Computer Vision Module – Session 10



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Computer Vision: Hough Transform

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Outline of Presentation

- Introduction
- Algorithm Details
- Recap previous all sessions

Introduction

- Missing edge continuity, many spurious edges
- identification of lines in the image, positions of arbitrary shapes like circles or ellipses.
- invented by Richard Duda and Peter Hart in 1972
- straight line y = mx + b
- Edges VOTE for the possible model

Image and Parameter Spaces

Equation of Line: y = mx + c

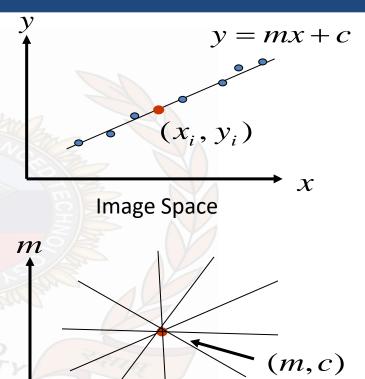
Find: (m,c)

Consider point: (x_i, y_i)

$$y_i = mx_i + c$$
 or $c = -x_i m + y_i$

Parameter space also called Hough Space

Parameter Space



Line Detection by Hough Transform

Algorithm:

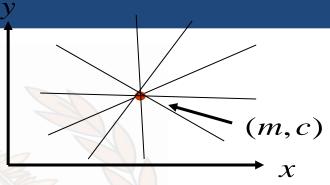
- Quantize Parameter Space (m, c)
- Create Accumulator Array A(m,c)
- Set $A(m,c) = 0 \quad \forall m,c$
- For each image edge (x_i, y_i) increment:

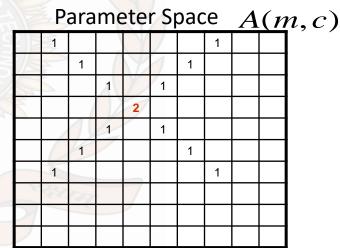
$$A(m,c) = A(m,c) + 1$$

• If(m, c) lies on the line:

$$c = -x_i m + y_i$$

• Find local maxima in A(m,c)



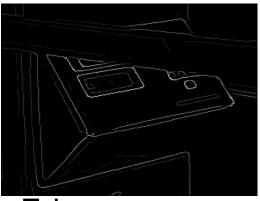




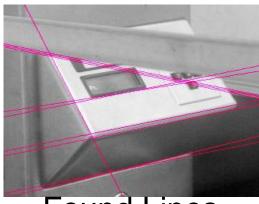
Example



Original



Edge Detection



Found Lines



Parameter Space

Computer Vision: Hough Transform

Hough transform algorithm

Typically use a different parameterization

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d = x cos\theta + y sin\theta
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- d is the perpendicular distance from the line to the origin
- θ is the angle this perpendicular makes with the x axis
- Why?

Hough transform algorithm

Typically use a different parameterization

- $d = x cos\theta + y sin\theta$
- d is the perpendicular distance from the line to the origin
- θ is the angle this perpendicular makes with the x axis
- Basic Hough transform algorithm
 - 1. Initialize $H[d, \theta] = 0$
 - 2. for each edge point I[x,y] in the image

for
$$\theta = 0$$
 to 180
$$d = x\cos\theta + y\sin\theta$$
H[d, θ] += 1

- 3. Find the value(s) of (d, θ) where H[d, θ] is maximum
- 4. The detected line in the image is given by $d = xcos\theta + ysin\theta$
- What's the running time (measured in # votes)?
 - Step 2 Extension: Use the image gradient and give more votes for stronger edges

for each edge point I[x,y] in the image compute unique (d, θ) based on image gradient at (x,y) $H[d, \theta] += 1$

Finding Circles by Hough Transform

Equation of Circle: $(x_i - a)^2 + (y_i - b)^2 = r^2$

If radius is known: (2D Hough Space)

Accumulator Array A(a,b)

If radius is not known: 3D Hough Space!

Use Accumulator array



Recap

Part I (10 Hrs)	Part II (10 Hrs)
Introduction to Image processing techniques Images, Noise, Convolution, Filtering Thresholding techniques, Image segmentation Edge Detection techniques Interest Point Detection, Harris Corner Detector SIFT, Histograms of Oriented Gradients Binary shape analysis, connectedness, object labeling and counting Boundary tracking procedures, active contours Boundary descriptors, chain codes, Fourier descriptors, region descriptors, moments Hough Transform	Optical Flow, Motion Models, Global Motion KLT Tracking, Mean-Shift Tracking Deep Sort Camera Model and Calibration Fundamental Matrix, Stereo Images 3 D Image processing Deep learning for Chest X-ray Image analysis Face Recognition based on video Human activity detection based on video Audio/speech, based personality detection/prediction

Computer Vision: Recap

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<<Epilogue>>

- We will meet in next scheduled lecture.
- Try to implement the code using python.
- Feel free to ask your questions.
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