

Computer Vision & Deep Learning

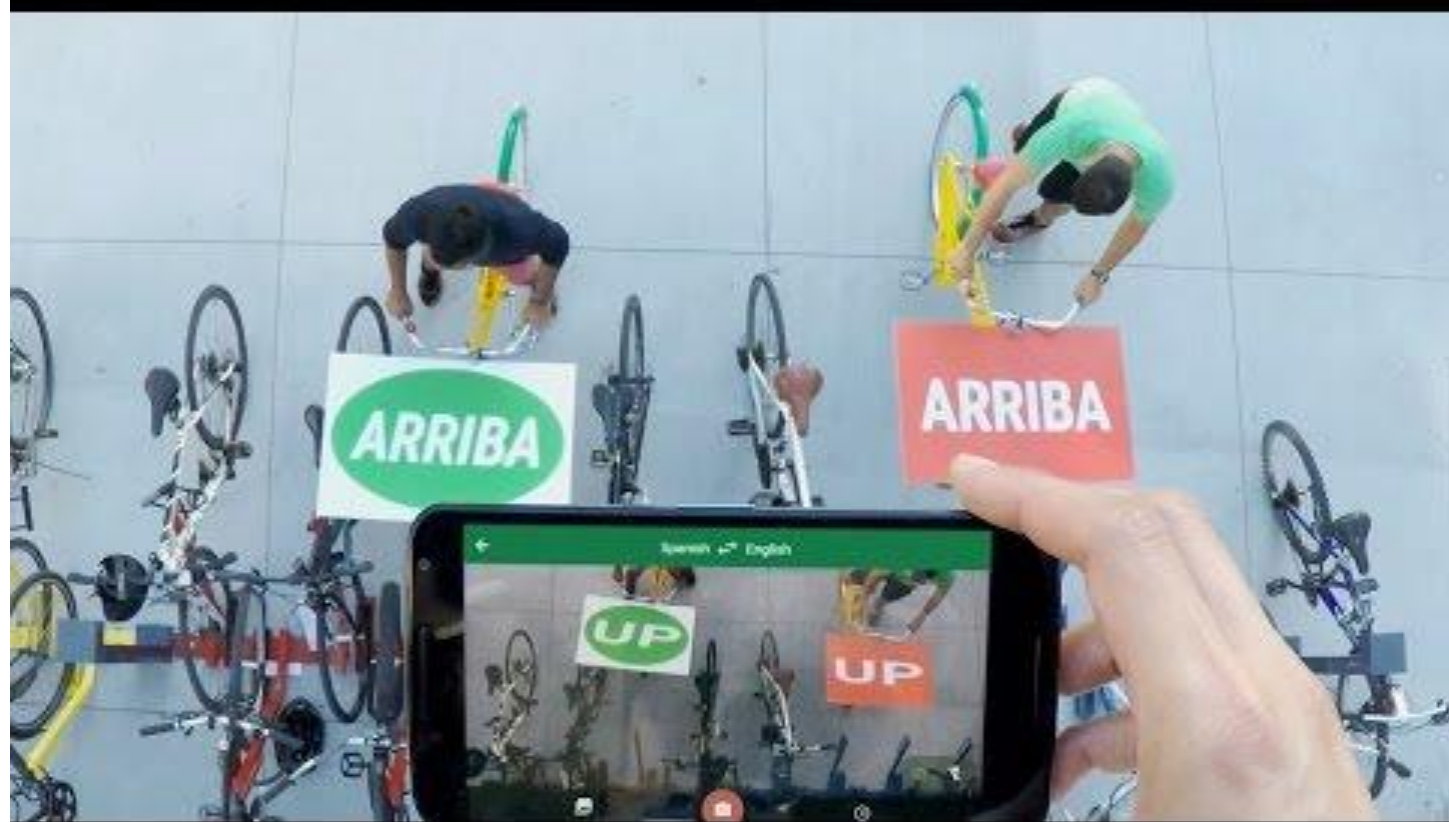
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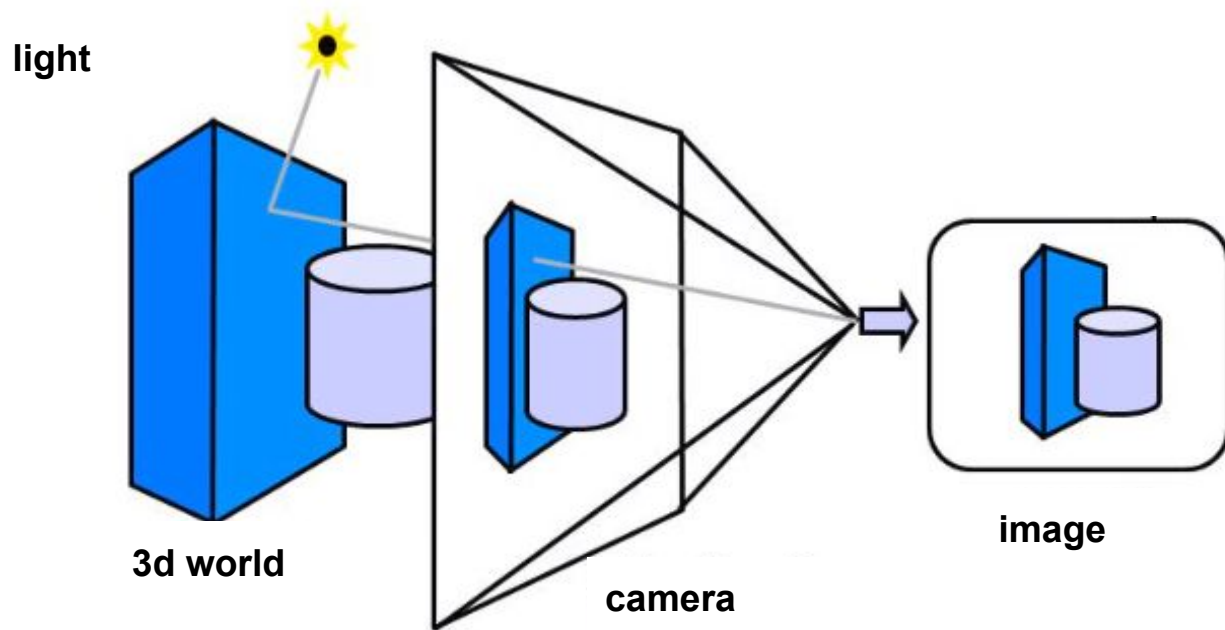
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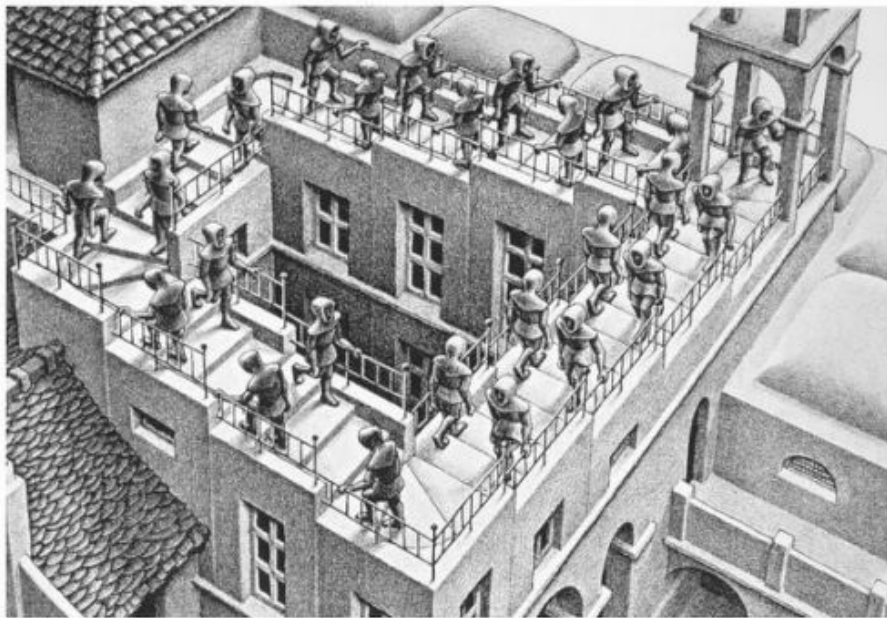


Computer Vision



3d - 2d Information Loss

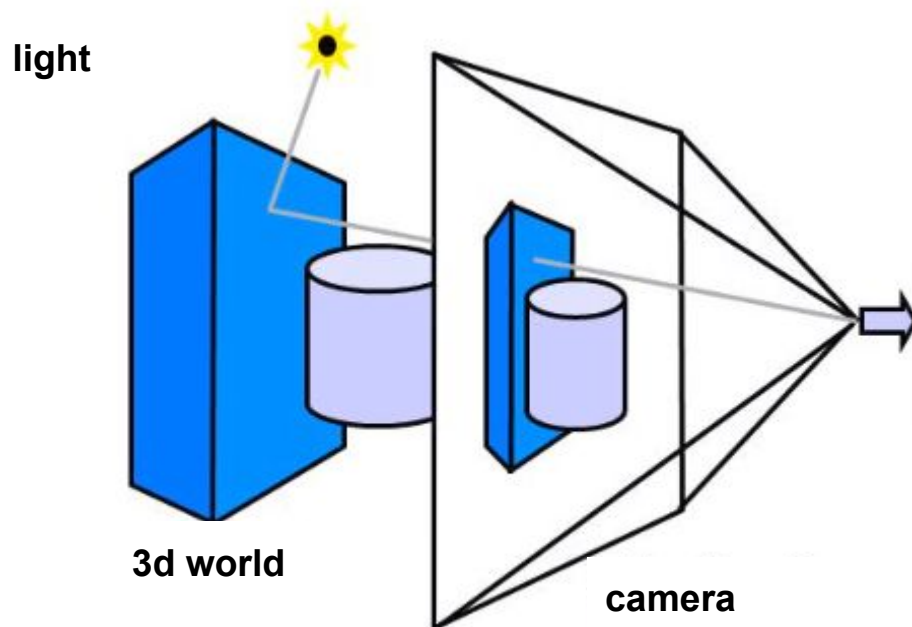
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Technorama

