

# FACE RECOGNITION: ROBUST TRANSFER LEARNING USING THE MULTIVERSE LOSS

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# Why faces?

1. The most frequent entity in the media by far: e.g. ~1.2 faces / Photo on avg
2. Understanding identification
3. One class, billions of instances

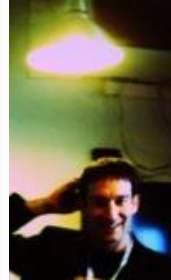


# Challenges in Unconstrained Face Recognition

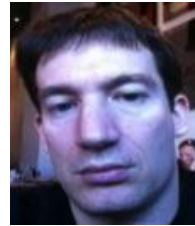
1. Pose



2. Illumination



3. Expression



4. Aging



5. Occlusion



Probes for example

Gallery



# Unconstrained Face Recognition Era: The Labeled Faces in the Wild (LFW)



13,233 photos of 5,749 celebrities



Labeled faces in the wild: A database for studying face recognition in unconstrained environments, Huang, Jain, Learned-Miller, ECCVW, 2008

# Face verification



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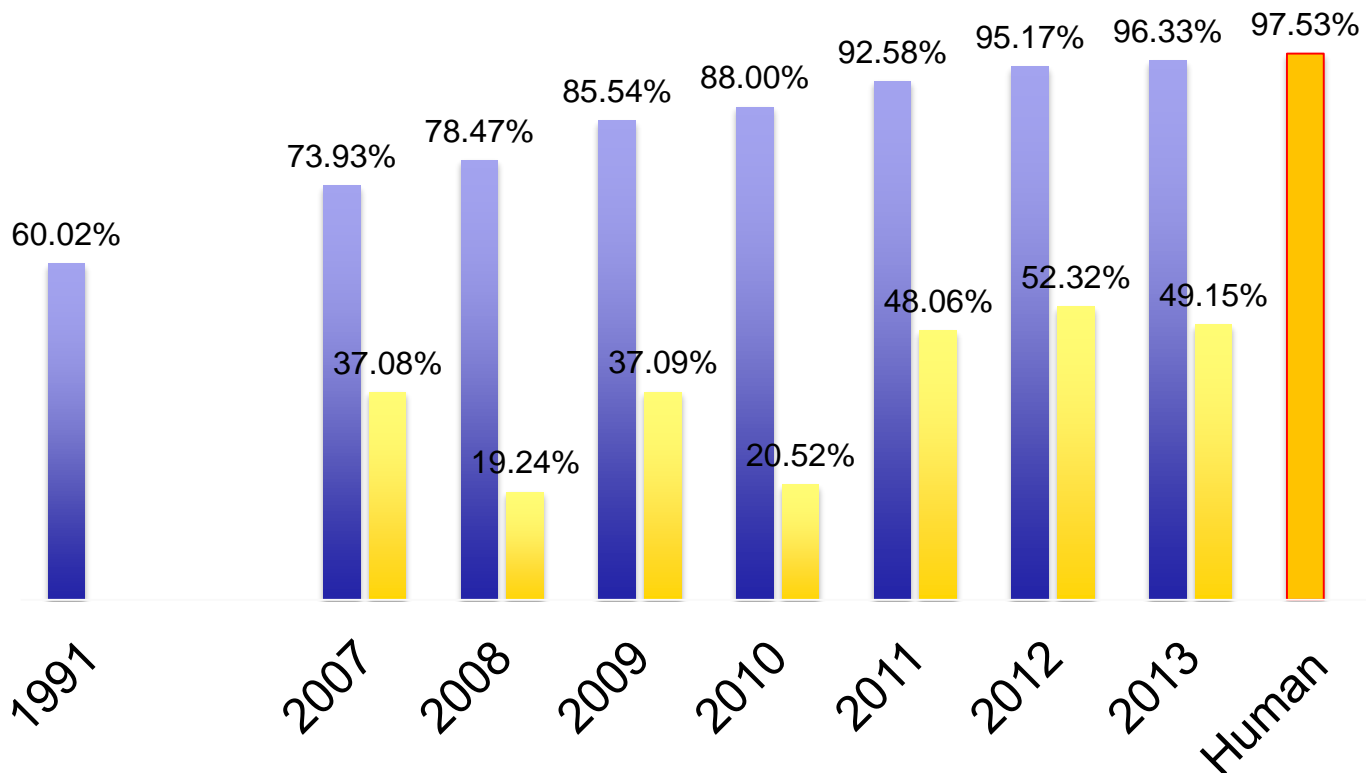


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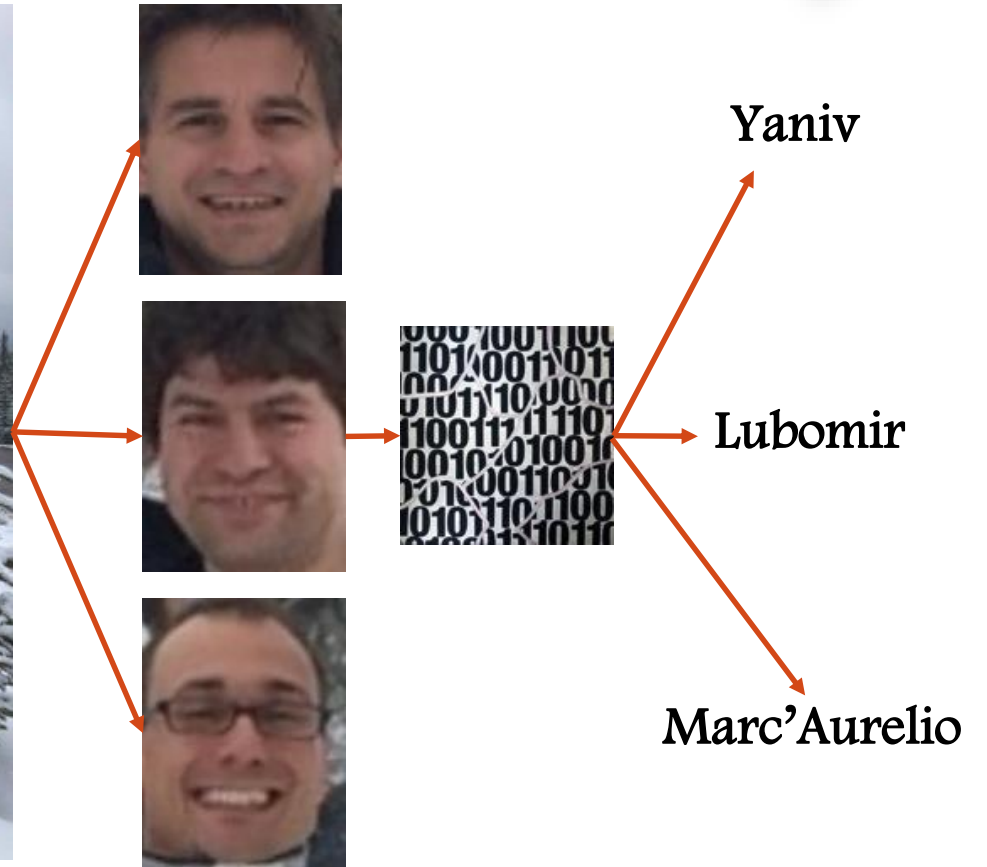
# Progress over the past 7 years

- Accuracy / year
- Reduction of error wrt human / year



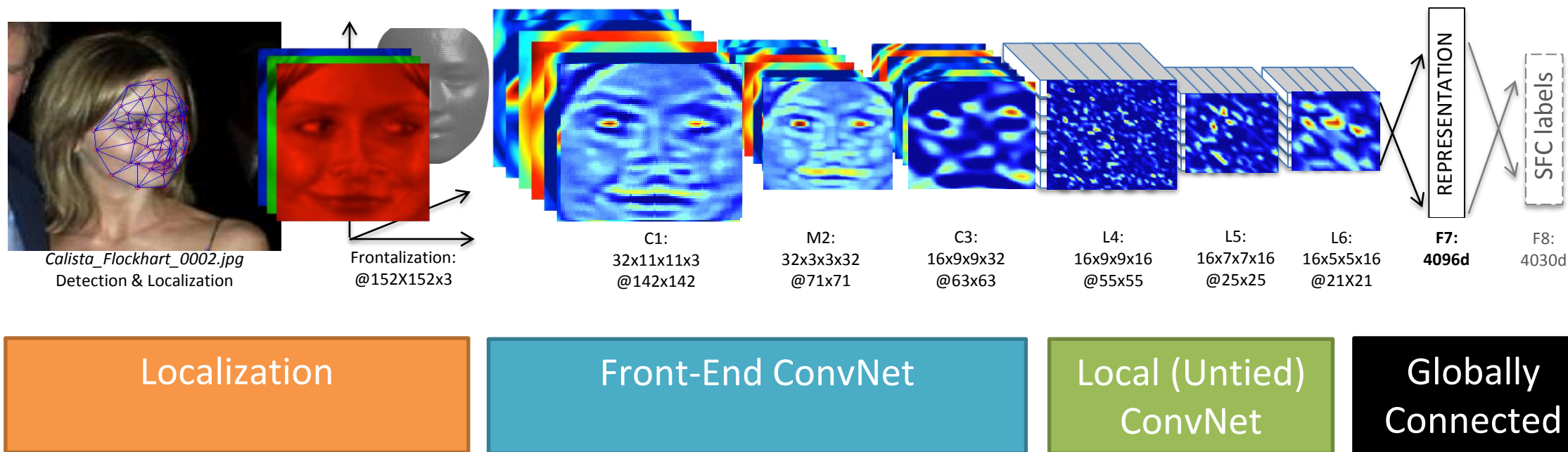
*Labeled Faces in the Wild: A Database for Studying Face Recognition in Unconstrained Environments (results page), Gary B. Huang, Manu Ramesh, Tamara Berg and Erik Learned-Miller.*

