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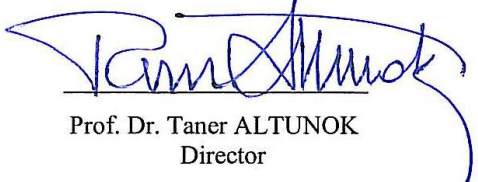
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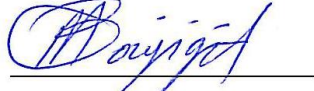
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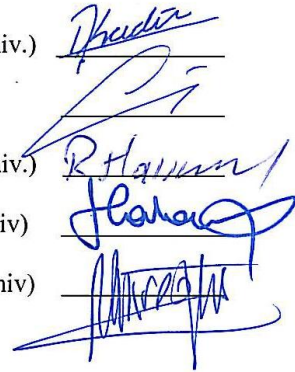
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## ABSTRACT

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Digital watermarking is a research area that is becoming increasingly common nowadays. Watermarking is performed by hiding a logo in the original image. In this thesis, logo images are embedded into the medical images (MRI) using DCT, DWT and DFT methods and various attacks are applied on the resulting images. After the attacks, the PSNR values of the attacked images are measured and the SR values of the recovered logo images are calculated. Moreover, using the LSB method, encrypted messages are embedded into the medical images. Then, by applying various attacks, the PSNR values and encrypted messages are extracted from these images. The main objectives of this study are to digitally watermark the medical images and compare the PSNR and SR values before and after the attacks on the images.

**Keywords:** Digital Watermarking, Peak Signal-to-Noise Ratio, Similarity Ratio, Discrete Wavelet Transform, Discrete Cosines Transform, Discrete Fourier Transform, Least Significant Bit.

## ÖZ

### **DCT, DWT, DFT ve LSB ALGORİTMALARI KULLANILARAK MEDİKAL RESİMLERDE DİJİTAL DAMGALAMA**

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Dijital damgalama yöntemi son günlerde giderek yaygınlaşan bir araştırma konusudur. Damagalama orjinal resmin içine logo resmi gizlenerek yapılmaktadır. Bu tezde, medikal resimler üzerinde (MR) DCT, DWT ve DFT yöntemleri kullanılarak logo resmi gömülmüştür. Daha sonra bu resimlere çeşitli ataklar uygulanmıştır. Ataklardan sonra ise atak uygulanmış resimlerin PSNR değerleri ölçülmüştür ve atak sonrası geri çıkartılan logo resimleri üzerinde ise SR değerleri hesaplanmıştır. Ayrıca LSB yöntemi ile şifreli mesaj medical resimlerin içine gömülmüştür. Sonrasında ise ataklar uygulanarak bu resimlerin PSNR değerleri ile birlikte şifreli mesajı geri çıkartılma işlemi yapılmıştır. Çalışmanın temel amacı medikal resimler üzerinde damgalama işlemi ve saldırılardan sonraki PSNR ve SR değerlerini karşılaştırmaktır.

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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

DCT	Discrete Cosine Transform
DWT	Discrete Wavelet Transform
DFT	Discrete Fourier Transform
DYWT	Dyadic Wavelet Transform
LSB	Least Significant Bit
PSNR	Peak Signal to Noise Ratio
SR	Similarity Ratio
SVD	Singular Value Decomposition
LU	Lower and Upper
RDM	Recursive Dither Modulation
IA	Interval Arithmetic
LL	Lower Low
LH	Lower High
HH	Higher High
HL	Higher Low
MSE	Mean Square Error
RSA	Rivest Shamir Adleman
ROI	Region of Interest
RONI	Region of Non Interest

## **CHAPTER 1**

### **INTRODUCTION**

Digital watermarks are bits of data added to digital information (audio, video, or images) that can be detected or extracted later to make an affirmation about the information. This data can be literary information about the creator, its copyright, and so on; or it can be an image itself. The data to be covered up is embedded by controlling the substance of the digital information, permitting somebody to recognize the first proprietor, or on account of unlawful duplication of bought material, the purchaser included. These digital watermarks stay in place under transmission/change, permitting us to secure our possession rights in digital structure.

Watermarks may be noticeable, in which case their utilization is two-fold to dishearten unapproved use, furthermore go about as a commercial. On the other hand, the emphasis is on invisible watermarks, as they don't create any debasement in the stylish quality or in the value of the information. They can be identified and extricated later to encourage a case of possession, yielding relevant information as well. Watermarks might likewise be delegated robust or fragile. Fragile watermarks are those that are easily destroyed by any attempt to tamper with them. Absence of a watermark in a previously watermarked document would lead to the conclusion that the data has been tampered with.

Three approaches to embed a watermark: compressed domain, spatial domain, and transform domain watermarking. Compressed domain watermarking uses only audio or video files. The spatial domain is modified pixel value to embed watermark in the original image. Least Significant Bits technique is an example of spatial domain to

embed the bits of message into the least significant bits plane of the cover image [1]. The transform domain likes to spatial domain, difference is a modifying coefficients with Discrete Fourier Transform, Discrete Wavelet Transform or Discrete Cosine Transform [2].

In this work medical images which are original images were used and attacked. Different methods are used to embed a watermark image into original images. These methods are Discrete Cosine Transform, Discrete Wavelet Transform, Discrete Fourier Transform and Least Significant Bit.

The main objective of this thesis is to compare the PSNR and SR values on different attacks and comparing PSNR and SR values after these attacks.

### **1.1 Previous Work and Objective of the Study**

In literature many studies are made like this. Some of these references are summarized in the following sections.

JANE and ELBAŞI presented a study about combination of DWT and singular value decomposition (SVD) and lower and upper (LU) decomposition non-blind watermarking algorithm to detect watermark [3].

A.Kannammal and S. Subha Rani studied two level security for medical image using watermarking encryptions. Watermarking is performed by using new nontensor product wavelet filter banks, which can uncover singularities in different directions. The medical image is embedded into the LH sub band of the natural image. RSA, AES and RC4 algorithms which are performed for encryption [4].

A. Giakoumaki, S. Pavlopoulos, D. Koutsouris studied A medical image watermarking scheme based on wavelet transform The scheme embeds multiple watermarks serving different purposes: a robust watermark containing the doctor's digital signature for authentication, a caption watermark with patient's personal and examination related data, and a fragile watermark for the purpose of data integrity control [5].

To solve security of digital medical image problem MIAO et al. had a study about zero watermarking encryption algorithm based on the Arnold scrambling to

preprocess on original watermarking and DWT-DFT. To provide double protection for medical images their algorithm combines the image visual feature vector. [6]

Baiying Lei, Ee-Leng Tan, Siping Chen, Dong Ni, Tianfu Wang, Haijun Lei studied a new and reversible watermarking method is proposed to address this security issue. Specifically, signature information and textual data are inserted into the original medical images based on recursive dither modulation (RDM) algorithm after wavelet transform and singular value decomposition. [7]

Pritesh Pathak, S. Selvakumar studied the main issue in Blind Steganalysis is the non-availability of knowledge about the Steganographic technique applied to the image.

Feature extraction approaches best suited for Blind Steganalysis, either dealt with only a few features or single domain of an image. [8]

Teruya Minamoto. Ryuji Ohura, studied a new blind digital image watermarking method based on the dyadic wavelet transform (DYWT) and interval arithmetic (IA). Because the DYWT has a redundant representation, the amount of information that the watermark must contain is greater than in the case of the methods based on the ordinary discrete wavelet transforms. [9]

## **1.2. Organization of Thesis**

Watermark embedding and extracting algorithms, attacks on watermarked image for example, salt & pepper attack, Resize attack, Gaussian attack, histogram attack, intensity attack and so forth and assessment of watermarking procedures are clarified in the second chapter.

In the third chapter, used methodology and the experimental results are illustrated. Conclusion of this work and Interpretation of results are explained in the fourth and fifth chapters.

## CHAPTER 2

### DIGITAL WATERMARKING

Digital Watermarking in a late years turns out to be more critical. Since watermark is a noteworthy innovation to protect copyright insurance. Multimedia object, for example, content, image and video can be embed original image by means of watermark methods. In the wake of embedding methodology can be separated the multimedia object from watermarked image. To secure multimedia can be encrypted image or video however when decrypted multimedia it doesn't promise to ensure copyright of image or video.

Digital watermarks are the electronic forms of their customary partner. Originally utilized as a part of the photography showcase as a method for distinguishing the copyright proprietor of digital photographs, digital watermarking is a method for embedding information into digital and simple substance keeping in mind the end goal to recognize its proprietor. The watermark turns into a changeless piece of the substance, even as it is dispersed to others.

The watermark must be either robust or fragile, contingent upon the application. By "robust", we mean the ability of the watermark to oppose controls of the media, for example, lossy pressure (where compressing information and after that decompressing it recovers information that may well be not quite the same as the original, however is sufficiently close to be valuable somehow), scaling, and cropping, among others. At times, the watermark may should be fragile. "Fragile" implies that the watermark should not resist tampering, or would resist only up to a certain, predetermined extent.

In digital watermarking, visible watermark can be seen by eyes, other hand invisible watermarked image can't visible. Invisible watermarked image is generally utilized



for security. To identify watermark if original image is utilized, is non-blind watermarking. In the event that original image is not obliged, this is blind watermarking. Semi-blind watermark obliges seed and watermarked document to distinguish the watermark.

## 2.1. Watermarking Methods

- Discrete Wavelet Transform:** DWT divides into four sub bands. These sub bands are LL, LH, HL, HH. The magnitudes of DWT coefficients are larger in the lowest bands (LL) at each level of decomposition. Embedding watermark in larger amount of sub bands (HL, LH, HH) give productive robustness of watermark. But the image quality can decrease which can be measured by PSNR. The wavelet transform is similar to the Fourier transform (or much more to the windowed Fourier transform) with a completely different merit function. The main difference is this: Fourier transform decomposes the signal into sines and cosines, i.e. the functions localized in Fourier space; in contrary the wavelet transform uses functions that are localized in both the real and Fourier space. [11], [12], [13] Generally, the wavelet transform can be expressed by the following equation:

$$F(a, b) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \psi_{(a,b)}^*(x) dx$$

- Discrete Cosine Transform:** DCT divides image into different frequency bands. The frequency components are ordered in a sequential order such as low frequency, mid frequency, and high frequency components. If most of the high frequency coefficients are zero, then they represent a smooth block. Discrete Cosine Transform (DCT) attempts to decorrelate the image data. After decorrelation each transform coefficient can be encoded independently without losing compression efficiency (Syed Ali Khayam et al 2003) The following equation:

$$F(u) = \left(\frac{2}{N}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \Lambda(i) \cdot \cos \left[ \frac{\pi \cdot u}{2 \cdot N} (2i + 1) \right] f(i)$$

- **Discrete Fourier Transform:** This approach first extracts the components of the image to be watermarked, computing its full frame DFT, and then taking the magnitudes of the coefficients. Fourier Transform for signals known only at instants separated by sample times  $T$ . This approach first extracts the components of the image to be watermarked, computing its full frame DFT, and then taking the magnitudes of the coefficients. Given a sequence of  $N$  samples  $f(n)$ , indexed by  $n = 0..N-1$ , the Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) is defined as  $F(k)$ , where  $k=0..N-1$ :

$$F(k) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f(n) e^{-j2\pi kn/N}$$

- **Least Significant Bit**

The most common method of watermark embedding is to embed the watermark into the least significant-bits of the cover object [14]. Despite being a simple method, LSB substitution suffers from many drawbacks. Although it can survive transformations like cropping, any addition of undesirable noise or lossy compression but a more sophisticated attack that could simply set the LSB bits of each pixel to one can fully defeat the Watermark with negligible impact on the cover object. Once the algorithm is known to a hacker, the embedded watermark could be easily modified by him without any difficulty. [15]

## 2.2. Attacks on Watermarked Image

One of the important issues watermark image should be robust against type of attacks. These attacks are as geometric, statistical and direct or indirect attacks. Some type of attacks can be defined below:

**Gaussian Attack:** Gaussian attack is a signal processing attack that should detect watermark after signal processing.

**Jpeg Compression Attack:** JPEG compression attack could degrade the data's quality through irretrievable loss of data.

**Rotation Attack:** Rotation is a geometric attack. Change the rotation of the image clockwise or counter clockwise with an angle.

**Intensity Adjustment Attack:** Intensity adjustment attack maps the intensity values in grayscale image to new values in low and high intensities.

**Noise (Pepper & Salt) Attack:** Adding salt and pepper noise to the image with noise density.

**Speckle Noise Attack:** Adding multiplicative noise to the image with uniformly distributed random noise with mean and variance.

**Gamma Correction Attack:** Gamma correction is used to adjust for color difference that is same image displayed on two different workstations might look different colors due to differences in the display monitor.

### Evaluation of Watermarking

Image quality estimation is a challenging issue in numerous applications to attacks. Images' target measures are mean square error, peak signal to noise ratio and similarity ratio.

- **Mean Square Error:** MSE is a control and quality measurement. The MSE is characterized as below

$$MSE = \frac{1}{M * N} \sum_i \sum_j [A(i, j) - W(i, j)]^2$$

Where A(i, j) is the original image and W(i, j) is the watermark that includes M x N pixels.

- **Peak Signal to Noise Ratio:** The PSNR is used as a measurement of quality of recreation in image watermarking. It is a ratio among the maximum signal value and background noise's magnitude.

$$PSNR = 20 * \log\left(\frac{255}{\sqrt{MSE}}\right)$$

- **Similarity Ratio:** SR is used for assessment of non-blind watermark extraction. SR delivers high accuracy to binary image watermarks. At this point when different pixel values converge to 0, SR is going to be near to 1 which is the ideal optimum and preferred condition. SR is characterized as follows

$$SR = S / (S + D)$$

Where S and D denote the quantity of matching pixel values in analyzed images and the quantity of different pixel values in compared images separately.

## CHAPTER 3

### METHODOLOGY

Watermark embedding and extract processes were realized with this thesis. While watermark processes are applied, different methods are used which are DCT, DFT, DWT and LSB algorithms.

By using Matlab PSNR values of Watermarked and Original images have been calculated. After performing many attacks were applied to Watermarked image and then at this time PSNR values of attacked Watermarked images were measured and both PSNR values were compared. Many image attacks were done on the watermarked image. They are called “Scaling, Gaussian Attacks”, “Decoding Attacks”, “Histogram Equalization Attacks”, ” JPEG Compression Attacks”, “Rotation Attacks”, “Filter Attacks”, ”Intensity Adjustment Attacks”, “Gamma correction Attacks”, “Noise Attack Pepper & Salt”, “Speckle Noise Attacks”.

Also, SR values of embedded watermark image of original image were evaluated and compared. Brain-MRI, Breast-MRI and Neck-MRI medical images were used in this thesis.

Also, with LSB method the text message was embedded into original image as encrypted by doing RSA encryption. After that again the attacks were applied to watermarked image and again the PSNR values of attacked images were calculated. In addition this, the encrypted message which were embedded into attacked images was decrypted and the results were observed.

### 3.1. Discrete Wavelet Transform

Original image which is 1115 x 2173 pixels and 24 bit depth is used for watermark experiments

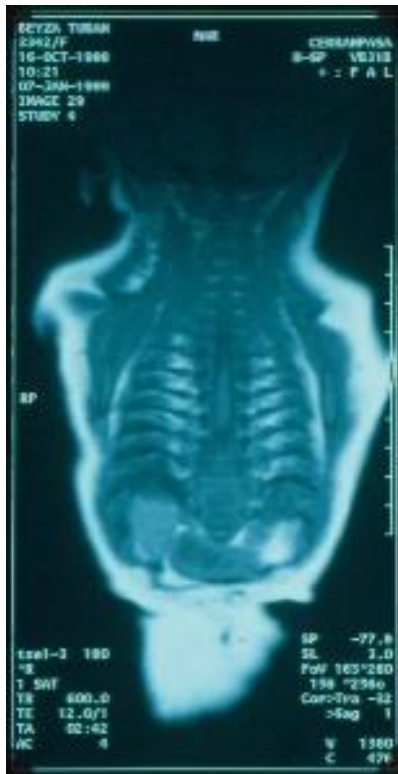


Figure 1 MR Image



Figure 2 Watermarked Image

**BC**

Figure 3 Watermark Image

**A**

Figure 4 Watermark Image 2

11 different attacks are used in this experience by using MATLAB. They are “Filter attack, Gamma attack, Gaussian attack, Histogram equalization attacks, Imnoise attack, rotate attack, Jpeg compression, salt & pepper and speckle noise attacks”.

Watermark embedding process is done by DWT. In this process, watermark images are embedded into LL, LH, HL and HH bands (Figure 3 Watermark Image, Figure 4 Watermark Image 2). After that the attacks, which are mentioned in the above, are applied to watermarked image. (Figure 2 Watermarked Image). Then, the extract process is done.

The images that are applied attack are shown in the following:



**Figure 5** Filter Attack



**Figure 6** Cropping Attack



**Figure 7** Histogram Attack



**Figure 8** Gamma Attack



**Figure 9** Gaussian Attack



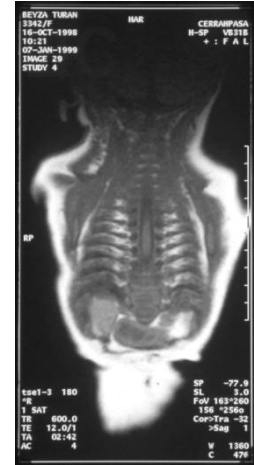
**Figure 10** Rotate Attack



**Figure 11** Pepper Attack



**Figure 12** Speckle Attack



**Figure 13** Intensity Attack



**Figure 14** Jpeg (75) Attack



**Figure 15** Jpeg (50) Attack

With this experience, the quality of watermark image that is created again is measured by using PSNR algorithm to decide image quality. Similarity ratio of watermark image is evaluated by using SR.



