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## Transfer Learning Using Keras and Tensorflow

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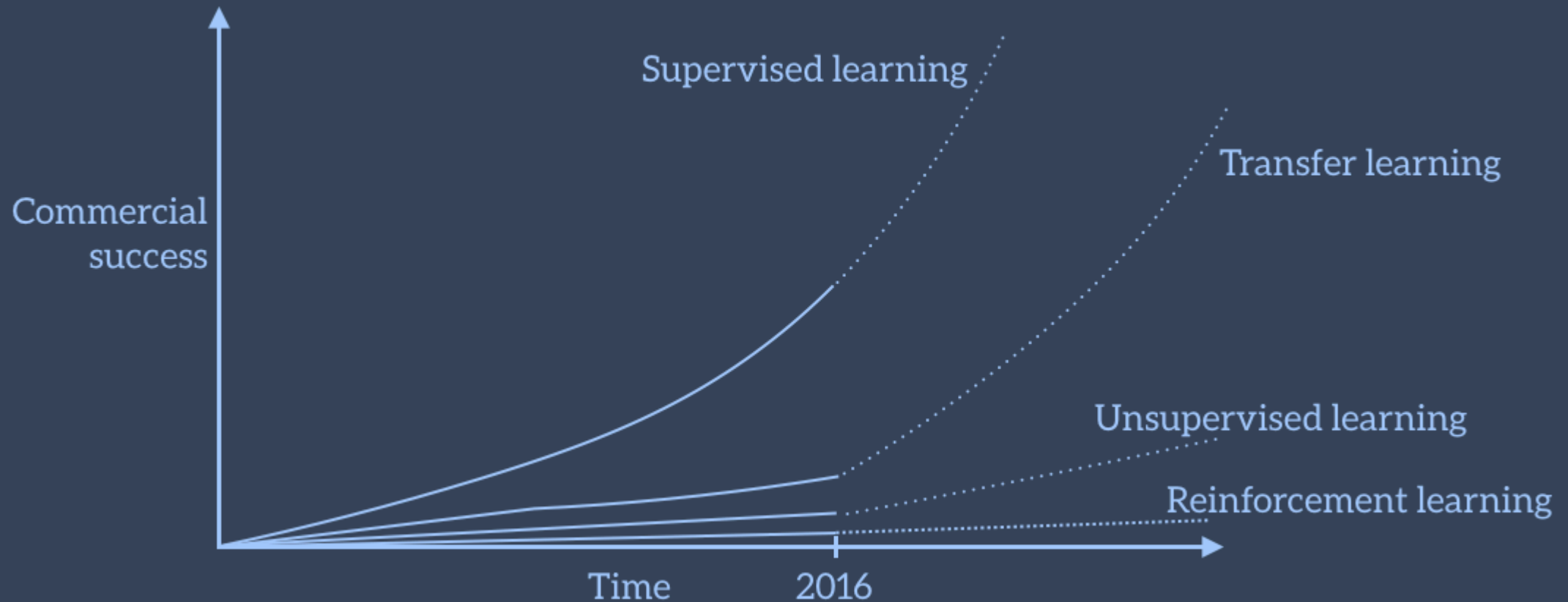
# Solution

## Transfer Learning

Transfer learning will become a key driver of Machine Learning success in industry.

-Andrew Ng (NIPS 2016)

# Drivers of ML success in industry



- Andrew Ng, NIPS 2016 tutorial

Taken From: <http://ruder.io/transfer-learning/>

# What is Transfer Learning?

- People can intelligently apply knowledge learned previously to solve new problems.
- Not a new concept:
  - NIPS-95 Learning to Learn: *Need for lifelong machine learning methods that retain and reuse previously learned knowledge.*
  - DARPA 2005: *The ability of a system to recognize and apply knowledge and skills learned in previous task to novel tasks.*

# What is Transfer Learning?

- Transfer knowledge to new conditions.
- Reuse of some or all of the training (data) of a prior model:
  - feature representations
  - neural-node layering
  - Weights
  - training method
  - loss function
  - learning rate etc.
- Tap into the knowledge gained on prior projects: Supervised, Unsupervised, Reinforcement Learning
- Extracts knowledge from one or more source tasks and apply the knowledge to a target task.

