LAB: Straight Lane Detection and Depature Warning

Introduction

In this project, you are required to create a program that displays lane departure warning message from the road lane detection.

To simplify this lab, only the straight lanes are to be detected and other difficult driving environment such as curved lanes and road intersections are ignored.

You can use any algorithm you learnt in class. If you want to use any other algorithms which are not covered in the lecture, you should describe the principle of those algorithms fully in the report. The evaluation of the project will be based on the success detection rate of the lanes of the test and validation video clips.

You must explain the whole process with an algorithm flowchart. Show and explain selected example results for each image process.

Methods/Requirement

- Detect and segment lanes only from the test image frames.
- Draw only one line per lane
- Display an approximated rate of the lane departure (unit:%)
- If the vehicle has departed from the current lanes then show a warning sign.

Instructions

- Your program will be evaluated on the validation dataset which will not be provided.
- The lab score will be based on the algorithm performance, algorithm design process, and the quality of the report.
- Do not duplicate the program from other website or from previous lab report
- You can refer to any technical reports as long as the proper citation is used.
- The report should include
 Introduction / Overview (Algorithm flowchart) / Algorithm(Image processing steps) /
 Final Result & Analysis / Conclusion / Appendix: program code
- Submit (1) report in PDF and in WORD (2) source code (3) demo movie clip

Examples of the output images:

Example of image processing steps Result image of preprocessing Color analysis cvt Grayscale HoughLinesP Apply filter Segment lanes No lanes valid? Threshold Canny detection Yes Morphology Lane update Edge Detection Calculate departure ratio 1s departure beyond the normal range? Hough transform Set ROI Warning A simplified lane Deection flowchart Lanes detection process examples example

Lanes detected and vehicle is within lanes Vehicles departed from the current lanes









