



# Utilising unlabelled data to enhance prediction, study case of gesture prediction.

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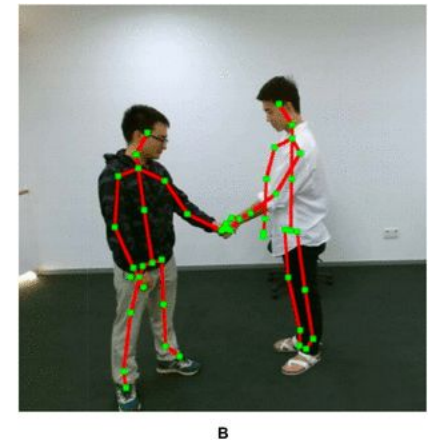
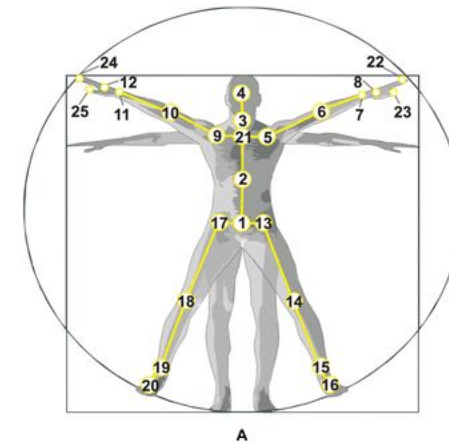


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- To try to use other learning mechanisms to use unlabelled data to enhance gesture based analysis:
  - Multiple Instance Learning (MIL)
  - Self-Supervised Learning
  - Semi-Supervised Learning
- The targeted task is gesture classification, but can be extended to other task, such as gesture generations etc.



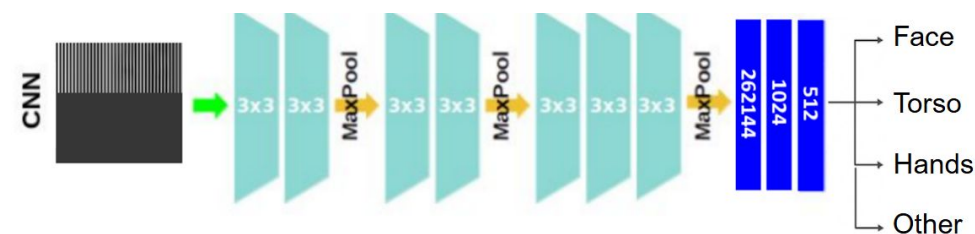
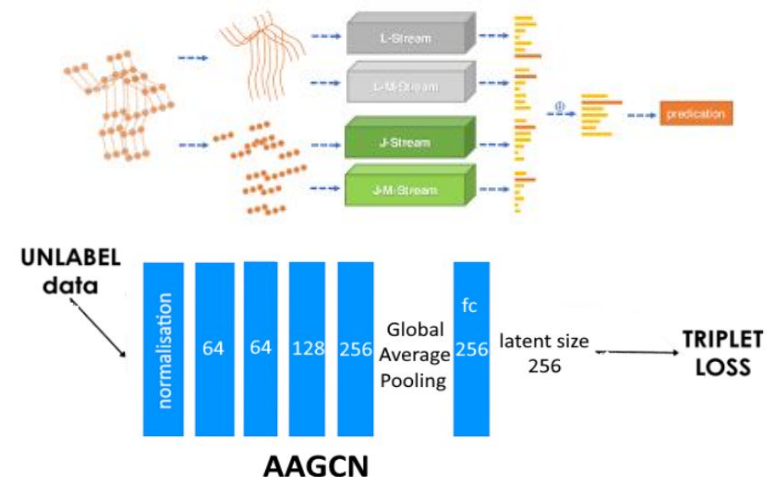
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## Baseline methodes (CNN - Graph)

