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Motivation

- **activities recognition** by automated systems lead to improvements in our life
- approaches build on intelligent infrastructures or use of **computer vision**
- current monitoring solutions are not feasible for a **long-term implementation**

Activity recognition using on-body sensing

Common Ideas
Paper 1 and 2

1. Segmentation



Interesting NULL

2. Classification

Classifier A:

“He sleep” - 80%
“He learn” - 20%

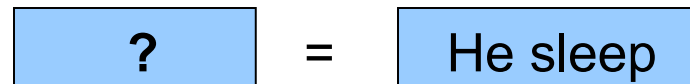
Classifier B:

“He sleep” - 75%
“He learn” - 25%



3. Fusion

Classifier A + Classifier B:



- on-body sensors are deployed strategically
- the **selection of features** and event **detection thresholds** play a key role
- prior training from data is required
- to analyze the recognition performance, **Precision** and **Recall** metrics were used

- the goal of each recognition approach is to find with higher accuracy **true positive** events
- high impact of false positive and false negative events

		hypothesis class			
		<i>a</i>	...	<i>z</i>	<i>Null</i>
true class	<i>a</i>	Correct _{<i>a</i>}	Substitution		
		FN
	<i>z</i>	Substitution		Correct _{<i>z</i>}	
	<i>Null</i>		FP		TN

Multiclass Confusion Matrix

- **Classification of NULL** is a tough problem for any classifier
- Different fusion methods are used for accurate classification:
 - a) comparison of Top Choices (COMP)
 - b) methods based on class rankings
 - Highest rank (HR)
 - Borda Count
 - Logistic Regression (LR)
 - c) agreement of the detectors (AGREE)

Activity Recognition of Assembly Tasks

Paper 1



- recognize the use of different tools involved in an assembly task in a wood workshop
- recognize of activities that are characterized by a hand **motion** and an accompanying **sound**

