

Region moments

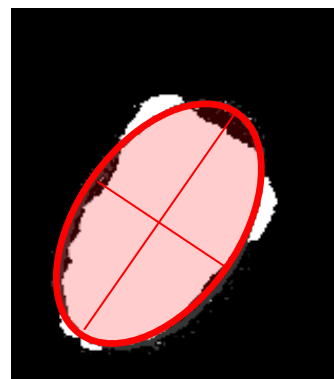
- Raw moments $M_{pq} = \sum_{x,y \in \text{Region}} x^p y^q$

- Central moments

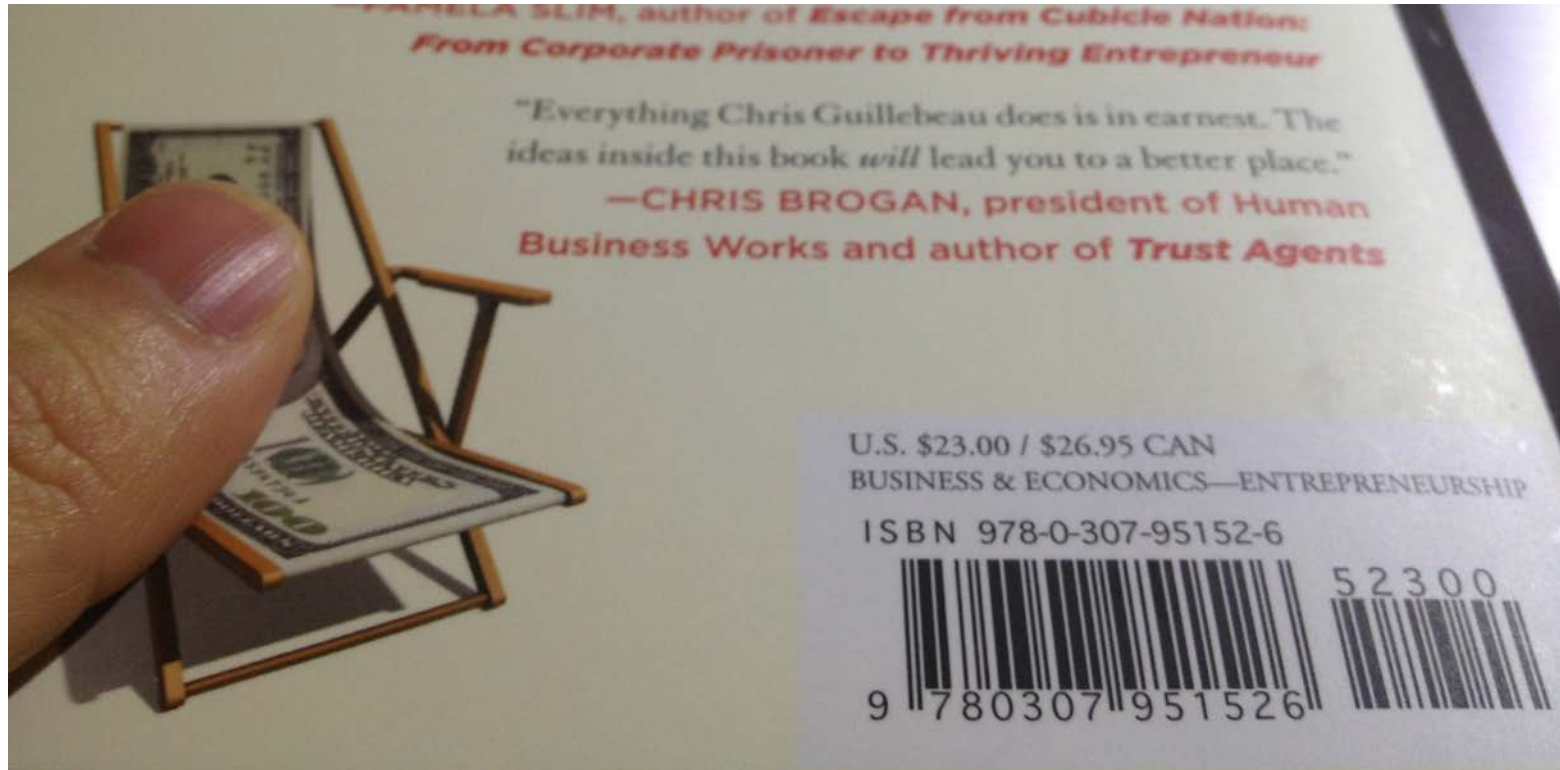
$$\mu_{pq} = \sum_{x,y \in \text{Region}} (x - \bar{x})^p (y - \bar{y})^q \quad \text{with } \bar{x} = \frac{M_{10}}{M_{00}} \text{ and } \bar{y} = \frac{M_{01}}{M_{00}}$$