# Transfer Learning- ML Commercial Success-Key?

- Traditional Models have reported Super human performance in certain tasks.
- Yet, when they are used in production, the performance deteriorates.
- Real world is very different from the structured data used for training and testing.
- Individual users can have slightly different preferences.
- Transfer Learning can help deal with these and allow us to use ML beyond tasks and domains where
  - labelled data is plentiful,
  - data is outdated
- Boost productivity by reducing time to implement new projects



# Transfer Learning: Formal Definition<sup>1</sup>

- **Domain**  $D$  consists of two components: Feature Space  $\mathcal{X}$  and marginal Probability Distribution  $P(X)$  where  $X = \{x \downarrow 1, \dots, x \downarrow n\} \in \mathcal{X}$

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- **Task**  $T$  also consists of two components: a Label Space  $Y$  and an objective predictive function  $f(\cdot)$

$$T = \{Y, f(\cdot)\}$$

- In terms of probability the objective predictive function  $f(x)$  can be written as  $P(y/x)$ .
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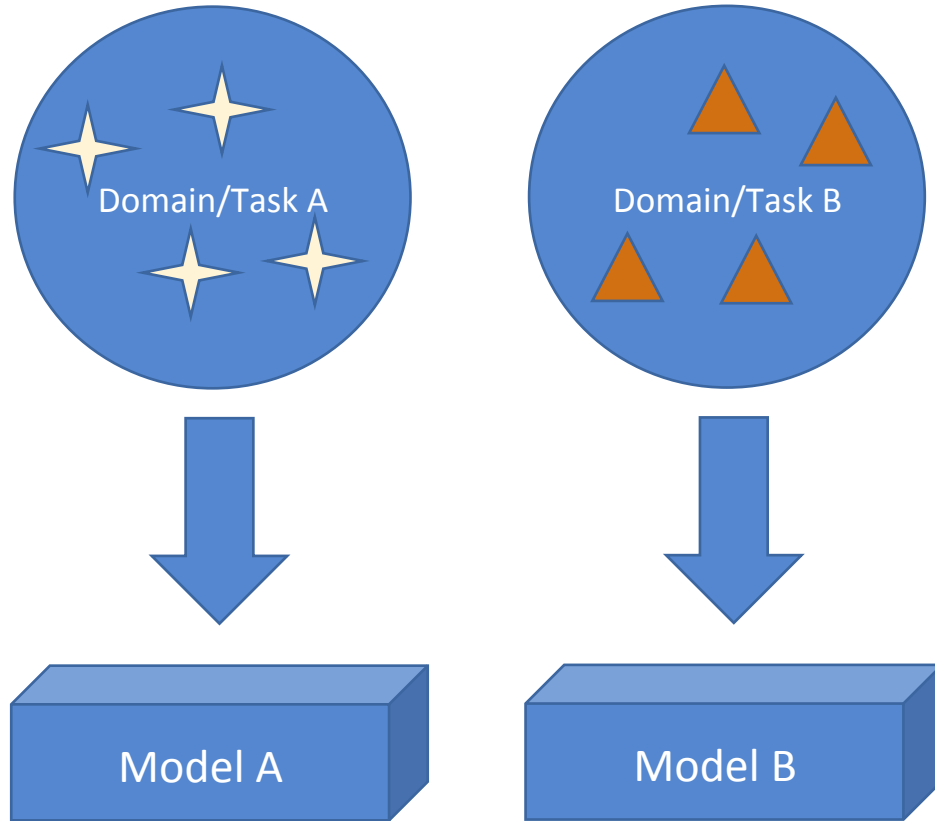
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**Source and target conditions can vary in four ways =>**  
**Four Scenarios**

