

CrowdX: Enhancing Automatic Construction of Indoor Floorplan with Opportunistic Encounters

HUIJIE CHEN

FAN LI

XIOJUN HEI

YU WANG

School of Computer Science, Beijing Institute of Technology, Beijing Engineering Research Center
of High Volume Language Information Processing and Cloud Computing Applications, China

Introduction

- Automatic Construction of Indoor Floorplan
- Opportunistic Encounters
 - Bluetooth
 - Audio
 - PDR
- Advantage
 - not restricted by sparse landmark distribution
 - not rely on motion pattern or conscious motion

Outline

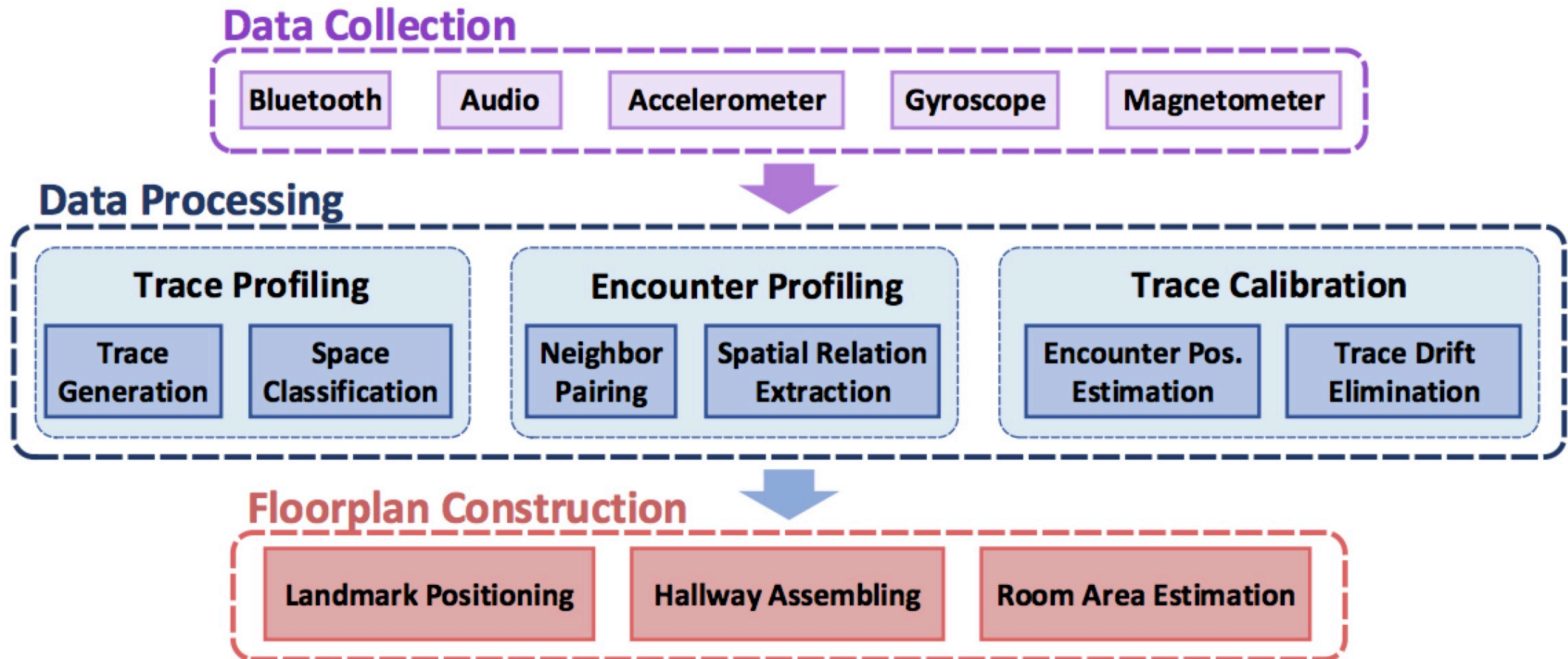


Fig. 1. The system overview of CrowdX.

Outline

- Trace Profiling
- Encounter Profiling
- Trace Calibration

Trace Profiling

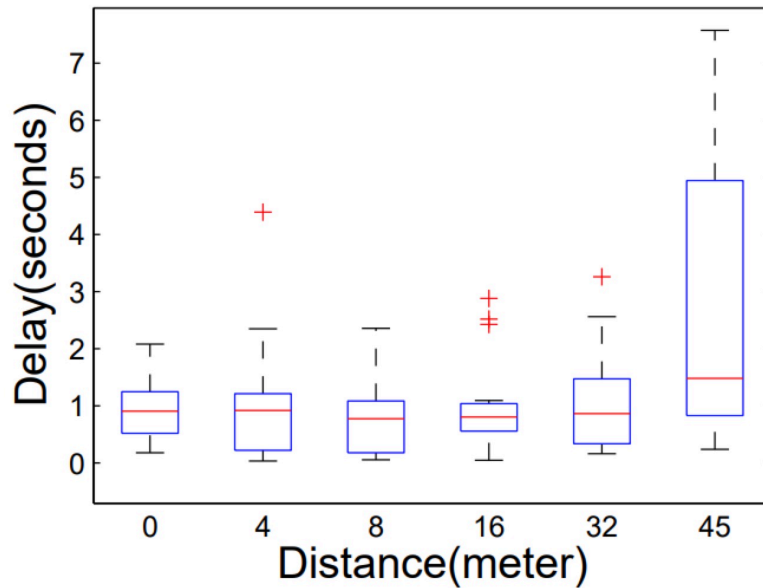
- Trace Generation
- Space Classification
 - Step Periodicity
 - Motion Change Frequency

