Robotic Vision

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From [10], S. Vaddi et al., 2019.



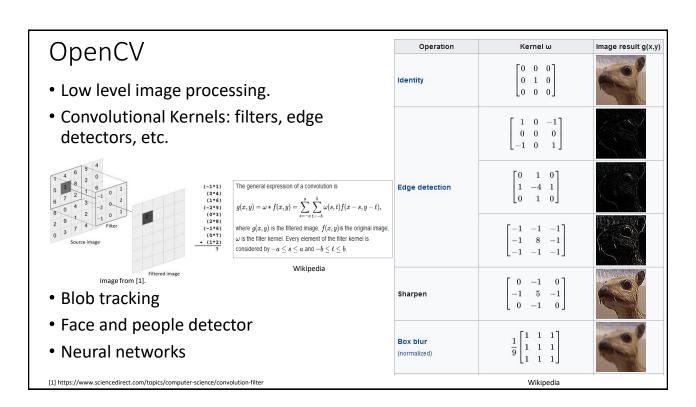
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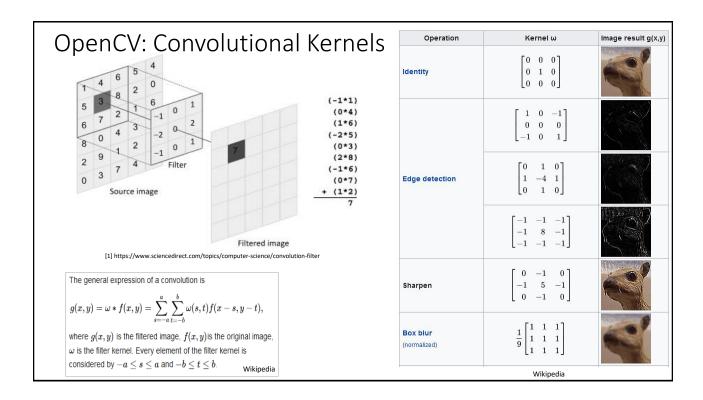
Overview

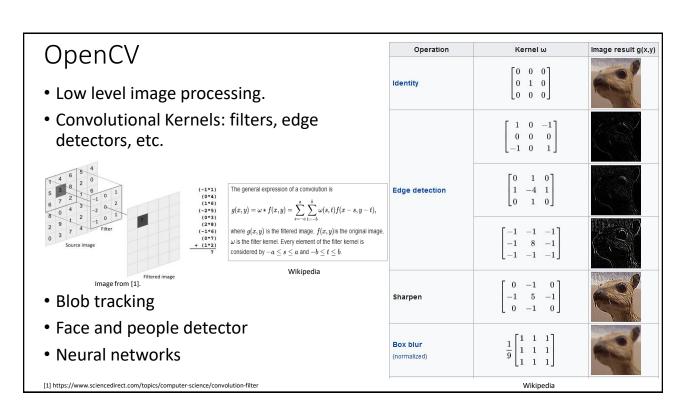
- OpenCV
- Some Neural Networks and AlexNet

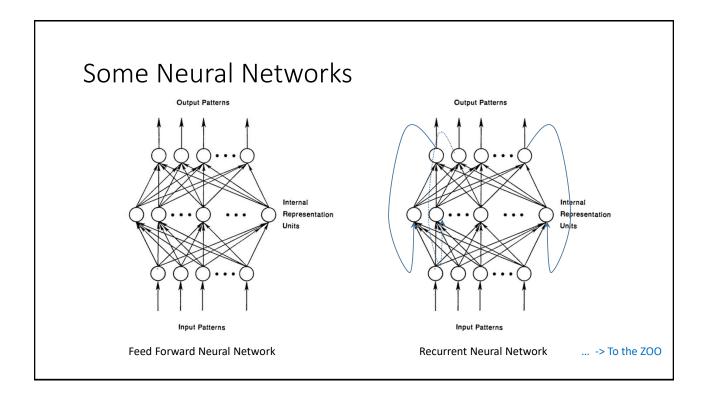
Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)

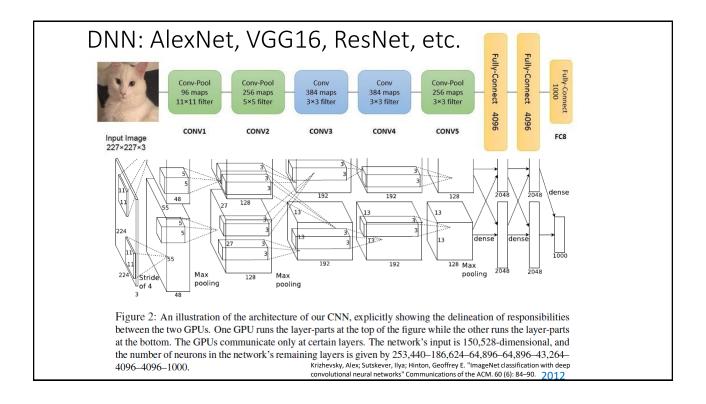
- Object Tracking
- Human Robot Interaction
- Pose Estimation, Face Recognition, ...
- Some problems with Neural Networks
- · Data fusion ...











