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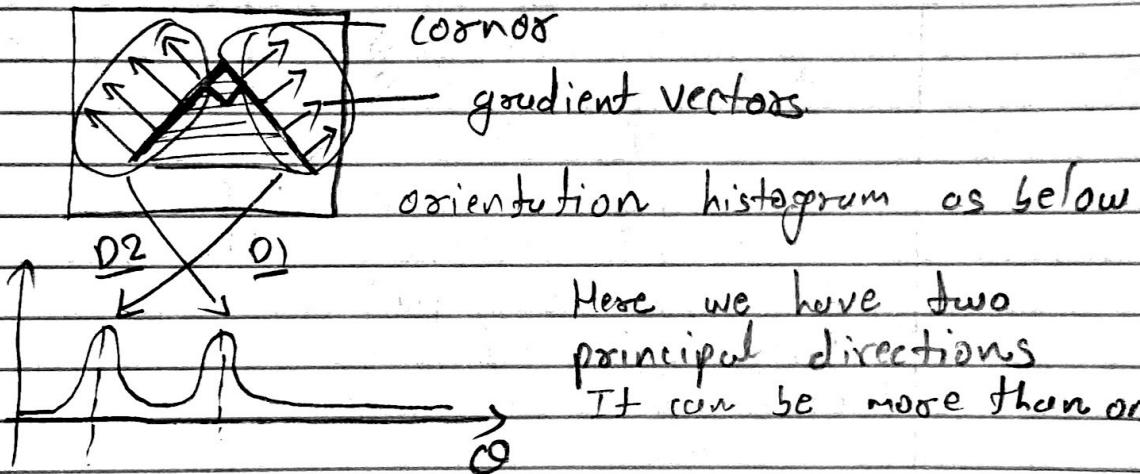
CS-512 - Assignment -2

Ans-1) a)

for corner detection we use orientation histogram.

orientation histogram shows frequency of vectors at angle of gradient vector (θ)

when we use windows in an image we get corner like below



Here we have two
principal directions
It can be more than one

In the image gradient vectors on the same edge have same directions. So, frequency of gradient vector at same angle is higher. So, we get two peaks here.



Here we have only one
in window. So, we get
 θ only one peak

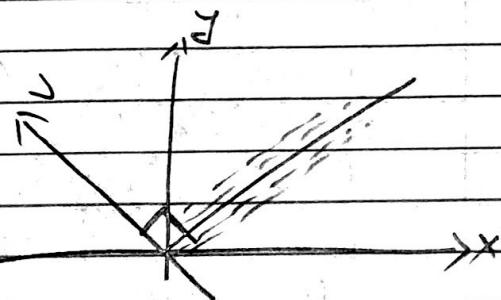
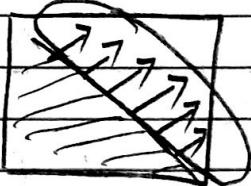
below is how number of principal directions assessed.:

5) find correlation matrix of gradients in local window

- find eigenvalues of correlation matrix
- detect corner in window if eigenvalues are sufficiently large

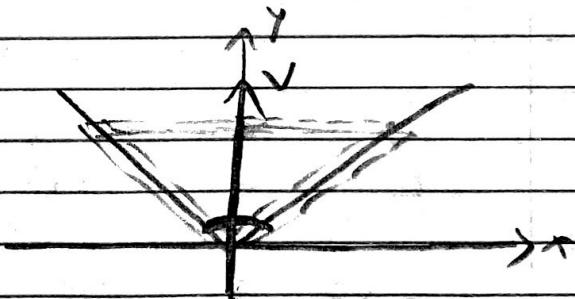
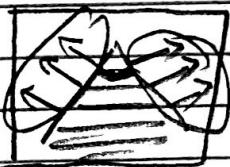
6) In PCA we find direction vector v such that projection of all gradient vectors in local window onto v is minimized

in edge



In edge all gradient vectors are almost in some direction so we choose v at orthogonal direction.

in corner



$$E(v) = \sum_i (g_i \cdot v)^2 = v^T (\sum_i g_i g_i^T) v = v^T C v$$

$$C = \sum_i g_i g_i^T = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_i g_i^2 & \sum_i g_i g_i^T \\ \sum_i g_i g_i^T & \sum_i g_i^2 \end{bmatrix} = D^T D$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} g_1^T \\ \vdots \\ g_m^T \end{bmatrix}$$

c) gradient vectors :

$$\{(0,0), (0,1), (0,2), (0,3), (0,4), (1,0), (1,1), (1,2), (1,3)\}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} \sum x_i^2 & \sum x_i y_i \\ \sum x_i y_i & \sum y_i^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 44 \end{bmatrix}$$

d) To detect corner using PCA we find a vector V on which projection of all gradient vectors are minimized

$$E(V) = V^T C V, \quad C = \text{correlation matrix}$$

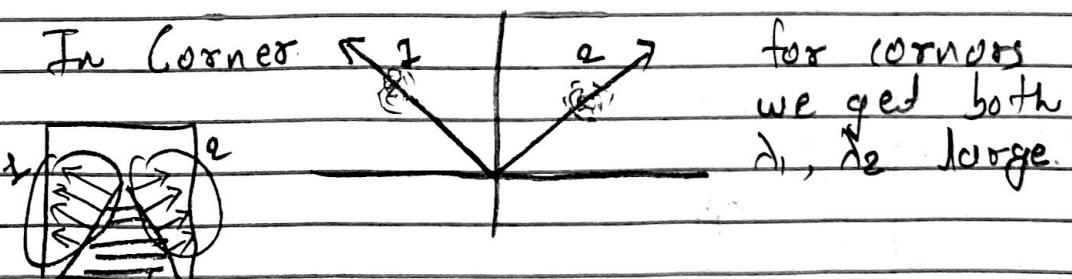
$$\nabla E(V) = 0$$

$$2CV = 0$$

$$CV = 0$$

To find vector V we find eigenvalues of correlation matrix C .