Figure 16 shows that original image and attacked image for Gaussian attack and Figure 17 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Gaussian Attack = 29,62778



Figure 16 PSNR values original and Gaussian attack images

SR gaussian attack = 0,6925

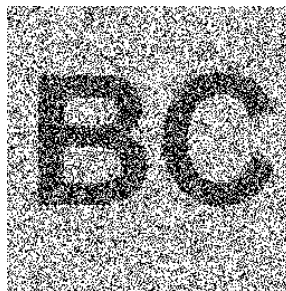


Figure 17 SR value of watermarked image after Gaussian attack

Figure 18 shows that original image and attacked image for Filter attack and Figure 19 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Filter Attack = 42,256476

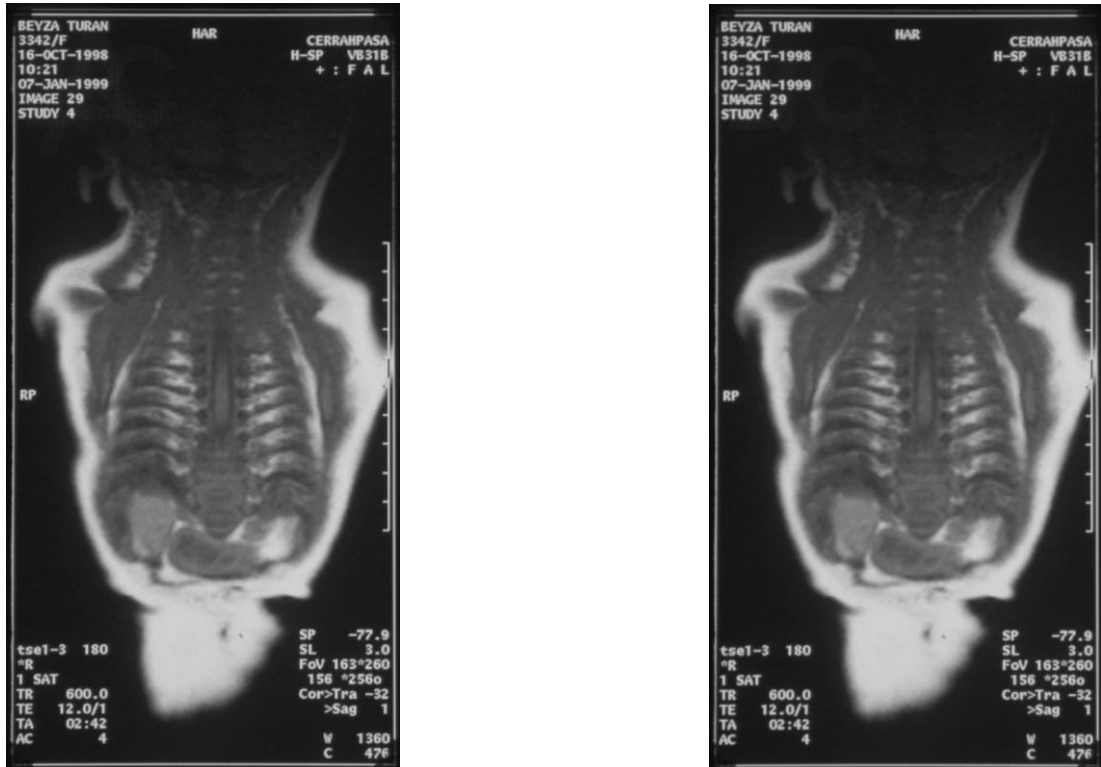


Figure 18 PSNR values original and filter attack images

SR filter attack = 0,9429

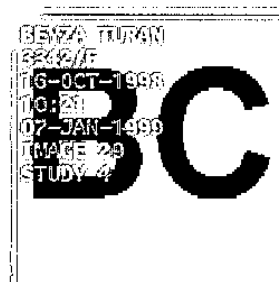
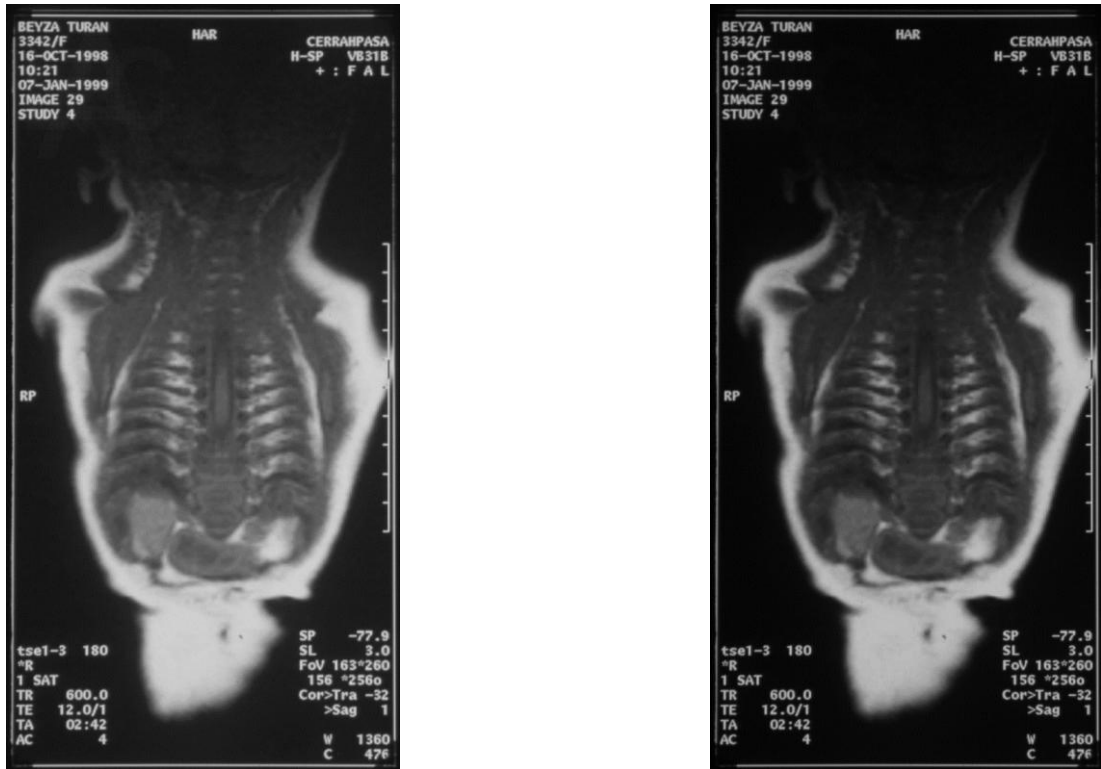


Figure 19 SR value of watermarked image after filter attack

Figure 20 shows that original image and attacked image for Gamma attack and Figure 21 show that SR value of attacked image

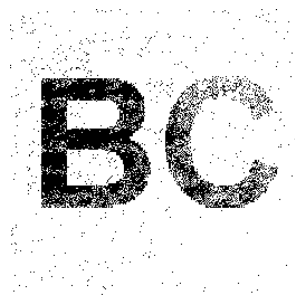
PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Gamma Attack = 17,217422



**Figure 20** PSNR values original and gamma attack images

SR gamma attack = 0,9289

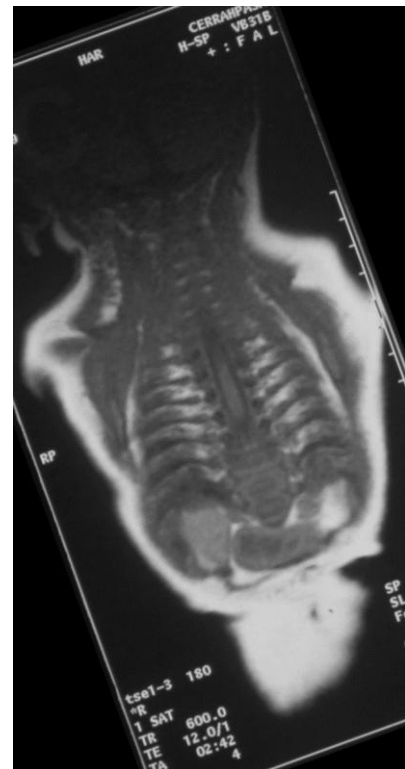


**Figure 21** SR value of watermarked image after gamma attack

Figure 22 shows that original image and attacked image for rotate attack and Figure 23 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Rotate Attack = 10,408897



**Figure 22** PSNR values original and rotate attack images

SR rotate attack = 0,8806



**Figure 23** SR value of watermarked image after rotate attack

Figure 24 shows that original image and attacked image for Histogram attack and Figure 25 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Hist. Attack = 12,154761



Figure 24 PSNR values original and Histogram attack images

SR histogram attack = 0,4546

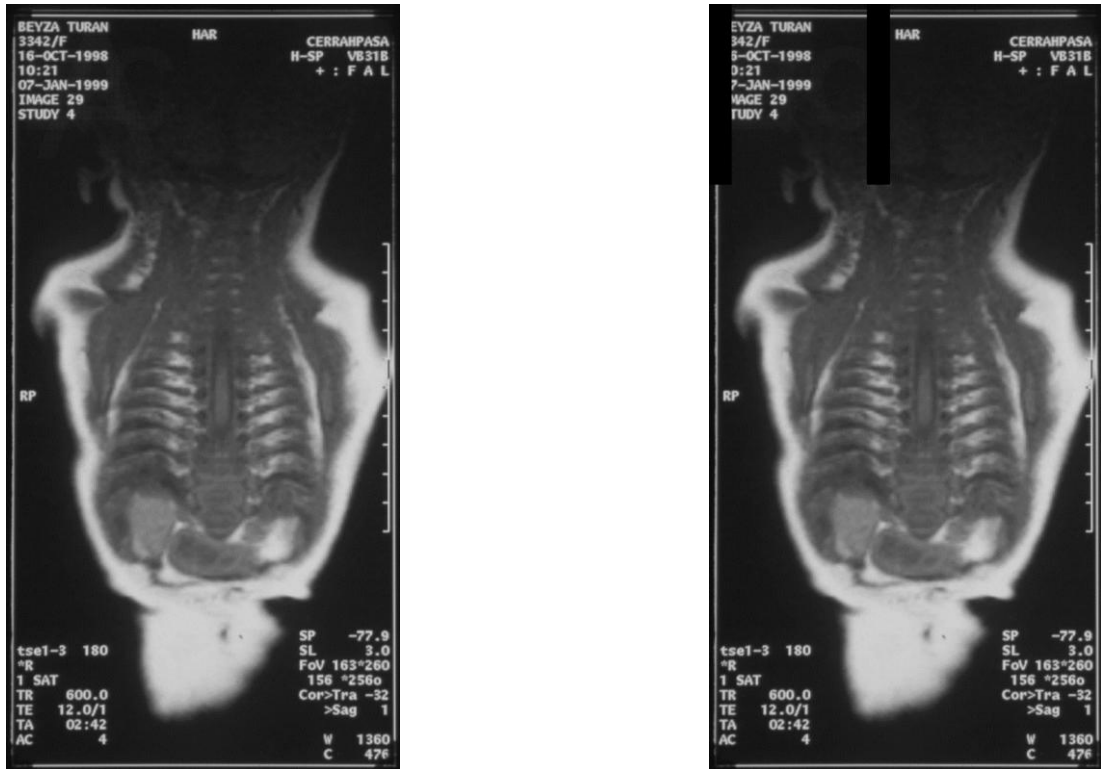


Figure 25 SR value of watermarked image after histogram attack

Figure 26 shows that original image and attacked image for Cropping attack and Figure 27 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Cropping. Attack = 27,25297



**Figure 26** PSNR values original and cropping attack images

SR cropping attack = 0,9520



**Figure 27** SR value of watermarked image after cropping attack

Figure 28 shows that original image and attacked image for Intensity attack and Figure 29 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Intensity. Attack = 20,9342



**Figure 28** PSNR values original and intensity attack images

SR intensity attack = 0,9956



**Figure 29** SR value of watermarked image after intensity attack

Figure 30 shows that original image and attacked image for Speckle attack and Figure 31 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Speckle. Attack = 22,88850



Figure 30 PSNR values original and Speckle attack images

SR Speckle Attack = 0,28330

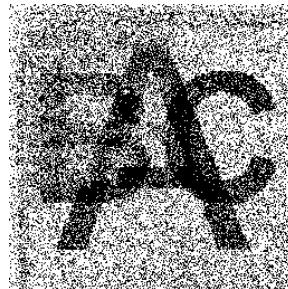


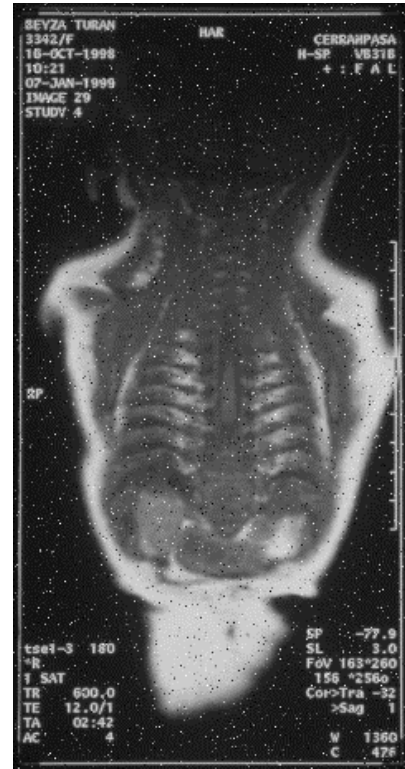
Figure 31 SR value of watermarked image after speckle attack



Figure 32 shows that original image and attacked image for Salt & Pepper attack and Figure 33 show that SR value of attacked image

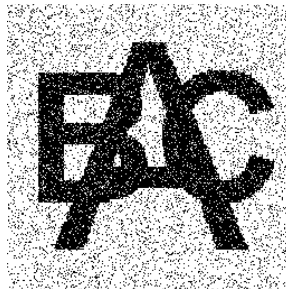
PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Salt&Pepper Attack = 21,646320



**Figure 32** PSNR values original and Salt & Pepper attack images

SR Salt & Pepper Attack = 0,164000



**Figure 33** SR value of watermarked image after salt & pepper attack

Figure 34 shows that original image and attacked image for Jpeg (75) attack and Figure 35 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Jpeg(75) Attack = 43,8200



Figure 34 PSNR values original and Jpeg (75) attack images

SR Jpeg(75) attack = 0,9869

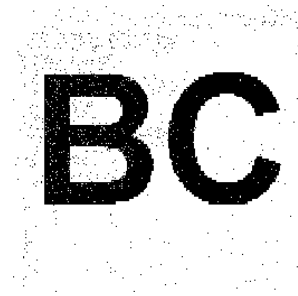


Figure 35 SR value of watermarked image after Jpeg (75) attack

Figure 36 shows that original image and attacked image for Jpeg (50) attack and Figure 37 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 46,756416

PSNR value after Jpeg(50) Attack = 41,9413



Figure 36 PSNR values original and Jpeg (50) attack images

SR Jpeg(50) Attack = 0,9442

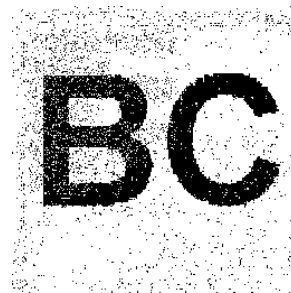


Figure 37 SR value of watermarked image after Jpeg (50) attack

**Table 1** PSNR and SR values after attacks

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>	<b>SR</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	46,756416	27,252977	0,9520
<b>Gaussian</b>	46,756416	29,627788	0,6925
<b>Filter</b>	46,756416	42,256476	0,9429
<b>Rotate</b>	46,756416	10,408897	0,8806
<b>Gamma</b>	46,756416	17,217422	0,9289
<b>Histogram</b>	46,756416	12,154761	0,4546
<b>Salt&amp;Pepper</b>	46,756416	21,646320	0,1640
<b>Speckle noise</b>	46,756416	22,888509	0,2833
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	46,756416	43,820000	0,9869
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	46,756416	41,941300	0,9442
<b>Intensity</b>	46,756416	20,934200	0,9956

**Table 1** summarizes PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. If PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For example PSNR value is 46,756416 before Filter attack and after Filter attack the PSNR value became 42,256476, meaning PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. The SR method compares pixel values of two watermark images. This values are between 0 and 1. If SR values close to 1, it means that recovered watermark image is in ideal optimum and preferred condition. Histogram, Salt & Pepper and Speckle attacks' SR values are not good because they have the nearest values to 0. Other attack types' SR values are nearest to 1, as you can see in table 1. Best PSNR values are in Filter, Jpeg (50) and JPEG (75) attacks. Rotate attack has the worst PSNR value.

In Figure 38 Original Image (Brain-MRI) by using Discrete Wavelet Transform, the embedding process of watermark images is done. PSNR and SR values are calculated for watermark embedded images (Figure 41 Watermarked Image).



