## 4. Line segment drawing

When using OpenCV to process images, we sometimes need to draw line segments, rectangles, etc. on the image. OpenCV uses the line(dst, pt1, pt2, color, thickness=None, lineType=None, shift=None) function to draw line segments.

Parameter Description:

I dst: output image.

I pt1, pt2: required parameters. The coordinate points of the line segment represent the starting point and the ending point respectively.

I color: required parameter. Used to set the color of line segments

I thickness: optional parameter. Used to set the width of the line segment

I lineType: optional parameter. Used to set the type of line segment, optional 8 (8 adjacent connecting lines - default), 4 (4 adjacent connecting lines) and cv2.LINE\_AA is anti-aliasing

## The code was run on jupyterlab

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import cv2
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
newImageInfo = (600, 600, 3)
dst = np.zeros(newImageInfo,np.uint8)
# line
# Draw line segments 1 dst 2 begin 3 end 4 color
cv2.line(dst, (100,100), (450,300), (0,0,255))
# 5 line w
cv2.line(dst, (100,200), (400,200), (0,255,255), 10)
# 6 line type
cv2.line(dst, (100,300), (400,300), (0,255,0), 10, cv2.LINE_AA)
cv2.line(dst, (200,150), (50,250), (25,100,255))
cv2.line(dst, (50,250), (400,380), (25,100,255))
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cv2.line(dst, (400,380), (200,150), (25,100,255))

# cv2.imshow('dst',dst)

#cv2.waitKey(0)

dst = cv2.cvtColor(dst, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)

plt.imshow(dst)

plt.show()
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