

This Mathematica Notebook contains computations and derivations used to create plots in Figs. 8, 9 and 10 of our paper Ohzawa, DeAngelis, Freeman, Encoding of Binocular Disparity by Complex Cells in the Cat's Visual Cortex, J. Neurophysiol. 77: 2879-2909, (1997).

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Monocular response (Left eye) of Cx cell based on the energy model is  
 $L_{resp}(xL) =$

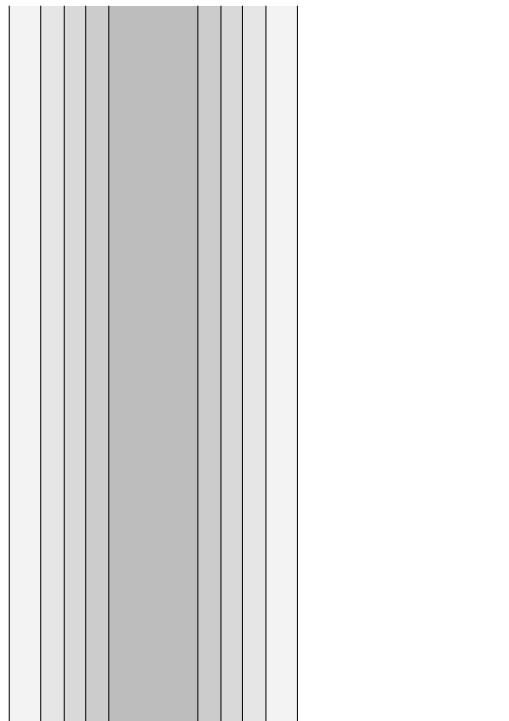
$$(Exp[-k xL^2] \cos[2 \pi xL])^2 + (Exp[-k xL^2] \sin[2 \pi xL])^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (Exp[-k xL^2])^2 \\ &= Exp[-2 k xL^2] \end{aligned}$$

$k$  is proportional to the inverse of subunit RF width, and  
 $pD$  is the phase difference of L and R subunit RF fields  
(same for all 4 subunits).

Monocular response for the Left eye is given by,

```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-x];
pD:= 0;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
Exp[- 2 k xL^2]
,
{xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {0, 2.2},
ColorFunction -> z,
PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



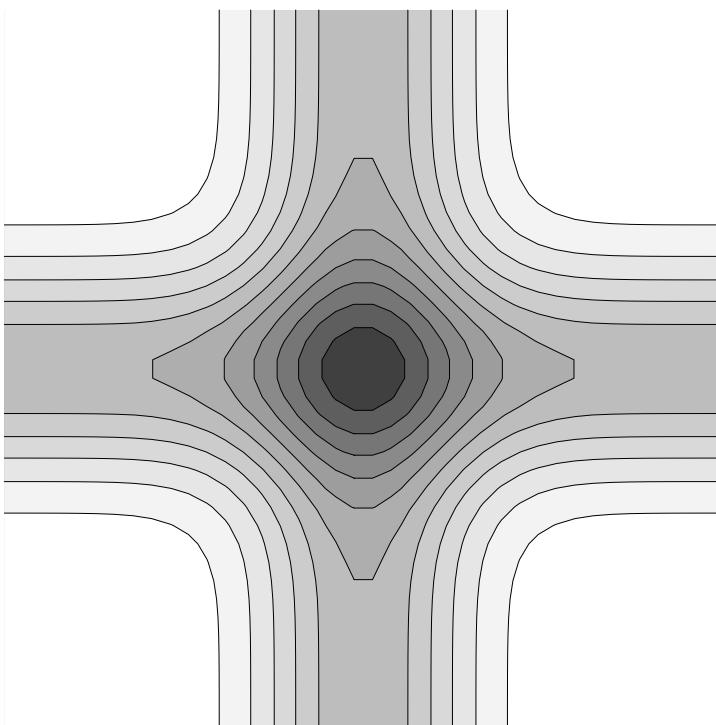
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Sum of Left and Right monocular responses (which may be a good model for a non-phase specific cells) is given by:

