

- Provide a detailed description for the Sobel operator and its advantages compared to simple backward and forward differences. (E) Finally, describe the techniques that can be used to compute the magnitude of the gradient, motivating which one provides the best response, and the orientation.
- 2) (A) Describe the organization and design rules of the VGG architectures and the protocol originally used to train the deepest variants. (B) Discuss the trade-offs between a standard 5x5 convolution layer and the factorization used in VGG. (C) Comment on the main differences and similarities between AlexNet and VGG-16.