

An Iris Recognition System Using CNN & VGG16 Technique

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Abstract— The human iris is a magnificent asset that can be used reliably for identifying purposes. It can eventually recognize humans with a serve degree of assertiveness. The extraction of enormous highlights is an essential component of the iris popularity framework. Previously, a variety of factors were used to run the iris popularity framework. The application of the capabilities acquired via the use of convolutional neural networks (CNNs) to iris recognition has attracted substantial interest due to the accomplishment of a high level of expertise in iris recognition. In this article, we investigate the capabilities of a convolutional neural network observed using the VGG16 method, often known as a convolutional community model. The entire performance of the advising device is evaluated with the extraction of capabilities from segmented and normalised iris images. The proposed iris popularity device is analysed using the CASIA-1000 dataset. The device provides incredibly effective effects at an exceedingly high rate of efficiency. On well-known iris datasets, the suggested method has been assessed and shown to achieve an accuracy rate of 96%, which surpasses the previous result.

Keywords— Convolutional Neural Network(CNN), iris recognition, Deep Learning, VGG16, ReLU, Deep learning.

I. INTRODUCTION

To personalise or secure an application, We need a way to tell an individual apart from the crowd. Popular methods

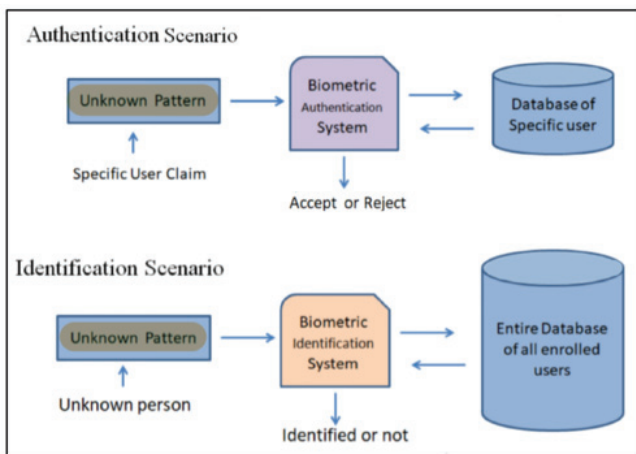


Fig. 1 Biometric system functionality in authentication and identification scenarios

of authentication that cannot be copied by anybody other than the intended individual are based on biometric characteristics. Biometric recognition refers to the study of how to tell people apart based on their physical or social characteristics. Real characteristics are mostly an iris, a face, and a specific fingerprint. Social characteristics can include penmanship, walking steps and writing keystrokes. There have been a lot of advances in this area, and it is important to note that a biometric requires specific details that can be broken down exactly. These details give unique, reliable information about a person that can be used in validation programmes.

A. Iris as a biometric

The iris has successfully open and novel highlights which are regular over the life of a person. Hence, iris acknowledgement innovation has been typically taken into consideration withinside the discipline of statistics protected.

Iris is an obvious choice because it is very unique, stays the same over time, and is hard to fool. This makes it possible to build a strong automated iris recognition system using computer vision and pattern recognition technologies that are already available. Iris biometric is the most popular and well-established biometric technology for identifying and authenticating people. It is used a lot in the business and banking sectors. India's Unique Identification (Aadhar) project uses iris recognition, and the United Arab Emirates uses it for the airport and border control.

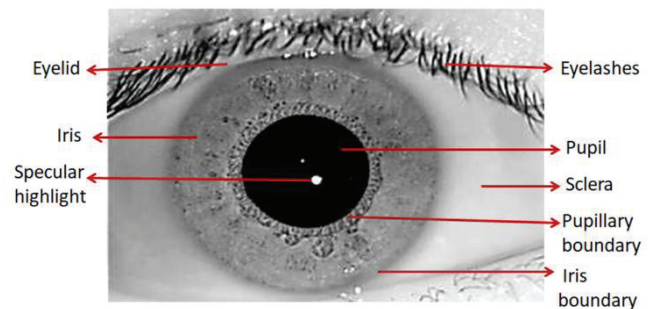


Fig. 2 A sample from the IIT Delhi iris dataset illustrating the many components of a typical human eye.

Iris acknowledgement frameworks can presently be implemented to differentiate human beings in managed admittance and protection zones and will almost be applied for taking a look at of tourists at movement, air terminals, stations, PC get admission to at studies association, statistics set admittance to manipulate in appropriated frameworks and so on. Iris acknowledgement frameworks can likewise be implemented withinside the discipline of economic administration, for example, banking administrations and Visa use, this sort of framework could now no longer have comparable weaknesses, Iris acknowledgement frameworks are being examined in several countries for public ID cards, movements, and lacking children distinguishing evidence and so forth.

