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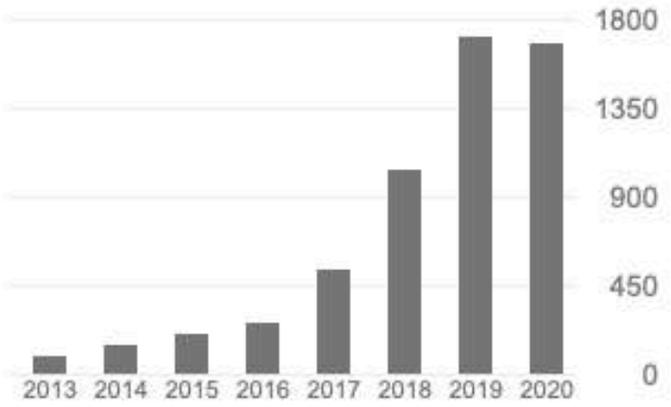

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Image segmentation

Active spline model

Active spline model: A shape based model-interactive segmentation

Learning objectives

- Read, display and write image
- Convert image's colour format
- Expand image's border
- Draw objects on image

Read image

- In opencv, use `imread()` to load an image

```
> import cv2

> imgfile = 'yoshida1.jpg'
> img     = cv2.imread(imgfile)
```

yoshida1.jpg

- Or simply just

```
> img     = cv2.imread('yoshida1.jpg')
```

- Supported formats: jpg, bmp, png, tif, tiff, pbm, ppm, hdr, pic
  - Check the below link for more detail: https://docs.opencv.org/3.4.2/d4/da8/group__imgcodecs.html

Check basic info

yoshida1.jpg

- Many times it is beneficial / required to check basic information about the image loaded

- In Spyder, that can be done in Variable explorer

		i	*j*	
img	uint8	(700,	477,	3)
		height	width	channel
		y	*x*	

- To access through code, do

```
> img.shape
: (700, 477, 3)

> img.dtype
: dtype('uint8')

> print('img height: %d' % (img.shape[0]))
: img height: 700
```

Display image

Through opencv

- To display an image in opencv for `img`, we do

```
> cv2.imshow('a drawing',img)
> cv2.waitKey(0)
> cv2.destroyAllWindows()
```

- On some platforms, it needs the below 4 lines to prevent freezing of the window:

```
> cv2.waitKey(1)
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```

Display image

Through opencv

- `imshow()` does the display of image

```
cv2.imshow('a drawing',img)
```

name of the window — name of the variable

- `imshow()` should be followed by function `waitKey()`, which specifies how long the image should be specified in milliseconds

```
cv2.waitKey(0)
```

value zero stands for waiting infinitely

```
> cv2.imshow('a drawing',img)
> cv2.waitKey(0)
> cv2.destroyAllWindows()
```

- `destroyAllWindows()` shuts down all windows opened through opencv

Colour format

BGR

BGR format displayed by function that expects RGB format

- The output of `imread()` is a numpy array
- This implies that we can manipulate the output variable using numpy's function/method
- For a colour image `img`, `imread()` gives a 3D numpy array, in BGR format

`img[:,:,0]`	→	**B**lue channel
`img[:,:,1]`	→	**G**reen channel
`img[:,:,2]`	→	**R**ed channel

- However, many other libraries process image array only in RGB format

Colour format conversion

- Use `cvtColor()` to convert colour format

name of the variable

```
> imgc = cv2.cvtColor(img,
                      cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
```

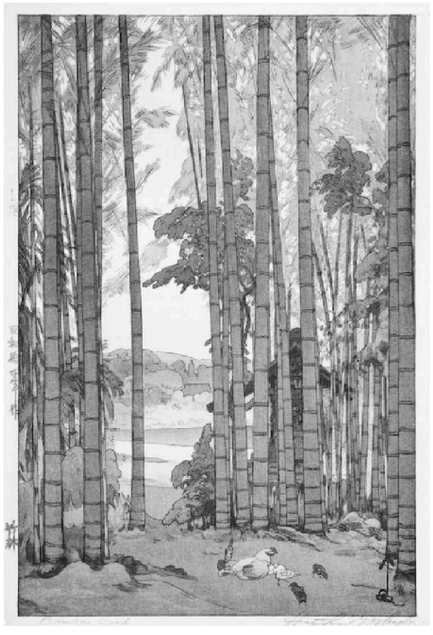
colour conversion code

- Other conversion codes:

```
cv2.COLOR_GRAY2BGR
cv2.COLOR_RGB2BGR
cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB
cv2.COLOR_BGR2YUV
cv2.COLOR_YUV2BGR
cv2.COLOR_BGR2Luv
cv2.COLOR_Luv2BGR
…
```

- Check the below link for more detail

  https://docs.opencv.org/3.4.2/d7/d1b/group__imgproc__misc.html



Colour format conversion

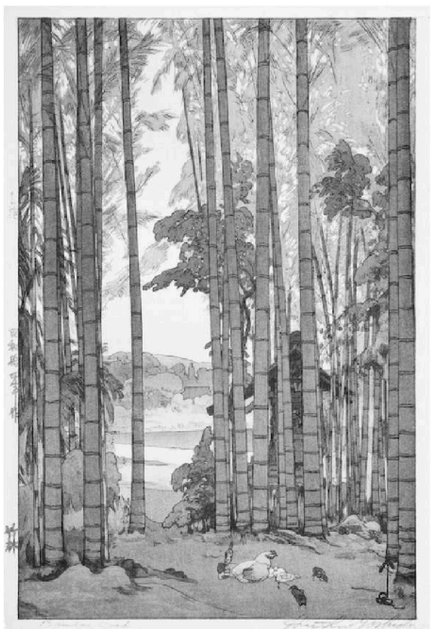
- When we convert a colour image to gray, the output is no longer a 3D numpy array

```
> imgc.shape
: (700, 477)
```

- To get back a 3D BGR array, we can do

```
> imgd = cv2.cvtColor(imgc,
                      cv2.COLOR_GRAY2BGR)
```

A gray is simply a colour that has the same value in R,G and B



- Or we can do

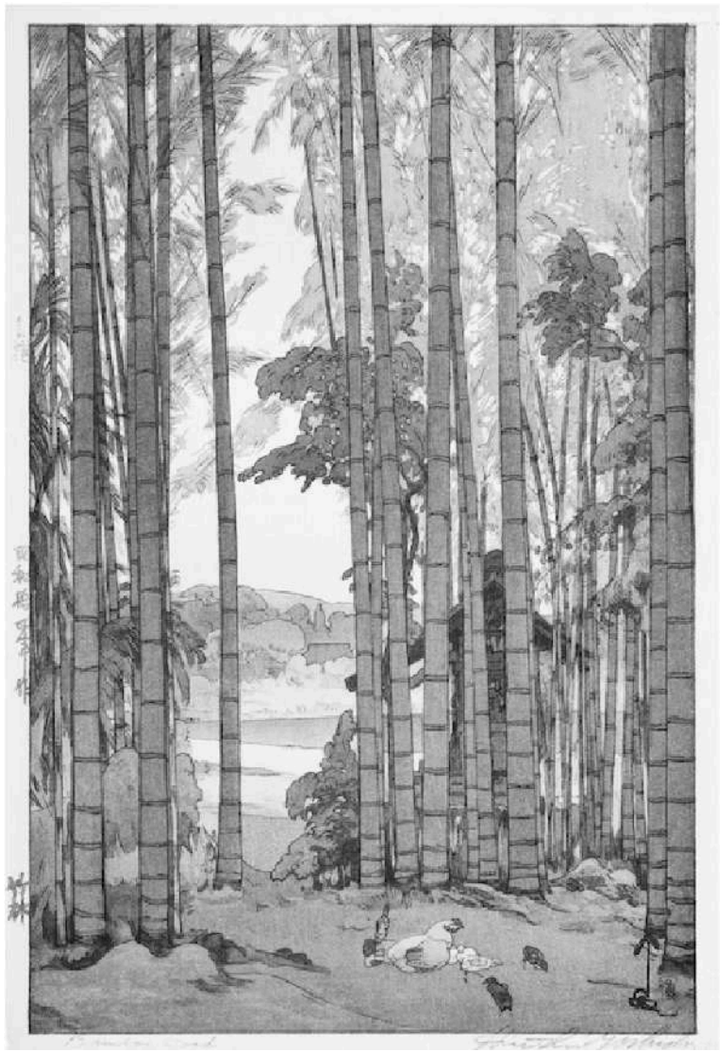
for blue channel

for red channel