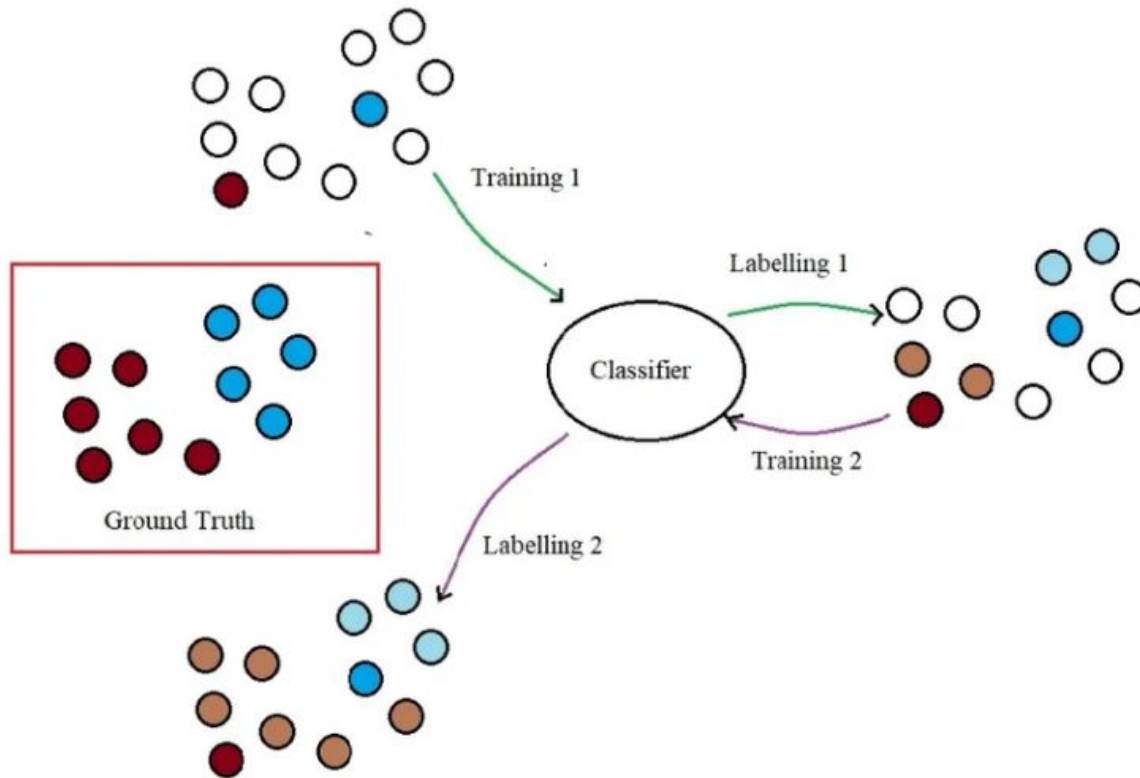
- Two baseline methods are conceived:
  - CNN-based:** takes a grayscale image (rasterised table of joint sequences) as input, processes it with convolutions, and outputs class scores.
  - Graph-based:** takes joint coordinates as a spatio-temporal graph, processes them with graph cnn, and outputs class scores via fully connected layers.
- The CNN based method is simpler, but can't consider the joint information.



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## Semi-Supervised

- **Train** a model on **labeled** data, then use it to predict labels for unlabeled data. High confidence predictions are added to the training set, and the process repeats iteratively.



