

1. a. I-frame: Intra Frame. Is coded without reference to other frames.

P-frame: Predicted Frame. Coded with reference to the previous frame.

B-frame: Also a predicted frame. Coded with reference to both previous and future frame.

Coding efficiency: I-frame  $\leftarrow$  P-frame  $\leftarrow$  B-frame  
more efficient  $\rightarrow$

Complexity: I-frame  $\ll$  P-frame  $\ll$  B-frame.  
more complex  $\rightarrow$

Encoding delay: I-frame  $\ll$  P-frame  $\ll$  B-frame.  
more delay  $\rightarrow$

- b. 1. With layer coder, base layer and enhancement layer are both transmitted. But if ~~enhancement~~<sup>base</sup> layer is lost or in error, enhancement layer has no use by itself.

2. Since P-frames and predicted from I-frames and further used to predict B-frames, error in P/I-frame would propagate in time.

3. Motion ~~estimation~~<sup>compensation</sup> would makes error in reference frame propagate ~~to~~ spatially/in'time

2. Variable length coding makes subsequent bits of a errored bit ~~to~~ non-decodable.

c. 1. FEC: Forward Error Correction/Detection

2. ARQ: Automatic Retransmission Request.


3. Error Resilient encoding: Add redundancy to video bitstreams to assist decoder recovery.

4. Insert more I-frames.

5. Packetizing and slicing.

d. Spatial Scalability: In terms of picture size. User with lower ~~bitrate~~<sup>bandwidth</sup> can see small-size-frames, higher ~~bitrate~~<sup>bandwidth</sup>  $\rightarrow$  bigger picture.

Temporal Scalability: Frame rate. Higher ~~bitrate~~<sup>bandwidth</sup> more frames can be seen.

Amplitude Scalability: (SNR). Higher bandwidth users see the frames which are encoded using smaller quantization stepsize. Users with low bandwidth see frames encoded using large QP. How? 

- e.
1. Size of the object. objects further away looks smaller.
  2. Occlusion. If A is occluded by B, A is ~~is~~ farther away than B is.
  3. Parallax. When moving, objects further away moves much slower than objects near us.

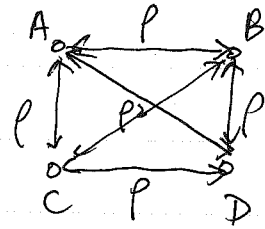
- f.
1. Basis should be nearly decorrelating.
  2. High energy compaction: few of the basis vectors contain big portion of the energy.
  3. Easy to compute.
  4. Separable. Can ~~perform encode and decode~~<sup>inverse transform and transform.</sup>

d: - spectral scalability can be implemented by down sampling original frame to smaller frames. Code small frames in base layer. Interpolate base layer to original size, code interpolated error as enhancement layer.

- Temporal scalability can be implemented by temporal down sampling. Base layer = base frame rate, enh ~~the~~ layer = skipped frames

- Amplitude scalability by multiple quantizers.

$$2. a. [U] = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$b. [C]_S = E \{ [A \ B \ C \ D] \}^* \begin{bmatrix} A \\ B \\ C \\ D \end{bmatrix} y$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & P & P & P^2 \\ P & 1 & P^2 & P \\ P & P^2 & 1 & P \\ P^2 & P & P & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c. [C]_t = [V] [C]_S [V]^H \quad [V] = [W]^H = [W]$$

$$[V] [C]_S = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & P & P & P^2 \\ P & 1 & P^2 & P \\ P & P^2 & 1 & P \\ P^2 & P & P & 1 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} (P+1)^2 & (P+1)^2 & (P+1)^2 & (P+1)^2 \\ (1-P)^2 & (1-P)^2 & (P^2-1) & (P^2-1) \\ (1-P)^2 & (P^2-1) & (1-P)^2 & (P^2-1) \\ (P-1)^2 & -(P-1)^2 & -(P-1)^2 & (P-1)^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[V] [C]_S [V]^H = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} (P+1)^2 & (P+1)^2 & (P+1)^2 & (P+1)^2 \\ (1-P)^2 & (1-P)^2 & (P^2-1) & (P^2-1) \\ (1-P)^2 & (P^2-1) & (1-P)^2 & (P^2-1) \\ (P-1)^2 & -(P-1)^2 & -(P-1)^2 & (P-1)^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4(P+1)^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4(1-P)^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4(1-P)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4(P-1)^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

d.  $G_{t,k} = \{(p+1)^2, (1-p^2), (1-p^2), (p-1)^2\} \sigma^2$

$$\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 G_{t,k} \right)^{1/4} = (\Sigma_{t,1}^2 \Sigma_{t,2}^2 \Sigma_{t,3}^2 \Sigma_{t,4}^2)^{1/4} \cdot ((p+1)^2 (1-p^2) (1-p^2) (p-1)^2)^{1/4} \sigma^2$$

