Digital Image Processing

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#### Abstract

Facial makeup transfer aims to translate the makeup style from a given reference makeup face image to another non-makeup one while preserving face identity. Such an instance-level transfer problem is more challenging than conventional domain-level transfer tasks, especially when paired data is unavailable. Makeup style is also different from global styles (e.g., paintings) in that it consists of several local styles/cosmetics, including eye shadow, lipstick, foundation, and so on. Extracting and transferring such local and delicate makeup information is infeasible for existing style transfer methods. So we use the issue by incorporating both global domain-level loss and local instance-level loss in an dual input/output Generative Adversarial Network, called BeautyGAN[2]. BeautyGAN generates and outputs an image close to the makeup style of the image which show make-up style on the video image which is capture from web camera. We upload the source code in github (<https://github.com/sakurayamaki/Generating-makeup-image-with-BeautyGAN-using-web-camra/tree/master/source_code>).Please try it and enjoy by them.

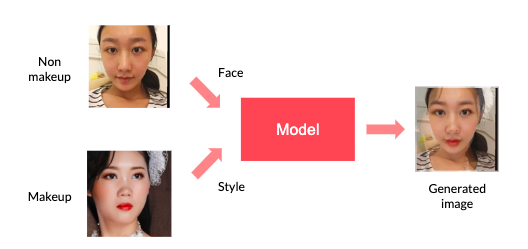
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1. **Introduction**

Live broadcasting is one of the most popular industries recently. People use live video to share their lives and some even make money from the fast growing market and also many paper concern to make-up transfer system such as [1, 2, 3, 35] are published recently. During broadcasting, face filters are often used to make you look more stylish and appealing in the live video. However, existing services only provide few pre-defined styles and might not be suitable for anyone. In this project, the ultimate goal is to make a flexible face filtering system that allows users to customize their styles by providing images or their favorite styles, and our system is able to extract the styles, such as, make-up, skin tone, and so on, and apply them to the user faces.

1. **Problem Definition**

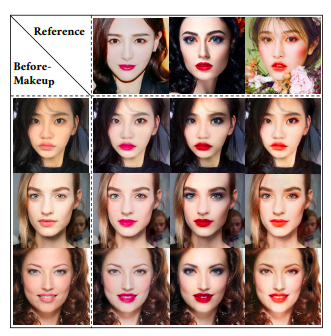
Input a target and example face, we would like to develop a model that extracts the style from the example and output the target face with the example style applied.



**Figure 1: Outline of our method.**

1. **Expected Results**

Input a sequence of video and an image of face, and we want to extract the style information from the image and apply it to the video.



**Figure 2: Example results of BeautyGAN model[2] for makeup transfer. Three makeup styles on reference images (top row) are translated to three before-makeup images (left column). Nine generated images are shown in the middle.**

1. **Related work**

**4.1 Style Transfer**

Style transfer aims to combine content and style from different images. To achieve this goal, [8] proposed a method that generated a reconstruction image by minimizing the content and the style re- construction loss. To control more information like color, scale and spatial location, an improved approach was presented in [9], where perceptual factors were introduced. The methods mentioned above could produce high-quality results but require heavy computation. [13] proposed a feed-forward network for style transfer with less computation and approximate quality.

**4.2 Generative Adversarial Networks**

Generative Adversarial Networks[10] (GANs) is one of the generative models, consisting a discriminator and a generator. GAN has been widely used in computer vision tasks due to its ability of generating visually realistic images. [17] presented a generative adversarial network for image super resolution. [6] employed conditional GAN[25] to solve particular eye in-painting problem. [27] trained adversarial models on synthetic images for improving the realism of them. [34] even enabled to incorporate user interactions to present real-time image editing, where GAN was leveraged to estimate the image manifold

* 1. **GAN for Image-to-Image Translation**

Most existing researches on image-to-image translation aim to learn a mapping from source domain to target domain. Recently, there are some promising works[4, 12, 35] applying GAN to this field. [12] proposed a so-called pix2pix framework, which could synthesize images from label maps and reconstruct objects from edge images. To solve the problem of lacking paired images for training, [22] proposed a model whose generators were bounded with weight- sharing constraints to learn a joint distribution. [35][14] presented cycle consistency loss to regularize the key attributes between inputs and translated images. StarGAN[4] even solved problem of mapping among multiple domains within one single generator. Specially, [15] introduced an encoder working with GAN for image attribute transfer.

