**DWT based Person Re-Identification using GAN**

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**Abstract:** The recent development in person re-identification has challenging task for variations in pose, illumination, expression, and also similar appearance between two different persons. In this paper, we propose Discrete Wavelet Transform (DWT) based person re-identification using Generative Adversarial Network (GAN). The CMU multi-PIE face database with multiple viewpoints and illuminations is considered to test the model. The profile side view face images to be tested are converted into frontal face images using Two-pathway generator adversarial network (TP-GAN). The frontal face images are loaded into the server to create server database. The synthesized TP-GAN images and server database images are pre-processed to convert RGB into grayscale images and also to convert into uniform face image dimensions. The person re-identification is based on feature extraction through DWT, which generates one low frequency LL band and three high frequency bands LH, HL and HH. The LL band coefficients are considered as final features, which are noise-free and compressed number of features. The features of profile side view images and server database images are compared using Normalized Euclidean Distance (NED) and threshold values for person re-identification.

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# Introduction

The present world filled with Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) cameras and Internet Protocol (IP) cameras at every corner of the streets to capture the activities for surveillance. The human operators are unable to identify the activities that are generated from surveillance systems as the data is massive. The face detection and face recognitions are vision techniques used to identify persons only when the persons are nearby and facing towards the camera. However, the CCTV footage may not contain always frontal face images and even cover his/her face from the camera. Hence the new vision technique is explored which is slightly different from face detection and face recognition which leads to person Re-identification (Re-id).  The captured videos and images of several persons from one camera are matched with videos and images taken from different cameras to identify a particular person is known as person Re-id. This technique is to authenticate queried person appeared in another camera, placed at different location and time. The person Re-id is based on not only facial features from frontal images but also features from the side angled images and entire body like clothing, height etc. The deep-learning-based approaches for person Re-id increases the performance to a very good extent, there still remain several issues. The training and test sets caused by huge discrepancies in body poses, illuminations, backgrounds and so on, leads to the performance deterioration on the test set. In order to overcome the issues posed by regular deep-learning-based methods, GAN and its modifications have been used in [[1](#r_1)], [2], and they are also utilized for data-augmentation of the training samples for person Re-id [3].

As Person Re-id requires comparison between two or more persons based on image features. The DWT transformation plays an important task in concluding whether or not a person appears more than once in the data captured by a network of cameras based on DWT features. A DWT toolbox has been developed for signal processing applications [4]. The toolbox allows the user to choose dissimilar kinds of wavelet functions from three different wavelet families viz., Daubechies, Symlet, and Coiflet, and number of decomposition levels. It plays an energetic role in the computerized video surveillance and has been anvigorous research zone for the past few years. The person Re-id is to find out whether different images captured from multiple cameras are belong to the same person or not. The challenges of person re-identification [[5](#reid_42)] are:

(i) person’s presence over different cameras gets affected from the visual uncertainty and spatiotemporal i.e. the dissimilarities in appearance of the same person across different cameras.

(ii) the images are of low resolution and videos are of poor quality containing more unconnected.

(iii) The daylight, shade, reflected light from colored surfaces, indoor lighting can cause the same person to appear in different shades and colors across different cameras.

(iv) The partial or even complete obstruction of persons by others in the crowded environments is a challenge task to extract features

(v) The students with uniform clothing in schools and uniform clothing in workplaces is a challenging for Re-id algorithms

*Contribution:*

In this paper, the person re-identification based on TP-GAN and DWT is proposed. The side view face images to be tested are converted into frontal images using TP-GAN and features are extracted using DWT concept. The frontal face images are stored in the server and the features are extracted using DWT concept. The features extracted of test images are compared with the face images in the server database using NED and threshold for person re-identification. The research paper is planned as follows, literature survey in section 2, the proposed novel model is described in section 3. The experimental result analysis is discussed in section 4. Finally, the paper concludes results and future work in section 5.

**2 Related Work**

In this section the literature survey on the person re-identification, and GAN are explained. Person reidentification is a subset of study of computer vision and is very useful in person tracking in surveillance videos. Re-identification is a challenging task because appearance of person changes across views, independent of the person’s identity due to changes in several co-variate factors. Among these factors, pose plays an important role in causing a change in person’s appearance. Qian *et al.,* [6] proposed a pose-normalization GAN model (PNGAN) for alleviating the impact of pose variation. However, there is constraints in human poses estimation and weighting on different parts features. Su *et al.,* [7] presented a pose-driven deep convolution model to learn effective feature representations and adaptive similarity measurements. Considering features of entire human body as a global and body parts as a local, are transformed to normalized state for better feature representation.

