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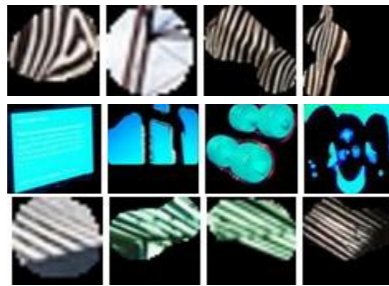


*actually fences / walls

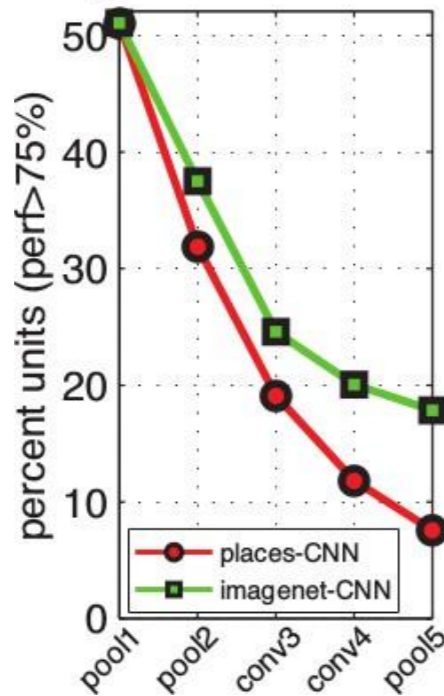




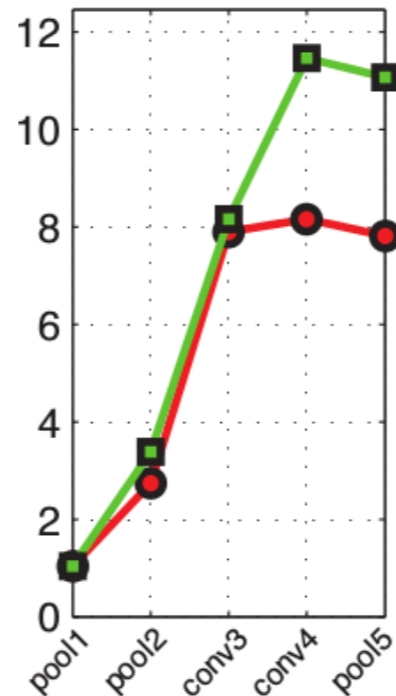
Recap: Convolutional Network Interpretation



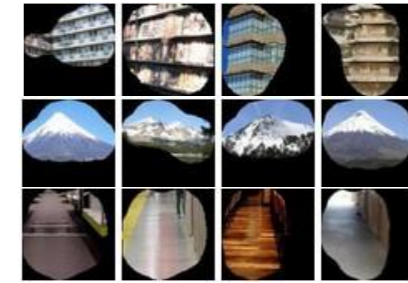
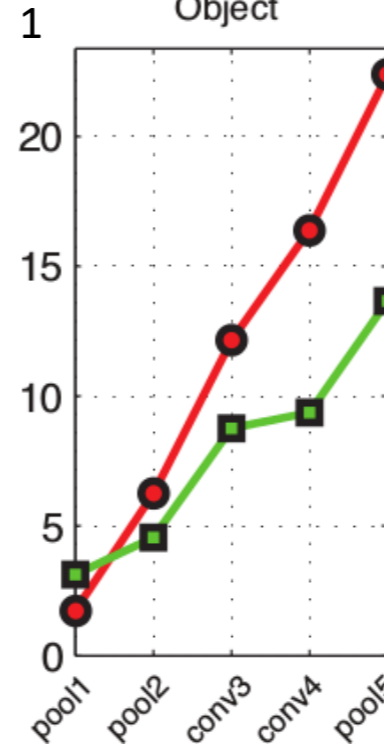
Simple elements & colors



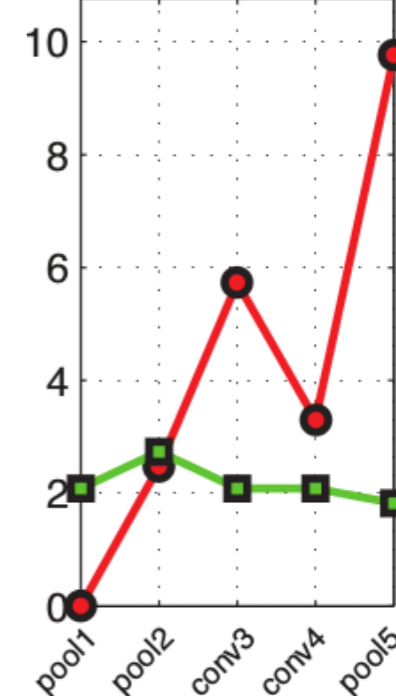
Object part



Object



Scene



Object detectors emerge within CNN trained to classify scenes, without any object supervision!

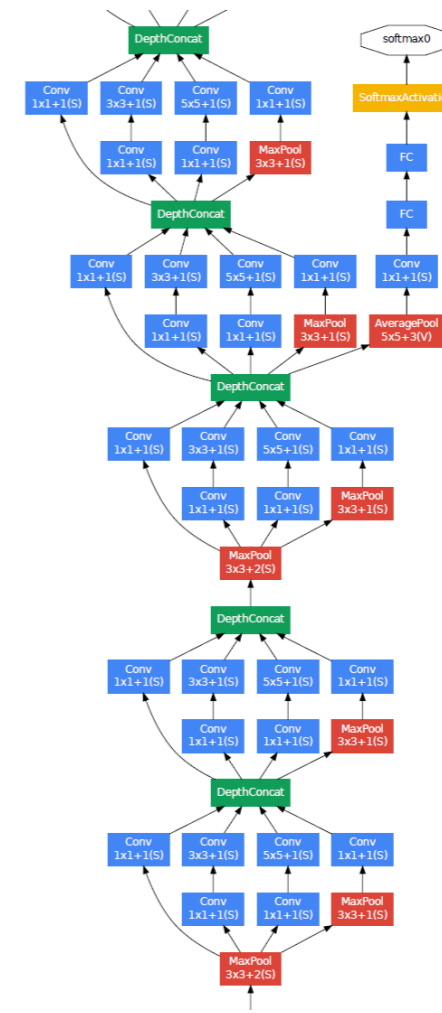
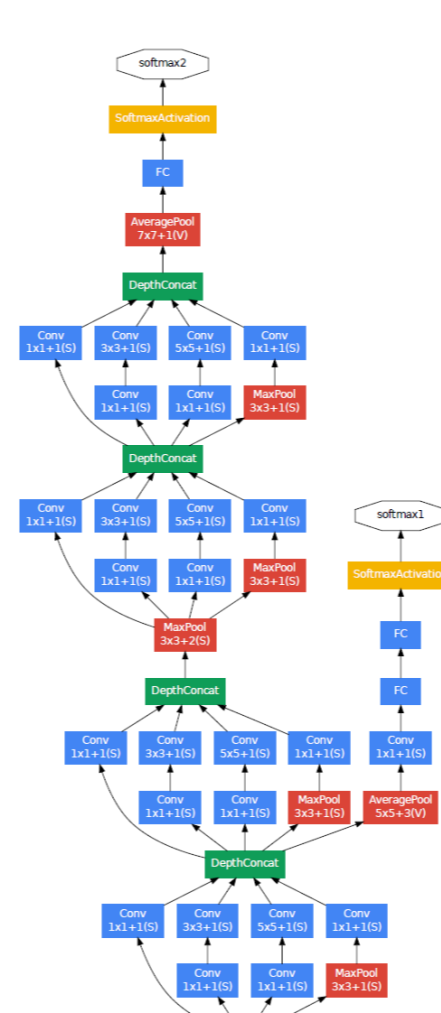
Recap: Beyond AlexNet

ConvNet Configuration					
A	A-LRN	B	C	D	E
11 weight layers	11 weight layers	13 weight layers	16 weight layers	16 weight layers	19 weight layers
input (224×224 RGB image)					
conv3-64	conv3-64 LRN	conv3-64 conv3-64	conv3-64	conv3-64	conv3-64
maxpool					
conv3-128	conv3-128	conv3-128 conv3-128	conv3-128	conv3-128	conv3-128
maxpool					
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maxpool					
FC-4096					
FC-4096					
FC-1000					
soft-max					

Table 2: Number of parameters (in millions).

Network	A,A-LRN	B	C	D	E
Number of parameters	133	133	134	138	144

VGG



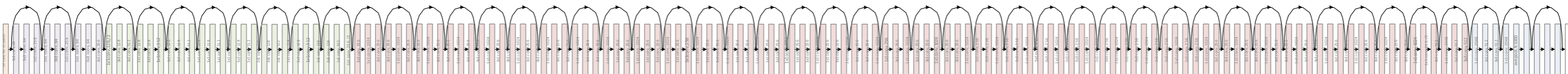
GoogLeNet



Deep Residual Learning for Image Recognition

Kaiming He, Xiangyu Zhang, Shaoqing Ren, Jian Sun

work done at
Microsoft Research Asia



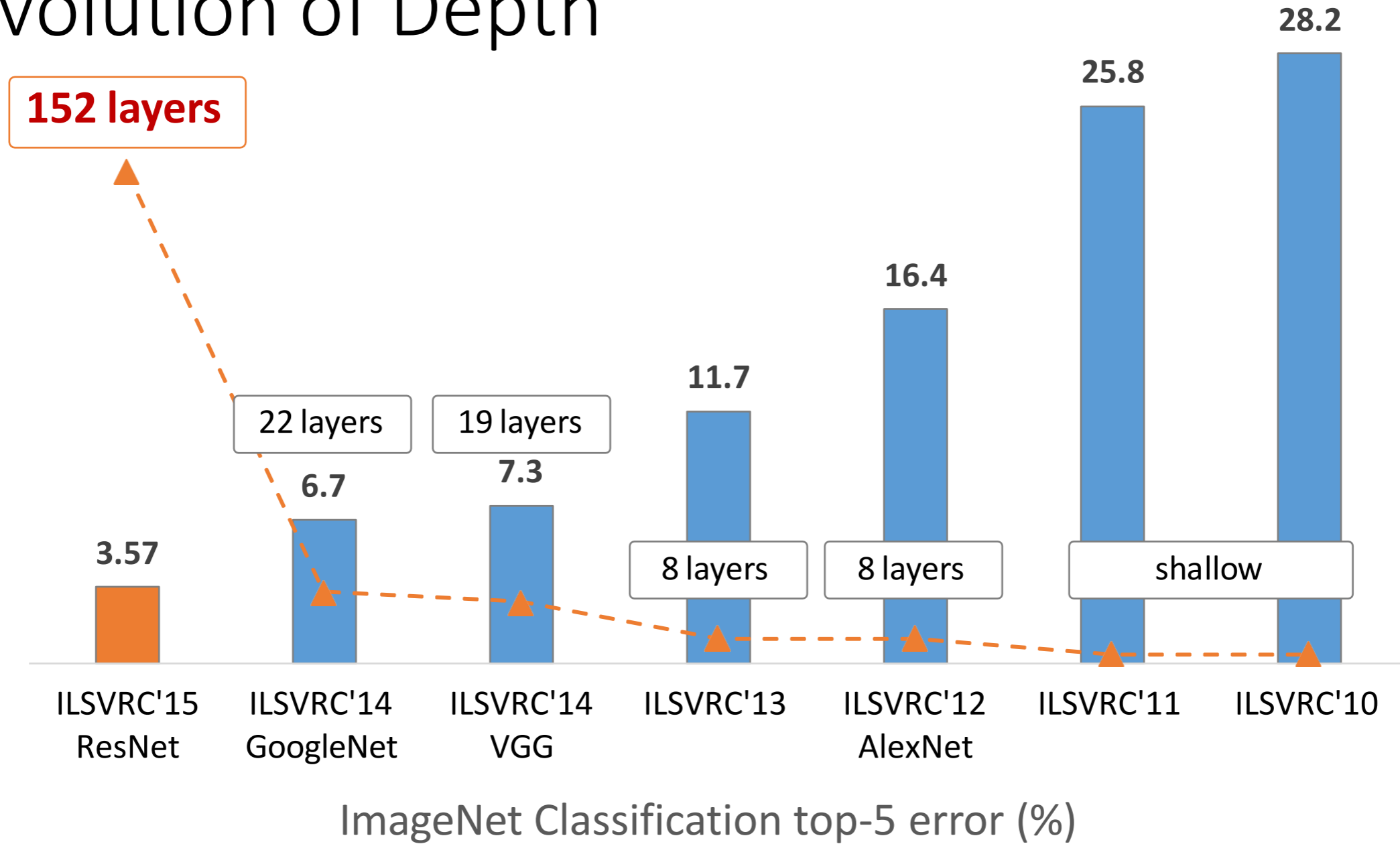
ResNet @ ILSVRC & COCO 2015 Competitions

1st places in all five main tracks

- ImageNet Classification: “*Ultra-deep*” **152-layer** nets
- ImageNet Detection: **16%** better than 2nd
- ImageNet Localization: **27%** better than 2nd
- COCO Detection: **11%** better than 2nd
- COCO Segmentation: **12%** better than 2nd

*improvements are relative numbers

Revolution of Depth



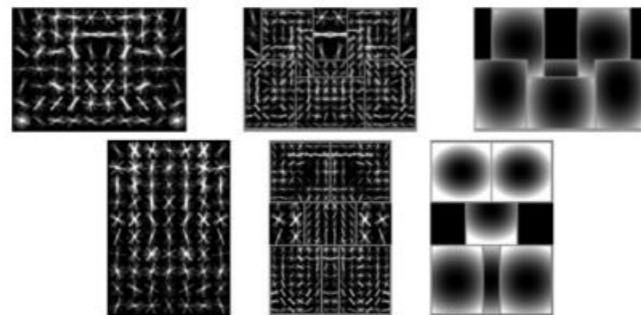
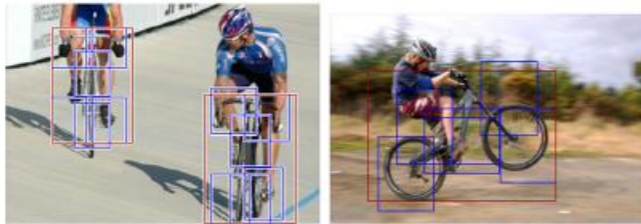
Revolution of Depth

Engines of
visual recognition

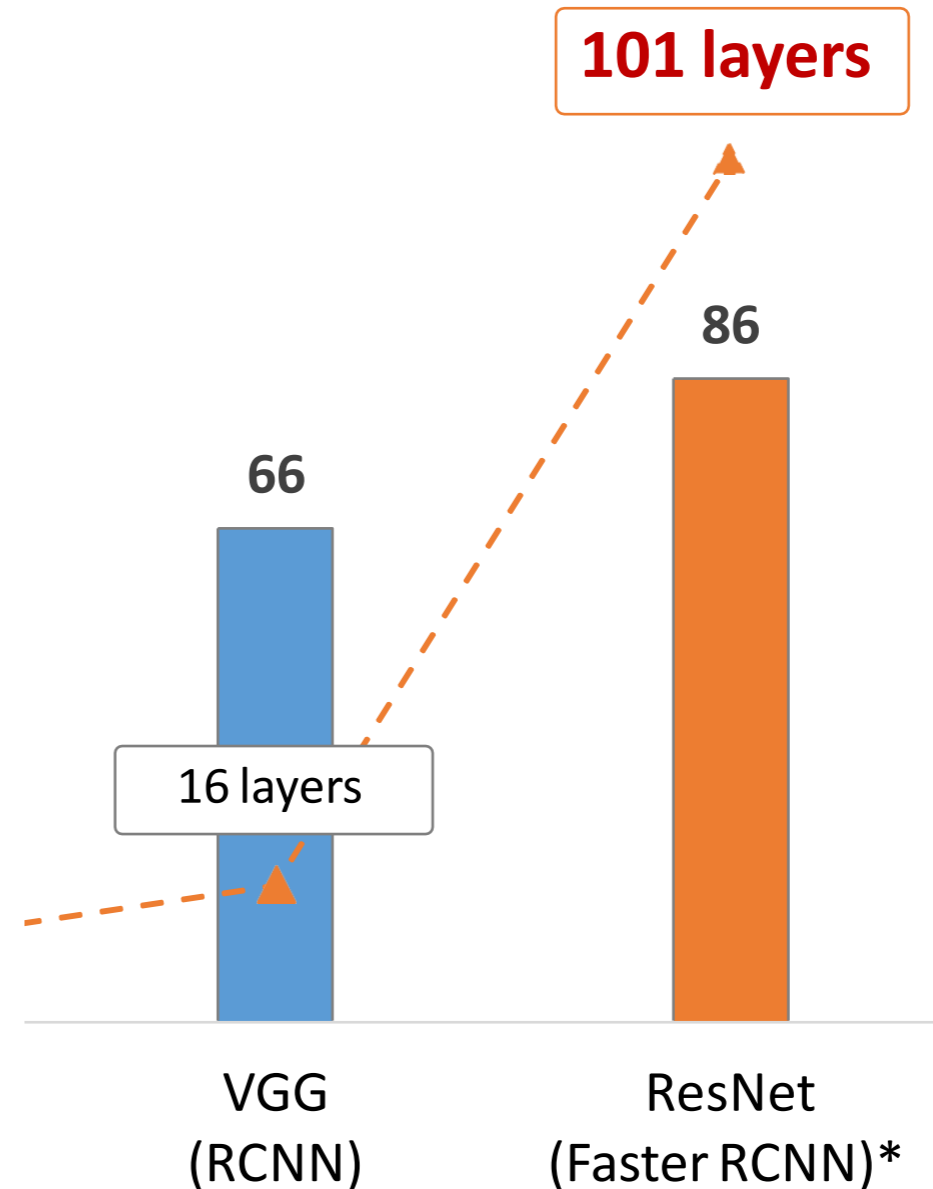
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Discriminatively trained part-based models



