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Overview



eyeSight's groundbreaking Touch Free technology provides an enhanced user experience, allowing to easily and intuitively control a variety of devices using simple hand gestures.

eyeSight's Natural User Interface solution utilizes the device's standard 2D camera, along with advanced real-time image processing and machine vision algorithms, to track the user's hand gestures and convert them into actions.



Components of eyeSight's Gesture recognition technology:

- Directional gestures detection
- Real-time hand / fingertip tracking
- Face detection and tracking (multiple users)
- Hand signs; "OK", "Like" etc.

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Implementation Challenges of such technologies:

- Very high processing requirements
- Memory Throughput
- Real-time performance





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Solutions: Managing performance

- Algorithm- the key tool for minimizing performance
- Target specific optimizations
 - Instrinsics using special instructions
 - ISA Extensions: x86 SSE, ARM NEON
 - Assembly
 - GPGPU OpenCL







Solutions: Coping with memory throughput

- Image processing algorithms require reading/writing the video many times, placing a lot of load on the memory subsystem.
 Reading a 720p YUV422 streams just once requires 55 Mbytes/Sec.
- DMA not usable in most systems, since there are no tightly-coupled memories.
- It is key to minimize the number of passes on the video data.
- **Designing for Cache**
 - Minimize data footprint
 - Locality
 - Automatic pre-fetching
 - Software pre-fetching



Solution: Handling real-time performance

- Most systems are non-deterministic: Caches, other processes, O/S behavior
- Algorithms require more processing when there's "action" in the video
- This makes the instantaneous performance requirements vary greatly
- As a result, it is not possible to guarantee hard real-time performance
- Instead, our solution is design to be soft real-time, and to handle realtime violations
- One challenge is the lack of standardized high-precision timers to allow software to monitor execution time



Platform portability - Challenges:

Challenges:

- Maintaining a single code base across multiple products, OS types and compilers
- Stay up to date with recent OS version releases
- Maintain backward compatibility
- Maintaining pixel portability



Platform portability - Solution:

<u>Solution</u>:

- Working with automated tools for each core code change
- Maintain strict coding conventions to avoid using platform specific libraries
- Use cross platforms frameworks such as OpenCL
- Work with a configurable device abstraction layer to keep platform specific code from migrating into different platforms or devices
 - Using a framework developed in eyeSight we can convert any video stream, any resolution or format (including IR), to a single representation that serves our algorithms





Thank you.

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