

SEARCHING IMAGE WITH HASH CODE GENERATIONS

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Abstract: *The scalable search image depends on the visual similarity has been research on hash code generation with the image. The State- of -the -art solution often use hashing techniques to embed high-dimensional image features into hamming space, the searching process can be performed into real-time depends on the hamming distance of the hash codes. The hamming distance is a large no. of images to providing the equal hamming space to a query, the largely hurts where fine grained ranking is important to the searching process.*

The query-adaptive image with an equal distance to the queries. The weight learning process as a quadratic programming problem that minimizing the intra -class distance while inter-class relationship to capture by the original raw image features. The query-adaptive bitwise weights returned images can be easy to arrange by weighted hamming distance at a finer grained hash code level rather than the original hamming space level. These techniques should be used to clear the picture quality to display a collection of dataset in the proposed approach.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Image processing is a method to convert an image into digital form and perform some operation to get an enhanced image or to extract some useful information's from it.

It's a type of signal dispensation in which input is image like video frame or photograph and characteristics associated with the images. It's includes treating image as two dimensional signals while applying already set signal processing in the concepts.

The application in different aspect a management, image processing forms core research area within engineering and computer science disciplines too. The local invariant pictures description are extracted and quantized depend on collections of data's.

Searching images basically includes in the steps:

- The important of the digital photography.
- It's manipulating the pictures which include a data compression and image enhancement that are not to humanface like satellite photographs.
- The result can be altered image or report that is depends on picture analysis.

1.1 IMAGE SEARCHING RESULT

The query-adaptive bitwise weights need to be computed in real-time process in the final stage.A collection of semantic concepts classes that cover the entire different semantic aspects of image content.e.g, scenes and objects.

Bitwise weights for each of the semantic classes are learned offline using a novel formulation that not only maximizes intra-class sample similarities but also preserves inter-class relationship with optimal weights can be computed by iteratively to solving the quadratic programming problem in the searching process.

These pre-computed by the class-specific bitwise weights are then utilizing for computations of the query-adaptive weights, to directly evaluating the proximity of a query images to the picture samples of the semantic classes.

The weighted Hamming space to apply that evaluates similarities between the queries and images in a target database. We name this weighted distance as query-adaptive Hamming distance, as opposed to the query-

independent Hamming spaces widely used in existing works.

The online searching it's unnecessary to compute the weighted Hamming distance based on real-valued vectors; it's one of the most important advantages of hashing. Instead the weights can be utilized as indicators to efficiently order the returned images (found by logical XOR operations) at hash code level

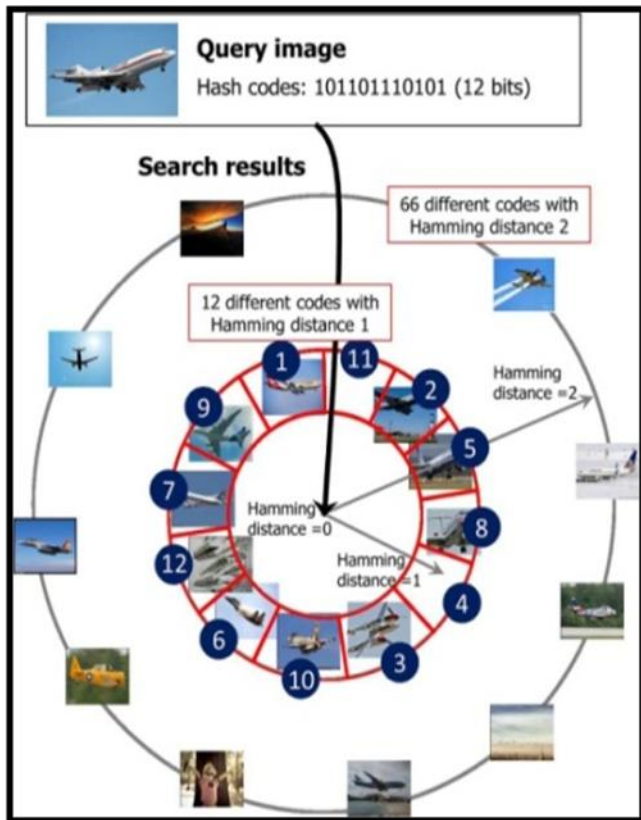


Fig1. Image searching result

1.2PURPOSE OF THE IMAGE PROCESSING

Visualization- Observe the objects that are not visible.