**5. BeautyGAN**

The goal is to realize facial makeup transfer between a reference makeup image and a non-makeup image on instance-level. Consider two data collections, referring to non-makeup image domain and referring to makeup image domain with various makeup styles on. We simultaneously learn the mapping between two domains, denoted as , where ’’ represents Cartesian product. That is to say, given two images as inputs: a source image and a reference image , the network is expected to generate an after-makeup image and an anti-makeup image , denoted as . synthesizes the makeup style of while preserving the face identity of , and zreal-refizes makeup removal from . The fundamental problem is how to learn instance-level correspondence, which should ensure the makeup style consistency between result image and reference images . Note that there is no paired data for training. To address the issue, we introduce pixel-level histogram loss acted on different cosmetics. In addition, perceptual loss has been employed to maintain face identity and structure. Then we can transfer the exact makeup to the source image without the change of face structure. The proposed method is based on Generative Adversarial Networks[10], and it is convenient to integrate all loss terms into one full objective function. Adversarial losses help generate visually pleasant images and refine the correlation among different cosmetics. The details of loss functions and network architectures are shown below.

**5.1 Methodology**

Please refer to Figure 3. Consider two data collections, referring to non-makeup image domain and referring to makeup image domain. We simultaneously learn the mapping between two domains, denoted as , where ‘×’ represents Cartesian product.

The overall framework consists of one generator and two discriminators: In the formulation

, *G* accepts two images, and , as inputs and generates two translated images as outputs, and .

**5.2 Objective Function**

and contain only adversarial losses. and distinguish the generated image and from l samples in set A and set B, respectively, given by:

The full objective function of generator G contains four types of losses: adversarial loss, cycle consistency loss, perceptual loss, and makeup constrain loss,

where

**The perceptual loss**:

The perceptual loss between input images , and output images , are expressed as:

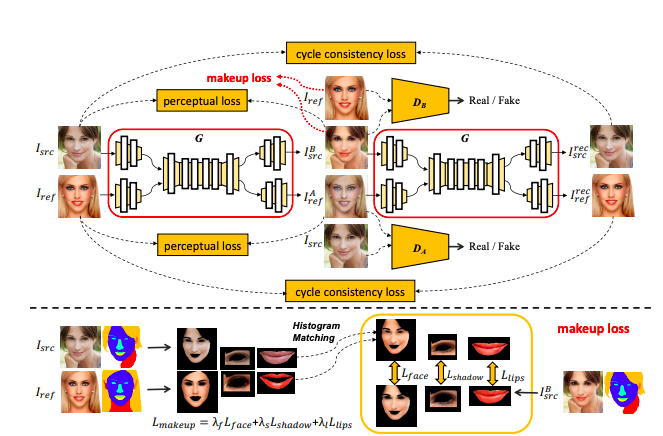
where is the activation of the filter at position *<j, k>*in layer for an image , denotes the corresponding feature maps in layer on , where . is the number of feature maps, and are height and width of each feature map, respectively.

**The cycle consistency loss:**

In order to maintain background information, we also introduce cycle consistency loss. When the output images are passed into the generator, it is supposed to generate images as close as the original input images. This procedure can be expressed as

The loss function is formulated as

where = . The distance function *dist*(·) could be chosen as norm, norm, or other metrics.

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**Figure 3: Framework of the proposed BeautyGAN [2].**

**The upper pipeline shows the overall system. accepts two images as inputs: non-makeup image** , r**eference makeup image , and generates two outputs: transferred makeup image , antimakeup image . The generated images are fed into the same to build up reconstruction results: , . There are four loss terms for training : cycle consistency loss, perceptual loss, adversarial loss (denoted as and ) and makeup loss. The lower pipeline shows the details of makeup loss. It consists of three local histogram loss terms acted on face, eye shadow and lips, respectively. We first utilize face parsing model to separate each cosmetic region of , , . Then, for each region, we employ histogram matching between and**  **to obtain a histogram remapping facial region as ground truth. The local loss term calculates pixel-level differences between such ground truth and corresponding cosmetic region of .**

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**Makeup loss:**

Makeup loss is integrated by three local histogram losses acted on lips, eye shadows, and face regions, respectively:

where , , are weight factors.