# Face Recognition Pipeline

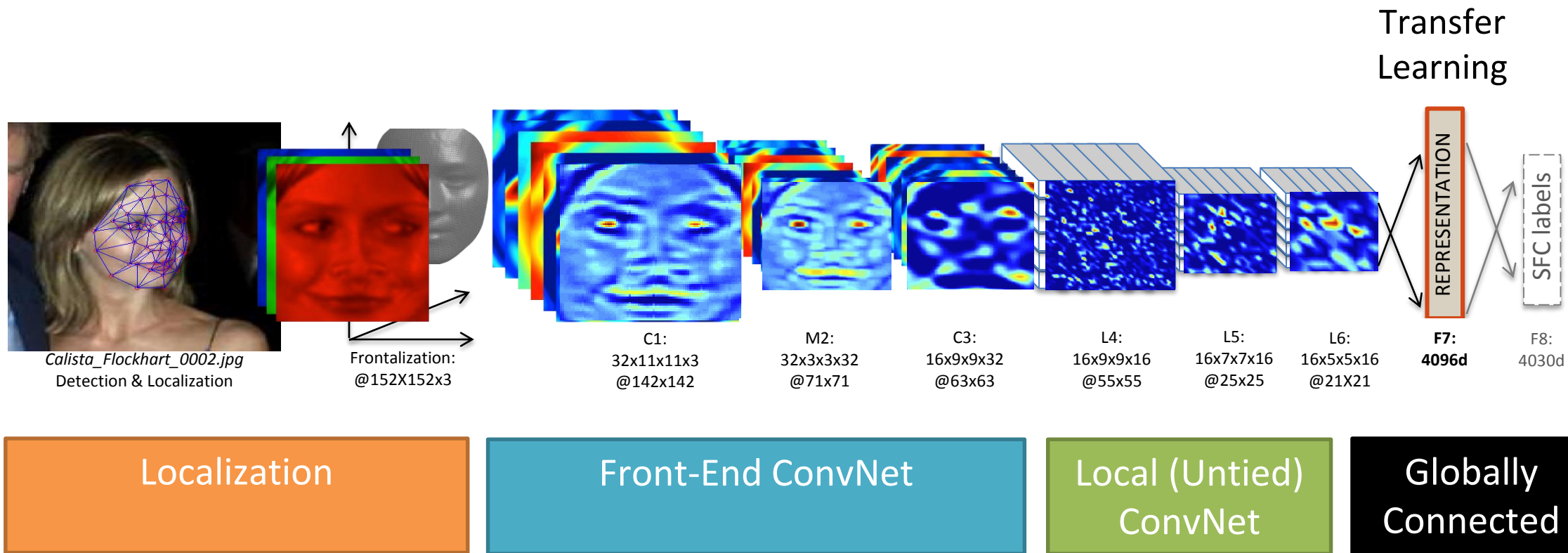




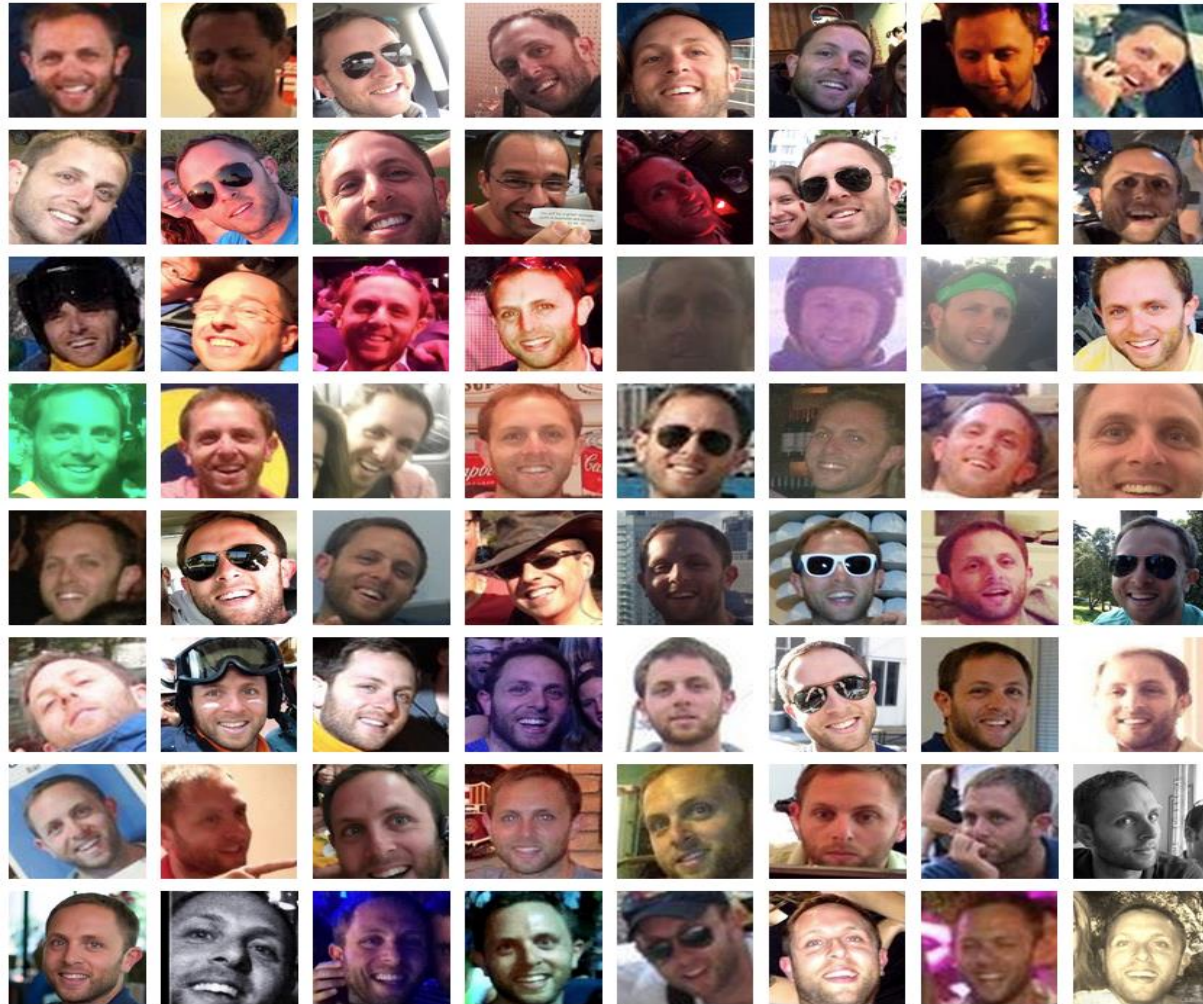
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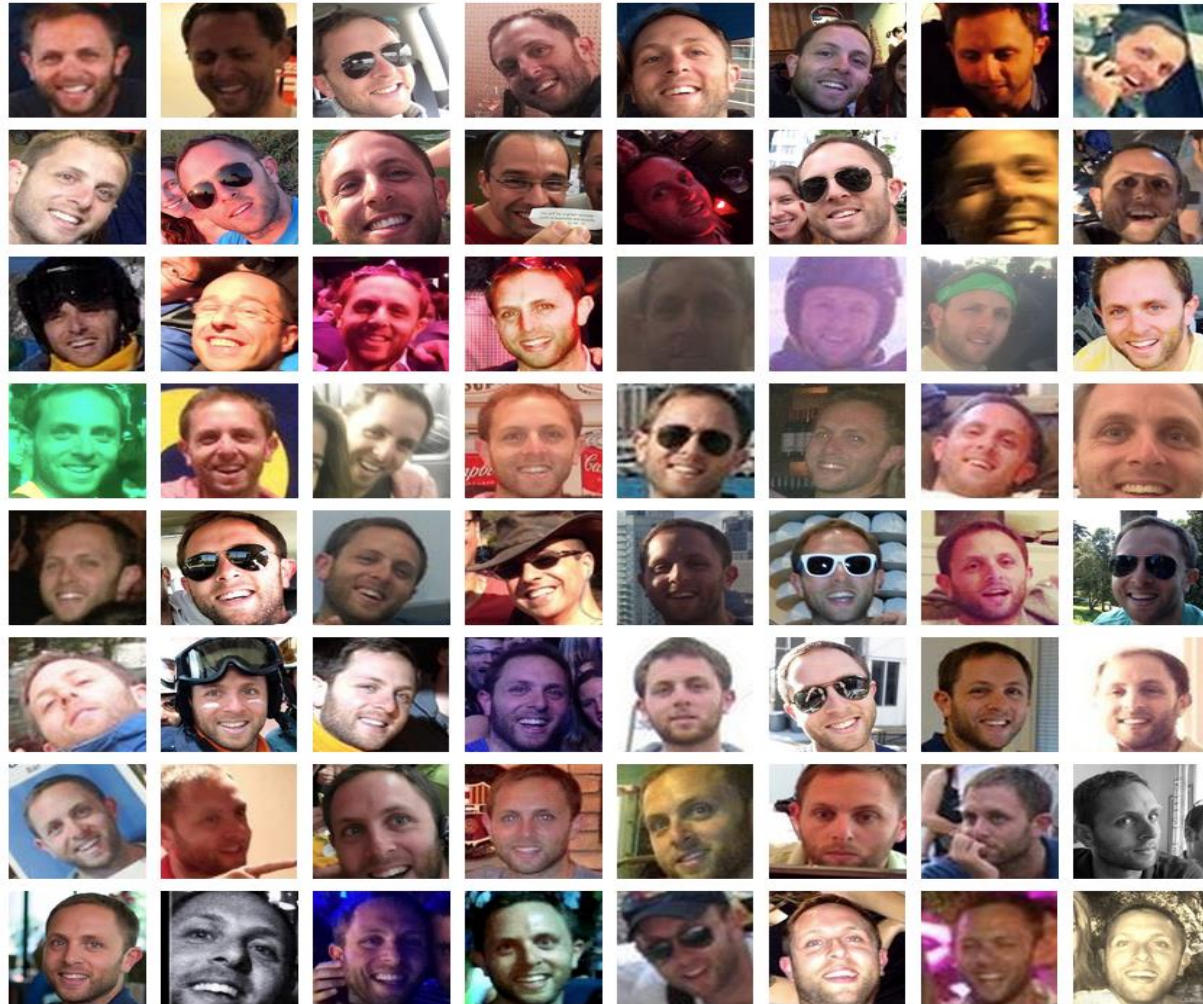


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# The tradeoffs that govern transfer learning

- I. For a given budget of samples. How to split between classes and samples per class.
- II. Having too many samples and not enough classes leads to overfitting. But not the other way around.
- III. The size of the representation and the number of training samples.
- IV. Saturation.

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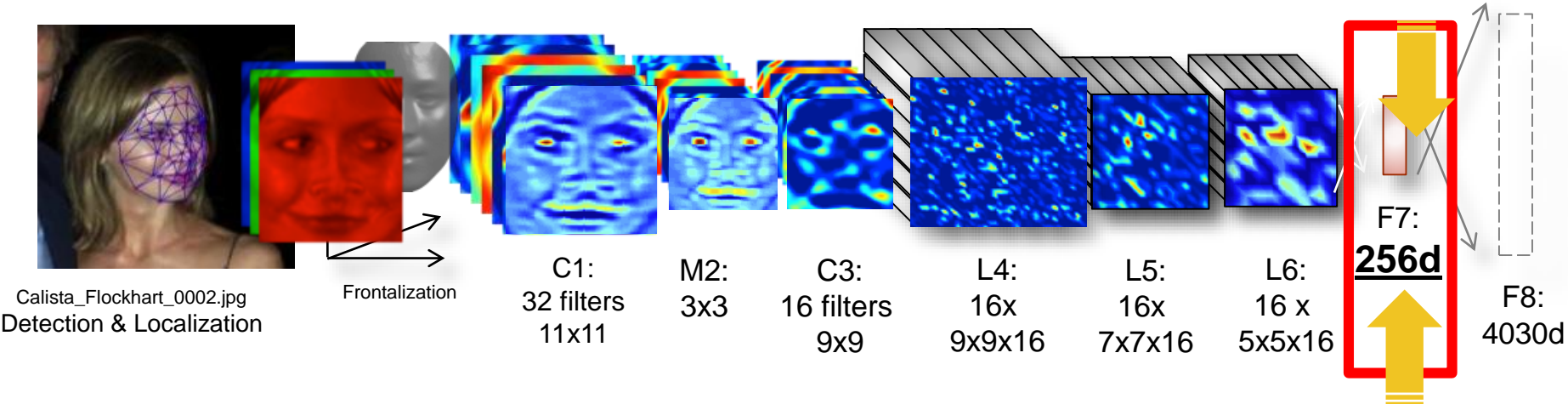
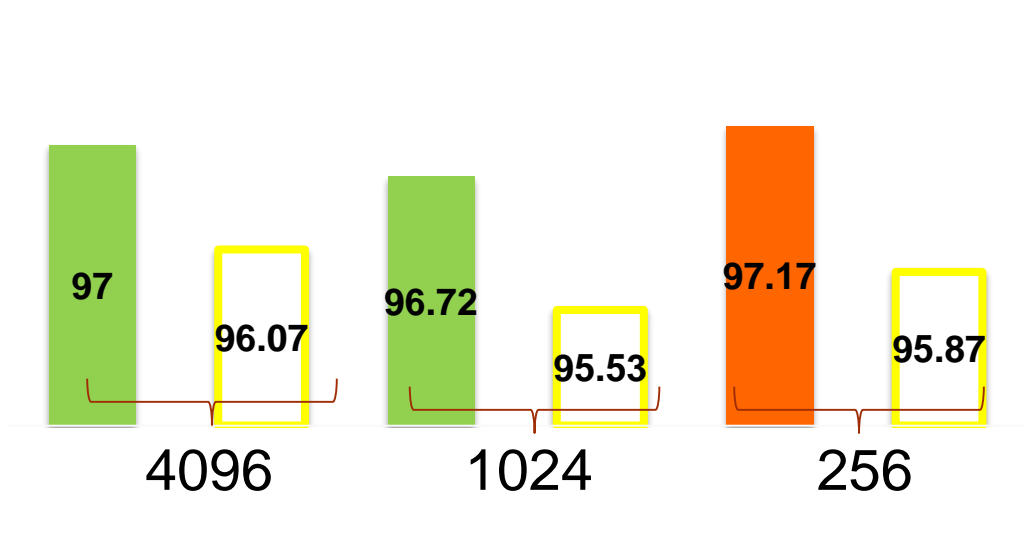
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# What size representation is ideal?

The network overfits less on the SOURCE training set, and performs better on the TARGET when reducing the representation layer (F7) from 4K dims to **256 dims**.



# Can the data suggest optimal dim?

- The dimensionality of the representations is mostly wasted
  - Full rank representation
  - Decisions made based on few dims

Trout



Tulip



Sea turtle



Wardrobe



Whale



Osier



Grey wolf



Woman



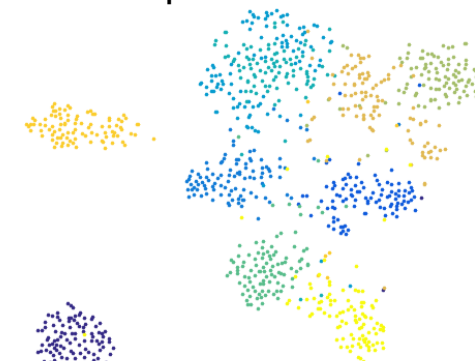
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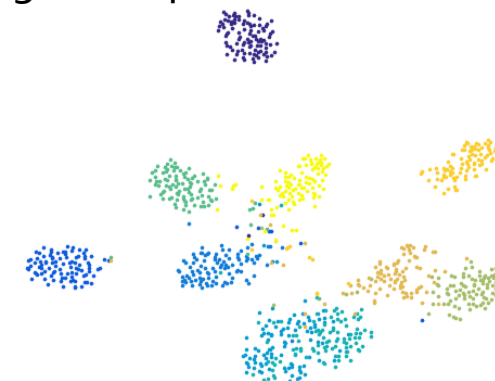
Train



Regular: 90D,  
little separation

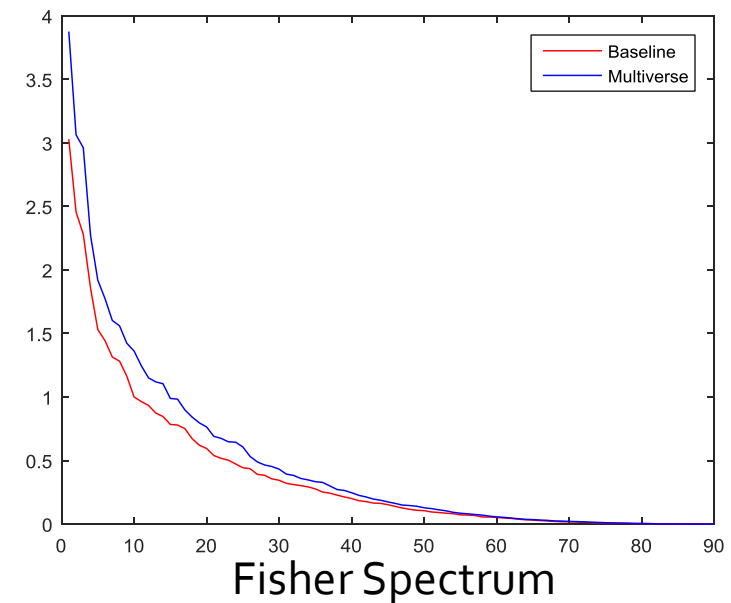
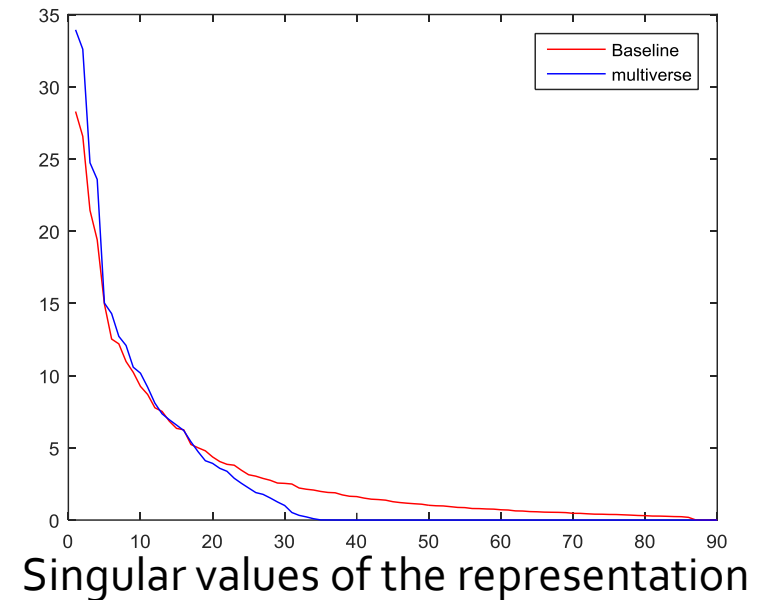