- Image sharpening and restoration- To create a better image.
- Image retrieval- Seek for the image of interest.
- Measurement of pattern- Measures various objects in an image.
- Image Recognition- Distinguish the objects in an image.

1.3TYPES OF IMAGE PROCESSING

- Analog Image processing.
- Digital Image processing.

1.3.1 ANALOG IMAGE PROCESSING

Analog or visual techniques of image processing can be used for the hard copies like printouts of the images. The Image analysis use in different fundamental of interpretation.

The image processing is related to area that has to be studied but on knowledge of analyzing. Association is another important tool in image processing through visual techniques. It's applying a combination of personal knowledge and collateral data to image processing.

1.3.2 DIGITAL IMAGE PROCESSING

Digital image processing techniques help in manipulation of the digital images by using this purpose. The raw data from image sensors from satellite platform contains deficiency. To get the originalities of information's, in difference phases are using in this process.

Then three general phases that all types of data have to undergo while enhancement and provided images finally information's are extract in the processing.

1.4 WORKING DIAGRAM OF IMAGE PROCESSING

Before going to processing an image, it's converting to a digital format. Digitization it includes the sampling of image and quantization of the sample values. After converting the image into bit information, processing is performed.

The processing techniques may be Image enhancement, image restoration, and Image compression.

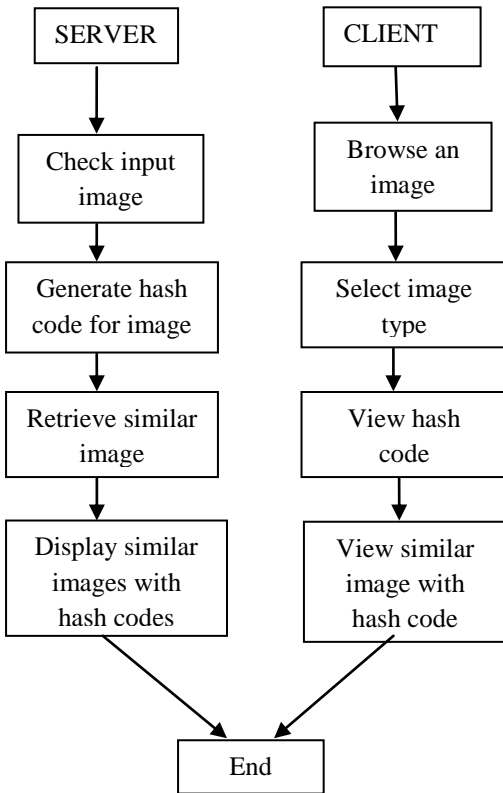


Fig2. Flow chart with image processing

1.5 PROCESSING FOR SEARCHING IMAGE WITH HASH CODE GENERATION

Given a query image, we first extract bag-of-visual-words feature and embed it into a short hash code. The hash code is then used to predict query-adaptive bitwise weight by a natural source to collect the semantic concept classes with pre-computing the quantity of class-specific bitwise weights. Finally, the query-adaptive weights are applied to rank search results using weighted (query-adaptive) Hamming distance.

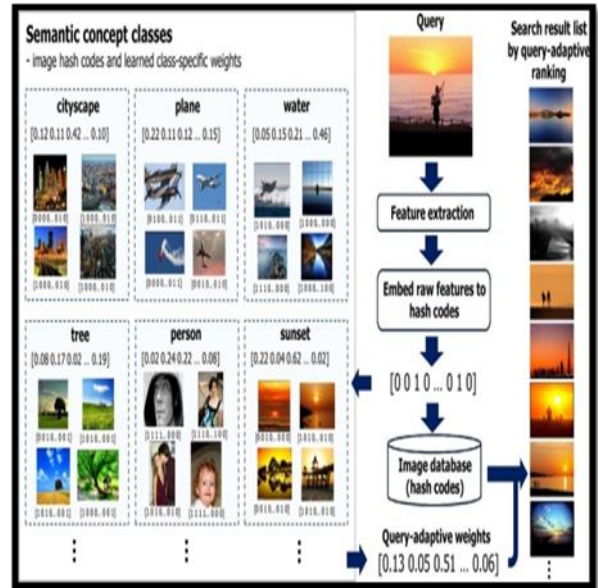


Fig3. System architecture

2. AN OVERVIEW TO SEARCHING IMAGE

We now introduce the hash code generations to overview of the searching image architecture and divide the entire protocol descriptions.

