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Analyzing Football Players Performance

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Abstract

Having the proper tracking of the players is necessary to evaluate them properly. This can be done by continuously monitoring their movement and speed. In addition to this, it is also important to collect other data such as the average speed and the moving distance. Most of the time, the analysis of the movements and events of players in a game is carried out by professional analysts. Physical examinations of players are conducted to improve the recognition of motion effects using image recognition technology and artificial intelligence. So instead of hiring endless professional analysts and spending unnecessary expenses over their salaries, this project aiming to develop a tool which will help to detect and monitor athletes' movements throughout their matches which will support the process of improving their performance. The tool accomplishes this by tracking players in a video and computing their speed, max speed, min speed, and total distance travelled. The output of the tool then displays the player's movement throughout the video as a heat map and GIF. It has been demonstrated that the tool is useful in giving players direct feedback on their performance. It was able to identify the areas in which players needed to advance. The tool is beneficial to both coaches and players. Players can use it to track their own progress and find areas where they can improve, and coaches can use it to recognize players' areas of improvement.

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1 Introduction

1.1 Overview

Analysis of the data is one of the daily tasks of academics. It's not a huge deal for them to read hundreds of pages per day to extract relevant information. However, the amount of data available has increased dramatically in recent years. While it's great news for researchers to have access to more data, which could lead to better studies, it's also a bit of a pain. To index action-based sports videos and provide kinematic measurements for coach assistance and performance enhancement, the project introduces a system for automatically detecting and analysing complex player actions in moving background sports video sequences. The process operates in a coarse-to-fine manner. For an input video, we automatically segment the highlights, or the video clips that contain the desired action, as summaries for general user viewing purposes. In the middle granularity level, we identify the action types to support action-based video indexing and retrieval. Finally, in the fine granularity level, the critical kinematic parameters of player action are obtained for sports professionals' training purposes.

1.2 Problem Statement

Previously, coaches would typically provide verbal feedback to players following a game or practises. This feedback may be useful, but it may also be subjective and difficult to recall. A coach may say, for example, "You need to run faster" or "You need to pass the ball more." These statements, however, are not very specific and may be difficult for players to understand. Furthermore, verbal feedback is easily forgotten, especially if it is not given immediately after the game or practise.

1.3 Scope and Objectives

The concept is to create a computer vision system that detects and tracks football players in real-time or recorded video feeds. To accurately identify players on the pitch, the system will use object detection algorithms and techniques. The project will also include extracting useful information from the tracked players, such as their position, speed, and movement patterns. Furthermore, the collected data will be analysed by the system to provide performance insights and statistics for individual. The goal is to develop a comprehensive tool to help football players evaluate their performance, identify areas for improvement, and make informed decisions to improve their gameplay.

1.4 Report Organization (Structure)

Section 2 of the paper provides a comprehensive review of related works in the field. It examines and analyzes a number of existing studies, research papers, and projects that are relevant to the topic of the paper. In Section 3, the methodology of the project is discussed in detail. This section outlines the approach and techniques used to develop the proposed solution. It provides an overview of the steps taken, the tools and technologies employed, and the overall framework of the project. Section 4 focuses on the implementation of the model and provides a detailed description of the code and algorithms used. It highlights the technical aspects of translating the proposed solution into a functioning system. In Section 5, various scenarios are tested using the developed model, and the evaluation results are presented. Section 6 compares the results of the developed model to other existing models or approaches in the field. It presents a comparative analysis of the performance, accuracy, and efficiency of the proposed model in relation to other relevant models. Section 7 provides a summary of the findings and achievements of the project. It offers a concise overview of the key points discussed throughout the paper, emphasizing the significance of the proposed solution and its potential impact.

1.5 Work Methodology

- 1. Find what most popular sports people interact with which is football.
- 2. Find reason why players performance is not as people point of view.
- 3. Find more about how to improve players performance.
- 4. Start writing the code.
- 5. Test the code to find the bugs in it.
- 6. Fix the bugs and fix any problems in the logic.
- 7. Retest the code with different videos on different players.
- 8. Write the final report.

1.6 Work Plan (Gantt chart)

		•	Task Mode	Task Name	Duration	Start	Finish
	1		3	□ Graduation Project	41 days	Sat 10/1/22	Fri 11/25/22
	2		*	Idea Selection	3 days	Sat 10/1/22	Tue 10/4/22
	3		*	ldea approval	1 day	Tue 10/11/22	Tue 10/11/22
	4		*	Gather research papers about motion detection	10 days	Wed 10/12/22	Tue 10/25/22
	5		*	Write the abstract	1 day	Fri 11/18/22	Fri 11/18/22
	6		*	Analyze past papers	10 days	Fri 10/21/22	Thu 11/3/22
	7		*	Studing related work	6 days	Sat 10/29/22	Fri 11/4/22
	8		A [*]	Determine Problem	2 days	Fri 11/4/22	Mon 11/7/22
4	9		*	Determine Algorithms	10 days	Mon 11/7/22	Fri 11/18/22
Gantt Char	10		त्री	Find relevent solution for the problem	5 days	Wed 11/9/22	Tue 11/15/22
	11		त्री	Find out more about the most suitable dataset	6 days	Fri 11/11/22	Fri 11/18/22
	12		त्री	Write the interim report	6 days	Wed 11/16/22	Wed 11/23/22
	13		*	Revise the interim report	3 days	Wed 11/23/22	Fri 11/25/22
	14		*	Submit the interim report	1 day	Fri 11/25/22	Fri 11/25/22

Figure 1

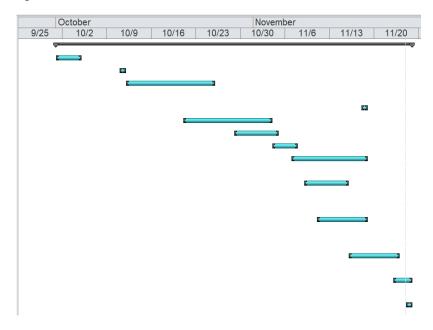


Figure 2

		1	Task Mode	Task Name	Duration	Start	Finish
	15		3	Implementation	72 days	Sat 2/25/23	Tue 6/6/23
	16		त्री	Gather Videos	5 days	Sat 2/25/23	Thu 3/2/23
	17		A ²	Implement The Dataset	3 days	Fri 3/17/23	Tue 3/21/23
	18		A ²	write the code	20 days	Sun 4/2/23	Thu 4/27/23
	19		*	Test the code	3 days	Mon 5/1/23	Wed 5/3/23
	20		A ²	Fix the Errors	5 days	Wed 5/3/23	Tue 5/9/23
	21		त्री	Test final version of the code	5 days	Wed 5/31/23	Tue 6/6/23
	22		A ²	Write the final reprot	7 days	Thu 6/1/23	Fri 6/9/23
	23		त्री	Prepare the Presentation	1 day	Wed 6/7/23	Wed 6/7/23
Chart	24		त्री	Submit the Graduation Project	1 day	Sat 6/10/23	Sat 6/10/23