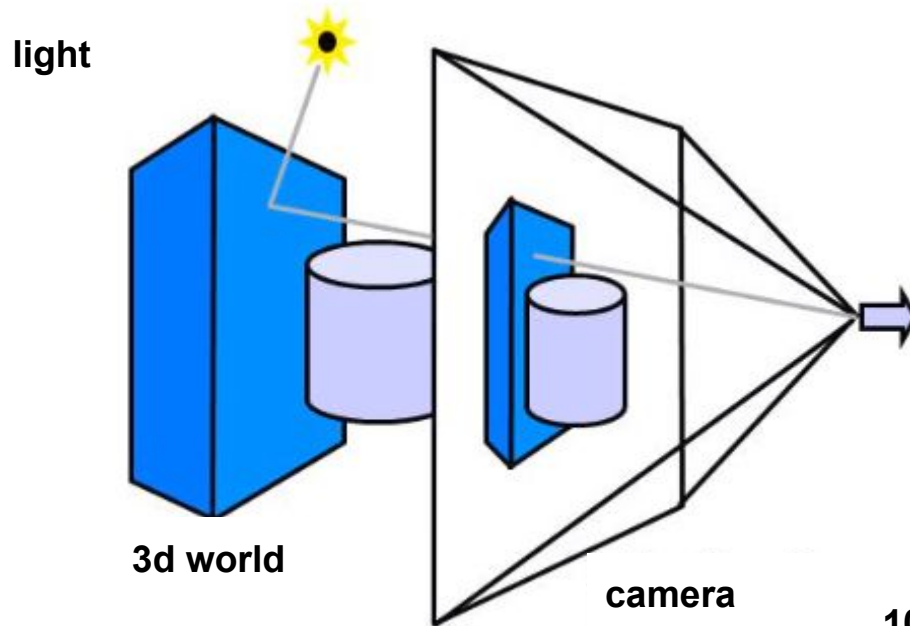


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10^{80} atoms in the universe

10^{90} possible images (8 bit 6 x 6px)

Example: Image Tagging

Image



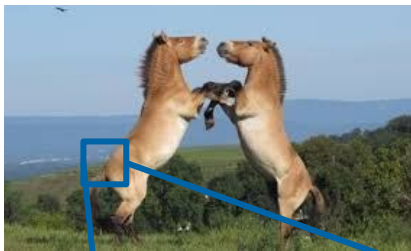
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Magic: No obvious way to hard-code the Algorithm! (unlike e.g., sorting numbers)

Challenges

Viewpoint, illumination, scale, deformation, occlusion (self-occlusion), motion,...



Challenges

... intra - and inter class variations

Sheepdog or mop



Chihuahua or muffin



Machine Learning to Rescue!

Data, Examples

“ML - Magic”

Prediction

$\{(x_1, y_2), (x_2, y_2), \dots (x_n, y_n)\}$



person



no person



$H: x \rightarrow y$
 $y = H(x)$

Machine Learning in a Nutshell

Machine Learning = Learning from Examples

To do it well, you need a lot of data.



Computer Vision



Features/ Representation

Size, Color,
Shape, Texture...



What are good features?

Who to get the representation?

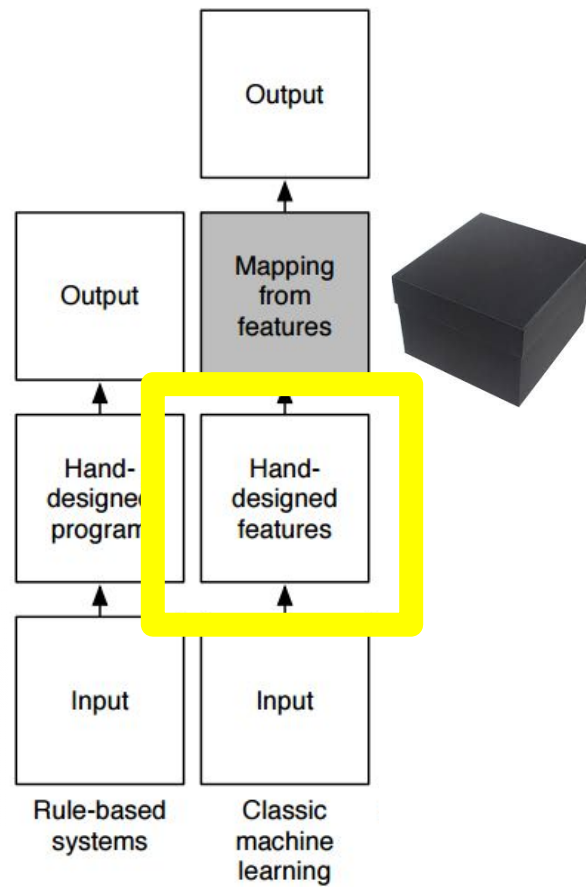
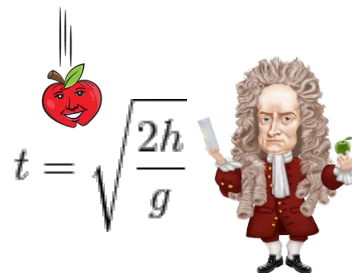
Classification



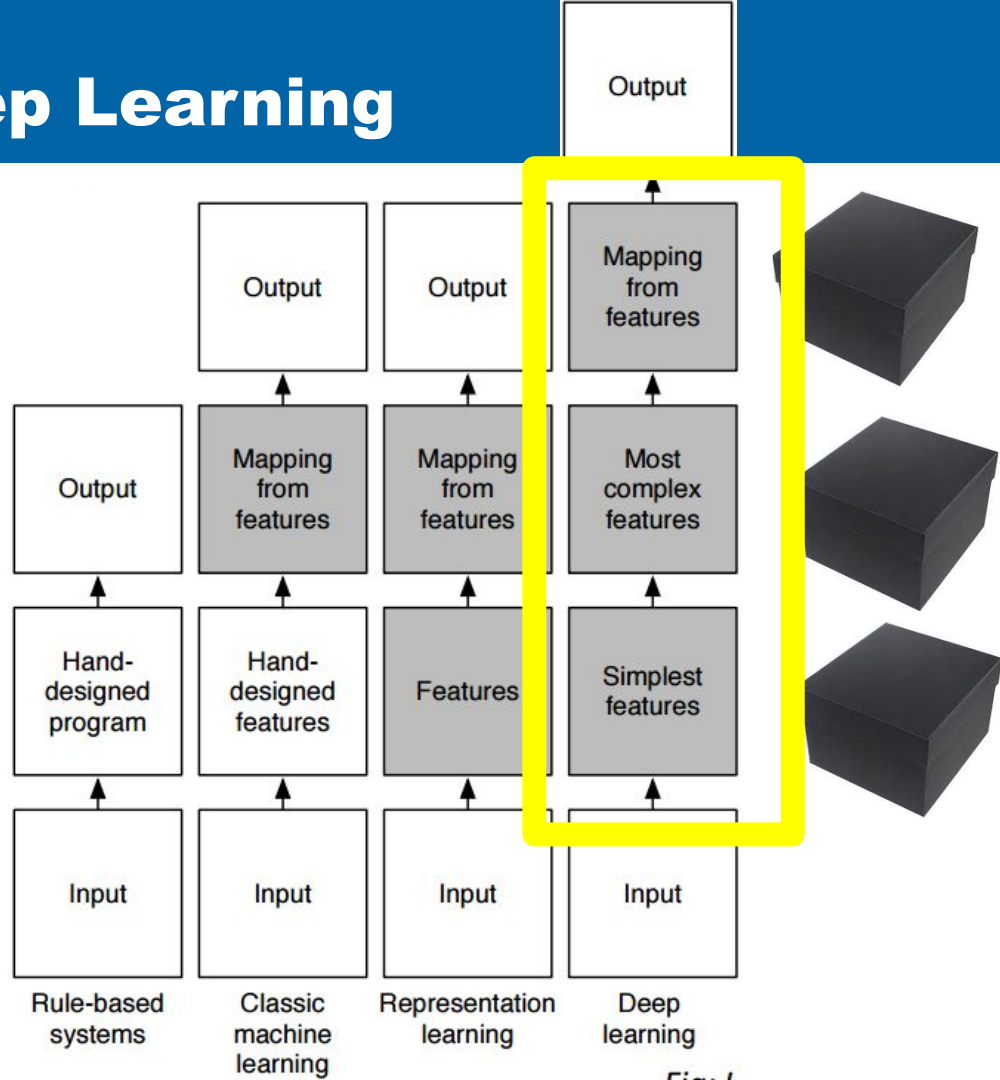
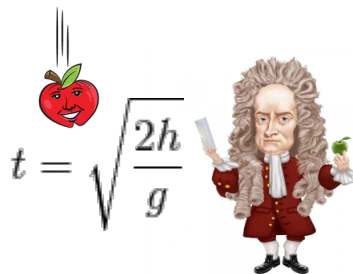
Good Old Fashion (GOF) Machine Learning

Good & compact Features are more important than the model choice!

What prior knowledge can easily expressed in certain features and models?