Multiverse: 35D,  
good separation



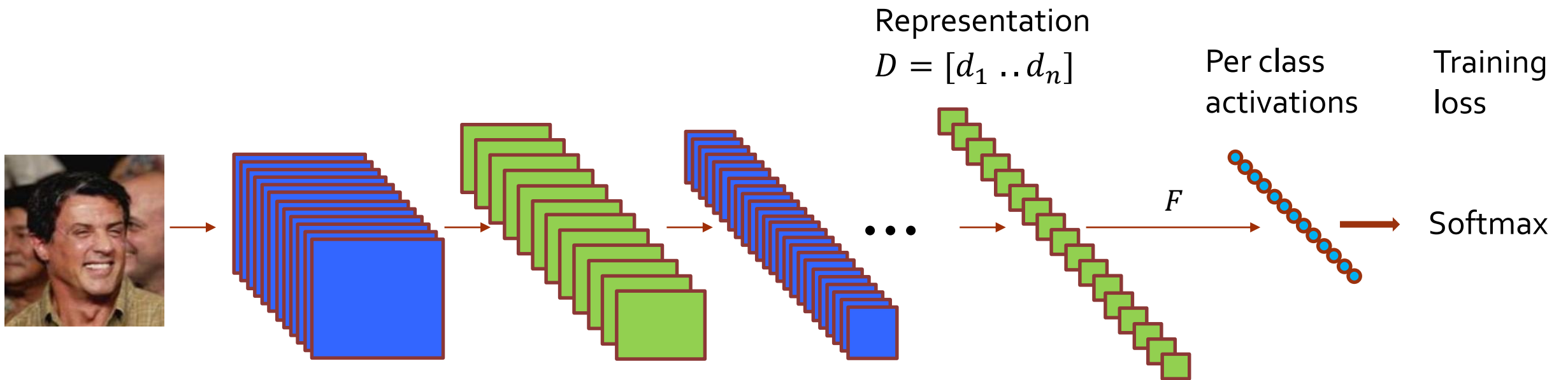
# Our goals

- Reduce the dimensionality of the representation
- Improve the discriminative power of each dimension
- Let the data speak  
No extra parameter





# A conventional network

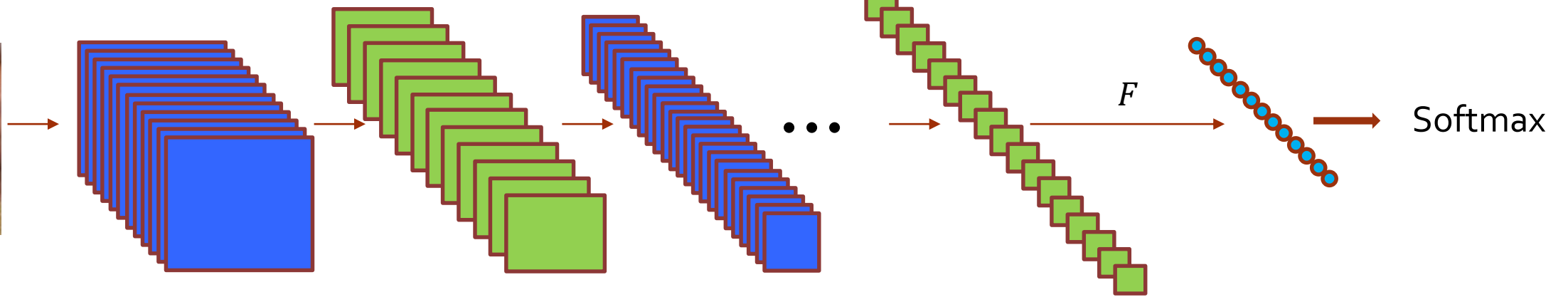


$$F \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times c}$$

where  $c$  is #classes

$d$  is the representation dim

# A conventional network



Representation  
 $D = [d_1 \dots d_n]$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n -\log \frac{e^{d_i^\top f_{y_i} + b_{y_i}}}{\sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^\top f_j + b_j}}$$

Per class  
activations

Training  
loss

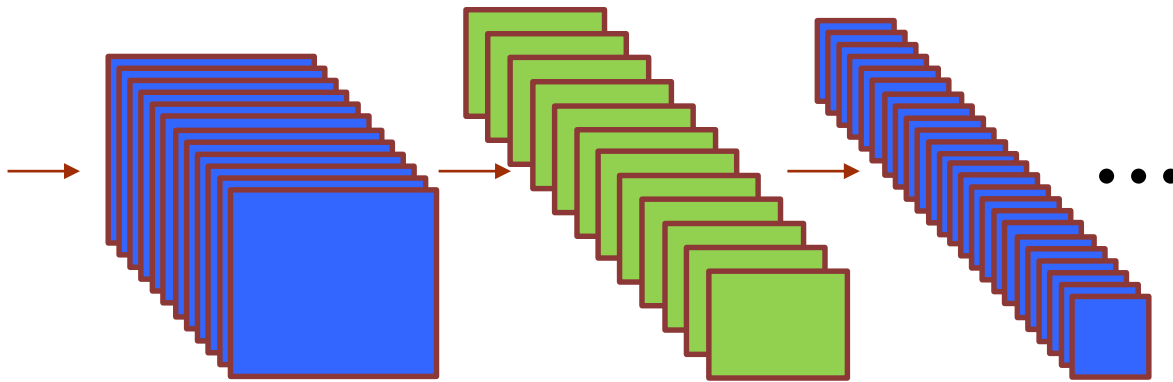
Softmax

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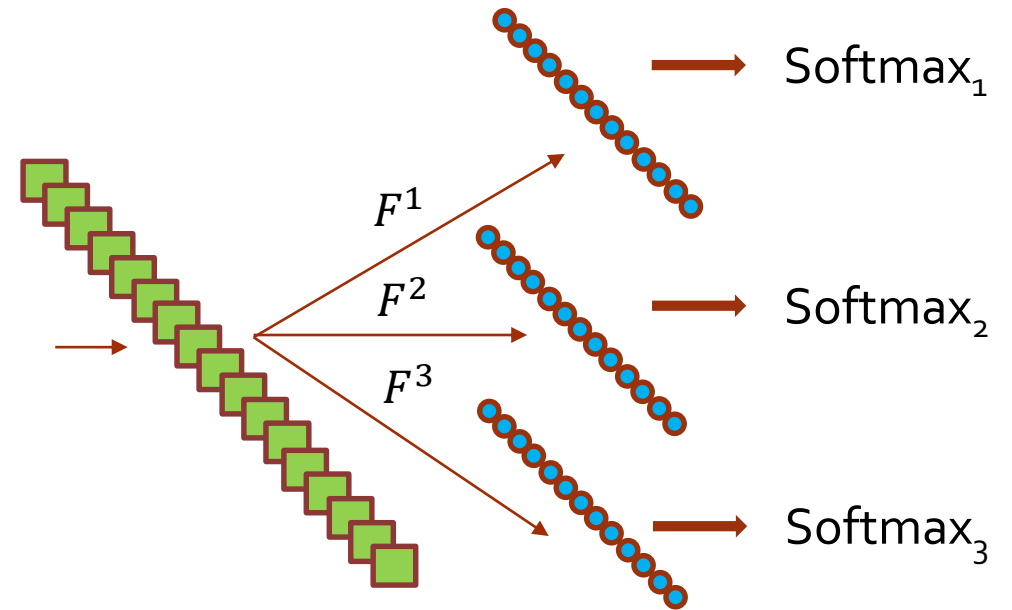
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# The multiverse network



One network,  
multiple parallel  
activations

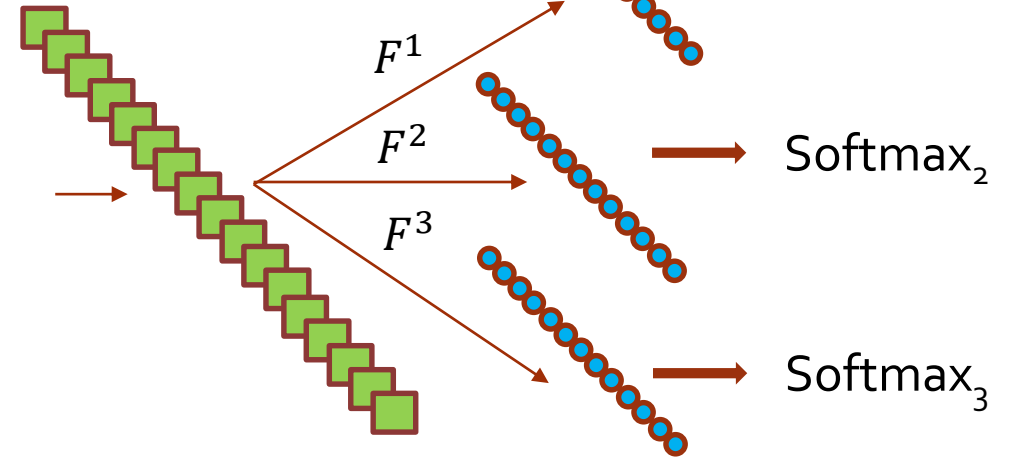
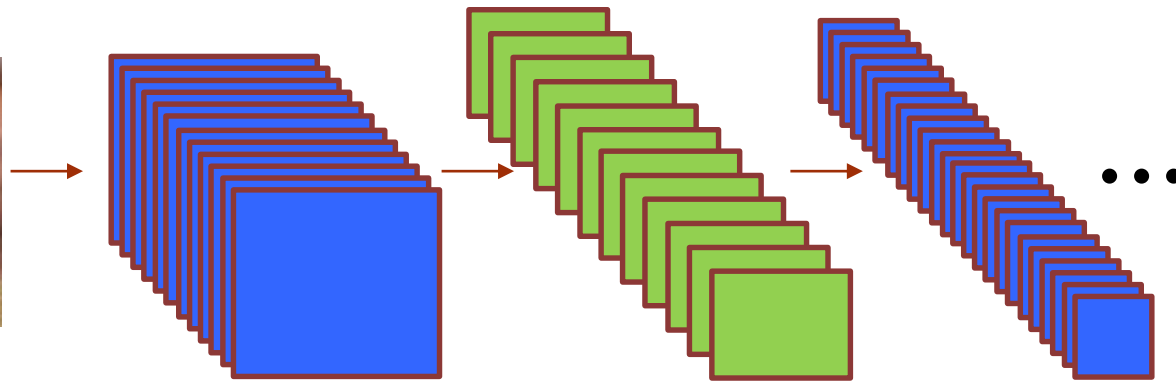


$$F^i \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times c}$$

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# The multiverse network -- loss



$$\frac{1}{m} \sum \text{loss}_i$$

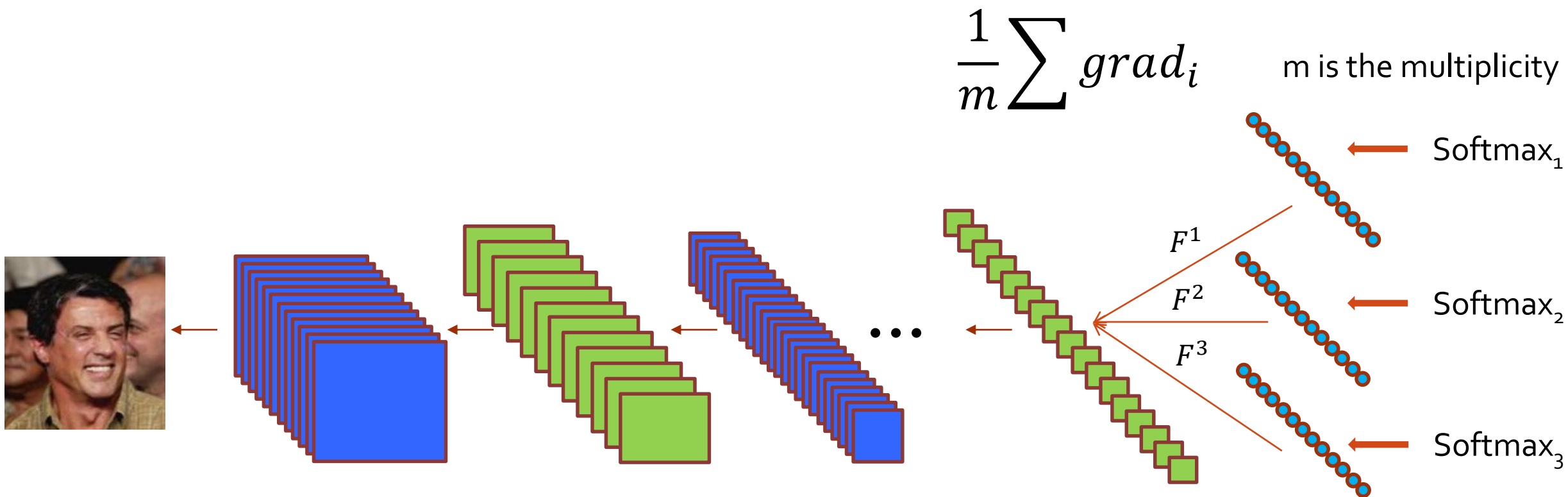
m is the multiplicity

$$F^i \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times c}$$

where c is #classes

d is the representation dim

# The multiverse network -- backprop



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$d$  is the representation dim