here we get two eigenvalues λ_1, λ_2



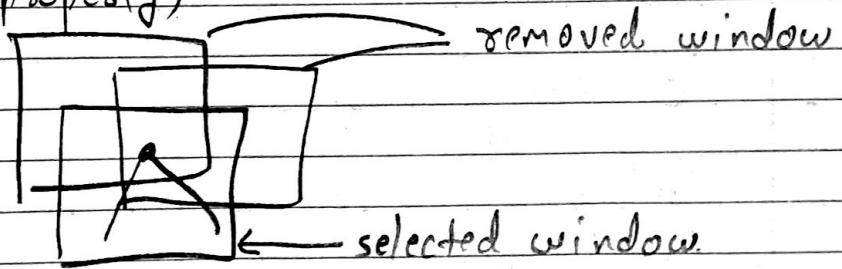
In given window it's a corner

if $\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 > \tau \leftarrow \text{Threshold}$
 eigen value is variance in principal direction
 V is eigenvector belonging to smallest eigen value

e) In non-maximum suppression,

- we first find eigenvalues λ_1, λ_2 for each window in an image
- from all these windows we select windows with $\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 > 2$ and then sort these selected windows in decreasing order of $\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2$
- select top window from the list and remove other windows from list which lies in neighborhood of selected window.

(Here top selected window define corner properly)



A window is in neighborhood if distance between centers of two windows is less than window size

- stop once $x\%$ of corner points are detected

we use overlapping window to find corners between windows. So, analysis needs to be done at multiple scale.

f) Harris corner detection doesn't find eigenvalues λ_1, λ_2 of correlation matrix C

It computes cornerness measure.

$$C_{CC} = \det(C_C) - k \operatorname{tr}^2(C_C)$$

Here, $\det(C_C) = \lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2$
 $\operatorname{tr}(C_C) = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2$

$$C_{CC} = (\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2) - k(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)^2 = \underbrace{(1-k)}_{\text{corner}} \lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 - k \underbrace{(\lambda_1^2 + \lambda_2^2)}_{\text{edge}}$$

Instead of finding λ_1, λ_2 , It just finds $\det(C)$ and $\operatorname{tr}(C)$ of 2×2 correlation matrix which is fast.

$k \in [0, 0.5]$ is a parameter.

If $k=0$ C_{CC} detects corner

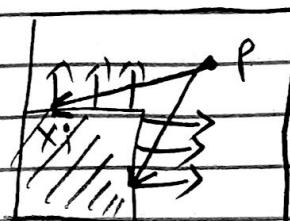
If $k=0.5$ C_{CC} detects edge.

It helps to detect both corner and edge controlled by parameter k .

g) To determine P is the corner.

we connect each point x_i in a window to P and project the gradient at x_i onto $(x_i - P)$

The best P will minimize all projections.



$$\begin{aligned}
 E(P) &= \mathbb{E} (\nabla I(x_i) \cdot (x_i - P))^2 \\
 &= \sum_i \underbrace{(x_i - P)^T}_{1 \times 2} \underbrace{(\nabla I(x_i) \nabla I(x_i)^T)}_{2 \times 2} \underbrace{(x_i - P)}_{2 \times 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

To find best P .

$P^* = \underset{P}{\operatorname{argmin}} E(P)$, take derivative with respect to P to find min value of P

$$\begin{aligned}
 \nabla E(P) &= 0 \\
 P^* &= \left(\sum_i \nabla I(x_i) \nabla I(x_i)^T \right)^{-1} \left(\sum_i \nabla I(x_i) \nabla I(x_i)^T x_i \right) \\
 x_i &= \underbrace{C^{-1}}_{2 \times 2} \left(\sum_i \nabla I(x_i) \nabla I(x_i)^T x_i \right) \underbrace{x_i}_{2 \times 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

P^* is a point of corner

C = correlation matrix

Condition to exist.

we took windows where $\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 > 0$
for corner λ_1, λ_2 both are non-zero and positive

so, C must be non-singular

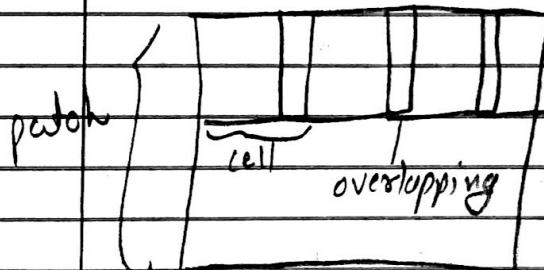
h) In HOG,

- split each patch into possibly overlapping cells
- create orientation histogram for each cell in a patch

for orientation histogram we can use edge or gradient directions.

to find more characteristic feature points we can possibly weight this histogram by distance from center or gradient magnitude

concrete orientation histograms of each cell in a patch



now match this orientation histogram of a single patch in another image's orientation histogram of all patches

This is how feature point characterization finds one feature from one image to another image where feature can be translated, rotated, scaled or illuminated.