Deep Visualization Toolbox

yosinski.com/deepvis

#deepvis







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ImageNet

J. Deng, W. Dong, R. Socher, L.-J. Li, K. Li and L. Fei-Fei, ImageNet: A Large-Scale Hierarchical Image Database. *IEEE Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2009. pdf | BibTex

• #images: 14,197,122

• # non-empty WordNet synsets: 21,841

• # images with bounding box: 1,034,908

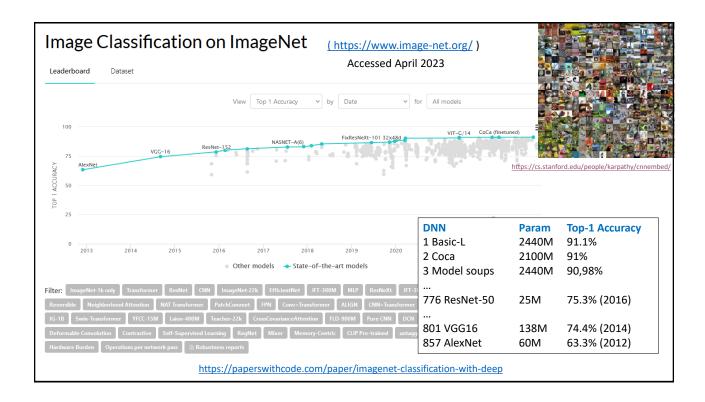
• # synsets with SIFT features: 1000

• # images with SIFT features: 1.2 million

synset = set of one or more synonyms



https://cs.stanford.edu/people/karpathy/cnnembed/



Object Tracking

• Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)

Real-Time Tracking

- A. He et al. A Twofold Siamese Network for Real-Time Object Tracking
- B. Yang et al. PIXOR: Real-Time 3D Object Detection From Point Clouds
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- MEMOT: Multi Object Tracking with Memory CVPR2022
- Etc.

COCO:

Common Objects in Context https://cocodataset.org



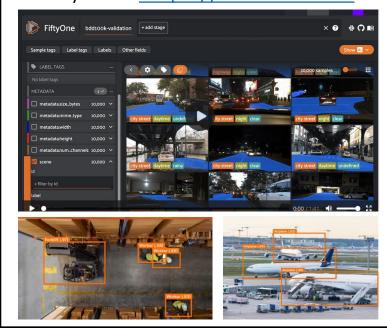
COCO is a large-scale object detection, segmentation, and captioning dataset. COCO has several features:

- ◆ Object segmentation
- ✓ Recognition in context
- **✓** Superpixel stuff segmentation
- ◆ 1.5 million object instances
- ◆ 80 object categories
- ◆ 91 stuff categories
- ◆ 5 captions per image
- ✓ 250,000 people with keypoints



T.-Y. Lin et al. Microsoft COCO: Common Objects in Context., Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition, 2015.