Yin *et al.,* [8] presented a Dual-Attention Generative Adversarial Network (DA-GAN) for photo-realistic face frontalization using contextual needs and local uniformity during GAN training. The local features with their long-range dependencies are integrated for yielding better feature representations for higher pose angles. Rong *et al.,* [9] proposed Feature-Improving GAN (FI-GAN) for face frontalization to enhance the recognition performance for huge face attitudes. An essential recording among the frontal face and profile face, is presumed and their divergence in deep depiction space is projected. The unit of FI-GAN has a dense segment termed Feature-Mapping Block that assistances to plan the features of profile face images to the frontal face. A discriminator differentiates the features of profile face images and ground true frontal face images that help generator module to deliver good profile faces.

Luan *et al.,* [10] proposed a Geometry Structure Preserving based GAN (GSP-GAN), for multi-pose face frontalization and recognition. The generator is a typical auto-encoder, that extracts identity and the decoder synthesize the matching frontal face image. Huang *et al.,* [11] presented a Two-Pathway Generative Adversarial Network (TP-GAN) for photorealistic frontal view synthesis by observing global structures and local details. Liu *et al.,* [12] proposed a Semantic Constraint Generative Adversarial Network (SCGAN) for person Re-id in camera sensor networks. The method produces several stylishness pedestrians’ images with high-level semantic info. However, since face frontalization is not incorporated, there still exists some constraints. Kan *et al.,* [13] studied pose-robust features by demonstrating the non-frontal face images to frontal face images using deep network, named as stacked progressive auto-encoders (SPAE). Zhou *et al.,* [14] proposed image-to image translation method with Multi-Camera Transfer GAN on pedestrian dataset by means of one single model. Though it does achieve better accuracy, it still does not make the re-identification process highly effective, and it also can not be relied on for many other databases.

# Proposed Model

Person re-identification has gained a lot of interest especially in the recent times, and many challenges associated with Person re-identification still exist which affect the efficiency of the process. The problem is that the person re-id model trained in one dataset generally does not work fine in alternative dataset. With increasing need to better accuracy in Person Re-identification, no matter how much training is performed using several databases of different identities, there is a huge challenge in recognizing an identity especially if the data captured by cameras are side-profile views. Hence face frontalization plays very important role in order to overcome this problem with the help of GAN which is a Deep Learning technique that provides a lot of benefit. The proposed method is depicted in the Figure 1.

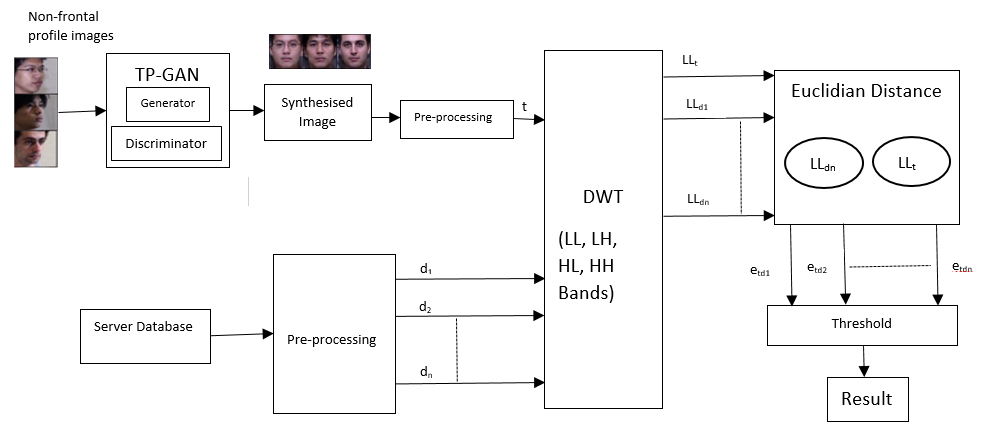


Figure 1. Proposed method

**A. Face image Dataset:**

The aim of the research is to generate the frontal face images from an input side view profile images, hence the proposed model is trained on a number of profile images along with their corresponding frontal images. Therefore, for training the model, the benchmark database with face image database that contains a number of profile images and frontal image of each person is considered. The Carnegie Mellon University - Pose, Illumination, and Expression (PIE) dataset i.e., CMU Multi-PIE face database [15] is considered as shown in Figure 2 to test the proposed model. This database contains 750,000 images from 337 persons recorded in four sessions completed in the duration of five months. The persons are imaged under 15 view points and 19 illuminations to represent facial expressions with high resolution frontal images.

