

Research and Education for Vision and Color Sciences in Chiba University

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Education of Vision and Color

Department of Information and Image Sciences

- Introduction to Visual Information Processing (Prof. Yaguchi)
- Color and Image (Prof. Miyake)
- Psychophysics

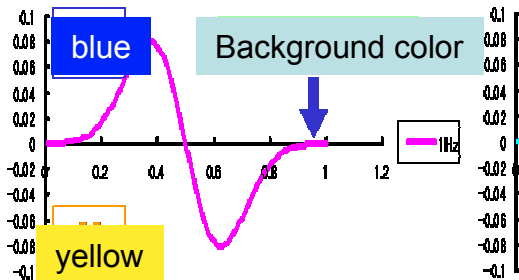
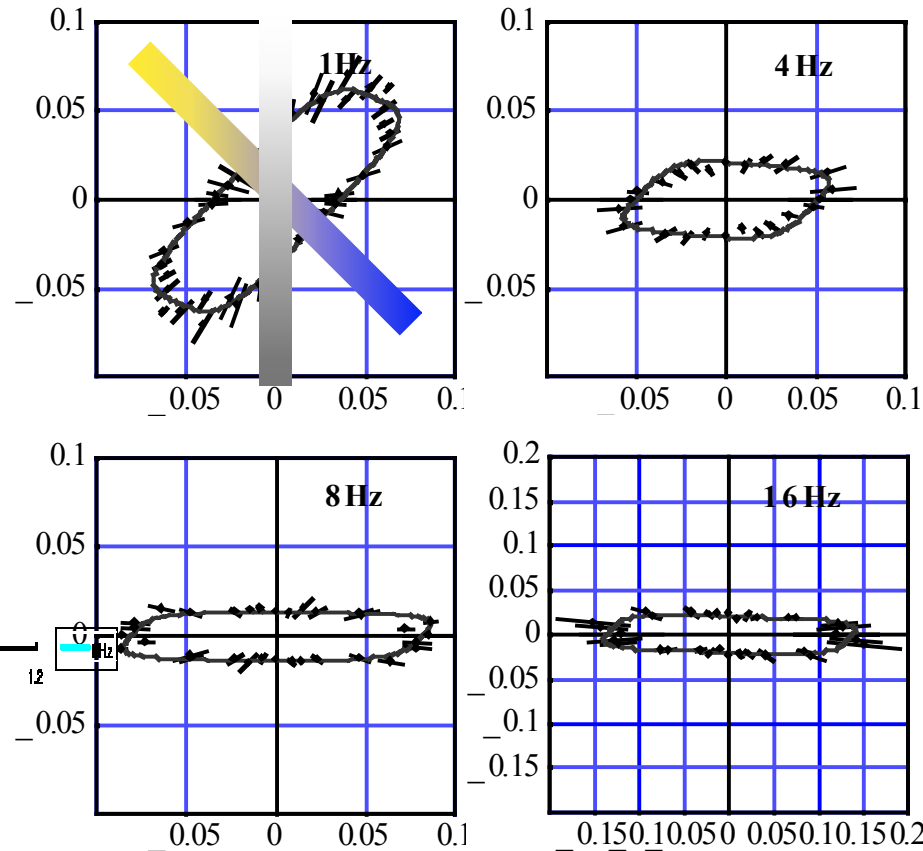
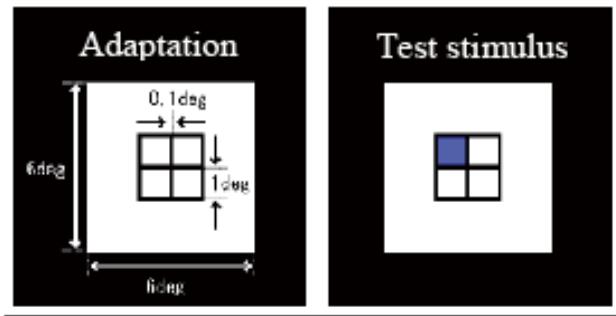
Graduate School of Advanced Integration Science

- Visual Science (Prof. Yaguchi)
- Color Reproduction (Prof. Yaguchi)
- Image Evaluation and Analysis (Prof. Miyake)
- Electronic Imaging (Prof. Tominaga)

Current research projects in Yaguchi labo.

