In the name of Allah

IRI License Plate Detection (LPD) and Recognition

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1 Preface

1-2 Limitations

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All 18 alphabets that are used at Iranian Standard Vehicle plates (after 2005)



Compare dot and other dot-shaped noises

Hindrances:

Orthography

Dots

Variation







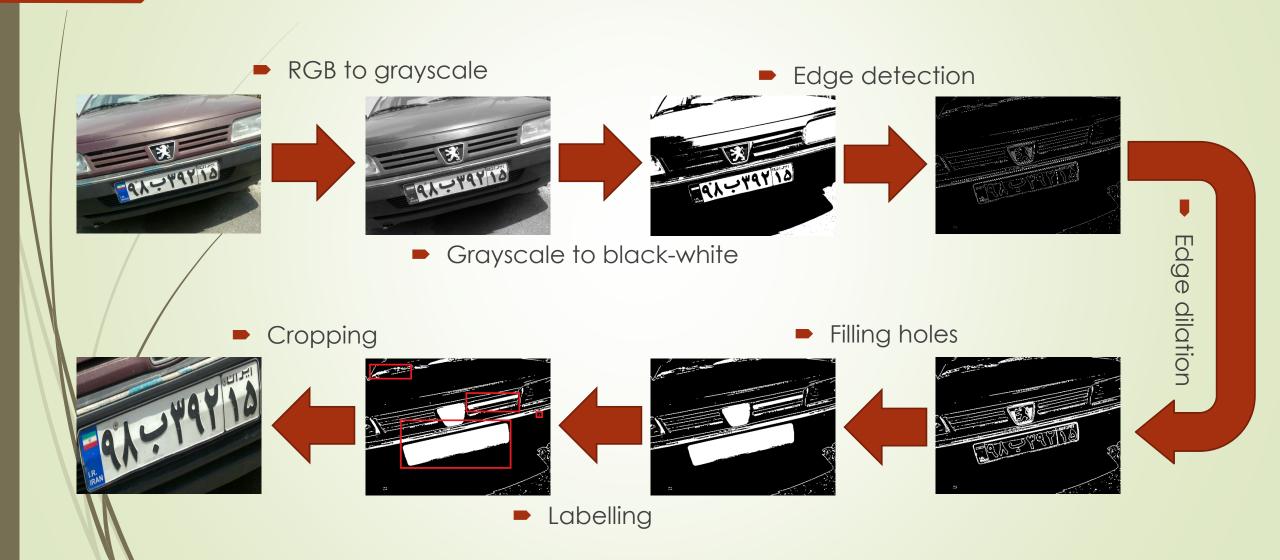


Different orthographies



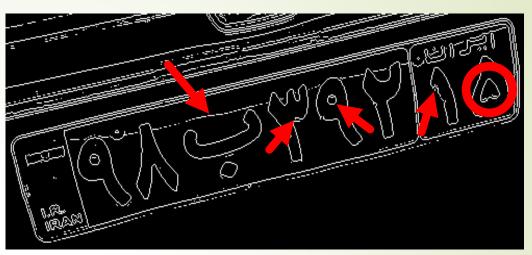
Some of Iranian Standard National Vehicle plates (after 2005)

2 License Plate Detection(LPD)

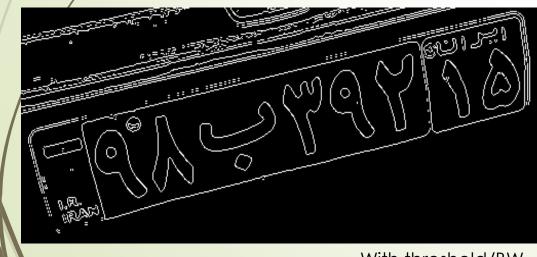


2 License Plate Detection(LPD)

Why do I use Black-white?