$$= \left( \prod_{k=1}^4 \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4} \cdot (1-p^2) \sigma^2$$

$$R_1 = R + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{\Sigma_{t,1}^2 (p+1)^2}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4} (1-p^2)} = R + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{\Sigma_{t,1}^2 (p+1)}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4} (1-p)}$$

$$= R + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{\sigma_{t,k}^2}{(1-p^2) \sigma^2}$$

$$R_2 = R + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{\Sigma_{t,2}^2}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4}} \quad R_3 = R + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{\Sigma_{t,3}^2}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4}}$$

$$R_4 = R + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{\Sigma_{t,4}^2 (1-p)}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4} (1-p)}$$

Average distortion:  $D_E = \frac{1}{4} (\Sigma_{t,1}^2 (p-1)^2 \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-2R_1} + \Sigma_{t,2}^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-2R_2} + \Sigma_{t,3}^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-2R_3} + \Sigma_{t,4}^2 (1-p)^2 \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-2R_4})$

$$= 2^{-2R} \cdot \left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4} (1-p^2) \sigma^2$$

e.  $D_S = \Sigma_s^2 \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-2R}$

f.  $C_{TTC} = \frac{D_S}{D_T} = \frac{\Sigma_s^2}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4}} \cdot \frac{\sigma^2}{(1-p^2) \sigma^2} = \frac{\Sigma_s^2}{\left( \prod_k \Sigma_{t,k}^2 \right)^{1/4} (1-p^2)} = \frac{1}{1-p^2}$

Could have assumed  $\Sigma_s = \Sigma_{t,k} = \Sigma$

3. a.  $\{f_n(x,y) | f_{n-1}(x,y)\} = p \sigma^2$

~~$E\{f_n(x,y) - f_{n-1}(x,y)\} = E\{f_n(x,y)\} - E\{f_{n-1}(x,y)\} = 2 f_n(x,y) f_{n-1}(x,y)$~~   
 ~~$= 2(1-p)\sigma^2$~~

$[R(1,1)] [a] = [R(0,1)]$

$\sigma^2 [1] [a] = p \sigma^2$

$a = p$

$\sigma_p^2 = R(0,0) - R(0,1) \cdot a = (1-p^2) \sigma^2$

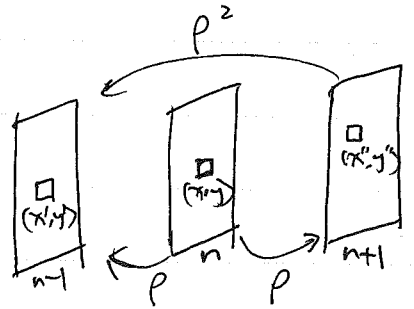
$\begin{bmatrix} R(1,1) & R(0,1) \\ R(1,2) & R(2,2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R(0,1) \\ R(0,2) \end{bmatrix}$

b.  $\sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & p^2 \\ p^2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} p \\ p \end{bmatrix} \sigma^2$

$b_1 = b_2 = \frac{p}{1+p^2}$

$\sigma_B^2 = \sigma^2 (1 - [p \ p] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{p}{1+p^2} \\ \frac{p}{1+p^2} \end{bmatrix})$

$= \sigma^2 \cdot \frac{1-p^2}{1+p^2}$



c. For the P-mode:  $D_0 = \sigma^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-\alpha R_P}$

$R_P = \frac{1}{\alpha} \cdot \log_2 \frac{D_0}{\sigma^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2} = \frac{1}{\alpha} \log_2 \frac{\sigma^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2}{D_0}$

For the B-mode:  $D_0 = \sigma^2 \frac{1-p^2}{1+p^2} \cdot \sigma^2 \cdot 2^{-\alpha R_B}$

$R_B = \frac{1}{\alpha} \cdot \log_2 \frac{D_0 (1+p^2)}{\sigma^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2} < R_P$

$= \frac{1}{\alpha} \log_2 \frac{\sigma^2 (1-p^2) \sigma^2}{D_0 (1+p^2)}$



d. Because B-mode requires extra delay, since it needs future frame to encode current frame. In real applications, eg. live streaming, video conferencing, ~~video~~ is very sensitive to delay. Thus B-mode is not used.

