MOVING PICTURE PROCESSING METHOD

ABSTRACT

A method for processing a moving picture includes five steps. Firstly, a redundant field from the plural field pictures of the input digital moving picture signals is detected. Secondly, the detected redundant field is eliminated from the plural field pictures. Thirdly, from a string of field pictures from which the redundant fields have been eliminated, the combination of a top field and a bottom field constituting a frame is decided to be processed in accordance with the pre-set picture processing, and outputting the results of decision. Fourthly, a pre-set signal is inserted in the field picture string from which the redundant field has been eliminated for generating picture signals for processing having the same picture rate as the rate of the input digital picture signal. Lastly, the picture signals for processing are processed in accordance with the pre-set picture processing based upon the results of decision.

Figure 4