Week 7&8: Summer Internship

7 July 2021- 20 July 2021

Tasks

The main tasks in week 7 were as follows:

- Modify the code to incorporate the feature level similarity scoring.
- We have to establish relevance of morphing/photoshopping.
- Create morph images using photoshop/other tools available
- Test our algorithm on the outputs of those images.

Morphing in profile cloning

This paper talks about using morphing techniques to create fake documents like passport.

It also compares the detection ability of humans and computers.

Clean photoshopped images are very difficult to detect and is widely used in creating fake profiles and documents.

Link: https://cognitiveresearchjournal.springeropen.com/articles/10.1186/s41235-019-0181-4

Image morphing survey

These papers talk about various morphing techniques and use/misuse of the technique.

Link: https://www.researchgate.net/publication/2801109_Image_Morphing_A_Survey

Link: https://www.researchgate.net/publication/2855203_Recent_Advances_in_Image_Morphing

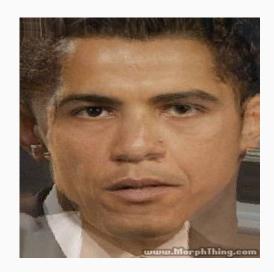
Fraudulent ID using face morphs and their detection. Link: https://bit.ly/3h0vc3b

Created morphed images

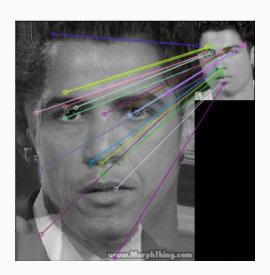
I used https://www.morphthing.com/morph currently for creating morphs for the testing.

Some morphs are as good as natural while others have some distortions that could be removed using photoshop techniques.

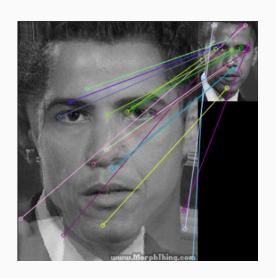
Morphing testing - 1



Test image



Original-1 (correct)



Original-2 (correct)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/

About 178 results (1.07 seconds)



Image size 300 × 400

No other sizes of this image found.

Possible related search: harry styles and obama combined

https://www.eonline.com > News

Harry Styles Supposedly Had an Affair With This Man - E! Online

12-Dec-2014 — The hoax National Examiner cover features **Obama** with a line of text that reads, "**(Obama)** had sex with THIS MAN," with an arrow that points to ...

https://www.wattpad.com > stories > hobama

Hobama Stories - Wattpad

Harry styles and his "friend" Barack Obama have been photographed together at the local Starbucks, read this magical love story about harry+Obama=.

Pages that include matching images

https://www.morphthing.com.>.celebrity.>.46089605-B

- MorphThing.com



300 × 400 — Barack **Obama** 50%; **Harry Styles** 50%. Name Combinations. 1st Name. Bararny; Barry; Bary; Hack; Harack; Harrack. 2st Name. Morph parents. Barack **Obama** ...

https://in linkadia.com . chanyagai .

Morphing testing on search engines

Google images showed output of "Harry Styles and Obama combined". Though it was able to guess that **it is a combination of two images**. But the originals were guessed incorrectly.

Pimeyes showed Barack Obama images as output.

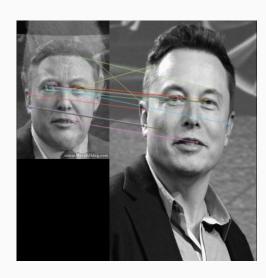
Morphing testing - 2



Test image



Original-1 (correct)

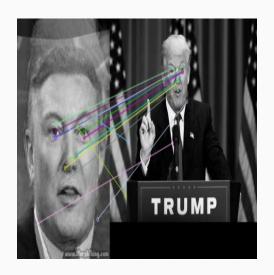


Original-2 (correct)

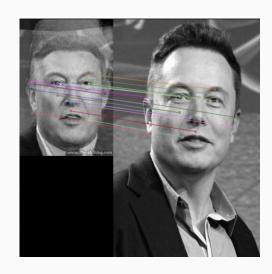
Morphing testing - 3



Test image



Original-1 (correct)



Original-2 (correct)

Getting feature-wise score

By simply sorting the features array in method -1 and taking distance array in method-2 and method-3, we are able to quantify similarity for every feature separately.

