

Exercise 5

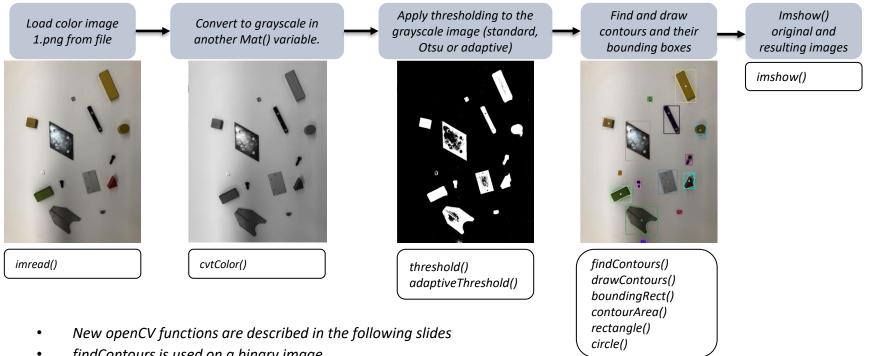
Fundamentals of machine vision algorithms

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Object localization. Generate contours around thresholded parts:



- findContours is used on a binary image
- Image processing prior to contour extraction is crucial for good results
 - Thresholding method and parameters should be found that give best possible results
 - Small particles can be removed with morphological operations (opening) Practical task 2
- Shadows and light reflection can deteriorate localization results (notice reflective surfaces)
- Contours can be filtered based on area size Practical task 3
- Objects can be filtered based on color Practical task 4

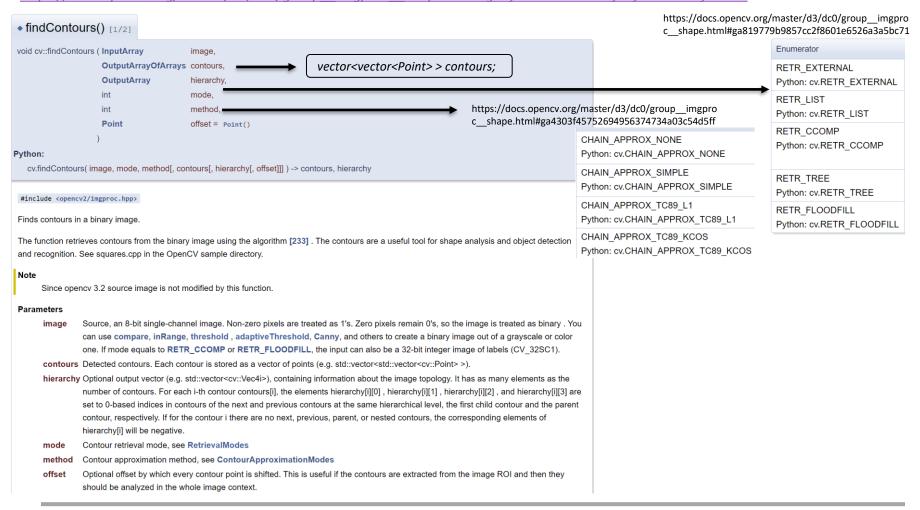
https://docs.opencv.org/master/d3/dc0/group__imaproc__shape.html#gadf1ad6a0b82947fa1fe3c3d497f260e0





findContours()

https://docs.opencv.org/master/d3/dc0/group imaproc shape.html#gadf1ad6a0b82947fa1fe3c3d497f260e0







drawContours(), boundingRect(), rectangle(), circle()