The requirements from a good characterization of feature points

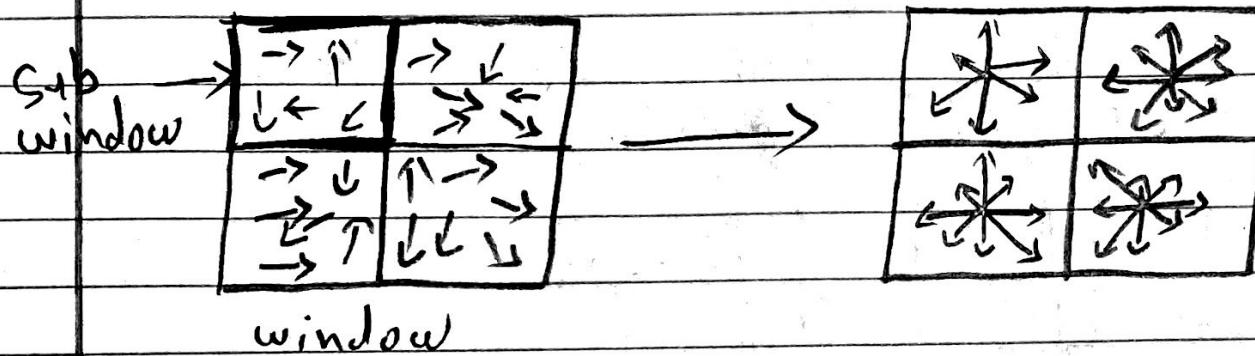
- translation invariance
- rotation invariance
- scale invariance
- illumination invariance

i) In SIFT

create subwindows in a window.

find orientation histogram for each subwindow

concat. each orientation histogram of subwindow in a window.



align histogram of subwindows based on dominant direction (rotation invariance)
also use weighted sum to create histogram
(high weight when near to center of a window and vice versa)

Ans-2]

a) In hough transform

a line eqⁿ: $y = ax + b$

a is a slope and b is y-intercept.

The problem here is to define a range for (a) slope parameter

vertical lines have infinite slope ($a=\infty$)

so, representing vertical lines is a problem in hough transform

b) $a = \text{slope} = 45^\circ$
 $d = 10$

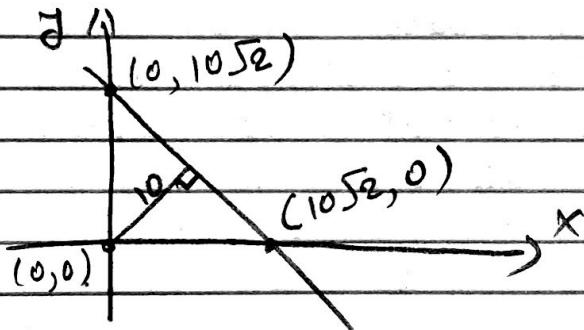
$a = ?$, $b = ?$, $c = ?$ in $ax + by + c = 0$

$$a = \cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.53$$

$$b = \sin 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.53$$

$$c = -d = -10$$

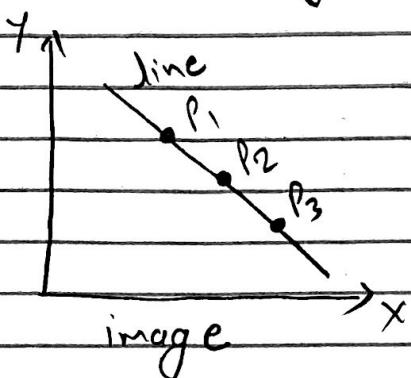
line : $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}y - 10 = 0$



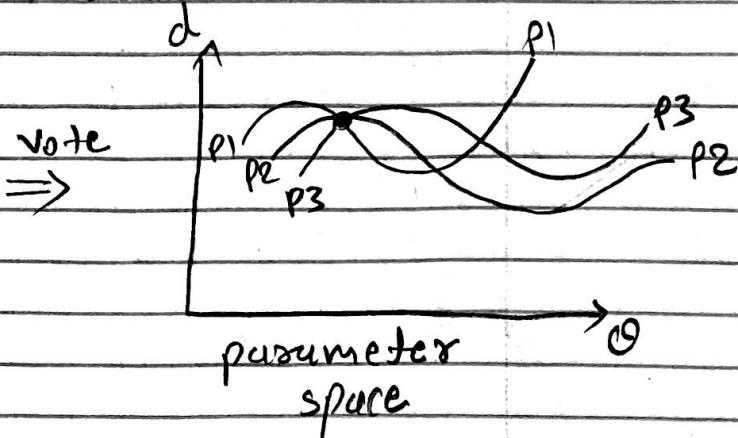
c) polar representation of lines,

$$ax + by + c = 0$$

$$x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = d$$



vote
⇒



for each point (x, y) :

take θ from 0 to 360°

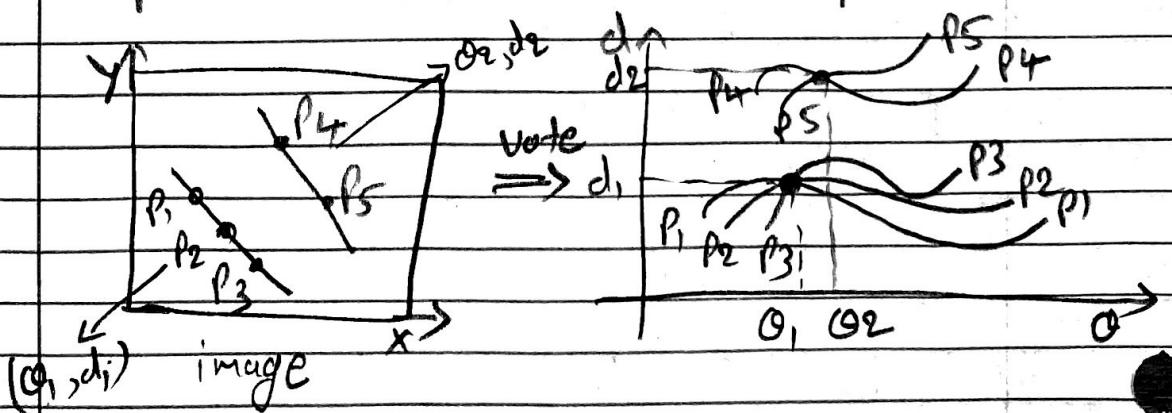
get distance d at each Θ

Here we will get curve in parameter space for each point in an image.

d) If in image there are n points on a line, then in parameter space we get n curves intersecting at point $(0, d)$ which are the parameters of that line.

