## Solving Small-piece Jigsaw Puzzles by Maximizing Consensus

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## Appendix A: Qualitative Reconstruction Results

Figure 4 5 6 7 and 8 show qualitative reconstruction results on the challenging unknown orientation piece puzzles from MIT dataset [1]. We varied the number of pieces and the size of each piece for the experiments. When the size of the piece is small, previous algorithms [2, 3] drastically drop their reconstruction performance whereas our proposed algorithm keeps the performance. Our proposed algorithm reduces up to 75% error from the previous work [3] on the unknown orientation piece puzzles (P=14, K=1064).

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(b) 91.2%

(c) 68.9%



(d) Original Image

(e) 83.1%

(f) 77.2%



(g) Original Image

(h) 100%

(i) 99.2%



(j) Original Image

(k) 66.0%

(l) 66.1%

Figure 1: **Reconstructions of challenging unknown orientation piece puzzles from MIT dataset [1].** Left: original image, Middle: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 432 and the size of each piece is 28 by 28 pixels, Right: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 1064 and the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels. The performance(%) is Direct Comparison. Although the piece size is reduced and the number of pieces are increased, our algorithm keeps the performance whereas the previous works [2, 3] drop their performance drastically. We reduce up to 75% of reconstruction error from previously the best results [3] when the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels and number of pieces is 1064.



(b) 99.5%



(d) Original Image

(e) 100%



(g) Original Image

(h) 100%



(j) Original Image

(k) 100%

(l) 100%

(c) 100%

Figure 2: Reconstructions of challenging unknown orientation piece puzzles from MIT dataset [1]. Left: original image, Middle: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 432 and the size of each piece is 28 by 28 pixels, Right: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 1064 and the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels. The performance(%) is Direct Comparison. Although the piece size is reduced and the number of pieces are increased, our algorithm keeps the performance whereas the previous works [2, 3] drop their performance drastically. We reduce up to 75%of reconstruction error from previously the best results [3] when the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels and number of pieces is 1064.



(b) 98.8%

(c) 95.1%



(d) Original Image

(e) 100%

(f) 100%



(g) Original Image

(h) 100%

(i) 99.4%



(j) Original Image

(k) 94.4%

(l) 100%

Figure 3: **Reconstructions of challenging unknown orientation piece puzzles from MIT dataset [1].** Left: original image, Middle: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 432 and the size of each piece is 28 by 28 pixels, Right: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 1064 and the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels. The performance(%) is Direct Comparison. Although the piece size is reduced and the number of pieces are increased, our algorithm keeps the performance whereas the previous works [2, 3] drop their performance drastically. We reduce up to 75% of reconstruction error from previously the best results [3] when the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels and number of pieces is 1064.



(b) 88.9%

(c) 85.7%



(d) Original Image

(e) 100%



(g) Original Image

(h) 96.1%

(i) 84.0%



(j) Original Image

(k) 100%

(1) 97.3%

Figure 4: Reconstructions of challenging unknown orientation piece puzzles from MIT dataset [1]. Left: original image, Middle: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 432 and the size of each piece is 28 by 28 pixels, Right: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 1064 and the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels. The performance(%) is Direct Comparison. Although the piece size is reduced and the number of pieces are increased, our algorithm keeps the performance whereas the previous works [2, 3] drop their performance drastically. We reduce up to 75%of reconstruction error from previously the best results [3] when the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels and number of pieces is 1064.



(b) 100%

(c) 100%



(d) Original Image

(e) 100%

(f) 100%



(g) Original Image

(h) 100%

(i) 100%



(j) Original Image

## (k) 100%

(1) 99.5%

Figure 5: **Reconstructions of challenging unknown orientation piece puzzles from MIT dataset [1].** Left: original image, Middle: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 432 and the size of each piece is 28 by 28 pixels, Right: our reconstruction results on puzzles where the number pieces is 1064 and the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels. The performance(%) is Direct Comparison. Although the piece size is reduced and the number of pieces are increased, our algorithm keeps the performance whereas the previous works [2, 3] drop their performance drastically. We reduce up to 75% of reconstruction error from previously the best results [3] when the size of each piece is 14 by 14 pixels and number of pieces is 1064.