Outline

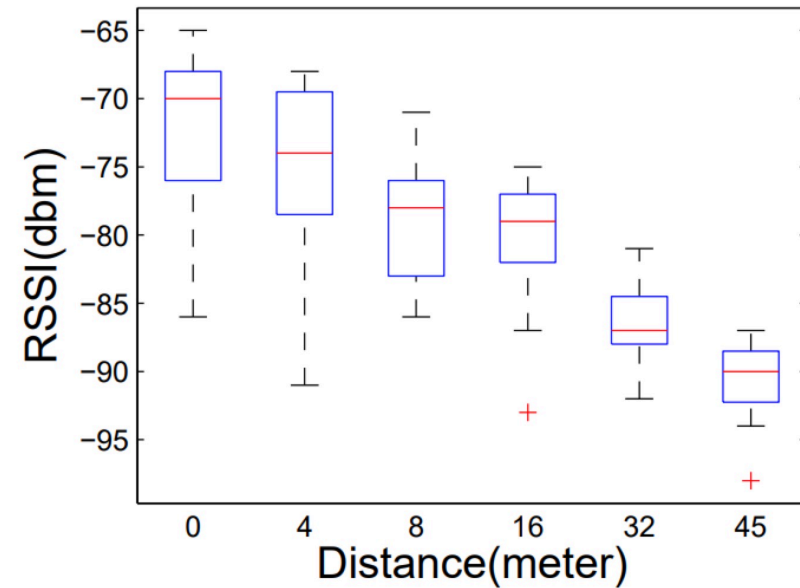
- Trace Profiling
- Encounter Profiling
- Trace Calibration