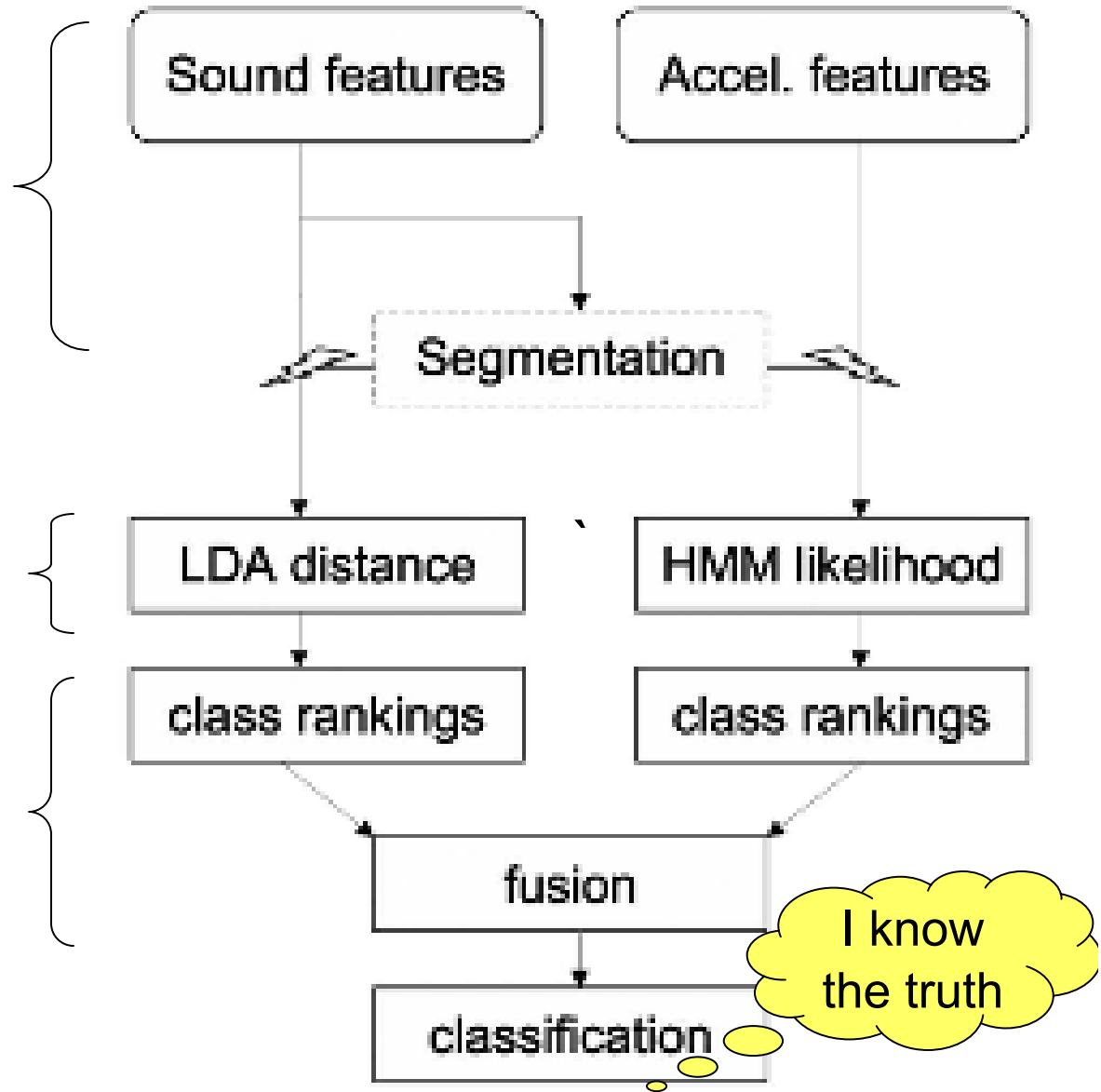


- microphones and accelerometers as on-body sensors

Broken up into segments

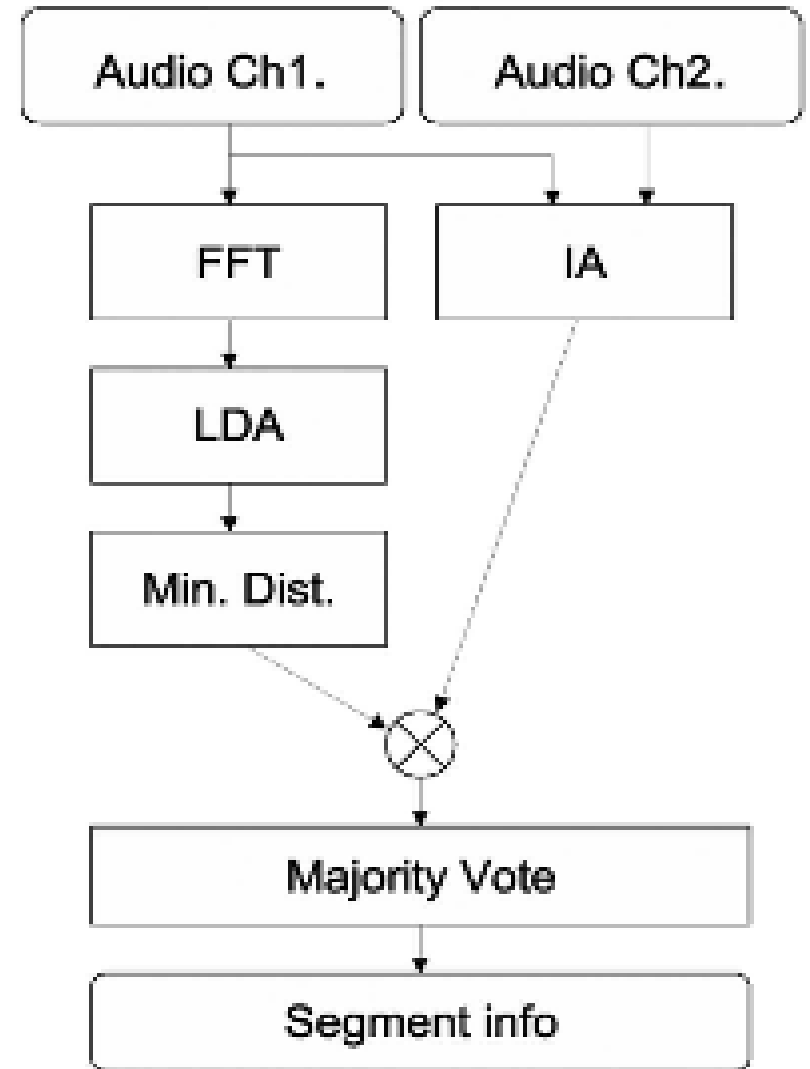
LDA distance and HMM likelihood, carried out over these segments

Covert into class ranking; combine using fusion methods

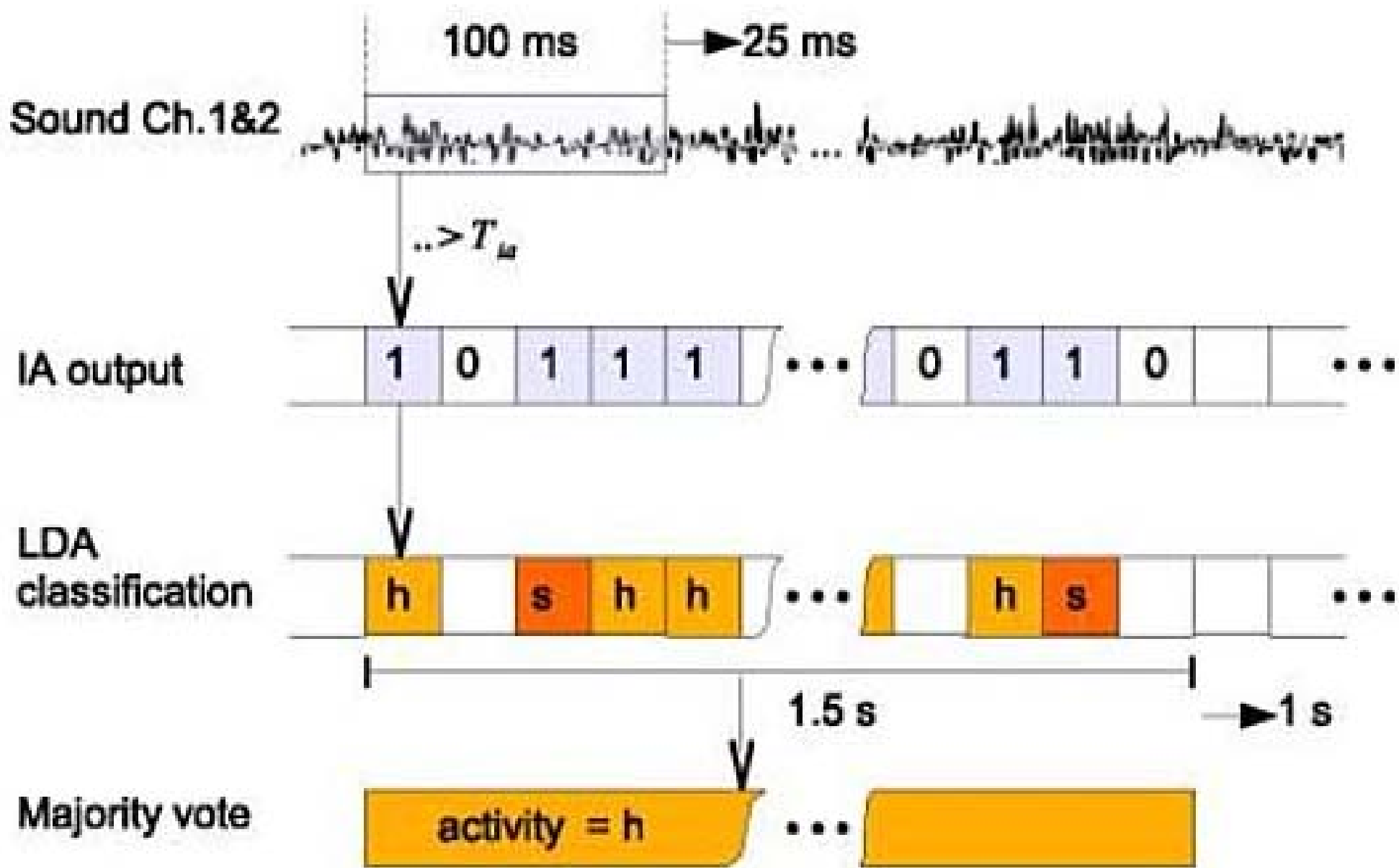


Overall recognition process

- **Sound analysis** used to identify relevant segments
- Using only IA produce fragmented results
- A different method of “smoothing” using majority vote was applied
- A relatively large window (1.5 s) was chosen to reflect the typical timescale of interest activities



