PointNet: Deep Learning on Point Sets for 3D Classification and Segmentation

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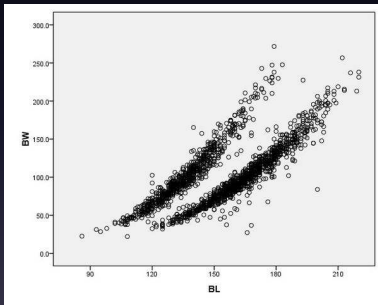School of Data and Computer Science, SYSU
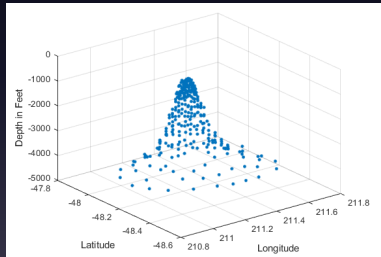
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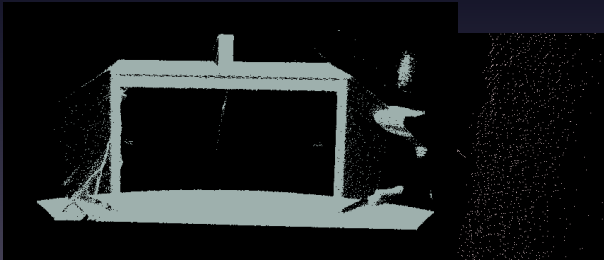- Experiment

Introduction

- Point Set

(a) 2D Point Set

(b) 3D Point Set (Point Cloud)

Traditional Point Cloud Processing

- Edge-based methods
- Model-based methods
- Region-based methods
- Attributes-based methods
- Graph-based methods

Neural Network Based Methods

- Volumetric CNNs: 3D voxel grids
  - Constrained by resolution
- Multi-view CNNs: collections of images
  - Nontrivial to extend them to scene understanding or other 3D tasks.

PointNet

- A novel deep net architecture
- Input: point set
- Tasks: 3D shape classification, shape part segmentation, and scene semantic parsing
- Simple, effective and robust