

Keypoints exercise: SIFT

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1 Image Feature Matching with Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT)

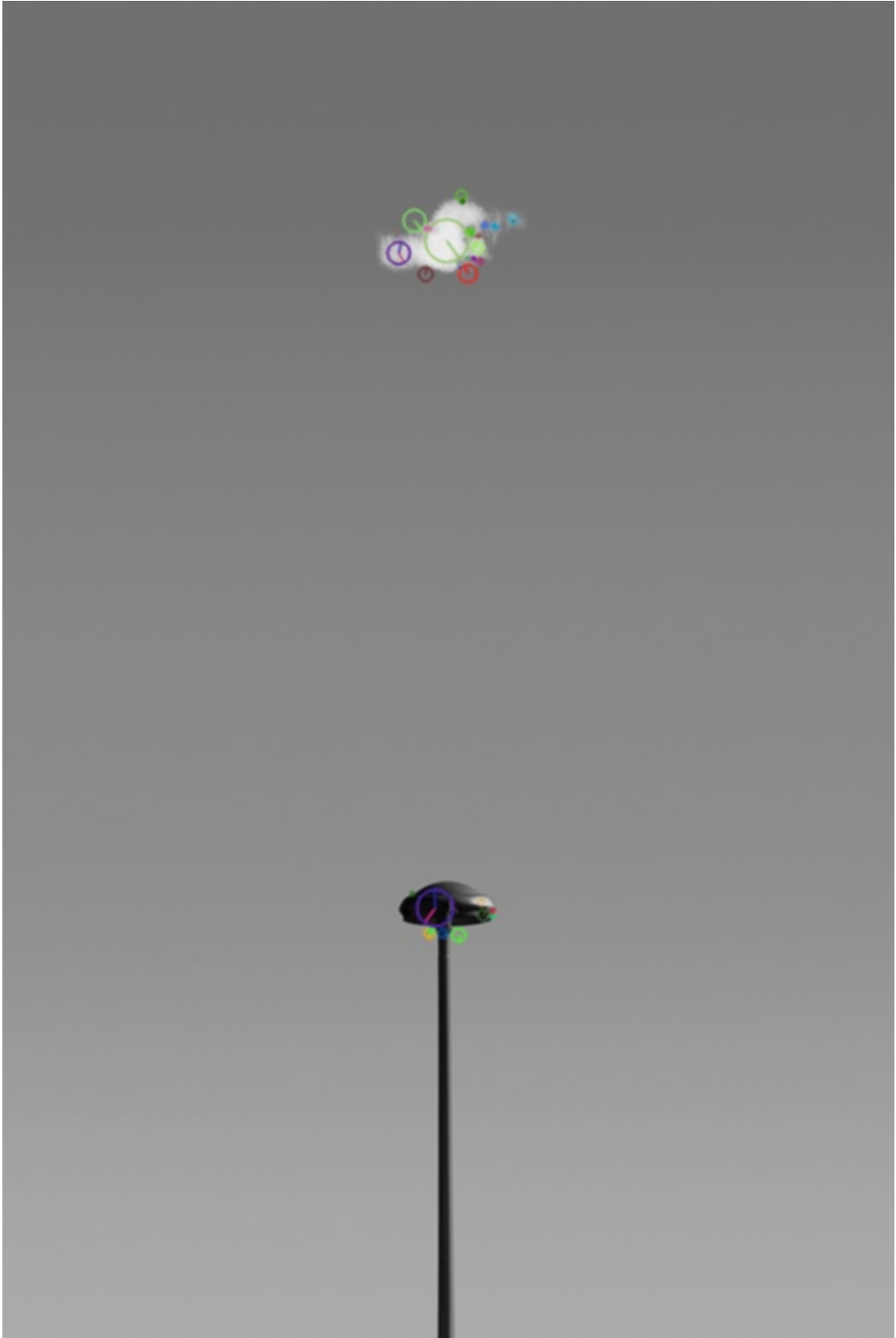
The Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT) algorithm is a powerful tool in computer vision for identifying and matching keypoints (distinctive regions) within images. It excels at finding these keypoints regardless of variations in image scale, rotation, and illumination.

```
import os
import numpy as np
import cv2 as cv
from IPython.display import Image, display
```

```
def imshow(img, ax=None):
    if ax is None:
        _, encoded = cv.imencode(".png", img)
        display(Image(encoded))
    else:
        ax.imshow(cv.cvtColor(img, cv.COLOR_BGR2RGB))
        ax.axis('off')
```