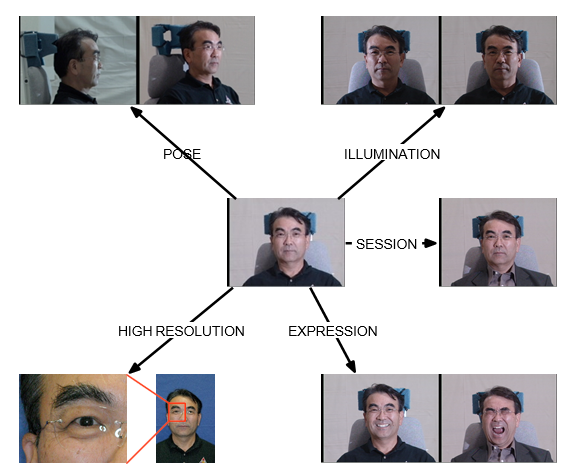


Figure2. Multi-PIE Face Database [16].

**B.Server Database:**

The database has frontal images of several persons which is used for the Person Re-id based on certain image features. This database contains 843 frontal images of CMU Multi-PIE face dataset of resized images of 256 x 256 and images are in png format. These images in the dataset are used to compare with the synthesized images generated by the TP-GAN for input profile images of same persons with different angles.

**C. Non frontal profile face images captured from CCTV**:

The profile images with different angles captured are called as test images and let us classify the test images into two sets. The first set represents the test face images of a persons that are present in the server database and let us call these test images as Persons-Inside-Server (PIS). These person’s images show positive result for Person re-identification performed between the test image and the server database. This means that the person in the test image has appeared at-least once previously on another camera/server database. The second set represents the test images of persons that are not present in the server database and let us call these test images as Persons-Outside-Server (POS). These person’s images show negative result for Person-reidentification performed between the test image and the server database. This means that the person in the test image has not appeared previously on any camera/server database.

**D. Pre-Processing:**

The colour images of server database and frontal images generated by TP-GAN are converted into grey scale images with uniform size of 256x256. The number of grey scale image features are less and effective compared to colour images which increases speed of computation.

**E. Generative Adversarial Network (GAN):**

Face frontalization is the process of synthesizing the frontal facing views from a given non frontal profile images with face angles other than frontal view. The frontal face images are synthesized using a GAN [[17](#ff_24)]. The person Re-ide is built on a lot of changes on GAN have been proposed by many researchers like Cam Style [18], SPGAN [19] and PTGAN [3]. All the aforementioned types are based on CycleGAN [[20](#CycleGAN_28)]. As CycleGAN can only translate images between two domains, but CTGAN (Multi Camera Transfer GAN) [21] based on StarGAN [[22](#StarGAN_30)], that can convert images from the source dataset into style of each camera domain in the target dataset.

**F. Two Pathway-Generative Adversarial Network (TP-GAN):**

The input profile images are captured by a number of cameras and are passed into the TP-GAN model to synthesise the frontal image of a person. It is used to frontalize any given profile image or a side-pose image or a non-frontal image [11]. Frontalization is the process of generating a frontal face image of a person given the profile image of the same person. Frontalization has gained a lot of popularity ever since GAN took birth and later on saw tremendous advancement and improvement. Many terrific advancements have been taking place in the field of GAN which is basically used for the generation of a new output, similar yet unique from that of the input dataset. The technology helps in generation of frontal images of a person given the profile image of the same person. TP-GAN synthesises photorealistic frontal view by seeing global structures and local details as shown in Figure 3. The first column is the profile images captured by CCTV to be tested for re-identification or to be converted into frontal images, and are given as input to TP-GAN. TheTP-GAN involves a generator which has two pathways - one with global network dealing the global structure resulting in column 2, and the other, four landmark located patch networks joining to local textures about four facial landmarks resulting in column 3. The column 4 represents the respective synthesised frontal images of the profile images of column 1.

