



**High-Performance Data-Intensive
Computing Systems Laboratory**

Burned Area Segmentation using Nautilus

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Outlines

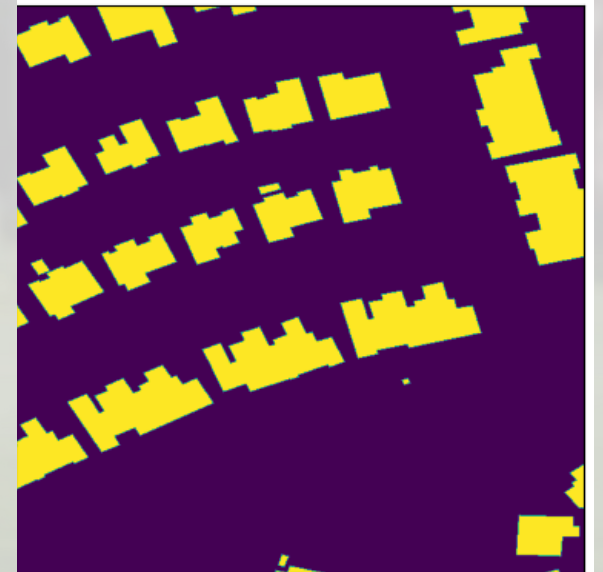
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What is the problem

