# Analysis of Image Tranforms for Sketch-based Retrieval

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# Motivation



# Challenges of CBIR

#### The Semantic Gap

"The semantic gap is the **lack of coincidence** between the information that one can extract from the **visual data** and the **interpretation** that the same data have for a user in a given situation." – Smeulders et al.

#### The Sensory Gap

"The sensory gap is the gap between the **object in the** world and the information in a (computational) description derived from a **recording of that scene**." – Smeulders et al.



## Prior Work on Human Recognition

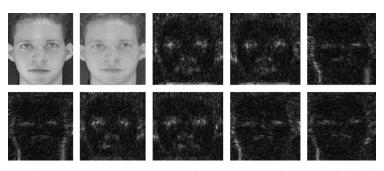


Figure: "Face recognition using curvelet based PCA.", T. Mandal and Q. M.J Wu, ICPR 2008

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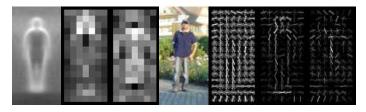
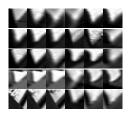


Figure: "Histograms of oriented gradients for human detection", Dalal and Triggs, CVPR 2005

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#### Prior Work on Visual Codebooks







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Figure: "Video Google: A text retrieval approach to object matching in videos", Sivic and Zisserman, ICCV 2003

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#### Prior Work on Scene Classification

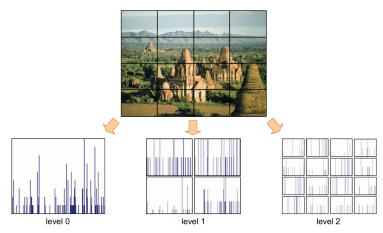


Figure: "Spatial pyramid matching", Lazebnik et al., 2009



# Anatomy of a CBIR System

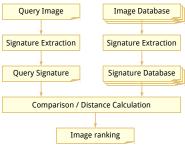


Figure: Global Descriptors

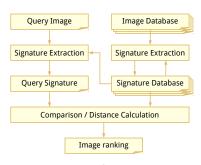
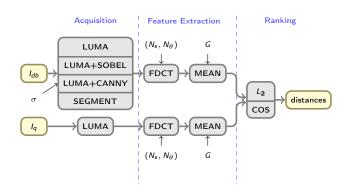
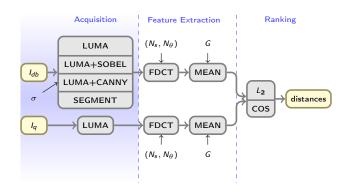
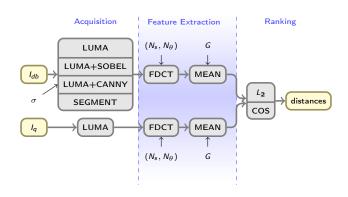
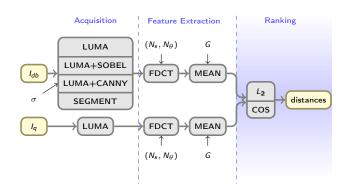


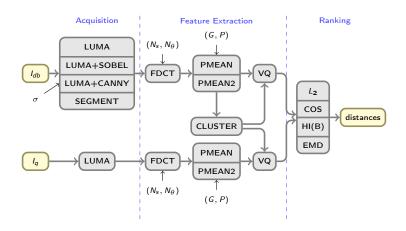
Figure: Local Descriptors

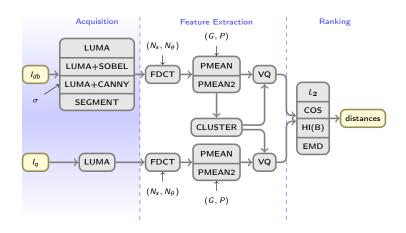


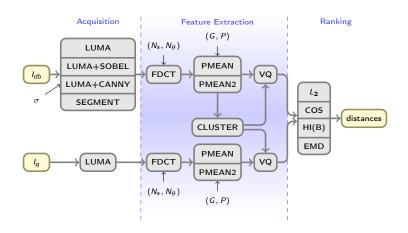


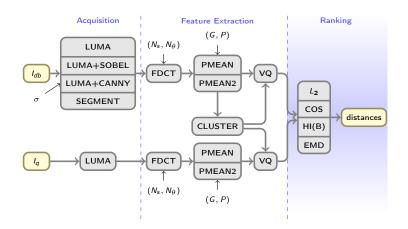












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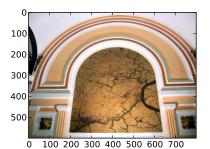


Figure: Original Image

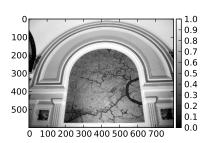


Figure: Luma Conversion

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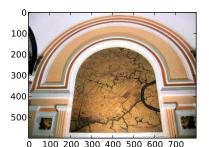


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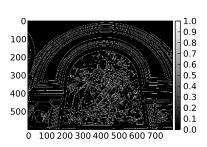


Figure: Canny Operator

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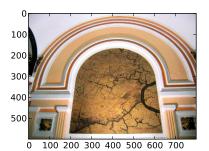


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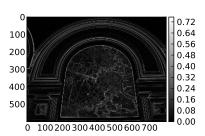


Figure: Sobel Operator

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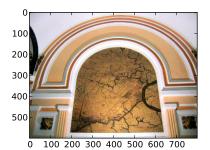


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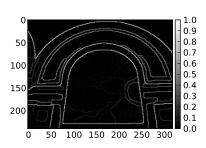


Figure: gPb-owt-ucm Transform

The Curvelet Transform

# The Curvelet Transform



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### The Fast Discrete Curvelet Transform



#### Global Feature Extraction



#### Local Feature Extraction



# Ranking



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# Benchmarking Method



### Cross-Domain Results



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#### Intra-Domain Results



## Conclusions

