

LIGHT & MOTOR CONTROLLER USING HAND GESTURE

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INTRODUCTION

Light & Motor Controller using Hand Gesture

Recent developments in computer software and related hardware technology have provided a value added service to the users. In everyday life, physical gestures are a powerful means of communication. They can economically convey a rich set of facts and feelings. For example, waving one's hand from side to side can mean anything from a "happy goodbye" to "caution". Use of the full potential of physical gesture is also something that most human computer dialogues lack.

The task of hand gesture recognition is one the important and elemental problem in computer vision. With recent advances in information technology and media, automated human interactions systems are build which involve hand processing task like hand detection, hand recognition and hand tracking.

This prompted my interest so I planned to make a software system that could recognize human gestures through computer vision, which is a sub field of artificial intelligence. The purpose of my software through computer vision was to program a computer to "understand" a scene or features in an image.

A first step in any hand processing system is to detect and localize hand in an image. The hand detection task was however challenging because of variability in the pose, orientation, location and scale.

Theory

Hand gesture recognition system can be divided into following modules:

- Pre-processing
- Feature extraction of the processed image
- Real time classification

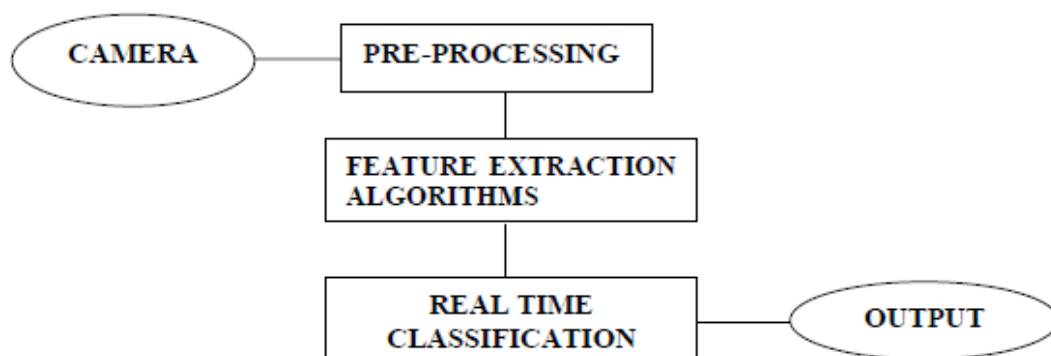


Figure 3.1: System Implementation

ARDUINO

Arduino is an open-source electronics platform based on easy-to-use hardware and software. Arduino boards are able to read inputs - light on a sensor, a finger on a button, or message - and turn it into an output - activating a motor, turning on an LED.

L293D

The L293D is a 16-pin Motor Driver IC which can control a set of two DC motors simultaneously in any direction. The L293D is designed to provide bidirectional drive currents of up to 600 mA (per channel) at voltages from 4.5 V to 36 V (at pin 8!).

PYTHON LIBRARY USED

Mediapipe:-

Mediapipe is a cross-platform library developed by Google that provides amazing ready-to-use ML solutions for computer vision tasks. OpenCV library in python is a computer vision library that is widely used for image analysis, image processing, detection, recognition, etc.

