

EN2550 2021: Object Counting on a Convey Belt

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In this assignment, you will be counting and tracking the hexagonal nuts on a moving convey belt.

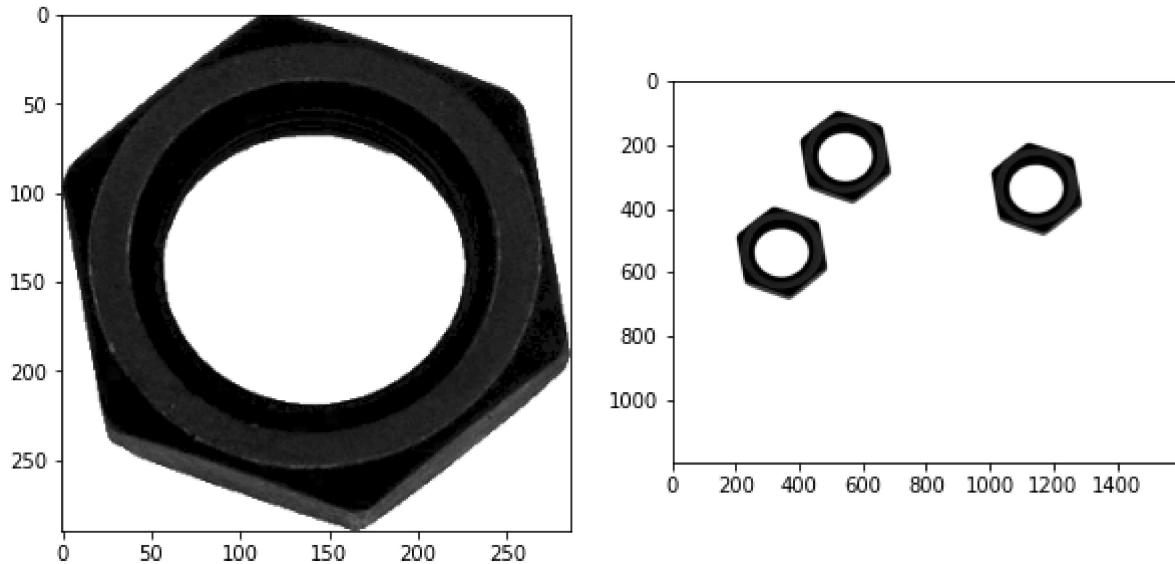
Let's first import required libraries

```
In [1]: %matplotlib inline
import cv2 as cv
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

Let's load and visualize the template image and the convey belt snapshot at a given time.

```
In [2]: template_im = cv.imread(r'template.png', cv.IMREAD_GRAYSCALE)
belt_im = cv.imread(r'belt.png', cv.IMREAD_GRAYSCALE)

fig, ax = plt.subplots(1,2, figsize=(10,10))
ax[0].imshow(template_im, cmap='gray')
ax[1].imshow(belt_im, cmap='gray')
plt.show()
```



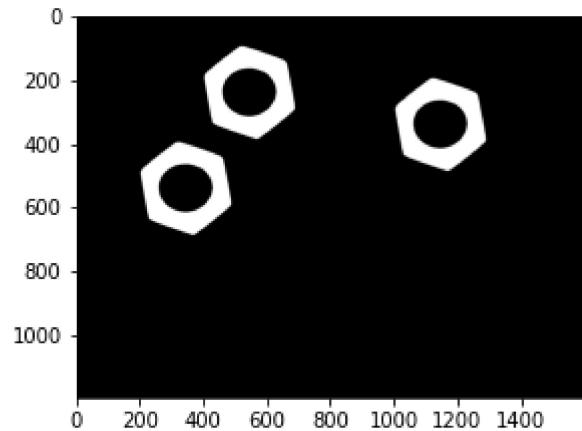
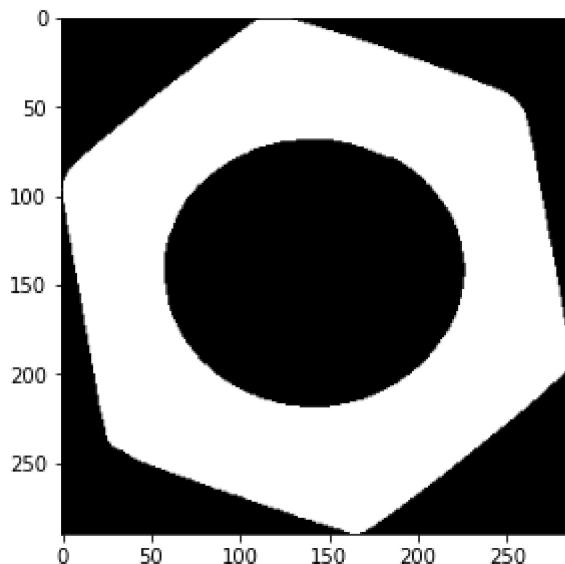
Part-I :

Before going into the implementation, let's play with some functions.

Otsu's thresholding Please read thresholding to get an idea about different types of thresholding and how to use them.(Please use cv.THRESH_BINARY_INV).