**Figure 38** Original Image



**Figure 39** Watermark Image



**Figure 40** Watermark Image



**Figure 41** Watermarked Image

The images that are applied attack are shown in the following:



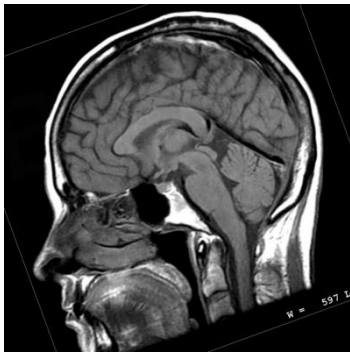
**Figure 42** Gamma Attack



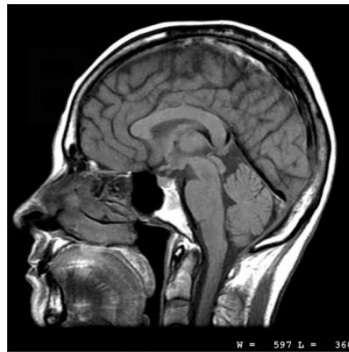
**Figure 43** Histogram Attack



**Figure 44** Intensity Attack



**Figure 45** Rotate Attack



**Figure 46** Filter Attack



**Figure 47** Resize Attack



**Figure 48** Cropping Attack



**Figure 49** Gaussian Attack



**Figure 50** Jpeg(75) Attack

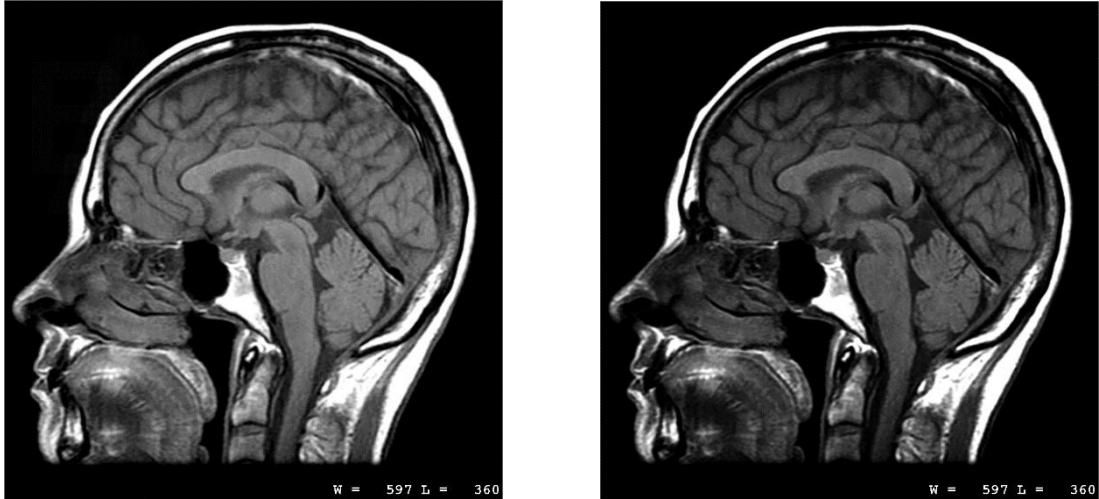


**Figure 51** Jpeg(50) Attack

Figure 52 shows that original image and attacked image for Gamma attack and Figure 53 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Gamma Attack = 20,154851



**Figure 52** PSNR values original and Gamma attack images

SR gamma attack = 0,8774



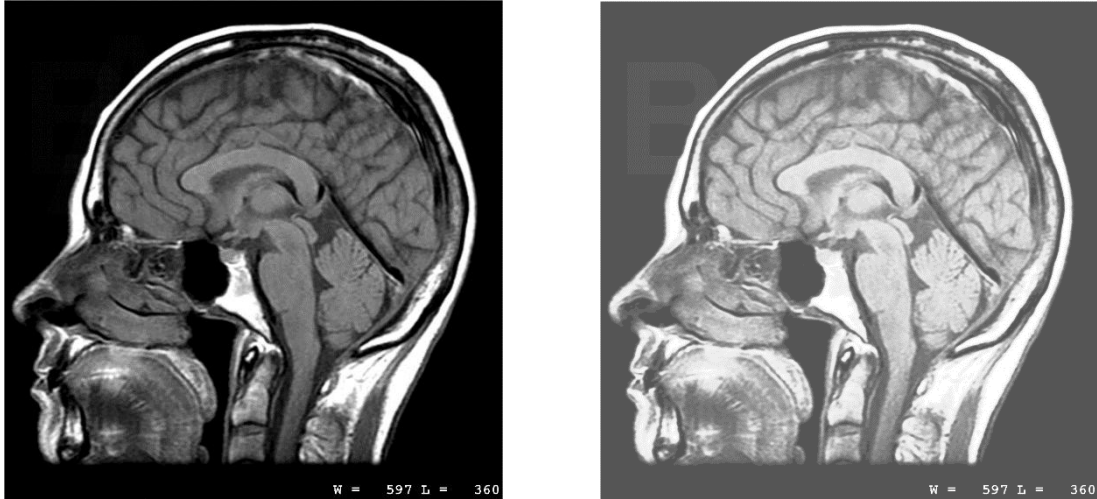
**Figure 53** SR value of watermarked image after gamma attack



Figure 54 shows that original image and attacked image for Histogram attack and Figure 55 show that SR value of attacked image

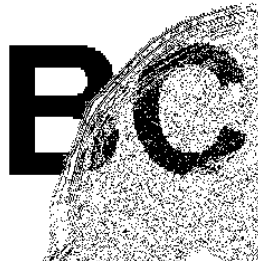
PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Histogram Attack = 10,0353



**Figure 54** PSNR values original and Histogram attack images

SR histogram attack = 0,8813

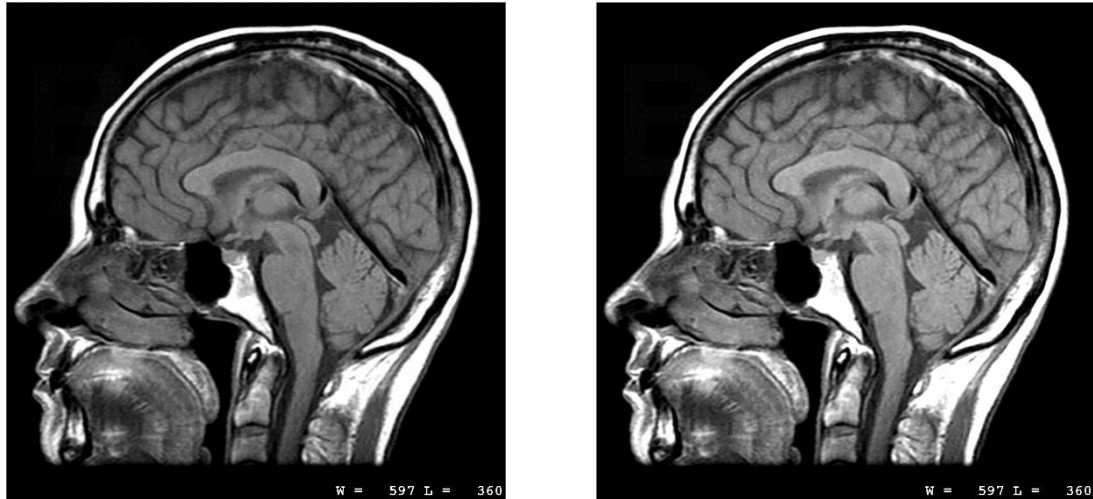


**Figure 55** SR value of watermarked image after Histogram attack

Figure 56 shows that original image and attacked image for Intensity attack and Figure 57 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Intensity Attack = 22,583412



**Figure 56** PSNR values original and Intensity attack images

SR intensity attack = 0,9824

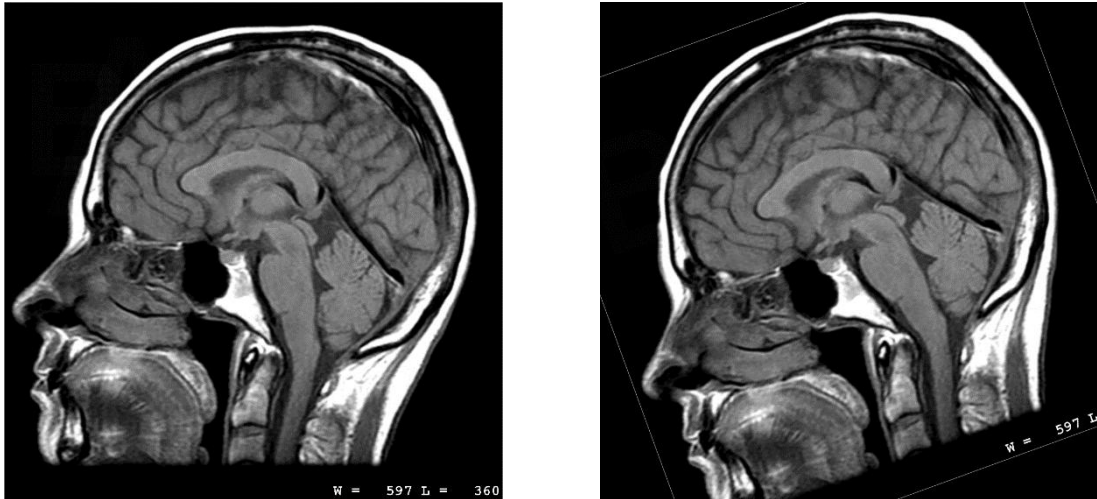


**Figure 57** SR value of watermarked image after Intensity attack

Figure 58 shows that original image and attacked image for rotate attack and Figure 59 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Rotate Attack = 10,357190



**Figure 58** PSNR values original and rotate attack images

SR intensity attack = 0,9685

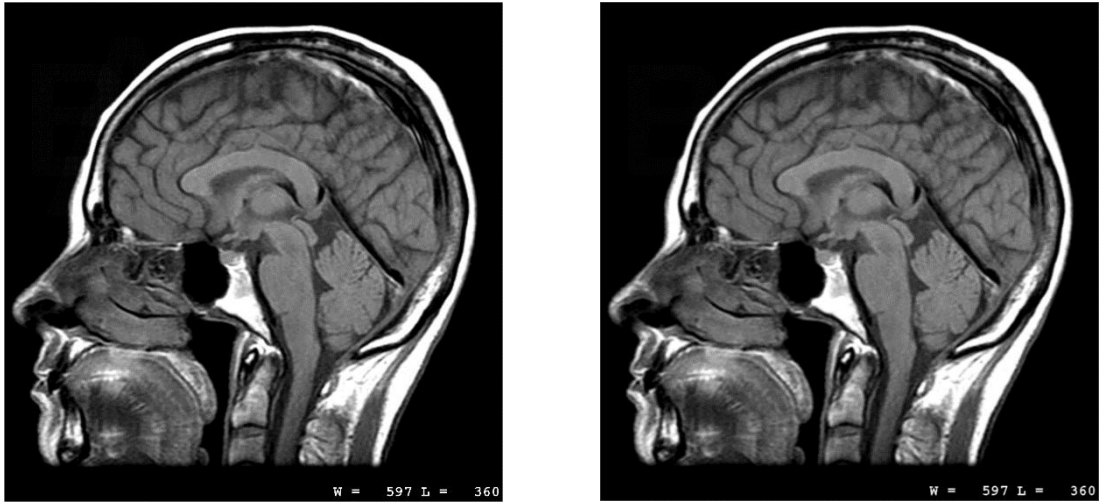


**Figure 59** SR value of watermarked image after rotate attack

Figure 60 shows that original image and attacked image for Filter attack and Figure 61 show that SR value of attacked image.

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Filter Attack = 28,933958



**Figure 60** PSNR values original and Filter attack images

SR filter attack = 0,9609



**Figure 61** SR value of watermarked image after filter attack

Figure 62 shows that original image and attacked image for Resize attack and Figure 63 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

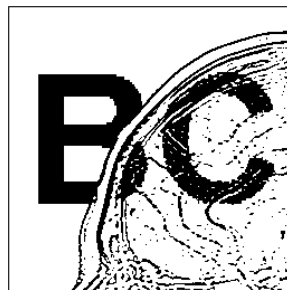


PSNR value after Resize Attack = 30,0445



**Figure 62** PSNR values original and Resize attack images

SR resize attack = 0,9028

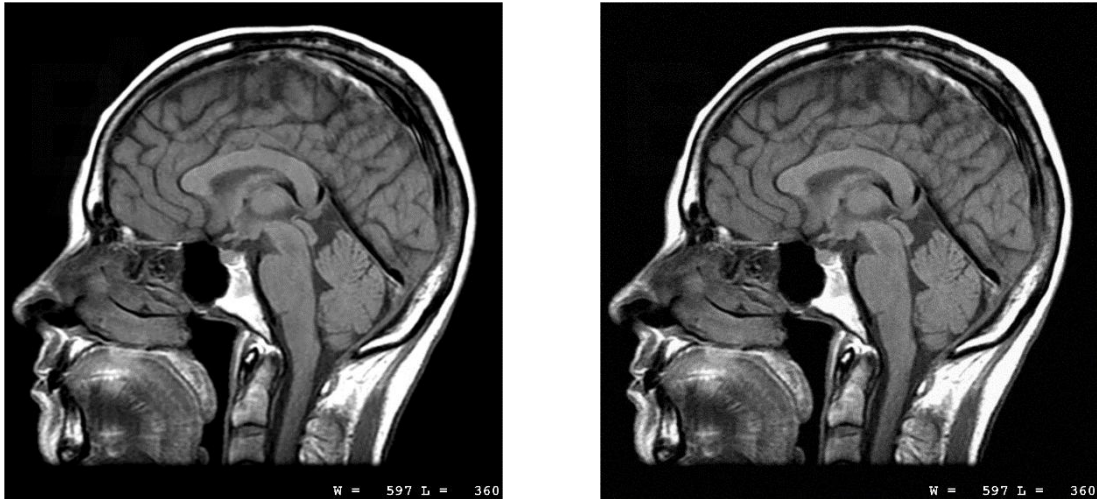


**Figure 63** SR value of watermarked image after resize attack

Figure 64 shows that original image and attacked image for Gaussian attack and Figure 65 show that SR value of attacked image.

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Gaussian Attack = 31,01152



**Figure 64** PSNR values original and Gaussian attack images

SR gaussian attack = 0,8774

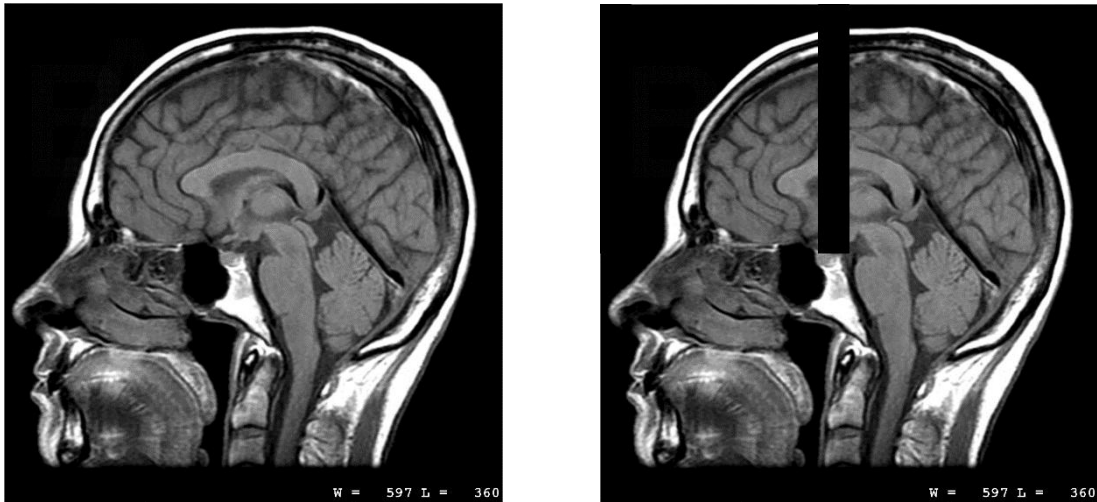


**Figure 65** SR value of watermarked image after Gaussian attack

Figure 66 shows that original image and attacked image for Cropping attack and Figure 67 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Cropping Attack = 23,14363



**Figure 66** PSNR values original and Cropping attack images

SR cropping attack = 0,9799

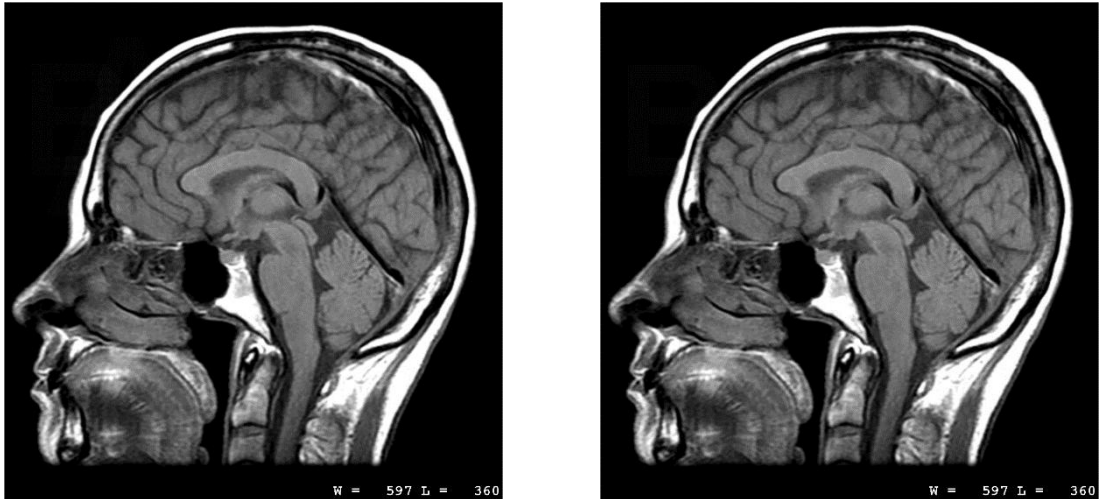
**BC**

**Figure 67** SR value of watermarked image after cropping attack

Figure 68 shows that original image and attacked image for Jpeg (75) attack and Figure 69 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Jpeg(75) Attack = 44,2701



