#### INF 4300 2013

# Exercises on shape representation

Problem 11.1 in G&W

Problem 11.8 in G&W

Problem 11.9 in G&W

## From 2010 exam: Chain Code Representation

You are given the binary shape and 4-directional code-table below. Object pixels are black.



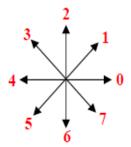
right	0
up	1
left	2
down	3

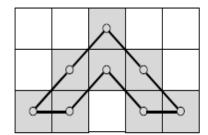
- 1. Compute the chain code for this particular object, starting with the top left object pixel and moving in the clockwise direction.
- Explain how you can make the chain code independent of the start point, and demonstrate this by starting at the lower right object pixel.
- Explain how you can make a simple transform of the chain code to obtain a description that is rotation invariant, and demonstrate this on the object below, to show that one of the shapes is a rotation of the other.

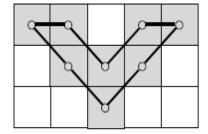


### From 2011 Exam: Exercise 1: Chain Codes

You are given the 8-directional chain code and the two objects below.



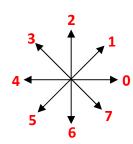


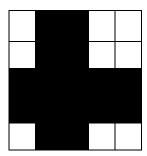


- a) Chain code the boundary of the Λ-shaped object clockwise from the lower left pixel.
- b) Which technique, based on the 8-directional <u>absolute</u> chain code, can be used to make a description of the Λ-shaped object that is independent of the start point? Demonstrate this by starting at the top pixel of the object, instead of the lower left.
- c) The V- shaped object is a rotation of the Λ-shaped object. Which technique, based on the clockwise <u>relative</u> chain code, will give you the same description of the two objects, independent of the start point? Demonstrate this by starting at the upper left pixel of the V-shaped object.

## From 2012 Exam: Exercise 1: Chain Codes

You are given the 8-directional chain code and the object below, where black is object pixels.





a) Chain code the boundary of the object clockwise from the upper left pixel.

- b) Which technique will make the code invariant to the choice of start point? Demonstrate this by starting at lower right pixel of the object.
- c) Which technique will make the code rotation invariant? Demonstrate this by rotating the object  $\pi/2$  counterclockwise and start at one of the same object pixels as above.