

Classifying Estimated Corresponding Points by Delaunay Triangulation

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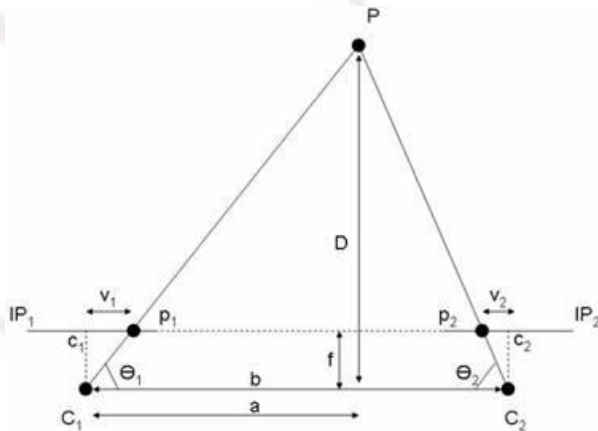
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Stereo Images

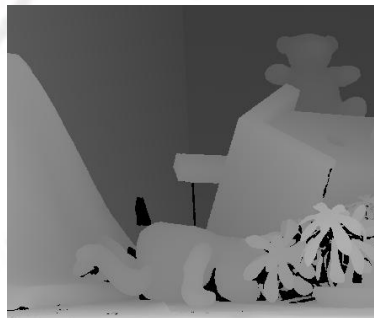


Left

Right



**Correspondence
Algorithm**



Disparity Map

3D Model



**Reconstruction
Algorithm**



Automotive



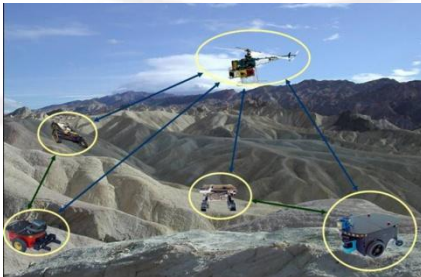
Entertainment



Industry



