

# Paper Review

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**Deep Residual Learning for Image  
Recognition (2016 CVPR)**

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# Abstract

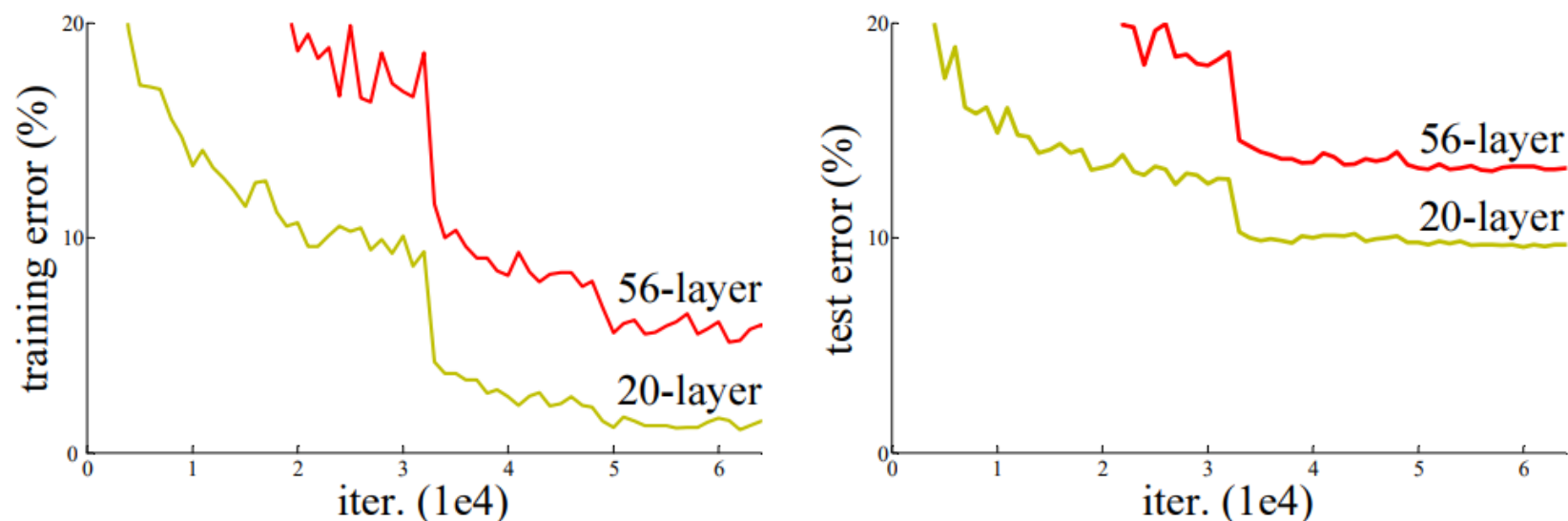


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## ResNet @ ILSVRC & COCO 2015 Competitions

### 1st places in all five main tracks

- ImageNet Classification : “Ultra-deep” 152-layer nets
- ImageNet Detection : 16% better than 2nd
- ImageNet Localization : 27% better than 2nd
- COCO Detection : 11% better than 2<sup>nd</sup>
- COCO Segmentation : 12% better than 2nd