GOF ML vs. Deep Learning



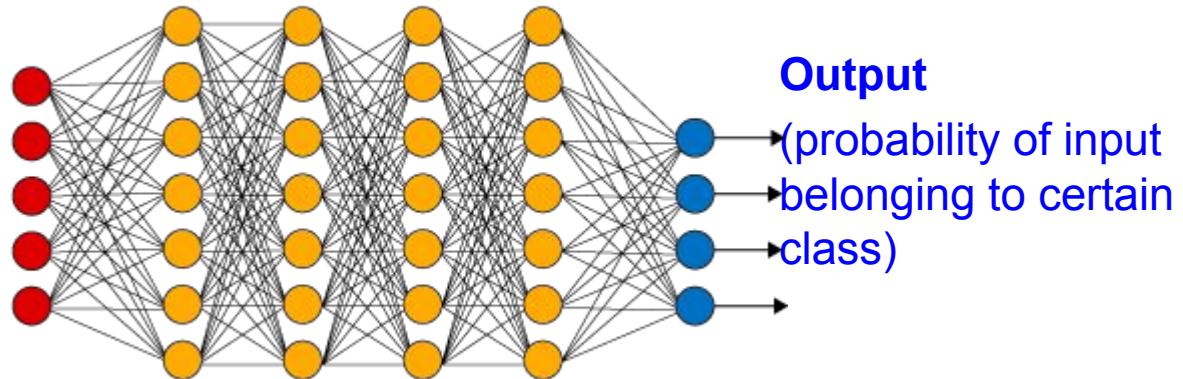
Building blocks of a (Deep) Neural Network

- Neurons:** Linear Combination + Activation Function
Feature sharing, e.g., Convolutions + Pooling (-> CNNs)
- Layers:** Set of neurons (Feed forward neural network)

Input

(basically raw)

Weights (to be learnt)

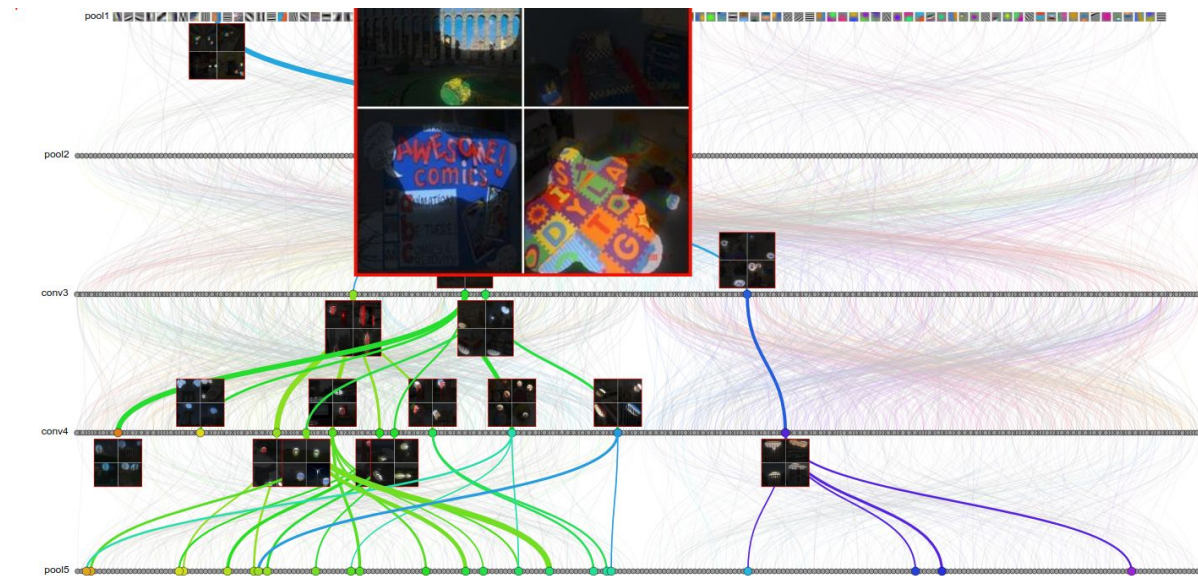


Output

(probability of input
belonging to certain
class)

CNN Learnt Representation

Antonio Torralba's: [drawNet](#)



Deep Learning in Computer Vision

Yann LeCun -- first CNNs in '88, “ignored” for a long time!





“Hello World”: 12 lines of code

```
import tensorflow as tf
mnist = tf.keras.datasets.mnist

(x_train, y_train), (x_test, y_test) = mnist.load_data()
x_train, x_test = x_train / 255.0, x_test / 255.0

model = tf.keras.models.Sequential([
    tf.keras.layers.Flatten(input_shape=(28, 28)),
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(512, activation=tf.nn.relu),
    tf.keras.layers.Dropout(0.2),
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(10, activation=tf.nn.softmax)
])
model.compile(optimizer='adam', loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy', metrics=['accuracy'])

model.fit(x_train, y_train, epochs=5)
model.evaluate(x_test, y_test)
```





Hot Dog or Not Hot Dog

no hot dog

250 Image Samples

Webcam

Upload

Add a class

Training

Model Trained

Advanced

Epochs: 50

Batch Size: 16

Learning Rate: 0.001

Reset Defaults

Under the hood

Preview

Export Model

Import images from Google Drive

Output

hot dog 76%

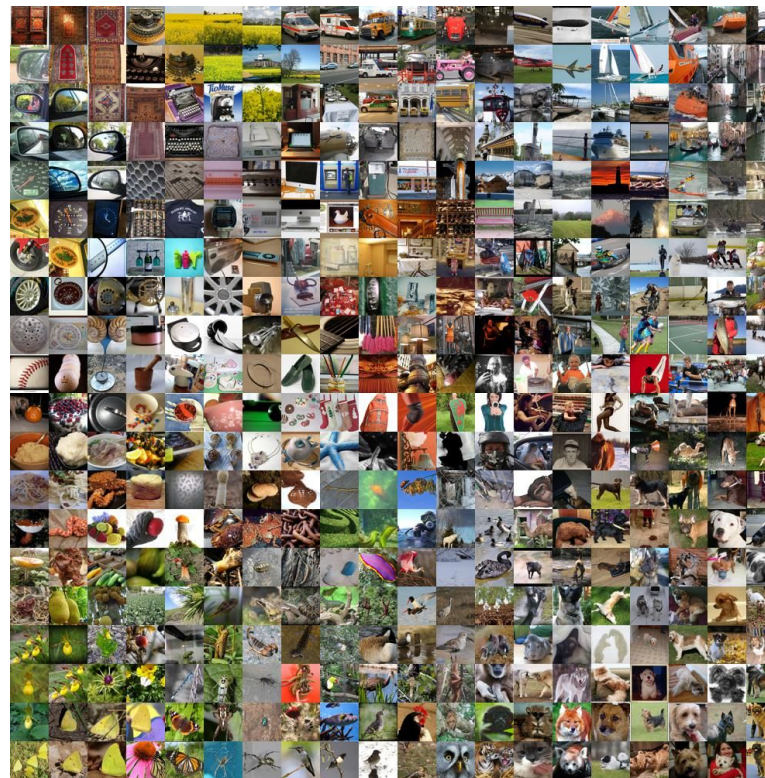
no hot dog 24%

Large Scale Visual Recognition Challenge

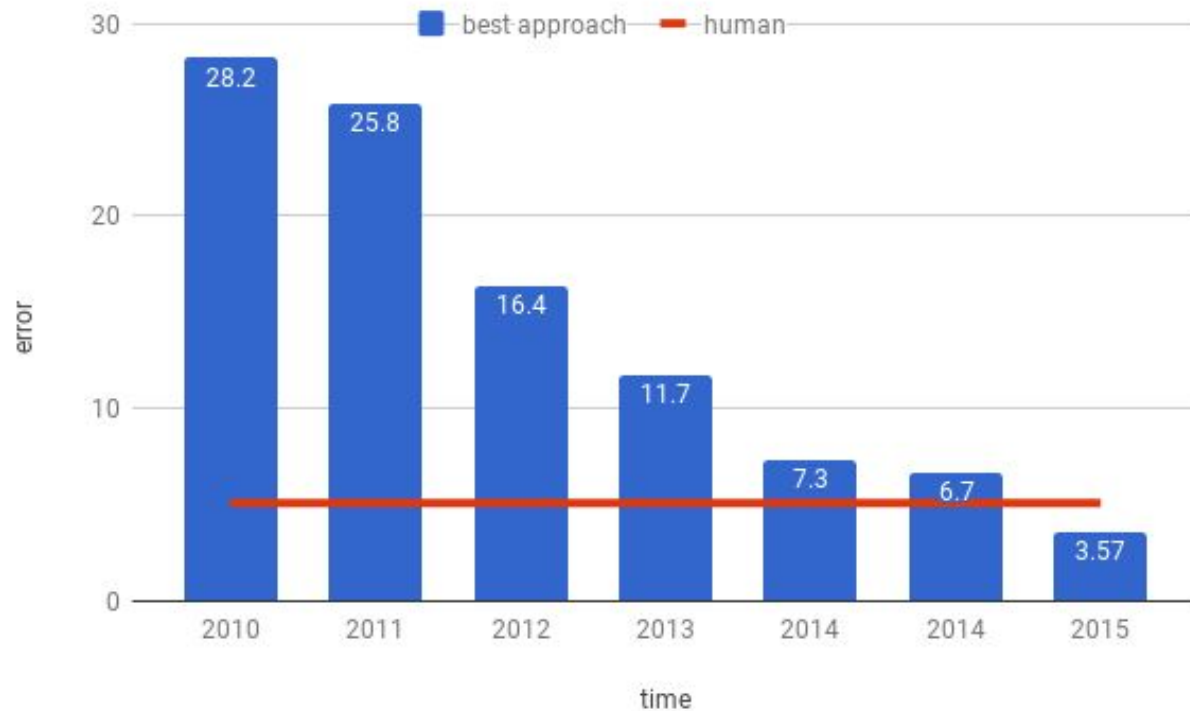


Benchmark datasets drive progress

- > 3 Million labelled images
- > 1000 categories



Performance on the ImageNet Challenge



Interests in Deep learning (CVPR'15 WS)



CNN is not Invented Overnight

Time

Task

Computational Power
(# of Transistors)

Data
(# pixels)

1998

LeCun et al.

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10^6

10^7

NIST

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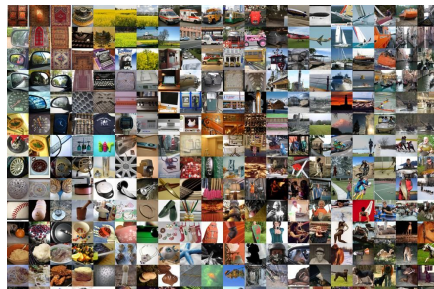


10^6

10^7 **NIST**

2012

Hinton et al.