- Query image search.
- Feature extraction.
- Embed raw features to hash code.
- Search result with query adaptive ranking.

2.1 QUERY BASED IMAGE SEARCH

The person to search the specific mage query search and they are provided by the original or related images,

2.2 EMBED RAW FEATURES TO HASH CODE

We generate and embed image with hash codes. if two object are equal according to the equals (object) method, then calling the hash code method on each of the two objects must produce the same integer result.

These features are generates in the two different of hash codes.

- General hash code (the general hash codes for a particular related image groups)
- Class specific hash code (it's specific images are search to get the collection of relevant image group)

A query represented by a 10-bit hash code. Traditionally hashing-based search result are ordered by integer value for hamming spaces, which is not ideal since many different hash codes share the same distance to the query.

For instance there are 10 hash codes having hamming distance 1 (each differs from the query in one bit).

2.3 SEARCHING RESULT WITH QUERY ADAPTIVE RANKING

We extend the framework for query-adaptive hash code selection. The semantic concept classes are used to infer query semantics, the selection of a good set of hash codes for the query, and the computation of corresponding query-adaptive weights on the chosen hash code.

The selected class-specific codes are used together with the general codes for image search. Query adaptive weights will be based on both general and class specific codes.

The hash code is then used to predict query-adaptive bitwise weights (we generate query-adaptive bitwise weights using algorithm) by harnessing a set of semantic concept classes with pre-computed class-specific bitwise weights. Finally, the query -adaptive weights are applied to rank search results using weighted (query-adaptive) hamming distances.

3. HASHING

This work two state-of-the-art hashing techniques are adopted, semi-supervised hashing and semantic hashing with deep belief networks.

3.1 SEMI-SUPERVISED HASHING

The Semi-Supervised Hashing (SSH) is a newly proposed algorithm that leverages semantic similarities among labeled data while remains robust to over fitting.

The objective function of SSH consists of two major components, supervised empirical fitness and unsupervised information theoretic regularization. More specifically, on one hand, the supervised part tries to minimize an empirical error on a small amount of labeled data.

The unsupervised term, on the other hand, provides effective regularization by maximizing desirable properties like variance and independence of individual bits.

Mathematically, one is given a set of n points, $r = \{V_i\}$, $i=1, \dots, n$, $V_i \in R^D$, in which a small fraction of pairs are associated with two categories of label information, M and C . Specifically, a pair $(V_i, V_j) \in M$ is denoted as a neighbor-pair when (V_i, V_j) share common class labels. Similarly, $(V_i, V_j) \in C$ is called a non neighbor-pair if the two samples have no common class label. The goal of SSH is to learn hash functions (H) that maximize the following objective function.

$$J(H) = \sum_{k=1}^d \left\{ \sum_{(v_i, v_j) \in M} h_k(v_i) h_k(v_j) - \sum_{(v_i, v_j) \in C} h_k(v_i) h_k(v_j) \right\} + \sum_{k=1}^d \text{var} [h_k(v)]$$

The first term measures the empirical accuracy over the labeled sample pair sets and the second part, i.e., the summation of the variance of hash bits, realizes the maximum entropy principle.

This optimization problem is nontrivial. However, after relaxation, the optimal solution can be approximated using Eigen-decomposition. Furthermore, an algorithm called semi-supervised sequential projection learning based hashing (S3PLH) was designed to implicitly learn bit-dependent hash codes with the capability of progressively correcting errors made by previous hash bits [10], where in each iteration.

The weighted pairwise label information is updated by imposing higher weights on point pairs violated by the previous hash function.

In this work, the (S3PLH) algorithm is applied to generate hash codes. The labeled samples for learning hash functions. Both training (hash function learning) and testing of SSH are very efficient.

3.2 SEMANTIC HASHING WITH DEEP BELIEF NETWORKS

Learning with deep belief networks (DBN) was initially proposed for dimensionality reduction. It was recently adopted for semantic hashing in large-scale search applications. Like SSH, to produce good hash codes DBN also requires image labels during training phase, such that images with the same label are more likely to be hashed into the same bucket.

Since the DBN structure gradually reduces the number of units in each layer³, the high-dimensional input of original image features can be projected into a compact Hamming space.

Broadly speaking, a general DBN is a directed acyclic graph, where each node represents a stochastic variable. There are two critical steps in using DBN for hash code generation, the learning of interactions between variables and the inference of n practice, the number of units may increase or remain stable for a few layers, and then decrease. Observations from inputs.