- Color discrimination and visual attention
- Mesopic color reproduction
- Color discrimination for color deficiencies and universal color design
- Measurement of contrast sensitivity functions using color images
- Spatiotemporal contrast sensitivity functions and image quality of static images and movies: Motion sharpening
- Color rendering evaluation based on color appearance for solid state light sources
- Visual environment and color perception, etc.

Temporal Characteristics of Color discrimination

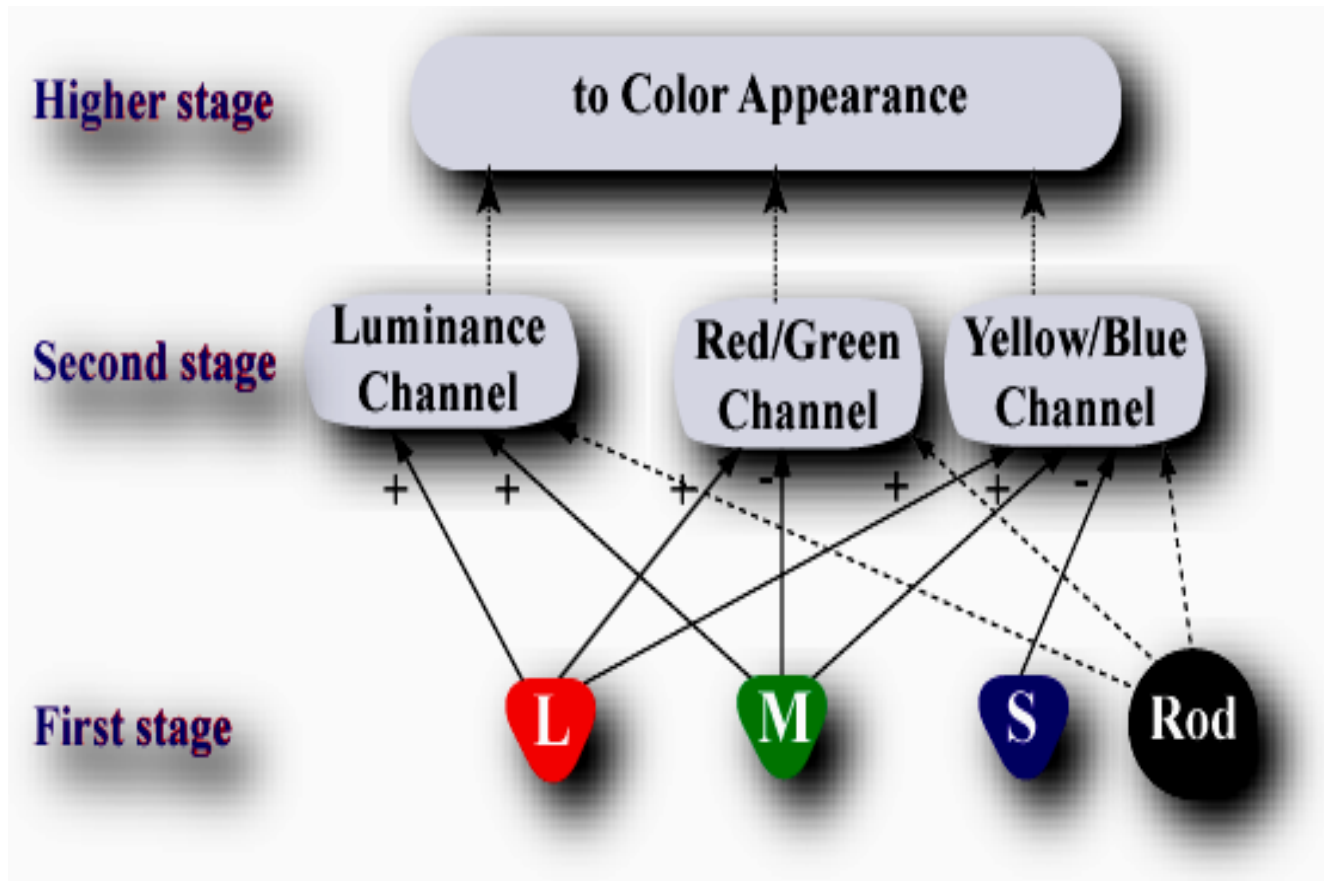


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Published papers on color discrimination