### DATASET BENCHMARK XSUB

Train part : 40 000

Eval part : 16 000

1% - 5% - 10%  
labeled

Unlabelled or  
Weakly Labelled

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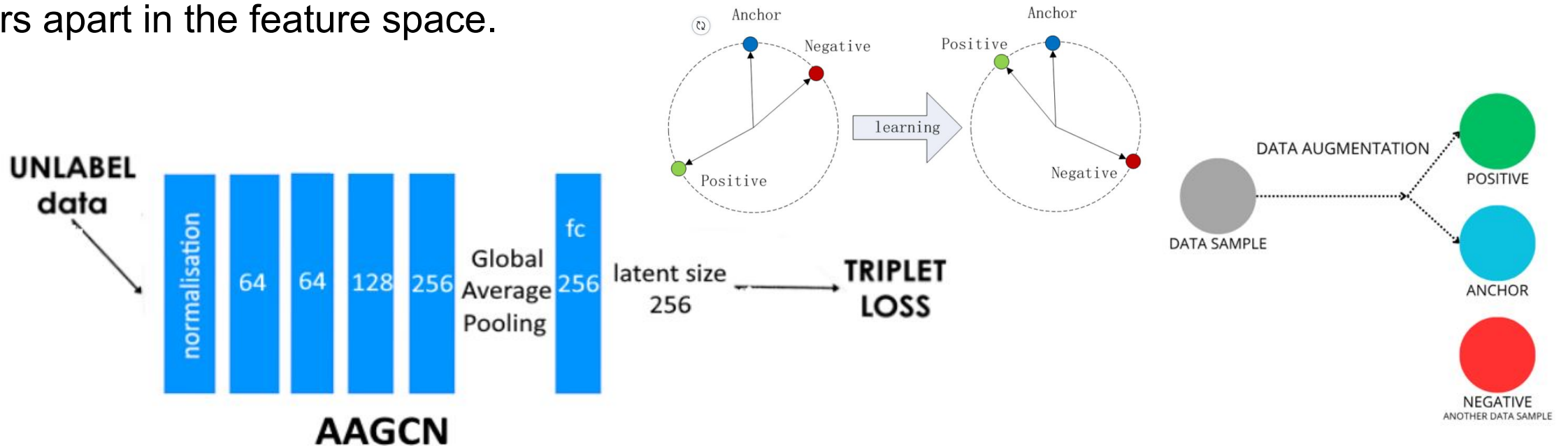
## Self-Supervised - Upstream Model

### Siamese

### contrastive

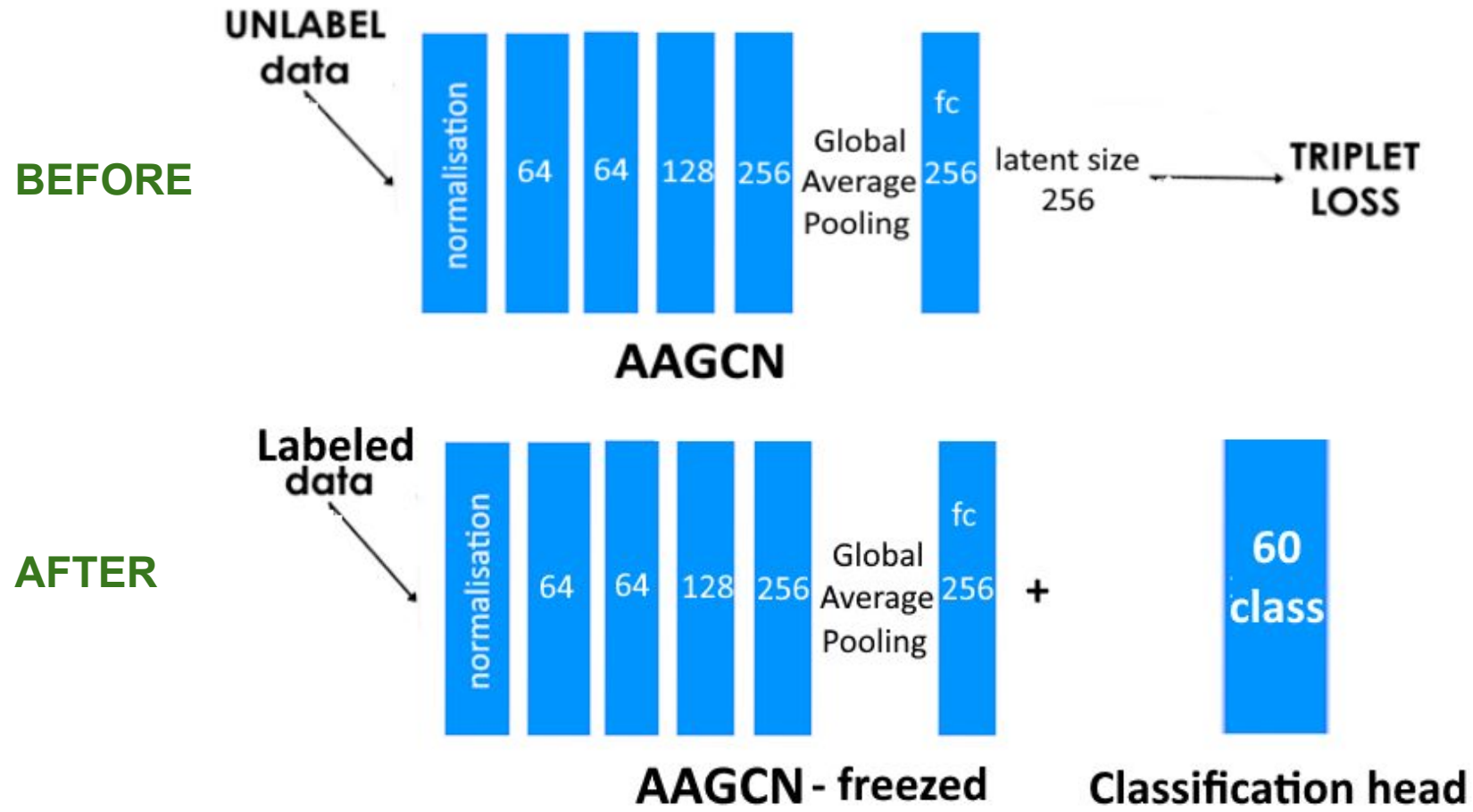
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Contrastive learning is a self-supervised approach where a model learns to distinguish between similar and dissimilar data by bringing positive pairs closer and pushing negative pairs apart in the feature space.



