



OpenCV Tutorial

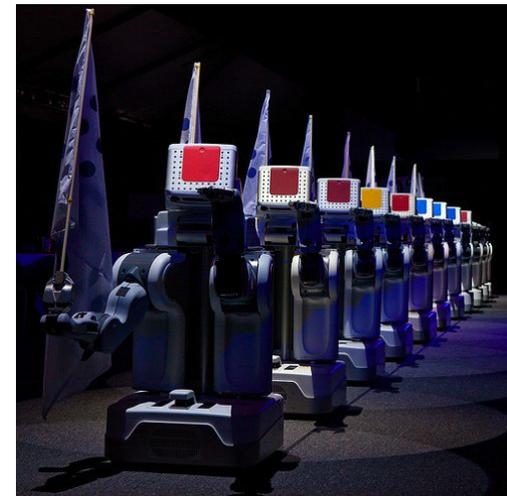
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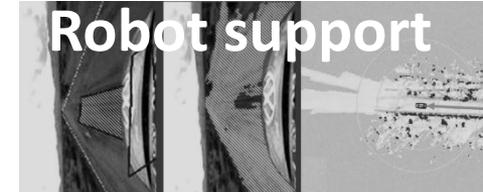
OpenCV Czar



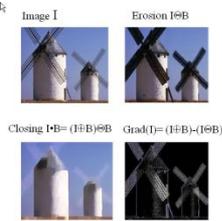
OpenCV Overview:

> 500 algorithms

Robot support



General Image Processing Functions



Geometric descriptors

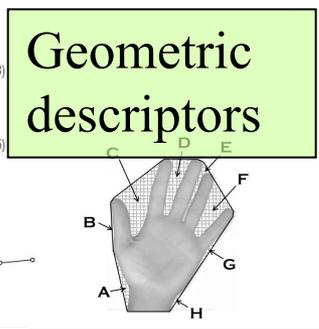
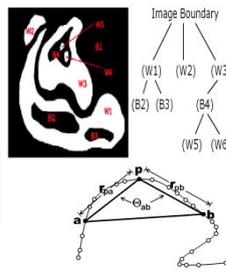
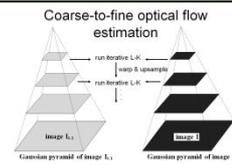
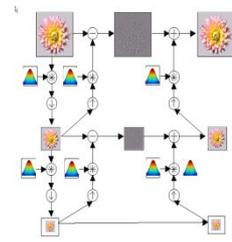
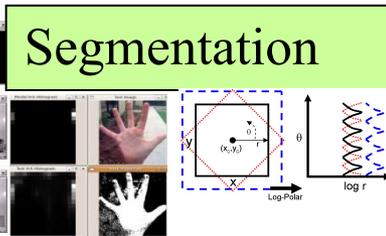


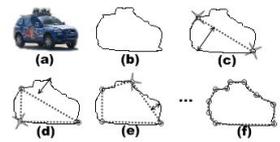
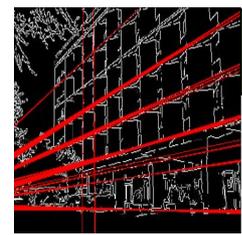
Image Pyramids



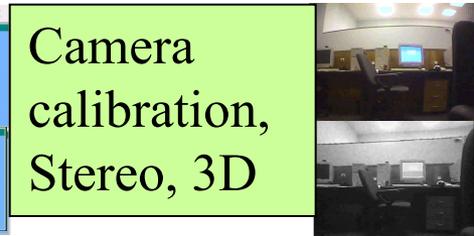
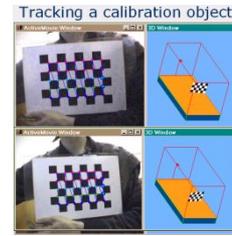
Segmentation



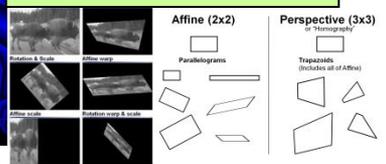
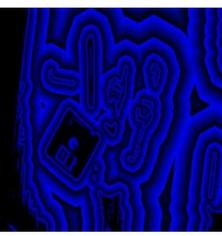
Features



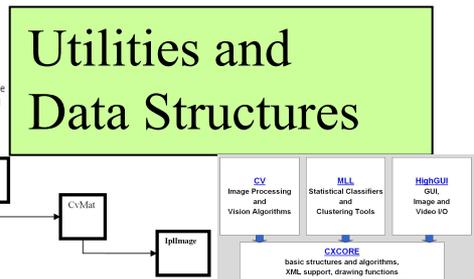
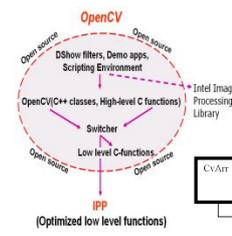
Camera calibration, Stereo, 3D



Transforms

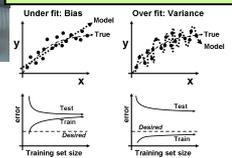
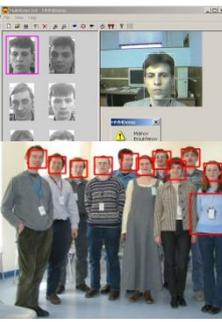


Utilities and Data Structures

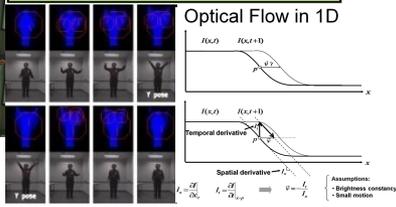


Machine Learning:

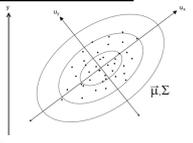
- Detection,
- Recognition



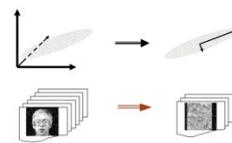
Tracking



Fitting



Matrix Math



Gary Bradski



Machine Learning Library (MLL)

CLASSIFICATION / REGRESSION

(new) Fast Approximate NN (FLANN)

(new) Extremely Random Trees

CART

Naïve Bayes

MLP (Back propagation)

Statistical Boosting, 4 flavors

Random Forests

SVM

Face Detector

(Histogram matching)

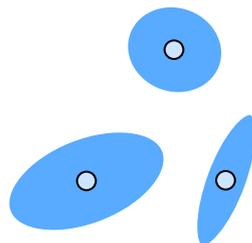
(Correlation)

CLUSTERING

K-Means

EM

(Mahalanobis distance)



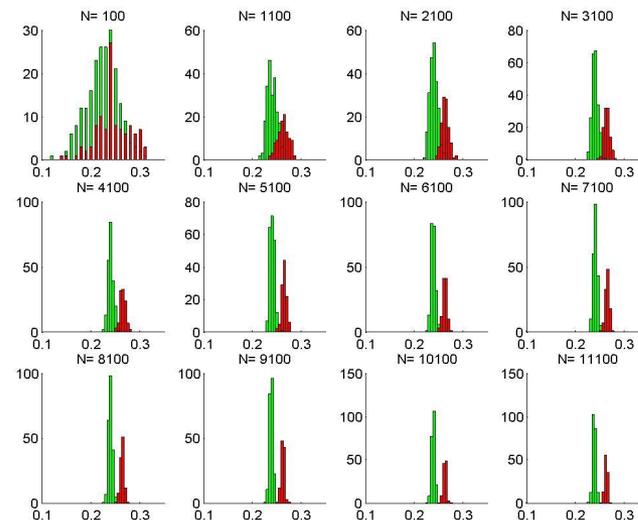
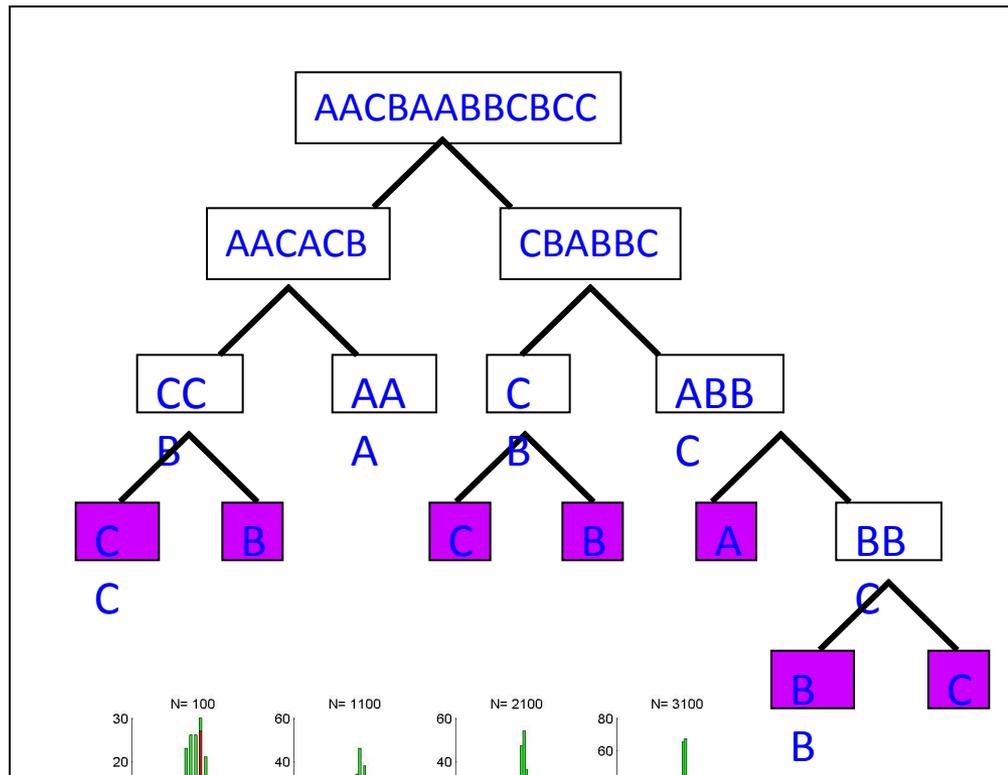
TUNING/VALIDATION

Cross validation

Bootstrapping

Variable importance

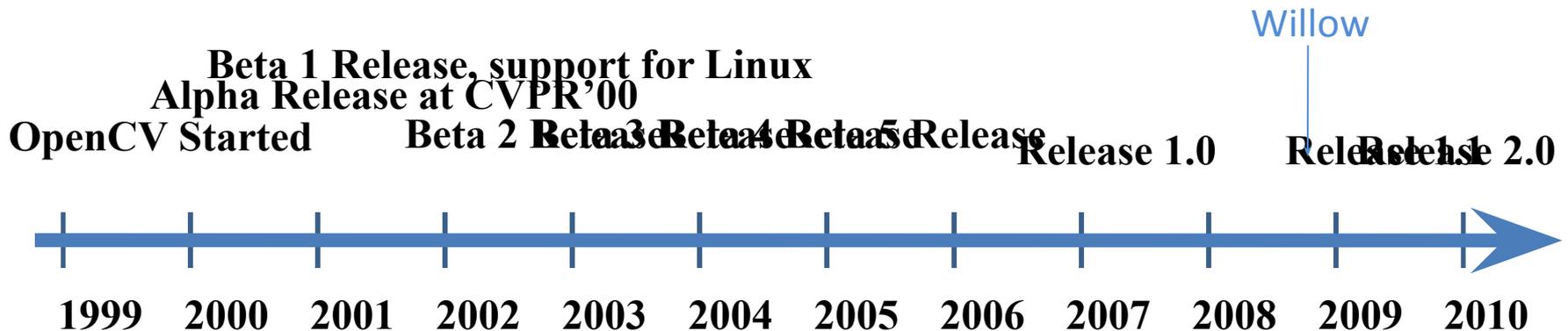
Sampling methods





OpenCV History

- **Original goal:**
 - Accelerate the field by lowering the bar to computer vision
 - Find compelling uses for the increasing MIPS out in the market
- **Timeline:**



- **Staffing:**
 - Climbed in 1999 to average 7 first couple of years
 - Starting 2003 support declined between zero and one with exception of transferring the machine learning from manufacturing work I led (equivalent of 3 people).
 - Support to zero the couple of years before Willow.
 - 5 people over the last year

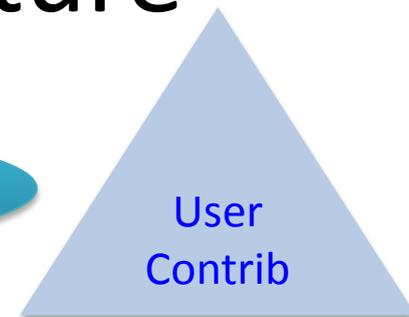
New Directory Structure

- Re-Organized in terms of processing pipelines
- Code site:
<https://code.ros.org/gf/project/opencv/>
 - Core
 - Calibration, features, I/O, img processing
 - Machine Learning, Obj. Rec
 - Python
- ~2.5M downloads





OpenCV Conceptual Structure



Other Languages

Java (TBD)

Python

C++

C

Object Detection

Features2d

Calib3d Stereo

VO SLAM (TBD)

...