- Correlation Between Visual and Colorimetric Scales Ranging from Threshold to Large Color Difference, *Color Res.Appl.*, Vol.27, No.5, 360-373 (2002)
- Color Discrimination Characteristics Depending on the Background Color in the (L , M) Plane of a Color Space, *OPTICAL REVIEW*, Vol.10 No.5, 391-397 (2003)
- Visual Evaluation at Scale of Threshold to Suprathreshold Color Difference, *Color Res.Appl.*, Vol.30, No.3, 198-3208 (2005)

Color Appearance in Mesopic Vision





Imaging System of Mesopic Color Reproduction

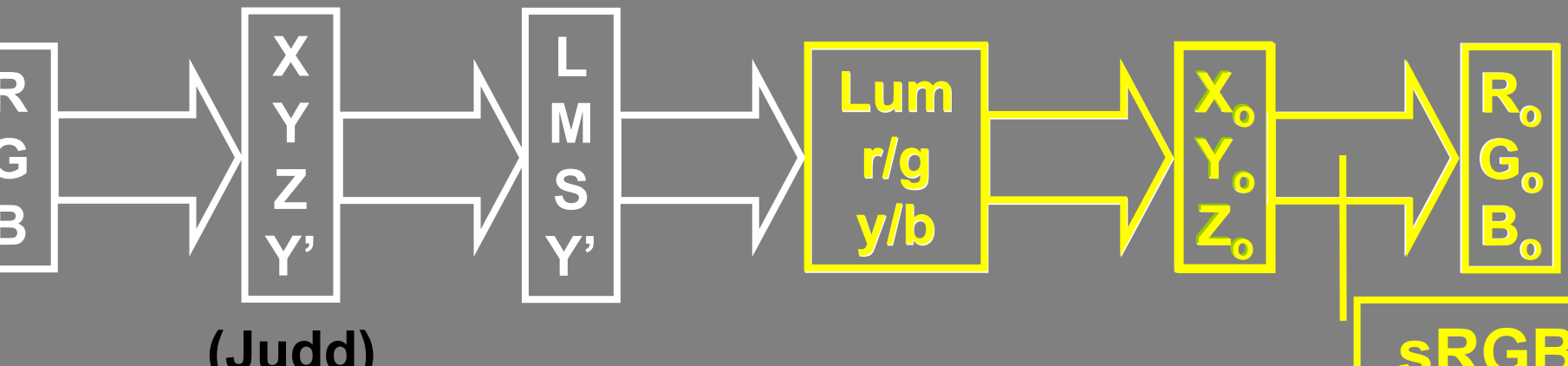


Input

MODEL

Output

1000(lx) 1000(lx) 1000(lx) $E(lx)$ $E(lx)$ $E(lx)$



Mesopic Color Reproduction



original



100 lx



10 lx



1 lx



0.1 lx



0.01 lx

Mesopic Color and Sharpness Reproduction



original



100 lx



10 lx



1 lx



0.1 lx



0.01 lx

Published papers on Color appearance in mesopic vision

- Change of Color Appearance in Photopic, Mesopic and Scotopic Vision, *OPTICAL REVIEW*, Vol.11 No.4, 265-271 (2004)
- A Color Appearance Model Applicable in Mesopic Vision, *OPTICAL REVIEW*, Vol.11 No.4, 272-278 (2004)
- Imaging system for mesopic vision, *Proceedings of the 10th Congress of International Colour Association*, Part1, pp.251-254 (2005)

Color appearance for dichromats



Normal



Protanope
(missing L-cone)



