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1 Introduction

The described project in this report is part of an overall research project in the area of embedded systems design. The specific topic of his research is "Result-Oriented System-Level Modeling for Efficient Design of Embedded Systems", which addresses the creation and optimization of the system model itself for effective use in existing system design processes rather than the traditional method of focusing largely on simulation and synthesis from a given model [4]. Just like a high quality architectural blueprint leads to a high quality building, only a "good" model of an embedded system will lead to a successful implementation of an embedded application. Embedded systems range from smart home appliances to video-enabled mobile phones, from real-time automotive applications to communication satellites, and from portable

multi-media components to reliable medical devices [7].

Embedded computer systems are around us everyday, ranging from reliable medical devices to real-time automotive applications to video-enabled mobile phones. The desire to produce more capable phones and video devices has motivated researchers and industry-partners to develop data compression algorithms to enable the transmission of video through networks. This effort is not without technical challenges. The video-enabled devices need to handle various temporal and special video formats that exist around the world. This need has been generated because the consumer product manufacturers have built video formatting processors or codecs to meet the specifications requested by different people and governments over the years. Now that the web has brought populations closer together, researchers, developers, and manufacturers of video processing systems and products need to handle many different formats "out of the box".

Embedded computing systems have gained a tremendous amount of functionality and processing power and, at the same time, can now be integrated into a Multi-Processor System-on-Chip (MPSoC). The design of MPSoCs, however, faces great challenges due to the huge complexity of these systems. The goal of the overall project is to optimize the modeling of embedded systems such that targeted properties of the intended product can be quickly and precisely predicted, and the system can be efficiently implemented based on its abstract model. This includes the use of an adequate model of computation, a systematic analysis of system models using well-defined metrics, the identification of essential properties and

proper abstraction levels, and the development of efficient modeling techniques and guidelines.

1.1 Need for Video Converter

For the success of the overall project, a driver application is essential. This application needs to demonstrate the feasibility and benefits of result-oriented system-level modeling techniques of the overall research. The project team is using the Advanced Video Coding (AVC) standard H.264 as the driving application. H.264, also known as MPEG-4, is an advanced standard for video compression [3]. Its free availability and high complexity makes it an ideal, industry-sized example for our system modeling.

In order to effectively evaluate the performance of firmware with different H.264 processing algorithms on embedded processors, the developed flexible and sharable converter is necessary. This converter is written in C and generates digital video streams for use as input and output data with varying degrees of complexity. Using this program, a variety of edited streams will be created having attributes which include, black and white, negative image, edited frame resolutions, and black and white pixelization.

2 A Flexible Video Converter

In the following sections, we will describe our video converter in detail.

2.1 General Program Flow

When discussing the use and implementation of the video converter program, it is first necessary to discuss the general flow of the program. Our program converts a standard ".yuv" video stream to either an edited stream or a picture of a single frame, Figure 1. When running the program, the user specifies the input ".yuv" video stream of a 4:2:0 format which is to be edited. The file is then read into the program and whether or not the user desires, the program will output another ".yuv" 4:2:0 format stream or a ".ppm" image.

Figure 1 shows the general flow, from input to output of the YUVconverter.

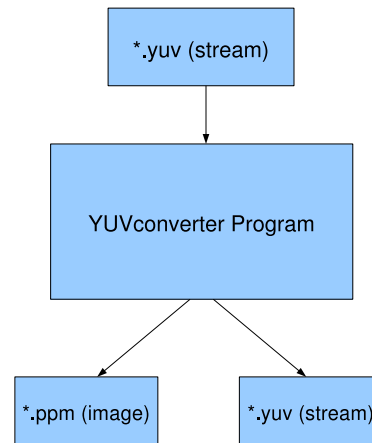


Figure 1: General Flow of YUVconverter

2.2 Internal Program Flow

A view of the internal flow of the program can be seen in Figure 2.

The YUV video stream is read in frame by frame to minimize the amount of memory required during program run time. For optimal memory allocation, we use dynamic memory functions. Once a frame is read in, it is converted and formatted to regular RGB arrays having individual values for each pixel location. The conversion was done by applying a formula to corresponding YUV values [8].

Following this, the program enters a loop to apply the desired edits. These edits redefine the RGB values for each pixel. With the edits completed, the program either resizes the frame or passes these values straight to a save function.

Resolution editing is done by building a second set of arrays from original RGB values with desired output dimensions. Using RGB arrays, whether it is the resized or initial set, the program finally writes a ".ppm" file with these values, or converts back to YUV and appends current frame data to the ".yuv" stream being saved. When a video stream is being created the program will run through the described process for each frame, until all the frames desired are saved.

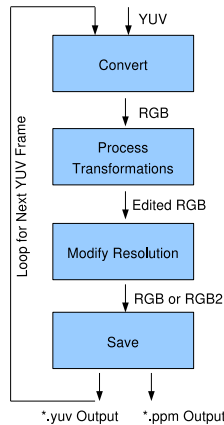


Figure 2: Internal Flow of YUVconverter



Figure 3: Original Example Frame

3 User Manual for YUVconverter

In the following sections, we will describe the features, usage and limitations of the YUVconverter program in detail.

3.1 Features

The converter has a set of supported features and edits. These features are executed one of two ways. The converter can either create a snapshot of any frame in the input video stream, outputting a ".ppm" image, or the program can create a video stream from a specified initial frame to a desired final frame.

The video converter supports various image manipulation operations that can be applied to either the output .ppm image or the .yuv stream. To illustrate the effect of these operations, we will use frame 40 of the stream "coastguard" [1].

Figure 3 shows the original unmodified frame 40 from the "coastguard" stream. The picture was extracted from the stream using our YUV converter with the frame option -f. The actual command line call for this is as follows:

```
YUV coastguard.yuv -f 40
```

The features and usage of the features are listed below:

3.1.1 Negative conversion

The YUVconverter program can convert an input frame into a negative image using option -n. This operation replaces each RGB value with the difference of their value and the max color value, (255).

