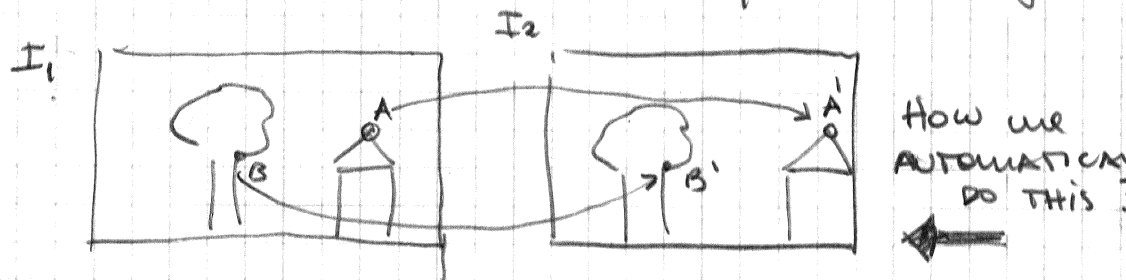


CLASE 4: KEY POINTS DETECTION ↗ HARRIS ↘ SIFT

- PLAN:
 - (I) MOTIVATION
 - (II) MAIN OBJECTIVE AND CHALLENGES
 - (III) SIMILARITY MEASUREMENTS BETWEEN PATCHES
 - ↳ (IV) HARRIS

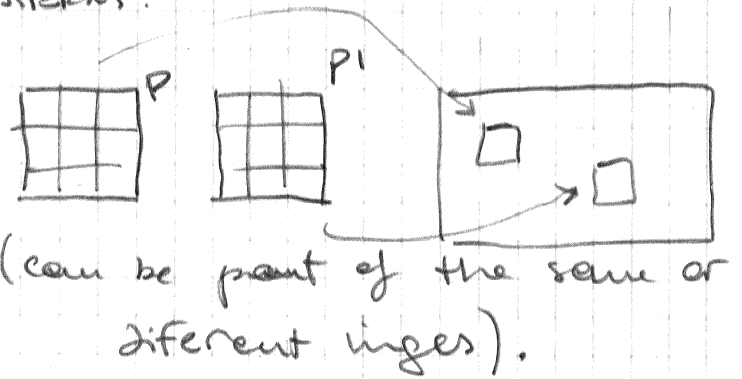
(I) USE HARRIS AND SIFT presentation to introduce the topic.

(II) Objective: (i) Detect and (ii) identify key points in pairs images.



- CHALLENGES: images may have (1) DIFFERENT ILLUMINATION conditions (2) GEOMETRIC DEFORMATIONS (3) THE SCENE MAY BE MODIFIED OR EVEN NOT STATIC (4) REPEATED PATTERNS.

(III) SIMILARITY MEASURES:

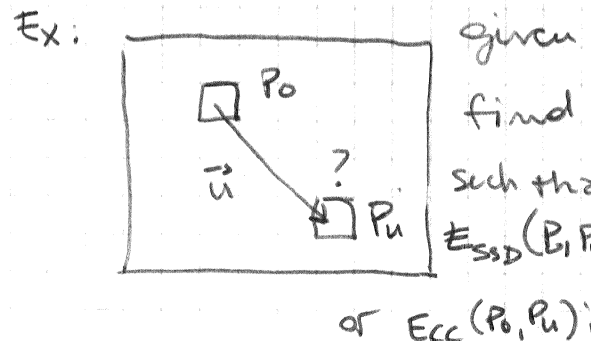


• Sum of Square difference:

$$\rightarrow E_{SSD}(P, P') = \sum_k (P(k) - P'(k))^2 = \sum_{i,j} (P(i,j) - P'(i,j))^2$$