→ To create parameter space, coming
for each point (x, y) with each you will
@; normal vote for $d_i = x \cos \theta_i + y \sin \theta_i$

when we look at the parameter space, we can see that some curves in parameter space for some points in image are intersecting. So points associated with curves that are intersecting are on the same line where intersecting point (θ, d) is the line's parameter.



e) In parameter space

- If bins size is large then high transform will be more efficient in terms of time and space but it provides less localization.

large bins means less number of samples

- If bins size is small, it means large number of samples, and then high transform will be less efficient in terms of time and space to process these samples but it provides more and accurate localization.

f) Explicit line equation with parameters (θ, d)

$$x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = d$$

$$(n_x, n_y) = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$$

If we know the normal then for each point we just need to find parameter d . So, for each point parameter θ is fixed.

This is time and space efficient. So, now we don't need to find all d for each θ for each point.

To find points on a line we just need to

compare d of points having same θ .

In parameter space we won't get curve for each point. For each point we get a point in parameter space.

g) Circle equation,

$$x' = x_c + r \cos \theta \quad (x' - x_c)^2 + (y' - y_c)^2 = r^2$$
$$y' = y_c + r \sin \theta$$

(x', y') Point on a circle

(x_c, y_c) center of a circle.

r is radius of a circle.

θ is an angle, $\theta \in [0, 360]$

circle's parameters: x_c, y_c, r

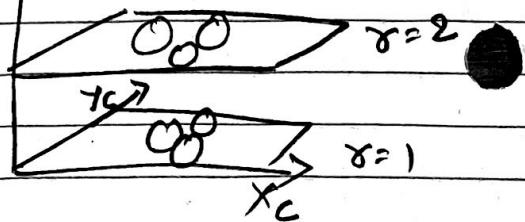
Three parameters for circle.

So, the dimensions of the parameter space will be three in Hough transform

Given (x', y') vote in each θ plane
using

$$x_c = x' - r \cos \theta, \theta \in [0, 360]$$

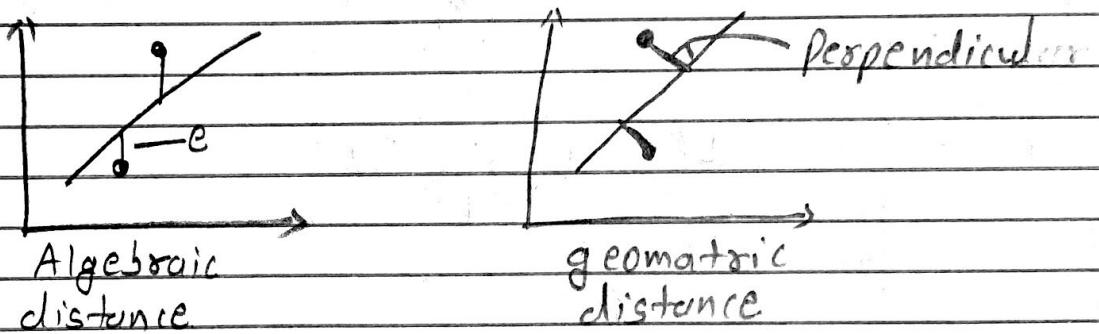
$$y_c = y' - r \sin \theta$$



Ans-3 a) The objective function for line $y = ax + b$ fitting is

$$E(a, b) = \sum_i (y_i - (ax_i + b))^2$$

But this objective is not good, because it uses algebraic distance.



In Algebraic, as slope increase vertical distance is not reliable because of the infinite slope of vertical lines cannot fit.
So here, geometric distance should be used.

b) $(n_x, n_y) = (1, 2) = (a, b)$

$$d = 2$$

$$c = -d = -2$$

$$\lambda = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

c) $\mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{P}$ is the objective function of point $\mathbf{P} = (x, y, 1)$ from line $\mathbf{l} = (a, b, c)$

Here algebraic error can be negligible of being geometric.

Explicit line equation : $\mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{P} = 0$

objective function : $E(\mathbf{l}) = \sum_i (\mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{P}_i)^2$

$$E(\mathbf{l}) = \sum_i \mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{P}_i \mathbf{P}_i^T \mathbf{l} = \mathbf{l}^T (\sum_i \mathbf{P}_i \mathbf{P}_i^T) \mathbf{l} = \mathbf{l}^T S \mathbf{l}$$

$$\lambda^* = \underset{\mathbf{l}}{\operatorname{argmin}} E(\mathbf{l})$$

$$\nabla E(\mathbf{l}) = 0$$

$$S\mathbf{l} = 0$$

\mathbf{l} is eigenvector of S belonging to 0 eigenvalue.

$$S = \sum_i \mathbf{P}_i \mathbf{P}_i^T = \begin{bmatrix} \sum x_i^2 & \sum x_i y_i & \sum x_i \\ \sum x_i y_i & \sum y_i^2 & \sum y_i \\ \sum x_i & \sum y_i & n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = D^T O \quad \text{where} \quad O = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ x_n & y_n & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

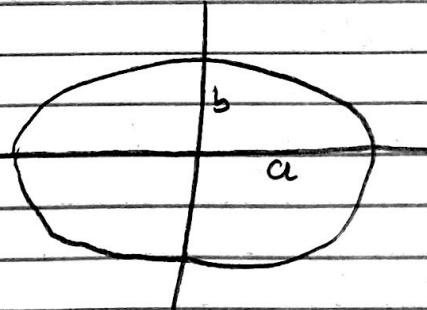
d) Points : $\{(0,1), (1,3), (2,6)\}$

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} \sum x_i^2 & \sum x_i y_i & \sum x_i \\ \sum x_i y_i & \sum y_i^2 & \sum y_i \\ \sum x_i & \sum y_i & n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 15 & 3 \\ 15 & 46 & 10 \\ 3 & 10 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

e) for conic curves, Explicit Equation

$$\left(\frac{x - x_0}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y - y_0}{b}\right)^2 = 1$$