```
In [3]: th_t, img_t = cv.threshold(template_im, 0, 255, cv.THRESH_BINARY_INV+cv.THRESH_OTSU)
th_b, img_b = cv.threshold(belt_im, 0, 255, cv.THRESH_BINARY_INV+cv.THRESH_OTSU) #< Your
fig, ax = plt.subplots(1,2, figsize=(10,10))
ax[0].imshow(img_t, cmap='gray')
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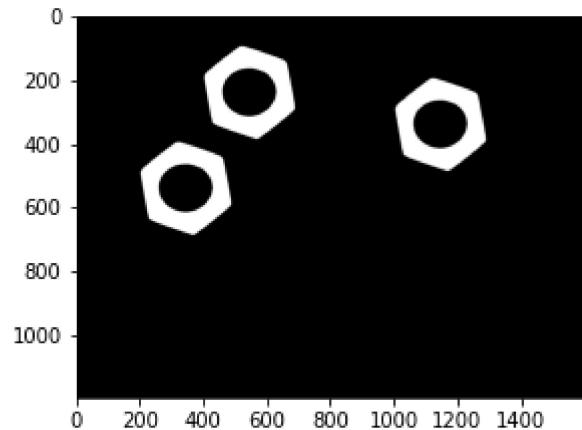
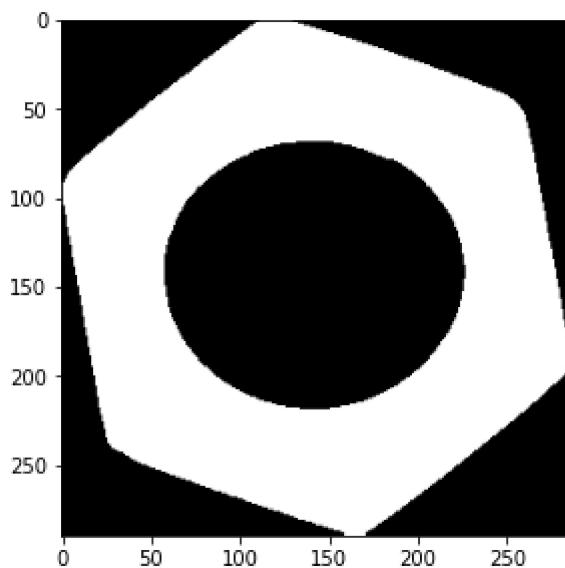
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ax[1].imshow(img_b, cmap='gray')
plt.show()
```



Morphological closing

Carry out morphological closing to remove small holes inside the foreground. Use a 3×3 kernel. See closing for a guide.

```
In [4]: kernel1 = np.ones((3,3),dtype='uint8')#< 3x3 matrix with all ones, with uint8 dtype>
closing_t = cv.morphologyEx(img_t, cv.MORPH_CLOSE, kernel1)
#< Your code to apply morphological closing for belt >
closing_b = cv.morphologyEx(img_b, cv.MORPH_CLOSE, kernel1)
fig, ax = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(10,10))
ax[0].imshow(closing_t, cmap='gray')
ax[1].imshow(closing_b, cmap='gray')
plt.show()
```



Connected component analysis

Apply the connectedComponentsWithStats function (see this).

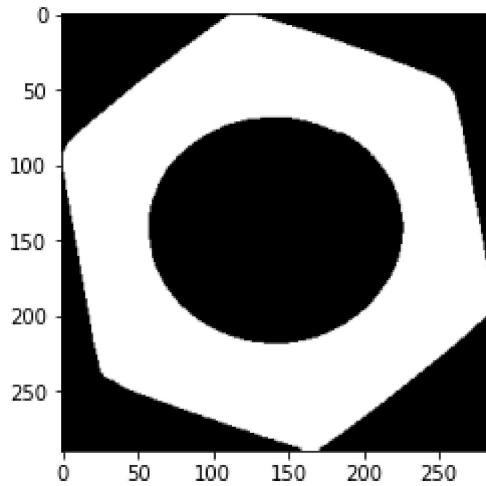
```
In [5]: retval_t, labels_t, stats_t, centroids_t = cv.connectedComponentsWithStats(closing_t)
retval_b, labels_b, stats_b, centroids_b =cv.connectedComponentsWithStats(closing_b) #"
print("No. of Labels",retval_t)
plt.imshow(labels_t,cmap='gray')

