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Initialization

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```python
In [1]: import os
        import numpy as np
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import matplotlib.patches as patches
```

Download data

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```python
In [2]: # Download the data
        if not os.path.exists('./content/carseq.npy'):
            !wget https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~deva/data/carseq.npy -O ./content/carseq.npy
        if not os.path.exists('./content/girlseq.npy'):
            !wget https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~deva/data/girlseq.npy -O ./content/girlseq.npy
```

Q2.1: Theory Questions (5 points)

Please refer to the handout for the detailed questions.

Q2.1.1: What is $\dfrac{\partial \mathbf{W}(\mathbf{x};\mathbf{p})}{\partial \mathbf{p}^T}$? (Hint: It should be a 2x2 matrix)

===== your answer here! =====

Since $W = x + p$ and x is not a function of p, and elements of p are not dependent on eachother:

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial p} = \frac{\partial (x + p)}{\partial p} = \frac{\partial x}{\partial p} + \frac{\partial p}{\partial p} = 0 + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial p_1} & \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial p_2} \\ \frac{\partial p_2}{\partial p_1} & \frac{\partial p_2}{\partial p_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

===== end of your answer =====

Q2.1.2: What is $\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{b}$?

===== your answer here! =====

$$A = \frac{\partial I_{t+1}(x')}{\partial x'^T}$$
$$b = T_t(x) - I_{t+1}(x')$$

===== end of your answer =====

Q2.1.3 What conditions must $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A}$ meet so that a unique solution to $\triangle \mathbf{p}$ can be found?

===== your answer here! =====

$\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A}$ must have full column rank for $\triangle p$ to have a unique solution.

===== end of your answer =====

Q2.2: Lucas-Kanade (20 points)

Make sure to comment your code and use proper names for your variables.

```
In [23]:  from scipy.interpolate import RectBivariateSpline
          from numpy.linalg import lstsq
          from scipy.ndimage import shift

          def LucasKanade(It, It1, rect, threshold, num_iters, p0=np.zeros(2)):
              """
              :param[np.array(H, W)] It   : Grayscale image at time t [float]
              :param[np.array(H, W)] It1  : Grayscale image at time t+1 [float]
              :param[np.array(4, 1)] rect : [x1 y1 x2 y2] coordinates of the rectangular
          template to extract from the image at time t,
                                            where [x1, y1] is the top-left, and [x2, y2]
          is the bottom-right. Note that coordinates
                                            [floats] that maybe fractional.
              :param[float] threshold     : If change in parameters is less than thresh,
          terminate the optimization
              :param[int] num_iters       : Maximum number of optimization iterations
              :param[np.array(2, 1)] p0   : Initial translation parameters [p_x0, p_y0]
          to add to rect, which defaults to [0 0]
              :return[np.array(2, 1)] p   : Final translation parameters [p_x, p_y]
              """

              # Initialize p to p0.
              p = p0
              x1, y1, x2, y2 = rect
              It_rbs = RectBivariateSpline(np.arange(It.shape[0]), np.arange(It.shape
          [1]), It)
              It1_rbs = RectBivariateSpline(np.arange(It1.shape[0]), np.arange(It1.shape
          [1]), It1)
              x_grid_temp, y_grid_temp = np.meshgrid(np.arange(x1,x2), np.arange(y1,y2))
              T_t = It_rbs.ev(y_grid_temp, x_grid_temp)

              for _ in range(num_iters):
                  x_range_shifted = x_grid_temp + p[0]
                  y_range_shifted = y_grid_temp + p[1]
                  It1_rect = It1_rbs.ev(y_range_shifted, x_range_shifted)
                  grad_x = It1_rbs.ev(y_range_shifted, x_range_shifted, dy=1)
                  grad_y = It1_rbs.ev(y_range_shifted, x_range_shifted, dx=1)

                  A = np.vstack((grad_x.flatten(), grad_y.flatten())).T
                  b = T_t - It1_rect
                  b = b.flatten().T

                  delta_p = np.linalg.lstsq(A, b, rcond=None)[0]
                  if np.linalg.norm(delta_p) < threshold:
                      break

                  p += delta_p

              # ===== your code here! =====
              # Hint: Iterate over num_iters and for each iteration, construct a linear
          system (Ax=b) that solves for a x=delta_p update
              # Construct [A] by computing image gradients at (possibly fractional) pixe
          l locations.
              # We suggest using RectBivariateSpline from scipy.interpolate to interpola
          te pixel values at fractional pixel locations
              # We suggest using lstsq from numpy.linalg to solve the linear system
```

```
        # Once you solve for [delta_p], add it to [p] (and move on to next iterati
    on)
        #
        # HINT/WARNING:
        # RectBivariateSpline and Meshgrid use inconsistent defaults with respect
    to 'xy' versus 'ij' indexing:
        # https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/generated/scipy.interpolate.R
    ectBivariateSpline.ev.html#scipy.interpolate.RectBivariateSpline.ev
        # https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.meshgrid.html


        # ===== End of code =====
        return p
```

Debug Q2.2

A few tips to debug your implementation:

- Feel free to use and modify the following snippet to debug your implementation. The snippet simply visualizes the translation resulting from running LK on a single frame. You should be able to see a slight shift in the template.
- You may also want to visualize the image gradients you compute within your LK implementation
- Plot iterations vs the norm of delta_p

```
In [4]:  def draw_rect(rect,color):
             w = rect[2] - rect[0]
             h = rect[3] - rect[1]
             plt.gca().add_patch(patches.Rectangle((rect[0],rect[1]), w, h, linewidth=
         1, edgecolor=color, facecolor='none'))
```

In [24]:
```python
num_iters = 100
threshold = 0.01
seq = np.load("./content/carseq.npy")
rect = [59, 116, 145, 151]
It = seq[:,:,0]

# Source frame
plt.figure()
plt.subplot(1,2,1)
plt.imshow(It, cmap='gray')
plt.title('Source image')
draw_rect(rect,'b')

# Target frame + LK
It1  = seq[:,:, 20]
plt.subplot(1,2,2)
plt.imshow(It1, cmap='gray')
plt.title('Target image\n (red = init, blue = final)')
p = LucasKanade(It, It1, rect, threshold, num_iters, p0=np.zeros(2))
rect_t1 = rect + np.concatenate((p,p))
draw_rect(rect,'r')
draw_rect(rect_t1,'b')
```
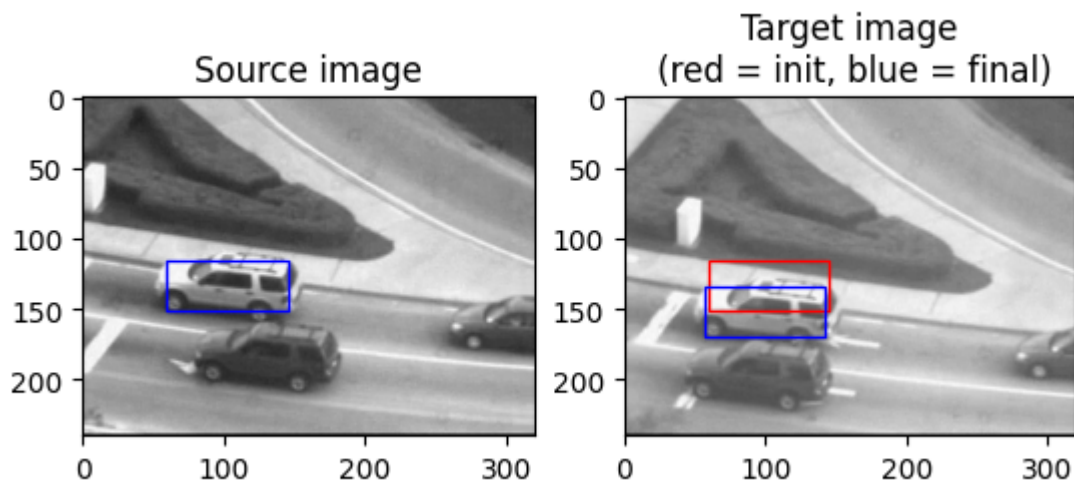
Q2.3: Tracking with template update (15 points)

```
In [15]:   def TrackSequence(seq, rect, num_iters, threshold):
               """
               :param seq        : (H, W, T), sequence of frames
               :param rect       : (4, 1), coordinates of template in the initial frame. t
           op-left and bottom-right corners.
               :param num_iters  : int, number of iterations for running the optimization
               :param threshold  : float, threshold for terminating the LK optimization
               :return: rects     : (T, 4) tracked rectangles for each frame
               """
               H, W, N = seq.shape

               rects =[rect]
               It = seq[:,:,0]

               # Iterate over the car sequence and track the car
               for i in range(N-1):

                   # ===== your code here! =====
                   # TODO: add your code track the object of interest in the sequence
                   It = seq[:,:,i]
                   It1 = seq[:,:,i+1]
                   p = LucasKanade(It, It1, rect, threshold, num_iters, p0=np.zeros(2))
                   rect = rect + np.concatenate((p,p))
                   rects.append(rect)
                   # ===== End of code =====

               rects = np.array(rects)
               assert rects.shape == (N, 4), f"Your output sequence {rects.shape} is not
           ({N}x{4})"
               return rects
```

