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CNN Training

Problem-Solving Approach
(Draft)

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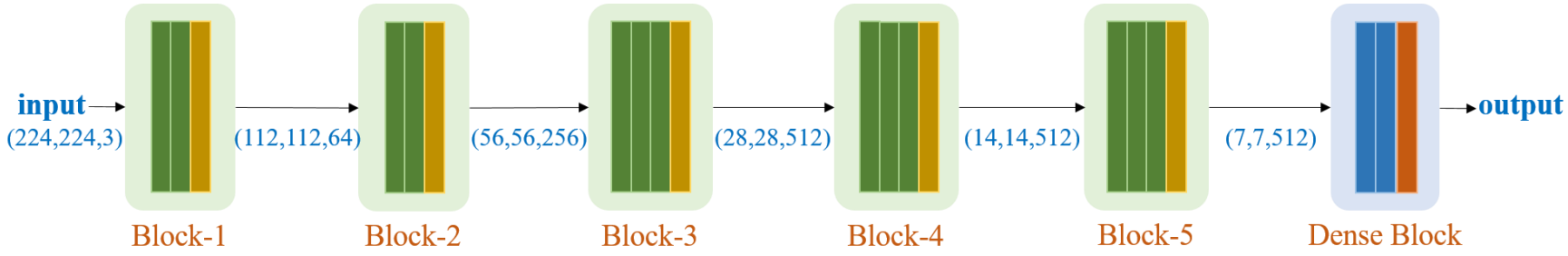
Outline

- Introduction to Numpy
- Numpy Array Indexing
- Numpy Array Operations
- Broadcasting
- Data Processing



(3x3) Convolution padding='same' stride=1 + ReLU

(2x2) max pooling

Dense Layer + ReLU (4096)

Dense Layer + Softmax (1000)

LeNet 1994

AlexNet 2012

Network-in-Network 2013

VGG 2014

Inception 2014

U-Net 2015

ResNet 2015

SqueezeNet 2016

DenseNet 2016

MobileNets 2017

EfficientNet 2019

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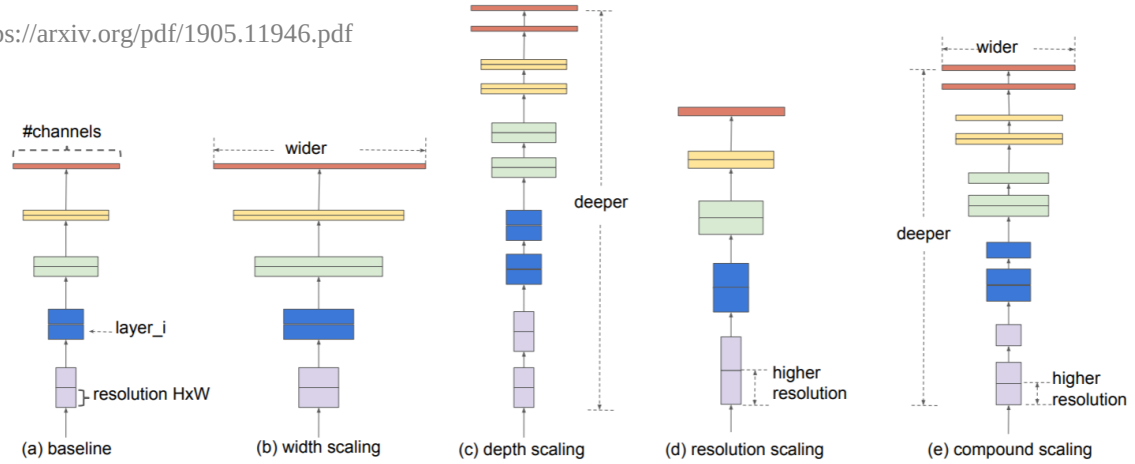

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Sequence to sequence learning with neural networks
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Advances in neural information processing systems, 3104-3112

Efficientnet: Rethinking model scaling for convolutional neural networks
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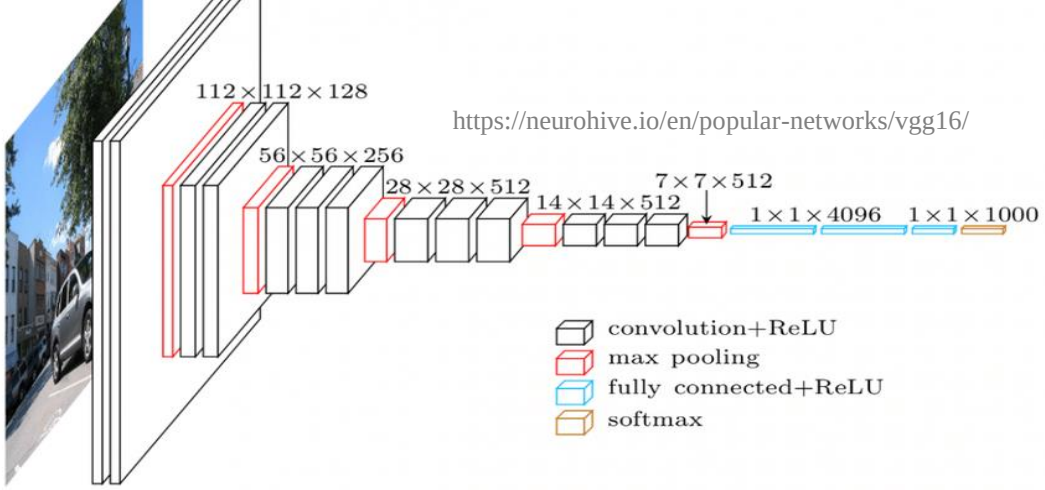

https://neurohive.io/en/popular-networks/vgg16/

VGG16

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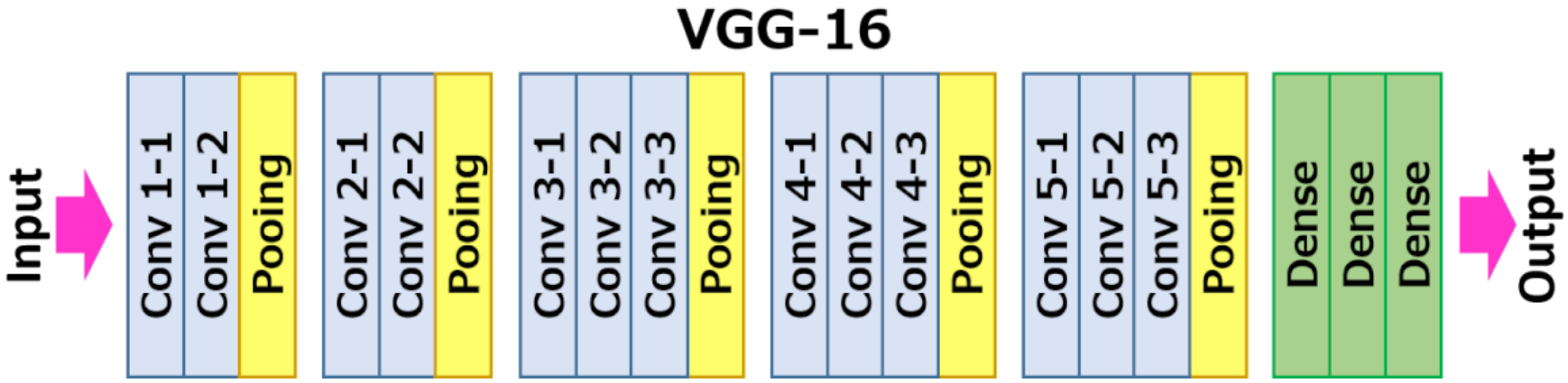
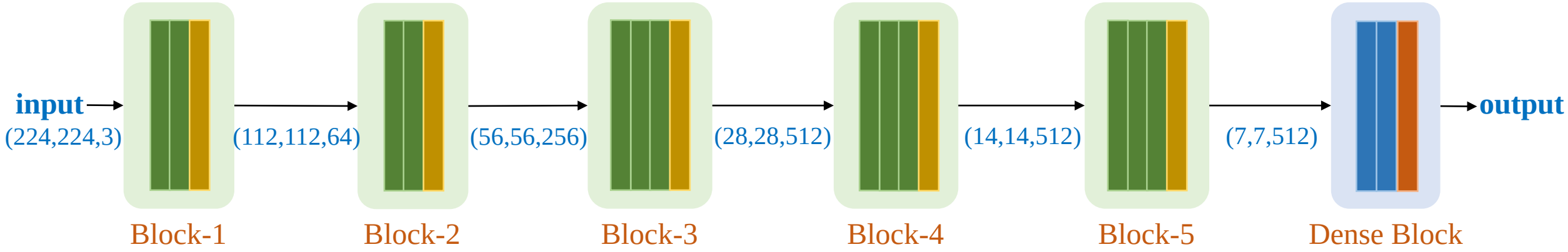


CNN Architectures

❖ VGG16 for ImageNet



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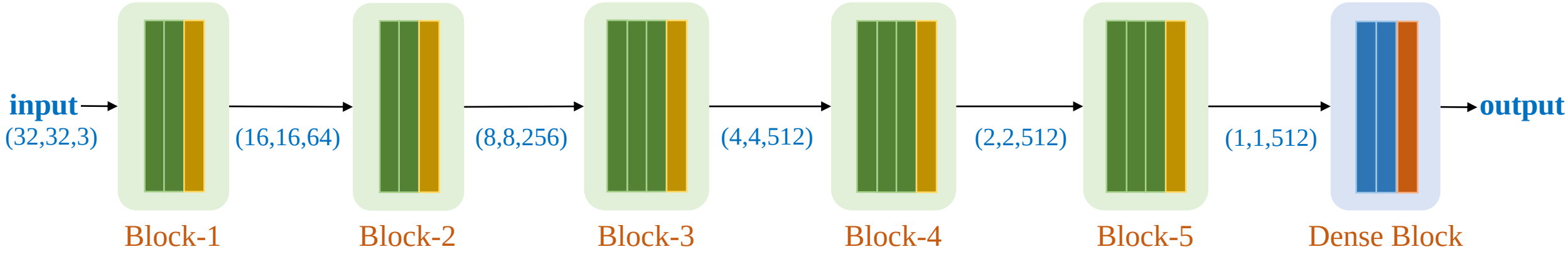
Dense Layer
+ ReLU
(4096)

Dense Layer
+ Softmax
(1000)

CNN Architectures

❖ VGG16-like for Cifar-10



(3x3) Convolution
padding='same'
stride=1 + ReLU

(2x2) max pooling

Dense Layer
+ ReLU
(256)

Dense Layer
+ Softmax
(10)

VGG16 in Keras

```python
import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow import keras

VGG16 = keras.applications.VGG16
model = model = VGG16(input_shape=(244,244,3),
                      classes=10,
                      weights=None)
model.summary()
```

Layer (type)	Output Shape	Param #
input_1 (InputLayer)	[(None, 244, 244, 3)]	0
block1_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 244, 244, 64)	1792
block1_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 244, 244, 64)	36928
block1_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 122, 122, 64)	0
block2_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 122, 122, 128)	73856
block2_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 122, 122, 128)	147584
block2_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 61, 61, 128)	0
block3_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 61, 61, 256)	295168
block3_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 61, 61, 256)	590080
block3_conv3 (Conv2D)	(None, 61, 61, 256)	590080
block3_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 30, 30, 256)	0
block4_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 30, 30, 512)	1180160
block4_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 30, 30, 512)	2359808
block4_conv3 (Conv2D)	(None, 30, 30, 512)	2359808
block4_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	0
block5_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	2359808
block5_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	2359808
block5_conv3 (Conv2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	2359808
block5_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 7, 7, 512)	0
flatten (Flatten)	(None, 25088)	0
fc1 (Dense)	(None, 4096)	102764544
fc2 (Dense)	(None, 4096)	16781312
predictions (Dense)	(None, 10)	40970

