A landscape view of deepfake techniques and detection methods

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Abstract

Deep fakes is the process of changing the information of the image or video with different techniques and methods that start with humor and fun and sometimes reach economic, political and social goals such as counterfeiting, financial fraud or impersonation. The data for this field is still increasing at a very high rate. And therefore. The process of combating and exploring them is a very difficult task. In this paper, we conducted a review of previous studies and what researchers dealt with on the subject of deep fakes. Explain the concepts of deepfakes. Counterfeiting methods and techniques and patterns through the techniques and algorithms used in counterfeiting. Some deepfake detection algorithms.

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1. Introduction

Recent public outrage over forgeries and digital modification of videos and pictures, particularly utilizing DeepFake techniques \cite{23, 35, 46}. Phrase ”DeepFake” refers to a technique based on deep learning that generates false films in which one person’s face is swapped with that of another. The phrase gained popularity when Reddit user deepfakes claimed in late 2017 that he had created a machine learning algorithm capable of transforming celebrities’ visage into pornographic films \cite{4}. Along with false pornography, some of the more pernicious applications of this kind of material Its content fake news, frauds, And counterfeiting in economic and financial matters. As a consequence, the area of study formerly dedicated to public multimedia forensics has been revived \cite{27, 24}, with an emphasis on identifying face alteration in pictures and video \cite{10}. A portion of these reinvigorated
efforts in detecting fake faces is based on prior research on biometric spoofing [11, 29] and deep learning by data-driven [34, 8]. The rising number of seminars at key conferences demonstrates the growing in fake facial detection [38, 10].

Face manipulation’s quantity and realism have been limited by a lack of advanced editing tools, subject knowledge, and a complicated and time-consuming procedure. For example, early research on this subject [5] shown that it is possible to modify the lip movement of a speaking person by establishing links between the voice route sounds and the contour of the person’s face. However, many things have changed dramatically in the years since these early works at the moment, it has become easier to automatically create non-existent faces or manipulate a single person’s natural face in a photo/video, owing to 1) increased access to large-scale public data and 2) the development of deep learning techniques that eliminate many manual editing steps, such as automated programmers (AE) and adversarial generative networks (GAN) [22, 26].

However, in the field of facial recognition, large-scale public datasets have been scarce, and as a result, the majority of recent advancements in the community have been confined to Internet behemoths such as Facebook and Google. For instance, Google’s most current technique for facial recognition was trained using 200 million pictures and eight million unique identities. This collection is almost three orders of magnitude bigger in size than any other publicly accessible face dataset. Needless to say, most worldwide research organizations, especially those in academia, are incapable of assembling a dataset this big [38].

Facial alterations may be classified into four distinct categories based on their degree of manipulation. Each face modification group is summarized visually in Figure 1. Each of them is described below, in order of increasing manipulation difficulty:

2. Techniques of facial modification

2.1. Entire Face Synthesis

This technique produces complete face pictures that do not exist, often using a powerful GAN, such as the recently suggested StyleGAN method in [20]. These technologies provide outstanding results, resulting in high-quality face pictures that are very realistic. In Figure 1, many instances of full-face synthesis produced using StyleGAN5 are shown. This manipulation may help a variety of businesses, including video games and 3D modeling, but it can also be used maliciously, such as generating very convincing false profiles.
It is easy for a person to describe a picture, which we learn to do from a young age. Machine learning, these are discriminative classification/regression, predictions Recent advances in ML/AI models, in special learning models, in distinct forms of character communication, as demonstrated in tasks such as visual object recognition (for example, from AlexNet to ResNet to ResNet (for ImageNet classification) and detection/segmentation of objects (eg, from RCNN to YOLO in a COCO dataset), etc.

However, the reverse task of wholesaling realistic images than description is more complex and requires many years of training in graphic design. In machine learning, this is a generative task, and it is more generative complex than tasks from division, where the generative model must generate more information (for example, a complete picture at a certain level of variance) based on the data of the first smaller details.

Despite the complexity of such applications, generative (with some control) is useful in a lot of cases:

2.1.1. Content Creation
The designer seeks inspiration by ordering the algorithm to retail 20 styles of brand shoes from her “Comfort”, “Summer” and “Sentimental” batteries. New game development Create realistic avatars from a simple description.
Intelligent content-based editing: Photographer changes facial expressions, top wrinkles and hair styling in a photo with just a few clicks. get up

2.1.2. Data Augmentation
The drone developer can aggregate video data. The bank can be presented from the range of fraudulently presented types of operations poorly in the current data set

2.2. Identity Swap
This manipulation swaps a person’s face in a video with another person’s face. Typically, two methods are considered: 1) conventional methods based on computer graphics, such as FaceSwap6, and 2) new deep learning techniques dubbed DeepFakes7, such as the current ZAO smartphone application. Ultra-realistic films demonstrating this kind of modification are available on YouTube 8.