Q2.3 (a) - Track Car Sequence

Run the following snippets. If you have implemented LucasKanade and TrackSequence function correctly, you should see the box tracking the car accurately. Please note that the tracking might drift slightly towards the end, and that is entirely normal.

Feel free to play with these snippets of code by playing with the parameters.

```
In [7]:  def visualize_track(seq,rects,frames):
             # Visualize tracks on an image sequence for a select number of frames
             plt.figure(figsize=(15,15))
             for i in range(len(frames)):
                 idx = frames[i]
                 frame = seq[:, :, idx]
                 plt.subplot(1,len(frames),i+1)
                 plt.imshow(frame, cmap='gray')
                 plt.axis('off')
                 draw_rect(rects[idx],'b')
```

```
In [25]:  seq = np.load("./content/carseq.npy")
          rect = [59, 116, 145, 151]

          # NOTE: feel free to play with these parameters
          num_iters = 10000
          threshold = 0.01

          rects = TrackSequence(seq, rect, num_iters, threshold)

          visualize_track(seq,rects,[0, 79, 159, 279, 409])
```


Q2.3 (b) - Track Girl Sequence

Same as the car sequence.

```
In [17]:  # Loads the squence
          seq = np.load("./content/girlseq.npy")
          rect = [280, 152, 330, 318]

          # NOTE: feel free to play with these parameters
          num_iters = 10000
          threshold = 0.01

          rects = TrackSequence(seq, rect, num_iters, threshold)

          visualize_track(seq,rects,[0, 14, 34, 64, 84])
```

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        import os
        import numpy as np
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import matplotlib.patches as patches
```

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        alseq.npy
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            !wget https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~deva/data/antseq.npy -O ./content/antseq.
        npy
```

Q3: Affine Motion Subtraction

Q3.1: Dominant Motion Estimation (15 points)

```
In [123]: from scipy.interpolate import RectBivariateSpline

           def LucasKanadeAffine(It, It1, threshold, num_iters):
               """
               :param It        : (H, W), current image
               :param It1       : (H, W), next image
               :param threshold : (float), if the length of dp < threshold, terminate the
           optimization
               :param num_iters : (int), number of iterations for running the optimizatio
           n

               :return: M       : (2, 3) The affine transform matrix
               """
               # Initial M
               M = np.array([[1.0, 0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 1.0, 0.0]])
               It_rbs = RectBivariateSpline(np.arange(It.shape[0]), np.arange(It.shape
           [1]), It)
               It1_rbs = RectBivariateSpline(np.arange(It1.shape[0]), np.arange(It1.shape
           [1]), It1)
               x_grid, y_grid = np.meshgrid(np.arange(It.shape[1]), np.arange(It.shape
           [0]))
               old_coords = np.vstack([x_grid.flatten(), y_grid.flatten(), np.ones_like(x
           _grid.flatten())])
               # ===== your code here! =====
               for ii in range(num_iters):
                   new_coords = M @ old_coords

                   mask = ((new_coords[0,:] >= 0) &
                           (new_coords[0,:] < It.shape[1]) &
                           (new_coords[1,:] >= 0) &
                           (new_coords[1,:] < It.shape[0]))

                   It1_warp = It1_rbs.ev(new_coords[1], new_coords[0]).reshape(It.shape)

                   # dW/dp = [[x, y, 1, 0, 0, 0], [0, 0, 0, x, y, 1]]

                   # grad_x = It1_rbs.ev(y_grid, x_grid, dy=1)
                   # grad_y = It1_rbs.ev(y_grid, x_grid, dx=1)

                   grad_x = np.gradient(It1_warp, axis=1).flatten()
                   grad_y = np.gradient(It1_warp, axis=0).flatten()

                   # dI/dx' = [dI/dx, dI/dy]
                   # dI/dx' * dW/dp = [dI/dx * x, dI/dx * y, dI/dx, dI/dy * x, dI/dy * y,
           dI/dy]

                   A = np.vstack([grad_x.flatten() * x_grid.flatten(),
                                  grad_x.flatten() * y_grid.flatten(),
                                  grad_x.flatten(),
                                  grad_y.flatten() * x_grid.flatten(),
                                  grad_y.flatten() * y_grid.flatten(),
                                  grad_y.flatten()]).T
```

```
        b = (It - It1_warp).flatten()
        dp = np.linalg.lstsq(A[mask], b[mask], rcond=None)[0]

        if np.linalg.norm(dp) < threshold:
            break
        M += np.reshape(dp, M.shape)

    # ===== End of code =====
    return M
```

Debug Q3.1

Feel free to use and modify the following snippet to debug your implementation. The snippet simply visualizes the translation resulting from running LK on a single frame. When you warp the source frame using the obtained transformation matrix, it should resemble the target frame.

```
In [124]: import cv2

          num_iters = 200
          threshold = 0.01
          seq = np.load("./content/aerialseq.npy")
          It = seq[:,:,0]
          It1 = seq[:,:,10]

          # Source frame
          plt.figure()
          plt.subplot(1,3,1)
          plt.imshow(It, cmap='gray')
          plt.title('Source image')

          # Target frame
          plt.subplot(1,3,2)
          plt.imshow(It1, cmap='gray')
          plt.title('Target image')

          # Warped source frame
          M = LucasKanadeAffine(It, It1, threshold, num_iters)
          warped_It = cv2.warpAffine(It, M,(It.shape[1],It.shape[0]))
          plt.subplot(1,3,3)
          plt.imshow(warped_It, cmap='gray')
          plt.title('Warped Source image')
```

Out[124]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Warped Source image')
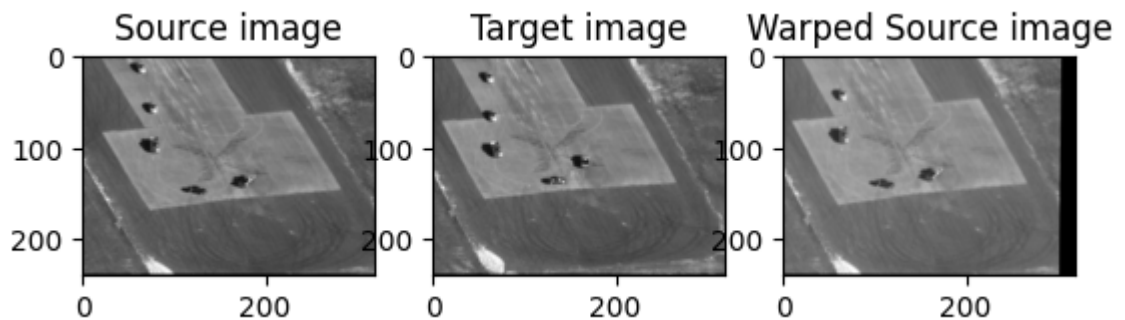
Q3.2: Moving Object Detection (10 points)

```
In [156]: import numpy as np
          from scipy.ndimage import binary_erosion
          from scipy.ndimage import binary_dilation
          from scipy.ndimage import affine_transform
          import scipy.ndimage
          import cv2

          def SubtractDominantMotion(It, It1, num_iters, threshold, tolerance):
              """
              :param It        : (H, W), current image
              :param It1       : (H, W), next image
              :param num_iters : (int), number of iterations for running the optimizatio
          n
              :param threshold : (float), if the length of dp < threshold, terminate the
          optimization
              :param tolerance : (float), binary threshold of intensity difference when
          computing the mask
              :return: mask    : (H, W), the mask of the moved object
              """
              mask = np.ones(It.shape, dtype=bool)

              # ===== your code here! =====
              M = LucasKanadeAffine(It, It1, threshold, num_iters)
              warped_It = cv2.warpAffine(It, -M, It.shape)
              # ===== End of code =====
              mask = np.abs(It1 - warped_It.T) > tolerance
              mask = binary_erosion(mask)
              mask = ~binary_dilation(mask)
              mask[-1,:] = ~mask[-1,:]
              return mask
```

