

Auto Mosaicing Algorithm

Environment: Python 3.9.12, dependencies and command for installing with anaconda in env.txt

This program loosely follows the paper "Recognizing Panoramas" by Matthew Brown. Originally I set out to implement the entire panorama pipeline as laid out in the paper, but due to time constraints have implemented the main thrust of the paper, "recognizing panoramas" amidst mixed sets of unordered images. My general process follows this outline sequence:

1. Compute each image's features (SIFT features are used for resilience against camera zoom effects causing scale changes in features)
2. Image pairing:
 - a. For each image, compute feature matches between itself and each other image (use KD-Tree for speed, find good balance of speed and quality of results)
 - b. Compute a homography for each of these image pairings with the resulting matches.
 - b. Eliminate image pairings that either did not succeed in RANSAC homography estimation or do not meet some basic quality criteria (inlier ratio, number of inliers).
 - c. Rank each image's potential homographies in order of quality.
3. Finding connected sets. Starting with the first image:
 - a. Consider this image and its best match a set.
 - b. Recursively search through all images finding images whose best match is included in the set already, adding these images to the set.
 - c. Continue recursion until an iteration does not add any new images to the set.
 - d. With remaining images, start the process again creating another connected set until all images have been placed in a set.
4. Stitching images.
 - a. Compute each image's global homography
 - find first image to place(image with best homography quality) and set its homography to a transform to place it in the center of the canvas
 - recursively find the next image by searching for images whose best pair image has already had its global homography calculated
 - calculate each image's global homography by taking the dot product of the already transported image with the current image
 - repeat loop until every image has a global homography
 - b. Since each image's original homography was calculated in a forward direction, the same in which it is placed on the canvas, no further homography transformations are needed, just use cv2's warpTransform to place each image in the canvas

- c. Crop out unnecessary space and render

Things to improve after this course:

- perform better homography quality control to completely eliminate false positives
 - compare overlapped areas of images and throw away homographies that have too small of an inlier ratio within the overlap area
- pre-determine image grouping with a time threshold using any file metadata (images taken more than several days apart won't be considered)
- include option to write image match data to files after computation so that extremely large sets of images can be stitched without maxxing out RAM
- perform bundle optimization, gain compensation, and mosaic straightening

Test Runs

At the end of this file are multiple test runs that arrange the images in a number of different ways to demonstrate the program working fine in most scenarios, including

- ordered/randomized images
- small/large sets of images
- 1D/2D panoramas
- clean and noisy image sets

Results

This algorithm works fairly well for all the given scenarios, it could be faster by utilizing a more reliable homography quality check so that once m number of pairs are found that meet the high standard, then an image can be considered as matched rather than comparing to every other image. One very large image sets, it can begin to experience false negatives and the mosaics that would normally stitch well when done independently will fail to stitch. There likely needs to be a better tuning of the flann tree and homography threshold parameters, or an adaptive set of parameters.

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import glob
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.image as mpimg
from mpl_toolkits.axes_grid1 import ImageGrid
import cv2
import numpy as np
import sys
import math
import random
import time
import os
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# Get the current working directory
cwd = os.getcwd()
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# Print the current working directory
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print("Current working directory: {0}".format(cwd))
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pathToImagesFromCwd = '/images'
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try:
    os.chdir(os.getcwd() + pathToImagesFromCwd)
    cwd = os.getcwd()
    print("Changed to: {0}".format(cwd))
except Exception:
    print('Already in images directory')
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Current working directory: c:\Users\ austi\dev\auto-stitch\images
Already in images directory
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Define helper classes

Some reusable utility functions are first added

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def log(output):
    if options.logOutput is True:
        sys.stdout.write(output)

def logVerbose(output):
    if options.logOutput is True and options.logVerbose is True:
        sys.stdout.write(output)

def logFn(fn):
    if options.logOutput is True:
        fn()

def logPlot(fn):
    if options.logPlots is True:
        fn()

class Options:
    def __init__(self):
        self.useNBestFeatureMatches = 600
        self.homographyRansacError = 1
        self.homographyMinMatchCount = 20
        self.homographyInlierRatioThreshold = 0.8
        self.homographyMinInliers = 100
        self.logOutput = True
        self.logVerbose = False
        self.logPlots = True
        self.matchCountThreshold = 100
        self.matchingDistanceThreshold = 150
        self.shuffleImages = False
        self.numSiftFeatures = 5000
        self.previewImageSet = True

options = Options()
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def gridPlot(x=None, y=None, imgs=[], figsize=(10, 10), titles=[],
title=''):
    num = len(imgs)

    if x is not None:
        y = math.ceil(num / x)
    elif y is not None:
        x = math.ceil(num / y)
    else:
        x = 6
        y = math.ceil(num / x)

    fig = plt.figure(figsize=figsize)
    grid = ImageGrid(fig, 111, # similar to subplot(111)
                      nrows_ncols=(y, x), # creates 2x2 grid of axes
                      axes_pad=0.3, # pad between axes in inch.
                      )
    fillBlank = x*y - num
    blanks = []

    for i in range(0, fillBlank):
        imgs.append(255*np.ones((imgs[-1].shape[0], imgs[-1].shape[1],
3)).astype(int))

    for idx, (ax, im) in enumerate(zip(grid, imgs + blanks)):
        # Iterating over the grid returns the Axes.
        ax.imshow(im)
        if idx < len(titles):
            ax.set_title(titles[idx])

    plt.show()

class Timer:
    def __init__(self):
        self.start = time.time()
        self.end = None

    def finish(self):
        self.end = time.time()
        elapsed = self.end - self.start
        return elapsed

def displayIm(im, title='Result', showFlag=True, size=None):
    max = np.amax(im)
    min = np.amin(im)
    normalized = (((im - min) / (max - min)) * 255).astype(int)
    fig, ax = plt.subplots()
    if size:

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fig.set_figheight(size)
fig.set_figwidth(size)

plt.title(title)
plt.xticks([], plt.yticks([])) # axis label off
if showFlag: plt.imshow(normalized, cmap='gray', aspect='equal')

def blackOut(img):
    img = img.astype(np.uint8)
    if len(img.shape)==3:
        im = cv2.cvtColor(img,cv2.COLOR_RGB2GRAY)
        mask = np.array((im > 0), np.uint8)
        x,y,w,h=cv2.boundingRect(mask)
        return img[y:y+h,x:x+w,:]
    else:
        mask = np.array((img > 0), np.uint8)
        x,y,w,h=cv2.boundingRect(mask)
        return img[y:y+h,x:x+w]

def showKP(im,kp,title='', show=True):

flags=cv2.DRAW_MATCHES_FLAGS_DRAW_OVER_OUTIMG+cv2.DRAW_MATCHES_FLAGS_DRAW_RICH_KEYPOINTS
cv2.drawKeypoints(im,kp,flags=flags, outImage=im)
if show:
    displayIm(im, title=title, size=10)
return im

# This function display the matches between two images
def showMatches(im1,kp1,im2,kp2,matches, N, title='Matches',
matchMode='BF', matchesMask=None):
    im1 = showKP(im1, kp1, show=False)
    im2 = showKP(im2, kp2, show=False)
    flags=2
    if matchMode == 'BF':
        im = cv2.drawMatches(im1,kp1,im2,kp2,matches[:N],None,flags=2)
        displayIm(im, title=title, size=14)
    elif matchMode == 'KNN':
        im = cv2.drawMatchesKnn(im1, kp1, im2, kp2,
matches1to2=matches[:N], outImg=None, flags=flags)
        displayIm(im, title=title, size=14)

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Auxiliary classes

Classes to help hold information and manage images

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class Image:
    def __init__(self, image, pathname=''):
        self.color = image.copy()
        self.pathname = pathname

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self.bw = cv2.cvtColor(self.color, cv2.COLOR_RGB2GRAY)
kp, ds = self.computeFeatures()
self.keypoints = kp
self.descriptors = ds
self.pairs = list()
self.finalPair = None
self.H = None

# get SIFT features
def computeFeatures(self):
    sift = cv2.SIFT_create(options.numSiftFeatures)
    kp, ds = sift.detectAndCompute(self.bw, None)
    return kp, ds

def addPotentialMatch(self, potentialMatch):
    self.pairs.append(potentialMatch)

def computePairHomographies(self, imageDict):
    for p in self.pairs:
        p.computeHomography(imageDict[p.key1], imageDict[p.key2])

def cullInvalidHomographies(self):
    removedPairInfo = []
    for p in list(self.pairs):
        if p.invalid is True:
            removedPairInfo.append(p.inlierRatio)
            self.pairs.remove(p)
    return removedPairInfo

# descending order of homography quality
def sortPairsByQuality(self):
    self.pairs = sorted(self.pairs, key=lambda x: (x.numInliers,
x.inlierRatio))[::-1]

def computeBestPair(self):
    # for now just select first pair (orderd in descending order
of homography quality)
    if len(self.pairs) > 0:
        self.finalPair = self.pairs[0]

def getPairKeys(self):
    keys = []

    for p in self.pairs:
        keys.append(p.key2)

    return keys

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# Holds information regarding a match between two images
class PotentialImagePair:
    H = None

    def __init__(self, imKey1, imKey2, matches, matchType='BF'):
        self.key1 = imKey1
        self.key2 = imKey2
        self.matches = []
        self.numInliers = 0
        self.numOutliers = 0
        self.inlierRatio = 0
        self.inlierMask = None
        self.fundamentalMat = None
        self.invalid = False
        if matchType == 'BF':
            goodMatches = matches
        elif matchType == 'KNN':
            goodMatches = [i for i, j in matches if i.distance < 0.2 *
j.distance]
        s = sorted(goodMatches, key=lambda x:x.distance)
        self.cumulativeNMatchesDistance = 0

        for m in s:
            self.cumulativeNMatchesDistance+=m.distance
            self.matches.append(m)

    def validateHomography(self, im1, im2):
        maxSkewFactor = .002

        if self.H is None:
            self.invalid = True
        elif self.H[2, 0] > maxSkewFactor or self.H[2, 1] >
maxSkewFactor:
            self.invalid = True
        elif self.inlierRatio <
options.homographyInlierRatioThreshold:
            self.invalid = True
        elif self.numInliers < options.homographyMinInliers:
            self.invalid = True

    def computeHomography(self, im1, im2):
        H = None
        mask = []
        if len(self.matches)>options.homographyMinMatchCount:
            src_pts=[]
            dst_pts=[]
            for m in self.matches:
                (x1, y1) = im1.keypoints[m.queryIdx].pt
                (x2, y2) = im2.keypoints[m.trainIdx].pt