Stitching (TBD)

Machine learning

HighGUI

imgproc

CORE

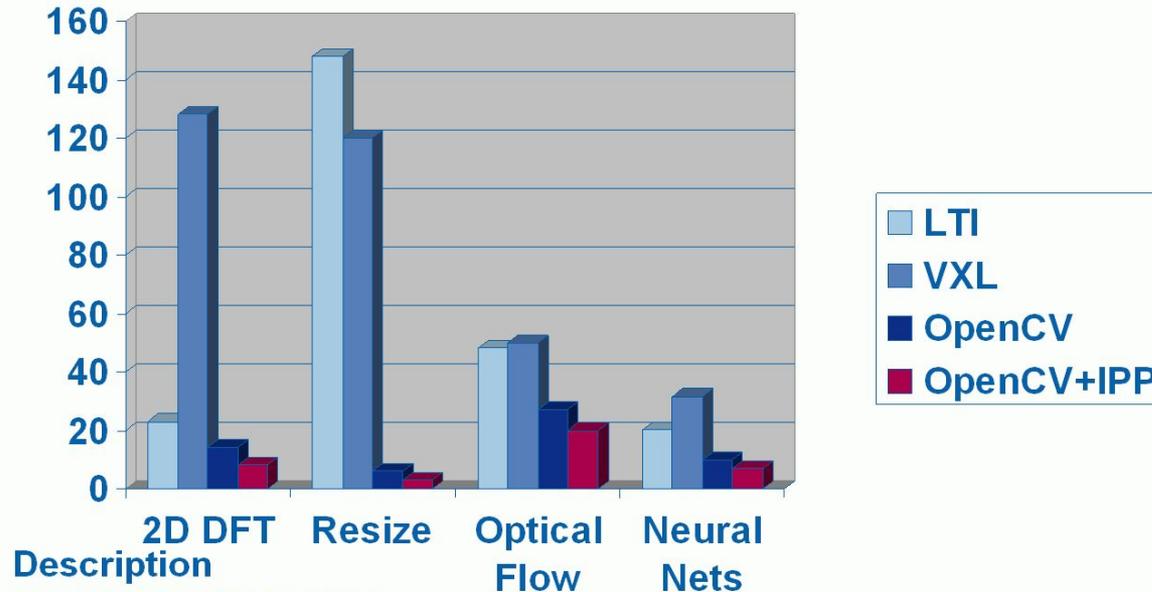
SSE
TBB
GPU
MPU

Operating system



OpenCV Tends Towards Real Time

Comparison with other libs: Performance



Test station: Pentium M, 1.7GHz

Libraries: OpenCV 1.0pre, IPP 5.0, LTI 1.9.14, VXL 1.4.0

2D DFT: Forward Fourier Transform of 512x512 image

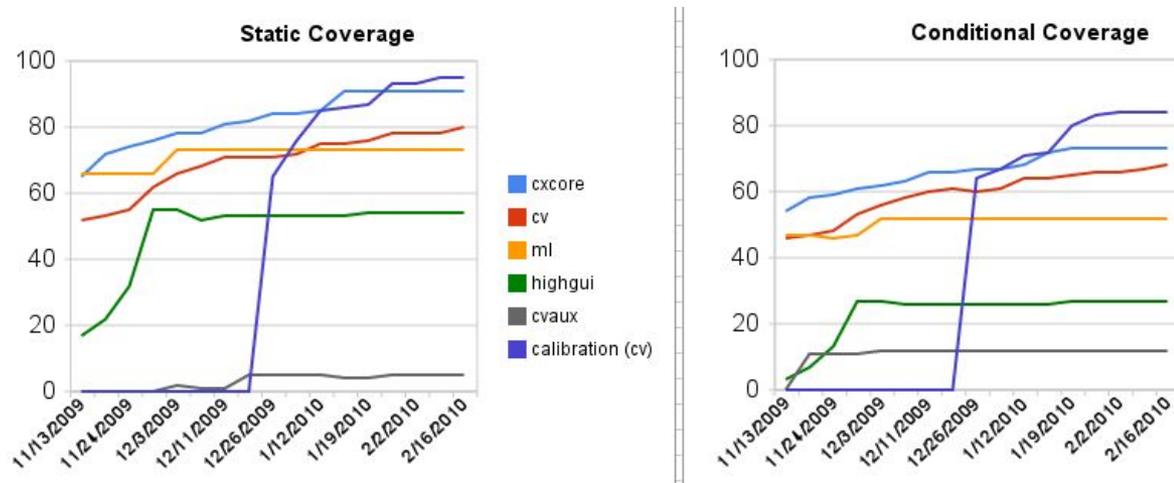
Resize: 512x512->384x384 bilinear interpolation, 8-bit 3-channel image

Optical flow: 520 points tracked with 41x41 window, 4 pyramid levels.

Neural Net: mushroom benchmark from FANN

Software Engineering

- Works on:
 - Linux, Windows, Mac OS
- Languages:
 - C++, Python, C
- Online documentation:
 - Online reference manuals: [C++](#), [C](#) and [Python](#).
- We've been expanding Unit test code
- Will soon standardize on cxx or Google's test system.
- TEST COVERAGE:



License

- Based on BSD license
- Free for commercial or research use
 - In whole or in part
 - Does not force your code to be open
 - You need not contribute back
 - We hope you will contribute back, recent contribution, C++ wrapper class used for Google Street Maps*

* Thanks to Daniel Filip

What's added in December 2010 OpenCV 2.2?

- Detector/Descriptor pipeline (Features2D)
 - Many supporting detectors and descriptor features
- Easy interface to Pascal VOC
- BOW and Latent SVM classification engines
- Experimental User Contrib
- Focus detector?
- Visualization (“HighGUI”) will be based on Qt
- Official support of Android OS
- Updated FLANN library
- Limited Cuda support (stereo)

What's in Progress?

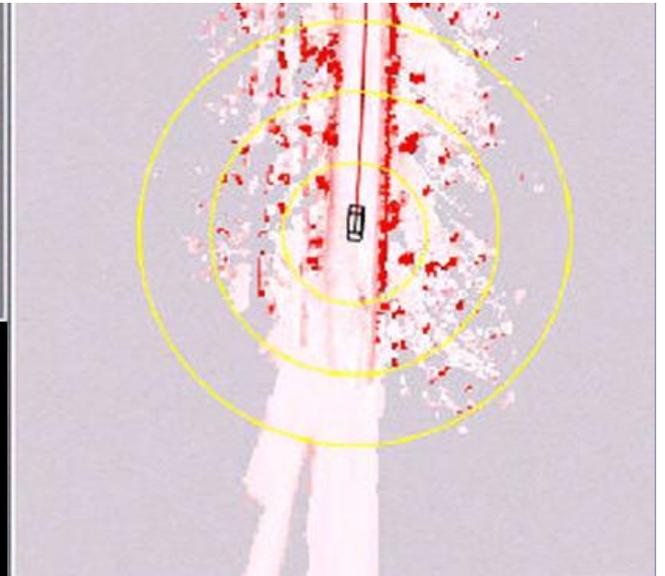
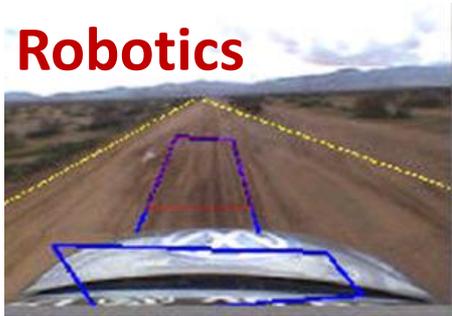
- GPU support throughout the library
- More functionality in features2d
- Better pose estimation algorithms
 - ePnP
 - Stereo pose estimation
- Circles pattern detector
- Better support of Android
- Support for google test

Where is OpenCV Used?

- Google Maps, Google street view, Google Earth, Books
- Academic and Industry Research
- Safety monitoring (Dam sites, mines, swimming pools)
- Security systems
- Image retrieval
- Video search
- Structure from motion in movies
- Machine vision factory production inspection systems
- **Robotics**



• *Well over 2M downloads*



Useful OpenCV Links

OpenCV Wiki:

<http://opencv.willowgarage.com/wiki>

User Group (39717 members):

<http://tech.groups.yahoo.com/group/OpenCV/join>

OpenCV Code Repository:

svn co <https://code.ros.org/svn/opencv/trunk/opencv>

New Book on OpenCV:

<http://oreilly.com/catalog/9780596516130/>

Or, direct from Amazon:

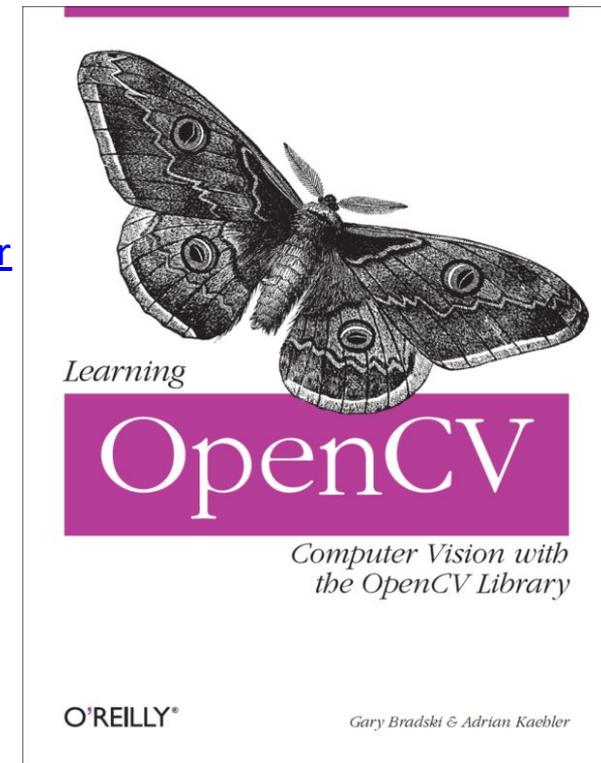
<http://www.amazon.com/Learning-OpenCV-Computer-Vision-Library/dp/0596516134>

Code examples from the book:

<http://examples.oreilly.com/9780596516130/>

Documentation

<http://opencv.willowgarage.com/documentation/index.html>



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Main Structures

Key OpenCV Classes

<code>Point_</code>	Template 2D point class
<code>Point3_</code>	Template 3D point class
<code>Size_</code>	Template size (width, height) class
<code>Vec</code>	Template short vector class
<code>Scalar</code>	4-element vector
<code>Rect</code>	Rectangle
<code>Range</code>	Integer value range
<code>Mat</code>	2D dense array (used as both a matrix or an image)
<code>MatND</code>	Multi-dimensional dense array
<code>SparseMat</code>	Multi-dimensional sparse array
<code>Ptr</code>	Template smart pointer class

New “Image”: cv::Mat

Matrix Basics

Create a matrix

```
Mat image(240, 320, CV_8UC3);
```

[Re]allocate a pre-declared matrix

```
image.create(480, 640, CV_8UC3);
```

Create a matrix initialized with a constant

```
Mat A33(3, 3, CV_32F, Scalar(5));
```

```
Mat B33(3, 3, CV_32F); B33 = Scalar(5);
```

```
Mat C33 = Mat::ones(3, 3, CV_32F)*5.;
```

```
Mat D33 = Mat::zeros(3, 3, CV_32F) + 5.;
```

Create a matrix initialized with specified values

```
double a = CV_PI/3;
```

```
Mat A22 = (Mat_<float>(2, 2) <<
```

```
    cos(a), -sin(a), sin(a), cos(a));
```

```
float B22data[] = {cos(a), -sin(a), sin(a), cos(a)};
```

```
Mat B22 = Mat(2, 2, CV_32F, B22data).clone();
```

Initialize a random matrix

```
randu(image, Scalar(0), Scalar(256)); // uniform dist
```

```
randn(image, Scalar(128), Scalar(10)); // Gaussian dist
```

Convert matrix to/from other structures

(without copying the data)

```
Mat image_alias = image;
```

```
float* Idata=new float[480*640*3];
```

```
Mat I(480, 640, CV_32FC3, Idata);
```

```
vector<Point> iptvec(10);
```

```
Mat iP(iptvec); // iP - 10x1 CV_32SC2 matrix
```

```
IplImage* oldC0 = cvCreateImage(cvSize(320,240),16,1);
```

```
Mat newC = cvarrToMat(oldC0);
```

```
IplImage oldC1 = newC; CvMat oldC2 = newC;
```

... (with copying the data)

```
Mat newC2 = cvarrToMat(oldC0).clone();
```

```
vector<Point2f> ptvec = Mat_<Point2f>(iP);
```

Access matrix elements

```
A33.at<float>(i,j) = A33.at<float>(j,i)+1;
```

```
Mat dyImage(image.size(), image.type());
```

```
for(int y = 1; y < image.rows-1; y++) {
```

```
    Vec3b* prevRow = image.ptr<Vec3b>(y-1);
```

```
    Vec3b* nextRow = image.ptr<Vec3b>(y+1);
```

```
    for(int x = 0; x < image.cols; x++)
```

```
        for(int c = 0; c < 3; c++)
```

```
            dyImage.at<Vec3b>(y,x)[c] =
```

```
                saturate_cast<uchar>(
```

```
                    nextRow[x][c] - prevRow[x][c]);
```

```
}
```

```
Mat_<Vec3b>::iterator it = image.begin<Vec3b>(),
```

```
    itEnd = image.end<Vec3b>();
```

```
for(; it != itEnd; ++it)
```

```
    (*it)[1] ^= 255;
```

Mat does reference counting, so it does the right thing when it goes out of scope you can also easily make stl vectorts or maps out of Mat.

Mat are Simple

```
Mat M(480,640,CV_8UC3); // Make a 640x480 img
Rect roi(100,200, 20,40); // Make a region of int
Mat subM = M(roi); // Take a sub region,
// no copy is done
```

```
Mat_<Vec3b>::iterator it= subM.begin<Vec3b>(),
                    itEnd = subM.end<Vec3b>();
//0 out places in subM where blue > red
for(; it != itEnd; ++it)
    if( (*it)[0] > (*it)[2]) (*it)[0] = 0;
```

Matrix Manipulation

<code>src.copyTo(dst)</code>	Copy matrix to another one
<code>src.convertTo(dst,type,scale,shift)</code>	Scale and convert to another datatype
<code>m.clone()</code>	Make deep copy of a matrix
<code>m.reshape(nch,nrows)</code>	Change matrix dimensions and/or number of channels without copying data
<code>m.row(i), m.col(i)</code>	Take a matrix row/column
<code>m.rowRange(Range(i1,i2))</code>	Take a matrix row/column span
<code>m.colRange(Range(j1,j2))</code>	
<code>m.diag(i)</code>	Take a matrix diagonal
<code>m(Range(i1,i2),Range(j1,j2))</code>	Take a submatrix
<code>m(roi)</code>	
<code>m.repeat(ny,nx)</code>	Make a bigger matrix from a smaller one
<code>flip(src,dst,dir)</code>	Reverse the order of matrix rows and/or columns
<code>split(...)</code>	Split multi-channel matrix into separate channels
<code>merge(...)</code>	Make a multi-channel matrix out of the separate channels
<code>mixChannels(...)</code>	Generalized form of <code>split()</code> and <code>merge()</code>
<code>randShuffle(...)</code>	Randomly shuffle matrix elements

Example 1. Smooth image ROI in-place

```
Mat imgroi = image(Rect(10, 20, 100, 100));  
GaussianBlur(imgroi, imgroi, Size(5, 5), 1.2, 1.2);
```

Example 2. Somewhere in a linear algebra algorithm

```
m.row(i) += m.row(j)*alpha;
```

Example 3. Copy image ROI to another image with conversion

```
Rect r(1, 1, 10, 20);  
Mat dstroi = dst(Rect(0,10,r.width,r.height));  
src(r).convertTo(dstroi, dstroi.type(), 1, 0);
```

Simple Matrix Operations

- `add()`, `subtract()`, `multiply()`, `divide()`, `absdiff()`, `bitwise_and()`, `bitwise_or()`, `bitwise_xor()`, `max()`, `min()`, `compare()`

– correspondingly, addition, subtraction, element-wise multiplication ... comparison of two matrices or a matrix and a scalar.