Total params: 134,301,514
Trainable params: 134,301,514
Non-trainable params: 0

VGG16 in Keras

```python
# model
model = keras.models.Sequential()
model.add(tf.keras.Input(shape=(32, 32, 3)))

num_of_blocks = 5
convs   = [2, 2, 3, 3, 3]
filters = [64, 256, 512, 512, 512]

# 5 blocks
for block in range(num_of_blocks):
    for conv in range(convs[block]):
        model.add(keras.layers.Conv2D(filters[block], 3,
                                      padding='same',
                                      activation='relu'))
    model.add(keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(2))

# Dense blocks
model.add(keras.layers.Flatten())
model.add(keras.layers.Dense(256, activation='relu'))
model.add(keras.layers.Dense(256, activation='relu'))
model.add(keras.layers.Dense(10, activation='softmax'))
```

```
Model: "sequential"
_________________________________________________________________
Layer (type)                 Output Shape              Param #
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conv2d (Conv2D)              (None, 32, 32, 64)        1792
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conv2d_1 (Conv2D)            (None, 32, 32, 64)        36928
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max_pooling2d (MaxPooling2D) (None, 16, 16, 64)        0
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conv2d_2 (Conv2D)            (None, 16, 16, 256)       147712
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conv2d_3 (Conv2D)            (None, 16, 16, 256)       590080
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max_pooling2d_1 (MaxPooling2 (None, 8, 8, 256)         0
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conv2d_4 (Conv2D)            (None, 8, 8, 512)         1180160
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conv2d_5 (Conv2D)            (None, 8, 8, 512)         2359808
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conv2d_6 (Conv2D)            (None, 8, 8, 512)         2359808
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max_pooling2d_2 (MaxPooling2 (None, 4, 4, 512)         0
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conv2d_7 (Conv2D)            (None, 4, 4, 512)         2359808
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conv2d_9 (Conv2D)            (None, 4, 4, 512)         2359808
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max_pooling2d_3 (MaxPooling2 (None, 2, 2, 512)         0
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conv2d_10 (Conv2D)           (None, 2, 2, 512)         2359808
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conv2d_11 (Conv2D)           (None, 2, 2, 512)         2359808
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conv2d_12 (Conv2D)           (None, 2, 2, 512)         2359808
_________________________________________________________________
max_pooling2d_4 (MaxPooling2 (None, 1, 1, 512)         0
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flatten (Flatten)            (None, 512)               0
_________________________________________________________________
dense (Dense)                (None, 256)               131328
_________________________________________________________________
dense_1 (Dense)              (None, 256)               65792
_________________________________________________________________
dense_2 (Dense)              (None, 10)                2570
=================================================================
Total params: 21,034,826
Trainable params: 21,034,826
Non-trainable params: 0
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```

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- **Ims**

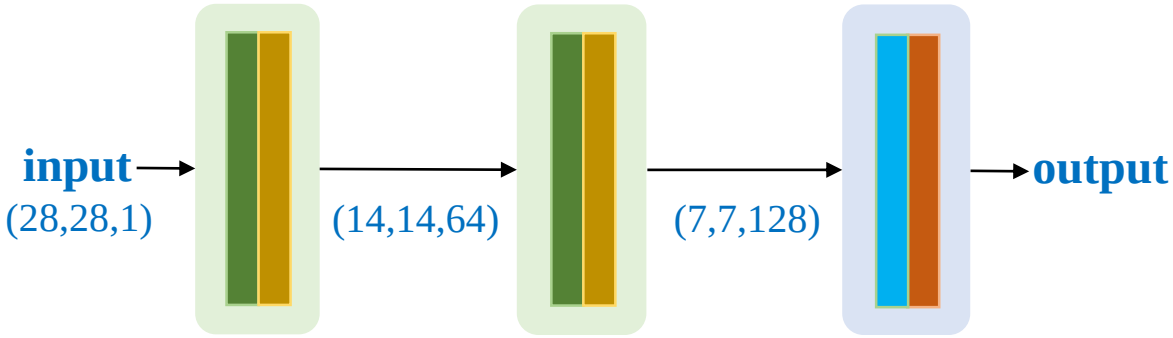
Image Data

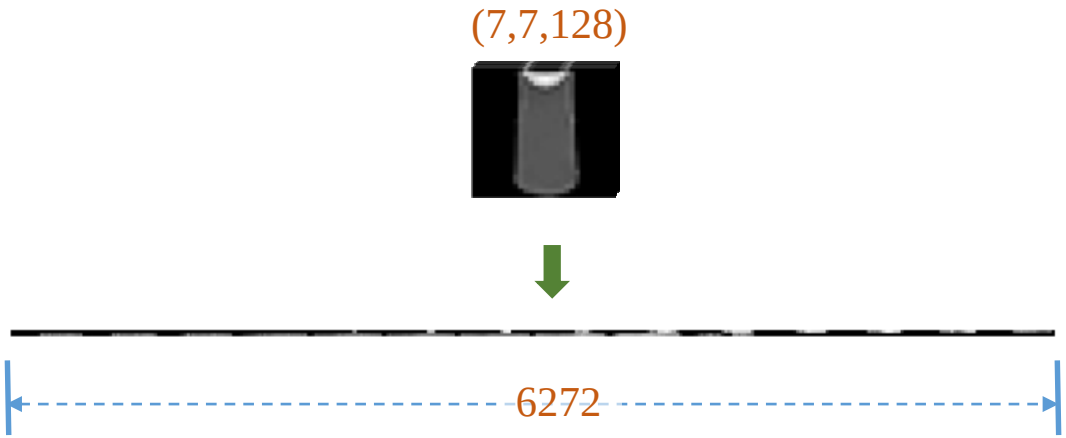
Fashion-MNIST dataset

- Grayscale images
- Resolution=28x28
- Training set: 60000 samples
- Testing set: 10000 samples

Network Training

❖ Fashion-MNIST dataset



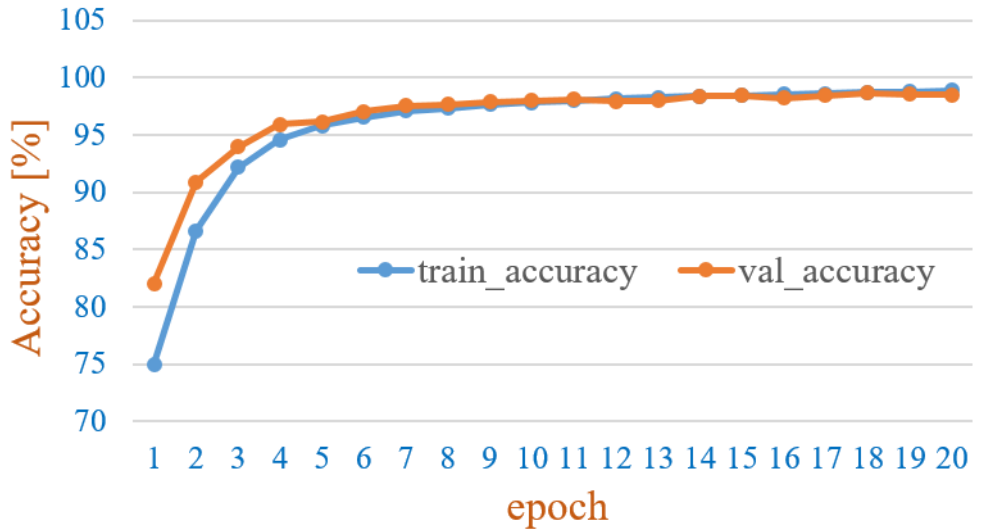


(3x3) Convolution
padding='same'
stride=1 + Sigmoid

Flatten

(2x2) max pooling

Dense Layer-10
+ Softmax



Network Training

❖ **Fashion-MNIST dataset**

X-data format

(batch, height, width, channel)

Data normalization [0,1]

(3x3) Convolution with 64 filters,
stride=1, padding='same'
+ Sigmoid activation
+ glorot_uniform initialization

Adam optimizer and Cross-entropy loss

```python
import tensorflow as tf
import tensorflow.keras as keras

# data preparation
mnist = tf.keras.datasets.mnist
(x_train, y_train),(x_test, y_test) = mnist.load_data()

x_train = x_train.reshape((60000, 28, 28, 1))
x_test  = x_test.reshape((10000, 28, 28, 1))

# normalize
x_train, x_test = x_train / 255.0, x_test / 255.0

# model
model = keras.models.Sequential()
model.add(tf.keras.Input(shape=(28, 28, 1)))

model.add(keras.layers.Conv2D(64, 3, padding='same',
                              activation='sigmoid'))
model.add(keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(2))

model.add(keras.layers.Conv2D(128, 3, padding='same',
                              activation='sigmoid'))
model.add(keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(2))