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        src_pts.append((x1, y1))
        dst_pts.append((x2, y2))
    src_pts=np.array(src_pts)
    dst_pts=np.array(dst_pts)
    H, mask = cv2.findHomography(src_pts, dst_pts,
method=cv2.RANSAC,
ransacReprojThreshold=options.homographyRansacError, confidence=0.995)
    self.numInliers = list(mask).count(1)
    self.numOutliers =list(mask).count(0)

    self.inlierMask = list(mask)
    self.cumulativeNMatchesDistance = 0
    for i, m in enumerate(self.matches):
        if 1 in self.inlierMask[i]:
            self.cumulativeNMatchesDistance+=m.distance
    self.inlierRatio = self.numInliers/(self.numInliers +
self.numOutliers)

    self.H = H
    self.validateHomography(im1, im2)

# Holds data for groups of connected images
class ConnectedSet:
    def __init__(self, imKeys):
        self.imKeys = list(set(imKeys))
        self.finalIm = None

    def addImKey(self, imKey):
        self.imKeys.append(imKey)
        self.imKeys = list(set(self.imKeys))

    def sortImagesByBestMatchQuality(self, images):
        self.imKeys = sorted(self.imKeys, key=lambda x:
(images[x].finalPair.numInliers, images[x].finalPair.inlierRatio))

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Mosaic class

Initialize this class with a list of image paths, and it will process the images and plot the resulting mosaics. Log options allow for verbose logs and plots along the way.

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class Mosaics:
    def __init__(self, imPaths):
        self.images = {}
        self.orphanImages = {}
        self.connectedSets = []
        timer = Timer()

        log('\nSTAGE 01: Read image files')

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for idx, img_path in enumerate(imPaths):
    img = mpimg.imread(img_path)

    self.images[idx] = (img_path, img)

if options.previewImageSet is True:
    imgs = [img[1] for (path, img) in self.images.items()]
    print('\nInput Images')

    if len(imgs) < 6:
        x = len(imgs)
        gridPlot(x=x, imgs=imgs)
    else:
        y = x=math.ceil(len(imgs)/6)
        gridPlot(y=y, imgs=imgs)

log(f'\nFinished in {timer.finish():8.3f} seconds\n')

self.computeFeatures()
self.computeImagePairings()
self.computeConnectedSets()
self.computeGlobalHomographies()
self.stitchImageSets()

def computeFeatures(self):
    timer = Timer()
    log('\nSTAGE 02: Compute each image\'s feature points')

    for key in self.images:
        im = self.images[key]
        self.images[key] = Image(im[1], pathname=im[0])

    log(f'\nFinished in {timer.finish():8.3f} seconds\n')

def computeImagePairings(self):
    # iterate through each image and find good pairings to other
images
    timer = Timer()
    log('\nSTAGE 03: Computing feature matches among all image
pairs:\n')
    pairCount = 0

    for key1, im1 in self.images.items():
        im1 = self.images[key1]

        # iterate over every other image, computing match pairs
        for key2, im2 in self.images.items():

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        if key1 != key2:
            pairCount+=1
            log(f'\rim{key1:2d} ==> im{key2:2d}')
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FLANN_INDEX_KDTREE = 1

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index_params = dict(algorithm =
FLANN_INDEX_KDTREE, trees = 2)
search_params = dict(checks = 15)
flann = cv2.FlannBasedMatcher(index_params,
search_params)

        matches =
flann.knnMatch(im1.descriptors,im2.descriptors,k=2)

        pair = PotentialImagePair(key1, key2, matches,
'KNN')

        im1.addPotentialMatch(pair)

        # compute homographies for all these pairings
        im1.computePairHomographies(self.images)

        log(f'\nComputed {pairCount} image combinations')
        log(f'\nFinished in {timer.finish():8.3f} seconds\n')

        # after homographies are computed, prune bad pairings based
off inlier ratio
        timer = Timer()
        log(f'\nSTAGE 04: Prune image match pairs that are below
homography quality threshold: inlierRatio <
{options.homographyInlierRatioThreshold}')
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        someCulled = True
        newImDict = dict(self.images)
        while someCulled is True:
            culled = False
            for key, im in self.images.items():
                removed = im.cullInvalidHomographies()
                if len(im.pairs) == 0:
                    if len(newImDict) == len(self.images):
                        log('\nSome images had no good pairings:')
                    if len(removed) > 0:
                        log(f'\nim{key}: highest pair inlierRatio was
{sorted(removed)[-1]}')
                    self.orphanImages[key] = im
                    del newImDict[key]
                    culled = True
                for key2, im2 in self.images.items():
                    for p in list(im2.pairs):
                        if p.key2 == key:
                            im2.pairs.remove(p)
            if culled is False:

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        someCulled = False
        self.images = newImDict

log(f'\nFinished in {timer.finish():8.3f} seconds\n')

# order image matches by quality and determine the best pair
log(f'\nSTAGE 05: Compute each image\'s best match (highest
inlierRatio)')
    for key, im in self.images.items():
        im.sortPairsByQuality()
        im.computeBestPair()
        if (len(im.pairs) > 0):
            log(f'\nim{key:2d} <==> im{im.finalPair.key2:2d}')
            for p in im.pairs:
                log(f'\n\t* => im{p.key2} inliers: {p.numInliers},
outliers: {p.numOutliers}, ratio: {p.inlierRatio:4.4f}, matches:
{len(p.matches)}, accumDistance: {p.cumulativeNMatchesDistance:6.2f}')
            log(f'\nFinished in {timer.finish():8.3f} seconds\n')

# finds other images directly connected to this image key
@staticmethod
def __getConnectedTo(imKey, imageDict):
    connectedTo = []

    for i in imageDict:
        if imageDict[i].finalPair.key2 == imKey:
            connectedTo.append(i)
    return connectedTo + [imageDict[imKey].finalPair.key2]

# recursively search for all direct/indirect connections to this
image
def __imConnections(self, imKey, connections, imageDict):
    #pairedWith = self.images[imKey].finalPair.key2
    connectedTo = []

    setPairs = []

    # accumulate keys from N pairs that were matched
    for p in imageDict[imKey].pairs:
        if p.key2 in imageDict.keys():
            setPairs.append(p.key2)

    for i in [imKey] + setPairs:

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        c = self.__getConnectedTo(i, imageDict)
        connectedTo = connectedTo + c

    original = connections.copy()
    connections = list(set(connections + connectedTo))

    for i in connectedTo:
        if i not in original and i in [*imageDict.keys()]:
            connections = list(set(connections +
self.__imConnections(i, connections, imageDict)))

    return connections

# find image connections, and group into sets
def computeConnectedSets(self):
    timer = Timer()
    log(f'\nSTAGE 04: Determine connections between images:')

    toPlace = list(self.images.keys())

    while len(toPlace) > 0:
        log(f'\nImages: [{"im" + str(k) for k in toPlace}]')
        imKey = toPlace[0]
        images = {k: self.images[k] for k in toPlace}

        if imKey in [*images.keys()]:
            c = self.__imConnections(imKey, [], images)
            log(f'\nim{imKey} is connected to: ')

            c = list(set([imKey] + c))
            cSet = ConnectedSet(c)
            if len(c) > 1:

                for idx, i in enumerate(c):
                    if i != imKey:
                        log(f'im{i}')
                        if idx != len(c) - 1:
                            log(', ')

            else:
                log('no other images')

            self.connectedSets.append(cSet)

            for i in c:
                if i in toPlace:
                    toPlace.remove(i)

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log(f'\nFinished in {timer.finish():8.3f} seconds')

# plot each set in a grid plot for viewing
for idx, cs in enumerate(self.connectedSets):
    imgs = [self.images[k].color for k in cs.imKeys]
    titles = [f'im{k}' for k in cs.imKeys]
    x = math.ceil(len(imgs)/3)
    if len(imgs) < 6:
        x = len(imgs)

    logPlot(lambda: print(f'\nConnected Set {idx + 1}'))
    logPlot(lambda: gridPlot(x=x, imgs=imgs, titles=titles))

for key, im in self.orphanImages.items():
    logPlot(lambda: displayIm(im.color, title='Noise Image',
size=6))

def computeGlobalHomographies(self):
    for cs in self.connectedSets:
        cs.sortImagesByBestMatchQuality(self.images)
        firstImage, canvasSize =
self.__computeNaiveGlobalHomographies(cs.imKeys)
        cs.firstImage = firstImage
        cs.canvasSize = canvasSize

def stitchImageSets(self):
    for i, s in enumerate(self.connectedSets):
        if s.firstImage is None:
            log(f'Error: Image set {i} could not have its first
image computed')
        else:
            # only stitch for sets that have multiple images
            if len(s.imKeys) > 1:
                im = self.__stitchImageSet(s)
            else:
                # these are noise images
                im = self.images[s.imKeys[0]].color

            s.finalIm = im
            displayIm(blackOut(im), size=14, title='Mosaic')

def __stitchImageSet(self, cs):
    canvas = 255*np.ones(cs.canvasSize).astype(int)

