly). If the first part of the analysis finds acceptable shadows, then the second part of the analysis, using multispectral data, is done for that block. This second step does use the Q and COEFn

values obtained from a training process.

The multispectral analysis is done for only one pixel for each acceptable shadow. This means that the multispectral training process must also be done using only one -- the correct one -- pixel for each acceptable shadow. This is accomplished by having the training process .fc file include the same shadow geometry discrimination step as that included in the surveillance process .fc file listed above, and using only the one selected pixel for each acceptable shadow. The training process .fc file is:

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echo off
;fss7b.fc
; find stack shadows.
; reject very narrow shadows.
; use average angle for each pixel in a line.
; use XLIN01 and PMOMUV.

sdefF32 MINWID ; minimum width of a stack shadow [pixels]
seq MINWID 2.0
sdefF32 MAXWID ; maximum width of a stack shadow [pixels]
seq MAXWID 5.0
sdefF32 MINLEN ; minimum length of a stack shadow [pixels]
seq MINLEN 40.0
; MINWID=3.0, MAXWID=4.0, MINLEN=50.0 does not work.

sdefF32 NOMA ; nominal angle of stack shadow [radians]
;if $SCENE == 1 seq NOMA 1.00 ; 2605
;if $SCENE == 2 seq NOMA 0.96 ; 2606
;if $SCENE == 3 seq NOMA 1.085 ; 2607
;if $SCENE == 4 seq NOMA 1.15 ; 2608
;if $SCENE == 5 seq NOMA -0.39 ; 2609, approx
;if $SCENE == 6 seq NOMA 0.0 ; 2610, default
;if $SCENE == 7 seq NOMA 0.0 ; 2611, default
;if $SCENE == 8 seq NOMA 1.33 ; 2612
;if $SCENE == 9 seq NOMA 1.35 ; 2613
prints $SCENE
if $SCENE == 1 seq NOMA 1.00 ; 2605
if $SCENE == 2 seq NOMA 0.96 ; 2606
if $SCENE == 3 seq NOMA 0.96 ; 2606
if $SCENE == 4 seq NOMA 1.33 ; 2612
if $SCENE == 5 seq NOMA 1.35 ; 2613
if $SCENE == 6 seq NOMA 1.35 ; 2613
sdefF32 MINA MAXA
ssub MINA NOMA 0.15 ; minimum angle
sadd MAXA NOMA 0.15 ; maximum angle

; define and read kernels:
sdefI32 L, L4, L12, L32, L52, L76, L120
sdefI32 K, K9, K21, K37, K69, K97, K137, KMAX, KMIN
seq K 0
seq L 0
sadd L K 1
seq L12 L
defkern L12 -1 2 -1 2
readkernel kernels\L12.opr L12
sadd K L 1
seq K21 K
defkern K21 -2 2 -2 2
readkernel kernels\K21.opr K21
sadd L K 1
seq L32 L
defkern L32 -2 3 -2 3
readkernel kernels\L32.opr L32
sadd K L 1
seq K37 K
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defkern K37 -3 3 -3 3
readkernel kernels\K37.opr K37
sadd L K 1
seq L52 L
defkern L52 -3 4 -3 4
readkernel kernels\L52.opr L52
sadd K L 1
seq K69 K
defkern K69 -4 4 -4 4
readkernel kernels\K69.opr K69
sadd L K 1
seq L76 L
defkern L76 -4 5 -4 5
readkernel kernels\L76.opr L76
sadd K L 1
seq K97 K
defkern K97 -5 5 -5 5
readkernel kernels\K97.opr K97
sadd L K 1
seq L120 L
defkern L120 -5 6 -5 6
readkernel kernels\L120.opr L120
sadd K L 1
seq K137 K
defkern K137 -6 6 -6 6
readkernel kernels\K137.opr K137
smax KMAX K L
sadd K KMAX 1
seq K9 K
defkern K9 -1 1 -1 1
readkernel kernels\K9.opr K9

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; define images:

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sdefi32 RAW SKR1 SKR2 DISP LINES BRIGHT TANGLE ANGLE RESULT SHADOW
sdefi32 AVGANG MOM0 AVGU AVGV LENGTH WIDTH MASK SMOOTH
seq RAW 1 ; raw scene image
defimg RAW 500 500 6
seq SKR1 5
copdef SKR1 RAW 6
seq AVGU SKR1 ; peak displacement
seq SKR2 6
copdef SKR2 RAW 1
seq AVGV SKR2 ; peak displacement
seq DISP 7 ; display image
copdef DISP RAW 1
seq WIDTH DISP ; peak width
seq LINES 8 ; sum of brightnesses of lines
copdef LINES RAW 1
seq BRIGHT 9 ; line brightness
copdef BRIGHT RAW 1
seq LENGTH BRIGHT ; peak length
seq TANGLE 10 ; tangent of line angle
copdef TANGLE RAW 6
seq ANGLE TANGLE ; line angle
seq SHADOW 11 ; all shadows
copdef SHADOW RAW 1
seq RESULT 12
copdef RESULT RAW 1
seq AVGANG 13 ; weighted average angle of line
copdef AVGANG RAW 1
seq MOM0 AVGANG ; sum of pixels in peak
seq MASK 14 ; training mask
copdef MASK RAW 0
seq SMOOTH RAW ; Fonly
;seq SMOOTH 15 ; smoothed scene, Eonly
;copdef SMOOTH RAW 1 ; Eonly

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sdefF32 SIGMA MINL MAXW FTEM
sdefI32 OPSIZ ITEM

readscene MASK ; Fonly
;zeroimage RESULT ; result image, Eonly
;addcon RESULT RESULT COEF0 ; Eonly

readscene RAW ; raw scene image #1
disp . RAW 100 100 0.0

; delete too-narrow shadows (noise):
sadd ITEM MINWID MINWID ; maximum kernel diameter
seq K 0
label LOOP2
sadd K K 1
if K > KMAX abort
sadd OPSIZ K 3 ; kernel diameter
if OPSIZ < ITEM jump LOOP2 ; (done with ITEM)
copy SKR1 RAW
overlap SKR1
median SMOOTH SKR1 K ; smoothed scene image
disp NOISE_REMOVED SMOOTH 100 600 0.0

; find shadows:
sadd FTEM MAXWID MAXWID
sadd FTEM FTEM 1.0 ; minimum kernel diameter
seq K 0
label LOOP1
sadd K K 1
if K > KMAX abort
sadd OPSIZ K 3 ; kernel diameter
if OPSIZ < FTEM jump LOOP1 ; (done with FTEM)
copy SKR1 SMOOTH
overlap SKR1
median SHADOW SKR1 K
sub SHADOW SHADOW SKR1
maxcon SHADOW SHADOW 0.0 ; shadows are > 0, bright spots = 0
scale DISP SHADOW
disp SHADOWS_SCALED DISP 100 600 0.0
rephi DISP DISP 0.0 254.0
disp SHADOWS_PEGGED DISP 100 600 0.0

; find line segments, which may be shorter than MINLEN:
seq KMAX K69
copy SKR1 SHADOW
zeroimage LINES
zeroimage AVGANG
seq K 0
label LOOPK
sadd K K 1
sadd OPSIZ K 3
sadd MINL OPSIZ -1.0 ; min length of acceptable line
sadd MAXW OPSIZ -4.0 ; max width of acceptable line
if MAXW < MINWID jump LOOPK
prints K
;;;ssub ITEM OPSIZ 1
;;;overlap SKR1
;;;median SKR2 SKR1 K 0 ITEM
;;;copy SKR1 SKR2
overlap SKR1
lin01 BRIGHT TANGLE SKR1 K MINL MAXW
ready
prints MINL MAXW
;disp LINE BRIGHT 100 600 0.0
;zeroimage DISP
;scale DISP BRIGHT K

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;disp LINE_SCALED DISP 100 600 0.0
rephi DISP BRIGHT 0.0 255.0
disp LINE_PEGGED DISP 100 600 0.0
;select lines with correct angle:
atan ANGLE TANGLE
if MINA > -1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 3.14
maxcon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
if MAXA < 1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 -3.14
mincon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
rephi SKR2 ANGLE MAXA 99.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 MINA 99.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 9.0 1.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 8.0 0.0
mul BRIGHT BRIGHT SKR2
scale DISP BRIGHT K
;disp SELECTED LINE_SCALED DISP 100 600 0.0
rephi DISP DISP 0.0 254.0
disp SELECTED LINE_PEGGED DISP 100 600 0.0
add LINES LINES BRIGHT
mul ANGLE ANGLE BRIGHT
add AVGAN AVGAN ANGLE
if K < KMAX jump LOOPK

;zeroimage SKR2
;copyedges LINES SKR2 KMAX ; redundant ? desirable ?
;scale DISP LINES KMAX
scale DISP LINES
;disp SELECTED LINES_SCALED DISP 100 600 0.0
rephi DISP DISP 0.0 254.0
disp SELECTED_LINES_PEGGED DISP 100 600 0.0

; extend line segments, maybe concatenate (fill in gaps):
div ANGLE AVGAN LINES ; average angle for each line pixel
tan TANGLE ANGLE
copy SKR1 LINES
overlap SKR1
overlap TANGLE
;xlin01 LINES SKR1 TANGLE K69 ; extend lines by 4 pixels on each end
;xlin01 LINES SKR1 TANGLE K21 ; extend lines by 2 pixels on each end
xlin01 LINES SKR1 TANGLE K9 ; extend lines by 2 pixels on each end
scale DISP LINES
disp XLINES_SCALED DISP 100 600 0.0
rephi DISP DISP 0.0 254.0
disp XLINES_PEGGED DISP 100 600 0.0

; modify extended lines to more uniform brightness:
stats LINES
smul FTEM $MAX 9.0
rephi DISP LINES 0.0 FTEM
add LINES LINES DISP
sadd FTEM FTEM $MAX
sdiv FTEM 254.0 FTEM
mulcon LINES LINES FTEM
disp MODIFIED_XLINES LINES 100 600 0.0

; characterize each extended (concatenated) line:
overlap LINES
pmomuv LINES MOMO AVGU AVGV LENGTH WIDTH TANGLE 255.0
mulcon LENGTH LENGTH 12.0
sqrt LENGTH LENGTH
mulcon WIDTH WIDTH 12.0
sqrt WIDTH WIDTH

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atan ANGLE TANGLE
; discriminate:
zeroimage SKR1 ; peak acceptance mask
addcon SKR1 SKR1 1.0 ; tentatively accept everything
reple SKR2 LENGTH MINLEN 0.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 0.0 254.0
min SKR1 SKR1 SKR2 ; reject too short
rephi SKR1 WIDTH 3.0 0.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 0.0 254.0
min SKR1 SKR1 SKR2 ; reject too wide
if MINA > -1.57 branch 4
rephi SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 3.14
maxcon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
if MAXA < 1.57 branch 4
reple SKR2 ANGLE 0.0 -3.14
mincon SKR2 SKR2 0.0
sub ANGLE ANGLE SKR2
rephi SKR2 ANGLE MAXA 99.0
reple SKR2 SKR2 MINA 99.0
reple SKR2 SKR2 9.0 1.0
rephi SKR2 SKR2 8.0 0.0
min SKR1 SKR1 SKR2 ; reject wrong angle
; SKR1 is a mask, 1 for accept, 0 for reject.

