

# ECE 661 Computer Vision: HW5

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## 1 Theory Question

### 1.1 How to differentiate between the inliers and the outliers when using RANSAC for solving the homography estimation problem

The least-squares methods can tolerate noise of a few pixels in the localization of  $\vec{x}'$  vis-a-vis to true location. However, it's very likely that the set of correspondences are false. While calculating the homography, the merely noisy  $(\vec{x}, \vec{x}')$  correspondences constitutes the inliers, and the false  $(\vec{x}, \vec{x}')$  correspondences constitutes the outliers.

When using RANSAC (Random Sample Consensus) for solving the homography estimation problem, the randomly-selected least amount of data would be used to construct an estimate and ascertain the extent of support that the rest of the data provides to the estimate. The estimate is accepted only if the support exceeds a threshold. Then the supporting data constitutes the inliers if an estimate made in this manner is accepted. The rest of the data then constitutes the outliers.

For example, the problem of linear regression estimates a linear relationship between an input random variable  $x$  and an output random variable  $y$ . With the goal of estimating an affine transformation between the two variables  $y = ax + b$ , at least two number of points are need to form the line estimate. RANSAC will randomly pick two data points and measure the support the rest of the data provides for the line constructed on the basis of the two points. The support is measured by the number of points that lie within a distance threshold  $\delta$  of the line. Then the points outside the distance threshold constitute the outlier set and the points within the distance threshold constitute the inlier set.

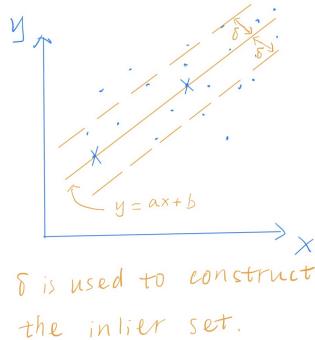


Figure 1: Linear Regression Example

## 1.2 How the Levenberg-Marquardt (LM) algorithm combines the best of GD and GN to give us a reasonably fast and numerically stable method

The solution of Gauss-Newton method is given by

$$\vec{\delta}_p = (J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}})^{-1} J_{\vec{f}}^T \vec{\epsilon}(\vec{p}) \quad (1)$$

Then we can re-write the solution as

$$(J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}})\vec{\delta}_p = J_{\vec{f}}^T \vec{\epsilon}(\vec{p}) \quad (2)$$

Note that the solution returned by GN would be same as by the gradient descent method (GD) if  $J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}}$  were purely diagonal. So we heuristically extend the equation by the addition of damping component

$$(J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}} + \mu I)\vec{\delta}_p = J_{\vec{f}}^T \vec{\epsilon}(\vec{p}) \quad (3)$$

With the damping coefficient  $\mu$ , the solution returned by the Augmented Normal Equation would be close to the solution returned by GD if  $\mu$  is much larger than the diagonal elements of  $J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}}$ . And the solution would be the same as GN if  $\mu = 0$ . The above equation could be re-written as

$$\vec{\delta}_p = (J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}} + \mu I)^{-1} J_{\vec{f}}^T \vec{\epsilon}(\vec{p}) \quad (4)$$

The method is referred as the Levenberg-Marquardt Method (LM). It's clear to see that LM behaves like GD if the starting point is far from the minimum and acts like GN as the solution point approaches the minimum. Therefore, LM gives a reasonably fast and numerically stable method by combining the best of GD and the best of GN.

## 2 Description of programming task

### 2.1 Interest Points and Descriptors

Given the five or more images,

1. First, SIFT algorithm from OpenCV library is used for extracting interest points between the pair of images.
2. Then NCC metric is used for finding the initial set of correspondences.

### 2.2 Outlier Rejection Using the RANSAC algorithm

The Random Sample Consensus Algorithm is used for rejecting the outlier which is constituted by the false pairings. The implementation of RANSAC algorithm involves the following steps:

1. First, we need to set up the following parameters
  - $\delta$ : the decision threshold to construct the inlier set. Usually, it's assumed that the noise-induced displacement for the true location of a pixel would be modeled by the Gaussian  $g(\Delta x, \Delta y) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$ . So  $\delta = 3\sigma$  that captures 90% of the inliers where  $\sigma$  is set to a small number between 0.5 and 2. In this experiment, the parameter is set as  $\delta = 8$ .
  - $\epsilon$ : the probability that a correspondence is an outlier. Assuming that roughly 10% of the correspondences are false, the parameter is set as  $\epsilon = 0.1$

- $n$ : the smallest number of samples that at least one trial in this minimal set of the correspondences to construction the homography estimate does not include any outliers. In this experiment, the parameter is set as  $n = 6$ .
- $p$ : the probability that at least one of the trials will be free of outliers in the calculation of homography estimate. In the experiment, the parameter is set as  $p = 0.99$ .
- $N$ : the number of trials to construct which is determined by

$$N = \frac{\ln(1 - p)}{\ln[1 - (1 - \epsilon)^n]} \quad (5)$$

- $n_{total}$ : the total number of available correspondences.
  - $M$ : A minimum value for the size of inlier set so that we can accept it. The parameter is set as  $M = (1 - \epsilon) \cdot n_{total}$ .
2. Then,  $n$  pairs of correspondences of interest points would be randomly selected and compute the homography estimate  $H$  by the Linear-Least Squares method. By applying the homography estimate to all the interest points, the correspondences within the decision threshold  $\delta$  constitute the inlier and the other correspondences constitutes the outlier.
  3. Repeat the above step for  $N$  times and the trial with maximum number of inliers would be retained for homography estimation and refinement.

### 2.3 Homography Estimation Using Least-Squares method

Since only the ratio is important, we consider the homography matrix with  $h_{33} = 1$

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{pmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (6)$$

Given the image pair  $(\vec{\mathbf{X}}_i, \vec{\mathbf{X}}'_i)$  where  $\vec{\mathbf{X}}_i = \begin{pmatrix} x_i \\ y_i \\ w_i \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{\mathbf{X}}'_i = \begin{pmatrix} x'_i \\ y'_i \\ w'_i \end{pmatrix}$ , the homography could be computed by  $\mathbf{A} \vec{\mathbf{h}} = \vec{\mathbf{b}}$  that