```
> imge = cv2.merge((imgc,imgc,imgc))
```

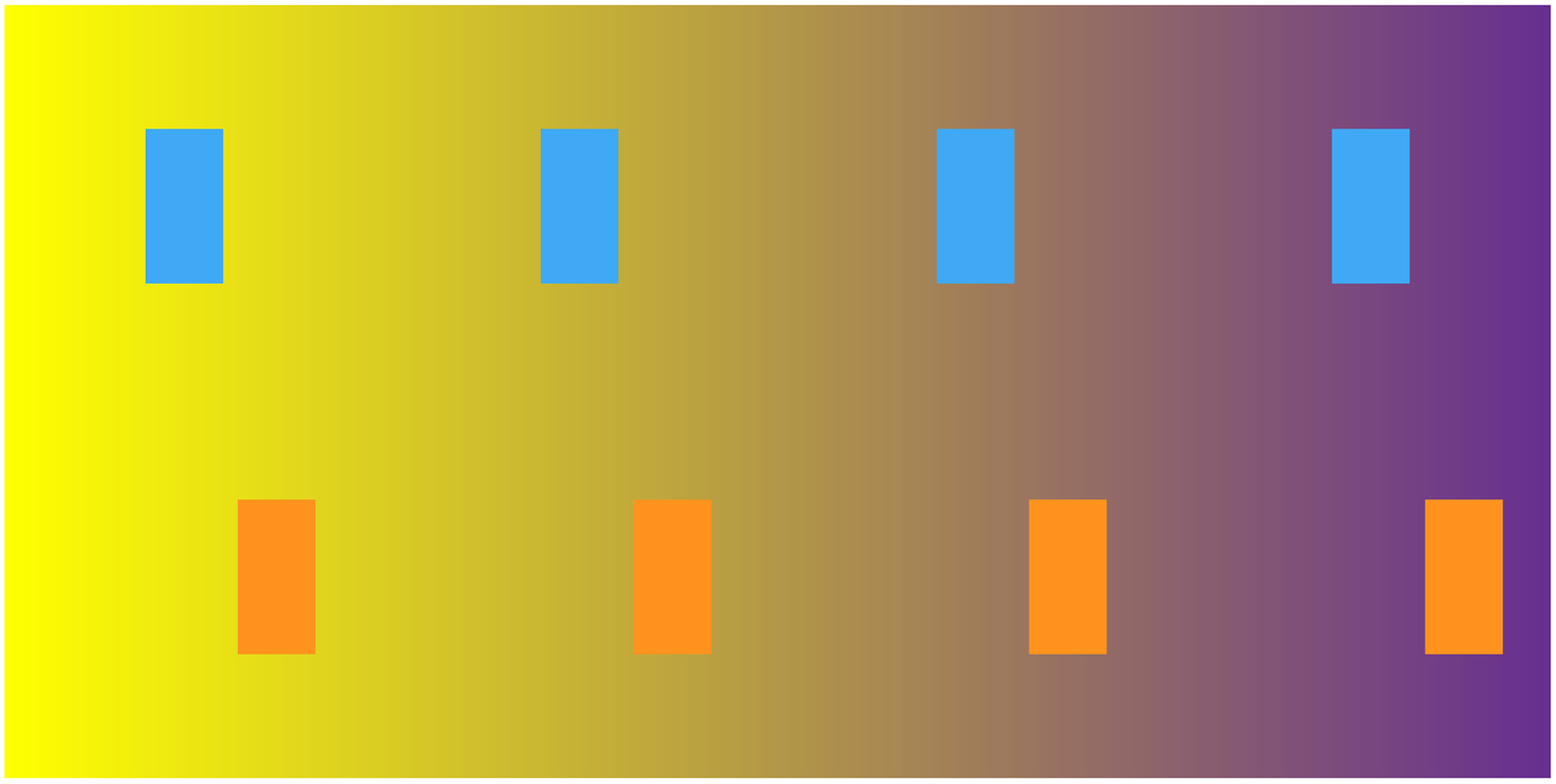
for green channel

Why often do we need to convert colour image into gray scale image?

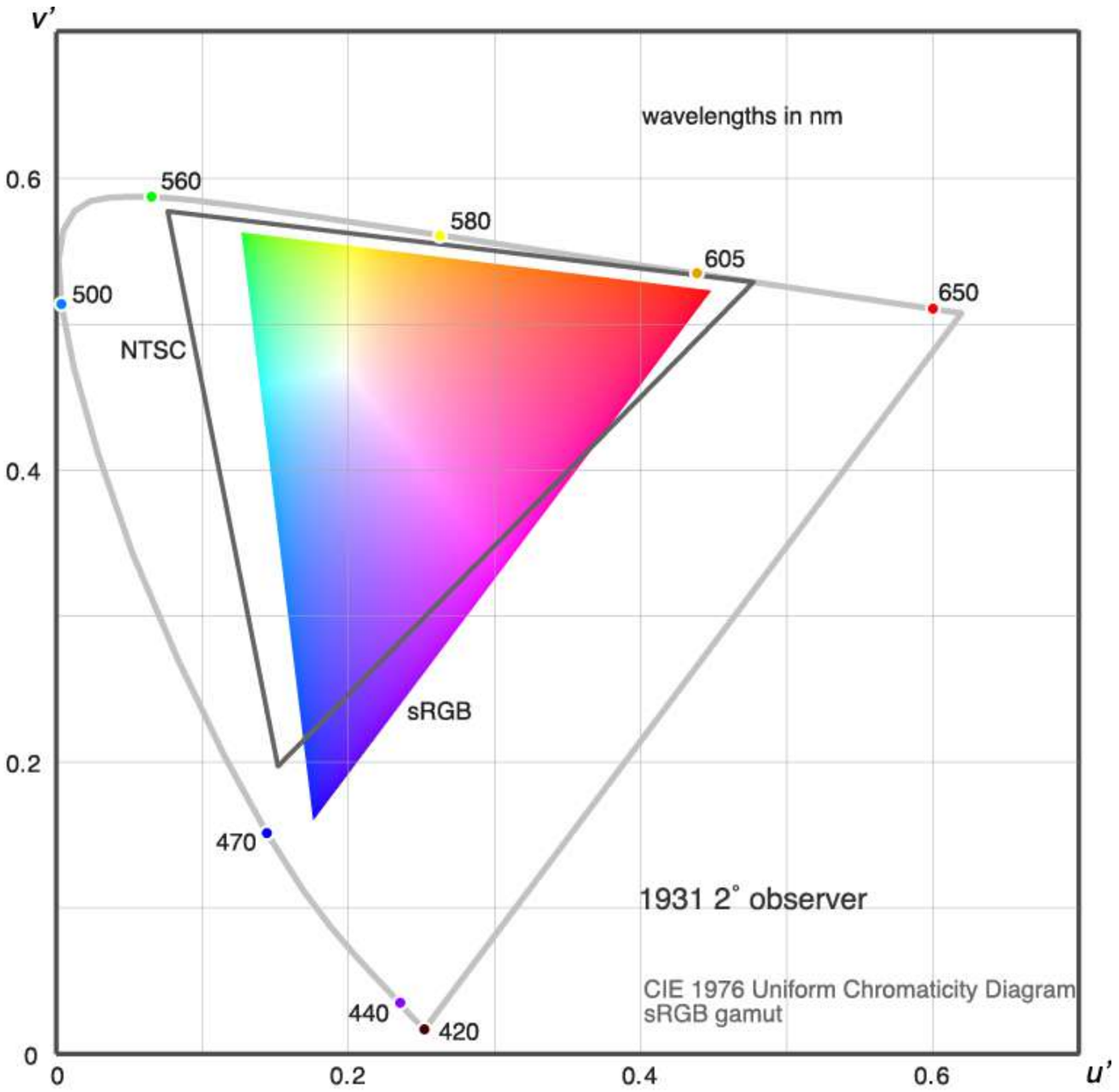


Something about colour …

- Illustration of simultaneous colour contrast



The theory of colour



Display image, again

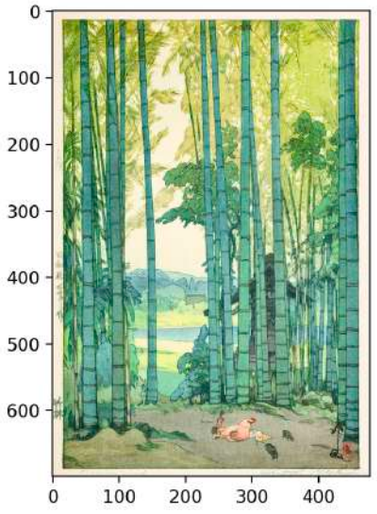
Through matplotlib

- We can use matplotlib to display an image `img`, to do that, we write

