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## ABSTRACT

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## INTRODUCTION

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## BACKGROUND & RELATED WORK

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Most approaches can be characterized by looking at three stages in their processing pipeline:

**INPUT FORMAT** The structure of the input data determines the amount of information available to the subsequent processing steps. Possible preprocessing steps include color space conversion and scaling.

**EXTRACTED FEATURES** The large number of coefficients produced by the curvelet transform are reduced to a set of feature coefficients.

**DISTANCE METRIC** In order to rank the images according to similarity a metric is used to calculate the distance in feature space between two sets of feature coefficients. The selection of a metric is often closely coupled with the feature extraction algorithm.



PROPOSED SOLUTION

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## EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

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## CONCLUSION

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