B. Convolutional Neural Network Background

In the realm of computer vision, the convolutional neural network (CNN) has proven to be superior to other types of artificial neural networks. At the moment, this network is attracting attention from many other disciplines, radiology included. CNN is designed to learn spatial feature hierarchies automatically and adaptively using backpropagation. Convolution layers, pooling layers, and fully connected layers are used to achieve this.

CNN's are robust photo coping with, man-made consciousness (AI) that uses profound identifying the way to carry out each generative and enlightening assignments, regularly utilising system imaginative and prescient that includes phot and wide acknowledgement, along recommender frameworks as Natural language processing (NLP)

A mind community is an association of gadgets in addition to programming designed after the pastime of neurons withinside the human mind. Customary mind networks aren't high-quality for photo coping and ought to be taken care of images to reduce aim pieces. CNN have "neurons" prepared extra, the ones of the front dealing with flap, the location accountable for coping with visible enhancements in human beings and exclusive creatures. The layers of neurons are prepared so one can cowl the entire field of vision maintaining far from the piecemeal photo and coping with the difficulty of traditional mind organizations

A CNN uses a structure similar to a multi-aspect perceptron, which was made for easier handling. CNN has three layers: a layer of facts, a layer of results, and a layer of mystery that has convolutional and pooling layers. Layers and standardisation layers are all connected. The removal of limits and expansion of photo-handling skills leads to a framework that is definitely more effective and much easier

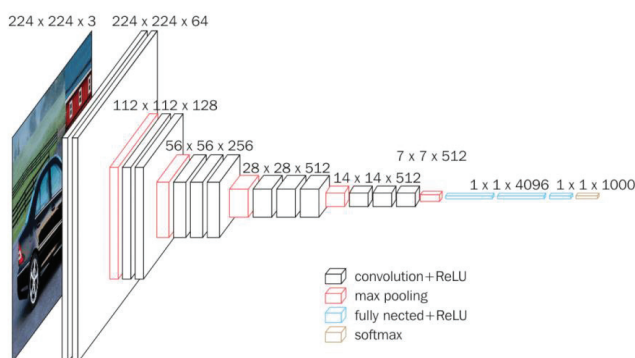


Fig. 3 VGG16 - Convolutional Network for Detection and Classification [13]

to train for photo handling than for language handling.

C. The VGG-Net Architecture

Karen Simonyan and Andrew Zisserman [11] are credited with developing VGG-Net, which placed second overall in the 2014 ImageNet Large Scale Visual Recognition Competition (ILSVRC). Explains VGG-overall Net's structure. Results demonstrated that the network's effectiveness is significantly influenced by its overall size. Their final best network has 16 layers of CONV/FC and 5 layers of pooling. It has about 138 million parameters all together, most of which are in the first FC layer, which has 102 million weights. One good thing about VGGNet is that it has a very uniform architecture. Consisting solely of 3x3 convolutions using stride 1 and pad 1 and 2x2 pooling, it does not deviate from this setup at any point (with no padding) [12].

For more information about how this network is built and how many parameters are in each layer, please see [11] and [12]. We take features from the different layers of this network and test how well they can recognise an iris.

II. LITERATURE REVIEW

The author in [1] proposed an iris reputation gadget wherein they use a CNN education scheme. The irisConvNet own circle of relatives has an structure primarily based totally on , a aggregate of Legitimate Neural network9CNNs) and softmax classifiers to extract distinguishing capabilities from enter photos with none structure. Any understanding of the are wherein the enter photograph represents the localized region of the iris, then the layer in one of the N layers. They represents the localized region of the iris, then the layer in one of the N layers. They examined their gadget on three iris database IIT, SGUMLAHMT and CASIAIrisV3. Their enjoy has performed a Rank 1 reputaion price of 100 ross all databases used and reputation time of much less than one 2d according to person.

Using a robust four-layer CNN architecture, the author of [2] suggested a device for calculating a person's online popularity; this system is capable of handling photos of people in various poses and lighting conditions. The results confirmed a high accuracy rate of 99.5% on the AR database. Their analysis of 35 FERET database users revealed an accuracy of 85.13% in predicting popularity.

Convolutional neural network based feature extraction for iris recognition was proposed by the same author in [3], who relied on a pre-trained VGG-NET to extract the underlying capabilities. Next, they use a multi-magnification Support vector machine (SVM) rule set to compare the extracted discovered capabilities from a pre-skilled Convolutional Neural Network (ALx-Internet model). They have access to the IITD Iris Database, CASIAIris-v1, CASIA-IRIS 1000, and CASIAIris-v3 Interval. They've produced high-quality results despite the prohibitive cost of precision.