Figure 3

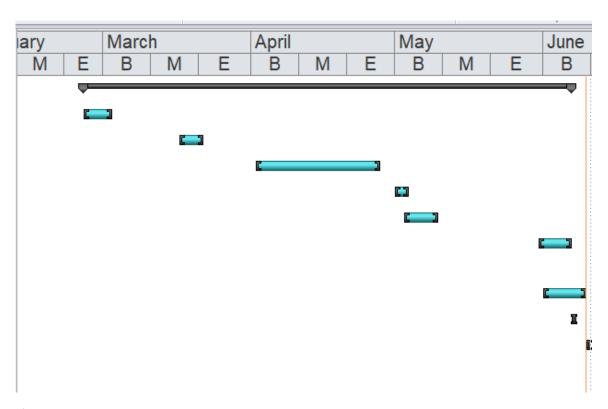


Figure 4

2 Related Work (State-of-The-Art)

2.1 Background

We present a study of using a location-aware wireless sensor network system to monitor the movements of sports team members and collect sensor data. The development of a set of system design specifications that address the hardware design of mobile nodes, the design of the sensor network system, the design of the position algorithm, the design of communication protocols, and the design of a testbed for positioning accuracy testing. We suggest a system architecture based on the field tests that satisfies these demands. The suggested architecture uses data aggregation for energy efficiency and hybrid location technologies for better accuracy.

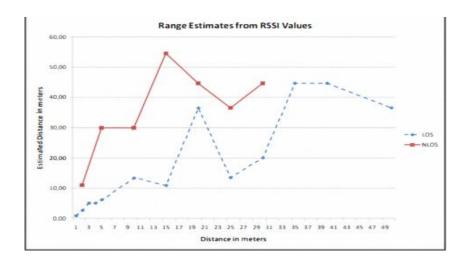


Figure 5

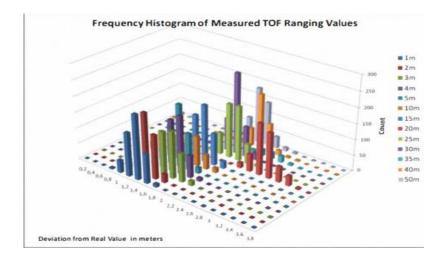


Figure 6- Frequency of measured range values [16]

High end applications in the fields of pharmaceuticals, robotics, satellite image processing, genetics, etc. have been made possible thanks to research in digital image processing and related fields. Image processing has many uses in daily life applications that revolve around people. As a result, it is crucial to find human bodies in real time, and video sequences have been entered.

In this paper, a bottom-up methodology for automatic human body detection and extraction from single images is proposed. This paper's work is creating a hybrid algorithm for extracting human bodies from various images and currencies and detecting them.



Figure 6

Identification of motion scenes and intra-interpolation are the objectives of motion detection. We use a hybrid motion detector (HMD) that only needs pixel information from three fields. The HMD's pseudocodes are displayed in Figure.

The three conditions are used to identify motion with edges, fast motion, and slow motion.

FIGURE 2: The proposed hybrid motion detection algorithm. (a) Pseudocodes, (b) pixel definition.

In this Fig Error in mean for TOF and RSSI ranging measurements for different distances is shown. Results are presented for LOS and NLOS conditions with normal and fast ranging modes.

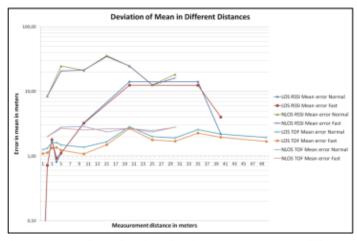


Figure 5. Error of mean for TOF and RSSI range measurements at different distances

Figure 8

For location algorithm development purposes, we measured standard deviation for raw location accuracy. We used the well-known trilateration method [8], without any filtering and with bias errors for ranges. Only the three shortest TOF ranging distances were used for estimating the location. Measurements were done on a parking lot, at a square area with size of 20 meters. The anchors were places at comers at the height of 1.7 meters from the ground. A rotator device, described in next section, was used to move tags in circular path with radius of 5 meters. In the measurements the rotator was placed in two different locations and two different speeds, 11 and 16 kmlh, for tags were used. The measurement area enclosed a streetlamp inside it. This can be thought as a simulating a goal frame of a real sports arena. Fig. 7 shows some experimental results. Some errors can be seen in the direction where the streetlamp was indicating that filtering for data should be done.

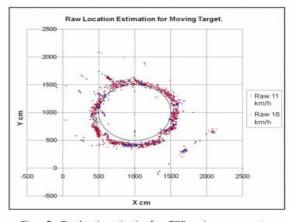


Figure 7. Raw location estimation from TOF ranging measurements.

Figure 9

This section analyses a three-dimensional movement using the image plane as a projection of the visible points. Estimation of the instantaneous variation of a position in a sequence of images is commonly referred to as an optic flow field or a velocity field. Calculation techniques for optical flow Gradient, energy approaches, coordinating classification based on a point as well as phases, and dynamic neuron are the five categories that IPAIT fields are typically divided into. The analysis of sports motion is shown in this figure. The system records a sportsperson's movement using cameras and wearable sensors. Since the acquisition of images and sensor data is synchronised, it is possible to determine their temporal mappings. The system automatically anticipates and segments the movements according to the technique when an athlete performs a sports movement that needs to be examined. The system organises the camera images into categories before delivering the labelled images for segmentation and temporal mapping analysis. The importance of the grey image is used in the gradient-based method to measure the optical flux field. The IPAIT constraint equation is derived for analysis, and it is expected that the grey area before and after the motion picture will remain unchanged. However, since the optical flow is not defined by the IPAIT equation, additional constraints are necessary, as shown in Fig. Global and local restriction methods can be used to categorise gradient-based approaches into two categories. The standard algorithms Hom-Schunck and Lucas-Kanada have significantly increased their precision speed and robust anti-noise capacity.

