



A Framework to Calibrate a MEMS Sensor Network

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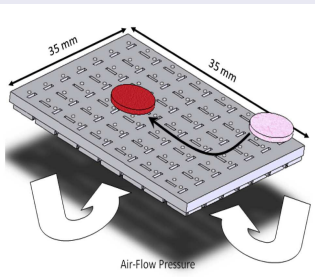
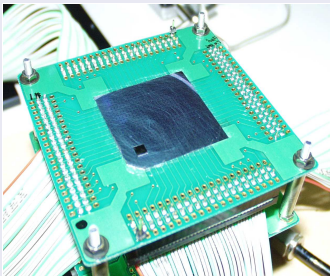
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Smart Surface project

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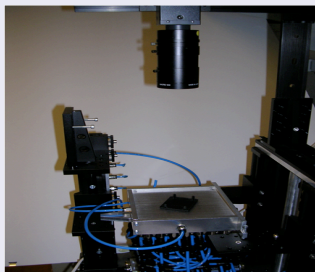
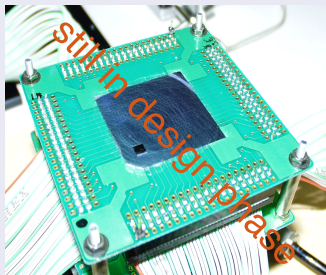
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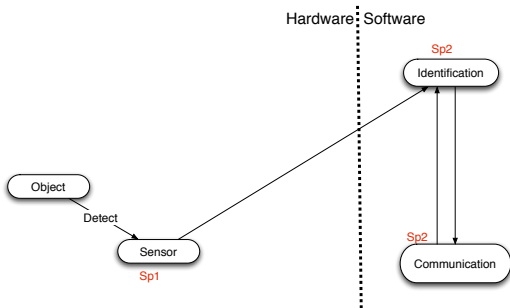
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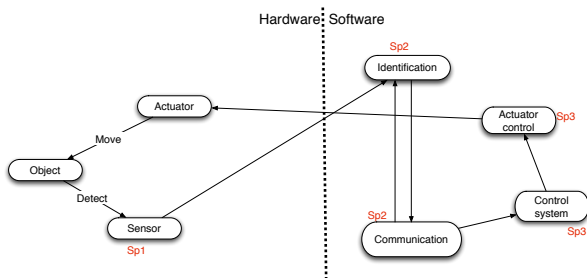
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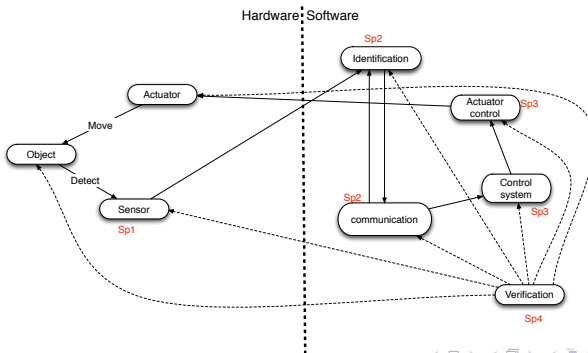
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Related work

Micro-manipulator

Micro-manipulator without contact

- Electromagnetic, pneumatic

Advantages

- More robust
- Can't damage the part and/or the surface

Drawbacks

- High cost
- More complicate to design
- Difficult to control, precision problem

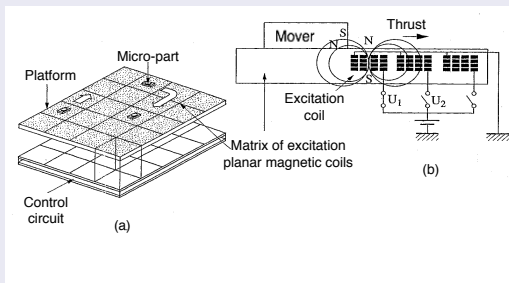


Related work

Example of a micro-manipulator with out contact

Electromagnetic

H. Nakazawa, Y. Watanabe, O. Morita, M. Edo, and E. Yonezawa. The two-dimensional micro conveyor : principles and fabrication process of the actuator. Solid State Sensors and Actuators, 1997. TRANSDUCERS '97 Chicago., 1997 International Conference on, 1 :33{36, Jun 1997.}