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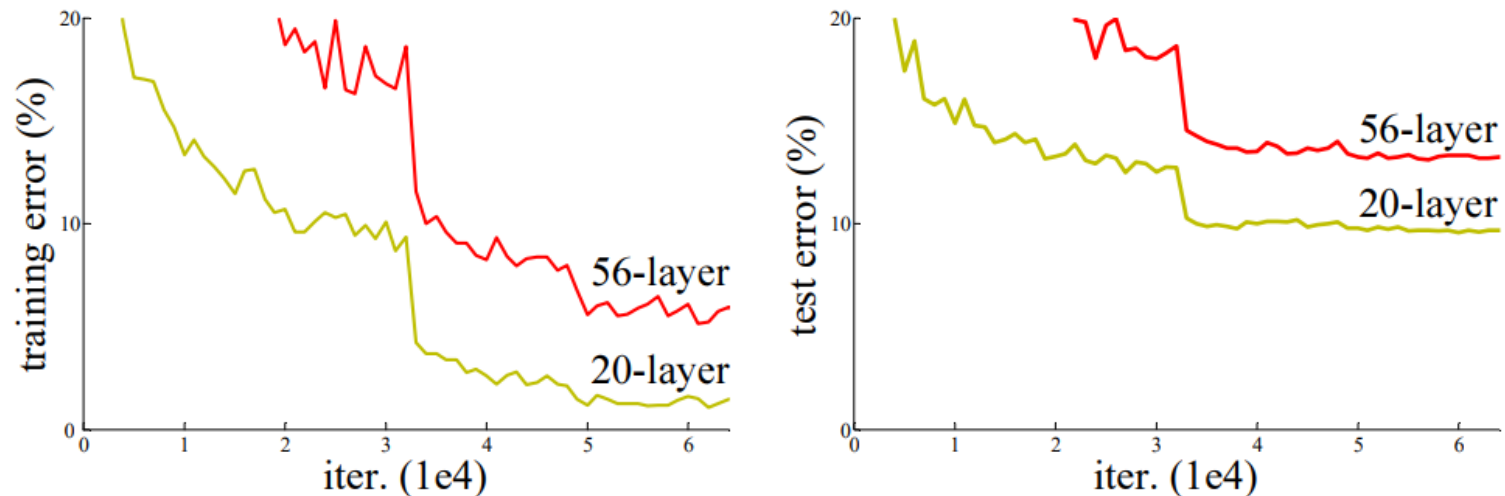
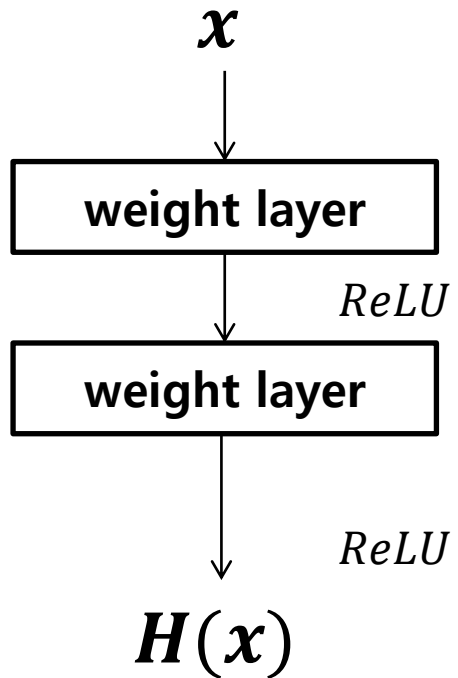


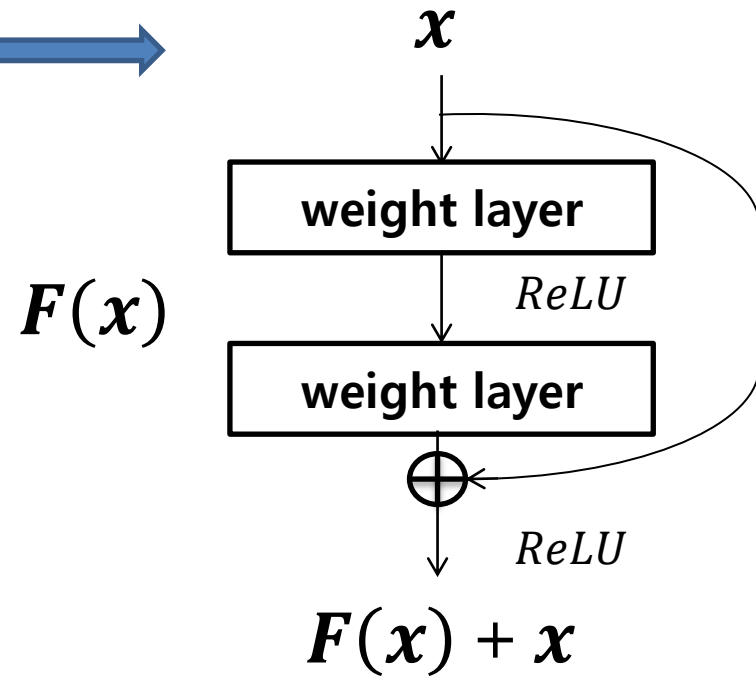
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# Introduction