We multiply images with their corresponding binary masks and process spatially histogram matching between result image and reference image . Formally, we define local histogram loss as

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Here, ◦ denotes element-wise multiplication, and item are in set of {*lips, shadow, face*}.

1. **Instance-level Makeup Transfer**

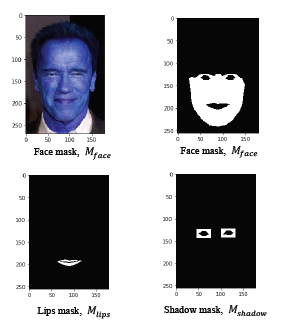
To further encourage the network to learn instance-level makeup transfer, it is essential to add constraints on makeup style consistency. We observe that facial makeup could be visually recognized as color distributions. No matter lipsticks, eye shadows or foundations, the makeup process could be mainly understood as color changing. There are various color transfer methods that can be found in the survey [7]. We employ Histogram Matching (), a straight forward method, and introduce additional histogram loss on pixel-level, which restricts the output image and the reference image to be identical in makeup style.

**Histogram loss.**

If we directly adopt loss on pixel-level histograms of two images, the gradient will be zero, owning to the indicator function, thus makes no contribution to optimization process. Therefore, we adopt histogram matching strategy that generates a ground truth remapping image in advance. Suppose that we want to calculate histogram loss on pixels between original image x and reference image y, we should first perform histogram matching on x and y to obtain a remapping image , which has the same color distribution as y but still preserves content information as . After we get it is convenient to utilize the loss between and x, then back-propagate the gradients for optimization.

**Face Parsing.**

Instead of utilizing histogram loss over the entire image, we split the makeup style into three important components – lipsticks, eye shadow, and foundation. We employ the face parsing learned model of “**shape\_predictor\_68\_face\_landmarks.dat.bz2**” to obtain face guidance mask as M = FP(x). For each input image x, pre-trained face parsing model would generate an index mask M denoting several facial locations, including lips, eyes, face skin (corresponds to foundation), hair, background, and so on. At last, for each M, we track different labels to produce three corresponding binary masks, representing for cosmetics spatiality:, , . It is important to note that eye shadows are not annotated on M, because the before-makeup images have no eye shadows. But we expect the result image to have similar eye shadow color and shape as reference image . According to eyes mask , we calculate two rectangle areas enclosing eye shadows and then exclude eyes regions, some hair and eyebrow regions in between. Thus we could create a specific binary mask representing for eye-shadows , show right below on Figure 4.