# flatten
model.add(keras.layers.Flatten())
model.add(keras.layers.Dense(10, activation='softmax'))
model.summary()

# training
model.compile(optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'],
              loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy')
history = model.fit(x_train, y_train, batch_size=256,
                    validation_data=(x_test, y_test),
                    epochs=20, verbose=1)
```

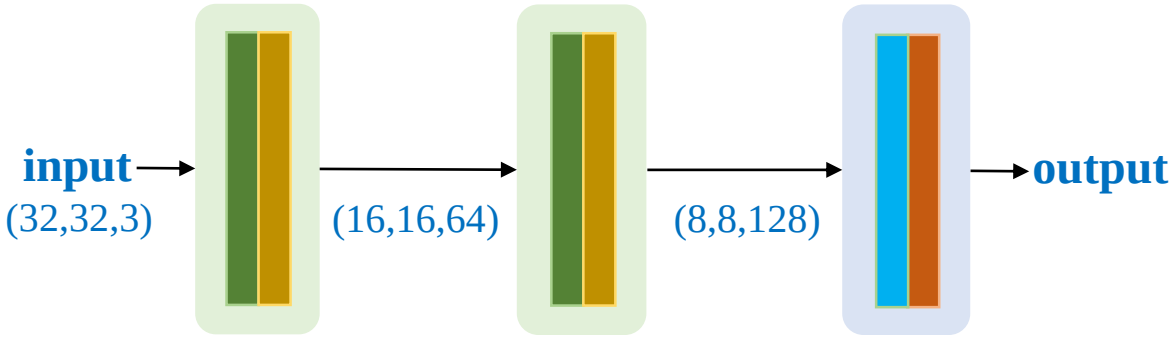
Network Training

Cifar-10 dataset
(more complex dataset)

- Color images
- Resolution=32x32
- Training set: 50000 samples
- Testing set: 10000 samples

Network Training

❖ Cifar-10 dataset

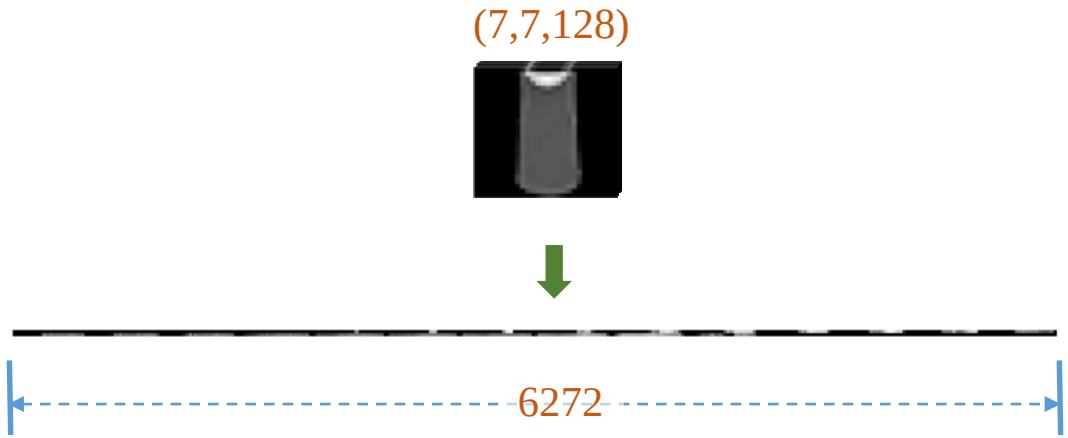


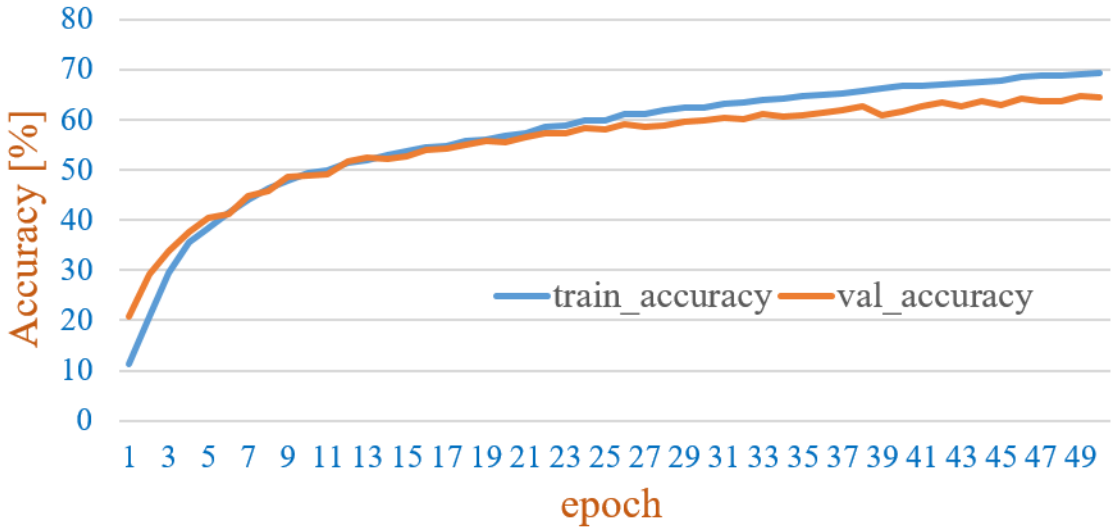
(3x3) Convolution
padding='same'
stride=1 + Sigmoid

(2x2) max pooling

Flatten

Dense Layer-10
+ Softmax

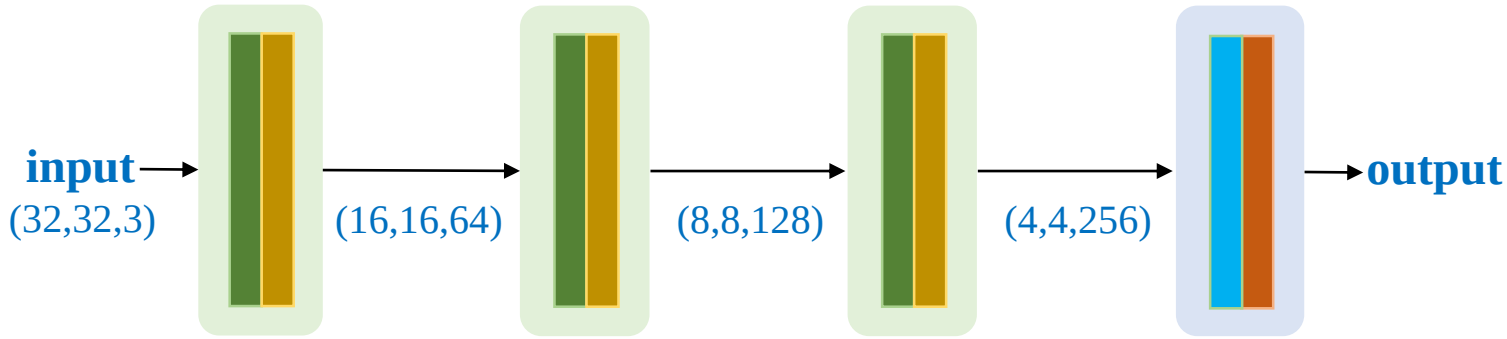


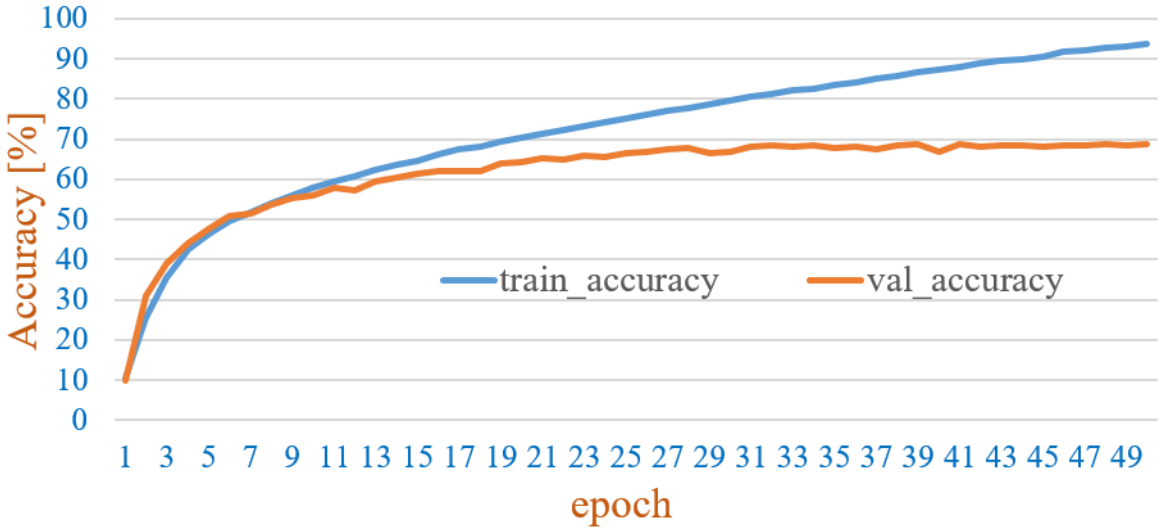


Network Training

- **Cifar-10 dataset:**
  - **Adding more layers**

Good news: Network accuracy increases about 25%





(3x3) Convolution
padding='same'
stride=1 + Sigmoid

Flatten

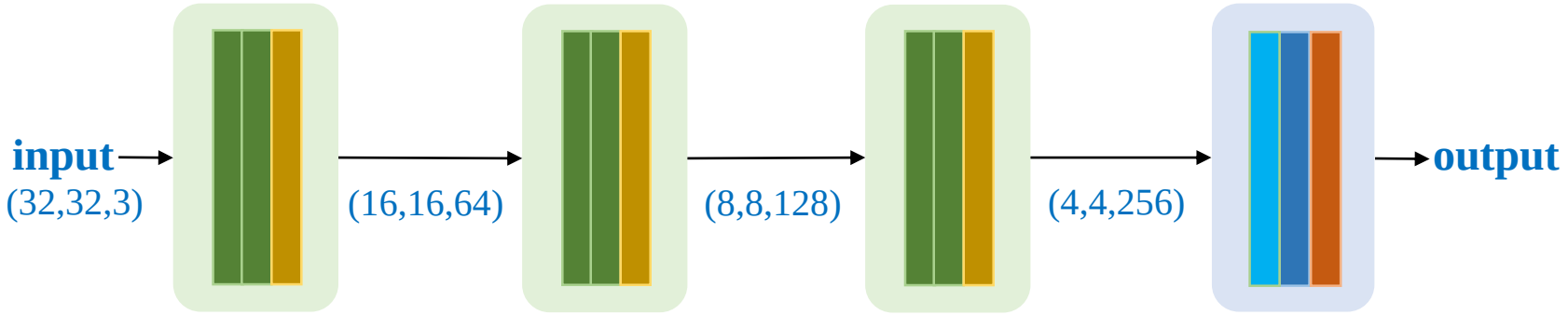
(2x2) max pooling

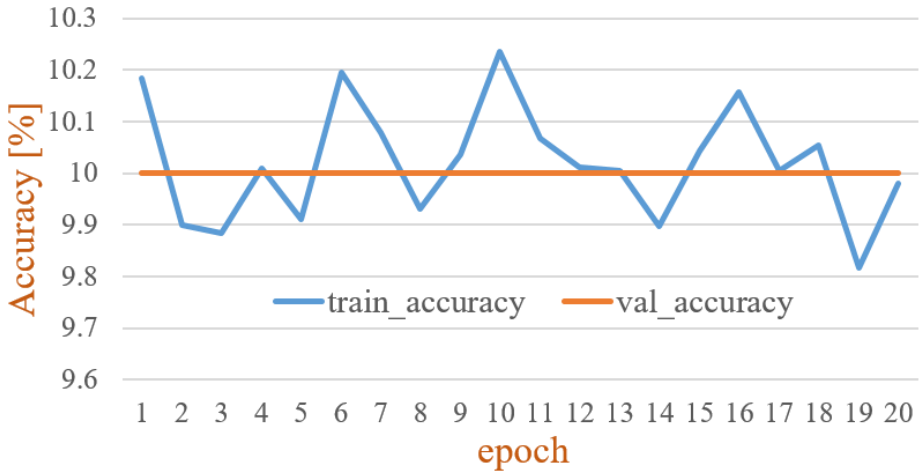
Dense Layer-10
+ Softmax

Network Training

- **Cifar-10 dataset:**
  - **Keep adding more layers**

The network does not learn





(3x3) Convolution padding='same' stride=1 + Sigmoid

Flatten

Dense Layer-512 + Sigmoid

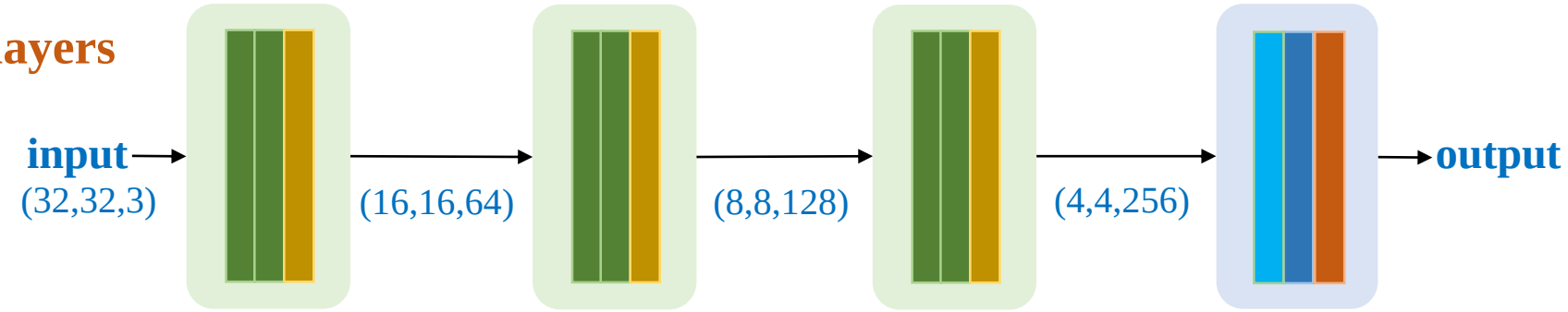
(2x2) max pooling

Dense Layer-10 + Softmax

Network Training

❖ Cifar-10 dataset:

❖ Keep adding more layers



(3x3) Convolution
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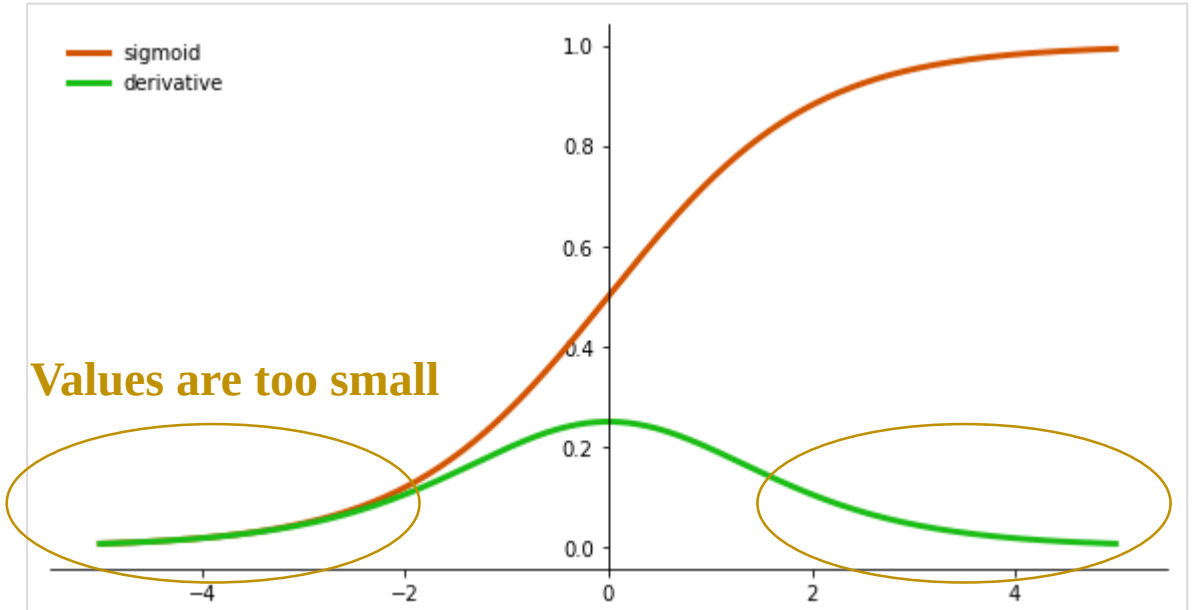
Dense Layer-512
+ Sigmoid

$$\text{sigmoid}(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$$

Vanishing Problem



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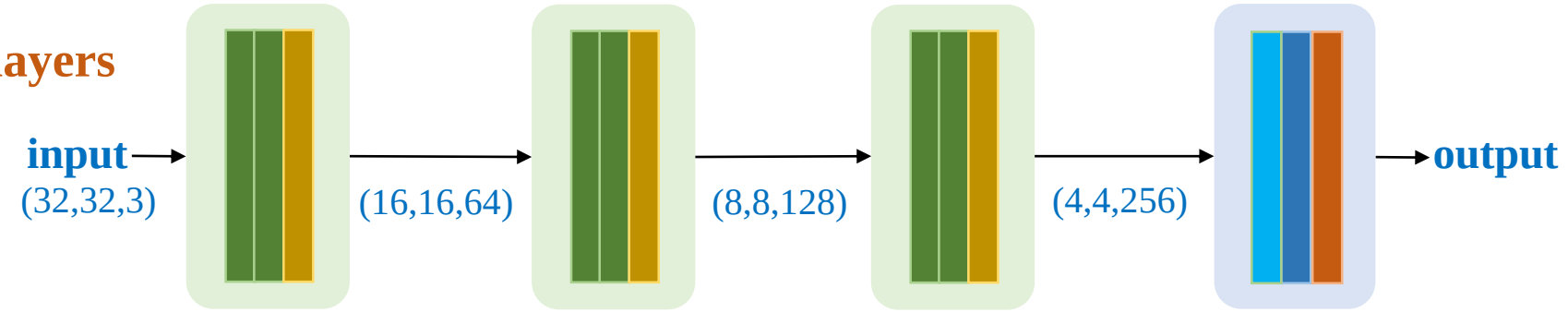
Network Training

❖ Cifar-10 dataset:

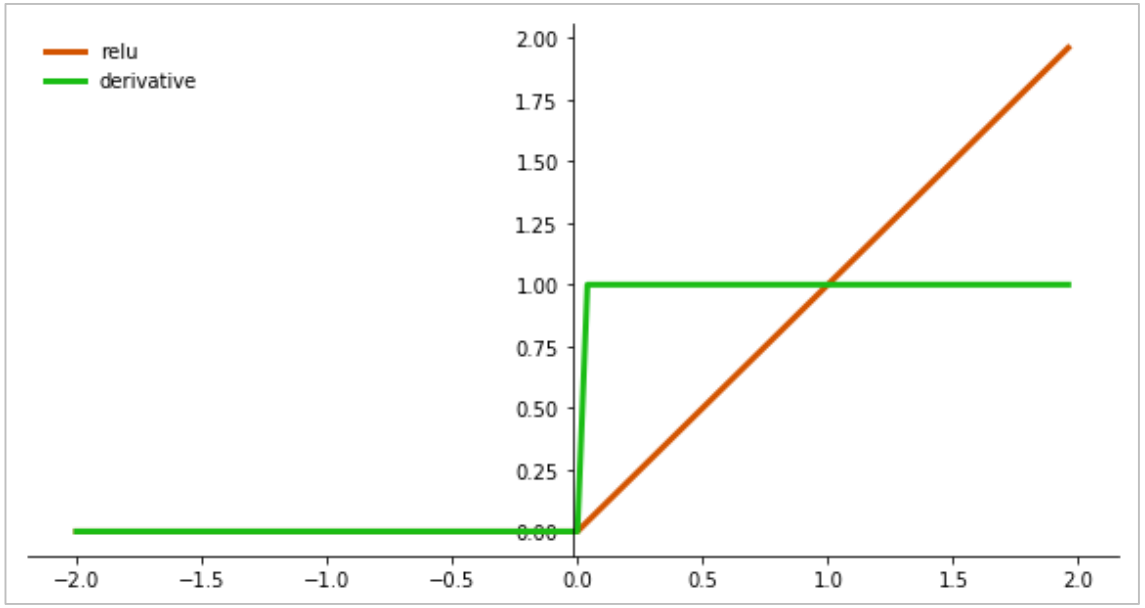
❖ Keep adding more layers

(3x3) Convolution
padding='same'
stride=1 + ReLU

Dense Layer-512
+ ReLU



$$\text{ReLU}(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$