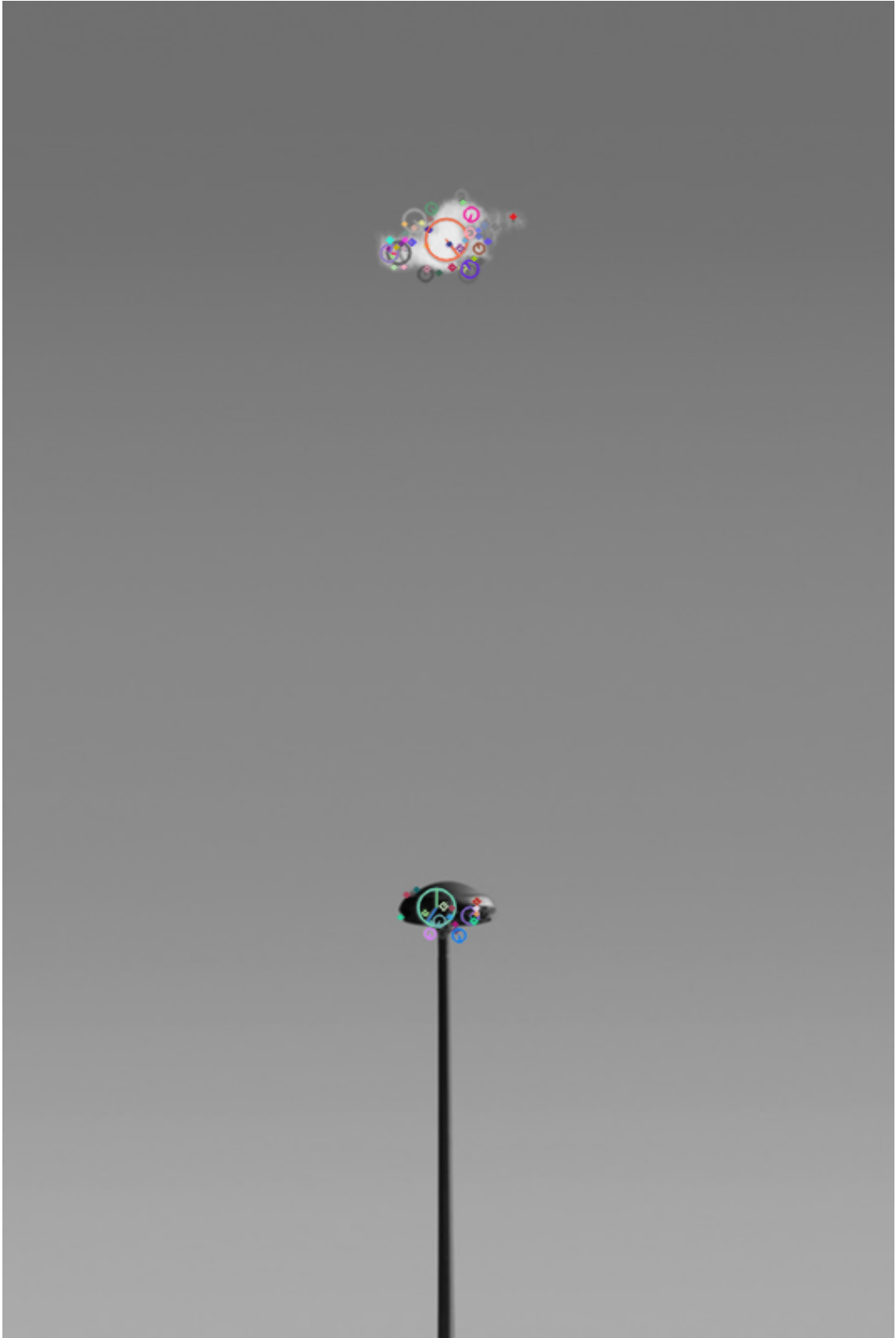
```
image_path = os.path.join(os.pardir, os.pardir, os.pardir, 'img',
↳ 'classification', 'sample.png')
```

```
image = cv.imread(image_path)
image_gray = cv.cvtColor(image, cv.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
imshow(image)
```



```
sift = cv.SIFT_create()
mask = None
kp = sift.detect(image, mask)

img_key_points = cv.drawKeypoints(image_gray, kp, image, flags=cv.
    ↳DRAW_MATCHES_FLAGS_DRAW_RICH_KEYPOINTS)
imshow(img_key_points)
```



