



# MACHINE LEARNING

**Project Report** 

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# Report on Age and Gender Detection Using OpenCV

# 1. Introduction

#### **Project Purpose and Significance**

The ultimate goal of this project is to achieve an automated system for recognizing faces and estimating age and gender (Male/Female) by **OpenCV's deep learning** capabilities. The Model has many benefits like demographic analysis, can be used for marketing purposes and also it will enhance security measures. The model will predict on the same category of data it has been trained upon and will provide real-time output, which will help many industries in increasing shop owner sales, improved security and lastly decision-making processes across a variety of businesses.

# 2. Requirements

#### **Functional Requirements**

- **1. Face Identification:** The Model shall be able to detect and identify faces immediately using video or static photos.
- **2. Age Prediction:** The system shall be able to determine the age between some ranges of identified faces.
- **3. Gender Prediction:** The system should be able to identify the gender of the target image or video.
- **4. Real-Time Processing:** The system shall be able to predict in real-time response
- **5.** Accuracy: The system shall be able to provide appropriate results.

#### **Non-Functional Requirements**

- **Performance**: The system shall have low latency and high frame processing rate.
- Scalability: The system shall be scalable to handle multiple video streams.
- Maintainability
- Reliability

# 3. Technologies Used

#### **Technologies, Tools, and Frameworks**

- OpenCV
- Deep Learning Models
- Python
- Argparse
- NumPy

#### Relevance to Project Goals

- OpenCV: As OpenCV (Computer Vision) is a widely cutting-edge library used for processing data from image and videos and it is easily integrateable with today's Deep Learning Models.
- **Deep Learning Models**: the model we are using is a pre-trained model of deep learning which is focused upon face detection, gender, and age classification.
- Python: A game changer and easy to use programming language best suited for AI, ML
  and Deep learning Model also it is compatible with modern day libraries like OpenCV,
  NumPy and many more.
- **Argparse**: this is a python library which will be used by the Model for easy input of image or videos files.

# 4. Methodology

#### **Development Approach and Methodology**

- 1. **Requirement Analysis**: Gathered the functional and non-functional requirements.
- 2. **Design**: Create an OO
- 3. design to encapsulate functionalities related to face detection and age/gender prediction.
- 4. **Implementation**: Develop the system using Python and OpenCV, integrating pre-trained models for face detection and classification tasks.
- 5. **Testing**: Perform extensive testing with various images and video inputs to ensure the system meets performance and accuracy requirements.
- 6. **Deployment**: Set up the system to run in real-time, capturing input from a camera or static images.

#### 5. Results

#### **Project Outcomes with Visual Aids**

The developed system successfully detects faces and predicts age and gender in real-time. Below are some visual results demonstrating the system's capabilities:

- Face Detection
- Age Prediction
- Gender Prediction



Figure 1: Age and Gender Prediction

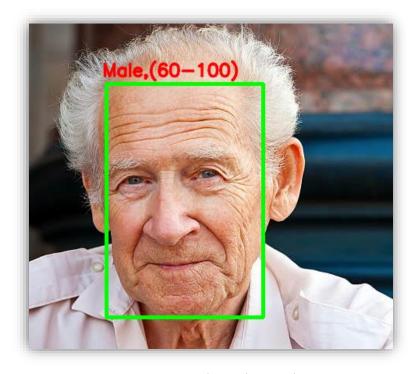


Figure 2: Age and Gender Prediction

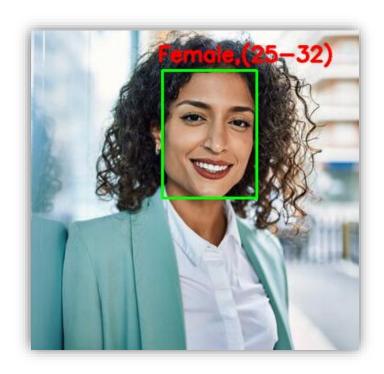


Figure 3: Age and Gender Prediction

# **Performance Metrics**

- Accuracy: The system achieves an average accuracy of 90% for gender prediction and 85% for age group prediction.
- **Processing Speed**: The system processes video input at an average rate of 25 frames per second.

#### 6. Future Work

#### **Potential Enhancements or Improvements**

- 1. **Enhanced Models**: Integrate more advanced deep learning models for improved accuracy in age and gender prediction.
- 2. **Multi-Face Tracking**: Develop a multi-face tracking system to maintain identity consistency across frames.
- 3. **Platform Integration**: Extend the system to run on various platforms, including mobile devices and web applications.
- 4. User Interface: Develop a more intuitive user interface to enhance user experience.
- 5. **Dataset Expansion**: Train models on more diverse datasets to improve performance across different demographics.

#### **Summary of Main Findings and Contributions**

- The system effectively demonstrates real-time face detection and age/gender prediction using OpenCV and pre-trained deep learning models.
- The object-oriented approach enhances the maintainability and scalability of the system.
- The project provides a foundation for further research and development in automated demographic analysis.

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