Implicit Equation :

$$ax^2 + bxy + cy^2 + dx + ey + f = 0$$

If $b^2 - 4ac < 0$, we can fit the model on ellipse.

f) Implicit equation:

$$\mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{P} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{l}^T = (a, b, c, d, e, f)$$

$$\mathbf{P} = (x^2, xy, y^2, x, y, 1)$$

$$\mathbf{P}_i = (x_i, y_i)$$

Ellipse fitting:

minimize objective function,

$$E(\mathbf{l}) = \sum_{i=1}^m (\mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{P}_i)^2 = \mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{l}$$

$$\mathbf{S} = \sum_i \mathbf{P}_i \mathbf{P}_i^T$$

$$\mathbf{l}_{\infty} = \underset{\mathbf{l}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} E(\mathbf{l}) \quad \text{subject to } b^2 - 4ac < 0$$

This objective function use algebraic distance.

$$b^2 - 4ac < 0 \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{l}^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{l} = -1,$$

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Modified $E(\lambda)$ obj. function:

$$E(\lambda) = \mathbf{1}^T S \mathbf{1} + \lambda (\mathbf{1}^T C \mathbf{1} + 1)$$

$$\lambda^* = \underset{\lambda}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} E(\lambda)$$

$$\nabla E(\lambda) = 0$$

$$\lambda = \lambda_0 S^{-1} C \mathbf{1}$$

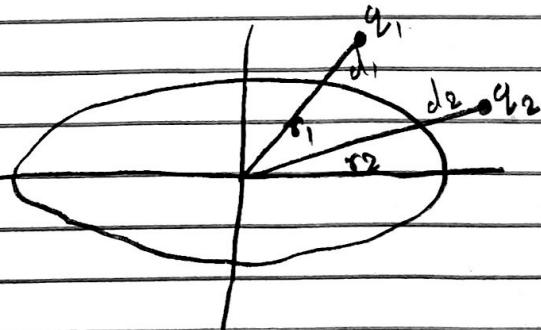
λ^* is eigenvector of $S^{-1}C$ belong to negative eigenvalue

when x_i is on ellipse: $\lambda^T x_i = 0$

when x_i is off ellipse: $q_i = \lambda^T x_i$

q_i : a distance from the ellipse.

$$\frac{\text{algebraic distance}}{q_i} = q_i = \lambda^T x_i \approx \frac{d_i}{d_i + \sigma_i}$$



$$d_1 \approx d_2$$

$$q_1 > q_2, \sigma_2 > \sigma_1$$

points close to the short axis of ellipse affect more to the fitting.

g) geometric distance for ellipse.

objective function,

$$E(P) = \sum_i \frac{|f(p_i, J)|}{|OJ(p_i, J)|} =$$

$$f(p_i, J) = J^T P_i$$

$$J^* = \underset{J}{\operatorname{argmin}} E(J) \text{ s.t. } b^2 - 4ac < 0$$

there is no explicit solution to
 $D E(J) = 0$

only iterative numerical solution
is there.

h)

$$E(\phi(s)) = \int_{\phi(s)} (\underbrace{\alpha(s) E_{\text{cont}} + \beta(s) E_{\text{curv}}}_{\text{internal Energy}} + \underbrace{\gamma(s) E_{\text{img}}}_{\text{external Energy}}) ds$$

$$E_{\text{cont}} = \left| \frac{d\phi}{ds} \right|^2 = \frac{\text{continuity energy}}{|P_{i+1} - P_i|}$$

$$E_{\text{curv}} = \left| \frac{d^2\phi}{ds^2} \right|^2 = \frac{\text{curvature energy}}{|P_{i+1} - 2P_i + P_{i-1}|^2}$$

$$E_{\text{img}} = -|OI|^2 = \text{image energy.}$$

for discrete, $\phi(s) \rightarrow \{P_i\}_{i=1}^n$

- E_{cont} is for the curve to be continuous. should be low, because we want equal interval
- E_{curve} for curve to be smooth. and it should be low
- E_{img} is for gradient to be on edge.

$\alpha(s)$, $\beta(s)$, $r(s)$ are user selected parameters

$\{P_i\}$ unknown model parameters
 d is a 'computed' parameter

$$\begin{aligned} EC(P_i) = & \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i (|P_{i+1} - P_i| - d)^2 \\ & + \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_i (|P_{i+1} - 2P_i + P_{i-1}|)^2 \\ & - \sum_{i=1}^n r_i |\text{DI}(P_i)|^2 \end{aligned}$$

d is average distance b/w points
to prevent shrinking.

i) continuity of discrete curve,

$$E_{cont} = \left| \frac{d\phi}{ds} \right|^2 = (P_{i+1} - P_i)^2$$

first order derivative

continuity is the difference with next neighbor on curve.