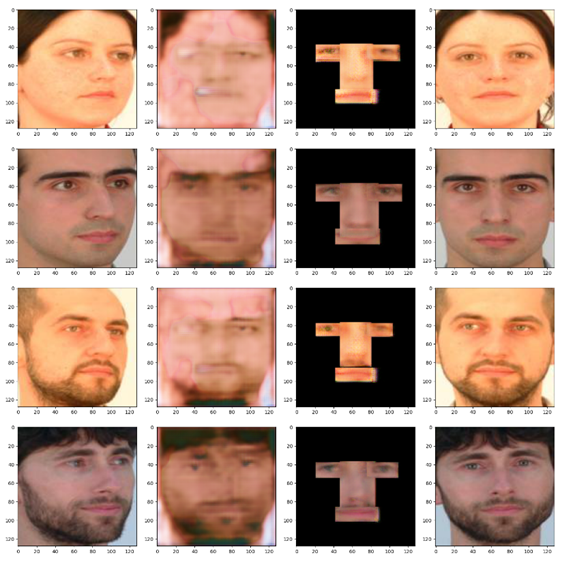


Figure 3. Frontal image generation by TP-GAN

The frontal image samples of the server dataset are as revealed in the figure 4. The profile side images of P1, P2, P3 and P4 are given as input to TP-GAN for conversion.

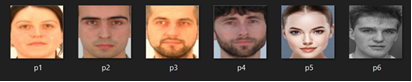


Figure 4. The Frontal Images in the Server Database

**G.Person Re-identification using Discrete Wavelet Transform (DWT):**

The process transforms image pixels into wavelets, which are then used for wavelet-based compression and coding [23]. DWT decomposes a given image into a number of sub-bands in the corresponding frequency bands. The process produces 4 sub-bands as output – the low-low band, the low-high band, the high-low band, and the high-high band. In our model, we use the low-low band (the LL band) for the person re-identification purpose, which results in compression of number of features. The synthesized images generated by the TP-GAN are compared with every image in the server database made for person re-identification. The DWT is applied on every resized image, and the LL band of all images are saved and are considered as features.

The one level decomposition of DWT using filter The LL band has significant information of an original image. The LH, HL and HH bands has vertical, horizontal and diagonal information of an original image. The original image can be reconstructed by considering only LL band image and omitting other insignificant information from other bands. The DWT is applied on face databases such as JAFEE, ORL, and Yale, Indian male and Indian female of resized dimensions of 256×256. The LL band is considered for further processing as it has significant information of face images and has less noise component. The LL band has significant information of an original image. The LH, HL and HH bands has vertical, horizontal and diagonal information of an original image. The original image can be reconstructed by considering only LL band image and omitting other insignificant information from other bands. The DWT is applied on face databases such as JAFEE, ORL, and Yale, Indian male and Indian female of resized dimensions of 256×256. The LL band is considered for further processing as it has significant information of face images and has less noise component. C. Normalization: Normalization used in the proposed method is to convert high values of LL band coefficients into a range of moderate values. The normalization is applied on LL sub-band coefficients of an image to convert high coefficients values into lower values. Each LL coefficient values are divided by maximum coefficient value to convert LL coefficient values range from 0 to 1, as given in equation (1). New LL coefficient values = (1) The advantage of normalization is the number of bits required to represent each LL coefficient reduces from more than eight bits to less than eight bits. The real time system complexity and memory reduces, whereas speed of computation increases. D. 2D Convolution : The original face image is convolved with LL sub-band of original face image. The 2D-Convolution is used for smoothing, sharpening and edge detection of an image effectively. In the proposed method, the DWT is applied on the original face image of size 256 x 256 to produce four sub- bands, say LL, LH, HL and HH. The approximation LL Sub- band of size 128 x 128 is convolved with original spatial domain face image of size 256 x 256 to obtain modified original face object. The coefficients of the modified objects 

Figure 5. One level 2D- DWT Decomposition

The DWT with one level decomposition using filters is as shown in Figure 5. The LL band has substantial information of an original image, whereas LH, HL and HH bands represent vertical, horizontal and diagonal insignificant information of an original image. The LL band information is enough to reconstruct original image without other three bands of insignificant information. The final features are considered from LL band coefficients and are converted into 1D-vectors for comparison between images.

**F. Euclidian Distance (ED):**

The Euclidian Distance between the LL band coefficient vectors of the synthesised image and every image of the database, one at a time are computed. The Euclidian Distance for 1D is defined as the distance between two corresponding feature values of two images as given in Equation 1.

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Where p, q represents the values of two corresponding points in two vectors and n represents total number of final features.