Figure 4 shows the negative image of the original frame in Figure 3.

3.1.2 Black and white

The YUVconverter program can convert an input frame into a black and white image using option -bw. This operation replaces each RGB value with the average of the RGB values at the corresponding pixel location.

Figure 5 shows the black and white image of the original frame in Figure 3, when -bw is applied.

3.1.3 Horizontal flip

The operation, (-hf), creates a horizontally mirrored image of the input frame. This is done by reassigning pixel values at corresponding positions.

Figure 6 displays the horizontal flip operation on Figure 3.



Figure 4: Example video frame after Negative Operation

3.1.4 Vertical flip

The operation, $(-v\bar{f})$, is nearly the same as "horizontal flip" except the image is mirrored vertically.

Figure 7 displays the vertical flip operation applied on Figure 3.

3.1.5 Noise

The option, $(-noise)$, is followed by a percentage which indicates the amount of black and white pixelation to the input frame at random pixel positions.

Figure 8 displays the noise operation applied on Figure 3.

3.1.6 Frame selection

The option, $(-f)$, is followed by a frame number corresponding to the initial frame of the input ".yuv" stream desired to read in. If another number is not entered after the initial frame, the program will create a ".ppm" image of the specified frame. If another number is entered, this will indicate the frame to which a video stream should be created. This is done by reading one frame in at a time until all frames have been read and saved. Through this process it is possible to create a video stream that displays the frames of the input stream in the opposite order, playing it "backwards".



Figure 5: Example video frame after Black and White

3.1.7 Step

The option, $(-s)$, allows the user to specify a number which corresponds to which frames are read into the program. A number must be entered after the option that states the ratio of input video frames per output frame. Thus, the result of entering a number greater than one is skipping over some input frames, making the video run faster. In contrast, if a number less than one is entered, input frames will be used more than once creating multiple output frames. In turn, the video will play slower.

3.1.8 Input resolution

When the option, $(-r)$, is entered, it must be followed by two numbers, defining the height and width of the input stream. If this option is not entered, the input stream is assumed to have default dimensions, (352 x 288). Note that, if the resolution specified does not match the resolution of the video, the output will be completely scattered and visually undiscernable. As a result also the output will have default dimensions.

3.1.9 Output resolution

The option, $(-r2)$, when followed by height and width dimensions, defines the resolution of the output file. When this option is entered, the program enters another function which defines a frame of the desired



Figure 6: Example video frame after Horizontal Mirroring

output resolution from the edited input frame. Thus, images can be scaled to any desired output size.

3.1.10 Input file name

The option, `(-i)`, is entered before the input file name. By entering this option it tells the program what file to read in. It should not be assumed that when this option is used it is not necessary to enter a output file name because all that is being defined is the input file name. If this option is not entered, the program will automatically look for a base name at the second position on the command. The input file would then constructed by appending `”_cif.yuv”` to the base name.

3.1.11 Output file name

The option, `(-o)`, is entered before the output file name without the file type ending. When the file is being saved, the appropriate ending is added to the output file name, `(.ppm` or `.yuv)`.

3.2 Usage

Figure 9 presents all the possible options to enter on the command line. In the example call, the result would be a stream created from file, `”coastguard_cif.yuv”`, running backwards from the 20th to

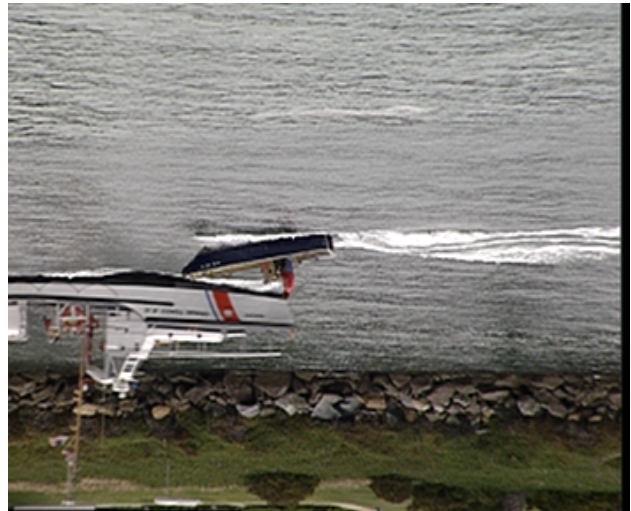


Figure 7: Example video frame after Vertical Flip

the 14th frame, skipping every other input frame. The output would also be enlarged to 500x500 pixels and be the negative of the input.

3.3 Limitations

The current implementation of the YUVconverter has a few limitations to its uses. First, the program does not have an imbedded `”.ppm”` to `”.jpg”` converter. This makes viewing output frames more difficult because applications which display `”.ppm”` images are less common than those which can handle `”.jpg”` files.

Second, at this point the converter can only handle 4:2:0 YUV format type, which negelects to address 4:2:2 and 4:4:4 file formats.

Third, in order read in a YUV file correctly it is necessary to know the resolution of the video stream.

4 Summary

The YUVconverter program reads in a 4:2:0 type YUV video stream and produces various outputs. The program is able to create a negative, black and white, both horizontally and virtically flipped, and noisy image frames. Some other possible edits include, resolution adjustment and frame skipping and addition.



Figure 8: Example video frame after Noise Operation

Proper Operation Call	Result
-i <input file name>	This tells YUVconverter what file to read in.
-o <output file name>	This defines the output name.
-f <initial frame> <final frame>	This creates a .yuv stream from initial frame to final frame.
-f <desired frame>	This creates a .ppm image of entered desired frame.
-r <input width> <input height>	This tells YUVconverter what the input stream resolution is.
-r2 <output width> <output height>	This defines the output resolution
-r2 <output width> <output height> -t	This defines the output resolution and creates tiling.
-s <step size>	This adds or drops frames from original stream.
-n	This makes the output image or stream negative.
-hf	This mirrors the image horizontally.
-vf	This mirrors the image vertically.
-bw	This makes the output image or stream black and white.
-noise <percent noise>	This adds black and white pixels at random pixel locations.

