

# Flat Part Recognition

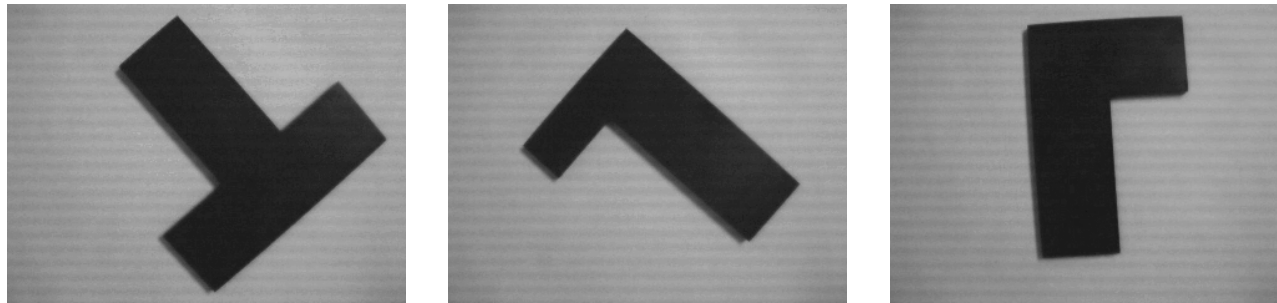
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How to recognise these and similar parts



# Object Recognition General

## Overview

Several approaches to classification/recognition. Choose the same class as objects with:

- **Shape** - similar shape descriptors
- **Appearance** - similar pixel values
- **Geometric** - similar structures in similar places with similar parameters
- **Graph** - similar part relationships
- **Bag of Words** - enough similar local feature descriptors

# Recognition Assumptions (Here)

- Flat, viewed orthographically
- Always from same distance
- Good contrast everywhere
- No specularities
- Here: shape-based recognition

# Shape-based recognition algorithm

1. Extract object from image (aka segmentation)
2. Compute properties
3. Use properties to compute class
4. Learning model properties for the classes

# Top level Matlab

```
Dim = 3;           % number of feature properties
modelfile = input('Model file name\n?','s');
eval(['load ',modelfile,' NumCls Means ICor'])
run=1;
while ~(run == 0)
    currentimagergb = liveimagejpg
    currentimage = rgb2gray(currentimagergb);
    vec = extractprops(currentimage);
    class = classify(vec,NumCls,Means,ICor,Dim)
    run = input('Do another image (0,1)\n?');
end
```

# Lecture Overview

1. Typical shape-based recognition approach
2. A generic matlab implementation