

Intro to Computer Vision



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Computer Vision course

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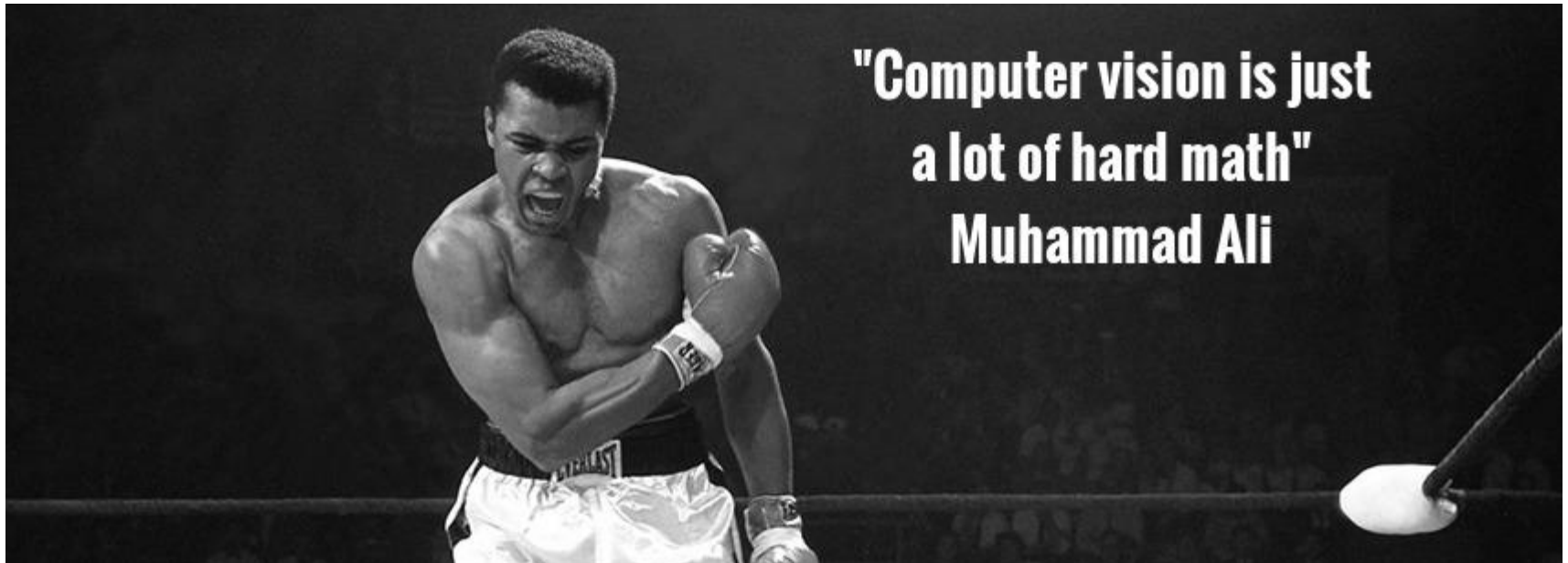
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References

- Lectures Based on the book: **Computer Vision: Algorithms and Applications**, 2010, Richard Szeliski (<http://szeliski.org/Book/>)

Prerequisites

- No prior knowledge in signal/image processing is assumed.
- Heavy use in algebra and calculus- mathematical maturity **is assumed.**

