Vehicle Re-Identification with the Space-Time Prior

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Vehicle Re-Identification: Identify the vehicles across cameras.

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1. Domain transfer problem

Learned CNN fails on testing data of different domain.

2. Lack of labeled training data

Learned CNN is not general enough for unseen data.



Training





Testing





Frame t

Frame t+1

The **space-time prior** within the video:

Vehicle pair in same video frame must be different identity. Vehicle pair in same trajectory must be same identity.



Triplet CNN with Adaptive Feature Learning (AFL):

Train CNN with labeled training data and examples discovered by space-time prior.

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Train on Market-1501 dataset. Adapt to DukeMTMC-reID dataset for testing.



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Submission results on NVIDIA AI City Challenge Track 3

Test with different multi-camera matching algorithm.

Possibly correct matches

Definitely incorrect matches

Visualization of vehicle re-identification system results

Discussion

1. Limitations of space-time prior

Hard to discover negative pairs with similar appearance with space-time prior

2. Evaluation metrics

Biased toward **TDR** due to insufficient ground-truth vehicle

3. Datasets

Lack of labeled vehicle reidentification datasets

Definitely incorrect matches

	K-means Clustering	Bottom-Up K-means	K-NN Search	Query-Gallery
TDR↑	0	0	0.1429	0.5714
PR↑	0.0006	0.0015	0.0020	0.0007
S3↑	0.0003	0.0007	0.0725	0.2861

TDR:	Track detection rate
PR:	Localization precision
S3:	Average of TDR and PR

Summary

- Introduce adaptive feature learning with space-time prior
- Verify adaptive feature learning on both human and vehicle Re-ID
- Achieve great results on NVIDIA AI City Challenge Track 3

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