

Deep Learning Ensemble Model for Hyperspectral Image Classification

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ABSTRACT

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Accepted : 02 March 2022 Published: 08 March 2022 Hyperspectral image catch exceptionally increasing data dimensionality about filtered objects and, henceforth, can be utilized to uncover different attributes of the materials present in the broke down scene. In any case, such picture information are hard to move because of their huge volume, and creating new ground-truth datasets that could be used to prepare regulated students is expensive, tedious, very userdependent, and regularly infeasible practically speaking. The examination endeavors have been zeroing in on creating calculations for hyperspectral information order and unmixing, which are two primary assignments in the investigation chain of such symbolism. Albeit in the two of them, the profound learning strategies have blossomed as a very viable apparatus, planning the profound models that sum up above and beyond the inconspicuous information is a not kidding viable test in arising applications. In this paper, we present the profound outfits profiting from various structural advances of convolution base models also propose another methodology towards totaling the results of base students utilizing an administered fuser.

Keywords : Ensemble , Classifier, hyperspectral , images, convolution, neural network.

I. INTRODUCTION

Hyperspectral images with many phantom channels play an increasingly more significant job in checking, biomedical also criminological [1]. In this manner, numerous well known strategies have been produced for the investigation of the hyperspectral picture. Among these techniques, profound strategies, which can separate conceptual and significant level elements, will quite often be an intriguing issue [2, 3]. In any case, the set number of preparing tests typically makes the learned model to be poor. Besides, various articles in hyperspectral picture normally show comparative unearthly highlights which make it hard to extricate discriminative elements. This spurs investigating more compelling profound models for hyperspectral picture portrayal and grouping. Profound conviction organization (DBN) [4], which can utilize the unlabeled tests for pre-preparing and afterward the accessible labeled tests for calibrating on the preprepared model, is introduced into this work for hyperspectral picture grouping. Despite the fact that DBN can exploit unlabelled information, the mind boggling and comparative ghostly data between

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various classes in hyperspectral picture actually make the learned DBN sub-par. To take care of the issue and further work on the representational capacity of the profound model, profound troupe technique is typically utilized. The profound troupe expects to get numerous decisions by isolating the preparation tests into various subsets, every one of which prepares a relating model. In any case, there actually exists numerous overt repetitiveness between the learned models and the entire presentation might even diminish due to the less of preparing tests for each model. In this work, a clever differentiated profound gathering in light of DBN is created for hyperspectral picture arrangement. We mean to differentiate the portrayal of items from different models. Earlier works have effectively proposed numerous ensemble variety techniques in numerous PC vision errands, such as regular picture division [5, 6, 7], machine interpretation [8]. In any case, the greater part of the earlier works center around differentiating different portrayal by adding earlier data as regularization. Like work [5], this work intends to energize each model to address just piece of the entire examples in the hyperspectral picture. Since each model just requirements to display less item classes, the authentic capacity of each model for these predefined classes is moved along. Accordingly, the entirety portrayal of the profound group is moved along. At long last, a exceptional data combination technique is proposed to acquire the last deduction.

II. LITERATURE SURVEY

In the past twenty years, hyperspectral images (HSIs) which acquired via different platforms have been gradually applied to different targets such as anomaly detection, land use land cover mapping and classification (Filippi et al. 2009; Jones et al. 2010). Compared with the multispectral remote sensing images, hyperspectral images have the characteristics of recording hundreds of contiguous narrow spectral bands which cover a large spectral wavelength range

from the visible to the infrared spectrum. It has double effects for the processing and applying of the HSIs. On the one hand, abundant spectral features contained within each pixel makes it possible to detect the tiny materials and subtle traits which are impossible to be observed by multispectral images acquired by Landsat TM/ ETM sensors and ASTER sensor. On the other hand, the issues of processing the high-dimension data which usually have several hundred bands brought many tough questions, for instance, the dimension reduction, feature extraction and classification (Harsanyi and Chang 1994; Lavanya and Sanjeevi 2012). Retrieval of the land use land cover (LULC) information from the HSIs using classification methods becomes one of the most important research hot areas in the field of remote sensing application (Chirici et al. 2011; Henriques et al. 2010; Huang et al. 2014; Myint et al. 2011; Pu and Landry Classification processing usually employs the features of materials, due to the fact that different materials have different reflections at a certain spectral band to identify the land use land cover type. Before extracting land use land cover information from HSIs, two issues, i.e., dimension reduction (Harsanyi and Chang 1994) and classification algorithm (Erener 2013), should be determined.