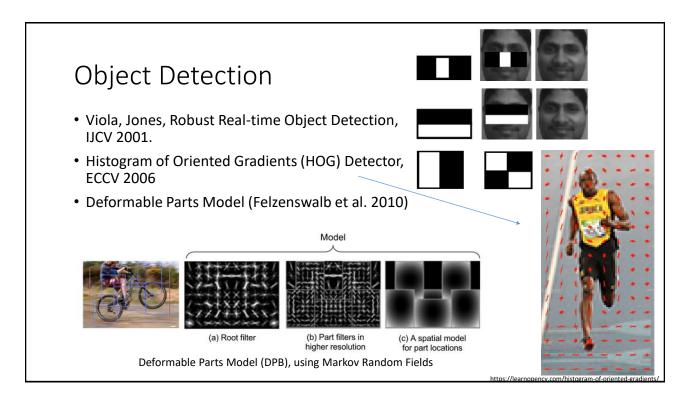
FiftyOne: https://voxel51.com





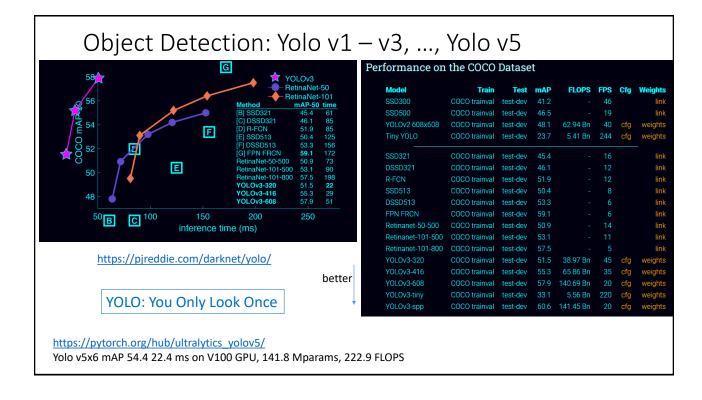


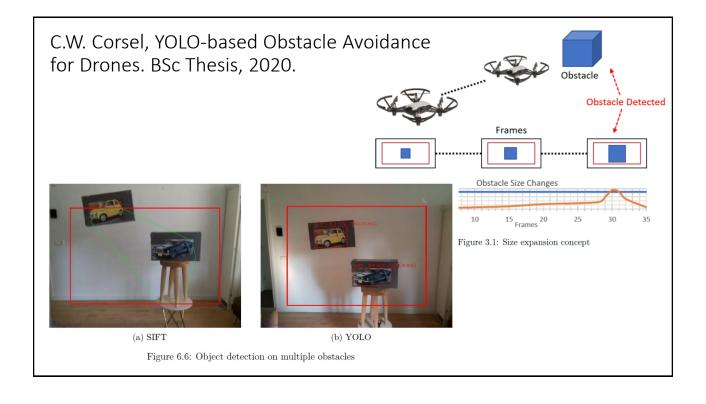




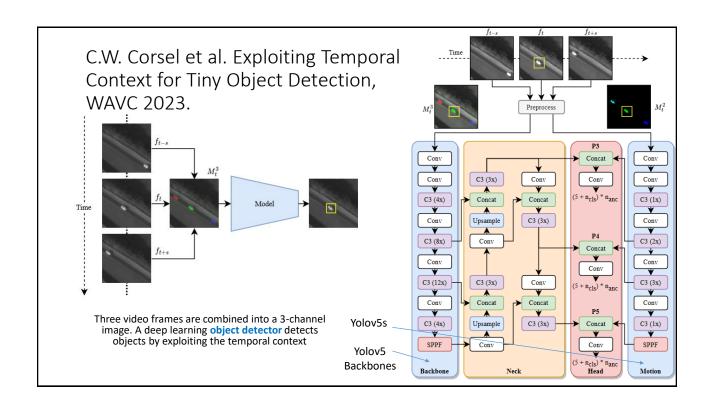
Object Detection

- COCO Data Set
 - https://cocodataset.org/#explore
 - https://cocodataset.org/#detection-leaderboard
- MMDetection
 - https://github.com/open-mmlab/mmdetection
 - https://platform.openmmlab.com/web-demo/demo/detection
- YOLO v1 v3
 - https://pireddie.com/darknet/yolo/
 - Joseph Redmon, Ali Farhadi, YOLOv3: An Incremental Improvement, Tech Report, 2018 (See: https://pjreddie.com/publications/)
- Yolo v5
 - https://pytorch.org/hub/ultralytics_yolov5/