$$F(x) := H(x) - x$$



Plain Net



Residual block

# Related Work

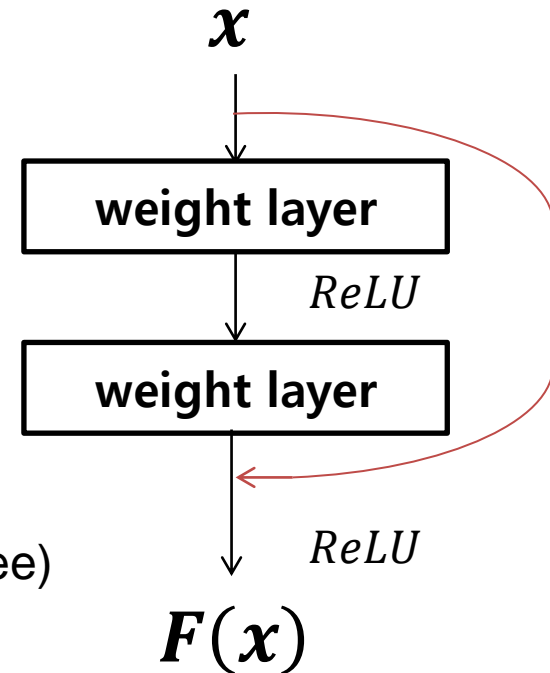
## Shortcut Connection (Skip Connection)

### GoogleNet vs ResNet

- Low parameter
- Not required Auxillary Classifier separately.

### Highway Networks vs ResNet

- Low parameter (identity shortcut – parameter free)
- Not demonstrated accuracy gains with extremely increased depth (highway)



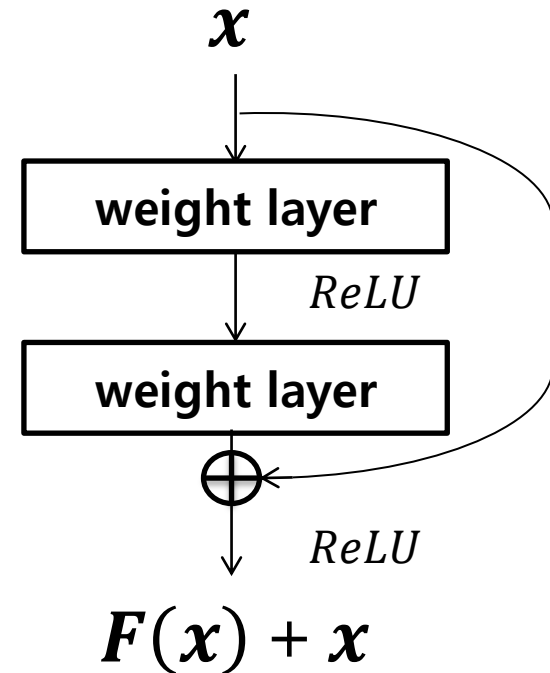


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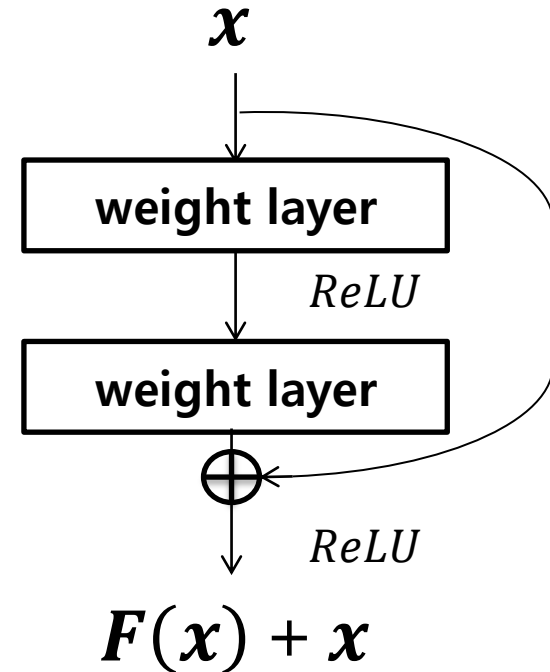
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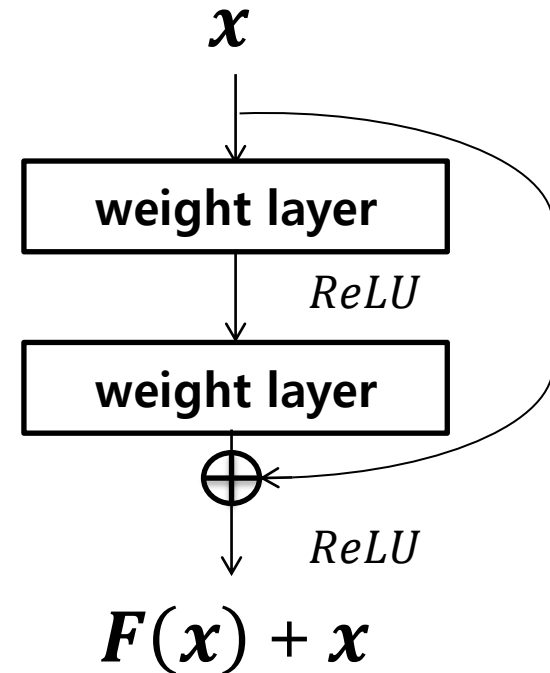
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$$y = W_1 x + x = (W_1 + 1)x$$