    H0 = self.images[cs.firstImage].H

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for imKey in cs.imKeys:
    im = self.images[imKey]
    Haux = H0
    if imKey != cs.firstImage:
        Haux = im.H

    canvas=cv2.warpPerspective(
        src=im.color,
        M=Haux,
        dsize=(canvas.shape[1], canvas.shape[0]),
        dst=canvas,
        flags=cv2.INTER_LINEAR,
        borderMode=cv2.BORDER_TRANSPARENT
    )
    #displayIm(blackOut(canvas), size=14)

return canvas

def __computeNaiveGlobalHomographies(self, imKeys):
    # images are sorted in order of descending homography quality
    # choose the first that has another image pairing to it
    firstImage = self.images[imKeys[0]].finalPair.key2
    log(f'\nplacing im{firstImage}')

    # set large canvas size
    canvasSize = self.__getCanvasSize(len(imKeys),
self.images[firstImage].color.shape)

    # compute first homography
    Hm =
self.__getAxesHomography(self.images[firstImage].color.shape,
canvasSize)
    self.images[firstImage].H = Hm

    # keep track of which images have been placed
    # check this later to see whether or not to switch to
    # less optimal image pairs in order to get everything
connected on the canvas properly
    imagesToPlace = list(imKeys)
    imagesToPlace.remove(firstImage)

    # start with the best pair (index 0), try to find an image
that has not been placed yet, and has
    # a pair homography with some image already placed
    nextBestPairIdx = 0

    while len(imagesToPlace) > 0:
        # copy list so that we can check against original to see
if an image was added on this loop

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listCopy = list(imagesToPlace)

# place best homographies first
candidates = []
for key in listCopy:
    im = self.images[key]
    pairKeys = im.getPairKeys()
    if nextBestPairIdx < len(pairKeys) and
self.images[pairKeys[nextBestPairIdx]].H is not None:

candidates.append(self.images[key].pairs[nextBestPairIdx])
    candidates = sorted(candidates, key=lambda x:
(x.numInliers, x.inlierRatio))[: -1]

    if len(candidates) > 0:
        pair = candidates[0]
        log(f'\nplacing im{pair.key1}')
        im = self.images[pair.key1]
        im.H = np.dot(self.images[pair.key2].H,
im.pairs[nextBestPairIdx].H)
        imagesToPlace.remove(pair.key1)
        if nextBestPairIdx > 0:
            log(f'\nHad to pair im{pair.key1} with its
nth={nextBestPairIdx + 1} best pair, im{pair.key2} :(')
            nextBestPairIdx = 0
        else:
            nextBestPairIdx += 1

    return (firstImage, canvasSize)

def __getCanvasSize(self, numImages, imSize):
    factor = math.log(numImages)*4
    return (math.floor(factor*imSize[0]),
math.floor(factor*imSize[1]), 3)

def __getAxesHomography(self, sizeim, sizecanvas):
    H=np.eye(3)
    H[0,2]=sizecanvas[1]//2-sizeim[1]//2
    H[1,2]=sizecanvas[0]//2-sizeim[0]//2
    return H

# search existing image sets
# returns tuple (setIdxOfDirectConnection,
setIdxOfIndirection)
def imageHasSet(self, imKey):
    for idx, imSet in enumerate(self.connectedSets):
        if imKey in imSet.imKeys:
            return (idx, None)

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        for setKey in imSet.imKeys:
            im = self.images[setKey]
            for pair in im.pairs:
                if pair.key2 == imKey:
                    return (None, idx)
    return (None, None)

alhambraRow1 = 'alhambra/row1/*.jpg'
alhambraRow2 = 'alhambra/row2/*.jpg'
sierra = 'sierra/*.jpg'
granada = 'granada/*.jpg'
yosemite = 'yosemite/*.jpg'
yosemite2 = 'yosemite2/*.jpg'

def getImageNames(pathGlob):
    imgs = glob.glob(pathGlob)
    return imgs

class MosaicPathSet:
    def __init__(self, paths=[], dimensions=1, rows=[]):
        if len(rows) > 0:
            self.rows = rows
        else:
            self.paths = paths

        self.dimensions = dimensions

class MosaicPathSets:
    def __init__(self):
        self.alhambra =
MosaicPathSet(rows=[getImageNames(alhambraRow1),
getImageNames(alhambraRow2)], dimensions=2)
        self.sierra = MosaicPathSet(paths=getImageNames(sierra),
dimensions=1)
        self.granada = MosaicPathSet(paths=getImageNames(granada),
dimensions=1)
        self.yosemite = MosaicPathSet(paths=getImageNames(yosemite),
dimensions=1)
        self.yosemite2 = MosaicPathSet(paths=getImageNames(yosemite2),
dimensions=1)

mosaicPathSets = MosaicPathSets()

class MosaicTestSet:
    def __init__(self, mosaicPathSet, dimensions, numberOfImages):
        self.pathSet = mosaicPathSet
        self.dimensions = dimensions
        self.numOfImages = numberOfImages

```



```

def getAlternatingImagesFromCenter(num, imgs):
    all = []
    positive = False
    counter = 0
    middle = math.floor(len(imgs) / 2)
    all.append(imgs[middle])
    while len(all) != num:
        if positive is False:
            counter+=1
            idx = middle - counter
        else:
            idx = middle + counter
        if (len(imgs) > idx):
            all.append(imgs[idx])

    return all

class TestSetsGenerator:
    def __init__(self, mosaics, mixed):
        all = []
        for m in mosaics:
            if m.dimensions == 1 and m.pathSet.dimensions == 1:
                all = all +
getAlternatingImagesFromCenter(m.numOfImages, m.pathSet.paths)
            elif m.dimensions == 1 and m.pathSet.dimensions == 2:
                all = all +
getAlternatingImagesFromCenter(m.numOfImages, m.pathSet.rows[0])
            elif m.dimensions == 2:
                row1Num = math.floor(m.numOfImages / 2)
                row2Num = row1Num + math.floor(m.numOfImages % 2)
                all = all + getAlternatingImagesFromCenter(row1Num,
m.pathSet.rows[0])
                all = all + getAlternatingImagesFromCenter(row2Num,
m.pathSet.rows[1])

        if mixed is True:
            random.shuffle(all)

        self.imagePaths = all

```

Current working directory: c:\Users\ austi\dev\auto-stitch
 Changed to: c:\Users\ austi\dev\auto-stitch\images

Test Run 01

Images

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imgPathGlob = 'test-set01/*.jpg'

```

testSet1 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 2)

```

```
], False)

options.logOutput = True
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet1.imagePaths)
```

STAGE 01: Read image files
Input Images



Finished in 0.936 seconds

STAGE 02: Compute each image's feature points
Finished in 0.308 seconds

STAGE 03: Computing feature matches among all image pairs:
im 1 ==> im 0
Computed 2 image combinations
Finished in 0.120 seconds

STAGE 04: Prune image match pairs that are below homography quality
threshold: inlierRatio < 0.8
Finished in 0.000 seconds

```
STAGE 05: Compute each image's best match (highest inlierRatio)
im 0 <==> im 1
    * => im1 inliers: 159, outliers: 2, ratio: 0.9876, matches: 161,
accumDistance: 7027.37
im 1 <==> im 0
    * => im0 inliers: 161, outliers: 0, ratio: 1.0000, matches: 161,
accumDistance: 7140.69
Finished in    0.000 seconds
```

```
STAGE 04: Determine connections between images:
Images: ['im0', 'im1']
im0 is connected to: im1
Finished in    0.000 seconds
placing im1
placing im0
```



Test Run 02

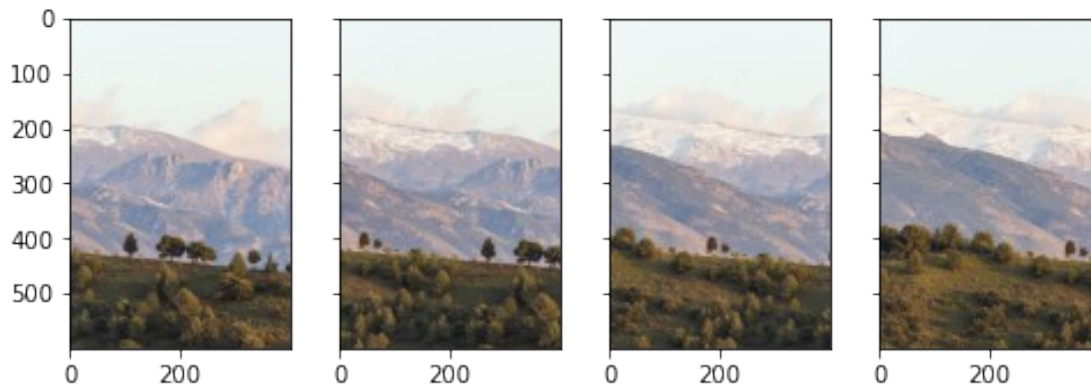
Images

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```
testSet2 = TestSetsGenerator([  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 4)  
], False)
```

```
options.logOutput = False  
options.logPlots = False  
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet2.imagePaths)
```