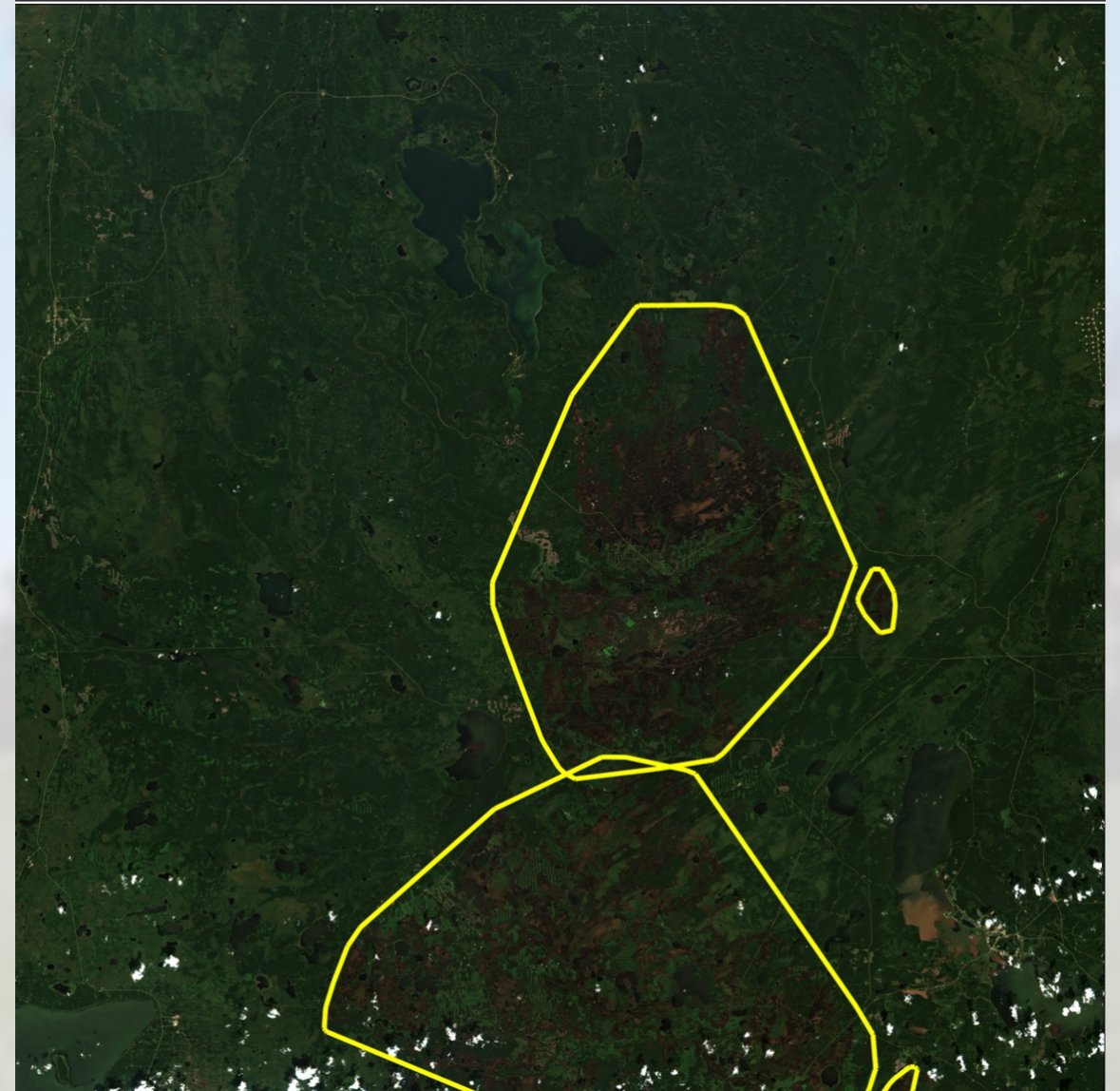


Semantic Segmentation:
The precise classification of every pixel in the image into one of the classes



What is the data

- ▶ Hyperspectral satellite imagery
- ▶ Geotagged
 - ▶ It has a coordinate reference system
