



Visual Navigation for Flying Robots

Project proposal

Waving recognition

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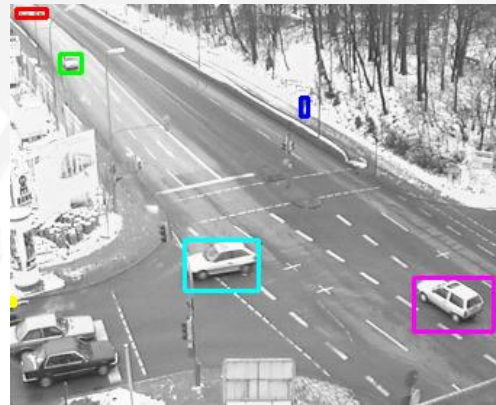
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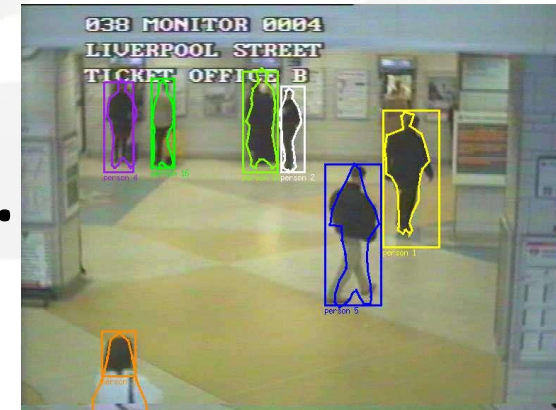
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- Action recognition: waving

VIDEO HERE

Research problem

- **Vision-based activity recognition**
- **Understand the behaviour of agents through videos taken by various cameras**
- **Many applications: human-computer interaction, user interface design, robot learning, surveillance...**
- **Multiple aspects: single pedestrian tracking, group tracking, detecting dropped objects, action recognition...**
- **Recognition of classes of human actions such as "running", "walking" and "hand clapping". The method exploits local action representation in terms of space-time interest points**
- **Detection of local events in video with distinct properties in space-time. Space-time interest points enable matching of corresponding space-time points across video sequences**

Approach

- Recording waving videos of group components
- Using waving videos publicly available
- Extraction of Spatio-Temporal Interest Points (STIPs)
- Computation of HOGHOF descriptors
- Cluster by K-means to form a dictionary of words and histograms of words are built for each video
- Compute the χ^2 -kernel and train an SVM classifier

Classification Using Bag of Spatio-Temporal Features

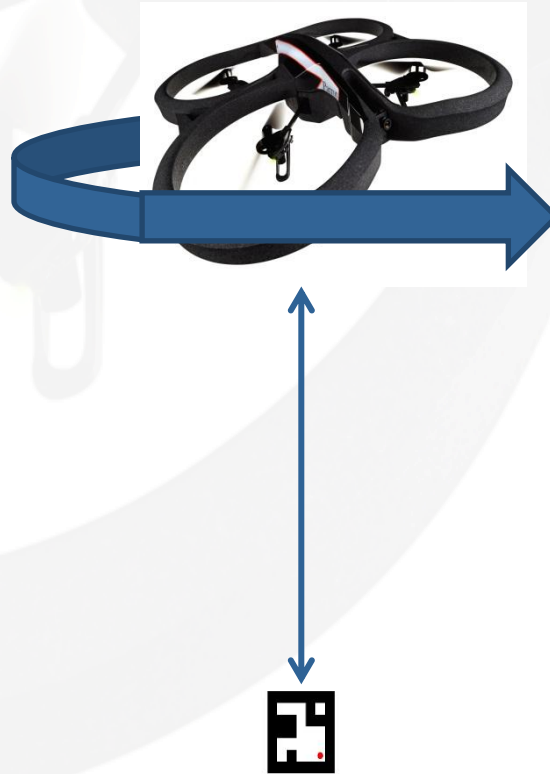
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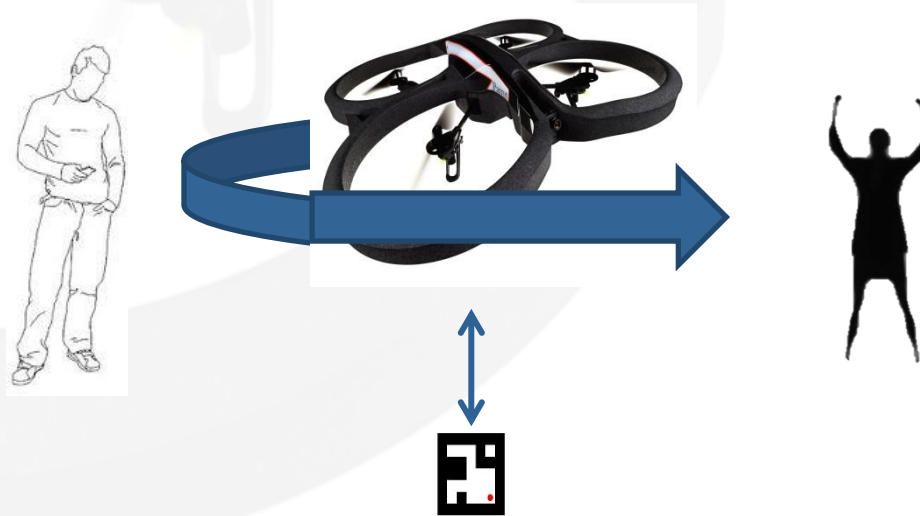
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- Take a picture or blink screen if found

