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BBM415 – Fundamentals of Image Processing Lab.

Assignment 4 Report

Image Classification Using Cross Correlation

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For this problem, we need to classify some images using cross correlation technique. These images are some different versions of letters in American Sign Language. Some of them are dark, some are not centered, some are blurry etc.



We also have template images for American Sign Language that are properly given.



We need to match target images to template images to do classification. In order to match these images, we need to use Normalized Cross Correlation (NCC).

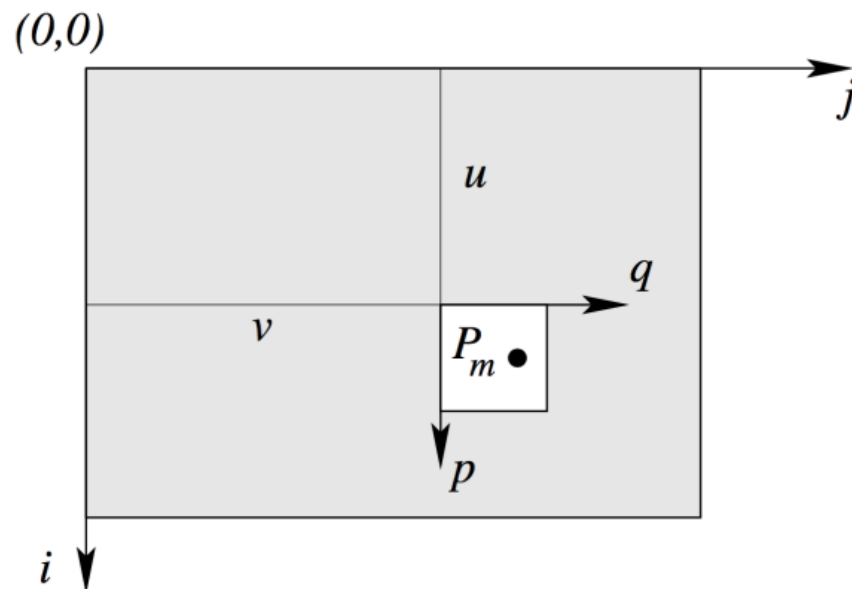
Product of the variations of intensities from mean in template and image

$$\rho_{12}(u, v) = \frac{\sigma_{g_1 g_2}(u, v)}{\sigma_{g_1}(u, v) \sigma_{g_2}}$$

Standard deviation of intensity values of the image in the area overlaid by template

Standard deviation of intensity values of the template

The program slides template image over target image and calculates NCC value for every offset (u, v) . Then it selects the highest NCC value for that template image.



After doing same steps for every template image, program selects a template image which has highest NCC value among all template images and matches this template with target image.



Since we're working with just values of pixels, our program can't classify all target images correctly, so we need to calculate accuracy of our classification method.



Program's accuracy values are like that.

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2 / 30  
Accuracy of target images A is: %6.666666666666667
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0 / 30  
Accuracy of target images B is: %0.0
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15 / 30  
Accuracy of target images C is: %50.0
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0 / 30  
Accuracy of target images D is: %0.0
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2 / 30  
Accuracy of target images E is: %6.666666666666667
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```
1 / 30  
Accuracy of target images F is: %3.3333333333333335
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6 / 30  
Accuracy of target images G is: %20.0
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3 / 30
Accuracy of target images H is: %10.0

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images I is: %3.3333333333333335

11 / 30
Accuracy of target images J is: %36.666666666666664

0 / 30
Accuracy of target images K is: %0.0

9 / 30
Accuracy of target images L is: %30.0

5 / 30
Accuracy of target images M is: %16.666666666666664

3 / 30
Accuracy of target images N is: %10.0

0 / 30
Accuracy of target images O is: %0.0

6 / 30
Accuracy of target images P is: %20.0

10 / 30
Accuracy of target images Q is: %33.33333333333333

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images R is: %3.3333333333333335

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images S is: %3.3333333333333335

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images T is: %3.3333333333333335

3 / 30
Accuracy of target images U is: %10.0

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images V is: %3.3333333333333335

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images W is: %3.3333333333333335