# Traditional vs Transfer Learning

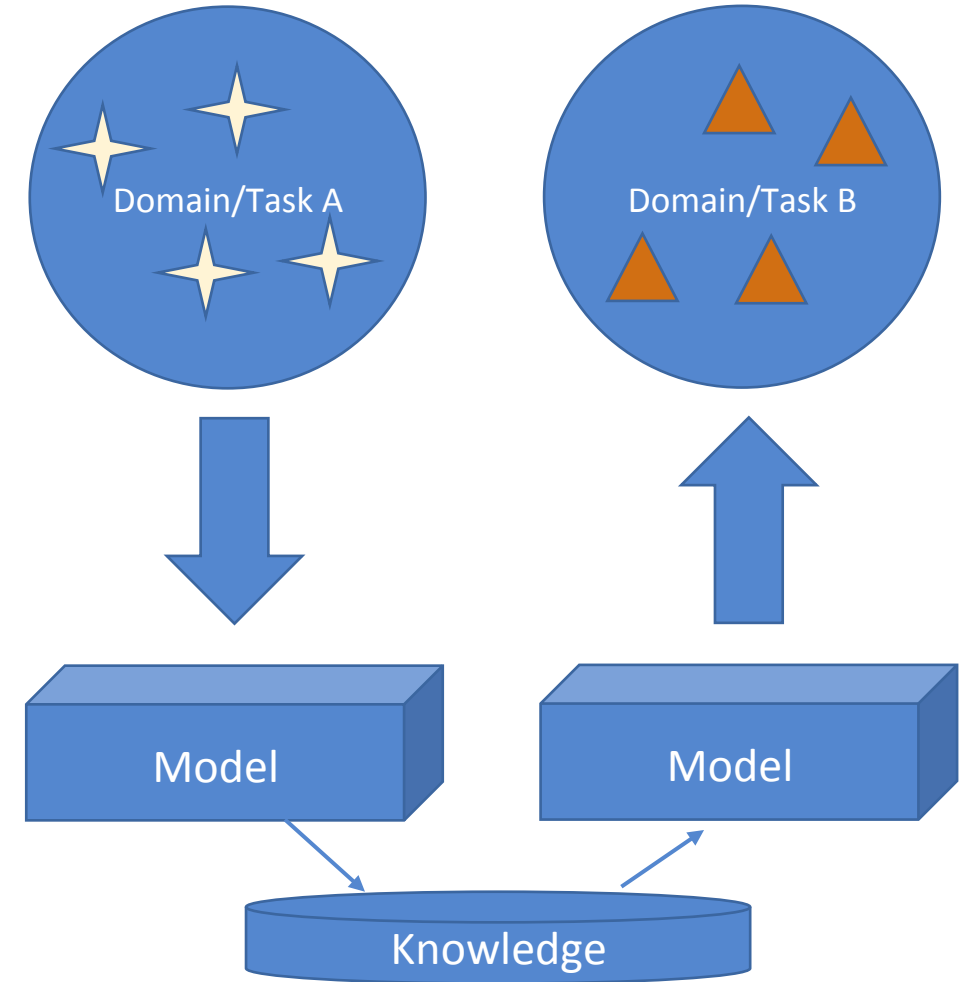
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# Transductive Transfer Learning

Source Domain and Target Domain different:  $D \downarrow S \neq D \downarrow T$

- $\chi \downarrow S \neq \chi \downarrow T$  : **Heterogenous Transfer Learning**
  - E.g. Source and Target languages are different
- $P(X \downarrow S) \neq P(X \downarrow T)$ : **Frequency Feature Bias/Domain Adaption**
  - E.g. Source and target documents are on different topics.

# Inductive Transfer Learning

Source Task and Target Task different:  $T \downarrow S \neq T \downarrow T$

- $Y \downarrow S \neq Y \downarrow T$  : **Main focus of this talk**
  - E.g. Source documents had with binary classification and Target documents have multiple classification.
- $P(Y \downarrow S | X \downarrow S) \neq P(Y \downarrow T | X \downarrow T)$ : **Context Feature Bias:**

# Transfer Learning Approach

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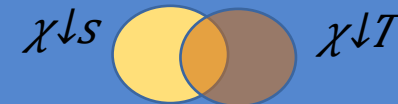
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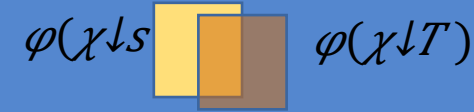
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## Relational Approach:

If two relational domains are related, they may share similar relations among Objects.