Curvature of discrete curve :

$$E_{\text{curve}} = \left| \frac{d^2 \phi}{ds^2} \right|^2 = |P_{i+1} - 2P_i + P_{i-1}|^2$$

second order derivative

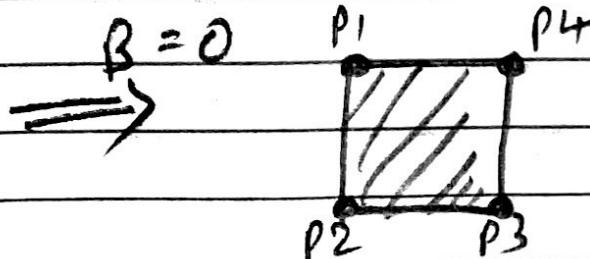
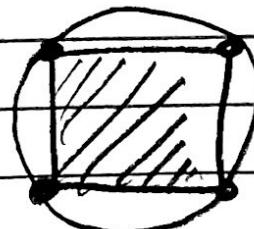
difference of two consecutive first order derivative.

j)

continuity of active contours may be relaxed by taking $\beta_i = 0$ at corners to allow discontinuity.

to allow tight fitting for curves, set $\beta_i = 0$ to point with high curvature.
when,

$$|P_{i+1} - 2P_i + P_{i-1}| > \epsilon$$



Ans-4]

a) gradient vectors $(1, 2), (3, 4)$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} \sum x_i^2 & \sum x_i j_i \\ \sum x_i j_i & \sum j_i^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 14 \\ 14 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

b) points $(10, 10), (20, 20)$

implicit line equation: ?

$$J = ax + b$$

$$a = \frac{J_2 - J_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{20 - 10}{20 - 10} = 1$$

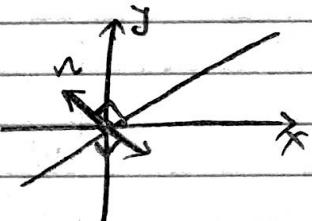
$$y = x + b$$

true point $(10, 10)$

$$10 = 10 + b$$

$$b = 0$$

Explicit line eqⁿ: $y = x$



normal: $(-1, 1) = \vec{n}$

normalized normal: $\hat{n} = \frac{\vec{n}}{|\vec{n}|} = (-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$

implicit line eqⁿ:

$$(n_x, n_y) \cdot (x, y) = d \text{ or } n_x x + n_y y - d = 0$$

$$(n_x, n_y) = (-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) \text{ or } (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$$

$d = 0$, line passes through origin

$$\text{Eq: } -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} X + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} Y - 0 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} X = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} Y$$

$$\Rightarrow X = Y$$

$$c) (a, b, c) = (1, 2, 3)$$

$$(x, y) = (2, ?)$$

$$\text{line: } ax + by + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \cdot 2 + 2y + 3 = 0$$

$$\text{true } x=2,$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 + 2y + 3 = 0$$

$$y = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$d) \text{ Points } (1, 1), \theta = 0$$

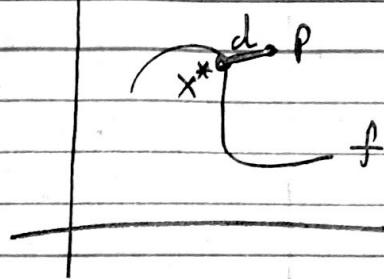
$$\text{vote: } d = r_x x + r_y y = x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta \\ = \cos 0 + \sin 0 \\ = 1 + 0 \\ d = 1$$

$$e) \text{ Points } (1, 2), (3, 4), n = 2$$

$$S = \sum_i p_i p_i^T = \begin{bmatrix} \sum x_i^2 & \sum x_i z_i & \sum x_i \\ \sum x_i z_i & \sum z_i^2 & \sum z_i \\ \sum x_i & \sum z_i & n \end{bmatrix} = D'D$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow S = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 14 & 4 \\ 14 & 20 & 6 \\ 4 & 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

f) implicit curve f
a point P



$$|f(P)| = 1$$

$$|\nabla f(x^*)| = 2$$

$$d(f, P) = ?$$

(geometric)

$$d(f, P) = |P - x^*| = \frac{|f(P)|}{|\nabla f(x^*)|} = \frac{1}{2}$$

g) implicit curve f
a point P

$$|f(P)| = 1$$

$$|\nabla f(P)| = 2$$

$$d(f, P) = ?$$

(algebraic)

$$d(f, P) = \frac{|f(P)|}{|\nabla f(P)|} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$h) P_1 = (1, 2), \quad P_2 = (2, 3), \quad P_3 = (3, 4)$$

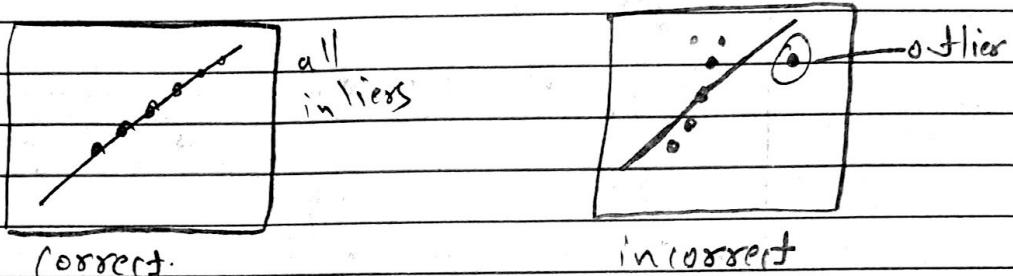
$$E_{cont}(P_2) = |P_3 - P_2|^2 = |(1, 1)|^2 = \sqrt{2}^2 = 2$$

$$E_{conv}(P_2) = |P_3 - 2P_2 + P_1|^2 = |(0, 0)|^2 = 0$$

i) Given a point with high curvature (e.g. corner) the coefficient β_i has to be set to zero for that location to guarantee tight fitting of an active contour.

Ans-5 a) outliers are the data points which are different from the other points in the dataset

- These outliers can be incorrect or be noise in dataset. It affects model fitting



- If dataset has no outliers then model fitting will be correct.
but if one outlier is added then model fitting solution will be destroyed
- Model fitting is very sensitive to outliers.
- Main problem is when we minimize objective error function which is calculated using sum of square of distance, distance for outliers might be large and due to these outliers solution moves towards the outliers. and It fits a wrong model.

b) Robust estimation use M-estimators

MSE : Mean Square Error

$$E(\theta) = \sum_i d^2(x_i, \theta), \quad d^2 = (J^T x_i)^2 \text{ for line fitting}$$

$$E(\theta) = \sum \varphi(d(x_i, \theta))$$

objective function

Here, we use standard deviation as a parameter.