; extend mask in shadow direction:
copy ANGLE SKR1
mulcon ANGLE ANGLE NOMA
tan TANGLE ANGLE
overlap SKR1
overlap TANGLE
xlin01 SKR2 SKR1 TANGLE K69 ; extend lines by 4 pixels on each end
rephi SKR1 SKR2 0.0 1.0
mulcon DISP SKR1 254.0
disp MASK_MULTIPLIER DISP 100 600 0.0

mul MASK MASK SKR1 ; Fonly, modify training mask
writefeat SCSIDISK:\fi\modmsk.fi MASK ; feature 0, mask, Fonly
;copy MASK SKR1 ; Eonly
writefeat SCSIDISK:\fi\smooth.fi SMOOTH ; feature 1, smoothed scene #1, Fonly
;mulcon SKR2 SMOOTH COEF1 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly
scale DISP SHADOW ; Fonly
writefeat SCSIDISK:\fi\shadow.fi DISP ; feature 2, shadow contrast, Fonly
;mulcon SKR2 SHADOW COEF2 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly
scale DISP MOM0 ; Fonly
writefeat SCSIDISK:\fi\bright.fi DISP ; 3, line intensity (sort of), Fonly
;mulcon SKR2 MOM0 COEF3 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly

featfil ; Fonly; use next scene image as next feature image
;readscene SKR1 ; Eonly
;mulcon SKR2 SKR1 COEF4 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly
featfil ; Fonly
;readscene SKR1 ; Eonly
;mulcon SKR2 SKR1 COEF5 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly

feat* 3 2 ; Fonly
;mul SKR2 MOM0 SHADOW ; Eonly
;mulcon SKR2 SKR2 COEF6 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly
feat* 3 1 ; Fonly
;mul SKR2 MOM0 SMOOTH ; Eonly

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;mulcon SKR2 SKR2 COEF7 ; Eonly
;add RESULT RESULT SKR2 ; Eonly
```

```
stop ; Fonly
end ; Fonly
```

```
mul RESULT RESULT MASK
```

```
maxcon RESULT RESULT 0.0
mincon RESULT RESULT 255.0
scale DISP RESULT
smul FTEM Q $B
prints Q $B FTEM
disp RESULT_SCALED DISP 100 600 FTEM
jump LABEL1
set_AB DISP FTEM $B
if $SCENE == 1 writeimage \ri\tem101.ri DISP 1
if $SCENE == 2 writeimage \ri\tem102.ri DISP 1
if $SCENE == 3 writeimage \ri\tem103.ri DISP 1
if $SCENE == 4 writeimage \ri\tem104.ri DISP 1
if $SCENE == 5 writeimage \ri\tem105.ri DISP 1
if $SCENE == 6 writeimage \ri\tem106.ri DISP 1
label LABEL1
```

```
dispres RESULT_CODED_RAW RAW 100 600 Q RESULT
```

```
; Standard type 2 result file sequence;
; draw loops around targets:
```

```
sdefI32 RESULT2
seq RESULT2 RESULT ; RESULT2 could be different from RESULT.
seq SIGMA 5.0 ; minimum loop radius [pixels]
seq SIGMA 15.0 ; minimum loop radius [pixels]
repl0 RESULT2 RESULT Q 0.0
rephi RESULT2 RESULT2 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 0 or 255.
smthx RESULT2 RESULT2 SIGMA 5
smthy RESULT2 RESULT2 SIGMA 5
smul SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA ; sigma*sigma
sdiv SIGMA 24.61575 SIGMA ; 255/2/pi/sigma/sigma*exp(-1/2)
zeroimage SKR1
overlap RESULT2 ; RESULT2 should have at least 1 overlap row!
contour SKR1 RESULT2 SIGMA 255.0 ; contour at distance=sigma
overlap SKR1 ; SKR1 should have at least 1 overlap row!
convolve RESULT2 SKR1 K9
rephi RESULT2 RESULT2 1.0 255.0 ; binary, 3-pix-wide loops.
sub RESULT2 RESULT2 SKR1 ; binary, double 1-pix-wide loops.
;writeimage LOOPS.img RESULT2 1
;disp . RESULT2 0 767 0.0
sub SKR1 RAW SKR1
maxcon SKR1 SKR1 0.0 ; scene with black 1-pix-wide loops.
mincon SKR1 SKR1 253.0
max RESULT2 RESULT2 SKR1 ; scene with white-black-white loops.
writeresult RESULT2 1 Q
echo_on
disp . RESULT2 100 600 254.0 ; standard type 2 result display.
;dispres . RESULT2 512 767 Q RESULT ; display as type 1 scene\result.
; this does not work if RESULT2 == RESULT.
```