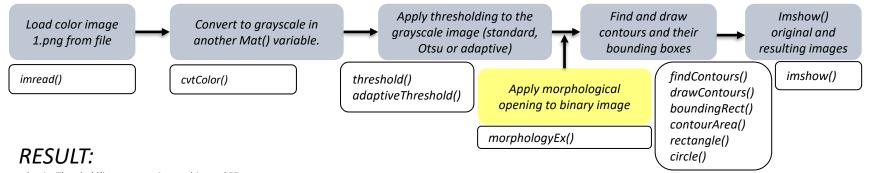
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drawContours()
                      https://docs.opencv.org/master/d6/d6e/group imgproc draw.html#ga746c0625f1781f1ffc9056259103edbc
void cv::drawContours ( InputOutputArray
                                                           vector<vector<Point> > contours;
                  InputArrayOfArrays contours
                                                                                                        Contour number (0....X)
                                                                  Scalar (...,...)
                   const Scalar &
                                    color,
                   int
                                   thickness = 1.
                   int
                                    lineType = LINE_8
                  InputArray
                                    hierarchy = noArray(),
                  int
                                    maxLevel = INT MAX ,
                   Point
                                    offset = Point()
Python:
  cv.drawContours( image, contours, contourldx, color[, thickness[, lineType[, hierarchy[, maxLevel[, offset]]]]]) -> image
boundingRect()
Rect cv::RotatedRect::boundingRect ( ) const
                                                           Rect bounding = boundingRect(contours.at(i)); //creates bounding rectangle around contour "i"
             1 of 2 ▼ void rectangle(InputOutputArray img, Rect rec, const Scalar &color, int thickness = 1, int lineType = LINE_8, int shift = 0)
rectangle(rectangle1, Rect(20, 20, 160, 160), Scalar(255), -1,8,0);
         void circle(InputOutputArray img, Point center, int radius, const Scalar &color, int thickness = 1, int lineType = LINE 8, int shift = 0)
circle(circle1,cv::Point(100,100),80,Scalar(255),-1,8,0)
Example code for drawing random color contours and their bounding boxes in the color image:
RNG rng(12345); //range for random number generation
 for (size t i = 0; i < contours.size(); i++)//for each contour
    Scalar color = Scalar(rng.uniform(0, 256), rng.uniform(0, 256));
                                                                                                        //generate random color
     drawContours(image, contours, (int)i, color, 2, LINE 8);
                                                                                                        //draw contour "i"
     Rect bounding = boundingRect(contours.at(i));
                                                                                                        //creates bounding rectangle around contour "i"
    rectangle(image,bounding,color,2,LINE 8,0);
                                                                                                        //draw bounding rectangle
     circle(image,Point(bounding.x+bounding.width/2,bounding.y+bounding.height/2),5,color,-1,LINE 8,0); // draw center of bounding rectange
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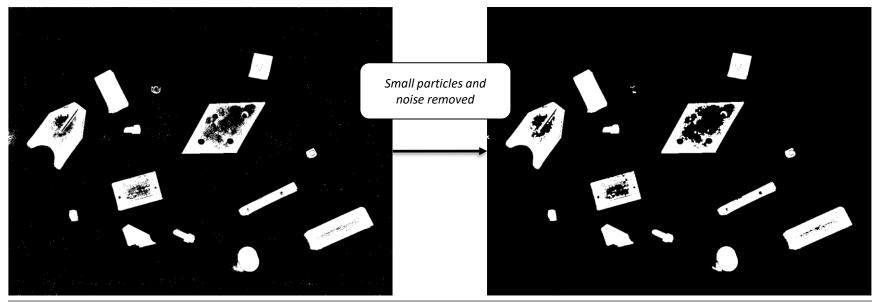


Upgrade Practical task 1 by removing small particles or parts using:

Morphological opening (use code from previous excersises)



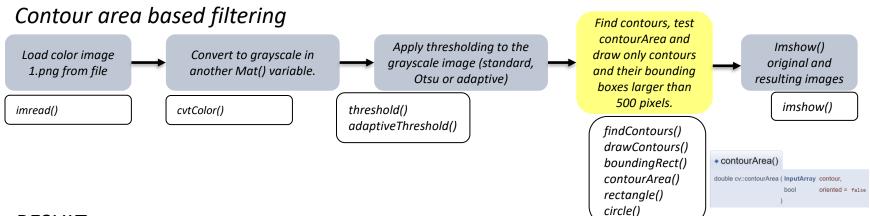
adaptiveThreshold(image_gray, image_binary, 255, ADAPTIVE_THRESH_GAUSSIAN_C, THRESH_BINARY_INV, 131, 5);