P. Felzenszwalb, R. Girshick, D. McAllester, D. Ramanan, "[Object Detection with Discriminatively Trained Part-Based Models](#)," PAMI 2009

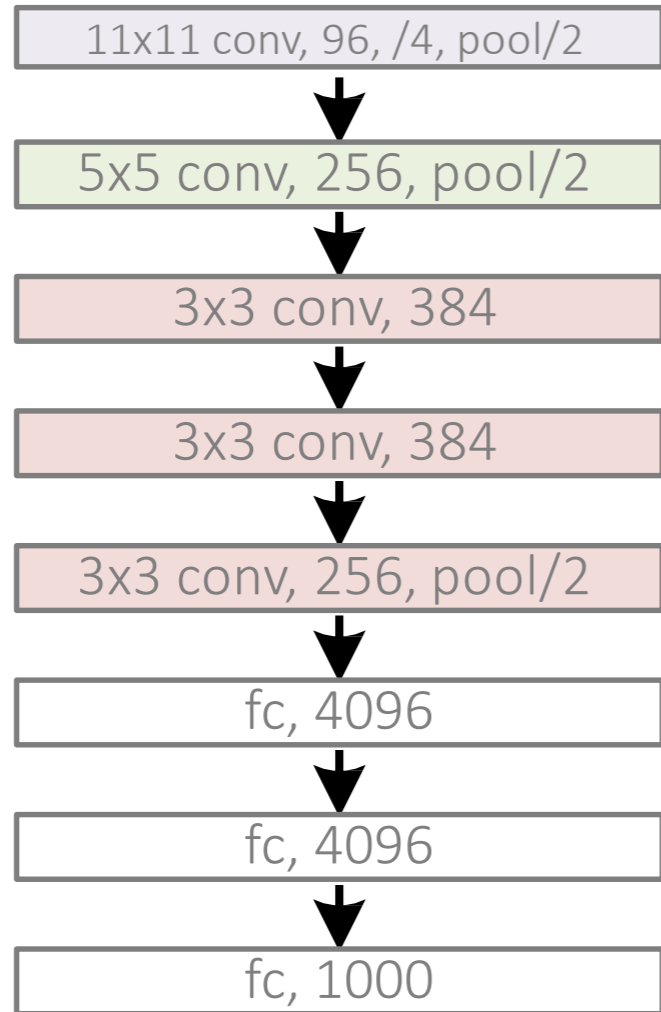


Object Detection mAP (%)

*w/ other improvements & more data

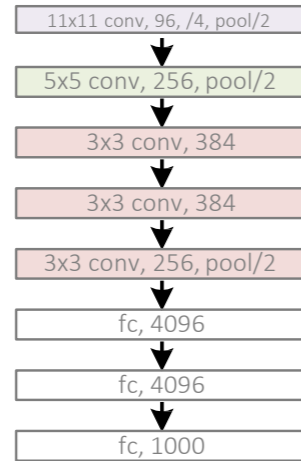
Revolution of Depth

AlexNet, 8 layers
(ILSVRC 2012)

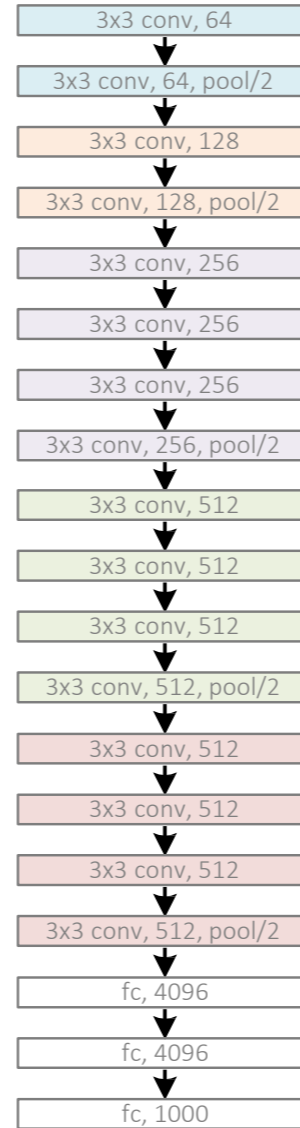


Revolution of Depth

AlexNet, 8 layers
(ILSVRC 2012)



VGG, 19 layers
(ILSVRC 2014)



GoogLeNet, 22 layers
(ILSVRC 2014)



Revolution of Depth

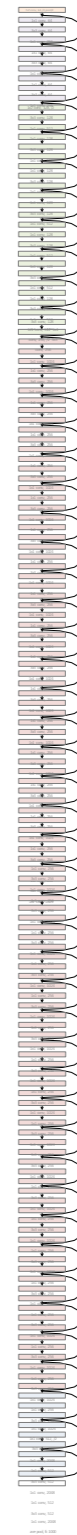
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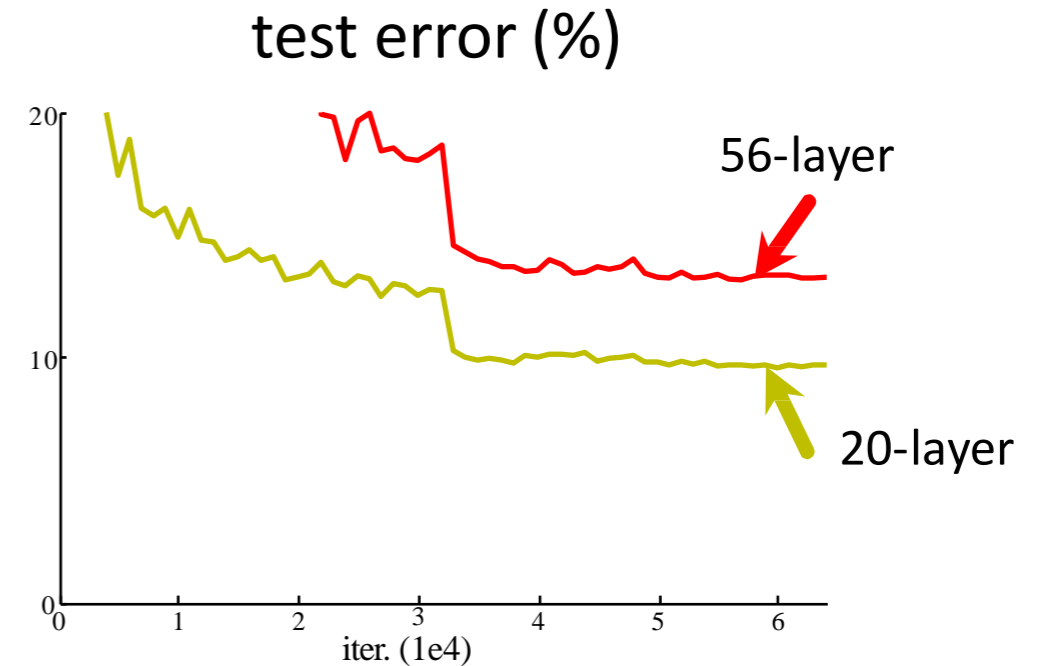
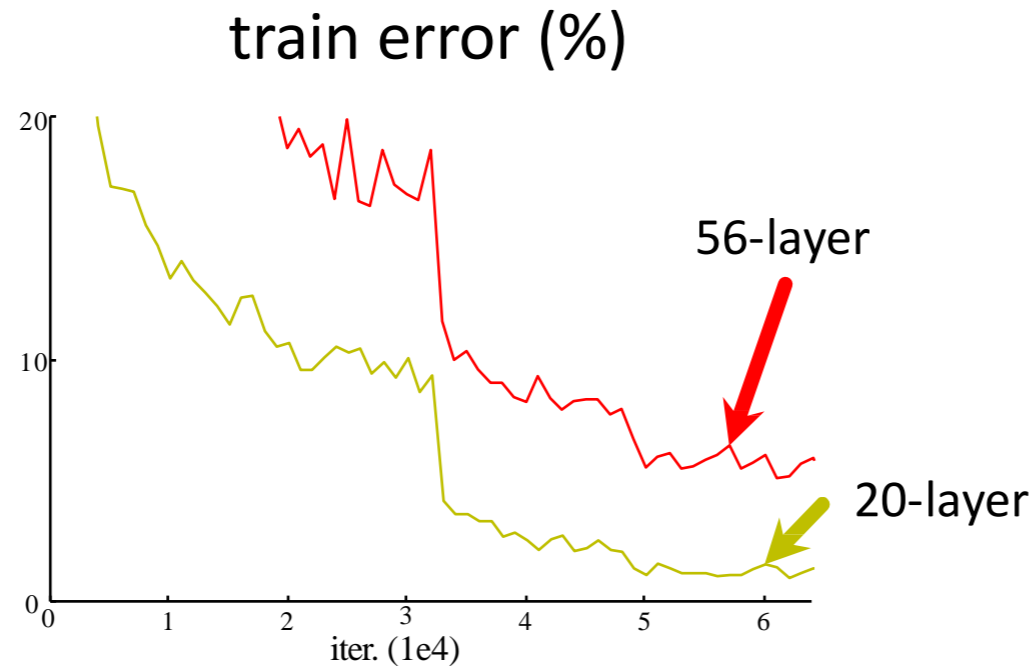
ResNet, **152 layers**
(ILSVRC 2015)



Is learning better networks
as simple as stacking more layers?

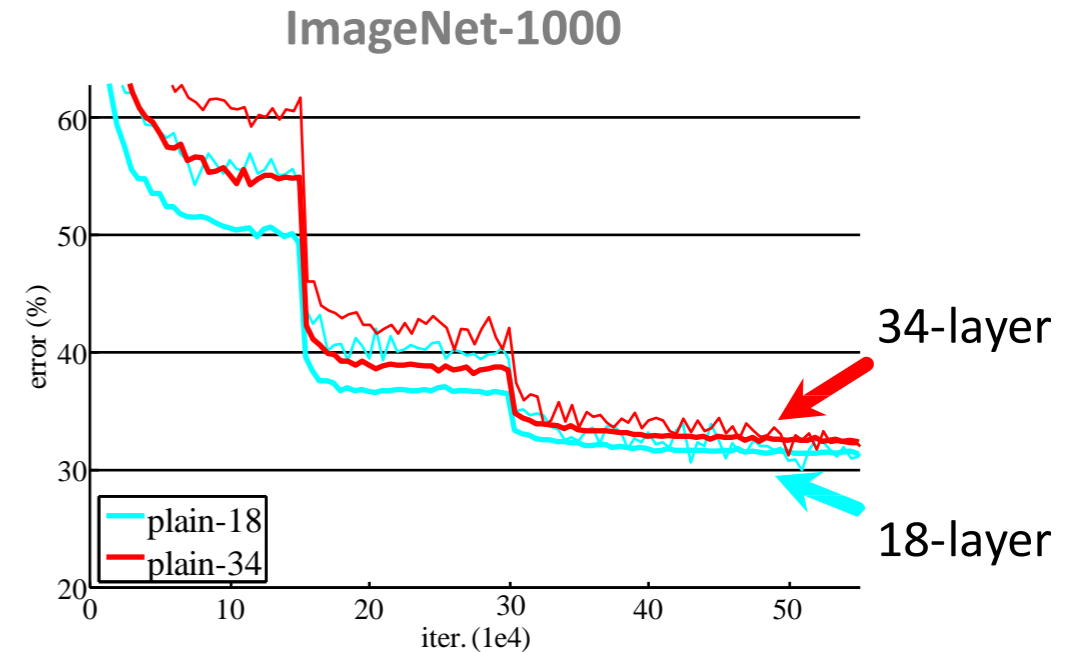
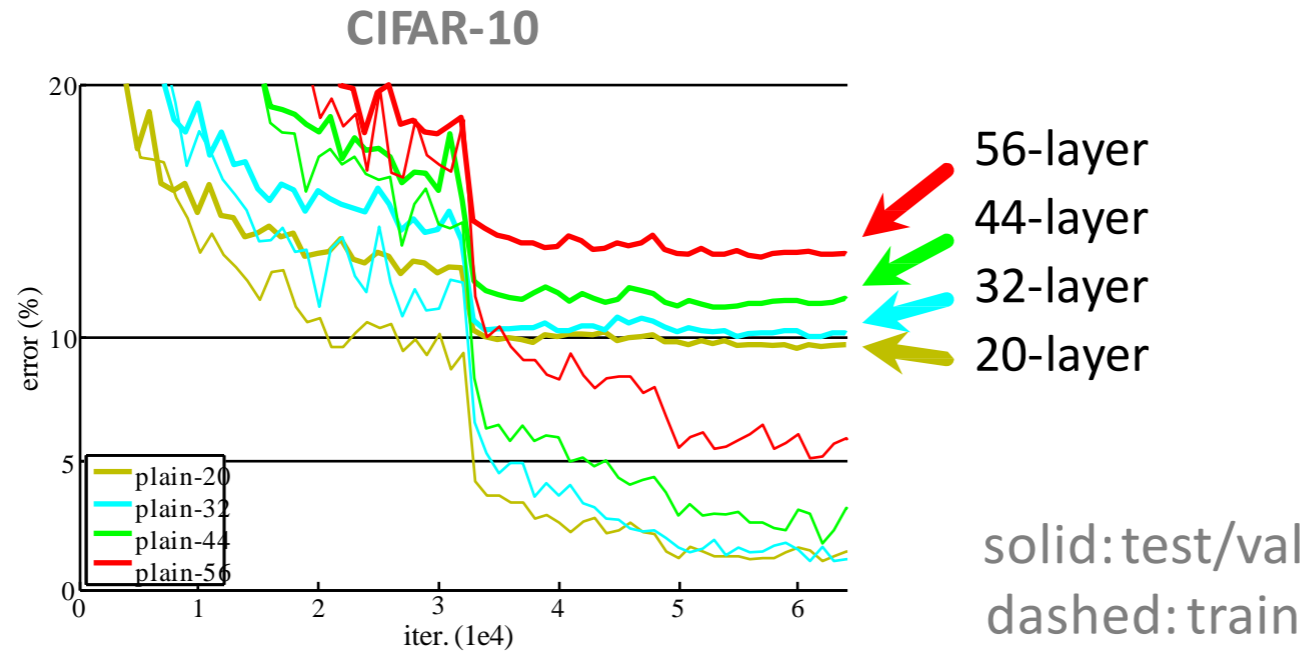
Simply stacking layers?

