# اصول پردازش تصویر Principles of Image Processing

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# Template Matching

## Template Matching

Goal: find in image



- Main challenge: What is a good similarity or distance measure between two patches?
  - Cross-Correlation
  - Zero-Mean Cross-Correlation
  - Sum of Squared Differences
  - Normalized Cross-Correlation





Slide Credit: Derek Hoiem

#### 1. Cross-Correlation

Goal: find in image

Method 1: Cross-Correlation

$$h[m,n] = \sum_{k,l} g[k,l] f[m+k,n+l]$$



Input



Filtered Image (Scaled)

$$g.f = ||g|||f||\cos(\theta) \sim \cos(\theta)$$

#### 2. Zero-Mean Cross-Correlation

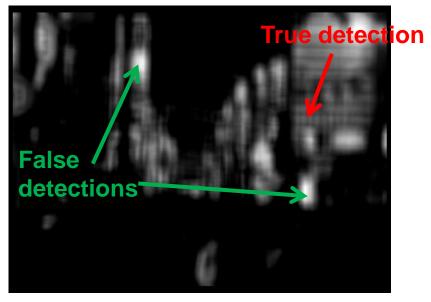
Goal: find in image

Method 2: Zero-Mean Cross-Correlation

$$h[m,n] = \sum_{k,l} (g[k,l] - \bar{g}) f[m+k,n+l]$$



Input



Filtered Image (Scaled)

## 3. Sum of Squared Differences (SSD)

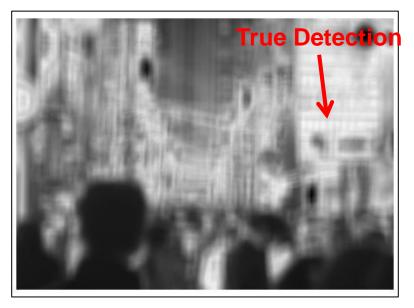
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Method 3: SSD

$$h[m,n] = \sum_{k,l} (g[k,l] - f[m+k,n+l])^2$$



Input



1 - SSD (Scaled)

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Can SSD be implemented with linear filters?

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$$= C + (eyes * f^2) - 2 (g * f)$$

#### 4. Normalized Cross-Correlation

- Goal: find in image
- Method 4: Normalized Cross-Correlation

$$h[m,n] = \frac{\sum_{k,l} (g[k,l] - \bar{g}) \left(f[m+k,n+l] - \overline{f_{m,n}}\right)}{\left(\sum_{k,l} (g[k,l] - \bar{g})^2 \sum_{k,l} \left(f[m+k,n+l] - \overline{f_{m,n}}\right)^2\right)^{0.5}}$$

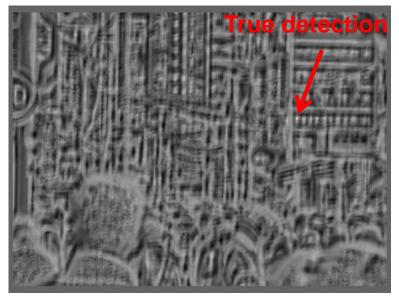
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Method 4: Normalized Cross-Correlation



Input



Filtered Image (Scaled)

- Q: What is the best method to use?
- A: Depends!
- Zero-mean filter: fastest but not a great matcher
- SSD: next fastest, sensitive to overall intensity
- Normalized cross-correlation: slowest, invariant to local average intensity and contrast

#### References

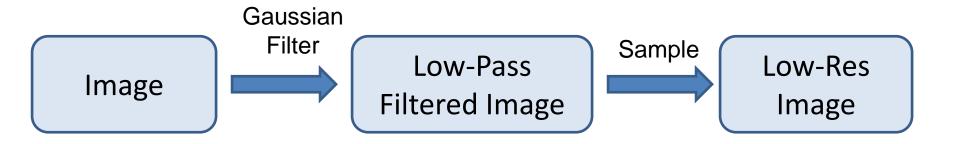
 Template Matching Gonzalez, section 13.3,