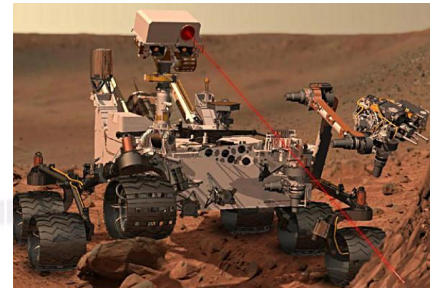
Medical



Military



Robotics

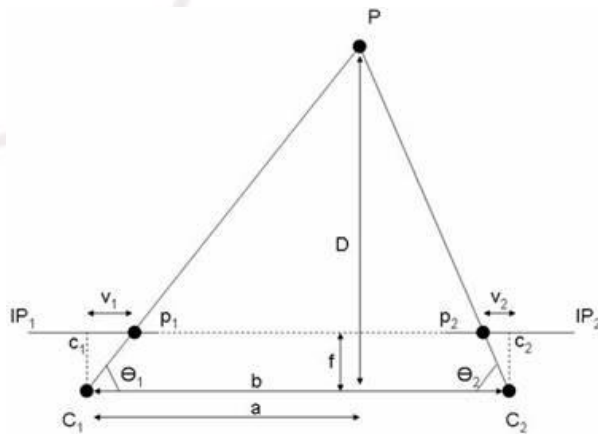


Space

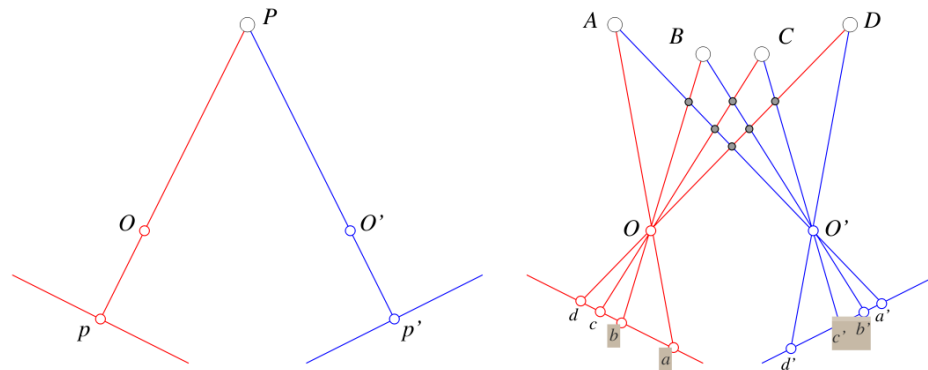


Training

Correspondence Problem



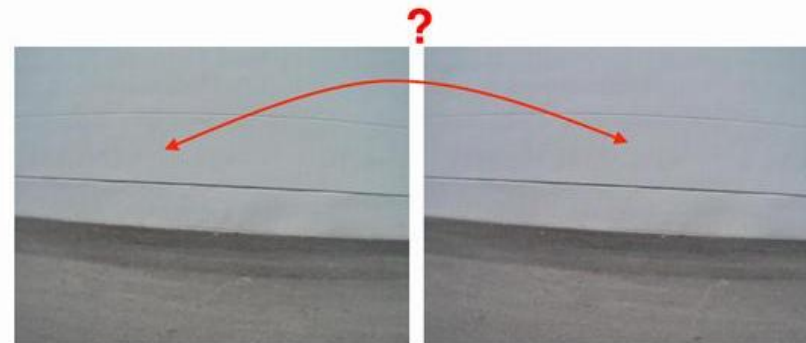
Inverse problem



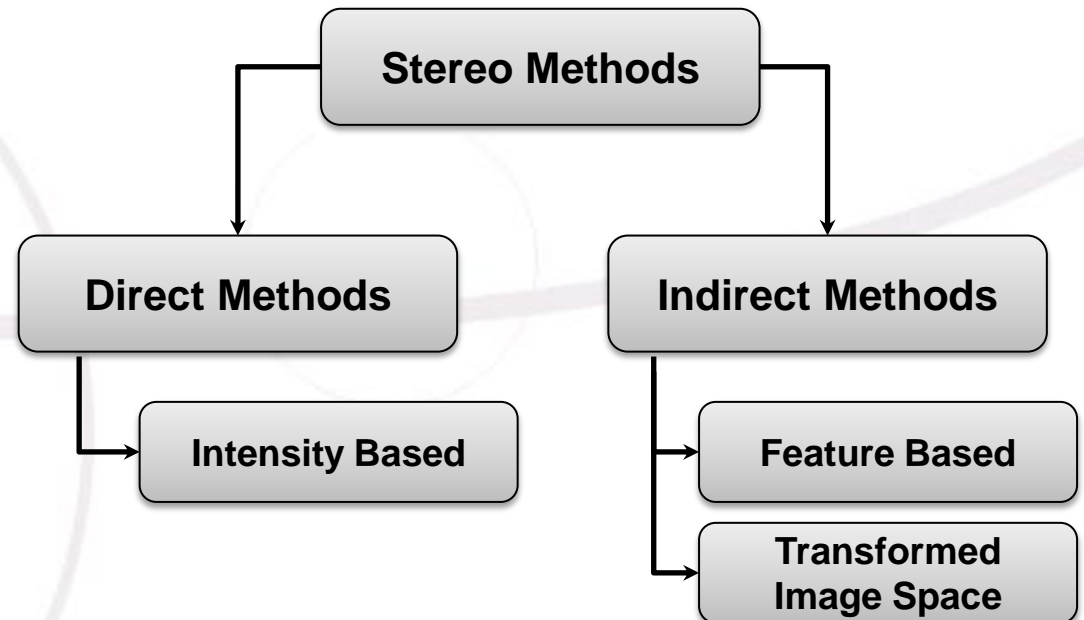
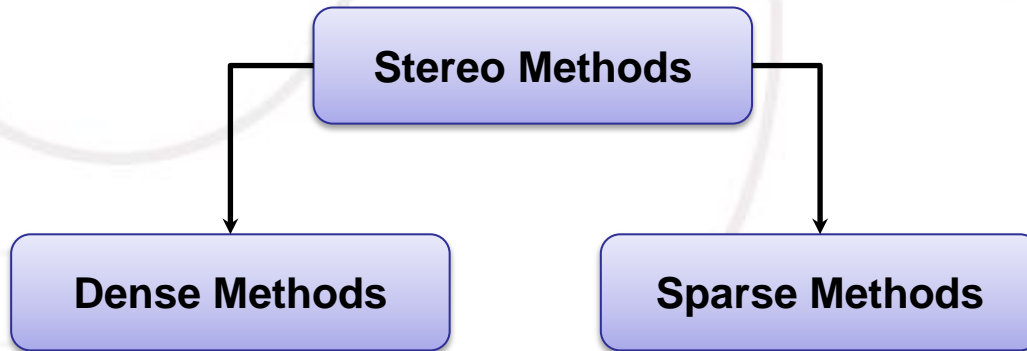
false-target problem



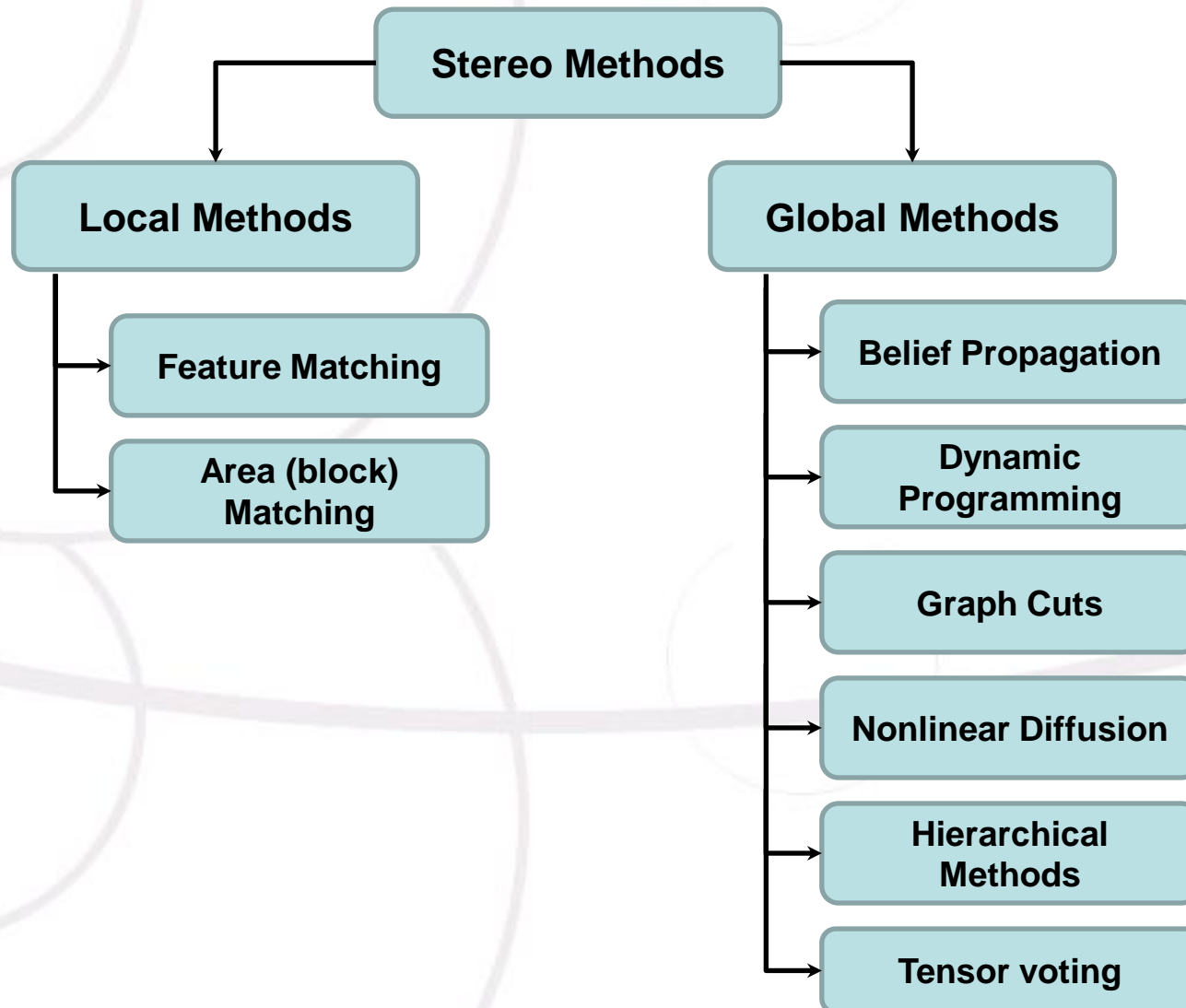
Occlusions



Textureless regions



State of the Art (II)