Encounter Profiling

- Neighbor pairing
 - large discovery range
 - low latency



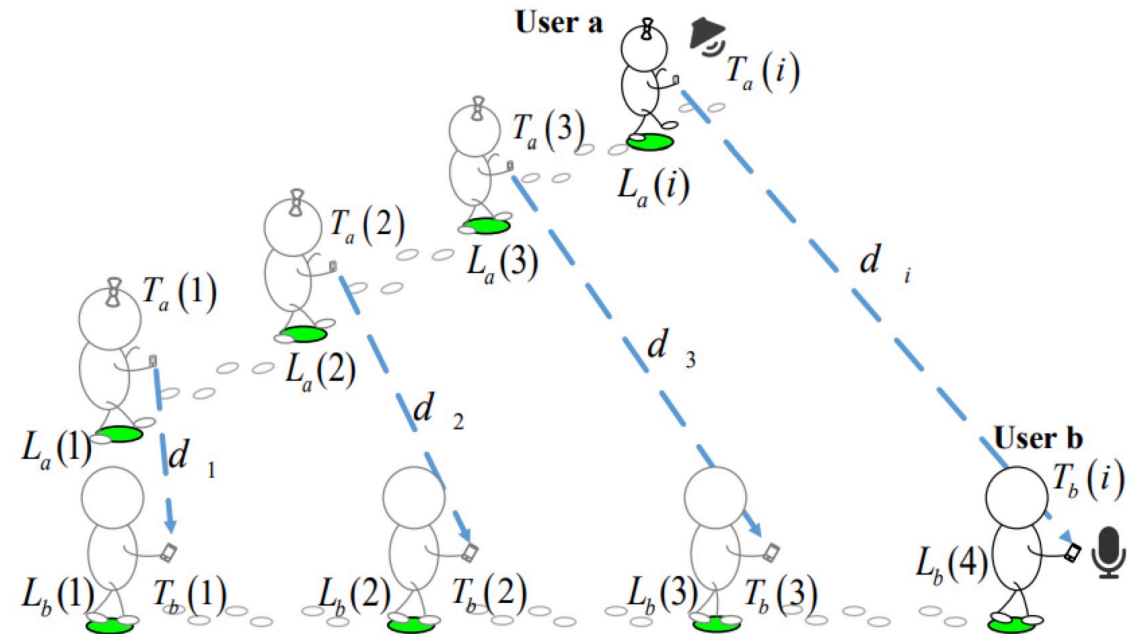
(a) Neighbor discovery delay



(b) RSSI vs. Distance

Encounter Profiling

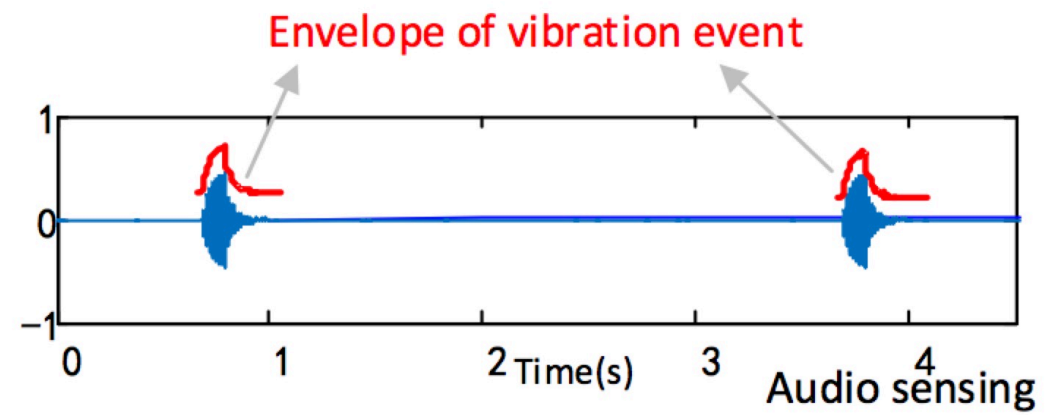
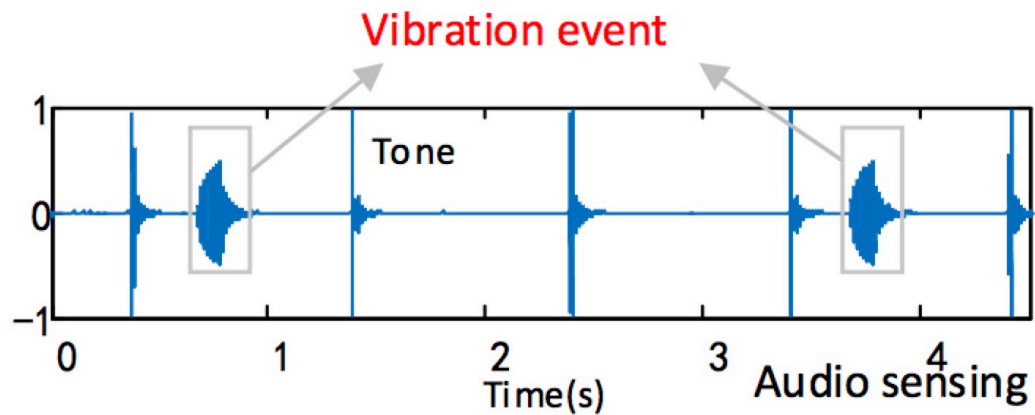
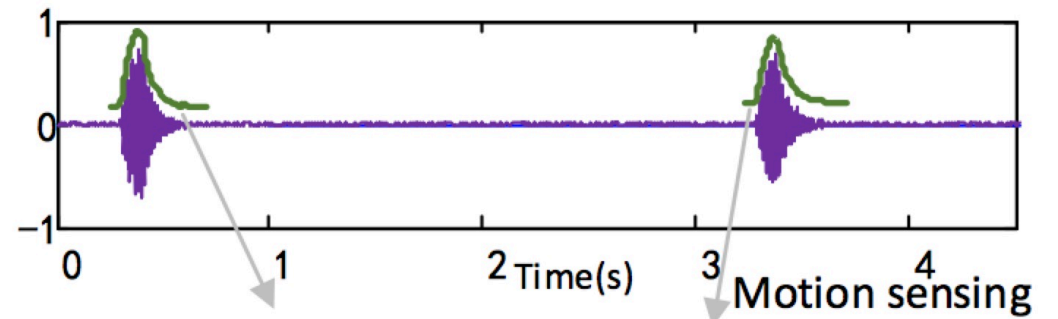
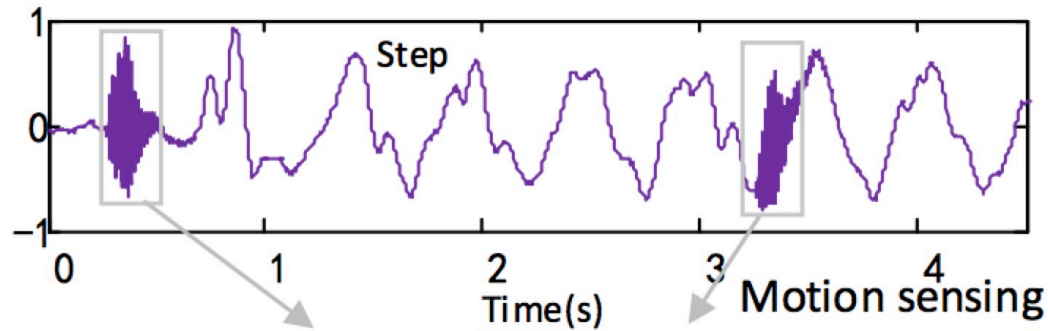
- Spatial Relation Extraction
 - TDoA
 - anti-multipath and anti-environmental noise
 - inaudible for humans
 - can be sensed by motion sensor