print("Stats\n",stats_t)

print("\nCentroids\n",centroids_t)
plt.show()
print("\n\nNo. of Labels",retval_b)
plt.imshow(labels_b,cmap='gray')
print("Stats\n",stats_b)
print("\nCentroids\n",centroids_b)
```

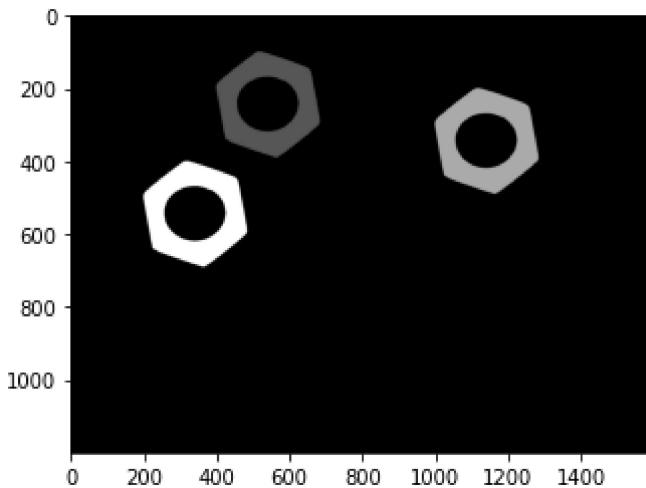
No. of Labels 2
Stats
[[0 0 286 290 42290]
[0 0 286 290 40650]]

Centroids
[[142.18770395 145.19172381]
[142.82489545 143.780369]]



No. of Labels 4
Stats
[[0 0 1600 1200 1798161]
[400 100 286 290 40613]
[1000 200 286 290 40613]
[200 400 286 290 40613]]

Centroids
[[807.85728475 614.56805258]
[542.82567158 243.78479797]
[1142.82567158 343.78479797]
[342.82567158 543.78479797]]



How many connected components are detected in each image?

Template image=2 (including background)

Belt image=4 (including background)

What are the statistics? Interpret these statistics.

Statistics are properties of each connected component. Statistics consists of following columns

Column 1: cv.CC_STAT_LEFT: The leftmost (x) coordinate which is the inclusive start of the bounding box in the horizontal direction. Column 2: cv.CC_STAT_TOP: the topmost (y) coordinate which is the inclusive start of the bounding box in the vertical direction. Column 3: cv.CC_STAT_WIDTH: the horizontal size of the bounding box. Column 4: cv.CC_STAT_HEIGHT: the vertical size of the bounding box. Column 5: cv.CC_STAT_AREA: the total area (in pixels) of the connected component.

What are the centroids?

X,Y coordinates of centroid of each component

Contour analysis

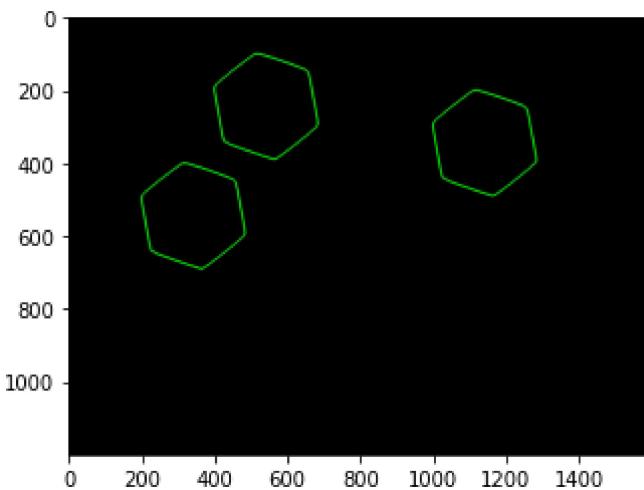
Use findContours function to retrieve the extreme outer contours. (see for help and see for information.)

Display these contours.