Power law technique is to be implemented.

Week 8: Summer Internship

12 June 2021- 18 July 2021

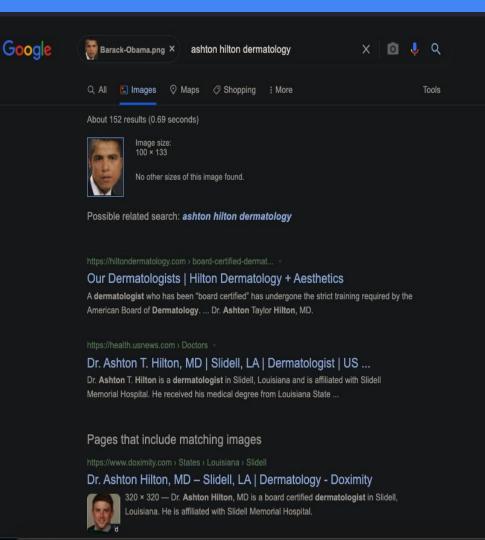
Tasks

The main tasks in this week are as follows:

- Testing google images into detecting morphing.
- Presentation/summary of the work done so far.
- Advanced morphed images.
- Testing google search engines against advanced morphed images.

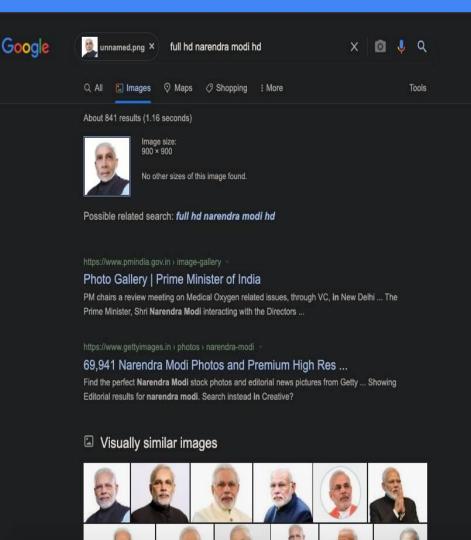


Tested at: https://images.google.com/



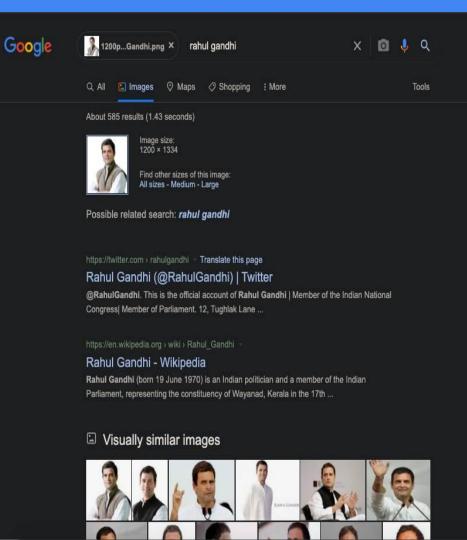


Tested at: https://images.google.com/





Tested at: https://images.google.com/



Getting advanced morphed images.

Source: https://pin.it/69XTlgb

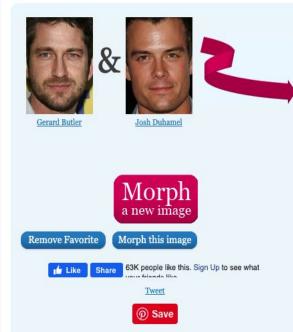
Got advanced morphed images created using https://morphthing.com

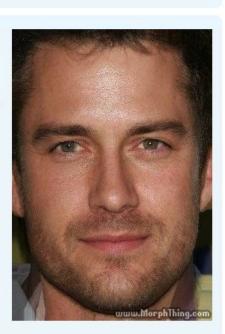
These include images that are morphed using more than 2 originals.

Google search engine was then tested against these morphes.

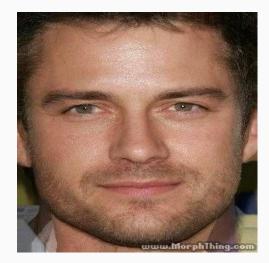
- 1. Gerard Butler &
- 2. Josh Duhamel.

