Automatic Document Scanner

Outline

Step 1

Find Edges with Canny Edge Detector

Step 2

Sort regions and select a valid one

Step 3

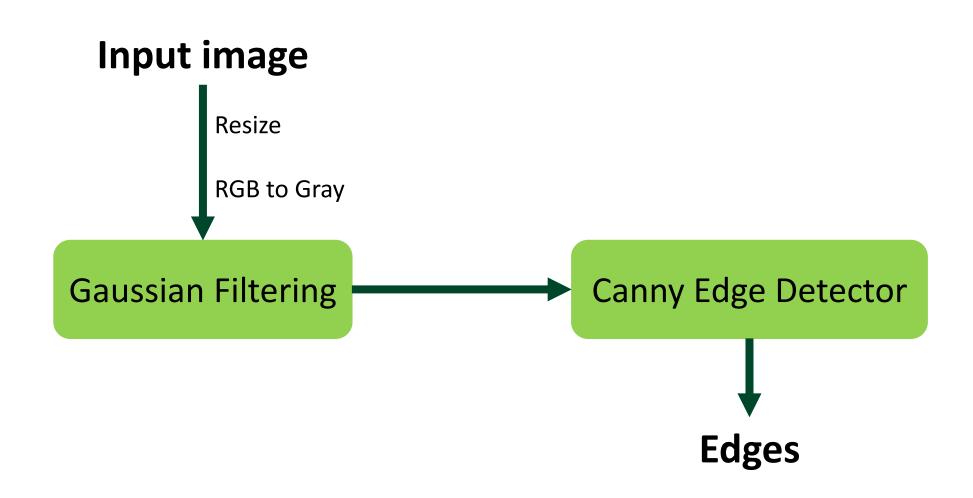
Adjust the valid region within the rectangular output shape