Translational Alignment
 Szeliski, section 8.1

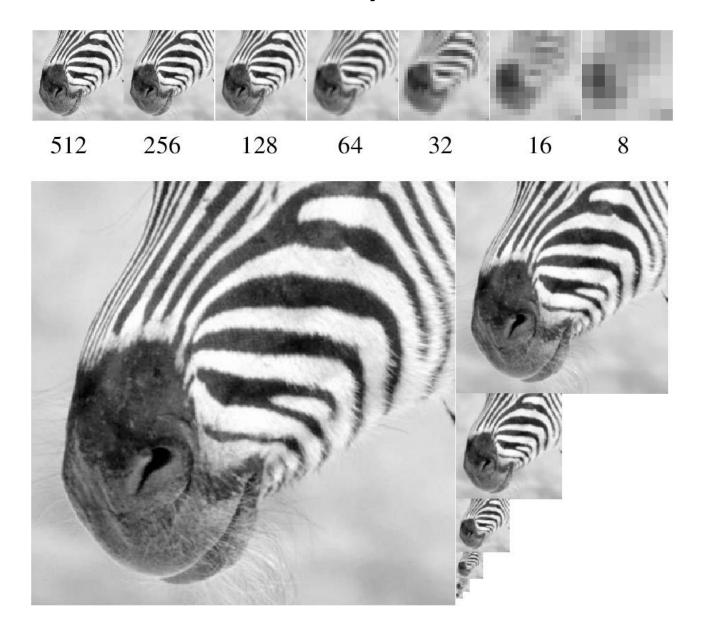
# Image Pyramids

Q: What if we want to find larger or smaller templates?