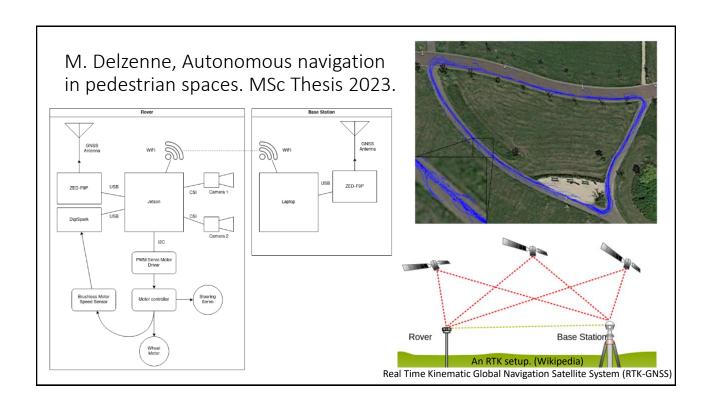


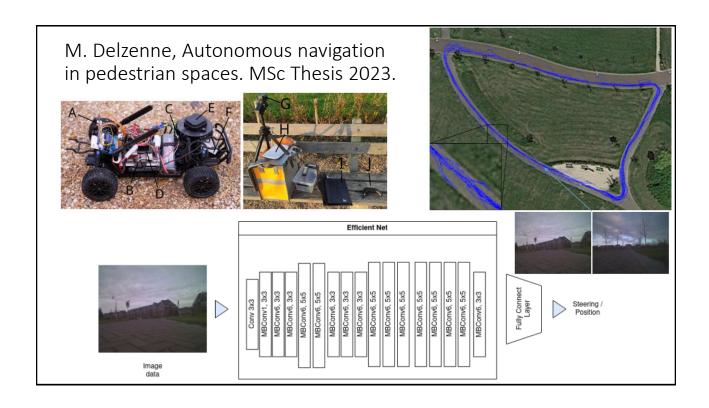


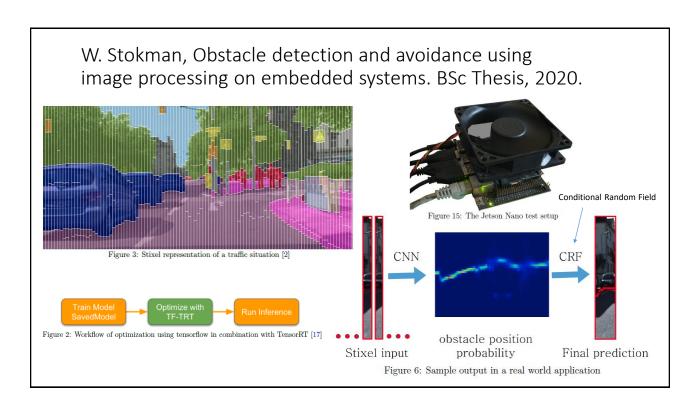
C.W. Corsel et al. Exploiting Temporal Context for Tiny Object Detection, WAVC 2023. AOIZ AOIZ RO RI RZ R3 WPAFB Datasets: TwinCam, VIRAT and selected area of interests from the WPAFB Dataset.











A. Tonioni et al. Real-time self-adaptive deep stereo. CVPR2019 https://github.com/CVLAB-Unibo/Real-time-self-adaptive-deep-stereo

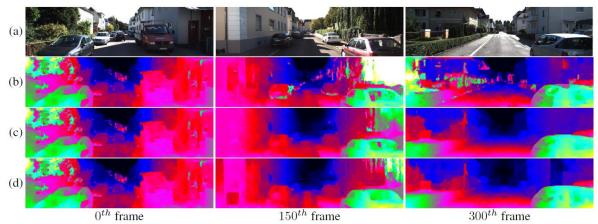


Figure 1. Disparity maps predicted by *MADNet* on a KITTI sequence [7]. Left images (a), no adaptation (b), online adaptation of the *whole* network (c), online adaptation by *MAD* (d). Green pixel values indicate larger disparities (*i.e.*, closer objects).

A. He et al. A Twofold Siamese Network for Real-Time Object Tracking, CVPR2018.

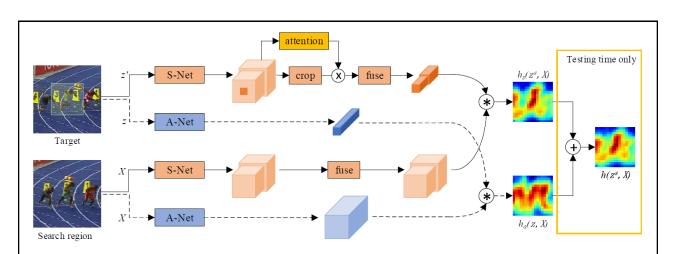
- Green is ground truth.
- Purple is tracked by SiamFC.
- Blue is tracked by the novel twofold Siamese network 2FSiamEC.
- 2FSiamFC is more robust to shooting angle change and scale change.



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Object Tracking is a similarity learning problem

- Compare target image patch with candidate patches in a search region
- Track object to the location whit highest similarity score
- Similarity learning with deep CNNs use so called Siamese architectures (SiamFC).
- CNNs can process a larger search image where all sub-windows are evaluated as similarity candidates. (Efficient.)