```
> import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
> plt.axis('off')
> plt.imshow(cv2.cvtColor(img,
                          cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB))
> plt.show()
```

- In the above codes, we first turn off axis in the plot

axis on



axis off

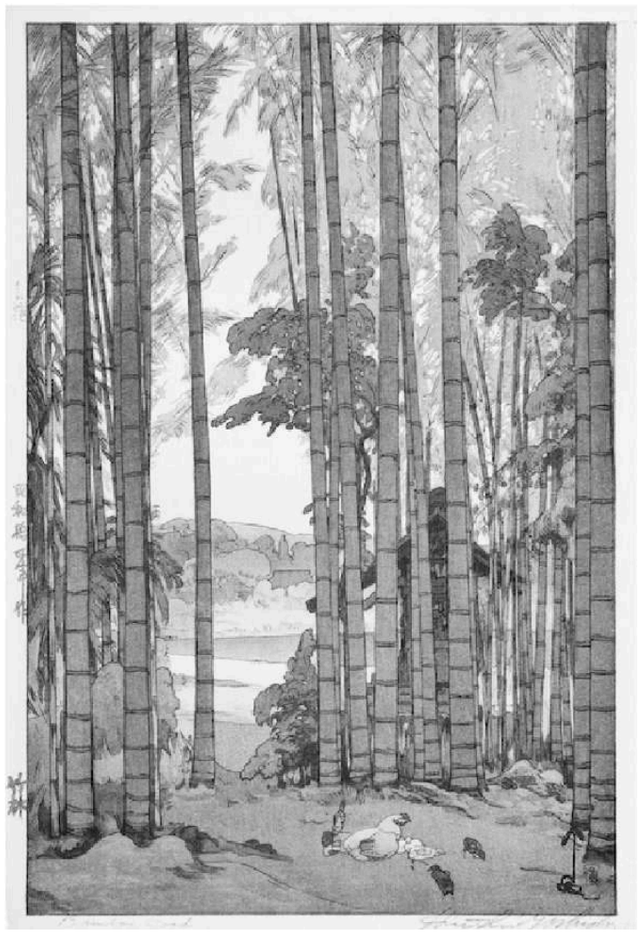
- Then use `plt.imshow()` to display image, but that function expects image in RGB format

- Thus need to use `cv2.cvtColor()` to convert `img` into RGB format

- Finally, use `plt.show()` to get the plot displayed

Display image, again

Through matplotlib



- To display a grayscale image `imgc`, we need extra settings on `plt.imshow()`

