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Abstract

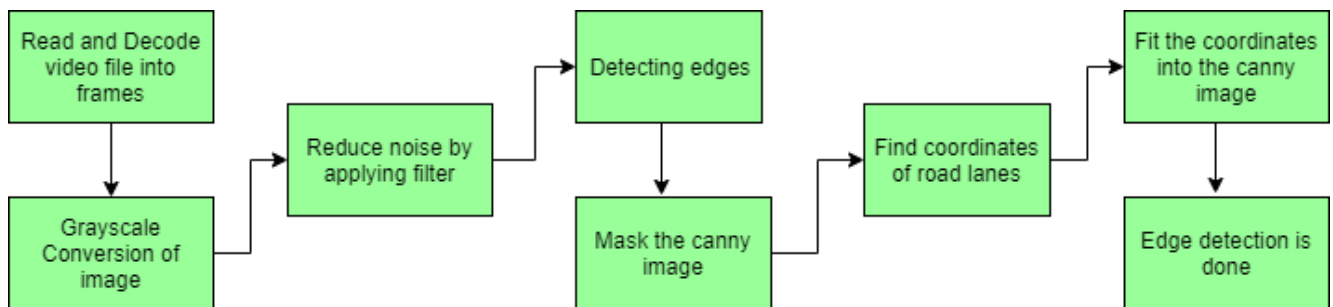
To implement real-time lane detection in a video. There are multiple ways we can perform this task. We can use learning-based approaches, such as training a deep learning model on an annotated video dataset, or use a pre-trained model. However, there are simpler methods to perform lane detection as well. We shall do it without using any deep learning model by using the popular OpenCV library in Python.

Introduction

Autonomous Driving Car is one of the most disruptive innovations in AI. Fuelled by Deep Learning algorithms, they are continuously driving our society forward and creating new opportunities in the mobility sector. An autonomous car can go anywhere a traditional car can go and does everything that an experienced human driver does. But it's very essential to train it properly. One of the many steps involved during the training of an autonomous driving car is lane detection, which is the preliminary step. Today, we are going to learn how to perform lane detection using videos.

Theory

Lane detection involves the following steps:



- **Capturing and decoding video file:** We will capture the video using VideoCapture object and after the capturing has been initialized every video frame is decoded (i.e. converting into a sequence of images).
- **Grayscale conversion of image:** The video frames are in RGB format, RGB is converted to grayscale because processing a single channel image is faster than processing a three-channel coloured image.
- **Reduce noise:** Noise can create false edges, therefore before going further, it's imperative to perform image smoothening. Gaussian filter is used to perform this process.
- **Canny Edge Detector:** It computes gradient in all directions of our blurred image and traces the edges with large changes in intensity. For more explanation, please go through this article: Canny Edge Detector
- **Region of Interest:** This step is to take into account only the region covered by the road lane. A mask is created here, which is of the same dimension as our road image. Furthermore, bitwise AND operation is performed between each pixel of our canny image and this mask. It ultimately masks the canny image and shows the region of interest traced by the polygonal contour of the mask.
- **Hough Line Transform:** The Hough Line Transform is a transform used to detect straight lines. The Probabilistic Hough Line Transform is used here, which gives output as the extremes of the detected lines

Program

```
# Import the required libraries
import cv2
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def canny_edge_detector(image):

    # Convert the image color to grayscale
    gray_image = cv2.cvtColor(image, cv2.COLOR_RGB2GRAY)

    # Reduce noise from the image
    blur = cv2.GaussianBlur(gray_image, (5, 5), 0)
    canny = cv2.Canny(blur, 50, 150)
    return canny

def region_of_interest(image):

    height = image.shape[0]
    polygons = np.array([
        [(200, height), (1100, height), (550, 250)]
    ])
    mask = np.zeros_like(image)

    # Fill poly-function deals with multiple polygon
    cv2.fillPoly(mask, polygons, 255)

    # Bitwise operation between canny image and mask image
    masked_image = cv2.bitwise_and(image, mask)
    return masked_image

def create_coordinates(image, line_parameters):
    slope, intercept = line_parameters
    y1 = image.shape[0]
    y2 = int(y1 * (3 / 5))
    x1 = int((y1 - intercept) / slope)
    x2 = int((y2 - intercept) / slope)
    return np.array([x1, y1, x2, y2])

def average_slope_intercept(image, lines):
    left_fit = []
    right_fit = []
    for line in lines:
        x1, y1, x2, y2 = line.reshape(4)

        # It will fit the polynomial and the intercept and slope
        parameters = np.polyfit((x1, x2), (y1, y2), 1)
        slope = parameters[0]
        intercept = parameters[1]
        if slope < 0:
            left_fit.append((slope, intercept))
        else:
            right_fit.append((slope, intercept))

    left_fit_average = np.average(left_fit, axis = 0)
    right_fit_average = np.average(right_fit, axis = 0)
    left_line = create_coordinates(image, left_fit_average)
    right_line = create_coordinates(image, right_fit_average)
    return np.array([left_line, right_line])
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def display_lines(image, lines):
    line_image = np.zeros_like(image)
    if lines is not None:
        for x1, y1, x2, y2 in lines:
            cv2.line(line_image, (x1, y1), (x2, y2), (255, 0, 0), 10)
    return line_image

# Path of dataset directory
cap = cv2.VideoCapture("./test2.mp4")
while(cap.isOpened()):
    _, frame = cap.read()
    canny_image = canny_edge_detector(frame)
    cropped_image = region_of_interest(canny_image)

    lines = cv2.HoughLinesP(cropped_image, 2, np.pi / 180, 100,
                            np.array([]), minLineLength = 40,
                            maxLineGap = 5)

    averaged_lines = average_slope_intercept(frame, lines)
    line_image = display_lines(frame, averaged_lines)
    combo_image = cv2.addWeighted(frame, 0.8, line_image, 1, 1)
    cv2.imshow("results", combo_image)

    # When the below two will be true and will press the 'q' on
    # our keyboard, we will break out from the loop

    # # wait 0 will wait for infinitely between each frames.
    # 1ms will wait for the specified time only between each frames
    if cv2.waitKey(1) & 0xFF == ord('q'):
        break

# close the video file
cap.release()

# destroy all the windows that is currently on
cv2.destroyAllWindows()

```


Input



Output



Conclusion

We covered a simple technique for lane detection. We did not use any model or complex image features. Instead, our solution was purely based on certain image pre-processing operations.

However, there are going to be many scenarios where this solution will not work. For example, when there will be no lane markings, or when there is too much of traffic on the road, this system will fail. There are more sophisticated methods to overcome such problems in lane detection.

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