```
Conv2D(num_filters, kernel_size, activation='sigmoid')
```

```
Conv2D(num_filters, kernel_size, activation='relu')
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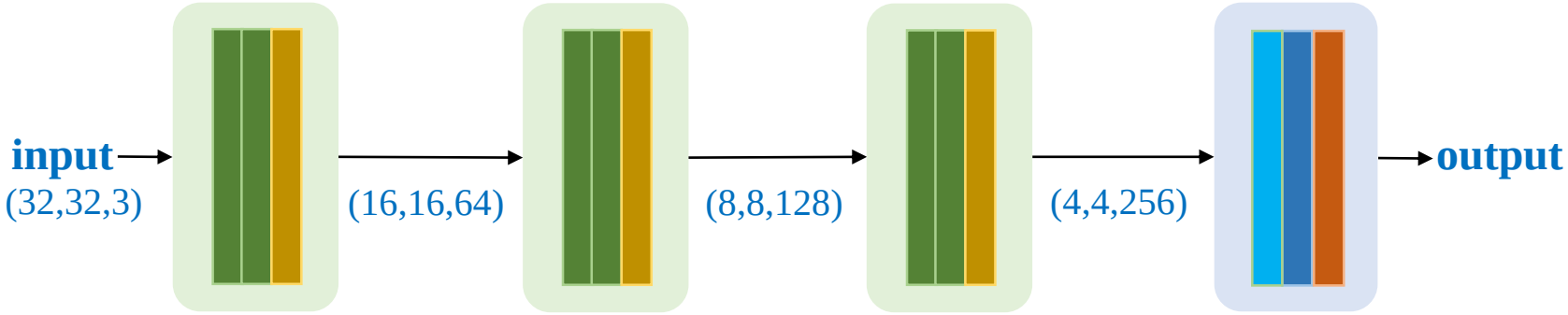
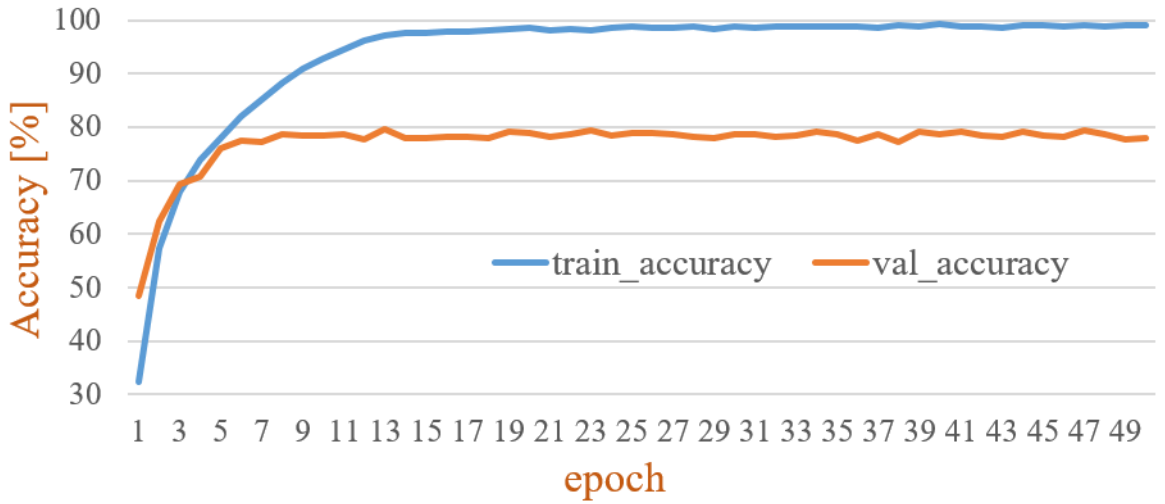
Network Training