OpenCV:-

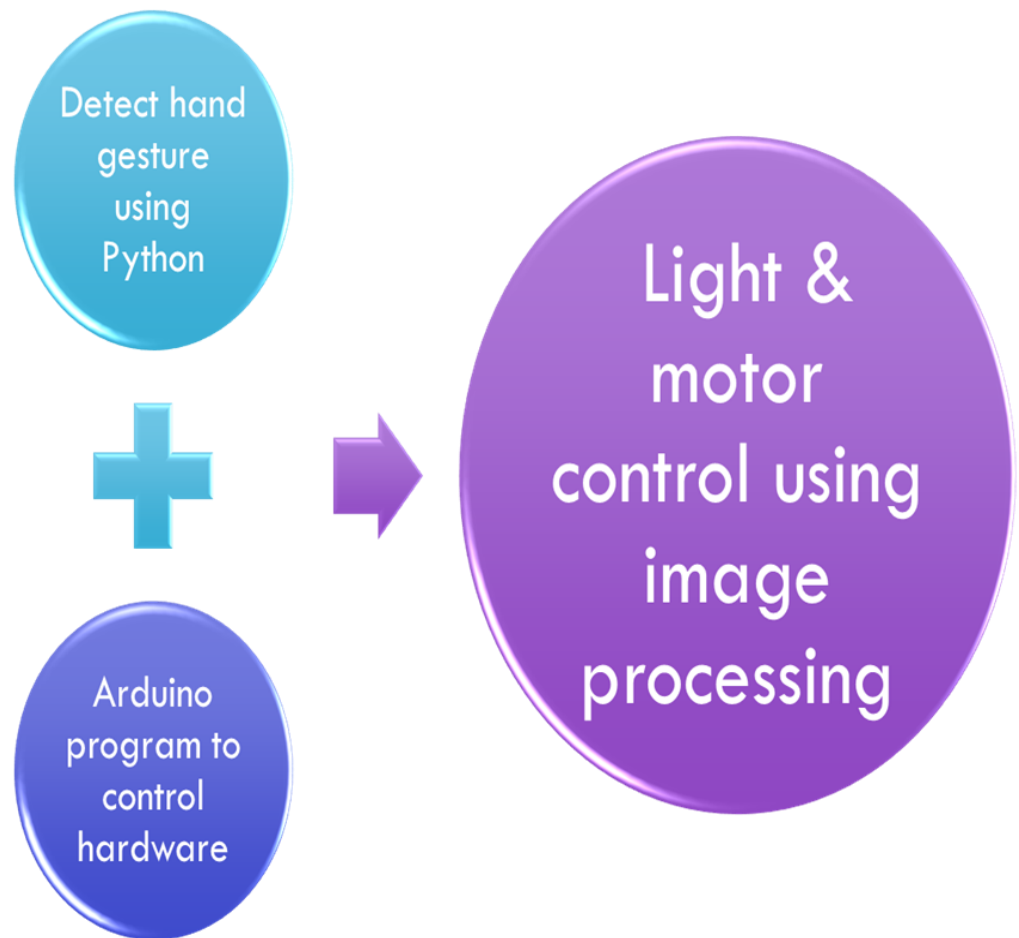
OpenCV (Open Source Computer Vision Library) is an open source computer vision and machine learning software library. OpenCV was built to provide a common infrastructure for computer vision applications and to accelerate the use of machine perception in the commercial products.

ARDUINO LIBRARY USED

Firmata:-

The Firmata library implements the Firmata protocol for communicating with software on the host computer. This allows you to write custom firmware without having to create your own protocol and objects for the programming environment that you are using. To use this library. `#include <Firmata.h>`

SIMULATION

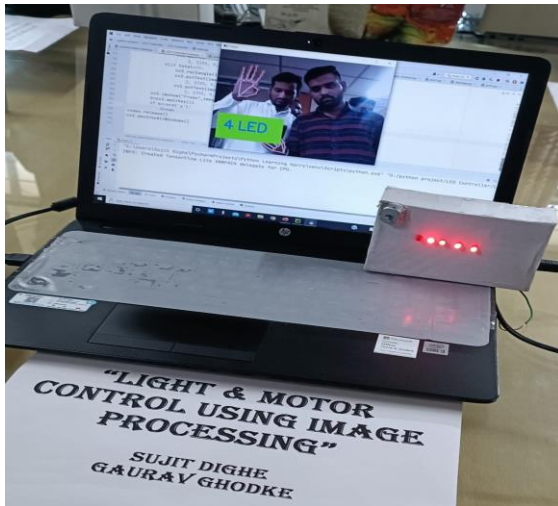


Flow Chart

- Calibration of camera (OpenCV- Python)
- Detection of hand gesture (Mediapipe – Python)
- Sending data to Arduino (Firmata-communication protocol (Arduino))
- Accessing LED & Motor (Embedded C)
- Showing output on LED & Motor

RESULT

- We have successfully control Light & Motor Using Hand gesture



Application

1. HOME AUTOMATION

- Fan control
- Light control
- Door control(Open/Close)

2. AGRICULTURE (AUTOMATIC IRRIGATION)

- Irrigation system

3. AUTOMATIC VEHICLE CONTROL

- Speed control
- Driver less car control

4. HELTHCARE SECTORE (HELPING HANDICAPPED)

- Sign language
- Wheel chair control

5. HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION

- AI communication

6. INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION

- Conveyor belt control

CONCLUSION

Here we conclude that hand gesture based Light & Motor Control system have great uses in automatic vechile control, home automation and industry automation, which has been successfully realize through this project.

Future work

The system could also be made smart to be trained for only one or two gestures rather than all and then made ready for testing. This will require only a few changes in the current interface code, which were not performed due to the shortage of time.

REFERENCE

- Arduino datasheet
- L293D (Motor driver IC) datasheet
- Github project
- Google