Gerard Butler, Josh Duhamel

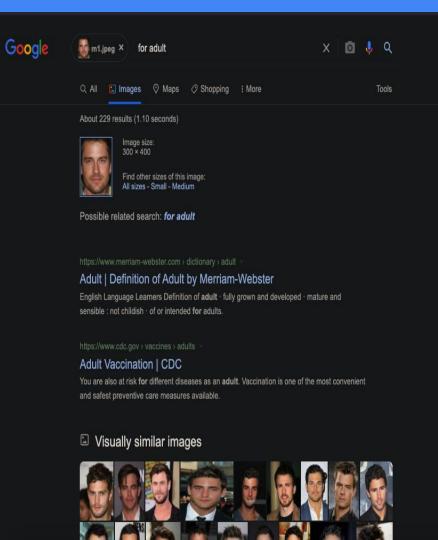




Advanced testing (1)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/



- Gerard Butler &
- 2. Matthew McConaughey.

Gerard Butler, Matthew McConaughey

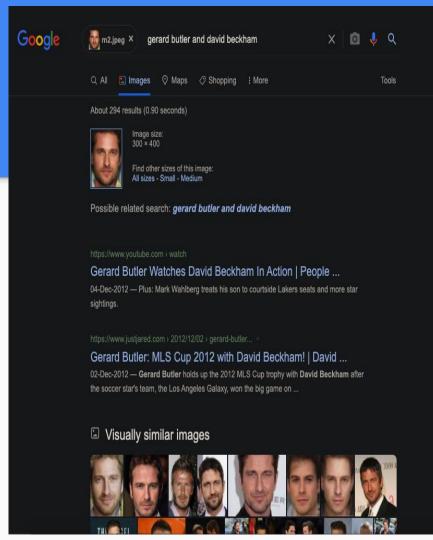


www.MorphIhim

Advanced testing (2)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/



Note

In advanced testing 2, google was able to detect that it is a morph and also gave correct name for one of the originals but other one was not detected correctly.

This was similar to what happened in the case of Barack Obama and Cristiano Ronaldo.

- 1. Hugh Jackman &
- 2. Nathan Fillion.

Hugh Jackman, Nathan Fillion

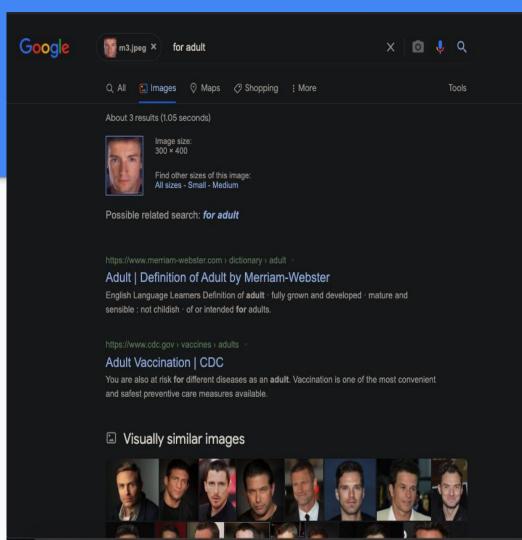


www.MorphThing.com

Advanced testing (3)

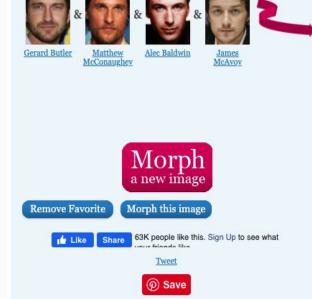


Tested at: https://images.google.com/



- Gerard Butler,
- 2. Matthew McConaughey,
- 3. Alec Baldwin &
- 4. James McAvoy

Gerard Butler, Matthew McConaughey, Alec Baldwin, James M...

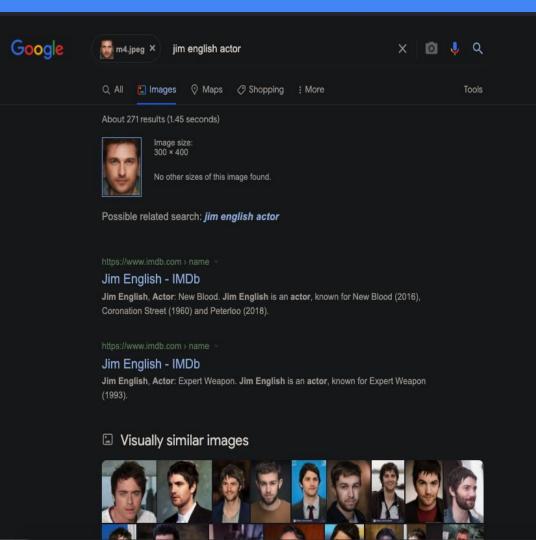




Advanced testing (4)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/



Note

In advanced testing 4, google did not throw common nouns like adult, man or boy.