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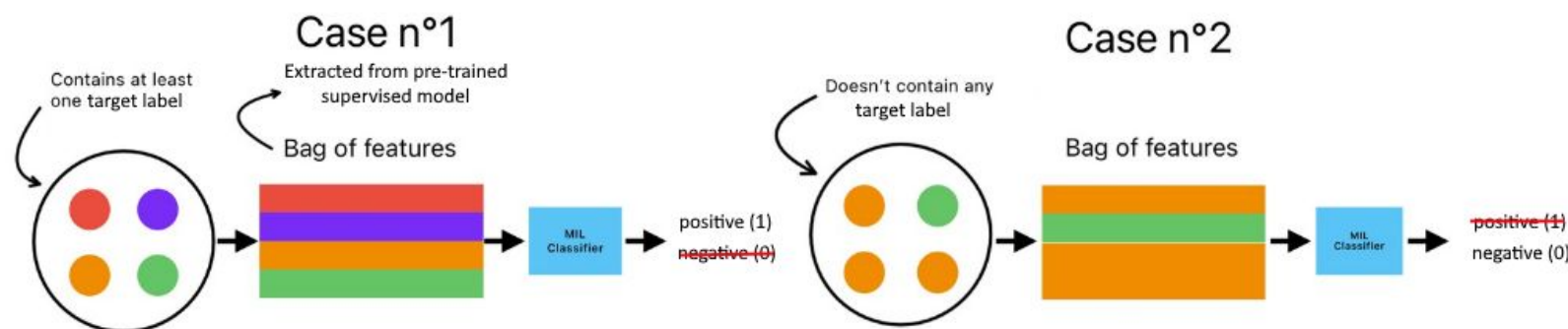




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## Multiple instance learning

