DIP Assignment 3 Report

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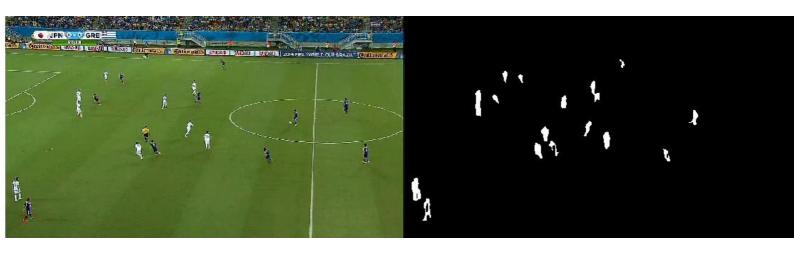
<u>Problem 1: Detect Players in a football field</u>

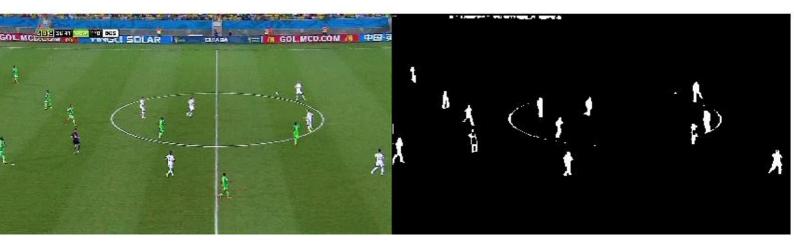
Solved through a series of morphological transforms.

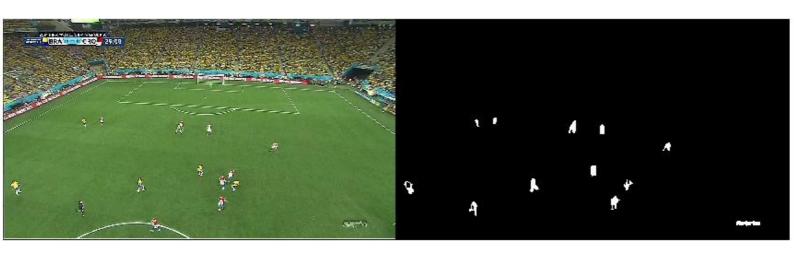
The steps of the method are:

- 1. Filter the gray scale input image with **high boost filtering** to enhance edges.
- 2. Then create a **binary mask** of image based on the property of fields being dominantly green
- 3. Compute **gradient image** and **add to mask** to preserve edges of non-uniform shapes of players.
- 4. Convert to binary image for morphological operations
- 5. **Diagonal fill morphological operation** to eliminate 8-connectivity of background using bwmorph.
- 6. Median filter image to remove salt and pepper noise
- 7. **Close morphological transform** to enhance only the players.
- 8. Remove crowd area of the image using **connected components** and removing the largest one.
- 9. Perform **erosion morphological** operation to remove ovals.
- 10. Remove the line as it's the last largest component left.
- 11. Dilate the image to furthur emphasise players left in the image.

Some of the results obtained using this method are :







<u>Problem 2 : Detect windows in facades</u>

Solved using local adaptive histogram equalization technique and morphological transforms.

Assumptions: All input images have not been taken from lower angles.

1. Pre Processing:

The only pre processing involved is **contrast stretching** of input image and increasing it's brightness so that the brightness values are spread out across the dymanic range, resulting in a more focused threshold value for the windows.

- 2. To obtain a sharp bw image that can easily distinguish windows, I use **Adaptive Histogram Equalization** and Osho's Thresholding. This is based on the fact that all windows in the image have similar contrast and uniform colour distribution.
- 3. **Dilate** the **horizontal and vertical gradient images** with lines as SE at angles 90° and 0°, hence exploiting the fact that rectangular windows have 4 straight lines as contours. Median filter the Gx and Gy to remove salt and pepper noise and obtain the new gradient image using dilated Gx and Gy components.
- 4. To remove major parts of the building that have been falsely detected as regions, **remove the largest connected component**.
- 5. **Median filter** the final image to remove noise.

Results obtained from the above method are :





Method inspired from : DETECTION OF WINDOWS IN FACADES USING IMAGE PROCESSING ALGORITHMS by Milos Miljanovic, Thomas Eiter.