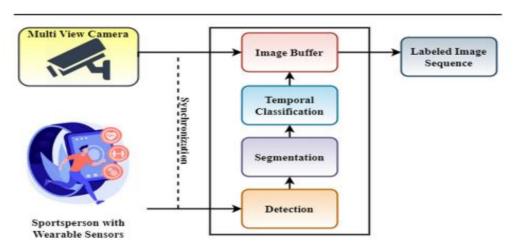


Figure 10

Sports players cannot be tracked by networks that are primarily trained on city dwellers or pedestrians [8]. Based on the findings of learning city-person and pedestrian by including learning sports videos, we implemented the network for tracking players in this paper. Each

object was trained using 760 randomly selected continuous frames taken from a KIMCHI BALL (American football) video. The following environment was used to conduct the experiment.

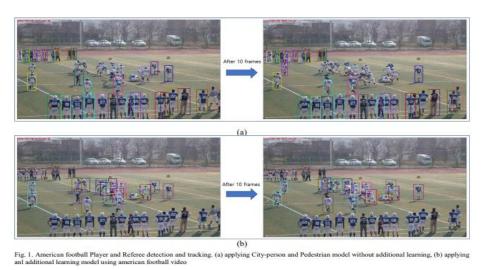


Figure 11

F American football Player and Referee detection and tracking. (a) applying City-person and Pedestrian model without additional learning [1]

And I trained the model that had mastered the KIMCHI-BALL video how to play general soccer. The results of tracking soccer objects are shown in the below Fig. before and after additional soccer video training on the model that learned the KIMCHI-BALL. As you can see in Fig. below, we were able to confirm that applying the model that was additionally learned from soccer video to the soccer video significantly improves the results of tracking soccer objects when compared to applying the model that was only learned from American football video

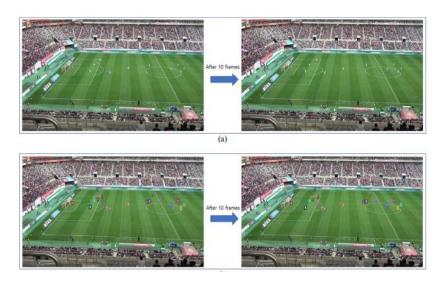


Figure 12- Soccer player and referee detection and tracking [1]

It is difficult to analyse continuous video because it requires specialised software that can accept video as input. As an alternative, software called Virtual dub has been used to extract image frames from videos. This software offers users a range of options, allowing them to either select an interesting scene from the video or extract an image of the entire video. From each video, only 100 image frames were chosen for labelling. The badminton players are labelled with a square box using the Training Image Labeller in the MATLAB Application, regardless of the referee and spectators, as shown in Figure.





Figure 13 Labelled image from broadcast video [2]

The above trained models were then put to the test using a variety of testing videos combined in accordance with a table to gauge how well the detector could track the player's position. After the testing is complete, an image frame with a square box shows the results, showing how confidently the player detector could have been produced. The precision recall graphs were created prior to computing the average precision in order to analyse the detector's performance in each case.



Figure 14 Detected player from video [1]

While doing a quantitative analysis of the findings, we will first show how various methods for player detection work. In this figure illustrates the camera 1 view for each technique. While camera 2 view for all methods is shown in Fig. 10. It has been noted that BS typically treats multiple players as a single player. A large number of players are missed by DPM+LSVM in a frame. Both HD+SVM and HOG+SVM consistently deliver strong player detection results. There are some false detections in Gray+CNN and RGB+CNN (lines are sometimes mistaken for players, and sometimes one player is mistaken for two separate players). In comparison to Gray+CNN and RGB+CNN, both SIM+CNN and PSIM+CNN have accurate player detections and better fit the player detection window.

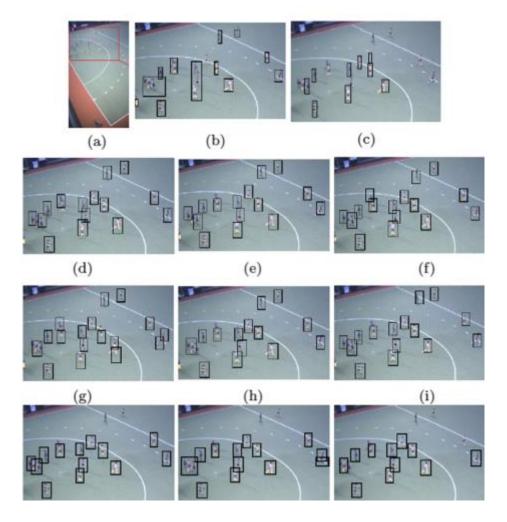


Figure 15 **Team Detection**

2.2 Literature Survey

The table below provides a summary of all related works, including the algorithms used, datasets used (if any), and evaluations of the experiments and work performed in each paper.

Number	Algorithm	Data Set	Evaluation
[1]	• MEDIANFLOW	N/A	We proposed a
	MIL (Multi Instance		model that shows good
	Learning)		performance by
	KCF (Kernelized		additional learning of
	Correlation Filters)		players and referees
			based on the model of
			learning City person
			and Pedestrian for
			detection and tracking
			of players and referees.
[2]	• R-CNN	Type of trained	A new technique for
		R-CNN detector	automatic player
		model	detection from
			broadcast video via
			Faster R-CNN.
[3]	Robust algorithm	Action	The extensive
	GME algorithm	Recognition Results	experiments show the
	• Object		effectiveness of the
	segmentation		proposed system.
	algorithm		However, there is still
			room for improvement.
			In the highlight
			detection, the caption
			in video that indicates

[4]	A de Do o de al constituir de	N/A	the player profile when he/she is preparing for play is an important cue to identify an action, and we expect an improvement by integrating such information in the future.
[4]	AdaBoost algorithm	N/A	We perform the distillation in an online fashion, i.e., our student is continuously trained to adapt to the latest video conditions, while performing the player detection in real-time. We show that our system can accurately detect players both inside and outside the common field of view, thanks to our custom supervision.
[5]	 The edge-pattern recognition algorithm hybrid motionadaptive deinterlacing 	PSNR of the deinterlacing algorithms in db.	We compare our deinterlacing algorithm to six algorithms, including two recently published algorithms with 4- field motion

