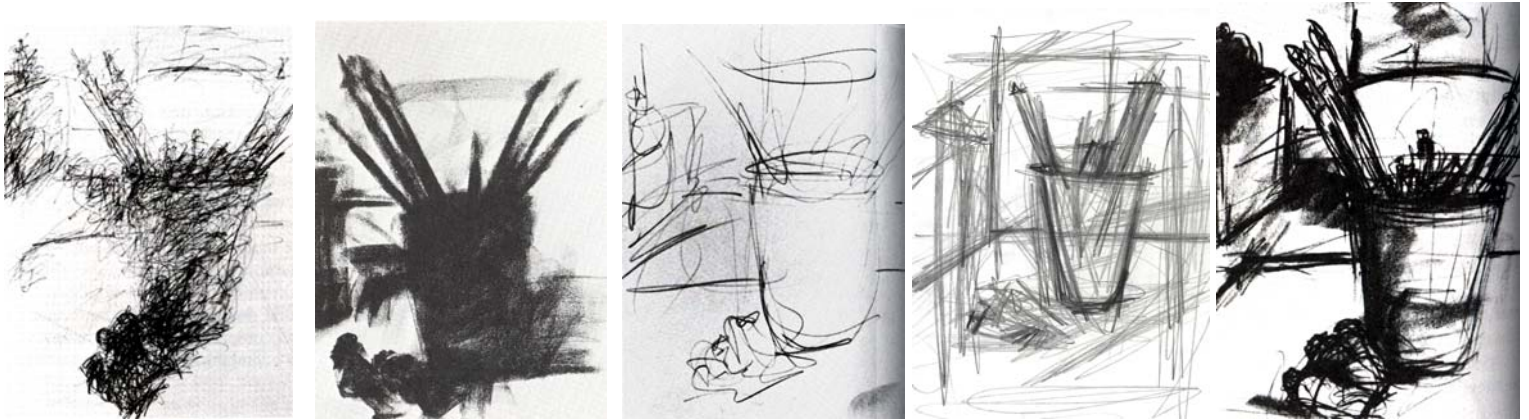
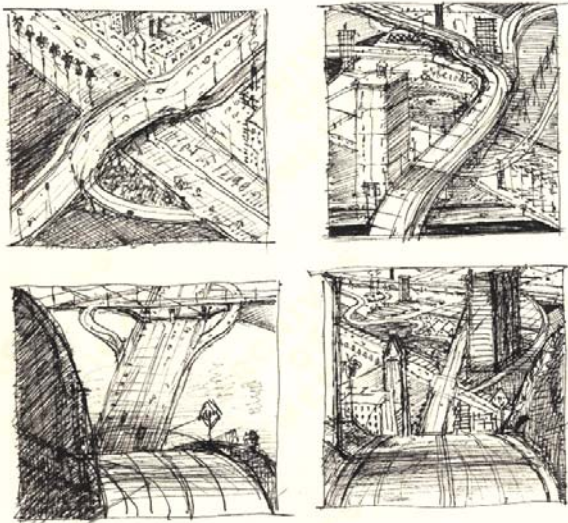


Gesture

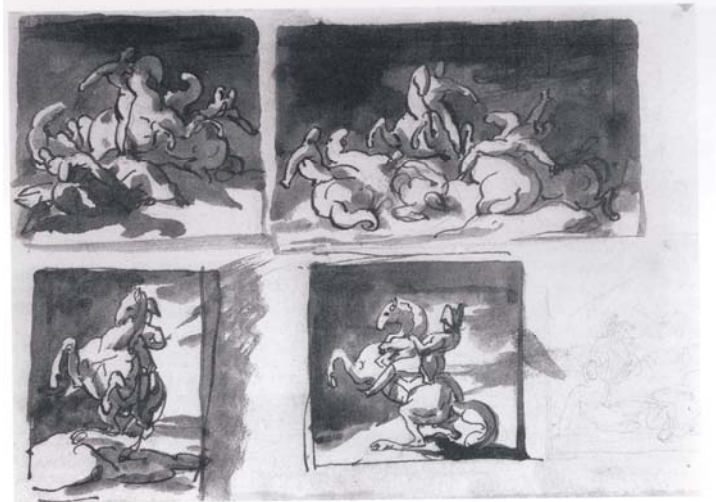


Gesture is a quick distilled image that captures the essence of the scene. It is important for the drawing to be loose and free so that the drawing remains simplified and spontaneous. You should strive for consistency with your approach and not get caught up in the details. Time yourself, one to five minutes.

Thumbnails are small compositional studies. It is very important that the artist can visualize the basic composition before beginning on a longer piece.



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Theodore Gericault 1791 - 1824