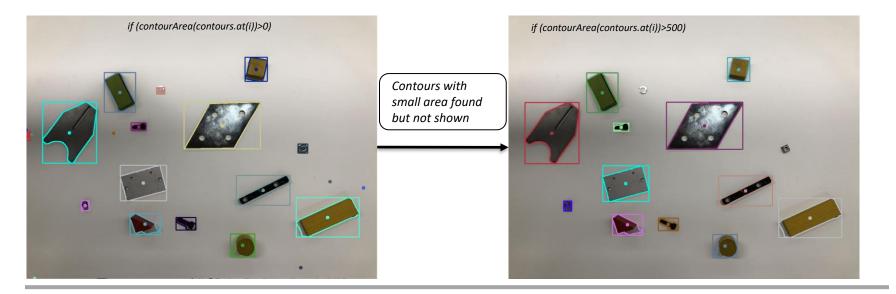




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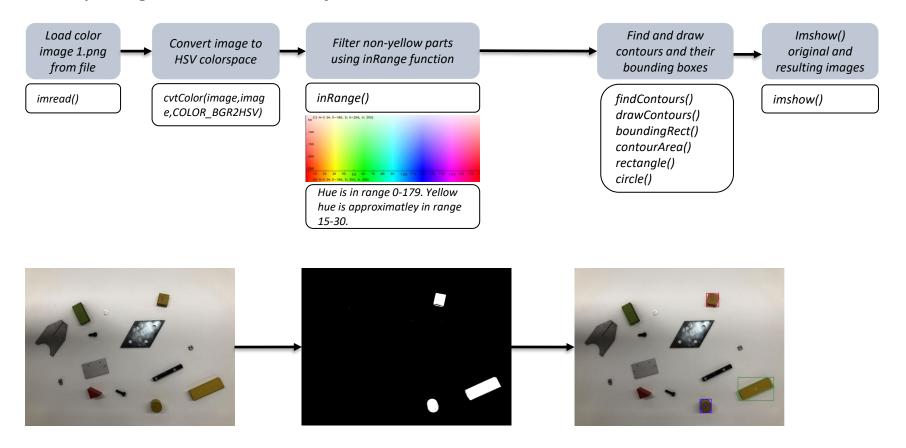
RESULT:







Upgrade Practical task 1 by converting the image to HSV color space and creating a binary image based on color of interest:







inRange()



Example:

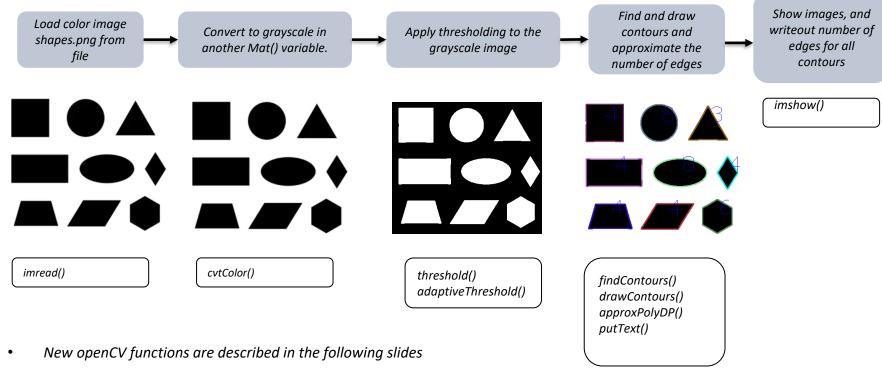
inRange(image_hsv,Scalar(15,50,50),Scalar(30,255,255),image_binary); //yellow objects only

https://docs.opencv.org/3.4/d2/de8/group core array.html#ga48af0ab51e36436c5d04340e036ce981





Shape detection



- findContours is used on a binary image
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- approxPolyDP() uses Douglas-Peucker algorithm to approximate a curve or a polygon with another curve/polygon with less vertices
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approxPolyDP()

https://docs.opencv.org/3.4/d3/dc0/group imgproc shape.html#ga0012a5fdaea70b8a9970165d98722b4c







drawContours(), putText()