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -w'_1x_1 & -w'_1y_1 & -w'_1w_1 & y'_1x_1 & y'_1y_1 \\ w'_1x_1 & w'_1y_1 & w'_1w_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x'_1x_1 & -x'_1y_1 \\ \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -w'_ix_i & -w'_iy_i & -w'_iw_i & y'_ix_i & y'_iy_i \\ w'_ix_i & w'_iy_i & w'_iw_i & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x'_ix_i & -x'_iy_i \\ \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -w'_nx_n & -w'_ny_n & -w'_nw_n & y'_nx_n & y'_ny_n \\ w'_nx_n & w'_ny_n & w'_nw_n & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x'_nx_n & -x'_ny_n \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} h_{11} \\ h_{12} \\ h_{13} \\ h_{21} \\ h_{22} \\ h_{23} \\ h_{31} \\ h_{32} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -y'_1w_1 \\ x'_1w_1 \\ \dots \\ -y'_iw_i \\ x'_iw_i \\ \dots \\ -y'_nw_n \\ x'_nw_n \end{pmatrix} \quad (7)$$

The solution is then given by

$$\min \| \vec{\mathbf{b}} - \mathbf{A} \vec{\mathbf{h}} \| \quad (8)$$

The Least-squares solution gives

$$\vec{\mathbf{h}} = (\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{b} \quad (9)$$

## 2.4 Homography Refinement Using the LM Algorithm

The Levenburg-Marquardt combines the best of the Gradient-Descent method and the best of Gradient-Newton's Method and gives us a stable and fast method. The LM equation is given by

$$(J_f^T J_{\vec{f}} + \mu I) \vec{\delta}_p = J_f^T \vec{\epsilon}(\vec{p}) \quad (10)$$

where  $f(\vec{p}) = [f_1^1(\vec{p}), f_2^1(\vec{p}), f_1^2(\vec{p}), f_2^2(\vec{p}), \dots, f_1^N(\vec{p}), f_2^N(\vec{p})]^T$ ,  $\vec{p} = [h_{11}, h_{12}, h_{13}, h_{21}, h_{22}, h_{23}, h_{31}, h_{32}]^T$ ,  $\vec{\delta}_p$  denotes the change of  $\vec{p}$  between neighboring iterations,  $\mu$  is the damping coefficient, and the functions of vector  $\vec{p}$  are given by

$$f_1^i(\vec{p}) = \frac{h_{11}x_i + h_{12}y_i + h_{13}}{h_{31}x_i + h_{32}y_i + h_{33}} \quad (11)$$

$$f_2^i(\vec{p}) = \frac{h_{21}x_i + h_{22}y_i + h_{23}}{h_{31}x_i + h_{32}y_i + h_{33}} \quad (12)$$

The Jacobian matrix is given by

$$J_f = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial p_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial p_n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \text{vdots} \\ \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial p_1} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial p_n} \end{pmatrix} \quad (13)$$

where  $m$  denotes the number of prediction and  $n$  denotes the number of parameter. The error of the estimation if given by

$$\vec{\epsilon}_{\vec{p}} = \vec{X} - \vec{f}_{\vec{p}} \quad (14)$$

To refine the linear matrix using LM method, we repeat the following steps until the result converges:

1. Initialization

First, we need to initialize the damping coefficient  $\mu_0 = \tau \times \max\{diag(J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}})\}$ , where  $\tau$  is a constant number between 0 and 1. In the experiment, we initialize  $\tau = 0.5$ .

2. Compute the  $\vec{\delta}_p$

Then we compute the  $\vec{\delta}_p$  by

$$\vec{\delta}_{p_k} = (J_{\vec{f}}^T J_{\vec{f}} + \mu I)^{-1} J_f^T \vec{\epsilon}(\vec{p}_k) \quad (15)$$

3. Compute the ratio  $\rho$

In order to check the sign of change of the cost function (the cost function for  $\vec{p}_k$  is represented as  $C(\vec{p}_k) = \|\vec{X} - \vec{f}_{\vec{p}_k}\|^2$ ), we use the following formula to compute the ratio:

$$\rho = \frac{C(\vec{p}_k) - C(\vec{p}_{k+1})}{\vec{\delta}_{p_k}^T J_f^T \vec{\epsilon}_{p_k} + \vec{\delta}_{p_k}^T \mu_k I \vec{\delta}_{p_k}} \quad (16)$$

4. Update the damping coefficient

The value of  $\rho$  is used to calculate the damping coefficient for the next iteration

$$\mu \leftarrow \mu \times \max\left\{\frac{1}{3}, 1 - (2\rho - 1)^3\right\} \quad (17)$$

5. Obtain the refined nonlinear homography matrix.

## 2.5 Image Mosaicing

Five images from different view are taken as input. The plane of the third image which is taken from the middle view is taken as the range plane. And other images are projected onto the range plane to be stitched together. We can compute the homography matrix between the image pairs and obtain  $H_{12}, H_{23}, H_{34}, H_{45}$ . Then the homography mappings from domain plane to range plane are given by

