

9th Vienna Deep Learning Meetup

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Agenda:

- Welcome
- Bwin Intro (Marc Lange)
- Face Recognition for Businesses (Philipp Omenitsch, Visionlabs)
- Hot Topics and Latest News (Tom Lidy, Jan Schlüter)
- (short break)
- Coding Session with Keras Deep Learning Library for Python (Alex Schindler)
- Questions & Discussion



Latest News

Hot Topics

a 5-10 min block at every meetup to briefly present
“trending topics”

Send us contributions (tom.lidy@gmail.com)
or come with slides to do a 5-10 min block yourself!



Face App

- new mobile app called FaceApp
- uses [neural networks](#) to edit your selfie via photo-realistic filters
- lets you add a smile, swap genders, change your age
- uses TensorFlow and cuDNN deep learning frameworks (on the server)
- train deep generative convolutional neural networks
- sends the photos to the cloud to transform
(using Microsoft Azure's Tesla K80 GPU instance)

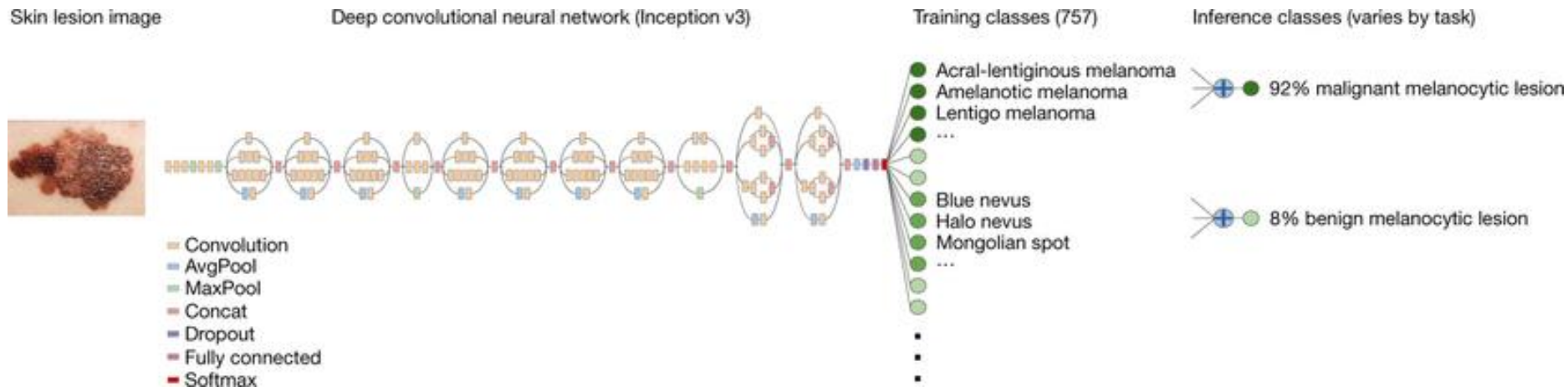




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Skin Cancer Identification

- Stanford researchers developed a deep learning-based algorithm to visually diagnose skin cancer
- using CUDA, cuDNN, and TITAN X GPUs
- identify nearly 13,000 images of skin lesions representing over 2,000 different diseases to train their deep convolutional neural network
- algorithm matched the performance of 21 different professional dermatologists - i.e. it is as accurate as a dermatologist





SC-DCNN:

Deep CNNs using Stochastic Computing

Aims:

- implement the deep convolutional neural networks (CNNs) onto embedded/portable systems
- minimize area and power/energy consumption while maintaining a high network accuracy level.

Method:

- Stochastic Computing (SC), which uses bit-stream to represent a number within $[-1, 1]$ by counting the number of ones in the bit-stream

Benefits:

- high scalability and ultra-low hardware footprint
- tremendous savings in power (energy) and hardware resources



Spectral Convolution Networks

- Convolution can be computed as elementwise multiplication in frequency domain
- Overhead from fourier transform and its inverse, only pays off for particular input and kernel sizes
- Idea: Also compute nonlinear activation in frequency domain, so we do not need to convert back and forth



Wasserstein GANs

- Generative Adversarial Network:
 - generator: noise \rightarrow image
 - discriminator: image \rightarrow real/fake

Train generator to fool discriminator, train discriminator to not be fooled.

