

USTC-NVIE Database Release Agreement

The Key Laboratory of Computing and Communication Software of Anhui Province (CCSL) has constructed the USTC-NVIE(Natural Visible and Infrared facial Expression) database under the sponsor of the 863 project of China. The goals to construct the USTCNVIE database are the followings:

(1) Providing the worldwide researches of expression recognition community with a large-scale natural visible and infrared facial expression images for training and evaluating their algorithm.

(2) Advancing the state-of-the-art expression recognition technologies aiming at practical applications especially for the oriental.

The USTC-NVIE Database is now accessible for only research purpose. The CCSL is serving as the technical agent for distribution of the database and reserves the copyright of all the images in the database. Any researcher who requests the USTC-NVIE database must sign this agreement and thereby agree to obey the restrictions listed in the following:

1. All images will be used for the scientific research purpose only. The USTC-NVIE database will never be used for any commercial purpose in any form.

2. The database will not be further distributed, published, copied, or further disseminated in any way or form whatsoever, whether for profit or not. This includes further distributing, copying or disseminating to a different facility or organizational unit in the requesting university, organization, or company, otherwise, you shall bear all the legal consequences arising therefrom.

3. All technical papers, documents and reports which use the USTC-NVIE database will acknowledge the use of the database as follows: "The research in this paper use the USTC-NVIE database collected by CCSL of China" and a citation to "Shangfei Wang, Zhilei Liu, Siliang Lv, Yanpeng Lv, Guobing Wu, Peng Peng, Fei Chen, Xufa Wang, A Natural Visible and Infrared Facial Expression Database for Expression Recognition and Emotion Inference, IEEE Transactions on Multimedia, VOL. 12, No. 7, Page(s): 682-691, NOVEMBER 2010" should be added into the references. And a copy of the published paper, reports and other documents that uses the USTC-NVIE database will be forwarded to the CCSL.

4. The final explanation of this agreement refers to CCSL of USTC.

5. The release agreement needs your tutor's signature and department's seal.

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