**Figure 68** PSNR value original and after Jpeg (75) attack

SR Jpeg(75) attack = 0,9840



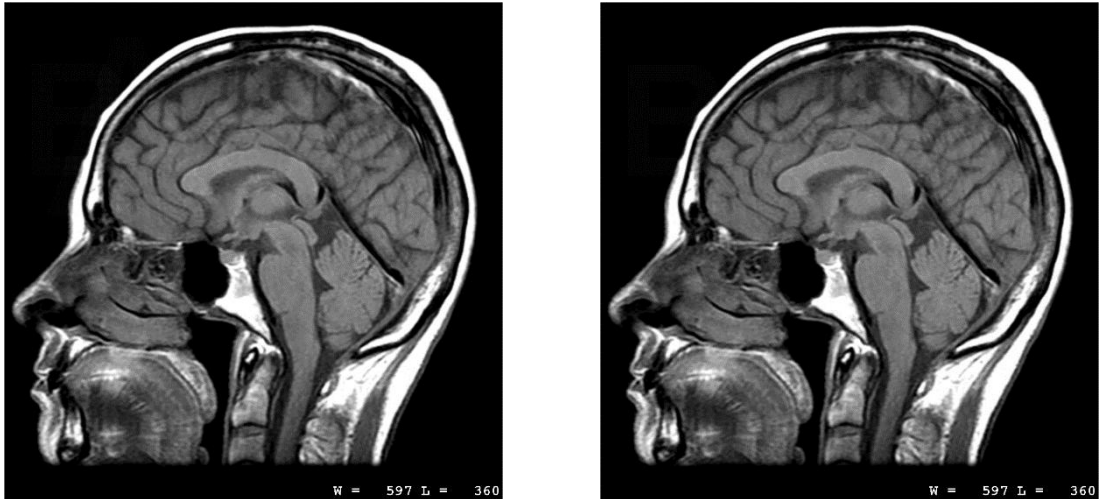
**Figure 69** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (75) attack



Figure 70 shows that original image and attacked image for Jpeg (50) attack and Figure 71 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 44,660772

PSNR value after Jpeg(50) Attack = 41,7065



**Figure 70** PSNR values original and Jpeg (50) attack images

SR Jpeg(50) attack = 0,9315



**Figure 71** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (50) attack

**Table 2** PSNR and SR values after attacks

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>	<b>SR</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	44,660772	23,14363	0,9799
<b>Gaussian</b>	44,660772	31,01152	0,8774
<b>Filter</b>	44,660772	28,933958	0,9609
<b>Rotate</b>	44,660772	10,357190	0,9685
<b>Gamma</b>	44,660772	20,154851	0,8774
<b>Histogram</b>	44,660772	10,035300	0,8813
<b>Imnoise attack</b>	44,660772	21,646320	0,1640
<b>Speckle noise</b>	44,660772	22,888509	0,2833
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	44,660772	44,270100	0,9869
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	44,660772	41,706500	0,9315
<b>Resize</b>	44,660772	30,044500	0,9028
<b>Intensity</b>	44,660772	22,583412	0,9824

**Table 2** PSNR shows that PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. If PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For example PSNR value is 44,660772 before Jpeg (75) attack. After Jpeg (75) attack the PSNR value is 44,270100 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. The SR method compares pixel values of two watermark images. This values are between 0 and 1. If SR values close to 1, it means that recovered watermark image is in ideal optimum and preferred condition. Imnoise and Speckle attacks' SR values are not good because they have the nearest values to 0. Other attack types' SR values are nearest to 1, as you can see in table 2. Best PSNR values are in Gaussian, Jpeg (50) and JPEG (75) attacks. Histogram attack has the worst PSNR value.

If we compare Table 1 and Table 2 PSNR values are nearly same for original images. For attacked images for example after Filter attack Table 1 PSNR value is better than Table 2 PSNR values. But most of PSNR values after attack are closer. And SR values are also nearly same and closer to 1 except Speckle Noise, Salt & Pepper and Histogram attacks after SR values.

### 3.2. Discrete Cosine Transform

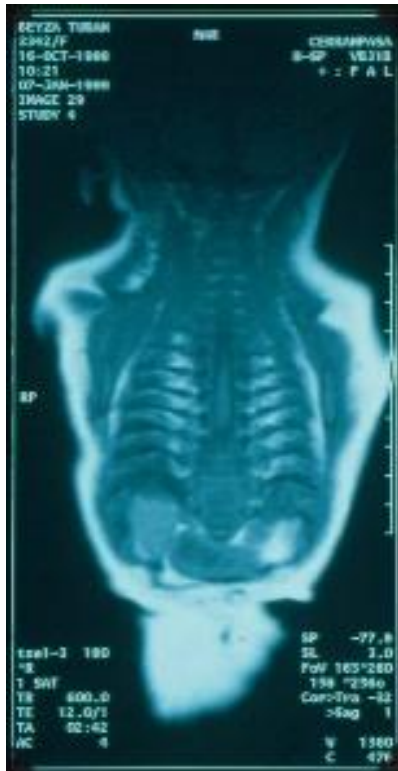


Figure 72 MR Image



Figure 73 Watermarked Image



Figure 74 Watermark Image

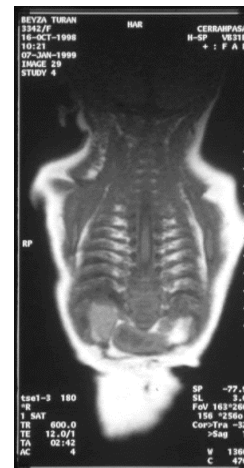
10 different attacks are used in this experience by using MATLAB. They are “Filter attack, Scaling attack, Intensity attack, Gamma attack, Gaussian attack, Histogram equalization attacks, Imnoise attack, rotate attack and speckle noise attacks”.

Watermark embedding process is done by DCT. Watermark images (Figure 74 Watermark Image) are created by embedding process. After that the attacks, which are mentioned in the above, are applied to watermarked image. Then, the extract process is done.

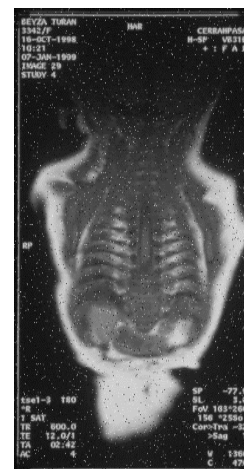
The images that are applied attack are shown in Figure 75 Noise Attack – Figure 84 Gaussian



**Figure 75** Noise Attack **Figure 76** Cropping Attack **Figure 77** Histogram Attack



**Figure 78** Filter Attack **Figure 79** Gamma Attack **Figure 80** Intensity Attack



**Figure 81** Scaling Attack **Figure 82** Rotate Attack **Figure 83** Salt&Pepper Attack



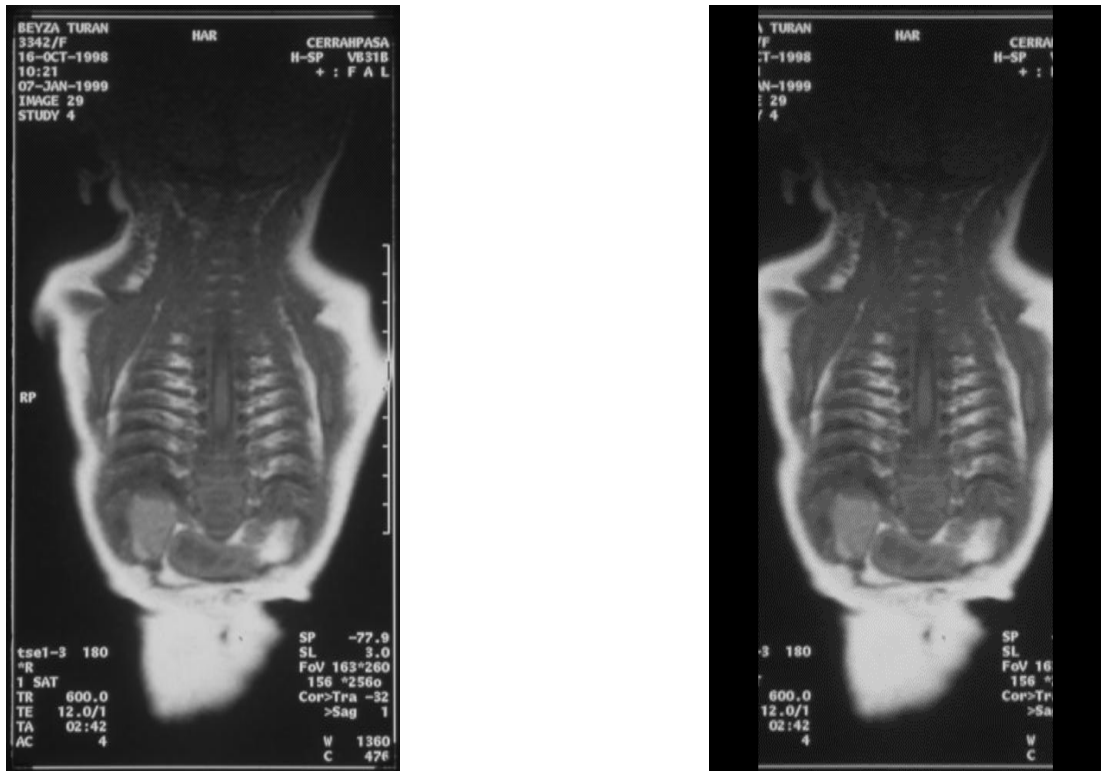
**Figure 84** Gaussian Attack

In this work to measure for images quality were calculated PSNR values which is used as quality of reconstruction in watermark image and attacked images. Similarity ratio was calculated watermark image and extracted watermark image.

Figure 85 shows that original image and attacked image for Cropping attack and Figure 86 show that SR value of attacked image

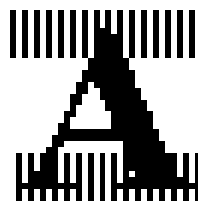
PSNR value = 35,649740

PSNR value after Cropping. Attack = 14,80300



**Figure 85** PSNR values original and cropping attack images

SR cropping attack = 0,6787



**Figure 86** SR value of watermarked image after cropping attack

Figure 87 shows that original image and attacked image for Histogram attack and Figure 88 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 35,649740

PSNR value after Hist. Attack = 12,186193



Figure 87 PSNR values original and Histogram attack images

SR Histogram attack = 0,8848

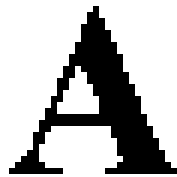


Figure 88 SR value of watermarked image after Histogram attack



Figure 89 shows that original image and attacked image for Filter attack and Figure 90 show that SR value of attacked image

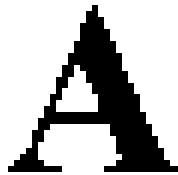
PSNR value = 35,649740

PSNR value after Filter Attack = 29,244117



**Figure 89** PSNR values original and Filter attack images

SR Filter attack = 0.8848



**Figure 90** SR value of watermarked image after Filter attack

Figure 91 shows that original image and attacked image for Gamma attack and Figure 92 show that SR value of attacked image

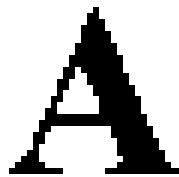
PSNR value =35,649740

PSNR value after Intensity Attack = 20,938350



**Figure 91** PSNR values original and Gamma attack images

SR Gamma attack = 0,8848



**Figure 92** SR value of watermarked image after Filter attack

Figure 93 shows that original image and attacked image for Intensity attack and Figure 94 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value =35,649740

PSNR value after Intensity Attack = 20,938350



Figure 93 PSNR values original and Intensity attack images

SR Intensity attack = 0,8848

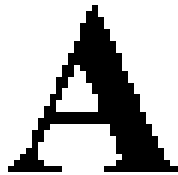


Figure 94 SR value of watermarked image after Intensity attack

Figure 95 shows that original image and attacked image for rotate attack and Figure 96 show that SR value of attacked image

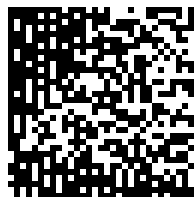
PSNR value =35,649740

PSNR value after Rotate Attack = 11,177377



**Figure 95** PSNR values original and rotate attack images

SR Rotate attack = 0,4092

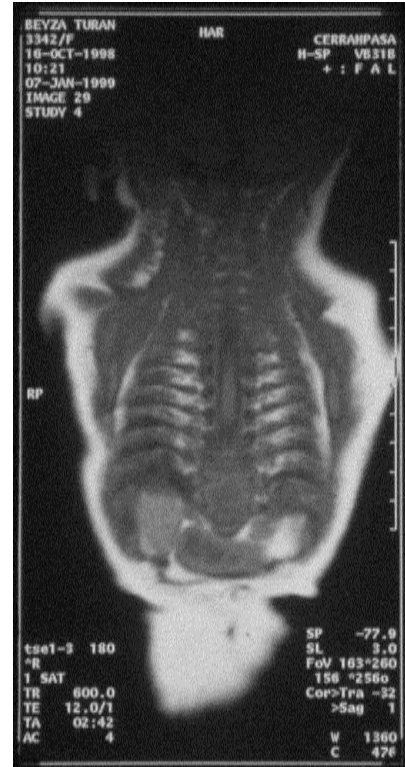


**Figure 96** SR value of watermarked image after rotate attack

Figure 97 shows that original image and attacked image for Gaussian attack and Figure 98 show that SR value of attacked image

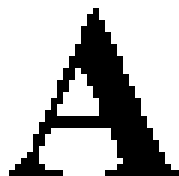
PSNR value = 35,649740

PSNR value after Gaussian Attack = 29,37244



**Figure 97** PSNR values original and Gaussian attack images

*SR Gaussian attack = 0,8848*

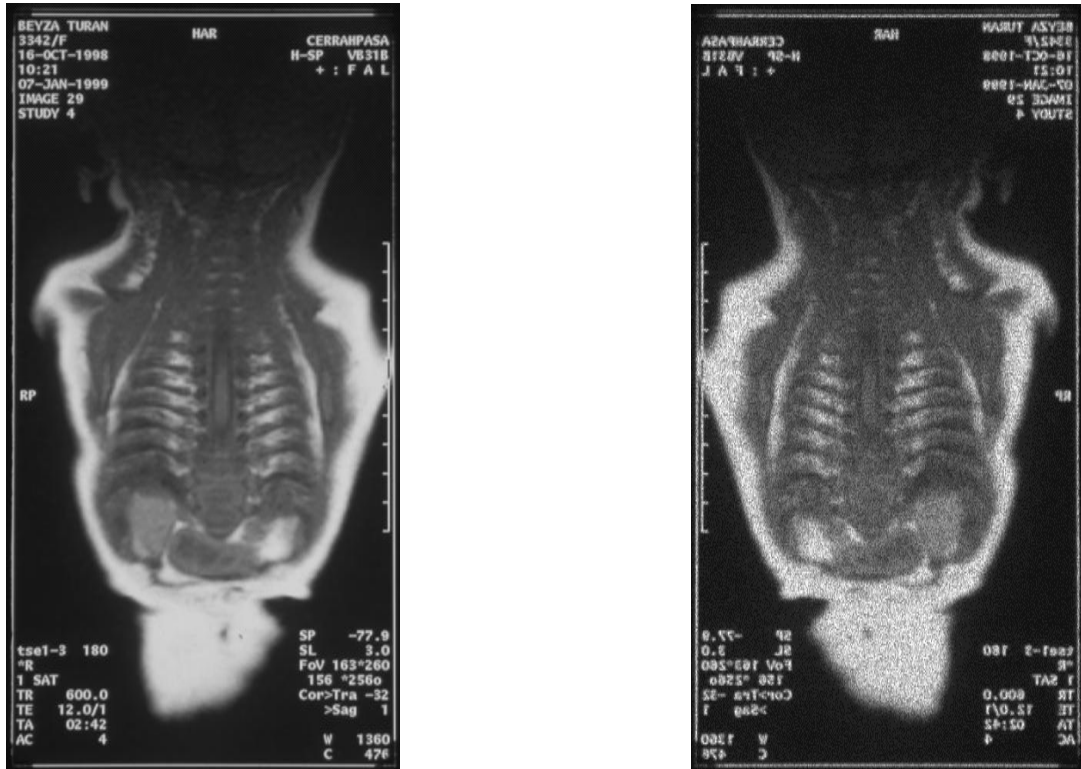


**Figure 98** SR value of watermarked image after Gaussian attack

Figure 99 shows that original image and attacked image for Speckle Noise attack and Figure 100 show that SR value of attacked image

