REU: Week 8

Scene Motion Patterns from Optical Flow

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This week

Problems with Kernel Density Estimation

- Requires all data points to be saved
- 11,000 frames, >30,000 data points per frame
- Possible hierarchical model
 - 1. Short clip of frames (10 frames)
 - 2. Related motion over multiple clips (making a turn, going straight)
 - 3. Periodic motion patterns

Clustering

- (x,y,u,v) points from 10 frames
- K-means
- Ellipses spatial extent of cluster (2 SD)



Finding similar clusters



Horizontal example



Vertical example



Thoughts

- Low-level clustering
 - Results appear meaningful
 - Simpler representation
- Next step in hierarchical model
 - Find consistent motions over consecutive time clips (not hard)
 - Identify these as recurring patterns (hard)