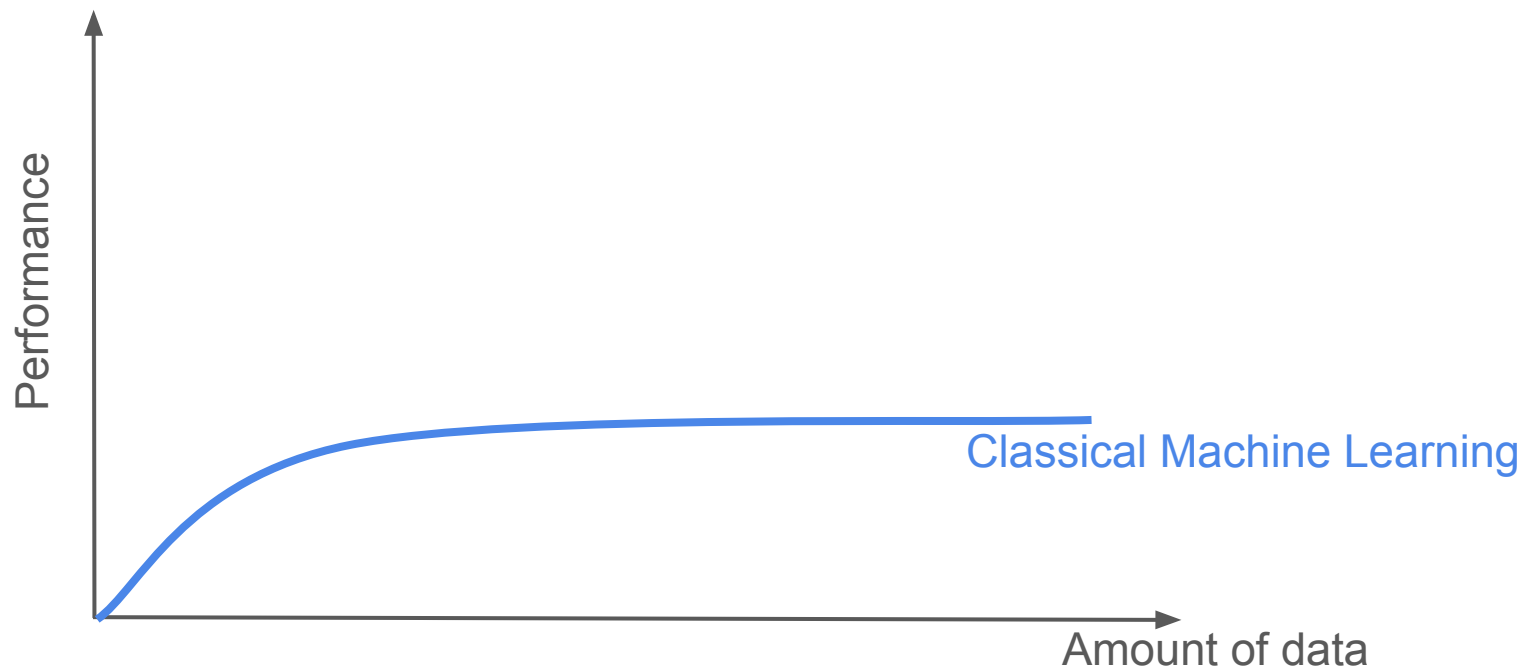


10^9

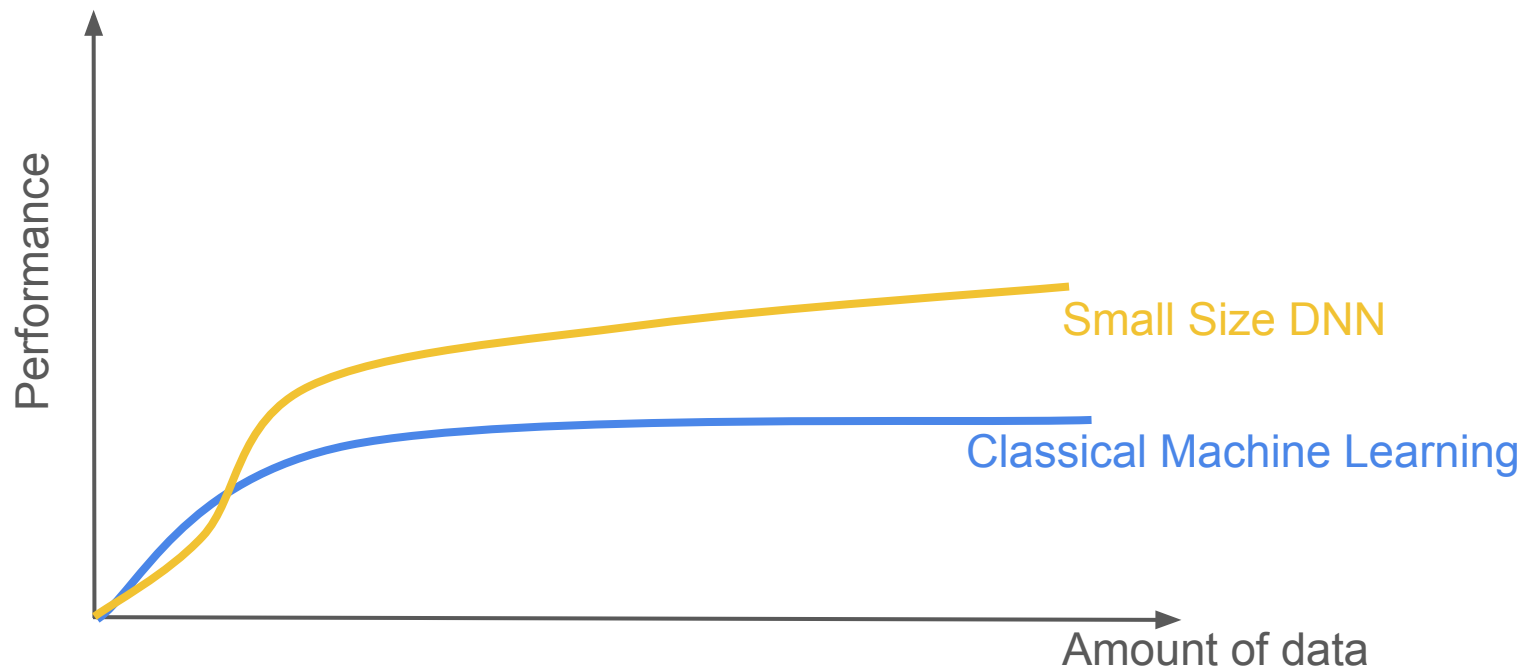
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IMAGENET