# Transfer Learning Techniques

Using pre-trained models: Useful when new task has different label space.

- Training an entire convolutional neural network from scratch requires a very large dataset and time, instead use a pretrained CNN

Learn domain-invariant representations: Useful for Heterogenous transfer learning and Domain Adaptation.

- Use models to learn representations that do not change based on the domain: Find a Common Latent Feature Space. Use Denoised Autoencoders

Make representations more similar

- Pre-process such that representations of both domains become more similar to e/o

Domain Confusion

- Add an objective function to existing model that confuses the two domains.

# Pre-trained Models

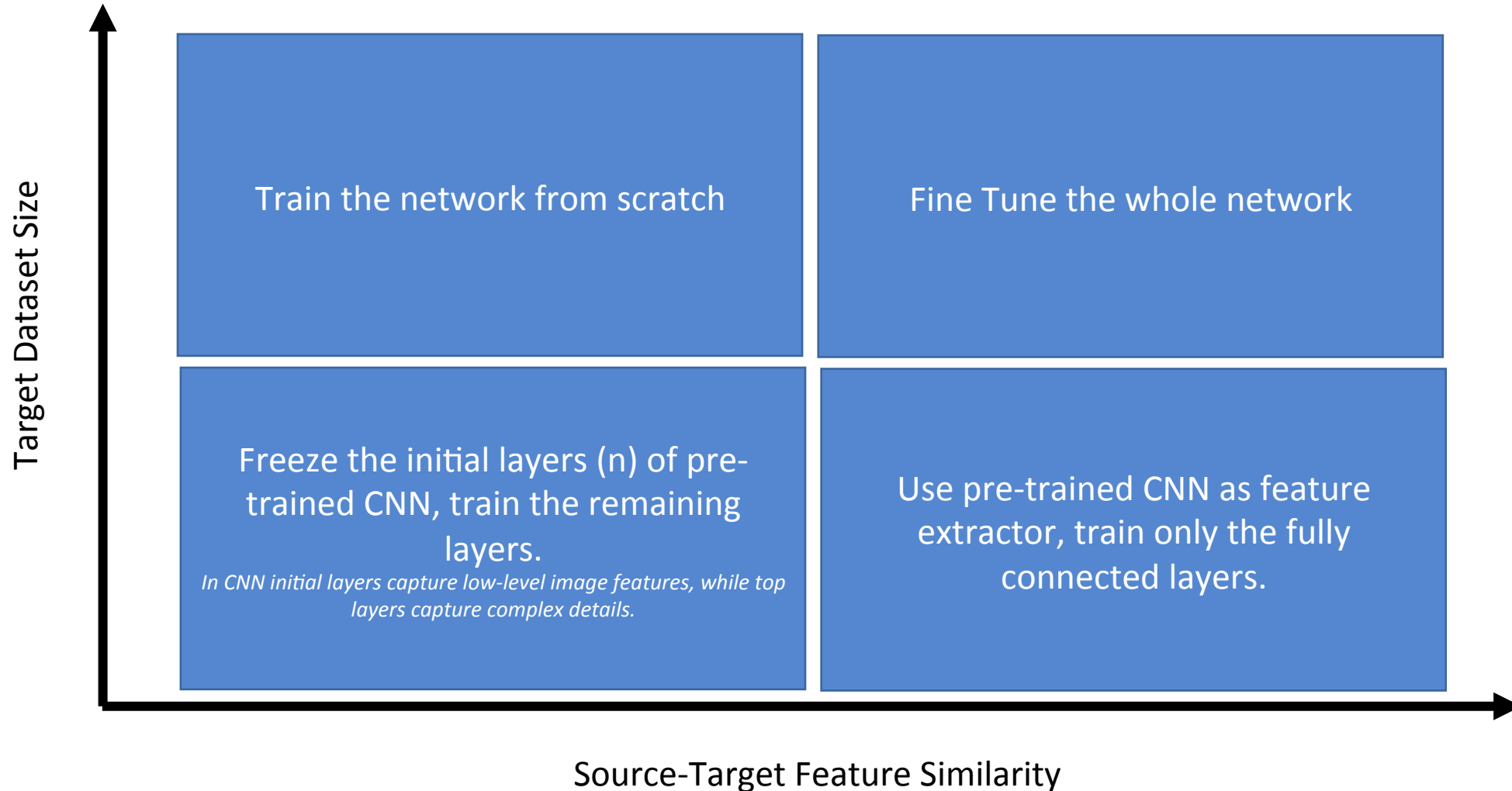
## Pre-trained CNN as feature extractor:

Take a pre-trained CNN model, remove the last fully connected layers, use the remaining CNN as feature extractor for the new dataset. The output of this CNN feature extractor is fed to a classifier. The classifier is trained for the new dataset.

## Fine tune pre-trained CNN:

The weights of both the pre-trained CNN layers (all or some) and fully connected classifier layers are fine tuned using backpropagation.

# Which method to employ?



# Pre-trained Models in Keras/Tensorflow

Models for Image classification  
with weights trained on ImageNet

- Xception
- VGG16
- VGG19
- ResNet50
- InceptionV3
- MobileNet

Import Models:

```
from keras.applications.model_name import model_name  
from keras.applications.model_name import preprocess_input,  
decode_predictions
```

```
from keras.applications.vgg16 import VGG16
```

# Predicting Dog Breed Using Xception

- Detect whether given image is a dog or not
  - We use Resnet60 trained on Imagenet

```
ResNet50_model = ResNet50(weights='imagenet')

def ResNet50_predict_labels(img_path):
    # returns prediction vector for image located at img_path
    img = preprocess_input(path_to_tensor(img_path))
    return np.argmax(ResNet50_model.predict(img))

def dog_detector(img_path):
    prediction = ResNet50_predict_labels(img_path)
    return ((prediction <= 268) & (prediction >= 151))
```

# Predicting Dog Breed Using Xception

- Get Bottleneck features (The output of last CNN layer for the training dataset)

```
# Generated using predict_generator method
bottleneck_features = np.load('bottleneck_features/DogXceptionData.npz')

train_VGG16 = bottleneck_features['train']
valid_VGG16 = bottleneck_features['valid']
test_VGG16 = bottleneck_features['test']
```

# Predicting Dog Breed Using Xception

- Define the classifier to be used over pre-trained Xception Model

```
TLmodel_model = Sequential()  
TLmodel_model.add(GlobalAveragePooling2D(input_shape=train_new.shape[1:]))  
#TLmodel_model.add(Dense(400, activation='relu'))  
#TLmodel_model.add(Dropout(0.2))  
TLmodel_model.add(Dense(200, activation='relu'))  
TLmodel_model.add(BatchNormalization())  
TLmodel_model.add(Dropout(0.4))  
TLmodel_model.add(Dense(133, activation='softmax'))  
  
TLmodel_model.summary()
```



# Predicting Dog Breed Using Xception

- Define the classifier to be used over pre-trained Xception Model

Layer (type)	Output Shape	Param #
global_average_pooling2d_1 (None, 2048)		0
dense_1 (Dense)	(None, 200)	409800
batch_normalization_1 (Batch Normalization)	(None, 200)	800
dropout_1 (Dropout)	(None, 200)	0
dense_2 (Dense)	(None, 133)	26733

Total params: 437,333.0  
Trainable params: 436,933.0  
Non-trainable params: 400.0

