

Parameter	Formula	Description
AG	$AG = \frac{1}{(M-1)(N-1)} \times \sum_{i=1}^{(M-1)} \sum_{j=1}^{(N-1)} \sqrt{\left(\frac{\partial f(x_i, y_j)}{\partial x_i} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial f(x_i, y_j)}{\partial y_j} \right)^2} / 2$	The average gradient measures the clarity of the fused image. A larger average gradient indicates more texture details and higher quality of the fused image (Jin and Wang, 2014).
SF	$SF = \sqrt{RF^2 + CF^2}$ $RF = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=2}^N (x_{i,j} - x_{i,j-1})^2} \quad CF = \sqrt{\sum_{i=2}^M \sum_{j=1}^N (x_{i,j} - x_{i-1,j})^2}$	Line spatial frequency reflects image details and texture information. A higher spatial frequency value indicates richer texture details and edge information in the fused image, making it easier for human vision to perceive.
SD	$SD = \sqrt{\frac{1}{MN} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^N [H(i, j) - \bar{H}]^2} \quad \bar{H} = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^N H(i, j)$	Standard deviation reflects the richness of fused image information and measures changes in pixel intensity. A higher standard deviation in the fused image corresponds to increased image contrast and richer semantic information.
SCD	$SCD = r(D_1, S_1) + r(D_2, S_2)$ $r(D_k, S_k) = \frac{\sum_i \sum_j (D_k(i, j) - \bar{D}_k)(S_k(i, j) - \bar{S}_k)}{\sqrt{\left(\sum_i \sum_j (D_k(i, j) - \bar{D}_k)^2 \right) \left(\sum_i \sum_j (S_k(i, j) - \bar{S}_k)^2 \right)}}$	Difference correlation involves using the sum of correlations between the input image and the difference image as a quality measure for the fused image. (Aslantas and Bendes, 2015).
$Q^{AB/F}$	$Q^{AB/F} = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{m=1}^M Q^{AF}(n, m) w_A(n, m) + Q^{BF}(n, m) w_B(n, m)}{\sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^M (w_A(i, j) + w_B(i, j))}$ $Q^{XF}(n, m) = Q_g^{XF}(n, m) Q_a^{XF}(n, m)$	Gradient-based fusion performance assesses how well edge information from the original image is preserved in the fused image using local metrics. A smaller value indicates more lost edge information, while a larger value suggests more complete preservation of edge information.
EN	$EN = - \sum_{x=0}^L p(x) \log_2 p(x)$	Information entropy reflects the richness of information in an image. Generally, the more information an image contains, the higher its information entropy.

In the AG calculation formula, $f(x, y)$ is the image function, and M and N are the rows and columns of the image, respectively. In the SF calculation formula, x_{ij} represents a point on the fused image. In the SD calculation formula, represents the average grayscale value of the image. In the SCD calculation formula, $(D_1$ and D_2 represent the difference image, with their respective calculation formulas $D_1 = F - S_2$ and $D_2 = F - S_1$. This indicates that the difference image between one of the input images (S_2) and the fused image (F) nearly reveals the information conveyed from the other input image (S_1). The function calculates the correlation between S_1 and D_1 , S_2 and D_2 . Here, $k = 1, 2$, and represent the average pixel values of S_k and D_k respectively. In the $Q^{AB/F}$ calculation formula, $Q_g^{XF}(n, m)$ and $Q_a^{XF}(n, m)$ represent the edge strength and direction value at the (n, m) position respectively, and w_A and w_B represent the weight. In the EN calculation formula, x represents the grayscale level of the image, and $p(x)$ denotes the probability distribution of the grayscale value.