CIFAR-10



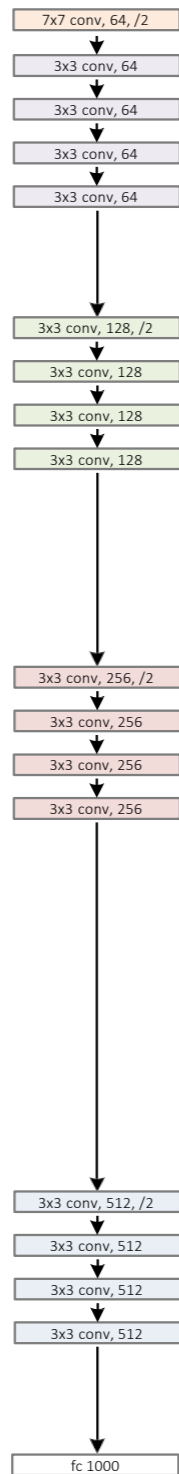
- *Plain* nets: stacking 3x3 conv layers...
- 56-layer net has **higher training error** and test error than 20-layer net

Simply stacking layers?

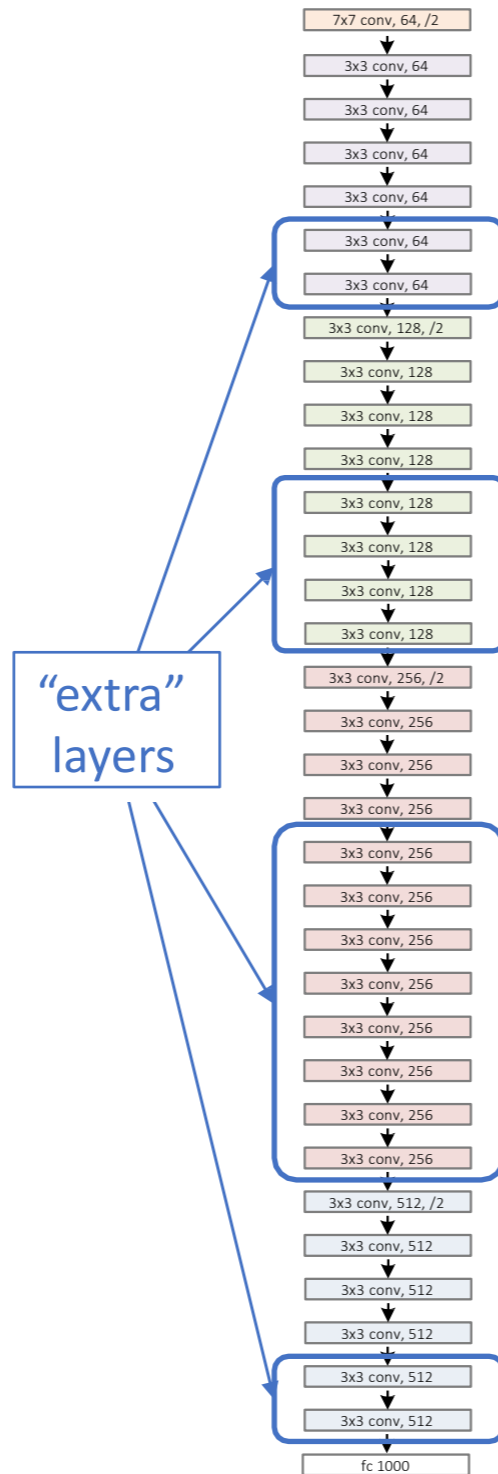


- “Overly deep” plain nets have **higher training error**
- A general phenomenon, observed in many datasets

a shallower model
(18 layers)



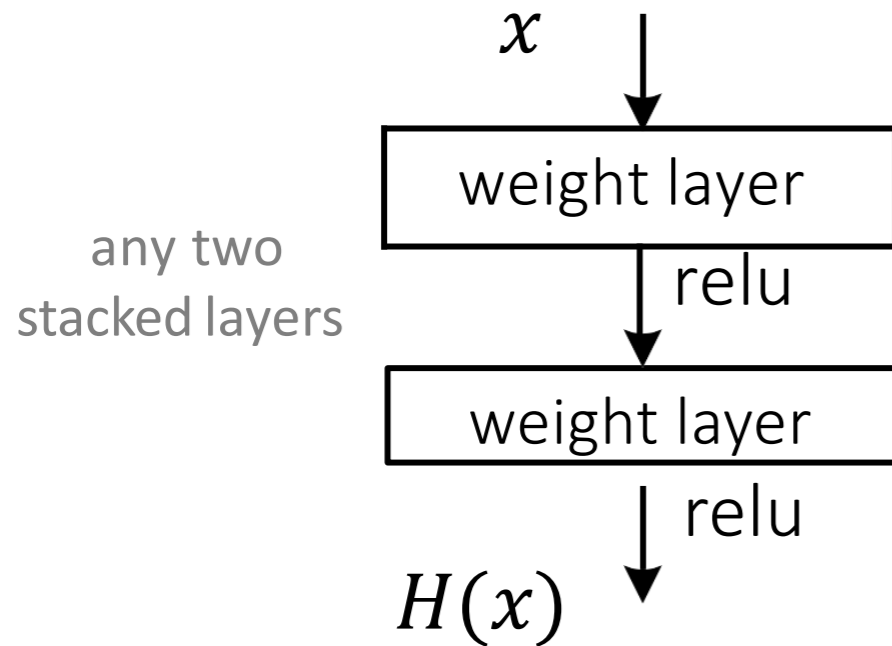
a deeper counterpart
(34 layers)



- Richer solution space
- A deeper model should not have **higher training error**
- A solution *by construction*:
 - original layers: copied from a learned shallower model
 - extra layers: set as **identity**
 - at least the same training error
- **Optimization difficulties**: solvers cannot find the solution when going deeper...

Deep Residual Learning

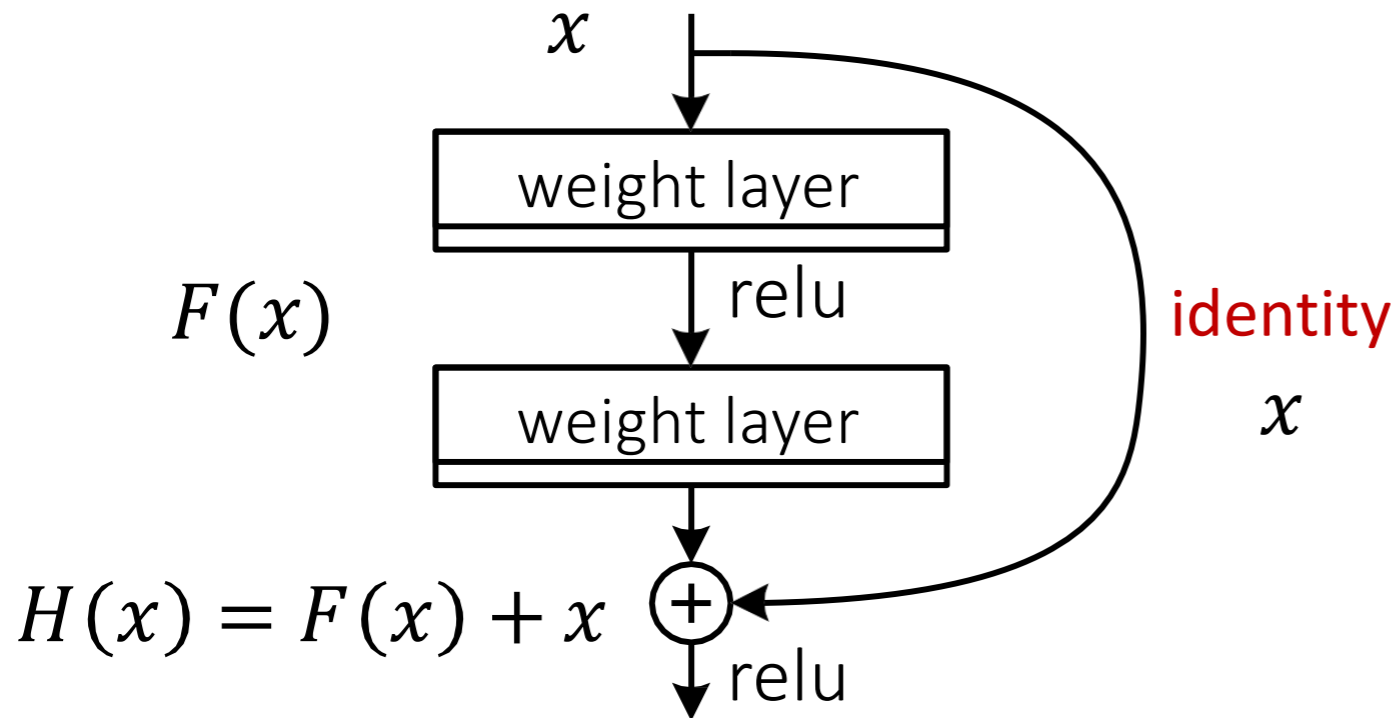
- Plain net



$H(x)$ is any desired mapping,
hope the 2 weight layers fit $H(x)$

Deep Residual Learning

- Residual net



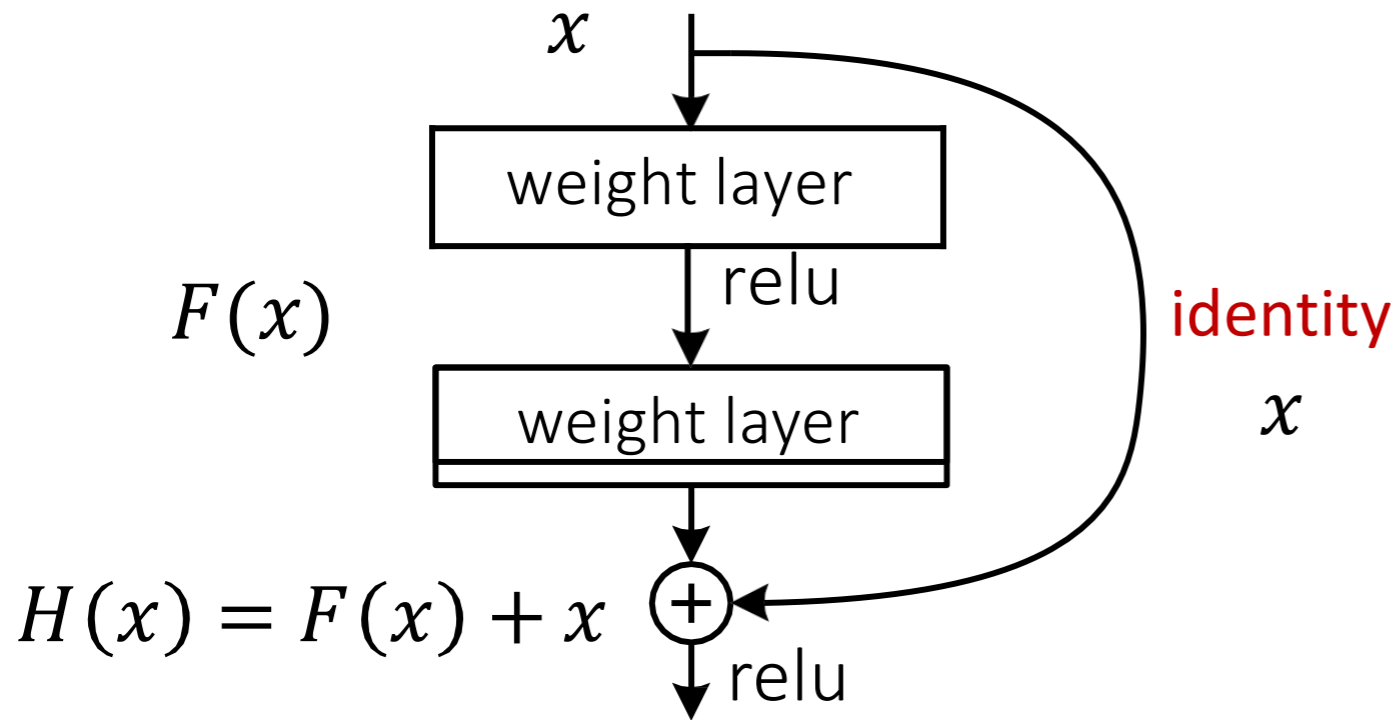
$H(x)$ is any desired mapping,
~~hope the 2 weight layers fit $H(x)$~~

hope the 2 weight layers fit $F(x)$

$$\text{let } H(x) = F(x) + x$$

Deep Residual Learning

- $F(x)$ is a **residual** mapping w.r.t. **identity**

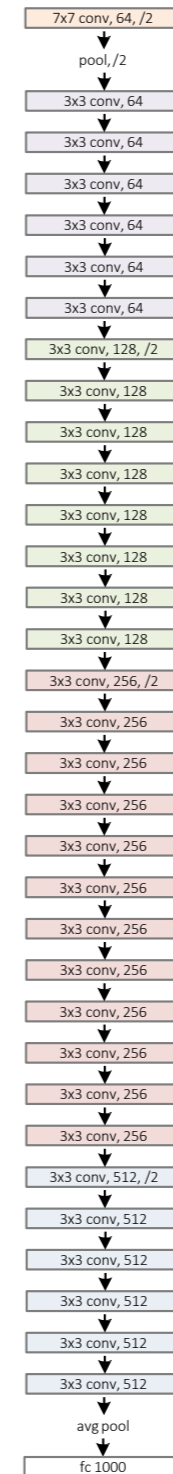


- If identity were optimal, easy to set weights as 0
- If optimal mapping is closer to identity, easier to find small fluctuations

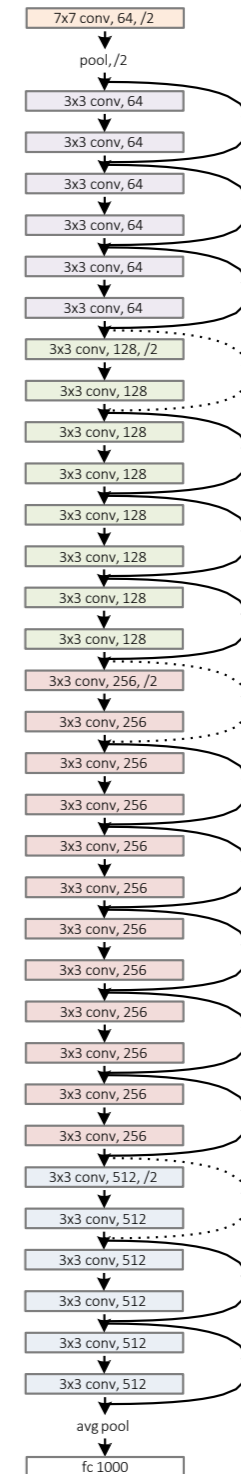
Network “Design”

- Keep it simple
- Our basic design (VGG-style)
 - all 3x3 conv (almost)
 - spatial size /2 => # filters x2
 - **Simple design; just deep!**

