

Advanced Feature-Based Facial Expression Recognition from Image Sequences Using SVMs

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ABSTRACT

This examination mentions a new facial illustration discovery technique constructed on improved Support Vector Machine (SVM) by adapting advanced kernels. The operator physically places certain pixels to the face exhibited at the first framework. The crisscross adjustment scheme pathways the full crisscross as the facial illustration develops through time, consequently yielding a crisscross that resembles to the countless concentration of the facial illustration as presented in the final frame. Suitable pixels that are complicated into creating the Facial Units (FUs) movements are chosen. Their geometrical dislocation data, expressed as the co-ordinates variance between the final and the main frame, is obtained to be the input to a bank of SVM. The outcomes display an identification precision of nearly 94% and 95% for straight and FU built facial appearance detection, correspondingly. The clue is to elaborate the three-dimensional movements about the dividing border exterior, by a conformal plotting, such that the reparability between courses is amplified. Illustrations are assumed exclusively for adapting histogram intersection kernels. Replication outcomes for both artificial and real data display extraordinary development of simplification faults, supporting our awareness.

Keywords: SVMs, Facemask Appearance Appreciation, Histogram Intersection Kernel and Riemannian structure.

I. INTRODUCTION

Facial appearance duplicates stances, conceptual events, communal interaction and biological gestures [1]. Over the historical years, programmed facial appearance identification has developed as an effective investigation which discovers potential functions in zones such as human excitement analysis, human computer interface and image recovery (Fasel and Luetin, 2003).

SVM has suited very widespread as approaches for studying from instances in science and engineering[2]. Some developments of this subject matter have been delivered (Campbell, 2002). SVM has been effectively pertained to a numeral of functions stretching from face identification and text cataloging to signal handling [3].

The functioning of SVM differs on the kernels. Based on the construction of the Riemannian geometry convinced by the seed mapping, Amar (2001) suggests a scheme of transforming a Gaussian kernel to enhance the performance of a SVM. The clue is to increase the

three-dimensional resolution about the boundary by a conformal plotting, such that the separability among modules is enlarged (Amari, 1999) [4].

Due to the exciting consequences with familiarizing kernel, this paper suggests a novel facial appearance identification method based on superior SVM by adapting kernels [5]. We check the method on JAFFE appearance database. The consequences display that the recognition performance (measured by CAR) is remarkably improved after modifying the Gaussian kernel function [6]. Tests also display that the significance of choosing a proper factor when adapting the kernel [7].

II. ANALYSIS

Here, we give a short analysis on the facial appearance identification and the particulars may be produce in the situations (Fasel and Luetin 2003) [8]. The story of facial appearance investigation can be surveyed back into the nineteenth century. Darwin proved in 1872 the universality of facial languages and their steadiness in

man and maintained between other things (Luetin 2003). Ekman and Friesen (1971) categorized expressions into six basic emotions in 1971, that is, happy, sad, surprise, fear, disgust and anger. Then they put forward Facial System (FS). Suwa et al (1978) presented a preliminary on programmed facial appearance investigation from an image succession. In the 1990s, programmed facial appearance examination investigation increased much inertia beginning with the revolutionary analysis of Mase and Pentland(1991) [9].



Figure 1. Different Expressions of the same image

Feature mining is a important stage concerning facial presence association. The prominent approaches include Eigen face, PCA (Pentland andTurk ,1991) and Fisher face (Belhumeur etal., 1997) etc.[10]. In particular these approaches can be labeled into two groups i.e., local report based and global report based (Zilu et al., 2006) [11]. The first accept appearance by finding and restricting the geometry configurations of face, mouth and eye brows etc. The advanced treat the face metaphors as a undivided matrix and obtain overall topographies [12].

After item mining, a classifier is proposed to categorize these features into different groups. Conferring to the (Fasel and Luetin, 2003), the classifiers can be well-known as spatio-temporal built and 3-D based. The first includes HMM, RNN and spatio-temporal motion-energy templates, etc[13]. Fig 1. represents different expressions of the same image. For example, numerous HMM-based classification methods can be discovered in the literature (Ostuka and Ohya, 1998) and were normally applied in conjunction with image motion extraction methods [14]. The spatial founded classifiers comprises rule based neural networks and SVM, etc. These classifiers were either useful straightforwardly on face images or merged with facial features abstraction or depiction approaches such as PCA or Grabor wavelet filters, etc[15].