```
STOP
END
```

The training process uses 6 training scenes, which are small images extracted from the large images listed previously for the surveillance process. The .sl file for the training process is:

6 scenes

3 images per scene
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\SS1\fd2605m8.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2605a.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2605b.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2605c.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\SS1\fd2606m8.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2606a.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2606b.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2606c.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\SS1\fd2606m9.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2606a2.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2606b2.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2606c2.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\SS1\fd2612m8.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2612a.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2612b.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2612c.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\SS1\fd2613m8.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613a1.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b1.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c1.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613m4.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613a2.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613b2.img
SCSIDISK:\MSS04\CT1\fd2613c2.img

This .sl file specifies one mask and three scene images (which were originally the three bands of a multispectral image) for each of the 6 training scenes. The masks were marked with the whole stack shadow being designated as target area; the .fc script file contains commands that modify the masks so that only the one correct pixel is actually used for each training target.

APPENDIX F
USER COMMANDS

USER COMMANDS

The first section of this appendix lists several categories of commands and the names of all the commands in each category. The second section lists all the commands in alphabetical order and gives an explanation of the use of each command.

CONTROL OF PROGRAM

REM, ECHO_ON, ECHO_OFF, ECHO, ECHOTIME, READY
LABEL, JUMP, BRANCH, IF, PAUSE, STOP, END
GOSUB, SUBDEF, RETURN

DEFINING IMAGES AND KERNELS (OPERATORS)

DEFIMG, DEFKERN, COPDEF, CLEAR, SET_AB
also READIMAGE, READSCENE, RESAMPLE, UNDERSAMPLE, NEWIMG

READING IMAGES AND KERNELS FROM FILES

READIMAGE, READSCENE, READKERNEL, BANDR, SETHFA, PHEAD; also INCFIL
INM, INS

BASIC IMAGE OPERATIONS

ZEROIMAGE, SETPIX, NTRP00, NTRP01, COPY, COPYEDGES, OVERLAP, RESAMPLE,
UNDERSAMPLE, INSERT, EXTRACT, REMAP, REGISTER

ARITHMETIC OPERATIONS ON IMAGES

ADD, SUB, MUL, DIV, ABS, MAX, MIN, SETCON, ADDCON, SUBCON, MULCON,
DIVCON, MAXCON, MINCON, REPLO, REPHI, SQRT, TAN, ATAN, ATAN2, LOG, EXP
All the images in these operations must be already defined, all the same size, and all distributed the same way among the daisies. The images need not be different; **dst** can be the same as **src** or **src2**, etc. **const** is a single floating point value. These operations do not use or set the values of overlap rows.

CONVOLUTION and related operations

CONVOLVE, SSQ

GRADIENTS

GRADT, XGRAD, YGRAD, GRADCON; also XY2RT

FILTERING IMAGES

SMTHX, SMTHY, MEDIAN, MED1X, MED1Y, SMTHXS, SMTHYS

MISCELLANEOUS IMAGE OPERATIONS

LIN01, LIN02, XLIN01, NLIN01, EDJ02

MODMSK

QUADXY, QUADUV

SEGLAB

RIJCON, GRADCON

MOMUV

PEAK1, PLNK1, PMRG1, PACCI, PMOMXY1, PMOMUV1, PMOMXY, PMOMUV

XIMG, YIMG

GEOMETRIC CORRECTIONS

SBEND

DISPLAYING IMAGES

VGA, DISP, DISPRES; also SCALE, CONTOUR

IMAGE INFORMATION

GETPIX, STATS, SUMPIX, HIST2, PDFXYZ, PDFXY1; SET_AB, DEFIMG

FEATURE IMAGES

WRITEFEAT, FEATFIL, FEAT * ; also SCALE

WRITING IMAGES TO FILES

WRITEIMAGE, WRITEFEAT, WRITERESULT; also INCFIL, SCALE

OUTM, OUTS

SCALAR ARITHMETIC

PRINTS, SDEFI32, SDEFF32, SEQ, SADD, SSUB, SMUL, SDIV, SABS, SMIN, SMAX, SSQRT, STAN, SATAN, SATAN2, SLOG, SEXP

The user can define variables, either 32-bit integers or 32-bit floating, set their values, print their values, and use them as parameters in commands. In particular, the destination parameter for each of the above-listed scalar arithmetic operations (except PRINTS) must be a scalar variable. Some scalar variables are pre-defined and their values are automatically set by certain operations. The pre-defined scalar variables are named \$N, \$NCOL, \$NROW, \$SCENE, \$MINI, \$MAXI, \$MINJ, \$MAXJ (integers), and \$AVG, \$SIG, \$MAX, \$MIN, \$A, \$B, \$AVGX, \$AVGY, \$SIGX, \$SIGY, and \$COXY (floating). The program DOES distinguish between upper and lower case characters in variable names. The arithmetic operations for scalar variables allow free mixing of integer and floating types.

STRING (FILE NAME) MANIPULATION

SEQ, SADD, INCFIL, PRINTS

The user can manipulate certain file names that are stored in the program. These are \$FSIA[], an array of scene image file names; \$FFIA[], an array of feature image file names; and \$FRI, the result image file name. The user cannot define his own file name or string variables, but he can use these permanently-defined string variables with the understanding that the program automatically uses these variables for reading and writing scene images, feature images, and result images..

The command names themselves are NOT case sensitive; the command names can be typed in upper case, lower case, or any mixture of cases. The user-accessible and user-defined variable names ARE case-sensitive. Command parameters may be separated by commas or spaces or both.

ABS dst, src

Set image **dst** = absolute value of image **src**.

ADD dst, src1, src2

Set image **dst** = image **src1** + image **src2**.

ADDCON dst, src, const

Set image **dst** = image **src** + **const**.

ATAN dst, src

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the inverse tangent of the value of the corresponding image **src** pixel. Angles will be in radians, in the interval $(-\pi/2, \pi/2)$.

ATAN2 dst, srcy, srcx

The common inverse tangent function with two arguments, corresponding to the opposite and adjacent sides of a right triangle. Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the inverse tangent value (the angle), with the opposite side value from image **srcy** and the adjacent side value from image **srcx**. Angles will be in radians, in the interval $(-\pi, \pi]$.

BANDR nbands

BANDR band, img [, byt0 [, ncol [, bpp]]]

BANDR (no parameters)

This **BANDR** command is used to prepare for reading row-interleaved images from a file with the **READIMAGE -1** command.

In its first form, with only one parameter, the **BANDR** command sets the number of bands to **nbands**.

In its second form, with more than one parameter, **BANDR** sets parameters for band (or sub-image) number **band** (**band** = 1, 2, ... **nbands**), as follows. **img** is the number of the memory image to receive band **band**, or if the **img** value is zero, band **band** is not used. **byt0** is the number of bytes from the beginning of the image file composite row to the beginning of band **band**. **ncol** is the number of columns (pixels, not necessarily bytes) to be read for band **band**. **ncol** should normally not be greater than the number of pixels that are actually in each row of the image file. **bpp** is the number of bytes per pixel (see the **READIMAGE** command) for band **band**. If the value -1 is given for **byt0**, **ncol**, or **bpp**, for any band, the **READIMAGE -1** command will attempt to determine the correct values for these parameters from the file header. If values are not specified for the last 1, 2, or 3 parameters in this **BANDR** command, their values stored in the program are not changed. Initial values for all these 3 parameters are -1; initial **img** values are 0.

With no parameters, the **BANDR** command prints the current values for all bands for which non-default parameters have been specified.

For any number of parameters, **BANDR** sets the user-accessible variable **\$N** equal to the number of bands.

BRANCH n

Jump to the .fc file line which is **n** lines removed from the line containing this **BRANCH** statement. **n** may be positive or negative. **n=0** is an error condition, since this would establish an infinite loop of repeatedly branching to the current line. Although **n=1** is not an error, a

BRANCH command with $n=1$ is superfluous. It causes a jump to the following line, which would be the normal sequence even if the BRANCH statement were absent. (BRANCH does not exist in program G.)

CLEAR (no parameters)

Clear the tables that hold information about images, operators, and user-defined scalar variables, and free the memory allocated for these things.

CONTOUR dst, src, sval, dval

This operation draws one contour curve in destination image **dst**, representing a curve of constant intensity in source image **src**. If a pixel in **src** has intensity at least as great as the floating point value **sval**, and at least one of its four nearest neighbors has intensity less than **sval**, then the corresponding pixel in **dst** is set equal to the floating point value **dval**. Otherwise, **dst** pixel values are left unchanged. **src** should have at least 1 overlap row. **dst** does not need to be the same size as **src**.

CONVOLVE dst, src, opr

Set image **dst** equal to the convolution of image **src** with operator (kernel) **opr**. That is, set each **dst** pixel equal to the sum of $\{\text{src} * \text{opr}\}$, summed over the domain of the operator **opr** with the operator's "center" pixel positioned on the **src** pixel that corresponds to the **dst** pixel. The pixels of image **dst** in the excluded edge region, which is defined by the domain of the operator **opr**, are set to zero. **src** should have enough overlap rows to accommodate operator **opr**; the overlap rows must be present and have valid values. Correct values can be put into the overlap rows with the OVERLAP command. The number of overlap rows should be at least as large as the larger of the absolute value of **jmax** or the absolute value of **jmin** for operator **opr**. **opr** must be greater than 0. **dst** and **src** should be different images. The image **dst** does not need to be the same size as the image **src**, but the two images do need to be distributed among the daisies in a manner compatible with the RESAMPLE algorithms. If there is question about compatibility, it may be helpful to have extra overlap rows for image **src**.

Note that this is not strictly a proper convolution calculation, which would require reversing the signs of the two indexes in the operator.

COPDEF dst, src [, novl]

Define space for previously undefined image **dst** so that it is compatible with the previously defined image **src**. That is, the total sizes are the same for the two images, and their primary rows are distributed the same way among the several daisies, so that the two images are compatible for 2- or 3-image operations. The new image **dst** will have **novl** overlap rows regardless of how many overlap rows the old image **src** had. If a value is not given for **novl**, image **dst** will be created with the same number of overlap rows as image **src**. COPDEF does not set any pixel values. COPDEF sets \$A and \$B to 0.0 and 1.0 for **dst**.

COPY dst, src

Copy image **src** to image **dst**. Both images must be already defined and of the same size.

COPYEDGES dst, src, opr

Copy the values of the pixels at the edges of image **src** to the corresponding pixels of image **dst**. The edge pixels are specified by the domain of the operator **opr**. That is, if a certain

pixel of image **src** can be used as the center pixel of the operator **opr** without the domain of the operator **opr** extending off the image **src**, then that certain pixel is NOT an edge pixel and it will not be copied. This same definition of edge regions in terms of an operator is used in many of the operations described later in this report. **opr** should be greater than 0 for this operation, since it would not make sense to copy an edge region which contains no pixels. Images **dst** and **src** should be the same size.

DEFIMG img, ncol, nrow [, novl]

DEFIMG img

DEFIMG (no parameters)

The first form of **DEFIMG**, with 3 or 4 parameters, reserves memory in each daisy to hold part of image **img**. **novl** is the number of overlap rows. If no value is given for **novl**, the value 0 is used. The full image comprises **ncol** columns by **nrow** rows. If either **ncol** or **nrow** is 0, the image **img** is un-defined; its memory space is deallocated and any image data is lost.

You do not have control over which part of the image is held by which daisy. Two images of the same size may be distributed differently among the several daisies, if the two images do not have the same number of overlap rows or if they were created by different processes; such image pairs are not compatible for most multiple-image operations. If two (or more) images are defined by this **DEFIMG** command with the same values of all 3 parameters **ncol**, **nrow**, and **novl**, they will be compatible for two-image operations. See the **COPDEF** command.

DEFIMG does not set pixel values. **DEFIMG** sets the scale factors A and B for image **img** to 0.0 and 1.0.

The second form of **DEFIMG**, with only one parameter, sets the user-accessible variables **\$NCOL**, **\$NROW**, and **\$N** to the number of columns, number of rows, and number of overlap rows in image **img**. If the echo is on, these values are printed on the screen.

The third form of **DEFIMG**, with no parameters, lists on the screen the image number, number of rows, number of columns, and number of overlap rows for all defined images.

DEFKERN opr, imin, imax, jmin, jmax

DEFKERN opr

DEFKERN (no parameters)

The first form of **DEFKERN**, with 5 parameters, reserves memory in each daisy to hold all of the convolution operator (or kernel) **opr**. The parameters **imin**, **imax**, **jmin**, **jmax** define the domain of this operator, in the horizontal (positive to the right) and the vertical (positive downward) directions respectively, relative to the "center" pixel. The "center" pixel does not need to be in the center, or even in the two-dimensional domain specified by **imin**, **imax**, **jmin**, **jmax**. The "center" pixel is merely the pixel with operator domain coordinates $i=0$ and $j=0$, which is often, but not necessarily, in the center of the domain. **opr** must be greater than 0. Operator 0 is always automatically defined with **imin**, **imax**, **jmin**, **jmax** all equal to zero; this is useful as a dummy operator with a one-pixel domain. Using operator 0 to specify an excluded edge region implies that none of the image is excluded.

The second form of **DEFKERN**, with only one parameter, sets the user-accessible variables **\$MINI**, **\$MAXI**, **\$MINJ**, and **\$MAXJ** equal to the corresponding values for operator **opr**. If the echo is on, these values are printed on the screen.

The third form of **DEFKERN**, with no parameters, lists on the screen all the defined kernels and their domain limits.

DISP caption, img [, row0 [, col0 [, Q]]]

DISP (no parameters)

The first form, with parameters, displays image **img** on the high-resolution RGB monitor. The top left corner of the image will appear at **row0,col0** in the screen display. Red will be used for pixels with value less than **Q**, green for pixels with value greater than **Q**. If a value is not given for **Q**, the value 0.0 is used. If values are not given for **row0** and **col0**, values 0 and 0 are used. Pixel values should be between 0.0 and 255.0 (see **SCALE**). The character string **caption** will be printed below the image on the screen. **caption** should not contain any embedded spaces. If a "." is the first character of the string given as the caption, then the last-used file name will be used as the caption. If the echo is on, the image will remain on the screen, and the program will stop execution, until the operator hits a key on the keyboard. The **ATR2** system uses the environment variable **QT9**. **ATR3** uses the environment variable **DISPLAY**, and assumes that the window manager program **mwm** is running in the background.

The second form, with no parameters, sets 4 user-accessible variables to the sizes (in pixels) of the window and of the characters printed in the captions, for the high-resolution RGB monitor: **\$MAXI** = window width, **\$MAXJ** = window height, **\$MINI** = character width, and **\$MINJ** = character height.

DISPRES caption, img, row0, col0, Q, res

This is like **DISP**, except that the pixels are colored red or green according to whether the corresponding pixel in the image **res** (normally, but not necessarily, a result image) has a value less than **Q**. This allows an input image to be displayed with color coding based on a result image.

DIV dst, src1, src2

Set image **dst** = image **src1** / image **src2**.

DIVCON dst, src, const

Set image **dst** = image **src** / **const**.

ECHO (no parameters except a remark)

Echo this input line back to the screen if the echo is on.

ECHO_ON (no parameters)

Turn on the echo, so that commands are printed on the operator's screen as they are executed, along with certain related information including warnings of possible errors. The default condition is echo on.

ECHO_OFF (no parameters)

Turn off the echo.

ECHOTIME (no parameters except a remark)

Echo the time and this input line to the screen, regardless of the setting of the echo parameter. This is useful for timing studies and diagnostics.