1 / 30
Accuracy of target images X is: %3.3333333333333335

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0 / 30  
Accuracy of target images Y is: %0.0
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4 / 30  
Accuracy of target images Z is: %13.333333333333334
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Total Accuracy

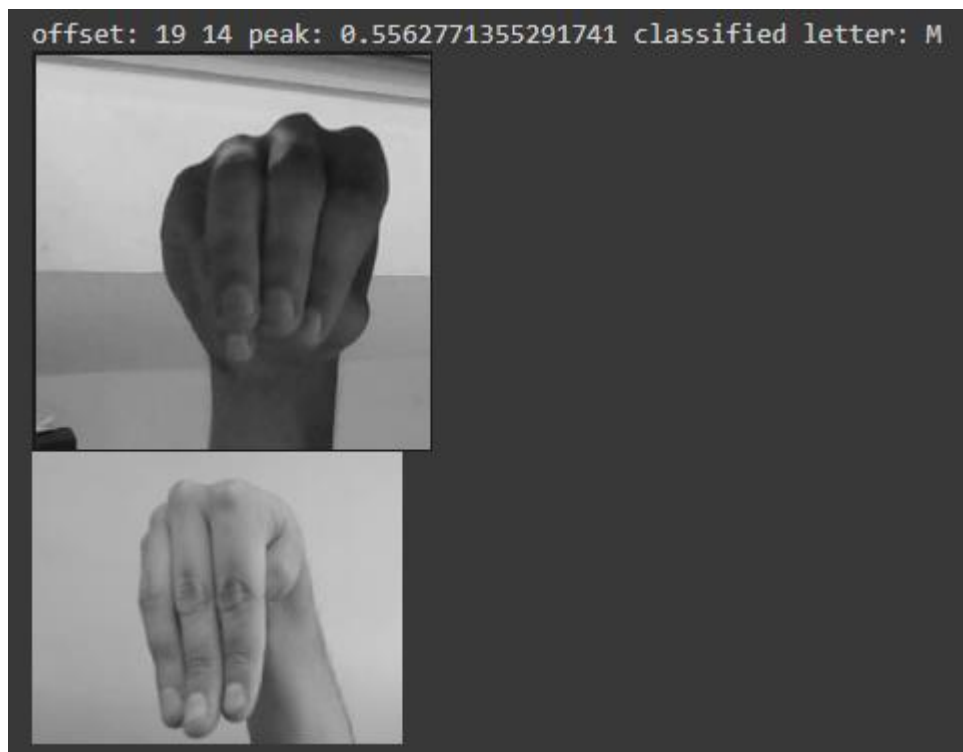
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87 / 780  
Total accuracy is: %11.153846153846155
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Program's results are like that.

1- Correct classification of target C.



2- Correct classification of target M.



3- Misclassification of target A with template S.

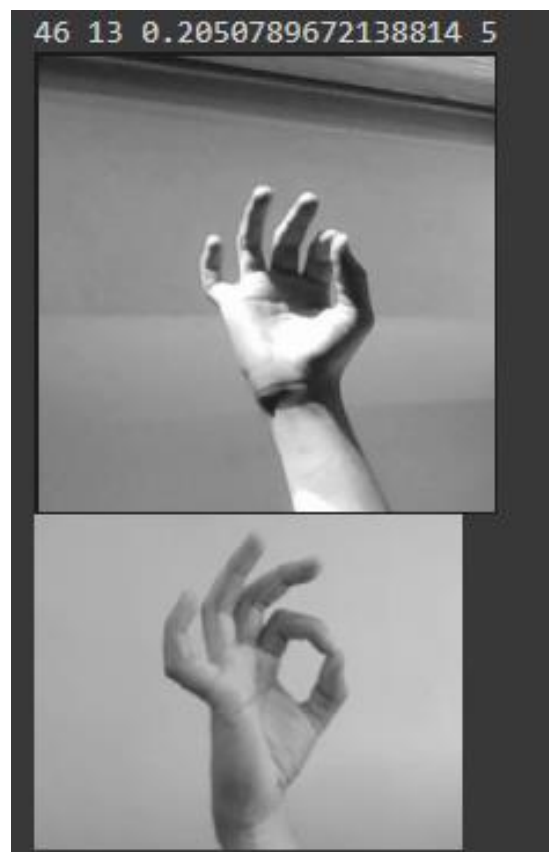
(Very similar hand signs, only thumbs are changing)



4- Correct classification of target R.