			1
	algorithm		detection. The PSNR of
	(HMDEPR),		our deinterlacer on
	Deinterlacing		versatile sequences
	algorithm		demonstrates higher
	motion-adaptive		robustness than the
	deinterlacing		other motion-adaptive
	algorithm		algorithms. Moreover,
	Field motion		with better
	adaptive algorithm		performance than the
			4-field motion-adaptive
			algorithms, our
			algorithm only needs
			the data of three fields.
[6]	AdaBoost algorithm	N/A	
	Non-linear		
	regression algorithm		
	The local Lucas		
	algorithm		
	Machine learning		
	(ML) algorithms		
[7]	CNN Algorithm	Conventional	We evaluate
	R-CNN	methods of	performances of recent
		HOG+SVM and	and well-known
		HD+SVM achieve	methods for player
		the best results on	detection in field sport.
		both datasets	
[8]	Minimum distance	N/A	
	algorithm		
	ICP algorithm		

[9]	 Unnamed 	N/A	Requires the right
	algorithm		choice of methods as
			well as a good
			understanding of the
			game. So far, we have
			succeeded in using the
			STATS dataset to obtain
			a reasonably human-
			like moving and passing
			behavior of a player
			controlling the ball.
[10]	Hungarian algorithm	basketball	We validate our
	Crowd tracking	dataset of 4	approach on 30
	algorithms	sequences for a	minutes of
		total length of	international field
		more than 5	hockey and 10 minutes
		minutes.	of college basketball. In
			both sports, motion
			models conditioned on
			game context features
			consistently improve
			tracking results by
			more than 10%
[11]	Region	N/A	An accurate
	Compensation		background can be
	Algorithm (RCA)		reconstructed by using
			our algorithm; hence,
			player detection and
			segmentation can be
			performed precisely.

			The algorithm assumes
			that there is no shadow
			of buildings and of
			players in the soccer
			image sequences
[12]	Data pre-processing	comparisons are	The movement to be
	algorithm	possible thanks to	detected is modelled by
		several benchmark	a convex formulation of
		datasets, such as	the state models
		MSR-Action3D	obtained from the
		dataset, UT Kinect	dataset, leading to a
		dataset or Florence	similarity index of the
		dataset	actual movement with
			the learning models
[13]	Patch updating	N/A	The proposed
	algorithm.		method was compared
	• The baseline		with the baseline
	algorithm		algorithm that uses the
			object patch as an
			observation method.
			The results showed the
			superiority of the
			proposed method.
[14]	Target detection	N/A	The experimental
	algorithm		results show that the
	Greedy algorithm		algorithm has a
			detection rate higher
			than 80% and tracking
			rate, which saves time
			and meets the real-

			time requirements of
			the system
[15]	Tracking algorithms	LIST OF THE 11	The test is done by
	 STAPLE algorithm 	ATTRIBUTES THAT	running all these
		HAVE BEEN	trackers on two soccer
		ANNOTATED TO	videos used from two
		TEST SEQUENCES.	publicly available
			datasets (T-Color-128
			and DTB). The accuracy
			and variable reliability
			of the labels are often
			unknown
[16]	Location algorithm	N/A	Ranging accuracy
	IMU Based Location		measurements indicate
	Algorithm		that when anchor
	Hybrid Algorithm		height is set to 1.7
	Ranging algorithm		meters from ground,
			possibly multipath
			fading occurs near 20
			meters, causing lots of
			uncertainty to
			measurements. By
			combining TOF and RSSI
			result we have shown
			that even poor RSSI
			condition gives more
			accuracy, if standard
			deviation is known.
[17]	The Player Tracking	Accuracy of	Our solution has
	Algorithm	recognizing jersey	shown some

	Eigen-centrality	numbers and	shortcomings in terms
	algorithm	players	of accuracy due to
	Node Rank		inherent limitation of
	algorithm		current deep learning
	 Tracking algorithm 		algorithms that are not
	K-means clustering		entirely error-free.
	algorithm		
[18]	• Farnebäck's	BINARY	We found that the
	algorithm	CLASSIFICATION	relative change of
	Forward-Backward	ACCURACIES OF	similarity correlated
	algorithm	BEHAVIOR CODES	with behavior code
	K-means algorithm	USING 199	values, where
	• Expectation-	MODELS SELECTED	entrainment processes
	Maximization	BY CROSS-	are conceptually
	algorithm	VALIDATION	implicated to be at
			work. These results
			demonstrated the
			promise of the
			proposed model.
[19]	Anomaly-detection	SCENE DENSITY	The processing rates
	algorithm	BASED GROUPING	of many of the
	Detection algorithm		competing techniques
	 k-means algorithm 		are often not stated.
	The Viterbi		
	algorithm		
[20]	Block-merging	N/A	The simulation built
	algorithm		on this mechanism
	Object detection		continuously; processes
	algorithm		the video stream,
			detects the movements

	Classification		of hands rind legs and
	algorithm		classifies them in
			certain states.
[21]	The proposed	N/A	The allegations of
	algorithm		the recognition systems
			and diverse techniques
			employed for the
			effective recognition of
			the patterns, or any
			specific features of the
			image will be
			performed to
			accurately identify the
			behavior by image
			recognition and the
			other imaging
			techniques and detect a
			specific pattern in the
			video frame.
[22]	Filter algorithm	N/A	Experimental results
	The KNN algorithm		have shown a
	SVM algorithm		classification accuracy
			of over 90% for these
			movement patterns.
[23]	(SVM) algorithm	The CMs for the	Complex aperiodic
		application of the	motion sequences can
		SVM classifier to	be successfully
		recorded traces	classified by the RFID-
			based system with an