Problem: No gradient for generator if discriminator too good.
- Wasserstein GAN:
 - generator: noise \rightarrow image
 - critic: image \rightarrow realness

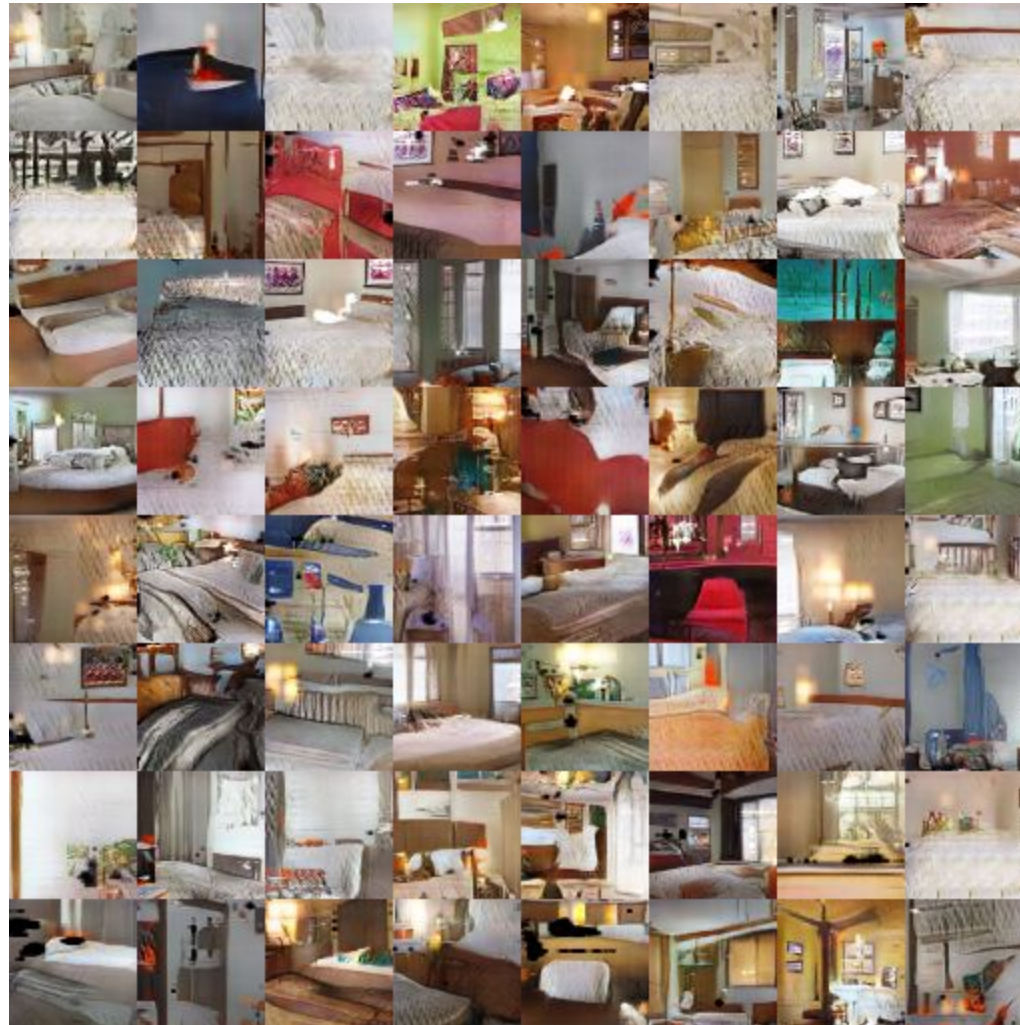
Train generator to achieve high critic score, train discriminator to put low score on generated data, high score on real data.