Q3.3: Tracking with affine motion (10 points)

```
In [147]:  from tqdm import tqdm

           def TrackSequenceAffineMotion(seq, num_iters, threshold, tolerance):
               """
               :param seq       : (H, W, T), sequence of frames
               :param num_iters : int, number of iterations for running the optimization
               :param threshold : float, if the length of dp < threshold, terminate the o
           ptimization
               :param tolerance : (float), binary threshold of intensity difference when
           computing the mask
               :return: masks   : (T, 4) moved objects for each frame
               """
               H, W, N = seq.shape

               rects =[]
               It = seq[:,:,0]
               masks = []

               # ===== your code here! =====
               for i in tqdm(range(1, seq.shape[2])):
                   masks.append(SubtractDominantMotion(seq[:,:,i-1], seq[:,:,i], num_iter
           s, threshold, tolerance))

               # ===== End of code =====
               masks = np.stack(masks, axis=2)
               return masks
```

Q3.3 (a) - Track Ant Sequence

```
In [148]:  seq = np.load("./content/antseq.npy")

           # NOTE: feel free to play with these parameters
           num_iters = 1000
           threshold = 0.01
           tolerance = 0.2

           tic = time.time()
           masks = TrackSequenceAffineMotion(seq, num_iters, threshold, tolerance)
           toc = time.time()
           print('\nAnt Sequence takes %f seconds' % (toc - tic))
```
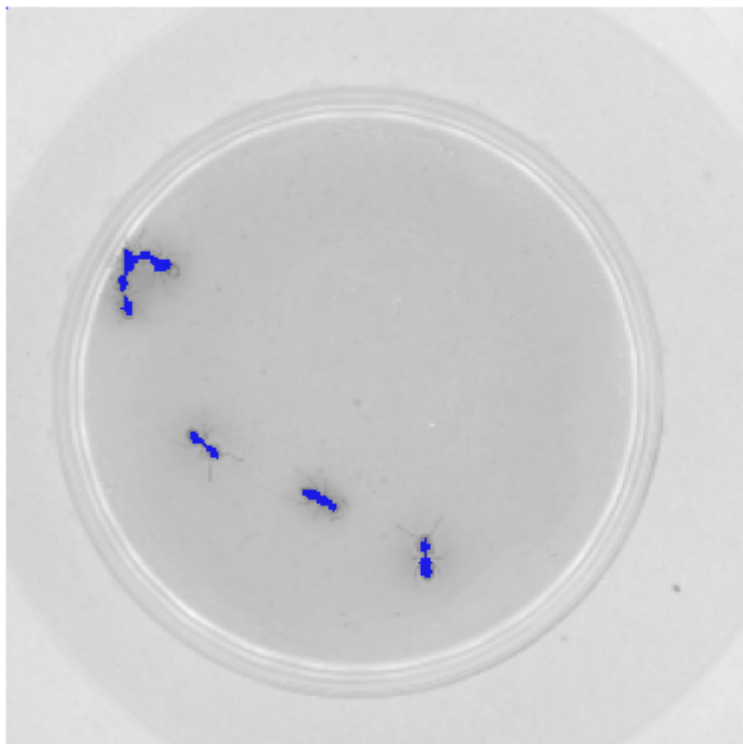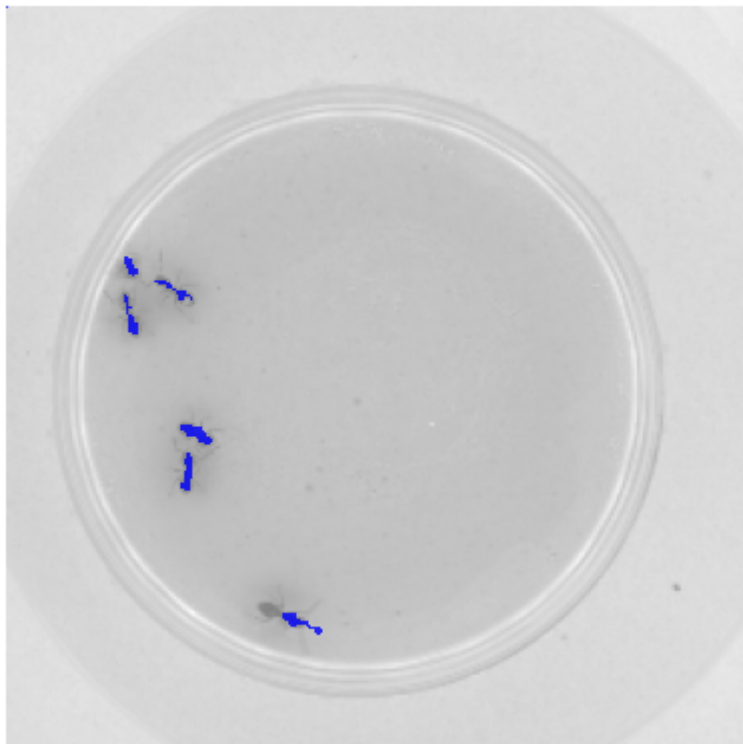
```
  0%|          | 0/124 [00:00<?, ?it/s]100%|██████████| 124/124 [00:16<00:00,
7.38it/s]

Ant Sequence takes 16.857641 seconds
```
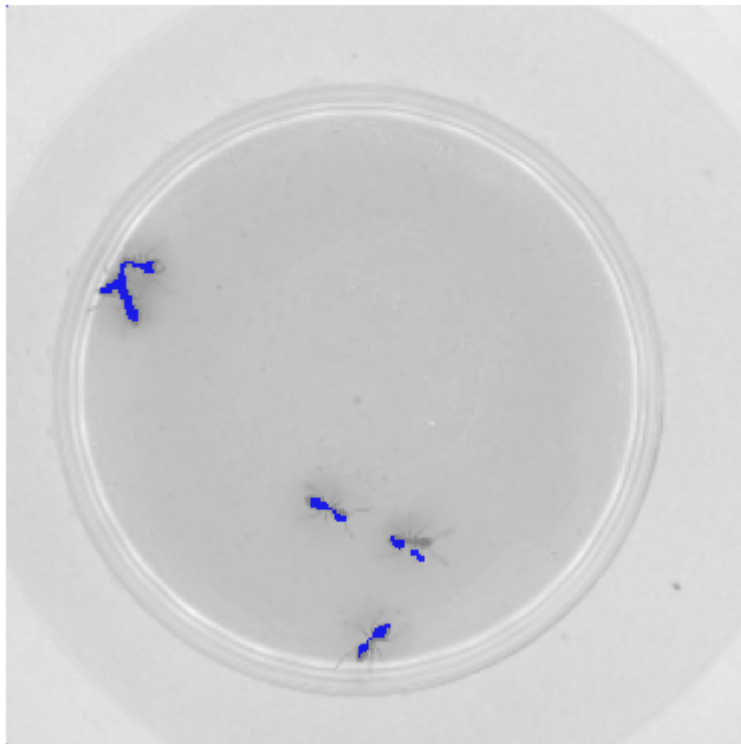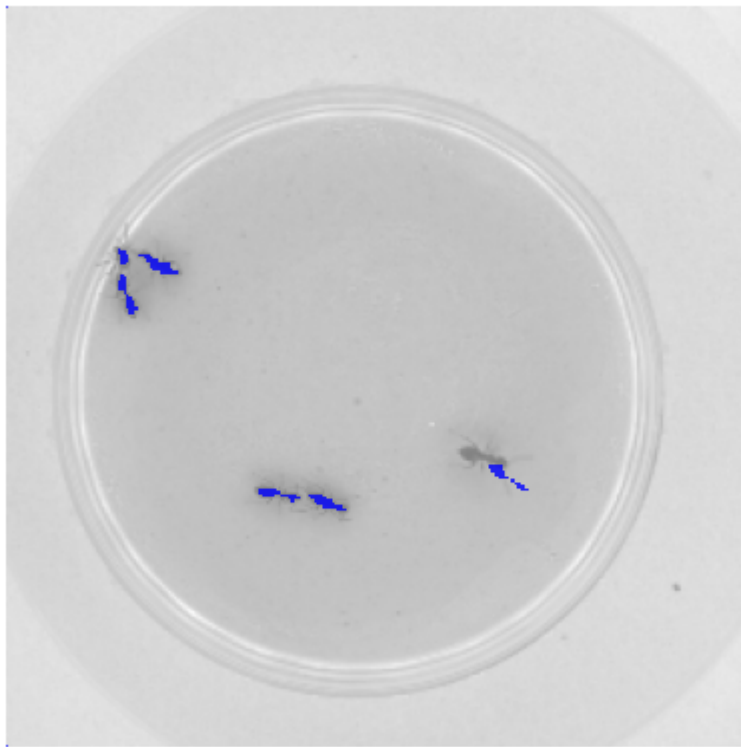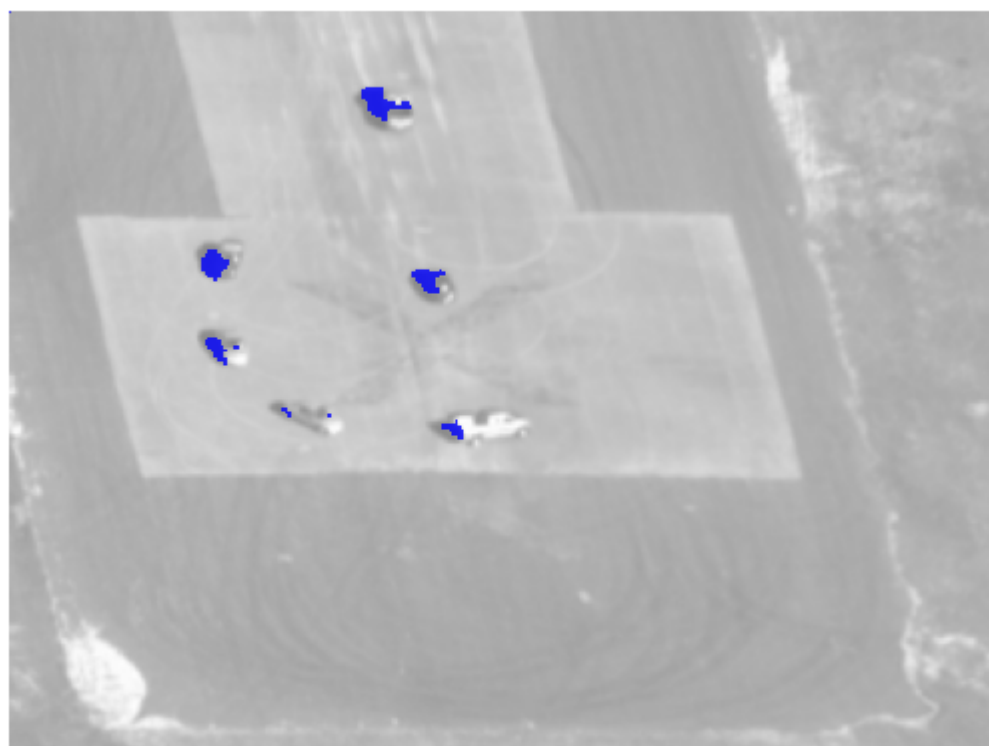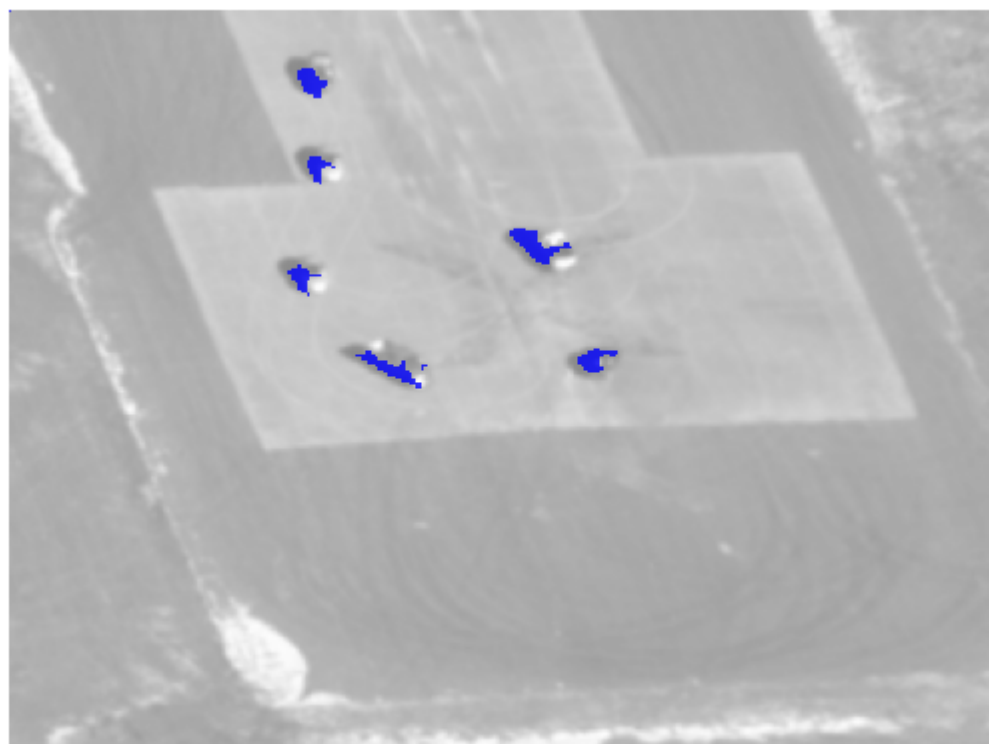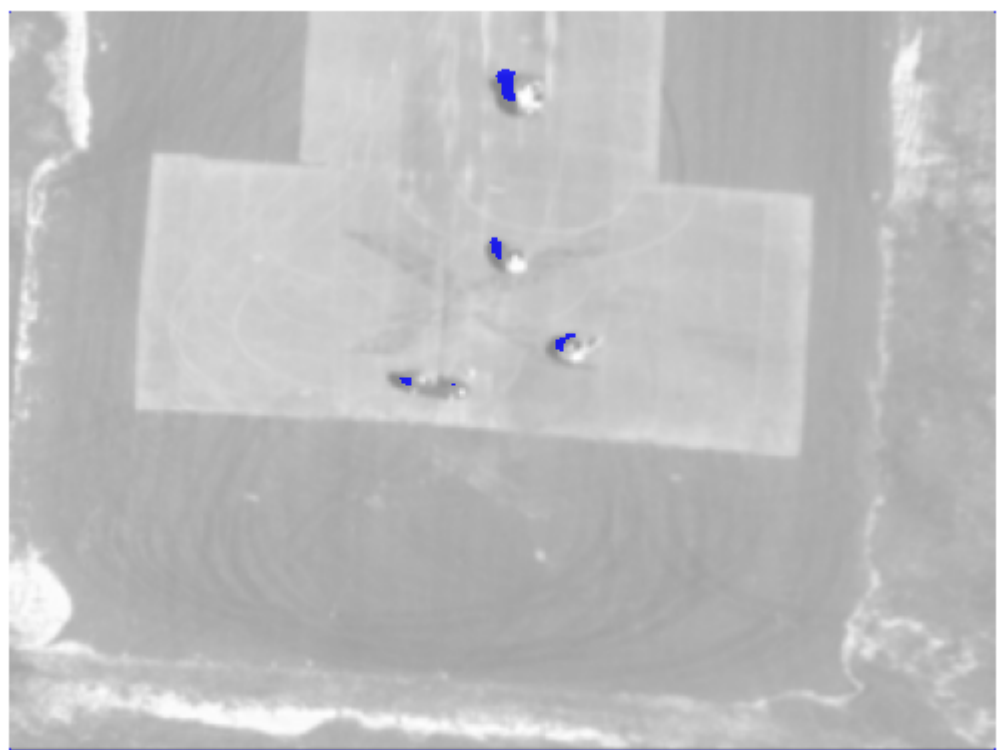
```
In [149]:  frames_to_save = [29, 59, 89, 119]

           # TODO: visualize
           for idx in frames_to_save:
               frame = seq[:, :, idx]
               mask = masks[:, :, idx]

               plt.figure()
               plt.imshow(frame, cmap="gray", alpha=0.5)
               plt.imshow(np.ma.masked_where(np.invert(mask), mask), cmap='winter', alpha
           =0.8)
               plt.axis('off')
```