EDJ02 bright, tangle, src, skr, opr, length, width, avg, g

Find edges. This **EDJ02** uses **XGRAD** followed by **LIN02** and **YGRAD** followed by

LIN02 to find sharp gradients in the image **src**. Image **bright** is set to the magnitude of the gradient, and image **tangle** is set to the tangent of the angle between the gradient direction and the x-axis. The **opr**, **length**, **width**, and **avg** parameters are those used in LIN02. **g** is a gradient threshold; gradient amplitudes less than **g** are set to zero and ignored. **skr** is the number of an image than can be used for scratch space. Either **skr** must be 0, in which case the EDJ02 function will define, use, and destroy a scratch image; or, image **skr** must be previously defined with enough overlap rows to accomodate kernel **opr**, in which case the contents of image **skr** will be undefined after this EDJ02 operation. EDJ02 requires one overlap row for image **src**. All four images should be different, all of the same size. **bright** pixels in the excluded edge region defined by the domain of **opr** are set to zero.

END (no parameters)

Indicate the end of the feature calculation script in the .fc file, and also stop the feature calculation process for the current scene. The END differs from the STOP command in that a BRANCH or JUMP or GOSUB command can cause the program to skip over a STOP command and execute later commands, but the program will never skip over an END command and will never read any of the .fc file after the first END command. Each script in a .fc file should contain at least one STOP or END command, and it might contain more than one STOP command. END should not be used as part of an IF command.

EXP **dst, src**

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the exponential (inverse natural logarithm) of the corresponding image **src** pixel.

EXTRACT **dst, src, row, col**

Copy all of image **dst** from the region of image **src** with top left corner at row **row**, column **col**. If the requested region does not lie entirely within image **src**, part of the destination image **dst** is left unchanged. **dst** and **src** should be different images. This operation does set the overlap rows in **dst**.

FEATFIL [-1]

FOR PROGRAM F ONLY. FEATFIL reads a file name from the scene list file (.sl) and enters that file name into the internal list of feature image file names (in the user-accessible string array \$FFIA[]), without actually reading or writing any image file. The "+" and "." file name constructs in the scene list file (.sl) have the same effect for the FEATFIL command as for the READSCENE command. This command is useful in the F program when the feature images are the same size as the scene images, in which case the program can use the same file for both feature and scene masks and does not need to write a separate file for the feature mask. Note that the feature mask file name should always be the first name in the list of feature image names.

If the -1 parameter is given, the file name used by FEATFIL is not stored as the last-used feature image file name. Thus, the next call to WRITEFEAT with a reference to the previous scene image file name ("+" for the file name) does not use the file name referenced in this call to FEATFIL but uses the previously stored scene image file name.

FEAT * **src1, src2**

FOR PROGRAM F ONLY. The program F maintains an internal list of feature images

that have been defined (in the user-accessible array of strings \$FFIA[]), and this list is used during the calculation of the sums in F. Feature images are defined by a WRITEFEAT, a FEATFIL, or a FEAT * command. The first feature image, number 0, must always be the feature mask. The first "real" feature image is number 1. This operation FEAT * puts a special code into the list of defined feature images. The code directs the sums calculation subroutine to use an additional feature image that is not actually stored in a file; this additional feature image is the product (pixel-by-pixel multiplication) of the two previously defined feature images numbered **src1** and **src2**. (**src1** and **src2** may be the same.) This allows the use of a feature image that is the product of two other feature images, without taking the time to write and read a file for this image. This FEAT * command should not be used until both of the feature images **src1** and **src2** are defined.

GETPIX **img, row, col [, var]**

Get the value of the pixel at row **row**, column **col**, in image **img**, and put the value in the user-accessible variable \$AVG. If the name of an F32 or I32 variable is given for the parameter **var**, the pixel value is also assigned to **var**. Note that pixel values are F32 values, and if **var** is an I32 variable, the value assigned to **var** will have the fractional part truncated.

GOSUB **subname [, ...]**

Execute the "subroutine" named **subname** that is in the .fc file. See the SUBDEF command. The GOSUB command must have as its first parameter the name of the subroutine to be executed. It should usually have additional parameters to match the parameters specified in the subroutine definition, in the SUBDEF command. This software does not check for matching parameter number or type. If the GOSUB command specifies more parameters than the SUBDEF command, the extra parameters are ignored. Depending on the nature of the subroutine, it may be acceptable for the GOSUB command to have fewer parameters than the SUBDEF command specifies.

If a subroutine parameter is a scalar (not an array), the value of the scalar in the GOSUB command is copied to the corresponding variable in the SUBDEF command. If the subroutine changes the value of its variable, that change is NOT made in the corresponding GOSUB parameter value (unless the GOSUB parameter and the SUBDEF parameter are the same variable). If a subroutine parameter is a whole array (not just one element of an array), the address of the GOSUB parameter array is copied to the corresponding SUBDEF parameter, so that both array variables are references to the same array of values in memory. Thus, if the subroutine changes the value of an element of an array parameter, that change is actually made in the GOSUB array element. To specify a whole array as a GOSUB parameter, give the name of the array with no index in brackets. That is, the parameter XXX[3] specifies one element (element number 3, the fourth element) of the array XXX, but the parameter XXX specifies the whole array XXX.

GRADCON **dstb, dsta, srcb, srca**

Concentrate (or sharpen) the peaks in a vector field, in the direction of the vector. This is intended to concentrate a gradient vector field, such as is obtained from operation GRADT or from the combination of XGRAD, YGRAD, and XY2RT. Image **srcb** contains the source vector magnitude, image **srca** contains the tangent of the angle between the vector and the x axis, and images **dstb** and **dsta** will contain the corresponding quantities for the concentrated vector field. GRADCON assumes that the single rows and columns of pixels at the edges of the source images

are all zero, and it sets these edge pixels to zero in **dstb**. This operation uses one overlap row for each of the source images. All the images should be of the same size. The destination images need not be distinct from the source images or from each other. (It does not make sense for the two source images to be the same.) If the two destination images **dstb** and **dsta** are the same, the destination image will contain the concentrated vector magnitudes. This operation can be repeated to obtain more sharpening, but the OVERLAP operation should be done before each GRADCON operation. This operation is not perfect, but is quite good. There is sometimes some concentration in the wrong direction, which gets worse with repeated application of GRADCON.

GRADT **dstr, dstt, src**

Set image **dstr** equal to the magnitude of the gradient, and image **dstt** equal to the tangent of the angle between the gradient direction and the x (horizontal) axis, for the gradient of the intensity in image **src**. This operation uses one overlap row for **src**. The destination images need not be different. If the two destination images **dstr** and **dstt** are the same, the destination image will contain the gradient magnitudes and the gradient direction values will not be written to any image. The top and bottom rows, and the left and right columns, of **dstr** are set to zero. Both **dstr** and **dstt** should be different from **src**, and all three images should be of the same size.

HIST2 **src, xcl, nbin, vmin, vmax**

Calculate the histogram of intensity values for image **src**. Operator **xcl** defines an excluded edge region; **xcl** may be 0. The histogram will have **nbin** bins representing the pixel values from **vmin** to **vmax**, plus two more bins, for values less than **vmin** (in bin 0) and for values greater than or equal to **vmax** (in bin **nbin**+1). This operation sets the user-accessible variables \$N = number of pixels in the histogram range, \$AVG = average value of those pixels, and \$SIG = standard deviation of those pixel values. These statistics are calculated from the histogram, not directly from the image.

IF **v1, op, v2, command**

Evaluate the logical statement **v1 op v2** and, if the statement is true, execute **command**. **v1** and **v2** are scalars, either constants or user-defined scalar variables. **op** is any of the 6 relational operators "=" (equals), "!=" (does not equal), "<" (is less than), ">" (is greater than), "<=" (is less than or equal to), and ">=" (is greater than or equal to). **command** may be any of the valid commands listed in this appendix, except END. The entire IF command, including **command**, must be on a single line in the .fc file.

INCFIL **filename [, nleft [, nright]]**

This command increments the file name **filename**. Only those characters in the base part (not the path or the extension) are incremented. Only the characters from the **nleft**'th through the **nright**'th before the extension (or before the end of the file name) are incremented. If **nleft** or **nright** is not supplied, the default values allow all the characters in the file name base to be incremented.

"Incrementing a file name" means that we treat the base file name, exclusive of the path and extension, as if it were a kind of string of digits representing a number, and we increase it by one. For example, if we do not give values for **nleft** or **nright**, C:FILE15.IMG increments to C:FILE16.IMG; NAME29 to NAME30; FILE9 to FILE0; TESTA to TESTB; F7Z to F8A; XZZ to YAA; TT99 to TU00; etc. The path and extension are never changed. Alphabetic characters always increment to other alphabetic characters, and numerals to other numerals. For

nleft=2 and **nright=2**, TT99 increments to TT09; for **nleft=3** and **nright=2**, TT99 increments to TU09.

INM filename [, header [, ncols [, nrow [, row0 [, col0 [, bpp]]]]]]

FOR PROGRAM G ONLY. This command first invokes the READIMAGE operation for image 2, which is the mask image in the mask-generating process. If image 1 is not a compatible scene image, this command defines image 1 to be compatible with image 2 and sets all of its pixels to 0. Finally, this command invokes the MARK command.

INS filename [, header [, ncols [, nrow [, row0 [, col0 [, bpp]]]]]]

FOR PROGRAM G ONLY. This command first invokes the READIMAGE operation for image 1, which is the scene image in the mask-generating process. If image 2 is not a compatible mask image, this command defines image 2 to be compatible with image 1 and sets all of its pixels to 0. Finally, this command invokes the MARK command.

INSERT dst, row, col, src

This command copies image **src** into image **dst**, with the top left pixel of image **src** going into **dst** pixel (**row**, **col**). This operation copies only that part of **src** that will fit into the specified area of **dst**. **src** and **dst** should be different images. This operation does set the overlap rows in **dst**.

JUMP label

Jump to the line numbered **label** in the .fc file. **label** is normally the parameter in a LABEL statement somewhere in the .fc file, in which case this JUMP command causes a jump to the line containing that LABEL command. **label** can also be any constant or user-defined variable whose value is a line number. (JUMP does not exist in program G.)

LABEL label

Set the value of the user-defined variable **label** equal to the line number of the line containing this LABEL command. If **label** is not already defined, this LABEL command will define it as a type I32 variable. The intent is that the variable **label** will be used with the JUMP command and for no other purpose, but **label** is actually simply another user-defined type I32 variable and it can be manipulated just as any other user-defined variable. Of course, if the value of **label** is changed after it is set by the LABEL command, later JUMP **label** commands may produce undesired results. (LABEL does not exist in program G.)

LIN01 bright, tangle, src, opr, length, width

Find lines in image **src**. Set each pixel in image **bright** equal to the brightness of the line (if any) passing through the corresponding pixel in image **src**, and set the corresponding pixel in image **tangle** equal to the tangent of the angle between the line and the x (horizontal) axis. LIN01 will not find lines with negative brightness. **bright**, **tangle**, and **src** should all be the same size, and **bright** and **tangle** should be different from **src**. If **bright** and **tangle** are the same image, the image will be set equal to the brightness values and the angle information will not be stored in any image. Operator **opr** contains weights for the local region which is analyzed for the presence of a line. **length** is the minimum acceptable line length parameter, and **width** is the maximum acceptable line width parameter. **length** and **width** are measured in pixels, but they are floating point values and fractional parts are meaningful. This operation uses overlap rows

for image **src**; it does NOT set any overlap row values in either of the destination images **bright** or **tangle**. **bright** pixels in the excluded edge region defined by the domain of **opr** are set to zero.

The LIN01 algorithm is designed to find bright lines on a zero-intensity background, with no negative pixel values. One procedure that is usually reasonable is to subtract a smoothed version of the source image from the raw source image, and then use the MAXCON operation to remove negative pixel values, before using LIN01. Dark lines can, of course, be found by negating an image before starting so that the dark lines appear bright. This algorithm treats the **src * opr** intensity versus position data as a bivariate probability density function, finds the principal axes, and compares the standard deviations in the principal directions with **length/sqrt(12)** and **width/sqrt(12)** to determine whether the distribution is "long" and "narrow" enough to be construed as a line. (For a line of uniform intensity, the standard deviations of the distribution are equal to **length/sqrt(12)** and **width/sqrt(12)**.) In other words, this algorithm looks at the peak in the **src * opr** values, regarded as a function of the two position coordinates **x** and **y**, and checks to see whether this peak is long and narrow enough to be considered a line. Lines that do not pass through the "central" pixel of the local region defined by **opr** are rejected.

Note that positive **x** is to the right, positive **y** is downward, and positive angles are clockwise from the positive **x** axis.

LIN02 **bright, tangle, src, opr, length, width, avg**

This is a line-finding operation like LIN01, except that LIN02 rejects lines if the absolute value of the average intensity in the local region is less than **avg**. LIN02 can find lines with negative brightness.

LOG **dst, src**

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the natural logarithm of the corresponding image **src** pixel.

MARK (no parameters)

FOR PROGRAM G ONLY. Create or modify the 3-level mask to accompany the scene in image 1. The mask with its accompanying scene image (or images) is used in the training program F. This mask creation process is described in the user's manual.

MAX **dst, src1, src2**

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the maximum of the corresponding image **src1** pixel or the corresponding image **src2** pixel.

MAXCON **dst, src, const**

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the maximum of the corresponding image **src** pixel or the floating point value **const**.

MEDIAN **dst, src, opr [, Nlo [, Nhi]]**

Do an order sort filter, in which the output (filtered) value is neither the largest nor the smallest of the values in the local region of the source image. This is a non-linear filter that removes local minima with domains of **Nlo** or fewer pixels, and local maxima with domains of **Nhi** or fewer pixels. For each pixel in image **dst**, MEDIAN finds the corresponding pixel in image **src** and aligns thereon the center pixel of operator **opr**. For each non-zero element of **opr**,

