

The videos present the following PDE filters:

$$\text{Heat equation: } \frac{\partial I}{\partial t} = \Delta I$$

$$\text{Adaptive smoothing: } \frac{\partial I}{\partial t} = c(\|\nabla I\|)\Delta I$$

$$\text{Perona-Malik: } \frac{\partial I}{\partial t} = \text{div}(c(\|\nabla I\|)\nabla I)$$

$$\text{Prefiltered Perona-Malik: } \frac{\partial I}{\partial t} = \text{div}(c(\|\nabla(G * I)\|)\nabla I)$$

where the function c smoothly decreases from $c(0) = 1$ to $c(+\infty) = 0$ and G is a Gaussian kernel.

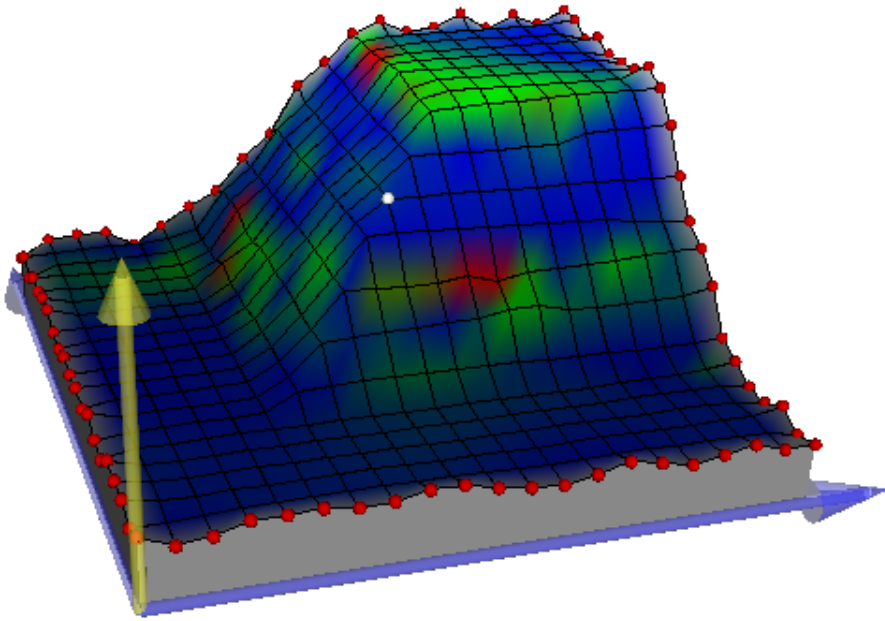
filter name

number of iterations

Perona Malik: 54

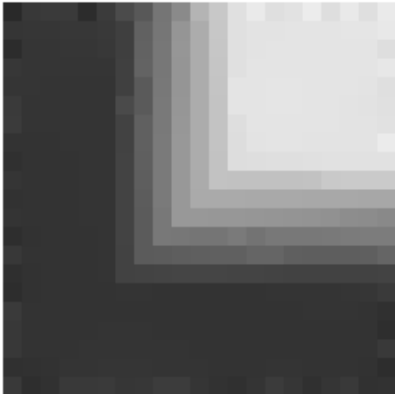
3D plot

- red: active areas
- blue: inactive areas

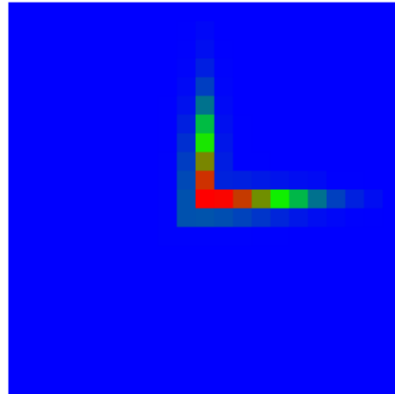


influence of
the central pixel
on the other pixels
(red: high, blue: low)

Intensity



Diffusion



gray-level image