 - ▶ Each pixel is also a coordinate on the earth
- ▶ It has multiple bands
 - ▶ Visible range (R,G,B)
 - ▶ NIR
 - ▶ SWIR



What is the tool

Convolutional Neural Network (**CNN**)

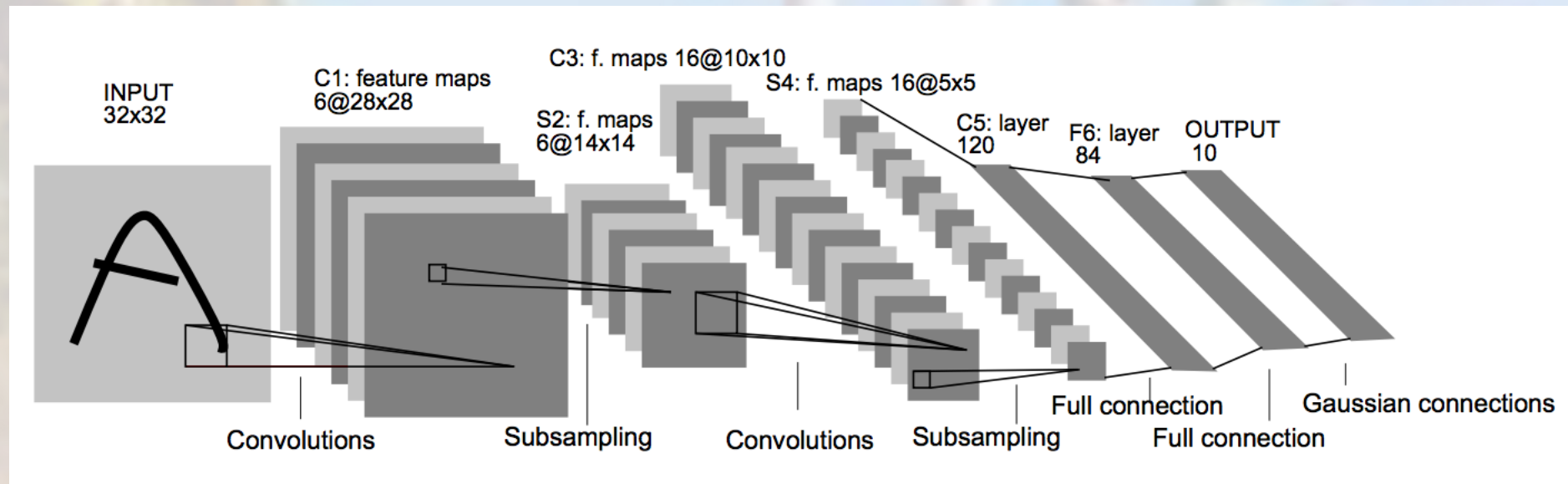
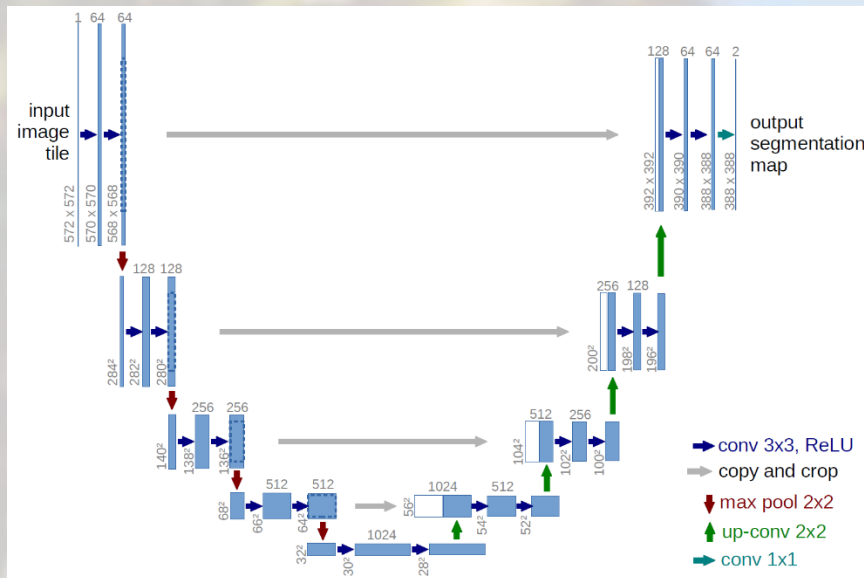


