

Lecture 9 continued: Steerable CNN

Last Class

How do vector fields rotate?

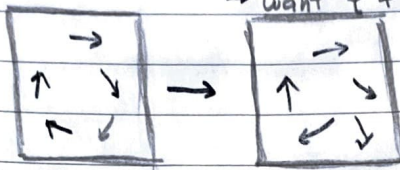
Tasks

Ex

Wind Prediction:

↳ wind at time $t, \dots, t+k-1$

↳ want $t+k$



$H \subseteq O(2)$ $H = SO(2)$

$SO(2) \ltimes \mathbb{R}^2$ -equivariant
 ρ^k -field $\rightarrow \rho$ -field

channels



$$\rho(x)$$

$$\rho(g)\rho(g^{-1}x)$$

translation & rotational symmetries

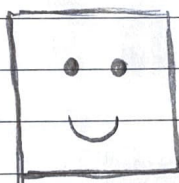
for images we might have the trivial rep

example of maze, where a rotation can lead to permuting prob of moving north, south, east, west



Ex

Image Classification



$\rightarrow \{\text{Happy, sad, ...}\}$

$$H = C_4$$

we are not including reflection

$$\rho_0\text{-field} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

↳ trivial rep - pixels don't change

$$\rho_0\text{-field} \rightarrow \rho_{reg}^{C_4} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \rho_0^2\text{-field} \rightarrow \text{global} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

pooling

↳ what does this mean?
 for model to determine equivariant mappings between ρ -fields?

↳ steerable convolution

Steerable Conv

Let's say $P_{in}\text{-field} \rightarrow P_{out}\text{-field}$ for P_{in}, P_{out} reps of $H \leq O(2)$

$(\mathbb{R}^2, +) \rtimes H$ -equivariant linear

w/
 $P_{in}: H \rightarrow GL(\mathbb{R}^{C_{in}})$ $V_{in} = \{ \cdot: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{C_{in}} \}$
 $P_{out}: H \rightarrow GL(\mathbb{R}^{C_{out}})$ $V_{out} = \{ \cdot: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{C_{out}} \}$

So: $\left. \begin{matrix} \phi: V_{in} \rightarrow V_{out} \\ p_{in} \rightarrow p_{out} \end{matrix} \right\} \mathbb{R} \rtimes H\text{-equivariant}$

Recall:

Convolution is already \mathbb{R}^2 (translation) equivariant

$$k: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{C_{out} \times C_{in}}$$

how can I choose k s.t. it is H equivariant?

So we want that $\forall f_{in} \in V_{in}, h \in H$ s.t.

$$p_{out}(x) = \int_{y \in \mathbb{R}^2} k(x-y) p_{in}(y) dy$$

$\mathbb{R}^{C_{out}} \quad \mathbb{R}^{C_{out} \times C_{in}} \quad \mathbb{R}^{C_{in}}$

LHS

$$h(k * f_{in}) = k * (h f_{in})$$

RHS

$$\begin{aligned}
 h p_{out}(x) &= p_{out}(h) p_{out}(h^{-1}x) \\
 &= p_{out}(h) \int_z k(h^{-1}x - z) p_{in}(z) dz \\
 \text{Let } z &= h^{-1}y \\
 h z &= y \\
 &= \int_y p_{out}(h) k(h^{-1}x - h^{-1}y) p_{in}(h^{-1}y) dy
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_y k(x-y) p_{in}(h) p_{in}(h^{-1}y) dy$$

$|\det(h)| = 1$
 $\hookrightarrow O(2)$ preserves area

$\forall f_{in} \in V_{in}$

$$k(x-y) p_{in}(h) = p_{out}(h) k(hx - hy)$$

$$K(x-y) \rho_{in}(h) = \rho_{out}(h) K(h^{-1}x - h^{-1}y)$$

$$K(w) = \rho_{out}(h) K(h^{-1}w) \rho_{in}(h)^{-1} \rightarrow \text{in terms of kernel}$$

can also rewrite as

$$K(hw) = \rho_{out}(h) K(w) \rho_{in}(h)^{-1}$$

Theorem Cohen et al.

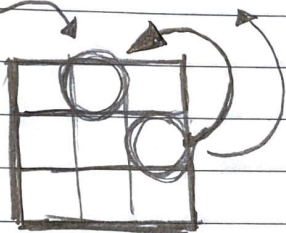
$K \mapsto K^*$ is $\mathbb{R}^2 \times H$ equivariant

iff $K(w) = \rho_{out}(h) K(h^{-1}w) \rho_{in}(h)^{-1}$

how do I solve this?!?

Easy way is to look in a book

$$K(hw) = \rho_{out}(h) K(w) \rho_{in}(h)^{-1}$$



$K(hw)$ is
 $K(w)$ after
conjugation
by some matrices

$$K(w) = \rho_{out}(h) K(w) \rho_{in}(h)^{-1}$$

some constraint
to solve for

$$K(w) \rho_{in}(h) = \rho_{out}(h) K(w)$$