the corresponding **src** pixel is put into a list of pixel values. The list is sorted according to value. The **dst** pixel value is set equal to the corresponding **src** pixel value, unless this value is smaller than the (**Nlo**+1)th smallest value or larger than the (**Nhi**+1)th largest value in the list, in which case the limiting list value is used for the **dst** pixel value. Thus, if **Nlo** is 1 and **Nhi** is 2, for example, the **dst** pixel value cannot be the smallest or the largest or the second largest value in the operator domain of **src** pixels. The operator values are not used except to specify which source pixels are in the local neighborhood, which is that part of the operator domain for which the operator values are not zero. **src** should have enough overlap rows to accommodate **opr**. **Nlo** and **Nhi** should normally be greater than 0, and less than half of the number of non-zero operator elements. If either **Nlo** or **Nhi** is -1, that -1 value is replaced by half (integer division by 2) of the number of non-zero elements in the operator. If **Nlo** is missing from the command, -1 is used for the missing value. If **Nhi** is missing from the command line, the value of **Nlo** is used for the missing value. If the operator has an odd number of non-zero elements, and **N** is half of that number (integer division by 2), this MEDIAN operation is a standard median filter. Pixels in the excluded edge region of **dst** are set to zero. **dst** and **src** should be different images, and they may be different sizes.

Note that if **Nlo** is 0 and **Nhi** is one less than the number of non-zero elements in the operator, this MEDIAN operation gives the minimum of the pixel values in the local region; this and the similar **Nhi**=0, **Nlo**=**N**-1 are convenient ways to get a local minimum or maximum. The code implements these two special cases more efficiently than the general case of MEDIAN.

MED1X **dst, src, N [, xcl]**

Set image **dst** equal to image **src** median filtered with a window of **N** pixels in the x (horizontal) direction by 1 pixel in the y (vertical) direction. The domain of the operator **xcl** defines an excluded edge region, in which **dst** pixel values are left unchanged and **src** pixels are not used. If **xcl** is not given, 0 is used for its value. **dst** and **src** should be different images of the same size. **N** should be an odd integer.

MED1Y **dst, src, N [, xcl]**

Same as MED1X, except this filter is in the y direction. This y-direction filter uses (**N**-1)/2 overlap rows in **src**.

MIN **dst, src1, src2**

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the minimum of the corresponding image **src1** pixel or the corresponding image **src2** pixel.

MINCON **dst, src, const**

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the minimum of the corresponding image **src** pixel or the floating point value **const**.

MODMSK **new, old, res, xcl, region, Q**

Set image **new** equal to a mask obtained by modifying the mask in image **old**. Image **res** is a result image from a previous program E calculation. If **region** is 2, then any pixel with value 2 in **old** is changed to 0 in **new** if the **res** pixel value is less than **Q**. If **region** is 1, then any pixel with value 1 in **old** is changed to 0 in **new** if the **res** pixel value is greater than **Q**. If **region** is 3, both operations are done. Other pixels are simply copied from **old** to **new**. Thus, the designated target (2) and background (1) regions in the mask are shrunk so that they do not

extend beyond the target and background regions indicated in the result image **res**. This hopefully makes the mask more efficient without damaging its intended target and background designations. Operator **xcl** defines an excluded edge region in which **new** pixels are left unchanged. All three images should be the same size, and **new** may be the same image as either **old** or **res**.

MOMUV src, opr, dst1 [, dstu [, dstv [, dstuu [, dstvv [, dsta]]]]]

MOMUV treats the intensity values in the local region as if they were an un-normalized probability density function (PDF), and calculates the second and lower moments of the PDF about the "center" pixel of the local region (not about the mean). MOMUV does a coordinate rotation to maximize the second moment in the U direction. If the PDF indicates no preferred direction, the U axis is along the X axis (horizontal, positive to the right). The angle between the U axis and the X axis is always between -90 and +90 degrees. Image **src** is the source image, and kernel **opr** defines the local region and the weights for the pixels in the local region. Images **dst1**, **dstu**, **dstv**, **dstuu**, **dstvv** and **dsta** are destination images for the weighted average intensity, the moments U, V, UU, and VV (the UV moment is always 0), and the tangent of the angle from the X axis to the U axis. If the value 0 is used for any of the destination image numbers, the corresponding quantity is not written to any image. If an image number is not supplied for **dstu** ..., the value 0 is used for the missing image numbers. The X coordinate is positive to the right, and the Y coordinate is positive downward, and the origin is at the center pixel of the local region. **src** must have enough overlap rows to accommodate **opr**. The images must all be the same size. **src** should normally be different from all the destination images. The excluded edge pixels in each **dst** are set to zero.

MUL dst, src1, src2

Set image **dst** = image **src1** * image **src2**.

MULCON dst, src, const

Set image **dst** = image **src** * **const**.

NEWIMG [(I32 scalar variable)]

Set \$N equal to the number of a not-yet-defined image. If all images are already defined, set \$N equal to -1. If the name of an integer scalar variable is given as a parameter for this NEWIMG command, the variable's value is set equal to the \$N value.

NLIN01 dst, bright, tangle, opr

Count how many line extensions pass through each pixel. This operation is similar to XLIN01. But, whereas XLIN01 yeilds the sum of the intensities of all the line segments whose extensions would pass through the central pixel, NLIN01 is an attempt to count the number of line segments whose extensions would pass through the central pixel, independent of the line segment intensities. NLIN01 does not work very well. The weights in the operator **opr** should sum to 1.0 along any one ray from the center pixel.

NTRP00 dst, src, opr

NTRP00 does an interpolation, replacing pixels that have value 0.0 in the source image **src** with new values in the destination image **dst**. The new value is the weighted average of all the non-zero-value pixels in the local region, with the weights contained in the kernel **opr**. **src**

should include enough overlap rows to accommodate **opr**. **dst** and **src** should be the same size. **dst** should usually be different from **src**.

NTRP01 dst, src, opr

NTRP01 does an interpolation, replacing pixels that have value 0.0 in the source image **src** with new values in the destination image **dst**. The new value is determined by a weighted least squares fit with a linear function of position to all the non-zero-value pixels in the local region, with the weights contained in the kernel **opr**. **src** should include enough overlap rows to accommodate **opr**. **dst** and **src** should be the same size. **dst** should usually be different from **src**.

OUTM filename [, header]

FOR PROGRAM G ONLY. Write the mask (image number 2) to file **filename**, optionally specifying the image file format with the parameter **header** which defaults to format 1. This is the same as the WRITEIMAGE command for image 2.

OUTS filename [, header]

FOR PROGRAM G ONLY. Write the scene image (image number 1) to file **filename**, optionally specifying the image file format with the parameter **header** which defaults to format 1. This is the same as the WRITEIMAGE command for image 1.

OVERLAP img

Set currently correct values in the overlap rows of image **img**. That is, each daisy obtains (from other daisies) the correct, current values of the pixels in its own overlap rows. This should be done before operations like CONVOLVE (convolution calculation) or MED1Y (median filter in the y direction) which use the overlap rows. The overlap rows are automatically assigned the correct values when an image is read from a file (commands READIMAGE and READSCENE). The overlap rows are NOT assigned the correct values for most other operations.

PACC1 src, sum1, sumx, sumy, sumxx, sumyy, sumxy

This command calculates sums for each **src** image peak previously defined by PEAK1 and either PLNK1 or PMRG1, which sums can be used to calculate the moments of each peak as if the peak were an un-normalized distribution function. On input, **sum1** should be the same as **peak** output by PLNK1 or PMRG1, **sumx** should be **accx**, and **sumy** should be **accy**. This command treats each peak in **src** as a probability density function (unnormalized), calculates sums for each peak, and assigns the sum values to the destination image pixels corresponding to the accumulator pixel in **peak** (hence the term "accumulator"). **sum1** is set equal to the sum of the **src** pixel values in the peak. **sumx** and **sumy** are set equal to the sums of the distances (in pixels) from the accumulator pixel to the other pixels in the peak, multiplied by the **src** pixel value. **sumxx**, **sumyy**, and **sumxy** are set equal to the sums of the products of the distances, multiplied by **src**. The sums appear in the accumulator pixels only; the donor pixels are set to zero (except for **src**, which is unchanged). These images should all be the same size, and they should all be distinct. No overlap rows are needed for this operation (although some of the images need an overlap row for the preceding operations).

PAUSE (no parameters)

The PAUSE command causes the program to wait until any key on the keyboard is struck.

PDFXYZ *img* [, *xcl* [, *vmin*, *vmax*]]

Treat the entire image **img** as a probability density function in two dimensions, and calculate certain moments. **xcl** is the number of a kernel that defines an excluded edge region. If only one parameter (**img**) is given for this PDFXYZ command, **xcl** is assumed to be 0, which implies that no edge region is excluded. Only the pixels with values between **vmin** and **vmax** are included in this calculation. If fewer than 4 parameters are given with this PDFXYZ command, all pixels (except those in the excluded edge region) are included regardless of their values. This command sets \$AVGX = average i value, \$SIGX = standard deviation in the i direction, \$MINI = minimum i value, and \$MAXI = maximum i value, and it sets the analogous user-accessible variables for the j or y direction. i or x increases from left to right, j or y increases from top to bottom, and i=0, j=0 is the top left pixel. This command also sets \$COXY = covariance of i and j, and \$N = number of pixels included in the sums.

PDFXY1 *img*, *xcl*, *vmin*, *vmax*

This PDFXY1 command is similar to the PDFXYZ command, except that this PDFXY1 command uses 1.0 instead of the pixel value for the weight (the probability density function value) when calculating the weighted sums. This PDFXY1 command requires all 4 parameters.

PEAK1 *src*, *peak* [, *accx*, *accy*]

This command finds peaks in image **src**. It compares each pixel in **src** with its 8 nearest neighbors. If the **src** pixel value is less than any of its neighbors, or if it is equal to a neighbor with a lower address (lower row number or same row and lower column number), the **src** pixel is declared not a peak and the corresponding pixel in **peak** is set to zero. Otherwise, the **src** pixel is considered a peak, and its value is assigned to the corresponding pixel in **peak**. This is intended to work with **src** images that have only non-negative pixel values. If values are given for parameters **accx** and **accy**, images **accx** and **accy** are set to zero for non-peak pixels, and they are set to 0.5+i and 0.5+j for peak pixels, where i and j are the peak pixel coordinates. The images **accx** and **accy** are set as an aid in the use of the PLNK1 command following this PEAK1 command. All the images should be distinct, and all should be the same size. **src** should have at least 1 overlap row. (The other images need overlap rows for later operations such as PLNK1.)

PHEAD *filename* [, *header* [, *length*]]

Read and print the header from the image file **filename**. **header** is an integer code specifying the type of header (see READIMAGE). If the value -1 is given for **header**, or if no value is given for **header**, the program will attempt to determine the header type by itself. If the value 0 is given for **header**, the program simply prints the first **length** bytes of the file in hexadecimal and ASCII. The parameter **length** is not used, and need not be supplied, unless **header** is 0. If any of the row-interleave parameters that are set and displayed with the BANDR command is -1, the PHEAD command will attempt to set that parameter to the value appropriate to the file **filename** or, preferentially, to the value implied by any pre-defined image listed by BANDR.

PLNK1 *src*, *peak*, *accx*, *accy*

This command associates each non-zero pixel in image **src** with a nearby intensity peak. The PEAK1 command should be used to set the values in **peak**, **accx**, and **accy**, before this PLNK1 command is used. All four images should be the same size, all four should be distinct,

and each of the four should have at least one overlap row.

For a peak in image **src**, we will speak of an accumulator pixel and (usually) several donor pixels. The accumulator for a peak is the pixel with the greatest intensity in **src** in that peak; a donor is any pixel in that peak other than the accumulator (and with a **src** value greater than 0). The result of this PLNK1 operation is that each donor pixel in a peak is associated with the accumulator for that peak, by being assigned the accumulator pixel's values in images **peak**, **accx**, and **accy**. That is, for each donor pixel, the values of **accx** - 1/2 and **accy** - 1/2 are the coordinates of that donor's accumulator pixel, and the value of **peak** is the value of that donor's accumulator pixel in **src**. Each donor pixel is associated with the same peak as its nearest (of 8) neighbor pixel with the largest value in **src**. (This neighbor pixel value is larger than the donor's own value, or the "donor" is actually an accumulator.) If there is a tie for highest value nearest neighbor, the lower address neighbor is favored. This PLNK1 is intended for **src** images with non-negative pixel values. **src** pixels with value zero are not assigned to any peak. Unlike most operations, PLNK1 automatically sets the values in the overlap rows of **flag**, **accx**, and **accy** before those images are used, so you don't have to. You do have to set the (at least one) overlap rows in **src**, although usually the **src** overlap rows will be set before PEAK1 is used and they will still be set when PLNK1 is used.

PMOMUV src, mom0, avgu, avgv, varuu, varvv, tang, maxsag

PMOMUV is like PMOMXY with rotated coordinates, just as PMOMUV1 is like PMOMXY1 with rotated coordinates.

PMOMUV1 mom0, avgu, avgv, varuu, varvv, tang

This command is like PMOMXY1, in that it converts the sums from PACC1 into moments. However, this function works in a u-v coordinate system which is rotated relative to the x-y coordinate system, so that the largest second moment of the peak is along the u axis. In this coordinate system, the second cross moment varuv is always zero. Instead of this moment, PMOMUV outputs the tangent of the angle from the x axis to the u axis, in the array **tang**. If the peak has no preferred direction, the u axis is chosen along the x axis. On input, **mom0** should be the same as **sum1** output by PACC1, **avgu** should be **sumx**, **avgv** should be **sumy**, **varuu** should be **sumxx**, **varvv** should be **sumyy**, and **tang** should be **sumxy**. These images should all be the same size, and they should all be distinct. No overlap rows are needed for this operation (although some of the images need an overlap row for the preceding operations).

PMOMXY src, mom0, avgx, avgy, varxx, varyy, varxy, maxsag

This PMOMXY function is simply a single command incorporating PEAK1, PLNK1, PMRG1, and PMOMXY1. This command treats each peak in image **src** as an un-normalized distribution function (probability density function), and calculates the moments of each peak. Two or more peaks connected by a path not lower than **maxsag** lower than the higher peak are treated as one peak. PMOMXY assigns the moment values to the destination image pixels corresponding to the maximum-value pixel in **src**, for each peak. **mom0** is set equal to the sum of the **src** pixel values in the peak. **avgx** and **avgy** are set equal to the distance in pixels from the maximum-value pixel to the centroid of the peak. **varxx**, **varyy**, and **varxy** are set equal to the second moments (the variances and the covariance) about the centroid. These several moment values are put into the destination image pixels corresponding to the peak maximum pixel in **src**; the other destination pixels are set to zero. These images should all be the same size, and they should all be distinct, and they should all have at least one overlap row. Use the OVERLAP **src**

command or some equivalent command before PMOMXY; OVERLAP is not necessary for the other images (PMOMXY does the other required overlap operations automatically).

PMOMXY1 mom0, avgx, avgy, varxx, varyy, varxy

