

Instructions for JCSI Paper Submissions

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1 Introduction

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All inner subsection headings will be using point size 12 and type them in bold.

2.4.1.1 Last inner subsection heading

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Table 1: SI base units

Symbol	Name
kg	kilogram
m	meter
A	ampere

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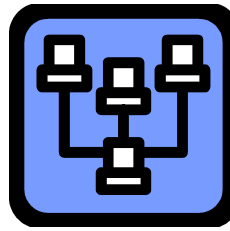


Figure 1: Fusion data flow

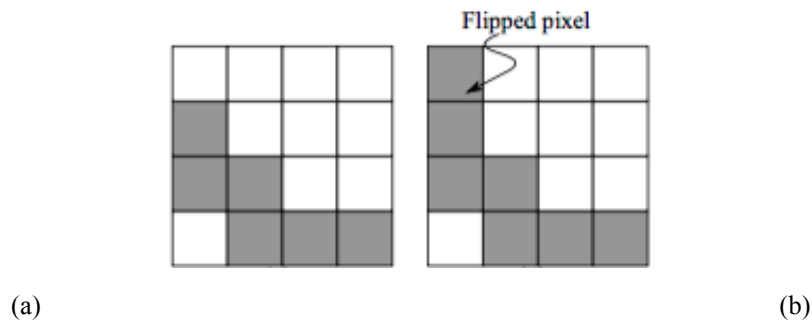


Figure 2: Effect of flipping a pixel: (a) original block of pixels; (b) no isolated dot

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$$y = f(x) \quad (1)$$

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3 Conclusions

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