$$H_{13} = H_{12} \times H_{23} \quad (18)$$

$$H_{33} = I(3) \quad (19)$$

$$H_{53} = H_{34}^{-1} \times H_{45}^{-1} \quad (20)$$

## 3 Implementation results

### 3.1 Input images

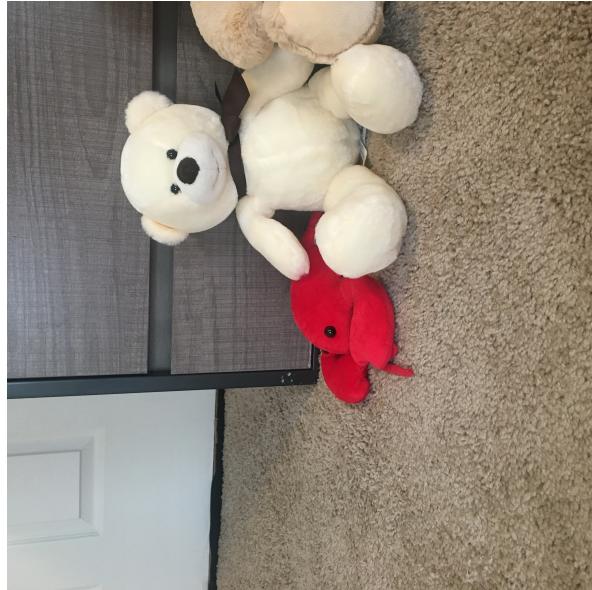


Figure 2: Input image 1

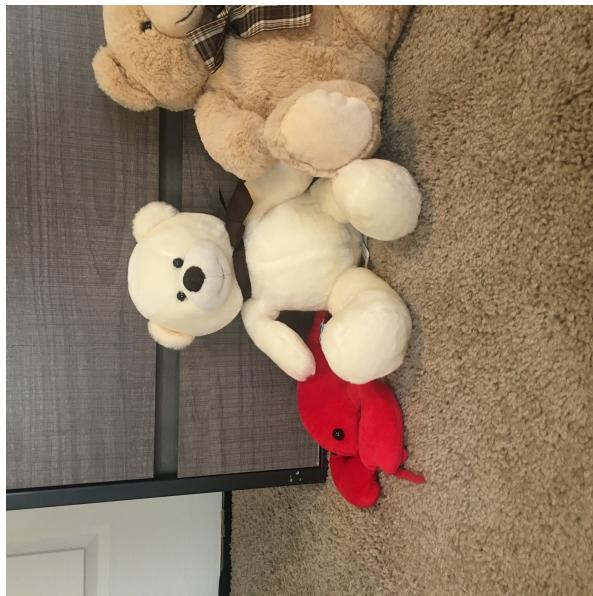


Figure 3: Input image 2

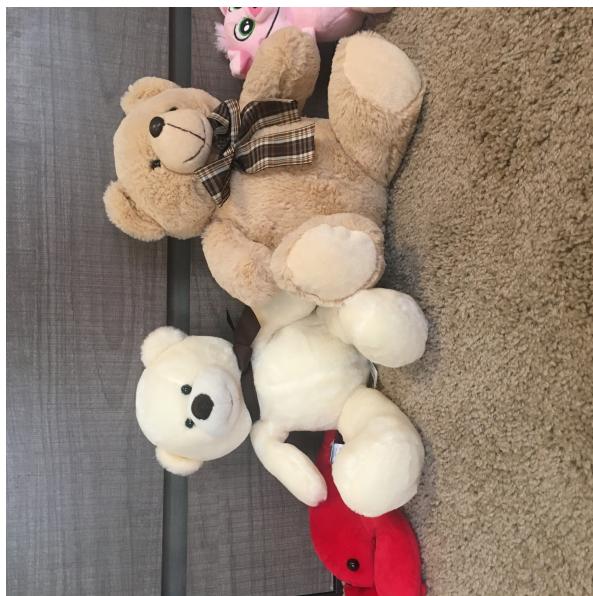


Figure 4: Input image 3

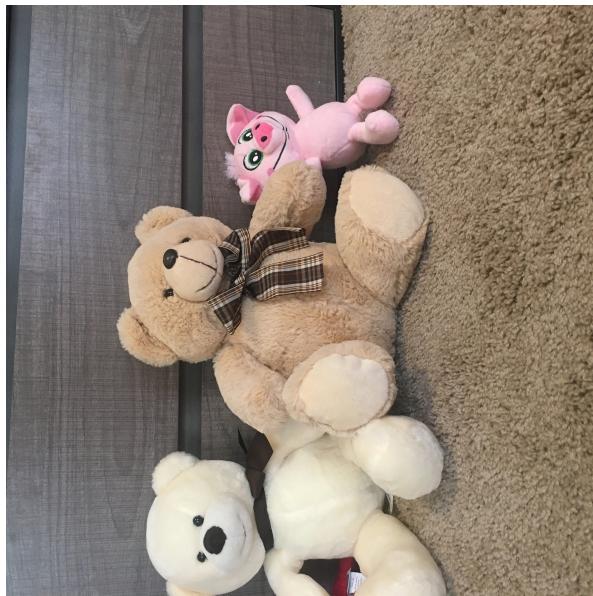


Figure 5: Input image 4

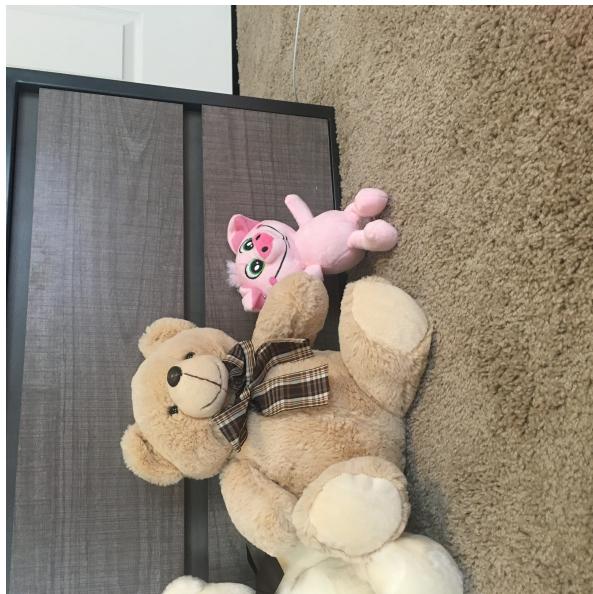


Figure 6: Input image 5

### 3.2 Extracted correspondences between the sets of adjacent images

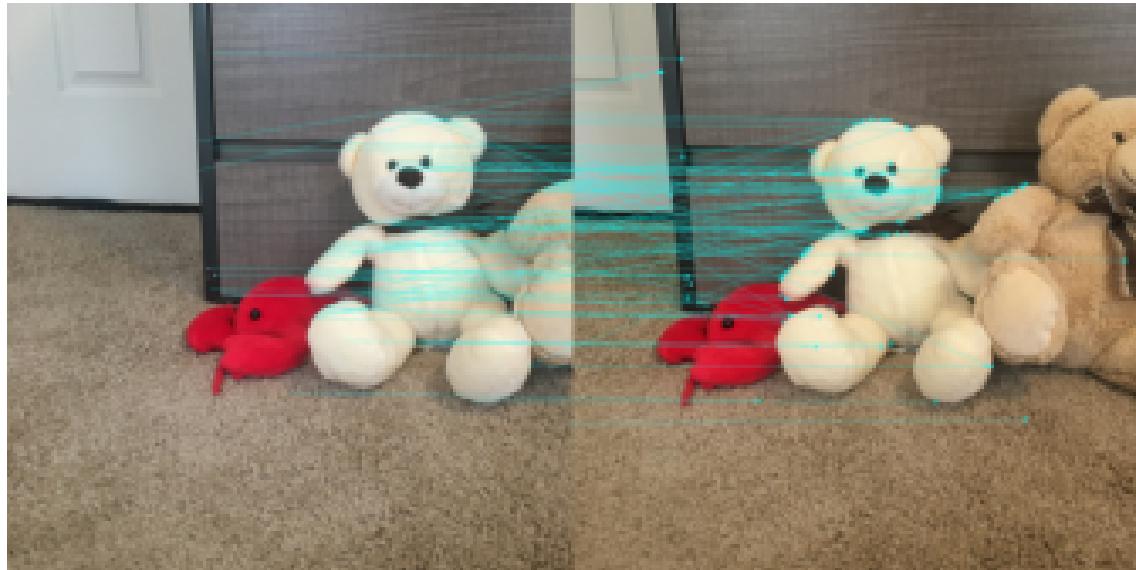


Figure 7: Interest points correspondences between img1 and img2

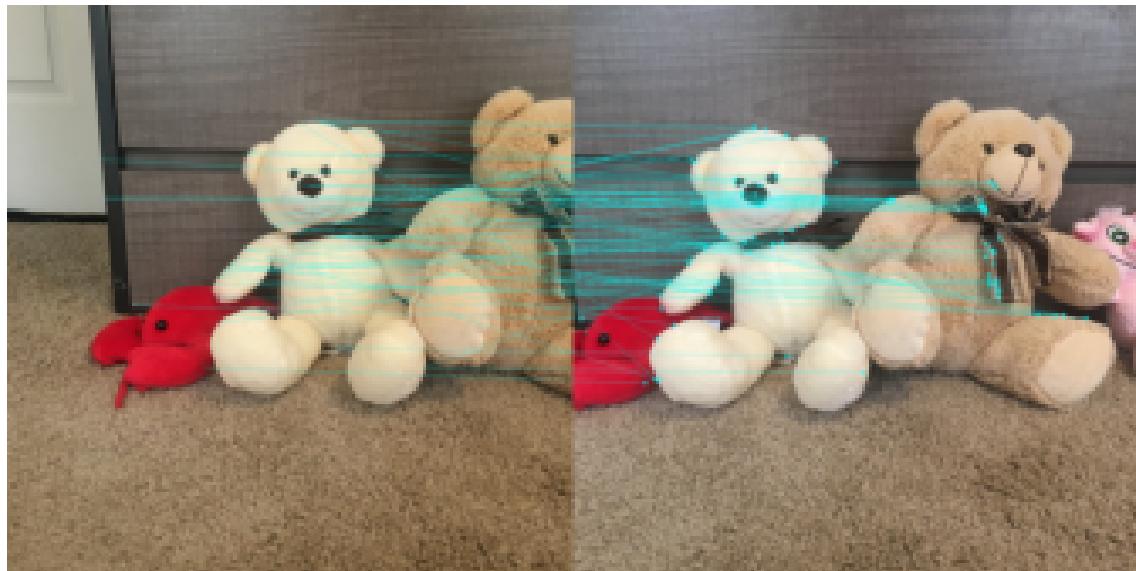


Figure 8: Interest points correspondences between img2 and img3

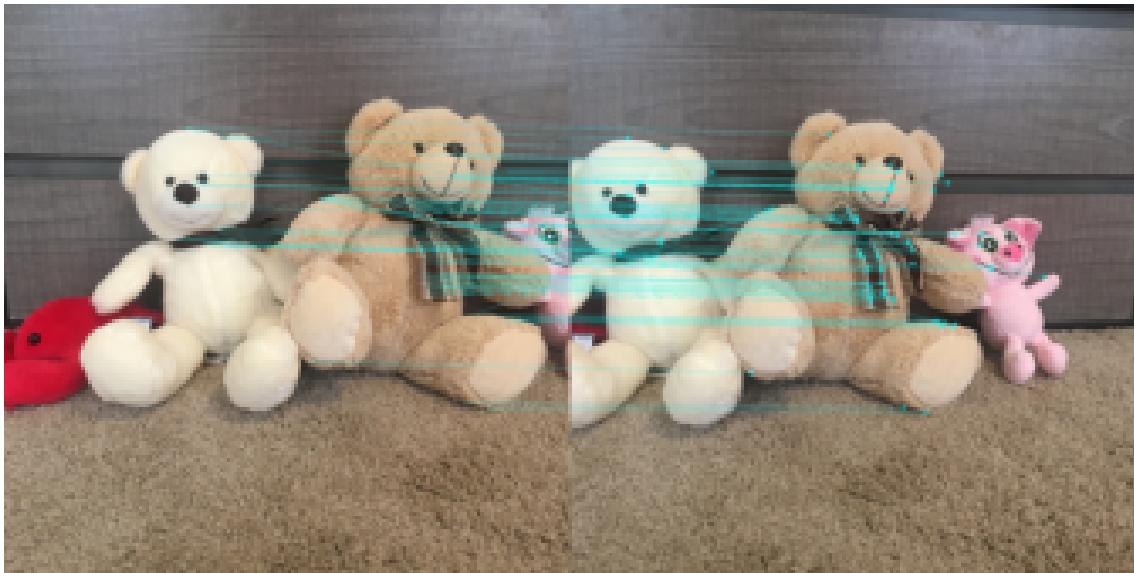


Figure 9: Interest points correspondences between img3 and img4

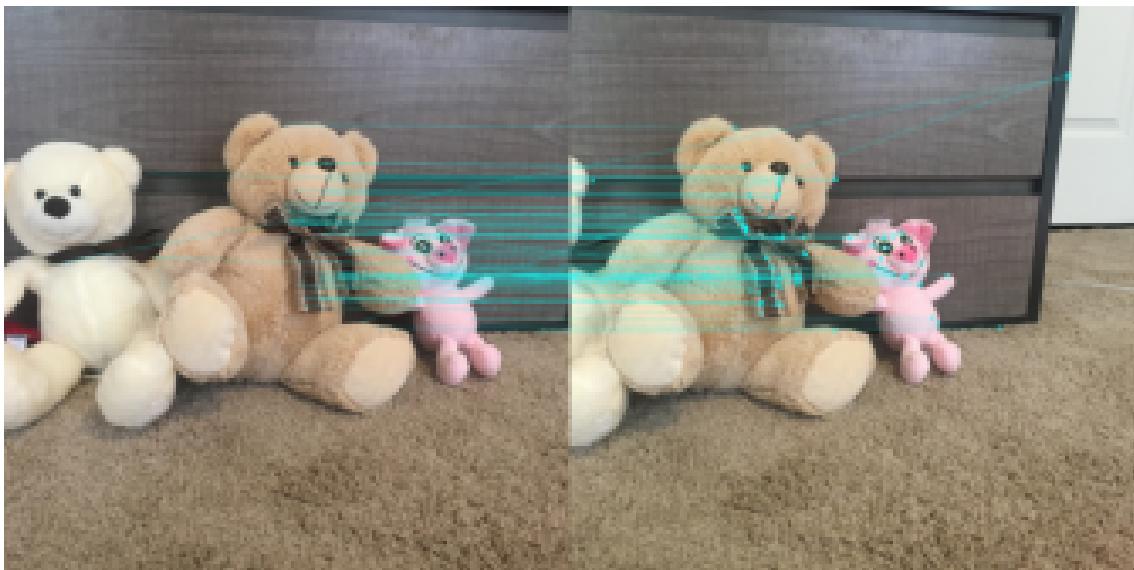


Figure 10: Interest points correspondences between img4 and img5

### 3.3 The sets of inlier and outlier

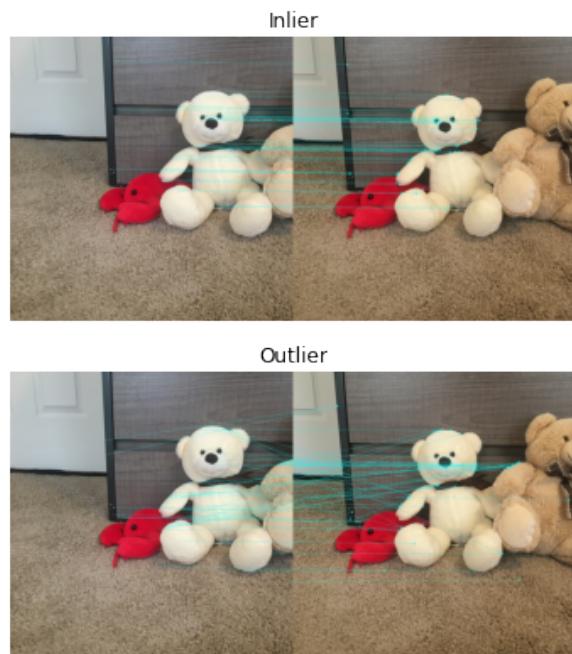


Figure 11: The inlier set and outlier set of first pair

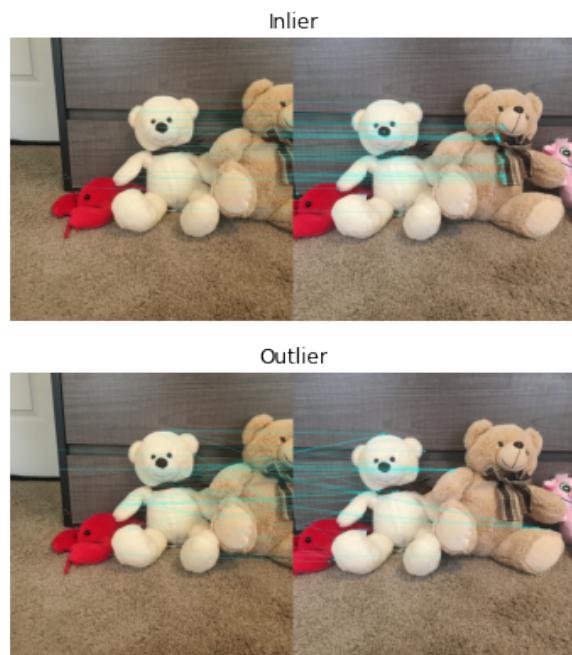


Figure 12: The inlier set and outlier set of second pair



Figure 13: The inlier set and outlier set of third pair

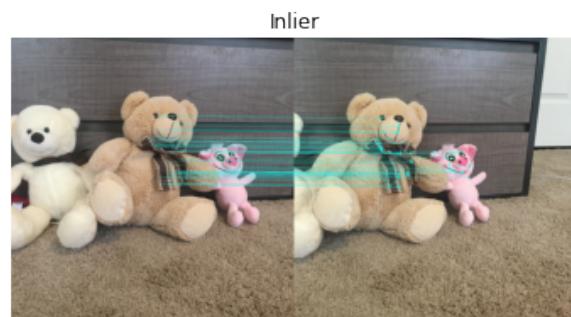


Figure 14: The inlier set and outlier set of fourth pair

### 3.4 Final output panoramic view after stitching input images

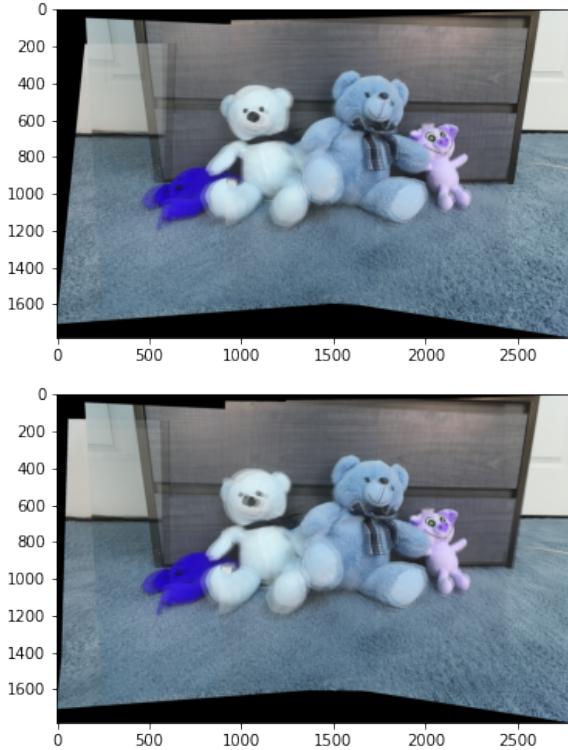


Figure 15: panoramic views of image before and after homography refinement

## 4 Source Code

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1000 import numpy as np
1001 import cv2
1002 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
1003 from skimage import io
1004 from scipy.optimize import least_squares
1005
1006 # Read images
1007 img1 = io.imread('1.jpeg')
1008 img2 = io.imread('2.jpeg')
1009 img2 = cv2.resize(img2, (img1.shape[1], img1.shape[0]), interpolation=cv2.INTER_AREA)
1010 img3 = io.imread('3.jpeg')
1011 img3 = cv2.resize(img3, (img1.shape[1], img1.shape[0]), interpolation=cv2.INTER_AREA)
1012 img4 = io.imread('4.jpeg')
1013 img4 = cv2.resize(img4, (img1.shape[1], img1.shape[0]), interpolation=cv2.INTER_AREA)
1014 img5 = io.imread('5.jpeg')
1015 img5 = cv2.resize(img5, (img1.shape[1], img1.shape[0]), interpolation=cv2.INTER_AREA)
1016 # Converts image to gray images
