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README.md

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## adcv Solution

### 赛题简介

本竞赛由创新工场、北京大学王亦洲教授和复旦大学付彦伟教授联合举办。

本次零样本学习（zero-shot learning）竞赛的任务是在已知类别上训练物体识别模型，要求模型能够用于识别来自未知类别的样本。本次竞赛提供了属性，用于实现从已知类别到未知类别的知识迁移。要求参赛选手提交对测试样本的标签预测值。

### 数据说明

数据集分Test A和Test B两部分。Test A包含动物（Animals）、水果（Fruits）两个超类。Test B包含交通工具（Vehicles）、电子产品（Electronics）、发型（Hairstyles）三个超类。对于每个超类均包含训练集（80%类别）和测试集（20%类别）。训练集所有图片均标注了标签和包围框。对于部分图片（20张/类），标注了二值属性，属性值为0或1，表示属性“存在”或“不存在”。对于测试集中的未知类别，仅提供类别级的属性用作知识迁移。

### 零样本学习ZSL示意图

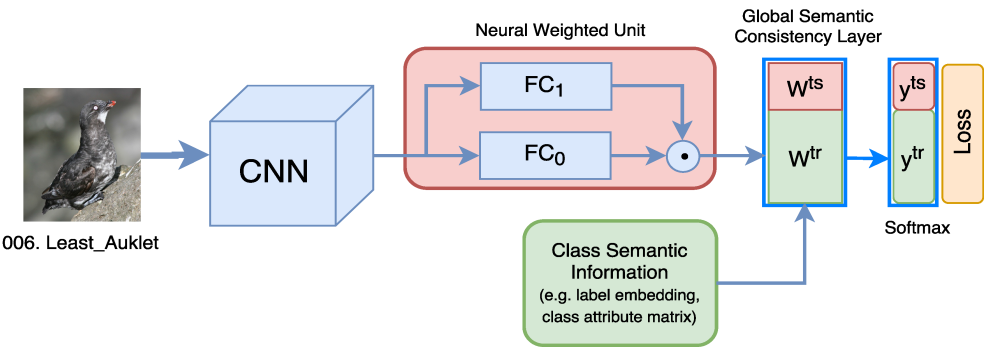
The diagram illustrates the ZSL process. It starts with input images (e.g., cat, rabbit, water buffalo, cow) which are processed by a CNN to extract visual features in a '视觉特征空间' (Visual Feature Space). These features are then mapped into a '语义空间' (Semantic Space) using a '语义表示单元' (Semantic Representation Unit) that also incorporates '类别级语义信息' (Class-level semantic information). The resulting semantic representations are used for classification into '可见类' (Visible classes,  $y^{tr}$ ) and '未见类' (Unseen classes,  $y^{ts}$ ), labeled as ZSL and GZSL respectively.

adcv 方案介绍

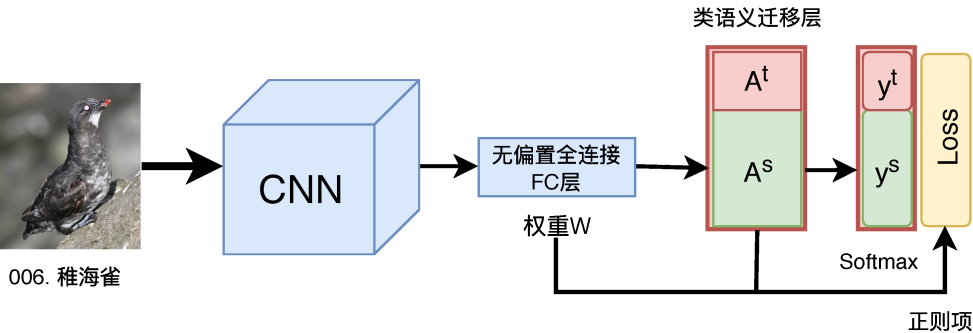
https://github.com/elviswf/AIChallenger2018\_zsl

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1. Global Semantic Consistency Network (GSC-Net)