Step 4

Make it clear using adaptive thresholding and denoising



Edge Detection



Edge Detection

```
#Read the image
img=cv2.imread('input_1.jpg')
#Image resizing if needed
# -> When an image was too big or too small,
    #when an image resized too much, it makes a strange output.
if(img.shape[1]>1000 or img.shape[0]>1000):
    r=1000.0 / img.shape[1]
    dim=(1000, int(img.shape[0] * r))
    img=cv2.resize(img, dim, interpolation = cv2.INTER_AREA)
if(img.shape[1]<500 or img.shape[0]<500):
    r=500.0 / img.shape[1]
    dim=(500, int(img.shape[0] * r))
    img=cv2.resize(img, dim, interpolation = cv2.INTER_AREA)
#It shows the resized original image.
cv2.imshow('INPUT',img)
#Find edges
gray=cv2.cvtColor(img,cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
gray=cv2.GaussianBlur(gray,(5,5),0)
edge=cv2.Canny(gray,50,150)
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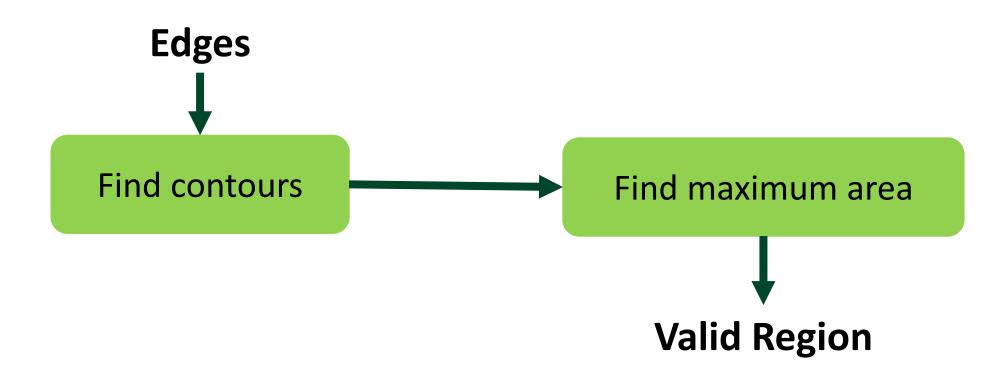
Edge Detection







Selecting a region



Selecting a region

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#Finding and drawing contours
contours,_=cv2.findContours(edge.copy(), cv2.RETR_EXTERNAL, cv2.CHATN_APPROX_STMPLE)
                                    outermost among contours
                                    return the points that can draw contour lines only
