



An Effective Algorithm of Hiding Text and Images in Mosaic image Using GUI Interface

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ABSTRACT: In this computerized world, exchanging touchy information electronically has turned out to be unpreventable. The intention of this work is to stow away and recoup secret information in picture mosaics. The photo mosaic approach has been used for the creation of the mosaic and the base enormous piece (LSB) framework has been grasped for the introducing of the covered information. The improvement of the photo mosaic is done by picking a photo, part it into smaller pictures (tiles) of sizes 8x8, 16x16 and 32x32. These tiles are then looked at from a lot of photographs of similar sizes. Next, the client can either mask a perplex picture or a mystery substance into them. The last mosaic picture contains puzzle information that is all around hidden away and is hard to find with the uncovered eye. This strategy is heartier contrasted with changing the bits of the first picture specifically.

KEYWORDS: Mosaic, Steganography, Confidentiality, Secret message.

I.INTRODUCTION

At the moment, pictures from unlike sources are as often as probable used and transmitted in the course of the web for special applications used for online personage photo collections, undisclosed undertaking chronicles, testimony stockpiling frameworks, curative imaging frameworks, and armed photograph database. These pictures in general be full of clandestine or off the record data so they should be safeguarded from spillages amid transmissions. Up till now, abundant strategies have been proposed for securing picture transmission, for which two regular methodologies are picture encryption and information stowing away. Encryption of a picture is a methodology which utilizes the common properties of pictures, for example, excess and spatial relationship, to get a picture as of now encoded which utilize the Shannon's inequality and dissemination properties. The picture that is scrambled turns into a picture with disorder so that nobody can acquire the transmitted mystery picture from it unless having the right key. Be that as it may, the scrambled picture still is a trivial archive, which can't give more data before the decoding is finished. In this way, this may inspire an assailant's consideration amid the transmission of the picture as a result of its subjective in nature. Another probability to maintain a strategic distance from this issue is stowing away of information that covers a mystery message into another picture so that nobody can expect the survival of the mystery content, in which the kind of information of the mystery image or content that is analyzed in this manuscript. The strategies for information concealing definitely referred to for the most part utilize the systems, for instance, LSB substitution[8], histogram moving[11], recursive histogram adjustment, DCT/DWT changes and so onwards. Nevertheless, with a particular true objective to diminish the twisting of the ensuing picture, an upper headed for the parody worth is generally determined to the consignment of the cover picture. Thusly, the essential confinement of the strategies for data stowing without end stuck in an unfortunate situation in embeddings a monstrous measure of message data into one picture. Specifically, if one needs to disguise a puzzle picture into another photo with a comparable size, the secret picture must be exceptionally compacted early. For instance, for an information concealing strategy with an implanting rate of 0.5 bits for every pixel, a mystery picture with 8 bits for all pixels must be packed at a rate of no less than 93.875% in advance keeping in mind the end goal to be covered up into a cover picture. Regardless, for a few applications, for instance, keeping or transmitting helpful pictures, military pictures, legitimate files, et cetera., that are gainful with no stipend of real twists, such data weight operations are typically unfeasible. On the other hand, the strategies for pressure of

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pictures, for example, JPEG compression [4], are not proper for line drawings and graphical writings, in which sharp complexities between nearest pixels are normally wrecked to end up noticeably less perceptible.

In this manuscript, an alternate technique is anticipated for the broadcast of the picture all right. This skill changes the mystery picture to be transmitted into an essential mosaic tile picture with a similar size which resembles an extra picture which was before selected as the objective picture. The procedure of change is finished with the assistance of some important data that is installed and just with the assistance of this inserted data can a man lossless recuperate the transmitted mystery picture from the mosaic tile picture. This proposed technique is amplified by Lai and Tsai where a stylish sort of another PC picture, called mosaic tile picture, was proposed. The mosaic tile picture is the result of organizing of the tile sections of a transmitted mystery picture is disguised in another picture called the objective picture which was before chosen from the database.