```

z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-x];
pD:= 0;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
( Exp[- 2 k xL^2] + Exp[-2 k xR^2] )
,
{xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {0, 2.2},
ColorFunction -> z,
PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]

```



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This is the derivation of Equation 7 from Equation 5 in our paper  
 Ohzawa, DeAngelis, Freeman,  
 Encoding of Binocular Disparity by Complex Cells in the Cat's Visual Cortex,  
 J. Neurophysiol. 77: 2879-2909, (1997).

Binocular response for matched contrast conditions (BB and DD)  
 may be simplified as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Simplify[} \\ & (\text{Exp}[-k xL}^2 \text{ Cos}[2 \text{ Pi F xL}] + \text{Exp}[-k xR}^2 \text{ Cos}[2 \text{ Pi F xR} + pD])^2 \\ & + (\text{Exp}[-k xL}^2 \text{ Sin}[2 \text{ Pi F xL}] + \text{Exp}[-k xR}^2 \text{ Sin}[2 \text{ Pi F xR} + pD])^2 \\ & \text{]} \\ & \frac{E^{-2 k xL^2} + E^{-2 k xR^2}}{E^{k (xL^2 + xR^2)}} + \\ & \frac{2 \text{ Cos}[pD - 2 F \text{ Pi xL} + 2 F \text{ Pi xR}]}{E^{k (xL^2 + xR^2)}} \end{aligned}$$

Just to be general, try the case where spatial freq are different between L and R eyes (use FL and FR for each eye).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Simplify[} \\ & (\text{Exp}[-k xL}^2 \text{ Cos}[2 \text{ Pi FL xL}] \\ & + \text{Exp}[-k xR}^2 \text{ Cos}[2 \text{ Pi FR xR} + pD])^2 \\ & + (\text{Exp}[-k xL}^2 \text{ Sin}[2 \text{ Pi FL xL}] \\ & + \text{Exp}[-k xR}^2 \text{ Sin}[2 \text{ Pi FR xR} + pD])^2 \\ & \text{]} \\ & \frac{E^{-2 k xL^2} + E^{-2 k xR^2}}{E^{k (xL^2 + xR^2)}} + \\ & \frac{2 \text{ Cos}[pD - 2 FL \text{ Pi xL} + 2 FR \text{ Pi xR}]}{E^{k (xL^2 + xR^2)}} \end{aligned}$$

As shown above, the first two terms are monocular responses. The last term is the binocular interaction component, which is a Gabor function (Is this really a Gabor?) that is oriented at 45 degs in (xL, xR) domain (see below).

The binocular component alone may be obtained without separate monocular measurements by computing BB+DD-BD-DB. Since BB == DD and BD == DB, because of squaring which makes the function independent of the inversion of sign,

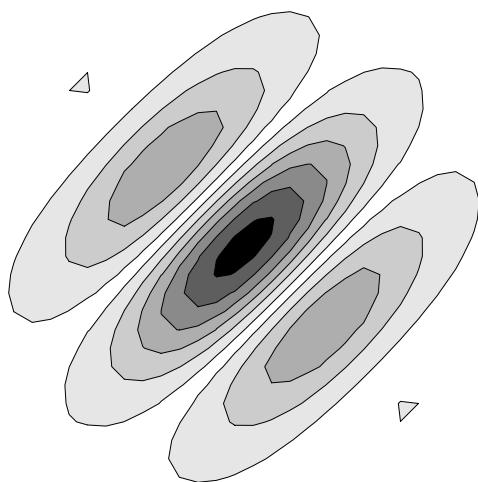
$$\text{BB+DD-BD-DB} = 2 (\text{BB-BD})$$

BB-BD is given by below which is reduced the same expression as above.

```
k=.;  
pD=.;  
Simplify[  
(Exp[-k xL^2] Cos[2 Pi xL] +Exp[-k (xR)^2] Cos[2 Pi (xR) + pD])^2  
+(Exp[-k xL^2] Sin[2 Pi xL] +Exp[-k (xR)^2] Sin[2 Pi (xR) + pD])^2  
- (  
(Exp[-k xL^2] Cos[2 Pi xL] -Exp[-k (xR)^2] Cos[2 Pi (xR) + pD])^2  
+(Exp[-k xL^2] Sin[2 Pi xL] -Exp[-k (xR)^2] Sin[2 Pi (xR) + pD])^2  
) ]  
  