1017 gray1 = cv2.cvtColor(img1, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1018 gray2 = cv2.cvtColor(img2, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1019 gray3 = cv2.cvtColor(img3, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1020 gray4 = cv2.cvtColor(img4, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1021 gray5 = cv2.cvtColor(img5, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1022
1023 #
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1026 # Extract SIFT feature
1027 num_features = 2000
1028 sift = cv2.xfeatures2d.SIFT_create(nfeatures=num_features)
1029 kp1, des1 = sift.detectAndCompute(gray1, None)
1030 kp2, des2 = sift.detectAndCompute(gray2, None)
1031 kp3, des3 = sift.detectAndCompute(gray3, None)
1032 kp4, des4 = sift.detectAndCompute(gray4, None)
1033 kp5, des5 = sift.detectAndCompute(gray5, None)
1034
1035
1036 def ncc_metric(img1, kp1, img2, kpts, k):
1037
1038     img1 = cv2.cvtColor(img1, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1039     img2 = cv2.cvtColor(img2, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
1040
1041     # Initialization
1042     h, w = img1.shape
1043     n = int(k / 2)
1044     # Neighborhood of kp1
1045     img1_padded = np.zeros([h + 2 * n, w + 2 * n])
1046     img1_padded[n: n + h, n: n + w] = img1
1047     img2_padded = np.zeros([h + 2 * n, w + 2 * n])
1048     img2_padded[n: n + h, n: n + w] = img2
1049     # find the ncc between kp1 and kp2's in corner list of img2 and return the
1050     # correspondence
1051     neighbor1 = img1_padded[int(kp1[1]): int(kp1[1]) + 2 * n, int(kp1[0]): int(kp1[0]) +
1052     + 2 * n]
1053     max_ncc = -1e6
1054     # index = int(len(corner2)-1)
1055     for i in range(len(kpts)):
1056         kp2 = kpts[i].pt
1057         neighbor2 = img2_padded[int(kp2[1]): int(kp2[1]) + 2 * n, int(kp2[0]): int(kp2[0]) +
1058         + 2 * n]
1059         sum1 = np.sum(neighbor1 - np.mean(neighbor1) ** 2)
1060         sum2 = np.sum(neighbor2 - np.mean(neighbor2) ** 2)
1061         ncc = np.sum((neighbor1 - np.mean(neighbor1)) * (neighbor2 - np.mean(neighbor2)))
1062         if ncc > max_ncc:
1063             max_ncc = ncc
1064             index = i
1065
1066     return index, max_ncc
1067
1068
1069 def match_pt(img1, kp1, img2, kp2, num_best):
1070     """
1071     Use SSD to build points correspondences.
1072     """
1073     pts = []
1074     match_pts = []
1075     match_dist = []
1076     for i in range(len(kp1)):
1077         pt1 = kp1[i].pt
1078         pts.append(pt1)