II. METHODOLOGY

To embed the mystery content into objective picture by information Hiding and to embed the mystery picture into the objective picture in blocks form and sustaining the visibility of the unique objective picture. The projected technique consists of

- 1) Picture mosaic formation and embedding the mystery image or message by using the mystery key.
- 2) Get back the mystery image.

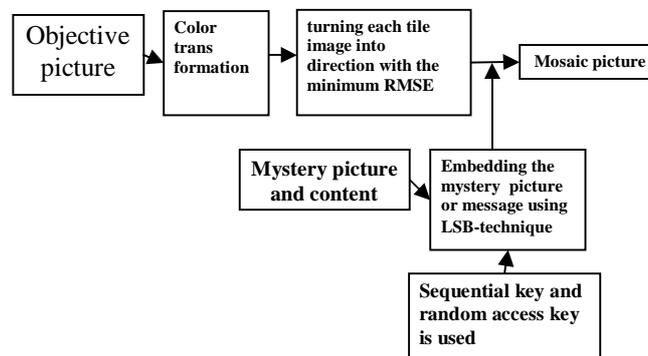


Fig.1: Mosaic image creation block diagram

In the primary stage, a mosaic picture is yielded, which consists of the sections of an information secret picture with shading amendments as indicated by a likeness measure in view of shading varieties. Right off the bat, stack the target picture and that photo can be isolated into equal squares. Fitting the tile pictures of the secret picture into the objective pieces of a before selected target picture. Altering the shading normal for each tile picture in the mystery picture to wind up noticeably that of the comparing target obstruct in the objective picture. Turning each tile picture into a course with the base RMSE value concerning its relating target square and installing important data into the completed mosaic picture for future recuperation of the mystery picture by using the mystery key.

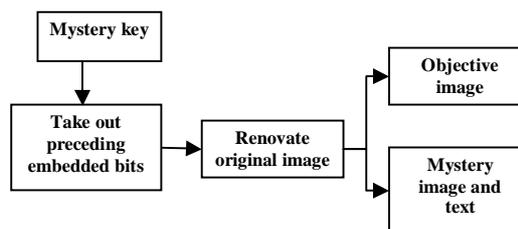


Fig.2: Take out mystery image and objective image Block diagram



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The Least Significant Bit (LSB) is one of the principle procedures in spatial space picture Steganography. The LSB is the most minimal noteworthy piece in the byte estimation of the picture pixel. The LSB based picture steganography installs the mystery at all huge bits of pixel estimations of the cover picture (CVR).

The idea of LSB Embedding is straightforward. It abuses the way that the level of exactness in many picture organizations is far more noteworthy than that distinguishable by normal human vision. Along these lines, an adjusted picture with slight varieties in its hues will be unclear from the first by a person, just by taking a gander at it. In customary LSB method, which requires eight bytes of pixels to store 1byte of mystery information however in proposed LSB procedure, only four bytes of pixels are adequate to hold one message byte. Rest of the bits in the pixels continues as before. By using the LSB technique, the security level is more.

Introduces a few parameters, which are used for following information pre-processing and section selection, and then estimates the competence of those selected sections. If the sections are bulky an adequate amount of hiding the given mystery message, then the data hiding is performed on the selected sections. Finally, to obtain the mosaic image, it does post processing. if not, the scheme needs to amend the parameter, and then repeats region selection and capacity estimation until can be embedded completely. In this, the parameters are diverse for various picture substance and mystery message

III. ALGORITHM OF PROPOSED SYSTEM

A. Mosaic image creation algorithm:

Inputs are mystery image S, a objective image T, and a mystery key K

Output is secret-fragment-visible mosaic image F.

Stage 1: load the objective image.

Stage2: objective image can be alienated into blocks (8x8, 16x16, 32x32).

Stage 3: appropriate tile images into the target blocks.

Stage 4: performing color conversions between the tile images and the target blocks.

