

# SCface Database Release Agreement

SCface is a database of static images of human faces. Images were taken in uncontrolled indoor environment using five video surveillance cameras of various qualities. Database contains 4160 static images (in visible and infrared spectrum) of 130 subjects. Images from different quality cameras should mimic real-world conditions and enable robust face recognition algorithms testing, emphasizing different law enforcement and surveillance use case scenarios. SCface database of facial imagery was collected at the Video Communications Laboratory, Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing, University of Zagreb, Croatia. The database is used to develop, test, and evaluate face recognition algorithms. To advance the state-of-the-art in face recognition the SCface database will be made available to researchers in face recognition on a case by case basis only. All requests for the SCface database must be submitted in writing to Prof. Mislav Grgic. To receive a copy of the database, the researcher must sign this document and thereby agree to honour the restrictions listed in this document. Breach of the restrictions in this document will result in access being denied for the balance of the SCface database and being subject to civil damages in the case of publication of images that have not been approved for release, a violation of restriction 2 and 3 below. The database will be available to researchers online. There will be no charge for SCface database images. The researcher(s) agrees to the following restrictions on the database:

1. The SCface database will not be further distributed, published, copied, or further disseminated in any way or form whatsoever, whether for profit or not. This includes further distributing, copying or disseminating to a facility or organization unit in the requesting university, organization, or company. SCface images may be used to create new images but the downloaded images will not be modified.
2. For legal reasons and for the privacy of the database participants, images that can appear in reports, papers, and other documents published or released are those with subjectID: 001, 002, 045 or 102 in the SCface database. For these images no approval is required. All other images will never appear in any document of any form. Any image will never be released in commercial materials, newspapers, or other public medias.
3. All the images will be used for the purpose of academic or scientific research only. The SCface database, in whole or in part, will not be used for any commercial purpose in any form. Commercial distribution or any act related to commercial use of this database is strictly prohibited.
4. All documents and papers that report research results obtained using the SCface database will acknowledge the use of the SCface database. Use of the SCface database will be acknowledged as follows: "Portions of the research in this paper use the SCface database of facial images. Credit is hereby given to the University of Zagreb, Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing for providing the database of facial images." and citations to:

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5. A copy of all published papers, reports and other documents that use the SCface database must be forwarded to Prof. Mislav Grgic immediately upon publication, to the address available at the bottom of this document.
6. While every effort has been made to ensure accuracy, SCface database owners cannot accept responsibility for errors or omissions.
7. Use of SCface database is free of charge.
8. SCface database owners reserve the right to revise, amend, alter or delete the information provided herein at any time, but shall not be responsible for or liable in respect of any such revisions, amendments, alterations or deletions.
9. The final explanation of this agreement refers to Prof. Mislav Grgic.

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