4 Cos[pD - 2 Pi xL + 2 Pi xR]  
E^k (xL^2 + xR^2)
```

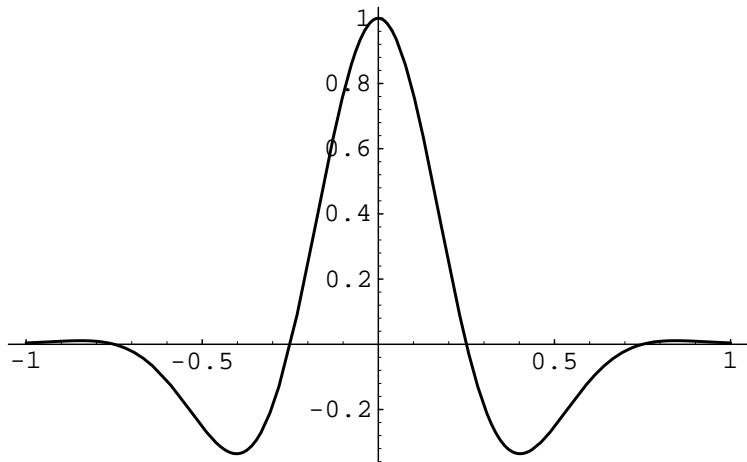
This is a Gabor function oriented at 45 degs in the (xL, xR) domain as shown below: (ModelDecomp/GaborLR-0.eps)

```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-2*Abs[x-0.5]];
pD:= 0;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
  {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
  Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {-1.1, 1.1},
  ColorFunction -> z,
  PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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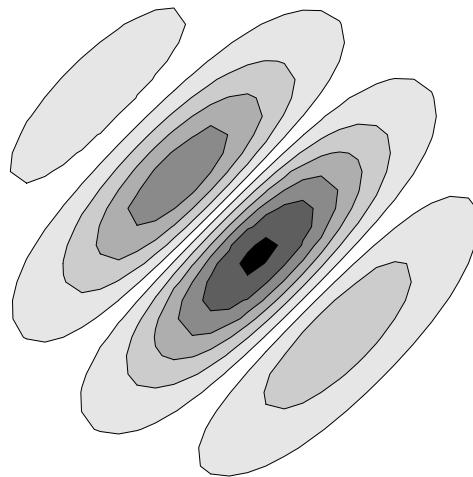
```
k:=5.5;  
Plot[  
  Exp[-k (xL^2)] Cos[2 Pi xL],  
  {xL, -1, 1},  
  PlotPoints -> 40 ]
```



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Phase Difference = 45 degs (ModelDecomp/GaborLR-45.eps)

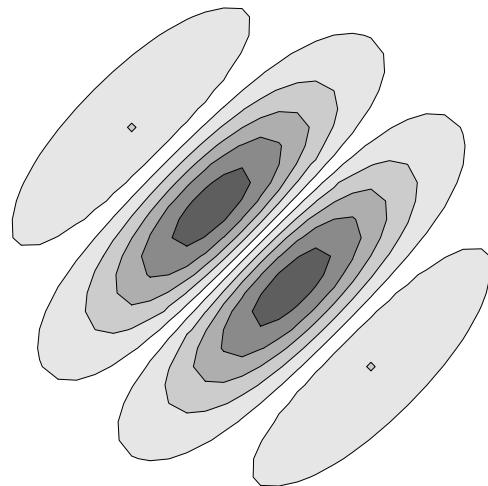
```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-2*Abs[x-0.5]];
pD:= Pi/4;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
  {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
  Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {-1.1, 1.1},
  ColorFunction -> z,
  PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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Phase Difference = 90 degs (ModelDecomp/GaborLR-90.eps)

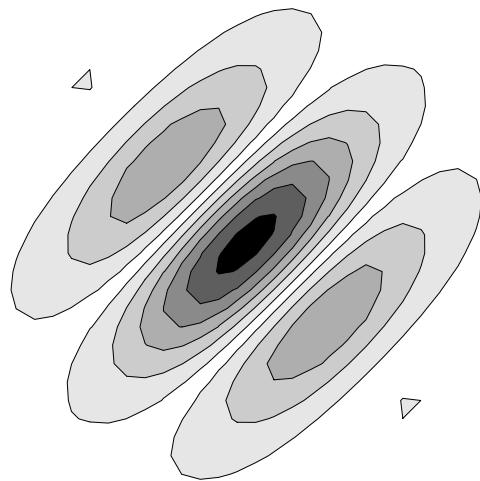
```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-2*Abs[x-0.5]];
pD:= Pi/2;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
  {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
  Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {-1.1, 1.1},
  ColorFunction -> z,
  PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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Phase Difference = 180 degs (ModelDecomp/GaborLR-180.eps)