- **Cifar-10 dataset:**
  - **Use ReLU**

Training Accuracy reaches up to 99%





(3x3) Convolution padding='same' stride=1 + ReLU

Flatten

Dense Layer-512 + ReLU

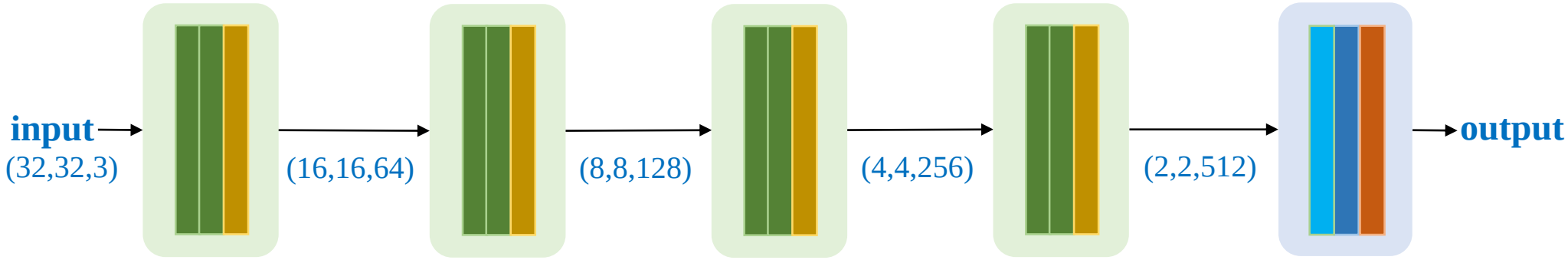
(2x2) max pooling

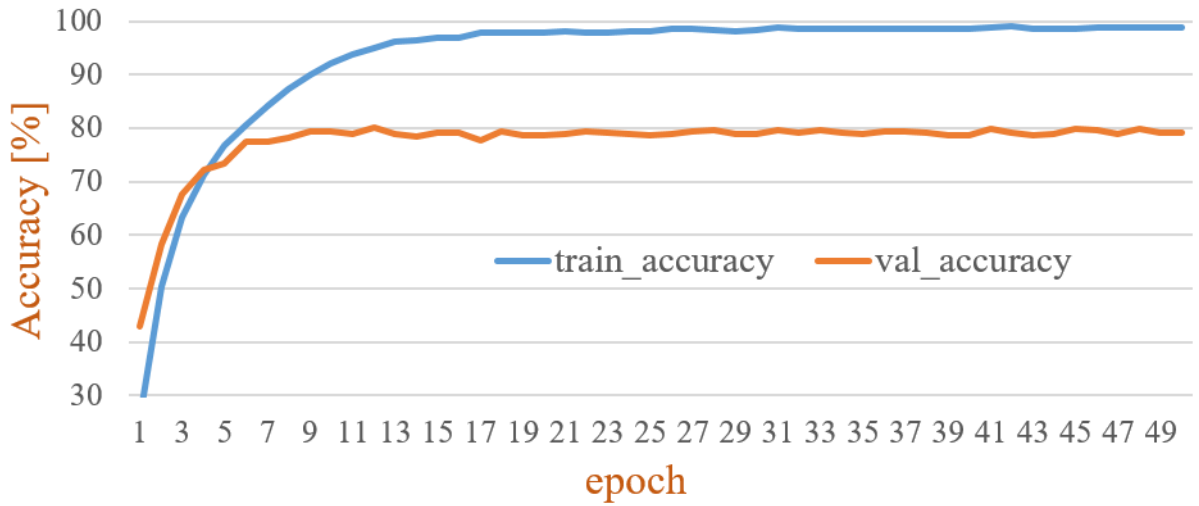
Dense Layer-10 + Softmax

Adding more layers; Hope reach to 100%

Network Training

Use ReLU and add more layers





(3x3) Convolution padding='same' stride=1 + ReLU

Flatten

Dense Layer-512 + ReLU

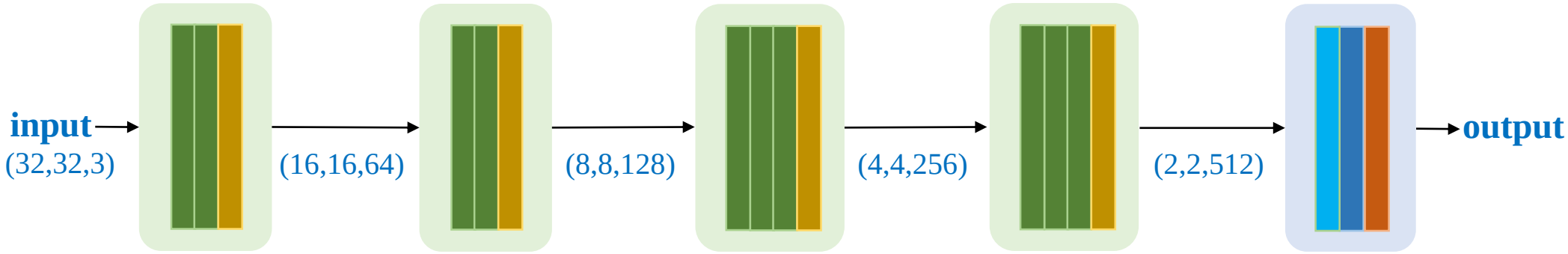
(2x2) max pooling

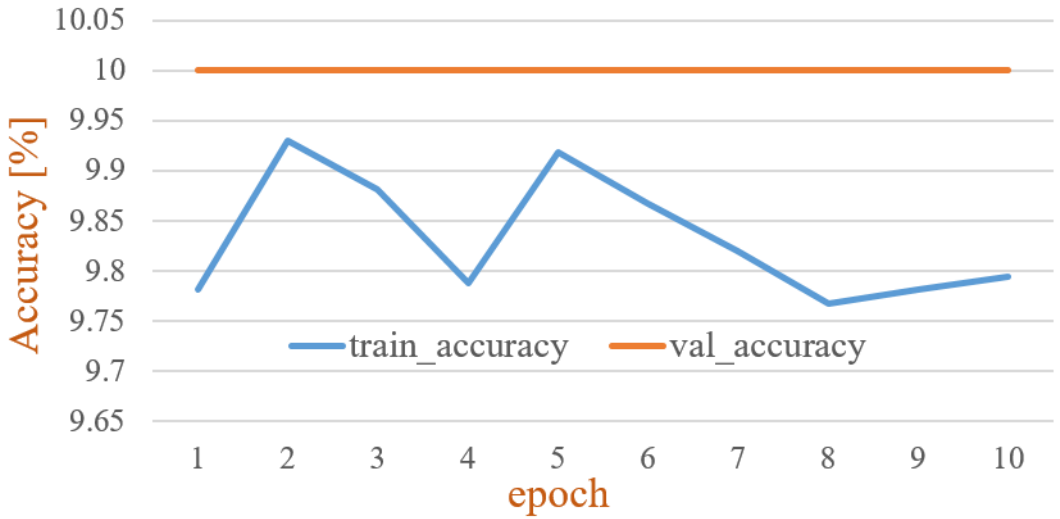
Dense Layer-10 + Softmax

Same performance; Keep adding more layers

Network Training

Use ReLU and add more layers





(3x3) Convolution padding='same' stride=1 + ReLU

Flatten

Dense Layer-512 + ReLU

(2x2) max pooling

Dense Layer-10 + Softmax

Network does not learn again

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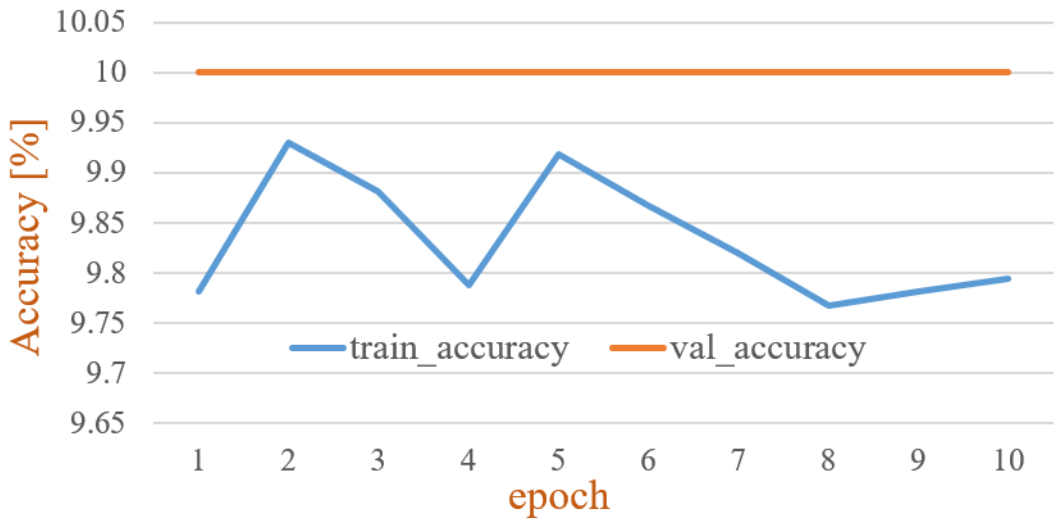
- **Ims**

Network Training

❖ Summary of the current network

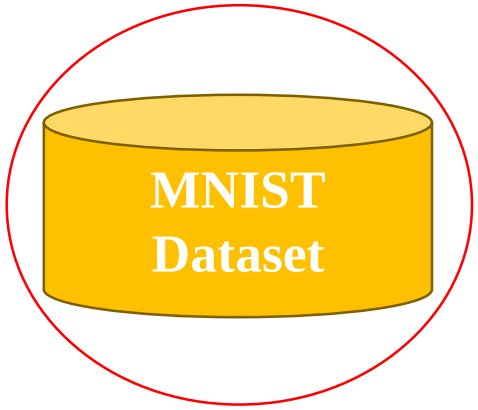
Cifar-10 Dataset → **Data Normalization** (scale to [0,1]) → **Network Construction** (Convs , ReLU, max pooling, Dense layers) → **Parameter Initialization** (Glorot uniform) → **Training** (Adam and cross-entropy loss)

Network does not learn



Network Training

❖ Solution 1: Observation



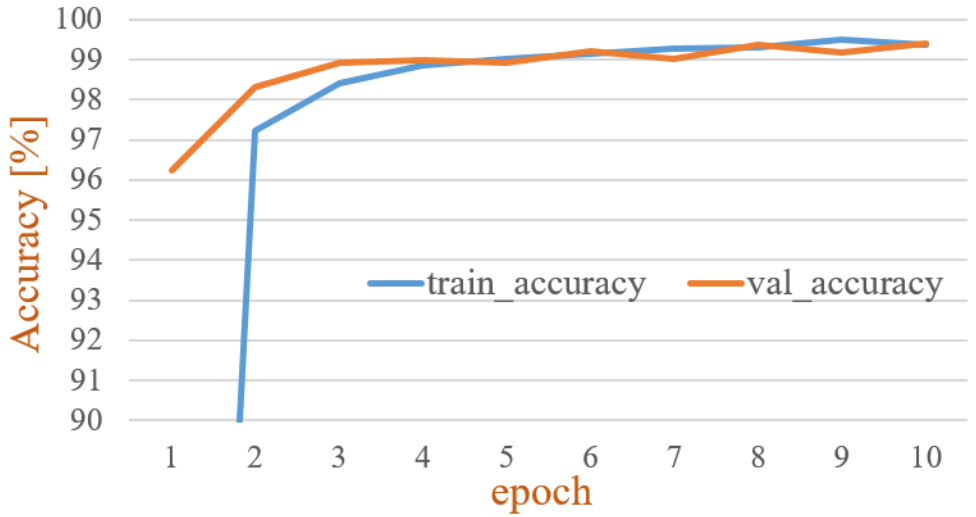
Data Normalization
(scale to [0,1])

Network Construction
(Convs , ReLU, max pooling, Dense layers)

Parameter Initialization
(Glorot uniform)