The learning of a DBN with multiple layers is very hard since it usually requires estimating million of parameters.

The training process can be much more efficient if a DBN is specifically structured based on the RBMs. Each single RBM has two layers containing respectively output visible units and hidden units, and multiple RBMs can be stacked to form a deep belief net.

Starting from the input layer with dimension, the network can be specifically designed to reduce the number of units, and finally output compact d -dimensional hash codes.

To obtain optimal weights in the entire network, the training process of a DBN has two critical stages: unsupervised pre-training and supervised fine-tuning. The greedy pre-training phase is progressively executed layer by layer from input to output, aiming to place the network weights (and the biases) to suitable neighborhoods in parameter space.

After achieving convergence of the parameters of one layer via Contrastive Divergence, the outputs of this layer are fixed and treated as inputs to drive the training of the next layer.

During the fine-tuning stage, labeled data is adopted to help refine the network parameters through back-propagation. Specifically, a cost function is defined to ensure that points (hash codes) within a certain neighborhood share the same label.

The network parameters are then refined to maximize this objective function using conjugate gradient descent.

ALGORITHM: LEARNING CLASS-SPECIFIC BITWISE WEIGHTS

1. INPUT:
 - Hash code X ;
 - Class similarity S_{ij} in original image
 - Feature space,
 - $i, j = 1, \dots, k$.
2. Compute $C^{(i)}$;
3. Initialize $a_j = 1/d, j = 1, \dots, k$;
4. Repeat
5. For $i = 1, \dots, k$.
6. Compute Q_{ij}, P_i , and t_i ;
7. Solve the problem in QP :

$$a_i^* = \arg \min 1/2 a_i^T Q_i a_i + P_i^T a_i + t_i$$

$$s.t. \quad a_i^T \mathbf{1} = 1 \text{ and } a_i \geq \mathbf{0};$$

8. Set $a_i = a_i^*$;
9. End for
10. Until convergence
11. OUTPUT:
 - Class-specific bitwise
 - weights $a_j, j = 1, \dots, k$.

4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

4.1 CHARACTERISTICS OF HASH CODES BASED SEARCH

Let us first check the number of test images with each Hamming distance value to a query. The 48-bit hash codes from DBN are used in this experiment.

We will not specifically investigate the effect of code-length in this paper, since several previous works on hashing have already shown that codes of 32–50 bits work well in practice. In general, using more bits may lead to higher precision, but at the price of low recall and longer search time.

The images at each Hamming distance rapidly grow with the distance values until. This verifies one nature of Hamming distance, as mentioned in the introduction, there can be different hash codes sharing the same integer distance to a query in a n -dimensional Hamming space. Consequently, the number of hash codes (and correspondingly the number of images) at each specific distance increases dramatically as n grows until. For some queries, there can be as many as n images sharing equal distances.

This motivates the need of our proposed approach that provides ranking at a finer granularity. Although our approach does not permute/re-rank images with Hamming distance 0 to the queries, this analysis reveals that this is not a critical issue since most queries have none or just a few such images (2.4 on average in this evaluation).

4.2 QUERY-ADAPTIVE RANKING

Next we move on to evaluate how much performance gain can be achieved from the proposed query-adaptive Hamming distance, using 32-bit and 48-bit hash codes from both SSH and DBN (the general sets trained with labels from every class).

The approach significantly outperforms traditional Hamming distance. For the DBN codes, it improves the 32-bit baseline by 6.2% and the 48-bit baseline by 10.1% over the entire ranklists. A little lower but very consistent improvements (about 5%) are obtained with the SSH codes.

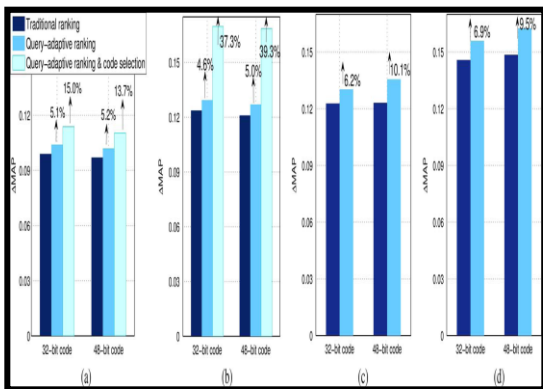


Fig4. Search performance comparison Graph.