Stage 5: rotating the tile images.

Stage 6: Load the mystery message or image and then using some key.

Stage7: Embedding the mystery picture or content using LSB-technique.

B. how to embed the text or image using LSB algorithm:

1. A couple of minimum critical bits (LSB) are substituted within information to be covered up.
2. The pixels are orchestrated so to speak the concealed bits before the pixel of each cover picture to limit the blunders.
3. Let n LSBs be substituted in every pixel.
4. Let d= decimal estimation of the pixel after the substitution. d_1 = decimal estimation of continue going n bits of the pixel. d_2 = decimal estimation of n bits concealed in that pixel. If $(d_1 \sim d_2) \leq (2^n)/2$ then no conformity is made in that pixel. Else
5. If $(d_1 < d_2) d = d - 2^n$. If $(d_1 > d_2) d = d + 2^n$. This "d" is changed over to paired and composed back to pixel. This strategy for substitution is straightforward and simple to recover the information and the picture quality better with the goal that it gives great security.

C. retrieves the secret image algorithm

Input: a mosaic image with n tile images

Output: the secret image.

Stage 1: take out the mystery picture and content recovery information.

Stage 2: get back the mystery picture and content.

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IV. IMPLEMENTATION

A. Transmitter side: First load the objective image. The objective image is divided into equal blocks. Next, choose the secret image in .jpg file and target and secret content in .txt file. Enter the encryption key and its range is 0 to 255. Select the sequential encoding or random encoding. For sequential encoding needs only encryption key. For random encoding needs the encryption key and random seed value. Enter the Random seed value range in between 0 to 100. Applying the LSB technique. Mosaic image is created.

B. Receiver side: Load the mosaic image. Applying the inverse LSB technique. Extracting the secret image by using correct key.

Calculate the image quality using MSE and PSNR values

$$MSE = \left[\frac{1}{M*N} \right]^2 \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^N (X - Y)^2$$

$$PSNR = 10 \log_{10} \frac{r^2}{MSE}$$

Where M*N is size of the image. X is mosaic image and y is original image. R is the image pixel value range.

V. RESULT AND DISCUSSION

In As demonstrate the testing have been carry out to test the future scheme by means of scores of secret and target images with sizes up to 256X256 for mystery pictures and up to 1024X768 and the secret content can be hide the objective image.

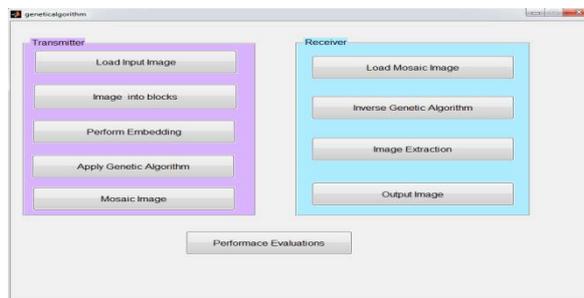


Fig.3: GUI Interface

To demonstrate that, the twisted mosaic image glance like the before selected objective picture, the eminence metric of root-mean-square-error (RMSE) is utilized, which is defined as the square root of the mean square difference between the pixel values of the two images.

A. Hiding the secret content in objective image by using GUI interface:

For this we can hide up to 2000 words we can hide the text in image by using .txt file.

Load the input picture in that particular device. The input picture into equal blocks i.e., 8X8, 16X16 and 32X32.