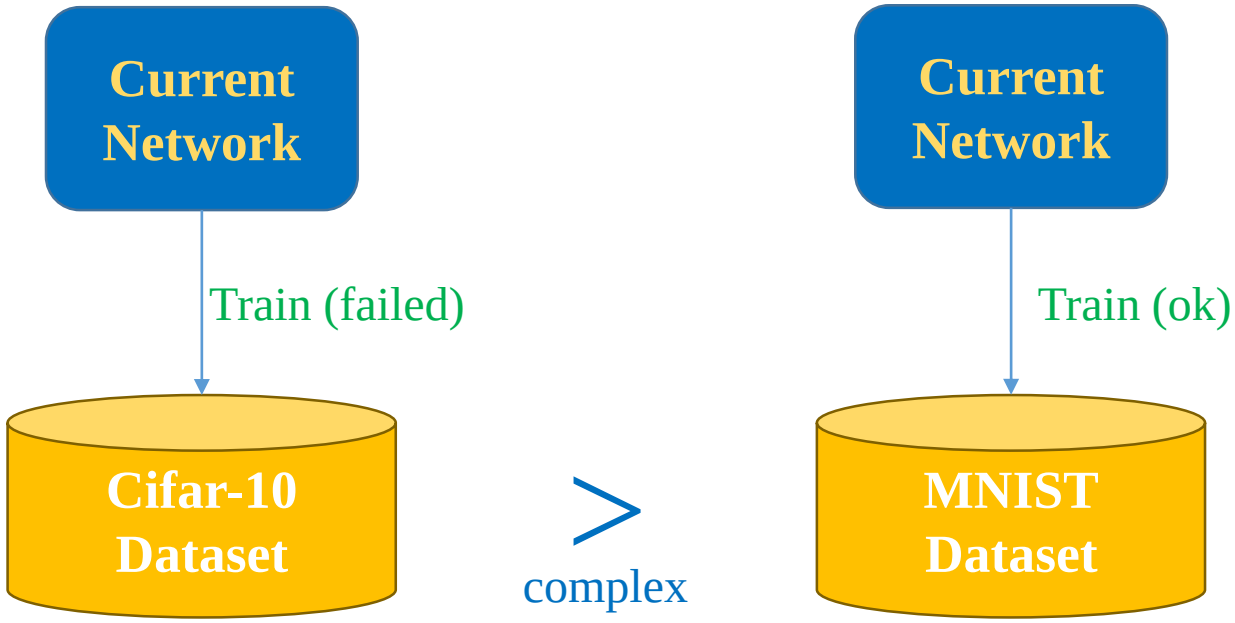
Training
(Adam and cross-entropy loss)

The current network performs excellently for MNIST dataset



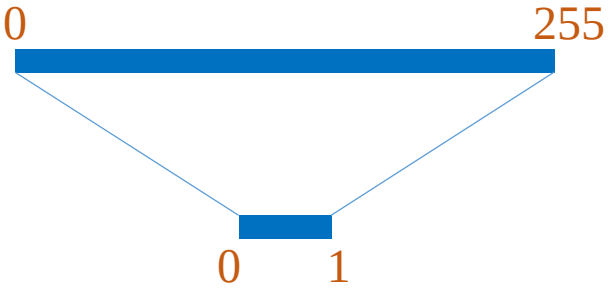
Network Training

❖ Solution 1: Idea



How to reduce the complexity of the Cifar-10 dataset

Data Normalization (scale to [0,1])



Data Normalization (convert to 0-mean and 1-deviation)

$$X = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}$$

$$\mu = \frac{1}{n}\sum_i X_i$$

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❖ Solution 1: Idea

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This normalization helps network to be invariant to linear transformation

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❖ Solution 1: 0-mean and unit-deviation normalization

Data Normalization
(convert to 0-mean and 1-deviation)

Normalize each channel separately

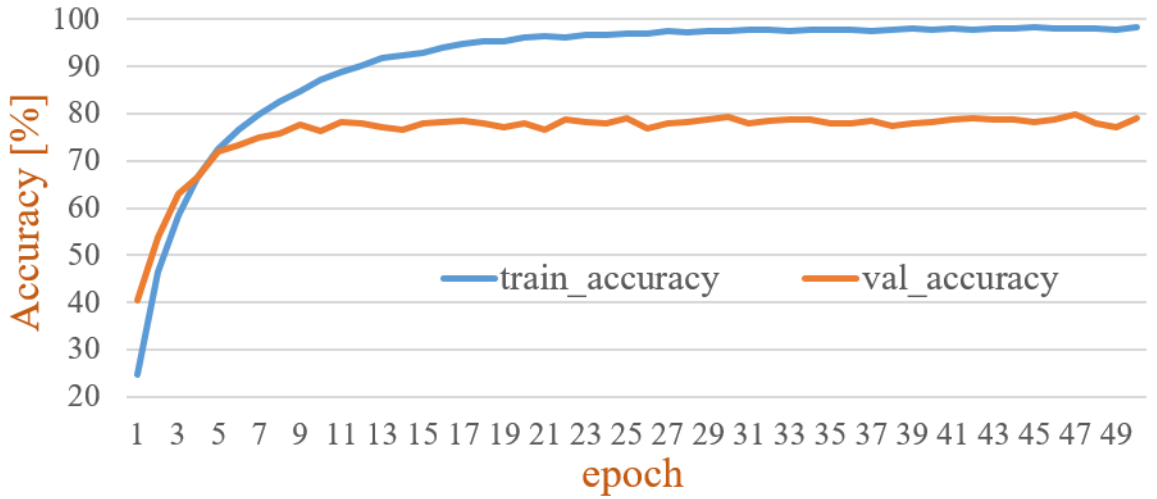
```
# normalize
mean = np.array([[[[125.3, 122.9, 113.8]]]])
std  = np.array([[[[62.9, 62.1, 66.7]]]])

x_train = (x_train - mean) / std
x_test  = (x_test - mean) / std
```

$$X = \frac{X - \mu_d}{\sigma_d}$$

μ_d is the mean of dataset

σ_d is the deviation for the whole dataset



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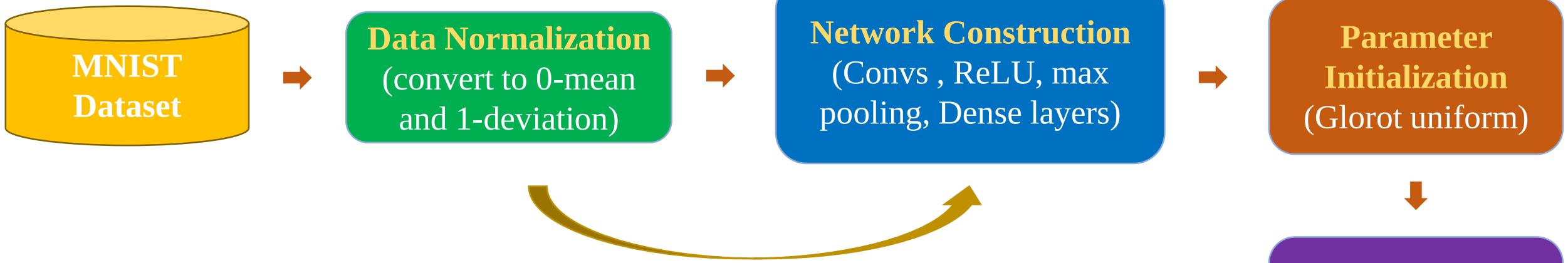
❖ **Solution 2**

$$X = \frac{X - \mu_d}{\sigma_d}$$



How to use the idea (from solution 1) to integrate to network

Batch Normalization

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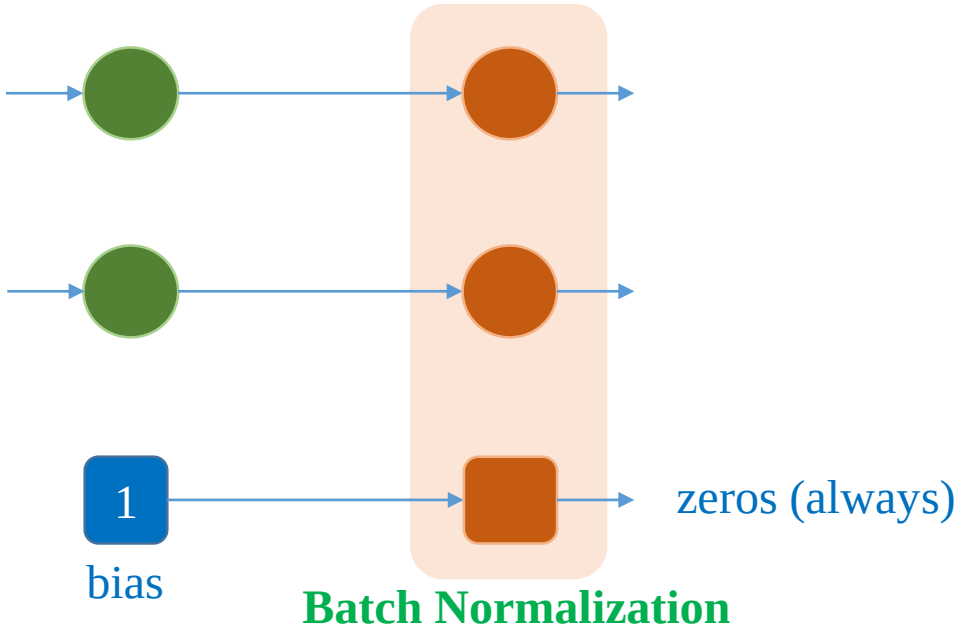
❖ Solution 2: Batch normalization



Do not need bias when using BN

μ and σ are updated in forward pass
γ and β are updated in backward pass

Input data for a node in batch normalization layer

$$X = \{X_1, \dots, X_m\}$$

m is mini-batch size

Compute mean and variance

$$\mu = \frac{1}{m}\sum_{i=1}^{m} X_i \qquad \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{m}\sum_{i=1}^{m}(X_i - \mu)^2$$

Normalize X_i

$$\hat{X}_i = \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sqrt{\sigma^2 + \epsilon}}$$

