Big Data Analytics on Big Spatial Database

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Do you know what is the hot topic in June and July in 2014 (last year)?

World Cup



Do you know which country won the World Cup 2014?



Germany



- The Final Match in World Cup 2014
 - Germany vs. Argentina

1:0

- The Semi-Final Match in World Cup 2014
 - Germany vs. Brazil

7:1



Do you know why Germany won the World Cup 2014?

It is related to Big Spatial Data.



- The German Football Association (DBF) found SAP to develop an application called "Match Insights" (a spatial processing tool)
 - Each player puts a sensor under his sock
 - The receiver in the football field receives the current position
- This analyzes a vast amount of data about members of the German team and their opponents, based on their on-field performance.



- The tool also analyzes all videos recorded from other teams to know how they played in the football matches
- The tool gives a strategy to the German team how to play with other teams in a smart way
- In other words, each German player is instructed and no player will "show off" in the match.



World Cup 2010

- According to the tool "Match Insights"
 - The coaching staff could see the German players had been holding the ball for too long and there is a need to speed things up.
 - The average ball possession time was 3.4 seconds

World Cup 2014

- According to the tool "Match Insights"
 - The average ball possession was reduced to 1.1 HKUST seconds



- Now, we know a successful story of using big data.
- Next, let us see mobile applications.

Applications



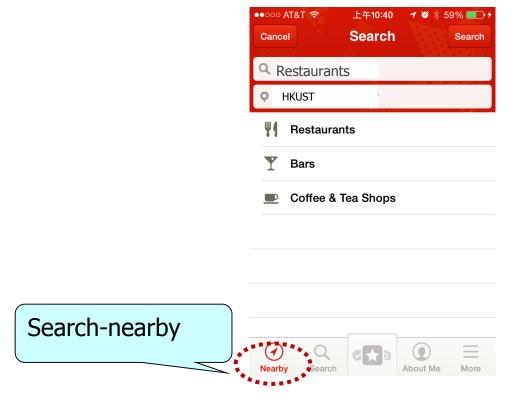
500+ location-based apps (appcrawlr.com)

What do location-based Apps do?

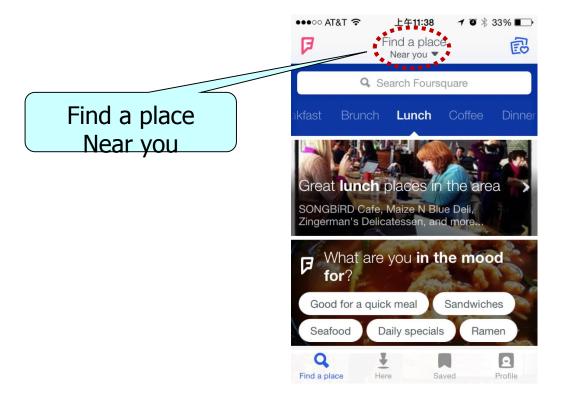
Search-nearby

Find something nearby somewhere

Search-nearby: Yelp



Search-nearby: Foursquare



Search-nearby: Gowalla



Search-nearby

- My previous work
 - Exact Top-k Nearest Keyword Search in Large Networks (SIGMOD2015)
 - Hypersphere Dominance: An Optimal Approach (SIGMOD 2014)
 - Collective Spatial Keyword Queries: A Distance Owner-Driven Approach (SIGMOD 2013)
 - Efficient Method for Maximizing Bichromatic Reverse Nearest Neighbor (VLDB 2009)

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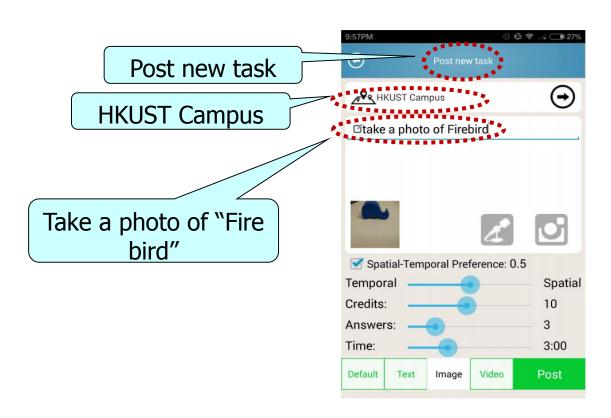
- Search-nearby
- Crowdsourcing is a platform where people post tasks and some other Spatial Crowdsol people perform tasks

Each task is associated with a **location**

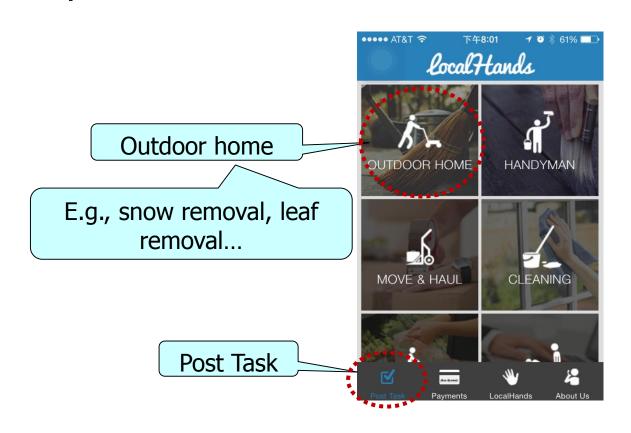
Workers need to go to the location physically in order to perform the task