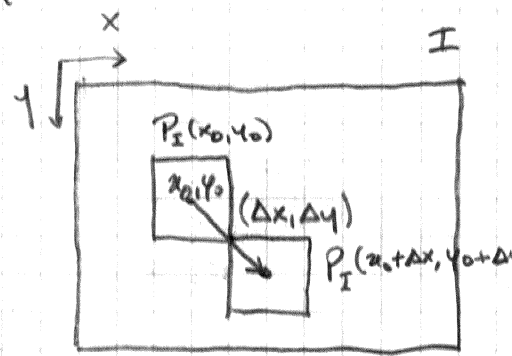
• Cross Correlation:

$$\rightarrow E_{CC}(P, P') = \sum_k P(k) \cdot P'(k)$$



④ HARRIS: idea analyze the function

$$S_{(x_0, y_0)}(\Delta x, \Delta y) \stackrel{\text{DEF}}{=} E_{SSD} (P_I(x_0, y_0), P_I(x_0 + \Delta x, y_0 + \Delta y))$$



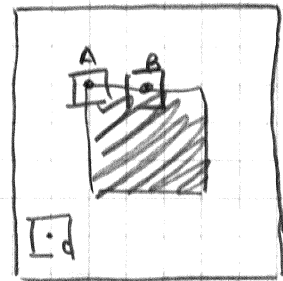
$$= \sum_{u, v} \left(I(x_0 + \Delta x + u, y_0 + \Delta y + v) - I(x_0 + u, y_0 + v) \right)^2$$

$$\approx I(x_0 + u, y_0 + v) + I_x(x_0 + u, y_0 + v) \Delta x + I_y(x_0 + u, y_0 + v) \Delta y + O(\Delta x^2, \Delta y^2)$$

using TAYLOR the previous approx $\approx \sum_{u, v} (I_x(x_0 + u, y_0 + v) \Delta x + I_y(x_0 + u, y_0 + v) \Delta y)$

$$= (\Delta x \ \Delta y) \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{u, v} I_x^2 & \sum_{u, v} I_x I_y \\ \sum_{u, v} I_x I_y & \sum_{u, v} I_y^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{pmatrix} = (\Delta x, \Delta y) A(x_0, y_0) \begin{pmatrix} \Delta x \\ \Delta y \end{pmatrix}$$

Now analyze S as a function of $(\Delta x, \Delta y)$:



What happens if we are on (A), (B) and (C)

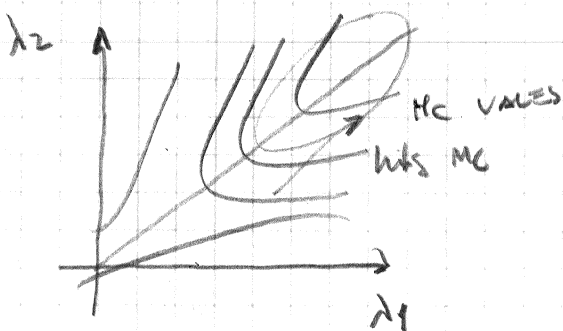
- Ⓒ S is small $\forall (\Delta x, \Delta y)$ direction \rightarrow eig(A) small $= (\lambda_1, \lambda_2) \quad \lambda_1 \approx \lambda_2 \approx 0$
- Ⓑ S increases in one dir and is small w.r.t the other $\rightarrow \lambda_1 \ll \lambda_2$
- Ⓐ S increases in two dirs $\rightarrow \lambda_1$ and $\lambda_2 \gg 0$.

Trick 1:

To be computationally more efficient, instead of computing λ_1, λ_2 ,

we compute $M_c = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 - k(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)^2 = \det(A) - k \text{trace}(A)^2$

sensitivity parameter \leftarrow easy and cheap to compute



$$k \sim [0.04, 0.15]$$

Trick 2: Apply a smoothing convolution kernel before computing I_x and I_y (Differentiation is very sensitive to noise)

Summary:

• Harris implementation:

input I , const. k , smooth kernel I_k

$$\rightarrow (I_x, I_y) = \nabla I$$

$$\rightarrow A_{11} = I_x^2 * I_k, \quad A_{12} = I_x I_y * I_k, \quad A_{22} = I_y^2 * I_k$$

$$\rightarrow M_c = \underbrace{(A_{11} \cdot A_{22} - A_{12}^2)}_{\det A} - k \underbrace{(A_{11} + A_{22})^2}_{\text{trac}^2(A)}$$

\rightarrow set a threshold $th \Rightarrow (x, y)$ is corner if $\frac{M_c(x, y)}{\text{Max}(M_c)} > th$

\uparrow relative
a obs

this just DETECT points. How we compare them? Essc
Ecc
etc