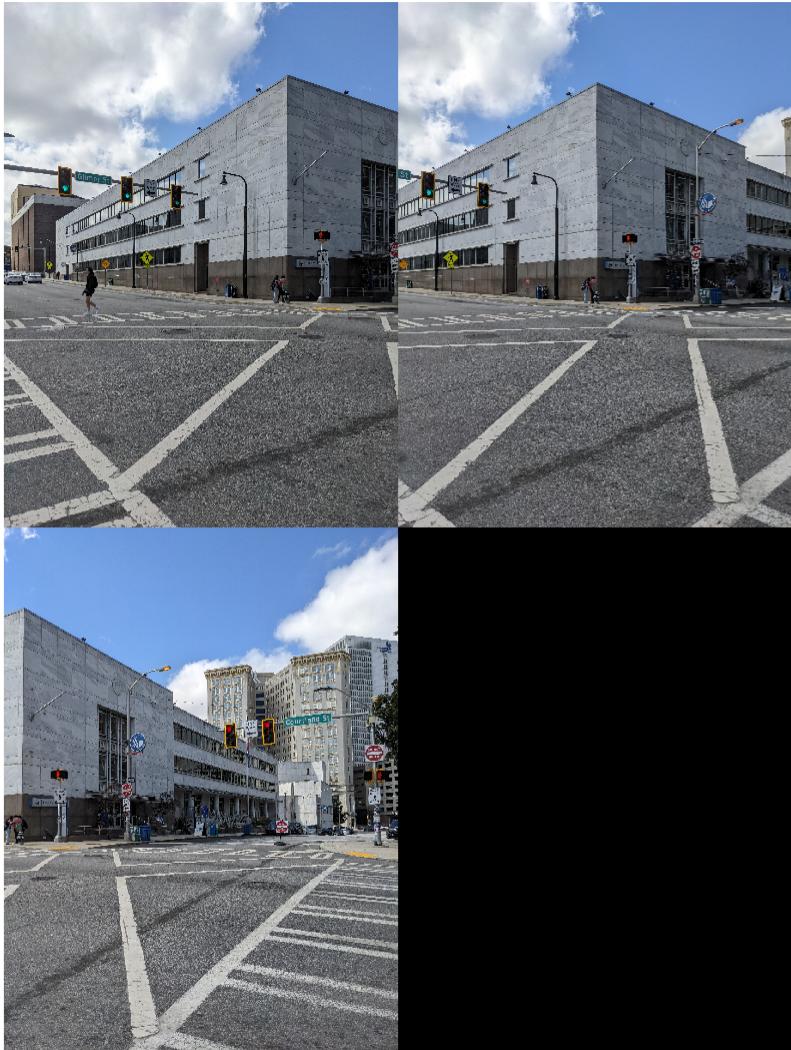


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% Load images.
buildingDir = fullfile("./bookstore");
buildingScene = imageDatastore(buildingDir);

% Display images to be stitched.
montage(buildingScene.Files);
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% Read the first image from the image set.
I = readimage(buildingScene,1);

% Initialize features for I(1)
grayImage = im2gray(I);
points = detectSURFFeatures(grayImage);
[features, points] = extractFeatures(grayImage,points);

% Initialize all the transforms to the identity matrix. Note that the
% projective transform is used here because the building images are fairly
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% close to the camera. Had the scene been captured from a further distance,
% an affine transform would suffice.
numImages = numel(buildingScene.Files);
tforms(numImages) = projective2d(eye(3));

% Initialize variable to hold image sizes.
imageSize = zeros(numImages,2);

% Iterate over remaining image pairs
for n = 2:numImages

    % Store points and features for I(n-1).
    pointsPrevious = points;
    featuresPrevious = features;

    % Read I(n).
    I = readimage(buildingScene, n);

    % Convert image to grayscale.
    grayImage = im2gray(I);

    % Save image size.
    imageSize(n,:) = size(grayImage);

    % Detect and extract SURF features for I(n).
    points = detectSURFFeatures(grayImage);
    [features, points] = extractFeatures(grayImage, points);

    % Find correspondences between I(n) and I(n-1).
    indexPairs = matchFeatures(features, featuresPrevious, 'Unique', true);

    matchedPoints = points(indexPairs(:,1), :);
    matchedPointsPrev = pointsPrevious(indexPairs(:,2), :);

    % Estimate the transformation between I(n) and I(n-1).
    tforms(n) = estimateGeometricTransform2D(matchedPoints, matchedPointsPrev, ...
        'projective', 'Confidence', 99.9, 'MaxNumTrials', 10000);

    % Compute T(n) * T(n-1) * ... * T(1)
    tforms(n).T = tforms(n).T * tforms(n-1).T;
end

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% Compute the output limits for each transform.
for i = 1:numel(tforms)
    [xlim(i,:), ylim(i,:)] = outputLimits(tforms(i), [1 imageSize(i,2)], [1 imageSize(i,2)]);
end

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avgXLim = mean(xlim, 2);
[~, idx] = sort(avgXLim);

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centerIdx = floor((numel(tforms)+1)/2);
centerImageIdx = idx(centerIdx);
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%Finally, apply the center image's inverse transform to all the others.
Tinv = invert(tforms(centerImageIdx));
for i = 1:numel(tforms)
    tforms(i).T = tforms(i).T * Tinv.T;
end
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for i = 1:numel(tforms)
    [xlim(i,:), ylim(i,:)] = outputLimits(tforms(i), [1 imageSize(i,2)], [1 imageSize(i,1)]);
end

maxImageSize = max(imageSize);

% Find the minimum and maximum output limits.
xMin = min([1; xlim(:)]);
xMax = max([maxImageSize(2); xlim(:)]);

yMin = min([1; ylim(:)]);
yMax = max([maxImageSize(1); ylim(:)]);

% Width and height of panorama.
width = round(xMax - xMin);
height = round(yMax - yMin);

% Initialize the "empty" panorama.
panorama = zeros([height width 3], 'like', I);
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blender = vision.AlphaBlender('Operation', 'Binary mask', ...
    'MaskSource', 'Input port');

% Create a 2-D spatial reference object defining the size of the panorama.
xLimits = [xMin xMax];
yLimits = [yMin yMax];
panoramaView = imref2d([height width], xLimits, yLimits);

% Create the panorama.
for i = 1:numImages

    I = readimage(buildingScene, i);

    % Transform I into the panorama.
    warpedImage = imwarp(I, tforms(i), 'OutputView', panoramaView);

    % Generate a binary mask.
    mask = imwarp(true(size(I,1),size(I,2)), tforms(i), 'OutputView', panoramaView);
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% Overlay the warpedImage onto the panorama.  
panorama = step(blender, panorama, warpedImage, mask);  
end  
  
figure  
imshow(panorama);  
title('Stitched Image')
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