ABSTRACT

Livestock play an important role in people's lives, such as in meeting food

needs, clothing needs, as transportation, and so on. Therefore, the community

should participate in maintaining the welfare and health of livestock. One of the

things that can be done to maintain it is to monitor the movement and behavior of

farm animals. Therefore, a system is needed where farmers can supervise it such as

by using technology where farmers can supervise anywhere without the need to

come to their livestock pens.

In this final project we propose a system for detecting the movement of farm

animals at night with digital imagery based on depth-sensing acquisition. The main

advantage of this system lies in the ability of the Frame Difference algorithm to

detect the movement of farm animals at night and low light conditions. Using depth

imagery, the system can see through the darkness and detect moving farm animals

even in situations with very limited lighting. In addition, this system also provides

information related to livestock activities, such as sleep patterns, diet, or behavior

changes that can indicate health problems by displaying them on graph data.

In this final project, a system is designed to detect the movement of livestock

at night using camera technology that will be connected to a microcomputer. The

system for detecting the movement of farm animals at night displays a video

containing a bounding box and a large graph of the area against time. The

algorithm used in the application to detect this movement is Frame Difference. This

system with the Frame Difference method succeeded in detecting the movement of

livestock at night by obtaining an average accuracy of 76.15% and a standard

deviation of 12.44.

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