### Bagging on the Unlabeled Data



### Labeled Data



**Positif** : Daily actions and Medical conditions

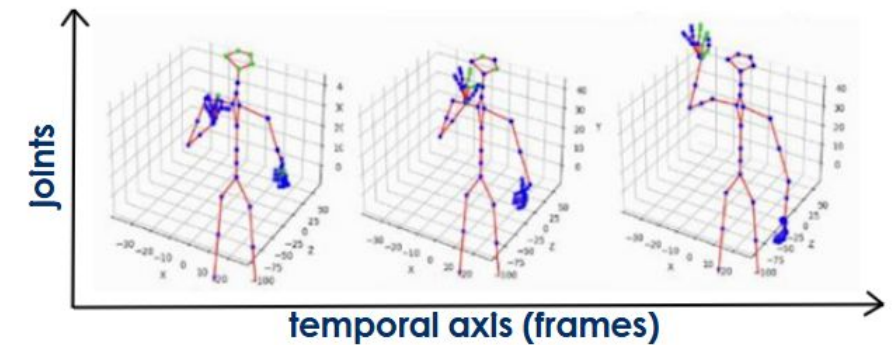
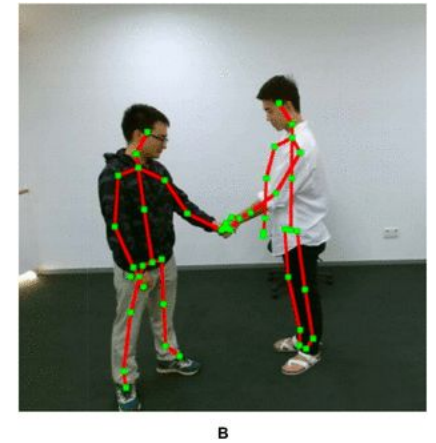
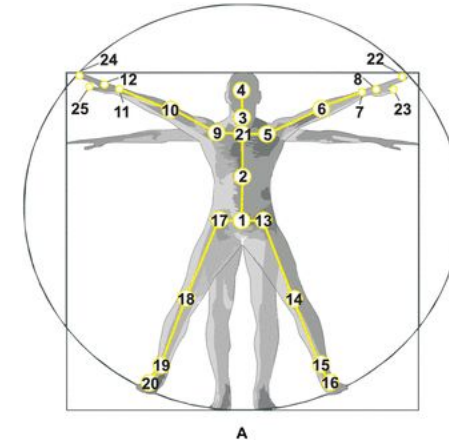
**Negative** : two person interaction

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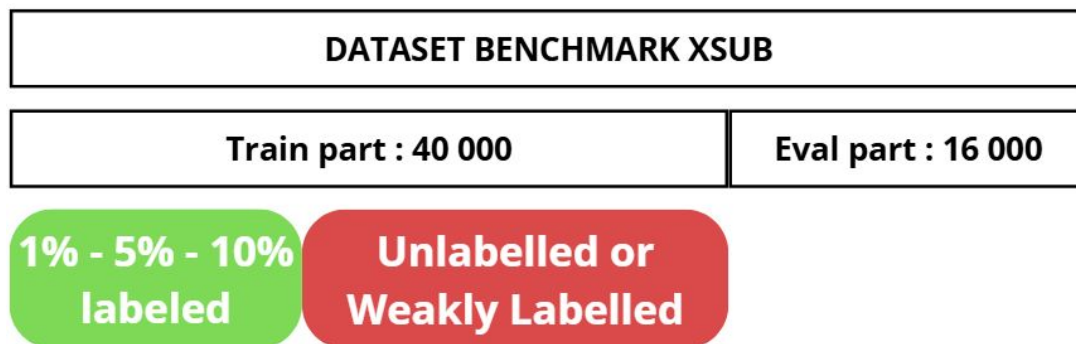
- **NTU RGB+D 60 dataset:**
  - Joints: 25x2
  - Class: 60 different actions
  - 56000 samples
  
- **Mocaplab dataset:**
  - Joints: 37
  - Class: face, torso, hands, other
  - 718 samples



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## Dataset

- Data splitting :
  - NTU RGB+D dataset (X-sub benchmark), focusing on low-label regimes with 1%, 5%, and 10% of the training set labeled.
  - Mocaplab: internally split the data into 50% labelled, 45% unlabelled, and 5% as test. All data split is fixed.



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## Results

- Results on the mocaplab shows the improvements of standard supervised method upon introductions of our three methods, exploiting unlabeled data.
- For NTU dataset, the effect for semi-supervised method is seen, but for other two, are still in progressed.