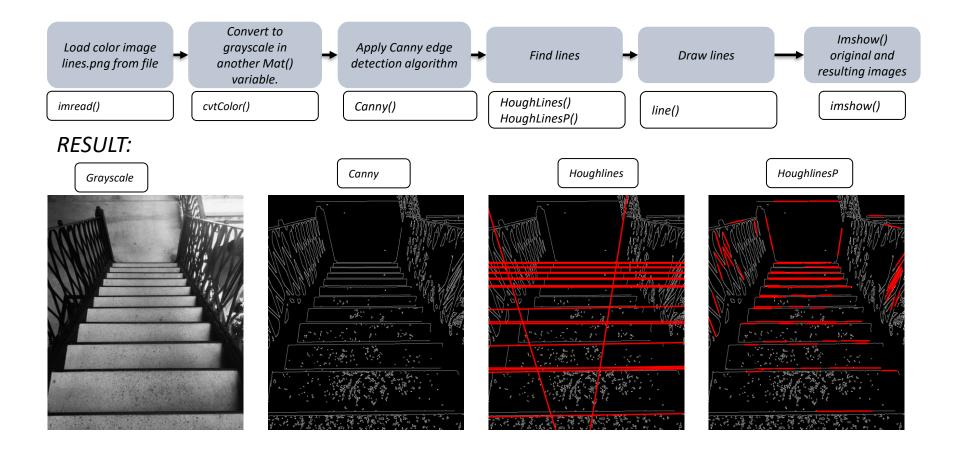
Use basic code from prior excersise to get a faster start:

```
int main(){
Mat image=imread("1.png",1);
Mat image gray=imread("1.png",0);
Matimage binary, image hsv;
//threshold(image gray,image binary,100,255,THRESH BINARY INV+THRESH OTSU);
//threshold(image_gray,image_binary,100,255,THRESH_BINARY_INV);
adaptiveThreshold(image gray, image binary, 255, ADAPTIVE THRESH GAUSSIAN C, THRESH BINARY INV, 131, 5);
vector<vector<Point> > contours;
findContours(image binary,contours,RETR EXTERNAL,1);
RNG rng(12345); //range for random number generation
for (size t i = 0; i < contours.size(); i++)//for each contour
  if (contourArea(contours.at(i))>100) //filter for removing small contours
    Scalar color = Scalar(rng.uniform(0, 256), rng.uniform(0, 256), rng.uniform(0, 256)); //generate random color
    drawContours(image, contours, (int)i, color, 2, LINE 8);//draw contour "i"
    Rect bounding = boundingRect(contours.at(i)); //creates bounding rectangle around contour "i"
      // approximate contour with accuracy proportional to the contour perimeter
 imshow("Color", image);
 imshow("Gray", image gray);
 imshow("Binary", image_binary);
waitKey(0);
return 1;
```





Detect lines





HoughLines(), HoughLinesP()

https://docs.opencv.org/3.4/dd/d1a/group imgproc feature.html#ga46b4e588934f6c8dfd509cc6e0e4545a

```
HoughLines()
 void cv::HoughLines (InputArray image,
                       OutputArray lines.
                       double
                                     theta.
                       double
                       double
                                     max theta = cv pr
Python:
   cv.HoughLines( image, rho, theta, threshold[, lines[, srn[, stn[, min_theta[, max_theta]]]]] ) -> lines
 #include <opencv2/imgproc.hpp>
 Finds lines in a binary image using the standard Hough transform.
 The function implements the standard or standard multi-scale Hough transform algorithm for line detection. See
 http://homepages.inf.ed.ac.uk/rbf/HIPR2/hough.htm for a good explanation of Hough transform.
        image
                   8-bit, single-channel binary source image. The image may be modified by the function.
                   Output vector of lines. Each line is represented by a 2 or 3 element vector (\rho, \theta) or (\rho, \theta, \text{votes}). \rho is the distance from the
                   coordinate origin (0,0) (top-left corner of the image). \theta is the line rotation angle in radians (
                   0\sim {
m vertical\ line},\pi/2\sim {
m horizontal\ line} ). votes is the value of accumulator.
                   Distance resolution of the accumulator in pixels.
                   Angle resolution of the accumulator in radians.
        theta
       threshold Accumulator threshold parameter. Only those lines are returned that get enough votes ( > threshold ).
                   For the multi-scale Hough transform, it is a divisor for the distance resolution rho . The coarse accumulator distance resolution is rho
                    and the accurate accumulator resolution is rho/srn . If both srn=0 and stn=0 , the classical Hough transform is used. Otherwise, both
                   these parameters should be positive.
                   For the multi-scale Hough transform, it is a divisor for the distance resolution theta.
        min_theta For standard and multi-scale Hough transform, minimum angle to check for lines. Must fall between 0 and max_theta.
        max_theta For standard and multi-scale Hough transform, maximum angle to check for lines. Must fall between min theta and CV PI.
```

```
HoughLinesP()
  void cv::HoughLinesP (InputArray image,
                        OutputArray lines,
                        double
                        double
                                     theta
                       double
                                   minLineLength = e
                        double
                                     maxLineGap = 0
 Python:
    cv.HoughLinesP( image, rho, theta, threshold[, lines[, minLineLength[, maxLineGap]]] ) -> lines
  #include <opency2/imgproc.hpp>
 Finds line segments in a binary image using the probabilistic Hough transform.
 The function implements the probabilistic Hough transform algorithm for line detection, described in [147]
Parameters
                      8-bit, single-channel binary source image. The image may be modified by the function.
                      Output vector of lines. Each line is represented by a 4-element vector (x_1,y_1,x_2,y_2) , where (x_1,y_1) and (x_2,y_2) are the
      lines
                      ending points of each detected line segment.
      rho
                      Distance resolution of the accumulator in pixels.
      theta
                      Angle resolution of the accumulator in radians.
```