(a) Encounter scenario

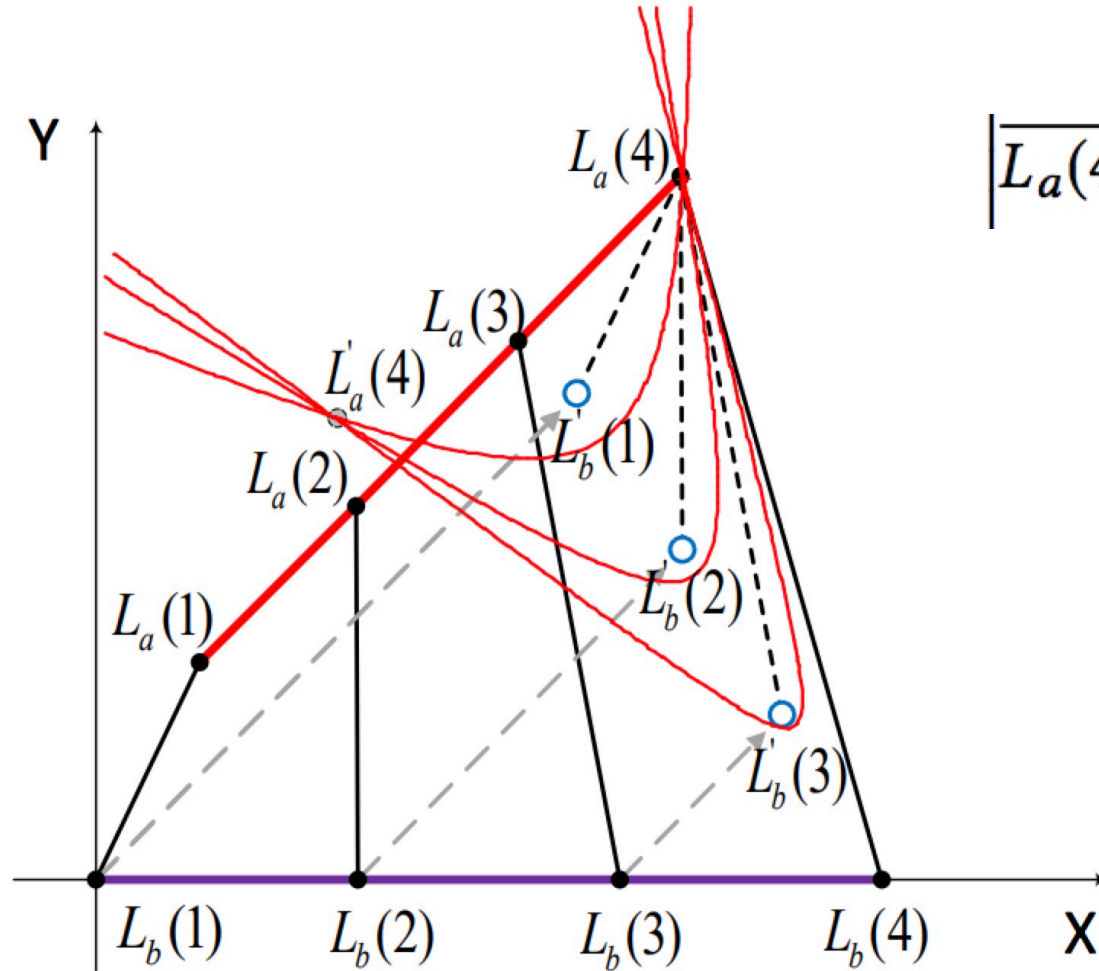
Encounter Profiling

- Spatial Relation Extraction
 - can be sensed by motion sensor



Encounter Profiling

- Spatial Relation Extraction



(b) Hyperbola based localization

$$\left| \overline{L_a(4)L_b(4)} \right| - \left| \overline{L_a(4)L'_b(i)} \right| = \Delta d(4, i), \quad i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$e_i = \left| \overline{L_b(i)\hat{L}_a(i)} \right| - \left| \overline{L_b(i+1)\hat{L}_a(i+1)} \right| - \Delta d(i, i+1)$$

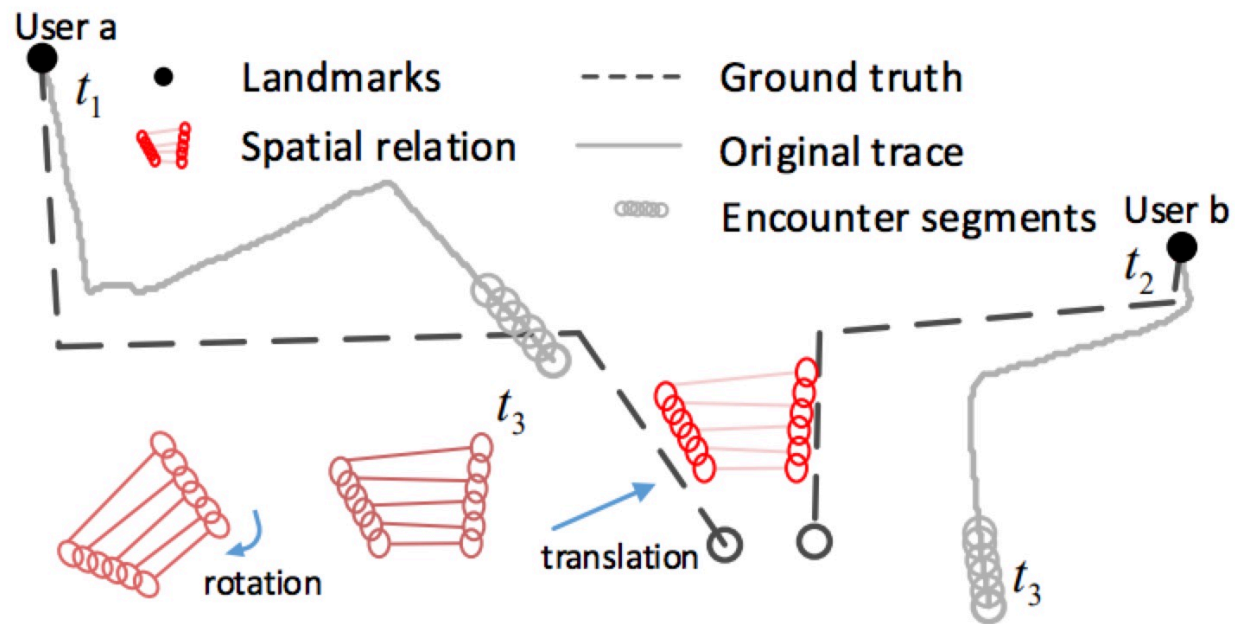
$$(\hat{x}_a(1), \hat{y}_a(1), \hat{\alpha}) = \arg \min_{(\hat{x}_a(1), \hat{y}_a(1), \hat{\alpha})} \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2.$$