```
> plt.axis('off')
> plt.imshow(imgc,
                cmap='gray',
                vmin=0,
                vmax=255)
> plt.show()
```

- `cmap='gray'` : inform the function to use grayscale colour map
- `vmin=0` : map value 0 to black
- `vmax=255` : map value 255 to white

Expand image border

- Often in image processing it is necessary to expand image border to avoid undesired effect

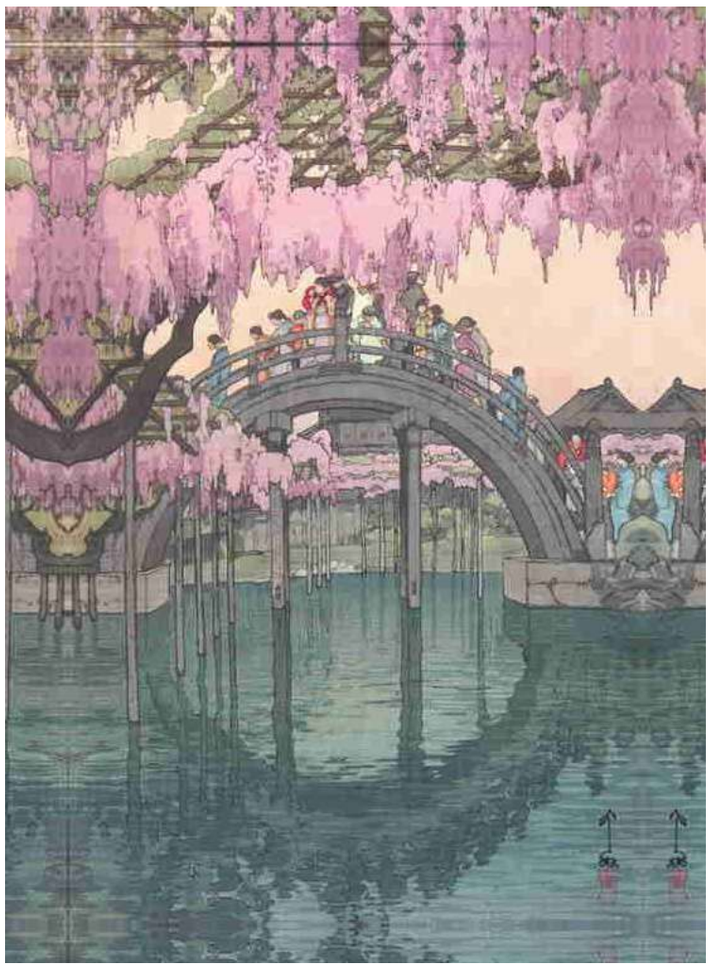
- Use `cv2.copyMakeBorder()` to expand border