- · A-Net is an appearance network, and S-Net is a semantic Network. (Branches trained separately.)
- The dotted lines is a SiamFC (Fully Convolutional Siamese Network Bertinetto et al. 2016.)
- The channel attention module determines the weight for each feature channel based on both target and context information.

(See also: J. Schonenberg, Differential Siamese Network for the Avoidance of Moving Obstacles. BSc, 2020.)

Human Robot Interaction

- Face Recognition
- Pose Recognition
- Hand Tracking
- Person Tracking
- Emotion Recognition
- Action Recognition



Face Recognition

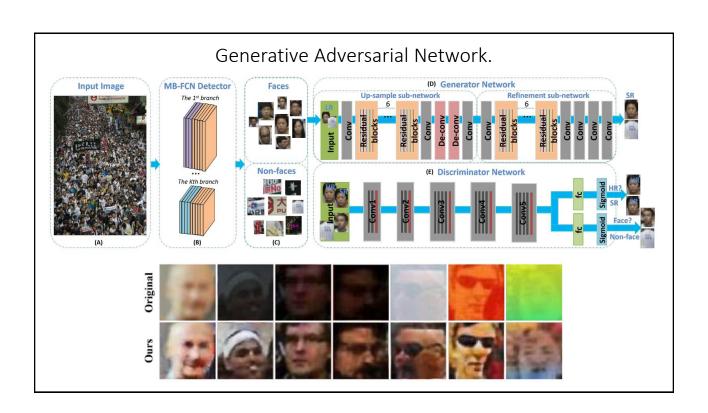
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- CVPR2021 ~50 papers related to Face Recognition
- CVPR2022 ~110 papers related to Face Recognition

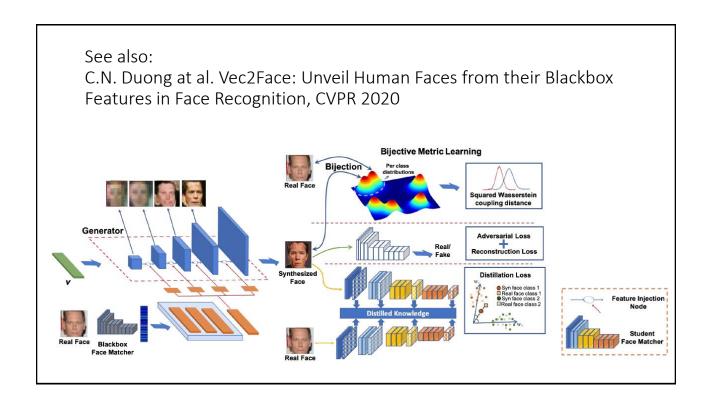
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Yancheng Bai, et al., Finding Tiny Faces in the Wild With Generative Adversarial Network, CVPR2018.



Figure 1. The detection results of tiny faces in the wild. (a) is the original low-resolution blurry face, (b) is the result of re-sizing directly by a bi-linear kernel, (c) is the generated image by the super-resolution method, and our result (d) is learned by the super-resolution (\times 4 upscaling) and refinement network simultaneously. Best viewed in color and zoomed in.









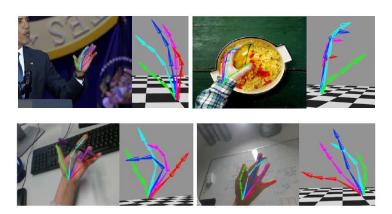
Some Qualitative Results Green ground truth, red selected by the network.



Hand Pose Recognition

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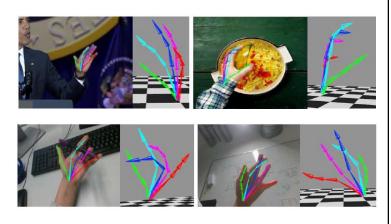


Input: RGB Image
Output: Hand Pose Skeleton.

F. Mueller, et al., **GANerated Hands for Real-Time 3D Hand Tracking From Monocular RGB**, CVPR2018.

Real-time 3D hand tracking from monocular RGB-only input.

- Works on unconstrained videos from YouTube
- Is robust to occlusions.
- Real-time 3D hand tracking using an off-theshelf RGB webcam in unconstrained setups.



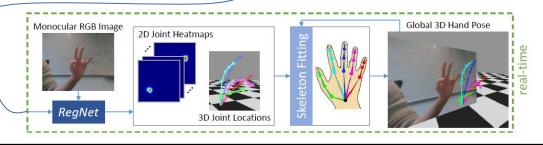
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GeoConGAN



Figure 5: Two examples of synthetic images with background/object masks in green/pink.