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Related work

Micro-manipulator

Micro-manipulator with contact

- Ciliary actuator arrays, electrostatics, roller wheels

Advantages

- Easier to design
- Can move heavier objects

Drawbacks

- Lower speed
- Less robust
- Can damage the part and/or the surface

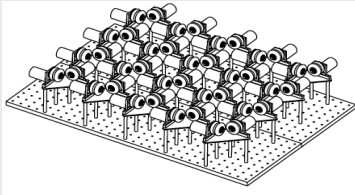


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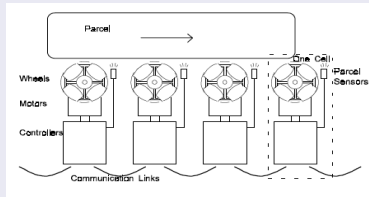
Example of a micro-manipulator with contact

Roller

Jonathan E. Luntz, William Messner, and Howie Choset. Parcel manipulation and dynamics with a distributed actuator array : The virtual vehicle. In IEEE Int. Conf. on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), pages 1541{1997.}



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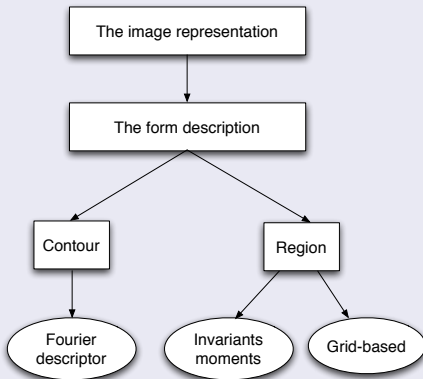


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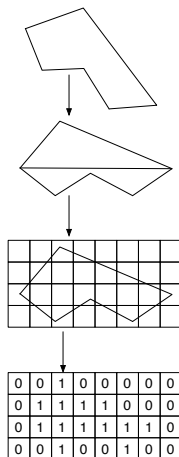
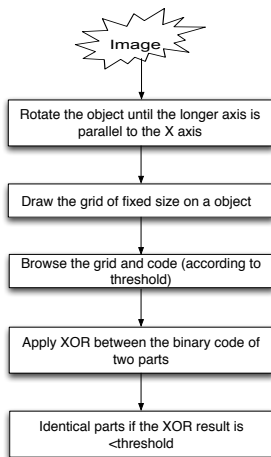
Differentiation methods

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Related work

Differentiation methods : Grid based



SNC

How many sensors are needed to differentiate three parts?

Objectives

- Determine the number of sensors required for optimal functioning of the Smart Surface
Optimal functioning = a good differentiation **average** for each group of models

Hypotheses

- Differentiate parts (\neq recognize)
- All combinations of three out of four models
- The differentiation is done by calculating a set of simple criteria that can be distributed
- Free rotation



The SNC Calibrator

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Definition of criteria

- Example : the criterion «Y»

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Example



Y=228

1	1	0
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Y= 72



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Some definitions : differentiation ratio for $G1 = \{P1, P2, P3\}$

1	1	0
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P1

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1	0	0
1	0	0

P2

1	1	0
1	0	0
0	0	0

P3

	S	P	A
P1	4	8	4
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Differentiation matrix of G1 according to the criterion A, number of angles

