



#### 计算机视觉表征与识别 Chapter 11: Course Summary

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# Introduction to computer vision

- What is computer vision
  - Extract "meaning" from pixels
  - Geometric information (measurement)
  - Semantic information (perception and interpretation)
- Computer vision is useful
  - Many application: face recognition, surveillance, driver safety, medical images
- Computer vision is difficult
  - Gap between low level signal and high level meanings
- Computer vision is fast developing









# **Images and Filtering**



- Basic image formation: light and color
- Image as matrix
- Filtering operation
  - Enhance an image (denoise, resize, etc)
  - Extract information (texture, edges, etc)
  - Detect patterns (template matching)
- Image filters in spatial domain
  - Filter is a mathematical operation on values of each patch
  - Smoothing, sharpening, measuring texture
- Image filters in the frequency domain
  - Filtering is a way to modify the frequencies of images
  - Denoising, sampling, image compression
- Pyramid representation: Gaussian pyramid, Laplacian pyramid, Steerable pyramid
- Texture: Texture classification: filter bank, texton representation, Texture synthesis







- Gradient and edges
  - Noise, Gaussian Smooth, Derivative of Gaussian, LoG
- Canny edge detector
  - Non-maximum suppression, Linking and thresholding
- Object contour
  - Human segmentation vs. gradient magnitude
  - Berkeley Segmentation Data Set
- Pb edge detector.
  - Brightness, Color, Texture
  - Learning based classifier
- Recent advances in edge detection.
  - Global Pb, Random forest, Deep networks
- Straight line detection
  - Second moment matrix



# Segmentation and grouping



- Grouping problem and segmentation
- Inspiration from human perception
  - Gestalt properties
- Segmentation via clustering
  - K-means, GMM, Mean-shift
- Segmentation via graph based method
  - Normalized cut
- Superpixel algorithms
  - Watershed, Felzenszwalb and Huttenlocher graph-based
- Multiple segmentations
  - Hierarchical segmentation, region proposals, vary segmentation parameters



#### Correspondence and alignment

- Interest point detectors
  - Harris, Hessian, LoG, DoG etc.
  - Region detection: scale, rotation, affine etc.
- Interest point descriptors
  - SIFT, SURF, GIST etc.
  - Deep learning based descriptor
- Fitting and alignment algorithm
  - Least Squares, Hough Voting, RANSAC etc.
- 2D Transformation
  - Translation, similarity, affine, projective etc.
- Instance recognition by alignment
  - Matching, voting, verification
- Image stitching by alignment



# **Image Recognition**



- Introduction to categorization
  - Object, Places, Action, Fine-grained
- Basic task
  - Image classification, object detection, pixel labeling
- Classification pipeline and general issue
  - Spatial pyramid + BoW
  - Feature, Classifier
- Deep learning: CNN
  - Large scale dataset, representation learning
  - Transfer learning
- Object Detection:
  - HoG + SVM
  - Viola-Jones detector
  - R-CNN line of detectors
  - YOLO



#### Not covered



- Image recognition
  - Pixel labeling
  - Human pose estimation
- Geometry & reconstruction
  - Camera model and calibration
  - Epipolar Geometry and stereo
  - Structure from motion
- Video analysis
  - Tracking
  - Optical flow
  - Action recognition
- More advanced topics
  - Vision and language
  - Deep learning and geometry (3D)
  - Weakly supervised learning, self-supervised learning
  - Transformer for vision



# Vision as part of an intelligent system



3D Scene







#### Important note:

#### In general, computer vision does not work

# (except in certain situations/conditions)

# Hope you learn something useful!