Sound based segmentation

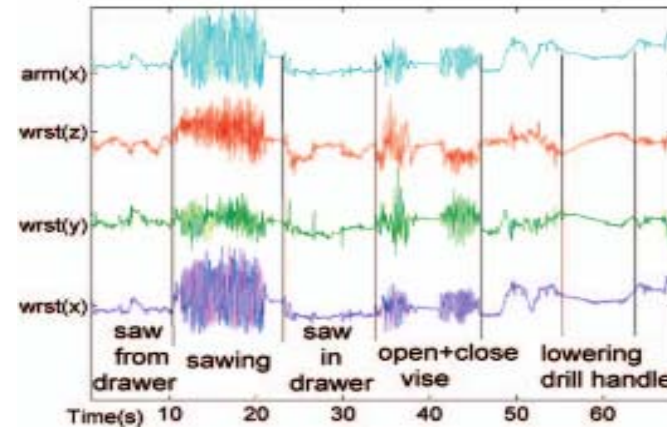


sound classification

need when higher information about a segment is required

use the LDA distances;
provides a **list of class distance** for each segment

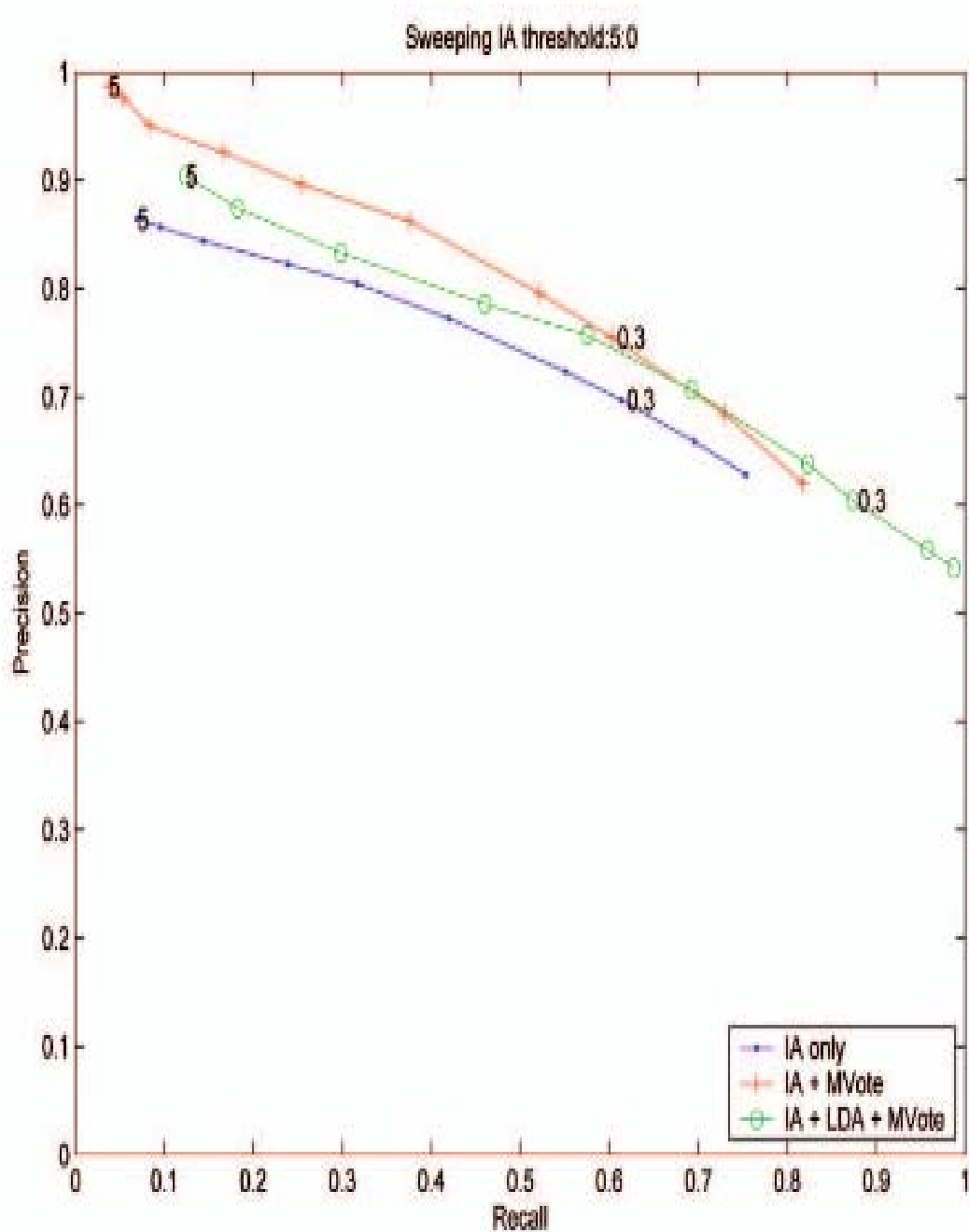
acceleration classification



combination of features used to feed the HMM models

provides a **list of HMM likelihoods** for each segment

Fusion



Segmentation Results

$$Recall = \frac{\text{true positive time}}{\text{total positive time}} = \frac{TP}{TP+FN};$$

$$Precision = \frac{\text{true positive time}}{\text{hypothesized positive time}} = \frac{TP}{TP+FP};$$

Class (s)	Sound		Accel.		COMP		LR	
	%R	%P	%R	%P	%R	%P	%R	%P
hammer (196)	92	74	93	79	92	94	92	93
saw (306)	90	87	90	80	88	95	93	90
file (305)	77	80	80	82	65	94	82	90
drill (242)	95	54	99	41	95	64	96	59
sand (313)	82	67	87	92	77	93	83	94
grind (278)	83	69	63	66	62	80	75	73
screw.(260)	52	20	53	87	51	86	53	81
vise (678)	65	55	74	49	61	69	73	53
drawer (659)	86	47	88	39	69	51	87	39
Pos.Average%	76	62	76	68	73	79	78	74
NULL(2778)	33	69	33	69	69	67	42	69

Continuous R and P for each Positive Class and the Average of These;
User-Dependent Case

Continuous Time Results:

$$Recall = \frac{\text{correct positive time}}{\text{total positive time}} = \frac{\text{correct}}{TP+FN};$$

$$Precision = \frac{\text{correct positive time}}{\text{hypothesized positive time}} = \frac{\text{correct}}{TP+FP};$$

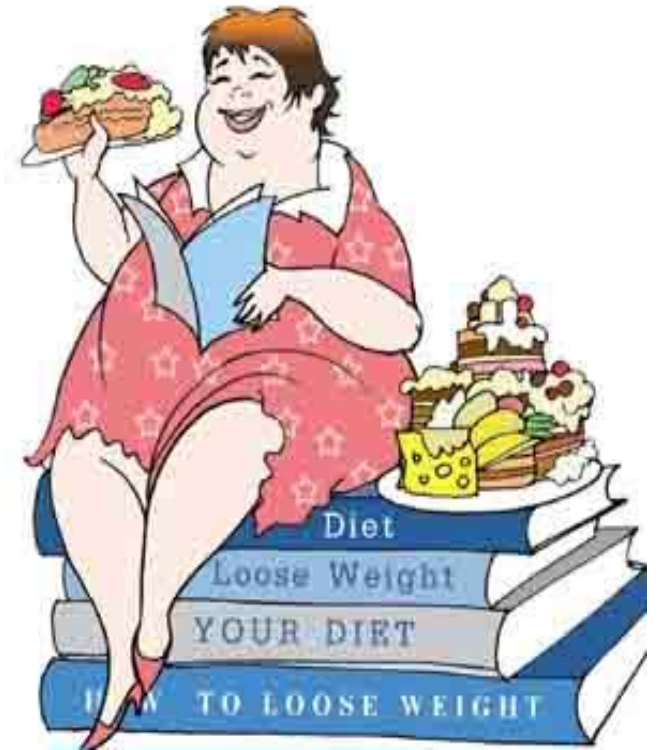
Three methods of evaluation:

- user-dependent
- user-independent (most severe)
- user-adapted

Lessons Learned

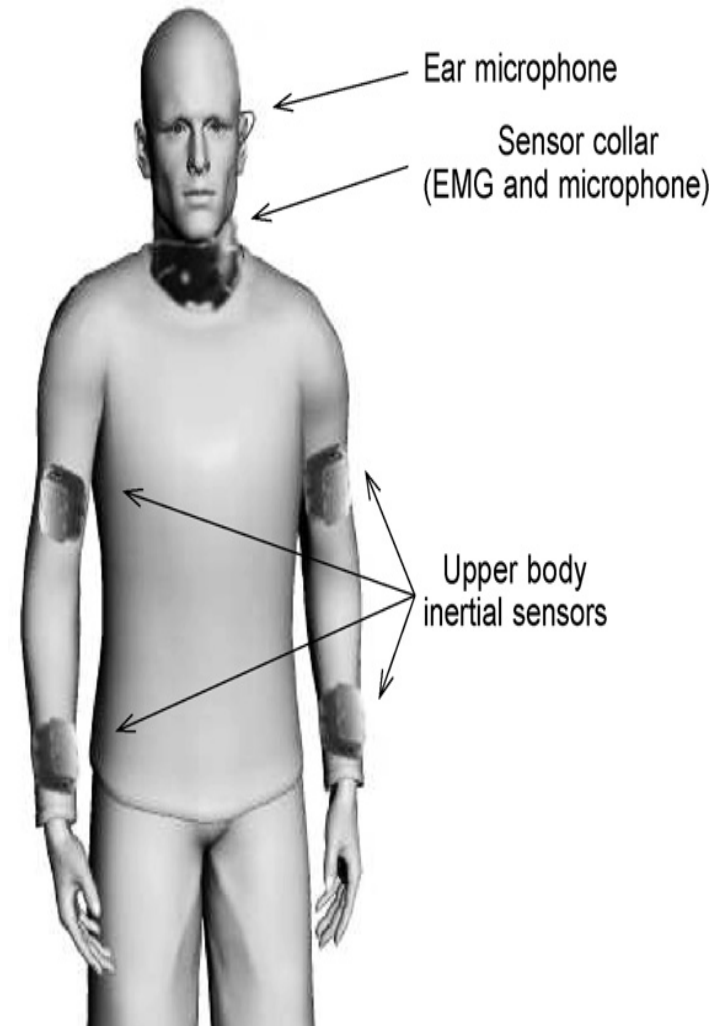
- using intensity differences works relatively well for detection of activities; however, short fragmented segments (apply **smoothing**)
- activities are better recognized using a **fusion of classifiers**
- less performance in **user independent case**; fused classifiers solve this problem.

- over one billion of overweight and 400 mil obese patients worldwide
- several key risk factors have been identified, controlled by **dieting behavior**
- **minimizing individual risk factors** is a preventive approach to fight the origin of diet-related diseases



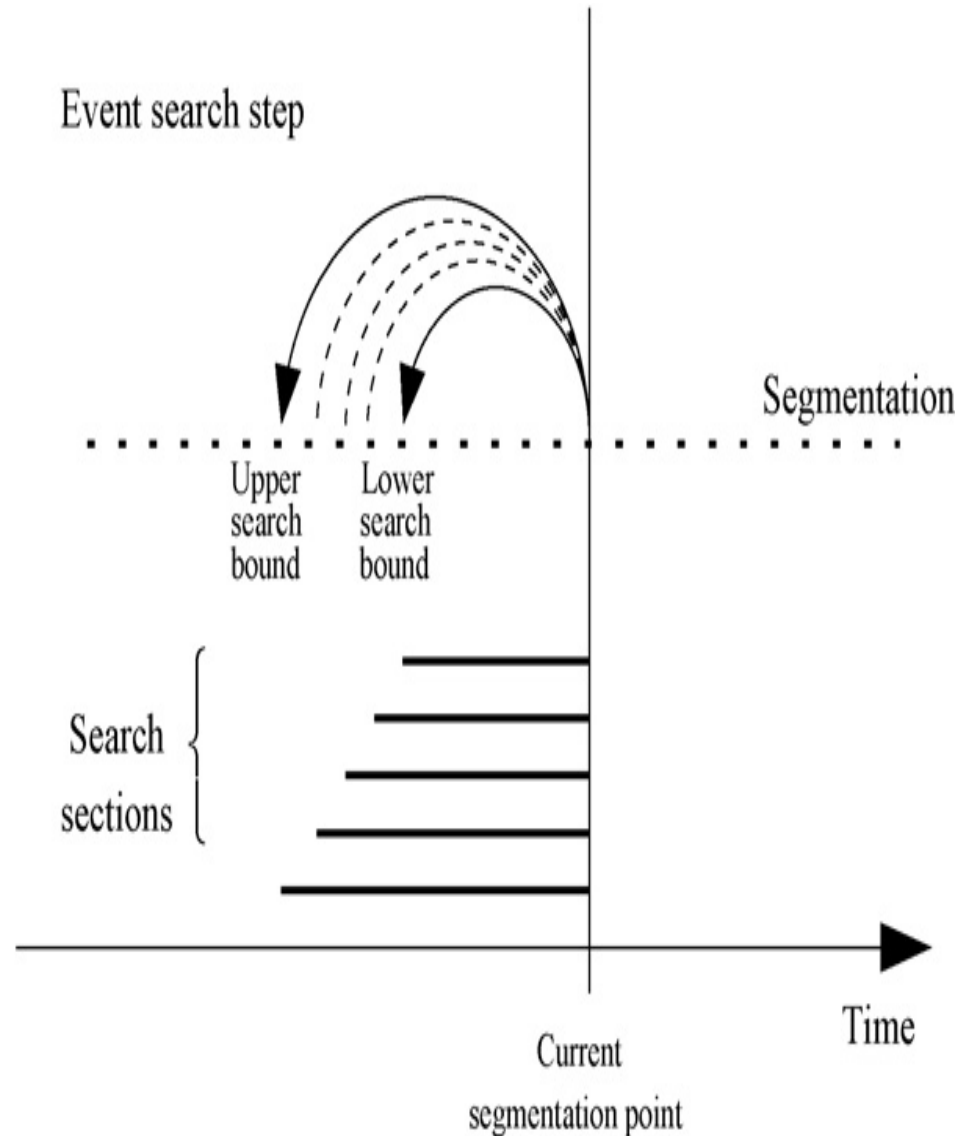
Three aspects of dietary activity

- characteristic arm and trunk **movements** associated with the intake of foods
- **chewing** of foods, recording the food breakdown sound
- **swallowing** activity