- GeoConGAN produces 'real' images from synthetic images. These 'real' images are then used to train RegNet.
- The trained RegNet is used to recognize global 3d hand poses in real time from RGB video streams.



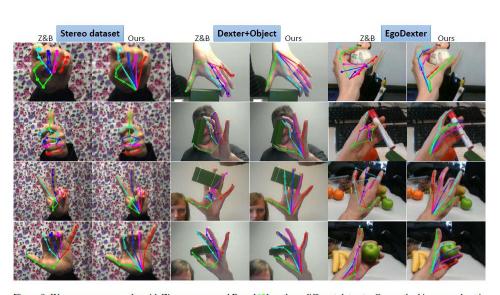
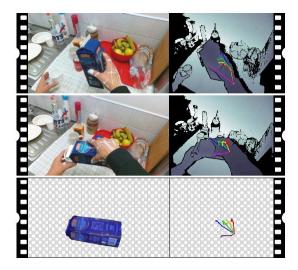


Figure 8: We compare our results with Zimmermann and Brox [63] on three different datasets. Our method is more robust in cluttered scenes and it even correctly retrieves the hand articulation when fingers are hidden behind objects.

Garcia-Hernando, et al., First-Person Hand Action Benchmark With RGB-D Videos and 3D Hand Pose Annotations, CVPR2018.

Pouring Juice

- A novel firstperson action recognition dataset with RGB-D videos and 3D hand pose annotations.
- Magnetic sensors and inverse kinematics to capture the hand pose.
- Also captured 6D object pose for some of the actions

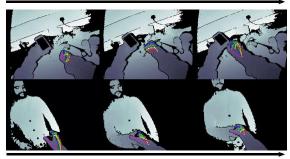


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A novel first person action recognition dataset with RGB-D videos and 3D hand pose annotations.

- Put sugar.
- · Pour milk.
- Charge cell-phone.
- Shake hand





Garcia-Hernando, et al., First-Person Hand Action Benchmark With RGB-D Videos and 3D Hand Pose Annotations, CVPR, 2018.

Visual data: Intel RealSense SR300 RGB-D camera on the shoulder of the subject (RGB 30 fps at 1920×1080 and Depth 640×480.)

Pose annotation:

hand pose

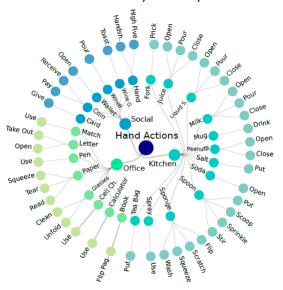
- captured using six magnetic sensors (6DOF) attached to the user's hand, five fingertips and one wrist, following [84].
- the hand pose is inferred using inverse kinematics over a defined 21-joint hand model

object pose

 1 6DOF magnetic sensor attached to the closest point to the center of mass.

Recording process:

· 6 people, all right handed performed the actions.



Garcia-Hernando, et al., First-Person Hand Action Benchmark With RGB-D Videos and 3D Hand Pose Annotations, CVPR2018.

Baseline: RNN LSTM 100 neurons.

1:3 25% training 75% testing

1:1 50% - 50%

3:1 75% - 25%

Cross-person

Leave one of the 6 persons out of the training and test on the person left out.

Tensorflow and Adam optimizer.

Baseline Action recognition results

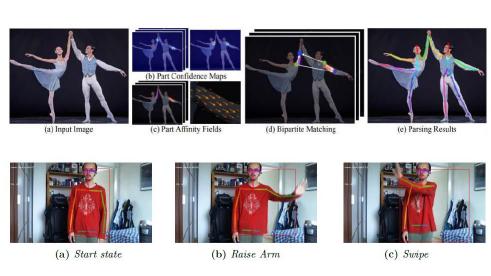
Protocol	1:3	1:1	3:1	cross-person
Acc. (%)	58.75	78.73	84.82	62.06

		recognition			
Method	Year	Color	Depth	Pose	Acc. (%)
Two stream-color [15]	2016	✓	X	X	61.56
Two stream-flow [15]	2016	✓	×	X	69.91
Two stream-all [15]	2016	✓	Х	Х	75.30
HOG2-depth [40]	2013	Х	✓	Х	59.83
HOG2-depth+pose [40]	2013	×	✓	✓	66.78
HON4D [43]	2013	×	✓	×	70.61
Novel View [47]	2016	×	✓	X	69.21
1-layer LSTM	2016	×	×	✓	78.73
2-layer LSTM	2016	×	×	✓	80.14
Moving Pose [85]	2013	Х	×	✓	56.34
Lie Group [64]	2014	X	X	✓	82.69
HBRNN [12]	2015	×	X	✓	77.40
Gram Matrix [86]	2016	×	X	✓	85.39
TF [17]	2017	×	×	✓	80.69
JOULE-color [19]	2015	✓	×	X	66.78
JOULE-depth [19]	2015	X	✓	×	60.17
JOULE-pose [19]	2015	×	×	✓	74.60
JOULE-all [19]	2015	✓	✓	✓	78.78