ϵ is a very small value

Scale and shift $\hat{X}_i$

$$Y_i = \gamma \hat{X}_i + \beta$$

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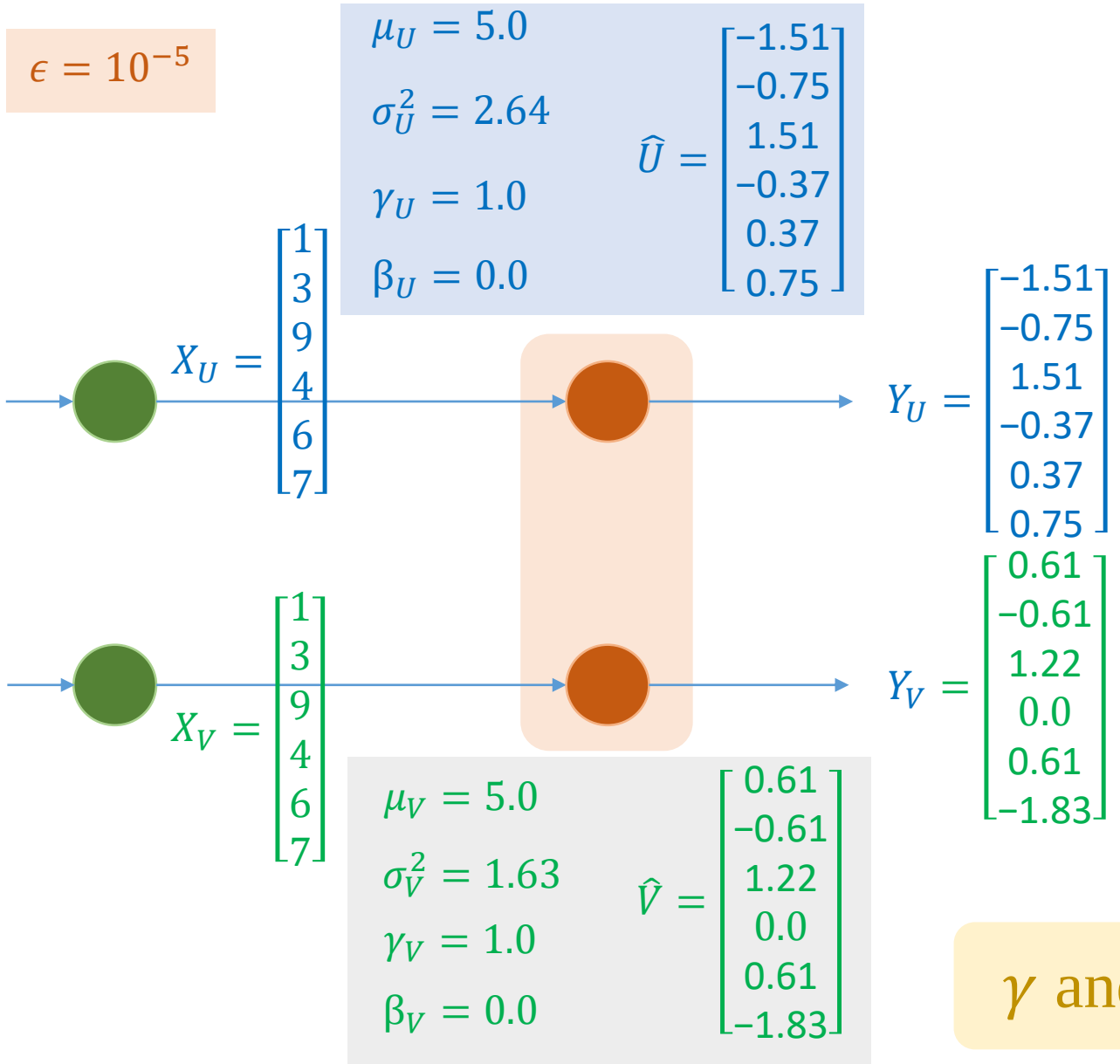

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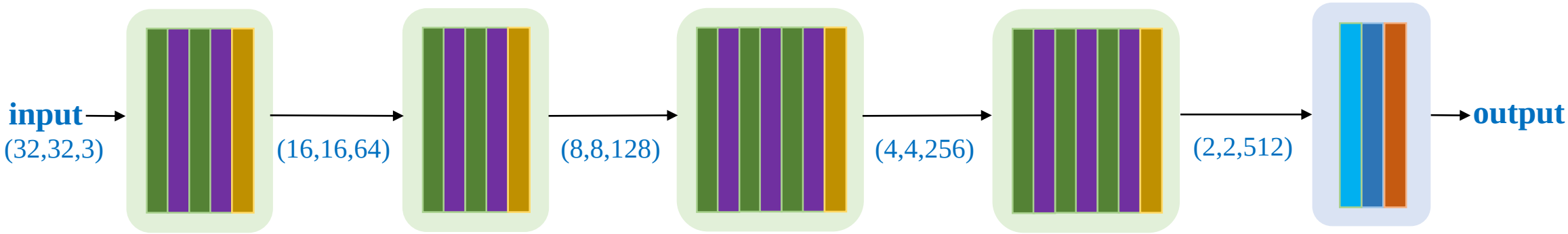


(3x3) Convolution padding='same' stride=1 + ReLU

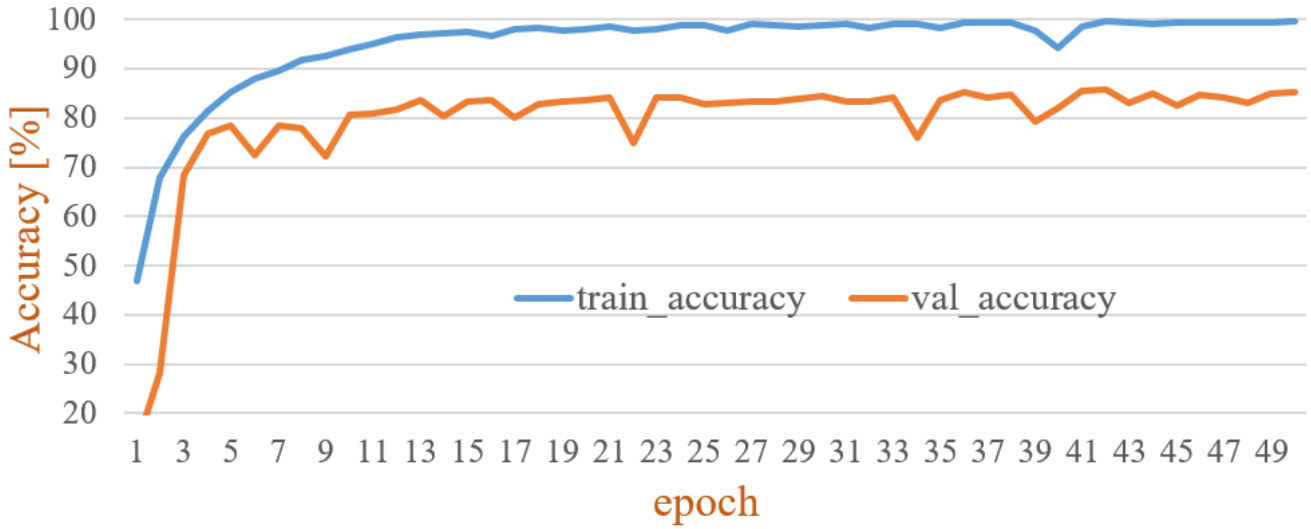
Flatten

Dense Layer-512 + ReLU

(2x2) max pooling

Batch normalization

Dense Layer-10 + Softmax




```
model.add(Conv2D(num_filter, kernel_size,
                 activation='relu'))
model.add(keras.layers.BatchNormalization())
```

We could use BN before activation

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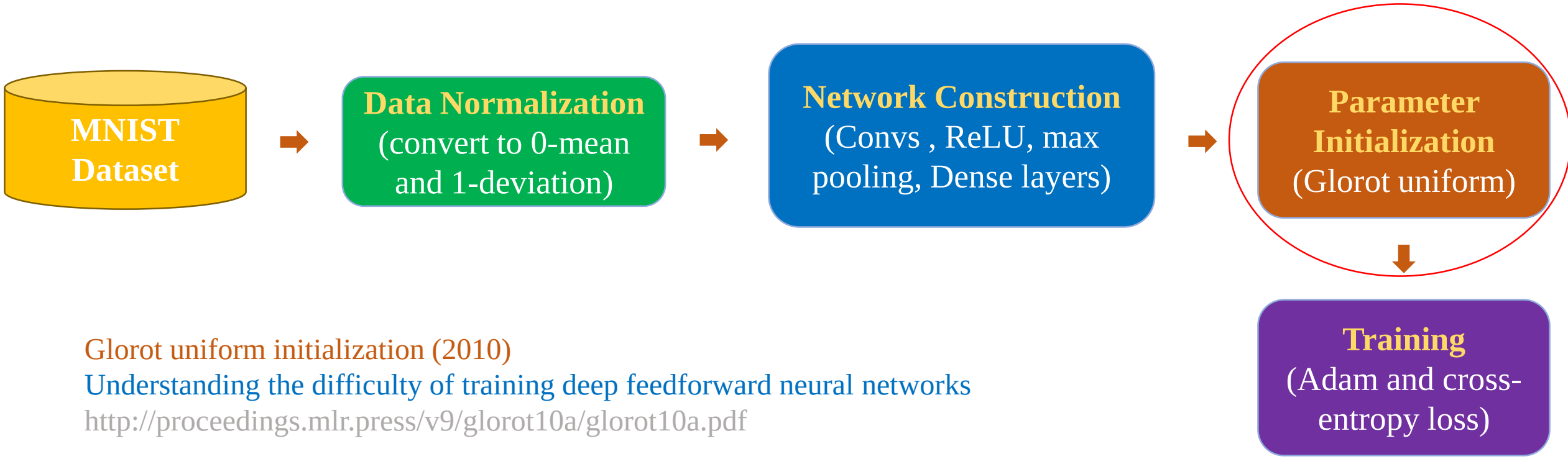
❖ Solution 3: Use more robust initialization



Glorot uniform initialization (2010)
Understanding the difficulty of training deep feedforward neural networks
http://proceedings.mlr.press/v9/glorot10a/glorot10a.pdf

He initialization (2015)
Delving Deep into Rectifiers: Surpassing Human-Level Performance on ImageNet Classification
https://arxiv.org/pdf/1502.01852.pdf

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❖ Solution 3: He Initialization

Glorot uniform initialization (2010)

$$W \sim U\left[-\frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{n_j + n_{j+1}}}, \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{n_j + n_{j+1}}}\right]$$

n_j is #inputs in layer j

Assuming activation functions are linear

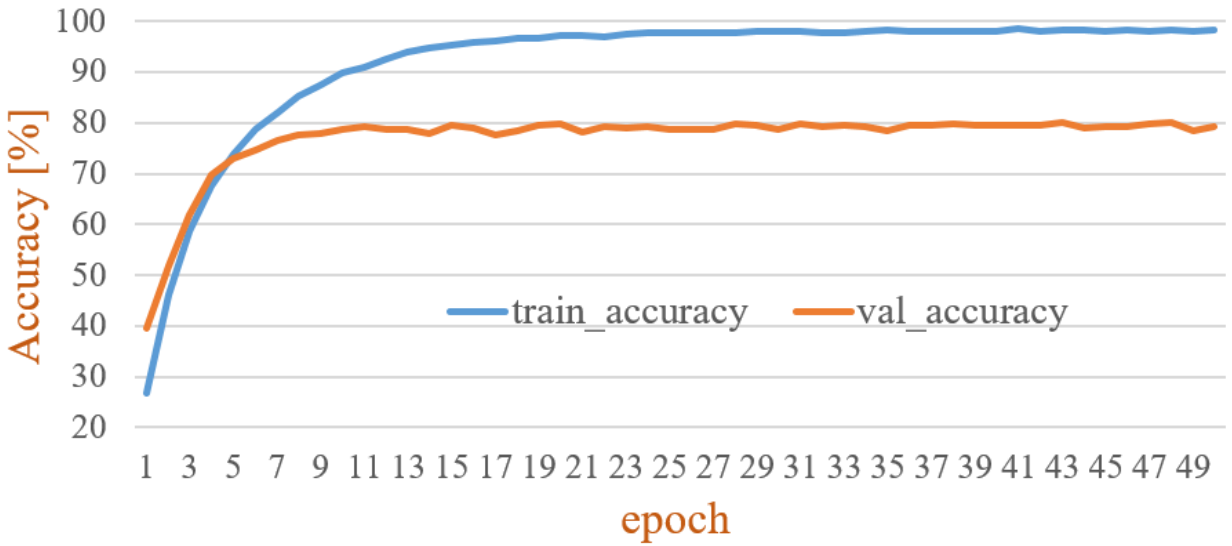
He initialization (2015)

Taking activation function into account

Adapt to ReLU activation

$$W \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \frac{2}{n_j}\right)$$

```
initializer = keras.initializers.he_normal()
Conv2D(num_filter, kernel_size, activation='relu',
       kernel_initializer=initializer)
```