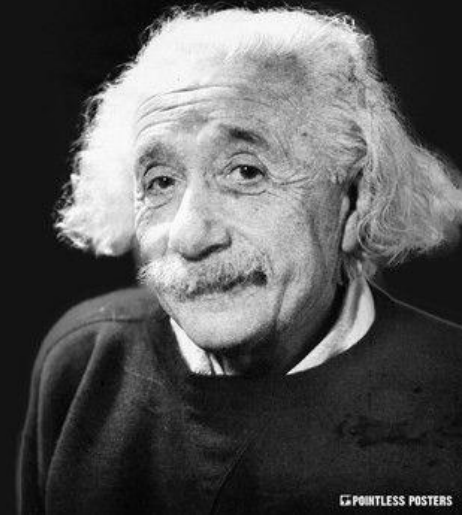


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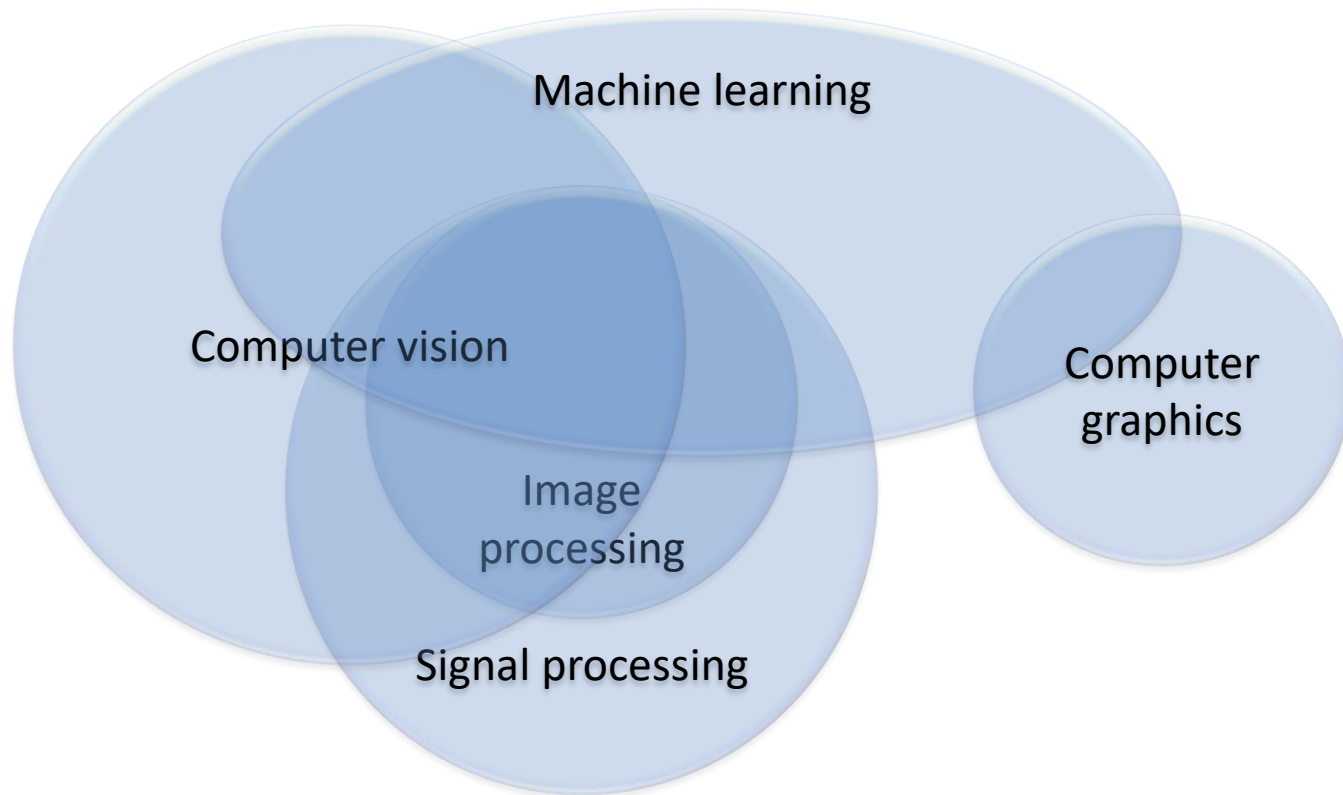


What is CV?

- **Computer vision** is an interdisciplinary scientific field that deals with how computers can be made to gain high-level understanding from digital images or videos. [Wikipedia]
- **Image processing** is an umbrella term for many functions that analyze images or convert one representation of an image into another.

What is CV?