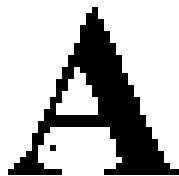
PSNR value = 35,649740

PSNR value after Speckle Attack = 22,902788



**Figure 99** PSNR values original and Speckle Noise attack images

SR Speckle Noise attack = 0,8838

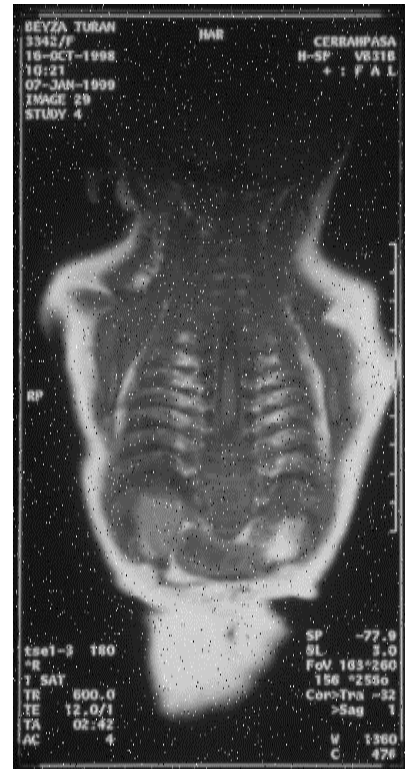


**Figure 100** SR value of watermarked image after Speckle Noise attack

Figure 101 shows that original image and attacked image for Salt & Pepper attack and Figure 102 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value = 35,649740

PSNR value after Salt&Pepper Attack = 21,65746



**Figure 101** PSNR values original and Salt & Pepper Noise attack images

SR Salt & Pepper Noise attack = 0,6181



**Figure 102** SR value of watermarked image after Salt & Pepper Noise attack

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>	<b>SR</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	35,649740	14,803008	0,6787
<b>Gaussian</b>	35,649740	29,372440	0,8848
<b>Filter</b>	35,649740	29,244117	0,8848
<b>Rotate</b>	35,649740	11,177377	0,4092
<b>Gamma</b>	35,649740	17,781681	0,8848
<b>Histogram</b>	35,649740	12,186193	0,8848
<b>Intensity</b>	35,649740	20,938350	0,8848
<b>Salt &amp; Pepper</b>	35,649740	21,657467	0,6181
<b>speckle noise</b>	35,649740	22,902788	0,8838

**Table 3** PSNR and SR values after attacks

*Table 3 PSNR* demonstrates that PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. In the event that PSNR values are higher, it demonstrates to us vastly improved quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. On the off chance that PSNR worth is vastness, it implies that two images are indistinguishably same and at this reason PSNR quality result is infinity. For instance PSNR value is 35,649740 before Gamma attack. After Gamma attack the PSNR value is 17,781681 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. The SR method compares pixel values of two watermark images. This values are between 0 and 1. If SR values close to 1, it means that recovered watermark image is in ideal optimum and preferred condition. Rotate attack SR value is not good because they have the nearest values to 0. Other attack types' SR values are nearest to 1, as you can see in table 3. Best PSNR values are in Gaussian and Filter attacks. Rotate attack has the worst PSNR value.



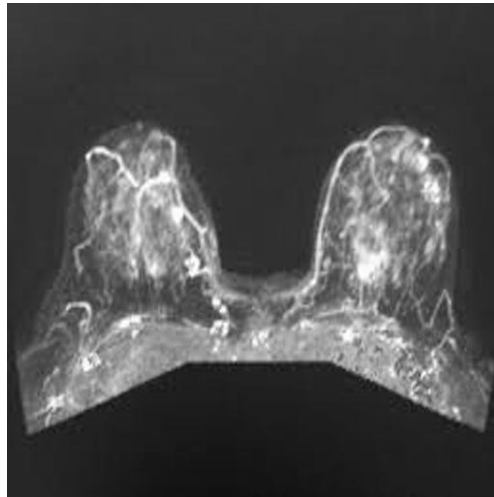
Filter Attack (DCT) PSNR value =29,244117

Filter Attack (DWT) PSNR value =42, 256476

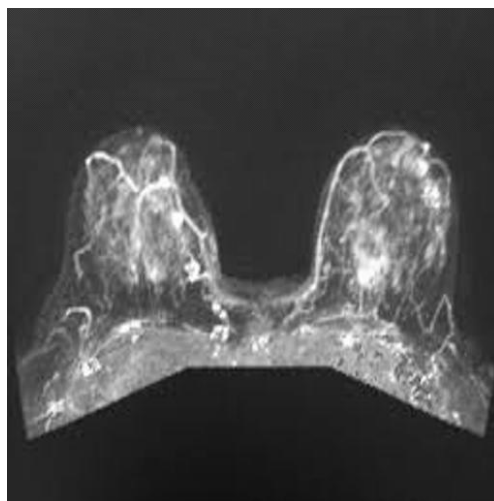


When we compare above two images PSNR values is better than the image which is applied DCT algorithm. After attacks (Filter Attack) when we calculates PSNR value for each images, the image which is applied DWT algorithm and attacked PSNR value is better than other image that is applied DCT algorithm and attacked. And SR values are nearly same and close to 1 value.

In Figure 103 Original Image (Breast) (Breast-MRI) by using Discrete Cosine Transform, the embedding process of watermark images is done. PSNR and SR values are calculated for watermark embedded images (Figure 104 Watermarked Image (Breast))



**Figure 103** Original Image (Breast)

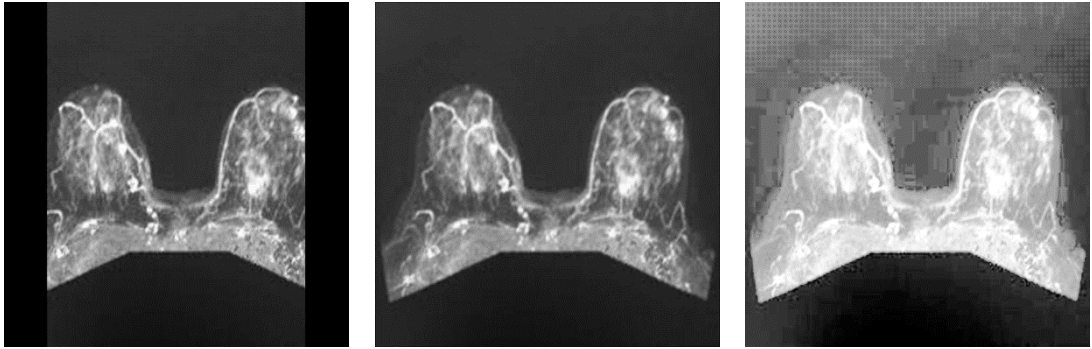


**Figure 104** Watermarked Image (Breast)

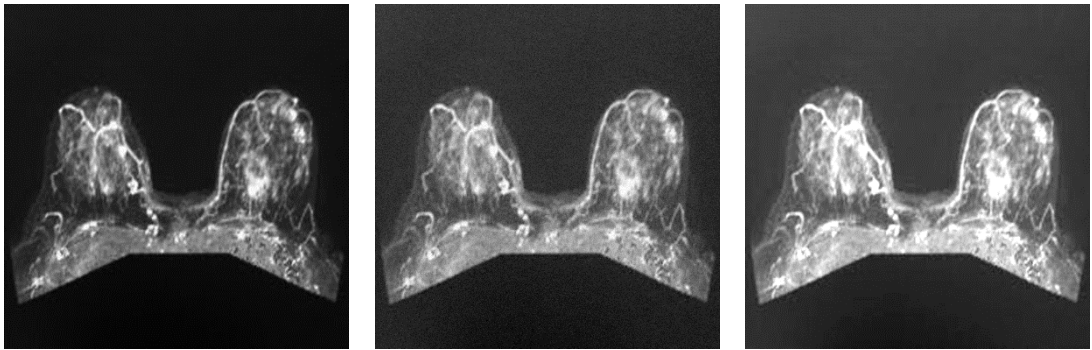


**Figure 105** Watermark Image

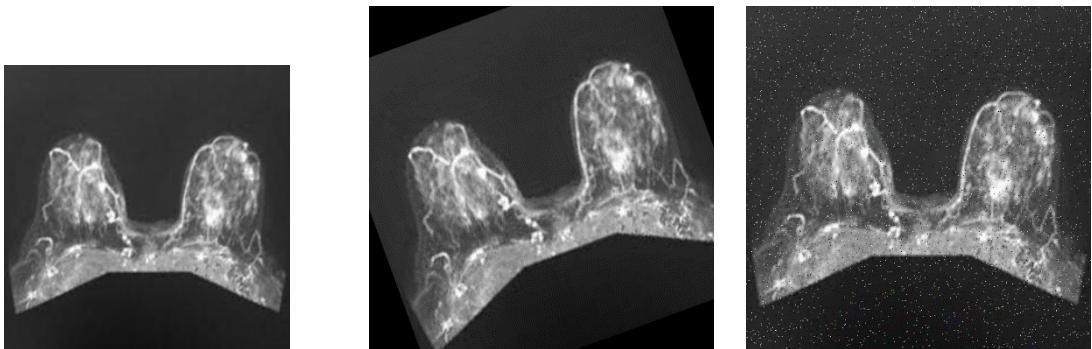
The images that are applied attack are shown **Figure 106** Cropping – Attack **Figure 117** Jpeg(50)



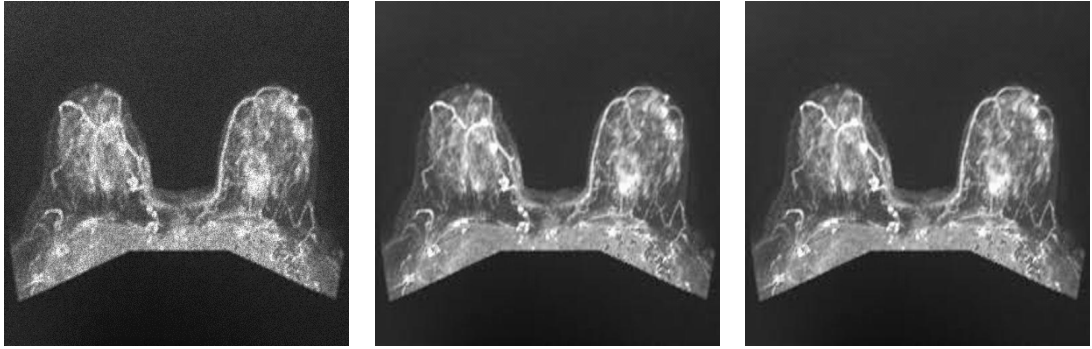
**Figure 106** Cropping Attack **Figure 107** Filter Attack **Figure 108** Histogram Attack



**Figure 109** Gamma Attack **Figure 110** Gaussian Attack **Figure 111** Intensity Attack

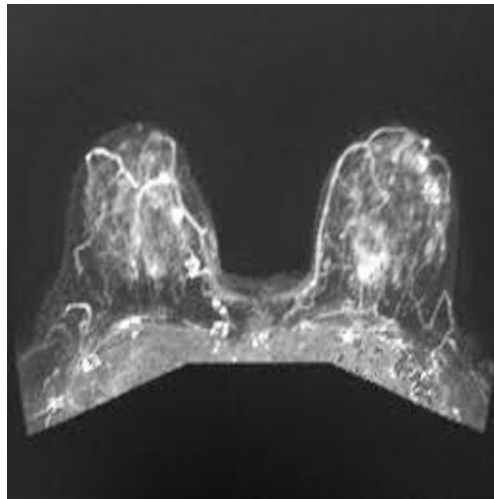


**Figure 112** Resize Attack **Figure 113** Rotate Attack **Figure 114** Salt&Pepper Attack



**Figure 115** Speckle Attack **Figure 116** Jpeg (75) Attack **Figure 117** Jpeg(50) Attack

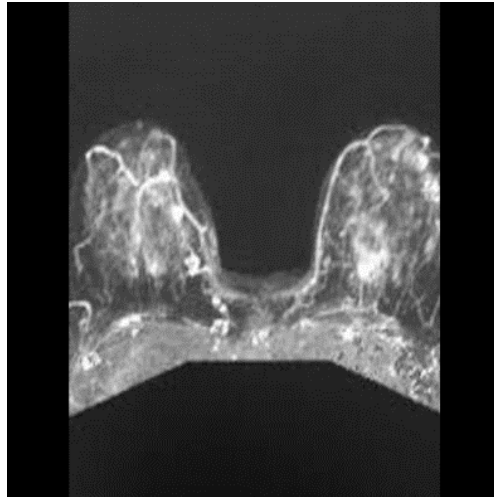
PSNR value watermarked images = 37, 5363



**Figure 118** PSNR values original and Watermarked images

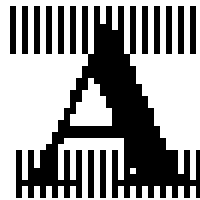
Figure 119 shows that original image and attacked image for Cropping attack and Figure 120 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Cropping Attack = 18,1172



**Figure 119** PSNR values Cropping attack images

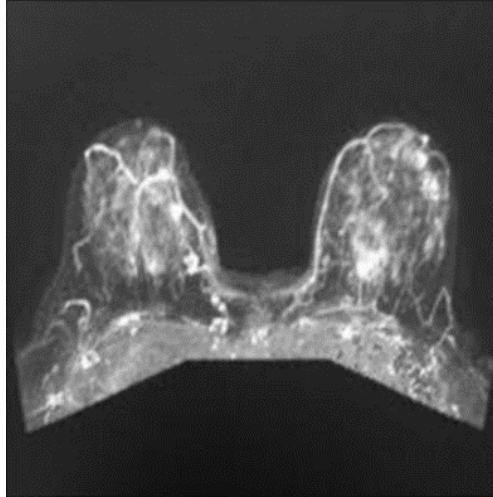
SR Cropping Attack = 0, 2219



**Figure 120** SR value of watermarked image after cropping attack

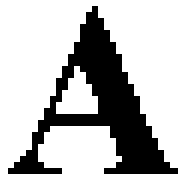
Figure 121 shows that original image and attacked image for Filter attack and Figure 122 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Filter Attack = 36, 6585



**Figure 121** PSNR values Filter attack images

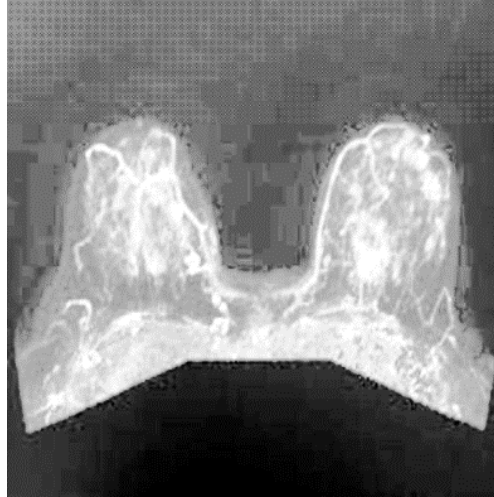
SR Filter Attack = 0, 8848



**Figure 122** SR value of watermarked image after filter attack

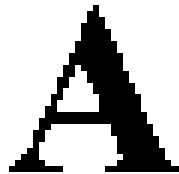
Figure 123 shows that original image and attacked image for Histogram attack and Figure 124 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Histogram Attack = 11, 9156



**Figure 123** PSNR values Histogram attack images

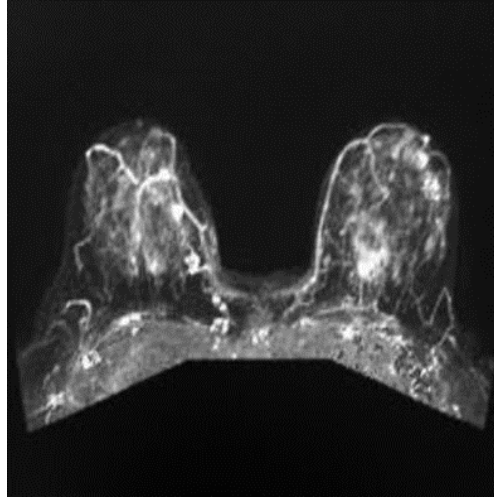
SR Histogram Attack = 0, 8848



**Figure 124** SR value of watermarked image after Histogram attack

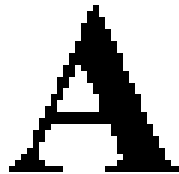
Figure 125 shows that original image and attacked image for Gamma attack and Figure 126 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Gamma Attack = 19, 0065



**Figure 125** PSNR values Gamma attack images

SR Gamma Attack = 0, 8848

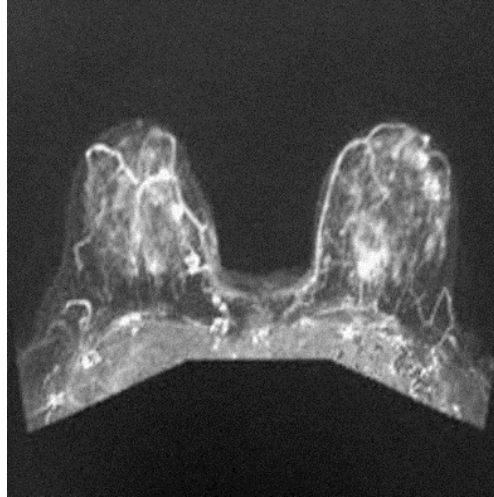


**Figure 126** SR value of watermarked image after gamma attack



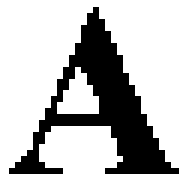
Figure 127 shows that original image and attacked image for Gaussian attack and Figure 128 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Gaussian Attack = 30, 0133



