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SUPLLEMENTARY MATERIAL FOR DATASET

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The dataset is comprised of four CSV files, one for each of the playback interactions that were triggered while the video was being played. The dataset contains 7424 videos in total. Among these videos, 2030 had no interactions (dataset NoInteraction), 1749 had a single pause (dataset Pause), 1808 had a single seek during video playback (dataset Seek), and 1837 were abandoned prior to completion (dataset Abandon). Each file includes both application data (information downloaded from the mobile application) and network traffic statistics (derived from traffic and used as features in machine learning training). The data for each second of the video session (one row) contains all application layer data and network traffic statistics for that second or aggregated values from the beginning of the video session to that second of video playback.

APPLICATION DATA

videoID video identifier interval timestamp

interaction interaction type (null/pause/seek)

bitrate video bitrate in kbps

resolution video resolution (144/240/360/480/720/1080/1440)

buffer miliseconds of video stored in the buffer

frame number of frames dropped and the number of displayed frames

bitrate2 video bitrate (low/high)

resolution3 video resolution (low/medium/high)

resolution2 video resolution (sd/hd) stall1 video stalling (n/y)

stall2 video stalling occurred due to seek interaction and initial delay (n/y)

interaction_occured has interaction occurred (n/y)



NETWORK TRAFFIC STATISTICS (FEATURES)

All features come in downlink traffic (dl) and uplink traffic (ul) variants. wN denotes window-based features, where N can be 1,2,3,5,10, or 20. The notation for slotted features is slN, where N is either 1,5, or 10. Statistical methods such as mean, median, minimum, maximum, standard deviation, skewness, kurtosis, and variance are used to derive each feature.

pckt_count_wN packet count (in the last N seconds)

pckt_count_gt100 packet count where all the packets smaller than 100B are

ignored (in the last N seconds)

active_time_wN percentage of the window that is used for transmission (in

the last N seconds)

pckt_size_wN packet size (in the last N seconds)

pckt_size_gt100_wN packet size where all packets smaller than 100B are ignored

(in the last N seconds)

iat_wN interarrival time of packets (in the last N seconds)

throughput_wN throughput (in the last N seconds)

slN_pckt_size slotted packet size

slN_pckt_size_gt100 slotted packet size where all the packets smaller than 100B

are ignored

slN_throughput slotted throughput

distribution_iat interarrival time of packets from video start to this exact

timestamp

distribution_pckt_num packet count from video start to this exact timestamp

distribution_pckt_num_gt100 packet count from video start to this exact timestamp where

all packets smaller than 100B are ignored

RELEVANT FEATURES FOR MACHINE LEARNING MODELS

SESSION-BASED CLASSIFICATION MODELS

Average video bitrate in 2 classes

'sl5_variance_dl_pckt_size_gt100',
'sl1_min_ul_pckt_size',
'sl5_mean_ul_pckt_size',
'sl10_stdev_ul_pckt_size',
'sl5_min_dl_throughput',
'sl10_variance_ul_throughput',
'min_distribution_dl_iat',
'variance_distribution_ul_iat',



'min_distribution_ul_iat',

'min_distribution_ul_pckt_num'

Averge video bitrate in 3 classes

'sl5_min_dl_pckt_size',

'sl1_mean_dl_pckt_size_gt100',

'sl5_min_dl_pckt_size_gt100',

'sl1_min_ul_pckt_size',

'sl10_variance_ul_pckt_size',

'sl10_stdev_ul_pckt_size',

'sl5_min_dl_throughput',

'sl5_min_ul_throughput',

'min_distribution_dl_pckt_num',

'median_distribution_ul_pckt_num_gt100'

Longest played resolution in 3 classes

'sl1_mean_dl_pckt_size',
'sl10_median_dl_pckt_size',
'sl5_skewness_dl_pckt_size_gt100',
'sl1_min_ul_pckt_size_gt100',
'sl1_min_dl_throughput',
'sl5_min_dl_throughput',
'sl1_min_ul_throughput',
'min_distribution_dl_iat',
'min_distribution_ul_pckt_num',
'min_distribution_ul_pckt_num_gt100'



Longest played resolution in 6 classes

sl1_kurtosis_dl_pckt_size',
'sl5_kurtosis_dl_pckt_size',
'sl1_max_dl_pckt_size_gt100',
'sl1_min_dl_pckt_size_gt100',
'sl5_variance_ul_pckt_size',
'sl10_min_ul_pckt_size',
'sl1_min_ul_pckt_size_gt100',
'variance_distribution_dl_iat',
'min_distribution_dl_iat',
'min_distribution_ul_pckt_num_gt100'

Stalling occurred in 2 classes

'sl1_variance_dl_pckt_size',
'sl10_min_ul_pckt_size_gt100',
'sl1_stdev_dl_throughput',
'sl1_min_dl_throughput',
'sl10_variance_dl_throughput',
'sl10_stdev_dl_throughput',
'max_distribution_dl_iat',
'max_distribution_ul_pckt_num',
'max_distribution_dl_pckt_num_gt100',
'variance_distribution_ul_pckt_num_gt100'



REAL-TIME CLASSIFICATION MODELS

<u>Bitrate in 2 classes</u>

'sl10_max_dl_throughput'
'max_distribution_dl_pckt_num_gt100'
'sl1_mean_dl_pckt_size'
'sl5_mean_dl_pckt_size'
'sl5_median_dl_pckt_size'
'sl10_median_dl_throughput'
'sl1_variance_dl_throughput'
'sl1_max_dl_throughput'
'sl5_stdev_dl_throughput'
'sl10_max_ul_throughput'

Bitrate in 3 classes

'max_distribution_dl_pckt_num_gt100'
'sl1_max_dl_throughput'
'variance_distribution_dl_pckt_num'
'sl10_max_dl_throughput'
'sl10_max_dl_pckt_size_gt100'
'sl1_variance_dl_throughput'
'sl5_stdev_dl_throughput'
'sl5_max_dl_throughput'
'sl10_median_dl_pckt_size_gt100'
'mean_distribution_dl_pckt_num'



Resolution in 3 classes

'max_distribution_dl_pckt_num_gt100'
'sl1_max_dl_throughput'
'variance_distribution_dl_pckt_num'
'sl10_max_dl_throughput'
'sl10_max_dl_pckt_size_gt100'
'sl1_variance_dl_throughput'
'sl5_stdev_dl_throughput'
'sl5_max_dl_throughput'
'sl10_median_dl_pckt_size_gt100'
'mean_distribution_dl_pckt_num'

Resolution in 6 classes

'max_distribution_dl_pckt_num_gt100'
'sl10_max_dl_throughput'
'sl10_median_dl_pckt_size_gt100'
'variance_distribution_dl_pckt_num'
'sl5_mean_dl_pckt_size'
'sl5_median_dl_pckt_size'
'sl1_variance_dl_throughput'
'sl1_max_dl_throughput'
'sl5_stdev_dl_throughput'
'sl5_max_dl_throughput'

Stalling occurred in 2 classes

'max_distribution_dl_pckt_num_gt100'
'sl1_max_dl_throughput'