Advantage: Always meaningful gradient for generator.



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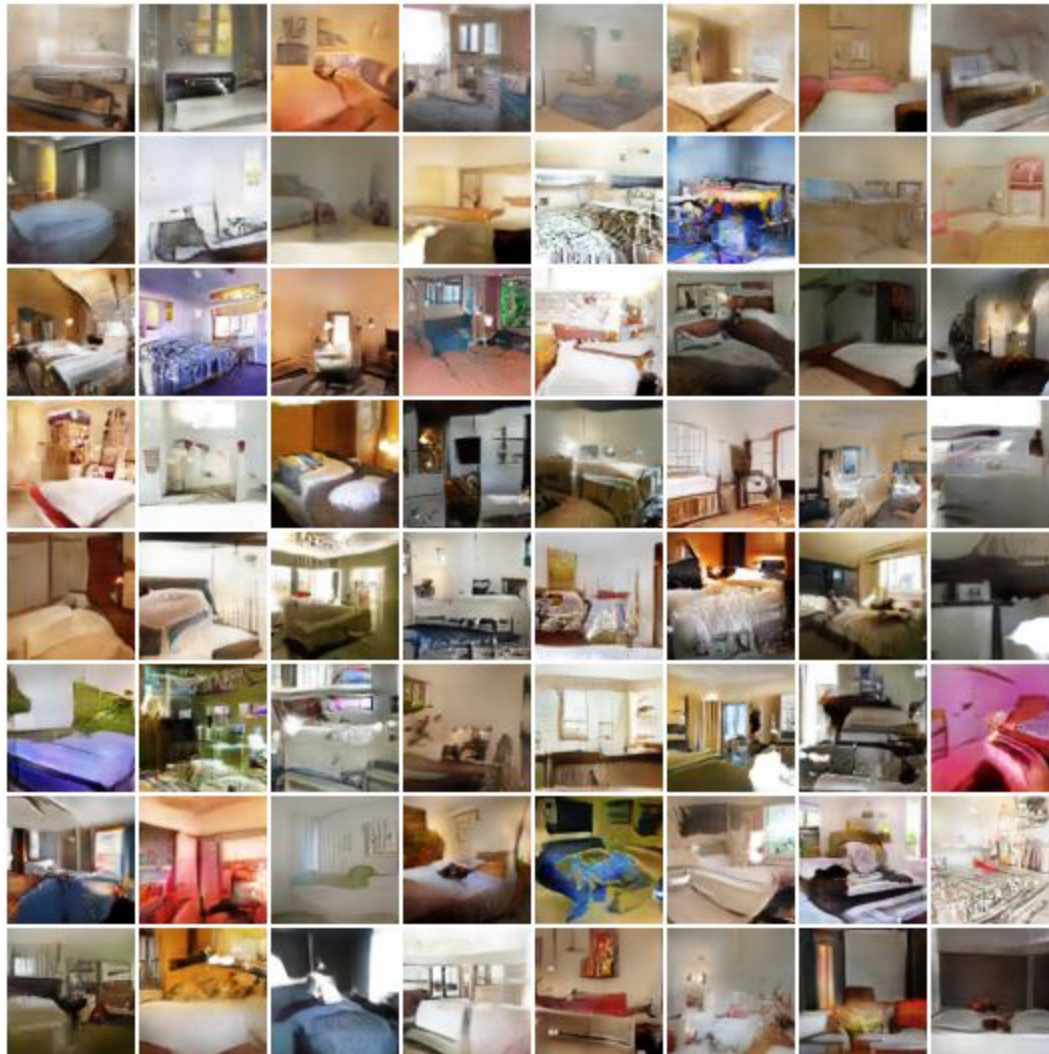
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<https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07875>



Harmonic Networks: Deep Translation and Rotation Equivariance

- Regular CNN: Translation-equivariant (translating the input translates the output)
- Harmonic network: + Rotation-equivariant
- Rough idea: have complex-valued feature maps with magnitude and phase encoding the activation and rotation

