

**Minor Field of Comprehensive
Examination**

Mathematical morphology and digital topology

Syllabus

Basic concepts of mathematical morphology, morphological transformations, erosion, dilation, opening, closing, Hit-Miss transformation, duality.

Morphological operations, thinning, thickening, skeletonization, middle axis transformation, convex hull, contour extraction, Golay-alphabet, homotopy, Euler number. Grayscale morphology.

Elements of digital topology, neighborhood structures, connectivity, distance transformations, chamfer techniques, approximations of the Euclidean metrics, grid types.

Digitization, linearity check, digital curves, Jordan condition, curvature.

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