**Figure 127** PSNR values Gaussian attack images

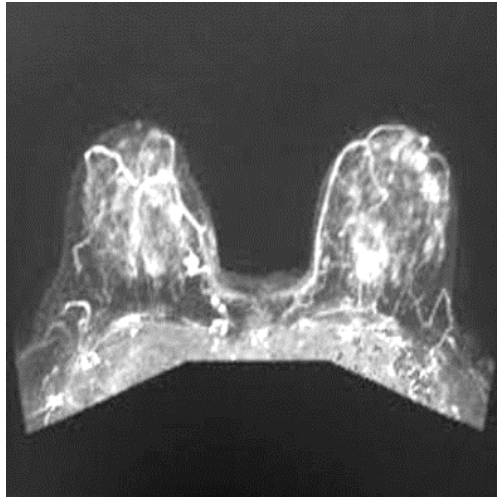
SR Gaussian Attack = 0, 8848



**Figure 128** SR value of watermarked image after Gaussian attack

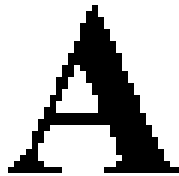
Figure 129 shows that original image and attacked image for Filter attack and Figure 130 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Intensity Attack = 21, 4528



**Figure 129** PSNR values Intensity attack images

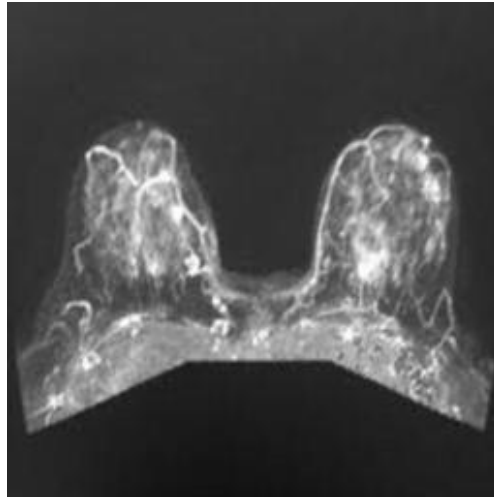
SR Intensity Attack = 0, 8848



**Figure 130** SR value of watermarked image after intensity attack

Figure 131 shows that original image and attacked image for Resize attack and Figure 132 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Resize Attack = 36, 0273



**Figure 131** PSNR values Resize attack images

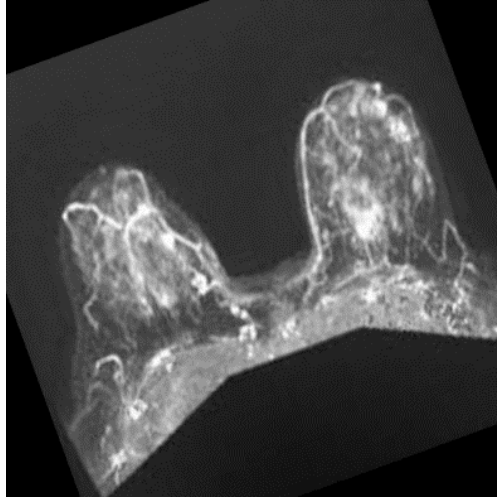
SR Resize Attack = 0, 4570



**Figure 132** SR value of watermarked image after resize attack

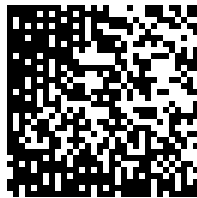
Figure 133 shows that original image and attacked image for rotate attack and Figure 134 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Rotate Attack = 13, 4593



**Figure 133** PSNR values rotate attack images

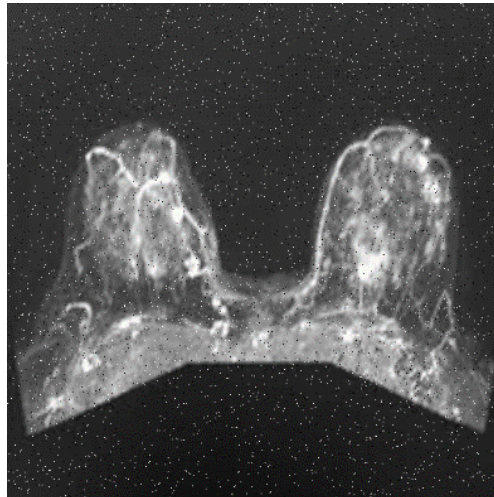
SR Rotate Attack = 0, 4150



**Figure 134** SR value of watermarked image after rotate attack

Figure 135 shows that original image and attacked image for Salt & Pepper attack and Figure 136 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Salt& Pepper Attack = 21, 7250



**Figure 135** PSNR values Salt & Pepper attack images

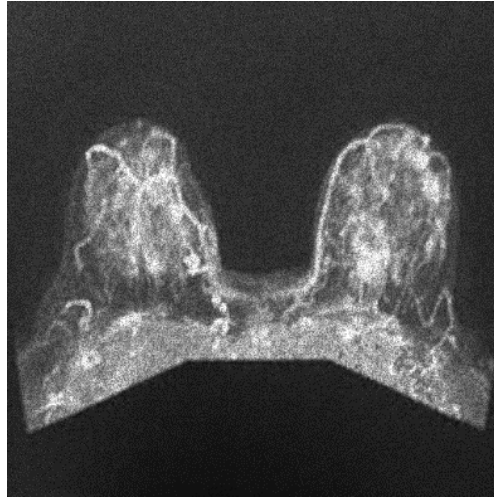
SR Salt & Pepper Attack = 0, 8701



**Figure 136** SR value of watermarked image after salt & pepper attack

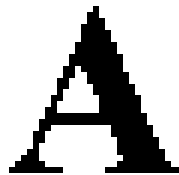
Figure 137 shows that original image and attacked image for Speckle attack and Figure 138 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Speckle Attack = 23, 2045



**Figure 137** PSNR values Speckle attack images

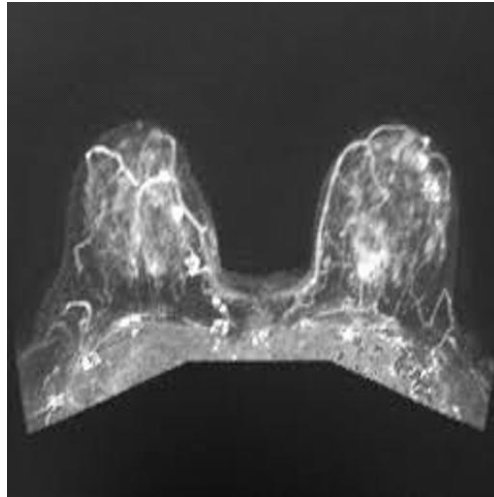
SR Speckle Attack = 0, 8848



**Figure 138** SR value of watermarked image after speckle attack

Figure 139 shows that original image and attacked image for Jpeg (75) attack and Figure 140 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Jpeg (75) Attack = 37, 5233



**Figure 139** PSNR values Jpeg (75) attack images

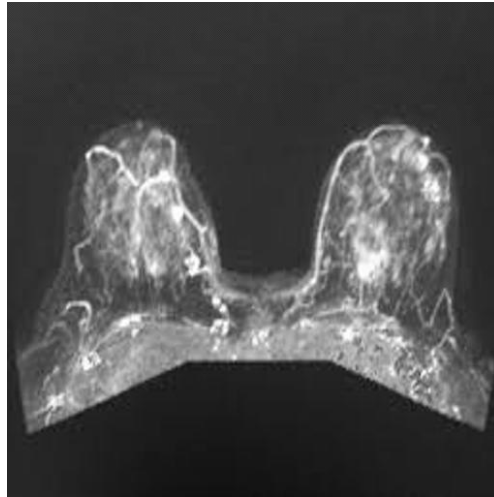
SR Jpeg (75) Attack = 0, 6748



**Figure 140** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (75) attack

Figure 141 shows that original image and attacked image for Jpeg (50) attack and Figure 142 show that SR value of attacked image

PSNR value after Jpeg (50) Attack = 36, 9072



**Figure 141** PSNR values Jpeg (50) attack images

SR Jpeg (50) Attack = 0, 6748



**Figure 142** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (50) attack



**Table 4** PSNR and SR values after attacks

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>	<b>SR</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	37,5363	18,1172	0,2219
<b>Gaussian</b>	37,5363	36,6585	0,8848
<b>Filter</b>	37,5363	29,244117	0,8848
<b>Rotate</b>	37,5363	13,4593	0,4150
<b>Gamma</b>	37,5363	19,0065	0,8848
<b>Histogram</b>	37,5363	11,9156	0,8848
<b>Intensity</b>	37,5363	21,4528	0,8848
<b>Salt &amp; Pepper</b>	37,5363	23,2045	0,8701
<b>Speckle noise</b>	37,5363	23,2045	0,8848
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	37,5363	37,5233	0,6748
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	37,5363	36,9072	0,6748
<b>Resize</b>	37,5363	36,0273	0,4570

When we examine table 4 we realized that if PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For instance PSNR value is 37, 5363 before Resize attack. After Resize attack the PSNR value is 36, 0273 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. The SR method compares pixel values of two watermark images. This values are between 0 and 1. If SR values close to 1, it means that recovered watermark image is in ideal optimum and preferred condition. Cropping, Rotate and Resize attacks' SR values are not good because they have the nearest values to 0. Other attack types' SR values are nearest to 1, as you can see in table 4. Best PSNR values are in Gaussian, Jpeg (50), Resize and JPEG (75) attacks. Histogram attack has the worst PSNR value.

### 3.3. Discrete Fourier Transform

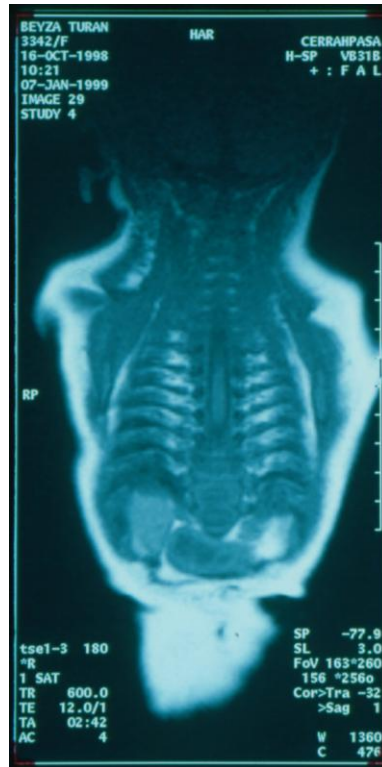
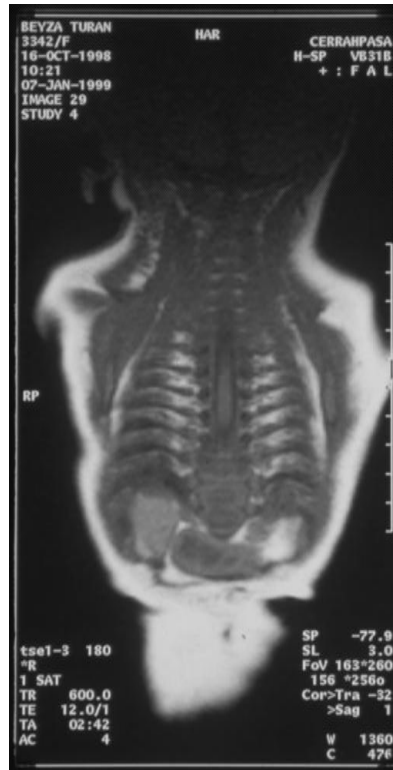


Figure 143 Original Image



Figure 144 Watermark Image

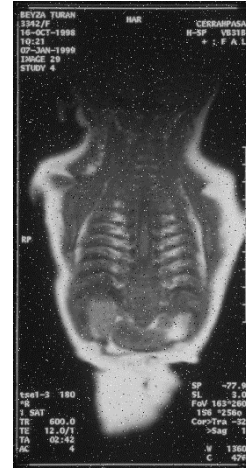
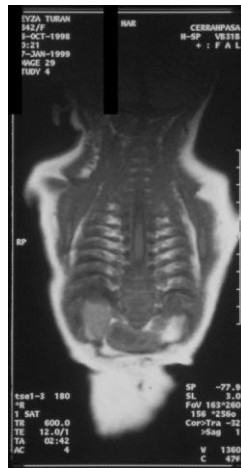


**Figure 145** Watermarked Image

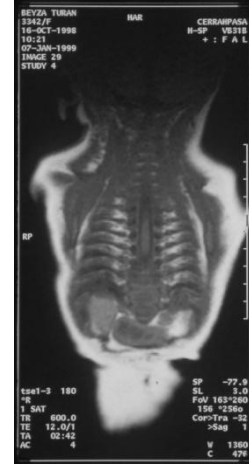
10 different attacks are used in this experience by using MATLAB. They are “Intensity attack, Gamma attack, Cropping attack, Gaussian attack, Histogram equalization attacks, Imnoise attack, rotate attack and speckle noise attacks”. Watermark embedding process is done by DFT. After that the attacks, which are mentioned in the above, are applied to watermarked image (Figure 145 Watermarked Image). Then, the extract process is done. The images that are applied attack are shown in Figure 146 Noise Attack – Figure 155 Jpeg (50) Attack.



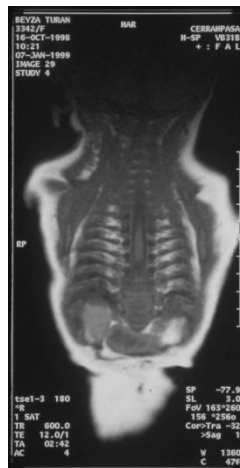
**Figure 146** Noise Attack **Figure 147** Gamma Attack **Figure 148** Intensity Attack



**Figure 149** Histogram Attack **Figure 150** Cropping Attack **Figure 151** Salt & Pepper Attack



**Figure 152** Gaussian Attack **Figure 153** Rotate Attack **Figure 154** Jpeg (75) Attack



**Figure 155** Jpeg (50) Attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Cropping Attack = 10,810788



Figure 156 PSNR values original and cropping attack images

SR Cropping Attack = 0,7312



Figure 157 SR value of watermarked image after cropping attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Histogram Attack = 12,18047



**Figure 158** PSNR values original and histogram attack images

SR Histogram Attack = 0,8788



**Figure 159** SR value of watermarked image after Histogram attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Gamma Attack = 14,606989



**Figure 160** PSNR values original and gamma attack images

SR Gamma Attack = 0, 2756



**Figure 161** SR value of watermarked image after Gamma attack



PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Rotate Attack = 10,352137



**Figure 162** PSNR values original and rotate attack images

SR Rotate Attack = 0, 1275



**Figure 163** SR value of watermarked image after rotate attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Gaussian = 20,506922



**Figure 164** PSNR values original and Gaussian attack images

SR Gaussian Attack = 0, 1394



**Figure 165** SR value of watermarked image after Gaussian attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Salt&Pepper Attack = 16,88813



**Figure 166** PSNR values original and salt & pepper attack images

SR Salt & Pepper Attack = 0,1894



**Figure 167** SR value of watermarked image after Salt & Pepper attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Intensity Attack = 15,214227

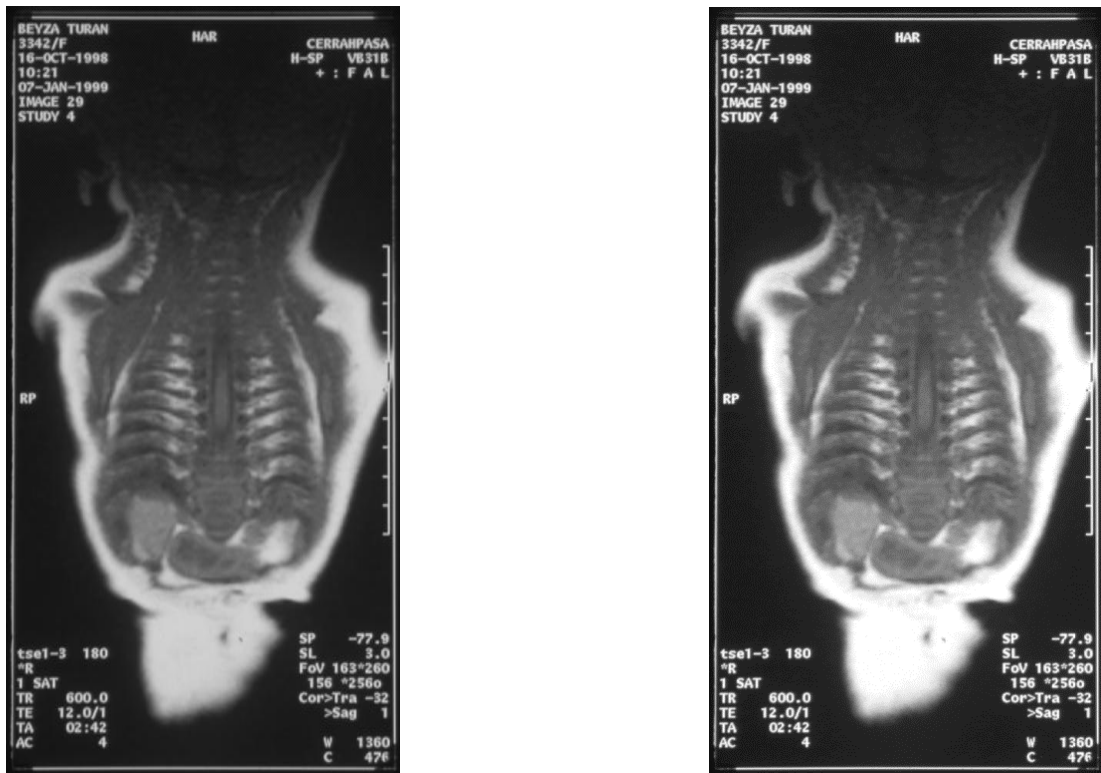


Figure 168 PSNR values original and intensity attack images

SR Intensity Attack = 0, 9750



Figure 169 SR value of watermarked image after Intensity attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Speckle Attack = 22,901300