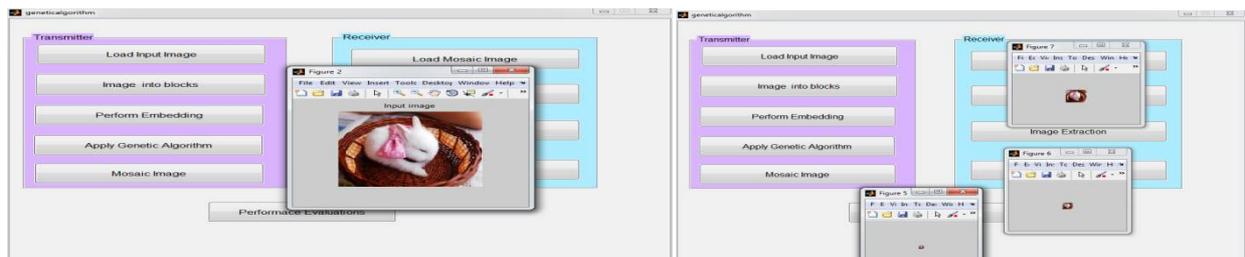


Fig.4: Input image and Input picture is divided into 8X8, 16X16 and 32X32 blocks



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Choose the secret text in that particular device. Choose the encryption key an applying LSB technique and mosaic image is created.



Fig.5: secret text and Mosaic image

Mosaic picture is created from input image and secret image and load the mosaic image.

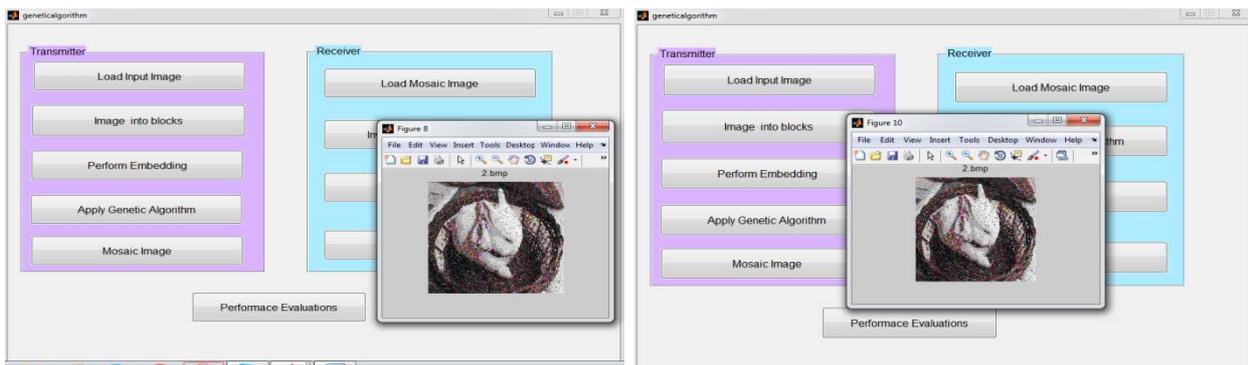


Fig.6: Mosaic picture is created from input image and secret image and Load the mosaic image.

Extracting the picture. The retrieving the secret text can be stored in to that particular device.

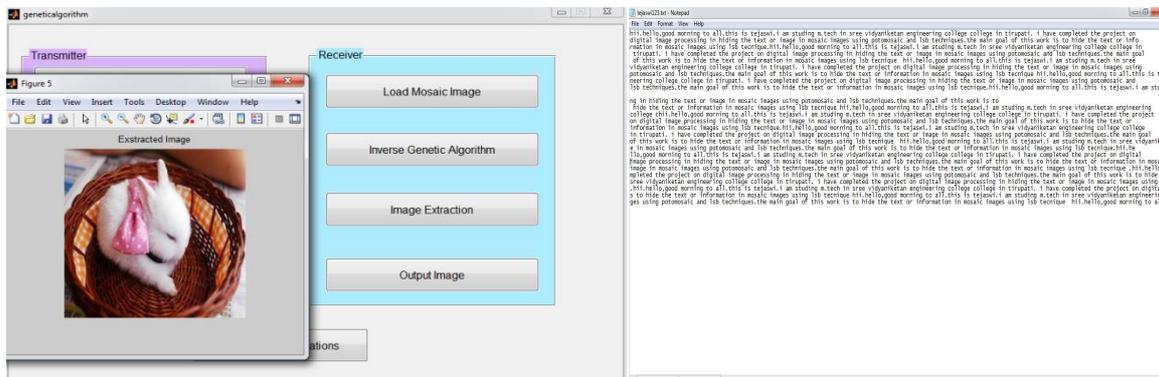


Fig.7: Extracted image and Retrieving the secret text

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B. Hiding the mystery picture in objective image:

Load the input picture in that particular device. The input picture into equal blocks i.e., 8X8,16X16 and 32X32.