Input Images



Test Run 03

Images

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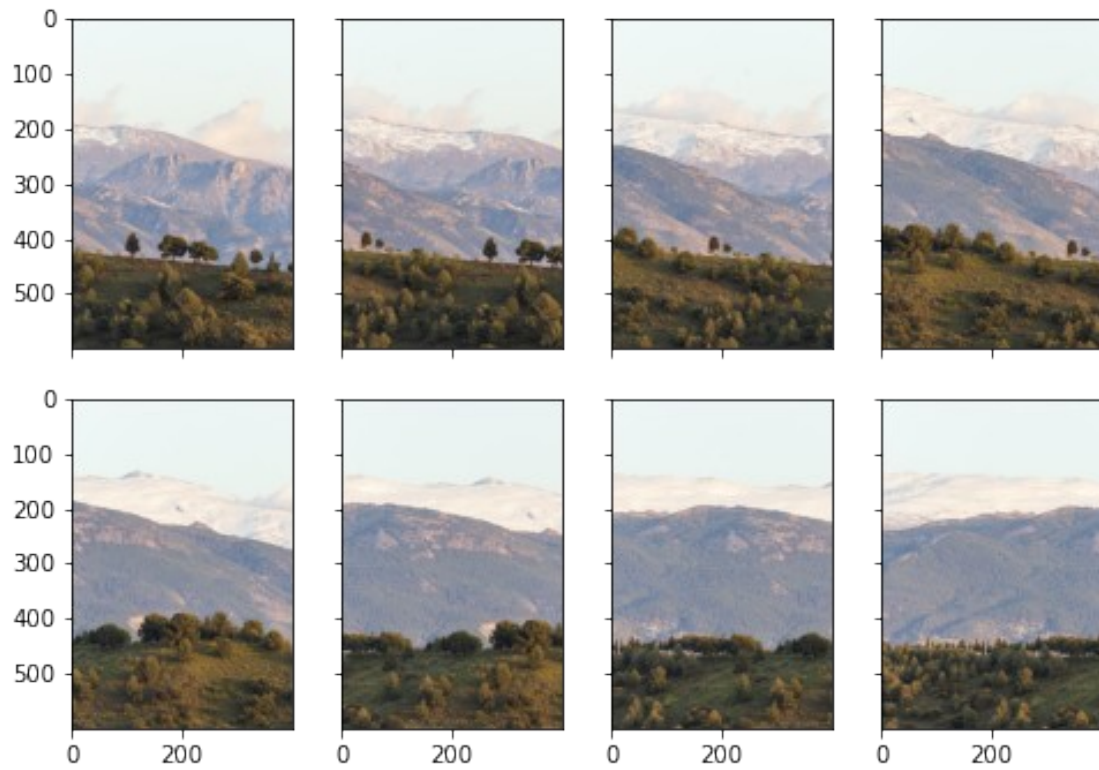
```
testSet3 = TestSetsGenerator([  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 8)  
], False)
```

```
options.logOutput = False
```



```
options.logPlots = False  
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet3.imagePaths)
```

Input Images



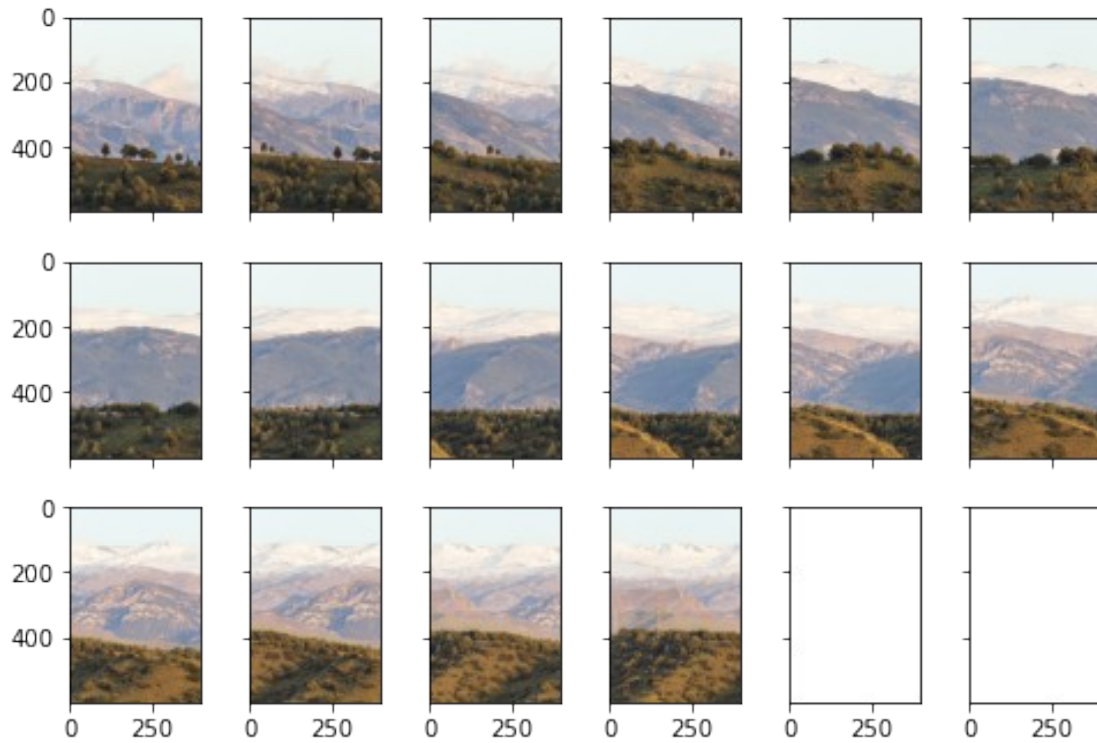
Test Run 04

Images

```
testSet4 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 16)
], False)
```

```
options.logOutput = False
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet4.imagePaths)
```

Input Images



Mosaic



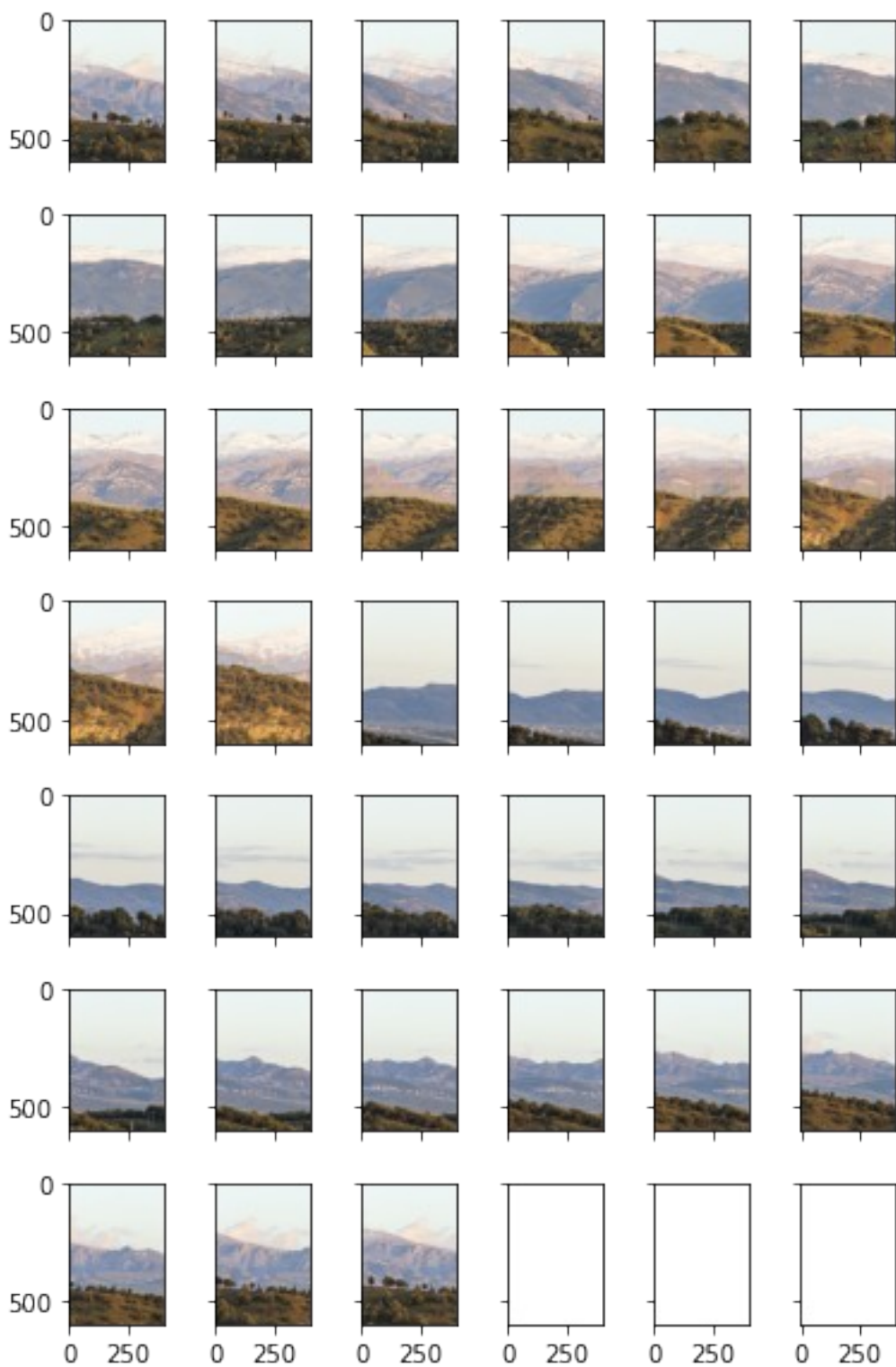
Test Run 05

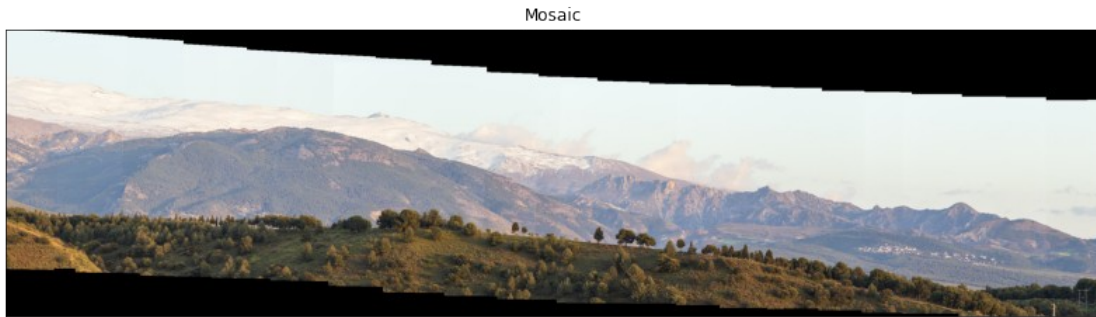
Images

```
testSet5 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 39)
], False)

options.logOutput = False
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet5.imagePaths)
```

