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ABSTRACT

In this modern era, one of the major issues is to protect the secrecy of confidential data during their transmission over a public channel. So, we need a security over the data which is being transmitted. To achieve this the powerful security, Steganography is needed.

Steganography is the practice of concealing the secret message with digital images, audio and video files. The main objective of our project is to hide the data with an image which is the collection of pixels usually stored in 24bit, it is nothing but image steganography based on GUI.

Our Project aims to use the technique is LSB (Least Significant Bit) and the algorithm is spatial domain method, so, that the human eye would not notice the hidden messages within it. RGB is the color model in which each pixel is 3 bytes, uses LSB to hide the data in three color channels. RGB images where each pixel is represented by three bytes indicating the intensity of red, green and blue in which each primary color represented 8 bits. We use bmp image format as it contains uncompressed data while pixels are chosen as random rather than in order.

For implementing our project, the interactive language python with some packages is used. Robustness, hiding capacity, Perceptual Transparency are important features of steganography which made it strong, can transfer data more securely.