```
In [6]: contours_t, hierarchy_t = cv.findContours(closing_t, cv.RETR_EXTERNAL, cv.CHAIN_APPROX_NONE)
contours_b, hierarchy_b = cv.findContours(closing_b, cv.RETR_EXTERNAL, cv.CHAIN_APPROX_SIMPLE)

im_contours_belt = np.zeros((belt_im.shape[0], belt_im.shape[1], 3), np.uint8)
conts = cv.drawContours(im_contours_belt, contours_b, -1, (0, 255, 0), 3).astype('uint8')
plt.imshow(conts)
```

Out[6]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x1dec7ac9f48>



Count the number of matching hexagonal nuts in belt.png. Use the matchShapes function as shown in examples to match contours in the belt image with that in the template.

Get an idea about the value output by the cv.matchShapes when both the template and the reference image have the same shape. Understand the given code snippet.

```
In [7]: label = 1 # remember that the Label of the background is 0
belt = ((labels_b >= label)*255).astype('uint8')
belt_cont, template_hierarchy = cv.findContours(belt, cv.RETR_EXTERNAL, cv.CHAIN_APPROX_SIMPLE)
for j,c in enumerate(belt_cont):
    print(cv.matchShapes(contours_t[0], c, cv.CONTOURS_MATCH_I1, 0.0))

0.00010071698397173812
0.00010071698397950968
0.00010071698397506879
```

Part - II

Frame tracking through image moments. Use the cv.contourArea(), see this and calculate the area of the contours_b[1]

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In [8]:
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ca = area = cv.contourArea(contours_b[1])#<Your code goes here> \
print(ca)
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Use the cv.moments to extract the x and y coordinates of the centroid of contours_b[1].

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In [9]:
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M = cv.moments(contours_b[1])
#print(M)
cx = int(M['m10']/M['m00'])
cy = int(M['m01']/M['m00'])
```

Make a variable called count to represent the number of contours and set it to the value 1. Make an np array [cx, cy, ca, count] and name this as object_prev_frame

```
In [10]:
```

```
count=1
object_prev_frame =np.array([cx,cy,ca,count])
print(object_prev_frame)
```

```
[1.14200e+03 3.43000e+02 6.00595e+04 1.00000e+00]
```

Similarly, you can create the object_curr_frame(to describe the current values) and define the threshold delta_x to check whether the corresponding element of both the object_curr_frame and object_prev_frame are less than the delta_x. You can set delta_x as 15 or so. (Here the delta_x can be thought of as the movement of the cx from frame to frame)

In [11]: `delta_x = 15`

Part - III

1. Implement the function get_indexed_image, which takes an image as the input, performs thresholding, closing, and connected component analysis and return retval, labels, stats, centroids. (Grading)

In [12]: `def get_indexed_image(im):
 """ Thresholding, closing, and connected component analysis lumped
 """
 th, img = cv.threshold(im,0,255,cv.THRESH_BINARY_INV+cv.THRESH_OTSU)
 kernel= cv.getStructuringElement(cv.MORPH_RECT,(3,3))
 closing= cv.morphologyEx(img, cv.MORPH_CLOSE, kernel)
 retval, labels, stats, centroids = cv.connectedComponentsWithStats(closing)
 return retval, labels, stats, centroids`

1. Implement the function is_new, which checks the dissimilarity between 2 vectors. (Grading)

In [13]: `def is_new(a, b, delta, i):
 """ Vector Dissimilarity with an Array of Vectors
 Checks if vector b is similar to a one or more vectors in a outside the tolerances
 vector i specifies which elements in b to compare with those in a.
 """
 check = []
 for j in i:
 abs_Dff=np.absolute(b-a)# get the absolute differences
 abs_Dff[:,j]=abs_Dff[:,j]>delta[j]

 #check= abs_Dff[:,i].all()
 check.append(abs_Dff[:,i].all())
 check = np.array(check).all()
 return check`