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NO Total Differentiation

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Differentiation matrix S,P
 OR between the differentiation
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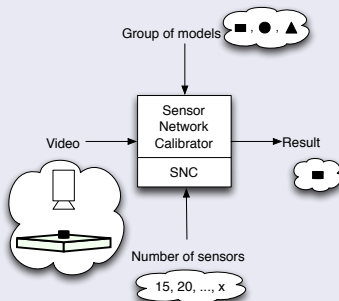
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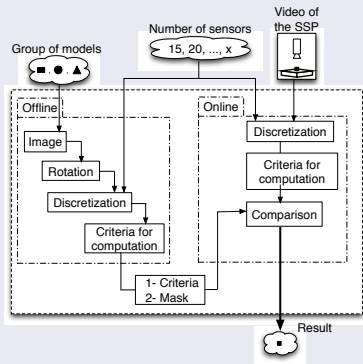
Overview of the calibrator



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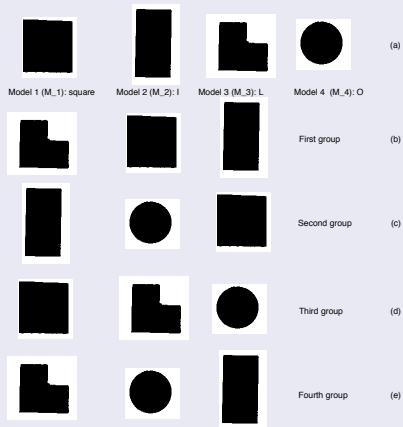
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Global structure of our calibrator



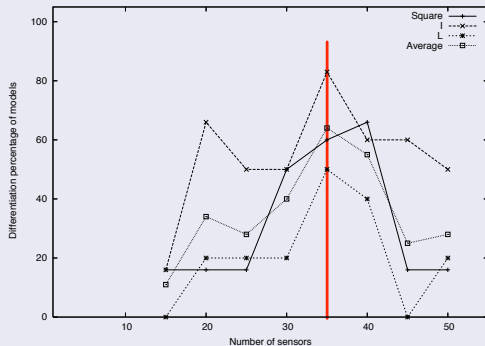
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Example of models



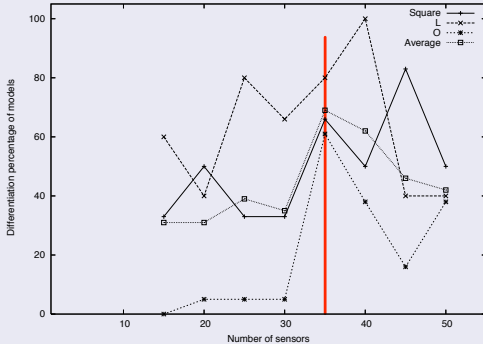
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Group square, I, L



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Computing the non differentiation ratio

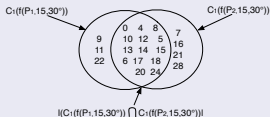
- Let R be a set of rotation values $R = \{1^\circ, 2^\circ, \dots, 360^\circ\}$
- N is set of values of grid sensors size $N = \{15, 20, \dots, 60\}$
- C_k function that calculates the values of criteria
- $f(P_j, n, r)$ function that calculates the binary representation of the model P_j according n step of rotation and r value of grid sensors

$$NDR(C_k, P_i, P_j, n) = \frac{|C_k(f(P_i, n, r))_{\forall r \in R} \cap C_k(f(P_j, n, r))_{\forall r \in R}|}{|C_k(f(P_i, n, r))_{\forall r \in R} \cup C_k(f(P_j, n, r))_{\forall r \in R}|}$$

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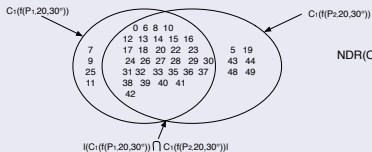
Example

15 sensors



$$NDR(C_k, P_i, P_j, n) = \frac{14}{21}$$

20 sensors



$$NDR(C_k, P_i, P_j, n) = \frac{31}{41}$$



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Conclusions and future works

Conclusions

- The SNC calibrator :
- A sensor grid of (35, 35) is an appropriate parameter for the Smart Surface

Future works

- Test our SNC calibrator with other models
- Develop distributed algorithms for various criteria
- Implement our distributed algorithms in the Smart Surface

Thank you for your attention



Questions ?



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