**Figure 170** PSNR values original and speckle noise attack images

SR Noise (Speckle) Attack = 0, 2219



**Figure 171** SR value of watermarked image after speckle noise attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Jpeg(75) Attack = 13, 0239



**Figure 172** PSNR values original and jpeg (75) attack images

SR Jpeg (75) Attack = 0, 1338



**Figure 173** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (75) attack

PSNR value = 35,176721

PSNR value after Jpeg(50) Attack = 13, 1023



**Figure 174** PSNR values original and jpeg (50) attack images

SR Jpeg(50) Attack = 0,1462



**Figure 175** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (50) attack

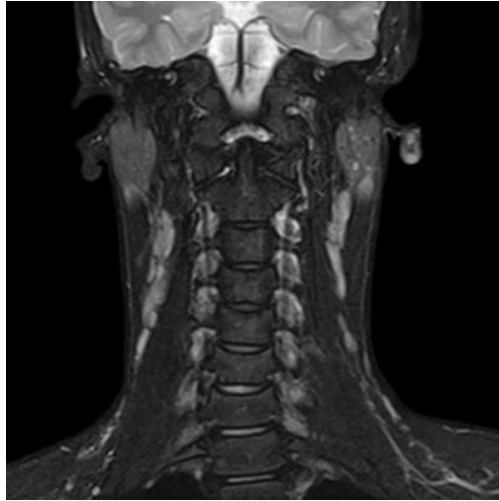
**Table 5** PSNR and SR values after attacks

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>	<b>SR</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	35,176721	10,810788	0,7312
<b>Gaussian</b>	35,176721	20,506922	0,1394
<b>Rotate</b>	35,176721	10,352137	0,1275
<b>Gamma</b>	35,176721	14,606989	0,2756
<b>Histogram</b>	35,176721	12,180470	0,8788
<b>Intensity</b>	35,176721	15,214227	0,9750
<b>Salt &amp; Pepper</b>	35,176721	16,888130	0,1894
<b>speckle noise</b>	35,176721	22,901300	0,2219
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	35,176721	13,023900	0,1338
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	35,176721	13,102300	0,1462

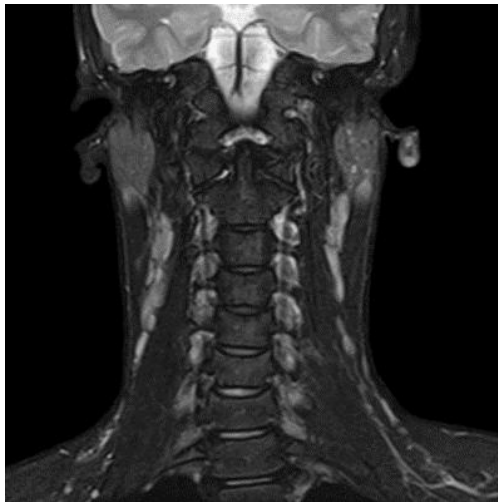
**Table 5** PSNR shows that PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. If PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For example PSNR value is 35,176721 before Salt & Pepper attack. After Salt & Pepper attack the PSNR value is 16,888130 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. The SR method compares pixel values of two watermark images. This values are between 0 and 1. If SR values close to 1, it means that recovered watermark image is in ideal optimum and preferred condition. Gaussian, Salt & Pepper, Gamma, Speckle Noise and Jpeg attacks' SR values are not good because they have the nearest values to 0. Other attack types' SR values are nearest to 1, as you can see in table 5. Best PSNR values are in Gaussian, Speckle Noise attacks. Rotate attack has the worst PSNR value

**Figure 176** Original Image (Neck Mr) (Neck-MRI) by using Discrete Fourier Transform, the embedding process of watermark images is done. PSNR and SR values are calculated by applying attacks for watermark embedded images (Figure 177 Watermarked Image)





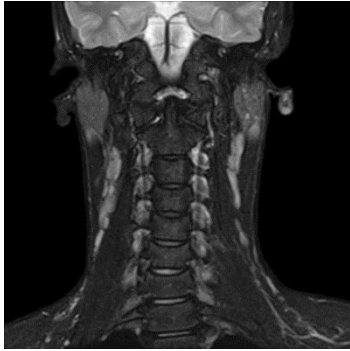
**Figure 176** Original Image (Neck Mr)



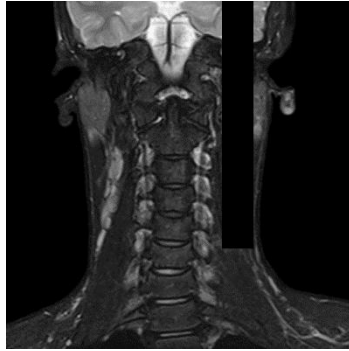
**Figure 177** Watermarked Image

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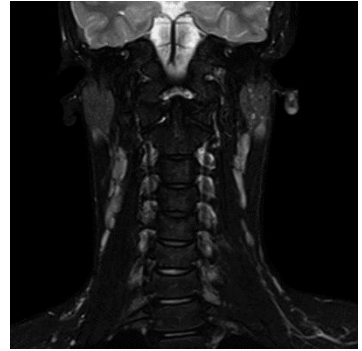
**Figure 178** Watermark Image



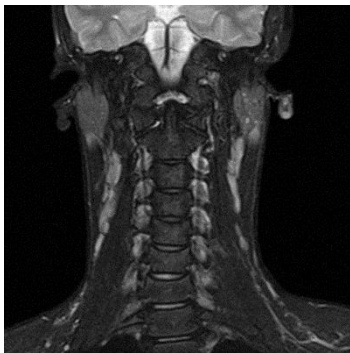
**Figure 179** Filter Attack



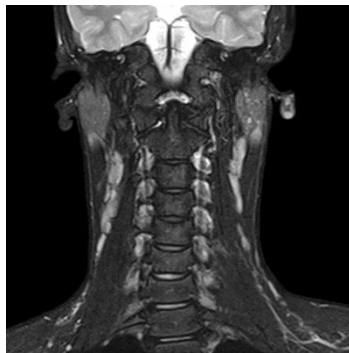
**Figure 180** Cropping Attack



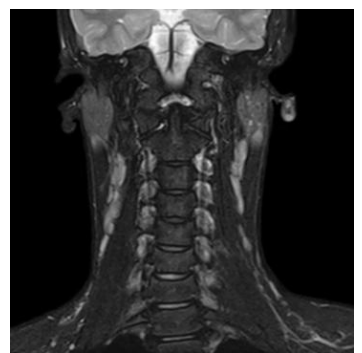
**Figure 181** Gamma Attack



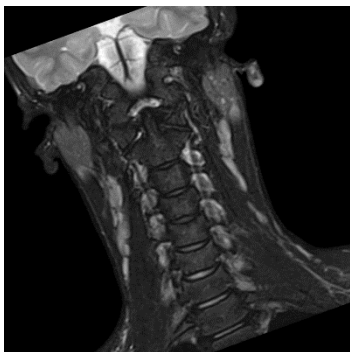
**Figure 182** Gaussian Attack



**Figure 183** Intensity Attack



**Figure 184** Resize Attack



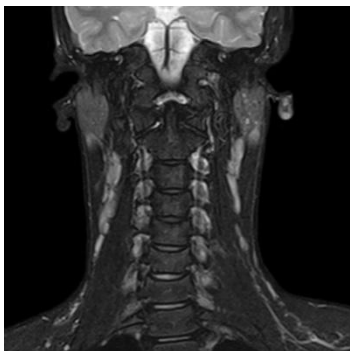
**Figure 185** Rotate Attack



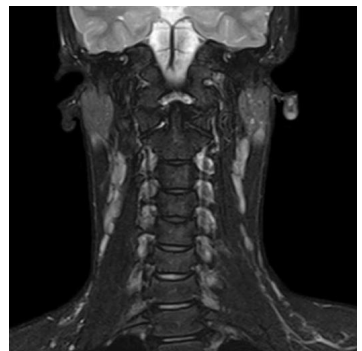
**Figure 186** Salt & Pepper Attack



**Figure 187** Speckle Attack

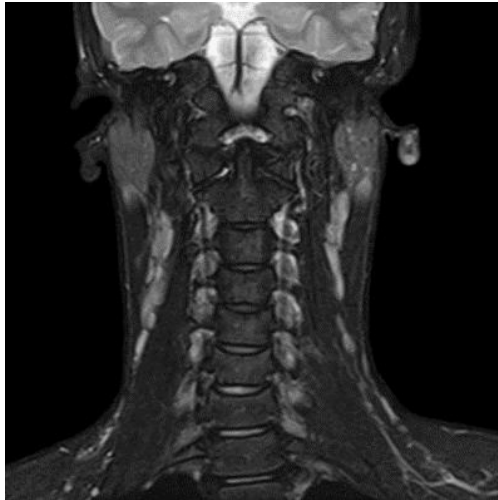


**Figure 188** Jpeg (75) Attack

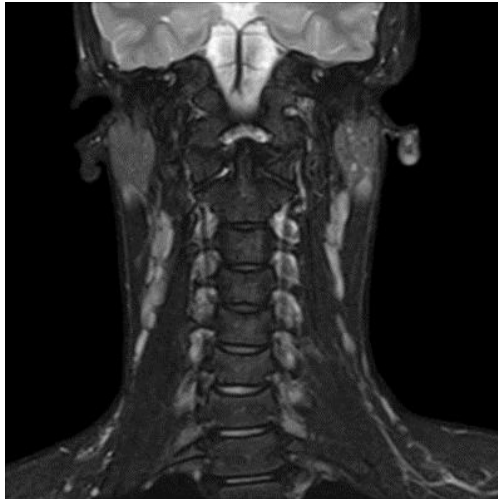


**Figure 189** Jpeg (50) Attack

PSNR value watermarked images = 48, 1430



PSNR value after Filter Attack = 41, 7453



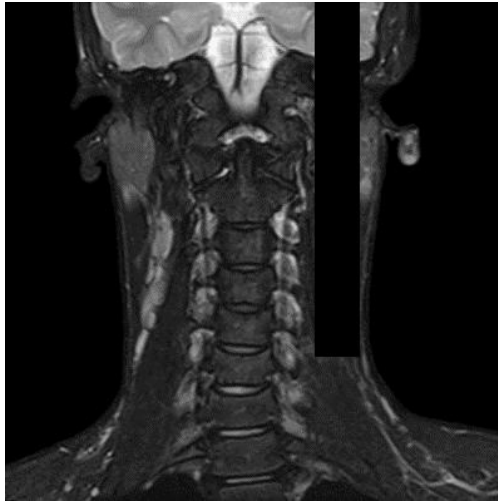
**Figure 190** PSNR values original and Filter attack images

SR Filter Attack = 0,5781



**Figure 191** SR value of watermarked image after filter attack

PSNR value after Cropping Attack = 22, 1004



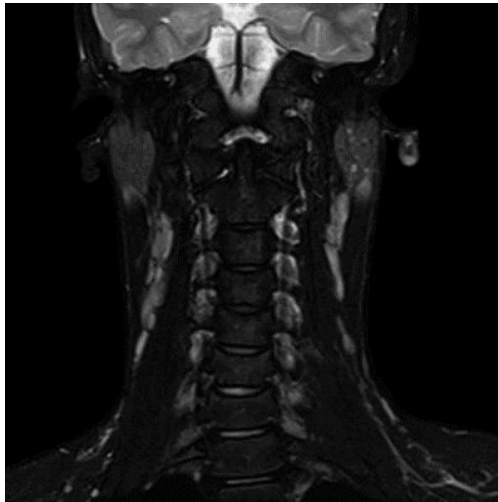
**Figure 192** PSNR values original and Cropping attack images

SR Cropping Attack = 0,8662



**Figure 193** SR value of watermarked image after cropping attack

PSNR value after Gamma Attack = 21, 2767



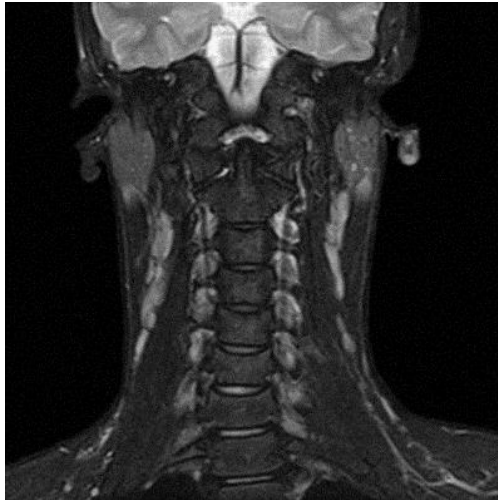
**Figure 194** PSNR values original and Gamma attack images

SR Gamma Attack = 0,8956



**Figure 195** SR value of watermarked image after gamma attack

PSNR value after Gaussian Attack = 30, 8571



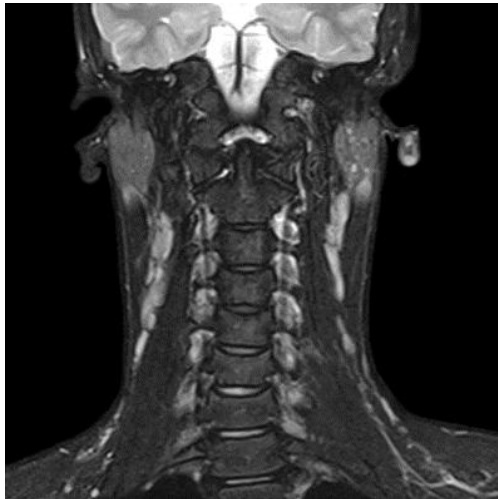
**Figure 196** PSNR values original and Gaussian attack images

SR Gaussian Attack = 0,5744



**Figure 197** SR value of watermarked image after Gaussian attack

PSNR value after Intensity Attack = 25, 1287



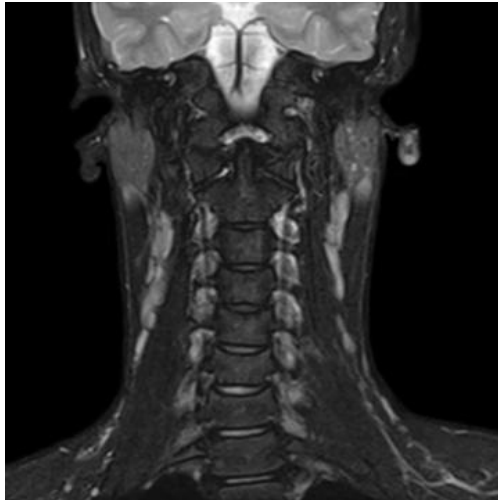
**Figure 198** PSNR values original and Intensity attack images

SR Intensity Attack = 0,8819



**Figure 199** SR value of watermarked image after intensity attack

PSNR value after Resize Attack = 43, 1874



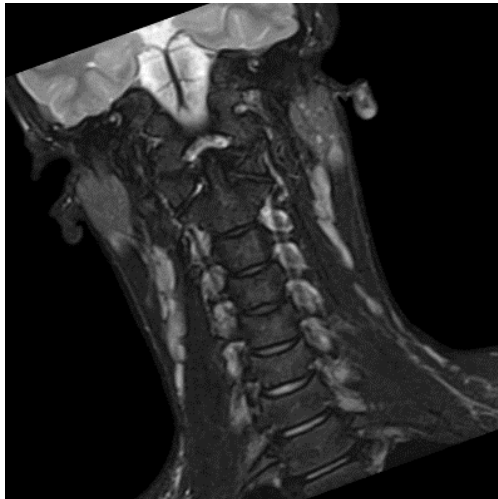
**Figure 200** PSNR values original and Resize attack images

SR Resize Attack = 0,6062



**Figure 201** SR value of watermarked image after resize attack

PSNR value after Rotate Attack = 14, 3982



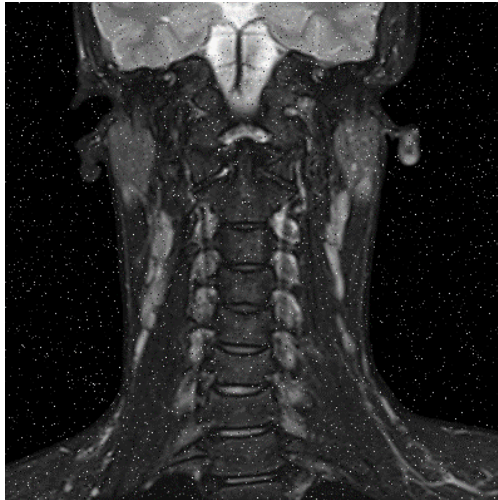
**Figure 202** PSNR values original and rotate attack images

