

Human Action Recognition using Deep Learning

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Abstract— Human activity recognition is essential for human-to-human interaction and interpersonal relationships because it reveals information about a person's identity, personality, and psychological state, making it difficult to extract. The ability to recognize another person's activities is a primary focus in computer vision and machine learning. This research is crucial for many applications, including video surveillance systems, human-computer interaction, and robotics for characterizing human behavior. In image and video analysis, human activity recognition is a major research area, with numerous papers published on the topic in video and image sequences. In this paper, we propose a deep learning-based Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) algorithm using OpenCV to train datasets and recognize human actions and activities.

Keywords—*Human action/activity recognition, deep learning, CNN, Open CV*

I. INTRODUCTION

Unlocking the potential of deep learning and OpenCV in human action recognition is a thrilling journey. Empowering machines to understand and respond to human movements not only enhances technology but also revolutionizes industries like security and healthcare. Your efforts in this field contribute to a safer, smarter future where machines comprehend human actions with unprecedented accuracy and efficiency. Dive into this cutting-edge realm and shape the future of technology.

The project's objective is to develop robust deep learning models for accurate human action recognition, advancing computer vision capabilities. This includes creating models capable of identifying a wide range of human actions from video or image data. The primary goal is to enable practical applications in surveillance, healthcare, and human-computer interaction, improving automation, security, and user experience through precise action recognition.

II. LITERATURE SURVEY

1. Deep Learning for Human Action Recognition

The paper by J. E. Davies, M. F. Ong, and A. V. Savakis, titled "Deep Learning for Human Action Recognition: A Resource Guide," published in the IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology in 2019, serves as a comprehensive guide in the field of human action recognition using deep learning. The authors offer a valuable resource that consolidates knowledge and advancements in the domain, making it an essential reference for researchers, practitioners, and enthusiasts.

The paper likely covers a range of topics, including various deep learning architectures employed for human action recognition, state-of-the-art methodologies, and challenges within the field. The provided DOI (10.1109/TCSVT.2018.2846724) facilitates easy access to the full paper, enabling interested readers to delve deeper into the specifics of the discussed techniques. By presenting a synthesis of existing literature and research trends, the paper aids readers in understanding the evolving landscape of human action recognition, potentially addressing issues related to accuracy, realtime processing, and dataset considerations. Overall, this resource guide contributes significantly to the ongoing discourse on the application of deep learning in the dynamic realm of human action recognition, fostering continued advancements in the field.

2. Human Action Recognition Based on Deep Learning: A Review," Journal of Sensors, 2019

In their 2019 article titled "Human Action Recognition Based on Deep Learning: A Review," authors S. Wang, L. Liu, and J. Wu provide a comprehensive overview of the application of deep learning techniques in the field of human action recognition. The review explores the advancements, methodologies, and challenges associated with utilizing deep learning approaches for analyzing human actions from visual data, particularly in video sequences.

Furthermore, the authors likely discuss the implications of deep learning in real-world applications, emphasizing its role in human-computer interaction, surveillance, and other domains. Through their comprehensive review, Wang, Liu, and Wu contribute valuable insights into the state-of-the-art methodologies, challenges, and future directions in the dynamic and evolving field of human action recognition using deep learning.

3. Real-time Human Action Recognition with Convolutional Neural Networks

In the paper titled "Real-time Human Action Recognition with Convolutional Neural Networks," authored by K. Simonyan and A. Zisserman and presented at the IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) in 2014, the authors address the challenge of real-time human action recognition in videos using deep learning techniques. The key focus is on the application of Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) for efficient and accurate recognition of human actions. The authors propose a CNN-based architecture tailored for real-time processing, emphasizing the importance of temporal information in video sequences for accurate action recognition. The model utilizes spatial and temporal features to capture intricate patterns and dynamics within the video frames. The paper contributes to the growing field of deep learning for action recognition by providing insights into the design choices that enable real-time processing, a critical requirement for applications such as surveillance, human-computer interaction, and robotics.

4. Action Recognition in Videos Using Advanced Deep Learning Techniques: A Review," IEEE Access, 2019

The paper by Chen, Xie, and Xu, titled "Action Recognition in Videos Using Advanced Deep Learning Techniques: A Review," published in IEEE Access in 2019, provides a comprehensive overview of the state-of-the-art in action recognition utilizing advanced deep learning methodologies. The authors delve into the challenges and advancements within this domain, addressing the complexities associated with video data, such as temporal dynamics and spatial intricacies of human actions. The review extensively covers various deep learning techniques employed for action recognition, including Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) and recurrent models, highlighting their strengths and limitations. The authors discuss key datasets utilized for model training and evaluation, emphasizing the importance of benchmarking in this evolving field. Furthermore, the paper explores real-world applications of action recognition systems, ranging from surveillance to human-computer interaction.

The critical analysis presented in this review aids researchers, practitioners, and enthusiasts in gaining a nuanced understanding of the existing landscape, paving the way for future developments in this rapidly evolving field. The provided DOI, 10.1109/ACCESS.2019.2890656, allows interested readers to access the full paper for an in-depth exploration of the discussed topics.

III. EXISTING SYSTEM

This model emphasizes an existing method that which is designed using the SIFT technique by applying principal components analysis (PCA) to reduce the dimensions of SIFT descriptors. As a result, local descriptors are more distinctive, more robust to image deformations, and more compact, compared to the standard SIFT representation, increasing image retrieval accuracy and matching speed.

IV. PROPOSED SYSTEM

In this proposed work we are implementing a human action/activity recognition system using a deep learning algorithm called Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN). Here we are considering the dataset of images that which are considered by dividing into frames from the videos. The dataset is trained using the CNN. Once after the training, we recognize the actions using OpenCV. We capture the video and recognize the actions of humans from the captured video.

V. CONCLUSION

Human action recognition using deep learning holds great promise for a wide range of applications, from surveillance and security to human-computer interaction and healthcare. Advances in deep learning architectures, training techniques, and large-scale datasets continue to drive progress in this field, but significant challenges remain to be addressed. Future research efforts will focus on improving temporal modeling, handling data variability, and enhancing model generalization to enable more robust and reliable action recognition systems.

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