If two images are exactly same, the ED between the images is zero. For two or more images of the same individual, with the images taken at different view-points, or different lighting, or different facial expressions, or with a slight left-right rotation, the ED between these images is not zero, but minimum. However, the ED between 2 completely different images will be maximum. The purpose of our paper is to achieve person re-identification. This means, we should successfully conclude whether the image of the person in question, appears more than once in different sets of images, with each set captured by different cameras. Hence, the synthesised image, which has the frontal face of a person should be compared with every image in the server database. If there are *N* number of images in the server database, after performing DWT, there will be *N* number of LL bands. After finding out the ED between each LL band of the images in the server database, and the LL band of the input frontal image generated by TP-GAN, then there are *N* number of Euclidian distances.

**H. Data Normalization:**

Normalization is the procedure of altering a set of data points irrespective of their current values, between 0 and 1. This process is also called as Min-Max Normalization. When comparing values of features, then the larger scale values are totally dominate, hence, the normalization of feature values are very important. The goal of normalization is to make every feature value occur in the same scale leads to all feature values are equally important. The most commonly used normalization technique is Min-max to normalize. In normalization the least value is mapped into 0, the highest value is mapped into a 1, and other values mapped between 0 and 1. Every ED value is divided by the largest ED, including the final largest value itself. Therefore, the final largest value, since it gets divided by itself, becomes 1. Hence, the final values of Normalized Euclidian Distances (NED) range between 0 and 1.

**I.Threshold:**

Now that every normalized Euclidian distance is reduced to values ranging from 0 to 1, depending on the obtained values, it becomes important to conclude that the frontal images of a person in the server database has already appeared in the data captured by a network of cameras, or not. The threshold values, which helps make the decision to identify persons. Smaller the value of ED, higher is the chance that the input image is similar to the corresponding server-database image, and thus, can be concluded that the person to whom the input image belonged to, appeared at least once in a camera. The same way, higher the value of ED, lesser is the chance that the input image is different when compared to the corresponding server-database image, and thus, can be concluded that the person to whom the input image belonged to, did not appear at least once in a camera. However, a threshold value should be fixed such a way, that any normalized ED lesser than this threshold value means that the synthesised image by the TP-GAN has already appeared at least once in a camera. The NED more than the threshold value means the synthesised image by the TP-GAN has never appeared in any camera.

**4 Experimental Result Analysis**

For experimental purpose, sixteen person’s frontal images are considered in the server database and the DWT is applied to convert into four low (LL) and higher frequency bands (LH, HL, HH). The LL band images are considered further for Person Re-ide as shown in Figure 6.

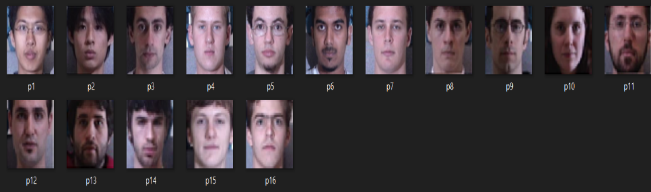


Figure 6. Server Database

**A.Person Inside Server Database (PISD) test image analysis**

The TP-GAN generated synthesised frontal images are considered and DWT is applied to produce one low and three high frequency bands. The only low frequency LL band is further considered as an image to be tested to perform Person Re-identification. The LL band of synthesised frontal image produced by TP-GAN is considered, which is similar to LL band image in the server database. The LL band image P2, which is generated by TP-GAN corresponding to LL band image of P2 in the server database is known as PISD is as shown in Figure 7.



Figure 7. LL band of PISD Test Image of P2

The Person Re-id performed based on the ED between each server image’s LL band and the PISD test image’s LL band, and normalise every resulting ED. The NED values between server database images and test images are given in Table 1. It is noticed that the values of NED are high in the case of different images compared to similar image. It is clearly indicating that the least NED value is 0.297865554 which corresponds to the server image P2 in the 2nd row of the table1.