SR Rotate Attack = 0,6563



**Figure 203** SR value of watermarked image after rotate attack

PSNR value after Salt & Pepper Attack = 20, 9357



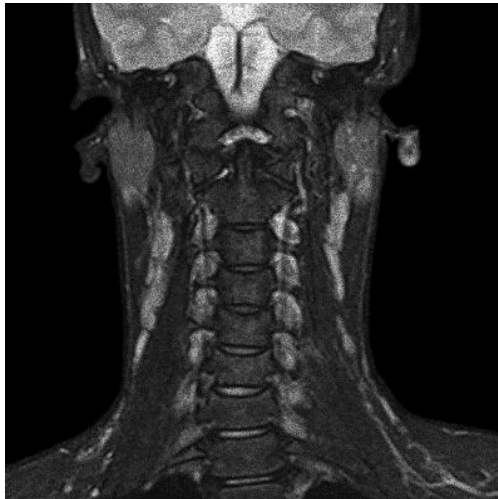
**Figure 204** PSNR values original and Salt & Pepper attack images

SR Salt & Pepper Attack = 0,6887



**Figure 205** SR value of watermarked image after salt & pepper attack

PSNR value after Speckle Attack = 26, 9029



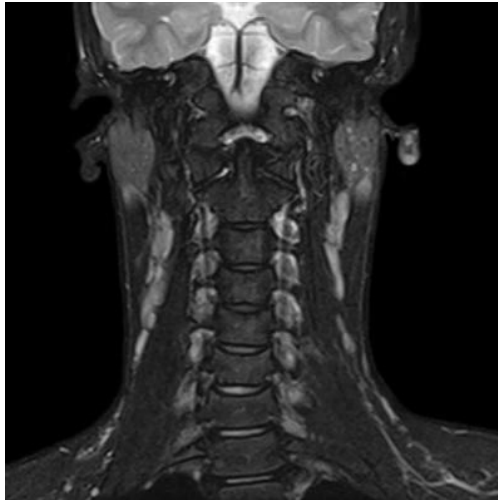
**Figure 206** PSNR values original and Speckle attack images

SR Speckle Attack = 0,5781



**Figure 207** SR value of watermarked image after speckle attack

PSNR value after Jpeg (75) Attack =45, 7127



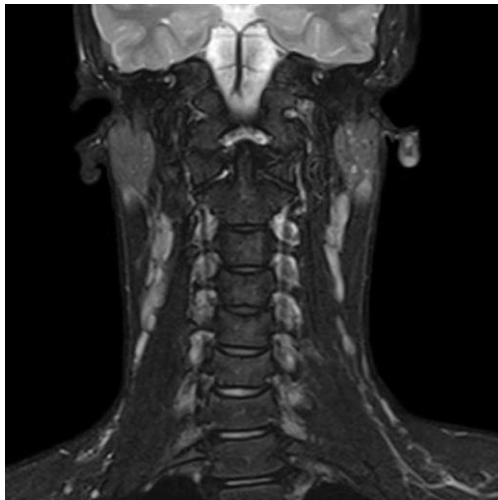
**Figure 208** PSNR values original and Jpeg (75) attack images

SR Jpeg(75) Attack = 0,8969



**Figure 209** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (75) attack

PSNR value after Jpeg (50) Attack =42, 8370



**Figure 210** PSNR values original and Jpeg (50) attack images

SR Jpeg(50) Attack = 0,6438



**Figure 211** SR value of watermarked image after jpeg (50) attack



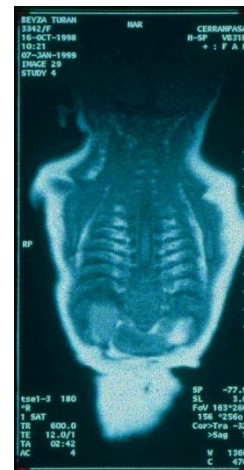
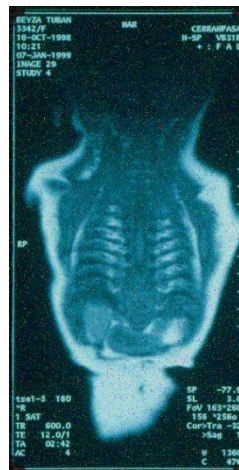
**Table 6** PSNR and SR values after attacks

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>	<b>SR</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	48,1430	22,1004	0,8662
<b>Gaussian</b>	48,1430	30,8571	0,5744
<b>Rotate</b>	48,1430	14,3982	0,6563
<b>Gamma</b>	48,1430	21,2767	0,8956
<b>Histogram</b>	48,1430	12,180471	0,2400
<b>Intensity</b>	48,1430	25,1287	0,8919
<b>Salt &amp; Pepper speckle noise</b>	48,1430	20,9357	0,6887
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	48,1430	26,9029	0,5781
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	48,1430	45,7127	0,8969
<b>Resize</b>	48,1430	42,8370	0,6438
<b>Filter</b>	48,1430	43,1874	0,6062
<b>Filter</b>	48,1430	41,7453	0,5781

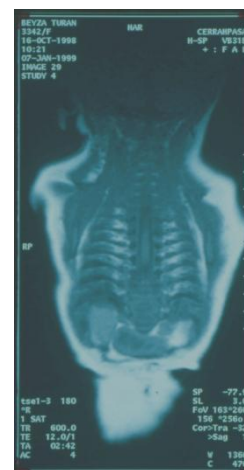
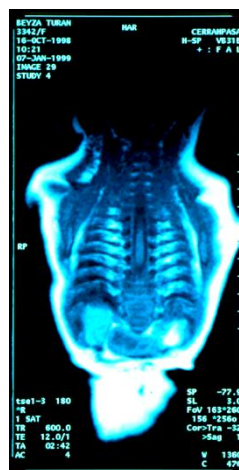
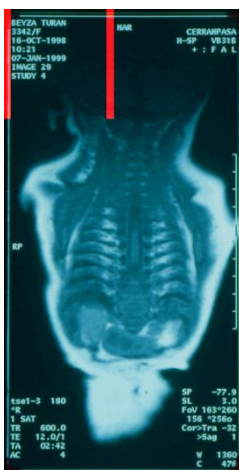
**Table 6** summarizes that PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. If PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For example PSNR value is 48, 1430 before Filter attack. After Filter attack the PSNR value is 41, 7453 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. The SR method compares pixel values of two watermark images. This values are between 0 and 1. If SR values close to 1, it means that recovered watermark image is in ideal optimum and preferred condition. Histogram and Gaussian attacks' SR values are not good because they have the nearest values to 0. Other attack types' SR values are nearest to 1, as you can see in table 6. Best PSNR values are in Jpeg (50), Jpeg (75), Resize and Filter attacks. Rotate attack has the worst PSNR value.

### 3.4. Least Significant Bit

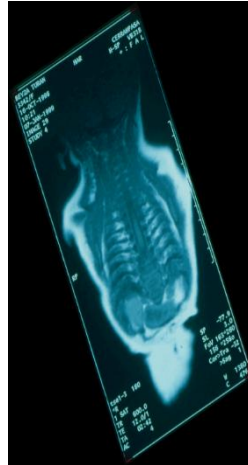
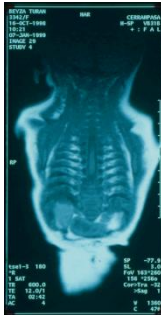
In this part the attacks are applied by embedding encrypted message with LSB method. First of all patient info message prepared. After these message which is prepared first part is encrypted with RSA algorithm. And encrypted message embed medical image via LSB methods. Then calculating PSNR values of watermarked images after this process applied some attacks and calculating PSNR values images that is applied attacks. Extracting encrypted message in watermarked imaged and decrypted process is applied to reach patient info.



**Figure 212** Gaussian Attack **Figure 213** Salt and Pepper Attack **Figure 214** Speckle Attack



**Figure 215** Crop Attack **Figure 216** Gamma Attack **Figure 217** Intensity Attack

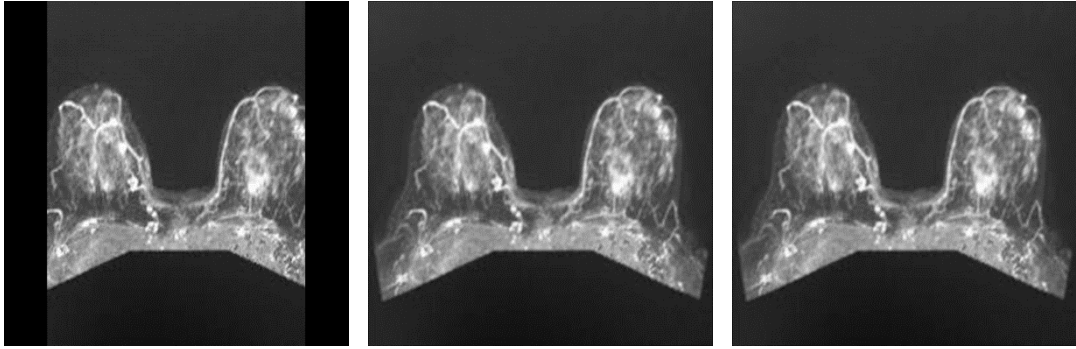


**Figure 218** Resize Attack      **Figure 219** Rotate Attack

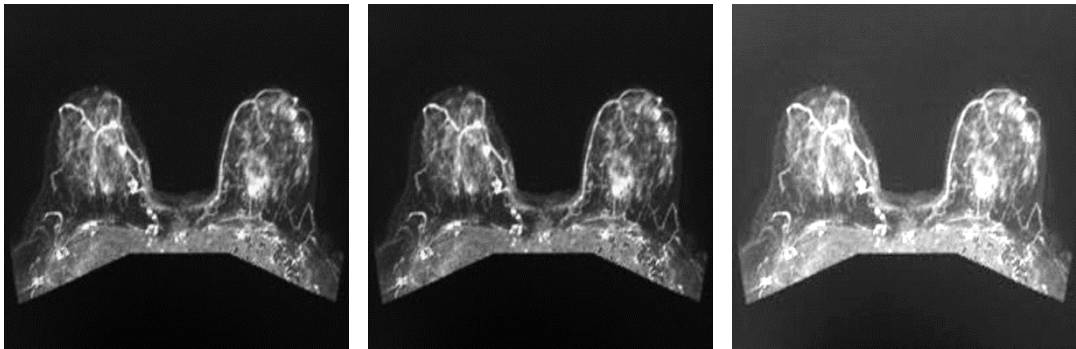
**Table 7** PSNR values after attacks

Attacks	PSNR	PSNR values after attacks
<b>Cropping</b>	34,8826	27,9149
<b>Gaussian</b>	34,8826	24,1162
<b>Rotate</b>	34,8826	8,96044
<b>Gamma</b>	34,8826	17,6797
<b>Intensity</b>	34,8826	23,1189
<b>Salt &amp; Pepper</b>	34,8826	20,8972
<b>Speckle noise</b>	34,8826	25,9120

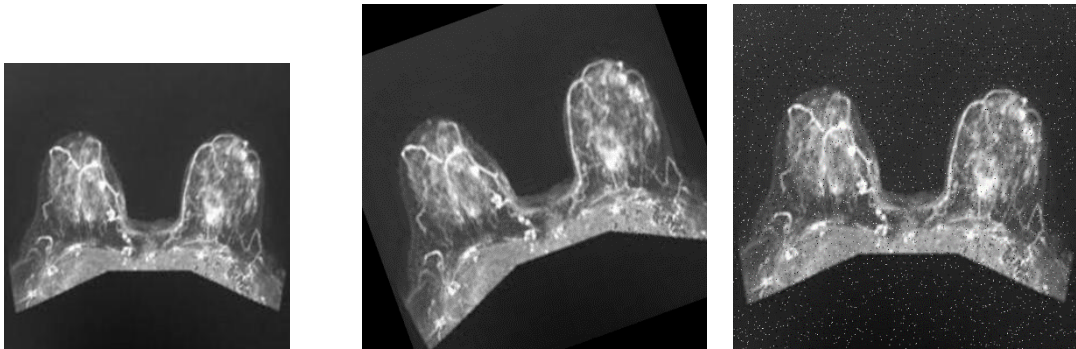
**Table 7** shows that PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. If PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For example PSNR value is 34, 8826 before cropping attack. After Cropping attack the PSNR value is 27, 9149 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. . Best PSNR values are in Cropping and Gaussian attacks. Rotate attack has the worst PSNR value.



**Figure 220** Cropping Attack **Figure 221** Filter Attack **Figure 222** Histogram Attack



**Figure 223** Gamma Attack **Figure 224** Gaussian Attack **Figure 225** Intensity Attack



**Figure 226** Resize Attack **Figure 227** Rotate Attack **Figure 228** Salt & Pepper Attack



**Figure 229** Speckle Attack

**Table 8** PSNR values after attacks

<b>Attacks</b>	<b>PSNR</b>	<b>PSNR values after attacks</b>
<b>Cropping</b>	39,1895	15,2452
<b>Gaussian</b>	39,1895	33,5123
<b>Filter</b>	39,1895	27,6591
<b>Rotate</b>	39,1895	11,3695
<b>Gamma</b>	39,1895	20,1059
<b>Histogram</b>	39,1895	11,7125
<b>Intensity</b>	39,1895	23,1189
<b>Salt &amp; Pepper</b>	39,1895	20,8972
<b>speckle noise</b>	39,1895	21,1147
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	39,1895	35,2344
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	39,1895	34,7563
<b>Resize</b>	39,1895	32,0367

**Table 8** PSNR shows that PSNR values of watermarked image and PSNR values of after attacked watermarked image and SR values of watermark image. If PSNR values are higher, it shows us much better quality of the compressed or reconstructed image. If PSNR value is infinity, it means that two images are identically same and at this reason PSNR value result is infinity. For example PSNR value is 39, 1895 before Intensity attack. After Intensity attack the PSNR value is 23, 1189 as can be seen the PSNR values were changed. As noticed, this image is not original watermarked image because PSNR values is different. . Best PSNR values are in Jpeg (50), Jpeg (75), Resize and Gaussian attacks. Rotate and Histogram attacks have the worst PSNR values.

At the results of attacks, when the encrypted message that is embedded as text is extracted, the encrypted message is seen corrupted. However, any encrypted text message could not be found in Gamma and Rotate attacks.

## CHAPTER 4

### INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS

In this thesis, DWT, DCT, DFT, and LSB has been analysed as watermarking methods. LSB uses a spatial domain whereas other methods use transform domain. Every method was applied to insert watermark image in medical images for watermarking except LSB method. After this process watermarked image has been achieved and attacks have been applied to watermarked image. LSB method was used to hide encrypted patient info message in medical images. After all processes, we have calculated the PSNR and SR values. PSNR values after attacks are given on Table-9. In this work transform domain has been found as more successful than spatial domain when we compare PSNR values. Results show us, encrypted message was destroyed when attacked watermarked images that is used LSB algorithm. When we compare DWT, DCT and DFT which are transform domain methods through experimental results observed DWT and DFT PSNR values are better than DCT PSNR values. Extracted watermark image, which was extracted in watermarked image after attacks, was calculated SR value. These SR values show us DFT has worst SR values. DCT and DWT SR values are almost closer each other and these values around 1. Also some cases have remained outside it, such as Salt & Pepper and Speckle Noise attack because these values are closer to 0.

To sum up experiments show the DWT algorithm has robustness for attacks while still keeping the quality of the image. DCT algorithm also has robustness but PSNR values are worse than DWT and DFT algorithms. DFT algorithm keeping the quality but the SR values are worse than DCT and DWT algorithms. This means that DFT algorithm is not robust in this work like DCT and DWT algorithms because of DFT SR values. For medical images algorithm should ensure good quality for image. Because; if image quality changes, it can effect of patient treatment. At the same time watermark image must be robust. And results show us DWT is more suitable for medical images as a result.

**Table 9** PSNR values after attack

PSNR values after attack	DWT	DCT	DFT	LSB
<b>Cropping</b>	23,14363	18,1172	22,1004	15,2452
<b>Gaussian</b>	31,01152	36,6585	30,8571	33,5123
<b>Filter</b>	42,25647	29,244117	41,7453	27,6591
<b>Rotate</b>	10,357190	13,4593	14,3982	11,3695
<b>Gamma</b>	20,154851	19,0065	21,2767	20,1059
<b>Histogram</b>	10,035300	11,9156	12,180471	11,7125
<b>Intensity</b>	22,583412	21,4528	25,1287	23,1189
<b>Salt&amp;Pepper</b>	22,888509	23,2045	20,9357	20,8972
<b>Speckle noise</b>	44,270100	23,2045	26,9029	21,1147
<b>Jpeg(75)</b>	41,706500	37,5233	45,7127	35,2344
<b>Jpeg(50)</b>	30,044500	36,9072	42,8370	34,7563



## **CHAPTER 5**

### **CONCLUSION**

In this work, watermarking in medical images has been analysed by using DWT, DCT, DFT and LSB algorithms. The purpose of this study is calculating PSNR and SR values on medical images via different algorithms and comparing results. Watermarking is performed by hiding a logo in the original image. In this proposal, logo images are inserted into the medical images (MRI) utilizing DCT, DWT and DFT methods and different attacks are connected on the subsequent images. Embedding watermarking is divided three approaches: transform domain, spatial domain and compressed domain. In this work, transform domain and spatial domain are used with DCT, DWT, DFT and LSB. Three different MRI images are used. DFT method has been found as the best PSNR value (48, 1430). DCT, DFT and LSB values are almost same. Their PSNR values are around 35. When compares DCT, DFT and DWT methods SR values, DFT SR values are worst SR values. In future work Region of Interest (ROI) of the medical image and Region of Non Interest (RONI) of the medical image area will be used and watermarking process will be applied respectively ROI and RONI areas. PSNR and SR values will be calculated and compared

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