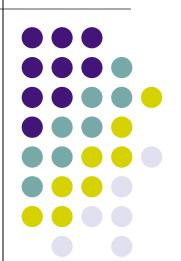
Camera Attention Weighted Strategy for Video Shot Grouping

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Introduction



Introduction (1)



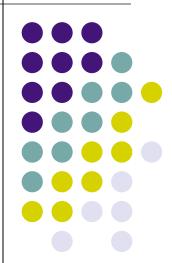
- Shot grouping
 - Video structuring above shot-level



Introduction (2)

- Visual feature extraction
 - Frame-based approach
 - Global: no semantics
 - Object-based approach
 - Crude and unreliable
 - Temporal Weighting
 - Uneven importance given to different time

Shot Feature Extraction



Shot Feature Extraction (1)



- Camera motion analysis
 - Four-parameter global motion model

$$\overline{MV} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ -a_2 & a_1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} a_3 \\ a_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

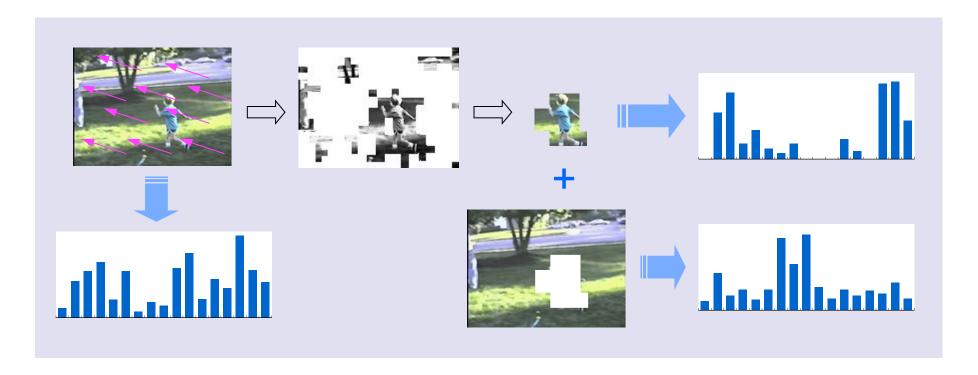
Motion vector pre-processing

$$\begin{cases}
\overline{FlowI} = \frac{1}{2}(\overline{MV}_{preB,forward} - \overline{MV}_{nextB,backward}) \\
\overline{FlowB} = \frac{1}{2}(\overline{MV}_{forward} - \overline{MV}_{backward}) \\
\overline{FlowP} = \frac{\overline{MV}_{forward}}{Nref}
\end{cases}$$





- Frame segmentation
 - Attention Region (AR) + Background (BG)



Shot Feature Extraction (3)



- Camera attention weighted strategy
 - Real camera moving parameter

$$\overline{MV} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ -a_2 & a_1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} a_3 \\ a_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} s = a_1 + 1 \\ \gamma = a_2/(a_1 + 1) \\ L = \sqrt{(f\alpha)^2 + (f\beta)^2} = \sqrt{a_3^2 + a_4^2}/(a_1 + 1) \\ \theta = arctg \frac{f\beta}{f\alpha} = -arctg \frac{a_4}{a_3} \end{cases}$$





- Camera attention model
 - Frames with attention regions

$$wtBG = \frac{1}{wtAR} \quad wtAR = \begin{cases} s & L < L_0 \\ s \cdot (1 + L/r_L) & L \ge L_0 \end{cases}$$



Frames without attention regions

$$wtBG = \begin{cases} s & L < L_0 \\ s/(1 + f(\theta) \cdot L/r_L) & L \ge L_0, \ \theta < \pi/4 \\ s \cdot (1 + f(\theta) \cdot L/r_L) & L \ge L_0, \ \theta \ge \pi/4 \end{cases}$$



Shot Feature Extraction (5)



- Examples of camera attention weights
 - Camera Pan:

| wtBG | 0.924 | 0.856 | 0.583 |
|------|-------|-------|-------|
| wtAR | 1 | 1.168 | 1.715 |

Shot Feature Extraction (6)



Weighted histogram

$$\begin{cases} HistAR_i = \sum_{t} histAR_i(t) \cdot wtAR_i(t) & (i = 1, 2, ..., M) \\ HistBG = \sum_{t} histBG(t) \cdot wtBG(t) \end{cases}$$

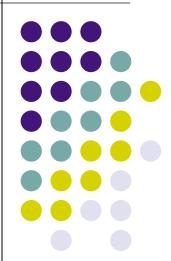
Attention regions weights

$$\left\{WtAR_{i} = \frac{\sum_{t} wtAR_{i}(t)}{\sum_{i}^{M} \sum_{t} wtAR_{i}(t)}\right\}_{i=1}^{M}$$

Shot feature vector

$$F = \left\{ HistBG, \left\{ HistAR_i, WtAR_i \right\}_{i=1}^{M} \right\}$$

Shot GroupingScheme



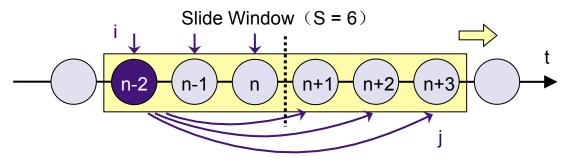
Shot Grouping Scheme (1)



Shot similarity measures

$$\begin{cases} SimBG_{mn} = \sum_{k} Min(HistBG_{m}(k), HistBG_{n}(k)) \\ SimAR_{mn} = \sum_{i,j} \sum_{k} Min(HistAR_{m,i}(k), HistAR_{n,j}(k)) \cdot WtAR_{m,j} \cdot WtAR_{n,j} \end{cases}$$

Sequential grouping approach

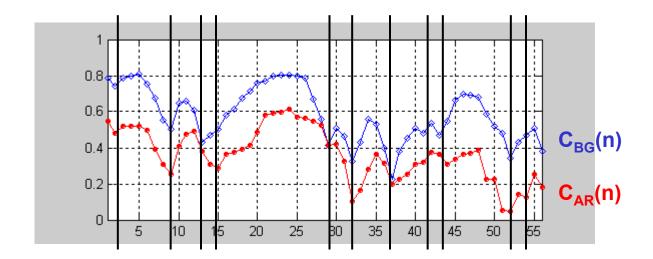


• $C(n) = ave \{Sim_{ij}\}_{sld_wnd}$

Shot Grouping Scheme (2)



- Shot groups segmentation
 - Local minimum of C(n)



Experimental Results







- Shot grouping results
 - 3 clips / 868 shots / 170 scenes

| Similarity measure | Global Feature Measure | | | Our Measure | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|----|-----|-------------|----|-----|
| Hits | 5 | 10 | 109 | 5 | 12 | 122 |
| Misses | 0 | 5 | 41 | 0 | 3 | 28 |
| False alarms | 3 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 19 |

Recall = 72.9%

Recall = 81.8%

Precision = 88.6%

Precision = 86.9%

Conclusion



Conclusion



- Attention-based feature extraction
 - Spatial segmentation: AR + BG
 - Temporal weighting: by camera motion
- Shot grouping based on two similarities
- Operating on MPEG domain
- Further direction
 - Multi-AR
 - Multi-level shot organization

Thanks