Accumulator threshold parameter. Only those lines are returned that get enough votes (> threshold).

Example: HoughLines(dst, lines, 1, CV PI/180, 180, 0, 0);

```
Example:
HoughLinesP(dst, linesP, 1, CV PI/180, 50, 50, 1);
```

minLineLength Minimum line length. Line segments shorter than that are rejected.

maxLineGap Maximum allowed gap between points on the same line to link them.





<u>Draw lines based on HoughLines output:</u>

```
vector<Vec2f> lines; // will hold the results of the detection
HoughLines(dst, lines, 1, CV_PI/180, 180, 0, 0); // runs the actual detection
// Draw the lines
for( size_t i = 0; i < lines.size(); i++ )
{
    float rho = lines[i][0], theta = lines[i][1];
    Point pt1, pt2;
    double a = cos(theta), b = sin(theta);
    double x0 = a*rho, y0 = b*rho;
    pt1.x = cvRound(x0 + 1000*(-b));
    pt1.y = cvRound(y0 + 1000*(a));
    pt2.x = cvRound(x0 - 1000*(-b));
    pt2.y = cvRound(y0 - 1000*(a));
    line( cdst, pt1, pt2, Scalar(0,0,255), 3, LINE_AA);
}</pre>
```

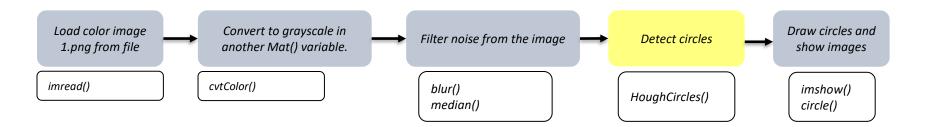
Draw lines based on HoughLinesP output:

```
// Probabilistic Line Transform
vector<Vec4i> linesP; // will hold the results of the detection
HoughLinesP(dst, linesP, 1, CV_PI/180, 50, 50, 1); // runs the actual detection
// Draw the lines
for( size_t i = 0; i < linesP.size(); i++ )
{
    Vec4i I = linesP[i];
    line( cdstP, Point(I[0], I[1]), Point(I[2], I[3]), Scalar(0,0,255), 3, LINE_AA);
}</pre>
```

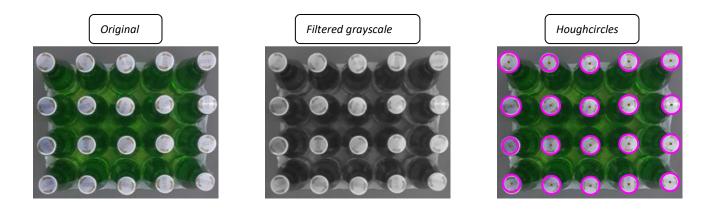




Detect all the bottle caps as circles



RESULT:







HoughCircles()

```
HoughCircles()
void cv::HoughCircles (InputArray
                       OutputArray circles,
                                     method.
                       double
                                    dp,
                       double
                                    minDist.
                       double
                                    param1 = 100
                      double
                                    param2 = 100
                       int
                                    minRadius = 0
                       int
                                     maxRadius = 0
Python:
   cv.HoughCircles( image, method, dp, minDist[, circles[, param1[, param2[, minRadius[, maxRadius]]]]] ) -> circles
 #include <opencv2/imgproc.hpp>
Finds circles in a grayscale image using the Hough transform.
The function finds circles in a grayscale image using a modification of the Hough transform.
```

Note

Usually the function detects the centers of circles well. However, it may fail to find correct radii. You can assist to the function by specifying the radius range (minRadius and maxRadius) if you know it. Or, you may set maxRadius to a negative number to return centers only without radius search, and find the correct radius using an additional procedure.

