

A UNIFIED FRAMEWORK OF MULTIMEDIA FINGERPRINTING USING DIGITAL WATERMARKING

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Abstract

Fingerprints are properties of an object that tend to distinguish it from other similar objects. Multimedia fingerprints are unique labels that are inserted in different copies of the same content before distribution. They have various applications but the most important one is to enable the owner to trace authorized users who are distributing the information illegally. For providing security to multimedia content, fingerprints are embedded with the help of conventional digital watermarking techniques which are robust against different kinds of attacks generated by an individual. In this paper, we examine various methodologies of multimedia fingerprinting and present a unified framework with the help of digital watermarking which are capable enough to identify traitors.

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