# Enforcing orthogonality

- Enforce orthogonal solutions:

$$F^1 = [f_1^1, f_2^1, \dots, f_c^1]$$

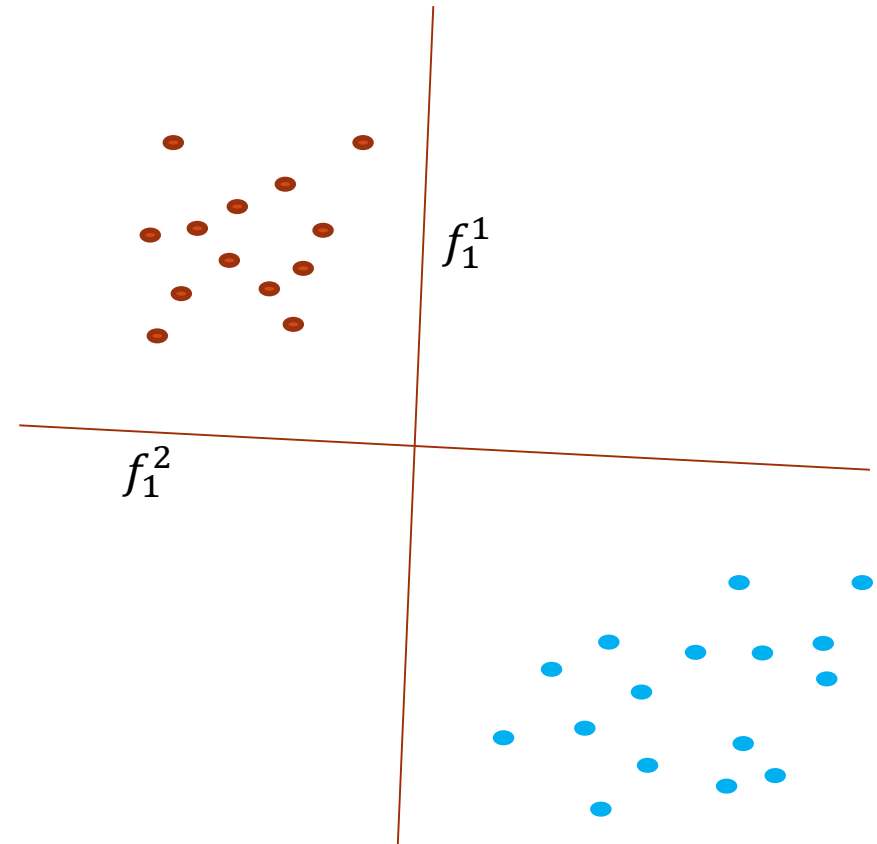
$$F^2 = [f_1^2, f_2^2, \dots, f_c^2] \quad \forall_j f_j^1 \perp f_j^2$$

- Practically, the loss used is:

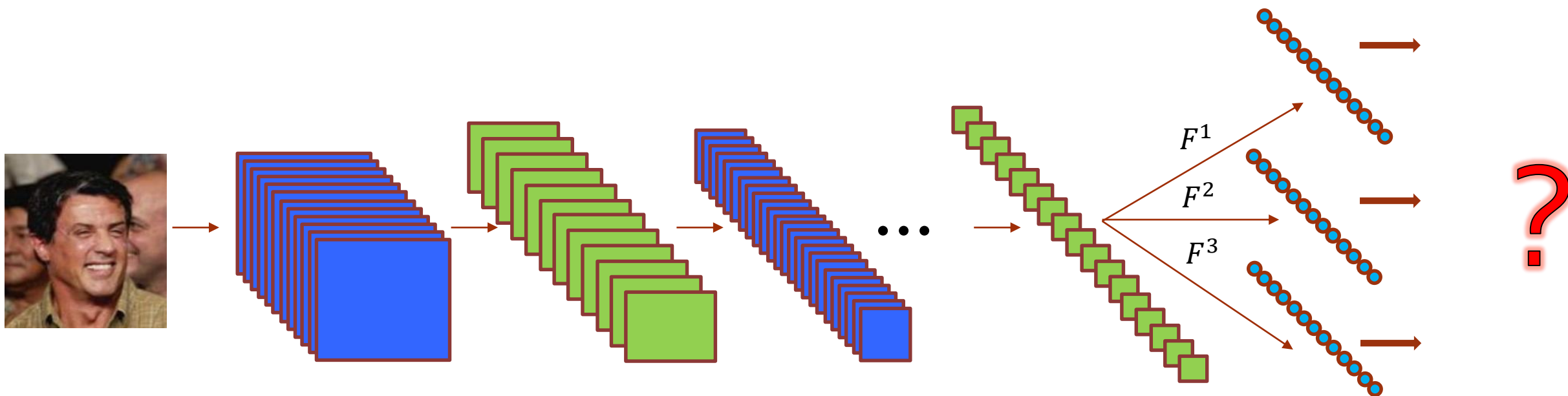
$$L' = \sum_{i=1}^n -\log \frac{e^{d_i^\top f_{y_i}^1 + b_{y_i}^1}}{\sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^\top f_j^1 + b_j^1}} - \log \frac{e^{d_i^\top f_{y_i}^2 + b_{y_i}^2}}{\sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^\top f_j^2 + b_j^2}}$$

$$+\lambda_1 \|F^1\|_2 + \lambda_1 \|F^2\|_2 + \lambda_1 \|b^1\|_2 + \lambda_1 \|b^2\|_2$$

$$+\lambda_2 \sum_{j=1}^c |f_j^{1\top} f_j^2|$$

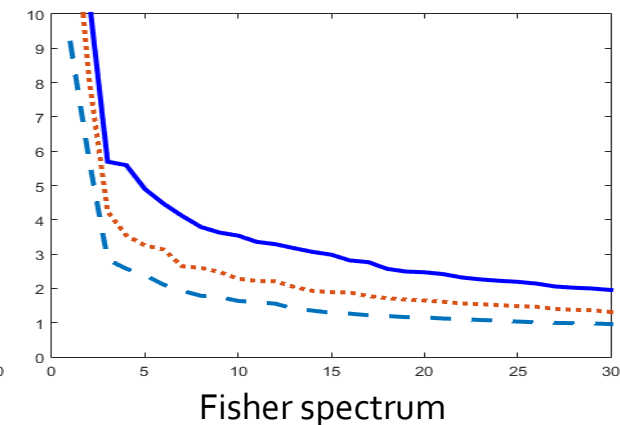
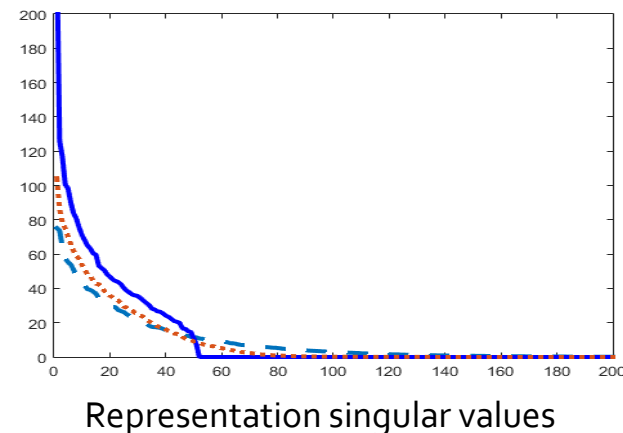
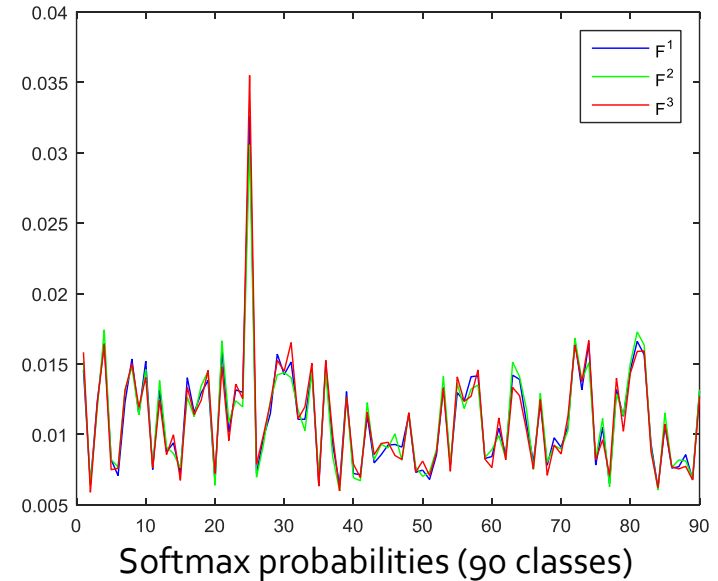


# The multiverse network during test



# Surprising properties emerge

- I. The solutions are indeed orthogonal...  
... but they all give the same softmax probabilities
- II. The dimensionality drops abruptly
- III. The Fisher Spectrum improves





# Cross entropy loss supports multiplicity

- Due to the properties of the softmax, there are multiple ways to get the same probabilities

**Lemma 1.** The minimizers  $F^*, b^*$  of the cross entropy loss  $L$  are not unique, and it holds that for any vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^c$  and scalar  $s$ , the solutions  $F^* + v\mathbb{1}_c^T, b^* + s\mathbb{1}_c$  are also minimizers of  $L$ .

*Proof.* denoting  $V = v\mathbb{1}_c^T, s = s\mathbb{1}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} L(F^* + V, b^* + s, D, y) &= \\ &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{e^{d_i^T f_{y_i} + d_i^T v + b_{y_i} + s}}{\sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^T f_j + d_i^T v + b_j + s}} \right) \\ &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{e^{d_i^T v + s} e^{d_i^T f_{y_i} + b_{y_i}}}{\sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^T v + s} e^{d_i^T f_j + b_j}} \right) \\ &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{e^{d_i^T v + s} e^{d_i^T f_{y_i} + b_{y_i}}}{e^{d_i^T v + s} \sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^T f_j + b_j}} \right) \\ &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{e^{d_i^T f_{y_i} + b_{y_i}}}{\sum_{j=1}^c e^{d_i^T f_j + b_j}} \right) = L(F^*, b^*, D, y) \end{aligned}$$

# If full rank, then Lemma 1 is IFF

- For full rank representation  $D$  the construction shown in Lemma 1 is the only way to obtain multiplicity

**Theorem 1.** Assume the minimal loss  $L^*(D, y)$  is obtained at two solutions  $F^1, b^1$  and  $F^2, b^2$ . If  $\text{rank}(D) = d$ , then there exists some vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^c$  and some scalar  $s$  such that  $F^1 - F^2 = v\mathbb{1}_c^\top$  and  $b^1 - b^2 = s\mathbb{1}_c$ .

Proof gist:

From the convexity of the cross entropy loss we infer a condition on the null space of the Hessian.

We show that for full rank representation, the Hessian has a zero singular value in only a few restrictive directions.

*Proof.* Let  $\Psi = [\psi_1, \psi_2, \dots, \psi_c] = F^2 - F^1$ , and let  $\psi$  denote the concatenation of the column vectors  $\psi_{1\dots c}$  into a single column vector. From convexity:

$$\psi^T \nabla^2 L(D, y) \Big|_{F^1} \psi = \psi^T \frac{\partial L(D, y)^2}{\partial F \partial F} \Big|_{F^1} \psi = 0$$

For full rank  $D$ , we aim to prove that:

$$\psi_1 = \psi_2 \dots = \psi_c$$

# Proof of theorem 1

The hessian can be written:

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial F_{ju} \partial F_{j'v}} L(D, y) =$$
$$- \sum_{i=1}^n d_{iu} d_{iv} p_i(j) (\delta_{j=j'} (1 - p_i(j)) - \delta_{j \neq j'} p_i(j'))$$

After some manipulation:

$$\psi^T \frac{\partial^2}{\partial F \partial F} L(D, y) \Big|_{F^1} \psi =$$
$$\sum_{j=1}^c \sum_{j'=j+1}^c (\psi_j - \psi_{j'})^T \sum_{i=1}^n d_i d_i^T p_i(j) p_i(j') (\psi_j - \psi_{j'})$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n d_i d_i^T p_i(j) p_i(j') \quad \text{- PD matrix}$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^c \sum_{j'=j+1}^c (\psi_j - \psi_{j'})^T \sum_{i=1}^n d_i d_i^T p_i(j) p_i(j') (\psi_j - \psi_{j'})$$

Vanishes if and only  
if  $\psi_j = \psi_{j'}$



# ... now add orthogonality to the mix

- For full rank representations  $D$  multiple **orthogonal** classifiers are only possible for very specific (degenerate) classifier collections

**Theorem 2.** Assume that  $\text{rank}(D) = d$ , that  $d < c$ , and that the minimal loss  $L^*(D, y)$  is obtained at a solution  $F^1, b^1$ . If there exists a second minimizer  $F^2, b^2$  such that for all  $j \in [1 \dots c]$  the orthogonality constraint  $f_{j^1}^1 \perp f_{j^1}^2$  holds, then  $F^1$  admits to a stringent second order constraint.

Proof gist:

We employ theorem 1 and get equations of the form

$$F^{1T}v = - \begin{pmatrix} \|f_1^1\|^2 \\ \|f_2^1\|^2 \\ \vdots \\ \|f_c^1\|^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

# The good news

- It is possible to obtain multiple orthogonal solutions that are almost as good as a single solution
- It requires the existence of small singular values in  $D$
- **Hence the low rank property**

**Theorem 3.** There exist sets of weights  $F^1 = [f_1^1, f_2^1, \dots, f_c^1], b^1, F^2 = [f_1^2, f_2^2, \dots, f_c^2], b^2$  which are orthogonal as follows  $\forall j \ f_j^1 \perp f_j^2$ , for which the joint loss:

$$J(F^1, b^1, F^2, b^2, D, y) = L(F^1, b^1, D, y) + L(F^2, b^2, D, y)$$

is bounded by

$$2L^*(D, y) \leq J(F^1, b^1, F^2, b^2, D, y) \leq 2L^*(D, y) + A\lambda_d$$

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$\lambda_d$  is the smallest singular value of  $D$ .