Input Images





Test Run 06

Images

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```
testSet6 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 8)
], True)
```

```
options.logOutput = False
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet6.imagePaths)
```

Input Images





Test Run 07

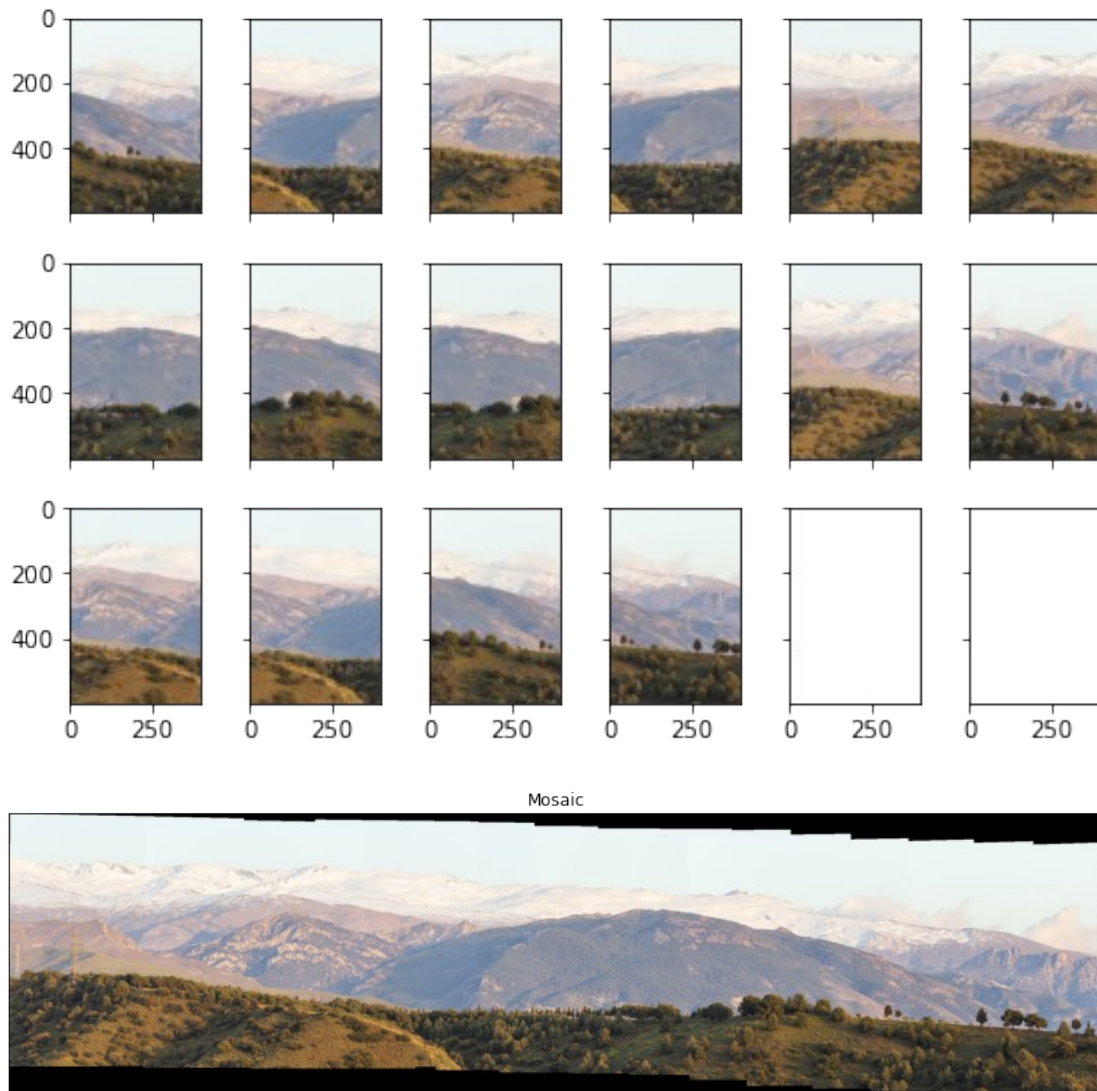
Images

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```
testSet7 = TestSetsGenerator([  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 16)  
], True)
```

```
options.logOutput = False  
options.logPlots = False  
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet7.imagePaths)
```

Input Images



Test Run 08

Images

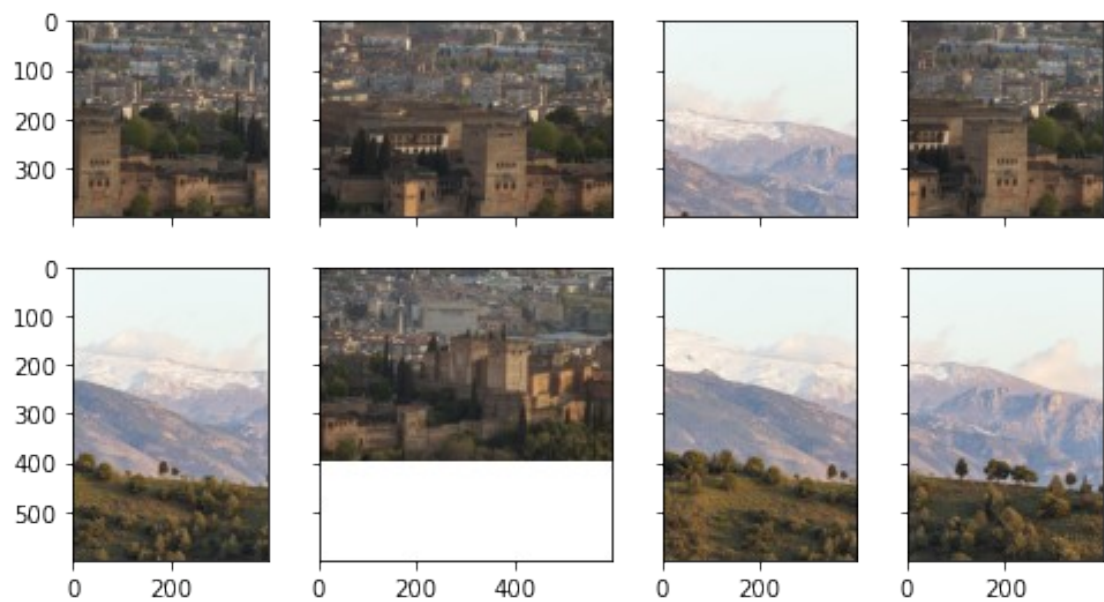
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```
testSet8 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 4),
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.alhambra, 1, 4),
```

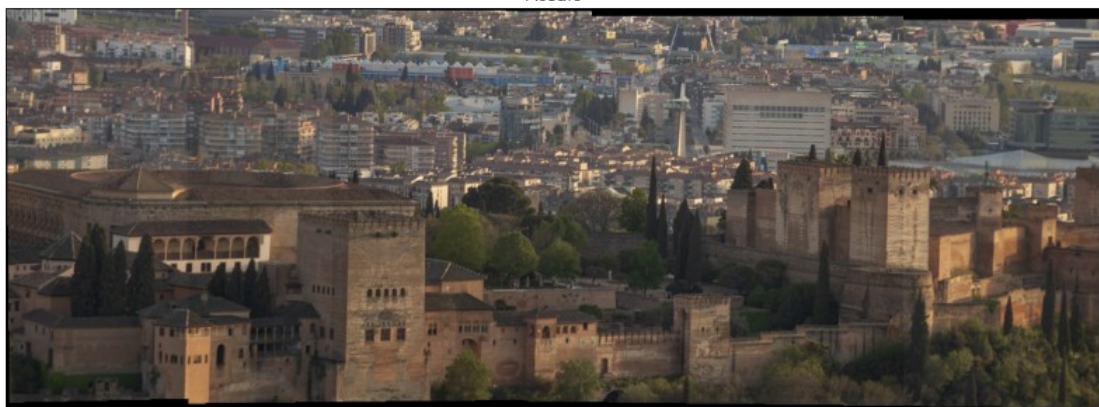
```
], True)
```

```
options.logOutput = False
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet8.imagePaths)
```

Input Images



Mosaic



Mosaic



Test Run 09

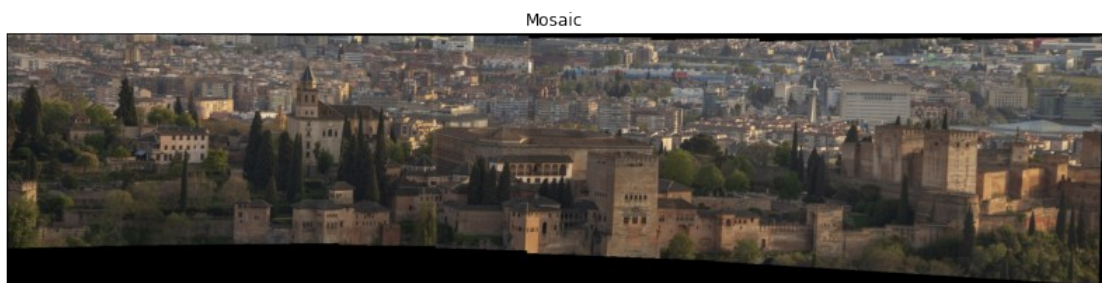
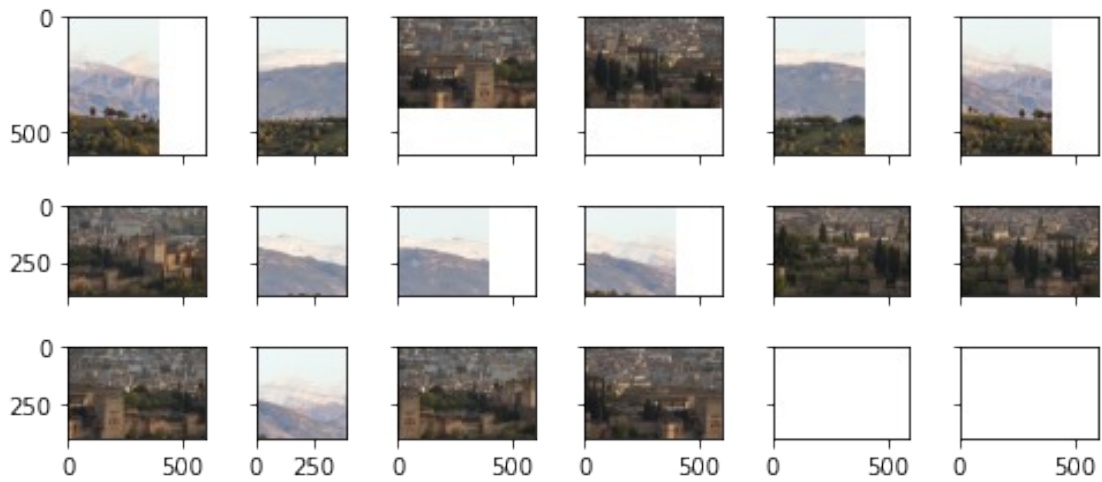
Images

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```
testSet9 = TestSetsGenerator([  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 8),  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.alhambra, 1, 8),  
], True)
```

```
options.logOutput = False  
options.logPlots = False  
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet9.imagePaths)
```