This command converts the sums from PACC1 into moments. On input, **mom0** should be the same as **sum1** output by PACC1, **avgx** should be **sumx**, **avgy** should be **sumy**, **varxx** should be **sumxx**, **varyy** should be **sumyy**, and **varxy** should be **sumxy**. This command treats each peak in PACC1's **src** as a probability density function (unnormalized), calculates the moments for each peak, and assigns the moment values to the destination image pixels corresponding to the peak pixel in **flag**. **mom0** is left unchanged, equal to **sum1**, the sum of the **src** pixel values in the peak. **avgx** and **avgy** are set equal to the distance in pixels from the accumulator (peak) pixel to the centroid of the peak. **varxx**, **varyy**, and **varxy** are set equal to the second moments (the variances and the covariance) about the centroid. These images should all be the same size, and they should all be distinct. No overlap rows are needed for this operation (although some of the images need an overlap row for the preceding operations).

PMRG1 src, peak, accx, accy, sumxx, sumyy, sumxy, maxsag

This command merges peaks that are connected by a path in **src** such that the lowest pixel value along that path is not lower than the higher peak value minus the (floating point) value **maxsag** and the lowest pixel is also greater than 0. That is, all the pixels in two or more merged peaks are assigned to the same accumulator. The images **src**, **peak**, **accx**, and **accy** should be set by a prior call to the command PLNK1, and these four images will have the same meanings (although perhaps different values) after PMRG1 as after PLNK1. The images **sumxx**, **sumyy**, and **sumxy** are used for scratch by PMRG1. All seven images should have at least one overlap row, all should be the same size, and all should be distinct. It is not necessary for you to set the values of these overlap rows except for image **src** which is probably already set from the prior operations PLNK1 and PEAK1.

PRINTS [src ...]

Print the values of any scalar variables or file name variables listed as parameters. If no parameters are listed, all scalar variables are printed.

QUADUV src, opr, dst1 [, dstu [, dstv [, dstuu [, dstvv [, dsta]]]]]

Like QUADXY, QUADUV fits the local region with a quadratic function. QUADUV then does a coordinate rotation from the x-y to the u-v coordinates, with the u-axis chosen in the direction that maximizes the second derivative with respect to u. Image **src** is the source image, and kernel **opr** contains the weights for the pixels in the local region. Images **dst1**, **dstu**, **dstv**, **dstuu**, and **dstvv** are destination images for the coefficients of the 1, u, v, uu, and vv terms in the fitted polynomial. (The uv term is always zero.) Image **dsta** is the destination for the tangent of the angle between the x axis and the u axis. If the value 0 is used for any of the destination image numbers, the corresponding quantity is not written to any image.

QUADXY src, opr, dst1 [, dstx [, dsty [, dstxx [, dstyy [, dstxy]]]]]

QUADXY does a weighted least squares fit of a quadratic function of position to the pixels in a local region of the source image, and writes the 6 polynomial coefficients to the 6 destination images **dst1**, **dstx**, **dsty**, **dstxx**, **dstyy**, and **dstxy**. If the image number supplied for any destination image is 0, the corresponding quantity is not written to any image. If an image

number is not supplied for **dstx** ..., the value 0 is used for the missing image numbers. The x coordinate is positive to the right, and the y coordinate is positive downward, and the origin is at the center pixel of the local region. Image **src** is the source image. Kernel **opr** defines the local region and contains the weights. **src** must have enough overlap rows to accommodate **opr**. The images must all be the same size. **src** should normally be different from all the destination images. The excluded edge pixels in each **dst** are set to zero.

READIMAGE filename, img [, header [, ncols [, nrow [, row0 [, col0 [, bpp]]]]]]

(see also the following **READIMAGE filename, -1 ...** command)

Read all or part of an image from file **filename** into memory image **img**.

The values of **header** indicate the type of header on the image file, as follows:

header	meaning
0	no header
1	Data Translation 512-byte header
2	Perceptron 11-byte header
3	Microsoft OS2 bit map file header (questionable)
4	Microsoft Windows version 3, 8 bits per pixel
5	Daedalus 2048-byte header
6	CASI 1024-byte header
7	AMPS synthetic aperture radar
8	LAN 8-bit or 16-bit, or GIS (ERDAS)
9	HFA (ERDAS)

If a value more negative than -1 is given for **header**, the file is assumed to have an unknown header of length **-header** bytes, and the bytes per pixel value defaults to 1 if not otherwise specified.

ncols is the number of columns in the file image. **nrow** is the number of rows of pixels to be read. The memory image **img** may be smaller than the file image in **filename**; the memory image is taken from that region of the file image with top left corner at row **row0** and column **col0**. Thus, for the common case in which the file image is the same size as the memory image, **row0** and **col0** should be set to 0. **bpp** is the number of bytes per pixel. Acceptable values are 1; 2, implying the less significant byte of each pair is first in the file; and -2, implying two bytes per pixel with the more significant byte first. **img** must be greater than 0.

Unlike most operations, **READIMAGE** does set the values of the pixels in the overlap rows of image **img**. If the file image does not have enough rows to fill the memory image, the unfilled memory image rows are left with the same values they had before.

The **filename** and **img** parameters must always be supplied with this command. If either of **row0** or **col0** is not supplied, it is assumed to be 0. If any of **header**, **ncols**, **nrow**, or **bpp** is not specified, the value -1 is assumed. If any of these 4 parameters has the value -1, the program attempts to determine a correct or reasonable value for the parameter from the file header, from the sizes of already-defined destination images, and from the **BANDR** parameters. This attempt may require the assumption of equal sizes for a file image and the corresponding memory image. Similarly, the **READIMAGE** command will attempt to change **BANDR** parameters from the value -1 to the value implied by any pre-defined images listed by **BANDR** (first choice) or to the value appropriate to the file **filename** (second choice).

The image may be already defined, using **DEFIMG**, **COPDEF**, **RESAMPLE**, or a previous **READIMAGE** or **READSCENE**. If image **img** is not already defined, the program will attempt to define image **img** with **ncols** columns and **nrow** rows, with 0 overlap rows.

If the header is type 1, the program will attempt to read the values of the scale factors A and B from the header in the image file, and set the image table A and B values and the pre-defined scalar \$A and \$B values accordingly. Otherwise, these will be set to 0.0 and 1.0.

READIMAGE filename, -1 [, header [, bpr [, nrow [, row0]]]]

(see also the previous READIMAGE filename, img ... command)

This form of the READIMAGE command, with "-1" given instead of an image number, assumes that the file contains several images with interleaved rows. That is, the file contains the first row of the first image, the first row of the second image, ..., the first row of the Nth image, the second row of the first image, the second row of the second image, ..., perhaps with additional bytes interspersed and perhaps with a file header. This command reads the several images from the file in one operation. Other than the following comments, this READIMAGE -1 command has the same features as the standard READIMAGE command.

The information about each image or band is assumed to be already specified with the BANDR command. If any of the images specified in the BANDR command are not already defined when this READIMAGE -1 command is issued, this command will attempt to define those images. If **nrow** is given as -1 and the several images do not have the same number of rows, this READIMAGE -1 command will read only enough rows to fill the smallest destination image. **bpr** is the number of bytes in each composite row of the image file, including any row headers and any bands that are not of interest in this particular read operation. If **bpr** is given as -1, the program will attempt to determine the correct value from the file header.

READKERNEL filename, opr

Read a local convolution operator (or kernel) from file **filename** into operator buffer number **opr**. The program assumes that the operator buffer has already been defined (operation DEFKERN) and that the buffer and the file are compatible. **opr** must be greater than 0. The file is assumed to contain ASCII characters, with the several values separated by spaces, commas, or end-of-line characters.

READSCENE img [, header [, ncols [, nrow [, row0 [, col0 [, bpp]]]]]]

READSCENE -1 [, header [, bpr [, nrow [, row0]]]]

READSCENE (no parameters)

READSCENE with parameters reads an image from the file whose name is in the scene image list file (.sl). This READSCENE is like READIMAGE, except that for READSCENE the file name is not given in the feature command file (.fc) but is given instead in the scene list file (.sl).

The scene list file (.sl) contains a block of image file names for each scene. For program E, the first file name in each block is the name of the result file to be written, and the following file names in the block are real scene image file names numbered 1, 2, ... For program F, there is no result image written, and the block of file names in the scene list file does not start with a result image file name. Instead, for program F, the file names in a block are all treated as scene image file names, and they are numbered 0, 1, 2, ... It is often convenient to use the mask image file name for the first scene image file name, so that the mask will be "scene image" number 0 and the "real" scene images will be numbered 1, 2, ... Note that the first feature file written for each scene by program F must be the mask feature file, so it is handy if the first scene image file read is the scene mask image file.

The READSCENE command accesses the scene list file (.sl) and reads the next file name

in the block of image file names for the current scene. This file is then used as the source file for reading an image, as with the READIMAGE command. The file name is also stored in memory, in the user-accessible string variable \$FSIA[n] where n is the number of the scene image. Thus, if N is the number of images per scene as specified in the scene list file (.sl), \$FSIA[1] through \$FSIA[N] will be used to hold copies of the scene image file names in memory, and \$FSIA[0] will hold the result image file name for program E or the zeroth scene image (usually the mask) file name for program F. (The other members of the \$FSIA array can be used for other purposes without conflict.)

If the READSCENE is used again after the last file name for the current scene in the scene list file (.sl) has been read, the program does not attempt to read another file name but simply uses the file name stored in \$FSIA[1]. Repeated uses of READSCENE simply keep cycling through the set of scene image file names that were given for the current scene in the scene list file (.sl), \$FSIA[1] through \$FSIA[N], excluding \$FSIA[0].

If, instead of a file name, the entry in the scene list (.sl) file is a "+" followed by an integer value n, then the previously used file name for the n-th scene image, \$FSIA[n], is incremented and used as the present file name. (See the INCFIL command for an explanation of incrementing a file name.) If a "+" is given without an integer value, the value of n is assumed to be the same as the number of the present scene image. For example, assume that this is the feature command file's third call to READSCENE (we are getting scene image 3), and that we are processing the fifth scene (this is the fifth use of the feature command file in this execution of the program). This call will use the third scene image file name in the fifth block of file names in the scene list file (.sl). If the file name is "+", the file name used for the image 3 (the current scene image number) in scene 4 (the previous scene number) will be incremented and then used here. If the file name is "+2", the file name to be incremented and used here will be the one for image 2 of scene 5, which is the last image 2 file name specified. If the file name is "+4", the file name to be incremented and used here will be the one for image 4 of scene 4, since the file for image 4 of scene 5 has not yet been specified.

A "." has an effect similar to a "+", except that the old file name is not incremented before being used.

Each time the READSCENE command is used after the scene list file (.sl) is ended, the effect is the same as if "+" were read from the scene list file.

The READSCENE command with no parameters reads the next scene image file name from the scene list (.sl) file, increments n, and stores the file name in the user-accessible variable \$FSIA[n], where n is the number of the current scene image, without reading any image. The specified file is not accessed at all; it does not even need to exist. This command is a way to get a file name into the program's memory without actually reading the file.

(READSCENE does not exist in program G.)

READY (no parameters)

Query all slaves, including the SCSI and video interfaces, and wait for each to respond. This READY command causes the system to wait until all nodes have finished their tasks, which is useful for timing measurements and for debugging.

Usually, the fact that a slave responds to this or any other input indicates that the slave has finished previous tasks. However, if the slave is doing an operation that requires communication with other nodes, this READY query may cause an error condition in the slave program. Correctly written master node subroutines will prevent this query or any other communication from being sent to a slave while the slave is in such a vulnerable situation; the

master node subroutine should not allow the input of any user command until all the slave nodes are no longer vulnerable.

REGISTER **hhh, ggg, fff, fs1, gs1, gs2, gs3, gs4, bux, buy, bu1, bvx, bvy, bv1 [, dux [, duy [, du1 [, dvx [, dvy [, dv1]]]]]]**

REGISTER **hhh, ggg, fff, fs1, gs1, gs2, gs3, gs4, B [,D]**

Register two images. That is, remap image **ggg** into image **hhh** so that the features in image **hhh** are optimally aligned with the corresponding features in image **fff**. Images **ggg** and **fff** are not changed by this REGISTER operation. Images **fff** and **hhh** must be the same size and must be compatible for arithmetic operations (they must be distributed the same way among the nodes); image **ggg** may be different in size. **fs1, gs1, gs2, gs3, and gs4** are images that can be used as scratch space by this REGISTER operation. If 0 is given as the number for any of these scratch images, the program will find its own scratch space in place of that image (if sufficient memory is available). If a valid image number is given for any of these scratch images, then that image must be already defined. **fs1** must be compatible with **fff**, and **gs1, gs2, gs3, and gs4** must be compatible with **ggg**. All of the images must be distinct; none of the images needs any overlap rows. **bux, buy, bu1, bvx, bvy, and bv1** are first guesses at the optimal mapping coefficients, as described for the REMAP operation using **hhh** for **dst** and using **ggg** for **src**. **dux, duy, du1, dvx, dvy, and dv1** are the allowable ranges of variation of the mapping coefficients; that is, the final value of **bux**, for example, will not be allowed outside the range from **bux-dux** to **bux+dux**. If any of the range limits is not given, the value -1 will be used in its place. If a negative value is given (or assumed by default) for any of the range limits, the program will choose its own limit value. The final optimized values of **bux, buy, bu1, bvx, bvy, and bv1** are returned in the user-accessible variables \$AVGX, \$AVGY, \$AVG, \$SIGX, \$SIGY, and \$SIG. The value of [1-corr] is returned in \$COXY, where corr is the cross-correlation of the two images **hhh** and **fff**, with only the remapped **ggg** part of **hhh** and **fff** used if **hhh** is not completely covered by the remapped **ggg**. Possible corr values range from -1 to 1, so \$COXY=[1-corr] values range from 0 (perfect correlation) to 2.

In the alternative second form of this REGISTER command, the b coefficients and the optional d values are contained in user-defined F32 arrays **B** and **D**.

REM (no parameters except a remark)
no action.

REMAP **dst, src, bux, buy, bu1, bvx, bvy, bv1**

REMAP **dst, src, B**

Copy pixel values from image **src** to different pixels in image **dst**. The pixel location transformation is

$$(\text{src col}) = \text{bux} * (\text{dst col}) + \text{buy} * (\text{dst row}) + \text{bu1}$$

$$(\text{src row}) = \text{bvx} * (\text{dst col}) + \text{bvy} * (\text{dst row}) + \text{bv1}$$

where the coefficients are given as floating point values. If the corresponding **src** pixel does not exist, the **dst** pixel is left with the value it had before this operation. The overlap rows in **dst** are undefined after this operation. The six b coefficients can be contained in a user-defined F32 array **B**, as indicated in the second form of this REMAP command.

REPHI **dst, src, const, rep**

Set image **dst** pixel equal to the corresponding image **src** if that **src** pixel value is no

greater than **const**; otherwise, set the **dst** pixel value to the floating point value **rep**. (Values equal to **const** are not changed.)

REPLO dst, src, const, rep

Set image **dst** pixel equal to the corresponding image **src** if that **src** pixel value is greater than **const**; otherwise, set the **dst** pixel value to the floating point value **rep**. (Values equal to **const** are changed to **rep**.)