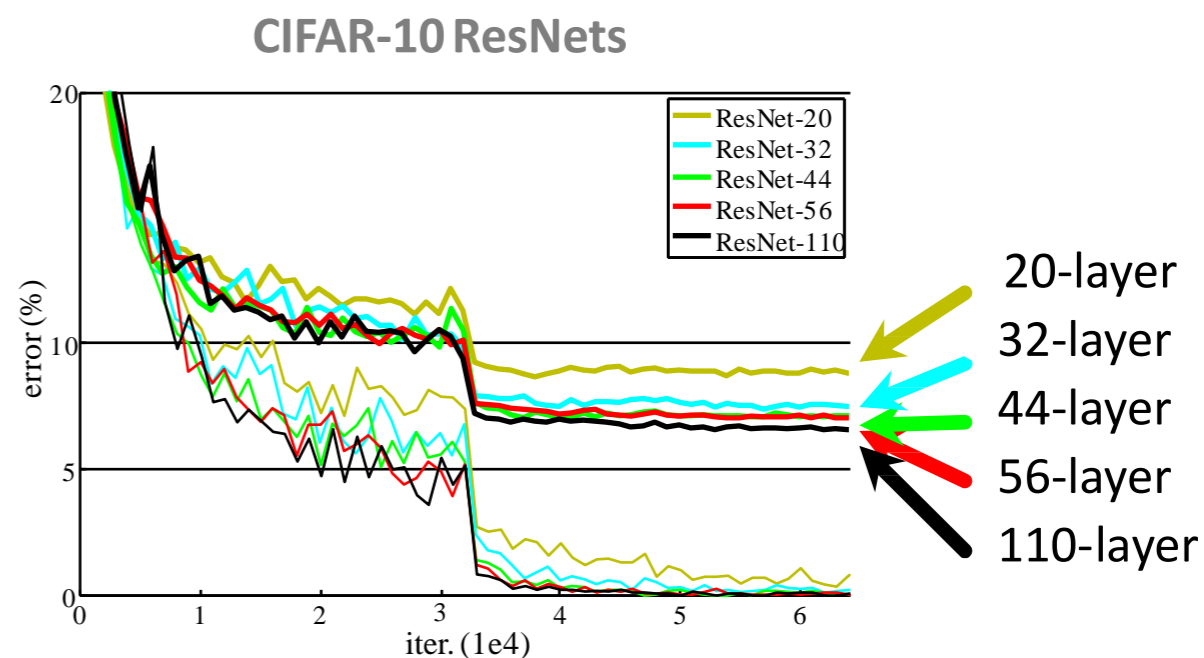
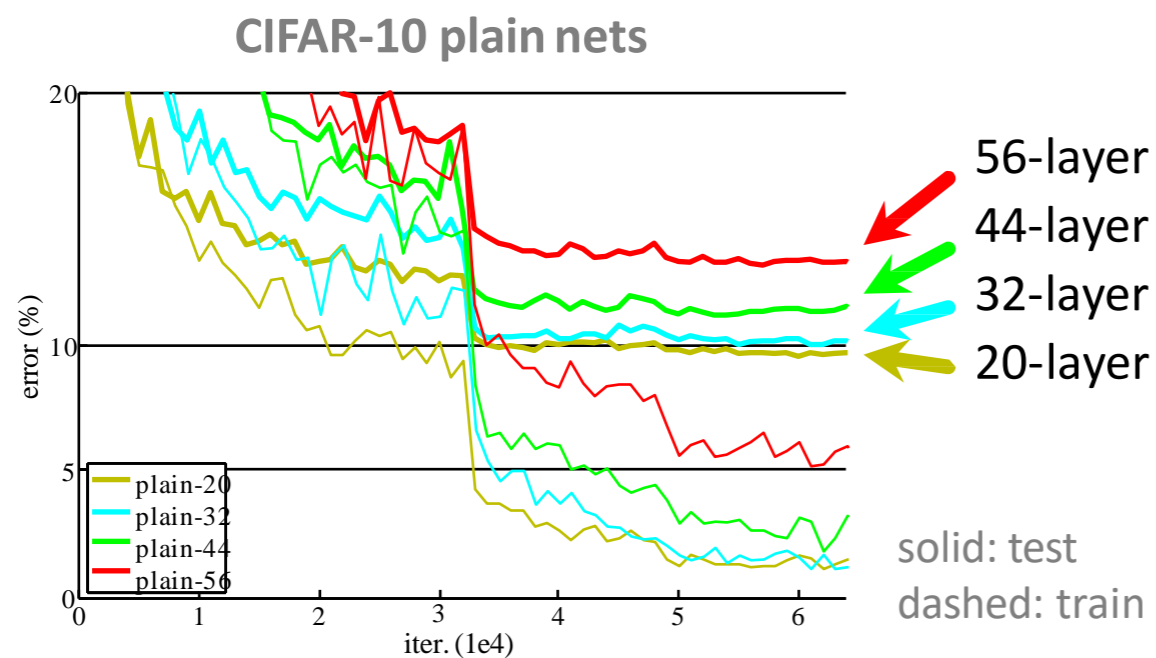
plain net



ResNet



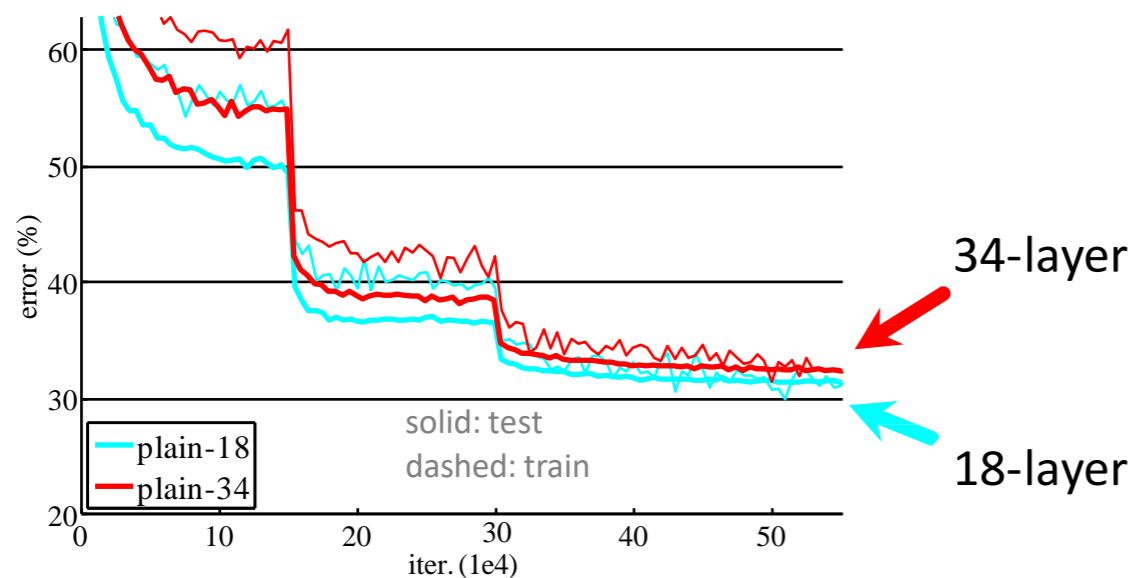
CIFAR-10 experiments



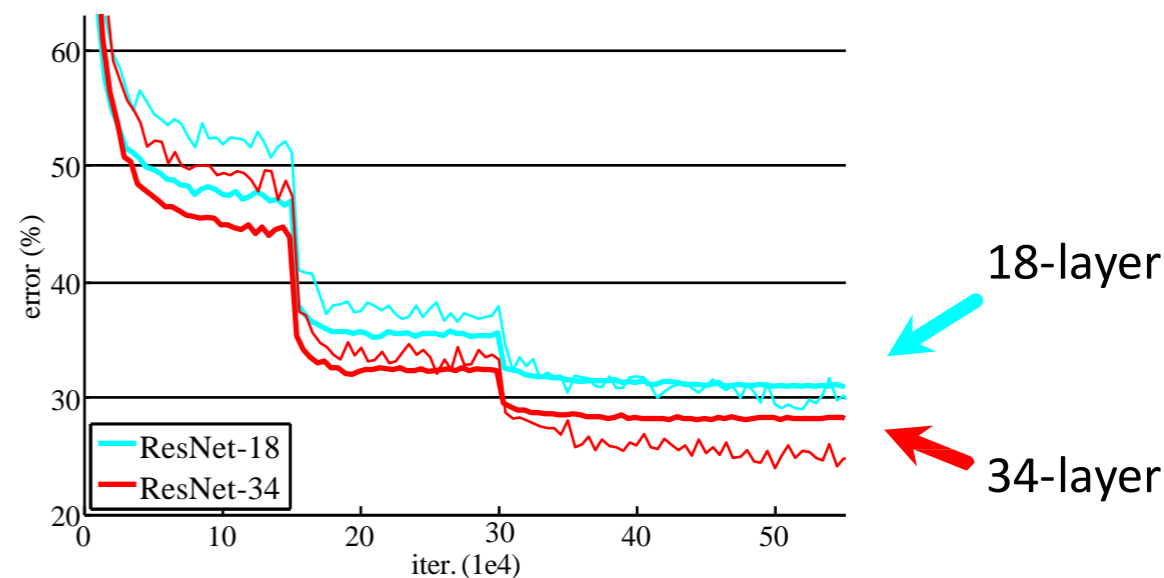
- Deep ResNets can be trained without difficulties
- Deeper ResNets have **lower training error**, and also lower test error

ImageNet experiments

ImageNet plain nets



ImageNet ResNets

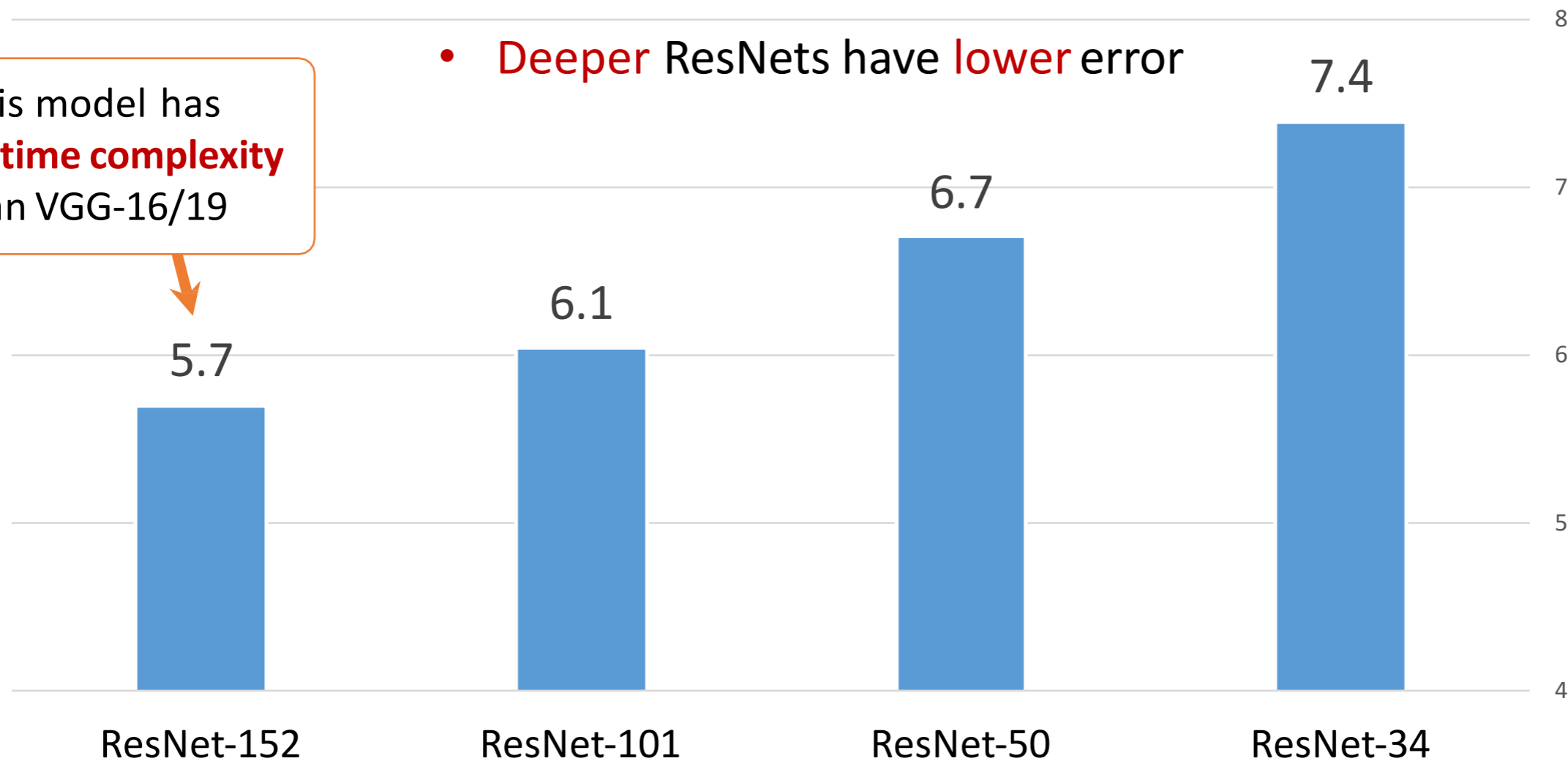


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ImageNet experiments

- Deeper ResNets have lower error

this model has **lower time complexity** than VGG-16/19



10-crop testing, top-5 val error (%)

Beyond classification

A treasure from ImageNet is on **learning features.**

“*Features matter.*” (quote [Girshick et al. 2014], the R-CNN paper)

task	2nd-place winner	ResNets	margin (relative)
ImageNet Localization (top-5 error)	12.0	9.0	27%
ImageNet Detection (mAP@.5)	53.6	62.1	16%
COCO Detection (mAP@.5:.95)	33.5	37.3	11%
COCO Segmentation (mAP@.5:.95)	25.1	28.2	12%

absolute
8.5% better!

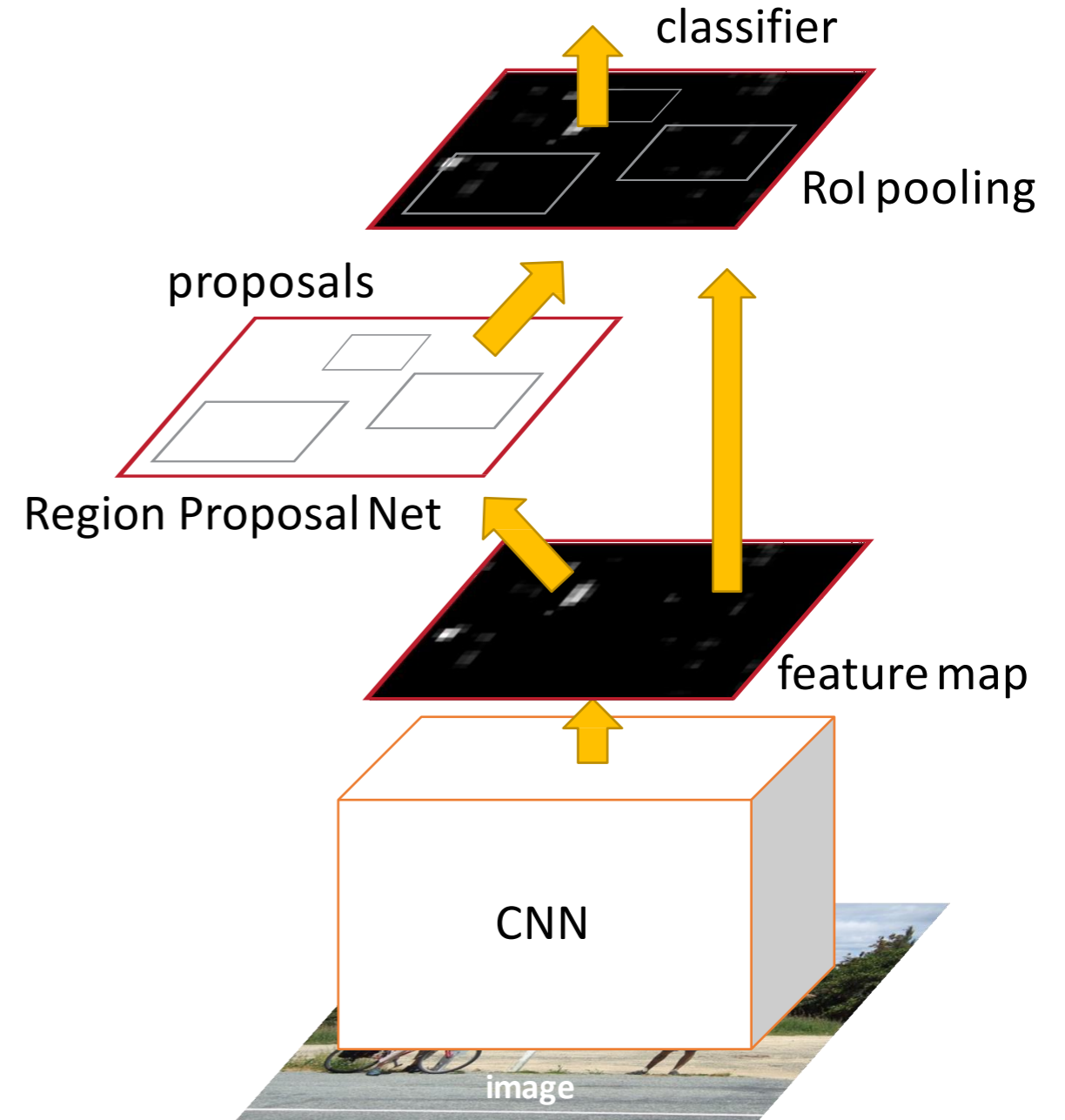
- Our results are all based on **ResNet-101**
- Our features are **well transferrable**