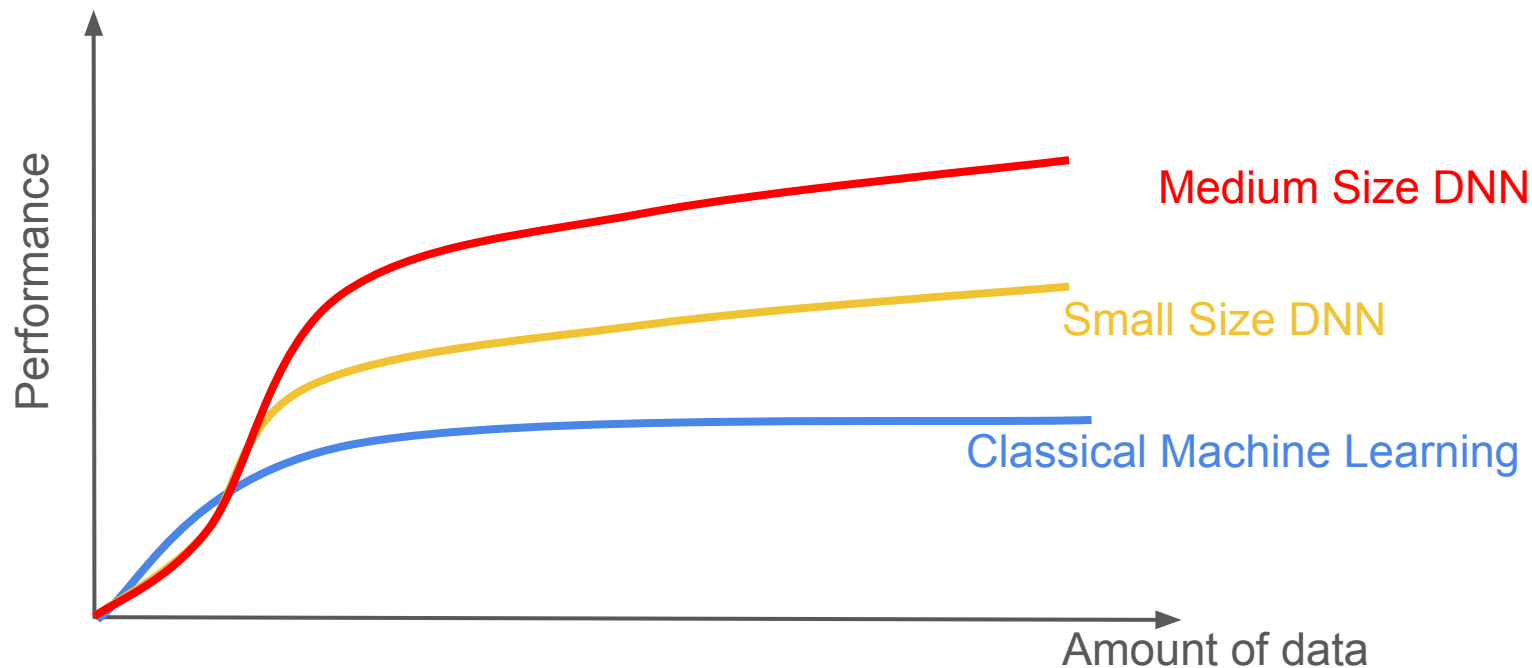
Big Data meets Deep Learning



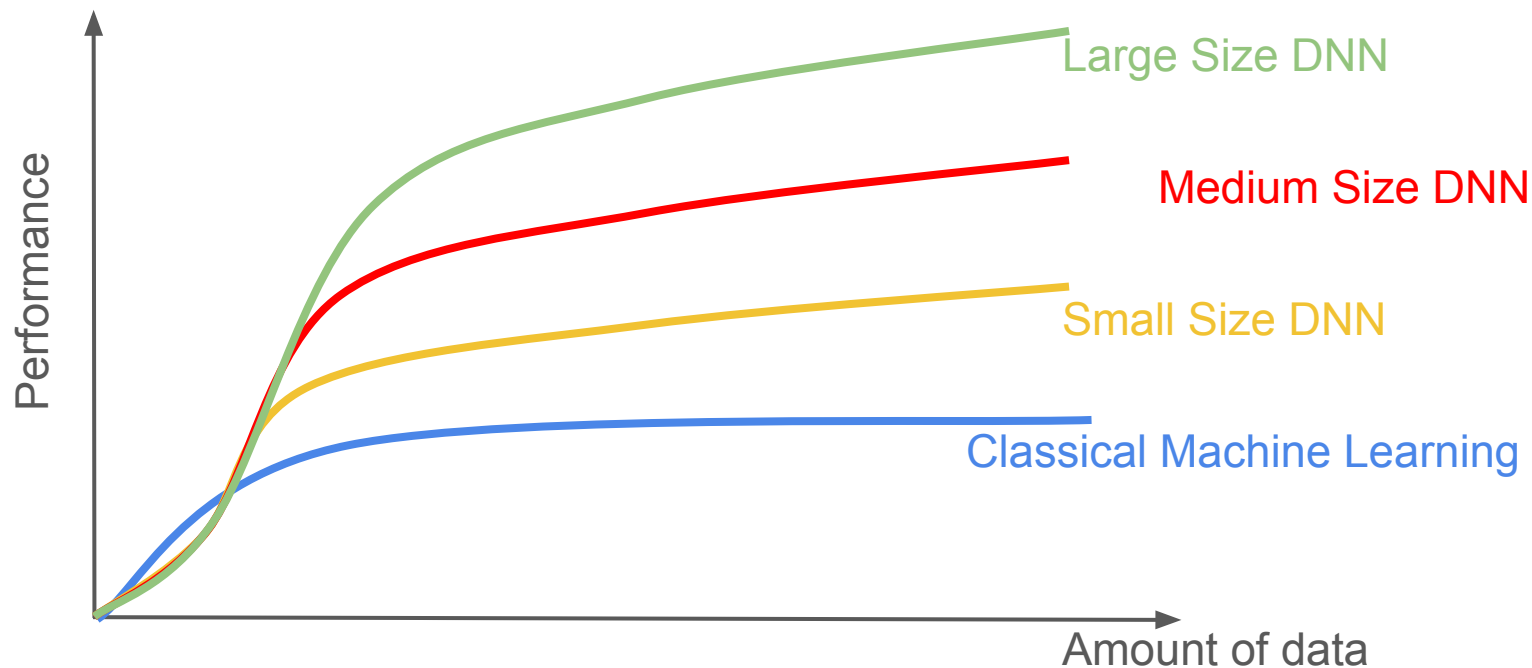
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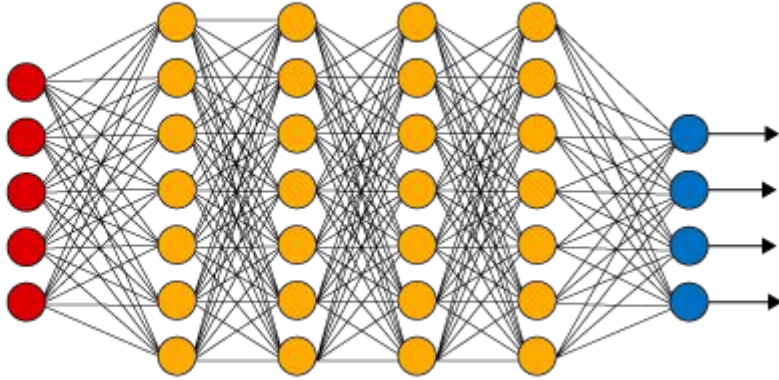


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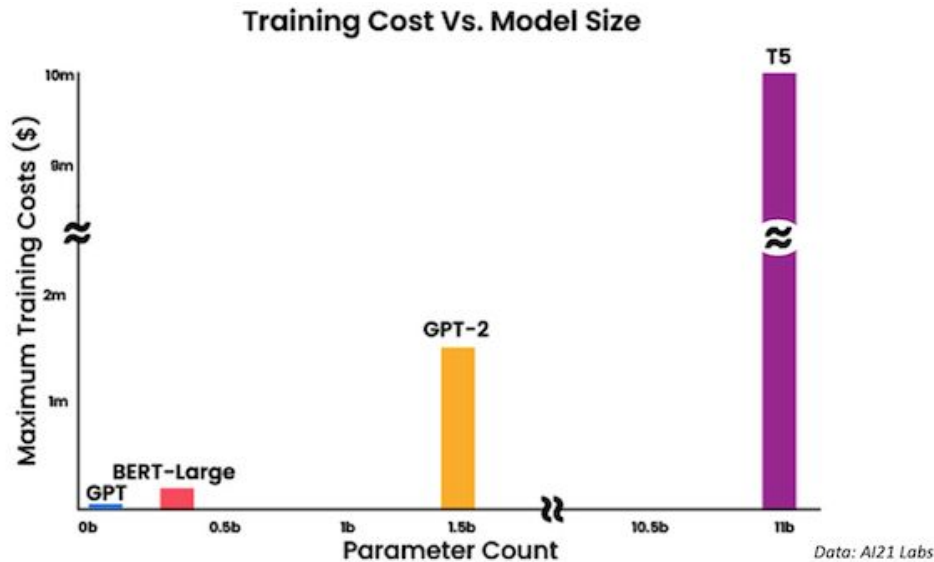
~1 billion = 1,000,000,000,000 parameters

~ 100 - 1,000 parameters



11 billion Parameters!

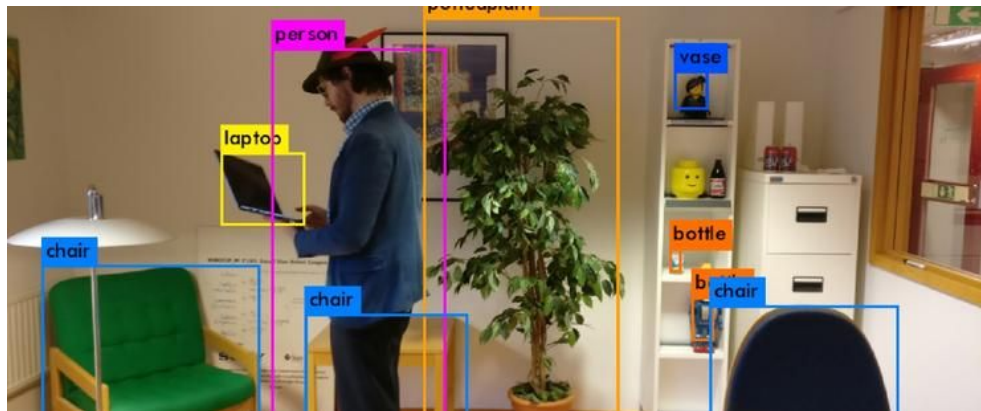
Behind the news: In 2020, researchers [estimated](#) the cost of training a model (1.5 billion parameters (the size of OpenAI's [GPT-2](#)) on the Wikipedia and Book corpora at \$1.6 million. They gauged the cost to train Google's [Text-to-Text Transformer](#) (T5), which encompasses 11 billion parameters, at \$10 million. Since then, Google has proposed [Switch Transformer](#), which scales the parameter count to 1 trillion no word yet on the training cost.



Beyond Image Classification

Facebook's Detectron2 (2019/10)

[Detectron2: A PyTorch-based modular object detection library](#)



Applications

Pixels



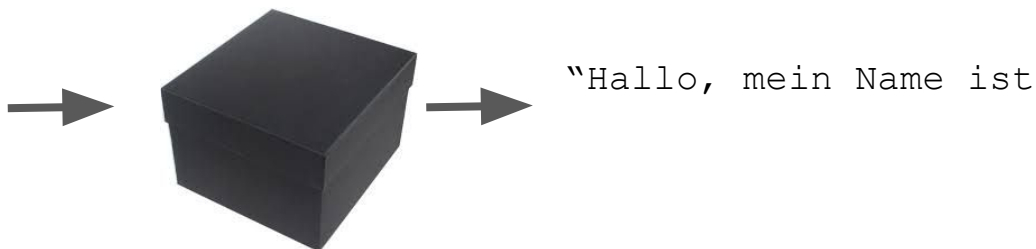
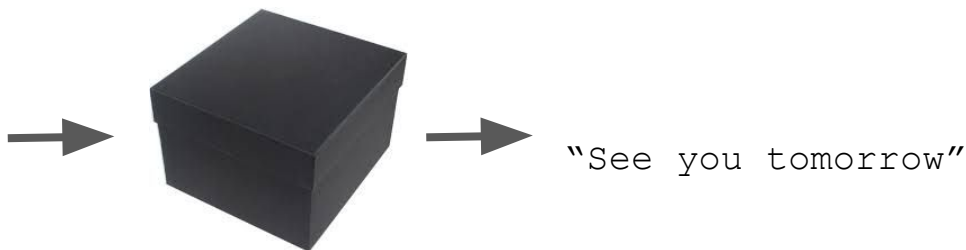
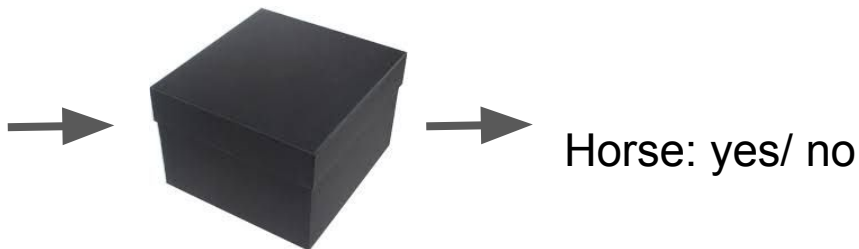
Audio Seg.



