ABSTRACT

Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) is kind of radar that used to detect metal

and non-metal buried objects. This application working by detecting object based

on electromagnetic impulse response which is radiated by transmitting antenna

and hit object on the ground. After hit object some impulse are reflected to the

receiving antenna. In receiver the reflected signal will be processed after

strengthening process by Low Noise Amplifier (LNA). In GPR application, data

processing is used to clean receive signal from clutter and noise.

Signal cleaning is done to get the easier data to identificate kind and

position of the object. In this final project cleaning signal methods are based on

image processing with alignment and de-noising process.

Alignment process is used to enhance B-scan image which is shifting

caused by non-ideal condition when collecting data. This process using edge

detection to get information about width and high of the shifthing also how many

region formed by shifthed effect. Next, de-noising process which are cleaning

clutter and noise also clarify the detected object, are use Discrete Cosine

Transform and Discrete Wavelet Transform. In Discrete Cosine Transform, de-

noising process get image with clearly object is reached when the image has

increasing 7.3885 dB of SNR but in Discrete Wavelet Transform, de-noising

process produce image with none clearly the detected object though has higher

increasing SNR value.

Key Words: GPR, B-Scan, Clutter, Noise, Image Processing

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