Q3.3 (b) - Track Aerial Sequence

```
In [157]: seq = np.load("./content/aerialseq.npy")

          # NOTE: feel free to play with these parameters
          num_iters = 1000
          threshold = 0.01
          tolerance = 0.3

          tic = time.time()
          masks = TrackSequenceAffineMotion(seq, num_iters, threshold, tolerance)
          toc = time.time()
          print('\nAnt Sequence takes %f seconds' % (toc - tic))
```
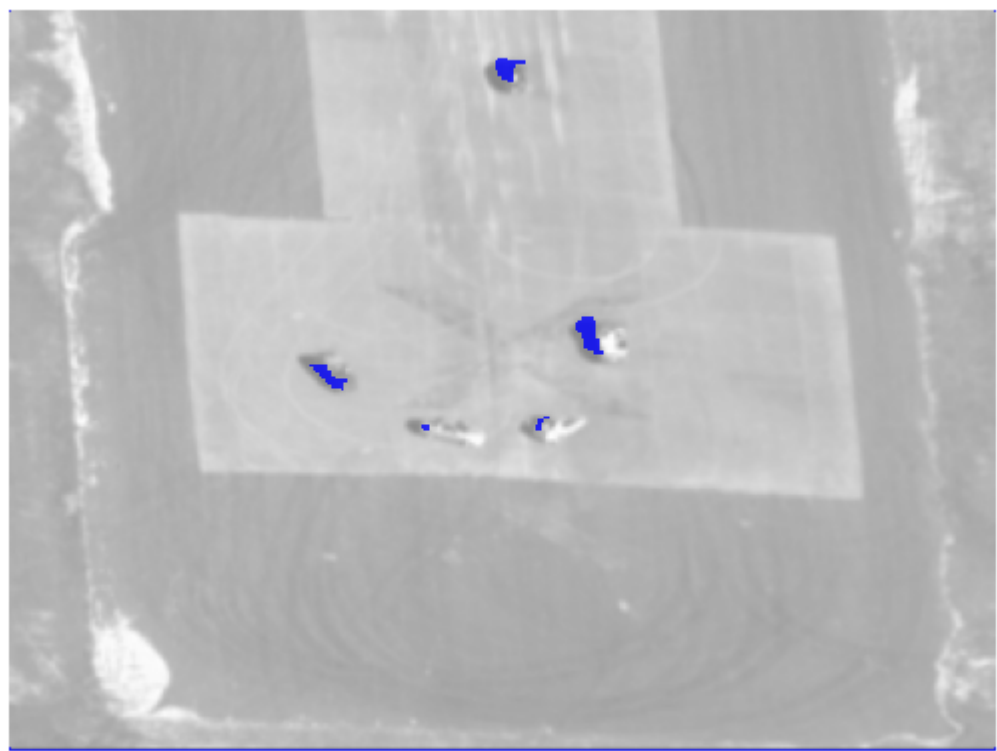
```
100%|████████████| 149/149 [00:42<00:00,  3.53it/s]

Ant Sequence takes 42.298250 seconds
```

```python
In [153]:  frames_to_save = [29, 59, 89, 119]

           # TODO: visualize
           for idx in frames_to_save:
               frame = seq[:, :, idx]
               mask = masks[:, :, idx]

               plt.figure()
               plt.imshow(frame, cmap="gray", alpha=0.5)
               plt.imshow(np.ma.masked_where(np.invert(mask), mask), cmap='winter', alpha
           =0.8)
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        alseq.npy
        if not os.path.exists('./content/antseq.npy'):
            !wget https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~deva/data/antseq.npy -O ./content/antseq.
        npy
```

```
--2024-02-15 20:58:22--  https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~deva/data/aerialseq.npy
Resolving www.cs.cmu.edu (www.cs.cmu.edu)... 128.2.42.95
Connecting to www.cs.cmu.edu (www.cs.cmu.edu)|128.2.42.95|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 92160128 (88M)
Saving to: './content/aerialseq.npy'

./content/aerialseq 100%[===================>]  87.89M   357KB/s    in 3m 57s

2024-02-15 21:02:19 (380 KB/s) - './content/aerialseq.npy' saved [92160128/92
160128]

--2024-02-15 21:02:20--  https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~deva/data/antseq.npy
Resolving www.cs.cmu.edu (www.cs.cmu.edu)... 128.2.42.95
Connecting to www.cs.cmu.edu (www.cs.cmu.edu)|128.2.42.95|:443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 65536128 (62M)
Saving to: './content/antseq.npy'

./content/antseq.np 100%[===================>]  62.50M   376KB/s    in 3m 6s

2024-02-15 21:05:26 (344 KB/s) - './content/antseq.npy' saved [65536128/65536
128]
```

Q4: Efficient Tracking

Q4.1: Inverse Composition (15 points)

```
In [28]:  from scipy.interpolate import RectBivariateSpline

          def InverseCompositionAffine(It, It1, threshold, num_iters):
              """
              :param It        : (H, W), current image
              :param It1       : (H, W), next image
              :param threshold : (float), if the length of dp < threshold, terminate the
          optimization
              :param num_iters : (int), number of iterations for running the optimizatio
          n

              :return: M       : (2, 3) The affine transform matrix
              """
              # Initial M
              M = np.array([[1.0, 0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 1.0, 0.0]])
              T_rbs = RectBivariateSpline(np.arange(It.shape[0]), np.arange(It.shape
          [1]), It)
              It1_rbs = RectBivariateSpline(np.arange(It1.shape[0]), np.arange(It1.shape
          [1]), It1)
              x_grid, y_grid = np.meshgrid(np.arange(It.shape[1]), np.arange(It.shape
          [0]))
              old_coords = np.vstack([x_grid.flatten(), y_grid.flatten(), np.ones_like(x
          _grid.flatten())])
              template = It
              temp_grad_x = np.gradient(template, axis=1).flatten()
              temp_grad_y = np.gradient(template, axis=0).flatten()
              steepest_descent = np.vstack([temp_grad_x.flatten() * x_grid.flatten(),
                                            temp_grad_x.flatten() * y_grid.flatten(),
                                            temp_grad_x.flatten(),
                                            temp_grad_y.flatten() * x_grid.flatten(),
                                            temp_grad_y.flatten() * y_grid.flatten(),
                                            temp_grad_y.flatten()]).T
              inverse_hessian = np.linalg.inv(steepest_descent.T @ steepest_descent)
              # ===== your code here! =====
              for ii in range(num_iters):
                  new_coords = M @ old_coords
                  mask = ((new_coords[0,:] >= 0) &
                          (new_coords[0,:] < It.shape[1]) &
                          (new_coords[1,:] >= 0) &
                          (new_coords[1,:] < It.shape[0]))
                  It1_warp = It1_rbs.ev(new_coords[1], new_coords[0]).reshape(It.shape)
                  error = It1_warp - template
                  dp = inverse_hessian @ steepest_descent.T @ error.flatten()
                  if np.linalg.norm(dp) < threshold:
                      break
                  dM = np.array([[1 + dp[0], dp[1], dp[2]], [dp[3], 1 + dp[4], dp[5]],
          [0, 0, 1]])
                  M = M @ np.linalg.inv(dM)
              # ===== End of code =====
              return M
```