*(Non-causal, can use for some frames if future frames are coded first not using B.)*

4. a.  $x_l = F \cdot \frac{x + B/2}{z}$       $x_r = F \cdot \frac{x - B/2}{z}$

~~$x_l + x_r = F \cdot \frac{x + B/2}{z} + F \cdot \frac{x - B/2}{z} = F \cdot \frac{2x}{z}$~~

~~$y = \frac{y \cdot z}{F}$~~

$x_l - x_r = \frac{FB}{z}$  ,  $z = \frac{FB}{x_l - x_r}$  ✓

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$x_l + x_r = F \cdot \frac{x}{z}$       $x = \frac{(x_l + x_r) \cdot z}{2F} = \frac{(x_l + x_r) \cdot FB}{2(x_l - x_r)F} = \frac{x_l + x_r}{2(x_l - x_r)} \cdot B$  ✓

$y = y \cdot \frac{z}{F} = y \cdot \frac{B}{x_l - x_r}$

b.  $x_i = F \cdot \frac{x + B/4}{z}$ , from (a) we have expression for  $x$  and  $z$ , so:

$x_i = F \cdot \frac{\frac{x_l + x_r}{2(x_l - x_r)} \cdot B + \frac{B}{4}}{\frac{FB}{x_l - x_r}} = \frac{x_l + x_r + \frac{1}{4}(x_l - x_r)}{2} = \frac{5}{4}x_l + \frac{3}{4}x_r = \frac{5}{4}x_l + \frac{1}{4}x_r$

$y_i = \frac{Fy}{z} = y$  ✓

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c. 1. Divide the image into block, for each block, assume it's a flat surface, so every point in it has same disparity. ✓

2. For each block  $k$  in the right image, minimize the disparity error: <sup>minimizing</sup>

$E = \sum_{(x_r, y_r)} (f_r(x_r, y_r) - f_l(x_r + d_k(x_r, y_r), y_r))^2 = \sum_{(x_r, y_r)} (f_r(x_r, y_r) - f_l(x_r + d_k(x_r, y_r), y_r))^2$

Get the disparity  $d_k(x_r, y_r)$ .

3. For every block  $k$  in the intermediate image:

For each pixel  $(x_i, y_i)$ , compute corresponding  ~~$x_r$~~   $x_r$  using:

$x_i = \frac{5}{4}x_l + \frac{3}{4}x_r = \frac{5}{4}(x_r + d_k(x_r, y_r)) + \frac{3}{4}x_r$ . Then set  $f(x_i, y_i) = f(x_r, y_r)$   
 $f(x_i, y_i) = \frac{1}{4}f_l(x_l, y_l) + \frac{3}{4}f_r(x_r, y_r)$

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5. function [QF] = Encode(F, PF, width, height, mhwmax, mwhwmax, QS, outfile)
QF = zeros(width, height);
for (r = 1:8:height) for (c = 1:8:width) % for each 8x8 block
    Block = F(r:r+7, c:c+7);
    % first do backward motion estimation
    [muh, mvv, PredictedBlock] = MotionEstimation(Block, PF, width, height,
        mhwmax, mvmax);
    SAD_P = sum(sum(abs(Block - PredictedBlock)));
    % code directly.
    SAD_I = sum(sum(abs(Block - 128)));
    if SAD_P > SAD_I mode = 1; % code directly.
    else mode = 0; end;

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~~if mode == 0 % code using predicted frame + error.~~

% compute DCT coefficients of the error block.

if mode == 0 % predicted

ErrBlock = Block - PredictedBlock; muh = 0, mvv = 0;

else ErrBlock = Block - 128; end;

DCTBlock = dct2(ErrBlock);

[QuantizedDCTBlock] = quantizeDCT(DCTBlock, QS); % defined below

EntropyCoding(mode, muh, mvv, QuantizedDCTBlock, outfile);

QuantizedDCTBlock2 = dequantizeDCT(QuantizedDCTBlock, QS);

QuantizedDCTBlock3 = idct2(QuantizedDCTBlock2);

if mode == 0  
QF(r:r+7, c:c+7) = QuantizedDCTBlock3 + PredictedBlock;

else  
QF(r:r+7, c:c+7) = QuantizedDCTBlock3 + 128;

Function for the

Quantization of DCT coefficients is defined:

function [QuantizedDCTBlock] = quantizeDCT(DCTBlock, QS)

$$\text{Quantized DCT Block} = \text{floor}(\text{DCT Block}) \\ \downarrow \\ = \text{floor}(\text{DCT Block} / Q_s);$$

need to shift

$$\frac{\text{DCT Block} + Q_s/2}{Q_s}$$



~~dequantize DCT~~

dequantize DCT function:

$$\text{function [deQuantizedDCTBlock] = dequantizeDCT(DCTBlock, Q_s)$$

$$\text{deQuantizedDCTBlock} = \text{DCTBlock} * Q_s;$$