Table 1. Normalised Euclidian Distance between every server image and the PIS test image of P2

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Sl No. | Server Database | Test Image | NED |
| 1 | p1 | P2 | 0.575449374 |
| 2 | p2 | P2 | 0.297865554 |
| 3 | p3 | P2 | 0.326277681 |
| 4 | p4 | P2 | 0.404929112 |
| 5 | p5 | P2 | 0.388167354 |
| 6 | p6 | P2 | 0.57040702 |
| 7 | p7 | P2 | 0.793261386 |
| 8 | p8 | P2 | 0.814006815 |
| 9 | p9 | P2 | 0.4053756501 |
| 10 | p10 | P2 | 0.340467852 |
| 11 | p11 | P2 | 1.000000000 |
| 12 | p12 | P2 | 0.801316445 |
| 13 | p13 | P2 | 0.411350637 |
| 14 | p14 | P2 | 0.811029846 |
| 15 | p15 | P2 | 0.332862197 |
| 16 | p16 | P2 | 0.397668936 |

However, successful person Re-identification does not only depend on the least NED value. The least value should be less than or equal to the threshold value. The threshold fixed after a lot of trial and error; we have fixed 0.3 as the threshold value. A NED value less than or equal to 0.3 means the PISD test image is similar to the corresponding server image. The similar PISD test image and corresponding server database images are shown in Figure 8 with NED of 0.297865554.



Fig 8. Similar PISD test and server images

1. PIS Test image.
2. (b) Matching Server Image -P2

**B. Person Outside Server Database (POSD) test image analysis**

The LL band of synthesised frontal image generated by TP-GAN is considered, which is not similar to LL band images in the server database. The LL band image P, which is generated by TP-GAN not corresponding to LL band images in the server database is known as POSD test image which means the image does not appear in another camera and hence, not present in the server database as well is as shown in Figure 9.

The Person Re-identification performed based on the Euclidian Distances (ED) between each server image’s LL band and the POSD test image’s LL band, and normalise every resulting ED. The Normalised ED (NED) values between server database images and test images are given in Table 2. It is noticed that the values of NED are higher in all the cases of images because of POSD.



Figure 9. LL band of POSD Test Image P

The NED values between the POSD test image and every server image are given Table 2. As discussed earlier, successful person re-identification does not only depend on the least normalised Euclidian distance value. The least value should be less than or equal to the threshold value and if the threshold value is fixed at 0.3, then the NED values more than 0.3 means the POSD test image does not exist in the server database.

Table 2 Normalised Euclidian Distance between every server image and the POSD test image

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Sl No.** | **Server Database** | **POSD Test Image** | **NED** |
| 1 | p1 | P | 0.38121759 |
| 2 | p2 | P | 0.961003026 |
| 3 | p3 | P | 0.744275325 |
| 4 | p4 | P | 0.707658212 |
| 5 | p5 | P | 1.00000000 |
| 6 | p6 | P | 0.63538608 |
| 7 | p7 | P | 0.319351501 |
| 8 | p8 | P | 0.345375544 |
| 9 | p9 | P | 0.834727694 |
| 10 | p10 | P | 0.653589064 |
| 11 | p11 | P | 0.321633605 |
| 12 | p12 | P | 0.407897494 |
| 13 | p13 | P | 0.618774623 |
| 14 | p14 | P | 0.353034059 |
| 15 | p15 | P | 0.588248721 |
| 16 | p16 | P | 0.760441742 |

As far as the matching of the POS test image with a server image is considered, there is obviously one least value out of every set of NED, and theoretically, the server image corresponding to the least value should be the matched image with the test image without considering threshold values. However, practically, the matching is wrong as the two images (the server image and the test image) are different. This is also justified by the obtained least NED value which exceeds the threshold value. Figure 10 shows that POSD test image P is wrongly matched with the server image P7 by considering only least NED without comparing with threshold value. In general, any POSD test image is expected to not match with the server database.

1. (b)

Figure 10. Dissimilar POSD test and server images. (a) POSD Test Image.

1. Wrongly matched server image - p7

**C. Definitions of performance parameters**

**The PISD - True Recognition Rate (PISD-TRR):** The test images corresponding to the images in the server database are re-identified correctly. It is defined as the ratio of number of PISD images re-identified correctly to the total number of PISD images and is given in Equation 2.

x100 -----------------------------(2)

**PISD- False Recognition Rate (PISD-FRR):** The test images corresponding to the images in the server database are falsely rejected saying that the test image is not present in the database falsely. It is defined as the ratio of number of PISD images falsely rejected to the total number of PISD images and is given in Equation 3.

x100 -------------------------(3)

**POSD- Correct Rejection Rate (POSD-CRR):** The test images not corresponding to the images in the server database are rejected correctly saying that the test image is not present in the database correctly. It is defined as the ratio of number of POSD images that are to the total number of POSD images and is given in Equation 4.

x100 ------------------------------(4)

Note that for POSD images, the images are expected to not be re-identified, or in simple words, not be matched, with any server images.