Text

"Hello, my name is Bob"
Bob"

Machine Learning



Machine Learning Tasks

Supervised Learning:	Labeled Data: features -> outputs data + labels
Unsupervised Learning:	Unlabeled Data: Explore the Structure data
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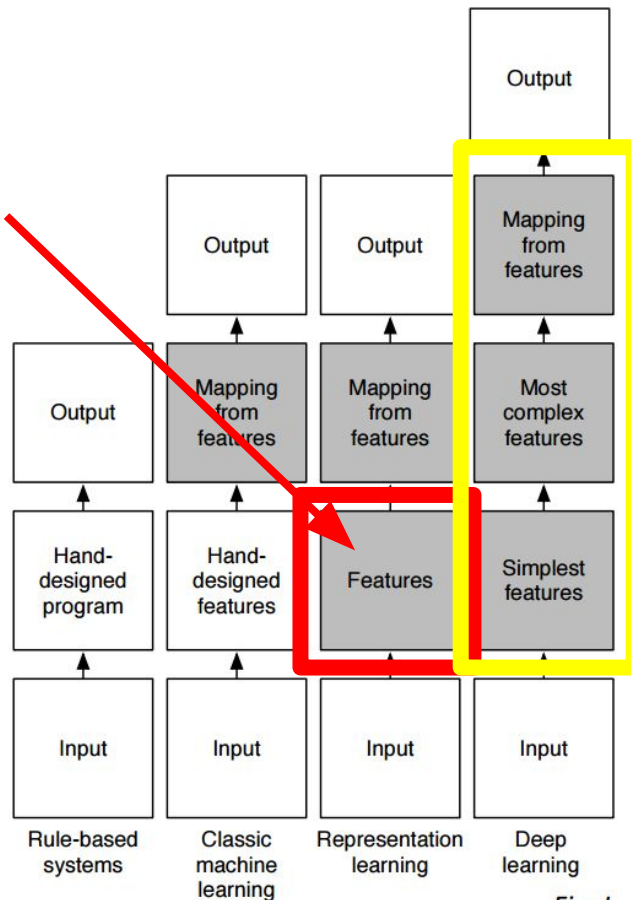
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(Deep) Representation Learning

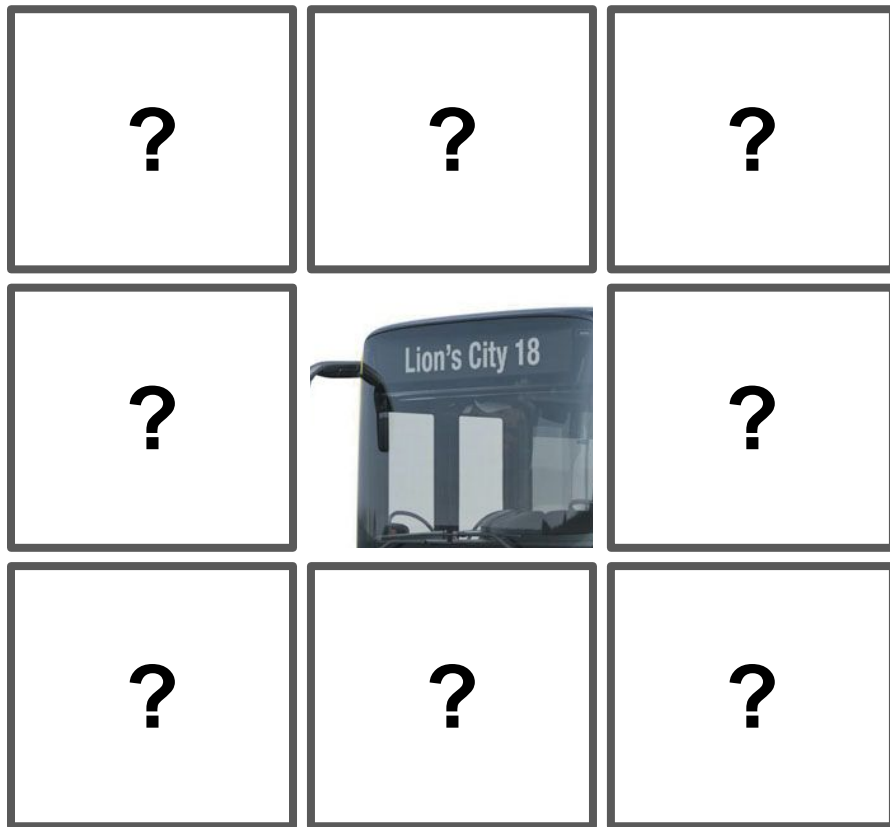
“Classical” Representation Learning: Unsupervised



Output = (part of the) Input or automatically generated & task related targets

Supervised Rep. Learning

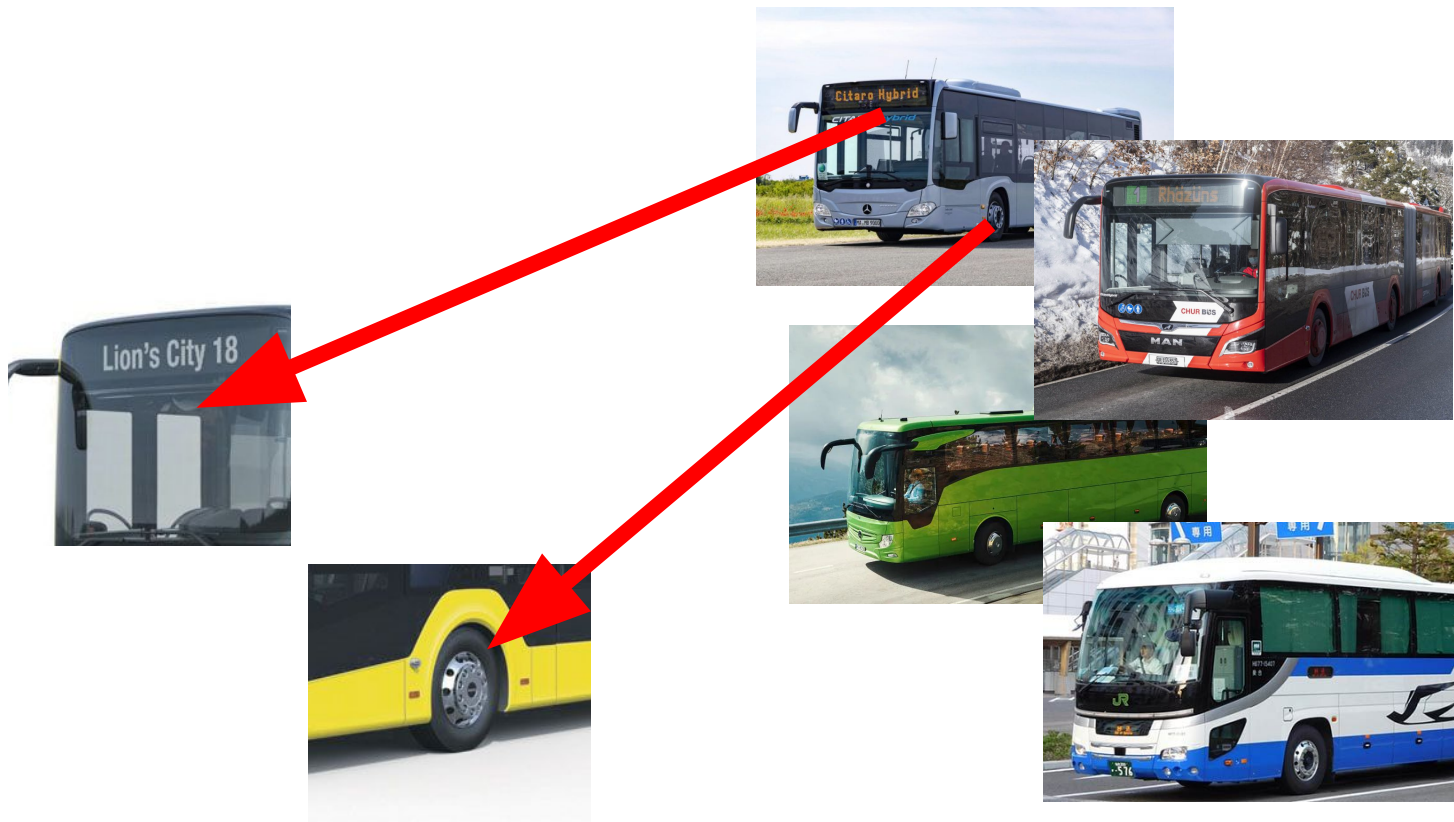
Self Supervised Learning



Self Supervised Learning



Self Supervised Learning



Learning Representations

Context as supervision

- Predict part of the Image
- Predict location of image patches



Invariance as supervision

- Rotate the image & predict this rotation



180 deg

“Typical” properties

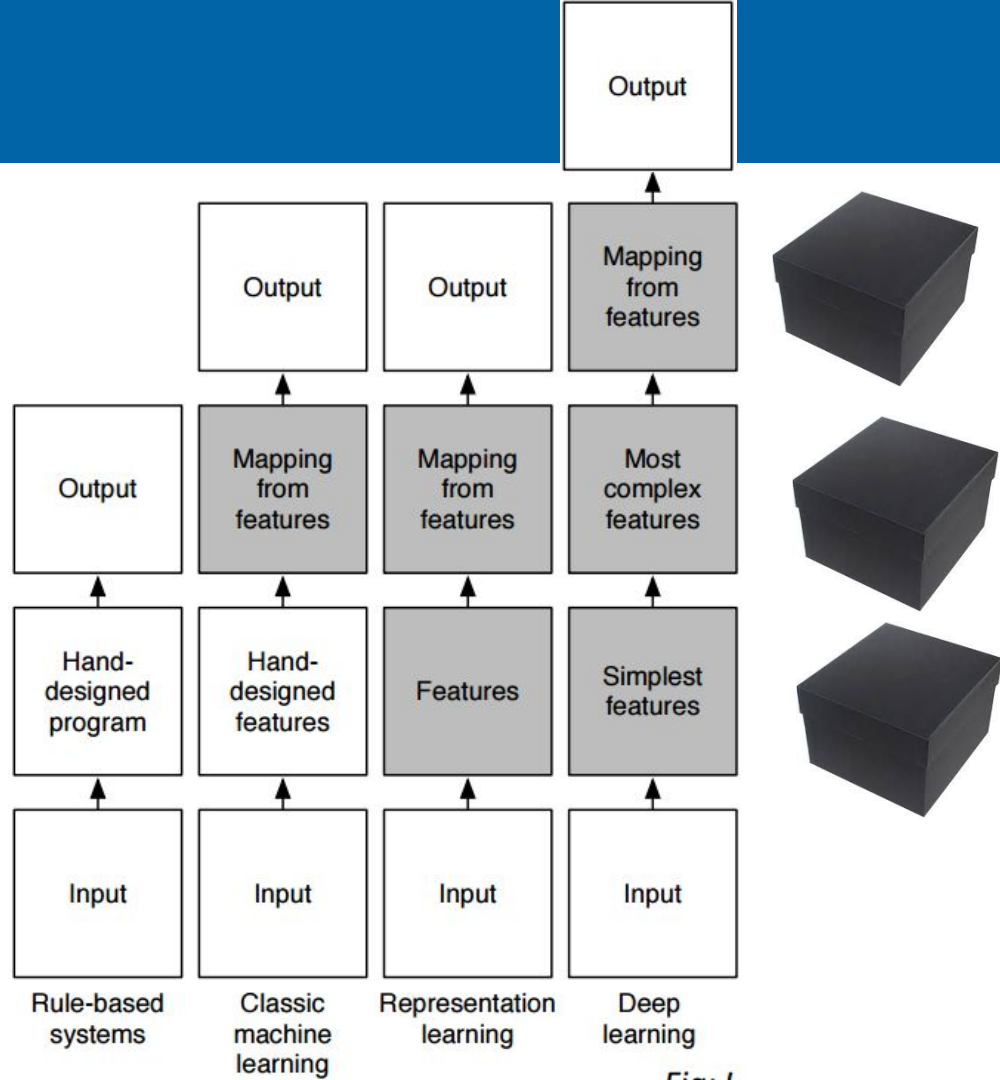
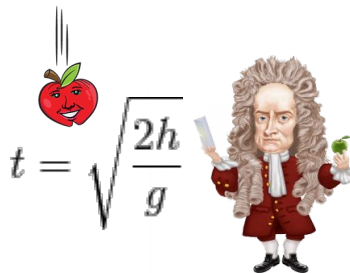
- grey scale -> color