Debug Q4.1

Feel free to use and modify the following snippet to debug your implementation. The snippet simply visualizes the translation resulting from running LK on a single frame. When you warp the source frame using the obtained transformation matrix, it should resemble the target frame.

```python
In [29]: import cv2

         num_iters = 100
         threshold = 0.01
         seq = np.load("./content/aerialseq.npy")
         It = seq[:,:,0]
         It1 = seq[:,:,10]

         # Source frame
         plt.figure()
         plt.subplot(1,3,1)
         plt.imshow(It, cmap='gray')
         plt.title('Source image')

         # Target frame
         plt.subplot(1,3,2)
         plt.imshow(It1, cmap='gray')
         plt.title('Target image')

         # Warped source frame
         M = InverseCompositionAffine(It, It1, threshold, num_iters)
         warped_It = cv2.warpAffine(It, M,(It.shape[1],It.shape[0]))
         plt.subplot(1,3,3)
         plt.imshow(warped_It, cmap='gray')
         plt.title('Warped Source image')
```

Out[29]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Warped Source image')
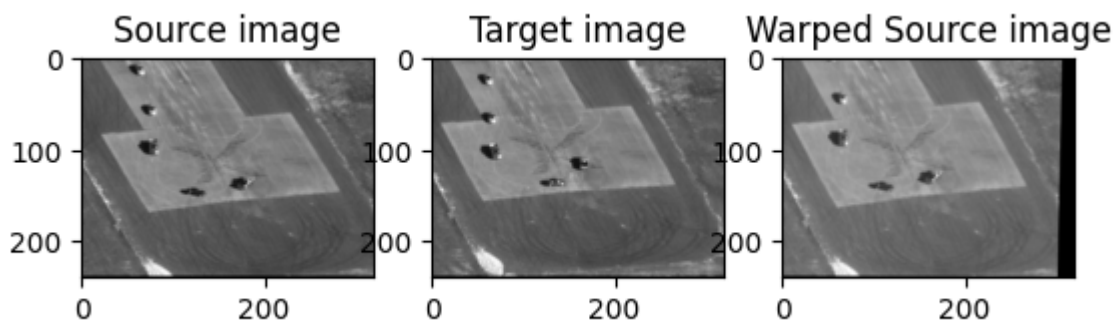
Q4.2 Tracking with Inverse Composition (10 points)

Re-use your impplementation in Q3.2 for subtract dominant motion. Just make sure to use InverseCompositionAffine within.

```python
In [30]:  import numpy as np
          from scipy.ndimage import binary_erosion
          from scipy.ndimage import binary_dilation
          from scipy.ndimage import affine_transform
          import scipy.ndimage
          import cv2

          def SubtractDominantMotion(It, It1, num_iters, threshold, tolerance):
              """
              :param It        : (H, W), current image
              :param It1       : (H, W), next image
              :param num_iters : (int), number of iterations for running the optimizatio
          n
              :param threshold : (float), if the length of dp < threshold, terminate the
          optimization
              :param tolerance : (float), binary threshold of intensity difference when
          computing the mask
              :return: mask    : (H, W), the mask of the moved object
              """
              mask = np.ones(It.shape, dtype=bool)

              # ===== your code here! =====
              M = InverseCompositionAffine(It, It1, threshold, num_iters)
              warped_It = cv2.warpAffine(It, -M, It.shape)
              # ===== End of code =====
              mask = np.abs(It1 - warped_It.T) > tolerance
              mask = binary_erosion(mask)
              mask = ~binary_dilation(mask)
              mask[-1,:] = ~mask[-1,:]
              return mask
```

Re-use your implementation in Q3.3 for sequence tracking.

```
In [31]:  from tqdm import tqdm

          def TrackSequenceAffineMotion(seq, num_iters, threshold, tolerance):
              """
              :param seq       : (H, W, T), sequence of frames
              :param num_iters : int, number of iterations for running the optimization
              :param threshold : float, if the length of dp < threshold, terminate the o
          ptimization
              :param tolerance : (float), binary threshold of intensity difference when
          computing the mask
              :return: masks   : (T, 4) moved objects for each frame
              """
              H, W, N = seq.shape

              rects =[]
              It = seq[:,:,0]
              masks = []
              # ===== your code here! =====
              for i in tqdm(range(1, seq.shape[2])):
                  masks.append(SubtractDominantMotion(seq[:,:,i-1], seq[:,:,i], num_iter
          s, threshold, tolerance))

              # ===== End of code =====
              masks = np.stack(masks, axis=2)
              return masks
```