Input \ Output	Data	Image
	Signal processing	Computer graphics
Data	Signal processing	Computer graphics
Image	Computer vision	Image processing



Why CV?

IT'S
F***ING
COOL

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PrimeSense == Kinect

- *Kinect for Xbox 360*: 3D scanner system using **Light Coding** approach for 3D reconstruction.
- KinectFusion [Newcombe et al., 2011] :
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KOUSSIKUJ-A>



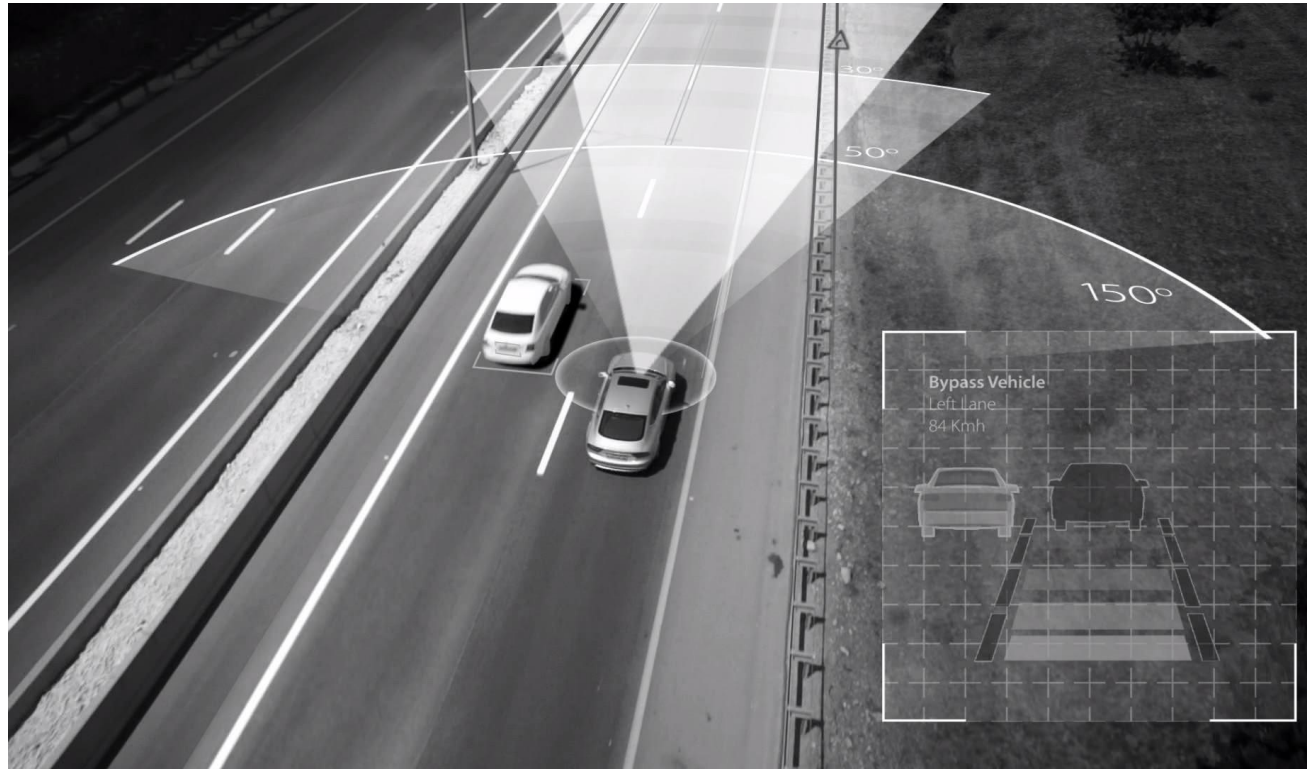
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Mobileye

- **Mobileye** is an Israeli subsidiary of Intel corporation that develops vision-based advanced driver-assistance systems (ADAS) providing warnings for collision prevention and mitigation. [Wikipedia]
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JDUb6CurYJM>