Parameters

image 8-bit, single-channel, grayscale input image.

eles Output vector of found circles. Each vector is encoded as 3 or 4 element floating-point vector (x, y, radius) or

(x, y, radius, votes)

method Detection method, see HoughModes, Currently, the only implemented method is HOUGH GRADIENT

dp Inverse ratio of the accumulator resolution to the image resolution. For example, if dp=1, the accumulator has the same resolution as

the input image. If dp=2, the accumulator has half as big width and height.

ninDist Minimum distance between the centers of the detected circles. If the parameter is too small, multiple neighbor circles may be falsely

detected in addition to a true one. If it is too large, some circles may be missed.

param1 First method-specific parameter. In case of HOUGH_GRADIENT, it is the higher threshold of the two passed to the Canny edge

detector (the lower one is twice smaller).

param2 Second method-specific parameter. In case of HOUGH_GRADIENT, it is the accumulator threshold for the circle centers at the

detection stage. The smaller it is, the more false circles may be detected. Circles, corresponding to the larger accumulator values, will

be returned first.

minRadius Minimum circle radius.

maxRadius Maximum circle radius. If <= 0, uses the maximum image dimension. If < 0, returns centers without finding the radius.

Example:

```
HoughCircles(gray, circles, HOUGH_GRADIENT, 1,
gray.rows/16, // change this value to detect circles with different distances to each other
100, 30, 1, 30 // change the last two parameters
// (min_radius & max_radius) to detect larger circles
```

https://docs.opencv.org/3.4/dd/d1a/group imaproc feature.html#ga47849c3be0d0406ad3ca45db65a25d2d





Draw circles based on the output from the HoughCricles:

```
for( size_t i = 0; i < circles.size(); i++ )
{
    Vec3i c = circles[i];
    Point center = Point(c[0], c[1]); // circle center
    circle( src, center, 1, Scalar(0,100,100), 3, LINE_AA); // circle outline
    int radius = c[2];
    circle( src, center, radius, Scalar(255,0,255), 3, LINE_AA);
}</pre>
```





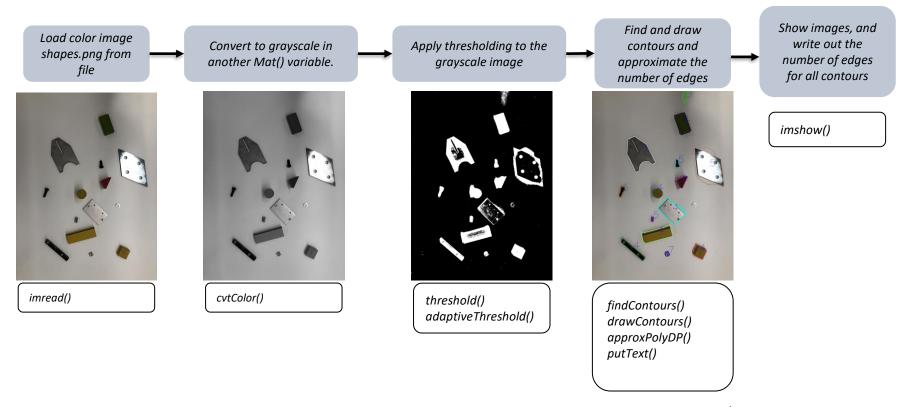
Student assignment (seminar)





Student assignment - seminar

Shape detection – test the algorithm in a realistic example



- approxPolyDP() uses Douglas-Peucker algorithm to approximate a curve or a polygon with another curve/polygon with less vertices
- Write out the number of edges next to any shape
- NOTICE \rightarrow image noise and approximation epsilon can give wrong results, test different settings to get best results





Student assignment - seminar

Add trackbar and change the threshold value and inRange lower and upper limits, for Practical tasks 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Test out the object localization on other images ("2.png" and "3.png"):





For trackbar use example : https://docs.opencv.org/master/da/d6a/tutorial_trackbar.html





Student assignment - seminar

Detect lines – test the algorithm on road.jpg example and change the parameters (canny edge, hough lines,...) to get better results