- Establishing dense correspondence maps
- Allows estimating large displacements and subsequently taking into account motion/disparity discontinuities
- Computationally efficient

Estimation of large-amplitude motion and disparity fields: Application to intermediate view reconstruction

Efficient Large-Scale Stereo Matching

- Generative probabilistic model
- Bayesian approach
- 2D mesh via Delaunay triangulation

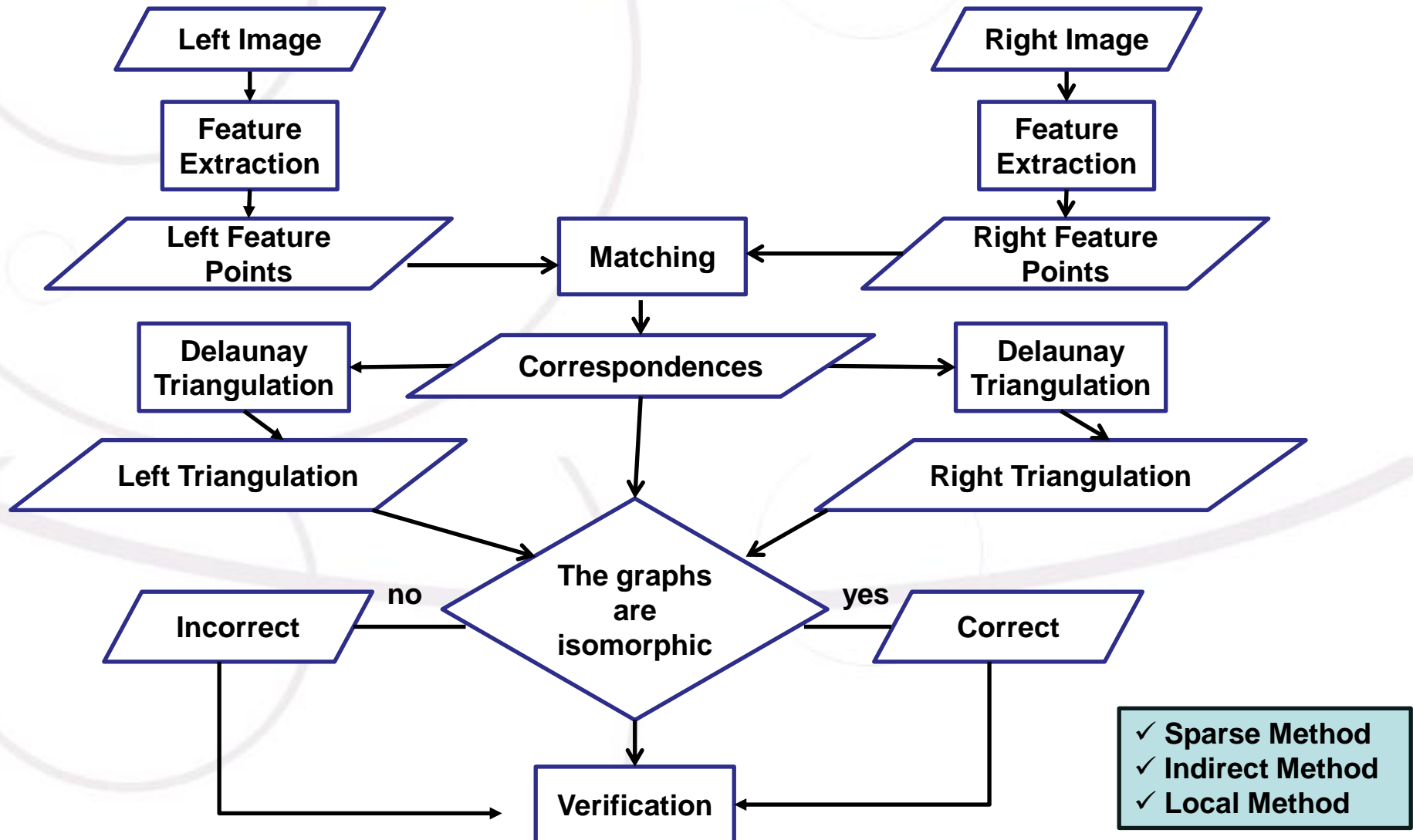
- Image pairs are triangulated
- Triangles are classified into matched and unmatched triangles
- A dense disparity map of the image is obtained

A Dense Stereo Matching Algorithm Based on Triangulation

Effective Corner Matching Based on Delaunay Triangulation

- Input images are partitioned into small and localised regions
- Point correspondences were established by planar homographies

Proposed Algorithm



Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT)



- Invariant to image scaling and rotation
- Partially invariant to change in illumination and 3D camera viewpoint
- Well localized in both the spatial and the frequency domains
- Reduce the probability of disruption by occlusion, clutter, or noise

Features from Accelerated Segment Test (FAST)

- High quality corner detector
- Implemented using machine learning
- Several orders faster than other corner detectors
- High levels of repeatability under large aspect changes and for different kind of features



Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT)



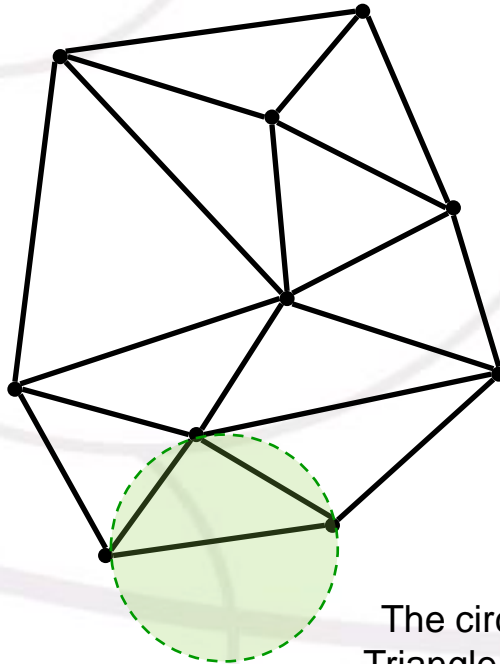
- The matching criteria for the best candidate match for each keypoint is found by identifying its nearest neighbour
- The nearest neighbour is defined as the keypoint with the minimum Euclidean distance for the invariant descriptor vector

Features from Accelerated Segment Test (FAST)