Input Images



Test Run 10

Images

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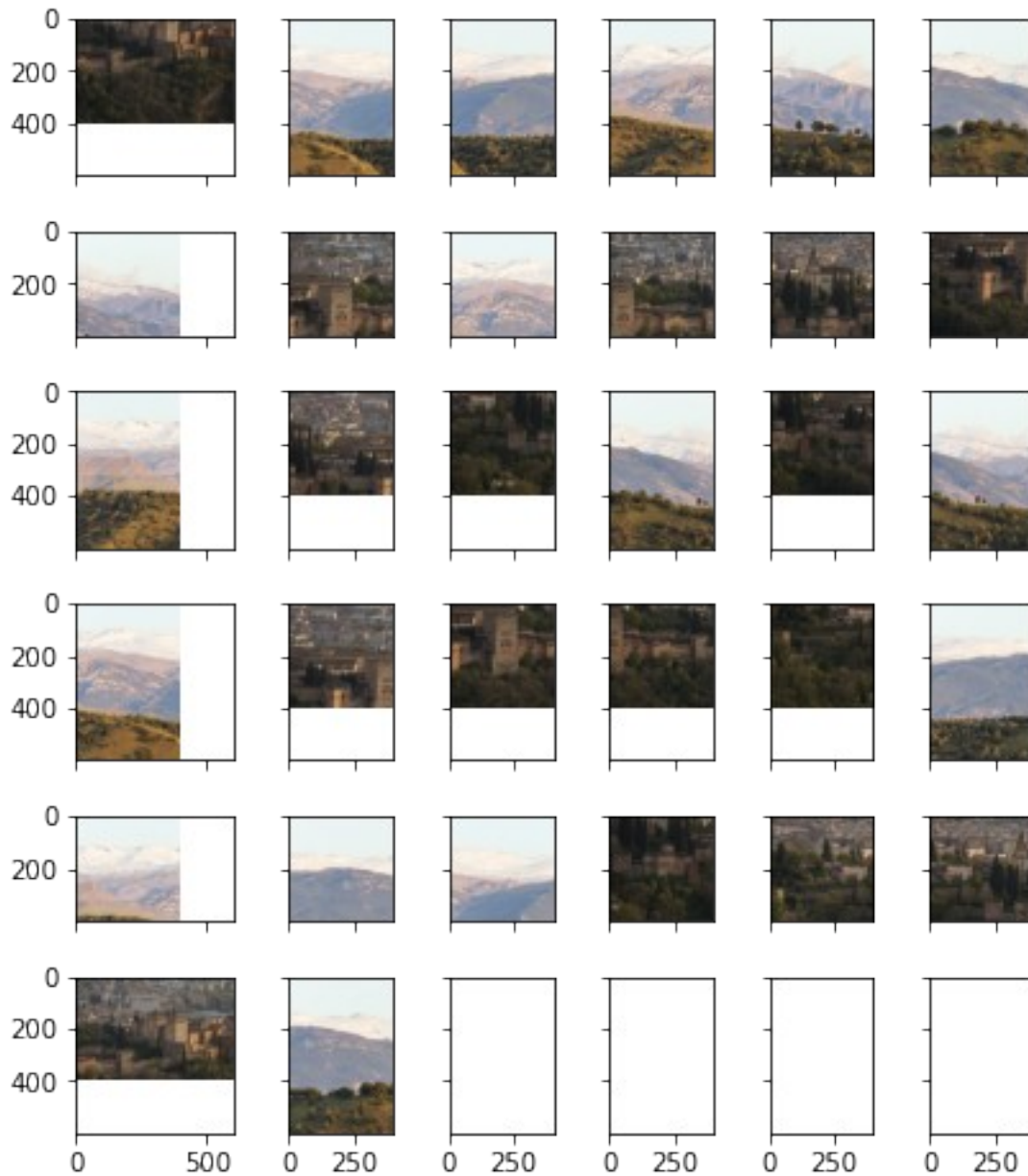
```
testSet10 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 16),
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.alhambra, 2, 16),
], True)
```

```

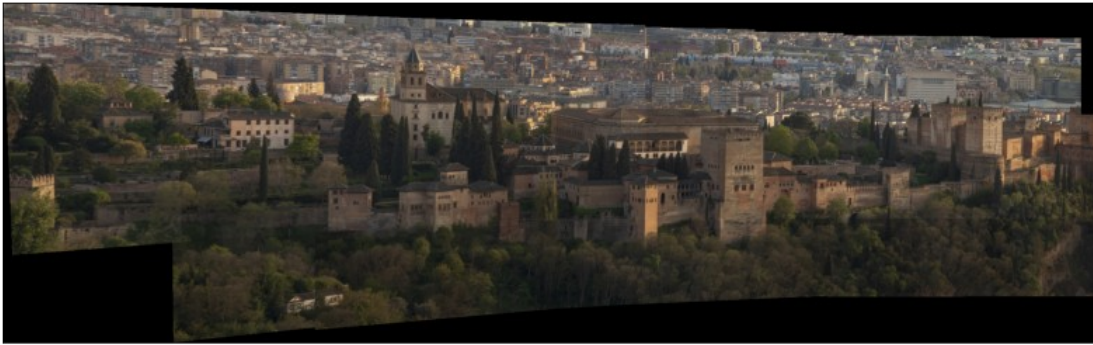
options.logOutput = False
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet10.imagePaths)