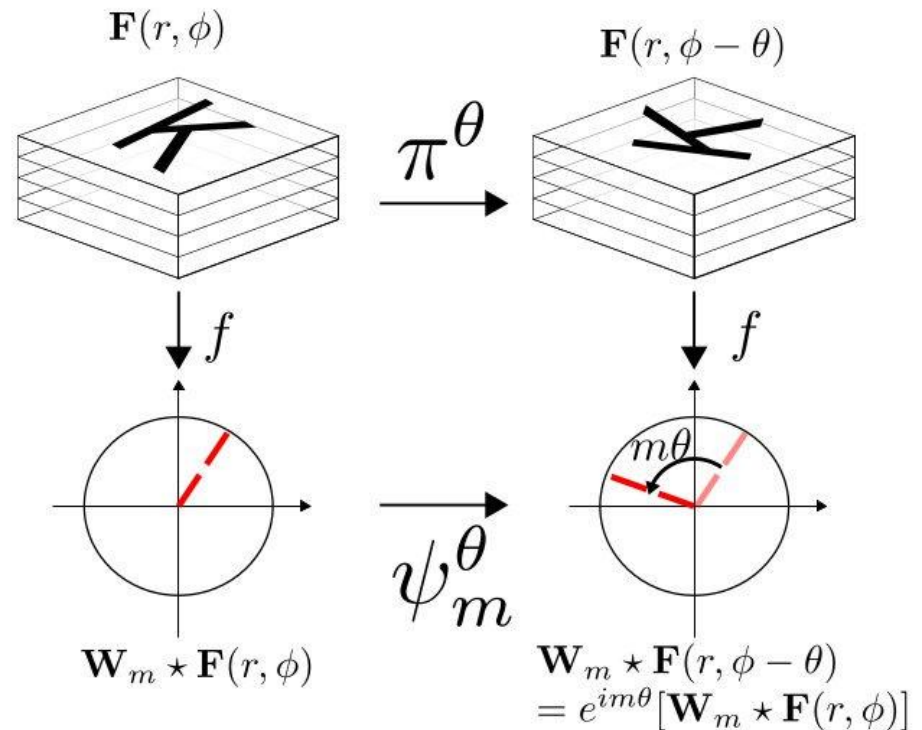


Figure 3. DOWN: Cross-correlation of the input patch with W_m yields a scalar complex-valued response. ACROSS-THEN-DOWN: Cross-correlation with the θ -rotated image yields another complex-valued response. BOTTOM: We transform from the unrotated response to the rotated response, through multiplication by $e^{im\theta}$.



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Jobs:

PhD Positions

PhD Career Opportunity at WU Wien

- Institute for Service Marketing at WU Wien
- Strong emphasis on quantitative research methods and empirical validation
- Research focus on applying **Deep Learning** within the **marketing** domain
- **master's degree or equi-valent in statistics, mathematics, computer science or econometrics**
- working knowledge in quantitative marketing or economics are an advantage but not required
- Interdisciplinary and international team

If interested please reach out to
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PhD Position at Univ. of Music & Performing Arts

+ Intelligent Music Processing and Machine Learning Group @ OFAI Vienna

Project: “Coordination and Collaborative Creativity in Music Ensembles”

funded by the Austrian Science Fund (FWF)

led by Dr. Laura Bishop (OFAI) in collaboration with
Assoc. Prof. Werner Goebel (MDW - IWK)

use motion capture, eye-tracking, and human-computer
interaction paradigms to identify the cognitive
mechanisms underlying musical creativity in groups

Req: Master's degree in computer science, experimental
psychology, systematic musicology, or a related field;
musical background; Java

Start: April; duration: 2 years, possible extension to 3 yrs

Contact: laura.bishop@ofai.at (Deadline 27 Feb!)



Coding with Keras
Deep Learning Library for Python
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Thank you for coming!

Next Deep Learning Meetup:

23 March 2017 @ Automic



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