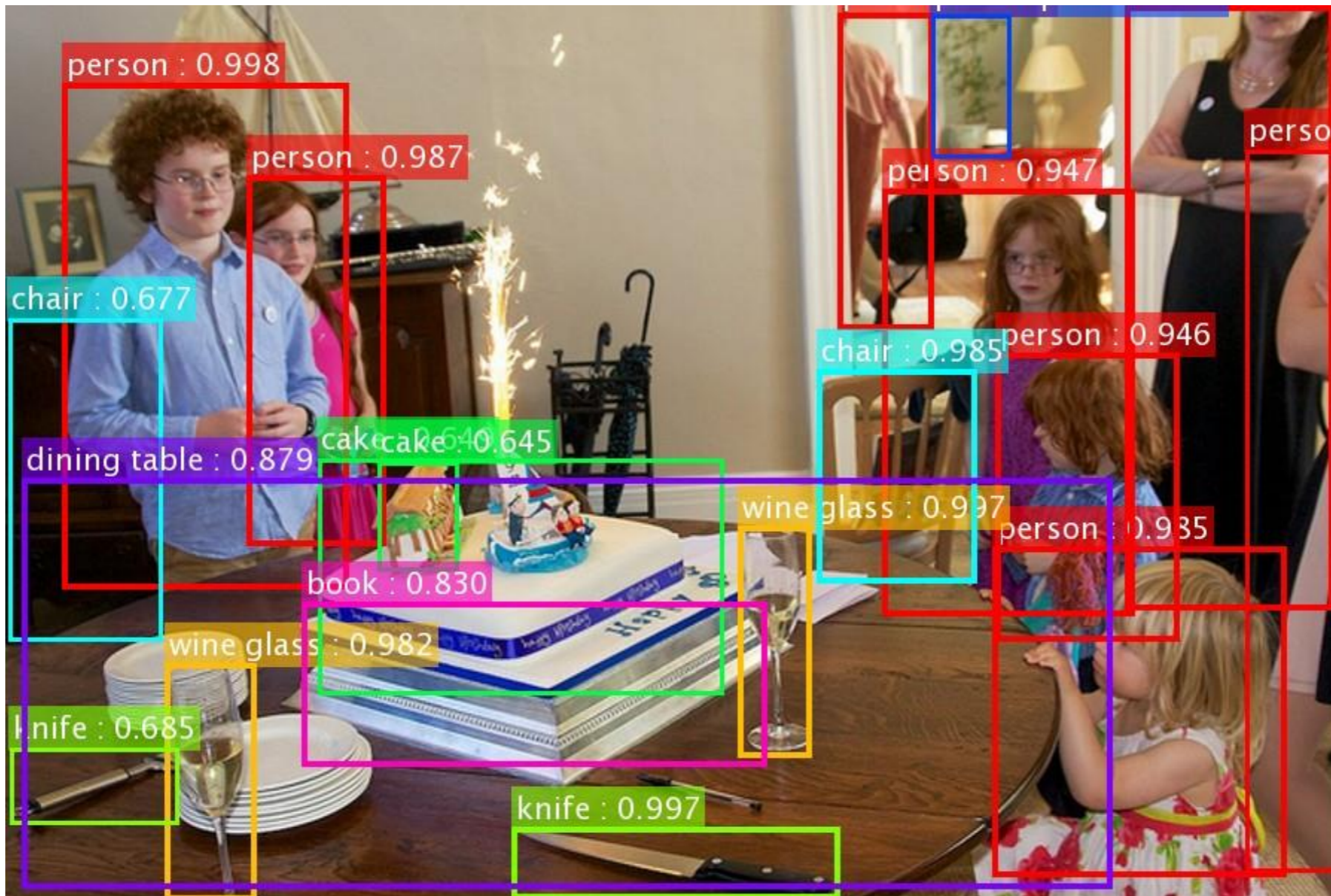
Object Detection (brief)

- Simply “Faster R-CNN + ResNet”

Faster R-CNN baseline	mAP@.5	mAP@.5:.95
VGG-16	41.5	21.5
ResNet-101	48.4	27.2

coco detection results
(ResNet has 28% relative gain)





Our results on MS COCO

*the original image is from the COCO dataset

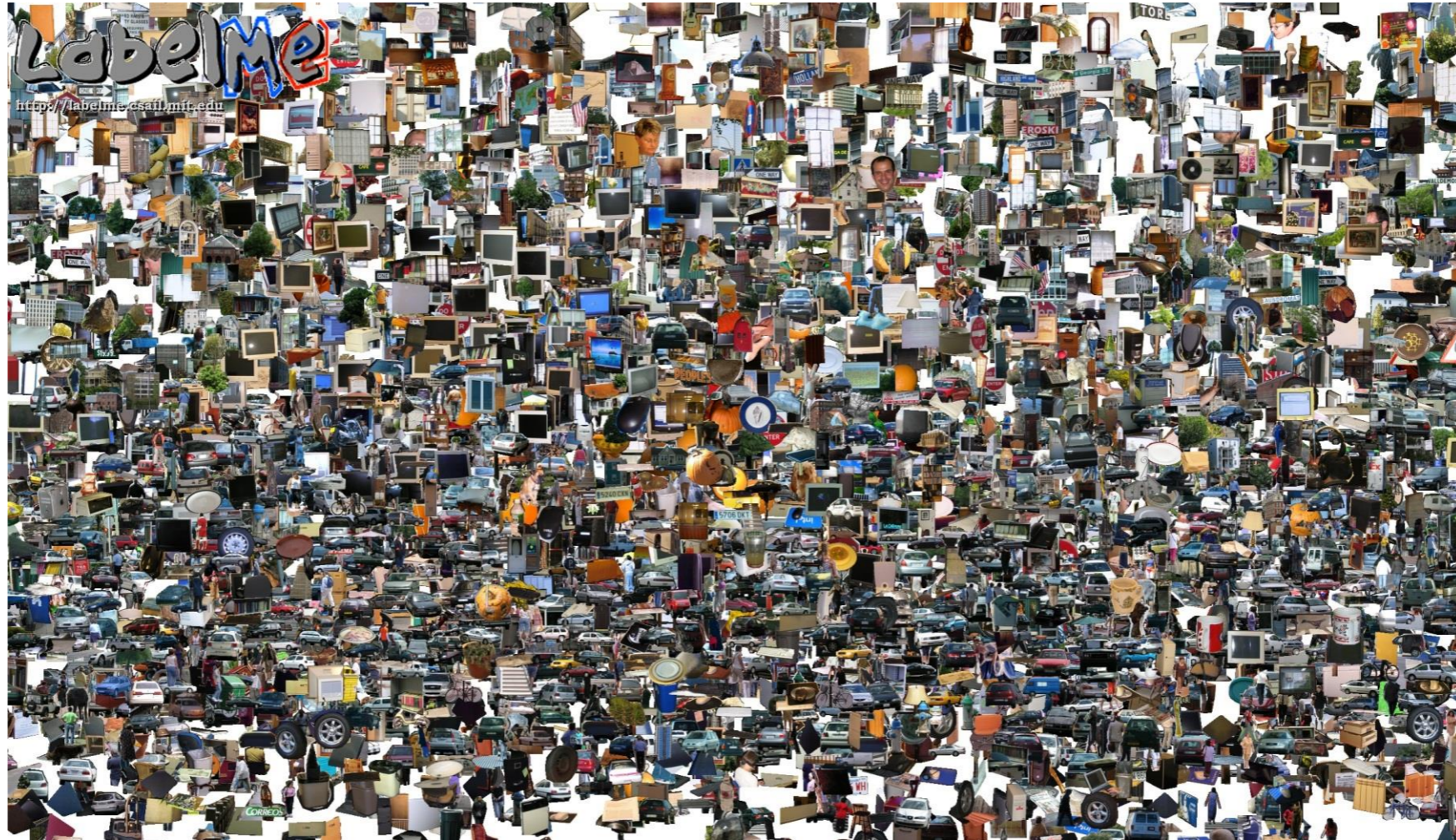
Kaiming He, Xiangyu Zhang, Shaoqing Ren, & Jian Sun. "Deep Residual Learning for Image Recognition". CVPR 2016.

Shaoqing Ren, Kaiming He, Ross Girshick, & Jian Sun. "Faster R-CNN: Towards Real-Time Object Detection with Region Proposal Networks". NIPS 2015.

Why does ResNet work so well?

- The architecture is somehow easier to optimize.
- The authors argue it probably isn't because it solves the “vanishing gradient” problem.

Opportunities of Scale



Computer Vision

James Hays

Outline

Opportunities of Scale: Data-driven methods

- The Unreasonable Effectiveness of Data
- Scene Completion
- Im2gps
- Recognition via Tiny Images

Computer Vision Class so far

- The geometry of image formation
 - Ancient / Renaissance
- Signal processing / Convolution
 - 1800, but really the 50's and 60's
- Hand-designed Features for recognition, either instance-level or categorical
 - 1999 (SIFT), 2003 (Video Google), 2005 (Dalal-Triggs), 2006 (spatial pyramid bag of words)
- Learning from Data
 - 1991 (EigenFaces) but late 90's to now especially

What has changed in the last 15 years?

- The Internet
- Crowdsourcing
- Learning representations from the data these sources provide (deep learning)

Google and massive data-driven algorithms

A.I. for the postmodern world:

- all questions have already been answered...many times, in many ways
- Google is dumb, the “intelligence” is in the data



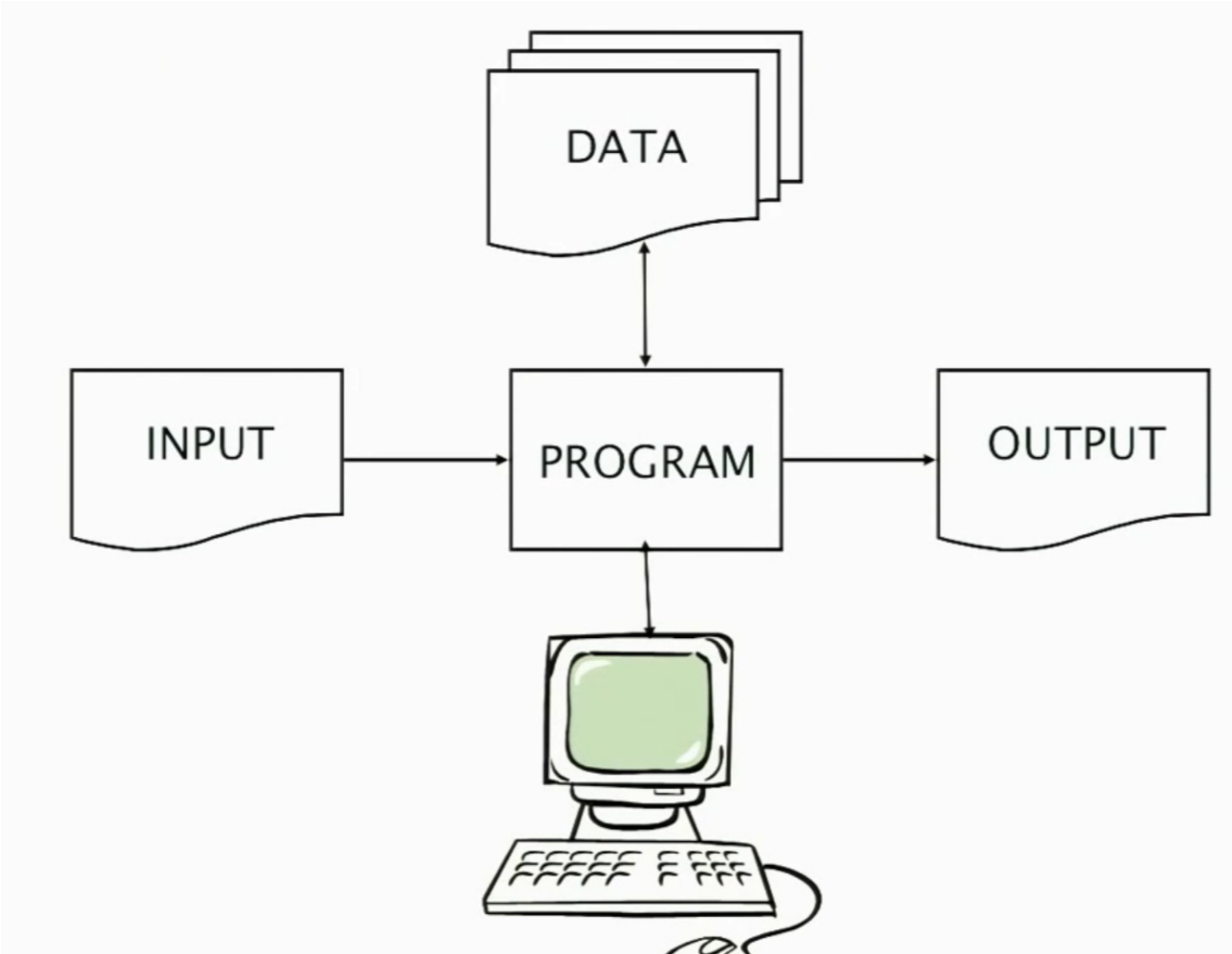
The Unreasonable Effectiveness of Data

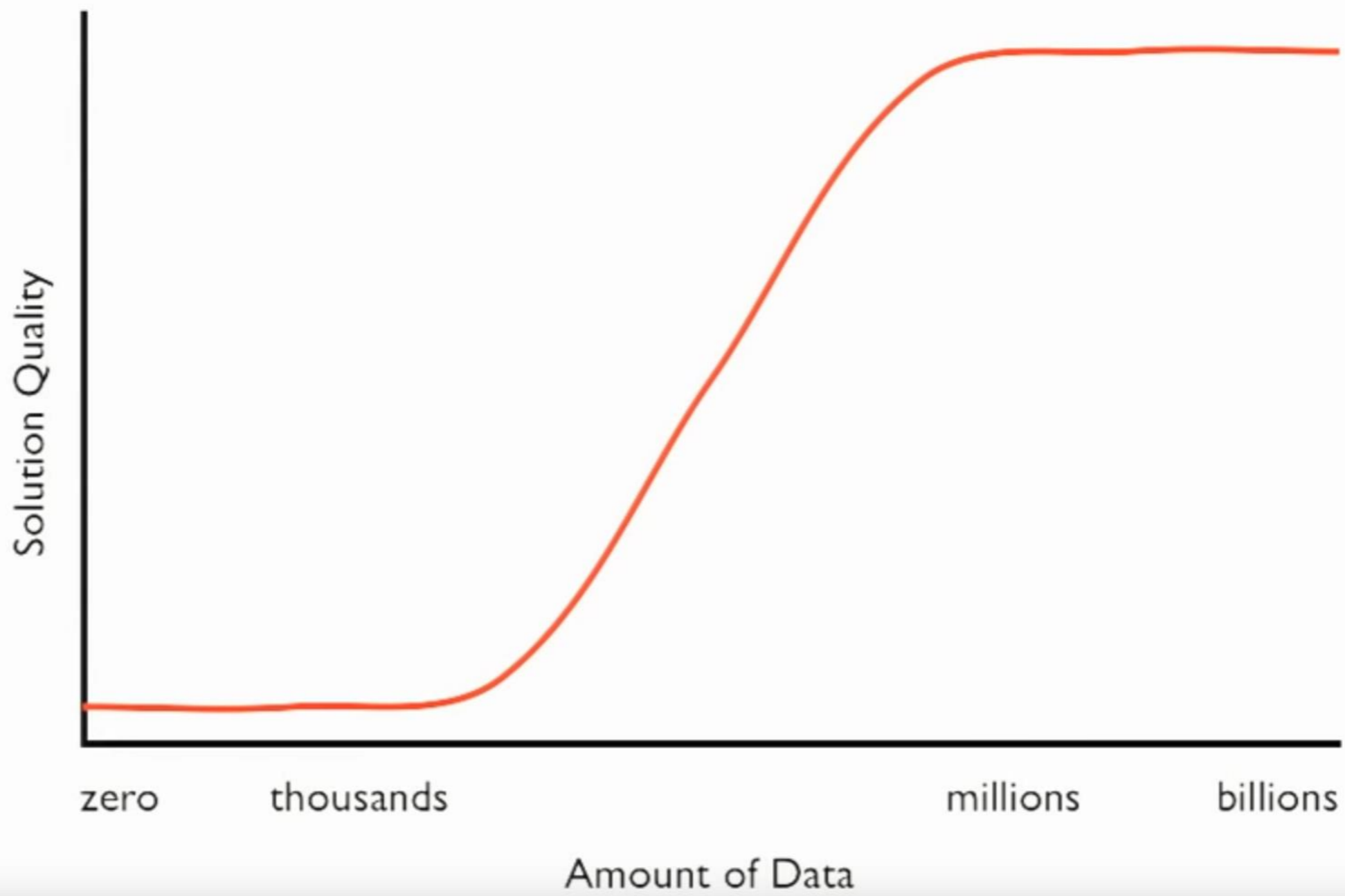
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Watch until 9:42





Chinese Room, John Searle (1980)

If a machine can convincingly simulate an intelligent conversation, does it necessarily understand? In the experiment, Searle imagines himself in a room, acting as a computer by manually executing a program that convincingly simulates the behavior of a native Chinese speaker.

