A Double Motion-Compensated Orthogonal Transform with Energy Concentration Constraint

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1 Introduction

Problem

• Motion-compensated (MC) lifted Haar wavelet deviates substantially from orthonormality due to motion compensation

Why Orthogonal Transforms?

- · Optimal for certain transform coding schemes at high rates
- · Provide highly robust video representations

Goal

- Extend integer-pel accurate MC orthogonal transform in [1]
- MC transform that is orthogonal for any 2-motion field

2 Double MC Orthogonal Transform

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}_1 \\ \mathbf{y}_2 \end{bmatrix} = T \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 \\ \mathbf{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ with } T = T_k T_{k-1} \cdots T_k \cdots T_2 T_1 \text{ where } T_k T_k^T = I$$

Incremental Transform T_{κ}



Energy Concentration Constraint

Pixels are connected by 2-motion: $x_{2,l} = x_{1,i} = x_{1,j}$ Consider previous incremental transforms by scale factors u_{α} , v_{β}

$x'_{1,i} = v_1 x_{1,i}$	$x''_{1,i} = u_1 x_{1,i}$	$\begin{bmatrix} u_1 x_{1,i} \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} v_1 x_{1,i} \end{bmatrix}$
$x'_{1,j} = v_2 x_{1,j}$	$x''_{1,j} = u_2 x_{1,j}$	$\left u_2 x_{1,i} \right = H_3 H_3$	$I_2 H_1 v_2 x_{1,i} $
$x'_{2,l} = v_3 x_{2,l}$			$\lfloor v_3 x_{1,i} \rfloor$

Energy conservation: $u_1^2 + u_2^2 = v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2$ Energy concentration: $\tan(\phi) = -\frac{v_1}{v_2}$, $\tan(\theta) = \frac{v_3}{\sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2}}$, $\tan(\psi) = \frac{u_1}{u_2}$ s.t. $u_1^2 = v_1^2 + \frac{v_3^2}{2}$, $u_2^2 = v_2^2 + \frac{v_3^2}{2}$ Scale counter: $m_{\alpha} = u_{\alpha}^2 - 1$, $n_{\beta} = v_{\beta}^2 - 1$

Scale counter update rule: $m_1 = n_1 + \frac{n_3 + 1}{2}$ and $m_2 = n_2 + \frac{n_3 + 1}{2}$

3 Experimental Results

Example: Two Decomposition Levels







temporal high band, 1st level

temporal low band, 2nd level

rescaled temporal low band, 2nd level

Assessment of Energy Compaction



Reconstructed Image Quality



Bus QCIF, 15 fps 64 frames K=16 GOP 8x8 block motion

4 Conclusions

Orthonormality improves energy compaction, provides highly robust video representations, and permits 2-motion compensation

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