image
classification

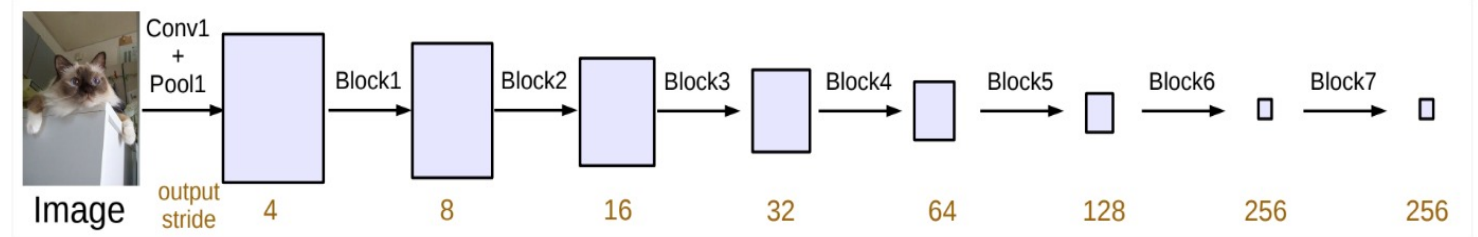
Target
detection

Semantic
segmentation

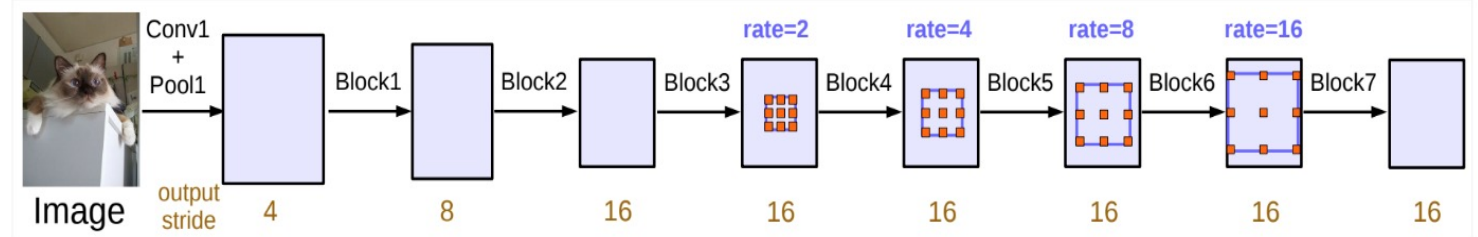
What is the tool



U-Net



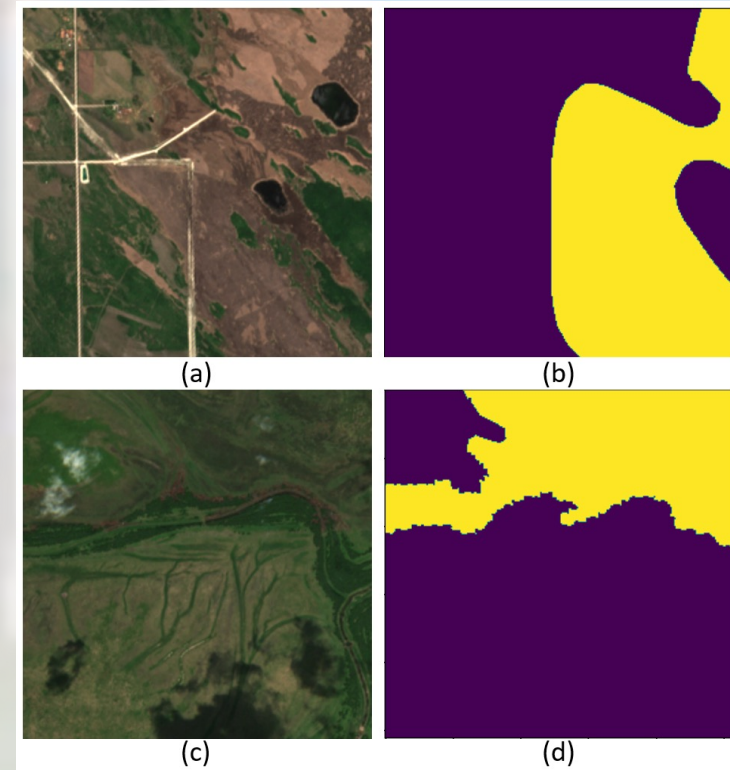
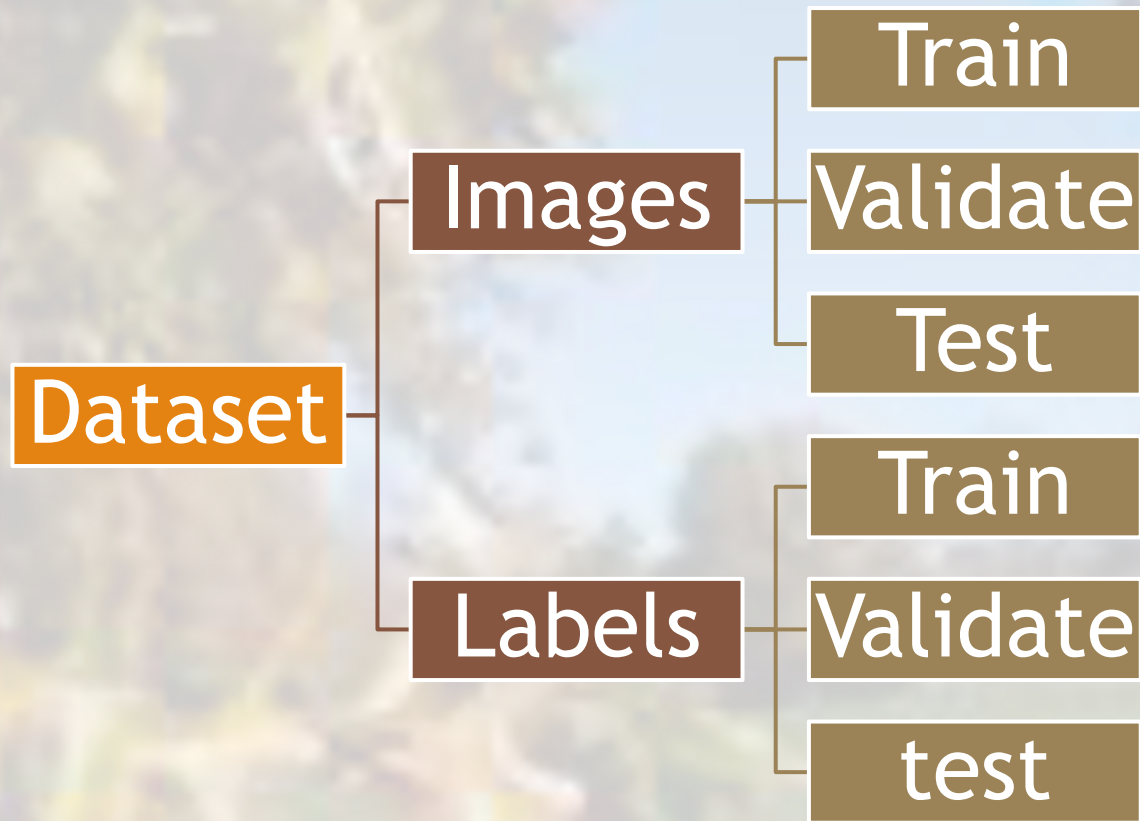
(a) Going deeper without atrous convolution.