2 Compare two images using the keypoints of SIFT

```
def compare_img(img1, img2):
    sift = cv.SIFT_create()

    # Detect keypoints and compute descriptors
    kp1, des1 = sift.detectAndCompute(img1, None)
    kp2, des2 = sift.detectAndCompute(img2, None)

    bf = cv.BFMatcher()
    matches = bf.knnMatch(des1, des2, k=2)

    # Apply ratio test for good matches
    good_matches = []
    for m, n in matches:
        if m.distance < 0.7*n.distance:
            good_matches.append(m)

    # Draw matches on images
    img_matches = cv.drawMatchesKnn(img1, kp1, img2, kp2, [good_matches], None,
    ↪ flags=2)

    imshow(img_matches)
```

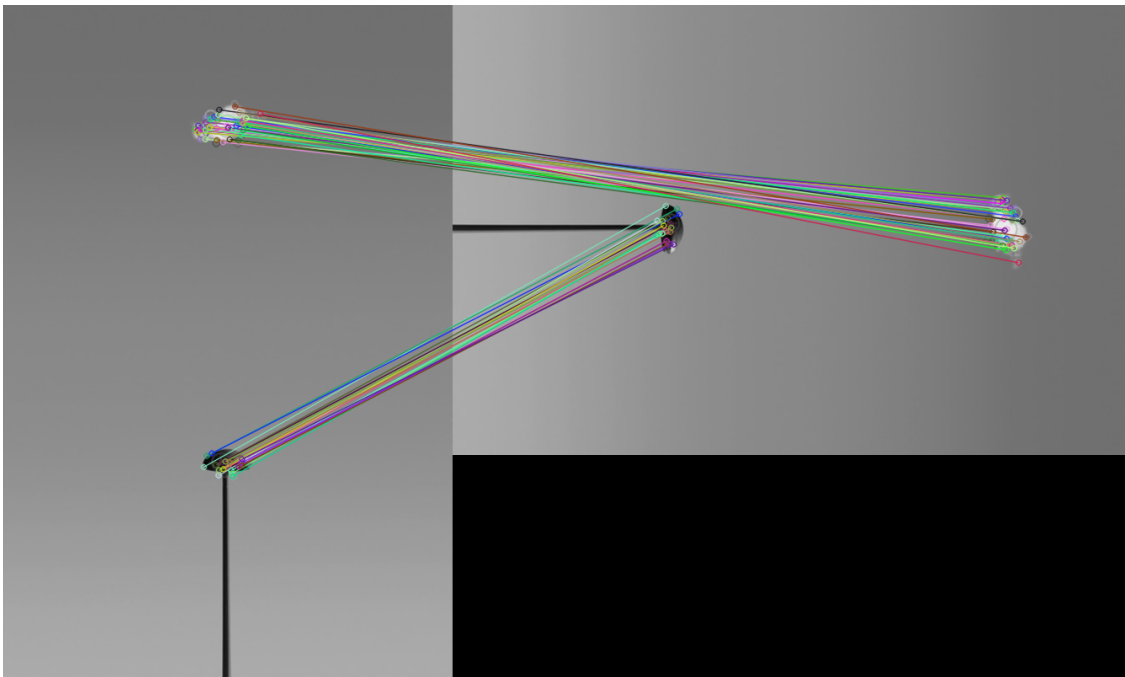
2.1 Rotation

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gray_rotated = cv.rotate(image_gray, cv.ROTATE_90_CLOCKWISE)

