Feature Detection Using Dimensionality Reduction

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Abstract:

Extracting feature parts is one important central part of face detection. This paper deals with extraction of features of face such as eye, nose, lips using principal component analysis (PCA).PCA is one kind of dimensionality reduction technique for transforming the data into components of two dimensional space. The images are cropped from the actual size.

Key words: Face extraction, Biometric, risk, transform

I Introduction:

Passwords and pins are one way of secure mechanism used with a combination of numbers, symbols and alphabets. [1]To maintain a secure mechanism advantageous to change frequently the password. Biometric authentication require unique authentication for every person. The physiological characteristic are finger print, facial recognition, hand geometry, iris recognition, retina scan, hand scan. These physiological biometric uses information. The acquired information has to be compared and correctly stored as templates. Then enrollment and verification of the acquired information happens. Biometric is a kind of pattern recognition technologies which uses personal identification of a human and determines the authenticity. Face recognition is a grand challenge. Face Recognition is obtained by unsupervised methods.

Biometric is advantageous over other methods in the following ways:

- i) No risk of being used by anyone
- ii) Can't be stolen or lost
- iii) Can't be forgotten
- iv) Can't be copied

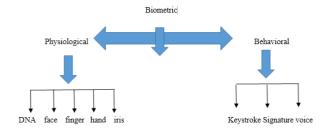


Fig 1 Hierarchy of various application of biometric

Based on surveillance sequences it's important to identify high quality images and to provide information on the same. Feature points are extracted from the images and a correspondence between two images is present. This paper deals with extracting face features with a subject of attempting to locate the position of significant facial features of eyes, lips, nose etc. The methodology performed is edge detection, detecting horizontal & vertical projection. In most cases, the empirical nature is that eyes produce the importance of edges within a face image.

The advantage of this paper is that the computation is intensively low and feasible. To identify automatically a person from digital image face recognition is mostly under research for several years in computer vision and pattern recognition.

II DIMENSIONALITY REDUCTION USING PCA

A numerical procedure is performed, to calculate the expression of the face. From a training set of R images the following is obtained. [7]

Let $R = [r_1, r_2, r_3...r_n] = [r_1 r_2 ...r_n]$ be a matrix.

Each column r_i is a data sample.

Where n is the number of training images.

Principal component analysis comprises a numerical procedure involving a difference and similarity, thus identity pattern is taken as the input. Comparing of facial images is made by calculating the Euclidean distance between these feature vectors [1]. An image can be projected linear and nonlinearly. Mathematically, PCA is a linear transformation. Transform the data into a two dimensional system by orthoginality.PCA makes use of Eigen faces and eigenvectors. Initially same size image must be taken and normalized to size within a scope decomposing the facial structures into orthogonally not correlated components of Eigen values [2][3].

It is based on input image & the dimensions of the feature space. In order to reduce the dimensionality PCA are used.

a. Demonstration of the proposed method:

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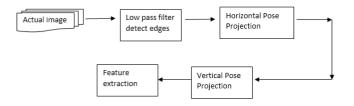


Fig2: Image Extraction overview

Applying filtering mechanism, on the frequency domain $f(x_1, y_1)$.

 $f(x_1, y_1) g(x_1, y_1) F(jw_1, jw_2) G(jw_1, jw_2)$

For a given set, large number of face feature vectors is computed. For an individual face image individual features are obtained.

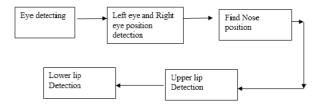


Fig3 Feature Detection Mechanism

Low pass filtering is applied to detect the eye position where left eye position and right eye position were obtained.[11] We focus on eye pixels and use histograms to calculate the formation of left eye pixel region and the right eye pixel region. The eye pixel is darker compared to skin color of facial region.[13]

For an face image the histogram is given by $s(y) = 1/w\varepsilon$ Eye(x, y)

W being the face width

The normality is given by the probability.

Probability (Eye(x, y)) = mid (face(x, y)) is max

b. Feature Extraction:

Over a plane consisting xy co-ordinate we define the faces and the facial features. Shape characters are traced detecting the salient points [3][14].

Images are loaded to the training set from AR database, MIT database, Yale face Database, FEI database

Training set is given by

 $X = [x_1, x_2 ... x_n]$

and the components Y

 $Y = [y_1, y_2 ... y_m]$

Locate eye area, detect the center points, we attempt to calculate the transformation matrix, T.

Size of T = DXd to map

 $y_{i} = ZT_{xi, yi}$ and $R^{d, yi}$

Such that $y_{i,}$ easier to be distinguished in image space. Then local structure is calculated with k nearest neighbors.

The linearity matrix L is defined by

 $L_{i,,j} = \{1, ixj\}$

0, otherwise

The neighboring point's x_i and x_j are mapped in local. Therefore, mapping x_i and x_j are y_i and y_j respectively

 $\sum (y_{i,-}y_{j})^{2}L_{ij}$

The criterion function is feature extraction reasonably. The transformation matrix is obtained containing the Eigen vectors with Eigen values is small portion.[16][17][19]

c. Data base Used:

In order to evaluate the performance four databases are used. The AR database is the standard for evaluating the face recognition, which consists of more than 250 facial images. The AR database is related to gender. The images are of size 250X250 with 8 bit resolution. Images are collected from the internet.

In MIT database there are 160 images which are of 18 different subjects with 20 images per subject. The spatial resolution is of 250X246 with 8 bit resolution grey level. Normalization is done on various subjects. The eye centers are detected, then the image being cropped to 124X124 sizes and hence facial region is extracted. The experiments were performed with MATLAB simulation.

Data base:

Name	Image	Color	No of	No of unique
	size	Images	pictures	people
			per person	
AR Database	250X250	Yes	28	125;70, Male
MIT	250X246	Yes	8	158;84 Male72
Database				Female
Yale face	228X246	No	18	20
Database				
FEI Database	240X280	Yes	18	200









Fig 4: Features of the cropped face from image

III Conclusion:

Features of a facial recognition has come into existence over ten years. For secure transactions and to automate information concerned with identity machines are used. This is incorporated for surveillance attacks and security purpose involving in buildings. The focus is to incorporate both the features of various images and actual topological structure of the data. It is simple and efficient to reduce the memory as this adopts a dimensionality reduction technique using principal component analysis.

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