Electrooculography-based User Authentication Technique for AR/VR Systems

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MOTIVATION

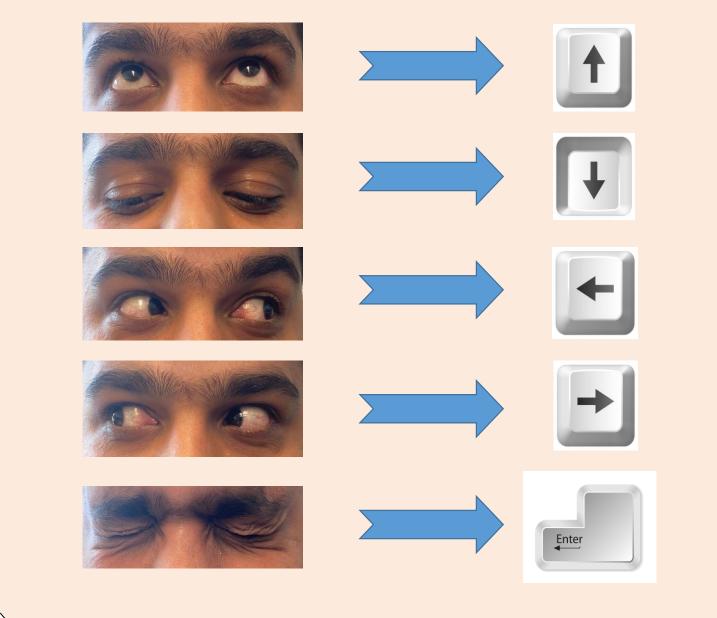
- Many VR/AR apps handle user authentication with weak security
- Limited length and complexity of passwords.
- Tedious to type and requiring several times to input password.
- Traditional method to point at each key with a laser pointer and pull trigger.



• Use eye movement as an input for authentication

KEY IDEAS

• Capture 5 eye movements as an directional input



CHALLENGES

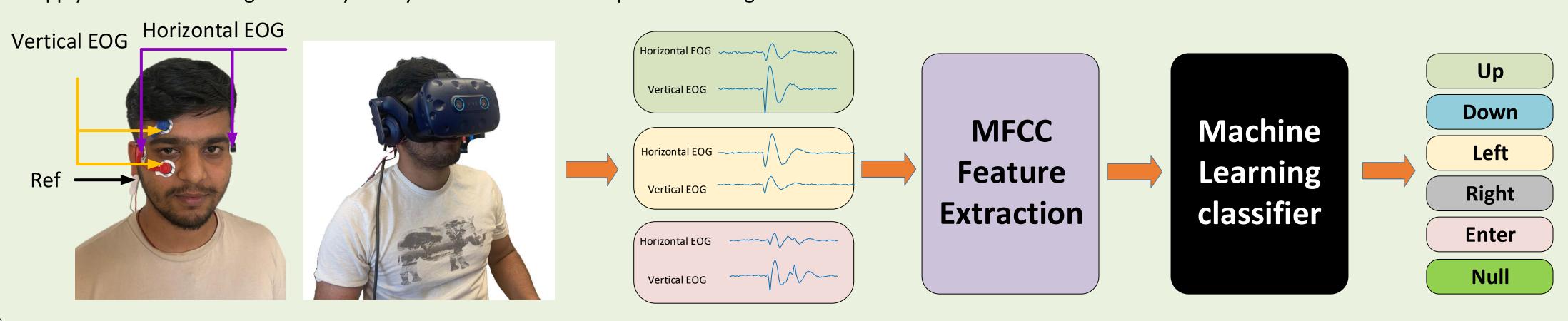
- Creating tools in Unity app and programming base on user requirements.
- Noise transferring while capturing the signals, due to the nature of data, it was rigorous to classify.
- The unstable OpenBCI captures the signals several times.

TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE

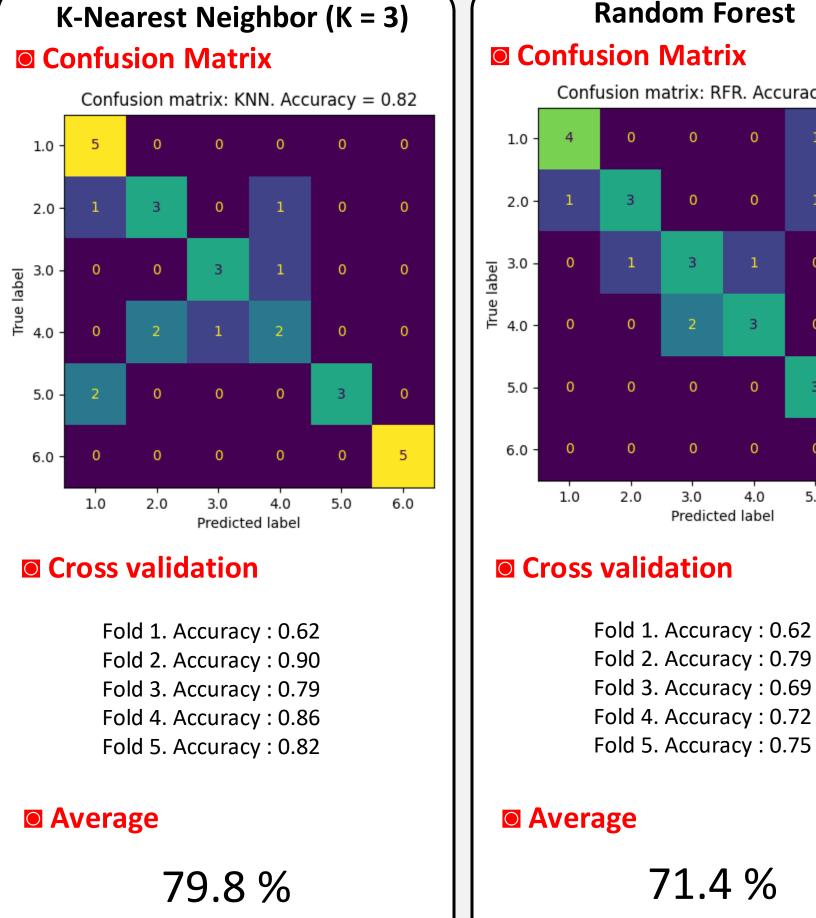
- Physiological Signal Analysis
- Data Engineering, Feature Engineering
- Machine Learning: Support Vector Machine,
- K-Nearest Neighbor, Random Forest Regression
- Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality

SYSTEM OVERVIEW

- Use 2 channels from OpenBCI board: 1 for Vertical EOG and 1 for Horizontal EOG.
- Apply Machine Learning to classify the eye activities base on captured EOG signals



Support Vector Machine Confusion Matrix Confusion matrix: SVM. Accuracy = 0.86 Predicted label Cross validation Fold 1. Accuracy: 0.72 Fold 2. Accuracy: 0.72 Fold 3. Accuracy: 0.72 Fold 4. Accuracy: 0.83 Fold 5. Accuracy: 1.00 Average 79.8 %



RESULT

Random Forest Confusion Matrix Confusion matrix: RFR. Accuracy = 0.723.0 Cross validation Fold 1. Accuracy: 0.62 Fold 2. Accuracy: 0.79 Fold 3. Accuracy: 0.69 Fold 4. Accuracy: 0.72

CONCLUSION

- This research study is targeting to contribute the security of users' authentication.
- Future experiments such as performing more complex eyes movements.
- Combining other bio signal such as EMG and MEG for higher level encryption.

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