Track the ant sequence with inverse composition method.

```
In [32]:  seq = np.load("./content/antseq.npy")

          # NOTE: feel free to play with these parameters
          num_iters = 1000
          threshold = 0.01
          tolerance = 0.2

          tic = time.time()
          masks = TrackSequenceAffineMotion(seq, num_iters, threshold, tolerance)
          toc = time.time()
          print('\nAnt Sequence takes %f seconds' % (toc - tic))
```
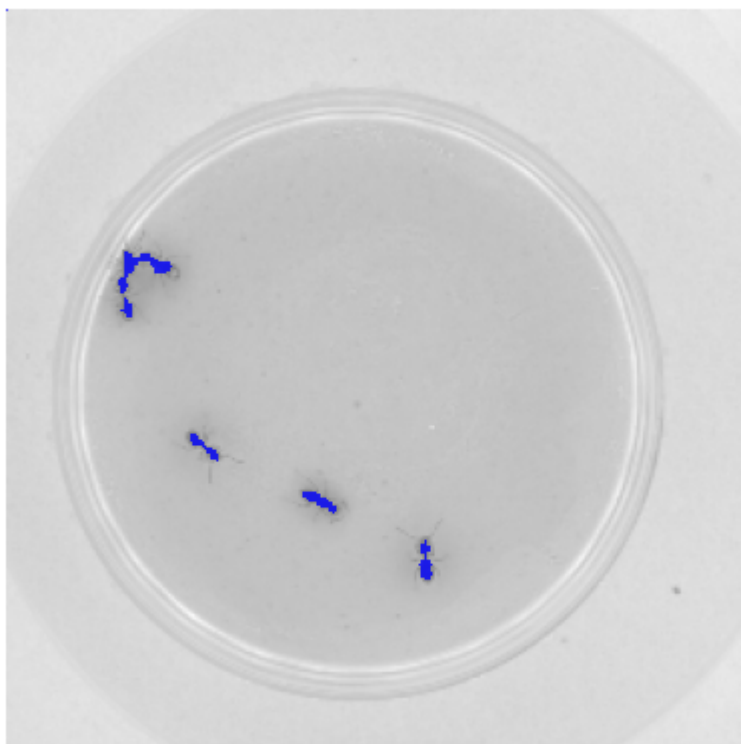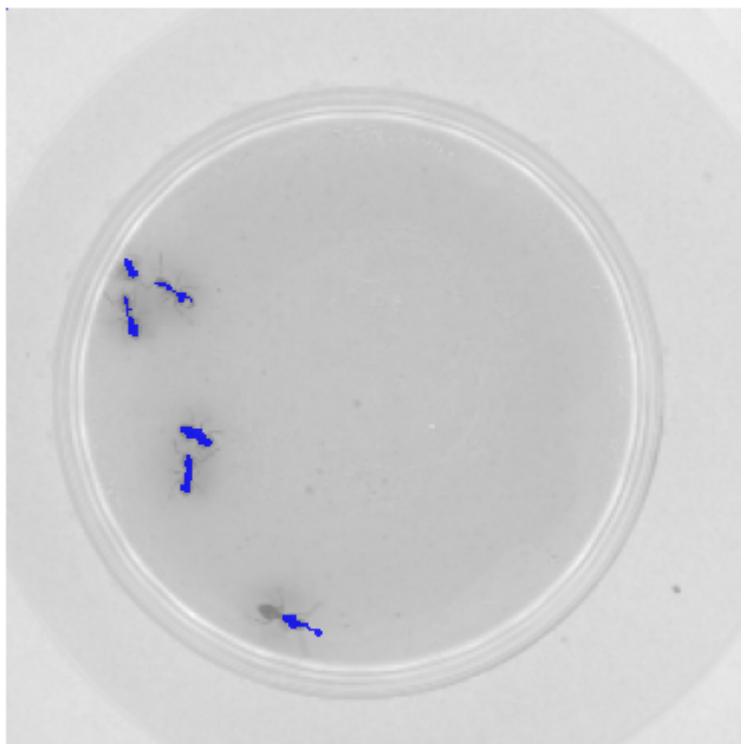
```
  0%|            | 0/124 [00:00<?, ?it/s]100%|██████████| 124/124 [00:13<00:00,
9.27it/s]

Ant Sequence takes 13.389612 seconds
```
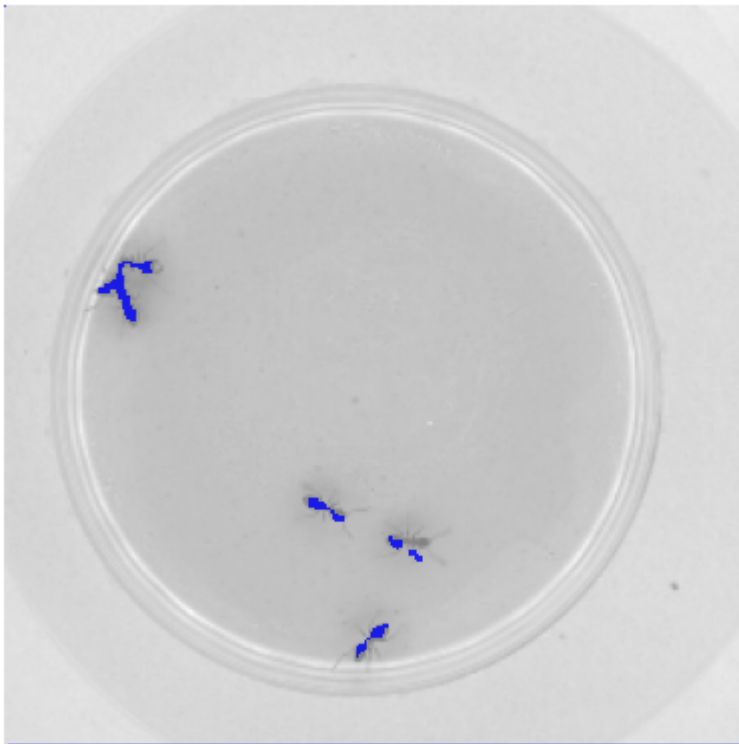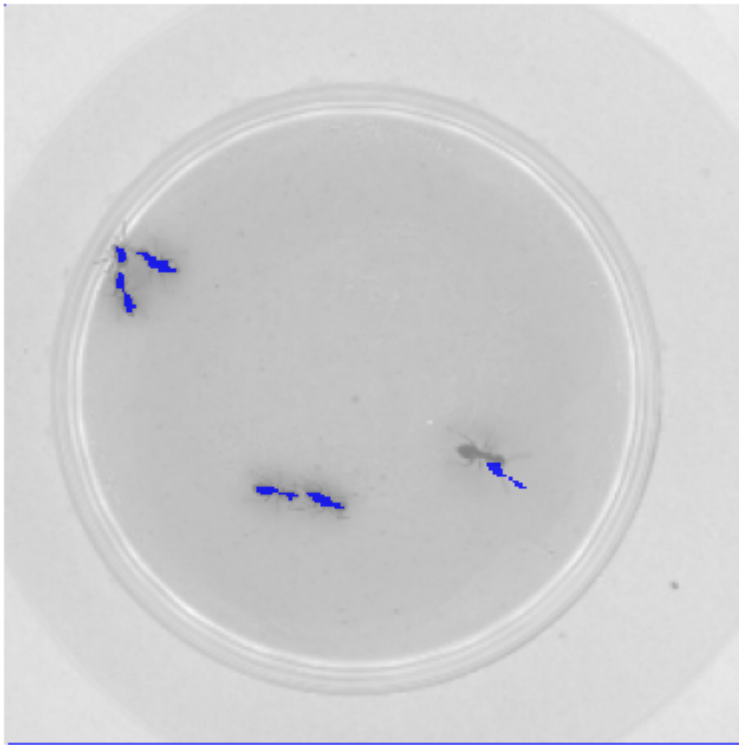
```
In [33]: frames_to_save = [29, 59, 89, 119]

         # TODO: visualize
         for idx in frames_to_save:
             frame = seq[:, :, idx]
             mask = masks[:, :, idx]

             plt.figure()
             plt.imshow(frame, cmap="gray", alpha=0.5)
             plt.imshow(np.ma.masked_where(np.invert(mask), mask), cmap='winter', alpha
         =0.8)
             plt.axis('off')
```

