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ABSTRACT

Security nowadays is a major issue and the only thing that comes to our mind when we think about a solution that's upto the mark with today's growing technology is a "smart" solution. So, a Smart Security System has been proposed which comes to the rescue by planning to implement Frontal Face Detection after detection of motion using IR (Infrared) sensors in front of the camera device installed at the door of the house and sending the mail to the concerned user. All of this is implemented using Raspberry Pi.

The project is divided into various segments. The Passive Infrared (PIR) sensor detects any movement around the camera device and it activates the camera to click images. The images are immediately sent to the user via Gmail using SMTP library (smtplib) in Python. The camera module of the Raspberry Pi is able to detect the face using the Local Binary Patterns Histogram (LBPH) Recognizer Algorithm by OpenCV in Python. The recognizer is trained earlier with the images stored in the database. As a face appears in front of the camera, the system compares it with those photos in the database. LBPH works by characterizing the local patterns in each location in the image and thus, it analyzes the image. If the face is a known face and the system is able to detect it, then the electronic lock shall unlock itself to allow the person to enter into the house, and the user is aware of it. However, if the face is unknown, the decision rests upon the user if he allows the person to enter into his premises. This reply sent by the user via Gmail is retrieved using imaplib in Python. Based on the user's "Accept" or "Deny" mail, an appropriate action is taken and a Boolean value true or false is sent accordingly to the electronic lock can unlock or lock itself respectively. Here, there is also an implementation of a database wherein the user may enter a new name when he clicks on "Accept" for the person at the door so as to detect the face automatically from the next time.