To overcome the high-dimensional problem, many dimension reduction methods have been proposed such as orthogonal subspace projection approach (Harsanyi and Chang 1994), principal component analysis (PCA) (Wei et al. 2015), linear discriminate analysis (LDA) and local linear embedding (LLE). PCA is one of the classical dimensional reduction approaches, and it tries to maximize the variance of the correlation matrix of the variables in an unsupervised way. Many classification methods have been proposed in the past thirty years trying to improve the classification among different materials such as recognition, handwriting texture classification, medical image recognition, video image classification and traffic management. There are some classical classifiers such as linear classifier, maximum likelihood

classifier and decision tree classifier (Chakraborty et al. 2016; Pu and Landry 2012), support vector machine (SVM) classifier (Gu and Sheng 2016; Gu et al. 2015; Filippi et al. 2009; Habib et al. 2009; Turker and Koc-San 2015; Volpi et al. 2013), artificial neural network classifier (Han et al. 2012; Pacifici et al. 2009). It has been found that weak classifiers such as linear classifier and maximum likelihood classifier lead to poor classification results compared with the results derived from those strong classifiers, for instance, the SVM and decision tree classifier.

Efforts to improve the classification accuracy always are made along two different ways. The first one is to modify or tune those strong classifiers such as SVM and random forest classifier. Based on the margin maximization principle, SVM approaches have been proved particularly promising for the mapping of land use land cover from remotely sensed images (Huang and Zhang 2010, 2013; Huang et al. 2014). The principle provided an opportunity for us to modify or generalize it further to improve the performance of classification under different conditions (Ghoggali and Melgani 2008; Gu and Sheng 2016; Gu et al. 2015; Filippi et al. 2009; Habib et al. 2009; Turker and Koc-San 2015; Volpi et al. 2013). Meanwhile, ensemble classification is another way which tries to assemble the classification results derived from multiple weak classifiers. Weak classifiers, such as linear classifier, extreme learning machine, artificial neural network, usually generate poor classification results. However, it had been verified that higher classification accuracy could be attained through the ensemble classification. Ensemble Classification Ensemble classification is a relatively novel strategy proposed in the past twenty years (Zhang et al. 2016; Chi et al. 2009; Han et al. 2012; Henriques et al. 2010; Huang and Zhang 2013) which integrate multiple weak classifiers to get an improved classification results compared with the results of a single classifier. Three levels of ensemble method could be concluded: data-level combination, featurelevel combination and classifier-level combination. Data-level combination means to resample different

training data sets for base classifiers, and then the results are combined to get the final results. Featurelevel combination refers to the randomly selection of different feature subsets and the combination of classification results. Classifierlevel combination suggests that different or same types of classifiers are trained using same data sets and combined to obtain classifier results (Uslu et al. 2016). Flexibility and higher accuracy of ensemble classification attracted many researchers to explore its application in many fields. Many researches about ensemble learning and classification focus on the strategy of training different weak classifiers such as artificial neural network classifier and linear classifier

III. DATASET

ROSIS Pavia University Hyperspectral Image: Reflective optics spectrographic image system (ROSIS) Pavia University hyperspectral image was acquired with ROSIS optical sensor which provides 115 bands with a spectral range coverage ranging from 0.43 to 1 μ . The spatial resolution is 1.3 m. The each image has pixels with 103 spectral channels and 9 classes were considered.



Table-1 : Class and sample description ROSISPavia University Hyperspectral Image

Kennedy Space Center (KSC) Hyperspectral Image: KSC hyperspectral image shown in Fig. 1(e) was acquired with airborne visible/infrared imaging spectrometer (AVIRIS) sensor over the Kennedy Space Center (KSC), Florida, USA, on March 23, 1996. This image has 224 bands from 400 to 2500 nm and the



spatial resolution is 18 m. After removing water absorption and low signal-to-noise (SNR) bands, it has pixels with 176 bands. Thirteen classes are used for this site.