Example Program Call:
 YUV -i coastguard_cif.yuv -o coast -f 20 14 -n -s 2 -r2 500 500

Figure 9: Operations Chart

4.1 Future Work

With the converter completed, testing on the H.264 encoder and decoder are now possible. Test loops are to be done, checking the efficiency of the coding process. Cycles using varying stream complexities will be used to find the best implementation for the chips.

The test loop that will be conducted on the H.264 decoder can be seen in Figure 10 using a test ".mp4" type video, the designed H.264 decoder will convert the file to a ".yuv" stream. This stream will then be run in the YUVconverter, applying desired edits and outputting another ".yuv" stream. Following this, the edited file will then be encoded by the H.264 encoder completing one test loop.

We plan to initially conduct tests on a program that simulates chip function, allowing cheap and efficient

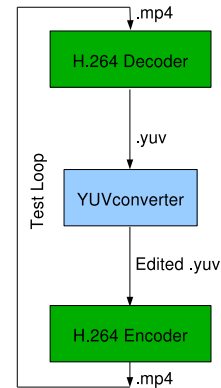


Figure 10: Test Loop

design alteration. Data will be collected and plotted on a chart displaying the relationship between effort and performance.

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A Appendix

The following Section A.1 lists the source code of the video converter described in this report. The listed source file follows ANSI-C coding guidelines and should be portable to any ANSI-C compliant programming environment. This code has been successfully compiled and used on Linux Fedora Core 4 and Mac OS.

A.1 Source Code for YUVconverter

The following listing shows the source code for YUVconverter.

```
1  /*YUVconverter, version 1.0*/
2  /*Author: Timothy Bohr*/
3  /*09/16/2008*/
4  /*Copyright Timothy Bohr*/
5
6  #include <stdio.h>
7  #include <stdlib.h>
8  #include <string.h>
9  #include <math.h>
10 #include <assert.h>
11
12 /* global definitions */
13 #define WIDTH 352 /*default width*/
14 #define HEIGHT 288 /*default height*/
15
16 /*frame structure definitions*/
17 typedef struct rgbframe {
18     unsigned char *R;
19     unsigned char *G;
20     unsigned char *B;
21 }RGBframe;
22
23 typedef struct yuvframe {
24     unsigned char *Y;
25     unsigned char *U;
26     unsigned char *V;
27 }YUVframe;
28
29 /*read frame from a file*/
30 int ReadFrame(YUVframe *YUV, const char *fname, int *iframe, int fframe, unsigned int width,
31 unsigned int height, float s);
32
33 /*convert YUV to RGB*/
34 int YUVconverter(RGBframe *RGB, YUVframe *YUV, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
35
36 /*convert RGB back to YUV*/
37 int YUVreconverter(RGBframe *RGB, YUVframe *YUV, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
38
39 /*save a converted frame*/
40 int SaveFrame(RGBframe *RGB, const char *fname, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
41
42 /*save a yuv stream*/
```

```

43 int SaveYUV(RGBframe *RGB, RGBframe *RGB2, YUVframe *YUV, YUVframe *YUV2, const char *fname,
44             const char *fin, unsigned int width, unsigned int height, int width2,
45             int height2, int *iframe, unsigned int fframe, int n, int h, int v, int bw,
46             float s, int noise, int degree, int tile);
47
48 /*create nagative image*/
49 void Negative(RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
50
51 /* flip image horizontally */
52 void HFlip(RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
53
54 /* flip image vertically */
55 void VFlip(RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
56
57 /*create black and white*/
58 void BW(RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height);
59
60 /*add noise to frames*/
61 void AddNoise(RGBframe *RGB, int degree, int width, int height);
62
63 /*adjust to output resolution*/
64 void ADJres(RGBframe *RGB, RGBframe *RGB2, int width, int height, int width2, int height2);
65
66 /*create tiling in desired output resolution*/
67 void Tile(RGBframe *RGB, RGBframe *RGB2, int width, int height, int width2, int height2);
68
69 /*print possible options for program*/
70 void printoptions(void);
71
72
73 /*entering main function*/
74 int main( int argc, char *argv[])
75 {
76     /*defining local variables*/
77
78     char *fin = NULL; /*input file name*/
79     char *fout = NULL; /*output file name*/
80     int E = 0; /*possible error return*/
81     int iframe = 0, fframe = (-1); /*frame numbers*/
82     unsigned int height = HEIGHT, width = WDIH; /*dimensions*/
83     unsigned int height2, width2; /*dimensions of output stream*/
84     int x = 0; /*parameter*/
85     int n = 0; /*flag for negative*/
86     int h = 0; /*flag for horizontal flip*/
87     int v = 0; /*flag for vertical flip*/
88     float s = 1; /*flag for skipping or multiplying frames*/
89     int bw = 0; /*flag for black and white*/
90     int noise = 0; /*flag for adding noise*/
91     int degree; /*the percent noise*/
92     int tile = 0; /*flag for tiling*/
93     unsigned int size; /*contains size of pointers*/
94