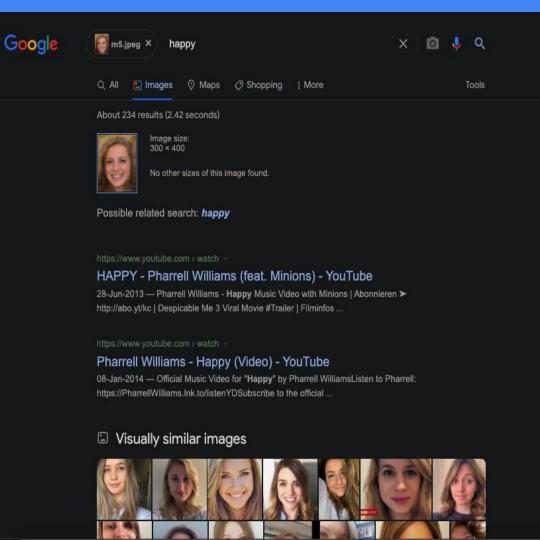
It gave a specific answer Jim and that too specifically with the occupation English actor.

But the image was a morph of 4 different people.

Advanced testing (5)

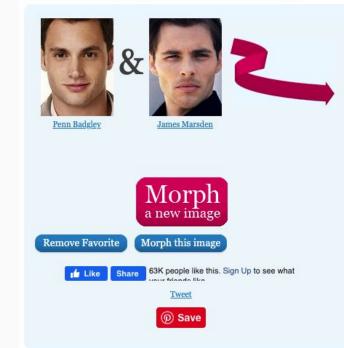


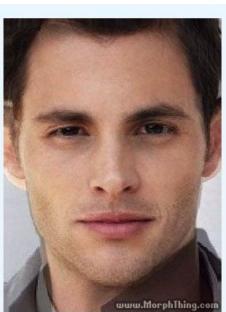
Tested at: https://images.google.com/



- 1. Penn Badgley &
- 2. James Marsden

Penn Badgley, James Marsden

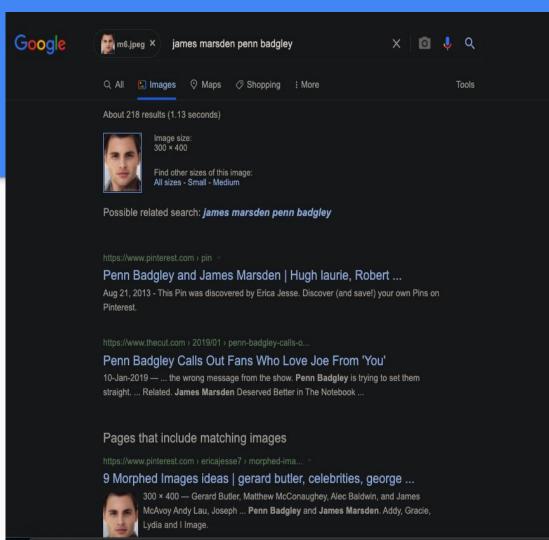




Advanced testing (6)