```

Input Images



Mosaic



Mosaic



Test Run 11

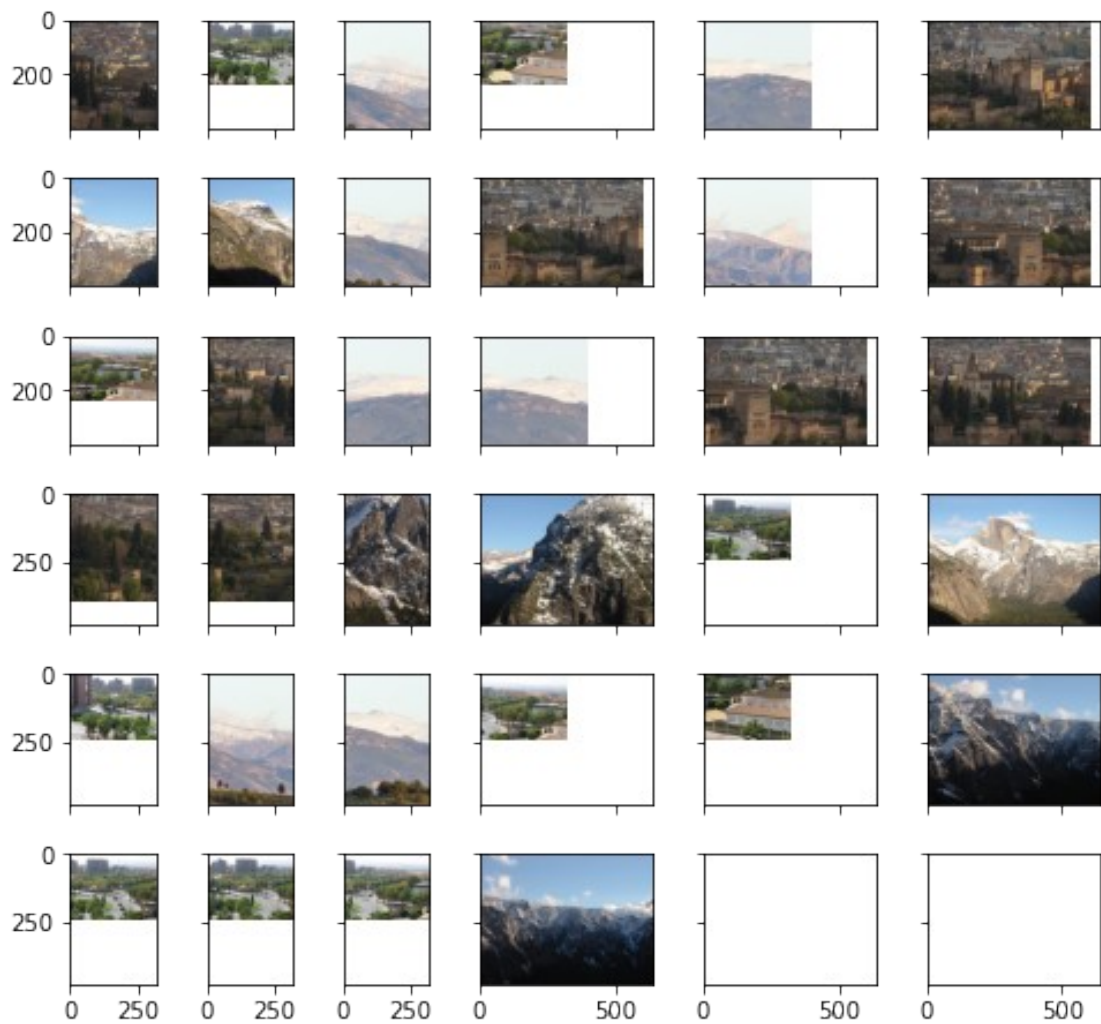
Images

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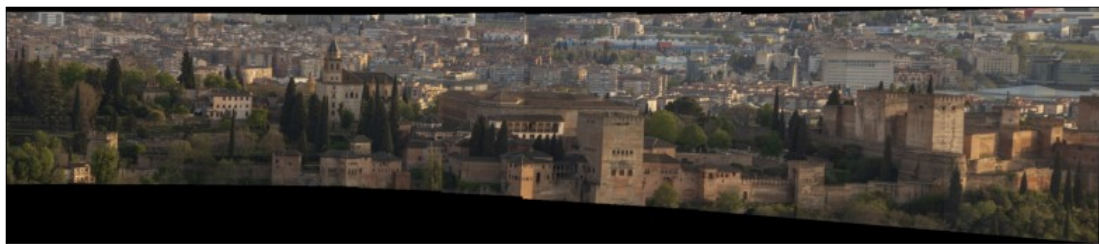
```
testSet11 = TestSetsGenerator([
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 8),
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.alhambra, 1, 9),
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.yosemite, 1, 5),
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.yosemite2, 1, 2),
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.granada, 1, 10),
], True)
```

```
options.logOutput = False
options.logPlots = False
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet11.imagePaths)
```