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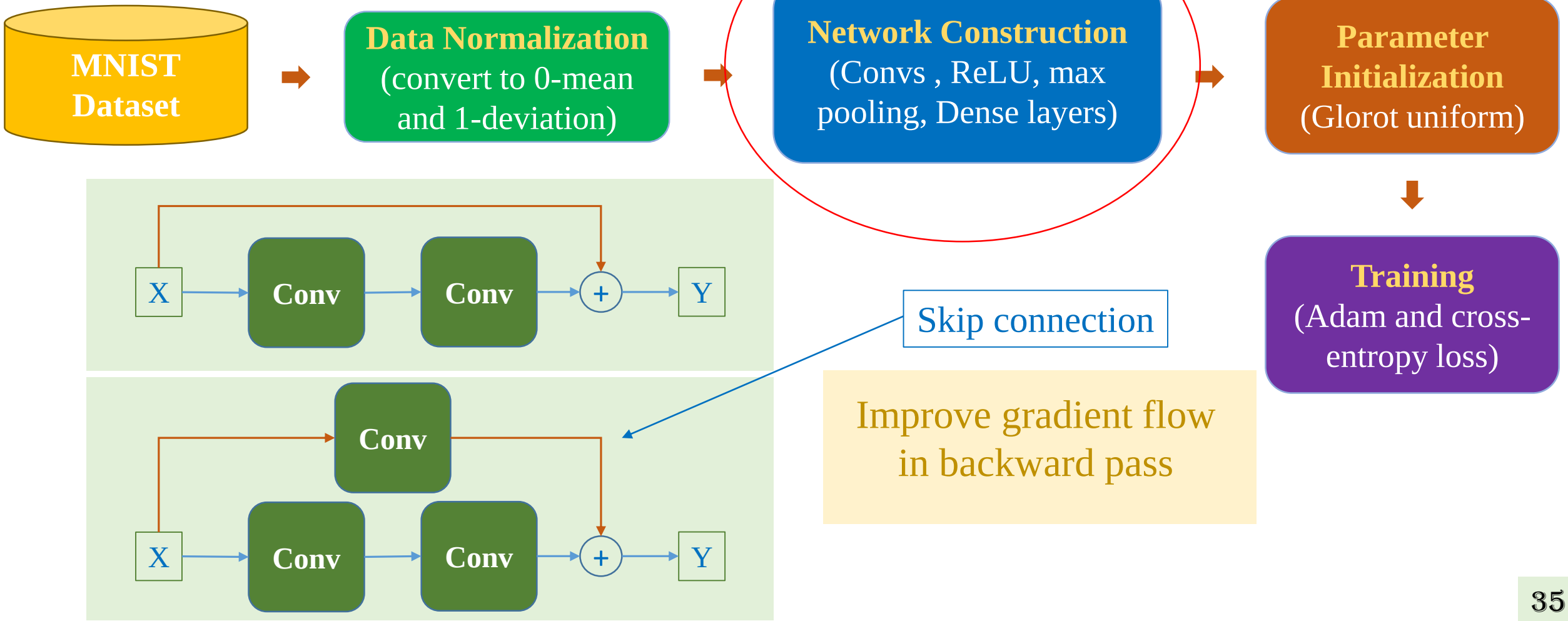
❖ Solution 4: Skip connection



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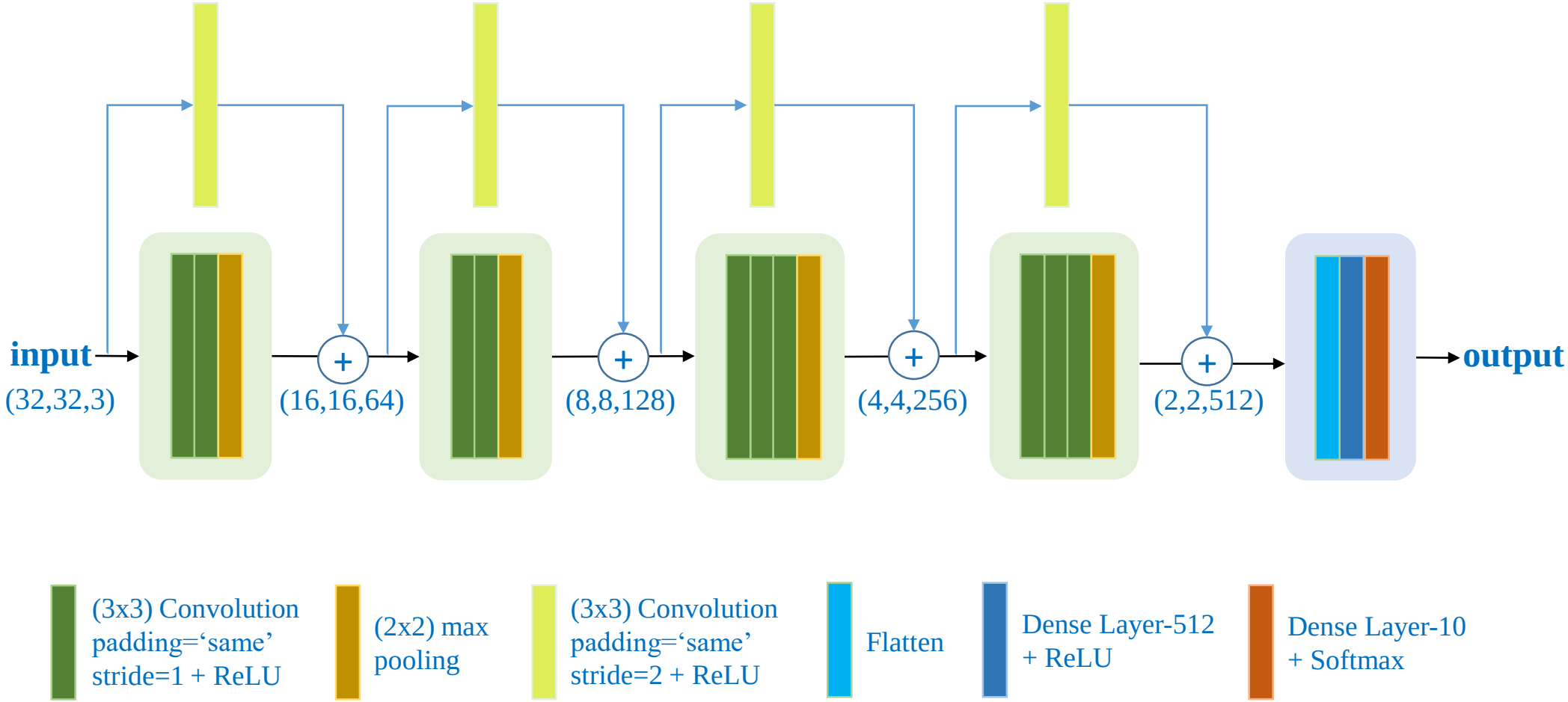

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❖ Solution 4: Skip connection

```
# block 1
previous = x
x = keras.layers.Conv2D(64, (3, 3), padding='same', activation='relu')(x)
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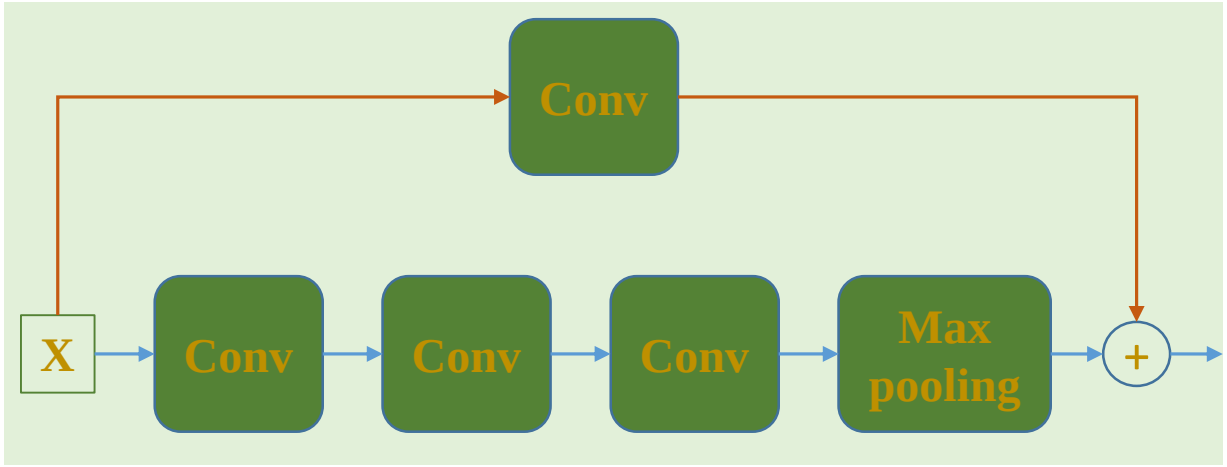
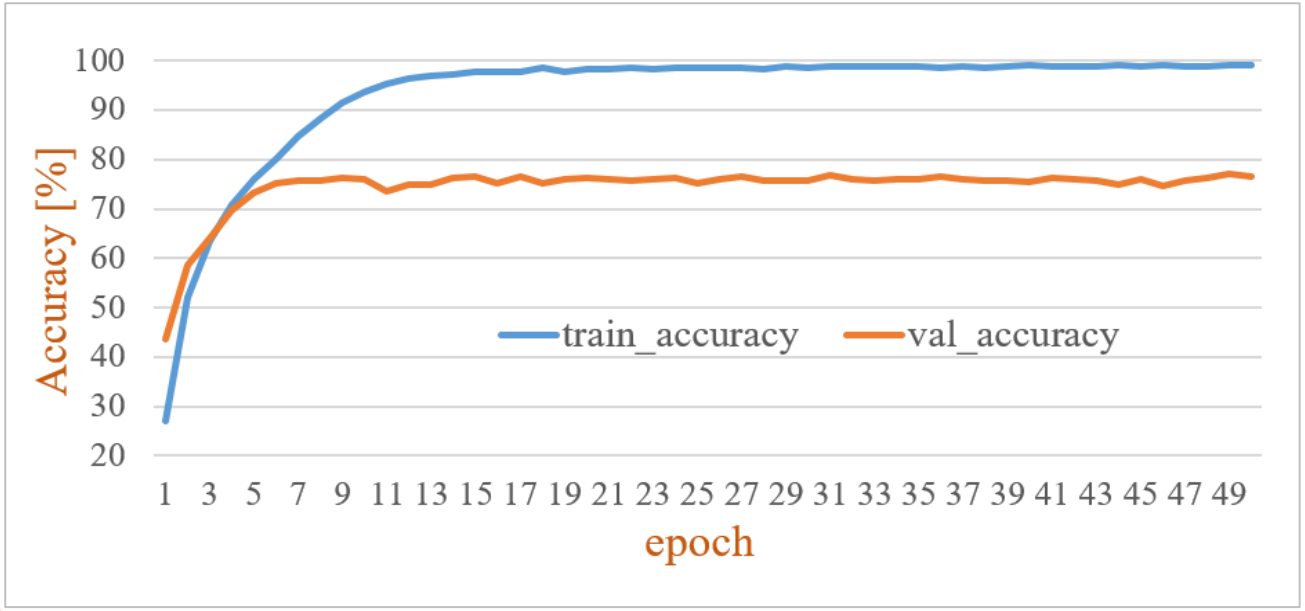
x = keras.layers.Conv2D(64, (3, 3), padding='same', activation='relu')(x)
x = keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(2)(x)

residual = keras.layers.Conv2D(64, (3, 3), strides=2, padding='same', activation='relu')(previous)
x = keras.layers.add([x, residual])
```





There are several variants that use fully skip connection, concatenation, long skip connection

Reading

Skip connection

https://theaisummer.com/skip-connections/

Trying to overfit Data

http://karpathy.github.io/2019/04/25/recipe/

Summary

Use max pooling before ReLU to save some computations


Thank you!