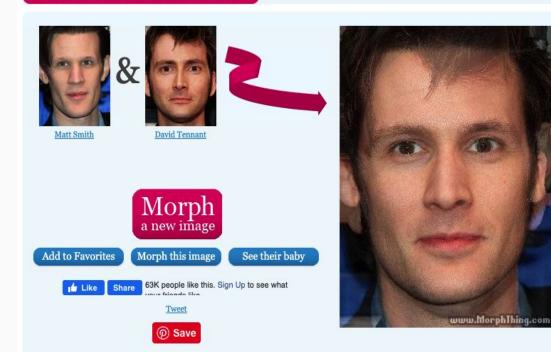


Tested at: https://images.google.com/

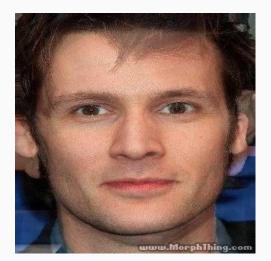


- Matt Smith &
- 2. David Tennant

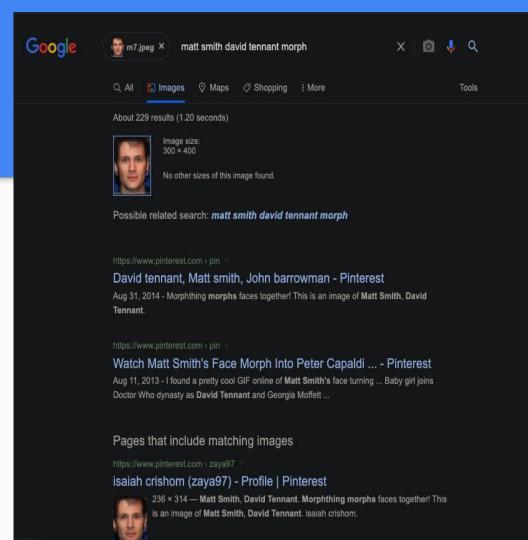
Matt Smith, David Tennant



Advanced testing (7)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/



Note

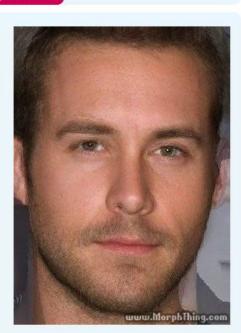
In advanced testing 6 & 7, google detected that it is a morph and also correctly gave the name of two originals.

Interestingly, the primary links that google showed were the links that contained these 9 morphes at the first place.

- Ryan Gosling,
- 2. Ryan Seacrest &
- 3. Ryan Reynolds

Ryan Seacrest, Ryan Gosling, Ryan Reynolds

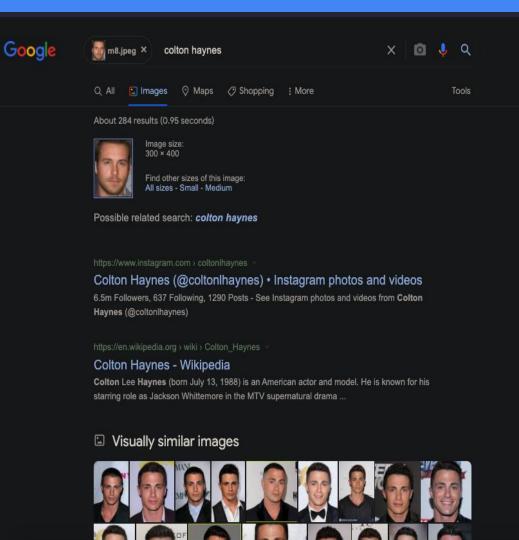




Advanced testing (8)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/



- 1. Gerard Butler,
- 2. Josh Duhamel,
- 3. Jude Law &
- 4. Adam Levine

Gerard Butler, Josh Duhamel, Jude Law, Adam Levine

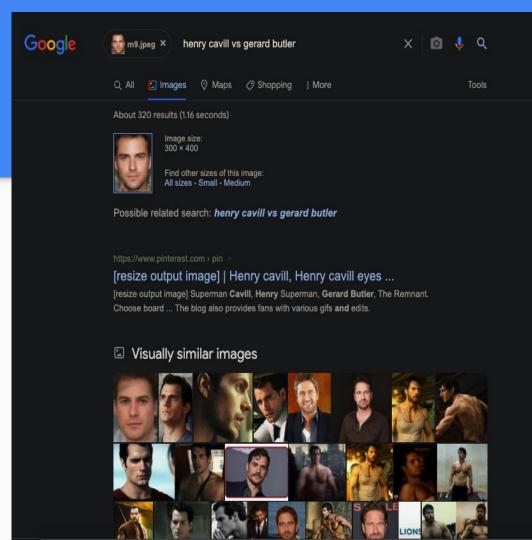




Advanced testing (9)



Tested at: https://images.google.com/



Note

In advanced testing 9 again, google was able to detect that it is a morph and also gave correct name for one of the originals but other one was not detected correctly.

This time the morph was created using 4 originals and not just two. This behaviour might be because that google considers morphing of max 2 faces and not more than that.

Also it gave "vs" instead of "and" in testing 9.