Most of the discussion consists of attempts to refute it. "The overwhelming majority," notes *BBS* editor Stevan Harnad, "still think that the Chinese Room Argument is dead wrong." The sheer volume of the literature that has grown up around it inspired Pat Hayes to quip that the field of cognitive science ought to be redefined as "the ongoing research program of showing Searle's Chinese Room Argument to be false."





Yann LeCun

October 23 at 9:58pm · 🌐

Questions from the piece:

Q1. Does the Chinese Room argument prove the impossibility of machine consciousness?

A1: Hell no. ... [See More](#)



Can Machines Become Moral?

The question is heard more and more often, both from those who think that machines cannot become moral, and who think that to believe otherwise is a dangerous illusion, and from those who think that machines must become moral,...

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Big Idea

- Do we need computer vision systems to have strong AI-like reasoning about our world?
- What if invariance / generalization isn't actually the core difficulty of computer vision?
- What if we can perform high level reasoning with brute-force, data-driven algorithms?

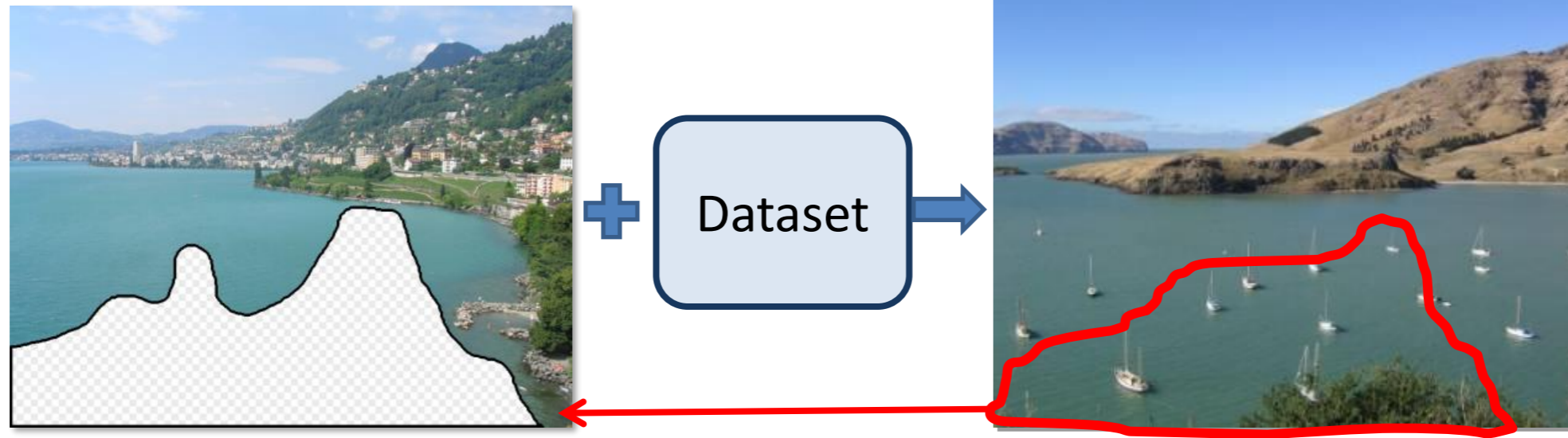
Scene Completion

[Hays and Efros. Scene Completion Using Millions of Photographs.
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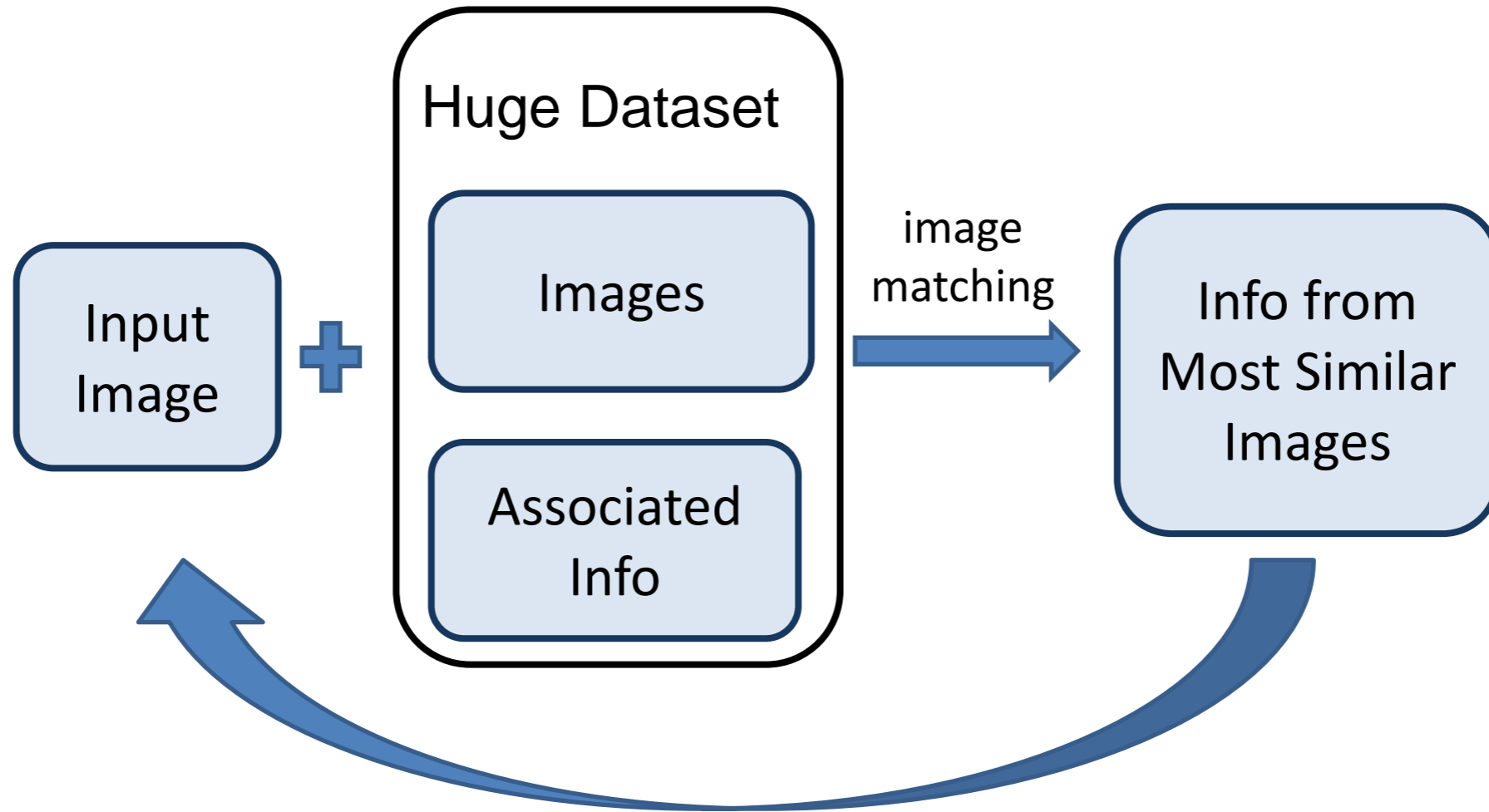
<http://graphics.cs.cmu.edu/projects/scene-completion/>

How it works

- Find a similar image from a large dataset
- Blend a region from that image into the hole

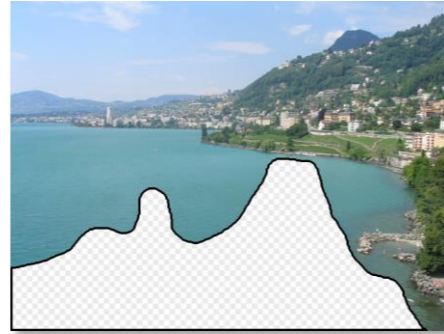


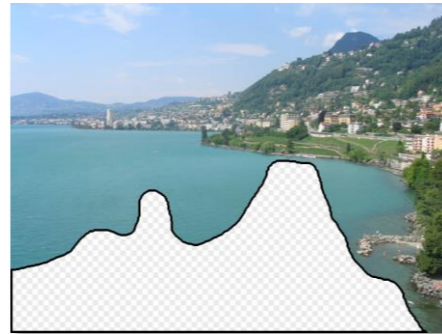
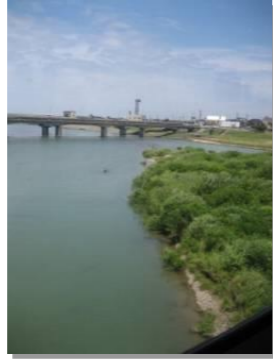
General Principal



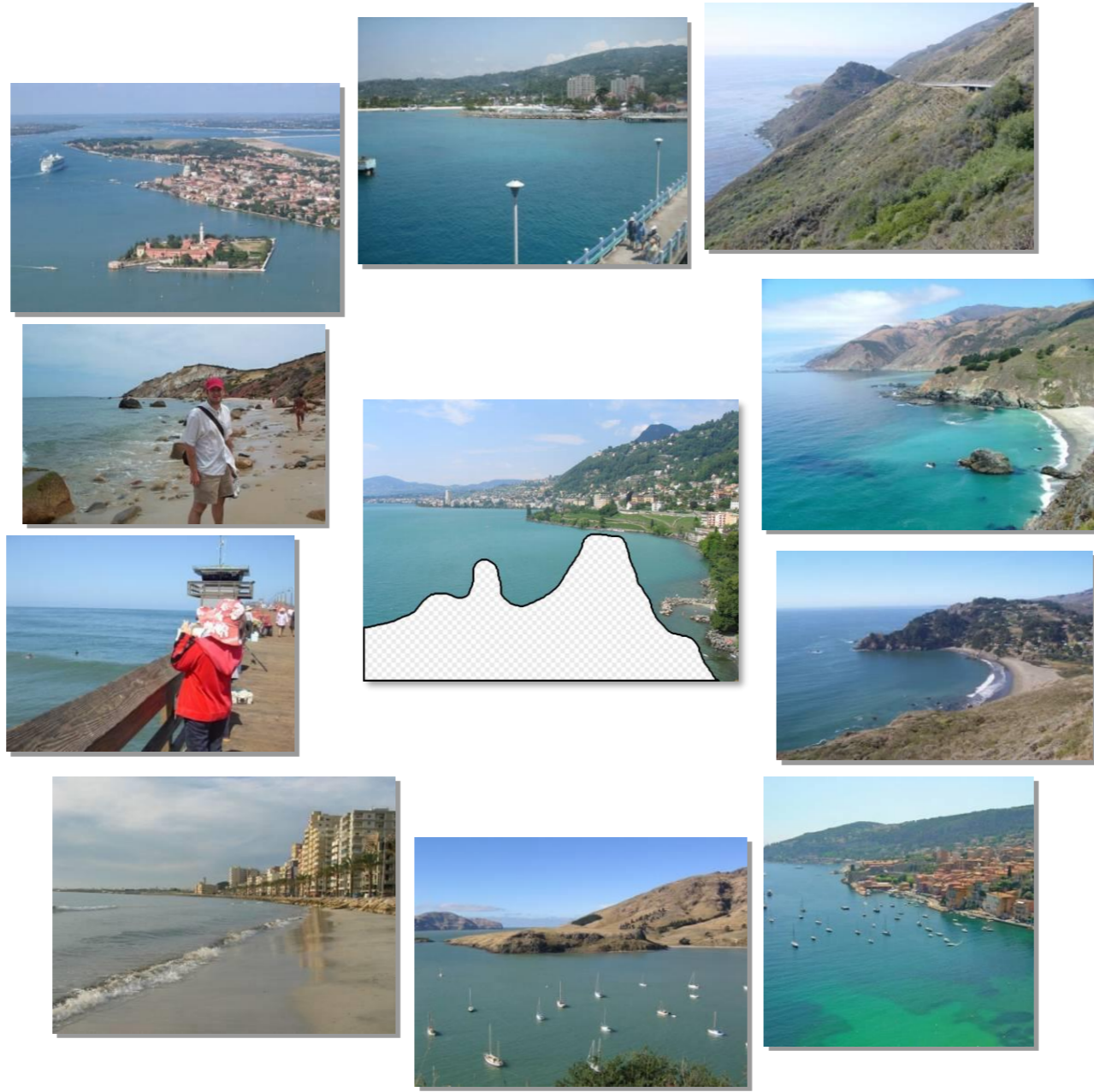
Hopefully, If you have enough images, the dataset will contain very similar images that you can find with simple matching methods.

How many images is enough?