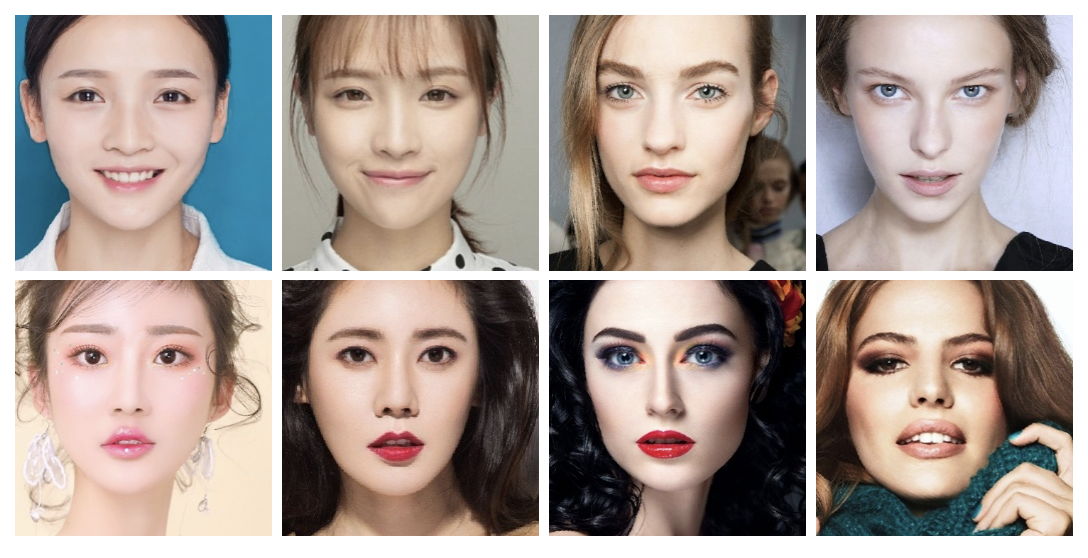


**Figure 4:**

**Extracted masks by face parsing learned model**

**7. Dataset**

We collect a new facial makeup dataset consisting of 3834 female images in total, with 1,115 non-makeup images and 2,719 makeup images. We refer to this dataset as the Makeup Transfer (***MT***) dataset. It includes some variations in race, pose, expression, and background clutter. Plenty of makeup styles have been assembled, including smoky-eyes makeup style, flashy makeup style, Retro makeup style, Korean makeup style, and Japanese makeup style, varying from subtle to heavy. Specifically, there are some nude makeup images, as for convenience, have been classified into non-makeup category.

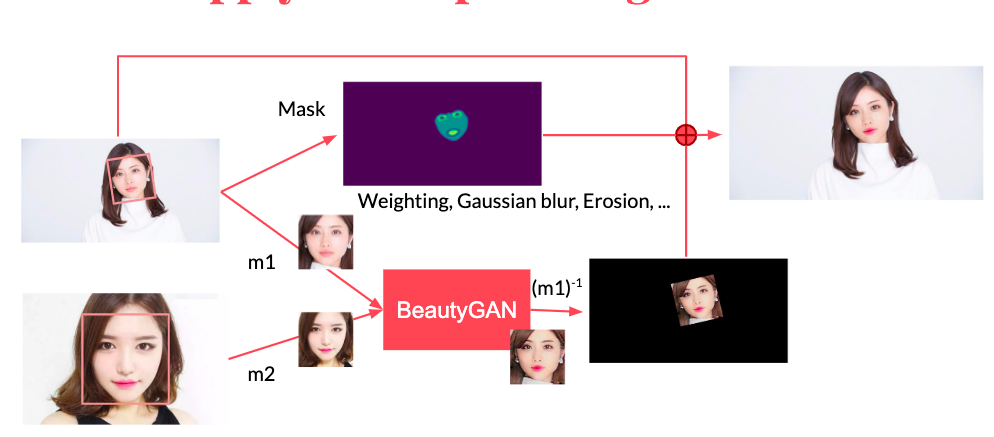


**Figure 5: The images in Dataset. The upper row images are the non-make up images, the bottom row images are make-up images.**

