

# Package ‘image.Otsu’

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**Type** Package

**Title** Otsu's Image Segmentation Method

**Description** An implementation of the Otsu's Image Segmentation Method described in the paper: ``A C++ Implementation of Otsu's Image Segmentation Method''. The algorithm is explained at <[doi:10.5201/ipol.2016.158](https://doi.org/10.5201/ipol.2016.158)>.

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**LinkingTo** Rcpp

**Suggests** magick

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**image\_otsu***Image segmentation using Otsu***Description**

An implementation of the Otsu's image segmentation algorithm explained at <https://doi.org/10.5201/ipol.2016.158>.

**Usage**

```
image_otsu(x, threshold = 0)
```

**Arguments**

- x an object of class magick-image or a greyscale matrix of image pixel values in the 0-255 range
- threshold integer value in range of 0-255. To override the threshold. Defaults to 0 indicating not to override the threshold.

**Value**

In case x is a matrix, a list with elements x (containing the thresholded image) and threshold is returned

In case x is a magick-image, the thresholded magick-image is returned alongside which also now has an attribute called threshold with the exact Otsu threshold value

**Examples**

```
library(magick)
path <- system.file(package="image.Otsu", "extdata", "coins.jpeg")
x     <- image_read(path)
x
img   <- image_otsu(x)
img
attr(img, "threshold")
img   <- image_otsu(x, threshold = 180)
img

img   <- image_data(x, channels = "gray")
img   <- as.integer(img, transpose = TRUE)
img   <- img[, , 1]
img   <- image_otsu(img)
str(img)
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