```

```

95  /*declaring structures*/
96  RGBframe RGB = {NULL, NULL, NULL};
97  YUVframe YUV = {NULL, NULL, NULL};
98  RGBframe RGB2 = {NULL, NULL, NULL};
99  YUVframe YUV2 = {NULL, NULL, NULL};
100
101 /*declaring pointers*/
102 RGBframe * RGBptr = NULL;
103 YUVframe * YUVptr = NULL;
104 RGBframe * RGB2ptr = NULL;
105 YUVframe * YUV2ptr = NULL;
106
107
108 /*entering while loop to check options entered*/
109 while(x < argc)
110     {if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-i"))
111         {if(x < argc - 1)
112             {fin = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * (strlen(&argv[x+1][0]) + 1));
113               strcpy( fin , argv[x+1]);
114               }/*fi*/
115             else
116                 {printf("Missing_argument_for_input_name!");
117                   return 5;
118                   }/*else*/
119             x += 2;
120             continue;
121             }/*fi*/
122         if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-o"))
123             {if(x < argc - 1)
124                 {fout = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * (strlen(&argv[x+1][0]) + strlen(".ppm") + 1));
125                   strcpy( fout , argv[x+1]);
126                   }/*fi*/
127                 else
128                     {printf("Missing_argument_for_output_name!");
129                       return 5;
130                       }/*else*/
131                 x += 2;
132                 continue;
133                 }/*fi*/
134             if(0 == strcmp(argv[x], "-f"))
135                 {if(argc < (x + 1) || 0 == isdigit(argv[x+1][0]))
136                     {printf("\nDesired_frame_not_entered!\n");
137                       printoptions();
138                       return 5;
139                       }/*fi*/
140                     else
141                         {iframe = atoi(argv[x+1]);
142                           }/*else*/
143                     if(argc > (x + 2) && 0 != isdigit(argv[x+2][0]))
144                         {fframe = atoi(argv[x+2]);
145                           x++;
146                           }/*fi*/

```

```

147     x += 2;
148     continue;
149     }/*fi*/
150     if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-r"))
151     {if(argc < (x + 1) || 0 == isdigit(argv[x+1][0]))
152     {printf("\nInput_width_was_not_entered!\n");
153     printoptions();
154     return 5;
155     }/*fi*/
156     else
157     {width = atoi(argv[x+1]);
158     }/*esle*/
159     if(argc < (x + 2) || 0 == isdigit(argv[x+2][0]))
160     {printf("\nInput_height_was_not_entered!\n");
161     printoptions();
162     return 5;
163     }/*fi*/
164     else
165     {height = atoi(argv[x+2]);
166     }/*esle*/
167     x += 3;
168     continue;
169     }/*fi*/
170     if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-r2"))
171     {if(argc < (x + 1) || 0 == isdigit(argv[x+1][0]))
172     {printf("\nOutput_width_was_not_entered!\n");
173     printoptions();
174     return 5;
175     }/*fi*/
176     else
177     {width2 = atoi(argv[x+1]);
178     }/*esle*/
179     if(argc < (x + 2) || 0 == isdigit(argv[x+2][0]))
180     {printf("\nOutput_height_was_not_entered!\n");
181     printoptions();
182     return 5;
183     }/*fi*/
184     else
185     {height2 = atoi(argv[x+2]);
186     }/*esle*/
187     if((x + 3) < argc && 0 == strcmp(&argv[x + 3][0], "-t"))
188     {tile = 1;
189     x++;
190     }/*fi*/
191     x += 3;
192     continue;
193     }/*fi*/
194     if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-s"))
195     {if(argc < (x + 1))
196     {printf("Missing_step_size_entry!");
197     return 5;
198     }/*fi*/

```

```

199     s = atof(argv[x+1]);
200     x += 2;
201     continue;
202     }/*fi*/
203 if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-n"))
204     {n = 1;
205     x++;
206     continue;
207     }/*fi*/
208 if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-hf"))
209     {h = 1;
210     x++;
211     continue;
212     }/*fi*/
213 if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-vf"))
214     {v = 1;
215     x++;
216     continue;
217     }/*fi*/
218 if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-bw"))
219     {bw = 1;
220     x++;
221     continue;
222     }/*fi*/
223 if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-noise"))
224     {if(argc < (x + 1) || 0 == isdigit(argv[x+1][0]))
225         {printf("Missing_degree_noise!\n");
226         return 5;
227         }/*fi*/
228     degree = atoi(argv[x+1]);
229     noise = 1;
230     x += 2;
231     continue;
232     }/*fi*/
233 if(0 == strcmp(&argv[x][0], "-h"))
234     { printoptions();
235     return 0;
236     }/*fi*/
237 x++;
238 }/*elihw*/
239
240 /*allocate memory*/
241 size = width * height * sizeof(unsigned char);
242
243 YUV.Y = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
244 YUV.U = (unsigned char *)malloc(size/4);
245 YUV.V = (unsigned char *)malloc(size/4);
246
247 RGB.R = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
248 RGB.G = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
249 RGB.B = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
250

