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研究成果の概要(和文)：偽造データの合成コストを削減するために、偽造ワークフローを開発しました。私たちのフレームワークは、ディープフェイクジェネレーターを繰り返しトレーニングすることなく、非ターゲットフェイススワッピング用のGANモデルを使用して、無限の数の偽の個人IDを生成できます。このフレームワークは、ディープフェイクの生成と匿名化に大きな可能性を秘めています。また、多面的な偽造の検出と実際のセグメンテーションのために、高品質の画像を使用して新しい大規模なデータセットを作成しました。また、これらのタスクの評価と進行を容易にするためのベンチマークスイートも紹介しました。

研究成果の学術的意義や社会的意義

We published a book chapter to introduce general knowledge about deepfake for beginners and/or students. We expect that our book chapter is helpful for beginners to understand deepfake and use these techniques correctly.

研究成果の概要(英文)：We developed a forgery workflow to reduce the cost of synthesizing fake data. Our framework can generate an infinite number of fake individual identities using GAN models for non-target face-swapping without repeatedly training a deepfake generator. This framework has great potential in deepfake generation and face anonymization. We also created a new large-scale dataset with high-quality images for multi-face forgery detection and segmentation in-the-wild. It consists of 115K unrestricted images with 334K human faces. We also presented a benchmark suite to facilitate the evaluation and advancement of these tasks. Our work was published at ICCV 2021, a top-tier conference in computer vision.

研究分野：Applied Computer Vision

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1. 研究開始当初の背景

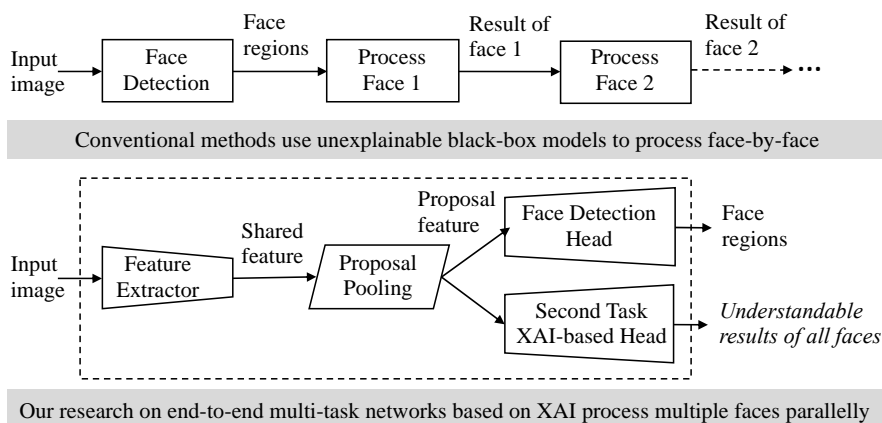
By learning billions of images/videos uploaded and shared on social networks, recognition-based automatic systems (i.e., auto-tagging, or auto-captioning) help our life more convenient but also raise a concern about privacy. To protect privacy, it is essential to develop methods to de-identify human faces whose generated images/videos should be realistic and fitting the given situation but still have the ability of defense from face recognition. Meanwhile, falsified images/videos with a realistic appearance synthesized by deep learning (i.e., DeepFakes, Face2Face) raise significant concerns about individual harassment or deceptive criminals. To address threats imposed by spoofing/impersonating attacks, it is essential for the development of countermeasures to identify facial forgeries in digital media. These two research fields have a great relationship and complement each other. Hence, understanding face anonymization can help to improve facial forgery detection and vice versa.

Conventional methods of face anonymization and facial forgery detection need given face regions as the input. Therefore, these methods can process only a face at the time, and their performance heavily depends on the accuracy of face detection methods. Meanwhile, it takes so much time to process multiple faces sequentially. Hence, it is essential for the development of effective methods to process multiple faces at the same time from an input image. In addition, conventional methods were evaluated on only laboratory environments with a simple background and single clear front face. Hence, these methods have not been ready to be deployed in the real world, whose contexts are much more diverse and challenging than the simple staged scenarios.

Most of conventional models were developed as a poorly understood black-box, in which human totally relied on the models without understanding of their behaviors. Specially, people are difficult to identify fake faces, which recently have been synthesized with extremely realistic appearance so that they accept all outputs of models regardless their reliability. Blindly accepting unexplainable outcomes is dangerous because the models are not infallible and may be vulnerable to adversarial attacks. To address these issues, eXplainable AI (XAI) aims to develop explainable and interpretable solutions such that results can be understood by human experts. For instance, besides mapping faces to real/fake labels, XAI can additionally identify manipulated areas to improve the explainability and convincibility of results. Therefore, XAI is essential for the development of trusted AI systems on the demands of society, in which people can trust outcomes of the AI systems to inform their decisions.

2. 研究の目的

The main objective of this research is to explore multi-face anonymization/forgery detection in the wild. It can overcome limitations of conventional methods as we mentioned above.



In particular, we investigate two key scientific questions: 1) How can we combine knowledge of biometric and computer vision for the construction of end-to-end multi-task networks, which can perform multi-face anonymization/forgery detection in the wild at a real-time speed? 2) How can we develop trustworthy and robust models based on XAI?

3. 研究の方法

We found that to increase reliableness of deep models based on XAI, we can perform segmentation to identify pixel-wise regions which are manipulated. Therefore, we investigated instance-level manipulated face detection and segmentation. In particular, we studied end-to-end multi-task networks to process multiple faces parallelly in short time. The network consists of a shared backbone to extract features, a proposal pooling component to pool features for all possible facial proposals, and head-networks corresponding with multiple tasks. The first head-network eliminates non-face regions and refines bounding box of face regions. The second head-network aims to cover all faces with anonymized features or categorize each face into real-face/fake-face classes; network of each task is developed using the complementary from the remained task. This head-network can also segment manipulated pixels in the fake-faces.

We also constructed new realistic datasets with multiple faces in natural scenes to evaluate the performance of multi-task methods. Differently from existing biometric datasets, which contains only a single clear front face with the simple background, constructed datasets can support multiple faces with various poses, emotions in natural scenes. In this way, we can develop computational models in both biometric and computer vision domains.

4. 研究成果

We developed a forgery workflow to reduce the cost of synthesizing fake data. Our framework can generate an infinite number of fake individual identities using GAN models for non-target face-swapping without repeatedly training a deepfake generator. This framework has great potential in deepfake generation and face anonymization. We also created a new large-scale dataset with high-quality images for multi-face forgery detection and segmentation in-the-wild. It consists of 115K unrestricted images with 334K human faces. We also presented a benchmark suite to facilitate the evaluation and advancement of multi-face forgery detection and segmentation. Our work was published at ICCV 2021, a top-tier conference in computer vision.

We published a book chapter to introduce deepfake for beginners. Our chapter overviewed deepfake generation and detection methods from the viewpoint of technical evolution in computer vision. In particular, it described deepfake generation methods in different categories and analyzed their limitations. In addition, it clarified the different tasks of deepfake detection, from conventional classification to modern end-to-end detection and segmentation. It further discussed the limitations of deepfake detection methods and suggested solutions for improving the robustness of deepfake detection. Finally, it suggested a future direction for deepfake detection.

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