MSE is a special case where,

$$\varphi(x) = x^2$$

In standard least square error we use

$$\varphi(x) = x^2 \text{ which is MSE}$$

but in M-estimator we use φ function instead of square function.

c) German-McCull estimator

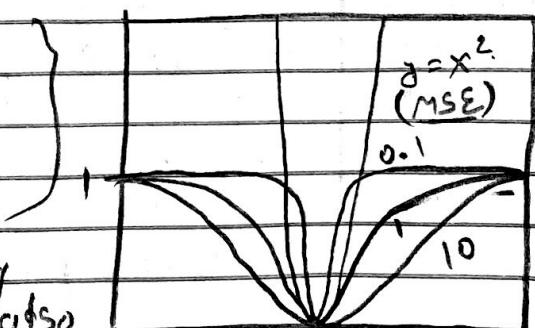
$$E(\theta) = \sum \varphi_\sigma(d(x_i, \theta))$$

$$\varphi_\sigma(x) = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + \sigma^2}, \text{ where } \sigma \text{ is a bandwidth parameter.}$$

$$x \gg \sigma, \varphi_\sigma(x) = 1$$

$$x \ll \sigma, \varphi_\sigma(x) = \frac{x^2}{\sigma^2}$$

as σ gets large, valley becomes wider and it also includes outliers and vice versa.



advantage is that if distance becomes larger than σ . Model consider it as outlier and stop giving more weights to its error. and takes maximum 1.

but in MSE it gives more weight as distance (error) increase.

large $\sigma \Rightarrow$ include more points as inlier.
small $\sigma \Rightarrow$ include less points as inlier.

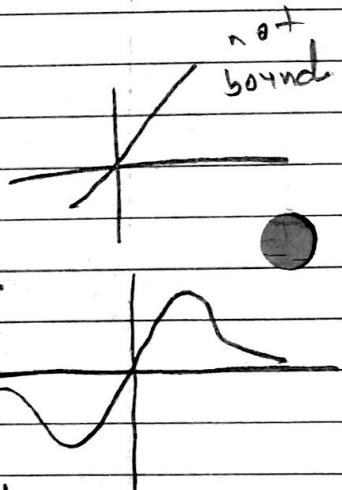
σ value then indicates every fitted model based on minimum and number

$$\epsilon(\theta) = \sum \beta_G(d(x_i, \theta))$$

$$\partial \epsilon(\theta) = \sum \frac{\partial}{\partial d} \beta_G(d) \frac{\partial d}{\partial \theta}$$

$$\text{for } \beta_G(d) = d^2 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial d} = 2d$$

$$\beta_G(d) = \frac{d^2}{d^2 + \sigma^2} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial d} = \frac{2d\sigma^2}{(d^2 + \sigma^2)^2}$$



In geomon-McClure estimator we are putting boundaries or limit over the effect of errors

variable estimation:
start with largest σ and decrease as converging

adjust σ in each iteration.

$$\sigma^{(n)} = 1.5 \text{ median} \left\{ d(x_i, \theta_{(n-1)}^{(n-1)}) \right\}$$

estimate parameters
at step n
of $(n-1)^{\text{th}}$ step

d) $x=1, \sigma=1$

$$S_\sigma(x) = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + \sigma^2} \Rightarrow S_{\sigma=1}(x=1) = \frac{1^2}{1^2 + 1^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

e) - RANSAC performs multiple experiments and choose best results

Parameters :

n = # points drawn at each evaluation

d = min # points needed to estimate model

K = # trials

t = distance threshold to identify inliers

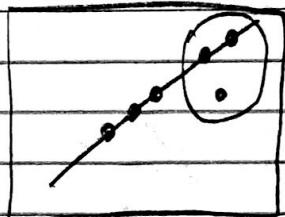
Algorithm :

- Repeat K times :
- Draw n points uniformly at random (with replacement)
- fit a model to points
- find inliers in entire set
[distance $< t$]
- Recompute model (if at least d inliers)
- update parameters (K, t)

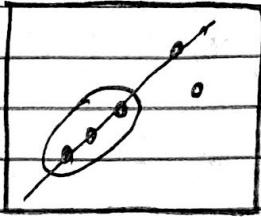
options to choose best solution :

- Largest consensus set \leftarrow preferable
- Smallest error

The number of points drawn at each attempt should be small in hope that atleast one set will not have outliers.



set with
outlier



set without
outlier.

f) Parameters :

n = # points drawn at each evaluation

d = min # points needed to estimate model

K = # trials

t = distance threshold to identify inliers

estimate # trials (K) :

P : with probability of p at least one experiment does not have outliers

w : probability that a point is an inlier (initially $w=0.5$)

Probability that all K experiments fail

$$(1-p) = (1-w^n)^K$$

$$\log(1-p) = K \log(1-w^n)$$

$$K = \frac{\log(1-p)}{\log(1-w^n)}, \quad \text{large } p \rightarrow \text{large } K$$

$$w = \frac{\# \text{inliers}}{\# \text{points}}$$

update w, K every iteration but set upper bound for K .

g) $P = 0.99$, $K = ?$
 $w = 0.9$

$$K = \frac{\log(1-P)}{\log(1-w^n)}, n=?$$

assume $n=5$, points

$$K = \frac{\log(1-0.99)}{\log(1-0.9^5)} - \frac{\log(0.01)}{\log(1-0.59)} = \frac{\log(0.01)}{\log(0.41)}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{-0.387} = 5.188 \approx 15$$

$$-0.186$$

Ans - 6)

- a) - separate objects from background
(foreground)
 - find contours of objects
 - semantic image segmentation : Label each pixel in the image with class label.

b) Agglomerative approach :

- start with each pixel in a separate cluster.
- Merge clusters with small distance.

