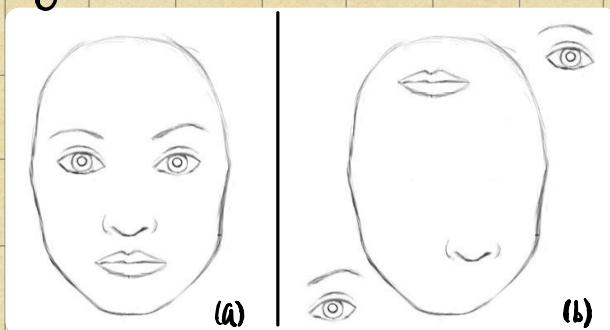


## 0. Background Introduction



① Internal data representation of a convolutional neural network does not take into account important spatial hierarchies between simple and complex objects.

② CNN need too much data.

③ part of image?

Hinton's revelations: Inverse graphics

人类的视网膜只接收到二维讯息，但却可以从中解构出层次表示 hierarchical representation.

从而想像出某物体的三维图像。那么如何让机器也能得到层次表示呢？(可识别多角度的同一物体)



Invariance: by changing the input a little, the output still stays the same

→ vectors encapsulate all important information about the state of the features.

## 1. Capsule 是什么？

Core idea: "vector in vector out" rather than "scalar in scalar out" & add cluster into network.

Neuron → scalar

& output is a result of input's cluster.

Capsule → vector

Example: classification



$y, u$

$u_1$  (狗),  $u_2$  (鸟)

$u_3$  (鱼),  $u_4$  (眼)

$u_5$  (嘴)

$v_1$  (鸡),  $v_2$  (鸟)

$v_3$  (鱼),  $v_4$  (狗)

$$(p_{111}, p_{211}, p_{311}, p_{411}) = \frac{1}{Z} (e^{\langle u_1, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_2, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_3, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_4, v_1 \rangle})$$

∴ 对第 i 个特征  $(u_i)$  有  $(p_{11i}, p_{21i}, p_{31i}, p_{41i})$

Why not:

$$(p_{111}u_1, p_{211}u_1, p_{311}u_1, p_{411}u_1) = \frac{u_1}{Z} (e^{\langle u_1, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_2, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_3, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_4, v_1 \rangle}) = V_1$$

$$\Rightarrow V_j = \text{squash}(\sum_i p_{ji} u_i) = \text{squash}\left(\sum_i \frac{e^{\langle u_i, v_j \rangle}}{Z_i} u_i\right)$$

聚类中心
特征分离

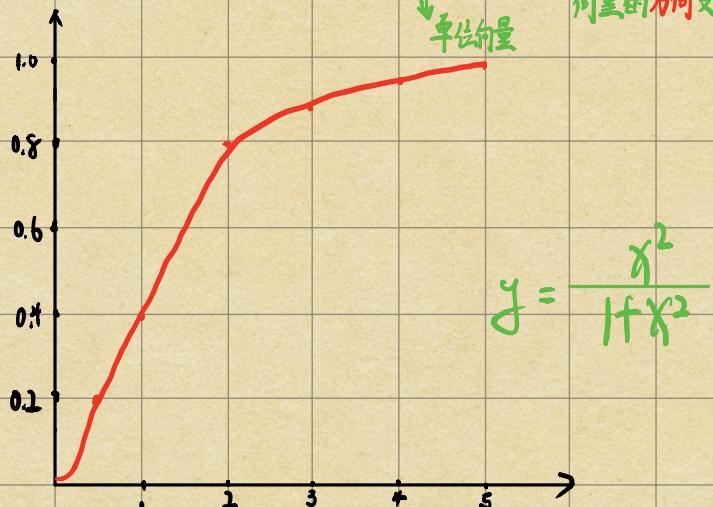
What is squash?

胶囊的模长代表这个特征的显著程度，衡量“显著程度”使用 squash

$$\text{Squash}(x) = \frac{\|x\|^2}{1 + \|x\|^2} \cdot \frac{x}{\|x\|}$$

↓ 单位向量

若图片中的特征（眼、鼻...）有了轻微的变化，也仅仅是向量的方向变了，而向量的模长（概率/显著程度）没有改变！



Dynamic Routing: 放弃幅度下降！

$$(p_{111}u_1, p_{211}u_1, p_{311}u_1, p_{411}u_1) = \frac{u_1}{Z} (e^{\langle u_1, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_2, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_3, v_1 \rangle}, e^{\langle u_4, v_1 \rangle}) = V_1$$

$V_i \rightarrow \text{softmax} \rightarrow V_i$  How to deal with it?

Iteration method (Dynamic Routing)

Example: Given  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  to get a encoded  $x$ .

$$X = \sum_i \lambda_i x_i$$

$$X = \sum_i \frac{e^{\langle x, x_i \rangle}}{Z} x_i$$

$$X = \bar{X}$$

$$X' = \bar{X}'$$

$$X'' = \dots$$

Dynamic Routing Algorithm: ← Hardest part !!!