# Proving Theorem 3

Proof gist: Using series expansion around  $F^1 = F^*$

$$L(F^1 + \Psi, b^1) = L(F^1 + \Psi, b^1) + (\vec{v}^T \psi) L(D, y) \Big|_{F^1, b^1} + R(\psi)$$

The remainder term (Lagrange form):

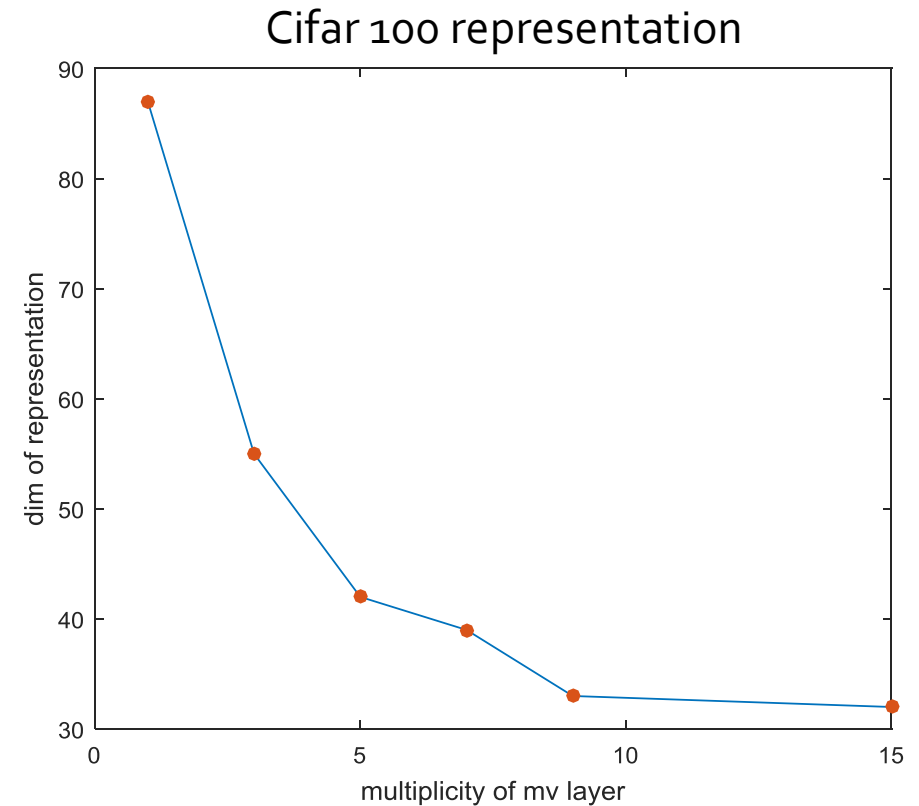
$$\begin{aligned} R(\psi) &= \frac{1}{2} (\vec{v}^T \psi)^2 L(D, y) \Big|_{\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^c \sum_{j'=j+1}^c (\psi_j - \psi_{j'})^T \sum_{i=1}^n d_i d_i^T p_i(j) p_i(j') (\psi_j - \psi_{j'}) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^c \sum_{j'=j+1}^c (\psi_j - \psi_{j'})^T D D^T (\psi_j - \psi_{j'}) \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3 generalization.** There exist sets of weights  $F^1 = [f_1^1, f_2^1, \dots, f_c^1], b^1 \dots F^m = [f_1^m, f_2^m, \dots, f_c^m], b^m$  which are orthogonal as follows  $\forall ijk f_j^i \perp f_j^k$ , for which the joint loss:

$$\begin{aligned} J(F^1, b^1 \dots F^m, b^m, D, y) &= \sum_{r=1}^m L(F^r, b^r, D, y) \\ mL^*(D, y) &\leq J(F^1, b^1 \dots F^m, b^m, D, y) \\ &\leq mL^*(D, y) + \sum_{l=1}^{m-1} A_l \lambda_{d-l+1} \end{aligned}$$

# Compact representation

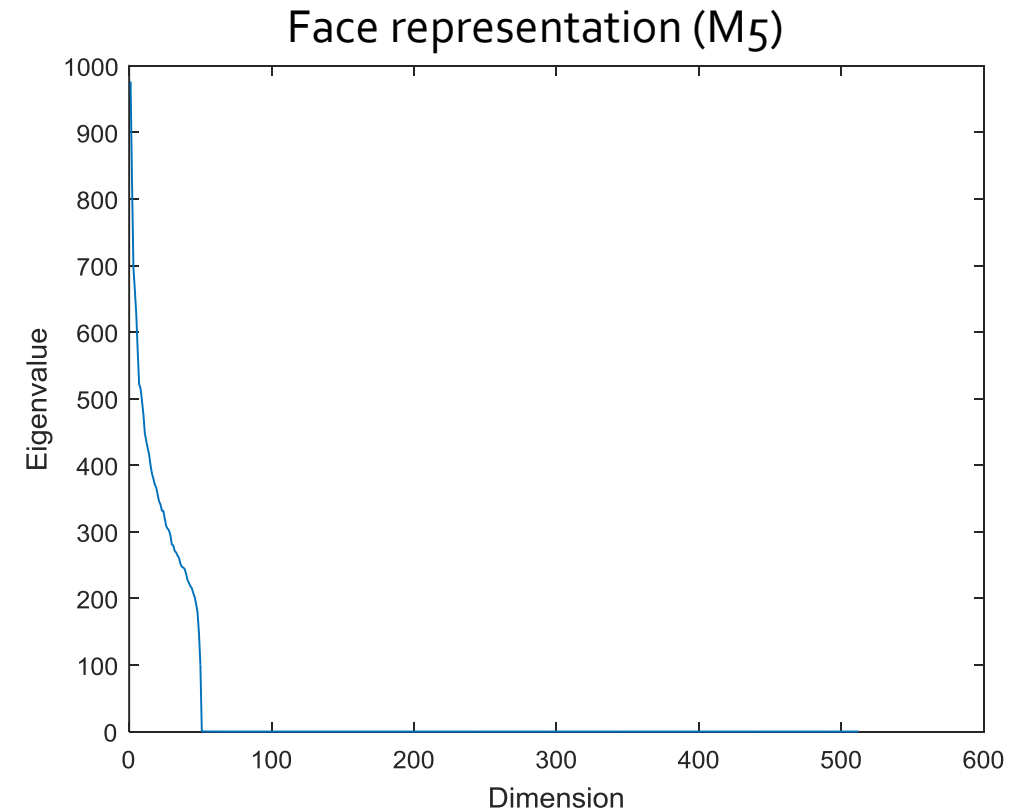
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51 dimensional representation!

# Fisher Spectrum betterment

Between class covariance:

$$S_b = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^c n_j (\mu - \mu_j)(\mu - \mu_j)^T$$

Within class covariance:

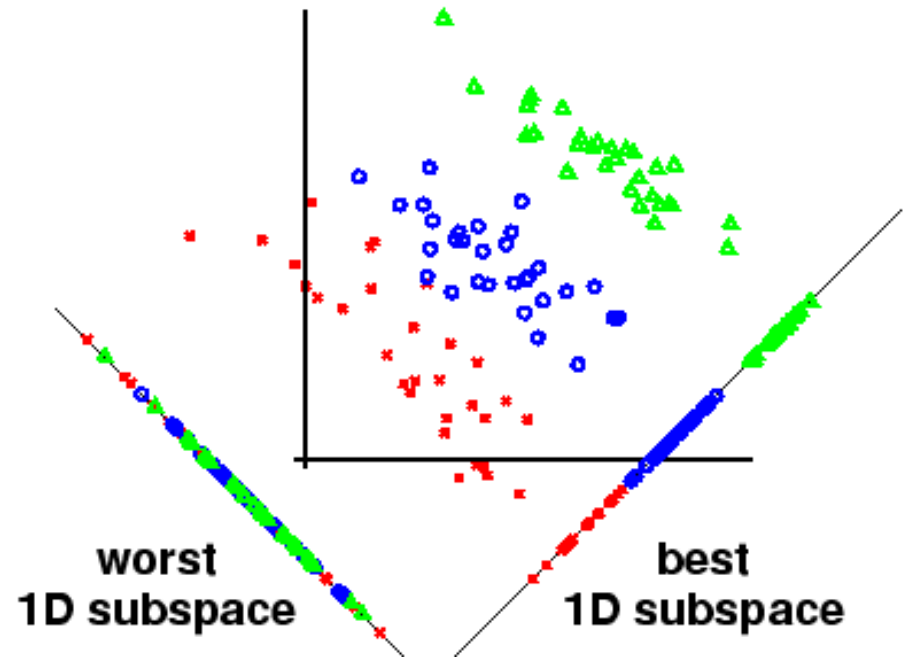
$$S_w = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^c \sum_{i \in I_j} (d_i - \mu_j)(d_i - \mu_j)^T$$

Fisher spectrum:

$$S_b v = \gamma S_w v$$

Fisher ratio:

$$\sigma(v, S_b, S_w) = \frac{v^T S_b v}{v^T S_w v}$$



# How to measure post-transfer success

- The Joint Bayesian (JB) method is a popular learning face verification method

Chen et al. Bayesian face revisited: a joint formulation. ECCV, 2012

- Two densities are learned

$P(d, d' | H)$  and  $P(d, d' | I)$

$H$ : Same hypothesis

$I$ : Not same hypothesis



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# Good Fisher Spectrum $\Rightarrow$ Good JB separation

**Theorem 5.** Given data  $D$ , mean  $\mu$  and labels  $y$ , for any centered data point  $\hat{d}_i = d_i - \mu$ , we denote  $d'_i = (S_b + S_w)^{-1} \hat{d}_i$ . Given two centered data points  $\hat{d}_1, \hat{d}_2$  such that the fisher ratios  $\sigma(d'_1, S_b, S_w), \sigma(d'_2, S_b, S_w) < T$ , it holds that:

$$1 - 2T \leq \frac{\log P(d_1, d_2 | H) + \eta_1}{\log P(d_1, d_2 | I) + \eta_2} \leq 1 + 6T$$

↙ JB Probability of same person

↘ JB Probability of different persons

“Difficult to tell if same or not-same if all the difference between the faces is in directions with low fisher scores”



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# The emergence of high fisher scores

- We prove the emergence of better fisher spectrum using  $S_w$  orthogonality.

$$F^1 = [f_1^1, f_2^1, \dots, f_c^1]$$

$$F^2 = [f_1^2, f_2^2, \dots, f_c^2]$$

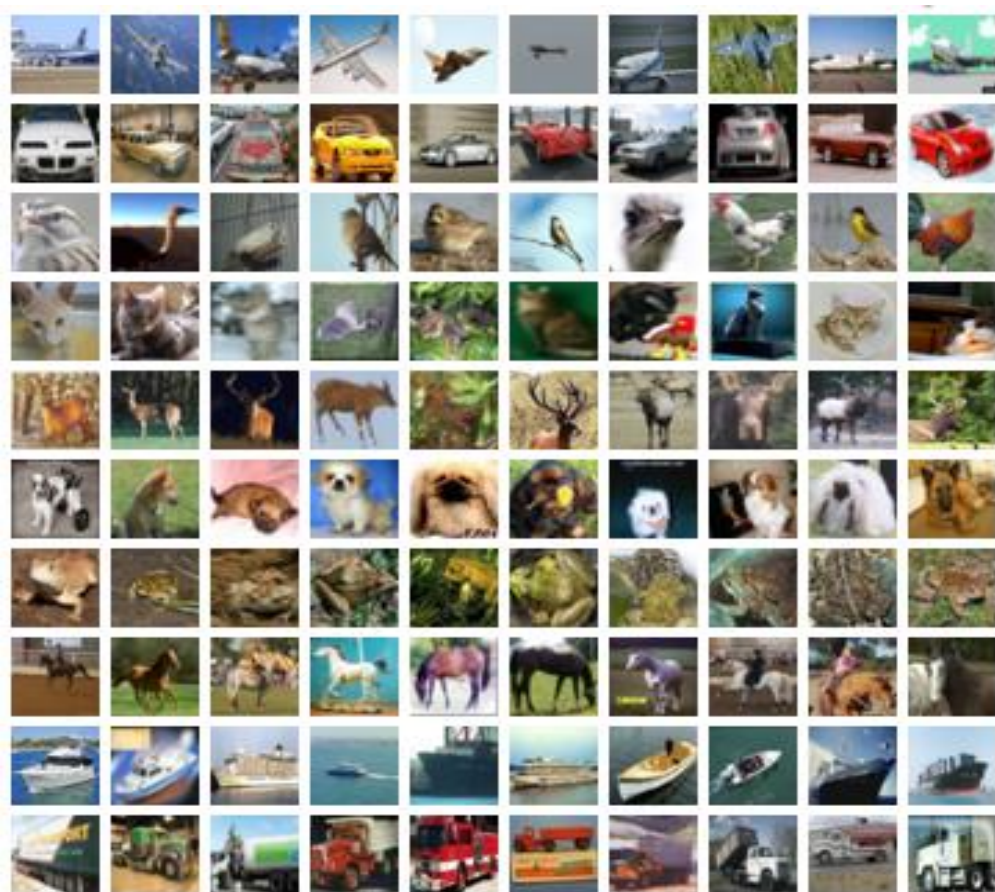
$$\forall_j, f_j^1 \perp_{S_w} f_j^2$$

- Experimentally, improved fisher spectrum is demonstrated in both types of orthogonality

**Theorem 6.** Let  $f^1 \dots f^m$  be a set of  $m$  classifiers that are  $S_w$ -orthogonal for data  $D$  and labels  $y$ , and let  $\gamma = [\gamma_1 \dots \gamma_d]$  denote the Fisher spectrum. Given that  $\forall 1 \leq r \leq m$ , for some value  $\theta$ ,  $\sigma(f^r, S_b, S_w) \geq \theta$ , it holds that  $\sum_{k=1}^d \gamma_k \geq \sqrt{m}\theta$ .