Divisive approach :

- start with each pixel in one cluster
- split clusters to produce large distance between them.

c) K-Mean Algorithm :

- Select K random points in space
- select initial guess of means.
 m_1, m_2, \dots, m_K
- Repeat while m_j change :

$$l_i = \underset{j \in [1, K]}{\operatorname{argmin}} \|f_i - m_j\|^2 \text{ for each pixel}$$

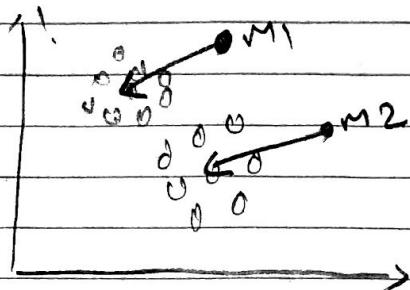
$$S_j = \{i \mid l_i = j\}$$

$$m_j = \frac{\sum_{i \in S_j} f_i}{\#S_j} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{compute} \\ \text{means} \end{matrix}$$

\Rightarrow Simultaneous Solution of two problem

- find cluster centers
- assign points to clusters

Here one parameter fixed and change other to minimize error.

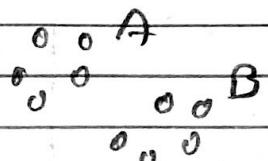


$$\Rightarrow \text{coordinate descent on } E([l_i], [m_j]) = \sum \|f_i - m_j\|^2$$

d) Graph Cut:

- possible graph cuts remove links to create disconnected sub-graphs
- The cost of a cut is the sum of links being removed

$$\text{Cut}(A, B) = \sum_{P \in A, Q \in B} w_{P,Q}$$



Minimum cut: cut with lowest cost

Normalized cut:

- A normalized cut assigns cost taking into account the size of produced clusters

$$\text{Ncut}(A, B) = \frac{\text{Cut}(A, B)}{\text{Vol}(A)} + \frac{\text{Cut}(A, B)}{\text{Vol}(B)}$$

$$\text{Vol}(A) = \sum_{P \in A, Q \in A \cup B} w_{P,Q}$$

\Rightarrow Normalized cut is necessary because during minimizing the cost of a cut will yield cuts of single nodes

e) Similarity matrix

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} w_{1,1} & \dots & w_{1,100} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ w_{100,1} & \dots & w_{100,100} \end{bmatrix}$$

The weighted degree matrix,

$$d_p = \sum_{j=1}^{100} w_{i,j} \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{Similarity of node} \\ p \text{ to } j \end{matrix}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & d_{100} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{weighted degree of} \\ \text{each node} \\ \text{diagonal matrix} \end{matrix}$$

The Laplacian matrix:

$$L = D - W \quad \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} \text{Symmetric and sum} \\ \text{of every row} \\ \text{and column} \end{matrix}$$

weighted degree adjacency similarity in L is 0

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 - w_{1,1}, & \dots, & -w_{1,100} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -w_{100,1} & \dots & d_{100} - w_{100,100} \end{bmatrix}$$

f) Defining a cut.

$$x = \{1, -1\} \quad \begin{matrix} x(i) = 1 \iff i \in A \\ x(i) = -1 \iff i \in B \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{Newt}(A, B) = \frac{\text{Cut}(A, B)}{\text{Vol}(A)} + \frac{\text{Cut}(A, B)}{\text{Vol}(B)}$$

$$= \sum_{\text{where } x^p > 0} (-w_{ij} x_i^p x_j) + \sum_{x_i^p > 0} (-w_{ij} x_i^p x_j)$$

$x_j < 0$ $x_i < 0$

$$\sum_{x_i^p > 0} d_i^p \quad \sum_{x_j < 0} d_j^p$$

Solve

$$g) k = \sum_{x^p > 0} d_i \quad b = \frac{k}{1-k} = \sum_{x_i^p > 0} \frac{d_i}{\sum d_i}$$

$x^p > 0$ $x_i^p < 0$

$$\mathbf{j} = (1+x) - b(1-x)$$

convert the problem:

$$\min_x N_{cut}(\mathbf{x}) \cong \min_{\mathbf{j}} \frac{\mathbf{j}^T (\mathbf{D} - \mathbf{w}) \mathbf{j}}{\mathbf{j}^T \mathbf{D} \mathbf{j}}$$

$$\text{s.t. } \mathbf{j}^T \mathbf{D} \mathbf{I} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{I} = [1, \dots, 1]$$

h) when \mathbf{j} is discrete, it's hard to solve
for normalized cuts

So, move to a continuous domain

$$\text{Solve: } \min_{\mathbf{j}} \frac{\mathbf{j}^T (\mathbf{D} - \mathbf{w}) \mathbf{j}}{\mathbf{j}^T \mathbf{D} \mathbf{j}}, \text{ s.t. } \mathbf{j}^T \mathbf{D} \mathbf{I} = 0$$

Rayleigh quotient

$$\Rightarrow (D - w) \mathbf{y} = \lambda D \mathbf{y}$$

The second smallest eigenvalue and a corresponding eigenvector is the solution.

Because, smallest eigenvalue is zero and corresponding eigenvector is $[1, 1, \dots, 1]$

i) Eigenfaces approach:

- map image (e.g. 100x100 dimensions) to lower dimensional vectors (e.g. 64) using PCA.

- measure similarity to templates in lower dimensional space

(class labels and variations)

The limitation of this approach is that it's less sensitive to small variations.

j) Bag-of-words:

- extract features (e.g. SIFT or HOG)

- cluster features to create a codebook dictionary

- Compute a distribution of code words in each class.

- classify using distribution of code words

The limitation is that classifier looks at diff. local neighbourhood to make classification but doesn't look at the relationship between them.