1079         index, max_ncc = ncc_metric(img1, pt1, img2, kp2, k=21)
1080         match_pts.append(kp2[index].pt)
1081         match_dist.append(max_ncc)
1082
1083     # Sort
1084     pts = [x for _, x in sorted(zip(match_dist, pts))]
1085     pts = np.array(pts)[0:num_best, :]
1086     match_pts = [y for _, y in sorted(zip(match_dist, match_pts))]
1087     match_pts = np.array(match_pts)[0:num_best, :]

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1086     match_dist = sorted(match_dist)
1087     match_dist = np.array(match_dist)[0:num_best]

1088     # # Plot
1089     # img = np.hstack((img1, img2))
1090     # w, h, d = img1.shape
1091     # for i in range(num_best):
1092     #     pt1 = [int(pts[i][0]), int(pts[i][1])]
1093     #     pt2 = [int(match_pts[i][0] + h), int(match_pts[i][1])]
1094     #     cv2.line(img, tuple(pt1), tuple(pt2), (0, 255, 255), 1)
1095     #     cv2.circle(img, tuple(pt1), 4, (0, 255, 255), 2)
1096     #     cv2.circle(img, tuple(pt2), 4, (0, 255, 255), 2)
1097     # plt.imshow(img, cmap='gray')
1098     # plt.axis('off')
1099     # plt.show()
1100     # plt.clf()

1102     return pts, match_pts, match_dist

1104     # Build points correspondences
1105     pts1, match_pts12, match_dist12 = match_pt(img1, kp1, img2, kp2, num_best=200)
1106     pts2, match_pts23, match_dist23 = match_pt(img2, kp2, img3, kp3, num_best=200)
1107     pts3, match_pts34, match_dist34 = match_pt(img3, kp3, img4, kp4, num_best=200)
1108     pts4, match_pts45, match_dist45 = match_pt(img4, kp4, img5, kp5, num_best=200)
1109

1112     #
1113     =====

# RANSAC
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1116 def random_miniset(pts1, pts2, num_pts):

1118     random_selection = np.random.permutation(len(pts1))
1119     selection1 = []
1120     selection2 = []
1121     for i in range(num_pts):
1122         selection1.append(pts1[random_selection[i]])
1123         selection2.append(pts2[random_selection[i]])
1124
1125     return selection1, selection2
1126

1128 def compute_homography(pts1, pts2):

1130     A = np.zeros((2 * len(pts1), 8))
1131     b = np.zeros((2 * len(pts1), 1))
1132
1133     for i in range(len(pts1)):
1134         pt1 = np.array([pts1[i][0], pts1[i][1], 1], dtype=float)
1135         pt2 = np.array([pts2[i][0], pts2[i][1], 1], dtype=float)
1136         A[2 * i] = [pt1[0], pt1[1], 1, 0, 0, 0, -pt1[0]*pt2[0], -pt1[1]*pt2[0]]
1137         A[2 * i + 1] = [0, 0, 0, pt1[0], pt1[1], 1, -pt1[0]*pt2[1], -pt1[1]*pt2[1]]
1138         b[2 * i] = pt2[0]