Example. `Alpha compositing` function:

```
void alphaCompose(const Mat& rgba1,
                 const Mat& rgba2, Mat& rgba_dest)
{
    Mat a1(rgba1.size(), rgba1.type()), ra1;
    Mat a2(rgba2.size(), rgba2.type());
    int mixch[]={3, 0, 3, 1, 3, 2, 3, 3};
    mixChannels(&rgba1, 1, &a1, 1, mixch, 4);
    mixChannels(&rgba2, 1, &a2, 1, mixch, 4);
    subtract(Scalar::all(255), a1, ra1);
    bitwise_or(a1, Scalar(0,0,0,255), a1);
    bitwise_or(a2, Scalar(0,0,0,255), a2);
    multiply(a2, ra1, a2, 1./255);
    multiply(a1, rgba1, a1, 1./255);
    multiply(a2, rgba2, a2, 1./255);
    add(a1, a2, rgba_dest);
}
```

- `sum()`, `mean()`, `meanStdDev()`, `norm()`, `countNonZero()`, `minMaxLoc()`,
– various statistics of matrix elements.
- `exp()`, `log()`, `pow()`, `sqrt()`, `cartToPolar()`, `polarToCart()`
– the classical math functions.
- `scaleAdd()`, `transpose()`, `gemm()`, `invert()`, `solve()`, `determinant()`, `trace()` `eigen()`, `SVD`,
– the algebraic functions + SVD class.
- `dft()`, `idft()`, `dct()`, `idct()`,
– discrete Fourier and cosine transformations

For some operations a more convenient `algebraic notation` can be used, for example:

```
Mat delta = (J.t()*J + lambda*
             Mat::eye(J.cols, J.cols, J.type()))
             .inv(CV_SVD)*(J.t()*err);
```

implements the core of Levenberg-Marquardt optimization algorithm.

Simple Image Processing

<code>filter2D()</code>	Non-separable linear filter
<code>sepFilter2D()</code>	Separable linear filter
<code>boxFilter()</code> , <code>GaussianBlur()</code> , <code>medianBlur()</code> , <code>bilateralFilter()</code>	Smooth the image with one of the linear or non-linear filters
<code>Sobel()</code> , <code>Scharr()</code>	Compute the spatial image derivatives
<code>Laplacian()</code>	compute Laplacian: $\Delta I = \frac{\partial^2 I}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 I}{\partial y^2}$
<code>erode()</code> , <code>dilate()</code>	Erode or dilate the image

Example. Filter image in-place with a 3x3 high-pass kernel

(preserve negative responses by shifting the result by 128):

```
filter2D(image, image, image.depth(), (Mat_<float>(3,3)<<
    -1, -1, -1, -1, 9, -1, -1, -1, -1), Point(1,1), 128);
```

Image Conversions

<code>resize()</code>	Resize image
<code>getRectSubPix()</code>	Extract an image patch
<code>warpAffine()</code>	Warp image affinely
<code>warpPerspective()</code>	Warp image perspectively
<code>remap()</code>	Generic image warping
<code>convertMaps()</code>	Optimize maps for a faster <code>remap()</code> execution

Example. Decimate image by factor of $\sqrt{2}$:

```
Mat dst; resize(src, dst, Size(), 1./sqrt(2), 1./sqrt(2))
```

<code>cvtColor()</code>	Convert image from one color space to another
<code>threshold()</code> , <code>adaptivethreshold()</code>	Convert grayscale image to binary image using a fixed or a variable threshold
<code>floodFill()</code>	Find a connected component using region growing algorithm
<code>integral()</code>	Compute integral image
<code>distanceTransform()</code>	build distance map or discrete Voronoi diagram for a binary image.
<code>watershed()</code> , <code>grabCut()</code>	marker-based image segmentation algorithms. See the samples <code>watershed.cpp</code> and <code>grabcut.cpp</code> .

Histogram

Histograms

<code>calcHist()</code>	Compute image(s) histogram
<code>calcBackProject()</code>	Back-project the histogram
<code>equalizeHist()</code>	Normalize image brightness and contrast
<code>compareHist()</code>	Compare two histograms

Example. Compute Hue-Saturation histogram of an image:

```
Mat hsv, H; MatND tempH;
cvtColor(image, hsv, CV_BGR2HSV);
int planes[] = {0, 1}, hsize[] = {32, 32};
calcHist(&hsv, 1, planes, Mat(), tempH, 2, hsize, 0);
H = tempH;
```

I/O

Writing and reading raster images

```
imwrite("myimage.jpg", image);  
Mat image_color_copy = imread("myimage.jpg", 1);  
Mat image_grayscale_copy = imread("myimage.jpg", 0);
```

The functions can read/write images in the following formats: BMP (.bmp), JPEG (.jpg, .jpeg), TIFF (.tif, .tiff), PNG (.png), PBM/PGM/PPM (.p?m), Sun Raster (.sr), JPEG 2000 (.jp2). Every format supports 8-bit, 1- or 3-channel images. Some formats (PNG, JPEG 2000) support 16 bits per channel.

Reading video from a file or from a camera

```
VideoCapture cap;  
if(argc > 1) cap.open(string(argv[1])); else cap.open(0);  
Mat frame; namedWindow("video", 1);  
for(;;) {  
    cap >> frame; if(!frame.data) break;  
    imshow("video", frame); if(waitKey(30) >= 0) break;  
}
```

Serialization I/O

Data I/O

XML/YAML storages are collections (possibly nested) of scalar values, structures and heterogeneous lists.

Writing data to YAML (or XML)

```
// Type of the file is determined from the extension
FileStorage fs("test.yml", FileStorage::WRITE);
fs << "i" << 5 << "r" << 3.1 << "str" << "ABCDEFGH";
fs << "mtx" << Mat::eye(3,3,CV_32F);
fs << "mylist" << "[" << CV_PI << "1+1" <<
    "{" << "month" << 12 << "day" << 31 << "year"
    << 1969 << "}" << "]";
fs << "mystruct" << "{" << "x" << 1 << "y" << 2 <<
    "width" << 100 << "height" << 200 << "lbp" << "[:";
const uchar arr[] = {0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1};
fs.writeRaw("u", arr, (int)(sizeof(arr)/sizeof(arr[0])));
fs << "]" << "}";
```

Scalars (integers, floating-point numbers, text strings), matrices, STL vectors of scalars and some other types can be written to the file storages using << operator

Serialization I/O

Reading the data back

```
;// Type of the file is determined from the content
FileStorage fs("test.yml", FileStorage::READ);
int i1 = (int)fs["i"]; double r1 = (double)fs["r"];
string str1 = (string)fs["str"];
Mat M; fs["mtx"] >> M;
FileNode tl = fs["mylist"];
CV_Assert(tl.type() == FileNode::SEQ && tl.size() == 3);
double tl0 = (double)tl[0]; string tl1 = (string)tl[1];
int m = (int)tl[2]["month"], d = (int)tl[2]["day"];
int year = (int)tl[2]["year"];
FileNode tm = fs["mystruct"];
Rect r; r.x = (int)tm["x"], r.y = (int)tm["y"];
r.width = (int)tm["width"], r.height = (int)tm["height"];
int lbp_val = 0;
FileNodeIterator it = tm["lbp"].begin();
for(int k = 0; k < 8; k++, ++it)
    lbp_val |= ((int)*it) << k;
```

Scalars are read using the corresponding FileNode's cast operators. Matrices and some other types are read using >> operator. Lists can be read using FileNodeIterator's.

GUI (“HighGUI”)

`namedWindow(winname, flags)` Create named highgui window
`destroyWindow(winname)` Destroy the specified window
`imshow(winname, mtx)` Show image in the window
`waitKey(delay)` Wait for a key press during the specified time interval (or forever). Process events while waiting. *Do not forget to call this function several times a second in your code.*
`createTrackbar(...)` Add trackbar (slider) to the specified window
`setMouseCallback(...)` Set the callback on mouse clicks and movements in the specified window

See `camshiftdemo.c` and other [OpenCV samples](#) on how to use the GUI functions.

Camera Calibration, Pose, Stereo

<code>calibrateCamera()</code>	Calibrate camera from several views of a calibration pattern.
<code>findChessboardCorners()</code>	Find feature points on the checkerboard calibration pattern.
<code>solvePnP()</code>	Find the object pose from the known projections of its feature points.
<code>stereoCalibrate()</code>	Calibrate stereo camera.
<code>stereoRectify()</code>	Compute the rectification transforms for a calibrated stereo camera.
<code>initUndistortRectifyMap()</code>	Compute rectification map (for <code>remap()</code>) for each stereo camera head.
<code>StereoBM, StereoSGBM</code>	The stereo correspondence engines to be run on rectified stereo pairs.
<code>reprojectImageTo3D()</code>	Convert disparity map to 3D point cloud.
<code>findHomography()</code>	Find best-fit perspective transformation between two 2D point sets.

To calibrate a camera, you can use `calibration.cpp` or `stereo_calib.cpp` samples. To get the disparity maps and the point clouds, use `stereo_match.cpp` sample.

Object Recognition

`matchTemplate`

Compute proximity map for given template.

`CascadeClassifier`

Viola's Cascade of Boosted classifiers using Haar or LBP features. Suits for detecting faces, facial features and some other objects without diverse textures. See `facedetect.cpp`

`HOGDescriptor`

N. Dalal's object detector using Histogram-of-Oriented-Gradients (HOG) features. Suits for detecting people, cars and other objects with well-defined silhouettes. See `peopledetect.cpp`

samples/c

In ...\\opencv\\samples\\c

`bfgg_codebook.cpp` - Use of a image value codebook for background detection for collecting objects

`bfgg_segm.cpp` - Use of a background learning engine

`blobtrack.cpp` - Engine for blob tracking in images

`calibration.cpp` - Camera Calibration

`camshiftdemo.c` - Use of meanshift in simple color tracking

`contours.c` - Demonstrates how to compute and use object contours

`convert_cascade.c` - Change the window size in a recognition cascade

`convexhull.c` - Find the convex hull of an object

`delaunay.c` - Triangulate a 2D point cloud

`demhist.c` - Show how to use histograms for recognition

`dft.c` - Discrete fourier transform

`distrans.c` - distance map from edges in an image

`drawing.c` - Various drawing functions

`edge.c` - Edge detection

`facedetect.c` - Face detection by classifier cascade

`ffilldemo.c` - Flood filling demo

`find_obj.cpp` - Demo use of SURF features

`fitellipse.c` - Robust ellipse fitting

`houghlines.c` - Line detection

`image.cpp` - Shows use of new image class, `CvImage()`;

`inpaint.cpp` - Texture infill to repair imagery

`kalman.c` - Kalman filter for trackign

`kmeans.c` - K-Means

`laplace.c` - Convolve image with laplacian.

`letter_recog.cpp` - Example of using machine learning Boosting, Backpropagation (MLP) and Random forests

`lkdemo.c` - Lukas-Canada optical flow

`minarea.c` - For a cloud of points in 2D, find min bounding box and circle.

Shows use of `Cv_SEQ`

`morphology.c` - Demonstrates Erode, Dilate, Open, Close

`motempl.c` - Demonstrates motion templates (orthogonal optical flow given silhouettes)

`mushroom.cpp` - Demonstrates use of decision trees (CART) for recognition

`pyramid_segmentation.c` - Color segmentation in pyramid

`squares.c` - Uses contour processing to find squares in an image

`stereo_calib.cpp` - Stereo calibration, recognition and disparity map computation

`watershed.cpp` - Watershed transform demo.

samples/C++

 build3dmodel.cpp

 calibration.cpp

 connected_components.cpp

 contours2.cpp

 descriptor_extractor_matcher.cpp

 fern_params.xml

 generic_descriptor_match.cpp

 matcher_simple.cpp

 morphology2.cpp

 segment_objects.cpp

 select3dobj.cpp

Samples/python

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- [camshift.py](#)
- [chessboard.py](#)
- [contours.py](#)
- [convexhull.py](#)
- [cv20squares.py](#)
- [cvutils.py](#)
- [delaunay.py](#)
- [demhist.py](#)
- [dft.py](#)
- [distrans.py](#)
- [dmtx.py](#)
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- [numpy_array.py](#)
- [numpy_warhol.py](#)
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ch2_ex2_2.cpp
ch2_ex2_3.cpp
ch2_ex2_4.cpp
ch2_ex2_5.cpp
ch2_ex2_6.cpp
ch2_ex2_7.cpp
ch2_ex2_8.cpp
ch2_ex2_9.cpp
ch2_ex2_10.cpp

Load image from disk
Play video from disk
Add a slider control
Load, smooth and display image
Pyramid down sampling
CvCanny edge detection
Pyramid down and Canny edge
Above program simplified
Play video from camera or file
Read and write video, do Logpolar

ch3_ex3_1.txt
ch3_ex3_2.txt
ch3_ex3_3.cpp
ch3_ex3_4.cpp
ch3_ex3_5.cpp
ch3_ex3_6.txt
ch3_ex3_7.txt
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ch3_ex3_9.cpp
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ch3_ex3_11.cpp
ch3_ex3_12.cpp
ch3_ex3_13.cpp
ch3_ex3_14.cpp
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ch3_ex3_16.txt
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ch3_ex3_19.cpp
ch3_ex3_20.cpp