Sensor positioning at the body

- **Segmentation**
using a fixed distance; manually
annotation of events
- **Classification**
similarity-based algorithm
- **Fusion**
COMP, AGREE, LR
use of confidence



Performance measurement

$$\textit{Recall} = \frac{\textit{Recognised events}}{\textit{Relevant events}};$$

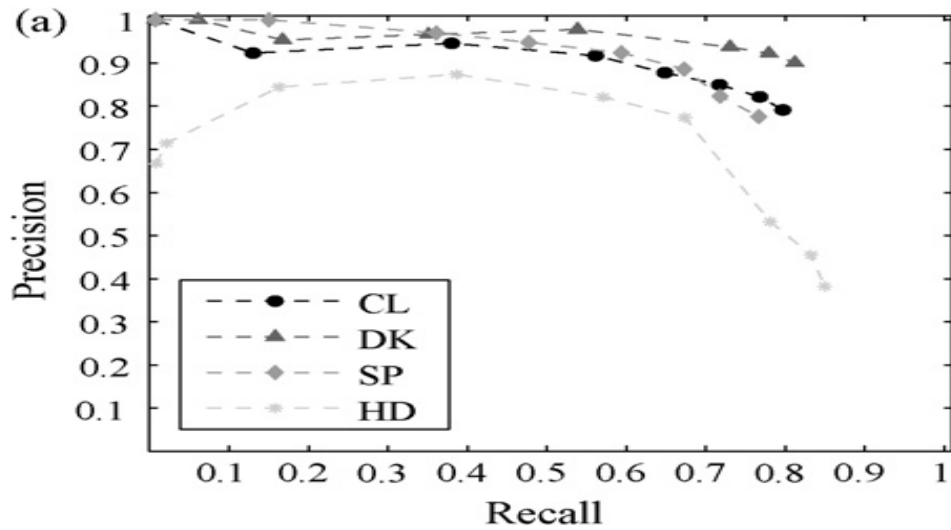
$$\textit{Precision} = \frac{\textit{Recognised events}}{\textit{Retrieved events}};$$