- Block matching strategy using SDD (Sum of squared differences) of the corners descriptor
- The number of matches obtained for each stereo pair is variable, but it is around 150 and 300



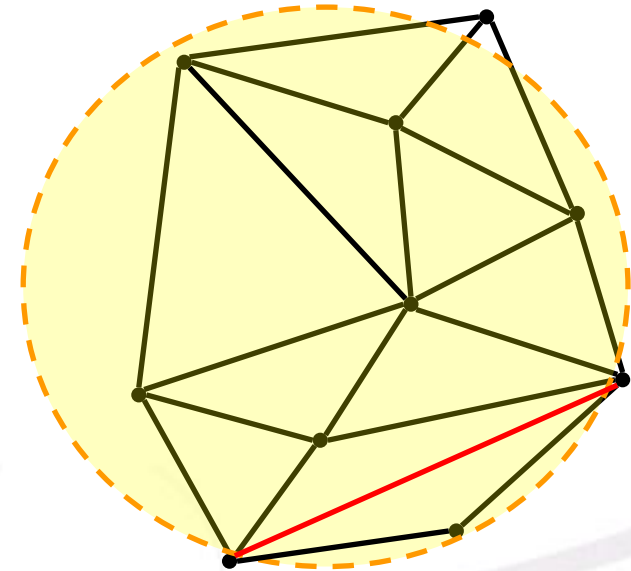
It is unique



Maximizes the
minimum angle
over all
triangulations of
 P

The circumcircle of any
Triangle does not contain
a point of P in its interior

Delaunay Triangulation



It is not completely
Delaunay

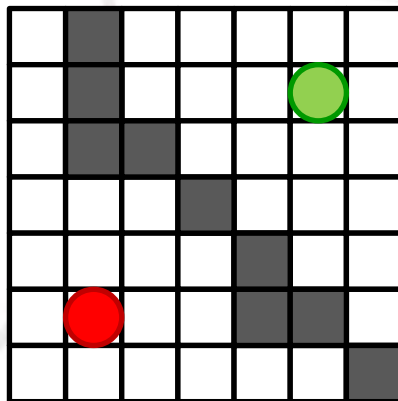
Constrained Delaunay Triangulation

Triangles Constrain

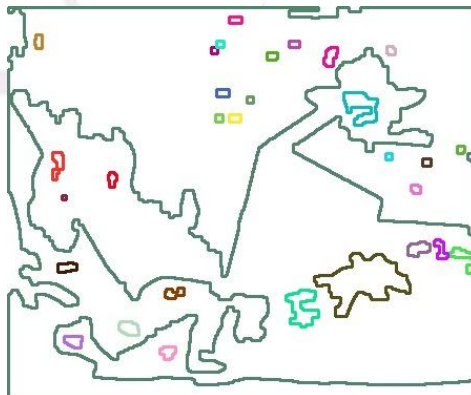
Original image



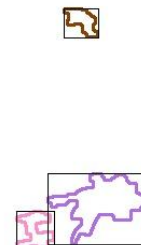
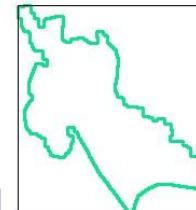
Threshold + closing + opening



Contours



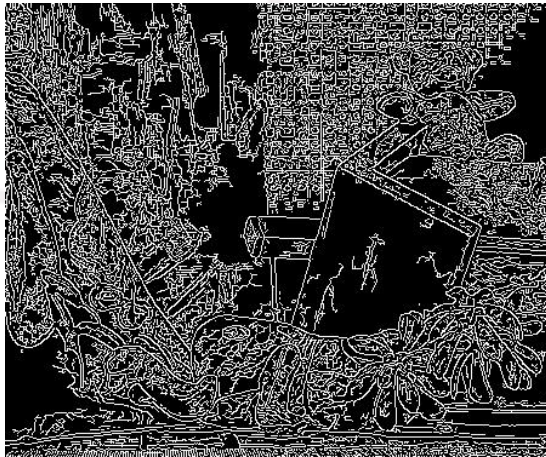
Constrain



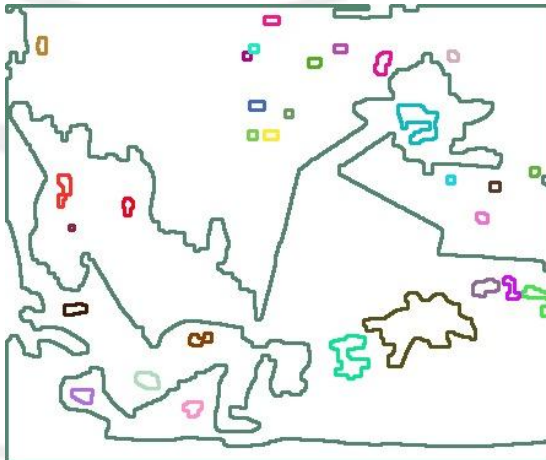
Triangulation



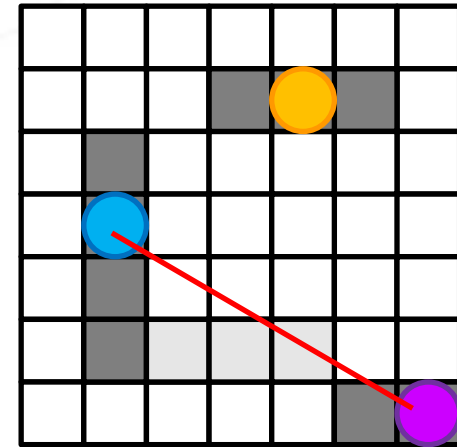
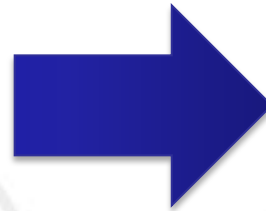
Edges Constrain