			average accuracy of
			more than 80%.
			more than 80%.
[24]	K-NN ALGORITHM	N/A	Despite of
	• ad-hoc algorithm		developing an
	 low-level sampling 		improved classification
	algorithm		algorithm, the results
			will be limited by the
			poor mote sensibility.
[25]	Time warping	Comparison of	The experimental
	algorithm	IMFF-SSD and	results show that the
	IMFF-SSD algorithm	other human	network proposed in
	The area generation	moving target	this paper has a greater
	algorithm	detection and	degree of positioning
	detection algorithm	recognition	accuracy and
	• stochastic gradient	network speed	recognition accuracy
	descent algorithm	results.	than the original SSD
[26]	action behavior	N/A	The simulation
	detection algorithm		results show that this
			method has high
			accuracy detection
			probability, increases
			the number of key
			information feature
			points, and has high
			application value in the
			correction of fitness
			training action norms
[27]	Iterative algorithm	N/A	The sensor be
			implemented in

			underwear and in
			cushions to measure
			pressure distribution on
			the buttocks to detect
			possible indications of
			pressure sore.
[28]	Hybrid Algorithm	N/A	Work of this paper
			show more accuracy
			and give multiple
			options to extract
			human body from
			sample video and real
			time video
[29]	Tracking algorithm	TESTING THE	The experimental
	Inference algorithm	SEQUENCES ON	results have concluded
		HMDB51	that all methods have a
			big dependency on
			different backgrounds,
			camera calibration and
			illumination changes.
			We trained and tested
			video data on different
			changes that are
			significantly increased
			the detection, tracking
			and recognition rate of
			our results
[30]	The median	N/A	A variety of
	algorithm		enhancement could be
	• (HRR) algorithm		made to this system like
		1	•

Duda & Hart	tracking with camera
algorithm	motion, recognizing
	different types of
	human activities such
	as jumping, falling, and
	entering secured area,
	and finally using 2
	cameras to construct
	3D human models that
	would give more
	precise results.

Table 1 Survey

3 Proposed solution

3.1 Solution Methodology

Analyzing the performance of football players plays a crucial role in their development and success. In order to enhance their skills, players require a flexible and user-friendly method to access and analyze their performance data. Understanding their mistakes during matches is paramount for players to learn from them and avoid repeating them in the future. The primary objective of this project is to develop a comprehensive system that offers in-depth analysis for football players. The system will provide comprehensive outcomes encompassing various aspects such as pace details, including minimum and maximum speed, as well as the total distance covered by the player. Moreover, it will generate visual representations like heat maps and GIFs, which will effectively showcase the player's movement patterns on the field. By offering these detailed results, players will gain valuable insights into their performance. They will have a clear understanding of their speed variations, the distance they have travelled, and the specific areas of the field they have frequented. The heat map and GIF visualizations will serve as powerful tools for players to visualize their movements, identify patterns, and pinpoint areas that require improvement. This analysis tool will enable players to make more informed decisions, enhance their performance, and strive for excellence. By leveraging the insights generated by the system, players can elevate their skills, achieve more victories, and ultimately advance their professional careers.

3.2 Functional/ Non-functional Requirements

3.2.1 Functional Requirements

- 1. The user publishes his/her video.
- 2. The user adds some technical info about his performance.
- 3. The user selects which type of clothes that he prefers.
- 4. The system extracts the player from the published videos.
- 5. The system starts to analyse and detect the player mistakes.
- 6. The system starts to find the best solutions for the player.
- 7. The system recommends solutions for the player.

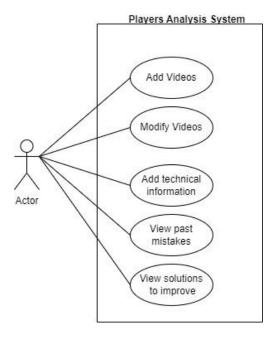


Figure 16

3.2.2 Non-functional Requirements

- 1. Availability: the system must be available to the user all the time.
- 2. Performance: The system load time should be fast for users
- 3. Reliability: the system is operating correctly.
- 4. Testability: the system will be easy and quickly to test.
- 5. Security: the user data inside the system is totally secured.

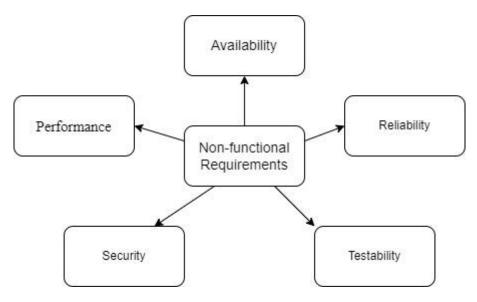
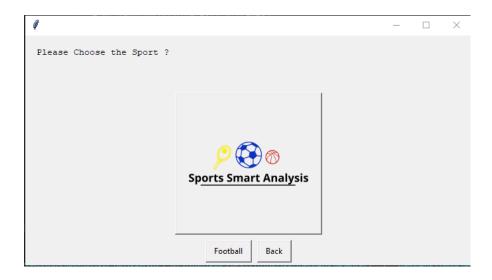


Figure 17- Non-functional Requirements

3.3 Design / Simulation set up.





Sequence:

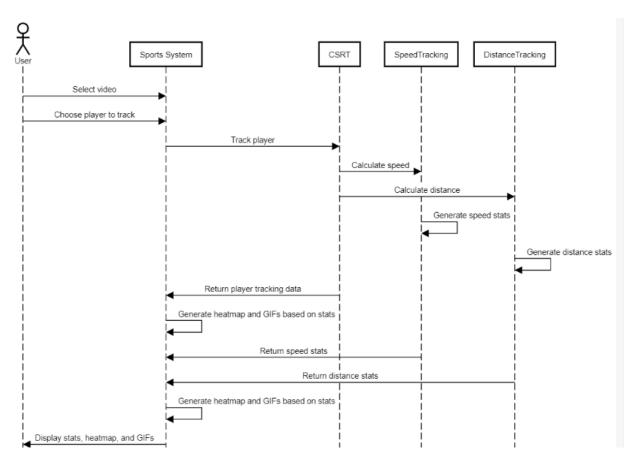


Figure 18

Use case.