Outline

- Trace Profiling
- Encounter Profiling
- Trace Calibration

Trace Calibration

- Encounter Position Estimation



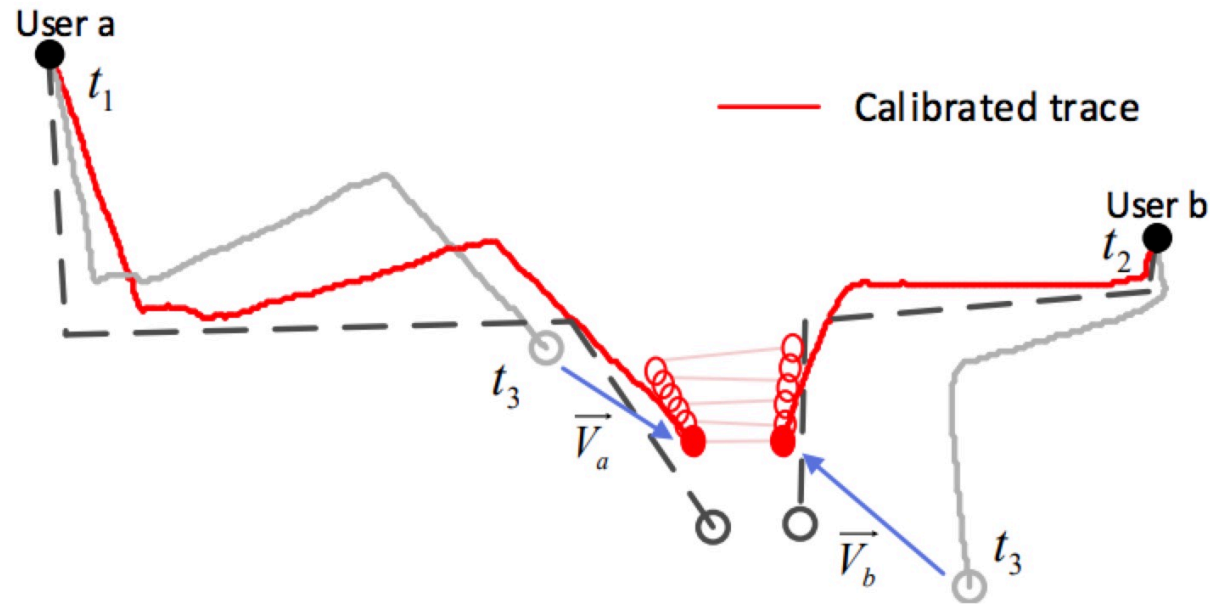
(a) Position correction with spatial relation

$$e_u(i, (x, y), \beta) = \left| G_u(i) - Tr(L_u(i), (x, y), \beta) \right|^2,$$

$$\hat{G}_u(i) = \arg \min_{x, y, \beta} \sum_{u \in U} \alpha_u \sum_{i=1}^n e_u(i, (x, y), \beta),$$

