

Exporting data

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```
> restart;
with(StringTools) :
FormatTime("%m-%d-%Y, %H:%M");
"10-03-2013, 21:18"
```

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This tutorial will show how to use Maple for some basic processing of digital images. First, load the "ImageTools" package.

```
> with(ImageTools) :
```

The "Read" command can be used to import a digital image, like a photo from a digital camera. Once imported, the "View" command is used to open a window that displays the image.

```
> img
:= Read("G:\UBCO\2013-2014\PHYS 331\projects\Interferometer Optics\30min.
JPG");
View(img);
```

```
img := [ 1..2592 x 1..3872 x 1..3 Array
        Data Type: float8
        Storage: rectangular
        Order: C_order ]
```

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To crop unwanted sections of the image, the command "GetSubImage" can be used. It requires five arguments: 1. name of image to be cropped, 2. the number of the first row to keep, 3. the number of the first column to keep, 4. the height of the image (number of rows), and 5. the width of the image (number of columns).

```
> subImg := GetSubImage(img, 1000, 800, 1592, 2500);
View(subImg);
```

```
subImg := [ 1000..2591 x 800..3299 x 1..3 Array
           Data Type: float8
           Storage: rectangular
           Order: C_order ]
```

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Often, when analyzing an image, one may wish to convert the image colours to a gray scale. To do so, use "RGBtoGray". This command assigns a value between 0 (black) and 1 (white) to each pixel in the image.

```
> imgGray := RGBtoGray(subImg);
View(imgGray);
```

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```

imgGray := [ 1000..2591 x 800..3299 Array
            Data Type: float8
            Storage: rectangular
            Order: C_order ]

```

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The modified image can be written to a file using the "Write" command.

```

> Write("G:\\UBCO\\2013-2014\\PHYS 331\\projects\\Interferometer Optics\\30min-Gray.JPG",
imgGray) :

```

Often, Now, let's see how to do some simple analysis of the modified image. First, individual pixels can be accessed using "img[row number, column number]".

```

> imgGray[1000, 800];
imgGray[1750, 2500];

```

0.00392156862745098
0.210078431372549

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The total number of rows and columns in the modified image can be extracted using "Height(img)" and "Width(img)" respectively.

```

> Height(imgGray);
Width(imgGray);

```

1592
2500

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We can use loops to sum the total 'brightness' of the image pixels. The average pixel 'brightness' is obtained by dividing the sum by the product of the width and the height.

```

> intensity := 0 :
  for i from 800 to 800 + Width(imgGray) - 1 do:
    for j from 1000 to 1000 + Height(imgGray) - 1 do:
      intensity := intensity + imgGray[j, i];
    end do:
  end do:
intensity;
meanValue :=  $\frac{\text{intensity}}{\text{Width}(\text{imgGray}) \cdot \text{Height}(\text{imgGray})}$ ;

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1.80246874037590 10⁵
meanValue := 0.0452881593059271

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Maple has an "Intensity" function that can be used to some analysis without requiring use to write for loops. For example, here is the mean value that we just calculated.

```

> Intensity(imgGray, mean);

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0.04528815930

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Here are some additional examples of using "Intensity" for quantitative analysis of images.

```

> Intensity(imgGray, rms);
Intensity(imgGray, variance);

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Intensity(imgGray, range);
Intensity(imgGray, maximum);

0.08684379158

0.005490826765

0...0.929882352941176382

0.929882352941176382



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