This kind of manipulation may help a variety of industries, particularly the film business; but, it can also be used for malicious reasons such as producing pornographic films of celebrities, frauds, and financial fraud, to name a few. Previously, to create a believable deep fake, hours of source video showing the target’s face were required. So, at first, its use was restricted to celebrities, politicians and other public figures. Recent advances in machine learning have allowed fakes to be created using a single image of a target and only 5 seconds of its sound. Nowadays, it is common for people to post pictures and videos of themselves on social media, which is all an attacker needs to create a realistic fake. Does that sound scary? Yes it is. The goal has changed.
This disinformation or manipulation can influence public opinion by targeting political figures by creating fake footage of them saying things they never spoke, or committing actions that were never done before. What many of those interested in this topic do not know, is that deep-fake techniques may be used in phishing operations through voice calls or video calls.

2.3. Attribute Manipulation
Its also known facial modification or facial retouching, this technique entails altering some facial characteristics such as hair or skin color, beard, gender, moustache, and age, as well as the addition of spectacles. Typically, it is done using a GAN, and the StarGAN method proposed in [7]. The
popular FaceApp smartphone application is an example of this kind of manipulation. Consumers may use this technique to virtually using on a variety of goods, including cosmetics, make-up, eyeglasses, and haircuts.

Rapid advances in "deepfake" technology are making your face just another piece of personal data that you need to protect from theft. An iPhone app that has gone viral, period, makes creating fake videos just as easy as taking selfies.

The Chinese face swapped "Zao" massively recently, and it reached the top in China’s iOS App Store, and hasn’t budged from the number one spot since then. Not bad with it ironed out over a short period.

According to US website Gizmodo, Bloomberg News reported that the app belongs to Momo Inc.

2.4. Expression Swap

Also known as facial re-enactment, this kind of manipulation involves altering a person’s facial expressions. Although many processing methods have been suggested in the literature, for example, at the picture level through standard GAN architectures [28], this category focuses on the most widely used techniques Neural-Textures and Face2Face [44, 45]. The face is the expression of a person in a video in comparison to the facial expression of another person. This kind of deception may have severe repercussions, as shown by the well-known video of Mark Zuckerberg stating things he never uttered.

Deepfake technology has been used in many ways to target people in all walks of life. Not only has it been used to create fake photos and videos of celebrities and politicians, but this technology has also been used to defraud businesses and steal their money, for example: in late 2019, a German energy company was defrauded of $220,000 after the deepfake was able to Voice imitation to create the voice of a high-profile executive character demanding immediate payment.

A spokesperson for the company’s insurance company told the Washington Post, ”The software was able to mimic the voice, not just the voice: tone, phonetic punctuation and stops, and the German accent.” Not only was the audio perfectly recreated, but the phone call was matched along with a deep fake email mimicking the targeted CEO, adding another layer of legitimacy.

Some harmful picture alterations are produced - These are created using standard photo editing programs, such as Adobe Photoshop. There is a technique for identifying a very frequent Photoshop modification - bending pictures of human faces - by training a model solely on false images produced automatically by the Photoshop software. It has been shown that the model outperforms humans at identifying altered pictures, can determine the precise site of changes, and may in certain instances be used to "undo" the modifications and recreate the original, unedited image. He shows that the technique may be used effectively to manipulate the artist’s actual picture [48].

3. Techniques for Detecting Manipulation

Several publications propose examining the internal GAN pipeline to identify artifacts associated with genuine and false pictures. For instance, the authors of [32] predict that the color of genuine camera pictures and false synthesis images is significantly different. They presented a detection method based on color characteristics and a “Linear Support Vector Machine” (SVM) for final classification, achieving a final AUC of 70.0 percent on the NIST MFC2018 dataset [12]. In this vein, [47] suggested another intriguing method. Wang, S., et al. It is hypothesized that monitoring neural behavior may also aid in identifying fake faces, since layer-by-layer neuronal activity patterns may pick up on more subtle and significant characteristics associated with face alteration.