> E.g., take a video clip at Times Square of New York

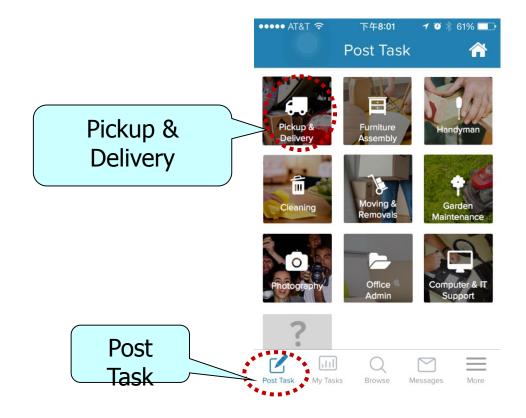
Spatial Crowdsourcing: gMission



Spatial Crowdsourcing: LocalHands



Spatial Crowdsourcing: Airtasker





Spatial Crowdsourcing

- My previous work
 - On Optimal Worst-Case Matching (SIGMOD 2013)
 - On Efficient Spatial Matching (VLDB 2007)

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- Search-nearby
- Spatial Crowdsourcing

Record the trace of a movement

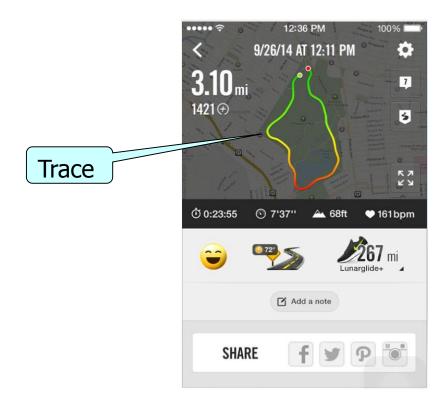
Trace Tracking

E.g., by sampling the positions of the trace periodically

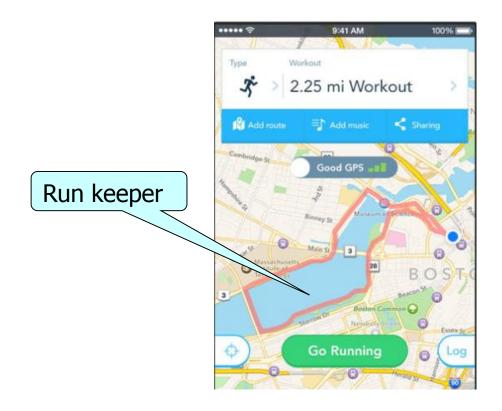
Trace tracking: Maps+



Trace tracking: Nike+



Trace tracking: Run Keeper



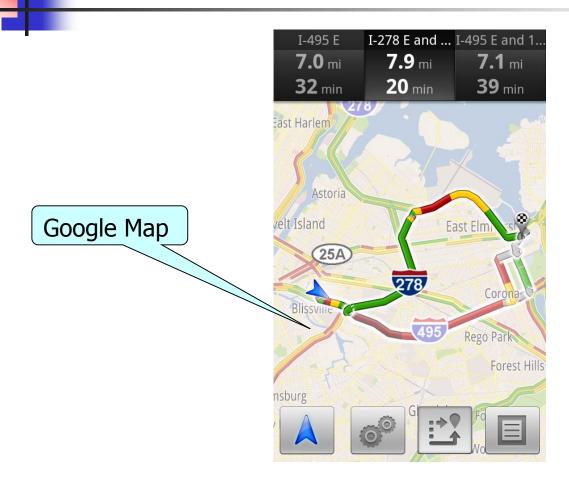


- My previous work
 - Trajectory Simplification: On Minimizing the Direction-based Error (VLDB 2015)
 - Direction-Preserving Trajectory
 Simplification (VLDB 2014)

What do location-based Apps do?

- Search-nearby
- Spatial Crowdsourcing
- Trace Tracking
- Shortest Distance Finding Shortest Distance

Shortest Distance: Google Map



Shortest Distance

- My previous work
 - New Lower and Upper Bounds for Shortest Distance Queries on Terrains (VLDB 2016)
 - Finding Shortest Paths on Terrains by Killing Two Birds with One Stone (VLDB 2014)
 - Hop Doubling Label Indexing for Point-to-Point Distance Querying on Scale-Free Networks (VLDB 2014)
 - Terrain-Toolkit: A Multi-Functional Tool for Terrain Data (VLDB 2014 (Demo))
 - IS-Label: an Independent-Set based Labeling Scheme for Point-to-Point Distance Querying (VLDB 2013)
 - Finding Shortest Path on Land Surface (SIGMOD 2011)



Conclusion

- Search-nearby
- Spatial Crowdsourcing
- Trace Tracking
- Shortest Distance

Thank you