

Reliable JPEG Forensics via Model Uncertainty

Detecting the training-test mismatch with Bayesian logistic regression

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Experiments

- Detect JPEG double compression based on first-digit features
- Uncertainty measure allows anticipating misclassifications when test image is not aligned with the training data
 - Mismatch in JPEG quality factors
 - Mismatch in quantization tables \leftarrow this talk
 - Mismatch in DCT implementation



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- Model uncertainty: Experts have different 3. opinions





Bayesian logistic regression



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