System of detection. Their method, dubbed FakeSpotter, retrieved the neural covering behaviors of
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Figure 2: Techniques of facial modification

genuine and fake faces from deep facial recognition systems (e.g., VGG-Face \cite{17}, FaceNet \cite{17} and OpenFace \cite{38}), then trained an SVM for final classification. The authors evaluated their proposed technique using actual faces from the datasets CelebA-HQ \cite{19}, FFHQ \cite{20}, and synthetic faces produced by InterFaceGAN \cite{42} and styleGAN \cite{4141}, obtaining an accuracy of 84.7 percent for dummy identification while employing a model FaceNet. Recently, improved outcomes were reported in \cite{13}. The authors developed a method for detecting counterfeits based on convolutional effects analysis. The expectation-maximization method was used to extract the characteristics \cite{1}. For the final detection, common classifiers such as k-Nearest Neighbors (k-NN), support vector machines (SVM), and linear discriminant analysis (LDA) were employed. Their suggested method was validated using fictitious pictures produced by AttGAN \cite{15}, GDWCT \cite{6}, StarGAN \cite{7}, StyleGAN and StyleGAN2 \cite{21}, respectively.

The suggested convolutional neural network with a Y-shaped autoencoder was shown to be successful for both classification and segmentation tasks without the need of a sliding window, as classifiers often do. The exchange of information across the classification, segmentation, and re-construction activities enhanced the network’s overall performance, particularly under the mismatch condition for observed attacks. Additionally, the autoencoder may rapidly respond to previously unknown assaults by fine-tuning with a few samples \cite{36}.

McCluskey and M. Albright \cite{32} taught GANs to generate synthetic pictures that were almost indistinguishable from actual photos (in certain aspects). They examined the popular GAN application’s generation network architecture and showed that the network’s color processing is substantially different from that of the real camera in two ways. Additionally, we demonstrate how these two signals can be utilized to discriminate between GAN-generated and camera-generated pictures, showing successful discrimination between GAN images and genuine camera images used for GAN training.

One of the fastest developing phenomena is the well-known Deepfake: the ability to autonomously create and/or alter/swap a person’s face in pictures and videos using Deep Learning algorithms. It is feasible to get great outcomes by developing new multi-timedia contents that are difficult for the human eye to distinguish as genuine or false. The term “Deepfake” therefore refers to any audiovisual
material that has been synthetically changed or produced using machine learning generative models \[13\].

Generative adversarial networks, also referred to as adversarial generative networks, are a kind of machine learning network developed in 2014 by Ian Goodfellow and colleagues. Two neural networks compete in a game to practice generating fictitious data that closely resembles real data and is difficult for a human or computer observer to distinguish; The mechanism of a generative adversarial network is shown here.

Numerous recent research examined the challenge of determining whether a face is real or digitally produced. Table 1 compares the most relevant methods in this field. We provide information on the technique used, the classifiers used, the highest performance, and the datasets used in each research. The best findings for each public database are shown in bold. It is essential to note that in certain instances, other evaluation scales are used, such as the area under the curve (AUC) or the equal error rate (EER), complicating comparisons across research.

4. Conclusion

Motivated by the continued success of digital face alterations, most notably DeepFakes, this study offers a thorough overview of the subject, including information on the following:

i) face modifications of many kinds

ii) methods of face manipulation,

iii) research databases accessible to the public, and

iv) standards

for detecting each face manipulation group, providing the most representative manipulation detection methods’ main findings. By and large, the majority of contemporary facial modifications seem to.

It is very straightforward to discover false detectors in controlled settings, that is, when they are evaluated under the same conditions for which they were trained. This fact was shown in the majority of the benchmarks included in this research, with very low detection error rates. This scenario, however, may not be completely true, since fabricated images and films are often shared on
Table 1: Manipulation Detection Techniques

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social media sites, sometimes with substantial modifications such as like compression ratio, resizing, and noise, among others. Additionally, face modification methods are always evolving. These issues need further study into the false detectors’ capacity to generalize to previously unknown situations. This feature has been explored in depth in a variety of publications [34]. Future.

The study may be in line with recent studies [40, 31], since they do not need the use of fictitious films for training, allowing for a greater capacity to generalize to unseen assaults.

The proliferation of misinformation in internet material necessitates the creation of a system for identifying it. Face manipulation in videos is only one facet of a much bigger issue. We demonstrated in this study that combining a recurrent-convolutional model with a face alignment method outperforms the state-of-the-art. Additionally, we investigated several strategies for aligning and merging CNN features through recurrence. We discovered that a landmark-based face alignment combined with bidirectional-recurrent-dense performs the best for detecting face manipulation in videos [41].

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