III. CONVENTIONAL SVM FOR TAXONOMY

3.1 SVM on behalf of binary cataloging:

Here, we concisely portray the essential ideas of the SVM on behalf of binary cataloging [16]. Assumed a two-class labeled training illustrations set $\{(x_i, t_i)\}$, $i=1,2,\dots,N$, the goal of SVM is to find a hyper level:

$$f(\mathbf{x})=\mathbf{v}\mathbf{x}+\mathbf{k} \quad (1)$$

The weight w is known by a linear arrangement of vectors of the training samples

$$\mathbf{v} = \sum_{i=1}^N \beta_i \varphi_i \alpha_i \quad (2)$$

The parameter b_i is obtained by solving the follow-constrained quadratic programming problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \min mG(\beta) &= \sum_{i=1}^N \beta_i - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N \beta_i \beta_j \eta_i \mu_j (x_i, x_j) \\ \text{s.t. } \sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_i \eta_i &= 0, 0 \leq \sigma_i \leq \varepsilon \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Where, d is regularization aspect [17] .We can prolong the SVM to the non-linear illustration by recording each example of input space R into a feature space F within a nonlinear plotting φ and subsequently finding a hyper plane in F . By working the eq.2, it is feasible to rewrite Eq. 1 to obtain this hyper level

$$h(x) = \sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i v_i \delta(x) \lambda(\kappa_i) + k \quad (4)$$

By usage of kernel utility of the system

$$K(x, x_i) = \mathcal{Y}(x) \mathcal{Y}(x_i) \quad (5)$$

The Eq.4 can be rewritten as:

$$h(x) = \sum_{i=1}^N t_i \chi_i \vartheta(x, x_i) + k \quad (6)$$

Meanwhile the kernel utility described in Eq. 4 modifications the plotting from the input to the feature space [18], it is appropriate significant to the SVM. SVM for multi-class cataloging: SVM were initially considered for binary categorization. How to efficiently encompass SVM for multiclass category is quiet a continuing investigation subject [19]. Presently there are two fold methods for multiclass SVM. One is by relating numerous binary classifiers while the former is by straightforwardly reflecting all training samples into one optimization illumination. The one-against all methods, by joining c twofold classifiers (the factor c is the No. of sessions), is accepted in this analysis. The i -th SVM builds a hyper plane among class the $c-1$ and I other classes. A majority votes across the classifiers or certain supplementary amount can then be useful to categorize a new

sample. The i -th SVM is qualified with all of the instances in the feature space F , we can increase the boundary (or the session with optimistic labels and all other instances with the distance ds) between classes to improve the undesirable labels. Thus known N training samples representation of the SVM. Compelling the Eq. 6 into justification, this hints us to enhance the Riemannian metric tensor $g(x)$ around the edge and to moderate it around other illustrations. In view of eq. 7, we can alter the kernel K such that $g(x)$ is increased throughout the difficulty.

$$x_i \doteq \mathbf{R} \text{ and } t_i \doteq \{1, 2, \dots, c\}$$

is the elegance of x_i , the i -th SVM resolves the subsequent

$$\left[\frac{1}{2} \|v_i\|_2^2 + c \sum_{j=1}^N \delta_j^i \right] \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{s.t. } & 1 - \beta_i^j \leq (\delta_i)^T \delta(y_j) + k_j \\ \text{if } & t_i = i \quad (v_i)^T \xi(x_j) + \sigma_j \leq -1 + \lambda_j^i \\ \text{if } & \theta_j \neq i \quad 0 \leq \sigma_j^i, j = 1, \dots, n \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

$$\sum_{i=1, \dots, c} \sum_{j=1}^N \beta_j^i \theta(x, x_j) + k \quad (8)$$

3.2 SUPERIOR SVM PROCEDURE BY ADAPTING KERNELS

Hypothetical study: A nonlinear SVM plots each illustration of idea space R into a feature space F through a nonlinear mapping. The mapping \mathcal{Y} defines an implanting of S into F . Indicate $\mathcal{Y}(x)$ the plotted models of x in the feature space, a null vector $\Phi(dx)$ is represented as

$$\varphi(dx) \sim \psi(dx) \quad (9)$$

The squared length of $\lambda(dx)$ is written as:

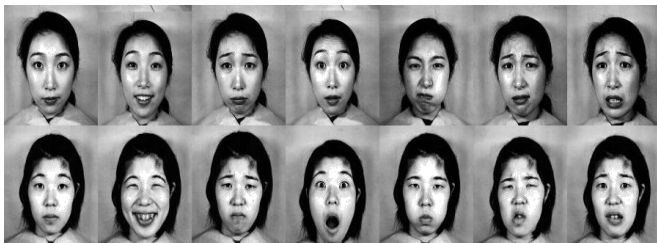
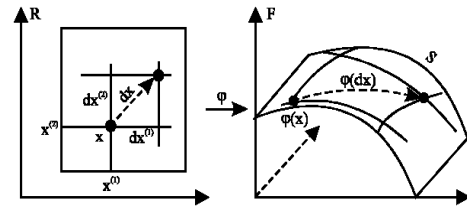


Figure 2. Image sequence of same person with different expression

$$ds^2 = |\varphi(dx)|^2$$



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Figure 3. The plotting Φ express an embedding of S into F as a curved sub-manifold.