1139         b[2 * i + 1] = pt2[1]
1140
1141     h = np.dot(np.linalg.pinv(A), b)
1142     homo_mat = np.append(h, 1)
1143     H = homo_mat.reshape((3, 3))
1144
1145     return H
1146

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1148 def get_liers(pts1, pts2, map_pts1, delta):
1150     inlier_pts1 = []
1151     inlier_pts2 = []
1152     outlier_pts1 = []
1153     outlier_pts2 = []
1154
1155     for i in range(len(pts2)):
1156         if np.sqrt((pts2[i][0] - map_pts1[i][0])**2 + (pts2[i][1] - map_pts1[i][1])**2) < delta:
1157             inlier_pts1.append(pts1[i])
1158             inlier_pts2.append(pts2[i])
1159         else:
1160             outlier_pts1.append(pts1[i])
1161             outlier_pts2.append(pts2[i])
1162
1163     return inlier_pts1, inlier_pts2, outlier_pts1, outlier_pts2
1164
1165
1166 def apply_H(H, pts):
1167
1168     pts = np.append(pts, np.ones([len(pts), 1]), 1)
1169     mapped_pts = np.zeros(pts.shape, dtype=float)
1170     for i in range(len(pts)):
1171         mapped_pts[i] = np.dot(H, pts[i]) / np.dot(H, pts[i])[2]
1172
1173     return mapped_pts
1174
1175
1176 def ransac_rejection(pts1, pts2, n, epsilon, p, delta):
1177
1178     N = int( np.log(1-p) / np.log( 1 - (1 - epsilon)**n ) )
1179     n_total = len(pts1)
1180     M = int( (1 - epsilon) * n_total )
1181     for i in range(N):
1182         selected_pts1, selected_pts2 = random_miniset(pts1, pts2, num_pts=6)
1183         H = compute_homography(selected_pts1, selected_pts2)
1184         map_pts = apply_H(H, pts1)
1185         inlier_pt1, inlier_pt2, outlier_pt1, outlier_pt2 = get_liers(pts1, pts2,
1186         map_pts, delta)
1187
1188     return inlier_pt1, inlier_pt2, outlier_pt1, outlier_pt2
1189
1190
1191 def show_liers(img1, img2, inlier_pt1, inlier_pt2, outlier_pt1, outlier_pt2):
1192
1193     img = np.hstack((img1, img2))
1194     w, h, d = img1.shape
1195
1196     for i in range(len(inlier_pt1)):
1197         pt1 = [int(inlier_pt1[i][0]), int(inlier_pt1[i][1])]
1198         pt2 = [int(inlier_pt2[i][0] + h), int(inlier_pt2[i][1])]
1199         cv2.line(img, tuple(pt1), tuple(pt2), (0, 255, 255), 1)
1200         cv2.circle(img, tuple(pt2), 4, (0, 255, 255), 2)
1201         cv2.circle(img, tuple(pt2), 4, (0, 255, 255), 2)
1202
1203     plt.imshow(img, cmap='gray')
1204     plt.axis('off')
1205     plt.title('Inlier')
1206     plt.show()
1207     plt.clf()
1208
1209     img = np.hstack((img1, img2))
1210     for i in range(len(outlier_pt1)):