```
> imgf = cv2.imread('yoshida2.jpg')
> bdrx = cv2.copyMakeBorder(imgf,
                            30,     top
                            30,     bottom
                            50,     left
                          right     50,
                     borderType     cv2.BORDER_REPLICATE)
```

Expand image border

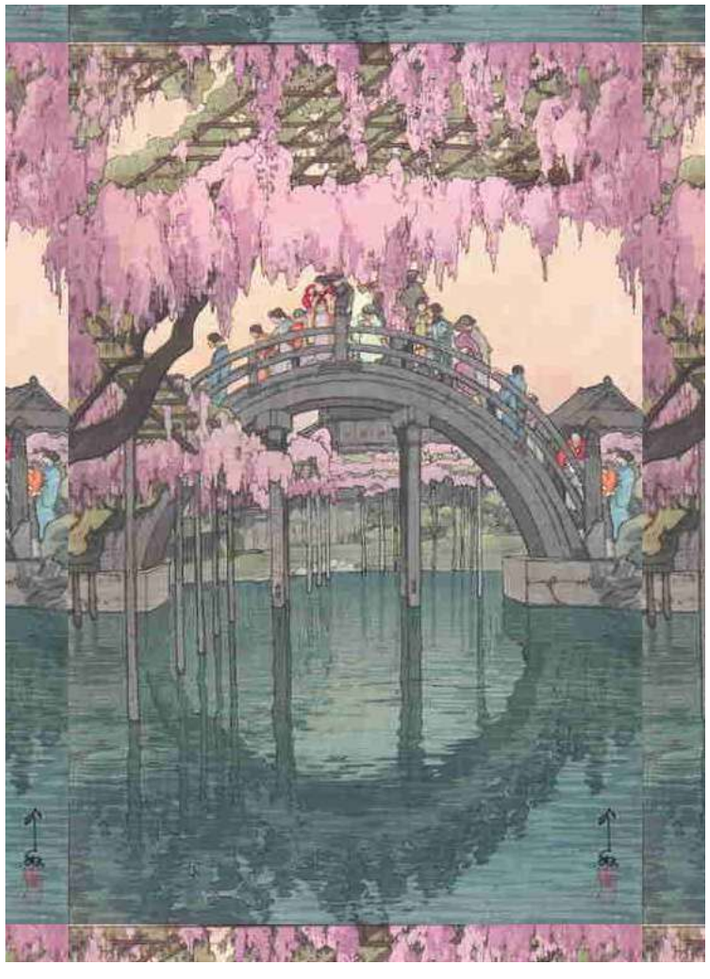
`cv2.BORDER_REPLICATE`

`cv2.BORDER_REFLECT`

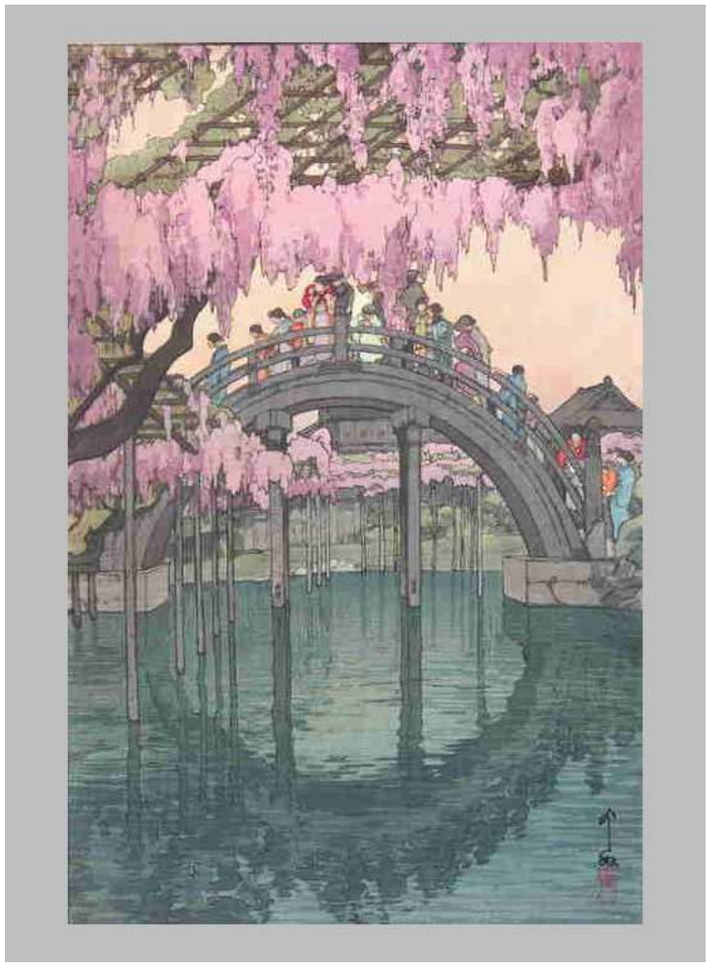


Expand image border

`cv2.BORDER_WRAP`



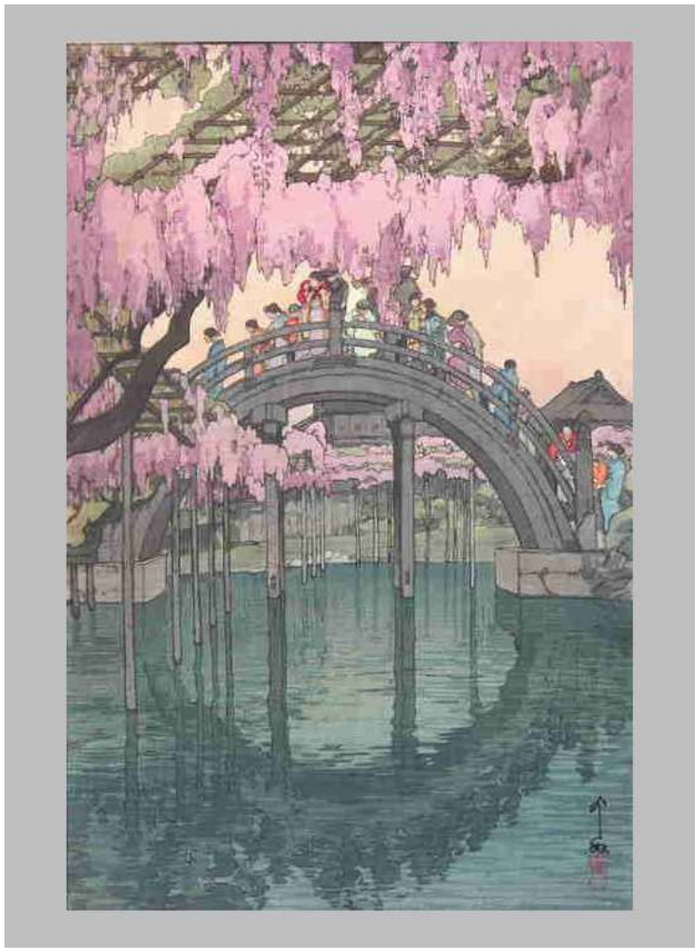
`cv2.BORDER_CONSTANT`



Expand image border

- When we select borderType `cv2.BORDER_CONSTANT`, we need to input one extra parameter:

- The colour we want on the border