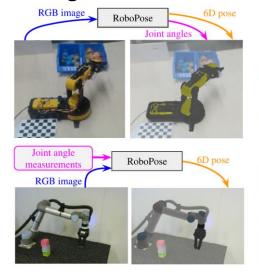
Hand pose

Table 4: Hand action recognition performance by different evaluated approaches on our proposed dataset.

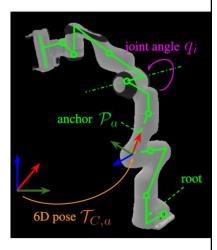
K. Maas, Full-Body Action Recognition from Monocular RGB-Video: A multi-stage approach using OpenPose and RNNs, BSc Thesis, 2020.

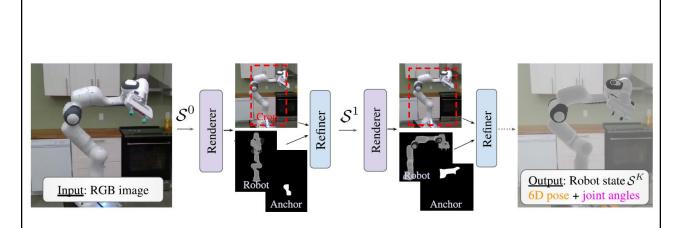


Y. Labbe et al. Single-view robot pose and joint angle estimation via render & compare, CVPR2021

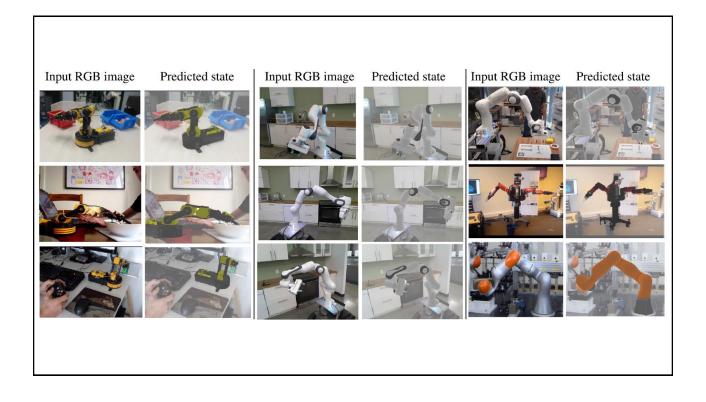








• Iteratively updating using a renderer and refiner until the rendered robot matches the input image.



Some Problems with Deep Neural Networks

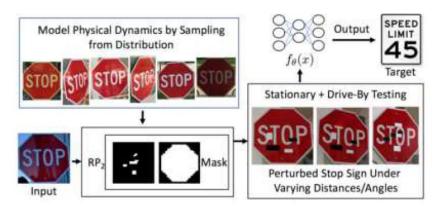
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Robust Physical Perturbations (RP2):

- generate physical perturbations for physical-world objects such that a DNN-based classifier produces a
 designated misclassification.
- · This under a range of dynamic physical conditions, including different viewpoint angles and distances.



K. Eykholt, et al. Dawn Song Robust Physical-World Attacks on Deep Learning Visual Classification, CVPR2018.

Two types of attacks showing that RP2 produces robust perturbations for real road signs.

- poster attacks are successful in 100% of stationary and drive-by tests against LISA-CNN
- sticker attacks are successful in 80% of stationary testing conditions

















































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This is a micro-wave.

This is not a micro-wave.

Yuxin Xiong, Adversarial Detection and Defense in Deep learning, 2021

Adversarial attacks on DNNs in e.g. autonomous driving and facial recognition.

- Adversarial examples constructed by shapeshifter
- robust to distortions at different distances and angles, etc.

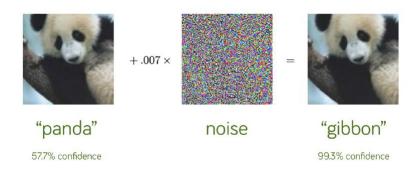
UNMASK[15] a framework to detect and defend against attacks:

- extract features by semantic segmentation technique.
- compare extracted features to detect if input image is benign
- counter against attacks by refining to the correct class.