The steady improvements clearly validate the usefulness of learning query-adaptive bitwise weights for

hash codes based image search. To performance over the upper half part of search results, using the same set of queries. The aim of this evaluation is to verify whether our approach is able to improve the ranking of top images, i.e., those with relatively smaller Hamming distances to the queries.

As expected, we observe similar performance gain to that over the entire list. Looking at the two hashing methods, DBN codes are better because more labeled training samples are used (50 k for DBN vs. 5 k for SSH). Note that the comparison of DBN and SSH is beyond the focus of this work, as the latter is a semi-supervised method, which prefers and is more suitable for cases with limited training samples. Direct comparison of the two with equal training set size can be found in.

To see whether the improvement is consistent over the evaluated queries, we group the queries into 81 categories based on their associated labels. Results from the 48-bit DBN codes are displayed in the significant performance gain is observed for almost all the categories, and none of them suffers from performance degradation.

This shows another advantage of our approach it offers consistently improved results for most queries. Where the query-adaptive ranking approach produces better results by replacing less relevant images to the queries with more suitable ones.

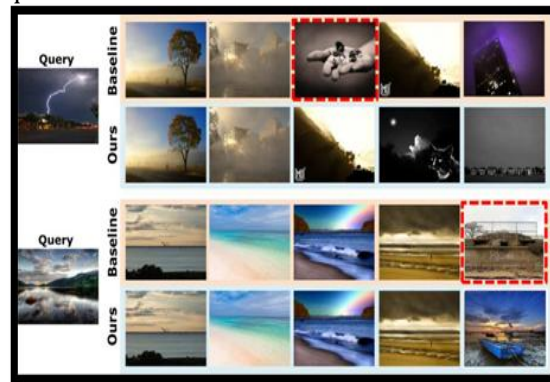


Fig5. Top 5 returned images of two queries, using the 48-bit DBN codes.

We also evaluate the effect of parameter in class-specific weight learning and in query-adaptive weight computation using the DBN codes. Results are visualized in the images.

To performance gain of query-adaptive ranking versus parameters (left) and (right), using DBN codes, that the performance gain increases with first and then decreases, indicating that the inter-class relationship is helpful. For, we observe a fairly stable performance gain when it is set to a value larger than 50.

4.3 QUERY-ADAPTIVE HASH CODE SELECTION

Finally we evaluate query-adaptive hash code selection, following the extended framework described in Section V.C. To show the overall search performance on the same set of queries using SSH codes (the light blue bars on the right).

We see obvious performance improvement from this extension, with overall gains 9.4% (32-bit) and 8.1% (48-bit) over the results obtained by query-adaptive ranking with general hash codes (15.0% and 13.7% respectively over the baseline traditional ranking).

The upper half of search result lists, the improvement over query-adaptive ranking is very significant: 31.2% and 32.8% for 32-bit and 48-bit codes respectively. These results confirm the effectiveness of the class-specific hash codes and our query-adaptive code selection framework.

In addition, we also find that the query-adaptive weights imposed on the selected class-specific hash codes do not contribute as much as that on the general hash codes (around 2%, versus 5–10% on the general codes).

This is probably because the hash code selection process already takes query semantics into account by choosing a more suitable set of hash codes for each query. Although the bitwise weights can still improve result ranking, from query-adaptive perspective very limited additional information can be further attained.

While promising, it is worth noting that the query-adaptive hash code selection framework incurs additional computation and memory cost.

First, query images need to be hashed twice and search needs to be performed with more bits, which as mentioned in Section V.C. are generally acceptable since hashing algorithms and bitwise operations are efficient. Second and more importantly, in order not to affect real-time search, we also need to pre-load the class-

specific codes of all database samples, which would require 81 times of the memory needed by the general codes.

Although this is still much less than that needed by original raw features, the requirement is nontrivial when a very large database is in use. Therefore we conclude that class-specific hash codes are useful for improved performance, but this introduces a trade-off between search performance and memory usage that needs to be carefully considered in real-world applications, e.g., per application needs and hardware configuration.

5. CONCLUSION

We have presented a novel framework for searching image with hash code to generations with the large no. of collections of predefined semantic concept classes in these approaches to provide the predict

Query-adaptive bitwise weights of hash codes in real-time with which search result can be rapidly ranked by weighted hamming distance at finer grained ranking provided for hash codes.

The capability of a largely unpleasant condition to the effect of a coarse ranking problem that is common in hashing-based image search.

Experimental result on a widely adopted Flickr image data set confirmed the effectiveness of our proposal. It's indicating that the class-specific codes can further improve search performance significantly.

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