R = 1 => perfect accuracy

P = 1 => 0 insertion errors



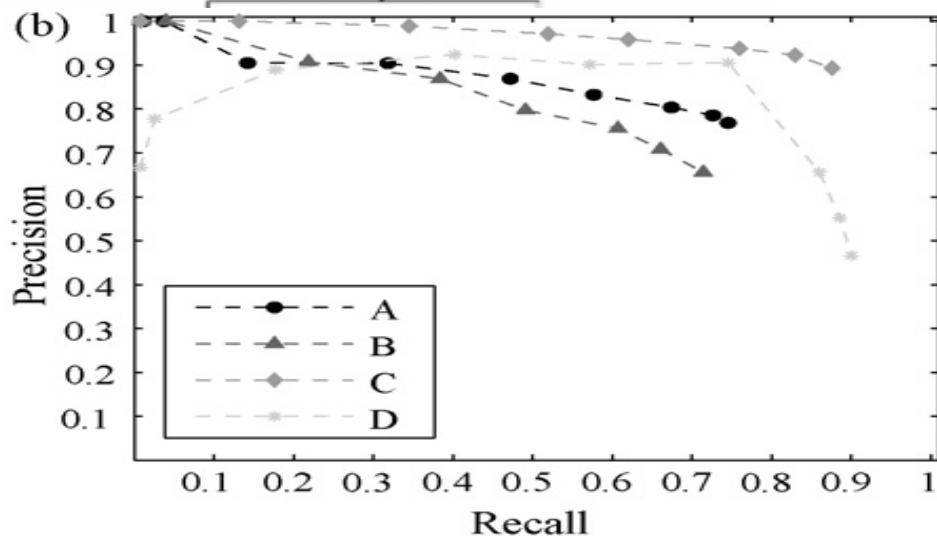
Movement Recognition



CL



DK

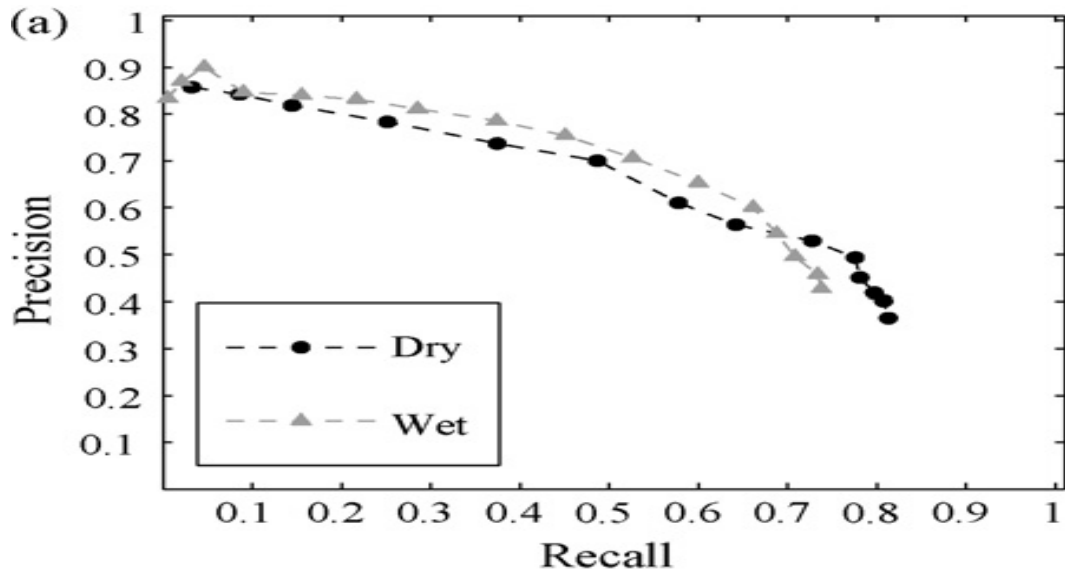


SP

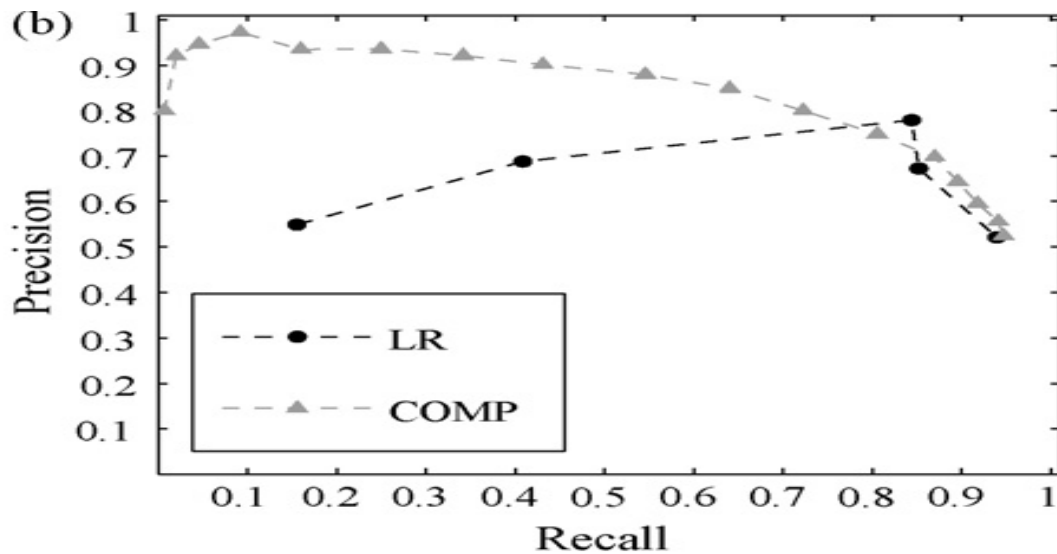


HD

Chewing Recognition

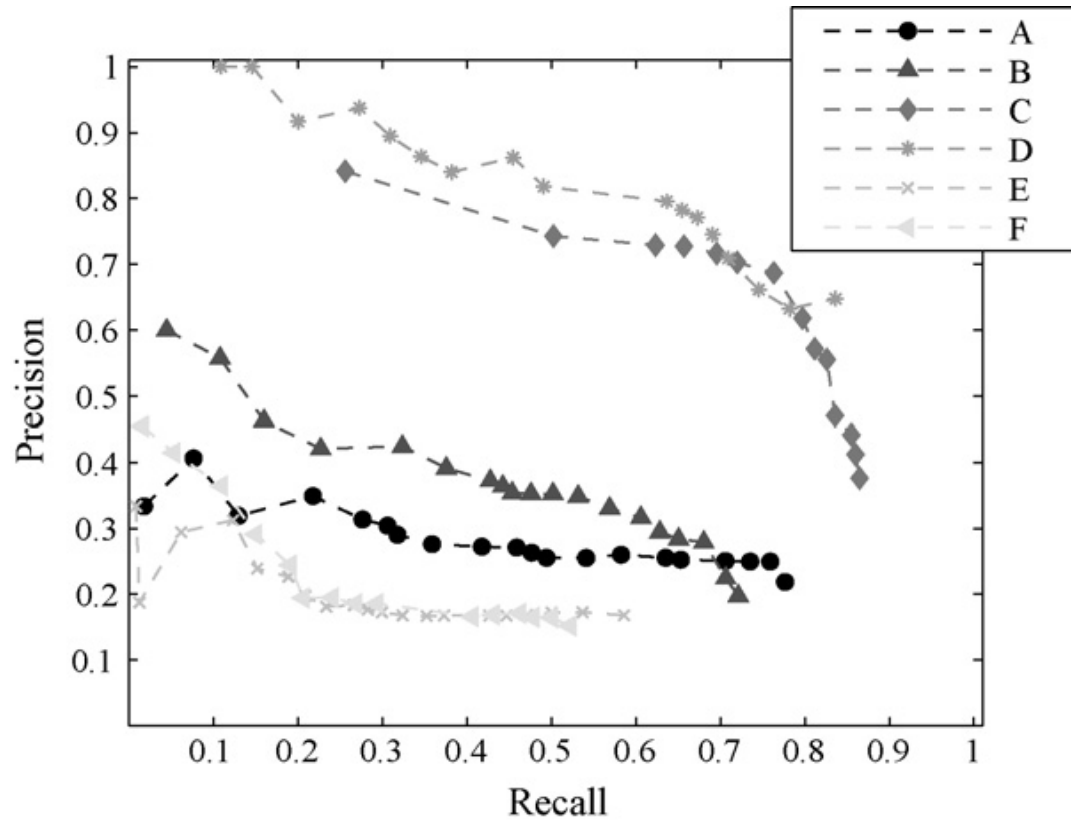


Dry



Wet

Swallowing recognition



We have to work more!



Lesson learned

- food intake **movements** recognized with good accuracy
- **chewing** cycles were identified well; Still low detection performance with low amplitude chewing sounds
- it provides an indication for **swallowing**; Still incurs many insertion errors

Conclusion of Paper 1 and 2

Pluses

- recognize different activities with good accuracy
- concepts used in “real-life” applications



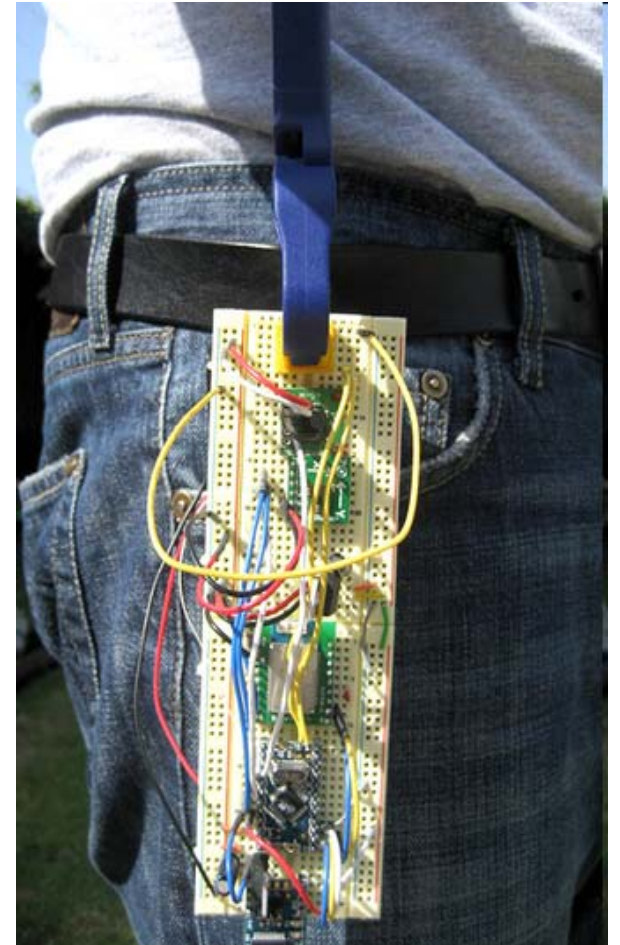
- long term functionality



Conclusion of Paper 1 and 2

Minuses

- a lot of training
- sensitive to features & event threshold selection
- assumptions on NULL class
- uncomfortable systems for long-term use