Table-2 : Class and sample description Kennedy

Space Center (KSC) Hyperspectral Image Salinas Hyperspectral Image: Salinas scene shown was collected by the 224-band AVIRIS sensor over Salinas Valley, California, and is characterized by high spatial resolution (3.7-m pixels). The area covered comprises 512 lines by 217 samples. After discarding the 20 water absorption bands (108–112, 154–167, 224), 204 bands are used for classification. There are 16 classes in the ground truth image.

| Class | Description | GT Color | Number of Samples |
|-------|-------------|----------|-------------------|
| 1 | Broccoli 1 | | 2009 |
| 2 | Broccoli 2 | | 3726 |
| 3 | Fallow 1 | | 1976 |
| 4 | Fallow 2 | | 1394 |
| 5 | Fallow 3 | | 2678 |
| 6 | Stubble | | 3959 |
| 7 | Celery | | 3579 |
| 8 | Grapes | | 11,271 |
| 9 | Soil | | 6203 |
| 10 | Corn | | 3278 |
| 11 | Lettuce 1 | | 1068 |
| 12 | Lettuce 2 | | 1927 |
| 13 | Lettuce 3 | | 916 |
| 14 | Lettuce 4 | | 1070 |
| 15 | Vineyard 1 | | 7268 |
| 16 | Vineyard 2 | | 1807 |
| Total | | | 54,129 |

Table-3 : Class and sample description Salinas Hyperspectral Image

The Indian Pines (IP) images: It has images with 145 \times 145 spatial dimension and 224 spectral bands in the wavelength range of 400 to 2500 nm, out of which 24 spectral bands covering the region of water absorption have been discarded. The ground truth available is designated into 16 classes of vegetation.

| Class | Description | GT Color | Number of Samples |
|-------|------------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| 1 | Alfalfa | | 46 |
| 2 | Corn-notill | | 1428 |
| 3 | Corn-mintill | | 830 |
| 4 | Corn | | 237 |
| 5 | Grass-pasture | | 483 |
| 6 | Grass-trees | | 730 |
| 7 | Grass-pasture-mowed | | 28 |
| 8 | Hay-windrowed | | 478 |
| 9 | Oats | | 20 |
| 10 | Soybean-notill | | 972 |
| 11 | Soybean-mintill | | 2455 |
| 12 | Soybean-clean | | 593 |
| 13 | Wheat | | 205 |
| 14 | Woods | | 1265 |
| 15 | Buildings-Grass-Trees-Drives | | 386 |
| 16 | Stone-Steel-Towers 2 | | 93 |
| Total | | | 10,249 |



IV. PROPOSED METHOD

Multidimensional Convolution Neural Network (MCNN), Recurrent Convolution Neural Network (RCNN) and Multi-Dimensional Recurrent Neural Network (MDRNN) To verify the generalization abilities of both spectral and spectral-spatial CNNs, we investigate three convolution architectures that are gathered in Table 1. The spectral network (referred to as Multidimensional Convolution Neural Network (MCNN), this model performs the pixel-wise classification) is inspired by [33], whereas two spectralspatial CNNs are denoted as Recurrent Convolution Neural Network (RCNN) and Multi-Dimensional Recurrent Neural Network (MDRNN) (these models perform the patch-wise classification of the central pixel in the corresponding patch, and the patch sizes



for Recurrent Convolution Neural Network (RCNN) for specific datasets were taken as suggested in). Although both Recurrent Convolution Neural Network (RCNN) and Multi-Dimensional Recurrent Neural Network (MDRNN) models benefit from the spectral and spatial information while classifying the central pixel in an input patch, Multi-Dimensional Recurrent Neural Network (MDRNN) can capture fine-grained spectral relations within the hyperspectral cube, as it exploits small $(3 \times 3 \times 3)$ convolution kernels. It is in contrast to Recurrent Convolution Neural Network (RCNN) whose kernels span the entire spectrum, i.e., λ bands in the first convolution layer.