cv2.drawContours(img,contours,-1,[0,255,0],2)
#It shows the resized grayscale image with contours found above
#cv2.imshow('Contours',img)
#Find the part of the document in the image by contours
n=len(contours)
max_area=0
pos=0
for i in contours:
        area=cv2.contourArea(i)
        if area>max area:
                max area=area
                pos=
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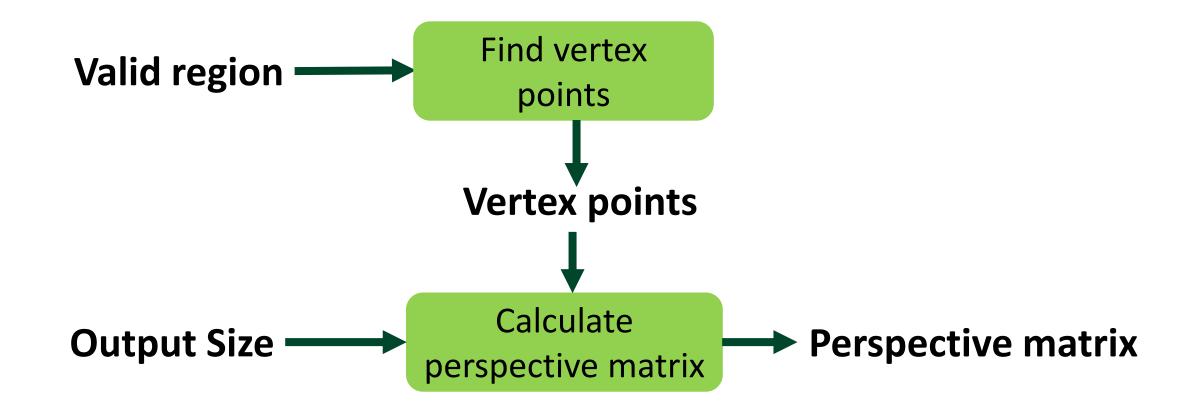


Selecting a region













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# Find the corners of the object and the dimensions of the object
peri=cv2.arcLength(pos,True)
approx=cv2.approxPolyDP(pos,0.02*peri,True)
size=img.shape
w,h,arr=transform(approx)
# transform() : return the corners and the dimensions of the object
# Make a scanned document with perspective transformation
pts2=np.float32([[0,0],[w,0],[0,h],[w,h]])
pts1=np.float32(arr)
M=cv2.getPerspectiveTransform(pts1,pts2)
image=cv2.cvtColor(dst.cv2.COLOR BGR2GRAY)
dst=cv2.warpPerspective(img,M,(w,h))
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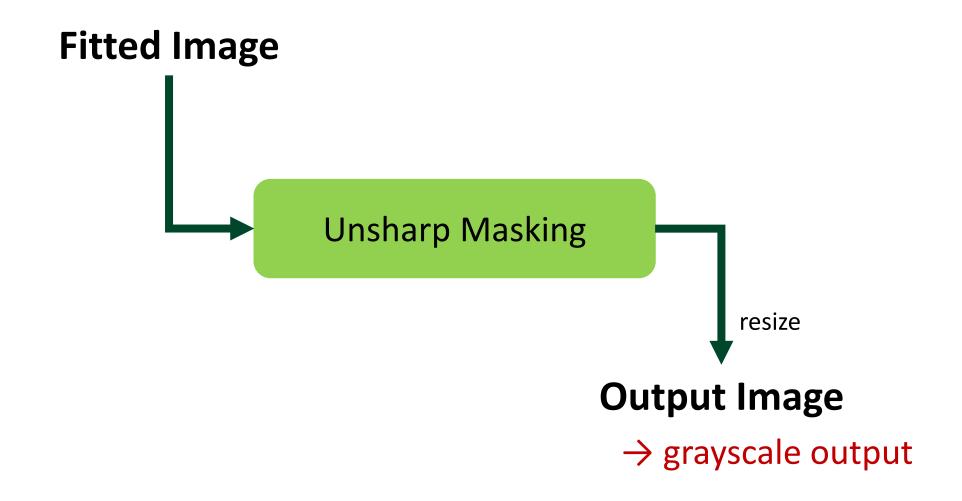






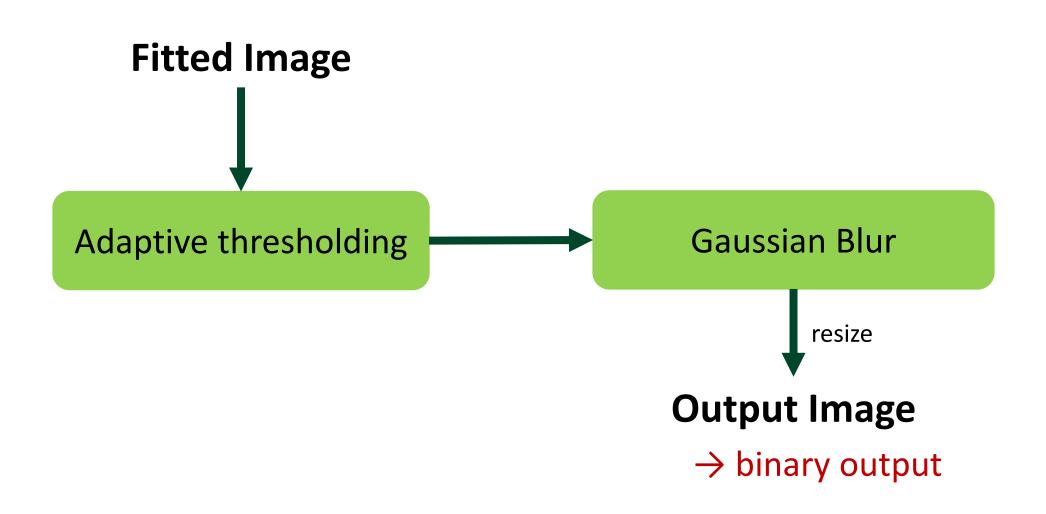


Revision: sharpening





Revision: thresholding and softening



