DRY RUN (PRELIMINARY) – VIRTUAL REHAB

PURPOSE

We aim to establish an efficient and effective workflow for the main data collection for the virtual rehabilitation project through this dry run.

First, we wish to test the chosen *3D camera* and *human/hand pose estimation algorithms* and assess their overall performance throughout the trials:

Some instances for analysis include:

Occlusion, movement artefacts, latency in landmark detection, inaccuracy (visually inspected wrt. RGB-D info)

Second, we wish to receive feedback from the clinicians for experiment design.

i.e. what would make it easier for them to 'simulate' patient behavior? do we have representative exercises?

EXPERIMENT SET UP



CAPTURE SYSTEM

i. 1 x Intel RealSense D415 RGB-D Camera [frontal view]

Resolution: 1280 x 720 (RGB + D)

FPS: 30 (D)

(output: .bag file)

ii. 2 x GoPro (RGB – wide angle) cameras placed at 45°

CLINICAL EXERCISES

i. Move cup in an arc





ii. Move bean bag in an arc



Each clinician will perform the exercises simulating individuals of 4 different categories:

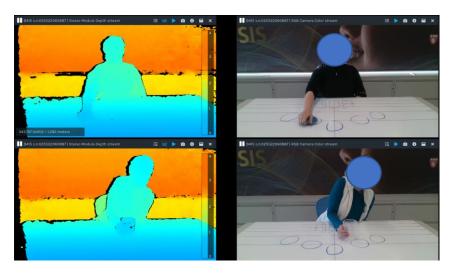
1. Mild		2. Moderate		
1a) High Functioning	1b) Low Functioning	2a) High Functioning	2b) Low Functioning	

^{*}within each category, we will collect the data from the same clinician three times

^{**}the purpose is to represent variances amongst individuals (thus there will be minor differences between each take

^{***} while there were a few other exercises suggested for the dry run, we chose the ones that would be assigned to our entire target population (and only performed two due to time constraints)

PRELIMINARY DATA COLLECTED



Top: Circular arc with bean bag exercise with Clinician 1 (left: depth frame sequence, right: RGB video)

Bottom: Circular arc with cup exercise with Clinician 2

Output: .bag file

FURTHER WORK

- Here we classified patients' impairment levels in gross categories
 - In order to clarify the categories for clinicians, we must establish an assessment scale to use: Fugl-Meyer vs. WMFT-FAS
 - Difficulty here: different publications indicate different ranges to classify as 'moderate' vs. 'mild'
- Post-process the output .bag file (MATLAB vs. Python) to get the RGB + depth frames

ALGORITHM SELECTION

As can be seen below, looking at several datasets for human pose as well as hand pose estimation, the top two performing algorithms include:

1) V2V-Posenet and 2) A2J: Anchor-to-Joint Regression Network

As such, we will use the above two algorithms for landmark generation.

We will compare the performance of the 3D-pose estimate algorithms to the state-of-the-art pose estimation from Mediapipe (from RGB video).

*we considered comparing it to Openpose (a widely used multi-person pose-estimation algorithm) but according to literature, the performance of Mediapipe is superior

ITOP (Human Pose) Dataset – Papers with Code:

Papers

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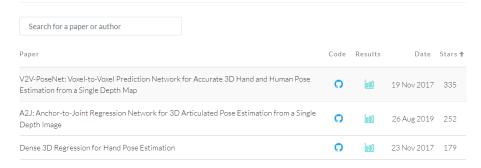
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NYU HAND (HAND POSE) DATASET - PAPERS WITH CODE:

Papers



LOOKING FURTHER INTO THE FUTURE

We wish to obtain movement characteristics given a video of an individual performing a set of exercises.

Given the landmark positions at different timepoints throughout the video, various motion elements can be obtained.

- Handcrafted features can be selected and run through traditional machine learning (TML) algorithms – regression, random forest classifier to determine to which category the individual belongs (moderate high, mild low, etc.)
- 2. Raw data can be input into deep learning algorithms with minimal pre-processing. Consider RNN-LSTM and TCN models that perform well with time-series data

APPENDIX

Depth Camera: Intel Realsense D415



Use environment:

Indoor/Outdoor

Features
Image sensor technology:

Rolling Shutter

Depth technology:

Stereoscopic

Minimum depth distance (Min-Z) at max resolution:

~45 cm

Depth Accuracy:

<2% at 2 m1

RGB frame resolution:

1920 × 1080

RGB frame rate: 30 fps

RGB sensor technology:

Rolling Shutter

Major Components

Depth

RGB

Camera module:

Intel RealSense Module D415

Ideal range:

.5 m to 3 m

Depth Field of View (FOV):

 $65^{\circ} \times 40^{\circ}$

Depth output resolution:

Up to 1280×720

Depth frame rate:

Up to 90 fps

RGB sensor FOV $(H \times V)$:

69° × 42°

RGB sensor resolution:

2 MP

Vision processor board:

Intel RealSense Vision Processor D4