Multidimensional Convolution Neural Network Classifier

Input: TCRC: base classifier, T: the number of classifiers $X \in \mathbf{R}^{N*M}$: Input training set and their label \mathbf{c} , λ , η : regularized parameter; y: testing sample, Δy : difference vector of y, ΔX : difference vector of XWeight initialization: $D_1(i) = 1/M, i = 1, 2, \dots, M$ For t = 1 to T Get new sample X^t under distribution D_t Construct new dictionary D^t by X^t Train TCRC using new sample D^t according to Eqs. (8-11) Calculate ε_t and b_t : $d_t = \|X + \Delta X \beta^t - D_c^t \alpha_c^t\|_2^2 - \min \|X + \Delta X \beta^t\|$ $-\boldsymbol{D}_{i}^{t}\alpha_{i}^{t}\|_{2}^{2}$ $\varepsilon_t = \operatorname{dot}(D_t, d_t)$ and $b_t = \max |d_t|$ Calculate the residual error of y: $r_m(\mathbf{y}) = \|\mathbf{y} + \Delta \mathbf{y} \boldsymbol{\beta}^t - \boldsymbol{D}_m^t \boldsymbol{\alpha}_m^t \|_2^2, m = 1, 2, \dots K$ Choose ∂_t as: $\partial_t = \max\{(1/2b_t)\}$ $\log((b_t - \varepsilon_t)/b_t + \varepsilon_t)), 0\}$ update the weight $D_{t+1}(i) = (D_t(i))/(Z_t)e^{\partial_t d_t}$ where Z_t is the normalization factor **End for:** The weights $\{\boldsymbol{\partial}_t\}_{t=1}^T$ after normalization **Classification**: class(\mathbf{y}) = arg min $\sum_{i=1,2...K}^{T} \partial_{t} \| \mathbf{y} + \Delta \mathbf{y} \boldsymbol{\beta}^{t}$ $-\boldsymbol{D}_{i}^{t} \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{i}^{t} \|_{2}^{2}$

| Model | Layer | Parameters | Activation |
|-------|-------|--|------------|
| | Conv1 | k: 200@ $(1 \times 1 \times 6)$ | ReLU |
| | Conv2 | s: $1 \times 1 \times 1$ k: $200@(1 \times 1 \times 6)$ s: $1 \times 1 \times 3$ | ReLU |
| MCNN | Conv3 | $k: 200@(1 \times 1 \times 6)$ | ReLU |
| | Conv4 | s: $1 \times 1 \times 2$ k: $200@(1 \times 1 \times 6)$ s: $1 \times 1 \times 2$ | ReLU |
| | FC1 | # × 192 | ReLU |
| | FC2 | 192×150 | ReLU |
| | FC3 | 150 	imes c | Softmax |
| | Conv1 | $200@(w - 3 \times w - 3 \times \lambda)$ | ReLU |
| RCNN | MP1 | 2 × 2 | |
| KCINI | Conv2 | $200@(2 \times 2 \times 200)$ | ReLU |
| | Conv3 | $c@(2 \times 2 \times 200)$ | Softmax |
| | Conv1 | $24@(3 \times 3 \times 3)$ | ReLU |
| | Conv2 | $24@(3 \times 3 \times 3)$ | ReLU |
| | Conv3 | $24@(3 \times 3 \times 3)$ | ReLU |
| MDRNN | FC1 | # × 512 | ReLU |
| | FC2 | 512×256 | ReLU |
| | FC3 | 256×128 | ReLU |
| | FC4 | $128 \times c$ | Softmax |

Table-5 : Configuration of MultidimensionalConvolution Neural Network Classifier

V. CONCLUSION

Deep learning approaches have turned into a laid out apparatus in both hyperspectral image information order and unmixing, yet the absence of ground-truth information is a significant hindrance, which hampers the reception of such huge limit students and makes their speculation capacities problematic in We presented applications. commonsense the profound gatherings for HSI examination that not just advantage from various profound design progresses catching unearthly and ghastly spatial qualities inside the info HSI yet additionally from administered students going about as effective fusers of base models.. The hyperspectral images contain wide band of information available as the spatial and spectral information. These features serve better for implementation of the accurate and real time image classification and object detection applications. These are certain challenges that are addressed including the high dimensional data and the limitation of the training data for making the system learn the image classification and performing object detection. The Ensemble deep learning approach for the image classification of hyperspectral images is proposed with the view to improve the accuracy of image classification over homogeneous and heterogeneous



data sets of hyperspectral Images. The proposed ensemble learning method is applied for improving the class boundary and the help in real time object recognition and detection in hyperspectral images.

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