```
> bdrx = cv2.copyMakeBorder(imgf,
                            30,     top
                            30,     bottom
                            50,     left
                     right  50,
                  borderType cv2.BORDER_CONSTANT,
                      colour value=(191,191,191))
                                    B   G   R
```

Draw objects

- We can draw objects on image using API provided by opencv
- Generally in computer vision we use these API to make annotations on image
- Some of the functions available:

```
cv2.line()
cv2.circle()
cv2.rectangle()
cv2.ellipse()
cv2.putText()
…
```

- After the drawing, we display the product either using `cv2.imshow()` or `plt.imshow()`

Draw text

- To write words on image, we use `cv2.putText()`

```
> imgg = cv2.imread('kawasei1.jpg')

> cv2.putText(imgg,
                    'Kawasei',   text to display
(x, y) position at bottom-left  (150,410),
                font type       cv2.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX,
                font scale      2.5,
                colour          (0,0,255),
                font thickness  5,
                line type       cv2.LINE_AA)
```

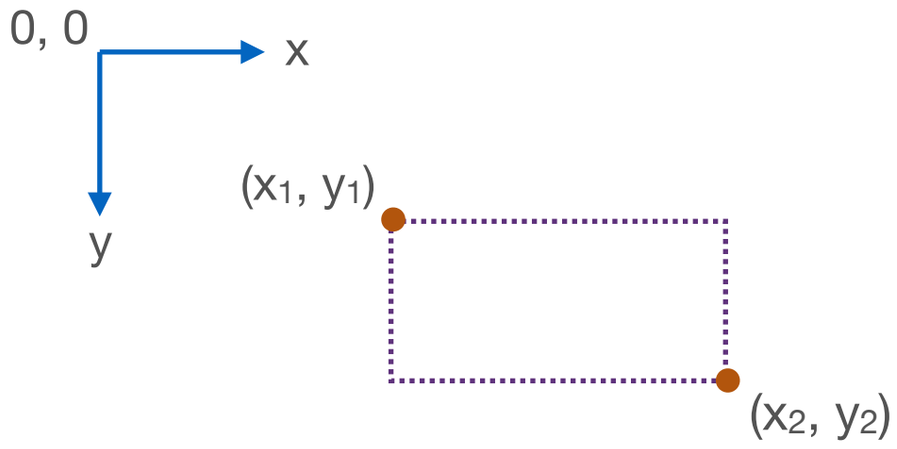
- `cv2.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX` stands for normal size sans-serif font

- `cv2.LINE_AA` gives anti-aliased line

Draw rectangle

- To draw rectangle on image, we use `cv2.rectangle()`

```
> cv2.rectangle(imgg,
                (132,334),   (x1, y1)
   (x2, y2)     (480,432),
     colour     (0,0,255),
  thickness     5)
```



Saving image

- After all the hard work, it would be useless if we can't save the final output

- To save an image, we use `cv2.imwrite()`

```
> cv2.imwrite('kawas.jpg', imgg)
```

file name

variable

- Supported formats: jpg, png, tif, tiff, hdr, exr
  - Check the below link for more detail: https://docs.opencv.org/3.4.2/d4/da8/group__imgcodecs.html