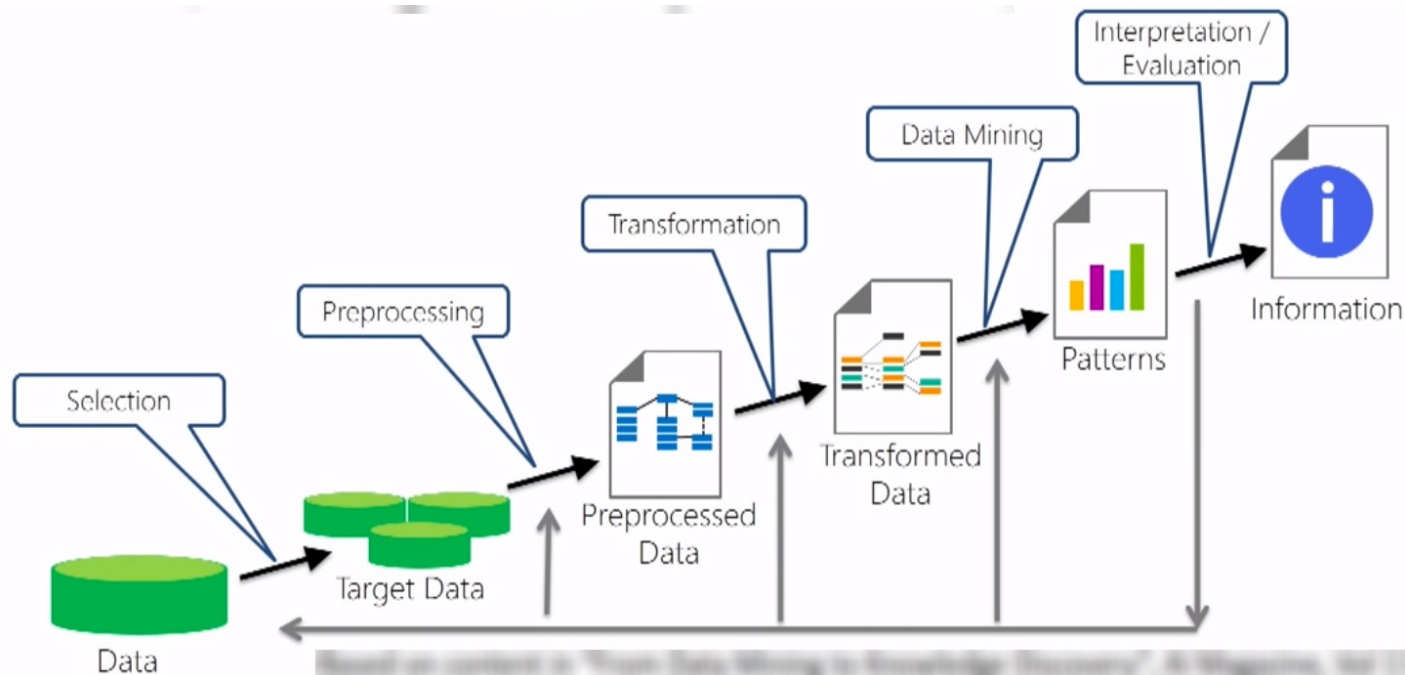|	**LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY** **College of Agriculture** **School of Plant, Environmental, and Soil Sciences** **HTP in Plant Breeding**	