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## Network Architectures

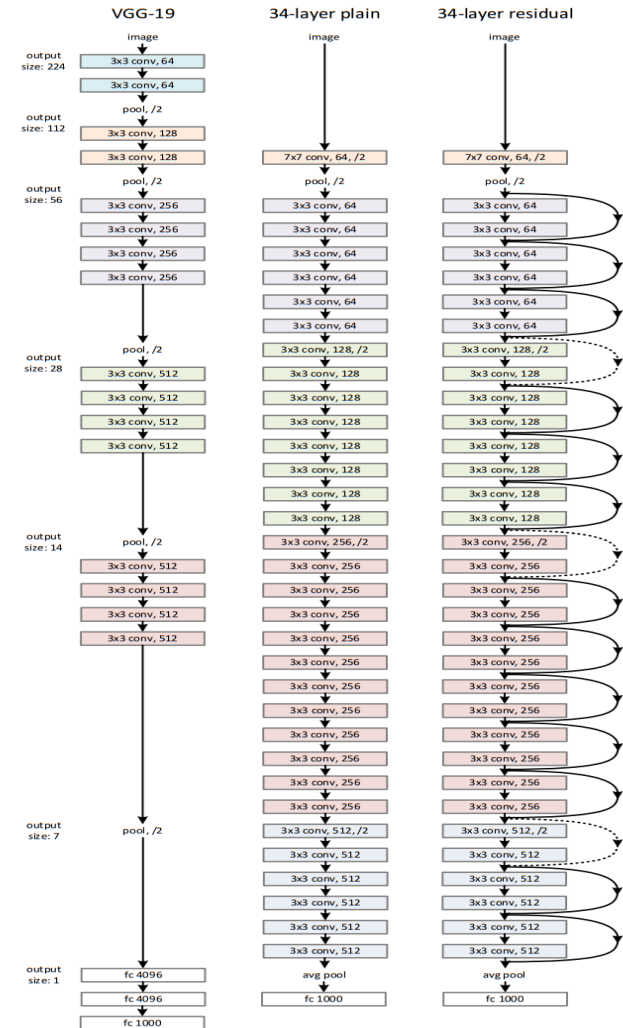
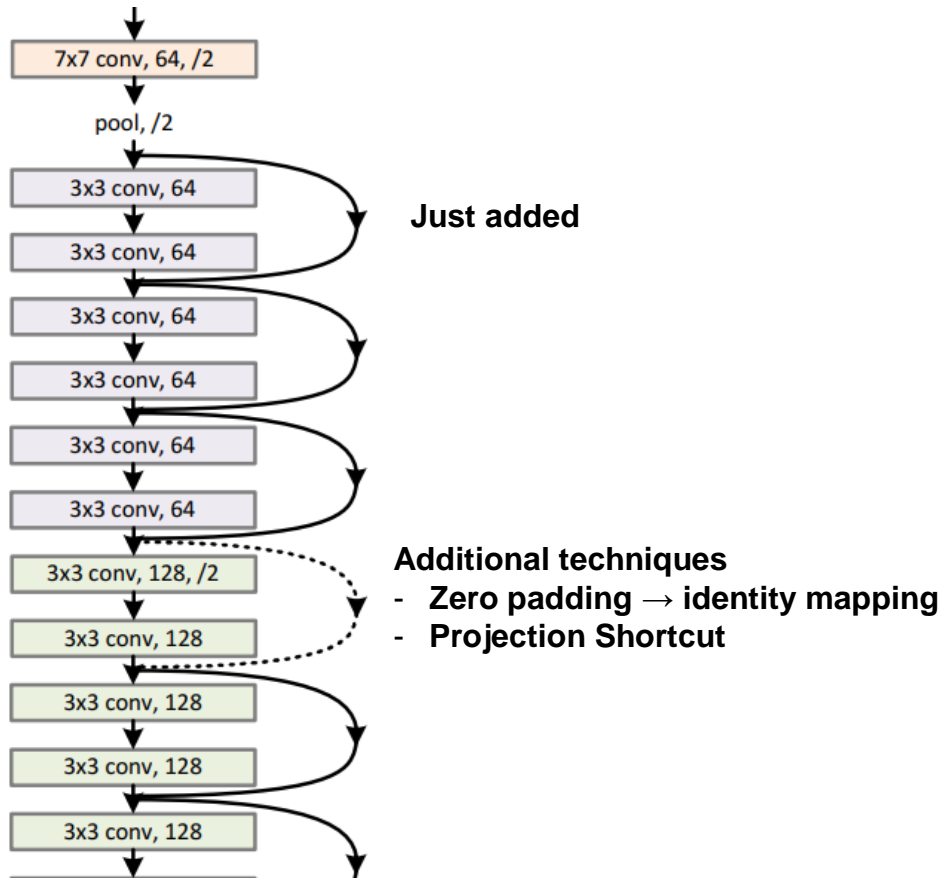
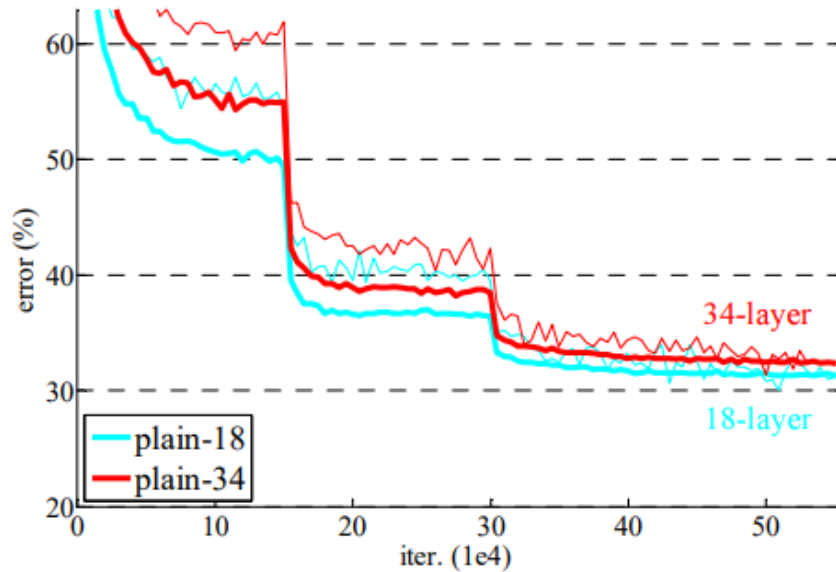