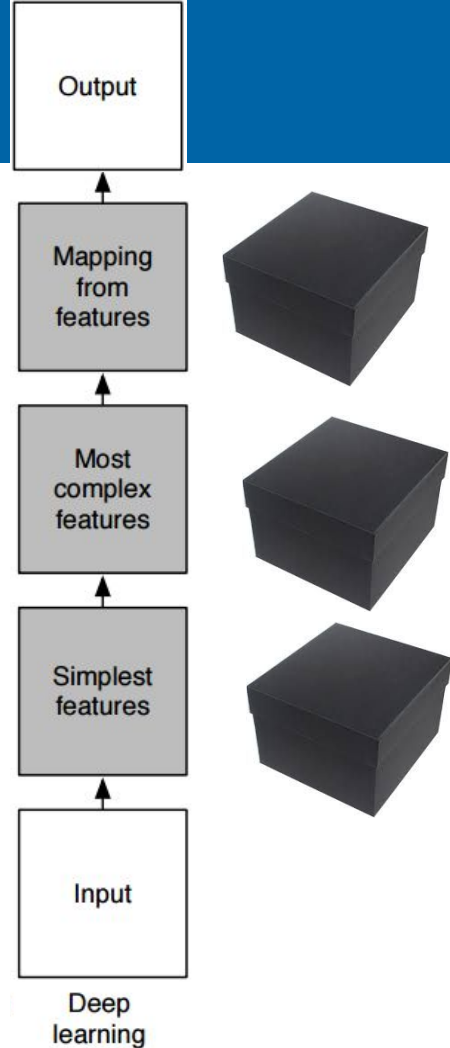
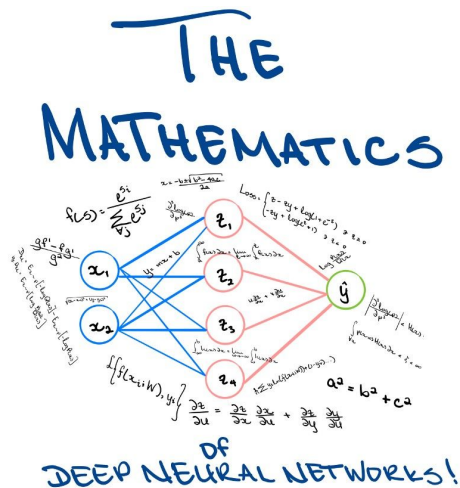
Word2Vec: Word Embedding

Machine learning (ML) is the study of computer algorithms that improve automatically through experience and by the use of data. It is seen as a part of artificial intelligence. Machine  algorithms build a model based on sample data, known as "training data", in order to make predictions or decisions without being explicitly programmed to do so.

Summary



... how to train the network?





Your turn!

<https://teachablemachine.withgoogle.com/>

Data: <https://www.kaggle.com/dansbecker/hot-dog-not-hot-dog>

Teachable Machine

Train a computer to recognize your own images, sounds, & poses.

A fast, easy way to create machine learning models for your sites, apps, and more – no expertise or coding required.

Get Started



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Research Interests

Why does the man smile?

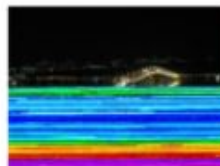


DISCLAIMER: There are no sexist intention at all!

> 10,000 webcams -- an image every 15 minutes -- ~1,000,000 images per day

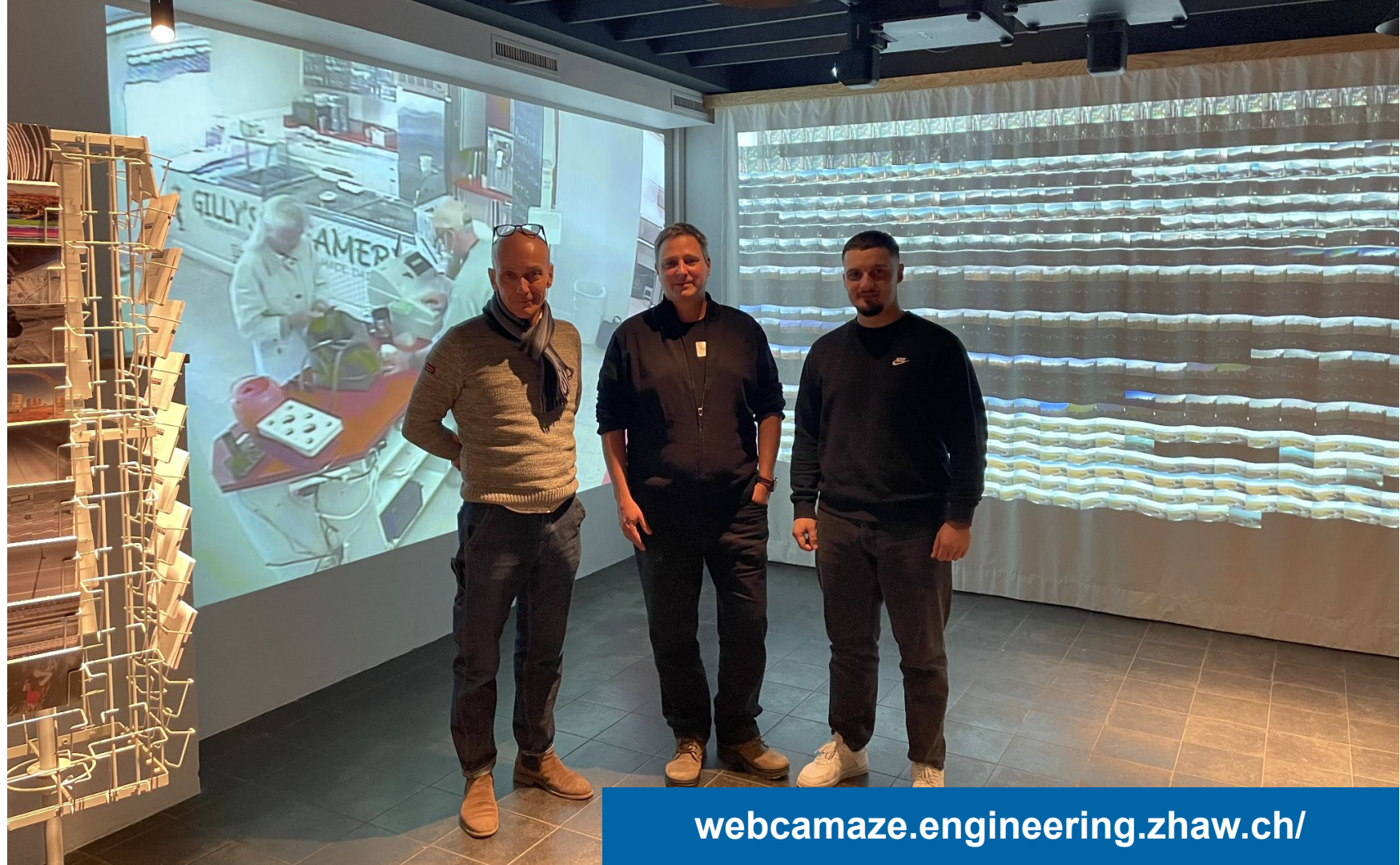


Machine Learning



*Interestingness --
the power of
attracting or holding
one's attention.*





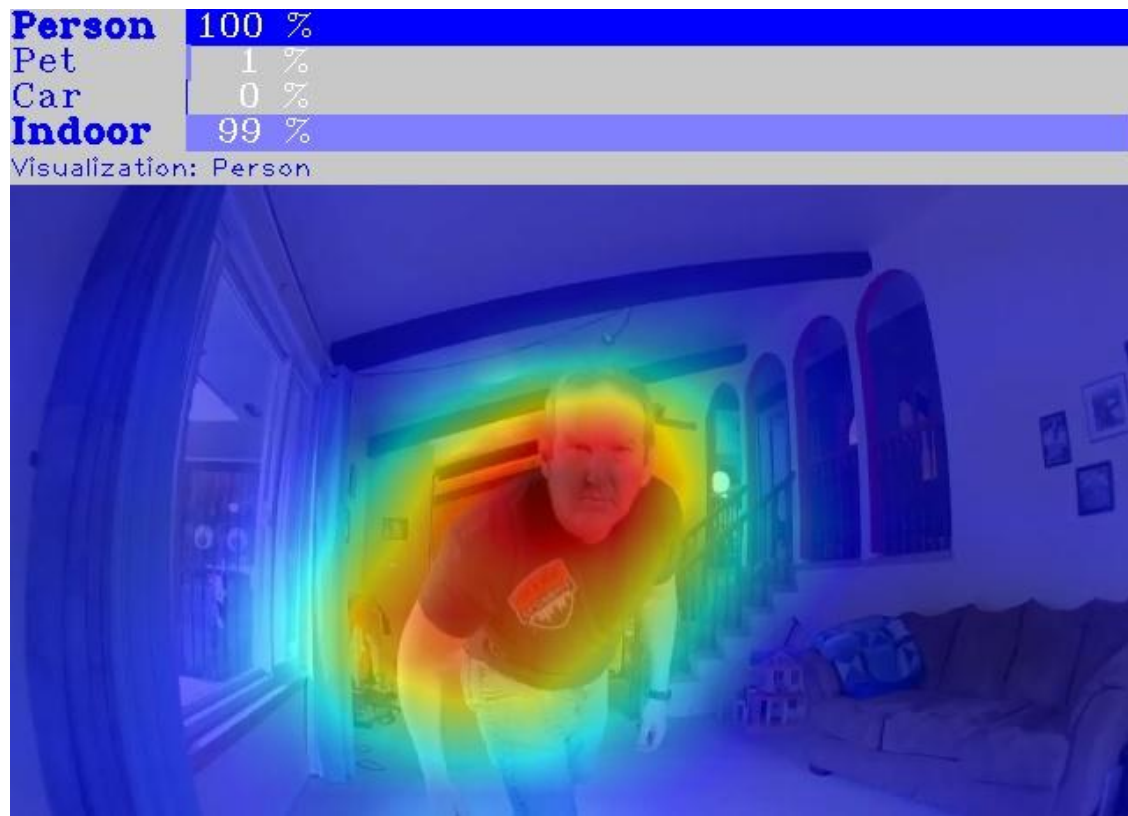
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Additional Slides

