

## Exercises – Local features

### 1. Extracting local features

- a) Read the images feup1.png and feup2.png in grayscale;
- b) Create a FAST feature detector using the FastFeatureDetector class;
- c) Detect the keypoints using this feature detector;
- d) Show the extracted keypoints, using the drawKeypoints function, and analyse the results;
- e) Compare these results with the ones obtained with the SIFT feature detector. Note: if your OpenCV version does not support SIFT, try other detectors (e.g. KAZE detector).

### 2. Matching local features

- a) Study the functions already available in the initial file (objdetection.cpp or objdetection.py);
- b) Open the test image (poster\_test.jpg) and extract the local descriptors using the detector object;
- c) Open the other images (posterX.jpg) and for each extract the local descriptors and match them with the descriptors from the test image using the matcher object;
- d) Show the matches using the showResult function and interpret the results.
- e) Show the matches after filtering with the filterMatchesByDistance and interpret the results.
- f) Show the matches after filtering with the filterMatchesRANSAC (after the absolute value filter) and interpret the results.

These exercises were implemented and tested using OpenCV 3.4.3. The “Feature Detection” and “Feature Description” tutorials contain helpful code examples:

[https://docs.opencv.org/3.4.3/d9/d97/tutorial\\_table\\_of\\_content\\_features2d.html](https://docs.opencv.org/3.4.3/d9/d97/tutorial_table_of_content_features2d.html)