5- Correct classification of target F.



6- Misclassification of target T with template J.

(Not very similar ones, program just miscalculated. NCC peak is low.)



7- Correct classification of target U.



8- Correct classification of target Z.



9- Misclassification of target I with template G.

(Hand positions are similar, just a finger changes.)

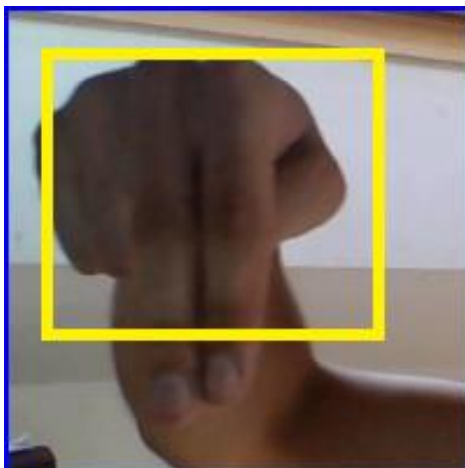


10- Correct classification of target P.



Most correlated regions with respect to the template are like that.

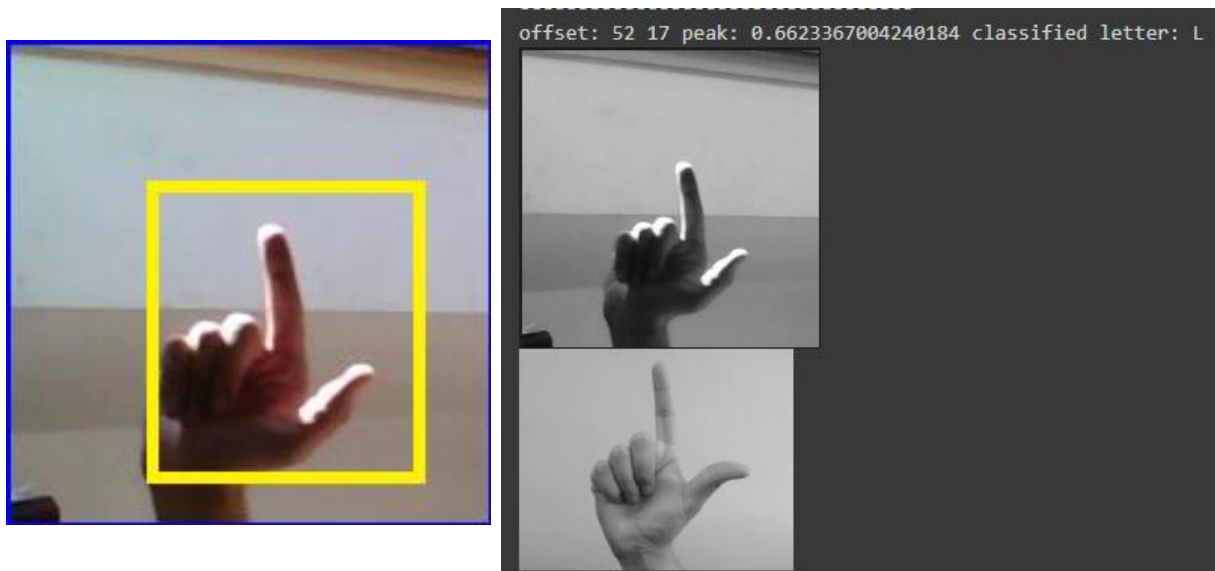
1- Letter "N" for offset $u = 8$, $v = 6$



2- Letter "V" for offset $u = 27, v = 7$



3- Letter "L" for offset $u = 52, v = 17$



4- Letter "W" for offset $u = 20$, $v = 17$



5- Letter "Q" for offset $u = 44$, $v = 14$



References:

- [1] <https://www.ipb.uni-bonn.de/html/teaching/photo12-2021/2021-pho1-09-matching-cc.pptx.pdf>
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