In [14]: `a = np.array([[1.36100e+03, 5.53000e+02, 5.99245e+04, 2.00000e+00],
[7.61000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 1.00000e+00],
[1.55200e+03, 2.43000e+02, 6.00585e+04, 3.00000e+00]])
b = np.array([7.51000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 3.00000e+00])
delta = np.array([delta_x])
i = np.array([0])
abs_Dff=np.absolute(b-a)

delta = np.array([delta_x])`

```
i = np.array([0])

print(abs_Dff)
print(b-a)
print()
print(a)
print()
print(b)

a = np.array([[1.36100e+03, 5.53000e+02, 5.99245e+04, 2.00000e+00],
[7.61000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 1.00000e+00],
[1.55200e+03, 2.43000e+02, 6.00585e+04, 3.00000e+00]])
b = np.array([7.51000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 3.00000e+00])
delta = np.array([delta_x])
i = np.array([0])

print( is_new(a, b, delta, i) )
```

```
[[610. 100. 14. 1.]
 [ 10.   0.   0.   2.]
 [801. 210. 120.  0.]]
[[-610. -100. 14. 1.]
 [-10.   0.   0.   2.]
 [-801. 210. -120.  0.]]
[[1.36100e+03 5.53000e+02 5.99245e+04 2.00000e+00]
[7.61000e+02 4.53000e+02 5.99385e+04 1.00000e+00]
[1.55200e+03 2.43000e+02 6.00585e+04 3.00000e+00]]
[7.51000e+02 4.53000e+02 5.99385e+04 3.00000e+00]
False
```

In [15]:

```
# check is_new expected answer False

a = np.array([[1.36100e+03, 5.53000e+02, 5.99245e+04, 2.00000e+00],
[7.61000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 1.00000e+00],
[1.55200e+03, 2.43000e+02, 6.00585e+04, 3.00000e+00]])
b = np.array([7.51000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 3.00000e+00])
delta = np.array([delta_x])
i = np.array([0])

assert is_new(a, b, delta, i) == False, " Check the function "
```

1. If the array a is in the shape of (number of nuts , len(object_prev_frame)) (i.e. array a is made by stacking all the object_prev_frame for each frame. If b is in the form of [cx, cy, ca, count], write the function prev_index to find the index of a particular nut in the previous frame. (Grading)

In [16]:

```
def prev_index(a, b, delta, i):
    """
    Returns Previous Index
    Returns the index of the appearance of the object in the previous frame.
    (See thee example in the next cell)
    """
    '''index = -1
    '< Your code goes here >'''

    index = -1
    abs_Dff = np.absolute(a - b)
```

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matching_rows = []
for j in i:
    abs_Dff[:,j] = (abs_Dff[:,j] <= delta[j])

    matching_row = np.where(abs_Dff[:,j])[0] # finding the row where condition is
    matching_rows.append(matching_row)

values, counts = np.unique(matching_rows, return_counts=True) # best match
best_match = values[np.argmax(counts)]

matched = a[best_match]
index = matched[-1] # since count keeps the index of a nut.

return index

```

In [17]:

```

# check prev_index expected answer 1
a = np.array([[1.36100e+03, 5.53000e+02, 5.99245e+04, 2.00000e+00],
[7.61000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 1.00000e+00],
[1.55200e+03, 2.43000e+02, 6.00585e+04, 3.00000e+00]])
b = np.array([7.51000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99385e+04, 3.00000e+00])
delta = np.array([delta_x])
i = np.array([0])
print(prev_index(a,b,delta,i))

```

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You can use following code snippet load and access each frame of a video

In [18]:

```

cap = cv.VideoCapture('conveyor_with_rotation.mp4') # give the correct path here
while cap.isOpened():
    ret, frame = cap.read()
    if not ret:
        print("Can't receive frame (stream end?). Exiting ...")
        break
    cv.imshow('frame',frame)
    if cv.waitKey(1) == ord('q'):
        break

cap.release()
cv.destroyAllWindows()

```

Can't receive frame (stream end?). Exiting ...

1. Implement a code to detect hexagonal nuts in a moving convey belt. (Grading)

Steps:

Use the above code snippet to access each frame and remember to convert the frame into grey scale. Name the variable as grey Call get_indexed_image and extract retval, labels, stats, centroids. Find contours of all nuts present in a given frame of the belt. Initiate a 3-D array with zeros to draw contours. Call this im_contours_belt Draw each contour. Use cv.drawContours. See this

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In [19]:

```

frames = [] # storing frames
cap = cv.VideoCapture('conveyor_with_rotation.mp4') # give the correct path here
while cap.isOpened():
    ret, frame = cap.read()
    if not ret:
        print("Can't receive frame (stream end?). Exiting ...")
        break
    frame = cv.cvtColor(frame, cv.COLOR_BGR2GRAY) # converting to grayscale
    frames.append(frame) # storing frames
    if cv.waitKey(1) == ord('q'):
        break
tot_Frames=len(frames)
cap.release()
cv.destroyAllWindows()
print("process completed.")
print("Total Frames: ",tot_Frames)

```

Can't receive frame (stream end?). Exiting ...
 process completed.

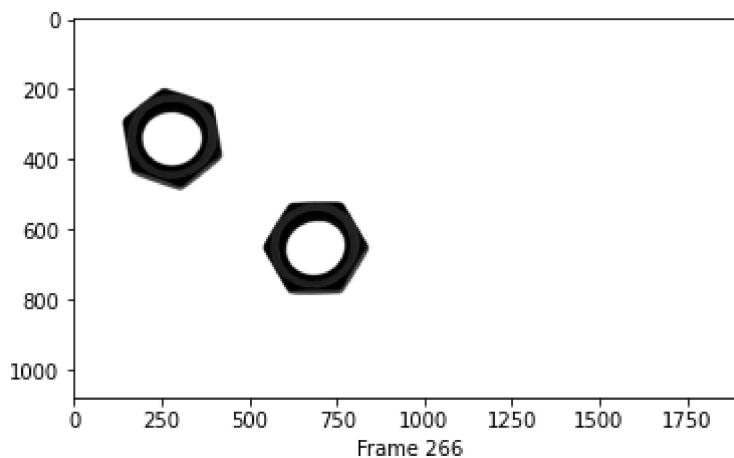
Total Frames: 280

In [33]:

```

# plotting random frame
x = np.random.randint(0,280)
plt.subplot()
plt.imshow(frames[x], cmap ='gray')
plt.xlabel("Frame " + str(x))
plt.show()

```



In [21]:

```

# Find contours
contour_plots = []
contours_list = []
for gray in frames:
    # finding contours

```

```

retval, labels, stats, centroids = get_indexed_image(gray) # Connected Components Analysis
belt = ((labels >= 1)*255).astype('uint8')
contours,hierarchy = cv.findContours(belt, cv.RETR_EXTERNAL, cv.CHAIN_APPROX_SIMPLE)
contours_list.append(contours)
# draw contours
im_contours_belt = np.zeros((belt.shape[0],belt.shape[1],3), np.uint8)
cont_plot = cv.drawContours(im_contours_belt, contours, -1, (0,255,0), 5).astype('uint8')
contour_plots.append(cont_plot)

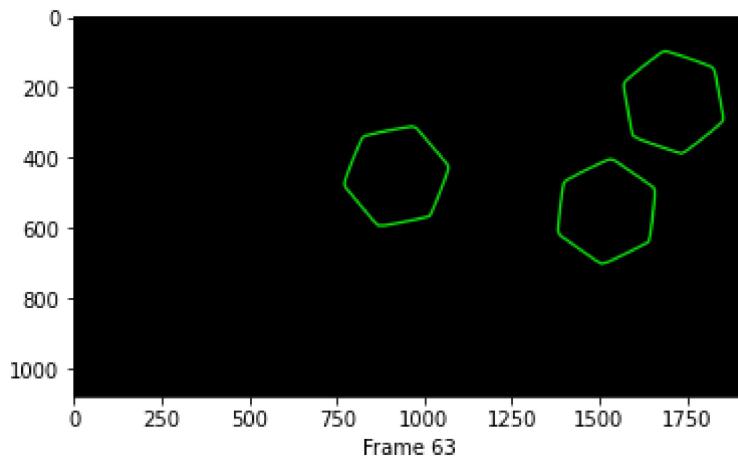
```

In [22]: # plotting contour plots on random frame

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x = np.random.randint(0,280)
plt.subplot()
plt.imshow(contour_plots[x])
plt.xlabel("Frame " + str(x))
plt.show()

```



Object detection and tracking For each contour of the belt frame,

Use is_new and prev_index functions to track each frame and get the indices of each nut. Write a code to detect and track hexagonal nuts in each frame. Hint: If you are thresholding on areas (template and contour) you can use 500 as the threshold. You can set the matching threshold to be 0.5 and experiment