Figure 4. Different postures of with deviation

Adapting kernel based on construction of the Riemannian geometry: Assume the kernel can be modified as:

$$\beta(x, x_i) = q(x)r(x)s(x, x_i) \quad (10)$$

Specifically, assume the kernel functions used in SVM is Gaussian kernel, that is

$$j(x, x_i) = \exp\left(-\frac{\|y - y_i\|^2}{\pi^2}\right) \quad (11)$$

the variable ρ is kernel width. It is proved that the corresponding Riemann metric tensor is

$$g_{ij}(x) = \frac{1}{\mu^2} \delta_{ij} \quad (12)$$

After adapting the kernel, the Riemann metric tensor is changed into

$$g_i(y) = s_i(y)t_i(y) + s^2(y)g_i(y) \quad (13)$$

To ensure that $p(x)$ has great value around the support vector (SV), it can be constructed in simple dependent way as:

$$\sum_{i=V} \theta_j \exp\left(\frac{\|x-x_j\|^2}{2\delta^2}\right) \quad (14)$$

Where T is free variable and summation runs overall the support vectors.

IV. PROCEDURE DEPICTION

The figure of the system used for the investigation is offered in Figure 2 and Figure 3. The system is included of two subsystems [20], one for geometrical information pensiveness and one for geometrical data organization. Facial terminologies can be labeled as permutations of Facial Units (FUs), as anticipated by [6]. As can be seen at the subsequent column of Table 2, the FUs that are essential for completely labeling all facemask languages according to the Facial System (FS), are the 17 FUs 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 25 and 26. A subset of FUs is picked (FUs 5, 9, 12, 15, 16, 20, 23 and 24) as those that appear once or twice in the whole set of facial languages (revealed at the third column of Table 2).

4.1. Geometrical translation report

Mining

The geometrical data mining is done by a grid adjustment scheme, founded on deformable prototypes. The user

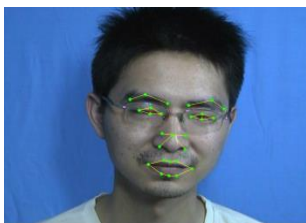


Figure 5. Image Feature calculations

has to physically abode certain points to the face portrayed at the first frame of the appearance order. The arguments throughout the eyes, eyebrows and mouth are the ones with the utmost significance [21]. The software involuntarily adjusts the crisscross to the face and then tracks it across the appearance order, as it progresses across time [7].

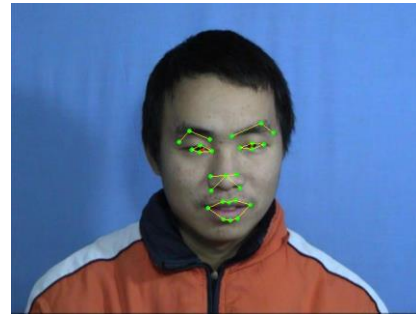


Figure 6. Image feature extraction

At the end, the network modification software yields the distorted sample network that corresponds to the facial expression with the greatest intensity. 114 pixels construct the distorted grid produced by the grid adaptation software. A subset of 72 pixels is chosen, as those that control the movement labeled by the 27 FUs expended for labeling facial languages. The labeling is accomplished depending on only in geometrical information, without taking into contemplation any luminance or color data.

In the condition of straight facial appearance identification, let V be the audiovisual catalog that comprises the facial records of clips, that are gathered into 6 dissimilar sessions V_k $k = 1, \dots, 6$, each one representing one of 6 basic facial expressions (anger, disgust, fear, happiness, sadness and surprise). In the case of FAU-based facial appearance identification, for each FU the catalogue is grouped into 2 dissimilar modules θ_i^k

$i = 1, 2$, for the k -th FU ($k = 1, \dots, 8$). The first class θ_1^k represents the presence of the FAU under examination (each one of FAUs 5, 9, 12, 15, 16, 20, 23 and 24) at the PFEG being processed, while the second one, θ_2^k represents its absence. The geometrical information used is the displacement of one point d_j^i , defined as the difference between the last and the first frame's coordinates:

$$d_j^i = \left[\frac{x_j^i}{y_j^i} \right], i \in \{1, \dots, N\} \text{ and } j \in \{1, \dots, N\} \quad (15)$$

where i is the number of points taken under consideration, here K , equal to 62 and j is the number of image sequences to be examined. For every facial video in the training set, a feature vector \mathbf{g}_j is created, containing the geometrical displacement of every grid node: having $F = 62 \cdot 2$ and with 124 dimensions.