### NTU RGBD

	1%		5%		10%	
	TRAIN (train+val)	TEST	TRAIN	TEST	TRAIN	TEST
<b>Supervised</b>	8,59%	7,61%	38,48%	34,31%	55,31%	51,77%
<b>Semi-supervised</b>	10,53%	9,49%	43,86%	40,09%	63,03%	57,91%
percentage of unlabeled data used	5.63%		18.01%		55,55%	
<b>MIL</b>	in progress		in progress		2,19%	1,70%
<b>Self-Supervised</b>	in progress		in progress		4,84%	4,66%

### Mocaplab

Model	Accuracy	Relabelling accuracy
Supervised	56%	-
Semi-supervised	62%	69%

Model	Accuracy	Loss
Supervised	56%	3.9
Supervised + Contrastive (labelled)	58%	2.9
Contrastive (unlabeled) + Supervised	58%	2.7

Model	Accuracy	f1-score
Supervised	68%	0.69
weakly-supervised	70%	0.63

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## Semi-Supervised - NTU

- We see that the semi-supervised learning allows to use the unlabeled data, that it introduces pseudo-classified samples as new information as training progress (for each phase).
- Here, 29.24% unlabeled data is now used as additional training samples, with 85.23% confidence level (i.e. out of 29.24% new samples, 85.23% are properly labeled - we have the true label)

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Phase 1
percentage of labeled data from the initial unlabeled set: 18.75%
newly labelled: 89.67% (6068/6767 correct)
unlabeled: 0.00% (0/0 correctly unlabeled)
total labeled data: 89.67% (6068/6767 correct)

Phase 2
percentage of labeled data from the initial unlabeled set: 25.70%
newly labelled: 77.98% (2511/3220 correct)
unlabeled: 25.21% (180/714 correctly unlabeled)
total labeled data: 86.76% (8045/9273 correct)

Phase 3
percentage of labeled data from the initial unlabeled set: 29.49%
newly labelled: 73.44% (1850/2519 correct)
unlabeled: 28.24% (325/1151 correctly unlabeled)
total labeled data: 85.23% (9069/10641 correct)