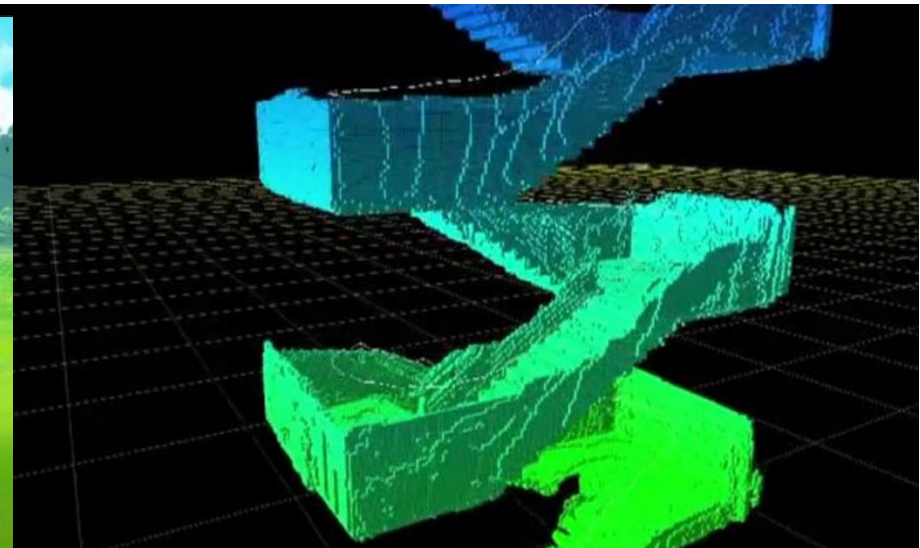
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More CV related topics

- Virtual/augmented reality
- navigation
- Gaming
- medicine
- And much more...

Segmentation Results



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Course outline

#	subject
1	Introduction to CV + Python: numpy, matplotlib.
2	Image processing recap: convolutions, LPF, HPF, morphology, connected components, gamma correction, histogram equalization.
3	Edge detection: gradient (roberts, prewitt, sobel), Laplacian, DoG (derivative of Gaussian), canny edge detector.
4	Shape detection: template matching, Hough transform.
5	Digital cameras: image formation, transformation, interpolation.
6	Camera calibration: extrinsic, intrinsic, radial distortion.
7	Stereo vision :dual camera rectification, triangulation.
8	3D cameras: LIDAR, KINECT, structured light, planoptic
9	Line fit: least squares, total least squares, RANSAC,
10	Feature extraction: SIFT, image stitching (scale space).
11	Neural networks: intro, CNN, MNIST, Alexnet.
12	Final project 1
13	Final project 2

Image processing

- Read more about Lenna – the standard test image:
<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lenna>