- Region orientation and eccentricity:
calculate eigenvectors of covariance

matrix
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mu_{20} & \mu_{11} \\ \mu_{11} & \mu_{02} \end{bmatrix}$$



Example: Detecting bar codes

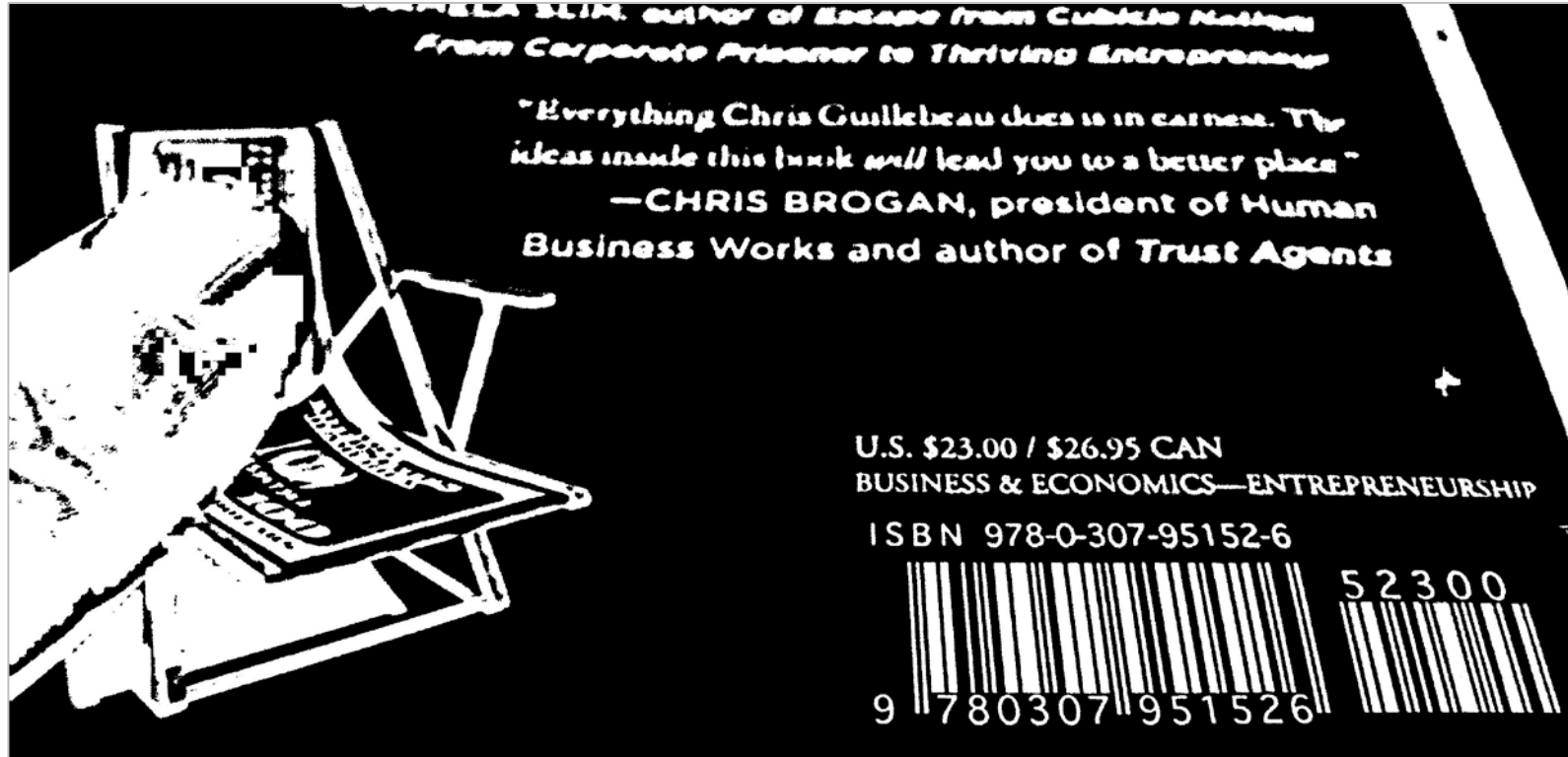


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Example: Detecting bar codes

Locally adaptive
thresholding



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Filtering by
eccentricity



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Filtering by eccentricity

Filtering by major axis length



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Filtering by major
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Filtering by
orientation