# Predicting Dog Breed Using Xception

- Define the optimizer and train the model

```
### Compile the model.
TLmodel_model.compile(loss='categorical_crossentropy', optimizer='sgd', metrics=['accuracy'])

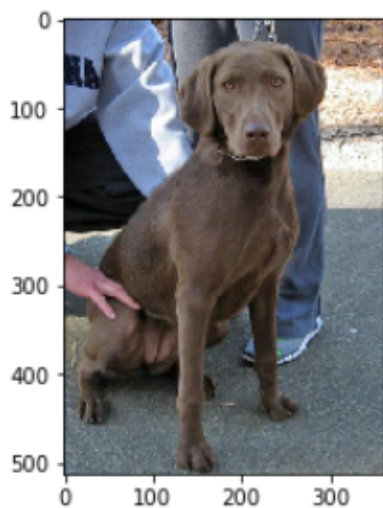
### Train the model.
from keras.callbacks import ModelCheckpoint
checkpointer = ModelCheckpoint(filepath='saved_models/weights.best.TLmodel_InceptionV3.hdf5',
                               verbose=1, save_best_only=True)

TLmodel_model.fit(train_new, train_targets,
                  validation_data=(valid_new, valid_targets),
                  epochs=20, batch_size=20, callbacks=[checkpointer], verbose=2, shuffle=True)
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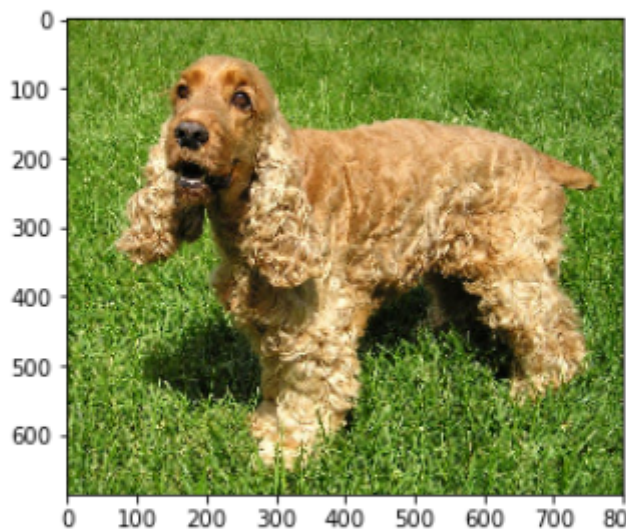
- Prediction Using the Model

Wow, Wow you are a Dog!  
And your breed is  
Labrador\_retriever



Correct breed is  
Chesapeake\_bay\_retriever

Wow, Wow you are a Dog!  
And your breed is  
English\_cocker\_spaniel



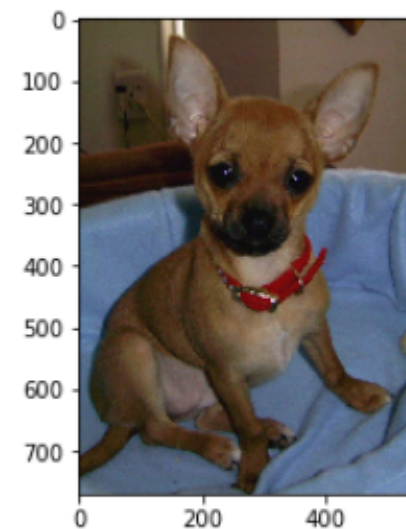
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And your breed is  
Chihuahua



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# Applications of Transfer Learning

- Learning from simulations and then applying to real world:
  - Real world data is hard to come by. Generate data using simulator: Data has similar feature space, slightly different in marginal probability distributions, and different in conditional probability distributions.
  - E.g.: Self driving Car, Robots, AGI Agents
- Data becoming outdated:
  - Wi-Fi Localization: Locating a mobile device in an indoor environment, position of device changes
- Sentiment Classification:
  - Learn sentiment classification on one topic and apply the model learned on other topics
- Cross Domain Activity Recognition
  - Knowledge about activity learned in one domain (Cleaning Indoor) can be applied to other domain (Doing Laundry).

# Further Research

## One/Zero shot learning

Aim to learn from only a few/one/zero shot learning.

## Multi Task learning

Learn more than one task. Use knowledge acquired by learning from related tasks to do well on target. Source and Target are jointly trained.

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