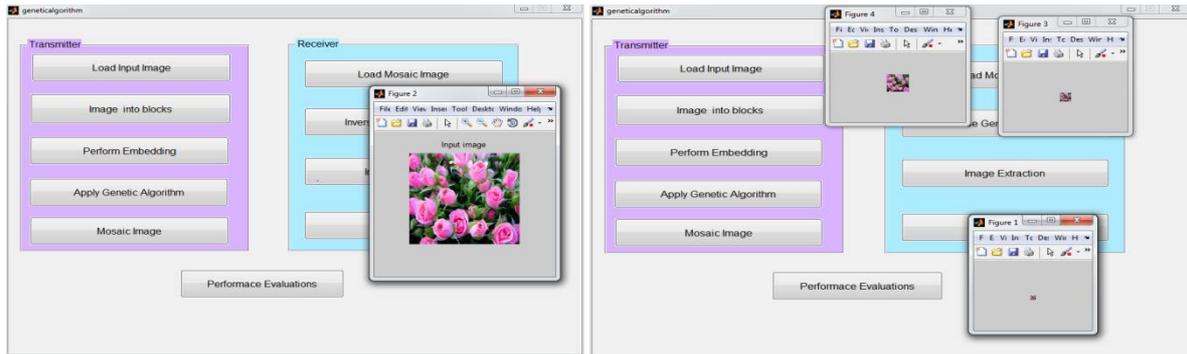


Fig.8: Input image and Input image is divided into 8X8,16X16 and 32X32 blocks

Choose the secret picture in that particular device. Choose the encryption key an applying LSB technique and mosaic picture is created.

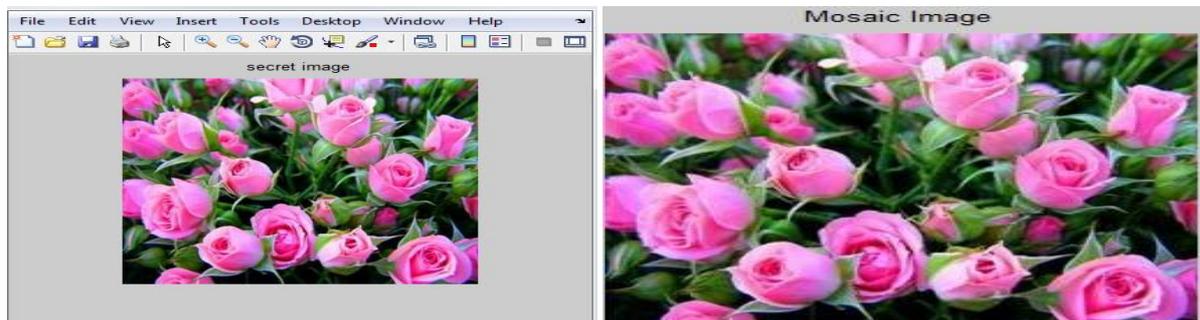


Fig.9: secret picture and Mosaic picture

Mosaic image is created from input image and secret image. Load the mosaic picture.