Trace Calibration

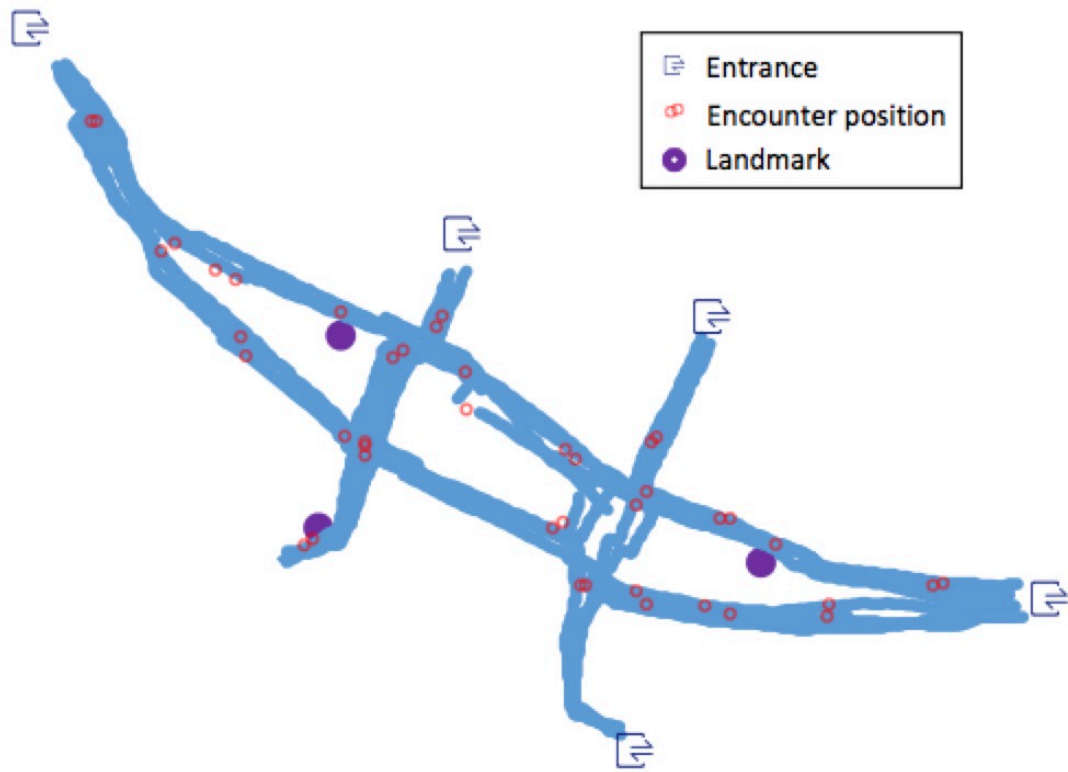
- Trace Drift Elimination



(b) Trace drift cancellation

$$P'_u(t) = P_u(t) + \overline{V}_u \frac{t - t_u(s)}{t_u(e) - t_u(s)},$$

Output



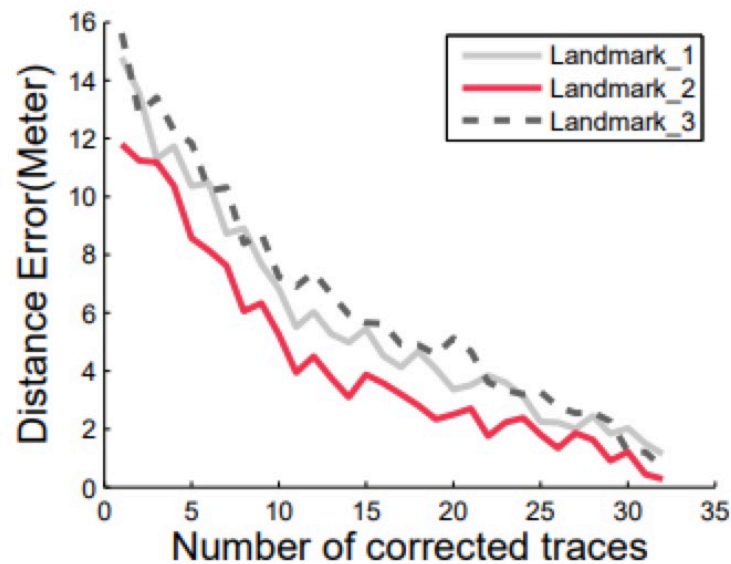
(a) Hallway shape



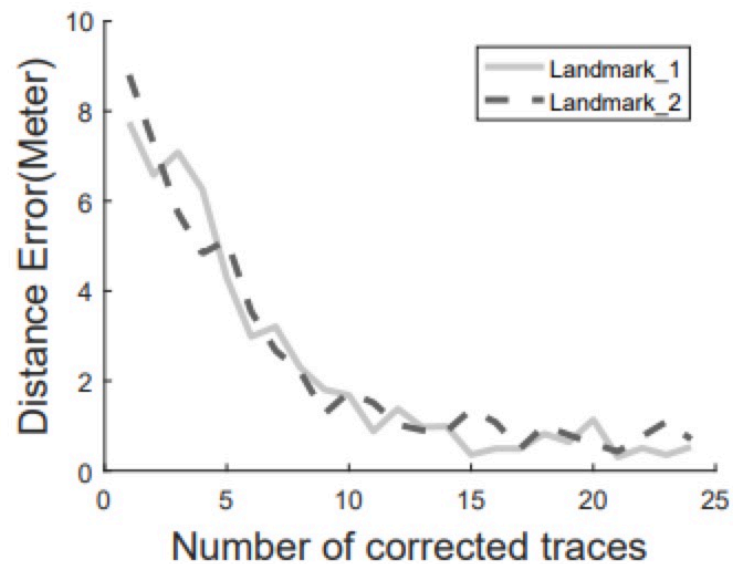
(b) Estimated room area

Evaluation

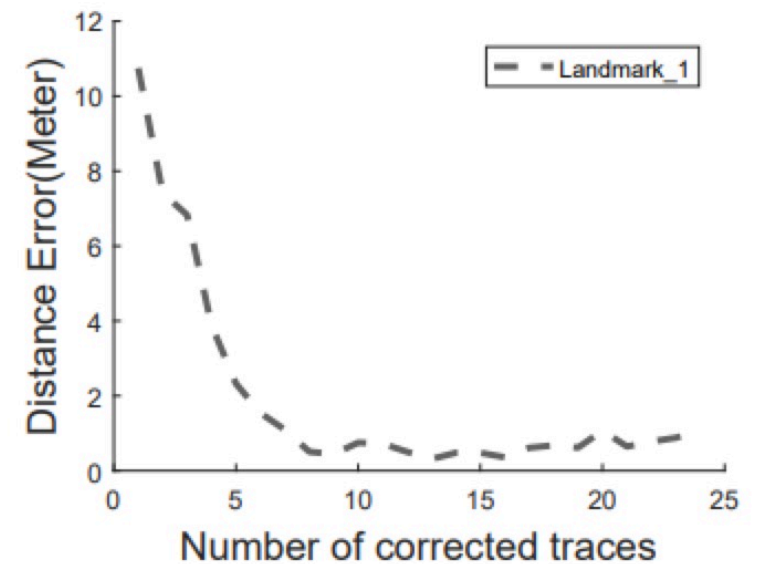
- Landmark Positioning
 - 1m error



(a) Shopping mall 1



(b) Shopping mall 2



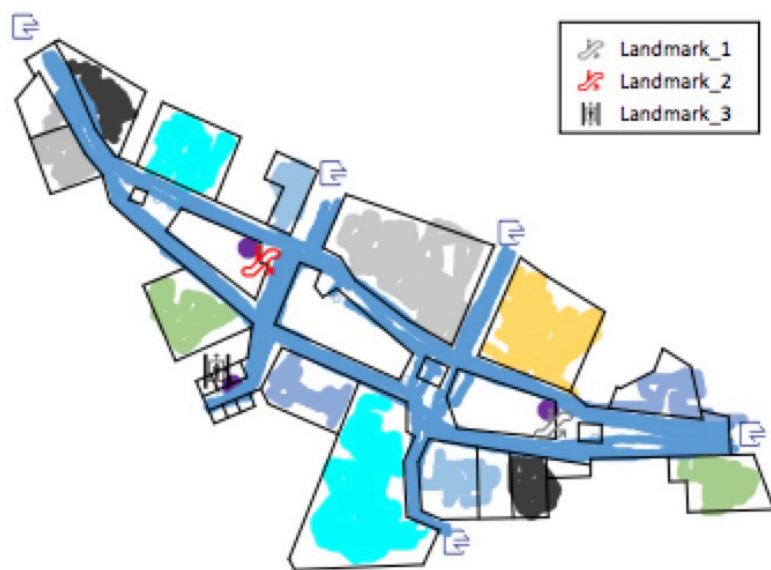
(c) Shopping mall 3

Fig. 11. The accuracy of landmark positioning.

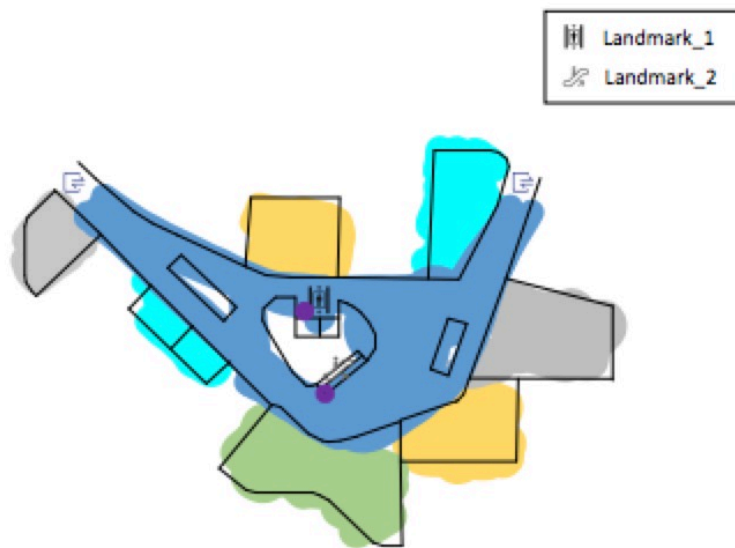
Evaluation

Table 1. Collected traces and other parameters.