Matrix structure
Matrix creation and release
Create matrix from data list
Accessing matrix data CV_MAT_ELEM()
Setting matrix CV_MAT_ELEM_PTR()
Pointer access to matrix data
Image and Matrix Element access functions
Setting matrix or image elements
Summing all elements in 3 channel matrix
IplImage Header
Use of widthstep
Use of image ROI
Implementing an ROI using widthstep
Alpha blending example
Saving and loading a CvMat
File storage demo
Writing configuration files as XML
Reading an XML file
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ch4_ex4_1.cpp
ch4_ex4_2.cpp
ch4_ex4_3.cpp

Use a mouse to draw boxes
Use a trackbar as a button
Finding the video codec

ch5_ex5_1.cpp
ch5_ex5_2.cpp
ch5_ex5_3.cpp
ch5_ex5_4.cpp

Using CvSeq
cvThreshold example
Combining image planes
Adaptive thresholding

ch6_ex6_1.cpp
ch6_ex6_2.cpp
ch6_ex6_3.cpp
ch6_ex6_4.cpp
ch6_ex6_5.cpp

cvHoughCircles example
Affine transform
Perspective transform
Log-Polar conversion
2D Fourier Transform

ch7_ex7_1.cpp
ch7_ex7_2.txt
ch7_ex7_3_expanded.cpp
ch7_ex7_4.txt
ch7_ex7_5.cpp
ch7_ex7_5_HistBackProj.cpp

Using histograms
Earth Mover's Distance interface
 Earth Mover's Distance set up
Using Earth Mover's Distance
Template matching /Cross Corr.
 Back projection of histograms

ch8_ex8_1.txt
ch8_ex2.cpp
ch8_ex8_2.cpp
ch8_ex8_3.cpp

CvSeq structure
Contour structure
Finding contours
Drawing contours

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ch9_ex9_1.cpp
ch9_watershed.cpp
ch9_AvgBackground.cpp
ch9_backgroundAVG.cpp
ch9_backgroundDiff.cpp
ch9_ClearStaleCB_Entries.cpp
cv_yuv_codebook.cpp

Sampling from a line in an image
Image segmentation using Watershed transform
 Background model using an average image
 Background averaging using a codebook compared to just an average
 Use the codebook method for doing background differencing
 Refine codebook to eliminate stale entries
Core code used to design OpenCV codebook

ch10_ex10_1.cpp
ch10_ex10_1b_Horn_Schunck.cpp
ch10_ex10_2.cpp
ch10_motempl.cpp

Optical flow using Lucas-Kanade in an image pyramid
 Optical flow based on Horn-Schunck block matching
Kalman filter example code
Using motion templates for segmenting motion.

ch11_ex11_1.cpp
ch11_ex11_1_fromdisk.cpp
ch11_chessboards.txt

Camera calibration using automatic chessboard finding using a camera
 Doing the same, but read from disk
List of included chessboards for calibration from disk example

ch12_ex12_1.cpp
ch12_ex12_2.cpp
ch12_ex12_3.cpp
ch12_ex12_4.cpp
ch12_list.txt

Creating a bird's eye view of a scene using homography
Computing the Fundamental matrix using RANSAC
Stereo calibration, rectification and correspondence
2D robust line fitting
List of included stereo L+R image pair data

ch13_dtree.cpp
ch13_ex13_1.cpp
ch13_ex13_2.cpp
ch13_ex13_3.cpp
ch13_ex13_4.cpp
cvx_defs.cpp

Example of using a decision tree
Using k-means
Creating and training a decision tree
Training using statistical boosting
Face detection using Viola-Jones
Some defines for use with codebook segmentatio

Python Face Detector Node: 1

The Setup



```
#!/usr/bin/python
"""
```

This program is demonstration python ROS Node for face and object detection using haar-like features. The program finds faces in a camera image or video stream and displays a red box around them. Python implementation by: Roman Stanchak, James Bowman

```
"""
```

```
import roslib
roslib.load_manifest('opencv_tests')
import sys
import os
from optparse import OptionParser
import rospy
import sensor_msgs.msg
from cv_bridge import CvBridge
import cv
```

```
# Parameters for haar detection
# From the API:
# The default parameters (scale_factor=2, min_neighbors=3, flags=0) are tuned
# for accurate yet slow object detection. For a faster operation on real video
# images the settings are:
# scale_factor=1.2, min_neighbors=2, flags=CV_HAAR_DO_CANNY_PRUNING,
# min_size=<minimum possible face size
```

```
min_size = (20, 20)
image_scale = 2
haar_scale = 1.2
min_neighbors = 2
haar_flags = 0
```

Python Face Detector Node: 2

The Core



```
if __name__ == '__main__':

    pkgdir = roslib.packages.get_pkg_dir("opencv2")
    haarfile = os.path.join(pkgdir, "opencv/share/opencv/haarcascades/haarcascade_frontalface_alt.xml")

    parser = OptionParser(usage = "usage: %prog [options] [filename|camera_index]")
    parser.add_option("-c", "--cascade", action="store", dest="cascade", type="str", help="Haar cascade file, default %default", default = haarfile)
    (options, args) = parser.parse_args()

    cascade = cv.Load(options.cascade)
    br = CvBridge()

    def detect_and_draw(imgmsg):
        img = br.imgmsg_to_cv(imgmsg, "bgr8")
        # allocate temporary images
        gray = cv.CreateImage((img.width,img.height), 8, 1)
        small_img = cv.CreateImage((cv.Round(img.width / image_scale),
            cv.Round (img.height / image_scale)), 8, 1)

        # convert color input image to grayscale
        cv.CvtColor(img, gray, cv.CV_BGR2GRAY)

        # scale input image for faster processing
        cv.Resize(gray, small_img, cv.CV_INTER_LINEAR)

        cv.EqualizeHist(small_img, small_img)

        if(cascade):
            faces = cv.HaarDetectObjects(small_img, cascade, cv.CreateMemStorage(0),
                haar_scale, min_neighbors, haar_flags, min_size)

            if faces:
                for ((x, y, w, h), n) in faces:
                    # the input to cv.HaarDetectObjects was resized, so scale the
                    # bounding box of each face and convert it to two CvPoints
                    pt1 = (int(x * image_scale), int(y * image_scale))
                    pt2 = (int((x + w) * image_scale), int((y + h) * image_scale))
                    cv.Rectangle(img, pt1, pt2, cv.RGB(255, 0, 0), 3, 8, 0)

            cv.ShowImage("result", img)
            cv.WaitKey(6)

    rospy.init_node('rosfacedetect')
    image_topic = rospy.resolve_name("image")
    rospy.Subscriber(image_topic, sensor_msgs.msg.Image, detect_and_draw)
    rospy.spin()
```

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New C++ API: Usage Example

Focus Detector



C:

```
double calcGradients(const IplImage *src, int aperture_size = 7)
{
    CvSize sz = cvGetSize(src);
    IplImage* img16_x = cvCreateImage( sz, IPL_DEPTH_16S, 1);
    IplImage* img16_y = cvCreateImage( sz, IPL_DEPTH_16S, 1);

    cvSobel( src, img16_x, 1, 0, aperture_size);
    cvSobel( src, img16_y, 0, 1, aperture_size);

    IplImage* imgF_x = cvCreateImage( sz, IPL_DEPTH_32F, 1);
    IplImage* imgF_y = cvCreateImage( sz, IPL_DEPTH_32F, 1);

    cvScale(img16_x, imgF_x);
    cvScale(img16_y, imgF_y);

    IplImage* magnitude = cvCreateImage( sz, IPL_DEPTH_32F, 1);
    cvCartToPolar(imgF_x, imgF_y, magnitude);
    double res = cvSum(magnitude).val[0];

    cvReleaseImage( &magnitude );
    cvReleaseImage(&imgF_x);
    cvReleaseImage(&imgF_y);
    cvReleaseImage(&img16_x);
    cvReleaseImage(&img16_y);

    return res;
}
```

C++:

```
double contrast_measure(const Mat& img)
{
    Mat dx, dy;

    Sobel(img, dx, 1, 0, 3, CV_32F);
    Sobel(img, dy, 0, 1, 3, CV_32F);
    magnitude(dx, dy, dx);

    return sum(dx)[0];
}
```

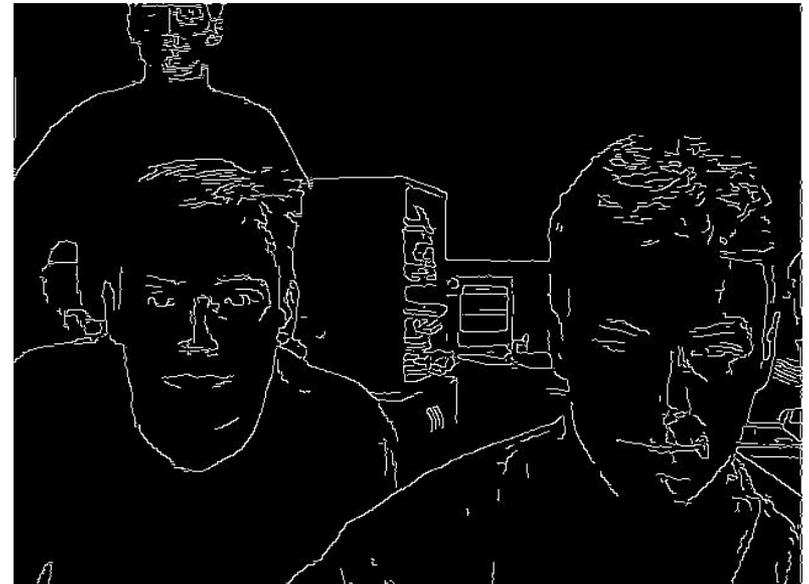
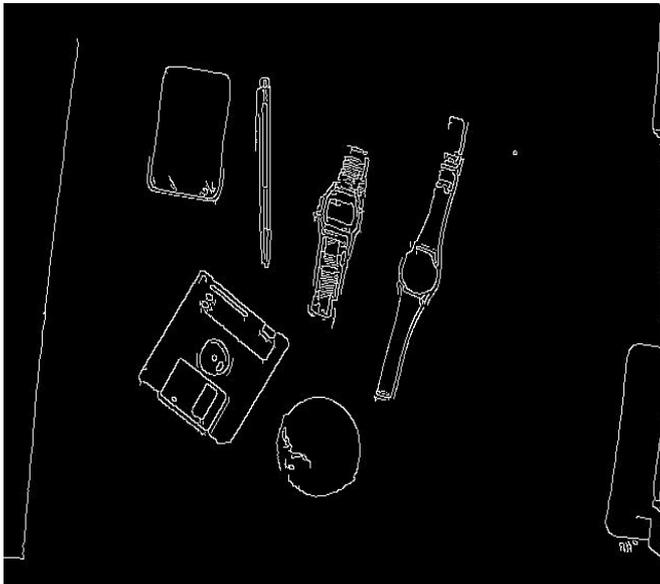
Pyramid

```
/*  
* Make an image pyramid with levels of arbitrary scale reduction (0,1)  
* M Input image  
* reduction Scaling factor  $1 > \text{reduction} > 0$   
* levels How many levels of pyramid  
* pyr std vector containing the pyramid  
* sz The width and height of blurring kernel, DEFAULT 3  
* sigma The standard deviation of the blurring Gaussian DEFAULT 0.5  
* RETURNS Number of levels achieved  
*/  
int buildGaussianPyramid(const Mat &M, double reduction, int levels,  
                        vector<Mat> &pyr, int sz = 3, float sigma = 0.5)  
{  
    if(M.empty()) return 0;  
    pyr.clear(); //Clear it up  
    if((reduction <= 0.0) || (reduction >=1.0)) return 0;  
    Mat Mblur, Mdown = M;  
    pyr.push_back(Mdown);  
    Size ksize = Size(sz,sz);  
    int L=1;  
    for(; L<=levels; ++L)  
    {  
        if((reduction*Mdown.rows) <= 1.0 || (reduction*Mdown.cols) <= 1.0) break;  
        GaussianBlur(Mdown,Mblur, ksize, sigma, sigma);  
        resize(Mblur,Mdown, Size(), reduction, reduction);  
        pyr.push_back(Mdown);  
    }  
    return L;  
}
```