Nearest neighbors from a collection of 20 thousand images



Nearest neighbors from a collection of 2 million images

Image Data on the Internet

- Flickr (as of Sept. 19th, 2010)
 - 5 billion photographs
 - 100+ million geotagged images
- Facebook (as of 2009)
 - 15 billion

Image Data on the Internet

- Flickr (as of Nov 2013)
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 - 3.5 million a day
- Facebook (as of Sept 2013)
 - 250 billion+
 - 300 million a day
- Instagram
 - 55 million a day

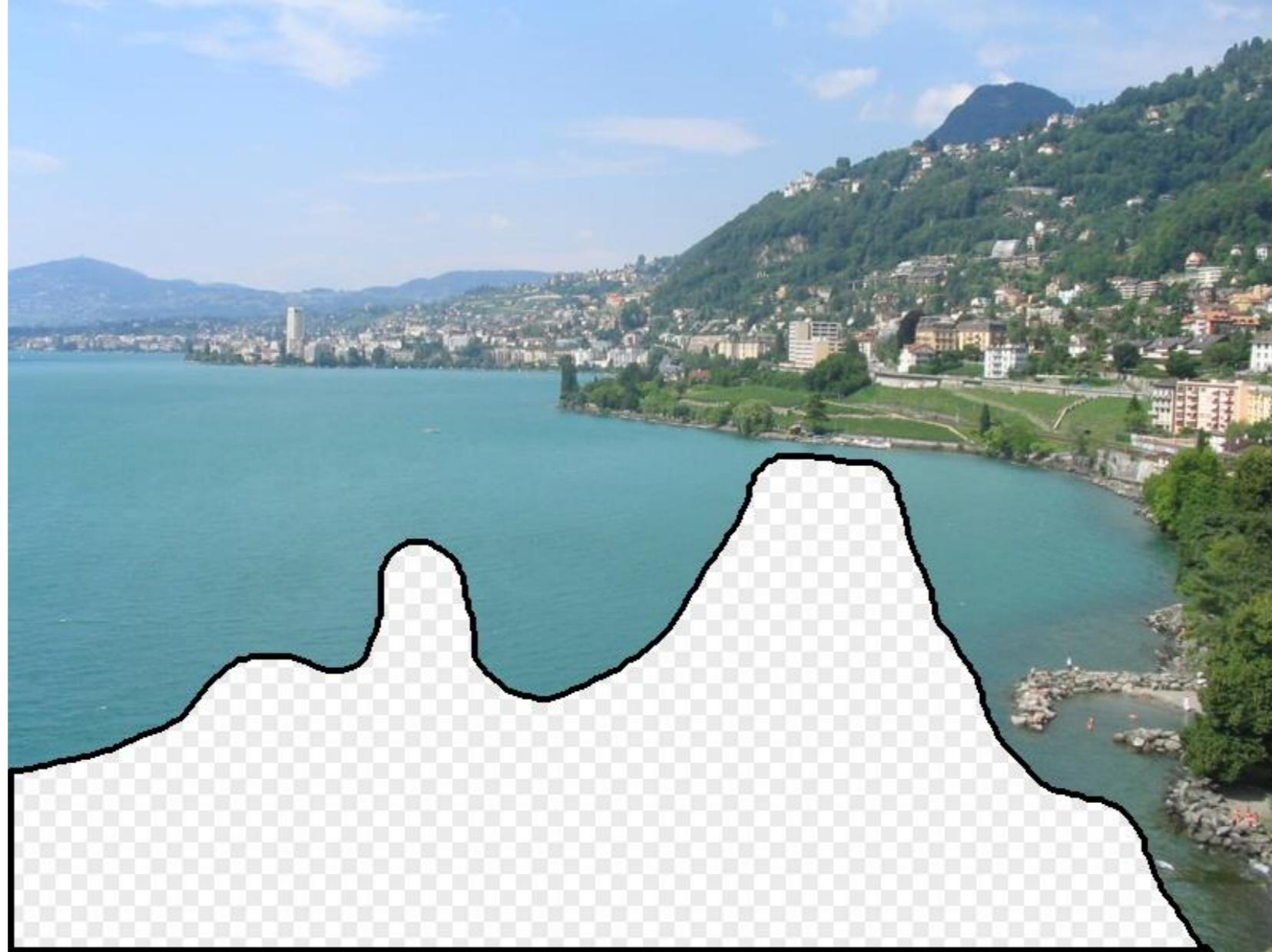
Scene Completion: how it works

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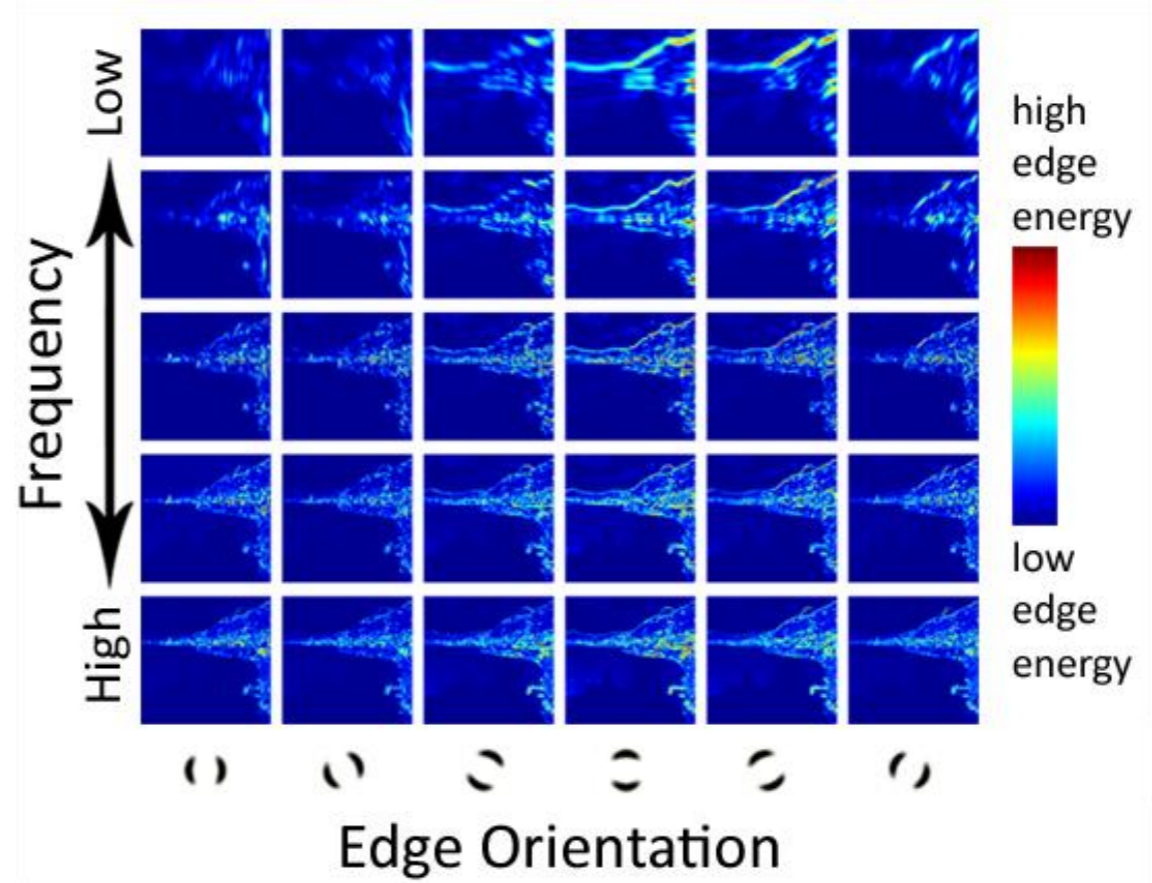
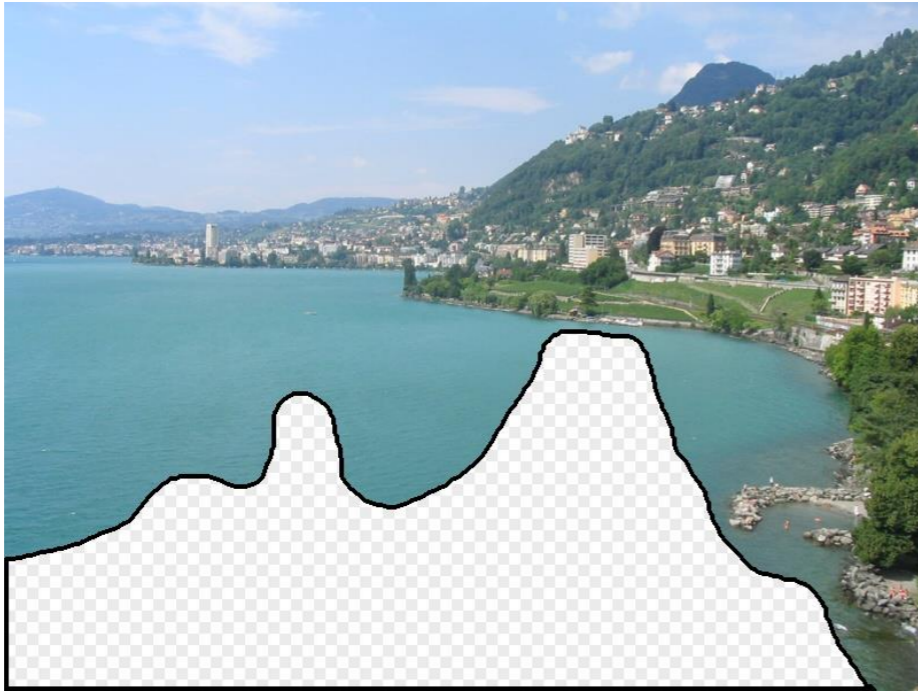
The Algorithm



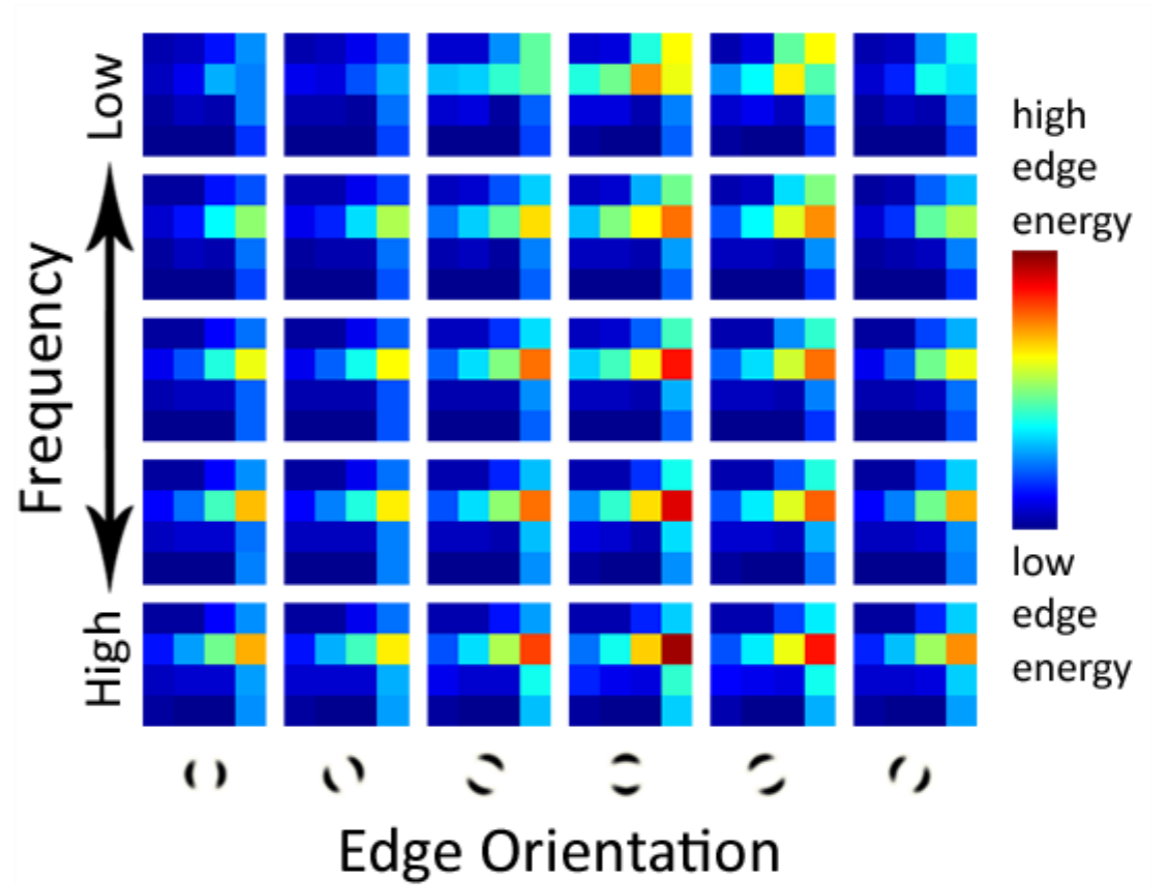
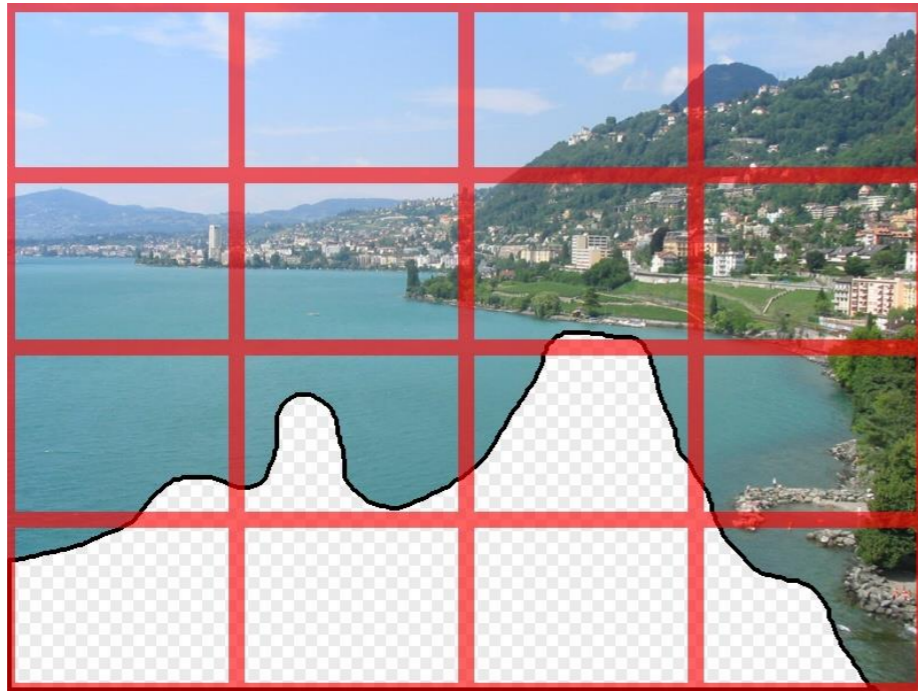
Scene Matching



Scene Descriptor

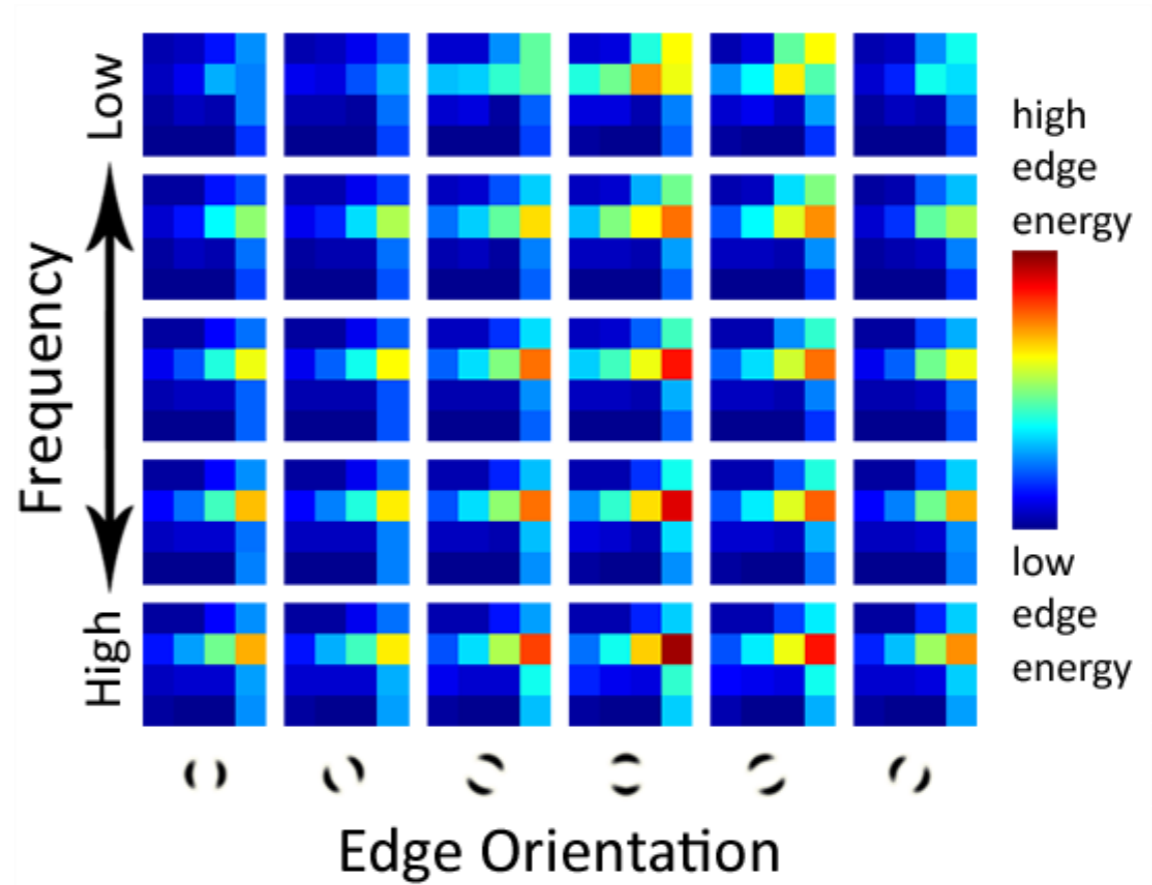
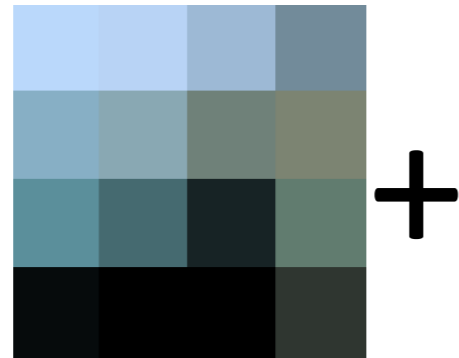