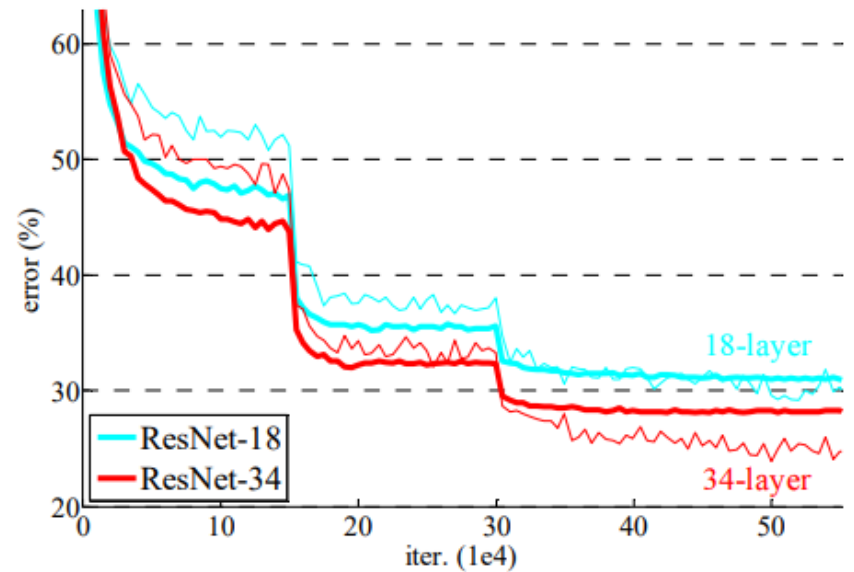
Figure 3. Example network architectures for ImageNet. **Left:** the VGG-19 model [41] (19.6 billion FLOPs) as a reference. **Middle:** a plain network with 34 parameter layers (3.6 billion FLOPs). **Right:** a residual network with 34 parameter layers (3.6 billion FLOPs). The dotted shortcuts increase dimensions. **Table 1** shows more details and other variants.