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Canny Edge Detector



Distance Transform

- Distance field from edges of objects



Flood Filling



Original image

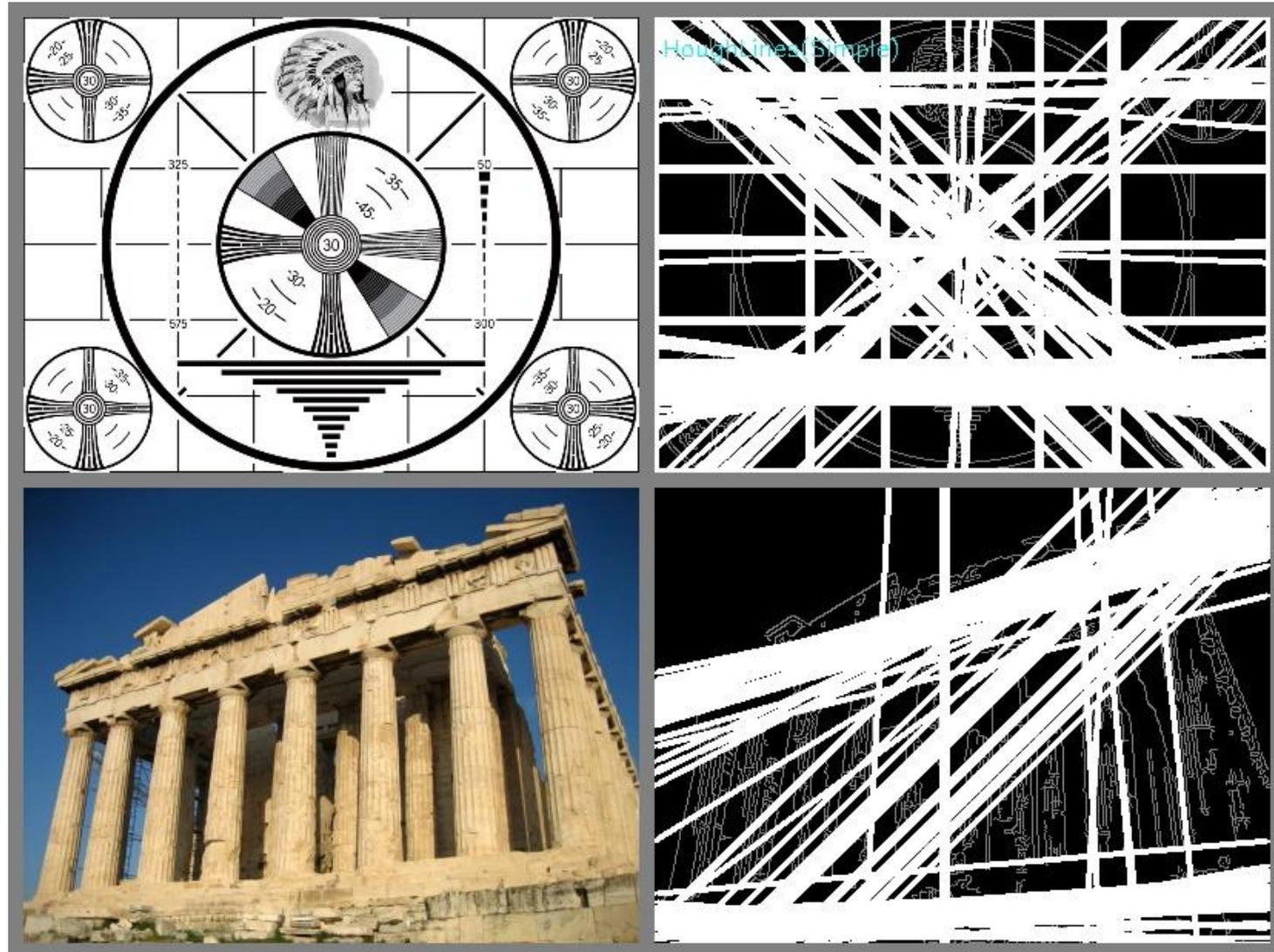


Tolerance interval ± 5



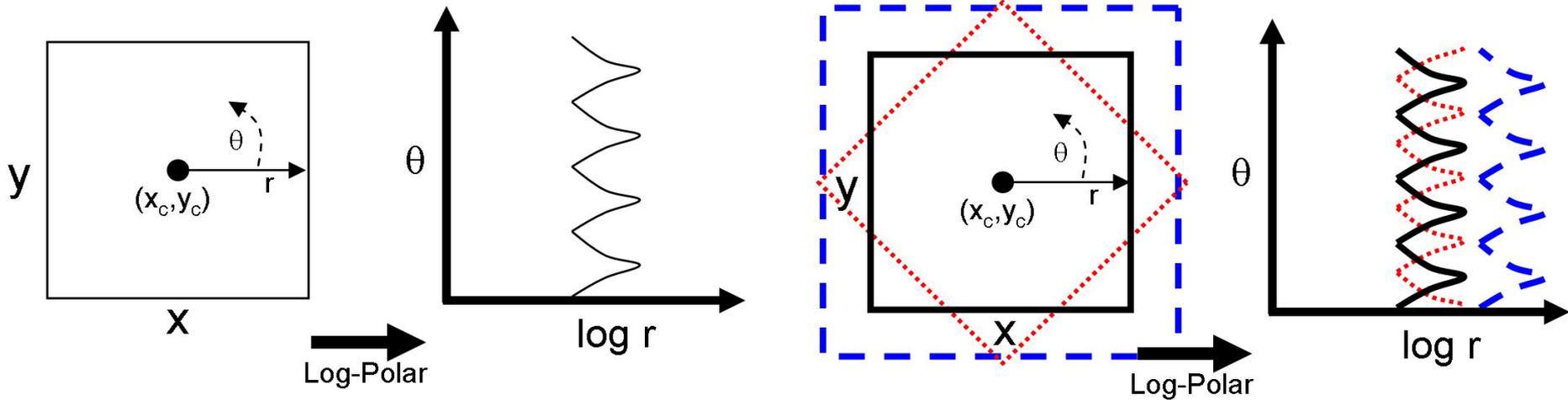
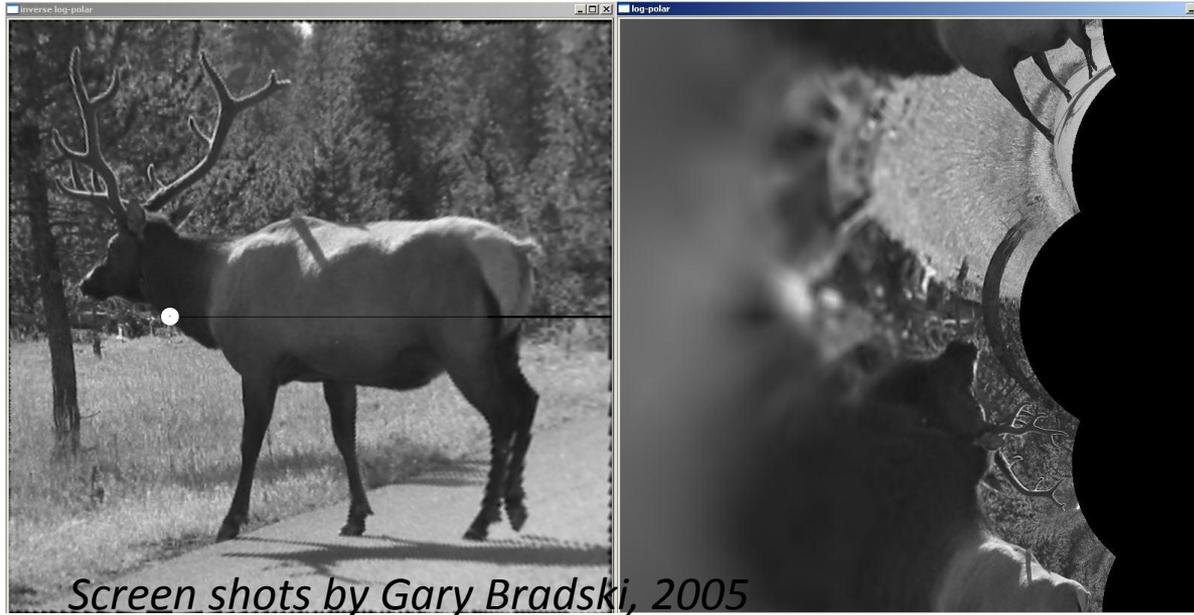
Tolerance interval ± 6

Hough Transform

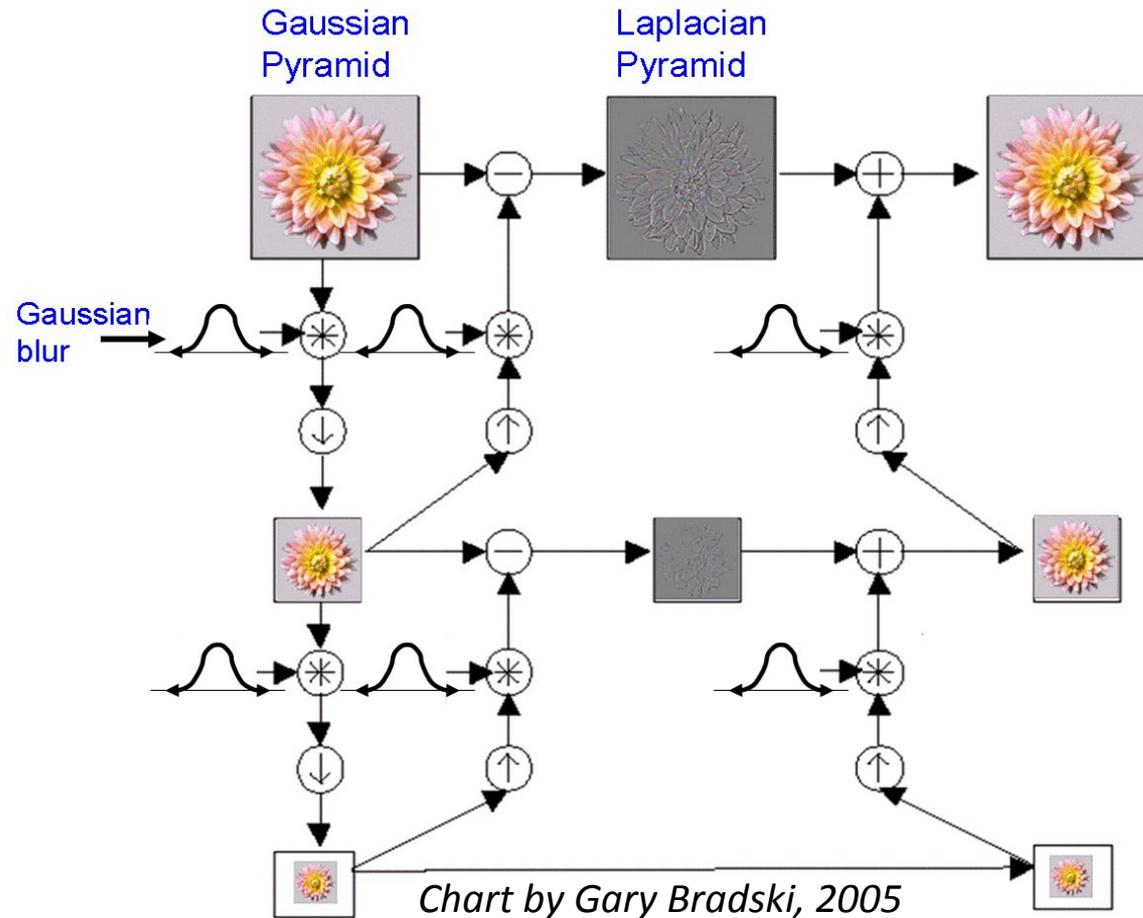


Gary Bradski, Adrian Kahler 2008

Space Variant vision: Log-Polar Transform



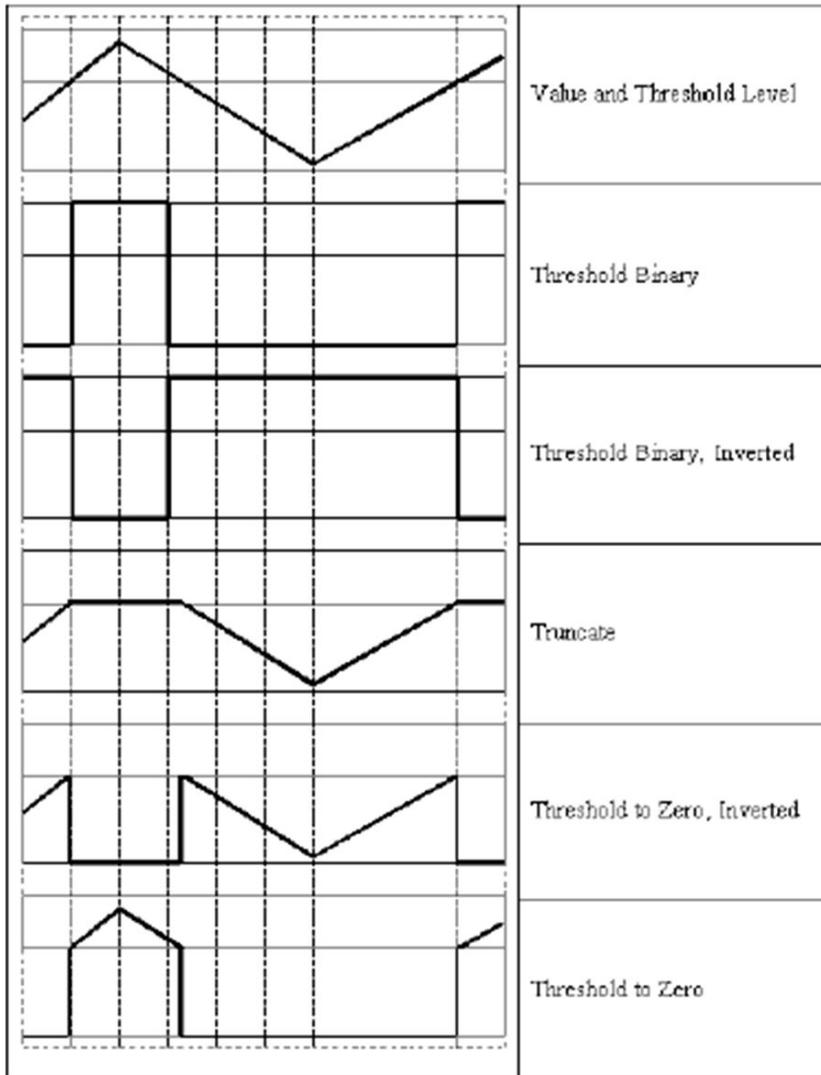
Scale Space



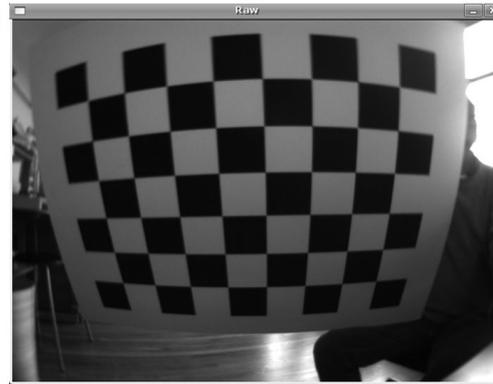
```
void cvPyrDown(
    IplImage* src,
    IplImage* dst,
    IplFilter  filter = IPL_GAUSSIAN_5x5);
```

```
void cvPyrUp(
    IplImage* src,
    IplImage* dst,
    IplFilter  filter = IPL_GAUSSIAN_5x5);
```

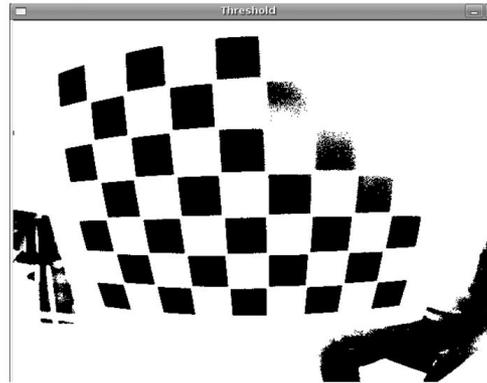
Thresholds



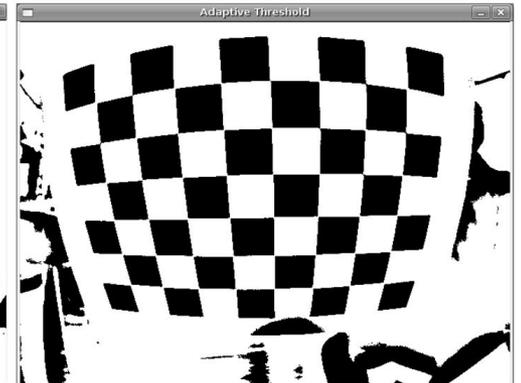
Source Image:



Binary Threshold:



Adaptive Binary Threshold:

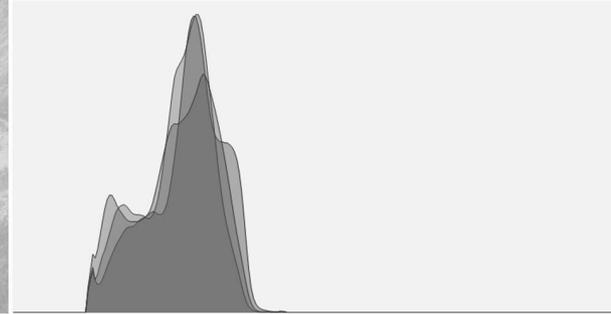


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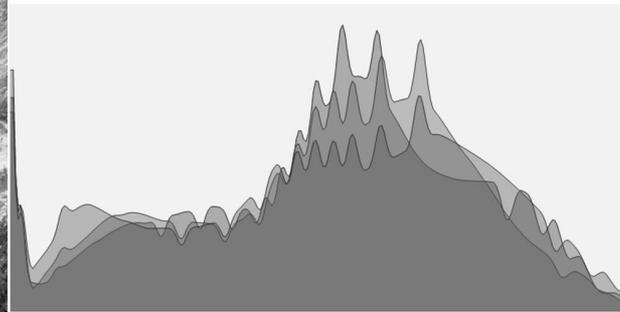
Histogram Equalization



**Low Dynamic Range Image
and its Histogram**

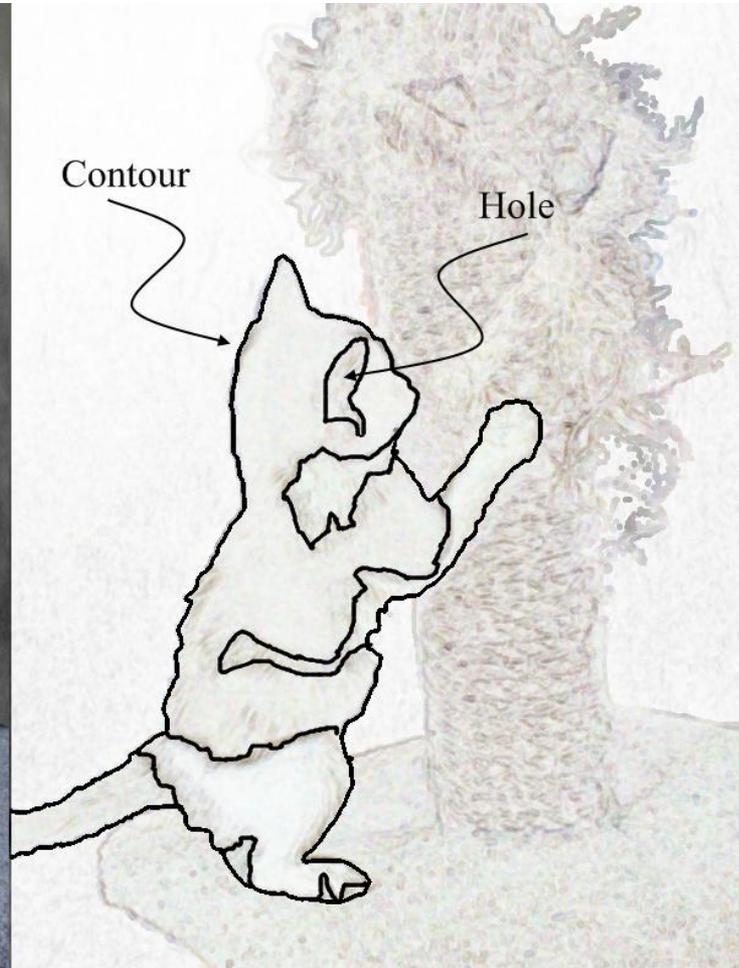


**Histogram Equalized Image
and its Histogram**



Screen shots by Gary Bradski, 2005

Contours



Morphological Operations Examples

- Morphology - applying Min-Max. Filters and its combinations

Image I



Erosion $I \ominus B$



Dilatation $I \oplus B$



Opening $I \circ B = (I \ominus B) \oplus B$



Closing $I \bullet B = (I \oplus B) \ominus B$



Grad(I) = $(I \oplus B) - (I \ominus B)$



TopHat(I) = $I - (I \ominus B)$

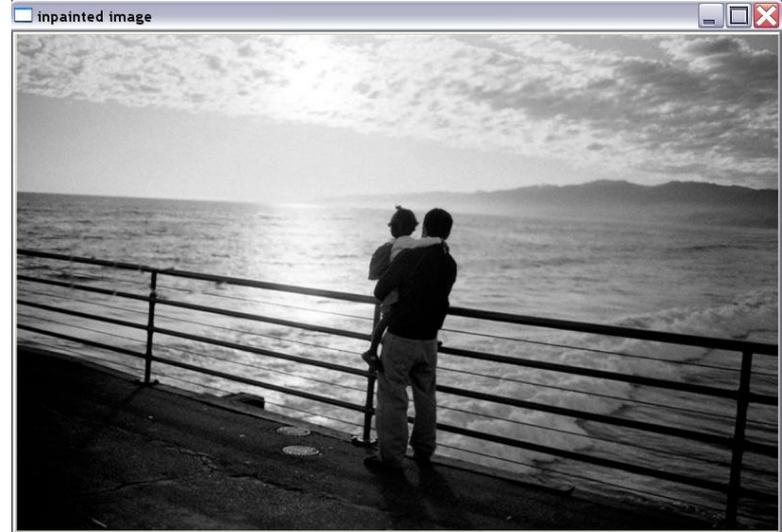
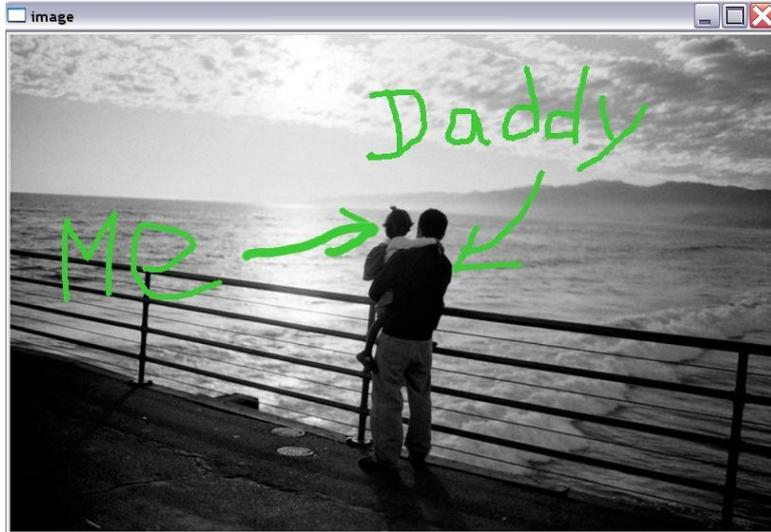


BlackHat(I) = $(I \oplus B) - I$



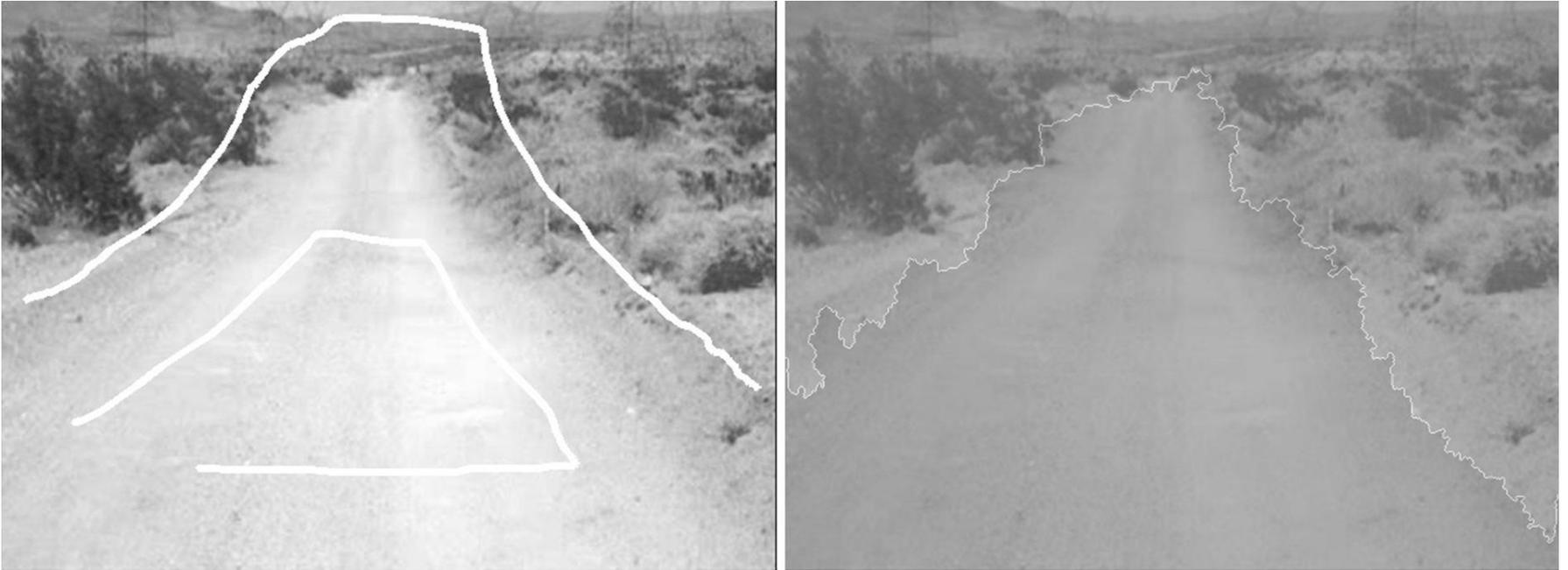
Image textures

- Inpainting:
- Removes damage to images, in this case, it removes the text.



Segmentation

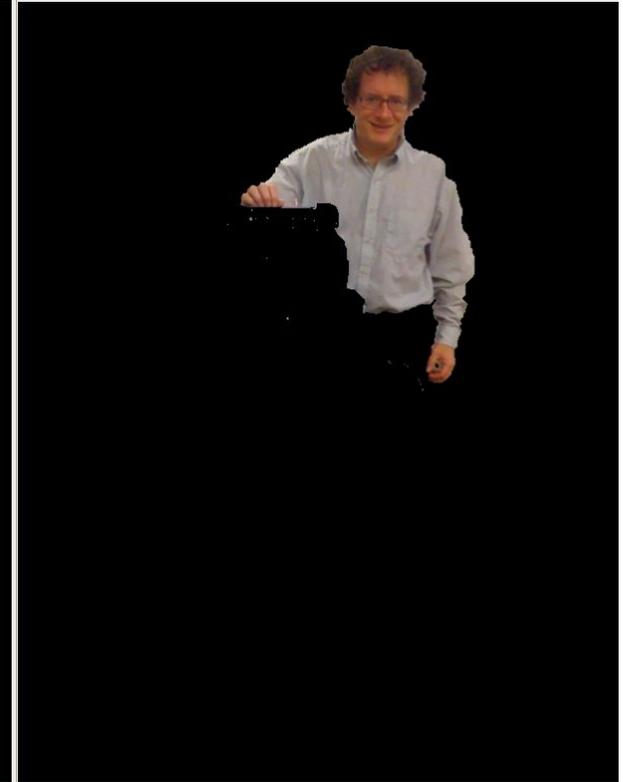
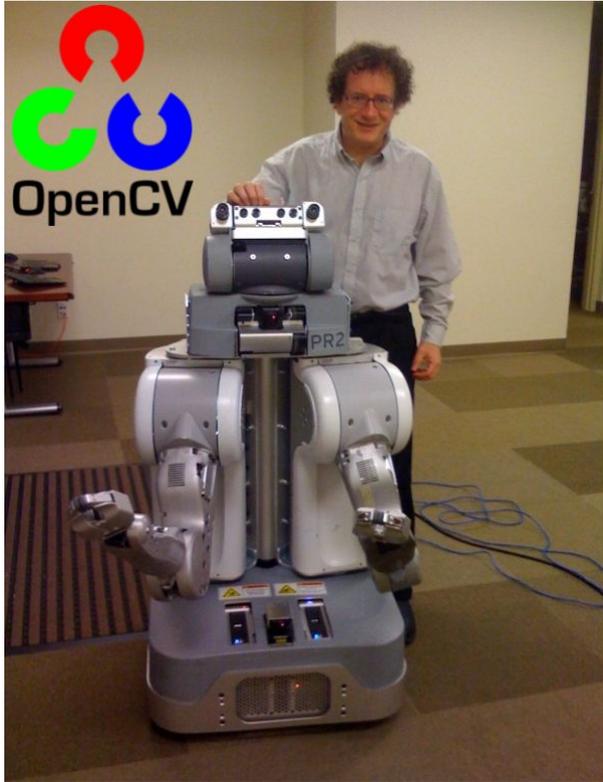
- Pyramid, mean-shift, graph-cut
- Here: Watershed