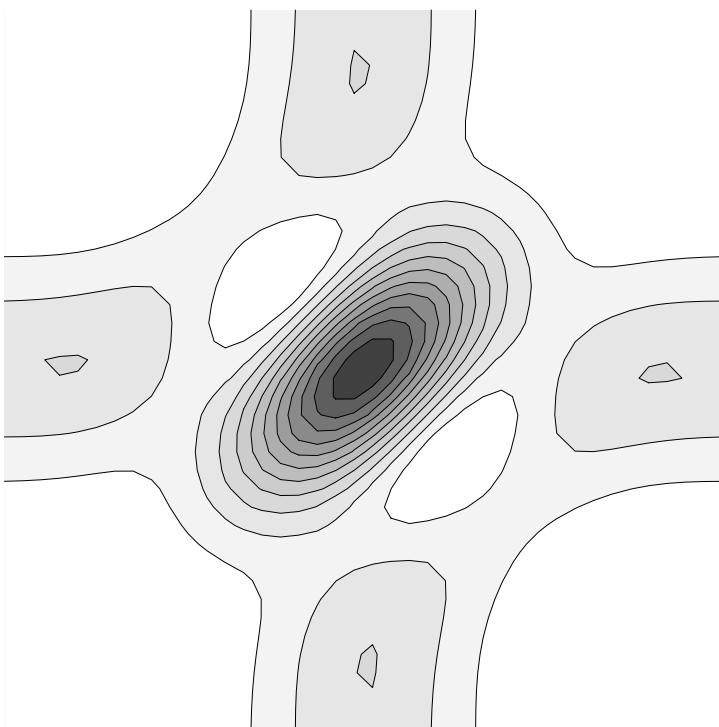
```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-2*Abs[x-0.5]];
pD:= Pi;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
  {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
  Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {-1.1, 1.1},
  ColorFunction -> z,
  PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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Zero disparity detector for both phase and position models  
is the same:

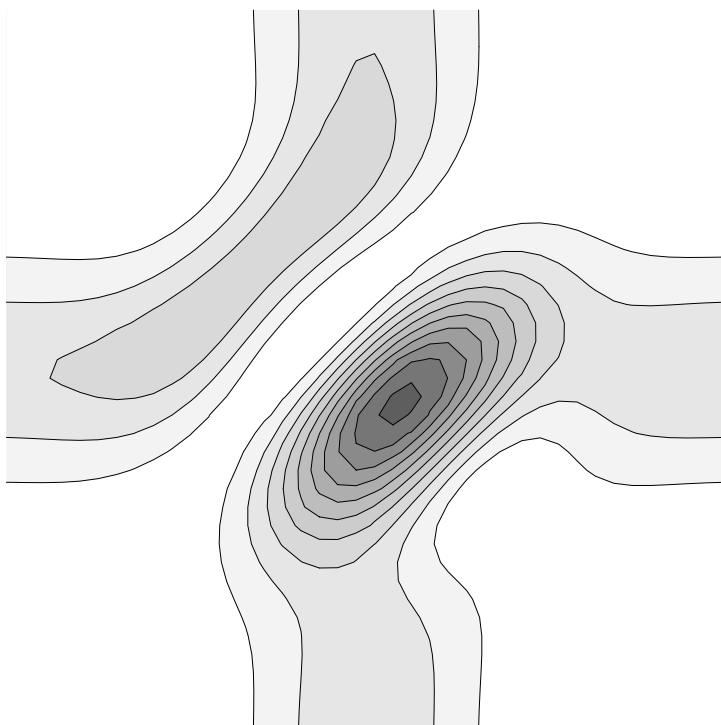
```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-x];
pD:= 0;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[- 2 k xL^2] + Exp[-2 k xR^2]
 + 2 Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
 {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
 Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {0, 4.4},
 ColorFunction -> z,
 PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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Non-Zero disparity detector for the phase model