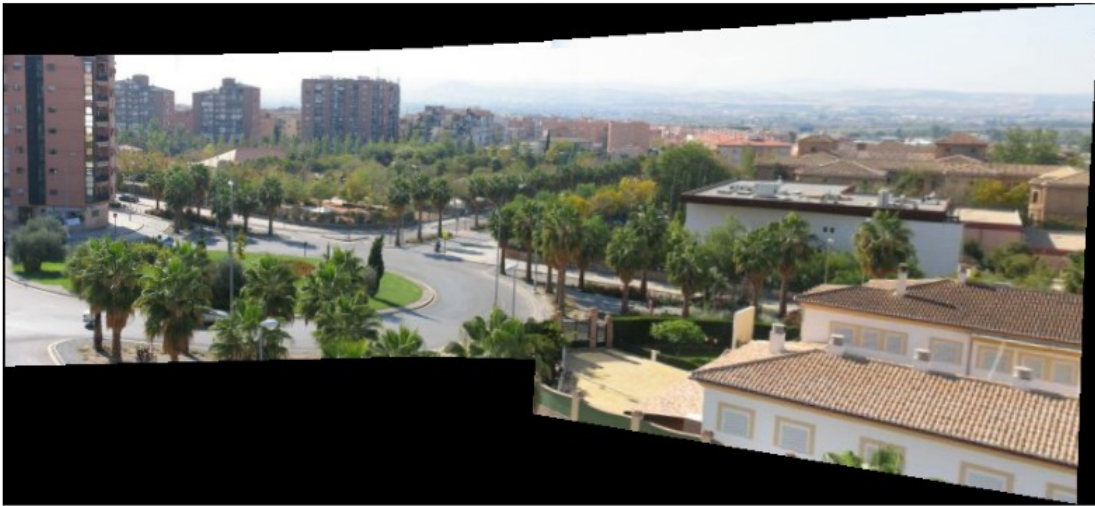
Input Images



Mosaic



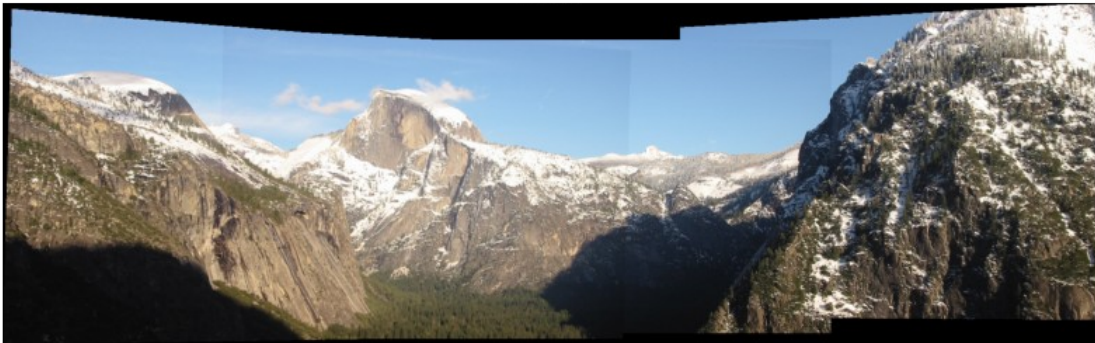
Mosaic

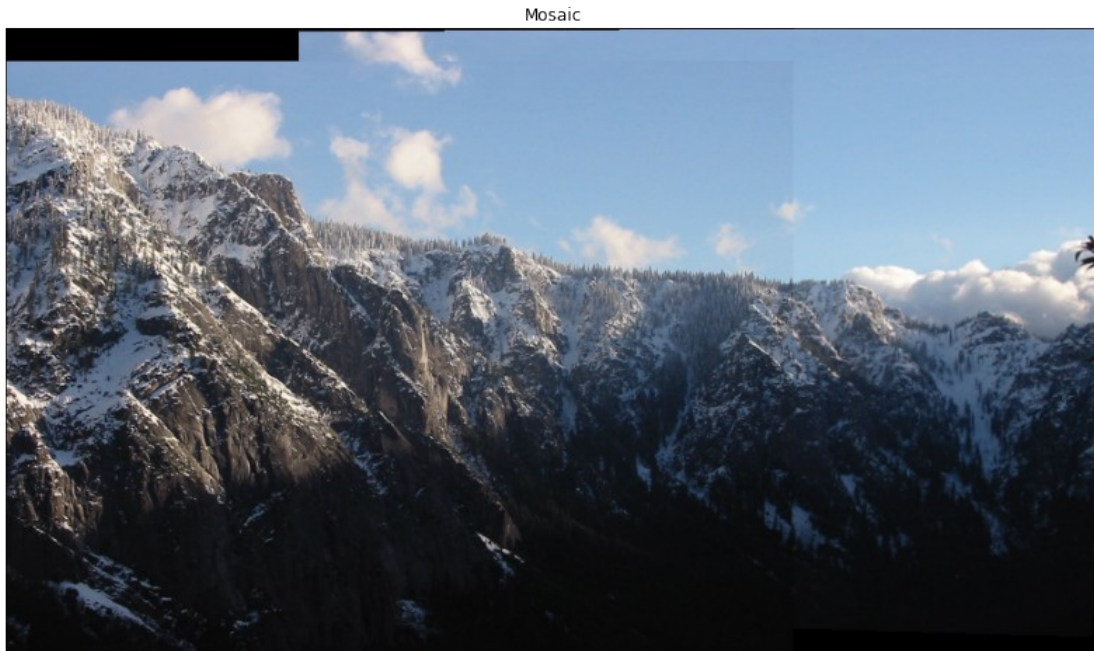


Mosaic



Mosaic





Test Run 12

Images

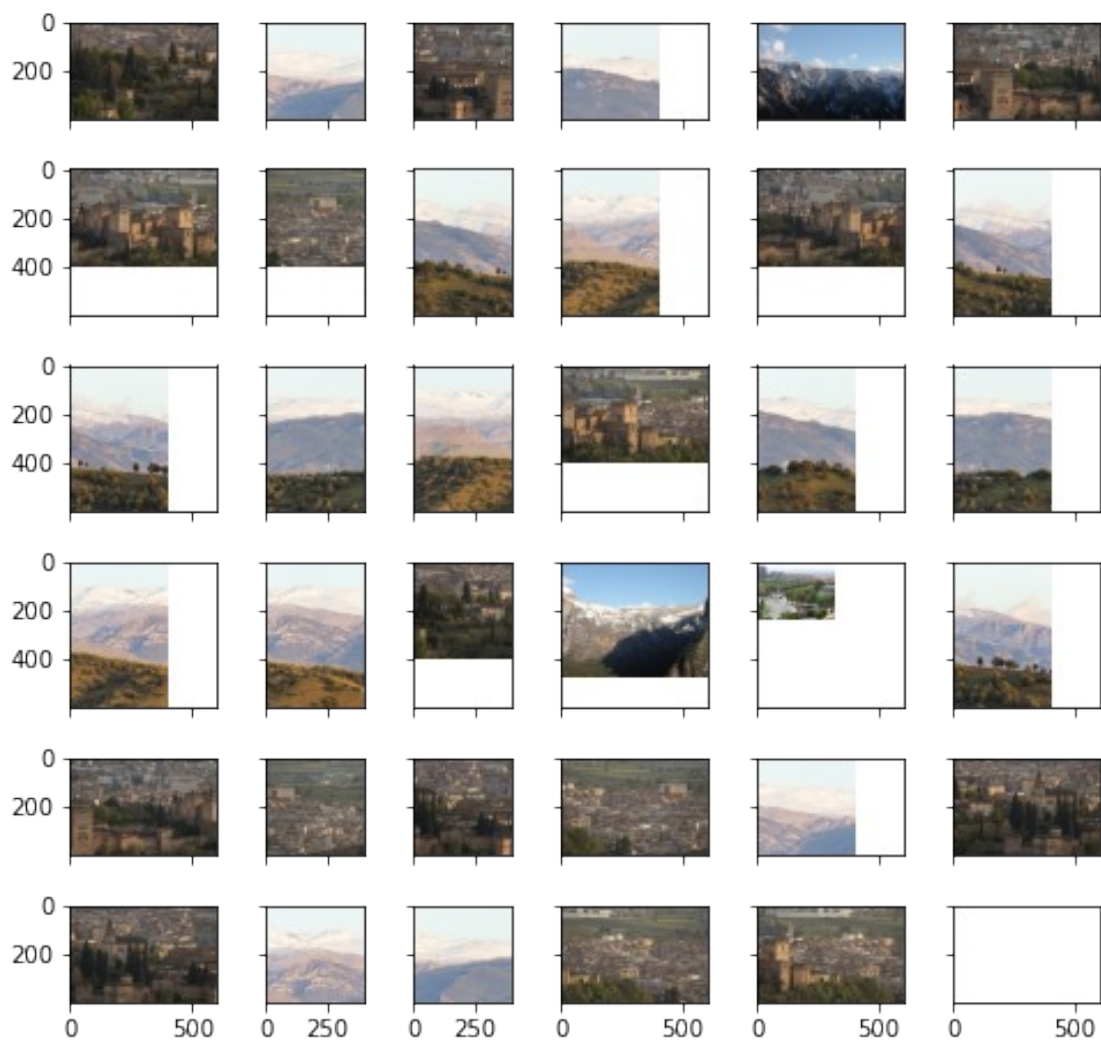
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```
testSet12 = TestSetsGenerator([  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.sierra, 1, 16),  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.alhambra, 1, 16),  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.yosemite, 1, 1),  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.yosemite2, 1, 1),  
    MosaicTestSet(mosaicPathSets.granada, 1, 1),  
], True)
```

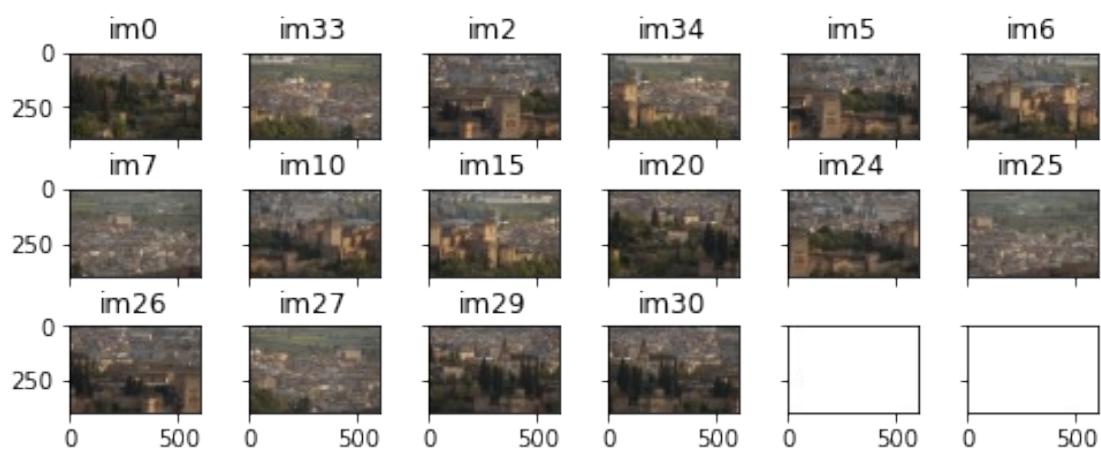
```
options.logOutput = False  
options.logPlots = True  
mosaics = Mosaics(testSet12.imagePaths)
```

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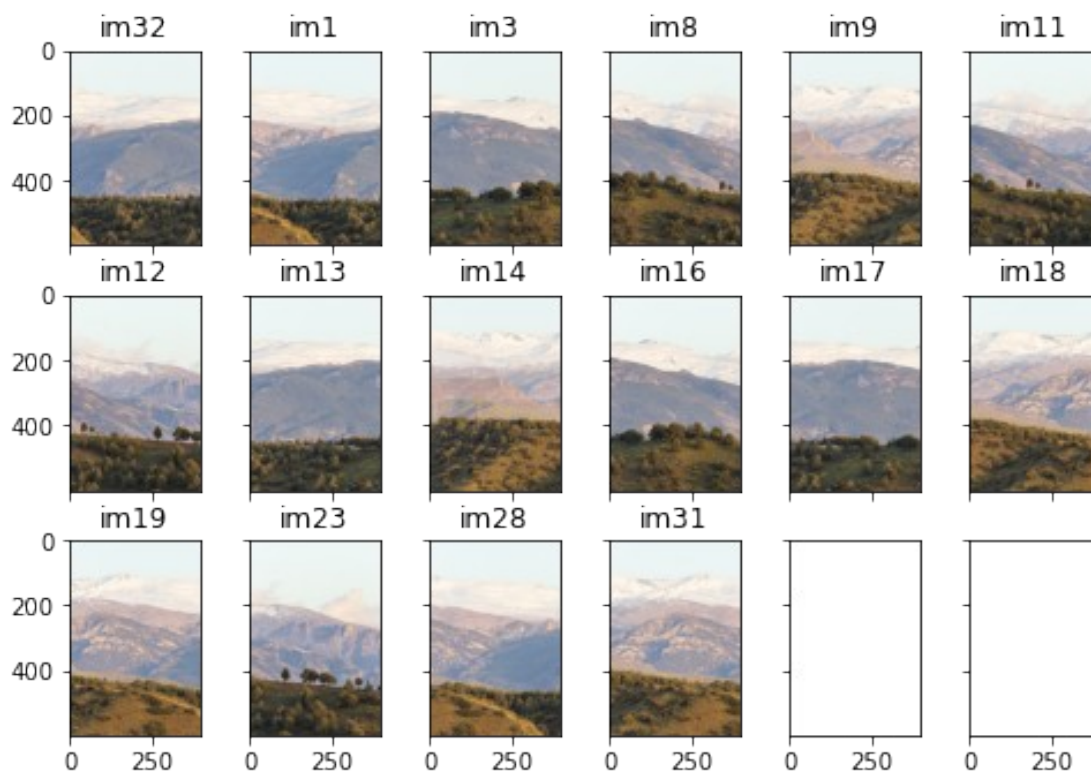
Input Images



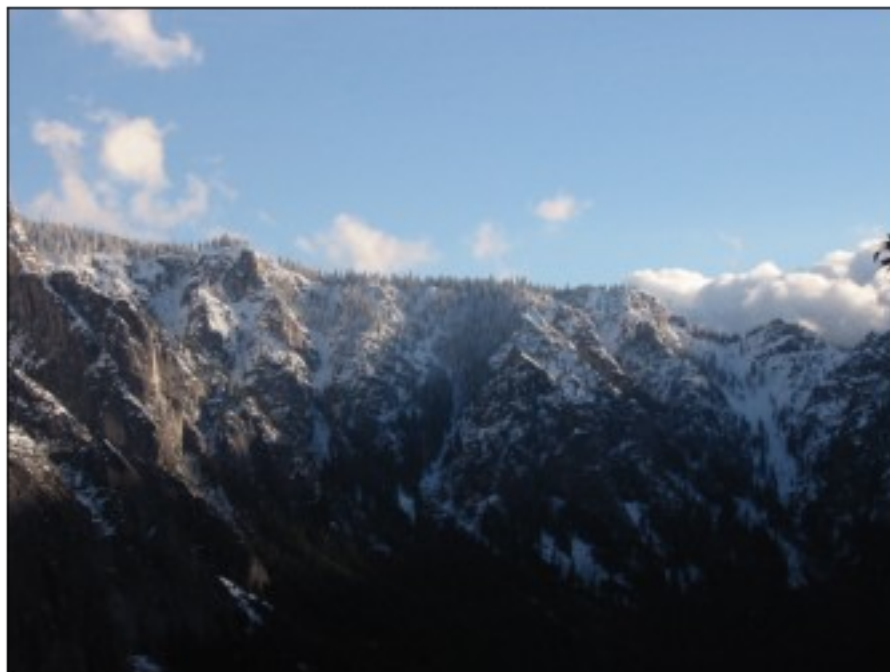
Connected Set 1



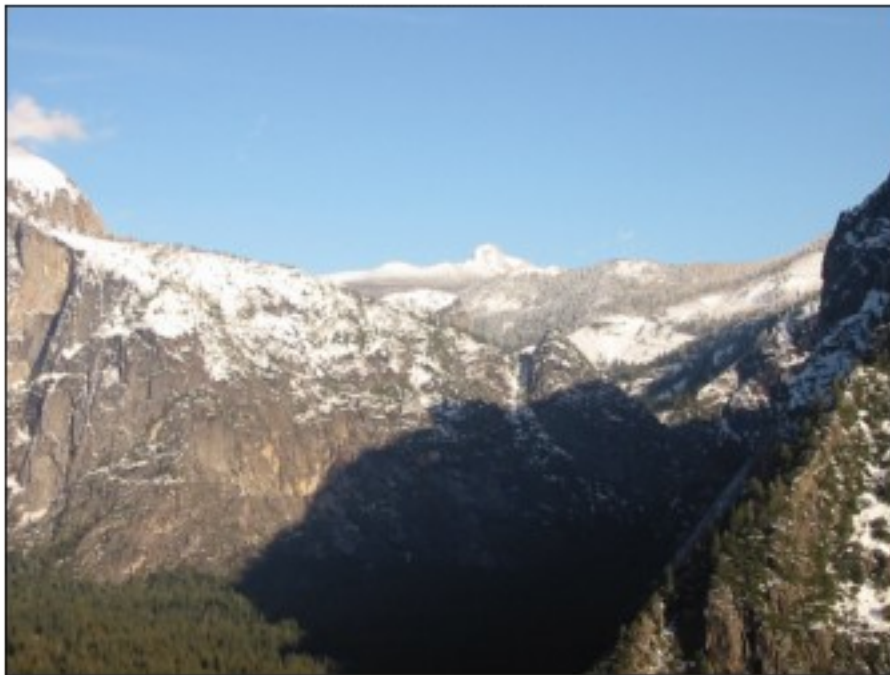
Connected Set 2



Noise Image



Noise Image



Noise Image



Mosaic



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