# Experiments

## ImageNet experiments



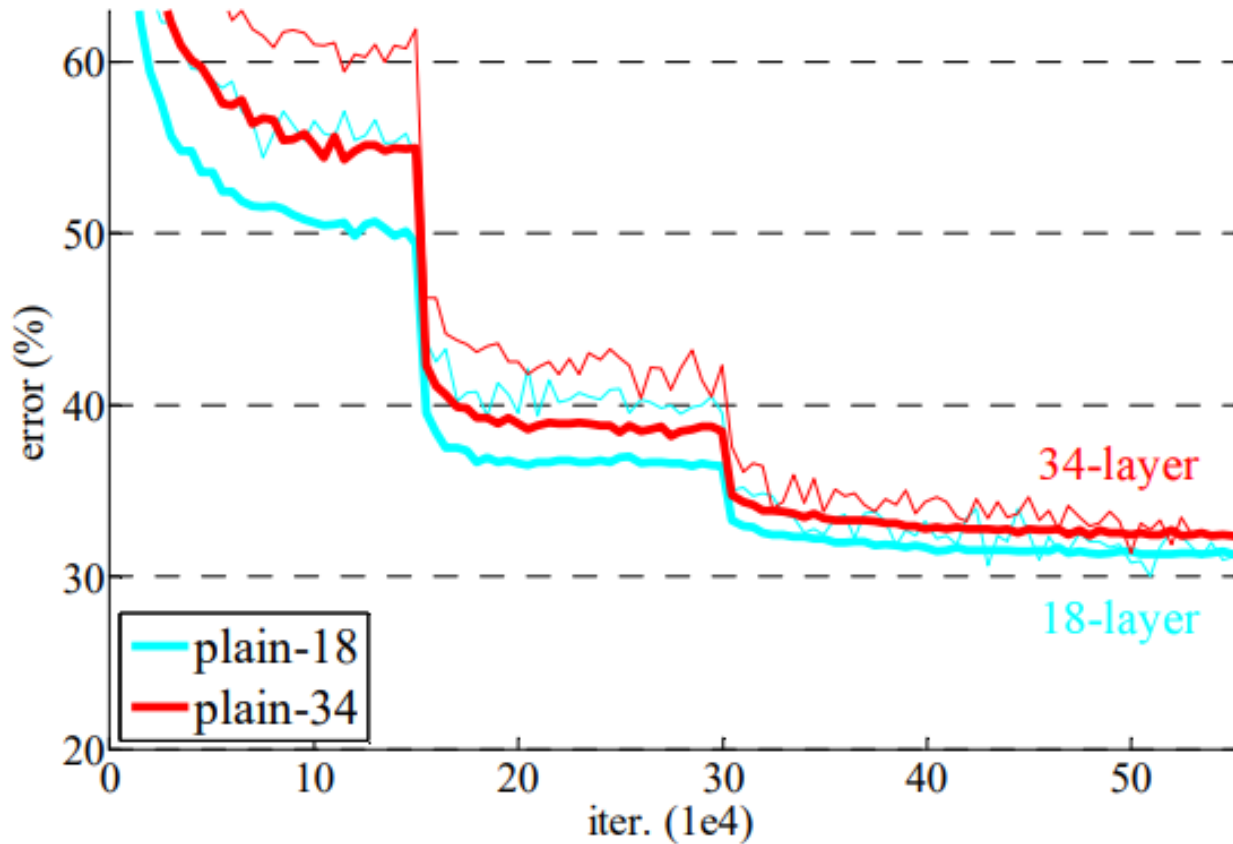
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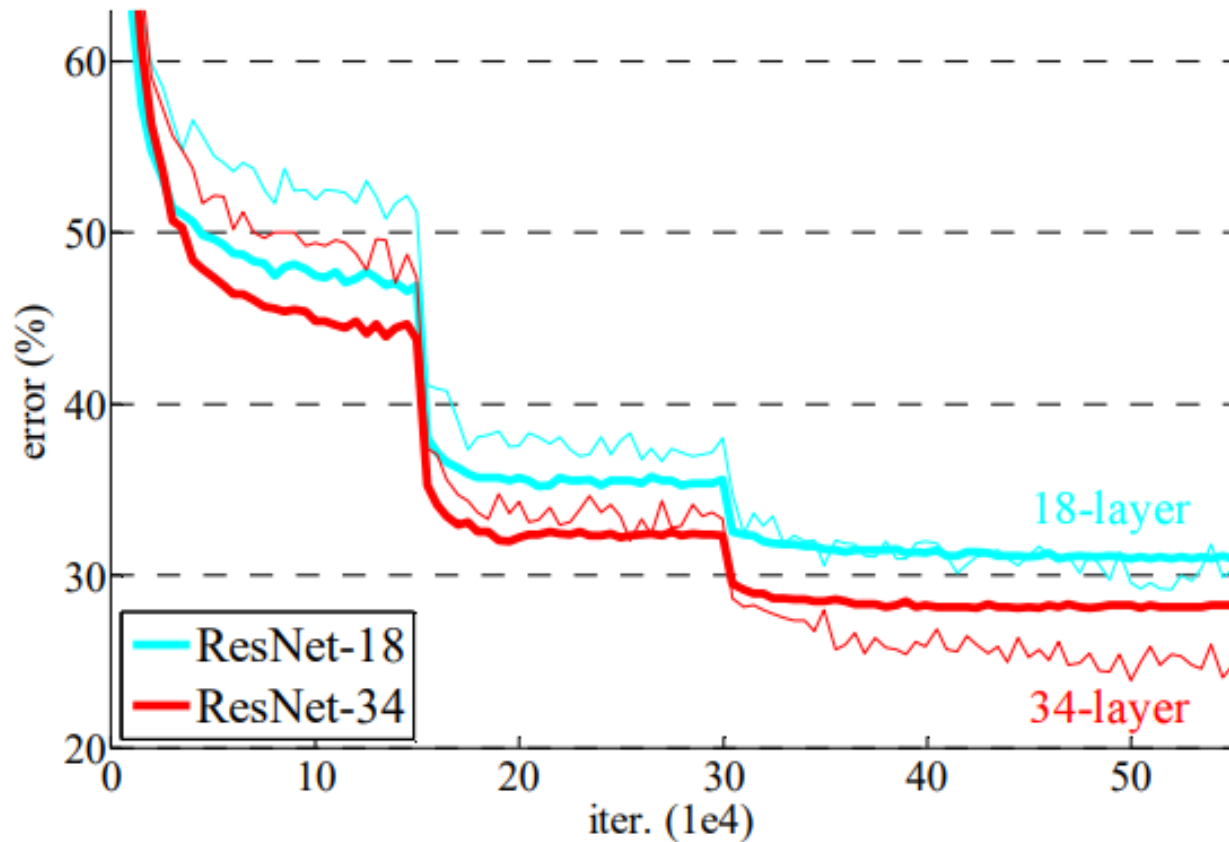
