

Abstract

Embodiments of the present invention provide a method and apparatus for performing video authentication on user. The method mainly includes: receiving an authentication photo submitted by a user; capturing a continuous real-time video of the user through a video pic-up device in a client of the user, and generating a contrast picture according to data of the real-time video; comparing the authentication photo with the contrast picture, and determining a video authentication result of the user according to a comparison result. The present invention may perform accurate and timely video authentication on the user, and prevent the user from performing falsification on authentication photo by using a virtual camera.