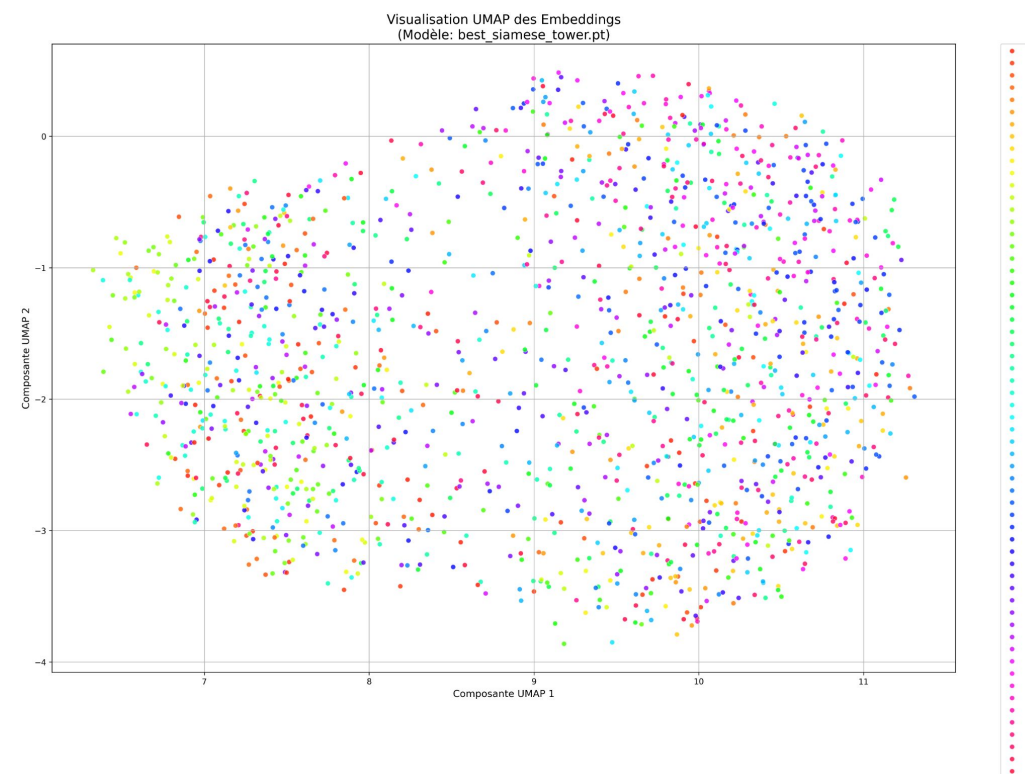
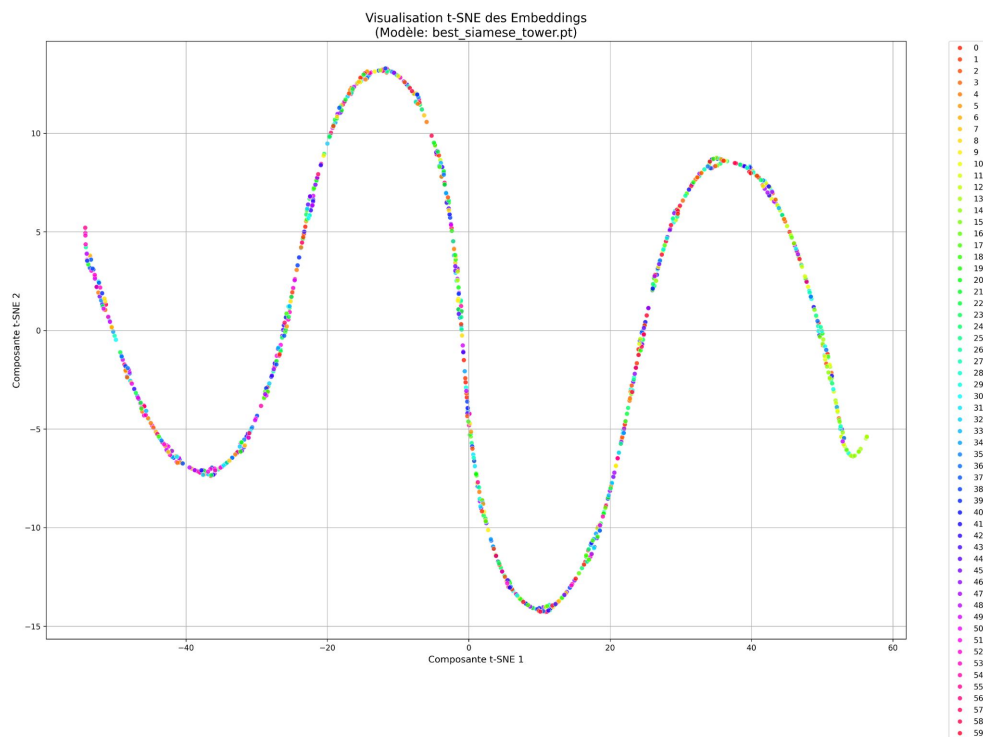
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## Self-Supervised - NTU

- There is still challenge on the contrastive learning part, that the method still struggles to properly cluster the samples. Picture belows show visualisation of fc\_256 layer responsible for the embedding during triplet loss.

