Lab Practice-VI

Final Year Computer Engineering Elective VI: Image Processing

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Practical 1

Aim:

Consider any image with size 1024*1024. Modify the image to the sizes 512*512,256*256, 128*128, 64*64 and 32*32 using subsampling technique. Create the original image from all the above subsampled images using resampling technique.

Objective:

To learn the resize/scaling/ interpolation concept in Image processing • Input –RGBimages of size 1024*1024.

Theory:

Image digitization (Sampling and quantization)

In Digital Image Processing, signals captured from the physical world need to be translated into digital form by "Digitization" Process. In order to become suitable for digital processing, an image function f(x,y) must be digitized both spatially and in amplitude. This digitization process involves two main processes called-

- 1. Sampling: Digitizing the co-ordinate value is called sampling.
- 2. Quantization: Digitizing the amplitude value is called quantization.

The subsampling was accomplished by deleting the appropriate number of rows and columns from the original image. For example, the 512*512 image was obtained by deleting every other row and column from the 1024*1024 image. The 256*256 image was generated by deleting every other row and column in the 512*512 image, and so on. The number of allowed gray levels was kept at256. These images show the dimensional proportions between various sampling densities, but their size differences make it difficult to see the effects resulting from a reduction in the number of samples. The simplest way to compare these effects is to bring all the subsampled images up to size 1024*1024 by row and column pixel replication.

Quantization is opposite to sampling. It is done on y axis. When you are quantizing an image, you are actually dividing a signal into quanta(partitions). On the x axis of the signal, are the coordinate values, and on the y axis, we have amplitudes. So digitizing the amplitudes is known as Quantization.

Procedure:

- 1 .Read and load the images obtained in the previous step of sizes 512*512, 256*256, 128*128,64*64, 32*32. (One by one).
- 2. Set the output size as: 1024*1024.
- 3. Resize the input image to resample it, using the cv2.resize() function by passing the input image and output size as parameters.
- 4. Also, set the parameter 'interpolation' to cv2.INTER_LINEAR so that it follows linear interpolation while resampling. (Other types of interpolation can also be tested).
- 5. Display the resampled images.

Conclusion:

We have successfully modified the image to the sizes 512*512, 256*256, 128*128, 64*64 and 32*32 using subsampling technique and create the original image from all the subsampled images using resampling technique and also display equalized histogram for the images.