imshow(gray_rotated)
```



```
compare_img(image_gray, gray_rotated)
```



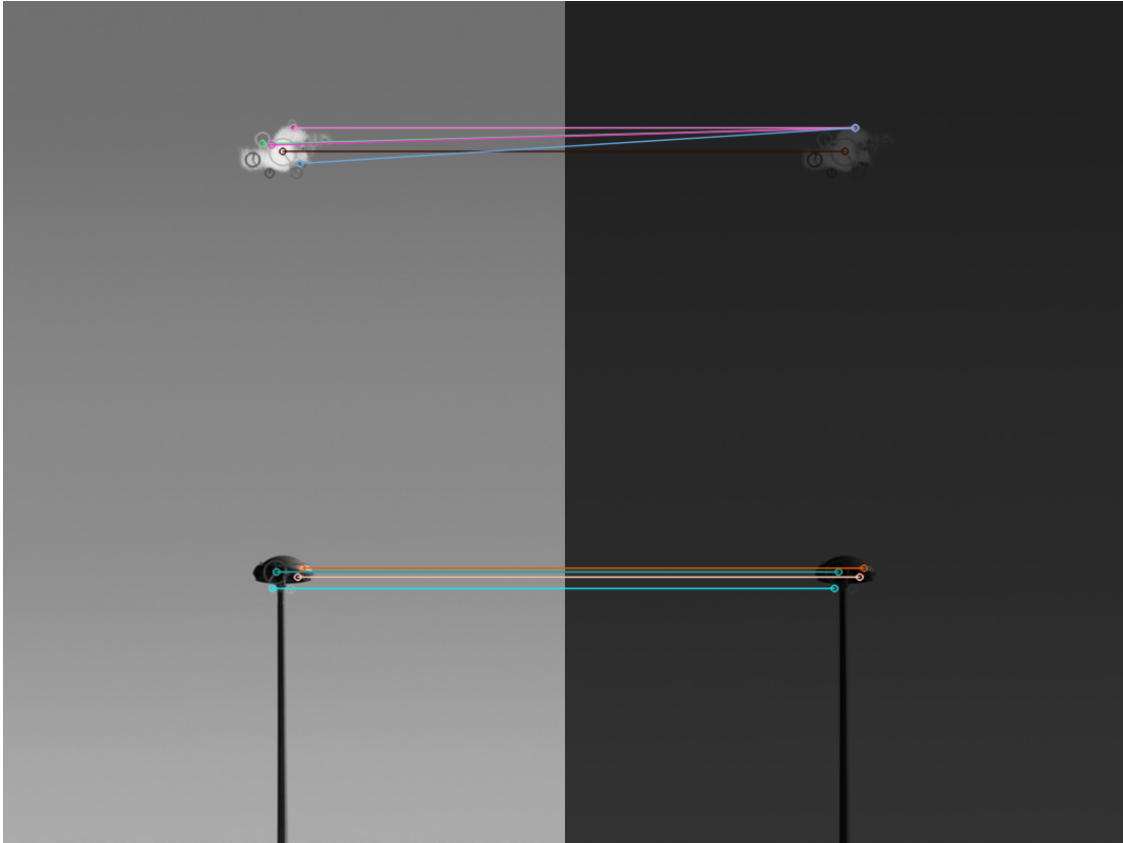
2.2 Luminosity

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luminosity_factor = 0.3
gray_black = image_gray * luminosity_factor
gray_black = gray_black.astype(np.uint8)

imshow(gray_black)
```




```
compare_img(image_gray, gray_black)
```



2.3 Scale

```
scaled_gray = cv.resize(image_gray, (200, 200))  
imshow(scaled_gray)
```



```
compare_img(image_gray, scaled_gray)
```