Edges

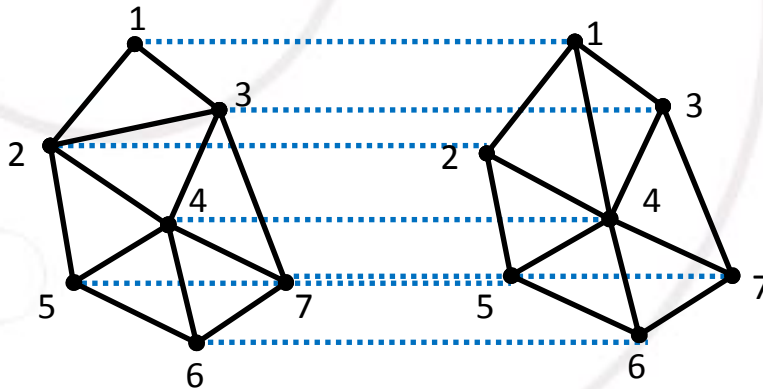


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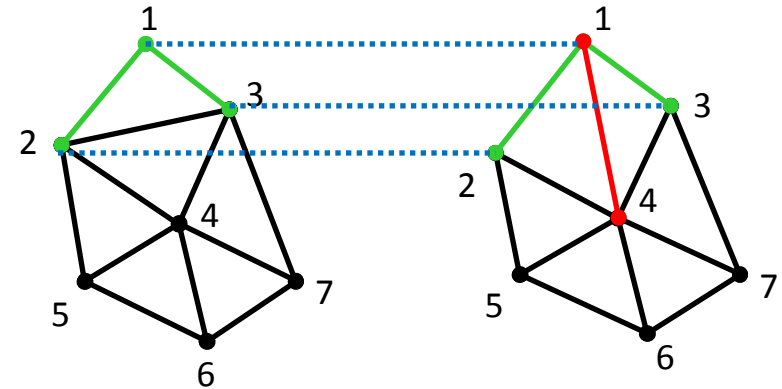


Constrain

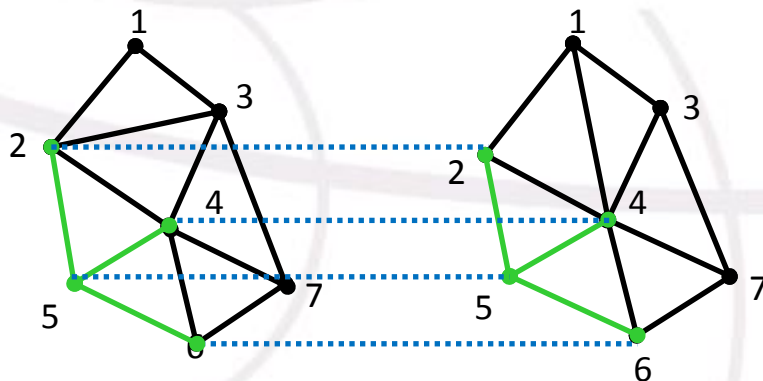




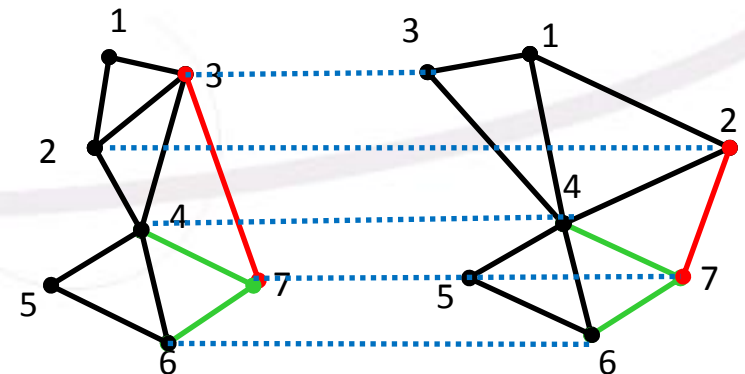
Triangulation of a set of corresponding points



Classification criteria using the vertex number 1



Classification criteria using the vertex number 5



Classification criteria using the vertex number 7

Given a set of corresponding points, they are mapped into an undirected graph and corresponding points are classified as “correctly estimated” if and only if their graphs are isomorphic

Let G and G' be a set of corresponding points, from the right and the left images respectively. A Delaunay triangulation produces a set of vertices and edges (V, A) and (V', A') respectively. A bijective function $f: V \rightarrow V'$ is a graph isomorphism if:

$$w, v, z \in A \leftrightarrow \phi(v), \phi(w), \phi(z) \in A'$$

That is, if f preserves the adjacency between vertices,

The bijective function f is represented by the initial map of correspondences and the set of adjacent vertices.

if left.numberOfVertex > 3 **then**

if right.vertex *equal* (left.vertex – 1) **or** right.vertex *equal* left.vertex **then**

mark as correct estimated

else

mark as incorrect estimated

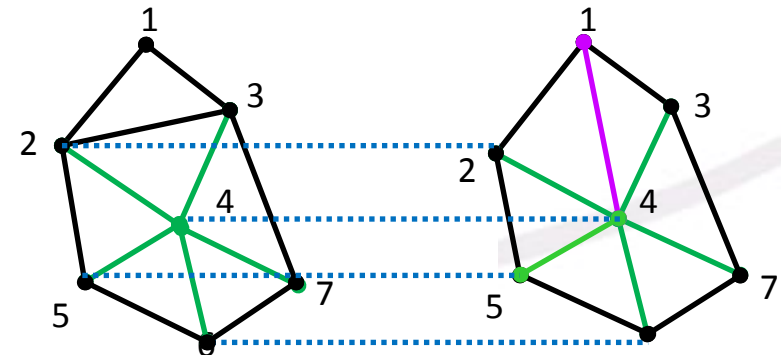
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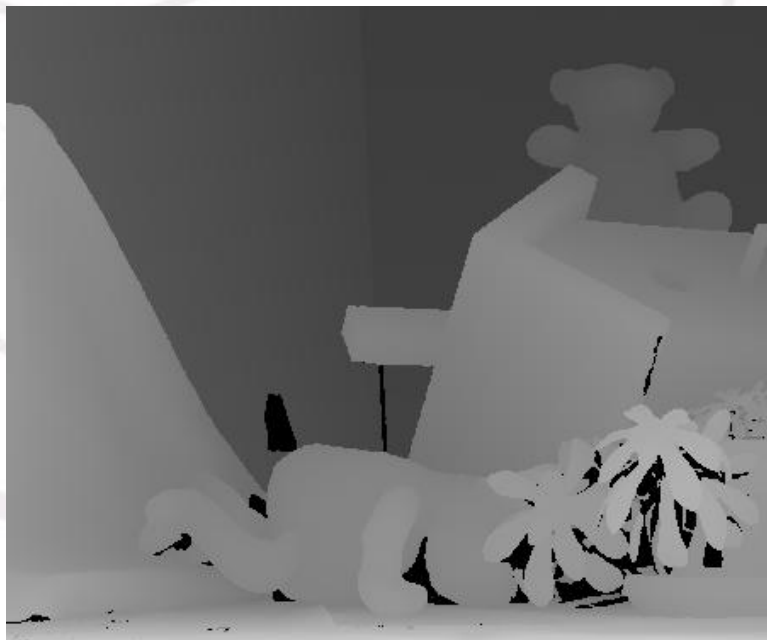
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Ground Truth Image

$$error_{i,j} = |GT_{i,j} - \Delta x_{i,j}|$$

$GT_{i,j}$: ground-truth disparity value at (i,j)

