CENG 391 Introduction to Image Understanding

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Homography Estimation with RANSAC

Write a C++/Python program that operates the following tasks.

- 1. Read the images("img1.jpg","img2.jpg")
- 2. Read the correspondences from the file "corrs.txt"
- 3. Choose the number of iterations N as 10000 initially.
- 4. Select 4 random correspondences.
- 5. Compute homography(H) with these correspondences by applying DLT algorithm that we have seen in the previous lab.
- 6. Transform points from reference image to query image for each potential correspondence between the images: x' = H * x
- 7. Count number of inliers as follows:
 - Check whether there exists any point close to transformed points with the Euclidean distance at most **3 pixels**.
- 8. Compute the inlier ratio as follows:

$$inlierRatio = \% \frac{numberOfInliers}{numberOfCorrespondences}$$
 (1)

- 9. Update N as follows:
 - (a) Calculate the probability (w) of each of the randomly selected correspondence is inlier.
 - (b) $1 (1 w^s)^N > = 0.99$. From there, calculate N.
- 10. Repeat step[4-9] N times and save the homography that gives the maximum inlier ratio.
- 11. Warp the second image with the inverse of the final computed homography.