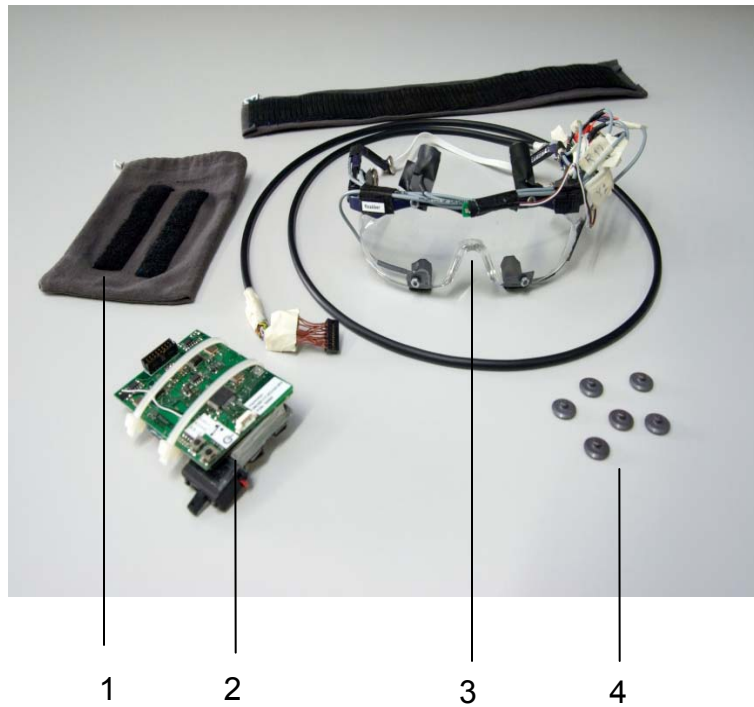


However,
aspects like user attention and intentionality
cannot
be picked-up by usually sensors deployed

Recognition using EOG Goggles

Paper 3

- Identify **eye gestures** using EOG signals;
- **Electrooculography** (EOG) instead video cameras;
- Steady **electric potential** field from eyes;
- Alternate saccadic eye movement and fixations;
- Physical activities leads to artefacts;