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Recent Algorithms: GrabCut

- Graph Cut based segmentation



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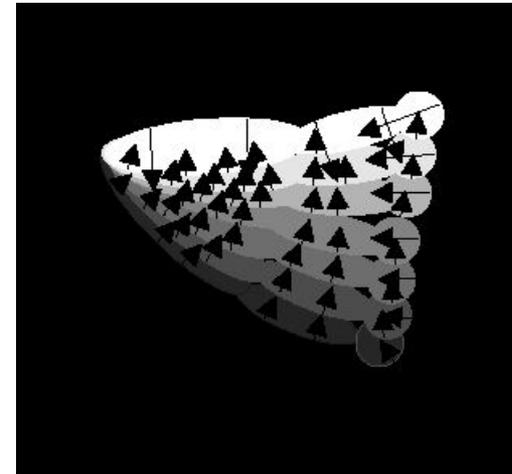
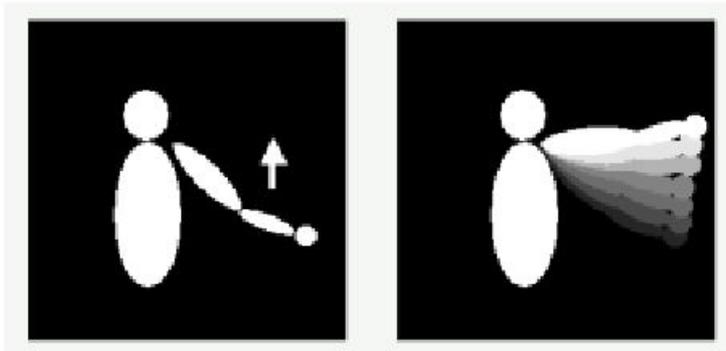
Motion Templates (work with James Davies)

- Object silhouette
- Motion history images
- Motion history gradients
- Motion segmentation algorithm

silhouette

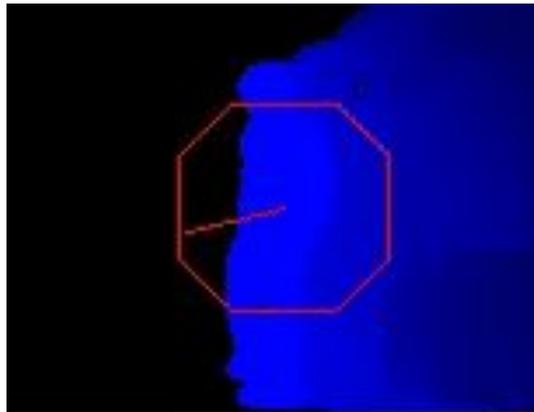
MHI

MHG



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Segmentation, Motion Tracking and Gesture Recognition

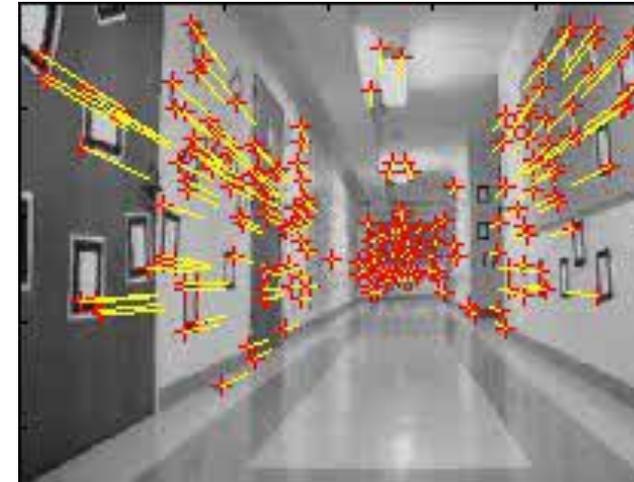


New Optical Flow Algorithms

```
// opencv/samples/c/lkdemo.c
int main(...){
...
CvCapture* capture = <...> ?
    cvCaptureFromCAM(camera_id) :
    cvCaptureFromFile(path);
if( !capture ) return -1;
for(;;) {
    IplImage* frame=cvQueryFrame(capture);
    if(!frame) break;
    // ... copy and process image
    cvCalcOpticalFlowPyrLK( ... )
    cvShowImage( "LkDemo", result );
    c=cvWaitKey(30); // run at ~20-30fps speed
    if(c >= 0) {
        // process key
    }
    cvReleaseCapture(&capture

```

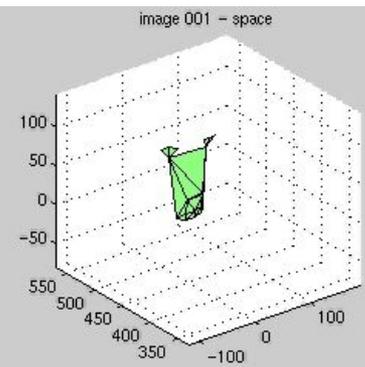
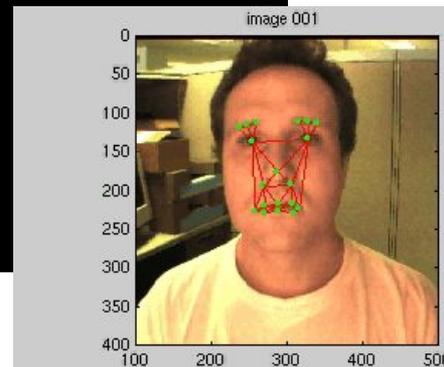
lkdemo.c, 190 lines
(needs camera to run)



$$I(x, y, t + dt) = I(x, y, t) + \partial I / \partial x \cdot (dx / dt) + \partial I / \partial y \cdot (dy / dt);$$

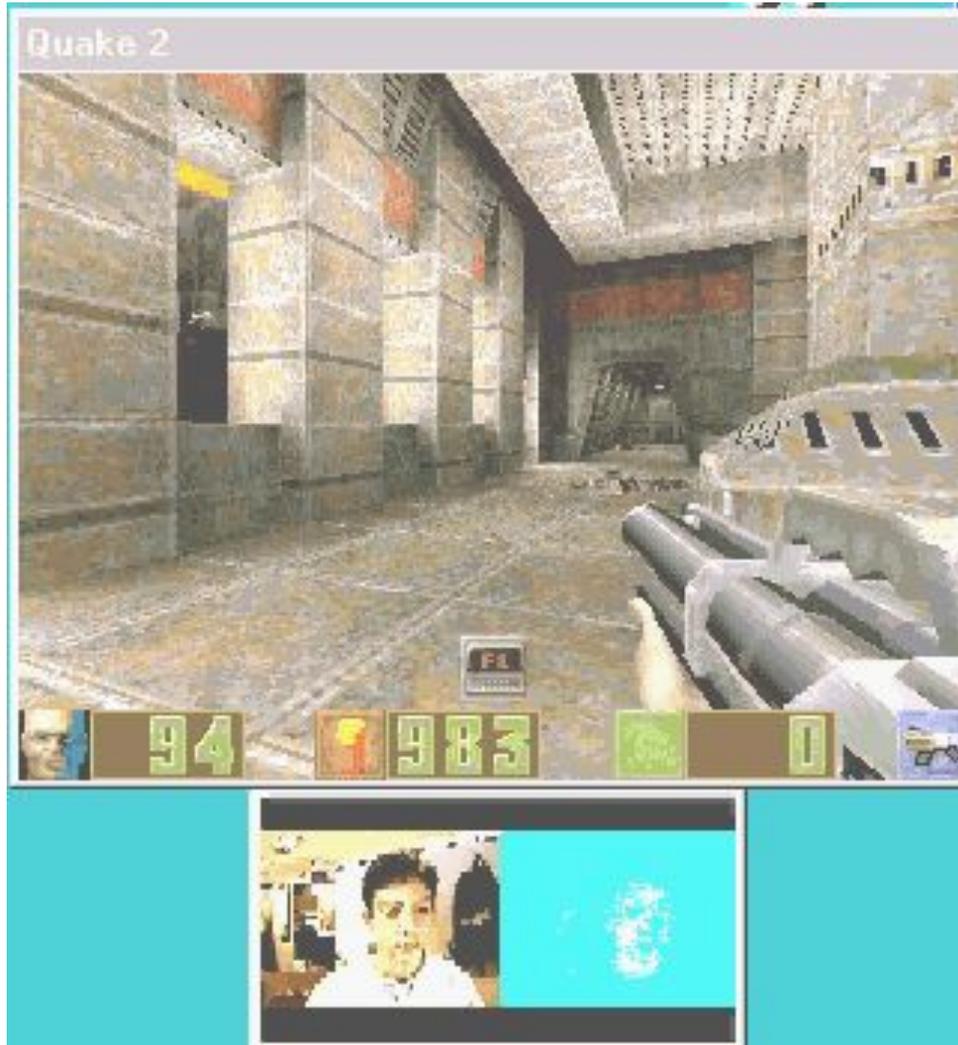
b ,

$$G = \sum \begin{bmatrix} I_x^2 & I_x I_y \\ I_x I_y & I_y^2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b = \sum I_t \begin{bmatrix} I_x \\ I_y \end{bmatrix}$$



Tracking with CAMSHIFT

- Control game with head



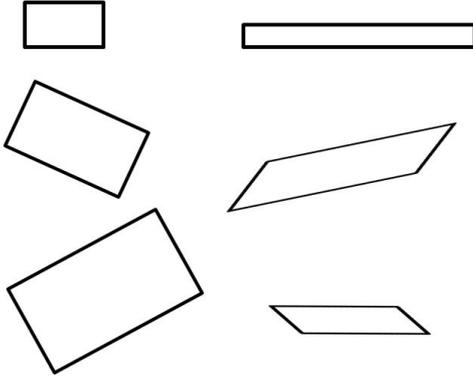
Screen shots by Gary Bradski, 2005

Projections

Affine (2x2)



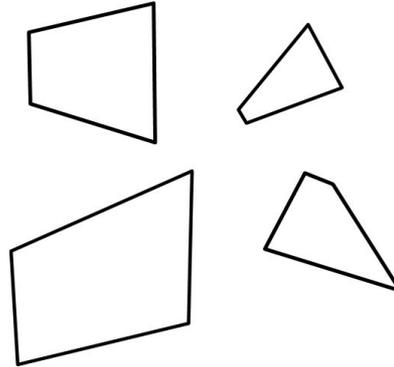
Parallelograms



Perspective (3x3) or "Homography"



Trapazoids
(Includes all of Affine)



Original



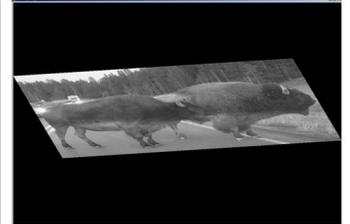
Perspective



Rotation & Scale



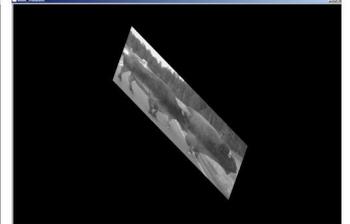
Affine warp



Affine scale



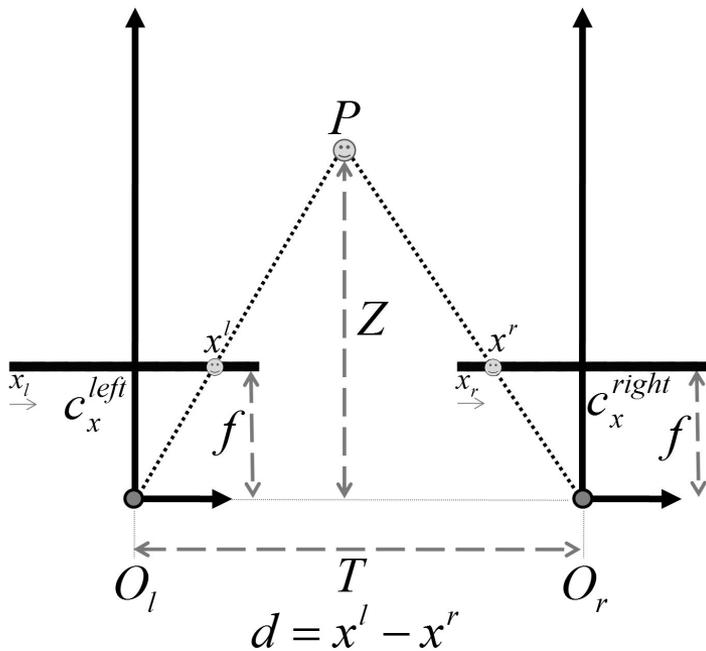
Rotation warp & scale



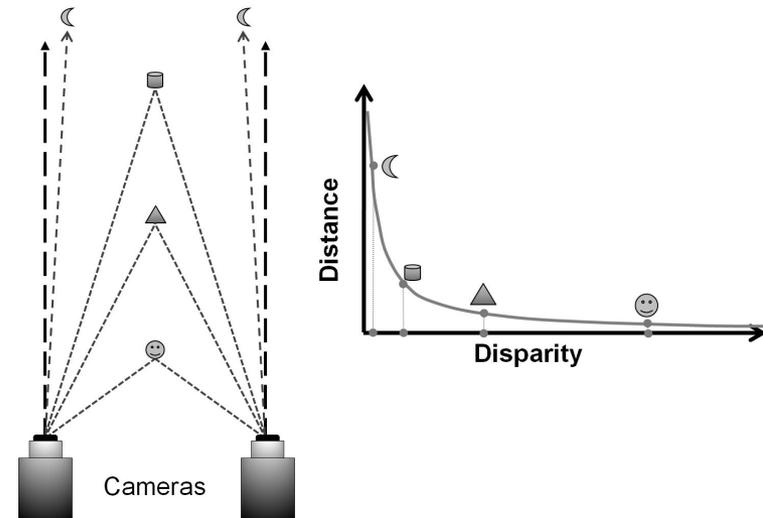
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Stereo ... Depth from Triangulation

- Involved topic, here we will just skim the basic geometry.
- Imagine two perfectly aligned image planes:

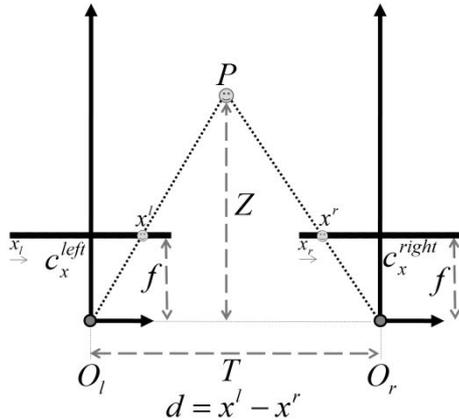


Depth “Z” and disparity “d” are inversely related:



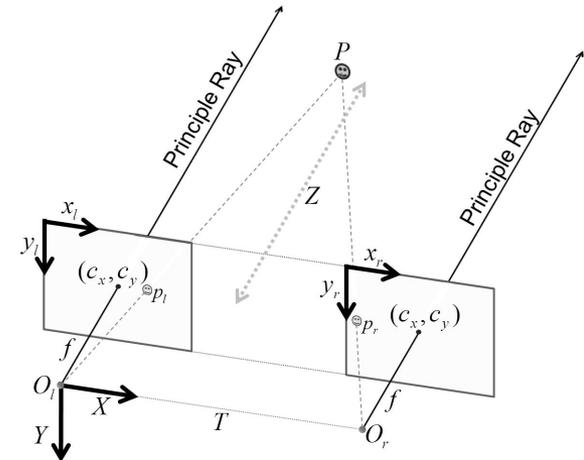
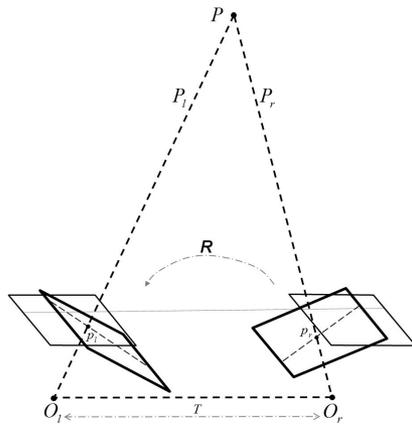
Stereo

- In aligned stereo, depth is from similar triangles:



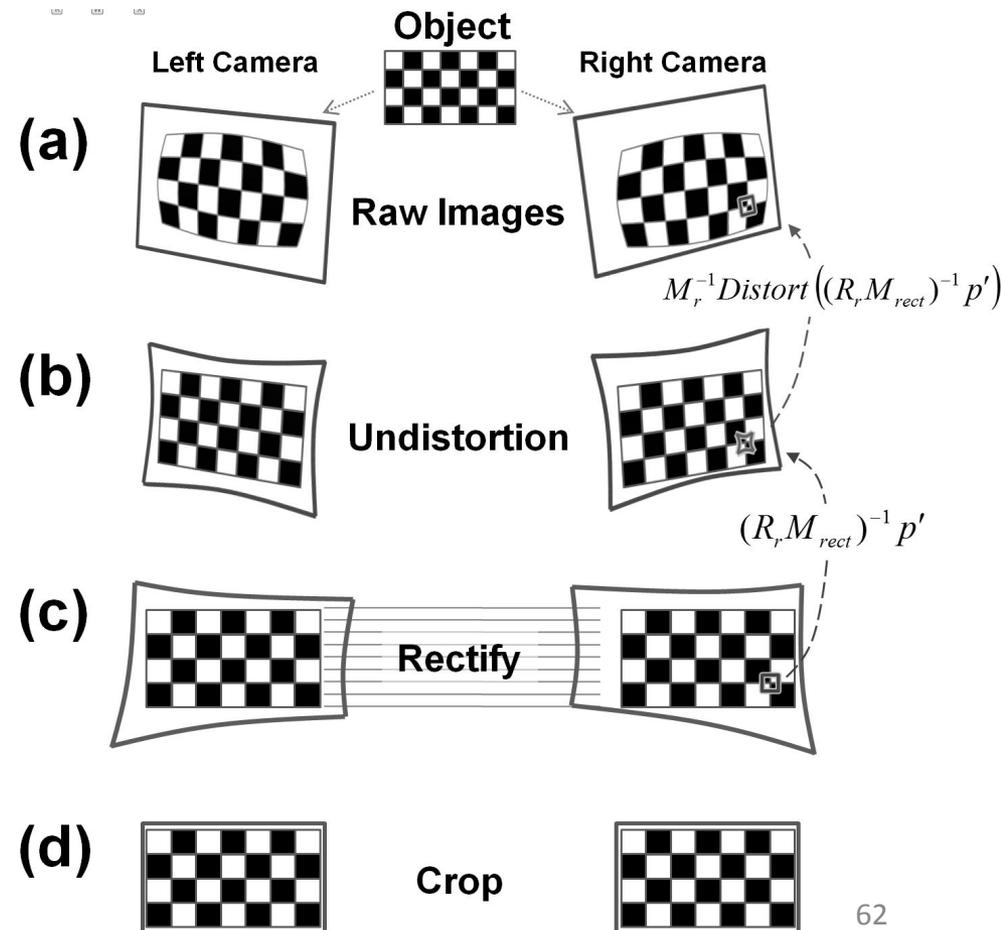
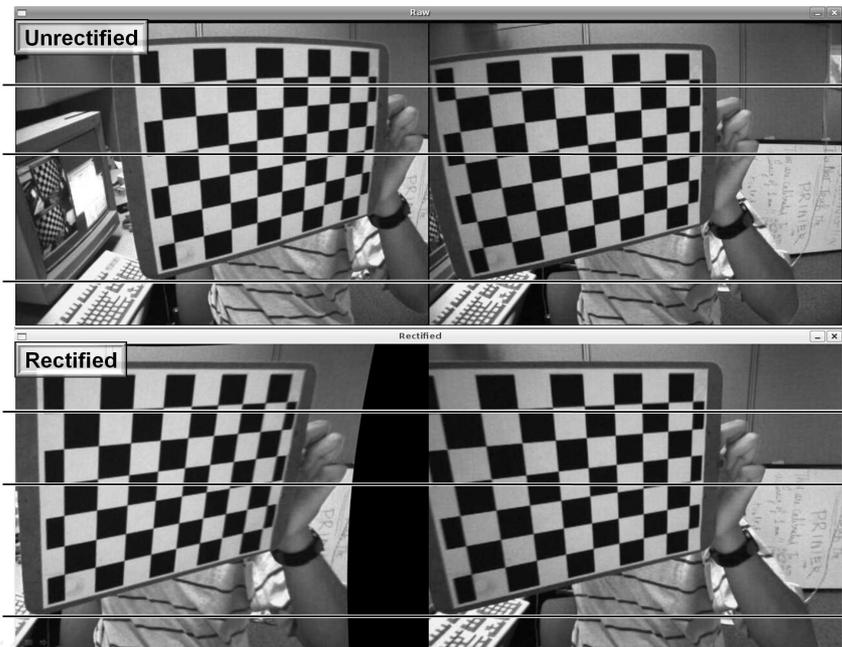
$$\frac{T - (x^l - x^r)}{Z - f} = \frac{T}{Z} \Rightarrow Z = \frac{fT}{x^l - x^r}$$

- Problem: Cameras are almost impossible to align
- Solution: Mathematically align them:



Stereo Rectification

- Algorithm steps are shown at right:
- Goal:
 - Each row of the image contains the same world points
 - “Epipolar constraint”



Outline

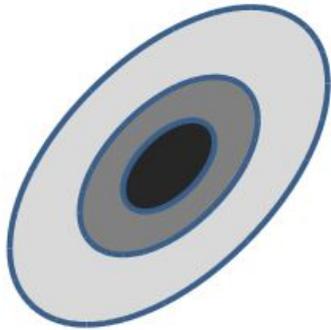
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Features2d contents

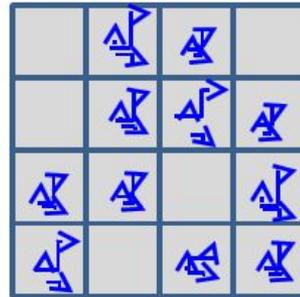
Detection



Detectors available

- SIFT
- SURF
- FAST
- STAR
- MSER
- HARRIS
- GFTT (Good Features To Track)

Description



Descriptors available

- SIFT
- SURF
- Calonder
- Ferns
- One way

Matching

Matchers available

- BruteForce
- FlannBased
- BOW

Matches filters

(under construction)

- Cross check
- Ratio check

Detector interfaces

```
class FeatureDetector
{
public:
    virtual ~FeatureDetector() {}

    // Detect keypoints in an image.
    virtual void detect( const Mat& image, vector<KeyPoint>& keypoints,
                        const Mat& mask=Mat() ) const = 0;

    // Detect keypoints in an image set.
    void detect( const vector<Mat>& imageCollection,
                vector<vector<KeyPoint> >& pointCollection,
                const vector<Mat>& masks=vector<Mat>() ) const;

    virtual void read( const FileNode& fn ) {}
    virtual void write( FileStorage& fs ) const {}

protected:
    ...
};
```

Creating a detector

- Statically

```
SurfFeatureDetector detector;
```

- Using class factory

```
cv::Ptr<FeatureDetector> detector =  
    createFeatureDetector("SURF");
```

Running detector

```
Mat img = imread( "test.png" );
```

```
vector<KeyPoint> keypoints;
```

```
SurfFeatureDetector detector;
```

```
detector.detect( img, keypoints );
```

Descriptor interfaces

- For descriptors that can be represented as vectors in multidimensional space:

`DescriptorExtractor` and `DescriptorMatcher`

- More general interface (one way, decision-tree-based descriptors):

`GenericDescriptorMatcher`

DescriptorExtractor interfaces

```
class CV_EXPORTS DescriptorExtractor
{
public:
    virtual ~DescriptorExtractor() {}
    // Compute the descriptors for a set of keypoints in an image.
    virtual void compute( const Mat& image, vector<KeyPoint>& keypoints,
                        Mat& descriptors ) const = 0;
    // Compute the descriptors for a keypoints collection detected in image collection.
    virtual void compute( const vector<Mat>& imageCollection,
                        vector<vector<KeyPoint> >& pointCollection,
                        vector<Mat>& descCollection ) const;

    virtual void read( const FileNode& ) {}
    virtual void write( FileStorage& ) const {}
    virtual int descriptorSize() const = 0;
    virtual int descriptorType() const = 0;
protected:
    ...
};
```

DescriptorExtractor creating

- Statically

```
SurfDescriptorExtractor descriptorExtractor;
```

- Using class factory

```
cv::Ptr<DescriptorExtractor> descriptorExtractor =  
    createDescriptorExtractor("SURF");
```

DescriptorExtractor running

```
Ptr<FeatureDetector> detector =  
    createFeatureDetector("FAST");  
Ptr<DescriptorExtractor> descriptorExtractor =  
    createDescriptorExtractor("SURF");  
  
vector<KeyPoint> keypoints;  
detector->detect( img, keypoints );  
Mat descriptors;  
descriptorExtractor->compute( img, keypoints,  
    descriptors );
```

DescriptorMatcher interfaces

- Two groups of match methods
 - to match descriptors of image pair
 - to match descriptors of one image to image set
- Each group consists from tree type methods
 - `match()`
 - `knnMatch()`
 - `radiusMatch()`

Matching of image pair

```
// detecting keypoints
SurfFeatureDetector detector;
vector<KeyPoint> keypoints1, keypoints2;
detector.detect( img1, keypoints1 );
detector.detect( img2, keypoints2 );

// computing descriptors
SurfDescriptorExtractor extractor;
Mat descriptors1, descriptors2;
extractor.compute( img1, keypoints1, descriptors1 );
extractor.compute( img2, keypoints2, descriptors2 );

// matching descriptors
BruteForceMatcher<L2<float> > matcher;
vector<DMatch> matches;
matcher.match( descriptors1, descriptors2, matches );
```

Visualize keypoints

```
Mat img_points;  
drawKeypoints( img, keypoints, img_points );  
namedWindow( "keypoints", 1 );  
imshow( "keypoints", img_points );  
waitKey();
```

Visualize matches

```
Mat img_matches;  
drawMatches( img1, keypoints1,  
             img2, keypoints2, img_matches);  
namedWindow( "matches", 1 );  
imshow( "matches", img_matches );  
waitKey();
```

Running the sample

- Download OpenCV
- Compile
- Run `matcher_simple`:

```
bin/matcher_simple ../../opencv/samples/c/box.png  
../../opencv/samples/c/box_in_scene.png
```
- Select a detector that gives the maximum number of keypoints
- Switch SIFT and SURF descriptors

Cross-check outlier match filtering

```
BruteForceMatcher<L2<float> > descriptorMatcher;  
vector<DMatch> filteredMatches12, matches12, matches21;  
descriptorMatcher.match( descriptors1, descriptors2, matches12 );  
descriptorMatcher.match( descriptors2, descriptors1, matches21 );  
  
for( size_t i = 0; i < matches12.size(); i++ )  
{  
    DMatch forward = matches12[i];  
    DMatch backward = matches21[forward.trainIdx];  
    if( backward.trainIdx == forward.queryIdx )  
        filteredMatches12.push_back( forward );  
}
```

Ratio test to filter matches

$$\textit{Ratio} = \frac{\textit{MinDist1}}{\textit{MinDist2}} \in (0,1] \quad (\text{less is better})$$

if Ratio < threshold(0.3) \Rightarrow inlier, else outlier

Calculating inliers (planar objects case)

- Detect keypoints
- Find matches using descriptors
- Filter matches using cross-check
- Calculate best homography
- Filter outliers
- Run

```
bin/descriptor_extractor_matcher SURF SURF  
  ../../opencv/samples/c/box.png  
  ../../opencv/samples/c/box_in_scene.png 3
```

The last parameter is the reprojection threshold for RANSAC

Detector testbench

- Measures of detector repeatability are taken from
 - K.Mikolajczyk, Cordelia Schmid, “Scale & Affine Invariant Interest Point Detectors”, IJCV 60(1), 63–86, 2004.
 - K.Mikolajczyk et al, A Comparison of Affine Region Detectors, IJCV 65(1/2):43-72, 2005.
- Test images are taken from <http://www.robots.ox.ac.uk/~vgg/data/data-aff.html>
- Testbench is located in opencv_extra/testdata/cv/detectors_descriptors_evaluation/detectors

Descriptor testbench

- Measures of descriptor matching accuracy are taken from http://www.robots.ox.ac.uk/~vgg/research/affine/det_eval_files/mikolajczyk_pami2004.pdf
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OpenCV and ROS

- Opencv2 package to fetch and compile opencv
- Messages:
 - sensor_msgs::Image
 - sensor_msgs::CameraInfo
- cv_bridge to convert between messages and images
- image_geometry::PinholeCameraModel and image_geometry::StereoCameraModel to manage 2d <-> 3d conversions

Q&A

- Foils will be available at <http://itseez.com>