cv2.imshow('OUTPUT', image)

Revision: thresholding and softening

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# Make the document clear with adaptive thresholding using moving averages
# and make letters smoother by Gaussian blurring
image=cv2.adaptiveThreshold(image, 255, cv2.ADAPTIVE_THRESH_MEAN_C, cv2.THRESH_BINARY, 7, 12)
image=cv2.GaussianBlur(image,(3,3),0)

image = cv2.resize(image,(w,h),interpolation = cv2.INTER_AREA)

#It shows the final output image (the scanned document)
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#Save the final output image (the scanned document) and finish cv2.imwrite('output.jpg',image)

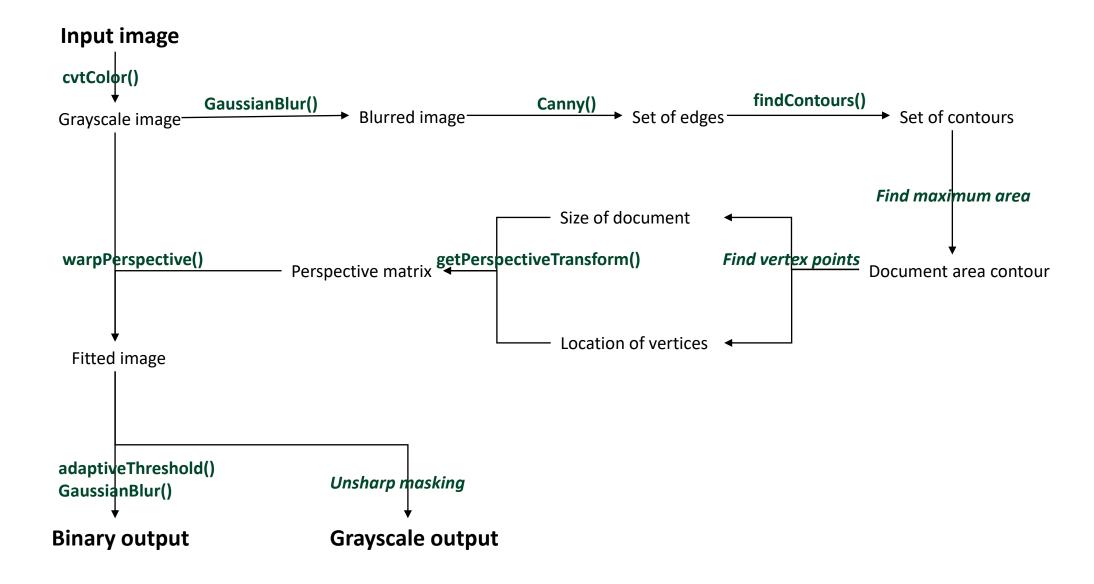


Revision: thresholding and softening





Abstract



Results



Main Street Restaurant 6332 Business Drive Suite 528 Palo Alto California 94301 575-1628095

Fri 04/07/2017 11:36 AM

9hqixvufdr Merchant ID: 11111 Terminal ID:

#e6d598ef Transaction ID: CREDIT Type:

PURCHASE

Number: XXXXXXXXXXXXXX0041 Swiped Entry Mode: DISCOVER Card Type:

APPROVED Response: 819543 Approval Code:

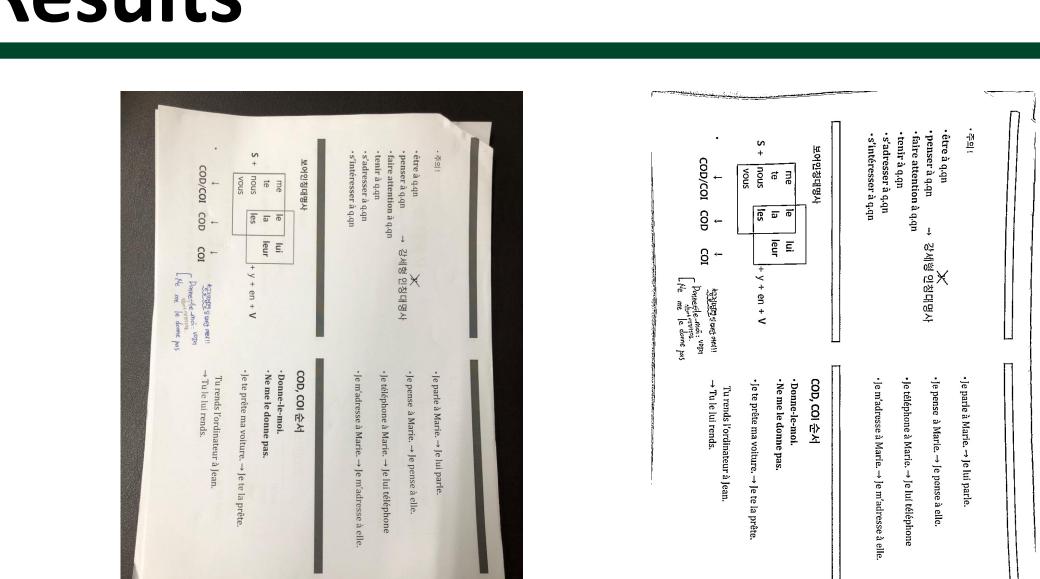
USD\$ 25.23 Sub Total 3.78 Tip: USD\$ 29.01 Total

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Results



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