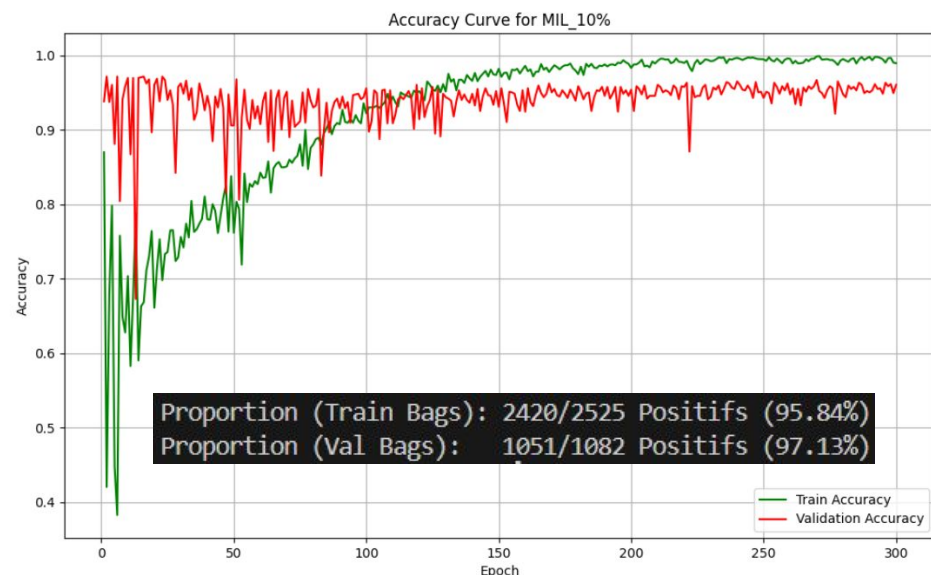




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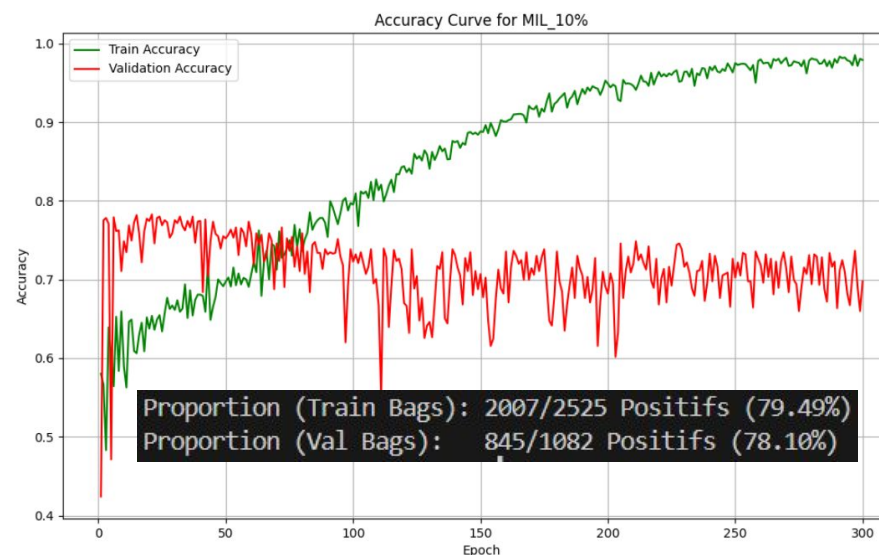
## Multiple instance learning

- In bagging, it is easier to classify certain class than the other, which can be useful during this phase of training.
- Here, classifying two-person interaction against others (daily action, medical condition) is easier, than distinguishing of daily actions with others (two-person, medical condition) - distinguishing pattern is two or one person.



Positive : two-person + medical conditions

Negative : daily actions



Positive : two-person

Negative : daily actions + medical conditions

# Conclusion

- We show that it is possible to leverage unlabelled data to arrive on more accurate classification results, as opposed to only use available data.

## On NTU RGB+D:

- **Weakly-Supervised :**  
→ **Binary expert too weak** → introduces label noise → hurts multiclass performance.
- **Self-Supervised:**  
→ **Contrastive model fails to form clusters** → poor feature representation.
- **Semi-Supervised:**  
→ **Best performance**, especially in low-label regimes.  
→ Scales with **training time** and **label confidence threshold**.

## On MocapLab:

- **All methods outperform supervised baseline.**
- **Semi-Supervised:**  
→ Strong improvement, but **sensitive to initial seed** and label quality.
- **Self-Supervised:**  
→ **Better clustering** with contrastive methods.
- **Weakly-Supervised:**  
→ Performance depends on **number of epochs** and model used.

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# ANY QUESTIONS ?





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