RESAMPLE dst, src, xcl, ncol, nrow, novl

Resample image **src** and put the result into image **dst**. The operator **xcl** defines an excluded edge region of image **src**; **xcl** may be 0. There is no excluded edge in **dst**. If image **dst** is not yet defined, it will be defined with **ncol** columns, **nrow** rows, and **novl** overlap rows, and its scale factors A and B will be set to 0.0 and 1.0. Note that images defined by this RESAMPLE operation may be distributed among the daisies differently than images of the same size defined by other processes. If image **dst** was previously defined, it is assumed to have been defined with the correct size and with the correct parts allocated to each daisy, and the values supplied for **ncol**, **nrow**, and **novl** are ignored. The values of the overlap row pixels in **dst** are NOT set by this RESAMPLE operation. The resampling is done by the simplest nearest-pixel method, with no interpolation or smoothing. If image **src** has fewer rows than image **dst** and image **src** has overlap rows, the overlap rows will probably be used in the RESAMPLE procedure, so their values (if not already current) should be updated with the OVERLAP command before this RESAMPLE command is used. **src** overlap rows may also be used if the **src** and **dst** images are not distributed exactly correctly among the slave nodes, as might happen if one of the images is defined by a process other than a RESAMPLE of the other image.

RETURN (no parameters)

This command is the logical end of a subroutine. It causes the software to leave the subroutine and go to the command immediately following the GOSUB command that invoked the subroutine.

RIJCON dst, src, opr

This is an imperfect operation that tries to concentrate ridges. A weighted least squares fit is used to fit a quadratic polynomial to the local region in the source image **src**, with kernel **opr** containing the weights and specifying the local region. If the fitted polynomial describes a ridge, the ridge is smoothed along its length and concentrated in the direction perpendicular to its length, in the destination image **dst**. **dst** should be different from **src**, and they should be the same size. **src** should include enough overlap rows to accommodate **opr**. The excluded edge pixels in **dst** are set to zero.

SABS dst, src

Set scalar variable **dst** = absolute value of **src**.

SADD dst, src1, src2

Set scalar variable **dst** = **src1** + **src2**. Or, concatenate two strings, which may be either file name variables or literal strings, and put the concatenated string in the file name variable **dst**.

SATAN dst, src

Set scalar variable **dst** = arctangent of **src**, in radians from $-\pi/2$ to $\pi/2$.

SATAN2 dst, src1, src2

Set scalar variable **dst** = arctangent of **src1** / **src2**, in radians from $-\pi$ to π .

SBEND dst [, src [, col0 [, addcol [, maxang]]]]

This SBEND operation does the s-bend geometric correction, which is necessary for some "whisk-broom" imaging systems in which one row of an image is acquired one pixel at a time, by sweeping a single pixel detector across the field of view, as opposed to the "push-broom" systems in which one row of an image is acquired all at the same time by a row of detectors. For image **src**, the pixels within each row (or the columns in the image) are assumed to represent samples that are uniformly spaced in terms of the angle to the side of the camera center line. Image **dst** will have pixels that represent samples that are uniformly spaced in terms of the distance from the camera center line on a flat scene plane or a flat film plane. **src** and **dst** must be the same size, and they may be the same image. If a value is not given for **src**, it is assumed to be the same as **dst**. **col0** is the (floating point) number of the image column corresponding to the camera center line, where angle = 0. **col0** is the same for **src** and **dst**, and the **src col0** pixels are mapped directly to **dst col0**. **maxang** is usually the maximum angle included in the camera's field of view, corresponding to pixels at the edge (largest column number) of the images, and column **col0 + addcol** is the pixel column number corresponding to this maximum angle. However, you are not required to use **maxang** and **addcol** values with this simple physical interpretation. Formally, the **src** pixels in columns **col0 + addcol** and **col0 - addcol** are mapped directly to the same columns in **dst**. Pixels in columns other than these three special columns are shifted laterally (to different columns) in the SBEND operation. The columns numbered **col0**, **col0 + addcol**, and **col0 - addcol** do not have to actually exist in the images **src** and **dst**.

If a value is not given for **col0**, it is assumed to be the center column in the images. If values are not given for **addcol** and **maxang**, they are assumed to be 357.0 columns and 0.75049 radian (43.0 degrees), which are the values for a normal Daedalus image.

SCALE dst [, src [, xcl]]

Image **dst** is set equal to image **src** multiplied by a scale factor chosen to make the largest value in image **dst** equal to 254. The edge pixels, defined by operator **xcl**, are excluded; their values in **src** are not considered in determining the scale factor, and their values in **dst** are left unchanged. The image **dst** coefficient A is set to 0.0 and B is set to the scale factor used in this scaling operation, without regard to the coefficient values for image **src**, and the user-accessible variables \$A and \$B are set equal to A and B. **dst** and **src** should be of the same size, and they may be the same image. If a value is not given for **src**, it is assumed to be the same as **dst**. Usually, SCALE should be used immediately before WRITEFEAT and other 8-bit image writing operations to be sure that the limited dynamic range of 8 bits per pixel is best utilized. SCALE is also useful before screen display operations.

SDEFF32 src1 [src2 ...]

Define 32-bit floating point variables with names **src1**, **src2**, ..., similar to SDEFI32.

SDEFI32 **src1** [**src2** ...]

Define 32-bit integer variables with names **src1**, **src2**, ... Variable names are limited to 30 characters. The first character of a variable name must be an alphabetic character, not a numeral or a special character. You must not try to re-define an already defined variable. This operation does not assign values to the newly-defined variables. If a variable name is immediately followed by brackets enclosing an integer constant or an already-defined integer variable (with no intervening spaces), the variable is defined as an array instead of a scalar. For example, the command

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SDEFI32 AAA[7] B
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defines **B** as a single type I32 (32-bit integer) variable and **AAA** as an array of 7 type I32 variables which can be referred to individually as **AAA[0]**, **AAA[1]**, ... **AAA[6]**.

SDIV **dst**, **src1**, **src2**

Set scalar variable **dst** = **src1** / **src2**.

SETHFA [**n** [, **name** [, **type**]]]

Set parameters to be used in reading HFA files. **name** is the name of an HFA object to be found, and **type** is the type of the HFA object to be found. If either **name** or **type** is "*", then any name or type of HFA object is construed as being acceptable. **n** specifies that the **n**-th occurrence of the object with matching name and type will be used. SETHFA should be used to set **n** and **name** before using READIMAGE or a similar command to read an image from an HFA file (READIMAGE does not use **type**). Setting **name** to "*" and **n** to 3, for example, causes READIMAGE to read the third image encountered in the HFA file. If any of the parameters for this command is not given, that parameter is left unchanged. If the echo is on, the values of the parameters (after updating to the new values) are printed on the operator's console.

SEGLAB **dst**, **src**

SEGLAB assigns unique labels to image segments. SEGLAB assumes that image **src** has patches of marked pixels, with values greater than 0, separated by regions of background pixels, with values less than or equal to 0. For each marked **src** pixel, SEGLAB sets the corresponding destination image **dst** pixel to some value that comprises a label for the segment. Each contiguous segment gets a unique label, a floating point value equal to $1+r+c/nc$ where nc is the number of columns in the images and r and c are the row and column number for the lowest-numbered pixel in the segment. **dst** pixel values are not changed if the corresponding **src** pixels are not marked as segments. Normally, all **dst** pixels should be set to 0 before starting a segmentation procedure that uses this subroutine. **dst** pixel values that are not 0 on entering this subroutine are construed as indicating a pixel that is already labeled. A non-zero value for a **dst** pixel and a greater-than-zero value for the corresponding **src** pixel is an inconsistency, indicating overlapping patches (segments). When this occurs, the old labels will not be changed, and the non-overlapping parts of the new overlapping patches will get a new label. Successive uses of the same destination image with different source image will result in unique labels for all the patches (segments) in the several source images as long as those patches do not overlap. **src** and **dst** must be different images, they must be of the same size, and both **dst** and **src** must have at least one overlap row. SEGLAB is not reliable for images with more than about 8 million pixels, because of the limited precision of the 32-bit floating point variables that hold the $1+r+c/nc$ values.

SEQ dst, src

Set (numerical, integer or floating) scalar variable **dst** = **src**, where **src** may be either a scalar variable or a numerical constant. Or, set file name variable **dst** equal to **src**, where **src** may be either a file name variable or a literal string with no embedded spaces.

SET_AB img, A, B**SET_AB img**

The first form sets the A and B coefficients for image **img** to floating point values **A** and **B**. ([This image] = A + B * [original image].) These coefficients were initially set to A=0.0, B=1.0 when the image was defined. This operation does NOT rescale the image; it merely sets the values of the stored coefficients. The second form does not change the A and B coefficients for image **img**. Both forms then set the user-accessible variables \$A and \$B equal to the A and B values for image **img**.

SETCON dst, const

Set image **dst** = **const** (set all pixels to the same value).

SETPIX img, row, col, val

Set the pixel in image **img**, row **row**, column **col**, to the floating point value **val**. This operation sets pixels in both the primary and the overlap rows. Note that images are stored in memory as floating point data.

SEXP dst, src

Set scalar variable **dst** = exponential (inverse natural logarithm) of **src**.

SLOG dst, src

Set scalar **dst** = natural logarithm of **src**.

SMAX dst, src1, src2

Set scalar variable **dst** = maximum of **src1** or **src2**.

SMIN dst, src1, src2

Set scalar variable **dst** = minimum of **src1** or **src2**.

SMTHX dst, src, sigma, N [, xcl]

Set image **dst** equal to image **src** smoothed in the x (horizontal) direction. The smoothing operation comprises N repetitions of a two-pass (one pass increasing x, one pass decreasing x) exponential smoothing filter, with the exponential filter width chosen to make the half-width (the standard deviation) of the smoothing function of the total operation equal to the floating point value **sigma**. Larger N values make the overall smoothing function look more Gaussian. The domain of the operator **xcl** specifies an excluded edge region, in which the **dst** pixel values are not changed. (The operator **xcl** is not used for anything except specifying this excluded edge region.) **dst** should be the same size as **src**, and they may be the same image.

SMTHXS dst, src, sig [, xcl]

Set image **dst** equal to image **src** smoothed in the x (horizontal) direction. The smoothing operation comprises a two-pass (one pass increasing x, one pass decreasing x) exponential

smoothing filter. The filter width is not necessarily constant for the whole image area; the exponential filter width for each pixel is the value of the corresponding pixel in the image **sig**. Such a smoothing operation, with the smoothing width varying from one pixel to the next, might not have some properties normally expected from smoothing operations, such as conservation of the area (or volume) under a peak. The domain of the operator **xcl** specifies an excluded edge region, in which the **dst** pixel values are not changed. (The operator **xcl** is not used for anything except specifying this excluded edge region.) **dst**, **src**, and **sig** should all be the same size. **dst** and **src** may be the same image, but **sig** should be different from both **dst** and **src**.

SMTHY dst, src, sigma, N [, xcl]

Same as **SMTHX**, but this smoothing is in the y (vertical) direction. (Overlap rows are not needed.)

SMTHYS dst, src, sig [, xcl]

Same as **SMTHXS**, but this smoothing is in the y (vertical) direction. (Overlap rows are not needed.)

SMUL dst, src1, src2

Set scalar variable **dst** = **src1** * **src2**.

SQRT dst, src

Set image **dst** = square root of image **src**.

SSQ dst, src, opr

Set image **dst** equal to the local sum of squares of image **src**, with weighting coefficients from operator **opr**. That is, set each image **dst** pixel value equal to the sum over the domain of operator **opr** of {**src** * **src** * **opr**}. The **dst** pixels in the excluded edge region, defined by the domain of the operator **opr**, are set to zero. **src** should have enough overlap rows to accommodate operator **opr**. **opr** must be greater than 0. **dst** and **src** should be different images. The image **dst** does not need to be the same size as the image **src**, but the two images do need to be distributed among the daisies in a manner compatible with the **RESAMPLE** algorithms.

SSQRT dst, src

Set scalar variable **dst** = square root of **src**.

SSUB dst, src1, src2

Set scalar variable **dst** = **src1** - **src2**.

STAN dst, src

Set scalar variable **dst** = tangent root of **src**, with **src** in radians.

STATS img [, xcl]

Calculate pixel value statistics for image **img**, excluding the edge region defined by the domain of operator **xcl**. If **xcl** is not given, the value 0 is assumed and no edge region is excluded. This operation sets the user-accessible variables **\$N** = number of pixels, **\$AVG** = average value of pixels, **\$SIG** = standard deviation of pixel values, **\$MAX** = maximum pixel value, **\$MIN** = minimum pixel value, **\$NROW** = number of rows, **\$NCOL** = number of columns,

\$A = value of A coefficient in tables, \$B = value of B coefficient in tables.

STOP (no parameters)

Stop the feature calculation process for the current scene. For program G, stop execution of the whole program. For program E, go on to the next scene. For program F, accumulate the sums for this scene and then go on to the next scene, optimizing the coefficients after the last scene.

SUB dst, src1, src2

Set image **dst** = image **src1** - image **src2**.

SUBCON dst, src, const

Set image **dst** = image **src** - **const**.

SUBDEF subname [typcod, varnam] [, ...]

Define a "subroutine" in a **.fc** file. This is the first line of a subroutine in a **.fc** file. A subroutine is a block of commands that can be executed from elsewhere in the **.fc** file via the **GOSUB** command. The subroutine starts with this **SUBDEF** command, normally includes several other commands, and normally ends with the **RETURN** command which transfers control back to the line following the **GOSUB** command that invoked the subroutine. (Actually, the subroutine does not necessarily need a **RETURN** as its last physical line in the **.fc** file, but the logical end of a subroutine must be a **RETURN**.) The subroutine, and hence the **SUBDEF** command, should be placed in the **.fc** file in such a way that the **SUBDEF** command is never encountered except via the **GOSUB** command, and the **RETURN** command is never encountered except after a **SUBDEF** command.

The subroutine name **subname** is treated as a user-defined variable. Thus, it can be chosen more or less arbitrarily within the limits of normal variable names, and it must be distinct from all other variable names.

Each subroutine variable is specified by two parameters in the **SUBDEF** command. The first parameter of the pair specifies the type of variable: **I32** (32-bit integer), **F32** (32-bit floating point), **CHR** (character), or **STR** (character string). The second parameter of the pair is the name of the subroutine variable. The name must conform to the rules for user-defined variable names. It must be distinct from all other variable names in the **.fc** file, and it must not be defined anywhere else in the **.fc** file. That is, all variables, both within a subroutine and outside of any subroutine, are "global" in the sense that their names are all kept in the same list and they are all accessible from anywhere in the entire **.fc** file. Subroutine variables are not in any way isolated from other variables.

A subroutine variable can be either a scalar or a one-dimensional array. To specify that a subroutine variable is an array, the name of the variable in the **SUBDEF** command is immediately followed by an empty bracket pair "**[]**". Thus, the command line