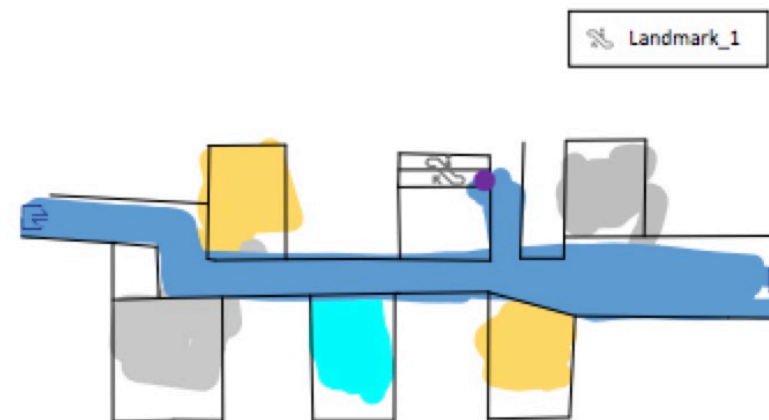
	Participant number	Collected traces	Encounter number
Shopping mall 1	8	87	22
Shopping mall 2	6	72	19
Shopping mall 3	6	67	18



(a) Shopping mall 1



(b) Shopping mall 2



(c) Shopping mall 3

Evaluation

- Hallway Shape Detection

$$\mathcal{P} = \frac{S(\mathcal{H}_{esti} \cap \mathcal{H}_{true})}{S(\mathcal{H}_{esti})};$$

$$\mathcal{R} = \frac{S(\mathcal{H}_{esti} \cap \mathcal{H}_{true})}{S(\mathcal{H}_{true})};$$

$$\mathcal{F} = 2 \frac{\mathcal{P}\mathcal{R}}{\mathcal{P} + \mathcal{R}},$$

Table 2. Hallway Shape Evaluation

	Precision	Recall	F-Measure
Shopping mall 1	93.7%	86.1%	89.7%
Shopping mall 2	88.4%	94.7%	91.4%
Shopping mall 3	83.9%	87.6%	85.7%

