



Mask-based Style-Controlled Image Synthesis Using a Mask Style Encoder

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INTRODUCTION

- Mask-based image synthesis
 - Image-to-image translation
 - Method for generating images using a semantic segmentation mask
 - Pix2pixHD^[1], SPADE^[2], etc.

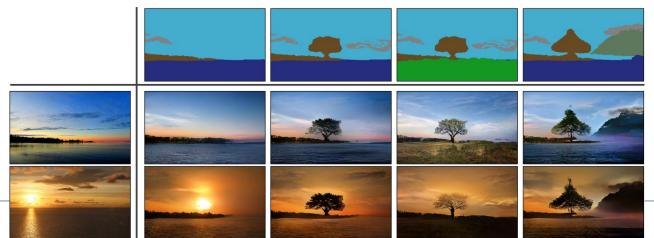






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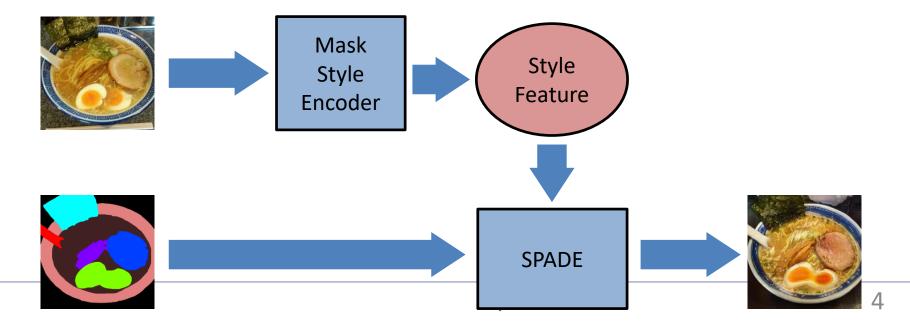
- The SPADE method has made it possible to synthesize high-quality, photo-realistic images from semantic masks.
- However, The SPADE method is difficult to synthesize an image that controls the style of each mask element.





INTRODUCTION

- We propose a style-controlled image synthesis method for each mask element.
 - SPADE-based architecture
 - Using a mask style encoder

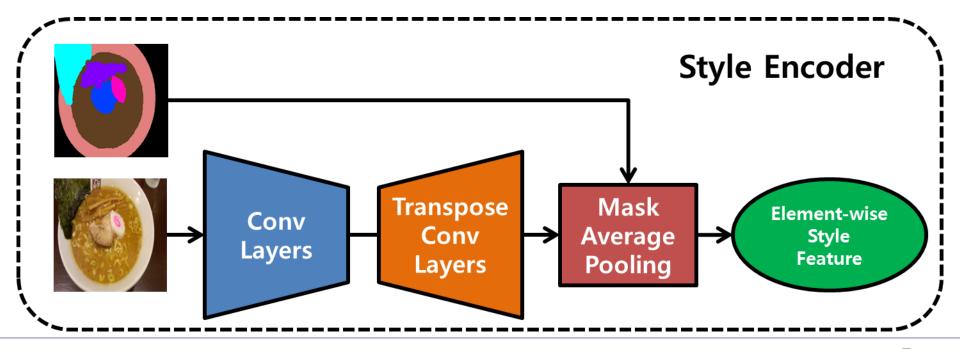






PROPOSED METHOD

- Style Encoder
 - Extract style features from each of the mask elements of the style image.

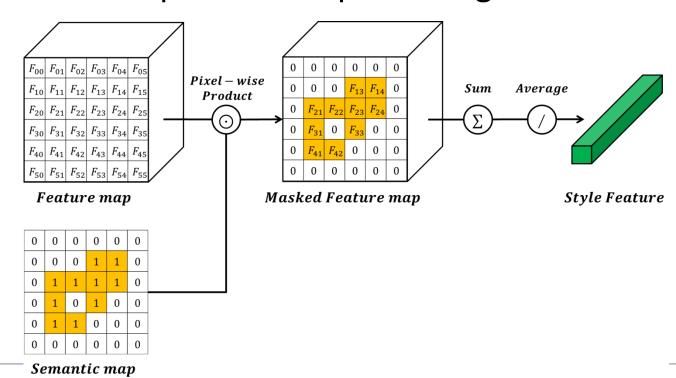






PROPOSED METHOD

- Mask Average Pooling Layer
 - Extract averaged feature vectors of the input feature map over the specific region label.