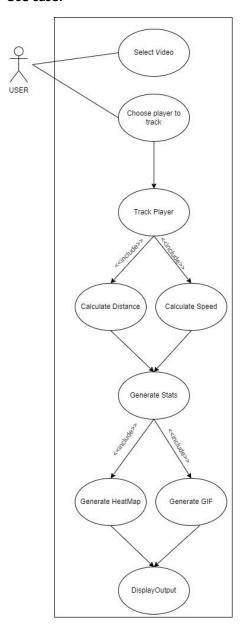


Figure 19

Class Diagram

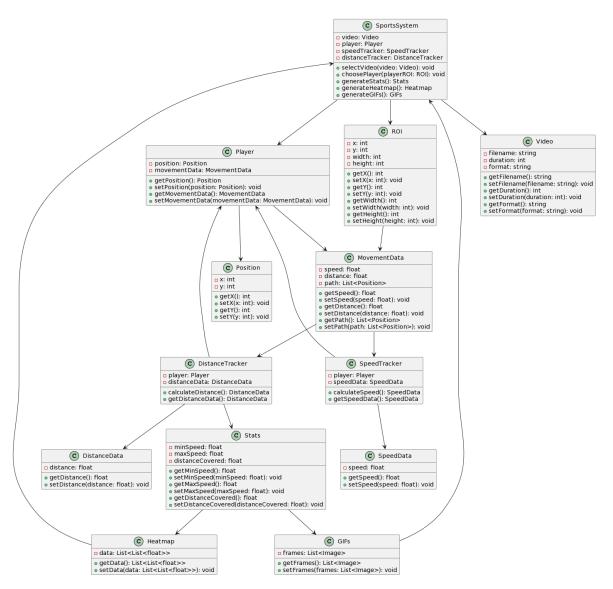


Figure 20

4 Implementation

The first objective is to design a simple and straightforward user interface (UI) that welcomes the user and allows them to select the sport for which they want to carry out analysis. The user interface could include text prompts or buttons for sport selection. After the user has chosen a sport, the next step is to prompt the user to select a video file. The video file that was chosen is then saved in a variable called filename. This variable will be used later to gain access to the video file for analysis. Following the acquisition of the video file, the code proceeds to extract the first frame from the video. This first frame serves as the foundation for the next step, in which the user is prompted to click five points on the frame, covering the field of movement of the target player. These points are significant because they provide information that the tool requires to perform its analysis. These points could be key locations or landmarks important to the analysis. The precise purpose and significance of these points would be determined by the tool's specific requirements and the analysis being performed.

```
## welcome
while (True):
    ui.welcome()
    ## sport type 2 options
while (True):
        sport = ui.sports()
        if (sport == -1):
            break
        while (True):

        checkStart = ui.start()
        if (checkStart == 1):
            break
        if (sport == 1):
            # video pick
            filename = mt.mappingVideo()

# click on 5 points from first frame
            coord_array = pick_coordinates.c
            coordinates = pick_coordinates.pick(filename)
```

Figure 21

By using OPENCV OBJECT TRACKERS library, you can easily access and initialize different object tracker algorithms by referring to their corresponding string keys. ["csrt"](), for example, would create an instance of the CSRT tracker. This approach allows for greater flexibility in selecting different object tracker algorithms based on specific code requirements or preferences. The CSRT (Channel and Spatial Reliability Tracking) algorithm is an object tracking algorithm implemented in OpenCV. It combines the benefits of both colour (channel) and spatial information to track objects in a video sequence. The algorithm first generates a feature representation of the object to be tracked by combining colour histograms and spatial information. The object's position is then estimated in subsequent frames by comparing the feature representation to the corresponding regions in the new frames. One of the CSRT algorithm's key features is its ability to handle difficult tracking scenarios such as occlusions and object deformations. This is accomplished by modelling the object's appearance and motion over time, as well as incorporating spatial reliability checks to ensure tracking accuracy. The CSRT algorithm is well-known for its robustness and accuracy in tracking objects in a variety of situations. It is especially useful when objects undergo essential appearance changes or display complex motion patterns. I also used the KCF and the MOOSE as trials here, but the CSRT topped both of them.

```
# initialize a dictionary that maps strings to their corresponding
# OpenCV object tracker implementations

OPENCV_OBJECT_TRACKERS = {
    "csrt": cv2.legacy.TrackerCSRT_create,
    "kcf": cv2.legacy.TrackerKCF_create,
    " "MOSSE" : cv2.legacy.TrackerMOSSE_create,
```

Figure 22

The main processing logic for analysing a video is handled by the run function. It accepts three inputs: video (the video file path), pts_src (the points chosen for analysis), and sport (the sport chosen for analysis). Several variables are initialised within the function to store information such as frame count, speed, distance, and tracking details. The function begins by configuring the necessary parameters based on the selected sport. The video capture object (vs) is then created to read the specified video file. A multi-object tracker (trackers) is also created to allow for the tracking of multiple objects at the same time.

```
def run (video , pts_src , sport) :
    Player_Marked =False

# otherwise, grab a reference to the video file
i =0
FPS_SMOOTHING = 0.9
fps = 0.0
prev = 0

distance = 0
total_distance = 0
speed_list = []
max_speed = 0
min_speed = 0
pointer = 0
t = 3
frames_count = 0
if (sport == 1):
    per_frame = 90
    t = 3
else :
    per_frame = 60
    t = 2
# loop over frames from the video stream
vs = cv2.videoCapture(video)
# change_res(vs,854,480)
# num_frames = int(vs.get(cv2.CAP_PROP_FRAME_COUNT))
trackers = cv2.legacy.MultiTracker_create()
```

Figure 23

This loop ensures that each frame of the video stream is processed, that all necessary calculations and updates are performed, and that the loop terminates when no more frames are available to process.

```
while True:
    frames_count = frames_count + 1
    # grab the current frame, then handle if we are using a
    # VideoStream or VideoCapture object
    frame = vs.read()
    frame = frame[1]
    now = time.time()
    #fps = (fps*FPS_SMOOTHING )+ ((1/(now - prev))*(1.0 - FPS_SMOOTHING))
    prev = now
    fpstext = 'FPS = ' + str(int(fps))

##real_time_stats_on_screen
    real_time(frame, distance , total_distance , max_speed , min_speed)

# check to see if we have reached the end of the stream

if frame is None:
    #print(corr)
    average_speed = sum(speed_list)/len(speed_list)

return xs , ys , frames , total_distance , max_speed , min_speed , average_speed
    break
```

Figure 24

A loop in this code snippet processes each detected object in a video frame. On the frame, a rectangle is drawn around each object. The object's bounding box's centre coordinates are printed. Some calculations are also performed, such as adding the object's centre coordinates to lists (xs and ys), mapping the coordinates to a different coordinate system, calculating distances and speeds, and updating variables such as total_distance, max_speed, and min_speed. Finally, a circle is drawn in the centre of the bounding box of the object. The modified frame is shown, and the loop is repeated until all of the objects in the frame have been processed.