$\Delta x_{i,j}$: estimated disparity value at (i,j)

$error > 1$: “bad match”

$error < 1$: “good match”



Art



Books



Cones



Dolls



Laundry



Moebius



Reindeer



Teddy

Sensitivity

$$\text{sensitivity} = \frac{tp}{tp + fn}$$

*Probability that is classified as
“bad match”,
Given that is really a “bad
match”*

Specificity

$$\text{specificity} = \frac{tn}{tn + fp}$$

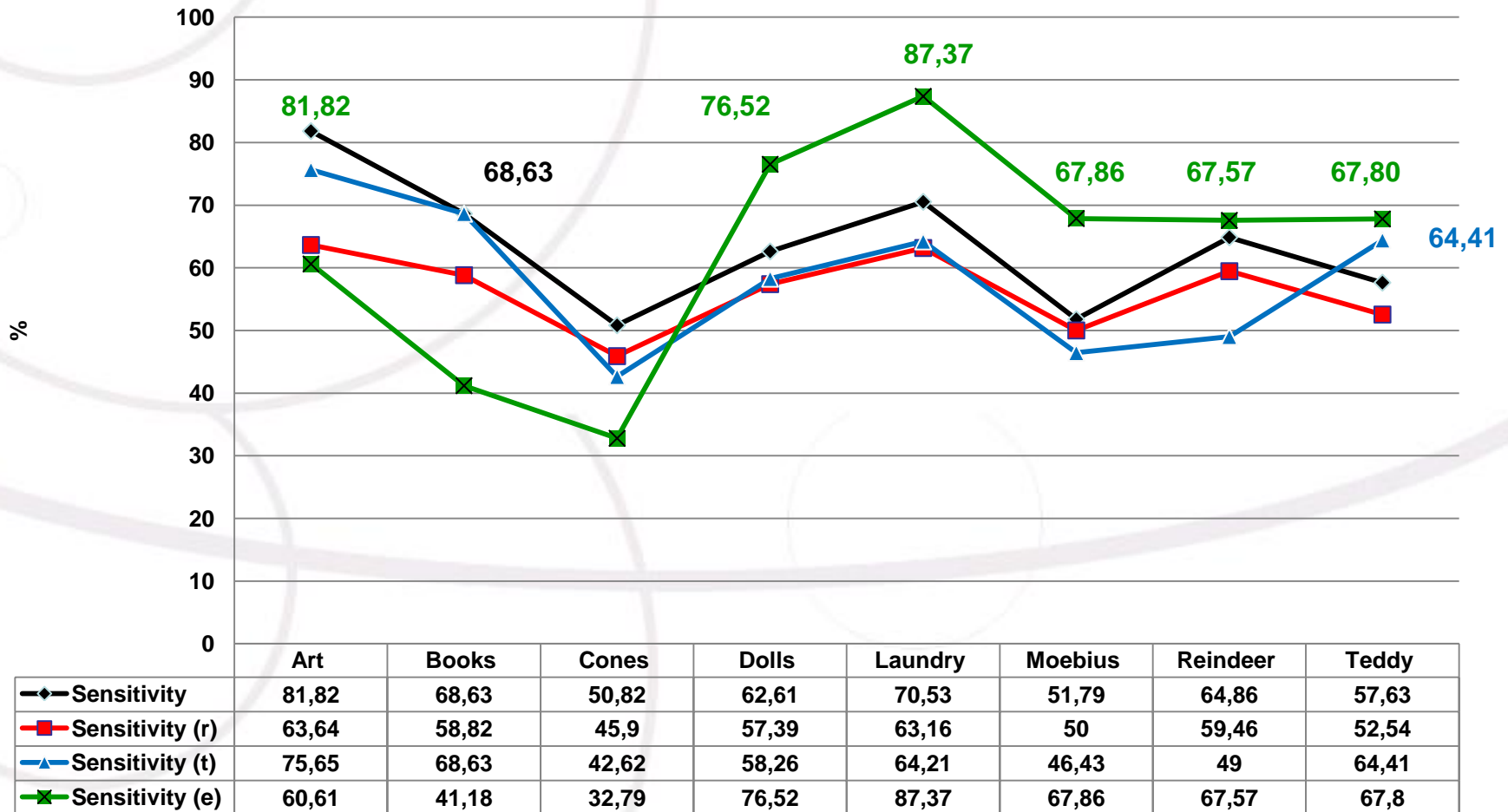
*Probability that is classified as
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tp: true positives
fp: false positives
tn: true negatives
fn: false negatives

SIFT Algorithm Performance (Initial Matching vs Ground-Truth)