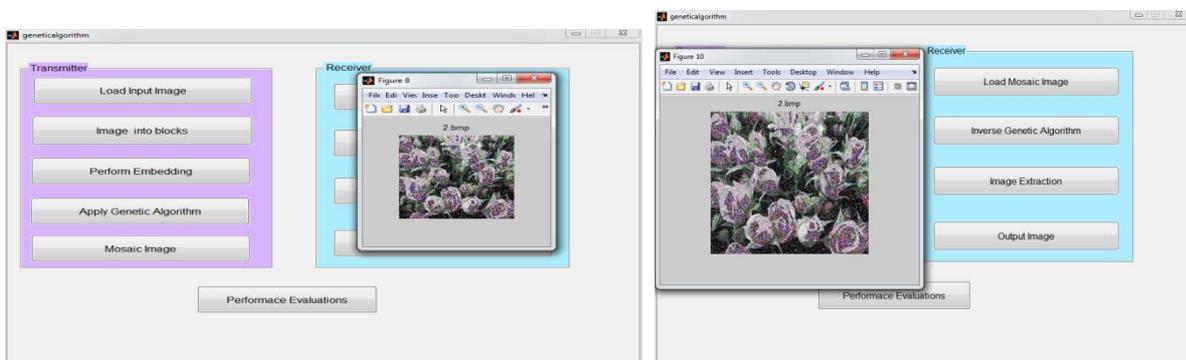


Fig.10: Mosaic image is created from input image and secret image. Load Mosaic image

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Extracting the mosaic picture. The retrieving the secret image can be stored in to that particular device.

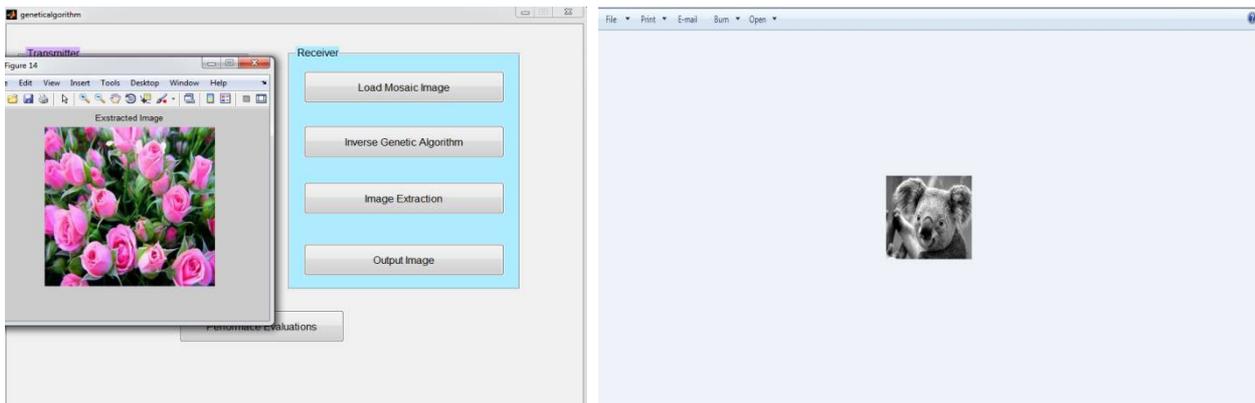


Fig.11: Extracted image and Retrieving the secret text

Comparison for Text and Image in MSE and PSNR values

Secret data	PSNR value	MSE value
For text (50 words)	56.1076	34.7990
For text (2000 words)	65.0988	37.651
For text (1000words)	61.4940	36.3992
Image(147X110)	58.8678	36.1619
Image(256X256)	59.8114	36.6148

Table: Comparison of PSNR and MSE values

VI.CONCLUSION

A effective algorithm has been proposed, which not only can craft carrying great weight mosaic pictures but also can make over a secret picture into a mosaic one with the same data size for use as a masquerade of the secret picture. By using proper pixel color transformation as well as a dexterous scheme for handling overflows and underflows in the converted values of the pixels' colors, mosaic picture with very high visual similarities to arbitrarily-selected target images can be created with no need of a target image database. Also, the original secret images can be recovered nearly lossless from the created mosaic images. Good experimental results have shown the feasibility of the proposed method. Future studies may be directed to applying the proposed method to images of color models other than the RGB.

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