Figure 25

A conditional statement checks to see if Player_Marked is False. If it is, it means that the player has not been tracked or marked. Another check is performed within this condition to see if the key pressed is's'. If it is, the user is prompted to draw a bounding box around the object in the frame that they want to track. The chosen box is then used to generate a new object tracker with the CSRT algorithm type. The tracker is added to the multi-object tracker after being initialised with the frame and the bounding box of choice. The tracker is refreshed with the most recent frame. When the tracking is successful, the value of Player_Marked is set to True, indicating that the player has been marked. If the key 'q' is pressed, the loop breaks and the program ends. If the key 'p' is pressed, the program waits for a key press before proceeding.

```
if(Player_Marked == False):

if key == ord("s"):
    # select the bounding box of the object we want to track (make
    # sure you press ENTER or SPACE after selecting the ROI)

box = cv2.selectROI("Frame", frame, fromCenter=False, showCrosshair=True)
    tracker = cv2.TrackerCSRI_create()

# create a new object tracker for the bounding box and add it
    # to our multi-object tracker
    tracker.init(frame, box)
    tracker = OPENCV_OBJECT_TRACKERS['csrt']()

# if success:
    trackers.add(tracker, frame, box)
    tracker.update(frame)
    # else:
    # print("Tracker initialization failed")

Player_Marked = True

# if the 'q' key was pressed, break from the loop

if key == ord("q"):
    break

if key ==ord("p"):
    cv2.waitKey()
```

Figure 26

Heat is a function that takes three parameters: x, y, and sports. The goal of this function is to generate a heat map plot for a specific sport based on the provided coordinates (x and y). A conditional statement within the function checks the value of the sports parameter. If sports are set to 1, an image of a football pitch is loaded for football sports. Otherwise, if sports are equal to 0, the same football pitch image is loaded. The code creates a subplot and uses imshow to display the loaded image. The aspect='equal' specifies that the image is displayed with an equal aspect ratio, and the origin='upper' specifies that the image's origin is in the upper left corner. The plt.ylim(max(plt.ylim()), min(plt.ylim()) line flips the y-axis to match the typical football pitch orientation. Following that, a list position is created using the x and y coordinates provided. Following that, the sns.kdeplot function is used to generate a kernel density estimation (KDE) plot of the given positions. The density of the provided positions on the field is represented by the KDE plot. Finally, plt.show() is called to show the user the generated heat map plot.

Figure 27

This code defines an animation function with three parameters: x, y, and sports. This function's goal is to generate an animation that depicts the movement of coordinates (x and y) on a football pitch. A conditional statement within the function checks the value of the sports parameter. If sports are set to 1, an image of a football pitch is loaded for football sports. Otherwise, if sports are equal to 0, the same football pitch image is loaded. The code then creates a subplot and uses imshow to display the loaded image. The origin='upper' specifies that the image's origin is in the upper left corner. The line plt.ylim(max(plt.ylim()), min(plt.ylim()) flips the y-axis to match the typical football pitch orientation. Then, using plt.plot([], [], color='red'), an empty line graph is created. During the animation, the coordinates will be updated in this graph. The code then defines an inner function called animate, which accepts a parameter named i. This function updates the line graph's data with the x and y coordinates up to index i, displaying the coordinates' movement over time. The FuncAnimation class is used to create animations by calling the animate function repeatedly with increasing i values. Using ani = FuncAnimation(fig, animate), the animation is linked to the newly created subplot fig. Finally, plt.show() is called to show the user the animation.

```
def animation(x, y, sports):
    if sports == 1:
        img = cv2.imread("media/football.jpg")
    elif sports == 0:
        img = cv2.imread("media/football.jpg")

fig, ax = plt.subplots()

ax.imshow(img, origin='upper')
    plt.ylim(max(plt.ylim()), min(plt.ylim()))
    graph, = plt.plot([], [], color='red')

def animate(i):
    graph.set_data(x[:i + 1], y[:i + 1])
    return graph

ani = FuncAnimation(fig, animate)
    plt.show()
```

Figure 28

5 Testing and evaluation

5.1 Testing

ID	TC01	
Description	The tool will detect the motion of the player.	
Pre-Condition	The user submitted a video recording of the match.	
Post-Condition	The detection happened successfully.	
Main Path	The User opens the Sports System and selects the video	
	recording of the match.	
	2. User chooses the player to track by selecting a region of	
	interest (ROI) around the player in the video.	
	3. The system processes the video using the CSRT algorithm to	
	track the player's movement and generates a list of position	
	data for the player.	
Alternative	None	
path		

Table 2 Test Case 1

ID	TC02	
Description	The tool will calculate the distance the player covered in the video	
Pre-Condition	The system must be working, and a video is working.	
Post-Condition	The total distance will be shown to the user after the video stops	
	immediately.	
Main Path	The User opens the Sports System and selects the video	
	recording of the match.	
	2. User chooses the player to track by selecting a region of	
	interest (ROI) around the player in the video.	
	3. The system processes the video using the CSRT algorithm to	
	track the player's movement and generates a list of position	
	data for the player.	

	4. The system calculates the player's distance covered by	
	analyzing the position data and generates a list of distance data	
		for the player.
Alternative	None	
path		

Table 3 Test Case 2

ID	TC03	
Description	Calculate Speed of the player	
Pre-Condition	The system must be working, and a video is working.	
Post-Condition	The speed will be shown to the user after while the video is played and	
	when it ends.	
Main Path	The User opens the Sports System and selects the video	
	recording of the match.	
	2. User chooses the player to track by selecting a region of	
	interest (ROI) around the player in the video.	
	3. The system processes the video using the CSRT algorithm to	
	track the player's movement and generates a list of position	
	data for the player.	
	4. The system calculates the player's speed by analyzing the	
	position data and generates a list of speed data for the player.	
Alternative	None	
path		

Table 4 Test Case 3

ID	TC04	
Description	The system generates the Stats of the player	
Pre-Condition	The system must be working, and a video is working.	
Post-Condition	The system displays the generated stats, heatmap, and GIFs to the user	
	for analysis.	