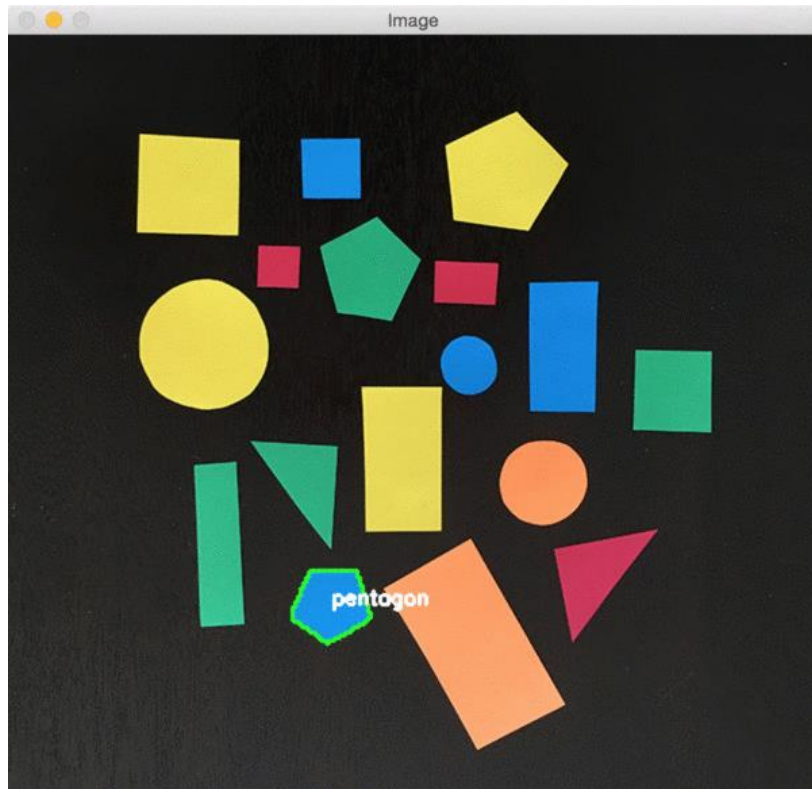


Edge Detection

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hQ-bpfdWQh8>
- <https://pinetools.com/image-edge-detection>



Shape detection



Digital cameras

- Image formation:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dY0K65eXhkA>
- Transformation and interpolation.



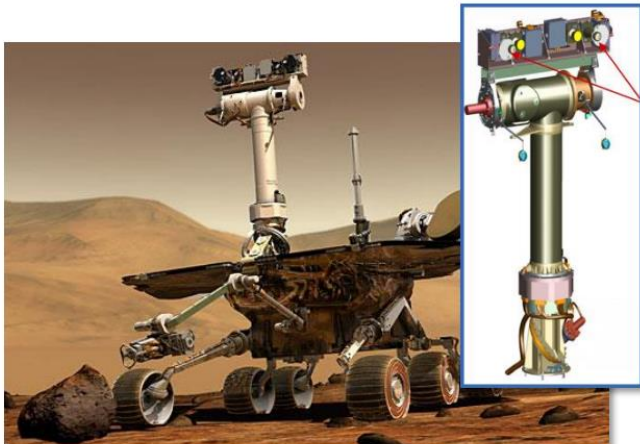
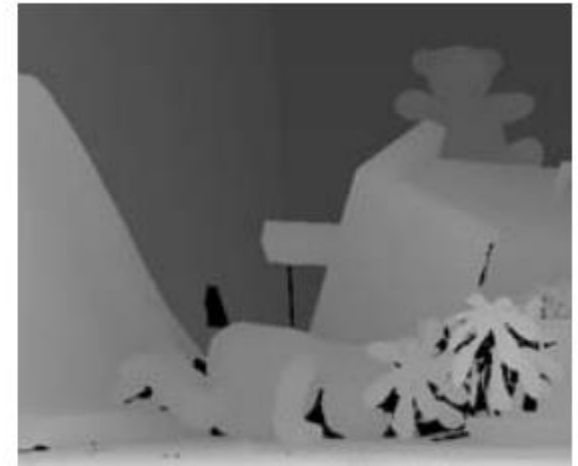
Image calibration

