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# Automated Facial Action Coding System

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### **TECHNOLOGY DESCRIPTION**

UCSD inventors have come up with an automated method to recognize expressions as defined by the Facial Action Coding System of Ekman and Friesen. The technique provides more accurate results than the competition, and is especially adapted for recognizing spontaneous expression. The invention is implemented in a working prototype that can currently work at a real-time frame rate of 6 frames per second.

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#### **PATENT STATUS**

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#### OTHER INFORMATION

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