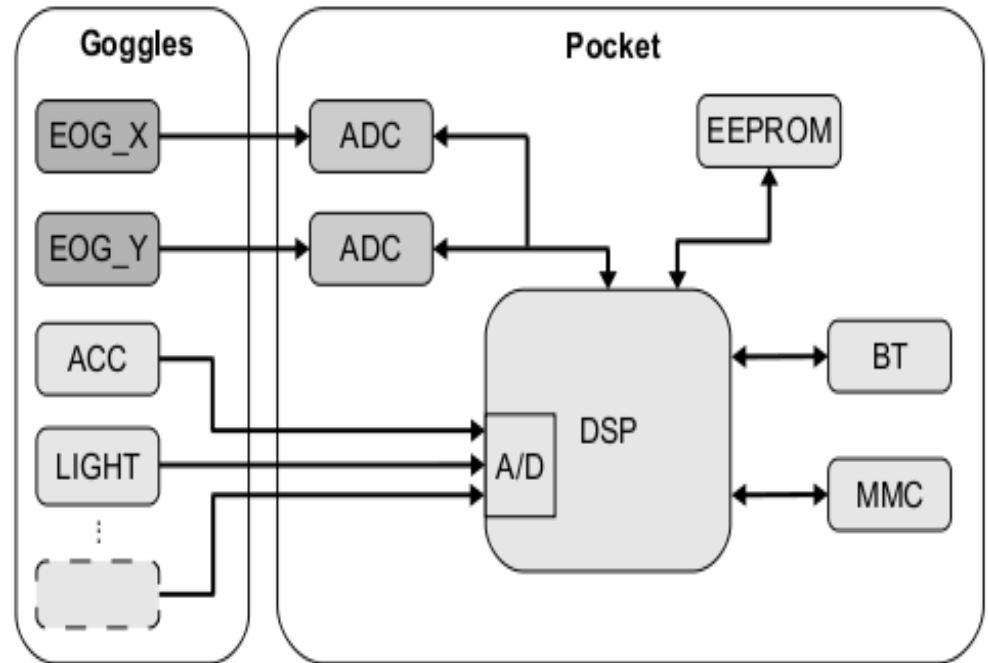


(1) armlet with cloth bag

(2) the Pocket

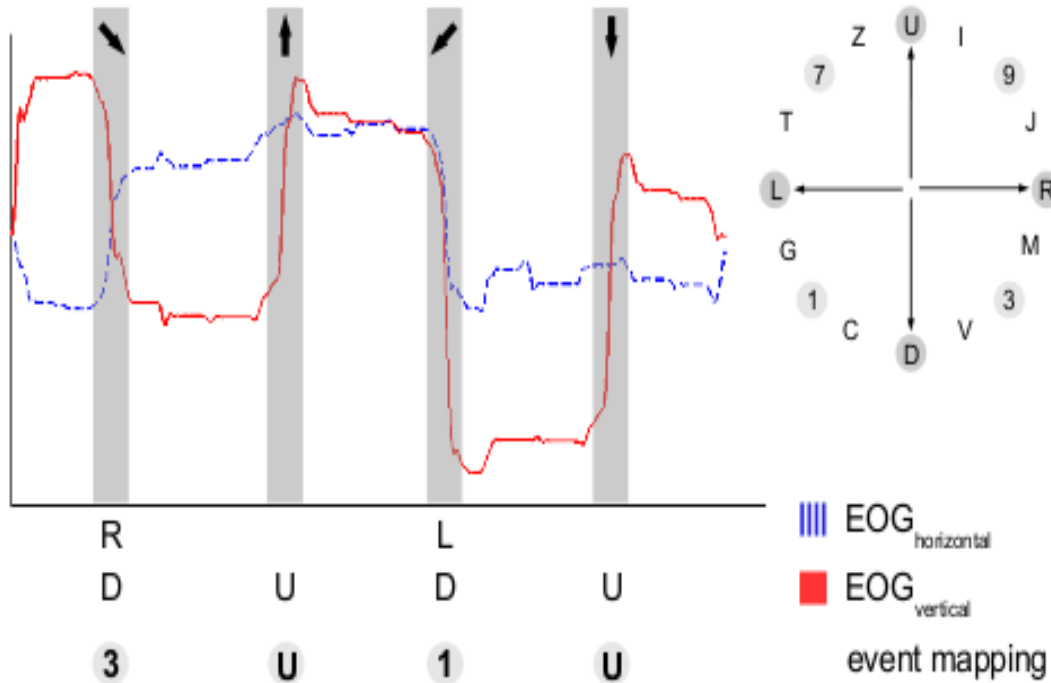
(3) the Goggles

(4) dry electrodes



Hardware architecture of the eye tracker

EOG gesture recognition



blink & saccade detection



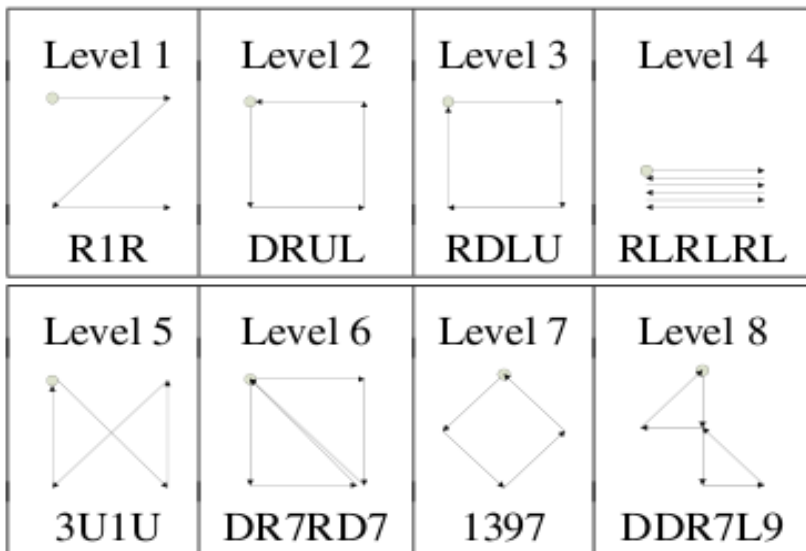
blink removal



stream of saccades events

median filter used to
compensate artefacts

Eye gestures for stationary HCI



Eye gestures of increasing complexity

Gesture	T_T [ms]	T_S [ms]	T_S/T_T	Acc [%]
R1R	3370	2890	0.858	85
DRUL	4130	3490	0.845	90
RDLU	3740	3600	0.963	93
RLRLRL	6680	5390	0.807	90
3U1U	4300	3880	0.902	89
DR7RD7	12960	5650	0.436	83
1379	6360	3720	0.585	84
DDR7L9	25400	5820	0.229	83

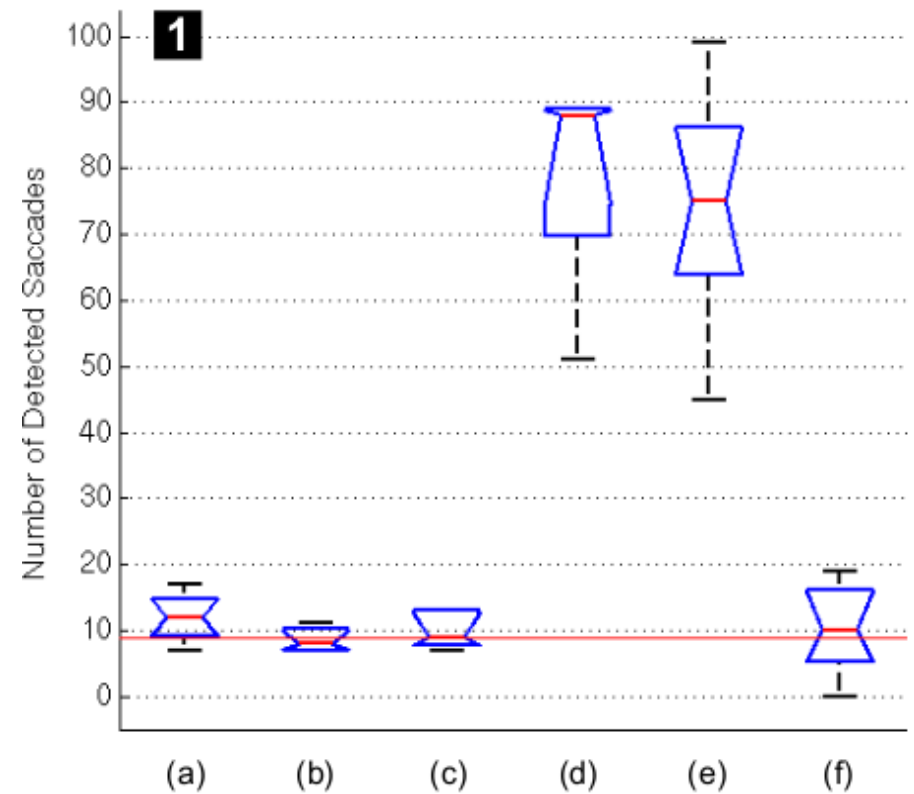
T_T : total time spent to complete the gesture

T_S : success time spent only on successful attempts

Acc: accuracy

Eye gestures for mobile HCI

- perform different eye movement on a head-up display
- investigate how artefacts can be detected and compensated
- an adapted filter performs well than a filter using a fixed window



(a) – (f) type of filter/medium used

Lesson learned

- eye gesture recognition possible with **EOG**
- good **accuracy** of results in **static** scenarios
- **artefacts** may dominate the signal
- more **complex** algorithms for mobile scenarios

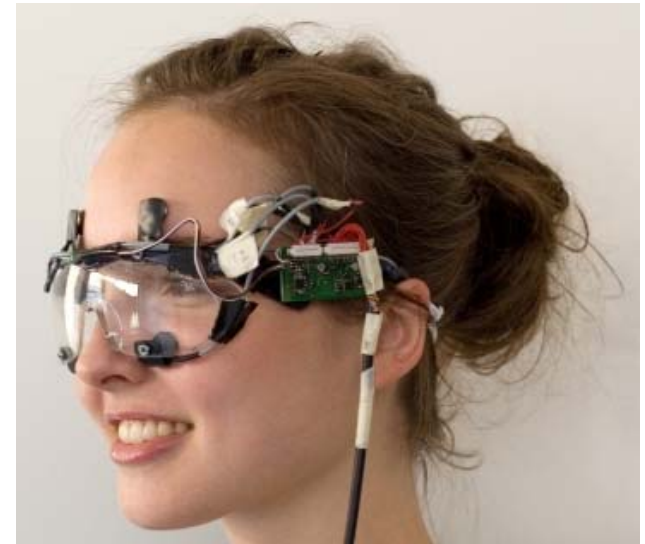
Conclusion of Paper 3

Pluses

- treat aspects which encompasses more than physical activity
- much less computation power

Minuses

- uncomfortable for long-term use
- difficult for testing



Questions ?