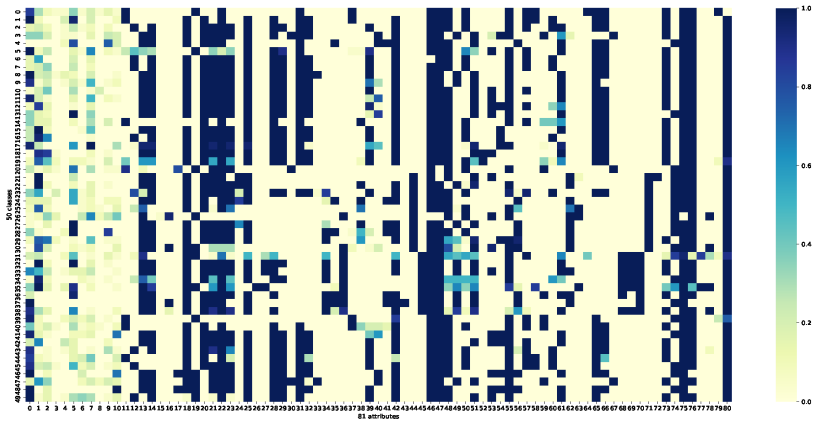


2. Attribute Balancing Network (ABN)

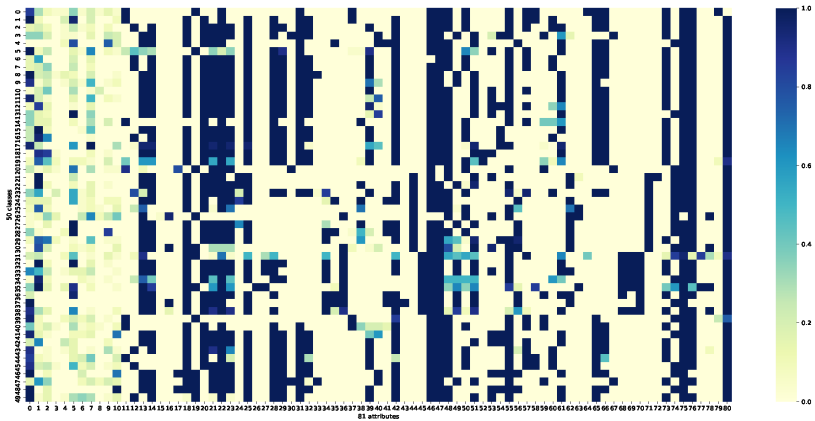


Data Analysis(class attribute matrix)

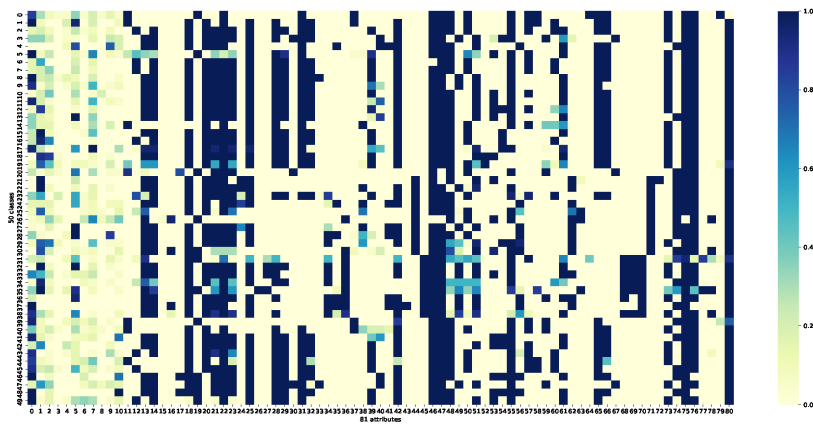
vehicles



electronics



hairstyles



## Code Solution

Take vehicle for example:

1. **Preprocessing:** Set dataset\_dir, superclass etc. and dataUtils.py

```
dataset_dir "ai_challenger_zsl2018_test_b_20180423"
superclass = "vehicles"
python utils/dataUtils.py
```

2. **Training:** Set a model and change related lines.

```
GSC-Net: attrWCNNg (Default)
criterion = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
```

```
ABN: attrWCNNg1 (Set loss = criterion(out, targets, w))
criterion = RegLoss(lamda1=lamda1, lamda2=lamda2, superclass=superclass)
```

```
python zsl_train.py
```

1. Train only FC for first 2 epochs.
2. End to end train: Since the competition training images is enough, we simply choose the 3rd epoch checkpoint as our final submission model.

GSC-Net often achieves high in the 3rd epoch. ABN can be stable enough in the first 20 epochs.

3. **Prediction**

```
python pred.py
```

## Results

We evaluate our model in open-access benchmark CUB on both ZSL and GZSL task. Accuracies along with the training are shown below.