```



```

251  /*checking for error allocating memory*/
252  if(!RGB.R || !RGB.G || !RGB.B || !YUV.Y || !YUV.U || !YUV.V)
253      {printf("Out_of_memory!");
254      return 20;
255      }/*fi*/
256
257  if(width2 != 0 || height2 != 0)
258      {
259      /*Redefine the size necessary to allocate*/
260      size = width2 * height2 * sizeof(unsigned char);
261
262      /*allocating memory for resizing*/
263      YUV2.Y = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
264      YUV2.U = (unsigned char *)malloc(size/4);
265      YUV2.V = (unsigned char *)malloc(size/4);
266
267      RGB2.R = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
268      RGB2.G = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
269      RGB2.B = (unsigned char *)malloc(size);
270
271      /*checking for error allocating memory*/
272      if(!RGB2.R || !RGB2.G || !RGB2.B || !YUV2.Y || !YUV2.U || !YUV2.V)
273          {printf("Out_of_memory!");
274          return 20;
275          }/*fi*/
276      }/*fi*/
277
278      /*creating pointers to structures*/
279      RGBptr = &RGB;
280      YUVptr = &YUV;
281      RGB2ptr = &RGB2;
282      YUV2ptr = &YUV2;
283
284      /*checking for missing file names*/
285      if(argc < 2)
286          {printf("Missing_base_name_argument!");
287          return 20;
288          }/*fi*/
289
290      /*defining File names if base name entered*/
291      if(fin == NULL)
292          {fin = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * (strlen(&argv[1][0]) + strlen("_cif.yuv") + 1));
293          strcpy(fin, argv[1]);
294          strcat( fin, "_cif.yuv");
295          }/*fi*/
296      if(fout == NULL)
297          {fout = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * (strlen(&argv[1][0]) + strlen(".ppm") + 1));
298          strcpy(fout, argv[1]);
299          }/*fi*/
300
301
302      /*creating a YUV stream*/

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303 if(fframe != (-1))
304     {
305     /*print parameters*/
306     printf("Initial frame:%d\n", iframe);
307     printf("Final frame:%d\n", fframe);
308     /*printing for originally sized frame*/
309     if(width2 != 0 || height2 != 0)
310         {printf("Width2:%d\n", width2);
311         printf("Height2:%d\n", height2);
312         }/*fi*/
313     /*printing for resized frame*/
314     else
315         {printf("Width:%d\n", width);
316         printf("Height:%d\n", height);
317         }/*esle*/
318
319     /*appending proper ending to input string*/
320     strcat( fout, ".yuv");
321
322     SaveYUV(RGBptr, RGB2ptr, YUVptr, YUV2ptr, fout, fin, width, height, width2, height2,
323            &iframe, fframe, n, h, v, bw, s, noise, degree, tile);
324     }/*fi*/
325
326     /*creating a sigle PPM image*/
327     else
328     {
329     /*defining appropriate ending of .ppm*/
330     strcat( fout, ".ppm");
331
332     /*reading in frame and checking for error*/
333     E = ReadFrame(YUVptr, fin, &iframe, fframe, width, height, s);
334     if (E != 0)
335         {return 10;
336         }/*fi*/
337
338     /*Printing parameters*/
339     printf("Frame:%d\n", iframe);
340
341     if(width2 != 0 || height2 != 0)
342         {printf("Width2:%d\n", width2);
343         printf("Height2:%d\n", height2);
344         }/*fi*/
345     else
346         {printf("Width:%d\n", width);
347         printf("Height:%d\n", height);
348         }/*esle*/
349
350     /*converting YUV -> RGB*/
351     YUVconverter(RGBptr, YUVptr, width, height);
352
353     /*applying desired edits*/
354     if(n == 1)

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355         {Negative(RGBptr, width, height);
356         }/*fi*/
357     if(h == 1)
358         {HFlip(RGBptr, width, height);
359         }/*fi*/
360     if(v == 1)
361         {VFlip(RGBptr, width, height);
362         }/*fi*/
363     if(bw == 1)
364         {BW(RGBptr, width, height);
365         }/*fi*/
366     if(noise == 1)
367         {AddNoise(RGBptr, degree, width, height);
368         }/*fi*/
369
370     /*saving RGB to ppm and checking for error*/
371     if(width2 != 0 || height2 != 0)
372         {if(tile == 1)
373             {Tile(RGBptr, RGB2ptr, width, height, width2, height2);
374             }/*fi*/
375         else
376             {ADJres(RGBptr, RGB2ptr, width, height, width2, height2);
377             }/*esle*/
378         E = SaveFrame(RGB2ptr, fout, width2, height2);
379         if (E != 0)
380             {return 10;
381             }/*fi*/
382         }/*fi*/
383     else
384         {E = SaveFrame(RGBptr, fout, width, height);
385         if (E != 0)
386             {return 10;
387             }/*fi*/
388         }/*esle*/
389
390     }/*esle*/
391
392     /*freeing up memory*/
393     free(YUV.Y);
394     free(YUV.U);
395     free(YUV.V);
396     free(RGB.R);
397     free(RGB.G);
398     free(RGB.B);
399
400     YUV.Y = NULL;
401     YUV.U = NULL;
402     YUV.V = NULL;
403     RGB.R = NULL;
404     RGB.G = NULL;
405     RGB.B = NULL;
406

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407 free(fin);
408 free(fout);
409
410 if(width2 != 0 || height2 != 0)
411     {free(YUV2.Y);
412     free(YUV2.U);
413     free(YUV2.V);
414     free(RGB2.R);
415     free(RGB2.G);
416     free(RGB2.B);
417
418     YUV2.Y = NULL;
419     YUV2.U = NULL;
420     YUV2.V = NULL;
421     RGB2.R = NULL;
422     RGB2.G = NULL;
423     RGB2.B = NULL;
424     }/*fi*/
425
426 printf("Conversion successfully done!\n");
427
428 /*terminating program*/
429 return 0;
430 }
431
432 int SaveFrame( RGBframe *RGB, const char *fname, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
433 {
434     /*defining local variables*/
435     FILE *File;
436     int i,j;
437
438
439     /*opening stream*/
440     File = fopen(fname, "w");
441
442     /*checking for possible error*/
443     if (!File)
444         {printf("\nCan not open file \"%s\" for writing!\n", fname);
445         return 1;
446         }/*fi*/
447