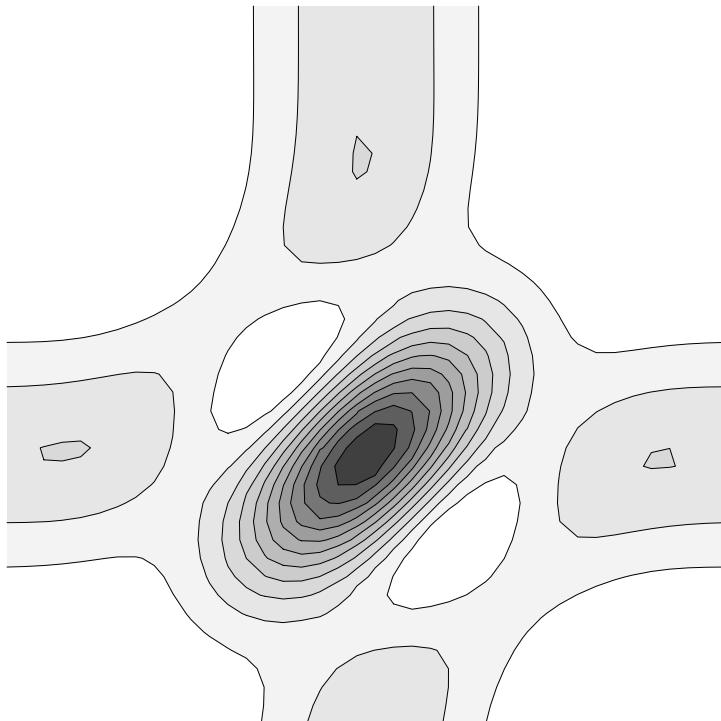
```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-x];
pD:= Pi/2;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[- 2 k xL^2] + Exp[-2 k xR^2]
 + 2 Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
 {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
 Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {0, 4.4},
 ColorFunction -> z,
 PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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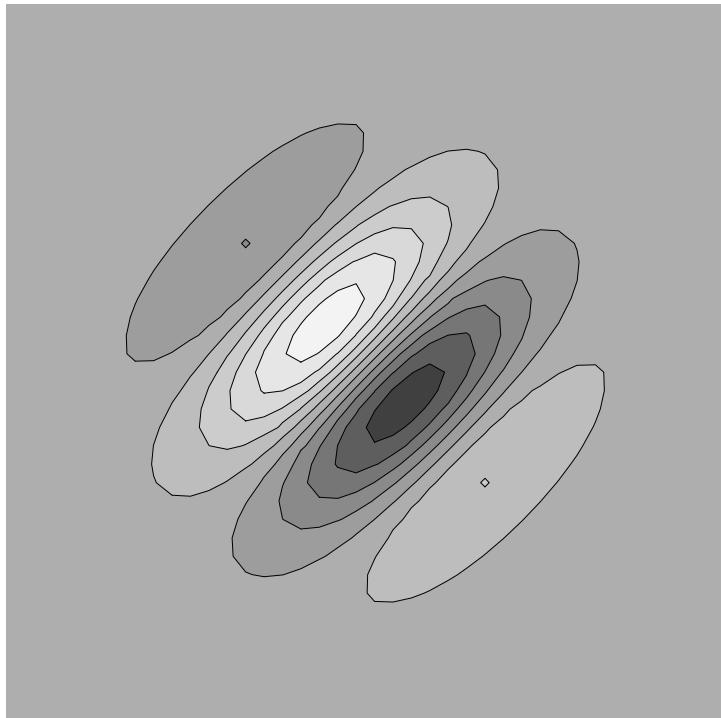
Non-Zero disparity detector for the Position model

```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-x];
oR:= 0.25;
pD:= 0;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[- 2 k xL^2] + Exp[-2 k (xR+oR)^2]
 + 2 Exp[-k (xL^2 + (xR+oR)^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - (xR+oR)) - pD],
 {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
 Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {0, 4.4},
 ColorFunction -> z,
 PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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```
z[x_]:=GrayLevel[1-x];
pD:= Pi/2;
k:=5.5;
ContourPlot[
  Exp[-k (xL^2 + xR^2)] Cos[2 Pi (xL - xR) - pD],
  {xL, -1, 1}, {xR, -1, 1},
  Contours -> 12, PlotRange -> {-1.1, 1.1},
  ColorFunction -> z,
  PlotPoints -> 40, Axes -> None, Frame -> False ]
```



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