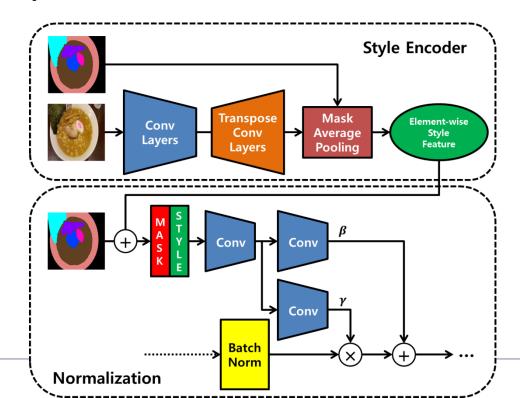
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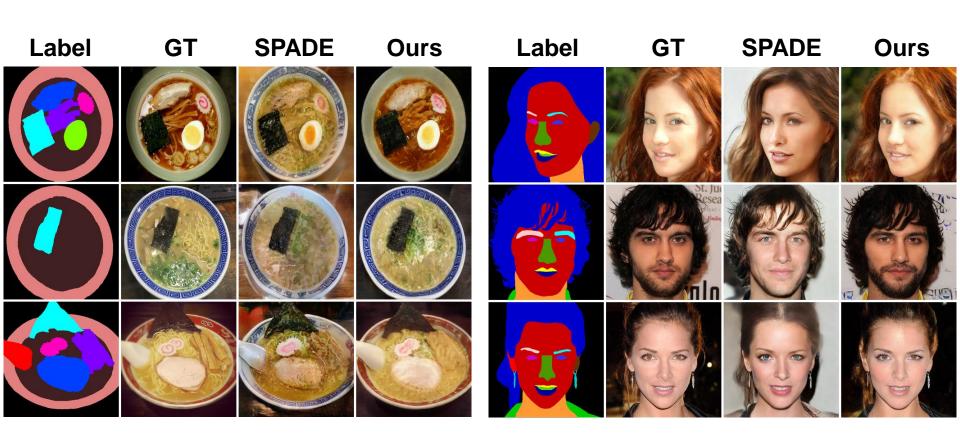
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 Mask style features are concatenated with the semantic mask label map, and provided to SPADE layers.









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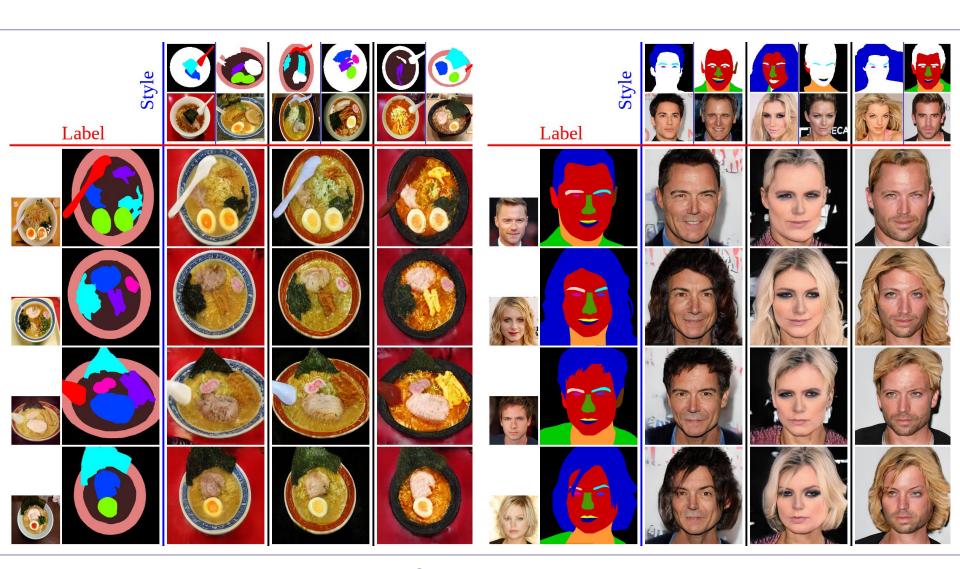
















CONCLUSIONS

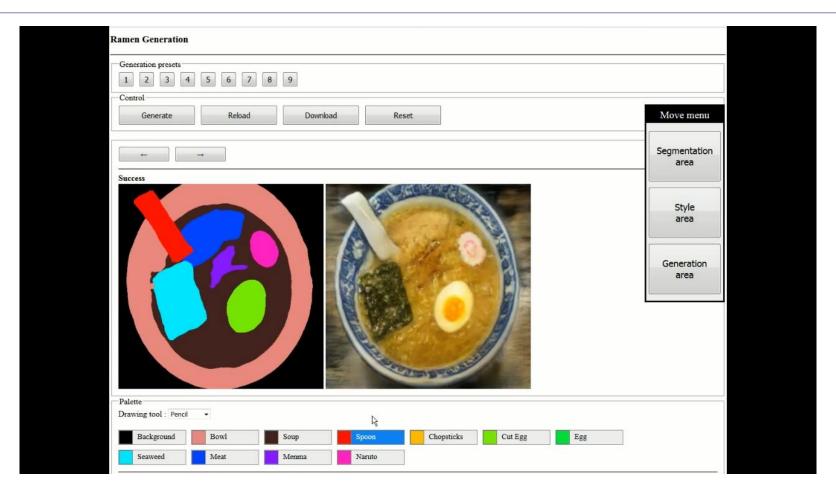
- We have proposed a novel style-controlled image synthesis method using a mask style encoder.
- Our method realized style-controlled image synthesis by concatenating mask style features with the modified SPADE-based network.
- The experiments have shown that our method has enough ability on style-controlled image synthesis.





RamenStyleAsYouLike DEMO

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