Final Project

CS 5658 Machine Learning for Anomaly Detection

Final Project (30%)

General Guideline

- 2 or 3 students form a team
- All team members in a team will receive the same score
- Feel free to use open-source programs in your project, but you should have your own contributions (need to highlight them in your presentation).

Project Topics

- ✓ For each group, you need to define your own topic of anomaly detection project and solve it.
- ✓ You are not limited in any pre-defined topic or using any specific dataset, but the topic needs to be related to anomaly detection.
- ✓ Each team need to clearly define your selected topic and task for the final project in your proposal.
- ✓ The topics include:
 - 1. Time Series Anomaly Detection
 - 2. Image Anomaly Detection
 - 3. Video Anomaly Detection
- For image anomaly detection topics, we encourage you select a topic from the two suggested topics in CVPR'24 VAND 2.0 Workshop:

CVPR'24 VAND 2.0 Challenges

VAND 2.0 Challenge 1: Adapt & Detect: Robust Anomaly Detection in Real-World Applications

VAND 2.0 Challenge 2: VLM Anomaly Challenge: Few-Shot Learning for Logical and Structural Detection

- •Challenge time: April 15th June 1st
- •Registration Opens: April 15th
- •Dataset Release: April 15th
- •Submission Deadline: June 1st
- •Results Announcement: June 7th

Be careful! You need to take your computing resources into account when you decide your topic. If you have limited computing resources, you are suggested to choose the VAND 2.0 Challenge 2.

Reference: VAND2.0 Challenge at CVPR - Hackster.io

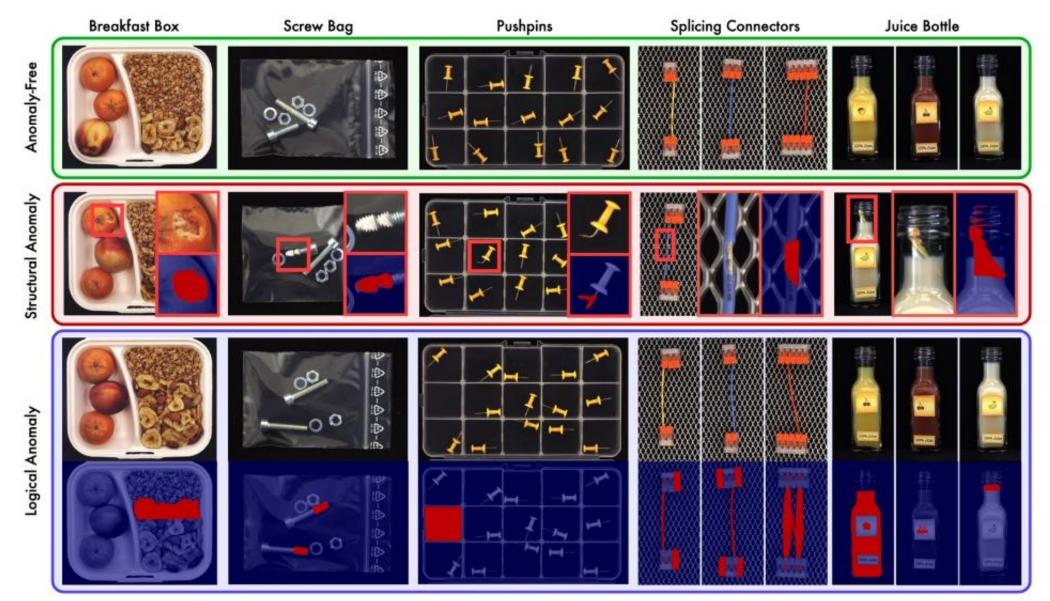
Challenge 1: Adapt & Detect: Robust Anomaly Detection in Real-World Applications

- Participants will develop anomaly detection models that demonstrate robustness against external factors and adaptability to real-world variability.
- Many existing anomaly detection models are trained on normal images and validated against normal and abnormal images. They often struggle with robustness in real-world scenarios due to data drift caused by external changes like camera angles, lighting conditions, and noise.
- This challenge focuses on developing models that can handle this realworld variation.
- Dataset: Training data in <u>MVTec Anomaly Detection (MVTec AD)</u> for training, and random perturbation to the test set of MVTec AD to simulate the domain shift before evaluation.
- Evaluation: image level and pixel level F1-max scores

Challenge 2: VLM Anomaly Challenge: Few-Shot Learning for Logical and Structural Detection

- Participants will create models using few-shot learning and VLMs to find and localize structural and logical anomalies in the MVTec LOCO AD dataset, which contains images of different industrial products showing both defects. This shows that the models can handle structural defect detection and logical reasoning.
- Participants can pre-train their models on any public dataset except the MVTec LOCO dataset, ensuring the challenge focuses on few-shot learning capability.
- This challenge uses the <u>MVTec LOCO AD dataset</u>. This dataset contains images of different industrial products, showing structural and logical anomalies.
- For each few-shot learning scenario, k normal images are sampled randomly from the train set of the MVTec LOCO dataset.

MVTec LOCO AD dataset



Project Evaluation and Schedule

- The project will be evaluated based on the following:
 - Project proposal pdf file within 2 pages [due on 5/9, 11:30pm] (10%)
 - Project presentation in class [6/4 & 6, 10:10am-12pm] (60%)
 - Evaluation criteria
 - Novelty, Completeness, Performance
 - Final Report (30%) (due: 11:30pm 6/12/2024)

Project Proposal

- ✓ Find your teammates with less than or equal to 3 people in a group for the final project. All the team members share the same final project scores.
- ✓ The project proposal should be within 2 pages and submitted in a pdf file.
- ✓ The proposal should include the following information:
 - 1. Project topic
 - 2. Team members
 - 3. Project Goal
 - 4. Problem/task description
 - 5. Method/approach description
 - 6. Datasets to be used
 - 7. Expected outcome
 - 8. References (papers & codes)

Project Presentation

- On-line Google form submission of your presentation order (teambased) based on first-come first-serve rule
 - TBD (during the week 5/27-31)
- Project Presentation: about 10-minute presentation + 5-minute
 Q&A
- Your presentation should focus on your contributions in this project