



EE5113 – Computer Vision
Programming Assignment-2
Hough Transform

Objective: The objective of this assignment is to familiarize the feature extraction method - Hough Transform. The purpose of the technique is to find imperfect instances of objects within a certain class of shapes by a voting procedure. This voting procedure is carried out in a parameter space, from which object candidates are obtained as local maxima in a so-called accumulator space that is explicitly constructed by the algorithm for computing the Hough transform.

N.B: You can use inbuilt commands to detect the edges. But do not use inbuilt commands such as HoughLine/HoughCircles to detect the shape, instead write your own code from scratch.

1). Detection of Straight Lines

- 1)
 - a) Read the image 'image1.png'. Find and plot the edges of the image using 'Canny edge detector'.
 - b) Detect the lines using Hough method. Plot the Hough accumulator array image and intensity image with lines drawn on them. And also mention bin size and bin ranges.
 - c) Repeat the above procedure on 'image3.png' (image1.png with noise).
- 2)
 - a) Repeat the above procedure on 'image2.png' and 'image4.png' (image2.png with noise). This question is to ensure that your program can detect non vertical and non-horizontal lines.

2). Detection of Circles

- 1)
 - a) Read the image 'image5.png'. Find and plot the edges of the image using 'Canny edge detector'.
 - b) Detect lines and circles using Hough method. Plot the intensity image with lines and circles drawn on them. Also mention bin sizes and bin ranges.
- 2)
 - a) Read the clutter images 'image6.png' and 'image7.png' and detect the lines and circles.
 - b) Are you able to detect the shapes using the above program? If not, what are the changes you have made in programs?