# Experiments

## CIFAR-100 thumbnail recognition



## LFW face recognition

Same



Not same



# CIFAR-100 thumbnail recognition

- CIFAR-100
  - Learn on 90 classes
  - Transfer to the remaining 10

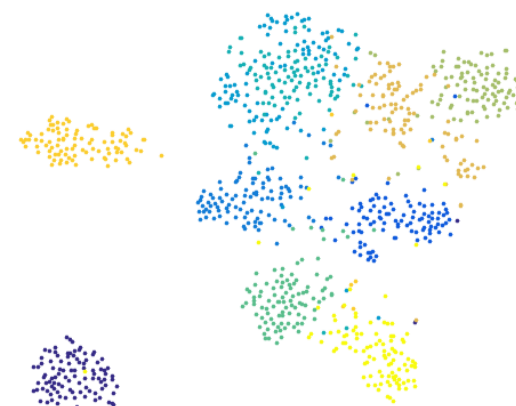


- Architecture: NIN
  - Lin, Chen, Yan. Network in Network. ICLR, 2014

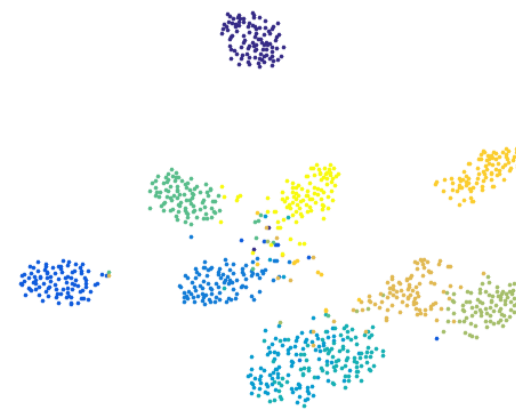
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Conv11	$5 \times 5 / 1$	3	192
Conv12	$1 \times 1 / 1$	192	160
Conv13	$1 \times 1 / 1$	160	96
Pool1	$3 \times 3 / 2$	96	–
Dropout1-0.5	–	–	–
Conv21	$5 \times 5 / 1$	96	192
Conv22	$1 \times 1 / 1$	192	192
Conv23	$1 \times 1 / 1$	192	100
Pool2	$3 \times 3 / 2$	192	–
Dropout1-0.5	–	–	–
Conv31	$3 \times 3 / 1$	192	192
Conv32	$1 \times 1 / 1$	192	192
Conv33	$1 \times 1 / 1$	192	100
Avg Pool	$7 \times 7 / 1$	100	–
FC	$1 \times 100 / 1$	100	100

# CIFAR-100 Results

Domain	Source	Target (transfer)	
Metric	Val error	Cosine	JB
M1	0.340	0.789	0.800
M2	0.340	0.791	0.804
M2 ( $S_w$ -orthogonal)	0.344	0.798	0.803
M3	0.345	0.801	0.812
M3 ( $S_w$ -orthogonal)	0.346	0.799	0.811
M4	0.351	0.807	0.82
M4 ( $S_w$ -orthogonal)	0.353	0.808	0.823
M5	0.360	0.812	0.833
M5 ( $S_w$ -orthogonal)	0.362	0.811	0.831
M6	0.369	0.816	0.838
M6 ( $S_w$ -orthogonal)	0.371	0.816	0.834
M7	0.375	0.815	0.831
M7 ( $S_w$ -orthogonal)	0.377	0.816	0.830



Baseline (M1)



Multiverse (M5)



# LFW face recognition

- Learn on CASIA dataset
- Use the Scratch architecture from the CASIA paper

Yi, Lei, Liao, Li. Learning face representation from scratch. arXiv, 2014

- Transfer to LFW

- The network used

Layer	Filter/Stride	#Channel	#Filter
Conv11	$3 \times 3 / 1$	1	32
Conv12	$3 \times 3 / 1$	32	64
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	64	–
Conv21	$3 \times 3 / 1$	64	64
Conv22	$3 \times 3 / 1$	64	128
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	128	–
Conv31	$3 \times 3 / 1$	128	96
Conv32	$3 \times 3 / 1$	96	192
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	192	–
Conv41	$3 \times 3 / 1$	192	128
Conv42	$3 \times 3 / 1$	128	256
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	256	–
Conv51	$3 \times 3 / 1$	256	160
Conv52	$3 \times 3 / 1$	160	320
Avg Pool	$6 \times 6 / 1$	320	–
Dropout1-0.3	–	–	–
FC	$1 \times 320 / 1$	320	100

# LFW results

Domain	Source	Target (transfer)		
Metric	Val error	Cosine	JB on source	JB on LFW splits
CASIA trained M1	0.07	$0.962 \pm 0.0032$	$0.966 \pm 0.0022$	$0.970 \pm 0.0016$
CASIA trained M1 (2)	0.07	$0.962 \pm 0.0021$	$0.966 \pm 0.0019$	$0.971 \pm 0.0022$
CASIA trained M1 (3)	0.07	$0.961 \pm 0.0022$	$0.966 \pm 0.0013$	$0.971 \pm 0.0015$
Ensemble of 3 CASIA M1		$0.968 \pm 0.0019$	$0.972 \pm 0.0021$	$0.975 \pm 0.0025$
CASIA trained M2	0.08	$0.970 \pm 0.0021$	$0.974 \pm 0.0017$	$0.976 \pm 0.0016$
CASIA trained M3	0.11	$0.972 \pm 0.0012$	$0.977 \pm 0.0015$	$0.980 \pm 0.0034$
CASIA trained M3 (2)	0.11	$0.971 \pm 0.0031$	$0.977 \pm 0.0028$	$0.979 \pm 0.0027$
CASIA trained M5 (1)	0.12	$0.973 \pm 0.0011$	$0.978 \pm 0.0014$	$0.981 \pm 0.0019$
CASIA trained M5 (2)	0.12	$0.972 \pm 0.0015$	$0.977 \pm 0.0019$	$0.980 \pm 0.0031$
3rd party DB, M5	0.12	$0.982 \pm 0.0034$	$0.982 \pm 0.0031$	$0.988 \pm 0.0035$
Two network ensemble		$0.985 \pm 0.0029$	$0.990 \pm 0.0027$	$0.991 \pm 0.0027$

# Compared to SOTA

Method	Single network	Ensemble result	#nets	Training dataset
M5	$0.9814 \pm 0.0019$	–		CASIA [41]
M5, 3rd party DB	$0.9883 \pm 0.0035$	$0.9905 \pm 0.0027$	2	proprietary 800k images
DeepFace [32]	$0.9700 \pm 0.0087$	$0.9735 \pm 0.0025$	7	proprietary, 4M images
DeepID [28]	–	$0.9745 \pm 0.0026$	25	proprietary, 160k
Original scratch [41]	$0.9773 \pm 0.0031$	–	1	CASIA [41]
Web-Scale Training [33]	0.9800	0.9843	4	proprietary, 500M images
MSU TR [38]	$0.9745 \pm 0.0099$	$0.9823 \pm 0.0068$	7	CASIA [41]
MMDFR [5]	$0.9843 \pm 0.0020$	$0.9902 \pm 0.0019$	8	proprietary, 500k
DeepID2 [25]	0.9633	$0.9915 \pm 0.0013$	25	proprietary, 160k
DeepID2+ [29]	0.9870	$0.9947 \pm 0.0012$	25	proprietary, 290k
FaceNet [23]	$0.9887 \pm 0.0015$	$0.9963 \pm 0.0009$	8	proprietary, 200M
FR+FCN [43](*)	–	$0.9645 \pm 0.0025$	5	CelebFaces [27], 88k
betaface.com(*)	–	$0.9808 \pm 0.0016$	NA	NA
Uni-Ubi(*)	–	$0.9900 \pm 0.0032$	NA	NA
Face++ [42](*)	–	$0.9950 \pm 0.0036$	4	proprietary, 5M face images
DeepID3 [26](*)	–	$0.9953 \pm 0.0010$	25	proprietary, 300k
Tencent-BestImage(*)	–	$0.9965 \pm 0.0025$	20	proprietary, 1M face images
Baidu [19](*)	–	$0.9977 \pm 0.0006$	10	proprietary, 1.2M face images
AuthenMetric(*)	–	$0.9977 \pm 0.0009$	25	proprietary, 500k face images

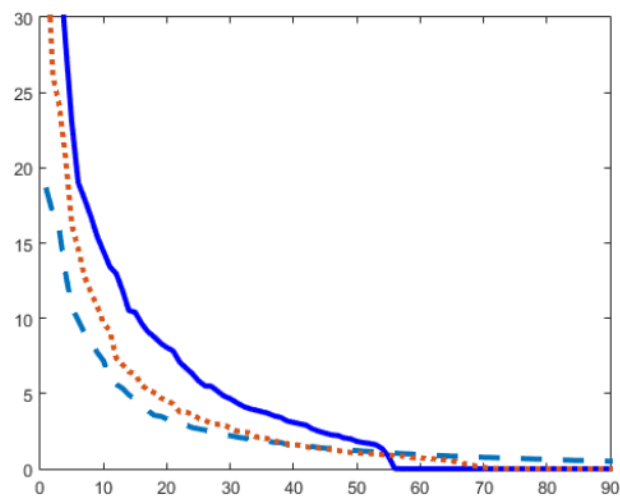
Excellent single network result

Relatively small dataset

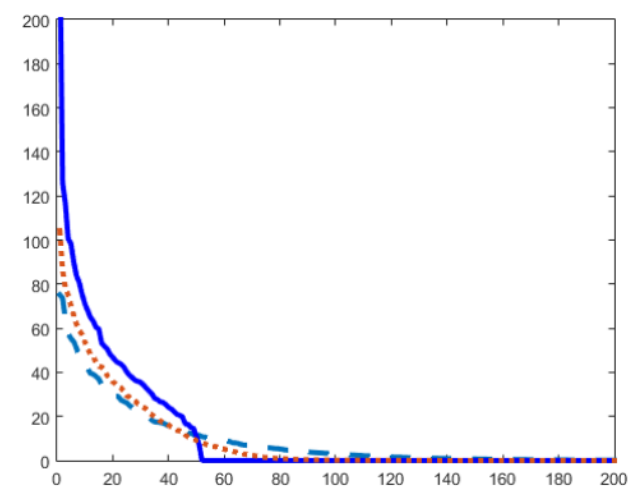
Extremely compact representation 51D

Representation  
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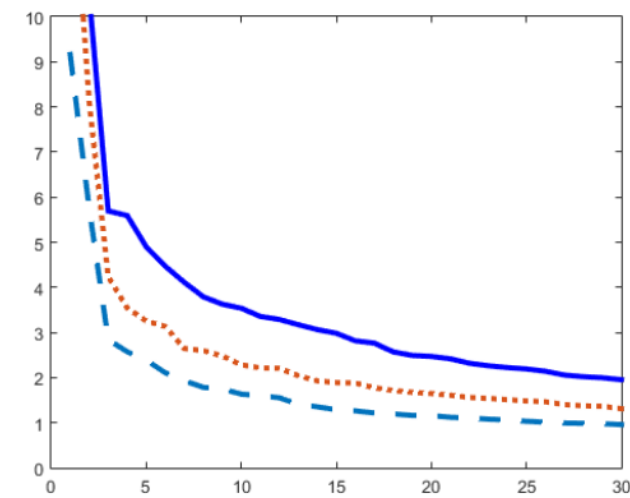
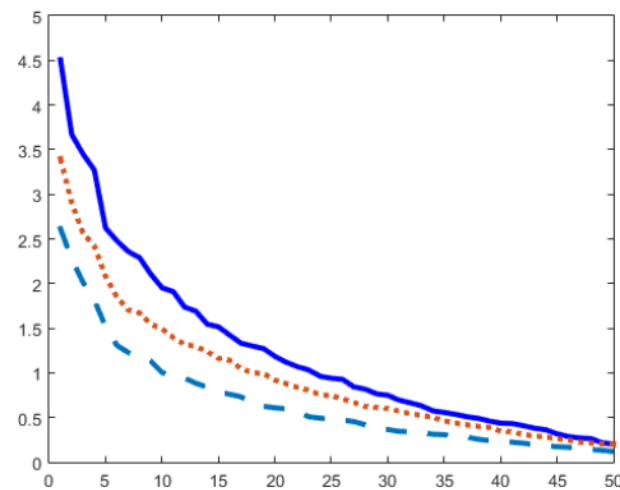
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LFW

