



Fashion-optimized Image Search





What is FashionMatch?

 A technology that allows to instantly search for visually similar apparel items, in a big database of images



Given an image of a dress/shoe/bag, the system can instantly find visually similar ones

ADS

Competitive advantage



Our approach: optimized for fashion



Input image



Identify human and posture (place of limbs and torso)



Identify where garment is (based on human body)

Separate garment from the background

Extracted attributes

- Length of dress / skirt
- Length of sleeves
- Depth of neckline
- Waist width
- Proportion of waist to ending
- Shape

ColorPattern



Robust to cluttered backgrounds

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Original photo

Fashion Match



- Automatically identifies the item and separates it from background
- No human intervention needed
- Can handle both catalog images and images on the wild (with cluttered backgrounds)

Competitor A



 Requires user to draw around the outline of the item



Robust to shadows



Color caused by shadow



Similarity results for the original image



Searching for the wrong color due to the impact of shadows

Fashion Match

Recovered true



Similarity results using **Fashion Match enhancement algorithm** in the Fashion Match Mobile App









- Minimizes the impact of shadows
- Searching for the true color of the item



Smart auto-tagging



Coarse color: ORANGE, Fine colors: Burnt Sienna, Texture: Not Textured Dress length: short Sleeve length: sleeveless

- Automatically generates fashion text tags for a given image
- Tags can be used for text-based search
- No need for manual tagging

- General color description (12 color names)
- Detailed color description (256 color names)
- Patterned / Not patterned
- Dress/skirt length (short, medium, long)
- Sleeve length (sleeveless, short, medium, long)

For images with people

For all images





Personalization & Customization

Importance weights			Pre filtering
Color:	0	0.80	Color
Pattern:	0	0.60	Patterned Classes langth
Shape:	0	0.40	Sleeve lengthDress length

- The user can set his/her own importance degree for the similarity attributes
- Allows a more personalized definition of similarity



In a nutshell...

Our strengths

- Fully automatic: no need for human interaction in the separation of item and background
- Fashion-optimized features (proportions, lengths, shapes)
- Smart auto-tagging (text color names, lengths, patterns)
- Robust to shadows and illumination changes
- Robust to cluttered backgrounds
- Fully customizable
- Can handle **both** humans and mannequins