① initial,  $b_{ij} = 0$  for all capsule  $i$  in layer  $l$  and capsule  $j$  in layer  $(l+1)$

② for r iterations do : where  $bij$  means  $\langle u_i, v_j \rangle$   $i$ : 特征  $j$ : 类别

$$c_i \leftarrow \text{softmax}(b_i) \quad c_i \text{ means } \sum_j e^{\langle u_i, v_j \rangle} / z_i$$

$$s_j \leftarrow \sum_i c_{ij} \hat{u}_{j|i} \quad \hat{u}_{j|i} \text{ means } u_i \cdot w_{ij}$$

$$v_j \leftarrow \text{Squash}(s_j)$$

$$bij \leftarrow \langle \hat{u}_{j|i}, v_j \rangle$$

Summary :

1. 通过聚类来组合特征 → 人类使用自己的方式或熟悉的事物 (底层特征)

去理解新事物 (特征组合)

2. Neural Network:  $\text{scalar}(h_j) = f(\sum_i w_i \cdot x_i + b)$

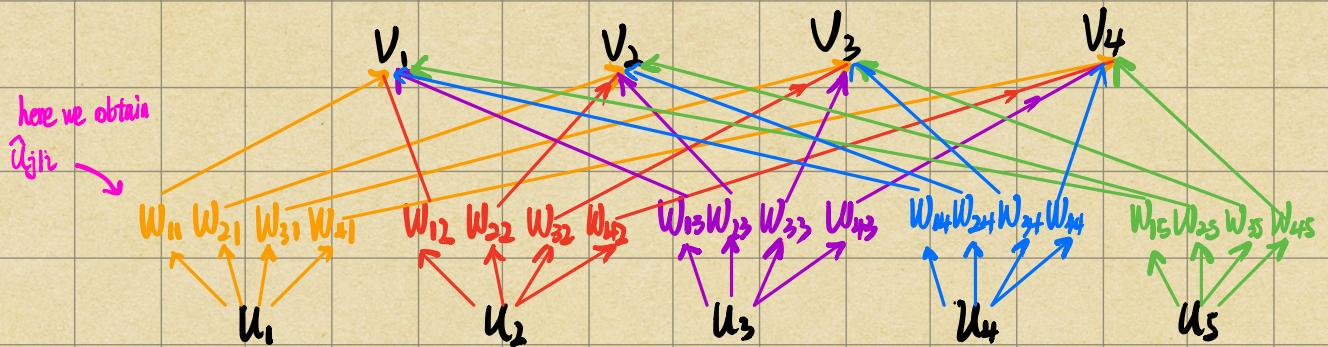
Capsule:  $\text{vector}(v_j) = \text{squash}\left(\sum_i \frac{e^{(w_{ij} \cdot u_i, v_j)}}{z_i} \cdot w_{ij} \cdot u_i\right)$  (without bias interesting)

3.  $w_{ij}$  encode relationship (spatial etc.) between features

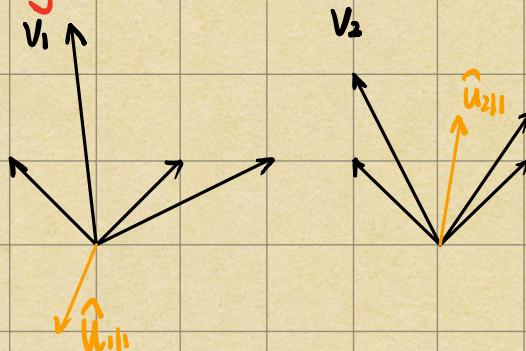
## 2. Keras 代码实现

① 全连接动态路由 (fully-connected dynamic routing)

$v_j = \text{squash}\left(\sum_i \frac{e^{(\hat{u}_{j|i}, v_j)}}{z_i} \cdot \hat{u}_{j|i}\right)$ , where  $\hat{u}_{j|i} = w_{ji} \cdot u_i$ .



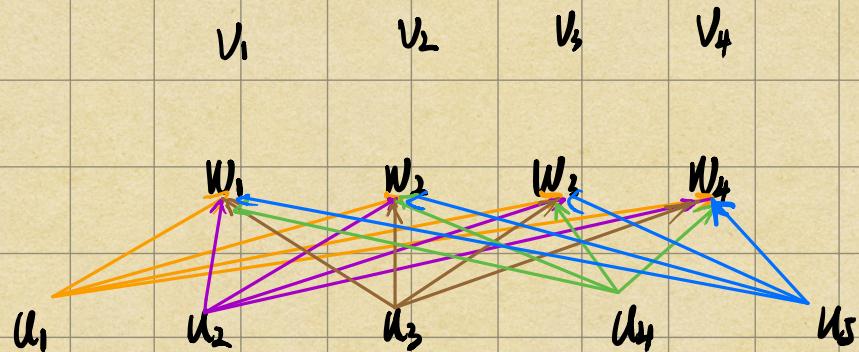
how  $w_{ij}$  work ?