- Fisheye correction from go-pro for example



Stereo & 3d cameras

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PySBQ8Q_R8k



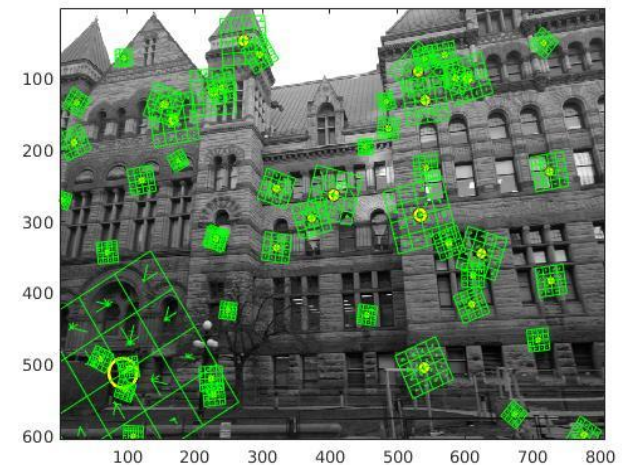
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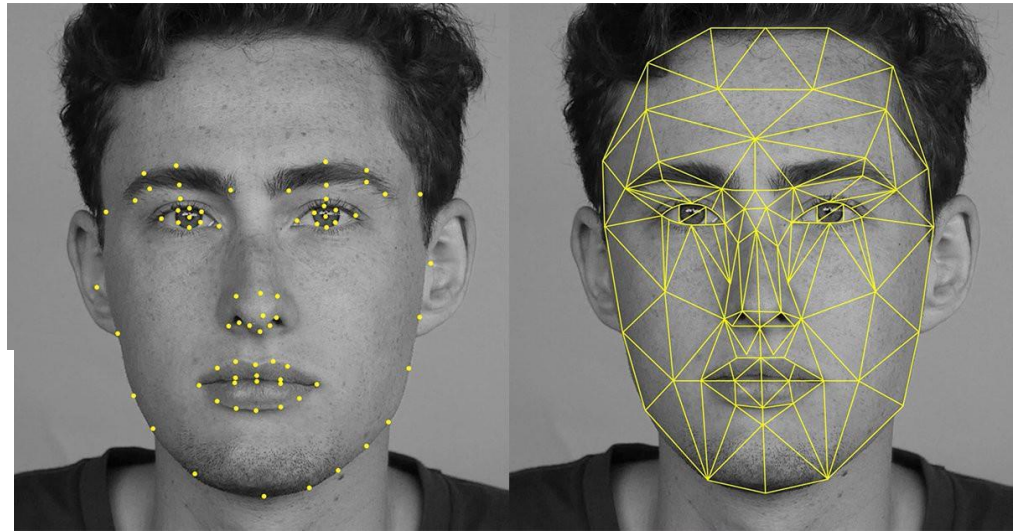
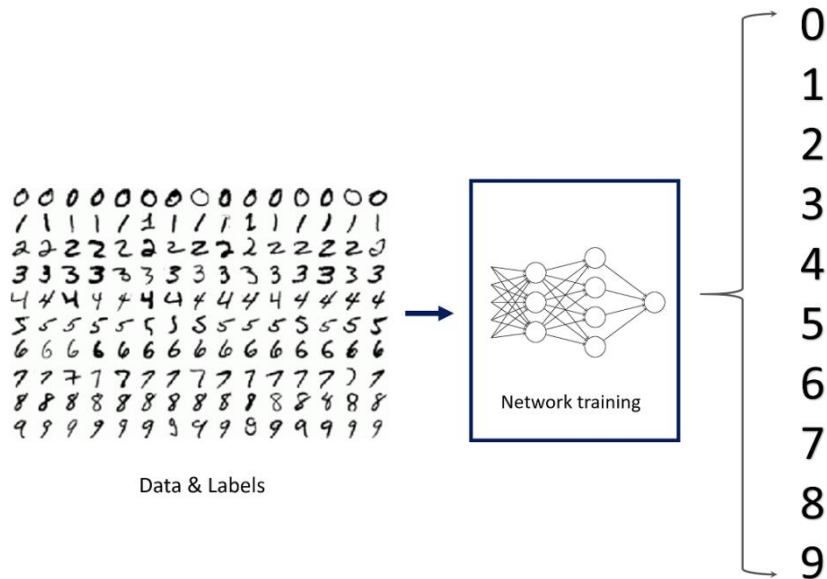
Fitting & Feature extraction

- Extract interesting points from image for later recognition, stitching, learning and more.
- <http://www.in2white.com/>



Neural networks

- <https://deepdreamgenerator.com/generator>
- <https://quickdraw.withgoogle.com>



Dream generator- style transfer



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And some more AI stuff

- Deep fake
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cQ54GDm1eL0>
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-QvIX3cY4lc>
- Nvidia GauGAN
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p5U4NgVGAWg&t=40s>
 - <http://nvidia-research-mingyuliu.com/gaugan>

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