The author in [4] proposed A novel cancellable iris popularit device primarily based totally on characteristic gaining knowledge of strategies. They have executed numerous capabalities gaining knowledge of strategies such as (i) Bag of words, (ii) Sparse Representation coding and (ii) Locality-restricted Linear Coding. They have choos the

second one on accompanied via way of means of spatial pyramid Mapping method for characteristic computation from iris pattern . They have used these methods to the MMU1, UPOL, CASIA-Interval-V#, ITD, and UBIRIS.v1 iris databases. The results of the tests on such databases demonstrate the robustness and efficiency of the suggested method.

The author in [5] proposed An green novel method for iris popularity primarily based totally on stylometric capabilities and system gaining knowledge of strategies. The motivation in the back of the there studies is living withinside the interrelatedness of biometric structures and stylometry. They have executed system gaining knowledge of techniques that classify biometric templates as numeric capabilities. The biometric templates are generated via way of means of changing a normalized iris photograph right into a one-dimensional set of fixed duration codes, which then undergoes stylometric characteristic extraction. The extracted capabilities are similarly used for category They performed this studies on the use of CASIA iris database and IITD database. The experimental end result suggests the computational fees are notably reduced with reputable to conventional device.

The author in [6] proposed Biometric System Design for Iris popularity the usage of intelligent algorithm . They have completed characteristic extraction methods. In the first approach, known as Fourier descriptors, the characteristic iris texture is transformed into the frequency domain. As a second method for extracting and comparing characteristics, principle issue analysis is employed here to reduce dimensionality.

The author in [7] proposed A rapid iris popularity device via finest characteristic extraction . In this research, By incorporating Principal Component Analysis (PCA) based on Discrete wavelet Transformation, the authors describe a method for identifying an iris's most useful features and reducing the runtime necessary for iris template type (DWT). The experimental results confirm the eco-friendliness of the proposed method.

The author in [8] proposed Iris reputation machine Using Based on DWT. They have proposed a method that makes use of primary component analysis(PCA) primarily based on totally on Discrete wavelet Transformation(DWT) for choosing function iris templates to produce more the performance of iris reputation . They have CASIA iris database. That outcomes displaying that the lodged aggregate approach to a function removal is appropriate to growing efficiency of iris reputation.

The author in [9] A rapid algorithm is presented for the localisation of the inner and outer iris area boundaries. Iris is taken from an eye image, then normalised and enhanced before being represented as a data set. Iris patterns are classified using a Neural Network (NN) trained using this data set. The adaptive learning approach is used to train the neural network. Simulation findings demonstrate the efficiency of the neural system for personal identification.

Daugman (1993) introduced an original iris identification technique, which has been the basis for much of the subsequent study in this area [14], [15]. With the help of a video camera, this innovation can capture and recognise a person's eye. In order to segment the iris, inner pupillary boundary, and outer sclera border, it first uses a "Integro

differential operator" to identify two boundaries. Due to the fact that the pupil is typically not located precisely in the middle of the iris, the pseudo polar coordinate system must be projected onto a "homogenous rubber sheet" by measuring the iris's annular rings and assigning dimensionless real coordinates.[26,27] This technique involves either selecting ocular photographs in which no part of the iris is concealed by the subject's eyelids, eyelashes, or specular reflections. Features are extracted using a "2-d Gabor filter" from this two-dimensional, polar coordinate system, resulting in "256-byte (2048-paired-bit) iris codes." Thanks to their uniform length and format, comparisons between these codes are quick and easy. Knowing whether or not a code is associated with a particular topic becomes problematic. This is achieved with the help of a metric called "normalised Hamming distance," which employs a contradictory bit fraction and allows for the comparison of any two iris codes. In modern usage, hamming distance refers specifically to the 5 normalised hamming distance measure. This new iris code makes it much easier to manage iris bits and do matching. Still today, this technique serves as the backbone of many commercial iris biometric systems.

Flom and Safir (1987) got a patent titled "Iris Recognition System" in [16], which provides a conceptual overview of using the iris as a biometric system but does not disclose any technique. But in [15], Daugman got a patent for an operating system that performs biometric analysis of the iris in identifying a person in a manner that is unique.