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1210     pt1 = [int(outlier_pt1[i][0]), int(outlier_pt1[i][1])]
1211     pt2 = [int(outlier_pt2[i][0] + h), int(outlier_pt2[i][1])]
1212     cv2.line(img, tuple(pt1), tuple(pt2), (0, 255, 255), 1)
1213     cv2.circle(img, tuple(pt2), 4, (0, 255, 255), 2)
1214     cv2.circle(img, tuple(pt2), 4, (0, 255, 255), 2)
1215
1216 plt.imshow(img, cmap='gray')
1217 plt.axis('off')
1218 plt.title('Outlier')
1219 plt.show()
1220 plt.clf()

1221
1222 # RANSAC paramters
1223 epsilon = 0.1
1224 delta = 8
1225 p = 0.99
1226 n = 6

1227
1228 # the first pair
1229 in1, in12, out1, out12 = ransac_rejection(pts1, match_pts12, n, epsilon, p, delta)
1230 show_liers(img1, img2, in1, in12, out1, out12)
# the second pair
1231 in2, in23, out2, out23 = ransac_rejection(pts2, match_pts23, n, epsilon, p, delta)
1232 show_liers(img2, img3, in2, in23, out2, out23)
# the third pair
1233 in3, in34, out3, out34 = ransac_rejection(pts3, match_pts34, n, epsilon, p, delta)
1234 show_liers(img3, img4, in3, in34, out3, out34)
# the fourth pair
1235 in4, in45, out4, out45 = ransac_rejection(pts4, match_pts45, n, epsilon, p, delta)
1236 show_liers(img4, img5, in4, in45, out4, out45)
1237
1238
1239 #
1240 =====
1241
1242 # Linear Least Square
1243
1244
1245 def homography_estimate(pts1, pts2):
1246
1247     if len(pts1) % 2 == 1:
1248         pts1.append([0, 0])
1249         pts2.append([0, 0])
1250
1251     pts1 = np.array(pts1, dtype=float)
1252     pts2 = np.array(pts2, dtype=float)
1253     A = np.zeros((2 * len(pts1), 8))
1254     b = np.zeros((2 * len(pts1), 1))
1255
1256     for i in range(len(pts1)):
1257         pt1 = np.array([pts1[i][0], pts1[i][1], 1], dtype=float)
1258         pt2 = np.array([pts2[i][0], pts2[i][1], 1], dtype=float)
1259         A[2 * i] = [0, 0, -pt2[2] * pt1[0], -pt2[2] * pt1[1], -pt2[2] * pt1[2], pt2
1260         [1] * pt1[0], pt2[1] * pt1[1]]
1261         A[2 * i + 1] = [pt2[2] * pt1[0], pt2[2] * pt1[1], pt2[2] * pt1[2], 0, 0, 0, -
1262         pt2[0] * pt1[0], -pt2[0] * pt1[1]]
1263         b[2 * i] = -pt2[1] * pt1[2]
1264         b[2 * i + 1] = pt2[0] * pt1[2]
1265
1266     h = np.dot(np.linalg.pinv(A), b)
1267     homo_mat = np.append(h, 1)
1268     H = homo_mat.reshape((3, 3))
1269
1270 return H

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1270     H_12 = homography_estimate(in1, in12)
1272     H_23 = homography_estimate(in2, in23)
1274     H_33 = np.identity(3)
1274     H_34 = homography_estimate(in3, in34)
1275     H_45 = homography_estimate(in4, in45)
1276
1276     H_43 = homography_estimate(in34, in3)
1278     H_54 = homography_estimate(in45, in4)
1278     H_13 = np.dot(H_12, H_23) / np.dot(H_12, H_23)[2][2]
1280     H_53 = np.dot(H_54, H_43) / np.dot(H_54, H_43)[2][2]
1282
1282 #
#=====
1284 # Create panoramic Image
1286
1286 def compute_boundary(img, H_mat):
1288
1288     b = np.zeros((4, 3), dtype=float)
1289     b[0] = np.dot(H_mat, np.array([0, 0, 1])) / np.dot(H_mat, np.array([0, 0, 1]))[2]
1290     b[1] = np.dot(H_mat, np.array([img.shape[0], 0, 1])) / np.dot(H_mat, np.array([img
1290 .shape[0], 0, 1]))[2]
1292     b[2] = np.dot(H_mat, np.array([0, img.shape[1], 1])) / np.dot(H_mat, np.array([0,
1292 img.shape[1], 1]))[2]
1293     b[3] = np.dot(H_mat, np.array([img.shape[0], img.shape[1], 1])) / np.dot(H_mat, np
1293 .array([img.shape[0], img.shape[1], 1]))[2]
1294
1294     return b
1296
1298 def init_pano_img(imgs, H_matrices):
1300
1300     b1 = compute_boundary(imgs[0], H_matrices[0])[:, 0:2]
1301     b2 = compute_boundary(imgs[1], H_matrices[1])[:, 0:2]
1302     b3 = compute_boundary(imgs[2], H_matrices[2])[:, 0:2]
1303     b4 = compute_boundary(imgs[3], H_matrices[3])[:, 0:2]
1304     b5 = compute_boundary(imgs[4], H_matrices[4])[:, 0:2]
1305     x_min, y_min = np.amin(np.amin([b1, b2, b3, b4, b5], 0), 0)
1306     x_max, y_max = np.amax(np.amax([b1, b2, b3, b4, b5], 0), 0)
1307     x_scale = np.int(np.ceil(x_max)) - np.int(np.floor(x_min))
1308     y_scale = np.int(np.ceil(y_max)) - np.int(np.floor(y_min))
1309     output = np.zeros((x_scale, y_scale, 3))
1310
1310     return output, x_min, y_min
1312
1314 def compute_pixel_val(img, loc):
1314 """
1315
1316     This module returns the pixel value given by weighting average of neighbor pixels.
1317     :param img: the mapping img.
1318     :param loc: the coordinates of mapped points.
1319     :return: the pixel value.
1320 """
1320
1322     loc0_f = np.int(np.floor(loc[0]))
1323     loc1_f = np.int(np.floor(loc[1]))
1324     loc0_c = np.int(np.ceil(loc[0]))
1325     loc1_c = np.int(np.ceil(loc[1]))
1326     a = img[loc0_f][loc1_f]
1327     b = img[loc0_f][loc1_c]