V. RESULTS

We suggested an efficient algorithm to identify facial expressions. Five usual facial expressions classes were verified with c-svm and v-svm. Support vector machine parameters are calculated and the outcomes show over all precision 93.12 % for the suggested system. The performance analysis discovered that the algorithm followed in this work as highly capable. In this work we analyzed anger, surprise, happy, sadness and fear with different classifiers and formulated confusion matrix. Results shows that support vector machines with histogram inter section kernel have shown that superior performance compared to other classifiers. Future possibility is to improve the proposed system by employing some other procedures and estimations of suitably segmented facial attribute extraction with innovation methodologies. Our data sets consist of 20x20 image samples. The training set consists of 3400 facial images and testing set consists of 2300 testing images in which 1000 images are non-facial images. Our study is applicable in the field of pattern recognition, image processing and robotic vision. In this study we proposed the support vector machine frame work to deal with large data set classification. We investigated with 10 regression data sets. For optimizing the variables we have used Particle Swam Optimization (PSO).First we used global search for good variables, then we use PSO for fine tuning phase. We investigated with 8 categorization data sets from different repositories.

We experimented with 8 classification datasets from the UCI repository

Table 1. Nearest Neighbor Confusion Matrix. The over all precision was 60%.

	Anger	Surprise	Happy	Sadness	Fear
Anger	16952	3281	280	1532	234
Surprise	2548	13834	1452	3421	3215
Happy	194	456	6535	543	245
Sadness	234	332	453	1244	562
Fear	342	332	453	321	3453

Table 2.Graph Kernel Confusion Matrix. The over all precision was 65%.

	Anger	Surprise	Happy	Sadness	Fear
Anger	16952	3281	280	1532	234
Surprise	2548	13834	1452	3421	3215
Happy	194	456	6535	543	245
Sadness	234	332	453	1244	562
Fear	342	332	453	321	3453

Table 3. Polynomial Kernel Confusion Matrix. The over all precision was 75%.

	Anger	Surprise	Happy	Sadness	Fear
Anger	16952	3281	280	1532	234
Surprise	2548	13834	1452	3421	3215
Happy	194	456	6535	543	245
Sadness	234	332	453	1244	562
Fear	342	332	453	321	3453

Table 4. RBF Kernel Confusion Matrix. The overall precision was 85%

	Anger	Surprise	Happy	Sadness	Fear
Anger	16952	3281	280	1532	234
Surprise	2548	13834	1452	3421	3215
Happy	194	456	6535	543	245
Sadness	234	332	453	1244	562
Fear	342	332	453	321	3453

Table 5. HI Kernel Confusion Matrix. The over all precision was 92%

	Anger	Surprise	Happy	Sadness	Fear
Anger	16952	3281	280	1532	234
Surprise	2548	13834	1452	3421	3215

Happy	194	456	6535	543	245
Sadness	234	332	453	1244	562
Fear	342	332	453	321	3453

Table 6. Comparison of C-SVM and V-SVM with different facial expressions

C-SVM	Fear	Happy	Anger	Surprise
	SVM-1	0.73	0.45	0.654
SVM-2	0.540	0.513	0.6256	
V-SVM	SVM-1	Happy	Anger	Surprise
	SVM-2	0.415	0.538	0.5317
	NNH	0.335	0.3223	0.473
C-SVM		Happy	Anger	Surprise
	SA+SVM Linear	0.425	0.654	0.482
	SA+SVM RBF	0.337	0.542	0.461
V-SVM	SA+SVM Poly	0.456	0.543	0.432
C-SVM		Happy	Anger	Surprise
	Frequency Count	0.5285	0.538	0.531
	TF-IDF	0.4509	0.4737	0.588
V-SVM		Happy	Anger	Surprise
	Frequency Count	0.527	0.5376	0.5337
	TF-IDF	0.475	0.473	0.5872
C-SVM		Happy	Anger	Surprise
	NCRA	0.405	0.876	0.442
	TF-IDF	0.343	0.543	0.432

VI. CONCLUSION

The important impact of this study is that the application of asymptotic analysis and the formulation novel support vector machines. This study presents the algorithms that report the problems with the aim of refining scalability, computational and data efficiency and generalization performance of machine learning.

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