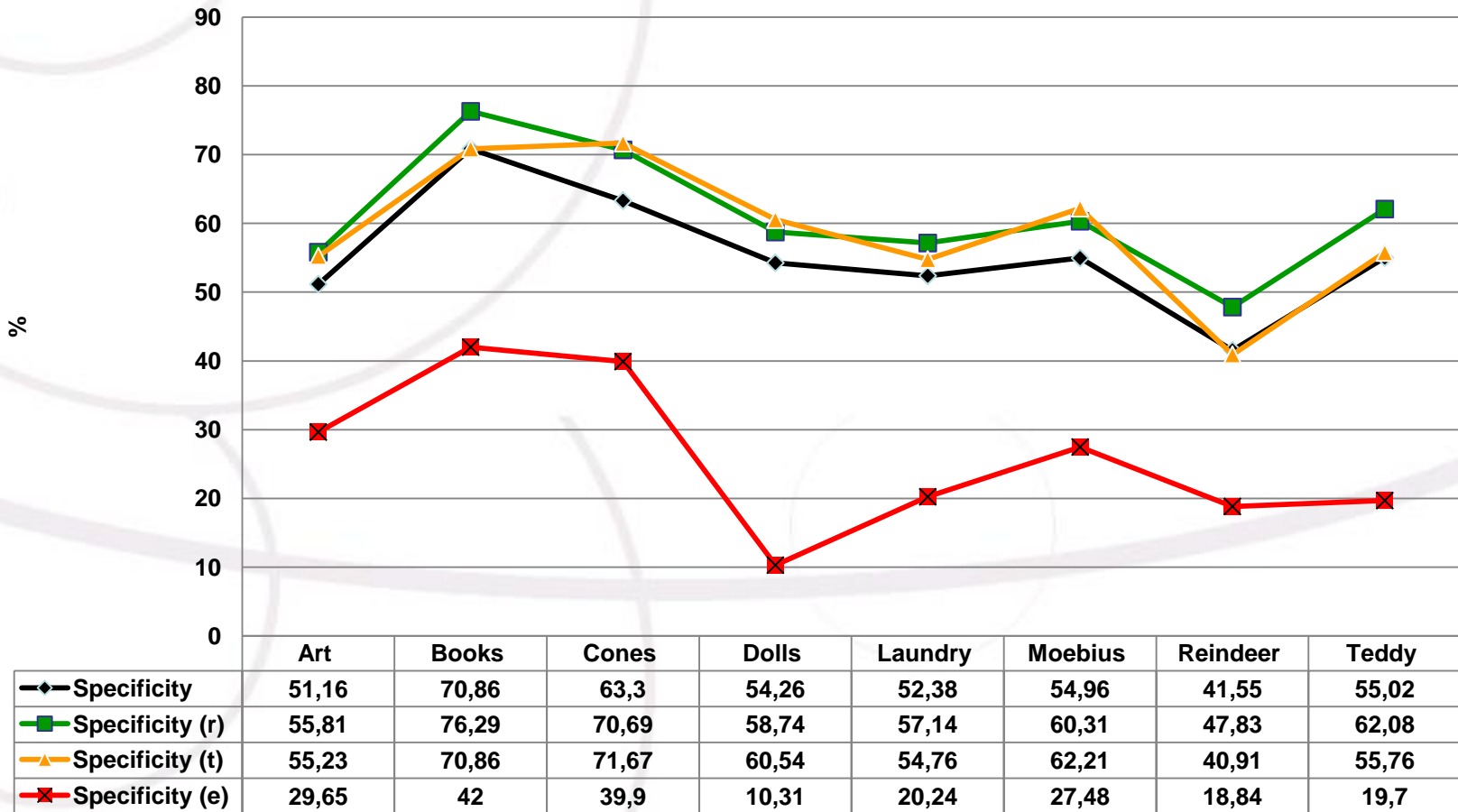
| Dataset | Points Left | Points Right | Matches | Bad Matches | % Bad Matches |
|----------|-------------|--------------|---------|-------------|---------------|
| Art | 1167 | 1089 | 205 | 33 | 16,10 |
| Books | 823 | 904 | 401 | 51 | 12,72 |
| Cones | 1163 | 1147 | 467 | 61 | 13,06 |
| Dolls | 1462 | 1406 | 561 | 115 | 20,50 |
| Laundry | 1123 | 1124 | 263 | 95 | 36,12 |
| Moebius | 867 | 920 | 318 | 56 | 17,61 |
| Reindeer | 592 | 553 | 244 | 37 | 15,16 |
| Teddy | 844 | 881 | 328 | 133 | 40,55 |

Sensitivity for SIFT



(r) = relaxed condition
(t) = triangles constrain
(e) = edges constrain

Specificity for SIFT

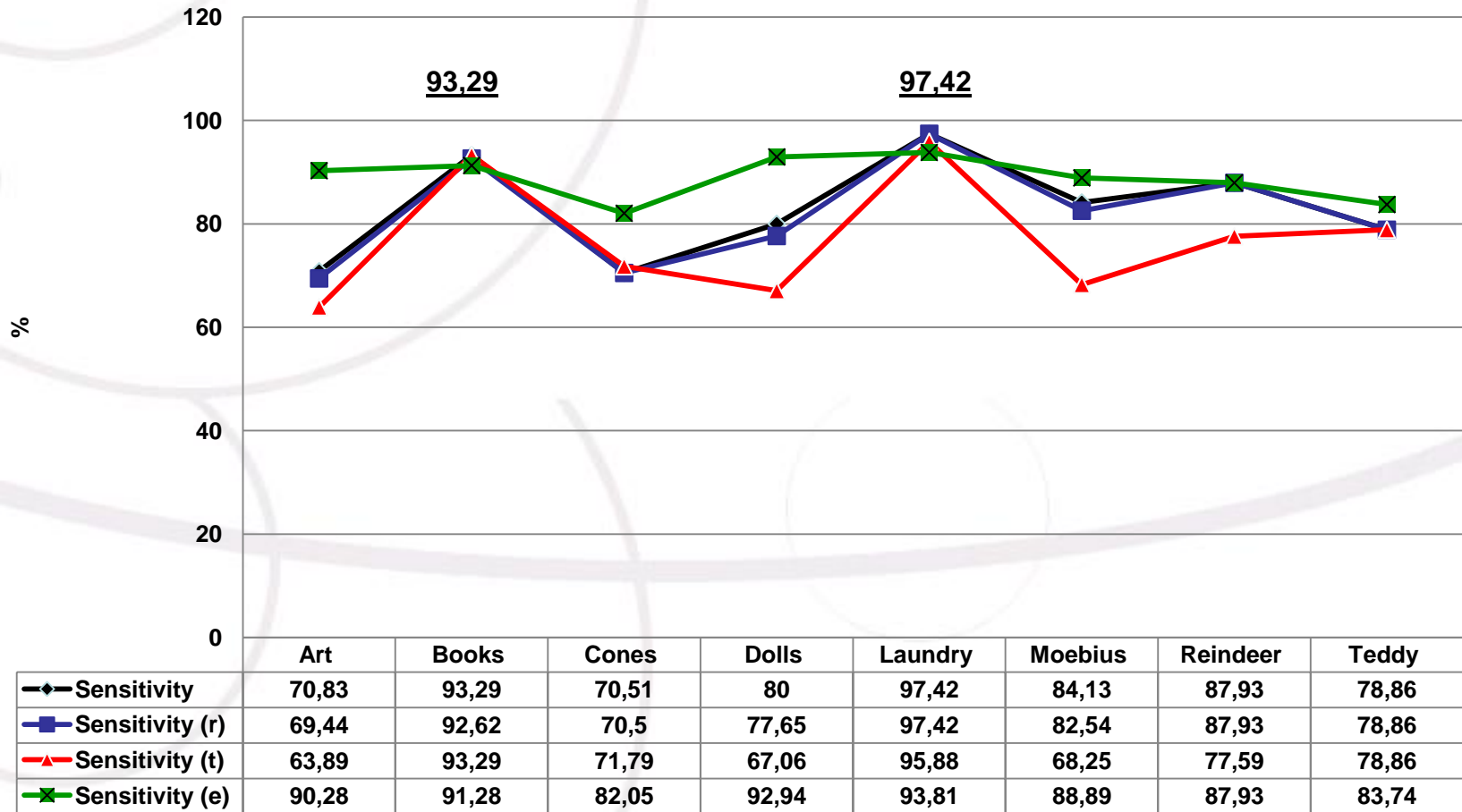


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Corners Algorithm Performance (Initial Matching vs Ground-Truth)