448     /*writing file information*/
449     fprintf( File, "P6\n");
450     fprintf( File, "%di%d\n", width, height);
451     fprintf( File, "255\n");
452
453
454     /*allocating pixel values to stream*/
455     for( j = 0; j < height; j++)
456         {for( i = 0; i < width; i++)
457             {
458                 fputc(RGB->R[i + width * j], File);

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459         fputc( RGB->G[i + width * j], File);
460         fputc( RGB->B[i + width * j], File);
461     } /*rof*/
462 } /*rof*/
463
464
465     /*checking for error*/
466     if (ferror(File))
467     {
468         printf("\nFile_error_while_writing_to_file!\n");
469         return 2;
470     } /*fi*/
471
472     /*closing stream and terminating function*/
473     fclose( File );
474     printf("%s_was_saved_successfully.\n", fname);
475
476     /*terminating read*/
477     return 0;
478 }
479
480 int SaveYUV( RGBframe *RGB, RGBframe *RGB2, YUVframe *YUV, YUVframe *YUV2, const char *fname,
481             const char *fin, unsigned int width, unsigned int height, int width2, int height2,
482             int *iframe, unsigned int fframe, int n, int h, int v, int bw, float s, int noise,
483             int degree, int tile)
484 {
485     /*defining local variables*/
486     FILE *File;
487     int pixel;
488     int E = 0; /*error report*/
489     int cut = 0; /*flag for break loop*/
490
491     /*opening stream*/
492     File = fopen(fname, "w");
493
494     /*checking for possible error*/
495     if (!File)
496     {
497         printf("\nCan_not_open_file_%s_for_writing!\n", fname);
498         return 1;
499     } /*fi*/
500
501     while(cut != 1)
502     {if(*iframe == fframe)
503         {cut = 1;
504         } /*fi*/
505
506     E= ReadFrame(YUV, fin, iframe, fframe, width, height, s);
507     if(E != 0)
508     {return 1;
509     } /*fi*/
510

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511  /*converting YUV -> RGB*/
512  YUVconverter(RGB, YUV, width, height);
513
514  /*applying desired edits*/
515  if(n == 1)
516      {Negative(RGB, width, height);
517       }/*fi*/
518  if(h == 1)
519      {HFlip(RGB, width, height);
520       }/*fi*/
521  if(v == 1)
522      {VFlip(RGB, width, height);
523       }/*fi*/
524  if(bw == 1)
525      {BW(RGB, width, height);
526       }/*fi*/
527  if(noise == 1)
528      {AddNoise(RGB, degree, width, height);
529       }/*fi*/
530
531  /*incorporating resizing*/
532  if(width2 != 0 || height2 != 0)
533      {if(tile == 1)
534          {
535              /*define RGB2 from RGB in tiles*/
536              Tile(RGB, RGB2, width, height, width2, height2);
537              }/*fi*/
538          else
539              {
540                  /*define RGB2 from RGB for resizing*/
541                  ADJres(RGB, RGB2, width, height, width2, height2);
542                  }/*esle*/
543
544              YUVreconverter(RGB2, YUV2, width2, height2);
545
546              /*allocating pixel values to stream*/
547
548              for( pixel = 0; pixel < height2 * width2; pixel++)
549                  {fputc(YUV2->Y[pixel], File);
550                   }/*rof*/
551              for( pixel = 0; pixel < (height2 / 2) * (width2 / 2); pixel++)
552                  {fputc(YUV2->U[pixel], File);
553                   }/*rof*/
554              for( pixel = 0; pixel < (height2 / 2) * (width2 / 2); pixel++)
555                  {fputc(YUV2->V[pixel], File);
556                   }/*rof*/
557
558              }/*fi*/
559
560          else
561              {
562                  /*reconvert edited RGB -> YUV*/

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563     YUVreconverter(RGB, YUV, width, height);
564
565     /* allocating pixel values to stream */
566
567     for( pixel = 0; pixel < height * width; pixel++)
568         {fputc(YUV->Y[pixel], File);
569         } /*rof*/
570     for( pixel = 0; pixel < height/2*width/2; pixel++)
571         {fputc(YUV->U[pixel], File);
572         } /*rof*/
573     for( pixel = 0; pixel < height/2*width/2; pixel++)
574         {fputc(YUV->V[pixel], File);
575         } /*rof*/
576
577     } /* esle */
578 } /* elihw */
579
580
581 /* checking for error */
582 if (ferror(File))
583 {
584     printf("\nFile error while writing to file!\n");
585     return 2;
586 } /* fi */
587
588 /* closing stream and terminating function */
589 fclose( File );
590 printf("%s was saved successfully.\n", fname);
591
592 return 0;
593 }
594
595 int ReadFrame(YUVframe *YUV, const char *fname, int *iframe, int fframe, unsigned int width,
596             unsigned int height, float s)
597 {
598     /* defining local variables */
599     FILE *File;
600     int pixel;
601     static float step;
602     static int count = 0;
603
604     /* opening file stream */
605     File = fopen(fname, "r");
606
607     /* checking error */
608     if (!File)
609     {
610         printf("\nCan not open file \"%s\" for reading!\n", fname);
611         return 1;
612     } /* fi */
613
614     printf("step = %f, s = %f, fframe = %d and iframe = %d in read\n", step, s, fframe, *iframe );

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615
616  /*define YUV arrays*/
617  /*find desired frame*/
618  if(iframe > 0)
619      {fseek(File, 1.5 * (*iframe) * width * height, SEEK_SET);
620      }/*fi*/
621
622  for( pixel = 0; pixel < height * width; pixel++)
623      {
624      YUV->Y[pixel] = fgetc(File);
625      }/*rof*/
626      assert(pixel == (height * width));
627  for( pixel = 0; pixel < height/2*width/2; pixel++)
628      {
629      YUV->U[pixel] = fgetc(File);
630      }/*rof*/
631      assert(pixel == (height * width / 4));
632  for( pixel = 0; pixel < height/2*width/2; pixel++)
633      {
634      YUV->V[pixel] = fgetc(File);
635      }/*rof*/
636      assert(pixel == (height * width / 4));
637
638  /*checking for error*/
639  if (ferror(File))
640      {
641      printf("\nFile_error_while_reading_from_file!\n");
642      return 2;
643      }/*fi*/
644
645  printf("%s_was_read_successfully!\n", fname);
646
647  if(count == 0)
648      {step = *iframe;
649      }/*fi*/
650
651  /*dealing with following frame determination*/
652  if(step > (fframe - s) && step < (fframe + s))
653      {*iframe = fframe;
654      count = (-1);
655      }/*fi*/
656
657  if(fframe > *iframe && fframe != -1)
658      {step += s;
659      }/*fi*/
660
661  if(fframe < *iframe && fframe != -1)
662      {step -= s;
663      }/*fi*/
664
665  if(count != (-1))
666      {*iframe = step + 0.5;

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667     }/*fi*/
668
669     count++;
670
671     /*closing stream and terminating*/
672     fclose(File);
673
674     return 0;
675 }
676
677 int YUVconverter( RGBframe *RGB, YUVframe *YUV, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
678 {
679     /*defining local variables*/
680
681     int C, D, E; /*variables in conversion formulae*/
682     int count = 0; /*pixel number in RGB and Y pointers*/
683     int r, g, b; /*temporary variables*/
684     int reset = 1; /*flag for recounting a row for U and V pointers*/
685     int slow_count = 0; /*counter to establish UV pixel*/
686     int width_count = 0; /*counter for reset*/
687
688     while(count < height * width)
689     {if(width_count == width)
690         {reset += 1;
691           width_count = 0;
692           }/*fi*/
693
694     if(reset == 2)
695         {slow_count = slow_count - width;
696           reset = 0;
697           }
698
699     assert((slow_count/2) < (width * height/4));
700
701     C = (int)YUV->Y[count] - 16;
702     D = (int)YUV->U[slow_count/2] - 128;
703     E = (int)YUV->V[slow_count/2] - 128;
704
705
706     /*defining intermediary variables*/
707     r = (298 * C + 409 * E + 128) >> 8;
708     g = (298 * C - 100 * D - 208 * E + 128) >> 8;
709     b = (298 * C + 516 * D + 128) >> 8;
710
711     /*passing intermediary values to global pointers*/
712     RGB->R[count] = (unsigned char)r;
713     RGB->G[count] = (unsigned char)g;
714     RGB->B[count] = (unsigned char)b;
715
716     /*checking for byte overflow and if so redefining to either 0 or 255*/
717     if(r < 0)
718         {RGB->R[count] = 0;}

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719     if(r > 255)
720         {RGB->R[count] = 255;}
721     if(g < 0)
722         {RGB->G[count] = 0;}
723     if(g > 255)
724         {RGB->G[count] = 255;}
725     if(b < 0)
726         {RGB->B[count] = 0;}
727     if(b > 255)
728         {RGB->B[count] = 255;}
729
730     /*incrementing counters*/
731     slow_count++;
732     count++;
733     width_count++;
734
735     }/*elihw*/
736
737     assert(count == (width * height));
738
739     /*terminating function*/
740     return 0;
741 }
742
743 int YUVreconverter(RGBframe *RGB, YUVframe *YUV, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
744 {
745     /*defining local variables*/
746     int i, j;
747     int y, u, v;
748     int count = 0;
749
750     /*going through for loop to convert each pixel*/
751     for( j = 0; j < height; j++)
752         {for( i = 0; i < width; i++)
753             {
754                 /*defining intermediary y*/
755                 y = (( 66 * RGB->R[i + width * j] + 129 * RGB->G[i + width * j] +
756                     25 * RGB->B[i + width * j] + 128) >> 8) + 16;
757
758                 /*passing intermediary values to global pointers*/
759                 YUV->Y[count] = (unsigned char)y;
760
761                 /*checking for byte overflow and if so redefining to either 0 or 255*/
762                 if(y < 0)
763                     {YUV->Y[count] = 0;
764                     }/*fi*/
765                 if(y > 255)
766                     {YUV->Y[count] = 255;
767                     }/*fi*/
768                 count++;
769                 }/*rof*/
770             }/*rof*/

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771
772  /*reinitializing counter*/
773  count = 0;
774
775  /*going through for loop to convert each pixel*/
776  for( j = 0; j < height; j+=2)
777      {for( i = 0; i < width; i+=2)
778          {
779              /*defining intermediary u and v*/
780              u = (( (-38) * RGB->R[i + width * j] - 74 * RGB->G[i + width * j] +
781                  112 * RGB->B[i + width * j] + 128) >> 8) + 128;
782              v = (( 112 * RGB->R[i + width * j] - 94 * RGB->G[i + width * j] -
783                  18 * RGB->B[i + width * j] + 128) >> 8) + 128;
784
785              /*passing intermediary values to global pointers*/
786              YUV->U[count] = (unsigned char)u;
787              YUV->V[count] = (unsigned char)v;
788
789              /*checking for byte overflow and if so redefining to either 0 or 255*/
790              if(u < 0)
791                  {YUV->U[count] = 0;}
792              if(u > 255)
793                  {YUV->U[count] = 255;}
794              if(v < 0)
795                  {YUV->V[count] = 0;}
796              if(v > 255)
797                  {YUV->V[count] = 255;}
798
799              count++;
800              }/*rof*/
801          }/*rof*/
802
803          printf("reconversion done!\n");
804
805          /*terminating function*/
806          return 0;
807      }
808
809 void ADJres(RGBframe *RGB, RGBframe *RGB2, int width, int height, int width2, int height2)
810 {
811     int i, j;
812     float scalex = (float)width2 / (float)width;
813     float scaley = (float)height2 / (float)height;
814
815     for (j=0; j < height2; j++)
816         {for (i=0; i < width2; i++)
817             {assert((i + width2 * j) < height2 * width2);
818                 assert(((int)(i/scalex) + width * (int)(j/scaley)) < width * height);
819                 assert((i < width2) && (j < height2));
820
821                 RGB2->R[i + width2 * j] = RGB->R[(int)(i/scalex) + width * (int)(j/scaley)];
822                 RGB2->G[i + width2 * j] = RGB->G[(int)(i/scalex) + width * (int)(j/scaley)];

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823     RGB2->B[i + width2 * j] = RGB->B[(int)(i/scalex) + width * (int)(j/scaley)];
824     }/*rof*/
825 }/*rof*/
826 }
827
828 void Tile( RGBframe *RGB, RGBframe *RGB2, int width, int height, int width2, int height2)
829 {
830     int i, j, x, y;
831     assert(width > 0);
832     assert(height > 0);
833
834     for (j=0, y=0; j < height2; j++, y++)
835     {for (i=0, x=0; i < width2; i++, x++)
836         {RGB2->R[i + width2 * j] = RGB->R[x + width * y];
837         RGB2->G[i + width2 * j] = RGB->G[x + width * y];
838         RGB2->B[i + width2 * j] = RGB->B[x + width * y];
839
840         if(x + 1 == width)
841             {x = 0;
842             }/*fi*/
843         if(y + 1 == height)
844             {y = 0;
845             }/*fi*/
846
847         }/*rof*/
848     }/*rof*/
849 }
850
851 /* reverse image color */
852 void Negative( RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
853 {
854     /*defining local variables*/
855     int i=0, j=0;
856
857     /*redefining pixels*/
858     for (i=0; i < width; i++)
859     {for (j=0; j < height; j++)
860         {RGB->R[i + width * j] = 255 - RGB->R[i + width * j];
861         RGB->G[i + width * j] = 255 - RGB->G[i + width * j];
862         RGB->B[i + width * j] = 255 - RGB->B[i + width * j];
863         }/*rof*/
864     }/*rof*/
865
866     /*displaying completion*/
867     printf("\nNegative\`_is_done!\n");
868 }
869
870 /* flip image horizontally */
871 void HFlip( RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
872 {
873     /*defining local variables*/
874     int i, j, temp;

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875
876 /*redefining pixels*/
877 for (j=0; j < height; j++)
878     {for (i=0; i < width/2; i++)
879         {temp = RGB->R[i + width * j];
880          RGB->R[i + width * j] = RGB->R[(width - i - 1) + width * j];
881          RGB->R[(width - i - 1) + width * j] = temp;
882
883          temp = RGB->G[i + width * j];
884          RGB->G[i + width * j] = RGB->G[(width - i - 1) + width * j];
885          RGB->G[(width - i - 1) + width * j] = temp;
886
887          temp = RGB->B[i + width * j];
888          RGB->B[i + width * j] = RGB->B[(width - i - 1) + width * j];
889          RGB->B[(width - i - 1) + width * j] = temp;
890          }/*rof*/
891     }/*rof*/
892
893 /*displaying completion*/
894 printf("\nHorizontal_Flip\n_is_done!\n");
895 }
896
897 void VFlip(RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
898 {
899     /*defining local variables*/
900     int i, j, temp;
901
902     /*redifining pixels*/
903     for (j=0; j < height/2; j++)
904         {for (i=0; i < width; i++)
905             {temp = RGB->R[i + width * j];
906              RGB->R[i + width * j] = RGB->R[i + width * (height - j - 1)];
907              RGB->R[i + width * (height - j - 1)] = temp;
908
909              temp = RGB->G[i + width * j];
910              RGB->G[i + width * j] = RGB->G[i + width * (height - j - 1)];
911              RGB->G[i + width * (height - j - 1)] = temp;
912
913              temp = RGB->B[i + width * j];
914              RGB->B[i + width * j] = RGB->B[i + width * (height - j - 1)];
915              RGB->B[i + width * (height - j - 1)] = temp;
916              }/*rof*/
917         }/*rof*/
918
919     /*displaying completion*/
920     printf("\nVertical_Flip\n_is_done!\n");
921 }
922
923 void BW(RGBframe *RGB, unsigned int width, unsigned int height)
924 {
925     /*defining local variables*/
926     int i, j, avg;

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927
928  /*redefining pixels*/
929  for (j=0; j < height; j++)
930    {for (i=0; i < width; i++)
931      {avg = (RGB->R[i + width * j] + RGB->G[i + width * j] + RGB->B[i + width * j]) / 3;
932
933        RGB->R[i + width * j] = avg;
934        RGB->G[i + width * j] = avg;
935        RGB->B[i + width * j] = avg;
936      }/*rof*/
937    }/*rof*/
938
939  /*displaying completion*/
940  printf("\nBlack & White\n is done!\n");
941 }
942
943 void AddNoise(RGBframe *RGB, int degree, int width, int height)
944 {
945   int count;
946   int pixel;
947
948   srand(time(0));
949
950   unsigned int size = width * height;
951
952   count = (degree * size) / 100;
953
954   while(count > 0)
955     {pixel = rand() % size;
956
957       if(count % 2 == 1)
958         {RGB->R[pixel] = 0;
959           RGB->G[pixel] = 0;
960           RGB->B[pixel] = 0;
961         }/*fi*/
962
963       else
964         {RGB->R[pixel] = 255;
965           RGB->G[pixel] = 255;
966           RGB->B[pixel] = 255;
967         }/*esle*/
968       count--;
969     }/*elihw*/
970
971   printf("\nAdd_Noise\n operation done!\n");
972 }
973
974 void printoptions(void)
975 {
976   printf("\nFormat on command line is:\n"
977         "YUV<base_file_name><options...>\n"
978         "\nPossible options include:\n"

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979  "-i<input_file>\t\t\tto_change_input_file_name\n"
980  "-o<output_file>\t\t\tto_change_output_file_name\n"
981  "-f<initial_frame><final_frame>\tto_create_a_YUV_stream_from_"
982  "designated_initial_frame_to_final_frame\n"
983  "-f<frame>\t\t\t\tto_create_a_ppm_from_the_frame_selected\n"
984  "-r<width><height>\t\t\tto_designate_input_file_resolution."
985  "Default_is_352x288\n"
986  "-r2<width><height><t>\t\tto_designate_output_file_resolution."
987  "Default_is_input_resolution.Possibly_add_tiling\n"
988  "-s<step_size>\t\t\t\tto_determine_how_many_frames_desired_per_frame_"
989  "in_the_input_stream\n"
990  "-n\t\t\t\t\tto_activate_the_conversion_to_negative\n"
991  "-hf\t\t\t\t\tto_activate_horizontal_flip\n"
992  "-vf\t\t\t\t\tto_activate_vertical_flip\n"
993  "-bw\t\t\t\t\tto_activate_the_conversion_to_black_and_white\n"
994  "-noise<percent_noise>\t\t\tto_cause_a_percentage_of_white_and_black_"
995  "pixelation\n");
996 }

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