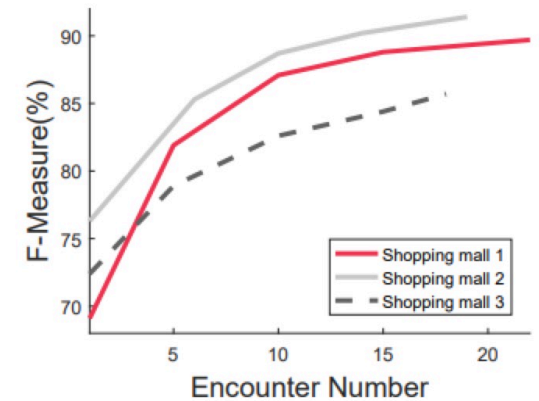
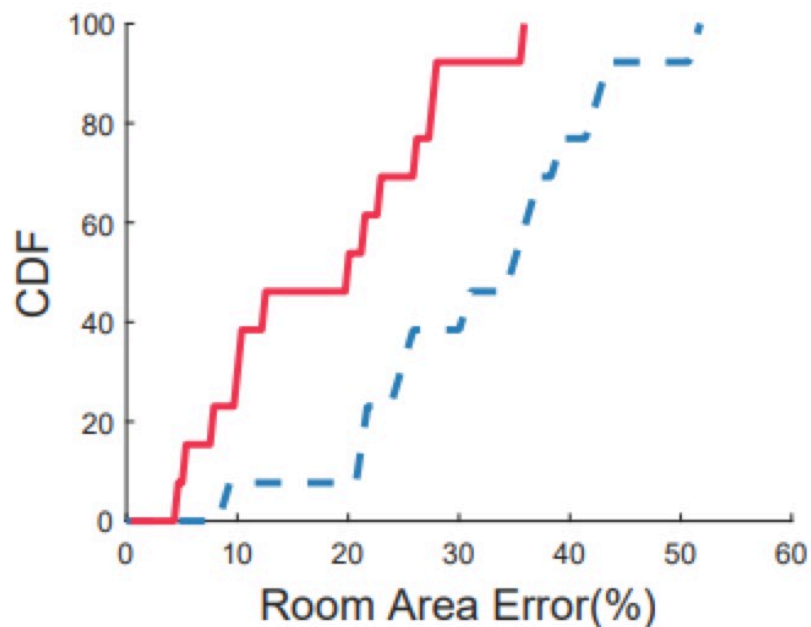


Figure 12. Hallway shape evaluation vs encounter number.

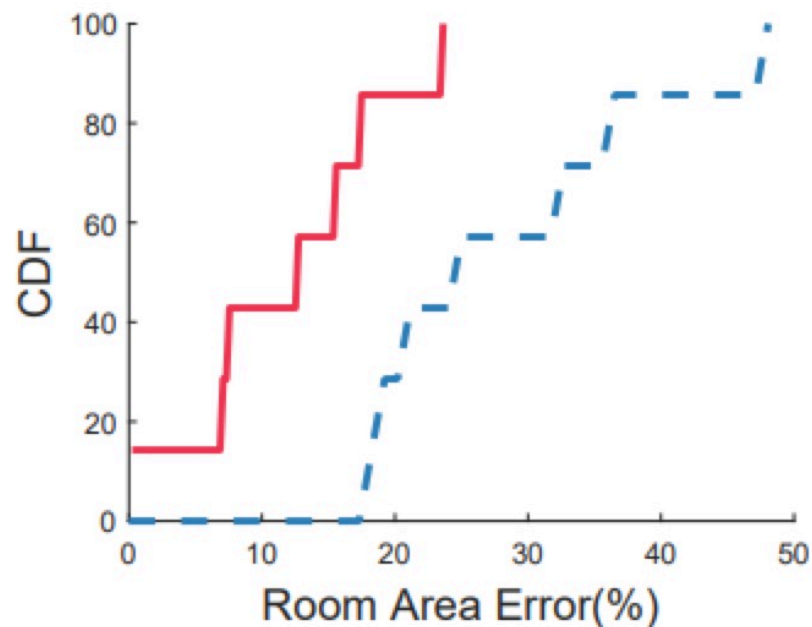
Evaluation

- Room Area Estimation

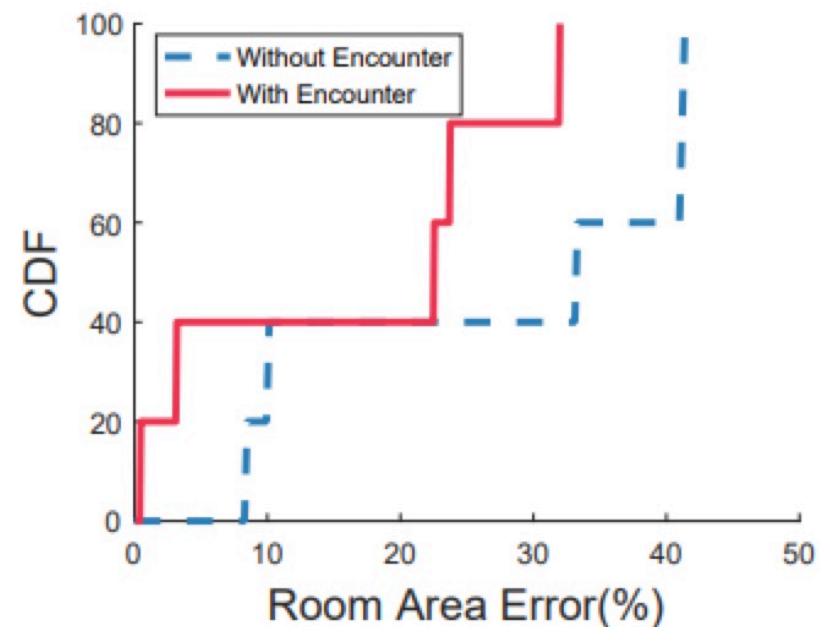
$$E_r = \frac{|S(R_{esti}) - S(R_{true})|}{S(R_{true})},$$



(a) Shopping mall 1



(b) Shopping mall 2



(c) Shopping mall 3

My opinion

- 通过用户的相遇自动构建地图还挺有意思的，实现方式直观好理解
- 跟别的方法对比，有种硬找优点的感觉
- 我学习了地图，PDR等内容