In [23]:

```

video = []
for i in frames:
    # Thresholding, closing, and connected component analysis

    retval, labels, stats, centroids = get_indexed_image(i)
    belt = ((labels >= 1)*255).astype('uint8')
    contours,hierarchy = cv.findContours(belt, cv.RETR_EXTERNAL, cv.CHAIN_APPROX_SIMPLE)

    count = 0 # No. of nuts
    frame = []

    for contour in contours:
        metric = cv.matchShapes(contours_t[0], contour, cv.CONTOURS_MATCH_I1, 0.0) #match

        if metric <= 0.5: # Set threshold to 0.5 smaller the value more matching
            count +=1
            M = cv.moments(contour)

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    ca = M['m00']
    cx, cy = int(M['m10']/M['m00']), int(M['m01']/M['m00'])
    frame.append(np.array([cx, cy, ca, count]))

video.append(frame)
print(video[100])
```

```
[array([1.15100e+03, 5.53000e+02, 5.99235e+04, 1.00000e+00]), array([5.51000e+02, 4.53000e+02, 5.99395e+04, 2.00000e+00]), array([1.34200e+03, 2.43000e+02, 6.00585e+04, 3.00000e+00])]
```

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# counting nuts
total_nuts = int(video[0][-1][-1]) #initial number of nuts in frame 0

prev_frame = video[0] # frame 0
delta_x = np.array([15])
i = np.array([0])
for n in range(1, len(video)):
    current_frame = video[n]
    #check whether nut is new one
    for nut in current_frame:

        if is_new(prev_frame, nut, delta_x, i):

            total_nuts +=1
            nut[-1] = total_nuts # Assigning new count

        else:
            # if not a new one
            nut_index = prev_index(prev_frame, nut, delta_x, i)
            nut[-1] = nut_index # assigning old count

    prev_frame = current_frame
```

In [26]:

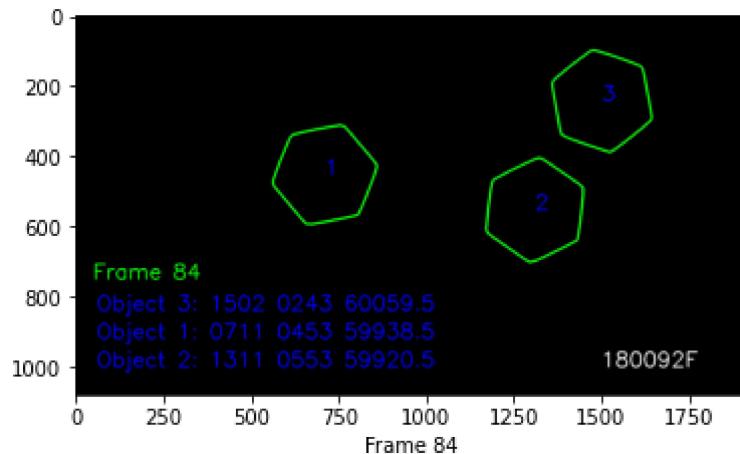
```
annotated_frames =[] # adding annotations
frame_num = 0

for frame, cont_frame, contours in zip(video, contour_plots, contours_list):

    img = cont_frame
    y = 0 # variable to adjust the position of annotations
    for nut in frame:
        img = cv.putText(img, str(int(nut[-1])),(int(nut[0]),int(nut[1])),cv.FONT_HERSHEY_PLAIN)
        img = cv.putText(img, "Object {}: {:04} {:04} {:05}".format(int(nut[-1]), int(nut[0]), int(nut[1]), int(nut[2])))
        y +=1 # variable to adjust the position of annotations
    img = cv.putText(img, "Frame "+str(frame_num) , (50,750) , cv.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX, 1, (255,255,255))
    img = cv.drawContours(img, contours, -1, (0,255,0), 5).astype('uint8')
    img = cv.putText(img, "180092F" , (1500,1000) , cv.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX, 2, (255,255,255))
    annotated_frames.append(img)
    frame_num +=1
```

In [32]:

```
x = np.random.randint(0,280)
plt.subplot()
plt.imshow(annotated_frames[x])
plt.xlabel("Frame " + str(x))
plt.show()
```



In [28]:

```
# saving video
output = '180092F_en2550_a05.mp4'
duration = 10
fourcc = cv.VideoWriter_fourcc(*'MP4V')
fps = int(len(annotated_frames)/duration) # Framerate
height, width, _ = annotated_frames[0].shape
frame_size = (width, height)
out = cv.VideoWriter(output, fourcc, fps, frame_size, 1)
for frame in annotated_frames:
    out.write(frame)
out.release()
print('Video saved')
```

Video saved

In []: