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An Efficient Pixel Value Prediction Algorithm using the Similarity and Edge Characteristics Existing in Neighboring Pixels Scanned in Inverse s-order

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(directional edge characteristics)
GAP(Gradient Adjacent Pixel)
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Abstract In this paper, we propose an efficient pixel value prediction algorithm that can accurately predict pixel value using neighboring pixel values scanned in reverse s-order in the image. Generally, image has similarity with similar values between adjacent pixel values, and may have directional edge characteristics. In this paper, we proposed a method to improve pixel value prediction accuracy by improving GAP(Gradient Adjacent Pixel) algorithm for predicting pixel value by using similarity between adjacent pixels and edge characteristics. The proposed method increases the accuracy of the predicted pixel value by precisely predicting the pixel value using the positional weights of the neighboring pixels. Experiments on real images confirmed the superiority of the proposed algorithm. The proposed algorithm is useful for applications such as reversible data hiding, reversible watermarking, and data compression applications.

Key Words : image, pixel value prediction, similarity, edge characteristics, neighboring pixels

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[1]-[4], 가 가
(directional edge characteristics)
(similarity) [1]-[8].

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 . (1), (2)
 (dh) (dv)
 . (4)~(9) dv dh
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 , 4 , 5
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2. GAP
 GAP(Gradient Adjacent Prediction)
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 . 1 P(Pixel value)
 , PP(Predicted Pixel
 value) (P)
 ,
 s- (inverse s-order)
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 가 s-
 . 2 ,
 s- (inverse s-order)
 (row)

$P_{i-1,j-2}$	$P_{i,j-2}$		
$P_{i-1,j-1}$	$P_{i,j-1}$	$P_{i+1,j-1}$	
	$PV_{i,j}$	$P_{i+1,j}$	$P_{i+2,j}$

1. GAP
 Fig. 1. Prediction of pixel value in GAP algorithm

2 SHE, HE, WHE, SVE, VE, WVE
 Sharp Horizontal Edge, Horizontal Edge,
 Weak Horizontal Edge, Sharp Vertical Edge,
 Vertical Edge, Weak Vertical Edge
 3 GAP dv-dh
 . dv-dh

$$-8 \text{ dv-dh } 8 \quad (5)$$

$d_h = |P_{i+1,j} - P_{i+2,j}| + |P_{i,j-1} - P_{i+1,j-1}| + |P_{i,j-1} - P_{i-1,j-1}| \quad (1)$

$d_v = |P_{i+1,j} - P_{i+1,j-1}| + |P_{i,j-1} - P_{i,j-2}| + |P_{i-1,j-1} - P_{i-1,j-2}| \quad (2)$

IF ($d_v - d_h > 80$) {SHE} $PP_{i,j} = P_{i+1,j} \quad (3)$

ELSE IF ($d_v - d_h < -80$) {SVE} $PP_{i,j} = P_{i,j-1} \quad (4)$

ELSE{

$PP_{i,j} = (P_{i+1,j} + P_{i,j-1}) / 2 + (P_{i-1,j-1} + P_{i+1,j-1}) / 4 \quad (5)$

IF ($d_v - d_h > 32$) {HE} $PP_{i,j} = (PP_{i,j} + P_{i+1,j}) / 2 \quad (6)$

ELSE IF ($d_v - d_h > 8$) {WHE}

$PP_{i,j} = (3PP_{i,j} + P_{i+1,j}) / 4 \quad (7)$

ELSE IF ($d_v - d_h < -32$) {VE}

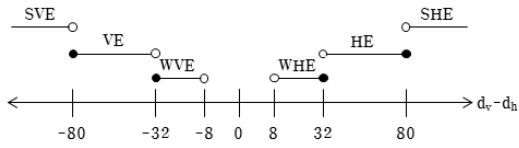
$PP_{i,j} = (PP_{i,j} + P_{i,j-1}) / 2 \quad (8)$

ELSE IF ($d_v - d_h < -8$) {WVE}

$PP_{i,j} = (3PP_{i,j} + P_{i,j-1}) / 4 \quad (9)$

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2. GAP
 Fig. 2. The procedure of GAP algorithm



3. dv-dh
Fig. 3. The intensity of directional edge according to dv-dh value

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(similarity)

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(10)
(10) dv dh 가
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가 GAP
(5) (10)
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dn = |Pi+1,j - Pi+2,j| + |Pi,j-1 - Pi+1,j-1| + |Pi,j-1 - Pi-1,j-1| (1)
dv = |Pi+1,j - Pi+1,j-1| + |Pi,j-1 - Pi,j-2| + |Pi-1,j-1 - Pi-1,j-2| (2)
IF (dv - dn > 80) {SHE} PPi,j = Pi+1,j (3)
ELSE IF (dv - dn < -80) {SVE} PPi,j = Pi,j-1 (4)
ELSE{
    PPi,j = (Pi+1,j + Pi,j-1) / 2 + (Pi-1,j-1 + Pi+1,j-1) / 4 (5)
    IF (dv - dn > 32) {HE} PPi,j = (PPi,j + Pi+1,j) / 2 (6)
    ELSE IF (dv - dn > 8) {WHE}
        PPi,j = (3PPi,j + Pi+1,j) / 4 (7)
    ELSE IF (dv - dn < -32) {VE}
        PPi,j = (PPi,j + Pi,j-1) / 2 (8)
    ELSE IF (dv - dn < -8) {WVE}
        PPi,j = (3PPi,j + Pi,j-1) / 4 (9)
    ELSE
        PPi,j = (Pi,j-1 + Pi+1,j + (Pi+1,j-1 + Pi-1,j-1) * ) / (2 + 2 * ) (10)
}
    
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Fig. 4. The procedure of the proposed algorithm

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512x512
pepper, sail boat, bridge
pepper, sail boat, bridge gray scale
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0~255(256가)
(10) 0.25
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262,144
260,100
pepper, sail boat, bridge

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 Table 1. The experimental results of the proposed algorithm

				(%)	(%)
pepper	GAP	260,100	19,683	7.57	x
		260,100	21,436	8.24	8.91
sail boat	GAP	260,100	17,622	6.78	x
		260,100	18,971	7.29	7.66
bridge	GAP	260,100	18,034	6.93	x
		260,100	20,982	8.07	16.35

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GAP

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