**D) The POSD- False Accept Rate (****POSD-FAR):**

The test images not corresponding to the images in the server database are falsely accepted saying that the test images are existing in the database falsely. It is defined as the ratio of number of POSD images falsely accepted to the total number of POSD images and is given in Equation 5.

x100 -------------------------------(5)

**D Performance Analysis**

The performance of Person-Re-identification using TP-GAN and DWT is evaluated by comparing PISD, POSD and images in the server database. The computed NED values of PISD and POSD images are related with the NED values of images in the server database by varying threshold values. In order to do this, sixteen number of server database images, sixteen number of PISD images, and thirty-five number of POSD images are considered as shown in Figures 11, 12, and 13.



Figure. 11 Server Database



Figure. 12 PISD Database

The LL bands of all the images in the server database, the PISD database, and the POSD databases are extracted. The NED between every image in the PISD database and all the images in server database is calculated. Since there are sixteen images in the PISD database, every PISD image when compared with the server database images gives sixteen NED values for every PISD image. Thus, we obtain sixteen different sets of NED values, one set for each PISD image. The only the least NED value from each of the sixteen sets obtained are considered. A list of least NED values obtained for every PISD database image when compared each of them with the server database images, is given in Table 3.

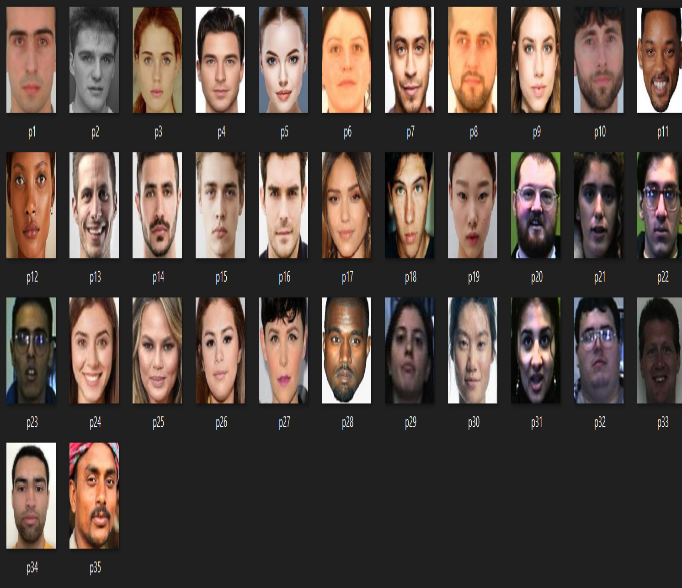


Figure. 13 POSD Database

Table 3. The Least NEDs when every PISD image is compared with the server images

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **PISD Images** | **Least NED** |
| p1 | 0.2192 |
| p2 | 0.0996 |
| p3 | 0.0564 |
| p4 | 0.00278 |
| p5 | 0.00254 |
| p6 | 0.005119 |
| p7 | 0.00222 |
| p8 | 0.170786 |
| p9 | 0.11258 |
| p10 | 0.2933 |
| p11 | 0.1275 |
| p12 | 0.10052 |
| p13 | 0.1997 |
| p14 | 0.1732 |
| p15 | 0.1918 |
| p16 | 0.07164 |

Similarly, once the LL bands of the images in the POSD are extracted, the NED values between every image in the POSD and all the images in server database are calculated. Since there are thirty-five images in the POSD, every POSD image, when compared with the server database gives sixteenNED values, each. Thus, the sixteen different sets of NED values are obtained, one set for each POSD image. The only least NED value from each of the sixteen sets obtained are considered. A list of least NED values obtained for every POSD image when compared each of them with the server database images, is given in Table 4.

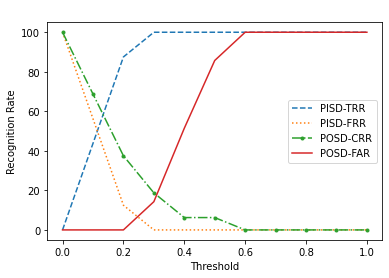
The computed least NED values, are compared with the variable threshold values and conclusion is made on whether the test image either from PISD or POSD, is re-identified or not. The effect of threshold values on the performance of proposed method is given in Table 5. It is noticed that as threshold values increases from zero to one the PISD-TRR and POSD-FAR increases from zero to 100%, PISD-FRR and POSD-CRR decreases from 100% to zero.

