

SURF
BRIEF
ORB } descriptor Feature

① SURF

- speed up version of SIFT → log
- little further and approximation of Box Filter
- Convolution with box filter can be easily calculated with help of integral images
- it can be done in parallel for different scales

kp, des

Create surf object ① `surf = cv2.xfeatures2d.SURF_create(threshold)`
 Find keypoints ② `kp = surf.detect(img)`
 Compute descriptor ③ `des = surf.compute(img, kp)`
 Draw keypoints ④ `cv2.drawKeypoints(img, kp, None, Color)`

Get length of kp → `len(kp)`

Get length of descriptor → `surf.descriptorSizeU`

② BRIEF (Binary Robust independent elementary features)
 detect → star des → brief

- faster method for feature descriptor calculation, matching
- high recognition rate unless there is large plane rotation
- doesn't provide any method to find the feature
- find features using SIFT, SURF

① create star detector → `star = cv2.xfeatures2d.StarDetector_create()`

② find key points → `kp = star.detect(img, None)`

③ create brief extractor → `brief = cv2.xfeatures2d.BriefDescriptorExtractor_create()`

④ Compute descriptors → `kp, des = brief.compute(img, kp)`

⑤ Draw only key points `cv2.drawKeypoints(img, kp, None)`

kp, desc
detect compute

detector, descriptor

ORB (Oriented Fast and Rotated BRIEF)

efficient alternative to SIFT, SURF

→ in Computation Cost

→ matching performance, mainly patents

ORB is a fusion of Fast keypoint detector
BRIEF descriptor
with many modification to enhance performance

Create object `ORB = cv2.Orb_create(maxNumFeatures)`

Find key points `kp = orb.detect(img)`

Compute descriptor `des = orb.compute(img, kp)`

Draw keypoints `cv2.drawKeypoints(img, kp, None, Color)`