## Dual Subspace Nonnegative Matrix Factorization for Person-Invariant Facial Expression Recognition

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#### Introduction

- ✓ Problem of expression recognition:
  - Environmental changes (e.g., pose, illumination)
  - Different appearance changes among different individual

# ✓ Goal: To Extract person-invariant expression features

• Expression-related facial appearance changes



#### Facial expression images of different identities

### **Dual Subspace Nonnegative Matrix Factorization (DSNMF)**

- ✓ Nonnegative Matrix Factorization (NMF):
  - Part-based facial representation
  - More interpretable for facial image analysis



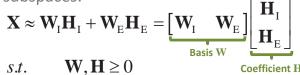
#### ✓ Dual Subspace Decomposition:

- Decomposing expressive image into 2 parts:
  - -Identity part
  - -Expression part

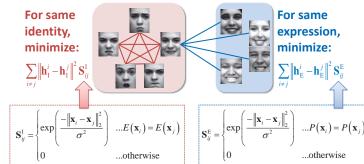


#### √ Goal:

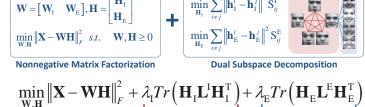
 Decompose the whole dataset into 2 subspaces:



#### ✓ Constraints:



#### ✓ Objective function of DSNMF:

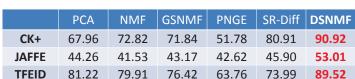


✓ For a test image  $\mathbf{x}_{test}$ :

$$\min_{\mathbf{h}^{test}} \left\| \mathbf{x}_{test} - \mathbf{W} \mathbf{h}^{test} \right\|_{F}^{2} \qquad \mathbf{h}^{test} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{h}_{I}^{test} \\ \mathbf{h}_{E}^{test} \end{bmatrix}$$
For face recognition
$$s.t. \quad \mathbf{h}^{test} \ge 0$$
For expression recognition

### **Experimental Results**

- √ 6 expressions: Angry, Disgust, Fear, Happy, Sad, Surprise
- ✓ Dataset:
  - CK+: 309 sequences, 106 subjects
  - JAFFE: 183 images, 10 subjects
  - TFEID: 229 images, 40 subjects
- ✓ Leave one person out strategy
- √ Nearest-neighbor classifier





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Reconstructed only by expression bases