$\therefore C_{11} \downarrow, C_{12} \uparrow$ , then  $w_{11} \cdot u_1 \downarrow w_{21} \cdot u_1 \uparrow$

## ② 共享权值动态路由 $W_{ji} = W_j$

针对特征( $u_i$ )输入数量不确定的情形: (make sense: CNN权值共享)



$$v_j = \text{squash}\left(\sum_i \frac{e^{(\hat{u}_{j|i}, v_j)}}{\sum_i} \cdot \hat{u}_{j|i}\right), \quad \hat{u}_{j|i} = W_j \cdot u_i$$

### 3. Future work:

- ① Squash 函数的改进
- ② 更加 make sense 的解释.
- ③ Capsule 网络在其它领域上的应用

## 4. 原理再探：

① K-means 聚类:  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \rightarrow k$  classes

$$\text{find } v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k \text{ to } L = \sum_{i=1}^n \min_{j=1}^k d(u_i, v_j) \rightarrow (v_1, \dots, v_k) = \underset{(v_1, \dots, v_k)}{\operatorname{arg\min}} L$$

Solution: soft  $L$

$$I(\max(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n)) = \lim_{K \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{K} \cdot \ln \left( \sum_{i=1}^n e^{\lambda_i K} \right) \approx \frac{1}{K} \ln \left( \sum_{i=1}^n e^{\lambda_i K} \right)$$

↑ 这里有一个漂亮的证明

todo ↴

$$I(\min(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n)) = -\max(-\lambda_1, -\lambda_2, \dots, -\lambda_n)$$

$$3' L \approx -\frac{1}{K} \sum_{i=1}^n \ln \left( \sum_{j=1}^k e^{-K \cdot d(u_i, v_j)} \right) = -\frac{1}{K} \sum_{i=1}^n \ln Z_i \quad (\text{近似的 loss 全局光滑可导})$$

$$4': \frac{\partial L}{\partial v_j} \approx -\frac{1}{K} \cdot \frac{e^{-K \cdot d(u_i, v_j)}}{\sum_{j=1}^k e^{-K \cdot d(u_i, v_j)}} \cdot \frac{\partial d(u_i, v_j)}{\partial v_j} \stackrel{?}{=} 0, \text{ 即可迭代求解.}$$

↓  
let it be  $c_{ij} = \text{softmax}_{\lambda}(-K \cdot d(u_i, v_j))$

① 使用欧氏距离:  $d(u_i, v_j) = \|u_i - v_j\|^2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial d(u_i, v_j)}{\partial v_j} = 2(v_j - u_i)$$

$$\therefore 0 = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n c_{ij}^{(n)} (v_j^{(n)} - u_i) \rightarrow v_j^{(n+1)} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n c_{ij}^{(n)} \cdot u_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n c_{ij}^{(n)}}$$

② 使用内积相似度:  $d(u_i, v_j) = -\langle u_i, v_j \rangle$ , but  $d$  don't have low boundary!

② Gaussian Mixed Model (GMM) as clustering algorithm. (使用概率分布来描述类别)

Given  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$ , find a pos satisfied  $x_i$ .

$$\Rightarrow \text{pos} = \sum_{j=1}^k p(j) P(x|j), \text{ where } j \text{ represents class. } P(j) = \pi_j \quad (\text{常数分布})$$

$$\text{with } N(x; \mu_j, \Sigma_j) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2} |\det \Sigma_j|^{1/2}} \exp \left( -\frac{1}{2} (x - \mu_j)^T \Sigma_j^{-1} (x - \mu_j) \right)$$

we will obtain:

$$p(x) = \sum_{j=1}^k p(j) \times P(x|j) = \sum_{j=1}^k \pi_j N(x; \mu_j, \Sigma_j)$$

↓  
 $\pi_j$   
 $N(x; \mu_j, \Sigma_j)$

Solution to determine:  $\pi_j, \mu_j, \Sigma_j$  via EM algorithm.

$$P(j|x) = \frac{P(x|j) \cdot P(j)}{P(x)} = \frac{\pi_j \cdot N(x; \mu_j, \Sigma_j)}{\sum_{j=1}^k \pi_j \cdot N(x; \mu_j, \Sigma_j)}$$

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$$\textcircled{1} \quad \text{For } \mu_j = \int p(x|j) x_i dx = \int P(x) \cdot \frac{P(j|x)}{P(j)} x_i dx = E\left[\frac{P(j|x)}{P(j)} X\right] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{P(j|x_i)}{P(j)} x_i = \frac{1}{\pi_j n} \sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i) \cdot x_i$$

\textcircled{2}

$$\text{Likewise, For } \Sigma_j = \frac{1}{\pi_j n} \sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i) (x_i - \mu_j)(x_i - \mu_j)^T$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \pi_j = P(j) = \int P(j|x) P(x) dx = E[P(j|x)] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i)$$

$$\text{EM: 1' } P(j|x_i) \leftarrow \frac{\pi_j N(x_i; \mu_j, \Sigma_j)}{\sum_{j=1}^k \pi_j N(x_i; \mu_j, \Sigma_j)}$$

$$\text{2' } \mu_j \leftarrow \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i)} \sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i) \cdot x_i$$

$$\text{3' } \Sigma_j \leftarrow \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i)} \sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i) \cdot (x_i - \mu_j)(x_i - \mu_j)^T$$

$$\text{4' } \pi_j \leftarrow \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n P(j|x_i)$$