Preprocessing data

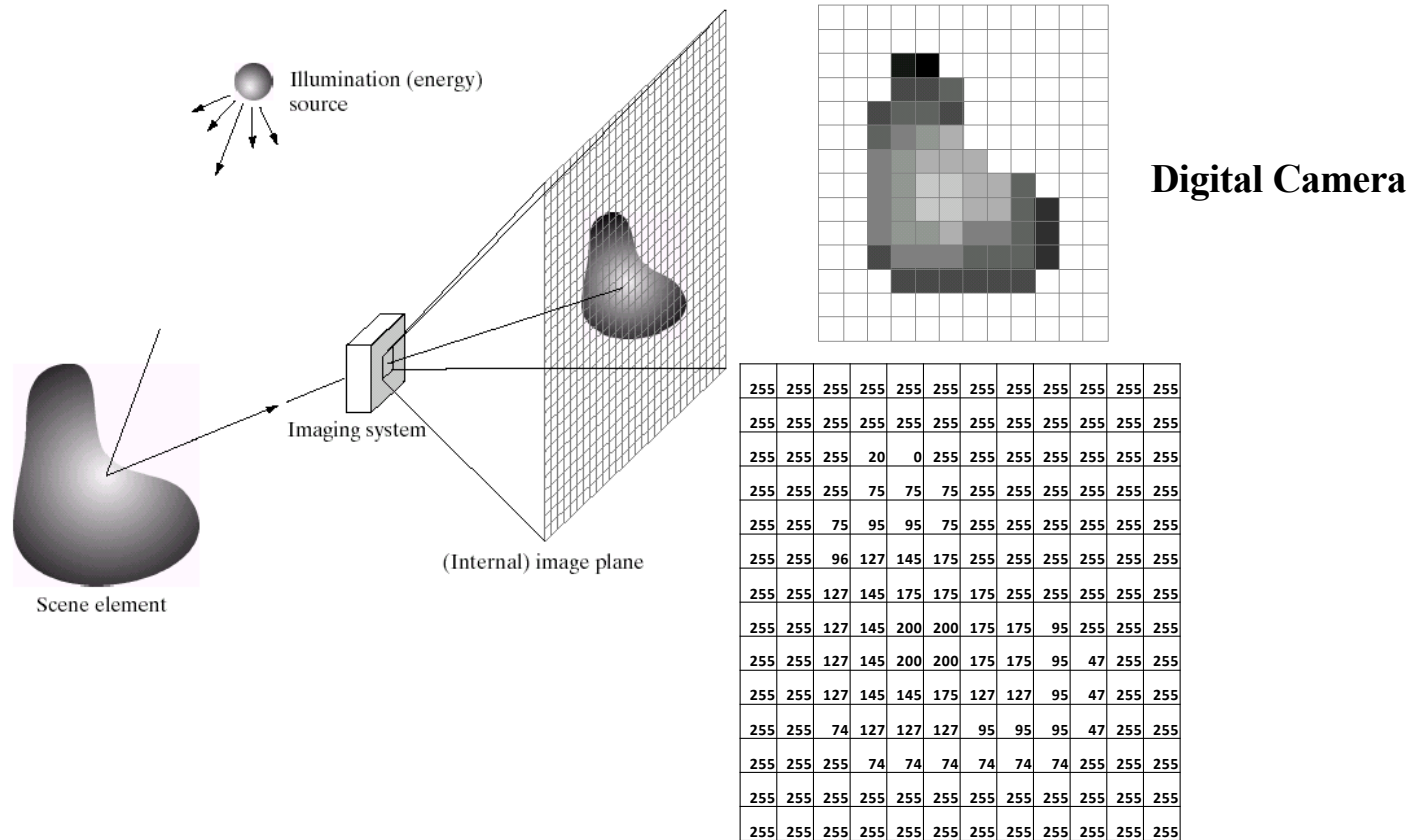**Prof. Roberto Fritsche-Neto**

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KDD (Knowledge Discovery in Databases)

Definition : *"KDD is the non-trivial process of identifying valid, novel, potentially useful, and ultimately understandable patterns in data"*
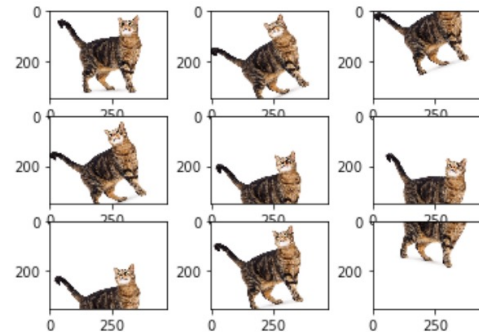
Extracting numbers from an image

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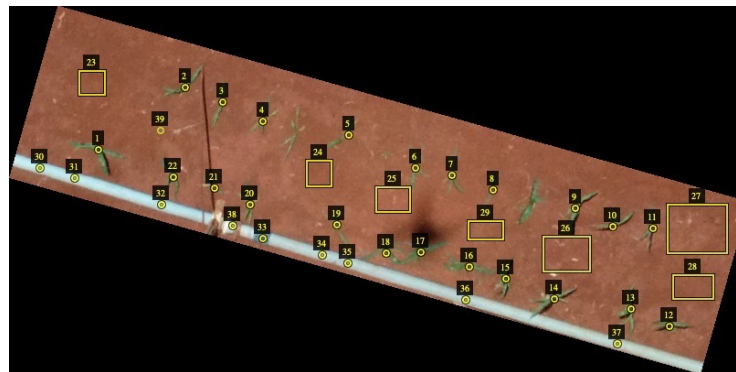**0 = black, 255 = white**

Imagery augmentation

- Artificial data generation in order to expand datasets as input for machine learning algorithms
- Mask, Elastic Distortions, perspectives, size, rotations, cropping, flip, and random erasing

- https://github.com/mdbloice/Augmentor

Image annotation

- Task of annotating an image with labels

- The first methods learned the correlations between image features and training annotations

- Type of multi-class image classification with a very large number of classes - as large as the vocabulary size

- The AI methods try to translate the textual vocabulary with the 'visual vocabulary', or clustered regions known as *blobs*

- VGG tool

Image annotation

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