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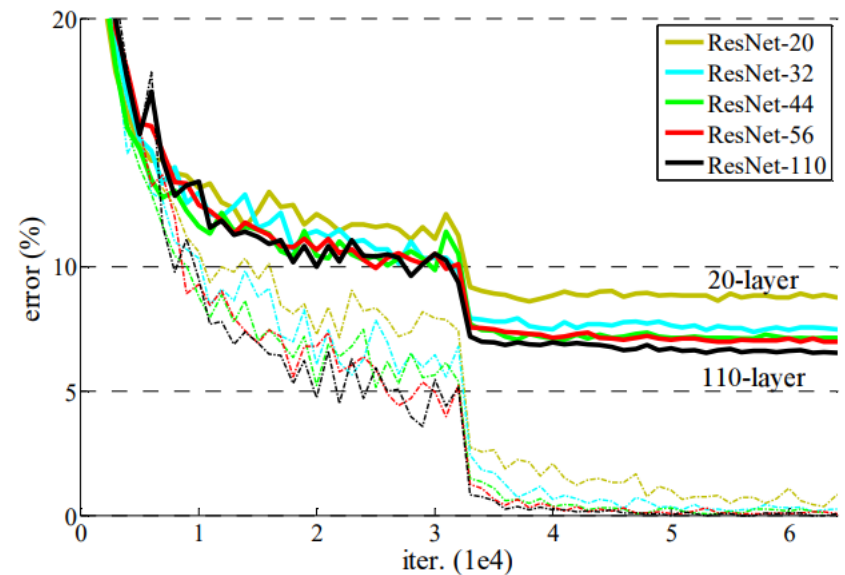
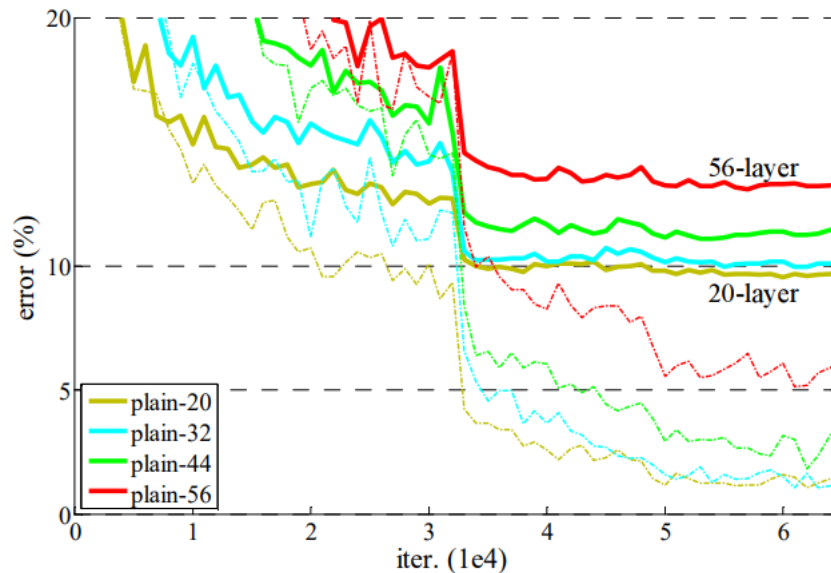