Scene Descriptor



Scene Gist Descriptor
(Oliva and Torralba 2001)

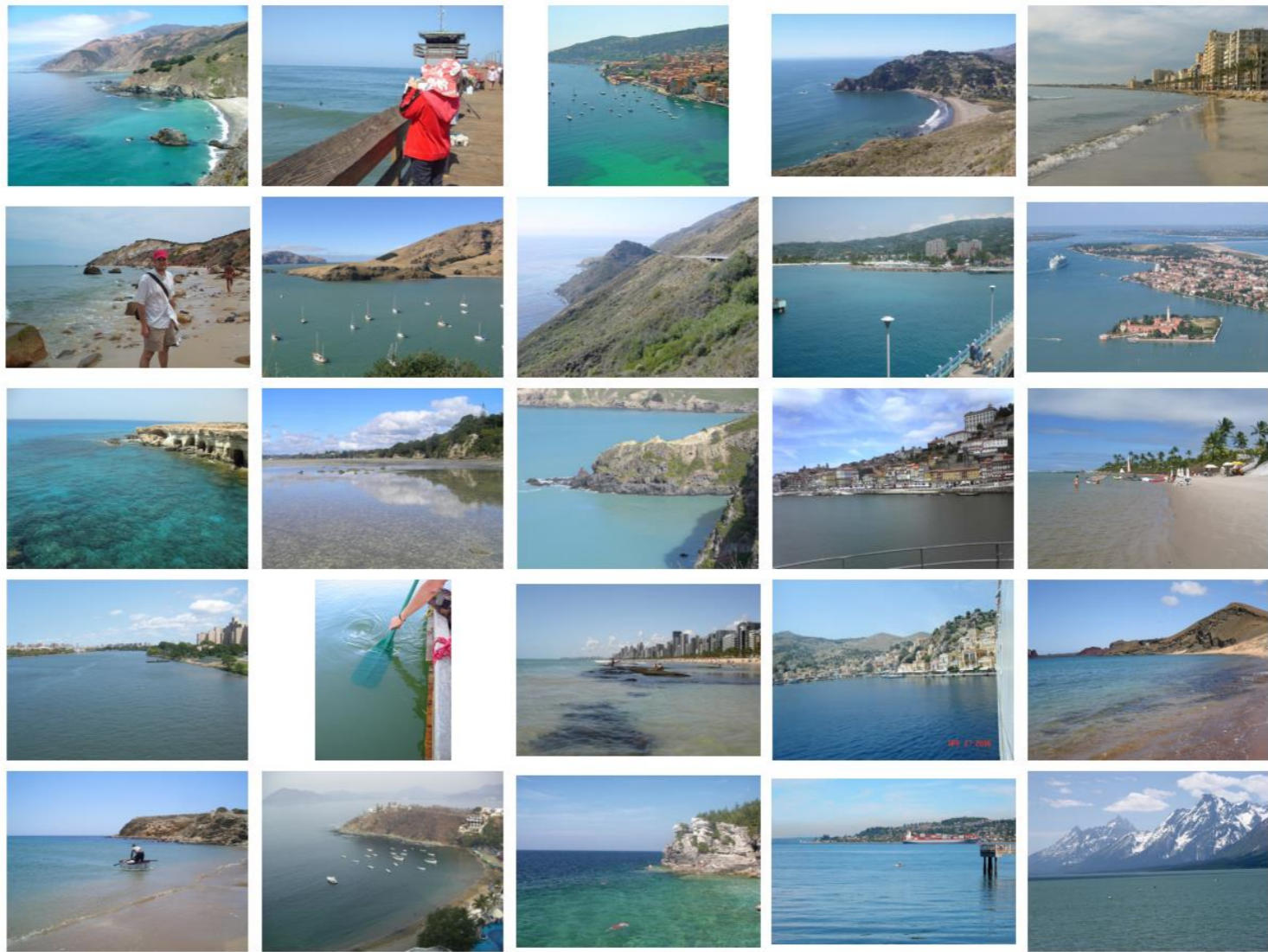
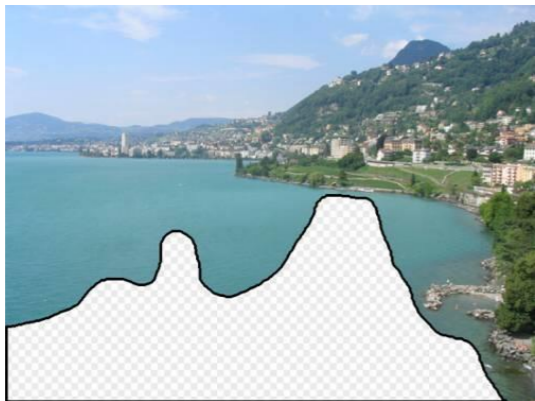
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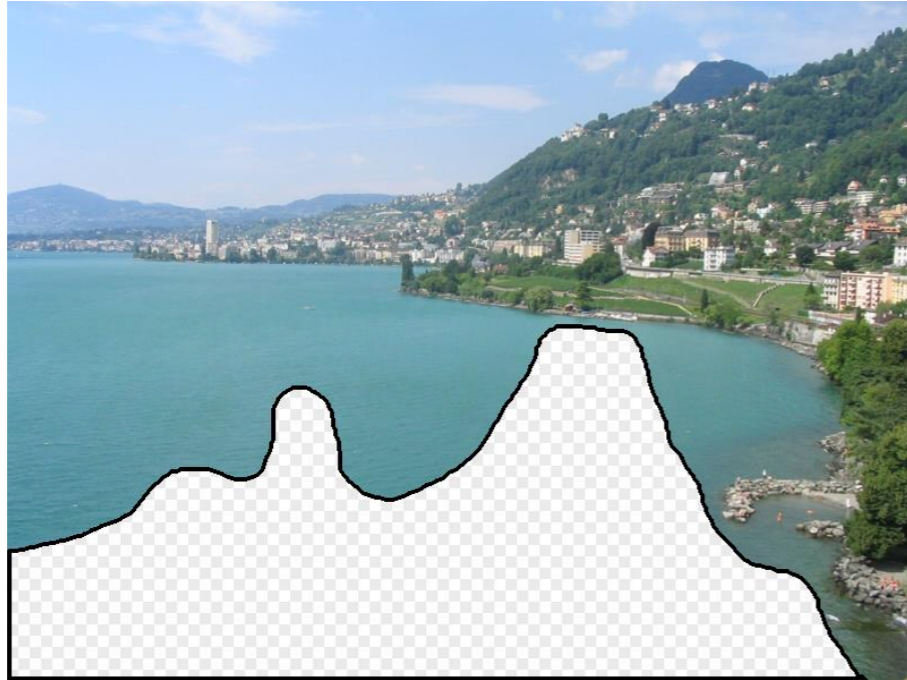
2 Million Flickr Images





... 200 total

Context Matching

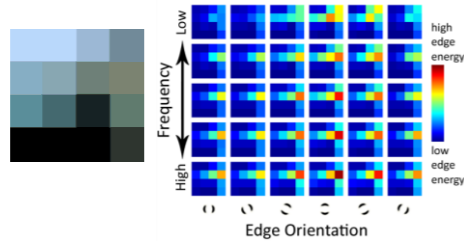




Graph cut + Poisson blending

Result Ranking

We assign each of the 200 results a score which is the sum of:



The scene matching distance



The context matching distance
(color + texture)



The graph cut cost

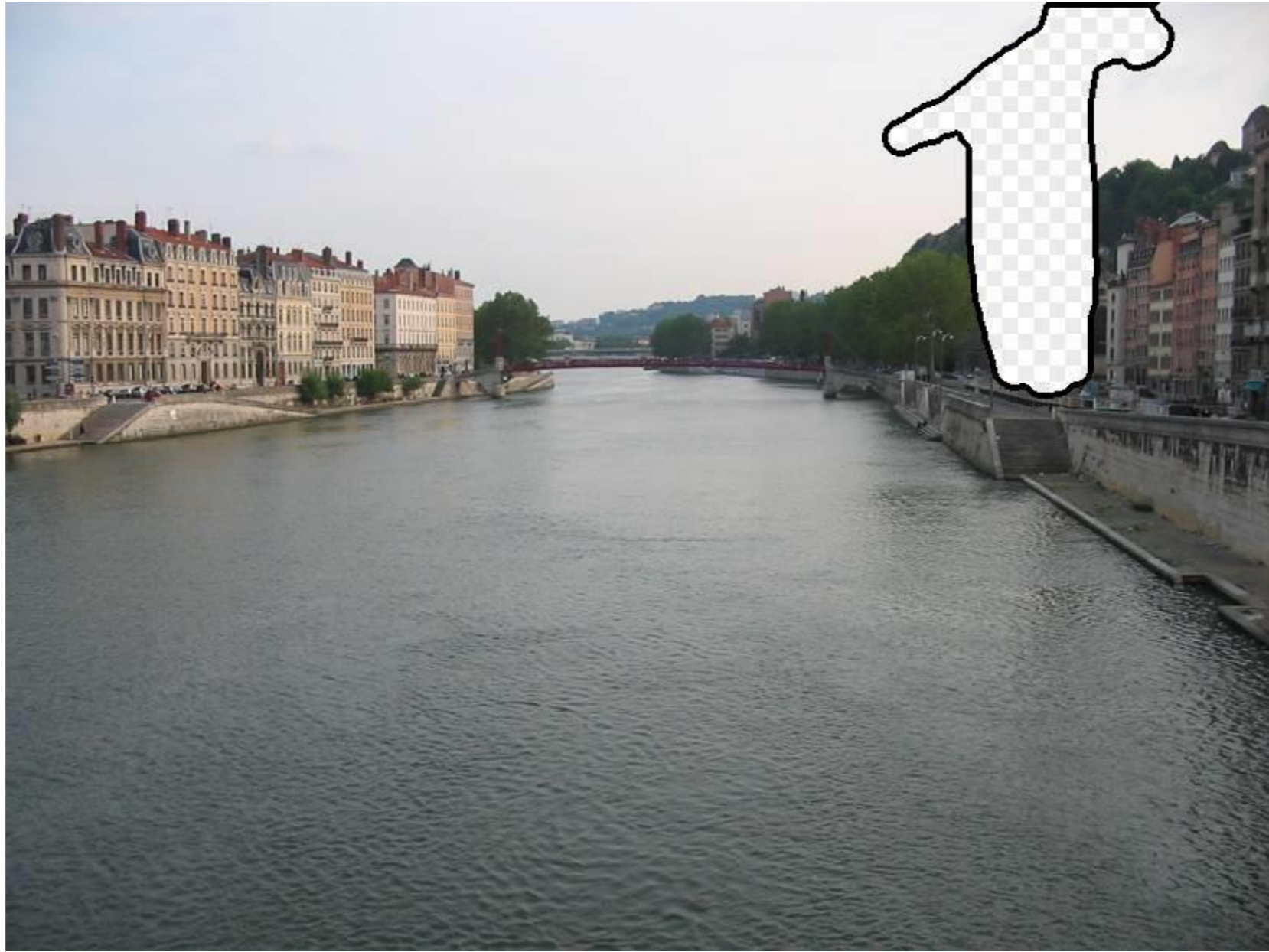




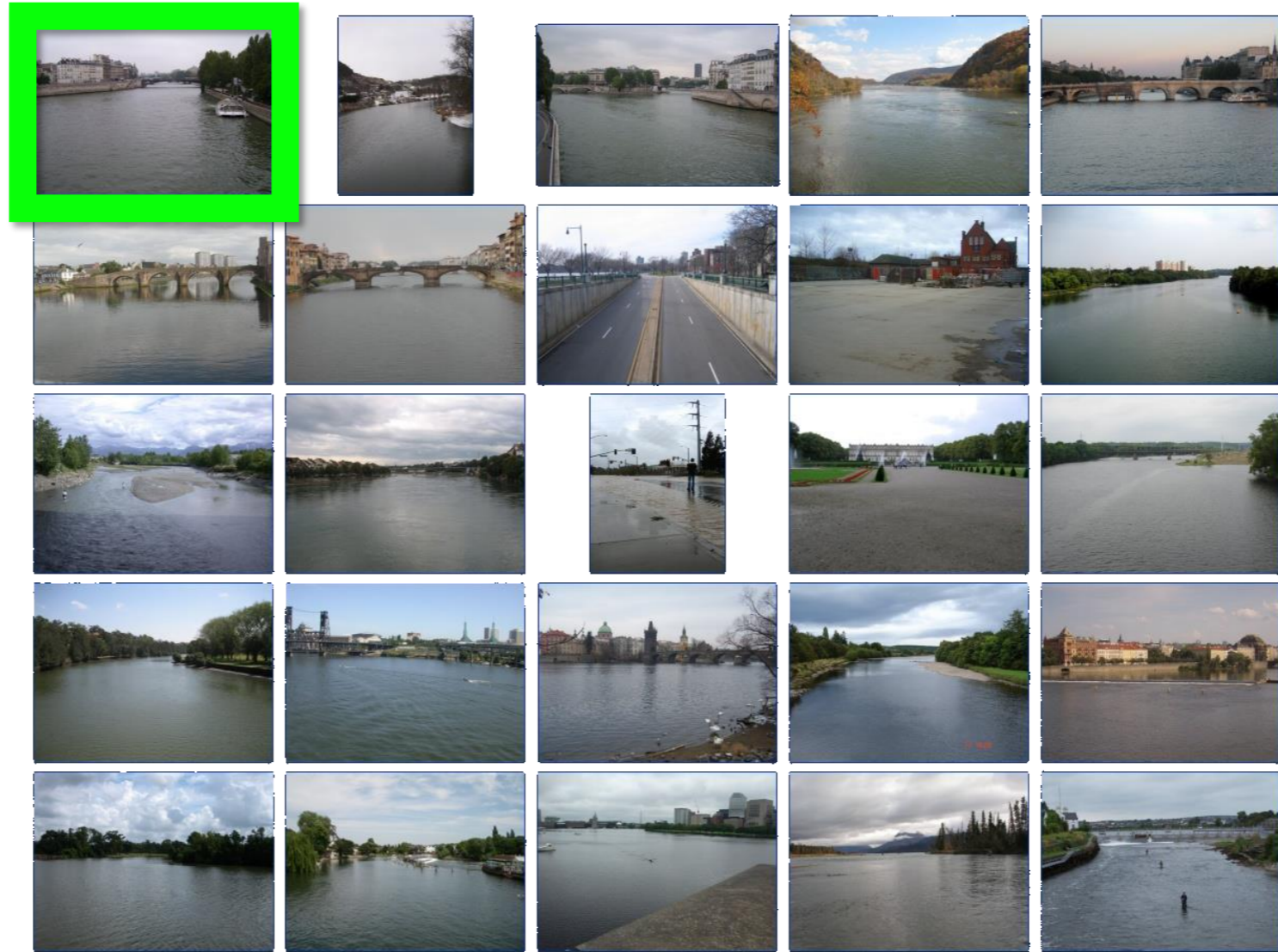
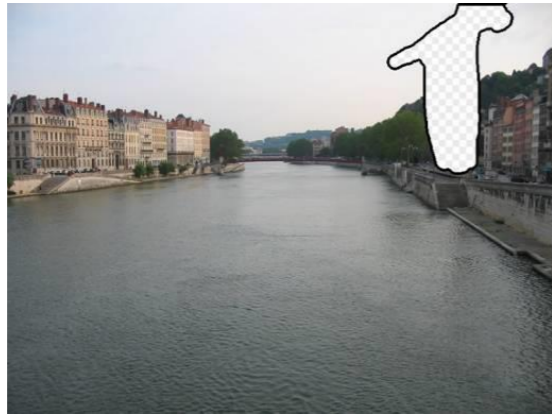












... 200 scene matches











Which is the original?





To be continued