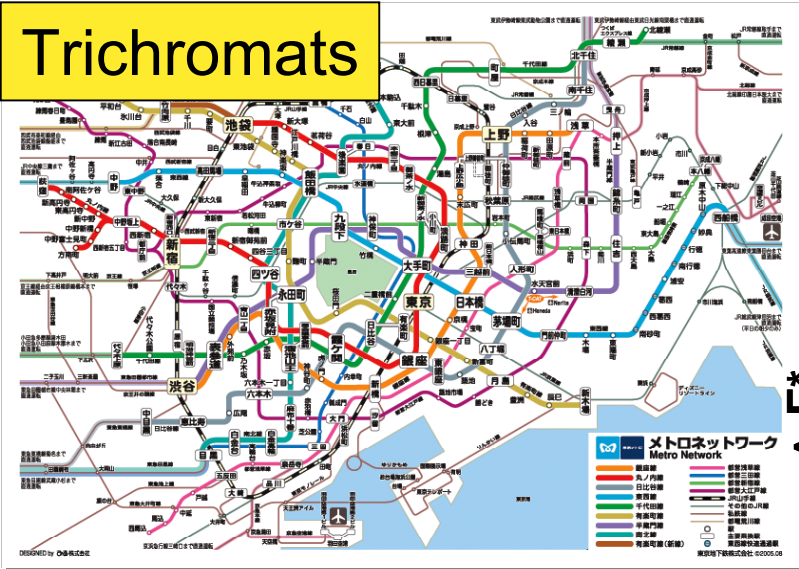
Deuteranope
(missing M-cone)



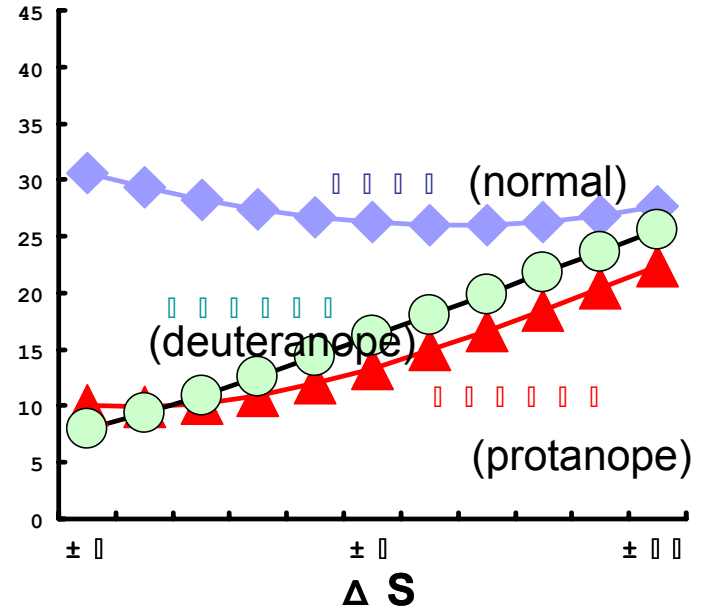
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Universal Color Design

Trichromats



Deuteranope



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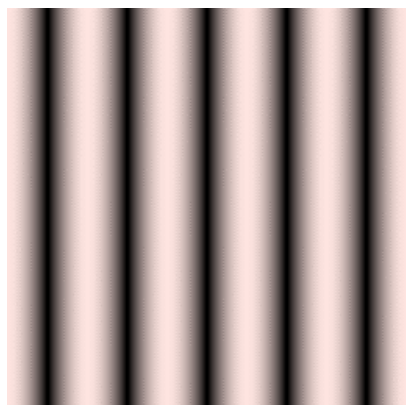
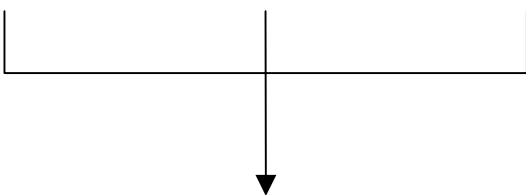
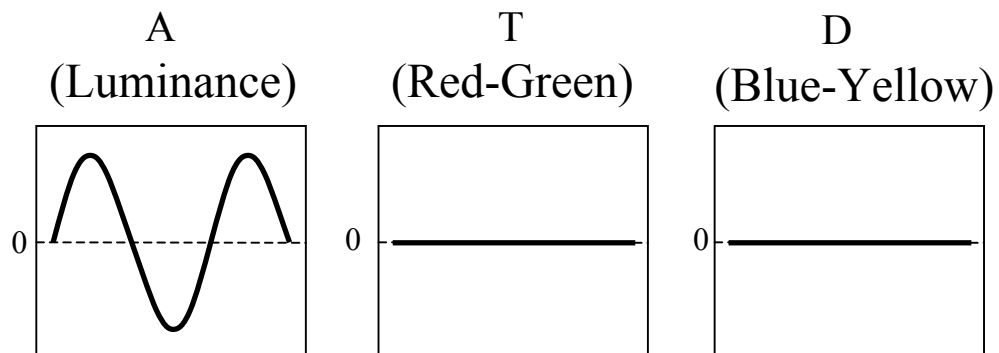


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Paper on Universal Color Design

- Quantification of Color Universal Design for Red-green Color Blind, *VISION*, 18, 231 (2006), presented at the 4th Asian Conference on Vision.