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## CIFAR-10 experiments



- Deep ResNets can be trained without difficulties
- Deeper ResNets have **lower training error**, and also **lower test error**

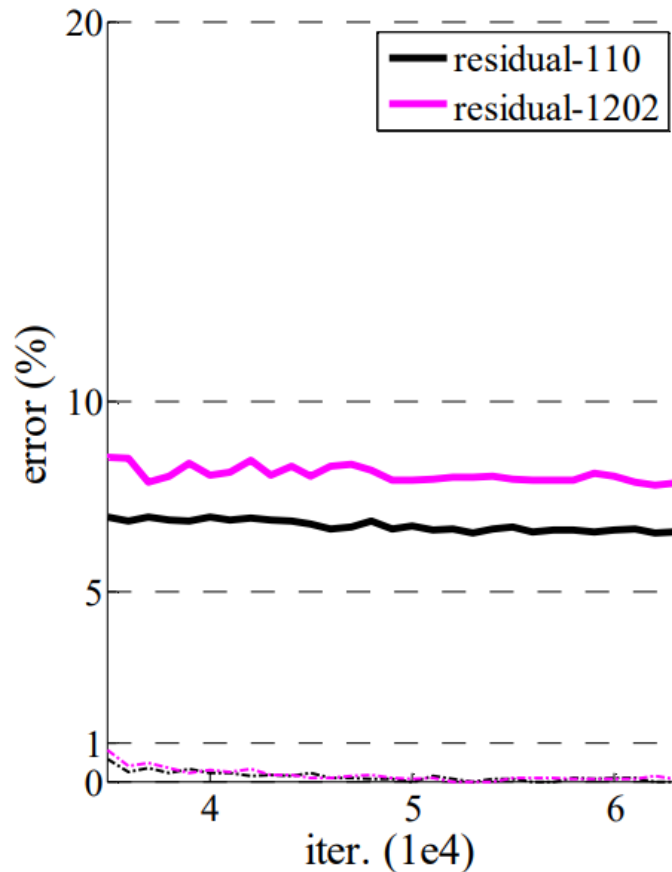
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**No** → Because of **overfitting**.

But it could be studied by adding regularization.

# Conclusions

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- **Deep Residual Networks:**
  - **Easy to train**
  - **Simply gain accuracy from depth**
  - **Well transferable**