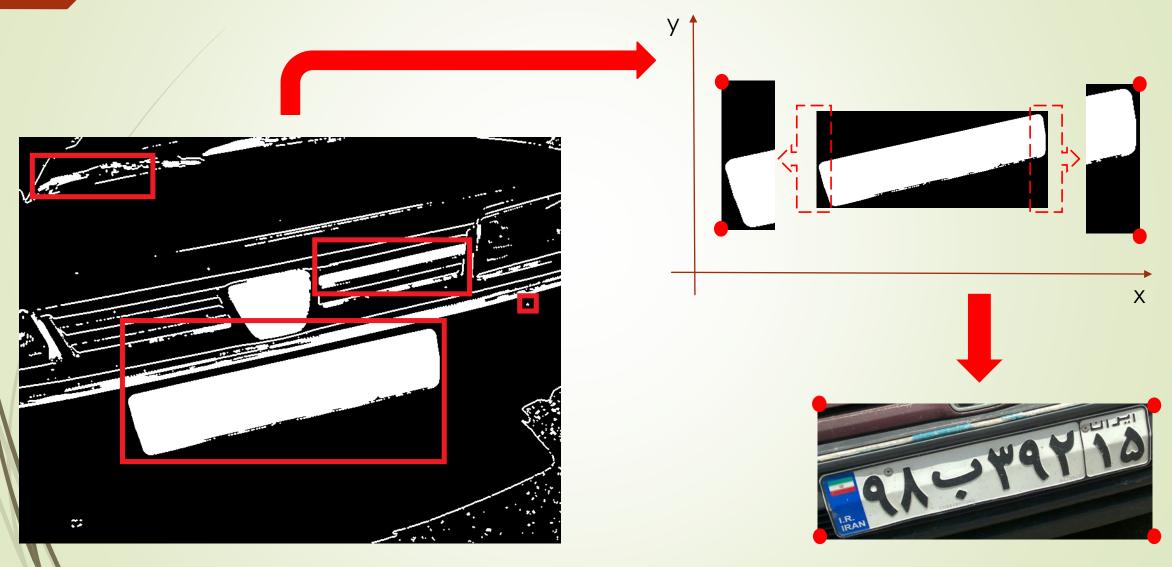
Without threshold/G



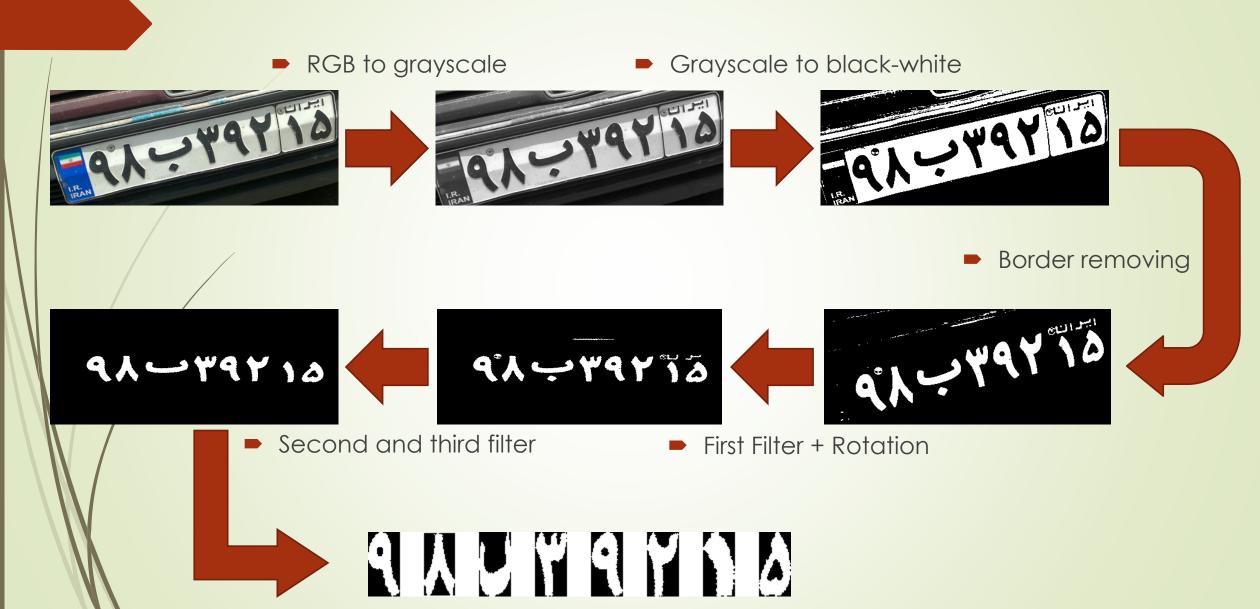
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2 License Plate Detection(LPD)