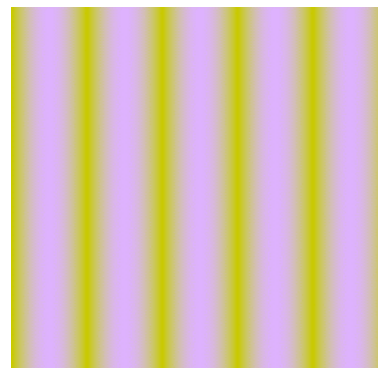
Contrast sensitivity functions



A grating

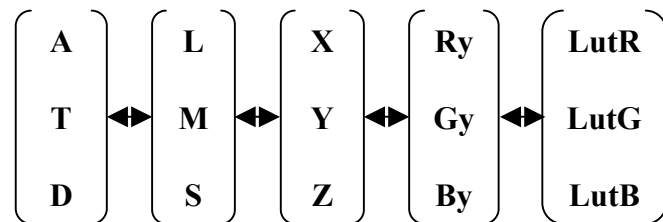


T grating

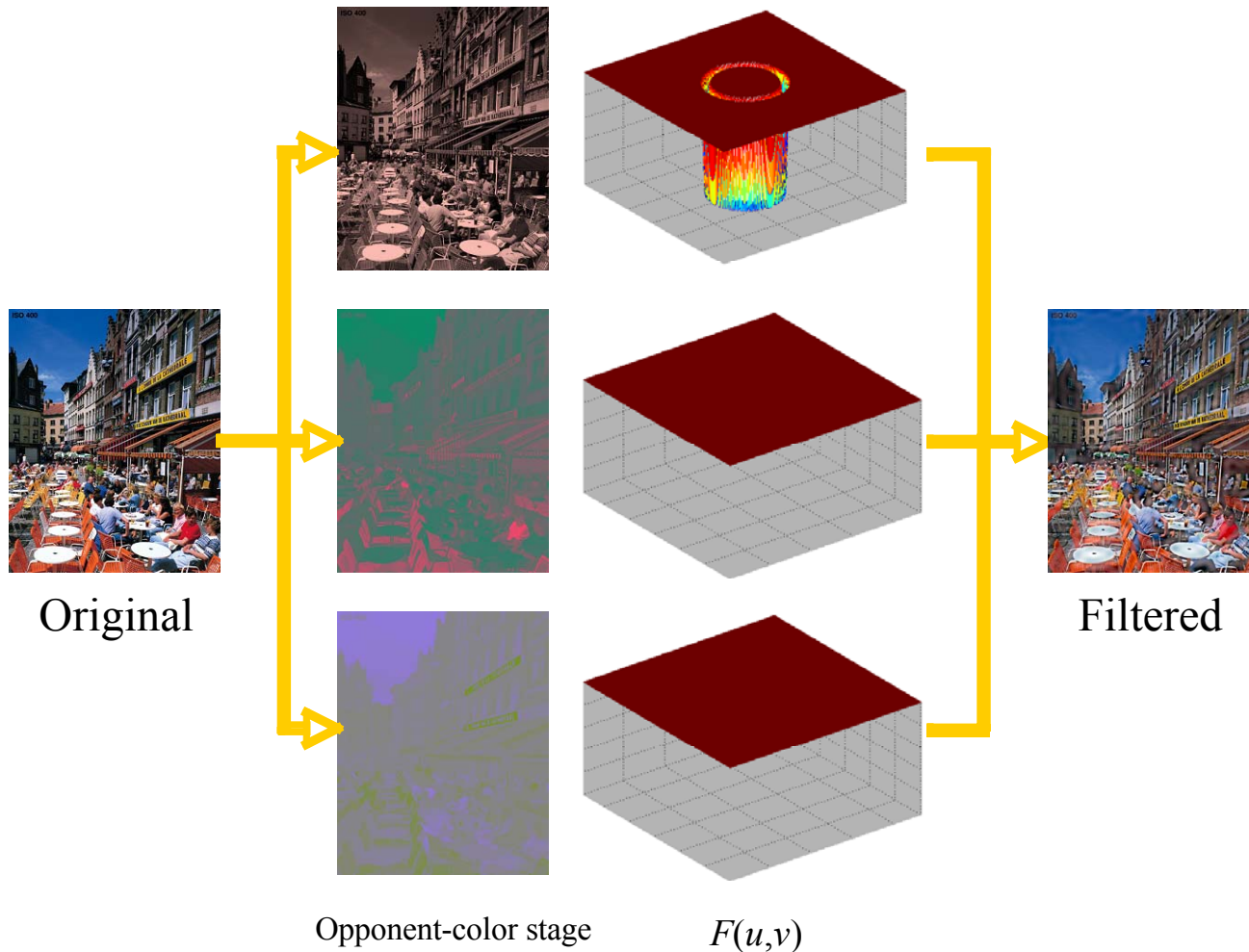


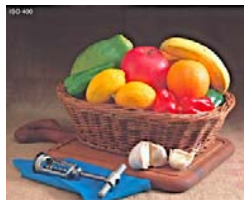
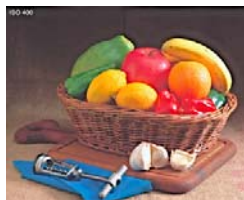