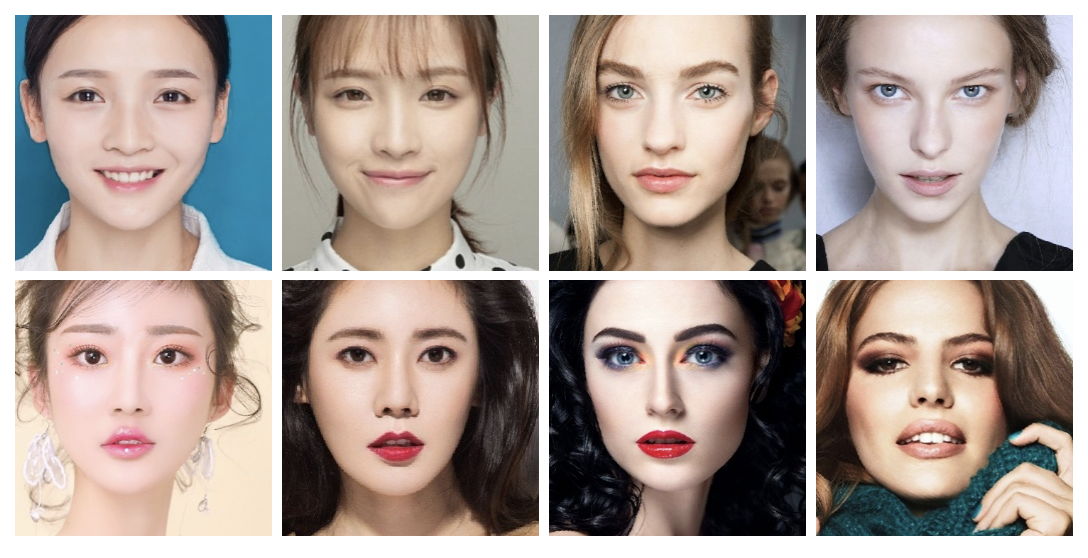
**8. EXPERIMENTS**

In this section, we depict the network architecture and training setting. All the experiments apply the same ***MT*** dataset we release. We compare performances of our method and some other baselines from both qualitative and quantitative perspectives. And we further give a thorough analysis on components of BeautyGAN.

The relu\_4\_1 feature layer of ***VGG16***[28] network is applied for identity preserving. Such VGG16 is pre-trained on ImageNet and has parameters fixed all through training process. The parameters in equations 3 and 9 are: = 1, = 10, = 0.005, = 1, = 1, = 0.1. We train the network from scratch using Adam[16] with learning rate of 0.0002 and batch size of 1.



**Figure 5: Achitecture of proposed method**



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**9. RESULT OF BEAUTYGAN**

The zoom in performance of eye makeup and lipsticks transfer are shown below on the right. We also listed one set of our generated results on the right. The last column shows the makeup transfer results.

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**Figure 6: Non-makeup image.**

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**Figure 7: Reference (makeup) image**

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**Figure 8: Fake image by BeautyGAN**

10. achitecture of OUR method

Our proposed method has 4 steps. Each step are explained as follow. We upload the source code in github(<https://github.com/sakurayamaki/Generating-makeup-image-with-BeautyGAN-using-web-camra/tree/master/source_code>)Please try it and enjoy by them.

**STEP1**: Capture image or videos from web camera am on PC and save them as jpeg or mp4 format files.

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**Figure 9: Non-makeup image**

**captured by web camera**

**STEP2**: Select one of our favor make up styled images. We prepared 5 make-up styles.



**Figure 10: 5 kind of make-up styles**

**Non-makeup image**

**STEP3**: Generate a Fake image from two images with BeautyGAN using a trained model. The steam of generating fake image is shown in Fig. 5. In order to recognize face clearly and generate detailed fake image, we extract the part of face before training with BeautyGAN. And then train image with model using extracted non-makeup image, finally we get a result image which generated face part are embedded.

**STEP4**: Save the Fake image and plot it on the screen.



**Figure 11: Selected makeup image**

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**Figure 12: Generated image on BeautyGAN[2] using non-makeup image captured by web camera**

**11. Discussion**

Discuss the images generated by BeautyGAN. First of all, Face Parsing was able to detect the face part. However, as a bad point, there is a part which can not be detected in the mouth part or the outline of the eye part is blurred. Next we will discuss the makeup feature. As a result, the skin color of the face of the makeup image is acquired and applied to the image acquired by the web camera. However, on the other hand, the color of the eye shadow has not been applied to the image acquired by the webcam. Also, with regard to the color of the lips, the color of the lips of the webcam appears lighter than the color of the lipstick in the makeup image. There is still room for improvement.

However, the result of applying BeautyGAN to the image collected from internet reflects makeup style very well. Cosmetic style transfer tends to be improved in bright environments with light.



**Makeup image on BeautyGAN**



**Makeup style image**

**Figure 13: The result of BeautyGAN on the image collected from internet.**

**12. Future work**

There are 3 remained work for now.

1. The result of makeup image using web camera isn’t good since the skin color is dark which is not fit with the bight makeup part. So intensity transfer such as gamma correction is needed as pre-processing.
2. The whole pipeline takes about 0.5 sec for a single frame, not fast enough for real-time usage.
3. Replace Dlib face parsing with NN based method to improve the result. Specifically, according to our method, as shown in Fig. 4, the result of segmented the face part does not include the forehead of the face skin part.
4. Histogram matching only preserve the make-up color tone, but the detail is ignored.

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