Deeplab

Preparing workspace

Dataset



Preparing workspace config files

- The config file allows us to specify options for each model
 - The architecture to be used
 - The learning rate
 - The batch size
 - The optimizer



Preparing workspace config files

```
{
  "epochs": 100,
  "model_architecture": "Unet",
  "model_args": {
    "encoder_name": "resnet50",
    "encoder_weights": "imagenet"
  },
  "gpus": [0],
  "batch_size_per_gpu": 4,
  "num_classes": 2,
  "training_data": [{
    "image_dir": "/canada2019-3/training_data_png/tcis/train",
    "mask_dir": "/canada2019-3/training_data_png/labs/train"
  }],
  "optimizer_name": "Adam",
  "optimizer_args": {
    "lr": 0.001
  },
  "validation_data": [{
    "image_dir": "/canada2019-3/training_data_png/tcis/validate",
    "mask_dir": "/canada2019-3/training_data_png/labs/validate"
  }],
  "validate_while_training": true
}
```

Preparing workspace yaml files

- Each combination of these parameters provides us with a unique conditions for an experiment to run
- *Number of experiments = $2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 2 \times 2$*
Number of experiments = 72
- For each experiments we save two models:
 - The last model
 - The best model
 - We end up with 144 models



Preparing workspace yaml files

```
apiVersion: batch/v1
kind: Job
metadata:
  name: anes-job-train-expl-deeplab-tcipretrained
spec:
  template:
    spec:
      containers:
      - name: anes-pod-train-expl-deeplab-tcipretrained
        image: gitlab-registry.nrp-nautilus.io/jhurt/cgisegment:e98e742e
        command: ["/bin/sh", "-c"]
        args:
        - python3 main.py --task train --output_dir /canada2019-3/experiments/expl/output_dir_deeplab_tci_pretrained --config /canada2019-3/experiments/expl/config_deeplab_tci_pretrained.yaml
        volumeMounts:
        - name: canada2019-3
          mountPath: /canada2019-3
      resources:
        limits:
          memory: 24Gi
          cpu: "4"
          nvidia.com/gpu: 2
        requests:
          memory: 24Gi
          cpu: "4"
          nvidia.com/gpu: 2
      volumes:
      - name: canada2019-3
        persistentVolumeClaim:
          claimName: canada2019-3
      restartPolicy: OnFailure
    backoffLimit:
```

Preparing workspace

Auto mass generating of config/yml files

- ▶ Config files were autogenerated
- ▶ Yml files were autogenerated

Using Jupyter notebook
Jinja library

- ▶ Jobs were auto submitted
- ▶ Jobs were auto deleted after completion

Using Windows/Linux bash files


```
@ECHO OFF
```

```
Rem This batch file executes kubectl commands to create training jobs
```

```
::echo %kubectl%
```

```
SET exp_list=2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18
```

```
(for %%a in (%exp_list%) do (
```

```
    echo %%a
```

```
    kubectl create -f experiments\exp%%a/job_exp%%a_deeplab_img.yaml
```

```
    kubectl create -f experiments\exp%%a/job_exp%%a_deeplab_tci.yaml
```

```
    kubectl create -f experiments\exp%%a/job_exp%%a_deeplab_img_pretrained.yaml
```

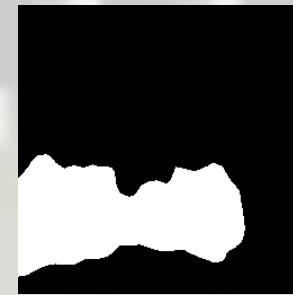
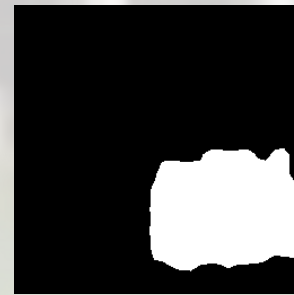
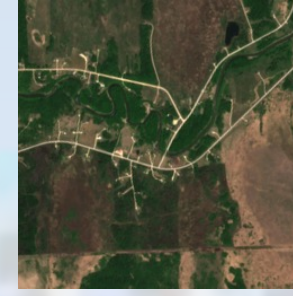
```
    kubectl create -f experiments\exp%%a/job_exp%%a_deeplab_tci_pretrained.yaml
```

```
))
```

```
echo "batch complete"
```

Sample Automation Script

Results sample



Statistics about using Nautilus

- ▶ Iterations of Training Completed: **515,550**
- ▶ Number of images Processed: **7,070,400**
- ▶ Trainable Parameters Optimized: **23 millions per model**
- ▶ The time it took to prepare the experimental set up and to run all the training sessions in parallel is **12 hours**
- ▶ The actual time it would have take to train is **21 days 12 hours 45 minutes**