In [17], Wilde (1997) took a different technique, including an LED point source combined with a normal video camera for the acquisition of the subject's ocular image. The binary edge map and circular Hough transform are used to estimate the inner and outer iris boundaries. Wilde's approach involved using a template for the iris signature obtained from an isotropic band pass decomposition based on the Laplacian of a Gaussian at many scales. Using the normalised correlation for match quality, this template is used to establish a degree of resemblance. In his investigation, Wilde utilised close to sixty irises collected from forty participants. In this research, he has also conducted a comparative analysis with Daugman's work. Even though Daugman's methodology is more straightforward than Wilde's, Wilde's segmentation method is more resistant to noise disruptions. He has added eyelid detection in the segmentation phase, which is regarded as one of the paper's advantages. Wilde has received two patents for the segmentation technique and the normalised correlation matching technique in [18]. The papers [19] and [20] provide more information to the early approach of Wilde mentioned in [17,24,25].

Kong and Zhang [21, 2001] developed a technique to address issues such noise, occlusion by eyelashes, and specular reflections that arise when segmenting an iris image. Separation of the iris was achieved using the Hough transform, while eyelid occlusion and specular reflection were detected using 1-d Gabor filters in the spatial domain and a thresholding function. Using the variation in brightness levels, we were able to identify many eyelashes. Binary feature vectors were created after features were extracted using 2-dimensional Gabor filters. It's possible to receive a score that indicates how well you can tell the difference between any pair of irises. This strategy incorporates a model

for noise detection during segmentation, which improves performance.

In [22] Lim et al. [2001] used a CCD camera to get images of the eye from a distance. Two halogen lamps were used to light the area around the camera to reduce the effect of reflection caused by lighting. From the image that was taken, the iris is separated by first finding the pupil using the centre point detection method and then finding the edges using virtual circles. At the pre-processing stage, 6000 pieces of data were analysed to find out what went wrong at the pre-processing stage. Images were taken with and without Lens and with and without glasses. During the normalisation step, a 450x60 bit part of the iris image was made. Gabor transforms and Haar wavelet transforms, which are two different methods, were used to look at the segmented iris image and pull out the features. With only 87 bit patterns, a feature vector was made and fed into a competitive classifier, neural network model for recognition. The author put together a set of 6000 images, each of which came from 30 different subjects and was taken 3 months apart.

III. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

The proposed iris popularity machine the usage of the Convolutional neural community for optimum pooling and additionally the VGG16 technique. First, educate and take a look at the CIFAR10 that allows you to take a look at and educate the model.

There are two parts to how an iris recognition system works: the enrollment part and the verification or identification part. In general, the design and development of a typical iris recognition system (for authentication or identification) can be broken down into five steps, such as 1) iris image acquisition, 2) iris localization, 3) iris normalisation, 4) iris feature extraction and representation (encoding), and 5) iris code matching. In case of an iris authentication system, these steps are shown in Figure 3.

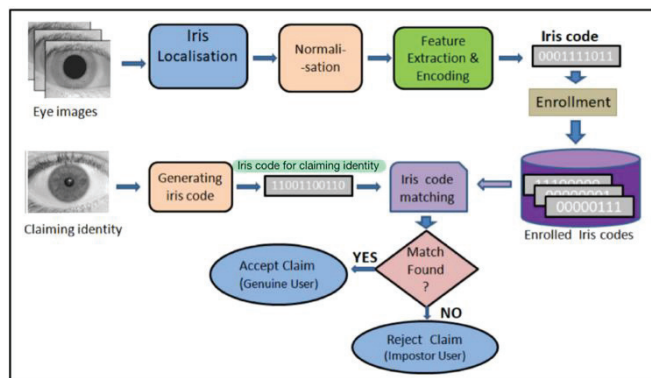


Fig. 4 Various processes inside an iris authentication system

An iris template or an iris code is what comes out of the feature extraction and encoding phase.

During the first stage, iris codes are made and stored in the system's database along with the user's name and other information. This part of the process is called "enrollment stage." In the second stage, the query iris is either checked or identified.

Iris image acquisition is the process of taking pictures of the iris. It is an important step that needs careful engineering

because the iris is a small object and people are very sensitive about their eyes. There are two types of publically available iris images: near infrared (NIR) images, which are taken with NIR cameras in a controlled environment, and visual wavelength (VW) images, which are taken with a visible light imaging system in an open environment.

A. VGG16 Technique

An accumulative neural network has an information layer, a result layer, and different secret layers. VGG16 is a kind of CNN(Convolutional neural network) that is taken into consideration one of the maximum brilliant PC imaginative and prescient fashions to date. The designers of this model evaluated the organizations and extended depth using the technique with small accumulation channels (3*3), showing a significant improvement over arrangements. Manual before. They pushed the depth up to 16 to 19 weight layers, making it approximate 138 trainable borders.