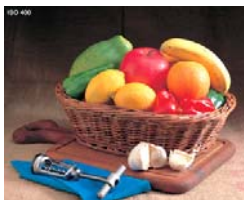
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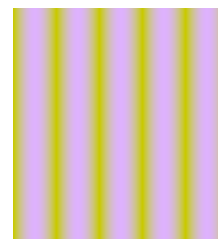
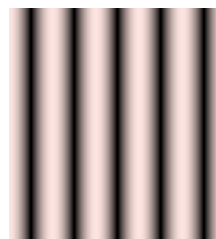
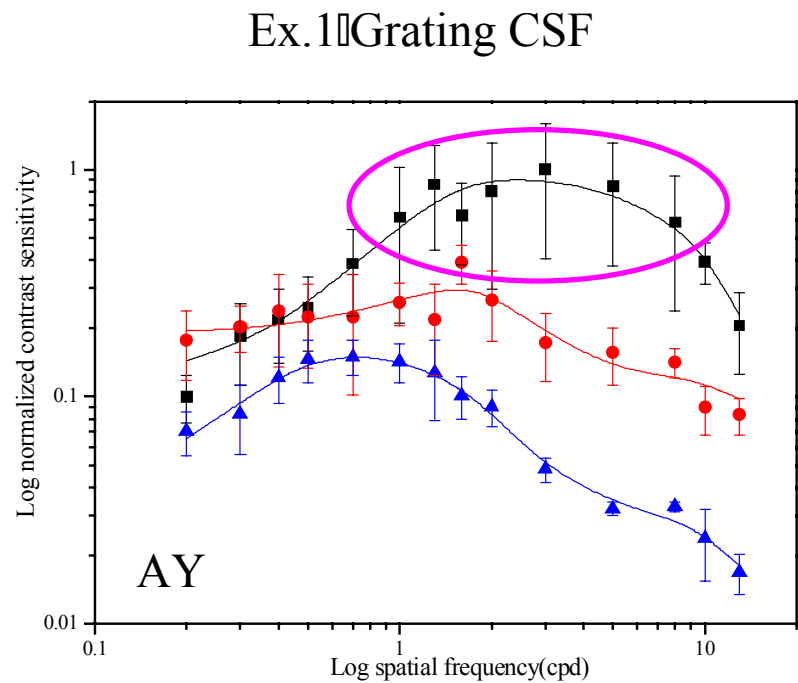
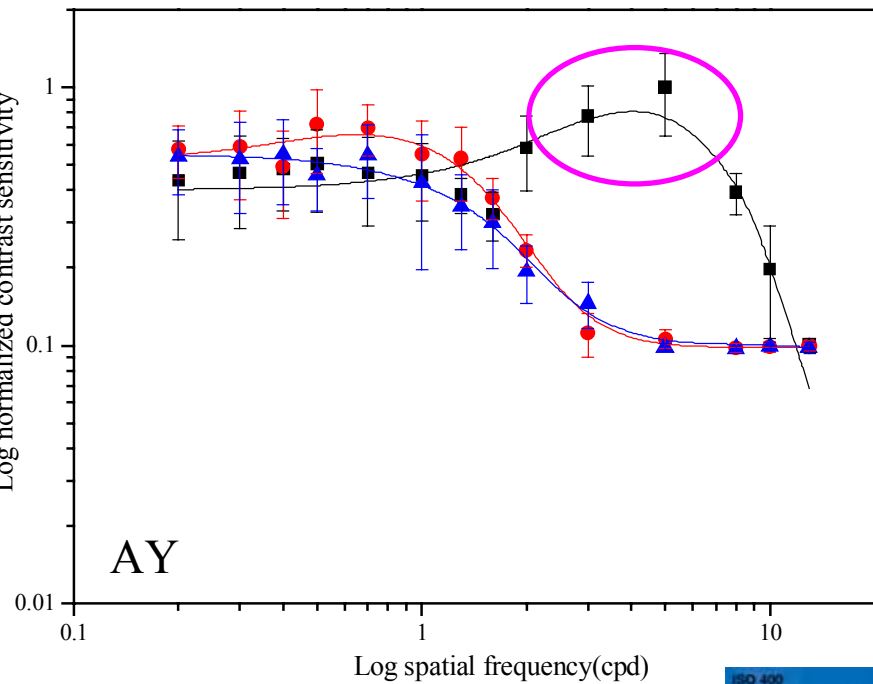
Color translation