```
SUBDEF ABC I32 XXX[] I32 Y STR Z
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specifies that **ABC** is the subroutine name; **XXX** represents an array of **I32** values within the subroutine; **Y** represents a single **I32** value within the subroutine; and **Z** represents a character string within the subroutine. Within the subroutine, we can refer to individual elements of the array **XXX**, with commands like

```
SADD XXX[J] XXX[2] Y
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where **J** is a variable that is defined elsewhere in the **.fc** file. This command sets element number

J of array XXX equal to the sum of Y and element number 2 of XXX.

The subroutine variables are accessible from elsewhere in the .fc file. However, you must use caution and not access these variables until after they have been defined, which occurs when the subroutine is defined. This happens the first time the software scans over the SUBDEF command in the .fc file, even if the software is merely jumping over the SUBDEF command in response to a JUMP command or a GOSUB to a different subroutine.

SUMPIX *img* [, *xcl*]

Calculate the sum of all the pixels in the image **img**, excluding the edge region defined by the domain of operator **xcl**. If **xcl** is not given, the value 0 is assumed and no edge region is excluded. This operation sets the user-accessible variables \$N = number of pixels, \$AVG = average value of pixels.

TAN *dst, src*

Set each image **dst** pixel equal to the tangent of the angle specified by the value of the corresponding image **src** pixel. Angles must be in radians.

UNDERSAMPLE *dst, src, xcl, xfact, yfact, novl*

Undersample image **src** and put the result into image **dst**. This function is the same as RESAMPLE, except that, whereas RESAMPLE specifies the size of the new image **dst** directly, UNDERSAMPLE uses **xfact** and **yfact** to specify the size of the new image **dst** relative to the size of the old image **src**. The size of the new image **dst** will be the size of the old image **src** minus the excluded edge regions defined by the domain of the operator **xcl**, divided by **xfact** in the horizontal direction and **yfact** in the vertical direction. Images defined by this UNDERSAMPLE operation are completely compatible with (are distributed among the slave nodes the same way as) images defined by the RESAMPLE operation.

VGA *caption, img* [, *row0* [, *col0* [, *Q*]]]

Display image **img** on the system (console) monitor. The top left corner of the image will appear at **row0,col0** in the screen display. Red will be used for pixels with value less than **Q**, green for pixels with value greater than **Q**. The default values for **row0**, **col0**, and **Q** are 0, 0, and 0.0. Pixel values should be between 0.0 and 255.0. The character string **caption** will be printed below the image on the screen. **caption** should not contain any embedded spaces. If a "." is the first character of the string given as the label, then the last-used result file name will be used as the label. This requires that Gordon Lassahn's device handler VGA and compatible video hardware are installed. This display function is rather crude, slow, and buggy, and is not generally recommended.

WRITEFEAT *filename, src*

FOR PROGRAM F ONLY. WRITEFEAT writes image **src** to file **filename**, as in operation WRITEIMAGE, and enters **filename** into an internal list of feature image files (in the user-accessible array \$FFIA[]). If a string beginning with "+" is given instead of a file name, the previously used feature image file name is incremented and used here. (See the INCFIL command for an explanation of incrementing a file name.) The initial stored feature image file name is \FI\FI000000.FI for ATR1 and ATR2, and /usr/users/fi/fi000000.fi for ATR3. Feature images are always written with a Data Translation header, in which is embedded the value of the last scale factor B used in scaling the image with the SCALE command.

Feature image files are written with each pixel represented as one 8-bit (1-byte) unsigned integer. This means that any pixel value outside the range 0.0 to 255.0 will not be correctly represented. It also means that precision is limited. As a worst case example, if the feature image pixel values range from 0.0032 to 0.4158, they will all be written as 0 and all precision will be lost. You must construct feature images in such a way that there are no negative values. After this is done, you should usually use the SCALE command just before the WRITEFEAT command. This scale command multiplies the image by a constant that allows optimal use of the available precision, and this constant is written to the feature image file and it is used later by the F program to restore the feature image pixels to their original (before scaling) values during the sums calculations.

WRITEIMAGE **filename, src [, header]**

Write image number **src** to file **filename**. If the value of **header** is 0, no header is written to the file; if the value is 1, a Data Translation header is written. If **header** is not given, a value of 1 is used. Bytes 127 through 152 of the Data Translation header (the first byte of the header is called number 1) will be the scale coefficients A and B in FORTRAN format (1x,e12.6,1x,e12.6). No other values can be used for **header** with WRITEIMAGE.

WRITERESULT **src, header, Q**

FOR PROGRAM E ONLY. This is the same as command WRITEIMAGE, with two additional features. If **header** is 1, the value **Q** is stored in the file header in place of the value of the scale factor A. The file name for this result image output file is read from the scene list (.sl) file, the first of the set of file names given for the scene, the name that takes the place of the name of the mask image in the scene list file used for the training process. If "+" is given instead of a file name in the scene list (.sl) file, then the previously used result image file name is incremented and used here. The initial file name is C:\ri\ri000000.ri for ATR1 and ATR2, and /usr/users/ri/ri000000.ri for ATR3.

XGRAD **dst, src**

Set image **dst** equal to the x-gradient (derivative with respect to x, the coordinate that increases from left to right) of the intensity in image **src**. The gradient values are calculated as $\text{gradient} = (\text{intensity}[i+1] - \text{intensity}[i-1]) / 2$. The first and last columns (left and right edges) of **dst** are set to 0. **dst** and **src** should be different images, of the same size.

XIMG **dst**

Set the value of each pixel in image **dst** equal to the pixel's x (column) coordinate. The left-most column is column 0, x=0.

XLIN01 **dst, bright, tangle, opr**

Extend lines found by LIN01. The "central" pixel in the local region of image **dst** is set equal to the weighted sum of the brightnesses of the line segments that are in the local region defined by the operator **opr** and are oriented in the direction so that their extensions would pass through the central pixel. The weights are the values of the pixels in **opr**. **bright** and **tangle** are the images containing the brightness and orientation data from LIN01. **dst**, **bright**, and **tangle** should all be different images, all of the same size. This operation uses overlap rows for both images **bright** and **tangle**. **dst** pixels in the excluded edge region defined by the domain of **opr** are set to zero.

XY2RT *dstr, dstt, srcx, srcy* [, *xcl*]

Convert a vector field from x-y representation to r-tangent(angle) representation. Images **srcx** and **srcy** contain the x and y component values. The vector magnitude will be put into image **dstr**, and the tangent of the angle between the vector and the x axis will be put into image **dstt**. **xcl** specifies an excluded edge region, in which the **dstr** and **dstt** pixel values will not be changed. None of the images need be different from any of the others, although it would normally not be sensible for **srcx** and **srcy** to be the same image. If the two destination images **dstr** and **dstt** are the same, the destination image will contain the vector magnitudes and the vector direction values will not be written to any image. All these images should be the same size.

YGRAD *dst, src*

Set image **dst** equal to the y-gradient (derivative with respect to y, the coordinate that increases from top to bottom of an image) of the intensity in image **src**. The gradient values are calculated as $\text{gradient} = (\text{intensity}[j+1] - \text{intensity}[j-1]) / 2$. The top and bottom rows of **dst** are set to 0. **dst** and **src** should be different images, of the same size. This operation requires one overlap row for image **src**.

YIMG *dst*

Set the value of each pixel in image **dst** equal to the pixel's y (row) coordinate. The top row is row 0, y=0.

ZEROIMAGE *img*

Set all the pixels in image **img**, including the overlap rows, to zero.