The version that I even have carried out is VGG16 with a few modifications withinside the layers. After initialising the version through enumerating that the version is a back to back mode. Version that I even have carried out have overall of three layers of Conv2d, three layers of maxpool2d and an activation characteristic is RELU wherein padding is applied.

There are three convolutional layer of sixty four channel of three*three kernel and the input_shape is of 200,200,three. There is three layers of maxpool2d of two*two kernel. Here I actually have introduced RELU (rectified linear unit) activation to every layer so that each one of the have bad values isn't surpassed by a subsequent layer.

After on foot all the convolutions I with the aid of using bypass the statistics to the thick layer so for that I straighten the vector which emerges from the convolutions and add. Which is a one-dense layer of five hundred and twelve with a RELU(Rectified Linear Unit) activation and additionally a one-dense layer of five devices with a softmax activation.

After Building the model now need to create the model compile with the loss function is categorical_crossentropy, optimizer is RMSprop with the learning rate is 0.001 and the metric is accuracy. After completion of the model now fit the model and train the model with epoch and pass the train and validation dataset and train the model.

IV. EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS AND ANALYSIS

In this studies I actually have experimented VGG16 method with the 2 specific models. In the primary version It has 2 convolutional layer of sixty four channel and one

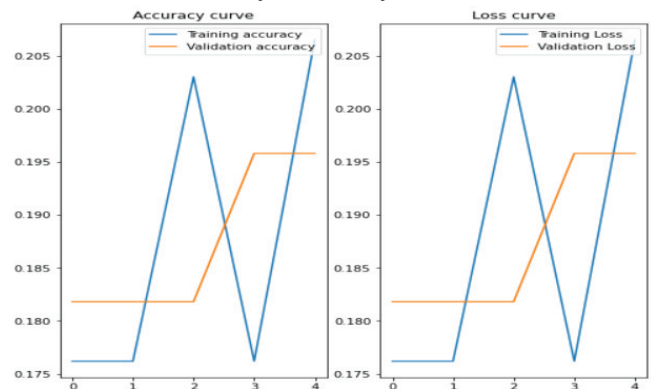


Fig. 5 is the result of 30% accuracy.

maxpool layer of 2*2 pool length and a couple of convolutional layer of one hundred and eight channel and one maxpool layer of 2*2 pool length and stride 2*2 and three convolution layer of two hundred fifty six channel and one maxpool layer of 2*2 pool length and stride is 2*2 and three convolution layer of five hundred and twelve channel of three*three kernel and one maxpool layer of 2*2 pool length and stride 2*2. After constructing the version and in shape the version and educate the version with epoch and byskip the educate and validation dataset and educate the version. By educate the version we were given the accuracy of 30%.

In the second one version, It has three convolutional layer of sixty four channel of three*three kernel and the input_shape is of 200,200,three. There is layers of maxpool2d of 2*2 kernal with the activation characteristic of RELU. Also It has one dense layer of five hundred twelve with an RELU activation characteristic and one dense layer of five units with a softmax activation. After the constructing and developing the version in shape the version and educate the version with epoch and byskip the educate and validation dataset and educate the version.

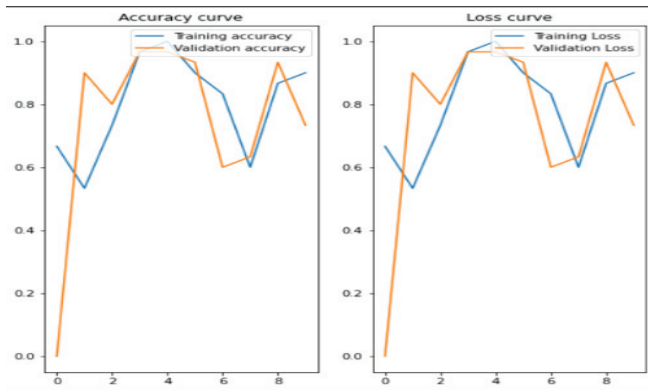


Fig. 6 is the result with an accuracy of 96%.

V. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE SCOPE

The conclusion of this paper is about to found out capabilities of a pre-educated Convolutional Neural Network (CNNs) additionally referred to as Convnet observed via way of means of numerous VGG16 techniques with unique version to carry out iris popularity. Segmentation of the iris is performed with a spherical Hough refinement, and then normalisation is accomplished with a rubber sheet version. CNN receives the segmented and normalised image as an input (convnet). A high rate of accuracy is achieved when testing the suggested machine on the CASIA-1000 database. The outcomes confirmed that the 2d version's popularity accuracy is higher than the primary version from the normalised image.

Future work will allow us to evaluate the suggested ruleset against the performance of other methods for solving a variety of biometric popularity problems in large-scale iris datasets.

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