Measurement of contrast sensitivity functions using color image



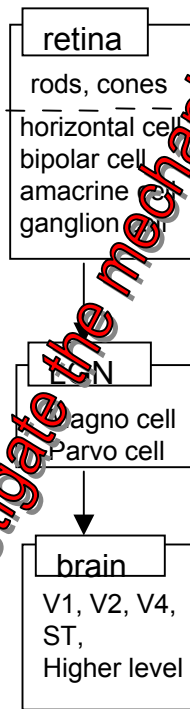
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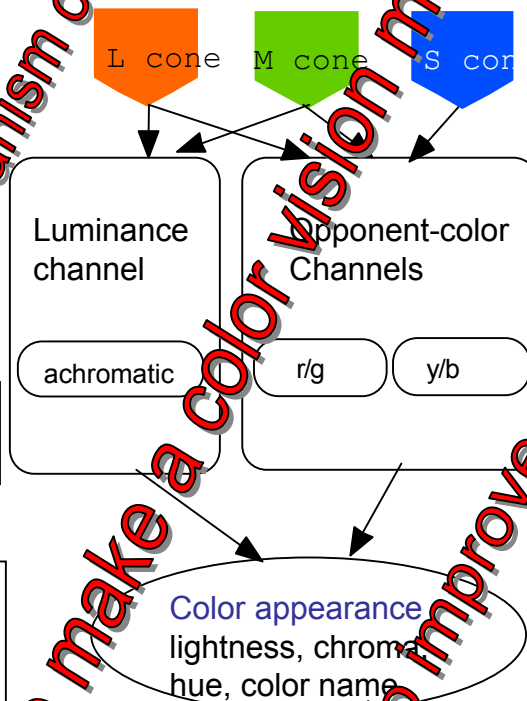
Ex.2 Contrast sensitivity function for ATD filtered image stimuli (**Cafe**)

Color Vision and Application to Imaging Science

Physiology



Color Vision Model



Colorimetric System

CIEXYZ (1931)

CIE LAB (1976)

CIECAM02 (2001)

CIEiCAMxx

Application to Imaging

Spectral sensitivity of image sensor
Array of Image sensors
Colorimetric color reproduction
Multi-spectral imaging

Color difference formula
Image difference
Image compression
Color space for communication
White balance

Color reproduction for different image media
Gamut mapping
Categorical color reproduction
Total image quality