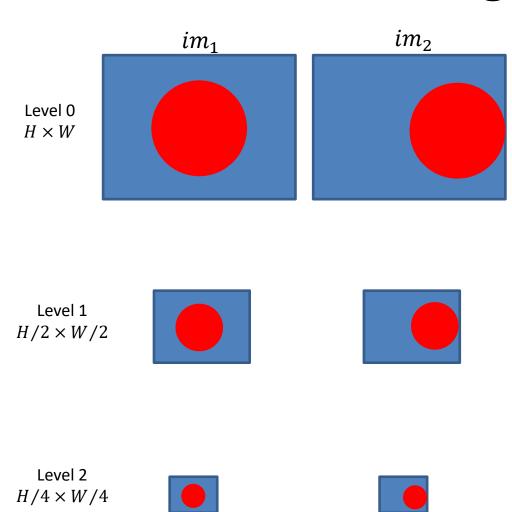
#### **Review of Sampling**



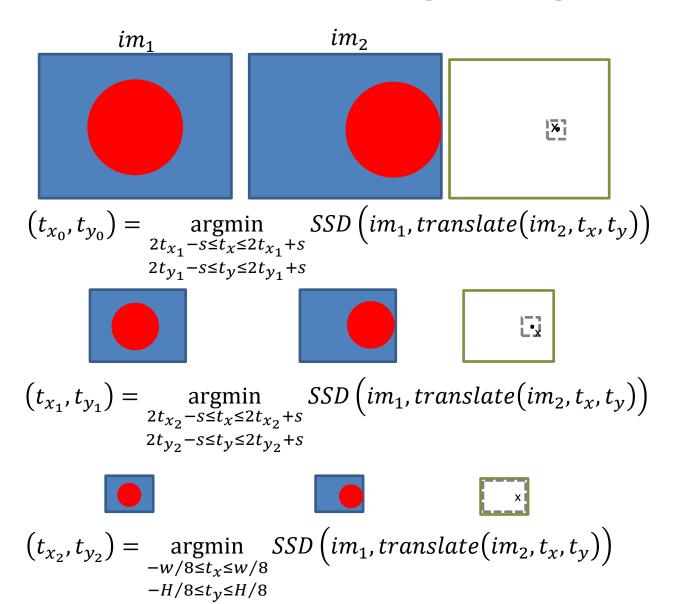
## Gaussian Pyramid



## Coarse-to-fine Image Registration

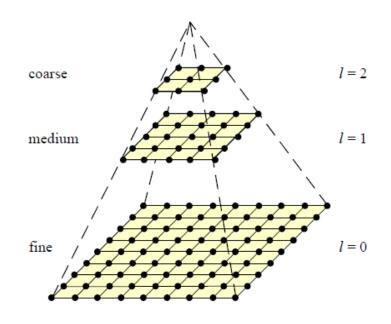


# Coarse-to-fine Image Registration



#### Coarse-to-Fine Image Registration

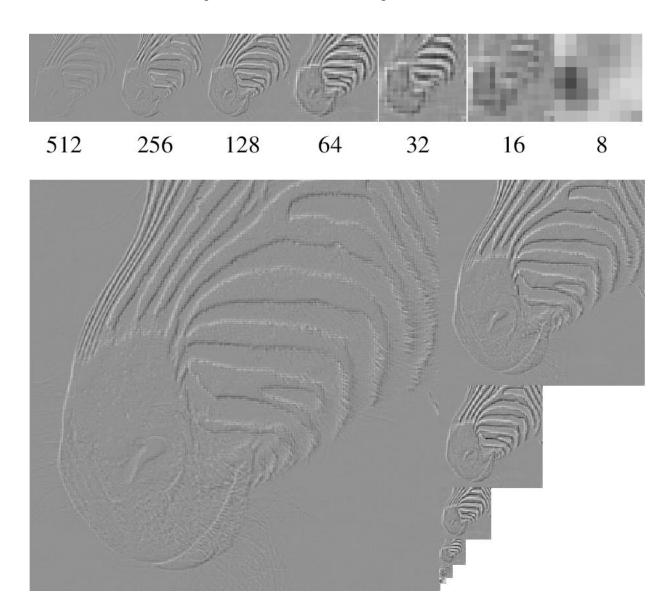
- 1. Compute Gaussian pyramid
- Align with coarse pyramid
  - Find minimum SSD position
- 3. Successively align with finer pyramids
  - Search small range (e.g., 5x5)
     centered around position
     determined at coarser scale



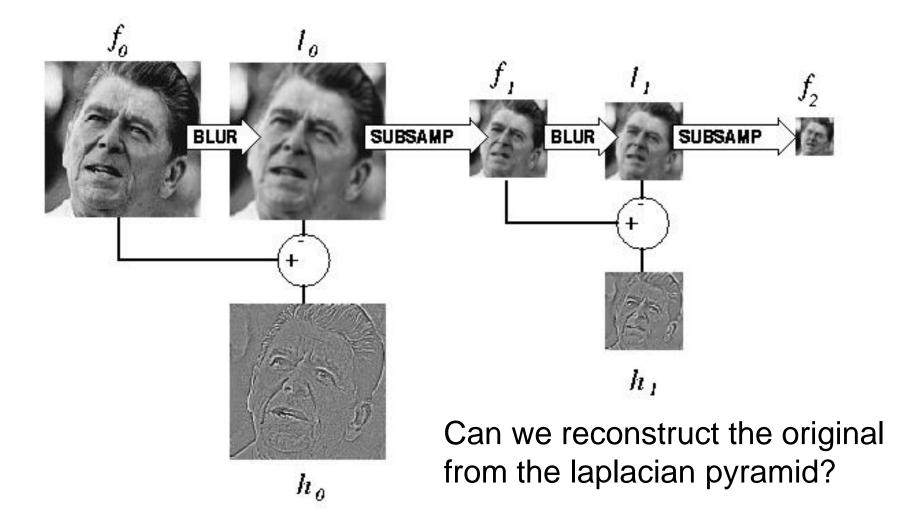
Why is this faster?

Are we guaranteed to get the same result?

## Laplacian Pyramid



## Computing Gaussian/Laplacian Pyramid



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