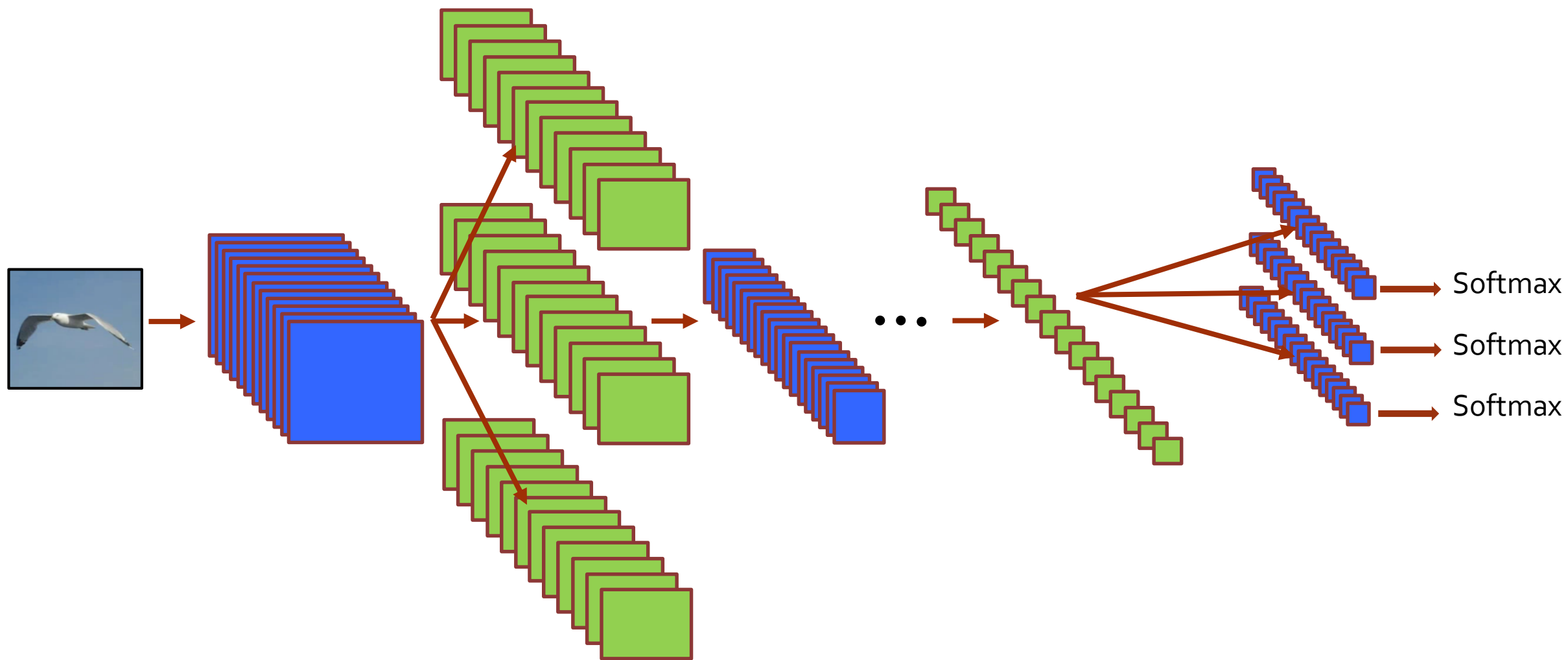


Representation  
fisher spectrum

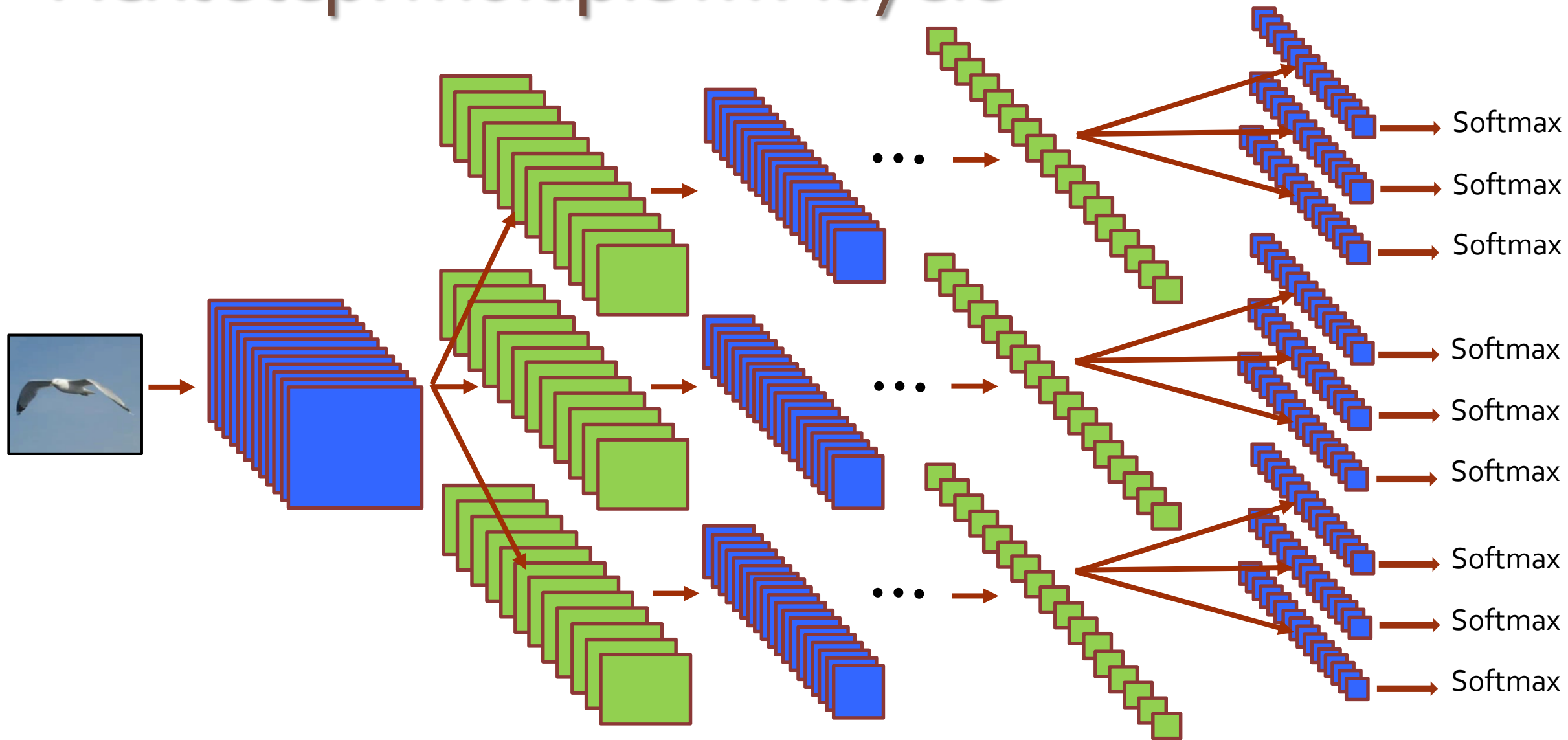


Solid blue M<sub>5</sub>, Dotted red M<sub>3</sub>, Dashed magenta M<sub>1</sub>

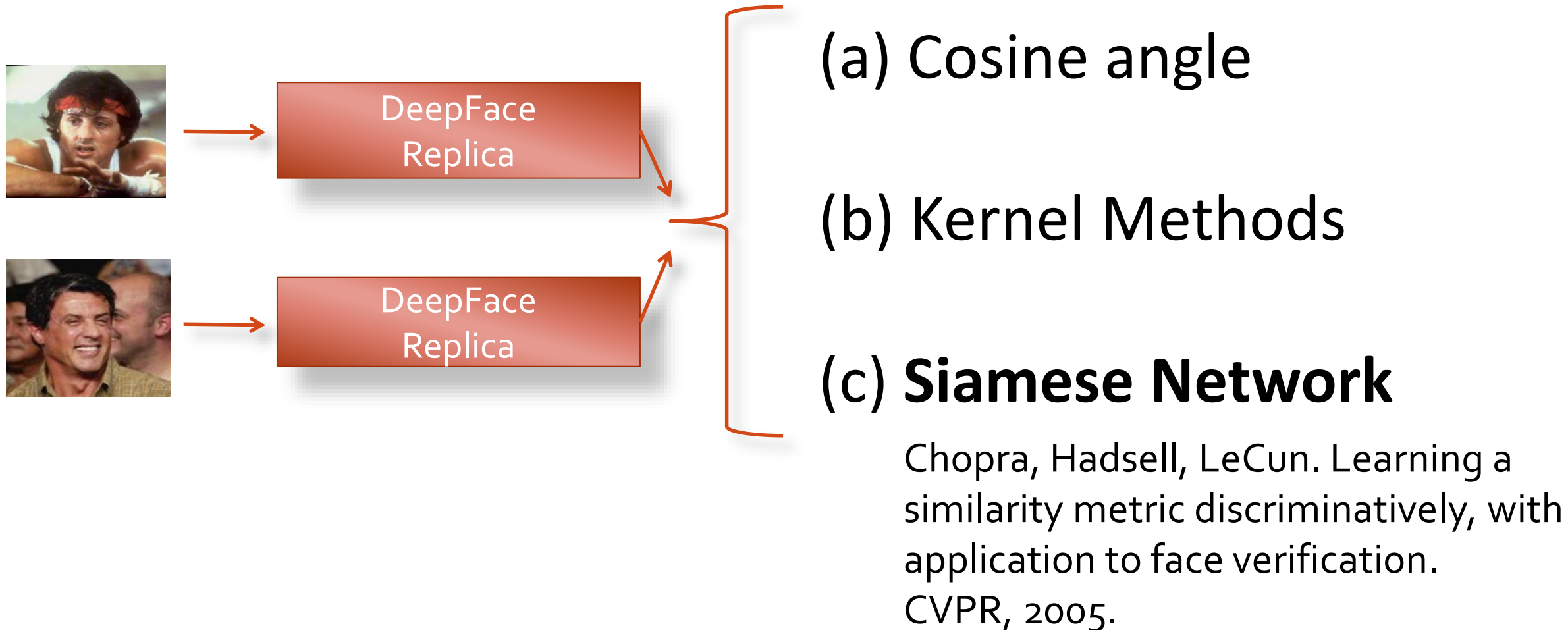
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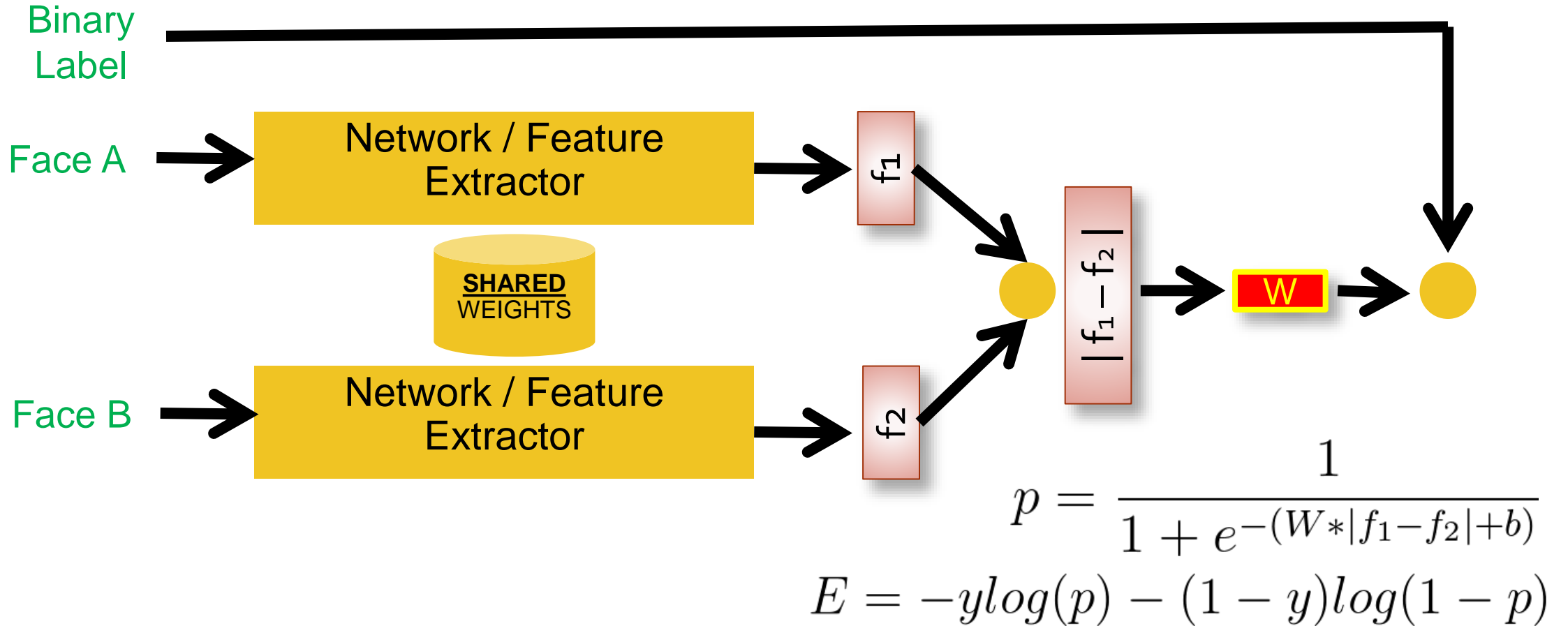
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# Can we use a network instead of JB?

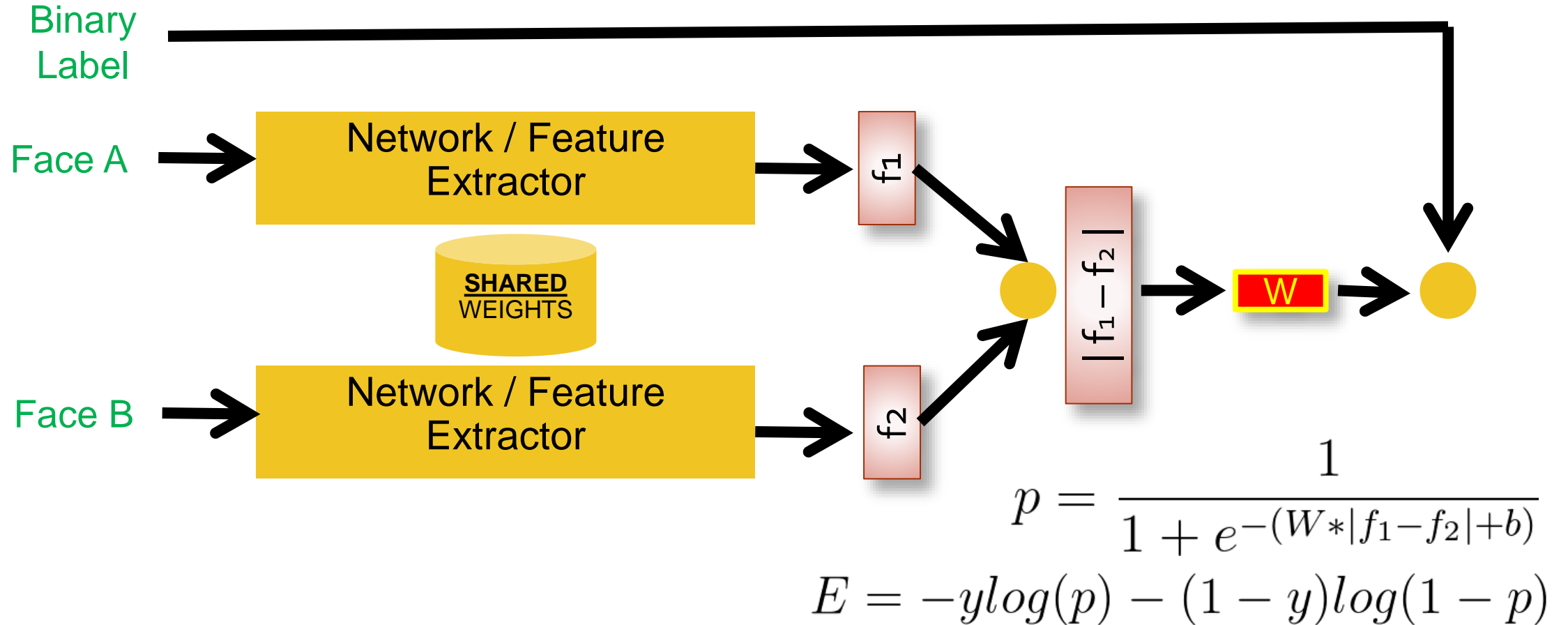


# Deep Siamese Architecture





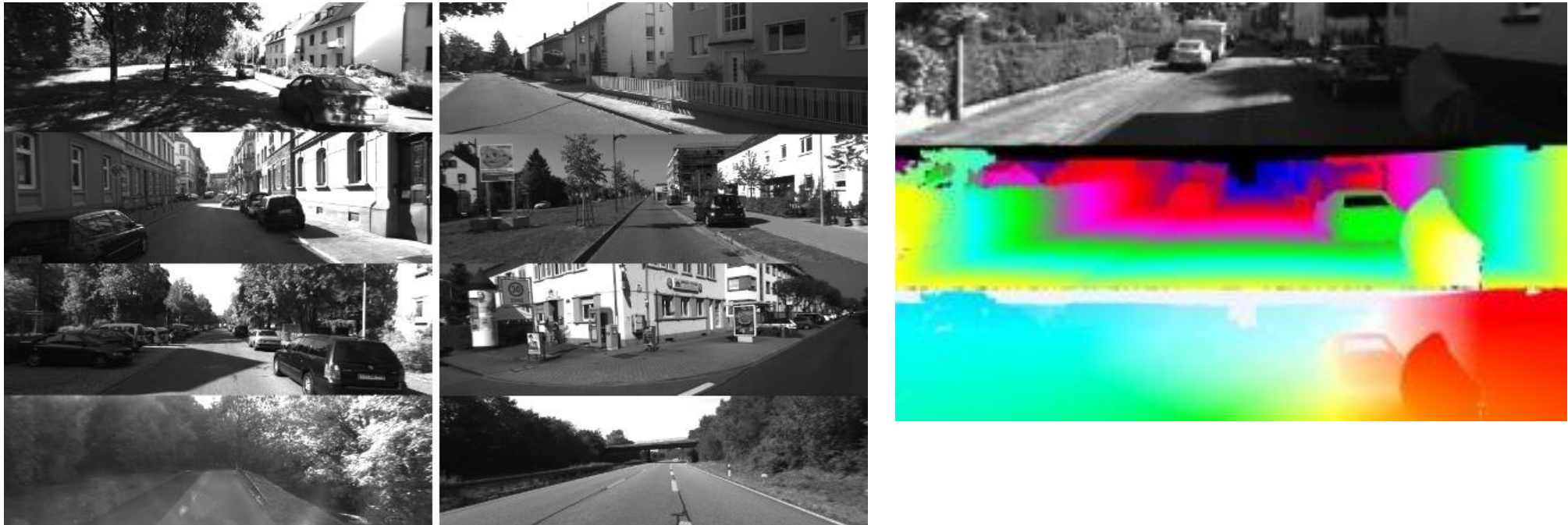
# Deep Siamese Architecture



Q5: Is binary classification loss the most appropriate loss for a Siamese Architecture?  
A: No. Gadot and Wolf. PatchBatch. *CVPR 2016*.