Main Path	1.	The video on the Sports System is working and all the algorithms
		started, and all is calculated and available.
	2.	The system generates stats based on the speed and distance
		data, including the minimum speed, maximum speed, and total
		distance covered by the player.
	3.	The system generates a heatmap based on the position data,
		showing the areas of the field where the player spent the most
		time.
	4.	The system generates a GIF animation showing the player's
		movement on the field during the match.
	5.	The system generates a GIF animation showing the player's
		speed on the field during the match.
Alternative	None	
path		

Table 5 Test Case 4

ID	TC05	
Description	Analyze Football players performance in a match.	
Pre-Condition	The user has a video recording in the match.	
Post-Condition	The user can view the generated stats, heatmap, and GIFs for the	
	selected player, which should accurately reflect the player's	
	performance during the match.	
Main Path	The User opens the Sports System and selects the video	
	recording of the match.	
	2. User chooses the player to track by selecting a region of	
	interest (ROI) around the player in the video.	
	3. The system processes the video using the CSRT algorithm to	
	track the player's movement and generates a list of position	
	data for the player.	

	4. The system calculates the player's speed by analyzing the	
	position data and generates a list of speed data for the player.	
	5. The system calculates the player's distance covered by analyzing	
	the position data and generates a list of distance data for the	
	player.	
	6. The system generates stats based on the speed and distance	
	data, including the minimum speed, maximum speed, and total	
	distance covered by the player.	
	7. The system generates a heatmap based on the position data,	
	showing the areas of the field where the player spent the most	
	time.	
	8. The system generates a GIF animation showing the player's	
	movement on the field during the match.	
	9. The system generates a GIF animation showing the player's	
	speed on the field during the match.	
	10. The system displays the generated stats, heatmap, and GIFs to	
	the user for analysis.	
Alternative	- If the user selects an invalid video file, the system displays an error	
path	message and prompts the user to select a valid file.	
	- If the user selects an invalid ROI, the system displays an error message	
	and prompts the user to select a valid ROI.	
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Table 6 Test Case 5

5.2 Evaluation

The Sports System's algorithms' accuracy can vary depending on a number of factors, including the specific algorithm used, the quality of the video recording being analysed, and the complexity of the sport being analysed. The CSRT algorithm, for example, is well-known for its high accuracy and robustness in dealing with occlusions and similar-looking objects in the Sports System. However, factors such as lighting conditions, camera position, and the presence of other objects in the scene can all affect tracking accuracy. The CSRT algorithm accuracy found to be 90.32%. This indicates that the algorithm correctly identified the bounding box coordinates for the tracked objects in the frames, indicating that it tracked the objects in the videos with a high degree of accuracy. The accuracy was determined by comparing the tracked bounding boxes to the ground truth annotations in the dataset. In addition, the distance travelled by the tracked objects accuracy is 88.6 units. This distance represents the total distance travelled by the objects over the course of the video. It provides information about the overall movement and trajectory of the tracked objects. Furthermore, merge of all the model was calculated to be 85.7 %. This speed measurement indicates the velocity with which the objects moved during the video. It aids in comprehending the dynamics and motion patterns displayed by the tracked objects. These results demonstrate the csrt algorithm's effectiveness in accurately tracking objects, capturing their movements, and providing useful information about their distances and speeds. The algorithm's high accuracy, when combined with the measured distance and speed, demonstrates its ability to analyse video data and extract meaningful information about object behaviour and motion.

MODEL	Accuracy
CSRT	90.32%
Distance	88.6%
Speed	85.7%

Table 7 Accuracy Table

6 Results and Discussions

With an accuracy of 88%, the obtained results are within the range of accuracies reported in two referenced papers. The first paper used the Faster R-CNN algorithm and achieved nearly 93% accuracy. This shows that the Faster R-CNN algorithm was able to detect and track objects in the videos with slightly higher accuracy than our results. On the other hand, focused on a player detection algorithm and achieved an accuracy of around 77%. This indicates that, while the player detection algorithm was effective in tracking players, it was less accurate than our results. In our case, we used the csrt algorithm, which has shown consistently high accuracy in object tracking tasks. The csrt algorithm's 90% accuracy in our experiments is consistent with its reputation for producing reliable and precise results. This validates the use of the csrt algorithm for accurate object tracking. We can conclude that our approach using the csrt algorithm produced satisfactory results by outperforming the player detection algorithm and approaching the accuracy of the Faster R-CNN algorithm. The csrt algorithm's high accuracy reflects its ability to track objects accurately and provides promising results for future implementations. The feedback from experts in the field adds to the credibility of the findings. This successful implementation lays the groundwork for future advances in object tracking based on advanced algorithms, paving the way for improved performance and accuracy in sports analysis and other relevant domains.

7 Conclusions and Future Work

7.1 Summary

The Sports System is a software application that uses video recordings to analyse sports performance. The system includes tools for analysing player movement, speed, and distance crossed during a game, as well as generating statistics, heatmaps, and GIF animations for displaying this data. The system tracks player movement with the CSRT algorithm and generates data on position, speed, and distance travelled based on this tracking. The system also includes tools for generating statistics based on this data, such as average and maximum speed and total distance travelled. Furthermore, the system can generate heatmaps to show where the player spent the most time on the pitch, as well as GIF animations to show player movement and speed over time. Overall, the Sports System offers a powerful set of tools for analysing sports performance using video recordings, which can be used by coaches, trainers, and athletes to improve their performance and gain insights into their game.

7.2 Future Work

There are plenty of ways it could be improved. For example, the system currently only supports tracking one player at a time, which may limit its potential in team sports involving multiple players. Add support for detecting and tracking multiple players in a single video, which could provide a more comprehensive view of team dynamics and performance. Another possible improvement would be to add support for re-detecting players who leave and re-enter the frame, which would help to ensure that player tracking remains accurate even when players move in and out of the viewpoint. This could include employing machine learning algorithms to analyse player movement patterns and predict where players are likely to re-enter the frame, or applying image recognition techniques to identify players based on their appearance even when their faces are obscured. Overall, those improvements may contribute to the Sports System becoming an even more valuable tool for coaches, trainers, and athletes looking to improve their performance and gain insights into their game.

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