Track the aerial sequence with inverse composition method.

```
In [36]:   seq = np.load("./content/aerialseq.npy")

           # NOTE: feel free to play with these parameters
           num_iters = 1000
           threshold = 0.01
           tolerance = 0.3

           tic = time.time()
           masks = TrackSequenceAffineMotion(seq, num_iters, threshold, tolerance)
           toc = time.time()
           print('\nAnt Sequence takes %f seconds' % (toc - tic))
```
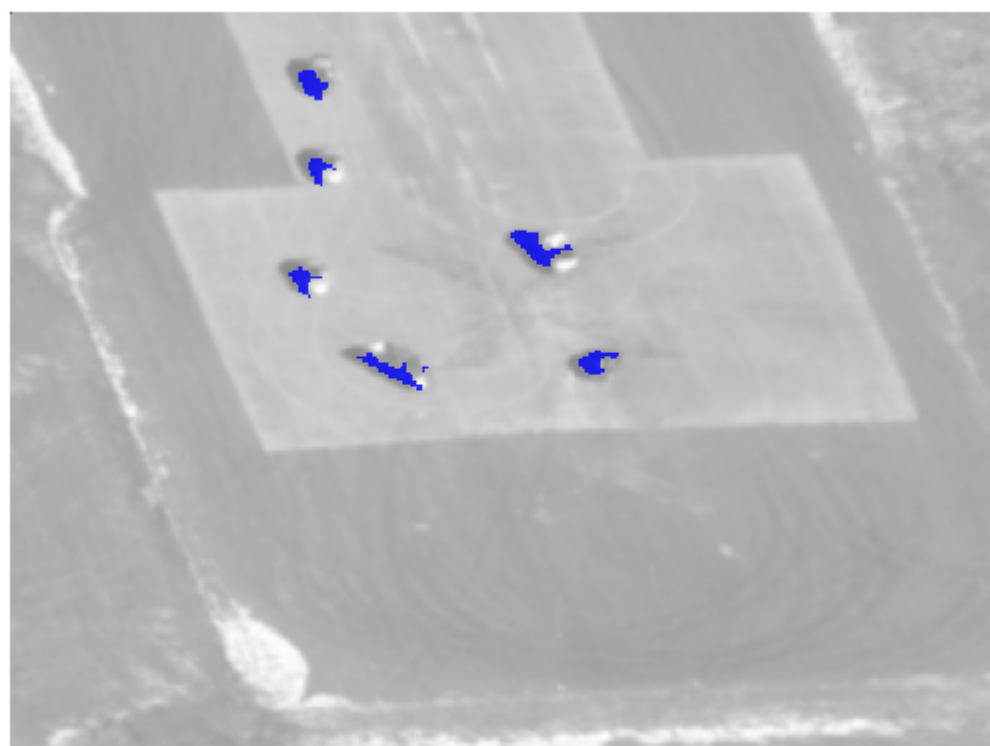
```
100%|████████████| 149/149 [00:34<00:00,  4.27it/s]

Ant Sequence takes 34.889022 seconds
```
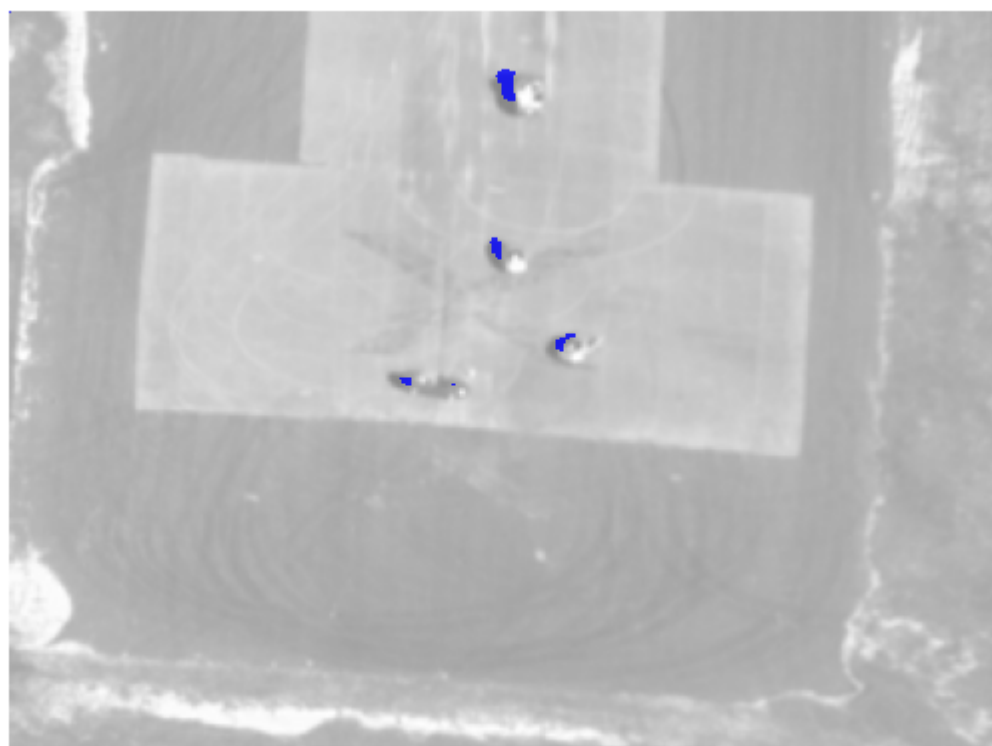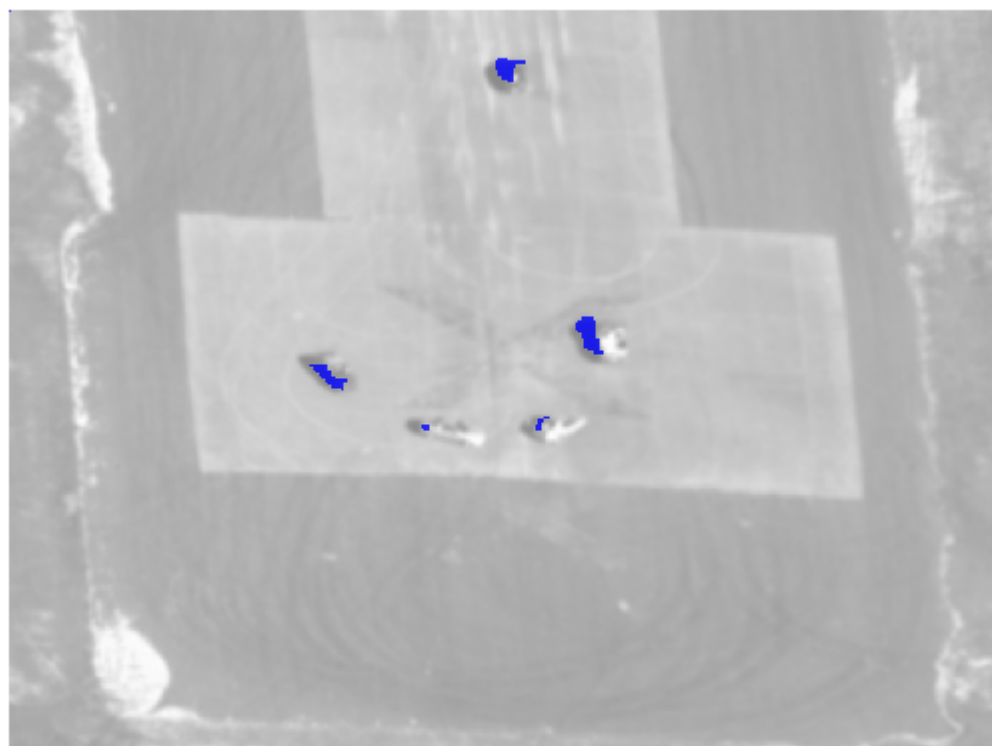
```
In [37]: frames_to_save = [29, 59, 89, 119]

         # TODO: visualize
         for idx in frames_to_save:
             frame = seq[:, :, idx]
             mask = masks[:, :, idx]

             plt.figure()
             plt.imshow(frame, cmap="gray", alpha=0.5)
             plt.imshow(np.ma.masked_where(np.invert(mask), mask), cmap='winter', alpha
         =0.8)
             plt.axis('off')
```
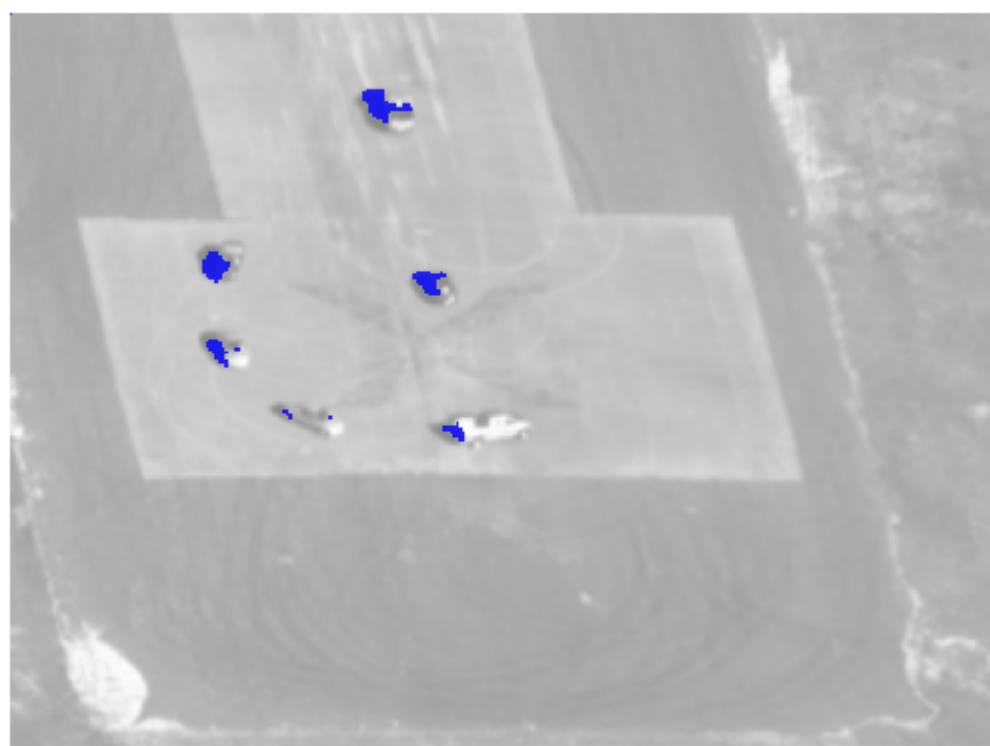
Q4.2.1 Compare the runtime of the algorithm using inverse composition (as described in this section) with its runtime without inverse composition (as detailed in the previous section) in the context of the ant and aerial sequences:

===== your answer here! =====

Sequence	LK Algorithm	Inverse Composition Algorithm
ant	16.857641 s	13.389612 s
aerial	42.298250 s	34.889022 s

===== end of your answer ====

Q4.2.2 In your own words, please describe briefly why the inverse compositional approach is more computationally efficient than the classical approach:

===== your answer here! =====

The inverse composition algorithm computes the hessian ahead of time (before the loop) as opposed to within the optimization routine (loops) like in the classic LK algorithm. By finding the gradients of the template (unwarpped) and forming a Hessian without the explicit warp params (with ∇T and $\frac{\partial W}{\partial p}$), this method (inverse) is more efficient.

===== end of your answer ====