2-4/5 Labelling and Cropping

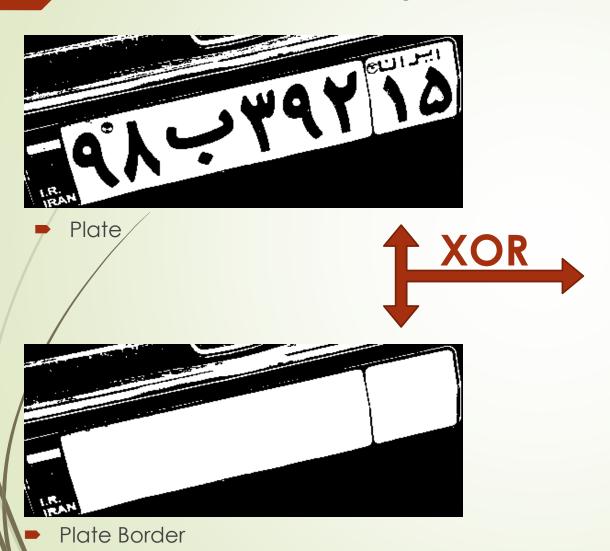


3 Character Extraction



3 Character Extraction

3-2 Border removing

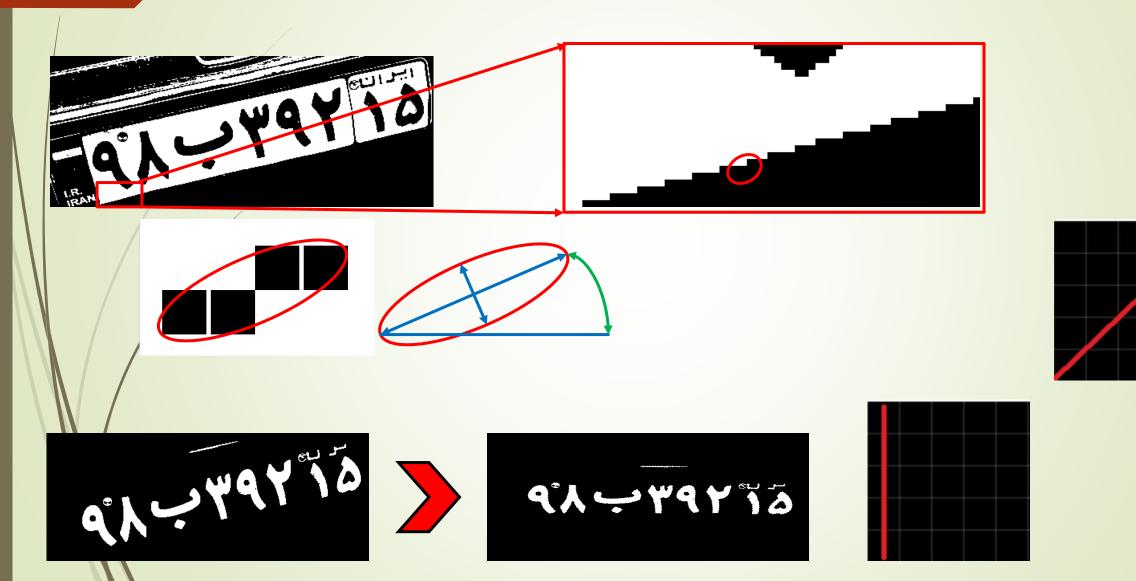




Characters with noise

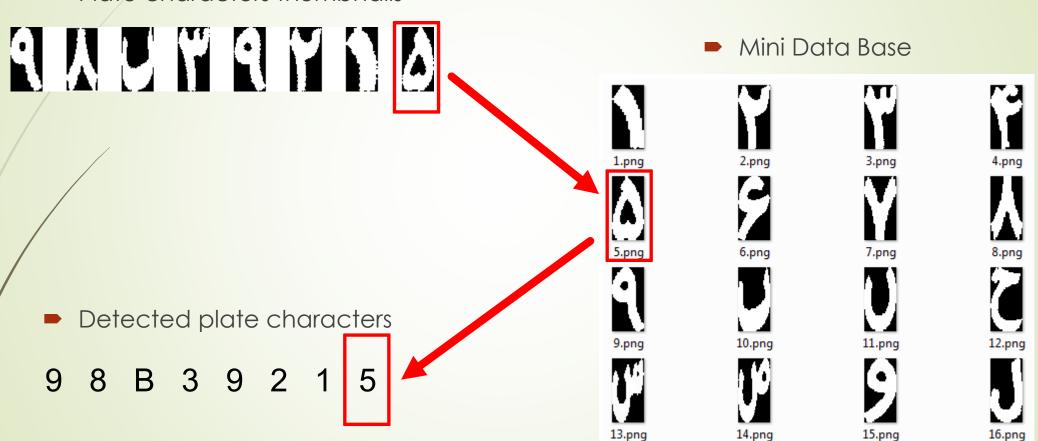
3 Character Extraction

3-1 Rotation



4 Character Recognition

Plate characters thumbnails



5-1 Errors before plate detection

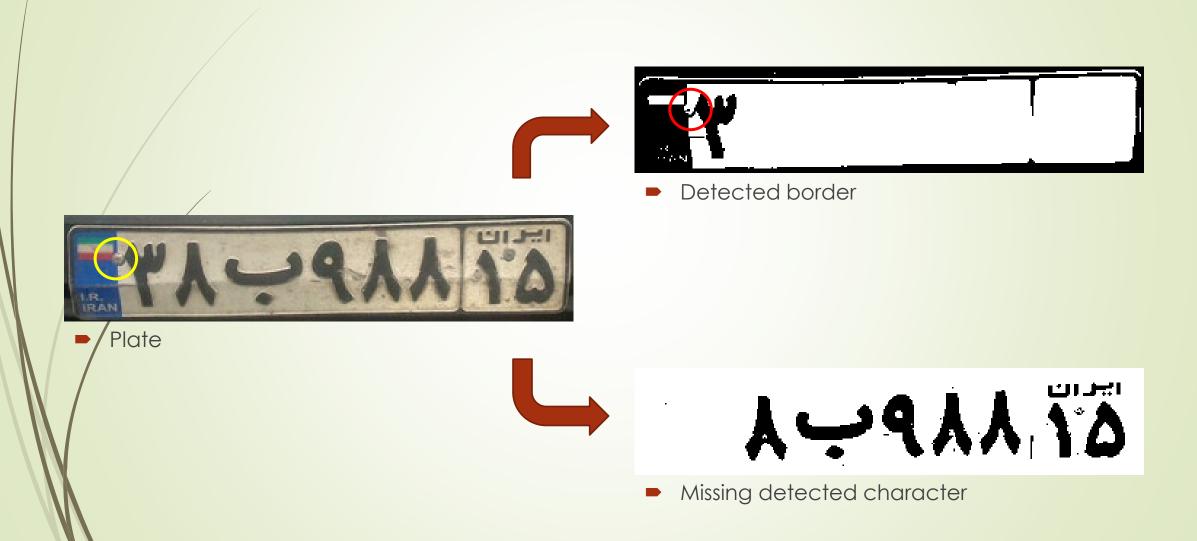




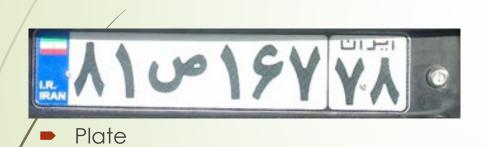


Note: Using Neural Network can reduce these kind of errors.

5-2 Errors after plate detection



5-3 Plate Enhancement











Without

5-4 Rotation







9 8 B 3 9 2





9 8 B 3 9 7 1 5

5-5 Low quality images





Note: It's better to use black-white(not gray) images to detect low-quality images (comparing to medium-quality images that it's better to use gray scale ones).