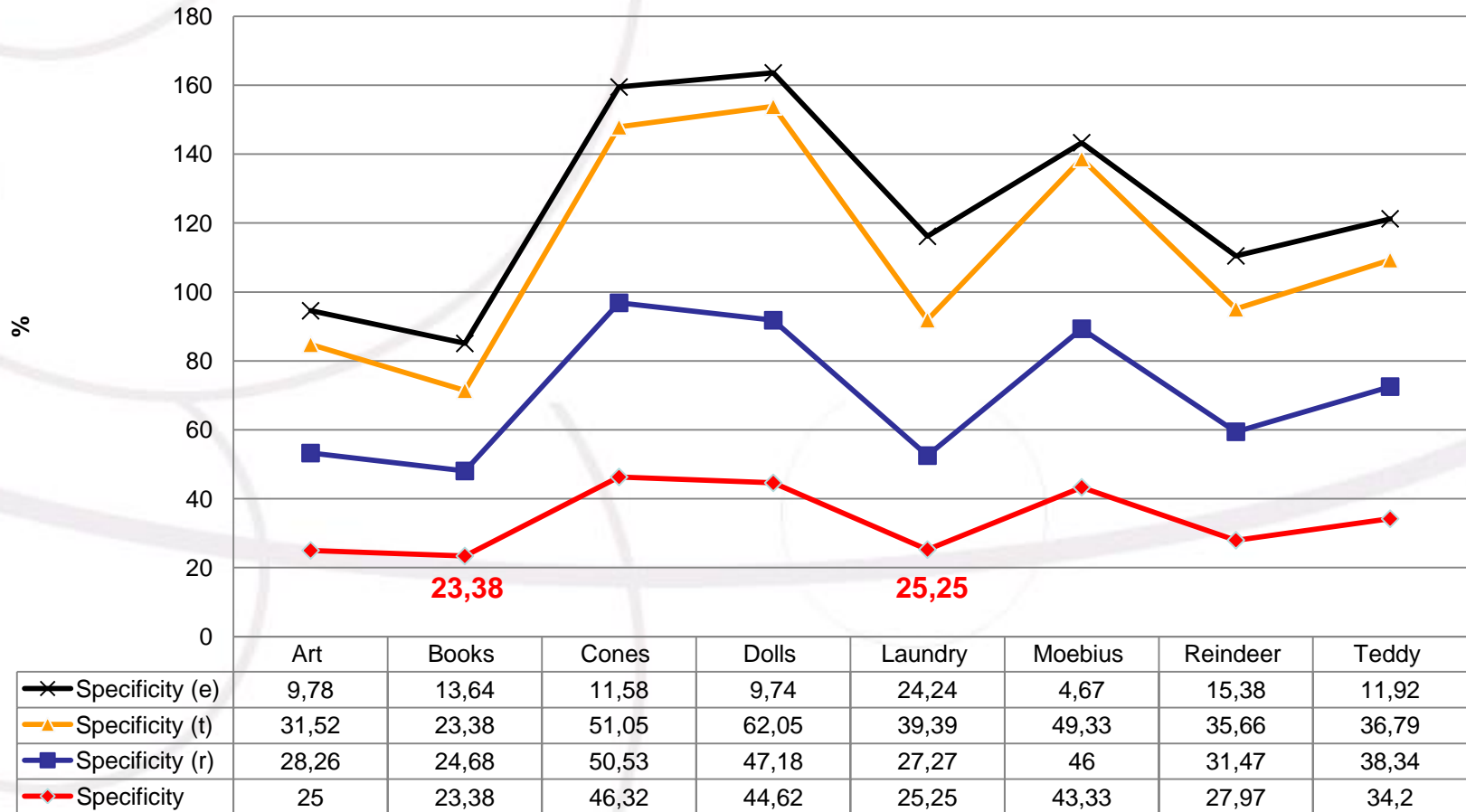
| Dataset | Points Left | Points Right | Matches | Bad Matches | % Bad Matches |
|----------|-------------|--------------|---------|-------------|---------------|
| Art | 985 | 986 | 164 | 72 | 43,90 |
| Books | 958 | 955 | 303 | 149 | 49,17 |
| Cones | 947 | 946 | 268 | 78 | 29,10 |
| Dolls | 950 | 948 | 280 | 85 | 30,36 |
| Laundry | 960 | 966 | 293 | 194 | 66,21 |
| Moebius | 963 | 970 | 213 | 63 | 29,58 |
| Reindeer | 948 | 955 | 201 | 58 | 28,86 |
| Teddy | 950 | 947 | 316 | 123 | 38,92 |

Sensitivity for Corners



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(e) = edges constrain

Specificity for Corners



(r) = relaxed condition
(t) = triangles constrain
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- ❑ The use of all the recognized keypoints for the triangulation, **adds noise** to it
- ❑ The classification algorithm **presents better performance for the corners than for the SIFT keypoints**, in terms of **sensitivity**, which is for our analysis the most representative measurement of quality. On the other hand, the **specificity is higher for the SIFT algorithm**
- ❑ The classification algorithm exhibit the **best performance** in the **corners feature points**, where the percentage of initial bad matches is bigger than approximately **50%**. It means, that the algorithm presents **high sensitivity** (between 93% and 97%) **when the initial matching is bad**
- ❑ The use of **constrains** contribute to the **increment of specificity**. However, it also **decrements the sensitivity**
- ❑ The **relaxed evaluation condition** presented **worked better** for the **corners features**, because of the locations of the points