# Optical flow

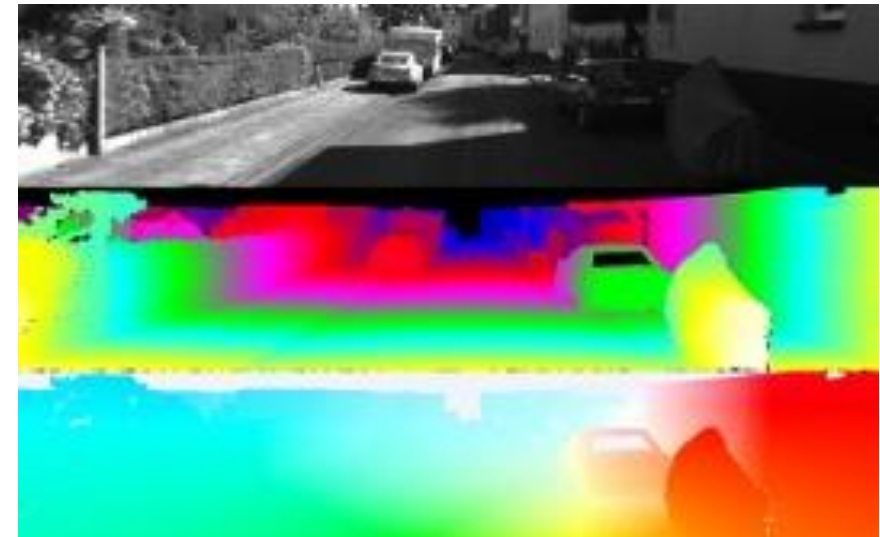
Given multiple image compute the motion field between them.



# Architecture: from a patch to a representation

Layer	Filter/Stride	Output size
Input	–	$1 \times 51 \times 51$
Conv1	$3 \times 3 / 1$	$32 \times 49 \times 49$
Batch Normalization	–	$32 \times 49 \times 49$
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	$32 \times 25 \times 25$
Conv2	$3 \times 3 / 1$	$64 \times 23 \times 23$
Batch Normalization	–	$64 \times 23 \times 23$
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	$64 \times 12 \times 12$
Conv3	$3 \times 3 / 1$	$128 \times 10 \times 10$
Batch Normalization	–	$128 \times 10 \times 10$
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	$128 \times 5 \times 5$
Conv4	$3 \times 3 / 1$	$256 \times 3 \times 3$
Batch Normalization	–	$256 \times 3 \times 3$
Max Pool	$2 \times 2 / 2$	$256 \times 2 \times 2$
Conv5	$2 \times 2 / 1$	$512 \times 1 \times 1$
Batch Normalization	–	$512 \times 1 \times 1$

Table 1. The network model for representing a grayscale  $51 \times 51$  input patch as  $512D$  vector. The Batch Normalization is our fine-grained variant. Leaky ReLU units [26] (with  $\alpha = 0.1$ ) are used as activation functions following the five batch normalization layers.



# DRLIM type Loss

Hadsell, Chopra, LeCun. Dimensionality reduction by learning an invariant mapping. CVPR 2006.

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$$(1 - Y) \frac{1}{2} D_w^2 + (Y) \frac{1}{2} \{\max(0, m - D_w)\}^2$$

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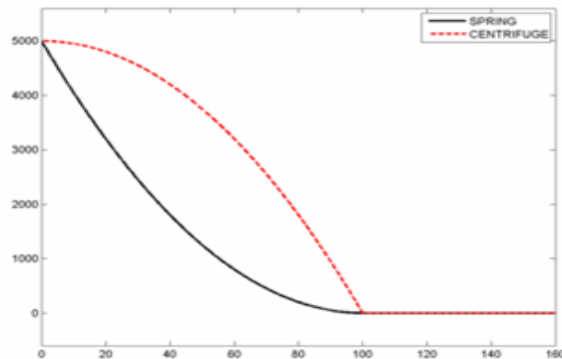
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(spring model)

$$(1 - Y) \frac{1}{2} D_w^2 + (Y) \frac{1}{2} \{\max(0, m - D_w)\}^2$$

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$$(1 - Y) D_w^2 + (Y) \{\max(0, m^2 - D_w^2)\}$$



(a)

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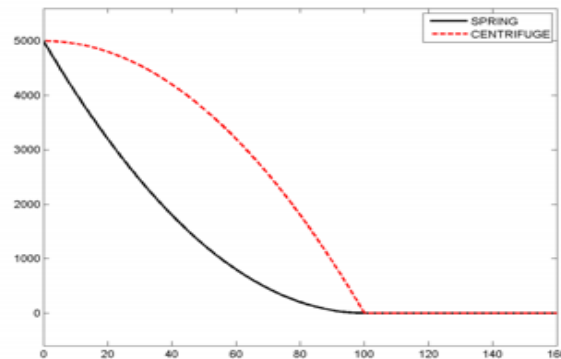
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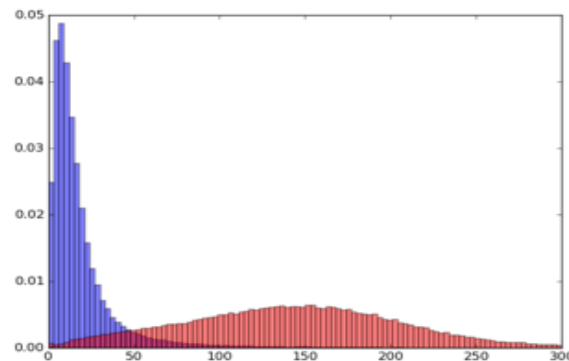
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CENT-DrLIM+SD

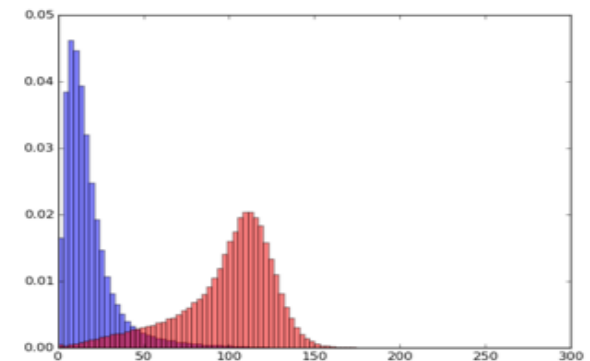
$$(1 - Y) \lambda D_w^2 + (Y) \lambda \{\max(0, m^2 - D_w^2)\} + (1 - \lambda) (\sigma_0 + \sigma_1)$$



(a)



(b)



(c)

# Benchmarks - KITTI2012/ KITTI2015

- Raw Optical Flow on KITTI2012 validation set - ~8% err

Method	Out-Noc	Running time
<b>PatchBatch-ACCRTE-PS71</b>	5.29%	60.5s
<b>PatchBatch-ACCURATE</b>	5.44%	50.5s
PH-Flow [39]	5.76%	800s
FlowFields [1]	5.77%	23s
CPM-Flow (anon.)	5.80%	2s
NLTGV-SC [30]	5.93%	16s
<b>PatchBatch-FAST</b>	5.94%	25.5s
DDS-DF [37]	6.03%	1m
TGV2ADCSIFT [5]	6.20%	12s
DiscreteFlow [28]	6.23%	3m

Table 4. Top 10 KITTI2012 Pure Optic Flow Algorithms as published on the submission date. Out-Noc is the percentage of pixels with euclidean error > 3 pixels out of the non-occluded pixels

Method	Fl-all	Running time
<b>PatchBatch-ACCURATE</b>	21.69%	50.5s
DiscreteFlow [28]	22.38%	3min
CPM-Flow (anon.)	24.24%	2s
EpicFlow [32]	27.10%	15s
FilteringFlow (anon.)	28.50%	116s
DeepFlow [38]	29.18%	17s
HS [35]	42.18%	2.6m
DB-TV-L1 [40]	47.97%	16s
HAOF [6]	50.29%	16.2s
PolyExpand [14]	53.32%	1s

Table 5. Top 10 KITTI2015 Pure Optic Flow Algorithms as of the submission date. Fl-all is the percentage of pixels with euclidean error > 3 pixels. The FAST network was not trained on this benchmark by the submission time.

# Benchmarks - MPI-Sintel

Method	EPE all, 'final' pass
FlowFields [1]	5.810
CPM-Flow (anon.)	5.960
DiscreteFlow [28]	6.077
EpicFlow [32]	6.285
Deep+R [13]	6.769
<b>PatchBatch-CENT+SD</b>	6.783
DeepFlow2 (anon.)	6.928
<b>PatchBatch-SPRG</b>	7.188
SparseFlowFused [36]	7.189
DeepFlow [38]	7.212
FlowNetS+ft+v [15]	7.218
NNF-Local [9]	7.249
<b>PatchBatch-SPRG+SD</b>	7.281
<b>PatchBatch-CENT</b>	7.323
SPM-BP [25]	7.325
AggregFlow [16]	7.329



Table 6. Top MPI-Sintel results as of the submission date. Each number represents the EPE (end-point-error), averaged over all the pixels in the comparison images, using the 'final' rendering pass of MPI-Sintel. Four ACCURATE variants are shown. The CENT-FIGURE+SD network is ranked 6th as of the paper's submission date. The FAST network was not trained on this benchmark by that date. The TF+OFM method [22] (EPE 6.727) is removed from this table since it is not a pure optical flow method.

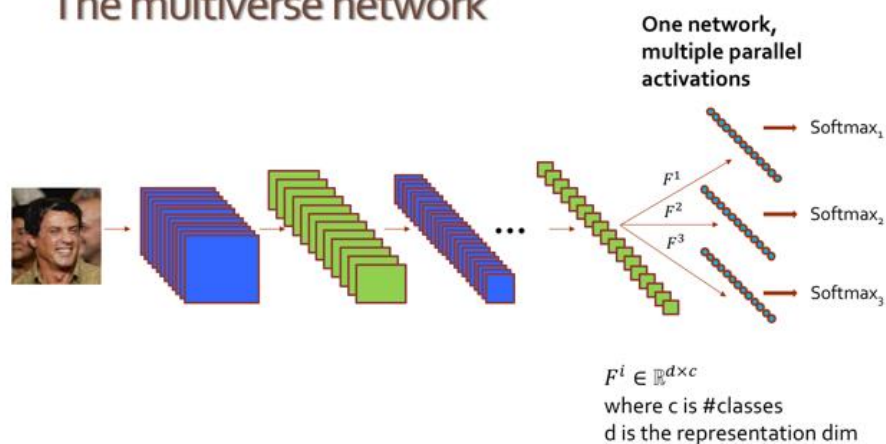


# I'VE SPOKEN ENOUGH. ANY QUESTIONS?

## Deep Neural Networks on aligned inputs



## The multiverse network



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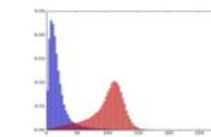
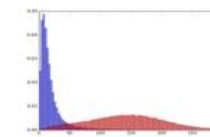
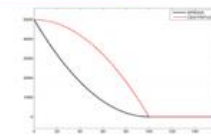
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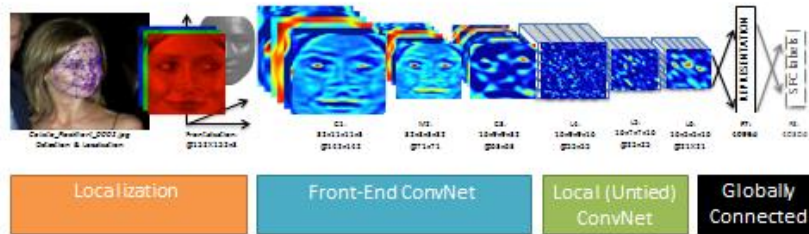
CENT-DrLIM+SD

$$(1-Y)\lambda D_w^2 + (Y)\lambda\{\max(0, m^2 - D_w^2)\} + (1-\lambda)(\sigma_0 + \sigma_1)$$

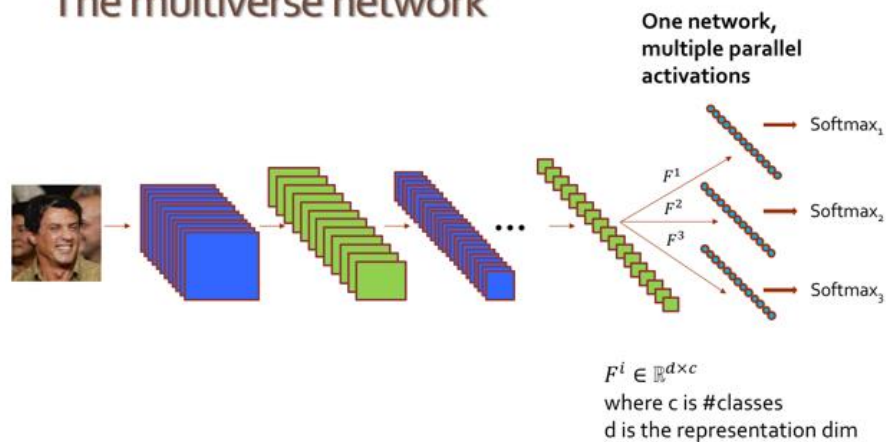


# THANK YOU!

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CENT-DrLIM

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CENT-DrLIM+SD

$$(1 - Y) \lambda D_w^2 + (Y) \lambda \{\max(0, m^2 - D_w^2)\} + (1 - \lambda) (\sigma_0 + \sigma_1)$$