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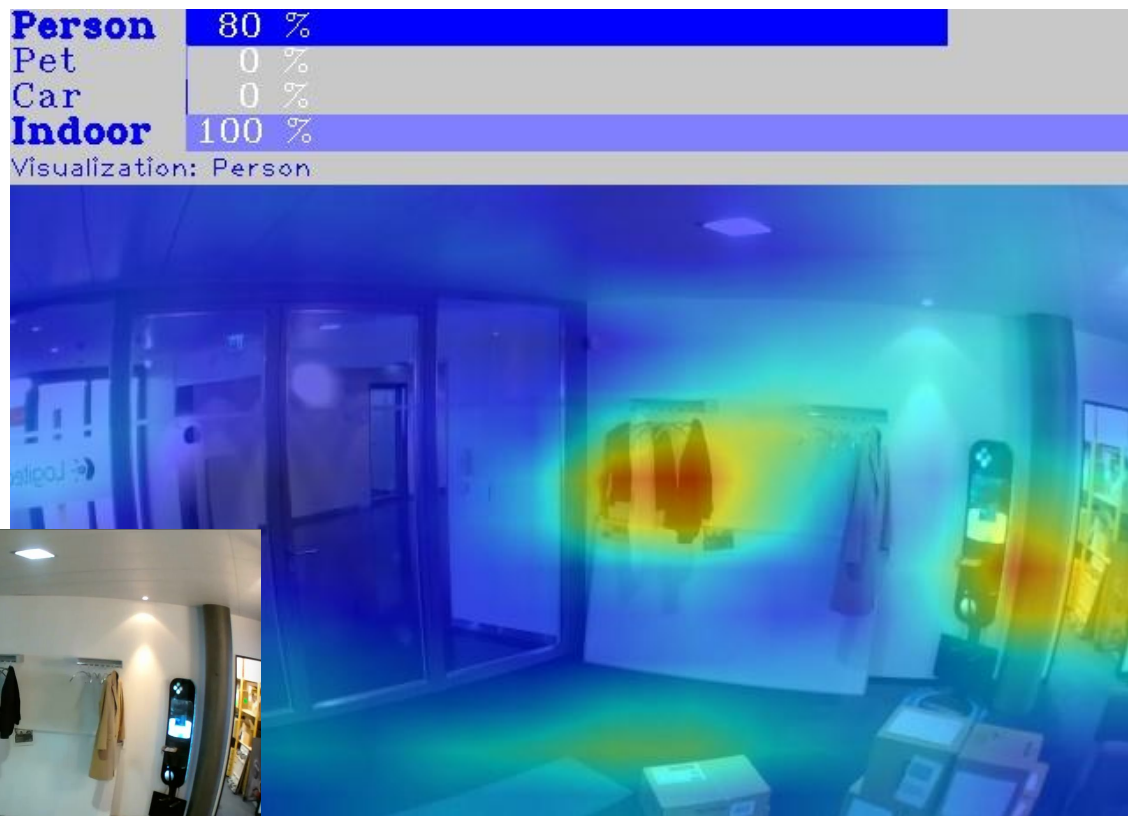


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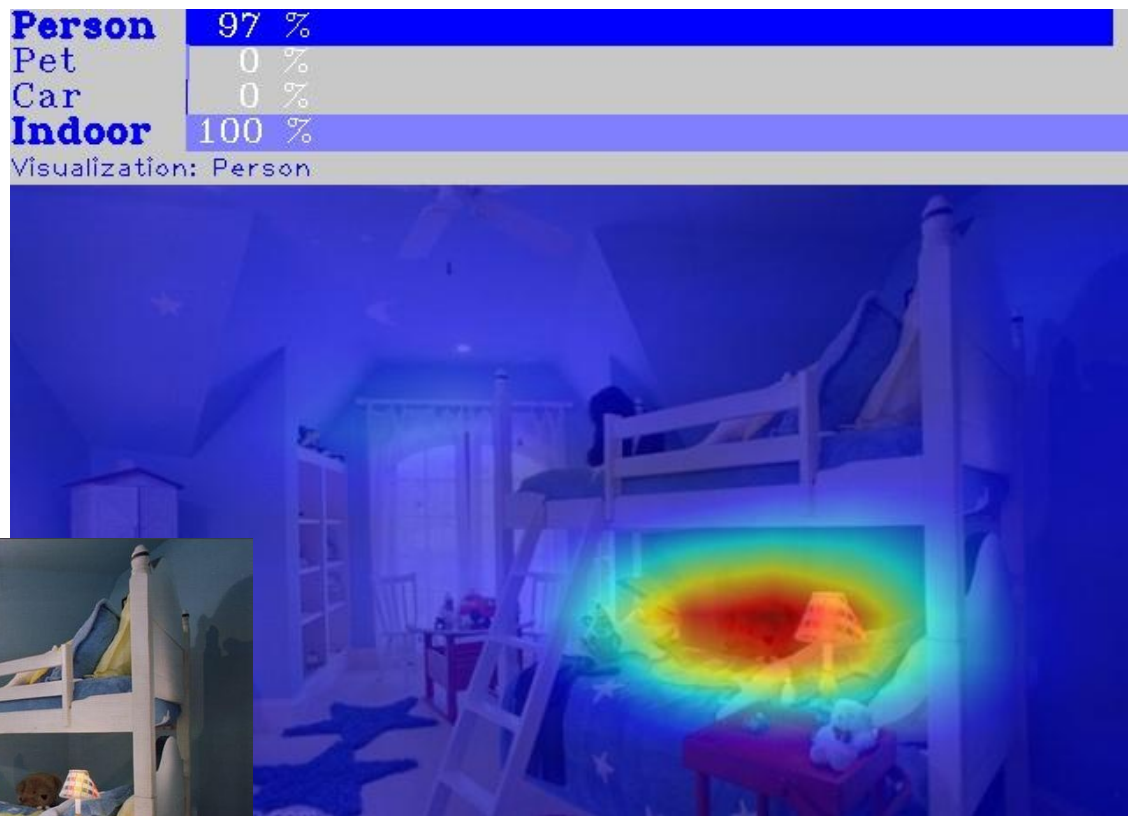


Zhou et al, **Learning Deep Features for Discriminative Localization**, CVPR'16, [web](#)

Know when it fails: False Positives



Know when it fails: False Positives



Context



(A) **Cow: 0.99**, Pasture:
0.99, Grass: 0.99, No Person:
0.98, Mammal: 0.98



(B) No Person: 0.99, Water:
0.98, Beach: 0.97, Outdoors:
0.97, Seashore: 0.97



(C) No Person: 0.97,
Mammal: 0.96, Water: 0.94,
Beach: 0.94, Two: 0.94

Errors: Limitations of the Training

Fooling a Classifier

Bus



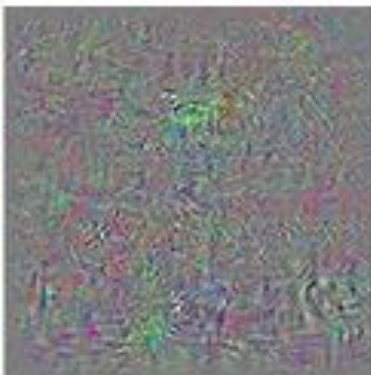
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Noise



Bus+Noise



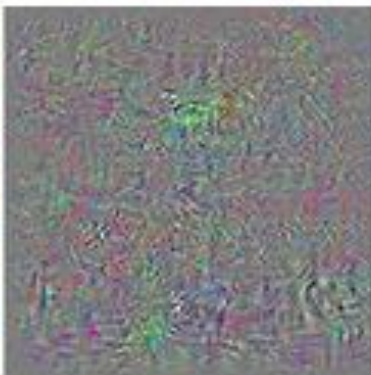
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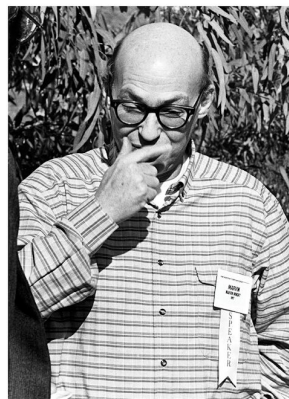
Ostrich



Brief History

- 1943 McCullough and Pitts, linear threshold units can compute logical functions
- 1949 Hebb, learning rule with some physiological plausibility
- 1950 Turing, Computing and Intelligence
- 1958 **Rosenblatt**, Perceptron (single layer NN)
- 1960 Widrow and Hoff, 1st practical system
- 1968 2001: A space odyssey
- 1969 **Minsky** and Papert, Casting doubt on viability of Neural Networks

1st winter



An epic drama of
adventure and exploration



Brief History

1st winter

1980er **Hinton** (among others), Backpropagation

1990er Fukushima, **LeCun**, CNN

1995 Vapnik and Cortes, SVM

2nd winter (in favor for other ML techniques)

2000er more compute, more data, deeper networks

2010 **Fei-Fei Li** et al, launch ImageNet challenge

2012 Alex & **Hinton**, ImageNet challenge goes DL



Hubel and Wiesel: Visual Perception



<https://knowingneurons.com/2014/10/29/hubel-and-wiesel-the-neural-basis-of-visual-perception/>

Resources

Fei-Fei Li at Stanford

History of CV

Stanford, CS231n: [Convolutional Neural Networks for Visual Recognition](#)

How we teach computers to understand pictures

[TED Talk](#)