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1328     c = img[loc0_c][loc1_f]
1329     d = img[loc0_c][loc1_c]
1330     dx = float(loc[0] - loc0_f)
1331     dy = float(loc[1] - loc1_f)
1332     Wa = 1 / np.linalg.norm([dx, dy])
1333     Wb = 1 / np.linalg.norm([1 - dx, dy])
1334     Wc = 1 / np.linalg.norm([dx, 1 - dy])
1335     Wd = 1 / np.linalg.norm([1 - dx, 1 - dy])
1336     output = (a * Wa + b * Wb + c * Wc + d * Wd) / (Wa + Wb + Wc + Wd)
1337
1338     return output
1339
1340
1341 def img_map(panoramic_img, img, h_mat, x_min, y_min):
1342
1343     x_scale, y_scale, d_scale = np.shape(panoramic_img)
1344     # # Determine the coordinates of domain plane
1345     # m, n, d = np.shape(img)
1346     # # Compute scaling factor
1347     # # if we fix width, then the scaling factor s_w = w_o / w_i
1348     # scaling_w = y_scale / n
1349     # # if we fix length, then the scaling factor s_h = h_o / h_i
1350     # scaling_h = x_scale / m
1351     # # s = max{s_w, s_h}
1352     # s = np.maximum(scaling_w, scaling_h)
1353     # if s < 1:
1354     #     s = 1
1355     s = 1
1356     panoramic_img = cv2.resize(panoramic_img, None, fx=1/s, fy=1/s)
1357     h_inv = np.linalg.pinv(h_mat) / np.linalg.pinv(h_mat)[2][2]
1358     # Create array
1359     y_pt, x_pt = np.meshgrid(np.arange(0, y_scale * s, 1 * s), np.arange(0, x_scale *
1360                               s, 1 * s))
1361     # flattened array along axis=0
1362     pts = np.vstack((y_pt.ravel(), x_pt.ravel())).T + np.array([[y_min, x_min]])
1363     # Add third coordinates
1364     pts = np.append(pts, np.ones([len(pts), 1]), 1)
1365     # Transformation
1366     translated_pts = (np.dot(h_inv, pts.T)).T
1367     # Normalization
1368     translated_pts = translated_pts[:, :2] / translated_pts[:, [-1]]
1369     for i in range(0, x_scale):
1370         for j in range(0, y_scale):
1371             loc0 = translated_pts[i * y_scale + j, 1]
1372             loc1 = translated_pts[i * y_scale + j, 0]
1373             if (loc0 > 0) and (loc1 > 0) and (loc0 < img.shape[0] - 1) and (loc1 < img
1374 .shape[1] - 1):
1375                 panoramic_img[i][j] = compute_pixel_val(img, [loc0, loc1])
1376
1377     return panoramic_img.astype(np.uint8)
1378
1379
1380 imgs = [img1, img2, img3, img4, img5]
1381 H_matrices = [H_13, H_23, H_33, H_43, H_53]
1382 pano_img, x_min, y_min = init_pano_img(imgs, H_matrices)
1383 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img1, H_13, x_min, y_min)
1384 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img5, H_53, x_min, y_min)
1385 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img2, H_23, x_min, y_min)
1386 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img4, H_43, x_min, y_min)
1387 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img3, H_33, x_min, y_min)
1388
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#=====
# Levenberg Marquardt Method

1390 # LM(pts1, pts2, H_linear):

1392 def LM(pts1, pts2, H_linear):
1394
1395     pts1 = np.asarray(pts1)
1396     pts2 = np.asarray(pts2)
1397
1398     def func(h):
1399         cost = []
1400         for i in range(len(pts1)):
1401             x = pts1[i][0] * h[0] + pts1[i][1] * h[1] + h[2] / (pts1[i][0] * h[6] +
1402             pts1[i][7] * h[4] + 1)
1403             y = pts1[i][0] * h[3] + pts1[i][4] * h[1] + h[5] / (pts1[i][0] * h[6] +
1404             pts1[i][7] * h[4] + 1)
1405             cost.append(pts2[i][0] - x)
1406             cost.append(pts2[i][1] - y)
1407         return np.asarray(cost)
1408
1409     sol = least_squares(func, H_linear.squeeze(), method='lm')
1410     H_nonlinear = sol.x
1411     H_nonlinear.append(H_nonlinear, 1)
1412
1413     return H_nonlinear.reshape((3, 3))
1414
1415 H_12_nonlinear = LM(in1, in12, H_12)
1416 H_23_nonlinear = LM(in2, in23, H_23)
1417 H_33_nonlinear = np.identity(3)
1418 H_34_nonlinear = LM(in3, in34, H_34)
1419 H_45_nonlinear = LM(in4, in45, H_45)
1420
1421 H_43_nonlinear = np.linalg.inv(H_34_nonlinear)
1422 H_54_nonlinear = np.linalg.inv(H_45_nonlinear)
1423 H_13_nonlinear = np.dot(H_12_nonlinear, H_23_nonlinear) / np.dot(H_12_nonlinear,
1424             H_23_nonlinear)[2][2]
1425 H_53_nonlinear = np.dot(H_54_nonlinear, H_43_nonlinear) / np.dot(H_54_nonlinear,
1426             H_43_nonlinear)[2][2]
1427
1428 #=====
# Create panoramic Image

1429 imgs = [img1, img2, img3, img4, img5]
1430 H_matrices = [H_13_nonlinear, H_23_nonlinear, H_33_nonlinear, H_43_nonlinear,
1431                 H_53_nonlinear]
1432 pano_img, x_min, y_min = init_pano_img(imgs, H_matrices)
1433 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img1, H_13_nonlinear, x_min, y_min)
1434 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img5, H_53_nonlinear, x_min, y_min)
1435 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img2, H_23_nonlinear, x_min, y_min)
1436 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img4, H_43_nonlinear, x_min, y_min)
1437 pano_img = img_map(pano_img, img3, H_33_nonlinear, x_min, y_min)

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