Modified UNMASK model for Resnet101:

- · add 4 feature denoising blocks: robust to various attacks
- improves UNMASK against several types of attacks

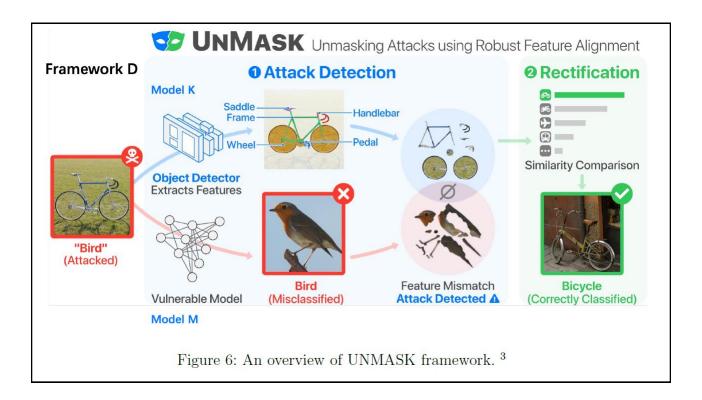
Adversarial Examples



Ian J Goodfellow, Jonathon Shlens, and Christian Szegedy. Explaining and harnessing adversarial examples. in ICLR, 2015.

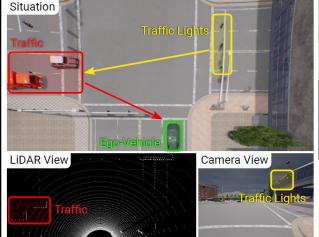


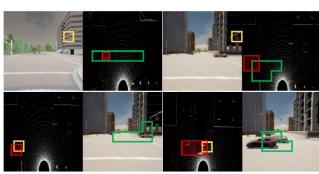
Figure 4: Adversarial examples generated by Shapeshifter with "low" and "high" confidence(perturbation strength). Shapeshifter can perform both targeted attacks and non-target attacks.



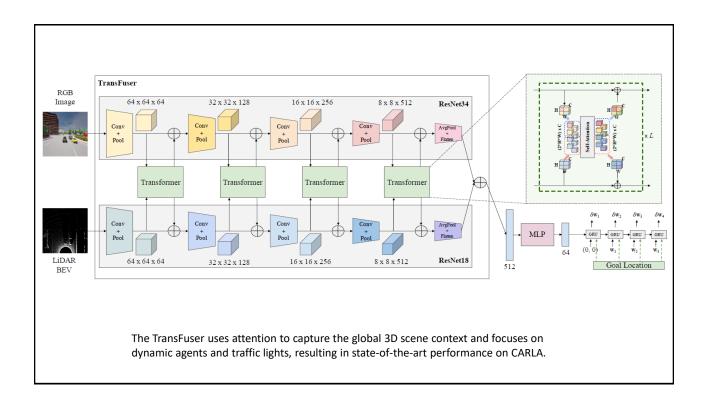


A. Prakash et al., Multi-Modal Fusion Transformer for End-to-End Autonomous Driving, CVPR2021





Attention Maps: yellow query token, red vehicle in lidar. => Green top-5 attended tokens.



Method	Town0	5 Short	Town05 Long		
	DS ↑	RC ↑	DS ↑	RC↑	
CILRS [16]	7.47 ± 2.51	13.40 ± 1.09	3.68 ± 2.16	7.19 ± 2.95	
LBC [8]	30.97 ± 4.17	55.01 ± 5.14	7.05 ± 2.13	32.09 ± 7.40	
AIM	49.00 ± 6.83	81.07 ± 15.59	26.50 ± 4.82	60.66 ± 7.66	
Late Fusion	51.56 ± 5.24	83.66 ± 11.04	31.30 ± 5.53	68.05 ± 5.39	
Geometric Fusion	54.32 ± 4.85	86.91 ± 10.85	25.30 ± 4.08	69.17 ± 11.07	
TransFuser (Ours)	54.52 ± 4.29	78.41 ± 3.75	33.15 ± 4.04	56.36 ± 7.14	
Expert	84.67 ± 6.21	98.59 ± 2.17	38.60 ± 4.00	77.47 ± 1.86	

Mean and stdev on Route Completion (RC) and Driving Score (DS) in 2 Town Settings with high densities of dynamic agents and scenario's over a total of 9 runs.

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