Table 4 Least NEDs when every POSD image is compared with the server images

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| --- | --- |
| POSD Images | Least NED |
| p1 | 0.3199 |
| p2 | 0.399 |
| p3 | 0.4793 |
| p4 | 0.5148 |
| p5 | 0.2976 |
| p6 | 0.3193 |
| p7 | 0.4161 |
| p8 | 0.3316 |
| p9 | 0.296 |
| p10 | 0.4182 |
| p11 | 0.4815 |
| p12 | 0.4064 |
| p13 | 0.3685 |
| p14 | 0.441 |
| p15 | 0.2557 |
| p16 | 0.3439 |
| p17 | 0.4527 |
| p18 | 0.5377 |
| p19 | 0.3235 |
| p20 | 0.5983 |
| p21 | 0.3201 |
| p22 | 0.5152 |
| p23 | 0.3376 |
| p24 | 0.3799 |
| p25 | 0.3222 |
| p26 | 0.4445 |
| p27 | 0.3815 |
| p28 | 0.4104 |
| p29 | 0.2972 |
| p30 | 0.4415 |
| p31 | 0.4253 |
| p32 | 0.3752 |
| p33 | 0.2983 |
| p34 | 0.5649 |
| p35 | 0.4536 |

Table 5. The performance parameter variations with threshold

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Threshold Values | PISD-TRR | PISD-FRR | POSD-CRR | POSD-FAR |
| 0 | 0 | 100 | 100 | 0 |
| 0.1 | 43.75 | 56.25 | 68.75 | 0 |
| 0.2 | 87.5 | 12.5 | 37.5 | 0 |
| 0.3 | 100 | 0 | 18.75 | 14.28 |
| 0.4 | 100 | 0 | 6.25 | 51.42 |
| 0.5 | 100 | 0 | 6.25 | 85.71 |
| 0.6 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| 0.7 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| 0.8 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| 0.9 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |
| 1 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 |

Figure 14. Variations or recognition rates with threshold

The variations of different recognition rates with threshold values are shown in Figure 14. It is seen that the value of PISD-TRR is zero at zero threshold value since there is a very small difference in features between test images (PISD) and an image in the server database. As the value of threshold increases, PISD-TRR increases to 100%. The value of PISD-FRR is 100% (falsely rejecting) at threshold value zero, since the test image similar to the server database image is rejected falsely as some NED values due to the difference in two images. The POSD-FAR increases as threshold values increases and attains 100% which indicate that the test images not in the server database are also accepted falsely and re-identified correctly which is a wrong process.

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**E Comparison with existing methods using ORL face dataset:**

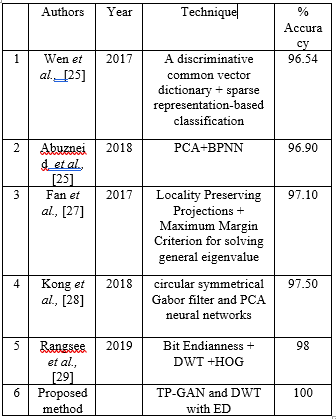
A standard Olivetti Research Laboratory (ORL) face dataset images captured between 1992 and 1994 are considered to compare percentage recognition accuracy of proposed technique with the current approaches and the performance outcomes are tabulated in table 6. The ten different facial expressions like open/closed eyes, smiling/not smiling, with/without glasses, varying lightening conditions of single people are captured. Similarly, face images of forty persons were considered under dissimilar conditions.



Figure 15. Ten Face image samples of a single person on the ORL database [24]

An upright frontal and slight tilt of the head positions were present in the dataset. The total number of images in the database are 400 of 40 persons in PGM format with each image size of 92x112. Ten image samples of one person are shown in Figure 15. It is seen that the maximum percentage recognition accuracy of proposed method is better and is 100% compared with the current methods. Hence the method proposed by us is superior as the maximum percentage recognition accuracy is very high for higher threshold values however the limitation of higher threshold value is POSD-FAR is high.

Table 6. Proposed method comparison with existing methods



**5 Conclusion**

In this paper, person re-identification based on TP-GAN and DWT is proposed. The side view face images which are used as images to be tested, are given as input to TP-GAN, which converts into synthesized frontal images. The frontal face images are stored in the server database as reference images. The features of frontal face images are extracted by DWT and considered LL band co-efficient as final features. The NED is used to compare features for person re-identification effectively with a smaller number of features. The recognition accuracy is better in our method compare to existing state of art methods.

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